
Subject: Re: saving a paletted PNG

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I'm having some more problems.

I have this test code:

```
void WritePNG(const String& filename)
```

```
{  
    ImageBuffer ib(256, 256);  
    ib.SetKind(IMAGE_OPAQUE);
```

```
    RGBA pal[256];  
    for (int i=0; i<256; ++i)  
    {  
        pal[i] = Color(i,i,i);  
    }
```

```
    int idx = 0;  
    for (int y=0; y<256; ++y)  
    {  
        RGBA* line = ib[y];  
        for (int x=0; x<256; ++x)  
        {  
            *line = pal[idx%256];  
            ++line;  
            ++idx;  
        }  
    }
```

```
    PNGEncoder png(8);  
    png.SetPalette(pal);  
    png.SaveFile(filename, ib);  
}
```

I would assume this code would generate a nice horizontal gradient, but it doesn't. Instead I get something that seems a bit like it's converted to 5bit colors. (every 8 pixels it jumps 16 indexes in the palette)
