

## Audacious - Feature #843

### Sort folders after files in playlist

November 09, 2018 15:37 - seb sul

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	November 09, 2018
<b>Priority:</b>	Minor	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	100%
<b>Category:</b>	libaudcore	<b>Estimated time:</b>	1.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	4.0		
<b>Affects version:</b>			
<b>Description</b>			
<p>just discovered Audacious (amazing player), but I realized a strange behavior when new files are added to the playlist. If a folder "My Music" is added that contains a folder "Brooklyn", Audacious displays it as the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. "My Music" songs starting with "A" are displayed first</li><li>2. "My Music" songs starting with "B" are displayed afterwards</li><li>3. "Brooklyn" songs starting with "A" are displayed afterwards</li><li>4. "My Music" songs starting with "C" are displayed afterwards</li></ol> <p>Usually players like Winamp, Foobar etc.. will display logically sorted based on the folder structure:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. "My Music" songs starting with "A" are displayed first</li><li>2. "My Music" songs starting with "B" are displayed afterwards</li><li>3. "My Music" songs starting with "C" are displayed afterwards (and all remaining files in "My Music")</li><li>4. "Brooklyn" songs starting with "A" are displayed afterwards</li></ol> <p>All files within a folder are displayed first, then the subfolders files &amp; folders are displayed</p> <p>I made a test zip file of you structure above and a screen how Audacious displays it after sorting by filepath(looks tatally weird).</p> <p>EDIT: Just for some extra information, I checked VLC and it sorts by lexicographical order. So we get this:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. /Music/*.mp3</li><li>2. /Music/Brooklyn/b.mp3</li><li>3. /Music/Brooklyn/z.mp3</li><li>4. /Music/Brooklyn/X/l.mp3</li><li>5. /Music/Charlie/*.mp3</li></ol> <p>Maybe this last behavior can be obtained just by doing the current comparison between paths case-insensitive.</p> <p>BTW: Clementine had the same issue ( <a href="https://github.com/clementine-player/Clementine/issues/5445">https://github.com/clementine-player/Clementine/issues/5445</a> )</p>			

### History

#### #1 - November 10, 2018 05:19 - John Lindgren

- Subject changed from Playlist sorting by Filepath erroneously to Sort folders after files in playlist
- Tracker changed from Bug to Feature

#### #2 - November 11, 2018 01:53 - John Lindgren

- Target version set to 4.0
- Status changed from New to Closed
- Category set to libaudcore

Implemented by this commit:

<https://github.com/audacious-media-player/audacious/commit/275b050f631419c1e694407072fc77238c165a90>

**#3 - November 11, 2018 01:54 - John Lindgren**

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

**#4 - November 12, 2018 02:16 - seb sul**

John Lindgren wrote:

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<https://github.com/audacious-media-player/audacious/commit/275b050f631419c1e694407072fc77238c165a90>

Absolutely awesome, many thanks ;)

**Files**

Music.zip	1.33 KB	November 09, 2018	seb sul
Screenshot_20181109_163009.png	52.3 KB	November 09, 2018	seb sul