

Log absence time on another issue

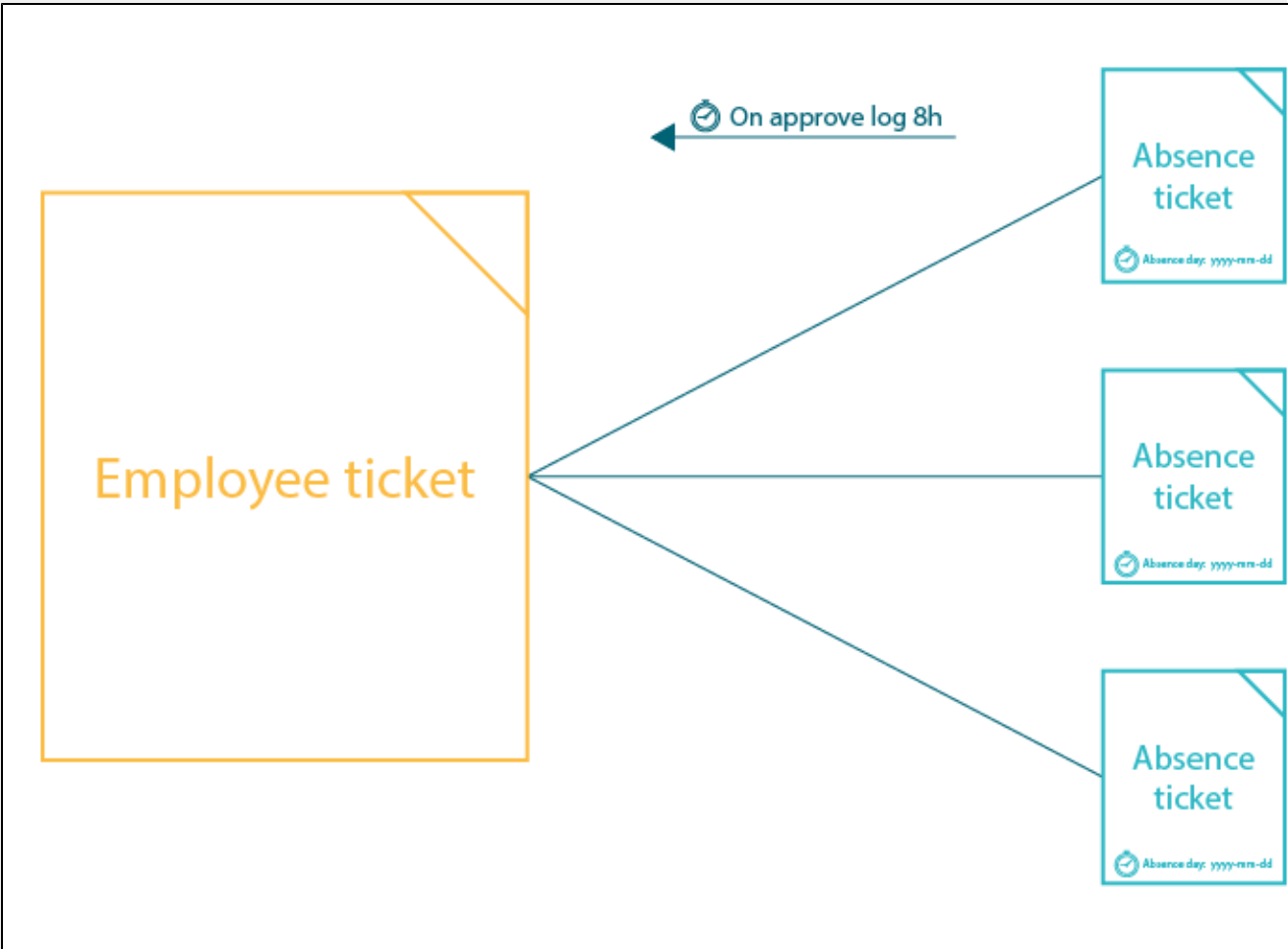
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Use case

In this example, the [Log work](#) post function will be used to log work on another ticket.

In this case there is a Jira **ticket for each employee**. In addition, **"Absence" tickets** can be created for a **specific day**. If this ticket gets **approved**, **8 hours will be logged on the related employee ticket**.



The employee ticket must have the summary **"Employee <username>"**.



Prerequisites

First, we have to create a date custom field to enter the absence day.

Set up the custom field

1

Create a Date Picker custom field

Name: Absence day

2

Add the created custom field to the screen(s) of the absence ticket.



Configuration

1

Add the [Log work](#) post function to the desired transition or create a new transition.

2

Target issue

Choose **Set target issue manually**

3

Expression

Enter the following expression with mode set to **JQL**:

```
summary ~ "Employee %{issue.reporter}"
```

4

Time spent

Enter the following number:

```
480
```

Since the time spent must be entered in minutes and 8h correspond to 480 minutes, this number has to be entered.

5

Starting date-time

Enter the following expression:

```
stringToDate(%{issue.cfnnnnn} + " 08:00", "yyyy-MM-dd hh:mm")
```

cfnnnnn is the field code for the **Absence day** custom field we've previously created.

Update the field code to the corresponding field code on your instance!

6

Work description

Enter a description like the following:

Absence

Feel free to change the description according to your needs!

Additional options

7

Remaining estimate

Choose **Auto adjustment**

8

Conditional execution

Finally, we add a conditional execution so that the post function will only be executed if the issue's summary is **"Absence"**.

```
{%issue.summary} ~ "Absence"
```



Screenshots

[Update parameters of the Log work Function for this transition.](#)

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Basic configuration *

Define the required parameters needed to execute this post function.

Target issue *

Set target issues manually (parser expression)

Select the issues to log work on.

Expression *

```
summary ~ "Employee {%issue.reporter}"
```

Enter a JQL query and optionally use **field codes**, e.g. `{%issue.summary}`, to insert field values.

Time spent *

```
480
```

The expression must return the time to be logged in minutes.

Starting date-time

```
stringToDate({%issue.cf13201} + " 08:00", "yyyy-MM-dd hh:mm")
```

The expression must return the starting date-time of the work log entry. In case no expression is entered, current date-time is used.

Work description

```
Absence
```

Enter plain text and optionally use **field codes**, e.g. `{%issue.summary}`, to insert field values.

Additional options

Remaining estimate

Auto adjustment

Conditional execution

The post function will only be executed if the following condition (a **logical expression**) is met.

Expression

```
{%issue.summary} ~ "Absence"
```

The expression must return **true** or **false**.

> Run as

Log work

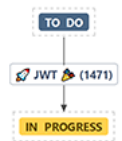
Documentation



Log work on one or multiple issues

Workflow

JWT 3.0.0 Use cases





Related use cases

Use case	JWT feature	Workflow function	Parser functions	Label
Add percentaged profit margin when closing issue		Log work		
Automatically log work spent in a specific status		Log work	timeDifference()	
Log absence time on another issue		Log work	stringToDate()	

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