

OS2ports

How to build open source software with OS2

Using the Buildenvironment of Paul Smedley

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Introduction

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Speaker info

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Paul Smedley

- OS/2 user since 1993
(started with OS/2 for Windows 2.1)
- Added USB support to Sane in 2005,
- then started working on porting other unix programs.
- Set up a build environment
- Offer his build environment on CD/DVD
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Installation of the build environment

- Buy the DVD
- Create a volume with drive u: assigned
- Instructions for setup:
 - Installation is only supported to drive u:
 - unzip buildenv_20100321.zip to u:\
 - run u:\folder.cmd to create a desktop folder

Installation of the build environment (2)

To share a directory with a drive letter you can use NetDrive for OS/2 3.1.1

<http://www.blueprintsoftwareworks.com/netdrive/download.html>

1 month evaluation

Order from BMT Micro for \$29

<http://www.bmtmicro.com/BMTCatalog/os2/netdrive.html>

- Volume → Attach a new volume → U:
- Resource → Mount resource

Installation of the build environment (3)

To share a directory with a drive letter you can also use the Toronto Virtual File System 2.11

Download tvfs211.exe from Hobbes or <http://www.os2site.com/sw/drivers/filesystem/index.html>

PM interface for TVFS
tvfsc10.zip

Installation of the build environment (4)

Install to a different drive

Change the build scripts

folder.cmd u:\ g:\

gcc*.cmd u:\ g:\

gcc*.cmd u:/ g:/

set*.cmd u:/ g:/

Change config files in \moztools

config.site* u:/ g:/

debug.cmd u:/ g:/

Using the build environment

Building your first command line application:

- Launch a GCC command prompt (4.x suggested)
- change directory to `u:\dev\wget-1.12`
- type `'ash ./configure --prefix=/out/wget'`
- once configure completes, run `'make'`
- once make completes, run `'make install'`
- wget executables will be found in `/out/wget/bin`

Using the build environment (2)

Note on run 'make' for wget:

There will be an error building the doc directory

Edit doc\Makefile and change line 599 from

```
TEXI2POD = $(srcdir)/texi2pod.pl
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to

```
TEXI2POD = perl $(srcdir)/texi2pod.pl
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Make

- Info about make
<http://www.gnu.org/software/make/manual/make.html>
- Understanding software Installation
(configure, make, make install)
<http://www.codecoffee.com/tipsforlinux/articles/27.html>
- The GNU configure and build system
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/GNU_build_system
http://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/GNU_Build_System

Linux Tools

Most executables can be found in /bin, /usr/bin

Try parameter „--help | more“ to get information

- ash / ashnew / bash / ksh / sh
command shell
- diff
create a list of changes between source code

Linux Tools (2)

- cat, nl, tac, tail, wc
type file, with line numbers, reverse, last lines,
word count
- cp / mv
copy, move
- rm
delete recursively quite easily
- grep
filter / search

Linux Tools (3)

- `df / du / find`
disk free, disk usage, find files
- `md5sum`
print or check md5 checksums
- `tee`
copy stdin to stdout and a file

Scripting Languages

- Perl
 - /perl → Version 5.8.0
 - /perl5 → Version 5.10.0
- Python
 - /python26 → Version 2.6.4

How to get source code

- Check out from a repository in the internet
- Repository tools
 - CVS
/moztools → Version 1.11.2
 - SVN / Subversion
/subversion → Version 1.6.9
- Netlabs repository <http://svn.netlabs.org/>
- Free Software Directory <http://directory.fsf.org/>

Where to get the build environment?

- Paul Smedley
<http://os2ports.smedley.info/index.php?page=BuildEnvDVD>
- Mensys
Special WSE2010 offer

Q & A

- Your Questions

Thank you for very much for your attention