CS-701 Lecture 12

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make and Multiple Modules

• The (*g*)*make* program has built-in rules for converting files from one format to another based on the filename extensions. For example:

.c.o : <tab> \$(CC) \$(CPPFLAGS) \$(CFLAGS) -c \$<

- But *make* doesn't have any built-in rules for linking multiple object modules to produce an executable file.
- Web page on using make: using make.html

Linking Multiple Object Modules

- g++ main.o builtins.o –o qsh
- So you could put this in a file named *Makefile* in your project directory:

OBJS = main.o builtins.o qsh : \$(OBJS) <tab> g++ \$(CFLAGS) \$(OBJS) -o \$@

• Suggested rule: "clean" removes .o files and *qsh*.