

# Bugzilla for Humans

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**Introduction!**

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**that's not right...**





**better.**

(o hai)

# So You Want to Use Bugzilla



**That is a lie.**

**No one wants to use  
Bugzilla.**

Bug List: (1 of 81) [First](#) [Last](#) [Prev](#) [Next](#) [Show last search results](#)

**Bug 519357 - (compdir-lockdown) Only load known components from app directory** ([edit](#))

[Last Comment](#)

**Status:** RESOLVED FIXED ([edit](#))

**Whiteboard:**

**Keywords:**

**Product:**

**Component:**

**Version:**

**Platform:**

**Importance:**   with 3 votes ([vote](#))

**Target Milestone:**

**Assigned To:** Benjamin Smedberg [:bs] ([bsmedberg](#)) ([edit](#))

**QA Contact:** [xpcocom@core.bugs](#) ([edit](#))

**URL:**

**Depends on:** [527458](#) [528457](#) [526668](#) [526760](#) [527058](#) [528623](#) [528630](#) ([edit](#))

**Blocks:** [519343](#) [526202](#) [526764](#) [526766](#) ([edit](#))

[Show dependency tree / graph](#)

**Reported:** 2009-09-28 17:26 PDT by [Vladimir Vukicevic \(:vlad\)](#)

**Modified:** 2009-11-18 11:36 PST ([History](#))

**CC List:** 32 users including you ([edit](#))

- [ajvincent@gmail.com](#)
- [beltzner@mozilla.com](#)
- [benjamin@smedbergs.us](#)
- [bent.mozilla@gmail.com](#)
- [bhearsun@mozilla.com](#)
- [blizzard@mozilla.com](#)

- Flags:**
- wanted-next
  - shaver: blocking1.9.2
  - wanted1.9.2
  - wanted-fennec1.0
  - blocking1.9.0.16
  - blocking1.9.0.17
  - wanted1.9.0.x
  - blocking1.8.1.next
  - wanted1.8.1.x
  - blocking1.8.0.next
  - wanted1.8.0.x
  - ted.mielczarek: in-testsuite
  - in-litmus

**Brett** 2009-09-21 07:48:33 PDT

**Comment 64**  Private

I use to use this feature often to check the link to an image.  
Now I have to select copy image, and paste it to an editable text box to see the link.

This bug fix is counter productive in so many cases. Just because 1 users pushes their idea shouldn't cause things to be committed to a product with million of existing users.

**iDrugoy@gmail.com** 2009-09-21 12:19:44 PDT

**Comment 65**  Private

You may thank Hitler for this...  
..oops I meant Johnathan Nightingale

**Gervase Markham (:gerv)** 2009-09-21 14:02:11 PDT

**Comment 66**  Private

iDrugoy: about five seconds after this mail is sent, I will be disabling your Bugzilla account. Go and read about Godwin's Law. There is no reason why jonath should have to put up with that sort of thing.

Gerv

**Gervase Markham (:gerv)** 2009-09-21 14:03:06 PDT

**Comment 67**  Private

**But Bugzilla is also one  
of the strongest tools  
we have.**



- It scales to hundreds of thousands of bugs
- It can be molded to suit a variety of purposes
- It is the devil we know



And once you learn to  
read the matrix, you  
can bend it to your will.



**Let's Get Started**

# Bugzilla 101: Creating an Account

**This part is surprisingly  
simple**



As of Sunday, November 15, 10pm PST (0600 UTC) we're running Bugzilla 3.4.3. For a list of new features we picked up, check the [release notes](#). If you find any regressions that came along with the upgrade, you can file them in the mozilla.org product, Bugzilla : Other b.m.o issues component, and put 'bmo-regressions' in the "Blocks" field.

## Welcome to mozilla.org's Bugzilla



[Get Help](#)



[File a Bug](#)



[Search](#)



[Open a New Account](#)

[Quick Search help](#) | [Install the Quick Search plugin](#)

Soon you'll start getting  
bugmail

**and you will be sad**

**I'll get to that in a  
minute.**

# Review Slide!

- Bugzilla is scary
- but it's important
  - and getting started is really easy.



# Bugzilla 101: Filing a Bug

Looking for technical support or help getting your site to work with Mozilla? Visit the [mozilla.org support page](https://www.mozilla.org/support) before filing bugs.

## Which product is affected by the problem you would like to report?



### Core:

Shared components used by Firefox and other Mozilla software, including handling of Web content (HTML, CSS, scripts, images, networking, etc.).



### Firefox:

The Mozilla Foundation's next-generation web browser ([more info](#))



### Thunderbird:

The Mozilla Foundation's next-generation email client ([more info](#))



### Calendar:

The Mozilla Calendar project ([more info](#))



### Camino:

Camino is a native Mac OS X browser-only project ([more info](#))



### SeaMonkey:

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## Client Software End User Products developed by mozilla.org contributors

**Calendar:** The Mozilla Calendar project ([more info](#))

**Camino:** Camino is a native Mac OS X browser-only project ([more info](#))

**Composer:** Next-generation gecko-based standalone HTML/XHTML authoring tool

**Fennec:** Fennec is the code name of the effort to build a mobile version of Firefox ([more info](#))

**Firefox:** The Mozilla Foundation's next-generation web browser ([more info](#))

**Mozilla Localizations:** Translation, spelling and other errors in language packs and localized builds ([more info](#))

**Other Applications:** For bugs in CCK, Chatzilla, DOM Inspector, Venkman, and other applications which aren't large enough to warrant an entire Bugzilla product.

**Penelope:** Eudora meets Thunderbird ([more info](#))

**SeaMonkey:** This product covers SeaMonkey, the further developed code of the former Mozilla 1.x application suite, including web browser, e-mail and newsgroup client, and text editor/composer. ([more info](#))

**Thunderbird:** The Mozilla Foundation's next-generation email client ([more info](#))

**Weave:** Weave is Mozilla's experiment with web services

## Components Standalone components that can be used by other products. Core, Directory, NSPR, NSS and Toolkit are used by Gecko (which is in turn used by Thunderbird, SeaMonkey, Fennec, and others)

**Core:** Shared components used by Firefox and other Mozilla software, including handling of Web content (HTML, CSS, scripts, images, networking, etc.).

**Directory:** The Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) project ([more info](#))

**JSS:** Network Security Services for Java - a Java interface to NSS ([more info](#))

**MailNews Core:** Mail and news components common to Thunderbird and SeaMonkey

**NSPR:** The Netscape Portable Runtime - Mozilla's cross-platform portability layer ([more info](#))

**NSS:** Network Security Services - a cross-platform security library ([more info](#))

**Rhino:** An implementation of JavaScript in Java ([more info](#))

**Tamarin:** Next-generation JavaScript 2 virtual machine ([more info](#))

**Testing:** For bugs related to automated testing of Mozilla client code (Firefox, Thunderbird, Fennec, Gecko, etc)

**Toolkit:** The platform toolkit underlying Mozilla's "Aviary"-style applications.

## Server Software Web Server software developed by mozilla.org contributors to aid the development of mozilla.org products

**addons.mozilla.org:** The website hosting add-ons for Mozilla products ([addons.mozilla.org](https://addons.mozilla.org)).

**AUS:** The Application Update Service is used by client software to check for updates to application software.

**Bespin:** Bespin is a product, designed in Mozilla Labs, that proposes an open, extensible, web-based framework for code editing that aims to increase developer productivity, create compelling user experiences, and promote the use of open standards.

**Bugzilla:** The Bugzilla bug-tracking system ([more info](#))

**note:** This is **not** the place to request configuration changes to this installation of Bugzilla ([bugzilla.mozilla.org](https://bugzilla.mozilla.org)). File such changes under the appropriate [mozilla.org](#) product.

**Testopia:** Testopia is a test case management system that sits on top of Bugzilla.

**Webtools:** For bugs in the tools that mozilla.org uses. This includes web-based tools like [LXR](#), [Bonsai](#), and [Tinderbox](#) but not Bugzilla (see above). It also includes [mozbot](#).

Consider using the [Bugzilla Helper](#) instead of this form. Before reporting a bug, make sure you've read our [bug writing guidelines](#) and double checked the list of [most frequently reported bugs](#) and search through descriptions of previously reported bugs.

[Show Advanced Fields](#)

**Product:** Firefox

**Reporter:** johnath@mozilla.com

**Component:**

- Bookmarks & History
- Build Config
- Disability Access
- Extension Compatibility
- File Handling
- General
- Help Documentation

Component Description

Select a component to read its description.

**Version:**

- 2.0 Branch
- 3.0 Branch
- 3.5 Branch
- 3.6 Branch
- Trunk

**Severity:** normal

**Hardware:** All

**OS:** All

We've made a guess at your operating system and platform. Please check them and make any corrections if necessary.

**Summary:**

**Description:**

**Attachment:**

This is a security problem that should be kept confidential until addressed ([security policy](#)).

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**Initial State:**

**Assign To:**

**QA Contact:**

**CC:**

**Default CC:**

**Alias:**

**URL:**

**Flags:**

blocking-firefox3.6

wanted-firefox3.6

blocking1.9.0.16

blocking1.9.0.17

wanted1.9.0.x

blocking1.8.1.next

wanted1.8.1.x

blocking1.8.0.next

wanted1.8.0.x

in-testsuite

in-litmus

**blocking1.9.3:**

**status1.9.2:**

**blocking1.9.1:**

**status1.9.1:**



**Remember!**

**The point of filing a bug  
is to get it resolved.**

# That means:

- CC list matters
- Component choice matters
- Summary matters
- Helpfulness matters

**Bug 507077 - Stupid java scripts** ([edit](#))

**Status:** RESOLVED INVALID ([edit](#))

**Bug 416307 - (fbi-plant) Microsoft Vista is a piece of shit** ([edit](#))

**Status:** VERIFIED INVALID ([edit](#))

**Bug 38437 - Read this you craps** ([edit](#))

**Status:** VERIFIED INVALID ([edit](#))

# Bugzilla 101: Reading a Bug

# Summary

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**Bug 520535 - XUL windows with dependent=true and titlebar=no do not receive keyboard & mouse events** [Last Comment](#)  
([edit](#))

**Status:** ASSIGNED ([edit](#))

**Whiteboard:** [needs new patch, feedback, ETA]

**Keywords:** regression

**Product:** Firefox

**Component:** Extension Compatibility

**Version:** Trunk

**Platform:** x86 Windows XP

**Importance:** -- normal (vote)

**Target Milestone:** ---

**Assigned To:** [neil@parkwaycc.co.uk](#) ([edit](#))

**QA Contact:** [extension.compatibility@firefox.bugs](#) ([edit](#))

**URL:**

**Depends on:**

**Blocks:** [510686](#) ([edit](#))

Show dependency [tree](#) / [graph](#)

**Reported:** 2009-10-05 04:06 PDT by [aNDreas Bolotă](#)

**Modified:** 2009-11-27 08:54 PST ([History](#))

**CC List:** 14 users including you ([edit](#))

[dietrich@mozilla.com](#)  
[dtownsend@mozilla.com](#)  
[ekzot@email.cz](#)  
[enndeakin@gmail.com](#)  
[jmathies@mozilla.com](#)  
[johnath@mozilla.com](#)

**Flags:**

beltzner: blocking-firefox3.6 +

beltzner: wanted-firefox3.6 +

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Commit

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[enndeakin@gmail.com](#)  
[jmathies@mozilla.com](#)  
[johnath@mozilla.com](#)

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# Patch History

**Restrict Group Visibility: Only users in all of the selected groups can view this bug:**

(Unchecking all boxes makes this a more public bug.)

- Confidential Mozilla Corporation Bug
- Confidential Mozilla Project Bug (use another group if possible)
- Security-Sensitive Core Bug

## Attachments

|  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <b><del>I can't believe this is more than a thousand lines long</del></b><br>(34.28 KB, patch)<br>2009-08-27 17:44 PDT, Johnathan Nightingale [:johnath] | vladimir: review+<br>vladimir: superreview+                          | Details  <br>Diff  |
| <b><del>Missed the jar manifest for the dtd/properties</del></b> (35.96 KB, patch)<br>2009-08-27 18:49 PDT, Johnathan Nightingale [:johnath]             | <i>no flags</i>  | Details  <br>Diff  |
| <b>Eef.</b> (48.00 KB, patch)<br>2009-08-28 08:10 PDT, Johnathan Nightingale [:johnath]  | vladimir: review+<br>jonas: superreview+<br>beltzner: approval1.9.2+ | Details  <br>Diff  |
| <b>Screenshot of dialog that was removed</b> (27.12 KB, image/jpeg)<br>2009-09-08 06:30 PDT, Kurt Schultz (supernova_00)                                 | <i>no flags</i>  | Details  |
| Add an attachment (proposed patch, testcase, etc.)   |  | <a href="#">Hide Obsolete</a> (2) <a href="#">View All</a> |

[Collapse All Comments](#) - [Expand All Comments](#)

[Johnathan Nightingale \[:johnath\]](#) 2009-08-27 17:29:04 PDT [Description](#)  **Private** [\[reply\]](#) [\[-\]](#)

# Comments

**David Bolter [:davidb]** 2009-08-31 10:39:54 PDT

**Comment 22**  Private [reply] [-]

(In reply to [comment #21](#))

> While exposing this through ally APIs, which is mostly done already, as David  
> suggested, is useful for the screen reader itself to give users info about a  
> link, it does not cover the scenario Jamie was pointing out, which is being  
> able to copy parts of a link address. Also, the ally APIs don't yet have a  
> means to expose whether a link opens in something other than the current page  
> (although I believe this could be useful info for screen readers).

Spun off ~~bug 513715~~ for this.

I think Jamie should file a bug for the easier link copying.

> So, I'm all for better UI solutions, we just need to make sure they're not  
> tooltips only. ;) That was the primary intent of my comment.

Good point.

Sounds like this can land IMHO.

**Johnathan Nightingale [:johnath]** 2009-08-31 14:47:00 PDT **Comment 23**  Private [reply] [-]

Tryserver ran without incident, I'll aim to land this tomorrow.

**Rob Campbell [:rc] (robcee)** 2009-08-31 14:51:58 PDT **Comment 24**  Private [reply] [-]

(In reply to [comment #2](#))

> cc'ng robcee too, on the off chance that firebug uses this?

don't think so. we have our own "Inspect Element" menu item.



# Review Slide!

- Bugzilla is scary, but important; and getting started is really easy.
- Filing bugs is about helping people help you  
- help them find you, help them understand you
- Reading bugs is about learning what to ignore (most of it)

# Bugzilla 201: Finding Bugs

There are 2 or 3  
different search  
interfaces in Bugzilla

*(of course there are)*

**One is complete,  
and terrible.**

Search for bugs

Find a Specific Bug

Advanced Search

Give me some help (reloads page).

Summary: contains all of the strings

[Empty search input field]

Search

Classification:

- Client Software
- Components
- Server Software
- Other
- Graveyard

Product:

- addons.mozilla.org
- AUS
- Bespin
- Bugzilla
- Calendar

Component:

- API
- AUS Server
- Accessibility
- Account Manager
- Account Request: CVS

Version:

- 0.1
- 0.1.1
- 0.1.2
- 0.1.3
- 0.1.4

Target:

- 
- 
- 0.007
- 0.008
- 0.009

A Comment: contains all of the strings

[Empty search input field]

The URL: contains all of the strings

[Empty search input field]

Whiteboard: contains all of the strings

[Empty search input field]

Keywords: contains all of the words

[Empty search input field]

Status:

- UNCONFIRMED
- NEW
- ASSIGNED
- REOPENED
- RESOLVED
- VERIFIED
- CLOSED

Resolution:

- FIXED
- INVALID
- WONTFIX
- DUPLICATE
- WORKSFORME
- INCOMPLETE
- EXPIRED
- MOVED
- 

Severity:

- blocker
- critical
- major
- normal
- minor
- trivial
- enhancement

Priority:

- 
- P1
- P2
- P3
- P4
- P5

Hardware:

- All
- ARM
- DEC
- HP
- PowerPC
- x86
- x86\_64
- SGI
- Sun

OS:

- All
- Windows 95
- Windows 98
- Windows ME
- Windows NT
- Windows 2000
- Windows XP
- Windows Server 2003
- Windows Server 2008

Email Addresses, Bug Numbers, and Votes

Any of:

- the bug assignee
- the reporter
- the QA contact
- a CC list member
- a commenter

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Bug Changes

Only bugs changed between:

[Empty date input] and Now

(YYYY-MM-DD or relative dates)

where one or more of the following changed:

[Bug creation]

Search for bugs

Find a Specific Bug

Advanced Search

Give me some help (reloads page).

Summary: contains all of the strings

Search input field

Search

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I know, right?

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Bug Changes

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Input fields for date range

(YYYY-MM-DD or relative dates)

where one or more of the following changed:

[Bug creation]

**The other is beautiful,  
but only works 99% of  
the time**

product:Firefox RealPlayer reporter:johnath|

Quick Search

[Quick Search help](#) | [Install the Quick Search plugin](#)



**isn't that lovely?**

If you're not sure what  
the keyword should be:  
**Guess!**

Field `wb` is not a known field. The legal field names are [listed here](#).

Please press **Back** and try again.

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- Filing bugs: help me help you - help me find you, help me understand you.
- Learn to ignore what you don't need.
- Learn quicksearch. Love quicksearch.

# Bugzilla Pro Tip: Etiquette

[https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/  
page.cgi?id=etiquette.html](https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/page.cgi?id=etiquette.html)

**Remember that you  
represent the  
community**

**Remember that bugzilla  
is full of humans**



**You don't have to "win"**

**You also don't have to  
lose**

# Bugzilla Pro Tip: Finding bugmail addresses

Bugzilla cannot make a conclusive match for one or more of the names and/or email addresses you entered on the previous page.  
Please examine the lists of potential matches below and select the ones you want, or go back to the previous page to revise the names you entered.

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CC: **madhava** matched:

abhinesh <abhinesh.sethumadhavan@gmail.com>  
Anantha <anantha.madhava@mphasis.com>  
Anil Madhavapeddy <anil@recoil.org>  
Madhava Challa <cmadhav@hotmail.com>  
Madhava <maddy.ns2@gmail.com>

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Continue

# substrings work

**CC List:** 33 users including you

**Add**

vin.sh|

ajvincent@gmail.com  
beltzner@mozilla.com  
benjamin@smedbergs.us  
bent.mozilla@gmail.com  
bhearsum@mozilla.com

Remove selected CCs

# which is why we all do this stupid thing

**Nick Thomas** [:nthomas] 2009-11-04 16:57:58 PST

Comment 29  Private [reply] [-]

(In reply to [comment #24](#))

> But, as you point out, the list would get reset at every minor update (though  
> it would mean those users would end up getting a full mar)

FWIW, we can force the list to be overwritten with a partial update too.

**Mike Beltzner** [:beltzner] 2009-11-04 17:17:28 PST

Comment 30  Private [reply] [-]

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**Ted Mielczarek** (:luser) 2009-11-04 17:33:28 PST

Comment 31  Private [reply] [-]

(In reply to [comment #21](#))

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**Vladimir Vukicevic** (:vlad) 2009-11-04 17:48:36 PST

Comment 32  Private [reply] [-]

# which is why we all do this stupid thing

**Nick Thomas** [:nthomas] 2009-11-04 16:57:58 PST

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# Bugzilla Pro Tip: Watching

### User Watching

If you watch a user, it is as if you are standing in their shoes for the purposes of getting email. Email is sent or not according to your preferences for their relationship to the bug (e.g. Assignee).

You are watching everyone in the following list:

phishing.protection@firefox.bugs  
planet-mozilla-org@website.bugs  
private.browsing@firefox.bugs  
talos@testing.bugs  
ui@security.bugs

Remove selected users from my watch list

[Add users to my watch list \(comma separated list\):](#)

**Creepy, but useful!**

## Bug 513147 - Get rid of the "Properties" context menu item [\(edit\)](#)

Last

**Status:** VERIFIED FIXED ([edit](#))

**Whiteboard:** [killthem] See comment #40 for an extension if you need

**Keywords:** dev-doc-complete, useless-UI, verified1.9.2

**Product:** Firefox

**Component:** Menus

**Version:** Trunk

**Platform:** All All

**Importance:** -- normal (vote)

**Target Milestone:** Firefox 3.7a1

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**URL:**

**Depends on:** [520300](#) [514520](#) [515108](#) [515368](#) [517902](#) [522913](#) ([edit](#))

**Blocks:**

Show dependency [tree](#) / [graph](#)

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### Flags:

blocking-firefox3.6

wanted-firefox3.6

blocking1.9.0.16

blocking1.9.0.17

wanted1.9.0.x

blocking1.8.1.next

wanted1.8.1.x

blocking1.8.0.next

# Bugzilla Pro Tip: Managing Bugmail

**By default, Bugzilla  
assumes you want to  
know everything**

**You do not.**

**Email Preferences**

If you don't like getting a notification for "trivial" changes to bugs, you can use the settings below to filter some or all notifications.


**Global options:**

- Email me when someone asks me to set a flag
- Email me when someone sets a flag I asked for

**Field/recipient specific options:**

| When my relationship to this bug is: |                                     |                                     |                                     |                                     | I want to receive mail when:                         |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Assignee                             | QA Contact                          | Reporter                            | CCed                                | Voter                               |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | I'm added to or removed from this capacity           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>             | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | A new bug is created                                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | The bug is resolved or reopened                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | The priority, status, severity, or milestone changes |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | New comments are added                               |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | New attachments are added                            |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Some attachment data changes                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | The keywords field changes                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>             | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | The CC field changes                                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | The dependency tree changes                          |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Any field not mentioned above changes                |
|                                      |                                     |                                     |                                     |                                     | <b>but not when (overrides above):</b>               |
| <input type="checkbox"/>             | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | The bug is in the UNCONFIRMED state                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | The change was made by me                            |



# Final Review Slide!

- Bugzilla is scary, but important
- Help me help you when filing bugs
- Learn to ignore what you don't need
- Quicksearch FTW
- Manage your bugmail
- Be nice

**Now go set up your  
account**

<https://bugzilla.mozilla.org>