



Rust's Standard Library

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let [a, b] = ["A", "B"];
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Because the sizing is dynamic, we can add to these:

```
x.push(5);  
x.push(6);  
assert_eq!(x.len(), 7);  
assert!(match x.pop() { Some(6) => true, _ => false });
```

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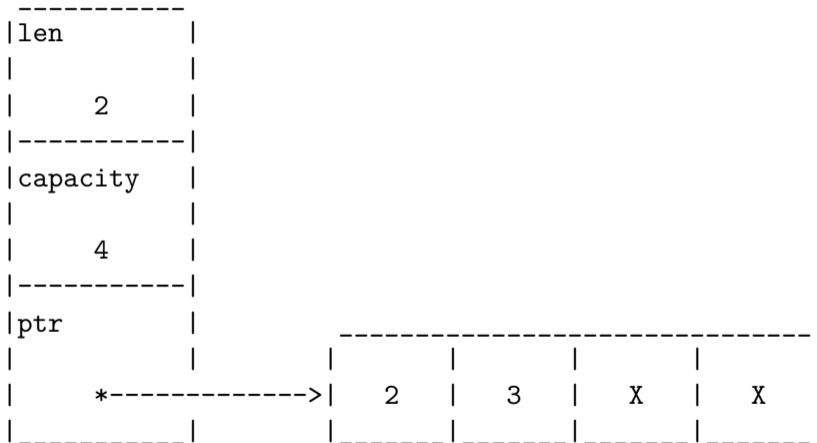
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// Creation
fn new() -> Vec<T>;
fn with_capacity(capacity: usize) -> Vec<T>;

// Modification
fn push(&mut self, value: T);
fn pop(&mut self) -> Option<T>;

fn insert(&mut self, index: usize, element: T);
fn remove(&mut self, index: usize) -> T;

// Metadata
fn len(&self) -> usize;
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We can use a `VecDeque<T>` instead!

```
let x = VecDeque::from([1, 2, 3, 4]);  
x.pop_front();  
x.push_front(5);
```

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fn new() -> Vec<T>;
fn with_capacity(capacity: usize) -> Vec<T>;

// Modification
fn push_front / push_back(&mut self, value: T);
fn pop_front / pop_back(&mut self) -> Option<T>;

// We'll come back to this one
fn make_contiguous(&mut self) -> &mut [T];

// Metadata
fn len(&self) -> usize;
fn is_empty(&self) -> bool;
```

Slices: `[T]`, `&[T]` and `&mut [T]`

Recall that `[T]` is a `usize`/dynamically-sized view into a contiguous sequence of element type `T`.

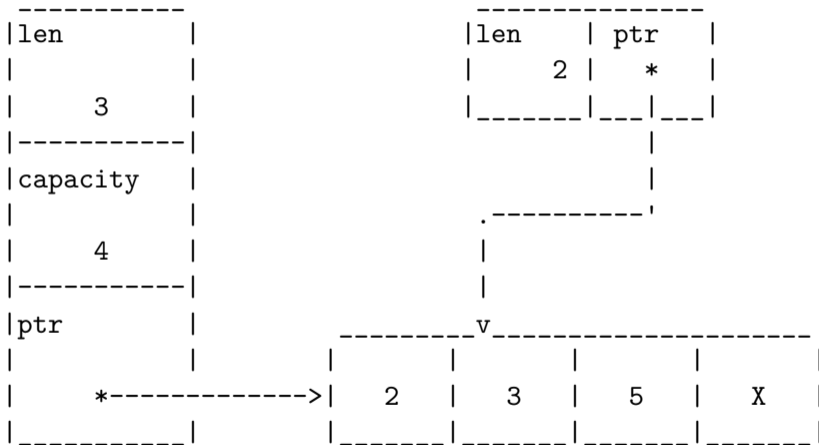
Because we can view many ways of collecting data this way, we can simply define a lot of useful algorithms on this type:

```
fn len(&self) -> usize;

// Searching & sorting
fn binary_search<T: Ord>(&self, x: &T) -> Result<usize, usize>;
fn sort<T: Ord>(&mut self);
fn sort_unstable<T: Ord>(&mut self);

// Sliding window
fn windows(&self, size: usize) -> impl Iterator<Item = &[T]>;
```

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The most relevant functions are:

```
fn new() -> HashMap<K, V> / BTreeMap<K, V>;

fn insert(&mut self, key: K, value: V) -> Option<V>;
// Basically, K: Borrow<Q> means that &K can be viewed as &Q
fn get<Q, K: Borrow<Q>>(&self, k: &Q) -> Option<&V>
fn remove<Q, K: Borrow<Q>>(&mut self, key: &Q) -> Option<V>;

fn keys(&self) -> impl Iterator<Item = &K>;
fn values(&self) -> impl Iterator<Item = &V>;

fn entry(&mut self, key: K) -> Entry<'_, K, V>;
```

Entry

Let's take a look at that `Entry<'a, K, V>` type which popped up in our maps' interface.

```
pub enum Entry<'a, K: 'a, V: 'a> {  
    Occupied(OccupiedEntry<'a, K, V>),  
    Vacant(VacantEntry<'a, K, V>),  
}
```

and some relevant functions:

```
fn and_modify(self, f: impl FnOnce(&mut V)) -> Self;  
fn or_insert(self, default: V) -> &'a mut V;
```

Using an Entry

```
let mut map: HashMap<&str, u32> = HashMap::new();

map.entry("my_entry")
    .and_modify(|e| { *e += 1 })
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```
// Recall that i32: Copy
let x = 7;
let y = x;
let z = x + y; // Okay, because x was copied, not moved!

println!("{}", z, x, y);
```

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```
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struct Student {  
    andrewid: [u8; 8],  
    name: String,  
}
```


PartialEq

In addition to making copies of values we have, another useful thing is to be able to see if we have two values which are the same:

```
pub trait PartialEq<Rhs = Self> {  
    fn eq(&self, other: &Rhs) -> bool;  
    fn ne(&self, other: &Rhs) -> bool { ... }  
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One notable example is floating point types like `f32` and `f64`, because `NaN != NaN`.

Eq

So like I've spoiled already, we have another trait for equivalence relations:

```
pub trait Eq: PartialEq<Self> { }
```

We can derive both this and `PartialEq`, which will just check all our fields pairwise, or we can implement a custom version where we can check whatever properties matter to us for equality

Implementing Eq

```
struct Class {  
    dept: u8,  
    number: u8,  
    cross_listed: HashSet<(u8, u8)>,  
}  
  
impl PartialEq for Class {  
    fn eq(&self, other: &Self) -> bool {  
        (self.dept == other.dept && self.number == other.number)  
        || self.cross_listed.contains(&(other.dept, other.number))  
    }  
}  
  
impl Eq for Class { }
```

PartialOrd

We likewise have a trait for strict preorders on a subset of our type

```
pub trait PartialOrd<Rhs = Self>: PartialEq<Rhs> {
    fn partial_cmp(&self, other: &Rhs) -> Option<Ordering>;

    fn lt(&self, other: &Rhs) -> bool { ... }
    fn le(&self, other: &Rhs) -> bool { ... }
    fn gt(&self, other: &Rhs) -> bool { ... }
    fn ge(&self, other: &Rhs) -> bool { ... }
}

enum Ordering {
    Less,
    Equal,
    Greater,
}
```

Ord

There's also a corresponding version for when we can define the order over all the value for our type:

```
pub trait Ord: Eq + PartialOrd<Self> {  
    fn cmp(&self, other: &Self) -> Ordering;  
    fn max(self, other: Self) -> Self { ... }  
    fn min(self, other: Self) -> Self { ... }  
    fn clamp(self, min: Self, max: Self) -> Self { ... }  
}
```

Here we can also see the value of being able to provide default implementations of functions—the ones here are actually pretty useful!

Debug

Oftentimes we might want a quick and easy way to print out a type for debugging—we can do this with the "{:?}", format specifier, and it'll use the [Debug](#) implementation.

```
pub trait Debug {  
    fn fmt(&self, f: &mut Formatter<'_>) -> Result<(), Error>;  
}
```

Normally, we'll just derive this on everything and it'll help us out when we're debugging.

```
#[derive(Debug)]  
struct Point {  
    x: i32,  
    y: i32  
}
```

```
assert_eq!(  
    format!("{:?}", Point { x: 7, y: 12 }),  
    "Point { x: 7, y: 12 }"  
);
```

Display

The definition of `Display` is the exact same as for `Debug`:

```
pub trait Display {  
    fn fmt(&self, f: &mut Formatter<'_>) -> Result<(), Error>;  
}
```

except this is what's used for the "`{}`", the default/empty format specifier.

Because `Display` is intended for formatting user-facing output, we can't derive it, and instead would implement it ourselves to display our data in a human-friendly way.

From

Another common situation is wanting to be able to convert a value of one type to another:

```
pub trait From<T> {  
    fn from(T) -> Self;  
}
```

There's also a fallible version of this in `TryFrom`.

A common use for this, that we've already seen, is converting `&'static str` to `String`—more on strings soon.

```
let s = String::from("Hello, world!");  
let k: String = "Hello, world!".into();
```

Into

`Into` essentially provides the reciprocal of `From`:

```
pub trait Into<T> {  
    fn into(self) -> T;  
}
```

Generally you want to implement `From`, because if `T` implements `From<U>`, then `Into<T>` is automatically implemented for `U`. This is because there's a *blanket implementation* for `Into` that looks like this:

```
impl<T, U: From<T>> Into<U> for T {  
    fn into(self) -> U {  
        U::from(self)  
    }  
}
```

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There's another major trait we haven't talked about in-depth yet, `Iterator`. To see how useful this might be, let's take a look at its items.

```
pub trait Iterator {
    type Item;
    fn next(&mut self) -> Option<Self::Item>;

    fn size_hint(&self) -> (usize, Option<usize>) { ... }
    fn count(self) -> usize { ... }
    fn last(self) -> Option<Self::Item> { ... }
    fn advance_by(&mut self, n: usize) -> Result<(), usize> { ... }
    fn nth(&mut self, n: usize) -> Option<Self::Item> { ... }
    fn step_by(self, step: usize) -> StepBy<Self> { ... }
    fn chain<U>(self, other: U) -> Chain<Self, <U as IntoIterator>::IntoIter>;
    where
        U: IntoIterator<Item = Self::Item>,
        { ... }
    fn zip<U>(self, other: U)
```

```

    -> Zip<Self, <U as IntoIterator>::IntoIter>
where
    U: IntoIterator,
    { ... }
fn intersperse(self, separator: Self::Item) -> Intersperse<Self>
where
    Self::Item: Clone,
    { ... }
fn intersperse_with<G>(self, separator: G)
    -> IntersperseWith<Self, G>
where
    G: FnMut() -> Self::Item,
    { ... }
fn map<B, F>(self, f: F) -> Map<Self, F>
where
    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> B,

```

```
{ ... }  
fn for_each<F>(self, f: F)  
where  
    F: FnMut(Self::Item),  
{ ... }  
fn filter<P>(self, predicate: P) -> Filter<Self, P>  
where  
    P: FnMut(&Self::Item) -> bool,  
{ ... }  
fn filter_map<B, F>(self, f: F) -> FilterMap<Self, F>  
where  
    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> Option<B>,  
{ ... }  
fn enumerate(self) -> Enumerate<Self> { ... }  
fn peekable(self) -> Peekable<Self> { ... }  
fn skip_while<P>(self, predicate: P) -> SkipWhile<Self, P>
```

```
where
    P: FnMut(&Self::Item) -> bool,
{ ... }
fn take_while<P>(self, predicate: P) -> TakeWhile<Self, P>
where
    P: FnMut(&Self::Item) -> bool,
{ ... }
fn map_while<B, P>(self, predicate: P) -> MapWhile<Self, P>
where
    P: FnMut(Self::Item) -> Option<B>,
{ ... }
fn skip(self, n: usize) -> Skip<Self> { ... }
fn take(self, n: usize) -> Take<Self> { ... }
fn scan<St, B, F>(self, initial_state: St, f: F)
    -> Scan<Self, St, F>
where
```



```
    F: FnMut(&mut St, Self::Item) -> Option<B>,
{ ... }
fn flat_map<U, F>(self, f: F) -> FlatMap<Self, U, F>
where
    U: IntoIterator,
    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> U,
{ ... }
fn flatten(self) -> Flatten<Self>
where
    Self::Item: IntoIterator,
{ ... }
fn fuse(self) -> Fuse<Self> { ... }
fn inspect<F>(self, f: F) -> Inspect<Self, F>
where
    F: FnMut(&Self::Item),
{ ... }
```

```
fn by_ref(&mut self) -> &mut Self { ... }
fn collect<B>(self) -> B
where
    B: FromIterator<Self::Item>,
{ ... }
fn partition<B, F>(self, f: F) -> (B, B)
where
    B: Default + Extend<Self::Item>,
    F: FnMut(&Self::Item) -> bool,
{ ... }
fn partition_in_place<'a, T, P>(self, predicate: P) -> usize
where
    T: 'a,
    Self: DoubleEndedIterator<Item = &'a mut T>,
    P: FnMut(&T) -> bool,
{ ... }
```

```
fn is_partitioned<P>(self, predicate: P) -> bool
where
    P: FnMut(Self::Item) -> bool,
    { ... }
fn try_fold<B, F, R>(&mut self, init: B, f: F) -> R
where
    F: FnMut(B, Self::Item) -> R,
    R: Try<Output = B>,
    { ... }
fn try_for_each<F, R>(&mut self, f: F) -> R
where
    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> R,
    R: Try<Output = ()>,
    { ... }
fn fold<B, F>(self, init: B, f: F) -> B
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```
    F: FnMut(B, Self::Item) -> B,  
{ ... }  
fn reduce<F>(self, f: F) -> Option<Self::Item>  
where  
    F: FnMut(Self::Item, Self::Item) -> Self::Item,  
{ ... }  
fn all<F>(&mut self, f: F) -> bool  
where  
    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> bool,  
{ ... }  
fn any<F>(&mut self, f: F) -> bool  
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    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> bool,  
{ ... }  
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where  
    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> Option<B>,  
{ ... }  
fn try_find<F, R, E>(&mut self, f: F)  
    -> Result<Option<Self::Item>, E>  
where  
    F: FnMut(&Self::Item) -> R,  
    R: Try<Output = bool, Residual = Result<Infallible, E>>  
        + Try,  
{ ... }  
fn position<P>(&mut self, predicate: P) -> Option<usize>  
where  
    P: FnMut(Self::Item) -> bool,
```

```
{ ... }  
fn rposition<P>(&mut self, predicate: P) -> Option<usize>  
where  
    P: FnMut(Self::Item) -> bool,  
    Self: ExactSizeIterator + DoubleEndedIterator,  
{ ... }  
fn max(self) -> Option<Self::Item>  
where  
    Self::Item: Ord,  
{ ... }  
fn min(self) -> Option<Self::Item>  
where  
    Self::Item: Ord,  
{ ... }  
fn max_by_key<B, F>(self, f: F) -> Option<Self::Item>  
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    B: Ord,
    F: FnMut(&Self::Item) -> B,
{ ... }
fn max_by<F>(self, compare: F) -> Option<Self::Item>
where
    F: FnMut(&Self::Item, &Self::Item) -> Ordering,
{ ... }
fn min_by_key<B, F>(self, f: F) -> Option<Self::Item>
where
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    F: FnMut(&Self::Item) -> B,
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    F: FnMut(&Self::Item, &Self::Item) -> Ordering,
{ ... }

```

```
fn rev(self) -> Rev<Self>
where
    Self: DoubleEndedIterator,
{ ... }
fn unzip<A, B, FromA, FromB>(self) -> (FromA, FromB)
where
    FromA: Default + Extend<A>,
    FromB: Default + Extend<B>,
    Self: Iterator<Item = (A, B)>,
{ ... }
fn copied<'a, T>(self) -> Copied<Self>
where
    T: 'a + Copy,
    Self: Iterator<Item = &'a T>,
{ ... }
fn cloned<'a, T>(self) -> Cloned<Self>
```



```
where
    T: 'a + Clone,
    Self: Iterator<Item = &'a T>,
{ ... }
fn cycle(self) -> Cycle<Self>
where
    Self: Clone,
{ ... }
fn sum<S>(self) -> S
where
    S: Sum<Self::Item>,
{ ... }
fn product<P>(self) -> P
where
    P: Product<Self::Item>,
{ ... }
```

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fn cmp<I>(self, other: I) -> Ordering
where
    I: IntoIterator<Item = Self::Item>,
    Self::Item: Ord,
{ ... }
fn cmp_by<I, F>(self, other: I, cmp: F) -> Ordering
where
    I: IntoIterator,
    F: FnMut(Self::Item, <I as IntoIterator>::Item)
        -> Ordering,
{ ... }
fn partial_cmp<I>(self, other: I) -> Option<Ordering>
where
    I: IntoIterator,
    Self::Item: PartialOrd<<I as IntoIterator>::Item>,
{ ... }
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where
    I: IntoIterator,
    Self::Item: PartialEq<<I as IntoIterator>::Item>,
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where
    I: IntoIterator,
    Self::Item: PartialEq<<I as IntoIterator>::Item>,
{ ... }
fn lt<I>(self, other: I) -> bool
where
    I: IntoIterator,
    Self::Item: PartialOrd<<I as IntoIterator>::Item>,
{ ... }
fn le<I>(self, other: I) -> bool
where
    I: IntoIterator,
    Self::Item: PartialOrd<<I as IntoIterator>::Item>,
{ ... }
```

```
fn gt<I>(self, other: I) -> bool
where
    I: IntoIterator,
    Self::Item: PartialOrd<<I as IntoIterator>::Item>,
{ ... }
fn ge<I>(self, other: I) -> bool
where
    I: IntoIterator,
    Self::Item: PartialOrd<<I as IntoIterator>::Item>,
{ ... }
fn is_sorted(self) -> bool
where
    Self::Item: PartialOrd<Self::Item>,
{ ... }
fn is_sorted_by<F>(self, compare: F) -> bool
where
```

```
    F: FnMut(&Self::Item, &Self::Item) -> Option<Ordering>,
    { ... }
fn is_sorted_by_key<F, K>(self, f: F) -> bool
where
    F: FnMut(Self::Item) -> K,
    K: PartialOrd<K>,
    { ... }
}
```

.. a lot of stuff!

Ones you probably care about

```
trait Iterator {
    type Item;
    fn next(&mut self) -> Option<Self::Item>;
    fn map<B>(self, f: impl FnMut(Self::Item) -> B)
        -> impl Iterator<Item = B>
    { ... }
    fn filter(self, predicate: impl FnMut(&Self::Item) -> bool)
        -> impl Iterator<Item = Self::Item>
    { ... }
    fn flatten(self) -> Flatten<Self>
    where
        Self::Item: IntoIterator,
    { ... }
}
```

IntoIterator

```
pub trait IntoIterator {  
    type Item;  
    type IntoIter: Iterator;  
    fn into_iter(self) -> Self::IntoIter;  
}
```

What is a `for` loop anyway?

<https://doc.rust-lang.org/std/iter/index.html#for-loops-and-intoiterator>

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Box<T>

A `Box<T>` is just a (non-null!) pointer which owns a value of type `T`.

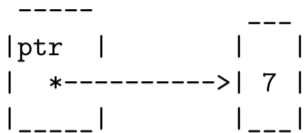
```
let x = Box::new(7);  
assert_eq!(*x, 7);  
*x += 10;  
assert_eq!(*x, 17);
```

This ends up being very useful when defining a recursive struct or enum.

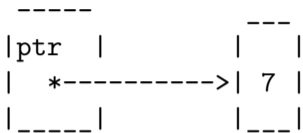
Some relevant functions for working with `Box<T>`:

```
fn new(x: T) -> Box<T>;  
fn leak<'a>(b: Box<T>) -> &'a mut T;  
  
// From traits  
fn as_mut(&self) -> &mut T;  
fn as_ref(&self) -> &T;
```

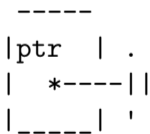
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If we're using an `Option<Box<T>>` we can perform a null pointer optimisation, where `None` is represented as



So we can avoid storing an extra byte to know if we're `None` or `Some(v)`.

Rc<T>

Where we can only have one owner of a `Box<T>`, and all ownership is enforced statically, we can instead use *reference counting* to push some of this to runtime (for a little cost).

```
let mut x = Rc::new(3);
if let Some(v) = Rc::get_mut(&mut x) {
    *v = 4;
} else {
    // Unreachable here
    panic!("Didn't get a mutable reference!");
}
assert_eq!(*x, 4);

let _y = Rc::clone(&x);
assert!(Rc::get_mut(&mut x).is_none());
```

Relevant functions for `Rc<T>`.

```
fn new(value: T) -> Rc<T>;
fn get_mut(this: &mut Rc<T>) -> Option<&mut T>;
fn make_mut<T: Clone>(this: &mut Rc<T>) -> &mut T;

// From traits--but important! Points to same allocation.
fn clone(&self) -> Rc<T>;
```