Redmine - Feature #4015
Make app settings overridable at project level
2009-10-10 13:15 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Status: New
Priority: Normal
Assignee:
Category: Projects
Target version: Candidate for next major release
Resolution:

Start date: 2009-10-10
Due date: 
% Done: 0%
Estimated time: 0.00 hour

Description

Allow some application settings (eg. Theme) to be overridden at project level.

Related issues:
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 2778: Project's theme configuration
  - New 2009-02-18
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 3967: Ability to define default columns to dis...
  - Reopened 2009-10-04
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 4462: Per Project Emission Address
  - New 2009-12-21
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 4049: Permission management on a per project b...
  - Closed 2009-10-18
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 1853: Make Projects truly independent of each ...
  - New 2008-09-04
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 2076: Individual Permissions for Each Project
  - Closed 2008-10-23
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 5995: Text formatting can be different base on ...
  - Closed 2010-07-29
- Related to Redmine - Patch # 4274: Use Issue status for percent done
  - Closed 2009-11-23
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 850: Per-project role permissions
  - New 2008-03-14
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 2539: New project setting: mandatory/optional ...
  - New 2009-01-19
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 2058: Attachment max. size per project
  - New 2008-10-20
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 10027: Make "Required" overridable per-project
  - New
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 5127: Custom Fields to be configurable on 'per...
  - New 2010-03-19
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 2563: issue tracker should be own tab in proje...
  - Closed 2009-01-22
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 7349: Per-project email notification settings
  - New 2011-01-17
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 1144: Time tracking activities on a per projec...
  - Closed 2008-04-29
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 12347: "Calculate the issue done ratio" per pr...
  - New
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 12044: Change Link in Notification Mails per P...
  - New
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 3316: Set language per project
  - New 2009-05-07
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 432: Custom Email templates, system wide and p...
  - New
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 13742: Multi project for email incoming
  - Closed
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 14073: Permit to mass-edit project settings
  - New
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 8095: Allow overriding the default text format...
  - New 2011-04-07
- Related to Redmine - Feature # 7360: Issue Custom Query: Default Query
  - New 2011-01-18

History

#1 - 2009-12-04 19:17 - Jean-Philippe Lang
- Target version set to 1.0.0 (RC)

#2 - 2009-12-18 06:13 - Richard Schulte

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- Theme
- Trackers/Statuses/Workflow
- Enumerations
- Roles and Permissions
Haha yea, a laundry list, I know. Just the top two would be great.

#3 - 2009-12-20 06:49 - Michael Koch

+1 and agree with Richard. This would be a great feature (and much needed for our project!)

#4 - 2010-01-12 09:55 - Nikolay Kotlyarov

+1

- Trackers/Statuses/Workflow
- Enumerations
- Roles and Permissions

#5 - 2010-01-12 10:00 - Nikolay Kotlyarov

Workflow enhancements related to #559

#6 - 2010-01-13 11:14 - Anton Statutov

IMO, the main settings need to override are columns displayed in the issue list.

#7 - 2010-03-24 09:52 - Nikolay Kotlyarov

Jean-Philippe Lang wrote:

Allow some application settings (eg. Theme) to be overridden at project level.

Which settings do you mean by "some"?:

#8 - 2010-05-31 14:58 - Mischa The Evil

Added issue-relations to:

- issue #1853
- issue #2076
- issue #4049
- issue #5624

#9 - 2010-06-03 23:15 - Richard Schulte

Just wondering, what settings are you all honing in on?

#10 - 2010-06-15 00:50 - Eric Davis

- Target version deleted (1.0.0 (RC))

Removing from 1.0. This hasn't been completed and 1.0 is feature frozen.
+1 I do need enable/disable ‘Documents’ Section per project.

+1. I think this is the feature that would make Redmine a more viable option for enterprises (like mine). When you have many different users and missions, it's hard to find one set of enumerations, roles, and trackers that makes everyone happy yet at the same time isn't overly cumbersome for administrators. This would also relieve the IT office from sole responsible for administration, as it would give many administration permissions to project managers.

Been lurking for a few months and really love RM. I created an account just so I could speak up for this feature.

+1

Jean-Philippe Lang wrote:

Allow some application settings (eg. Theme) to be overridden at project level.

For everyone’s info, there is a plugin that allows user-selectable themes and it works great:

http://www.redmine.org/plugins/themechanger

+1 and +1 Matthew Burton.

It seems the burden is mainly due to the "project-y" settings being mixed with the "application-y" settings. For example, configuring "Default columns displayed on the issue list" in the application level settings.

I'd suggest just separating settings along these lines into two camps:

1. Redmine Settings (app level stuff)
2. Project Templates (project level stuff)

#2 effectively starts out as a "Default Project" template, defined by the existing default "project level stuff" settings.

A new installation would be effectively transparent, save some reorganization of the settings and adding the notion of "templates".
An existing installation would, on upgrade, and ideally for me, give me the option to save each of my existing projects' configurations as new templates (default name = project name, editable), or use an existing template of my choice.

I could also see this notion extending to Trackers and Categories as there are similar requests that pull the solution towards needing to be sufficient for their needs as well. Might be helpful to map the entities and their configuration options to make the solution more obvious.

#17 - 2013-03-25 03:34 - Dipan Mehta

+1. This would be a great leap forward in the Redmine's capability. A strong request to have this.

Also add #850 as a related issue.

#18 - 2013-03-26 07:10 - Toshi MARUYAMA

Dipan Mehta wrote:

Also add #850 as a related issue.

Done.

#19 - 2013-04-09 12:44 - Dipan Mehta

Another related issue #2058

#20 - 2013-04-09 14:01 - Daniel Dehennin

+1 with “Required” (#10027)

#21 - 2013-04-10 12:47 - Dipan Mehta

There are just about so many issues which asks for 'Per project configuration'. Here is a list:

1. #3452, - Email notification config (alongwith #7349, #8331)
2. #1144 - Time tracking activities
3. #552 - Document categories
4. #12347 - Calculation logic of issue %done ratio
5. #12044 - Notification Mails per Project
6. #9194 - default issue list view layout
7. #7244 - default query
8. #3316 - Language! …aaha
9. #432 - Custom Email templates and email settings

#22 - 2013-07-02 14:47 - Glenn Gould

+1 - most wanted feature for me… ;)

2020-04-01
#23 - 2014-02-10 06:25 - Toshi MARUYAMA
- Related to Feature #8095: Allow overriding the default text formatting in each project added

#24 - 2014-02-10 06:29 - Toshi MARUYAMA
- Related to deleted (Feature #5624: the Text formatting configuration in each project.)

#25 - 2015-05-13 04:22 - Toshi MARUYAMA
- Related to Feature #7360: Issue Custom Query: Default Query added

#26 - 2015-05-13 04:22 - Toshi MARUYAMA
- Related to deleted (Feature #7244: Default query per project)