

Readme

Microsoft Disclaimer

Important Information about the Berkeley Sources

Included are some of the BSD sources, useful compress/decompression tools, and other tools. Each directory contains a makefile, 'makefile.nt' which should be used with NMAKE to build the various programs. Most subdirectories also have a file, 'readme.nt' that describes the changes that were made in porting and contains other comments.

Making changes

If you make changes to the programs -- bug fixes, improvements, whatever, please send them to t-davefe@microsoft.com so that we don't have a whole bunch of different versions floating around.

Questions/Comments

Comments and questions concerning the ported versions of the programs should be addressed to the people who ported the programs, not to the original authors. Although the people who ported the code will try to respond, don't hold your breath.

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Archiving Tools

BOOZ - Public domain ZOO file extractor
COMPRESS - UNIX Compress/Uncompress
UNSHAR - Public Domain UNSHAR Program
UNZIP - Public domain UNZIP program
ZIP - Public domain ZIP program

BSD Sources

Parts of the Berkeley Sources have been ported to Windows NT, including BANNER, CAL, CMP, COL, COMM, FALSE, FOLD, HEAD, UNIQ, and XSTR.

Sample Console Programs

CONDEMO - console demo; demonstrates scrolling, simple windowing, etc.

CONWIN - demonstrates creating a window from a console based app

WINCON - demonstrates creating a console from a GUI based app

Windows NT Curses Library

CHEMTAB - periodic table program

GDC - grand old clock

NTCURSES - Curses for Windows NT

Tools

FGREP - GNU Fgrep, subset of Grep

FLEX - subset of LEX

YACC - PD YACC

Important Information about UNZIP and ZIP

The versions of ZIP and UNZIP included were the latest non-beta versions available at the time this group of files was put together. The InfoZip group is working on new versions of both programs and would prefer not to have questions about the Windows NT versions of ZIP and UNZIP addressed to them. So please, ALL COMMENTS/QUESTIONS REGARDING THE WINDOWS NT VERSION OF UNZIP SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE PERSON WHO ORIGINALLY PORTED THE PROGRAMS. PLEASE DO NOT SEND COMMENTS / QUESTIONS REGARDING THE WINDOWS NT VERSION TO THE INFOZIP GROUP.

Important Information about Curses

The version of Curses included is a port of the PCCurses program. Since the version number is the same as that of the PCCurses program, I have named the subdirectory NTCURSES in order to avoid confusion. This is a **working** version of curses. All of the i/o calls have been implemented using Windows NT console calls. This version isn't perfect -- it's still buggy, but you should be able to link it in with your curses based app and get it to work.

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