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**libgltf**

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This project was generated by glTF 2.0 JSON schema and support to load the glTF 2.0 file to a struct *SGlTF*.  
It was used in [glTFForUE4](#).



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**FEATURES**

- glTF 2.0
- Load the gltf/embedded/glb file
- This is a static library
- Cross platform
- C++11
- Supports the Unicode and UTF8
- Supports the *KHR\_draco\_mesh\_compression* - Google's Draco
- Supports the *KHR\_lights\_punctual*
- Platforms \* Windows (Win32 and x64) \* Linux \* macOS \* Android (armeabi-v7a, armeabi-v7a-with-neon, arm64-v8a, x86 and x86\_64) \* iOS (simulator, iOS, tvOS and watchOS)



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## GETTING STARTED

1. Update the submodule

Run `git submodule update --init`

2. Generate the project by [CMake]

Run `cmake -G "[GENERATOR BY YOUR SYSTEM]" [LIBGLTF FOLDER]`

3. Build the project and generate the static library `libgltf.lib` or `libgltf.a`

4. Include `libgltf/libgltf.h` in your project.

5. Link the static library `libgltf.lib` or `libgltf.a` in your project.

You have to link the static library `draco.lib` or `draco.a` with your project, if you want support the [Google's Draco](#). And you can find the draco in the external folder.

Code example:

```
std::shared_ptr<libgltf::IGlTFLoader> gltf_loader = libgltf::IGlTFLoader::Create(/  
→ *your gltf file*);  
gltf_loader->Execute();  
std::shared_ptr<libgltf::SGlTF> loaded_gltf = gltf_loader->glTF().lock();  
if (!loaded_gltf)  
{  
    printf("failed to load your gltf file");  
}
```



## USAGE

Generate the *makefile* or *ninja* or *visual c++ project* or *xcode project* by [CMake].

For now, just build to a static library - *libgltf.(lib/a)*.

### 3.1 How to use

#### 3.1.1 Load the glTF file

You can load the glTF file by the function - *libgltf::IglTFLoader::Create*, like this:

```
std::shared_ptr<libgltf::IglTFLoader> gltf_loader = libgltf::IglTFLoader::Create(  
    "Monster.gltf");  
std::shared_ptr<libgltf::SGlTF> loaded_gltf = gltf_loader->gltf().lock();  
if (!loaded_gltf)  
{  
    // the glTF file is valid  
    return false;  
}
```

#### 3.1.2 Load the mesh data

And get the mesh data, like this:

```
// get all indices of the triangle  
libgltf::TDimensionVector<1, size_t> triangle_data;  
std::shared_ptr<libgltf::TAccessorStream<libgltf::TDimensionVector<1, size_t>>>  
    triangle_stream = std::make_shared<libgltf::TAccessorStream  
    <libgltf::TDimensionVector<1, size_t>>(triangle_data);  
gltf_loader->GetOrLoadMeshPrimitiveIndicesData(0, 0, triangle_stream);  
  
// get all points of the triangle  
libgltf::TDimensionVector<3, float> position_data;  
std::shared_ptr<libgltf::TAccessorStream<libgltf::TDimensionVector<3, float>>>  
    position_stream = std::make_shared<libgltf::TAccessorStream  
    <libgltf::TDimensionVector<3, float>>(position_data);  
gltf_loader->GetOrLoadMeshPrimitiveAttributeData(0, 0, L"position", position_stream);
```

### 3.1.3 Load the image data

You can get the image (data and type) by `libgltf::IglTFLoader::GetOrLoadImageData`, like this:

```
std::vector<uint8_t> image0_data;
libgltf::string_t image0_data_type;
gltf_loader->GetOrLoadImageData(0, image0_data, image0_data_type);
```

## 3.2 Advance

### 3.2.1 Regenerate new code by the glTF schema

You can update the c++11 source code by `jsonschematoc11`.

Generate the c++11 code:

1. Run `tools/batch/update_parser_by_scheme.bat` (Windows) or `tools/batch/update_parser_by_scheme.sh` (Unix/Linux/MacOS)
2. Build your version by `CMake`, `Ninja` or `VisualStudio`.

### 3.2.2 Character encoding

- default using UTF8, char and std::string
- set `LIBGLTF_CHARACTER_ENCODING` in cmake command - UTF8, UTF16, UTF32 or UNICODE

### 3.2.3 Supports Google's draco

You can update the Google's draco submodule in external/draco or pull the draco repo by yourself.

Check the `LIBGLTF_USE_GOOGLE_DRACO` or set `LIBGLTF_USE_GOOGLE_DRACO` is `TRUE`.

- Set the `GOOGLE_DRACO_PATH_INCLUDE`, `GOOGLE_DRACO_PATH_BUILD`, `GOOGLE_DRACO_LIBRARY_DRACODEC_DEBUG`, `GOOGLE_DRACO_LIBRARY_DRACODEC_RELEASE`, `GOOGLE_DRACO_LIBRARY_DRACOENC_DEBUG` and `GOOGLE_DRACO_LIBRARY_DRACOENC_RELEASE`.
- Or enable the `LIBGLTF_USE_GOOGLE_DRACO_SUBMODULE` to compile with the submodule - `external/draco`.

### 3.2.4 Download the compiled library

This project is compiled by github action, and you can download the compiled library with Google's Draco from [the action page](#) or [the release page](#).

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