

## Redmine - Defect #855

### Redmine does not recognize DST or is not using the latest values

2008-03-14 17:17 - Ronald Connor

<b>Status:</b> Closed	<b>Start date:</b> 2008-03-14
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	<b>Due date:</b>
<b>Assignee:</b>	<b>% Done:</b> 0%
<b>Category:</b>	<b>Estimated time:</b> 0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	<b>Affected version:</b>
<b>Resolution:</b>	
<b>Description</b>	
<p>I have Redmine on my local Linux box where the timezone is Central Time (Canada). My time zone in Redmine is set appropriately (UTC -600) and all times were logged correctly until last Sunday when the Daylight Savings switched. Now all times are off by 1 hour.</p> <p>That tells me that Redmine did not realize the change in CST to CDT.</p> <p>To get around this, I changed my timezone (in Redmine) to be UTC -500 but that is not my preferred solution. I think switching to TZInfo (found here: <a href="http://tzinfo.rubyforge.org/">http://tzinfo.rubyforge.org/</a>) would be a simple solution to the problem.</p>	
<b>Related issues:</b>	
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#### History

##### #1 - 2008-03-21 22:18 - Jean-Philippe Lang

As you said, installing TZInfo should solve this problem since Rails' builtin TimeZone doesn't handle DST.

```
ruby script/plugin install tzinfo_timezone
```

Can you confirm ?

##### #2 - 2008-03-24 18:29 - Ronald Connor

I did not do a thorough test but appears to be working correctly now.

##### #3 - 2008-03-26 23:38 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Status changed from New to Closed

Thanks for the feedback.

I've added an entry about this in the [\[\[FAQ\]\]](#).

##### #4 - 2008-05-13 12:00 - Thomas Lecavelier

Erm... It looks like redmine.org haven't this plugin. Could you install it, please?