*These are the bare necessary instructions for installation and testing. All instructions concern 64-bit systems. Attempt 32-bit installation at your own peril.*

*Besides the instructions contained here, make sure you also have a recent version of JNA (at least 4.1) installed in your system.*

*This project was mainly built to be run on Linux (Ubuntu). I have managed to compile it in Windows 7 x64 with libjpeg-8d and include the dll file in the folder, but cannot promise it will work.*

**Ubuntu installation instructions:**

**libJPEG8d:**

The libjpeg8 (libjpeg8-dev) package is needed for various Ubuntu applications and is most likely already included in your distribution. If not, install using apt-get. Make sure LD\_LIBRARY\_PATH includes libjpeg8. You can always install libjpeg8 from source using the folder provided, if you are confident you know what you are doing.

**ExportDCT:**

Build **libExportDCT.so** by running:

gcc -c -Wall -fpic ExportDCT.c

gcc -shared -o libExportDCT.so ExportDCT.o -l:libjpeg.so.8

and copy it somewhere in your LD\_LIBRARY\_PATH. Don't forget to adjust the read permissions.

You can test native C functionality independently from trying Java, by compiling the provided TestDCT.c code. First run:

gcc -o TestDCT TestDCT.c -lExportDCT -ljpeg

And then execute ./TestDCT, having **068.jpg** in the folder. The output should be:

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*If yes, then the C code is working correctly and you are ready to proceed to Java/JNA integration.*

**Windows dependency installation instructions:**

Before trying anything else, test if the precompiled DLL file works. Otherwise, proceed as follows:

**libJPEG8d:**

-Download libjpeg8d from the Independent JPEG group (<http://www.ijg.org/files/>)

-Use an 64-bit version of MSYS (MSYS64) to compile libjpeg:

a) run ./configure from within the **jpeg-8d\_distribution** folder.

b) edit the generated **jconfig.h** file by replacing the line:

#undef HAVE\_PROTOTYPES

with

#define HAVE\_PROTOTYPES

(this file is replaced during configuration, do the manual change after completing the configuration)

c) ./make and then ./make install

d) enter the **/.libs** subdirectory and take **libjpeg-8.dll**

**ExportDCT:**

-Copy **libjpeg-8.dll** and **jconfig.h** to the **Auxiliary\_Sources\ExportDCT\** subdirectory.

-Go to the **ExportDCT**\ subdirectory and run (in MSYS64):

gcc -shared -o ExportDCT.dll ExportDCT.c libjpeg-8.dll -Wl,--output-def,ExportDCT.def,--out-implib,libExportDCT.a

**Placing the DLLs:**

-In order to run the project from Netbeans, take both the resulting **ExportDCT.dll** and **libjpeg-8.dll** and copy them to **\Executable\** alongside **MultimediaManipulationToolbox.jar**.

For testing that the native C code works independently from Java, a test file is included in the distribution. You can build **TestDCT.c** with:

gcc –o TestDCT.exe TestDCT.c ExportDCT.dll libjpeg-8.dll (in MSYS64)

Then run **TestDCT.exe**, having **068.jpg** in the folder. The output should be:

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If yes, then the C code is working correctly and you are ready to proceed to Java/JNA integration.