

STUNIR Module Organization

This document describes the module structure and organization of the STUNIR codebase.

Directory Structure

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stunir_repo/
├── tools/                                # Core tooling
│   ├── cli.py                          # Main CLI entry point
│   └── ir_emitter/                     # IR emission tools
│       ├── __init__.py
│       └── emit_ir.py                 # Spec → IR conversion
│   ├── ir_canonicalizer/              # IR canonicalization
│   │   ├── stunir-ir.cabal            # Haskell canonicalizer
│   │   └── emitters/                  # Code emitters
│   │       ├── emit_code.py           # Target dispatch
│   │       └── native/                # Native implementations
│   │           ├── haskell/            # Haskell native tools
│   │           └── stunir-native/
│   │               ├── src/
│   │               │   ├── Main.hs
│   │               │   └── Stunir/
│   │               │       ├── Manifest.hs
│   │               │       ├── Provenance.hs
│   │               │       ├── Canonical.hs
│   │               │       └── Receipt.hs
│   │               └── stunir-native.cabal
│   └── rust/                           # Rust native tools
│       └── stunir-native/
│           ├── src/
│           │   ├── main.rs
│           │   ├── lib.rs
│           │   ├── canonical.rs
│           │   └── crypto.rs
│           └── Cargo.toml
├── conformance/                        # Conformance testing
├── manifests/                          # Manifest generation
│   ├── __init__.py
│   ├── base.py                        # Shared utilities
│   └── ir/                            # IR manifests
│       ├── gen_ir_manifest.py
│       └── verify_ir_manifest.py
│   ├── receipts/                      # Receipt manifests
│   ├── contracts/                    # Contract manifests
│   ├── targets/                      # Target manifests
│   └── pipeline/                     # Pipeline manifests
├── targets/                           # Target code generation
│   ├── asm/                          # Assembly targets
│   │   ├── ir/
│   │   └── README.md
│   ├── polyglot/                     # High-level language targets
│   │   ├── c_base.py                 # Shared C utilities
│   │   ├── rust/
│   │   ├── c89/
│   │   └── c99/
│   └── assembly/                     # Low-level assembly
│       ├── base.py                   # Shared assembly utilities
│       ├── x86/
│       └── arm/
├── spec/                              # Specification files
│   ├── targets/
│   │   └── polyglot/
│   │       └── skeletons/            # Project skeletons
│   └── schemas/                      # JSON schemas
├── scripts/                           # Build and utility scripts
│   ├── build.sh                      # Polyglot build entry
│   ├── verify.sh                     # Verification script
│   └── verify_strict.sh              # Strict verification

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lib/	# Script libraries
emit_dcbor.sh	# dCBOR emission
tests/	# Test suite
unit/	# Unit tests
integration/	# Integration tests
determinism/	# Determinism tests
docs/	# Documentation
development/	# Developer guides
api/	# API documentation
.github/	# GitHub configuration
workflows/	# CI/CD workflows
dependabot.yml	# Dependency updates

Module Hierarchy

Core Modules

stunir (root)	
tools	# Tooling namespace
cli	# CLI interface
ir_emitter	# IR emission
emitters	# Code generation
manifests	# Manifest system
base	# Shared utilities
ir	# IR manifests
receipts	# Receipt manifests
targets	# Target manifests
targets	# Code targets
asm	# Assembly output
polyglot	# Multi-language
assembly	# Low-level asm

Import Guidelines

Within STUNIR

```
# Absolute imports preferred
from manifests.base import canonical_json, compute_sha256
from tools.ir_emitter.emit_ir import spec_to_ir
from targets.polyglot.c_base import CEmitterBase

# Relative imports for same package
from .base import BaseManifestGenerator
from ..utils import helper_function
```

Public API

```
# For external use, import from package root
from manifests import canonical_json, BaseManifestGenerator
from tools import emit_ir
```

Circular Dependency Prevention

1. Base modules have no internal dependencies

- manifests/base.py - standalone utilities
- targets/polyglot/c_base.py - standalone C utilities

2. Type hints use forward references

```
```python
from future import annotations
from typing import TYPE_CHECKING

if TYPE_CHECKING:
 from .generator import ManifestGenerator
```
```

1. Lazy imports for optional features

```
python
def use_optional_feature():
    from optional_module import feature
    return feature()
```

Module Responsibilities

manifests/base.py

- `canonical_json()` - RFC 8785 JSON canonicalization
- `compute_sha256()` - SHA-256 hashing
- `compute_file_hash()` - File hashing
- `scan_directory()` - Directory scanning
- `BaseManifestGenerator` - Abstract generator class
- `BaseManifestVerifier` - Abstract verifier class

manifests/ir/

- `gen_ir_manifest.py` - Generate IR manifests
- `verify_ir_manifest.py` - Verify IR manifests

tools/ir_emitter/

- `emit_ir.py` - Convert spec to IR
- Deterministic JSON output
- SHA-256 computation

targets/polyglot/

- `c_base.py` - Shared C89/C99 utilities
- `rust/emitter.py` - Rust target emitter
- `c89/emitter.py` - C89 target emitter
- `c99/emitter.py` - C99 target emitter

targets/assembly/

- `base.py` - Shared assembly utilities
- `x86/emitter.py` - x86 assembly emitter
- `arm/emitter.py` - ARM assembly emitter

Naming Conventions

Files

| Type | Convention | Example |
|------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Module | snake_case | emit_ir.py |
| Generator | gen_<type>_manifest.py | gen_ir_manifest.py |
| Verifier | verify_<type>_manifest.py | verify_ir_manifest.py |
| Emitter | emitter.py | targets/rust/emitter.py |
| Base/Utils | base.py | manifests/base.py |

Classes

| Type | Convention | Example |
|------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Generator | <Type>ManifestGenerator | IrManifestGenerator |
| Verifier | <Type>ManifestVerifier | IrManifestVerifier |
| Emitter | <Target>Emitter | RustEmitter |
| Data class | <Entity> | ManifestEntry |

Functions

| Type | Convention | Example |
|-----------|-------------|-------------------|
| Public | snake_case | compute_sha256() |
| Private | _snake_case | _emit_statement() |
| Factory | create_ | create_manifest() |
| Converter | to | spec_to_ir() |

Public/Private Boundaries

Public Exports

Define in `__init__.py` :

```
# manifests/__init__.py
from .base import (
    canonical_json,
    compute_sha256,
    compute_file_hash,
    scan_directory,
    BaseManifestGenerator,
    BaseManifestVerifier,
)

__all__ = [
    "canonical_json",
    "compute_sha256",
    "compute_file_hash",
    "scan_directory",
    "BaseManifestGenerator",
    "BaseManifestVerifier",
]
```

Private Functions

Prefix with underscore:

```
def _internal_helper():
    """Internal helper, not part of public API."""
    pass

class MyClass:
    def _private_method(self):
        """Private method."""
        pass
```

Testing Organization

```
tests/
├── conftest.py           # Shared fixtures
├── unit/                 # Unit tests (isolated)
│   ├── test_canonical.py
│   ├── test_sha256.py
│   └── manifests/
│       ├── test_base.py
│       └── test_ir_manifest.py
├── integration/         # Integration tests
│   ├── test_full_pipeline.py
│   └── test_manifest_workflow.py
└── determinism/         # Determinism verification
    ├── test_json_determinism.py
    └── test_hash_determinism.py
```

Test Naming

```
def test_compute_sha256_with_bytes():  
    """Test SHA-256 with bytes input."""  
    pass  
  
def test_compute_sha256_with_string():  
    """Test SHA-256 with string input."""  
    pass  
  
def test_compute_sha256_empty_raises_error():  
    """Test SHA-256 raises ValueError for empty input."""  
    pass
```