

How to read an old “.hlp file (*)” on English Windows 10 (x64/x86):

(*): The “.hlp file” must be read, without any problem, on Windows XP, 2000, ME, or, 98/98SE.

Preface:

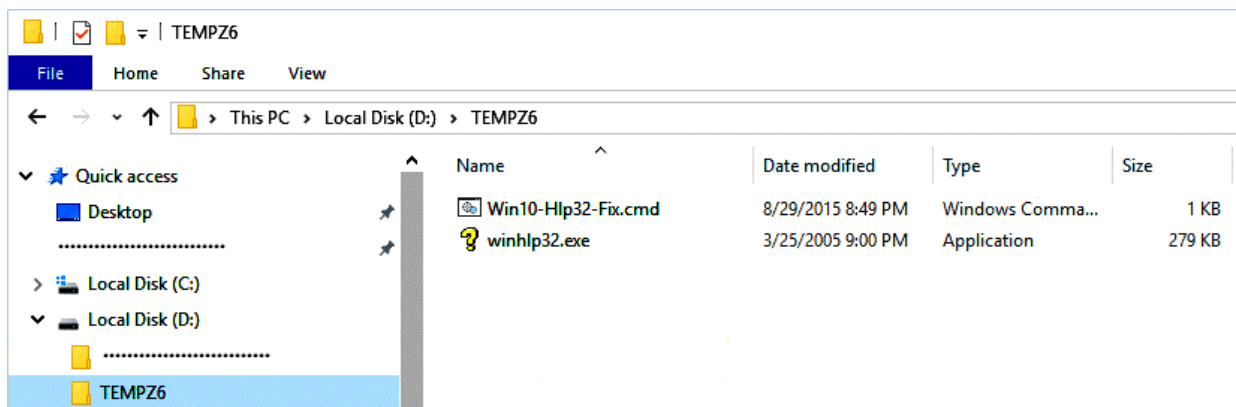
This software (created about one year ago, August, 2015) might be expected to be good for users.

Step 1:

- (1) Get “winhlp32.exe” existing in the Windows directory of English Windows XP (x64), if using English Windows 10 (x64). Note: English Windows XP (x64) must be (the final) SP2 Edition. Or, get “winhlp32.exe” existing in the Windows directory of English Windows XP (x86), even if using English Windows 10 (x64). Note: English Windows XP (x86) must be (the final) SP3 Edition.
- (2) Get “winhlp32.exe” existing in the Windows directory of English Windows XP (x86), if using English Windows 10 (x86). Note: English Windows XP (x86) must be (the final) SP3 Edition.
- (3) Remarks: winhlp32.exe = 285,696 Bytes in the English Windows XP (x64) SP2, and winhlp32.exe = 283,648 Bytes in the English Windows XP (x86) SP3.

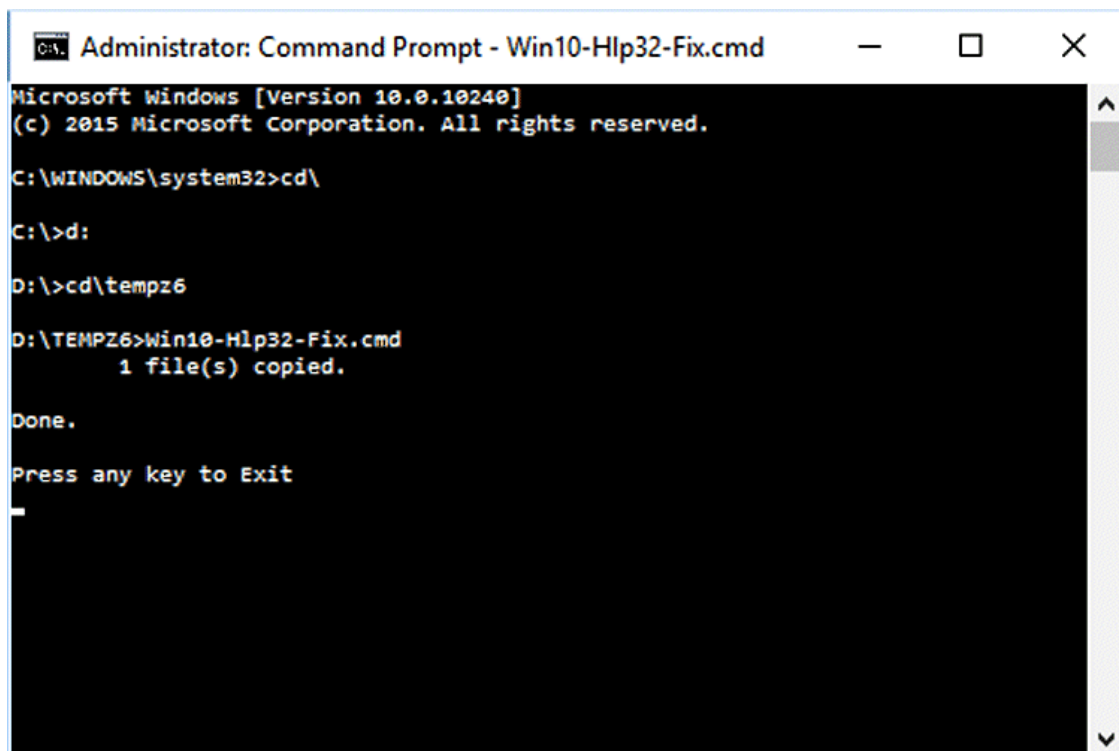
Step 2:

- (1) Make a temporary folder (for example “D:\TEMPZ6”) on the HDD of Windows 10 (x64/x86).
- (2) Copy the winhlp32.exe (obtained by the above “Step 1”) to the temporary folder D:\TEMPZ6.
- (3) And, copy the Win10-Hlp32-Fix.cmd (attached to this software) to the temporary folder D:\TEMPZ6.
- (4) Therefore, “winhlp32.exe” and “Win10-Hlp32-Fix.cmd” exist in the temporary folder D:\TEMPZ6.



Step 3:

- (5) Open the “Command Prompt” window for the Windows 10 (x64/x86), by “Run as administrator.”
- (6) Then, move the prompt to the D:\TEMPZ6 directory, by using “Change Directory (CD)” command.
- (7) Under this condition, execute the “Win10-Hlp32-Fix.cmd” command in the D:\TEMPZ6 directory. The following picture shows the execution of the “Win10-Hlp32-Fix.cmd” command in the D:\TEMPZ6 directory.
- (8) After the completion of the execution, you can read an old “.hlp file (*1)” on Windows 10 (x64/x86). (*1): The “.hlp file” must be read, without any problem, on Windows XP, 2000, ME, or, 98/98SE.



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Administrator: Command Prompt - Win10-Hlp32-Fix.cmd
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.10240]
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C:\WINDOWS\system32>cd\

C:\>d:

D:\>cd\tempz6

D:\TEMPZ6>Win10-Hlp32-Fix.cmd
        1 file(s) copied.

Done.

Press any key to Exit
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