PyO3: Python Loves Rust

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 What

What Why

What Why How

Low-level

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Performance

Performance Safety

Performance Safety "Low-level parsing"

Check whether character appears more than X times

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Just interesting enough

Rust example: Enum

```
enum Reset {
    NewlinesReset,
    SpacesReset,
    NoReset,
}
```

Rust example: Struct

```
struct Counter {
    what: char,
    min_number: u64,
    reset: Reset,
}
```

Rust example: Impl

```
impl Counter {
    fn has_count(
        &self,
        data: &str,
) -> bool {
        has_count(self, data.chars())
}
```

Rust example: Loop

```
fn has_count(cntr: &Counter, chars: std::str::Chars
    let mut current_count : u64 = 0;
    for c in chars {
        if got_count(cntr, c, &mut current_count) {
            return true;
        }
    }
    false
}
```

Rust example: Counting

```
fn got_count(cntr: &Counter, c: char, current_count
    if *current_count >= cntr.min_number {
        return true;
    }
    maybe_reset(cntr, c, current_count);
    maybe_incr(cntr, c, current_count);
    false
}
```

Rust example: Reset

Rust example: Increment

```
fn maybe_incr(cntr: &Counter, c: char, current_coun
    if c == cntr.what {
       *current_count += 1;
    };
}
```

PyO3

Inline

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Inline Modify together

PyO3 example: Include

```
use pyo3::prelude::*;
```

PyO3 example: Wrap enum

```
#[pyclass]
#[derive(Clone)]
#[derive(Copy)]
enum Reset {
    /* ... */
}
```

PyO3 example: Wrap struct

PyO3 example: Wrap impl

```
#[pymethods]
impl Counter {
    #[new]
    fn new(what: char, min_number: u64, reset: Rese
        Counter{what: what, min_number: min_number,
    }
    /* ... */
}
```

PyO3 example: Define module

```
#[pymodule]
fn counter(_py: Python, m: &PyModule) -> PyResult <(
    m. add_class:: < Counter >()?;
    m. add_class:: < Reset >()?;
    Ok(())
}
```

Maturin develop

(venv)\$ maturin develop

Maturin build

(venv)\$ maturin build

Python

Use!

Import

import counter

Constructor

 ${\tt cntr} = {\tt counter.Counter('c', 3, counter.Reset.Newlin}$

Call

 $\verb"cntr.has_count" ("hello-c-c-c-goodbye")"$

True

Call

 ${\tt cntr.has_count("hello-c-c-\backslash nc-goodbye")}$

False

Take-aways

Why?

$\mathsf{Rust} + \mathsf{Python}$

Easy!

Rust:

Rust: High-performance,

Rust: High-performance, safe,

Rust: High-performance, safe, learning curve,

Rust: High-performance, safe, learning curve, awkward prototyping

Rust: High-performance, safe, learning curve, awkward prototyping Python:

Rust: High-performance, safe, learning curve, awkward prototyping Python: Easy,

Rust: High-performance, safe, learning curve, awkward prototyping Python: Easy, tight iteration,

Rust: High-performance, safe, learning curve, awkward prototyping Python: Easy, tight iteration, Speed cap

Prototype in Python

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Deployment

Deployment Development

Deployment Development Enjoy!