

# CUnit



# Outline of This Lab

1. Factorial Example
2. Install Cunit
3. Execute testing Projects Successfully

# CUnit

C-based open source framework for writing and running unit tests.

## **Provides:**

- Test suites to group test cases
- Assertions for testing expected results within a test case
- Automates the execution of test cases showing the results

# **CUnit Installation On Windows**

# Install Cygwin

Install Cygwin using the link provided at <https://cygwin.com/install.html>

## Installing and Updating Cygwin Packages

### Installing and Updating Cygwin for 64-bit versions of Windows

Run [setup-x86\\_64.exe](#) any time you want to update or install a Cygwin package for 64-bit windows. The [signature](#) for [setup-x86\\_64.exe](#) can be used to verify the validity of this binary.

### Installing and Updating Cygwin for 32-bit versions of Windows

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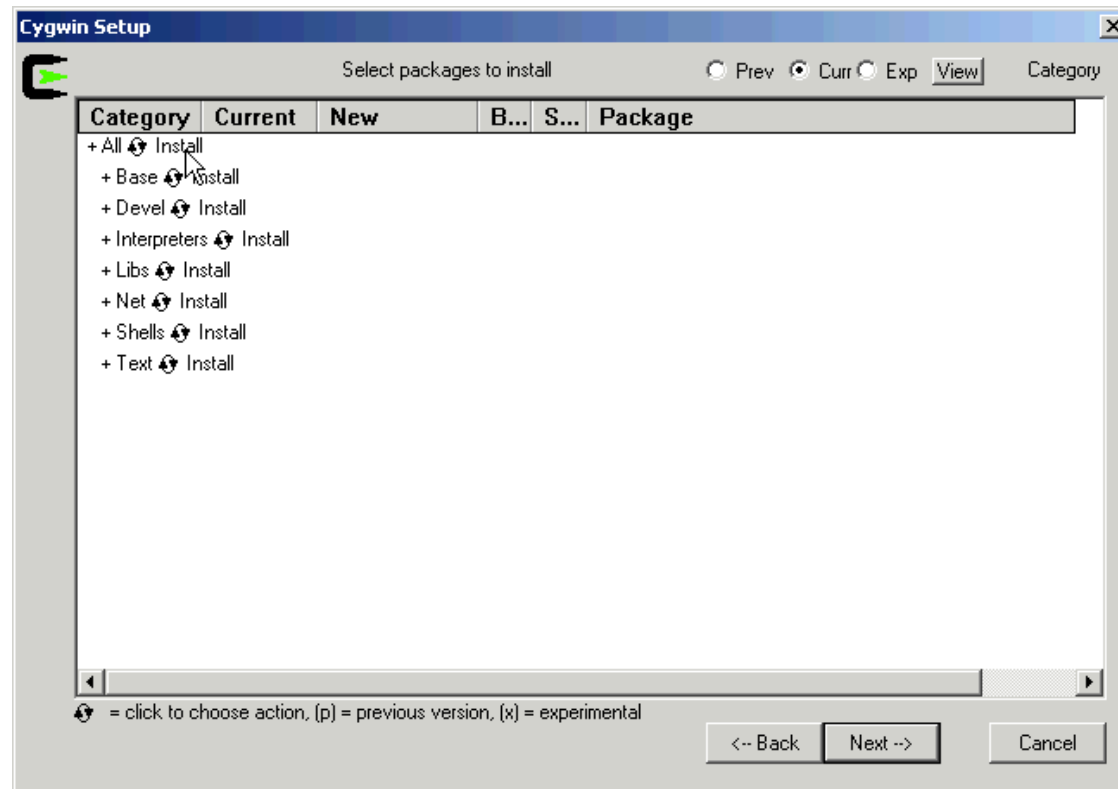
For 64bit Win select **setup-x86\_64.exe**

For 32bit Win select **setup-x86.exe**

<https://cygwin.com/install.html>

# Choosing Packages

- You should be able to see packages as classified into categories.
- Select and Install CUnit in the category Libs



# **CUnit Installation On MacOS**

# Install CUnit on MacOS

If you do not have brew installed, open a Terminal and execute the following command:

```
ruby -e "$(curl -fsSL https://  
raw.githubusercontent.com/Homebrew/install/  
master/install)" < /dev/null 2> /dev/null
```

Then execute the following command:

```
brew install cunit
```



# **CUnit Installation On Linux**

# Install CUnit on Linux

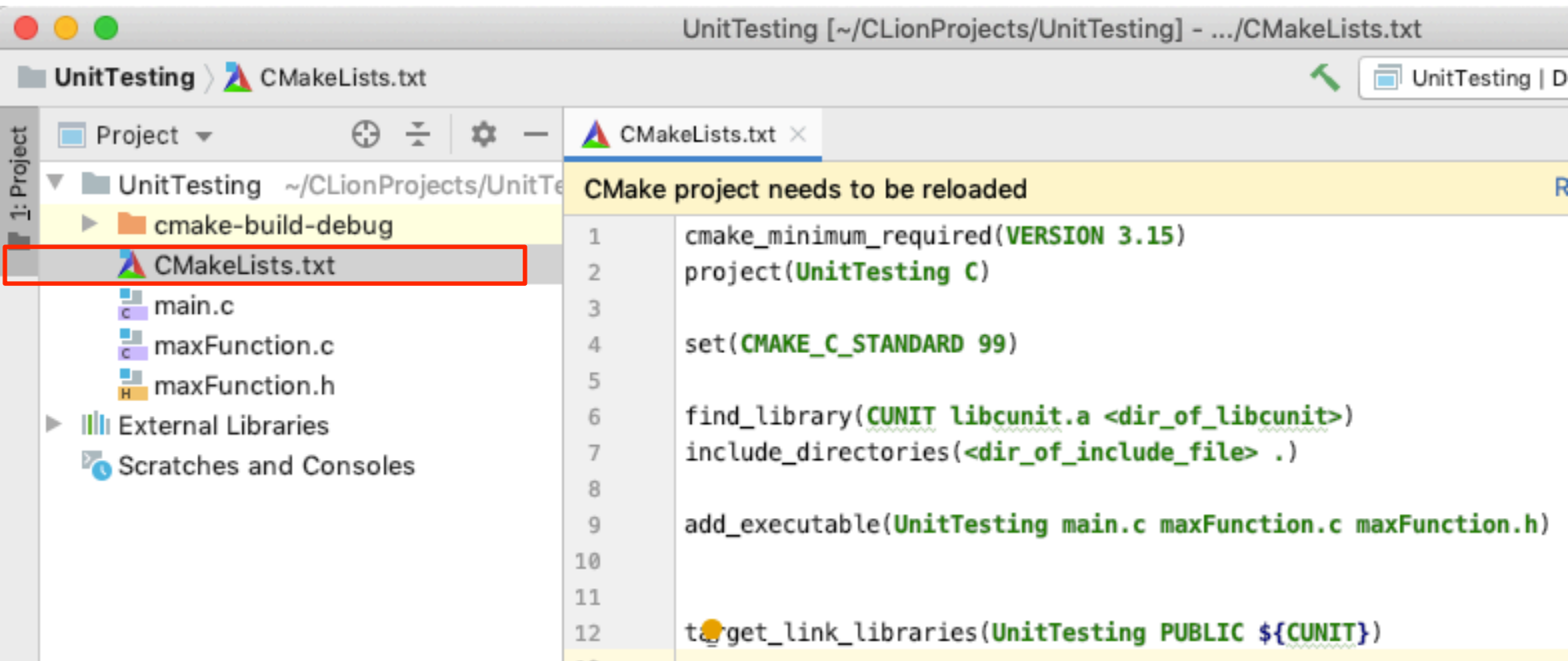
Open your terminal and execute the following commands:

```
sudo apt-get update
```

```
sudo apt-get install libcunit1  
libcunit1-doc libcunit1-dev
```

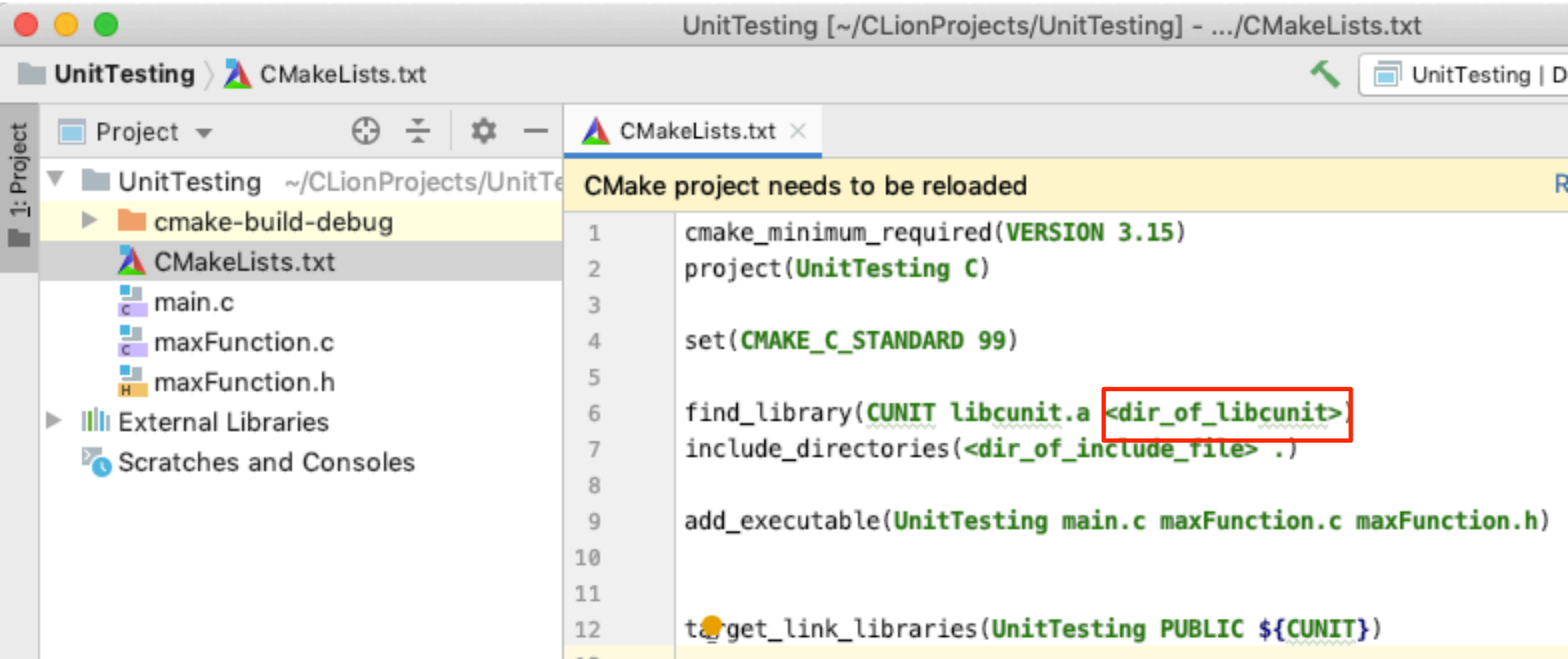
# **Configure CUnit**

# Open One of the Testing Projects Provided On BrightSpace in Clion (Max Function Testing Example)



Open file *CMakeLists.txt*

# Set-up the directory where your CUnit installation is present

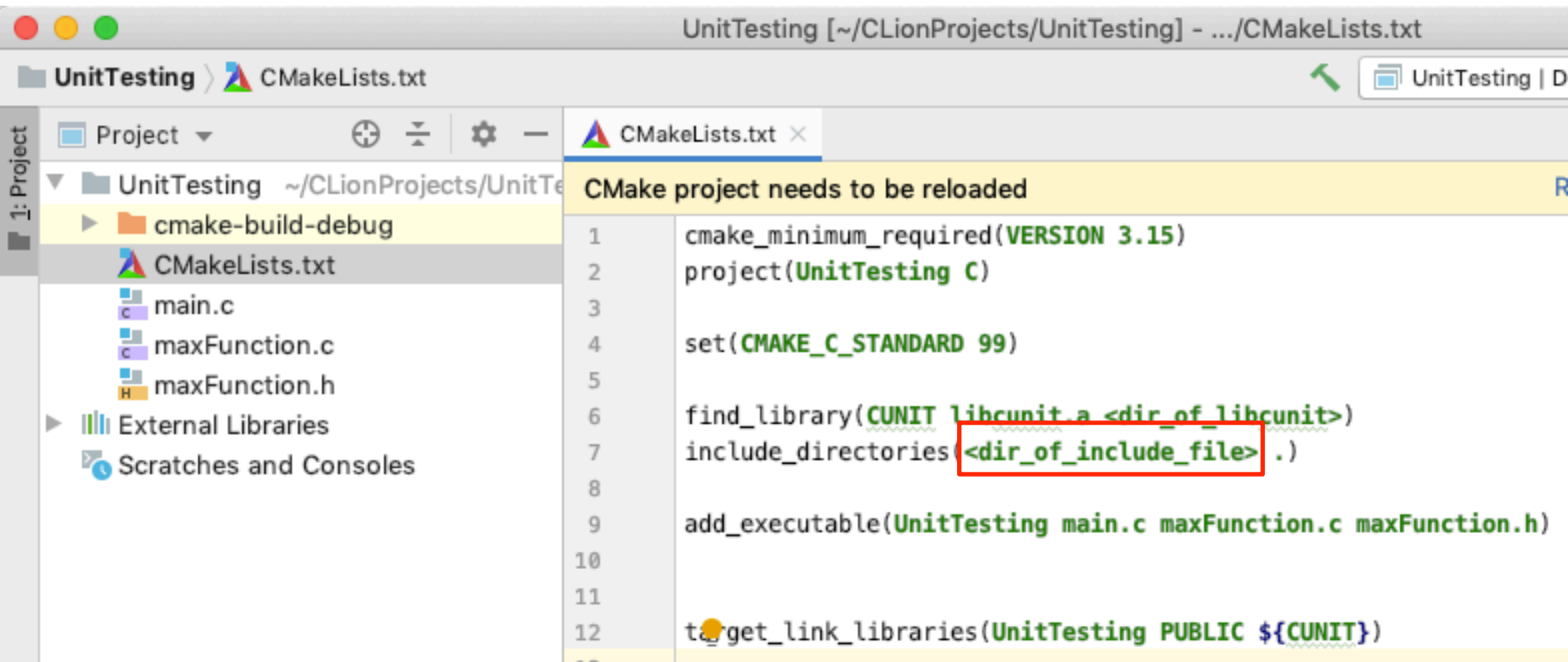


Replace the string `<dir_of_libcunit>` with the directory where `libcunit.a` is located. For example:

On a Mac: `/usr/local/Cellar/cunit/2.1-3/lib`

On Linux: `/usr/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/`

# Set-up the directory where the CUnit header files are located



Replace the string `<dir_of_include_file>` with the directory of the CUnit header files.  
For example:

On MacOS: `/usr/local/Cellar/cunit/2.1-3/include/CUnit`

On Linux: `/usr/include/CUnit/`

# Now Try to Run The Examples

On Brightspace there are 2 Projects:

- MaxFunction Testing Example
- Triangle Testing Example

## What you need to do

1. Import the projects on CLion and run them successfully (remember to set up CUnit dependencies)
2. Try the factorial example (described in the rest of the slides)

# Successful Execution of TriangleTesting Project

The screenshot displays the CLion IDE interface for the TriangleTesting project. The CMakeLists.txt file is open, showing the following content:

```
1 cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.15)
2 project(TriangleTesting C)
3
4 set(CMAKE_C_STANDARD 99)
5
6 find_library(CUNIT libcunit.a /usr/local/Cellar/cunit/2.1-3/lib)
7 include_directories(/usr/local/Cellar/cunit/2.1-3/include/CUnit .)
8
9 add_executable(TriangleTesting main.c triangle.c triangle.h)
10
11
12 target_link_libraries(TriangleTesting PUBLIC ${CUNIT})
13
```

The Run window shows the execution results for the TriangleTesting project. The test suite is triangle\_suite, and the test triangle\_test failed. The failure is due to an assertion error: CU\_ASSERT\_STRING\_NOT\_EQUAL("Isosceles", checkTriangle(80, 80, 50)).

Run Summary:

Type	Total	Ran	Passed	Failed	Inactive
suites	1	1	n/a	0	0
tests	1	1	0	1	0
asserts	3	3	2	1	n/a

Elapsed time = 0.000 seconds

Process finished with exit code 0



# **Exercise 1: Testing Factorial**

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  - Factorial of 4 is 24
  - Factorial of 0 and 1 is 1

# Create the Source Files Containing the Implementation of the Method to Test

- Open your IDE and create a C Project (e.g., Factorial)
- Inside this project define a c Source file factorial.c as follows

```
#include "factorial.h"
int factorial(int n) {
    //precondition: n >0
    int fact; //factorial of n
    int i; //to iterated between 1 and n
    /*calculates factorial of n */
    fact = 1;
    for(i=1; i<n; i++) {
        fact *= i;
    }
    return fact;
}
```

# Contain the Header File Including the Function Declaration

- Inside the Factorial project define a header file `factorial.h` containing the following line

```
int factorial(int n);
```

# Test the Factorial Function

- Now let's test the Factorial function
  - Download the file testFactorial.c on Brightspace
  - Import testFactorial.c in the Factorial project
- Remember to configure the dependencies with CUnit libraries in your project



# Design the Test Cases for the Factorial Function

```
void factorial_testcase1(void){  
    CU_ASSERT_EQUAL(factorial(0),1 );  
    /* insert here 2 assertions necessary  
     * to verify whether the factorial of 1 is 1  
     * and whether the factorial of 4 is 24  
     */  
}
```

- The test case in testFactorial.c only has 1 assertion that verifies if the factorial of 0 is 1
- Run the CLion project

# The Test Case is Successful

CUnit - A unit testing framework for C - Version 2.1-3  
<http://cunit.sourceforge.net/>

Suite: factorial\_suite  
Test: factorial\_test ...passed

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- Insert 2 additional assertions as prescribed and run the test case again.

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# One of the Assertions Fails

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```
Suite: factorial_suite
Test: factorial_test ...FAILED
1. ../testFactorial.c:17 - CU_ASSERT_EQUAL(factorial(4),24)
```

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	suites	1	1	n/a	0	0
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Elapsed time = 0.000 seconds

# Let's Fix the Error inside factorial.c and Run the Test again

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# Now the Test is Successful

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