

Redmine - Defect #3441

Too many session files

2009-06-03 02:44 - Brad Schick

Status:	Closed	Start date:	2009-06-03
Priority:	Normal	Due date:	
Assignee:		% Done:	0%
Category:		Estimated time:	0.00 hour
Target version:		Affected version:	
Resolution:	Duplicate		
Description I have a redmine install on Liunx 32bit, Apache2, Thin that is not very busy. The number of files in my redmine/tmp/sessions folder gets huge, over 125,000 at one point. I occasionally delete files that are older than say 30 days, but that is a hassle. I could create a cron job but this just seems like a scalability design problem.			
Related issues: Is duplicate of Redmine - Feature #2628: Set session store to cookie store by... <div>Closed2009-01-30</div>			

History

#1 - 2009-06-07 20:31 - Eric Davis

- Status changed from New to Closed
- Resolution set to Duplicate

The svn trunk version of Redmine uses cookie sessions so these session files will no longer be created (implemented in #2628). For now, you can work around this with a crontab entry. I was using the following command for several months:

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find /tmp/ -name "ruby_sess*" -cmin +600 -exec rm \{} \;
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That will remove sessions older than 10 hours. You might need to change the find path, all of mine where stored in /tmp/ and you mentioned redmine/tmp/sessions/.