

Foreman - Bug #1560

Foreman and windows-1250 encoding (puppet facts)

03/30/2012 03:54 AM - Jan Ziegler

Status: Resolved	
Priority: Normal	
Assignee:	
Category:	
Target version:	
Difficulty:	Fixed in Releases:
Triaged:	Found in Releases:
Bugzilla link:	Red Hat JIRA:
Pull request:	
Description	
Hi,	
When using puppet on German windows together with foreman (same machine is puppetmaster) there is an encoding bug.	
Windows uses windows-1250 encoding, but foreman needs UTF-8 encoding. As a result foreman doesn't show any facts about windows puppet clients.	
In Germany there is a facter line:	
Mitteleuropäische Zeit	
Foreman does not like the "ä" inside this line. Changing the "ä" to an "a" solves this problem.	
Related issues:	
Related to Foreman - Bug #3628: invalid byte-sequence for encoding utf8 when ...	Resolved 11/12/2013

History

#1 - 03/30/2012 04:05 AM - Jan Ziegler

I already wrote with Ohad Levy and that's his opinion about it:

"it sounds to me like two different bugs:

1. facter does not verify that it gets the values in UTF8
2. foreman does not check that either.

imho, its best solved in 1, and as a workaround ,we can probably fix it in 2 as well."

#2 - 02/14/2015 06:55 AM - Markus Frosch

- Related to Bug #3628: invalid byte-sequence for encoding utf8 when importing facts added

#3 - 02/14/2015 07:06 AM - Markus Frosch

See [#3628](#) and PR <https://github.com/theforeman/puppet-foreman/pull/274>

#4 - 02/16/2015 03:32 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Status changed from New to Feedback

It'll be in Foreman 1.8.

#5 - 05/17/2017 10:22 AM - Anonymous

- Status changed from Feedback to Resolved