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Subject: Another String error solved, maybe.  
Posted by [nneilson](#) on Sun, 31 Jul 2016 15:30:23 GMT  
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from old apps edit field <=> just remove the =

String error

```
filename0=(String)OutFile;
```

error: no matching function for call to 'Upp::String::String(Upp::EditField&)'

All of the Strings are the upp Strings  
There are no uses of the std strings

It has been several years since compiling this app but it was good before

Neil

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Subject: String error has not been solved  
Posted by [nneilson](#) on Sat, 13 Aug 2016 04:40:56 GMT  
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```
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```

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Is this an instance where std:string needs to be used or just a dumb error I have made when using upp 10100

I did not have this error with a previous version of upp but that could have been a few years ago.

Neil

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Subject: Re: String error has not been solved  
Posted by [deep](#) on Tue, 16 Aug 2016 09:54:36 GMT  
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Hi Neil,

What is variable type for OutFile

Few lines of code will be useful.

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Subject: Re: String error has not been solved

Posted by [nneilson](#) on Thu, 18 Aug 2016 08:59:50 GMT

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deep wrote on Tue, 16 August 2016 02:54Hi Neil,

What is variable type for OutFile

Few lines of code will be useful.

After switching computers I am having a Problems finding the app that had 'OutFile' that was giving me that error'

I think all my 'filenames' infile, outfile are just upp String variables, they are just names, as upp Strings.

Some apps I am trying to update to the mingw compiler are having other issues, like one has 16 errors like:

C:\upp-mingw-10004\upp\uppsrc\Web\html.cpp (347): error: ambiguous overload for 'operator+' (operand types are 'Upp::HtmlTag' and 'Upp::Htmls')

I don't recall using html in my code but I was getting help,

For the errors displaying the filenames in an edit-field by just removing the '=' seems to allow the apps to compile and run, as Mentioned in a previous post.

If I get the error mentioned again I will include several lines of code and I could attach the complete app.

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Subject: Re: Another String error solved, maybe. Not solved !!

Posted by [nneilson](#) on Sat, 03 Sep 2016 12:36:41 GMT

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This is with upp 10200

three errors the same

(142): error: no matching function for call to 'Upp::String::String(Upp::EditField&)'

(150) and (158)

C:\upp-mingw-10200\upp\MyApps\DGPSmerge\DGPSmerge.cpp (150): error: no matching

function for call to 'Upp::String::String(Upp::EditField&)'

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```
#142 filename0=(String)OutFile;
# FileOut outF(filename0);
  if(!outF) {
    Exclamation("Unable to open Out file [* " + DeQtf(filename0));
    return;
  }

// FileIn in1((String)fn1);
#150 filename1=(String)BaseFile;
  FileIn in1(filename1);
  if(!in1) {
    Exclamation("Unable to open Base file [* " + DeQtf(filename1));
    return;
  }

// FileIn in2((String)fn2);
#158 filename2=(String)RoamFile;
  FileIn in2(filename2);
```

I don't understand what the problem is and what the upp changes are that causes this.

I still have the executable app that upp compiled before a few years ago that works OK still.

Here is a thread started by Mirek about changes "EditField::operator String() removed" with a mention of "is very easy to fix"

I do not understand what is required to be done.

[http://www.ultimatepp.org/forums/index.php?t=msg&goto=46824&#msg\\_46824](http://www.ultimatepp.org/forums/index.php?t=msg&goto=46824&#msg_46824)

## File Attachments

1) [upp 10200 error.txt](#), downloaded 222 times

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Subject: Re: Another String error solved, maybe.  
Posted by [deep](#) on Sun, 04 Sep 2016 15:30:17 GMT  
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Hi Neilson,

Try following.

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

using namespace Upp;

struct App : public TopWindow
{
    EditField infile,outfile,basefile;
    String In,Out,Base;

    App();
};

App::App()
{
    infile.SetText("In File");
    outfile.SetText("Out File");
    basefile.SetText("Base File");

    Add(infile.TopPos(4,20).HSizePos());
    Add(outfile.TopPos(28,20).HSizePos());
    Add(basefile.TopPos(52,20).HSizePos());

    Title("Test EditField").Sizeable().Zoomable();

    In = ~infile ;
    Out = ~outfile ;
    Base = ~basefile ;

    DUMP(In);
    DUMP(Out);
    DUMP(Base);
}

GUI_APP_MAIN
{
    App app;
    app.SetRect(100,100,300,200);
    app.Run();
}
```

This will give error. Will not compile.  
In = infile ;

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Subject: Re: Another String error solved, maybe.  
Posted by [nneilson](#) on Sun, 04 Sep 2016 18:47:57 GMT  
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Thanks deep, I will try your example.  
attached is a 7z of my app dgpsmerge

The base file is gps data at a known position. Whatever deviation from there is 'merged' with a roaming file to remove most atmospheric deviation in a gps signal. Just a standard method but I created my upp app to do it.

#### File Attachments

1) [DGPSmerge.7z](#), downloaded 197 times

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Subject: Re: Another String error solved, maybe.  
Posted by [deep](#) on Mon, 05 Sep 2016 13:24:07 GMT  
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Hi Neilson,

Your code will compile and run with following changes

```
// filename0=(String)OutFile;  
filename0= ~OutFile;
```

```
// filename1=(String)BaseFile;  
filename1=~BaseFile;
```

```
// filename2=(String)RoamFile;  
filename2=~RoamFile;
```

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Subject: Re: Another String error solved, maybe.  
Posted by [nneilson](#) on Mon, 05 Sep 2016 16:35:25 GMT  
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Thank you very much Deepak!!

After making the changes it compiles OK.

All the files this app uses are in the same directory so once that is set that directory opens automatically.

Thanks again Deepak

Neil

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Subject: Re: Another String error solved, maybe.  
Posted by [cbpporter](#) on Fri, 09 Sep 2016 08:43:58 GMT  
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Posted by [deep](#) on Fri, 09 Sep 2016 09:50:49 GMT  
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Hi

The problem reported in compile is for Sort()

Sort internally using

```
template <class T>  
inline void Swap(T& a, T& b) { T tmp = pick(a); a = pick(b); b = pick(tmp); }
```

which generates compile error for "="

c:\devtools\g\_upp\uppsrc\core\Defs.h(462): error C2678: binary '=': no operator found which takes a left-hand operand of type 'const Upp::String' (or there is no acceptable conversion)

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Subject: Re: Another String error solved, maybe.  
Posted by [mirek](#) on Sat, 10 Sep 2016 05:49:56 GMT  
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Mirek

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Posted by [cbpporter](#) on Sat, 10 Sep 2016 07:00:19 GMT  
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Posted by [mirek](#) on Sat, 10 Sep 2016 07:49:04 GMT

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Well, maybe. However, 'Sort' is meant to be generic sorting algorithm for containers with certain set of requirements and all it does is sorting. Index does not match these requirements.

Sorting Index is quite more complex, as it works by converting Index to Vector, sorting, then recreating Index back (restoring hashing info). Maybe the warning that you are doing something unusual is in place here... Forcing user to write SortIndex instead of just Sort to acknowledge this fact is the idea....

Mirek

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