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to prepare for guest speaker

BUILD TOOLS

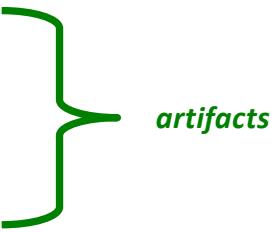
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Distributing Software

- Pieces typically distributed:
 - Binaries/Bytecode
 - Required libraries
 - Data files
 - Documentation
 - Often packaged in an archive:
 - e.g., tgz, jar, zip, rpm
 - May need all of these or some subset of them
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- artifacts*

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Build Tools

- Generally: automate the process of building executables
 - Automate → faster, consistency, less error prone
- Definition is broadening to include
 - Packaging for distribution
 - Running automated tests
 - Deploying to production systems
 - Generating documentation and/or release notes

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Build Process

- Transform files
 - Source code to executable
 - Source code to documentation
- Key questions
 - What are the targets to be created?
 - Who (what tool) does the transformation?
 - What order should it be done in?
 - Do all targets *need* to be created?
 - Just ones whose source/components has changed?

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Build Tools

- Sometimes programming-language or domain specific
- Examples
 - Make
 - Ant
 - Part of Maven

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make



- **make**: A program for building and maintaining computer programs
- Developed at Bell Labs around 1978 by Stu Feldman
 - Now, head of Schmidt Sciences at the foundation Schmidt Philanthropies
 - Past President of ACM
- Won 2003 ACM System Software Award

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<http://www.gnu.org/software/make/>

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Typical Use Cases

- Installing software from source
 - README describes how to make the software
- Developing in C, C++, ... and want to reduce the time in typing/running compilation commands
 - Example: C, C++ program → executable
 1. Compilation: source code → machine code (object files)
 2. Linking: multiple object files → one executable file

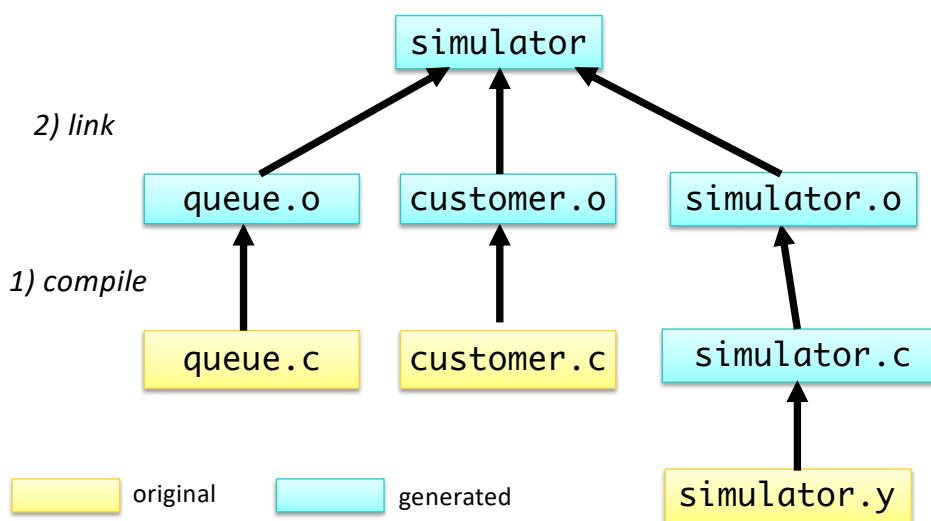
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Example of Typical Compilation



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make Features

- Contains the build instructions for a project in a *makefile*
 - Automatically updates files based on a series of *dependency rules*
 - Supports multiple configurations for a project
 - Language-independent
- Only re-compiles necessary files after a change (conditional compilation)
 - Major timesaver for large projects
 - Uses timestamps of the intermediate files
- Typical usage: executable is updated from object files which are in turn compiled from source files

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Example Makefile

```
# Breaks into multiple targets so you don't have to compile as much
# if only one file changes.

all: hello

Rules/ Targets
hello: main.o factorial.o hello.o
       g++ main.o factorial.o hello.o -o hello

main.o: main.cpp
       g++ -c main.cpp
Must be a tab → Dependencies

factorial.o: factorial.cpp
             g++ -c factorial.cpp

hello.o: hello.cpp
         g++ -c hello.cpp

clean:
        rm *o hello
Commands
```

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Example Makefile with Variables

```
# Example Makefile      Variables
CC=g++                  Variables
CFLAGS=-g -Wall -DDEBUG
OBJECTS=customer.o simulator.o queue.o

Rules/ Targets           Dependencies
simulator: $(OBJECTS)    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -o simulator $(OBJECTS)
simulator.o: simulator.c $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c simulator.c
Must be a tab →          $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c customer.c
                          $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c customer.c
customer.o: customer.c  Commands
                         ...
clean:                   By default looks for makefile
rm $(OBJECTS) simulator  Runs top target

Running:                 $ make
                           $ make clean
                           $ make -f other_makefile
```

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- All-volunteer organization
 - The largest open source foundation
- Develops >350 open-source projects

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 - **Httpd (Web Server)**
 - Tomcat (web application server)
 - Struts, Wicket (web application development frameworks)
 - Hadoop (distributed data processing)
 - Spam Assassin
 - Common library

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Related Tools: Apache Ant

- Java-based build tool
- Similar to make

Make	Ant
Shell-based, makefile	Java, XML config files

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<http://ant.apache.org/>

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XML: eXtensible Markup Language

- Looks similar to HTML
 - HTML's stricter sibling
- Designed to structure, store, and transport data
 - Text file → PORTABLE!
- Made up of *nested* elements
 - Hierarchy of data
- Schema
 - Define your own tags, tag nesting, tag attributes

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XML Example

```
<email>
  <to>you@somewhere.org</to>
  <from>me@here.org</from>
  <subject>Reminder</subject>
  <message>Don't forget me this
weekend!</message>
</email>
```

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XML Example

Root element



child
elements

```
<email>
  <to>you@somewhere.org</to>
  <from>me@here.org</from>
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  <message>Don't forget me this
weekend!</message>
</email>
```

Most close every element you open

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XML Example

```

<imdb>
    <movie category="comedy">
        <title lang="en">Juno</title>
        <title lang="es">La joven vida de Juno</title>
    </movie>
    <movie category="comedy">
        <title lang="en">Chicken Run</title>
        <title lang="de">Hennen Rennen</title>
    </movie>
</imdb>

```

attribute
↓

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Ant buildfile: build.xml

- Starts with XML version:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
```

```
<project name="Hello World" default="Hello" basedir=". ">
```

- Root element: **project**

- **name** attribute: name of the project
- **default** attribute: default *target*
- **basedir** attribute: directory to run from

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Ant target

- Target: has a name, set of tasks to execute
- Can specify which targets to execute
 - If no target given, use project's default
- Can depend on other targets
- Examples:
 - Compile
 - Distribute
 - Needs compile

```
<target name="compile"/>
<target name="jar" depends="compile"/>
```

Closes open tag



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Example Ant Target

What does this do?

```
<target name="compile"
       description="Compile the source code">
  <mkdir dir="build/classes"/>
  <javac srcdir="src"
         destdir="build/classes"
         debug="on">
    <include name="**/*.java"/>
    <classpath refid="build.class.path"/>
  </javac>
</target>
```

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build-replay.xml

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Ant property

- Like a variable: defines a name and its value:
 - <property name="vname" value="vvalue" />
- To use property, use \${vname}

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Ant in Eclipse

- Add two new targets
- First:
 - Use ctl-space to auto-complete

```
<target name="Hello">
  <echo>${HelloText}</echo>
</target>
```

- Second: use Eclipse's design view
- Run file

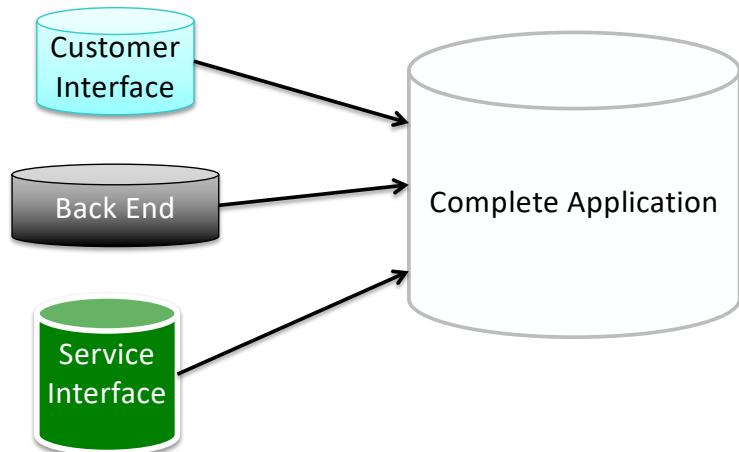
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Motivating Build Tools: Common Use Cases



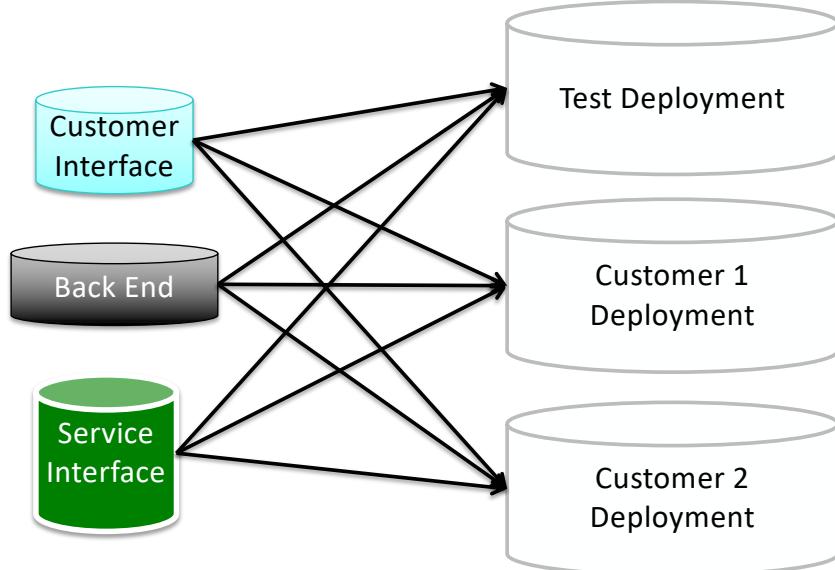
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Motivating Build Tools: Common Use Cases



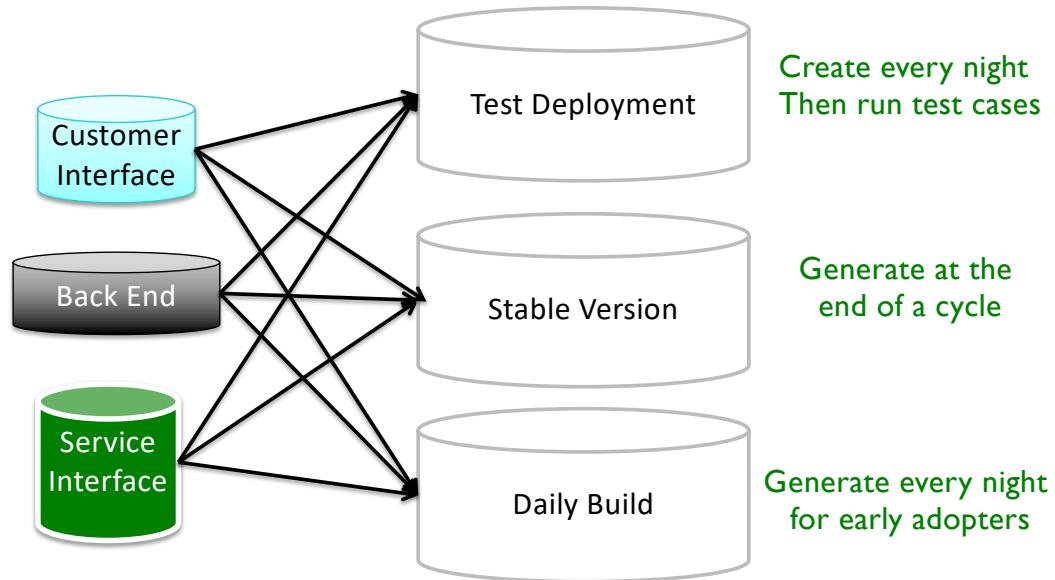
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Motivating Build Tools: Common Use Cases



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Apache



- Maven: Yiddish word meaning *accumulator of knowledge*
- Evolved from struggles in maintaining an Apache project
- For building **and managing** any Java-based project
 - Uses a Project object model (POM)
- Goal: download and build a project quickly

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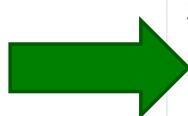
<http://maven.apache.org/>

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Maven

- Can be used as standalone tool or within Eclipse (what we'll do)



There are no projects in your workspace.
To add a project:

- [Create a Maven project](#)
- [Create a Java EE EAR project](#)
- [Create a Dynamic Web project](#)
- [Create an EJB project](#)
- [Create a Connector project](#)
- [Create a Java EE application client project](#)
- [Create a generic deployable web project.](#)
- [Create a JPA project](#)
- [Create a project...](#)
- [Import projects...](#)

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Maven Philosophy: Convention Over Configuration

- Maven's location assumptions:

- source code: \${basedir}/src/main/java
- Resources: \${basedir}/src/main/resources
- Tests: \${basedir}/src/test

- Other assumptions:

- Want to produce a JAR file in \${basedir}/target
- Compile byte code to \${basedir}/target/classes

How does this philosophy help us?

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Maven Philosophy: Convention Over Configuration

How does this philosophy help us?

- Ant-based builds *define* locations

- No built-in idea of where source code or resources are
- **User** has to supply this information → more work for us!!

Could be for any project:

```
<target name="compile"
       description="Compile the source code">
  <mkdir dir="build/classes"/>
  <javac srcdir="src"
         destdir="build/classes"
         debug="on">
    <include name="**/*.java"/>
    <classpath refid="build.class.path"/>
  </javac>
</target>
```

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Maven Philosophy: Convention Over Configuration

- Beyond location conventions...
- **Core plugins** apply a common set of conventions for compiling source code, packaging distributions, generating web sites, and many other processes
 - Example: similar to Ant compile target
- Little effort:
 - Put source in the correct directory
 - Maven handles the rest

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Consequences of Convention Over Configuration

- Users may feel forced to use a particular methodology or approach
- Most defaults can be customized
- Can create custom plugins for your requirements

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Maven in Eclipse

- Create a new Maven project
- Filter: maven-archetype-quickstart

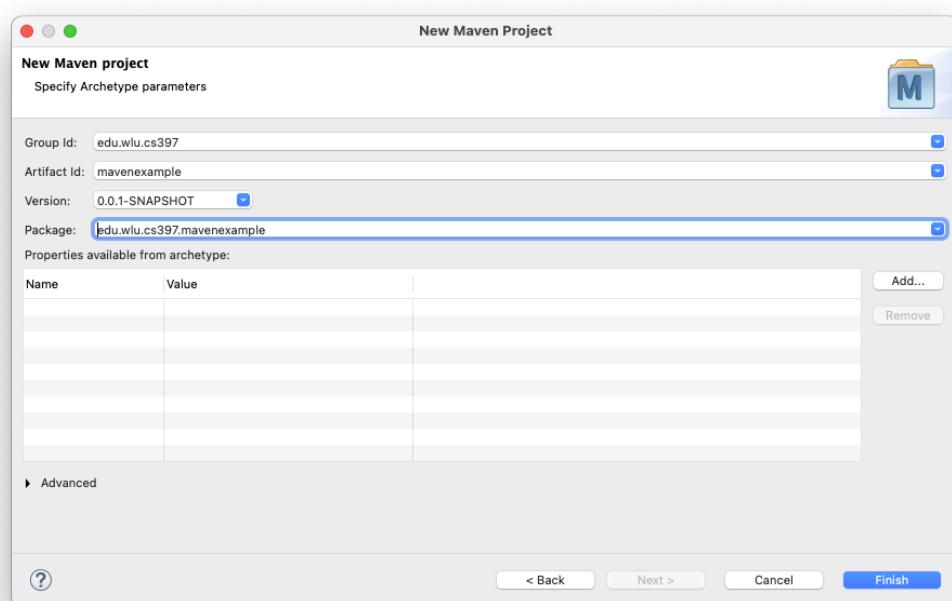
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Look at Created Project

- What are the directories, files?
- What are the dependencies?

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Project Object Model: pom.xml

- Defines information about your project
 - Which plugins
 - Which dependencies and which versions

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Maven Build Lifecycle

- Defined by a list of *build phases*
- Example build phases
 - **compile** - compile the source code of the project
 - **test** - test the compiled source code using a suitable unit testing framework
 - **package** - take the compiled code and package it in its distributable format, such as a JAR
- When execute a phase, executes life cycle's previous phases first, in order
 - E.g., calling package would execute compile and then test

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Maven Build Lifecycle

- 3 built-in build lifecycles
 - **default** lifecycle handles project deployment
 - **clean** lifecycle handles project cleaning
 - **site** lifecycle handles the creation of project's site documentation

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Updating Project

- In pom.xml, change Java version from 1.7 → 11 (or 14 or 16)
 - maven.compiler.source
 - maven.compiler.target
- Update project
- Run as → Maven build
 - Goals: clean verify

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Updating Dependencies

```
<dependency>
  <groupId>org.junit.jupiter</groupId>
  <artifactId>junit-jupiter-api</artifactId>
  <version>5.7.2</version>
  <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
<dependency>
  <groupId>org.junit.jupiter</groupId>
  <artifactId>junit-jupiter-engine</artifactId>
  <version>5.7.2</version>
  <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
```

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Maven Repository

<https://mvnrepository.com/>

- How to use it
- Typically: looking for a stable release
 - rc = release candidate

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Looking Ahead

- Guest speaker on Wednesday
- Friday: Assignment 0 due

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