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### Using Eclipse with CMake Projects

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For a long time, I was using the cmake CDT generator to make cmake projects. I started getting very strange errors in the most recent version of Eclipse, and stumbled upon this [thread](#) which explained the CDT generator was super old.

To do this with a modern Eclipse version, you basically want to:

1. File -> New -> New C/C++ Project
2. Select "Empty or Existing CMake Project"
3. Uncheck "Use default location", and navigate to your project

Then things should magically work.

Pictures for those who need them: