### Redmine - Defect #31745

# Mail notifications do not honor 'only\_assigned' mail\_notification setting

2019-07-16 16:36 - Robert Chady

Status: Closed Start date: **Priority:** Normal Due date: Assignee: % Done: 0% Category: **Estimated time:** 0.00 hour Issues Target version: Resolution: Wont fix Affected version: 4.0.4

### Description

When a user selects 'only assigned' for mail notifications, they still get emails for issues they are watching.

Digging in to the code, I see that Issue#notified\_users calls notify\_about?() to verify if a user should be notified about an update. Looking further though, I see that Mailer#deliver\_issue\_edit calls notified\_users AND notified\_watchers. The notified\_watchers method does not appear to filter if a user wants to be notified about an update or not and just adds in all watchers as CC'd people.

Perhaps I am misreading it, but this seems like a bug. I verified this is still the case in redmine master as well as the versions I am running. Filing this under the 'Issues' category, but not sure if that is the best place for this or not. It seems to impact all versions of Redmine as well.

### Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Patch #24177: Change translation for label user mail opt... Closed

#### History

#### #1 - 2019-08-14 17:43 - Robert Chady

Any chance at getting a little guidance on the best way to fix this?

### #2 - 2019-08-15 02:30 - Go MAEDA

- Related to Patch #24177: Change translation for label\_user\_mail\_option\_only\_(assigned|owner) added

## #3 - 2019-08-15 02:41 - Go MAEDA

- Status changed from New to Closed
- Resolution set to Wont fix

It is the intended behavior. Watchers always get notifications no matter how "Email notification" setting in "My account" is set.

In earlier versions of Redmine, the text in Email notification setting was incorrect. The text for label "label\_user\_mail\_option\_only\_assigned" has changed from "Only for things I am assigned to" to "Only for things I watch or I am assigned to" in Redmine 3.3.0. Please see #24177 and r16110.

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