

Functional programming features

haskell-style

1: Lambdas

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    let another_variable = 4;  
    let add = |a: usize, b: usize| a + b + another_variable;  
  
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    // KO (pass a lambda with a capture)
    let seven = 7;
    let add_seven = |x| x + seven;
    println!("{}", call_function(add_seven, 4));
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        add_seven  
    };  
  
    println!("{}", add_seven(4));  
}
```

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```
pub fn main() {  
    let add_seven = {  
        let seven = 7;  
        let add_seven = |x| x + seven; // does not compile  
        add_seven  
    };  
  
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pub fn main() {  
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        let add_seven = move |x| x + seven;  
        add_seven  
    };  
  
    println!("{}", add_seven(4));  
}
```

Some lambdas can only be called once

```
pub fn main() {  
    let print = {  
        let string = String::from("hello");  
        let print = move || {  
            println!("{string}");  
        };  
        print  
    };  
  
    print();  
    print(); // fine  
}
```

```
pub fn main() {  
    let print = {  
        let string = String::from("hello");  
        let print = move || {  
            println!("{string}");  
            drop(string); // hum...  
        };  
        print  
    };  
  
    print();  
    print(); // does not compile  
}
```

Lambdas with capture are powerful, but tricky

- they are harder to understand
- they cannot replace all functions
- what they reference must be valid
- if they move a value, they may be call only once

Do not replace all your functions with lambda.

Lambda recap

	functions	lambda without capture	lambda with capture
can be defined inline	yes	yes	yes
multiple execution	yes	yes	yes/no
passed as function	yes	yes	no
IDE support	yes	no	no
use external variable	no	no	yes

2: Iterators

Yet again

The Iterator trait

<https://doc.rust-lang.org/std/iter/trait.Iterator.html>

You implement one method, you get a lot for free

(You may want to implement some manually)

You can decide if you want to move the object you iterate on by calling `iter()`, `iter_mut()` or `into_iter()`. These methods return the appropriate iterator.

Required Methods

`next`

Provided Methods

`advance_by`

`all`

`any`

`array_chunks`

`by_ref`

`chain`

`cloned`

`cmp`

`cmp_by`

`collect`

`collect_into`

`copied`

`count`

`cycle`

`enumerate`

`eq`

`eq_by`

`filter`

`filter_map`

`find`

3: filter, map, reduce

Filter, map, reduce

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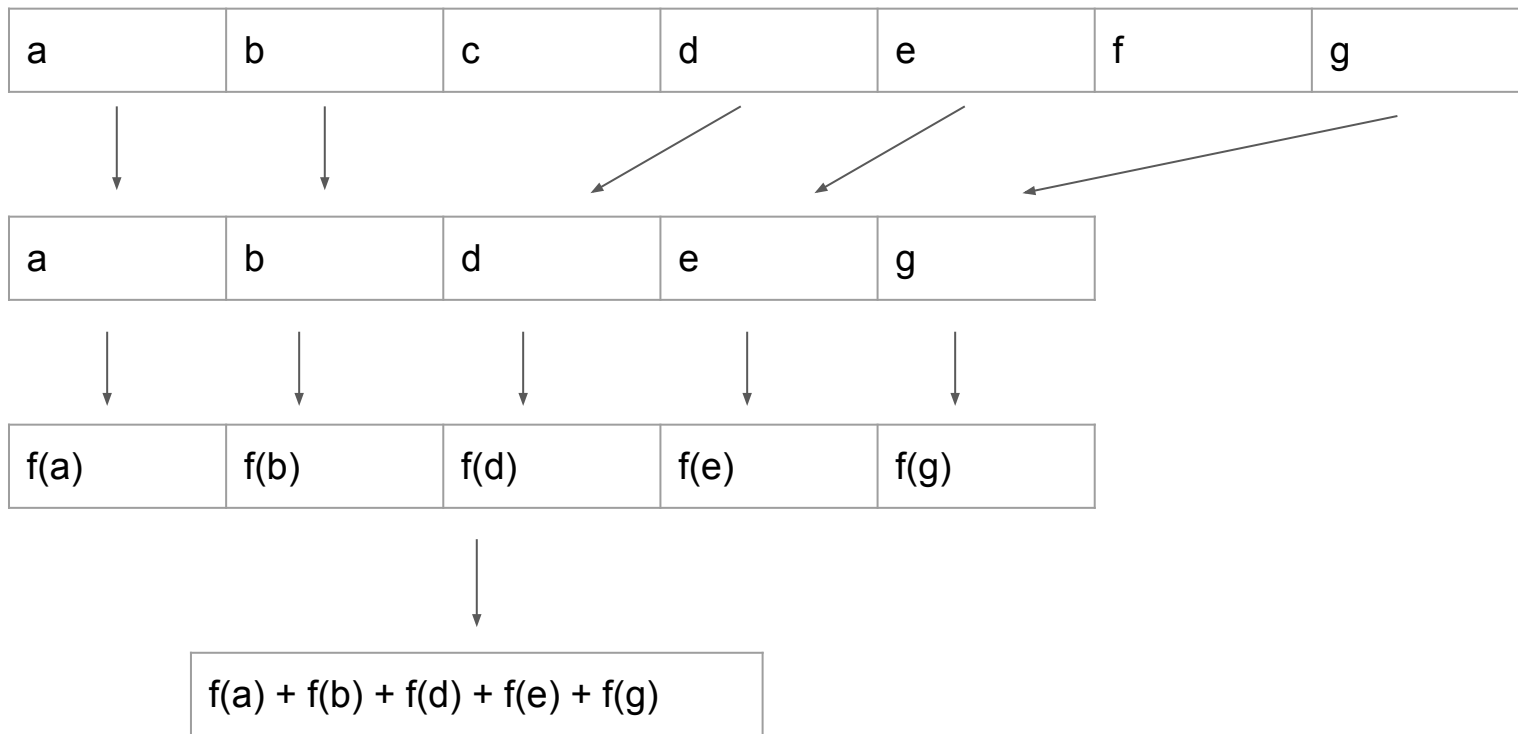
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- iterate over elements (iterator)
- take some based on a condition (filter)
- apply a function on the selected elements (map)
- group them in a vector / sum them / count them (reduce)

Filter, map, reduce



Example

```
#[derive(Debug)]
struct CreditCard {
    holder_name: String,
}

#[derive(Debug)]
struct Client {
    name: String,
    credit_card: CreditCard,
}
```

```
pub fn main() {
    let v = vec![
        Client {
            name: String::from( "John"),
            credit_card: CreditCard {
                holder_name: String::from( "John"),
            },
        },
        // etc
    ];

    let different_name = v
        .iter()
        .filter(|client| client.name != client.credit_card.holder_name);
    for client in different_name {
        println!("{:?}", client);
    }

    let different_name: Vec<&String> = v
        .iter()
        .filter(|client| client.name != client.credit_card.holder_name)
        .map(|client| &client.name)
        .collect();
    for client in &different_name {
        println!("{:?}", client);
    }
    println!("{:?}", different_name.capacity());
}
```

OK, but why?

It is functionally the same as a plain old for loop, but:

- it provides intention
- you remove unnecessary variables
- bugs are harder to write
- bound checks might be removed
- you enter an ecosystem of libraries

4: parallelisation

First step into parallel programming

```
fn sum_of_squares(input: &[i32]) -> i32 {  
    input.iter() // <-- just change that!  
        .map(|&i| i * i)  
        .sum()  
}
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First step into parallel programming

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use rayon::prelude::*;  
  
fn sum_of_squares(input: &[i32]) -> i32 {  
    input.par_iter() // <-- !!!  
        .map(|&i| i * i)  
        .sum()  
}
```

First step into parallel programming

This does not compile... Why?

```
use rayon::prelude::*;

fn sum_of_squares(input: &[i32]) -> i32 {
    let mut sum: i32 = 0;
    input.par_iter().for_each(|&i| {
        // parallel code
        sum += i * i;
    });
    sum
}
```

First step into parallel programming

You need a mutex

```
use rayon::prelude::*;
use std::sync::Mutex;

fn sum_of_squares(input: &[i32]) -> i32 {
    let sum_mutex = Mutex::new(0);
    input.par_iter().for_each(|&i| {
        // parallel code
        let mut sum = sum_mutex.lock().unwrap();
        *sum += i * i;
    });
    let sum = sum_mutex.lock().unwrap();
    *sum
}
```

First step into parallel programming

```
fn sum_of_squares(input: &Vec<String>) -> Vec<String> {  
    let mut vec = Vec::new();  
  
    let vec_mutex = Mutex::new(&mut vec);  
    input.par_iter().for_each(|string| {  
        // parallel code  
        let mut vec = vec_mutex.lock().unwrap();  
        let string_uppercase = string.to_uppercase();  
        vec.push(string_uppercase);  
    });  
  
    vec  
}
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    input.par_iter().for_each(|string| {  
        // parallal code  
        let string_uppercase = string.to_uppercase();  
        // only keep the mutex for as few as possible  
        let mut vec = vec_mutex.lock().unwrap();  
        vec.push(string_uppercase);  
    });  
  
    vec  
}
```

Remember to order your lock

- ordering your lock prevent deadlock
- deadlocks are hard to catch at compile time and during execution

You can also spawn thread manually

```
rayon::scope(|s| {  
    for i in 0..n {  
        s.spawn(move |_| {  
            // parallel code  
        });  
    }  
});
```

Remember that spawning threads has a cost

Threads have an overhead. Spawning them for a small workload usually lead to a slowdown in you program.

But you can batch your iterators!

```
let chunks = sequences.into_iter().chunks(BATCH_SIZE);
```