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Subject: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [Novo](#) on Tue, 04 Aug 2009 03:49:57 GMT  
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### File Attachments

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1) [test\\_gunzip.zip](#), downloaded 341 times

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [mirek](#) on Tue, 04 Aug 2009 18:05:54 GMT  
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Mirek

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [Novo](#) on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 03:40:34 GMT  
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Mirek

If I understand correctly memory stream size is supposed to be equal to the size of an archived file (because I'm extracting this file into the memory stream). At least this test works fine with archives where size of an archived file is bigger than size of an archive itself.

Another .gz file, which is not used in the testcase, is just another example. If you want to use it, then `idx_file_size` should be set to 80.

Sorry, I forgot to describe wrong behavior. If you extract archived file using another application (I usually use Total Commander for such operations), and using `test_gunzip` and compare contents of extracted files you will see the difference.

Actually, the "a.a.a" file will contain the "eeFreeFreeFreeFreeFreeFree" suffix.

I tested that on Windows Vista 32 bit.

I ran a similar application on 114 files and only these two were extracted not correctly.

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [mirek](#) on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 06:23:44 GMT  
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OK, thanks. I was in impression that the size is wrong...

Mirek

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [mirek](#) on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 06:49:51 GMT  
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```
int GZDecompress(Stream& out, Stream& in, int size, Gate2<int, int> progress)
```

Here the 'size' parameter is a number of bytes to be read from in.

The size of .gz is 75 bytes, but you put there 48.

```
#include <Core/Core.h>
```

```

using namespace Upp;

CONSOLE_APP_MAIN
{
    FileOut out("u:/gztest/output.bin");
    FileIn in;

    if (!in.Open("u:/gztest/MedicalEnRu_abrv.idx.gz"))
        return;

    Buffer<char> index_data;
    MemStream index_stream;
    const int idx_file_size = 48;

    // Preallocate memory and create a memory stream ...
    index_data.Alloc(idx_file_size);
    index_stream.Create(~index_data, idx_file_size);

    GZDecompress(index_stream, in, in.GetLeft());
    index_stream.Seek(0);

    CopyStream(out, index_stream);
}

```

This works.

BTW, why MemStream? You can use 'out' as output directly without CopyStream.

Mirek

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
 Posted by [Novo](#) on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 15:17:20 GMT  
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```
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```

of the input stream because it can be easily retrieved from the input stream. The only useful size I could imagine in this situation was a minimal size of the output stream (to avoid multiple reallocations).

A few lines of documentation would help me a lot in this situation.

Quote:

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Mirek

This is just a testing application. In a real application I keep uncompressed data in memory.

Thanks a lot for your help!

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [mirek](#) on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 15:26:36 GMT  
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Novo wrote on Wed, 05 August 2009 11:17

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The idea is that in some cases, you might want to store more .gz parts in single stream... In that case you need to know when to stop decompressing (Of course, this is perhaps only useful for ZDecompress (without header), but was kept for header variant).

Mirek

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Posted by [Novo](#) on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 17:16:43 GMT  
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luzr wrote on Wed, 05 August 2009 11:26Novo wrote on Wed, 05 August 2009 11:17

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Mirek

line of documentation would make my way to understanding much shorter.

"size" can mean anything.

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Posted by [mirek](#) on Wed, 05 Aug 2009 18:21:21 GMT  
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Sorry about that. I hope to add docs soon.

Just a little note (for future ?), if I would like to give size to out, I would use this signature:

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I believe we are quite consistent with that...

Mirek

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Posted by [Novo](#) on Wed, 12 Aug 2009 02:34:44 GMT  
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IMO the "out\_size" name would be more informative.  
At least you would know that it is related to "out".

I figured out how to reserve memory with stringstream.

```
stringstream strm;  
string s;
```

```
s.reserve(512);  
strm.open(s);
```

It looks like that should work, though I'd prefer syntax below.

```
stringstream strm(string().reserve(512));
```

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [mirek](#) on Wed, 12 Aug 2009 07:25:52 GMT  
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Well, it is perhaps a good idea to add

```
void stringstream::reserve(int n)
```

which I did

Mirek

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Subject: Re: GZDecompress bug  
Posted by [Novo](#) on Fri, 14 Aug 2009 04:07:33 GMT  
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Mirek

Thanks a lot! That will let me get rid of MemStream in my code.

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