

Efficiently Process `String` using `C`

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Overview of the Project

What is Crust?

A procedural, C-like language that embeds AWK syntax and functions. It is specifically designed for efficient string processing.



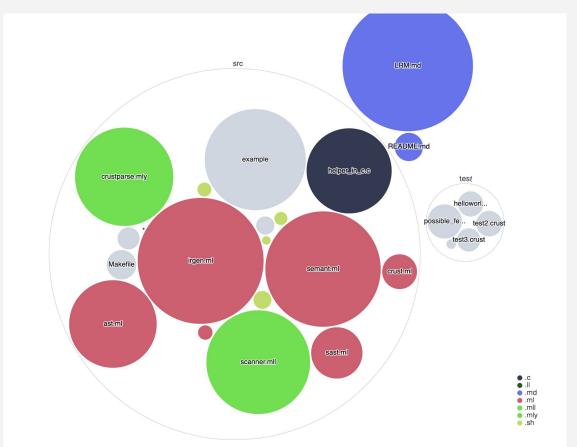


Show Me the Code - A Quick Example

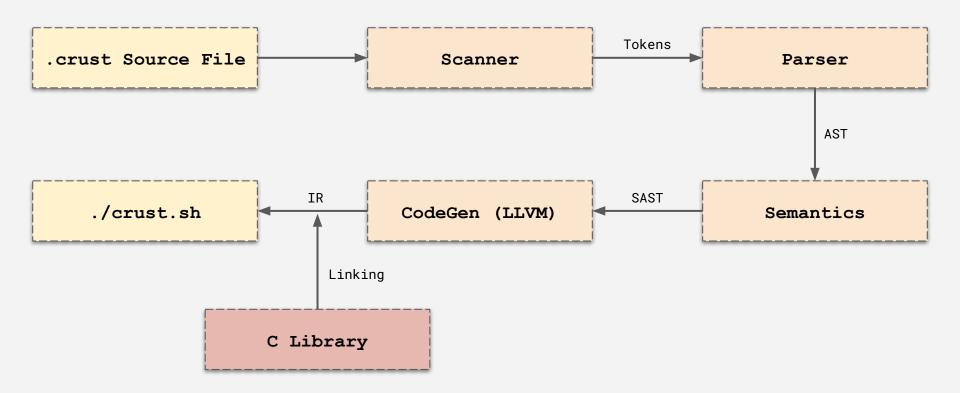
```
// crust_example.crust
int main() {
  string body = "Guangzhou China Cantonese
      Beijing China Mandarin
     Hongkong China Cantonese
     Singapore Singapore Mandarin
     London UK English
     Sydney Australia English";
  string pattern = "China";
  string res = awk(body, pattern);
 print(res);
 print("----\n");
 print(awk(body, "Mandarin"));
  return 0;
```



Code Structure



Architectural Design



Q Dive Deep into Details

Basic Syntax

- The structure follows C-like syntax

- Data types include

int, float, boolean, char, string, array

- Statements include

for, while, if

awk Libraries Support

```
awk
awk_line
awk_line_range
awk_line_range_start
awk_line_range_end
awk_col
...etc
```

About string

Our core features centered around string processing.

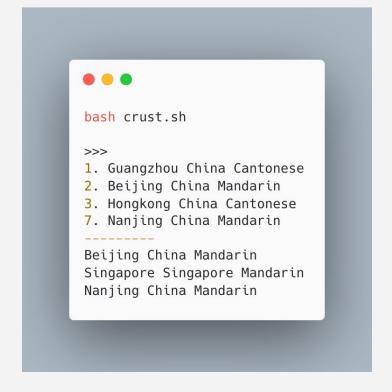
Highlights:

- We are able to extract escape characters, like \n, \t, etc.
- Support a lot of string processing functions:

```
str_neq
str_eq
str_concat
string_of_int
string_of_float
string_of_bool
strcmp
strlen
...etc
```

Examples of awk line.crust

```
. . .
int main() {
    string body =
    "Guangzhou China Cantonese
Beijing China Mandarin
Hongkong China Cantonese
Singapore Singapore Mandarin
London UK English
Sydney Australia English
Nanjing China Mandarin";
    string pattern = "China";
    string res1 = awk_line(body, pattern, "y");
    print(res1);
    print("----\n"):
    string res2 = awk_line(body, "Mandarin", "n");
    print(res2);
    return 0;
```



Examples of awk_line_range.crust

```
int main() {
    string body =
    "Guangzhou China Cantonese
Beijing China Mandarin
Hongkong China Cantonese
Singapore Singapore Mandarin
London UK English
Sydney Australia English
Nanjing China Mandarin";
    string pattern = "China";
    string res1 = awk line range(body, pattern, 1,4);
    print(res1);
    return 0;
```

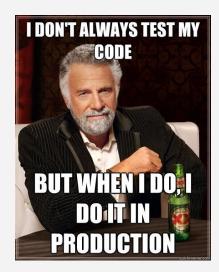


Test Suite

Robust tests of Scanner, Parser, and Compilation

Tests about data types, awk functions, and array

Simplified command: ./crust.sh to run all the test cases



Hive Demo

Future Roadmap

We will implement more testing on parser and scanner tonight (before graduate student deadline) to make sure there are no undetected error.

If there are more time, we would like to implement struct data type to provide more freedom on creating data types.

The last but not least, we hope to create class functions to bring more functionality to our language.