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**Subject:** Re: :( errors on sfx project  
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/\* zpsfx.cpp v1.00 - ZPAQ self extracting stub.  
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This program is intended to be as simple as possible to illustrate how to create self extracting ZPAQ archives. You can customize it.

To compile this program:

```
g++ -O2 -s zpsfx.cpp libzpaq.cpp libzpaqo.cpp -DNDEBUG  
upx a.exe
```

Or use appropriate optimization options. -s and upx can be used to make the executable smaller. -DNDEBUG turns off run time checks.

To convert a ZPAQ archive to a self extracting archive:

```
copy/b zpsfx.exe+zpsfx.tag+archive.zpaq archive.exe
```

zpsfx.tag is a 13 byte file used to mark the start of the compressed data that is appended. Alternatively, zpaq with the "t" modifier will append the same tag ("a" appends).

```
copy zpsfx.exe archive.exe  
zpaq ta archive.exe files...
```

To extract:

```
archive.exe
```

The program reads itself and decompresses the appended archive. You must enter the .exe extension as shown. If the file is not in the current folder then you need to specify the path. The PATH environment variable won't be used to find it.

Files will be extracted and named according to the stored filenames. It will overwrite existing files without warning. It will not create directories. It will exit if any errors occur, such as the first segment not having a stored filename. SHA-1 checksums are not verified.

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```

#include "libzpaq.h"
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

#include <CtrlLib/CtrlLib.h>

// http://java.sun.com/docs/books/tutorial/uiswing/start/swingTour.html
using namespace Upp;

using namespace std;

// An error handler is required as shown in this example. libzpaq will
// call it with an English language message in case of a fatal error.

namespace libzpaq {
void error(const char* msg) {
    fprintf(stderr, "%s\n", msg);
    exit(1);
}

// Default models. If you compile with -DNOOPT and not link with libzpaqo.cpp
// then zpsfx.exe will be a few KB smaller. However, if the archive was
// compressed with any of the three default models (fast, mid, max), then
// decompression would not be as fast.

#ifndef NOOPT
const char models[]={0,0};
void ZPAQL::run(U32 a) {run0(a);}
int Predictor::predict() {return predict0();}
void Predictor::update(int y) {update0(y);}
#endif
}

// I/O types. A Decompressor reads from a Reader and writes to a Writer,
// which are abstract base classes.
// The user must override Reader::get() and Writer::put() to read and write
// bytes or EOF (-1) as in this example. This allows decompression (and
// compression) to/from either files or data structures in memory.

struct File: public libzpaq::Reader, public libzpaq::Writer {
FILE* f;
File(FILE* f_): f(f_) {}
int get() {return getc(f);}
void put(int c) {putc(c, f);}
};

// The Decompressor will read a filename from the archive and write it here.
// Again we override Writer::put(), but this time it appends a byte to
// a 0 terminated string until it is full. There is no limit on the filename

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// size in the archive, so this will fail if the filename is huge.

struct Buf: public libzpaq::Writer {
    enum {SIZE=511}; // max length of output
    int len;          // length of output in s
    char s[SIZE+1];  // 0 terminated string
    void clear() {s[len=0]=0;} // erase contents
    Buf() {clear();}
    void put(int c) {if (len<SIZE) s[len]=c, s[++len]=0;}
};

// Extract ZPAQ compressed data appended to this program executable
int mai(const char *GetExeTitle) {

    // Find self. You could also try adding a .exe extension and searching
    // the PATH, but we will keep it simple.
    File in(fopen(GetExeTitle, "rb"));
    if (!in.f) perror(GetExeTitle), exit(1);

    // Extract each named segment to a separate file. The first segment must
    // be named. Unnamed segments are appended to the previous segment.
    libzpaq::Decompressor d;
    d.setInput(&in);
    File out(0);

    // Read all blocks.
    // The marker tag (zpsfx.tag) is used to find the first block.
    while (d.findBlock()) {

        // Read all segments in the block.
        // The filename is read from the segment header.
        Buf filename;
        while (d.findFilename(&filename)) {
            printf("Extracting %s\n", filename.s);

            // If the segment is named then open a new output file.
            if (filename.len) { // segment is named?
                if (out.f) fclose(out.f);
                out.f=fopen(filename.s, "wb");
            }
            if (!out.f) perror(filename.s), exit(1);
            d.setOutput(&out);
            filename.clear();

            // Ignore comment after filename from the segment header.
            d.readComment();

            // Decompress up to the end of the segment.

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d.decompress();

// Ignore SHA-1 checksum if any.
d.readSegmentEnd();
}
}

if (out.f) fclose(out.f);
return 0;
}

struct ButtonApp : TopWindow {
    int count;
    Button button;
    Label label;

    void RefreshLabel()
    {
        label = Format("Number of button clicks %d", count);
    }
    void Click()
    {
        mai(GetExeTitle.c_str);
    }

    typedef ButtonApp CLASSNAME;

    ButtonApp()
    {
        count = 0;
        button <= THISBACK(Click);
        button.SetLabel("&I'm an Ultimate++ button!");
        Add(button.VCenterPos(20).HCenterPos(200));
        Add(label.BottomPos(0, 20).HCenterPos(200));
        label.SetAlign(ALIGN_CENTER);
        Sizeable().Zoomable();
        RefreshLabel();
    }
};

GUI_APP_MAIN {
    ButtonApp w;
    w.Run();
}

```

Errors show:

```
---- libZPAQ ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (1 / 10)
---- CtrlLib ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (2 / 10)
---- CtrlCore ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (3 / 10)
---- Draw ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (4 / 10)
---- plugin/bmp ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (5 / 10)
---- RichText ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (6 / 10)
---- Core ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (7 / 10)
---- plugin/z ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (8 / 10)
---- plugin/png ( GUI GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (9 / 10)
---- zpsfx ( GUI MAIN GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 ) (10 / 10)
zpsfx.cpp
C:\MyApps\zpsfx\zpsfx.cpp: In member function 'void ButtonApp::Click()':
C:\MyApps\zpsfx\zpsfx.cpp:162: error: request for member 'c_str' in 'Upp::GetExeTitle', which is of
non-class type 'Upp::String()'
zpsfx: 1 file(s) built in (0:04.48), 4484 msecs / file, duration = 4531 msecs, parallelization 0%
```

There were errors. (0:05.34)

How to convert upp::string to const char\* for file access?  
c\_str doesn't work

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