## **GED Practical Course**









# Incoming





# **Incoming: Previous Results**











### Incoming



- Build a game "from scratch"
  - No existing engine

- Of course we can not write a game engine in one semester...
  - Focus on rendering (DirectX)
  - Also a bit of particle systems, physics, game object management, configurations etc

But let's start slowly

# Git(and other SCM)



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### Git (and other SCM)



- Software Configuration Management
- Tools to solve problems like:
  - Multiple developers working on the same project
  - Tracking changes

- Each project with more than a single developer needs an SCM system
- Benefits for a single developer, too: Rollback, Branches, etc.



- Centralized: one server, multiple clients
- Each change must be "commited" to the server
  - Each "Commit" increases the revision number

- All changes are "atomic": repository always consistent
- Each revision can be restored
  - Tracking changes
  - Reverting errors



Sourcecode history is stored on the server

- You work on a "working copy"
  - Basically a copy of a revision
  - May contain local changes
  - "Per file" basis
    - So only a part of your working copy might be up-to-date if you choose so



- Every file of the project needs to be in your Git repository
  - Everything needed to build the program
  - You will work on multiple PCs!
  - Check regularly if this is the case
- Do not add files created from your code to your repository
  - \*.exe, \*.dll
  - Automatically created and temporary files
    - \*.opensln, \*.sdf, etc...
    - See the first assignment for details



- "Commit early, commit often"
  - So you can also trace small changes with great impact...
- update before you start working
- update before and after a commit
  - Reduces conflicts
- Ignore list: Add Debug, Release, .ncb, .suo, etc.
- Always include a meaningful Commit-Message
  - Helps you track down changes



- Get access to GED repositories:
  - https://tum3d.in.tum.de:80/ged/register.php
  - RBG Account is used for accessing GED Git Repository
  - https://wiki.in.tum.de/Informatik/Helpdesk/Account

## **GED Git Repository Registration**

RBG username:	kanzler
RBG password:	••••••
Register	



- 2 Git Repositories:
  - https://tum3d.in.tum.de:80/git/SS18/GED/external
    - Contains Meshes, Textures, Examples, Libraries, Assignments,
       Slides, etc
    - Updates!
  - https://tum3d.in.tum.de:80/git/SS18/GED/<username>
    - Your source code
    - Graded by your tutor
- Help!
  - Git: <a href="https://git-scm.com/doc">https://git-scm.com/doc</a>
  - TortoiseGit: <a href="https://tortoisegit.org/">https://tortoisegit.org/</a>
  - Michael Kern kernm@in.tum.de

#### Git: GED Rooms



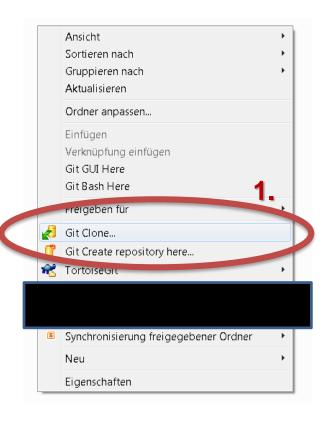
- You can checkout your repository, to a folder of your choice, say .\ged\<username>
  - Do not forget to commit and push before logging out!
- Checkout external to .\ged\external
  - Update before you start working!

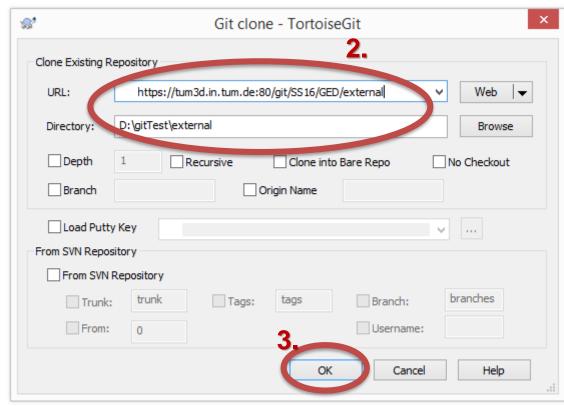


GED Git Server



#### Checkout with TortoiseGit







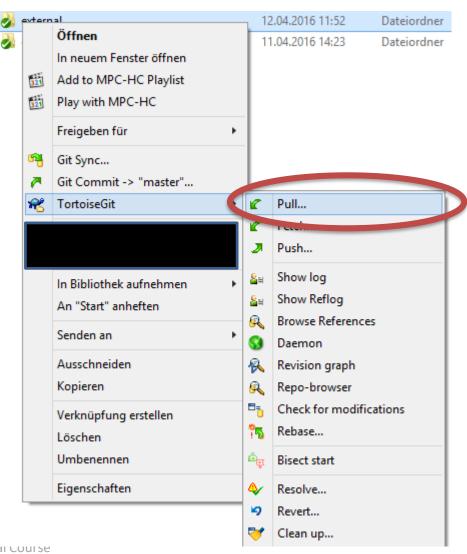
 Checkout external and <username> to the same folder!



Only work in your folder, don't change anything in external



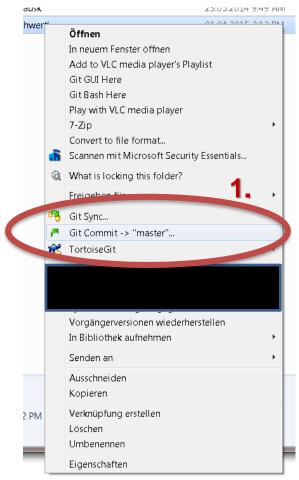
Update local repository with TortoiseGit

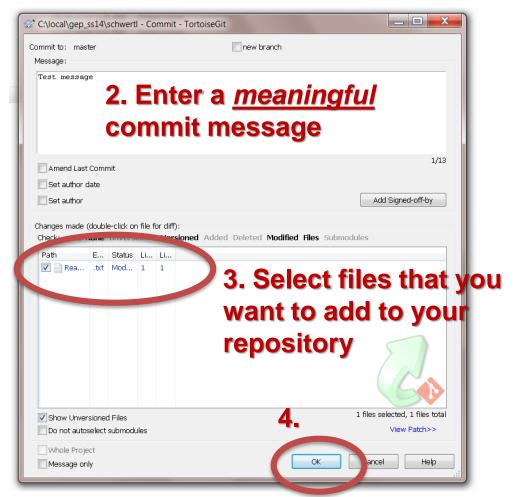




#### Commit

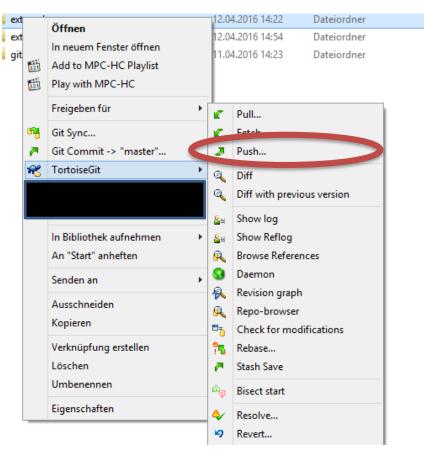
Adding changes to the local repository





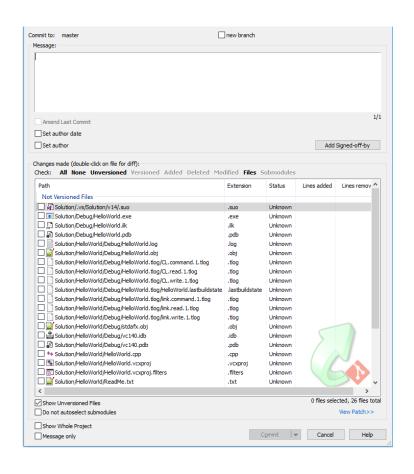


- Push
- To upload your (local) commits to the server

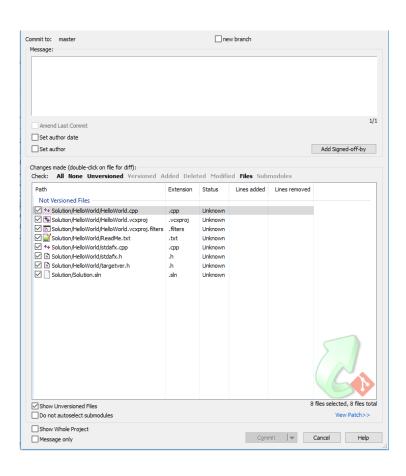




 ".gitignore" textfile specifies intentionally untracked files to ignore

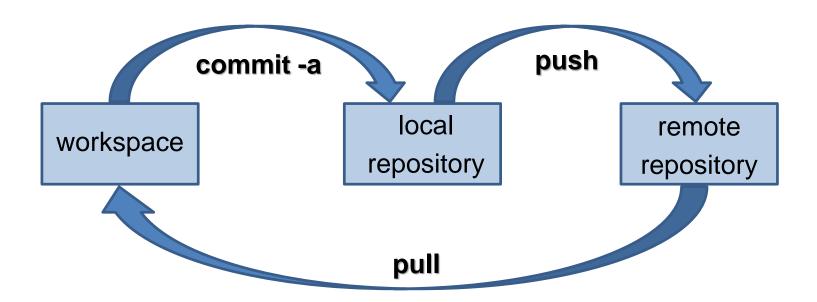








Simplified overview



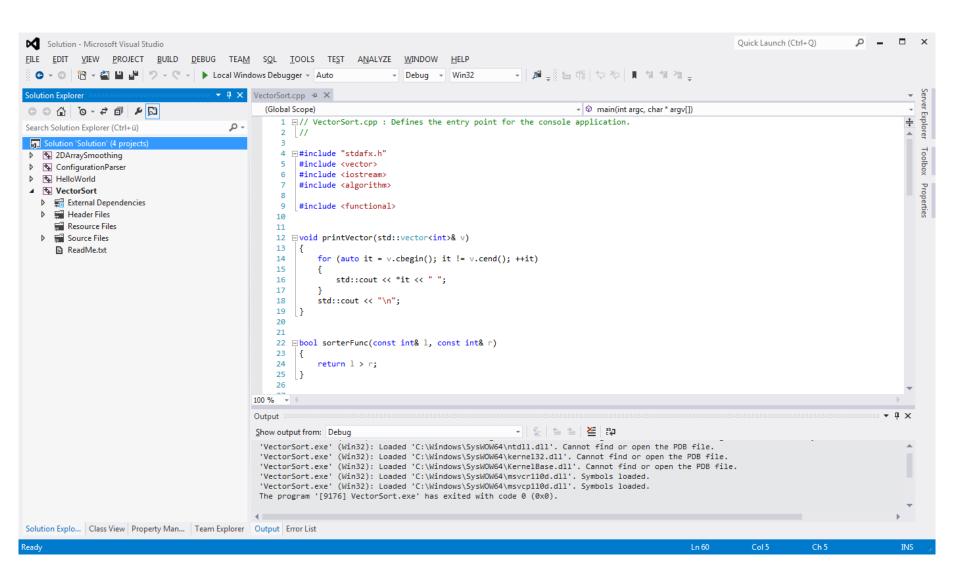
More information: <a href="https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2">https://git-scm.com/book/en/v2</a>



- Microsofts IDE for C++, C#, VB, F#...
  - Not just a compiler
  - Editor w/ syntax highlighting, code completion etc
  - Debugger
  - Several other tools you won't need

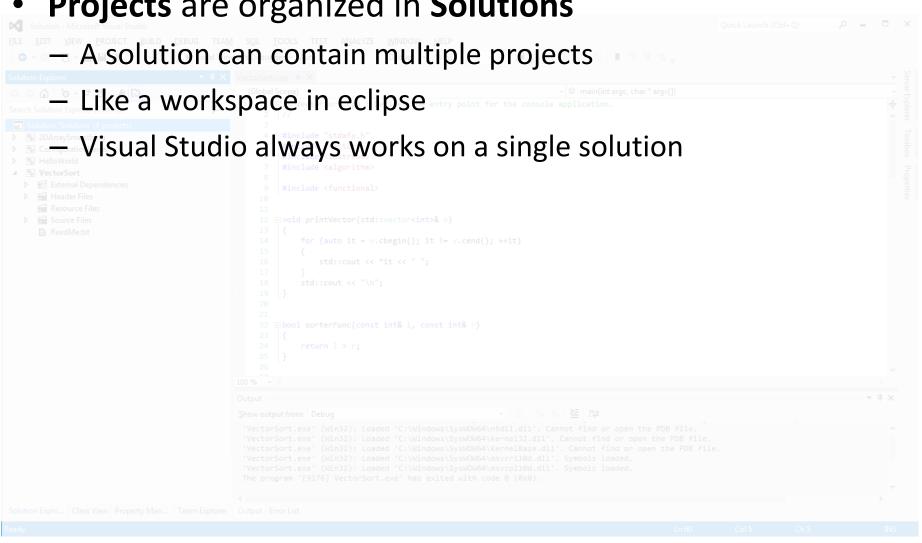




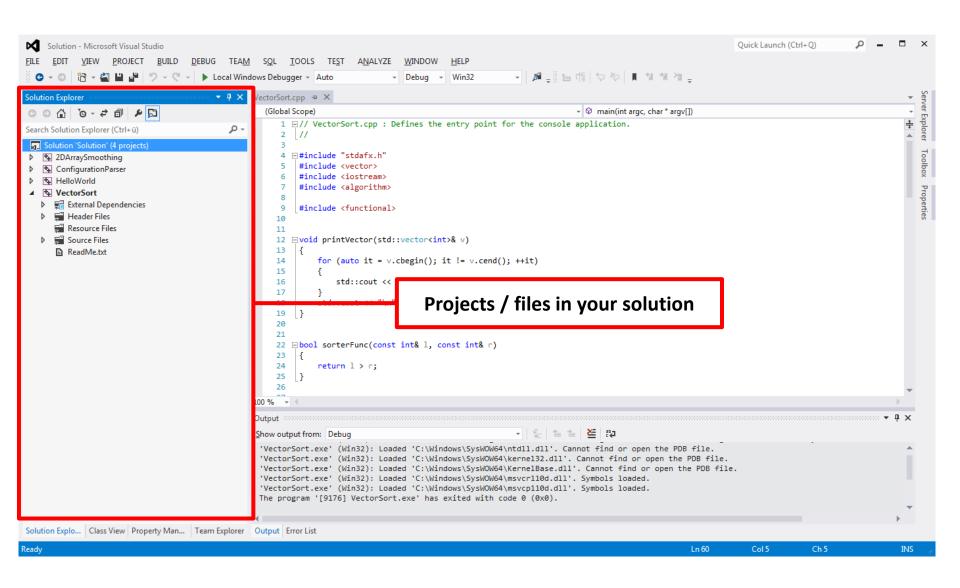




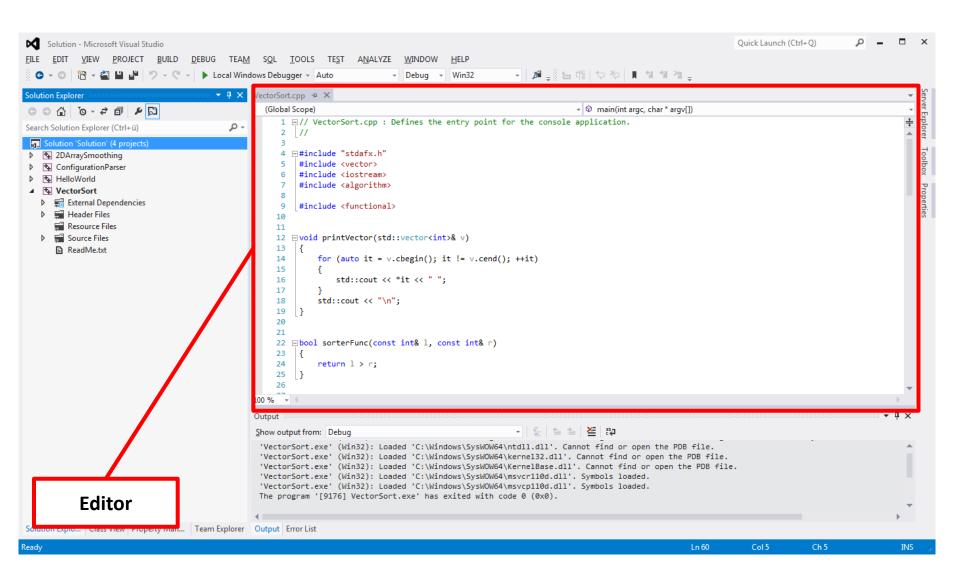
**Projects** are organized in **Solutions** 



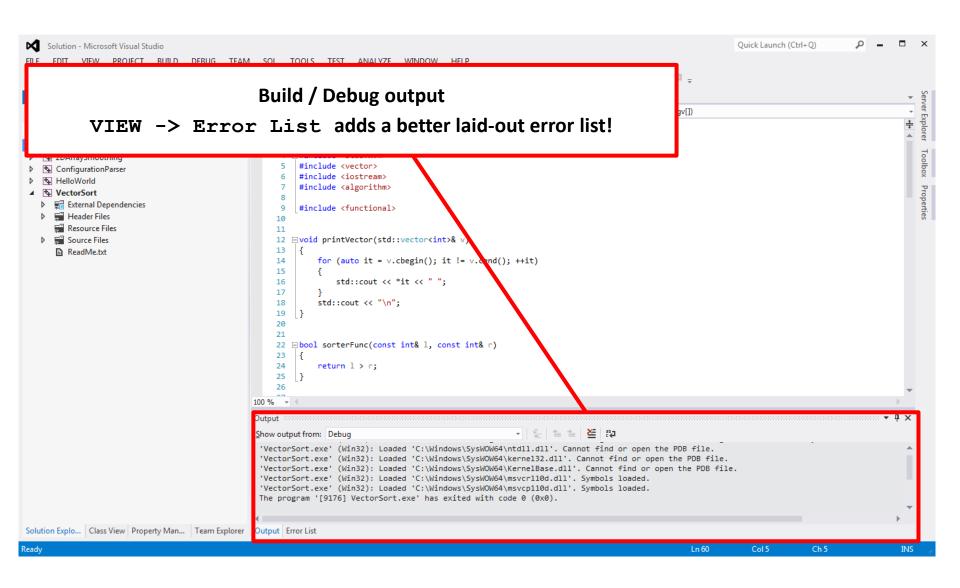




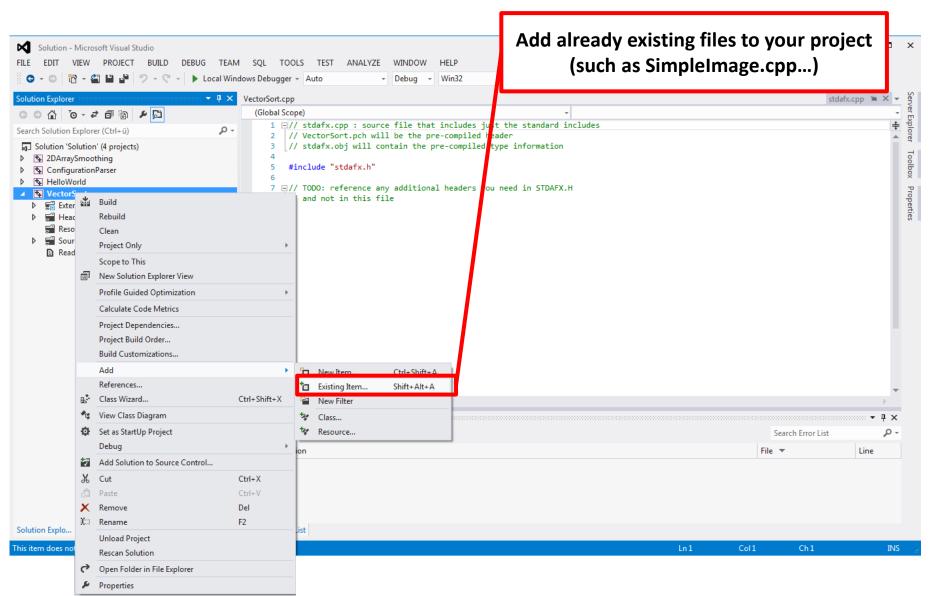












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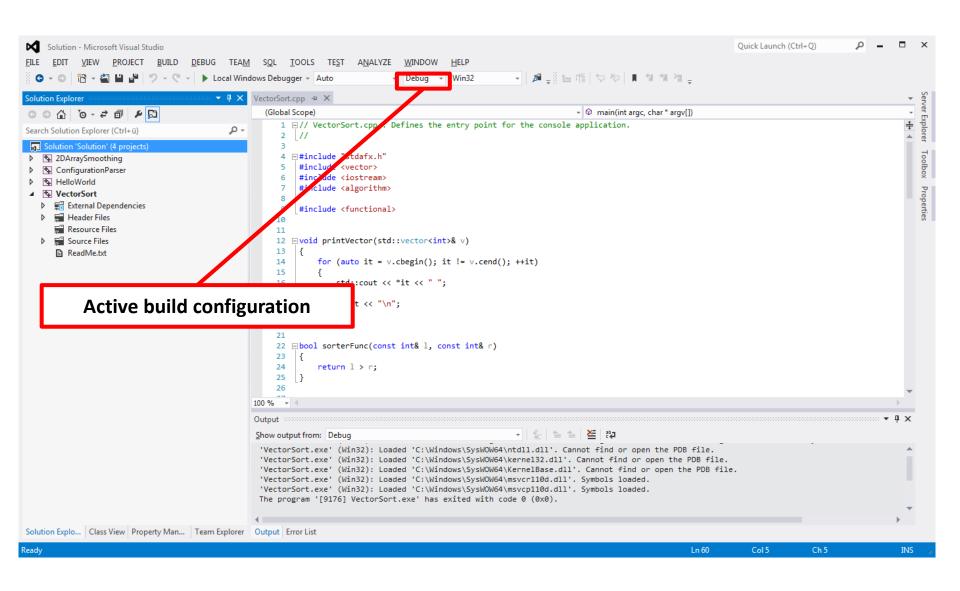
- Multiple build configurations allow setting different
  - compiler options
  - Per default: Debug and Release
    - In Debug, debugging information are added to the program
    - Optimizations are disabled
    - Debug mode can be pretty slow though

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std::cout << "it << ";
}
std::cout << "\n";
}
std::cout << "\n";
}
std::cout << "\n";

std::cout <= \n";

std:
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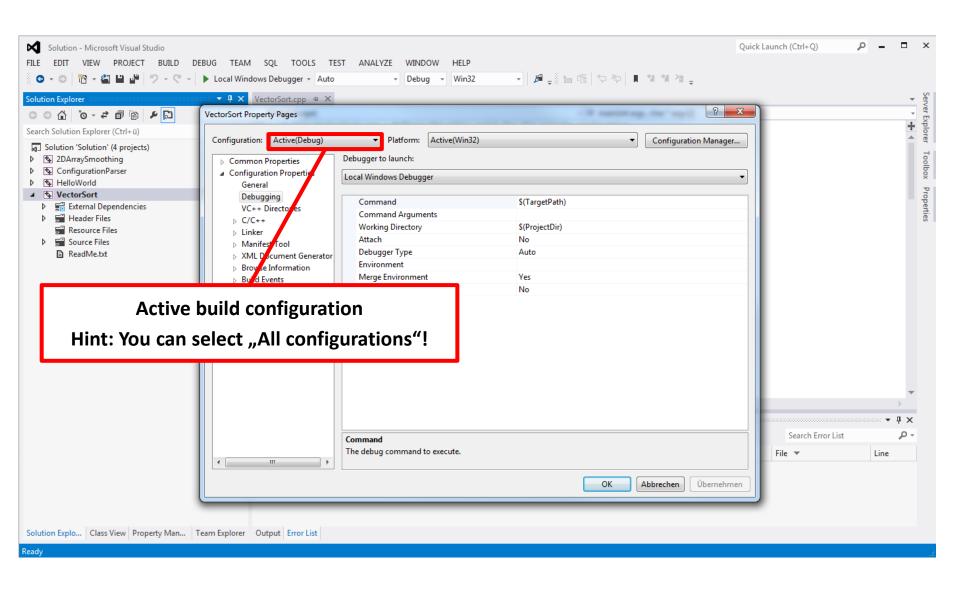




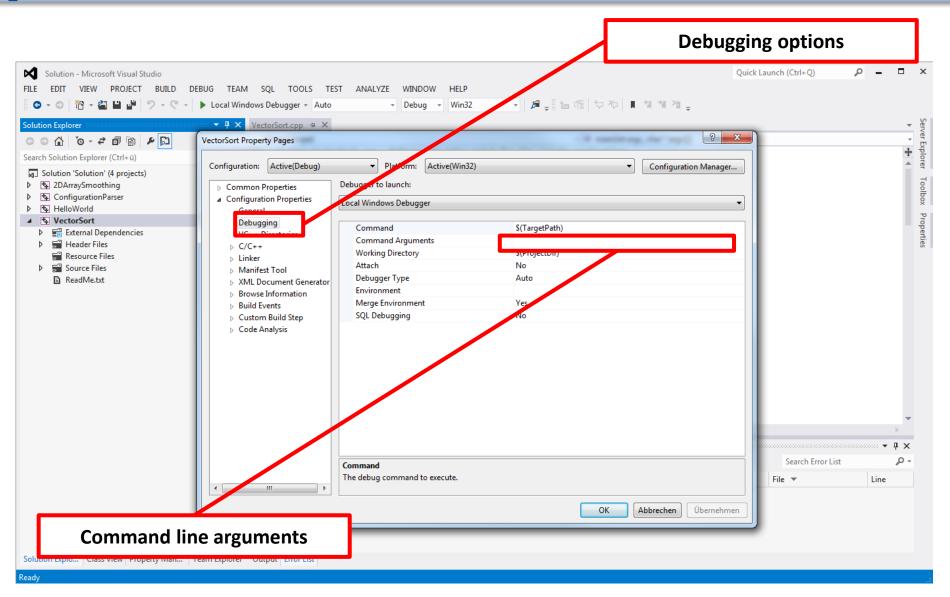


- PROJECT -> Properties shows the settings of the currently selected project
  - Can be altered for each build configuration
  - Change compiler / linker options
  - Set debugging options
  - Add search directories for header files and libraries
  - Be sure to use relative path names if possible!
    - ..\..\external\SimpleImage\

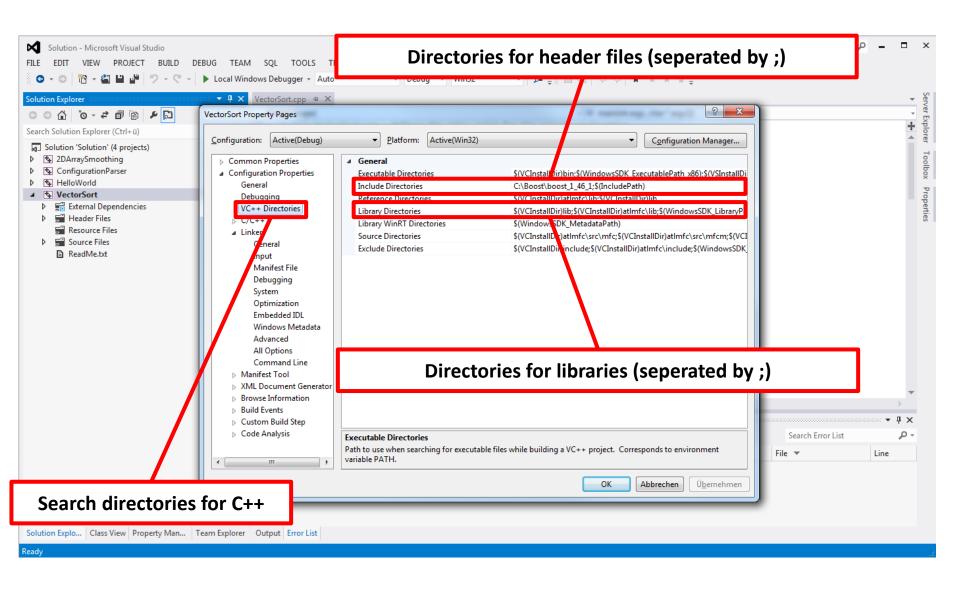




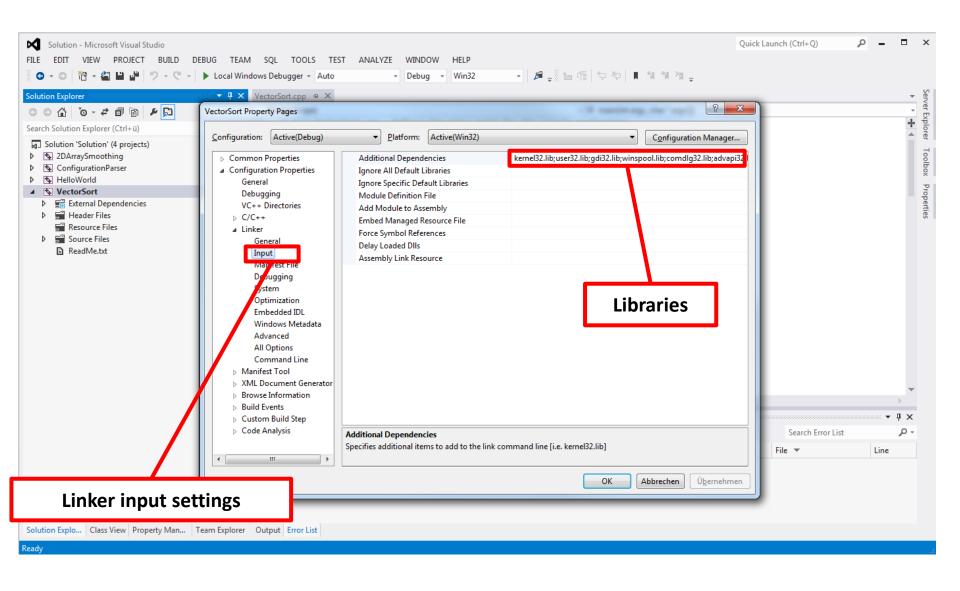














# Questions?

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