Kick-starting Rust for Web Dev

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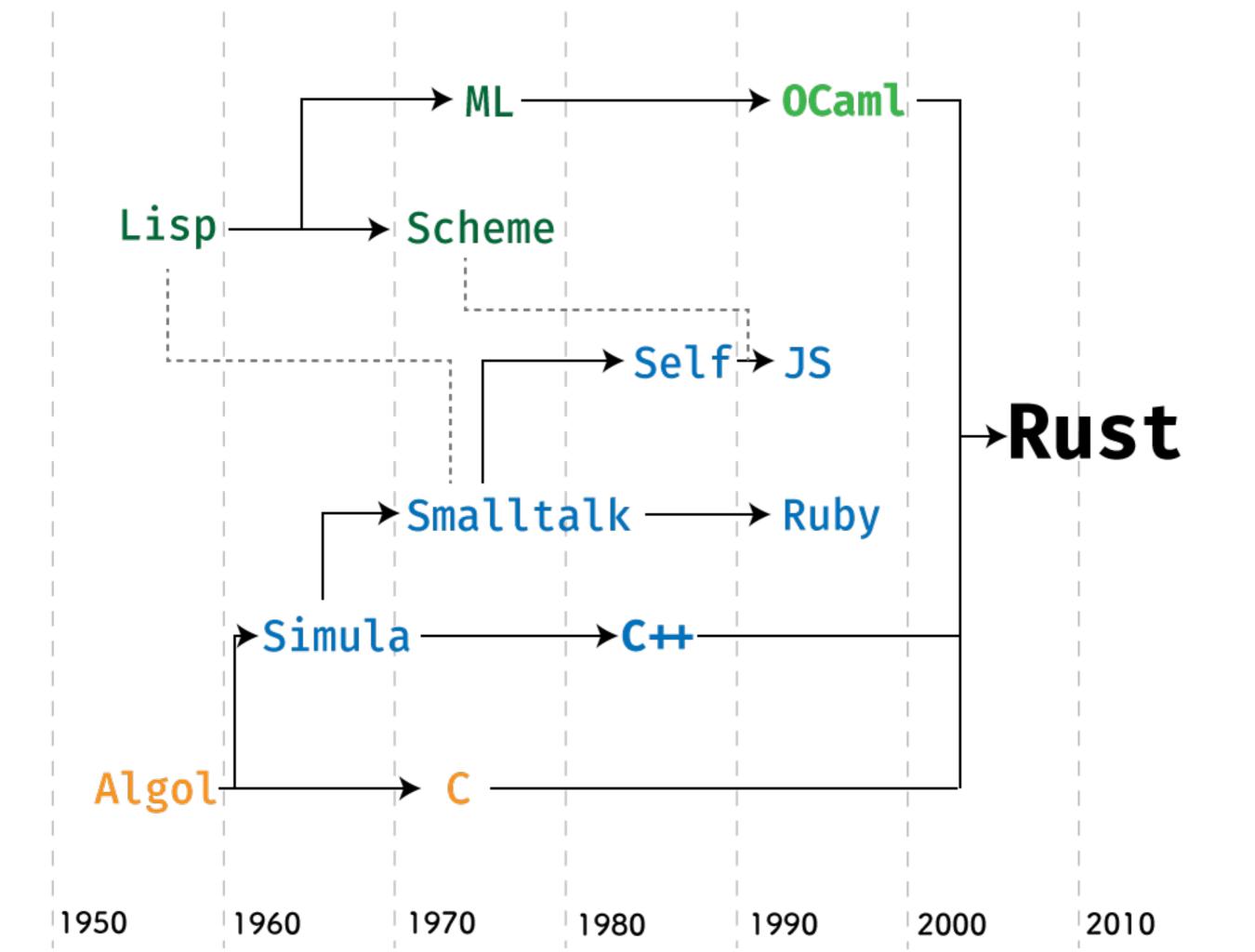


History of Rust

- Started as a hobby project of Graydon Hoare in ~2006
- Picked up by Mozilla in 2010
- Rust 1.0 in 2015
- Maintained by community
- Open-source

Rust's design goals

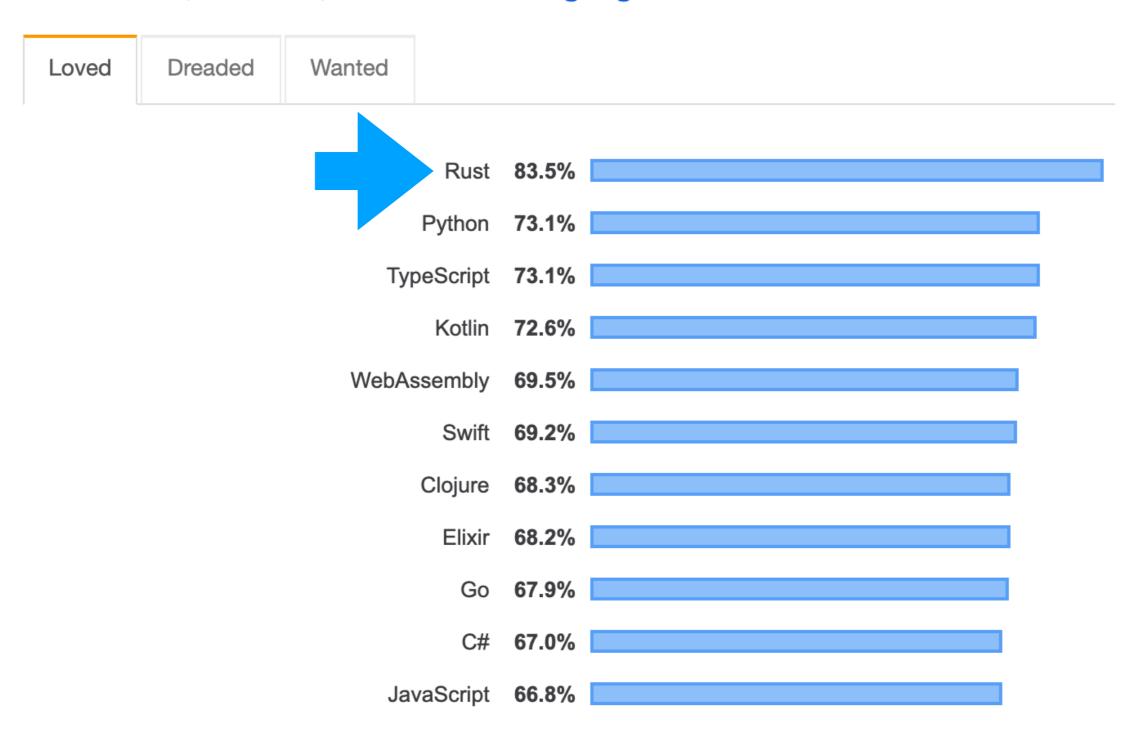
- Fast, safe, concurrent systems language for everyone
 - **Fast**: similar to C++
 - No GC, Machine code, concurrency
 - Safe: Strong & static typing, no undefined behaviour, no data race
 - No manual malloc() and free() either



StackOverflow users's Most loved language

4 years in a row

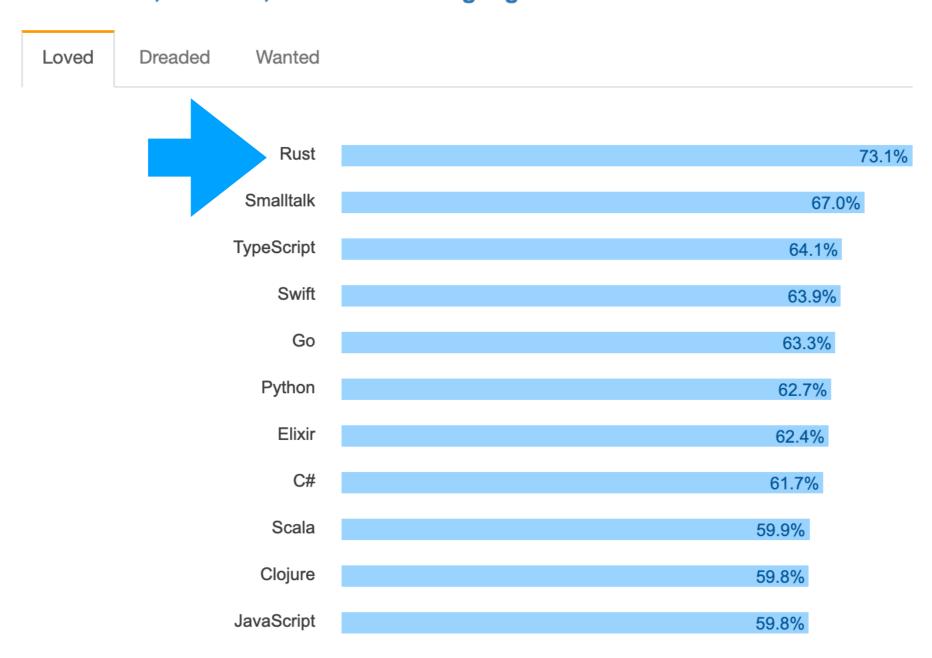
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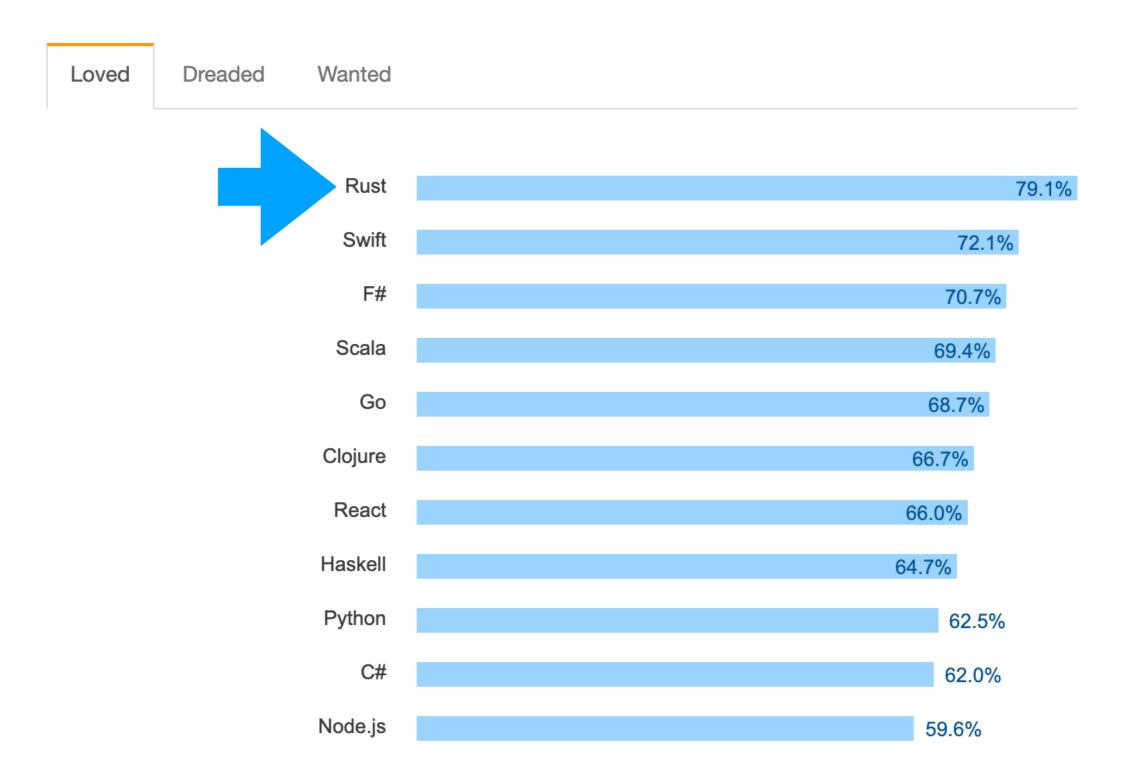


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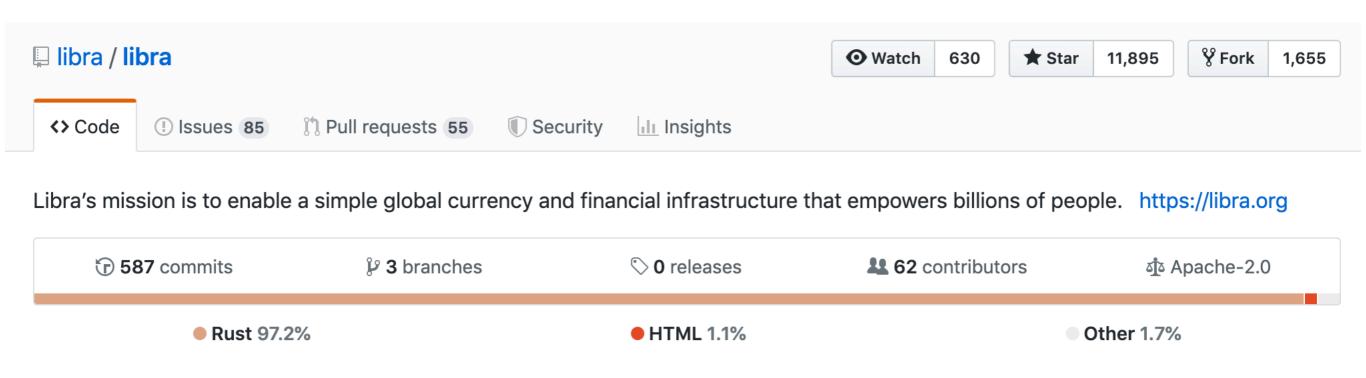
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Rust projects?

Facebook Libra



https://github.com/libra/libra

































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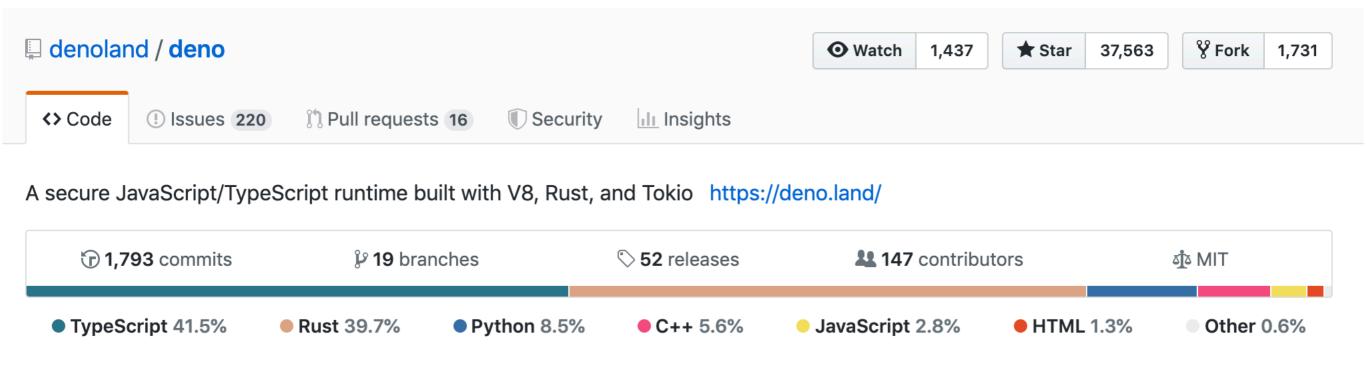


"Why was Rust chosen"?



https://www.c-span.org/video/?c4808083/rust-language-chosen

Deno

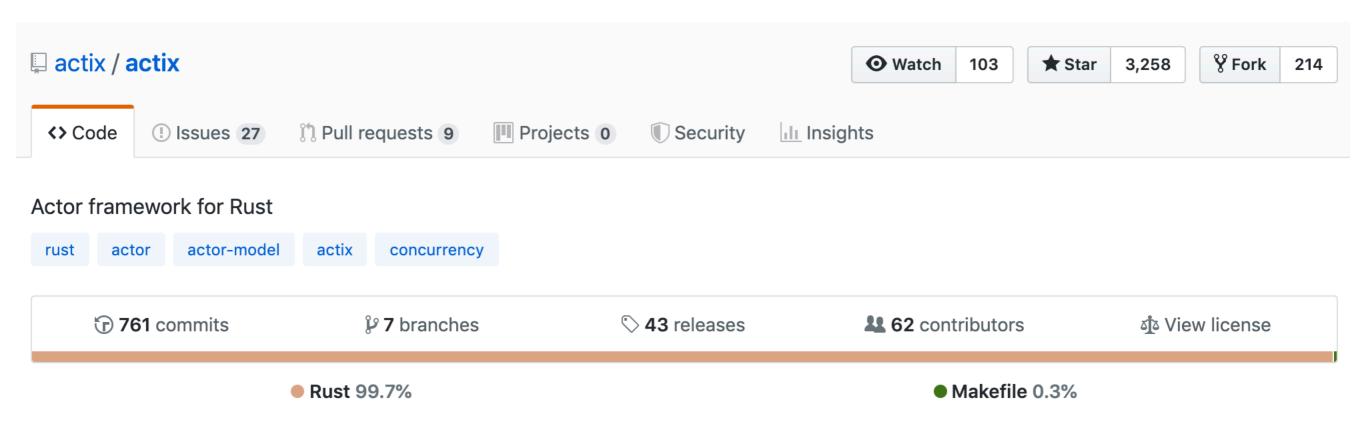


https://github.com/denoland/deno

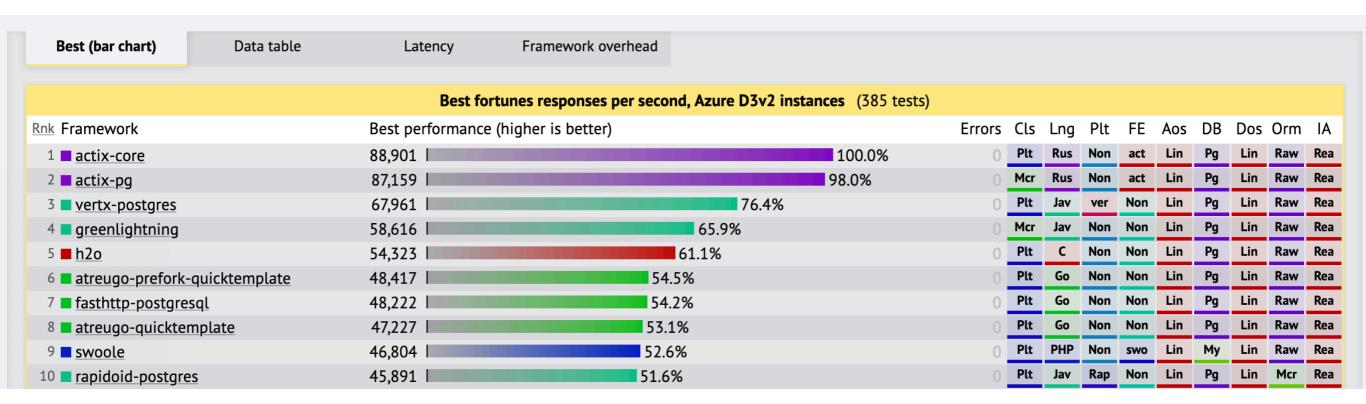
Deno

- From Ryan Dahl (creator of Node.js)
- TypeScript runtime, built with Rust
- Security-focused

Actix



A fast web framework



Fortune, Web Framework Benchmarks, TechPower, 2019-07-09/Round18



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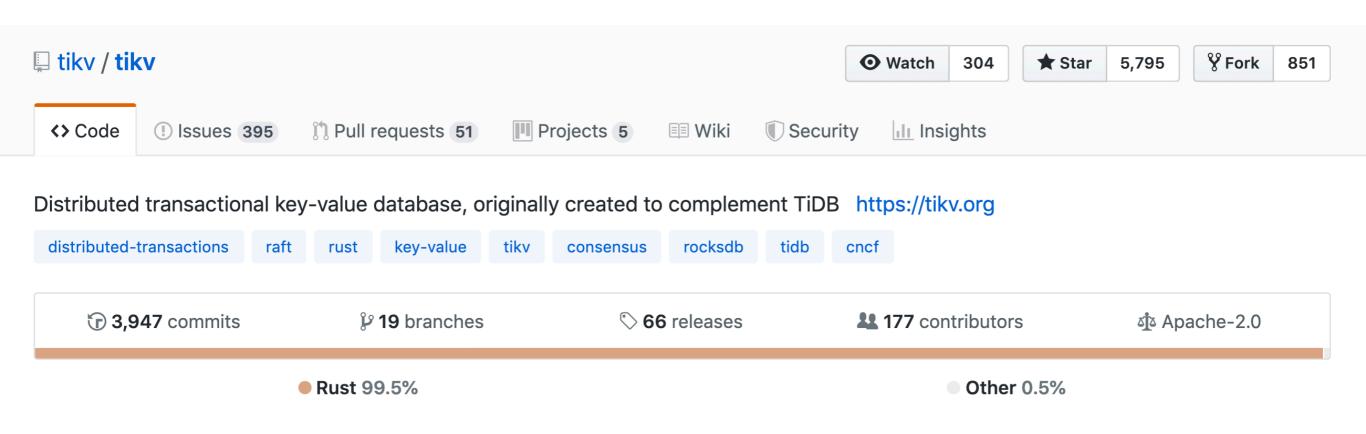
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TechEmpower/FrameworkBenchmarks: Source for the ... - GitHub

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TiKV



https://github.com/tikv/tikv

Google Fuchsia



https://fuchsia.dev/

You already know some Rust

Define variables

functions

```
fn is_even(n: i16) -> bool {
  return n % 2 == 0
def is even(n: int) -> bool:
  return n % 2 == 0
def is even(n):
  return n % 2 == 0
```

Iterate over array

```
[1, 2, 3].each {
    |num| puts "got #{num}"
}
```

Define object shapes

```
struct Human {
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      alive: bool,
      age: u16,
    interface Human {
      alive: bool,
      age: number,
```

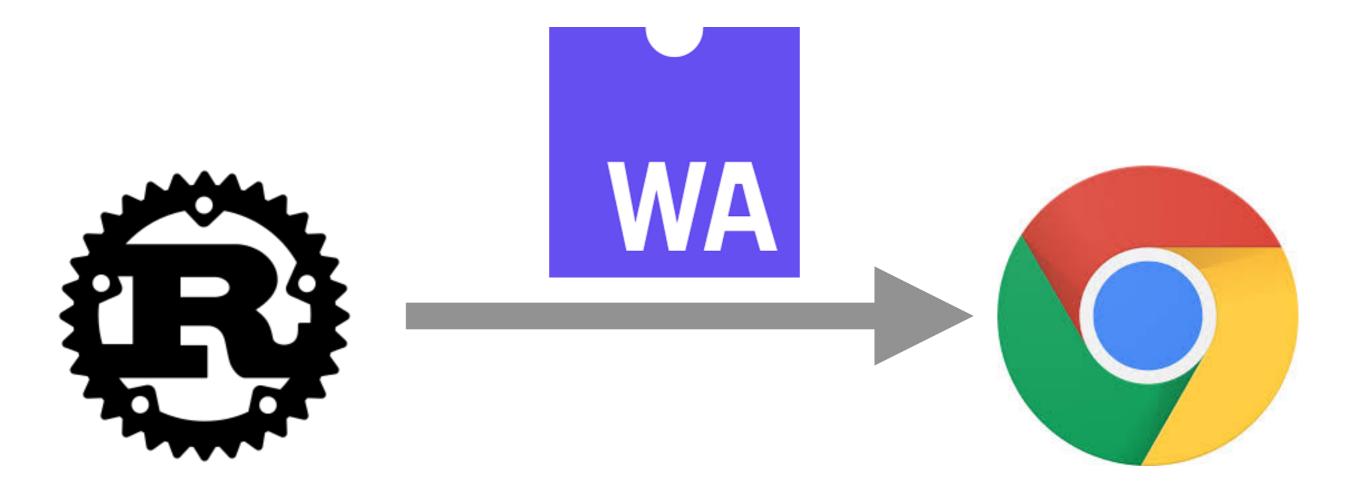
Create objects

```
let andy = Human {
      alive: false,
      age: 80,
    };
let andy = {
     alive: false,
     age: 80,
   };
```

Talk is cheap, Show me the code

Live-coding an SPA click counter

Yew



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- Playground https://play.rust-lang.org/
- Learn: https://www.rust-lang.org/learn
- Join Rust Telegram groups (in Chinese)
 - https://t.me/rust_tw
 - https://t.me/rust_zh

Thanks!

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