Drop setting "Blind carbon copy recipients (bcc)"

2019-02-17 21:00 - Marius BALTEANU

Status: Closed
Priority: Normal
Assignee: Marius BALTEANU
Category: Email notifications
Target version: 5.0.0
Resolution: 

Description

From #26791:

**BCC recipients**

Since each user gets their own mail, we can probably remove the setting to send mails with BCC completely. If plugins want to send mails to non-user recipients, we would have to make sure to either set the recipients manually on BCC or group them appropriately. It is not a required setting in Redmine core anymore though.

I agree, the setting doesn't make any sense now.

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Associated revisions

Revision 21130 - 2021-08-01 19:25 - Marius BALTEANU

Remove unused setting 'Blind carbon copy recipients (bcc)' (#30820).

Revision 21131 - 2021-08-01 19:38 - Marius BALTEANU

Remove 'setting_bcc_recipients' from locales (#30820).

History

#1 - 2019-02-17 21:00 - Marius BALTEANU
- Related to Feature #26791: Send individual notification mails per mail recipient added

#2 - 2019-02-17 21:00 - Marius BALTEANU
- Related to Defect #30787: Other recipients are not listed in To field even if Setting.bcc_recipients is false added

#3 - 2019-02-20 01:05 - Go MAEDA
- Assignee set to Jean-Philippe Lang
- Target version changed from Candidate for next major release to 4.0.2

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The setting has no effect since #26791 was implemented.
Probably the patch also resolves #8516 because Redmine with the patch applied does not remove To field.

- Related to Feature #8516: Email notifications without the recipient treated as attempted fraud by mail clients added

Go MAEDA wrote:

Probably the patch also resolves #8516 because Redmine with the patch applied does not remove To field.

Agree. Also, #30787 can be closed now from my point of view if you don't refer to other problem.

File deleted (0001-Remove-setting-Blind-carbon-copy-recipients-bcc.patch)

File 0001-Remove-setting-Blind-carbon-copy-recipients-bcc.patch added

Updated to remove bcc_recipients from settings.yml as well.

Category set to Email notifications
Target version changed from 4.0.2 to 4.1.0

Since this patch adds a migration, I am changing the target version from 4.0.2 to 4.1.0.

Blocks Patch #31035: Remove redefinition of ActionMailer::LogSubscriber#deliver which is no longer necessary because of the removal of Setting.bcc_recipients added

Target version changed from 4.1.0 to 5.0.0

Removing a setting may cause some plugins to error. Setting it to a major release.

Assignee changed from Jean-Philippe Lang to Marius BALTEANU

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I've rebased the branch for the current trunk

#14 - 2021-04-11 11:09 - Marius BALTEANU

Marius BALTEANU wrote:

| I've rebased the patch for the current trunk |

#15 - 2021-04-12 20:57 - Holger Just

If entirely removing the setting is unwanted in 4.3, maybe we can deprecate it there.

That is, we could remove any code which uses the setting but keep the setting itself available in code (possible with some deprecation warning if accessed)

#16 - 2021-07-04 15:26 - Marius BALTEANU

Holger Just wrote:

| If entirely removing the setting is unwanted in 4.3, maybe we can deprecate it there. |
| That is, we could remove any code which uses the setting but keep the setting itself available in code (possible with some deprecation warning if accessed) |

The next version is version:"5.0.0" which will contain other removals or breaking changes. I'm in favour of removing this and in the future, indeed, we can deprecate it few versions before.

#17 - 2021-08-01 19:27 - Marius BALTEANU

- Status changed from New to Resolved

#18 - 2021-08-01 22:56 - Marius BALTEANU

Patch committed.

Plugins developers who are using bcc_recipients setting must add their own setting starting from Redmine version:"5.0.0".

#19 - 2021-08-01 22:56 - Marius BALTEANU

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed
- Assignee set to Marius BALTEANU

#20 - 2021-10-09 08:54 - Go MAEDA

- Related to Defect #35957: MessagesControllerTest#test_post_new test fails (trunk) added

2022-03-27
- Tracker changed from Patch to Feature

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