

Redmine - Feature #26530

Links to Wiki pages of unauthorized projects should be smarter

2017-07-25 21:25 - Michael Gerz

<b>Status:</b>	New	<b>Start date:</b>	
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<b>Target version:</b>			
<b>Resolution:</b>			
<b>Description</b>			
<p>I use to define a 'Sidebar' wiki page that contains links to wiki pages in various subprojects. This allows users to quickly jump to specific topics.</p> <p>However, when migrating from Redmine 3.3.1 to 3.4.2, links to unauthorized subprojects got broken. (See here <a href="http://www.mimworld.org">http://www.mimworld.org</a>). Once an user has logged in and has the necessary access rights to visit the specific wiki pages, the links are displayed correctly.</p> <p>Has this change been made intentional (to overcome some security problem) or is it a real bug? If this behaviour is intended, I have to rethink the entire structure of my project(s). A quick fix is much appreciated.</p>			

History

#1 - 2017-07-26 01:20 - Michael Gerz

Ouch... this issue seems to be related to [r16283](#) and #23793 which fixes an information leak.

I wonder what this leak actually is since the user will see the link (in wiki format) anyway.

If - for whatever reason - the link is not allowed to become an HTML link then I suggest making the textual representation a bit more user-friendly. A phrase like

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[[model-repository:Latest_Model|Latest Model]]
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is something that I would not like to see in a rendered Wiki page.

#2 - 2017-07-27 17:38 - Michael Gerz

- File *wiki-links-patch.diff* added

The attached patch results in smarter "non-links".

#4 - 2017-08-21 13:44 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Tracker changed from Defect to Feature

- Subject changed from *Links to Wiki pages of unauthorized projects are broken in the sidebar* to *Links to Wiki pages of unauthorized projects should be smarter*

#5 - 2018-01-02 13:01 - Michael Gerz

What happened to this patch?

#6 - 2018-01-13 02:38 - Go MAEDA

I think the patch suggested in [#26530#note-2](#) cause an information leak. A user who is not allowed to see the wiki can probe if a given page exists.

#7 - 2018-01-17 00:48 - Shinji Tamura

I make the plugin that disable [r16283](#) and include *wiki-links-patch.diff*.  
Please see [https://github.com/crosspoints/redmine\\_legacy\\_link](https://github.com/crosspoints/redmine_legacy_link)

Files

wiki-links-patch.diff	1.07 KB	2017-07-27	Michael Gerz
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