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## Top picks

### Rust async and the ARM generic timer

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• [thejpster.org.uk](https://thejpster.org.uk) via [jmillikin](#)

The Rust async runtime now supports the ARM generic timer, enabling efficient scheduling on ARM devices without relying on specific hardware timers. This enhancement improves performance and portability for embedded systems and mobile applications using Rust. It allows developers to write more reliable, high-performance asynchronous code across diverse ARM architectures.

<https://thejpster.org.uk/blog/blog-2026-05-17>

### I turned a \$80 RK3562 Android tablet into a Debian Linux workstation

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• [tech4bot](#)

The author transformed a cheap \$80 RK3562 Android tablet into a powerful Debian Linux workstation using custom firmware and a specialized USB boot loader. This project demonstrates how accessible hardware can run complex operating systems, offering a low-cost alternative to expensive mini PCs for developers and enthusiasts. It proves that high-performance computing is no longer limited by budget, making advanced Linux capabilities available to anyone with a few dollars.

<https://github.com/tech4bot/rk3562deb>

### Rust x GBA: Setup and Pixels

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• [jmillikin](#)

This guide teaches you how to compile Rust code for the Game Boy Advance, enabling modern programming on classic hardware. By leveraging the GBA's limited resources, you can create pixel-perfect games that run natively without emulation. Mastering this setup unlocks a unique development experience, allowing you to push the boundaries of retro gaming with contemporary tools.

<https://jonahnestrick.com/blog/rust-gba-tutorial-1>

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## Also worth a glance

Native all the way, until you need text

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<https://justsitandgrin.im/posts/native-all-the-way-until-you-need-text>

Savepoint Project

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<https://www.namtao.com/savepoint>

## Introducing Incremental

<https://blog.janestreet.com/introducing-incremental>

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## Zerostack – A Unix-inspired coding agent written in pure Rust

<https://crates.io/crates/zerostack/1.0.0>

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## Warelay -> OpenClaw

<https://simonwillison.net/2026/May/16/openclaw-names>

Simon Willison

## Show HN: Semble – Code search for agents that uses 98% fewer tokens than grep

<https://github.com/MinishLab/semble>

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## Coding on Paper

<https://wickstrom.tech/2026-05-16-coding-on-paper.html>

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