
Subject: problem with fprintf

Posted by [o_wild](#) on Mon, 11 Oct 2010 12:08:10 GMT

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The following code is excerpt of an opensource software, but there is error when compiled.

```
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```

The error message is
cannot pass objects of non-trivially-copyable type 'class Upp::String' through '...'

The software can be compiled with both mingw and MSVC as the developer says. Since I have problem using MSVC due to C2001 error(new line in constant), I choose MingGW 4.5.0.

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Subject: Re: problem with fprintf

Posted by [cbpporter](#) on Mon, 11 Oct 2010 12:26:11 GMT

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The problem is that when trying to pass your string as an argument ta a variable argument function the compiler has no means of knowing that you are trying to pass a C string. In such cases you must explicitly specify that you want to convert from String to C string. Try ~mes1, mes1.Begin() or casting to (char*).

Subject: Re: problem with fprintf

Posted by [o_wild](#) on Wed, 13 Oct 2010 10:54:05 GMT

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Thanks. Both will do.

Subject: Re: problem with fprintf

Posted by [mirek](#) on Fri, 15 Oct 2010 12:44:59 GMT

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Yes, Format. It is typesafe - you would not encounter above kind of problem there.

So in "true" U++ the code would look like this:

```
FileOut ofp;
```

```
....
```

```
ofp.Put(Format("%d\n", mes1);
```
