# Ruby - Bug #4088

# Case Sensitivity in Regular Expressions with Lookbehind

11/25/2010 05:40 PM - rklemme (Robert Klemme)

Status: Closed Priority: Normal

Assignee:

Target version:

**ruby -v:** ruby 1.9.1p430 (2010-08-16 revision

28998) [i386-cygwin]

Backport:

## Description

=begin

It seems regular expressions with negative lookbehind do not treat case properly if

- 1. there is an alternative in the lookbehind
- 2. one alternative is longer than one char

I believe lines 18 - 20 are wrong and should return the same result as line 17.

Interestingly if the alternatives in lookbehind are exchanged the expression works as expected (lines 23 - 25). =end

#### History

## #1 - 11/25/2010 06:24 PM - rklemme (Robert Klemme)

- File rx.rb added
- File out.txt added

# =begin

Added grouping to the lookbehind to check whether precedence of "|" has an effect - it does not. Lines 23 - 25 are also wrong. (Note: line numbers from comment 1 have partially changed.) = end

## #2 - 11/26/2010 12:37 PM - naruse (Yui NARUSE)

- Status changed from Open to Closed
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

#### =begin

This issue was solved with changeset r29939.

Robert, thank you for reporting this issue.

Your contribution to Ruby is greatly appreciated.

May Ruby be with you.

=end

#### **Files**

rx.rb	245 Bytes	11/25/2010	rklemme (Robert Klemme)
out.txt	861 Bytes	11/25/2010	rklemme (Robert Klemme)
rx.rb	287 Bytes	11/25/2010	rklemme (Robert Klemme)
out.txt	1.32 KB	11/25/2010	rklemme (Robert Klemme)

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