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Welcome to the API reference documentation for Adafruit CircuitPython. This contains low-level API reference docs which may link out to separate "getting started" guides. Adafruit has many excellent tutorials available through the Adafruit Learning System.

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CHAPTER

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CIRCUITPYTHON



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CircuitPython is a *beginner friendly*, open source version of Python for tiny, inexpensive computers called microcontrollers. Microcontrollers are the brains of many electronics including a wide variety of development boards used to build hobby projects and prototypes. CircuitPython in electronics is one of the best ways to learn to code because it connects code to reality. Simply install CircuitPython on a supported board via drag and drop and then edit a code. py file on the CIRCUITPY drive. The code will automatically reload. No software installs are needed besides a text editor (we recommend Mu for beginners.)

CircuitPython features unified Python core APIs and a growing list of 150+ device libraries and drivers that work with it. These libraries also work on single board computers with regular Python via the Adafruit Blinka Library.

CircuitPython is based on MicroPython. See *below* for differences. CircuitPython development is sponsored by Adafruit and is available on their educational development boards. Please support both MicroPython and Adafruit.

1.1 Get CircuitPython

Official binaries for all supported boards are available through circuitpython.org/downloads. The site includes stable, unstable and continuous builds. Full release notes and assets are available through GitHub releases as well.

1.2 Documentation

Guides and videos are available through the Adafruit Learning System under the CircuitPython category. An API reference is also available on Read the Docs. A collection of awesome resources can be found at Awesome Circuit-Python.

Specifically useful documentation when starting out:

- Welcome to CircuitPython
- CircuitPython Essentials
- Example Code

1.3 Code Search

GitHub doesn't currently support code search on forks. Therefore, CircuitPython doesn't have code search through GitHub because it is a fork of MicroPython. Luckily, SourceGraph has free code search for public repos like Circuit-Python. So, visit sourcegraph.com/github.com/adafruit/circuitpython to search the CircuitPython codebase online.

1.4 Contributing

See CONTRIBUTING.md for full guidelines but please be aware that by contributing to this project you are agreeing to the Code of Conduct. Contributors who follow the Code of Conduct are welcome to submit pull requests and they will be promptly reviewed by project admins. Please join the Discord too.

1.5 Branding

While we are happy to see CircuitPython forked and modified, we'd appreciate it if forked releases not use the name "CircuitPython" or the Blinka logo. "CircuitPython" means something special to us and those who learn about it. As a result, we'd like to make sure products referring to it meet a common set of requirements.

If you'd like to use the term "CircuitPython" and Blinka for your product here is what we ask:

- Your product is supported by the primary "adafruit/circuitpython" repo. This way we can update any custom code as we update the CircuitPython internals.
- Your product is listed on circuitpython.org (source here). This is to ensure that a user of your product can always download the latest version of CircuitPython from the standard place.
- Your product has a user accessible USB plug which appears as a CIRCUITPY drive when plugged in.

If you choose not to meet these requirements, then we ask you call your version of CircuitPython something else (for example, SuperDuperPython) and not use the Blinka logo. You can say it is "CircuitPython-compatible" if most CircuitPython drivers will work with it.

1.6 Differences from MicroPython

CircuitPython:

- Supports native USB on all boards, allowing file editing without special tools.
- Floats (aka decimals) are enabled for all builds.
- Error messages are translated into 10+ languages.
- Does not support concurrency within Python (including interrupts and threading). Some concurrency is achieved with native modules for tasks that require it such as audio file playback.

1.6.1 Behavior

- The order that files are run and the state that is shared between them. CircuitPython's goal is to clarify the role of each file and make each file independent from each other.
- boot.py (or settings.py) runs only once on start up before USB is initialized. This lays the ground work for configuring USB at startup rather than it being fixed. Since serial is not available, output is written to boot_out.txt.
- code.py (or main.py) is run after every reload until it finishes or is interrupted. After it is done running, the vm and hardware is reinitialized. This means you cannot read state from code.py in the REPL anymore, as the REPL is a fresh vm. CircuitPython's goal for this change includes reducing confusion about pins and memory being used.
- After the main code is finished the REPL can be entered by pressing any key.
- · Autoreload state will be maintained across reload.
- Adds a safe mode that does not run user code after a hard crash or brown out. The hope is that this will make it easier to fix code that causes nasty crashes by making it available through mass storage after the crash. A reset (the button) is needed after it's fixed to get back into normal mode.
- RGB status LED indicating CircuitPython state, and errors through a sequence of colored flashes.
- Re-runs code.py or other main file after file system writes over USB mass storage. (Disable with supervisor.disable_autoreload())
- Autoreload is disabled while the REPL is active.
- Main is one of these: code.txt, code.py, main.py, main.txt
- Boot is one of these: settings.txt, settings.py, boot.py, boot.txt

1.6.2 API

- Unified hardware APIs. Documented on ReadTheDocs.
- API docs are rST within the C files in shared-bindings.
- No machine API.

1.6.3 Modules

- No module aliasing. (uos and utime are not available as os and time respectively.) Instead os, time, and random are CPython compatible.
- New storage module which manages file system mounts. (Functionality from uos in MicroPython.)
- Modules with a CPython counterpart, such as time, os and random, are strict subsets of their CPython version. Therefore, code from CircuitPython is runnable on CPython but not necessarily the reverse.
- tick count is available as time.monotonic()

1.7 Project Structure

Here is an overview of the top-level source code directories.

1.7.1 Core

The core code of MicroPython is shared amongst ports including CircuitPython:

- docs High level user documentation in Sphinx reStructuredText format.
- drivers External device drivers written in Python.
- examples A few example Python scripts.
- extmod Shared C code used in multiple ports' modules.
- lib Shared core C code including externally developed libraries such as FATFS.
- logo The CircuitPython logo.
- mpy-cross A cross compiler that converts Python files to byte code prior to being run in MicroPython. Useful for reducing library size.
- py Core Python implementation, including compiler, runtime, and core library.
- shared-bindings Shared definition of Python modules, their docs and backing C APIs. Ports must implement the C API to support the corresponding module.
- shared-module Shared implementation of Python modules that may be based on common-hal.
- tests Test framework and test scripts.
- tools Various tools, including the pyboard.py module.

1.7.2 Ports

Ports include the code unique to a microcontroller line and also variations based on the board.

Supported	Support status
atmel-samd	SAMD21 stable SAMD51 stable
cxd56	stable
esp32s2	beta
litex	alpha
mimxrt10xx	alpha
nrf	stable
raspberrypi	beta
stm	F4 stable others beta
unix	alpha

- stable Highly unlikely to have bugs or missing functionality.
- beta Being actively improved but may be missing functionality and have bugs.
- alpha Will have bugs and missing functionality.

The remaining port directories not listed above are in the repo to maintain compatibility with the MicroPython parent project.

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1.8.1 Core Modules

These core modules are intended on being consistent across ports and boards. A module may not exist on a port/board if no underlying hardware support is present or if flash space is limited. For example, a microcontroller without analog features will not have <code>analogio</code>. See the *Module Support Matrix* - *Which Modules Are Available on Which Boards* page for a list of modules supported on each board.

Module Support Matrix - Which Modules Are Available on Which Boards

The following table lists the available built-in modules for each CircuitPython capable board.

Board	Modules Available	
8086 Com-	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, gamepad, math, microcontroller,	
mander	neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage,	
	struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid	
@sarfata	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, i2cperipheral, math, microcontroller,	
shIRtty	neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage,	
	struct, supervisor, time, usb_hid, usb_midi	
Adafruit	analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, math,	
BLM	microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, random, storage, struct,	
Badge	supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid	

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Board	Modules Available
Adafruit Circuit Play- ground Bluefruit	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Adafruit Circuit- Play- ground Express	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, bitbangio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit Circuit- Play- ground Express with Crickit libraries	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit Circuit- Play- ground Express with displayio	analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit CLUE nRF52840 Express	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Adafruit Feather Bluefruit Sense	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Adafruit Feather M0 Adalogger	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
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Board	Table 1 – continued from previous page
Board	Modules Available
Adafruit Feather M0 Basic	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit Feather M0 Ex- press	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit Feather M0 Express with Crickit libraries	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, errno, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit Feather M0 RFM69	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, random, storage, struct, supervisor, time
Adafruit Feather M0 RFM9x	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, random, storage, struct, supervisor, time
Adafruit Feather M4 CAN	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit Feather M4 Ex- press	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit Feather MIMXRT10	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, lmicrocontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
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Feather nRF52840	Board	Modules Available
Reather RadioFruit Zigbee	Feather nRF52840	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Feather RP2040 binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog Adafruit Feather STM32F405 Express Express Adafruit FunHouse Adafruit FunHouse Adafruit FunHouse Adafruit Cemma M0 M0 binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, pwmio, random re, rgbmatrix, sdcardio, sdiolo, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio Adafruit Cemma M0 Adafruit Adafruit Cemma M0 Adafruit Cemma M0 Adafruit _bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, ulab, usb_hid usctorio, watchdog, wifi Adafruit _bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad tizeperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio	Feather RadioFruit	_pixelbuf, analogio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Feather STM32F405 Express Busio, canio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random re, rgbmatrix, sdcardio, sdioio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio Adafruit FunHouse Adafruit FunHouse Busio, canio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, paddress, json math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid vectorio, watchdog, wifi Adafruit Gemma Mo Adafruit Gemma Mo Adafruit Grand Cen- digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio	Feather	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
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touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio	Grand Cen- tral M4	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sdioio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio

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Adafruit Hallow- ing M4 Express	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit ItsyBitsy M0 Ex- press	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit ItsyBitsy M4 Ex- press	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit ItsyBitsy nRF52840 Express	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Adafruit ItsyBitsy RP2040	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Adafruit MagTag	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi

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Board	Table 1 – continued from previous page Modules Available
Board	Modules Available
Adafruit Matrix Portal M4	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit Metro ESP32S2	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Adafruit Metro M0 Express	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit Metro M4 Airlift Lite	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit Metro M4 Express	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit Metro nRF52840 Express	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog

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_pixelbuf, board, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, random, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
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_bleio, _pixelbuf, _stage, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, gamepadshift, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
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Adafruit PyPortal	Modules Available _bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio,
PyPortal	audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write,
	sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
PyPortal Titano	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit QT Py M0 Haxpress	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
QT2040 Trinkey	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
QTPy RP2040	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Rotary	_pixelbuf, board, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, random, rotaryio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi

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Board	Modules Available Table 1 – continued from previous page
Adafruit Slide Trinkey M0	_pixelbuf, analogio, board, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, random, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Adafruit Trellis M4 Express	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Adafruit Trinket M0	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Alori- umTech Evo M51	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
ARAM- CON Badge 2019	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
ARAM- CON2 Badge	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Arduino MKR Zero	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Arduino MKR1300	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi

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Board	Modules Available
Arduino Nano 33 BLE	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Arduino Nano 33 IoT	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Arduino Nano RP2040 Connect	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Arduino Zero	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Artisense Reference Design RD00	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Atelier- DuMaker nRF52840 Breakout	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
BastBLE	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
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BastWiFi	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
BDMI- CRO VINA-D21	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
BDMI- CRO VINA-D51	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
BLE-SS dev board Multi Sensor	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Capable Robot Pro- grammable USB Hub	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Cedar Grove String- Car M0 Express	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Circuit- Brains Basic	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
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Modules Available
_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
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_bleio, _pixelbuf, _stage, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, vectorio
_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
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	Franzin- inho WIFI w/Wroom	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi

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Doard	Woddios / Wallable
Franzin- inho WIFI w/Wrover	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Hacked Feather M0 Ex- press with 8Mbyte SPI flash	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
HalloW- ing M0 Express	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
HiiBot BlueFi	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Iki- gaiSense Vita nRF52840	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
iMX RT 1020 EVK	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
iMX RT 1060 EVK	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio

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Board	Modules Available
IMXRT1010 EVK	bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
J&J Studios datum- Distance	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
J&J Studios datum- IMU	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
J&J Studios datum- Light	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
J&J Studios datum- Weather	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Kaluga 1	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
keithp.com snekboard	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
LILYGO TTGO T8 ESP32-S2 w/Display	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
LoC BeR M4 base board	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
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Maker- diary M60 Keyboard	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Mak- erdiary nRF52840 M.2 De- veloper Kit	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Maker- Diary nRF52840 MDK	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Maker- Diary nRF52840 MDK USB Dongle	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Mak- erdiary Pitaya Go	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
MDBT50Q- DB-40	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
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Meow Meow	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
MEOW- BIT	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, vectorio
Metro MIMXRT10	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, lbusio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
microS2	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Mini SAM M4	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
nanoESP32- S2	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Bit6:] analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
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Board	Modules Available
nice!nano	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
NUCLEO STM32F746	_bleio, _pixelbuf, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
NUCLEO STM32F767	_bleio, _pixelbuf, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
NUCLEO STM32H743	_bleio, _pixelbuf, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, os, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
Open Hardware Summit 2020 Badge	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
OPENMV- H7 R1	_bleio, _pixelbuf, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, os, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
Particle Argon	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
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Board	Modules Available
Particle Boron	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Particle Xenon	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
PCA10056 nRF52840- DK	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
PCA10059 nRF52840 Dongle	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
PCA10100 nRF52833 Dongle	_bleio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiopwmio, binascii, board, busio, digitalio, errno, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, usb_hid, usb_midi, watchdog
PewPew 10.2	_pew, analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid
PewPew M4	_stage, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, gamepad, math, microcontroller, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time
PicoPlanet	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
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Board	Modules Available
Pimoroni Keybow 2040	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Pimoroni Pico LiPo (16MB)	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Pimoroni Pico LiPo (4MB)	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Pimoroni PicoSys- tem	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
Pimoroni Tiny 2040	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
PYB LR Nano V2	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
Py- boardV1_1	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, sdcardio, sdioio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
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Board	Modules Available	
Py- Cubedv04	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, errno, frequencyio, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi	
PyCubedv04 MRAM	bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, errno, frequencyio, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi	
Raspberry Pi Pico	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog	
Robo HAT MM1 M4	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, errno, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi	
SAM E54 Xplained Pro	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sdioio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio	
SAM32v26	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, ustack, vectorio	
Saola 1 w/Wroom	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi	

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Dould	Triodulos / Wallabio
Saola 1 w/Wrover	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Seee- duino Wio Terminal	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Seeeduino XIAO	analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
Serpente	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, bitbangio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, i2cperipheral, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Silicognition LLC M4-Shim	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Simmel	_bleio, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, board, busio, digitalio, json, math, microcontroller, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, usb_hid, watchdog
SparkFun LU- MIDrive	_pixelbuf, analogio, bitbangio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, i2cperipheral, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
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Modules Available
_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
analogio, board, busio, digitalio, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi

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Board	Modules Available Table 1 – continued from previous page Modules Available
SparkFun Thing Plus - RP2040	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, bitops, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
SparkFun Thing Plus - SAMD51	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
SPRE- SENSE	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, board, busio, camera, digitalio, errno, gnss, json, math, microcontroller, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sdioio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, ulab
Sprite_v2b	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, binascii, bitbangio, board, busio, countio, digitalio, errno, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, storage, struct, supervisor, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
ST STM32F746 Discovery	_bleio, _pixelbuf, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, Gdigitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
StackR- duino M0 PRO	_pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, gamepad, math, microcontroller, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, usb_hid, usb_midi
stm32f411ce blackpill	bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
stm32f411ce blackpill- with-flash	bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
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Board	Modules Available
STM32F411	E_DISCO, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
STM32F412	G_DISCO , _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
STM32F4_D	NSCOeio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, sdcardio, sdioio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, vectorio
Targett Mod- ule Clip w/Wroom	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Targett Mod- ule Clip w/Wrover	_bleio, _pixelbuf, alarm, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, canio, countio, digitalio, displayio, dualbank, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, ipaddress, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, socketpool, ssl, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, vectorio, watchdog, wifi
Teensy 4.0	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
Teensy 4.1	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
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Teknikio Bluebird	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
TG- Boards' Datalore IP M4	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
TG-Watch	_bleio, _pixelbuf, aesio, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audiomixer, audiomp3, audiopwmio, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, gamepad, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio, watchdog
The Open Book Feather	_bleio, _pixelbuf, analogio, audiobusio, audiocore, audioio, audiomixer, audiomp3, binascii, bitbangio, bitmaptools, board, busio, countio, digitalio, displayio, errno, framebufferio, frequencyio, gamepad, gamepadshift, i2cperipheral, json, math, microcontroller, msgpack, neopixel_write, nvm, os, ps2io, pulseio, pwmio, random, re, rgbmatrix, rotaryio, rtc, sdcardio, sharpdisplay, storage, struct, supervisor, terminalio, time, touchio, ulab, usb_hid, usb_midi, vectorio
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Modules

_bleio - Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE) communication

The _bleio module provides necessary low-level functionality for communicating using Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE). The '_' prefix indicates this module is meant for internal use by libraries but not by the end user. Its API may change incompatibly between minor versions of CircuitPython. Please use the adafruit_ble CircuitPython library instead, which builds on _bleio, and provides higher-level convenience functionality, including predefined beacons, clients, servers.

_bleio.adapter :Adapter

BLE Adapter used to manage device discovery and connections. This object is the sole instance of _bleio. Adapter.

exception _bleio.BluetoothError

Bases: Exception

Catchall exception for Bluetooth related errors.

Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

exception _bleio.RoleError

Bases: BluetoothError

Raised when a resource is used as the mismatched role. For example, if a local CCCD is attempted to be set but they can only be set when remote.

Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

exception _bleio.SecurityError

Bases: BluetoothError

Raised when a security related error occurs.

Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

bleio.set adapter (adapter: Optional[Adapter]) → None

Set the adapter to use for BLE, such as when using an HCI adapter. Raises NotImplementedError when the adapter is a singleton and cannot be set.

class _bleio.Adapter (*, uart: busio.UART, rts: digitalio.DigitalInOut, cts: digitalio.DigitalInOut)

The BLE Adapter object manages the discovery and connection to other nearby Bluetooth Low Energy devices. This part of the Bluetooth Low Energy Specification is known as Generic Access Profile (GAP).

Discovery of other devices happens during a scanning process that listens for small packets of information, known as advertisements, that are broadcast unencrypted. The advertising packets have two different uses. The first is to broadcast a small piece of data to anyone who cares and and nothing more. These are known as beacons. The second class of advertisement is to promote additional functionality available after the devices establish a connection. For example, a BLE heart rate monitor would advertise that it provides the standard BLE Heart Rate Service.

The Adapter can do both parts of this process: it can scan for other device advertisements and it can advertise its own data. Furthermore, Adapters can accept incoming connections and also initiate connections.

On boards that do not have native BLE, you can use an HCI co-processor. Pass the uart and pins used to communicate with the co-processor, such as an Adafruit AirLift. The co-processor must have been reset and put into BLE mode beforehand by the appropriate pin manipulation. The uart, rts, and cts objects are used to communicate with the HCI co-processor in HCI mode. The Adapter object is enabled during this call.

After instantiating an Adapter, call _bleio.set_adapter() to set _bleio.adapter

On boards with native BLE, you cannot create an instance of _bleio.Adapter; this constructor will raise NotImplementedError. Use _bleio.adapter to access the sole instance already available.

enabled :bool

State of the BLE adapter.

address : Address

MAC address of the BLE adapter.

name :str

name of the BLE adapter used once connected. The name is "CIRCUITPY" + the last four hex digits of adapter.address, to make it easy to distinguish multiple CircuitPython boards.

advertising :bool

True when the adapter is currently advertising. (read-only)

connected :bool

True when the adapter is connected to another device regardless of who initiated the connection. (read-only)

connections :Tuple[Connection]

Tuple of active connections including those initiated through _bleio.Adapter.connect(). (read-only)

```
start\_advertising (self, data: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, scan_response: Optional[_typing.ReadableBuffer] = None, connectable: bool = True, anonymous: bool = False, timeout: int = 0, interval: float = 0.1) \rightarrow None
```

Starts advertising until stop_advertising is called or if connectable, another device connects to us.

Parameters

- data (ReadableBuffer) advertising data packet bytes
- scan_response (ReadableBuffer) scan response data packet bytes. None if no scan response is needed.
- **connectable** (bool) If True then other devices are allowed to connect to this peripheral.
- **anonymous** (bool) If True then this device's MAC address is randomized before advertising.
- timeout (int) If set, we will only advertise for this many seconds. Zero means no timeout.
- interval (float) advertising interval, in seconds

$stop_advertising(self) \rightarrow None$

Stop sending advertising packets.

```
start_scan (self, prefixes: _typing.ReadableBuffer = b'', *, buffer_size: int = 512, extended: bool = False, timeout: Optional[float] = None, interval: float = 0.1, window: float = 0.1, minimum_rssi: int = -80, active: bool = True) \rightarrow Iterable[ScanEntry]
```

Starts a BLE scan and returns an iterator of results. Advertisements and scan responses are filtered and returned separately.

Parameters

- **prefixes** (ReadableBuffer) Sequence of byte string prefixes to filter advertising packets with. A packet without an advertising structure that matches one of the prefixes is ignored. Format is one byte for length (n) and n bytes of prefix and can be repeated.
- **buffer_size** (int) the maximum number of advertising bytes to buffer.
- **extended** (bool) When True, support extended advertising packets. Increasing buffer size is recommended when this is set.
- **timeout** (float) the scan timeout in seconds. If None or zero, will scan until stop_scan is called.
- **interval** (float) the interval (in seconds) between the start of two consecutive scan windows Must be in the range 0.0025 40.959375 seconds.
- window (float) the duration (in seconds) to scan a single BLE channel. window must be <= interval.
- minimum_rssi (int) the minimum rssi of entries to return.
- active (bool) retrieve scan responses for scannable advertisements.

Returns an iterable of _bleio.ScanEntry objects

Return type iterable

```
stop\_scan(self) \rightarrow None
```

Stop the current scan.

connect (*self*, *address*: Address, *, *timeout*: float) \rightarrow *Connection* Attempts a connection to the device with the given address.

Parameters

- address (Address) The address of the peripheral to connect to
- timeout (float/int) Try to connect for timeout seconds.

```
erase_bonding(self) \rightarrow None
```

Erase all bonding information stored in flash memory.

```
class _bleio. Address (address: _typing.ReadableBuffer, address_type: int)
Encapsulates the address of a BLE device.
```

Create a new Address object encapsulating the address value. The value itself can be one of:

Parameters

- address (ReadableBuffer) The address value to encapsulate. A buffer object (bytearray, bytes) of 6 bytes.
- address_type (int) one of the integer values: PUBLIC, RANDOM_STATIC, RANDOM_PRIVATE_RESOLVABLE, or RANDOM_PRIVATE_NON_RESOLVABLE.

address_bytes :bytes

The bytes that make up the device address (read-only).

Note that the bytes object returned is in little-endian order: The least significant byte is address_bytes[0]. So the address will appear to be reversed if you print the raw bytes object. If you print or use str() on the Attribute object itself, the address will be printed in the expected order. For example:

```
>>> import _bleio
>>> _bleio.adapter.address
<Address c8:1d:f5:ed:a8:35>
>>> _bleio.adapter.address.address_bytes
b'5\xa8\xed\xf5\x1d\xc8'
```

type :int

The address type (read-only).

One of the integer values: PUBLIC, RANDOM_STATIC, RANDOM_PRIVATE_RESOLVABLE, or RANDOM PRIVATE NON RESOLVABLE.

PUBLIC :int

A publicly known address, with a company ID (high 24 bits) and company-assigned part (low 24 bits).

RANDOM STATIC :int

A randomly generated address that does not change often. It may never change or may change after a power cycle.

RANDOM_PRIVATE_RESOLVABLE :int

An address that is usable when the peer knows the other device's secret Identity Resolving Key (IRK).

RANDOM_PRIVATE_NON_RESOLVABLE :int

A randomly generated address that changes on every connection.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}} eq_ (self, other: object) \rightarrow bool
```

Two Address objects are equal if their addresses and address types are equal.

```
\underline{\hspace{1cm}} hash\underline{\hspace{1cm}} (self) \rightarrow int
```

Returns a hash for the Address data.

class bleio.Attribute

Definitions associated with all BLE attributes: characteristics, descriptors, etc.

Attribute is, notionally, a superclass of Characteristic and Descriptor, but is not defined as a Python superclass of those classes.

You cannot create an instance of Attribute.

NO ACCESS :int

security mode: access not allowed

OPEN :int

security_mode: no security (link is not encrypted)

ENCRYPT_NO_MITM :int

security_mode: unauthenticated encryption, without man-in-the-middle protection

ENCRYPT WITH MITM :int

security_mode: authenticated encryption, with man-in-the-middle protection

LESC ENCRYPT WITH MITM :int

security mode: LESC encryption, with man-in-the-middle protection

SIGNED_NO_MITM :int

security_mode: unauthenticated data signing, without man-in-the-middle protection

SIGNED_WITH_MITM :int

security_mode: authenticated data signing, without man-in-the-middle protection

class _bleio.Characteristic

Stores information about a BLE service characteristic and allows reading and writing of the characteristic's value.

There is no regular constructor for a Characteristic. A new local Characteristic can be created and attached to a Service by calling <code>add_to_service()</code>. Remote Characteristic objects are created by <code>Connection.discover_remote_services()</code> as part of remote Services.

properties :int

An int bitmask representing which properties are set, specified as bitwise or'ing of of these possible values. BROADCAST, INDICATE, NOTIFY, READ, WRITE, WRITE_NO_RESPONSE.

uuid :Optional[UUID]

The UUID of this characteristic. (read-only)

Will be None if the 128-bit UUID for this characteristic is not known.

value :bytearray

The value of this characteristic.

descriptors :Descriptor

A tuple of *Descriptor* objects related to this characteristic. (read-only)

service :Service

The Service this Characteristic is a part of.

BROADCAST :int

property: allowed in advertising packets

INDICATE :int

property: server will indicate to the client when the value is set and wait for a response

NOTIFY :int

property: server will notify the client when the value is set

READ :int

property: clients may read this characteristic

WRITE :int

property: clients may write this characteristic; a response will be sent back

WRITE_NO_RESPONSE :int

property: clients may write this characteristic; no response will be sent back

Create a new Characteristic object, and add it to this Service.

Parameters

- **service** (Service) The service that will provide this characteristic
- uuid (UUID) The uuid of the characteristic
- **properties** (int) The properties of the characteristic, specified as a bitmask of these values bitwise-or'd together: *BROADCAST*, *INDICATE*, *NOTIFY*, *READ*, *WRITE*, *WRITE_NO_RESPONSE*.
- read_perm (int) Specifies whether the characteristic can be read by a client, and if so, which security mode is required. Must be one of the integer values Attribute.NO_ACCESS, Attribute.OPEN, Attribute. ENCRYPT_NO_MITM, Attribute.ENCRYPT_WITH_MITM, Attribute.LESC_ENCRYPT_WITH_MITM, Attribute.SIGNED_NO_MITM, or Attribute.SIGNED_WITH_MITM.

- write_perm(int) Specifies whether the characteristic can be written by a client, and if so, which security mode is required. Values allowed are the same as read_perm.
- max_length (int) Maximum length in bytes of the characteristic value. The maximum allowed is is 512, or possibly 510 if fixed_length is False. The default, 20, is the maximum number of data bytes that fit in a single BLE 4.x ATT packet.
- **fixed length** (bool) True if the characteristic value is of fixed length.
- initial_value (ReadableBuffer) The initial value for this characteristic. If not given, will be filled with zeros.

Returns the new Characteristic.

```
set_cccd (self, *, notify: bool = False, indicate: bool = False) \rightarrow None Set the remote characteristic's CCCD to enable or disable notification and indication.
```

Parameters

- notify (bool) True if Characteristic should receive notifications of remote writes
- indicate (float) True if Characteristic should receive indications of remote writes

Accumulates a Characteristic's incoming values in a FIFO buffer.

Monitor the given Characteristic. Each time a new value is written to the Characteristic add the newly-written bytes to a FIFO buffer.

Parameters

- **characteristic** (Characteristic) The Characteristic to monitor. It may be a local Characteristic provided by a Peripheral Service, or a remote Characteristic in a remote Service that a Central has connected to.
- **timeout** (int) the timeout in seconds to wait for the first character and between subsequent characters.
- buffer_size (int) Size of ring buffer that stores incoming data coming from client.
 Must be >= 1.

in_waiting :int

The number of bytes in the input buffer, available to be read

```
read (self, nbytes: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow Optional[bytes]
```

Read characters. If nbytes is specified then read at most that many bytes. Otherwise, read everything that arrives until the connection times out. Providing the number of bytes expected is highly recommended because it will be faster.

Returns Data read

Return type bytes or None

```
\textbf{readinto} \textit{ (self, buf: \_typing.WriteableBuffer) } \rightarrow \textbf{Optional}[\textit{int}]
```

Read bytes into the buf. Read at most len (buf) bytes.

Returns number of bytes read and stored into buf

Return type *int* or None (on a non-blocking error)

```
readline (self) \rightarrow bytes
```

Read a line, ending in a newline character.

Returns the line read

Return type int or None

```
reset input buffer (self) \rightarrow None
```

Discard any unread characters in the input buffer.

```
deinit (self) \rightarrow None
```

Disable permanently.

class bleio.Connection

A BLE connection to another device. Used to discover and interact with services on the other device.

Usage:

```
import _bleio

my_entry = None
for entry in _bleio.adapter.scan(2.5):
    if entry.name is not None and entry.name == 'InterestingPeripheral':
        my_entry = entry
        break

if not my_entry:
    raise Exception("'InterestingPeripheral' not found")

connection = _bleio.adapter.connect(my_entry.address, timeout=10)
```

Connections cannot be made directly. Instead, to initiate a connection use *Adapter.connect*. Connections may also be made when another device initiates a connection. To use a Connection created by a peer, read the *Adapter.connections* property.

connected :bool

True if connected to the remote peer.

paired :bool

True if paired to the remote peer.

connection interval :float

Time between transmissions in milliseconds. Will be multiple of 1.25ms. Lower numbers increase speed and decrease latency but increase power consumption.

When setting connection_interval, the peer may reject the new interval and <code>connection_interval</code> will then remain the same.

Apple has additional guidelines that dictate should be a multiple of 15ms except if HID is available. When HID is available Apple devices may accept 11.25ms intervals.

attribute :int

The maximum number of data bytes that can be sent in a single transmission, not including overhead bytes.

This is the maximum number of bytes that can be sent in a notification, which must be sent in a single packet. But for a regular characteristic read or write, may be sent in multiple packets, so this limit does not apply.

```
disconnect(self) \rightarrow None
```

Disconnects from the remote peripheral. Does nothing if already disconnected.

```
pair(self, *, bond: bool = True) \rightarrow None
```

Pair to the peer to improve security.

```
\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{discover\_remote\_services} (self, service\_uuids\_whitelist: Optional[Iterable[UUID]] = None) \\ &\rightarrow Tuple[Service, ...] \end{tabular}
```

Do BLE discovery for all services or for the given service UUIDS, to find their handles and characteristics,

and return the discovered services. Connection.connected must be True.

Parameters service_uuids_whitelist (iterable) – an iterable of UUID objects for the services provided by the peripheral that you want to use.

The peripheral may provide more services, but services not listed are ignored and will not be returned.

If service_uuids_whitelist is None, then all services will undergo discovery, which can be slow.

If the service UUID is 128-bit, or its characteristic UUID's are 128-bit, you you must have already created a *UUID* object for that UUID in order for the service or characteristic to be discovered. Creating the UUID causes the UUID to be registered for use. (This restriction may be lifted in the future.)

Returns A tuple of _bleio. Service objects provided by the remote peripheral.

class _bleio.Descriptor

Stores information about a BLE descriptor.

Descriptors are attached to BLE characteristics and provide contextual information about the characteristic.

There is no regular constructor for a Descriptor. A new local Descriptor can be created and attached to a Characteristic by calling <code>add_to_characteristic()</code>. Remote Descriptor objects are created by <code>Connection.discover_remote_services()</code> as part of remote Characteristics in the remote Services that are discovered.

uuid : UUID

The descriptor uuid. (read-only)

characteristic : Characteristic

The Characteristic this Descriptor is a part of.

value :bytearray

The value of this descriptor.

```
classmethod add_to_characteristic (cls, characteristic: Characteristic, uuid: UUID, *, read_perm: int = Attribute.OPEN, write_perm: int = Attribute.OPEN, max_length: int = 20, fixed_length: bool = False, initial_value: _typing.ReadableBuffer = b'') \rightarrow Descriptor
```

Create a new Descriptor object, and add it to this Service.

Parameters

- **characteristic** (Characteristic) The characteristic that will hold this descriptor
- uuid (UUID) The uuid of the descriptor
- read_perm (int) Specifies whether the descriptor can be read by a client, and if so, which security mode is required. Must be one of the integer values Attribute.NO_ACCESS, Attribute.OPEN, Attribute.ENCRYPT_NO_MITM, Attribute.ENCRYPT_WITH_MITM, Attribute.LESC_ENCRYPT_WITH_MITM, Attribute.SIGNED_NO_MITM, or Attribute.SIGNED_WITH_MITM.
- write_perm(int) Specifies whether the descriptor can be written by a client, and if so, which security mode is required. Values allowed are the same as read_perm.

- max_length (int) Maximum length in bytes of the descriptor value. The maximum allowed is is 512, or possibly 510 if fixed_length is False. The default, 20, is the maximum number of data bytes that fit in a single BLE 4.x ATT packet.
- **fixed_length** (bool) True if the descriptor value is of fixed length.
- initial_value (ReadableBuffer) The initial value for this descriptor.

Returns the new Descriptor.

class _bleio.PacketBuffer(characteristic: Characteristic, *, buffer_size: int)

Accumulates a Characteristic's incoming packets in a FIFO buffer and facilitates packet aware outgoing writes. A packet's size is either the characteristic length or the maximum transmission unit (MTU) minus overhead, whichever is smaller. The MTU can change so check <code>incoming_packet_length</code> and <code>outgoing_packet_length</code> before creating a buffer to store data.

When we're the server, we ignore all connections besides the first to subscribe to notifications.

Monitor the given Characteristic. Each time a new value is written to the Characteristic add the newly-written bytes to a FIFO buffer.

Monitor the given Characteristic. Each time a new value is written to the Characteristic add the newly-written packet of bytes to a FIFO buffer.

Parameters

- **characteristic** (Characteristic) The Characteristic to monitor. It may be a local Characteristic provided by a Peripheral Service, or a remote Characteristic in a remote Service that a Central has connected to.
- **buffer_size** (int) Size of ring buffer (in packets of the Characteristic's maximum length) that stores incoming packets coming from the peer.

packet_size :int

packet_size is the same as incoming_packet_length. The name packet_size is deprecated and will be removed in CircuitPython 6.0.0.

incoming_packet_length :int

Maximum length in bytes of a packet we are reading.

outgoing_packet_length :int

Maximum length in bytes of a packet we are writing.

```
readinto (self, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer) → int
```

Reads a single BLE packet into the buf. Raises an exception if the next packet is longer than the given buffer. Use <code>packet_size</code> to read the maximum length of a single packet.

Returns number of bytes read and stored into buf

Return type int

```
write (self, data: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, header: Optional[bytes] = None) \rightarrow int
```

Writes all bytes from data into the same outgoing packet. The bytes from header are included before data when the pending packet is currently empty.

This does not block until the data is sent. It only blocks until the data is pending.

Returns number of bytes written. May include header bytes when packet is empty.

Return type int

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Disable permanently.

class bleio.ScanEntry

Encapsulates information about a device that was received during scanning. It can be advertisement or scan response data. This object may only be created by a _bleio.ScanResults: it has no user-visible constructor.

Cannot be instantiated directly. Use _bleio.Adapter.start_scan.

address : Address

The address of the device (read-only), of type bleio. Address.

advertisement bytes :bytes

All the advertisement data present in the packet, returned as a bytes object. (read-only)

rssi :int

The signal strength of the device at the time of the scan, in integer dBm. (read-only)

connectable :bool

True if the device can be connected to. (read-only)

scan_response :bool

True if the entry was a scan response. (read-only)

```
matches (self, prefixes: ScanEntry, *, all: bool = True) \rightarrow bool
```

Returns True if the ScanEntry matches all prefixes when all is True. This is stricter than the scan filtering which accepts any advertisements that match any of the prefixes where all is False.

class bleio.ScanResults

Iterates over advertising data received while scanning. This object is always created by a _bleio.Adapter: it has no user-visible constructor.

Cannot be instantiated directly. Use _bleio.Adapter.start_scan.

```
\_iter\_(self) \rightarrow Iterator[ScanEntry]
```

Returns itself since it is the iterator.

```
next (self) \rightarrow ScanEntry
```

Returns the next _bleio.ScanEntry. Blocks if none have been received and scanning is still active. Raises StopIteration if scanning is finished and no other results are available.

```
class _bleio.Service(uuid: UUID, *, secondary: bool = False)
```

Stores information about a BLE service and its characteristics.

Create a new Service identified by the specified UUID. It can be accessed by all connections. This is known as a Service server. Client Service objects are created via Connection.discover_remote_services.

To mark the Service as secondary, pass True as secondary.

Parameters

- uuid (UUID) The uuid of the service
- **secondary** (bool) If the service is a secondary one

Returns the new Service

characteristics :Tuple[Characteristic, ...]

A tuple of Characteristic designating the characteristics that are offered by this service. (read-only)

remote :bool

True if this is a service provided by a remote device. (read-only)

secondary :bool

True if this is a secondary service. (read-only)

```
uuid :Optional[UUID]
```

The UUID of this service. (read-only)

Will be None if the 128-bit UUID for this service is not known.

```
class _bleio.UUID(value: Union[int, _typing.ReadableBuffer, str])
```

A 16-bit or 128-bit UUID. Can be used for services, characteristics, descriptors and more.

Create a new UUID or UUID object encapsulating the uuid value. The value can be one of:

- an int value in range 0 to 0xFFFF (Bluetooth SIG 16-bit UUID)
- a buffer object (bytearray, bytes) of 16 bytes in little-endian order (128-bit UUID)

Creating a 128-bit UUID registers the UUID with the onboard BLE software, and provides a temporary 16-bit UUID that can be used in place of the full 128-bit UUID.

Parameters value (int, ReadableBuffer or str) - The uuid value to encapsulate

uuid16 :int

The 16-bit part of the UUID. (read-only)

Type int

uuid128 :bytes

The 128-bit value of the UUID Raises AttributeError if this is a 16-bit UUID. (read-only)

Type bytes

size :int

128 if this UUID represents a 128-bit vendor-specific UUID. 16 if this UUID represents a 16-bit Bluetooth SIG assigned UUID. (read-only) 32-bit UUIDs are not currently supported.

Type int

pack_into (self, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, offset: int = 0) \rightarrow None

Packs the UUID into the given buffer at the given offset.

```
\_eq\_(self, other: object) \rightarrow bool
```

Two UUID objects are equal if their values match and they are both 128-bit or both 16-bit.

_eve - Low-level BridgeTek EVE bindings

The _eve module provides a class _EVE which contains methods for constructing EVE command buffers and appending basic graphics commands.

```
class _eve._EVE
```

```
register (self, o: object) \rightarrow None
```

```
flush (self) \rightarrow None
```

Send any queued drawing commands directly to the hardware.

Parameters width (int) – The width of the grid in tiles, or 1 for sprites.

cc (self, b: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow None

Append bytes to the command FIFO.

Parameters b (ReadableBuffer) - The bytes to add

```
AlphaFunc (self, func: int, ref: int) \rightarrow None Set the alpha test function
```

Parameters

- func (int) specifies the test function, one of NEVER, LESS, LEQUAL, GREATER, GEQUAL, EQUAL, NOTEQUAL, or ALWAYS. Range 0-7. The initial value is ALWAYS(7)
- ref (int) specifies the reference value for the alpha test. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by <code>SaveContext()</code> and <code>RestoreContext()</code>.

```
Begin (self, prim: int) \rightarrow None
```

Begin drawing a graphics primitive

Parameters prim(int) - graphics primitive.

Valid primitives are BITMAPS, POINTS, LINES, LINE_STRIP, EDGE_STRIP_R, EDGE_STRIP_L, EDGE_STRIP_A, EDGE_STRIP_B and RECTS.

BitmapExtFormat (*self*, *format*: int) \rightarrow None

Set the bitmap format

Parameters format (int) – bitmap pixel format.

BitmapHandle (self, handle: int) \rightarrow None

Set the bitmap handle

Parameters handle (int) – bitmap handle. Range 0-31. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

BitmapLayoutH (self, linestride: int, height: int) \rightarrow None

Set the source bitmap memory format and layout for the current handle. high bits for large bitmaps

Parameters

- linestride (int) high part of bitmap line stride, in bytes. Range 0-7
- height (int) high part of bitmap height, in lines. Range 0-3

BitmapLayout (*self*, *format*: int, *linestride*: int, *height*: int) \rightarrow None

Set the source bitmap memory format and layout for the current handle

Parameters

- **format** (int) bitmap pixel format, or GLFORMAT to use BITMAP_EXT_FORMAT instead. Range 0-31
- linestride (int) bitmap line stride, in bytes. Range 0-1023
- height (int) bitmap height, in lines. Range 0-511

 $\textbf{BitmapSizeH} (\textit{self}, \textit{width:} int, \textit{height:} int) \rightarrow None$

Set the screen drawing of bitmaps for the current handle. high bits for large bitmaps

Parameters

- width (int) high part of drawn bitmap width, in pixels. Range 0-3
- height (int) high part of drawn bitmap height, in pixels. Range 0-3

BitmapSize (*self, filter:* int, *wrapx:* int, *wrapy:* int, *width:* int, *height:* int) \rightarrow None Set the screen drawing of bitmaps for the current handle

Parameters

- filter (int) bitmap filtering mode, one of NEAREST or BILINEAR. Range 0-1
- wrapx (int) bitmap x wrap mode, one of REPEAT or BORDER. Range 0-1
- wrapy (int) bitmap y wrap mode, one of REPEAT or BORDER. Range 0-1
- width (int) drawn bitmap width, in pixels. Range 0-511
- height (int) drawn bitmap height, in pixels. Range 0-511

BitmapSource (self, addr: int) \rightarrow None

Set the source address for bitmap graphics

Parameters addr (int) – Bitmap start address, pixel-aligned. May be in SRAM or flash. Range 0-16777215

BitmapSwizzle (*self*, r: int, g: int, b: int, a: int) \rightarrow None

Set the source for the r,g,b and a channels of a bitmap

Parameters

- r (int) red component source channel. Range 0-7
- g (int) green component source channel. Range 0-7
- **b** (int) blue component source channel. Range 0-7
- a (int) alpha component source channel. Range 0-7

BitmapTransformA (*self*, p: int, v: int) \rightarrow None

Set the a component of the bitmap transform matrix

Parameters

- p (int) precision control: 0 is 8.8, 1 is 1.15. Range 0-1. The initial value is 0
- **v** (int) The *a* component of the bitmap transform matrix, in signed 8.8 or 1.15 bit fixed-point form. Range 0-131071. The initial value is 256

The initial value is $\mathbf{p} = 0$, $\mathbf{v} = 256$. This represents the value 1.0.

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

BitmapTransformB (self, p: int, v: int) \rightarrow None

Set the b component of the bitmap transform matrix

Parameters

- p (int) precision control: 0 is 8.8, 1 is 1.15. Range 0-1. The initial value is 0
- **v** (int) The *b* component of the bitmap transform matrix, in signed 8.8 or 1.15 bit fixed-point form. Range 0-131071. The initial value is 0

The initial value is $\mathbf{p} = 0$, $\mathbf{v} = 0$. This represents the value 0.0.

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

BitmapTransformC (*self*, v: int) \rightarrow None

Set the c component of the bitmap transform matrix

Parameters v (int) – The c component of the bitmap transform matrix, in signed 15.8 bit fixed-point form. Range 0-16777215. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

BitmapTransformD (*self*, p: int, v: int) \rightarrow None

Set the d component of the bitmap transform matrix

Parameters

- p (int) precision control: 0 is 8.8, 1 is 1.15. Range 0-1. The initial value is 0
- **v** (int) The *d* component of the bitmap transform matrix, in signed 8.8 or 1.15 bit fixed-point form. Range 0-131071. The initial value is 0

The initial value is $\mathbf{p} = 0$, $\mathbf{v} = 0$. This represents the value 0.0.

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by <code>SaveContext()</code> and <code>RestoreContext()</code>.

BitmapTransformE (*self*, p: int, v: int) \rightarrow None

Set the e component of the bitmap transform matrix

Parameters

- **p** (int) precision control: 0 is 8.8, 1 is 1.15. Range 0-1. The initial value is 0
- **v** (int) The *e* component of the bitmap transform matrix, in signed 8.8 or 1.15 bit fixed-point form. Range 0-131071. The initial value is 256

The initial value is $\mathbf{p} = 0$, $\mathbf{v} = 256$. This represents the value 1.0.

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
BitmapTransformF (self, v: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the f component of the bitmap transform matrix

Parameters v (int) – The f component of the bitmap transform matrix, in signed 15.8 bit fixed-point form. Range 0-16777215. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
BlendFunc (self, src: int, dst: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set pixel arithmetic

Parameters

- **src** (int) specifies how the source blending factor is computed. One of ZERO, ONE, SRC_ALPHA, DST_ALPHA, ONE_MINUS_SRC_ALPHA or ONE MINUS DST ALPHA. Range 0-7. The initial value is SRC ALPHA(2)
- **dst** (int) specifies how the destination blending factor is computed, one of the same constants as **src**. Range 0-7. The initial value is ONE_MINUS_SRC_ALPHA(4)

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
Call (self, dest: int) \rightarrow None
```

Execute a sequence of commands at another location in the display list

Parameters dest (int) – display list address. Range 0-65535

```
Cell (self, cell: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the bitmap cell number for the vertex2f command

Parameters cell (int) – bitmap cell number. Range 0-127. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

ClearColorA (self, alpha: int) \rightarrow None

Set clear value for the alpha channel

Parameters alpha (int) – alpha value used when the color buffer is cleared. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

ClearColorRGB (self, red: int, green: int, blue: int) \rightarrow None

Set clear values for red, green and blue channels

Parameters

- red (int) red value used when the color buffer is cleared. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0
- green (int) green value used when the color buffer is cleared. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0
- **blue** (int) blue value used when the color buffer is cleared. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

Clear (*self*, c: int, s: int, t: int) \rightarrow None

Clear buffers to preset values

Parameters

- c (int) clear color buffer. Range 0-1
- **s** (int) clear stencil buffer. Range 0-1
- t (int) clear tag buffer. Range 0-1

ClearStencil (self, s: int) \rightarrow None

Set clear value for the stencil buffer

Parameters s (int) – value used when the stencil buffer is cleared. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

ClearTag (self, s: int) \rightarrow None

Set clear value for the tag buffer

Parameters s (int) – value used when the tag buffer is cleared. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

ColorA (*self*, *alpha*: int) \rightarrow None

Set the current color alpha

Parameters alpha (int) – alpha for the current color. Range 0-255. The initial value is 255

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
ColorMask (self, r: int, g: int, b: int, a: int) \rightarrow None
```

Enable and disable writing of frame buffer color components

Parameters

- **r** (int) allow updates to the frame buffer red component. Range 0-1. The initial value is 1
- **g** (int) allow updates to the frame buffer green component. Range 0-1. The initial value is 1
- **b** (int) allow updates to the frame buffer blue component. Range 0-1. The initial value is 1
- a (int) allow updates to the frame buffer alpha component. Range 0-1. The initial value is 1

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by <code>SaveContext()</code> and <code>RestoreContext()</code>.

```
ColorRGB (self, red: int, green: int, blue: int) \rightarrow None Set the drawing color
```

Parameters

- red (int) red value for the current color. Range 0-255. The initial value is 255
- green(int) green for the current color. Range 0-255. The initial value is 255
- blue (int) blue for the current color. Range 0-255. The initial value is 255

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
\texttt{Display}(self) \rightarrow \texttt{None}
```

End the display list

```
End (self) \rightarrow None
```

End drawing a graphics primitive

Vertex2ii() and Vertex2f() calls are ignored until the next Begin().

```
Jump (self, dest: int) \rightarrow None
```

Execute commands at another location in the display list

```
Parameters dest (int) – display list address. Range 0-65535
```

```
Macro (self, m: int) \rightarrow None
```

Execute a single command from a macro register

Parameters m (int) – macro register to read. Range 0-1

```
Nop (self) \rightarrow None
```

No operation

PaletteSource (*self*, *addr*: int) \rightarrow None

Set the base address of the palette

Parameters addr (int) – Address in graphics SRAM, 2-byte aligned. Range 0-4194303. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
RestoreContext (self) \rightarrow None
```

Restore the current graphics context from the context stack

```
Return (self ) \rightarrow None
```

Return from a previous call command

```
SaveContext (self) \rightarrow None
```

Push the current graphics context on the context stack

```
ScissorSize (self, width: int, height: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the size of the scissor clip rectangle

Parameters

- width (int) The width of the scissor clip rectangle, in pixels. Range 0-4095. The initial value is hsize
- height (int) The height of the scissor clip rectangle, in pixels. Range 0-4095. The initial value is 2048

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by <code>SaveContext()</code> and <code>RestoreContext()</code>.

```
ScissorXY (self, x: int, y: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the top left corner of the scissor clip rectangle

Parameters

- **x** (int) The x coordinate of the scissor clip rectangle, in pixels. Range 0-2047. The initial value is 0
- **y** (int) The y coordinate of the scissor clip rectangle, in pixels. Range 0-2047. The initial value is 0

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
StencilFunc (self, func: int, ref: int, mask: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set function and reference value for stencil testing

Parameters

- func (int) specifies the test function, one of NEVER, LESS, LEQUAL, GREATER, GEQUAL, EQUAL, NOTEQUAL, or ALWAYS. Range 0-7. The initial value is ALWAYS(7)
- \mathbf{ref} (int) specifies the reference value for the stencil test. Range 0-255. The initial value is 0
- mask (int) specifies a mask that is ANDed with the reference value and the stored stencil value. Range 0-255. The initial value is 255

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
StencilMask (self, mask: int) \rightarrow None
```

Control the writing of individual bits in the stencil planes

Parameters mask (int) – the mask used to enable writing stencil bits. Range 0-255. The initial value is 255

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
StencilOp (self, sfail: int, spass: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set stencil test actions

Parameters

- **sfail** (int) specifies the action to take when the stencil test fails, one of KEEP, ZERO, REPLACE, INCR, INCR_WRAP, DECR, DECR_WRAP, and INVERT. Range 0-7. The initial value is KEEP(1)
- **spass** (int) specifies the action to take when the stencil test passes, one of the same constants as **sfail**. Range 0-7. The initial value is KEEP(1)

These values are part of the graphics context and are saved and restored by <code>SaveContext()</code> and <code>RestoreContext()</code>.

TagMask (*self*, *mask*: int) \rightarrow None

Control the writing of the tag buffer

Parameters mask (int) – allow updates to the tag buffer. Range 0-1. The initial value is 1

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

Tag (*self*, s: int) \rightarrow None

Set the current tag value

Parameters s (int) – tag value. Range 0-255. The initial value is 255

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

Vertex2ii (*self*, x: int, y: int, *handle*: int, *cell*: int) \rightarrow None

Parameters

- **x** (int) x-coordinate in pixels. Range 0-511
- y (int) y-coordinate in pixels. Range 0-511
- handle (int) bitmap handle. Range 0-31
- cell (int) cell number. Range 0-127

This method is an alternative to Vertex2f().

Vertex2f (*self*, *b*: float) \rightarrow None

Draw a point.

Parameters

- **x** (float) pixel x-coordinate
- **y** (float) pixel y-coordinate

LineWidth (*self*, *width*: float) \rightarrow None

Set the width of rasterized lines

Parameters width (float) – line width in pixels. Range 0-511. The initial value is 1

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

PointSize (*self*, *size*: float) \rightarrow None

Set the diameter of rasterized points

Parameters size (float) - point diameter in pixels. Range 0-1023. The initial value is 1

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

VertexTranslateX (self, x: float) \rightarrow None

Set the vertex transformation's x translation component

Parameters x (float) – signed x-coordinate in pixels. Range ±4095. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
VertexTranslateY (self, y: float) \rightarrow None
```

Set the vertex transformation's y translation component

Parameters y (float) – signed y-coordinate in pixels. Range ±4095. The initial value is 0

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
VertexFormat (self, frac: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the precision of vertex2f coordinates

Parameters frac (int) – Number of fractional bits in X,Y coordinates, 0-4. Range 0-7. The initial value is 4

This value is part of the graphics context and is saved and restored by SaveContext() and RestoreContext().

```
cmd0 (self, n: int) \rightarrow None
```

Append the command word n to the FIFO

Parameters n (int) - The command code

This method is used by the eve module to efficiently add commands to the FIFO.

```
cmd (self, n: int, fmt: str, args: Tuple[str, ...]) \rightarrow None Append a command packet to the FIFO.
```

Parameters

- n (int) The command code
- **fmt** (str) The command format *struct* layout
- args (tuple (str, ...)) The command's arguments

Supported format codes: h, H, i, I.

This method is used by the eve module to efficiently add commands to the FIFO.

_pew - LED matrix driver

```
class _pew.PewPew (buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, rows: List[digitalio.DigitalInOut], cols: List[digitalio.DigitalInOut], buttons: digitalio.DigitalInOut)
```

This is an internal module to be used by the pew.py library from https://github.com/pewpew-game/pew-pewpew-standalone-10.x to handle the LED matrix display and buttons on the pewpew10 board.

Usage:

```
This singleton class is instantiated by the ``pew`` library, and used internally by it. All user-visible interactions are done through that library.
```

Initializes matrix scanning routines.

The buffer is a 64 byte long bytearray that stores what should be displayed on the matrix. rows and cols are both lists of eight DigitalInputOutput objects that are connected to the matrix rows and columns. buttons is a DigitalInputOutput object that is connected to the common side of all buttons (the other sides of the buttons are connected to rows of the matrix).

_pixelbuf – A fast RGB(W) pixel buffer library for like NeoPixel and DotStar

The _pixelbuf module provides the PixelBuf class to accelerate RGB(W) strip/matrix manipulation, such as DotStar and Neopixel.

Byteorders are configured with strings, such as "RGB" or "RGBD".

```
_pixelbuf.colorwheel (n: float) \rightarrow int
```

C implementation of the common wheel() function found in many examples. Returns the colorwheel RGB value as an integer value for n (usable in PixelBuf, neopixel, and dotstar).

```
_pixelbuf.wheel (n: float) \rightarrow int
```

Use of wheel() is deprecated. Please use colorwheel().

```
class _pixelbuf.PixelBuf (size: int, *, byteorder: str = 'BGR', brightness: float = 0, auto_write: bool = False, header: _typing.ReadableBuffer = b'', trailer: _typing.ReadableBuffer = b'')
```

A fast RGB[W] pixel buffer for LED and similar devices.

Create a PixelBuf object of the specified size, byteorder, and bits per pixel.

When brightness is less than 1.0, a second buffer will be used to store the color values before they are adjusted for brightness.

When P (PWM duration) is present as the 4th character of the byteorder string, the 4th value in the tuple/list for a pixel is the individual pixel brightness (0.0-1.0) and will enable a Dotstar compatible 1st byte for each pixel.

Parameters

- size (int) Number of pixels
- byteorder (str) Byte order string (such as "RGB", "RGBW" or "PBGR")
- brightness (float) Brightness (0 to 1.0, default 1.0)
- auto_write (bool) Whether to automatically write pixels (Default False)
- header (ReadableBuffer) Sequence of bytes to always send before pixel values.
- trailer (ReadableBuffer) Sequence of bytes to always send after pixel values.

bpp :int

The number of bytes per pixel in the buffer (read-only)

brightness :float

Float value between 0 and 1. Output brightness.

When brightness is less than 1.0, a second buffer will be used to store the color values before they are adjusted for brightness.

auto_write :bool

Whether to automatically write the pixels after each update.

byteorder :str

byteorder string for the buffer (read-only)

```
show(self) \rightarrow None
```

Transmits the color data to the pixels so that they are shown. This is done automatically when auto write is True.

```
fill (self, color: Union[int, Tuple[int, int, int], Tuple[int, int, int, float]]) <math>\rightarrow None
```

Fills the given pixelbuf with the given color.

```
__getitem__ (self, index: slice) \rightarrow Union[Tuple[Tuple[int, int, int], ...], Tuple[Tuple[int, int, int, int, int], ...]
```

```
__getitem__ (self, index: int) → Union[Tuple[int, int, int], Tuple[int, int, int, float]]

Returns the pixel value at the given index as a tuple of (Red, Green, Blue[, White]) values between 0 and 255. When in PWM (DotStar) mode, the 4th tuple value is a float of the pixel intensity from 0-1.0.

__setitem__ (self, index: slice, value: Tuple[Union[int, Tuple[float, ...], List[float]], ...]) → None
__setitem__ (self, index: slice, value: List[Union[int, Tuple[float, ...], List[float]]]) → None
__setitem__ (self, index: int, value: Union[int, Tuple[float, ...], List[float]]) → None

Sets the pixel value at the given index. Value can either be a tuple or integer. Tuples are The individual (Red, Green, Blue[, White]) values between 0 and 255. If given an integer, the red, green and blue values are packed into the lower three bytes (0xRRGGBB). For RGBW byteorders, if given only RGB values either as an int or as a tuple, the white value is used instead when the red, green, and blue values are the same.
```

_stage - C-level helpers for animation of sprites on a stage

The _stage module contains native code to speed-up the `stage Library https://github.com/python-ugame/circuitpython-stage.

```
_stage.render(x0: int, y0: int, x1: int, y1: int, layers: List[Layer], buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, display: displayio.Display, scale: int, background: int) \rightarrow None Render and send to the display a fragment of the screen.
```

Parameters

- x0 (int) Left edge of the fragment.
- y0 (int) Top edge of the fragment.
- **x1** (int) Right edge of the fragment.
- y1 (int) Bottom edge of the fragment.
- layers (list [Layer]) A list of the Layer objects.
- buffer (WriteableBuffer) A buffer to use for rendering.
- display (Display) The display to use.
- scale (int) How many times should the image be scaled up.
- background (int) What color to display when nothing is there.

There are also no sanity checks, outside of the basic overflow checking. The caller is responsible for making the passed parameters valid.

This function is intended for internal use in the stage library and all the necessary checks are performed there.

```
class _stage.Layer(width: int, height: int, graphic: _typing.ReadableBuffer, palette: _typing.ReadableBuffer, grid: _typing.ReadableBuffer)
```

Keep information about a single layer of graphics

Keep internal information about a layer of graphics (either a Grid or a Sprite) in a format suitable for fast rendering with the render() function.

Parameters

- width (int) The width of the grid in tiles, or 1 for sprites.
- height (int) The height of the grid in tiles, or 1 for sprites.
- graphic (ReadableBuffer) The graphic data of the tiles.
- palette (ReadableBuffer) The color palette to be used.

• grid (ReadableBuffer) - The contents of the grid map.

This class is intended for internal use in the stage library and it shouldn't be used on its own.

```
move (self, x: int, y: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the offset of the layer to the specified values.

```
frame (self, frame: int, rotation: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the animation frame of the sprite, and optionally rotation its graphic.

```
class _stage.Text(width: int, height: int, font: _typing.ReadableBuffer, palette: _typ-
ing.ReadableBuffer, chars: _typing.ReadableBuffer)
```

Keep information about a single grid of text

Keep internal information about a grid of text in a format suitable for fast rendering with the render() function.

Parameters

- width (int) The width of the grid in tiles, or 1 for sprites.
- height (int) The height of the grid in tiles, or 1 for sprites.
- **font** (ReadableBuffer) The font data of the characters.
- palette (ReadableBuffer) The color palette to be used.
- chars (ReadableBuffer) The contents of the character grid.

This class is intended for internal use in the stage library and it shouldn't be used on its own.

```
move (self, x: int, y: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the offset of the text to the specified values.

_typing - Types for the C-level protocols

_typing.ReadableBuffer

Classes that implement the readable buffer protocol

- bytes
- bytearray
- memoryview
- array.array
- ulab.array
- rgbmatrix.RGBMatrix

$_{\tt typing.WriteableBuffer}$

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- bytearray
- memoryview
- array.array
- ulab.arrav
- rgbmatrix.RGBMatrix

_typing.AudioSample

Classes that implement the audiosample protocol

- audiocore.WaveFile
- audiocore.RawSample
- audiomixer.Mixer
- audiomp3.MP3Decoder

You can play these back with audioio. AudioOut, audiobusio. I2SOut or audiopwmio. PWMAudioOut.

_typing.FrameBuffer

Classes that implement the framebuffer protocol

• rgbmatrix.RGBMatrix

_typing.Alarm

Classes that implement alarms for sleeping and asynchronous notification.

- alarm.pin.PinAlarm
- alarm.time.TimeAlarm

You can use these alarms to wake up from light or deep sleep.

adafruit_bus_device - Hardware accelerated external bus access

The I2CDevice and SPIDevice helper classes make managing transaction state on a bus easy. For example, they manage locking the bus to prevent other concurrent access. For SPI devices, it manages the chip select and protocol changes such as mode. For I2C, it manages the device address.

Represents a single I2C device and manages locking the bus and the device address: :param ~busio.I2C i2c: The I2C bus the device is on :param int device_address: The 7 bit device address :param bool probe: Probe for the device upon object creation, default is true

Example:

```
import busio
from board import *
from adafruit_bus_device.i2c_device import I2CDevice
with busio.I2C(SCL, SDA) as i2c:
    device = I2CDevice(i2c, 0x70)
    bytes_read = bytearray(4)
    with device:
        device.readinto(bytes_read)
    # A second transaction
    with device:
        device.write(bytes_read)
```

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow I2CDevice
```

Context manager entry to lock bus.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically unlocks the bus on exit.

readinto (self, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None) → None Read into buf from the device. The number of bytes read will be the length of buf. If start or end is provided, then the buffer will be sliced as if buf [start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like

buf[start:end] will so it saves memory. :param bytearray buf: buffer to write into :param int start: Index to start writing at :param int end: Index to write up to but not include; if None, use len (buf)

```
write (self, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Write the bytes from buffer to the device, then transmit a stop bit. If start or end is provided, then the buffer will be sliced as if buffer[start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like buffer[start:end] will so it saves memory. :param bytearray buf: buffer containing the bytes to write :param int start: Index to start writing from :param int end: Index to read up to but not include; if None, use len(buf)

```
write_then_readinto (self, out_buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, in_buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, out_start: int = 0, out_end: Optional[int] = None, in_start: int = 0, in_end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Write the bytes from out_buffer to the device, then immediately reads into in_buffer from the device. The number of bytes read will be the length of in_buffer. If out_start or out_end is provided, then the output buffer will be sliced as if out_buffer[out_start:out_end]. This will not cause an allocation like buffer[out_start:out_end] will so it saves memory. If in_start or in_end is provided, then the input buffer will be sliced as if in_buffer[in_start:in_end]. This will not cause an allocation like in_buffer[in_start:in_end] will so it saves memory. :param bytearray out_buffer: buffer containing the bytes to write :param bytearray in_buffer: buffer containing the bytes to read into :param int out_start: Index to start writing from :param int out_end: Index to read up to but not include; if None, use len(out_buffer) :param int in_start: Index to start writing at :param int in end: Index to write up to but not include; if None, use len(in buffer)

SPI Device Manager

Represents a single SPI device and manages locking the bus and the device address. :param ~busio.SPI spi: The SPI bus the device is on :param ~digitalio.DigitalInOut chip_select: The chip select pin object that implements the DigitalInOut API. :param int extra_clocks: The minimum number of clock cycles to cycle the bus after CS is high. (Used for SD cards.)

Example:

```
import busio
import digitalio
from board import *
from adafruit_bus_device.spi_device import SPIDevice
with busio.SPI(SCK, MOSI, MISO) as spi_bus:
    cs = digitalio.DigitalInOut(D10)
   device = SPIDevice(spi_bus, cs)
   bytes_read = bytearray(4)
    # The object assigned to spi in the with statements below
    # is the original spi_bus object. We are using the busio.SPI
    # operations busio.SPI.readinto() and busio.SPI.write().
    with device as spi:
        spi.readinto(bytes_read)
    # A second transaction
    with device as spi:
        spi.write(bytes_read)
```

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow busio.SPI
```

Starts a SPI transaction by configuring the SPI and asserting chip select.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}exit\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}} (self) \rightarrow None
```

Ends a SPI transaction by deasserting chip select. See Lifetime and ContextManagers for more info.

aesio - AES encryption routines

The AES module contains classes used to implement encryption and decryption. It aims to be low overhead in terms of memory.

Create a new AES state with the given key.

Parameters

- **key** (ReadableBuffer) A 16-, 24-, or 32-byte key
- mode (int) AES mode to use. One of: AES.MODE_ECB, AES.MODE_CBC, or AES.MODE CTR
- iv (ReadableBuffer) Initialization vector to use for CBC or CTR mode

Additional arguments are supported for legacy reasons.

Encrypting a string:

```
import aesio
from binascii import hexlify

key = b'Sixteen byte key'
inp = b'Circuit Python!!' # Note: 16-bytes long
outp = bytearray(len(inp))
cipher = aesio.AES(key, aesio.mode.MODE_ECB)
cipher.encrypt_into(inp, outp)
hexlify(outp)
```

```
encrypt_into (self, src: _typing.ReadableBuffer, dest: _typing.WriteableBuffer) \rightarrow None Encrypt the buffer from src into dest.
```

For ECB mode, the buffers must be 16 bytes long. For CBC mode, the buffers must be a multiple of 16 bytes, and must be equal length. For CTX mode, there are no restrictions.

```
decrypt_into (self, src: _typing.ReadableBuffer, dest: _typing.WriteableBuffer) → None

Decrypt the buffer from src into dest. For ECB mode, the buffers must be 16 bytes long. For CBC mode, the buffers must be a multiple of 16 bytes, and must be equal length. For CTX mode, there are no restrictions.
```

alarm - Alarms and sleep

Provides alarms that trigger based on time intervals or on external events, such as pin changes. The program can simply wait for these alarms, or go to sleep and be awoken when they trigger.

There are two supported levels of sleep: light sleep and deep sleep.

Light sleep keeps sufficient state so the program can resume after sleeping. It does not shut down WiFi, BLE, or other communications, or ongoing activities such as audio playback. It reduces power consumption to the extent possible that leaves these continuing activities running. In some cases there may be no decrease in power consumption.

Deep sleep shuts down power to nearly all of the microcontroller including the CPU and RAM. This can save a more significant amount of power, but CircuitPython must restart code.py from the beginning when awakened.

For both light sleep and deep sleep, if CircuitPython is connected to a host computer, maintaining the connection takes priority and power consumption may not be reduced.

alarm.pin - Trigger an alarm when a pin changes state.

Create an alarm triggered by a microcontroller. Pin level. The alarm is not active until it is passed to an alarm-enabling function, such as alarm.light_sleep_until_alarms() or alarm.exit_and_deep_sleep_until_alarms().

Parameters

- pin (microcontroller.Pin) The pin to monitor. On some ports, the choice of pin may be limited due to hardware restrictions, particularly for deep-sleep alarms.
- **value** (bool) When active, trigger when the pin value is high (True) or low (False). On some ports, multiple *PinAlarm* objects may need to have coordinated values for deep-sleep alarms.
- edge (bool) If True, trigger only when there is a transition to the specified value of value. If True, if the alarm becomes active when the pin value already matches value, the alarm is not triggered: the pin must transition from not value to value to trigger the alarm. On some ports, edge-triggering may not be available, particularly for deep-sleep alarms.
- **pull** (bool) Enable a pull-up or pull-down which pulls the pin to the level opposite that of value. For instance, if value is set to True, setting pull to True will enable a pull-down, to hold the pin low normally until an outside signal pulls it high.

pin :microcontroller.Pin

The trigger pin.

value :bool

The value on which to trigger.

alarm.time - Trigger an alarm when the specified time is reached.

```
class alarm.time.TimeAlarm(monotonic\_time: Optional[float] = None, epoch\_time: Optional[int] = None)
```

Create an alarm that will be triggered when time.monotonic() would equal monotonic_time, or when time.time() would equal epoch_time. Only one of the two arguments can be given. The alarm is not active until it is passed to an alarm-enabling function, such as alarm.light_sleep_until_alarms() or alarm.exit_and_deep_sleep_until_alarms().

If the given time is in the past when sleep occurs, the alarm will be triggered immediately.

monotonic_time :float

When this time is reached, the alarm will trigger, based on the time.monotonic() clock. The time may be given as epoch_time in the constructor, but it is returned by this property only as a time.

monotonic() time.

alarm.touch - Trigger an alarm when touch is detected.

```
class alarm.touch.TouchAlarm(*pin: microcontroller.Pin)
```

Create an alarm that will be triggered when the given pin is touched. The alarm is not active until it is passed to an alarm-enabling function, such as alarm.light_sleep_until_alarms() or alarm.exit_and_deep_sleep_until_alarms().

Parameters pin (microcontroller.Pin) – The pin to monitor. On some ports, the choice of pin may be limited due to hardware restrictions, particularly for deep-sleep alarms.

```
pin :microcontroller.Pin
The trigger pin.
```

```
alarm.sleep_memory :SleepMemory
```

Memory that persists during deep sleep. This object is the sole instance of alarm. SleepMemory.

```
alarm.wake_alarm :_typing.Alarm
```

The most recently triggered alarm. If CircuitPython was sleeping, the alarm the woke it from sleep.

```
\verb|alarm.light_sleep_until_alarms| (*alarms: \_typing.Alarm)| \rightarrow \_typing.Alarm|
```

Go into a light sleep until awakened one of the alarms. The alarm causing the wake-up is returned, and is also available as alarm, wake alarm.

If no alarms are specified, return immediately.

If CircuitPython is connected to a host computer, the connection will be maintained, and the microcontroller may not actually go into a light sleep. This allows the user to interrupt an existing program with ctrl-C, and to edit the files in CIRCUITPY, which would not be possible in true light sleep. Thus, to use light sleep and save significant power,

```
alarm.exit\_and\_deep\_sleep\_until\_alarms (*alarms: _typing.Alarm) \rightarrow None
```

Exit the program and go into a deep sleep, until awakened by one of the alarms. This function does not return.

When awakened, the microcontroller will restart and will run boot .py and code .py from the beginning.

After restart, an alarm *equivalent* to the one that caused the wake-up will be available as <code>alarm.wake_alarm</code>. Its type and/or attributes may not correspond exactly to the original alarm. For time-base alarms, currently, an <code>alarm.time.TimeAlarm()</code> is created.

If no alarms are specified, the microcontroller will deep sleep until reset.

If CircuitPython is connected to a host computer, the connection will be maintained, and the system will not go into deep sleep. This allows the user to interrupt an existing program with ctrl-C, and to edit the files in CIRCUITPY, which would not be possible in true deep sleep. Thus, to use deep sleep and save significant power, you will need to disconnect from the host.

Here is skeletal example that deep-sleeps and restarts every 60 seconds:

```
import alarm
import time

print("Waking up")

# Set an alarm for 60 seconds from now.
time_alarm = alarm.time.TimeAlarm(monotonic_time=time.monotonic() + 60)

# Deep sleep until the alarm goes off. Then restart the program.
alarm.exit_and_deep_sleep_until_alarms(time_alarm)
```

class alarm.SleepMemory

Store raw bytes in RAM that persists during deep sleep. The class acts as a bytearray. If power is lost, the memory contents are lost.

Note that this class can't be imported and used directly. The sole instance of SleepMemory is available at alarm.sleep_memory.

Usage:

```
import alarm
alarm.sleep_memory[0] = True
alarm.sleep_memory[1] = 12
```

Not used. Access the sole instance through alarm.sleep_memory.

```
__bool___(self) → bool
sleep_memory is True if its length is greater than zero. This is an easy way to check for its existence.

__len___(self) → int
Return the length. This is used by (len)

__getitem____(self, index: slice) → bytearray
__getitem____(self, index: int) → int
Returns the value at the given index.

__setitem____(self, index: slice, value: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → None
__setitem____(self, index: int, value: int) → None
Set the value at the given index.
```

analogio - Analog hardware support

The analogio module contains classes to provide access to analog IO typically implemented with digital-to-analog (DAC) and analog-to-digital (ADC) converters.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import analogio
from board import *

pin = analogio.AnalogIn(A0)
print(pin.value)
pin.deinit()
```

This example will initialize the the device, read *value* and then *deinit()* the hardware. The last step is optional because CircuitPython will do it automatically after the program finishes.

```
class analogio.AnalogIn (pin: microcontroller.Pin) Read analog voltage levels
```

Usage:

```
import analogio
from board import *
```

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```
adc = analogio.AnalogIn(A1)
val = adc.value
```

Use the AnalogIn on the given pin. The reference voltage varies by platform so use reference_voltage to read the configured setting.

Parameters pin (Pin) – the pin to read from

value :int

The value on the analog pin between 0 and 65535 inclusive (16-bit). (read-only)

Even if the underlying analog to digital converter (ADC) is lower resolution, the value is 16-bit.

reference_voltage :float

The maximum voltage measurable (also known as the reference voltage) as a float in Volts.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Turn off the AnalogIn and release the pin for other use.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow AnalogIn
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

class analogio.AnalogOut (pin: microcontroller.Pin)

Output analog values (a specific voltage).

Example usage:

```
import analogio
from board import *

dac = analogio.AnalogOut(A2)  # output on pin A2
dac.value = 32768  # makes A2 1.65V
```

Use the AnalogOut on the given pin.

Parameters pin (Pin) - the pin to output to

value :int

The value on the analog pin between 0 and 65535 inclusive (16-bit). (write-only)

Even if the underlying digital to analog converter (DAC) is lower resolution, the value is 16-bit.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Turn off the AnalogOut and release the pin for other use.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow AnalogOut
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

audiobusio - Support for audio input and output over digital buses

The audiobusio module contains classes to provide access to audio IO over digital buses. These protocols are used to communicate audio to other chips in the same circuit. It doesn't include audio interconnect protocols such as S/PDIF.

All libraries change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed. To do so, either call deinit () or use a context manager.

```
class audiobusio.I2SOut (bit_clock: microcontroller.Pin, word_select: microcontroller.Pin, data: microcontroller.Pin, *, left_justified: bool)
```

Output an I2S audio signal

Create a I2SOut object associated with the given pins.

Parameters

- bit clock (Pin) The bit clock (or serial clock) pin
- word_select (Pin) The word select (or left/right clock) pin
- data (Pin) The data pin
- **left_justified** (bool) True when data bits are aligned with the word select clock. False when they are shifted by one to match classic I2S protocol.

Simple 8ksps 440 Hz sine wave on Metro M0 Express using UDA1334 Breakout:

```
import audiobusio
import audiocore
import board
import array
import time
import math
# Generate one period of sine wave.
length = 8000 // 440
sine_wave = array.array("H", [0] * length)
for i in range(length):
    sine_wave[i] = int(math.sin(math.pi * 2 * i / length) * (2 * * 15) + 2 * * 15)
sine_wave = audiocore.RawSample(sine_wave, sample_rate=8000)
i2s = audiobusio.I2SOut(board.D1, board.D0, board.D9)
i2s.play(sine_wave, loop=True)
time.sleep(1)
i2s.stop()
```

Playing a wave file from flash:

```
import board
import audioio
import audiocore
import audiobusio
import digitalio

f = open("cplay-5.1-16bit-16khz.wav", "rb")
wav = audiocore.WaveFile(f)
a = audiobusio.I2SOut(board.D1, board.D0, board.D9)
```

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```
print("playing")
a.play(wav)
while a.playing:
   pass
print("stopped")
```

playing :bool

True when the audio sample is being output. (read-only)

paused :bool

True when playback is paused. (read-only)

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialises the I2SOut and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow I2SOut
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
play (self, sample: _typing.AudioSample, *, loop: bool = False) \rightarrow None
```

Plays the sample once when loop=False and continuously when loop=True. Does not block. Use playing to block.

Sample must be an audiocore. WaveFile, audiocore. RawSample, audiomixer. Mixer or audiomp3. MP3Decoder.

The sample itself should consist of 8 bit or 16 bit samples.

```
stop(self) \rightarrow None
```

Stops playback.

```
pause (self) \rightarrow None
```

Stops playback temporarily while remembering the position. Use resume to resume playback.

```
resume (self) \rightarrow None
```

Resumes sample playback after pause ().

```
class audiobusio.PDMIn (clock_pin: microcontroller.Pin, data_pin: microcontroller.Pin, *, sam-ple_rate: int = 16000, bit_depth: int = 8, mono: bool = True, oversample: int = 64, startup_delay: float = 0.11)
```

Record an input PDM audio stream

Create a PDMIn object associated with the given pins. This allows you to record audio signals from the given pins. Individual ports may put further restrictions on the recording parameters. The overall sample rate is determined by <code>sample_rate</code> x oversample, and the total must be 1MHz or higher, so <code>sample_rate</code> must be a minimum of 16000.

Parameters

- clock_pin (Pin) The pin to output the clock to
- data_pin (Pin) The pin to read the data from
- **sample_rate** (int) Target sample_rate of the resulting samples. Check sample_rate for actual value. Minimum sample_rate is about 16000 Hz.
- bit_depth (int) Final number of bits per sample. Must be divisible by 8

- mono (bool) True when capturing a single channel of audio, captures two channels otherwise
- oversample (int) Number of single bit samples to decimate into a final sample. Must be divisible by 8
- **startup_delay** (float) seconds to wait after starting microphone clock to allow microphone to turn on. Most require only 0.01s; some require 0.1s. Longer is safer. Must be in range 0.0-1.0 seconds.

sample_rate :int

The actual sample_rate of the recording. This may not match the constructed sample rate due to internal clock limitations.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialises the PDMIn and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_ enter\_ (self) \rightarrow PDMIn

No-op used by Context Managers.

exit (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context.

```
record (self, destination: _typing.WriteableBuffer, destination_length: int) \rightarrow None Records destination_length bytes of samples to destination. This is blocking.
```

An IOError may be raised when the destination is too slow to record the audio at the given rate. For internal flash, writing all 1s to the file before recording is recommended to speed up writes.

Returns The number of samples recorded. If this is less than destination_length, some samples were missed due to processing time.

audiocore - Support for audio samples

A raw audio sample buffer in memory

Create a RawSample based on the given buffer of signed values. If channel_count is more than 1 then each channel's samples should alternate. In other words, for a two channel buffer, the first sample will be for channel 1, the second sample will be for channel two, the third for channel 1 and so on.

Parameters

- buffer (ReadableBuffer) A buffer with samples
- channel_count (int) The number of channels in the buffer
- **sample_rate** (int) The desired playback sample rate

Simple 8ksps 440 Hz sin wave:

```
import audiocore
import board
import array
import time
import math

# Generate one period of sine wav.
length = 8000 // 440
```

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```
sine_wave = array.array("h", [0] * length)
for i in range(length):
    sine_wave[i] = int(math.sin(math.pi * 2 * i / length) * (2 ** 15))

dac = audioio.AudioOut(board.SPEAKER)
sine_wave = audiocore.RawSample(sine_wave)
dac.play(sine_wave, loop=True)
time.sleep(1)
dac.stop()
```

sample_rate :Optional[int]

32 bit value that dictates how quickly samples are played in Hertz (cycles per second). When the sample is looped, this can change the pitch output without changing the underlying sample. This will not change the sample rate of any active playback. Call play again to change it.

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Deinitialises the AudioOut and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_ enter\_ (self) \rightarrow RawSample
No-op used by Context Managers.
```

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
class audiocore.WaveFile (file: BinaryIO, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer)
    Load a wave file for audio playback
```

A .wav file prepped for audio playback. Only mono and stereo files are supported. Samples must be 8 bit unsigned or 16 bit signed. If a buffer is provided, it will be used instead of allocating an internal buffer.

Load a .wav file for playback with audioio. AudioOut or audiobusio. I2SOut.

Parameters

- file (typing.BinaryIO) Already opened wave file
- **buffer** (WriteableBuffer) Optional pre-allocated buffer, that will be split in half and used for double-buffering of the data. If not provided, two 512 byte buffers are allocated internally.

Playing a wave file from flash:

```
import board
import audiocore
import audioio
import digitalio

# Required for CircuitPlayground Express
speaker_enable = digitalio.DigitalInOut(board.SPEAKER_ENABLE)
speaker_enable.switch_to_output(value=True)

data = open("cplay-5.1-16bit-16khz.wav", "rb")
wav = audiocore.WaveFile(data)
a = audioio.AudioOut(board.A0)

print("playing")
a.play(wav)
while a.playing:
```

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```
pass
print("stopped")
```

sample_rate :int

32 bit value that dictates how quickly samples are loaded into the DAC in Hertz (cycles per second). When the sample is looped, this can change the pitch output without changing the underlying sample.

```
bits_per_sample :int
    Bits per sample. (read only)

channel_count :int
    Number of audio channels. (read only)

deinit (self) → None
    Deinitialises the WaveFile and releases all memory resources for reuse.
    __enter__ (self) → WaveFile
    No-op used by Context Managers.
```

 $_$ exit $_$ (self) \rightarrow None

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

audioio - Support for audio output

The audioio module contains classes to provide access to audio IO.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

Since CircuitPython 5, RawSample and WaveFile are moved to audiocore, and Mixer is moved to audiomixer.

For compatibility with CircuitPython 4.x, some builds allow the items in audiocore to be imported from audioio. This will be removed for all boards in a future build of CircuitPython.

```
class audioio. AudioOut (left_channel: microcontroller.Pin, *, right_channel: Op-
tional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, quiescent_value: int = 32768)
Output an analog audio signal
```

Create a AudioOut object associated with the given pin(s). This allows you to play audio signals out on the given pin(s).

Parameters

- left_channel (Pin) The pin to output the left channel to
- right_channel (Pin) The pin to output the right channel to
- quiescent_value (int) The output value when no signal is present. Samples should start and end with this value to prevent audible popping.

Simple 8ksps 440 Hz sin wave:

```
import audiocore
import audioio
import board
import array
```

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```
import time
import math

# Generate one period of sine wav.
length = 8000 // 440
sine_wave = array.array("H", [0] * length)
for i in range(length):
    sine_wave[i] = int(math.sin(math.pi * 2 * i / length) * (2 ** 15) + 2 ** 15)

dac = audioio.AudioOut(board.SPEAKER)
sine_wave = audiocore.RawSample(sine_wave, sample_rate=8000)
dac.play(sine_wave, loop=True)
time.sleep(1)
dac.stop()
```

Playing a wave file from flash:

```
import board
import audioio
import digitalio

# Required for CircuitPlayground Express
speaker_enable = digitalio.DigitalInOut (board.SPEAKER_ENABLE)
speaker_enable.switch_to_output (value=True)

data = open("cplay-5.1-16bit-16khz.wav", "rb")
wav = audiocore.WaveFile(data)
a = audioio.AudioOut (board.A0)

print("playing")
a.play(wav)
while a.playing:
    pass
print("stopped")
```

playing :bool

True when an audio sample is being output even if paused. (read-only)

paused :bool

True when playback is paused. (read-only)

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialises the AudioOut and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow AudioOut
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}exit\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}} (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
play (self, sample: _typing.AudioSample, *, loop: bool = False) \rightarrow None
```

Plays the sample once when loop=False and continuously when loop=True. Does not block. Use playing to block.

Sample must be an audiocore. WaveFile, audiocore. RawSample, audiomixer. Mixer or audiomp3. MP3Decoder.

The sample itself should consist of 16 bit samples. Microcontrollers with a lower output resolution will

use the highest order bits to output. For example, the SAMD21 has a 10 bit DAC that ignores the lowest 6 bits when playing 16 bit samples.

```
stop(self) \rightarrow None
```

Stops playback and resets to the start of the sample.

```
pause (self ) \rightarrow None
```

Stops playback temporarily while remembering the position. Use resume to resume playback.

```
resume (self) \rightarrow None
```

Resumes sample playback after pause ().

audiomixer - Support for audio mixing

Mixes one or more audio samples together into one sample.

Create a Mixer object that can mix multiple channels with the same sample rate. Samples are accessed and controlled with the mixer's audiomixer.MixerVoice objects.

Parameters

- voice count (int) The maximum number of voices to mix
- buffer_size (int) The total size in bytes of the buffers to mix into
- **channel_count** (int) The number of channels the source samples contain. 1 = mono; 2 = stereo.
- bits_per_sample (int) The bits per sample of the samples being played
- samples_signed (bool) Samples are signed (True) or unsigned (False)
- sample_rate (int) The sample rate to be used for all samples

Playing a wave file from flash:

```
import board
import audioio
import audiocore
import audiomixer
import digitalio
a = audioio.AudioOut(board.A0)
music = audiocore.WaveFile(open("cplay-5.1-16bit-16khz.wav", "rb"))
drum = audiocore.WaveFile(open("drum.wav", "rb"))
mixer = audiomixer.Mixer(voice_count=2, sample_rate=16000, channel_count=1,
                         bits_per_sample=16, samples_signed=True)
print("playing")
# Have AudioOut play our Mixer source
a.play(mixer)
# Play the first sample voice
mixer.voice[0].play(music)
while mixer.playing:
  # Play the second sample voice
 mixer.voice[1].play(drum)
 time.sleep(1)
print("stopped")
```

playing :bool

True when any voice is being output. (read-only)

sample_rate :int

32 bit value that dictates how quickly samples are played in Hertz (cycles per second).

voice :Tuple[MixerVoice, ...]

A tuple of the mixer's audiomixer.MixerVoice object(s).

```
>>> mixer.voice
(<MixerVoice>,)
```

deinit (*self*) \rightarrow None

Deinitialises the Mixer and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow Mixer
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
play (self, sample: _typing.AudioSample, *, voice: int = 0, loop: bool = False) \rightarrow None
```

Plays the sample once when loop=False and continuously when loop=True. Does not block. Use playing to block.

Sample must be an audiocore. WaveFile, audiocore. RawSample, audiomixer. Mixer or audiomp3. MP3Decoder.

The sample must match the Mixer's encoding settings given in the constructor.

```
stop voice (self, voice: int = 0) \rightarrow None
```

Stops playback of the sample on the given voice.

class audiomixer.MixerVoice

Voice objects used with Mixer

Used to access and control samples with audiomixer. Mixer.

MixerVoice instance object(s) created by audiomixer. Mixer.

level :float

The volume level of a voice, as a floating point number between 0 and 1.

playing :bool

True when this voice is being output. (read-only)

```
play (self, sample: _typing.AudioSample, *, loop: bool = False) \rightarrow None
```

Plays the sample once when loop=False, and continuously when loop=True. Does not block. Use playing to block.

Sample must be an audiocore. WaveFile, audiocore. RawSample, audiomixer. Mixer or audiomp3. MP3Decoder.

The sample must match the audiomixer. Mixer's encoding settings given in the constructor.

$stop(self) \rightarrow None$

Stops playback of the sample on this voice.

audiomp3 - Support for MP3-compressed audio files

```
class audiomp3.MP3Decoder (file: BinaryIO, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer) Load a mp3 file for audio playback
```

Load a .mp3 file for playback with audioio. AudioOut or audiobusio. I2SOut.

Parameters

- file (typing.BinaryIO) Already opened mp3 file
- **buffer** (WriteableBuffer) Optional pre-allocated buffer, that will be split in half and used for double-buffering of the data. If not provided, two buffers are allocated internally. The specific buffer size required depends on the mp3 file.

Playing a mp3 file from flash:

```
import board
import audiomp3
import audioio
import digitalio

# Required for CircuitPlayground Express
speaker_enable = digitalio.DigitalInOut(board.SPEAKER_ENABLE)
speaker_enable.switch_to_output(value=True)

data = open("cplay-16bit-16khz-64kbps.mp3", "rb")
mp3 = audiomp3.MP3Decoder(data)
a = audioio.AudioOut(board.A0)

print("playing")
a.play(mp3)
while a.playing:
    pass
print("stopped")
```

file :BinaryIO

File to play back.

sample_rate :int

32 bit value that dictates how quickly samples are loaded into the DAC in Hertz (cycles per second). When the sample is looped, this can change the pitch output without changing the underlying sample.

```
bits_per_sample :int
```

Bits per sample. (read only)

channel_count :int

Number of audio channels. (read only)

rms_level :float

The RMS audio level of a recently played moment of audio. (read only)

deinit (self) \rightarrow None

Deinitialises the MP3 and releases all memory resources for reuse.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow MP3Decoder
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

audiopwmio - Audio output via digital PWM

The audiopwmio module contains classes to provide access to audio IO.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

Since CircuitPython 5, Mixer, RawSample and WaveFile are moved to audiocore.

```
class audiopwmio.PWMAudioOut (left_channel: microcontroller.Pin, *, right_channel: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, quiescent_value: int = 32768)
```

Output an analog audio signal by varying the PWM duty cycle.

Create a PWMAudioOut object associated with the given pin(s). This allows you to play audio signals out on the given pin(s). In contrast to mod:audioio, the pin(s) specified are digital pins, and are driven with a device-dependent PWM signal.

Parameters

- left_channel (Pin) The pin to output the left channel to
- right_channel (Pin) The pin to output the right channel to
- quiescent_value (int) The output value when no signal is present. Samples should start and end with this value to prevent audible popping.

Simple 8ksps 440 Hz sin wave:

```
import audiocore
import audiopwmio
import board
import array
import time
import math
# Generate one period of sine wav.
length = 8000 // 440
sine_wave = array.array("H", [0] * length)
for i in range(length):
    sine_wave[i] = int(math.sin(math.pi * 2 * i / length) * (2 ** 15) + 2 ** 15)
dac = audiopwmio.PWMAudioOut(board.SPEAKER)
sine_wave = audiocore.RawSample(sine_wave, sample_rate=8000)
dac.play(sine_wave, loop=True)
time.sleep(1)
dac.stop()
```

Playing a wave file from flash:

```
import board
import audiocore
import audiopwmio
import digitalio

# Required for CircuitPlayground Express
speaker_enable = digitalio.DigitalInOut (board.SPEAKER_ENABLE)
speaker_enable.switch_to_output (value=True)
```

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```
data = open("cplay-5.1-16bit-16khz.wav", "rb")
wav = audiocore.WaveFile(data)
a = audiopwmio.PWMAudioOut(board.SPEAKER)

print("playing")
a.play(wav)
while a.playing:
    pass
print("stopped")
```

playing :bool

True when an audio sample is being output even if paused. (read-only)

paused :bool

True when playback is paused. (read-only)

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialises the PWMAudioOut and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow PWMAudioOut
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
play (self, sample: _typing.AudioSample, *, loop: bool = False) \rightarrow None
```

Plays the sample once when loop=False and continuously when loop=True. Does not block. Use playing to block.

Sample must be an audiocore. WaveFile, audiocore. RawSample, audiomixer. Mixer or audiomp3. MP3Decoder.

The sample itself should consist of 16 bit samples. Microcontrollers with a lower output resolution will use the highest order bits to output. For example, the SAMD21 has a 10 bit DAC that ignores the lowest 6 bits when playing 16 bit samples.

```
stop(self) \rightarrow None
```

Stops playback and resets to the start of the sample.

```
pause(self) \rightarrow None
```

Stops playback temporarily while remembering the position. Use resume to resume playback.

```
resume (self) \rightarrow None
```

Resumes sample playback after pause ().

bitbangio - Digital protocols implemented by the CPU

The bitbangio module contains classes to provide digital bus protocol support regardless of whether the underlying hardware exists to use the protocol.

First try to use busio module instead which may utilize peripheral hardware to implement the protocols. Native implementations will be faster than bitbanged versions and have more capabilities.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import bitbangio
from board import *

i2c = bitbangio.I2C(SCL, SDA)
print(i2c.scan())
i2c.deinit()
```

This example will initialize the device, run <code>scan()</code> and then <code>deinit()</code> the hardware. The last step is optional because CircuitPython automatically resets hardware after a program finishes.

Two wire serial protocol

I2C is a two-wire protocol for communicating between devices. At the physical level it consists of 2 wires: SCL and SDA, the clock and data lines respectively.

See also:

Using this class directly requires careful lock management. Instead, use I2CDevice to manage locks.

See also:

Using this class to directly read registers requires manual bit unpacking. Instead, use an existing driver or make one with Register data descriptors.

Parameters

- scl (Pin) The clock pin
- sda (Pin) The data pin
- **frequency** (int) The clock frequency of the bus
- timeout (int) The maximum clock stretching timeout in microseconds

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Releases control of the underlying hardware so other classes can use it.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow I2C
```

No-op used in Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware on context exit. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
scan(self) \rightarrow List[int]
```

Scan all I2C addresses between 0x08 and 0x77 inclusive and return a list of those that respond. A device responds if it pulls the SDA line low after its address (including a read bit) is sent on the bus.

```
try_lock(self) \rightarrow bool
```

Attempts to grab the I2C lock. Returns True on success.

```
unlock(self) \rightarrow None
```

Releases the I2C lock.

```
readfrom_into (self, address: int, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Read into buffer from the device selected by address. The number of bytes read will be the length of buffer. At least one byte must be read.

If start or end is provided, then the buffer will be sliced as if buffer[start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like buf[start:end] will so it saves memory.

Parameters

- address (int) 7-bit device address
- buffer (WriteableBuffer) buffer to write into
- start (int) Index to start writing at
- end (int) Index to write up to but not include

```
writeto (self, address: int, buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None, stop: bool = True) \rightarrow None
```

Write the bytes from buffer to the device selected by address and then transmits a stop bit. Use writeto_then_readfrom when needing a write, no stop and repeated start before a read.

If start or end is provided, then the buffer will be sliced as if buffer[start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like buffer[start:end] will so it saves memory.

Writing a buffer or slice of length zero is permitted, as it can be used to poll for the existence of a device.

Parameters

- address (int) 7-bit device address
- buffer (ReadableBuffer) buffer containing the bytes to write
- **start** (int) Index to start writing from
- end (int) Index to read up to but not include

```
writeto_then_readfrom (self, address: int, out_buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, in_buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, out_start: int = 0, out_end: Optional[int] = None, in start: int = 0, in end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Write the bytes from out_buffer to the device selected by address, generate no stop bit, generate a repeated start and read into in_buffer. out_buffer and in_buffer can be the same buffer because they are used sequentially.

If start or end is provided, then the corresponding buffer will be sliced as if buffer[start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like buf[start:end] will so it saves memory.

Parameters

- address (int) 7-bit device address
- out_buffer (ReadableBuffer) buffer containing the bytes to write
- in_buffer (WriteableBuffer) buffer to write into
- out_start (int) Index to start writing from
- out_end (int) Index to read up to but not include. Defaults to len (buffer)
- in_start (int) Index to start writing at
- in_end (int) Index to write up to but not include. Defaults to len (buffer)

class bitbangio. OneWire (pin: microcontroller.Pin)

Lowest-level of the Maxim OneWire protocol

OneWire implements the timing-sensitive foundation of the Maxim (formerly Dallas Semi) OneWire protocol.

Protocol definition is here: https://www.maximintegrated.com/en/app-notes/index.mvp/id/126

Create a OneWire object associated with the given pin. The object implements the lowest level timing-sensitive bits of the protocol.

Parameters pin (Pin) – Pin to read pulses from.

Read a short series of pulses:

```
import bitbangio
import board

onewire = bitbangio.OneWire(board.D7)
onewire.reset()
onewire.write_bit(True)
onewire.write_bit(False)
print(onewire.read_bit())
```

```
deinit (self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialize the OneWire bus and release any hardware resources for reuse.

```
__enter__ (self) \rightarrow OneWire
No-op used by Context Managers.
```

```
\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}exit\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}} (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
reset(self) \rightarrow bool
```

Reset the OneWire bus

```
read_bit (self) \rightarrow bool
Read in a bit
```

Returns bit state read

Return type bool

```
\mathbf{write\_bit} \ (\mathit{self}, \mathit{value} \colon \mathsf{bool}) \ \to \mathsf{None}
```

Write out a bit based on value.

```
class bitbangio.SPI (clock: microcontroller.Pin, MOSI: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, MISO: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None)
```

A 3-4 wire serial protocol

SPI is a serial protocol that has exclusive pins for data in and out of the main device. It is typically faster than I2C because a separate pin is used to select a device rather than a transmitted address. This class only manages three of the four SPI lines: clock, MOSI, MISO. Its up to the client to manage the appropriate select line, often abbreviated CS or SS. (This is common because multiple secondaries can share the clock, MOSI and MISO lines and therefore the hardware.)

Construct an SPI object on the given pins.

See also:

Using this class directly requires careful lock management. Instead, use SPIDevice to manage locks.

See also:

Using this class to directly read registers requires manual bit unpacking. Instead, use an existing driver or make one with Register data descriptors.

- clock (Pin) the pin to use for the clock.
- MOSI (Pin) the Main Out Selected In pin.
- MISO (Pin) the Main In Selected Out pin.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Turn off the SPI bus.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow SPI
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

configure (*self*, *, *baudrate*: int = 100000, *polarity*: int = 0, *phase*: int = 0, *bits*: int = 8) \rightarrow None Configures the SPI bus. Only valid when locked.

Parameters

- baudrate (int) the clock rate in Hertz
- polarity (int) the base state of the clock line (0 or 1)
- **phase** (int) the edge of the clock that data is captured. First (0) or second (1). Rising or falling depends on clock polarity.
- bits (int) the number of bits per word

```
try_lock(self) \rightarrow bool
```

Attempts to grab the SPI lock. Returns True on success.

Returns True when lock has been grabbed

Return type bool

```
unlock(self) \rightarrow None
```

Releases the SPI lock.

```
write (self, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → None
```

Write the data contained in buf. Requires the SPI being locked. If the buffer is empty, nothing happens.

```
readinto (self, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None, write_value: int = 0) \rightarrow None
```

Read into buffer while writing write_value for each byte read. The SPI object must be locked. If the number of bytes to read is 0, nothing happens.

Parameters

- buffer (bytearray) Read data into this buffer
- start (int) Start of the slice of buffer to read into: buffer[start:end]
- end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len (buffer)
- write value (int) Value to write while reading.

```
write_readinto (self, buffer_out: _typing.ReadableBuffer, buffer_in: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, out_start: int = 0, out_end: Optional[int] = None, in_start: int = 0, in_end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Write out the data in buffer_out while simultaneously reading data into buffer_in. The SPI object must be locked. The lengths of the slices defined by buffer_out[out_start:out_end] and buffer_in[in_start:in_end] must be equal. If buffer slice lengths are both 0, nothing happens.

- buffer_out (ReadableBuffer) Write out the data in this buffer
- buffer in (WriteableBuffer) Read data into this buffer

- out_start (int) Start of the slice of buffer_out to write out: buffer_out[out_start:out_end]
- out_end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len(buffer_out)
- in_start (int) Start of the slice of buffer_in to read into: buffer_in[in_start:in_end]
- in_end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len(buffer_in)

bitmaptools - Collection of bitmap manipulation tools

Inserts the source bitmap region into the destination bitmap with rotation (angle), scale and clipping (both on source and destination bitmaps).

- **dest_bitmap** (bitmap) Destination bitmap that will be copied into
- **source_bitmap** (*bitmap*) Source bitmap that contains the graphical region to be copied
- ox (int) Horizontal pixel location in destination bitmap where source bitmap point (px,py) is placed
- **oy** (int) Vertical pixel location in destination bitmap where source bitmap point (px,py) is placed
- **dest_clip0** (*Tuple[int,int]*) First corner of rectangular destination clipping region that constrains region of writing into destination bitmap
- **dest_clip1** (*Tuple[int,int]*) Second corner of rectangular destination clipping region that constrains region of writing into destination bitmap
- **px** (int) Horizontal pixel location in source bitmap that is placed into the destination bitmap at (ox,oy)
- **py** (int) Vertical pixel location in source bitmap that is placed into the destination bitmap at (ox,oy)
- **source_clip0** (*Tuple[int,int]*) First corner of rectangular source clipping region that constrains region of reading from the source bitmap
- **source_clip1** (*Tuple[int,int]*) Second corner of rectangular source clipping region that constrains region of reading from the source bitmap
- angle (float) Angle of rotation, in radians (positive is clockwise direction)
- scale (float) Scaling factor
- **skip_index** (int) Bitmap palette index in the source that will not be copied, set to None to copy all pixels

```
bitmaptools.fill_region (dest\_bitmap: displayio.Bitmap, x1: int, y1: int, x2: int, y2: int, value: int) \rightarrow None
```

 \rightarrow None Draws the color value into the destination bitmap within the rectangular region bounded by (x1,y1) and (x2,y2), exclusive.

Parameters

- **dest_bitmap** (bitmap) Destination bitmap that will be written into
- x1 (int) x-pixel position of the first corner of the rectangular fill region
- y1 (int) y-pixel position of the first corner of the rectangular fill region
- x2 (int) x-pixel position of the second corner of the rectangular fill region (exclusive)
- y2 (int) y-pixel position of the second corner of the rectangular fill region (exclusive)
- **value** (int) Bitmap palette index that will be written into the rectangular fill region in the destination bitmap

```
bitmaptools.draw_line (dest\_bitmap: displayio.Bitmap, x1: int, y1: int, x2: int, y2: int, y2: int, y2: int, y3: int
```

Draws a line into a bitmap specified two endpoints (x1,y1) and (x2,y2).

Parameters

- **dest_bitmap** (bitmap) Destination bitmap that will be written into
- x1 (int) x-pixel position of the line's first endpoint
- y1 (int) y-pixel position of the line's first endpoint
- x2 (int) x-pixel position of the line's second endpoint
- y2 (int) y-pixel position of the line's second endpoint
- value (int) Bitmap palette index that will be written into the line in the destination bitmap

```
bitmaptools.arrayblit (bitmap: displayio.Bitmap, data: _typing.ReadableBuffer, x1: int = 0, y1: int = 0, x2: Optional[int] = None, y2: Optional[int] = None, skip_index: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Inserts pixels from data into the rectangle of width×height pixels with the upper left corner at (x, y)

The values from data are taken modulo the number of color values available in the destination bitmap.

If x1 or y1 are not specified, they are taken as 0. If x2 or y2 are not specified, or are given as -1, they are taken as the width and height of the image.

The coordinates affected by the blit are $x1 \le x \le x2$ and $y1 \le y \le y2$.

data must contain at least as many elements as required. If it contains excess elements, they are ignored.

The blit takes place by rows, so the first elements of data go to the first row, the next elements to the next row, and so on.

- bitmap (displayio.Bitmap) A writable bitmap
- data (ReadableBuffer) Buffer containing the source pixel values
- **x1** (int) The left corner of the area to blit into (inclusive)
- y1 (int) The top corner of the area to blit into (inclusive)
- **x2** (int) The right of the area to blit into (exclusive)
- y2 (int) The bottom corner of the area to blit into (exclusive)

• **skip_index** (int) – Bitmap palette index in the source that will not be copied, set to None to copy all pixels

```
bitmaptools.readinto (bitmap: displayio.Bitmap, file: BinaryIO, bits_per_pixel: int, element_size: int = 1, reverse_pixels_in_element: bool = False, swap_bytes_in_element: bool = False, reverse rows: bool = False) \rightarrow None
```

Reads from a binary file into a bitmap.

The file must be positioned so that it consists of bitmap.height rows of pixel data, where each row is the smallest multiple of element size bytes that can hold bitmap.width pixels.

The bytes in an element can be optionally swapped, and the pixels in an element can be reversed. Also, the row loading direction can be reversed, which may be requires for loading certain bitmap files.

This function doesn't parse image headers, but is useful to speed up loading of uncompressed image formats such as PCF glyph data.

Parameters

- bitmap (displayio.Bitmap) A writable bitmap
- **file** (typing.BinaryIO) A file opened in binary mode
- bits_per_pixel (int) Number of bits per pixel. Values 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 24, and 32 are supported;
- **element_size** (int) Number of bytes per element. Values of 1, 2, and 4 are supported, except that 24 bits_per_pixel requires 1 byte per element.
- reverse_pixels_in_element (bool) If set, the first pixel in a word is taken from the Most Significant Bits; otherwise, it is taken from the Least Significant Bits.
- **swap_bytes_in_element** (bool) If the element_size is not 1, then reverse the byte order of each element read.
- reverse_rows (bool) Reverse the direction of the row loading (required for some bitmap images).

bitops - Routines for low-level manipulation of binary data

```
bitops.bit_transpose (input: _typing.ReadableBuffer, output: _typing.WriteableBuffer, width: int = 8) \rightarrow \_typing.WriteableBuffer
```

"Transpose" a buffer by assembling each output byte with bits taken from each of width different input bytes.

This can be useful to convert a sequence of pixel values into a single stream of bytes suitable for sending via a parallel conversion method.

The number of bytes in the input buffer must be a multiple of the width, and the width can be any value from 2 to 8. If the width is fewer than 8, then the remaining (less significant) bits of the output are set to zero.

Let stride = len(input)//width. Then the first byte is made out of the most significant bits of [input[0], input[stride], input[2*stride], ...]. The second byte is made out of the second bits, and so on until the 8th output byte which is made of the first bits of input[1], input[1+stride, input[2*stride], ...].

The required output buffer size is len(input) * 8 // width.

Returns the output buffer.

board - Board specific pin names

Common container for board base pin names. These will vary from board to board so don't expect portability when using this module.

Warning: The board module varies by board. The APIs documented here may or may not be available on a specific board.

```
board.I2C() \rightarrow busio.I2C
```

Returns the busio. 12C object for the board designated SDA and SCL pins. It is a singleton.

```
board.SPI() \rightarrow busio.SPI
```

Returns the busio. SPI object for the board designated SCK, MOSI and MISO pins. It is a singleton.

```
board.UART() \rightarrow busio.UART
```

Returns the busio. UART object for the board designated TX and RX pins. It is a singleton.

The object created uses the default parameter values for <code>busio.UART</code>. If you need to set parameters that are not changeable after creation, such as <code>receiver_buffer_size</code>, do not use <code>board.UART()</code>; instead create a <code>busio.UART</code> object explicitly with the desired parameters.

busio - Hardware accelerated external bus access

The busio module contains classes to support a variety of serial protocols.

When the microcontroller does not support the behavior in a hardware accelerated fashion it may internally use a bitbang routine. However, if hardware support is available on a subset of pins but not those provided, then a RuntimeError will be raised. Use the <code>bitbangio</code> module to explicitly bitbang a serial protocol on any general purpose pins.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import busio
from board import *

i2c = busio.I2C(SCL, SDA)
print(i2c.scan())
i2c.deinit()
```

This example will initialize the device, run <code>scan()</code> and then <code>deinit()</code> the hardware. The last step is optional because CircuitPython automatically resets hardware after a program finishes.

```
class busio.I2C (scl: microcontroller.Pin, sda: microcontroller.Pin, *, frequency: int = 100000, timeout: int = 255)
```

Two wire serial protocol

I2C is a two-wire protocol for communicating between devices. At the physical level it consists of 2 wires: SCL and SDA, the clock and data lines respectively.

See also:

Using this class directly requires careful lock management. Instead, use I2CDevice to manage locks.

See also:

Using this class to directly read registers requires manual bit unpacking. Instead, use an existing driver or make one with Register data descriptors.

Parameters

- scl (Pin) The clock pin
- sda (Pin) The data pin
- **frequency** (int) The clock frequency in Hertz
- timeout (int) The maximum clock stretching timeut (used only for bitbangio.I2C; ignored for busio.I2C)

Note: On the nRF52840, only one I2C object may be created, except on the Circuit Playground Bluefruit, which allows two, one for the onboard accelerometer, and one for offboard use.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Releases control of the underlying hardware so other classes can use it.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow 12C
```

No-op used in Context Managers.

```
exit (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware on context exit. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
scan(self) \rightarrow List[int]
```

Scan all I2C addresses between 0x08 and 0x77 inclusive and return a list of those that respond.

Returns List of device ids on the I2C bus

Return type list

```
try_lock(self) \rightarrow bool
```

Attempts to grab the I2C lock. Returns True on success.

Returns True when lock has been grabbed

Return type bool

```
unlock(self) \rightarrow None
```

Releases the I2C lock.

```
readfrom_into (self, address: int, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Read into buffer from the device selected by address. The number of bytes read will be the length of buffer. At least one byte must be read.

If start or end is provided, then the buffer will be sliced as if buffer[start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like buf[start:end] will so it saves memory.

- address (int) 7-bit device address
- buffer (WriteableBuffer) buffer to write into
- start (int) Index to start writing at
- end (int) Index to write up to but not include. Defaults to len (buffer)

```
writeto (self, address: int, buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None, stop: bool = True) \rightarrow None
```

Write the bytes from buffer to the device selected by address and then transmit a stop bit.

If start or end is provided, then the buffer will be sliced as if buffer[start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like buffer[start:end] will so it saves memory.

Writing a buffer or slice of length zero is permitted, as it can be used to poll for the existence of a device.

Parameters

- address (int) 7-bit device address
- buffer (ReadbleBuffer) buffer containing the bytes to write
- start (int) Index to start writing from
- end (int) Index to read up to but not include. Defaults to len (buffer)

```
writeto_then_readfrom (self, address: int, out_buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, in_buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, out_start: int = 0, out_end: Optional[int] = None, in start: int = 0, in end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Write the bytes from out_buffer to the device selected by address, generate no stop bit, generate a repeated start and read into in_buffer. out_buffer and in_buffer can be the same buffer because they are used sequentially.

if start or end is provided, then the corresponding buffer will be sliced as if buffer[start:end]. This will not cause an allocation like buf[start:end] will so it saves memory.

Parameters

- address (int) 7-bit device address
- out_buffer (ReadbleBuffer) buffer containing the bytes to write
- in buffer (WriteableBuffer) buffer to write into
- out_start (int) Index to start writing from
- out_end (int) Index to read up to but not include. Defaults to len (buffer)
- in_start (int) Index to start writing at
- in_end (int) Index to write up to but not include. Defaults to len (buffer)

class busio.OneWire (pin: microcontroller.Pin)

Lowest-level of the Maxim OneWire protocol

(formerly Dallas Semi) OneWire protocol.

Protocol definition is here: https://www.maximintegrated.com/en/app-notes/index.mvp/id/126

${\tt class \ OneWire}\,(pin)$

Create a OneWire object associated with the given pin. The object implements the lowest level timing-sensitive bits of the protocol.

Parameters pin (Pin) – Pin connected to the OneWire bus

Read a short series of pulses:

```
import busio
import board

onewire = busio.OneWire(board.D7)
onewire.reset()
onewire.write_bit(True)
```

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```
onewire.write_bit(False)
print(onewire.read_bit())
```

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialize the OneWire bus and release any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow OneWire
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
reset(self) \rightarrow bool
```

Reset the OneWire bus and read presence

Returns False when at least one device is present

Return type bool

```
{\tt read\_bit} \ (\textit{self}) \ \rightarrow \textit{bool}
```

Read in a bit

Returns bit state read

Return type bool

```
write_bit (self, value: bool) \rightarrow None
```

Write out a bit based on value.

class busio.SPI(clock: microcontroller.Pin, MOSI: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, MISO: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None)

A 3-4 wire serial protocol

SPI is a serial protocol that has exclusive pins for data in and out of the main device. It is typically faster than I2C because a separate pin is used to select a device rather than a transmitted address. This class only manages three of the four SPI lines: clock, MOSI, MISO. Its up to the client to manage the appropriate select line, often abbreviated CS or SS. (This is common because multiple secondaries can share the clock, MOSI and MISO lines and therefore the hardware.)

Construct an SPI object on the given pins.

Note: The SPI peripherals allocated in order of desirability, if possible, such as highest speed and not shared use first. For instance, on the nRF52840, there is a single 32MHz SPI peripheral, and multiple 8MHz peripherals, some of which may also be used for I2C. The 32MHz SPI peripheral is returned first, then the exclusive 8MHz SPI peripheral, and finally the shared 8MHz peripherals.

See also:

Using this class directly requires careful lock management. Instead, use SPIDevice to manage locks.

See also

Using this class to directly read registers requires manual bit unpacking. Instead, use an existing driver or make one with Register data descriptors.

- clock (Pin) the pin to use for the clock.
- MOSI (Pin) the Main Out Selected In pin.

• MISO (Pin) - the Main In Selected Out pin.

frequency :int

The actual SPI bus frequency. This may not match the frequency requested due to internal limitations.

 $deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Turn off the SPI bus.

 $\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}$ enter $\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}$ (self) \rightarrow SPI

No-op used by Context Managers. Provided by context manager helper.

 $_$ exit $_$ (self) \rightarrow None

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

configure (*self*, *, *baudrate*: int = 100000, *polarity*: int = 0, *phase*: int = 0, *bits*: int = 8) \rightarrow None Configures the SPI bus. The SPI object must be locked.

Parameters

- baudrate (int) the desired clock rate in Hertz. The actual clock rate may be higher or lower due to the granularity of available clock settings. Check the *frequency* attribute for the actual clock rate.
- polarity (int) the base state of the clock line (0 or 1)
- **phase** (int) the edge of the clock that data is captured. First (0) or second (1). Rising or falling depends on clock polarity.
- bits (int) the number of bits per word

Note: On the SAMD21, it is possible to set the baudrate to 24 MHz, but that speed is not guaranteed to work. 12 MHz is the next available lower speed, and is within spec for the SAMD21.

Note: On the nRF52840, these baudrates are available: 125kHz, 250kHz, 1MHz, 2MHz, 4MHz, and 8MHz. If you pick a a baudrate other than one of these, the nearest lower baudrate will be chosen, with a minimum of 125kHz. Two SPI objects may be created, except on the Circuit Playground Bluefruit, which allows only one (to allow for an additional I2C object).

```
try_lock(self) \rightarrow bool
```

Attempts to grab the SPI lock. Returns True on success.

Returns True when lock has been grabbed

Return type bool

unlock (self) \rightarrow None

Releases the SPI lock.

write (self, buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None) → None Write the data contained in buffer. The SPI object must be locked. If the buffer is empty, nothing happens.

- buffer (ReadableBuffer) Write out the data in this buffer
- start (int) Start of the slice of buffer to write out: buffer[start:end]
- \bullet end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len (buffer)

```
readinto (self, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None, write value: int = 0) \rightarrow None
```

Read into buffer while writing write_value for each byte read. The SPI object must be locked. If the number of bytes to read is 0, nothing happens.

Parameters

- buffer (WriteableBuffer) Read data into this buffer
- start (int) Start of the slice of buffer to read into: buffer[start:end]
- end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len (buffer)
- write_value (int) Value to write while reading. (Usually ignored.)

```
write_readinto (self, buffer_out: _typing.ReadableBuffer, buffer_in: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, out_start: int = 0, out_end: Optional[int] = None, in_start: int = 0, in_end: Optional[int] = None) → None
```

Write out the data in buffer_out while simultaneously reading data into buffer_in. The SPI object must be locked. The lengths of the slices defined by buffer_out[out_start:out_end] and buffer_in[in_start:in_end] must be equal. If buffer slice lengths are both 0, nothing happens.

Parameters

- buffer_out (ReadableBuffer) Write out the data in this buffer
- buffer in (WriteableBuffer) Read data into this buffer
- out_start (int) Start of the slice of buffer_out to write out: buffer_out[out_start:out_end]
- out_end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len(buffer_out)
- in_start (int) Start of the slice of buffer_in to read into: buffer_in[in_start:in_end]
- in_end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len(buffer in)

```
class busio. UART (tx: microcontroller.Pin, rx: microcontroller.Pin, *, baudrate: int = 9600, bits: int = 8, parity: Optional[Parity] = None, stop: int = 1, timeout: float = 1, receiver_buffer_size: int = 64)
```

A bidirectional serial protocol

A common bidirectional serial protocol that uses an an agreed upon speed rather than a shared clock line.

- tx (Pin) the pin to transmit with, or None if this UART is receive-only.
- rx (Pin) the pin to receive on, or None if this UART is transmit-only.
- rts (Pin) the pin for rts, or None if rts not in use.
- cts (Pin) the pin for cts, or None if cts not in use.
- rs485_dir (Pin) the output pin for rs485 direction setting, or None if rs485 not in use.
- rs485_invert (bool) rs485_dir pin active high when set. Active low otherwise.
- baudrate (int) the transmit and receive speed.
- bits (int) the number of bits per byte, 5 to 9.
- parity (Parity) the parity used for error checking.
- **stop** (int) the number of stop bits, 1 or 2.

- **timeout** (float) the timeout in seconds to wait for the first character and between subsequent characters when reading. Raises ValueError if timeout >100 seconds.
- **receiver_buffer_size** (int) the character length of the read buffer (0 to disable). (When a character is 9 bits the buffer will be 2 * receiver_buffer_size bytes.)

New in CircuitPython 4.0: timeout has incompatibly changed units from milliseconds to seconds. The new upper limit on timeout is meant to catch mistaken use of milliseconds.

baudrate :int

The current baudrate.

in_waiting :int

The number of bytes in the input buffer, available to be read

timeout :float

The current timeout, in seconds (float).

 $deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Deinitialises the UART and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

 $\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}$ enter $\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}$ (self) \rightarrow UART

No-op used by Context Managers.

 $\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}$ exit $\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}$ (self) \rightarrow None

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

 $read(self, nbytes: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow Optional[bytes]$

Read characters. If nbytes is specified then read at most that many bytes. Otherwise, read everything that arrives until the connection times out. Providing the number of bytes expected is highly recommended because it will be faster.

Returns Data read

Return type bytes or None

readinto (*self*, *buf*: _typing.WriteableBuffer) → Optional[*int*]

Read bytes into the buf. Read at most len (buf) bytes.

Returns number of bytes read and stored into buf

Return type *int* or None (on a non-blocking error)

New in CircuitPython 4.0: No length parameter is permitted.

 $\texttt{readline}\,(\textit{self}\,)\,\rightarrow\textit{bytes}$

Read a line, ending in a newline character, or return None if a timeout occurs sooner, or return everything readable if no newline is found and timeout=0

Returns the line read

Return type bytes or None

write (self, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer) \rightarrow Optional[int]

Write the buffer of bytes to the bus.

New in CircuitPython 4.0: buf must be bytes, not a string.

return the number of bytes written

rtype int or None

```
reset_input_buffer (self) \rightarrow None
```

Discard any unread characters in the input buffer.

class busio.Parity

Enum-like class to define the parity used to verify correct data transfer.

ODD :int

Total number of ones should be odd.

EVEN :int

Total number of ones should be even.

camera - Support for camera input

The *camera* module contains classes to control the camera and take pictures.

class camera. Camera

The class to control camera.

Usage:

```
import board
import sdioio
import storage
import camera
sd = sdioio.SDCard(
    clock=board.SDIO_CLOCK,
    command=board.SDIO_COMMAND,
   data=board.SDIO_DATA,
   frequency=25000000)
vfs = storage.VfsFat(sd)
storage.mount(vfs, '/sd')
cam = camera.Camera()
buffer = bytearray (512 \star 1024)
file = open("/sd/image.jpg","wb")
size = cam.take_picture(buffer, width=1920, height=1080, format=camera.
→ImageFormat.JPG)
file.write(buffer, size)
file.close()
```

Initialize camera.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

De-initialize camera.

$take_picture$ (self, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer, format: ImageFormat) $\rightarrow int$

Take picture and save to buf in the given format. The size of the picture taken is width by height in pixels.

Returns the number of bytes written into buf

Return type int

class camera. ImageFormat

Image format

Enum-like class to define the image format.

```
JPG : ImageFormat

JPG format
```

RGB565 : ImageFormat RGB565 format.

canio - CAN bus access

The canio module contains low level classes to support the CAN bus protocol.

CAN and Listener classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import canio
from board import *

can = canio.CAN(board.CAN_RX, board.CAN_TX, baudrate=1000000)
message = canio.Message(id=0x0408, data=b"adafruit")
can.send(message)
can.deinit()
```

This example will write the data 'adafruit' onto the CAN bus to any device listening for message id 0x0408.

A CAN bus involves a transceiver, which is often a separate chip with a "standby" pin. If your board has a CAN_STANDBY pin, ensure to set it to an output with the value False to enable the transceiver.

Other implementations of the CAN device may exist (for instance, attached via an SPI bus). If so their constructor arguments may differ, but otherwise we encourage implementors to follow the API that the core uses.

class canio.BusState

The state of the CAN bus

ERROR ACTIVE : object

The bus is in the normal (active) state

ERROR_WARNING : object

The bus is in the normal (active) state, but a moderate number of errors have occurred recently.

NOTE: Not all implementations may use ERROR_WARNING. Do not rely on seeing ERROR_WARNING before ERROR_PASSIVE.

ERROR_PASSIVE : object

The bus is in the passive state due to the number of errors that have occurred recently.

This device will acknowledge packets it receives, but cannot transmit messages. If additional errors occur, this device may progress to BUS_OFF. If it successfully acknowledges other packets on the bus, it can return to ERROR_WARNING or ERROR_ACTIVE and transmit packets.

BUS_OFF : object

The bus has turned off due to the number of errors that have occurred recently. It must be restarted before it will send or receive packets. This device will neither send or acknowledge packets on the bus.

```
class canio. CAN (tx: microcontroller.Pin, rx: microcontroller.Pin, *, baudrate: int = 250000, loopback: bool = False, silent: bool = False, auto_restart: bool = False)

CAN bus protocol
```

A common shared-bus protocol. The rx and tx pins are generally connected to a transceiver which controls the H and L pins on a shared bus.

Parameters

- **rx** (Pin) the pin to receive with
- tx (Pin) the pin to transmit with
- baudrate (int) The bit rate of the bus in Hz. All devices on the bus must agree on this value
- **loopback** (bool) When True the rx pin's value is ignored, and the device receives the packets it sends.
- **silent** (bool) When True the tx pin is always driven to the high logic level. This mode can be used to "sniff" a CAN bus without interfering.
- auto_restart (bool) If True, will restart communications after entering bus-off state

auto restart :bool

If True, will restart communications after entering bus-off state

baudrate :int

The baud rate (read-only)

transmit_error_count :int

The number of transmit errors (read-only). Increased for a detected transmission error, decreased for successful transmission. Limited to the range from 0 to 255 inclusive. Also called TEC.

receive_error_count :int

The number of receive errors (read-only). Increased for a detected reception error, decreased for successful reception. Limited to the range from 0 to 255 inclusive. Also called REC.

state :BusState

The current state of the bus. (read-only)

loopback :bool

True if the device was created in loopback mode, False otherwise (read-only)

silent :bool

True if the device was created in silent mode, False otherwise (read-only)

restart (self) \rightarrow None

If the device is in the bus off state, restart it.

listen (*self*, *matches*: *Optional*[Sequence[Match]] = None, *, timeout: float = 10) \rightarrow Listener Start receiving messages that match any one of the filters.

Creating a listener is an expensive operation and can interfere with reception of messages by other listeners.

There is an implementation-defined maximum number of listeners and limit to the complexity of the filters.

If the hardware cannot support all the requested matches, a ValueError is raised. Note that generally there are some number of hardware filters shared among all fifos.

A message can be received by at most one Listener. If more than one listener matches a message, it is undefined which one actually receives it.

An empty filter list causes all messages to be accepted.

Timeout dictates how long receive() and next() will block.

Platform specific notes:

SAM E5x supports two Listeners. Filter blocks are shared between the two listeners. There are 4 standard filter blocks and 4 extended filter blocks. Each block can either match 2 single addresses or a mask

of addresses. The number of filter blocks can be increased, up to a hardware maximum, by rebuilding CircuitPython, but this decreases the CircuitPython free memory even if canio is not used.

STM32F405 supports two Listeners. Filter blocks are shared between the two listeners. There are 14 filter blocks. Each block can match 2 standard addresses with mask or 1 extended address with mask.

ESP32S2 supports one Listener. There is a single filter block, which can either match a standard address with mask or an extended address with mask.

```
send (self, message: Union[RemoteTransmissionRequest, Message]) \rightarrow None
```

Send a message on the bus with the given data and id. If the message could not be sent due to a full fifo or a bus error condition, RuntimeError is raised.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialize this object, freeing its hardware resources

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow CAN
```

Returns self, to allow the object to be used in a The with statement statement for resource control

```
__exit__(self, unused1: Optional[Type[BaseException]], unused2: Optional[BaseException], unused3: Optional[types.TracebackType]) \rightarrow None Calls deinit()
```

class canio.Listener

Listens for CAN message

canio.Listener is not constructed directly, but instead by calling canio.CAN.listen.

In addition to using the receive method to retrieve a message or the in_waiting method to check for an available message, a listener can be used as an iterable, yielding messages until no message arrives within self.timeout seconds.

```
timeout :float
```

```
receive(self) \rightarrow Optional[Union[RemoteTransmissionRequest, Message]]
```

Reads a message, after waiting up to self.timeout seconds

If no message is received in time, None is returned. Otherwise, a Message or RemoteTransmissionRequest is returned.

```
in\_waiting(self) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the number of messages (including remote transmission requests) waiting

```
\underline{\phantom{a}} iter\underline{\phantom{a}} (self) \rightarrow Listener Returns self
```

This method exists so that Listener can be used as an iterable

```
\_next\_(self) \rightarrow Union[RemoteTransmissionRequest, Message]
```

Reads a message, after waiting up to self.timeout seconds

If no message is received in time, raises StopIteration. Otherwise, a Message or is returned.

This method enables the Listener to be used as an iterable, for instance in a for-loop.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialize this object, freeing its hardware resources

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow CAN
```

Returns self, to allow the object to be used in a The with statement statement for resource control

```
__exit__ (self, unused1: Optional[Type[BaseException]], unused2: Optional[BaseException], un-
used3: Optional[types.TracebackType]) → None
Calls deinit()
```

```
class canio.Match (id: int, *, mask: Optional[int] = None, extended: bool = False)
    Describe CAN bus messages to match
```

Construct a Match with the given properties.

If mask is not None, then the filter is for any id which matches all the nonzero bits in mask. Otherwise, it matches exactly the given id. If extended is true then only extended ids are matched, otherwise only standard ids are matched.

id :int

The id to match

mask :int

The optional mask of ids to match

extended :bool

True to match extended ids, False to match standard ides

```
class canio. Message (id: int, data: bytes, *, extended: bool = False)
```

Construct a Message to send on a CAN bus.

Parameters

- id (int) The numeric ID of the message
- data (bytes) The content of the message
- **extended** (bool) True if the message has an extended identifier, False if it has a standard identifier

In CAN, messages can have a length from 0 to 8 bytes.

id :int

The numeric ID of the message

data :bytes

The content of the message

extended :bool

True if the message's id is an extended id

class canio.RemoteTransmissionRequest (id: int, length: int, *, extended: bool = False)

Construct a RemoteTransmissionRequest to send on a CAN bus.

Parameters

- id (int) The numeric ID of the requested message
- length (int) The length of the requested message
- extended (bool) True if the message has an extended identifier, False if it has a standard identifier

In CAN, messages can have a length from 0 to 8 bytes.

id :int

The numeric ID of the message

extended :bool

True if the message's id is an extended id

length :int

The length of the requested message.

countio - Support for edge counting

The count io module contains logic to read and count edge transistions

Warning: This module is not available in some SAMD21 (aka M0) builds. See the *Module Support Matrix* - *Which Modules Are Available on Which Boards* for more info.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
class countio.Counter(pin_a: microcontroller.Pin)
```

Counter will keep track of the number of falling edge transistions (pulses) on a given pin

Create a Counter object associated with the given pin. It tracks the number of falling pulses relative when the object is constructed.

Parameters pin_a (Pin) – Pin to read pulses from.

For example:

```
import board
import countio

pin_counter = countio.Counter(board.D1)
#reset the count after 100 counts
while True:
    if pin_counter.count == 100:
        pin_counter.reset()
    print(pin_counter.count)
```

count :int

The current count in terms of pulses.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitializes the Counter and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow Counter
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
reset (self) \rightarrow None
```

Resets the count back to 0.

digitalio - Basic digital pin support

The digitalio module contains classes to provide access to basic digital IO.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import digitalio
from board import *

pin = digitalio.DigitalInOut(D13)
print(pin.value)
```

This example will initialize the the device, read value and then deinit () the hardware.

Here is blinky:

```
import digitalio
from board import *
import time

led = digitalio.DigitalInOut(D13)
led.direction = digitalio.Direction.OUTPUT
while True:
    led.value = True
    time.sleep(0.1)
    led.value = False
    time.sleep(0.1)
```

class digitalio.DriveMode

Defines the drive mode of a digital pin

Enum-like class to define the drive mode used when outputting digital values.

PUSH_PULL : DriveMode

Output both high and low digital values

OPEN_DRAIN : DriveMode

Output low digital values but go into high z for digital high. This is useful for i2c and other protocols that share a digital line.

```
class digitalio.DigitalInOut (pin: microcontroller.Pin)
```

Digital input and output

A DigitalInOut is used to digitally control I/O pins. For analog control of a pin, see the <code>analogio.AnalogIn</code> and <code>analogio.AnalogOut</code> classes.

Create a new DigitalInOut object associated with the pin. Defaults to input with no pull. Use switch_to_input() and switch_to_input() and switch_to_output() to change the direction.

Parameters pin (Pin) - The pin to control

direction :Direction

The direction of the pin.

Setting this will use the defaults from the corresponding <code>switch_to_input()</code> or <code>switch_to_output()</code> method. If you want to set pull, value or drive mode prior to switching, then use those methods instead.

value :bool

The digital logic level of the pin.

drive_mode :DriveMode

The pin drive mode. One of:

- digitalio.DriveMode.PUSH_PULL
- digitalio.DriveMode.OPEN_DRAIN

pull :Optional[Pull]

The pin pull direction. One of:

- digitalio.Pull.UP
- digitalio.Pull.DOWN
- None

Raises AttributeError - if direction is OUTPUT.

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Turn off the DigitalInOut and release the pin for other use.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow DigitalInOut
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}exit\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}} (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
switch_to_output (self, value: bool = False, drive_mode: DriveMode = DriveMode.PUSH_PULL)
```

Set the drive mode and value and then switch to writing out digital values.

Parameters

- value (bool) default value to set upon switching
- drive_mode (DriveMode) drive mode for the output

```
switch_{to}input (self, pull: Optional[Pull] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Set the pull and then switch to read in digital values.

Parameters pull (Pull) – pull configuration for the input

Example usage:

```
import digitalio
import board

switch = digitalio.DigitalInOut(board.SLIDE_SWITCH)
switch.switch_to_input(pull=digitalio.Pull.UP)
# Or, after switch_to_input
switch.pull = digitalio.Pull.UP
print(switch.value)
```

class digitalio.Direction

Defines the direction of a digital pin

Enum-like class to define which direction the digital values are going.

INPUT : Direction

Read digital data in

OUTPUT : Direction

Write digital data out

class digitalio.Pull

Defines the pull of a digital input pin

Enum-like class to define the pull value, if any, used while reading digital values in.

UP : Pull

When the input line isn't being driven the pull up can pull the state of the line high so it reads as true.

DOWN : Pull

When the input line isn't being driven the pull down can pull the state of the line low so it reads as false.

displayio - Native helpers for driving displays

The displayio module contains classes to manage display output including synchronizing with refresh rates and partial updating.

```
displayio.release displays() \rightarrow None
```

Releases any actively used displays so their busses and pins can be used again. This will also release the builtin display on boards that have one. You will need to reinitialize it yourself afterwards. This may take seconds to complete if an active EPaperDisplay is refreshing.

Use this once in your code.py if you initialize a display. Place it right before the initialization so the display is active as long as possible.

```
class displayio. Bitmap (width: int, height: int, value_count: int)

Stores values of a certain size in a 2D array
```

Bitmaps can be treated as read-only buffers. If the number of bits in a pixel is 8, 16, or 32; and the number of bytes per row is a multiple of 4, then the resulting memoryview will correspond directly with the bitmap's contents. Otherwise, the bitmap data is packed into the memoryview with unspecified padding.

A read-only buffer can be used e.g., with ulab.frombuffer to efficiently create an array with the same content as a Bitmap; to move data efficiently from ulab back into a Bitmap, use bitmaptools.arrayblit.

Create a Bitmap object with the given fixed size. Each pixel stores a value that is used to index into a corresponding palette. This enables differently colored sprites to share the underlying Bitmap. value_count is used to minimize the memory used to store the Bitmap.

Parameters

- width (int) The number of values wide
- height (int) The number of values high
- value_count (int) The number of possible pixel values.

width :int

Width of the bitmap. (read only)

height :int

Height of the bitmap. (read only)

```
__getitem__(self, index: Union[Tuple[int, int], int]) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the value at the given index. The index can either be an x,y tuple or an int equal to $y \star width + x$.

This allows you to:

```
print (bitmap[0,1])
```

__setitem__ (self, index: Union[Tuple[int, int], int], value: int) \rightarrow None

Sets the value at the given index. The index can either be an x,y tuple or an int equal to $y \star width + x$.

This allows you to:

```
bitmap[0,1] = 3
```

```
blit (self, x: int, y: int, source_bitmap: Bitmap, *, x1: int, y1: int, x2: int, y2: int, skip\_index: int) \rightarrow None
```

Inserts the source_bitmap region defined by rectangular boundaries (x1,y1) and (x2,y2) into the bitmap at the specified (x,y) location.

Parameters

- **x** (int) Horizontal pixel location in bitmap where source_bitmap upper-left corner will be placed
- **y** (int) Vertical pixel location in bitmap where source_bitmap upper-left corner will be placed
- **source_bitmap** (*bitmap*) Source bitmap that contains the graphical region to be copied
- **x1** (int) Minimum x-value for rectangular bounding box to be copied from the source bitmap
- **y1** (int) Minimum y-value for rectangular bounding box to be copied from the source bitmap
- **x2** (int) Maximum x-value (exclusive) for rectangular bounding box to be copied from the source bitmap
- y2 (int) Maximum y-value (exclusive) for rectangular bounding box to be copied from the source bitmap
- **skip_index** (int) bitmap palette index in the source that will not be copied, set to None to copy all pixels

```
fill (self, value: int) \rightarrow None
```

Fills the bitmap with the supplied palette index value.

```
class displayio.ColorConverter(*, dither: bool = False)
```

Converts one color format to another.

Create a ColorConverter object to convert color formats. Only supports RGB888 to RGB565 currently. :param bool dither: Adds random noise to dither the output image

dither :bool

When true the color converter dithers the output by adding random noise when truncating to display bitdepth

```
convert (self, color: int) \rightarrow int
```

Converts the given RGB888 color to RGB565

```
make\_transparent(self, pixel: int) \rightarrow None
```

Sets a pixel to not opaque.

```
make_opaque (self, pixel: int) → None

Sets a pixel to opaque.

displayio._DisplayBus

FourWire, ParallelBus or I2CDisplay

class displayio.Display (display_bus: _DisplayBus, init_sequence: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *,

width: int, height: int, colstart: int = 0, rowstart: int = 0, rotation: int = 0,

color_depth: int = 16, grayscale: bool = False, pixels_in_byte_share_row:

bool = True, bytes_per_cell: int = 1, reverse_pixels_in_byte: bool

= False, set_column_command: int = 42, set_row_command: int =

43, write_ram_command: int = 44, set_vertical_scroll: int = 0, back-

light_pin: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, brightness: bool =

False, single_byte_bounds: bool = False, data_as_commands: bool =

False, auto_refresh: bool = True, native_frames_per_second: int = 60)
```

This initializes a display and connects it into CircuitPython. Unlike other objects in CircuitPython, Display objects live until <code>displayio.release_displays()</code> is called. This is done so that CircuitPython can use

Most people should not use this class directly. Use a specific display driver instead that will contain the initialization sequence at minimum.

Create a Display object on the given display bus (FourWire, ParallelBus or I2CDisplay).

The init_sequence is bitpacked to minimize the ram impact. Every command begins with a command byte followed by a byte to determine the parameter count and delay. When the top bit of the second byte is 1 (0x80), a delay will occur after the command parameters are sent. The remaining 7 bits are the parameter count excluding any delay byte. The bytes following are the parameters. When the delay bit is set, a single byte after the parameters specifies the delay duration in milliseconds. The value 0xff will lead to an extra long 500 ms delay instead of 255 ms. The next byte will begin a new command definition. Here is an example:

The first command is 0xe1 with 15 (0xf) parameters following. The second is 0x11 with 0 parameters and a 120ms (0x78) delay. The third command is 0x29 with one parameter 0xaa and a 120ms delay (0x78). Multiple byte literals (b"") are merged together on load. The parens are needed to allow byte literals on subsequent lines.

The initialization sequence should always leave the display memory access inline with the scan of the display to minimize tearing artifacts.

Parameters

- display bus The bus that the display is connected to
- init_sequence (ReadableBuffer) Byte-packed initialization sequence.
- width (int) Width in pixels

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the display itself.

- height (int) Height in pixels
- colstart (int) The index if the first visible column
- rowstart (int) The index if the first visible row

- rotation (int) The rotation of the display in degrees clockwise. Must be in 90 degree increments (0, 90, 180, 270)
- **color_depth** (int) The number of bits of color per pixel transmitted. (Some displays support 18 bit but 16 is easier to transmit. The last bit is extrapolated.)
- **grayscale** (bool) True if the display only shows a single color.
- pixels_in_byte_share_row (bool) True when pixels are less than a byte and a byte includes pixels from the same row of the display. When False, pixels share a column.
- bytes_per_cell (int) Number of bytes per addressable memory location when color_depth < 8. When greater than one, bytes share a row or column according to pixels_in_byte_share_row.
- reverse_pixels_in_byte (bool) Reverses the pixel order within each byte when color_depth < 8. Does not apply across multiple bytes even if there is more than one byte per cell (bytes_per_cell.)
- reverse_bytes_in_word (bool) Reverses the order of bytes within a word when color_depth == 16
- set_column_command (int) Command used to set the start and end columns to update
- set_row_command (int) Command used so set the start and end rows to update
- write_ram_command (int) Command used to write pixels values into the update region. Ignored if data_as_commands is set.
- set vertical scroll (int) Command used to set the first row to show
- backlight_pin (microcontroller.Pin) Pin connected to the display's backlight
- **brightness_command** (int) Command to set display brightness. Usually available in OLED controllers.
- **brightness** (float) Initial display brightness. This value is ignored if auto_brightness is True.
- auto_brightness (bool) If True, brightness is controlled via an ambient light sensor or other mechanism.
- single_byte_bounds (bool) Display column and row commands use single bytes
- data_as_commands (bool) Treat all init and boundary data as SPI commands. Certain displays require this.
- SH1107_addressing (bool) Special quirk for SH1107, use upper/lower column set and page set
- auto_refresh (bool) Automatically refresh the screen
- native_frames_per_second (int) Number of display refreshes per second that occur with the given init_sequence.
- backlight_on_high (bool) If True, pulling the backlight pin high turns the backlight on.

auto_refresh :bool

True when the display is refreshed automatically.

brightness :float

The brightness of the display as a float. 0.0 is off and 1.0 is full brightness. When auto_brightness is True, the value of brightness will change automatically. If brightness is set, auto_brightness will be disabled and will be set to False.

auto_brightness :bool

True when the display brightness is adjusted automatically, based on an ambient light sensor or other method. Note that some displays may have this set to True by default, but not actually implement automatic brightness adjustment. <code>auto_brightness</code> is set to False if <code>brightness</code> is set manually.

width :int

Gets the width of the board

height :int

Gets the height of the board

rotation :int

The rotation of the display as an int in degrees.

bus :_DisplayBus

The bus being used by the display

```
show (self, group: Group) \rightarrow None
```

Switches to displaying the given group of layers. When group is None, the default CircuitPython terminal will be shown.

Parameters group (Group) – The group to show.

```
refresh (self, *, target_frames_per_second: Optional[int] = None, minimum_frames_per_second: int = 1) \rightarrow bool
```

When auto refresh is off, waits for the target frame rate and then refreshes the display, returning True. If the call has taken too long since the last refresh call for the given target frame rate, then the refresh returns False immediately without updating the screen to hopefully help getting caught up.

If the time since the last successful refresh is below the minimum frame rate, then an exception will be raised. Set minimum_frames_per_second to 0 to disable.

```
When auto refresh is off, display.refresh() or display.refresh(target_frames_per_second=None) will update the display immediately.
```

When auto refresh is on, updates the display immediately. (The display will also update without calls to this.)

Parameters

- target_frames_per_second (int) How many times a second refresh should be called and the screen updated. Set to None for immediate refresh.
- minimum_frames_per_second (int) The minimum number of times the screen should be updated per second.

```
fill_row (self, y: int, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer) \rightarrow _typing.WriteableBuffer Extract the pixels from a single row
```

- y (int) The top edge of the area
- buffer (WriteableBuffer) The buffer in which to place the pixel data

_DisplayBus, class displayio. EPaperDisplay (display bus: start sequence: typing.ReadableBuffer, stop_sequence: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, width: int, height: int, ram width: int, ram height: int, colstart: int = 0, rowstart: int = 0, rotation: int = 0, set column window command: Optional[int] = None,set row window command: Optional[int] = None, single byte bounds: bool = False, write black ram command: int, black bits inverted: bool = False, write color ram command: Optional[int] = None, color bits inverted: bool = False, high*light_color:* int = 0, refresh_display_command: int, refresh_time: float = 40, busy_pin: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, busy state: bool = True, seconds_per_frame: float = 180, always_toggle_chip_select: bool = False, grayscale: bool =

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This initializes an epaper display and connects it into CircuitPython. Unlike other objects in CircuitPython, EPaperDisplay objects live until <code>displayio.release_displays()</code> is called. This is done so that CircuitPython can use the display itself.

Most people should not use this class directly. Use a specific display driver instead that will contain the startup and shutdown sequences at minimum.

Create a EPaperDisplay object on the given display bus (displayio.FourWire or displayio. ParallelBus).

The start_sequence and stop_sequence are bitpacked to minimize the ram impact. Every command begins with a command byte followed by a byte to determine the parameter count and delay. When the top bit of the second byte is 1 (0x80), a delay will occur after the command parameters are sent. The remaining 7 bits are the parameter count excluding any delay byte. The bytes following are the parameters. When the delay bit is set, a single byte after the parameters specifies the delay duration in milliseconds. The value 0xff will lead to an extra long 500 ms delay instead of 255 ms. The next byte will begin a new command definition.

Parameters

• display bus – The bus that the display is connected to

False)

- start_sequence (ReadableBuffer) Byte-packed initialization sequence.
- stop_sequence (ReadableBuffer) Byte-packed initialization sequence.
- width (int) Width in pixels
- height (int) Height in pixels
- ram_width (int) RAM width in pixels
- ram_height (int) RAM height in pixels
- colstart (int) The index if the first visible column
- rowstart (int) The index if the first visible row
- **rotation** (int) The rotation of the display in degrees clockwise. Must be in 90 degree increments (0, 90, 180, 270)
- **set_column_window_command** (int) Command used to set the start and end columns to update
- **set_row_window_command** (int) Command used so set the start and end rows to update

- **set_current_column_command** (int) Command used to set the current column location
- set_current_row_command (int) Command used to set the current row location
- write_black_ram_command (int) Command used to write pixels values into the update region
- **black_bits_inverted** (bool) True if 0 bits are used to show black pixels. Otherwise, 1 means to show black.
- write_color_ram_command (int) Command used to write pixels values into the update region
- **color_bits_inverted** (bool) True if 0 bits are used to show the color. Otherwise, 1 means to show color.
- highlight_color (int) RGB888 of source color to highlight with third ePaper color.
- refresh_display_command (int) Command used to start a display refresh
- **refresh_time** (float) Time it takes to refresh the display before the stop_sequence should be sent. Ignored when busy_pin is provided.
- busy_pin (microcontroller.Pin) Pin used to signify the display is busy
- busy_state (bool) State of the busy pin when the display is busy
- seconds_per_frame (float) Minimum number of seconds between screen refreshes
- always_toggle_chip_select (bool) When True, chip select is toggled every byte
- grayscale (bool) When true, the color ram is the low bit of 2-bit grayscale

time_to_refresh :float

Time, in fractional seconds, until the ePaper display can be refreshed.

busy :bool

True when the display is refreshing. This uses the busy_pin when available or the refresh_time otherwise.

width :int

Gets the width of the display in pixels

height :int

Gets the height of the display in pixels

rotation :int

The rotation of the display as an int in degrees.

bus :_DisplayBus

The bus being used by the display

show (*self*, *group*: Group) \rightarrow None

Switches to displaying the given group of layers. When group is None, the default CircuitPython terminal will be shown.

Parameters group (Group) - The group to show.

$refresh(self) \rightarrow None$

Refreshes the display immediately or raises an exception if too soon. Use time.sleep(display.time to refresh) to sleep until a refresh can occur.

```
class displayio.FourWire (spi_bus: busio.SPI, *, command: microcontroller.Pin, chip_select: microcontroller.Pin, reset: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, baudrate: int = 24000000, polarity: int = 0, phase: int = 0)
```

Manage updating a display over SPI four wire protocol in the background while Python code runs. It doesn't handle display initialization.

Create a FourWire object associated with the given pins.

The SPI bus and pins are then in use by the display until <code>displayio.release_displays()</code> is called even after a reload. (It does this so CircuitPython can use the display after your code is done.) So, the first time you initialize a display bus in code.py you should call :py:func`displayio.release_displays` first, otherwise it will error after the first code.py run.

Parameters

- spi_bus (busio.SPI) The SPI bus that make up the clock and data lines
- command (microcontroller.Pin) Data or command pin
- chip_select (microcontroller.Pin) Chip select pin
- reset (microcontroller.Pin) Reset pin. When None only software reset can be used
- baudrate (int) Maximum baudrate in Hz for the display on the bus
- polarity (int) the base state of the clock line (0 or 1)
- **phase** (int) the edge of the clock that data is captured. First (0) or second (1). Rising or falling depends on clock polarity.

```
reset (self) \rightarrow None
```

Performs a hardware reset via the reset pin. Raises an exception if called when no reset pin is available.

```
send (self, command: int, data: FourWire, *, toggle_every_byte: bool = False) \rightarrow None Sends the given command value followed by the full set of data. Display state, such as vertical scroll, set
```

via send may or may not be reset once the code is done.

```
class displayio. Group (*, max\_size: int = 4, scale: int = 1, x: int = 0, y: int = 0) Manage a group of sprites and groups and how they are inter-related.
```

Create a Group of a given size and scale. Scale is in one dimension. For example, scale=2 leads to a layer's pixel being 2x2 pixels when in the group.

Parameters

- max_size (int) Ignored. Will be removed in 7.x.
- scale (int) Scale of layer pixels in one dimension.
- \mathbf{x} (int) Initial x position within the parent.
- y (int) Initial y position within the parent.

hidden :bool

True when the Group and all of it's layers are not visible. When False, the Group's layers are visible if they haven't been hidden.

scale :int

Scales each pixel within the Group in both directions. For example, when scale=2 each pixel will be represented by 2x2 pixels.

x :int

X position of the Group in the parent.

```
y :int
     Y position of the Group in the parent.
append (self, layer: Union[vectorio. VectorShape, Group, TileGrid]) → None
     Append a layer to the group. It will be drawn above other layers.
insert (self, index: int, layer: Union[vectorio. VectorShape, Group, TileGrid]) → None
     Insert a layer into the group.
index (self, layer: Union[vectorio.VectorShape, Group, TileGrid]) → int
     Returns the index of the first copy of layer. Raises ValueError if not found.
pop(self, i: int = -1) \rightarrow Union[vectorio.VectorShape, Group, TileGrid]
     Remove the ith item and return it.
remove (self, layer: Union[vectorio.VectorShape, Group, TileGrid]) \rightarrow None
     Remove the first copy of layer. Raises ValueError if it is not present.
\_bool\_(self) \rightarrow bool
 \_len\_(self) \rightarrow int
     Returns the number of layers in a Group
__getitem__ (self, index: int) \rightarrow Union[vectorio.VectorShape, Group, TileGrid]
     Returns the value at the given index.
     This allows you to:
     print(group[0])
   _setitem__ (self, index: int, value: Union[vectorio.VectorShape, Group, TileGrid]) → None
     Sets the value at the given index.
     This allows you to:
     group[0] = sprite
  _delitem__ (self, index: int) \rightarrow None
     Deletes the value at the given index.
     This allows you to:
     del group[0]
sort (self, key: function, reverse: bool) \rightarrow None
     Sort the members of the group.
```

class displayio.I2CDisplay(i2c_bus: busio.I2C, *, device_address: int, reset:

tional[microcontroller.Pin] = None) Manage updating a display over I2C in the background while Python code runs. It doesn't handle display initialization.

Create a I2CDisplay object associated with the given I2C bus and reset pin.

The I2C bus and pins are then in use by the display until <code>displayio.release_displays()</code> is called even after a reload. (It does this so CircuitPython can use the display after your code is done.) So, the first time you initialize a display bus in code.py you should call :py:func`displayio.release_displays` first, otherwise it will error after the first code.py run.

Parameters

• i2c bus (busio.I2C) - The I2C bus that make up the clock and data lines

- device address (int) The I2C address of the device
- reset (microcontroller.Pin) Reset pin. When None only software reset can be used

```
reset (self) \rightarrow None
```

Performs a hardware reset via the reset pin. Raises an exception if called when no reset pin is available.

```
send (self, command: int, data: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow None
```

Sends the given command value followed by the full set of data. Display state, such as vertical scroll, set via send may or may not be reset once the code is done.

```
class displayio.OnDiskBitmap(file: BinaryIO)
```

Loads values straight from disk. This minimizes memory use but can lead to much slower pixel load times. These load times may result in frame tearing where only part of the image is visible.

It's easiest to use on a board with a built in display such as the Hallowing M0 Express.

```
import board
import displayio
import time
import pulseio
board.DISPLAY.auto_brightness = False
board.DISPLAY.brightness = 0
splash = displayio.Group()
board.DISPLAY.show(splash)
with open ("/sample.bmp", "rb") as f:
    odb = displayio.OnDiskBitmap(f)
    face = displayio.TileGrid(odb, pixel_shader=displayio.ColorConverter())
    splash.append(face)
    # Wait for the image to load.
    board.DISPLAY.refresh(target_frames_per_second=60)
    # Fade up the backlight
    for i in range(100):
        board.DISPLAY.brightness = 0.01 * i
        time.sleep(0.05)
    # Wait forever
    while True:
        pass
```

Create an OnDiskBitmap object with the given file.

```
Parameters file (file) - The open bitmap file
```

```
width :int
```

Width of the bitmap. (read only)

height :int

Height of the bitmap. (read only)

```
class displayio.Palette(color_count: int)
```

Map a pixel palette_index to a full color. Colors are transformed to the display's format internally to save memory.

Create a Palette object to store a set number of colors.

Parameters color_count (int) - The number of colors in the Palette

```
__bool___(self) → bool
__len___(self) → int
Returns the number of colors in a Palette
___getitem___(self, index: int) → Optional[int]
Return the pixel color at the given index as an integer.
```

__setitem__ (*self*, *index*: int, *value*: *Union*[int, _typing.ReadableBuffer, *Tuple*[int, int, int]]) \rightarrow None Sets the pixel color at the given index. The index should be an integer in the range 0 to color_count-1.

The value argument represents a color, and can be from 0x000000 to 0xFFFFFF (to represent an RGB value). Value can be an int, bytes (3 bytes (RGB) or 4 bytes (RGB + pad byte)), bytearray, or a tuple or list of 3 integers.

This allows you to:

```
make_transparent (self, palette_index: int) \rightarrow None make_opaque (self, palette_index: int) \rightarrow None is_transparent (self, palette_index: int) \rightarrow bool
```

Returns True if the palette index is transparent. Returns False if opaque.

```
class displayio.ParallelBus (*, data0: microcontroller.Pin, command: microcontroller.Pin, chip_select: microcontroller.Pin, write: microcontroller.Pin, read: microcontroller.Pin, reset: microcontroller.Pin)
```

Manage updating a display over 8-bit parallel bus in the background while Python code runs. This protocol may be referred to as 8080-I Series Parallel Interface in datasheets. It doesn't handle display initialization.

Create a ParallelBus object associated with the given pins. The bus is inferred from data0 by implying the next 7 additional pins on a given GPIO port.

The parallel bus and pins are then in use by the display until <code>displayio.release_displays()</code> is called even after a reload. (It does this so CircuitPython can use the display after your code is done.) So, the first time you initialize a display bus in code.py you should call :py:func`displayio.release_displays` first, otherwise it will error after the first code.py run.

Parameters

- dataO (microcontroller.Pin) The first data pin. The rest are implied
- command (microcontroller.Pin) Data or command pin
- chip_select (microcontroller.Pin) Chip select pin
- write (microcontroller.Pin) Write pin
- read (microcontroller.Pin) Read pin
- reset (microcontroller.Pin) Reset pin

```
reset (self) \rightarrow None
```

Performs a hardware reset via the reset pin. Raises an exception if called when no reset pin is available.

```
send (self, command: int, data: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → None
```

Sends the given command value followed by the full set of data. Display state, such as vertical scroll, set via send may or may not be reset once the code is done.

```
class displayio. Shape (width: int, height: int, *, mirror_x: bool = False, mirror_y: bool = False) Represents a shape made by defining boundaries that may be mirrored.
```

Create a Shape object with the given fixed size. Each pixel is one bit and is stored by the column boundaries of the shape on each row. Each row's boundary defaults to the full row.

Parameters

- width (int) The number of pixels wide
- height (int) The number of pixels high
- mirror_x (bool) When true the left boundary is mirrored to the right.
- mirror_y (bool) When true the top boundary is mirrored to the bottom.

```
set_boundary (self, y: int, start_x: int, end_x: int) \rightarrow None Loads pre-packed data into the given row.
```

```
class displayio. TileGrid (bitmap: Bitmap, *, pixel_shader: Union[ColorConverter, Palette], width: int = 1, height: int = 1, tile_width: Optional[int] = None, tile_height: Optional[int] = None, default_tile: int = 0, x: int = 0, y: int = 0)
```

A grid of tiles sourced out of one bitmap

Position a grid of tiles sourced from a bitmap and pixel_shader combination. Multiple grids can share bitmaps and pixel shaders.

A single tile grid is also known as a Sprite.

Create a TileGrid object. The bitmap is source for 2d pixels. The pixel_shader is used to convert the value and its location to a display native pixel color. This may be a simple color palette lookup, a gradient, a pattern or a color transformer.

tile_width and tile_height match the height of the bitmap by default.

Parameters

- bitmap (Bitmap) The bitmap storing one or more tiles.
- or Palette pixel_shader (ColorConverter) The pixel shader that produces colors from values
- width (int) Width of the grid in tiles.
- height (int) Height of the grid in tiles.
- tile_width (int) Width of a single tile in pixels. Defaults to the full Bitmap and must evenly divide into the Bitmap's dimensions.
- tile_height (int) Height of a single tile in pixels. Defaults to the full Bitmap and must evenly divide into the Bitmap's dimensions.
- **default_tile** (int) Default tile index to show.
- \mathbf{x} (int) Initial x position of the left edge within the parent.
- **y** (int) Initial y position of the top edge within the parent.

hidden :bool

True when the TileGrid is hidden. This may be False even when a part of a hidden Group.

x :int

X position of the left edge in the parent.

y :int

Y position of the top edge in the parent.

flip_x :bool

If true, the left edge rendered will be the right edge of the right-most tile.

flip_y :bool

If true, the top edge rendered will be the bottom edge of the bottom-most tile.

transpose_xy :bool

If true, the TileGrid's axis will be swapped. When combined with mirroring, any 90 degree rotation can be achieved along with the corresponding mirrored version.

pixel_shader :Union[ColorConverter, Palette]

The pixel shader of the tilegrid.

```
__getitem__ (self, index: Union[Tuple[int, int], int]) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the tile index at the given index. The index can either be an x,y tuple or an int equal to y * width + x.

This allows you to:

```
print(grid[0])
```

```
setitem (self, index: Union[Tuple[int, int], int], value: int) \rightarrow None
```

Sets the tile index at the given index. The index can either be an x,y tuple or an int equal to $y \star width + x$.

This allows you to:

```
grid[0] = 10
```

or:

```
grid[0,0] = 10
```

dualbank - DUALBANK Module

The dualbank module adds ability to update and switch between the two app partitions.

There are two identical partitions, these contain different firmware versions. Having two partitions enables rollback functionality.

The two partitions are defined as boot partition and next-update partition. Calling dualbank.flash() writes the next-update partition.

After the next-update partition is written a validation check is performed and on a successful validation this partition is set as the boot partition. On next reset, firmware will be loaded from this partition.

Here is the sequence of commands to follow:

```
import dualbank
dualbank.flash(buffer, offset)
dualbank.switch()
```

```
dualbank.flash(*buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, offset: int = 0) \rightarrow None
```

Writes one of two app partitions at the given offset.

This can be called multiple times when flashing the firmware in small chunks.

```
dualbank.switch() \rightarrow None
```

Switches the boot partition.

On next reset, firmware will be loaded from the partition just switched over to.

fontio - Core font related data structures

class fontio.BuiltinFont

A font built into CircuitPython

Creation not supported. Available fonts are defined when CircuitPython is built. See the Adafruit_CircuitPython_Bitmap_Font library for dynamically loaded fonts.

bitmap :displayio.Bitmap

Bitmap containing all font glyphs starting with ASCII and followed by unicode. Use get_glyph in most cases. This is useful for use with displayio.TileGrid and terminalio.Terminal.

```
\texttt{get\_bounding\_box}(self) \rightarrow \texttt{Tuple}[int, int]
```

Returns the maximum bounds of all glyphs in the font in a tuple of two values: width, height.

```
get_glyph(self, codepoint: int) \rightarrow Glyph
```

Returns a fontio. Glyph for the given codepoint or None if no glyph is available.

```
class fontio.Glyph (bitmap: displayio.Bitmap, tile_index: int, width: int, height: int, dx: int, dy: int, shift_x: int, shift_y: int)
```

Storage of glyph info

Named tuple used to capture a single glyph and its attributes.

Parameters

- bitmap the bitmap including the glyph
- **tile_index** the tile index within the bitmap
- width the width of the glyph's bitmap
- **height** the height of the glyph's bitmap
- dx x adjustment to the bitmap's position
- **dy** y adjustment to the bitmap's position
- **shift_x** the x difference to the next glyph
- **shift_y** the y difference to the next glyph

framebufferio - Native framebuffer display driving

The framebufferio module contains classes to manage display output including synchronizing with refresh rates and partial updating. It is used in conjunction with classes from <code>displayio</code> to actually place items on the display; and classes like <code>RGBMatrix</code> to actually drive the display.

Manage updating a display with framebuffer in RAM

This initializes a display and connects it into CircuitPython. Unlike other objects in CircuitPython, Display objects live until <code>displayio.release_displays()</code> is called. This is done so that CircuitPython can use the display itself.

Create a Display object with the given framebuffer (a buffer, array, ulab.array, etc)

Parameters

- framebuffer (FrameBuffer) The framebuffer that the display is connected to
- auto_refresh (bool) Automatically refresh the screen
- rotation (int) The rotation of the display in degrees clockwise. Must be in 90 degree increments (0, 90, 180, 270)

auto refresh :bool

True when the display is refreshed automatically.

brightness :float

The brightness of the display as a float. 0.0 is off and 1.0 is full brightness. When auto_brightness is True, the value of brightness will change automatically. If brightness is set, auto_brightness will be disabled and will be set to False.

auto_brightness :bool

True when the display brightness is adjusted automatically, based on an ambient light sensor or other method. Note that some displays may have this set to True by default, but not actually implement automatic brightness adjustment. <code>auto_brightness</code> is set to False if <code>brightness</code> is set manually.

width :int

Gets the width of the framebuffer

height :int

Gets the height of the framebuffer

rotation :int

The rotation of the display as an int in degrees.

framebuffer :_typing.FrameBuffer

The framebuffer being used by the display

show (*self*, *group*: displayio.Group) \rightarrow None

Switches to displaying the given group of layers. When group is None, the default CircuitPython terminal will be shown.

Parameters group (*Group*) – The group to show.

refresh (self, *, target_frames_per_second: int = 60, minimum_frames_per_second: int = 1) \rightarrow bool

When auto refresh is off, waits for the target frame rate and then refreshes the display, returning True. If the call has taken too long since the last refresh call for the given target frame rate, then the refresh returns False immediately without updating the screen to hopefully help getting caught up.

If the time since the last successful refresh is below the minimum frame rate, then an exception will be raised. Set minimum_frames_per_second to 0 to disable.

When auto refresh is on, updates the display immediately. (The display will also update without calls to this.)

Parameters

- target_frames_per_second (int) How many times a second refresh should be called and the screen updated.
- minimum_frames_per_second (int) The minimum number of times the screen should be updated per second.

fill_row (*self*, *y*: int, *buffer*: _typing.WriteableBuffer) \rightarrow _typing.WriteableBuffer Extract the pixels from a single row

Parameters

- y (int) The top edge of the area
- buffer (WriteableBuffer) The buffer in which to place the pixel data

frequencyio - Support for frequency based protocols

Warning: This module is not available in SAMD21 builds. See the *Module Support Matrix - Which Modules Are Available on Which Boards* for more info.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import frequencyio
import time
from board import *

frequency = frequencyio.FrequencyIn(D13)
frequency.capture_period = 15
time.sleep(0.1)
```

This example will initialize the the device, set <code>capture_period</code>, and then sleep 0.1 seconds. CircuitPython will automatically turn off FrequencyIn capture when it resets all hardware after program completion. Use <code>deinit()</code> or a <code>with</code> statement to do it yourself.

```
class frequencyio.FrequencyIn (pin: microcontroller.Pin, capture_period: int = 10)

Read a frequency signal
```

FrequencyIn is used to measure the frequency, in hertz, of a digital signal on an incoming pin. Accuracy has shown to be within 10%, if not better. It is recommended to utilize an average of multiple samples to smooth out readings.

Frequencies below 1KHz are not currently detectable.

FrequencyIn will not determine pulse width (use PulseIn).

Create a FrequencyIn object associated with the given pin.

Parameters

- **pin** (Pin) Pin to read frequency from.
- **capture_period** (int) Keyword argument to set the measurement period, in milliseconds. Default is 10ms; range is 1ms 500ms.

Read the incoming frequency from a pin:

```
import frequencyio
import board

frequency = frequencyio.FrequencyIn(board.D11)

# Loop while printing the detected frequency
while True:
    print(frequency.value)
```

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```
# Optional clear() will reset the value
# to zero. Without this, if the incoming
# signal stops, the last reading will remain
# as the value.
frequency.clear()
```

capture_period :int

The capture measurement period. Lower incoming frequencies will be measured more accurately with longer capture periods. Higher frequencies are more accurate with shorter capture periods.

Note: When setting a new capture_period, all previous capture information is cleared with a call to clear().

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialises the FrequencyIn and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
__enter__(self) \rightarrow FrequencyIn No-op used by Context Managers.
```

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
pause (self) \rightarrow None
```

Pause frequency capture.

```
resume (self) \rightarrow None
```

Resumes frequency capture.

```
clear(self) \rightarrow None
```

Clears the last detected frequency capture value.

```
\_\_get\_\_(self, index: int) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the value of the last frequency captured.

gamepad - Button handling in the background

```
class gamepad.GamePad(bl: digitalio.DigitalInOut, b2: digitalio.DigitalInOut, b3: digitalio.DigitalInOut, b4: digitalio.DigitalInOut, b5: digitalio.DigitalInOut, b6: digitalio.DigitalInOut, b7: digitalio.DigitalInOut, b8: digitalio.DigitalInOut)
```

Scan buttons for presses

Usage:

```
import board
import digitalio
import gamepad
import time

B_UP = 1 << 0
B_DOWN = 1 << 1

pad = gamepad.GamePad(
    digitalio.DigitalInOut(board.D10),</pre>
```

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```
digitalio.DigitalInOut (board.D11),
)
y = 0
while True:
   buttons = pad.get_pressed()
    if buttons & B_UP:
        y -= 1
        print(y)
    elif buttons & B_DOWN:
        y += 1
        print(y)
    time.sleep(0.1)
    while buttons:
        # Wait for all buttons to be released.
        buttons = pad.get_pressed()
        time.sleep(0.1)
```

Initializes button scanning routines.

The b1-b8 parameters are DigitalInOut objects, which immediately get switched to input with a pull-up, (unless they already were set to pull-down, in which case they remain so), and then scanned regularly for button presses. The order is the same as the order of bits returned by the get_pressed function. You can re-initialize it with different keys, then the new object will replace the previous one.

The basic feature required here is the ability to poll the keys at regular intervals (so that de-bouncing is consistent) and fast enough (so that we don't miss short button presses) while at the same time letting the user code run normally, call blocking functions and wait on delays.

They button presses are accumulated, until the get_pressed method is called, at which point the button state is cleared, and the new button presses start to be recorded.

```
get\_pressed(self) \rightarrow int
```

Get the status of buttons pressed since the last call and clear it.

Returns an 8-bit number, with bits that correspond to buttons, which have been pressed (or held down) since the last call to this function set to 1, and the remaining bits set to 0. Then it clears the button state, so that new button presses (or buttons that are held down) can be recorded for the next call.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Disable button scanning.

gamepadshift - Tracks button presses read through a shift register

Scan buttons for presses through a shift register

Initializes button scanning routines.

The clock, data and latch parameters are DigitalInOut objects connected to the shift register controlling the buttons.

They button presses are accumulated, until the get_pressed method is called, at which point the button state is cleared, and the new button presses start to be recorded.

Only one gamepad (gamepad.GamePad or gamepadshift.GamePadShift) may be used at a time.

```
get\_pressed(self) \rightarrow int
```

Get the status of buttons pressed since the last call and clear it.

Returns an 8-bit number, with bits that correspond to buttons, which have been pressed (or held down) since the last call to this function set to 1, and the remaining bits set to 0. Then it clears the button state, so that new button presses (or buttons that are held down) can be recorded for the next call.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Disable button scanning.

gnss - Global Navigation Satellite System

The gnss module contains classes to control the GNSS and acquire positioning information.

```
class gnss.GNSS (system: Union[SatelliteSystem, List[SatelliteSystem]])
```

Get updated positioning information from Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS)

Usage:

```
import gnss
import time

nav = gnss.GNSS([gnss.SatelliteSystem.GPS, gnss.SatelliteSystem.GLONASS])
last_print = time.monotonic()
while True:
    nav.update()
    current = time.monotonic()
    if current - last_print >= 1.0:
        last_print = current
        if nav.fix is gnss.PositionFix.INVALID:
            print("Waiting for fix...")
            continue
        print("Latitude: {0:.6f} degrees".format(nav.latitude))
            print("Longitude: {0:.6f} degrees".format(nav.longitude))
```

Turn on the GNSS.

Parameters system – satellite system to use

latitude :float

Latitude of current position in degrees (float).

longitude :float

Longitude of current position in degrees (float).

altitude :float

Altitude of current position in meters (float).

timestamp :time.struct_time

Time when the position data was updated.

fix :PositionFix

Fix mode.

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Turn off the GNSS.

update (self) \rightarrow None

Update GNSS positioning information.

```
class gnss.PositionFix
     Position fix mode
     Enum-like class to define the position fix mode.
     INVALID : PositionFix
         No measurement.
     FIX 2D :PositionFix
         2D fix.
     FIX_3D :PositionFix
         3D fix.
class gnss.SatelliteSystem
     Satellite system type
     Enum-like class to define the satellite system type.
     GPS :SatelliteSystem
         Global Positioning System.
     GLONASS :SatelliteSystem
         GLObal NAvigation Satellite System.
     SBAS :SatelliteSystem
         Satellite Based Augmentation System.
     QZSS L1CA :SatelliteSystem
         Quasi-Zenith Satellite System L1C/A.
```

i2cperipheral - Two wire serial protocol peripheral

Quasi-Zenith Satellite System L1S.

QZSS_L1S :SatelliteSystem

The i2cperipheral module contains classes to support an I2C peripheral.

Example emulating a peripheral with 2 addresses (read and write):

```
import board
from i2cperipheral import I2CPeripheral
regs = [0] * 16
index = 0
with I2CPeripheral (board.SCL, board.SDA, (0x40, 0x41)) as device:
   while True:
       r = device.request()
        if not r:
            # Maybe do some housekeeping
            continue
       with r: # Closes the transfer if necessary by sending a NACK or feeding.
→dummy bytes
            if r.address == 0x40:
                if not r.is_read: # Main write which is Selected read
                   b = r.read(1)
                    if not b or b[0] > 15:
                        break
                    index = b[0]
```

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```
b = r.read(1)
    if b:
        regs[index] = b[0]
    elif r.is_restart: # Combined transfer: This is the Main read message
        n = r.write(bytes([regs[index]]))
    #else:
        # A read transfer is not supported in this example
        # If the microcontroller tries, it will get 0xff byte(s) by the
        **Ctx manager (r.close())
    elif r.address == 0x41:
        if not r.is_read:
        b = r.read(1)
        if b and b[0] == 0xde:
        # do something
        pass
```

This example sets up an I2C device that can be accessed from Linux like this:

```
$ i2cget -y 1 0x40 0x01
0x00
$ i2cset -y 1 0x40 0x01 0xaa
$ i2cget -y 1 0x40 0x01
0xaa
```

Warning: I2CPeripheral makes use of clock stretching in order to slow down the host. Make sure the I2C host supports this.

Raspberry Pi in particular does not support this with its I2C hw block. This can be worked around by using the i2c-gpio bit banging driver. Since the RPi firmware uses the hw i2c, it's not possible to emulate a HAT eeprom.

Two wire serial protocol peripheral

I2C is a two-wire protocol for communicating between devices. This implements the peripheral (sensor, secondary) side.

Parameters

- scl (Pin) The clock pin
- sda (Pin) The data pin
- addresses (list[int]) The I2C addresses to respond to (how many is hw dependent).
- smbus (bool) Use SMBUS timings if the hardware supports it

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Releases control of the underlying hardware so other classes can use it.

```
__enter___(self) \rightarrow I2CPeripheral
No-op used in Context Managers.
__exit___(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware on context exit. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
request (self, timeout: float = -1) \rightarrow I2CPeripheralRequest
           Wait for an I2C request.
                Parameters timeout (float) - Timeout in seconds. Zero means wait forever, a negative
                    value means check once
                Returns I2C Slave Request or None if timeout=-1 and there's no request
                Return type I2CPeripheralRequest
class i2cperipheral. I2CPeripheralRequest (peripheral: I2CPeripheral, address: int, is_read:
                                                            bool, is_restart: bool)
      Information about an I2C transfer request This cannot be instantiated directly, but is returned by
      I2CPeripheral.request().
           Parameters
                  • peripheral – The I2CPeripheral object receiving this request

    address – I2C address

                  • is_read - True if the main peripheral is requesting data
                  • is_restart - Repeated Start Condition
      address :int
           The I2C address of the request.
      is_read :bool
           The I2C main controller is reading from this peripheral.
      is restart :bool
           Is Repeated Start Condition.
      \underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow I2CPeripheralRequest
           No-op used in Context Managers.
      \underline{\hspace{0.1cm}}exit\underline{\hspace{0.1cm}} (self) \rightarrow None
           Close the request.
      read (self, n: int = -1, ack: bool = True) \rightarrow bytearray
           Read data. If ack=False, the caller is responsible for calling I2CPeripheralRequest.ack().
                Parameters
                    • n – Number of bytes to read (negative means all)
                    • ack – Whether or not to send an ACK after the n'th byte
                Returns Bytes read
      write (self, buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow int
           Write the data contained in buffer.
                Parameters buffer (ReadableBuffer) - Write out the data in this buffer
                Returns Number of bytes written
      ack (self, ack: bool = True) \rightarrow None
           Acknowledge or Not Acknowledge last byte received. Use together with I2CPeripheralRequest.
           read() ack=False.
                Parameters ack – Whether to send an ACK or NACK
```

ipaddress

```
The <code>ipaddress</code> module provides types for IP addresses. It is a subset of CPython's ipaddress module.

ipaddress.ip_address(obj: Union[int]) → IPv4Address

Return a corresponding IP address object or raise ValueError if not possible.

class ipaddress.IPv4Address (address: Union[int, str, bytes])

Encapsulates an IPv4 address.

Create a new IPv4Address object encapsulating the address value.

The value itself can either be bytes or a string formatted address.

packed:bytes

The bytes that make up the address (read-only).

version:int
    4 for IPv4, 6 for IPv6

_eq__(self, other: object) → bool

Two Address objects are equal if their addresses and address types are equal.

_hash__(self) → int
```

math - mathematical functions

The math module provides some basic mathematical functions for working with floating-point numbers.

```
math.e :float
      base of the natural logarithm
math.pi :float
      the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter
math.acos (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the inverse cosine of x.
math.asin(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the inverse sine of x.
math.atan(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the inverse tangent of x.
math.atan2 (y: float, x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the principal value of the inverse tangent of y/x.
math.ceil(x: float) \rightarrow int
      Return an integer, being x rounded towards positive infinity.
math.copysign (x: float, y: float) \rightarrow float
      Return x with the sign of y.
math.cos(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the cosine of x.
math.degrees (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return radians x converted to degrees.
math.exp(x: float) \rightarrow float
```

Returns a hash for the IPv4Address data.

Return the exponential of x.

```
math.fabs (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the absolute value of x.
math.floor(x: float) \rightarrow int
      Return an integer, being x rounded towards negative infinity.
math. fmod (x: float, y: float) \rightarrow int
      Return the remainder of x/y.
math.frexp(x: float) \rightarrow Tuple[int, int]
      Decomposes a floating-point number into its mantissa and exponent. The returned value is the tuple (m, e)
      such that x == m \star 2 \star \star e exactly. If x == 0 then the function returns (0.0, 0), otherwise the relation
      0.5 \le abs(m) \le 1 \text{ holds}.
math.isfinite(x: float) \rightarrow bool
      Return True if x is finite.
math.isinf(x: float) \rightarrow bool
      Return True if x is infinite.
math.isnan(x: float) \rightarrow bool
      Return True if x is not-a-number
math.ldexp(x: float, exp: float) \rightarrow float
      Return x * (2**exp).
math.modf(x: float) \rightarrow Tuple[float, float]
      Return a tuple of two floats, being the fractional and integral parts of x. Both return values have the same sign
      as x.
math.pow(x: float, y: float) \rightarrow float
      Returns x to the power of y.
math.radians (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return degrees x converted to radians.
math.sin(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the sine of x.
math.sqrt(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Returns the square root of x.
math.tan (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the tangent of x.
math.trunc(x: float) \rightarrow int
      Return an integer, being x rounded towards 0.
math.expm1 (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return \exp(x) - 1.
math.log2(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the base-2 logarithm of x.
math.log10 (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the base-10 logarithm of x.
math.cosh(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the hyperbolic cosine of x.
math.sinh(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the hyperbolic sine of x.
```

```
math.tanh(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the hyperbolic tangent of x.
math.acosh(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the inverse hyperbolic cosine of x.
math.asinh(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the inverse hyperbolic sine of x.
math.atanh(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the inverse hyperbolic tangent of x.
math.erf(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the error function of x.
math.erfc(x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the complementary error function of x.
math.gamma (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the gamma function of x.
math.lgamma (x: float) \rightarrow float
      Return the natural logarithm of the gamma function of x.
memorymonitor - Memory monitoring helpers
exception memorymonitor.AllocationError
      Bases: Exception
      Catchall exception for allocation related errors.
      Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.
class memorymonitor.AllocationAlarm(*, minimum_block_count: int = 1)
```

Throw an exception when an allocation of minimum_block_count or more blocks occurs while active.

Track allocations:

```
import memorymonitor
aa = memorymonitor.AllocationAlarm(minimum_block_count=2)
x = 2
# Should not allocate any blocks.
with aa:
    x = 5
# Should throw an exception when allocating storage for the 20 bytes.
with aa:
    x = bytearray(20)
```

ignore (self, count: int) \rightarrow AllocationAlarm

Sets the number of applicable allocations to ignore before raising the exception. Automatically set back to zero at context exit.

Use it within a with block:

```
# Will not alarm because the bytearray allocation will be ignored.
with aa.ignore(2):
    x = bytearray(20)
```

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow AllocationAlarm
Enables the alarm.
```

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically disables the allocation alarm when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

class memorymonitor. Allocation Size

Tracks the number of allocations in power of two buckets.

It will have 16 16-bit buckets to track allocation counts. It is total allocations meaning frees are ignored. Reallocated memory is counted twice, at allocation and when reallocated with the larger size.

The buckets are measured in terms of blocks which is the finest granularity of the heap. This means bucket 0 will count all allocations less than or equal to the number of bytes per block, typically 16. Bucket 2 will be less than or equal to 4 blocks. See bytes_per_block to convert blocks to bytes.

Multiple AllocationSizes can be used to track different code boundaries.

Track allocations:

```
import memorymonitor

mm = memorymonitor.AllocationSize()
with mm:
    print("hello world" * 3)

for bucket, count in enumerate(mm):
    print("<", 2 ** bucket, count)</pre>
```

bytes_per_block :int

Number of bytes per block

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow AllocationSize
```

Clears counts and resumes tracking.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically pauses allocation tracking when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
\_\_len\_\_(self) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the number of allocation buckets.

This allows you to:

```
mm = memorymonitor.AllocationSize()
print(len(mm))
```

```
\_ getitem\_ (self, index: int) \rightarrow Optional[int]
```

Returns the allocation count for the given bucket.

This allows you to:

```
mm = memorymonitor.AllocationSize()
print(mm[0])
```

microcontroller - Pin references and cpu functionality

The microcontroller module defines the pins from the perspective of the microcontroller. See board for board-specific pin mappings.

microcontroller.cpu :Processor

CPU information and control, such as cpu.temperature and cpu.frequency (clock frequency). This object is an instance of microcontroller.Processor.

microcontroller.cpus :Processor

CPU information and control, such as cpus[0].temperature and cpus[1].frequency (clock frequency) on chips with more than 1 cpu. The index selects which cpu. This object is an instance of microcontroller.Processor.

microcontroller.**delay** us (delay: int) \rightarrow None

Dedicated delay method used for very short delays. **Do not** do long delays because this stops all other functions from completing. Think of this as an empty while loop that runs for the specified (delay) time. If you have other code or peripherals (e.g audio recording) that require specific timing or processing while you are waiting, explore a different avenue such as using time.sleep().

$microcontroller.disable_interrupts() \rightarrow None$

Disable all interrupts. Be very careful, this can stall everything.

```
microcontroller.enable_interrupts() → None
```

Enable the interrupts that were enabled at the last disable.

```
microcontroller.on_next_reset (run_mode: RunMode) → None
```

Configure the run mode used the next time the microcontroller is reset but not powered down.

Parameters run mode (RunMode) – The next run mode

```
microcontroller.reset() \rightarrow None
```

Reset the microcontroller. After reset, the microcontroller will enter the run mode last set by on_next_reset.

Warning: This may result in file system corruption when connected to a host computer. Be very careful when calling this! Make sure the device "Safely removed" on Windows or "ejected" on Mac OSX and Linux.

microcontroller.nvm :Optional[nvm.ByteArray]

Available non-volatile memory. This object is the sole instance of *nvm.ByteArray* when available or None otherwise.

Type nvm.ByteArray or None

microcontroller.watchdog :Optional[watchdog.WatchDogTimer]

Available watchdog timer. This object is the sole instance of watchdog. WatchDogTimer when available or None otherwise.

class microcontroller.Pin

Identifies an IO pin on the microcontroller.

Identifies an IO pin on the microcontroller. They are fixed by the hardware so they cannot be constructed on demand. Instead, use board or microcontroller.pin to reference the desired pin.

class microcontroller.Processor

Microcontroller CPU information and control

Usage:

```
import microcontroller
print(microcontroller.cpu.frequency)
print(microcontroller.cpu.temperature)

Note that on chips with more than one cpu (such as the RP2040)
microcontroller.cpu will return the value for CPU 0.
To get values from other CPUs use microcontroller.cpus indexed by the number of the desired cpu. i.e.

print(microcontroller.cpus[0].temperature)
print(microcontroller.cpus[1].frequency)
```

You cannot create an instance of microcontroller. Processor. Use microcontroller. cpu to access the sole instance available.

frequency :int

The CPU operating frequency in Hertz. (read-only)

reset reason : ResetReason

The reason the microcontroller started up from reset state.

temperature :Optional[float]

The on-chip temperature, in Celsius, as a float. (read-only)

Is None if the temperature is not available.

uid :bytearray

The unique id (aka serial number) of the chip as a bytearray. (read-only)

voltage :Optional[float]

The input voltage to the microcontroller, as a float. (read-only)

Is None if the voltage is not available.

class microcontroller.ResetReason

The reason the microntroller was last reset

POWER_ON : object

The microntroller was started from power off.

BROWNOUT : object

The microntroller was reset due to too low a voltage.

SOFTWARE : object

The microntroller was reset from software.

DEEP_SLEEP_ALARM : object

The microntroller was reset for deep sleep and restarted by an alarm.

RESET_PIN : object

The microntroller was reset by a signal on its reset pin. The pin might be connected to a reset button.

WATCHDOG : object

The microcontroller was reset by its watchdog timer.

UNKNOWN : object

The microntroller restarted for an unknown reason.

class microcontroller.RunMode

run state of the microcontroller

Enum-like class to define the run mode of the microcontroller and CircuitPython.

NORMAL : RunMode

Run CircuitPython as normal.

SAFE MODE : RunMode

Run CircuitPython in safe mode. User code will not be run and the file system will be writeable over USB.

BOOTLOADER : RunMode

Run the bootloader.

msgpack - Pack object in msgpack format

The msgpack format is similar to json, except that the encoded data is binary. See https://msgpack.org for details. The module implements a subset of the cpython module msgpack-python.

Not implemented: 64-bit int, uint, float.

Example 1:

```
import msgpack
from io import BytesIO

b = BytesIO()
msgpack.pack({'list': [True, False, None, 1, 3.14], 'str': 'blah'}, b)
b.seek(0)
print(msgpack.unpack(b))
```

Example 2: handling objects:

```
from msgpack import pack, unpack, ExtType
from io import BytesIO
class MyClass:
   def __init__(self, val):
       self.value = val
    def __str__(self):
        return str(self.value)
data = MyClass(b'my_value')
def encoder(obj):
    if isinstance(obj, MyClass):
        return ExtType(1, obj.value)
    return f"no encoder for {obj}"
def decoder(code, data):
    if code == 1:
        return MyClass(data)
    return f"no decoder for type {code}"
buffer = BytesIO()
pack(data, buffer, default=encoder)
buffer.seek(0)
```

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```
decoded = unpack(buffer, ext_hook=decoder)
print(f"{data} -> {buffer.getvalue()} -> {decoded}")
```

```
msgpack.pack(obj: object, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, default: Union[Callable[[object], None], None] = None) \rightarrow None Ouput object to buffer in msgpack format.
```

Parameters

- **obj** (object) Object to convert to msgpack format.
- buffer (WriteableBuffer) buffer to write into
- None]] default (Optional[Callable[[object],) function called for python objects that do not have a representation in msgpack format.

```
msgpack.unpack (buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, ext_hook: Union[Callable[[int, bytes], object], None] = None, use_list: bool = True) \rightarrow object Unpack and return one object from buffer.
```

Parameters

- buffer (ReadableBuffer) buffer to read from
- bytes], object]] ext_hook(Optional[Callable[[int,)-function called for objects in msgpack ext format.
- use_list (Optional[bool]) return array as list or tuple (use_list=False).

Return object object read from buffer.

```
class msgpack.ExtType (code: int, data: bytes)
```

ExtType represents ext type in msgpack.

Constructor :param int code: type code in range 0~127. :param bytes data: representation.

```
code :int
    The type code, in range 0~127.
data :bytes
    Data.
```

multiterminal - Manage additional terminal sources

The *multiterminal* module allows you to configure an additional serial terminal source. Incoming characters are accepted from both the internal serial connection and the optional secondary connection.

```
multiterminal.get_secondary_terminal() \rightarrow Optional[BinaryIO] Returns the current secondary terminal.
```

```
multiterminal.set_secondary_terminal(stream: BinaryIO) \rightarrow None
```

Read additional input from the given stream and write out back to it. This doesn't replace the core stream (usually UART or native USB) but is mixed in instead.

```
Parameters stream (stream) - secondary stream
```

```
multiterminal.clear_secondary_terminal() \rightarrow None Clears the secondary terminal.
```

```
\begin{tabular}{ll} multiterminal.schedule\_secondary\_terminal\_read (socket: & schedule\_secondary\_terminal\_read.socket) \\ & & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & \\ & & & \\ & & \\ & & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\ & & \\
```

In cases where the underlying OS is doing task scheduling, this notifies the OS when more data is available on the socket to read. This is useful as a callback for lwip sockets.

neopixel_write - Low-level neopixel implementation

The neopixel_write module contains a helper method to write out bytes in the 800khz neopixel protocol.

For example, to turn off a single neopixel (like the status pixel on Express boards.)

```
import board
import neopixel_write
import digitalio

pin = digitalio.DigitalInOut(board.NEOPIXEL)
pin.direction = digitalio.Direction.OUTPUT
pixel_off = bytearray([0, 0, 0])
neopixel_write.neopixel_write(pin, pixel_off)
```

```
neopixel_write.neopixel_write(digitalinout: digitalio.DigitalInOut, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow None
```

Write buf out on the given DigitalInOut.

Parameters

- digitalinout (DigitalInOut) the DigitalInOut to output with
- buf (ReadableBuffer) The bytes to clock out. No assumption is made about color order

network - Network Interface Management

Warning: This module is disabled in 6.x and will removed in 7.x. Please use networking libraries instead.

This module provides a registry of configured NICs. It is used by the 'socket' module to look up a suitable NIC when a socket is created.

```
network.route() \rightarrow List[object] Returns a list of all configured NICs.
```

nvm - Non-volatile memory

The nvm module allows you to store whatever raw bytes you wish in a reserved section non-volatile memory.

Note that this module can't be imported and used directly. The sole instance of ByteArray is available at microcontroller.nvm.

```
class nvm.ByteArray
```

Presents a stretch of non-volatile memory as a bytearray.

Non-volatile memory is available as a byte array that persists over reloads and power cycles. Each assignment causes an erase and write cycle so its recommended to assign all values to change at once.

Usage:

```
import microcontroller
microcontroller.nvm[0:3] = b"\xcc\x10\x00"

Not currently dynamically supported. Access the sole instance through microcontroller.nvm.
__bool___(self) → bool
```

```
__bool___(self) → bool
__len___(self) → int
Return the length. This is used by (len)
__getitem___(self, index: slice) → bytearray
__getitem___(self, index: int) → int
Returns the value at the given index.
__setitem___(self, index: slice, value: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → None
__setitem___(self, index: int, value: int) → None
Set the value at the given index.
```

os - functions that an OS normally provides

The *os* module is a strict subset of the CPython *os* module. So, code written in CircuitPython will work in CPython but not necessarily the other way around.

```
os.uname() → _Uname
Returns a named tuple of operating specific and CircuitPython port specific information.

class os._Uname
Bases: NamedTuple
The type of values that uname() returns
sysname:str
```

nodename :str
release :str
version :str
machine :str

os.**chdir** (path: str) \rightarrow None Change current directory.

os.getcwd() \rightarrow *str* Get the current directory.

os.listdir (dir: str) $\rightarrow str$

With no argument, list the current directory. Otherwise list the given directory.

os.**mkdir** (path: str) \rightarrow None Create a new directory.

os.remove (path: str) \rightarrow None Remove a file.

os.rmdir (path: str) \rightarrow None Remove a directory.

os.rename (old_path : str, new_path : str) $\rightarrow str$ Rename a file.

Note: On builds without long integers, the number of seconds for contemporary dates will not fit in a small integer. So the time fields return 946684800, which is the number of seconds corresponding to 1999-12-31.

Returns a tuple with the filesystem information in the following order:

- f_bsize file system block size
- f_frsize fragment size
- f_blocks size of fs in f_frsize units
- f_bfree number of free blocks
- f_bavail number of free blocks for unprivileged users
- f_files number of inodes
- f_ffree number of free inodes
- f_favail number of free inodes for unprivileged users
- f_flag mount flags
- f namemax maximum filename length

Parameters related to inodes: f_files, f_ffree, f_avail and the f_flags parameter may return 0 as they can be unavailable in a port-specific implementation.

os.**sync**() \rightarrow None

Sync all filesystems.

os.urandom (size: int) \rightarrow str

Returns a string of *size* random bytes based on a hardware True Random Number Generator. When not available, it will raise a NotImplementedError.

os.sep :str

Separator used to delineate path components such as folder and file names.

ps2io - Support for PS/2 protocol

The ps2io module contains classes to provide PS/2 communication.

Warning: This module is not available in some SAMD21 builds. See the *Module Support Matrix - Which Modules Are Available on Which Boards* for more info.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

class ps2io.**Ps2** (*data_pin:* microcontroller.Pin, *clock_pin:* microcontroller.Pin) Communicate with a PS/2 keyboard or mouse

Ps2 implements the PS/2 keyboard/mouse serial protocol, used in legacy devices. It is similar to UART but there are only two lines (Data and Clock). PS/2 devices are 5V, so bidirectional level converters must be used to connect the I/O lines to pins of 3.3V boards.

Create a Ps2 object associated with the given pins.

Parameters

- data_pin (Pin) Pin tied to data wire.
- clock_pin (Pin) Pin tied to clock wire. This pin must support interrupts.

Read one byte from PS/2 keyboard and turn on Scroll Lock LED:

```
import ps2io
import board

kbd = ps2io.Ps2(board.D10, board.D11)

while len(kbd) == 0:
    pass

print(kbd.popleft())
print(kbd.sendcmd(0xed))
print(kbd.sendcmd(0x01))
```

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitialises the Ps2 and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow Ps2
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
popleft (self) \rightarrow int
```

Removes and returns the oldest received byte. When buffer is empty, raises an IndexError exception.

```
sendcmd (self, byte: int) \rightarrow int
```

Sends a command byte to PS/2. Returns the response byte, typically the general ack value (0xFA). Some commands return additional data which is available through popleft ().

Raises a RuntimeError in case of failure. The root cause can be found by calling <code>clear_errors()</code>. It is advisable to call <code>clear_errors()</code> before <code>sendcmd()</code> to flush any previous errors.

Parameters byte (int) - byte value of the command

```
clear errors (self) \rightarrow None
```

Returns and clears a bitmap with latest recorded communication errors.

Reception errors (arise asynchronously, as data is received):

```
0x01: start bit not 0
0x02: timeout
0x04: parity bit error
0x08: stop bit not 1
```

0x10: buffer overflow, newest data discarded

Transmission errors (can only arise in the course of sendcmd()):

```
0x100: clock pin didn't go to LO in time 0x200: clock pin didn't go to HI in time 0x400: data pin didn't ACK 0x800: clock pin didn't ACK 0x1000: device didn't respond to RTS 0x2000: device didn't send a response byte in time \_bool\_\_(self) \rightarrow bool \_\_len\_\_(self) \rightarrow int Returns the number of received bytes in buffer, available to popleft().
```

pulseio - Support for individual pulse based protocols

The pulseio module contains classes to provide access to basic pulse IO. Individual pulses are commonly used in infrared remotes and in DHT temperature sensors.

```
Warning: PWMOut is moving to pwmio and will be removed from pulseio in CircuitPython 7.
```

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
class pulseio.PulseIn (pin: microcontroller.Pin, maxlen: int = 2, *, idle_state: bool = False)
```

Measure a series of active and idle pulses. This is commonly used in infrared receivers and low cost temperature sensors (DHT). The pulsed signal consists of timed active and idle periods. Unlike PWM, there is no set duration for active and idle pairs.

Create a PulseIn object associated with the given pin. The object acts as a read-only sequence of pulse lengths with a given max length. When it is active, new pulse lengths are added to the end of the list. When there is no more room (len() == maxlen) the oldest pulse length is removed to make room.

Parameters

- pin (Pin) Pin to read pulses from.
- maxlen (int) Maximum number of pulse durations to store at once
- idle_state (bool) Idle state of the pin. At start and after resume the first recorded pulse will the opposite state from idle.

Read a short series of pulses:

```
import pulseio
import board

pulses = pulseio.PulseIn(board.D7)

# Wait for an active pulse
while len(pulses) == 0:
    pass
# Pause while we do something with the pulses
pulses.pause()
```

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```
# Print the pulses. pulses[0] is an active pulse unless the length
# reached max length and idle pulses are recorded.
print(pulses)

# Clear the rest
pulses.clear()

# Resume with an 80 microsecond active pulse
pulses.resume(80)
```

maxlen :int

The maximum length of the PulseIn. When len() is equal to maxlen, it is unclear which pulses are active and which are idle.

paused :bool

True when pulse capture is paused as a result of pause () or an error during capture such as a signal that is too fast.

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Deinitialises the PulseIn and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow PulseIn
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
exit (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
pause(self) \rightarrow None
```

Pause pulse capture

```
resume (self, trigger_duration: int = 0) \rightarrow None
```

Resumes pulse capture after an optional trigger pulse.

Warning: Using trigger pulse with a device that drives both high and low signals risks a short. Make sure your device is open drain (only drives low) when using a trigger pulse. You most likely added a "pull-up" resistor to your circuit to do this.

Parameters trigger_duration (int) - trigger pulse duration in microseconds

```
clear(self) \rightarrow None
```

Clears all captured pulses

```
popleft (self) \rightarrow int
```

Removes and returns the oldest read pulse.

```
bool (self) \rightarrow bool
```

```
___len__ (self) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the current pulse length

This allows you to:

```
pulses = pulseio.PulseIn(pin)
print(len(pulses))
```

```
__getitem__ (self, index: int) \rightarrow Optional[int]
```

Returns the value at the given index or values in slice.

This allows you to:

```
pulses = pulseio.PulseIn(pin)
print(pulses[0])
```

class pulseio.PulseOut (carrier: pwmio.PWMOut)

Pulse PWM "carrier" output on and off. This is commonly used in infrared remotes. The pulsed signal consists of timed on and off periods. Unlike PWM, there is no set duration for on and off pairs.

Create a PulseOut object associated with the given PWMout object.

Parameters carrier (PWMOut) – PWMOut that is set to output on the desired pin.

Send a short series of pulses:

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Deinitialises the PulseOut and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow PulseOut
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
send (self, pulses: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow None
```

Pulse alternating on and off durations in microseconds starting with on. pulses must be an array. array with data type 'H' for unsigned halfword (two bytes).

This method waits until the whole array of pulses has been sent and ensures the signal is off afterwards.

Parameters pulses (array.array) – pulse durations in microseconds

pwmio - Support for PWM based protocols

The pwmio module contains classes to provide access to basic pulse IO.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit () or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import pwmio
import time
from board import *

pwm = pwmio.PWMOut(D13)
pwm.duty_cycle = 2 ** 15
time.sleep(0.1)
```

This example will initialize the device, set <code>duty_cycle</code>, and then sleep 0.1 seconds. CircuitPython will automatically turn off the PWM when it resets all hardware after program completion. Use <code>deinit()</code> or a with statement to do it yourself.

```
class pwmio.PWMOut (pin: microcontroller.Pin, *, duty_cycle: int = 0, frequency: int = 500, variable_frequency: bool = False)

Output a Pulse Width Modulated signal on a given pin.
```

Create a PWM object associated with the given pin. This allows you to write PWM signals out on the given pin. Frequency is fixed after init unless variable_frequency is True.

Note: When variable_frequency is True, further PWM outputs may be limited because it may take more internal resources to be flexible. So, when outputting both fixed and flexible frequency signals construct the fixed outputs first.

Parameters

- pin (Pin) The pin to output to
- duty_cycle (int) The fraction of each pulse which is high. 16-bit
- **frequency** (int) The target frequency in Hertz (32-bit)
- variable_frequency (bool) True if the frequency will change over time

Simple LED fade:

PWM at specific frequency (servos and motors):

```
import pwmio
import board
```

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Variable frequency (usually tones):

duty_cycle :int

16 bit value that dictates how much of one cycle is high (1) versus low (0). 0xffff will always be high, 0 will always be low and 0x7fff will be half high and then half low.

Depending on how PWM is implemented on a specific board, the internal representation for duty cycle might have less than 16 bits of resolution. Reading this property will return the value from the internal representation, so it may differ from the value set.

frequency :int

32 bit value that dictates the PWM frequency in Hertz (cycles per second). Only writeable when constructed with variable_frequency=True.

Depending on how PWM is implemented on a specific board, the internal value for the PWM's duty cycle may need to be recalculated when the frequency changes. In these cases, the duty cycle is automatically recalculated from the original duty cycle value. This should happen without any need to manually re-set the duty cycle.

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Deinitialises the PWMOut and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_ (self) \rightarrow PWMOut
No-op used by Context Managers.
\_exit\_ (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

random - pseudo-random numbers and choices

The random module is a strict subset of the CPython random module. So, code written in CircuitPython will work in CPython but not necessarily the other way around.

Like its CPython cousin, CircuitPython's random seeds itself on first use with a true random from os.urandom() when available or the uptime otherwise. Once seeded, it will be deterministic, which is why its bad for cryptography.

Warning: Numbers from this module are not cryptographically strong! Use bytes from os.urandom directly for true randomness.

```
random._T
```

random.uniform(a: float, b: float) \rightarrow float

```
random. seed (seed: int) → None

Sets the starting seed of the random number generation. Further calls to random will return deterministic results afterwards.

random.getrandbits (k: int) → int

Returns an integer with k random bits.

random.randrange (stop: Tuple[int, int, int]) → int

Returns a randomly selected integer from range (start, stop, step).

random.randint (a: int, b: int) → int

Returns a randomly selected integer between a and b inclusive. Equivalent to randrange (a, b + 1, 1)

random.choice (seq: Sequence[_T]) → _T

Returns a randomly selected element from the given sequence. Raises IndexError when the sequence is empty.

random.random() → float

Returns a random float between 0 and 1.0.
```

rgbmatrix - Low-level routines for bitbanged LED matrices

Returns a random float between a and b. It may or may not be inclusive depending on float rounding.

Displays an in-memory framebuffer to a HUB75-style RGB LED matrix.

Create a RGBMatrix object with the given attributes. The height of the display is determined by the number of rgb and address pins and the number of tiles: $len(rgb_pins)$ // 3 * 2 ** $len(address_pins)$ * abs(tile). With 6 RGB pins, 4 address lines, and a single matrix, the display will be 32 pixels tall. If the optional height parameter is specified and is not 0, it is checked against the calculated height.

Up to 30 RGB pins and 8 address pins are supported.

The RGB pins must be within a single "port" and performance and memory usage are best when they are all within "close by" bits of the port. The clock pin must also be on the same port as the RGB pins. See the documentation of the underlying protomatter C library for more information. Generally, Adafruit's interface boards are designed so that these requirements are met when matched with the intended microcontroller board. For instance, the Feather M4 Express works together with the RGB Matrix Feather.

The framebuffer is in "RGB565" format.

"RGB565" means that it is organized as a series of 16-bit numbers where the highest 5 bits are interpreted as red, the next 6 as green, and the final 5 as blue. The object can be any buffer, but <code>array.array</code> and <code>ulab.array</code> objects are most often useful. To update the content, modify the framebuffer and call refresh.

If a framebuffer is not passed in, one is allocated and initialized to all black. In any case, the framebuffer can be retrieved by passing the RGBMatrix object to memoryview().

If doublebuffer is False, some memory is saved, but the display may flicker during updates.

A RGBMatrix is often used in conjunction with a framebufferio.FramebufferDisplay.

brightness :float

In the current implementation, 0.0 turns the display off entirely and any other value up to 1.0 turns the display on fully.

width :int

The width of the display, in pixels

height :int

The height of the display, in pixels

```
deinit (self) \rightarrow None
```

Free the resources (pins, timers, etc.) associated with this rgbmatrix instance. After deinitialization, no further operations may be performed.

```
refresh(self) \rightarrow None
```

Transmits the color data in the buffer to the pixels so that they are shown.

rotaryio - Support for reading rotation sensors

The rotaryio module contains classes to read different rotation encoding schemes. See Wikipedia's Rotary Encoder page for more background.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info

class rotaryio.**IncrementalEncoder** (*pin_a:* microcontroller.Pin, *pin_b:* microcontroller.Pin) IncrementalEncoder determines the relative rotational position based on two series of pulses.

Create an IncrementalEncoder object associated with the given pins. It tracks the positional state of an incremental rotary encoder (also known as a quadrature encoder.) Position is relative to the position when the object is contructed.

Parameters

- pin_a (Pin) First pin to read pulses from.
- pin_b (Pin) Second pin to read pulses from.

For example:

```
import rotaryio
import time
from board import *

enc = rotaryio.IncrementalEncoder(D1, D2)
last_position = None
while True:
    position = enc.position
    if last_position == None or position != last_position:
        print(position)
    last_position = position
```

position :int

The current position in terms of pulses. The number of pulses per rotation is defined by the specific hardware.

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Deinitializes the IncrementalEncoder and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\_enter\_ (self) \rightarrow IncrementalEncoder
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
exit (self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

rp2pio - Hardware interface to RP2 series' programmable IO (PIO) peripheral.

```
rp2pio.pins_are_sequential (pins: List[microcontroller.Pin]) \rightarrow bool Return True if the pins have sequential GPIO numbers, False otherwise
```

```
class rp2pio.StateMachine (program:
                                               _typing.ReadableBuffer, frequency: int, *, init:
                                                                                                   Op-
                                    tional[_typing.ReadableBuffer] = None, first_out_pin:
                                                                                                   Op-
                                    tional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, out pin count:
                                    initial\_out\_pin\_state: int = 0, initial\_out\_pin\_direction:
                                    4294967295, first_in_pin: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None,
                                    in_pin_count: int = 1, pull_in_pin_up: int = 0, pull_in_pin_down: int =
                                    0, first_set_pin: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None, set_pin_count:
                                    int = 1, initial_set_pin_state: int = 0, initial_set_pin_direction:
                                    int = 31, first sideset pin: Optional[microcontroller.Pin] = None,
                                    sideset_pin_count: int = 1, initial_sideset_pin_state: int = 0, ini-
                                    tial_sideset_pin_direction: int = 31, exclusive_pin_use: bool = True,
                                    auto_pull: bool = False, pull_threshold: int = 32, out_shift_right:
                                    bool = True, wait_for_txstall: bool = True, auto_push: bool = False,
                                    push threshold: int = 32, in shift right: bool = True)
```

A single PIO StateMachine

The programmable I/O peripheral on the RP2 series of microcontrollers is unique. It is a collection of generic state machines that can be used for a variety of protocols. State machines may be independent or coordinated. Program memory and IRQs are shared between the state machines in a particular PIO instance. They are independent otherwise.

This class is designed to facilitate sharing of PIO resources. By default, it is assumed that the state machine is used on its own and can be placed in either PIO. State machines with the same program will be placed in the same PIO if possible. To ensure multiple state machines share a PIO use the colocate kwarg during construction and create them one after another.

Construct a StateMachine object on the given pins with the given program.

Parameters

- program (ReadableBuffer) the program to run with the state machine
- **frequency** (int) the target clock frequency of the state machine. Actual may be less.
- init (ReadableBuffer) a program to run once at start up. This is run after program is started so instructions may be intermingled
- first out pin (Pin) the first pin to use with the OUT instruction
- out_pin_count (int) the count of consecutive pins to use with OUT starting at first_out_pin
- initial_out_pin_state (int) the initial output value for out pins starting at first_out_pin
- initial_out_pin_direction (int) the initial output direction for out pins starting at first_out_pin
- first_in_pin (Pin) the first pin to use with the IN instruction

- in_pin_count (int) the count of consecutive pins to use with IN starting at first_in_pin
- pull_in_pin_up (int) a 1-bit in this mask sets pull up on the corresponding in pin
- pull_in_pin_down (int) a 1-bit in this mask sets pull up on the corresponding in pin. Setting both pulls enables a "bus keep" function, i.e. a weak pull to whatever is current high/low state of GPIO.
- first_set_pin (Pin) the first pin to use with the SET instruction
- **set_pin_count** (int) the count of consecutive pins to use with SET starting at first_set_pin
- initial_set_pin_state (int) the initial output value for set pins starting at first_set_pin
- initial_set_pin_direction(int) the initial output direction for set pins starting at first_set_pin
- first_sideset_pin (Pin) the first pin to use with a side set
- **sideset_pin_count** (int) the count of consecutive pins to use with a side set starting at first_sideset_pin
- initial_sideset_pin_state (int) the initial output value for sideset pins starting at first_sideset_pin
- initial_sideset_pin_direction (int) the initial output direction for sideset pins starting at first_sideset_pin
- **exclusive_pin_use** (bool) When True, do not share any pins with other state machines. Pins are never shared with other peripherals
- auto_pull (bool) When True, automatically load data from the tx FIFO into the output shift register (OSR) when an OUT instruction shifts more than pull_threshold bits
- pull_threshold (int) Number of bits to shift before loading a new value into the OSR from the tx FIFO
- out_shift_right (bool) When True, data is shifted out the right side (LSB) of the OSR. It is shifted out the left (MSB) otherwise. NOTE! This impacts data alignment when the number of bytes is not a power of two (1, 2 or 4 bytes).
- wait_for_txstall (bool) When True, writing data out will block until the TX FIFO and OSR are empty and an instruction is stalled waiting for more data. When False, data writes won't wait for the OSR to empty (only the TX FIFO) so make sure you give enough time before deiniting or stopping the state machine.
- auto_push (bool) When True, automatically save data from input shift register (ISR) into the rx FIFO when an IN instruction shifts more than push_threshold bits
- push_threshold (int) Number of bits to shift before saving the ISR value to the RX FIFO
- in_shift_right (bool) When True, data is shifted into the right side (LSB) of the ISR. It is shifted into the left (MSB) otherwise. NOTE! This impacts data alignment when the number of bytes is not a power of two (1, 2 or 4 bytes).

frequency :int

The actual state machine frequency. This may not match the frequency requested due to internal limitations.

rxstall :bool

True when the state machine has stalled due to a full RX FIFO since the last clear rxfifo call.

in_waiting :int

The number of words available to readinto

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Turn off the state machine and release its resources.

```
enter (self) \rightarrow StateMachine
```

No-op used by Context Managers. Provided by context manager helper.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

```
restart (self) \rightarrow None
```

Resets this state machine, runs any init and enables the clock.

```
{\tt run} (self, instructions: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \to None
```

Runs all given instructions. They will likely be interleaved with in-memory instructions. Make sure this doesn't wait for input!

This can be used to output internal state to the RX FIFO and then read with readinto.

```
stop(self) \rightarrow None
```

Stops the state machine clock. Use restart to enable it.

write (self, buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, *, start: int = 0, end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None Write the data contained in buffer to the state machine. If the buffer is empty, nothing happens.

Parameters

- buffer (ReadableBuffer) Write out the data in this buffer
- start (int) Start of the slice of buffer to write out: buffer[start:end]
- end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len (buffer)

readinto (*self*, *buffer*: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, *start*: int = 0, *end*: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None

Read into buffer. If the number of bytes to read is 0, nothing happens. The buffer include any data added to the fifo even if it was added before this was called.

Parameters

- buffer (WriteableBuffer) Read data into this buffer
- start (int) Start of the slice of buffer to read into: buffer[start:end]
- end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len (buffer)

```
write_readinto (self, buffer_out: _typing.ReadableBuffer, buffer_in: _typing.WriteableBuffer, *, out_start: int = 0, out_end: Optional[int] = None, in_start: int = 0, in_end: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
```

Write out the data in buffer_out while simultaneously reading data into buffer_in. The lengths of the slices defined by buffer_out[out_start:out_end] and buffer_in[in_start:in_end] may be different. The function will return once both are filled. If buffer slice lengths are both 0, nothing happens.

Parameters

- buffer_out (ReadableBuffer) Write out the data in this buffer
- buffer_in (WriteableBuffer) Read data into this buffer

- out_start (int) Start of the slice of buffer_out to write out: buffer_out[out_start:out_end]
- out_end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len(buffer_out)
- in_start (int) Start of the slice of buffer_in to read into: buffer_in[in_start:in_end]
- in_end (int) End of the slice; this index is not included. Defaults to len(buffer_in)

$clear_rxfifo(self) \rightarrow None$

Clears any unread bytes in the rxfifo.

rtc - Real Time Clock

The rtc module provides support for a Real Time Clock. You can access and manage the RTC using rtc.RTC. It also backs the time.time() and time.localtime() functions using the onboard RTC if present.

rtc.set_time_source(rtc: RTC) → None

Sets the RTC time source used by time.localtime(). The default is rtc.RTC, but it's useful to use this to override the time source for testing purposes. For example:

```
import rtc
import time

class RTC(object):
    @property
    def datetime(self):
        return time.struct_time((2018, 3, 17, 21, 1, 47, 0, 0, 0))

r = RTC()
rtc.set_time_source(r)
```

class rtc.RTC

Real Time Clock

This class represents the onboard Real Time Clock. It is a singleton and will always return the same instance.

datetime :time.struct_time

The current date and time of the RTC as a time.struct_time.

This must be set to the current date and time whenever the board loses power:

```
import rtc
import time

r = rtc.RTC()
r.datetime = time.struct_time((2019, 5, 29, 15, 14, 15, 0, -1, -1))
```

Once set, the RTC will automatically update this value as time passes. You can read this property to get a snapshot of the current time:

```
current_time = r.datetime
print(current_time)
# struct_time(tm_year=2019, tm_month=5, ...)
```

calibration :int

The RTC calibration value as an int.

A positive value speeds up the clock and a negative value slows it down. Range and value is hardware specific, but one step is often approximately 1 ppm:

```
import rtc
import time

r = rtc.RTC()
r.calibration = 1
```

samd - SAMD implementation settings

class samd.Clock

Identifies a clock on the microcontroller.

They are fixed by the hardware so they cannot be constructed on demand. Instead, use samd.clock to reference the desired clock.

```
enabled :bool
```

Is the clock enabled? (read-only)

parent :Union[Clock, None]

Clock parent. (read-only)

frequency :int

Clock frequency in Herz. (read-only)

calibration :int

Clock calibration. Not all clocks can be calibrated.

sdcardio - Interface to an SD card via the SPI bus

```
class sdcardio. SDCard (bus: busio.SPI, cs: microcontroller.Pin, baudrate: int = 8000000) SD Card Block Interface
```

Controls an SD card over SPI. This built-in module has higher read performance than the library adafruit_sdcard, but it is only compatible with <code>busio.SPI</code>, not <code>bitbangio.SPI</code>. Usually an SDCard object is used with <code>storage.VfsFat</code> to allow file I/O to an SD card.

Construct an SPI SD Card object with the given properties

Parameters

- spi (busio.SPI) The SPI bus
- cs (microcontroller.Pin) The chip select connected to the card
- baudrate (int) The SPI data rate to use after card setup

Note that during detection and configuration, a hard-coded low baudrate is used. Data transfers use the specified baurate (rounded down to one that is supported by the microcontroller)

Important: If the same SPI bus is shared with other peripherals, it is important that the SD card be initialized before accessing any other peripheral on the bus. Failure to do so can prevent the SD card from being recognized until it is powered off or re-inserted.

Example usage:

```
import os
import board
import sdcardio
import storage

sd = sdcardio.SDCard(board.SPI(), board.SD_CS)
vfs = storage.VfsFat(sd)
storage.mount(vfs, '/sd')
os.listdir('/sd')
```

```
count(self) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the total number of sectors

Due to technical limitations, this is a function and not a property.

Returns The number of 512-byte blocks, as a number

```
deinit(self) \rightarrow None
```

Disable permanently.

Returns None

readblocks (self, start_block: int, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer) → None

Read one or more blocks from the card

Parameters

- start_block (int) The block to start reading from
- buf (WriteableBuffer) The buffer to write into. Length must be multiple of 512.

Returns None

writeblocks (self, start_block: int, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → None Write one or more blocks to the card

Parameters

- **start_block** (int) The block to start writing from
- **buf** (ReadableBuffer) The buffer to read from. Length must be multiple of 512.

Returns None

sdioio - Interface to an SD card via the SDIO bus

Controls an SD card over SDIO. SDIO is a parallel protocol designed for SD cards. It uses a clock pin, a command pin, and 1 or 4 data pins. It can be operated at a high frequency such as 25MHz. Usually an SDCard object is used with storage.VfsFat to allow file I/O to an SD card.

Construct an SDIO SD Card object with the given properties

Parameters

- clock (Pin) the pin to use for the clock.
- command (Pin) the pin to use for the command.

- data A sequence of pins to use for data.
- **frequency** The frequency of the bus in Hz

Example usage:

configure (*self*, *frequency*: int = 0, *width*: int = 0) \rightarrow None Configures the SDIO bus.

Parameters

- **frequency** (int) the desired clock rate in Hertz. The actual clock rate may be higher or lower due to the granularity of available clock settings. Check the *frequency* attribute for the actual clock rate.
- width (int) the number of data lines to use. Must be 1 or 4 and must also not exceed the number of data lines at construction

Note: Leaving a value unspecified or 0 means the current setting is kept

```
count(self) \rightarrow int
```

Returns the total number of sectors

Due to technical limitations, this is a function and not a property.

Returns The number of 512-byte blocks, as a number

```
readblocks (self, start_block: int, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer) \rightarrow None Read one or more blocks from the card
```

Parameters

- start_block (int) The block to start reading from
- **buf** (WriteableBuffer) The buffer to write into. Length must be multiple of 512.

Returns None

```
writeblocks (self, start_block: int, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → None Write one or more blocks to the card
```

Parameters

- **start_block** (int) The block to start writing from
- buf (ReadableBuffer) The buffer to read from. Length must be multiple of 512.

Returns None

```
property frequency (self) \rightarrow int

The actual SDIO bus frequency. This may not match the frequency requested due to internal limitations.

property width (self) \rightarrow int

The actual SDIO bus width, in bits
```

 $deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Disable permanently.

Returns None

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow SDCard
```

No-op used by Context Managers. Provided by context manager helper.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

sharpdisplay - Support for Sharp Memory Display framebuffers

socket - TCP, UDP and RAW socket support

Warning: This module is disabled in 6.x and will removed in 7.x. Please use networking libraries instead. (Native networking will provide a socket compatible class.)

Create TCP, UDP and RAW sockets for communicating over the Internet.

```
class socket.socket (family: int = AF\_INET, type: int = SOCK\_STREAM, proto: int = IP-PROTO\_TCP)
```

Create a new socket

Parameters

- family (int) AF_INET or AF_INET6
- type (int) SOCK_STREAM, SOCK_DGRAM or SOCK_RAW
- proto (int) IPPROTO_TCP, IPPROTO_UDP or IPPROTO_RAW (ignored)

```
AF_INET :int

AF_INET6 :int

SOCK_STREAM :int

SOCK_DGRAM :int

SOCK_RAW :int

IPPROTO_TCP :int
```

bind (*self*, *address*: Tuple[str, int]) \rightarrow None

Bind a socket to an address

Parameters address (tuple (str, int)) - tuple of (remote_address, remote_port)

listen (self, backlog: int) \rightarrow None

Set socket to listen for incoming connections

Parameters backlog (int) – length of backlog queue for waiting connetions

```
accept(self) \rightarrow Tuple[socket, str]
```

Accept a connection on a listening socket of type SOCK_STREAM, creating a new socket of type SOCK STREAM. Returns a tuple of (new socket, remote address)

connect (*self*, *address: Tuple*[str, int]) \rightarrow None

Connect a socket to a remote address

Parameters address (tuple (str, int)) - tuple of (remote address, remote port)

```
send (self, bytes: typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow int
```

Send some bytes to the connected remote address. Suits sockets of type SOCK_STREAM

Parameters bytes (ReadableBuffer) - some bytes to send

```
recv_into (self, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, bufsize: int) \rightarrow int
```

Reads some bytes from the connected remote address, writing into the provided buffer. If bufsize <= len(buffer) is given, a maximum of bufsize bytes will be read into the buffer. If no valid value is given for bufsize, the default is the length of the given buffer.

Suits sockets of type SOCK_STREAM Returns an int of number of bytes read.

Parameters

- **buffer** (WriteableBuffer) buffer to receive into
- **bufsize** (int) optionally, a maximum number of bytes to read.

```
recv (self, bufsize: int) \rightarrow bytes
```

Reads some bytes from the connected remote address. Suits sockets of type SOCK_STREAM Returns a bytes() of length <= bufsize

Parameters bufsize (int) - maximum number of bytes to receive

```
sendto (self, bytes: _typing.ReadableBuffer, address: Tuple[str, int]) \rightarrow int
```

Send some bytes to a specific address. Suits sockets of type SOCK_DGRAM

Parameters

- bytes (ReadableBuffer) some bytes to send
- address (tuple (str, int)) tuple of (remote_address, remote_port)

```
recvfrom(self, bufsize: int) \rightarrow Tuple[bytes, Tuple[str, int]]
```

Reads some bytes from the connected remote address. Suits sockets of type SOCK_STREAM

Returns a tuple containing * a bytes() of length <= bufsize * a remote_address, which is a tuple of ip address and port number

Parameters bufsize (int) - maximum number of bytes to receive

```
setsockopt (self, level: int, optname: int, value: int) → None
```

Sets socket options

```
settimeout (self, value: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the timeout value for this socket.

Parameters value (int) – timeout in seconds. 0 means non-blocking. None means block indefinitely.

```
setblocking (self, flag: bool) \rightarrow Optional[int]
```

Set the blocking behaviour of this socket.

Parameters flag (bool) – False means non-blocking, True means block indefinitely.

```
socket.getaddrinfo(host: str, port: int) \rightarrow Tuple[int, int, int, str, str]
```

Gets the address information for a hostname and port

Returns the appropriate family, socket type, socket protocol and address information to call socket.socket() and socket.connect() with, as a tuple.

socketpool

The <code>socketpool</code> module provides sockets through a pool. The pools themselves act like CPython's <code>socket</code> module.

```
class socketpool.Socket
```

TCP, UDP and RAW socket. Cannot be created directly. Instead, call SocketPool.socket().

Provides a subset of CPython's socket.socket API. It only implements the versions of recv that do not allocate bytes objects.

```
\_enter\_(self) \rightarrow Socket
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically closes the Socket when exiting a context. See Lifetime and ContextManagers for more info.

```
accept(self) \rightarrow Tuple[Socket, Tuple[str, int]]
```

Accept a connection on a listening socket of type SOCK_STREAM, creating a new socket of type SOCK_STREAM. Returns a tuple of (new_socket, remote_address)

```
bind (self, address: Tuple[str, int]) \rightarrow None
```

Bind a socket to an address

Parameters address (~tuple) - tuple of (remote_address, remote_port)

```
close(self) \rightarrow None
```

Closes this Socket and makes its resources available to its SocketPool.

```
connect (self, address: Tuple[str, int]) \rightarrow None
```

Connect a socket to a remote address

Parameters address (~tuple) - tuple of (remote_address, remote_port)

```
listen (self, backlog: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set socket to listen for incoming connections

Parameters backlog (~int) - length of backlog queue for waiting connetions

```
recvfrom_into (self, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer) → Tuple[int, Tuple[str, int]]
```

Reads some bytes from a remote address.

Returns a tuple containing * the number of bytes received into the given buffer * a remote_address, which is a tuple of ip address and port number

```
Parameters buffer (object) - buffer to read into
```

```
recv_into (self, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, bufsize: int) → int
```

Reads some bytes from the connected remote address, writing into the provided buffer. If bufsize <= len(buffer) is given, a maximum of bufsize bytes will be read into the buffer. If no valid value is given for bufsize, the default is the length of the given buffer.

Suits sockets of type SOCK_STREAM Returns an int of number of bytes read.

Parameters

• buffer (bytearray) – buffer to receive into

```
• bufsize (int) – optionally, a maximum number of bytes to read.
```

```
send(self, bytes: \_typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow int
```

Send some bytes to the connected remote address. Suits sockets of type SOCK_STREAM

```
Parameters bytes (~bytes) – some bytes to send
```

```
sendto (self, bytes: _typing.ReadableBuffer, address: Tuple[str, int]) → int
Send some bytes to a specific address. Suits sockets of type SOCK_DGRAM
```

Parameters

- bytes (~bytes) some bytes to send
- address (~tuple) tuple of (remote_address, remote_port)

```
setblocking (self, flag: bool) \rightarrow Optional[int]
```

Set the blocking behaviour of this socket.

Parameters flag (~bool) – False means non-blocking, True means block indefinitely.

```
settimeout (self, value: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the timeout value for this socket.

Parameters value (~int) – timeout in seconds. 0 means non-blocking. None means block indefinitely.

```
\_\_\mathtt{hash}\_\_(\mathit{self}) \to \mathit{int}
```

Returns a hash for the Socket.

class socketpool.SocketPool

A pool of socket resources available for the given radio. Only one SocketPool can be created for each radio.

SocketPool should be used in place of CPython's socket which provides a pool of sockets provided by the underlying OS.

```
AF_INET :int

AF_INET6 :int

SOCK_STREAM :int

SOCK_DGRAM :int

SOCK_RAW :int

socket (self, family: int = AF INET, type: int :
```

socket (*self*, *family*: int = AF_INET , *type*: int = $SOCK_STREAM$) $\rightarrow Socket$ Create a new socket

Parameters

- family (~int) AF INET or AF INET6
- type (~int) SOCK_STREAM, SOCK_DGRAM or SOCK_RAW

```
socketpool.getaddrinfo (host: str, port: int, family: int = 0, type: int = 0, proto: int = 0, flags: int = 0) \rightarrow Tuple[int, int, int, str, Tuple[str, int]]
```

Gets the address information for a hostname and port

Returns the appropriate family, socket type, socket protocol and address information to call socket.socket() and socket.connect() with, as a tuple.

ssl

The ssl module provides SSL contexts to wrap sockets in.

```
ssl.create_default_context() → SSLContext
```

Return the default SSLContext.

class ssl.SSLContext

Settings related to SSL that can be applied to a socket by wrapping it. This is useful to provide SSL certificates to specific connections rather than all of them.

```
ssl.wrap_socket (sock: socketpool.Socket, *, server_side: bool = False, server_hostname: Optional[str] = None) \rightarrow SSLSocket
```

Wraps the socket into a socket-compatible class that handles SSL negotiation. The socket must be of type SOCK_STREAM.

class ssl.SSLSocket

Implements TLS security on a subset of <code>socketpool.Socket</code> functions. Cannot be created directly. Instead, call <code>wrap_socket</code> on an existing socket object.

Provides a subset of CPython's ssl.SSLSocket API. It only implements the versions of recv that do not allocate bytes objects.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow SSLSocket
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically closes the Socket when exiting a context. See Lifetime and ContextManagers for more info.

```
accept(self) \rightarrow Tuple[SSLSocket, Tuple[str, int]]
```

Accept a connection on a listening socket of type SOCK_STREAM, creating a new socket of type SOCK STREAM. Returns a tuple of (new socket, remote address)

```
bind (self, address: Tuple[str, int]) \rightarrow None
```

Bind a socket to an address

Parameters address (~tuple) - tuple of (remote_address, remote_port)

```
close(self) \rightarrow None
```

Closes this Socket

```
connect (self, address: Tuple[str, int]) \rightarrow None
```

Connect a socket to a remote address

Parameters address (~tuple) - tuple of (remote_address, remote_port)

```
listen (self, backlog: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set socket to listen for incoming connections

Parameters backlog (~int) – length of backlog queue for waiting connetions

```
recv_into (self, buffer: _typing.WriteableBuffer, bufsize: int) → int
```

Reads some bytes from the connected remote address, writing into the provided buffer. If bufsize <= len(buffer) is given, a maximum of bufsize bytes will be read into the buffer. If no valid value is given for bufsize, the default is the length of the given buffer.

Suits sockets of type SOCK_STREAM Returns an int of number of bytes read.

Parameters

- buffer (bytearray) buffer to receive into
- **bufsize** (int) optionally, a maximum number of bytes to read.

Parameters value (~int) – timeout in seconds. 0 means non-blocking. None means block indefinitely.

```
setblocking (self, flag: bool) \rightarrow Optional[int] Set the blocking behaviour of this socket.
```

Parameters flag (~bool) – False means non-blocking, True means block indefinitely.

```
__hash__ (self) \rightarrow int
Returns a hash for the Socket.
```

storage - Storage management

The *storage* provides storage management functionality such as mounting and unmounting which is typically handled by the operating system hosting Python. CircuitPython does not have an OS, so this module provides this functionality directly.

```
storage.mount (filesystem: VfsFat, mount_path: str, *, readonly: bool = False) \rightarrow None Mounts the given filesystem object at the given path.
```

This is the CircuitPython analog to the UNIX mount command.

Parameters readonly (bool) – True when the filesystem should be readonly to CircuitPython.

```
storage.umount (mount: Union[str, VfsFat]) → None
```

Unmounts the given filesystem object or if mount is a path, then unmount the filesystem mounted at that location.

This is the CircuitPython analog to the UNIX umount command.

```
storage.remount (mount\_path: str, readonly: bool = False, *, disable\_concurrent\_write\_protection: bool = False) \rightarrow None Remounts the given path with new parameters.
```

Parameters

- readonly (bool) True when the filesystem should be readonly to CircuitPython.
- disable_concurrent_write_protection (bool) When True, the check that makes sure the underlying filesystem data is written by one computer is disabled. Disabling the protection allows CircuitPython and a host to write to the same filesystem with the risk that the filesystem will be corrupted.

```
storage.getmount (mount\_path: str) \rightarrow VfsFat
```

Retrieves the mount object associated with the mount path

```
\texttt{storage.erase\_filesystem()} \rightarrow None
```

Erase and re-create the CIRCUITPY filesystem.

On boards that present USB-visible CIRCUITPY drive (e.g., SAMD21 and SAMD51), then call microcontroller.reset() to restart CircuitPython and have the host computer remount CIRCUITPY.

This function can be called from the REPL when CIRCUITPY has become corrupted.

Warning: All the data on CIRCUITPY will be lost, and CircuitPython will restart on certain boards.

```
Create a new VfsFat filesystem around the given block device.
     Parameters block_device - Block device the filesystem lives on
label :str
     The filesystem label, up to 11 case-insensitive bytes. Note that this property can only be set when the
     device is writable by the microcontroller.
mkfs(self) \rightarrow None
     Format the block device, deleting any data that may have been there
open (self, path: str, mode: str) \rightarrow None
     Like builtin open ()
ilistdir (self, path: str) → Iterator[Union[Tuple[AnyStr, int, int, int], Tuple[AnyStr, int, int]]]
     Return an iterator whose values describe files and folders within path
mkdir(self, path: str) \rightarrow None
     Like os.mkdir
rmdir (self, path: str) \rightarrow None
     Like os. rmdir
Like os. stat
statvfs (self, path: int) \rightarrow Tuple[int, int, int, int, int, int, int, int, int, int]
     Like os. statvfs
mount (self, readonly: bool, mkfs: VfsFat) \rightarrow None
     Don't call this directly, call storage.mount.
umount (self) \rightarrow None
     Don't call this directly, call storage.umount.
```

struct - Manipulation of c-style data

class storage.VfsFat (block_device: str)

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: struct.

Supported size/byte order prefixes: @, <, >, !.

Supported format codes: b, B, x, h, H, i, I, l, L, q, Q, s, P, f, d (the latter 2 depending on the floating-point support).

```
struct.calcsize(fmt: str) \rightarrow int
```

Return the number of bytes needed to store the given fmt.

```
struct.pack (fmt: str, *values: Any) \rightarrow bytes
```

Pack the values according to the format string fmt. The return value is a bytes object encoding the values.

```
struct.pack into (fmt: str, buffer: typing.WriteableBuffer, offset: int, *values: Any) \rightarrow None
```

Pack the values according to the format string fmt into a buffer starting at offset. offset may be negative to count from the end of buffer.

```
struct.unpack (fmt: str, data: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → Tuple[Any, ...]
```

Unpack from the data according to the format string fmt. The return value is a tuple of the unpacked values. The buffer size must match the size required by the format.

```
struct.unpack\_from(fint: str, data: _typing.ReadableBuffer, offset: int = 0) <math>\rightarrow Tuple[Any, . . . ]
```

Unpack from the data starting at offset according to the format string fmt. offset may be negative to count from the end of buffer. The return value is a tuple of the unpacked values. The buffer size must be at least as big as the size required by the form.

supervisor - Supervisor settings

```
supervisor.runtime :Runtime
```

Runtime information, such as runtime.serial_connected (USB serial connection status). This object is the sole instance of *supervisor.Runtime*.

```
supervisor.enable_autoreload() → None
```

Enable autoreload based on USB file write activity.

```
supervisor.disable_autoreload() \rightarrow None
```

Disable autoreload based on USB file write activity until enable_autoreload is called.

```
supervisor.set_rgb_status_brightness(brightness: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set brightness of status neopixel from 0-255 set rgb status brightness is called.

```
supervisor.reload() \rightarrow None
```

Reload the main Python code and run it (equivalent to hitting Ctrl-D at the REPL).

```
supervisor.set_next_stack_limit(size: int) \rightarrow None
```

Set the size of the stack for the next vm run. If its too large, the default will be used.

class supervisor.RunReason

The reason that CircuitPython started running.

```
STARTUP : object
```

CircuitPython started the microcontroller started up. See microcontroller.Processor. reset_reason for more detail on why the microcontroller was started.

AUTO_RELOAD : object

CircuitPython restarted due to an external write to the filesystem.

SUPERVISOR_RELOAD : object

CircuitPython restarted due to a call to supervisor.reload().

REPL_RELOAD :object

CircuitPython started due to the user typing CTRL-D in the REPL.

class supervisor.Runtime

Current status of runtime objects.

Usage:

```
import supervisor
if supervisor.runtime.serial_connected:
    print("Hello World!")
```

You cannot create an instance of *supervisor.Runtime*. Use *supervisor.runtime* to access the sole instance available.

usb_connected :bool

Returns the USB enumeration status (read-only).

serial_connected :bool

Returns the USB serial communication status (read-only).

serial bytes available :int

Returns the whether any bytes are available to read on the USB serial input. Allows for polling to see whether to call the built-in input() or wait. (read-only)

run_reason :RunReason

Returns why CircuitPython started running this particular time.

terminalio - Displays text in a TileGrid

The terminalio module contains classes to display a character stream on a display. The built in font is available as terminalio. FONT.

```
terminalio.FONT :fontio.BuiltinFont
```

The built in font

```
class terminalio. Terminal (tilegrid: displayio. TileGrid, font: fontio. BuiltinFont)
```

Display a character stream with a TileGrid

Terminal manages tile indices and cursor position based on VT100 commands. The font should be a fontio. BuiltinFont and the TileGrid's bitmap should match the font's bitmap.

```
write (self, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow Optional[int]
```

Write the buffer of bytes to the bus.

Returns the number of bytes written

Return type int or None

time - time and timing related functions

The time module is a strict subset of the CPython time module. So, code written in MicroPython will work in CPython but not necessarily the other way around.

```
time.monotonic() \rightarrow float
```

Returns an always increasing value of time with an unknown reference point. Only use it to compare against other values from monotonic.

Returns the current monotonic time

Return type *float*

```
time.sleep(seconds: float) \rightarrow None
```

Sleep for a given number of seconds.

Parameters seconds (float) – the time to sleep in fractional seconds

Structure used to capture a date and time. Note that it takes a tuple!

- tm_year: the year, 2017 for example
- tm_month: the month, range [1, 12]
- tm_mday: the day of the month, range [1, 31]
- tm_hour: the hour, range [0, 23]
- tm_min: the minute, range [0, 59]

- tm_sec: the second, range [0, 61]
- tm_wday: the day of the week, range [0, 6], Monday is 0
- tm_yday: the day of the year, range [1, 366], -1 indicates not known
- tm_isdst: 1 when in daylight savings, 0 when not, -1 if unknown.

```
time.time() \rightarrow int
```

Return the current time in seconds since since Jan 1, 1970.

Returns the current time

Return type int

```
time.monotonic ns() \rightarrow int
```

Return the time of the monotonic clock, cannot go backward, in nanoseconds.

Returns the current time

Return type int

```
time.localtime (secs: int) \rightarrow struct time
```

Convert a time expressed in seconds since Jan 1, 1970 to a struct_time in local time. If secs is not provided or None, the current time as returned by time() is used. The earliest date for which it can generate a time is Jan 1, 2000.

Returns the current time

Return type time.struct_time

```
time.mktime (t: struct time) \rightarrow int
```

This is the inverse function of localtime(). Its argument is the struct_time or full 9-tuple (since the dst flag is needed; use -1 as the dst flag if it is unknown) which expresses the time in local time, not UTC. The earliest date for which it can generate a time is Jan 1, 2000.

Returns seconds

Return type int

touchio - Touch related IO

The touchio module contains classes to provide access to touch IO typically accelerated by hardware on the onboard microcontroller.

All classes change hardware state and should be deinitialized when they are no longer needed if the program continues after use. To do so, either call deinit() or use a context manager. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

For example:

```
import touchio
from board import *

touch_pin = touchio.TouchIn(D6)
print(touch_pin.value)
```

This example will initialize the the device, and print the value.

```
class touchio.TouchIn (pin: microcontroller.Pin)
```

Read the state of a capacitive touch sensor

Usage:

```
import touchio
from board import *

touch = touchio.TouchIn(A1)
while True:
    if touch.value:
        print("touched!")
```

Use the TouchIn on the given pin.

Parameters pin (Pin) – the pin to read from

value :bool

Whether the touch pad is being touched or not. (read-only)

True when raw value > threshold.

raw_value :int

The raw touch measurement as an *int*. (read-only)

threshold :Optional[int]

Minimum raw_value needed to detect a touch (and for value to be True).

When the **TouchIn** object is created, an initial raw_value is read from the pin, and then threshold is set to be 100 + that value.

You can adjust threshold to make the pin more or less sensitive:

```
import board
import touchio

touch = touchio.TouchIn(board.A1)
touch.threshold = 7300
```

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Deinitialises the TouchIn and releases any hardware resources for reuse.

```
\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}enter\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} (self) \rightarrow TouchIn
```

No-op used by Context Managers.

```
\_exit\_(self) \rightarrow None
```

Automatically deinitializes the hardware when exiting a context. See *Lifetime and ContextManagers* for more info.

uheap - Heap size analysis

```
\texttt{uheap.info} (\textit{object: info.object}) \rightarrow \textit{int}
```

Prints memory debugging info for the given object and returns the estimated size.

ulab - Manipulate numeric data similar to numpy

ulab is a numpy-like module for micropython, meant to simplify and speed up common mathematical operations on arrays. The primary goal was to implement a small subset of numpy that might be useful in the context of a microcontroller. This means low-level data processing of linear (array) and two-dimensional (matrix) data.

ulab is adapted from micropython-ulab, and the original project's documentation can be found at https://micropython-ulab.readthedocs.io/en/latest/

ulab is modeled after numpy, and aims to be a compatible subset where possible. Numpy's documentation can be found at https://docs.scipy.org/doc/numpy/index.html

ulab.approx - Numerical approximation methods

```
ulab.approx.bisect (fun: Callable[[float], float], a: float, b: float, *, xtol: float = 2.4e-07, maxiter: int = 100) \rightarrow float
```

Parameters

- f (callable) The function to bisect
- a (float) The left side of the interval
- **b** (float) The right side of the interval
- **xtol** (float) The tolerance value
- maxiter (float) The maximum number of iterations to perform

Find a solution (zero) of the function f(x) on the interval (a...'b'') using the bisection method. The result is accurate to within xtol unless more than maxiter steps are required.

```
ulab.approx.fmin (fun: Callable[[float], float], x0: float, *, xatol: float = 2.4e-07, fatol: float = 2.4e-07, maxiter: int = 200) \rightarrow float
```

Parameters

- f (callable) The function to bisect
- **x0** (float) The initial x value
- xatol (float) The absolute tolerance value
- fatol (float) The relative tolerance value

Find a minimum of the function f(x) using the downhill simplex method. The located x is within fxtol of the actual minimum, and f(x) is within fatol of the actual minimum unless more than maxiter steps are required.

```
ulab.approx.interp(x: ulab.array, xp: ulab.array, fp: ulab.array, *, left: Optional[float] = None, right:

Optional[float] = None) \rightarrow ulab.array
```

Parameters

- **x** (ulab.array) The x-coordinates at which to evaluate the interpolated values.
- xp (ulab.array) The x-coordinates of the data points, must be increasing
- fp (ulab.array) The y-coordinates of the data points, same length as xp
- left Value to return for x < xp[0], default is fp[0].
- right Value to return for x > xp[-1], default is fp[-1].

Returns the one-dimensional piecewise linear interpolant to a function with given discrete data points (xp, fp), evaluated at x.

```
ulab.approx.newton (fun: Callable[[float], float], x0: float, *, xtol: float = 2.4e-07, rtol: float = 0.0, maxiter: int = 50) \rightarrow float
```

Parameters

- **f** (callable) The function to bisect
- x0 (float) The initial x value
- **xtol** (float) The absolute tolerance value
- rtol (float) The relative tolerance value
- maxiter (float) The maximum number of iterations to perform

Find a solution (zero) of the function f(x) using Newton's Method. The result is accurate to within xtol * rtol * |f(x)| unless more than maxiter steps are required.

ulab.approx.trapz (y: ulab.array, x: Optional/ulab.array] = None, dx: float = 1.0) \rightarrow float

Parameters

- ulab.array y (1D) the values of the dependent variable
- ulab.array x (1D) optional, the coordinates of the independent variable. Defaults to uniformly spaced values.
- dx (float) the spacing between sample points, if x=None

Returns the integral of y(x) using the trapezoidal rule.

ulab.compare - Comparison functions

```
ulab.compare.clip(x1: Union[ulab.array, float], x2: Union[ulab.array, float], x3: Union[ulab.array, float]) <math>\rightarrow ulab.array
```

Constrain the values from x1 to be between x2 and x3. x2 is assumed to be less than or equal to x3.

Arguments may be ulab arrays or numbers. All array arguments must be the same size. If the inputs are all scalars, a single scalar is returned.

Shorthand for ulab.maximum (x2, ulab.minimum (x1, x3))

- ulab.compare.equal ($x1: Union[ulab.array, float], x2: Union[ulab.array, float]) <math>\rightarrow List[bool]$ Return an array of bool which is true where x1[i] == x2[i] and false elsewhere
- ulab.compare.not_equal (xl: Union[ulab.array, float], x2: Union[ulab.array, float]) \rightarrow List[bool] Return an array of bool which is false where x1[i] == x2[i] and true elsewhere
- ulab.compare.maximum ($x1: Union[ulab.array, float], x2: Union[ulab.array, float]) <math>\rightarrow ulab.array$ Compute the element by element maximum of the arguments.

Arguments may be ulab arrays or numbers. All array arguments must be the same size. If the inputs are both scalars, a number is returned

ulab.compare.minimum ($x1: Union[ulab.array, float], x2: Union[ulab.array, float]) <math>\rightarrow ulab.array$ Compute the element by element minimum of the arguments.

Arguments may be ulab arrays or numbers. All array arguments must be the same size. If the inputs are both scalars, a number is returned

ulab.fft - Frequency-domain functions

ulab.fft.**fft** (r: ulab.array, c: Optional[ulab.array] = None) \rightarrow Tuple[ulab.array, ulab.array]

Parameters

- r (ulab.array) A 1-dimension array of values whose size is a power of 2
- **c** (ulab.array) An optional 1-dimension array of values whose size is a power of 2, giving the complex part of the value

Return tuple (r, c) The real and complex parts of the FFT

Perform a Fast Fourier Transform from the time domain into the frequency domain

See also ~ulab.extras.spectrum, which computes the magnitude of the fft, rather than separately returning its real and imaginary parts.

ulab.fft.ifft (r: ulab.array, c: Optional/ulab.array] = None) \rightarrow Tuple[ulab.array, ulab.array]

Parameters

- r (ulab.array) A 1-dimension array of values whose size is a power of 2
- c (ulab.array) An optional 1-dimension array of values whose size is a power of 2, giving the complex part of the value

Return tuple (r, c) The real and complex parts of the inverse FFT

Perform an Inverse Fast Fourier Transform from the frequeny domain into the time domain

```
ulab.fft.spectrogram(r: ulab.array) \rightarrow ulab.array
```

Parameters r (ulab.array) - A 1-dimension array of values whose size is a power of 2

Computes the spectrum of the input signal. This is the absolute value of the (complex-valued) fft of the signal. This function is similar to scipy's scipy.signal.spectrogram.

ulab.filter - Filtering functions

ulab.filter.convolve(a: ulab.array, v: ulab.array) \rightarrow ulab.array

Parameters

- a(ulab.array)-
- v(ulab.array)-

Returns the discrete, linear convolution of two one-dimensional sequences. The result is always an array of float. Only the full mode is supported, and the mode named parameter of numpy is not accepted. Note that all other modes can be had by slicing a full result.

Convolution filters can implement high pass, low pass, band pass, etc., filtering operations. Convolution filters are typically constructed ahead of time. This can be done using desktop python with scipy, or on web pages such as https://fiiir.com/

Convolution is most time-efficient when both inputs are of float type.

```
ulab.filter.sosfilt (sos: ulab._ArrayLike, x: ulab._ArrayLike) → ulab.array
ulab.filter.sosfilt (sos: ulab._ArrayLike, x: ulab._ArrayLike, *, zi: ulab.array) → Tuple[ulab.array, ulab.array]
```

Parameters

- **sos** (ulab.array) Array of second-order filter coefficients, must have shape (n_sections, 6). Each row corresponds to a second-order section, with the first three columns providing the numerator coefficients and the last three providing the denominator coefficients.
- x (ulab.array) The data to be filtered
- zi (ulab.array) Optional initial conditions for the filter

Returns If zi is not specified, the filter result alone is returned. If zi is specified, the return value is a 2-tuple of the filter result and the final filter conditions.

Filter data along one dimension using cascaded second-order sections.

Filter a data sequence, x, using a digital IIR filter defined by sos.

The filter function is implemented as a series of second-order filters with direct-form II transposed structure. It is designed to minimize numerical precision errors for high-order filters.

Filter coefficients can be generated by using scipy's filter generators such as signal.ellip(..., output='sos').

ulab.linalg - Linear algebra functions

```
ulab.linalg.cholesky (A: ulab.array) \rightarrow ulab.array
```

Parameters A (array) – a positive definite, symmetric square matrix

Return ~ulab.array L a square root matrix in the lower triangular form

Raises ValueError - If the input does not fulfill the necessary conditions

The returned matrix satisfies the equation m=LL*

```
ulab.linalg.det (m: ulab.array) \rightarrow float
```

Param m, a square matrix

Return float The determinant of the matrix

Computes the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of a square matrix

```
ulab.linalg.dot(ml: ulab.array, m2: ulab.array) \rightarrow Union[ulab.array, float]
```

Parameters

- m1 (array) a matrix, or a vector
- m2 (array) a matrix, or a vector

Computes the product of two matrices, or two vectors. In the letter case, the inner product is returned.

```
ulab.linalg.eig(m: ulab.array) \rightarrow Tuple[ulab.array, ulab.array]
```

Parameters m – a square matrix

Return tuple (eigenvectors, eigenvalues)

Computes the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of a square matrix

```
ulab.linalg.inv(m: ulab.array) \rightarrow ulab.array
```

Parameters m (array) - a square matrix

Returns The inverse of the matrix, if it exists

Raises ValueError – if the matrix is not invertible

```
Computes the inverse of a square matrix
```

```
ulab.linalg.norm(x: ulab.array) \rightarrow float
```

```
Parameters x (array) - a vector or a matrix
```

Computes the 2-norm of a vector or a matrix, i.e., sqrt (sum (x*x)), however, without the RAM overhead.

```
ulab.linalg.trace(m: ulab.array) \rightarrow float
```

Parameters m - a square matrix

Compute the trace of the matrix, the sum of its diagonal elements.

ulab numerical - Numerical and Statistical functions

Most of these functions take an "axis" argument, which indicates whether to operate over the flattened array (None), or a particular axis (integer).

```
ulab.numerical.argmax (array: ulab._ArrayLike, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow int Return the index of the maximum element of the 1D array
```

```
ulab.numerical.argmin (array: ulab._ArrayLike, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow int Return the index of the minimum element of the 1D array
```

```
ulab.numerical.argsort (array: ulab.array, *, axis: int = -1) \rightarrow ulab.array Returns an array which gives indices into the input array from least to greatest.
```

```
ulab.numerical.cross (a: ulab.array, b: ulab.array) → ulab.array
Return the cross product of two vectors of length 3
```

```
ulab.numerical.diff (array: ulab.array, *, n: int = 1, axis: int = -1) \rightarrow ulab.array
Return the numerical derivative of successive elements of the array, as an array. axis=None is not supported.
```

```
ulab.numerical.flip (array: ulab.array, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow ulab.array Returns a new array that reverses the order of the elements along the given axis, or along all axes if axis is None.
```

```
ulab.numerical.max (array: ulab._ArrayLike, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow float Return the maximum element of the 1D array
```

```
ulab.numerical.mean (array: ulab._ArrayLike, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow float Return the mean element of the 1D array, as a number if axis is None, otherwise as an array.
```

```
ulab.numerical.median (array: ulab.array, *, axis: int = -1) \rightarrow ulab.array
Find the median value in an array along the given axis, or along all axes if axis is None.
```

```
ulab.numerical.min (array: ulab._ArrayLike, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow float Return the minimum element of the 1D array
```

- ulab.numerical.roll (array: ulab.array, distance: int, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) → None Shift the content of a vector by the positions given as the second argument. If the axis keyword is supplied, the shift is applied to the given axis. The array is modified in place.
- ulab.numerical.sort (array: ulab.array, *, axis: int = -1) \rightarrow ulab.array Sort the array along the given axis, or along all axes if axis is None. The array is modified in place.
- ulab.numerical.std(array: ulab._ArrayLike, *, axis: Optional[int] = None, axis: axis

```
ulab.numerical.\mathbf{sum}(array: ulab.\_ArrayLike, *, axis: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow Union[float, int, ulab.array]
```

Return the sum of the array, as a number if axis is None, otherwise as an array.

ulab.poly - Polynomial functions

```
ulab.poly.polyfit (y: ulab._ArrayLike, degree: int) → ulab.array
ulab.poly.polyfit (x: ulab._ArrayLike, y: ulab._ArrayLike, degree: int) → ulab.array
Return a polynomial of given degree that approximates the function f(x)=y. If x is not supplied, it is the range(len(y)).
ulab.poly.polyval (p: ulab._ArrayLike, x: ulab._ArrayLike) → ulab.array
Evaluate the polynomial p at the points x. x must be an array.
```

ulab.user - This module should hold arbitrary user-defined functions.

ulab.vector - Element-by-element functions

These functions can operate on numbers, 1-D iterables, 1-D arrays, or 2-D arrays by applying the function to every element in the array. This is typically much more efficient than expressing the same operation as a Python loop.

```
ulab.vector.acos (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the inverse cosine function
ulab.vector.acosh (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the inverse hyperbolic cosine function
ulab.vector.asin(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the inverse sine function
ulab.vector.asinh(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the inverse hyperbolic sine function
ulab.vector.around (a: ulab._ArrayLike, *, decimals: int = 0) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Returns a new float array in which each element is rounded to decimals places.
ulab.vector.atan(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the inverse tangent function; the return values are in the range [-pi/2,pi/2].
ulab.vector.arctan2 (ya: ulab. ArrayLike, xa: ulab. ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the inverse tangent function of y/x; the return values are in the range [-pi, pi].
ulab.vector.atanh(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the inverse hyperbolic tangent function
ulab.vector.ceil (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Rounds numbers up to the next whole number
ulab.vector.cos (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the cosine function
ulab.vector.cosh (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the hyperbolic cosine function
ulab.vector.degrees (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Converts angles from radians to degrees
ulab.vector.erf (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
      Computes the error function, which has applications in statistics
ulab.vector.erfc(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
```

Computes the complementary error function, which has applications in statistics

```
ulab.vector.exp (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the exponent function.
ulab.vector.expm1 (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes $e^x-1$. In certain applications, using this function preserves numeric accuracy better than the exp
     function.
ulab.vector.floor(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Rounds numbers up to the next whole number
ulab.vector.gamma(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the gamma function
ulab.vector.lgamma (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the natural log of the gamma function
ulab.vector.\log(a: \text{ulab.\_ArrayLike}) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the natural log
ulab.vector.log10 (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the log base 10
ulab.vector.log2 (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the log base 2
ulab.vector.radians(a: ulab._ArrayLike) → ulab.array
     Converts angles from degrees to radians
ulab.vector.sin(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the sine function
ulab.vector.sinh (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the hyperbolic sine
ulab.vector.sqrt (a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the square root
ulab.vector.tan(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the tangent
ulab.vector.tanh(a: ulab._ArrayLike) \rightarrow ulab.array
     Computes the hyperbolic tangent
ulab.vector.vectorize(f: Union[Callable[fint], float], Callable[float], float]], *, otypes: Op-
                               tional[ulab._DType] = None) \rightarrow Callable[[ulab._ArrayLike], ulab.array]
           Parameters
                 • f (callable) – The function to wrap
                 • otypes – List of array types that may be returned by the function. None is interpreted to
                   mean the return value is float.
     Wrap a Python function f so that it can be applied to arrays. The callable must return only values of the types
     specified by otypes, or the result is undefined.
ulab._DType
     ulab.int8, ulab.uint8, ulab.int16, ulab.uint16, ulab.float or ulab.bool
ulab. float
     Type alias of the bulitin float
ulab._bool
     Type alias of the bulitin bool
```

```
ulab. Index
```

Parameters

- values (sequence) Sequence giving the initial content of the array.
- dtype (_DType) The type of array values, ulab.int8, ulab.uint8, ulab. int16, ulab.uint16, ulab.float or ulab.bool

The values sequence can either be another ~ulab.array, sequence of numbers (in which case a 1-dimensional array is created), or a sequence where each subsequence has the same length (in which case a 2-dimensional array is created).

Passing a ulab.array and a different dtype can be used to convert an array from one dtype to another.

In many cases, it is more convenient to create an array from a function like zeros or linspace.

ulab.array implements the buffer protocol, so it can be used in many places an array.array can be used.

```
shape :Tuple[int, ...]
```

The size of the array, a tuple of length 1 or 2

size :int

The number of elements in the array

itemsize :int

The size of a single item in the array

```
strides :Tuple[int, ...]
```

Tuple of bytes to step in each dimension, a tuple of length 1 or 2

```
copy(self) \rightarrow array
```

Return a copy of the array

```
\texttt{dtype}(self) \rightarrow \_DType
```

Returns the dtype of the array

```
flatten (self, *, order: str = 'C') \rightarrow array
```

Parameters order – Whether to flatten by rows ('C') or columns ('F')

Returns a new *ulab.array* object which is always 1 dimensional. If order is 'C' (the default', then the data is ordered in rows; If it is 'F', then the data is ordered in columns. "C" and "F" refer to the typical storage organization of the C and Fortran languages.

```
reshape (self, shape: Tuple[int, ...]) \rightarrow array
```

Returns an array containing the same data with a new shape.

```
sort (self, *, axis: Optional[int] = 1) \rightarrow None
```

Parameters axis – Whether to sort elements within rows (0), columns (1), or elements (None)

```
tobytes (self) \rightarrow bytearray
```

Return the raw data bytes in the array

```
transpose (self) \rightarrow array
```

Swap the rows and columns of a 2-dimensional array

```
__add__ (self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
```

Adds corresponding elements of the two arrays, or adds a number to all elements of the array. If both arguments are arrays, their sizes must match.

```
__radd__ (self, other: _float) \rightarrow array
      __sub__(self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Subtracts corresponding elements of the two arrays, or subtracts a number from all elements of the array.
            If both arguments are arrays, their sizes must match.
      rsub (self, other: float) \rightarrow array
      __mul__(self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Multiplies corresponding elements of the two arrays, or multiplies all elements of the array by a number.
            If both arguments are arrays, their sizes must match.
       __rmul__ (self, other: _float) \rightarrow array
      ___div__ (self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Multiplies corresponding elements of the two arrays, or divides all elements of the array by a number. If
            both arguments are arrays, their sizes must match.
      \_\_rdiv\_(self, other: \_float) \rightarrow array
      __pow__(self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Computes the power (x^{**}y) of corresponding elements of the two arrays, or one number and one array.
            If both arguments are arrays, their sizes must match.
      __rpow__(self, other: _float) \rightarrow array
      \underline{\hspace{1cm}}inv\underline{\hspace{1cm}} (self) \rightarrow array
      \underline{\hspace{0.5cm}} neg_{\underline{\hspace{0.5cm}}}(self) \rightarrow array
      pos (self) \rightarrow array
      \_abs\_ (self ) \rightarrow array
      \_len\_(self) \rightarrow int
      ___1t___ (self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Return self<value.
      __le__(self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Return self<=value.
      __gt__ (self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Return self>value.
      __ge__ (self, other: Union[array, _float]) \rightarrow array
            Return self>=value.
      \_iter\_(self) \rightarrow Union[Iterator[array], Iterator[\_float]]
      \_getitem\_(self, index: \_Index) \rightarrow Union[array, \_float]
            Retrieve an element of the array.
      __setitem__ (self, index: _Index, value: Union[array, _float]) → None
            Set an element of the array.
ulab._ArrayLike
      ulab.array, List[float], Tuple[float] or range
ulab.int8 :_DType
      Type code for signed integers in the range -128 .. 127 inclusive, like the 'b' typecode of array. array
ulab.int16 :_DType
      Type code for signed integers in the range -32768 .. 32767 inclusive, like the 'h' typecode of array. array
```

```
ulab.float : DTvpe
      Type code for floating point values, like the 'f' typecode of array. array
ulab.uint8 : DType
      Type code for unsigned integers in the range 0.. 255 inclusive, like the 'H' typecode of array.array
ulab.uint16 : DType
      Type code for unsigned integers in the range 0.. 65535 inclusive, like the 'h' typecode of array. array
ulab.bool : DType
      Type code for boolean values
ulab.get_printoptions() \rightarrow Dict[str, int]
      Get printing options
ulab.set_printoptions (threshold: Optional[int] = None, edgeitems: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow None
      Set printing options
ulab.ndinfo (array: array) \rightarrow None
ulab.arange (stop: _float, step: _float = 1, *, dtype: _DType = ulab.float) \rightarrow array
ulab.arange (start: float, stop: float, step: float = 1, *, dtype: DType = ulab.float) \rightarrow array
      Return a new 1-D array with elements ranging from start to stop, with step size step.
ulab.concatenate (arrays: Tuple[array], *, axis: int = 0) \rightarrow array
      Join a sequence of arrays along an existing axis.
ulab.diag(a: array, *, k: int = 0) \rightarrow array
      Return specified diagonals.
ulab.eye (size: int, *, M: Optional[int] = None, k: int = 0, dtype: DType = ulab.float) \rightarrow array
      Return a new square array of size, with the diagonal elements set to 1 and the other elements set to 0.
ulab.full(shape: Union[int, Tuple[int, ...]], fill_value: Union[_float, _bool], *, dtype: _DType =
              ulab.float) \rightarrow array
      Return a new array of the given shape with all elements set to 0.
ulab.linspace (start: _float, stop: _float, *, dtype: _DType = ulab.float, num: int = 50, endpoint: _bool =
                    True, retstep: bool = False) \rightarrow array
      Return a new 1-D array with num elements ranging from start to stop linearly.
ulab.logspace (start: _float, stop: _float, *, dtype: _DType = ulab.float, num: int = 50, endpoint: _bool =
                    True, base: float = 10.0) \rightarrow array
      Return a new 1-D array with num evenly spaced elements on a log scale. The sequence starts at base **
      start, and ends with base ** stop.
ulab.ones (shape: Union[int, Tuple[int, ...]], *, dtype: _DType = ulab.float) \rightarrow array
      Return a new array of the given shape with all elements set to 1.
ulab.zeros (shape: Union[int, Tuple[int, ...]], *, dtype: _DType = ulab.float) \rightarrow array
      Return a new array of the given shape with all elements set to 0.
ulab.frombuffer (buffer: _typing.ReadableBuffer, dtype: _DType = ulab.float, count: int = -1, offset: int
                       = 0) \rightarrow array
      Interpret a buffer as a 1-dimensional array.
```

usb cdc - USB CDC Serial streams

The usb_cdc module allows access to USB CDC (serial) communications.

usb_cdc.serials :Tuple[Serial, ...]

Tuple of all CDC streams. Each item is a Serial. serials[0] is the USB REPL connection. serials[1] is a second USB serial connection, unconnected to the REPL.

class usb cdc.Serial

Receives cdc commands over USB

You cannot create an instance of *usb_cdc.Serial*. The available instances are in the *usb_cdc.serials* tuple.

connected :bool

True if this Serial is connected to a host. (read-only)

Note: The host is considered to be connected if it is asserting DTR (Data Terminal Ready). Most terminal programs and pyserial assert DTR when opening a serial connection. However, the C# SerialPort API does not. You must set SerialPort.DtrEnable.

in waiting :int

Returns the number of bytes waiting to be read on the USB serial input. (read-only)

out waiting :int

Returns the number of bytes waiting to be written on the USB serial output. (read-only)

timeout :Optional[float]

The initial value of timeout is None. If None, wait indefinitely to satisfy the conditions of a read operation. If 0, do not wait. If > 0, wait only timeout seconds.

write_timeout :Optional[float]

The initial value of $write_timeout$ is None. If None, wait indefinitely to finish writing all the bytes passed to write (). If 0, do not wait. If > 0, wait only write_timeout seconds.

```
read (self, size: int = 1) \rightarrow bytes
```

Read at most size bytes. If size exceeds the internal buffer size only the bytes in the buffer will be read. If timeout is > 0 or None, and fewer than size bytes are available, keep waiting until the timeout expires or size bytes are available.

Returns Data read

Return type bytes

```
readinto (self, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer) → int
```

Read bytes into the buf. If nbytes is specified then read at most that many bytes, subject to timeout. Otherwise, read at most len (buf) bytes.

Returns number of bytes read and stored into buf

Return type bytes

```
readline (self, size: int = -1) \rightarrow Optional[bytes]
```

Read a line ending in a newline character ("\n"), including the newline. Return everything readable if no newline is found and timeout is 0. Return None in case of error.

This is a binary stream: the newline character "\n" cannot be changed. If the host computer transmits "\r" it will also be included as part of the line.

Parameters size (int) – maximum number of characters to read. -1 means as many as possible.

```
Returns the line read
```

Return type bytes or None

```
readlines(self) \rightarrow List[Optional[bytes]]
```

Read multiple lines as a list, using readline().

Warning: If timeout is None, *readlines()* will never return, because there is no way to indicate end of stream.

Returns a list of the line read

Return type list

write (self, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer) → int

Write as many bytes as possible from the buffer of bytes.

Returns the number of bytes written

Return type int

flush (self) \rightarrow None

Force out any unwritten bytes, waiting until they are written.

$reset_input_buffer(self) \rightarrow None$

Clears any unread bytes.

$reset_output_buffer(self) \rightarrow None$

Clears any unwritten bytes.

usb_hid - USB Human Interface Device

The usb_hid module allows you to output data as a HID device.

```
usb_hid.devices :Tuple[Device, ...]
```

Tuple of all active HID device interfaces.

class usb_hid.Device

HID Device

Usage:

```
import usb_hid
mouse = usb_hid.devices[0]
mouse.send_report()
```

Not currently dynamically supported.

last_received_report :bytes

The HID OUT report as a bytes. (read-only). None if nothing received.

usage_page :int

The usage page of the device as an int. Can be thought of a category. (read-only)

usage :int

The functionality of the device as an int. (read-only)

For example, Keyboard is 0x06 within the generic desktop usage page 0x01. Mouse is 0x02 within the same usage page.

```
send_report (self, buf: _typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow None Send a HID report.
```

usb midi - MIDI over USB

The usb_midi module contains classes to transmit and receive MIDI messages over USB.

```
usb_midi.ports :Tuple[Union[PortIn, PortOut], ...]
```

Tuple of all MIDI ports. Each item is ether Port In or PortOut.

```
class usb_midi.PortIn
```

Receives midi commands over USB

You cannot create an instance of usb_midi.PortIn.

PortIn objects are constructed for every corresponding entry in the USB descriptor and added to the usb_midi.ports tuple.

```
read(self, nbytes: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow Optional[bytes]
```

Read characters. If nbytes is specified then read at most that many bytes. Otherwise, read everything that arrives until the connection times out. Providing the number of bytes expected is highly recommended because it will be faster.

Returns Data read

Return type bytes or None

```
readinto (self, buf: _typing.WriteableBuffer, nbytes: Optional[int] = None) \rightarrow Optional[bytes]
```

Read bytes into the buf. If nbytes is specified then read at most that many bytes. Otherwise, read at most len(buf) bytes.

Returns number of bytes read and stored into buf

Return type bytes or None

```
class usb_midi.PortOut
```

Sends midi messages to a computer over USB

You cannot create an instance of usb midi.PortOut.

PortOut objects are constructed for every corresponding entry in the USB descriptor and added to the usb_midi.ports tuple.

```
write (self, buf: typing.ReadableBuffer) \rightarrow Optional[int]
```

Write the buffer of bytes to the bus.

Returns the number of bytes written

Return type int or None

ustack - Stack information and analysis

```
ustack.max_stack_usage() \rightarrow int
     Return the maximum excursion of the stack so far.
ustack.stack size() \rightarrow int
     Return the size of the entire stack. Same as in micropython.mem_info(), but returns a value instead of just
     printing it.
ustack.stack_usage() \rightarrow int
     Return how much stack is currently in use. Same as micropython.stack use(); duplicated here for convenience.
vectorio - Lightweight 2d shapes for displays
class vectorio.Circle(radius: int)
     Circle is positioned on screen by its center point.
           Parameters radius – The radius of the circle in pixels
     radius :int
           The radius of the circle in pixels.
class vectorio.Polygon(points: List[Tuple[int, int]])
     Represents a closed shape by ordered vertices
           Parameters points – Vertices for the polygon
     points :List[Tuple[int, int]]
           Set a new look and shape for this polygon
class vectorio.Rectangle (width: int, height: int)
     Represents a rectangle by defining its bounds
           Parameters
                 • width – The number of pixels wide
                 • height – The number of pixels high
                                                 Union[Polygon,
class vectorio.VectorShape(shape:
                                                                   Rectangle,
                                                                                Circle], pixel_shader:
                                      Union[displayio.ColorConverter, displayio.Palette], x: int = 0, y:
                                      int = 0)
     Binds a vector shape to a location and pixel color
           Parameters
                 • shape – The shape to draw.
                 • pixel_shader - The pixel shader that produces colors from values
                 • x – Initial x position of the center axis of the shape within the parent.
                 • y – Initial y position of the center axis of the shape within the parent.
     x :int
           X position of the center point of the shape in the parent.
     y :int
           Y position of the center point of the shape in the parent.
```

pixel_shader :Union[displayio.ColorConverter, displayio.Palette]

The pixel shader of the shape.

watchdog - Watchdog Timer

The watchdog module provides support for a Watchdog Timer. This timer will reset the device if it hasn't been fed after a specified amount of time. This is useful to ensure the board has not crashed or locked up. Note that on some platforms the watchdog timer cannot be disabled once it has been enabled.

The WatchDogTimer is used to restart the system when the application crashes and ends up into a non recoverable state. Once started it cannot be stopped or reconfigured in any way. After enabling, the application must "feed" the watchdog periodically to prevent it from expiring and resetting the system.

Example usage:

```
from microcontroller import watchdog as w
from watchdog import WatchDogMode
w.timeout=2.5 # Set a timeout of 2.5 seconds
w.mode = WatchDogMode.RAISE
w.feed()
```

class watchdog.WatchDogMode

run state of the watchdog timer

Enum-like class to define the run mode of the watchdog timer.

RAISE : WatchDogMode

Raise an exception when the WatchDogTimer expires.

RESET : WatchDogMode

Reset the system if the WatchDogTimer expires.

class watchdog.WatchDogTimer

Timer that is used to detect code lock ups and automatically reset the microcontroller when one is detected.

A lock up is detected when the watchdog hasn't been fed after a given duration. So, make sure to call feed within the timeout.

Not currently dynamically supported. Access the sole instance through microcontroller.watchdog.

timeout :float

The maximum number of seconds that can elapse between calls to feed()

mode : WatchDogMode

The current operating mode of the WatchDogTimer watchdog. WatchDogMode.

Setting a WatchDogMode activates the WatchDog:

```
import microcontroller
import watchdog

w = microcontroller.watchdog
w.timeout = 5
w.mode = watchdog.WatchDogMode.RAISE
```

Once set, the WatchDogTimer will perform the specified action if the timer expires.

feed (self) \rightarrow None

Feed the watchdog timer. This must be called regularly, otherwise the timer will expire.

$deinit(self) \rightarrow None$

Stop the watchdog timer. This may raise an error if the watchdog timer cannot be disabled on this platform.

wifi

The wifi module provides necessary low-level functionality for managing wifi wifi connections. Use socketpool for communicating over the network.

wifi.radio :Radio

Wifi radio used to manage both station and AP modes. This object is the sole instance of wifi. Radio.

class wifi.Network

A wifi network provided by a nearby access point.

You cannot create an instance of wifi.Network. They are returned by wifi.Radio. start_scanning_networks.

ssid :str

String id of the network

bssid :bytes

BSSID of the network (usually the AP's MAC address)

rssi :int

Signal strength of the network

channel :int

Channel number the network is operating on

country :str

String id of the country code

authmode :str

String id of the authmode

class wifi.Radio

Native wifi radio.

This class manages the station and access point functionality of the native Wifi radio.

You cannot create an instance of wifi.Radio. Use wifi.radio to access the sole instance available.

enabled :bool

True when the wifi radio is enabled. If you set the value to False, any open sockets will be closed.

mac_address :bytes

MAC address of the wifi radio. (read-only)

hostname :_typing.ReadableBuffer

Hostname for wifi interface. When the hostname is altered after interface started/connected the changes would only be reflected once the interface restarts/reconnects.

ipv4_gateway :Optional[ipaddress.IPv4Address]

IP v4 Address of the gateway when connected to an access point. None otherwise.

ipv4_subnet :Optional[ipaddress.IPv4Address]

IP v4 Address of the subnet when connected to an access point. None otherwise.

ipv4_address :Optional[ipaddress.IPv4Address]

IP v4 Address of the radio when connected to an access point. None otherwise.

ipv4 dns :Optional[ipaddress.IPv4Address]

IP v4 Address of the DNS server in use when connected to an access point. None otherwise.

ap_info :Optional[Network]

Network object containing BSSID, SSID, authmode, channel, country and RSSI when connected to an access point. None otherwise.

```
start\_scanning\_networks (self, *, start\_channel: int = 1, stop\_channel: int = 11) \rightarrow Iterable[Network]
```

Scans for available wifi networks over the given channel range. Make sure the channels are allowed in your country.

```
stop\_scanning\_networks(self) \rightarrow None
```

Stop scanning for Wifi networks and free any resources used to do it.

```
connect (self, ssid: _typing.ReadableBuffer, password: _typing.ReadableBuffer = b'', *, channel: Optional[int] = 0, bssid: Optional[_typing.ReadableBuffer] = b'', timeout: Optional[float] = None) \rightarrow bool
```

Connects to the given ssid and waits for an ip address. Reconnections are handled automatically once one connection succeeds.

By default, this will scan all channels and connect to the access point (AP) with the given ssid and greatest signal strength (rssi).

If channel is given, the scan will begin with the given channel and connect to the first AP with the given ssid. This can speed up the connection time significantly because a full scan doesn't occur.

If bssid is given, the scan will start at the first channel or the one given and connect to the AP with the given bssid and ssid.

```
ping (self, ip: ipaddress.IPv4Address, *, timeout: Optional[float] = 0.5) \rightarrow float
```

Ping an IP to test connectivity. Returns echo time in seconds. Returns None when it times out.

class wifi.ScannedNetworks

Iterates over all wifi.Network objects found while scanning. This object is always created by a wifi. Radio: it has no user-visible constructor.

Cannot be instantiated directly. Use wifi.Radio.start_scanning_networks.

```
\_iter\_(self) \rightarrow Iterator[Network]
```

Returns itself since it is the iterator.

```
\_\_\texttt{next}\_\_(self) \rightarrow Network
```

Returns the next wifi. Network. Raises StopIteration if scanning is finished and no other results are available.

wiznet - Support for WizNet hardware, including the WizNet 5500 Ethernet adaptor.

Warning: This module is disabled in 6.x and will removed in 7.x. Please use networking libraries instead.

```
class wiznet.WIZNET5K (spi: busio.SPI, cs: microcontroller.Pin, rst: microcontroller.Pin, dhcp: bool = True)
```

Wrapper for Wiznet 5500 Ethernet interface

Create a new WIZNET5500 interface using the specified pins

Parameters

• spi (SPI) – spi bus to use

- cs (Pin) pin to use for Chip Select
- rst (Pin) pin to use for Reset (optional)
- **dhcp** (bool) boolean flag, whether to start DHCP automatically (optional, keyword only, default True)
- The reset pin is optional: if supplied it is used to reset the wiznet board before initialization.
- The SPI bus will be initialized appropriately by this library.
- At present, the WIZNET5K object is a singleton, so only one WizNet interface is supported at a time.

connected :bool

(boolean, readonly) is this device physically connected?

dhcp :bool

(boolean, readwrite) is DHCP active on this device?

• set to True to activate DHCP, False to turn it off

ifconfig (*self*, *params: Optional[Tuple[str*, str, str, str]] = None) \rightarrow Optional[Tuple[str, str, str, str]] Called without parameters, returns a tuple of (ip_address, subnet_mask, gateway_address, dns_server)

Or can be called with the same tuple to set those parameters. Setting if config parameters turns DHCP off, if it was on.

help() - Built-in method to provide helpful information

help(object=None)

Prints a help method about the given object. When object is none, prints general port information.

1.8.2 Supported Ports

CircuitPython supports a number of microcontroller families. Support quality for each varies depending on the active contributors for each port.

Adafruit sponsored developers are actively contributing to atmel-samd, mimxrt10xx, nrf and stm ports. They also maintain the other ports in order to ensure the boards build. Additional testing is limited.

SAMD21 and SAMD51

This port supports many development boards that utilize SAMD21 and SAMD51 chips. See https://circuitpython.org/downloads for all supported boards.

Building

For build instructions see this guide: https://learn.adafruit.com/building-circuitpython/

Debugging

For debugging instructions see this guide: https://learn.adafruit.com/debugging-the-samd21-with-gdb

Port Specific modules

CircuitPython port to Spresense

This directory contains the port of CircuitPython to Spresense. It is a compact development board based on Sony's power-efficient multicore microcontroller CXD5602.

Board features:

- · Integrated GPS
 - The embedded GNSS with support for GPS, QZSS and GLONASS enables applications where tracking is required.
- · Hi-res audio output and multi mic inputs
 - Advanced 192kHz/24 bit audio codec and amplifier for audio output, and support for up to 8 mic input channels.
- Multicore microcontroller
 - Spresense is powered by Sony's CXD5602 microcontroller (ARM® Cortex®-M4F × 6 cores), with a clock speed of 156 MHz.

Currently, Spresense port does not support Audio and Multicore.

Refer to developer.sony.com/develop/spresense/ for further information about this board.

Prerequisites

Linux

Add user to dialout group:

```
$ sudo usermod -a -G dialout <user-name>
```

Windows

Download and install USB serial driver

- CP210x USB to serial driver for Windows 7/8/8.1
- CP210x USB to serial driver for Windows 10

macOS

Download and install USB serial driver

• CP210x USB to serial driver for Mac OS X

Build instructions

Pull all submodules into your clone:

```
$ git submodule update --init --recursive
```

Build the MicroPython cross-compiler:

```
$ make -C mpy-cross
```

Change directory to cxd56:

```
$ cd ports/cxd56
```

To build circuitpython image run:

```
$ make BOARD=spresense
```

USB connection

Connect the Spresense main board to the PC via the USB cable.

Flash the bootloader

The correct bootloader is required for the Spresense board to function.

Bootloader information:

- The bootloader has to be flashed the very first time the board is used.
- You have to accept the End User License Agreement to be able to download and use the Spresense bootloader binary.

Download the spresense binaries zip archive from: Spresense firmware v2-0-002

Extract spresense binaries in your PC to ports/spresense/spresense-exported-sdk/firmware/

To flash the bootloader run the command:

```
$ make BOARD=spresense flash-bootloader
```

Flash the circuitpython image

To flash the firmware run the command:

\$ make BOARD=spresense flash

Accessing the board

Connect the Spresense extension board to the PC via the USB cable.

Once built and deployed, access the CircuitPython REPL (the Python prompt) via USB. You can run:

\$ screen /dev/ttyACM0 115200

Circuitpython on ESP32-S2

This port adds the ESP32-S2 line of modules from Espressif to Circuitpython. ESP32-S2 modules are low power, single-core Wi-Fi microcontroller SoCs designed for IoT applications.

How this port is organized:

- bindings/ contains some required bindings to the ESP-IDF for exceptions and memory.
- boards/ contains the configuration files for each development board and breakout available on the port.
- common-hal/ contains the port-specific module implementations, used by shared-module and shared-bindings.
- esp-idf/ contains the Espressif IoT development framework installation, including all the drivers for the port.
- modules/ contains information specific to certain ESP32-S2 hardware modules, such as the pins used for flash and RAM on the WROVER and WROOM.
- **peripherals**/ contains peripheral setup files and peripheral mapping information, sorted by family and subvariant. Most files in this directory can be generated with the python scripts in **tools**/.
- **supervisor/** contains port-specific implementations of internal flash, serial and USB, as well as the **port.c** file, which initializes the port at startup.
- tools/ includes useful python scripts for debugging and other purposes.

At the root level, refer to **mpconfigboard.h** and **mpconfigport.mk** for port specific settings and a list of enabled circuitpython modules.

Connecting to the ESP32-S2

The USB port built into ESP32-S2 boards such as the Saola is not the native USB of the board, but a debugging and programming interface. The actual ESP32-S2 native USB which exposes the Circuitpython drive and CDC connection is located on IO pins 19 and 20:

GPIO	USB
20	D+ (green)
19	D- (white)
GND	GND (black)
5V	+5V (red)

Connect these pins using a USB adapter or breakout cable to access the Circuitpython drive.

Building and flashing

Before building or flashing the ESP32-S2, you must install the esp-idf. This must be re-done every time the esp-idf is updated, but not every time you build. Run cd ports/esp32s2 from circuitpython/ to move to the esp32s2 port root, and run:

```
./esp-idf/install.sh
```

After this initial installation, you must add the esp-idf tools to your path. You must also do this **any time you open a new bash environment for building or flashing**:

```
. esp-idf/export.sh
```

When Circuitpython updates the ESP-IDF to a new release, you may need to run this installation process again. The exact commands used may also vary based on your bash environment.

Building boards such as the Saola is typically done through make flash. The default port is tty. SLAB_USBtoUART, which will only work on certain Mac setups. On most machines, both Mac and Linux, you will need to set the port yourself by running ls /dev/tty.usb* and selecting the one that only appears when your development board is plugged in. An example make command with the port setting is as follows:

```
make BOARD=espressif_saola_1_wrover flash PORT=/dev/tty.usbserial-1421120
```

Debugging

The ESP32-S2 supports JTAG debugging over OpenOCD using a JLink or other probe hardware. The official tutorials can be found on the Espressif website here, but they are mostly for the ESP32-S2 Kaluga, which has built-in debugging.

OpenOCD is automatically installed and added to your bash environment during the esp-idf installation and setup process. You can double check that it is installed by using openocd --version, as per the tutorial. Attach the JTAG probe pins according to the instructions for JTAG debugging on boards that do not contain an integrated debugger.

Once the debugger is connected physically, you must run OpenOCD with attached configuration files specifying the **interface** (your debugger probe) and either a **target** or a **board** (targets are for SoCs only, and can be used when a full board configuration file doesn't exist). You can find the path location of these files by checking the OPENOCD_SCRIPTS environmental variable by running echo \$OPENOCD_SCRIPTS in bash. Interfaces will be in the interface/ directory, and targets and boards in the target/ and board/ directories, respectively.

Note: Unfortunately, there are no board files for the esp32-s2 other than the Kaluga, and the included target/esp32s2.cfg target file will not work by default on the Jlink for boards like the Saola 1, as the default speed is incorrect. In addition, these files are covered under the GPL and cannot be included in Circuitpython. Thus, you must make a copy of the esp32s2.cfg file yourself and add the following line manually, under transport select jtag at the start of the file:

```
adapter_khz 1000
```

Once this is complete, your final OpenOCD command may look something like this:

```
openocd -f interface/jlink.cfg -f SOMEPATH/copied-esp32s2-saola-1.cfg
```

Where SOMEPATH is the location of your copied configuration file (this can be placed in the port/boards directory with a prefix to ignore it with .gitignore, for instance). Interface, target and board config files sourced from

espressif only need their paths from the \$OPENOCD_SCRIPTS location, you don't need to include their full path. Once OpenOCD is running, connect to GDB with:

```
xtensa-esp32s2-elf-gdb build-espressif_saola_1_wrover/firmware.elf
```

And follow the Espressif GDB tutorial instructions for connecting, or add them to your gdbinit:

```
target remote :3333
set remote hardware-watchpoint-limit 2
mon reset halt
flushregs
thb app_main
c
```

LiteX (FPGA)

LiteX is a Python-based System on a Chip (SoC) designer for open source supported Field Programmable Gate Array (FPGA) chips. This means that the CPU core(s) and peripherals are not defined by the physical chip. Instead, they are loaded as separate "gateware". Once this gateware is loaded, CircuitPython can be loaded on top of it to work as expected.

Installation

You'll need dfu-util to install CircuitPython on the Fomu.

Make sure the foboot bootloader is updated. Instructions are here: https://github.com/im-tomu/fomu-workshop/blob/master/docs/bootloader.rst

Once you've updated the bootloader, you should know how to use dfu-util. It's pretty easy!

To install CircuitPython do:

```
dfu-util -D adafruit-circuitpython-fomu-en_US-<version>.dfu
```

It will install and then restart. CIRCUITPY should appear as it usually does and work the same.

CircuitPython Port To The NXP i.MX RT10xx Series

This is a port of CircuitPython to the i.MX RT10xx series of chips.

CircuitPython Port To The Nordic Semiconductor nRF52 Series

This is a port of CircuitPython to the Nordic Semiconductor nRF52 series of chips.

NOTE: There are board-specific READMEs that may be more up to date than the generic board-neutral documentation below.

Flash

Some boards have UF2 bootloaders and can simply be flashed in the normal way, by copying firmware.uf2 to the BOOT drive.

For some boards, you can use the flash target:

make BOARD=pca10056 flash

Segger Targets

Install the necessary tools to flash and debug using Segger:

JLink Download

nrfjprog linux-32bit Download

nrfjprog linux-64bit Download

nrfjprog osx Download

nrfjprog win32 Download

note: On Linux it might be required to link SEGGER's libjlinkarm. so inside nrfjprog's folder.

DFU Targets

run follow command to install adafruit-nrfutil from PyPi

```
$ pip3 install --user adafruit-nrfutil
```

make flash and make sd will not work with DFU targets. Hence, dfu-gen and dfu-flash must be used instead.

- dfu-gen: Generates a Firmware zip to be used by the DFU flash application.
- dfu-flash: Triggers the DFU flash application to upload the firmware from the generated Firmware zip file.

When enabled you have different options to test it:

- NUS Console for Linux (recommended)
- WebBluetooth REPL (experimental)

RP2040

This port supports many development boards that utilize RP2040 chips. See https://circuitpython.org/downloads for all supported boards.

Building

For build instructions see this guide: https://learn.adafruit.com/building-circuitpython/

Port Specific modules

Circuitpython on STM32

This port brings the ST Microelectronics STM32 series of MCUs to Circuitpython. STM32 chips have a wide range of capability, from <\$1 low power STM32F0s to dual-core STM32H7s running at 400+ MHz. Currently, only the F4, F7, and H7 families are supported, powered by the ARM Cortex M4 and M7 processors.

Refer to the ST Microelectronics website for more information on features sorted by family and individual chip lines: st.com/en/microcontrollers-microprocessors/stm32-high-performance-mcus.html

STM32 SoCs vary product-by-product in clock speed, peripheral capability, pin assignments, and their support within this port. Refer to **mpconfigport.mk** for a full list of enabled modules sorted by family.

How this port is organized:

- boards/ contains the configuration files for each development board and breakout available on the port, as well as system files and both shared and SoC-specific linker files. Board configuration includes a pin mapping of the board, oscillator information, board-specific build flags, and setup for OLED or TFT screens where applicable.
- common-hal/ contains the port-specific module implementations, used by shared-module and shared-bindings.
- packages/ contains package-specific pin bindings (LQFP100, BGA216, etc)
- **peripherals**/ contains peripheral setup files and peripheral mapping information, sorted by family and subvariant. Most files in this directory can be generated with the python scripts in **tools**/.
- st-driver/ submodule for ST HAL and LL files generated via CubeMX. Shared with TinyUSB.
- **supervisor**/ contains port-specific implementations of internal flash, serial and USB, as well as the **port.c** file, which initializes the port at startup.
- tools/ python scripts for generating peripheral and pin mapping files in peripherals/ and board/.

At the root level, refer to **mpconfigboard.h** and **mpconfigport.mk** for port specific settings and a list of enabled modules.

Build instructions

Ensure your clone of Circuitpython is ready to build by following the guide on the Adafruit Website. This includes installing the toolchain, synchronizing submodules, and running mpy-cross.

Once the one-time build tasks are complete, you can build at any time by navigating to the port directory:

\$ cd ports/stm

To build for a specific circuitpython board, run:

\$ make BOARD=feather_stm32f405_express

You may also build with certain flags available in the makefile, depending on your board and development goals. The following flags would enable debug information and correct flash locations for a pre-flashed UF2 bootloader:

\$ make BOARD=feather_stm32f405_express DEBUG=1 UF2_BOOTLOADER=1

USB connection

Connect your development board of choice to the host PC via the USB cable. Note that for most ST development boards such as the Nucleo and Discovery series, you must use a secondary OTG USB connector to access circuit-python, as the primary USB connector will be connected to a built-in ST-Link debugger rather than the chip itself.

In many cases, this ST-Link USB connector will **still need to be connected to power** for the chip to turn on - refer to your specific product manual for details.

Flash the bootloader

Most ST development boards come with a built-in STLink programming and debugging probe accessible via USB. This programmer may show up as an MBED drive on the host PC, enabling simple drag and drop programming with a .bin file, or they may require a tool like OpenOCD or StLink-org/stlink to run flashing and debugging commands.

Many hobbyist and 3rd party development boards also expose SWD pins. These can be used with a cheap stlink debugger or other common programmers.

For non-ST products or users without a debugger, all STM32 boards in the high performance families (F4, F7 and H7) include a built-in DFU bootloader stored in ROM. This bootloader is accessed by ensuring the BOOT0 pin is held to a logic 1 and the BOOT1 pin is held to a logic 0 when the chip is reset (ST Appnote AN2606). Most chips hold BOOT low by default, so this can usually be achieved by running a jumper wire from 3.3V power to the BOOT0 pin, if it is exposed, or by flipping the appropriate switch or button as the chip is reset. Once the chip is started in DFU mode, BOOT0 no longer needs to be held high and can be released. An example is available in the Feather STM32F405 guide.

Windows users will need to install stm32cubeprog, while Mac and Linux users will need to install dfu-util with brew install dfu-util or sudo apt-get install dfu-util. More details are available in the Feather F405 guide.

Flashing the circuitpython image with DFU-Util

Ensure the board is in dfu mode by following the steps in the previous section. Then run:

```
$ make BOARD=feather_stm32F405_express flash
```

Alternatively, you can navigate to the build directory and run the raw dfu-util command:

```
dfu-util -a 0 --dfuse-address 0x08000000 -D firmware.bin
```

Accessing the board

Connecting the board to the PC via the USB cable will allow code to be uploaded to the CIRCUITPY volume.

Circuitpython exposes a CDC virtual serial connection for REPL access and debugging. Connecting to it from OSX will look something like this:

```
screen /dev/tty.usbmodem14111201 115200
```

You may also use a program like mu to assist with REPL access.

1.8.3 Troubleshooting

From time to time, an error occurs when working with CircuitPython. Here are a variety of errors that can happen, what they mean and how to fix them.

File system issues

If your host computer starts complaining that your CIRCUITPY drive is corrupted or files cannot be overwritten or deleted, then you will have to erase it completely. When CircuitPython restarts it will create a fresh empty CIRCUITPY filesystem.

This often happens on Windows when the CIRCUITPY disk is not safely ejected before being reset by the button or being disconnected from USB. This can also happen on Linux and Mac OSX but it's less likely.

Caution: To erase and re-create CIRCUITPY (for example, to correct a corrupted filesystem), follow one of the procedures below. It's important to note that **any files stored on the** CIRCUITPY **drive will be erased**.

For boards with CIRCUITPY stored on a separate SPI flash chip, such as Feather M0 Express, Metro M0 Express and Circuit Playground Express:

- 1. Download the appropriate flash .erase uf2 from the Adafruit_SPIFlash repo.
- 2. Double-click the reset button.
- 3. Copy the appropriate .uf2 to the xxxBOOT drive.
- 4. The on-board NeoPixel will turn blue, indicating the erase has started.
- 5. After about 15 seconds, the NexoPixel will start flashing green. If it flashes red, the erase failed.
- 6. Double-click again and load the appropriate CircuitPython .uf2.

For boards without SPI flash, such as Feather M0 Proto, Gemma M0 and, Trinket M0:

- 1. Download the appropriate erase .uf2 from the Learn repo.
- 2. Double-click the reset button.
- 3. Copy the appropriate .uf2 to the xxxBOOT drive.
- 4. The boot LED will start pulsing again, and the xxxBOOT drive will appear again.
- 5. Load the appropriate CircuitPython .uf2.

ValueError: Incompatible .mpy file.

This error occurs when importing a module that is stored as a mpy binary file (rather than a py text file) that was generated by a different version of CircuitPython than the one it's being loaded into. Most versions are compatible but, rarely they aren't. In particular, the mpy binary format changed between CircuitPython versions 1.x and 2.x, and will change again between 2.x and 3.x.

So, for instance, if you just upgraded to CircuitPython 2.x from 1.x you'll need to download a newer version of the library that triggered the error on import. They are all available in the Adafruit bundle and the Community bundle. Make sure to download a version with 2.0.0 or higher in the filename.

1.8.4 Additional CircuitPython Libraries and Drivers on GitHub

These are libraries and drivers available in separate GitHub repos. They are designed for use with CircuitPython and may or may not work with MicroPython.

Adafruit CircuitPython Library Bundle

We provide a bundle of all our libraries to ease installation of drivers and their dependencies. The bundle is primarily geared to the Adafruit Express line of boards which feature a relatively large external flash. With Express boards, it's easy to copy them all onto the filesystem. However, if you don't have enough space simply copy things over as they are needed.

- The Adafruit bundles are available on GitHub: https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit_CircuitPython_Bundle/releases.
- Documentation for the bundle, which includes links to documentation for all libraries, is available here: https://circuitpython.readthedocs.io/projects/bundle/en/latest/>.

CircuitPython Community Library Bundle

This bundle contains non-Adafruit sponsored libraries, that are written and submitted by members of the community.

- The Community bundles are available on GitHub: https://github.com/adafruit/CircuitPython_Community_Bundle/releases.
- Documentation is not available on ReadTheDocs at this time. See each library for any included documentation.

1.8.5 Design Guide

This guide covers a variety of development practices for CircuitPython core and library APIs. These APIs are both built-into CircuitPython and those that are distributed on GitHub and in the Adafruit and Community bundles. Consistency with these practices ensures that beginners can learn a pattern once and apply it throughout the CircuitPython ecosystem.

Start libraries with the cookiecutter

Cookiecutter is a tool that lets you bootstrap a new repo based on another repo. We've made one here for CircuitPython libraries that include configs for Travis CI and ReadTheDocs along with a setup.py, license, code of conduct and readme.

Cookiecutter will provide a series of prompts relating to the library and then create a new directory with all of the files. See the CircuitPython cookiecutter README for more details.

Module Naming

Adafruit funded libraries should be under the adafruit organization and have the format Adafruit_CircuitPython_<name> and have a corresponding adafruit_<name> directory (aka package) or adafruit_<name>.py file (aka module).

If the name would normally have a space, such as "Thermal Printer", use an underscore instead ("Thermal_Printer"). This underscore will be used everywhere even when the separation between "adafruit" and "circuitpython" is done with a -. Use the underscore in the cookiecutter prompts.

Community created libraries should have the repo format CircuitPython_<name> and not have the adafruit_ module or package prefix.

Both should have the CircuitPython repository topic on GitHub.

Terminology

As our Code of Conduct states, we strive to use "welcoming and inclusive language." Whether it is in documentation or in code, the words we use matter. This means we disfavor language that due to historical and social context can make community members and potential community members feel unwelcome.

There are specific terms to avoid except where technical limitations require it. While specific cases may call for other terms, consider using these suggested terms first:

Preferred	Deprecated
Main (device)	Master
Peripheral	Slave
Sensor	
Secondary (device)	
Denylist	Blacklist
Allowlist	Whitelist

Note that "technical limitations" refers e.g., to the situation where an upstream library or URL has to contain those substrings in order to work. However, when it comes to documentation and the names of parameters and properties in CircuitPython, we will use alternate terms even if this breaks tradition with past practice.

Lifetime and ContextManagers

A driver should be initialized and ready to use after construction. If the device requires deinitialization, then provide it through deinit() and also provide __enter__ and __exit__ to create a context manager usable with with.

For example, a user can then use deinit():

```
import digitalio
import board
import time

led = digitalio.DigitalInOut(board.D13)
led.direction = digitalio.Direction.OUTPUT

for i in range(10):
    led.value = True
    time.sleep(0.5)

led.value = False
    time.sleep(0.5)
led.deinit()
```

This will deinit the underlying hardware at the end of the program as long as no exceptions occur.

Alternatively, using a with statement ensures that the hardware is deinitialized:

```
import digitalio
import board
import time
```

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```
with digitalio.DigitalInOut(board.D13) as led:
    led.direction = digitalio.Direction.OUTPUT

for i in range(10):
    led.value = True
    time.sleep(0.5)

led.value = False
    time.sleep(0.5)
```

Python's with statement ensures that the deinit code is run regardless of whether the code within the with statement executes without exceptions.

For small programs like the examples this isn't a major concern because all user usable hardware is reset after programs are run or the REPL is run. However, for more complex programs that may use hardware intermittently and may also handle exceptions on their own, deinitializing the hardware using a with statement will ensure hardware isn't enabled longer than needed.

Verify your device

Whenever possible, make sure device you are talking to is the device you expect. If not, raise a RuntimeError. Beware that I2C addresses can be identical on different devices so read registers you know to make sure they match your expectation. Validating this upfront will help catch mistakes.

Getters/Setters

When designing a driver for a device, use properties for device state and use methods for sequences of abstract actions that the device performs. State is a property of the device as a whole that exists regardless of what the code is doing. This includes things like temperature, time, sound, light and the state of a switch. For a more complete list see the sensor properties bullet below.

Another way to separate state from actions is that state is usually something the user can sense themselves by sight or feel for example. Actions are something the user can watch. The device does this and then this.

Making this separation clear to the user will help beginners understand when to use what.

Here is more info on properties from Python.

Exceptions and asserts

Raise an appropriate Exception, along with a useful message, whenever a critical test or other condition fails.

Example:

```
if not 0 <= pin <= 7:
    raise ValueError("Pin number must be 0-7.")</pre>
```

If memory is constrained and a more compact method is needed, use The assert statement instead.

Example:

```
assert 0 <= pin <= 7, "Pin number must be 0-7."</pre>
```

Design for compatibility with CPython

CircuitPython is aimed to be one's first experience with code. It will be the first step into the world of hardware and software. To ease one's exploration out from this first step, make sure that functionality shared with CPython shares the same API. It doesn't need to be the full API it can be a subset. However, do not add non-CPython APIs to the same modules. Instead, use separate non-CPython modules to add extra functionality. By distinguishing API boundaries at modules you increase the likelihood that incorrect expectations are found on import and not randomly during runtime.

When adding a new module for additional functionality related to a CPython module do NOT simply prefix it with u. This is not a large enough differentiation from CPython. This is the MicroPython convention and they use u* modules interchangeably with the CPython name. This is confusing. Instead, think up a new name that is related to the extra functionality you are adding.

For example, storage mounting and unmounting related functions were moved from uos into a new storage module. Terminal related functions were moved into multiterminal. These names better match their functionality and do not conflict with CPython names. Make sure to check that you don't conflict with CPython libraries too. That way we can port the API to CPython in the future.

Example

When adding extra functionality to CircuitPython to mimic what a normal operating system would do, either copy an existing CPython API (for example file writing) or create a separate module to achieve what you want. For example, mounting and unmount drives is not a part of CPython so it should be done in a module, such as a new storage module, that is only available in CircuitPython. That way when someone moves the code to CPython they know what parts need to be adapted.

Document inline

Whenever possible, document your code right next to the code that implements it. This makes it more likely to stay up to date with the implementation itself. Use Sphinx's automodule to format these all nicely in ReadTheDocs. The cookiecutter helps set these up.

Use Sphinx flavor rST for markup.

Lots of documentation is a good thing but it can take a lot of space. To minimize the space used on disk and on load, distribute the library as both .py and .mpy, MicroPython and CircuitPython's bytecode format that omits comments.

Module description

After the license comment:

Class description

At the class level document what class does and how to initialize it:

```
class DS3231:
    """DS3231 real-time clock.

    :param ~busio.I2C i2c_bus: The I2C bus the DS3231 is connected to.
    :param int address: The I2C address of the device.
    """

def __init__(self, i2c_bus, address=0x40):
    self._i2c = i2c_bus
```

Renders as:

```
Class DS3231 (i2c_bus, address=64) DS3231 real-time clock.
```

Parameters

- i2c_bus (I2C) The I2C bus the DS3231 is connected to.
- address (int) The I2C address of the device.

Attributes

Attributes are state on objects. (See *Getters/Setters* above for more discussion about when to use them.) They can be defined internally in a number of different ways. Each approach is enumerated below with an explanation of where the comment goes.

Regardless of how the attribute is implemented, it should have a short description of what state it represents including the type, possible values and/or units. It should be marked as (read-only) or (write-only) at the end of the first line for attributes that are not both readable and writable.

Instance attributes

Comment comes from after the assignment:

Renders as:

drive mode

The pin drive mode. One of:

- digitalio.DriveMode.PUSH_PULL
- digitalio.DriveMode.OPEN_DRAIN

Property description

Comment comes from the getter:

```
@property
def datetime(self):
    """The current date and time as a `time.struct_time`."""
    return self.datetime_register

@datetime.setter
def datetime(self, value):
    pass
```

Renders as:

datetime

The current date and time as a time.struct_time.

Read-only example:

```
@property
def temperature(self):
    """
    The current temperature in degrees Celsius. (read-only)

    The device may require calibration to get accurate readings.
    """
    return self._read(TEMPERATURE)
```

Renders as:

temperature

The current temperature in degrees Celsius. (read-only)

The device may require calibration to get accurate readings.

Data descriptor description

Comment is after the definition:

```
lost_power = i2c_bit.RWBit(0x0f, 7)
"""True if the device has lost power since the time was set."""
```

Renders as:

lost_power

True if the device has lost power since the time was set.

Method description

First line after the method definition:

```
def turn_right(self, degrees):
    """Turns the bot ``degrees`` right.
    :param float degrees: Degrees to turn right
    """
```

Renders as:

```
turn_right (degrees)
```

Turns the bot degrees right.

Parameters degrees (float) - Degrees to turn right

Use BusDevice

BusDevice is an awesome foundational library that manages talking on a shared I2C or SPI device for you. The devices manage locking which ensures that a transfer is done as a single unit despite CircuitPython internals and, in the future, other Python threads. For I2C, the device also manages the device address. The SPI device, manages baudrate settings, chip select line and extra post-transaction clock cycles.

I2C Example

```
from adafruit_bus_device import i2c_device

DEVICE_DEFAULT_I2C_ADDR = 0x42

class Widget:
    """A generic widget."""

def __init___(self, i2c, address=DEVICE_DEFAULT_I2C_ADDR):
    self.i2c_device = i2c_device.I2CDevice(i2c, address)
    self.buf = bytearray(1)

@property
def register(self):
    """Widget's one register."""
    with self.i2c_device as i2c:
        i2c.writeto(b'0x00')
        i2c.readfrom_into(self.buf)
    return self.buf[0]
```

SPI Example

```
from adafruit_bus_device import spi_device

class SPIWidget:
    """A generic widget with a weird baudrate."""

def __init__(self, spi, chip_select):
    # chip_select is a pin reference such as board.D10.
    self.spi_device = spi_device.SPIDevice(spi, chip_select, baudrate=12345)
    self.buf = bytearray(1)

@property
def register(self):
    """Widget's one register."""
    with self.spi_device as spi:
        spi.write(b'0x00')
        spi.readinto(self.buf)
    return self.buf[0]
```

Use composition

When writing a driver, take in objects that provide the functionality you need rather than taking their arguments and constructing them yourself or subclassing a parent class with functionality. This technique is known as composition and leads to code that is more flexible and testable than traditional inheritance.

See also:

Wikipedia has more information on "dependency inversion".

For example, if you are writing a driver for an I2C device, then take in an I2C object instead of the pins themselves. This allows the calling code to provide any object with the appropriate methods such as an I2C expansion board.

Another example is to expect a <code>DigitalInOut</code> for a pin to toggle instead of a <code>Pin</code> from <code>board</code>. Taking in the <code>Pin</code> object alone would limit the driver to pins on the actual microcontroller instead of pins provided by another driver such as an IO expander.

Lots of small modules

CircuitPython boards tend to have a small amount of internal flash and a small amount of ram but large amounts of external flash for the file system. So, create many small libraries that can be loaded as needed instead of one large file that does everything.

Speed second

Speed isn't as important as API clarity and code size. So, prefer simple APIs like properties for state even if it sacrifices a bit of speed.

Avoid allocations in drivers

Although Python doesn't require managing memory, it's still a good practice for library writers to think about memory allocations. Avoid them in drivers if you can because you never know how much something will be called. Fewer allocations means less time spent cleaning up. So, where you can, prefer bytearray buffers that are created in __init__ and used throughout the object with methods that read or write into the buffer instead of creating new objects. Unified hardware API classes such as busio. SPI are design to read and write to subsections of buffers.

It's ok to allocate an object to return to the user. Just beware of causing more than one allocation per call due to internal logic.

However, this is a memory tradeoff so do not do it for large or rarely used buffers.

Examples

struct.pack

Use struct.pack_into instead of struct.pack.

Use of MicroPython const ()

The MicroPython const () feature, as discussed in this forum post, and in this issue thread, provides some optimizations that can be useful on smaller, memory constrained devices. However, when using const (), keep in mind these general guide lines:

- Always use via an import, ex: from micropython import const
- Limit use to global (module level) variables only.
- If user will not need access to variable, prefix name with a leading underscore, ex: _SOME_CONST.

Sensor properties and units

The Adafruit Unified Sensor Driver Arduino library has a great list of measurements and their units. Use the same ones including the property name itself so that drivers can be used interchangeably when they have the same properties.

Property name	Python type	Units
acceleration	(float, float,	x, y, z meter per second per second
	float)	
magnetic	(float, float,	x, y, z micro-Tesla (uT)
	float)	
orientation	(float, float,	x, y, z degrees
	float)	
gyro	(float, float,	x, y, z radians per second
	float)	
temperature	float	degrees centigrade
CO2	float	measured CO2 in ppm
eCO2	float	equivalent/estimated CO2 in ppm (estimated from some other mea-
		surement)
TVOC	float	Total Volatile Organic Compounds in ppb
distance	float	centimeters
proximity	int	non-unit-specifc proximity values (monotonic but not actual distance)
light	float	non-unit-specific light levels (should be monotonic but is not lux)
lux	float	SI lux
pressure	float	hectopascal (hPa)
relative_humidity	float	percent
current	float	milliamps (mA)
voltage	float	volts (V)
color	int	RGB, eight bits per channel (0xff0000 is red)
alarm	(time.struct,	Sample alarm time and string to characterize frequency such as
	str)	"hourly"
datetime	time.struct	date and time
duty_cycle	int	16-bit PWM duty cycle (regardless of output resolution)
frequency	int	Hertz
value	bool	Digital logic
value	int	16-bit Analog value, unit-less
weight	float	grams (g)
sound_level	float	non-unit-specific sound level (monotonic but not actual decibels)

Adding native modules

The Python API for a new module should be defined and documented in shared-bindings and define an underlying C API. If the implementation is port-agnostic or relies on underlying APIs of another module, the code should live in shared-module. If it is port specific then it should live in common-hal within the port's folder. In either case, the file and folder structure should mimic the structure in shared-bindings.

To test your native modules or core enhancements, follow these Adafruit Learning Guides for building local firmware to flash onto your device(s):

SAMD21 - Build Firmware Learning Guide

ESP8266 - Build Firmware Learning Guide

MicroPython compatibility

Keeping compatibility with MicroPython isn't a high priority. It should be done when it's not in conflict with any of the above goals.

We love CircuitPython and would love to see it come to more microcontroller platforms. Since 3.0 we've reworked CircuitPython to make it easier than ever to add support. While there are some major differences between ports, this page covers the similarities that make CircuitPython what it is and how that core fits into a variety of microcontrollers.

1.8.6 Architecture

There are three core pieces to CircuitPython:

The first is the Python VM that the awesome MicroPython devs have created. These VMs are written to be portable so there is not much needed when moving to a different microcontroller, especially if it is ARM based.

The second is the infrastructure around those VMs which provides super basic operating system functionality such as initializing hardware, running USB, prepping file systems and automatically running user code on boot. In CircuitPython we've dubbed this component the supervisor because it monitors and facilitates the VMs which run user Python code. Porting involves the supervisor because many of the tasks it does while interfacing with the hardware. Once complete, the REPL works and debugging can migrate to a Python based approach rather than C.

The third core piece is the plethora of low level APIs that CircuitPython provides as the foundation for higher level libraries including device drivers. These APIs are called from within the running VMs through the Python interfaces defined in shared-bindings. These bindings rely on the underlying common_hal C API to implement the functionality needed for the Python API. By splitting the two, we work to ensure standard functionality across which means that libraries and examples apply across ports with minimal changes.

1.8.7 Porting

Step 1: Getting building

The first step to porting to a new microcontroller is getting a build running. The primary goal of it should be to get main.c compiling with the assistance of the supervisor/supervisor.mk file. Port specific code should be isolated to the port's directory (in the top level until the port's directory is present). This includes the Makefile and any C library resources. Make sure these resources are compatible with the MIT License of the rest of the code!

Circuitpython has a number of modules enabled by default in py/circuitpy_mpconfig.mk. Most of these modules will need to be disabled in mpconfigboard.mk during the early stages of a port in order for it to compile. As the port progresses in module support, this list can be pruned down as a natural "TODO" list. An example minimal build list is shown below:

```
# These modules are implemented in ports/<port>/common-hal:

# Typically the first module to create
CIRCUITPY_MICROCONTROLLER = 0
# Typically the second module to create
CIRCUITPY_DIGITALIO = 0
# Other modules:
CIRCUITPY_ANALOGIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_BUSIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_COUNTIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_NEOPIXEL_WRITE = 0
CIRCUITPY_PULSEIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_OS = 0
```

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```
CIRCUITPY_NVM = 0
CIRCUITPY AUDIOBUSIO = 0
CIRCUITPY\_AUDIOIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_ROTARYIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_RTC = 0
CIRCUITPY\_SDCARDIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_FRAMEBUFFERIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_FREQUENCYIO = 0
CIRCUITPY_I2CPERIPHERAL = 0
# Requires SPI, PulseIO (stub ok):
CIRCUITPY_DISPLAYIO = 0
# These modules are implemented in shared-module/ - they can be included in
# any port once their prerequisites in common-hal are complete.
# Requires DigitalIO:
CIRCUITPY_BITBANGIO = 0
# Requires DigitalIO
CIRCUITPY\_GAMEPAD = 0
# Requires neopixel_write or SPI (dotstar)
CIRCUITPY_PIXELBUF = 0
# Requires OS
CIRCUITPY_RANDOM = 0
# Requires OS, filesystem
CIRCUITPY\_STORAGE = 0
# Requires Microcontroller
CIRCUITPY\_TOUCHIO = 0
# Requires USB
CIRCUITPY USB HID = 0
CIRCUITPY_USB_MIDI = 0
# Does nothing without I2C
CIRCUITPY_REQUIRE_I2C_PULLUPS = 0
# No requirements, but takes extra flash
CIRCUITPY\_ULAB = 0
```

Step 2: Init

Once your build is setup, the next step should be to get your clocks going as you expect from the supervisor. The supervisor calls port_init to allow for initialization at the beginning of main. This function also has the ability to request a safe mode state which prevents the supervisor from running user code while still allowing access to the REPL and other resources.

The core port initialization and reset methods are defined in <code>supervisor/port.c</code> and should be the first to be implemented. It's required that they be implemented in the <code>supervisor</code> directory within the port directory. That way, they are always in the expected place.

The supervisor also uses three linker variables, _ezero, _estack and _ebss to determine memory layout for stack overflow checking.

Step 3: REPL

Getting the REPL going is a huge step. It involves a bunch of initialization to be done correctly and is a good sign you are well on your porting way. To get the REPL going you must implement the functions and definitions from supervisor/serial.h with a corresponding supervisor/serial.c in the port directory. This involves sending and receiving characters over some sort of serial connection. It could be UART or USB for example.

1.8.8 Adding *io support to other ports

digitalio provides a well-defined, cross-port hardware abstraction layer built to support different devices and their drivers. It's backed by the Common HAL, a C api suitable for supporting different hardware in a similar manner. By sharing this C api, developers can support new hardware easily and cross-port functionality to the new hardware.

These instructions also apply to analogio, busio, pulseio and touchio. Most drivers depend on analogio, digitalio and busio so start with those.

File layout

Common HAL related files are found in these locations:

- shared-bindings Shared home for the Python <-> C bindings which includes inline RST documentation for the created interfaces. The common hal functions are defined in the .h files of the corresponding C files.
- shared-modules Shared home for C code built on the Common HAL and used by all ports. This code only uses common_hal methods defined in shared-bindings.
- <port>/common-hal Port-specific implementation of the Common HAL.

Each folder has the substructure of / and they should match 1:1. __init__.c is used for module globals that are not classes (similar to __init__.py).

Adding support

Modifying the build

The first step is to hook the shared-bindings into your build for the modules you wish to support. Here's an example of this step for the atmel-samd/Makefile:

```
SRC_BINDINGS = \
       board/__init__.c \
       microcontroller/__init__.c \
        microcontroller/Pin.c \
        analogio/__init__.c \
        analogio/AnalogIn.c \
        analogio/AnalogOut.c \
        digitalio/__init__.c \
        digitalio/DigitalInOut.c \
        pulseio/__init__.c \
        pulseio/PulseIn.c \
        pulseio/PulseOut.c \
        pulseio/PWMOut.c \
        busio/__init__.c \
        busio/I2C.c \
        busio/SPI.c \
        busio/UART.c \
```

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The Makefile defines the modules to build and adds the sources to include the shared-bindings version and the common-hal version within the port specific directory. You may comment out certain subfolders to reduce the number of modules to add but don't comment out individual classes. It won't compile then.

Hooking the modules in

Built in modules are typically defined in mpconfigport.h. To add support you should have something like:

```
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t microcontroller_module;
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t analogio_module;
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t digitalio_module;
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t pulseio_module;
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t busio_module;
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t board_module;
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t time_module;
extern const struct _mp_obj_module_t neopixel_write_module;
#define MICROPY_PORT_BUILTIN_MODULES \
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_microcontroller), (mp_obj_t)&microcontroller_module }, \
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_analogio), (mp_obj_t)&analogio_module }, \
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_digitalio), (mp_obj_t)&digitalio_module }, \
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_pulseio), (mp_obj_t)&pulseio_module },
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_busio), (mp_obj_t)&busio_module }, \
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_board), (mp_obj_t)&board_module }, \
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_time), (mp_obj_t)&time_module }, \
    { MP_OBJ_NEW_QSTR(MP_QSTR_neopixel_write), (mp_obj_t) & neopixel_write_module } \
```

Implementing the Common HAL

At this point in the port, nothing will compile yet, because there's still work to be done to fix missing sources, compile issues, and link issues. I suggest start with a common-hal directory from another port that implements it such as atmel-samd or esp8266, deleting the function contents and stubbing out any return statements. Once that is done, you should be able to compile cleanly and import the modules, but nothing will work (though you are getting closer).

The last step is actually implementing each function in a port specific way. I can't help you with this. :-) If you have any questions how a Common HAL function should work then see the corresponding .h file in shared-bindings.

Testing

Woohoo! You are almost done. After you implement everything, lots of drivers and sample code should just work. There are a number of drivers and examples written for Adafruit's Feather ecosystem. Here are places to start:

- Adafruit repos with CircuitPython topic
- · Adafruit driver bundle

1.8.9 MicroPython libraries

Python standard libraries and micro-libraries

The libraries below are inherited from MicroPython. They are similar to the standard Python libraries with the same name. They implement a subset of or a variant of the corresponding standard Python library.

CircuitPython's long-term goal is that code written in CircuitPython using Python standard libraries will be runnable on CPython without changes.

These libraries are not enabled on CircuitPython builds with limited flash memory, usually on non-Express builds: binascii, errno, json, re.

These libraries are not currently enabled in any CircuitPython build, but may be in the future, with the u prefix dropped: uctypes, uhashlib, uzlib.

Builtin functions and exceptions

All builtin functions and exceptions are described here. They are also available via builtins module.

Functions and types

Not all of these functions and types are turned on in all CircuitPython ports, for space reasons.

```
delattr(obj, name)
     The argument name should be a string, and this function deletes the named attribute from the object given by
     obj.
class dict
dir()
divmod()
enumerate()
eval()
exec()
filter()
class float
class frozenset
frozenset () is not enabled on non-Express CircuitPython boards.
getattr()
globals()
hasattr()
hash()
hex()
id()
input()
class int
     classmethod from_bytes(bytes, byteorder)
          In CircuitPython, byteorder parameter must be positional (this is compatible with CPython).
     to_bytes (size, byteorder)
          In CircuitPython, byteorder parameter must be positional (this is compatible with CPython).
isinstance()
issubclass()
iter()
len()
class list
locals()
map()
max()
class memoryview
min()
next()
class object
```

```
oct()
open()
ord()
pow()
print()
property()
range()
repr()
reversed()
reversed() is not enabled on non-Express CircuitPython boards.
round()
class set
setattr()
class slice
    The slice builtin is the type that slice objects have.
sorted()
staticmethod()
class str
sum()
super()
class tuple
type()
zip()
Exceptions
exception AssertionError
exception AttributeError
exception Exception
exception ImportError
exception IndexError
exception KeyboardInterrupt
exception KeyError
exception MemoryError
exception NameError
exception NotImplementedError
```

exception OSError

See CPython documentation: OSError. CircuitPython doesn't implement the errno attribute, instead use the standard way to access exception arguments: exc.args[0].

exception RuntimeError

exception ReloadException

ReloadException is used internally to deal with soft restarts.

exception StopIteration

exception SyntaxError

exception SystemExit

See CPython documentation: SystemExit.

exception TypeError

See CPython documentation: TypeError.

exception ValueError

exception ZeroDivisionError

uheapq - heap queue algorithm

Warning: Though this MicroPython-based library may be available for use in some builds of CircuitPython, it is unsupported and its functionality may change in the future, perhaps significantly. As CircuitPython continues to develop, it may be changed to comply more closely with the corresponding standard Python library. You will likely need to change your code later if you rely on any non-standard functionality it currently provides.

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: heapq.

This module implements the heap queue algorithm.

A heap queue is simply a list that has its elements stored in a certain way.

Functions

```
uheapq.heappush (heap, item)
```

Push the item onto the heap.

uheapq.heappop(heap)

Pop the first item from the heap, and return it. Raises IndexError if heap is empty.

uheapq.heapify(x)

Convert the list x into a heap. This is an in-place operation.

array - arrays of numeric data

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: array.

Supported format codes: b, B, h, H, i, I, I, L, q, Q, f, d (the latter 2 depending on the floating-point support).

Classes

class array.array(typecode[, iterable])

Create array with elements of given type. Initial contents of the array are given by an iterable. If it is not provided, an empty array is created.

append(val)

Append new element val to the end of array, growing it.

extend(iterable)

Append new elements as contained in iterable to the end of array, growing it.

binascii - binary/ASCII conversions

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: binascii.

This module implements conversions between binary data and various encodings of it in ASCII form (in both directions).

Functions

binascii.hexlify(data[, sep])

Convert binary data to hexadecimal representation. Returns bytes string.

Difference to CPython

If additional argument, sep is supplied, it is used as a separator between hexadecimal values.

binascii.unhexlify(data)

Convert hexadecimal data to binary representation. Returns bytes string. (i.e. inverse of hexlify)

```
binascii.a2b_base64 (data)
```

Decode base64-encoded data, ignoring invalid characters in the input. Conforms to RFC 2045 s.6.8. Returns a bytes object.

```
binascii.b2a base64 (data)
```

Encode binary data in base64 format, as in RFC 3548. Returns the encoded data followed by a newline character, as a bytes object.

collections - collection and container types

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This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: collections.

This module implements advanced collection and container types to hold/accumulate various objects.

Classes

```
collections.namedtuple(name, fields)
```

This is factory function to create a new namedtuple type with a specific name and set of fields. A namedtuple is a subclass of tuple which allows to access its fields not just by numeric index, but also with an attribute access syntax using symbolic field names. Fields is a sequence of strings specifying field names. For compatibility with CPython it can also be a string with space-separated field named (but this is less efficient). Example of use:

```
from collections import namedtuple

MyTuple = namedtuple("MyTuple", ("id", "name"))
t1 = MyTuple(1, "foo")
t2 = MyTuple(2, "bar")
print(t1.name)
assert t2.name == t2[1]
```

```
collections.OrderedDict(...)
```

dict type subclass which remembers and preserves the order of keys added. When ordered dict is iterated over, keys/items are returned in the order they were added:

```
from collections import OrderedDict

# To make benefit of ordered keys, OrderedDict should be initialized
# from sequence of (key, value) pairs.
d = OrderedDict([("z", 1), ("a", 2)])
# More items can be added as usual
d["w"] = 5
d["b"] = 3
for k, v in d.items():
    print(k, v)
```

Output:

```
z 1
a 2
w 5
b 3
```

errno - system error codes

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: errno.

This module provides access to symbolic error codes for OSError exception.

Constants

EEXIST, EAGAIN, etc.

Error codes, based on ANSI C/POSIX standard. All error codes start with "E". Errors are usually accessible as exc.args[0] where exc is an instance of OSError. Usage example:

```
try:
    os.mkdir("my_dir")
except OSError as exc:
    if exc.args[0] == errno.EEXIST:
        print("Directory already exists")
```

errno.errorcode

Dictionary mapping numeric error codes to strings with symbolic error code (see above):

```
>>> print(errno.errorcode[uerrno.EEXIST])
EEXIST
```

gc - control the garbage collector

Warning: Though this MicroPython-based library may be available for use in some builds of CircuitPython, it is unsupported and its functionality may change in the future, perhaps significantly. As CircuitPython continues to develop, it may be changed to comply more closely with the corresponding standard Python library. You will likely need to change your code later if you rely on any non-standard functionality it currently provides.

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: gc.

Functions

```
gc.enable()
```

Enable automatic garbage collection.

qc.disable()

Disable automatic garbage collection. Heap memory can still be allocated, and garbage collection can still be initiated manually using gc.collect().

```
gc.collect()
```

Run a garbage collection.

gc.mem_alloc()

Return the number of bytes of heap RAM that are allocated.

Difference to CPython

This function is a MicroPython extension.

gc.mem_free()

Return the number of bytes of available heap RAM, or -1 if this amount is not known.

Difference to CPython

This function is a MicroPython extension.

gc.threshold([amount])

Set or query the additional GC allocation threshold. Normally, a collection is triggered only when a new allocation cannot be satisfied, i.e. on an out-of-memory (OOM) condition. If this function is called, in addition to OOM, a collection will be triggered each time after *amount* bytes have been allocated (in total, since the previous time such an amount of bytes have been allocated). *amount* is usually specified as less than the full heap size, with the intention to trigger a collection earlier than when the heap becomes exhausted, and in the hope that an early collection will prevent excessive memory fragmentation. This is a heuristic measure, the effect of which will vary from application to application, as well as the optimal value of the *amount* parameter.

Calling the function without argument will return the current value of the threshold. A value of -1 means a disabled allocation threshold.

Difference to CPython

This function is a a MicroPython extension. CPython has a similar function - set_threshold(), but due to different GC implementations, its signature and semantics are different.

hashlib - hashing algorithms

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This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: hashlib.

This module implements binary data hashing algorithms. The exact inventory of available algorithms depends on a board. Among the algorithms which may be implemented:

- SHA256 The current generation, modern hashing algorithm (of SHA2 series). It is suitable for cryptographically-secure purposes. Included in the MicroPython core and any board is recommended to provide this, unless it has particular code size constraints.
- SHA1 A previous generation algorithm. Not recommended for new usages, but SHA1 is a part of number of Internet standards and existing applications, so boards targeting network connectivity and interoperability will try to provide this.
- MD5 A legacy algorithm, not considered cryptographically secure. Only selected boards, targeting interoperability with legacy applications, will offer this.

Constructors

Methods

```
hash.update(data)
```

Feed more binary data into hash.

```
hash.digest()
```

Return hash for all data passed through hash, as a bytes object. After this method is called, more data cannot be fed into the hash any longer.

```
hash.hexdigest()
```

This method is NOT implemented. Use binascii.hexlify(hash.digest()) to achieve a similar effect.

io - input/output streams

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: io.

This module contains additional types of stream (file-like) objects and helper functions.

Conceptual hierarchy

Difference to CPython

Conceptual hierarchy of stream base classes is simplified in MicroPython, as described in this section.

(Abstract) base stream classes, which serve as a foundation for behavior of all the concrete classes, adhere to few dichotomies (pair-wise classifications) in CPython. In MicroPython, they are somewhat simplified and made implicit to achieve higher efficiencies and save resources.

An important dichotomy in CPython is unbuffered vs buffered streams. In MicroPython, all streams are currently unbuffered. This is because all modern OSes, and even many RTOSes and filesystem drivers already perform buffering on their side. Adding another layer of buffering is counter- productive (an issue known as "bufferbloat") and takes precious memory. Note that there still cases where buffering may be useful, so we may introduce optional buffering support at a later time.

But in CPython, another important dichotomy is tied with "bufferedness" - it's whether a stream may incur short read/writes or not. A short read is when a user asks e.g. 10 bytes from a stream, but gets less, similarly for writes. In CPython, unbuffered streams are automatically short operation susceptible, while buffered are guarantee against them. The no short read/writes is an important trait, as it allows to develop more concise and efficient programs - something which is highly desirable for MicroPython. So, while MicroPython doesn't support buffered streams, it still provides for no-short-operations streams. Whether there will be short operations or not depends on each particular class' needs,

but developers are strongly advised to favor no-short-operations behavior for the reasons stated above. For example, MicroPython sockets are guaranteed to avoid short read/writes. Actually, at this time, there is no example of a short-operations stream class in the core, and one would be a port-specific class, where such a need is governed by hardware peculiarities.

The no-short-operations behavior gets tricky in case of non-blocking streams, blocking vs non-blocking behavior being another CPython dichotomy, fully supported by MicroPython. Non-blocking streams never wait for data either to arrive or be written - they read/write whatever possible, or signal lack of data (or ability to write data). Clearly, this conflicts with "no-short-operations" policy, and indeed, a case of non-blocking buffered (and this no-short-ops) streams is convoluted in CPython - in some places, such combination is prohibited, in some it's undefined or just not documented, in some cases it raises verbose exceptions. The matter is much simpler in MicroPython: non-blocking stream are important for efficient asynchronous operations, so this property prevails on the "no-short-ops" one. So, while blocking streams will avoid short reads/writes whenever possible (the only case to get a short read is if end of file is reached, or in case of error (but errors don't return short data, but raise exceptions)), non-blocking streams may produce short data to avoid blocking the operation.

The final dichotomy is binary vs text streams. MicroPython of course supports these, but while in CPython text streams are inherently buffered, they aren't in MicroPython. (Indeed, that's one of the cases for which we may introduce buffering support.)

Note that for efficiency, MicroPython doesn't provide abstract base classes corresponding to the hierarchy above, and it's not possible to implement, or subclass, a stream class in pure Python.

Functions

```
io.open (name, mode='r', **kwargs)
```

Open a file. Builtin open () function is aliased to this function. All ports (which provide access to file system) are required to support mode parameter, but support for other arguments vary by port.

Classes

```
class io.FileIO(...)
```

This is type of a file open in binary mode, e.g. using open (name, "rb"). You should not instantiate this class directly.

```
class io.TextIOWrapper(...)
```

This is type of a file open in text mode, e.g. using open (name, "rt"). You should not instantiate this class directly.

```
class io.StringIO([string])
```

```
class io.BytesIO([string])
```

In-memory file-like objects for input/output. StringIO is used for text-mode I/O (similar to a normal file opened with "t" modifier). BytesIO is used for binary-mode I/O (similar to a normal file opened with "b" modifier). Initial contents of file-like objects can be specified with string parameter (should be normal string for StringIO or bytes object for BytesIO). All the usual file methods like read(), write(), seek(), flush(), close() are available on these objects, and additionally, a following method:

```
getvalue()
```

Get the current contents of the underlying buffer which holds data.

json - JSON encoding and decoding

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: json.

This modules allows to convert between Python objects and the JSON data format.

Functions

```
json. dump (obj, stream)
Serialise obj to a JSON string, writing it to the given stream.

json. dumps (obj)
Return obj represented as a JSON string.
```

json.load(stream)

Parse the given stream, interpreting it as a JSON string and descrialising the data to a Python object. The resulting object is returned.

Parsing continues until end-of-file is encountered. A ValueError is raised if the data in stream is not correctly formed.

```
json.loads(str)
```

Parse the JSON str and return an object. Raises ValueError if the string is not correctly formed.

re - simple regular expressions

This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: re.

This module implements regular expression operations. Regular expression syntax supported is a subset of CPython re module (and actually is a subset of POSIX extended regular expressions).

Supported operators are:

- '.' Match any character.
- '[...]' Match set of characters. Individual characters and ranges are supported, including negated sets (e.g. [^a-c]).

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' * ? '

' + ? '

' | '

'(...)' Grouping. Each group is capturing (a substring it captures can be accessed with match.group() method).

NOT SUPPORTED: Counted repetitions ($\{m, n\}$), more advanced assertions (\b , \B), named groups ((? \P <name>...)), non-capturing groups ((?:...)), etc.

Functions

```
re.compile(regex_str[, flags])
```

Compile regular expression, return regex object.

```
re.match (regex_str, string)
```

Compile regex_str and match against string. Match always happens from starting position in a string.

```
re.search(regex_str, string)
```

Compile *regex_str* and search it in a *string*. Unlike *match*, this will search string for first position which matches regex (which still may be 0 if regex is anchored).

re.DEBUG

Flag value, display debug information about compiled expression.

Regex objects

Compiled regular expression. Instances of this class are created using re.compile().

```
regex.match(string)
regex.search(string)
```

Similar to the module-level functions match() and search(). Using methods is (much) more efficient if the same regex is applied to multiple strings.

```
regex.split (string, max_split=- 1)
```

Split a *string* using regex. If *max_split* is given, it specifies maximum number of splits to perform. Returns list of strings (there may be up to *max_split+1* elements if it's specified).

Match objects

Match objects as returned by match () and search () methods.

```
match.group(| index |)
```

Return matching (sub)string. *index* is 0 for entire match, 1 and above for each capturing group. Only numeric groups are supported.

sys - system specific functions

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This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: sys.

Functions

sys.exit (retval=0)

Terminate current program with a given exit code. Underlyingly, this function raise as SystemExit exception. If an argument is given, its value given as an argument to SystemExit.

sys.print_exception (exc, file=sys.stdout)

Print exception with a traceback to a file-like object file (or sys.stdout by default).

Difference to CPython

This is simplified version of a function which appears in the traceback module in CPython. Unlike traceback.print_exception(), this function takes just exception value instead of exception type, exception value, and traceback object; *file* argument should be positional; further arguments are not supported.

Constants

sys.argv

A mutable list of arguments the current program was started with.

sys.byteorder

The byte order of the system ("little" or "big").

sys.implementation

Object with information about the current Python implementation. For CircuitPython, it has following attributes:

- name string "circuitpython"
- version tuple (major, minor, micro), e.g. (1, 7, 0)

This object is the recommended way to distinguish CircuitPython from other Python implementations (note that it still may not exist in the very minimal ports).

Difference to CPython

CPython mandates more attributes for this object, but the actual useful bare minimum is implemented in CircuitPython.

sys.maxsize

Maximum value which a native integer type can hold on the current platform, or maximum value representable by CircuitPython integer type, if it's smaller than platform max value (that is the case for CircuitPython ports without long int support).

This attribute is useful for detecting "bitness" of a platform (32-bit vs 64-bit, etc.). It's recommended to not compare this attribute to some value directly, but instead count number of bits in it:

```
bits = 0
v = sys.maxsize
while v:
    bits += 1
    v >>= 1
if bits > 32:
    # 64-bit (or more) platform
    ...
else:
```

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```
# 32-bit (or less) platform
# Note that on 32-bit platform, value of bits may be less than 32
# (e.g. 31) due to peculiarities described above, so use "> 16",
# "> 32", "> 64" style of comparisons.
```

sys.modules

Dictionary of loaded modules. On some ports, it may not include builtin modules.

sys.path

A mutable list of directories to search for imported modules.

sys.platform

The platform that CircuitPython is running on. For OS/RTOS ports, this is usually an identifier of the OS, e.g. "linux". For baremetal ports it is an identifier of the chip on a board, e.g. "MicroChip SAMD51". It thus can be used to distinguish one board from another. If you need to check whether your program runs on CircuitPython (vs other Python implementation), use <code>sys.implementation</code> instead.

sys.stderr

Standard error stream.

sys.stdin

Standard input stream.

sys.stdout

Standard output stream.

sys.version

Python language version that this implementation conforms to, as a string.

sys.version_info

Python language version that this implementation conforms to, as a tuple of ints.

uctypes - access binary data in a structured way

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This module implements "foreign data interface" for MicroPython. The idea behind it is similar to CPython's ctypes modules, but the actual API is different, streamlined and optimized for small size. The basic idea of the module is to define data structure layout with about the same power as the C language allows, and then access it using familiar dot-syntax to reference sub-fields.

See also:

Module struct Standard Python way to access binary data structures (doesn't scale well to large and complex structures).

Defining structure layout

Structure layout is defined by a "descriptor" - a Python dictionary which encodes field names as keys and other properties required to access them as associated values. Currently, uctypes requires explicit specification of offsets for each field. Offset are given in bytes from a structure start.

Following are encoding examples for various field types:

• Scalar types:

```
"field_name": offset | uctypes.UINT32
```

in other words, value is scalar type identifier ORed with field offset (in bytes) from the start of the structure.

• Recursive structures:

```
"sub": (offset, {
    "b0": 0 | uctypes.UINT8,
    "b1": 1 | uctypes.UINT8,
})
```

i.e. value is a 2-tuple, first element of which is offset, and second is a structure descriptor dictionary (note: offsets in recursive descriptors are relative to the structure it defines).

• Arrays of primitive types:

```
"arr": (offset | uctypes.ARRAY, size | uctypes.UINT8),
```

i.e. value is a 2-tuple, first element of which is ARRAY flag ORed with offset, and second is scalar element type ORed number of elements in array.

• Arrays of aggregate types:

```
"arr2": (offset | uctypes.ARRAY, size, {"b": 0 | uctypes.UINT8}),
```

i.e. value is a 3-tuple, first element of which is ARRAY flag ORed with offset, second is a number of elements in array, and third is descriptor of element type.

• Pointer to a primitive type:

```
"ptr": (offset | uctypes.PTR, uctypes.UINT8),
```

i.e. value is a 2-tuple, first element of which is PTR flag ORed with offset, and second is scalar element type.

• Pointer to an aggregate type:

```
"ptr2": (offset | uctypes.PTR, {"b": 0 | uctypes.UINT8}),
```

i.e. value is a 2-tuple, first element of which is PTR flag ORed with offset, second is descriptor of type pointed to.

• Bitfields:

```
"bitf0": offset | uctypes.BFUINT16 | lsbit << uctypes.BF_POS | bitsize << uctypes. BF_LEN,
```

i.e. value is type of scalar value containing given bitfield (typenames are similar to scalar types, but prefixes with "BF"), ORed with offset for scalar value containing the bitfield, and further ORed with values for bit offset and bit length of the bitfield within scalar value, shifted by BF_POS and BF_LEN positions, respectively. Bitfield

position is counted from the least significant bit, and is the number of right-most bit of a field (in other words, it's a number of bits a scalar needs to be shifted right to extract the bitfield).

In the example above, first a UINT16 value will be extracted at offset 0 (this detail may be important when accessing hardware registers, where particular access size and alignment are required), and then bitfield whose rightmost bit is *lsbit* bit of this UINT16, and length is *bitsize* bits, will be extracted. For example, if *lsbit* is 0 and *bitsize* is 8, then effectively it will access least-significant byte of UINT16.

Note that bitfield operations are independent of target byte endianness, in particular, example above will access least-significant byte of UINT16 in both little- and big-endian structures. But it depends on the least significant bit being numbered 0. Some targets may use different numbering in their native ABI, but uctypes always uses the normalized numbering described above.

Module contents

class uctypes.struct(addr, descriptor, layout_type=NATIVE)

Instantiate a "foreign data structure" object based on structure address in memory, descriptor (encoded as a dictionary), and layout type (see below).

uctypes.LITTLE_ENDIAN

Layout type for a little-endian packed structure. (Packed means that every field occupies exactly as many bytes as defined in the descriptor, i.e. the alignment is 1).

uctypes.BIG_ENDIAN

Layout type for a big-endian packed structure.

uctypes.NATIVE

Layout type for a native structure - with data endianness and alignment conforming to the ABI of the system on which MicroPython runs.

uctypes.sizeof(struct)

Return size of data structure in bytes. Argument can be either structure class or specific instantiated structure object (or its aggregate field).

uctypes.addressof(obj)

Return address of an object. Argument should be bytes, bytearray or other object supporting buffer protocol (and address of this buffer is what actually returned).

uctypes.bytes_at (addr, size)

Capture memory at the given address and size as bytes object. As bytes object is immutable, memory is actually duplicated and copied into bytes object, so if memory contents change later, created object retains original value.

uctypes.bytearray_at (addr, size)

Capture memory at the given address and size as bytearray object. Unlike bytes_at() function above, memory is captured by reference, so it can be both written too, and you will access current value at the given memory address.

Structure descriptors and instantiating structure objects

Given a structure descriptor dictionary and its layout type, you can instantiate a specific structure instance at a given memory address using uctypes.struct() constructor. Memory address usually comes from following sources:

- Predefined address, when accessing hardware registers on a baremetal system. Lookup these addresses in datasheet for a particular MCU/SoC.
- As a return value from a call to some FFI (Foreign Function Interface) function.
- From uctypes.addressof(), when you want to pass arguments to an FFI function, or alternatively, to access some data for I/O (for example, data read from a file or network socket).

Structure objects

Structure objects allow accessing individual fields using standard dot notation: my_struct.substruct1. field1. If a field is of scalar type, getting it will produce a primitive value (Python integer or float) corresponding to the value contained in a field. A scalar field can also be assigned to.

If a field is an array, its individual elements can be accessed with the standard subscript operator [] - both read and assigned to.

If a field is a pointer, it can be dereferenced using [0] syntax (corresponding to $C \star$ operator, though [0] works in C too). Subscripting a pointer with other integer values but 0 are supported too, with the same semantics as in C.

Summing up, accessing structure fields generally follows C syntax, except for pointer dereference, when you need to use [0] operator instead of \star .

Limitations

Accessing non-scalar fields leads to allocation of intermediate objects to represent them. This means that special care should be taken to layout a structure which needs to be accessed when memory allocation is disabled (e.g. from an interrupt). The recommendations are:

- Avoid nested structures. For example, instead of mcu_registers.peripheral_a.register1, define separate layout descriptors for each peripheral, to be accessed as peripheral_a.register1.
- Avoid other non-scalar data, like array. For example, instead of peripheral_a.register[0] use peripheral_a.register0.

Note that these recommendations will lead to decreased readability and conciseness of layouts, so they should be used only if the need to access structure fields without allocation is anticipated (it's even possible to define 2 parallel layouts - one for normal usage, and a restricted one to use when memory allocation is prohibited).

uselect - wait for events on a set of streams

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This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: select.

This module provides functions to efficiently wait for events on multiple stream objects (select streams which are ready for operations).

Functions

```
uselect.poll()
Create an instance of the Poll class.

uselect.select(rlist, wlist, xlist[, timeout])
Wait for activity on a set of objects.
```

This function is provided by some MicroPython ports for compatibility and is not efficient. Usage of Poll is recommended instead.

class Poll

Methods

```
poll.register(obj[, eventmask])
```

Register stream *obj* for polling. *eventmask* is logical OR of:

- uselect.POLLIN data available for reading
- uselect.POLLOUT more data can be written

Note that flags like uselect.POLLHUP and uselect.POLLERR are *not* valid as input eventmask (these are unsolicited events which will be returned from *poll()* regardless of whether they are asked for). This semantics is per POSIX.

eventmask defaults to uselect.POLLIN | uselect.POLLOUT.

```
poll.unregister (obj)
Unregister obj from polling.

poll.modify (obj, eventmask)
Modify the eventmask for obj.
```

poll.**poll** (*timeout=-1*)

Wait for at least one of the registered objects to become ready or have an exceptional condition, with optional timeout in milliseconds (if *timeout* arg is not specified or -1, there is no timeout).

Returns list of (obj, event,...) tuples. There may be other elements in tuple, depending on a platform and version, so don't assume that its size is 2. The event element specifies which events happened with a stream and is a combination of uselect.POLL* constants described above. Note that flags uselect.POLLHUP and uselect.POLLERR can be returned at any time (even if were not asked for), and must be acted on accordingly (the corresponding stream unregistered from poll and likely closed), because otherwise all further invocations of poll () may return immediately with these flags set for this stream again.

In case of timeout, an empty list is returned.

Difference to CPython

Tuples returned may contain more than 2 elements as described above.

```
poll.ipoll(timeout=-1, flags=0)
```

Like poll.poll(), but instead returns an iterator which yields a callee-owned tuples. This function provides efficient, allocation-free way to poll on streams.

If *flags* is 1, one-shot behavior for events is employed: streams for which events happened will have their event masks automatically reset (equivalent to poll.modify(obj, 0)), so new events for such a stream won't be processed until new mask is set with poll.modify(). This behavior is useful for asynchronous I/O schedulers.

Difference to CPython

This function is a MicroPython extension.

usocket - socket module

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This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: socket.

This module provides access to the BSD socket interface.

Difference to CPython

For efficiency and consistency, socket objects in MicroPython implement a stream (file-like) interface directly. In CPython, you need to convert a socket to a file-like object using <code>makefile()</code> method. This method is still supported by MicroPython (but is a no-op), so where compatibility with CPython matters, be sure to use it.

Socket address format(s)

The native socket address format of the usocket module is an opaque data type returned by *getaddrinfo* function, which must be used to resolve textual address (including numeric addresses):

```
sockaddr = usocket.getaddrinfo('www.micropython.org', 80)[0][-1]
# You must use getaddrinfo() even for numeric addresses
sockaddr = usocket.getaddrinfo('127.0.0.1', 80)[0][-1]
# Now you can use that address
sock.connect(addr)
```

Using getaddrinfo is the most efficient (both in terms of memory and processing power) and portable way to work with addresses.

However, socket module (note the difference with native MicroPython usocket module described here) provides CPython-compatible way to specify addresses using tuples, as described below.

Summing up:

• Always use getaddrinfo when writing portable applications.

 Tuple addresses described below can be used as a shortcut for quick hacks and interactive use, if your port supports them.

Tuple address format for socket module:

- IPv4: (*ipv4_address*, *port*), where *ipv4_address* is a string with dot-notation numeric IPv4 address, e.g. "8.8.8", and *port* is and integer port number in the range 1-65535. Note the domain names are not accepted as *ipv4_address*, they should be resolved first using *usocket.getaddrinfo()*.
- IPv6: (ipv6_address, port, flowinfo, scopeid), where ipv6_address is a string with colon-notation numeric IPv6 address, e.g. "2001:db8::1", and port is an integer port number in the range 1-65535. flowinfo must be 0. scopeid is the interface scope identifier for link-local addresses. Note the domain names are not accepted as ipv6_address, they should be resolved first using usocket.getaddrinfo().

Functions

```
usocket.socket(af=AF_INET, type=SOCK_STREAM, proto=IPPROTO_TCP)
```

Create a new socket using the given address family, socket type and protocol number. Note that specifying *proto* in most cases is not required (and not recommended, as some MicroPython ports may omit IPPROTO_* constants). Instead, *type* argument will select needed protocol automatically:

```
# Create STREAM TCP socket
socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM)
# Create DGRAM UDP socket
socket(AF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM)
```

```
usocket.getaddrinfo(host, port)
```

Translate the host/port argument into a sequence of 5-tuples that contain all the necessary arguments for creating a socket connected to that service. The list of 5-tuples has following structure:

```
(family, type, proto, canonname, sockaddr)
```

The following example shows how to connect to a given url:

```
s = usocket.socket()
s.connect(usocket.getaddrinfo('www.micropython.org', 80)[0][-1])
```

Difference to CPython

CPython raises a socket.gaierror exception (OSError subclass) in case of error in this function. MicroPython doesn't have socket.gaierror and raises OSError directly. Note that error numbers of getaddrinfo() form a separate namespace and may not match error numbers from uerro module. To distinguish getaddrinfo() errors, they are represented by negative numbers, whereas standard system errors are positive numbers (error numbers are accessible using e.args[0] property from an exception object). The use of negative values is a provisional detail which may change in the future.

```
usocket.inet_ntop(af, bin_addr)
```

Convert a binary network address bin_addr of the given address family af to a textual representation:

```
>>> usocket.inet_ntop(usocket.AF_INET, b"\x7f\0\0\1")
'127.0.0.1'
```

```
usocket.inet_pton(af, txt_addr)
```

Convert a textual network address txt_addr of the given address family af to a binary representation:

```
>>> usocket.inet_pton(usocket.AF_INET, "1.2.3.4")
b'\x01\x02\x03\x04'
```

Constants

```
usocket.AF_INET
usocket.AF INET6
```

Address family types. Availability depends on a particular MicroPython port.

usocket.SOCK_STREAM usocket.SOCK_DGRAM Socket types.

```
usocket.IPPROTO_UDP usocket.IPPROTO_TCP
```

IP protocol numbers. Availability depends on a particular MicroPython port. Note that you don't need to specify these in a call to <code>usocket.socket()</code>, because <code>SOCK_STREAM</code> socket type automatically selects <code>IPPROTO_TCP</code>, and <code>SOCK_DGRAM - IPPROTO_UDP</code>. Thus, the only real use of these constants is as an argument to <code>usocket.socket.setsockopt()</code>.

usocket.SOL_*

Socket option levels (an argument to usocket.socket.setsockopt()). The exact inventory depends on a MicroPython port.

usocket.SO *

Socket options (an argument to usocket.socket.setsockopt()). The exact inventory depends on a MicroPython port.

Constants specific to WiPy:

```
usocket.IPPROTO_SEC
```

Special protocol value to create SSL-compatible socket.

class socket

Methods

```
socket.close()
```

Mark the socket closed and release all resources. Once that happens, all future operations on the socket object will fail. The remote end will receive EOF indication if supported by protocol.

Sockets are automatically closed when they are garbage-collected, but it is recommended to <code>close()</code> them explicitly as soon you finished working with them.

```
socket.bind(address)
```

Bind the socket to address. The socket must not already be bound.

```
socket.listen([backlog])
```

Enable a server to accept connections. If *backlog* is specified, it must be at least 0 (if it's lower, it will be set to 0); and specifies the number of unaccepted connections that the system will allow before refusing new connections. If not specified, a default reasonable value is chosen.

```
socket.accept()
```

Accept a connection. The socket must be bound to an address and listening for connections. The return value is a pair (conn, address) where conn is a new socket object usable to send and receive data on the connection, and address is the address bound to the socket on the other end of the connection.

```
socket.connect (address)
```

Connect to a remote socket at address.

```
socket.send(bytes)
```

Send data to the socket. The socket must be connected to a remote socket. Returns number of bytes sent, which may be smaller than the length of data ("short write").

```
socket.sendall(bytes)
```

Send all data to the socket. The socket must be connected to a remote socket. Unlike send (), this method will try to send all of data, by sending data chunk by chunk consecutively.

The behavior of this method on non-blocking sockets is undefined. Due to this, on MicroPython, it's recommended to use <code>write()</code> method instead, which has the same "no short writes" policy for blocking sockets, and will return number of bytes sent on non-blocking sockets.

```
socket.recv(bufsize)
```

Receive data from the socket. The return value is a bytes object representing the data received. The maximum amount of data to be received at once is specified by bufsize.

```
socket.sendto(bytes, address)
```

Send data to the socket. The socket should not be connected to a remote socket, since the destination socket is specified by *address*.

```
socket.recvfrom(bufsize)
```

Receive data from the socket. The return value is a pair (bytes, address) where bytes is a bytes object representing the data received and address is the address of the socket sending the data.

```
socket.setsockopt(level, optname, value)
```

Set the value of the given socket option. The needed symbolic constants are defined in the socket module (SO_* etc.). The *value* can be an integer or a bytes-like object representing a buffer.

```
socket.settimeout(value)
```

Note: Not every port supports this method, see below.

Set a timeout on blocking socket operations. The value argument can be a nonnegative floating point number expressing seconds, or None. If a non-zero value is given, subsequent socket operations will raise an OSError exception if the timeout period value has elapsed before the operation has completed. If zero is given, the socket is put in non-blocking mode. If None is given, the socket is put in blocking mode.

Not every MicroPython port supports this method. A more portable and generic solution is to use uselect.poll object. This allows to wait on multiple objects at the same time (and not just on sockets, but on generic stream objects which support polling). Example:

```
# Instead of:
s.settimeout(1.0) # time in seconds
s.read(10) # may timeout

# Use:
poller = uselect.poll()
poller.register(s, uselect.POLLIN)
res = poller.poll(1000) # time in milliseconds
if not res:
    # s is still not ready for input, i.e. operation timed out
```

Difference to CPython

CPython raises a socket.timeout exception in case of timeout, which is an *OSError* subclass. MicroPython raises an OSError directly instead. If you use except OSError: to catch the exception, your code will

work both in MicroPython and CPython.

socket.setblocking(flag)

Set blocking or non-blocking mode of the socket: if flag is false, the socket is set to non-blocking, else to blocking mode.

This method is a shorthand for certain settimeout () calls:

- sock.setblocking (True) is equivalent to sock.settimeout (None)
- sock.setblocking (False) is equivalent to sock.settimeout (0)

socket.makefile (mode='rb', buffering=0)

Return a file object associated with the socket. The exact returned type depends on the arguments given to makefile(). The support is limited to binary modes only ('rb', 'wb', and 'rwb'). CPython's arguments: *encoding*, *errors* and *newline* are not supported.

Difference to CPython

As MicroPython doesn't support buffered streams, values of *buffering* parameter is ignored and treated as if it was 0 (unbuffered).

Difference to CPython

Closing the file object returned by makefile() WILL close the original socket as well.

socket.read([size])

Read up to size bytes from the socket. Return a bytes object. If *size* is not given, it reads all data available from the socket until EOF; as such the method will not return until the socket is closed. This function tries to read as much data as requested (no "short reads"). This may be not possible with non-blocking socket though, and then less data will be returned.

socket.readinto(buf , nbytes)

Read bytes into the *buf*. If *nbytes* is specified then read at most that many bytes. Otherwise, read at most *len(buf)* bytes. Just as read (), this method follows "no short reads" policy.

Return value: number of bytes read and stored into buf.

socket.readline()

Read a line, ending in a newline character.

Return value: the line read.

socket.write(buf)

Write the buffer of bytes to the socket. This function will try to write all data to a socket (no "short writes"). This may be not possible with a non-blocking socket though, and returned value will be less than the length of buf

Return value: number of bytes written.

exception usocket.error

MicroPython does NOT have this exception.

Difference to CPython

CPython used to have a socket.error exception which is now deprecated, and is an alias of OSError. In MicroPython, use OSError directly.

uss1 - SSL/TLS module

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This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: ssl.

This module provides access to Transport Layer Security (previously and widely known as "Secure Sockets Layer") encryption and peer authentication facilities for network sockets, both client-side and server-side.

Functions

ussl.wrap_socket(sock, server_side=False, keyfile=None, certfile=None, cert_reqs=CERT_NONE, ca_certs=None)

Takes a stream sock (usually usocket.socket instance of SOCK_STREAM type), and returns an instance of ssl.SSLSocket, which wraps the underlying stream in an SSL context. Returned object has the usual stream interface methods like read(), write(), etc. In MicroPython, the returned object does not expose socket interface and methods like recv(), send(). In particular, a server-side SSL socket should be created from a normal socket returned from accept() on a non-SSL listening server socket.

Depending on the underlying module implementation in a particular MicroPython port, some or all keyword arguments above may be not supported.

Warning: Some implementations of ussl module do NOT validate server certificates, which makes an SSL connection established prone to man-in-the-middle attacks.

Exceptions

ssl.SSLError

This exception does NOT exist. Instead its base class, OSError, is used.

Constants

ussl.CERT NONE

ussl.CERT OPTIONAL

ussl.CERT_REQUIRED

Supported values for *cert_reqs* parameter.

uzlib - zlib decompression

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This module implements a subset of the corresponding CPython module, as described below. For more information, refer to the original CPython documentation: zlib.

This module allows to decompress binary data compressed with DEFLATE algorithm (commonly used in zlib library and gzip archiver). Compression is not yet implemented.

Functions

uzlib.decompress(data, wbits=0, bufsize=0)

Return decompressed *data* as bytes. *wbits* is DEFLATE dictionary window size used during compression (8-15, the dictionary size is power of 2 of that value). Additionally, if value is positive, *data* is assumed to be zlib stream (with zlib header). Otherwise, if it's negative, it's assumed to be raw DEFLATE stream. *bufsize* parameter is for compatibility with CPython and is ignored.

class uzlib.DecompIO(stream, wbits=0)

Create a stream wrapper which allows transparent decompression of compressed data in another *stream*. This allows to process compressed streams with data larger than available heap size. In addition to values described in *decompress()*, wbits may take values 24..31 (16 + 8..15), meaning that input stream has gzip header.

Difference to CPython

This class is MicroPython extension. It's included on provisional basis and may be changed considerably or removed in later versions.

Omitted functions in the string library

A few string operations are not enabled on small builds (usually non-Express), due to limited flash memory: string.center(), string.partition(), string.splitlines(), string.reversed().

CircuitPython/MicroPython-specific libraries

Functionality specific to the CircuitPython/MicroPython implementation is available in the following libraries. These libraries may change significantly or be removed in future versions of CircuitPython.

btree - simple BTree database

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The btree module implements a simple key-value database using external storage (disk files, or in general case, a random-access stream). Keys are stored sorted in the database, and besides efficient retrieval by a key value, a database also supports efficient ordered range scans (retrieval of values with the keys in a given range). On the application interface side, BTree database work as close a possible to a way standard dict type works, one notable difference is that both keys and values must be bytes objects (so, if you want to store objects of other types, you need to serialize them to bytes first).

The module is based on the well-known BerkelyDB library, version 1.xx.

Example:

```
import btree
# First, we need to open a stream which holds a database
# This is usually a file, but can be in-memory database
# using uio.BytesIO, a raw flash partition, etc.
# Oftentimes, you want to create a database file if it doesn't
# exist and open if it exists. Idiom below takes care of this.
# DO NOT open database with "a+b" access mode.
   f = open("mydb", "r+b")
except OSError:
   f = open("mydb", "w+b")
# Now open a database itself
db = btree.open(f)
# The keys you add will be sorted internally in the database
db[b"3"] = b"three"
db[b"1"] = b"one"
db[b"2"] = b"two"
# Assume that any changes are cached in memory unless
# explicitly flushed (or database closed). Flush database
# at the end of each "transaction".
db.flush()
# Prints b'two'
print (db [b"2"])
# Iterate over sorted keys in the database, starting from b"2"
# until the end of the database, returning only values.
# Mind that arguments passed to values() method are *key* values.
# Prints:
  b'two'
  b'three'
for word in db.values(b"2"):
   print (word)
```

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Functions

btree.open(stream, *, flags=0, pagesize=0, cachesize=0, minkeypage=0)

Open a database from a random-access stream (like an open file). All other parameters are optional and keyword-only, and allow to tweak advanced parameters of the database operation (most users will not need them):

- flags Currently unused.
- pagesize Page size used for the nodes in BTree. Acceptable range is 512-65536. If 0, a port-specific default will be used, optimized for port's memory usage and/or performance.
- cachesize Suggested memory cache size in bytes. For a board with enough memory using larger values
 may improve performance. Cache policy is as follows: entire cache is not allocated at once; instead,
 accessing a new page in database will allocate a memory buffer for it, until value specified by cachesize is
 reached. Then, these buffers will be managed using LRU (least recently used) policy. More buffers may
 still be allocated if needed (e.g., if a database contains big keys and/or values). Allocated cache buffers
 aren't reclaimed.
- minkeypage Minimum number of keys to store per page. Default value of 0 equivalent to 2.

Returns a BTree object, which implements a dictionary protocol (set of methods), and some additional methods described below.

Methods

```
btree.close()
```

Close the database. It's mandatory to close the database at the end of processing, as some unwritten data may be still in the cache. Note that this does not close underlying stream with which the database was opened, it should be closed separately (which is also mandatory to make sure that data flushed from buffer to the underlying storage).

```
btree.flush()
```

Flush any data in cache to the underlying stream.

```
btree.__getitem__ (key)
btree.get (key, default=None)
btree.__setitem__ (key, val)
```

```
btree.__detitem__ (key)
btree.__contains__ (key)
Standard dictionary methods.

btree.__iter__ ()
A BTree object can be iterated over directly (similar to a dictionary) to get access to all keys in order.
```

```
btree.keys([start_key[, end_key[, flags]]])
btree.values([start_key[, end_key[, flags]]])
btree.items([start_key[, end_key[, flags]]])
```

These methods are similar to standard dictionary methods, but also can take optional parameters to iterate over a key sub-range, instead of the entire database. Note that for all 3 methods, $start_key$ and end_key arguments represent key values. For example, values() method will iterate over values corresponding to they key range given. None values for $start_key$ means "from the first key", no end_key or its value of None means "until the end of database". By default, range is inclusive of $start_key$ and exclusive of end_key , you can include end_key in iteration by passing flags of btree.INCL. You can iterate in descending key direction by passing flags of btree.DESC. The flags values can be ORed together.

Constants

```
btree.INCL
```

A flag for keys(), values(), items() methods to specify that scanning should be inclusive of the end key.

btree.DESC

A flag for keys(), values(), items() methods to specify that scanning should be in descending direction of keys.

framebuf — Frame buffer manipulation

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This module provides a general frame buffer which can be used to create bitmap images, which can then be sent to a display.

class FrameBuffer

The FrameBuffer class provides a pixel buffer which can be drawn upon with pixels, lines, rectangles, text and even other FrameBuffer's. It is useful when generating output for displays.

For example:

```
import framebuf

# FrameBuffer needs 2 bytes for every RGB565 pixel
fbuf = FrameBuffer(bytearray(10 * 100 * 2), 10, 100, framebuf.RGB565)

fbuf.fill(0)
```

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```
fbuf.text('MicroPython!', 0, 0, 0xffff)
fbuf.hline(0, 10, 96, 0xffff)
```

Constructors

class framebuf.**FrameBuffer** (buffer, width, height, format, stride=width)

Construct a FrameBuffer object. The parameters are:

- buffer is an object with a buffer protocol which must be large enough to contain every pixel defined by the width, height and format of the FrameBuffer.
- width is the width of the FrameBuffer in pixels
- height is the height of the FrameBuffer in pixels
- *format* specifies the type of pixel used in the FrameBuffer; permissible values are listed under Constants below. These set the number of bits used to encode a color value and the layout of these bits in *buffer*. Where a color value c is passed to a method, c is a small integer with an encoding that is dependent on the format of the FrameBuffer.
- *stride* is the number of pixels between each horizontal line of pixels in the FrameBuffer. This defaults to *width* but may need adjustments when implementing a FrameBuffer within another larger FrameBuffer or screen. The *buffer* size must accommodate an increased step size.

One must specify valid *buffer*, *width*, *height*, *format* and optionally *stride*. Invalid *buffer* size or dimensions may lead to unexpected errors.

Drawing primitive shapes

The following methods draw shapes onto the FrameBuffer.

```
FrameBuffer.fill(c)
```

Fill the entire FrameBuffer with the specified color.

```
FrameBuffer.pixel(x, y, c)
```

If c is not given, get the color value of the specified pixel. If c is given, set the specified pixel to the given color.

```
FrameBuffer.hline (x, y, w, c)
FrameBuffer.vline (x, y, h, c)
FrameBuffer.line (xI, yI, x2, y2, c)
```

Draw a line from a set of coordinates using the given color and a thickness of 1 pixel. The line method draws the line up to a second set of coordinates whereas the hline and vline methods draw horizontal and vertical lines respectively up to a given length.

```
FrameBuffer.rect (x, y, w, h, c)
FrameBuffer.fill_rect (x, y, w, h, c)
```

Draw a rectangle at the given location, size and color. The rect method draws only a 1 pixel outline whereas the $fill_rect$ method draws both the outline and interior.

Drawing text

FrameBuffer.text
$$(s, x, y[, c])$$

Write text to the FrameBuffer using the the coordinates as the upper-left corner of the text. The color of the text can be defined by the optional argument but is otherwise a default value of 1. All characters have dimensions of 8x8 pixels and there is currently no way to change the font.

Other methods

FrameBuffer.scroll (xstep, ystep)

Shift the contents of the FrameBuffer by the given vector. This may leave a footprint of the previous colors in the FrameBuffer.

FrameBuffer.blit (fbuf, x, y[, key])

Draw another FrameBuffer on top of the current one at the given coordinates. If *key* is specified then it should be a color integer and the corresponding color will be considered transparent: all pixels with that color value will not be drawn.

This method works between FrameBuffer instances utilising different formats, but the resulting colors may be unexpected due to the mismatch in color formats.

Constants

framebuf.MONO VLSB

Monochrome (1-bit) color format This defines a mapping where the bits in a byte are vertically mapped with bit 0 being nearest the top of the screen. Consequently each byte occupies 8 vertical pixels. Subsequent bytes appear at successive horizontal locations until the rightmost edge is reached. Further bytes are rendered at locations starting at the leftmost edge, 8 pixels lower.

framebuf.MONO HLSB

Monochrome (1-bit) color format This defines a mapping where the bits in a byte are horizontally mapped. Each byte occupies 8 horizontal pixels with bit 0 being the leftmost. Subsequent bytes appear at successive horizontal locations until the rightmost edge is reached. Further bytes are rendered on the next row, one pixel lower.

framebuf.MONO_HMSB

Monochrome (1-bit) color format This defines a mapping where the bits in a byte are horizontally mapped. Each byte occupies 8 horizontal pixels with bit 7 being the leftmost. Subsequent bytes appear at successive horizontal locations until the rightmost edge is reached. Further bytes are rendered on the next row, one pixel lower.

framebuf.RGB565

Red Green Blue (16-bit, 5+6+5) color format

framebuf.GS2_HMSB

Grayscale (2-bit) color format

 ${\tt framebuf.GS4_HMSB}$

Grayscale (4-bit) color format

framebuf. GS8

Grayscale (8-bit) color format

micropython - access and control MicroPython internals

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Functions

```
micropython.const(expr)
```

Used to declare that the expression is a constant so that the compile can optimise it. The use of this function should be as follows:

```
from micropython import const

CONST_X = const(123)
CONST_Y = const(2 * CONST_X + 1)
```

Constants declared this way are still accessible as global variables from outside the module they are declared in. On the other hand, if a constant begins with an underscore then it is hidden, it is not available as a global variable, and does not take up any memory during execution.

This *const* function is recognised directly by the MicroPython parser and is provided as part of the *micropython* module mainly so that scripts can be written which run under both CPython and MicroPython, by following the above pattern.

```
\verb|micropython.opt_level| ( \textit{level} \textit{j}) \\
```

If *level* is given then this function sets the optimisation level for subsequent compilation of scripts, and returns None. Otherwise it returns the current optimisation level.

The optimisation level controls the following compilation features:

- Assertions: at level 0 assertion statements are enabled and compiled into the bytecode; at levels 1 and higher assertions are not compiled.
- Built-in __debug__ variable: at level 0 this variable expands to True; at levels 1 and higher it expands to False.
- Source-code line numbers: at levels 0, 1 and 2 source-code line number are stored along with the bytecode
 so that exceptions can report the line number they occurred at; at levels 3 and higher line numbers are not
 stored.

The default optimisation level is usually level 0.

```
\verb|micropython.mem_info|([verbose])|
```

Print information about currently used memory. If the *verbose* argument is given then extra information is printed.

The information that is printed is implementation dependent, but currently includes the amount of stack and heap used. In verbose mode it prints out the entire heap indicating which blocks are used and which are free.

```
micropython.qstr_info([verbose])
```

Print information about currently interned strings. If the *verbose* argument is given then extra information is printed.

The information that is printed is implementation dependent, but currently includes the number of interned strings and the amount of RAM they use. In verbose mode it prints out the names of all RAM-interned strings.

micropython.stack use()

Return an integer representing the current amount of stack that is being used. The absolute value of this is not particularly useful, rather it should be used to compute differences in stack usage at different points.

micropython.heap_lock()

micropython.heap_unlock()

Lock or unlock the heap. When locked no memory allocation can occur and a *MemoryError* will be raised if any heap allocation is attempted.

These functions can be nested, ie <code>heap_lock()</code> can be called multiple times in a row and the lock-depth will increase, and then <code>heap_unlock()</code> must be called the same number of times to make the heap available again.

micropython.kbd_intr(chr)

Set the character that will raise a *KeyboardInterrupt* exception. By default this is set to 3 during script execution, corresponding to Ctrl-C. Passing -1 to this function will disable capture of Ctrl-C, and passing 3 will restore it.

This function can be used to prevent the capturing of Ctrl-C on the incoming stream of characters that is usually used for the REPL, in case that stream is used for other purposes.

1.8.10 CircuitPython



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CircuitPython is a *beginner friendly*, open source version of Python for tiny, inexpensive computers called microcontrollers. Microcontrollers are the brains of many electronics including a wide variety of development boards used to build hobby projects and prototypes. CircuitPython in electronics is one of the best ways to learn to code because it connects code to reality. Simply install CircuitPython on a supported board via drag and drop and then edit a code. py file on the CIRCUITPY drive. The code will automatically reload. No software installs are needed besides a text editor (we recommend Mu for beginners.)

CircuitPython features unified Python core APIs and a growing list of 150+ device libraries and drivers that work with it. These libraries also work on single board computers with regular Python via the Adafruit Blinka Library.

CircuitPython is based on MicroPython. See *below* for differences. CircuitPython development is sponsored by Adafruit and is available on their educational development boards. Please support both MicroPython and Adafruit.

Get CircuitPython

Official binaries for all supported boards are available through circuitpython.org/downloads. The site includes stable, unstable and continuous builds. Full release notes and assets are available through GitHub releases as well.

Documentation

Guides and videos are available through the Adafruit Learning System under the CircuitPython category. An API reference is also available on Read the Docs. A collection of awesome resources can be found at Awesome Circuit-Python.

Specifically useful documentation when starting out:

- Welcome to CircuitPython
- CircuitPython Essentials
- Example Code

Code Search

GitHub doesn't currently support code search on forks. Therefore, CircuitPython doesn't have code search through GitHub because it is a fork of MicroPython. Luckily, SourceGraph has free code search for public repos like Circuit-Python. So, visit sourcegraph.com/github.com/adafruit/circuitpython to search the CircuitPython codebase online.

Contributing

See CONTRIBUTING.md for full guidelines but please be aware that by contributing to this project you are agreeing to the Code of Conduct. Contributors who follow the Code of Conduct are welcome to submit pull requests and they will be promptly reviewed by project admins. Please join the Discord too.

Branding

While we are happy to see CircuitPython forked and modified, we'd appreciate it if forked releases not use the name "CircuitPython" or the Blinka logo. "CircuitPython" means something special to us and those who learn about it. As a result, we'd like to make sure products referring to it meet a common set of requirements.

If you'd like to use the term "CircuitPython" and Blinka for your product here is what we ask:

- Your product is supported by the primary "adafruit/circuitpython" repo. This way we can update any custom code as we update the CircuitPython internals.
- Your product is listed on circuitpython.org (source here). This is to ensure that a user of your product can always download the latest version of CircuitPython from the standard place.
- Your product has a user accessible USB plug which appears as a CIRCUITPY drive when plugged in.

If you choose not to meet these requirements, then we ask you call your version of CircuitPython something else (for example, SuperDuperPython) and not use the Blinka logo. You can say it is "CircuitPython-compatible" if most CircuitPython drivers will work with it.

Differences from MicroPython

CircuitPython:

- Supports native USB on all boards, allowing file editing without special tools.
- Floats (aka decimals) are enabled for all builds.
- Error messages are translated into 10+ languages.
- Does not support concurrency within Python (including interrupts and threading). Some concurrency is achieved with native modules for tasks that require it such as audio file playback.

Behavior

- The order that files are run and the state that is shared between them. CircuitPython's goal is to clarify the role of each file and make each file independent from each other.
- boot.py (or settings.py) runs only once on start up before USB is initialized. This lays the ground work for configuring USB at startup rather than it being fixed. Since serial is not available, output is written to boot_out.txt.
- code.py (or main.py) is run after every reload until it finishes or is interrupted. After it is done running, the vm and hardware is reinitialized. This means you cannot read state from code.py in the REPL anymore, as the REPL is a fresh vm. CircuitPython's goal for this change includes reducing confusion about pins and memory being used.
- After the main code is finished the REPL can be entered by pressing any key.
- · Autoreload state will be maintained across reload.
- Adds a safe mode that does not run user code after a hard crash or brown out. The hope is that this will make it easier to fix code that causes nasty crashes by making it available through mass storage after the crash. A reset (the button) is needed after it's fixed to get back into normal mode.
- RGB status LED indicating CircuitPython state, and errors through a sequence of colored flashes.
- Re-runs code.py or other main file after file system writes over USB mass storage. (Disable with supervisor.disable_autoreload())
- Autoreload is disabled while the REPL is active.
- Main is one of these: code.txt, code.py, main.py, main.txt
- Boot is one of these: settings.txt, settings.py, boot.py, boot.txt

API

- Unified hardware APIs. Documented on ReadTheDocs.
- API docs are rST within the C files in shared-bindings.
- No machine API.

Modules

- No module aliasing. (uos and utime are not available as os and time respectively.) Instead os, time, and random are CPython compatible.
- New storage module which manages file system mounts. (Functionality from uos in MicroPython.)
- Modules with a CPython counterpart, such as time, os and random, are strict subsets of their CPython version. Therefore, code from CircuitPython is runnable on CPython but not necessarily the reverse.
- tick count is available as time.monotonic()

Project Structure

Here is an overview of the top-level source code directories.

Core

The core code of MicroPython is shared amongst ports including CircuitPython:

- docs High level user documentation in Sphinx reStructuredText format.
- drivers External device drivers written in Python.
- examples A few example Python scripts.
- extmod Shared C code used in multiple ports' modules.
- lib Shared core C code including externally developed libraries such as FATFS.
- logo The CircuitPython logo.
- mpy-cross A cross compiler that converts Python files to byte code prior to being run in MicroPython. Useful for reducing library size.
- py Core Python implementation, including compiler, runtime, and core library.
- shared-bindings Shared definition of Python modules, their docs and backing C APIs. Ports must implement the C API to support the corresponding module.
- shared-module Shared implementation of Python modules that may be based on common-hal.
- tests Test framework and test scripts.
- tools Various tools, including the pyboard.py module.

Ports

Ports include the code unique to a microcontroller line and also variations based on the board.

Supported	Support status
atmel-samd	SAMD21 stable SAMD51 stable
cxd56	stable
esp32s2	beta
litex	alpha
mimxrt10xx	alpha
nrf	stable
raspberrypi	beta
stm	F4 stable others beta
unix	alpha

- stable Highly unlikely to have bugs or missing functionality.
- beta Being actively improved but may be missing functionality and have bugs.
- alpha Will have bugs and missing functionality.

The remaining port directories not listed above are in the repo to maintain compatibility with the MicroPython parent project.

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1.8.11 Contributing

Please note that this project is released with a Contributor Code of Conduct. By participating in this project you agree to abide by its terms. Participation covers any forum used to converse about CircuitPython including unofficial and official spaces. Failure to do so will result in corrective actions such as time out or ban from the project.

Licensing

By contributing to this repository you are certifying that you have all necessary permissions to license the code under an MIT License. You still retain the copyright but are granting many permissions under the MIT License.

If you have an employment contract with your employer please make sure that they don't automatically own your work product. Make sure to get any necessary approvals before contributing. Another term for this contribution off-hours is moonlighting.

Ways to contribute

As CircuitPython grows, there are more and more ways to contribute. Here are some ideas:

- Build a project with CircuitPython and share how to do it online.
- Test the latest libraries and CircuitPython versions with your projects and file issues for any bugs you find.
- Contribute Python code to CircuitPython libraries that support new devices or features of an existing device.
- Contribute C code to CircuitPython which fixes an open issue or adds a new feature.

Getting started with C

CircuitPython developer Dan Halbert (@dhalbert) has written up build instructions using native build tools here.

For SAMD21 debugging workflow tips check out this learn guide from Scott (@tannewt).

Developer contacts

Scott Shawcroft (@tannewt) is the lead developer of CircuitPython and is sponsored by Adafruit Industries LLC. Scott is usually available during US West Coast working hours. Dan Halbert (@dhalbert) and Kattni Rembor (@kattni) are also sponsored by Adafruit Industries LLC and are usually available during US East Coast daytime hours including some weekends.

They are all reachable on Discord, GitHub issues and the Adafruit support forum.

Code guidelines

We aim to keep our code and commit style compatible with MicroPython upstream. Please review their code conventions to do so. Familiarity with their design philosophy is also useful though not always applicable to CircuitPython.

Furthermore, CircuitPython has a design guide that covers a variety of different topics. Please read it as well.

1.8.12 Building CircuitPython

Welcome to CircuitPython!

This document is a quick-start guide only.

Detailed guides on how to build CircuitPython can be found in the Adafruit Learn system at https://learn.adafruit.com/building-circuitpython/

Setup

Please ensure you setup your build environment appropriately, as per the guide. You will need:

- Linux: https://learn.adafruit.com/building-circuitpython/linux
- MacOS: https://learn.adafruit.com/building-circuitpython/macos
- Windows Subsystem for Linux (WSL): https://learn.adafruit.com/building-circuitpython/windows-subsystem-for-linux

Submodules

This project has a bunch of git submodules. You will need to update them regularly.

```
git submodule sync
git submodule update --init
```

mpy-cross

As part of the build process, mpy-cross is needed to compile .py files into .mpy files. To compile (or recompile) mpy-cross:

```
make -C mpy-cross
```

1.8.13 Building

There a number of ports of CircuitPython! To build for your board, change to the appropriate ports directory and build.

Examples:

```
cd ports/atmel-samd
make BOARD=circuitplayground_express

cd ports/nrf
make BOARD=circuitplayground_bluefruit
```

If you aren't sure what boards exist, have a peek in the boards subdirectory of your port. If you have a fast computer with many cores, consider adding -j to your build flags, such as -j17 on a 6-core 12-thread machine.

1.8.14 Testing

If you are working on changes to the core language, you might find it useful to run the test suite. The test suite in the top level tests directory. It needs the unix port to run.

```
cd ports/unix
make axtls
make micropython
```

Then you can run the test suite:

```
cd ../../tests ./run-tests
```

A successful run will say something like

1.8.15 Debugging

The easiest way to debug CircuitPython on hardware is with a JLink device, JLinkGDBServer, and an appropriate GDB. Instructions can be found at https://learn.adafruit.com/debugging-the-samd21-with-gdb

If using JLink, you'll need both the JLinkGDBServer and arm-none-eabi-gdb running.

Example:

```
JLinkGDBServer -if SWD -device ATSAMD51J19
arm-none-eabi-gdb build-metro_m4_express/firmware.elf -iex "target extended-remote_
-:2331"
```

If your port/build includes arm-none-eabi-gdb-py, consider using it instead, as it can be used for better register debugging with https://github.com/bnahill/PyCortexMDebug

1.8.16 Code Quality Checks

We apply code quality checks using pre-commit. Install pre-commit once per system with

```
python3 -mpip install pre-commit
```

Activate it once per git clone with

```
pre-commit --install
```

Pre-commit also requires some additional programs to be installed through your package manager:

- Standard Unix tools such as make, find, etc
- The gettext package, any modern version
- uncrustify version 0.71 (0.72 is also tested)

Each time you create a git commit, the pre-commit quality checks will be run. You can also run them e.g., with pre-commit run foo.c or pre-commit run --all to run on all files whether modified or not.

Some pre-commit quality checks require your active attention to resolve, others (such as the formatting checks of uncrustify) are made automatically and must simply be incorporated into your code changes by committing them.

1.8.17 Adafruit Community Code of Conduct

Our Pledge

In the interest of fostering an open and welcoming environment, we as contributors and leaders pledge to making participation in our project and our community a harassment-free experience for everyone, regardless of age, body size, disability, ethnicity, gender identity and expression, level or type of experience, education, socio-economic status, nationality, personal appearance, race, religion, or sexual identity and orientation.

Our Standards

We are committed to providing a friendly, safe and welcoming environment for all.

Examples of behavior that contributes to creating a positive environment include:

- Be kind and courteous to others
- Using welcoming and inclusive language
- Being respectful of differing viewpoints and experiences
- · Collaborating with other community members
- Gracefully accepting constructive criticism
- Focusing on what is best for the community
- Showing empathy towards other community members

Examples of unacceptable behavior by participants include:

- The use of sexualized language or imagery and sexual attention or advances
- The use of inappropriate images, including in a community member's avatar
- The use of inappropriate language, including in a community member's nickname
- · Any spamming, flaming, baiting or other attention-stealing behavior
- Excessive or unwelcome helping; answering outside the scope of the question asked
- Trolling, insulting/derogatory comments, and personal or political attacks
- Promoting or spreading disinformation, lies, or conspiracy theories against a person, group, organisation, project, or community
- Public or private harassment
- Publishing others' private information, such as a physical or electronic address, without explicit permission
- · Other conduct which could reasonably be considered inappropriate

The goal of the standards and moderation guidelines outlined here is to build and maintain a respectful community. We ask that you don't just aim to be "technically unimpeachable", but rather try to be your best self.

We value many things beyond technical expertise, including collaboration and supporting others within our community. Providing a positive experience for other community members can have a much more significant impact than simply providing the correct answer.

Our Responsibilities

Project leaders are responsible for clarifying the standards of acceptable behavior and are expected to take appropriate and fair corrective action in response to any instances of unacceptable behavior.

Project leaders have the right and responsibility to remove, edit, or reject messages, comments, commits, code, issues, and other contributions that are not aligned to this Code of Conduct, or to ban temporarily or permanently any community member for other behaviors that they deem inappropriate, threatening, offensive, or harmful.

Moderation

Instances of behaviors that violate the Adafruit Community Code of Conduct may be reported by any member of the community. Community members are encouraged to report these situations, including situations they witness involving other community members.

You may report in the following ways:

In any situation, you may send an email to support@adafruit.com.

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Email and direct message reports will be kept confidential.

In situations on Discord where the issue is particularly egregious, possibly illegal, requires immediate action, or violates the Discord terms of service, you should also report the message directly to Discord.

These are the steps for upholding our community's standards of conduct.

- 1. Any member of the community may report any situation that violates the Adafruit Community Code of Conduct. All reports will be reviewed and investigated.
- 2. If the behavior is an egregious violation, the community member who committed the violation may be banned immediately, without warning.
- 3. Otherwise, moderators will first respond to such behavior with a warning.
- 4. Moderators follow a soft "three strikes" policy the community member may be given another chance, if they are receptive to the warning and change their behavior.
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For other projects adopting the Adafruit Community Code of Conduct, please contact the maintainers of those projects for enforcement. If you wish to use this code of conduct for your own project, consider explicitly mentioning your moderation policy or making a copy with your own moderation policy so as to avoid confusion.

1.8.18 MicroPython & CircuitPython license information

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1.8.19 WebUSB Serial Support

To date, this has only been tested on one port (esp32s2), on one board (espressif_kaluga_1).

What it does

If you have ever used CircuitPython on a platform with a graphical LCD display, you have probably already seen multiple "consoles" in use (although the LCD console is "output only").

New compile-time option CIRCUITPY_USB_VENDOR enables an additional "console" that can be used in parallel with the original (CDC) serial console.

Web pages that support the WebUSB standard can connect to the "vendor" interface and activate this WebUSB serial console at any time.

You can type into either console, and CircuitPython output is sent to all active consoles.

One example of a web page you can use to test drive this feature can be found at:

https://adafruit.github.io/Adafruit_TinyUSB_Arduino/examples/webusb-serial/index.html

How to enable

Update your platform's mpconfigboard.mk file to enable and disable specific types of USB interfaces.

CIRCUITPY_USB_HID = xxx CIRCUITPY_USB_MIDI = xxx CIRCUITPY_USB_VENDOR = xxx

On at least some of the hardware platforms, the maximum number of USB endpoints is fixed. For example, on the ESP32S2, you must pick only one of the above 3 interfaces to be enabled.

Original espressif_kaluga_1 mpconfigboard.mk settings:

CIRCUITPY USB HID = 1 CIRCUITPY USB MIDI = 0 CIRCUITPY USB VENDOR = 0

Settings to enable WebUSB instead:

CIRCUITPY_USB_HID = 0 CIRCUITPY_USB_MIDI = 0 CIRCUITPY_USB_VENDOR = 1

Notice that to enable VENDOR on ESP32-S2, we had to give up HID. There may be platforms that can have both, or even all three.

Implementation Notes

CircuitPython uses the tinyusb library.

The tinyusb library already has support for WebUSB serial. The tinyusb examples already include a "WebUSB serial" example.

```
Sidenote - The use of the term "vendor" instead of "WebUSB" was done to match tinyusb.
```

Basically, this feature was ported into CircuitPython by pulling code snippets out of the tinyusb example, and putting them where they best belonged in the CircuitPython codebase.

There was one complication:

tinyusb uses C preprocessor macros to define things like USB descriptors.

CircuitPython uses a Python program (tools/gen_usb_descriptor.py) to create USB descriptors (etc.) using "helper objects" from another repo (adafruit_usb_descriptor). This means some of the example code had to be adapted to the new programing model, and gen_usb_descriptor gained new command-line options to control the generated code.

The generated files go into the "build" directory, look for autogen_usb_descriptor.c and gen-hdr/autogen_usb_descriptor.h.

Also worth pointing out - the re-use of the CDC connect/disconnect mechanism is not actually part of the WebUSB standard, it's more of "common idiom". We make use of it here because we need to know when we should be paying attention to the WebUSB serial interface, and when we should ignore it..

Possible future work areas

The current code uses the existing Python infrastructure to create the Interface descriptor, but simply outputs the code snippets from the original tinyusb demo code to create the WEBUSB_URL, BOS, and MS_OS_20 descriptors. I suppose additional work could be done to add these to the adafruit_usb_descriptor project, and then gen_usb_descriptor.py could be modified to make use of them.

Program gen_usb_descriptor.py creates objects for most interface types, regardless of whether or not they are actually enabled. This increases the size of a generated string table. I made the new vendor-interface-related code not do this (because some of the ARM platforms would no longer build), but I did not go back and do this for the other interface types (CDC, MIDI, HID, etc.) Some FLASH savings are probably possible if this is done.

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