

Paused Automation

To avoid unnecessary high resource consumption, Structure moderates the generation time for every structure by limiting it to a fixed value. If a structure is not generated within the existing time limit, the generation process is paused, and the structure is marked as timed out.

When a structure times out, the generators stop working and all their content is removed, leaving only the structure's skeleton visible. A notification banner will appear above the structure, letting users know Automation is paused:

Main structure

Automation was paused. More

Resume

Key	Summary	TP	Links count	Item ID
	Main structure			structure/222
	Add issues linked by Blocks : parent blocks children			generator/1386
	Insert issues: project is not empty			generator/1186

If a timed-out structure is addressed in the 'structure()' JQL function, the JQL search of that query will return an error message.

Resuming Automation

To restore Automation, those generators that were unable to add their requested content in time must be deleted or edited. To find out which generators are working too slow, click **More** on the notification banner. Additional information will be shown, displaying the overall percentage of time that each generator took before Automation was paused. The highest number will indicate the slowest generator.

Automation was paused. Less

Resume

Structure generation was taking too long, so it was paused. Please consider reconfiguring your generators or removing some of them. Also you can adjust the time limit in structure settings.

Add issues linked by Blocks : parent blocks children	97.58%
Insert issues: project is not empty	2.42%

Deleting a generator from a structure doesn't resume Automation. You must first click the 'Resume' button. This allows you to perform multiple actions before resuming Automation.

When Automation is resumed successfully, the structure will be updated with content and the banner's message will be changed accordingly. At this point, you can close the banner.

Automation work was successfully resumed.

Close

Changing the Allowed Generation Time for a Structure

If Automation is paused by a generator that you consider reasonably configured, you can increase the default time limit of 30 seconds and let the structure generate for a longer time period.

To edit the Automation time limit:

- Go to **Structure | Manage Structures** in the Jira menu. Locate the structure you want to adjust (in most cases, this will be the Current Structure).
- Click **Configure**.
- Adjust the **Time limit** to the number of seconds you want Automation to wait before timing out.
- Click **Update** to apply the new settings.

Edit Structure

Edit Structure

Name **Pages**

Description

Owner **admin4ik**

Permissions User permission level is calculated by applying rules from this list, from top to bottom. **The last matching rule takes precedence.** Structure owner and Jira administrators always have **Control** permissions.

1. By default, permission level is **None**

Add Rule Set Permission Level to None for Everyone **Add**

Options ☐ Require **Edit Issue** permission on parent issue to rearrange sub-issues
☐ Allow manual adjustments of generated content

Time limit **30** seconds (for automation)

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Time Limit Guidelines

When changing the **Time limit**, keep the following in mind:

- A generation time limit can't be less than 5 seconds or more than the system-wide hard limit
- Although the value is entered in seconds, the limit can be set to several minutes
- 'Control' structure permission is required to change the time limit

Identifying a Paused Structure

If Automation is paused in a structure, the **AUTOMATION PAUSED** indicator will appear next to the structure's name on the Manage Structures screen.

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Current Structure

This page lets you manage your current structure.

Name	Owner	Access	Popularity	Sync With	Operations
★ Main structure AUTOMATION PAUSED	admin	Control	1	Not synchronized Settings	Configure Views Delete Archive Import Export Copy

You can quickly locate paused structures by clicking the **Paused** option in the left menu.

Changing the Default Generation Time Limit


To change the default generation time limit for all structures, go to **Administration | Structure | Defaults**. Look for the the **Structure Automation Defaults** section and click **Change**.

Structure Automation Defaults

These are the default settings and thresholds for generated structures.
Every structure has automation-related settings that override the defaults.

Default generation time limit (in seconds): 30


Change

 Only Jira administrators can change this setting.

If the time limit was manually set for a specific structure, it will not be changed to the default one. Only structures using the default time limit will be affected.

System-wide Hard Limit

The system-wide generation time limit is initially set for 10 minutes. It can be adjusted by using Script Runner or other similar tools, or by changing the `structure.gfs.generationTimeHardLimit` property, with the [Structure Dark Feature and Fine Tuning Interface](#). The Generation Time Hard Limit setting accepts an integer number in seconds.

 The generation time limit in a structure is only taken into account if it is less than the system-wide hard limit; otherwise it is ignored and the system-wide hard limit is used instead.