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NAME

zforce - force a '.gz' extension on all gzip files

SYNOPSIS

zforce [name ...]

DESCRIPTION

The `zforce` command forces a `.gz` extension on all gzip files so that gzip will not compress them twice. This can be useful for files with names truncated after a file transfer. On systems with a 14 char limitation on file names, the original name is truncated to make room for the `.gz` suffix. For example, `12345678901234` is renamed to `12345678901.gz`. A file name such as `foo.tgz` is left intact.

SEE ALSO

gzip(1), znew(1), zmore(1), zgrep(1), zdiff(1), gzexe(1)

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