



# **DS-210: PROGRAMMING FOR DATA SCIENCE**

## **LECTURE 21**

**0. ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE FINAL PROJECT PROPOSAL?**

**1. USEFUL PREDEFINED GENERIC DATA TYPES**

**2. TRAITS**





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Generic data types:

- Data types (struct/enum) parameterized by types

Two useful predefined types: `Option<T>` and `Result<T, E>`



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Out[4]: `Some(839)`



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In [5]: // extracting the content of Some(...)
        if let Some(x) = tmp {
            println!("Some({})",x);
        }
        match tmp {
            Some(x) => println!("Some({})",x),
            None => println!("None"),
        };
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## INTERESTING RELATED FACT: BERTRAND'S POSTULATE

THERE IS ALWAYS A PRIME NUMBER IN  $[k, 2k]$ .





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```
Out[6]: false
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```
In [8]: //let x = Some(3);  
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let y = x.expect("This should have been an integer");  
y
```

```
thread '<unnamed>' panicked at 'This should have been a  
n integer', src/lib.rs:126:11  
stack backtrace:  
0: rust_begin_unwind  
   at /rustc/9d1b2106e23b1abd32fce1f17267604a  
5102f57a/library/std/src/panicking.rs:498:5  
1: core::panicking::panic_fmt  
   at /rustc/9d1b2106e23b1abd32fce1f17267604a  
5102f57a/library/core/src/panicking.rs:116:14  
2: core::panicking::panic_display  
   at /rustc/9d1b2106e23b1abd32fce1f17267604a  
5102f57a/library/core/src/panicking.rs:72:5  
3: core::panicking::panic_str  
   at /rustc/9d1b2106e23b1abd32fce1f17267604a  
5102f57a/library/core/src/panicking.rs:56:5  
4: core::option::expect_failed  
   at /rustc/9d1b2106e23b1abd32fce1f17267604a  
5102f57a/library/core/src/option.rs:1817:5  
5: run_user_code_7  
6: evcxr::runtime::Runtime::run_loop  
7: evcxr::runtime::runtime_hook  
8: evcxr_jupyter::main  
note: Some details are omitted, run with `RUST_BACKTRAC  
E=full` for a verbose backtrace.  
Segmentation fault.
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More details:

- <https://doc.rust-lang.org/std/option/>
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```

```
In [17]: divide(2022,3)
```

```
Out[17]: Ok(674)
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In [18]: let r1 : Result<i32, ()> = Ok(3);  
         //r1.is_ok()  
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```

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```
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In [22]: let r2 : Result<u32, ()> = Err(());  
        let r3 : Result<u32, ()> = Ok(123);  
        println!("r2: {}\nr3: {}",  
                r2.unwrap_or(0),  
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## SAMPLE TRAIT DEFINITION

```
In [23]: trait Person {  
    // method header specifications  
    fn get_name(&self) -> String;  
    fn get_age(&self) -> u32;  
  
    // default implementation of a method  
    fn description(&self) -> String {  
        format!("{}", ({}), self.get_name(), self.get_age())  
    }  
}
```



## SAMPLE TRAIT IMPLEMENTATION 1

```
In [24]: struct SoccerPlayer {
    name: String,
    age: u32,
    team: String,
}

impl Person for SoccerPlayer {
    fn get_age(&self) -> u32 {
        self.age
    }

    fn get_name(&self) -> String {
        self.name.clone()
    }
}

impl SoccerPlayer {
    fn create(name:String,age:u32,team:String) -> SoccerPlayer{
        SoccerPlayer{name,age,team}
    }
}
```





## SAMPLE TRAIT IMPLEMENTATION 2

```
In [25]: #[derive(Debug)]
struct RegularPerson {
    year_born: u32,
    first_name: String,
    middle_name: String,
    last_name: String,
}

impl Person for RegularPerson {
    fn get_age(&self) -> u32 {
        2022 - self.year_born
    }

    fn get_name(&self) -> String {
        if self.middle_name == "" {
            format!("{}", self.first_name, self.last_name)
        } else {
            format!("{}", self.first_name, self.middle_name, self.last_name)
        }
    }
}

impl RegularPerson {
    fn create(first_name:String,middle_name:String,last_name:String,year_born:u32) -> RegularPerson {
        RegularPerson{first_name,middle_name,last_name,year_born}
    }
}
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## USING TRAITS IN FUNCTIONS

```
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## EXAMPLES

```
In [27]: let mlk = RegularPerson::create(
    String::from("Martin"),
    String::from("Luther"),
    String::from("King"),
    1929
);

let zlatan = SoccerPlayer::create(String::from("Zlatan Ibrahimovic"), 40, String::from("AC Milan"));
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    String::from("King"),
    1929
);

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```

```
In [28]: println!("{}",mlk.description());
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```

```
Martin Luther King (93)
Zlatan Ibrahimovic, who is 40 old
```







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## USING TRAITS IN FUNCTIONS: MULTIPLE TRAITS

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In [33]: multiple_1(&mlk);
```

```
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Age: 93
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## USING TRAITS IN FUNCTIONS: MULTIPLE TRAITS

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In [34]: // three options, useful for different settings

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In [35]:

```
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## RETURNING TYPES IMPLEMENTING A TRAIT

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        long_description(&zlatan_2);  
    };
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