Subject: Re: How to Zip cross-platform from IDL?
Posted by markb77 on Thu, 18 Apr 2013 15:58:41 GMT

On Apr 18, 9:40 am, Chris Torrence <gorth...@gmail.com> wrote:
> Hi Craig & Mark,
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> Right now it doesn't support streaming. I didn't want to bloat up the number of keywords &
arguments to support streaming, and it would also make the documentation very confusing.
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> What exactly do you want to do with streaming?

hi Chris,

In my case, I need to support reading and writing from/to an existing
file format which contains an embedded, zlib-compressed, data block.
These blocks can be very large - too large to hold in memory. Hence,
I need to be able to read it out in chunks, decompressing as I go.

best,
Mark