

Ruby - Bug #19387

ObjectSpace.each_objects only returns shareable objects after starting a Ractor

01/27/2023 07:27 PM - luke-gru (Luke Gruber)

Status:	Assigned	Backport: 2.7: UNKNOWN, 3.0: UNKNOWN, 3.1: UNKNOWN, 3.2: UNKNOWN
Priority:	Normal	
Assignee:	ractor	
Target version:		
ruby -v:	3.3.0	
Description		
<pre>r = Ractor.new do receive # block, the problem is not the termination of the ractor but the starting end ObjectSpace.each_object(IO) { io p io # we get no objects }</pre>		
Related issues:		
Related to Ruby - Feature #17270: ObjectSpace.each_object should be restricte...		Closed
Has duplicate Ruby - Bug #21149: Strange behavior of ObjectSpace.each_object ...		Rejected
Has duplicate Ruby - Bug #21401: ObjectSpace can't count Fibers after using a...		Rejected

Associated revisions

Revision c08fdc68383ee368c18e15e298502e6ee0089e18 - 09/05/2023 11:19 AM - KJ Tsanaktsidis

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History

#1 - 01/27/2023 07:32 PM - luke-gru (Luke Gruber)

- Subject changed from *Issue with ObjectSpace.each_objects not returning IO objects after starting a ractor* to *Issue with ObjectSpace.each_objects not returning objects after starting a ractor*

The problem is actually for any objects, not just IO.

PR here: <https://github.com/ruby/ruby/pull/7191>

Edit: I took down the PR because I realized it doesn't properly fix the issue. The only way to get this working, and also to get ObjectSpace._id2ref working, is to keep the RACTOR_BELONGING_ID in all builds, and use that info when letting ractors access the objects.

I'll create another PR with that in mind. But I'm wondering why was this only in debug builds? Does it have to do with speed?

#2 - 02/07/2023 06:05 AM - hsbt (Hiroshi SHIBATA)

- Status changed from *Open* to *Assigned*

- Assignee set to *ko1* (Koichi Sasada)

#3 - 09/05/2023 11:20 AM - Anonymous

- Status changed from *Assigned* to *Closed*

Applied in changeset [git|c08fdc68383ee368c18e15e298502e6ee0089e18](#).

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#4 - 09/05/2023 02:12 PM - ko1 (Koichi Sasada)

- Status changed from *Closed* to *Assigned*

c08fdc68383ee368c18e15e298502e6ee0089e18 is not related to this ticket.

#5 - 09/09/2023 09:51 AM - Anonymous

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#6 - 01/04/2024 10:24 PM - luke-gru (Luke Gruber)

- *ruby -v set to 3.3.0*

I believe this was closed prematurely due to an unrelated git commit that wrongly tagged it. Please reopen :)

#7 - 01/04/2024 11:43 PM - jeremyevans0 (Jeremy Evans)

- *Status changed from Closed to Open*

#8 - 01/11/2024 02:12 AM - Anonymous

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#9 - 01/11/2024 03:34 AM - luke-gru (Luke Gruber)

It happened again :(I notified the committer of the mistake. Please reopen, thanks!

#10 - 01/11/2024 04:38 AM - jeremyevans0 (Jeremy Evans)

- *Status changed from Closed to Open*

#11 - 04/03/2024 03:50 AM - hsbt (Hiroshi SHIBATA)

- *Status changed from Open to Assigned*

#12 - 02/19/2025 11:07 PM - wanabe (_ wanabe)

- *Has duplicate Bug #21149: Strange behavior of ObjectSpace.each_object after Ractor.new added*

#13 - 03/12/2025 08:12 PM - Eregon (Benoit Daloze)

One idea to solve this would be to implement ObjectSpace.each_object like TruffleRuby does it (at least when there are multiple Ractors): basically it's just the transitive ObjectSpace.reachable_objects_from(roots). I.e. it uses the same mechanism as GC traversal/marking to find every object reachable from some roots objects (like Object class, the stack frames, etc).

Context: the latest breakage due to this bug: <https://github.com/ruby/prism/pull/3491>
And I know of many before, it's a very common issue that Ractor.new can't be used in make test-all.

#14 - 03/25/2025 11:21 PM - tenderlovmaking (Aaron Patterson)

- *Assignee changed from ko1 (Koichi Sasada) to ractor*

#15 - 05/09/2025 04:50 AM - osyoyu (Daisuke Aritomo)

I also ran into this, so I opened a pull request document this behavior.
<https://github.com/ruby/ruby/pull/13278>

#16 - 05/09/2025 06:41 PM - Eregon (Benoit Daloze)

- *Related to Feature #17270: ObjectSpace.each_object should be restricted on multi-Ractors added*

#17 - 06/09/2025 04:32 PM - jhawthorn (John Hawthorn)

- *Has duplicate Bug #21401: ObjectSpace can't count Fibers after using a Ractor added*

#18 - 06/09/2025 04:35 PM - jhawthorn (John Hawthorn)

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