

# TeamCity Build Runner

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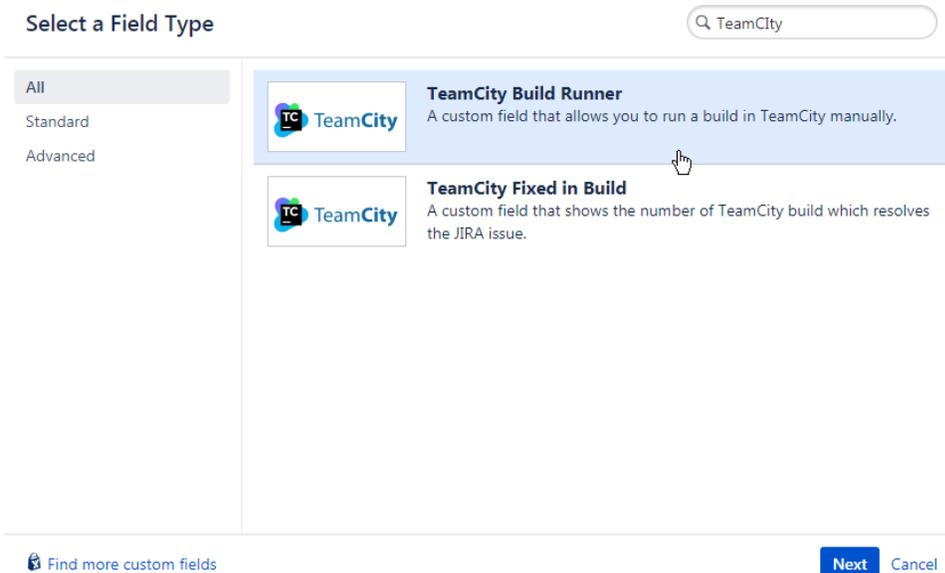
 This feature is available for **Jira Server** only.

Starting from version **2.2.0**, TeamCity Integration for Jira app allows you to manage the TeamCity Build Runner custom field. It allows you to remotely run builds on TeamCity server from Jira.

Before proceeding to configuration of this custom field, please refer to the documentation about [management of custom fields](#) in Jira.

## Adding a Custom Field

1. Navigate to **Administration > Issues > Fields > Custom Fields**.
2. Click **Add Custom Field**.
3. In the **Select a Field Type** form, switch to view all custom fields and enter 'TeamCity' into the search field.



The screenshot shows the 'Select a Field Type' interface. On the left, there are tabs for 'All', 'Standard', and 'Advanced'. A search bar at the top right contains the text 'TeamCity'. Below the search bar, two results are displayed as cards. The first card, 'TeamCity Build Runner', is highlighted in light blue and has a mouse cursor pointing at it. The second card, 'TeamCity Fixed in Build', is below it. At the bottom left, there is a link 'Find more custom fields'. At the bottom right, there are two buttons: 'Next' (highlighted in blue) and 'Cancel'.

4. Select **TeamCity Build Runner** field.
5. Click **Next**.
6. Specify the field name and its description.
7. Click **Create**.
8. Select the screens where you want to display this field.
9. Save the configuration.

## Configuring the Custom Field

1. Locate the newly added custom field and click the cogwheel button.

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|---|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|--|
| <b>TeamCity Build Runner</b>                              | TeamCity Build Ru...    | Global (all projects) | 2 screens |  |
| <b>Time to approve normal change</b> <span>LOCKED</span>  | SLA CustomField ...     | Global (all projects) | 0 scre    |  |
| <b>Time to close after resolution</b> <span>LOCKED</span> | SLA CustomField ...     | Global (all projects) | 0 scre    |  |
| <b>Time to first response</b> <span>LOCKED</span>         | SLA CustomField ...     | Global (all projects) | 0 scre    |  |
| <b>Time to resolution</b> <span>LOCKED</span>             | SLA CustomField ...     | Global (all projects) | 0 screens |  |
| <b>Urgency</b>  | Select List (single ... | Global (all projects) | 7 screens |  |
| <b>Workaround</b>   | Text Field (multi-li... | Global (all projects) | 2 screens |  |

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2. Click **Configure**.

3. On the opened page, click **Edit Default Value**.

Configure Custom Field: TeamCity Build Runner

Below are the Custom Field Configuration schemes for this custom field. Schemes are applicable for various issues types in a particular context. You can configure a custom field differently for each project context or in a global context. Moreover, project level schemes will over-ride global ones.

- Add new context
- View Custom Fields

Default Configuration Scheme for TeamCity Build Runner

Default configuration scheme generated by Jira

Applicable contexts for scheme: [Edit Configuration](#)

Issue type(s):  
Global (all issues)

Default value: [Edit Default value](#)

4. Select the appropriate TeamCity server, project, build configuration and branch. You can also add an optional comment and define the build parameters.

Set Custom Field Defaults

Set the default value for custom field: TeamCity Build Runner

TeamCity\*

Project\*

Build Configuration\*

Branch

Comment

Add a comment to the build

Allow users to view and edit the comment

Properties

Define the build parameters. [Learn more](#)

Allow users to view and edit properties

5. Optionally, you can allow users to view and edit the comment appended to the build. You can also allow users to view and edit properties which the build is triggered with.

6. Click **Set Default**.

Once you have configured and added the custom field, you can remotely [run builds in TeamCity from Jira](#).

Users will be able to change the default branch configured for the field once they decide to run a build in an issue.

## Adding Build Parameters into Custom Field Configuration

You can add one or multiple build parameters into configuration of the custom field.

For example, if you want to add one parameter with the value so you have to specify the following:

```
teamcity.agent.name=teamcity_agent_name
```

If you want to add multiple parameters, use the ';' (semicolon) as a separator for multiple parameters, as follows:

```
teamcity.agent.name=Windows2012R2;issue_key=$JIRA_KEY
```

If you want to run a chain of linked builds within the same branch but from a different build configuration, use the following parameter in the property set:

```
reverse.dep.*.teamcity.branch.name=$BRANCH_NAME
```

If you want to pass the issue key to TeamCity for mapping the build to the specific issue, add the following property:

```
issue_key=$JIRA_KEY
```

 For the list of accepted build parameters, see [TeamCity documentation](#).

 The teamcity.build.branch parameter (if used not for a chain of linked builds) is deprecated since [TeamCity Integration for Jira 2.7.0](#) and will be ignored.