## Expression parser 201-All functions

## Data types

## General Information

Throughout the documentation we refer to data types that can be used in the expression parser and its functions.

The most commonly use data types are listed below.

Most functions will accept string values so casting values to string is a very powerful function . Details can be found below in the converting data types section!
Additionally you can directly transform a field value to text using the following syntax: \%\{... anyfield $\}$

| Data type | Description | Example |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BOOLEAN | Comparison operators return a logical value true or false, as well as some functions. | isActive(string user_name) |
| NUMBER | This type represents numeric values, and is also used to store Date, Time and DateTime ( $\square$ date_time ) values. When storing any temporal value, the number represents the milliseconds elapsed since January 1, 1970, 00:00:00 GMT. Number or Date-Time fields can be referenced as numbers using the following notation: \{...somefield $\}$. | 1, 1.1, -1.1, .1, -. 1 |
| STRING | This type represents any kind of text or character string including all kinds of select and multi-select fields <br> MULTI <br> Any field type or data type is susceptible of being transformed to text, so any field can be referenced as a text-string value using the following notation: \%\{... anyfield\}, and \%\{...anyfield.i\} for Cascading Select or MultiCascading Select fields, where i is the index that represents the level to be accessed. ( $\mathbf{i}=\mathbf{0}$ is used for base level). | "Hello world" |
| NUMBER [] | This type represents a collection of numeric values returned by various functions. The size may vary from 0 to any number of numeric values. It is used to read the value of a numeric field in a selection of issues. You can also use literals like [1, 2, 3]. | ```fieldValue(), append(), union(), except(), intersect() and distinct(), [1, 2, 3]``` |
| STRING [] | This type represents a collection of string values returned by various functions. The size may vary from 0 to any number of string values. It is also used to read the value of a string field in a selection of issues. You can also use literals like ["st ring_A", "string_B", "string_C"]. | ```fieldValue(), append(), union(), except(), intersect() and distinct(), ["string_A", "string_B", "string_C"]``` |

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| ISSUE [] | This type represents a collection of issues. The size may vary from 0 to any number of issues. <br> It's returned by issue selection or filtering functions like subtasks(), linkedlssues(), filterBylssueType(), distinct(), etc. | subtasks(), <br> linkedIssues(), <br> transitionLinkedIssues(), <br> filterByFieldValue(), <br> filterByStatus(), <br> filterByIssueType(), <br> filterByResolution(), <br> filterByProject(), <br> append(), union(), <br> except(), intersect() and <br> distinct() |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |

## Converting data types

There are multiple functions available for converting or casting data types. A comprehensive list can be found below.

| Function | Input | Output |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| toString ( n umber $\mathbf{n}$ ) | NUMBER <br> DATE_TIME | Returns a $\square$ STRING with the decimal representation of the numeric value in $\mathbf{n}$. Numeric value of a Date-Time field is number of milliseconds elapsed since January 1, 1970, 00:00:00 GMT. <br> Example: toString (3.141592) returns "3.141592". |
| toString ${ }^{n}$ umber $\mathbf{n}$, number de cimals) | number | Returns a $\square$ STRING with the decimal representation of the numeric value in $\mathbf{n}$ limiting the fractional part to the number of digits in parameter decima Is. <br> Example: toString (3.141592, 2) returns "3.14". |
| toString ( n umber list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ STRING with a comma separated list of decimal representation of the numeric values in $\mathbf{I}$. <br> Example: toString ([1, 2, 3, 4.0]) returns "1, 2, 3, 4". |
| toString( n umber list I, number de cimals) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ STRING with a comma separated list of decimal representations of the numeric values in $\mathbf{I}$, with the number of characters in the decimal part specified by parameter deci mals. <br> Example: toString ([1.123, 2.452, 3.64612], 2) returns the following string: "1.12, 2.45, 3.65" |
| toString( n umber list I, number de cimals, string sepa rator) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ STRING with a list of decimal representations of the numeric values in $\mathbf{I}$, with the number of characters in the decimal part specified by parameter decimals and separated by string separator. <br> Example: toString([1.123, 2.452, 3.64612], 2, " : ") returns the following string: "1.12 : $2.45 \text { : } 3.65 \text { ". }$ |
| toString(st ring list I) | StRING [] | Returns a $\square$ string with a comma separated list of string values in I. $\begin{aligned} & \text { Example: toString(["Hello", " } \\ & \text { ", "world", "!"]) returns "Hello, } \\ & \text {, world, !". } \end{aligned}$ |


| toString(st ring list I, string sepa rator) | STRING [] | Returns a $\square$ string a list of string values in I separated by string sepa rator. <br> Example: toString (["blue", "red", "green"], "; ") returns "bl ue; red; green". |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| toString(is sue list I) | ISSUE [] | Returns a $\square$ string with a comma separated list of issue keys. <br> Example: toString (subtasks()) returns "CRM-5, CRM-6", being CRM-5 and CRM-6 the keys of current issue's su b-tasks. |
| toString(is sue list I, string sepa rator) | ISSUE [] | Returns a $\square$ string with a list of issue keys separated by string separat or. <br> Example: toString(subtasks(), " ") returns "CRM-5 CRM-6", being CRM-5 and CRM-6 the keys of current issue's su b-tasks. |
| toNumber( string s) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ number represented by the string $\mathbf{s}$. This function expects a decimal representation of a number. In case it is not possible to parse the $\mathbf{s}$ to number, null is returned. <br> Example: toNumber ("3.14") returns 3 . 14 . |
| tolnteger(s tring $\mathbf{s}$, string radix) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ NUMBER represented by the string $\mathbf{s}$ as a signed integer in the radix specified by argument radix. <br> Example: toInteger ("ff", 16) returns 255. |
| toStringLi <br> st(string s, <br> string sepa <br> rators) | $\square$ with a list of tokens separated by one or more characters | Returns a $\square$ STRING [] with tokens in argument $\mathbf{s}$ separated by characters in argument separators. Leading and trailing spaces around each token are automatically removed. <br> Example: toStringList ("red, orange, yellow; green; blue; purple", ",;") returns the following string list: ["red", "orange", "yellow", "green", "blue", "purple"]. |
| toStringLi <br> st(multi- <br> valued field field) | field code for a $\qquad$ multi -value field in format \%\{...somefield\}. Multi-valued fields are Multi Select, Checkboxes, Components, Versions, Multi User Picker, Multi Group Picker, Issue Pickers, Attachments and Labels. | Returns a STRING[] representing each of the values selected in the field. <br> Example: tostringList (\% f . . . components \}) returns a list of strings with each of the components selected in current issue. |
| toNumber <br> List(string s string sep arators) | $\square$ <br> STRING with a list of numbers in decimal representation separated by one or more characters | This function expects in argument $\mathbf{s}$ a string containing numbers in decimal representation separated by characters in argument separators, and returns a $\square$ <br> NUMBER [] . <br> Example: toNumberList ("1, 3, 5; 7; 11; 13", ", ;") returns the following number list: $[1,3,5,7$, 11, 13]. |


| issueKeys TolssueLi st(string is sue_keys) | $\square$ with a comma separated list of issue keys | Returns an Issue [ $\square$ with all issues with keys in argument issue_keys . Argument issue_keys is a string containing a comma separated list of issue keys. <br> Example: issueKeysToIssueList ("CRM-12, HT-254") returns an issue list with issues with keys CRM-12 and HT -254. |
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Automatic casting from Number to Text-String
Whenever you write a numeric term at the right-hand side of concat operator + or a comparis on operator like =, and the left-hand side is occupied by a text-string term, the parser will automatically transform the right-hand side term into a string

-     + (string concat): "His age is " + 30 is equivalent to "His age is " + toString (30)
- = (any comparison operator): " $30 "=30$ is equivalent to " $30 "=$ toString (30)


## Operators

## General Information

The expression parser accepts the most common operators. The operators listed below are available for the following data types:

- Numbers
- Strings
- Issue lists
- Number lists
- String lists

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(i) Operators = and != are also available for type BOoLEAN
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## Case-sensitive operators

| Operator | Meaning | Examples (all examples return true) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| = | equal to | $1=1$ <br> "HELLO" = toUpperCase ("Hello") <br> $\%\{.$. description $\}=\{\ldots$ timeoriginalestimate $\}$, auto- <br> casting numeric field \{...originalEstimate $\}$ to Text-String. <br> \% $\{.$. originalEstimate $\}=$ toString ( $\{.$. <br> originalEstimate\}), explicit casting of numeric field \{... <br> originalEstimate\} to Text-String. <br> true = true <br> \% $\{.$. cf10001 $\}=$ null, for checking whether field with code \%\{... <br> cf10001\} is not initialized. <br> $[1,2,3]=[1,2,3]$, when used with lists elements existence and its order are evaluated. <br> ["blue", "red", "green"] = ["blue", "red", "green"] |
| ! = | not equal to | $0 \quad!=1$ <br> "HELLO" != "Hello" <br> \%\{...description\} != "Hello" <br> true != false <br> $\{. \ldots$ cf10010 $\}!=$ null, for checking whether the numeric field with code $\{$...cf10010 $\}$ is initialized. <br> $[1,2,3]!=[1,3,2]$, when used with lists elements existence and its order are evaluated. <br> ["blue", "red", "green"] != ["blue", "green", "red"] |


| < | lower than | $\begin{aligned} & 1<2 \\ & \text { "abc" < "bbc" } \\ & \text { "abc" < "abcd" } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $>$ | greater than | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \text { > } 1 \\ & \text { "bbc" > "abc" } \\ & \text { "abcd" > "abc" } \end{aligned}$ |
| <= | less than or equal to | - |
| >= | greater than or equal to | - |
| $\sim$ | contains | "Hello world!" ~ "world" , checks whether a string contains a substring. <br> \%\{...componentLeads \} ~ \%\{...currentUser\}, checks whether "C omponent leaders" contains "Current user". <br> linkedIssues() ~ subtasks(), checks whether all sub-tasks are also linked to current issue. <br> $[1,2,3,2,2,4] \sim[2,1,2]$, when used with lists cardinalities must match. <br> ["blue", "red", "green", "red", "white", "red"] ~ <br> ["red", "green", "red"] <br> (["green", "red"] ~ ["red", "green", "red"]) = false |
| $!\sim$ | doesn't contain | "world" !~ "Hello world!" <br> \%\{...fixVersions\} !~ \%\{...versions\}, checks whether "Fix version/s" doesn't contain all versions in "Affects version/s". <br> fieldValue (\% \{....reporter\}, linkedIssues()) !~ <br> fieldValue (\% \{. . .reporter\}, subtasks ()), checks whether linked issues reporters don't include all sub-tasks reporters. <br> $[1,2,3,2,2,4]!\sim[2,1,1,4]$, when used with lists cardinalities must match. <br> ["blue", "red", "green", "red", "red"] !~ ["red", "green", "green", "red"] |
| in | is contained in | "world" in "Hello world!", to check whether a substring is contained in a string. <br> $\%\{$. . currentUser\} in \%\{...componentLeads \}, checks whether " <br> Current user" is contained in "Component leaders". <br> subtasks() in linkedIssues (), checks whether all sub-tasks are also linked to current issue. <br> $[1,1,2]$ in $[2,1,1,1,4]$, cardinality must match. <br> ["blue", "red", "red"] in ["red", "green", "blue", <br> "red", "red"], cardinality must match. <br> 2 in [1, 2, 3] <br> "blue" in ["red, "blue", "white"] |
| not in | isn't contained in | "Hello world!" not in "world" <br> \%\{...versions\} not in \%\{...fixVersions\}, checks whether not all versions in "Affects version/s" are contained in "Fix version/s". <br> fieldValue (\% \{....reporter\}, subtasks()) not in <br> fieldValue (\% \{ . . .reporter\}, linkedIssues ()), checks whether <br> not all sub-tasks reporters are included in linked issues reporters. <br> [1, 1, 2, 2] not in [2, 1, 1, 1, 4], cardinality must match. <br> ["blue", "red", "red", "blue"] not in ["red", "blue", <br> "red", "red"], cardinality must match. <br> 5 not in [1, 2, 3, 3, 4] <br> "orange" not in ["blue", "red", "white"] |
| any in | some element is in | $\%$ \{...versions\} any in \%\{...fixVersions\}, checks whether any version in "Affects version/s" is contained in "Fix version/s". <br> fieldValue (\% \{...reporter\}, subtasks()) any in fieldValue (\% \{ . . reporter\}, linkedIssues ()), checks whether any sub-task's reporter is present among linked issues reporters. <br> [1, 3] any in [3, 4, 5] <br> ["blue", "white"] any in ["black", "white", "green"] |
| none in | no single element is in | \%\{...versions\} none in \%\{...fixVersions\}, checks whether there isn't a single version "Affects version/s" in "Fix version/s". <br> fieldValue (\%\{...reporter\}, subtasks()) none in fieldValue (\% \{....reporter\}, linkedIssues ()), checks whether there isn't a single sub-task reporter among linked issues reporters. <br> [1, 2] none in [3, 4, 5] <br> ["blue", "red"] none in ["black", "white", "green"] |

## Case-ignoring Operators

The following comparison operators are applicable to $\square$ and StRING[]
data $\mathbf{t}$
ypes.
All operators ignore the case of the characters.

| Operator | Meaning | Examples (all examples return true) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| =~ | equal to | ```"HELLO" =~ "Hello" "up" =~ "UP" ["blue", "red", "green"] =~ ["Blue", "RED", "Green"]``` |
| $!=\sim$ | not equal to | ```" HELLO" !=~ "Hello" "up" !=~ "down" ("up" !=~ "UP") = false ["blue", "red"] !=~ ["Blue", "green"] ["blue", "red"] !=~ ["Red", "BLUE"] (["blue", "red", "green"] !=~ ["Blue", "RED", "Green"]) = false``` |
| ~ | contains | "Hello World!" ~~ "world", checks whether a string contains a substring. <br> "A small step for a man" ~~ "STEP", checks whether a string contains a substring. <br> ["one", "two", "three"] ~~ ["Two", "One"], checks whether a string list contains all the elements of another string list. |
| ! ~ | doesn't contain | "Hello World!" !~~ "bye", checks whether a string doesn't contain a substring. <br> "A small step for a man" ! ~~ "big", checks whether a string doesn't contain a substring. <br> ["one", "two", "three"] !~~ ["Four"], checks whether a string list doesn't contain one element of another string list. <br> (["one", "two", "three"] !~~ ["TWO"]) = false |
| in~ | is <br> contained <br> in | "world" in~ "Hello World!", checks whether a substring is contained in another string. <br> "STEP" in~ "A small step for a man", checks whether a substring is contained in another string. <br> ["TWO", "One"] in~ ["one", "two", "three"], checks whether all the elements of a string list are contained in another string list. |
| not in~ | isn't <br> contained <br> in | "bye" not in~ "Hello World!", checks whether a substring is not contained in another string. <br> "big" not in~ "A small step for a man", checks whether a substring is not contained in another string. <br> ["Four"] not in~ ["one", "two", "three"], checks whether any of the elements of a string list are not contained in another string list. (["TWO"] not in~ ["one", "two", "three"]) = false |
| any in~ | some element is in | ["blue", "violet"] any in~ ["Blue", "Red", "Green"] <br> ["Five", "One"] any in~ ["FOUR", "FIVE", "SIX"] |
| none <br> in~ | no single element is in | ["Orange"] any in~ ["red", "blue", "green"] <br> (["orange"] any in~ ["Red", "Orange"]) = false |

## Operators and applicable data types

Below you find a comprehensive matrix of all operators and applicable data types.

| Comparison Operator | BOOLEAN | NUMBER | STRING | NUMBER [] | STRING [] | ISSUE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $=$ | x | x | x | x | x | X |
| != | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| < | - | x | x | - | - | - |
| $>$ | - | X | X | - | - | - |
| <= | - | X | X | - | - | - |
| >= | - | x | x | - | - | - |


| $\sim$ | - | - | x | x | x | X |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| !~ | - | - | x | X | X | X |
| in | - | - | X | X | X | X |
| not in | - | - | X | X | X | X |
| any in | - | - | - | X | X | X |
| none in | - | - | - | X | X | X |
| = | - | - | x | - | x | - |
| ! =~ | - | - | x | - | x | - |
| $\sim \sim$ | - | - | x | - | x | - |
| !~~ | - | - | x | - | x | - |
| in~ | - | - | X | - | x | - |
| not in~ | - | - | X | - | x | - |
| any in~ | - | - | - | - | x | - |
| none in $\sim$ | - | - | - | - | x | - |


| Remember | Example |
| :---: | :---: |
| Operators ~, ! ~, in and not in can be used for checking a single element (number or string) against a number list or a string list | - 1 in $[1,2,3]$ <br> - ["blue", <br> "red"] ~ <br> "blue" |
| Operators ~, ! ~, in and not in when used with a string a re useful to look for substrings in another string. | - "I love coding" ~ "love" <br> - "I don't like Mondays" !~ "Fridays" <br> - "love" in "I love coding" <br> - "Fridays" not in "I don't like Mondays". |
| Operators ~, ! ~, in and not in respect cardinality, i.e., container list must have at least the same number of elements as contained list. | - $[1,1]$ in $[1$, <br> 1, 1] <br> - $[1,1]$ not in <br> [1, 2, 3]. |
| Operators $=$ and $!=$, when used for comparing lists, require to have the same elements, with the same cardinality and the s ame order. | - $[1,2,3]=$ <br> $[1,2,3]$ <br> - $[4,5,6]$ != <br> $[4,6,5]$. |
| Operators <, >, <= and >= work according to lexicographical order when comparing strings. |  |

(i) A reference of all data types can be found here.

## Boolean expressions

## Fixed values

Only two values will be accepted / returned: true and false.

## Logical operators

The following logical operators can be used for linking logical terms in an expression, i.e., terms that return a boolean value type (true or false).

| Operator | Meaning | Precedence |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NOT or ! | logical negation | 1 (highest) |
| AND or \& | logical conjunction | 2 |
| OR or $\quad$ | logical disjunction | 3 |
| XOR | exclusive or, i.e., a xOR b is equivalent to a AND !b OR !a <br> AND b | 3 |
| IMPLIES or <br> IMP | logical implication, i.e., a IMPLIES b is equivalent to !a OR b | 4 |
| XNOR or EQV | logical equivalence, i.e., a EQV b is equivalent to a IMPLIES <br> b AND b IMPLIES a | 4 (lowest) |

Logical connectives are case insensitive, i.e., they can also be written in lower case: or, and, not, xor, implies, imp, eqv and xnor.

## Conditional operator: ? : (IF, THEN, ELSE)

The conditional operator ? : is a powerful operator to construct conditional expressions.

The conditional operator basically allows you to construct the following expression: IF boolean _expression true THEN term_1 ELSE term_2.

The format to be used is: <boolean_expression> ? <term_1> : <term_2>
Both term_1 and term_2 need to be of the same data type (boolean, number, string, issue list, string list or number list).

## Examples of using the conditional operator

| Expression | Output |
| :---: | :---: |
| \{...duedate $\}=$ null ? (\{...duedate $\}$ <br> - \{...currentDateTime\}) / \{HOUR\} : 0 | If the Due Date is not null, this function will return the number of hours from the current date-time to Due Date, otherwise it will return 0 |
| ```timePart({...currentDateTime}, LOCAL) > 21:00 AND timePart({... currentDateTime}, LOCAL) < 7:00 ? "Night" : "Day"``` | If the current time is between 21:00 and 7:00 this function will return "Night" , otherwise it will return "Day". |

## Examples

| Input | Output |
| :---: | :---: |
| \% \{. ..somefield $\}=$ "Yes" | True if the value of the field is "Yes", otherwise False. |
| \% \{...somefield1\} != null AND \% <br> \{...somefield2\} = null | True only if $\{$...somefield 1$\}$ field has a value and field $\{\ldots$ somefield2\} does NOT have a value. |
| ```datePart({...duedate}, LOCAL) > datePart({... currentDateTime}, LOCAL)``` | True only if Due Date (field code \{...duedate\}) is later than Current date (field code \{...currentDateTime\}) in server's local timezone. |

Numbers, dates and times
Fixed values

| Input | Format | Example |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Valid numerical values |  | $\begin{aligned} & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \\ & \bullet \end{aligned}-1.100$ |
| Valid Date-time values | yyyy/MM/dd [hh:mm]or yyyy-MM-dd [hh:mm] | - 2018/03/25 23:15 <br> - 2018-03-25 23:15 <br> - 2018/03/25 <br> - 2018-03-25 |
| Valid Time values | hh:mm | - $08: 15$ <br> - 23:59 <br> - 00:00 |

## Variable values (field values)

Numeric values of Number, Date, Date-Time and Priority data type fields can be inserted in expressions with following notation \{...somefield\}, e.g., use \{ . . .duedate\} for Due Date, and \{ . . . numberOfAttachments \} for Number of attachments.

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Pro tip
For checking if a field is has a value you can use {...somefield} = null or {. . .
somefield} != null
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## Math Functions

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| abs(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the absolute value of $\mathbf{x}$, i.e., if $x>0$ it returns $\mathbf{x}$, otherwise it returns -x. |
| acos(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the arc cosine of $\mathbf{x}$; the returned angle is in the range 0.0 through pi. |
| asin(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the arc sine of $\mathbf{x}$; the returned angle is in the range 0.0 through pi. |
| $\boldsymbol{a t a n}($ number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the arc tangent of $\mathbf{x}$; the returned angle is in the range 0.0 through pi. |
| ceil(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the smallest (closest to negative infinity) value that is larger than or equal to $\mathbf{x}$ and is equal to a mathematical integer. |
| cbrt(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the cube root of $\mathbf{x}$. |
| $\boldsymbol{\operatorname { c o s }}$ (number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the trigonometric cosine of angle $\mathbf{x}$ expressed in radians. |
| $\boldsymbol{\operatorname { c o s h }}$ (number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | number | Returns the hyperbolic cosine of $\mathbf{x}$. |
| floor(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the largest (closest to positive infinity) value that is less than or equal to $\mathbf{x}$ and is equal to a mathematical integer. |


| $\boldsymbol{\operatorname { l o g }}$ (number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the natural logarithm (base e) of $\mathbf{x}$. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\log 10$ (number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the base 10 logarithm of $\mathbf{x}$. |
| max(number $\mathbf{x}$, number $\mathbf{y}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the larger of two numeric values. |
| $\min$ (number $\mathbf{x}$, number $\mathbf{y}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the smaller of two numeric values. |
| modulus(number divi dend, number divisor) | NUMBER | Returns dividend - (divisor * floor (dividend / divisor)) . |
| pow(number $\mathbf{x}$, number $\mathbf{y}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns $\mathbf{x}$ raised to the power $\mathbf{y}$. |
| random() | NUMBER | Returns a value with a positive sign, greater than or equal to 0.0 and less than 1.0. |
| remainder(number div idend, number divisor) | NUMBER | Returns dividend - divisor * $\mathbf{n}$, where $\mathbf{n}$ is the closest integer to dividend / divisor. |
| round(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the closest integer to $\mathbf{x}$. |
| $\boldsymbol{\operatorname { s i n }}$ (number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the trigonometric sine of angle $\mathbf{x}$ expressed in radians. |
| $\boldsymbol{\operatorname { s i n h }}$ (number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the hyperbolic sine of $\mathbf{x}$. |
| sqrt(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the square root of $\mathbf{x}$. |
| $\boldsymbol{t a n}$ (number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the trigonometric tangent of angle $\mathbf{x}$ expresse d in radians. |
| $\boldsymbol{t a n h}($ number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns the hyperbolic tangent of $\mathbf{x}$. |
| toDegrees(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Converts an angle $\mathbf{x}$ measured in radians to an approximately equivalent angle measured in degrees. |
| toRadians(number $\mathbf{x}$ ) | NUMBER | Converts an angle $\mathbf{x}$ measured in degrees to an approximately equivalent angle measured in radians. |

## Date-Time Functions

Fields of type Date and Date-Time contain a numeric value with the milliseconds elapsed since January 1, 1970, 00:00:00 GMT. We usually need to get significative numbers from this numeric value, like YEAR, MONTH, DAY, HOUR, MINUTE, etc.

To achieve this, Automation Toolbox for Jira provides a comprehensive set of functions, most of them with TIMEZONE as input argument, since any significative number relative to a timestamp depends on the timezone.

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| timePart(number $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone time_zone ) | TIMEZONE | Returns the time part of timestamp represented by numeric value $\mathbf{t}$ in time_zone time zone. <br> Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15 this function returns a $\square$ NUMBER representing time 23:15 in milliseconds |
| datePart(number $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone time_zone ) | TIMEZONE | Returns the date part of timestamp represented by numeric value tin time_zone time zone. <br> Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15 this function returns a $\square$ NUMBER representing date March, 25th 2011 00:00 in milliseconds |


| second(number $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone time_zone ) | TIMEZONE | Returns the seconds figure of timestamp represented by numeric value t in time_zone time zone. <br> Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15:30 this function returns a number $\square$ representing 30 seconds in milliseconds. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| minute(number $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone time_zone ) | timezone | Returns the minutes figure of timestamp represented by numeric value $t$ in time_zone time zone. <br> Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15:30 this function returns a $\square$ representing 15 minutes in milliseconds. |
| hour(number $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone time_zone ) | TIMEZONE | Returns the hours figure of timestamp represented by numeric value $\mathbf{t}$ in time_zone time zone. <br> Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15:30 this function returns a $\square$ representing 23 hours in milliseconds. |
| dayOfTheWeek(nu mber $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone $\mathbf{t i}$ me_zone) | NUMBER | Returns the day of the week of timestamp represented by numeric value $\mathbf{t}$ in time_zone time zone, with Sunday $=1$, Monday $=2, \ldots$ Saturday $=7$. Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15 this function returns 6 for Friday as a $\square$ represented also by macro \{FRIDAY\} . |
| dayOfTheMonth(nu mber $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone $\mathbf{t i}$ me_zone) | NUMBER | Returns the day of the month of timestamp represented by numeric value $\mathbf{t}$ in time_zone time zone. Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15 this function returns 25 as a |
| ```month(number t, timeZone time_zone )``` | NUMBER | Returns the month of a timestamp represented by numeric value $t$ in a certain time zone, with January $=1$, February $=2, \ldots$ December $=12$. <br> Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15 this function returns 3 for March as a $\square$ represented also by macro <br> \{MARCH \} . |
| ```year(number t, timeZone time_zone )``` | NUMBER | Returns the year of a timestamp represented by numeric value $t$ in a certain time zone. <br> Example: for timestamp March, 25th 2011 23:15 this function returns 2011 as a <br> NUMBER |
| addDays ( number t , number n, timeZone time_zon e) | NUMBER | Returns a timestamp as a $\square$ number resultant of adding $\mathbf{n}$ days to timestamp $\mathbf{t}$. You should use this function instead of simply adding $n *$ \{DAY\}, since $\{$ DAY\} is a macro equivalent to 24 * \{HOUR\}, not taking into account that once in a year we have a day with 25 or 23 hours due to DST transition. Negative values for $\mathbf{n}$ are used in order to subtract instead of adding. <br> Example: addDays (2018/03/27 01:00, -2, LOCAL) returns 2018/03/25 01:00 . |
| addMonths(number <br> $\mathbf{t}$, number $\mathbf{n}$, timeZone time_zone ) | NUMBER | Returns a timestamp resultant of adding $\mathbf{n}$ months to timestamp $\mathbf{t}$. You should use this function instead of simply adding $n$ * $\{$ MONTH\}, since $\{$ MONTH \} is a macro equivalent to 30 * \{DAY\}, not taking into account that some months has more or less than 30 days. Negative values for $\mathbf{n}$ are used in order to subtract instead of adding. <br> Example: for timestamp t with value March, 25th 2011 23:15 calling to addMonths ( $t, 3$, LOCAL) will return a timestamp as a $\square$ NUMBER with value June, 25th 2011 23:15 |


| addYears(number $\mathbf{t}$, number n, timeZone time_zone ) | NUMBER | Returns a timestamp resultant of adding $\mathbf{n}$ years to timestamp $t$. You should use this function instead of simply adding 12 * \{MONTH\} or 365 * \{DAY\}, since that won't take into account that some years have 366 days. Negative values for $\mathbf{n}$ are used in order to subtract instead of adding. <br> Example: for timestamp t with value March, 25th 2011 23:15 calling to addYears ( $t, 10$, LOCAL) will return a timestamp as a $\square$ with value March, 25th 2021 23:15 |
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| addTimeSkipping Weekends(number t , number timeToBe Added, timeZone ti me_zone) | NUMBER | Adds timeToBeAdded to $t$ and returns a <br> number with the difference that weekends don't count in the sum, e.g., if $t$ represents a date-time which coincides with a Saturday, adding timeToBeAdde d = 2 * $\{$ HOUR $\}$ will return a date-time for next Monday at 02:00. Use negative values at timeToBeAdded for subtracting time from $\mathbf{t}$. |
| addTimeSkipping Weekends(number t , number timeToBe Added, timeZone ti me_zone, number b eginning_of_week end, number end_o f_weekend) | NUMBER | Same as previous function, returns a $\square$ number but with a custom defined weekend. Arguments beginni ng_of_weekend and end_of_weekend take values (мо NDAY , \{TUESDAY\} ... \{SUNDAY\}. <br> Example of usage for adding 12 hours to Current date and time using Israeli weekend: addTimeSkippingWee kends ( $\{. .$. currentDateTime\}, 12 * \{HOUR\}, LOCAL, (FRIDAY\}, \{SATURDAY\}) |
| addDaysSkipping Weekends(number t , number $\mathbf{n}$, timeZone time_zone ) | NUMBER | Returns a timestamp as a $\square$ number equivalent of $t+n *\{D A Y\}$ with the difference that weekends don't count in the sum, e.g., if $\mathbf{t}$ represents a timestamp which coincides with a Friday, adding $\mathrm{n}=1$ will return a date-time for next Monday. Negative values for $\mathbf{n}$ are used in order to subtract days to $\mathbf{t}$. |
| addDaysSkipping Weekends(number t , number $\mathbf{n}$, timeZone time_zone , number beginning _of_weekend, number end_of_we ekend) | NUMBER | Same as previous function, returns a $\square$ number but with a custom defined weekend. Arguments beginni ng_of_weekend and end_of_weekend take values \{MONDAY\}, \{TUESDAY\} ... \{SUNDAY\}. <br> Example of usage for adding 10 workdays to Due date using Israeli weekend: addDaysSkippingWeekends (\{...duedate\}, 10, LOCAL, \{FRIDAY\}, \{SATURDAY\}) |
| subtractDatesSkip pingWeekends(nu mber minuend_date , number subtrahen d_date, timeZone ti me_zone) | NUMBER | Returns a timestamp as a $\square$ number equivalent "minuend_date - subtrahend_date" subtracting weekend periods from the result, i.e., you get the elapsed working time from subtrahend_date to minuen d_date. |
| subtractDatesSkip pingWeekends(nu mber minuend_date number subtrahen d_date, timeZone ti me_zone, number b eginning_of_week end, number end_o f_weekend) | NUMBER | Same as previous function, returns a $\square$ number but with a custom defined weekend. Arguments beginni ng_of_weekend and end_of_weekend take values \{MONDAY\}, \{TUESDAY\} ... \{SUNDAY\}. <br> Example of usage calculating the worktime from Creatio $\mathbf{n}$ to Resolution using Israeli weekend: subtractDates SkippingWeekends(\{...resolutiondate\}, \{... created\}, LOCAL, \{FRIDAY\}, \{SATURDAY\}) |
| dateToString (numb er $t$, timeZone time_ zone, language) | NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ STRING representing the datetime value at $\mathbf{t}$, in a certain time zone, and in a certain la nguage. This function is useful in the Action Update Field to represent as a string the result of a time expression. |
| dateTimeToString number $t$, timeZone time_zone, langua ge) | NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ STRING representing the datetime value at $\mathbf{t}$, in a certain time zone, and in a certain la nguage. This function is useful in the Action Update Field to represent as a string the result of a time expression. |


| dateTimeToString ( number $\mathbf{t}$, string dat e_time_pattern, la nguage) | NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ STRING representing the datetime value at $\mathbf{t}$ with a certain custom format defined by da te_time_pattern string parameter, using a certain langu age when using words for months, days of the week, etc. This function is useful in Action Update Field to represent as a string the result of a time expression. Example: dateTimeToString (2011-03-25 11:30, "yYyy.MM.dd 'at' HH:mm:ss", USER_LANG) returns string "2011.03.25 at 11:30:00". |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| dateTimeToString( number $\mathbf{t}$, string dat e_time_pattern, timeZone time_zone , language) | NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ STRING representing the datetime value at $\mathbf{t}$ with a certain custom format defined by da te_time_pattern string parameter, in a certain timezone $\mathbf{t}$ ime_zone, using a certain language when using words for months, days of the week, etc. This function is useful in the Action Update Field to represent as a string the result of a time expression. <br> Example: dateTimeToString(0, "yyyy.Mm.dd 'at' HH:mm:ss", GMT, USER_LANG) returns string " 1970.01.01 at 00:00:00". <br> Example: dateTimeToString (0, "yyyy.mm.dd 'at' HH:mm:ss", MST, USER_LANG) returns string " 1969.12.31 at 17:00:00". |
| monthToString(nu mber $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone $\mathbf{t i}$ me_zone, language) | NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ string with the name of the month for a date-time $\mathbf{t}$, in a certain time zone time_zone , and in a certain language. This function can be used in the Action Update Field to write the name of the month of a date-time field or expression. |
| dayOfTheWeekToS tring(number $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone time_zone language) | NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ string with the day of the week for a date-time $\mathbf{t}$, in a certain time zone time_zone, and in a certain language. This function is useful in the Actio n Update Field to write the day of the week of a datetime field or expression. |
| weekOfTheYear(nu mber $\mathbf{t}$, number first DayOfTheWeek, number minimalDa ysInFirstWeek, timeZone time_zon e) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 |  | Returns the week of the year of the date-time $t$ in a certain time_zone as $\square$ number . The parameter firstDayOfTheWeek represents the first day of the week, e.g.: \{SUNDAY\} in the U.S., and \{MONDAY\} in Germany. The parameter minimalDaysInFirstWeek r epresents the minimal number of days required in the first week of the year, e.g., if the first week is defined as the one that contains the first day of the first month of the year, value 1 should be used. If the minimal number of days required must be a full week (e.g. all days of the week need to be in that year), value 7 should be used. <br> Example: weekOfTheYear (2023/01/03, \{SUNDAY\}, 1, LOCAL) returns 1. <br> Example: weekOfTheYear (2023/01/03, \{MONDAY\}, 1, LOCAL) returns 2. <br> Example: weekOfTheYear (2023/01/03, \{MONDAY\}, 7, LOCAL) returns 1. |
| dayOfTheYear(num ber $\mathbf{t}$, timeZone time _zone) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | NUMBER TIMEZONE | Returns the day of the year of date-time $t$ in a certain $t i$ me_zone as $\square$ number , e.g. for January 1st the value returned will be 1 . <br> Example: dayOfTheYear (2019/02/01, LOCAL) retur ns 32 |
| stringToDate(string s , timeZone time_zo ne) | TIMEZONE STRING | Returns a number with the date-time represented by string $\mathbf{s}$. The numeric value returned corresponds to the milliseconds elapsed since January 1, 1970, 00:00:00 GMT. Valid input string formats are yy yy/MM/dd HH:mm, yyyy-MM-dd HH:mm, yyyy/MM/dd, yyyy-MM-dd, also formats relative to current time like in JQL queries: "w" (weeks), "d" (days), "h" (hours) or "m" (minutes), or format defined at system property jira.date. time.picker.java.format. |


| stringToDate(string s string date_time_p attern ) | String | Returns a $\square$ number with the date-time represented by string $\mathbf{s}$. Expected format of value at parameter " $s$ " is defined by date_time_pattern string parameter. The numeric value returned corresponds to the milliseconds elapsed since January 1, 1970, 00:00: 00 GMT. <br> Example: stringToDate("2011.03.25 at 11:30: 00", "yyyy.MM.dd 'at' HH:mm:ss") returns a date-time numeric value that can be used for setting a Date Time picker custom field. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| stringToDate(string s , string date_time_p attern , string langu age, string country ) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ number with the date-time represented by string $\mathbf{s}$. Expected format of value at parameter " $s$ " is defined by date_time_pattern string parameter for a specific language (language code ISO 639-2 ) and country (country code ISO 3166 alpha-2). The numeric value returned corresponds to the milliseconds elapsed since January 1, 1970, 00:00:00 GMT. <br> Example: stringToDate("Dec 7, 2016 2:10:25 AM PST", "MMM d, yYyy h:mm:ss a z", "eng", "US") returns a date-time numeric value that can be used for setting a Date Time picker custom field. |
| formatDuration(nu mber duration) | DURATION | Returns a $\square$ STRING with the pretty representation of a time duration, i.e. a subtraction of 2 date-time values, using the language of current user's profile. <br> Example: formatDuration (2017-01-31 11:30 -2017-01-30 00:00) returns "1 day, 11 hours, 30 minutes" . |
| shortFormatDurati on(number duration ) | DURATION | Returns a StRING $\square$ with the most compact representation possible of a time duration, i.e. a subtraction of 2 date-time values, using the language of current user's profile. <br> Example: shortFormatDuration(2017-01-31 11: 30 - 2017-01-30 00:00) returns "1d 11h 30m". |
| formatWorkDuration (number duration) | DURATION | Returns a $\square$ string similar to function format Duration() but using the workday and workweek defined at time tracking configuration, instead of 24 hours per day and 7 days per week. <br> Example: formatWorkDuration (5 * 8 * \{HOUR\} + 2 * 8 * \{HOUR\} + 3 * \{HOUR\}) returns "1 week, 2 days, 3 hours", with 8 hours per workday and 5 days per workweek. |
| shortFormatWorkD uration(number dur ation) | DURATION | Returns a $\square$ string similar to function shortF ormatDuration () but using the workday and workweek defined at time tracking configuration , instead of 24 hours per day and 7 days per week. <br> Example: formatWorkDuration (5 * 8 * \{HOUR\} +2 * 8 * \{HOUR\} +3 * \{HOUR\}) returns "1w 2d 3 h" , with 8 hours per workday and 5 days per workweek |
| timeZone(string tim eZone_name) | timezone | Returns the timeZone whose name is represented by string timeZone_name. This function is useful to obtain a timeZone from a string, like the value of a Project Properties. <br> Example: timeZone ("DST") returns DST timeZone. |


| timeInValue (string field field, boolean expression predicate ) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | STRING <br> BOOLEAN | Returns the number $\square$ of milliseconds a string $f$ ield with code \%\{nnnnn\} of the current issue has had a value satisfying a boolean expression predicate, where the string value of the field with code $\%\{n n n n n\}$ is represented by ^\%. <br> Example: timeInvalue (\% 00000$\}$, $1 \% ~ \sim \sim$ "ERROR" OR ^\% ~~ "WARNING") returns the number of milliseconds the field summary (field code \%\{00000\}) of the current issue has contained any of the words "ERROR" or "WARNING", ignoring the case. <br> Example: timeInValue (\%\{00094\}, count (toStringList (^\%, ",")) > 1) returns the number of milliseconds the field components (field code $\%\{00094\}$ ) of the current issue has contained more than one selected component. <br> Example: timeInValue(\%\{00017\}, ^\% in ["Critical", "High"]) returns the number of milliseconds the field priority (field code \%\{00017\}) of the current issue has had a value of Critical or High. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| timeInValue(numbe r field field, boolean expression predicate ) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | NUMBER <br> BOOLEAN | Returns the $\square$ number of milliseconds a number or date-time field with code \{nnnnn\} of the current issue has had a value satisfying a boolean expression predicate, where the numeric value of the fie Id with code $\{\mathbf{n n n n n}\}$ is represented by ^. <br> Example: timeInValue (\{00012\}, ^ != null) retur ns the number of milliseconds the field Due date (field code $\{00012\}$ ) of the current issue has had a value. <br> Example: timeInValue (\{10001\}, ^ >= 5 AND ^ $<=10$ ) returns the number of milliseconds a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers (field code \{ 10001\}) of the current issue has remained between 5 and 10 . <br> Example: timeInValue (\{10001\}, modulus (^, 2) $=0$ ) returns the number of milliseconds a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers (field code \{10001\}) of the current issue has had an even value $(2,4,6, \ldots)$. |
| timeInValue(string field field, issue list $\mathbf{i}$ ssues, boolean expression predicate ) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | STRING <br> ISSUE [] <br> BOOLEAN | Returns the sum of milliseconds a string field with code \%\{nnnnn\} has had a value satisfying a boolean expression predicate in distinct issues as number where the string value of the field with code $\%\{n n n n \mathbf{n}$, is represented by $\wedge \%$. <br> Example: timeInValue (\% \{00000\}, subtasks (), ^\% ~~ "ERROR" OR ^\% ~~ "WARNING") returns the sum of milliseconds the summary fields (field code \% $\{00000\}$ ) of all subtasks of the current issue have contained any of the words "ERROR" or "WARNING", ignoring the case. <br> Example: timeInValue (\%\{00094\}, epic(), count (toStringList (^\%, ",")) > 1) returns the number of milliseconds the components fields (field code $\%\{00094\}$ ) in a linked Epic issue have contained more than one selected component. <br> Example: timeInvalue (\% 00017$\}$, filterByIssueType (linkedIssues(), "Bug, New Feature"), ^\% in ["Critical", "High"]) returns the sum of milliseconds all linked Bugs and New Features of the current issue have had a priority (field code \%\{00017\}) value of Critical or High. |


| timelnValue(numbe $r$ field field, issue list issues, boolean expression predicate ) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | NUMBER <br> ISSUE [] <br> BOOLEAN | Returns the sum of milliseconds a number or date-time fi eld with code \{nnnnn\} has had a value satisfying a boolean expression predicate in distinct issues as number , where the numeric value of the field with code $\{\mathbf{n n n n n}\}$ is represented by $\wedge$. <br> Example: timeInvalue(\{00012\}, subtasks(), $!=$ null) returns the number of milliseconds the field due date (field code \{00012\}) of all subtasks of the current issue have had a value. <br> Example: timeInValue (\{10001\}, epic(), ^ >= 5 AND ^ <= 10) returns the number of milliseconds a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers (field code \{ 10001\}) of an Epic issue has had a value between 5 and 10. <br> Example: timeInvalue (\{10001\}, <br> filterByIssueType (linkedIssues(), "Bug, New Feature"), modulus (^, 2) = 0) returns the number of milliseconds a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers (field code \{10001\}) has had an even value in any linked Bug or New Feature. |
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| timelnValue(string field field, boolean expression predicate , string schedule_n ame, timeZone time _zone) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | STRING <br> BOOLEAN <br> STRING <br> TIMEZONE | Returns the $\square$ number of milliseconds a string $f$ ield with code \%\{nnnnn\} of the current issue has had a value satisfying a boolean expression predicate, where the string value of the field with code \%\{nnnnn\} is represented by $\wedge \%$. The time being calculated by this function is only counted during a defined schedule with name schedule_name for time zone time_zone. <br> Example: timeInvalue (\% 00000$\}$, $1 \% ~ \sim \sim$ "ERROR" OR ^\% ~~ "WARNING", <br> "schedule_name", LOCAL) returns the number of milliseconds the field summary (field code $\%\{\mathbf{0 0 0 0 0}\}$ ) of the current issue has contained any of the words "ERROR" or "WARNING", ignoring the case, within a schedule named schedule_name for the server's default time_zone. <br> Example: timeInValue (\%\{00094\}, count (toStringList (^\%, ",")) > 1, "schedule_name", LOCAL) returns the number of milliseconds the field components (field code \%\{00094\}) of the current issue has contained more than one selected component, within a schedule named schedule _name for the server's default time_zone. <br> Example: timeInvalue (\% \{00017\}, $0 \%$ in ["Critical", "High"], "schedule_name", LOCAL) returns the number of milliseconds the current issue has had a priority value of Critical or High (field code \%\{00017\}), within a schedule named schedule_na me for the server's default time_zone. |


| timelnValue(numbe $r$ field field, boolean expression predicate , string schedule_n ame, timeZone time _zone) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | (NUMBER | Returns the of milliseconds of a number or date-time field with code \{nnnnn\} of the current issue has had a values satisfying a boolean expression predicate, where the numeric value of the fie Id with code $\{n n n n n\}$ is represented by $\wedge$. The time being calculated by this function is only counted during a defined schedule with name schedule_name for time zone time_zone. <br> Example: timeInValue (\{00012\}, ^ != null, "schedule_name", LOCAL) returns the number of milliseconds the field due date (field code $\mathbf{\{ 0 0 0 1 2 \}}$ ) of the current issue has had a value, ignoring the case, within a schedule named "my_schedule" for the server's default time_zone. <br> Example: timeInValue (\{10001\}, ^ >= 5 AND ^ <= 10, "schedule_name", LOCAL) returns the number of milliseconds a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers (field code \{10001\}) of the current issue has had a value between 5 and 10, within a schedule named schedule_name for the server's default time_zone. <br> Example: timeInValue (\{10001\}, modulus (^, 2) = 0, "schedule_name", LOCAL) returns the number of milliseconds a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers (field code \{10001\}) in current issue has had an even value, within a schedule named schedu le_name for the server's default time_zone. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| timeInValue(string field field, issue list $\mathbf{i}$ ssues, boolean expression predicate , string schedule_n ame, timeZone time _zone) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | STRING <br> ISSUE [] <br> BOOLEAN <br> STRING <br> TIMEZONE | Returns the <br> ield with code \%\{nnnnn\} has had a value satisfying a boolean expression predicate in distinct issues, where the value of the field with code $\%\{n n n n n\}$ is represented by $\wedge \%$. The time being calculated by this function is only counted during a defined schedule with name schedule_name for time zone time_zone. <br> Example: timeInvalue (\% 00000 , subtasks (), ^\% ~~ "ERROR" OR ^\% ~~ "WARNING", <br> "my_schedule", LOCAL) returns the sum of milliseconds the fields summary (field code \%\{00000\}) of all subtasks of the current issue have have contained any of the words "ERROR" or "WARNING", ignoring the case, within a schedule named "schedule_name" for the server's default time_zone. <br> Example: timeInValue (\%\{00094\}, epic(), count (toStringList (^\%, ",")) > 1, <br> "my_schedule", LOCAL) returns the number of milliseconds the field components (field code \%\{00094\}) in the linked Epic issue has contained more than one selected component, within a schedule named my_sche dule for the server's default time_zone. <br> Example: timeInValue (\% 00017$\}$, <br> filterByIssueType (linkedIssues(), "Bug, <br> New Feature"), ^\% in ["Critical", <br> "High"], "my_schedule", LOCAL) returns the sum of milliseconds all linked Bugs and New Features of the current issue have had a priority (field code \% \{00017\}) value of Critical or High., within a schedule named my_schedule for the server's default ti me_zone. |



| fieldChangeTimes( number field field, $b$ oolean expression $\mathbf{p}$ redicate) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | NUMBER <br> BOOLEAN | Returns the timestamps as $\square$ Number [] of when a numeric / date-time value of field with code \{nnnnn\} h as changed satisfying a certain predicate that depends on the values of the field before and after the value change. The numeric value before the change is represented by $\wedge 0$, and after the change by ${ }^{\wedge} 1$. The timestamps are returned as a number list sorted in ascending order. <br> Example: fieldChangeTimes (\{00012\}, ^0 < ^1) r eturns the timestamps of when the Due date (field code \{ 00012\}) has been edited to a higher value. <br> Example: fieldChangeTimes (\{10001\}, abs (^0 ^1) / ^0 >= 0.25) returns the timestamps of when a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers(field code \{10001\}) has been edited with a variation of at least $25 \%$ over its previous value. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| fieldChangeTimes( string field field, issue list issues, boolean expression predicate) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | STRING <br> ISSUE [] <br> BOOLEAN | Returns the timestamps as $\square$ NUMBER[] of when a string value of field with code \%\{nnnnn\} in distinct parameter issues have changed satisfying certain predic ate that depends on the values of the fields before and after the value change. The string value before the change is represented by ${ }^{\wedge} 0 \%$, and after the change by $\wedge 1 \%$. The timestamps are returned as a number list containing a sequence of sorted numeric values in ascending order for each parameter issue. <br> Example: fieldChangeTimes (\% 00000$\}$, subtasks(), ^0\% !~~ "IMPORTANT" AND ^1\% ~~ "IMPORTANT") returns the list of timestamps of when the word "IMPORTANT" has been added the the summary (field code \%\{00000\}) of all current issue's subtasks, ignoring the case. <br> Example: fieldChangeTimes (\% 00017$\}$, epic (), ^0\% = null AND ^1\% ! = null) returns the list of timestamps of when the issue priority (field code \% \{00017\}) of the current issue's epic has been set. <br> Example: fieldChangeTimes (\% 00017$\}$, <br> linkedIssues("is blocked by"), ^0\% not in ["Critical", "High"] AND ^1\% in ["Critical", "High"]) returns the list of timestamps of when the priority(field code \%\{00017\}) in all blocking linked issues has become Critical or High. |
| fieldChangeTimes( number field field, is sue list issues, boolean expression predicate) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | NUMBER <br> ISSUE [] <br> BOOLEAN | Returns the timestamps as $\square$ NUMBER[] of when a numeric value of field with code $\{\mathbf{n n n n n}\}$ in distinct parameter issues have changed satisfying a certain pred icate that depends on the values of the fields before and after the value change. The numeric value before the change is represented by ${ }^{\wedge} 0$, and after the change by ${ }^{\wedge} 1$ . The timestamps are returned as a number list containing a sequence of sorted numeric values in ascending order for each parameter issue. <br> Example: fieldChangeTimes (\{00012\}, subtasks(), ^0 < ^1) returns the timestamps of when the due date (field code \{00012\}) has been edited to a higher value in any of the current issue's subtasks. <br> Example: fieldChangeTimes (\{10001\}, epic(), abs (^0 - ^1) / ^0 >= 0.25 ) returns the timestamps when a hypothetical numeric field called Passengers (field code \{10001\}) in the current issue's epic has been edited with a variation of at least $25 \%$ over its previous value |
| lastFieldChangeTi me(string field field) <br> Available since version 1.1.0 | STRING | Returns the timestamp as $\square$ NUMBER of most recent value update of a field with code \%\{nnnnn\}. <br> Example: lastFieldChangeTime (\%\{00000\}) returns the timestamp of the last update of an issue's summary (field code $\{\mathbf{0 0 0 0 0}$ ). |

## Time Macros

Date-Time values are numeric values representing the number of milliseconds elapsed since January 1, 1970, 00:00:00 GMT.

Macros are aliases for literal / fixed values. A comprehensive set of time macros is provided to make your expressions more readable.

| Macro | Equivalent value |
| :--- | :--- |
| \{SECOND \} | 1000 |
| \{MINUTE \} | $1000 * 60$ |
| \{HOUR\} | $1000 * 60 * 60$ |
| \{DAY \} | $1000 * 60 * 60 * 24$ |
| \{WEEK \} | $1000 * 60 * 60 * 24 * 7$ |
| \{MONTH \} | $1000 * 60 * 60 * 24 * 30$ |
| \{YEAR \} | $1000 * 60 * 60 * 24 * 365$ |

The following macros are available to be used with function dayOfTheWeek ( $t$, time_zone) :

| Macro | Equivalent <br> value |
| :--- | :--- |
| \{SUNDAY \} | 1 |
| \{MONDAY \} | 2 |
| \{TUESDAY \} | 3 |
| \{WEDNESDAY \} | 4 |
| \{THURSDAY \} | 5 |
| \{FRIDAY \} | 6 |
| \{SATURDAY \} | 7 |

The following macros are available to be used with function month ( $t$, time_zone) :

| Macro | Equivalent value |
| :--- | :--- |
| \{JANUARY \} | 1 |
| \{FEBRUARY \} | 2 |
| \{MARCH \} | 3 |
| \{APRIL \} | 4 |
| \{MAY \} | 5 |
| \{JUNE \} | 6 |
| \{JULY \} | 7 |
| \{AUGUST \} | 8 |
| \{SEPTEMBER \} | 9 |
| \{OCTOBER \} | 10 |
| \{NOVEMBER \} | 11 |
| \{DECEMBER \} | 12 |

## Examples

| Input | Output |
| :--- | :--- |
| $(2 * 6) / 3$ | Returns the result of a simple calculation: 4 |
| $\{\ldots$ duedate $\}+2 *\{$ DAY $\}$ | Returns a date which is two days in the future of <br> the current Due Date. |
| round ( $(\{\ldots$ duedate $\}-\{\ldots$. <br> currentDateTime $\})$$/\{$ HOUR\}) | Returns the number of hours from between the curre <br> nt date and time to Due Date. |

## Strings

## Fixed values

- Texts or strings need to be written in double quotes, e.g., "This is a string literal."
- Operator + is used for concatenating string. e.g., "This is" + " a string." = "This is a string."
- The Escape character is " $\backslash$ ". This character can precede any of the following characters: ", $\backslash$, $\mathbf{n}, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{t}, \mathbf{f}$ and $\mathbf{b}$ in order to invoke an alternative interpretation.
For example, if you want to introduce a double quote in a string literal you should precede it with escape character \as in "The man said: \"Hello! \".", where we are using escape character \to write string Hello! in double quotes.


## Variable values (field values)

Text / String field values can be inserted in expressions using field codes with format \%\{...somefield\}, or \%\{...somefield.i\} for referencing concrete levels in cascading select fields ( $\mathrm{i}=0$ for base level).

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Pro tip
For checking if a field has a value you can use %{. . .somefield} = null or %{. . .
somefield} != null.
For a concrete level in a Cascading Select or Multi-Cascading Select field, you should use %
{...somefield.i} = null or %{...somefield.i} != null.
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(i) Any field type has a string value, so you can also use \%\{...somefield\} to insert string values of fields of types: Number, Date, Date-Time and Priority.

## String Functions

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| trim(string s) | STRING |  |
| substring(stri ng s, number beginIndex, number endln dex) | STRING | Returns a substring of the $\square$ string beginning at index beginIndex and ending at endIndex - 1. Thus the length of the substring is endIndex-beginindex. <br> Example: substring("smiles", 1, 5) returns "mile". |
| toUpperCase (string s) | STRING | Returns $\square$ string with all its characters converted to upper case. Example: toupperCase ("heLLo wORLD!") returns "HELLO WORLD!". |
| toLowerCase (string s) | STRING | Returns $\square$ $\mathbf{s}$ with all its characters converted to lower case. Example: toLowerCase ("heLLo wORLD!") returns "hello world!". |


| capitalizeWor ds(string s) | STRING | Capitalizes all the whitespace separated words in STRING <br> Example: capitalizeWords ("heLLo world!") returns "H eLLo WORLD!". |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| capitalizeWor dsFully(string s) | STRING | Converts all the whitespace separated words in <br> string into capitalized words, that is each word is made up of a titlecase character and then a series of lowercase characters. <br> Example: capitalizeWordsFully ("heLLo world!") returns "Hello World!". |
| replaceAll(stri $\mathrm{ng} \mathbf{s}$, string re gexp, string $r$ eplacement) | STRING <br> REGEX | Returns a copy of $\mathbf{s}$ where each substring matching the given $r$ egular expression regexp has been replaced with the given re placement string. <br> Example: replaceAll(" Hello World ", " <br> s", "") returns "HelloWorld" . |
| replaceFirst( string s, string regexp, string replace ment) | STRING <br> REGEX | Returns a copy of $\square$ where the first substring matching the given regular expression regexp has been replaced with the given replacement string. Example: replaceFirst ("Hello World", "l", "_") returns "He_lo World" . |
| matches(strin g s, string reg exp) | STRING <br> REGEX | Returns a $\square$ booloean value true if string s matches re gular expression regexp, otherwise returns false. Example: matches("readme.txt", ".* |
| .txt\$") returns true . |  |  |
| findPattern(st ring $\mathbf{s}$, string $\mathbf{r}$ egexp) | StRING <br> REGEX | Returns a STRING[] with all substrings in argument s matching regular expression in string argument regexp. Example: findPattern ("Between 1900 and 2000 world population increase from 1.5 to 6.1 billions.", " |
| d+( |  |  |
| . |  |  |
| d+) ?") returns ["1900", "2000", "1.5", "6.1"]. |  |  |
| findPatternlg noreCase(stri $\mathrm{ng} \mathbf{s}$, string re gexp) | StRing [] REGEX | Returns a string [] with all substrings in argument s matching regular expression in string argument regexp. Evaluation of the regular expression is carried out in ignoring case mode. Example: findPatternIgnoreCase ("Grass is Green and Sky is Blue.", "red\|green|blue") returns ["Green", "Blue"]. |
| findModify(st ring $\mathbf{s}$, string $\mathbf{r}$ egexp, string replacement_ expression) | StRing REGEX | Returns a $\square$ STRING like s, but where all substrings matching regexp have been replaced with the result of evaluating replacement_expression against each these substrings. Argument text_expression is an expression that returns a string, where $\wedge \%$ represents each of the matching substrings, and $\wedge$ represents the order of appearance beginning with 1 . <br> Example: findModify("The cure for boredom is curiosity.", "[aeiou]", modulus(^, 2) = 1 ? toUpperCase ( $\wedge \%$ ) : ^\%) returns "ThE curE for bOredOm is cUriOsity." . |
| findReplaceA II(string s, string find, string replace ment) | STRING | Returns a STRING with content of argument s wher e every ocurrence of substring find has been replaced with string replacement. Example: findReplaceAll ("Goodbye my love, hello my friend.", "my", "your") returns "Goodbye your love, hello your friend." . |
| findReplaceA IIIgnoreCase( string $\mathbf{s}$, string find, string replace ment) | STRING | Returns a STRING with content of argument s wher e every ocurrence of substring find, ignoring the case, has been replaced with string replacement. Example: findReplaceAllIgnoreCase ("Hello my love, hello my friend.", "hello", "Goodbye") returns "Goodbye my love, Goodbye my friend." . |


| findReplaceF irst(string s, string find, string replace ment) | StRING | Returns a $\qquad$ with content of argument $\mathbf{s}$ wher e first ocurrence of substring find has been replaced with string replacement. <br> Example: findReplaceFirst ("Goodbye my love, hello my friend.", "my", "your") returns "Goodbye your love, hello my friend." . |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| findReplaceF irstlgnoreCase (string s, string find, string replace ment) | STRING | Returns a $\qquad$ with content of argument $\mathbf{s}$ wher e first ocurrence of substring find, ignoring the case, has been replaced with string replacement. <br> Example: findReplaceFirstIgnoreCase("Goodbye my love, hello my friend.", "My", "your") returns "Go odbye your love, hello my friend." . |
| length(string s ) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ number with the length of $\mathbf{s}$. Example: length("Star Wars") returns 9 . |
| getAscii(num ber code) | NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ STRING containing the symbol corresponding to a extended ASCII code ( $0<=$ code $<=255$ ). Example: getAscii(65) returns "A". |
| similarity(stri ng s1, string s2 ) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ number value between 0 and 100 representing the percentage of similarity between two strings based on the Jaro Winkler similarity algorithm . $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ represe nts full equivalence, and 0 represents zero similarity between both string arguments. <br> Examples: <br> similarity("Automation Toolbox for Jira", "Automation Toolbox for Jira") returns 100 <br> similarity("Automation Toolbox for Jira", "Jira WorflowTolbox") returns 97 <br> similarity("My Gym. Childrens Fitness", "My Gym Children's Fitness Center") returns 92 <br> similarity("D N H Enterprises Inc", "D \& H Enterprises, Inc.") returns 91 <br> similarity("ABC Corporation", "ABC Corp'") returns 92 <br> similarity("Hello World!", "Bye bye World!") returns 69 <br> similarity("I caught a lizard", "This is my giraffe") returns 51 |
| escapeHTML (string s) | STRING | Escapes the characters in a $\square$ STRING using HTML entities. <br> Example: escapeHTML ("<Français>") returns "\< Fran\çais\>" . |
| unescapeHT <br> ML(string s) | STRING | Unescapes STRING $\square$ containing entity escapes to a string containing the actual Unicode characters corresponding to the escapes. <br> Example: unescapeHTML ("\"bread\" \& \" butter\" ") returns "\|"bread\" \& \"butter ${ }^{\prime \prime "}$. |
| wikiToHTML( string s) | STRING | Renders rich text wiki content of $\square$ STRING into HTML. <br> Example: wikiToHTML ("+Hello *world*!+") return "<p> <ins>Hello <b>world</b>!</ins></p>" . |
| htmIToTxt(str ing s) | STRING | Renders HTML content of $\square$ STRING into plain text by removing all the html tags. <br> Example: wikiтонтML ("<p>Hello <b>world</b>!< /p>") return "Hello world!" . |

## Examples

| Input | Output |
| :---: | :---: |
| "Hello" + " " + "world" + ". " | Hello world. |
| $\operatorname{trim}(\%$ \{ . . summary \} | Summary of an issue without leading and trailing bla nks |
| ```%{...description} + "\nLAST USER: " + toUpperCase(%{... currentUser})``` | Description of an issue and a new line with string "LA ST USER: " and the name of current user in upper case. |

## Issue lists

## Overview

The Issue list data type is an ordered list of issues.
This data type is returned by functions returning selections of issues (linked issues, sub-tasks, issues in a project, or subsets).

## (i) Example

An issue list with 5 elements: [HR-1, HR-2, HR-3]

## Issue list functions

Issue list functions either return issue lists (e.g. [issuekey-1,issuekey-2,issuekey3,...]) or strin g lists or number lists for retrieving issue fields

The following functions are intended to build expressions that reference linked issues, sub-tasks, or doing any kind of issue selection, and for retrieving their field values.

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| subtasks() |  | Returns the ISSUE[ of sub-tasks of current issue. |
| subtasks(iss ue list issues ) | ISSUE [] | Returns the $\square$ issue [ of sub-tasks of issues in argument issues. Duplicated issues in argument issues are discarded. <br> Example: subtasks (linkedIssues ()) returns the list of subtasks of linked issues. |
| subtasks(str ing issue_ke ys) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE [ of sub-tasks of issues whose keys are in issue_keys. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. Duplicated issue keys in argument $\mathbf{i}$ ssue_keys are discarded. <br> Example: subtasks (\% \{ . . .parentIssuekey\}) returns the list of sub-tasks of parent issue, i.e., sibling sub-tasks plus current sub-task. |
| siblingSubt asks() |  | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE [ of sibling sub-tasks of current issue, i.e., all sub-tasks with the same parent as current issue, except current issue. In case current issue is not a sub-task, an empty issue list will be returned. Note that siblingSubtasks () is equivalent to subtasks ( $\%$ \{ . . .parentIssuekey $\}$ ) EXCEPT issueKeysToIssueList (\% \{ ....Issuekey) ), where \%\{...parentlssuekey\} is Parent's issue key and \%\{... Issuekey is Issue key. |
| siblingSubt asks(issue list issues) | ISSUE [] | Returns the $\square$ issue I of sibling sub-tasks of issues in argument issues, provided they are sub-tasks. Duplicated issues in argument issues are discarded. |


| siblingSubt asks(string i ssue_keys) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ Issue] of sibling sub-tasks of issues whose keys are in issue_keys, provided they are sub-tasks. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. Duplicated issue keys in argument issue_keys are discarded. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| linkedlssues () |  | Returns the $\square$ issuen of issues linked to current issue, including Epic-Task links. An issue appears in the output as many times as is linked to current issue. Function distinct(iss ue list) can be used to remove duplicated issues. <br> Example: distinct (linkedIssues () EXCEPT <br> linkedIssues("has Epic, is Epic of")) returns all the issues linked to current issue, excluding Epic-Task issue links. |
| linkedlssues (string issue _link_types) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ issue [ of issues linked to current one using issue link types in argument issue_link_types. Argument $\mathbf{i}$ ssue_link_types is a comma separated list of issue link type names, or an empty string ("") for representing all issue link types, i.e., linkedIssues (" ") is equivalent to linkedIssue s(). <br> Example: linkedIssues("blocks, clones") returns all issues linked with to current issue using issue link types blocks or clones. |
| linkedlssues (string issue _link_types, issue list iss ues) | STRING ISSUE [] | Returns the $\square$ issue $]$ of issues linked to those ones in argument issues using issue link types in argument issue_lin k_types. Duplicated issues in argument issues are discarded. Example: linkedIssues("", subtasks()) returns all issues linked to current issue's sub-tasks using any issue link type. |
| linkedlssues (string issue _link_types, string issue_ keys) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE [ of issues linked to those ones whose keys are in argument issue_keys. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. Duplicated issue keys in argument issue_keys are discarded. <br> Example: linkedIssues("is blocked by", \%\{... parentIssuekey\}) returns all issues blocking parent issue. |
| transitionLi nkedlssues( string issue link_types) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE [ of issues linked to current one with links created in current transition screen using issue link types in argument issue_link_types. Argument issue_link_typ es is a comma separated list of issue link type names, or an empty string ("") for representing all issue link types, i.e., tran sitionLinkedIssues ("") is equivalent to transitionLinkedIssues (). This function is useful for validating only new issue links created by user in transition screen. <br> Example: transitionLinkedIssues("blocks, clones") returns the list of issues linked in current transition's screen using issue link types blocks and clones. |
| transitively Linkedlssues (string issue _link_types) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE [] of issues directly or transitively linked to current issue using issue link types in argument issue_I ink_types. Argument issue_link_types is a comma separated list of issue link type names, or an empty string ("") for representing all issue link types. <br> Example of transitive link: if ISSUE-1 blocks ISSUE-2 blocks ISSUE 3, then ISSUE-1 is blocking transitively ISSUE-3. |
| transitively Linkedlssues (string issue _link_types, issue list iss ues) | STRING ISSUE [] | Returns the $\square$ issue [ of issues directly or transitively linked to those ones in argument issues using issue link types in argument issue_link_types. Argument issue_link_types is a comma separated list of issue link type names, or an empty string (" ") for representing all issue link types. |
| transitively Linkedlssues (string issue _link_types, string issue_ keys) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE [ of issues directly or transitively linked to those ones in argument issue_keys using issue link types in argument issue_link_types. Argument issue_link_typ es is a comma separated list of issue link type names, or an empty string (" ") for representing all issue link types. |


| epic() |  | Returns an $\square$ IsSuE [] containing current issue's epic, in case current issue is directly under an epic (e.g., a Story). If current issue is a sub-task, then the epic of its parent issue is returned. If current issue is an epic itself, then current issue is returned. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| epic(issue list issues) | ISSUE [] | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE[] of epic issues under which those issues in argument issues are. If some of those issues are sub-tasks, then the epic of their parent is returned. Duplicated issues in argument issues are discarded. Output can contain duplicated issues. <br> Example: epic(linkedIssues("is blocked by")) retur ns the list of epics of those issues which are blocking current issue. |
| epic(string is sue_keys) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE [ of epic issues under which those issues with keys in issue_keys are. If some of those issues are sub-tasks, the epic of their parent is returned. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. Duplicated issue keys in argument issue_keys are discarded. Output can contain duplicated issues. <br> Example: epic ("CRM-15, HD-21") returns the list of epics under which issues with keys CRM-15 and HD-21 are. |
| issuesUnde rEpic() |  | Returns an $\square$ ISSUE [] containing issues which are directly under current issue's epic (i.e., Stories are included in the output, but their sub-tasks are not). Current issue's epic is obtained using the logic of function epic(). Current issue is included in the output, except if current issue is an epic itself. |
| issuesUnde rEpic(issue list issues) | ISSUE [] | Returns an $\square$ ISSUE[] containing issues which are directly under the epic of issues in argument issues. Duplicated issues are filtered from output. <br> Example: issuesUnderEpic (linkedIssues ("is blocked by") ) returns the list of issues directly under epics of issues blocking current issue. |
| issuesUnde rEpic(string i ssue_keys) | STRING | Returns an $\square$ ISSUE [] containing issues which are directly under the epic of issues with keys in argument issue_ke ys. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. Duplicated issues are filtered from output. <br> Example: issuesUnderEpic ("CRM-15, HD-21") returns the list of issues directly under epic of issues with keys CRM-15 and HD-21. |
| siblinglssue sUnderEpic() |  | Returns an $\square$ ISSUE [] containing issues which are directly under epic of current issue (i.e., Stories are included in the output, but their sub-tasks are not), excluding current issue. Current issue should be an issue directly under an epic, (i.e., it can't be a sub-task or an epic). |
| siblinglssue sUnderEpic( issue list iss ues) | ISSUE [] | Returns an $\square$ issue [] containing issues which are directly under the epic of issues in argument issues, excluding issues in argument issues from the output. Duplicated issues are filtered from output. <br> Example: siblingIssuesUnderEpic (linkedIssues ("is blocked by")) returns the list of issues directly under epics of issues blocking current issue, excluding from the output issues blocking current issue. |
| siblinglssue sUnderEpic string issue_ keys) | STRING | Returns an $\square$ ISSUE [] containing issues which are directly under the epic of issues with keys in argument issue_ke ys, excluding from the output issues with keys in argument issue _keys. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. Duplicated issues are filtered from output. Example: siblingIssuesUnderEpic ("CRM-15, HD-21") returns the list of issues directly under epic of issues with keys $\mathbf{C}$ RM-15 and HD-21, excluding from the output issues with keys $\mathbf{C}$ RM-15 and HD-21. |


| issuesFrom JQL(string jq I_query) | STRING | Returns the ISSUE [ $\square$ resulting of the execution of a JQL query represented by string argument jqI_query. Visibility permissions applied are those of current user. We advice to use this function for performance reasons when the number of issues to be retrieved or filtered is very high (all issues in a project or various projects). Typically you will want to use this function for replacing any current expression using getIssuesFr omProjects() function. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| issuesFrom JQL(string jq I_query, string user_ name) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ ISSUE I resulting of the execution of a JQL query represented by string argument jqI_query. Visibility permissions applied are those of user in argument user_name. We advice to use this function for performance reasons when the number of issues to be retrieved or filtered is very high (all issues in a project or various projects). Typically you will want to use this function for replacing any current expression using getls suesFromProjects() function. |
| filterBylssu eType(issue list issues, string issue_ types) | ISSUE [] | Filters $\square$ ISSUE [] in argument issues, leaving only those issue types appearing in argument issue_types. Argument issue_types is a comma separated list of issue type names. <br> Example: filterByIssueType (subtasks(), "Bug, Improvement, New Feature") returns the list of sub-tasks with issue types Bug, Improvement or New Feature. |
| filterByStat us(issue list i ssues, string status es) | ISSUE [] <br> STRING | Filters $\square$ Issue [] in in argument issues, leaving only those ones in statuses appearing in argument statuses. Argument statuses is a comma separated list of status names. Example: filterByStatus(linkedlssues("is blocked by"), "Open, Reopened, In Progress") returns the list of blocking issues in statuses Open, Reopened or In Progress. |
| filterByStat usCategory( issue list iss ues, string st atus_catego ries) | ISSUE [] | Filters $\square$ ISSUE [] in argument issues, leaving only those ones in statuses with categories in status_categories. Argument status_categories is a comma separated list of status category names. <br> Example: filterByStatusCategory (linkedIssues ("is blocked by"), "New, In Progress") returns the list of blocking issues in statuses with categories New or In Progress. |
| filterByRes olution(issu e list issues, string resolu tions) | ISSUE [] | Filters $\square$ ISSUE [] in argument issues, leaving only those ones with resolutions appearing in argument resolutions. Argument resolutions is a comma separated list of resolution names. If this argument receives an empty string (" ") , the function will return issues with unset field Resolution. Example: filterByResolution(subtasks(), "Won't Fix, Cancelled") returns the list of sub-tasks with resolutions Won't Fix or Cancelled. |
| filterByProj ect(issue list issues, string projec ts) | ISSUE[] | Filters $\square$ in argument issues, leaving only those ones in projects present at argument projects. Argument projects is a comma separated list of project keys. <br> Example: filterByProject (linkedIssues (), "CRM, HR") returns the list of linked issues belonging to projects with keys CRM or HR. |
| filterByProj ectCategory (issue list iss ues, string $p$ roject_cate gories) | ISSUE[] | Filters $\square$ issue [ in argument issues, leaving only those ones in projects with category in project_categories. Argument project_categories is a comma separated list of project category names. <br> Example: filterByProjectCategory (linkedIssues (), "Development, Production") returns the list of linked issues belonging to projects in categories keys Development or Production. |
| filterByField Value(issue list issues, numeric field field, comparison operator ope rator, number n) | ISSUE [] NUMBER | Filters $\square$ ISSUE [] in argument issues, leaving only those issues where logical predicate formed by arguments field operator $\mathbf{n}$ is evaluated as true. Available comparison operators are $=, \quad!=,<,<=,>$ and $>=$. Argument field has format $\{. .$. somefield\}. <br> Example: filterByFieldValue (subtasks(), \{00079\}, <br> >, 1) returns sub-tasks with more than one Affects Version/s. |


| filterByField Value(issue list issues, string field fi eld, comparison operator ope rator, string s ) | ISSUE [] <br> STRING | Filters $\square$ ISSUE [] in argument issues, leaving only those issues where logical predicate formed by arguments field operator $\mathbf{s}$ is evaluated as true. Available comparison operators are $=,!=,<,<=,>,>=, ~ \sim, ~!\sim, ~ i n ~ a n d ~ n o t ~ i n . ~ C a s e ~$ ignoring operators are also available: =~, ! =~~, ~~, ! ~~, in~ and not in~ . Argument field has format \%\{...somefield\} for string fields, or \%\{...somefield.i\} for cascading select fields. Example: filterByFieldValue (linkedIssues (), \% \{... components\}, ~, "Web") returns linked issues with component "Web". |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| filterByCard inality(issue list I, comparison operator ope rator, number $\mathbf{n}$ ) | ISSUE [] NUMBER | Returns $\square$ ISSUE [] in I whose cardinality (i.e., the number of times it appears in list I) satisfies the comparison cardinality operator n . Available comparison operators: $=$, ! $=,<,<=,>$ and $>=$. <br> Example: filterByCardinality (linkedIssues (), >, <br> 1) returns a list with all issues linked to current issue with 2 or more issue links. |
| append(issu e list I, issue list $\mathbf{m}$ ) | ISSUE [] | Returns $\square$ Issue [] with all issues in arguments I and $\mathbf{m}$ . Duplicated issues may appear in output. Use function union(I, m) instead, if you want to avoid repetitions. <br> Example: append(linkedIssues ("is blocked by"), subtasks ()) returns the list blocking issues plus sub-tasks. If a sub-task is also linked with issue link type "is blocked by", it will appear twice in the output list. |
| union(issue <br> list I, issue list $\mathbf{m}$ ) | ISSUE [] | Returns $\square$ ISSUE [] with all issues in argument I or in argument $\mathbf{m}$ without duplicated issues. <br> Example: union(linkedIssues(), subtasks()) returns the list of linked issues and sub-tasks of current issue, without issue repetitions. |
| except(issue <br> list I, issue list $\mathbf{m}$ ) | ISSUE [] | Returns $\square$ ISSUE [] with all issues in argument I which are not in argument $\mathbf{m}$. Duplicated issues in I may appear in output. Use function distinct() to remove them if you need to. Example: except (linkedIssues (), subtasks ()) returns the list of linked issues removing those which are also sub-tasks of current issue. |
| intersect(iss ue list I, issue list m) | ISSUE [] | Returns $\square$ issue [] with all issues in argument I and $\mathbf{m}$ simultaneously. <br> Example: intersect (linkedIssues(), subtasks()) returns the list of linked issues which are also sub-tasks of current issue. |
| distinct(issu e list I) | ISSUE [] | Returns $\square$ ISSUE [] with all issues in list I without any duplication. <br> Example: distinct (linkedIssues ()) returns the list of linked issues, with only one occurrence per issue, although an issue may be linked with more than one issue link type. |
| fieldValue(st ring field field , issue list is sues) | STRING | Returns the STRING [] of string values stored in argument field in those issues in argument issues. Argument field has format \%\{...somefield\}, or \%\{...somefield.i\} for cascading select fields. The number of values in output is the number of issues in argument issues with field set, except for multi-valued fields, for which a value is returned for each selected value in the field. Multi-valued fields are fields of types Multi Select, Checkboxes, Components, Versions, Multi User Picker, Multi Group Picker, Issue Pickers, Attachments and Labels. <br> Example: fieldValue (\% \{...reporter\}, subtasks()) returns the list of reporter users of sub-tasks. |
| fieldValue( n umeric field $\mathbf{f}$ ield, issue list issues) | NUMBER | Returns the $\square$ number [] of numeric values stored in argument field in those issues in argument issues. Argument fie Id has format \{...somefield\}. The number of values in output is the number of issues in argument issues with field set. Example: fieldValue(\{...duedate\}, subtasks()) returns the list of Due Dates of sub-tasks. |


| textOnIssue <br> List(issue <br> list issues, <br> string text_e <br> xpression) | ISSUE [] | Returns a string [] resulting of evaluating text_expre ssion against each of the issues in argument issues. Argument text_expression is an expression that returns a string, where references to field values of issues in argument issues are done with prefix $\wedge$ before field code, e.g., $\wedge \%\{$...summary is field code for Summary in each of the issues in argument issues. Example: textOnIssueList (subtasks(), ^\% \{... assignee $\}=\wedge \%\{. .$. reporter $\}$ ? ^ः \{....Issuekey \} : null) returns the issue keys of sub-tasks with same user as reporter and as assignee. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| mathOnissu eList(issue list issues, number mat h_time_exp ression) | ISSUE [] <br> NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ number [] resulting of evaluating math_time expression against each of the issues in argument issues. Argument math_time_expression is a math/time expression, where references to field values of issues in argument issues are done with prefix ^ before field code, e.g., ^\{...duedate $\}$ is field code for Due date in each of the issues in argument issues <br> Example: mathonIssueList (linkedIssues ("is blocked by"), (^\{...duedate\} != null ? ^\{... <br>  list of numbers with the number of days from issue creation to due date for all issues linked using "is blocked by" issue link type. |
| numberOfR emotelssue Links(string issue_link_t ypes) | STRING | Returns the number $\square$ of issue links to other Jira instances using any of the issue link types in argument issue_lin k_types. Argument issue_link_types is a comma separated list of issue link type names, or empty string (" ") for representing all issue link types. |
| count(issue list I) | ISSUE [] | Returns the $\square$ number of issues in I . <br> Example: count (filterByResolution (linkedIssues ("is blocked by"), "")) returns the number of nonresolved blocking issues. |
| getIssuesFr omProjects( string projec ts) | STRING | Returns an $\square$ issue [] with all issues of projects in argument projects. Argument projects is a string containing a comma separated list of project keys or project names. <br> Example: getIssuesFromProjects ("CRM, HT") returns all issues in project CRM and HT. <br> This function can make your expression run slowly due to the high number of issues retrieved and needing to be filtered. Using issuesFromJQL() for retrieving and filtering issues will make your expression run much faster. |
| first(issue list I) | ISSUE [] | Returns an ISSUE I] $\square$ with the first element in issue list $\mathbf{I}$, or an empty list if I is an empty list. |
| last(issue list I) | ISSUE [] | Returns an $\square$ ISSUE [] with the last element in issue list I , or an empty list if I is an empty list. |
| nthElement( issue list I, number $\mathbf{n}$ ) | ISSUE [] <br> NUMBER | Returns an $\square$ issue [] with the element at position $\mathbf{n}$ in issue list $\mathbf{I}$, where $\mathbf{n}>=\mathbf{1}$ and $\mathbf{n}<=$ count(I). Returns an empty list if $\mathbf{n}$ is greater than the number of elements in $\mathbf{I}$. |
| sublist(issue list I, number inde xFrom, number inde $\mathbf{x T o}$ ) | NUMBER | Returns an $\square$ issue [] with elements in I from indexFro $m$ index to indexTo index. Having indexFrom $>=1$ and indexFr om <= count $(\mathrm{I})$ and indexTo $>=1$ and indexTo <= count $(\mathrm{I})$ and indexFrom <= indexTo. |
| indexOf(stri ng issue_key issue list I) | STRING | Returns the index nUMBER $\square$ in issue list I of issue with key issue_key. Zero is returned when issue is not found in $\mathbf{I}$. |
| indexOf(issu <br> e list element issue list I) | ISSUE [] | Returns the index $\square$ number in issue list I of first issue in element. Zero is returned when first issue in element is not found in I. |


| sort(issue list I, field field order) | ISSUE [] | Returns an Issue [] $\square$ with elements in I ordered according to values of field. Argument field has format \{... somefield\} for numeric and date-time fields, \%\{...somefield\} for string fields, or \%\{...somefield.i\} for cascading select fields. Available orders are ASC (for ascending order) and DESC (for descending order). <br> Example: sort (linkedIssues("is blocked by"), \{... duedate\}, ASC) returns the list of issues blocking current issue, sorted in ascending order by Due date. |
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## Examples

| Input | Output |
| :--- | :--- |
| subtasks () | Returns the list of sub-tasks of the current issue. |
| linkedIssues ("is blocked by, <br> is caused by") | Returns the list of issues linked to current one through <br> issue link types "is blocked by" and "is caused by". |
| filterByIssueType <br> (linkedIssues (), "Bug, <br> Incident") | Returns the list of linked issues with issue type "Bug" or " <br> Incident". |
| filterByPredicate <br> (siblingSubtasks(), \%f... <br> resolution\} != null) | Returns the list of sibling sub-tasks (i.e., sub-tasks of <br> same parent as current sub-task) which are not <br> resolved. |

## Number lists

## Overview

The Number list data type is an ordered list of numbers. This data type is returned, among others, by functions that return values of number fields in a selection of issues (linked issues, sub-tasks, and subs ets).

## Fixed values

A number list can also be written in literal form using the following format: [number, number, ...].

```
(i) Example
    A number list with 5 elements:[1, -2, 3, 3.14, 2.71]
```


## Number list functions

The following functions are intended to build expressions that return number lists or numbers.

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| filterByCardinality (number list I, comparison operator operator , number n) | NUMBER [] <br> NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ number [] I whose cardinality (i.e., the number of times it appears in list I) satisfies the comparison cardinality operator $\mathbf{n}$. Available comparison operators: $=, \quad!=,<,<=,>$ and $>=$. <br> Example: filterByCardinality([1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 4, 5], >, 1) returns the following number list: [1, 4] |
| filterByValue(nu <br> mber list I, comparison operator operator , number n) | NUMBER [] <br> NUMBER | Returns a $\square$ number [] I satisfying the comparison number_in_list operator $\mathbf{n}$. <br> Example: filterByValue ([1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 25, 100], >, 10) returns the list of numbers greater than 10. i.e., $[11,25,100]$ |


| filterByPredicate( <br> number list I, boolean expression predic ate) | NUMBER [] <br> BOOLEAN | Returns a $\square$ number [] I that validates a predicate. Argument predicate is a boolean expression, where $\wedge$ is used for referencing numeric values in argument I. <br> Example: filterByPredicate ([1, 2, 3, 4], ^ > <br> 2) returns values greater than 2, i.e., [3, 4] . <br> Example: filterByPredicate ([1, 2, 3, 4], <br> remainder (^, 2) $=0$ ) returns even values, i.e., [2, 4]. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| append(number list I, number list $\mathbf{m}$ ) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ nUMBER[] with all numbers in arguments I and $\mathbf{m}$. Duplicated numbers may appear in output. Use function union(I, $\mathbf{m}$ ) instead, if you want to avoid repetitions. <br> Example: append ([1, 2, 3], [3, 4, 5]) returns [1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 5] . <br> Example: append (fieldvalue ( $\{00025\}$, <br> linkedIssues("is blocked by")), fieldValue ( $\{00025$ \}, subtasks ()) ) returns a list of numbers with Total Time Spent (in minutes) in blocking issues and sub-tasks. This number list can be summed using function sum(). |
| union(number list I , number list m) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ number [] with all numbers in argument $I$ or in argument $\mathbf{m}$ without duplicated numbers. Example: union ([1, 2, 3], [3, 4, 5]) returns [1, 2, 3, 4, 5] . |
| except(number list I, number list m ) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ NUMBER[] with all numbers in argument I which are not in argument $\mathbf{m}$. Duplicated numbers in I may appear in output. Use function distinct() to remove them if you need to. <br> Example: except ([1, 2, 3, 4, 5], [2, 4]) returns $[1,3,5]$. |
| intersect(number list I, number list $\mathbf{m}$ ) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ nUMBER[] with all numbers in argument $\mathbf{I}$ and $\mathbf{m}$ simultaneously. <br> Example: intersect ([1, 2, 3, 4, 5], [9, 7, $5,3,1])$ returns $[1,3,5]$. |
| distinct(number list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ number [] with all numbers in list I with out any duplication. <br> Example: distinct ([1, 2, 1, 3, 4, 4, 5]) returns [1, 2, 3, 4, 5] . <br> Example: distinct (fieldValue ( $\{$. . .duedate\}, linkedIssues("is cloned by"))) returns a list of dates containing due dates of cloning issues, with only one occurrence per due date, although more than one issue may share the same due date. |
| count(number list I ) | NUMBER [] | Returns the $\square$ number of numeric values in $\mathbf{I}$. <br> Example: count ([1, 1, 2, 2]) returns 4 . <br> Example: count (subtasks()) - count (fieldValue (\{...duedate\}, subtasks())) returns the number of sub-tasks with field "Due Date" unset. |
| count(number $\mathbf{n}$, number list I) | NUMBER | Returns the number $\square$ of times $\mathbf{n}$ appears in $\mathbf{I}$. Example: count (1, [1, 1, 2, 2, 1, 0]) returns 3 . |
| sum(number list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns the sum of $\square$ number values in I. <br> Example: sum ([1, 2, 3, 4, 5]) returns 15. <br> Example: sum (fieldValue (\{00025\}, subtasks())) returns the total time spent in minutes in all sub-tasks of current issue. |
| avg(number list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns the arithmetic mean of $\square$ values in $I$. <br> Example: avg ([1, 2, 3, 4, 5]) returns 3. <br> Example: avg (fieldValue (\{00024\}, linkedIssues ("is blocked by"))) returns the mean of remaining times in minutes among blocking issues. |


| max(number list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns the maximum number value in I. $\square$ <br> Example: $\max ([1,2,5,4,3])$ returns 5. <br> Example: max (fieldValue(\{00024\}, linkedIssues ("is blocked by"))) returns the maximum remaining times in minutes among blocking issues. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{m i n}($ number list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns the minimum $\square$ number value in $I$. <br> Example: $\min ([2,1,5,4,3])$ returns 1. <br> Example: min(fieldValue (\{00024\}, linkedIssues ("is blocked by"))) returns the minimum remaining times in minutes among blocking issues. |
| first(number list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns $\square$ number of the first element in number list $\mathbf{I}$, or null if I is an empty list. <br> Example: first ([3, 2, 1, 0]) returns 3. |
| last(number list I) | NUMBER [] | Returns $\square$ number of the first element in number list $\mathbf{I}$, or null if $\mathbf{I}$ is an empty list. <br> Example: last ([3, 2, 1, 0]) returns 0. |
| nthElement(num ber list $\mathbf{I}$, number $\mathbf{n}$ ) | NUMBER [] | Returns $\square$ number element at position $\mathbf{n}$ in number list I , where $\mathbf{n}>=\mathbf{1}$ and $\mathbf{n}<=\operatorname{count}(\mathrm{I})$. Returns null if n is greater than the number of elements in I . <br> Example: nthElement ([5, 6, 7, 8], 3) returns 7. |
| getMatchingValue (string key, string list key_list, number list value _list) | STRING <br> NUMBER [] <br> String [] | Returns $\square$ number in value_list that is in the same position as string key is in key_list, or in case key doesn't exist in key_list and value_list has more elements than key_list, the element of value_list in position count (key_list) + 1 . <br> Example: getMatchingValue("Three", ["One", "Two", "Three", "Four", "Five"], [1, 1+1, 3*1, 4, 4+1]) returns 3 . |
| getMatchingValue (string key, string list key_list, number list value _list) | NUMBER [] String [] | Returns $\square$ number value in value_list that is in the same position as numeric key is in key_list, or in case key doesn't exist in key_list and value_list has more elements than key_list, the element of value_list in position count (key_list) + 1 . <br> Example: getMatchingValue (5, [1, 3, 5, 7, 9], $[1,1+1,3 * 1,4,4+1]$ ) returns 3 . |
| sublist(number list I, number inde xFrom, number in dexTo) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ with elements in I from inde xFrom index to indexTo index. Having indexFrom >=1 and indexFrom <= count(I) and indexTo >= 1 and indexTo <= count(I) and indexFrom <= indexTo. Example: sublist ([1, 2, 3, 4, 5], 2, 4) returns [2, 3, 4]. |
| indexOf(number e lement, number list I) | NUMBER | Returns the index of $\square$ number value element in number list I. Zero is returned when element is not found in Example: indexOf (1, [5, 2, 1, 4, 1]) returns 3. |
| sort(number list I, order) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ with elements in I sorted in specified order. Available orders are ASC (for ascending order) and DESC (for descending order). <br> Example: sort ([2, 4, 3, 1], ASC) returns [1, 2, 3, 4]. |
| textOnNumberLi st(number list nu mbers, string text _expression) | NUMBER [] <br> STRING | Returns a string [] resulting of evaluating text_ expression against each of the numeric values in argument numbers. Argument text_expression is an expression that returns a string, where ${ }^{\wedge}$ represents each numeric value in argument numbers. <br> Example: textOnNumberList ([1, 2, 3, 4, 5], substring("smile", 0, ^)) returns string list ["s", "sm", "smi", "smil", "smile"]. |


| mathOnNumberL ist(number list nu mbers, number $\mathbf{m}$ ath_time_expres sion) | NUMBER [] | Returns a $\square$ NUMBER [] resulting of evaluating math _time_expression against each of the numeric values in argument numbers. Argument math_time_expression is a math/time expression, where ^ represents each numeric value in argument numbers. <br> Example: mathOnNumberList ([1, 2, 3, 4, 5], ^ * 2) returns number list [2, 4, 6, 8, 10]. |  |  |
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## String lists

## Overview

The String list data type is an ordered list of strings. This data type is returned, among others, by functions that return values of string fields in a selection of issues (linked issues, sub-tasks, and subsets ).

## Fixed values

A string list can also be written in literal form using the following format: [string, string, ...].

```
(i) Example
    A number list with 5 elements: ["Blue", "Green", "Yellow", "Orange", "Red"]
```


## String list functions

The following functions are intended to build expressions that return string lists, strings or numbers.

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| filterByCardinality (string list I, comparison operator operator, number n) | STRING [] <br> NUMBER | Returns a string [ in I whose cardinality (i. <br> e., the number of times it appears in list I) satisfies the comparison cardinality operator n. Available <br> comparison operators: $=,!=,<,<=,>$ and $>=$. <br> Example: filterByCardinality (["tiger", <br> "tiger", "tiger", "tiger", "lion", <br> "lion", "lion", "cat", "cat", "lynx"], <, <br> 3) returns ["cat", "lynx"]. <br> Example: filterByCardinality (fieldValue (\% <br> \{...components\}, subtasks()), =, count (subtasks ()) ) returns a list with the Components present in all sub-tasks, i.e., those components common to all sub-tasks of current issue. |
| filterByValue (string list I, comparison operator operator, string s) | STRING[] <br> STRING | Returns a $\quad$ stRing $[\quad$ in I satisfying the comparison string_in_list operator s. Example: filterByValue (["John", "Robert", "Kevin", "Mark"], $\sim, ~ " r ") ~ r e t u r n s ~ t h e ~ l i s t ~ o f ~$ string containing substring "r". i.e., [ "Robert", "Mark"] |


| filterByPredicate(str ing list I, boolean expression predicate ) | STRING[] <br> bOOLEAN | Returns a STRING [ in I that validate predicate <br> Argument predicate is a boolean expression, where $\wedge \%$ is used for referencing string values in argument $I$. <br> Example: filterByPredicate (["book", <br> "rose", "sword"], length(^\%) > 4) returns ["s word"]. <br> Example: filterByPredicate (["book", "rose", "sword"], ^\% in \%\{...summary\} OR $0 \%$ in \% (. . .description\}) returns a list with those strings in first argument that also appear in issue Summ ary or Description. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| append(string list I, string list m) | STRING [] | Returns a STRINGG with all strings in arguments I and $\mathbf{m}$. Duplicated string may appear in output. Use function union(l, m) instead, if you want to avoid repetitions. Example: append (["blue", "red", "green"], ["red", "green", "yellow"]) returns ["blue", "red", "green", "red", "green", "yellow"]. Example: append (fieldValue (\%\{... fixVersions\}, subtasks ()), fieldValue (\% \{...fixVersions \}, linkedIssues ("is blocked by"))) returns a string list with Fix Version /s of sub-tasks and blocking issues. |
| union(string list I, string list m) | StRing [] | Returns a StRING [] with all strings in argument I or in argument $\mathbf{m}$ without duplicated strings. Example: union(["blue", "red", "green"], ["red", "green", "yellow"]) returns ["blue", "red", "green", "yellow"]. <br> Example: union (fieldValue (\% f . . . <br> fixVersions\}, subtasks()), fieldValue (\% \{...fixVersions\}, linkedIssues())) returns the list of Fix Version/s selected among all sub-tasks and linked issues. |
| except(string list I, string list m) | STRING [] | Returns a string [] with all strings in argument I which are not in argument $\mathbf{m}$. Duplicated strings in I may appear in output. Use function distinct() to remove them if you need to. <br> Example: except (["blue", "red", "green", <br> "black"], ["red", "green", "yellow"]) return <br> s ["blue", "black"]. <br> Example: except (fieldValue (\% \{ . . . <br> fixVersions\}, subtasks()), fieldValue (\% <br> \{...fixVersions\}, linkedIssues())) returns the list of Fix Version/s in sub-tasks and not in linked issues. |
| intersect(string list I, string list m) | STRING [] | Returns a string I with all strings in argument $\mathbf{I}$ and $\mathbf{m}$ simultaneously. <br> Example: intersect(["blue", "red", "green", "black"], ["red", "green", "yellow"]) returns ["red", "green"]. Example: union (fieldValue (\% \& . . . fixVersions\}, subtasks()), fieldValue(\% \{...fixVersions\}, linkedIssues())) returns the list of Fix Version/s common to sub-tasks and linked issues. |
| distinct(string list I) | STRING [] | Returns a $\square$ String [ with all strings in list I without any duplication. <br> Example: distinct(["blue", "green", "yellow", "blue", "yellow"]) returns ["blue", "green", "yellow"]. <br> Example: distinct (fieldValue (\% \{ . . . assignee\}, subtasks())) returns the list of assignees to sub-tasks, with only one occurrence per user, although a user may have more than one sub-task assigned. |


| count(string list I) | STRING [] | Returns the $\square$ number of string values in I . Example: count (["blue", "red", "blue", "black"]) returns 4. <br> Example: count (distinct (fieldValue (\% f . . . components\}, subtasks())) returns the number of Components selected among all sub-tasks. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| count(string s, string list I) | String String [] | Returns the $\quad$ NUMBER of times s appears in I. Example: count ("blue", ["blue", "blue", "red", "red", "blue", "green"]) returns 3. |
| first(string list I) | STRING [] | Returns the first element in STRING $\square$ list I, or null if I is an empty list. <br> Example: first(["blue", "red", "green"]) retu rns "blue". |
| last(string list I) | STRING [] | Returns the first element in $\square$ list I, or null if I is an empty list. <br> Example: last(["blue", "red", "green"]) retur ns "green". |
| nthElement(string list I, number n) | STRING [] <br> NUMBER | Returns element at position $\mathbf{n}$ in $\square$ STRING list I , where $\mathbf{n}>=\mathbf{1}$ and $\mathbf{n}<=\operatorname{count}(\mathbf{I})$. Returns null if $\mathbf{n}$ is greater than the number of elements in $\mathbf{I}$. Example: nthElement (["blue", "red", "green"], <br> 2) returns "red". |
| getMatchingValue(s tring key, string list $\mathbf{k}$ ey_list, string list val ue_list) | StRING String [] | Returns $\square$ string value in value_list that is in the same position as string key is in key_list, or in case key doesn't exist in key_list and value_list has more elements than key_list, the element of value_list in position count (key_list) + 1 . <br> Example: getMatchingValue ("Spain", ["USA", "UK", "France", "Spain", "Germany"], ["Washington", "London", "Paris", "Madrid", "Berlin"]) returns "Madrid". |
| getMatchingValue(s tring key, string list $\mathbf{k}$ ey_list, string list val ue_list) | StRing StRing [] | Returns $\square$ string value in value_list that is in the same position as numeric key is in key_list, or in case key doesn't exist in key_list and value_list has more elements than key_list, the element of value_list in position count (key_list) +1 . <br> Example: getMatchingValue (8, [2, 4, 6, 8, 10], ["Washington", "London", "Paris", "Madrid", "Berlin"]) returns "Madrid". |
| sublist(string list I, number indexFrom, number indexTo) | STRING [ <br> NUMBER | Returns a string [ with elements in I from in dexFrom index to indexTo index. Having indexFrom >= 1 and indexFrom <= count(I) and indexTo >= 1 and indexTo <= count( I ) and indexFrom <= indexTo. <br> Example: sublist(["red", "green", "blue", "purple", "white"], 2, 4) returns ["green", "blue", "purple"]. |
| index Of (string elem ent, string list I) | STRING | Returns the index number $\square$ of string element in string list I. Zero is returned when element is not found in I. <br> Example: indexOf("blue", ["red", "blue", "green" $]$ ) returns 2. |
| sort(string list I, order) | STRING [] | Returns a stRing [ $\quad$ with elements in I lexicographically ordered. Available orders are ASC (for ascending order) and DESC (for descending order). Example: sort (["red", "blue", "green"], ASC) returns ["blue", "green", "red"]. |


| textOnStringList(str ing list strings, string text_expressi on) | STRING [] | Returns a string [ resulting of evaluating tex t_expression against each of the strings in argument str ings. Argument text_expression is an expression that returns a string, where $\wedge \%$ represents each string in argument strings. <br> Example: textOnStringList (["albert", "riCHard", "MARY"], capitalizeWordsFully (^) ) returns ["Albert", "Richard", "Mary"]. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| mathOnStringList(s tring list strings, number math_time_ expression) | STRING [] | Returns a $\square$ number [] resulting of evaluating ma th_time_expression against each of the issues in argument issues. Argument math_time_expression is a math/time expression, where $\wedge \%$ represents each string in argument strings. <br> Example: mathonStringList(["a", "ab", <br> "abc", "abcd", "abcde"], length(^\%)) returns [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]. |

## Examples

| Input | Output |
| :--- | :--- |
| ["red", "blue", "green"] | A string list with the names of 3 colors |
| fieldValue (\%\{ . . summary\}, <br> subtasks ()) | Returns the list of summaries of sub-tasks of the <br> current issue |
| toStringList (\% \{ . . components\}) | Returns a list with the names of the components <br> of the current issue. |
| distinct (toStringList (toString <br> (fieldValue (\%\{...components \}, <br> subtasks())), ", ")) | Returns a string list with all the components <br> present in the sub-tasks of the current issue witho <br> ut duplicates. |

## List operators

## General Information

There are three different data types that return lists. i.e., types that are based on lists, or ordered collections of elements.

These data types are:

- Issue lists
- Number lists NUMBER[]
- String lists String []


## List Operators

There are four available operators for working on list-based data types:

| Operator | Behavior | Examples |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \| APPEND m | Returns a list with elements in I followed by elements in $\mathbf{m}$, therefore the number of elements is the sum of the number of elements in I and m. <br> Order is respected. It may contain repeated elements. | ```[1, 2, 3] APPEND [3, 4, 4] = [1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4] ["blue", "red", "red"] APPEND ["red", "green"] = ["blue", "red", "red", "red", "green"]``` <br> subtasks() UNION subtasks() ret urns a list containing twice all the subtasks of current issue. |


| I UNION m | Returns a list with elements in I and elements m without repetitions. <br> Order is respected. | $[1,2,3]$ UNION $[3,4,4]=$ $[1,2,3,4]$ <br> ["blue", "red", "red"] UNION ["red", "green"] = ["blue", "red", "green"] <br> linkedIssues() UNION subtasks () returns a list with linked issues and sub-tasks of current issue without repetitions. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| I INTERSE Ст m | Returns a list with the elements present in both lists simultaneously. Returned list doesn't contain element repetitions. Order is respected. | ```[1, 1, 2, 3] INTERSECT [1, 3, 5] = [1, 3] ["red", "blue", "blue"] INTERSECT ["blue", "yellow", "yellow"] = ["blue"] linkedIssues() INTERSECT subtasks() returns a list with those sub-tasks which are also linked to current issue.``` |
| I EXCEPT m | Returns a list with elements in I which are not present in list $\mathbf{m}$. Returned list doesn't contain element repetitions. Order is respected. | [1, 2, 2, 3, 3] EXCEPT [2, <br> $5,6]=[1,3]$ <br> ["red", "red", "blue", <br> "blue", "green"] EXCEPT <br> ["blue", "yellow"] = ["red", <br> "green"] <br> linkedIssues() EXCEPT <br> subtasks () returns a list with linked issues which are not sub-tasks of current issue. |

- I and $\mathbf{m}$ are both lists of the same data type: number, string or issues.
- All operators are case insensitive, i.e., they can also be written in lower case: append , union, intersect and except.
- There are 4 equivalent and homonym functions available for each type of list, and its behavior is exactly equivalent to that of its corresponding operator. This way, you can choose to use operators or functions according to your preference. Although operators yield shorter expressions and with fewer parentheses, the usage of functions produces a more functional consistent syntax

Precedence Order and Associativity

| OPERATORS | PRECEDENCE | ASSOCIATIVITY |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| I INTERSECT m | 1 (highest) | Left-to-Right |
| I UNION m, I EXCEPT m, I APPEND m | 2 (lowest) | Left-to-Right |

## Selectable fields

## Overview

Selectable fields are fields with a limited domain or set of options or possible values.
These fields includes:

- Select
- Multi Select
- Radio Button
- Security Level
- Checkboxes
- Components
- Versions
- Multi User Picker
- Multi Group Picker
- Issue Pickers
- Attachments
- Labels


## Available functions

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| numberOfSele ctedltems(\%\{… somefield\}) : number | FIELD | Returns the $\square$ number of selected items in select or multiselect field with field code \%\{...somefield\}. |
| numberOfAvai lableltems(\% <br> \{...somefield\}) : <br> number | FIELD | Returns the $\square$ nUMBER of available options in select or multiselect field with field code \%\{...somefield\}. It's equivalent to count (availableItems (\% \{ . . . somefield\})) . Disabled options are discarded. |
| availableltems (\%\{... <br> somefield\}) : <br> string list | FIELD | Returns a string [] with available options in select or multiselect field with field code \%\{...somefield\}. Disabled options are discarded. <br> Example: availableItems (\% \{00103\}) returns a string list with all security levels available for the project and current user. |
| availableltems( \%\{... <br> somefield\}, <br> string option) : <br> string list <br> 0 | FIELD | Returns a string lu with all available child options in cascading or multilevel cascading field with ID \%\{... somefield\}, and for option parent option. In the case of multilevel cascading fields, a comma separated list of options should be entered. Disabled options are discarded. |
| allAvailablelte ms(\%\{... somefield\}) : string list | FIELD | Returns a string [] with all available options in select or multiselect field with field code \%\{...somefield\}. Disabled options are included. <br> Example: availableItems (\% 000103$\}$ ) returns a string list with all security levels available for the project and current user. |
| allAvailablelte ms(\%\{... somefield\}, string option) : string list | FIELD | Returns a stringl with all available child options in cascading or multilevel cascading field with ID \%\{... somefield\}, and for option parent option. In the case of multilevel cascading fields, a comma separated list of options should be entered. Disabled options are included. |

## Users, groups and roles

## Overview

The expression parser offers multiple functions to manage user-, group- and role-related information.

## Available functions

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |


| isInGroup(stri ng user_name , string group_ name) | STRING | Checks if a user is in a group. <br> Argument user_name can also be a comma separated list of user names, group names or role names. In that case the function will return true only if all users in the list, groups of the list, and in the roles of the list, are in the group in the second argume\{nt. <br> (i) Example <br> isInGroup (\%\{....assignee\}, "jiradevelopers") returns true if Assignee in in group jira-developers. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| isInRole(string user_name, string role_na me) | STRING | Checks if a user or group of users plays a role in current project. <br> boolean <br> Argument user_name can also be a comma separated list of user names, group names or role names. In that case the function will return true only if all users in the list, groups of the list, and in the roles of the list, are in project role in the second argument, for current project. <br> (i) Example <br> isInRole (\%\{...reporter\}, "Testers") retu rns true in Reporter is in project role Testers. |
| isInRole(string user_name, string role_na me, string proj ect_key) | STRING | Checks if a user or group of users plays a role in a certain project. <br> boolean <br> Argument user_name can also be a comma separated list of user names, group names or role names. In that case the function will return true only if all users in the list, groups of the list, and in the roles of the list, are in role in the second argument, for the project in the third argument. <br> (i) Example <br> isInRole (\% $\{$. . . currentUser $\}$, <br> "Developers", "CRM") returns true in Current user is in project role Developers in project with key "CRM". |
| isActive(string user_name) | STRING | Checks if a user is active. <br> BOOLEAN <br> Argument user_name can also be a comma separated list of user names, group names or role names. In that case the function will return true only if all users in the list, groups of the list, and in the roles of the list, are active. <br> (i) Example <br> isActive (\% \{ . . . componentLeads \}) returns true if all users who are component leaders in current project are active. |


| userFullName (string user_n ame) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ string with the full name of the user in argument user_name. <br> Argument user_name is a string with a user name, not to be confused with user full name. <br> (i) Example userFullName (\% \{ . . .currentUser\}) returns the user's full name of current user. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| userFullName (string list user names) | STRING [] | Returns a string [] with the full names of the users in argument user_names. <br> Argument user_names is a string list with user names, not to be confused with users full names. <br> (i) Example <br> userFullName (toStringList (\% \{ . . . watchers \}) ) returns a list with the users full names of current issue's watchers. |
| userEmail(stri ng user_name) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ string with the email of the user in argument user_name. <br> Argument user_name is a string with a user name, not to be confused with user full name. <br> (i) Example <br> userEmail (\% \{ . . . currentUser\}) returns the email of current user. |
| userEmail(stri ng list user_na mes) | STRING [] | Returns a $\square$ STRING[] with the emails of the users in argument user_names. <br> Argument user_names is a string list with a user names, not to be confused with users full names. <br> (i) Example <br> userEmail (toStringList (\% \{ . . . watchers\} )) returns a list with the emails of current issue's watchers. |
| fullNameToUs er(string fullNa me) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ string with the name of a user whose full name is equal to argument fullName. <br> Returned value is a string with a user name. |
| usersWithEm <br> ail(string email) | STRING | Returns a stringa with the user names of those users with emails equal to argument email. <br> In case that only one user is expected, function first(string list) can be used to extract a string with its user name. |
| userProperty( string property Name, string u serName) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ string value of the user property with name propertyName which belongs to user with user name userName. <br> If the user doesn't have the property, " " will be returned. |


| userProperty( string property Name, string list userNames ) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ StRing [] of values of the user property with name propertyName in all the users whose names are contained in userNames. <br> The output will contain as many strings as users have the property set. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| usersInRole(st ring projectRo leName) | STRING | Returns the string I of user names (not be confused with full user name) of those active users playing project role with name projectRoleName in current issue's project. Parameter projectRoleName can be a comma separated list of project role names, returning the users that play any of the project roles. |
| usersInRole(st ring projectRo leName, string projectKey) | STRING | Equivalent to the previous function that returns a string [] with extra argument projectKey for selecting the project argument projectRoleName refers to. |
| usersInGroup (string groupN ame) | STRING | Returns theSTRING $[$ <br> active users in group with name groupName. <br> Parameter groupName can be a comma separated list of <br> group names, returning the users that belong to any of the <br> groups. |
| rolesUserPlays (string userNa me ) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ string [ of role names of those project roles the user with name userName plays in current project. <br> Parameter userName can also be a comma separated list of $\mathbf{u}$ ser names, group names and project role names, returning the list of project roles for those users represented by input argument. |
| rolesUserPlays (string userNa me, string proj ectKey) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ STRING[ of role names of those project roles the user with name userName plays in project with key projectKey. <br> Parameter userName can also be a comma separated list of $\mathbf{u}$ ser names, group names and project role names, returning the list of project roles for those users represented by input argument. |
| groupsUserB elongsTo(strin g userName) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ STRING [] of group names of those groups the user with name userName belongs to. <br> Parameter userName can also be a comma separated list of $\mathbf{u}$ ser names, group names and project role names, returning the list of project roles for those users represented by input argument. |
| defaultUserFo rRole(string pr ojectRoleName ) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ STRING of the user name of the Assi gn to project role project role with name projectRoleName in current issue's project, or " " if no default user is defined for the project role. |
| defaultUserFo rRole(string pr ojectRoleName string project Key) | STRING | Equivalent to the previous StRing $\square$ function but with extra argument projectKey for selecting the project argument projectRoleName refers to. |
| lastAssigneel nRole(string pr ojectRoleName ) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ STRING of user name of the last user who had current issue assigned, and currently plays project role with name projectRoleName in current issue's project, or " " if current issue was never assigned to a user currently in the project role. |
| lastAssigneel nRole(string pr ojectRoleName , string issueK ey) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ STRING of user name of the last user who had issue with key issueKey assigned, and currently plays project role with name projectRoleName in current issue's project, or null if current issue was never assigned to a user currently in the project role. |


| leastBusyUse rlnRole(string projectRoleNa me) | STRING | Returns the name of the active user playing project role with name projectRoleName in current issue's project, and has the lower number of issues with resolution empty assigned; or " " if there isn't any user in the project role. Parameter project RoleName can be a comma separated list of project role names, returning the least busy users among the project roles. <br> (i) Example <br> leastBusyUserInRole("Developers") return s the $\square$ STRING user playing role Develop ers in current project with the least number of unresolved issues in all the Jira instance assigned. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| leastBusyUse rlnRole(string projectRoleNa me, string proj ectKey) | STRING | Equivalent to the previous function but with extra argument pr ojectKey for selecting the project argument projectRoleName refers to. <br> Example: leastBusyUserInRole ("Developers", "CRM") returns $\square$ string of the user playing role D evelopers in project with key CRM with the least number of unresolved issues in all the Jira instance assigned. |
| leastBusyUse rlnRole(string projectRoleNa me, string proj ectKey, string j qIQuery) | STRING | Equivalent to the previous function but with extra argument jqI Query, used for restricting the issues to be considered to pick the least busy user as a $\square$ <br> (i) Example <br> leastBusyUserInRole("Developers", \% \{...projectKey\}, "project = " + \%\{... projectKey \}) returns the user playing role Devel opers in current project, with the least number of unresolved issues in current project assigned. |
| nextUserInGr <br> oup(string gro upName, string queueN ame) | STRING | Returns the $\square$ name of the next active user in group with name groupName, for a round-robin queue with name queueName. <br> The string queueName is an arbitrary name. The queue is automatically created the first time a queue is used in a function call. Each time the function is called on the same pair of arguments (group, queue), a different user in the group is returned. The queue can be used in different transitions of the same or different workflows within the same Jira instance. null is returned if group is empty. <br> (i) Example <br> nextUserInGroup ("jira-developers", "code-review-queue") returns the username of the next user in group jira-developers for roundrobin queue code-review-queue. Each time the function is called with the same pair of arguments, a different username is returned. |

## Versions

## Overview

The expression parser offers multiple functions to retrieve version related field values.

## Available functions

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| unreleasedVe rsions() |  | Returns a string lu with unreleased version names of current issue's project. Returned versions may be archived. Example: toStringList (\% \{ . . .versions\}) any in unreleasedversions () validates that at least one affected version is unreleased. |
| unreleasedVe rsions(string p rojects) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ StRing [] with unreleased version names of projects in argument projects. Returned versions may be archived. Arguments projects is a comma separated list of pr oject keys or project names. |
| releasedVersi ons() |  | Returns a string I with released version names of current issue's project. Returned versions may be archived. Example: toStringList (\% \{...fixVersions\}) in releasedversions () validates that all fixed versions are released. |
| releasedVersi ons(string proj ects) | STRING | Returns a string [] with released version names of projects in argument projects. Returned versions may be archived. Arguments projects is a comma separated list of pr oject keys or project names. <br> Example: toStringList(^) \{...fixVersions\}) in releasedVersions (^) \{ . . .projectKey\}) validates that all fixed versions of a foreign issue are released. |
| releaseDates( string versions) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ NUMBER[] with the release dates for versions in string versions for current issues project. Parameter versions is a comma separated list of version names. <br> Example: releaseDates ( $\%$ \{ . . .fixVersions \}) returns the list of release dates for Fix Version/s. |
| releaseDates( string versions string projects ) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ number [] with the release dates for versions in string versions for projects in parameter projects. Parameter versions is a comma separated list of version names. Parameter projects is a comma separated list of project keys or project names. <br> Example: releaseDates (\% \{....versions\}, "CRM") retu rns the list of release dates for affected versions for project with key "CRM". . |
| startDates(stri ng versions) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ with the start dates for versions in string versions for current issues project. Parameter versio ns is a comma separated list of version names. <br> Example: startDates (\% \{ . . .fixVersions\}) returns the list of start dates for fixed versions. |
| startDates(stri ng versions, st ring projects) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ number [] with the start dates for versions in string versions for projects in parameter projects. Parameter versions is a comma separated list of version names. Parameter projects is a comma separated list of project keys or project names. <br> Example: startDates (\% \{...versions\}, "CRM") return $s$ the list of start dates for affected versions for project with key "CRM ". |
| archivedVersi ons() |  | Returns a stringu with released version names of current issue's project. Returned versions may be archived. |
| archivedVersi ons(string proj ects) | STRING | Returns a string [] with released version names of projects in argument projects. Returned versions may either released or unreleased. Arguments projects is a comma separated list of project keys or project names. |


| latestRelease dVersion() |  | Returns $\square$ STRING with the name of the latest released version in current issue's project. <br> Example: latestReleasedVersion() in archivedVersions() validates that the latest released version in current issue's project is archived. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| latestRelease dVersion(string projects) | STRING | ReturnsSTRING [] with the name of the latest <br> released version among projects in argument projects. <br> Returned versions may either released or unreleased. <br> Arguments projects is a comma separated list of project <br> keys or project names. .namer |
| latestRelease dUnarchivedV ersion(string p rojects) | STRING | Returns string [] with the name of the latest released version excluding archived ones for projects in argument projects. Returned versions may either released or unreleased. Arguments projects is a comma separated list of project keys or project names. |
| earliestUnrele asedVersion() |  | Returns $\square$ with the name of the earliest unreleased version in current issue's project. <br> Example: earliestUnreleasedversion() not in archivedversions () validates that earliest unreleased version in current issue's project is not archived. |
| earliestUnrele asedVersion(s tring projects) | STRING | Returns string [] with the name of the earliest unreleased version among projects in argument projects. Returned versions may either released or unreleased. Arguments projects is a comma separated list of project keys or project names. |
| earliestUnrele asedUnarchiv edVersion() |  | Returns STRING $\square$ with the name of the earliest unreleased version in current issue's project excluding archived ones. |
| earliestUnrele asedUnarchiv edVersion(stri ng projects) | STRING | Returns string [] with the name of the earliest unreleased version excluding archived ones for projects in argument projects. Returned versions may either released or unreleased. Arguments projects is a comma separated list of project keys or project names. |
| unreleasedVe rsionsBySequ ence() <br> Available since version 1.1.0 |  | Returns a string ll with the unreleased versions in the current project with the default order. Only non-archived versions are returned. The first version in the list is the lowermost version in the version table. |
| releasedVersi onsBySequen ce() <br> Available since version 1.1.0 |  | Returns a string [] with the released versions in the current project with the default order. Only non-archived versions are returned. The first version in the list is the lowermost version in the version table. |

## Historical field values

## Overview

The expression parser offers multiple functions to retrieve historical field values.
Functions for accessing historical field values are available for the following fields:

- All Custom Fields
- Summary
- Description
- Assignee
- Reporter
- Due date
- Issue status
- Priority
- Resolution
- Environment
- Fix version/s
- Affects version/s
- Labels
- Components
- Security level


## Available functions

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| previous V <br> alue(\%\{... <br> somefield\}) | FIELD | Returns a $\square$ STRING with the previous value of a field for current issue. It will return null if field was previously uninitialized. |
| previousV <br> alue (\{... <br> somefield\}) | FIELD | Returns a $\square$ number with the previous value of a numeric or date field for current issue. It will return null if field was previously uninitialized. |
| previousV <br> alue(\%\{... <br> somefield. <br> i\}) | FIELD | Returns a $\square$ STRING with the previous value of a cascad ing or multi-cascading select field for current issue at level $\mathbf{i}$ (with root level = 0). It will return null if field was previously uninitialized. |
| fieldHistory <br> (\%\{... <br> somefield\}) | FIELD | Returns a string [] with all the values that a field has ever had in the past for current issue. Values appear in the list in ascending ordered by setting time, i.e., older value has index 1 , and most recent value has index count (string_list). Uninitialized field statuses are represented by empty strings. |
| fieldHistory (\{... somefield\}) | FIELD | Returns a $\square$ NUMBER[] with all the values that a numeric or date-time field has ever had in the past for current issue. Values appear in the list in ascending ordered by setting time, i.e., older value has index 1, and most recent value has index count (number_list). Uninitialized field statuses are not represented. |
| fieldHistory (\%\{... somefield. <br> i\}) | FIELD | Returns a string [] with all the values that a cascading or multi-cascading select field has ever had in the past for level $i$ (with root level $=0$ ) in current issue. Values appear in the list in ascending ordered by setting time, i.e., older value has index 1, and most recent value has index count (string_list) Uninitialized field statuses are represented by empty strings. |
| hasChang ed(\%\{... somefield\}) | FIELD | Returns $\square$ boolean true only if field has changed in current transition. <br> Function hasChanged(field_code) is used when we set a validation that is incompatible with a condition in a same transition, typically when validating a value entered in the transition screen. When Jira evaluates the validations in a transition, it also reevaluates the conditions, and if they are not satisfied an Action $\mathbf{x}$ is invalid error message is shown and the transition is not executed. <br> Example: Let's suppose we have a boolean condition like \{ . . . duedate $=$ null (i.e., Due date $=$ null) in a transition, so that it's only shown when Due date is empty. This transition also has a transition screen containing field Due date, and a boolean validation \{...duedate\} != null, in order to make Due date required in the transition. <br> The configuration described above will not work, since both condition and validation are mutually incompatible. We can fix it replacing the boolean condition with $\{\ldots$ duedate $\}=$ null OR hasChanged (\% \{ . . . duedate \}). |
| hasChang ed (\{... <br> somefield\}) | FIELD | $\square$ true only if numeric or date-time field field has changed in current transition. |


| hasChang <br> ed $(\{\ldots$ <br> somefield. <br> i\}) |  | RIELD |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ReturnsBOOLEAN <br> has changed for level $i$ (with root level $=0$ ) in current transition. |  |  |

## Miscellaneous

## Overview

The expression parser offers multiple functions that cannot easily be categorized.
A comprehensive list can be found below.

## Available functions

| Function | Input | Returned value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| projectProperty(st ring property_na me) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ string with the value of project property with name property_name in current issue's project. null is returned if project property doesn't exist. Example: projectProperty ("maxNumberOfReopenings") returns "3", provided there is a string \{maxNumberOfReopenings=3\} in the description of current issue's project. |
| projectProperty(st ring property_na me, string project _key) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ string with the value of project property with name property_name in project with key pro ject_key. null is returned if project property doesn't exist. <br> Example: projectProperty <br> ("maxNumberOfReopenings", "CRM") returns "3", provided there is a string \{maxNumberOfReopenings=3\} in the description of project with key CRM. |
| projectPropertyE xists(string proper ty_name) | STRING | Returns $\square$ bOolean true only if there is a project property with name property_name in current issue's project, i.e., if project's description contains a string like $\{p r$ operty_name=value\}. <br> Example: projectPropertyExists ("maxNumberOfReopenings") returns true only if there is a string like \{maxNumberOfReopenings=x\} in the description of current issue's project. |
| projectPropertyE xists(string proper ty_name, string pr oject_key) | STRING | Returns $\square$ BOoLEAN true only if there is a project property with name property_name in project with key pro ject_key. <br> (i) Example <br> projectPropertyExists <br> ("maxNumberOfReopenings", "CRM") retu rns true only if there is a string like \{maxNumb erOfReopenings $=\mathbf{x}$ \} in the description of project with key CRM. |
| isACIone() |  | Returns boolean true only if current issue is a clone of another issue. An issue is a clone of another issue if it's being created by Jira "Clone" operation, or has issue links of type "clones". This function if useful for bypassing validations in transition Create Issue when the issue is being created by a clone operation. |


| allComments() |  | Returns a string [] with all the comments in current issue in ascension order by creation date. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| allComments(strin g issue_keys) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ STRING [] with all the comments in issues with keys in issue_keys, in order of appearance in $\mathbf{i}$ ssue_keys, and by creation date in ascension order. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. <br> (i) Example <br> allComments (\% \{ . . . parentIssuekey\}) ret urns parent issue's comments. |
| allComments(issu <br> e list I) | ISSUE [] | Returns a $\square$ String [] with all the comments in issues in $\mathbf{I}$, in order of appearance in $\mathbf{I}$, and by creation date in ascension order. <br> Example: allComments (subtasks ()) returns all the comments in all the sub-tasks of current issue. |
| allCommenters() |  | Returns a STRING [] with the user names of comment authors and updaters in current issue, in ascension order by commenter's actuation time. The same user appears in the output as many times as the comments the user created and updated. |
| allCommentCreat ors() |  | Returns a string [] with the user names of comment creators in current issue, in ascension order by commenter's actuation time. A same user appears in the output as many times as comments has created. For anonimous comments an empty string (" ") is returned. |
| allCommentCreat ors(string issue_k eys) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ STRING [] with the user names of comment creators in issues with keys in issue_keys, in order of appearance in issue_keys, and in ascension order by commenter's actuation time. A same user appears in the output as many times as comments has created. For anonymous comments an empty string (" ") is returned. |
| allCommentCreat ors(string list I) | STRING [] | Returns a sTRING [] with the user names of comment creators of issues in I, in order of appearance in I , and in ascension order by commenter's actuation time. A same user appears in the output as many times as comments has created. For anonimous comments an empty string (" ") is returned. |
| allCommenters(st ring issue_keys) | STRING | Returns a string [ with the user names of comment authors and updaters of issues with keys in issu e_keys, in order of appearance in issue_keys, and in ascension order by commenter's actuation time. Argument issue_keys is a comma separated list of issue keys. <br> (i) Example <br> allComments (\% \{ . . . parentIssuekey\}) ret urns a string list with the user names of comment authors of parent issue. |
| allCommenters(is sue list I) |  | Returns a string [] with the user names of comment authors and updaters of issues in I in ascension order by actuation time, in order of appearance in I, and in ascension order by commenter's actuation time. <br> Example: allCommenters (linkedIssues ("is blocked by")) returns a list with all the commenters and comment updaters for linked issues blocking current issue. |


| usersWhoTransiti oned(string origin _status, string des tination_status) | STRING | Returns a string [] $\qquad$ with the names of the users who transitioned current issue from origin_status to destination_status, order ascending by time. An empty string as argument is interpreted as any status. <br> (i) Example <br> last (usersWhoTransitioned("Open", "In Progress")) returns the name of the user who executed transition "Start Progress" more recently. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| usersWhoTransiti oned(string origin _status, string des tination_status, string issue_key) | STRING | Returns a string [] with the names of the users who transitioned current issue from origin_status to desti nation_status, order ascending by time. An empty string as argument is interpreted as any status. <br> (i) Example <br> count (usersWhoTransitioned("Open", "In Progress", \%\{... <br> parentIssuekey\})) returns the number of times transition "Start Progress" has been executed in parent issue. |
| timesOfTransition (string origin_stat us, string destinat ion_status) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ number [] with the times when current issue was transitioned from origin_status to destination_ status, order ascending by time. An empty string as argument is interpreted as any status. <br> (i) Example <br> last (timesOfTransition("", "Resolved")) returns the most recent time when the issue was resolved. |
| timesOfTransition (string origin_stat us, string destinat ion_status, string $\mathbf{i}$ ssue_key) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ number [] with the times when issue with key issue_key was transitioned from origin_status to destination_status, order ascending by time. An empty string as argument is interpreted as any status. <br> (i) Example <br> first (usersWhoTransitioned <br> ("Closed", "", \%\{... <br> parentIssuekey\})) returns the first time when parent issue was reopened. |
| componentLeader (string component _name) | STRING | Returns the user name of the component lead with name component_name in current issue's project as <br> string This function also admits a comma separated list of components, and returns a comma separated list of user names. Output will contain repeated user names if a same user is leader of more than one component. <br> (i) Example <br> componentLeader (\% \{ . . . components \}) ret urns a comma separated list with the user names of the leaders of current issue's components. |


| componentLeader (string component _name, string proj ect_key) | STRING | Returns a the user name of the component lead with name component_name in project with key project_key as $\square$ string This function also admits a comma separated list of components, and returns a comma separated list of user names. Output will contain repeated user names if a same user is leader of more than one component. <br> (i) Example <br> componentLeader("Web Portal", "CRM") returns the user name of the leader of the component with name Web Portal in project with key CRM. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| issuelDFromKey( string issue_key) | STRING | Returns a StRING $\square$ of the internal ID of issue with key issue_key. This function also admits a comma separated list of issue keys, and returns a comma separated list of internal IDs. <br> (i) Example <br> issueIDFromKey("CRM-1") returns "10001" |
| issueKeyFromID( string issue_ID) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ string of the issue key of issue with internal ID issue_ID. This function also admits a comma separated list of issue IDs, and returns a comma separated list of issue keys. <br> (i) Example <br> issueIDFromKey ("10001") returns "CRM1". |
| projectKeys() |  | Returns a string a with all the project keys in the JIRA instance. |
| projectKeys(string category) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ STRING [] with the project keys of those projects that belong to project category with name c ategory. |
| projectName(string project_key) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ STRING with the name of the project with key project_key. |
| projectCategory(s tring project_key) | STRING | Returns a $\square$ STRING with the category of the project with key project_key. |

## Functions to temporarily store and retrieve values

| Function | Returned value |
| :--- | :--- |
| setBoolean(string variable_n <br> ame, boolean value) : <br> boolean | Creates a variable named variable_name for storing a boolean <br> value, and assigns it a value, which is also returned in order to be <br> used within an expression. <br> Example: setBoolean ("myBoolean", true) |
| getBoolean(string variable_n <br> ame) : boolean | Returns the value stored in a boolean variable named variable_name <br> , which was previously created using the setBoolean() function. <br> Example: getBoolean ("myBoolean") |


| setNumber(string variable_n ame, number value) : number | Creates a variable named variable_name for storing a number, and assigns it a value, which is also returned in order to be used within an expression. <br> Example: setNumber ("myNumber", 100) |
| :---: | :---: |
| getNumber(string variable_n ame) : number | Returns the value stored in a numeric variable named variable_name , which was previously created using the setNumber() function. <br> Example: getNumber ("myNumber") |
| setString(string variable_na me, string value) : string | Creates a variable named variable_name for storing a string, and assigns it a value, which is also returned in order to be used within an expression. <br> Example: setString("myString","Hello World!") |
| getString(string variable_na me) : string | Returns the value stored in string variable named variable_name, which was previously created using the setString() function. <br> Example: getString("myString") |
| setNumberList(string variabl e_name, number list value) : number list | Creates a variable named variable_name for storing a number list, and assigns it a value, which is also returned in order to be used within an expression. <br> Example: setNumberList("myNumberList", [1,2,3]) |
| getNumberList(string variabl e_name) : number list | Returns the value stored in number list variable named variable_name , which was previously created using the setNumberList() function. <br> Example: getNumberList ("myNumberList") |
| setStringList(string variable_ name, string list value) : string list | Creates a variable named variable_name for storing a string list, and assigns it a value, which is also returned in order to be used within an expression. <br> Example: setStringList("myStringList", ["Hello"," World"]) |
| getStringList(string variable_ name) : string list | Returns the value stored in string list variable named variable_name, which was previously created using the setStringList() function. <br> Example: getStringList ("myStringList") |
| setlssueList(string variable name, issue list value) : issue list | Creates a variable named variable_name for storing an issue list, and assigns it a value, which is also returned in order to be used within an expression. <br> Example: setIssueList ("myIssueList", ["KEY-1", "KEY2"]) |
| getlssueList(string variable_ name) : issue list | Returns the value stored in issue list variable named variable_name, which was previously created using setlssueList() function. <br> Example: getIssueList("myIssueList") |

