
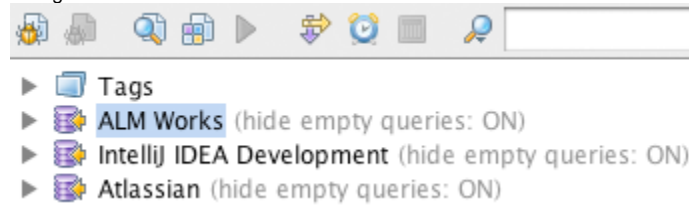


Connection

Connection is a link to a remote JIRA server. You can create a connection in JIRA Client when starting it for the first time in the **Welcome to JIRA Client** window or any time later selecting **File | Connection Manager** and **File | New JIRA Connection** commands.

After a connection is created, it is displayed in the **Navigation Area** and marked with a connection icon . You can have one or several connections configured in JIRA Client:



To work more efficiently in JIRA Client, we recommend you to [limit the number of projects](#) you are connected to. This will help to lower the bandwidth and consume less memory and CPU resources.

See Also

- [Adding New Connection and Retrieving Issues](#)
- [Performance Issues when Working with a Large Issue Database](#)