

## Redmine - Feature #27412

### Document supported HTML access keys

2017-11-08 21:35 - Mischa The Evil

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#### Description

The access keys supported by Redmine (which are implemented using regular [HTML accesskey attributes](#) requiring the use of Ctrl/Alt/Shift<sup>1</sup> keys) are not yet documented. This needs some TLC ;)

#### References:

- commits implementing the access keys: r804 (#449), r897, r1081 (#481), r13794 (#18692)
- notable related issue(s): #6846
- notable related plugin(s): [https://github.com/netaustin/redmine\\_keyboard\\_shortcuts](https://github.com/netaustin/redmine_keyboard_shortcuts)
- current (backend) implementation: source:/trunk/lib/redmine/access\_keys.rb@17022
- files containing the string 'accesskey(' (frontend implementation): {{collapse(View details...)}}\_File:|\_Line no.:|\_Code

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line:|app\helpers\application_helper.rb|603|   def accesskey(s)
|app\helpers\application_helper.rb|1217|       :accesskey => accesskey(:preview)
|app\views\activities\index.html.erb|30|           :accesskey => accesskey(:previous)) %>
|app\views\activities\index.html.erb|35|           :accesskey => accesskey(:next)) %><% end %>
|app\views\calendars\show.html.erb|18|   <%= link_to_previous_month(@year, @month, :accesskey => accesskey(:previous))
  %> | <%= link_to_next_month(@year, @month, :accesskey => accesskey(:next)) %>
|app\views\documents\show.html.erb|3|   <%= link_to l(:button_edit), edit_document_path(@document), :class => 'icon
  icon-edit', :accesskey => accesskey(:edit) %>
|app\views\gantt\show.html.erb|343|           :accesskey => accesskey(:previous)) %>
|app\views\gantt\show.html.erb|348|           :accesskey => accesskey(:next)) %>
|app\views\issues\show.html.erb|12|           :accesskey => accesskey(:previous) %>
|app\views\issues\show.html.erb|24|           :accesskey => accesskey(:next) %>
|app\views\issues\_action_menu.html.erb|2|   <%= link_to l(:button_edit), edit_issue_path(@issue), :onclick =>
  'showAndScrollTo("update", "issue_notes"); return false;', :class => 'icon icon-edit', :accesskey => accesskey(:edit) if
  @issue.editable? %>
|app\views\issues\_form.html.erb|34|           :accesskey => accesskey(:edit),
|app\views\layouts\base.html.erb|81|   <%= link_to l(:label_search), { :controller => 'search', :action => 'index', :id =>
  @project}, :accesskey => accesskey(:search) %>:
|app\views\layouts\base.html.erb|83|   <%= text_field_tag 'q', @question, :size => 20, :class => 'small', :accesskey =>
  accesskey(:quick_search) %>
|app\views\news\show.html.erb|6|       :accesskey => accesskey(:edit),
|app\views\repositories\revision.html.erb|5|       :text => l(:label_previous), :accesskey => accesskey(:previous)) %>
|app\views\repositories\revision.html.erb|12|       :text => l(:label_next), :accesskey => accesskey(:next)) %>
|app\views\wiki\edit.html.erb|17|           :class => 'wiki-edit', :accesskey => accesskey(:edit) %>
|app\views\wiki\show.html.erb|7|   <%= link_to_if_authorized(l(:button_edit), { :action => 'edit', :id => @page.title}, :class => 'icon
  icon-edit', :accesskey => accesskey(:edit)) %>
|lib\redmine\pagination.rb|170|           :accesskey => accesskey(:previous)),
|lib\redmine\pagination.rb|198|           :accesskey => accesskey(:next)),
|
  }}
}
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<sup>1</sup> For an overview of keys used to access these access keys in different browsers, see: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Access\\_key](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Access_key).

**Related issues:**

Related to Redmine - Feature # 449: Keyboard shortcuts

**Reopened****History**

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**#1 - 2017-11-09 02:25 - Mischa The Evil***- Description updated***#2 - 2017-11-09 02:52 - Mischa The Evil***- Description updated***#3 - 2017-11-10 11:59 - Bernhard Rohloff***- File redmine\_keyboard\_navigation.txt added*

I have written a small wiki article for this feature.

Perhaps, this could be seen as a first draft.

**#4 - 2017-12-08 11:53 - Toshi MARUYAMA***- Related to Feature #449: Keyboard shortcuts added***#5 - 2018-01-20 01:48 - Go MAEDA**

Bernhard Rohloff wrote:

*I have written a small wiki article for this feature.*

*Perhaps, this could be seen as a first draft.*

Thank you for writing the document! I have added a new page and pasted your work: [[RedmineKeyboardNavigation]]

Please feel free to edit pages.

**#6 - 2018-01-20 06:49 - Bernhard Rohloff**

Thank you Go MAEDA for adding the new article.

I didn't saw an option to add a new article on the "User Guide" page.

While watching the new page I've realized the breadcrumbs would have shown me the right way.

... \*facepalm\*

**#7 - 2018-01-20 10:36 - Mischa The Evil**

The wiki page in its current state is missing some things and is misleading in a way:

- I am not sure if the 'ALT + SHIFT + Key' combination works on all platforms (Win, Mac, \*Nix); if it doesn't, we should document the respective modifiers for the other platforms too;
- **edit** shortcut is available for documents too;
- **previous** / **next** shortcuts are not available for issues queries only; they are also available for:
  - **all** paginations;
  - activities;
  - calendars;
  - gantts;
  - repositories/revisions.

**#8 - 2018-01-20 10:59 - Go MAEDA**

Mischa The Evil wrote:

- *I am not sure if the 'ALT + SHIFT + Key' combination works on all platforms (Win, Mac, \*Nix); if it doesn't, we should document the respective modifiers for the other platforms too;*

I looked into the modifier keys of major web browsers about a year ago.

- Chrome for Windows: **Alt** ("Alt + Shift" for "e" and "f")
- Firefox for Windows: **Alt + Shift**
- Microsoft Edge: **Alt** ("Alt + 7" is not available)
- Chrome, Firefox and Safari for macOS: **Ctrl + Opt**

**#9 - 2018-01-20 13:11 - Bernhard Rohloff**

Thank you for your notes. \*thumbs up\*

I have modified the article and added your changes to it.

**#10 - 2019-01-05 06:08 - Go MAEDA**

- *Status changed from New to Closed*
- *Resolution set to Fixed*

Now we have [[RedmineKeyboardNavigation]] page.

**Files**

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redmine_keyboard_navigation.txt	1.4 KB	2017-11-10	Bernhard Rohloff
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