

## Audacious - OLD, PLEASE USE GITHUB DISCUSSIONS/ISSUES - Bug #334

### [PATCH] file writer flac does not write tags

August 24, 2013 01:05 - James Buren

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	August 24, 2013
<b>Priority:</b>	Minor	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	100%
<b>Category:</b>	plugins/filewriter	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	3.4.1		
<b>Affects version:</b>	3.4		

#### Description

Due to how this is written, the tags do not get written to the FLAC file that is created by the plugin. The attached patch fixes 5 issues.

- 1) A switch case in `insert_vorbis_comment()` did not include a break statement, so string tags would not be inserted because the default case has a return statement.
- 2) The metadata object is allocated on the stack and is not managed by libFLAC, resulting in a memory leak. It is now a static global variable.
- 3) The encoder and metadata objects are both handled properly now when the file is closed. Pointers are NULL checked, freed, and reset to NULL now.
- 4) `FLAC__stream_encoder_init_stream()` must be called after the metadata is set. Otherwise the call will fail.
- 5) FLAC vorbis comments should be in uppercase, as that is what the official encoder does.

Also, the compression level is now set to 8, the maximum. Please apply this patch.

#### History

##### #1 - August 24, 2013 18:42 - John Lindgren

This is a good start, but making `flac_metadata` static introduces another leak. See if you can figure out why.

Edit: Never mind, the leak I'm thinking of shouldn't happen in normal operation.

##### #2 - August 24, 2013 19:07 - John Lindgren

- Status changed from New to Closed

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

- Affects version 3.4 added

- Affects version deleted (3.4.1, 3.5)

<https://github.com/audacious-media-player/audacious-plugins/commit/6e050db79c35cb4d4e1e51aa2d79b0d7bd5972ad>

<https://github.com/audacious-media-player/audacious-plugins/commit/d3b127b53e7f78b73e0555d581af84c8ec545320>

##### #3 - August 24, 2013 19:09 - John Lindgren

James Buren wrote:

Also, the compression level is now set to 8, the maximum.

DO NOT EVER add arbitrary changes like this to an otherwise legitimate bug-fix patch.

#### #4 - August 24, 2013 19:10 - John Lindgren

James Buren wrote:

5) FLAC vorbis comments should be in uppercase, as that is what the official encoder does.

Actually, Vorbis comments are case-insensitive, so either way is fine.

#### Files

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filewriter-flac.patch

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James Buren