

Compiling Software Packages

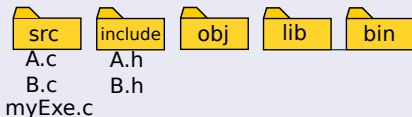
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Makefile project

Directory structure



Makefile

```
CC = gcc
CFLAGS = -I include -g -Wall -O2
LIBS = -Llib -lmyLib
.....
all: $(TARGET)
lib: $(LIB)

$(TARGET): $(LIB) src/myExe.c
    $(CC) src/myExe.c
$(CFLAGS) $(LIBS) -o $@

$(LIB): $(OBJ)
    ar -rc $(LIB) $(OBJ)

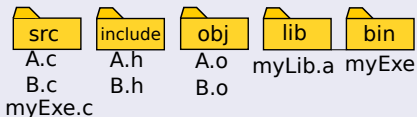
obj/%.o: src/%.c
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c $< -o $@

$(DOC): doc/myLib.tex
    cd doc && pdflatex -pdf myLib.tex

clean:
    $(RM) $(OBJ) $(TARGET)
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```

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make command

`:$ make all`

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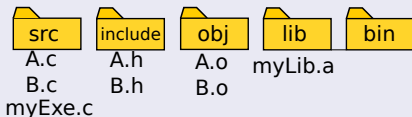
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make command

`:$ make lib`

Makefile

```
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all: $(TARGET)
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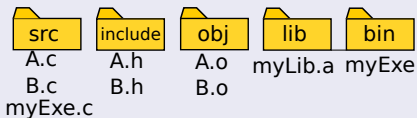
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    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c $< -o $@

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Limitations:

Platform Portability

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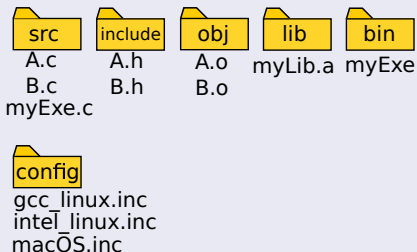
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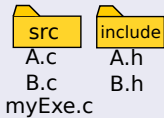
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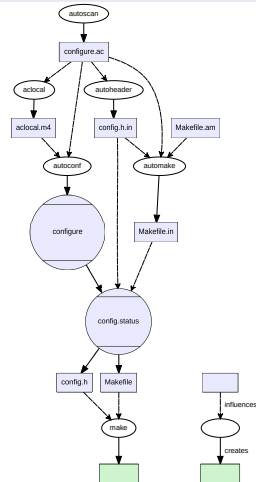
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    $(RM) $(OBJ) $(TARGET)
    cd doc && pdflatex -c myLib.tex
```

Autotools project

Directory structure

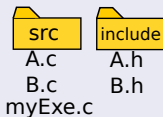


Autotools



CMake project

Directory structure



CMakeLists.txt

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)

project(Test_Project C)

include_directories(include)

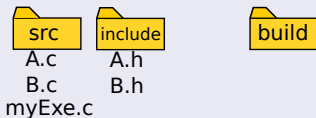
add_library(myLib src/A.c src/B.c)

add_executable(myExe src/myExe.c)
target_link_libraries(myExe myLib)
```

CMake commands

CMake project

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CMakeLists.txt

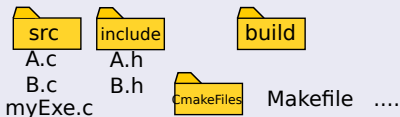
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add_library(myLib src/A.c src/B.c)
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target_link_libraries(myExe myLib)
```

CMake commands

```
:$ mkdir build
```

CMake project

Directory structure



CMakeLists.txt

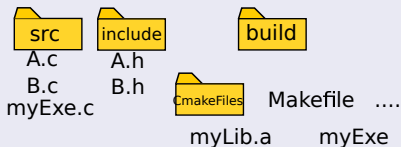
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project(Test_Project C)
include_directories(include)
add_library(myLib src/A.c src/B.c)
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```

CMake commands

```
:$ cmake ..
```

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project(Test_Project C)

include_directories(include)

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target_link_libraries(myExe myLib)
```

CMake commands

:\$ make

Main Takeaways

Autotools

```
// Typical Autotools compilation  
mkdir build && cd build && ../configure && make  
// Configuration: From the build directory  
../configure --help
```

CMake

```
// Typical CMake compilation  
mkdir build && cd build && cmake .. && make  
// Configuration: From the build directory  
ccmake ..
```