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The person who the bug is assigned to (if anybody) is the developer who is charged with fixing the bug.

The bug ID is a unique identification number that can be used to quickly locate it. The ID is also used for duplicates and dependencies. Marking a bug as "hidden" will prevent all users who cannot see hidden bugs (see the Bugdar manual regarding permissions). Hiding is useful for critical security issues that you do not want to be made public.

You can change the ordering and display of columns on the bug list using these settings. Any column with a position value of "0" will not be displayed in the list. Columns are positioned in the grid with the lowest numbered column starting at the far-left. If columns share a position number, they will be placed in the same column position.

The report time is the date and time of the initial bug report.

If a bug is affected by another bug, you can enter the ID of the bug that affects this bug here. You can enter multiple values into this field by separating the IDs with spaces.

If a bug is the same as another one in the bug tracker, you can enter the bug ID of that bug in this field.

New Reply
newreply

Here you can specify additional comments. If you do not change any fields, this will merely attach a comment.

The "Automation" drop-down next to this box (which may be hidden) will allow you to perform a common task. These administrator-defined tasks can change any of the bug fields automatically and then add an automatic reply. If you change a field that will be altered by the action, the

Priority
priority

The priority shows the degree of celerity with which the bug will be fixed. This is different from severity in that, a bug could be a valid issue, but it could be for an old version and thus the priority wouldn't be high.

Product/Version
product

The product, component, and version show the general area where the problem occurs. Products are broad--for instance a car--whereas components would be like a door, using our car analogy. Versions show the specific revision at which the problem occurs.

Reporter
reporter

The reporter is the user who is responsible for the initial bug report. If you need to get follow-up information, you should ask this user.

Resolution
resolution

The resolution is the explanation for the status. Usually the resolution is set when a bug is marked "Closed" in the status field.

Severity
severity

Severity is the degree of the problem. This allows differentiation between a critical security flaw versus a slight annoyance with a work-around.

Status
status

Status describes the state of the bug and how it is being handled, if it is at all.

<div>Summary</div> <div><i>summary</i></div>	<div>The bug summary is used to give an overall description of the problem. It is displayed on all listing pages.</div>
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