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# VertexGroups(bpy\_struct)

base class — `bpy_struct`

**class** `bpy.types.VertexGroups(bpy_struct)`

Collection of vertex groups

**active**

Vertex groups of the object

**TYPE:**

`VertexGroup`

**active\_index**

Active index in vertex group array

**TYPE:**

int in [0, inf], default 0

**new(\*, name='Group')**

Add vertex group to object

**PARAMETERS:**

**name** (*string, (optional, never None)*) – Vertex group name

**RETURNS:**

New vertex group

**RETURN TYPE:**

`VertexGroup`

**remove(group)**

Delete vertex group from object

**PARAMETERS:**

**group** (`VertexGroup`, (never None)) – Vertex group to remove

**clear()**

Delete all vertex groups from object

**classmethod** `bl_rna_get_subclass(id, default=None)`

**PARAMETERS:**

**id** (*str*) – The RNA type identifier.

**RETURNS:**

The RNA type or default when not found.

**RETURN TYPE:**

`bpy.types.Struct` subclass

**classmethod** `bl_rna_get_subclass_py(id, default=None)`

**PARAMETERS:**

**id** (*str*) – The RNA type identifier.

**RETURNS:**

The class or default when not found.

**RETURN TYPE:**

RETURN TYPE:

type

## Inherited Properties

- `bpy_struct.id_data`

## Inherited Functions

- `bpy_struct.as_pointer`
- `bpy_struct.driver_add`
- `bpy_struct.driver_remove`
- `bpy_struct.get`
- `bpy_struct.id_properties_clear`
- `bpy_struct.id_properties_ensure`
- `bpy_struct.id_properties_ui`
- `bpy_struct.is_property_hidden`
- `bpy_struct.is_property_overridable_library`
- `bpy_struct.is_property_readonly`
- `bpy_struct.is_property_set`
- `bpy_struct.items`
- `bpy_struct.keyframe_delete`
- `bpy_struct.keyframe_insert`
- `bpy_struct.keys`
- `bpy_struct.path_from_id`
- `bpy_struct.path_resolve`
- `bpy_struct.pop`
- `bpy_struct.property_overridable_library_set`
- `bpy_struct.property_unset`
- `bpy_struct.type_recast`
- `bpy_struct.values`

## References

- `Object.vertex_groups`