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MPIEA_MMR PACKAGE

1.1 Submodules

1.2 mpiea_mmr.blender_utils module

Utilities for interaction with Blender

```
class mpiea_mmr.blender_utils.ArgumentParserForBlender (prog=None, usage=None, description=None, epi-
log=None, parents=[],
formatter_class=<class
'argparse.HelpFormatter'>,
prefix_chars='-', from-
file_prefix_chars=None,
argument_default=None,
conflict_handler='error',
add_help=True, al-
low_abbrev=True)
```

Bases: argparse.ArgumentParser

This class is identical to its superclass, except for the parse_args method (see docstring). It resolves the ambiguity generated when calling Blender from the CLI with a python script, and both Blender and the script have arguments. E.g., the following call will make Blender crash because it will try to process the script's -a and -b flags:

```
blender --python my_script.py -a 1 -b 2
```

To bypass this issue this class uses the fact that Blender will ignore all arguments given after a double-dash ('-'). The approach is that all arguments before '-' go to Blender, arguments after go to the script. The following CLI calls work fine:

```
blender --python my_script.py -- -a 1 -b 2
blender --python my_script.py --
```

```
get_argv_after_doubledash(argv)
```

Parameters argv (list of str) – Expected to be sys.argv (or alike).

Returns The argy sublist after the first '--' element (if present, otherwise returns an empty list).

Return type list of str

Note: Works with any *ordered* collection of strings (e.g. list, tuple).

```
parse_args()
```

This method is expected to behave identically as in the superclass, except that the sys.argv list will be pre-processed using get_argv_after_doubledash before. See the docstring of the class for usage examples and details.

Note: By default, *argparse.ArgumentParser* will call *sys.exit()* when encountering an error. Blender will react to that shutting down, making it look like a crash. Make sure the arguments are correct!

1.3 mpiea_mmr.foo_module module

Module containing a simple class with low memory and runtime requirements.

```
class mpiea_mmr.foo_module.Foo(size=1000000)
    Bases: object

A simple class with low memory and runtime requirements.
get_result()
    Basic getter.
loop(times)
```

Restart result and run computation a number of times.

1.4 Module contents

Init file for the add-on.

To install it, make sure Blender's Python is able to find it under addon_utils.paths(), and that the Blender version matches to make it installable.

Alternatively, run this init file as a script from Blender.

```
mpiea_mmr.register()
mpiea_mmr.unregister()
```

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