

Ruby - Bug #4776

DateTime.new! has been disabled

05/25/2011 09:26 AM - tenderlovmaking (Aaron Patterson)

<b>Status:</b>	Rejected	<b>Backport:</b>
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	
<b>Assignee:</b>	tadf (tadayoshi funaba)	
<b>Target version:</b>		
<b>ruby -v:</b>	ruby 1.9.3dev (2011-06-06 trunk 31944) [x86_64-darwin10.7.0]	
<b>Description</b>		
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History

#1 - 05/28/2011 07:59 AM - tenderlovmaking (Aaron Patterson)

- ruby -v changed from ruby 1.9.3dev (2011-05-24 trunk 31718) [x86\_64-darwin10.7.0] to -

On Wed, May 25, 2011 at 09:26:10AM +0900, Aaron Patterson wrote:

Issue [#4776](#) has been reported by Aaron Patterson.

Bug [#4776](#): DateTime.new! has been disabled  
<http://redmine.ruby-lang.org/issues/4776>

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Bump?

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Aaron Patterson  
<http://tenderlovmaking.com/>

#2 - 06/07/2011 02:37 AM - tenderlovemaking (Aaron Patterson)  
- ruby -v changed from - to ruby 1.9.3dev (2011-06-06 trunk 31944) [x86\_64-darwin10.7.0]

Hello? :(

#3 - 06/07/2011 08:12 PM - tadf (tadayoshi funaba)  
- Status changed from Open to Rejected

not a bug.  
  
it's for only internal use.  
he must have known it.  
i once talked to the authour of tzinfo about Rational.new!.  
  
anyway now DateTime.new! is not reasonable at all.  
it does not depend on the current internal structure.  
it is not fast if avairable.  
  
learn good manners.

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noname	500 Bytes	05/28/2011	tenderlovemaking (Aaron Patterson)