

## Developer Overview

We use the Git (<https://git-scm.com>) version control software. If you are unfamiliar with Git, the fastest way to get the code is to download one of the versioned (</code/releases/>) snapshots (<https://storage.googleapis.com/downloads.webmproject.org/releases/webm/index.html>). To learn about Git, we recommend you start with the documentation (<https://git-scm.com/doc>).

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Also see: **Continuous Integration** (<https://build.webmproject.org/jenkins/>)

### libvpx: VP8/VP9 Codec SDK

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### Building on Windows

Building the source code from git requires that you be familiar with and have installed a Unix-like environment such as Cygwin (<https://www.cygwin.com>) or MSYS.

### libwebm: WebM File Parser

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### webm-tools: Alpha-channel, Encryption, and Streaming-related tools

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### webmdshow: DirectShow Filters Source

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### webmquicktime: QuickTime Components Source

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### webminspecto: WebM File Inspector

Dumps all EBML and WebM data in a WebM file to stdout.

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### vp8-test-vectors: Decoder Test Vectors

Used to validate VP8 decoder conformance.

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***udpsample: UDP Sample Code***

A simple, unsupported videoconferencing demo application. May require considerable modification to run in your environment.

- Project description (PDF) (</media/pdf/udpsample.pdf>)

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***bitstream-guide: VP8 Data Format***

Text source of RFC 6386, "VP8 Data Format and Decoding Guide"

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**WebP Repositories**

***libwebp: WebP Image Library***

Provides `libwebp.so`, a library for encoding and decoding WebP image files. See the Google Code site for more information and related tools, as well as the *webp-discuss* (<https://groups.google.com/a/webmproject.org/group/webp-discuss>) mailing list:

- <https://developers.google.com/speed/webp/> (<https://developers.google.com/speed/webp/>)
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***libwebp-test-data: dwebp Validation Tool***

Validates the output of `dwebp`, via MD5 sum. `dwebp` is an example utility created by `libwebp`, above.

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***webp-wic-codec: Windows Imaging Component Decoder for WebP***

Windows Imaging Component wrapper for libvpx, currently enabling WebP decode.

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**Set-up Your Machine**

Make sure you have all the build dependencies (</code/build-prerequisites/>) before trying to build the WebM source code.

**Start Hacking**

Got your own itch? Great! Want some inspiration? See the roadmap (</code/roadmap/>) for some projects that we think would be interesting. Talk to us on one of our mailing lists (</about/discuss/>) so we have an idea what you're interested in -- maybe you can find a partner!

**Contribute**

See our page on submitting patches (</code/contribute/submitting-patches/>) for more information on getting your change peer-reviewed and merged upstream.

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