

Jenga Build System v1.1.0

💡 **Un système de build moderne et puissant pour C/C++**

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Python 3.7+

Platforms Windows | Linux | macOS | Android | iOS | WebAssembly

🏗 Jenga Build System

Modern Multi-Platform C/C++ Build System with Unified Python DSL

✨ What's New in v1.1.0

💡 Enhanced Creation Tools

- **Intelligent File Creation:** Create classes, structs, enums, interfaces with auto-configuration
- **Smart Project Attachment:** Attach existing projects to workspaces
- **Template System:** Custom file templates for rapid development
- **Auto-configuration:** Files automatically added to project `.jenga` configuration

🔌 Advanced Dependency Management

- **Context-Based Inclusion:** `include()` context manager for clean external project integration
- **Project Filtering:** Include specific projects from external `.jenga` files
- **Dependency Validation:** Automatic dependency graph validation
- **Path Resolution:** Smart path handling for external projects

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✨ Features

⚙️ Core Capabilities

- **Unified Python DSL** - Clean, readable configuration syntax
- **Multi-Platform Support** - Windows, Linux, macOS, Android, iOS, WebAssembly
- **Intelligent Cache** - 20x faster incremental builds
- **Integrated Testing** - Built-in Unitest framework
- **Zero Dependencies** - Pure Python 3, no external tools required

🛠️ Advanced Creation Tools

- **Smart File Creation** - Automatic `.jenga` configuration updates
- **Multi-File Templates** - Class (.h + .cpp), Struct, Enum, Interface
- **Custom Templates** - User-defined file templates
- **Namespace Support** - Automatic namespace generation
- **Platform Detection** - Smart file placement based on type

🔌 External Project Management

- **Context-Based Inclusion** - `include()` context manager
- **Project Filtering** - Select specific projects to include
- **Dependency Resolution** - Automatic path and dependency handling
- **Workspace Attachment** - Attach existing projects to any workspace

🔧 Build System

- **C/C++ Toolchains** - GCC, Clang, MSVC support
- **Cross-Compilation** - Android NDK, Emscripten
- **Parallel Builds** - Multi-core optimization
- **Dependency Graph** - Automatic build ordering
- **Smart File Tracking** - Changed files detection

🚀 Quick Start

Hello World in 60 Seconds

1. Create project structure:

```
mkdir hello-world
cd hello-world
```

2. Create `main.cpp`:

```
#include <iostream>

int main() {
    std::cout << "Hello, Jenga!" << std::endl;
```

```
    return 0;  
}
```

3. Create `hello.jenga`:

```
with workspace("HelloWorld"):  
    configurations(["Debug", "Release"])  
  
    with project("Hello"):  
        consoleapp()  
        language("C++")  
        files(["main.cpp"])  
        targetdir("Build/Bin/%{cfg.buildcfg}")
```

4. Build and run:

```
jenga build  
jenga run  
# Output: Hello, Jenga!
```

📦 Installation

Method 1: From PyPI (Recommended)

```
pip install jenga-build-system
```

Method 2: From Source

```
# Clone repository  
git clone https://github.com/RihenUniverse/Jenga.git  
cd Jenga  
  
# Install in development mode  
pip install -e .  
  
# Or install globally  
pip install .
```

💡 Basic Usage

Project Configuration

```

with workspace("MyApplication"):
    # Global settings
    configurations(["Debug", "Release", "Dist"])
    platforms(["Windows", "Linux", "Android"])
    startproject("MainApp")

    # Compiler toolchain
    with toolchain("gcc", "g++"):
        cppcompiler("g++")
        cppdialect("C++20")

    # Library project
    with project("CoreLibrary"):
        staticlib()
        files(["src/core/**.cpp", "include/**.h"])
        includedirs(["include"])

    # Application project
    with project("MainApp"):
        consoleapp()
        files(["src/app/**.cpp"])
        dependson(["CoreLibrary"])

    # Unit tests
    with test("Unit"):
        testfiles(["tests/**.cpp"])

```

Common Commands

```

# Build default project
jenga build

# Build specific configuration
jenga build --config Release --platform Windows

# Run application
jenga run
jenga run --project MyApp

# Clean build artifacts
jenga clean
jenga clean --all

# Show project info
jenga info

# Generate project files (VS, Xcode, etc.)
jenga gen

```

Project Creation & Management

Creating New Projects

```
# Interactive project creation
jenga create project

# Quick creation with options
jenga create project MyLibrary --type staticlib --language C++ --std C++20

# Create in specific Location
jenga create project Tools --location utils/ --type consoleapp
```

Attaching Existing Projects

```
# Attach existing project to current workspace
jenga create attach-existing Core/ExistingLibrary

# Attach with custom name
jenga create attach-existing ../External/Engine --name GameEngine
```

Workspace Management

```
# Create new workspace
jenga create workspace MyGame

# Create workspace with main project
jenga create workspace MyApp --type windowedapp --platforms Windows,Linux

# Interactive workspace creation
jenga create workspace
```

Advanced File Creation

Creating Source Files with Auto-Configuration

```
# Create a C++ class (header + source)
jenga create file Player --type class --namespace game

# Create a struct
jenga create file Vector3 --type struct --namespace math

# Create an enum
jenga create file ErrorCode --type enum --namespace utils
```

```

# Create a header-only file
jenga create file Constants --type header --namespace app

# Create source file
jenga create file Utilities --type source

# Create Objective-C file
jenga create file IOSAppDelegate --type m

# Create Objective-C++ file
jenga create file IOSBridge --type mm

```

Advanced File Creation with Templates

```

# Use custom utility template
jenga create file-advanced StringUtils --template custom_util --namespace utils

# Create template class
jenga create file-advanced Container --template custom_class_template

# Create with custom content
jenga create file-advanced Specialized --type custom_cpp --custom-content "/*
Custom implementation"

```

File Creation Options

```

# Specify project
jenga create file MyClass --type class --project CoreLibrary

# Specify Location
jenga create file Config --type header --location config/ --namespace config

# Disable auto-configuration (for manual control)
jenga create file-advanced ManualFile --type header --auto-update false

```

🔌 External Project Integration

Using `include()` Context Manager

The `include()` context manager provides clean, safe external project integration:

```

with workspace("MyApp"):
    # Include all projects from external .jenga file
    with include("libs/logger/logger.jenga"):

```

```

    pass # All projects included automatically

    # Include specific projects only
    with include("libs/math/math.jenga") as math_inc:
        math_inc.only(["MathLib", "VectorMath"]) # Include only these projects

    # Exclude specific projects
    with include("libs/network/network.jenga") as net_inc:
        net_inc.skip(["Tests", "Examples"]) # Skip these projects

    # Your main project
    with project("MyApp"):
        consoleapp()
        dependson(["Logger", "MathLib", "VectorMath", "NetworkCore"])

```

Legacy `addprojects()` Function

For backward compatibility or simple use cases:

```

with workspace("MyApp"):
    # Include all projects from external file
    addprojects("external/lib.jenga")

    # Include specific projects only
    addprojects("external/engine.jenga", ["Core", "Renderer"])

```

Smart Path Resolution

Jenga automatically handles:

- Relative and absolute paths
- Project location resolution
- Include directory adjustment
- Dependency validation
- Toolchain inheritance

Project Properties Access

Access external project properties for configuration:

```

with workspace("MyApp"):
    with include("libs/logger/logger.jenga"):
        pass

    with project("MyApp"):
        # Access included project properties
        logger_props = get_project_properties("Logger")

```

```
# Use properties in your project
includedirs(logger_props['includedirs'])
links(logger_props['links'])
```

📘 Documentation

Complete Documentation

All documentation is included in the [Docs/](#) directory:

Document	Description
BOOK_PART_1.md	Introduction & Installation
BOOK_PART_2.md	Core Concepts
BOOK_PART_3.md	Advanced Features
QUICKSTART.md	Quick Start Guide
API_REFERENCE.md	Complete API Reference
ANDROID_EMSCRIPTEN_GUIDE.md	Android & WebAssembly
MSVC_GUIDE.md	Windows/Visual Studio Guide
TESTING_GUIDE.md	Testing Framework
PACKAGING_SIGNING_GUIDE.md	Packaging & Signing
MIGRATION_GUIDE.md	Migration from CMake/Make
TROUBLESHOOTING.md	Troubleshooting Guide
CHANGELOG.md	Version History

🔧 Advanced Features

Multi-Platform Configuration

```
with workspace("CrossPlatformGame"):
    platforms(["Windows", "Linux", "Android", "iOS"])

    with project("GameEngine"):
        staticlib()

        # Common code
        files(["src/engine/**.cpp"])

        # Platform-specific
        with filter("system:Windows"):
            links(["d3d11", "dxgi"])
```

```

with filter("system:Android"):
    androidminsdk(21)
    links(["log", "android", "EGL"])

with filter("system:iOS"):
    framework("UIKit")
    framework("OpenGLES")

```

Advanced Dependency Management

```

with workspace("LargeProject"):
    # Batch include multiple libraries
    with include("libs/core.jenga"):
        pass

    with include("libs/graphics.jenga") as gfx:
        gfx.only(["Renderer", "ShaderSystem"])

    with include("libs/physics.jenga") as phys:
        phys.skip(["Tests", "DebugTools"])

    # Complex dependency chain
    with project("Game"):
        consoleapp()
        dependson([
            "CoreSystem",
            "Renderer",
            "ShaderSystem",
            "PhysicsEngine"
        ])

    # Auto-configure based on dependencies
    useproject("Renderer", copy_includes=True)
    useproject("PhysicsEngine", copy_defines=True)

```

📁 Project Examples

Example 1: Modular Game Engine

```

game-engine/
├── engine.jenga
├── Core/          # Core systems
├── Math/          # Mathematics library
├── Render/         # Rendering system
├── Audio/          # Audio system
├── Physics/        # Physics engine
└── Game/          # Game-specific code

```

engine.jenga:

```
with workspace("GameEngine"):
    configurations(["Debug", "Release", "Profile"])
    platforms(["Windows", "Linux", "Android"])

    # Include external math library
    with include("third_party/glm/glm.jenga"):
        pass

    # Core engine systems
    with project("CoreSystem"):
        staticlib()
        files(["Core/src/**.cpp"])
        includedirs(["Core/include"])

    with project("Renderer"):
        sharedlib()
        files(["Render/src/**.cpp"])
        includedirs(["Render/include"])
        dependson(["CoreSystem", "glm"])

    # Game project
    with project("MyGame"):
        windowedapp()
        files(["Game/src/**.cpp"])
        dependson(["CoreSystem", "Renderer"])

    # Auto-create files as needed
    # jenga create file Player --type class --namespace game
```

Example 2: Plugin-Based Application

```
with workspace("PluginApp"):
    # Main application
    with project("AppCore"):
        staticlib()
        files(["core/src/**.cpp"])

    # Plugins as separate projects
    with project("ImagePlugin"):
        sharedlib()
        files(["plugins/image/src/**.cpp"])
        dependson(["AppCore"])

    with project("AudioPlugin"):
        sharedlib()
```

```

files(["plugins/audio/src/**.cpp"])
dependson(["AppCore"])

# Main executable
with project("Application"):
    consoleapp()
    files(["app/src/**.cpp"])
    dependson(["AppCore", "ImagePlugin", "AudioPlugin"])

```

Example 3: Cross-Platform Library

```

with workspace("CrossPlatformLib"):
    platforms(["Windows", "Linux", "macOS", "Android", "iOS"])

    with project("PlatformAbstraction"):
        staticlib()
        files(["src/common/**.cpp"])

        # Platform-specific implementations
        with filter("system:Windows"):
            files(["src/windows/**.cpp"])
            defines(["PLATFORM_WINDOWS"])

        with filter("system:Linux"):
            files(["src/linux/**.cpp"])
            defines(["PLATFORM_LINUX"])

        with filter("system:Android"):
            files(["src/android/**.cpp"])
            defines(["PLATFORM_ANDROID"])

```

📝 Tests Unitaires Avancés

Framework de Test Intégré

Jenga inclut un framework de tests unitaires puissant avec des assertions riches :

```

#include <Unittest/Unittest.h> // Macros de test de Jenga

// Tests basiques
TEST(Calculator_Addition) {
    ASSERT_EQUAL(5, Calculator::add(2, 3));
    ASSERT_EQUAL(0, Calculator::add(-1, 1));
    ASSERT_EQUAL(-5, Calculator::add(-2, -3));
}

TEST(Calculator_Multiplication) {
    ASSERT_EQUAL(6, Calculator::multiply(2, 3));
}

```

```

        ASSERT_EQUAL(0, Calculator::multiply(0, 100));
        ASSERT_EQUAL(-6, Calculator::multiply(2, -3));
    }

TEST(Calculator_Division) {
    ASSERT_NEAR(5.0, Calculator::divide(10.0, 2.0), 0.001);
    ASSERT_NEAR(-2.5, Calculator::divide(5.0, -2.0), 0.001);

    // Test division par zéro
    ASSERT_THROWS(std::invalid_argument, Calculator::divide(1.0, 0.0));
}

TEST(Calculator_EdgeCases) {
    // Test avec grands nombres
    ASSERT_EQUAL(2000000000, Calculator::add(1000000000, 1000000000));

    // Test avec nombres négatifs
    ASSERT_EQUAL(1, Calculator::add(-10, 11));

    // Performance test
    ASSERT_EXECUTION_TIME_LESS([]() {
        for (int i = 0; i < 1000; ++i) {
            Calculator::add(i, i);
        }
    }, 10.0); // Doit prendre moins de 10ms
}

```

Macros de Test Disponibles

Assertions Basiques

```

// Assertions simples
ASSERT_EQUAL(expected, actual)
ASSERT_NOT_EQUAL(expected, actual)
ASSERT_TRUE(condition)
ASSERT_FALSE(condition)
ASSERT_NULL(ptr)
ASSERT_NOT_NULL(ptr)

// Avec messages personnalisés
ASSERT_EQUAL_MSG(expected, actual, "Message personnalisé")
ASSERT_TRUE_MSG(condition, "Doit être vrai")

```

Comparaisons Numériques

```

// Comparaisons avec tolérance
ASSERT_LESS(left, right)

```

```
ASSERT_LESS_EQUAL(left, right)
ASSERT_GREATER(left, right)
ASSERT_GREATER_EQUAL(left, right)
ASSERT_NEAR(expected, actual, tolerance)
ASSERT_EQUAL_TOLERANCE(expected, actual, tolerance)
```

Gestion des Exceptions

```
// Tests d'exceptions
ASSERT_THROWS(std::exception, expression)
ASSERT_NO_THROW(expression)
ASSERT_THROWS_MSG(std::exception, expression, "Message")
ASSERT_NO_THROW_MSG(expression, "Message")
```

Collections et Conteneurs

```
// Tests sur collections
ASSERT_CONTAINS(container, value)
ASSERT_NOT_CONTAINS(container, value)
ASSERT_CONTAINS_MSG(container, value, "Message")
ASSERT_NOT_CONTAINS_MSG(container, value, "Message")
```

Performance et Benchmarking

```
// Tests de performance
ASSERT_EXECUTION_TIME_LESS(expression, maxTimeMs)
ASSERT_EXECUTION_TIME_BETWEEN(expression, minTimeMs, maxTimeMs)

// Benchmarks
RUN_BENCHMARK("nom", fonction, iterations)
ASSERT_BENCHMARK_FASTER(benchmarkA, benchmarkB)
ASSERT_BENCHMARK_FASTER_WITH_LIMIT(benchmarkA, benchmarkB, limite)

// Profiling
BEGIN_PROFILING_SESSION("session")
END_PROFILING_SESSION_AND_REPORT("session")
PROFILE_TEST_SCOPE(testName, code_a_profiler)
```

Exemple Complet de Suite de Tests

```
// tests/MathTest.cpp
#include <Unitest/Unitest.h>
```

```

#include "../src/math/Calculator.h"

// Test de base
TEST(Math_BasicOperations) {
    ASSERT_EQUAL(4, Calculator::add(2, 2));
    ASSERT_EQUAL(6, Calculator::multiply(2, 3));
    ASSERT_NEAR(2.0, Calculator::divide(6.0, 3.0), 0.001);
}

// Test avec fixture
class CalculatorFixture : public TestFixture {
protected:
    Calculator* calc;

    void SetUp() override {
        calc = new Calculator();
    }

    void TearDown() override {
        delete calc;
    }
};

TEST_FIXTURE(CalculatorFixture, AdditionWithFixture) {
    ASSERT_EQUAL(5, calc->add(2, 3));
    ASSERT_EQUAL(0, calc->add(-1, 1));
}

// Test de performance
TEST_BENCHMARK_SIMPLE(Performance_Addition, "AdditionBenchmark", []() {
    volatile int result = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < 10000; ++i) {
        result += Calculator::add(i, i);
    }
}, 1000)

// Test avec profiling
PROFILE_TEST_SCOPE(Profile_Addition, {
    for (int i = 0; i < 1000; ++i) {
        Calculator::add(i, i + 1);
    }
})

// Test de régression
TEST_BENCHMARK_WITH_BASELINE(Regression_Addition, "Addition", []() {
    Calculator::add(100, 200);
}, 1000, baseline_benchmark)

// Test avec comparaison
COMPARE_BENCHMARKS(Comparison_Operations,
    "Addition", []() { Calculator::add(1, 2); },
    "Multiplication", []() { Calculator::multiply(1, 2); },
    1000, 1.5)

```

Configuration des Tests dans jenga

```
with workspace("MyProject"):
    configurations(["Debug", "Release"])

    # Projet principal
    with project("Calculator"):
        staticlib()
        files(["src/**.cpp", "src/**.h"])
        includedirs(["src"])
        targetdir("Build/Lib/%{cfg.buildcfg}")

    # Suite de tests
    with test("CalculatorTests"):
        testfiles(["tests/**.cpp"])
        testmainfile("src/main.cpp") # Exclure le main de l'appli

    # Options de test
    testoptions([
        "--verbose",
        "--stop-on-failure",
        "--filter=Math"
    ])

    # Configuration spécifique aux tests
    with filter("configurations:Debug"):
        defines(["ENABLE_TESTING", "DEBUG_TESTS"])

    # Répertoires de sortie pour les tests
    targetdir("Build/Tests/%{cfg.buildcfg}")

    # Dépendances des tests
    dependson(["Calculator"])
    includedirs(["tests/include"])

    # Fichiers de test supplémentaires
    dependfiles([
        "tests/data/**",
        "tests/config/test.conf"
    ])
```

Commandes de Test Avancées

```
# Exécuter tous les tests
jenga test

# Exécuter avec débogage
```

```
jenga test --debug=gdb
jenga test --debug=valgrind # Détection de fuites mémoire
jenga test --debug=helgrind # Détection de courses

# Exécuter un test spécifique
jenga test --project CalculatorTests

# Exécuter avec options personnalisées
jenga test -- --verbose --filter=Math* --parallel=4

# Lister les tests disponibles
jenga test --list

# Construire seulement les tests
jenga test --build

# Tests avec couverture
jenga test --coverage

# Tests avec profiling
jenga test --profile
```

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We welcome contributions! Here's how you can help:

Reporting Issues

1. Check existing issues in GitHub
2. Use the issue template
3. Include system info and reproduction steps

Feature Requests

1. Describe the use case
2. Show example syntax
3. Discuss implementation

Code Contributions

```
# Development setup
git clone https://github.com/RihenUniverse/Jenga.git
cd Jenga
pip install -e .[dev]

# Run tests
pytest

# Format code
```

```
black .

# Check code quality
flake8 Jenga/
mypy Jenga/
```

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