
Subject: Re: StringBuffer size [BUG]
Posted by [leidner](#) on Tue, 19 May 2009 02:31:59 GMT
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Hi,

While it is true that the default text may simplify debugging,

I agree with the poster that this behavior violates developers expectations (I don't know of any other API where you have to call `clear()` before using an object the first time), and because of that, it makes it more likely that bugs get introduced in the first place.

Would you consider changing this so as to initialize with the empty string?

Best regards
Jochen