



Makefile

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Small program - Entire code in a single file

Complex program –

- Many individual files
- Many header files
- May require external linking
- Require coordination of different files to build



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If we have single file:

main.c: The main program file

Compilation :

```
> cc -c main.c
```



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library.c: Library .c file

library.h: Library header file

Compilation :

- `cc -c main.c -o main.o`
- `cc -c library.c -o library.o`
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What if you want to use flags? Like,

-O2 or -O3: For optimization

Compilation :

- `cc -c -O2 main.c -o main.o`
- `cc -c -O2 library.c -o library.o`
- `cc library.o main.o -o main_exec`



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What if you want to use other flags?

-Wall: To display warning

-g : To debug application

Compilation :

- `cc -c -O2 -Wall -g main.c -o main.o`
- `cc -c -O2 -Wall -g library.c -o library.o`
- `cc -Wall -g library.o main.o -o main_exec`



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`CC = cc`

`CFLAGS = -g -Wall`

`OUTPUT = main_exec`



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Syntax:

Target : dependency1 dependency2...
<TAB> [actions]

Example:

```
main_exec: library.o main.o
    cc -g -Wall library.o main.o -o main_exec
```



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```
main_exec: library.o main.o  
    cc -g -Wall library.o main.o -o main_exec
```

```
library.o: library.c  
    cc -g -Wall -c library.c -o library.o
```

```
main.o: main.c  
    cc -g -Wall -c main.c -o main.o
```

```
clean:  
    rm *.o main_exec
```



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```
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```

```
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```

```
main_exec: library.o main.o
```

```
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) library.o main.o -o main_exec
```

```
library.o: library.c
```

```
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c library.c -o library.o
```

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main.o: main.c
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CFLAGS = -g -Wall
```

```
EXEC= main_exec
```

```
OBJFILES= library.o main.o
```

```
$(EXEC) : $(OBJFILES)
```

```
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) $(OBJFILES) -o main_exec
```

```
library.o: library.c
```

```
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c library.c -o library.o
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$(EXEC) : $(OBJFILES)
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    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) $(OBJFILES) -o $(EXEC)
```

```
%.o: %.c
```

```
    # $<: dependency (%.c)
```

\$< the name of the related file that caused the action

```
    # $@: target (%.o)
```

\$@ is the name of the file to be made

```
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c $< -o $@
```

```
clean:
```

```
    rm *.o $(EXEC)
```

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Naming:

makefile or Makefile are standard

Running make

- make
- make -f filename
Eg : make -f makefile.test
- make target_name
Eg: make gpu



Questions?