

The following are the known types of zipfile extra fields as of this writing. Extra fields are documented in PKWARE's appnote.txt and are intended to allow for backward- and forward-compatible extensions to the zipfile format. Multiple extra-field types may be chained together, provided that the total length of all extra-field data is less than 64KB. (In fact, PKWARE requires that the total length of the entire file header, including timestamp, file attributes, filename, comment, extra field, etc., be no more than 64KB.)

Each extra-field type (or subblock) must contain a four-byte header consisting of a two-byte header ID and a two-byte length (little-endian) for the remaining data in the subblock. If there are additional subblocks within the extra field, the header for each one will appear immediately following the data for the previous subblock (i.e., with no padding for alignment).

All integer fields in the descriptions below are in little-endian (Intel) format unless otherwise specified. Note that "Short" means two bytes, "Long" means four bytes, and "Long-Long" means eight bytes, regardless of their native sizes. Unless specifically noted, all integer fields should be interpreted as unsigned (non-negative) numbers.

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Header ID's of 0 thru 31 are reserved for use by PKWARE.  
The remaining ID's can be used by third party vendors for  
proprietary usage.

The current Header ID mappings defined by PKWARE are:

0x0001	ZIP64 extended information extra field
0x0007	AV Info
0x0009	OS/2 extended attributes (also Info-ZIP)
0x000a	NTFS (Win9x/WinNT FileTimes)
0x000c	OpenVMS (also Info-ZIP)
0x000d	Unix
0x000f	Patch Descriptor
0x0014	PKCS#7 Store for X.509 Certificates
0x0015	X.509 Certificate ID and Signature for individual file
0x0016	X.509 Certificate ID for Central Directory

The Header ID mappings defined by Info-ZIP and third parties are:

0x0065	IBM S/390 attributes - uncompressed
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0x0066	IBM S/390 attributes - compressed
0x07c8	Info-ZIP Macintosh (old, J. Lee)
0x2605	ZipIt Macintosh (first version)
0x2705	ZipIt Macintosh v 1.3.5 and newer (w/o full filename)
0x334d	Info-ZIP Macintosh (new, D. Haase's 'Mac3' field )
0x4154	Tandem NSK
0x4341	Acorn/SparkFS (David Pilling)
0x4453	Windows NT security descriptor (binary ACL)
0x4704	VM/CMS
0x470f	MVS
0x4854	Theos, old inofficial port
0x4b46	FWKCS MD5 (see below)
0x4c41	OS/2 access control list (text ACL)
0x4d49	Info-ZIP OpenVMS (obsolete)
0x4d63	Macintosh SmartZIP, by Macro Bambini
0x4f4c	Xceed original location extra field
0x5356	AOS/VS (binary ACL)
0x5455	extended timestamp
0x5855	Info-ZIP Unix (original; also OS/2, NT, etc.)
0x554e	Xceed unicode extra field
0x6375	Info-ZIP Unicode Comment
0x6542	BeOS (BeBox, PowerMac, etc.)
0x6854	Theos
0x7075	Info-ZIP Unicode Path
0x756e	ASi Unix
0x7855	Info-ZIP Unix (previous new)
0x7875	Info-ZIP Unix (new)
0xfb4a	SMS/QDOS

The following are detailed descriptions of the known extra-field block types:

-OS/2 Extended Attributes Extra Field:  
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The following is the layout of the OS/2 extended attributes "extra" block. (Last Revision 19960922)

Note: all fields stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order.

Local-header version:

Value	Size	Description
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(OS/2) 0x0009	Short	tag for this extra block type
TSize	Short	total data size for this block
BSize	Long	uncompressed EA data size
CType	Short	compression type
EACRC	Long	CRC value for uncompressed EA data
(var.)	variable	compressed EA data

Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(OS/2)	0x0009	Short	tag for this extra block type
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (4)
	BSize	Long	size of uncompressed local EA data

The value of CType is interpreted according to the "compression method" section above; i.e., 0 for stored, 8 for deflated, etc.

The OS/2 extended attribute structure (FEA2LIST) is compressed and then stored in its entirety within this structure. There will only ever be one block of data in the variable-length field.

#### -OS/2 Access Control List Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the OS/2 ACL extra block.  
(Last Revision 19960922)

Local-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(ACL)	0x4c41	Short	tag for this extra block type ("AL")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	BSize	Long	uncompressed ACL data size
	CType	Short	compression type
	EACRC	Long	CRC value for uncompressed ACL data
	(var.)	variable	compressed ACL data

Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(ACL)	0x4c41	Short	tag for this extra block type ("AL")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (4)
	BSize	Long	size of uncompressed local ACL data

The value of CType is interpreted according to the "compression method" section above; i.e., 0 for stored, 8 for deflated, etc.

The uncompressed ACL data consist of a text header of the form "ACL1:%hX,%hd\n", where the first field is the OS/2 ACCINFO acc\_attr member and the second is acc\_count, followed by acc\_count strings of the form "%s,%hx\n", where the first field is acl\_ugname (user group name) and the second acl\_access. This block type will be extended for other operating systems as needed.

-Windows NT Security Descriptor Extra Field:  
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The following is the layout of the NT Security Descriptor (another type of ACL) extra block. (Last Revision 19960922)

Local-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(SD)	0x4453	Short	tag for this extra block type ("SD")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	BSize	Long	uncompressed SD data size
	Version	Byte	version of uncompressed SD data format
	CType	Short	compression type
	EACRC	Long	CRC value for uncompressed SD data
	(var.)	variable	compressed SD data

Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(SD)	0x4453	Short	tag for this extra block type ("SD")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (4)
	BSize	Long	size of uncompressed local SD data

The value of CType is interpreted according to the "compression method" section above; i.e., 0 for stored, 8 for deflated, etc. Version specifies how the compressed data are to be interpreted and allows for future expansion of this extra field type. Currently only version 0 is defined.

For version 0, the compressed data are to be interpreted as a single valid Windows NT SECURITY\_DESCRIPTOR data structure, in self-relative format.

-PKWARE Win95/WinNT Extra Field:  
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The following description covers PKWARE's "NTFS" attributes "extra" block, introduced with the release of PKZIP 2.50 for Windows. (Last Revision 20001118)

(Note: At this time the Mtime, Atime and Ctime values may be used on any WIN32 system.)

[Info-ZIP note: In the current implementations, this field has a fixed total data size of 32 bytes and is only stored as local extra field.]

Value	Size	Description
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(NTFS)	0x000a	Short	Tag for this "extra" block type
	TSize	Short	Total Data Size for this block
	Reserved	Long	for future use
	Tag1	Short	NTFS attribute tag value #1
	Size1	Short	Size of attribute #1, in bytes
	(var.)	SubSize1	Attribute #1 data
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	TagN	Short	NTFS attribute tag value #N
	SizeN	Short	Size of attribute #N, in bytes
	(var.)	SubSize1	Attribute #N data

For NTFS, values for Tag1 through TagN are as follows:  
(currently only one set of attributes is defined for NTFS)

Tag	Size	Description
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0x0001	2 bytes	Tag for attribute #1
Size1	2 bytes	Size of attribute #1, in bytes (24)
Mtime	8 bytes	64-bit NTFS file last modification time
Atime	8 bytes	64-bit NTFS file last access time
Ctime	8 bytes	64-bit NTFS file creation time

The total length for this block is 28 bytes, resulting in a fixed size value of 32 for the TSize field of the NTFS block.

The NTFS filetimes are 64-bit unsigned integers, stored in Intel (least significant byte first) byte order. They determine the number of 1.0E-07 seconds (1/10th microseconds!) past WinNT "epoch", which is "01-Jan-1601 00:00:00 UTC".

-PKWARE OpenVMS Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of PKWARE's OpenVMS attributes "extra" block. (Last Revision 12/17/91)

Note: all fields stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order.

	Value	Size	Description
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(VMS)	0x000c	Short	Tag for this "extra" block type
	TSize	Short	Total Data Size for this block
	CRC	Long	32-bit CRC for remainder of the block
	Tag1	Short	OpenVMS attribute tag value #1
	Size1	Short	Size of attribute #1, in bytes
	(var.)	Size1	Attribute #1 data
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TagN          Short      OpenVMS attribute tage value #N
SizeN         Short      Size of attribute #N, in bytes
(var.)        SizeN      Attribute #N data

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Rules:

1. There will be one or more of attributes present, which will each be preceded by the above TagX & SizeX values. These values are identical to the ATR\$C\_XXXX and ATR\$S\_XXXX constants which are defined in ATR.H under OpenVMS C. Neither of these values will ever be zero.
2. No word alignment or padding is performed.
3. A well-behaved PKZIP/OpenVMS program should never produce more than one sub-block with the same TagX value. Also, there will never be more than one "extra" block of type 0x000c in a particular directory record.

-Info-ZIP VMS Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of Info-ZIP's VMS attributes extra block for VAX or Alpha AXP. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19960922)

	Value	Size	Description
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(VMS2)	0x4d49	Short	tag for this extra block type ("JM")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	ID	Long	block ID
	Flags	Short	info bytes
	BSize	Short	uncompressed block size
	Reserved	Long	(reserved)
	(var.)	variable	compressed VMS file-attributes block

The block ID is one of the following unterminated strings:

"VFAB"	struct FAB
"VALL"	struct XABALL
"VFHC"	struct XABFHC
"VDAT"	struct XABDAT
"VRDT"	struct XABRDT
"VPRO"	struct XABPRO
"VKEY"	struct XABKEY
"VMSV"	version (e.g., "V6.1"; truncated at hyphen)
"VNAM"	reserved

The lower three bits of Flags indicate the compression method. The currently defined methods are:

0	stored (not compressed)
1	simple "RLE"
2	deflated

The "RLE" method simply replaces zero-valued bytes with zero-valued bits and non-zero-valued bytes with a "1" bit followed by the byte value.

The variable-length compressed data contains only the data corresponding to the indicated structure or string. Typically multiple VMS2 extra fields are present (each with a unique block type).

#### -Info-ZIP Macintosh Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the (old) Info-ZIP resource-fork extra block for Macintosh. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19960922)

	Value	Size	Description
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(Mac)	0x07c8	Short	tag for this extra block type
	TSIZE	Short	total data size for this block
	"JLEE"	beLong	extra-field signature
	FInfo	16 bytes	Macintosh FInfo structure
	CrDat	beLong	HParamBlockRec fileParam.ioFlCrDat
	MdDat	beLong	HParamBlockRec fileParam.ioFlMdDat
	Flags	beLong	info bits
	DirID	beLong	HParamBlockRec fileParam.ioDirID
	VolName	28 bytes	volume name (optional)

All fields but the first two are in native Macintosh format (big-endian Motorola order, not little-endian Intel). The least significant bit of Flags is 1 if the file is a data fork, 0 otherwise. In addition, if this extra field is present, the filename has an extra 'd' or 'r' appended to indicate data fork or resource fork. The 28-byte VolName field may be omitted.

#### -ZipIt Macintosh Extra Field (long):

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The following is the layout of the ZipIt extra block for Macintosh. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19970130)

Value	Size	Description
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(Mac2)	0x2605	Short	tag for this extra block type
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	"ZPIT"	beLong	extra-field signature
	FnLen	Byte	length of FileName
	FileName	variable	full Macintosh filename
	FileType	Byte[4]	four-byte Mac file type string
	Creator	Byte[4]	four-byte Mac creator string

#### -ZipIt Macintosh Extra Field (short):

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The following is the layout of a shortened variant of the ZipIt extra block for Macintosh (without "full name" entry). This variant is used by ZipIt 1.3.5 and newer for entries that do not need a "full Mac filename" record. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19980903)

	Value	Size	Description
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(Mac2b)	0x2705	Short	tag for this extra block type
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (12)
	"ZPIT"	beLong	extra-field signature
	FileType	Byte[4]	four-byte Mac file type string
	Creator	Byte[4]	four-byte Mac creator string

#### -Info-ZIP Macintosh Extra Field (new):

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The following is the layout of the (new) Info-ZIP extra block for Macintosh, designed by Dirk Haase. All values are in little-endian. (Last Revision 19981005)

Local-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(Mac3)	0x334d	Short	tag for this extra block type ("M3")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	BSize	Long	uncompressed finder attribute data size
	Flags	Short	info bits
	fdType	Byte[4]	Type of the File (4-byte string)
	fdCreator	Byte[4]	Creator of the File (4-byte string)
	(CType)	Short	compression type
	(CRC)	Long	CRC value for uncompressed MacOS data
	Attribs	variable	finder attribute data (see below)



Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(Mac3)	0x334d	Short	tag for this extra block type ("M3")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	BSize	Long	uncompressed finder attribute data size
	Flags	Short	info bits
	fdType	Byte[4]	Type of the File (4-byte string)
	fdCreator	Byte[4]	Creator of the File (4-byte string)

The third bit of Flags in both headers indicates whether the LOCAL extra field is uncompressed (and therefore whether CType and CRC are omitted):

Bits of the Flags:

bit 0	if set, file is a data fork; otherwise unset
bit 1	if set, filename will be not changed
bit 2	if set, Attribs is uncompressed (no CType, CRC)
bit 3	if set, date and times are in 64 bit if zero date and times are in 32 bit.
bit 4	if set, timezone offsets fields for the native Mac times are omitted (UTC support deactivated)
bits 5-15	reserved;

Attributes:

Attribs is a Mac-specific block of data in little-endian format with the following structure (if compressed, uncompress it first):

Value	Size	Description
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fdFlags	Short	Finder Flags
fdLocation.v	Short	Finder Icon Location
fdLocation.h	Short	Finder Icon Location
fdFldr	Short	Folder containing file

FXInfo          16 bytes      Macintosh FXInfo structure

FXInfo-Structure:

	fdIconID	Short	
	fdUnused[3]	Short	unused but reserved 6 bytes
	fdScript	Byte	Script flag and number
	fdXFlags	Byte	More flag bits
	fdComment	Short	Comment ID
	fdPutAway	Long	Home Dir ID
FVersNum	Byte		file version number may be not used by MacOS
ACUser	Byte		directory access rights

FlCrDat	ULong	date and time of creation
FlMdDat	ULong	date and time of last modification
FlBkDat	ULong	date and time of last backup

These time numbers are original Mac FileTime values (local time!).  
Currently, date-time width is 32-bit, but future version may support be 64-bit times (see flags)

CrGMTOffs	Long(signed!)	difference "local Creat. time - UTC"
MdGMTOffs	Long(signed!)	difference "local Modif. time - UTC"
BkGMTOffs	Long(signed!)	difference "local Backup time - UTC"

These "local time - UTC" differences (stored in seconds) may be used to support timestamp adjustment after inter-timezone transfer. These fields are optional; bit 4 of the flags word controls their presence.

Charset	Short	TextEncodingBase (Charset) valid for the following two fields
FullPath	variable	Path of the current file. Zero terminated string (C-String) Currently coded in the native Charset.
Comment	variable	Finder Comment of the current file. Zero terminated string (C-String) Currently coded in the native Charset.

-SmartZIP Macintosh Extra Field:  
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The following is the layout of the SmartZIP extra block for Macintosh, designed by Marco Bambini.

Local-header version:

Value	Size	Description
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0x4d63	Short	tag for this extra block type ("cM")
TSize	Short	total data size for this block (64)
"dZip"	beLong	extra-field signature
fdType	Byte[4]	Type of the File (4-byte string)
fdCreator	Byte[4]	Creator of the File (4-byte string)
fdFlags	beShort	Finder Flags
fdLocation.v	beShort	Finder Icon Location
fdLocation.h	beShort	Finder Icon Location
fdFldr	beShort	Folder containing file
CrDat	beLong	HParamBlockRec fileParam.ioFlCrDat
MdDat	beLong	HParamBlockRec fileParam.ioFlMdDat
frScroll.v	Byte	vertical pos. of folder's scroll bar
fdScript	Byte	Script flag and number

frScroll.h	Byte	horizontal pos. of folder's scroll bar
fdXFlags	Byte	More flag bits
FileName	Byte[32]	full Macintosh filename (pascal string)

All fields but the first two are in native Macintosh format (big-endian Motorola order, not little-endian Intel).  
The extra field size is fixed to 64 bytes.  
The local-header and central-header versions are identical.

#### -Acorn SparkFS Extra Field: =====

The following is the layout of David Pilling's SparkFS extra block for Acorn RISC OS. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19960922)

Value	Size	Description
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(Acorn) 0x4341	Short	tag for this extra block type ("AC")
TSize	Short	total data size for this block (20)
"ARCO"	Long	extra-field signature
LoadAddr	Long	load address or file type
ExecAddr	Long	exec address
Attr	Long	file permissions
Zero	Long	reserved; always zero

The following bits of Attr are associated with the given file permissions:

bit 0	user-writable ('W')
bit 1	user-readable ('R')
bit 2	reserved
bit 3	locked ('L')
bit 4	publicly writable ('w')
bit 5	publicly readable ('r')
bit 6	reserved
bit 7	reserved

#### -VM/CMS Extra Field: =====

The following is the layout of the file-attributes extra block for VM/CMS. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19960922)

Value	Size	Description
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(VM/CMS) 0x4704	Short	tag for this extra block type
TSize	Short	total data size for this block

flData            variable    file attributes data

flData is an uncompressed fldata\_t struct.

-MVS Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the file-attributes extra block for MVS. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19960922)

	Value	Size	Description
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(MVS)	0x470f	Short	tag for this extra block type
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	flData	variable	file attributes data

flData is an uncompressed fldata\_t struct.

-PKWARE Unix Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of PKWARE's Unix "extra" block. It was introduced with the release of PKZIP for Unix 2.50. Note: all fields are stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order. (Last Revision 19980901)

This field has a minimum data size of 12 bytes and is only stored as local extra field.

	Value	Size	Description
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(Unix0)	0x000d	Short	Tag for this "extra" block type
	TSize	Short	Total Data Size for this block
	AcTime	Long	time of last access (UTC/GMT)
	ModTime	Long	time of last modification (UTC/GMT)
	UID	Short	Unix user ID
	GID	Short	Unix group ID
	(var)	variable	Variable length data field

The variable length data field will contain file type specific data. Currently the only values allowed are the original "linked to" file names for hard or symbolic links, and the major and minor device node numbers for character and block device nodes. Since device nodes cannot be either symbolic or hard links, only one set of variable length data is stored. Link files will have the name of the original file stored. This name is NOT NULL terminated. Its size can be determined by checking TSize -

12. Device entries will have eight bytes stored as two 4 byte entries (in little-endian format). The first entry will be the major device number, and the second the minor device number.

[Info-ZIP note: The fixed part of this field has the same layout as Info-ZIP's abandoned "Unix1 timestamps & owner ID info" extra field; only the two tag bytes are different.]

-PATCH Descriptor Extra Field:  
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The following is the layout of the Patch Descriptor "extra" block.

Note: all fields stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order.

	Value	Size	Description
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(Patch)	0x000f	Short	Tag for this "extra" block type
	TSize	Short	Size of the total "extra" block
	Version	Short	Version of the descriptor
	Flags	Long	Actions and reactions (see below)
	OldSize	Long	Size of the file about to be patched
	OldCRC	Long	32-bit CRC of the file about to be patched
	NewSize	Long	Size of the resulting file
	NewCRC	Long	32-bit CRC of the resulting file

#### Actions and reactions

Bits	Description
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0	Use for autodetection
1	Treat as selfpatch
2-3	RESERVED
4-5	Action (see below)
6-7	RESERVED
8-9	Reaction (see below) to absent file
10-11	Reaction (see below) to newer file
12-13	Reaction (see below) to unknown file
14-15	RESERVED
16-31	RESERVED

#### Actions

Action	Value
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none	0
add	1

delete	2
patch	3

#### Reactions

Reaction	Value
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ask	0
skip	1
ignore	2
fail	3

#### -PKCS#7 Store for X.509 Certificates:

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This field contains the information about each certificate a file is signed with. This field should only appear in the first central directory record, and will be ignored in any other record.

Note: all fields stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order.

Value	Size	Description
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(Store) 0x0014	2 bytes	Tag for this "extra" block type
SSize	2 bytes	Size of the store data
SData	(variable)	Data about the store

SData		
Value	Size	Description
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Version	2 bytes	Version number, 0x0001 for now
StoreD	(variable)	Actual store data

The StoreD member is suitable for passing as the pbData member of a CRYPT\_DATA\_BLOB to the CertOpenStore() function in Microsoft's CryptoAPI. The SSize member above will be cbData + 6, where cbData is the cbData member of the same CRYPT\_DATA\_BLOB. The encoding type to pass to CertOpenStore() should be PKCS\_7\_ANS\_ENCODING | X509\_ASN\_ENCODING.

#### -X.509 Certificate ID and Signature for individual file:

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This field contains the information about which certificate in the PKCS#7 Store was used to sign the particular file. It also contains the signature data. This field can appear multiple times, but can only appear once per certificate.

Note: all fields stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order.

	Value	Size	Description
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(CID)	0x0015	2 bytes	Tag for this "extra" block type
	CSize	2 bytes	Size of Method
	Method	(variable)	
	Method		
	Value	Size	Description
	-----	----	-----
	Version	2 bytes	Version number, for now 0x0001
	AlgID	2 bytes	Algorithm ID used for signing
	IDSize	2 bytes	Size of Certificate ID data
	CertID	(variable)	Certificate ID data
	SigSize	2 bytes	Size of Signature data
	Sig	(variable)	Signature data
	CertID		
	Value	Size	Description
	-----	----	-----
	Size1	4 bytes	Size of CertID, should be (IDSize - 4)
	Size1	4 bytes	A bug in version one causes this value to appear twice.
	IssSize	4 bytes	Issuer data size
	Issuer	(variable)	Issuer data
	SerSize	4 bytes	Serial Number size
	Serial	(variable)	Serial Number data

The Issuer and IssSize members are suitable for creating a CRYPT\_DATA\_BLOB to be the Issuer member of a CERT\_INFO struct. The Serial and SerSize members would be the SerialNumber member of the same CERT\_INFO struct. This struct would be used to find the certificate in the store the file was signed with. Those structures are from the MS CryptoAPI.

Sig and SigSize are the actual signature data and size generated by signing the file with the MS CryptoAPI using a hash created with the given AlgID.

-X.509 Certificate ID and Signature for central directory:

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This field contains the information about which certificate in the PKCS#7 Store was used to sign the central directory. It should only appear with the first central directory record, along with the store. The data structure is the same as the CID, except that SigSize will be 0, and there

will be no Sig member.

This field is also kept after the last central directory record, as the signature data (ID 0x05054b50, it looks like a central directory record of a different type). This second copy of the data is the Signature Data member of the record, and will have a SigSize that is non-zero, and will have Sig data.

Note: all fields stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order.

	Value	Size	Description
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(CDID)	0x0016	2 bytes	Tag for this "extra" block type
	CSize	2 bytes	Size of Method
	Method	(variable)	

-ZIP64 Extended Information Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the ZIP64 extended information "extra" block. If one of the size or offset fields in the Local or Central directory record is too small to hold the required data, a ZIP64 extended information record is created. The order of the fields in the ZIP64 extended information record is fixed, but the fields will only appear if the corresponding Local or Central directory record field is set to 0xFFFF or 0xFFFFFFFF.

Note: all fields stored in Intel low-byte/high-byte order.

	Value	Size	Description
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(ZIP64)	0x0001	2 bytes	Tag for this "extra" block type
	Size	2 bytes	Size of this "extra" block
	Original		
	Size	8 bytes	Original uncompressed file size
	Compressed		
	Size	8 bytes	Size of compressed data
	Relative Header		
	Offset	8 bytes	Offset of local header record
	Disk Start		
	Number	4 bytes	Number of the disk on which this file starts

This entry in the Local header must include BOTH original and compressed file sizes.



-Extended Timestamp Extra Field:  
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The following is the layout of the extended-timestamp extra block.  
(Last Revision 19970118)

Local-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(time)	0x5455	Short	tag for this extra block type ("UT")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	Flags	Byte	info bits
	(ModTime)	Long	time of last modification (UTC/GMT)
	(AcTime)	Long	time of last access (UTC/GMT)
	(CrTime)	Long	time of original creation (UTC/GMT)

Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(time)	0x5455	Short	tag for this extra block type ("UT")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	Flags	Byte	info bits (refers to local header!)
	(ModTime)	Long	time of last modification (UTC/GMT)

The central-header extra field contains the modification time only, or no timestamp at all. TSize is used to flag its presence or absence. But note:

If "Flags" indicates that Modtime is present in the local header field, it MUST be present in the central header field, too!  
This correspondence is required because the modification time value may be used to support trans-timezone freshening and updating operations with zip archives.

The time values are in standard Unix signed-long format, indicating the number of seconds since 1 January 1970 00:00:00. The times are relative to Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), also sometimes referred to as Greenwich Mean Time (GMT). To convert to local time, the software must know the local timezone offset from UTC/GMT.

The lower three bits of Flags in both headers indicate which time-stamps are present in the LOCAL extra field:

bit 0	if set, modification time is present
bit 1	if set, access time is present
bit 2	if set, creation time is present
bits 3-7	reserved for additional timestamps; not set

Those times that are present will appear in the order indicated, but

any combination of times may be omitted. (Creation time may be present without access time, for example.) TSize should equal  $(1 + 4 * (\text{number of set bits in Flags}))$ , as the block is currently defined. Other timestamps may be added in the future.

#### -Info-ZIP Unix Extra Field (type 1):

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The following is the layout of the old Info-ZIP extra block for Unix. It has been replaced by the extended-timestamp extra block (0x5455) and the Unix type 2 extra block (0x7855).  
(Last Revision 19970118)

#### Local-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(Unix1)	0x5855	Short	tag for this extra block type ("UX")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	AcTime	Long	time of last access (UTC/GMT)
	ModTime	Long	time of last modification (UTC/GMT)
	UID	Short	Unix user ID (optional)
	GID	Short	Unix group ID (optional)

#### Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(Unix1)	0x5855	Short	tag for this extra block type ("UX")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	AcTime	Long	time of last access (GMT/UTC)
	ModTime	Long	time of last modification (GMT/UTC)

The file access and modification times are in standard Unix signed-long format, indicating the number of seconds since 1 January 1970 00:00:00. The times are relative to Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), also sometimes referred to as Greenwich Mean Time (GMT). To convert to local time, the software must know the local timezone offset from UTC/GMT. The modification time may be used by non-Unix systems to support inter-timezone freshening and updating of zip archives.

The local-header extra block may optionally contain UID and GID info for the file. The local-header TSize value is the only indication of this. Note that Unix UIDs and GIDs are usually specific to a particular machine, and they generally require root access to restore.

This extra field type is obsolete, but it has been in use since mid-1994. Therefore future archiving software should continue to

support it. Some guidelines:

An archive member should either contain the old "Unix1" extra field block or the new extra field types "time" and/or "Unix2".

If both the old "Unix1" block type and one or both of the new block types "time" and "Unix2" are found, the "Unix1" block should be considered invalid and ignored.

Unarchiving software should recognize both old and new extra field block types, but the info from new types overrides the old "Unix1" field.

Archiving software should recognize "Unix1" extra fields for timestamp comparison but never create it for updated, freshened or new archive members. When copying existing members to a new archive, any "Unix1" extra field blocks should be converted to the new "time" and/or "Unix2" types.

#### -Info-ZIP Unix Extra Field (type 2):

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The following is the layout of the new Info-ZIP extra block for Unix. (Last Revision 19960922)

##### Local-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(Unix2)	0x7855	Short	tag for this extra block type ("Ux")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (4)
	UID	Short	Unix user ID
	GID	Short	Unix group ID

##### Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(Unix2)	0x7855	Short	tag for this extra block type ("Ux")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (0)

The data size of the central-header version is zero; it is used solely as a flag that UID/GID info is present in the local-header extra field. If additional fields are ever added to the local version, the central version may be extended to indicate this.

Note that Unix UIDs and GIDs are usually specific to a particular machine, and they generally require root access to restore.

#### -ASi Unix Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the ASi extra block for Unix. The local-header and central-header versions are identical.

(Last Revision 19960916)

	Value	Size	Description
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(Unix3)	0x756e	Short	tag for this extra block type ("nu")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	CRC	Long	CRC-32 of the remaining data
	Mode	Short	file permissions
	SizDev	Long	symlink'd size OR major/minor dev num
	UID	Short	user ID
	GID	Short	group ID
	(var.)	variable	symbolic link filename

Mode is the standard Unix st\_mode field from struct stat, containing user/group/other permissions, setuid/setgid and symlink info, etc.

If Mode indicates that this file is a symbolic link, SizDev is the size of the file to which the link points. Otherwise, if the file is a device, SizDev contains the standard Unix st\_rdev field from struct stat (includes the major and minor numbers of the device). SizDev is undefined in other cases.

If Mode indicates that the file is a symbolic link, the final field will be the name of the file to which the link points. The file-name length can be inferred from TSize.

[Note that TSize may incorrectly refer to the data size not counting the CRC; i.e., it may be four bytes too small.]

#### -BeOS Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the file-attributes extra block for BeOS. (Last Revision 19970531)

Local-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(BeOS)	0x6542	Short	tag for this extra block type ("Be")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	BSize	Long	uncompressed file attribute data size
	Flags	Byte	info bits
	(CType)	Short	compression type

(CRC)	Long	CRC value for uncompressed file attribs
Attribs	variable	file attribute data

Central-header version:

	Value	Size	Description
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(BeOS)	0x6542	Short	tag for this extra block type ("Be")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (5)
	BSize	Long	size of uncompr. local EF block data
	Flags	Byte	info bits

The least significant bit of Flags in both headers indicates whether the LOCAL extra field is uncompressed (and therefore whether CType and CRC are omitted):

bit 0	if set, Attribs is uncompressed (no CType, CRC)
bits 1-7	reserved; if set, assume error or unknown data

Currently the only supported compression types are deflated (type 8) and stored (type 0); the latter is not used by Info-ZIP's Zip but is supported by UnZip.

Attribs is a BeOS-specific block of data in big-endian format with the following structure (if compressed, uncompress it first):

	Value	Size	Description
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	Name	variable	attribute name (null-terminated string)
	Type	Long	attribute type (32-bit unsigned integer)
	Size	Long Long	data size for this sub-block (64 bits)
	Data	variable	attribute data

The attribute structure is repeated for every attribute. The Data field may contain anything--text, flags, bitmaps, etc.

-SMS/QDOS Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the file-attributes extra block for SMS/QDOS. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19960929)

	Value	Size	Description
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(QDOS)	0xfb4a	Short	tag for this extra block type
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	LongID	Long	extra-field signature
	(ExtraID)	Long	additional signature/flag bytes
	QDirect	64 bytes	qdirect structure

LongID may be "QZHD" or "QDOS". In the latter case, ExtraID will be present. Its first three bytes are "02\0"; the last byte is currently undefined.

QDirect contains the file's uncompressed directory info (qdirect struct). Its elements are in native (big-endian) format:

d_length	beLong	file length
d_access	byte	file access type
d_type	byte	file type
d_datalen	beLong	data length
d_reserved	beLong	unused
d_szname	beShort	size of filename
d_name	36 bytes	filename
d_update	beLong	time of last update
d_refdate	beLong	file version number
d_backup	beLong	time of last backup (archive date)

-AOS/VS Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the extra block for Data General AOS/VS. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19961125)

Value	Size	Description
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(AOSVS) 0x5356	Short	tag for this extra block type ("VS")
TSize	Short	total data size for this block
"FCI\0"	Long	extra-field signature
Version	Byte	version of AOS/VS extra block (10 = 1.0)
Fstat	variable	fstat packet
AclBuf	variable	raw ACL data (\$MXACL bytes)

Fstat contains the file's uncompressed fstat packet, which is one of the following:

normal fstat packet	(P_FSTAT struct)
DIR/CPD fstat packet	(P_FSTAT_DIR struct)
unit (device) fstat packet	(P_FSTAT_UNIT struct)
IPC file fstat packet	(P_FSTAT_IPC struct)

AclBuf contains the raw ACL data; its length is \$MXACL.

-Tandem NSK Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of the file-attributes extra block for

Tandem NSK. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19981221)

	Value	Size	Description
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(TA)	0x4154	Short	tag for this extra block type ("TA")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (20)
	NSKattrs	20 Bytes	NSK attributes

-THEOS Extra Field:  
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The following is the layout of the file-attributes extra block for Theos. The local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19990206)

	Value	Size	Description
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(Theos)	0x6854	Short	'Th' signature
	size	Short	size of extra block
	flags	Byte	reserved for future use
	filesize	Long	file size
	fileorg	Byte	type of file (see below)
	keylen	Short	key length for indexed and keyed files, data segment size for 16 bits programs
	reclen	Short	record length for indexed,keyed and direct, text segment size for 16 bits programs
	filegrow	Byte	growing factor for indexed,keyed and direct
	protect	Byte	protections (see below)
	reserved	Short	reserved for future use

File types  
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0x80 library (keyed access list of files)  
0x40 directory  
0x10 stream file  
0x08 direct file  
0x04 keyed file  
0x02 indexed file  
0x0e reserved  
0x01 16 bits real mode program (obsolete)  
0x21 16 bits protected mode program  
0x41 32 bits protected mode program

Protection codes  
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User protection  
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0x01 non readable  
 0x02 non writable  
 0x04 non executable  
 0x08 non erasable

#### Other protection

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 0x10 non readable  
 0x20 non writable  
 0x40 non executable Theos before 4.0  
 0x40 modified Theos 4.x  
 0x80 not hidden

#### -THEOS old inofficial Extra Field:

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The following is the layout of an inofficial former version of a Theos file-attributes extra blocks. This layout was never published and is no longer created. However, UnZip can optionally support it when compiling with the option flag OLD\_THEOS\_EXTRA defined. Both the local-header and central-header versions are identical. (Last Revision 19990206)

	Value	Size	Description
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(THS0)	0x4854	Short	'TH' signature
	size	Short	size of extra block
	flags	Short	reserved for future use
	filesize	Long	file size
	reclen	Short	record length for indexed,keyed and direct, text segment size for 16 bits programs
	keylen	Short	key length for indexed and keyed files, data segment size for 16 bits programs
	filegrow	Byte	growing factor for indexed,keyed and direct
	reserved	3 Bytes	reserved for future use

#### -FWKCS MD5 Extra Field:

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The FWKCS Contents\_Signature System, used in automatically identifying files independent of filename, optionally adds and uses an extra field to support the rapid creation of an enhanced contents\_signature.

There is no local-header version; the following applies only to the central header. (Last Revision 19961207)

#### Central-header version:

Value	Size	Description
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(MD5)	0x4b46	Short	tag for this extra block type ("FK")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block (19)
	"MD5"	3 bytes	extra-field signature
	MD5hash	16 bytes	128-bit MD5 hash of uncompressed data (low byte first)

When FWKCS revises a .ZIP file central directory to add this extra field for a file, it also replaces the central directory entry for that file's uncompressed file length with a measured value.

FWKCS provides an option to strip this extra field, if present, from a .ZIP file central directory. In adding this extra field, FWKCS preserves .ZIP file Authenticity Verification; if stripping this extra field, FWKCS preserves all versions of AV through PKZIP version 2.04g.

FWKCS, and FWKCS Contents\_Signature System, are trademarks of Frederick W. Kantor.

- (1) R. Rivest, RFC1321.TXT, MIT Laboratory for Computer Science and RSA Data Security, Inc., April 1992.  
 11.76-77: "The MD5 algorithm is being placed in the public domain for review and possible adoption as a standard."

-Info-ZIP Unicode Path Extra Field:  
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Stores the UTF-8 version of the entry path as stored in the local header and central directory header.  
 (Last Revision 20070912)

	Value	Size	Description
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(UPath)	0x7075	Short	tag for this extra block type ("up")
	TSize	Short	total data size for this block
	Version	1 byte	version of this extra field, currently 1
	NameCRC32	4 bytes	File Name Field CRC32 Checksum
	UnicodeName	Variable	UTF-8 version of the entry File Name

Currently Version is set to the number 1. If there is a need to change this field, the version will be incremented. Changes may not be backward compatible so this extra field should not be used if the version is not recognized.

The NameCRC32 is the standard zip CRC32 checksum of the File Name field in the header. This is used to verify that the header File Name field has not changed since the Unicode Path extra field

was created. This can happen if a utility renames the entry but does not update the UTF-8 path extra field. If the CRC check fails, this UTF-8 Path Extra Field should be ignored and the File Name field in the header used instead.

The UnicodeName is the UTF-8 version of the contents of the File Name field in the header. As UnicodeName is defined to be UTF-8, no UTF-8 byte order mark (BOM) is used. The length of this field is determined by subtracting the size of the previous fields from TSize. If both the File Name and Comment fields are UTF-8, the new General Purpose Bit Flag, bit 11 (Language encoding flag (EFS)), can be used to indicate that both the header File Name and Comment fields are UTF-8 and, in this case, the Unicode Path and Unicode Comment extra fields are not needed and should not be created. Note that, for backward compatibility, bit 11 should only be used if the native character set of the paths and comments being zipped up are already in UTF-8. The same method, either bit 11 or extra fields, should be used in both the local and central directory headers.

#### -Info-ZIP Unicode Comment Extra Field:

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Stores the UTF-8 version of the entry comment as stored in the central directory header.

(Last Revision 20070912)

Value	Size	Description
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(UCom) 0x6375	Short	tag for this extra block type ("uc")
TSize	Short	total data size for this block
Version	1 byte	version of this extra field, currently 1
ComCRC32	4 bytes	Comment Field CRC32 Checksum
UnicodeCom	Variable	UTF-8 version of the entry comment

Currently Version is set to the number 1. If there is a need to change this field, the version will be incremented. Changes may not be backward compatible so this extra field should not be used if the version is not recognized.

The ComCRC32 is the standard zip CRC32 checksum of the Comment field in the central directory header. This is used to verify that the comment field has not changed since the Unicode Comment extra field was created. This can happen if a utility changes the Comment field but does not update the UTF-8 Comment extra field. If the CRC check fails, this Unicode Comment extra field should be ignored and the Comment field in the header used.

The UnicodeCom field is the UTF-8 version of the entry comment field in the header. As UnicodeCom is defined to be UTF-8, no UTF-8 byte order mark (BOM) is used. The length of this field is determined by

subtracting the size of the previous fields from TSize. If both the File Name and Comment fields are UTF-8, the new General Purpose Bit Flag, bit 11 (Language encoding flag (EFS)), can be used to indicate both the header File Name and Comment fields are UTF-8 and, in this case, the Unicode Path and Unicode Comment extra fields are not needed and should not be created. Note that, for backward compatibility, bit 11 should only be used if the native character set of the paths and comments being zipped up are already in UTF-8. The same method, either bit 11 or extra fields, should be used in both the local and central directory headers.

#### -Info-ZIP New Unix Extra Field:

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Currently stores Unix UIDs/GIDs up to 32 bits.  
(Last Revision 20080509)

Value	Size	Description
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(UnixN) 0x7875	Short	tag for this extra block type ("ux")
TSize	Short	total data size for this block
Version	1 byte	version of this extra field, currently 1
UIDSize	1 byte	Size of UID field
UID	Variable	UID for this entry
GIDSize	1 byte	Size of GID field
GID	Variable	GID for this entry

Currently Version is set to the number 1. If there is a need to change this field, the version will be incremented. Changes may not be backward compatible so this extra field should not be used if the version is not recognized.

UIDSize is the size of the UID field in bytes. This size should match the size of the UID field on the target OS.

UID is the UID for this entry in standard little endian format.

GIDSize is the size of the GID field in bytes. This size should match the size of the GID field on the target OS.

GID is the GID for this entry in standard little endian format.

If both the old 16-bit Unix extra field (tag 0x7855, Info-ZIP Unix) and this extra field are present, the values in this extra field supercede the values in that extra field.