# C/C++ File Properties, Build, Settings, Build Steps tab

Use the **Build Steps** properties panel to customize the selected build configuration allowing the specification of user defined build command steps, as well as a descriptive message to be displayed in the build output, immediately prior to and immediately after normal build processing executes.



**Settings, Build Steps tab**

| **Option** | **Description** |
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| **Custom build step applicability** | Select either 'Apply' or 'Disable' custom build step. In case of apply, custom build step would override standard one. |
| **Additional input file names** | Define additional file names to be used in custom build step. |
| **Output file name(s)** | Define name(s) for output files generated by custom build step. |
| **Command** | Specifies a command, or a list of semicolon separated commands, to be executed during custom build step. |
| **Description** | Specify optional descriptive text that is associated with the post-build step to be displayed in the build output immediately prior to execution of the post-build step command or commands. |



* [Resource](http://docs.google.com/cdt_u_fprop_resource.htm)
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* [Run/Debug Settings page](http://docs.google.com/cdt_u_prop_rundebug.htm)

