

# timeInStatus()

This function returns the **number of milliseconds** the current issue has remained in a status with specific **status**.

If an issue has been in that status more than once, then **duration will be summed up** and the total time spent in the status will be returned.

### Syntax

timeInStatus(statusName) #Output: Number

### Examples

Expression parser	Description
timeInStatus("Open")	This example returns the <b>number of milliseconds</b> the current issue has stayed in status " <b>Open</b> "
timeInStatus("Open") / {HOUR}	This example returns the <b>number of hours</b> the current issue has stayed in status " <b>O pen</b> "  {HOUR} is a time macro used to convert the output to hours.
timeInStatus(%{issue.status.previous}) / {MINUTE}	This example returns the <b>number of minutes</b> the current issue has stayed in <b>previous status</b> .

### Additional information

Parameters used in this function

Parameter	Input (data type)	Description
statusName	<div>TEXT</div>	The input has to be a valid <b>status name</b> . Alternatively you can use <a href="#">field codes</a> to retrieve the value.

### Output

This function returns a 

NUMBER

Variant where you additionally define a **custom calendar** and **time zone**.

If an issue has been in that status more than once, then **duration will be summed up** and the total time spent in the status will be returned.

### Syntax

```
timeInStatus(statusName, calendarName, timeZone) #Output: Number
```

## Examples

Parser expression	Description
<pre>timeInStatus("Open", "my_schedule", LOCAL) / {HOUR}</pre>	<p>This example returns the <b>number of hours</b> the current issue has stayed in status "<b>Open</b>" within the schedule called "<b>my_schedule</b>" matching the server's default <b>time zone</b>.</p> <p><b>{HOUR}</b> is a time macro used to convert the output to hours.</p>

## Additional information

Parameters used in this function

Parameter	Input (data type)	Description
statusName	<input type="text" value="TEXT"/>	The input has to be a valid <b>status name</b> . Alternatively you can use <a href="#">field codes</a> to retrieve the value.
calendarName	<input type="text" value="TEXT"/>	The input has to be a valid <b>calendar name</b> . Learn more about <a href="#">working with calendars</a> .
timeZone	<input type="text" value="TIMEZONE"/>	The <b>time zone</b> used for the calculation.

## Output

This function returns a

Variant where you can additionally define **multiple issues** in an **issue list**.

The time across all issues will be **summed up**.

### Syntax

```
timeInStatus(statusName, issueList) #Output: Number
```

## Examples

Parser expression	Description
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```
timeInStatus("Open", subtasks()) /
{HOUR}
```

This example returns the **number of hours** the current **issue's sub-tasks** have stayed in status **"Open"**

`{HOUR}` is a time macro used to convert the output to hours.

`subtasks()` is a function to return all subtasks.

## Additional information

Parameters used in this function

Parameter	Input (data type)	Description
statusName	<input type="text" value="TEXT"/>	The input has to be a valid <b>status name</b> . Alternatively you can use <a href="#">field codes</a> to retrieve the value.
issueList	<input type="text" value="ISSUE LIST"/>	The input has to be a valid <b>issue list</b> . Learn more about <a href="#">Lists</a> .

## Output

This function returns a

Variant where you can define **multiple issues** in an **issue list** and additionally a **custom calendar** and **time zone**.

The time across all issues will be **summed up**.

### Syntax

```
timeInStatus(statusName, issueList, calendarName, timeZone) #Output: Number
```

## Examples

Parser expression	Description
<pre>timeInStatus("Open", subtasks(), "my_schedule", LOCAL) / {HOUR}</pre>	<p>This example returns the <b>number of hours</b> the current issue's sub-tasks have stayed in status <b>"Open"</b> within the schedule called <b>"my_schedule"</b> matching the server's default <b>timeZone</b>.</p> <p><code>{HOUR}</code> is a time macro used to convert the output to hours.</p> <p><code>subtasks()</code> is a function to return all subtasks.</p>

## Additional information


Parameters used in this function

Parameter	Input (data type)	Description
statusName	<input type="text" value="TEXT"/>	The input has to be a valid <b>status name</b> . Alternatively you can use <a href="#">field codes</a> to retrieve the value.
issueList	<input type="text" value="ISSUE LIST"/>	The input has to be a valid <b>issue list</b> . Learn more about <a href="#">working with lists</a> .
calendarName	<input type="text" value="TEXT"/>	The input has to be a valid <b>calendar name</b> . Learn more about <a href="#">working with calendars</a> .
timeZone	<input type="text" value="TIMEZONE"/>	The <b>time zone</b> used for the calculation.

## Output

This function returns a

## Use cases and examples

Use case	JWT feature	Workflow function	Field type	Automated action	Parser functions
<a href="#">Number of days an issue was in the Open status against a JWT calendar</a>			Number		<code>timeInStatus()</code>