

Experiment 07

Aim: Building C Project using makefile.

A Makefile is a script used by the **make** command to automate the process of compiling and linking programs. It defines a set of rules that specify how to build a project efficiently.

1. Main Project Directory

```
mkdir c_project_aatif
ls
cd c_project_aatif
```

```
localhost:~# mkdir c_project_aatif
localhost:~# ls
bench.py      c_project_aatif  hello.c
localhost:~# cd c_project_aatif
```

2. Create hellomake.c

```
vi hellomake.c
#include <hellomake.h>
int main()
{
    myPrintHelloMake();
    return(0);
}
esc (for escaping insert mode and
come back to command mode)
:wq(for save and exit)
```

```
localhost:~/c_project_aatif# vi hellomake.c
#include <hellomake.h>
int main()
{
    myPrintHelloMake();
    return(0);
}
~
~
~
:wq
```

3. Create hellofunc.c

```
vi hellofunc.c
#include <stdio.h>
#include <hellomake.h>
void myPrintHelloMake() {
    printf("Hello makefile! \n");
    return;
}
esc (for escaping insert mode and
come back to command mode)
:wq(for save and exit)
```

```
localhost:~/c_project_aatif# vi hellofunc.c
#include <stdio.h>
#include <hellomake.h>
void myPrintHelloMake() {
    printf("Hello makefile! \n");
    return;
}
~
~
~
:wq
```

4. Create Makefile

```
vi makefile
CC=clang
CFLAG=-I.
DEPS = hellomake.h
```

```
%.o: %.c $(DEPS)
    $(CC) -c -o $@ $< $(CFLAG)
```

```
hellomake: hellomake.o hellofunc.o
    $(CC) -o hellomake hellomake.o
hellofunc.o
```

esc (for escaping insert mode and
come back to command mode)
:wq(for save and exit)

```
localhost:~/c_project_aatif# vi makefile
CC=clang
CFLAG=-I.
DEPS = hellomake.h

%.o: %.c $(DEPS)
    $(CC) -c -o $@ $< $(CFLAG)

hellomake: hellomake.o hellofunc.o
    $(CC) -o hellomake hellomake.o hellofunc.o

~
~
~
:wq
```

5. Create hellomake.h

```
vi hellomake.h
/* example include file */
void myPrintHelloMake();
```

esc (for escaping insert mode and
come back to command mode)
:wq(for save and exit)

```
localhost:~/c_project_aatif# vi hellomake.h
/* example include file */
void myPrintHelloMake();

~
~
~
:wq
```

6. Compile & Run

To compile the program:
make
To run the program:
./hellomake

```
localhost:~/c_project_aatif# make
clang -I. -c -o hellofunc.o hellofunc.c
clang -o hellomake hellomake.o hellofunc.o
localhost:~/c_project_aatif# ./hellomake
Hello makefile!
```