# Redmine - Defect #39443

# Invalid statement query error on MSSQL when role filter is used in issues query

2023-10-30 11:01 - Marius BĂLTEANU

Status:ClosedStart date:Priority:NormalDue date:

Assignee: Marius BĂLTEANU % Done: 0%

Category: Database Estimated time: 0.00 hour

Target version: 5.1.1

Resolution: Fixed Affected version:

# Description

The following tests are failing on MS SQL. Unfortunately, I don't have a MS SQL local environment (M1 Mac) to take a quick look to it.

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At the same time, maybe it's better to drop support for SQL on Redmine 6.0 and stick only with MySQL and PostgreSQL.
Error:
QueryTest#test_assigned_to_role_filter_should_search_assigned_to_for_users_without_the_Role:
Query::StatementInvalid: TinyTds::Error: An expression of non-boolean type specified in a context
where a condition is expected, near ','.
   app/models/issue_query.rb:424:in `rescue in issues'
   app/models/issue_query.rb:380:in `issues'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:161:in `block in assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:160:in `assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:2898:in `block in <class:QueryTest>'
rails test test/unit/query_test.rb:2894
.....E
Error:
QueryTest#test_assigned_to_role_filter_should_search_assigned_to_for_users_with_the_Role_on_the_is
sue_project:
Query::StatementInvalid: TinyTds::Error: An expression of non-boolean type specified in a context
where a condition is expected, near ','.
   app/models/issue_query.rb:424:in `rescue in issues'
   app/models/issue_query.rb:380:in `issues'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:161:in `block in assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:160:in `assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:2883:in `block in <class:QueryTest>'
rails test test/unit/query_test.rb:2877
.....E
QueryTest#test_assigned_to_role_filter_should_return_an_empty_set_with_empty_role:
Query::StatementInvalid: TinyTds::Error: An expression of non-boolean type specified in a context
where a condition is expected, near ','.
   app/models/issue_query.rb:424:in `rescue in issues'
   app/models/issue_query.rb:380:in `issues'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:161:in `block in assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:160:in `assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:2891:in `block in <class:QueryTest>'
rails test test/unit/query_test.rb:2886
.......E
Error:
QueryTest#test_assigned_to_role_filter_should_search_assigned_to_for_users_with_the_Role:
Query::StatementInvalid: TinyTds::Error: An expression of non-boolean type specified in a context
where a condition is expected, near ','.
   app/models/issue_query.rb:424:in `rescue in issues'
   app/models/issue_query.rb:380:in `issues'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:161:in `block in assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:160:in `assert_query_result'
   test/unit/query_test.rb:2874:in `block in <class:QueryTest>'
rails test test/unit/query_test.rb:2870
.....E
Error:
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```
QueryTest#test_assigned_to_role_filter_should_return_issues_with_!_empty_role:
Query::StatementInvalid: TinyTds::Error: An expression of non-boolean type specified in a context
where a condition is expected, near ','.
    app/models/issue_query.rb:424:in `rescue in issues'
    app/models/issue_query.rb:380:in `issues'
    test/unit/query_test.rb:161:in `block in assert_query_result'
    test/unit/query_test.rb:160:in `assert_query_result'
    test/unit/query_test.rb:2920:in `block in <class:QueryTest>'
rails test test/unit/query_test.rb:2915
```

#### Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Patch #38319: Optimize IssueQuery#sql\_for\_assigned\_to\_ro...

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#### Associated revisions

#### Revision 22417 - 2023-11-11 07:00 - Marius BĂLTEANU

Fix an expression of non-boolean type specified in a context where a condition is expected when MSSQL is used (#39443).

Patch by Pavel Rosický.

### Revision 22420 - 2023-11-11 08:12 - Marius BĂLTEANU

Merged r22417 from trunk to 5.1-stable (#39443).

# History

## #1 - 2023-11-06 21:49 - Pavel Rosický

I'm not a mssql user, but it should be simple to fix... I'll investigate...

### #2 - 2023-11-06 22:19 - Marius BĂLTEANU

Pavel Rosický wrote in #note-1:

I'm not a mssql user, but it should be simple to fix... I'll investigate...

Thanks Pavel!

## #3 - 2023-11-07 00:07 - Pavel Rosický

Marius BĂLTEANU the issue is caused by this optimization #38319

I couldn't confirm the performance issue on MySQL 8 (all 3 variants behave exactly the same) and I don't have a large postgres db.

in order to fix the issue we can either 1/ revert the original change 2/ or here's an alternative approach

```
SELECT SQL_NO_CACHE
   issues.id
FROM
   issues
WHERE
   EXISTS (
    SELECT
    FROM
        members
        INNER JOIN member_roles ON members.id = member_roles.member_id
    WHERE
        member\_roles.role\_id = 3
       AND issues.project_id = members.project_id
   AND members.user_id = issues.assigned_to_id)
diff --git a/app/models/issue_query.rb b/app/models/issue_query.rb
index 235bf2fbe..08240c117 100644
  - a/app/models/issue_query.rb
+++ b/app/models/issue_query.rb
@@ -567,10 +567,10 @@ class IssueQuery < Query
       sw = operator == "!*" ? 'NOT' : ''
       nl = operator == "!*" ? "#{Issue.table_name}.assigned_to_id IS NULL OR" : ''
       subquery =
         "SELECT DISTINCT #{Member.table_name}.user_id" +
```

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```
"SELECT 1" +
         " FROM #{Member.table_name}" +
         " WHERE #{Member.table_name}.project_id = #{Issue.table_name}.project_id"
       "(\#\{nl\}\ \#\{Issue.table\_name\}.assigned\_to\_id\ \#\{sw\}\ IN\ (\#\{subquery\}))"
         " WHERE #{Issue.table_name}.project_id = #{Member.table_name}.project_id AND #{Member.table_name}.use
r_id = #{Issue.table_name}.assigned_to_id"
       "(#{nl} #{sw} EXISTS (#{subquery}))"
     when "=", "!"
      role_cond =
        if value.any?
@@ -581,10 +581,10 @@ class IssueQuery < Query
      sw = operator == "!" ? 'NOT' : ''
       nl = operator == "!" ? "#{Issue.table_name}.assigned_to_id IS NULL OR" : ''
       subquery =
         "SELECT DISTINCT #{Member.table_name}.user_id, #{Member.table_name}.project_id" +
         " FROM #{Member.table_name}, #{MemberRole.table_name}" +
         " WHERE #{Member.table_name}.id = #{MemberRole.table_name}.member_id AND #{role_cond}"
       "(#{nl} (#{Issue.table_name}.assigned_to_id, #{Issue.table_name}.project_id) #{sw} IN (#{subquery}))"
+
         "SELECT 1" +
         " FROM #{Member.table_name} inner join #{MemberRole.table_name} on members.id = member_roles.member_i
+
d" +
       " WHERE #{Issue.table_name}.project_id = #{Member.table_name}.project_id AND #{Member.table_name}.use
r_id = #{Issue.table_name}.assigned_to_id AND #{role_cond}"
       "(#{nl} #{sw} EXISTS (#{subquery}))"
     end
  end
```

I'm not sure if it makes any difference on postgres. Perhaps the original reporter could retest it.

#### #4 - 2023-11-07 08:45 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Target version set to 5.1.1

# #5 - 2023-11-07 08:46 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Related to Patch #38319: Optimize IssueQuery#sql\_for\_assigned\_to\_role\_field for PostgreSQL performance added

## #6 - 2023-11-07 08:47 - Marius BĂLTEANU

I can confirm that the tests pass now on my custom CI.

Vincent Robert, can you check this fix against your PostgreSQL data?

### #7 - 2023-11-07 15:53 - Vincent Robert

I have just tested this change with Postgres and a large dataset. Everything ran fine, and performance is good. This simpler code seems to work perfectly.

### #8 - 2023-11-11 07:02 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Subject changed from Tests failing on MS SQL to Invalid statement query error on MSSQL
- Category set to Database
- Status changed from New to Resolved
- Assignee set to Marius BĂLTEANU
- Resolution set to Fixed

## #9 - 2023-11-11 08:12 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed

# #10 - 2023-11-11 08:14 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Subject changed from Invalid statement query error on MSSQL to Invalid statement query error on MSSQL when role filter is used in issues query

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