

OpenGL Environment Setting

CS 550000 Computer Graphics
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Prerequisite

- Choose one of the solution bellow
 - Microsoft Visual Studio Professional 2017/2015/2013 (available from Campus Licensed Software Service)
 - Visual Studio Community 2017 (recommend)
- Ensure you have also install C++ package when installing IDE



Prerequisite

- Download the latest version of third-party library [freeglut](#) and [glew](#) precompiled binaries
- Download “[Hello Triangle.zip](#)” available from iLMS
- Unzip the downloaded file above

```
freeglut
├── Copying.txt
├── Readme.txt
├── bin
├── include
└── lib
```

```
glew-2.1.0
├── LICENSE.txt
├── bin
├── doc
├── include
└── lib
```

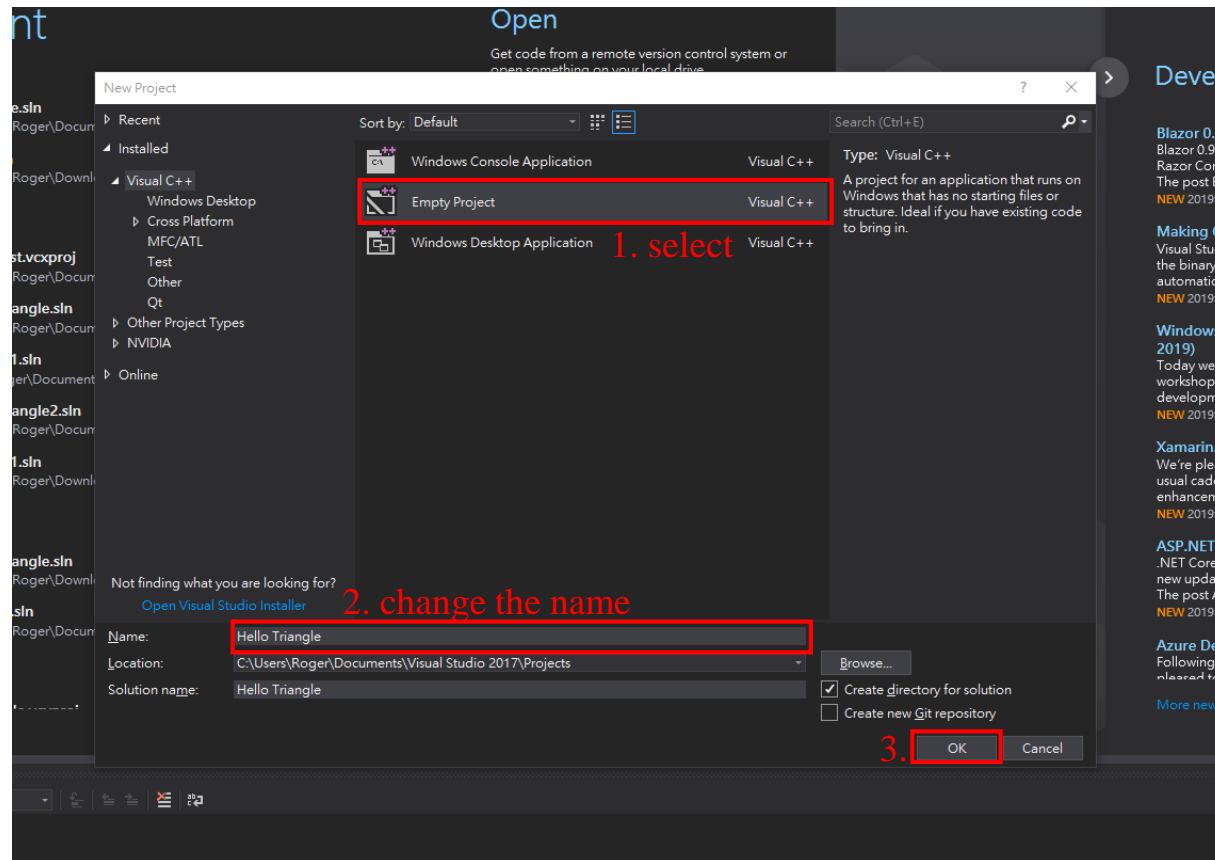
```
Hello Triangle
├── main.cpp
├── textfile.cpp
├── textfile.h
└── src
```

unzipped folders structure



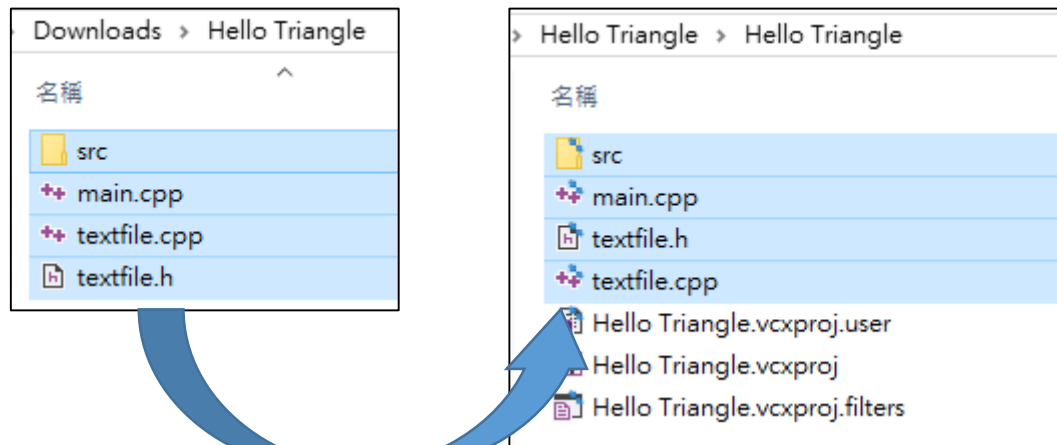
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- Create a visual studio empty project
File>New>Project...(Ctrl+Shift+N)



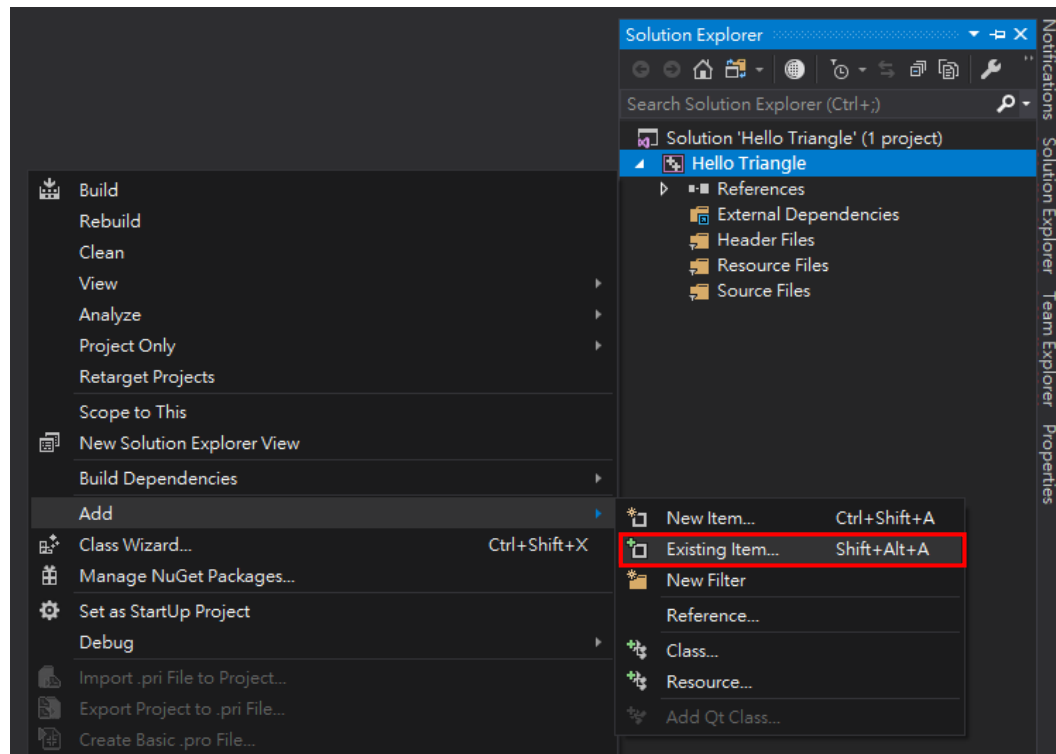
How to run this source code

- Put all the files in the “Hello Triangle” folder you just unzipped into the **project folder** (default path:
C:/Users/[UserName]/source/repos/Hello Triangle/Hello Triangle/)



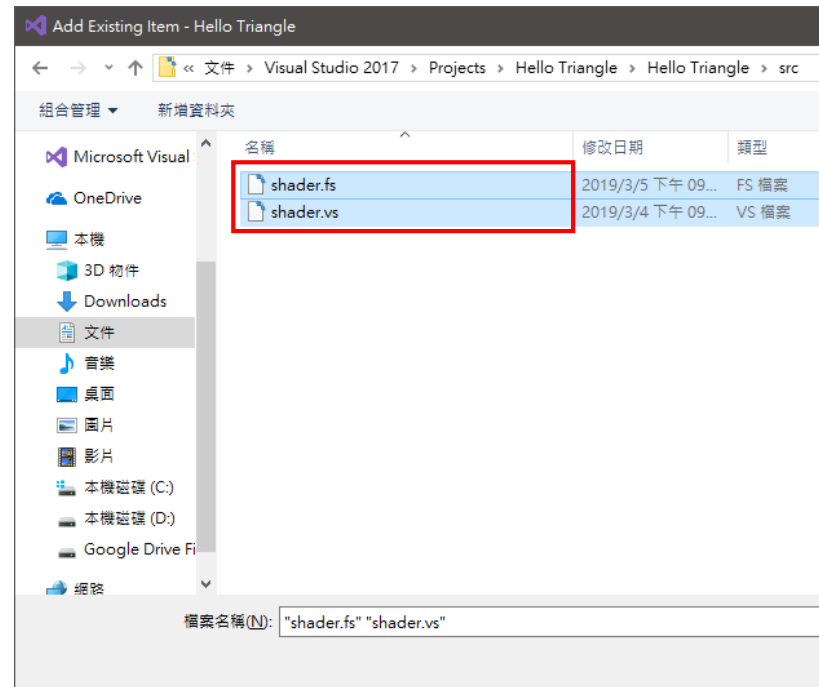
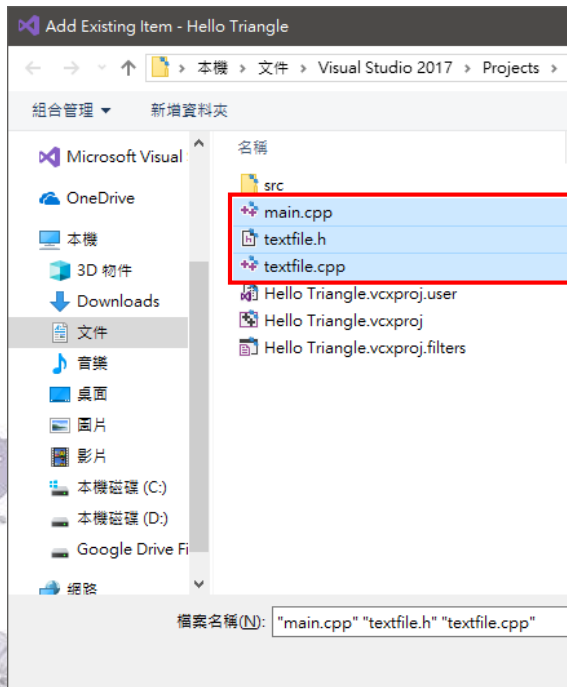
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- Right-click the project name on “Solution Explorer” panel and select “Add>Existing Item...”



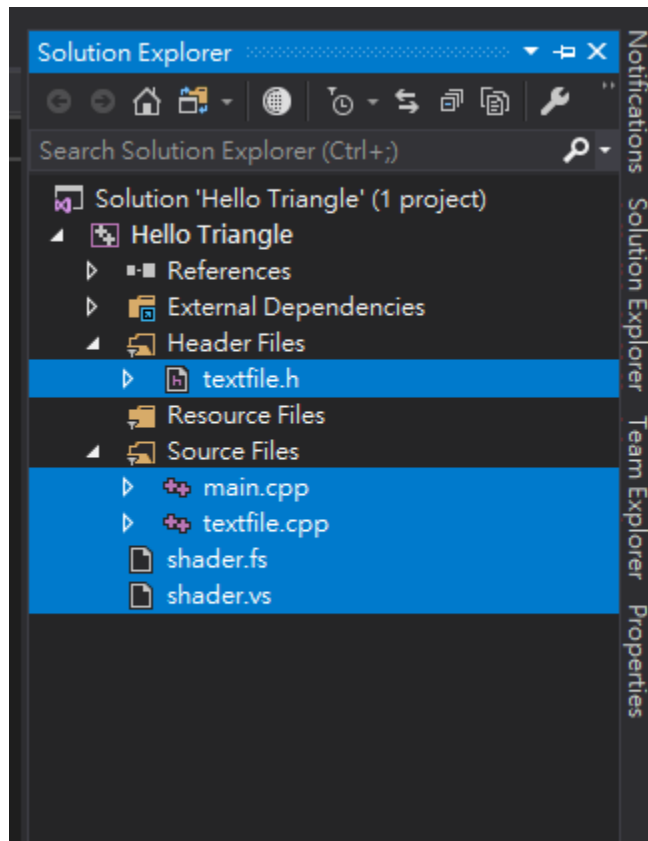
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- Add the files that have just been moved into the **project folder**



How to run this source code

- Make sure the files are added correctly



How to run this source code

- Create “include” and “lib” folders in the **solution folder** (default path: C:/Users/[UserName]/source/repos/Hello Triangle/)

名稱	修改日期	類型	大小
Hello Triangle	2019/3/14 上午 11:16	檔案資料夾	
include	2019/3/14 上午 11:19	檔案資料夾	
lib	2019/3/14 上午 11:19	檔案資料夾	
Hello Triangle.sln	2019/3/14 上午 10:40	Microsoft Visual ...	2 KB



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- Put the files in “freeglut” and “glew-2.1.0” folders into the corresponding folder according to the following structure:
 - freeglut/include/GL → Hello Triangle/include/freeglut
 - freeglut/lib/freeglut.lib → Hello Triangle/lib/freeglut.lib
 - freeglut/bin/freeglut.dll → Hello Triangle/Hello Triangle/freeglut.dll
 - glew-2.1.0/include/GL → Hello Triangle/include/GL
 - glew-2.1.0/lib/Release/Win32/glew32.lib → Hello Triangle/lib/glew32.lib
 - glew-2.1.0/bin/Release/Win32/glew32.dll → Hello Triangle/Hello Triangle/glew32.dll



How to run this source code

- Confirm that the files are in the correct location

```
Hello Triangle
Hello Triangle.sln

--Hello Triangle
    freeglut.dll
    glew32.dll
    Hello Triangle.vcxproj
    Hello Triangle.vcxproj.filters
    Hello Triangle.vcxproj.user
    main.cpp
    textfile.cpp
    textfile.h

--src
    shader.fs
    shader.vs

--include
    --freetglut
        freeglut.h
        freeglut_ext.h
        freeglut_std.h
        glut.h

    --GL
        eglew.h
        glew.h
        glxew.h
        wglew.h

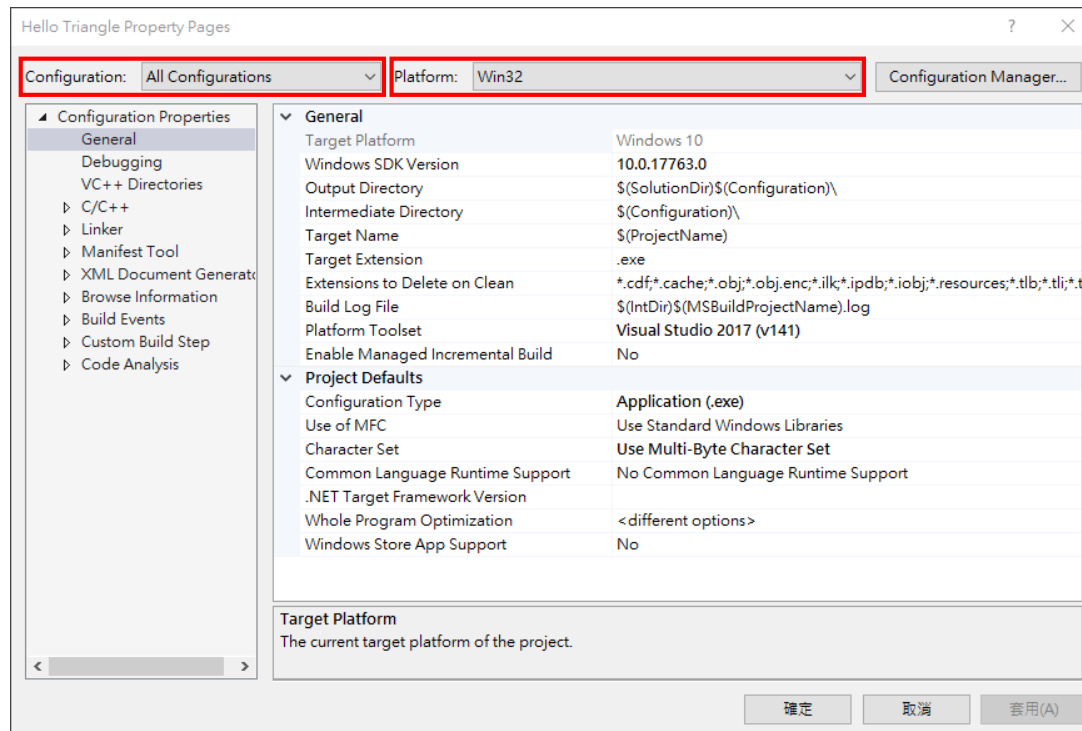
--lib
    freeglut.lib
    glew32.lib
```

you can use the “tree”
command to get this
information



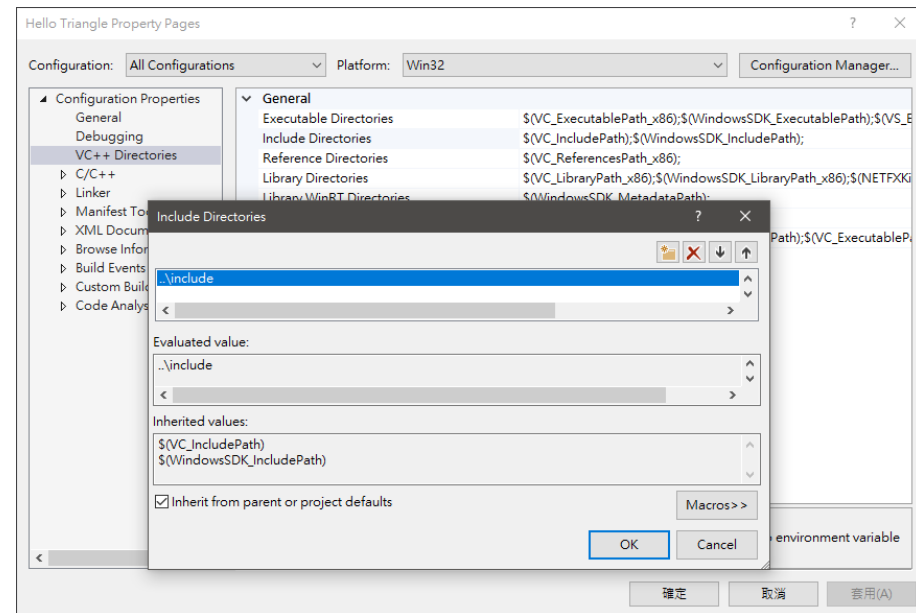
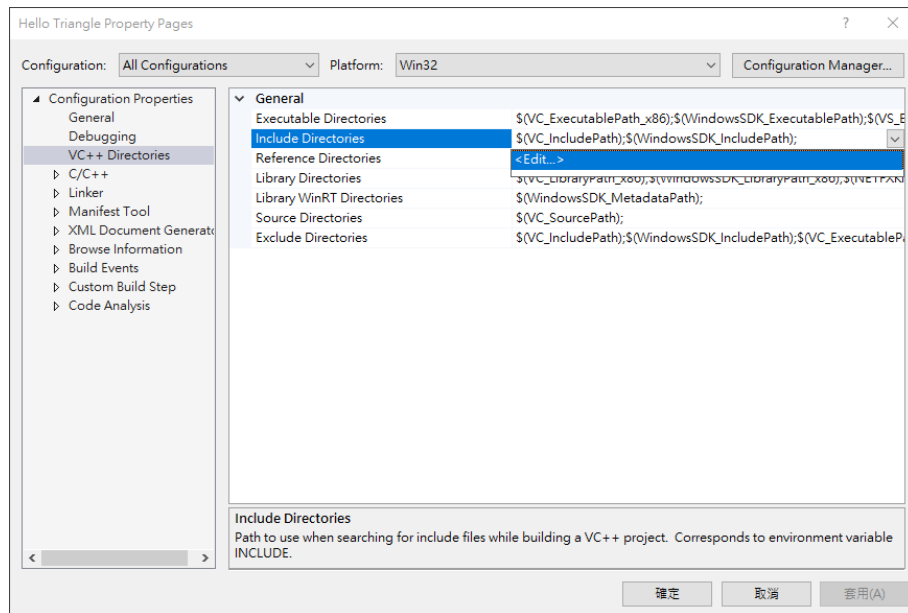
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- Open the project property page (Debug>Hello Triangle Properties...) and change the configuration and platform like the picture below

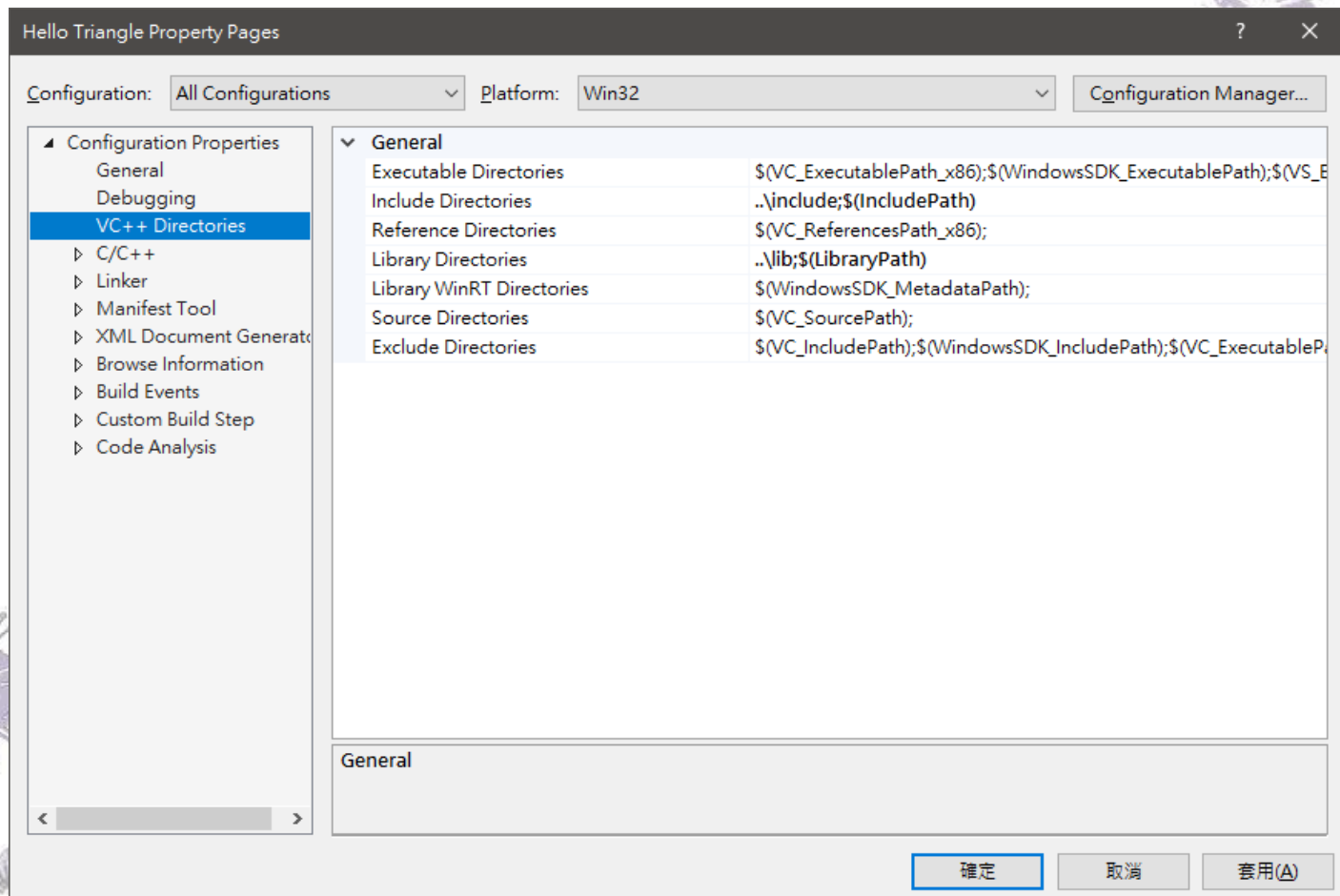


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- Check out the “VC++ Directories” and add “..\include” to the “Include Directories” and “..\lib” to the “Library Directories”

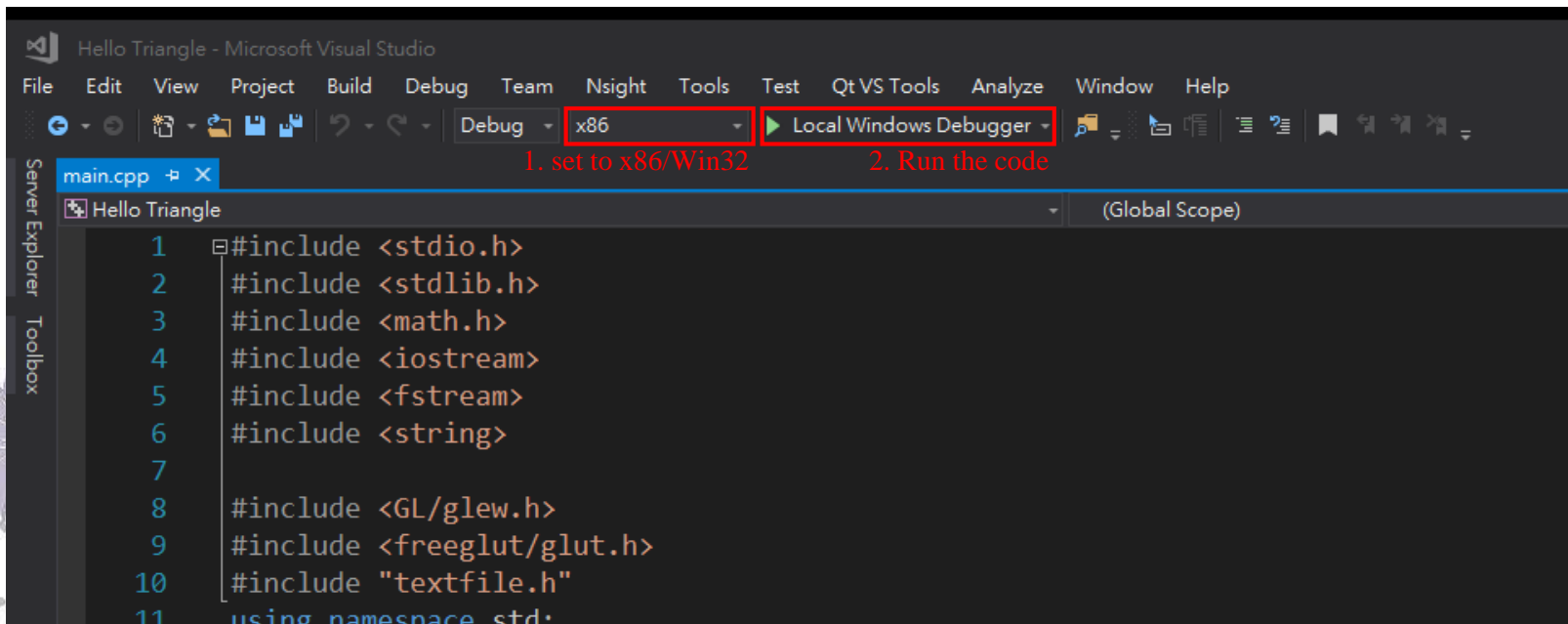


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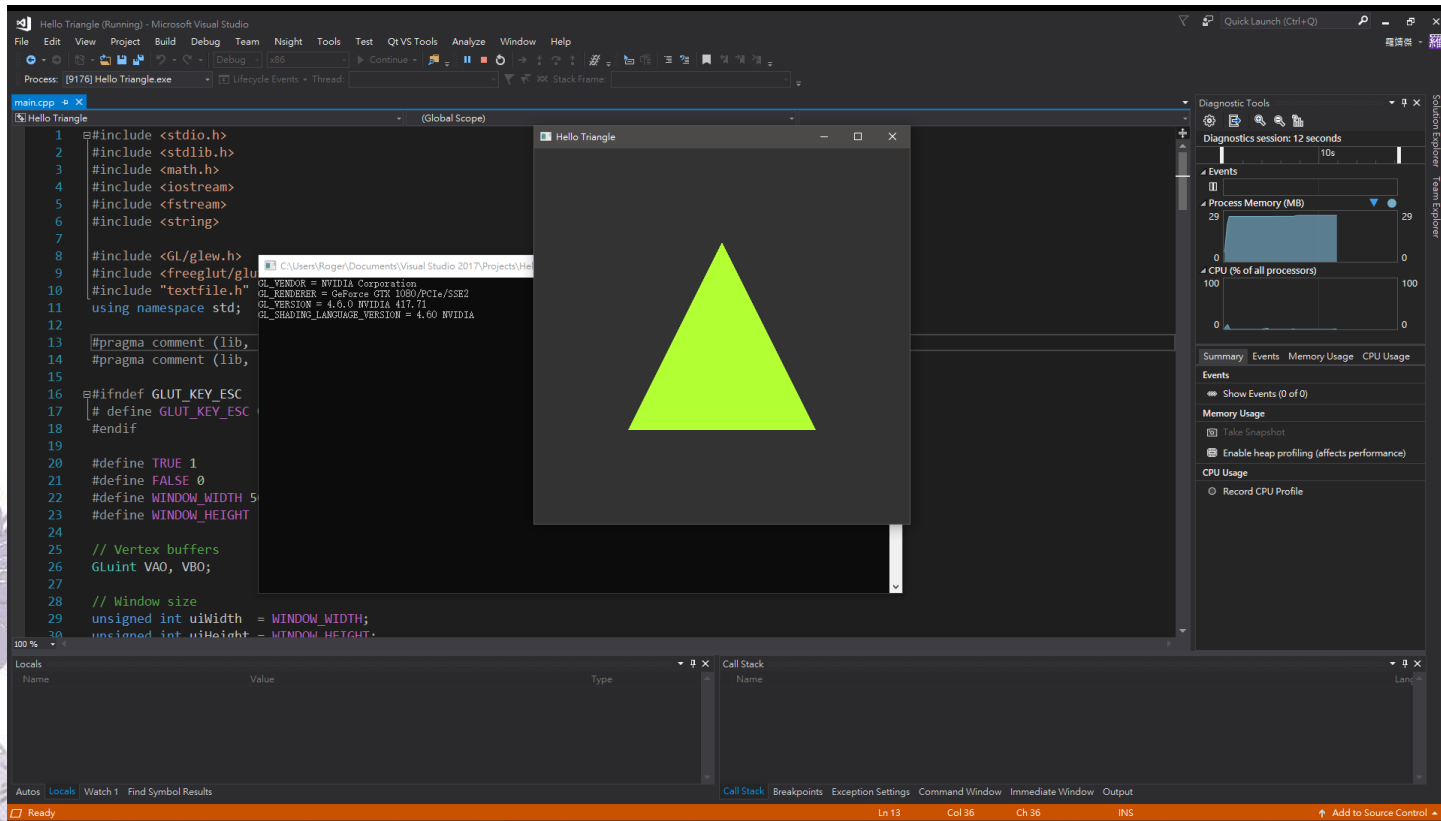
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- Check the platform setting and run the code



How to run this source code

- Success



Notice

- Make sure the third-party libraries and source code you downloaded are the latest version
- Make sure you have the correct settings of project properties for the x86/Win32 platform and execute the program on the x86/Win32 platform
- Check that the directory structure of the solution is exactly the same as page 11 of the slide
- Check if “include” folder and .lib and .dll files are correct

