
Adafruitfeatherwing Library Documentation

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This library provides FeatherWing specific classes for those that require a significant amount of initialization.

CHAPTER 1

Dependencies

These drivers depends on:

- [Adafruit CircuitPython](#)
- [PCA9685](#)
- [Motor](#)

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

2.1 `adafruit_featherwing.motor_featherwing`

Helper for using motors with the [Motor FeatherWing](#).

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2.2 `adafruit_featherwing.ina219_featherwing`

Helper for using the [INA219 FeatherWing](#).

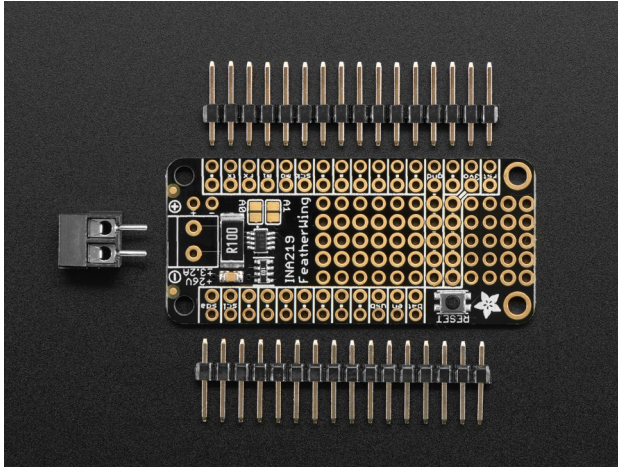
- Author(s): Kattni Rembor

class `adafruit_featherwing.ina219_featherwing.INA219FeatherWing`
Class representing an [Adafruit INA219 FeatherWing](#).

Automatically uses the feather's I2C bus.

bus_voltage

Bus voltage returns volts.



This example prints the bus voltage with the appropriate units.

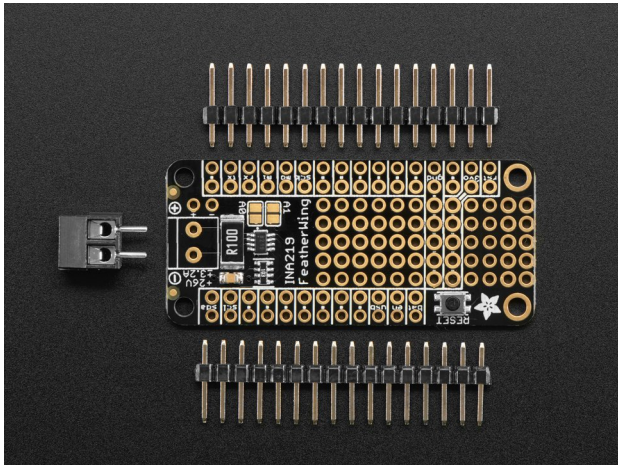
```
from adafruit_featherwing import ina219_featherwing
import time

ina219 = ina219_featherwing.INA219FeatherWing()

while True:
    print("Bus Voltage: {} V".format(ina219.bus_voltage))
    time.sleep(0.5)
```

current

Current returns mA.



This example prints the current with the appropriate units.

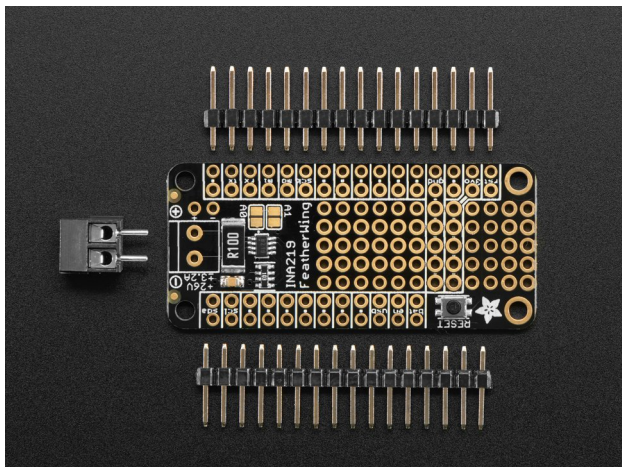
```
from adafruit_featherwing import ina219_featherwing
import time

ina219 = ina219_featherwing.INA219FeatherWing()

while True:
    print("Current: {} mA".format(ina219.current))
    time.sleep(0.5)
```

shunt_voltage

Shunt voltage returns volts.



This example prints the shunt voltage with the appropriate units.

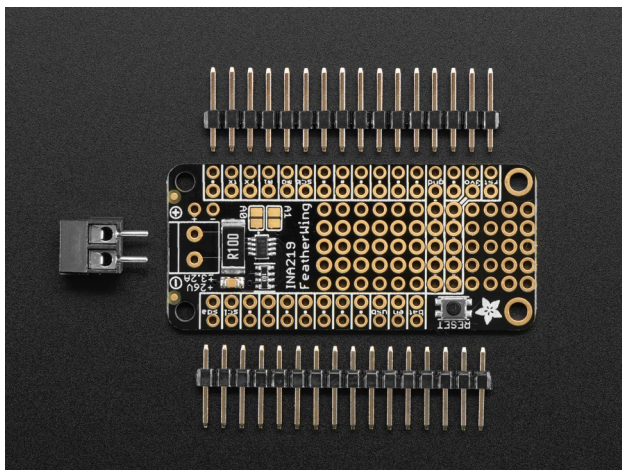
```
from adafruit_featherwing import ina219_featherwing
import time

ina219 = ina219_featherwing.INA219FeatherWing()

while True:
    print("Shunt Voltage: {} V".format(ina219.shunt_voltage))
    time.sleep(0.5)
```

voltage

Voltage, known as load voltage, is bus voltage plus shunt voltage. Returns volts.



This example prints the voltage with the appropriate units.

```
from adafruit_featherwing import ina219_featherwing
import time

ina219 = ina219_featherwing.INA219FeatherWing()

while True:
    print("Voltage: {} V".format(ina219.voltage))
    time.sleep(0.5)
```



CHAPTER 3

Contributing

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

CHAPTER 4

Building locally

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-featherwing --
↪library_location .
```


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