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Dependencies

Debian

```
# apt install \  
sudo git ca-certificates \  
build-essential pkg-config \  
libjack-jackd2-dev qjackctl \  
cpufrequtils ecasound \  
xterm htop geany \  
python-pygments
```

Configuring sudo for cpufrequtils

Replace `claude` with your username and `latte` with your machine name:

```
$ sudo visudo /etc/sudoers.d/cpufreq-set
claude latte = (root) NOPASSWD: \
    /usr/bin/cpufreq-set
```

The file contents should be one line without `\`, just split to fit slides!

This allows to change CPU frequency governor without password.

Configuring JACK for realtime

Provided by JACK packaging on Debian:

```
$ cat /etc/security/limits.d/audio.conf
@audio    -   rtprio      95
@audio    -   memlock    unlimited
```

To check that you are in the audio group:

```
$ groups
```

Download clive repository

```
git clone https://code.mathr.co.uk/clive-core.git
```

Launching

Launch `qjackctl` and configure your sound card.

Launch `clive`:

```
cd clive-core/src  
./start.sh
```

After a short delay, there should be 2 terminal windows on the left and the `geany` text editor which can be resized to fit on the right.

Edit `go.c`, press `Ctrl-S` to save, which will recompile and reload the code.

Exiting

- ▶ Ctrl-C in the terminal running `./start.sh`
- ▶ Stop and rewind JACK transport
- ▶ `git checkout master`

Example: a metronome

```
git checkout origin/metronome  
git checkout -b metronome
```

Example: a metronome

```
#define SR 48000
#include "dsp.h

typedef struct {
    int reloaded;
    PHASOR clock, osc;
} S;

int go(S *s, int channels, const float *in, float *out) {
    if (s->reloaded) { s->reloaded = 0; }
    double env = phasor(&s->clock, 125/60.0) < 0.25;
    double osc = sin(twopi * phasor(&s->osc, 440));
    double o = env * osc;
    for (int c = 0; c < channels; ++c) { out[c] = o; }
    return 0;
}
```

Clive links

- ▶ `claudio@mathr.co.uk`
- ▶ `https://mathr.co.uk/clive`