

# Using Visual Studio Compilers

## Installation:

1. Download cygwin
2. Install cygwin with
  - a. gcc,g++(required for making local Petsc tools `sowing` and `c2html` )
  - b. python
  - c. flex (required for making local Petsc tools `sowing` and `c2html` )
  - d. make
  - e. git
3. Get Petsc source
  - a. checkout petsc by git  
git clone <https://bitbucket.org/petsc/petsc.git>  
Optional:  
git clone <https://bitbucket.org/petsc/petsc.git> petsc\_bddc  
if anything to merge:  
git fetch && git checkout stefano\_zampini/pcbddc-primalfixes
  - b. OR get Petsc tarball and untar to cygwin/petsc folder (use tar in cygwin!)
4. Install Microsoft Visual C++ 2012/2013 (I prefer 2010 since it has MPI Debugger)
5. Install Microsoft MPI on a path without spaces like C:\MSMPI
6. Open Cygwin.bat and add
  - a. For 32 bit : CALL "%VS110COMNTOOLS%\vsvars32.bat"
  - b. For 64 bit : CALL "%VS110COMNTOOLS%\..\..\VC\vcvarsall.bat" amd64
7. Open Developer Command Prompt for 2012 (just type in start)
8. Call Cygwin.bat: D:\cygwin\cygwin64\Cygwin.bat
9. Test if cl Test.cpp
- 10.in cygwin shell, go to petsc folder: (red means does not work)
  - `./configure --with-cc='win32fe cl' --with-cxx='win32fe cl' --with-fc=0 --download-f2cblaslapack --with-mpi-dir=/cygdrive/c/MSMPI`
  - `./configure --with-cc='win32fe cl' --with-cxx='win32fe cl' --with-fc=0 --download-f2cblaslapack --with-mpi-include=/cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Inc/ --with-mpi-lib="[cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Lib/amd64/msmpi.lib,/cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Lib/amd64/msmpifec.lib]"`
  - `./configure --with-cc='win32fe cl' --with-cxx='win32fe cl' --with-fc=0 --download-f2cblaslapack --with-mpi-include=/cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Inc/ --with-mpi-lib="[cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Lib/amd64/msmpi.lib,/cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Lib/amd64/msmpifec.lib]"`
11. Cross your fingers and wait
12. If fails
  - a. `"rm -rf /home/semih/petsc/arch-mswin-c-debug/"`
  - b. For git users, clean the git repo with:
    - i. `git reset --hard`
    - ii. `git clean -f -d -x`
  - c. and then rerun configure

13. make PETSC\_DIR=/home/sozmen/petsc PETSC\_ARCH=arch-mswin-c-debug all
14. make PETSC\_DIR=/home/sozmen/petsc PETSC\_ARCH=arch-mswin-c-debug test
15. make PETSC\_DIR=/home/sozmen/petsc PETSC\_ARCH=arch-mswin-c-debug streams  
NPMAX=4
16. You are done with it...

## Usage:

```
export PETSC_DIR=~/.petsc
export PETSC_ARCH=arch-mswin-c-debug
make ex2
make runex2
```

## Update:

- git pull

Once updated, you will usually want to rebuild completely

- ./PETSC\_ARCH/conf/reconfigure-PETSC\_ARCH.py
- make

## Additional options:

```
--with-openmp
--with-shared-libraries
--useThreads=0
--with-debugging=no
--with-pcbbddc
```

Correct the error in bddcprivate.c @3208

Use for any problem with MKL;

<https://software.intel.com/en-us/articles/intel-mkl-link-line-advisor/>

## Hypre:

- Download from <http://acts.nersc.gov/hypre/>
- Compile it! (**MISSING PART: Compilation in Windows required!**)
- Or you may use binaries from "Petsc For Windows"

Usage:

```
--with-hypre-include=/cygdrive/d/WorkDir/hypre-2.9.0b/src/hypre/include
--with-hypre-lib=/cygdrive/d/WorkDir/hypre-2.9.0b/src/hypre/lib/HYPRE.lib
```

## BLAS/LAPACK:

- You need to install Intel MKL
- Usage:

```
--with-blas-lapack-dir=/cygdrive/d/HardLinks/PETSc/Intel2013/mkl/lib/intel64
```

## ScaLAPACK:

- You need to install Intel MKL with cluster support
- Usage:

```
--with-scalapack-include=/cygdrive/d/HardLinks/PETSc/Intel2013/mkl/include  
--with-scalapack-lib=\"[/cygdrive/d/HardLinks/PETSc/Intel2013/mkl/lib/intel64/mkl_scalapack_lp64.lib,/cygdrive/d/HardLinks/PETSc/Intel2013/mkl/lib/intel64/mkl_blacs_m  
smpi_lp64.lib]\"
```

## METIS-PARMETIS:

- Download from <http://glaros.dtc.umn.edu/gkhome/metis/parmetis/download>
- Compile it! (**MISSING PART: Compilation in Windows required!**)
- Or you may use binaries from "Petsc For Windows"
- Usage:
  - with-metis-include=/cygdrive/d/WorkDir/OtherPackages/parmetis-4.0.3\_install/include
  - with-metis-lib=/cygdrive/d/WorkDir/OtherPackages/parmetis-4.0.3\_install/lib/metis.lib
  - with-parmetis-include=/cygdrive/d/WorkDir/OtherPackages/parmetis-4.0.3\_install/include
  - with-parmetis-lib=\"[/cygdrive/d/WorkDir/OtherPackages/parmetis-4.0.3\_install/lib/parmetis.lib,/cygdrive/d/WorkDir/OtherPackages/parmetis-4.0.3\_install/lib/metis.lib]\"

## Using Intel Compilers Instead of VSC

Append following alias to .bash\_profile

```
alias ifort='ifort -Qlocation,link,"$VCINSTALLDIR/bin"  
alias icl='icl -Qlocation,link,"$VCINSTALLDIR/bin"
```

Append following to icl.cfg

```
$VCINSTALLDIR/bin
```

```
mv /usr/bin/link.exe /usr/bin/cygwin_link.exe
```

Run Intel 64 bit Developer Command Prompt

Run Cygwin.bat

Get petsc source files etc.

Failes with;

- ifort could not find mpif.h !!!!
- Solution: copy C:\MSMPI\Inc\amd64\mpifptr.h to C:\MSMPI\Inc

```
./configure --with-cc='win32fe icl' --with-cxx='win32fe icl' --with-fc='win32fe ifort'  
--with-blas-lapack-dir=/cygdrive/c/MKL/lib/intel64  
--with-hypre-include=/cygdrive/c/EXTRLIBS/include/HYPRE  
--with-hypre-lib=/cygdrive/c/EXTRLIBS/lib/HYPRE.lib  
--with-scalapack-include=/cygdrive/c/MKL/include  
--with-scalapack-lib='[/cygdrive/c/MKL/lib/intel64/mkl_scalapack_lp64.lib,/cygdrive/c/MKL/lib/intel64/mkl_blacs_msmapi_lp64.lib]' --with-metis-include=/cygdrive/c/EXTRLIBS/include/parametis  
--with-metis-lib=/cygdrive/c/EXTRLIBS/lib/metis.lib  
--with-parmetis-include=/cygdrive/c/EXTRLIBS/include/parametis
```

```
--with-parmetis-lib='[/cygdrive/c/EXTRLIBS/lib/parmetis.lib,/cygdrive/c/EXTRLIBS/lib/metis.lib]'
--with-mpi-include=/cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Inc/
--with-mpi-lib='[/cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Lib/amd64/msmpi.lib,/cygdrive/c/MSMPI/Lib/amd64/msmpifec.lib]' --with-shared-libraries --useThreads=0
```

**--with-openmp**

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fp.c^M

C:\CYGWIN~1\PETSC-~1.2\src\sys\error\fp.c(425): error: expression must have arithmetic or pointer type^M

```
    if (feclearexcept(FE_ALL_EXCEPT))
SETERRQ(PETSC_COMM_SELF,PETSC_ERR_LIB,"Cannot clear floating point exception
flags\n");^M
```

^^M

^M

C:\CYGWIN~1\PETSC-~1.2\src\sys\error\fp.c(436): error: expression must have arithmetic or pointer type^M

```
    if (fesetenv(FE_DFL_ENV)) SETERRQ(PETSC_COMM_SELF,PETSC_ERR_LIB,"Cannot
disable floating point exceptions");^M
```

**/cygdrive/c/cygwin\_cache/petsc-3.4.2/arch-mswin-c-opt/include/petscconf.h.h**  
**and remove the lines related to PETSC\_HAVE\_FENV\_H**

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**CAUTION: now -fp\_trap will not function properly, so forget to use it!**

Reconfigure PETSc to use ParMetis.

1 linux-c-debug/conf/reconfigure-linux-c-debug.py

-PETSC\_ARCH=linux-parmetis

-download-metis -download-parmetis

2 PETSC\_ARCH=linux-parmetis make

3 PETSC\_ARCH=linux-parmetis make test

python ./config/builder2.py check

\$PETSC\_DIR/src/snes/examples/tutorials/ex5.c

put breakpoint PetscError() @ ./src/sys/error/err.c

Using following for maintenance purposes

git remote add upstream git://github.com/wp-cli/wp-cli.git

git fetch upstream

git branch backup

git checkout upstream/master -B master

git push --force