

#### RUFF

#### An extremely fast Python linter, written in Rust.

**VERSION:** v0.0.292



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#### Ruff is (also) a formatter

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   def create_decimal(self, num="0"):
        """Creates a new Decimal instance but using self as context.
        This method implements the to-number operation of the
        IBM Decimal specification."""
           return self._raise_error(ConversionSyntax,
                                    "trailing or leading whitespace and "
        if isinstance(num, str) and (num != num.strip() or "_" in num):
           return self._raise_error(
                ConversionSyntax,
                "trailing or leading whitespace and " "underscores are not permitted.",
       d = Decimal(num, context=self)
        if d._isnan() and len(d._int) > self.prec - self.clamp:
           return self._raise_error(ConversionSyntax,
           return self._raise_error(
               ConversionSyntax, "diagnostic info too long in NaN"
        return d._fix(self)
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Benchmark 1: ./target/release/ruff format /Us           Time (mean ± σ):         95.8 ms ± 2.9 ms           Range (min max):         90.9 ms 100.6 ms	ers/crmarsh/workspace/zulip [User: 620.3 ms, System: 53.7 ms] 14 runs				
Benchmark 2: BLACK_CACHE_DIR=/dev/null blackTime (mean $\pm \sigma$ ):3.154 s $\pm$ 0.055 sRange (min max):3.101 s 3.272 s	/Users/crmarsh/workspace/zulipfast [User: 23.378 s, System: 0.543 s] 10 runs				
Benchmark 3: autopep8         /Users/crmarsh/workspace           Time (mean ± σ):         19.601 s ± 0.202 s           Range (min max):         19.326 s 19.895 s	e/zuliprecursivein-place [User: 19.252 s, System: 0.326 s] 10 runs				
Benchmark 4: yapf /Users/crmarsh/workspace/zu           Time (mean ± σ):         17.755 s ± 0.397 s           Range (min max):         17.200 s 18.382 s	lipparallelrecursivein-place [User: 121.918 s, System: 1.258 s] 10 runs				
<pre>Summary './target/release/ruff format /Users/crmarsh/workspace/zulip' ran 32.92 ± 1.14 times faster than 'BLACK_CACHE_DIR=/dev/null black /Users/crmarsh/workspace/zulipfast' 185.34 ± 6.92 times faster than 'yapf /Users/crmarsh/workspace/zulipparallelrecursivein-place' 204.61 ± 6.47 times faster than 'autopep8 /Users/crmarsh/workspace/zuliprecursivein-place' ruff on <sup>1</sup>/ main [\$] is <sup>(*)</sup>/ v0.0.292 via <sup>(*)</sup>/ v3.11.5 via <sup>(*)</sup>/ v1.72.0 took 14m</pre>					

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#### Where did Ruff come from?

- Khan Academy (2015 2017)
  - Web frontend (JavaScript)
  - Web backend (Python)
  - Android (Java)
  - iOS (Objective-C, Swift)
- Spring Discovery (2018 2022)
  - Machine learning infrastructure (Python)
  - Data infrastructure (Python, Rust)
  - Web frontend (TypeScript)
- Ruff (August 2022)
- Astral (March 2023)





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4/Why is Ruff a gamechanger? Primarily because it is nearly 1000x faster. Literally. Not a typo. On our largest module (dagster itself, 250k LOC) pylint takes about 2.5 minutes, parallelized across 4 cores on my M1. Running ruff against our \*entire\* codebase takes .4 seconds.

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#### How does Ruff work?

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#### What makes Ruff fast?

- Rust

  - Writing performant Rust is its own skillset
- Parse once
  - Unified tooling means significantly less repeated work
- Fearless concurrency
  - Embarrassingly parallel compilation model
- A constant focus on performance

• Rust is fast, but writing your program in Rust doesn't guarantee that it will be fast





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	<pre>pub struct Int(Number);</pre>		Labels	<b></b>	
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