

# Create 3 issues in 3 different projects

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## Features used to implement the example

- [Create issues and sub-tasks](#)

## Example: Create 3 issues in 3 different projects

This is an example of creation of **multiple issues** based on **seed numbers** using [Create issues and sub-tasks](#) post-function. This example requires version [2.2.25](#) or higher.

We want to automatically create 3 tasks in 3 different project (project keys **DCM**, **NA** and **TS**), each time a task is moved to "**In Progress**" status in project with key **ER**.

We insert [Create issues and sub-tasks](#) post-function in transition "**Start Progress**" of **tasks** in project **ER**. We use the following configuration:

**Issues to be created:**  
Sets the number of issues that will be created.

☐ Only one issue
☒ Multiple issues based on seeds:
Math Expression

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**Math expression (Syntax Specification and Examples)**  

```
1 3
```

Input a mathematic expression returning the number of issues you want to be created. From here on, you will be able to obtain the order of creation (seed number, statring by 1) of each issue being created using ^.

**String Field Code Injector:**  
Summary - [Text] - %{00000}

**Numeric/Date Field Code Injector:**  
Original estimate (minutes) - [Number] - {00068}

**Issue Type:**  
Sets the issue type of the issues to be created.

Test

**Project:**  
Sets the project of the issues to be created.

☐ Current Project
☐ Selected Project
☐ Seed Issue's Project
☒ Project Key

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**String expression (i.e, advanced parsed text) (Syntax Specification and Examples)**  

```
1 getMatchingValue(^, [1, 2, 3], [{"DCM", "NA", "TS"}])
```

Enter a string expression that returns the project key of the project where the subtask will be created.

**String Field Code Injector:**  
Summary - [Text] - %{00000}

**Numeric/Date Field Code Injector:**  
Original estimate (minutes) - [Number] - {00068}

Field code injectors reference:
☒ Current issue
☐ Seed issue

**Summary:**  
Sets the summary of the issues to be created.

**Parsing mode:**  
☐ basic
☒ advanced

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```
1 getMatchingValue(^, [1, 2, 3], ["Install PC for " + %{12700}, "Network account for " + %{12700}, "Telephone set for " + %{12700}])
```

Strings literals are written in double quotes ("This is a string."). Operator '\*' is used to concatenate strings, and field codes are like in basic mode, e.g., "Issue key is " + %{00015} + ". ". More information at [parser syntax documentation](#).

**String Field Code Injector:**  
Summary - [Text] - %{00000}

**Numeric/Date Field Code Injector:**  
Original estimate (minutes) - [Number] - {00068}

Field code injectors reference:
☒ Current issue
☐ Seed issue
☐ Parent of new sub-task

**Description:**  
Sets the description of the issues to be created.

**Parsing mode:**  
☐ basic
☒ advanced

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```
1 getMatchingValue(^, [1, 2, 3],
2 [
3 "Install a PC for the new employee " + %{12700},
4 "Create network a account for the new employee " + %{12700},
5 "Install a telephone set for the new employee " + %{12700}
6 ])
```

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Summary - [Text] - %{00000}

**Numeric/Date Field Code Injector:**  
Original estimate (minutes) - [Number] - {00068}

Field code injectors reference:
☒ Current issue
☐ Seed issue
☐ Parent of new sub-task

**Set Fields:**  
Sets field values in the new issues.

Field to be set:

Due date - [Date] Add

Field	Type of Value	Value	Actions
Reporter	Field in current issue	Assignee	Edit Remove
Assignee	Parsed text (basic mode)	null	Edit Remove

**Inherit Remaining Fields:**  
Inherit field values from other issues, for those fields that has not been set in the previous section.

Inherit from Current Issue

**Issue Links:**  
The newly created issues can be linked to other issues.

Add Issue Link

Issue Link Type	Linked Issues	Condition	Actions
is caused by	Current Issue		Edit Remove

**Additional Actions:**  
Optional actions that will be executed after all issues have been created.

☐ Save issue keys of created issues into *Ephemeral String 3* virtual field as a comma separated list.

**Conditional execution:**  
Optional boolean expression that should be satisfied in order to actually execute the post-function.  
(Syntax Specification)

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Leave the field empty for executing the post-function unconditionally.

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Logical connectives:

and, or and not. Alternatively you can also use &, | and !.

Comparison operators:

=, !=, >, >=, < and <=. Operators in, not in, any in, none in, - and != can be used with strings, multi-valued fields and lists.

Logical literals:

true and false. Literal null is used with = and != to check whether a field is initialized, e.g. {00012} != null checks whether Due Date is initialized.

String Field Code Injector:

Summary - [Text] - %{00000}

Numeric/Date Field Code Injector:

Original estimate (minutes) - [Number] - {00068}

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**Run as:**  
Select the user that will be used to execute this feature. JIRA will apply restrictions according to the permissions, project roles and groups of the selected user.

Current user

User defined by a field.

Input a specific user.

Once configured, transition will look like this:

TO DO

Start Progress

IN PROGRESS

Screen: None - it will happen instantly

Triggers 0

Conditions 0

Validators 0

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The following will be processed after the transition occurs

Add post function

- Create as many issues as the **numeric value** returned by the following **mathematical** expression:

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Issue type: **Test**

Project: Project with key returned by the following **string expression**:

getMatchingValue(^, [1, 2, 3], ["DCM", "NA", "TS"])

Summary: text in **advanced** parsing mode

getMatchingValue(^, [1, 2, 3], ["Install PC for " + %{New Employee}, "Network account for " + %{New Employee}, "Telephone set for " + %{New Employee}])

Description: text in **advanced** parsing mode

getMatchingValue(^, [1, 2, 3], ["Install a PC for the new employee " + %{New Employee}, "Create network a account for the new employee " + %{New Employee}, "Install a telephone set for the new employee " + %{New Employee}])

Set fields:

Field	Type of Value	Value
Reporter	Field in current issue	Assignee
Assignee	Parsed text (basic mode)	null

Rest of the fields will inherit values from **current issue**.

Issue Links:

Issue Link Type	Linked Issues	Condition
is caused by	Current issue	

This feature will be run as user in field **Current user**.

Result screenshots post-function "Create issues and subtasks" - 3 issues in different projects

## Other examples of that function

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