

Console Input and Strings

Standard Library package (AKA Crate)

1. Package = Library = Crate
 1. To go from path to module or function you need to use the path separator operator
 2. `::` separated the path
2. Example There is the `io` module from `std` crate
 1. `use std::io`
3. String is a module `String`
 1. `let mut input = String::new();` //makes a new string

Console Input

- Now to take console input
 - `io::stdin().read_line()` //reads console input until '\n'
- **Need To read in String** standard input only reads in strings
 - `io::stdin().read_line(&mut input)` //passes a mutable reference to the variable input inorder to modify it and put in the user input field
 - By default Rust passes by value like C and C++
 - i.e arguments passed into functions are passed as a copy of the value
 - `read_line()` returns a `Result` obj and `_.expect_` catches error that occurs
 - `io::stdin().read_line(&mut input).expect("failed to read line");`