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# SSCLI 2.0 and Visual Studio 2008

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The currently available SSCLI 2.0 (Rotor) does not build successfully with Visual Studio 2008. I've managed to make it build and I thought I'd share my changes. Be very aware:

1. I haven't done anything resembling thorough testing on these changes
2. I made the changes so that it would build for me on my 32bit Vista machine
3. I avoided changing source files, and focused on build files
4. The warnings I disabled are pretty tame, see #3
5. I tried to keep the changes to a minimum
6. I know next to nothing about NMAKE
7. I have no idea about any MS plans regarding SSCLI and VS2008
8. This does not constitute official support for building SSCLI in VS2008

### **\sscli20\mswin32.startup.pl**

1. change the if block that begins at line 41:

```
if (my $msvcdir = Get("MSVCDIR")) {  
    # These are the INCLUDE paths used during the primary bootstrap.  
    my $winsdkdir = Get("ROTOR_WINSDKDIR");  
    Set("SDK_INC_PATH_BOOT", catdir ($winsdkdir, "include"));  
    Set("CRT_INC_PATH_BOOT", catdir ($msvcdir, "Include"));  
    Set("SDK_LIB_PATH", catdir ($winsdkdir, "lib"));  
    Set("CRT_LIB_PATH", catdir ($msvcdir, "lib"));  
    Set("VC_BIN_PATH", catdir ($msvcdir, "bin"));  
}
```

### **\sscli20\win.env.bat**

1. change *%VS80COMNTOOLS%* on line 37 to *%VS90COMNTOOLS%*
2. after line 42, insert the following:

```
REM Set the SDK path  
if "%ROTOR_WINSDKDIR%"=="" set ROTOR_WINSDKDIR=%WindowsSdkDir%  
if "%ROTOR_WINSDKDIR%"=="" set ROTOR_WINSDKDIR=%MSVCDIR%\PlatformSDK  
call :ShortName "%ROTOR_WINSDKDIR%"  
set ROTOR_WINSDKDIR=%RESULT%
```

```
\sscli20\clr\src\classlibnative\nls\wks\sources; \sscli20\clr\src\debug\daccess\wks\sources;  
\sscli20\clr\src\vm\dacwks\sources; \sscli\clr\src\classlibnative\float\wks\sources;  
\sscli\clr\src\dlls\mscordac\wks\sources; \sscli\clr\src\vm\wks1\sources; \sscli\clr\src\vm\wks2\sources;
```

**\sscli\clr\src\vm\wks3\sources; \sscli\clr\src\vm\wks4\sources**

1. Kill line 16 (*MSC\_WARNING\_LEVEL* =-*Wp64*)

**\sscli\clr\src\classlibnative\float\sources.inc**

1. Kill line 21 (*COMPILER\_WARNINGS* =/*W4*)

**\sscli20\clr\src\toolbox\sos\strike\sources**

1. Kill line 18 (*MSC\_WARNING\_LEVEL* =/*W4*)

**\env\bin\devdiv.def**

1. Change line 334 to *SUBSYSTEM\_WINVER* = ,**5.00**
2. Change line 338 to *SUBSYSTEM\_CONVER* = ,**5.00**

**\pal\inc\vs9.h (NEW FILE)**

```
// Patch up the conflicting defines to allow building with VS9
#undef MAKEWORD
#undef MAKELONG
#undef LOWORD
#undef HIWORD
#undef LOBYTE
#undef HIBYTE
#undef IPPROTO_IP
#undef IPPROTO_ICMP
#undef IPPROTO_IGMP
#undef IPPROTO_GGP
#undef IPPROTO_TCP
#undef IPPROTO_PUP
#undef IPPROTO_UDP
#undef IPPROTO_IDP
#undef IPPROTO_ND
#undef IPPROTO_RAW
#undef INADDR_ANY
#undef INADDR_BROADCAST
#undef INADDR_NONE

#pragma warning (disable :4985)

#define IMAGE_SIZEOF_NT_OPTIONAL32_HEADER 224
#define IMAGE_SIZEOF_NT_OPTIONAL64_HEADER 240

#ifdef _WIN64
#define IMAGE_SIZEOF_NT_OPTIONAL_HEADER IMAGE_SIZEOF_NT_OPTIONAL64_HEADER
#else
#define IMAGE_SIZEOF_NT_OPTIONAL_HEADER IMAGE_SIZEOF_NT_OPTIONAL32_HEADER
#endif
```

**\sscli20\pal\win32\win32pal.h**

1. Add *#include <Vs9.h>* after line 1272 (before the windows includes)

**\sscli20\tools\binplace\sources; \sscli\clr\src\tools\ilddbump\sources**

1. Change line 27 *SUBSYSTEM\_VERSION*=4.00 to *SUBSYSTEM\_VERSION*=**5.00**

**\sscli20\tools\resourcecompiler\sources**

1. Change line 31 *SUBSYSTEM\_VERSION*=4.00 to *SUBSYSTEM\_VERSION*=**5.00**

**\sscli20\tools\cnpmunge\sources**

1. Change line 24 `SUBSYSTEM_VERSION=4.00` to `SUBSYSTEM_VERSION=5.00`

**\sscli20\tools\build\sources**

1. Change line 48 `SUBSYSTEM_VERSION=4.00` to `SUBSYSTEM_VERSION=5.00`

**\sscli20\pal\win32\make.cmd**

1. Kill the *if not "%ROTOR\_TOOLSET\_VERSION%"* block from line 43-46

**\sscli20\clr\src\vm\sources.inc**

1. Add `-wd4800` to the end of line 22
2. Delete lines 23-25

**\sscli20\clr\src\classlibnative\nls\sources.inc**

1. Add `-wd4800` to the end of line 20

**\sscli20\csharp\sccomp\sources.inc**

1. Kill lines 52-54 (`USER_C_FLAGS`)

**\sscli20\pal\win32\rotor\_pal.src**

1. Replace line 57 (`#if _MSC_VER == 1400`) with:

```
#if _MSC_VER == 1500
    #define _MSVCRT MSVCR90D
#elif _MSC_VER == 1400
```

1. b. Replace line 67 (`#if _MSC_VER == 1400`) with:

```
#if _MSC_VER == 1500
    #define _MSVCRT MSVCR90
#elif _MSC_VER == 1400
```

Well there you have it. Hopefully I didn't miss any of my changes or make too many typos. I ran through these instructions on a clean install of SSCLI and was able to successfully build per the docs and compile and run HelloWorld.

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## Comments

# [Jeremy Kuhne's Blog](#) said on February 20, 2008 12:57 PM:

In my last post I got SSCLI compiling with the 2008 C++ compiler ( SSCLI 2.0 and Visual Studio 2008 ).

# [Alexey](#) said on May 8, 2008 7:43 AM:

pingback from <http://tr-tr-mitva.spaces.live.com/blog/cns!8CA28E6A05580D3E!270.entry>

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Компиляция SSCLI 2.0 при помощи Visual Studio 2008

# [xwang](#) said on May 12, 2008 1:07 PM:

参考资料:BATCFILEReference:<http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/bb491071.aspx>BATCHHelp:htt...

# [Risman Adnan](#) said on July 16, 2008 4:01 AM:

I tried to compile SSCLI 2.0 with VC++ 2008 on Vista, and again, too many error messages, due to : -

# [MichaelMcClung](#) said on July 17, 2008 9:41 AM:

Thanks for the post! It worked perfectly on my Vista x64 machine (it built using a x86 target).

# [lbq1221119](#) said on November 11, 2008 10:43 PM:

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