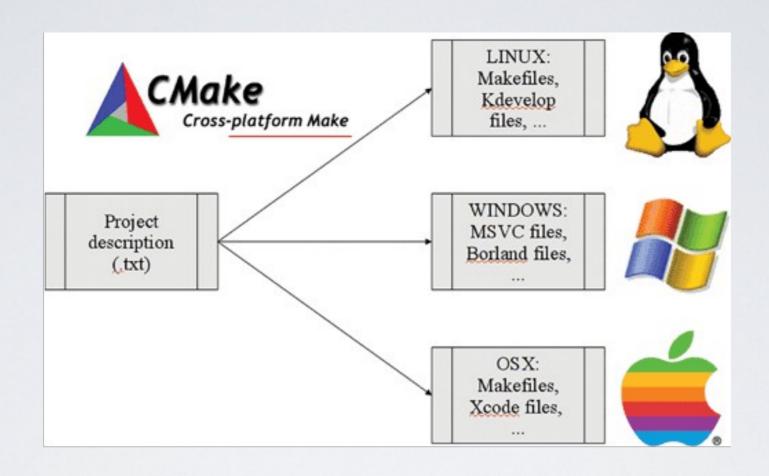


new build system for Sofa

CMake: a replacement for qmake



Basic build

cf. https://wiki.sofa-framework.org/wiki/CMakeBuilc

checkout source
create a build directory wherever you
want
run cmake
customize your setup (optional)
re-run cmake
make
done!

readability

Before...

g++ -c -pipe -DSOFA_SRC_BIN_DIR=/Users/bcarrez/Sofa-qmake/bin -DSOFA_BUILD_DIR=/Users/bcarrez/Sofa-qmake -02 -fPIC -Wall -W -DS OFA_QT4 -DSOFA_GUI_QTVIEWER -DSOFA_GUI_GLUT -DSOFA_SUPPORT_MAPPED_MASS -DSOFA_DUMP_VISITOR_INFO -DSOFA_HAVE_DAG -DSOFA_HAVE_ZLI B -DSOFA_HAVE_PNG -DSOFA_HAVE_GLEW -DSOFA_HAVE_PYTHON -DSOFA_HAVE_EIGEN2 -DSOFA_QT4 -DSOFA_XML_PARSER_TINYXML -DSOFA_GUI_QT -DN DEBUG -DEIGEN_YES_I_KNOW_SPARSE_MODULE_IS_NOT_STABLE_YET -Duse_namespace -DSOFA_TARGET=newmat -DSOFA_MAKEFILEDIR=/Users/bcarrez/Sofa-qmake/extlibs/newmat -I/opt/local/share/qt4/mkspecs/macx-g++ -I. -I../../include -o OBJ/newmat/release/bandmat.o newmat/b andmat.cpp

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readability

...and now:

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SHADOW builds

- ✓ all the objet files, libs, binaries... are generated in a separate tree
- ✓ Keeps the source tree clean!
- ✓ Multiple build configuration on the same machine, using the same source (32/64 bits, float/double, basic setup/lot of plugins, gcc/llvm, etc)
- ✓ keep a working compiled version left

- ✓ No more sofa-local.cfg stuff...
- ✓ All options saved in the CMakeCache.txt file at the build root
- ✓ A different configuration for each shadow build directory

OPTIONS

- ✓ paths (ex: SOFA-EXTERNAL_BOOST_PATH)
- ✓ on/off (ex: plugins, projects, etc..)
- ✓ commands (ex: CMAKE_CXX_COMPILER)
- ✓ flags (ex: CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS_DEBUG)
- ... most of them are for advanced use, only a few usually needed

User-friendly: cmake-gui

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Where is the source code:	/Users/bcarrez/git/Sofa-public	Browse Source
Where to build the binaries:	/Users/bcarrez/git/build-xcode	Browse Build
Search:	✓ Grouped — Advanced 🕂 Add	Entry Remove Entry
Name	Value	
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SOFA-PLUGIN_ARTRA		
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User-friendly: cmake-gui

Demo

Less user-friendly: ccmake

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 CMAKE_BUILD_TYPE
                                  Debug;Release;MinSizeRel;RelWithDebInfo
 CMAKE_CONFIGURATION_TYPES
                                  /usr/local
 CMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX
 CMAKE_OSX_ARCHITECTURES
 CMAKE_OSX_DEPLOYMENT_TARGET
                                  /Applications/Xcode.app/Contents/Developer/Platforms/MacOSX.platform/Developer/SDKs/
 CMAKE_OSX_SYSROOT
 SOFA-APPLICATION_DEBUG_TEST
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 SOFA-APPLICATION_GENERATERIGID
 SOFA-APPLICATION_GENERATETYPED
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 SOFA-APPLICATION_MESHCONV
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 SOFA-APPLICATION_MODELER
 SOFA-APPLICATION_RUNSOFA
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                                  ON
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFABATCH
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFACONFIGURA
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFAFLOWVR
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFAINFO
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFAINITTIMER
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFAOPENCL
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFAPHYSICSAP
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFAPROJECTEX
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFATYPEDEFS
 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFAVERIFICAT
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 SOFA-APPLICATION_SOFA_INFO
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Press [q] to quit without generating

CMake Version 2.8.11.2

Press [enter] to edit option

Press [t] to toggle advanced mode (Currently Off)

Press [c] to configure

Press [h] for help

HARDCORE MODE: command-line

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cmake -DSOFA-PLUGIN_SOFAPYTHON=ON
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- -DSOFA-PLUGIN CGALPLUGIN=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN COLLADASCENELOADER=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN COMPLIANT=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN FLEXIBLE=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN FRAME=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN IMAGE=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN_INVERTIBLEFVM=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN MANIFOLDTOPOLOGIES=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN_MULTITHREADING=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN_SENSABLEEMULATION=ON
- -DSOFA-LIB COMPONENT SPARSE SOLVER=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN_REGISTRATION=ON
- -DSOFA-PLUGIN SOFACUDA=ON
- -DSOFA-MISC_TESTS=ON

IDE

- ✓ QtCreator : loads CMakeLists.txt directly
- ✓ XCode : «cmake -G Xcode ..»
- ✓ Eclipse, Kdevelop, ... «cmake -help»
- ✓ Visual Studio ... use cmake-gui

PLUGINS

Automatic folders scan: good bye sofa-dependencies.prf!

Multi-projects PLUGINS

the system scans *recursively* for CMakeLists.txt in a plugin folder

all projects are put under the same plugin option

project named with the pattern *_test will be compiled only if you enabled unit tests

Sofa/cmake/ folder contains all the CMake utility scripts

DON'T TOUCH IT

(unless you REALLY know what you're doing)

useful functions

include_directories add_library / add_executable AddLinkerDependencies AddCompilerDefinitions

useful variables

PROJECT_NAME
SOFA_LIB_DIR
SOFA_EXTLIBS_DIR
SOFA_SHARE_DIR

. . . .

Use of 3rd-party SDKs

Quick and dirty way:

include_directories(/usr/local/truc/include)

AddLinkerDependencies(/usr/local/lib/libtruc.so)

... not very platform-independant :-/

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Use of 3rd-party SDKs

find_package(libname REQUIRED)

usually creates these variables:

libname_FOUND

libname_INCLUDE_DIRS

libname_LIBRARIES
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include_directories(${Iibname_INCLUDE_DIRS})
AddLinkerDependencies(${Iibname_LIBRARIES})
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Can also create some functions and/or variables ex: cuda_include_directories

Advanced topic: Custom FindMYLIB.cmake

script located in Sofa/cmake/ folder useful with find_package for non-standard SDKs...
...or to override standard CMake scripts

examples:

FindHAPI.cmake (non-standard) FindOPENGL.cmake (override)

CONCLUSION

- ✓ Transition period
- ✓ We are here to help you
- ✓ Feedback welcome!