

## Audacious - OLD, PLEASE USE GITHUB DISCUSSIONS/ISSUES - Bug #668

### Error pops up after an M4A file is done playing.

September 25, 2016 23:05 - Zane Tu

<b>Status:</b>	Rejected	<b>Start date:</b>	September 25, 2016
<b>Priority:</b>	Minor	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>		<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>			
<b>Affects version:</b>	3.8		
<b>Description</b>			
Steps to reproduce: 1. Open Audacious. 2. Add an M4A file to playlist. 3. Play the M4A file added. 4. Wait for completion of playback, or seek to end of file.			
Expected result: No error pops up. Actual result: Error pops up, saying "Unknown playback error (check the console for detailed error information)".			
Console output:			
(audacious:18281): Gtk-WARNING **: Theme directory base/ of theme oxygen has no size field			
ERROR ffaudio-core.cc:185 [aac]: <0x7fa4c0044940> Reserved bit set. ERROR ffaudio-core.cc:185 [aac]: <0x7fa4c0044940> channel element 0.15 is not allocated ERROR ffaudio-core.cc:214 [log_result]: avcodec_send_packet failed: Invalid data found when processing input ERROR util.cc:295 [audgui_simple_message]: Error playing file:///home/zanetu/download/example.m4a: Unknown playback error (check the console for detailed error information)			
Additional info: This bug prevents a single file from being repeated. Sample file: <a href="http://cdn.online-convert.com/example-file/audio/example.m4a">http://cdn.online-convert.com/example-file/audio/example.m4a</a> Similar bug: <a href="https://bugs.archlinux.org/task/50303">https://bugs.archlinux.org/task/50303</a> Version: 3.8 ( <a href="https://deb-multimedia.org/dists/unstable/main/binary-amd64/package/audacious">https://deb-multimedia.org/dists/unstable/main/binary-amd64/package/audacious</a> )			

### History

#### #1 - September 26, 2016 01:57 - John Lindgren

- Status changed from New to Rejected

No error here. First try updating FFmpeg to the latest version, then report the problem to the FFmpeg project if the problem persists.

#### #2 - November 30, 2016 14:01 - Se Li

This systematically happens with .mp4 videos files downloaded from YouTube and treated with MP4Box to extract the audio to a .m4a file. Would it be possible to ignore this error silently? Other players such as VLC do not indicate any problem. (Using Arch Linux, all packages current.)

#### #3 - November 30, 2016 15:33 - John Lindgren

This bug was already closed since it was not reproducible. If you have a test case for which Audacious reports an error **and command-line ffmpeg does not**, then please open a new report. If ffmpeg reports an error, then you can try reporting a bug to ffmpeg, but it is likely you have a corrupt file.