Package 'zip'

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deflate   *Compress a raw GZIP stream*

Description

Compress a raw GZIP stream

Usage

```
deflate(buffer, level = 6L, pos = 1L, size = NULL)
```

Arguments

buffer	Raw vector, containing the data to compress.
level	Compression level, integer between 1 (fatest) and 9 (best).
pos	Start position of data to compress in buffer.
size	Compressed size estimate, or NULL. If not given, or too small, the output buffer is resized multiple times.

Value

Named list with three entries:

- output: raw vector, the compressed data,

- bytes_read: number of bytes used from buffer,

- bytes_written: number of bytes written to the output buffer.

See Also

[base::memCompress()](#) does the same with type = "gzip", but it does not tell you the number of bytes read from the input.

Examples

```
data_gz <- deflate(charToRaw("Hello world!"))
inflate(data_gz$output)
```

| inflate | *Uncompress a raw GZIP stream* |

Description

Uncompress a raw GZIP stream

Usage

```
inflate(buffer, pos = 1L, size = NULL)
```

Arguments

buffer
: Raw vector, containing the data to uncompress.

pos
: Start position of data to uncompress in `buffer`.

size
: Uncompressed size estimate, or `NULL`. If not given, or too small, the output buffer is resized multiple times.

Value

Named list with three entries:

- output: raw vector, the uncompressed data,

- bytes_read: number of bytes used from `buffer`,

- bytes_written: number of bytes written to the output buffer.

See Also

[base::memDecompress()](#) does the same with type = `"gzip"`, but it does not tell you the number of bytes read from the input.

Examples

```
data_gz <- deflate(charToRaw("Hello world!"))
inflate(data_gz$output)
```

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unzip   *Uncompress 'zip' Archives*

Description

unzip() always restores modification times of the extracted files and directories.

Usage

```
unzip(zipfile, files = NULL, overwrite = TRUE, junkpaths = FALSE, exdir = ".")
```

Arguments

zipfile	Path to the zip file to uncompress.
files	Character vector of files to extract from the archive. Files within directories can be specified, but they must use a forward slash as path separator, as this is what zip files use internally. If NULL, all files will be extracted.
overwrite	Whether to overwrite existing files. If FALSE and a file already exists, then an error is thrown.
junkpaths	Whether to ignore all directory paths when creating files. If TRUE, all files will be created in exdir.
exdir	Directory to uncompress the archive to. If it does not exist, it will be created.

Permissions

If the zip archive stores permissions and was created on Unix, the permissions will be restored.

Examples

```
## temporary directory, to avoid messing up the user's workspace.
dir.create(tmp <- tempfile())
dir.create(file.path(tmp, "mydir"))
cat("first file", file = file.path(tmp, "mydir", "file1"))
cat("second file", file = file.path(tmp, "mydir", "file2"))

zipfile <- tempfile(fileext = ".zip")
zip::zip(zipfile, "mydir", root = tmp)

## List contents
zip_list(zipfile)

## Extract
tmp2 <- tempfile()
unzip(zipfile, exdir = tmp2)
dir(tmp2, recursive = TRUE)
```

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unzip_process *Class for an external unzip process*

Description

unzip_process() returns an R6 class that represents an unzip process. It is implemented as a subclass of processx::process.

Usage

```
unzip_process()
```

Value

An unzip_process R6 class object, a subclass of processx::process.

Using the unzip_process class

```
up <- unzip_process()$new(zipfile, exdir = ".", poll_connection = TRUE,
                          stderr = tempfile(), ...)
```

See processx::process for the class methods.

Arguments:

- zipfile: Path to the zip file to uncompress.

- exdir: Directory to uncompress the archive to. If it does not exist, it will be created.

- poll_connection: passed to the initialize method of processx::process, it allows using processx::poll() or the poll_io() method to poll for the completion of the process.

- stderr: passed to the initialize method of processx::process, by default the standard error is written to a temporary file. This file can be used to diagnose errors if the process failed.

- ... passed to the initialize method of processx::process.

Examples

```
ex <- system.file("example.zip", package = "zip")
tmp <- tempfile()
up <- unzip_process()$new(ex, exdir = tmp)
up$wait()
up$get_exit_status()
dir(tmp)
```

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zip   *Compress Files into 'zip' Archives*

Description

zip() creates a new zip archive file.

Usage

```
zip(
  zipfile,
  files,
  recurse = TRUE,
  compression_level = 9,
  include_directories = TRUE,
  root = ".",
  mode = c("mirror", "cherry-pick")
)

zipr(
  zipfile,
  files,
  recurse = TRUE,
  compression_level = 9,
  include_directories = TRUE,
  root = ".",
  mode = c("cherry-pick", "mirror")
)

zip_append(
  zipfile,
  files,
  recurse = TRUE,
  compression_level = 9,
  include_directories = TRUE,
  root = ".",
  mode = c("mirror", "cherry-pick")
)

zipr_append(
  zipfile,
  files,
  recurse = TRUE,
  compression_level = 9,
  include_directories = TRUE,
  root = ".",
  mode = c("cherry-pick", "mirror")
```

```
)
```

Arguments

zipfile	The zip file to create. If the file exists, `zip` overwrites it, but `zip_append` appends to it. If it is a directory an error is thrown.
files	List of file to add to the archive. See details below about absolute and relative path names.
recurse	Whether to add the contents of directories recursively.
compression_level	
	A number between 1 and 9. 9 compresses best, but it also takes the longest.
include_directories	
	Whether to explicitly include directories in the archive. Including directories might confuse MS Office when reading docx files, so set this to `FALSE` for creating them.
root	Change to this working directory before creating the archive.
mode	Selects how files and directories are stored in the archive. It can be `"mirror"` or `"cherry-pick"`. See "Relative Paths" below for details.

Details

`zip_append()` appends compressed files to an existing 'zip' file.

Relative paths:

`zip()` and `zip_append()` can run in two different modes: mirror mode and cherry picking mode. They handle the specified `files` differently.

Mirror mode:

Mirror mode is for creating the zip archive of a directory structure, exactly as it is on the disk. The current working directory will be the root of the archive, and the paths will be fully kept. zip changes the current directory to `root` before creating the archive.

E.g. consider the following directory structure:

```
.
|-- foo
|   |-- bar
|   |   |-- file1
|   |   `-- file2
|   `-- bar2
`-- foo2
    `-- file3
```

Assuming the current working directory is `foo`, the following zip entries are created by zip:

```
setwd("foo")
zip::zip("../test.zip", c("bar/file1", "bar2", "../foo2"))
#> Warning in warn_for_dotdot(data$key): Some paths reference parent directory,
#> creating non-portable zip file
zip_list("../test.zip")[, "filename", drop = FALSE]
#>        filename
#> 1     bar/file1
```

```
#> 2         bar2/
#> 3       ../foo2/
#> 4 ../foo2/file3
```

Note that zip refuses to store files with absolute paths, and chops off the leading / character from these file names. This is because only relative paths are allowed in zip files.

Cherry picking mode:
In cherry picking mode, the selected files and directories will be at the root of the archive. This mode is handy if you want to select a subset of files and directories, possibly from different paths and put all of the in the archive, at the top level.
Here is an example with the same directory structure as above:

```
zip::zip(
  "../test2.zip",
  c("bar/file1", "bar2", "../foo2"),
  mode = "cherry-pick"
)
zip_list("../test2.zip")[, "filename", drop = FALSE]
#>     filename
#> 1      file1
#> 2      bar2/
#> 3      foo2/
#> 4 foo2/file3
```

From zip version 2.3.0, "." has a special meaning in the files argument: it will include the files (and possibly directories) within the current working directory, but **not** the working directory itself. Note that this only applies to cherry picking mode.

Permissions::

zip() (and zip_append(), etc.) add the permissions of the archived files and directories to the ZIP archive, on Unix systems. Most zip and unzip implementations support these, so they will be recovered after extracting the archive.

Note, however that the owner and group (uid and gid) are currently omitted, even on Unix.

zipr() **and** zipr_append()**:**
These function exist for historical reasons. They are identical to zip() and zipr_append() with a different default for the mode argument.

Value

The name of the created zip file, invisibly.

Examples

```
## Some files to zip up. We will run all this in the R session's
## temporary directory, to avoid messing up the user's workspace.
dir.create(tmp <- tempfile())
dir.create(file.path(tmp, "mydir"))
cat("first file", file = file.path(tmp, "mydir", "file1"))
cat("second file", file = file.path(tmp, "mydir", "file2"))

zipfile <- tempfile(fileext = ".zip")
```

```
zip::zip(zipfile, "mydir", root = tmp)

## List contents
zip_list(zipfile)

## Add another file
cat("third file", file = file.path(tmp, "mydir", "file3"))
zip_append(zipfile, file.path("mydir", "file3"), root = tmp)
zip_list(zipfile)
```

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zip_list   *List Files in a 'zip' Archive*

Description

List Files in a 'zip' Archive

Usage

```
zip_list(zipfile)
```

Arguments

zipfile   Path to an existing ZIP file.

Details

Note that `crc32` is formatted using `as.hexmode()`. `offset` refers to the start of the local zip header
for each entry. Following the approach of `seek()` it is stored as a `numeric` rather than an `integer`
vector and can therefore represent values up to `2^53-1` (9 PB).

Value

A data frame with columns: `filename`, `compressed_size`, `uncompressed_size`, `timestamp`,
`permissions`, `crc32` and `offset`.

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zip_process   *Class for an external zip process*

Description

`zip_process()` returns an R6 class that represents a zip process. It is implemented as a subclass of
[processx::process](#).

Usage

```
zip_process()
```

Value

A `zip_process` R6 class object, a subclass of [processx::process](#).

Using the `zip_process` **class**

```
zp <- zip_process()$new(zipfile, files, recurse = TRUE,
                        poll_connection = TRUE,
                        stderr = tempfile(), ...)
```

See [processx::process](#) for the class methods.

Arguments:

- `zipfile`: Path to the zip file to create.
- `files`: List of file to add to the archive. Each specified file or directory in is created as a top-level entry in the zip archive.
- `recurse`: Whether to add the contents of directories recursively.
- `include_directories`: Whether to explicitly include directories in the archive. Including directories might confuse MS Office when reading docx files, so set this to `FALSE` for creating them.
- `poll_connection`: passed to the `initialize` method of [processx::process](#), it allows using [processx::poll()](#) or the `poll_io()` method to poll for the completion of the process.
- `stderr`: passed to the `initialize` method of [processx::process](#), by default the standard error is written to a temporary file. This file can be used to diagnose errors if the process failed.
- `...` passed to the `initialize` method of [processx::process](#).

Examples

```
dir.create(tmp <- tempfile())
write.table(iris, file = file.path(tmp, "iris.ssv"))
zipfile <- tempfile(fileext = ".zip")
zp <- zip_process()$new(zipfile, tmp)
zp$wait()
zp$get_exit_status()
zip_list(zipfile)
```

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