GWiz (The GPXWizard)

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Motivation





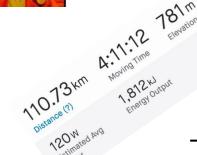








- o Unleash that inner data junkie 🤓
- Don't let Strava steal your data*

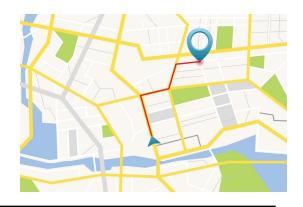




High-Level Overview

- Imperative
- Statically scoped
- Strongly typed
- Built in struct and list types
- GPX file analysis

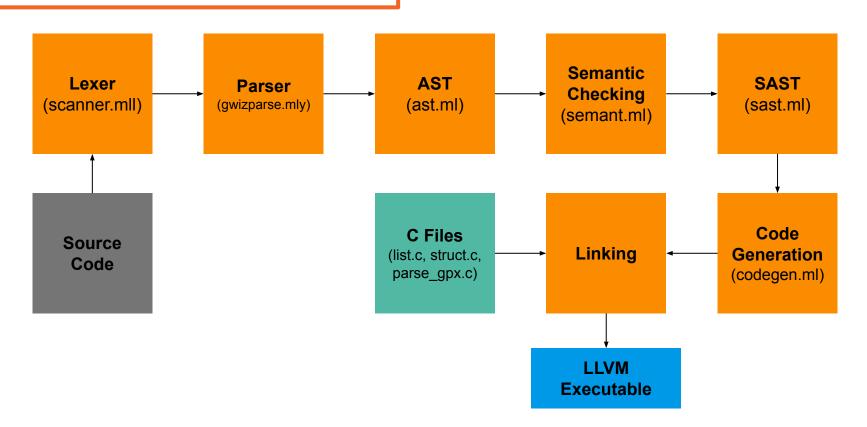




GPX File

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Compiler Architecture



GWiz's Evolution

Iteration 1

- Activity Class
 - Sounded cool but too cumbersome for user to define

Iteration 2

- Pass GPX file into a gwiz array of structs
 - Simple to pass pointers to and from C
 - Array of structs' memory didn't match up with C

Current iteration

- File pointer
 - Clean and easy to work with on the user end
 - Efficient

Key Language Features

- GPX file interpretation
 - File pointer
 - Built-in functions
 - Math functions
- Generate your own route*
 - Structs (Trackpoint)
 - Linked List

^{*}may be a little cumbersome

Struct = Trackpoint

- Trackpoint is a struct of (double, double, int)
- Used to represent latitude, longitude and time

Linked List

- Create Linked Lists of Ints and Trackpoints
- Append elements to the end of the list
- Access elements at specified index
- Leak memory

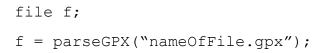
GPX File Parsing

- In C: used libxml2, an XML parser, to select latitude, longitude, and time data for each trackpoint
- Return a pointer to a list of trackpoints

Interpreting a GPX file in GWiz

Sorry, all these functions are in metric because the person who wrote them is Canadian.

- GPX file is represented in GWiz as a file pointer
- Handy built-in functions provide the building blocks for a variety of user-defined functions!
 - GPX functions
 - void stat(file f) /* prints general stats for a quick overview */
 - int totTime(file f)
 - double totDist(file f)
 - double avgSpeed(file f)
 - Math functions
 - intFloor(double d)
 - doubleFloor(double d)
 - squareRoot(double d)





Code demo



Future Work

- Use graphs to see if 2 gpx file routes intersect
- Add elevation and heart rate to Trackpoint
- Modify and write to a new gpx file
- Conversion between double and int
 - Less safe, more convenient.
- Automatic garbage collection
 - Won't run the risk of running out of memory

