Redmine - Defect #32223

Disable sprockets to avoid Sprockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError raised by sprockets 4.0.0

2019-10-09 02:59 - Go MAEDA

Status: Closed Start date: **Priority:** Normal Due date: Go MAEDA % Done: Assignee: 0% **Estimated time:** 0.00 hour Category: Gems support Target version: 4.1.0

Resolution: Fixed Affected version:

Description

Redmine doesn't start with Sprockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError if sprockets 4.0.0 is installed.

```
$ bin/rails c
Traceback (most recent call last):
    28: from bin/rails:4:in `<main>'
    27: from bin/rails:4:in `require'
.
.
.
/Users/maeda/redmines/gems/ruby/2.6.0/gems/sprockets-rails-3.2.1/lib/sprockets/railtie.rb:105:in `block in <class:Railtie>': Expected to find a manifest file in `app/assets/config/manifest.js` (Sp rockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError)
But did not, please create this file and use it to link any assets that need to be rendered by your app:

Example:
    //= link_tree ../images
    //= link_directory ../javascripts .js
    //= link_directory ../stylesheets .css
and restart your server
```

Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Defect #32300: Don't use sprockets 4.0.0 in order to avo...

Related to Redmine - Defect #32839: Redmine 4.1 installation fails due to an ...

Closed

Related to Redmine - Defect #32852: Upgrading from Redmine v4.0.5 to v4.1.0 g...

Closed

Associated revisions

Revision 18859 - 2019-10-24 04:15 - Go MAEDA

Disable sprockets to avoid Sprockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError raised by sprockets 4.0.0 (#32223).

Patch by Go MAEDA.

History

#1 - 2019-10-09 03:54 - Go MAEDA

The version of sprockets should be fixed at 3.7 until this issue is fixed.

```
diff --git a/Gemfile b/Gemfile
index 8eacdd122..762c6cefb 100644
--- a/Gemfile
+++ b/Gemfile
@@ -15,6 +15,9 @@ gem "nokogiri", "~> 1.10.0"
gem "i18n", "~> 1.6.0"
gem "rbpdf", "~> 1.20.0"

+# TODO: Remove the following line when #32223 is fixed
+gem "sprockets", "~> 3.7.2"
+
# Windows does not include zoneinfo files, so bundle the tzinfo-data gem
gem 'tzinfo-data', platforms: [:mingw, :x64_mingw, :mswin]
```

2025-05-02

#2 - 2019-10-09 04:03 - Go MAEDA

- Subject changed from Redmine doesn't start with Sprockets:: Railtie:: ManifestNeededError if sprockets 4.0.0 is installed to Redmine doesn't start with Sprockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError if sprockets 4.0.0 is installed

Fixed the version of sprockets at 3.7 in r18629.

#3 - 2019-10-09 07:35 - Alexander Meindl

Sprockets 4 requires ruby 2.5 or newer, too. This means, at the moment if you try to install Redmine 4 with ruby e.g. 2.3, bundler is failling. Your patch is required in Redmine 4.0.x, to support older ruby versions again.

#4 - 2019-10-09 07:39 - Go MAEDA

Alexander Meindl wrote:

Sprockets 4 requires ruby 2.5 or newer, too. This means, at the moment if you try to install Redmine 4 with ruby e.g. 2.3, bundler is failling. Your patch is required in Redmine 4.0.x, to support older ruby versions again.

I have committed the same change in 4.0-stable branch in <u>r18634</u>. Thank you for the explanation.

#5 - 2019-10-10 04:37 - Go MAEDA

- File disable-sprockets.patch added

The attached patch fixes this issue. I would like Rails exports to review it.

#6 - 2019-10-10 19:43 - Giorgos Tsirkas

I have the same issue having redmine4.0.4 source, Ruby2.5 and Rails 5.2.3

#7 - 2019-10-11 08:34 - Go MAEDA

- Subject changed from Redmine doesn't start with Sprockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError if sprockets 4.0.0 is installed to Disable sprockets to avoid Sprockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError raised by sprockets 4.0.0
- Description updated
- Target version set to 4.1.0

I would like to commit disable-sprockets.patch (#32223#note-5) after it has reviewed by people here.

Setting the target version to 4.1.0.

#8 - 2019-10-11 13:05 - Jose Antonio Garcia

Same problems appears in 3.3-stable branch.

#9 - 2019-10-11 15:35 - Go MAEDA

Jose Antonio Garcia wrote:

Same problems appears in 3.3-stable branch.

Redmine 3.3 is no longer maintained. So, an update for this issue will not be released.

However, you can fix the error by your self. Please create a file "Gemfile.local" and add the following line.

gem "sprockets", "~> 3.7.2"

#10 - 2019-10-11 21:53 - Mischa The Evil

Two things regarding the patch from #note-5:

- 1. I don't know if disabling/removing sprockets this way in the Redmine core makes enabling of the Rails asset pipeline locally more difficult than it currently is?
- 2. Are you sure everything needed by the core is indeed loaded with this config?

FTR: some back-references to this issue in the forums:

- sprockets 4.0.0 breaks Redmine 3.4.11 with Ruby <2.5.0
- Problems running Redmine after updating to Fedora 30

2025-05-02 2/5

FWIW: given r18635, this issue's target version should probably be set to 3.4.12.

#11 - 2019-10-12 02:29 - Go MAEDA

Mischa The Evil wrote:

1. I don't know if disabling/removing sprockets this way in the Redmine core makes enabling of the Rails asset pipeline locally more difficult than it currently is?

Sorry, I don't know.

1. Are you sure everything needed by the core is indeed loaded with this config?

I think active_storage and action_cable can be removed at least, but I think this issue should stick to removing sprockets because it is off-topic for this issue. We can discuss removing other libraries in another issue after the change is committed.

FWIW: given r18635, this issue's target version should probably be set to 3.4.12.

I am afraid that disabling sprockets will break some plugins.

#12 - 2019-10-19 05:05 - Go MAEDA

- File disable-sprockets.diff added

Updated the patch. Just replaced double quotation marks with single quotation marks.

#13 - 2019-10-19 10:26 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Related to Defect #32300: Don't use sprockets 4.0.0 in order to avoid Sprockets::Railtie::ManifestNeededError added

#14 - 2019-10-20 07:09 - Mischa The Evil

Go MAEDA wrote:

Mischa The Evil wrote:

1. Are you sure everything needed by the core is indeed loaded with this config?

I think active_storage and action_cable can be removed at least, but I think this issue should stick to removing sprockets because it is off-topic for this issue. We can discuss removing other libraries in another issue after the change is committed.

What I meant was not about what else we can remove; just about what Redmine needs to function correctly.

FWIW: given r18635, this issue's target version should probably be set to 3.4.12.

I am afraid that disabling sprockets will break some plugins.

JPL fixed what I was referring to by opening #32300. IMHO this should be fixed at the root in either sprockets itself or Redmine somehow.

#15 - 2019-10-20 09:21 - Pavel Rosický

Go MAEDA your patch improves startup time and memory consumtion.

```
disable-sprockets.diff
before
    2.078125    4.734375    6.812500 (   8.833407)
mem: 47841280.0

after
    1.234375    2.687500    3.921875 (   3.926718)
mem: 34430976.0
```

but that belongs to the next version, not for maintainance releases in order to fix the sprockets problem.

#16 - 2019-10-20 09:56 - Mischa The Evil

Pavel Rosický wrote:

2025-05-02 3/5

How do you generate these numbers? On what system? Can you remove active_storage and action_cable too and benchmark those configs too? I'm curious what difference it makes in your case.

#17 - 2019-10-20 11:16 - Go MAEDA

Mischa The Evil wrote:

Go MAEDA wrote:

Mischa The Evil wrote:

1. Are you sure everything needed by the core is indeed loaded with this config?

I think active_storage and action_cable can be removed at least, but I think this issue should stick to removing sprockets because it is off-topic for this issue. We can discuss removing other libraries in another issue after the change is committed.

What I meant was not about what else we can remove; just about what Redmine needs to function correctly.

Sorry for the misreading.

I believe the config loads all libraries needed to run a Rails app. Actually, the set of "require" methods was not written by me but generated by `rails new appname --skip-sprockets`.

#18 - 2019-10-20 14:23 - Pavel Rosický

- File require_bench.rb added

Mischa The Evil wrote:

Pavel Rosický wrote:

[...]

How do you generate these numbers? On what system? Can you remove active_storage and action_cable too and benchmark those configs too? I'm curious what difference it makes in your case.

benchmark included

#19 - 2019-10-22 04:01 - Go MAEDA

Mischa The Evil wrote:

IMHO this should be fixed at the root in either sprockets itself or Redmine somehow.

Probably sprockets will never be fixed. A maintainer of sprockets wrote that "you need to change the require 'rails/all' to require the individual railties and leave the sprockets railties out of the list".

https://github.com/rails/sprockets/issues/643#issuecomment-544589461

Considering the comment, disable-sprockets.diff is the right approach to fix this issue.

#20 - 2019-10-24 04:15 - Go MAEDA

- Status changed from New to Closed
- Assignee set to Go MAEDA
- Resolution set to Fixed

Committed the fix to the trunk.

#21 - 2020-01-20 07:18 - Go MAEDA

- Related to Defect #32839: Redmine 4.1 installation fails due to an attempt to install sprockets 4.0.0 if bundler prior to 1.15.2 is used on Ruby prior to 2.5 added

#22 - 2020-01-22 15:39 - Holger Just

- Related to Defect #32852: Upgrading from Redmine v4.0.5 to v4.1.0 gives 2 errors added

Files

disable-sprockets.patch	1.47 KB	2019-10-10	Go MAEDA
disable-sprockets.diff	1.52 KB	2019-10-19	Go MAEDA
require_bench.rb	1.42 KB	2019-10-20	Pavel Rosický

2025-05-02 5/5