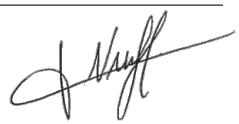

When a tag is not set, the value will be None.

get_shutter_speed(*self*, *float_=False*)
Returns the exposure time as rational or float or None if the tag is not set.

Argument:

- *float_* If False, default, the value is returned as rational otherwise a float is returned

read()
Read the metadata embedded in the associated image. It is necessary to call this method once before attempting to access the metadata (an exception will be raised if trying to access metadata before calling this method).

__setitem__(*key*, *tag_or_value*)
Set a metadata tag for a given key. If the tag was previously set, it is overwritten. As a handy shortcut, a value may be passed instead of a fully formed tag. The corresponding tag object will be instantiated.

Arguments:

- *key* Metadata key in the dotted form familyName.groupName.tagName where familyName may be one of exif, iptc or xmp.
- *tag_or_value* (pyexiv2.exif.ExifTag or pyexiv2.iptc.IptcTag or pyexiv2.xmp.XmpTag or any valid value type) – An instance of the corresponding family of metadata tag, or a value

Raises KeyError if the tag doesn't exist

write(*preserve_timestamps=False*)
Write the metadata back to the image.

Argument:

- *preserve_timestamps* (boolean) – Whether to preserve the file's original timestamps (access time and modification time)

1.3 pyexiv2.exif

This module provides the classes `ExifTag`, `ExifValueError` and `ExifThumbnail`.

class pyexiv2.exif.**ExifTag**

Instance Attributes

- *description*
- *human_value*
- *key*
- *label*
- *name*
- *raw_value*
- *section_description*
- *section_name*
- *type*
- *value*