

Subject: Re: compressed download & telnet
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> WINPACK

> It won't use compressed download at all and downloads the same
> message over and over again with compression turned off.

Reason. FBB no longer supports compressed upload and download in the same session. If you enable Split Sessions that should enable you to do both compressed uploads and downloads.

> 1. Go into the BULLS folder and delete LASTNUM.TXT.

Reason. Your old RF and your new Telnet BBS are at different message numbers. Do this whilst WinPack isn't running.

> 2. Ensure you have 'Split Sessions' enabled in your Mail Options.

Try rewriting the telnet script to suit your self an example is

HOT KEY F2

TITLE Telnet connection to (your BBS)

send c (port and ip in fo)

wait for callsign:

send (.callsign yours) note full stop before call important

watfor(password if any):

send password (if any

waitprompt

set up host mode to telnet in comms options all info is in winpack help files
this may help.

Or alternatively, you could use compressed download and plain text
for upload in the same session.

Ensure that you have disabled Paging on your BBS User account

Enter the command OP

e.g.

GB7CIP >

op

OP: Paging mode is now set to : Off

GB7CIP >

Another thing to check in your WinPack configuration

go to options - then Personal/BBS info

Make sure that in BBS information you have only got GB7CIP

In the BBS prompt field (not <your callsign> de GB7CIP.

The field should just have the BBS callsign - nothing else and no > either.