# Use outbufs in FileUtils.compare_stream

I propose using outbufs in FileUtils.compare_stream. It will increase performance.

I executed the following code to performance test.

```ruby
require 'fileutils'
require "stringio"

str = "hoge" * 10000000

a = StringIO.new(str)
b = StringIO.new(str)

FileUtils.compare_stream(a, b)
```

The following are results of time command.

Present compare_stream:

```
1.27s user 0.69s system 96% cpu 2.036 total
1.38s user 0.69s system 96% cpu 2.152 total
1.12s user 0.24s system 98% cpu 1.379 total
```

Patched compare_stream:

```
0.70s user 0.43s system 97% cpu 1.158 total
0.72s user 0.27s system 98% cpu 1.010 total
0.62s user 0.28s system 98% cpu 0.915 total
```

Patched ruby passes tests in test/fileutils.

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**Associated revisions**

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History

#1 - 09/19/2011 07:34 PM - ayumin (Ayumu AIZAWA)
- Status changed from Open to Closed
- % Done changed from 0 to 100
This issue was solved with changeset r33297.
Masaki, thank you for reporting this issue.
Your contribution to Ruby is greatly appreciated.
May Ruby be with you.

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