
PrettyQt Documentation

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PrettyQt is a thin wrapper for PyQt5 / PySide2 APIs.

Source code <https://github.com/phil65/prettyqt>

Pythonic layer on top of PyQt5 / PySide2

- Free software: MIT license
- Documentation: <https://prettyqt.readthedocs.io>.

1.1 Features

- TODO

1.2 Credits

This package was created with [Cookiecutter](#) and the [audreyr/cookiecutter-pypackage](#) project template.

2.1 Stable release

To install PrettyQt, run this command in your terminal:

```
$ pip install prettyqt
```

This is the preferred method to install PrettyQt, as it will always install the most recent stable release.

If you don't have `pip` installed, this [Python installation guide](#) can guide you through the process.

2.2 From sources

The sources for PrettyQt can be downloaded from the [Github repo](#).

You can either clone the public repository:

```
$ git clone git://github.com/phil65/prettyqt
```

Or download the [tarball](#):

```
$ curl -OL https://github.com/phil65/prettyqt/tarball/master
```

Once you have a copy of the source, you can install it with:

```
$ python setup.py install
```


CHAPTER 3

Usage

To use PrettyQt in a project:

```
import prettyqt
```


CHAPTER 4

prettyqt

core module

contains QtCore-based classes

```
class prettyqt.core.Object
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QObject

class prettyqt.core.CoreApplication
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QCoreApplication

class prettyqt.core.IODevice
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QIODevice

class prettyqt.core.FileDevice
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QFileDevice

class prettyqt.core.File
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QFile

class prettyqt.core.Buffer
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QBuffer

class prettyqt.core.Settings (*args, settings_id=None)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QSettings

    classmethod get_default_format ()
        returns default settings format

        possible values are “native”, “ini”

        Return type str

        Returns default settings format

get_scope ()
    returns scope

    possible values are “user”, “system”

    Return type str
```

Returns scope

group (*prefix*)

context manager for setting groups

Parameters **prefix** (*str*) – setting prefix for group

read_array (*prefix*)

context manager for reading arrays

Parameters **prefix** (*str*) – prefix for settings array

classmethod **set_default_format** (*fmt*)

sets the default format

possible values are “native”, “ini”

Parameters **mode** – the default format to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid format

classmethod **set_path** (*fmt*, *scope*, *path*)

sets the path to the settings file

Parameters

- **fmt** – the default format to use
- **scope** (*str*) – the scope to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid format or scope

value (*key*, *default=None*)

write_array (*prefix*, *size=-1*)

context manager for writing arrays

Parameters

- **prefix** (*str*) – prefix for settings array
- **size** (*int*) – size of settings array

class `prettyqt.core.Date`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QDate`

class `prettyqt.core.DateTime`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QDateTime`

`prettyqt.core.Size`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QSize`

`prettyqt.core.SizeF`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QSizeF`

`prettyqt.core.Point`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QPoint`

`prettyqt.core.PointF`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QPointF`

class `prettyqt.core.Timer`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QTimer`

class `prettyqt.core.Translator`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QTranslator`

class prettyqt.core.**Thread**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QThread

prettyqt.core.**Rect**
 alias of PyQt5.QtCore.QRect

prettyqt.core.**RectF**
 alias of PyQt5.QtCore.QRectF

class prettyqt.core.**MimeData**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QMimeData

class prettyqt.core.**Dir**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QDir

class prettyqt.core.**DirIterator**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QDirIterator

prettyqt.core.**Slot** ()
 @pyqtSlot(*types, name: Optional[str], result: Optional[str])

This is a decorator applied to Python methods of a QObject that marks them as Qt slots. The non-keyword arguments are the types of the slot arguments and each may be a Python type object or a string specifying a C++ type. name is the name of the slot and defaults to the name of the method. result is type of the value returned by the slot.

prettyqt.core.**Property**
 alias of PyQt5.QtCore.pyqtProperty

class prettyqt.core.**RegExp**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QRegExp

class prettyqt.core.**RegularExpression**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QRegularExpression

class prettyqt.core.**Runnable**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QRunnable

class prettyqt.core.**ModelIndex**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QModelIndex

class prettyqt.core.**ThreadPool**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QThreadPool

prettyqt.core.**Signal**
 alias of PyQt5.QtCore.pyqtSignal

class prettyqt.core.**AbstractItemModel**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractItemModel

change_layout ()
 content manager to change the layout

wraps calls with correct signals emitted at beginning: layoutAboutToBeChanged emitted at end: layoutChanged

reset_model ()
 content manager to reset the model

wraps calls with correct signals emitted at beginning: beginResetModel emitted at end: endResetModel

class prettyqt.core.**AbstractProxyModel**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractProxyModel

class `prettyqt.core.AbstractListModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractListModel`

class `prettyqt.core.SortFilterProxyModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QSortFilterProxyModel`

class `prettyqt.core.AbstractTableModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractTableModel`

widgets module

contains QtWidgets-based classes

class `prettyqt.widgets.Application`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QApplication`

classmethod `copy_to_clipboard(text)`
 Sets clipboard to supplied text

set_icon(icon)
 set the icon for the menu

Parameters `icon` (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractSlider`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractSlider`

is_horizontal()
 check if silder is horizontal

Return type `bool`

Returns True if horizontal, else False

is_vertical()
 check if silder is vertical

Return type `bool`

Returns True if vertical, else False

scroll_to_max()
 scroll to the maximum value of the slider

scroll_to_min()
 scroll to the minimum value of the slider

set_horizontal()
 set slider orientation to horizontal

set_vertical()
 set slider orientation to vertical

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractButton`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractButton`

set_icon(icon)
 set the icon for the button

Parameters `icon` (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractSpinBox(*args, **kwargs)`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractSpinBox`

get_button_symbols ()
returns button symbol type

possible values are “none”, “up_down”, “plus_minus”

Return type `str`

Returns button symbol type

get_correction_mode ()
returns correction mode

possible values are “to_previous”, “to_nearest”

Return type `str`

Returns correction mode

get_step_type ()
returns step type

possible values are “default”, “adaptive”

Return type `str`

Returns step type

set_button_symbols (*mode*)
sets button symbol type

possible values are “none”, “up_down”, “plus_minus”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – button symbol type to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid button symbol type

set_correction_mode (*mode*)
sets correction mode

possible values are “to_previous”, “to_nearest”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – correction mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid correction mode

set_step_type (*mode*)
sets step type

possible values are “default”, “adaptive”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – step type to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid step type

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractScrollArea` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractScrollArea`

get_size_adjust_policy ()
returns size adjust policy

possible values are “content”, “first_show”, “ignored”

Return type `str`

Returns size adjust policy

scroll_to_bottom ()
scroll to the bottom of the scroll area

scroll_to_top()

scroll to the top of the scroll area

set_horizontal_scrollbar_policy(mode)

sets the horizontal scrollbar visibility

possible values are “always_on”, “always_off”, “as_needed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – visibility to set

Raises *ValueError* – invalid scrollbar policy

set_horizontal_scrollbar_width(width)

sets the horizontal scrollbar width

Parameters *width* (*int*) – width in pixels

set_scrollbar_policy(mode)

sets the policy for both scrollbars

possible values are “always_on”, “always_off”, “as_needed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – visibility to set

Raises *ValueError* – invalid scrollbar policy

set_scrollbar_width(width)

sets the width for both scrollbars

Parameters *width* (*int*) – width in pixels

set_size_adjust_policy(policy)

set size adjust policy

Valid values are “content”, “first_show”, “ignored”

Parameters *policy* (*str*) – size adjust policy to use

Raises *ValueError* – invalid size adjust policy

set_vertical_scrollbar_policy(mode)

sets the vertical scrollbar visibility

possible values are “always_on”, “always_off”, “as_needed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – visibility to set

Raises *ValueError* – invalid scrollbar policy

set_vertical_scrollbar_width(width)

sets the vertical scrollbar width

Parameters *width* (*int*) – width in pixels

class prettyqt.widgets.**AbstractItemView**(*args, **kwargs)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractItemView`

get_selection_behaviour()

returns current selection behaviour

Possible values: “rows”, “columns”, “items”

Return type *str*

Returns selection behaviour

get_selection_mode()
returns current selection mode
Possible values: “single”, “extended”, “multi” or “none”
Return type `str`
Returns selection mode

highlight_when_inactive()
also highlight items when widget does not have focus

jump_to_column(*col_num*)
make sure column at given index is visible
scrolls to column at given index
Parameters **col_num** (`int`) – column to scroll to

num_selected()
returns amount of selected rows
Return type `int`
Returns amount of selected rows

scroll_to_bottom()
override to use abstractitemview-way of scrolling to bottom

scroll_to_top()
override to use abstractitemview-way of scrolling to top

selectAll()
Override, we dont want to selectAll for too many items for performance reasons

selected_data()
returns generator yielding selected userData
Return type `Generator[Any, None, None]`

selected_indexes()
returns list of selected indexes in first row
Return type `List[QModelIndex]`

selected_names()
returns generator yielding item names
Return type `Generator[Any, None, None]`

selected_rows()
returns generator yielding row nums
Return type `Generator[int, None, None]`

setModel(*model*)
delete old selection model explicitly, seems to help with memory usage

set_selection_behaviour(*behaviour*)
set selection behaviour for given item view
Allowed values are “rows”, “columns”, “items”
Parameters **behaviour** (`str`) – selection behaviour to use
Raises `ValueError` – behaviour does not exist

set_selection_mode (*mode*)
 set selection mode for given item view
 Allowed values are “single”, “extended”, “multi” or “none”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – selection mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – mode does not exist

toggle_select_all ()
 select all items from list (deselect when all selected)

class `prettyqt.widgets.MdiSubWindow`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMdiSubWindow`

class `prettyqt.widgets.MdiArea` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMdiArea`

get_tab_position ()
 returns current tab position
 Possible values: “north”, “south”, “west”, “east”

Return type *str*

Returns tab position

get_view_mode ()
 returns current view mode
 Possible values: “default”, “tabbed”

Return type *str*

Returns view mode

get_window_order ()
 returns current window order
 Possible values: “creation”, “stacking”, “activation”

Return type *str*

Returns view mode

set_tab_position (*position*)
 set tab position for the MDI area
 Valid values are “north”, “south”, “west”, “east”

Parameters *position* (*str*) – tabs position to use

Raises `ValueError` – tab position does not exist

set_view_mode (*mode*)
 set view mode for the MDI area
 Valid values are “default”, “tabbed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – view mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – view mode does not exist

set_window_order (*mode*)
 set the window order behaviour for the MDI area
 Valid values are “creation”, “stacking”, “activation”

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – window order behaviour to use

Raises `ValueError` – window order mode not existing.

class `prettyqt.widgets.ScrollBar` (*orientation='horizontal', parent=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QScrollBar`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ScrollArea` (**args, **kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QScrollArea`

class `prettyqt.widgets.Widget`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWidget`

get_contextmenu_policy ()
 returns current contextmenu policy

Possible values: “none”, “prevent”, “default”, “actions”, “custom”, “showhide_menu”

Return type `str`

Returns contextmenu policy

get_modality ()
 get the current modality modes as a string
 Possible values: “modeless”, “window”, “application”

Return type `str`

Returns modality mode str

resize (*self, QSize*)
`resize(self, int, int)`

set_contextmenu_policy (*policy*)
 set contextmenu policy for given item view

Allowed values are “none”, “prevent”, “default”, “actions”, “custom”, “showhide_menu”

Parameters `policy` (`str`) – contextmenu policy to use

Raises `ValueError` – policy does not exist

set_modality (*modality='window'*)
 set modality for the dialog

Valid values for modality: “modeless”, “window”, “application”

Parameters `modality` (`str`) – modality for the main window (default: {“window”})

Raises `ValueError` – modality type does not exist

set_size_policy (*horizontal=None, vertical=None*)
 sets the sizes policy

possible values for both parameters are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Parameters

- **horizontal** (`Optional[str]`) – horizontal size policy
- **vertical** (`Optional[str]`) – vertical size policy

class prettyqt.widgets.**DesktopWidget**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDesktopWidget

class prettyqt.widgets.**GraphicsItem**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QGraphicsItem

class prettyqt.widgets.**Style**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyle

class prettyqt.widgets.**StyleOption**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyleOption

class prettyqt.widgets.**SpacerItem**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSpacerItem

class prettyqt.widgets.**SizePolicy**
 Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSizePolicy

get_control_type()
 returns control type

possible values are “default”, “buttonbox”, “checkbox”, “combobox”, “frame”, “groupbox”, “label”, “line”, “lineedit”, “pushbutton”, “radiobutton”, “slider”, “spinbox”, “tabwidget”, “toolbutton”

Return type `str`

Returns control type

get_horizontal_policy()
 returns size policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Return type `str`

Returns horizontal size policy

get_vertical_policy()
 returns size policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Return type `str`

Returns vertical size policy

set_control_type(mode)
 sets the control type

possible values are “default”, “buttonbox”, “checkbox”, “combobox”, “frame”, “groupbox”, “label”, “line”, “lineedit”, “pushbutton”, “radiobutton”, “slider”, “spinbox”, “tabwidget”, “toolbutton”

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – control type to set

set_horizontal_policy(mode)
 sets the horizontal policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – policy to set

set_vertical_policy (*mode*)

sets the horizontal policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – policy to set

class prettyqt.widgets.**StylePainter**

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStylePainter

class prettyqt.widgets.**BaseDialog**

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDialog

KeyPressEvent (*self*, *QKeyEvent*)

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters *icon* (*Union[QIcon, str, None]*) – icon to use

class prettyqt.widgets.**Dialog** (*title=""*, *icon=None*, *parent=None*, *delete_on_close=True*, *layout=None*)

Bases: prettyqt.widgets.dialog.BaseDialog

class prettyqt.widgets.**MessageBox** (*icon=None*, *title=None*, *text=""*, *details=""*, *buttons=None*, *parent=None*)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMessageBox

add_button (*button*)

add a default button

Valid arguments: “none”, “cancel”, “ok”, “save”, “open”, “close”, “discard”, “apply”, “reset”, “restore_defaults”, “help”, “save_all”, “yes”, “yes_to_all”, “no”, “no_to_all”, “abort”, “retry”, “ignore”

Parameters *button* (*str*) – button to add

Returns created button

Raises *ValueError* – Button type not available

get_text_format ()

returns current text format

Possible values: “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Return type *str*

Returns text format

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters *icon* – icon to use

set_text_format (*text_format*)

set the text format

Allowed values are “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Parameters *mode* – text format to use

Raises *ValueError* – text format does not exist

class prettyqt.widgets.**ErrorMessage**

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QErrorMessage

```

class prettyqt.widgets.FileSystemModel (*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFileSystemModel

    Class to populate a filesystem treeview

    data (self, QModelIndex, role: int = Qt.DisplayRole) → Any

class prettyqt.widgets.LayoutItem
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLayoutItem

class prettyqt.widgets.Layout
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLayout

    get_size_mode ()
        returns current size mode

        Possible values: “maximum”, “fixed”

        Return type str

        Returns size mode

    set_alignment (alignment, item=None)
        Sets the alignment for widget / layout to alignment and returns true if w is found in this layout (not
        including child layouts)

        Allowed values for alignment: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

        Parameters

        • alignment (str) – alignment for the layout

        • item – set alignment for specific child only

        Raises ValueError – alignment does not exist

    set_size_mode (mode)
        set the size mode of the layout

        Allowed values are “maximum”, “fixed”

        Parameters mode (str) – size mode for the layout

        Raises ValueError – size mode does not exist

class prettyqt.widgets.FormLayout (*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFormLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.BoxLayout (orientation='horizontal', parent=None, margin=None)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QBoxLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.StackedLayout
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStackedLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.GridLayout
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QGridLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.ToolBox
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolBox

class prettyqt.widgets.Slider (orientation='horizontal', parent=None)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSlider

    get_tick_position ()
        returns tick position

        possible values are “none”, “both_sides”, “above”, “below”
    
```

Return type `str`

Returns tick position

set_tick_position (*position*)
sets the tick position for the slider

allowed values are “none”, “both_sides”, “above”, “below”, “left”, “right” for vertical orientation of the slider, “above” equals to “left” and “below” to “right”

Parameters `position` (`str`) – position for the ticks

class `prettyqt.widgets.StyleOptionSlider`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyleOptionSlider`

is_horizontal ()
check if silder is horizontal

Return type `bool`

Returns True if horizontal, else False

is_vertical ()
check if silder is vertical

Return type `bool`

Returns True if vertical, else False

set_horizontal ()
set slider orientation to horizontal

set_vertical ()
set slider orientation to vertical

class `prettyqt.widgets.Frame`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFrame`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ListWidgetItem`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QListWidgetItem`

get_checkstate ()
returns checkstate
possible values are “unchecked”, “partial”, “checked”

Return type `str`

Returns checkstate

set_checkstate (*state*)
set checkstate of the checkbox
valid values are: unchecked, partial, checked

Parameters `state` (`str`) – checkstate to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid checkstate

set_icon (*icon*)
set the icon for the action

Parameters `icon` (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.TreeWidgetItem`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTreeWidgetItem`

get_checkstate ()
 returns checkstate
 possible values are “unchecked”, “partial”, “checked”

Return type `str`

Returns checkstate

set_checkstate (*state*)
 set checkstate of the checkbox
 valid values are: unchecked, partial, checked

Parameters *state* (`str`) – checkstate to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid checkstate

set_icon (*icon*)
 set the icon for the action

Parameters *icon* (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.Action` (*text=*”, *icon=None*, *parent=None*, *shortcut=*”, *tooltip=*”)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAction`

get_priority ()
 returns current priority
 Possible values: “low”, “normal”, “high”

Return type `str`

Returns priority

get_shortcut_context ()
 returns shortcut context
 Possible values: “widget”, “widget_with_children”, “window”, “application”

Return type `str`

Returns shortcut context

set_icon (*icon*)
 set the icon for the action

Parameters *icon* (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

set_priority (*priority*)
 set priority of the action
 Allowed values are “low”, “normal”, “high”

Parameters *mode* – priority for the action

Raises `ValueError` – priority does not exist

set_shortcut_context (*context*)
 set shortcut context
 Allowed values are “widget”, “widget_with_children”, “window”, “application”

Parameters *mode* – shortcut context

Raises `ValueError` – shortcut context does not exist

```
class prettyqt.widgets.WidgetAction (text="", icon=None, parent=None, shortcut="",
                                     tooltip="")
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWidgetAction
```

```
class prettyqt.widgets.ToolButton
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolButton
```

```
get_arrow_type ()
    returns arrow type

    possible values are "none", "up", "down", "left", "right"
```

Return type `str`

Returns arrow type

```
get_popup_mode ()
    returns popup mode

    possible values are "delayed", "menu_button", "instant"
```

Return type `str`

Returns popup mode

```
set_arrow_type (mode)
    sets the arrow type of the toolbutton

    valid values are: "none", "up", "down", "left", "right"
```

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – arrow type to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid arrow type

```
set_popup_mode (mode)
    sets the popup mode of the toolbutton

    valid values are: "delayed", "menu_button", "instant"
```

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – popup mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid popup mode

```
class prettyqt.widgets.ToolTip
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolTip
```

```
class prettyqt.widgets.Menu (title="", icon=None, parent=None)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMenu
```

```
add_action (label, callback=None, icon=None, checkable=False, checked=False, shortcut=None,
            status_tip=None)
    Add an action to the menu
```

Parameters

- **label** (`Union[str, Action]`) – Label for button
- **callback** (`Optional[Callable]`) – gets called when action is triggered
- **icon** (`Optional[Any]`) – icon for button (default: {None})
- **checkable** (`bool`) – as checkbox button (default: {False})
- **checked** (`bool`) – if checkable, turn on by default (default: {False})
- **shortcut** (`Optional[str]`) – Shortcut for action (a) (default: {None})
- **status_tip** (`Optional[str]`) – Status tip to be shown in status bar (default: {None})

Return type Action

Returns Action added to menu

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters *icon* (Union[QIcon, str, None]) – icon to use

class prettyqt.widgets.MenuBar

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMenuBar

class prettyqt.widgets.StatusBar (*args, **kwargs)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStatusBar

class prettyqt.widgets.TabWidget (parent=None, closable=False, detachable=False)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTabWidget

Widget for managing the tabs section

attach_tab (*widget, name, icon, insert_at=None*)

Re-attach the tab by removing the content from the DetachedTab window, closing it, and placing the content back into the DetachableTabWidget

@param widget the content widget from the DetachedTab window @param name the name of the detached tab @param icon the window icon for the detached tab @param insert_at insert the re-attached tab at the given index

close_detached_tabs ()

Close all tabs that are currently detached

detach_tab (*index, point*)

Detach the tab by removing its contents and placing them in a DetachedTab window

@param index index location of the tab to be detached @param point screen pos for creating the new DetachedTab window

get_tab_shape ()

returns tab shape

possible values are “rounded”, “triangular”

Return type str

Returns tab shape

open_widget (*widget, title='Unnamed'*)

create a tab containing delivered widget

set_tab_shape (*shape*)

set tab shape for the tabwidget

Valid values are “rounded” and “triangular”

Parameters *shape* (str) – tab shape to use

Raises ValueError – tab shape does not exist

class prettyqt.widgets.TabBar (parent=None)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTabBar

get_elide_mode ()

returns elide mode

possible values are “left”, “right”, “middle”, “none”

Return type `str`

Returns elide mode

get_remove_behaviour ()
returns remove behaviour

possible values are “left_tab”, “right_tab”, “previous_tab”

Return type `str`

Returns remove behaviour

mouseDoubleClickEvent (*self*, *QMouseEvent*)

set_elide_mode (*mode*)
set elide mode

Valid values are “left”, “right”, “middle”, “none”

Parameters **policy** – elide mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid elide mode

set_remove_behaviour (*mode*)
sets the remove behaviour

What tab should be set as current when removeTab is called if the removed tab is also the current tab.
Possible values: left, right, previous :type mode: `str` :param mode: new remove behaviour

class `prettyqt.widgets.ToolBar` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolBar`

get_style ()
returns current style

Possible values: “icon”, “text”, “text_below_icon”, “text_beside_icon”

Return type `str`

Returns style

is_area_allowed (*area*)
check if toolbar is allowed at specified area

Valid values for area: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters **area** (`str`) – area of the toolbar

Raises `ValueError` – area does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.HeaderView` (*orientation=None*, *parent=None*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QHeaderView`

contextMenuEvent (*event*)
context menu for our files tree

class `prettyqt.widgets.DockWidget` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDockWidget`

Customized DockWidget class contains a custom TitleBar with maximise button

class `prettyqt.widgets.Label` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLabel`

get_text_format ()
 returns current text format

Possible values: “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Return type `str`

Returns text format

get_text_interaction ()
 returns current text interaction mode

Possible values: “none”, “by_mouse”, “by_keyboard”

Return type `str`

Returns text interaction mode

set_text_format (*text_format*)
 set the text format

Allowed values are “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Parameters *mode* – text format to use

Raises `ValueError` – text format does not exist

set_text_interaction (*interaction_type*)
 set the text interaction mode

Allowed values are “none”, “by_mouse”, “by_keyboard”

Parameters *mode* – text interaction mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – text interaction mode does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.PushButton` (*label=None, parent=None, callback=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QPushButton`

class `prettyqt.widgets.CommandLinkButton` (*label=None, parent=None, callback=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QCommandLinkButton`

class `prettyqt.widgets.RadioButton` (**args, **kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QRadioButton`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ComboBox` (**args, **kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QComboBox`

get_insert_policy ()
 returns insert policy

possible values are “no_insert”, “top”, “current”, “bottom”, “after_current”, “before_current”, “alphabetically”

Return type `str`

Returns insert policy

get_size_adjust_policy ()
 returns size adjust policy

possible values are “content”, “first_show”, “min_length”, “min_length_with_icon”

Return type `str`

Returns size adjust policy

set_insert_policy (*policy*)

set insert policy

valid values are “no_insert”, “top”, “current”, “bottom”, “after_current”, “before_current”, “alphabetically”

Parameters *policy* (*str*) – insert policy to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid insert policy

set_size_adjust_policy (*policy*)

set size adjust policy

possible values are “content”, “first_show”, “min_length”, “min_length_with_icon”

Parameters *policy* (*str*) – size adjust policy to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid size adjust policy

class `prettyqt.widgets.SpinBox` (*parent=None, min_value=None, max_value=None, default_value=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSpinBox`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DoubleSpinBox` (*parent=None, min_value=None, max_value=None, default_value=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDoubleSpinBox`

class `prettyqt.widgets.CheckBox` (*label=”, parent=None, checked=False*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QCheckBox`

get_checkstate ()

returns checkstate

possible values are “unchecked”, “partial”, “checked”

Return type `bool`

Returns checkstate

set_checkstate (*state*)

set checkstate of the checkbox

valid values are: unchecked, partial, checked

Parameters *state* (*str*) – checkstate to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid checkstate

class `prettyqt.widgets.LineEdit` (*default_value=”, read_only=False, parent=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLineEdit`

font ()

Return type `Font`

get_echo_mode ()

returns echo mode

possible values are “normal”, “no_echo”, “password”, “echo_on_edit”

Return type `str`

Returns echo mode

set_echo_mode (*mode*)

set echo mode

Valid values are “normal”, “no_echo”, “password”, “echo_on_edit”

Parameters `policy` – echo mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid echo mode

set_read_only (*value=True*)
set test to read only

Parameters `value` (`bool`) – True, for read-only, otherwise False

class `prettyqt.widgets.KeySequenceEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QKeySequenceEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TextEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTextEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DateEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDateEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TimeEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTimeEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DateTimeEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDateTimeEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.CalendarWidget`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QCalendarWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.PlainTextEdit` (*text=”, parent=None, read_only=False*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QPlainTextEdit`

set_read_only (*value=True*)
set test to read only

Parameters `value` (`bool`) – True, for read-only, otherwise False

class `prettyqt.widgets.TextBrowser` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTextBrowser`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ProgressBar` (*text_visible=True, parent=None*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QProgressBar`

Progress dialog

wrapper for `QtWidgets.QProgressBar`

get_alignment ()
returns current alignment

Possible values: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Return type `str`

Returns alignment

get_text_direction ()
returns current text direction

Possible values are “top_to_bottom”, “bottom_to_top”

Return type `str`

Returns Text direction

set_alignment (*alignment*)
set the alignment of the layout

Allowed values are “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters `mode` – alignment for the layout

Raises `ValueError` – alignment does not exist

set_text_direction (*text_direction*)

set the text direction of the layout

Allowed values are “top_to_bottom”, “bottom_to_top”

Parameters `mode` – text direction for the layout

Raises `ValueError` – text direction does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.ColumnView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QColumnView`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ListView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QListView`

get_view_mode ()

returns view mode

possible values are “list”, “icon”

Return type `str`

Returns view mode

set_view_mode (*mode*)

set view mode

possible values are “list”, “icon”

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – view mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid view mode

class `prettyqt.widgets.ListWidget` (*parent=None, selection_mode='single'*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QListWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TreeView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTreeView`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TreeWidget` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTreeWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TableView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTableView`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TableWidget` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTableWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.SplashScreen` (*path, width=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSplashScreen`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ProgressDialog` (*parent=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QProgressDialog`

Progress dialog

wrapper for `QtWidgets.QProgressDialog`

class `prettyqt.widgets.FontDialog`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFontDialog`

class `prettyqt.widgets.FileDialog` (*path=None, mode='open', caption="", path_id=None, extension_filter=None, parent=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFileDialog`

simple dialog used to display some widget

directory ()

return current directory

returns current directory level as a Pathlib object

Return type `Path`

Returns Pathlib object

get_accept_mode ()

returns accept mode

possible values are “save”, “open”

Return type `str`

Returns accept mode

get_file_mode ()

returns file mode

possible values are “existing_file”, “existing_files”, “any_file”, “directory”

Return type `str`

Returns file mode

get_label_text (*label*)

returns label text

possible values are “look_in”, “filename”, “filetype”, “accept”, “reject”

Return type `str`

Returns label text

get_view_mode ()

returns view mode

possible values are “detail”, “list”

Return type `str`

Returns view mode

set_accept_mode (*mode*)

set accept mode

possible values are “save”, “open”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – accept mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid accept mode

set_file_mode (*mode*)

sets the file mode of the dialog

allowed values are “existing_file”, “existing_files”, “any_file” “directory”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – mode to use

set_filter (*extension_dict*)

set filter based on given dictionary

dict must contain “name”: [‘.ext1’, ‘.ext2’]” as key-value pairs

Parameters *extension_dict* (*dict*) – filter dictionary

set_label_text (*label*, *text*)

sets the label text for button label

possible values for label are “look_in”, “filename”, “filetype”, “accept”, “reject”

Parameters

- **label** (*str*) – button to set text for
- **text** (*str*) – text to use

set_view_mode (*mode*)

set view mode

possible values are “detail”, “list”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – view mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid view mode

class `prettyqt.widgets.ColorDialog`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QColorDialog`

class `prettyqt.widgets.InputDialog`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QInputDialog`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DialogButtonBox` (**args*, ***kwargs*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDialogButtonBox`

add_button (*button*, *role='accept'*, *callback=None*)

add a button

Parameters

- **button** – button to add
- **role** – role of the button
- **callback** – function to call when button gets clicked

Returns created button

Raises `ValueError` – Button type not available

add_default_button (*button*, *callback=None*)

add a default button

Valid arguments: “cancel”, “ok”, “save”, “open”, “close”, “discard”, “apply”, “reset”, “restore_defaults”, “help”, “save_all”, “yes”, “yes_to_all”, “no”, “no_to_all”, “abort”, “retry”, “ignore”

Parameters

- **button** (*str*) – button to add
- **callback** – function to call when button gets clicked

Returns created button

Raises `ValueError` – Button type not available

classmethod create (*self*, *window: sip.voidptr = 0*, *initializeWindow: bool = True*, *destroyOldWindow: bool = True*)

get_orientation()

returns current orientation

Possible values: “horizontal”, “vertical”

Return type `str`

Returns orientation

set_orientation(orientation)

set the orientation of the button box

Allowed values are “horizontal”, “vertical”

Parameters mode – orientation for the button box

Raises `ValueError` – orientation does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.ButtonGroup`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QButtonGroup`

class `prettyqt.widgets.GroupBox` (*title=""*, *checkable=False*, *parent=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QGroupBox`

GroupBox widget

A group box provides a frame, a title on top, a keyboard shortcut, and displays various other widgets inside itself. The keyboard shortcut moves keyboard focus to one of the group box’s child widgets.

class `prettyqt.widgets.Splitter` (*orientation='horizontal'*, *parent=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSplitter`

get_orientation()

returns current orientation

Possible values: “horizontal”, “vertical”

Return type `str`

Returns orientation

set_orientation(orientation)

set the orientation of the splitter

Allowed values are “horizontal”, “vertical”

Parameters mode – orientation for the splitter

Raises `ValueError` – orientation does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.Wizard`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWizard`

class `prettyqt.widgets.WizardPage`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWizardPage`

class `prettyqt.widgets.MainWindow` (**args*, ***kwargs*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMainWindow`

Class for our mainWindow includes all docks, a centralwidget and a toolbar

add_toolbar(toolbar, position='top')

adds a toolbar to the mainmenu at specified area

Valid values for position: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters

- **toolbar** – toolbar to use
- **position** (*str*) – position of the toolbar

Raises `ValueError` – position does not exist

add_toolbar_break (*position='top'*)

Adds a toolbar break to the given area after all the other objects that are present.

Valid values for position: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters **position** (*str*) – position of the toolbar

Raises `ValueError` – position does not exist

closeEvent (*event*)

override, gets executed when app gets closed. saves GUI settings

createPopupMenu (*self*) → `QMenu`

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters **icon** (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

toggle_fullscreen ()

toggle between fullscreen and regular size

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractItemDelegate`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractItemDelegate`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ItemDelegate`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QItemDelegate`

class `prettyqt.widgets.StyledItemDelegate`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyledItemDelegate`

Contributions are welcome, and they are greatly appreciated! Every little bit helps, and credit will always be given. You can contribute in many ways:

6.1 Types of Contributions

6.1.1 Report Bugs

Report bugs at <https://github.com/phil65/prettyqt/issues>.

If you are reporting a bug, please include:

- Your operating system name and version.
- Any details about your local setup that might be helpful in troubleshooting.
- Detailed steps to reproduce the bug.

6.1.2 Fix Bugs

Look through the GitHub issues for bugs. Anything tagged with “bug” and “help wanted” is open to whoever wants to implement it.

6.1.3 Implement Features

Look through the GitHub issues for features. Anything tagged with “enhancement” and “help wanted” is open to whoever wants to implement it.

6.1.4 Write Documentation

PrettyQt could always use more documentation, whether as part of the official PrettyQt docs, in docstrings, or even on the web in blog posts, articles, and such.

6.1.5 Submit Feedback

The best way to send feedback is to file an issue at <https://github.com/phil65/prettyqt/issues>.

If you are proposing a feature:

- Explain in detail how it would work.
- Keep the scope as narrow as possible, to make it easier to implement.
- Remember that this is a volunteer-driven project, and that contributions are welcome :)

6.2 Get Started!

Ready to contribute? Here's how to set up *prettyqt* for local development.

1. Fork the *prettyqt* repo on GitHub.
2. Clone your fork locally:

```
$ git clone git@github.com:your_name_here/prettyqt.git
```

3. Install your local copy into a virtualenv. Assuming you have *virtualenvwrapper* installed, this is how you set up your fork for local development:

```
$ mkvirtualenv prettyqt
$ cd prettyqt/
$ python setup.py develop
```

4. Create a branch for local development:

```
$ git checkout -b name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

Now you can make your changes locally.

5. When you're done making changes, check that your changes pass *flake8* and the tests, including testing other Python versions with *tox*:

```
$ flake8 prettyqt tests
$ python setup.py test or py.test
$ tox
```

To get *flake8* and *tox*, just *pip* install them into your virtualenv.

6. Commit your changes and push your branch to GitHub:

```
$ git add .
$ git commit -m "Your detailed description of your changes."
$ git push origin name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

7. Submit a pull request through the GitHub website.

6.3 Pull Request Guidelines

Before you submit a pull request, check that it meets these guidelines:

1. The pull request should include tests.
2. If the pull request adds functionality, the docs should be updated. Put your new functionality into a function with a docstring, and add the feature to the list in README.rst.
3. The pull request should work for Python 2.7, 3.4, 3.5 and 3.6, and for PyPy. Check https://travis-ci.org/phil65/prettyqt/pull_requests and make sure that the tests pass for all supported Python versions.

6.4 Tips

To run a subset of tests:

```
$ py.test tests.test_prettyqt
```

6.5 Deploying

A reminder for the maintainers on how to deploy. Make sure all your changes are committed (including an entry in HISTORY.rst). Then run:

```
$ bump2version patch # possible: major / minor / patch
$ git push
$ git push --tags
```

Travis will then deploy to PyPI if tests pass.

7.1 Development Lead

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7.2 Contributors

None yet. Why not be the first?

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- First release on PyPI.

core module

contains QtCore-based classes

```
class prettyqt.core.Object
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QObject

class prettyqt.core.CoreApplication
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QCoreApplication

class prettyqt.core.IODevice
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QIODevice

class prettyqt.core.FileDevice
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QFileDevice

class prettyqt.core.File
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QFile

class prettyqt.core.Buffer
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QBuffer

class prettyqt.core.Settings (*args, settings_id=None)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtCore.QSettings

    classmethod get_default_format ()
        returns default settings format

        possible values are “native”, “ini”

        Return type str

        Returns default settings format

get_scope ()
    returns scope

    possible values are “user”, “system”

    Return type str
```

Returns scope

group (*prefix*)

context manager for setting groups

Parameters **prefix** (*str*) – setting prefix for group

read_array (*prefix*)

context manager for reading arrays

Parameters **prefix** (*str*) – prefix for settings array

classmethod **set_default_format** (*fmt*)

sets the default format

possible values are “native”, “ini”

Parameters **mode** – the default format to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid format

classmethod **set_path** (*fmt*, *scope*, *path*)

sets the path to the settings file

Parameters

- **fmt** – the default format to use
- **scope** (*str*) – the scope to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid format or scope

value (*key*, *default=None*)

write_array (*prefix*, *size=-1*)

context manager for writing arrays

Parameters

- **prefix** (*str*) – prefix for settings array
- **size** (*int*) – size of settings array

class `prettyqt.core.Date`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QDate`

class `prettyqt.core.DateTime`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QDateTime`

`prettyqt.core.Size`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QSize`

`prettyqt.core.SizeF`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QSizeF`

`prettyqt.core.Point`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QPoint`

`prettyqt.core.PointF`

alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QPointF`

class `prettyqt.core.Timer`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QTimer`

class `prettyqt.core.Translator`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QTranslator`

class `prettyqt.core.Thread`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QThread`

`prettyqt.core.Rect`
 alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QRect`

`prettyqt.core.RectF`
 alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.QRectF`

class `prettyqt.core.MimeData`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QMimeData`

class `prettyqt.core.Dir`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QDir`

class `prettyqt.core.DirIterator`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QDirIterator`

`prettyqt.core.Slot` ()
 @pyqtSlot(*types, name: Optional[str], result: Optional[str])

This is a decorator applied to Python methods of a `QObject` that marks them as Qt slots. The non-keyword arguments are the types of the slot arguments and each may be a Python type object or a string specifying a C++ type. `name` is the name of the slot and defaults to the name of the method. `result` is type of the value returned by the slot.

`prettyqt.core.Property`
 alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.pyqtProperty`

class `prettyqt.core.RegExp`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QRegExp`

class `prettyqt.core.RegularExpression`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QRegularExpression`

class `prettyqt.core.Runnable`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QRunnable`

class `prettyqt.core.ModelIndex`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QModelIndex`

class `prettyqt.core.ThreadPool`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QThreadPool`

`prettyqt.core.Signal`
 alias of `PyQt5.QtCore.pyqtSignal`

class `prettyqt.core.AbstractItemModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractItemModel`

change_layout ()
 content manager to change the layout

wraps calls with correct signals emitted at beginning: `layoutAboutToBeChanged` emitted at end: `layoutChanged`

reset_model ()
 content manager to reset the model

wraps calls with correct signals emitted at beginning: `beginResetModel` emitted at end: `endResetModel`

class `prettyqt.core.AbstractProxyModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractProxyModel`

class `prettyqt.core.AbstractListModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractListModel`

class `prettyqt.core.SortFilterProxyModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QSortFilterProxyModel`

class `prettyqt.core.AbstractTableModel`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtCore.QAbstractTableModel`

widgets module

contains QtWidgets-based classes

class `prettyqt.widgets.Application`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QApplication`

classmethod `copy_to_clipboard(text)`
 Sets clipboard to supplied text

set_icon(icon)
 set the icon for the menu

Parameters `icon` (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractSlider`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractSlider`

is_horizontal()
 check if silder is horizontal

Return type `bool`

Returns True if horizontal, else False

is_vertical()
 check if silder is vertical

Return type `bool`

Returns True if vertical, else False

scroll_to_max()
 scroll to the maximum value of the slider

scroll_to_min()
 scroll to the minimum value of the slider

set_horizontal()
 set slider orientation to horizontal

set_vertical()
 set slider orientation to vertical

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractButton`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractButton`

set_icon(icon)
 set the icon for the button

Parameters `icon` (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractSpinBox(*args, **kwargs)`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractSpinBox`

get_button_symbols ()
returns button symbol type

possible values are “none”, “up_down”, “plus_minus”

Return type `str`

Returns button symbol type

get_correction_mode ()
returns correction mode

possible values are “to_previous”, “to_nearest”

Return type `str`

Returns correction mode

get_step_type ()
returns step type

possible values are “default”, “adaptive”

Return type `str`

Returns step type

set_button_symbols (*mode*)
sets button symbol type

possible values are “none”, “up_down”, “plus_minus”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – button symbol type to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid button symbol type

set_correction_mode (*mode*)
sets correction mode

possible values are “to_previous”, “to_nearest”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – correction mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid correction mode

set_step_type (*mode*)
sets step type

possible values are “default”, “adaptive”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – step type to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid step type

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractScrollArea` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractScrollArea`

get_size_adjust_policy ()
returns size adjust policy

possible values are “content”, “first_show”, “ignored”

Return type `str`

Returns size adjust policy

scroll_to_bottom ()
scroll to the bottom of the scroll area

scroll_to_top()

scroll to the top of the scroll area

set_horizontal_scrollbar_policy(mode)

sets the horizontal scrollbar visibility

possible values are “always_on”, “always_off”, “as_needed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – visibility to set

Raises *ValueError* – invalid scrollbar policy

set_horizontal_scrollbar_width(width)

sets the horizontal scrollbar width

Parameters *width* (*int*) – width in pixels

set_scrollbar_policy(mode)

sets the policy for both scrollbars

possible values are “always_on”, “always_off”, “as_needed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – visibility to set

Raises *ValueError* – invalid scrollbar policy

set_scrollbar_width(width)

sets the width for both scrollbars

Parameters *width* (*int*) – width in pixels

set_size_adjust_policy(policy)

set size adjust policy

Valid values are “content”, “first_show”, “ignored”

Parameters *policy* (*str*) – size adjust policy to use

Raises *ValueError* – invalid size adjust policy

set_vertical_scrollbar_policy(mode)

sets the vertical scrollbar visibility

possible values are “always_on”, “always_off”, “as_needed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – visibility to set

Raises *ValueError* – invalid scrollbar policy

set_vertical_scrollbar_width(width)

sets the vertical scrollbar width

Parameters *width* (*int*) – width in pixels

class prettyqt.widgets.**AbstractItemView**(*args, **kwargs)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractItemView`

get_selection_behaviour()

returns current selection behaviour

Possible values: “rows”, “columns”, “items”

Return type *str*

Returns selection behaviour

get_selection_mode()
 returns current selection mode
 Possible values: “single”, “extended”, “multi” or “none”
Return type `str`
Returns selection mode

highlight_when_inactive()
 also highlight items when widget does not have focus

jump_to_column(*col_num*)
 make sure column at given index is visible
 scrolls to column at given index
Parameters **col_num** (`int`) – column to scroll to

num_selected()
 returns amount of selected rows
Return type `int`
Returns amount of selected rows

scroll_to_bottom()
 override to use abstractitemview-way of scrolling to bottom

scroll_to_top()
 override to use abstractitemview-way of scrolling to top

selectAll()
 Override, we dont want to selectAll for too many items for performance reasons

selected_data()
 returns generator yielding selected userData
Return type `Generator[Any, None, None]`

selected_indexes()
 returns list of selected indexes in first row
Return type `List[QModelIndex]`

selected_names()
 returns generator yielding item names
Return type `Generator[Any, None, None]`

selected_rows()
 returns generator yielding row nums
Return type `Generator[int, None, None]`

setModel(*model*)
 delete old selection model explicitly, seems to help with memory usage

set_selection_behaviour(*behaviour*)
 set selection behaviour for given item view
 Allowed values are “rows”, “columns”, “items”
Parameters **behaviour** (`str`) – selection behaviour to use
Raises `ValueError` – behaviour does not exist

set_selection_mode (*mode*)
 set selection mode for given item view
 Allowed values are “single”, “extended”, “multi” or “none”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – selection mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – mode does not exist

toggle_select_all ()
 select all items from list (deselect when all selected)

class `prettyqt.widgets.MdiSubWindow`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMdiSubWindow`

class `prettyqt.widgets.MdiArea` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMdiArea`

get_tab_position ()
 returns current tab position
 Possible values: “north”, “south”, “west”, “east”

Return type *str*

Returns tab position

get_view_mode ()
 returns current view mode
 Possible values: “default”, “tabbed”

Return type *str*

Returns view mode

get_window_order ()
 returns current window order
 Possible values: “creation”, “stacking”, “activation”

Return type *str*

Returns view mode

set_tab_position (*position*)
 set tab position for the MDI area
 Valid values are “north”, “south”, “west”, “east”

Parameters *position* (*str*) – tabs position to use

Raises `ValueError` – tab position does not exist

set_view_mode (*mode*)
 set view mode for the MDI area
 Valid values are “default”, “tabbed”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – view mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – view mode does not exist

set_window_order (*mode*)
 set the window order behaviour for the MDI area
 Valid values are “creation”, “stacking”, “activation”

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – window order behaviour to use

Raises `ValueError` – window order mode not existing.

class `prettyqt.widgets.ScrollBar` (*orientation='horizontal', parent=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QScrollBar`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ScrollArea` (**args, **kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QScrollArea`

class `prettyqt.widgets.Widget`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWidget`

get_contextmenu_policy ()
 returns current contextmenu policy

Possible values: “none”, “prevent”, “default”, “actions”, “custom”, “showhide_menu”

Return type `str`

Returns contextmenu policy

get_modality ()
 get the current modality modes as a string
 Possible values: “modeless”, “window”, “application”

Return type `str`

Returns modality mode str

resize (*self, QSize*)
 resize(self, int, int)

set_contextmenu_policy (*policy*)
 set contextmenu policy for given item view

Allowed values are “none”, “prevent”, “default”, “actions”, “custom”, “showhide_menu”

Parameters `policy` (`str`) – contextmenu policy to use

Raises `ValueError` – policy does not exist

set_modality (*modality='window'*)
 set modality for the dialog

Valid values for modality: “modeless”, “window”, “application”

Parameters `modality` (`str`) – modality for the main window (default: {“window”})

Raises `ValueError` – modality type does not exist

set_size_policy (*horizontal=None, vertical=None*)
 sets the sizes policy

possible values for both parameters are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Parameters

- **horizontal** (`Optional[str]`) – horizontal size policy
- **vertical** (`Optional[str]`) – vertical size policy

class prettyqt.widgets.**DesktopWidget**
Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDesktopWidget

class prettyqt.widgets.**GraphicsItem**
Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QGraphicsItem

class prettyqt.widgets.**Style**
Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyle

class prettyqt.widgets.**StyleOption**
Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyleOption

class prettyqt.widgets.**SpacerItem**
Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSpacerItem

class prettyqt.widgets.**SizePolicy**
Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSizePolicy

get_control_type()
returns control type

possible values are “default”, “buttonbox”, “checkbox”, “combobox”, “frame”, “groupbox”, “label”, “line”, “lineedit”, “pushbutton”, “radiobutton”, “slider”, “spinbox”, “tabwidget”, “toolbutton”

Return type `str`

Returns control type

get_horizontal_policy()
returns size policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Return type `str`

Returns horizontal size policy

get_vertical_policy()
returns size policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Return type `str`

Returns vertical size policy

set_control_type(*mode*)
sets the control type

possible values are “default”, “buttonbox”, “checkbox”, “combobox”, “frame”, “groupbox”, “label”, “line”, “lineedit”, “pushbutton”, “radiobutton”, “slider”, “spinbox”, “tabwidget”, “toolbutton”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – control type to set

set_horizontal_policy(*mode*)
sets the horizontal policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Parameters *mode* (`str`) – policy to set

set_vertical_policy (*mode*)

sets the horizontal policy

possible values are “fixed”, “minimum”, “maximum”, “preferred”, “expanding”, “minimum_expanding” and “ignored”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – policy to set

class prettyqt.widgets.**StylePainter**

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStylePainter

class prettyqt.widgets.**BaseDialog**

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDialog

KeyPressEvent (*self*, *QKeyEvent*)

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters *icon* (*Union[QIcon, str, None]*) – icon to use

class prettyqt.widgets.**Dialog** (*title=*”, *icon=None*, *parent=None*, *delete_on_close=True*, *layout=None*)

Bases: prettyqt.widgets.dialog.BaseDialog

class prettyqt.widgets.**MessageBox** (*icon=None*, *title=None*, *text=*”, *details=*”, *buttons=None*, *parent=None*)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMessageBox

add_button (*button*)

add a default button

Valid arguments: “none”, “cancel”, “ok”, “save”, “open”, “close”, “discard”, “apply”, “reset”, “restore_defaults”, “help”, “save_all”, “yes”, “yes_to_all”, “no”, “no_to_all”, “abort”, “retry”, “ignore”

Parameters *button* (*str*) – button to add

Returns created button

Raises *ValueError* – Button type not available

get_text_format ()

returns current text format

Possible values: “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Return type *str*

Returns text format

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters *icon* – icon to use

set_text_format (*text_format*)

set the text format

Allowed values are “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Parameters *mode* – text format to use

Raises *ValueError* – text format does not exist

class prettyqt.widgets.**ErrorMessage**

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QErrorMessage

```

class prettyqt.widgets.FileSystemModel (*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFileSystemModel

    Class to populate a filesystem treeview

    data (self, QModelIndex, role: int = Qt.DisplayRole) → Any

class prettyqt.widgets.LayoutItem
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLayoutItem

class prettyqt.widgets.Layout
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLayout

    get_size_mode ()
        returns current size mode

        Possible values: “maximum”, “fixed”

        Return type str

        Returns size mode

    set_alignment (alignment, item=None)
        Sets the alignment for widget / layout to alignment and returns true if w is found in this layout (not
        including child layouts)

        Allowed values for alignment: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

        Parameters

        • alignment (str) – alignment for the layout

        • item – set alignment for specific child only

        Raises ValueError – alignment does not exist

    set_size_mode (mode)
        set the size mode of the layout

        Allowed values are “maximum”, “fixed”

        Parameters mode (str) – size mode for the layout

        Raises ValueError – size mode does not exist

class prettyqt.widgets.FormLayout (*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFormLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.BoxLayout (orientation='horizontal', parent=None, margin=None)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QBoxLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.StackedLayout
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStackedLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.GridLayout
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QGridLayout

class prettyqt.widgets.ToolBox
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolBox

class prettyqt.widgets.Slider (orientation='horizontal', parent=None)
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSlider

    get_tick_position ()
        returns tick position

        possible values are “none”, “both_sides”, “above”, “below”
    
```

Return type `str`

Returns tick position

set_tick_position (*position*)
sets the tick position for the slider

allowed values are “none”, “both_sides”, “above”, “below”, “left”, “right” for vertical orientation of the slider, “above” equals to “left” and “below” to “right”

Parameters `position` (`str`) – position for the ticks

class `prettyqt.widgets.StyleOptionSlider`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyleOptionSlider`

is_horizontal ()
check if silder is horizontal

Return type `bool`

Returns True if horizontal, else False

is_vertical ()
check if silder is vertical

Return type `bool`

Returns True if vertical, else False

set_horizontal ()
set slider orientation to horizontal

set_vertical ()
set slider orientation to vertical

class `prettyqt.widgets.Frame`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFrame`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ListWidgetItem`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QListWidgetItem`

get_checkstate ()
returns checkstate
possible values are “unchecked”, “partial”, “checked”

Return type `str`

Returns checkstate

set_checkstate (*state*)
set checkstate of the checkbox
valid values are: unchecked, partial, checked

Parameters `state` (`str`) – checkstate to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid checkstate

set_icon (*icon*)
set the icon for the action

Parameters `icon` (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.TreeWidgetItem`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTreeWidgetItem`

get_checkstate ()
 returns checkstate
 possible values are “unchecked”, “partial”, “checked”

Return type `str`

Returns checkstate

set_checkstate (*state*)
 set checkstate of the checkbox
 valid values are: unchecked, partial, checked

Parameters *state* (`str`) – checkstate to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid checkstate

set_icon (*icon*)
 set the icon for the action

Parameters *icon* (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

class `prettyqt.widgets.Action` (*text=*”, *icon=None*, *parent=None*, *shortcut=*”, *tooltip=*”)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAction`

get_priority ()
 returns current priority
 Possible values: “low”, “normal”, “high”

Return type `str`

Returns priority

get_shortcut_context ()
 returns shortcut context
 Possible values: “widget”, “widget_with_children”, “window”, “application”

Return type `str`

Returns shortcut context

set_icon (*icon*)
 set the icon for the action

Parameters *icon* (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

set_priority (*priority*)
 set priority of the action
 Allowed values are “low”, “normal”, “high”

Parameters *mode* – priority for the action

Raises `ValueError` – priority does not exist

set_shortcut_context (*context*)
 set shortcut context
 Allowed values are “widget”, “widget_with_children”, “window”, “application”

Parameters *mode* – shortcut context

Raises `ValueError` – shortcut context does not exist

```
class prettyqt.widgets.WidgetAction (text="", icon=None, parent=None, shortcut="",  
                                         tooltip="")  
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWidgetAction
```

```
class prettyqt.widgets.ToolButton  
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolButton
```

```
get_arrow_type ()  
    returns arrow type  
  
    possible values are "none", "up", "down", "left", "right"
```

Return type `str`

Returns arrow type

```
get_popup_mode ()  
    returns popup mode  
  
    possible values are "delayed", "menu_button", "instant"
```

Return type `str`

Returns popup mode

```
set_arrow_type (mode)  
    sets the arrow type of the toolbutton  
  
    valid values are: "none", "up", "down", "left", "right"
```

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – arrow type to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid arrow type

```
set_popup_mode (mode)  
    sets the popup mode of the toolbutton  
  
    valid values are: "delayed", "menu_button", "instant"
```

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – popup mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid popup mode

```
class prettyqt.widgets.ToolTip  
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolTip
```

```
class prettyqt.widgets.Menu (title="", icon=None, parent=None)  
    Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMenu
```

```
add_action (label, callback=None, icon=None, checkable=False, checked=False, shortcut=None,  
            status_tip=None)  
    Add an action to the menu
```

Parameters

- **label** (`Union[str, Action]`) – Label for button
- **callback** (`Optional[Callable]`) – gets called when action is triggered
- **icon** (`Optional[Any]`) – icon for button (default: {None})
- **checkable** (`bool`) – as checkbox button (default: {False})
- **checked** (`bool`) – if checkable, turn on by default (default: {False})
- **shortcut** (`Optional[str]`) – Shortcut for action (a) (default: {None})
- **status_tip** (`Optional[str]`) – Status tip to be shown in status bar (default: {None})

Return type Action

Returns Action added to menu

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters *icon* (Union[QIcon, str, None]) – icon to use

class prettyqt.widgets.MenuBar

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMenuBar

class prettyqt.widgets.StatusBar (*args, **kwargs)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStatusBar

class prettyqt.widgets.TabWidget (parent=None, closable=False, detachable=False)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTabWidget

Widget for managing the tabs section

attach_tab (*widget, name, icon, insert_at=None*)

Re-attach the tab by removing the content from the DetachedTab window, closing it, and placing the content back into the DetachableTabWidget

@param widget the content widget from the DetachedTab window @param name the name of the detached tab @param icon the window icon for the detached tab @param insert_at insert the re-attached tab at the given index

close_detached_tabs ()

Close all tabs that are currently detached

detach_tab (*index, point*)

Detach the tab by removing its contents and placing them in a DetachedTab window

@param index index location of the tab to be detached @param point screen pos for creating the new DetachedTab window

get_tab_shape ()

returns tab shape

possible values are “rounded”, “triangular”

Return type str

Returns tab shape

open_widget (*widget, title='Unnamed'*)

create a tab containing delivered widget

set_tab_shape (*shape*)

set tab shape for the tabwidget

Valid values are “rounded” and “triangular”

Parameters *shape* (str) – tab shape to use

Raises ValueError – tab shape does not exist

class prettyqt.widgets.TabBar (parent=None)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTabBar

get_elide_mode ()

returns elide mode

possible values are “left”, “right”, “middle”, “none”

Return type `str`

Returns elide mode

get_remove_behaviour ()
returns remove behaviour

possible values are “left_tab”, “right_tab”, “previous_tab”

Return type `str`

Returns remove behaviour

mouseDoubleClickEvent (*self*, *QMouseEvent*)

set_elide_mode (*mode*)
set elide mode

Valid values are “left”, “right”, “middle”, “none”

Parameters **policy** – elide mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid elide mode

set_remove_behaviour (*mode*)
sets the remove behaviour

What tab should be set as current when removeTab is called if the removed tab is also the current tab.
Possible values: left, right, previous :type mode: `str` :param mode: new remove behaviour

class `prettyqt.widgets.ToolBar` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QToolBar`

get_style ()
returns current style

Possible values: “icon”, “text”, “text_below_icon”, “text_beside_icon”

Return type `str`

Returns style

is_area_allowed (*area*)
check if toolbar is allowed at specified area

Valid values for area: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters **area** (`str`) – area of the toolbar

Raises `ValueError` – area does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.HeaderView` (*orientation=None*, *parent=None*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QHeaderView`

contextMenuEvent (*event*)
context menu for our files tree

class `prettyqt.widgets.DockWidget` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDockWidget`

Customized DockWidget class contains a custom TitleBar with maximise button

class `prettyqt.widgets.Label` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLabel`

get_text_format()
 returns current text format

Possible values: “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Return type `str`

Returns text format

get_text_interaction()
 returns current text interaction mode

Possible values: “none”, “by_mouse”, “by_keyboard”

Return type `str`

Returns text interaction mode

set_text_format(text_format)
 set the text format

Allowed values are “rich”, “plain”, “auto”

Parameters `mode` – text format to use

Raises `ValueError` – text format does not exist

set_text_interaction(interaction_type)
 set the text interaction mode

Allowed values are “none”, “by_mouse”, “by_keyboard”

Parameters `mode` – text interaction mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – text interaction mode does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.PushButton` (*label=None, parent=None, callback=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QPushButton`

class `prettyqt.widgets.CommandLinkButton` (*label=None, parent=None, callback=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QCommandLinkButton`

class `prettyqt.widgets.RadioButton` (**args, **kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QRadioButton`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ComboBox` (**args, **kwargs*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QComboBox`

get_insert_policy()
 returns insert policy

possible values are “no_insert”, “top”, “current”, “bottom”, “after_current”, “before_current”, “alphabetically”

Return type `str`

Returns insert policy

get_size_adjust_policy()
 returns size adjust policy

possible values are “content”, “first_show”, “min_length”, “min_length_with_icon”

Return type `str`

Returns size adjust policy

set_insert_policy (*policy*)

set insert policy

valid values are “no_insert”, “top”, “current”, “bottom”, “after_current”, “before_current”, “alphabetically”

Parameters *policy* (*str*) – insert policy to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid insert policy

set_size_adjust_policy (*policy*)

set size adjust policy

possible values are “content”, “first_show”, “min_length”, “min_length_with_icon”

Parameters *policy* (*str*) – size adjust policy to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid size adjust policy

class `prettyqt.widgets.SpinBox` (*parent=None, min_value=None, max_value=None, default_value=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSpinBox`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DoubleSpinBox` (*parent=None, min_value=None, max_value=None, default_value=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDoubleSpinBox`

class `prettyqt.widgets.CheckBox` (*label=”, parent=None, checked=False*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QCheckBox`

get_checkstate ()

returns checkstate

possible values are “unchecked”, “partial”, “checked”

Return type `bool`

Returns checkstate

set_checkstate (*state*)

set checkstate of the checkbox

valid values are: unchecked, partial, checked

Parameters *state* (*str*) – checkstate to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid checkstate

class `prettyqt.widgets.LineEdit` (*default_value=”, read_only=False, parent=None*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QLineEdit`

font ()

Return type `Font`

get_echo_mode ()

returns echo mode

possible values are “normal”, “no_echo”, “password”, “echo_on_edit”

Return type `str`

Returns echo mode

set_echo_mode (*mode*)

set echo mode

Valid values are “normal”, “no_echo”, “password”, “echo_on_edit”

Parameters `policy` – echo mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid echo mode

set_read_only (*value=True*)
set test to read only

Parameters `value` (`bool`) – True, for read-only, otherwise False

class `prettyqt.widgets.KeySequenceEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QKeySequenceEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TextEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTextEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DateEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDateEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TimeEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTimeEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DateTimeEdit` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDateTimeEdit`

class `prettyqt.widgets.CalendarWidget`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QCalendarWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.PlainTextEdit` (*text=”, parent=None, read_only=False*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QPlainTextEdit`

set_read_only (*value=True*)
set test to read only

Parameters `value` (`bool`) – True, for read-only, otherwise False

class `prettyqt.widgets.TextBrowser` (**args, **kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTextBrowser`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ProgressBar` (*text_visible=True, parent=None*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QProgressBar`

Progress dialog

wrapper for `QtWidgets.QProgressBar`

get_alignment ()
returns current alignment

Possible values: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Return type `str`

Returns alignment

get_text_direction ()
returns current text direction

Possible values are “top_to_bottom”, “bottom_to_top”

Return type `str`

Returns Text direction

set_alignment (*alignment*)
set the alignment of the layout

Allowed values are “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters `mode` – alignment for the layout

Raises `ValueError` – alignment does not exist

set_text_direction (*text_direction*)

set the text direction of the layout

Allowed values are “top_to_bottom”, “bottom_to_top”

Parameters `mode` – text direction for the layout

Raises `ValueError` – text direction does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.ColumnView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QColumnView`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ListView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QListView`

get_view_mode ()

returns view mode

possible values are “list”, “icon”

Return type `str`

Returns view mode

set_view_mode (*mode*)

set view mode

possible values are “list”, “icon”

Parameters `mode` (`str`) – view mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid view mode

class `prettyqt.widgets.ListWidget` (*parent=None, selection_mode='single'*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QListWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TreeView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTreeView`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TreeWidget` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTreeWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TableView` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTableView`

class `prettyqt.widgets.TableWidget` (*args, **kwargs)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QTableWidget`

class `prettyqt.widgets.SplashScreen` (*path, width=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSplashScreen`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ProgressDialog` (*parent=None*)
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QProgressDialog`

Progress dialog

wrapper for `QtWidgets.QProgressDialog`

class `prettyqt.widgets.FontDialog`
 Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFontDialog`

class prettyqt.widgets.**FileDialog** (*path=None, mode='open', caption="", path_id=None, extension_filter=None, parent=None*)

Bases: PyQt5.QtWidgets.QFileDialog

simple dialog used to display some widget

directory ()

return current directory

returns current directory level as a Pathlib object

Return type Path

Returns Pathlib object

get_accept_mode ()

returns accept mode

possible values are “save”, “open”

Return type str

Returns accept mode

get_file_mode ()

returns file mode

possible values are “existing_file”, “existing_files”, “any_file”, “directory”

Return type str

Returns file mode

get_label_text (*label*)

returns label text

possible values are “look_in”, “filename”, “filetype”, “accept”, “reject”

Return type str

Returns label text

get_view_mode ()

returns view mode

possible values are “detail”, “list”

Return type str

Returns view mode

set_accept_mode (*mode*)

set accept mode

possible values are “save”, “open”

Parameters *mode* (str) – accept mode to use

Raises ValueError – invalid accept mode

set_file_mode (*mode*)

sets the file mode of the dialog

allowed values are “existing_file”, “existing_files”, “any_file” “directory”

Parameters *mode* (str) – mode to use

set_filter (*extension_dict*)

set filter based on given dictionary

dict must contain “name”: [‘.ext1’, ‘.ext2’]” as key-value pairs

Parameters *extension_dict* (*dict*) – filter dictionary

set_label_text (*label*, *text*)

sets the label text for button label

possible values for label are “look_in”, “filename”, “filetype”, “accept”, “reject”

Parameters

- **label** (*str*) – button to set text for
- **text** (*str*) – text to use

set_view_mode (*mode*)

set view mode

possible values are “detail”, “list”

Parameters *mode* (*str*) – view mode to use

Raises `ValueError` – invalid view mode

class `prettyqt.widgets.ColorDialog`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QColorDialog`

class `prettyqt.widgets.InputDialog`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QInputDialog`

class `prettyqt.widgets.DialogButtonBox` (**args*, ***kwargs*)

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QDialogButtonBox`

add_button (*button*, *role='accept'*, *callback=None*)

add a button

Parameters

- **button** – button to add
- **role** – role of the button
- **callback** – function to call when button gets clicked

Returns created button

Raises `ValueError` – Button type not available

add_default_button (*button*, *callback=None*)

add a default button

Valid arguments: “cancel”, “ok”, “save”, “open”, “close”, “discard”, “apply”, “reset”, “restore_defaults”, “help”, “save_all”, “yes”, “yes_to_all”, “no”, “no_to_all”, “abort”, “retry”, “ignore”

Parameters

- **button** (*str*) – button to add
- **callback** – function to call when button gets clicked

Returns created button

Raises `ValueError` – Button type not available

classmethod create (*self*, *window: sip.voidptr = 0*, *initializeWindow: bool = True*, *destroyOldWindow: bool = True*)

get_orientation()
returns current orientation

Possible values: “horizontal”, “vertical”

Return type `str`

Returns orientation

set_orientation(orientation)
set the orientation of the button box

Allowed values are “horizontal”, “vertical”

Parameters mode – orientation for the button box

Raises `ValueError` – orientation does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.ButtonGroup`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QButtonGroup`

class `prettyqt.widgets.GroupBox` (*title=""*, *checkable=False*, *parent=None*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QGroupBox`

GroupBox widget

A group box provides a frame, a title on top, a keyboard shortcut, and displays various other widgets inside itself. The keyboard shortcut moves keyboard focus to one of the group box’s child widgets.

class `prettyqt.widgets.Splitter` (*orientation='horizontal'*, *parent=None*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QSplitter`

get_orientation()
returns current orientation

Possible values: “horizontal”, “vertical”

Return type `str`

Returns orientation

set_orientation(orientation)
set the orientation of the splitter

Allowed values are “horizontal”, “vertical”

Parameters mode – orientation for the splitter

Raises `ValueError` – orientation does not exist

class `prettyqt.widgets.Wizard`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWizard`

class `prettyqt.widgets.WizardPage`
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QWizardPage`

class `prettyqt.widgets.MainWindow` (**args*, ***kwargs*)
Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QMainWindow`

Class for our mainWindow includes all docks, a centralwidget and a toolbar

add_toolbar(toolbar, position='top')
adds a toolbar to the mainmenu at specified area

Valid values for position: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters

- **toolbar** – toolbar to use
- **position** (*str*) – position of the toolbar

Raises `ValueError` – position does not exist

add_toolbar_break (*position='top'*)

Adds a toolbar break to the given area after all the other objects that are present.

Valid values for position: “left”, “right”, “top”, “bottom”

Parameters **position** (*str*) – position of the toolbar

Raises `ValueError` – position does not exist

closeEvent (*event*)

override, gets executed when app gets closed. saves GUI settings

createPopupMenu (*self*) → `QMenu`

set_icon (*icon*)

set the icon for the menu

Parameters **icon** (`Union[QIcon, str, None]`) – icon to use

toggle_fullscreen ()

toggle between fullscreen and regular size

class `prettyqt.widgets.AbstractItemDelegate`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QAbstractItemDelegate`

class `prettyqt.widgets.ItemDelegate`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QItemDelegate`

class `prettyqt.widgets.StyledItemDelegate`

Bases: `PyQt5.QtWidgets.QStyledItemDelegate`

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