# **Direct Python Audio/Video**

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## **CHAPTER**

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# **DPAV**

# 1.1 dpav package

# 1.1.1 dpav.audio module

```
class dpav.audio.Audio
     Bases: object
     Handles Audio capabilities of Python Direct Platform.
     Functions:
           Constructor: __init__()
           Functions:
               play_sound(Hz, length)
                   If audio buffer is set: play_sound()
               play_sample(string_name_of_wav_file)
           Setters: set_audio_buffer(numpyarray) set_audio_device(int) set_waveform(waveform)
           Getters: get_bit_number()->int get_sample_rate()->int get_audio_buffer() get_audio_device()->Returns
               int corresponding to audio device
           Misc: list_audio_devices() wait_for_sound_end()
     get_audio_buffer()
           Returns the audio buffer of the Audio class
           Description: This will return none if the audio buffer has not been set by the set_audio_buffer method.
               audioobject.get_audio_buffer()
               Parameters None -
               Returns numpy array
               Return type self._audio_buffer
     get\_audio\_device() \rightarrow int
           Gets the current audio device number of the Audio Class
           Description: Assuming audioobject.set_audio_device(2) is called, audioobject.get_audio_device() would
               return 2 [index of audio device in audioobject.list_audio_devices()]
```

Parameters None –

**Returns** self.\_audio\_device: int value

#### **Notes**

Returns the integer value of the device not the device name

### $get\_bit\_number() \rightarrow int$

Gets the bit rate of the Audio class

**Description:** Bit rate currently locked to 16 bits

Parameters None -

**Returns** The bit rate of the Audio class - int value

Return type self.\_bit\_number

#### $get_sample_rate() \rightarrow int$

Gets the sample rate of the Audio class.

**Description:** Sample rate is currently locked to 44100

Parameters None -

**Returns** The sample rate of the audioClass - int value

**Return type** self.\_sample\_rate

### $list\_audio\_devices() \rightarrow None$

Lists the output devices on your system and adds to list self.\_devices

Description: Run this function before using set\_audio\_device() to add devices to the list devices

 $audioobject.list\_audio\_devices()\ 0\ Speakers\ (Realtek(R)\ Audio)\ 1\ VGA248\ (2-NVIDIA\ High\ Def\ Audio)\ 2\ Speakers\ (HyperX\ Cloud\ II\ Wireless)$ 

Parameters None -

Returns None

 $play_sample(sample_name: str) \rightarrow None$ 

Plays sounds that are way, ogg or mp3 files.

**Description:** audioobject.play\_sample(mypath.mp3) would play sounds from the file mypath.mp3

**Parameters** sample\_name – String path or name of sound

Returns None

 $play\_sound(input\_frequency=0, input\_duration=0) \rightarrow None$ 

Primary sound playing method of the audio class.

**Description:** Play sounds directly from this function Need to run set\_audio\_device() or will default to the default audio device You can use set\_waveform to change the type. play\_sound is somewhat overloaded to where if you have an audioBuffer set using set\_audio\_buffer, you can call play\_sound()

and it will play whatever that audio\_buffer is e.g. wav files Example in examples/custombuffer.py

 $play\_sound(440,\,1)\ would\ play\ an\ A\ note\ for\ one\ second\ with\ the\ sin\ waveform\ set.$ 

#### **Parameters**

- input\_frequency int value input frequency in Hz
- input\_duration int value duration in seconds

**Raises TypeError** – If input\_duration not a number, or < 0

Returns None

#### $set\_audio\_buffer(ab) \rightarrow None$

Sets the audio buffer of the Audio Class.

**Description:** The audio buffer needs to have two rows so that way stereo works as intended. You can set the audio buffer to wav file data by fetching numpy arrays using wav or scipy, however only 16 bit waves are supported. This process can be seen in custom\_buffer.py w/ the utility function sixteenWavtoRawData

**Examples:** # 44100 = sample rate # 32767 is 2 ^ (our bit depth -1)-1 and is essentially the number of samples per time stamp # 260 and 290 are our tones in hz # Below generates a buffer 1 second long of sin wave data-identical to the method used in house data = numpy.zeros((44100, 2), dtype=numpy.int16) for s in range(44100):

```
t = float(s) / 44100 \ data[s][0] = int(round(32767 * math.sin(2 * math.pi * 260 * t))) \ data[s][1] = int(round(32767 * math.sin(2 * math.pi * 290 * t)))
audioobject.set\_audio\_buffer(data)
```

**Parameters ab** – numpy array of shape(samples, channels) e.g. ab[44100][2]

**Returns** None

## $set_audio_device(device: int) \rightarrow int$

Sets the current audio device of the Audio class.

**Description:** This can only be set ONCE per instance. To change devices, del the current instance set the new device, and continue This needs to be run after list\_audio\_device() in order to see list of audio devices If not run the device will default to the current device being used by the machine

audioobject.set\_audio\_device(2) Based on example in list\_audio\_devices() this would change the device to Speakers (HyperX Cloud II Wireless)

Parameters device – int value - see all int values for each device by running list\_audio\_devices()

**Returns** None

## $set_waveform(wave) \rightarrow None$

Sets the expression governing the wave form playing

**Description:** play\_audio uses this in buffer generation

audioobject.set\_waveform(object.wave\_table.sin) This would change to the waveform sin contained in the wave\_table class The wave functions need to take in a input frequency as well as a timestep parameter to solve for a particular frequency at a given time step. See wave\_table for an example of this.

**Parameters Wave** – takes a mathematical expression function 'pointer' in the form of f(inputfreq, timestep)

Returns None

• t -

```
wait_for_sound_end()
           Function call that is placed at the end of scripts without a pygame window instance so sounds play to their
           full duration without a
           Description: Placed at the end of python files that do not have loops. Otherwise, sounds would be cut off
               prematurely.
               Example: play sound(440, 10) wait for sound end() # This prevents the process from closing out
                   before the sound ends.
               Parameters None -
               Returns None
          Notes:
class dpav.audio.wave_table
     Bases: object
     This is a class holding waveforms for usage with the play_sound method.
     There are 5 waveforms: sin saw square noise triangle
     Example
     waves = wave_table() sinefunc = waves.sin
     noise(input_frequency, t)
           Random white noise
           Description: Warning: VERY LOUD
               Parameters
                   • input_frequency -
                   • t -
               Returns
               Return type random.random() * input_frequency * t
     saw(input_frequency, t)
          Saw wave
               Parameters
                   • input_frequency -
                   • t -
               Returns
               Return type t * input_frequency - math.floor(t * input_frequency)
     sin(input_frequency, t)
           Sin wave form, default for libary
               Parameters
                   • input_frequency -
```

```
Return type math.sin(2 * math.pi * input_frequency * t)

square(input_frequency, t)
Square wave form

Parameters

input_frequency -

t -

Returns

Return type round(math.sin(2 * math.pi * input_frequency * t))

triangle(input_frequency, t)
Triangle wave, similar in sound to saw + sin together

Parameters

input_frequency -

t -

Returns
```

# 1.1.2 dpav.utility module

The utility.py module defines a variety of utility functions to the dpav library.

This module adds utility functions for line and shape drawing, visual buffer transformations, image parsing, and note conversions.

**Return type**  $2 * abs((t * input_frequency) / 1 - math.floor(((t * input_frequency) / 1) + 0.5))$ 

## **Examples**

### **Parameters**

- **vbuffer** A visual buffer to write a rectangle into.
- **color** The color the rectangle should be.
- **pt1** One corder of the rectangle.

• **pt2** – The opposite corner from pt1 of the rectangle.

# **Examples**

```
utility.draw_rectangle(vb, 0xFFFFFF, (3, 3), (5, 5))
```

dpav.utility.**fill**(*vb*: dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer, *color*: *int*, *vertices*) Fills a polygon defined by a set of vertices with a color.

dpav.utility.**flip\_horizontally**(vb: dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer)  $\rightarrow dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer$ Takes a visual buffer, flips it horizontally about the center, and returns the new visual buffer.

dpav.utility.**flip\_vertically**(vb: dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer)  $\rightarrow$  dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer Takes a visual buffer, flips it vertically about the center, and returns the new visual buffer.

dpav.utility.get\_note\_from\_string(note: str, octave: int)  $\rightarrow$  int Converts a string denoting a note and an octave into a frequency.

**Parameters note** – A musical note denoted with a capital letter and a sharp (#) or a flat (b).

Returns A frequency in hertz.

dpav.utility.load\_image(filepath: str)  $\rightarrow$  numpy.ndarray

Converts an image and returns a numpy array representation of that image in hex.

**Parameters filepath** – The filepath of the image to be loaded

**Returns** A numpy array filled with the hex color data of the image

dpav.utility.point\_in\_polygon(x: int, y: int, vertices)  $\rightarrow$  bool

Uses the Even-Odd Rule to determien whether or not a given pixel is inside a given set of vertices.

#### **Parameters**

- $\mathbf{x}$  The x coordinate of the pixel to be checked.
- $\mathbf{y}$  The y coordinate of the pixel to be checked.

**Returns** True if the pixel is within the polygon, False otherwise.

dpav.utility.replace\_color(vb: dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer, replaced\_color: int, new\_color: int)
Replaces all pixels in a visual buffer of a chosen color with a new color.

dpav.utility.**rgb\_to\_hex**(arr: numpy.ndarray)  $\rightarrow$  numpy.ndarray Converts a numpy array with (r, g, b) values into a numpy array with hex color values.

dpav.utility.translate(vb: dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer,  $x\_translation$ : int,  $y\_translation$ : int)  $\rightarrow$  dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer

Takes a visual buffer, translates every pixel in it by given values, and returns the new visual buffer

# 1.1.3 dpav.vbuffer module

Visual buffer for the Python Direct Platform

Holds a 2D array of hex color values. Each element represents a pixel, whose coordinates are its index. VBuffer can be loaded and displayed by the window class.

```
Parameters arg1 ({(int, int)|np.ndarray(int, int)}) – Either array dimensions or a 2-
         dimensional numpy array of integers
         If dimensions, will create zeroed-out 2D array of the selected dimensions. Defaults to 800x600.
         If numpy array, will set buffer to the contents of that array.
Constructor:
     __init__(self, arg1=(800, 600)) -> None
Overloads:
     __getitem__(self, idx) -> int __setitem__(self, idx, val) -> None __len__(self) -> int
properties:
     getter: dimensions(self) -> (int, int)
     setter: dimensions(self, val) -> None
Setter:
     write_pixel(self, coords, val) -> None set_buffer(self, buf) -> None clear(self) -> None fill(self, color: int)
     -> None
Getters:
     get_pixel(self, coords) -> int get_dimensions(self) -> (int, int)
     save_buffer_to_file(self, filename) -> None load_buffer_from_file(self, filename) -> None
Error Checking:
     check numpy arr(self,arg1,arg name,method name) -> None check coord type(self,
                                                                                                    coords,
     arg_name, method_name) -> None _check_coord_vals(self, x, y, method_name) -> None
clear() \rightarrow None
     Set every pixel in buffer to 0 (hex value for black).
property dimensions: tuple
     Return dimensions of buffer.
fill(color: int) \rightarrow None
     Set every pixel in the buffer to a given color.
          Parameters color (Hex color code) -
get\_dimensions() \rightarrow tuple
     Return dimensions of visual buffer array.
get_pixel(coords: tuple) \rightarrow int
     Return color value of chosen pixel.
         Parameters coords
                                    (2-tuple or list containing first and second index of
             pixel) -
load_buffer_from_file(filename: str) \rightarrow None
     Load binary file storing buffer contents, and write it to buffer.
         Parameters filename (Path to a binary file containing numpy array data) -
save\_buffer\_to\_file(filename: str) \rightarrow None
     Save contents of buffer to a binary file.
         Parameters filename (The path and name of the file to write to) -
set\_buffer(buf: numpy.ndarray) \rightarrow None
     Set the visual buffer to equal a provided 2D array of pixels.
```

```
Parameters buf (A 2-dimensional numpy array of integer color values) -
```

```
write_pixel(coords: tuple, val: int) \rightarrow None
```

Sets pixel at specified coordinates to specified color.

Sets pixel at coordinates coords in buffer to hex value val

#### **Parameters**

- coords (Pixel coordinates (an X and a Y)) -
- val (The hex value of the desired color to change the pixel with) -

: raises TypeError : val is not type(int): : raises ValueError : val is negative or greater than max color value (0xFFFFFF):

# 1.1.4 dpav.window module

```
class dpav.window.Window(arg1: Optional[dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer] = None, scale: float = 1.0)
    Bases: object
Handles Window capabilites of Python Direct Platform Functions:
    Constructor: __init__()
    Setters: set_scale(int/float) set_vbuffer(VBuffer/np.ndarray,optional:int)
    Getters: get_mouse_pos()
    Misc Methods: open() is_open() close() update()
```

**Private Methods:** \_update\_events(pygame.event) \_build\_events\_dict() \_write\_to\_screen()

# Public

vbuffer: active VBuffer object scale: number that scales up/down the size of the screen (1.0 is unscaled)

events: dictionary of string:bool event pairs,

**example:** "l\_shift": True – left shift is pressed down "l\_shift": False – left shift is not pressed

eventq: list of active events that occured since last update cycle

```
example: ['l_shift', 'mouse', 'a', 'q']
```

debug\_flag: boolean flag if window object should output debug info to log open\_flag: boolean flag for if the window is active

### Private

**\_keydict:** int:string PyGame event mapping. PyGame events identifiers are stored as ints. This attribute is used by the public events variable to map from PyGame's integer:boolean pairs to our string:boolean pairs

\_surfaces: Two PyGame Surfaces for swapping to reflect vbuffer changes and enable in-place nparray modification

\_screen: PyGame.display object, used for viewing vbuffer attribute

# $\textbf{close()} \rightarrow None$

Closes the active instance of a pygame window

Raises RuntimeError – no active pygame window instances exists

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```
get_mouse_pos() -> (<class 'int'>, <class 'int'>)
```

Returns the current mouse location with respect to the pygame window instance

Raises Runtime Error – no active pygame window instances exists

 $is\_open() \rightarrow bool$ 

Updates events on every call, used to abstract out PyGame display calls and event loop

# **Example**

if window.is\_open(): # your code here

Returns boolean denoting if the window is currently open

 $open() \rightarrow None$ 

Creates and runs pygame window in a new thread

 $set\_scale(scale: float) \rightarrow None$ 

Sets the window scale

 $set\_vbuffer(arg1: dpav.vbuffer.VBuffer) \rightarrow None$ 

Sets the vbuffer/nparray object to display on screen

**Parameters arg1** – VBuffer/np.ndarray

Raises

- TypeError arg1 VBuffer/np.ndarray type check
- **TypeError** scale int/float type check

 $update() \rightarrow None$ 

Pygame event abstraction, called at end of pygame loop. Optional function if is\_open() is used

Raises Runtime Error - No active pygame window

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