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Subject: Problems compiling external packages on ubuntu 8.10  
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Hi

I am using ubuntu 8.10 64bit edition using gcc version 4.3.2.

Problem 1(solved, i tink):

When running the configure.sh script it cant find my gfortran version. Therefore i added some lines in the script finding the version to read the version for me.

Problem 2:

This results in the compiling to start but it stops due to compiler errors at ml-gsoapclient-2.7.10 package. More accurately:

```
testWS.cxx: In function 'int main(int, char**)':
testWS.cxx:7: error: unknown escape sequence '\*'
testWS.cxx:8: error: 'exit' was not declared in this scope
testWS.cxx:18: error: 'atoi' was not declared in this scope
testWS.cxx:22: error: 'atol' was not declared in this scope
make[1]: *** [testWS.o] Error 1
make[1]: Leaving directory `/home/sverre/fairsoft/tools/ml-gsoapclient-2.7.10/src'
make: *** [install-recursive] Error 1
**** Checking libraries in /home/sverre/fairsoft/tools/monalisa/lib/ ****
*** ERROR: ml-gsoapclient could not be created.
*** End installation of external packages with Errors***
```

Is there any easy way out of this problem?

Thanks

Sverre

Ps: the same problems occur on ubuntu 8.04 32 bit with the same compiler version

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