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Preface

ANL has CMake on Theta and Cooley

CMake can be acquired from numerous locations for your local machine

<https://www.cmake.org/download/>

From your Linux distribution

Visual Studio 2017+

apt.kitware.com for Debian and Ubuntu

Snap universal linux package

pip install cmake

homebrew



Preface

You will need to install the exercises

Download at:

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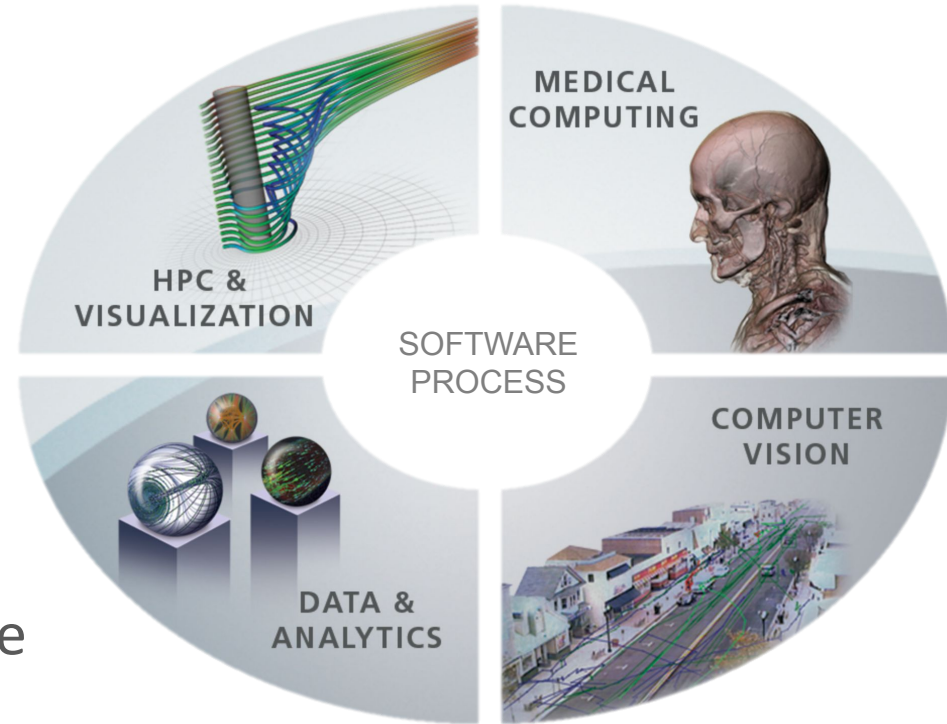
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- Technical computing
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Successful small business

Founded in 1998; privately owned; no debt
170 employees; 1/3 masters, 1/3 PhD
\$31M revenue in 2018

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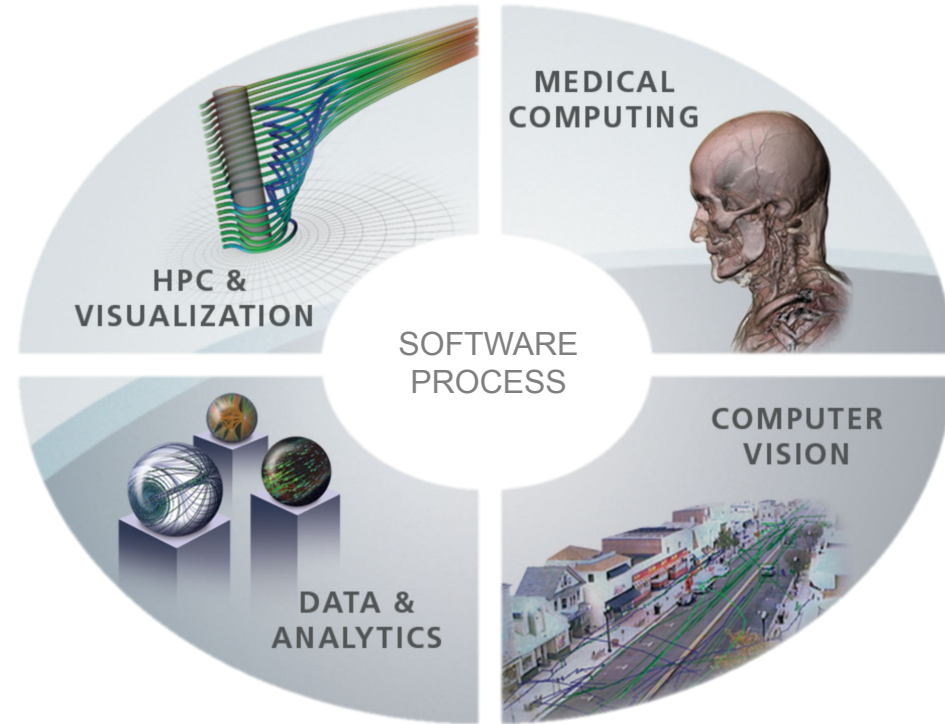


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Open source platforms

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CMake cross-platform build system

- CDash, CTest, CPack, software process tools

Resonant informatics and infovis

KWIVER computer vision image and video analysis

Simulation, ultrasound, physiology, information security, materials science, ...



Introduction to CMake

What is a Build System?

In the beginning there was the command line:

```
% gcc hello.cxx -o hello
```

What is a Build System?

Maybe use a shell script to avoid typing

```
buildhello.sh
```

```
#!/bin/sh
```

```
gcc hello.cxx -o hello
```

```
% buildhello.sh
```

What is a Build System?

Even better use the make tool

Makefile

```
hello: hello.cxx
```

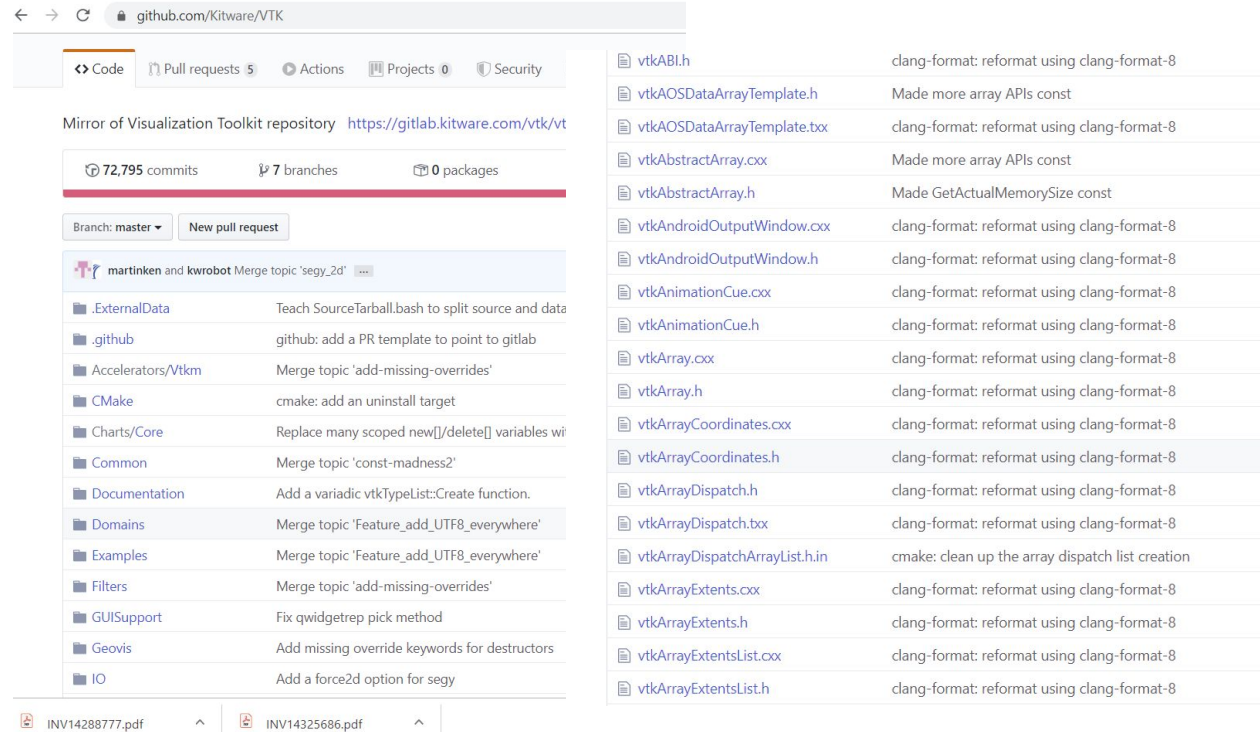
```
    gcc hello.cxx
```

```
% make hello
```

```
// what about #include files?
```

What is a Build System?

Shell scripts
and command
lines and
simple
makefiles work
for a few files,
but not for lots
of files like VTK



The screenshot shows the GitHub repository for Kitware/VTK. The repository is a mirror of the Visualization Toolkit repository, located at <https://gitlab.kitware.com/vtk/vtk>. It has 72,795 commits, 7 branches, and 0 packages. The current branch is master. A pull request is open for the topic 'segy_2d' by martinken and kwrobot. The file tree shows the following structure:

- .ExternalData: Teach SourceTarball.bash to split source and data
- .github: github: add a PR template to point to gitlab
- Accelerators/Vtkm: Merge topic 'add-missing-overrides'
- CMake: cmake: add an uninstall target
- Charts/Core: Replace many scoped new[]/delete[] variables with
- Common: Merge topic 'const-madness2'
- Documentation: Add a variadic vtkTypeList::Create function.
- Domains: Merge topic 'Feature_add_UTF8_everywhere'
- Examples: Merge topic 'Feature_add_UTF8_everywhere'
- Filters: Merge topic 'add-missing-overrides'
- GUISupport: Fix qwidgetrep pick method
- Geovis: Add missing override keywords for destructors
- IO: Add a force2d option for segy

The right side of the screenshot shows a list of files and their commit messages:

File	Commit Message
vtkABI.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkAOSDataArrayTemplate.h	Made more array APIs const
vtkAOSDataArrayTemplate.txx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkAbstractArray.cxx	Made more array APIs const
vtkAbstractArray.h	Made GetActualMemorySize const
vtkAndroidOutputWindow.cxx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkAndroidOutputWindow.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkAnimationCue.cxx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkAnimationCue.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArray.cxx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArray.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayCoordinates.cxx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayCoordinates.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayDispatch.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayDispatch.txx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayDispatchArrayList.h.in	cmake: clean up the array dispatch list creation
vtkArrayExtents.cxx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayExtents.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayExtentsList.cxx	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8
vtkArrayExtentsList.h	clang-format: reformat using clang-format-8

What is a Build System?

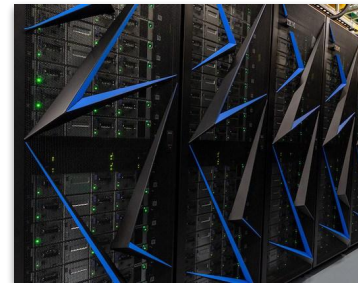
A build system manages all of the source files and the complicated interdependencies for a project and turns them into hopefully useful programs and libraries.

What is CMake?

- CMake is the **cross-platform, open-source build system** that lets you use the **native development tools** you love the most.
- It's a build system **generator**
- It takes **plain text files** as input that describe your project and **produces** project files or make files for use with a wide variety of **native development tools**.
- Family of Software Development Tools
 - Build = CMake Test = CTest/CDash Package = CPack

How CMake Changes The Way We Build C++

- Boost aims to give C++ a set of useful libraries like Java, Python, and C#
- CMake aims to give C++ compile portability like the compile once and run everywhere of Java, Python, and C#
 - Same build tool and files for all platforms
 - Easy to mix both large and small libraries



Where did CMake come from?

The image shows a screenshot of the NIH website. The top navigation bar includes the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services logo and the NIH U.S. National Library of Medicine logo. A search bar is present with the text "Search NLM". Below the navigation bar, there are several menu items: "PRODUCTS AND SERVICES", "RESOURCES FOR YOU", "EXPLORE NLM", and "GRANTS AND FUNDING".

The main content area is titled "Visible Human Project" and includes sub-navigation for "Applications", "Sources", and "Projects". The page content includes:

- Home > Visible Human Home
- ## The Visible Human Project
- ### Overview
- The NLM Visible Human Project has created publicly-available complete, anatomical of a human male body and a human female body. Specifically, the VHP provides a pu cryosection, CT, and MRI images obtained from one male cadaver and one female ca released in 1994 and the Visible Woman in 1995.
- The data sets were designed to serve as (1) a reference for the study of human anat imaging algorithms, and (3) a test bed and model for the construction of network-ac have been applied to a wide range of educational, diagnostic, treatment planning, vir industrial uses. About 4,000 licensees from 66 countries were authorized to access t required to access the VHP datasets.
- Download the VHP image data from the dataset
- View sample images from the dataset
- NLM thanks the man and the woman who each willed their body to science, thereby
- The VHP datasets were created under contract to NLM by the University of Colorado

On the right side, there is a search bar with the text "Search" and a "Go" button. Below the search bar, there is a navigation menu with items: "Research", "Publications/Tools", "Training Program", "Events Calendar", "News", "Personnel", and "About".

The main content area on the right is titled "Software: Insight Toolkit (ITK): Software for Image Segmentation and Registration." and includes:

- Lowekamp B, Yoo TS
- Abstract:**
- The Insight Toolkit (ITK) is an open-source software toolkit for performing registration (alignment) and segmentation (partitioning) of biomedical image data. It was developed under contract to NLM by three commercial partners (Kitware, GE Corporate R&D, and Insightful) and three academic partners (UNC Chapel Hill, University of Utah, and University of Pennsylvania). ITK supports NLM's [Visible Human Project](#).
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- > Copyright and license: <http://www.itk.org/ITK/project/license.html>
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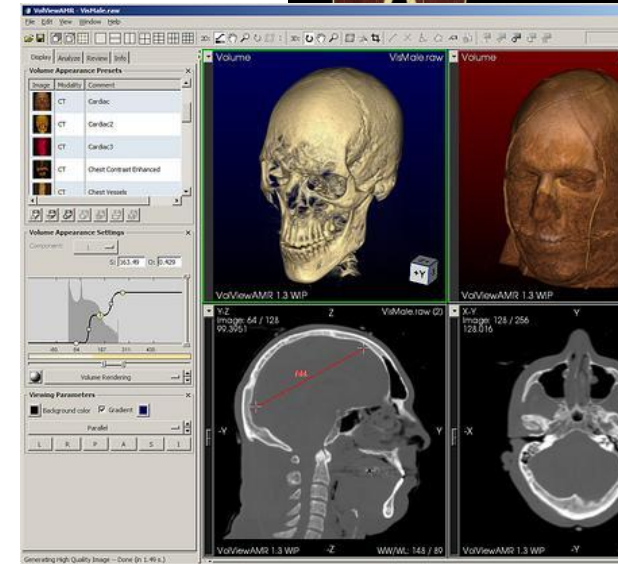
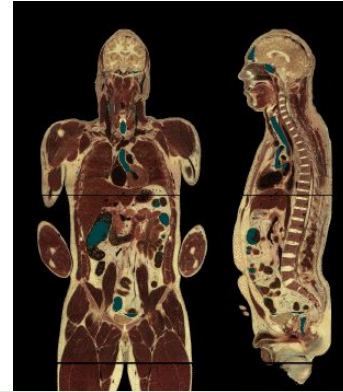
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Where did CMake come from?

- Kitware was the lead engineering team for the Insight Segmentation and Registration Toolkit (ITK) <http://www.itk.org>
- Funded by National Library of Medicine (NLM): part of the Visible Human Project
 - Data CT/MR/Slice 1994/1995
 - Code (ITK) 1999



CMake: History

- Other available tools were insufficient: pcmaker (vtk3.2), autoconf, Apache ANT, qmake (Qt), JAM
- CMake provides the combination of native build tool use and platform introspection that none of the others provide.
- CMake Release-1-0 branch created in 2001
- CMake 2.8 released in November, 2009
- CMake 3.0 released June, 2014
- CMake 3.14 released March, 2019
- CMake 3.17 released March, 2020

CMake has high adoption

The Qt Company Decides To Deprecate The Qbs Build System, Will Focus On CMake & QMake

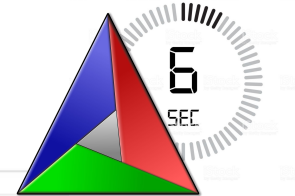
Written by Michael Larabel in Qt on 29 October 2018 at 08:23 AM EDT. 62 Comments



While Qt's Qbs build system was once planned as the default build system for Qt6 and shaping up to be the de facto successor to QMake, there is a change of course with The Qt Company now announcing they are deprecating this custom build system.

In recent months Qbs for Qt 6 began looking less certain and now The Qt Company has announced they are going to deprecate Qbs. From talking with their customers, they decided to focus on QMake and CMake.

5 million CMake downloads in 2019. 13809 downloads per day, or a daily rate of 307.3GiB, and yearly over 10TiB



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CMake, CTest, and CDash at Netflix

Posted in [CMake](#). Viewed 5489 times.



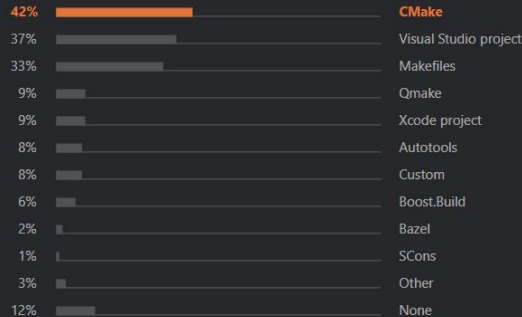
At the Core Technologies team at Netflix, we develop the application framework and streaming engine used by millions of consumer electronics devices, game consoles, tablets, and phones. With such a diverse array of devices and platforms, we need to make sure our code is lightweight, standards compliant, and portable. As we also produce the SDK that is used by partners to port Netflix to their devices, we need to make sure that it builds and runs well across many versions of

the C++ compiler and standard C libraries.



Jetbrains IDE- CMake is the most popular build tool at 42%.

Which project models or build systems do you regularly use?



Last year CMake beat Visual Studio project to become the most popular project model / build system used for C++ development.

Its share has since added 5 percentage points and reached 42%.



- Job openings requiring CMake experience, March, 2019 Indeed.com, **464 jobs**, at Tesla Motors, DCS Corp, Mindsource, Quanergy, ...LinkedIn.com, **486 jobs**, at Samsung, Johnson Controls, Apple, Uber, Toyota, Microsoft ...

Updated CMake Tutorial

Guides

- CMake Tutorial
- User Interaction Guide
- Using Dependencies Guide

Release Notes

- CMake Release Notes

A new series of *guides* provided with each CMake release to help with learning and using CMake.

Fully-tested source code embedded in HTML docs



Outsource your build to the CMake developers

- A build system that just works
- A build system that is easy to use cross platform

Typical Project without CMake (curl)

```
$ ls
CHANGES          RELEASE-NOTES  curl-config.in  missing
CMake             acinclude.m4  curl-style.el   mkinstalldirs
CMakeLists.txt   aclocal.m4    depcomp        notes
build            docs          notes~
COPYING          buildconf     include         packages
CVS              buildconf.bat install-sh      reconf
ChangeLog        compile      lib             sample.emacs
Makefile         config.guess  libcurl.pc.in  src
Makefile.am      config.sub    ltmain.sh      tests
Makefile.in      configure     m4             vc6curl.dsw
README          configure.ac  maketgz

$ ls src/
CMakeLists.txt  Makefile.riscos  curlsrc.dsp  hugehelp.h  version.h
CVS             Makefile.vc6    curlsrc.dsw  macos       writeenv.c
Makefile.Watcom Makefile.vc8    curlutil.c  main.c      writeenv.h
Makefile.am     config-amigaos.h curlutil.h  makefile.amiga  writeout.c
Makefile.b32   config-mac.h   getpass.c   makefile.dj   writeout.h
Makefile.in     config-riscos.h getpass.h   mkhelp.pl
Makefile.inc    config-win32.h homedir.c   setup.h
Makefile.m32    config.h.in    homedir.h   urlglob.c
Makefile.netware curl.rc        hugehelp.c  urlglob.h
```



CMake: Bridging C++ gaps

- Open-source cross-platform build manager using native tools
 - Visual Studio 6, 2003, 2005, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2017, 2019
 - Borland make, Nmake, Unix make, MSYS make, MinGW make
 - Ninja
 - Xcode
- IDE Support
 - Code::Blocks
 - CodeLite
 - CLion
 - Eclipse
 - Emacs and Vim syntax files can be found on the CMake Download page
 - KDevelop
 - Kate
 - Sublime Text
 - Visual Studio Code

CMake: Bridging C++ gaps

- Operating Systems:
 - HPUX, IRIX, Linux, MacOS, Windows, QNX, SunOS, and others
- Allows for platform inspection
 - Programs
 - Libraries and Header files
 - Packages
 - Determine hardware specifics like byte order
- Compiler Language Level Support
 - C, C++, ObjC, ObjC++, CSharp, CUDA, Fortran, Swift

CMake: Bridging C++ gaps

- Support for complex custom commands such as:
 - Qt's moc, VTK's wrapping
- Static, shared, object, and module library support
 - including versions .so support
- **Single input** format for all platforms
- Create configured .h files

CMake: Bridging C++ gaps

- Automatic **dependency** generation (C, C++, CUDA, Fortran)
 - build a target in some directory, and everything this target depends on will be up-to-date
- Automatic re-execution of cmake at build time if any cmake input file has changed
- **Parallel** builds
- **User defined** build directory

CMake: Bridging C++ gaps

- Color and progress output for make
- **Graphviz output** for visualizing dependency trees
- **Full cross platform** install() system
- Compute link depend information, and chaining of dependent libraries
- make help, make foo.o, make foo.i, make foo.s

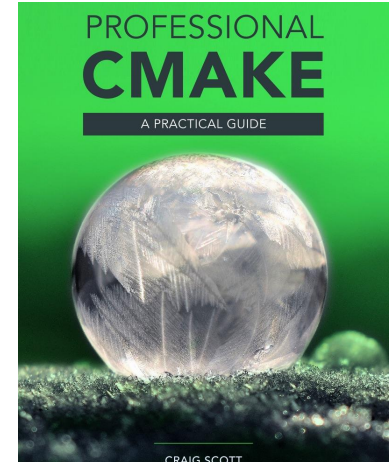
CMake: Bridging C++ gaps

- Advanced RPATH handling
 - Support for chrpath, i.e. changing the RPATH without need to actually link again
- Create OSX library frameworks and application bundles
- Extensive test suite and nightly builds/test on many platforms
- Supports cross compilation

Learning CMake

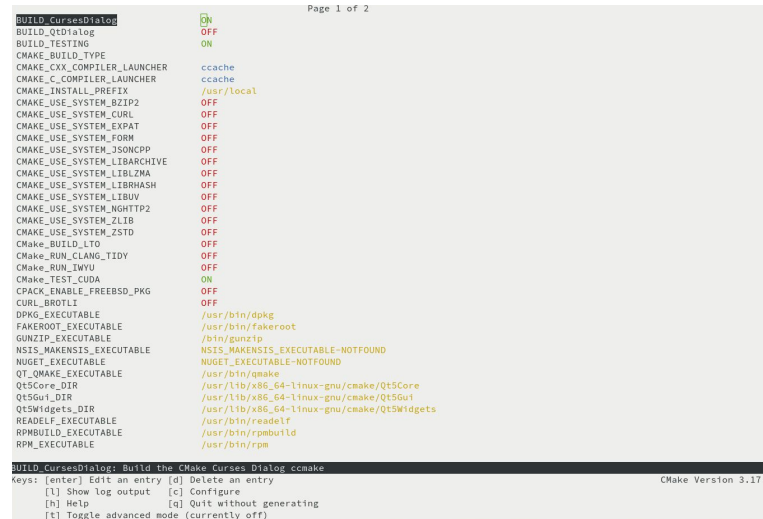
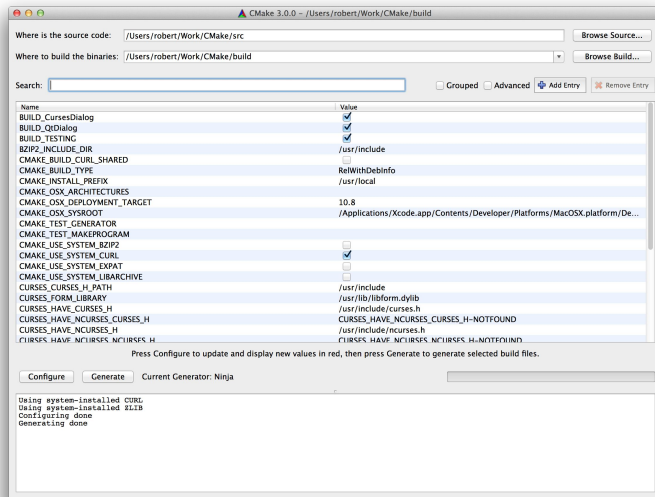
For help or more information see:

- Professional CMake by Craig Scott
- Discourse forum
 - <https://discourse.cmake.org>
- Documentation
 - <https://www.cmake.org/cmake/help/latest/>
- Tutorial
 - <https://cmake.org/cmake/help/latest/guide/tutorial/index.html>



Running CMake

- cmake-gui (the Qt gui)
- cmake (the terminal cli)
- cmake (non-interactive command line)



CMake Workflow

```
~/W/c/tutorial_build $ cmake ../src/Tests/Tutorial/Complete/
```

```
I
```

Step 0 - Run CMake

Cooley:

```
soft add +cmake-3.17.3
```

Theta:

```
module load cmake/3.16.2
```

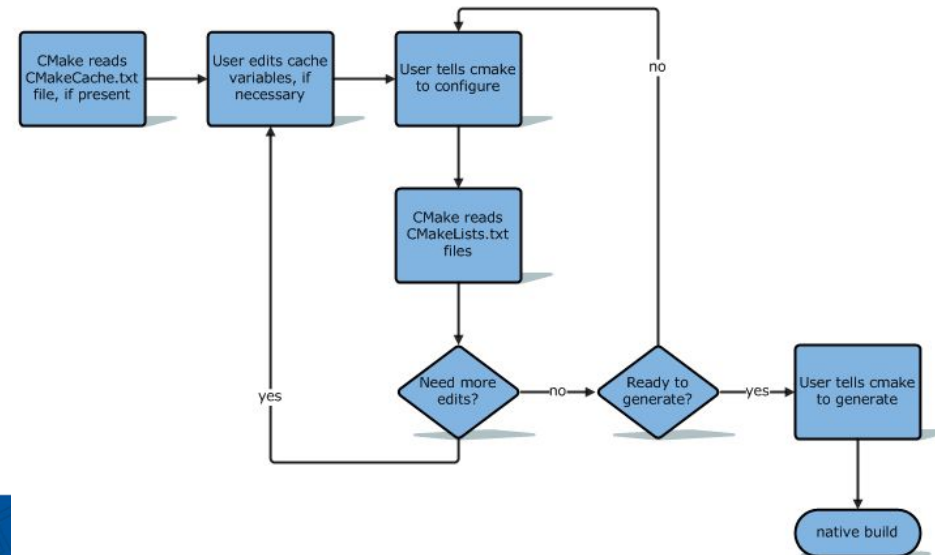
```
module swap craype-mic-knl craype-broadwell
```



Exercise!

Run `cmake --version` from the command line

Run `ccmake` or `cmake-gui`



Basic CMake Syntax

The CMake language consists of:
Commands, Variables, and Comments

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.8)
project(main)
# require C++11 and don't decay down to 98
set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD 11)
set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD_REQUIRED True)

add_subdirectory(MathFunctions)
add_executable(main main.cxx)
target_link_libraries(main MathFunctions)
```

Basic CMake Syntax: examples

Commands may span multiple lines, but the command name and the opening parenthesis must be on the same line

```
set(sources  
    CellSet.cxx  
    CellSetExplicit.cxx  
    CellSetStructured.cxx  
    CoordinateSystem.cxx  
    Field.cxx  
    ImplicitFunction.cxx  
)
```

CMake Commands

- Commands are documented online and within cmake itself:
 - <https://cmake.org/cmake/help/latest/manual/cmake-commands.7.html>
- Commands may be uppercase or lowercase.

```
add_executable(main main.cxx)  
ADD_EXECUTABLE(main main.cxx)
```

Prefer Lowercase

Historical note: commands used to be all uppercase, earning CMake the affectionate nickname “SCREAMMake” Thankfully, those days are over!

CMake Commands (Arguments)

- Command arguments are space separated
- Arguments are case sensitive

```
add_executable(main WIN32 main.cxx)
```

- Quoted arguments
 - A quoted argument is always exactly one value.
 - An unquoted argument splits on semicolons and removes empty arguments.

CMake Variables

- Variable names are case sensitive

```
set(LEAF valueA)  
set(leaf valueB)
```

Creates two distinct variables named “LEAF” and “leaf”

- Names can only contain alpha-numeric and underscores
 - [A-Za-z0-9_]
- CMake uses many variables that begin with “CMAKE_” – avoid this naming convention (and establish your own) for CMake variables specific to your project

CMake Variables

CMake variables are strings

```
set(name myexe)  
  
# These two statements are equivalent to each other.  
set(srcs src1.cxx src2.cxx src3.cxx)  
set(srcs "src1.cxx;src2.cxx;src3.cxx")
```


CMake Variables

Special syntax for setting environment
use ENV and curly braces { }

```
set(ENV{PATH} <value>...)
```

CMake Variables

Variable dereferencing syntax: `${VAR}`

```
message(STATUS "CMAKE_SOURCE_DIR='${CMAKE_SOURCE_DIR}')
```

```
set(my_dir "${CMAKE_CURRENT_SOURCE_DIR}/my_dir")
```

```
message(STATUS "my_dir='${my_dir}')
```

Environment Variable dereferencing syntax: `$ENV{VAR}`

```
set(my_path "$ENV{PATH}")
```

```
message(STATUS "my_path='${my_path}')
```

CMake Variables

Escaping

- `\` is the escape character used in CMake
- You can also use long brackets

```
set(classic_str "* here be \"dragons\" *")  
set(long_brackets [=[* here be "dragons" *]=])  
message(STATUS ${classic_str})  
message(STATUS ${long_brackets})
```

Both of these print: * here be "dragons" *

Configuring Header Files

- Can put build parameters into a header file instead of passing them on the command line

```
configure_file(  
    ${PROJECT_SOURCE_DIR}/projectConfig.h.in  
    ${PROJECT_BINARY_DIR}/projectConfig.h  
)
```

Configuring Header Files

- `#define VARIABLE @VARIABLE@`

```
// C++ source file
#define VARIABLE @VARIABLE@
#ifdef VARIABLE
    // will be hit when the CMake variable doesn't exist
#endif
```

Configuring Header Files

- `#cmakedefine VARIABLE`

```
// C++ source file
#cmakedefine @VARIABLE@
#ifdef VARIABLE
    // will not-be hit when the CMake
    // variable doesn't exist
#endif
```

Requiring a CMake Version

- First line of the top level CMakeLists.txt should always be `cmake_minimum_required`

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.9)  
project(Example LANGUAGES C CXX CUDA)
```

- Allows projects to require a given version of CMake
- Allows CMake to be backwards compatible

project() command

- Necessary for the top-level CMake. Should be set after the `cmake_minimum_required` command

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.9)
project(Example LANGUAGES C CXX CUDA)
```

- VERSION: sets the PROJECT_VERSION_MAJOR/MINOR/TWEAK
- DESCRIPTION: sets the PROJECT_DESCRIPTION variable
- LANGUAGES:
 - C, CXX, FORTRAN, CSharp, CUDA, ASM
 - Default is C and CXX if not defined

CMake Language Standards

- CMake offers a few different ways to specify which version of a language should be used.

```
set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD 11)  
set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD_REQUIRED TRUE)
```

```
[ 50%] Building CXX object main.cxx.o  
/usr/bin/c++ -std=gnu++11 -o main.cxx.o -c main.cxx
```

- CMAKE_CXX_EXTENSIONS controls if compiler specific extensions are enabled

CMake 3.8: meta-features

- Request compiler modes for specific language standard levels
 - `cxx_std_11`, `cxx_std_14`, `cxx_std_17`
 - Works with Clang, GCC, MSVC, Intel, Cray, PGI, XL
- These should be used instead of features like `cxx_auto_type`

```
# Request that particles be built with -std=c++17
# As this is a public compile feature anything that links to particles
# will also build with -std=c++17
target_compile_features(particles PUBLIC cxx_std_17)
```

```
[ 50%] Building CXX object CMakeFiles/particles.dir/randomize.cpp.o
/Applications/Xcode.app/Contents/Developer/Toolchains/XcodeDefault.xctoolchain/usr/bin/c++ -g
-std=gnu++1z -o CMakeFiles/particles.dir/randomize.cpp.o -c /Users/robert/Work/cmake_tutorial/parallel_forall/posts/cmake/randomize.cpp
[100%] Linking CXX static library libparticles.a
```

Step 0.5 - CMake and Compiler Selection

Cooley:

```
soft add +cmake-3.17.3
```

Theta:

```
module load cmake/3.16.2
```

```
module swap craype-mic-knl craype-broadwell
```



Exercise!

- CMake caches the compiler for a build directory on the first invocation.
- CMake compiler detection has the following preference
 - env variables (CC, CXX)
 - cc and cxx path entries
 - gcc and g++ path entries
- Try the following on cooley / theta
 - soft add +gcc-7.1.0 [cooley only]
 - cmake -S Step0 -B Step0CXXBuildDir
 - CXX=g++ cmake -S Step0 -B Step0GCCBuildDir

Step 0.5 - CMake and Compiler Selection

```
rmaynard@thetalogin6:~/alcf_cmake> cmake -S ./tutorial/Step0 -B ./build_theta/s0
-- The C compiler identification is Intel 19.0.5.20190815
-- The CXX compiler identification is Intel 19.0.5.20190815
-- Cray Programming Environment 2.6.1 C
```

```
rmaynard@thetalogin6:~/alcf_cmake> CXX=g++ cmake -S ./tutorial/Step0 -B ./build_theta/s0gcc
-- The C compiler identification is Intel 19.0.5.20190815
-- The CXX compiler identification is GNU 4.8.5
-- Cray Programming Environment 2.6.1 C
```

Step 1 - Configure a File and C++11 Controls

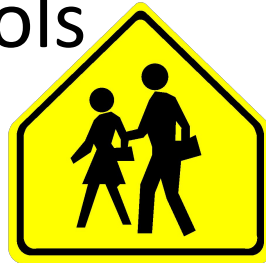
Cooley:

```
soft add +cmake-3.17.3
```

Theta:

```
module load cmake/3.16.2
```

```
module swap craype-mic-knl craype-broadwell
```



Exercise!

- Follow the instructions in Step1
- Run cmake or cmake-gui to configure the project and then build it with your chosen build tool
- cd to the directory where Tutorial was built (likely the make directory or a Debug or Release build configuration subdirectory) and run these commands:
 - Tutorial 4294967296
 - Tutorial 10
 - Tutorial

Flow control (if)

CMake `if` command supports a wide range of expressions

```
if(my_var)
    set(result ${my_var})
endif()
if(NOT my_var)
if(my_var AND my_var2)
if(my_var OR my_var2)
if(my_var MATCHES regexp)
if(TARGET target)
if(EXISTS file)
if(my_var LESS my_var2)
if(my_ver VERSION_EQUAL "2.0.2")
```

Flow control (if): FALSE values

- The following values are all equivalent to “FALSE” in a CMake if command:
 - “” (the empty string)
 - OFF
 - 0
 - NO
 - FALSE
 - N
 - “NOTFOUND” exactly or ends in “-NOTFOUND”
 - IGNORE

Flow control: loops

```
foreach(F IN ITEMS a b c)  
  message(${F})  
endforeach()
```

```
set(items a b c)  
foreach(F IN LISTS items)  
  message(${F})  
endforeach()
```

```
while(MY_VAR)  
  message(${MY_VAR})  
  set(MY_VAR FALSE)  
endwhile()
```


add_subdirectory and variable scope

- The add_subdirectory command allows a project to be separated into directories
- Variable values are inherited by CMakeLists.txt files in sub directories
 - TopDir

```
set(MY_VAR 1)
add_subdirectory(Dir1)
```
 - TopDir/Dir1

```
Dir1/CMakeLists.txt -> MY_VAR is 1
```

Function

```
function(showcase_args myarg)
  message("myarg: ${myarg}")
  message("ARGV0: ${ARGV0}")
  message("contents of myarg: ${${myarg}}")
  message("extra arguments: ${ARGN}")
  message("# of arguments: ${ARGC}")
endfunction()
```

```
set(items a b c)
showcase_args(items)
```

```
myarg: items
ARGV0: items
contents of myarg: a;b;c
extra arguments:
# of arguments: 1
```

- ARGC – number of arguments passed
- ARGV0, ARGV1, ... - actual parameters passed in
- ARGV – list of all arguments
- ARGN – list of all arguments beyond the last formal parameter

Function

- Dynamically scoped, so any variables set are local to the function
- Use `set(...PARENT_SCOPE)` to set a variable in the calling

```
function(showcase_args myarg)
  set("${myarg}" "${myarg}" d e f PARENT_SCOPE)
endfunction()
set(items a b c)
showcase_args(items)
message("items: ${items}")
```

```
items: a;b;c;d;e;f
```

Macro

- Not dynamically scoped, so all variables leak into the calling scope

```
macro(showcase_args arg1)
  set("${arg1}" ${${arg1}} d e f)
endmacro()
set(items a b c)
showcase_args(items)
message("items: ${items}")
```

```
items: a;b;c;d;e;f
```

CMake Common Command Review

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.9)
project(Example LANGUAGES C CXX)
set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD 11)
set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD_REQUIRED TRUE)

set(srcs
    Field.cxx
    CellSet.cxx
    CellSetExplicit.cxx
    ImplicitFunctions.cxx)
add_library(simplelib ${srcs})
add_executable(example main.cxx)
target_link_libraries(example
    PRIVATE simplelib)
add_subdirectory(tests)
```

CMake Commands

- All commands
 - `cmake --help-command-list`
 - `cmake --help-command command_name`
 - <https://cmake.org/cmake/help/latest/manual/cmake-commands.7.html>

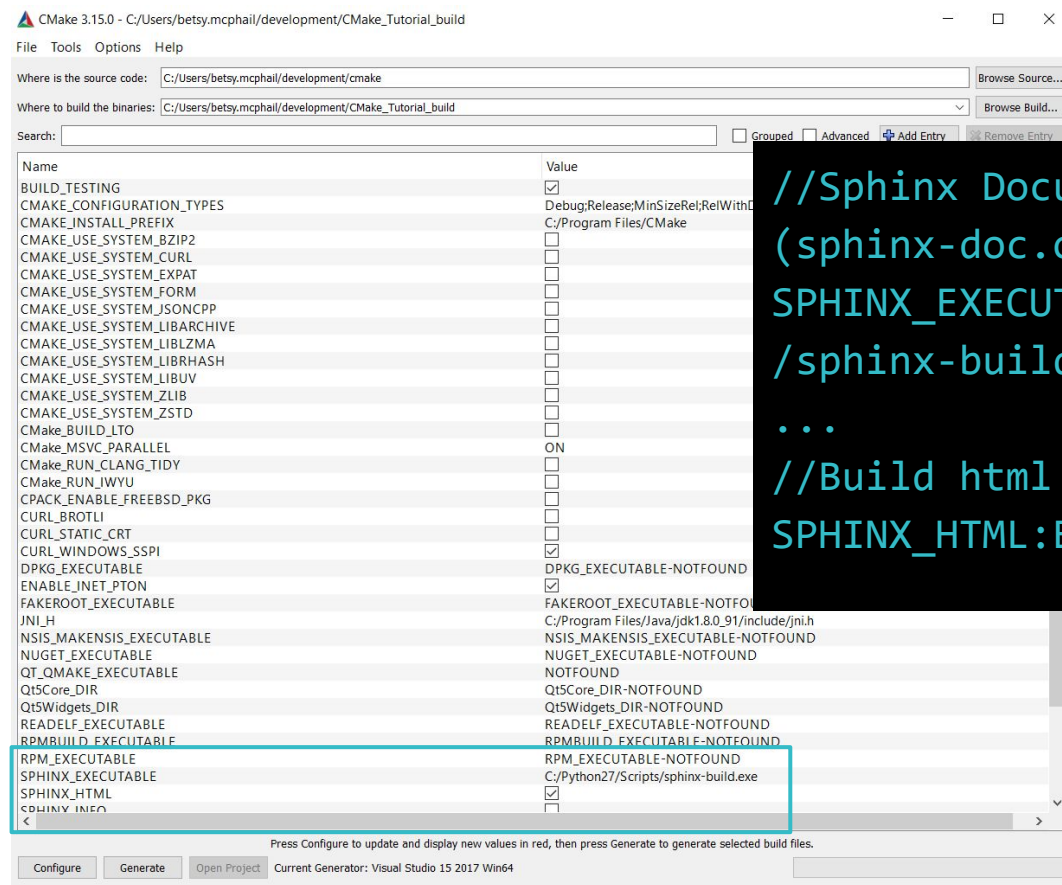
CMakeCache.txt

- Stores optional choices and provides a project global variable repository
- Variables are kept from run to run
- Located in the top directory of the build tree
- A set of entries like this:
 - KEY:TYPE=VALUE

- Valid types:
 - BOOL
 - STRING
 - PATH
 - FILEPATH
 - INTERNAL

(these are only used by cmake-gui and ccmake to display the appropriate type of edit widget)

CMake Cache



```
//Sphinx Documentation Builder  
(sphinx-doc.org)  
SPHINX_EXECUTABLE:FILEPATH=C:/Python27/Scripts  
/sphinx-build.exe  
...  
//Build html help with Sphinx  
SPHINX_HTML:BOOL=ON
```


Variables and the Cache

- Use **option** command or **set** command with **CACHE** keyword

```
option(MY_VAR "only bool var" TRUE)  
set(MY_VAR TRUE CACHE BOOL "bool var")
```

Variables and the Cache

Dereferences look first for a local variable, then in the cache if there is no local definition for a variable

Local variables hide cache variables

Variables and the Cache

Which one is the better option?

```
set(CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS "-Wall")
```

```
set(CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS "${CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS} -Wall")
```

```
set(CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS "... " CACHE STRING "" FORCE)
```

Variables and the Cache

```
set(CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS "-Wall")  
# Clears any users CXX FLAGS! :(
```

```
set(CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS "${CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS} -Wall")
```

```
set(CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS "... " CACHE STRING "" FORCE)  
# Will keep appending each time you reconfigure  
# the project
```

mark_as_advanced

- Advanced variables are not displayed in the cache editors by default
- Allows for complicated, seldom changed options to be hidden from users
- Cache variables of the INTERNAL type are never shown in cache editors

CMake Special Variables

- `cmake --help-variables` or online docs
- User settable variables
 - `BUILD_SHARED_LIBS`
 - `CMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX`
 - `CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS` / `CMAKE_<LANG>_FLAGS`
- CMake pre-defined variables (should not be set by user code)
 - `WIN32`, `UNIX`, `APPLE`, `CMAKE_VERSION`
 - `CMAKE_SOURCE_DIR`, `CMAKE_BINARY_DIR`
 - `PROJECT_NAME`
 - `PROJECT_SOURCE_DIR`, `PROJECT_BINARY_DIR`

Passing options to the compiler

```
add_compile_definitions(-Drevision=2902)
target_compile_definitions(Tutorial PRIVATE revision=2902)
target_compile_options(Tutorial PRIVATE -march=native)
```

- alternative to configuring header files
- targets, directories, and source files have the properties: `COMPILE_OPTIONS`, `COMPILE_DEFINITIONS`
Which can be also be used instead of the target commands.

Build Configurations

- With Makefile generators(Makefile, Ninja):
 - CMAKE_BUILD_TYPE:STRING=Release
 - known values are: Debug, Release, MinSizeRel, RelWithDebInfo
- To build multiple configurations with a Makefile generator, use multiple build trees

Build Configurations

- With multi-config generators (Visual Studio / Xcode):
 - CMAKE_CONFIGURATION_TYPES
 - = list of valid values for config types
 - All binaries go into config subdirectory

```
${CMAKE_CURRENT_BINARY_DIR}/bin/Debug/  
${CMAKE_CURRENT_BINARY_DIR}/bin/Release/
```

Build Configurations

- To set per configuration information:
 - per target use `$<CONFIG>`

```
target_compile_definitions(Tutorial PRIVATE
    $$<CONFIG:DEBUG>:ENABLE_DEBUG_CHECKS
)
```

- globally use `CMAKE_CXX_FLAGS_<CONFIG>`

Build Configurations

- To get the current configuration type from multi-conf:
 - Generate Time:
 - `$(CONFIG)`
 - Build-time (deprecated):
 - `$(CMAKE_CFG_INTDIR)`
 - In source file
 - `CMAKE_INTDIR` which is defined automatically

ADDING LIBRARIES

CMake Libraries

- Use the `add_library` command to build libraries.

```
option(BUILD_SHARED_LIBS
  "controls add_library default type" ON)
add_library(root root.cxx)
add_library(trunk STATIC trunk.cxx)
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
```

- `STATIC` => `.a` or `.lib` archive
- `SHARED` => `.so`, `.dylib`, or `.dll` dynamic library



CMake Libraries

```
option(BUILD_SHARED_LIBS
  "controls add_library default type" ON)
add_library(root root.cxx)
add_library(trunk STATIC trunk.cxx)
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
```

- SHARED will work on Unix where supported.
- SHARED on Windows requires code changes or *.def files to export symbols. CMake makes this easier.

Linking to Libraries

- `target_link_libraries` is how you specify what libraries a target requires.

```
add_library(root SHARED root.cxx)
add_library(trunk SHARED trunk.cxx)
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)

target_link_libraries(trunk root)
target_link_libraries(leaf trunk)
```

Linking to Libraries

- By default `target_link_libraries` is transitive

```
[100%] Linking CXX shared library libleaf.so
/usr/bin/c++ -fPIC -shared -Wl,-soname,libleaf.so
           -o libleaf.so leaf.cxx.o libtrunk.so libroot.so
[100%] Built target leaf
```


MODULE Libraries

- Very similar to SHARED libraries but are not linked into other targets but can be loaded dynamically at runtime using dlopen-like functionality

```
add_library(parasite MODULE eat_leaf.cxx)
```

OBJECT Libraries

- Generate the object files but does not construct an archive or library
 - Can be installed [3.9]
 - Can be exported/imported [3.9]
 - Can be consumed with `target_link_libraries` [3.12]
 - Can have transitive information [3.12]

OBJECT Libraries

```
add_library(root OBJECT root.cxx)
add_library(trunk OBJECT trunk.cxx)
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
target_link_libraries(leaf root trunk)
```

[100%] Linking CXX shared library libleaf.so

```
/usr/bin/c++ -fPIC -shared -Wl,-soname,libleaf.so
-o libleaf.so leaf.cxx.o root.cxx.o trunk.cxx.o
```

OBJECT Libraries

```
add_library(root OBJECT root.cxx)
add_library(trunk OBJECT trunk.cxx)
add_library(leaf SHARED
            leaf.cxx
            $<TARGET_OBJECTS:root>
            $<TARGET_OBJECTS:trunk>)
```

```
[100%] Linking CXX shared library libleaf.so
/usr/bin/c++ -fPIC -shared -Wl,-soname,libleaf.so
-o libleaf.so leaf.cxx.o root.cxx.o trunk.cxx.o
```

OBJECT Libraries Caveats

- CMake 3.9 added ability for OBJECT libraries to be:
 - Installed / Exported / Imported
 - `$<TARGET_OBJECTS>` to be used in more generator expression locations

OBJECT Libraries Caveats

- CMake 3.12 added ability to link to OBJECT libraries:
 - Will behave like any other library for propagation
 - Anything that links to an OBJECT library will have the objects embedded into it.

Step 2- Adding a library

Cooley:

```
soft add +cmake-3.17.3
```

Theta:

```
module load cmake/3.16.2  
module swap craype-mic-knl craype-broadwell
```

- Follow the directions in Step2
- Run cmake or cmake-gui to configure the project and then build it with your chosen build tool
- Run the built Tutorial executable
- Which function gives better results,
 - Step1's sqrt or Step2's mysqrt?



Exercise!

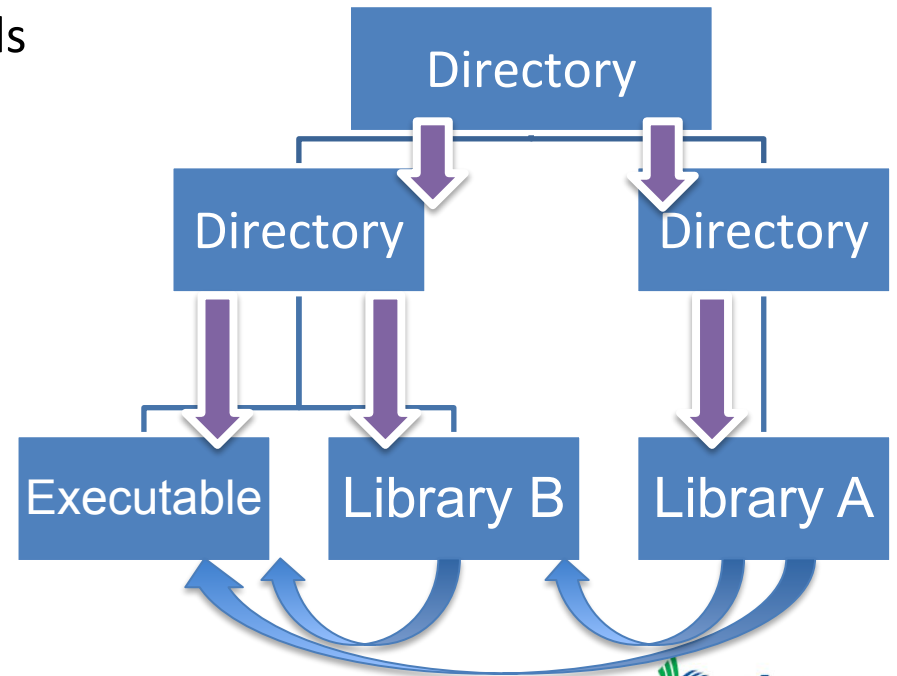


Modern CMake

USAGE REQUIREMENTS

Before Usage Requirements

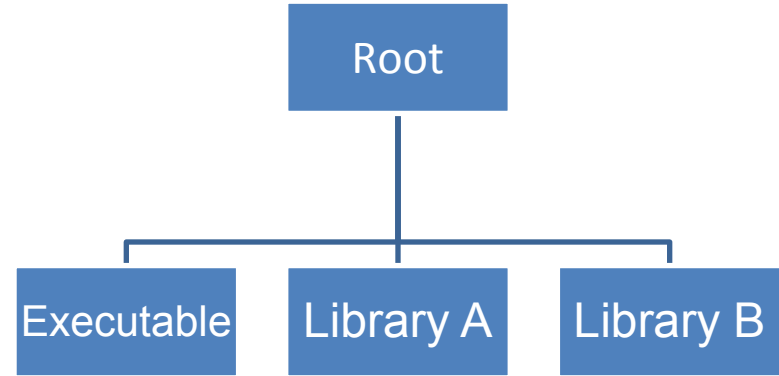
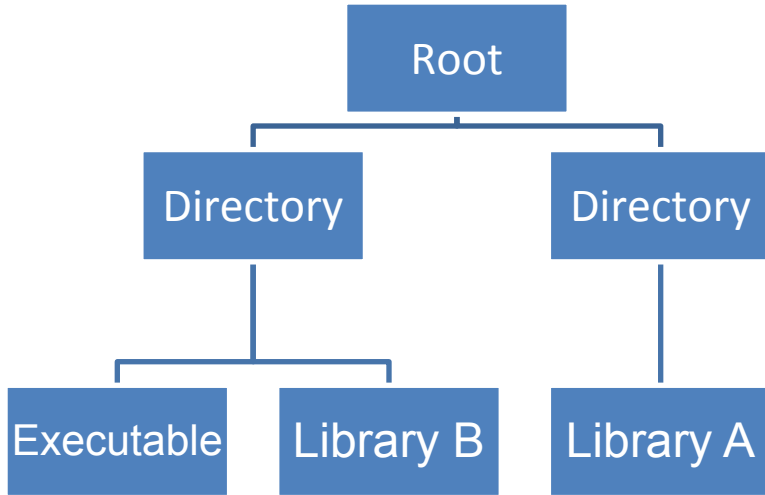
- Before Usage Requirements existed we used directory scoped commands such as:
 - `include_directories`
 - `compile_definitions`
 - `compile_options`
- Consumers have to know:
 - Does the dependency generate build tree files
 - Does the dependency use any new external package



Modern CMake / Usage Requirements

- Modern CMake goal is to have each target fully describe how to properly use it
- No difference between using internal and external generated targets

Modern CMake



Usage Requirements

- `target_link_libraries` is the foundation for usage requirements
- This foundation is formed by
 - PUBLIC
 - PRIVATE
 - INTERFACE

```
target_link_libraries(trunk PRIVATE root)
target_link_libraries(leaf PUBLIC trunk)
```

Usage Requirements

```
target_link_libraries(trunk root)
target_link_libraries(leaf trunk)
```

```
/usr/bin/c++ -fPIC -shared -Wl,-soname,libleaf.so
              -o libleaf.so leaf.cxx.o libtrunk.so libroot.so
```

```
target_link_libraries(trunk PRIVATE root)
target_link_libraries(leaf PUBLIC trunk)
```

```
/usr/bin/c++ -fPIC -shared -Wl,-soname,libleaf.so
              -o libleaf.so leaf.cxx.o libtrunk.so
```

TLL (target link libraries)

- TLL can propagate dependencies when using:
 - `target_include_directories`
 - `target_compile_definitions`
 - `target_compile_options`
 - `target_sources`
 - `target_link_options`

target_include_directories

- Propagates include directories

```
target_include_directories(leaf INTERFACE ${zlib_dir})
```

- Anything that links to leaf will automatically have the `zlib_dir` on the include line

target_compile_options

- Propagates compiler options

```
target_compile_options(trunk PRIVATE -march=native)
```

- Only trunk will be built optimized for the current hardware. Anything that links to trunk will not get this flag

target_compile_definitions

- Propagates pre-processor definitions

```
target_compile_definitions(root PUBLIC "ROOT_VERSION=42")
```

- Root will have ROOT_VERSION defined and anything that links to it will also

INTERFACE Libraries

- An INTERFACE library target does not directly create build output, though it may have properties set on it and it may be installed, exported, and imported.

```
add_library(root INTERFACE)  
target_compile_features(root INTERFACE cxx_std_11)
```

Step 3 - Usage Requirements for Library

Cooley:

```
soft add +cmake-3.17.3
```

Theta:

```
module load cmake/3.16.2
```

```
module swap craype-mic-knl craype-broadwell
```



Exercise!

- Follow the directions in Step3 of the Tutorial
- Run cmake or cmake-gui to configure the project and then build it with your chosen build tool

INSTALL RULES

Install Rules

- Specify rules to run at install time
- Can install targets, files, or directories
- Provides default install locations

```
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
install(TARGETS root trunk leaf parasite)
```

Install Targets

```
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
install(TARGETS root trunk leaf parasite)
```

```
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
install(TARGETS root trunk leaf parasite
        ARCHIVE DESTINATION lib
        LIBRARY DESTINATION lib
        RUNTIME DESTINATION bin)
```

Install Targets

```
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
install(TARGETS root trunk leaf parasite)
```

Target Type	GNUInstallDirs Variable	Built-in Default
RUNTIME	<code>\${CMAKE_INSTALL_BINDIR}</code>	bin
LIBRARY	<code>\${CMAKE_INSTALL_LIBDIR}</code>	lib
ARCHIVE	<code>\${CMAKE_INSTALL_LIBDIR}</code>	lib
PRIVATE_HEADER	<code>\${CMAKE_INSTALL_INCLUDEDIR}</code>	include
PUBLIC_HEADER	<code>\${CMAKE_INSTALL_INCLUDEDIR}</code>	include

Install Files

```
install(FILES  
  trunk.h  
  leaf.h  
  DESTINATION  
    ${CMAKE_INSTALL_INCLUDEDIR}/tree  
)
```


Install Files

```
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
set_target_properties(leaf PROPERTIES
                      PUBLIC_HEADER leaf.h)

install(TARGETS root trunk leaf parasite
        PUBLIC_HEADER DESTINATION
          ${CMAKE_INSTALL_INCLUDEDIR}/tree
        )
```

Exporting Targets

- Install rules can generate imported targets

```
add_library(parasite STATIC eat_leaf.cxx)
install(TARGETS parasite root trunk leaf
        EXPORT tree-targets)
install(EXPORT tree-targets
        DESTINATION lib/cmake/tree)
```

- Installs library and target import rules
 - <prefix>/lib/libparasite.a
 - <prefix>/lib/cmake/tree/tree-targets.cmake

CTEST

Testing with CMake

- Testing needs to be enabled by calling `include(CTest)` or `enable_testing()`

```
add_test(NAME testname  
         COMMAND exename arg1 arg2 ...)
```

- Executable should return 0 for a test that passes
- `ctest` – an executable that is distributed with `cmake` that can run tests in a project

Running CTest

- Run ctest at the top of a binary directory to run all tests

```
$ ctest
Test project /tmp/example/bin
  Start 1: case1
1/1 Test #1: case1 ..... Passed    0.00 sec
  Start 2: case2
2/2 Test #2: case2 ..... Passed    0.00 sec

100% tests passed, 0 tests failed out of 2

Total Test time (real) =  0.01 sec
```

Running CTest

- `-j` option allows you to run tests in parallel
- `-R` option allows you to choose a test
- `-VV` for more verbose output
- `--rerun-failed` to repeat failed tests
- `ctest --help` for more information

Test fixtures

- Attach setup and cleanup tasks to a set of tests.
- Setup tests → “main” tests → cleanup tests
- If any setup tests fail the “main” tests will not be run.
- The cleanup tests are always executed, even if some of the setup tests failed.

Test Fixtures example

```
add_test(NAME myDBTest      COMMAND testDb)

add_test(NAME createDB     COMMAND initDB)
add_test(NAME setupUsers   COMMAND userCreation)

add_test(NAME cleanupDB    COMMAND deleteDB)
add_test(NAME testsDone    COMMAND emailResults)
```


Test Fixtures example

```
set_tests_properties(setupUsers PROPERTIES
    DEPENDS createDB)
set_tests_properties(createDB PROPERTIES
    FIXTURES_SETUP DB)
set_tests_properties(setupUsers PROPERTIES
    FIXTURES_SETUP DB)
set_tests_properties(cleanupDB PROPERTIES
    FIXTURES_CLEANUP DB)
set_tests_properties(myDBTest PROPERTIES
    FIXTURES_REQUIRED DB)
```

GoogleTest integration

```
include(GoogleTest)
add_executable(tests tests.cpp)
target_link_libraries(tests GTest::GTest)
```

- [gtest_discover_tests](#): added in CMake 3.10.
 - CMake asks the test executable to list its tests.
Finds new tests without rerunning CMake.

```
gtest_discover_tests(tests)
```

GoogleTest integration

```
include(GoogleTest)
add_executable(tests tests.cpp)
target_link_libraries(tests GTest::GTest)
```

- [gtest_add_tests](#): use for CMake ≤ 3.9 .
 - Scans source files to find tests. New tests are only discovered when CMake re-runs.

```
gtest_add_tests(TARGET tests)
```

CTest and multi core tests

- When launching tests that use multi cores it is important to make sure you use the following:

```
set_tests_properties(myTest PROPERTIES  
                    PROCESSORS 4)
```

CTest and multi core tests

- PROCESSOR_AFFINITY - when supported ties processes to specific processors

```
set_tests_properties(myTest PROPERTIES  
                    PROCESSOR_AFFINITY ON  
                    PROCESSORS 4)
```

Test Resource Allocation

- Tests specify the resources they need
- Users specify the resources available on the machine
- CTest keeps track of available resources when running tests in parallel
- [New in CMake v3.16](#)

Test Resource Allocation

- Tests using GPU
 - Run tests serially → too slow
 - Run tests in parallel → exhaust available memory → spurious failures
- Tests dictate how much GPU memory they use
- CTest can run tests in parallel without exhausting GPU memory

Test Resource Allocation

- CTest does not directly communicate with GPUs
- It keeps track of abstract resource types and the number of “slots” available

Test Resource Allocation

- For tests, set RESOURCE_GROUPS property

```
set_property(TEST MyTest PROPERTY  
RESOURCE_GROUPS "gpus:2" "crypto_chips:1")
```

- For machines, define a [Resource Specification JSON file](#).

```
ctest_test(RESOURCE_SPEC_FILE spec.json)
```

Step 4 - Installing and Testing

- Follow the directions in Step4 of the CMake Tutorial
 - Expect the `make install` to fail when on ANL hardware
- Run cmake or cmake-gui to configure the project and then build it with your chosen build tool
- Build the “install” target (make install, or right click install and choose “Build Project”) – verify that the installed Tutorial runs
- cd to the binary directory and run
“ctest -N” and “ctest -VV”



Exercise!

SYSTEM INTROSPECTION

Using Find Modules

- One of CMake strengths is the `find_package` infrastructure
- CMake provides 150 find modules
 - `cmake --help-module-list`
 - <https://cmake.org/cmake/help/latest/manual/cmake-modules.7.html>

```
find_package(PythonInterp)  
find_package(TBB REQUIRED)
```

Using Find Modules

- CMake supports each project having custom find modules via `CMAKE_MODULE_PATH`
 - It is searched before using a module provided by CMake

```
set(CMAKE_MODULE_PATH ${CMAKE_CURRENT_SOURCE_DIR}/CMake)
```

```
-rw-r--r-- 1 robert robert 88470 Jun 26 08:31 FindMPI.cmake
-rw-r--r-- 1 robert robert 18962 May 14 15:15 FindOpenGL.cmake
-rw-r--r-- 1 robert robert 21991 May 14 15:15 FindOpenMP.cmake
-rw-r--r-- 1 robert robert 1318 May 14 15:15 FindPyexpander.cmake
-rw-r--r-- 1 robert robert 13011 Jun 3 15:31 FindTBB.cmake
```

Using Find Modules

- Modern approach: packages construct import targets which combine necessary information into a target.
- Classic CMake: when a package has been found it will define the following:
 - `<NAME>_FOUND`
 - `<NAME>_INCLUDE_DIRS`
 - `<NAME>_LIBRARIES`

Using Config Modules

- `find_package` also supports config modules
- Config modules are generated by the CMake **`export`** command
- Automatically generate import targets with all information, removing the need for consuming projects to write a find module

Using Find Modules

Our library “trunk” needs PNG

```
find_package(PNG REQUIRED)  
add_library(trunk SHARED trunk.cxx)
```

Preferred Modern CMake approach:

```
target_link_libraries(trunk PRIVATE PNG::PNG)
```

Historical approach:

```
target_link_libraries(trunk ${PNG_LIBRARIES})  
include_directories(trunk ${PNG_INCLUDE_DIRS})
```


Writing find modules

- Exporting your targets is preferred when possible.
- Only write a find module for a project you cannot change.
- Full example here:

<https://cmake.org/cmake/help/latest/manual/cmake-developer.7.html#a-sample-find-module>

Writing find modules

Find required files

```
find_path(MyLib_INCLUDE_DIR NAMES mylib.h)  
find_library(MyLib_LIBRARY NAMES mylib)
```

Set version (if available)

```
set(MyLib_VERSION ${MyLib_VERSION})
```

Writing find modules

```
include(FindPackageHandleStandardArgs)
find_package_handle_standard_args(MyLib
  FOUND_VAR MyLib_FOUND
  REQUIRED_VARS
    MyLib_LIBRARY
    MyLib_INCLUDE_DIR
  VERSION_VAR MyLib_VERSION)
```

FindPackageHandleStandardArgs

- Makes sure **REQUIRED_VARS** are set
- Sets **MyLib_FOUND**
- Checks version if **MyLib_VERSION** is set and a version was passed to **find_package()**
- Prints status messages indicating if the package was found.

Writing find modules

Provide a way to use the found results:
variables (classic approach)

```
if(MyLib_FOUND)
  set(MyLib_LIBRARIES ${MyLib_LIBRARY})
  set(MyLib_INCLUDE_DIRS ${MyLib_INCLUDE_DIR})
endif()
```

Writing find modules

Provide a way to use the found results:
imported targets (new approach)

```
if(MyLib_FOUND AND NOT TARGET MyLib::MyLib)
  add_library(MyLib::MyLib UNKNOWN IMPORTED)
  set_target_properties(MyLib::MyLib PROPERTIES
    IMPORTED_LOCATION "${MyLib_LIBRARY}"
    INTERFACE_INCLUDE_DIRECTORIES "${MyLib_INCLUDE_DIR}"
  )
endif()
```

Understanding Find Modules Searches

- CMake's `find_package` uses the following pattern:
 - `<PackageName>_ROOT` from `cmake`, then `env` [3.12]
 - `CMAKE_PREFIX_PATH` from `cmake`
 - `<PackageName>_DIR` from `env`
 - `CMAKE_PREFIX_PATH` from `env`
 - Any path listed in `find_package(PNG HINTS /opt/png/)`

Understanding Find Modules Searches

- PATH from env
- paths found in the CMake User Package Registry
- System paths as defined in the toolchain/platform
 - CMAKE_SYSTEM_PREFIX_PATH
- Any path listed in `find_package(PNG PATHS /opt/png/)`

Find Module Variables

- In general all the search steps can be selectively disabled. For example to disable environment paths:

```
find_package(<package> NO_SYSTEM_ENVIRONMENT_PATH)
```

CMake 3.15+

```
set(CMAKE_FIND_USE_SYSTEM_ENVIRONMENT_PATH FALSE)  
find_package(<package>)
```

Directing Find Modules Searches

- The default search order is designed to be most-specific to least-specific for common use cases. When projects need to search an explicit set of places first, they can use the following pattern

```
find_package(<package> PATHS paths... NO_DEFAULT_PATH)  
find_package(<package>)
```

Directing Find Modules Searches

- `CMAKE_FIND_ROOT_PATH`
 - N directories to "re-root" the entire search under.

```
cmake -DCMAKE_FIND_ROOT_PATH=/home/user/pi .  
Checking prefix [/home/user/pi/usr/local/]  
Checking prefix [/home/user/pi/usr/]  
Checking prefix [/home/user/pi/]
```

Direct Find Modules Searches

- CMAKE_PREFIX_PATH
 - Prefix used by find_package as the second search path

```
<prefix>/ (W)
<prefix>/(cmake|CMake)/ (W)
<prefix>/<name>*/ (W)
<prefix>/<name>*/(cmake|CMake)/ (W)
<prefix>/(lib/<arch>|lib|share)/cmake/<name>*/ (U)
<prefix>/(lib/<arch>|lib|share)/<name>*/ (U)
<prefix>/(lib/<arch>|lib|share)/<name>*/(cmake|CMake)/ (U)
<prefix>/<name>*/(lib/<arch>|lib|share)/cmake/<name>*/ (W/U)
<prefix>/<name>*/(lib/<arch>|lib|share)/<name>*/ (W/U)
<prefix>/<name>*/(lib/<arch>|lib|share)/<name>*/(cmake|CMake)/ (W/U)
```

Direct Find Modules Searches

- `<PackageName>_ROOT`
 - Prefix used by `find_package` to start searching for the given package
 - The package root variables are maintained as a stack so if called from within a find module, root paths from the parent's find module will also be searched after paths for the current package.

Debugging Find Modules [3.17+]

```
find_package(XYZ REQUIRED)
```

```
cmake --find-debug .  
...  
find_package considered the following paths for XYZ.cmake  
  /opt/cmake/.../Modules/FindXYZ.cmake  
The file was not found.  
find_package considered the following locations for the Config module:  
  /home/robert/.local/XYZConfig.cmake  
  /home/robert/.local/xyz-config.cmake  
...  
  /opt/cmake/XYZConfig.cmake  
  /opt/cmake/xyz-config.cmake  
The file was not found.
```

Debugging Find Calls [3.17+]

```
set(CMAKE_FIND_DEBUG_MODE 1)
find_library(PNG_LIBRARY_RELEASE
            NAMES png png_static)
```

find_library called with the following settings:

VAR: PNG_LIBRARY_RELEASE

NAMES: "png"

 "png_static"

Documentation: Path to a library.

...

find_library considered the following locations:

 /home/robert/.local/bin/(lib)png(\.so|\.a)

 /usr/local/cuda/bin/(lib)png(\.so|\.a)

...

The item was not found.

Include command

- Allows for including of helper CMake routines that are located in different files
- Use the `CMAKE_MODULE_PATH` to search for files

```
# Setup default build types  
include(VTKmBuildType)
```


Example include file

```
# Set a default build type if none was specified
set(default_build_type "Release")
if(EXISTS "${CMAKE_SOURCE_DIR}/.git")
    set(default_build_type "Debug")
endif()
if(NOT CMAKE_BUILD_TYPE AND NOT CMAKE_CONFIGURATION_TYPES)
    message(STATUS
        "Setting build type to '${default_build_type}' as none was specified.")
    set(CMAKE_BUILD_TYPE "${default_build_type}" CACHE
        STRING "Choose the type of build." FORCE)
    # Set the possible values for build type for cmake-gui
    set_property(CACHE CMAKE_BUILD_TYPE PROPERTY STRINGS
        "Debug" "Release" "MinSizeRel" "RelWithDebInfo")
endif()
```

System Introspection

- find_* commands
 - find_file
 - find_library
 - find_package
 - find_path
 - find_program

System Introspection

- `try_compile`
- Macros to help with common tests
 - `CheckIncludeFileCXX.cmake`
 - `CheckCSourceCompiles.cmake`
 - `CheckIncludeFiles.cmake`
 - `CheckCSourceRuns.cmake`
 - `CheckLibraryExists.cmake`
 - `CheckCXXCompilerFlag.cmake`
 - `CheckCXXSourceCompiles.cmake`
 - `CheckSizeOf.cmake`
- `try_run`, but only if not cross-compiling

System Introspection (cont.)

- CheckCXXSourceRuns.cmake
- CheckStructHasMember.cmake
- CheckSymbolExists.cmake
- CheckTypeSize.cmake
- CheckFunctionExists.cmake
- CheckIncludeFile.cmake
- CheckVariableExists.cmake

Step 5 - System Introspection

Cooley:

```
soft add +cmake-3.17.3
```

Theta:

```
module load cmake/3.16.2  
module swap craype-mic-knl craype-broadwell
```



Exercise!

- Follow the directions in Step5 of the CMake Tutorial
- Run `cmake` or `cmake-gui` to configure the project and then build it with your chosen build tool
- Run the built Tutorial executable
- Which function gives better results now, Step1's `sqrt` or Step5's `mysqrt`?

OUTPUT CONTROLS

Build Name Controls

- You can control the build output name of targets
 - Controlled at the target level
 - Can be customized on a per config basis

Suffix Debug Libraries

```
add_library(root OBJECT root.cxx)
add_library(trunk STATIC trunk.cxx)
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
set_target_properties(leaf trunk root
    PROPERTIES DEBUG_POSTFIX "d")
```

```
set(CMAKE_DEBUG_POSTFIX "d")
add_library(root OBJECT root.cxx)
add_library(trunk STATIC trunk.cxx)
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
```


Static and Shared libraries

```
add_library(leaf_shared SHARED leaf.cxx)
add_library(leaf_static STATIC leaf.cxx)

set_target_properties(leaf_shared
    PROPERTIES OUTPUT_NAME "leaf")
set_target_properties(leaf_static
    PROPERTIES OUTPUT_NAME "leaf")
```

Build Versioning Libraries

library versions on UNIX

```
add_library(leaf SHARED leaf.cxx)
set_target_properties(leaf PROPERTIES VERSION "1.12"
                                SOVERSION "8")
```

This results in the following library and symbolic links:

libleaf.so.1.12

libleaf.so.8 -> libleaf.so.1.12

libleaf.so -> libleaf.so.8

Build Location Controls

- You can control the build output location of:
 - Executables
 - Libraries
 - Archives
 - PDB Files
- Can be controlled globally, or at the target level
- Can be customized on a per config basis

Build Output Controls

- Executables = CMAKE_RUNTIME_OUTPUT_DIRECTORY
- Shared Libraries = CMAKE_LIBRARY_OUTPUT_DIRECTORY
- Static Libraries = CMAKE_ARCHIVE_OUTPUT_DIRECTORY
- PDB Files = CMAKE_PDB_OUTPUT_DIRECTORY
- DLL's import .lib = CMAKE_ARCHIVE_OUTPUT_DIRECTORY
- At the Target Level (properties)
 - RUNTIME_OUTPUT_DIRECTORY
 - RUNTIME_OUTPUT_DIRECTORY_<Config>

CUSTOM COMMANDS

Custom commands

- `add_custom_command`
 - Allows you to run arbitrary commands before, during, or after a target is built
- Can be used to generate new files
- Can be used to move or fixup generated or compiled files

Custom commands

- All outputs of the `add_custom_command` need to be explicitly listed.
- `add_custom_command` output must be consumed by a target in the same scope
 - `add_custom_target` can be used for this

Custom command example

```
add_library(CudaPTX OBJECT kernelA.cu kernelB.cu)
set_target_properties(CudaPTX PROPERTIES CUDA_PTX_COMPILATION ON)

set(output_file ${CMAKE_CURRENT_BINARY_DIR}/embedded_objs.h)
add_custom_command(
  OUTPUT "${output_file}"
  COMMAND ${CMAKE_COMMAND}
  "-DBIN_TO_C_COMMAND=${bin_to_c}"
  "-DOBJECTS=${<TARGET_OBJECTS:CudaPTX>}"
  "-DOUTPUT=${output_file}"
  -P ${CMAKE_CURRENT_SOURCE_DIR}/bin2c_wrapper.cmake
  VERBATIM
  DEPENDS ${<TARGET_OBJECTS:CudaPTX>}
  COMMENT "Converting Object files to a C header"
)

add_executable(CudaOnlyExportPTX main.cu ${output_file})
add_dependencies(CudaOnlyExportPTX CudaPTX)
```


CMake Scripts

- `cmake -E` command
 - Cross platform command line utility for:
 - Copy file, Remove file, Compare and conditionally copy, time, create symlinks, others
- `cmake -P script.cmake`
 - Cross platform scripting utility
 - Does not generate CMakeCache.txt
 - Ignores commands specific to generating build environment

Step 6 - Custom Command and Generated File



Exercise!

Cooley:

```
soft add +cmake-3.17.3
```

Theta:

```
module load cmake/3.16.2  
module swap craype-mic-knl craype-broadwell
```

- Follow the directions in Step6 of the CMake Tutorial
- Run `cmake` or `cmake-gui` to configure the project and then build it with your chosen build tool
- Run the built Tutorial executable