

CMSC 330: Organization of Programming Languages

Structs and Enums in Rust

Rust Data

- So far, we've seen the following kinds of data
 - Scalar types (int, float, char, string, bool)
 - Tuples, Arrays, and Collections
- How can we build other data structures?
 - Structs (like Objects; support for methods)
 - Enums (like Ocaml Data Types)

Structs: Definitions & Construction

```
struct Rectangle {  
    width: u32,  
    height: u32,  
}
```

```
fn main() {  
    // construction  
    let rect1 = Rectangle { width: 30, height: 50 };  
    // accessing fields  
    println!("rect1's width is {}", rect1.width),  
}
```

> rect1's width is 30

Structs: Printing

```
struct Rectangle{  
    width:u32,  
    height:u32,  
}  
  
fn main() {  
    let rect1 = Rectangle { width:30, height:50};  
    println!("rect1 is {}", rect1);  
}
```

error[E0277]: the trait bound `Rectangle:
std::fmt::Display` is not satisfied

Structs: Printing with Derived Traits

```
#[derive(Debug)]
```

Derive printing format

```
struct Rectangle{  
    width:u32,  
    height:u32,  
}
```

```
fn main() {  
    let rect1 = Rectangle { width:30, height:50};  
    println!("rect1 is {:?}", rect1);  
}
```

Use printing format

```
> rect1 is Rectangle { width: 30, height: 50 }
```

Structs

- Syntax
 - **struct** T [$\langle T \rangle$] $\{n_1:t_1, \dots, n_i:t_i, \}$
 - the n_i are called **fields**, begin with a lowercase letter
 - $\langle T \rangle$ optionally for generics (see later)
- Evaluation
 - **Construction:**
 $T \{n_1:v_1, n_i:v_i\}$ is a value if v_i are values.
 - **Destruction:**
 $t.ni$ returns the ni field of t
- Type Checking
 - $T \{n_1:v_1, n_i:v_i\} : T$ [if v_i has type t_i]

Methods: Definitions on Structs

```
impl Rectangle {  
    fn area(&self) -> u32 {  
        self.width * self.height  
    }  
}
```

Self argument of type Rectangle

impl Rectangle defines an implementation block

- self arg has type Rectangle (reference)
- same ownership rules:
 - &self for borrowing,
 - self to take ownership,
 - &mut self to allow mutation

Methods: Calls

```
fn main() {  
    let rect1 = Rectangle { width:30, height:50};  
    println!("The area is {} pixels.",  
           rect1.area())  
}
```

dot syntax to call methods

If method had arguments, use function call e.g.,
`rect1.area(3)`

Methods: Many Arguments

```
impl Rectangle {  
    fn can_hold(&self, other:&Rectangle) -> bool {  
        self.width > other.width && self.height > other.height  
    }  
  
    fn square(size:u32) -> Rectangle {  
        Rectangle { width: size, height: size }  
    }  
}
```

square is called an Associated Method

- no self argument
- operates on Rectangles
- called with let sq = Rectangle::square(3);

Generic Lifetimes

```
struct ImportantExcerpt<'a> {  
    part: & 'a str,  
}  
  
fn main() {  
    let novel = String::from("Generic Lifetime");  
    let i = ImportantExcerpt { part: &novel; }  
}
```

When structs hold **references**, we need to add a lifetime annotation on **every** reference in the struct's definition.

Lifetimes in Methods

```
struct ImportantExcerpt<'a> {
    part: & 'a str,
}

impl<'a> ImportantExcerpt<'a> {
    fn level(&self) -> i32 {
        3
    }
}
```

Implementation needs lifetime annotation.

Lifetime is inferred in function (using **elision**^[*]).

[*] <https://doc.rust-lang.org/book/second-edition/ch10-03-lifetime-syntax.html#lifetime-elision>

Quiz 1: **point** is immutable at *HERE*

```
struct Point {  
    x: i32,  
    y: i32,  
}  
let mut point = Point { x: 0, y: 0 };  
point.x = 5;  
let point = point;  
// HERE
```

- A. True
- B. False

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    x: i32,  
    y: i32,  
}  
let mut point = Point { x: 0, y: 0 };  
point.x = 5;  
let point = point;  
// HERE
```

- A. True.
- B. False

Mutability is a property of the binding;
the old point's contents are copied to
the new one

Enums

```
enum IpAddr{  
    V4(String),  
    V6(String),  
}
```

definition

```
let home      = IpAddr::V4(String::from("127.0.0.1"));  
let loopback = IpAddr::V6(String::from("::1"));
```

construction

Like Variants in Ocaml

```
type IpAddr = V4 of string | V6 of string ;;  
let home      = V4 "127.0.0.1";;  
let loopback = V6 "1";;
```

Enums with Blocks

```
enum IpAddr{  
    V4(String),  
    V6(String),  
}  
  
impl IpAddr {  
    fn call(&self) {  
        // method body would be defined here  
    }  
}  
  
let m = IpAddr ::V6(String::from("::1"));  
m.call();
```

Enums with Structs

Like in OCaml, enums might contain any type,
e.g., structs, references, ...

```
struct Ipv4Addr{  
    // details elided  
}
```

```
struct Ipv6Addr{  
    // details elided  
}
```

```
enum IpAddr{  
    V4(Ipv4Addr),  
    V6(Ipv6Addr),  
}
```

The Option Enum: Generic Types

Defined in standard lib

```
enum Option<T> { Some(T), None, }
```

```
let some_number = Some(5);
```

```
let some_string = Some("a string");
```

```
let absent_number:Option<&Rectangle> = None;
```

Instantiation with
any type!

Compare with OCaml

```
type 'a Option = Some of 'a | None ;;
```

```
let some_number = Some 5 ;;
```

```
let some_string = Some "a string" ;;
```

```
val absent_number :: int option ;;
```

```
let absent_number = None;;
```

Generics in Structs & Methods

Generic **T** in struct

```
struct Point<T> {  
    x: T,  
    y: T,  
}
```

Generic **T** in methods

```
impl<T> Point<T> {  
    fn x(&self) -> &T {  
        &self.x  
    }  
}
```

Instantiate **T** as **i32**

```
fn main() {  
    let p = Point { x:5, y:10};  
    println!("p.x = {}", p.x());  
}
```

Matching

```
fn plus_one(x:Option<i32>) -> Option<i32> {
    match x {
        Some(i) => Some(i +1),
        None => None,
    }
}
```

Matching should be exhaustive!

```
fn plus_one(x:Option<i32>) -> Option<i32> {  
    match x {  
        Some(i) => Some(i +1),  
        _ =>  
    }  
}
```

Error at compile time!

error[\[E0004\]](#): non-exhaustive patterns:
`None` not covered

Enums

- Syntax
 - `enum T [<T>] {C1 [(t1)], ..., Cn [(tn)], }`
 - the *Ci* are called constructors
 - Must begin with a capital letter; may include associated data notated with brackets [] to indicate it's optional
- Evaluation
 - A constructor *Ci* is a value if it has no assoc. data
 - *Ci(vi)* is a value if it does
 - Destructuring a value of type *t* is by pattern matching
 - patterns are constructors *Ci* with data components, if any
- Type Checking
 - *Ci* [(*vi*)] : *T* [if *vi* has type *ti*]

Quiz 2: Output of following code

```
enum Number {  
    Zero,  
    One,  
    Two,  
}  
use Number::Zero;  
let t = Number::One;  
match t {  
    Zero=> println!("0"),  
    Number::One => println!("1"),  
}
```

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. Compile Error

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enum Number {  
    Zero,  
    One,  
    Two,  
}  
use Number::Zero;  
let t = Number::One;  
match t {  
    Zero=> println!("0"),  
    Number::One => println!("1"),  
}
```

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. Compile Error. Pattern `Two` not covered

If-let, for non exhaustive matches

```
fn check(x: Option<i32>) {  
    if let Some(42) = x {  
        println!("Success!") // only executed if the match succeeds  
    } else {  
        println!("Failure!")  
    }  
}
```

```
fn main (){  
    check(Some(3)); // prints "Failure!"  
    check(Some(42)); // prints "Success!"  
    check(None); // prints "Failure!"  
}
```

Recap: Structs and Enums

1. Structs define data structures with fields
 - And implementation blocks collect methods on to specify the behavior of structs (like objects)

2. Enums define a set of possible data types
 - Like OCaml variant types
 - Use match or if-let to deconstruct