cedargrove ad5293

A CircuitPython driver for the AD5293 digital potentiometer.

The AD5293 Digital Potentiometer is a 10-bit, SPI, 100K-ohm device. The potentiometer sports 1024 resistance steps. The digital logic power requires 2.7v to 5.5v. The potentiometer circuit operates with dual analog supply voltages from +/-9v to +/-16.5v. The pins act similarly to a passive resistive potentiometer, but require that voltages placed on any of the three pins not exceed the analog power supply voltages.

The CircuitPython driver supports a single SPI potentiometer device per instance. It will not work with daisy-chained devices.

The Cedar Grove AD5293 custom breakout board provides power and signal connections for SPI and the potentiometer chip. The AD5293 is also used in the AD9833-based Cedar Grove Precision VCO Eurorack module.

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Implementation Notes

Hardware:

• Cedar Grove Studios AD5293 breakout or equivalent

Software and Dependencies:

• Adafruit CircuitPython firmware for the supported boards: https://github.com/adafruit/circuitpython/releases

class cedargrove_ad5293.AD5293(*, spi=board.SPI(), select=board.D9, wiper=0)

Class representing the Cedar Grove AD5293, a 10-bit SPI digital linear taper potentiometer.

Parameters:	 spi – The busio.SPI definition. Defaults to board.SPI().
	• select – The chip select pin designation. Defaults to board.D9 .
	• wiper – The initial wiper integer value ranging from 0 to 1023. Default is 0.

wiper

A class get/set property.

Parameters:	Change or read the integer value of the potentiometer wiper position, ranging from 0 to
	1023.

normalized_wiper

A class get/set property.

Parameters:	Change or read the normalized floating-point potentiometer wiper position, ranging
	from 0.0 to 1.0.

reset()

A class helper function.

Parameters:	Reset the potentiometer. Refresh the wiper position to mid-scale. Disable write-protect.

shutdown()

A class helper function.

Parameters:	Connects the W pin to the B pin and opens the A pin. The content of the wiper register is
	not changed.