## Redmine - Feature #6401

## Make Wiki Redirects editable

2010-09-15 14:05 - Tharuka Pathirana

Status:	New	Start date:	2010-09-15
Priority:	Normal	Due date:	
Assignee:		% Done:	0%
Category:	Wiki	Estimated time:	0.00 hour
Target version:			
Resolution:			

# **Description**

Wiki redirects need to be editable:

- Unredirect a page (and change back links to that page)
- Redirect to an existing page (e.g. for synonyms)

Currently, if there is page A and it's renamed to page B with "Redirect existing links" selected, a new page A cannot be created.

I think it would be better if redirects are defined in a page's content (similar to how it works on Wikipedia). That way many different pages can redirect to one target page, and if a redirecting page later needs to hold content, it can be easily edited.

## History

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#1 - 2011-01-14 06:34 - Matthias Michelsburg
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#2 - 2011-04-21 00:07 - Andrew Baldwin
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#3 - 2011-09-01 17:16 - Toni Mueller
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#4 - 2011-09-03 12:43 - Terence Mill
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#5 - 2011-11-04 04:45 - Jun Huang
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#6 - 2011-11-04 20:55 - Terence Mill
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#7 - 2011-11-15 19:20 - Sergei Garmash
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## #8 - 2011-11-18 20:43 - Joshua Masek

FYI, a workaround without going to the database:

## SCENARIO:

- 1. Originally named page "Page A"
- 2. Later renamed page "Page B" with the "redirects" option checked.
- 3. Later, we want to create a separate page for "Page A"

### WORKAROUND:

- 1. Rename "Page B" to "Page A" with the "redirects" option checked.
- 2. Rename "Page A" to "Page B" with the "redirects" option NOT checked.

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### #9 - 2012-01-10 16:21 - Oli Kessler

Joshua Masek wrote:

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Great information, appreciated very much!

+1 for this feature

### #10 - 2012-07-10 18:53 - Cassiano Monteiro

+1!

That workaround still works on Redmine 1.4.4. Thanks!

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#11 - 2014-11-04 17:28 - Deoren Moor
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+1

### #12 - 2015-08-14 13:57 - David Lukas Müller

+1

That workaround still works on Redmine 2.4.2.stable. Many Thanks!

## #13 - 2017-08-07 14:43 - Mikkel Kirkgaard Nielsen

+1

For the curious with database access the example below queries and lists existing redirects:

Beware if changing anything that it will probably also affect the relationship between data in the tables wiki contents, wiki pages and wiki redirects.

## #14 - 2019-08-27 18:38 - Holger Mößinger

+1

## #15 - 2020-11-09 16:35 - Friederike Jolk

+1

Joshua Masek wrote:

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Thanks a lot, great help.

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