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Various common shapes for use with displayio

This driver depends on:

- [Adafruit CircuitPython](#)

Please ensure all dependencies are available on the CircuitPython filesystem. This is easily achieved by downloading the [Adafruit library and driver bundle](#).

1.1 Installing from PyPI

On supported GNU/Linux systems like the Raspberry Pi, you can install the driver locally [from PyPI](#). To install for current user:

```
pip3 install adafruit-circuitpython-display_shapes
```

To install system-wide (this may be required in some cases):

```
sudo pip3 install adafruit-circuitpython-display_shapes
```

To install in a virtual environment in your current project:

```
mkdir project-name && cd project-name
python3 -m venv .env
source .env/bin/activate
pip3 install adafruit-circuitpython-display_shapes
```


CHAPTER 2

Usage Example

```
import board
import displayio
from adafruit_display_shapes.rect import Rect
from adafruit_display_shapes.circle import Circle
from adafruit_display_shapes.roundrect import RoundRect

splash = displayio.Group(max_size=10)
board.DISPLAY.show(splash)

color_bitmap = displayio.Bitmap(320, 240, 1)
color_palette = displayio.Palette(1)
color_palette[0] = 0xFFFFFF
bg_sprite = displayio.TileGrid(color_bitmap, pixel_shader=color_palette, position=(0, 0))
print(bg_sprite.position)
splash.append(bg_sprite)

triangle = Triangle(170, 50, 120, 140, 210, 160, fill=0x00FF00, outline=0xFF00FF)
splash.append(triangle)

rect = Rect(80, 20, 41, 41, fill=0x0)
splash.append(rect)

circle = Circle(100, 100, 20, fill=0x00FF00, outline=0xFF00FF)
splash.append(circle)

rect2 = Rect(50, 100, 61, 81, outline=0x0, stroke=3)
splash.append(rect2)

roundrect = RoundRect(10, 10, 61, 81, 10, fill=0x0, outline=0xFF00FF, stroke=6)
splash.append(roundrect)

while True:
    pass
```


CHAPTER 3

Contributing

Contributions are welcome! Please read our [Code of Conduct](#) before contributing to help this project stay welcoming.

4.1 Zip release files

To build this library locally you'll need to install the `circuitpython-build-tools` package.

```
python3 -m venv .env
source .env/bin/activate
pip install circuitpython-build-tools
```

Once installed, make sure you are in the virtual environment:

```
source .env/bin/activate
```

Then run the build:

```
circuitpython-build-bundles --filename_prefix adafruit-circuitpython-display_shapes --
↳library_location .
```

4.2 Sphinx documentation

Sphinx is used to build the documentation based on rST files and comments in the code. First, install dependencies (feel free to reuse the virtual environment from above):

```
python3 -m venv .env
source .env/bin/activate
pip install Sphinx sphinx-rtd-theme
```

Now, once you have the virtual environment activated:

```
cd docs
sphinx-build -E -W -b html . _build/html
```

This will output the documentation to `docs/_build/html`. Open the `index.html` in your browser to view them. It will also (due to `-W`) error out on any warning like Travis will. This is a good way to locally verify it will pass.

5.1 Simple test

Ensure your device works with this simple test.

Listing 1: examples/display_shapes_simpletest.py

```
1 import board
2 import displayio
3 from adafruit_display_shapes.rect import Rect
4 from adafruit_display_shapes.circle import Circle
5 from adafruit_display_shapes.roundrect import RoundRect
6 from adafruit_display_shapes.triangle import Triangle
7 from adafruit_display_shapes.line import Line
8 from adafruit_display_shapes.polygon import Polygon
9
10 # Make the display context
11 splash = displayio.Group(max_size=20)
12 board.DISPLAY.show(splash)
13
14 # Make a background color fill
15 color_bitmap = displayio.Bitmap(320, 240, 1)
16 color_palette = displayio.Palette(1)
17 color_palette[0] = 0xFFFFFF
18 bg_sprite = displayio.TileGrid(color_bitmap, x=0, y=0, pixel_shader=color_palette)
19 splash.append(bg_sprite)
20 #####
21
22 splash.append(Line(220, 130, 270, 210, 0xFF0000))
23 splash.append(Line(270, 210, 220, 210, 0xFF0000))
24 splash.append(Line(220, 210, 270, 130, 0xFF0000))
25 splash.append(Line(270, 130, 220, 130, 0xFF0000))
26
27 # Draw a blue star
```

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```
28 polygon = Polygon(  
29     [  
30         (255, 40),  
31         (262, 62),  
32         (285, 62),  
33         (265, 76),  
34         (275, 100),  
35         (255, 84),  
36         (235, 100),  
37         (245, 76),  
38         (225, 62),  
39         (248, 62),  
40     ],  
41     outline=0x0000FF,  
42 )  
43 splash.append(polygon)  
44  
45 triangle = Triangle(170, 50, 120, 140, 210, 160, fill=0x00FF00, outline=0xFF00FF)  
46 splash.append(triangle)  
47  
48 rect = Rect(80, 20, 41, 41, fill=0x0)  
49 splash.append(rect)  
50  
51 circle = Circle(100, 100, 20, fill=0x00FF00, outline=0xFF00FF)  
52 splash.append(circle)  
53  
54 rect2 = Rect(50, 100, 61, 81, outline=0x0, stroke=3)  
55 splash.append(rect2)  
56  
57 roundrect = RoundRect(10, 10, 61, 81, 10, fill=0x0, outline=0xFF00FF, stroke=6)  
58 splash.append(roundrect)  
59  
60  
61 while True:  
62     pass
```

5.2 circle

Various common shapes for use with displayio - Circle shape!

- Author(s): Limor Fried

5.2.1 Implementation Notes

Software and Dependencies:

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

```
class adafruit_display_shapes.circle.Circle(x0, y0, r, *, fill=None, outline=None,  
                                             stroke=1)
```

A circle.

Parameters

- **x0** – The x-position of the center.

- **y0** – The y-position of the center.
- **r** – The radius of the circle.
- **fill** – The color to fill the rounded-corner rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or `None` for transparent.
- **outline** – The outline of the rounded-corner rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or `None` for no outline.
- **stroke** – Used for the outline. Will not change the radius.

5.3 rect

Various common shapes for use with displayio - Rectangle shape!

- Author(s): Limor Fried

5.3.1 Implementation Notes

Software and Dependencies:

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

class `adafruit_display_shapes.rect.Rect` (*x*, *y*, *width*, *height*, *, *fill=None*, *outline=None*, *stroke=1*)

A rectangle.

Parameters

- **x** – The x-position of the top left corner.
- **y** – The y-position of the top left corner.
- **width** – The width of the rectangle.
- **height** – The height of the rectangle.
- **fill** – The color to fill the rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or `None` for transparent.
- **outline** – The outline of the rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or `None` for no outline.
- **stroke** – Used for the outline. Will not change the outer bound size set by `width` and `height`.

fill

The fill of the rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or `None` for transparent.

outline

The outline of the rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or `None` for no outline.

5.4 roundrect

A slightly modified version of `Adafruit_CircuitPython_Display_Shapes` that includes an explicit call to `palette.make_opaque()` in the fill color setter function.

class `adafruit_display_shapes.roundrect.RoundRect` (*x*, *y*, *width*, *height*, *r*, *, *fill=None*, *outline=None*, *stroke=1*)

A round-corner rectangle.

Parameters

- **x** – The x-position of the top left corner.
- **y** – The y-position of the top left corner.
- **width** – The width of the rounded-corner rectangle.
- **height** – The height of the rounded-corner rectangle.
- **r** – The radius of the rounded corner.
- **fill** – The color to fill the rounded-corner rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or None for transparent.
- **outline** – The outline of the rounded-corner rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or None for no outline.
- **stroke** – Used for the outline. Will not change the outer bound size set by `width` and `height`.

fill

The fill of the rounded-corner rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or None for transparent.

outline

The outline of the rounded-corner rectangle. Can be a hex value for a color or None for no outline.

5.5 triangle

Various common shapes for use with displayio - Triangle shape!

- Author(s): Melissa LeBlanc-Williams

5.5.1 Implementation Notes

Software and Dependencies:

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

class `adafruit_display_shapes.triangle.Triangle` (*x0*, *y0*, *x1*, *y1*, *x2*, *y2*, *, *fill=None*, *outline=None*)

A triangle.

Parameters

- **x0** – The x-position of the first vertex.
- **y0** – The y-position of the first vertex.
- **x1** – The x-position of the second vertex.
- **y1** – The y-position of the second vertex.
- **x2** – The x-position of the third vertex.
- **y2** – The y-position of the third vertex.
- **fill** – The color to fill the triangle. Can be a hex value for a color or None for transparent.

- **outline** – The outline of the triangle. Can be a hex value for a color or None for no outline.

fill

The fill of the triangle. Can be a hex value for a color or None for transparent.

5.6 line

Various common shapes for use with displayio - Line shape!

- Author(s): Melissa LeBlanc-Williams

5.6.1 Implementation Notes

Software and Dependencies:

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

class `adafruit_display_shapes.line.Line(x0, y0, x1, y1, color)`

A line.

Parameters

- **x0** – The x-position of the first vertex.
- **y0** – The y-position of the first vertex.
- **x1** – The x-position of the second vertex.
- **y1** – The y-position of the second vertex.
- **color** – The color of the line.

5.7 polygon

Various common shapes for use with displayio - Polygon shape!

- Author(s): Melissa LeBlanc-Williams

5.7.1 Implementation Notes

Software and Dependencies:

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

class `adafruit_display_shapes.polygon.Polygon(points, *, outline=None)`

A polygon.

Parameters

- **points** – A list of (x, y) tuples of the points
- **fill** – The color to fill the polygon. Can be a hex value for a color or None for transparent.
- **outline** – The outline of the polygon. Can be a hex value for a color or None for no outline.

outline

The outline of the polygon. Can be a hex value for a color or None for no outline.

5.8 sparkline

Various common shapes for use with displayio - Sparkline!

- Author(s): Kevin Matocha

5.8.1 Implementation Notes

Software and Dependencies:

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

```
class adafruit_display_shapes.sparkline.Sparkline (width, height, max_items,  
                                                y_min=None, y_max=None, x=0,  
                                                y=0, color=16777215)
```

A sparkline graph.

: param width: Width of the sparkline graph in pixels : param height: Height of the sparkline graph in pixels
: param max_items: Maximum number of values housed in the sparkline : param y_min: Lower range for the
y-axis. Set to None for autorange. : param y_max: Upper range for the y-axis. Set to None for autorange. :
param x: X-position on the screen, in pixels : param y: Y-position on the screen, in pixels : param color: Line
color, the default value is 0xFFFFFF (WHITE)

add_value (*value*)

Add a value to the sparkline. : param value: The value to be added to the sparkline

update ()

Update the drawing of the sparkline

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Returns the values displayed on the sparkline

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