

## Scrum - Defect #1240

### Task is assigned to none immediately after it's created

2016-11-10 17:00 - Bartosz Firyn

<b>Status:</b> Resolved	
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	
<b>Category:</b> Issues list & form	
<b>Target version:</b> Scrum v0.16.0	
<b>Source:</b> Development	<b>Blocked:</b> No
<b>Detected on version:</b> Scrum v0.15.0	<b>Alone:</b>
<b>Description</b>	
Hi,	
The problem lies in the fact that immediately after Task is created (from both issues list and sprint board) it's assigned no noone even if user selected assignee upon creation. This issue has been introduced in Scrum v0.15.0. Previously it was working well.	
The problematic code is in lib/scrum/issue_patch.rb:	
<pre>before_save :update_assigned_to, :if =&gt; lambda { issue  issue.status_id_changed? and issue.is_task ?}</pre>	
After I commented it out, the task creation works well. What was the intention of :update_assigned_to when it was created? Because when I look at the code I see it changing assignee, but I do not understand why it should happen.	
The w/a is to edit lib/scrum/issue_patch.rb and comment this line.	
Moreover, such problem appears even when Scrum plugin is not enabled for a project...	
<b>Subtasks:</b>	
To do # 1243: Add setting to disable assignee reset & check Scrum module is enabled	<b>Resolved</b>

## History

### #1 - 2016-11-10 17:34 - Bartosz Firyn

I found that this specific functionality has been probably introduced by [#1176](#). The ticket title is "Auto assign task when status is not new", but I think that current implementation is oversimplified. I think it should rather assume the following:

- New task with new status should be auto assigned to creator if assignee is empty (noone),
- New task with new status should be assigned to assignee when assignee has been selected upon creation.

### #2 - 2016-11-10 17:41 - Bartosz Firyn

Please ignore my comment above. One more time. I think these should be the assumptions for auto assignment:

- **New** task with **not-new** status should be assigned to creator if assignee is empty,
- **New** task with **not-new** status should be assigned to assignee when assignee has been selected upon creation.

### #3 - 2016-11-10 17:48 - Bartosz Firyn

- File 0001-Fix-auto-assign-task-when-status-is-not-new.patch added

Attached you can find a patchset for this change. It fixes this defect.

### #4 - 2016-11-10 18:04 - Bartosz Firyn

- File 0001-Auto-assign-non-new-ticket-only-if-assignee-is-not-s.patch added

Here is another patch for second bullet.

### #5 - 2016-11-11 10:46 - Emilio González Montaña

- Status changed from New to In progress

- Target version set to Scrum v0.16.0

- Sprint set to Sprint 31

This is not really a bug, it's an intentional feature, tasks in new status must not have assignee, this feature removes assignee for tasks when the status is new.

This behaviour is applied when the task is created, but also when a task in other status with assignee is moved to new status.

If you want to create tasks with assignee, best way it's to create "in progress" status (take care your workflow settings allows this).

**Nevertheless**, I will modify the plugin to check if Scrum module is enabled for the task project before patch issue behaviour...

**#6 - 2016-11-11 10:59 - Emilio González Montaña**

I've also added a new setting to the plugin called **Clear assignee for tasks in new status**, so if you want to disable this behaviour you can do it (is enabled by default).

**#7 - 2016-11-11 11:03 - Emilio González Montaña**

- Status changed from *In progress* to *Resolved*

**#8 - 2016-11-11 11:42 - Emilio González Montaña**

- Subject changed from *Task is assigned to noone immediately after it's created* to *Task is assigned to none immediately after it's created*

**Files**

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0001-Fix-auto-assign-task-when-status-is-not-new.patch	901 Bytes	2016-11-10	Bartosz Firyn
0001-Auto-assign-non-new-ticket-only-if-assignee-is-not-s.patch	885 Bytes	2016-11-10	Bartosz Firyn