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Greystersting - August 9, 2012, 3:58 pm

I just switched to Linux Mint and am installing code::blocks
What is a good c++ compiler for linux?

g4143 - August 9, 2012, 4:04 pm

If your using Linux then the choice is the GNU GCC compiler, I would also investigate NetBeans with the C/C++ plugin.

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Greystersting - August 9, 2012, 4:10 pm

(Aug 9, 2012 04:04 PM)g4143 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) If your using Linux then the choice is the GNU GCC compiler, I would also investigate NetBeans with the C/C++ plugin.

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Alright! Thanks again for your help.

Also here is a great guide for anyone wanting to install code::blocks-
<http://dahoiv.net/programmering/cpp/how-to-install-codeblocks>

shixhaxermod98 - August 9, 2012, 5:24 pm

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_SLQ - August 9, 2012, 5:25 pm

(Aug 9, 2012 05:24 PM)shixhaxermod98 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) In my honest opinion clang > g++. ?
Same here, g++ all the way with CDT in Eclipse.

framk - August 10, 2012, 10:41 am

GCC does the trick for me

Whenever you want to compile your source file, just type:
gcc myprojectname.cpp myfilename

and then you should have a nice executable sitting where the file was
to execute that in terminal, type:
./myfilename

bam!

tulamba - August 10, 2012, 11:29 am

linux should come with pre-installed gcc/g++.

type gcc or
which gcc to find out.

For editor, you may choose netbeans, eclipse, code blocks etc

