## make & project0

EECS 281: Data Structures & Algorithms

#### **GNU** make

Description: The make utility automatically determines which pieces of a large program need to be recompiled, and issues commands to recompile them.

#### Man page:

http://www.gnu.org/software/make/

#### Makefile

- GNU make can use any text file but defaults to Makefile (or makefile)
- A collection of definitions and build rules

## Choosing a Specific g++ Version

```
# Selects g++ version 4.8.3, allowing c++11
PATH := /usr/um/gcc-4.8.3/bin:$(PATH)

LD_LIBRARY_PATH := /usr/um/gcc-4.8.3/lib64

LD_RUN_PATH := /usr/um/gcc-4.8.3/lib64

# If you want a different version, change all

# lines consistently.
```

## Setting Variables

```
# TODO # Change 'executable' to match the command name given in the # project spec. 

EXECUTABLE = executable # designate which compiler to use CXX = g++
```

## Setting Variables (cont.)

```
# list of test drivers(with main()) for development
TESTSOURCES = $(wildcard test*.cpp)
# names of test executables
TESTS = $(TESTSOURCES:%.cpp=%)

# list of sources used in project
SOURCES = $(wildcard *.cpp)
SOURCES := $(filter-out $(TESTSOURCES), $(SOURCES))
# list of objects used in project
OBJECTS = $(SOURCES:%.cpp=%.o)
```

## Setting Variables (cont.)

```
# TODO
# If main() is in a file named project*.cpp, use the following
line
PROJECTFILE = $(wildcard project*.cpp)
# TODO
# If main() is in another file delete the line above, edit and
# uncomment below
#PROJECTFILE = mymainfile.cpp
```

## Setting Variables (cont.)

```
# name of the tar ball created for submission
PARTIAL_SUBMITFILE = partialsubmit.tar.gz
FULL_SUBMITFILE = fullsubmit.tar.gz
```

```
#Default Flags
CXXFLAGS = -std=c++11 -Wall -Werror -Wextra -pedantic
```

#### **GNU** make Build Rules

General format

```
<target(s)>: <target(s)>
<TAB><recipe>
```

- USE A TAB CHARACTER!!

#### **Build Rule Variations**

- Filename wildcards: %.o, %.cpp, etc.
- Default rules
  - Implicit
  - Explicit
  - make -R -r
- Missing recipes

#### **Basic Rules**

```
# make release - will compile "all" with $(CXXFLAGS) and the
# -O3 flag also defines NDEBUG so that asserts will not check
release: CXXFLAGS += -O3 -DNDEBUG
release: all
# make debug - will compile "all" with $(CXXFLAGS) and the
# -g flag also defines DEBUG so that "#ifdef DEBUG" works
debug: CXXFLAGS += -g3 -DDEBUG
debug: clean all
# make profile - will compile "all" with $(CXXFLAGS) and the
# -pg flag
profile: CXXFLAGS += -pg
profile: clean all
```

## Rules Using Variables

```
# highest target; sews together all objects into executable
all: $(EXECUTABLE)
$(EXECUTABLE): $(OBJECTS)
ifeq ($(EXECUTABLE), executable)
  @echo Edit EXECUTABLE variable, at first \"TODO\" in
  Makefile.
  @echo Using default a.out.
  $(CXX) $(CXXFLAGS) $(OBJECTS)
else
  $(CXX) $(CXXFLAGS) $(OBJECTS) -o $(EXECUTABLE)
endif
```

#### Advanced make

```
# Automatically generate build rules for any test*.cpp files
define make tests
  SRCS= $$(filter-out $$(PROJECTFILE), $$(SOURCES))
  OBJS = \$(SRCS:\%.cpp=\%.o)
  HDR = $(wildcard *.h)
  (1): CXXFLAGS += -g -DDEBUG
  $(1): $$(OBJS) $$(HDRS) $(1).cpp
  ifeq ($$(PROJECTFILE),)
    @echo Edit PROJECTFILE variable to .cpp file with main\(\)
    @exit 1
  endif
  $$(CXX) $$(CXXFLAGS) $$(OBJS) $(1).cpp -o $(1)
endef
```

## Advanced make (cont.)

\$(foreach test, \$(TESTS), \$(eval \$(call make\_tests, \$(test))))

- make\_tests uses the name of file matching test\*.cpp to return a string with the proper build rule
- eval executes the string, and a build rule is created

Example: given testPQ.cpp

make\_tests generates this equivalent build rule (simplified)

```
testPQ: CXXFLAGS += -pg -DDEBUG
testPQ: <all .o and .h files minus main project .o file>
g++ <flags> <all .o files> testPQ.cpp -o testPQ
```

## "make-ing" Testing Easy

- Just write test driver programs in test\*.cpp
- make\_tests creates individual build rules for each test\*.cpp file

alltests: clean \$(TESTS)

 This creates 'make alltests' to clean and build all tests created with make\_tests at once!

## An Explicit Default Build Rule

```
# rule for creating objects
%.o: %.cpp
$(CXX) $(CXXFLAGS) -c $*.cpp
```

- make knows how to go from .cpp to .o with an implicit default build rule
- 'make -R -r' disables all implicit build rules

## Cleaning Up

```
# make clean - remove .o files, executables, tarballs clean:
```

```
rm -f $(OBJECTS) $(EXECUTABLE) $(TESTS) $(PARTIAL_SUBMITFILE) $(FULL_SUBMITFILE)
```

## **Building Submit Tarballs**

## Building Submit Tarballs (cont.)

```
# make fullsubmit.tar.gz – remove old tarballs, run dos2unix,
# create tarball including test cases omitting test drivers

FULL_SUBMITFILES=$(filter-out $(TESTSOURCES), $(wildcard Makefile *.h *.cpp test*.txt))

$(FULL_SUBMITFILE): $(FULL_SUBMITFILES)

rm -f $(PARTIAL_SUBMITFILE) $(FULL_SUBMITFILE)

dos2unix $(FULL_SUBMITFILES))

tar -vczf $(FULL_SUBMITFILE) $(FULL_SUBMITFILES)

@echo!!! Final submission prepared, test cases
included... READY FOR GRADING !!!
```

## Building Submit Tarballs (cont.)

# shortcut for make submit tarballs partialsubmit: \$(PARTIAL\_SUBMITFILE)

fullsubmit: \$(FULL\_SUBMITFILE)

 Now 'make partialsubmit' and 'make fullsubmit' build tarballs, suitable for an autograder submission

# Custom Prerequisites (Dependencies)

- Use these when new classes are created
- Build target is usually a .o file
- DON'T COMPILE \*.h files!!!
- Previous rule for %.o can make a custom recipe unnecessary

#### Other make Directives

```
# these targets do not create any files
.PHONY: all releasedebug profile clean alltests
partialsubmit fullsubmit help
# disable built-in rules
.SUFFIXES:
```

- .PHONY: this build rule doesn't create <targets> file(s)
- SUFFIXES: disable implicit built-in rules

## project0

- File available on CTools in Resources/Project/P0/project0.tgz
- A sample project solution
  - Makefile
  - project0.cpp
  - class.h, class.cpp
  - test\_class.cpp
  - test\_data.txt

### project0 make Commands

- make release (or make all)
- make debug
- make profile
- make clean
- make test\_class
- make alltests
- make partialsubmit
- make fullsubmit

\$ make help
For more details!