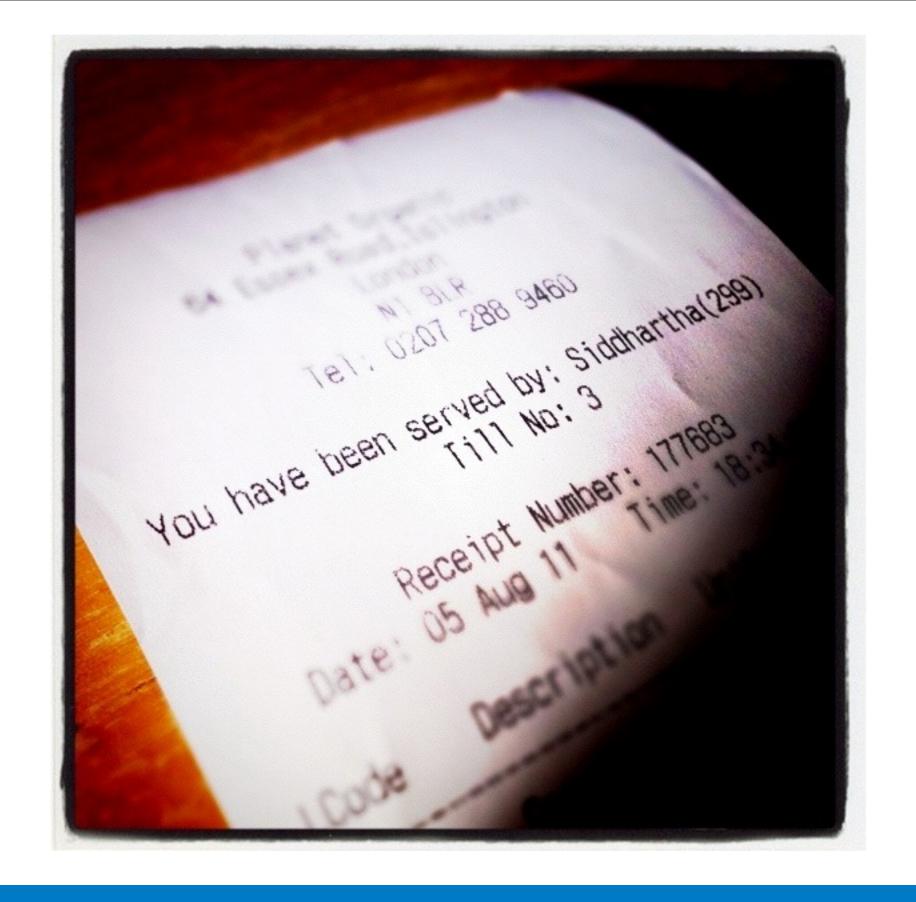
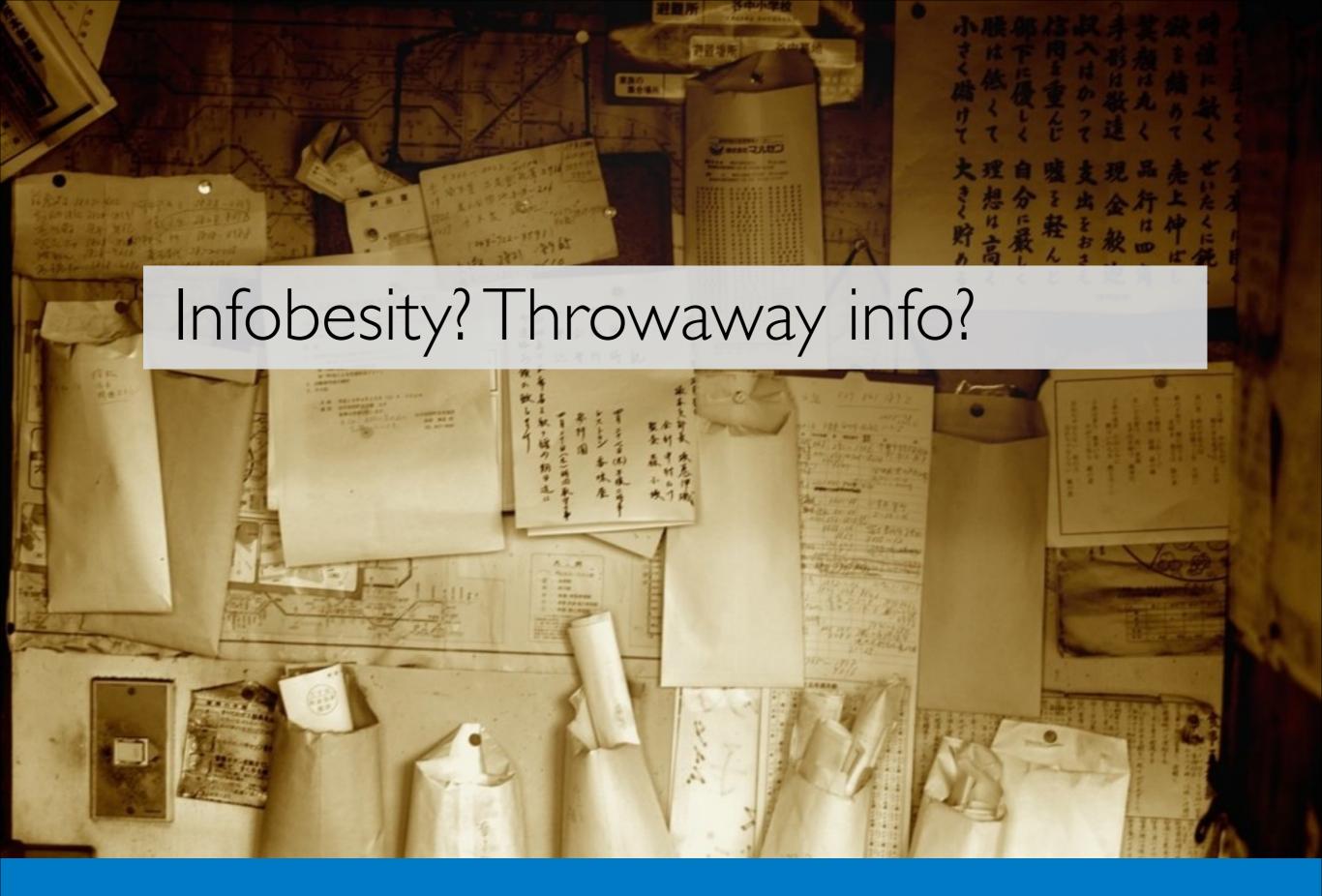
# Web, Rust and Patina

A (hopefully) short rant on Information, Time and the Web

Translated and abridged from a presentation at Paris Web 2013

























Saeri @EASYSaeri I'll erase the old tweets sobs





houstoniamtheproblem @kllymmsmth

should prob delete some old tweets.. Mehhh its like trying to erase history. #Survivor #ilovefall



2 Oct



98.7 Kiss FM @987kissradio

A California law says that a company Must erase all of her damaging tweets? If you could have your old tweets and... fb.me/2P9pS9sgO





Emma @em\_copes

@Jwelch6 I know but I had to do it to erase the tweets a 14 year old me posted. Shameful.



WhiteGirlLover @KingOfPlanetX

tweetdelete.net, deleteallmytweets.com RT @\_\_J\_R: How do you just erase all your old tweets

27 Aug















































### A living memorial on early Web culture and an effort to maintain an amazingly extensive collection of information

#### Welcome to OoCities.org

In October 2009 we archived our olden cities of the web: The unique pages on "GeoCities.com" just before they were taken down. Geocities started in 1994 and was the first giant "social network" and one of the most important websites in the world until it was closed on 27.10.2009. Our aim is to save those pages which are worthy and unique scientific sources or are of great public interest as well as those, which are historically interesting or just representing the 90's website culture and style. If you are interested in these old pages feel free to browse around. Please note: it will be quite a while until most pages are sorted, completed and free of any spam contents! In case you are searching for your own personal site, there is a small chance that we have it but have not put it online yet. In case you want your own page, email or picture to be removed, contact us as well. For any questions, read our FAO or contact us at oocities {AT} gmail {DOT} com

#### GeoCities Neighborhoods

Until 1999, GeoCities pages were sorted into categories using the following scheme: GeoCities.com/neighborhood/number starting with number 1000 and counting up to 9999. Thus each neighborhood (=category) or subneighborhood contains up to 9000 pages. (Full list of GeoCities Subneighborhoods)

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Athens ::: Teaching, education, philosophy, reading, writing

Augusta ::: Golf

Baja ::: Off-road & adventure travel

BourbonStreet ::: Jazz, New Orleans, Cajun food, Southern United States topics

CapeCanaveral ::: Science, mathematics, aviation, technology, engineering,

CapitolHill ::: Government and Politics

CollegePark ::: University life

Colosseum ··· Athletics & sports

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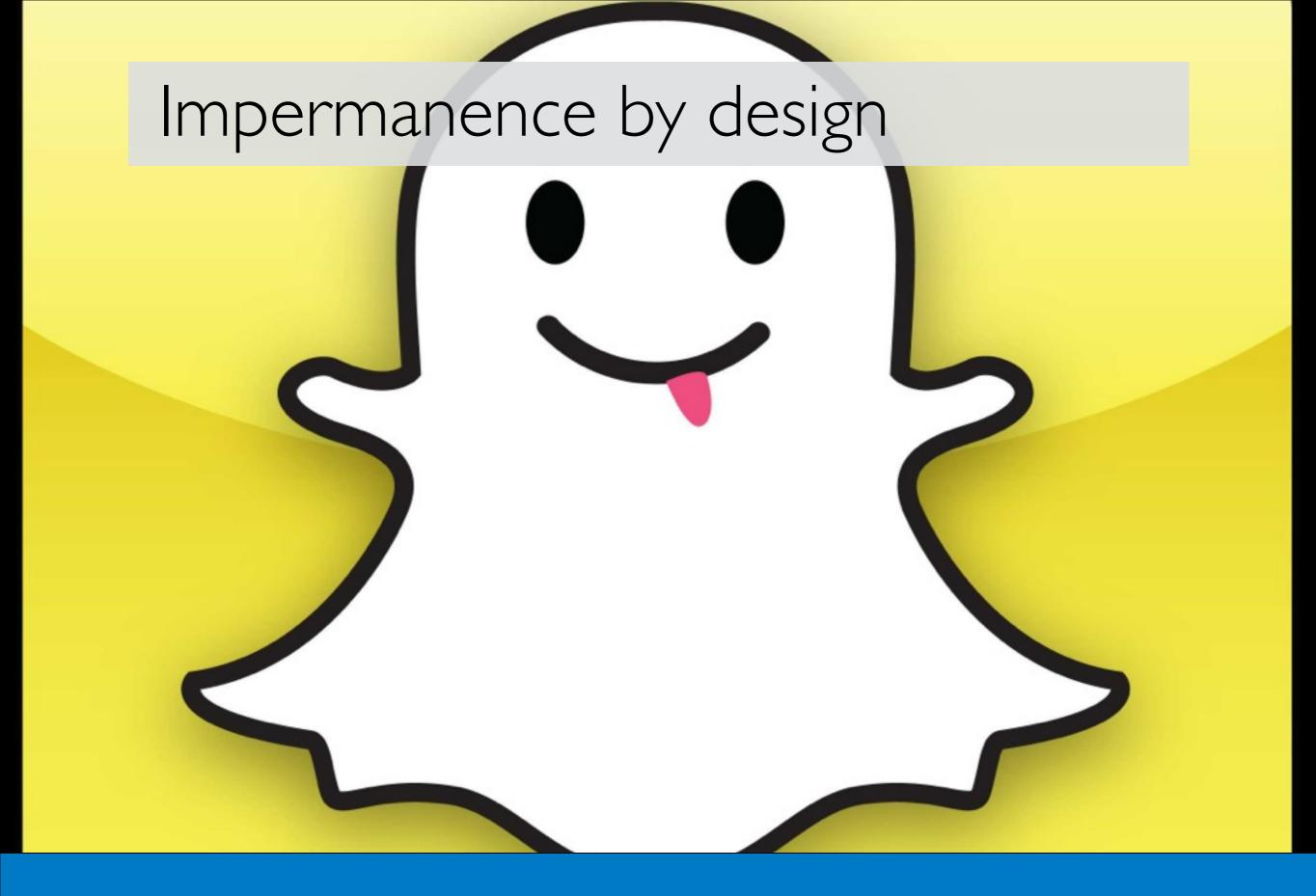
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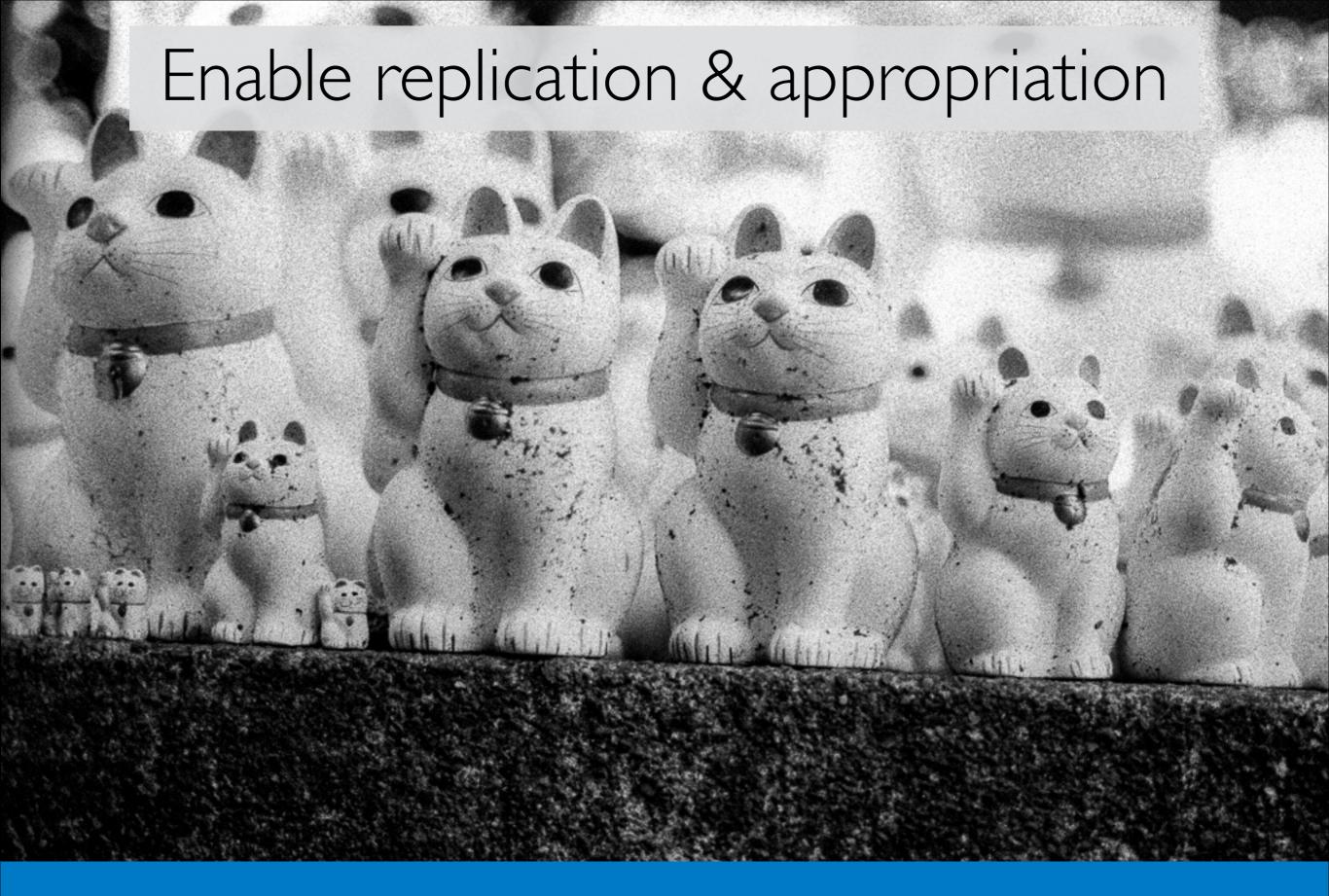




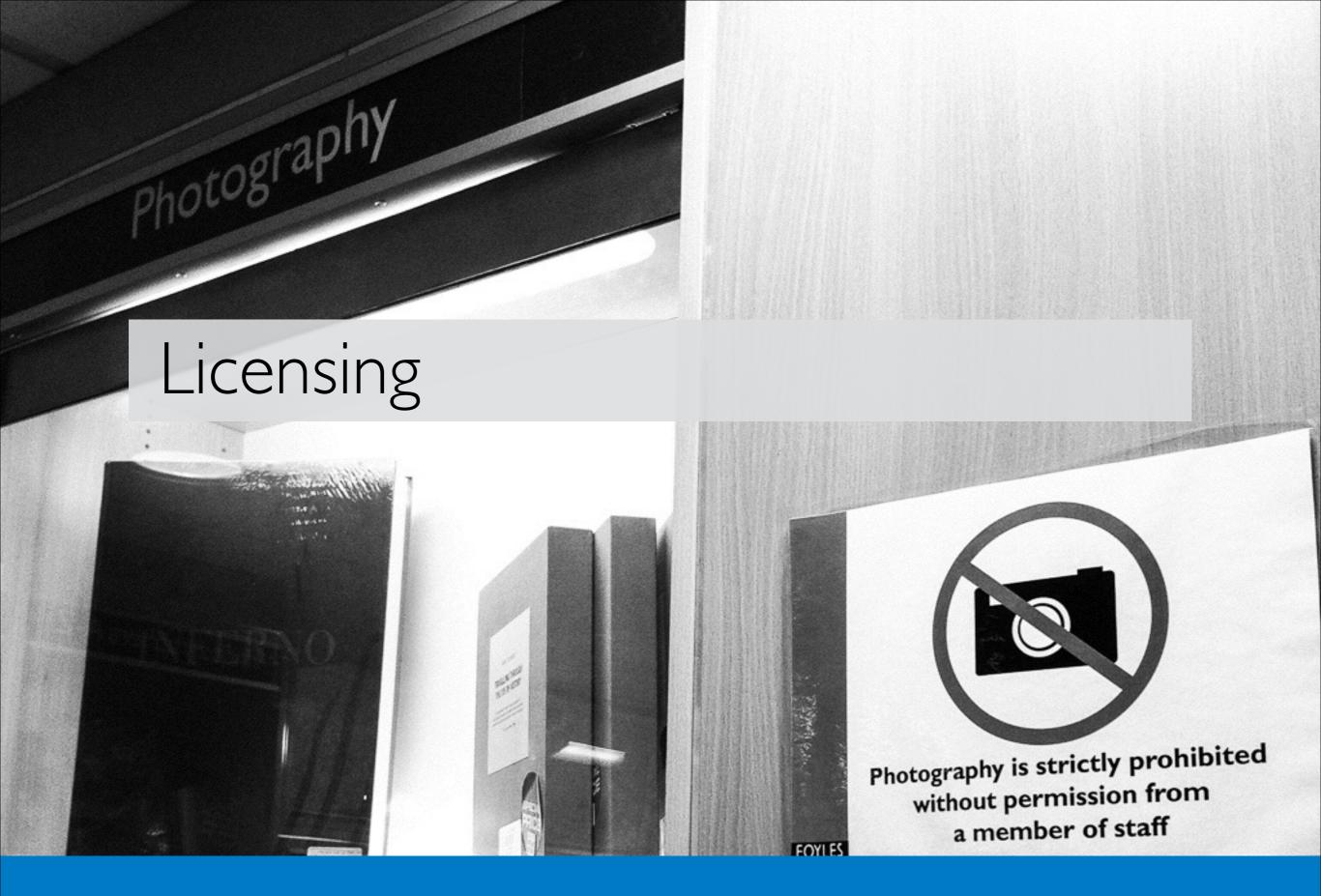






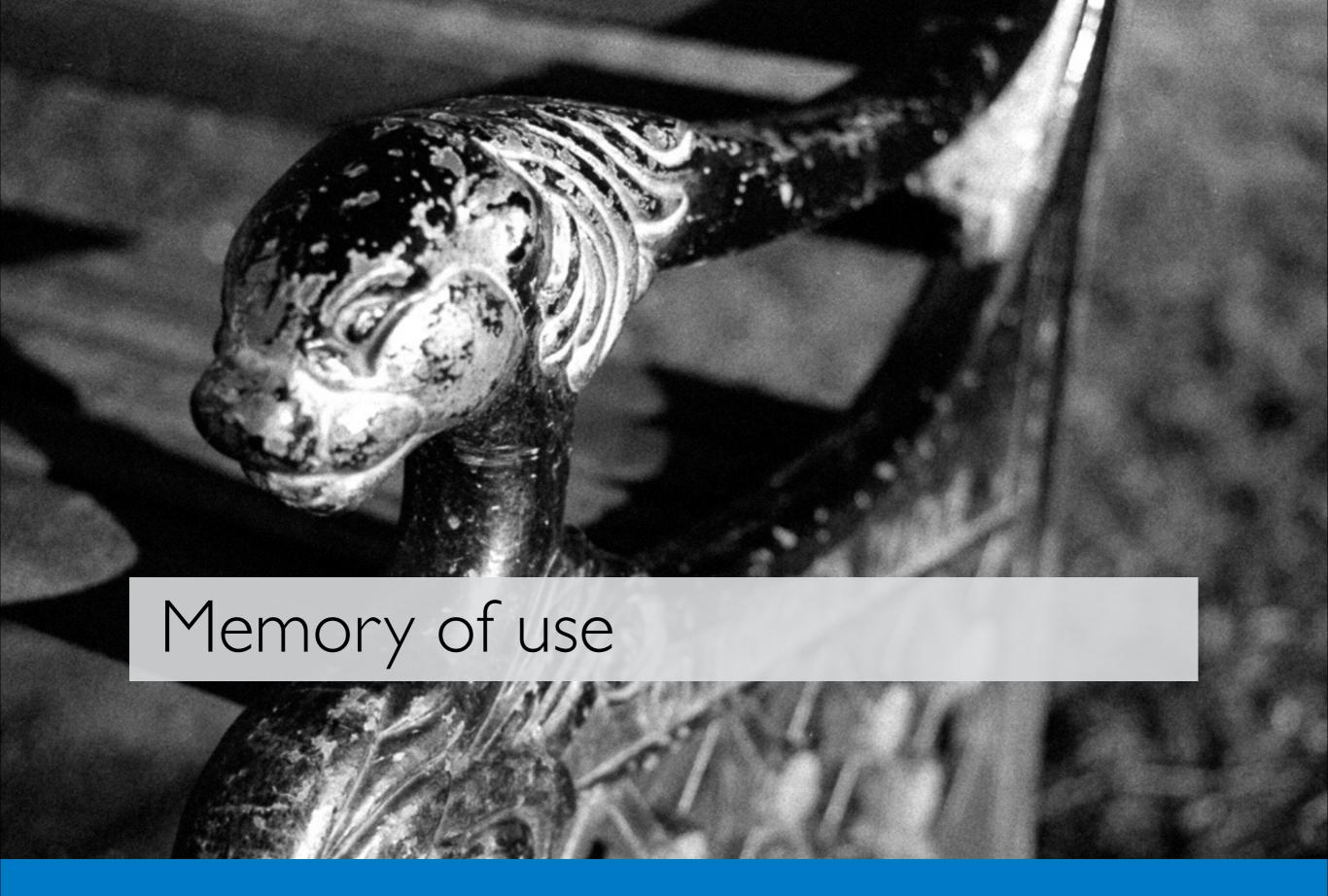














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Questions?

http://github.com/olivierthereaux/rustyweb

