

Scientific Computing With Rust

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Team and Research Focus

Research Focus:

1. Numerical Analysis & Scientific Computing
2. PDEs: Acoustics, Electromagnetics, Electrostatics
3. High-Performance Computing and Software Engineering



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My Research

'Science with Computers and Maths'

1. High Performance Computing
2. Heterogenous Computing
3. Software Engineering
4. Problems in Physics and Engineering

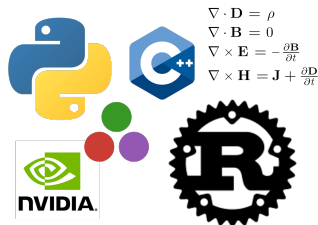


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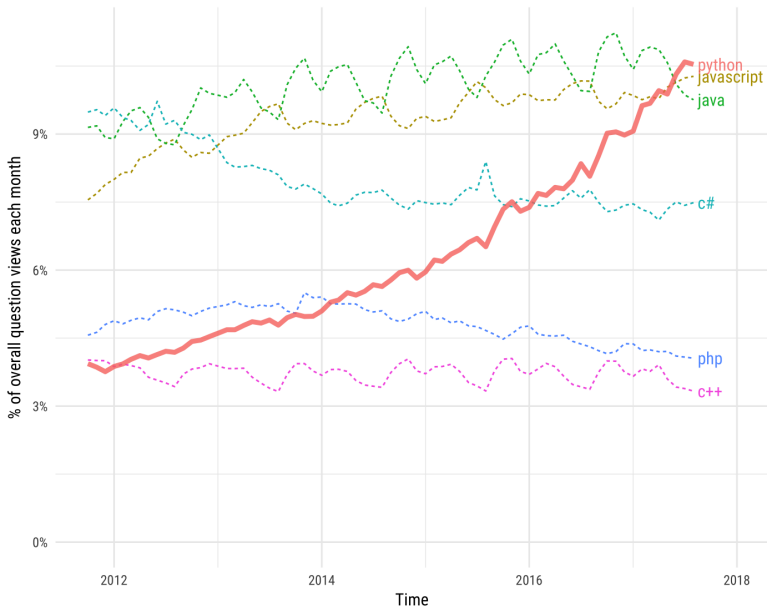
Expressing Scientific Problems With Software

There is no 'best' language for expressing scientific problems with software.

Though Python has emerged as a defacto standard amongst scientists and engineers for a broad spectrum of problems.

Growth of major programming languages

Based on Stack Overflow question views in World Bank high-income countries



The Two Language Problem

1. Languages suited for human needs, are less efficient for computers to run.
2. Languages easy for computers to run efficiently, are correspondingly less easy for humans to use!

Why Rust?

Don't a lot of the 'two language' problems still exist?

Cons of Rust

State of Scientific Computing in Rust

Recent formation of the Rust working group within UCL's Advanced Research Computing department, to commit developer hours to open source Rust infrastructure.

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