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About the GNSDK Package

The GNSDK is packaged as a .zip file. The package includes the following:

- docs: Contains the API reference manual as HTML files.
- include: Contains global and library-specific headers.
- lib : Contains DLLs and shared libraries.
- samples: Contains all files necessary to build each library's sample application.
- builds: Contains the make files to build the samples for each of the supported platforms.

Products Included

The Pre-Release includes the following products:

- Gracenote MusicID (CD TOC, Text, Fingerprint recognition for audio)
- Gracenote MusicID-File (Audio-file-based recognition)
- Gracenote Link (Content and 3rd-party data retrieval)
- Gracenote Playlist (Provides automated Playlist generation and MoodGrid support)

Features

This release supports the following features:

Feature	Access method
MusicID CD	Local and Online
MusicID File Text Look-up	Local

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MusicID Stream	Online
MusicID File (TrackID/AlbumID/LibraryID)	Online
Music Enrichment (Cover Art, Artist Image)	Local and Online
External Data (External ID/Yomi, Betsumei)	Local
Track attributes (Mood and Tempo)	Local and Online
List support	Local and Online
Storage (SQLite)	Local
Playlist, MoodGrid	Online

Platforms

This release supports the following platforms (OS and Architecture):

os	CPU Architecture
Microsoft Windows	x86 and x64
Linux	x86 and x64
Mac OS X	x86 and x64

This release also includes libraries for the following platforms, but they have not been tested extensively:

os	CPU Architecture
Windows CE	ARM (32bit)
Windows CE	SH4 (32 bit)
Windows Compact 7	SH4 (32 bit)
iOS	x86, ARMv6 & ARMv7 (32 bit)
Android	ARM (32 bit)
QNX	ARM (32 bit) & x86 (32 bit)

System Requirements

Gracenote Client ID String and License File

Please contact Gracenote Professional Services for your Client ID String and License File. These are both required when initializing a GNSDK application.

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How to Run the Samples

As an aid to understanding correct GNSDK API usage, Gracenote provides a working, command-line based sample application for each library, the "main.c" file. This file uses only ANSI C and C Standard library functions. Although you may find running the application to be helpful, it is probably more beneficial to step through its execution with a debugger to observe its internal library usage. Please see README_Samples.txt for more details.

For the following samples, which need a local database, please copy the samples\sample_db*.store files to the folder where the executable is created.

- musicid_lookup_local_album-toc
- musicid_lookup_local_album-tui
- musicid_lookup_local_text

Current Limitations

This release has the following known limitations:

- Regional title variants for albums and names for credit can not be accessed from a local database.
- Alternate titles for albums can not be accessed from a local database.
- External IDs (e.g. Appletrack id, ISRC), which help link Gracenote with media provided by third party vendors, can not be accessed from a local database.
- Track level extended data that is used for playlist generation can not be accessed from a local database.
- Track level primary tempo value can not be accessed from a local database.
- Collaborative artist names are not indexed. Collaborations will not be matched. However, a collaboration input may match against one of the collaborators.
- · Genre images are not accessible.
- Regional language filtering is not implemented, which may result in somewhat larger than expected local databases.
- Text matching has not been optimized for non-Latin languages.
- There is an ID space clash between Cover Art and Artist Images. There may be cases where a Cover Art fetch will return an Artist Image and vice versa.
- Rendering local lookup results to XML is not supported. This will hang the application.
- Local lookups (Text and TOC) may leak up to 100 Bytes per query.

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