SPEED UP YOUR APP WITH

CRYSTAL

INTRODUCTION

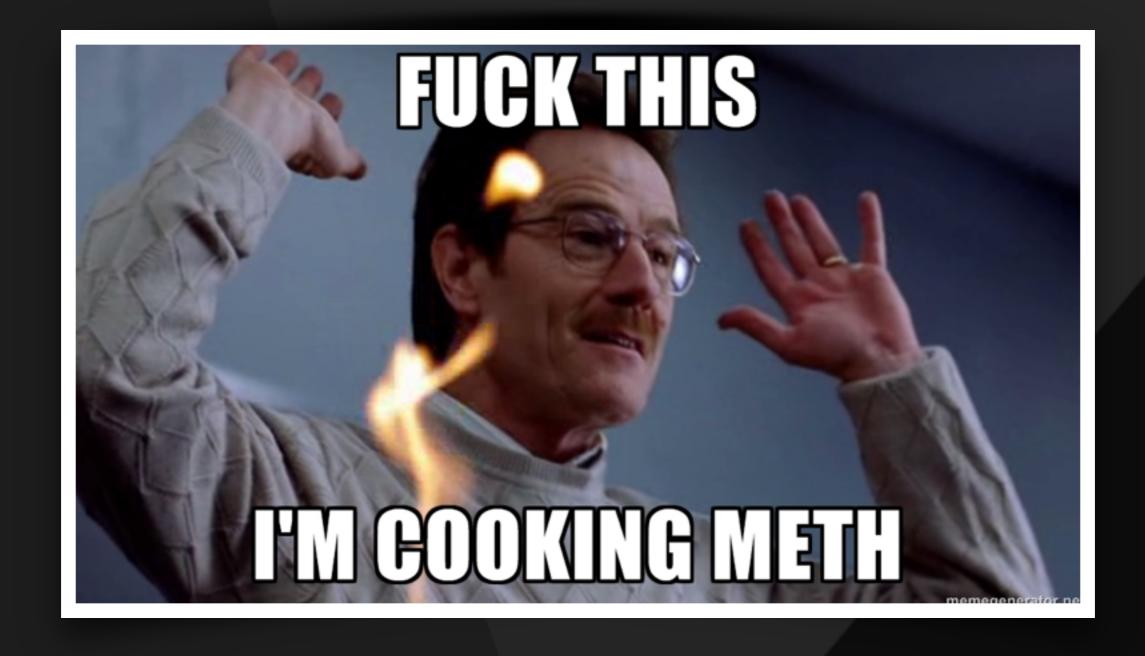
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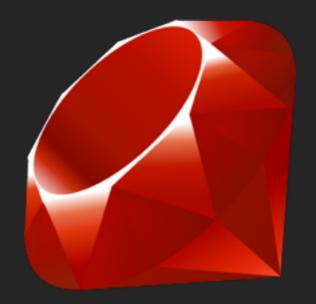


"Crystal is a great tool for your toolkit where high performance is paramount."

- Mike Perham author of Sidekiq



- ✓ Started in 2012
- Currently on v 0.18.0
- Statically type-checked but without having to specify the type of variables or method arguments
- Compiles to efficient native code
- Ruby-inspired syntax

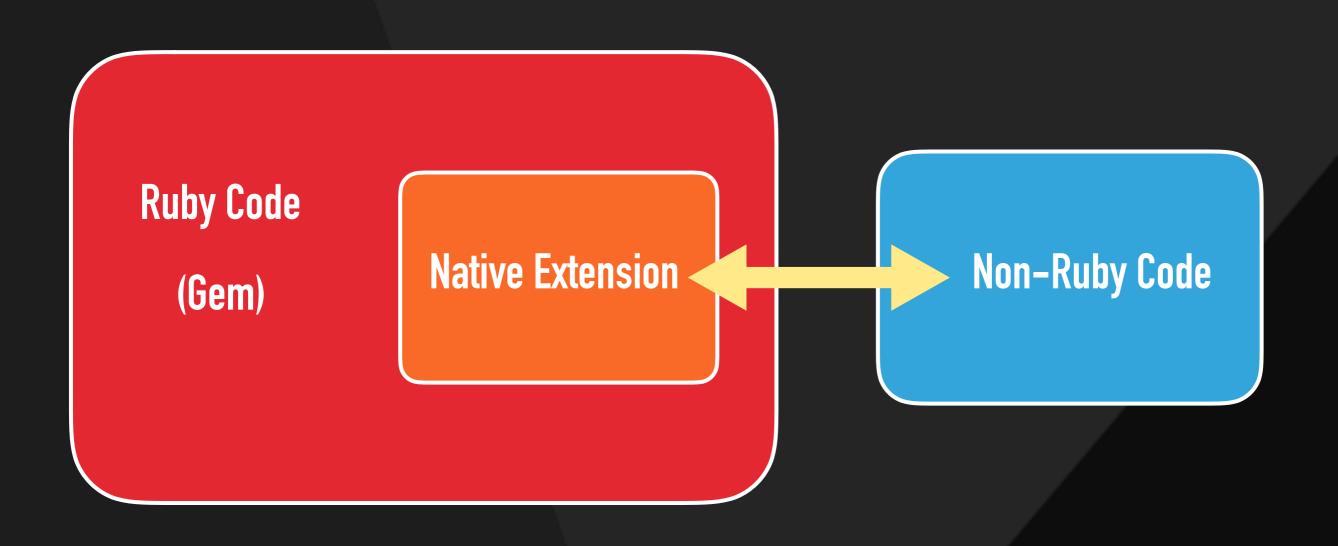


BUT THIS IS A RUBY MEETUP



...DO YOU HAVE A MOMENT TO TALK ABOUT NATIVE EXTENSIONS?

"Native extensions" are the glue that connects a Ruby gem with some other non-Ruby software component or library present on your machine.



- ✓ Usually written in C
- ✓ Included in Ruby Gem package
- ✓ Provides interface for Gem code to interact with C code.

This means that Ruby gem authors can use Ruby to do what Ruby is best at, but switch to C or some other programming language or library when that makes sense.



WHAT ABOUT CRYSTAL?

AVAILABLE TYPES

Nil

Bool

Int - Int8, Int16, Int32, Int64 & Unsigned counterparts (UInt8, etc.)

Float - Float32, Float64

Char - 32bit UTF-8 character

String

Symbol

Array

Hash

Range

Regex

Tuple

NamedTuple

Proc

AVAILABLE TYPES - NIL

```
foo = nil
foo # nil
foo.class # Nil
```

AVAILABLE TYPES - BOOL

```
foo = true
foo # true
foo.class # Bool
afoo : Bool = true
```

AVAILABLE TYPES - INTEGERS

```
# Int8
1_i8
1_i16
      # Int16
1_i32
      # Int32
1_i64
      # Int64
1_u8
      # UInt8
1_u16
      # UInt16
1_u32
      # UInt32
1_u64
      # UInt64
+10
      # Int32
-20
      # Int32
2147483648
                   # Int64
9223372036854775808 # UInt64
```

Int32

```
42.to_s  # "42"
42.even?  # true
42.remainder 5  # 2
42.pred  # 41
42.downto 36  # ...
```

AVAILABLE TYPES - FLOAT

1.0 # Float64

1.0_f32 # Float32

1_f32 # Float32

1e10 # Float64

1.5e10 # Float64

1.5e-7 # Float64

+1.3 # Float64

-0.5 # Float64

42.42.round # 42.0

42.42.ceil # 43.0

42.42.to_i # 42

AVAILABLE TYPES - STRING

```
"hello"
'hello'
<+TEXT
...

TEXT
a, b = "foo", "bar"
"#{a} #{b}"</pre>
```

"hello"

ERROR

"foo bar"

AVAILABLE TYPES – STRING

```
"foo" * 3
"bar".chars
"BAZ".downcase
"World".gsub("or", "i")
"Hello" + "World"
"Hello" << "World"</pre>
```

```
# "foofoofoo"
# ['b', 'a', 'r']
# "baz"
# "Wild"
# "HelloWorld"
# ERROR
```

AVAILABLE TYPES – ARRAY

```
arr = [] of String
arr : Array(String | Int32)
["r", 42, true, 'x'].class
%w(foo bar baz)
%i(foo bar baz)
arr << "foo"
arr << 42</pre>
```

CLASS DEFINITIONS

```
class Person
 aabrain = 1
 def initialize(name : String)
   aname = name
 end
 def name
   aname
 end
 def self.brain
   aabrain
 end
```

end

CLASS DEFINITIONS

A method's return type is always inferred by the compiler.

However, you might want to specify it for two reasons:

- ✓ To make sure that the method returns the type that you want
- ✓ To make it appear in documentation comments

```
def some_method : String
   "hello"
end
```

OVERLOADING

you can have different methods with the same name and different number of arguments and they will be considered as separate methods. This is called **method overloading**.

Methods overload by several criteria:

- ✓ The number of arguments
- ✓ The type restrictions applied to arguments
- ✓ The names of required named arguments
- ✓ Whether the method accepts a block or not

OVERLOADING

```
class Roster
 aattendees : String = ""
 def add_attendee
   aattendees += "Anonymous"
  end
 def add_attendee(name : String)
    aattendees += name
  end
  def add_attendee(names : Array(String))
    names.each{ | name | aattendees += name }
  end
 def add_attendee(name : String)
   aattendees += yield name
 end
end
```



ARGUMENTS

NAMED ARGUMENTS

All arguments can also be specified, in addition to their position, by their name.

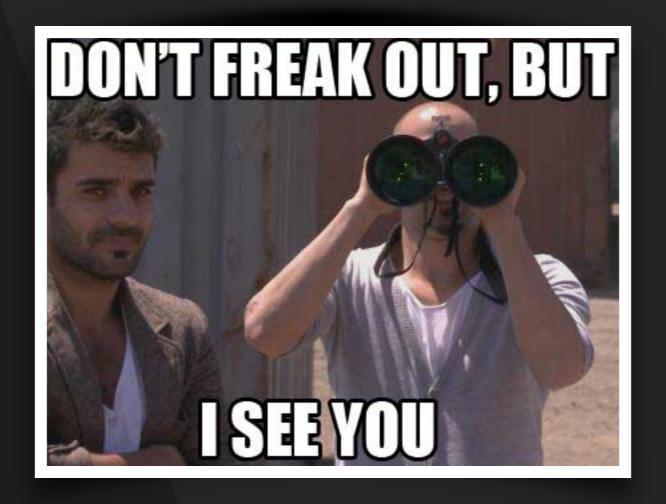
```
john.become_older by: 5
```

def some_method(x, y = 1, z = 2, w = 3)

When there are many arguments, the order of the names in the invocation don't matter, as long as all required arguments are covered:

SPLATS AND TUPLES

```
def sum(*elements)
  elements.reduce(0){|sum,i| sum += i }
end
sum 1, 2, 3 #=> 6
sum 1, 2, 3, 4.5 \# = > 10.5
def coords(**points)
  puts points
end
coords(x: 7, y: 8, z: 0) \#=>\{x: 7, y: 8, z: 0\}
```



VISIBILITY

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Methods are public by default: the compiler will always let you invoke them. Because public is the default, there is no public keyword.

There are also protected and private methods.

```
class Visibility

def small

afoo.downcase

end

private def large

afoo.upcase

end

end
```

ACCESSORS

Crystal uses the keywords: getter, setter, and property rather than the ruby attr syntax.

RUBY

```
attr_accessor :foo
```

attr_writer :bar

attr_accessor :baz

CRYSTAL

getter :foo

setter :bar

property :baz

BLOCK SHORTHAND

RUBY

```
["a", "b", "c"].map(&:upcase)
["a", "b", "c"].map(&.*(3)) # ERROR
```

CRYSTAL

```
["a", "b", "c"].map(&.upcase)
["a", "b", "c"].map(&.*(3))
```

MACROS

Macros are methods that receive AST nodes at compile-time and produce code that is pasted into a program.

```
macro define_method(name, content)
  def {{name}}
    {{content}}
  end
end
# This generates:
def foo
end
define_method foo, 1
foo #=> 1
```

MACROS - CONDITIONALS

```
macro define_method(name, content)
  def {{name}}
    {% if content == 1 %}
        "one"
        {% else %}
        {{content}}
        {% end %}
    end
end
```

MACROS - ITERATING

```
macro define_dummy_methods(names)
  {% for name, index in names %}
    def {{name.id}}
      {{index}}
    end
  {% end %}
end
define_dummy_methods [foo, bar, baz]
foo #=> 0
bar #=> 1
baz #=> 2
```

CONCURRENCY / PARALLELISM

A concurrent system is one that can be in charge of many tasks, although it is not necessarily executing them at the same time.

You can think of yourself being in the kitchen cooking: you chop an onion, put it to fry, and while it's being fried you chop a tomato, but you are not doing all of those things at the same time: you distribute your time between those tasks.

Parallelism would be to stir fry onions with one hand while with the other one you chop a tomato.

CONCURRENCY / PARALLELISM

- Crystal currently supports concurrency, but not parallelism.
- → A Crystal program executes in a single operating system thread, except the Garbage Collector (GC) which implements a concurrent mark-and-sweep (currently Boehm GC).

FIBERS

To achieve concurrency, Crystal has fibers.

A fiber is in a way similar to an operating system thread except that it's much more lightweight and its execution is managed internally by the process. So, a program will spawn multiple fibers and Crystal will make sure to execute them when the time is right.

EVENT LOOP

For everything I/O related there's an event loop.

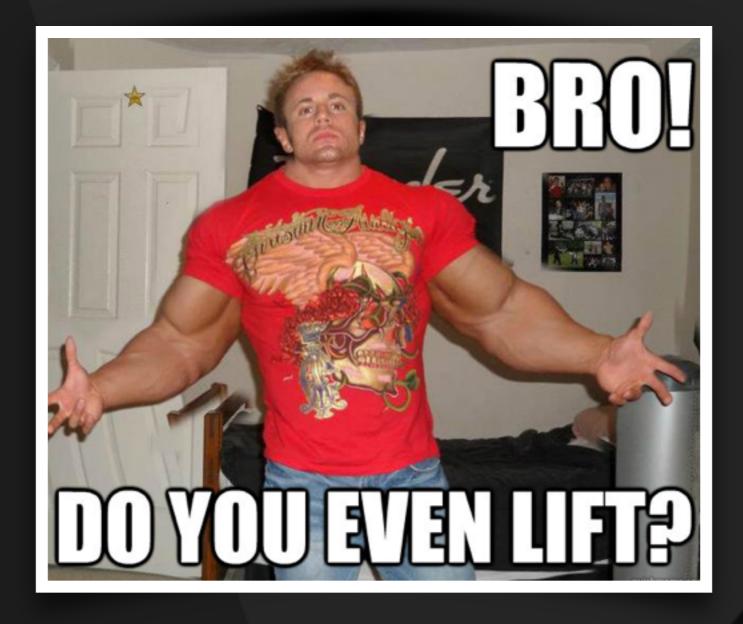
Some time-consuming operations are delegated to it, and while the event loop waits for that operation to finish the program can continue executing other fibers.

CHANNELS

Crystal has Channels inspired by CSP*.

They allow communicating data between fibers without sharing memory and without having to worry about locks, semaphores or other special structures.

^{*}communicating sequential processes (CSP) is a formal language for describing patterns of interaction in concurrent systems.



CODING EXERCISE



BACK TO NATIVE EXTENSIONS

FAST BLANK

fast_blank is a simple C extension which provides a fast implementation of Active Support's String#blank? method written by Sam Saffron

96 Lines of C code

BENCHMARK (string length: speed)

0 : +13.75x

6 : +7.53x

14 : +11.80x

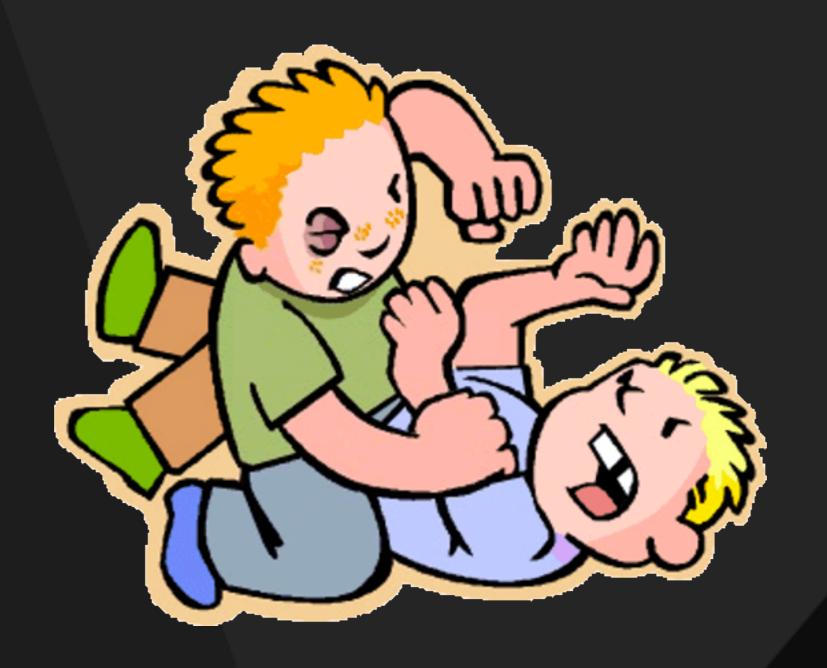
24 : +9.03x

136 : +9.08x

ACTIVESUPPORT::INFLECTOR

Handles string operations, including transforms, and pluralization.

```
AVAILABLE METHODS (20)
camelize, classify, constantize
dasherize, deconstantize, demodulize
foreign_key
humanize
inflections
ordinal, ordinalize
parameterize, pluralize
safe_constantize, singularize
tableize, titleize, transliterate
underscore, upcase_first
```



ACTIVESUPPORT::INFLECTOR VS CRYSTAL::INFLECTOR

```
module Inflector extend self
     def pluralize(word, locale = :en)
   apply_inflections(word, inflections(locale).plurals)
     def singularize(word, locale = :en)
       apply_inflections(word, inflections(locale).singulars)
     def camelize(term, uppercase_first_letter = true)
        if uppercase_first_letter
          string = string.sub(/^[a-z\d]*/) { |match| inflections.acronyms[match] || match.capitalize }
          string = string.sub(/^{(:,*\{inflections.acronym_regex\}(?=\b|[A-Z_])|\w)/} { |match| match.downcase }
       string.gsub!(/(?:_|(\/))([a-z\d]*)/i) { "#{$1}#{inflections.acronyms[$2] || $2.capitalize}" } string.gsub!('/'.freeze, '::'.freeze)
     def underscore(camel_cased_word)
  return camel_cased_word unless camel_cased_word =~ /[A-Z-]|::/
  word = camel_cased_word.to_s.gsub('::'.freeze, '/'.freeze)
         word.gsub!(\sqrt{\ (?-([A-Za-z\ d]))|\ b)( \#\{inflections.acronym_regex\})(?=\ b|[^a-z])/)\ \{ \ ''\#\{\$1\ \&\ '\_'.freeze\ \}\} \} 
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       word.downcase!
        word
    end
def humanize(lower_case_and_underscored_word, options = {})
    result = lower_case_and_underscored_word.to_s.dup
    inflections.humans.each { |(rule, replacement)| break if result.sub!(rule, replacement) }
    result.sub!(/\A_+/, ''.freeze)
    result.sub!(/_id\z, ''.freeze)
    result.tr!('_'.freeze, ''.freeze)
    result.tr!('_'.freeze, ''.freeze)
    result.tr!('__.freeze, ''.freeze)
       result.gsub!(/([a-z\d]*)/i) do |match|
"#{inflections.acronyms[match] || match.downcase}"
       if options.fetch(:capitalize, true)
          result.sub!(/\A\w/) { |match| match.upcase }
       result
     def upcase_first(string)
       string.length > 0 ? string[0].upcase.concat(string[1..-1]) : ''
       humanize(underscore(word)).gsub(/\b(?<![''`])[a-z]/) { |match| match.capitalize }</pre>
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       camelize(singularize(table_name.to_s.sub(/.*\./, ''.freeze)))
     def dasherize(underscored_word)
  underscored_word.tr('_'.freeze, '-'.freeze)
     def demodulize(path)
       path = path.to_s
       if i = path.rindex('::')
          path[(i+2)..-1]
       path
end
     def deconstantize(path)
  path.to_s[0, path.rindex('::') || 0]
     def foreign_key(class_name, separate_class_name_and_id_with_underscore = true)
  underscore(demodulize(class_name)) + (separate_class_name_and_id_with_underscore ? "_id" : "id")
     def ordinal(number)
       abs_number = number.to_i.abs
if (11..13).include?(abs_number % 100)
            "th"
           case abs_number % 10
            when 1; "st"
when 2; "nd"
              when 3; "rd"
              else
                         "th'
          end
     def ordinalize(number)
        "#{number}#{ordinal(number)}"
     def apply_inflections(word, rules)
       result = word.to_s.dup
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          result
  end
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if uppercase_first_letter
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end
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  word.downcase.starts_with?(match.downcase))#{match.downcase}\" }
  word = word.gsub(/([A-Z\d])+([A-Z])/, "\\1_\\2")
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result = result.tr("_", "")
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           "#{inflections.acronyms[match]? || match.downcase}'
       end
if capitalize
       result = result.sub(/\A\w/) { |match| match.upcase }
end
       result
   end
def upcase_first(string : String)
   string.size > 0 ? string[1..-1].insert(0, string[0].upcase) : ""
    def upcase_first(char : Char)
       char.upcase
   end
def titleize(word)
  humanize(underscore(word)).gsub(/\b(?<![''`])[a-z]/) { |match| match.capitalize }</pre>
   end
def tableize(class_name)
  pluralize(underscore(class_name))
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  result = original
        if word.empty? || inflections.uncountables.uncountable?(result)
          rules.find do |arr, _|
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result = original.sub(rule, replacement)
result != original
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  word.downcase.starts_with?(match.downcase))#{match.downcase}\" }
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    def underscore(camel_cased_word)
  return camel_cased_word unless camel_cased_word =~ /[A-Z-]|::/
     word = camel_cased_word.to_s.gsub('::'.freeze, '/'.freeze)
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def humanize(lower_case_and_underscored_word, options = {})
  result = lower_case_and_underscored_word.to_s.dup
  inflections.humans.each { |(rule, replacement)| break if result.sub!(rule, replacement) }
    result.sub!(//a-//, ''.freeze)
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result.gsub!(/([a-z\d]*)/i) do |match|
            "#{inflections.acronyms[match] || match.downcase}"
      if options.fetch(:capitalize, true)
     result
def
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          case abs_number % 10
               else
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       "#{number}#{ordinal(number)}"
    result = word.to_s.dup
if word.empty? || inflections.uncountables.uncountable?(result)
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   def pluralize(word, locale = :en)
   apply_inflections(word, inflections(locale).plurals)
   def singularize(word, locale = :en)
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   def camelize(term, uppercase_first_letter = true)
     string = term.to_s
if uppercase_first_letter
          string = \overline{string.sub}(/^[a-z \setminus d]*/) \ \{ \ | match| \ inflections.acronyms[match]? \ || \ match.capitalize \ \}
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end
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def underscore(camel_cased_word)
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  word = camel_cased_word.to_s.gsub("::", "/")
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  word.downcase.starts_with?(match.downcase)}#{match.downcase}" }
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       word.downcase
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def upcase_first(string : String)
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   private def apply_inflections(word, rules)
  original = word.to_s.dup
  result = original
       if word.empty? || inflections.uncountables.uncountable?(result)
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     string = term.to_s
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   private def apply_inflections(word, rules)
  original = word.to_s.dup
  result = original
       if word.empty? || inflections.uncountables.uncountable?(result)
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def underscore(camel_cased_word)
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  if options fetch(:capitalize, true)
  result
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  string.length > 0 ? string[0].upcase.concat(string[1..-1]) : '
def titleize(word)
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underscore(demodulize(class_name)) + (separate_class_name_and_id_with_underscore?
def ordinal(number)
  abs_number = number.to_i.abs
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  else
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  def singularize(word, locale = :en)
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   def camelize(term, uppercase_first_letter = true)
      string = term.to s
     if uppercase_first_letter
  string = string.sub(/^[a-z\d]*/) { |match| inflections.acronyms[match]? || match.capitalize }
        string = string.sub(/^(?:\#\{inflections.acronym_regex\}(?=\b|[A-Z_])|\w)/) { | match | match | downcase }
      string = string.gsub(/(?:_|(\/))([a-z\d]*)/i) { |match| "#{match[0]}#{inflections.acronyms[match[1..-1]]? ||
(match[1..-1].capitalize)}" |
string = string.gsub("/", "::")
string = string.gsub("_", "")
   def underscore(camel_cased_word)
      return camel_cased_word unless camel_cased_word =~ /[A-Z-]|::/
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word = camet_cased_word.to.s.gsub("::", ",")

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word.downcase.starts_with?(match.downcase)}#{match.downcase}" }

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result = original
inflections.humans.find do |arr, _|
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    if uppercase_first_letter
  string = string.sub(/^[a-z\d]*/) { |match| inflections.acronyms[match]? || match.capitalize }
        string = string.sub(/^(?:\#\{inflections.acronym\_regex\}(?=\b|[A-Z_])|\w)/) \ \{ \ |match| \ match.downcase \ \} \}
     end string = string.gsub(/(?:_|(\/))([a-z\d]*)/i) { |match| "#{match[0]}#{inflections.acronyms[match[1..-1]]? ||} 
(match[1..-1].capitalize)}" }
string = string.gsub("/", "::'
string = string.gsub("_", "")
   def underscore(camel_cased_word)
return camet_cased_word unless camet_cased_word =~ /[A-Z-]|::/
word = camet_cased_word.to_s.gsub("::", "/")
word = word.gsub(/(?:(?<([A-Za-z\d]))|\b)(#{inflections.acronym_regex})(?=\b|[^a-z])/) { |match| "#{'_' if !
word.downcase.starts_with?(match.downcase))#(match.downcase)" }</pre>
     word = word.gsub(/([A-Z\d]+)([A-Z][a-z])/, "\\1_\\2")
word = word.gsub(/([a-z\d])([A-Z])/, "\\1_\\2")
     word.downcase
   end
def humanize(lower_case_and_underscored_word, capitalize = true)
original = lower_case_and_underscored_word.to_s
result = original
inflections.humans.find do |arr, _|
rule, replacement = arr
result = original.sub(rule, replacement)
result != original
                                                                                                                                  ~15
minutes
to fix
    end
result = result.sub(/\A_+/, "")
result = result.sub(/_id/z/, "")
result = result.tr("_", "")
result = result.gsub(/([a-2\d]*)/i) do |match|
     if canitalize
        result = result.sub(/\A\w/) { |match| match.upcase }
      result
   def upcase first(string : String)
     string.size > 0 ? string[1..-1].insert(0, string[0].upcase) : ""
   def upcase first(char : Char)
     \label{localize} humanize(underscore(word)).gsub(/\b(?<![''])[a-z]/) { | match| match.capitalize } \\
      pluralize(underscore(class_name))
   def classifv(table name)
     camelize(singularize(table_name.to_s.sub(/.*\./, "")))
  def dasherize(underscored_word)
  underscored_word.tr("_", "-")
   def demodulize(nath)
    path = path.to_s
  if i = path.rindex("::")
        path[(i+2)..-1]
     else
path
     end
  end
def deconstantize(path)
     path.to_s[0, path.rindex("::") || 0]
   def foreign kev(class name, separate class name and id with underscore = true)
     underscore(demodulize(class_name)) + (separate_class_name_and_id_with_underscore ? "_id" : "id")
   end
def ordinal(number)
     abs_number = number.to_i.abs
if (11..13).includes?(abs_number % 100)
"th"
       case abs_number % 10
          when 1; "st"
when 2; "nd"
when 3; "rd"
                      "th"
           else
  def ordinalize(number)
  "#{number}#{ordinal(number)}"
  private def apply_inflections(word, rules)
  original = word.to_s.dup
     result = original
      if word.empty? || inflections.uncountables.uncountable?(result)
        result
    else
rules.find do |arr, _|
rule, replacement = arr
           result = original.sub(rule, replacement)
result != original
        result
```

word.gsub!(/([$a-z\d$])([A-Z])/, '\1_\2'.freeze)

```
word = word.gsub(/([\alpha-z\d])([A-Z])/, '\1_\2'.freeze)
```

✓ Replace bang methods

```
word = word.gsub(/([\alpha-z\d])([A-Z])/, '\1_\2')
```

- ✓ Replace bang methods
- ✓ Remove freeze

word = word.gsub(/([α -z\d])([A-Z])/, "\1_\2")

- → Replace bang methods
- ✓ Remove freeze
- → Replace single quotes

word = word.gsub(/([α -z\d])([A-Z])/, "\\1_\\2")

- ✓ Replace bang methods
- ✓ Remove freeze
- → Replace single quotes
- ✓ Add an extra \ to regex backrefs

REMAINING STEPS

- Convert between Ruby data and Crystal data
- ✓ Wrap Crystal methods
 - this lets us to use pure Crystal libraries
- ✓ Initialize Crystal methods for Ruby
 - (make these methods available via C API)
- ✓ Write some Ruby!

WRAP CRYSTAL METHODS

```
module Wrapper
  def self.ordinal(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
    int = Int.from_ruby(self)
    int.ordinal.to_ruby
  end
  def self.ordinalize(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
    int = Int.from_ruby(self)
    int.ordinalize.to_ruby
  end
  def self.squish(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
    str = String.from_ruby(self)
    str.squish.to_ruby
  end
  def self.blank?(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
    str = String.from_ruby(self)
    str.blank?.to_ruby
  end
  def self.titleize(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
    str = String.from_ruby(self)
    str.titleize.to_ruby
  end
```

```
def self.titlecase(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
   str = String.from_ruby(self)
   str.titlecase.to_ruby
 end
 def self.dasherize(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
   str = String.from_ruby(self)
   str.dasherize.to_ruby
 end
 def self.deconstantize(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
   str = String.from_ruby(self)
   str.deconstantize.to_ruby
 end
 def self.tableize(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
   str = String.from_ruby(self)
    str.tableize.to_rubu
 end
 def self.classify(self : LibRuby::VALUE)
   str = String.from_ruby(self)
   str.classify.to_ruby
 end
end
```

INIT C FUNCTIONS FOR RUBY

```
require "../lib_ruby"
require "./wrapper"
fun init = Init_inflector
 GC.init
 LibCrystalMain.__crystal_main(0, Pointer(Pointer(UInt8)).null)
  string = LibRuby.rb_define_class("String", LibRuby.rb_cObject)
                                                                            0)
 LibRuby.rb_define_method(string, "cr_squish",
                                                     →Wrapper.squish,
 LibRuby.rb_define_method(string, "cr_blank?",
                                                     →Wrapper.blank?,
                                                                            0)
 LibRuby.rb_define_method(string, "cr_pluralize",
                                                                            0)
                                                    →Wrapper.pluralize,
                                                                            0)
 LibRuby.rb_define_method(string, "cr_humanize",
                                                    →Wrapper.humanize,
  integer = LibRuby.rb_define_class("Integer", LibRuby.rb_cNumeric)
 LibRuby.rb_define_method(integer, "cr_ordinal", →Wrapper.ordinal,
                                                                            0)
 LibRuby.rb_define_method(integer, "cr_ordinalize", →Wrapper.ordinalize,
                                                                            0)
```

RUBY USAGE

```
require "./inflector"

puts 1.cr_ordinalize

puts 2.cr_ordinalize

puts ''.cr_blank?

puts ' '.cr_blank?

puts "apple".cr_pluralize

puts "apples".cr_singularize

puts "active_record/errors".cr_camelize

puts "fancyCategory".cr_tableize

puts "employee_salary".cr_humanize

puts "author_id".cr_humanize
```

```
# => "1st"
# => "2nd"
# => true
# => true
# => "apples"
# => "apple"
# => "ActiveRecord::Errors"
# => "fancy_categories"
# => "Employee salary"
# => "Author"
```

BENCHMARK-IPS RESULTS

iterations/second	ActiveSupport	Crystal	Improvement
ordinal	418,430	2,027,814	4.85x
ordinalize	140,863	556,205	3.95x
blank?	241,471	785,621	3.25x
squish	206,708	735,772	3.56x
pluralize	5,985	25,061	4.19x
singularize	6,276	28,546	4.55x
camelize	36,658	79,380	2.17x
titleize	14,837	38,707	2.61x
underscore	20,560	73,844	3.59x
demodulize	608,325	788,773	1.30x
deconstantize	532,506	797,424	1.50x
tableize	8,302	28,792	3.47x
classify	14,909	56,535	3.79x
humanize	40,904	82,314	2.01x
upcase_first	987,707	1,423,886	1.44x
foreign_key	13,642	66,009	4.84x

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