

## [How to Get&Control Bluetooth state with Rust](#)

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Hi everyone,

I'd like to implement two functionalities in Rust:

■■■Retrieve the current Bluetooth state (on/off) of a Windows device■■■;

■■■Control the activation or deactivation of Bluetooth on Windows■■■.

My naive idea is to use `winapi::um::bth??`, but I'm unfamiliar with the Windows API. Therefore, I request implementation code or guidance.

Additionally, if possible, please explain how to achieve similar functionality on macOS or Linux systems.

Any information would be greatly appreciated!

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Having a look at this cross-platform bluetooth crate might help you:

[github.com](#)

[GitHub - alexmoon/bluest: Cross-platform Rust crate for working with Bluetooth...](#)

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Cross-platform Rust crate for working with Bluetooth Low Energy devices. - GitHub - alexmoon/bluest: Cross-platform Rust crate for working with Bluetooth Low Energy devices.

I have used it on Linux for some basic GATT communication. Not sure if it can do what you are after.

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