

# Basic text mode

The **basic text** parsing mode allows you to write **free text** and insert field codes. The text does **not** have to be enclosed in "" like in the [Advanced text mode](#).

All **field codes** will be replaced at **runtime** with the corresponding field value of the issue currently being processed.

Besides supporting **field code replacement**, the usage of **parser functions** like in the [Advanced text mode](#) is also available when placed between **two curly braces starting with a percent sign**, e.g. `%{{subtasks()}}`.



## Example expressions

Parser expression	Description
<code>This is the issue summary: %{issue.summary}</code>	This example might return: <b>This is the issue summary: JWT 3.0 wording update</b>
<code>Next status update needed by: %{issue.dueDate}</code>	This example might return: <b>Next status update needed by: 30.07.2020</b>
<code>This issue has been re-assigned to %{issue.assignee}.</code>	This example might return: <b>This issue has been re-assigned to a.grant.</b>
<code>The number of sub-tasks is: %{{count(subtasks())}}</code>	This example returns the <b>number of sub-tasks</b> of the current issue, e.g. <b>The number of sub-tasks is: 2</b>
<code>Tomorrow is %{{dateToString({system.currentTimeMillis() + 1 * {DAY}, LOCAL, SERVER_LANG)}}}.</code>	This example returns <b>tomorrow's date</b> , e.g. <b>Tomorrow is 24/May/20.</b>
<code>While it's %{system.currentTimeMillis()} now, it'll be %{{dateToString({system.currentTimeMillis() + 1 * {DAY}, LOCAL, SERVER_LANG)}}} in 24 hours.</code>	This examples illustrates the parallel usage of field codes (the current date and time) and parser functions (tomorrow's date and time), e.g. <b>While it's 29/Nov/20 8:33 AM now, it'll be 30/Nov/20 8:33 AM in 24 hours.</b>
<code>%{{capitalizeWordsFully(trim(%{issue.summary}))}}</code>	This returns a <b>well-formatted summary</b> by removing leading and trailing blanks as well as capitalizing each word ( <b>only the word's first letter is upper case and the remaining letters are lower case</b> ).

If you still have questions, feel free to refer to our [support team](#).