

Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\ filenames

Geschrieben von Tsukiouji - 07.03.2024 12:16

Hello!

I find this problem rather disturbing. The game itself is old and it seems cannot use unicode properly, potentially leading to game-braking bugs for users of non-EU windows locale.

As of today, at least 110 files cannot be read by the game, and while i couldn't care less for .txt and .jpg and maybe .kmz, some files are crucial, for example TC65 Kadett B's what i believe are suspension files, or Talents, or driver textures.

What i propose: change all critical filenames to ISO basic Latin alphabet / US-ASCII and maintain all further mods up to these standards. I'd be happy to assist preparing necessary changes.

These changes, i believe, should not hinder displaying of extended characters in-game in any way.

Enclosing filelist of the files that cannot be read by the game:

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\GTL\GameData\Locations\750esterreich\75 Osterreichring.txt
\GTL\GameData\Locations\albi67\Depart Grand Prix d'Albi, 1967.jpg
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\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\8BA\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT

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Aw: Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von rdjango - 07.03.2024 19:00

Hi,

I don't know if someone else has this problem. Here are driver from USA, Spain, Portugal, Finland, South-America and others. You didn't tell us which language you use in Gtl. And I see no german "Umlaut" in your post so I don't really understand the problem.

greetz

rdjango

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Aw: Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von Nilski98 - 07.03.2024 20:05

I'm gonna guess Japanese, which means a whole different character set which struggles with umlauts (I have seen a Czech person have that same issue if somebody on the KÃ¶lschbierbude joins with a 'WÃ¼rth Racing' skin). As for the list, the umlauts are present in all those files, but don't show in that list (e.g. the 'KotflÃ¼gel' files are listed as 'Kotflugel', which would be the fixed name already).

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Re:Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von Tsukiouji - 08.03.2024 10:24

I can make a proper list with proper unicode paths to each file.

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Re:Aw: Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von Tsukiouji - 09.03.2024 23:38

rdjango wrote:

Here are driver from USA, Spain, Portugal, Finland, South-America and others. You didn't tell us which language you use in Gtl

for now i'm trying to set up english steam version of GTL on cyrillic Windows 7 x64 with German locale. i do have a dvd copy (russian license, patched with english 1.1 patch), but haven't really tried it, as apart from .exe all other files seems almost the same - md5 check shows track .jpg differences and negligible sound file changes. dvd version shows exactly the same problems with autodownloader, as the steam one.

i really dont know if you guys can make a working english GTL out of the fresh installation with current-version autodownloader and ABB patches.

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Aw: Re:Aw: Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von MichaW - 10.03.2024 08:57

Tsukiouji schrieb:

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Hiho,

A GTL installation in English, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian etc. works without any problems if you follow these instructions

<http://wiki.bierbuden.de/GTLInstallation/en>

http://www.altbierbude.de/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,99/func,view/id,43094/catid,3/limit,25/limitstart,100/lang,de/#118458

http://www.altbierbude.de/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,99/func,view/catid,43/id,96840/lang,de/#96866

I have also not yet understood whether you have problems with an installation or are just looking for "errors"?

Glück auf!

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Aw: Re:Aw: Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von Nilski98 - 10.03.2024 17:11

I had a more proper look through the file list now and not a single one of these should cause any issues even if the game can't read it - which is also the case for my English game version (not sure if a German GTL install could read files with umlauts).

Still I'll allow myself to divide the list into various groups to maybe explain some of it.

Files that are just extras:

\\GTL\\GameData\\Locations\\albi67\\Depart Grand Prix d'Albi, 1967.jpg - Historic photo
\\GTL\\GameData\\Locations\\MiselukGP\\miseluk.kmz - Google Earth file

Readme files:

\\GTL\\GameData\\Locations\\750esterreich\\75 Osterreichring.txt
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Suit, helmet textures and talent files:

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\\GTL\\GameData\\Talent\\MHottinger.rcd

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Files of which a version with fixed name already exists alongside:

\GTL\GameData\Sounds\Lancia Stratos_sounds\????????? ??? Lancia_Stratos_idle.wav
\GTL\GameData\Sounds\Lancia Stratos_sounds\????????? ??? Lancia_Stratos_idleex.wav
\GTL\GameData\Teams\GTC-TC-76\Opel Kadett C Coupe 208BR\OPEL
KADETT_STO?STANGE_HINTEN_STYLE1.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\GTC-TC-76\Opel Kadett C Coupe\60MG\OPEL
KADETT_STO?STANGE_HINTEN_STYLE1.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\GTC-TC-76\Opel Kadett C Coupe\66cy\OPEL KADETT_HECKFLUGEL_STYLE2.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\GTC-TC-76\Opel Kadett C
Coupe\66cy\OPEL_KADETT_STO?STANGE_HINTEN_STYLE1.GMT

Car model files, I have not noticed any problems when changing the file name (or even deleting the file):

\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\105ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\105ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\126co\kadett_b_kotflugel_links.gmt

\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\126co\kadett_b_kotflugel_rechts.gmt
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\128ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\128ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\137ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\137ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\151HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\151HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\18ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\18ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\201ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\201ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\220co\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\220co\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\22HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\22HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\300ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\300ka\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\32HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\32HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\35HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\35HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\42HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\42HT\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\56co\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\56co\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\63BA\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\63BA\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\78BA\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\78BA\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\8BA\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_LINKS.GMT
\GTL\GameData\Teams\TC-65\Opel Kadett B\8BA\KADETT_B_KOTFLUGEL_RECHTS.GMT

So, the game should function 100% fine still, even if in the case of the .dds (and probably .rcd) files it will use placeholder textures - however simply renaming those files (e.g. renaming Josef SkvoreckÃ½_BODY.DDS into Josef Skvorecky_BODY.DDS) can already make them work and also does not cause any online issues with lowGuard or the server compatibility. :)

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Geschrieben von Bordi - 10.03.2024 17:19

Thank you very much Nils.
That's good information.
It should make a little more understanding possible.

GrÃ¼Ã¶e,
Bordi

Re:Aw: Re:Aw: Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von Tsukiouji - 10.03.2024 18:02

MichaW wrote:

I have also not yet understood whether you have problems with an installation or are just looking for "errors"?

GlÃ¼ck auf!

Yes, i do have a problems with a fresh installs made by following the steps <http://wiki.bierbuden.de/GTLInstallation/en> (omitting only the "open the autoupdater, go to "tweaks" and "GTL-patch", install it]]. step - there is no such option in my

autoudater - attaching my tweak page screenshot)

More often than not i got booted out of the servers because selected cars did not go through.

Yes, i did read the passage which could be my problem

Question:

I have now completed the downloads and every time I want to connect to a server it says "You have been kicked" -.- what should I do now?

Answer:

If you are constantly being kicked from the servers, it is probably because you are trying to connect to the server with a car that is not authorized.

If this is the case, I conclude that you are using the (still) encrypted DVD version and are being shown the wrong vehicle selection. You can find out how to do this further up in this FAQ under Installation.

To check whether you have done everything correctly, you can only see the authorized cars in the vehicle selection and when you drive onto the track, you should not usually get a message of a GDB deviation at the top of the chat.

"You can find out how to do this further up in this FAQ under Installation." - but am i missing something or this exact instructions never to be found "further up in the FAQ".

As the car i'm being put into is a yellow 850 Mini i did find this piece of advice

https://www.altbierbude.de/component/option,com_fireboard/Itemid,99/func,view/id,114713/catid,43/lang,en/#114713

Indeed, the autoupdater was completely finished and gave a message like "done, good race", and indeed i tried to install the carclasses again manually.
Got booted again.

That's when i started to dig into log traces, differences in DVD and steam installations et cetra et cetra.

Yes, i managed to get into Renault race few days ago. But other servers are still forbidden territory if any drivers are there.

Sure, I will bother you no more with my "errors" reports. Good riddance.

https://www.altbierbude.de/images/fbfiles/images/Tsukiouji_Bild1.jpg

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Geschrieben von Bordi - 10.03.2024 18:36

Yes, i do have a problems with a fresh installs made by following the steps <http://wiki.bierbuden.de/GTLInstallation/en> (omitting only the "open the autoupdater, go to "tweaks" and "GTL-patch", install it]]." step - there is no such option in my autoudater - attaching my tweak page screenshot)try this way

https://www.altbierbude.de/images/fbfiles/images/AutoUpdater_Kommandos_4GB-Patch.jpg

GrÃ¼Ãe,
Bordi

Edit:

If you need the Patch V1.1.0.0

you can download the Patch here:

https://www.altbierbude.de/component/option,com_remository/Itemid,26/func,fileinfo/id,796/lang,en/

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Geschrieben von Nilski98 - 10.03.2024 18:55

Tsukiouji schrieb:

Sure, I will bother you no more with my "errors" reports. Good riddance.This is the first post in which you have described

that you actually have issues so what makes you think we don't want to help you?
For now all we could do is tell you that those file names are not causing issues (which we did not know you had).

But okay: You said you do not have the GTL Patch from the Autoupdater installed, since there is no such option - and there's the issue. This patch is absolutely vital for playing on our servers, without it the car classes will not function properly.
<https://cdn.discordapp.com/attachments/425991364526997507/1216444175634010122/image.png?ex=660068eb&is=65edf3eb&hm=68cfa17e93d974c953f95de7f32d0e1ee4e9f7e1ffdd7fa1f0909d8f037bd5e3&>
As to why you're missing that option (same for me, not sure if it should still show up if already installed, but I would think it should :huh:) I do not know, maybe somebody with knowledge about the Autoupdater knows something about that.

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Geschrieben von MichaW - 10.03.2024 19:01

Hiho, which version of GTL are you using? DVD? Or Steam? If Steam, did you take the GTL from the Steam directory? And with the Steam version, the option to remove copy protection (patch) does not appear because the Steam version has no copy protection. And as far as I know, the Steam version does not need a patch to V.1.1.0. So if the updater said it was ready and you still have problems joining the servers, then the first thing I would do is install the car classes manually. If it still doesn't work, then click on "Reinstall" under Commands in the Updater and everything will be checked again. A trace file could also help to find the error.

Glück auf!

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Re:Umlauts/extended characters in ABB mods\' filenames

Geschrieben von Tsukiouji - 10.03.2024 19:09

Thank you all for the insights.
I will now update car classes and reinstall mods to be double sure.
If join problems persist on today's race - I'll collect and attach the trace logs.
Sorry for causing you troubles.

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Geschrieben von Nilski98 - 10.03.2024 19:19

Another thing, which directory do you have the game installed in/did you try copy/pasting the whole install away from your Steam folder and then repeating the Autoupdater process with the new filepaths?

And beware: It seems that the Steam version can still have traces of the Starforce copy protection in it, which can break your whole OS if you restart the PC, so if possible the GTL Patch should be run even on Steam versions @Micha.
Two friends of mine had it (one though I'm not sure if she found her old DVD or used the Steam version) and a Steam review from 2020 also noted that Starforce broke his system.

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Geschrieben von Tsukiouji - 10.03.2024 20:33

Yup, i've copied the game to something like D:\GTL\ earlier to shorten filepaths if any filenames go north of 255 chars total.

Bordi sent me archive with clean steam game (exact copy as mine, md5 verified), but too suggested patching with 1.1 and enclosed the file, which i obliged as I thought it worth a shot.
And guess what - after patching the steam version with 1.1 patch, GTL Patch option appeared, patched something and unpacked something too.

In the middle of reinstalling mods now.

Old installation won't let me in the game, but now I have high hopes for the new installation.
Hope to see you on the track next time!

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Geschrieben von Tsukiouji - 11.03.2024 00:18

Trace attached.

Lowguard log:

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01:12:01 MessageDispatcher: Initialized TCP client
01:12:02 Connected to 54.38.155.82:810
01:12:02 MessageDispatcher: Version received
01:12:02 MessageDispatcher: Guardian received
01:12:03 ClientServiceHost: Internal connection initialized
01:13:21 Joined server - Slot: 0, Driver: Hurr Durst
01:13:21 1970 Mini 850 Mini F906
01:13:21 GAMEDATA\TEAMS\ABB-ZWERGE\1970 MINI 850\F906\F906_SIM_GTC_MINI850.CAR
01:13:21 PublishTeamData with 2 teams
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: Files OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: GTLExe: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: NetDll: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: Physics: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: UIMenu: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: RTSSHooks.dll - ,
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: UMPDC.dll - ,
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: amdihk32.dll - Advanced Micro Devices, Inc., Radeon Settings: Host Service
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: TextShaping.dll - ,
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: NPClient.dll - ,
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: WindowManagementAPI.dll - ,
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: Team Files OK
01:13:22 Player: Hurr Durst, Car: 1970 Mini 850
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: Engine: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: GearBox: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: HDCar: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: Suspension: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: Tire: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: Track Files OK
01:13:22 Player: Hurr Durst, Track: 67Zolder
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: SpecialFX: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: AIW: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: TRK: OK
01:13:22 Hurr Durst: GDB: OK
01:13:28 Left server
01:13:28 PublishTeamData with 0 teams
01:14:00 Joined server - Slot: 1, Driver: Hurr Durst
01:14:00 1970 Mini 850 Mini F906
01:14:00 GAMEDATA\TEAMS\ABB-ZWERGE\1970 MINI 850\F906\F906_SIM_GTC_MINI850.CAR
01:14:00 PublishTeamData with 2 teams
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: Files OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: GTLExe: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: NetDll: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: Physics: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: UIMenu: OK
01:14:00 jb: Files OK
01:14:00 jb: GTLExe: OK
01:14:00 jb: NetDll: OK
01:14:00 jb: Physics: OK
01:14:00 jb: UIMenu: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: RTSSHooks.dll - ,
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01:14:00 Hurr Durst: UMPDC.dll - ,
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: amdihk32.dll - Advanced Micro Devices, Inc., Radeon Settings: Host Service
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: NPClient.dll - ,
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: WindowManagementAPI.dll - ,
01:14:00 jb: TextShaping.dll - ,
01:14:00 jb: UMPDC.dll - ,
01:14:00 jb: WindowManagementAPI.dll - ,
01:14:00 jb: FAWForceFeedbackDrv32.dll - Endor AG, Fanatec Wheel Force Feedback Driver
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: Team Files OK
01:14:00 Player: Hurr Durst, Car: 1970 Mini 850
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: Engine: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: GearBox: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: HDCar: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: Suspension: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: Tire: OK
01:14:00 jb: Team Files OK
01:14:00 Player: jb, Car: Porsche 904 GTS/6
01:14:00 jb: Engine: OK
01:14:00 jb: GearBox: OK
01:14:00 jb: HDCar: OK
01:14:00 jb: Suspension: OK
01:14:00 jb: Tire: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: Track Files OK
01:14:00 Player: Hurr Durst, Track: 60sMonza
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: SpecialFX: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: AIW: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: TRK: OK
01:14:00 Hurr Durst: GDB: OK
01:14:01 jb: Track Files OK
01:14:01 Player: jb, Track: 60sMonza
01:14:01 jb: SpecialFX: OK
01:14:01 jb: AIW: OK
01:14:01 jb: TRK: OK
01:14:01 jb: GDB: OK
01:14:08 Left server
01:14:08 PublishTeamData with 0 teams

<https://www.altbierbude.de/images/fbfiles/files/trace-d1793320c4db3c6c60a9841fdf6575ae.txt>

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Geschrieben von Bordi - 11.03.2024 00:52

If you only ever have the Mini Cooper, even though it is not currently on any of our servers, then (very probably) your onlinekey does not fit correctly.

As a rule, the onlinekey should consist of a 28 (4x7) digit alphanumeric string.

If this string consists of only 25 (5x5) characters, then it is the DVD key.

GrÃ¼Ãe,
Bordi

Edit:

I have checked your key.

it has 28 digits, so it should fit