**Ruby master - Feature #4243**

[PATCH] DRb should not forefully close connections on DRb#stop_service

01/06/2011 11:12 PM - zimbatm (zimba tm)

| Status:    | Closed               |
| Priority:  | Normal               |
| Assignee:  | seki (Masatoshi Seki) |
| Target version: | 2.0.0               |

**Description**

```ruby
When DRb#stop_service is called, all connections get terminated by
calling Thread.kill on them. It means that all code that is invoked trough
DRb must be exception-safe. This poses the same kind of issues we have
with Kernel#timeout.

This patch changes the behavior of DRb to only kill the accepting
thread, so that no new connections are made. New queries are also
rejected. DRb#stop_service is synchronous and waits for all child-threads
to terminate.
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Please note that this patch is quite old, so I may have forgotten some details
of it. It was posted on rubyforge at [http://rubyforge.org/tracker/?func=detail&atid=1698&aid=14438&group_id=426](http://rubyforge.org/tracker/?func=detail&atid=1698&aid=14438&group_id=426).
The new version got imported into git and applies on top of ae366b39fd723231c0bbbc3c33f4603b6e0e0ef0 or svn r30363 (not sure
about the patch format)

This patch can easily be back-ported to 1.8.x since drb.rb hasn't changed much.

Cheers,
zimbatm

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**History**

#1 - 01/13/2011 05:25 PM - usa (Usaku NAKAMURA)
- Status changed from Open to Assigned
- Assignee set to seki (Masatoshi Seki)

```text
begin

end
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#2 - 06/26/2011 04:10 PM - nahi (Hiroshi Nakamura)
- Target version changed from 1.9.2 to 1.9.3

#3 - 07/11/2011 11:19 PM - mame (Yusuke Endoh)
- Tracker changed from Bug to Feature

#4 - 07/11/2011 11:19 PM - mame (Yusuke Endoh)

This ticket is a feature, not a bug. Moving to Feature tracker.
And the feature proposed introduces incompatibility. We have to
be careful about the ticket.

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#5 - 07/11/2011 11:20 PM - mame (Yusuke Endoh)
- Target version changed from 1.9.3 to 2.0.0

#6 - 10/27/2012 06:44 AM - ko1 (Koichi Sasada)
I close this ticket. Seki-san said no such problem now. Please re-open this ticket if the issue is not gone.

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