

OpenSees Workshop

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OPENSEES WORKSHOP DAY 2

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1. Framework of OpenSees and how to compile it
 2. How to add your new class
 3. How to add your new project
 4. How to add Tcl commands for your project

OPENSEES WORKSHOP



Day2: Framework & building OpenSees

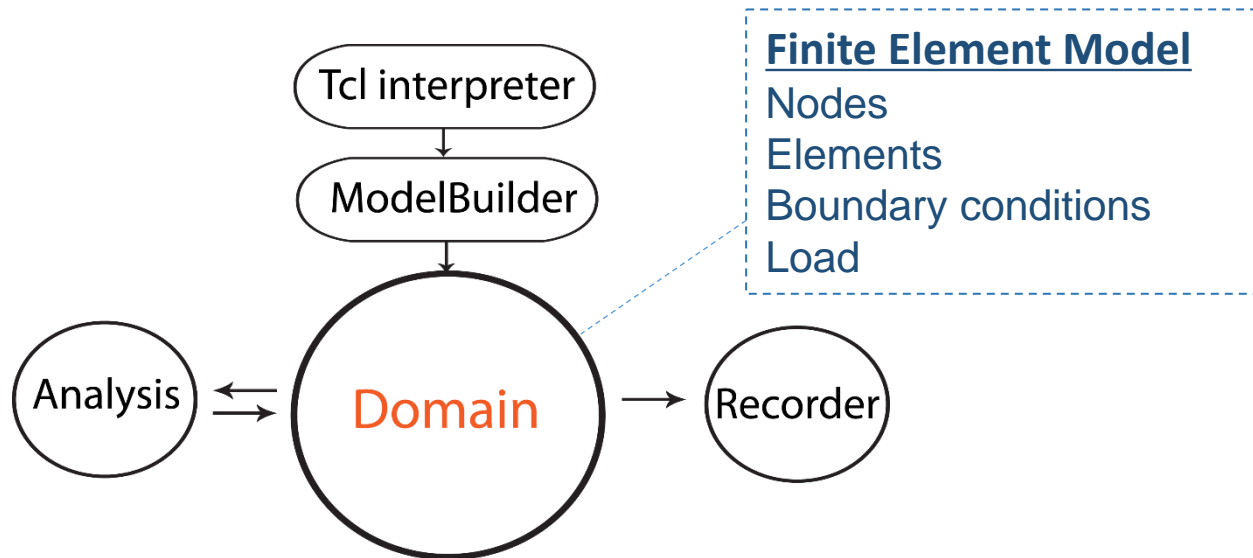
Temporary Source Code Package:

(link has been sent through email)

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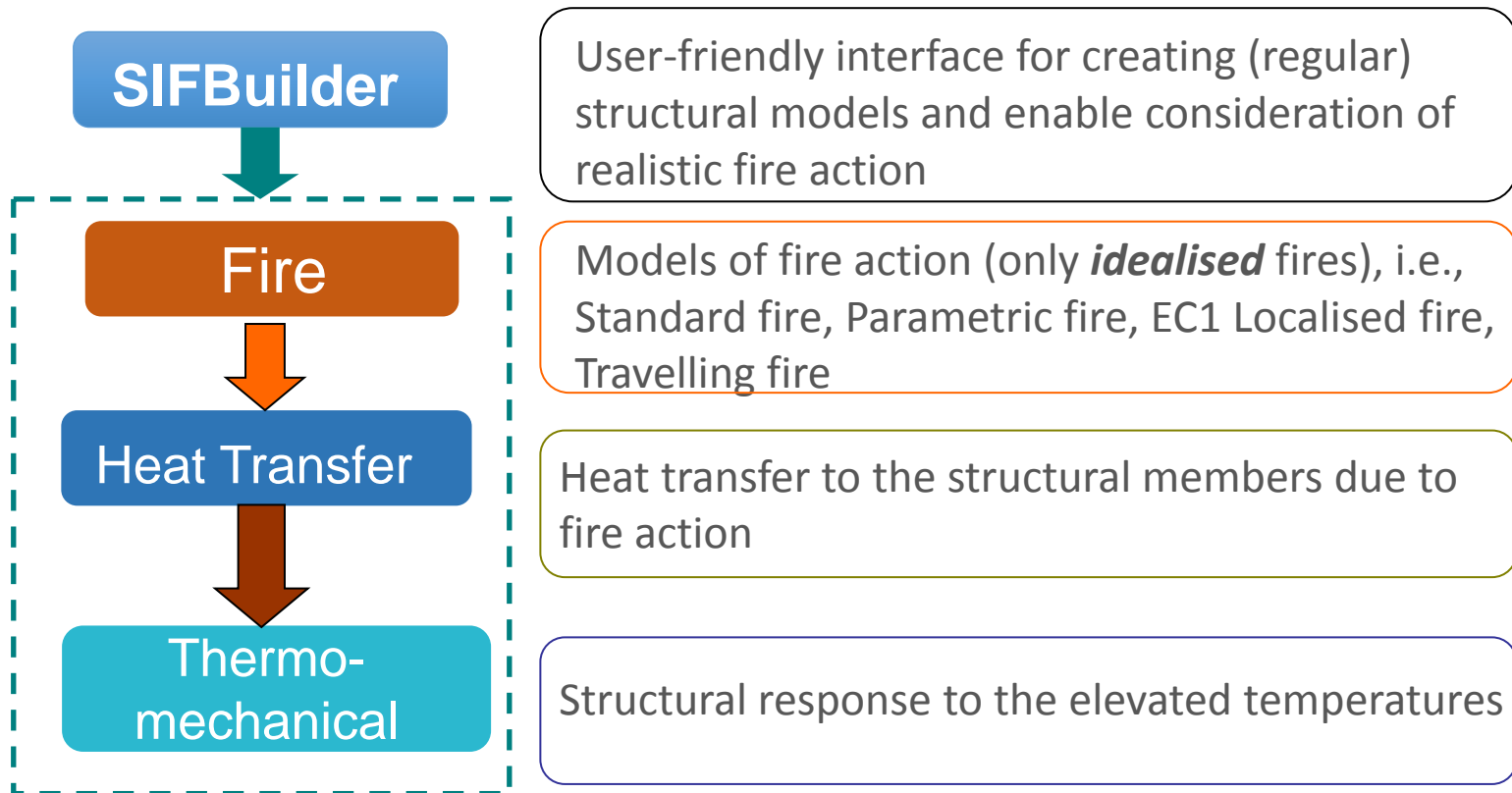
OpenSees Framework

- A framework is **NOT an executable**;
- It is a set of cooperating software components for building applications in a specific domain;
- It is a collection of **abstract and derived** classes;
- **Loose-coupling** of components within the framework is essential for extensibility and re-usability of the applications



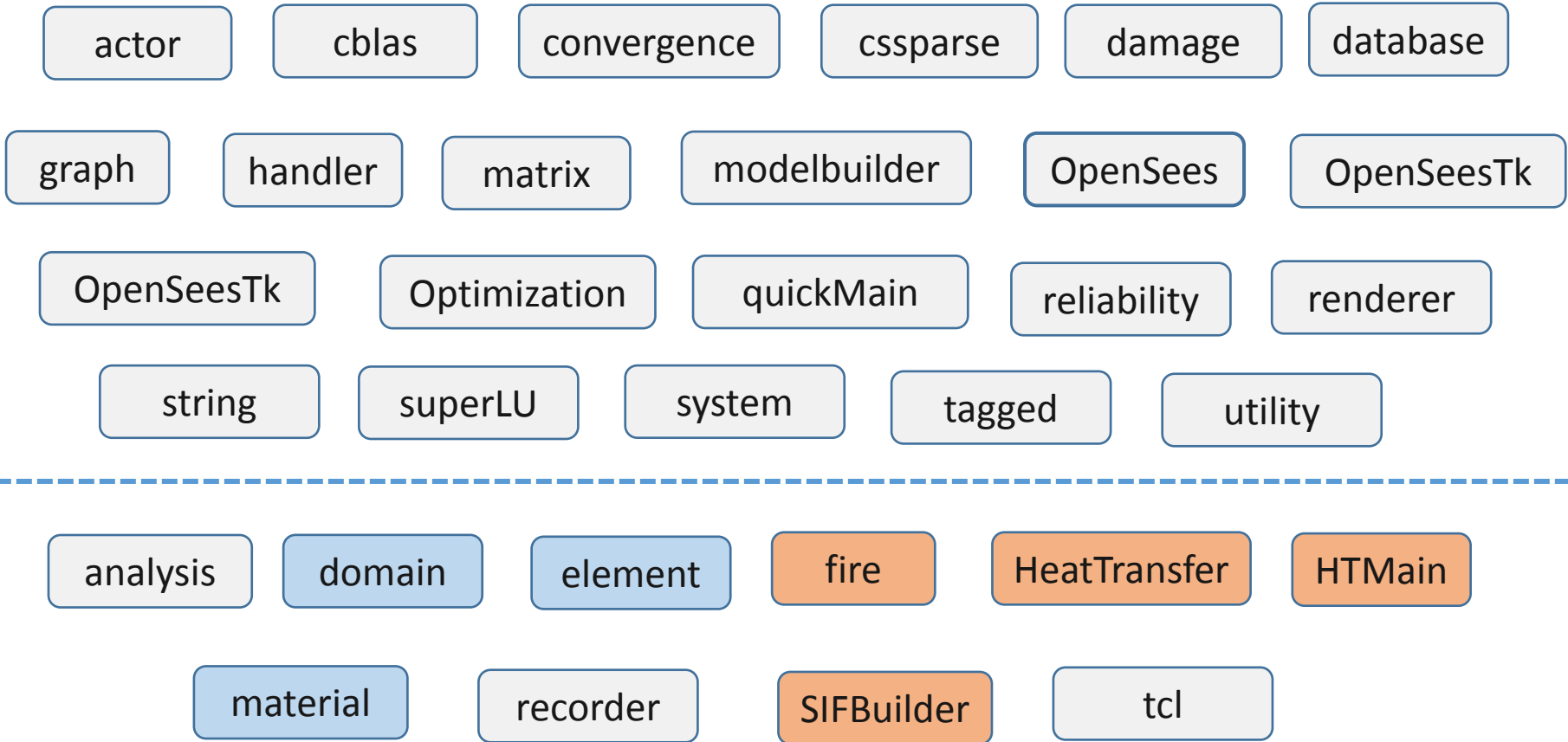
OpenSees for Fire

- Started at Edinburgh University since 2009;
- Based on a group of PhD students' work;
- Developed for modelling '**Structures in Fire**';



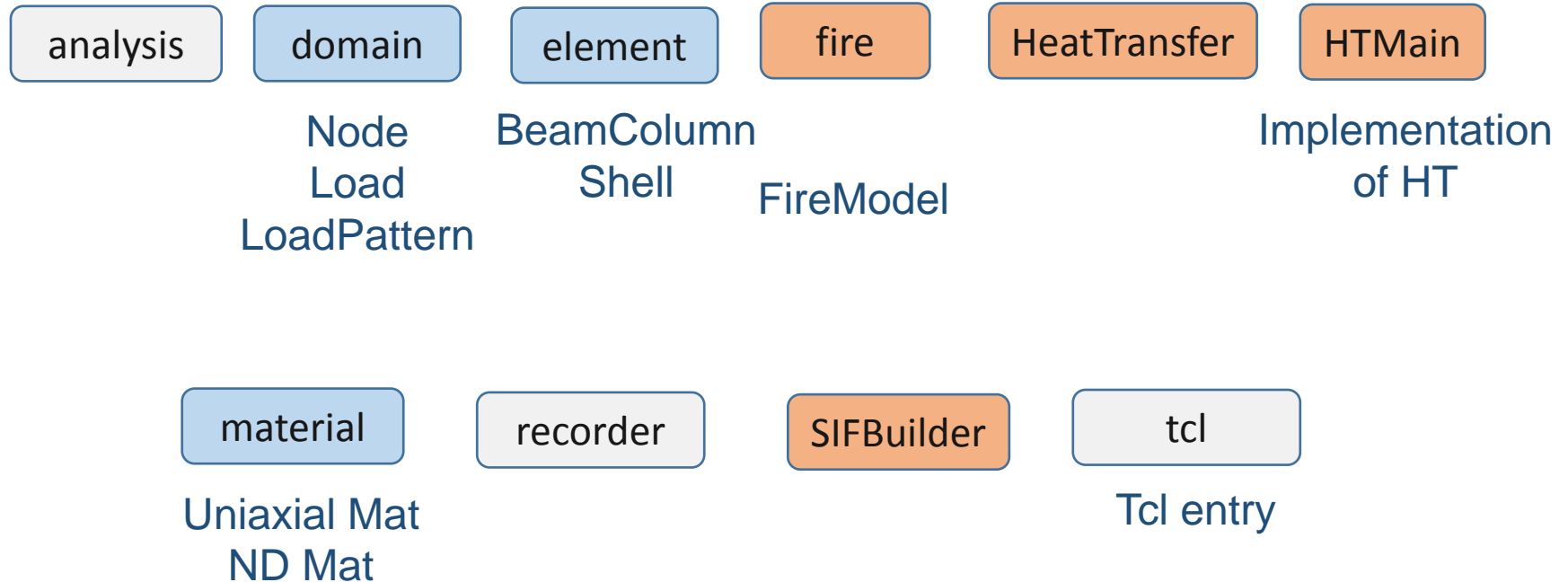
OpenSees Framework

31 Projects in OpenSees

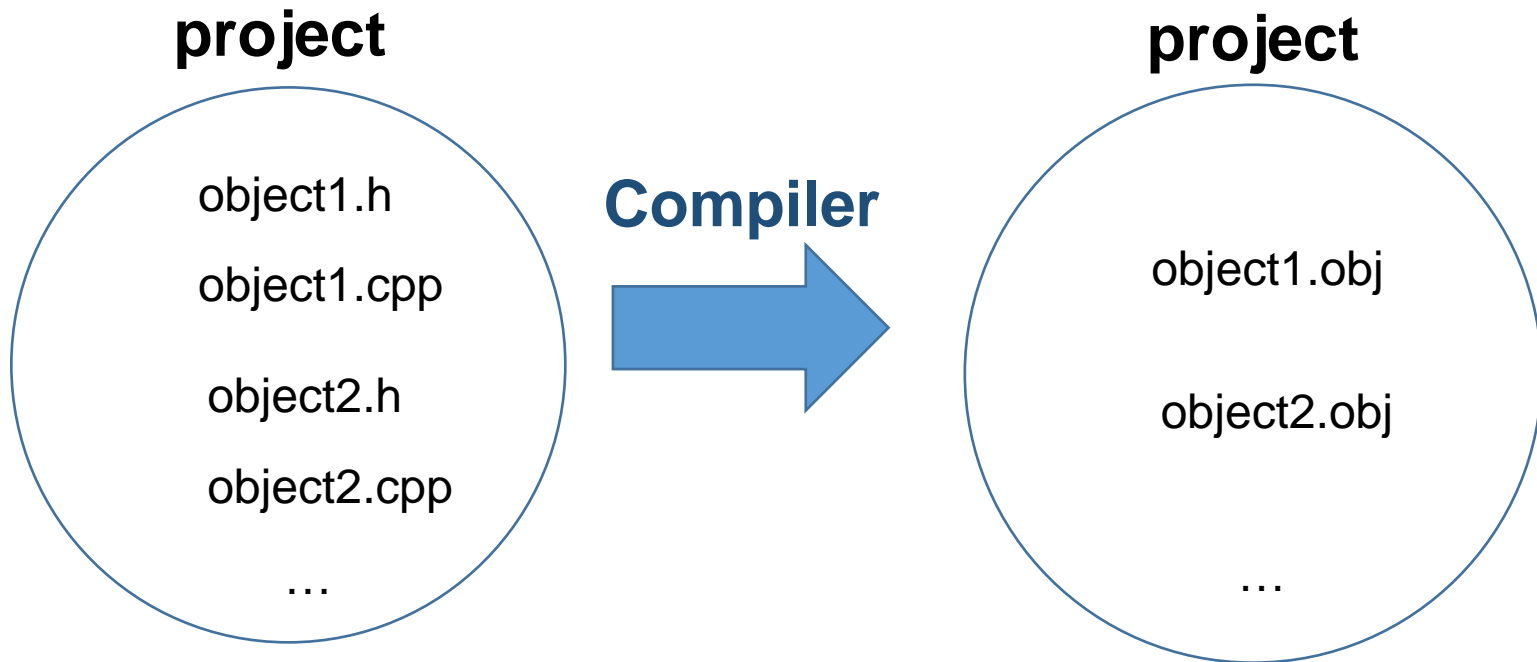


OpenSees Framework

Modified/New Projects in OpenSees



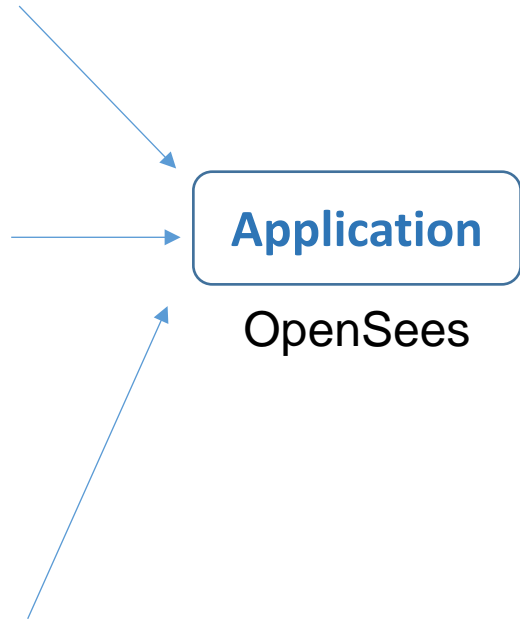
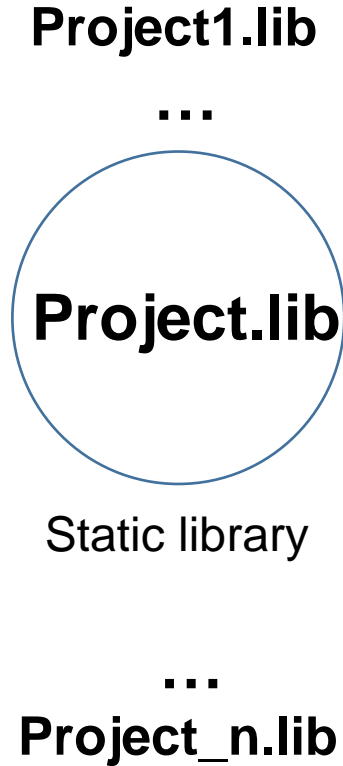
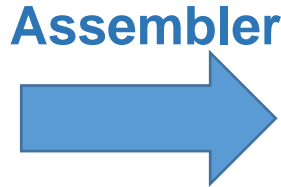
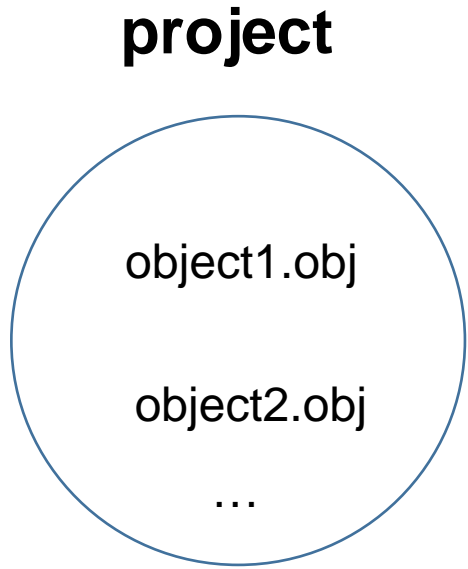
Step1:Compilation



Building OpenSees

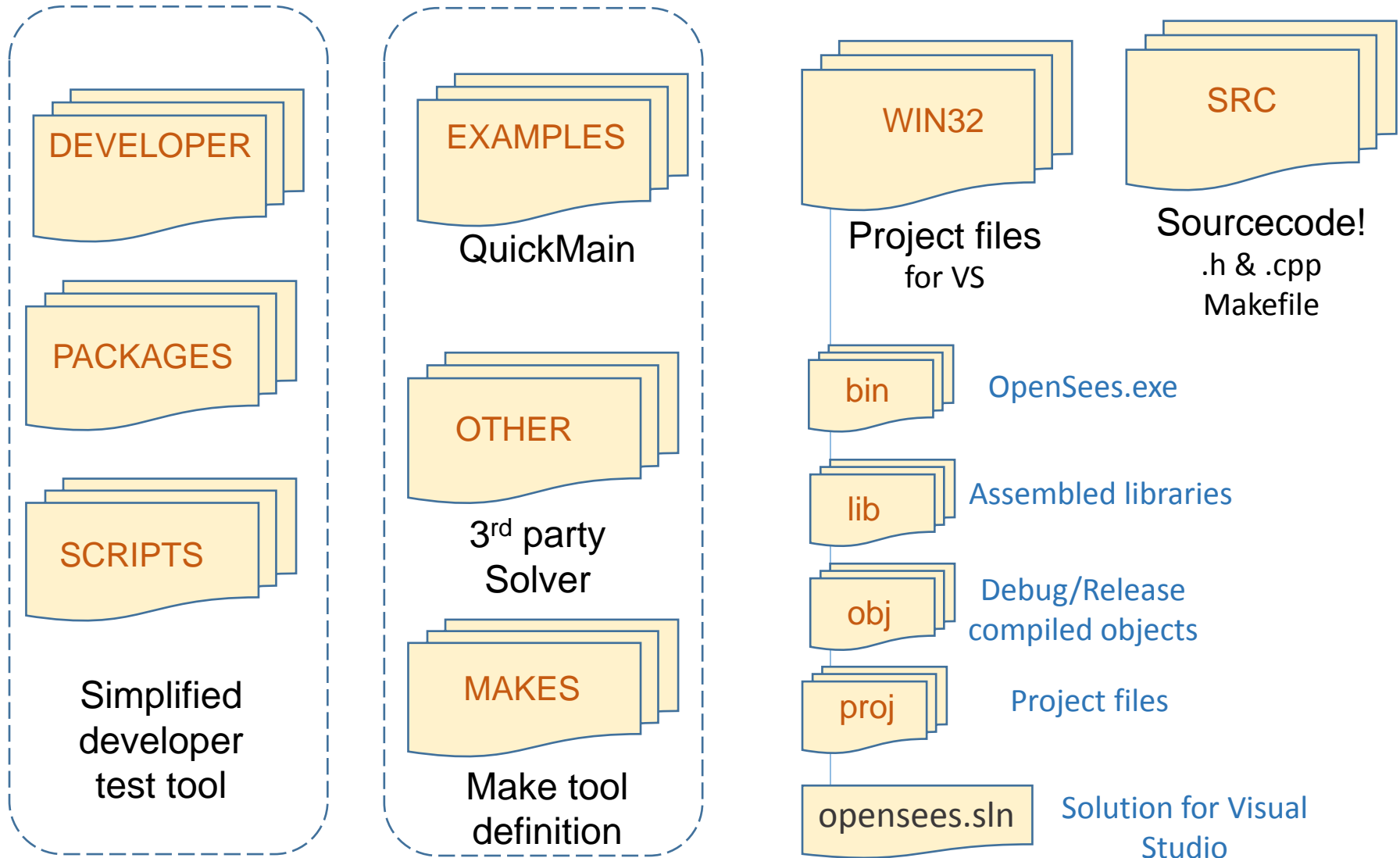
Step2:Assembling

Step3:Link



Building OpenSees

OpenSees Source Code Package



Building OpenSees

If you want to build it in
Linux or MacOS?



GCC
&
GNU Make

Makefile.def



SRC



OTHER

```
Jiang — sh — 64x20
mac-jiang-2:~ Jiang$ sh
sh-3.2$
```

make

Building OpenSees

GNU Make

GNU Make is a tool which controls the generation of executables and other non-source files of a program from the program's source files.

Make gets its knowledge of how to build your program from a file called the *makefile*, which lists each of the non-source files and how to compute it from other files. When you write a program, you should write a makefile for it, so that it is possible to use Make to build and install the program.

Makefile.def

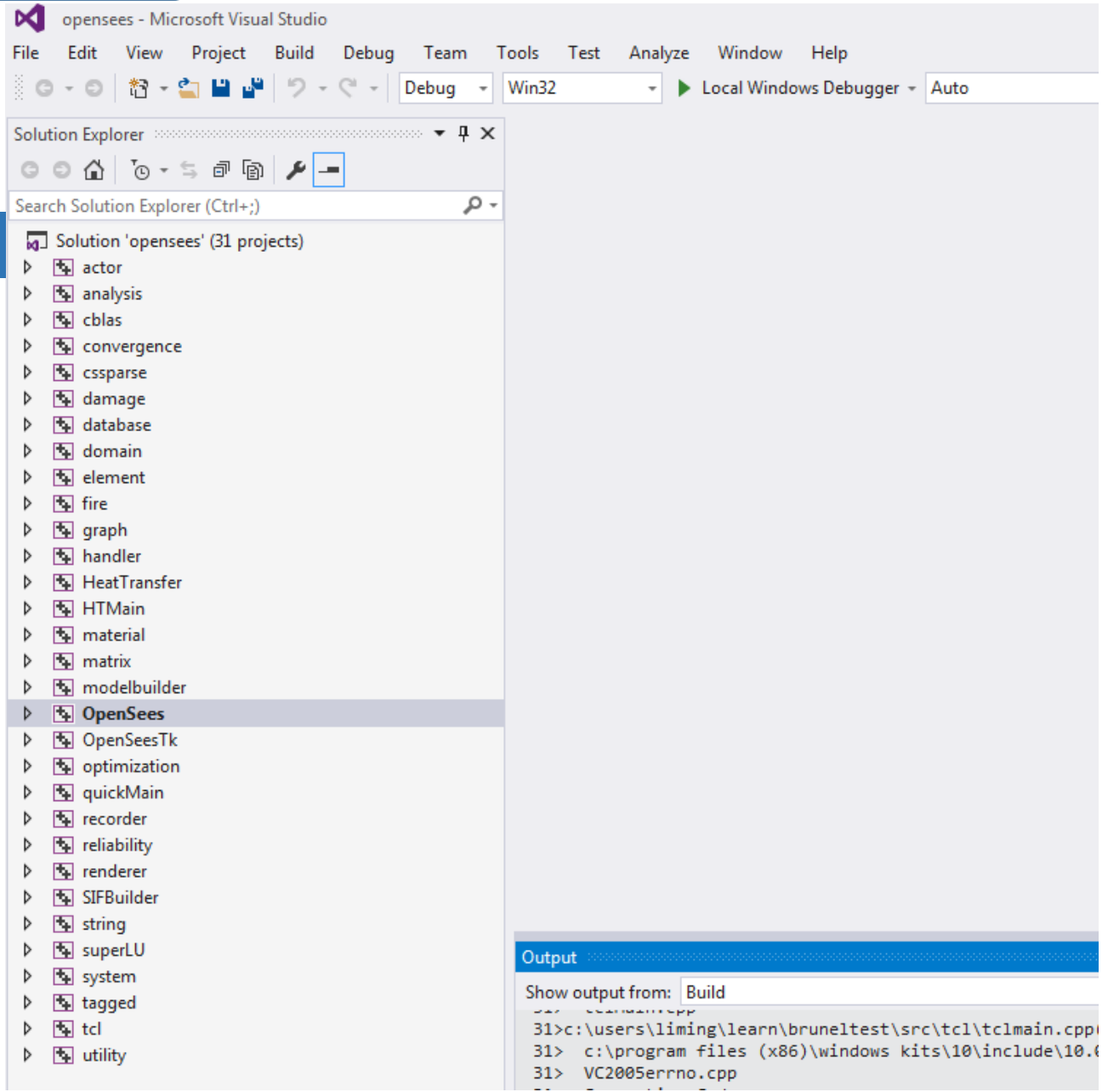
- Program directory
- Paths (definition of SRC and OTHER directories)
- Libraries (definition of library location)
- Compilers (Compiler location & compiler and linker tags)
- Compilation behaviour
- Other supporting libraries
- Include files

Building OpenSees

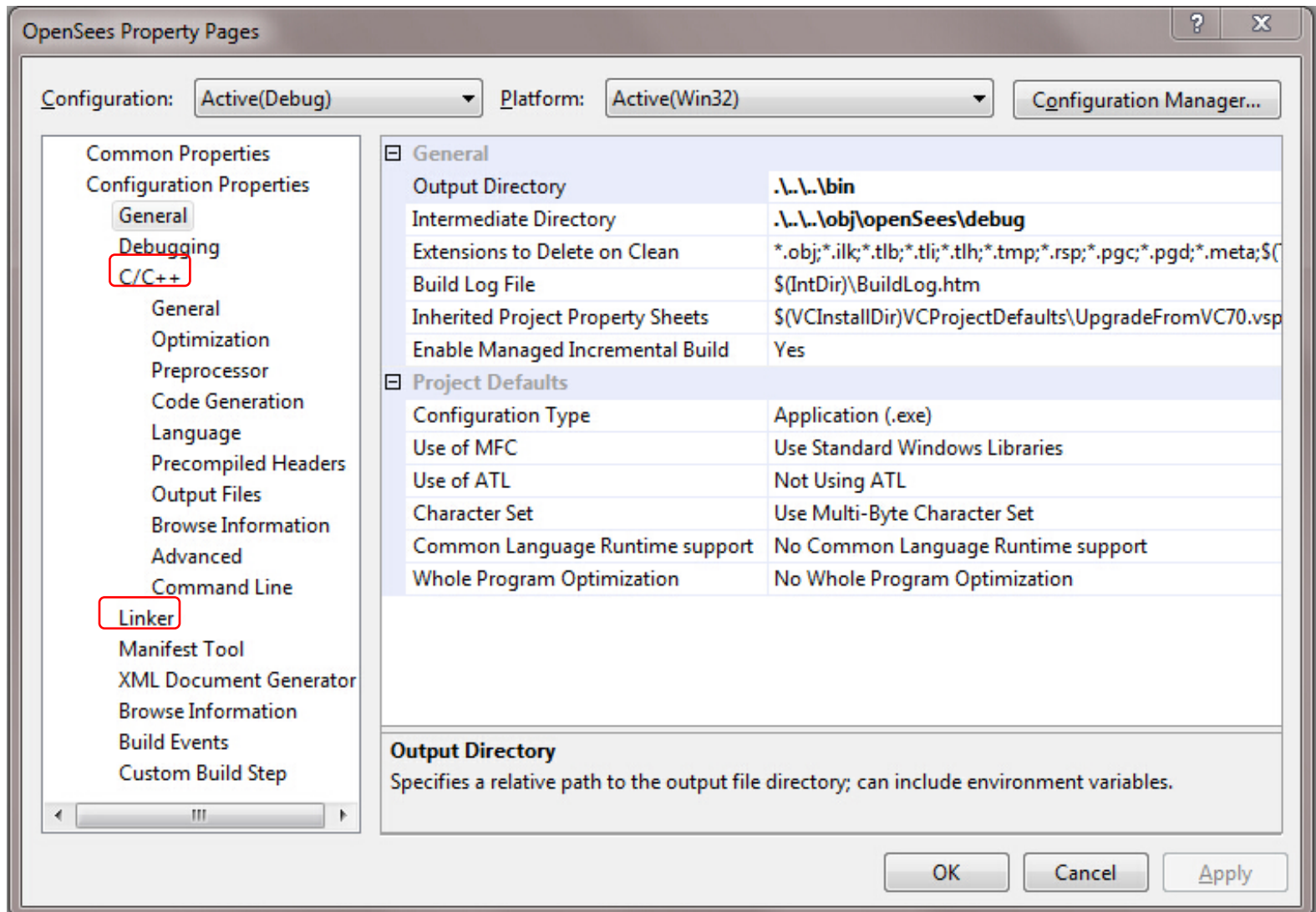


Using Windows PC

This is what
Visual Studio
looks like!



Building OpenSees



**Give it a try to build
your own OpenSees...**

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Day2: Add a new class to the framework

**Add a new class to the framework:
a material class example**

Add a new material class



ElasticMaterialNewThermal

1. Find the material class which is most similar to the class you are trying to create

Add a new material class

ElasticMaterialNewThermal

2. Find the 'similar' material class file location:

OpenSees/SRC/material/uniaxial

Add a new material class

ElasticMaterialNewThermal

3. Make a copy of the header and source files in the same folder and rename them as: *ElasticMaterialNewThermal.cpp* and *ElasticMaterialNewThermal.h*.

Add a new material class

ElasticMaterialNewThermal

5. Add the two newly created files to the material project in the solution explorer:

Right click on *uniaxial* → add → Existing Item.

Select the source and header files for the new material from *OpenSees\SRC\material\uniaxial* and click *Add*.

Add a new material class

ElasticMaterialNewThermal

6. Open both the source and header files in a text editor (Notepad ++ or Microsoft Visual Studio editor) and make changes: replace the keyword *ElasticMaterialThermal* to *ElasticMaterialNewThermal*.

Add a new material class

ElasticMaterialNewThermal

7. Add a couple of lines for the newly created material in

TclModelBuilderUniaxialMaterialCommand.cpp.

declaration:

*extern void *OPS NewElasticMaterialNewThermal(void);*

Add a new material class

8. Add a couple of lines for the newly created material in

TclModelBuilderUniaxialMaterialCommand.cpp.

In function: TclModelBuilderUniaxialMaterialCommand()

else if (strcmp(argv[1], "ElasticNewThermal") == 0) {

*void *theMat = OPS NewElasticMaterialNewThermal();*

if (theMat != 0)

*theMaterial = (UniaxialMaterial *)theMat;*

else

return TCL_ERROR;}

Add a new material class



ElasticMaterialNewThermal

9. Rebuild only the material project:

Right click on material → Project Only → Rebuild Only material.

Add a new material class

ElasticMaterialNewThermal

Step 1: Add a tcl file *test.tcl* to the in the project *openSees*. Add a line or two using the new material. For example:

```
model BasicBuilder -ndm 2 -ndf 3;
```

```
uniaxialMaterial ElasticNewThermal 1 20000 0.01;
```

Step 2: Debug the successfully built version of OpenSees with the new material to bring up the OpenSees command window.

Step 3: Source the test.tcl file by typing *source test.tcl*. If the program outputs the desired lines (if added) or exits with no errors, you have SUCCESSFULLY added a new material.

OPENSEES WORKSHOP

Day2: How to add a project

How to Add a Project

What in a new Project?

project

object1.h

object1.cpp

object2.h

object2.cpp

...

In a header file (.h)

Inclusion of other header files

Declaration of variables

Declaration of functions

In a source file (.cpp)

Inclusion of header files

Constructors of class

Destructor of class

Definition of functions

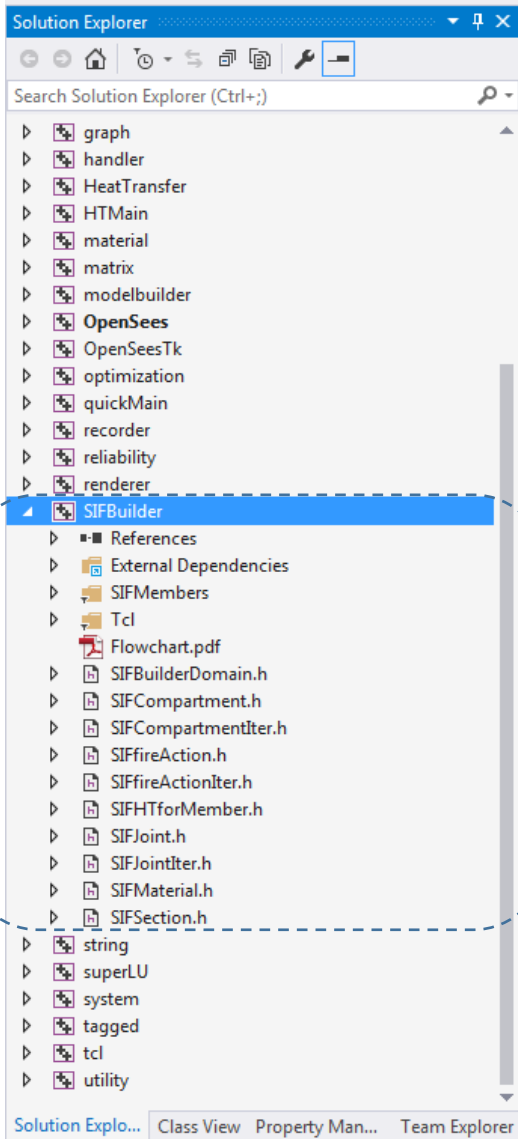
Framework
Hierarchy

Prepare the files, and save them in the right folder

OpenSees/SRC/<your project>

How to Add a Project

- Add a new Project to OpenSees



- ❖ Create a project folder in `OpenSees/win32/proj/<your project>`
- ❖ Add this new project
 - if it is completely new, headers and sources have to be added;
 - if it is not, files are imported automatically as the structure has been defined in the proj file

How to Add a Project

❖ **Project property** (right click at the project->configuration properties)

-Project properties are defined for **debug** and **release** separately

-Add the dependencies(additional included directories)

subfolders in SRC/<project name>

-Preprocessor tag(`_SIFBUILDER`, `_HEATTRANSFER`)

`#ifdef` could selectively activate code block

-output as multi-threaded debug for debugging build

-multi-thread for release

How to Add a Project

The image shows the SIFBuilder Property Pages window for a project. The configuration is set to Debug and Active(Win32). The left sidebar shows the 'C/C++' section expanded, with 'General', 'Preprocessor', and 'Command Line' highlighted. The main pane shows the 'Additional Include Directories' property, which is currently empty. A dialog box titled 'Additional Include Directories' is open, showing a list of directories to be added. The dialog has three sections: 'Additional Include Directories' (the main list), 'Evaluated value', and 'Inherited values'. The 'Evaluated value' section shows the same list of directories as the main list. The 'Inherited values' section is empty. The 'Inherit from parent or project defaults' checkbox is checked. The dialog has 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom.

SIFBuilder Property Pages

Configuration: Debug Platform: Active(Win32) Configuration Manager...

- Configuration Properties
 - General
 - Debugging
 - VC++ Directories
 - C/C++
 - General
 - Optimization
 - Preprocessor
 - Code Generation
 - Language
 - Precompiled Headers
 - Output Files
 - Browse Information
 - Advanced
 - All Options
 - Command Line
 - Librarian
 - XML Document Generator
 - Browse Information
 - Build Events
 - Custom Build Step
 - Code Analysis

Additional Include Directories

Additional #using Directories

Debug Information Format

Common Language RunTime Support

Consume Windows Runtime Extension

Suppress Startup Banner

Warning Level

Treat Warnings As Errors

Warning Version

SDL checks

Multi-processor Compilation

Program Database for Edit And Continue (/ZI)

Additional Include Directories

Evaluated value:

Inherited values:

Inherit from parent or project defaults

Macros>>

OK Cancel

How to Add a Project

Possible Errors

Compiler

- Not including right headers
- Deleted variables (destructor)
- Mismatched returned value from a function
- Mismatched constructor and usage of a class
- Incorrect project properties

Linker

- Not including right libraries
- Referenced function can not be found because it's not correctly defined
- Library is not produced
- Linker property of OpenSees project

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Day2: How to add Tcl commands

Add Tcl Commands

- The original Tcl offers a large collection of commands
 - File operation: eof, pwd, append,open, etc.
 - Control flow: if, for, switch, while, etc.
 - Those commands are well documented at the page:
<http://www.tcl.tk/man/tcl8.5/TclCmd/contents.htm>
- The Tcl library
 - The library provides an interface to add extended Tcl commands
 - Tcl library was imported to the computer when the installation of Tcl happened.

Add Tcl Commands

- Tcl.h and Tcl.lib

- Tcl is installed in [C:\Program Files\Tcl](#) in Windows

- Tcl.h is a header file which has prototypes of the built-in functions.

- The functions are enclosed in the Tcl library.

- Tcl in OpenSees

- OpenSees inherits the original Tcl commands and extends the command library.

- Most of commands are developed within the project [tcl](#)

- The others are located in modelbuilder and sub-projects.

Extended Tcl command

- “Source” command
 - Global commands are located in commands.cpp in the function of `OpenSeesAppInit(Tcl_Interp *interp)`

```
Tcl_CreateObjCommand(interp, "source", &OPS_SourceCmd,  
(ClientData)NULL, (Tcl_CmdDeleteProc*)NULL);
```

```
int OPS_SourceCmd(ClientData clientData, Tcl_Interp *interp,  
int argc, Tcl_Obj * const *argv);
```

```
int OPS_SourceCmd(  
.....  
.....  
}
```

Commands in Modelbuilder

Modelbuilder is called in `commands.cpp` to create a `TclModelBuilder` Class



`TclModelBuilder` has a huge constructor, which contains the creation of modelbuilder-related commands



The strategy of extending Tcl commands is creating a global command in `commands.cpp`, then putting the definition of new commands in the constructor of a `TclModelBuilder` type class.

“HeatTransfer” -> `TclHeatTransferModelBuilder`

Extended Tcl command

- Creating your own command

-i.e. in TclHeatTransferModule class

1) Using Tcl_CreateCommand to add a new command;

```
Tcl_CreateCommand(interp, "HTMaterial", (Tcl_CmdProc* )  
TclHeatTransferCommand_addHTMaterial,(ClientData)NULL, NULL);
```

2) Specify the Procedure corresponding to this command;

```
Int TclHeatTransferCommand_addHTMaterial(ClientData clientData, Tcl_Interp *interp,  
int argc, TCL_Char **argv)
```



```

if (theTclHTModule == 0) {
    opserr << "WARNING current HeatTransfer Module has been destroyed - HTMaterial\n";
    return TCL_ERROR;
}
if (theHTDomain == 0) {
    opserr << "WARNING no active HeatTransfer Domain - HTMaterial\n";
    return TCL_ERROR;
}
HeatTransferMaterial* theHTMaterial=0;
int HTMaterialTag = 0;
if (Tcl_GetInt(interp, argv[2], &HTMaterialTag) != TCL_OK) {
opserr << "WARNING:: invalid material tag for defining HeatTransfer material: " << argv[1] << "\n"; return TCL_ERROR;
}
//Adding CarbonSteelEC3
if (strcmp(argv[1],"CarbonSteelEC3") == 0) {
    theHTMaterial = new CarbonSteelEC3(HTMaterialTag);
}
if(theHTMaterial!=0){
    theTclHTModule->addHTMaterial(*theHTMaterial);}
else{
opserr<<"WARNING: TclHTModule fail to add HeatTransfer Material: "<<argv[1]<<endl;}
return TCL_OK;
}

```

Extended Tcl command

- Creating your own command

-i.e. in TclHeatTransferModule class

1) Classes are mostly designed as tagged objects.

2) TclModelBuilder or domain classes holds the tags of materials, elements, etc.

```
theHTMaterials = new ArrayOfTaggedObjects(32);
```

3) ArrayOfTaggedObjects stores tags and corresponding pointers to the objects.

```
theHTMaterial = new CarbonSteelEC3(HTMaterialTag);
```

4) Adding and returning the object pointer.

```
theTclHTModule->addHTMaterial(*theHTMaterial);
```

```
HeatTransferMaterial* TclHeatTransferModule->getHTMaterial(int tag)
```

Extended Tcl command

- Commonly used functions

1) `Tcl_GetInt(interp, argv[2], &HTMaterialTag)`

2) `if (strcmp(argv[1], "CarbonSteelEC3") == 0)`

3) `opserr<<"WARNING: TclHTModule fail to add Simple Mesh:
"<<argv[1]<<endln;`

4) `Argc, argv[]`

`Node 1 1 0;`