

Re: Reading the contents of a zip file

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Mike, this is a great way to search the .zip for a file! Now if I find the file and I want to load it into a picturebox, do I have to extract it first or is there a way I can load it from the .zip?

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Thanks.

"Mike D Sutton" <EDais@xxxxxxxx> wrote in message

[news:%23s%23u\\$%23WaFHA.1448@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:%23s%23u$%23WaFHA.1448@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

>> I want to be check the contents of a .zip file for a certain icon(.ico
>> file)

>> and if it exists, display the icon in a picturebox. What is the best way
>> to

>> do this, preferably without third party controls.

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> Have a look at this old post for how to parse a .ZIP file header in VB (no
> 3rd party libraries required):

> <http://groups.google.co.uk/group/microsoft.public.vb.general.discussion/msg/af374a38d8cfe0fb>

> Hope this helps,

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> Mike

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◇ *From:* Mike D Sutton

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