

# getPriority

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## Signature

Helper	nodeHelper	
Signature	getPriority (String priorityName)	getPriority (String priorityName, issue)
Description	Returns a <a href="#">priority</a> . Null if not found	Returns a <a href="#">priority</a> . Null if not found
Introduced in	0.8	3.2.0

## For Jira Cloud and Jira Server 7.5.x and lower

### Example use

```
if (replica.assignee.displayName == "Steve Jobs") {  
    issue.priority = nodeHelper.getPriority("Critical")  
}
```

## For JIRA Server 7.6 and higher

In [7.6 version](#) Atlassian introduced [priority schemes](#), which helps to choose different properties for different projects.

We retrieve a project key from the issue variable to find a project with a set of priorities.

### Example use

```
if (replica.assignee.displayName == "Steve Jobs") {  
    issue.priority = nodeHelper.getPriority("Critical", issue)  
}
```

## Mapping priorities

```
// SETTINGS
def priorityMapping = [
    "Remote Priority 1": "Local Priority 1"
] as Map<String, String>
// END: SETTINGS

def desiredPriority = priorityMapping[replica.priority.name] ?: replica.priority.name
issue.priority = nodeHelper.getPriority(desiredPriority, issue)
if (issue.priority == null) {
    throw new com.exalate.api.exception.IssueTrackerException("""
Can not find priority `${desiredPriority}` for the project `${issue.project?.key}`.
Please check project settings or change the script""").toString()
}
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