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CHAPTER ONE

ADB SETUP

This package works by sending ADB commands to your Android TV / Fire TV device. There are two ways to accomplish this.

1.1 1. ADB Server

androidtv can use a running ADB server to send ADB commands (credit: [pure-python-adb](#)). More info about ADB can be found here: [Android Debug Bridge \(adb\)](#). There are 3 main ways to setup an ADB server.

Note: The ADB server must be connected to your device(s) before starting Home Assistant. Otherwise, the components will not be setup.

1.1.1 1a) Hass.io ADB Addon

For Hass.io users, this is the easiest option. Information about the addon can be found here: [Community Hass.io Add-ons: Android Debug Bridge](#). The configuration for the addon will look like:

```
{  
    "log_level": "info",  
    "devices": [  
        "192.168.0.111",  
        "192.168.0.222"  
    ],  
    "reconnect_timeout": 90,  
    "keys_path": "/config/.android"  
}
```

Your Home Assistant configuration will look like:

```
media_player:  
- platform: androidtv  
  name: Android TV 1  
  host: 192.168.0.111  
  adb_server_ip: 127.0.0.1  
  
media_player:  
- platform: androidtv  
  name: Android TV 2  
  host: 192.168.0.222  
  adb_server_ip: 127.0.0.1
```

1.1.2 1b) Docker Container

Since Home Assistant isn't able to start the connection with the Android device directly, the ADB Server must do it instead. The ADB Server **must already be connected** to the Android device when Home Assistant attempts to access the ADB Server, or else Home Assistant will be unable to set up the Android device.

A modified script provided on the Home Assistant forums ([source](#)) demonstrates an example startup script for a Docker container that will automatically attempt, and continue to connect to a device when run:

Listing 1: `startup.sh`

```
#!/bin/sh

# for a single device, use: DEVICES=("192.168.0.111")
DEVICES=("192.168.0.111" "192.168.0.222")

echo "Starting up ADB..."

while true; do
    adb -a server nod daemon > /dev/null 2>&1
    sleep 10
done &

echo "Server started. Waiting for 30 seconds..."
sleep 30

echo "Connecting to devices."
for device in ${DEVICES[@]}; do
    adb connect $device
done
echo "Done."

while true; do
    for device in ${DEVICES[@]}; do
        adb connect $device > /dev/null 2>&1
    done
    sleep 60
done
```

Assuming the address of the ADB server is 192.168.0.101, your Home Assistant configuration will look like:

```
media_player:
- platform: androidtv
  name: Android TV 1
  host: 192.168.0.111
  adb_server_ip: 192.168.0.101

media_player:
- platform: androidtv
  name: Android TV 2
  host: 192.168.0.222
  adb_server_ip: 192.168.0.101
```

1.1.3 1c) Linux Service

TODO

Your Home Assistant configuration will look like:

```
media_player:
- platform: androidtv
  name: Android TV 1
  host: 192.168.0.111
  adb_server_ip: 127.0.0.1

media_player:
- platform: androidtv
  name: Android TV 2
  host: 192.168.0.222
  adb_server_ip: 127.0.0.1
```

1.2 2. Python ADB Implementation

The second way that androidtv can communicate with devices is using the Python ADB implementation (credit: [adb-shell](#)).

If your device requires ADB authentication, you will need to follow the instructions in the “ADB Authentication” section below. Once you have an authenticated key, this approach does not require any additional setup or addons. However, users with newer devices may find that the ADB connection is unstable. For a Fire TV device, you can try setting the `get_sources` configuration option to `false`. If the problem cannot be resolved, you should use the ADB server option.

Assuming you have 2 devices that require authentication, your configuration will look like this (update the `adbkey` path accordingly):

```
media_player:
- platform: androidtv
  name: Android TV 1
  host: 192.168.0.111
  adbkey: "/config/.android/adbkey"

media_player:
- platform: androidtv
  name: Android TV 2
  host: 192.168.0.222
  adbkey: "/config/.android/adbkey"
```

1.2.1 ADB Authentication

If you get a “Device authentication required, no keys available” error when trying to set up your Android TV or Fire TV, then you’ll need to create an `adbkey` and add its path to your configuration. Follow the instructions on this page to connect to your device from your computer: [Connecting to Fire TV Through adb](#).

Note: In the dialog appearing on your Android TV / Fire TV, you must check the box that says “always allow connections from this device.” ADB authentication in Home Assistant will only work using a trusted key.

Once you’ve successfully connected to your Android TV / Fire TV via the command `adb connect <ipaddress>`, the file `adbkey` will be created on your computer. The default location for this file is (from <https://developer.android.com/studio/command-line/adb>):

- Linux and Mac: \$HOME/.android
- Windows: %userprofile%\android

Copy the `adbkey` file to your Home Assistant folder and add the path to your configuration.

ANDROIDTV

2.1 androidtv package

2.1.1 Subpackages

`androidtv.adb_manager package`

Submodules

`androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_async module`

`androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync module`

Classes to manage ADB connections.

- `ADBPythonSync` utilizes a Python implementation of the ADB protocol.
- `ADBSERVERSync` utilizes an ADB server to communicate with the device.

`class androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync(host, port, adbkey='', signer=None)`

Bases: `object`

A manager for ADB connections that uses a Python implementation of the ADB protocol.

Parameters

- `host (str)` – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- `port (int)` – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- `adbkey (str)` – The path to the `adbkey` file for ADB authentication
- `signer (PythonRSASigner, None)` – The signer for the ADB keys, as loaded by `ADBPythonSync.load_adbkey()`

property available

Check whether the ADB connection is intact.

Returns Whether or not the ADB connection is intact

Return type bool

`close()`

Close the ADB socket connection.

connect (*always_log_errors=True, auth_timeout_s=10.0*)

Connect to an Android TV / Fire TV device.

Parameters

- **always_log_errors** (*bool*) – If True, errors will always be logged; otherwise, errors will only be logged on the first failed reconnect attempt
- **auth_timeout_s** (*float*) – Authentication timeout (in seconds)

Returns Whether or not the connection was successfully established and the device is available

Return type bool

static load_adbkey (*adbkey*)

Load the ADB keys.

Parameters **adbkey** (*str*) – The path to the adbkey file for ADB authentication

Returns The PythonRSASigner with the key files loaded

Return type PythonRSASigner

pull (*local_path, device_path*)

Pull a file from the device using the Python ADB implementation.

Parameters

- **local_path** (*str*) – The path where the file will be saved
- **device_path** (*str*) – The file on the device that will be pulled

push (*local_path, device_path*)

Push a file to the device using the Python ADB implementation.

Parameters

- **local_path** (*str*) – The file that will be pushed to the device
- **device_path** (*str*) – The path where the file will be saved on the device

screencap ()

Take a screenshot using the Python ADB implementation.

Returns The screencap as a binary .png image

Return type bytes

shell (*cmd*)

Send an ADB command using the Python ADB implementation.

Parameters **cmd** (*str*) – The ADB command to be sent

Returns The response from the device, if there is a response

Return type str, None

class androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.**ADBServerSync** (*host, port=5555, adb_server_ip='', adb_server_port=5037*)

Bases: object

A manager for ADB connections that uses an ADB server.

Parameters

- **host** (*str*) – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- **port** (*int*) – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)

- **adb_server_ip** (*str*) – The IP address of the ADB server
- **adb_server_port** (*int*) – The port for the ADB server

property available

Check whether the ADB connection is intact.

Returns Whether or not the ADB connection is intact

Return type bool

close()

Close the ADB server socket connection.

Currently, this doesn't do anything except set `self._available = False`.

connect (always_log_errors=True)

Connect to an Android TV / Fire TV device.

Parameters `always_log_errors` (`bool`) – If True, errors will always be logged; otherwise, errors will only be logged on the first failed reconnect attempt

Returns Whether or not the connection was successfully established and the device is available

Return type bool

pull (*local_path*, *device_path*)

Pull a file from the device using an ADB server.

Parameters

- **local_path** (*str*) – The path where the file will be saved
- **device_path** (*str*) – The file on the device that will be pulled

push (*local_path*, *device_path*)

Push a file to the device using an ADB server.

Parameters

- **local_path** (*str*) – The file that will be pushed to the device
- **device_path** (*str*) – The path where the file will be saved on the device

screencap()

Take a screenshot using an ADB server.

Returns The screencap as a binary .png image

Return type bytes

shell (*cmd*)

Send an ADB command using an ADB server.

Parameters `cmd` (*str*) – The ADB command to be sent

Returns The response from the device, if there is a response

Return type str, None

`androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.LOCK_KWARGS = {'timeout': 3.0}`

Use a timeout for the ADB threading lock if it is supported

`androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync._acquire(lock)`

Handle acquisition and release of a `threading.Lock` object with `LOCK_KWARGS` keyword arguments.

Parameters `lock` (`threading.Lock`) – The lock that we will try to acquire

Yields acquired (*bool*) – Whether or not the lock was acquired

Raises *LockNotAcquiredException* – Raised if the lock was not acquired

Module contents

androidtv.androidtv package

Submodules

androidtv.androidtv.androidtv_async module

androidtv.androidtv.androidtv_sync module

Communicate with an Android TV device via ADB over a network.

ADB Debugging must be enabled.

```
class androidtv.androidtv.androidtv_sync.AndroidTVSync(host, port=5555, adbkey='', adb_server_ip='', adb_server_port=5037, state_detection_rules=None, signer=None)
Bases: androidtv.basetv.basetv_sync.BaseTWSync, androidtv.androidtv.base_androidtv.BaseAndroidTV
```

Representation of an Android TV device.

Parameters

- **host** (*str*) – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- **port** (*int*) – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- **adbkey** (*str*) – The path to the adbkey file for ADB authentication
- **adb_server_ip** (*str*) – The IP address of the ADB server
- **adb_server_port** (*int*) – The port for the ADB server
- **state_detection_rules** (*dict, None*) – A dictionary of rules for determining the state (see *BaseTV*)
- **signer** (*PythonRSASigner, None*) – The signer for the ADB keys, as loaded by *androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.load_adbkey()*

get_properties (*get_running_apps=True, lazy=False*)

Get the properties needed for Home Assistant updates.

This will send one of the following ADB commands:

- *androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS*
- *androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS*
- *androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS*
- *androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS`*

Parameters

- **get_running_apps** (*bool*) – Whether or not to get the [running_apps \(\)](#) property
- **lazy** (*bool*) – Whether or not to continue retrieving properties if the device is off or the screensaver is running

Returns

- **screen_on** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the device is on, or *None* if it was not determined
- **awake** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the device is awake (screensaver is not running), or *None* if it was not determined
- **audio_state** (*str, None*) – The audio state, as determined from “dumpsys audio”, or *None* if it was not determined
- **wake_lock_size** (*int, None*) – The size of the current wake lock, or *None* if it was not determined
- **current_app** (*str, None*) – The current app property, or *None* if it was not determined
- **media_session_state** (*int, None*) – The state from the output of `dumpsys media_session`, or *None* if it was not determined
- **audio_output_device** (*str, None*) – The current audio playback device, or *None* if it was not determined
- **is_volume_muted** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the volume is muted, or *None* if it was not determined
- **volume** (*int, None*) – The absolute volume level, or *None* if it was not determined
- **running_apps** (*list, None*) – A list of the running apps, or *None* if it was not determined

get_properties_dict (*get_running_apps=True, lazy=True*)

Get the properties needed for Home Assistant updates and return them as a dictionary.

Parameters

- **get_running_apps** (*bool*) – Whether or not to get the [running_apps \(\)](#) property
- **lazy** (*bool*) – Whether or not to continue retrieving properties if the device is off or the screensaver is running

Returns A dictionary with keys 'screen_on', 'awake', 'wake_lock_size', 'current_app', 'media_session_state', 'audio_state', 'audio_output_device', 'is_volume_muted', 'volume', and 'running_apps'

Return type dict**running_apps ()**

Return a list of running user applications.

Returns A list of the running apps

Return type list**turn_off ()**

Send POWER action if the device is not off.

turn_on ()

Send POWER action if the device is off.

update (*get_running_apps=True, lazy=True*)

Get the info needed for a Home Assistant update.

Parameters

- **get_running_apps** (*bool*) – Whether or not to get the `running_apps()` property
- **lazy** (*bool*) – Whether or not to continue retrieving properties if the device is off or the screensaver is running

Returns

- **state** (*str*) – The state of the device
- **current_app** (*str*) – The current running app
- **running_apps** (*list*) – A list of the running apps if `get_running_apps` is True, otherwise the list [`current_app`]
- **audio_output_device** (*str*) – The current audio playback device
- **is_volume_muted** (*bool*) – Whether or not the volume is muted
- **volume_level** (*float*) – The volume level (between 0 and 1)

androidtv.androidtv.base_androidtv module

Communicate with an Android TV device via ADB over a network.

ADB Debugging must be enabled.

```
class androidtv.androidtv.base_androidtv.BaseAndroidTV(host, port=5555, adbkey='', adb_server_ip='', adb_server_port=5037, state_detection_rules=None)
```

Bases: `androidtv.basetv.basetv.BaseTV`

Representation of an Android TV device.

Parameters

- **host** (*str*) – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- **port** (*int*) – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- **adbkey** (*str*) – The path to the `adbkey` file for ADB authentication
- **adb_server_ip** (*str*) – The IP address of the ADB server
- **adb_server_port** (*int*) – The port for the ADB server
- **state_detection_rules** (*dict, None*) – A dictionary of rules for determining the state (see `BaseTV`)

```
DEVICE_CLASS = 'androidtv'
```

```
_get_properties(output, get_running_apps)
```

Get the properties needed for Home Assistant updates.

Parameters

- **output** (*str, None*) – The output of the ADB command used to retrieve the properties
- **get_running_apps** (*bool*) – Whether or not to get the `running_apps` property

Returns

- **screen_on** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the device is on, or `None` if it was not determined

- **awake** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the device is awake (screensaver is not running), or `None` if it was not determined
 - **audio_state** (*str, None*) – The audio state, as determined from “dumpsys audio”, or `None` if it was not determined
 - **wake_lock_size** (*int, None*) – The size of the current wake lock, or `None` if it was not determined
 - **current_app** (*str, None*) – The current app property, or `None` if it was not determined
 - **media_session_state** (*int, None*) – The state from the output of `dumpsys media_session`, or `None` if it was not determined
 - **audio_output_device** (*str, None*) – The current audio playback device, or `None` if it was not determined
 - **is_volume_muted** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the volume is muted, or `None` if it was not determined
 - **volume** (*int, None*) – The absolute volume level, or `None` if it was not determined
 - **running_apps** (*list, None*) – A list of the running apps, or `None` if it was not determined
- _update** (*screen_on, awake, audio_state, wake_lock_size, current_app, media_session_state, audio_output_device, is_volume_muted, volume, running_apps*)
Get the info needed for a Home Assistant update.

Parameters

- **screen_on** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the device is on, or `None` if it was not determined
- **awake** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the device is awake (screensaver is not running), or `None` if it was not determined
- **audio_state** (*str, None*) – The audio state, as determined from “dumpsys audio”, or `None` if it was not determined
- **wake_lock_size** (*int, None*) – The size of the current wake lock, or `None` if it was not determined
- **current_app** (*str, None*) – The current app property, or `None` if it was not determined
- **media_session_state** (*int, None*) – The state from the output of `dumpsys media_session`, or `None` if it was not determined
- **audio_output_device** (*str, None*) – The current audio playback device, or `None` if it was not determined
- **is_volume_muted** (*bool, None*) – Whether or not the volume is muted, or `None` if it was not determined
- **volume** (*int, None*) – The absolute volume level, or `None` if it was not determined
- **running_apps** (*list, None*) – A list of the running apps, or `None` if it was not determined

Returns

- **state** (*str*) – The state of the device
- **current_app** (*str*) – The current running app

- **running_apps** (*list*) – A list of the running apps if `get_running_apps` is True, otherwise the list [`current_app`]
- **audio_output_device** (*str*) – The current audio playback device
- **is_volume_muted** (*bool*) – Whether or not the volume is muted
- **volume_level** (*float*) – The volume level (between 0 and 1)

Module contents

androidtv.basetv package

Submodules

androidtv.basetv.basetv module

Communicate with an Android TV or Amazon Fire TV device via ADB over a network.

ADB Debugging must be enabled.

```
class androidtv.basetv.basetv.BaseTV(adb, host, port=5555, adbkey='', adb_server_ip='',  
                                     adb_server_port=5037, state_detection_rules=None)  
Bases: object
```

Base class for representing an Android TV / Fire TV device.

The `state_detection_rules` parameter is of the format:

```
state_detection_rules = {'com.amazon.tv.launcher': ['idle'],  
                        'com.netflix.ninja': ['media_session_state'],  
                        'com.ellation.vrv': ['audio_state'],  
                        'com.hulu.plus': [{('playing'): {'wake_lock_size': 4}},  
                                          {('paused'): {'wake_lock_size': 2}}],  
                        'com.plexapp.android': [{('paused'): {'media_session_state':  
                                         'idle': 3, 'wake_lock_size': 1}},  
                                      {('playing'): {'media_session_state':  
                                         'idle': 3}}],  
                        'com.netflix.mediaclient': [{('playing'): {'media_session_state':  
                                         'idle': 3}}]}
```

The keys are app IDs, and the values are lists of rules that are evaluated in order.

`VALID_STATES`

```
VALID_STATES = ('idle', 'off', 'playing', 'paused', 'standby')
```

Valid rules:

- 'idle', 'playing', 'paused', 'standby', or 'off' = always report the specified state when this app is open
- 'media_session_state' = try to use the `media_session_state()` property to determine the state
- 'audio_state' = try to use the `audio_state()` property to determine the state
- { '<VALID_STATE>': { '<PROPERTY1>': VALUE1, '<PROPERTY2>': VALUE2, ... } } = check if each of the properties is equal to the specified value, and if so return the state

- The valid properties are 'media_session_state', 'audio_state', and 'wake_lock_size'

Parameters

- **adb** (`ADBPythonSync`, `ADBSERVERSync`, `ADBPythonAsync`, `ADBSERVERAsync`) – The handler for ADB commands
- **host** (`str`) – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- **port** (`int`) – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- **adbkey** (`str`) – The path to the adbkey file for ADB authentication
- **adb_server_ip** (`str`) – The IP address of the ADB server
- **adb_server_port** (`int`) – The port for the ADB server
- **state_detection_rules** (`dict`, `None`) – A dictionary of rules for determining the state (see above)

static _audio_output_device (`stream_music`)

Get the current audio playback device from the STREAM_MUSIC block from adb shell dumpsys audio.

Parameters `stream_music` (`str`, `None`) – The STREAM_MUSIC block from adb shell dumpsys audio

Returns The current audio playback device, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type `str`, `None`

static _audio_state (`audio_state_response`)

Parse the `audio_state()` property from the output of the command `androidtv.constants.CMD_AUDIO_STATE`.

Parameters `audio_state_response` (`str`, `None`) – The output of the command `androidtv.constants.CMD_AUDIO_STATE`

Returns The audio state, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type `str`, `None`

static _conditions_are_true (`conditions`, `media_session_state=None`, `wake_lock_size=None`, `audio_state=None`)

Check whether the conditions in `conditions` are true.

Parameters

- **conditions** (`dict`) – A dictionary of conditions to be checked (see the `state_detection_rules` parameter in `BaseTV`)
- **media_session_state** (`int`, `None`) – The `media_session_state()` property
- **wake_lock_size** (`int`, `None`) – The `wake_lock_size()` property
- **audio_state** (`str`, `None`) – The `audio_state()` property

Returns Whether or not all the conditions in `conditions` are true

Return type `bool`

static _current_app (`current_app_response`)

Get the current app from the output of the command `androidtv.constants.CMD_CURRENT_APP`.

Parameters `current_app_response` (`str, None`) – The output from the ADB command `androidtv.constants.CMD_CURRENT_APP`

Returns The current app, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type `str, None`

_current_app_media_session_state (`media_session_state_response`)

Get the current app and the media session state properties from the output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_MEDIA_SESSION_STATE_FULL`.

Parameters `media_session_state_response` (`str, None`) – The output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_MEDIA_SESSION_STATE_FULL`

Returns

- `current_app` (`str, None`) – The current app, or `None` if it could not be determined
- `media_session_state` (`int, None`) – The state from the output of the ADB shell command, or `None` if it could not be determined

_custom_state_detection (`current_app=None, media_session_state=None, wake_lock_size=None, audio_state=None`)

Use the rules in `self._state_detection_rules` to determine the state.

Parameters

- `current_app` (`str, None`) – The `current_app()` property
- `media_session_state` (`int, None`) – The `media_session_state()` property
- `wake_lock_size` (`int, None`) – The `wake_lock_size()` property
- `audio_state` (`str, None`) – The `audio_state()` property

Returns The state, if it could be determined using the rules in `self._state_detection_rules`; otherwise, `None`

Return type `str, None`

static _is_volume_muted (`stream_music`)

Determine whether or not the volume is muted from the STREAM_MUSIC block from adb shell dumpsys audio.

Parameters `stream_music` (`str, None`) – The STREAM_MUSIC block from adb shell dumpsys audio

Returns Whether or not the volume is muted, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type `bool, None`

static _media_session_state (`media_session_state_response, current_app`)

Get the state from the output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_MEDIA_SESSION_STATE`.

Parameters

- `media_session_state_response` (`str, None`) – The output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_MEDIA_SESSION_STATE`
- `current_app` (`str, None`) – The current app, or `None` if it could not be determined

Returns The state from the output of the ADB shell command, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type `int, None`

_parse_device_properties(*properties*)

Return a dictionary of device properties.

Parameters **properties** (*str*, *None*) – The output of the ADB command that retrieves the device properties

Returns A dictionary with keys 'wifimac', 'ethmac', 'serialno', 'manufacturer', 'model', and 'sw_version'

Return type dict

static _parse_getevent_line(*line*)

Parse a line of the output received in `learn_sendevent`.

Parameters **line** (*str*) – A line of output from `learn_sendevent`

Returns The properly formatted `sendevent` command

Return type str

static _parse_stream_music(*stream_music_raw*)

Parse the output of the command `androidtv.constants.CMD_STREAM_MUSIC`.

Parameters **stream_music_raw** (*str*, *None*) – The output of the command `androidtv.constants.CMD_STREAM_MUSIC`

Returns The `STREAM_MUSIC` block from the output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_STREAM_MUSIC`, or *None* if it could not be determined

Return type str, None

static _running_apps(*running_apps_response*)

Get the running apps from the output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_RUNNING_APPS`.

Parameters **running_apps_response** (*str*, *None*) – The output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_RUNNING_APPS`

Returns A list of the running apps, or *None* if it could not be determined

Return type list, None

_volume(*stream_music*, *audio_output_device*)

Get the absolute volume level from the `STREAM_MUSIC` block from adb shell `dumpscreens audio`.

Parameters

- **stream_music** (*str*, *None*) – The `STREAM_MUSIC` block from adb shell `dumpscreens audio`

- **audio_output_device** (*str*, *None*) – The current audio playback device

Returns The absolute volume level, or *None* if it could not be determined

Return type int, None

_volume_level(*volume*)

Get the relative volume level from the absolute volume level.

Parameters **volume** (*int*, *None*) – The absolute volume level

Returns The volume level (between 0 and 1), or *None* if it could not be determined

Return type float, None

static _wake_lock_size(*wake_lock_size_response*)

Get the size of the current wake lock from the output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_WAKE_LOCK_SIZE`.

Parameters `wake_lock_size_response` (`str, None`) – The output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_WAKE_LOCK_SIZE`

Returns The size of the current wake lock, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type `int, None`

property available

Whether the ADB connection is intact.

Returns Whether or not the ADB connection is intact

Return type `bool`

`androidtv.basetv.basetv.state_detection_rules_validator(rules, exc=<class 'KeyError'>)`
Validate the rules (i.e., the `state_detection_rules` value) for a given app ID (i.e., a key in `state_detection_rules`).

For each rule in `rules`, this function checks that:

- `rule` is a string or a dictionary
- If `rule` is a string:
 - Check that `rule` is in `VALID_STATES` or `VALID_STATE_PROPERTIES`
- If `rule` is a dictionary:
 - Check that each key is in `VALID_STATES`
 - Check that each value is a dictionary
 - * Check that each key is in `VALID_PROPERTIES`
 - * Check that each value is of the right type, according to `VALID_PROPERTIES_TYPES`

See `BaseTV` for more info about the `state_detection_rules` parameter.

Parameters

- `rules` (`list`) – A list of the rules that will be used to determine the state
- `exc` (`Exception`) – The exception that will be raised if a rule is invalid

Returns `rules` – The provided list of rules

Return type `list`

androidtv.basetv.basetv_async module

androidtv.basetv.basetv_sync module

Communicate with an Android TV or Amazon Fire TV device via ADB over a network.

ADB Debugging must be enabled.

```
class androidtv.basetv.basetv_sync.BaseTVSync(host, port=5555, adb_server_ip='', bkey='', adb_server_port=5037, state_detection_rules=None, signer=None)
```

Bases: `androidtv.basetv.basetv.BaseTV`

Base class for representing an Android TV / Fire TV device.

The `state_detection_rules` parameter is of the format:

```
state_detection_rules = {'com.amazon.tv.launcher': ['idle'],
                        'com.netflix.ninja': ['media_session_state'],
                        'com.ellation.vrv': ['audio_state'],
                        'com.hulu.plus': [{'playing': {'wake_lock_size': 4}},
                                          {'paused': {'wake_lock_size': 2}}],
                        'com.plexapp.android': [{"paused": {"media_session_state": "idle": 3, "wake_lock_size": 1}}, {"playing": {"media_session_state": "idle": 3}}],}
```

The keys are app IDs, and the values are lists of rules that are evaluated in order.

`VALID_STATES`

```
VALID_STATES = ('idle', 'off', 'playing', 'paused', 'standby')
```

Valid rules:

- 'idle', 'playing', 'paused', 'standby', or 'off' = always report the specified state when this app is open
- 'media_session_state' = try to use the `media_session_state()` property to determine the state
- 'audio_state' = try to use the `audio_state()` property to determine the state
- { '<VALID_STATE>': { '<PROPERTY1>': VALUE1, '<PROPERTY2>': VALUE2, ... } } = check if each of the properties is equal to the specified value, and if so return the state
 - The valid properties are 'media_session_state', 'audio_state', and 'wake_lock_size'

Parameters

- `host (str)` – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- `port (int)` – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- `adbkey (str)` – The path to the adbkey file for ADB authentication
- `adb_server_ip (str)` – The IP address of the ADB server
- `adb_server_port (int)` – The port for the ADB server
- `state_detection_rules (dict, None)` – A dictionary of rules for determining the state (see above)
- `signer (PythonRSASigner, None)` – The signer for the ADB keys, as loaded by `androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.load_adbkey()`

`_get_stream_music(stream_music_raw=None)`

Get the STREAM_MUSIC block from the output of the command `androidtv.constants.CMD_STREAM_MUSIC`.

Parameters `stream_music_raw (str, None)` – The output of the command `androidtv.constants.CMD_STREAM_MUSIC`

Returns The STREAM_MUSIC block from the output of `androidtv.constants.CMD_STREAM_MUSIC`, or None if it could not be determined

Return type str, None

_key (*key*)

Send a key event to device.

Parameters **key** (*str, int*) – The Key constant

_send_intent (*pkg, intent, count=1*)

Send an intent to the device.

Parameters

- **pkg** (*str*) – The command that will be sent is monkey -p <pkg> -c <intent> <count>; echo \$?
- **intent** (*str*) – The command that will be sent is monkey -p <pkg> -c <intent> <count>; echo \$?
- **count** (*int, str*) – The command that will be sent is monkey -p <pkg> -c <intent> <count>; echo \$?

Returns A dictionary with keys 'output' and 'retcode', if they could be determined; otherwise, an empty dictionary

Return type dict

adb_close ()

Close the ADB connection.

This only works for the Python ADB implementation (see [androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.close\(\)](#)). For the ADB server approach, this doesn't do anything (see [androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBServerSync.close\(\)](#)).

adb_connect (*always_log_errors=True, auth_timeout_s=10.0*)

Connect to an Android TV / Fire TV device.

Parameters

- **always_log_errors** (*bool*) – If True, errors will always be logged; otherwise, errors will only be logged on the first failed reconnect attempt
- **auth_timeout_s** (*float*) – Authentication timeout (in seconds)

Returns Whether or not the connection was successfully established and the device is available

Return type bool

adb_pull (*local_path, device_path*)

Pull a file from the device.

This calls [androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.pull\(\)](#) or [androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBServerSync.pull\(\)](#), depending on whether the Python ADB implementation or an ADB server is used for communicating with the device.

Parameters

- **local_path** (*str*) – The path where the file will be saved
- **device_path** (*str*) – The file on the device that will be pulled

adb_push (*local_path, device_path*)

Push a file to the device.

This calls [androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.push\(\)](#) or [androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBServerSync.push\(\)](#), depending on whether the Python ADB implementation or an ADB server is used for communicating with the device.

Parameters

- **local_path** (*str*) – The file that will be pushed to the device
- **device_path** (*str*) – The path where the file will be saved on the device

`adb_screencap()`

Take a screencap.

This calls `androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.screencap()` or `androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBServerSync.screencap()`, depending on whether the Python ADB implementation or an ADB server is used for communicating with the device.

Returns The screencap as a binary .png image

Return type bytes

`adb_shell(cmd)`

Send an ADB command.

This calls `androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.shell()` or `androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBServerSync.shell()`, depending on whether the Python ADB implementation or an ADB server is used for communicating with the device.

Parameters `cmd` (*str*) – The ADB command to be sent

Returns The response from the device, if there is a response

Return type str, None

`audio_output_device()`

Get the current audio playback device.

Returns The current audio playback device, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type str, None

`audio_state()`

Check if audio is playing, paused, or idle.

Returns The audio state, as determined from the ADB shell command `androidtv.constants.CMD_AUDIO_STATE`, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type str, None

`awake()`

Check if the device is awake (screensaver is not running).

Returns Whether or not the device is awake (screensaver is not running)

Return type bool

`back()`

Send back action.

`current_app()`

Return the current app.

Returns The ID of the current app, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type str, None

`down()`

Send down action.

```
enter()
    Send enter action.

get_device_properties()
    Return a dictionary of device properties.

    Returns props – A dictionary with keys 'wifimac', 'ethmac', 'serialno',
    'manufacturer', 'model', and 'sw_version'

Return type dict

home()
    Send home action.

is_volume_muted()
    Whether or not the volume is muted.

    Returns Whether or not the volume is muted, or None if it could not be determined

Return type bool, None

key_0()
    Send 0 keypress.

key_1()
    Send 1 keypress.

key_2()
    Send 2 keypress.

key_3()
    Send 3 keypress.

key_4()
    Send 4 keypress.

key_5()
    Send 5 keypress.

key_6()
    Send 6 keypress.

key_7()
    Send 7 keypress.

key_8()
    Send 8 keypress.

key_9()
    Send 9 keypress.

key_a()
    Send a keypress.

key_b()
    Send b keypress.

key_c()
    Send c keypress.

key_d()
    Send d keypress.

key_e()
    Send e keypress.
```

key_f()
Send f keypress.

key_g()
Send g keypress.

key_h()
Send h keypress.

key_i()
Send i keypress.

key_j()
Send j keypress.

key_k()
Send k keypress.

key_l()
Send l keypress.

key_m()
Send m keypress.

key_n()
Send n keypress.

key_o()
Send o keypress.

key_p()
Send p keypress.

key_q()
Send q keypress.

key_r()
Send r keypress.

key_s()
Send s keypress.

key_t()
Send t keypress.

key_u()
Send u keypress.

key_v()
Send v keypress.

key_w()
Send w keypress.

key_x()
Send x keypress.

key_y()
Send y keypress.

key_z()
Send z keypress.

launch_app (app)

Launch an app.

Parameters `app (str)` – The ID of the app that will be launched

learn_sendevent (timeout_s=8)

Capture an event (e.g., a button press) via `getevent` and convert it into `sendevent` commands.

For more info, see:

- <http://ktnr74.blogspot.com/2013/06/emulating-touchscreen-interaction-with.html?m=1>

- <https://qatesttech.wordpress.com/2012/06/21/turning-the-output-from-getevent-into-something-something-that-can-be/>

Parameters `timeout_s (int)` – The timeout in seconds to wait for events

Returns The events converted to `sendevent` commands

Return type str

left ()

Send left action.

media_next_track ()

Send media next action (results in fast-forward).

media_pause ()

Send media pause action.

media_play ()

Send media play action.

media_play_pause ()

Send media play/pause action.

media_previous_track ()

Send media previous action (results in rewind).

media_session_state ()

Get the state from the output of `dummysys media_session`.

Returns The state from the output of the ADB shell command `dummysys media_session`, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type int, None

media_stop ()

Send media stop action.

menu ()

Send menu action.

mute_volume ()

Mute the volume.

power ()

Send power action.

right ()

Send right action.

screen_on ()

Check if the screen is on.

Returns Whether or not the device is on

Return type bool

set_volume_level (*volume_level*)
Set the volume to the desired level.

Parameters **volume_level** (*float*) – The new volume level (between 0 and 1)

Returns The new volume level (between 0 and 1), or None if `self.max_volume` could not be determined

Return type float, None

sleep ()
Send sleep action.

space ()
Send space keypress.

start_intent (*uri*)
Start an intent on the device.

Parameters **uri** (*str*) – The intent that will be sent is `am start -a android.intent.action.VIEW -d <uri>`

stop_app (*app*)
Stop an app.

Parameters **app** (*str*) – The ID of the app that will be stopped

Returns The output of the `am force-stop` ADB shell command, or None if the device is unavailable

Return type str, None

up ()
Send up action.

volume ()
Get the absolute volume level.

Returns The absolute volume level, or None if it could not be determined

Return type int, None

volume_down (*current_volume_level=None*)
Send volume down action.

Parameters **current_volume_level** (*float, None*) – The current volume level (between 0 and 1); if it is not provided, it will be determined

Returns The new volume level (between 0 and 1), or None if `self.max_volume` could not be determined

Return type float, None

volume_level ()
Get the relative volume level.

Returns The volume level (between 0 and 1), or None if it could not be determined

Return type float, None

volume_up (*current_volume_level=None*)
Send volume up action.

Parameters `current_volume_level` (`float`, `None`) – The current volume level (between 0 and 1); if it is not provided, it will be determined

Returns The new volume level (between 0 and 1), or `None` if `self.max_volume` could not be determined

Return type `float`, `None`

`wake_lock_size()`

Get the size of the current wake lock.

Returns The size of the current wake lock, or `None` if it could not be determined

Return type `int`, `None`

Module contents

androidtv.firetv package

Submodules

androidtv.firetv.base_firetv module

Communicate with an Amazon Fire TV device via ADB over a network.

ADB Debugging must be enabled.

```
class androidtv.firetv.base_firetv.BaseFireTV(host, port=5555, adbkey='', adb_server_ip='', adb_server_port=5037, state_detection_rules=None)
```

Bases: `androidtv.basetv.basetv.BaseTV`

Representation of an Amazon Fire TV device.

Parameters

- `host` (`str`) – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- `port` (`int`) – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- `adbkey` (`str`) – The path to the adbkey file for ADB authentication
- `adb_server_ip` (`str`) – The IP address of the ADB server
- `adb_server_port` (`int`) – The port for the ADB server
- `state_detection_rules` (`dict`, `None`) – A dictionary of rules for determining the state (see `BaseTV`)

`DEVICE_CLASS = 'firetv'`

`_get_properties(output, get_running_apps=True)`

Get the properties needed for Home Assistant updates.

This will send one of the following ADB commands:

- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS`
- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS`
- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS`

- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS`

Parameters

- `output (str, None)` – The output of the ADB command used to retrieve the properties
- `get_running_apps (bool)` – Whether or not to get the `running_apps` property

Returns

- `screen_on (bool, None)` – Whether or not the device is on, or `None` if it was not determined
- `awake (bool, None)` – Whether or not the device is awake (screensaver is not running), or `None` if it was not determined
- `wake_lock_size (int, None)` – The size of the current wake lock, or `None` if it was not determined
- `current_app (str, None)` – The current app property, or `None` if it was not determined
- `media_session_state (int, None)` – The state from the output of `dumpsyst media_session`, or `None` if it was not determined
- `running_apps (list, None)` – A list of the running apps, or `None` if it was not determined

`_update (screen_on, awake, wake_lock_size, current_app, media_session_state, running_apps)`

Get the info needed for a Home Assistant update.

Parameters

- `screen_on (bool, None)` – Whether or not the device is on, or `None` if it was not determined
- `awake (bool, None)` – Whether or not the device is awake (screensaver is not running), or `None` if it was not determined
- `wake_lock_size (int, None)` – The size of the current wake lock, or `None` if it was not determined
- `current_app (str, None)` – The current app property, or `None` if it was not determined
- `media_session_state (int, None)` – The state from the output of `dumpsyst media_session`, or `None` if it was not determined
- `running_apps (list, None)` – A list of the running apps, or `None` if it was not determined

Returns

- `state (str)` – The state of the device
- `current_app (str)` – The current running app
- `running_apps (list)` – A list of the running apps if `get_running_apps` is `True`, otherwise the list [`current_app`]

`androidtv.firetv.firetv_async module`

`androidtv.firetv.firetv_sync module`

Communicate with an Amazon Fire TV device via ADB over a network.

ADB Debugging must be enabled.

```
class androidtv.firetv.firetv_sync.FireTVSync(host, port=5555, adbkey='', adb_server_ip='', adb_server_port=5037, state_detection_rules=None, signer=None)
```

Bases: `androidtv.basetv.basetv_sync.BaseTVSync`, `androidtv.firetv.base_firetv.BaseFireTV`

Representation of an Amazon Fire TV device.

Parameters

- **host** (*str*) – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- **port** (*int*) – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- **adbkey** (*str*) – The path to the adbkey file for ADB authentication
- **adb_server_ip** (*str*) – The IP address of the ADB server
- **adb_server_port** (*int*) – The port for the ADB server
- **state_detection_rules** (*dict*, *None*) – A dictionary of rules for determining the state (see `BaseTV`)
- **signer** (*PythonRSASigner*, *None*) – The signer for the ADB keys, as loaded by `androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.load_adbkey()`

get_properties (*get_running_apps=True*, *lazy=False*)

Get the properties needed for Home Assistant updates.

This will send one of the following ADB commands:

- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS`
- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS`
- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS`
- `androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS`

Parameters

- **get_running_apps** (*bool*) – Whether or not to get the `running_apps()` property
- **lazy** (*bool*) – Whether or not to continue retrieving properties if the device is off or the screensaver is running

Returns

- **screen_on** (*bool*, *None*) – Whether or not the device is on, or *None* if it was not determined
- **awake** (*bool*, *None*) – Whether or not the device is awake (screensaver is not running), or *None* if it was not determined
- **wake_lock_size** (*int*, *None*) – The size of the current wake lock, or *None* if it was not determined
- **current_app** (*str*, *None*) – The current app property, or *None* if it was not determined
- **media_session_state** (*int*, *None*) – The state from the output of `dumpsyst media_session`, or *None* if it was not determined
- **running_apps** (*list*, *None*) – A list of the running apps, or *None* if it was not determined

get_properties_dict (*get_running_apps=True, lazy=True*)

Get the properties needed for Home Assistant updates and return them as a dictionary.

Parameters

- **get_running_apps** (*bool*) – Whether or not to get the [*running_apps \(\)*](#) property
- **lazy** (*bool*) – Whether or not to continue retrieving properties if the device is off or the screensaver is running

Returns A dictionary with keys 'screen_on', 'awake', 'wake_lock_size', 'current_app', 'media_session_state', and 'running_apps'

Return type dict**running_apps ()**

Return a list of running user applications.

Returns A list of the running apps

Return type list**turn_off ()**

Send SLEEP action if the device is not off.

turn_on ()

Send POWER and HOME actions if the device is off.

update (*get_running_apps=True, lazy=True*)

Get the info needed for a Home Assistant update.

Parameters

- **get_running_apps** (*bool*) – Whether or not to get the [*running_apps \(\)*](#) property
- **lazy** (*bool*) – Whether or not to continue retrieving properties if the device is off or the screensaver is running

Returns

- **state** (*str*) – The state of the device
- **current_app** (*str*) – The current running app
- **running_apps** (*list*) – A list of the running apps if *get_running_apps* is True, otherwise the list [current_app]

Module contents

2.1.2 Submodules

androidtv.constants module

Constants used throughout the code.

Links

- ADB key event codes
- MediaSession PlaybackState property

```
androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'Get the properties for an Android TV device (lazy=True, get_running_apps=False); see androidtv.androidtv_sync.AndroidTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.androidtv_async.AndroidTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'D: Get the properties for an Android TV device (lazy=True, get_running_apps=True); see androidtv.androidtv_sync.AndroidTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.androidtv_async.AndroidTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'Get the properties for an Android TV device (lazy=False, get_running_apps=False); see androidtv.androidtv_sync.AndroidTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.androidtv_async.AndroidTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'D: Get the properties for an Android TV device (lazy=False, get_running_apps=True); see androidtv.androidtv_sync.AndroidTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.androidtv_async.AndroidTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_ANDROIDTV_RUNNING_APPS = 'ps -A | grep u0_a'
    Get the running apps for an Android TV device

androidtv.constants.CMD_AUDIO_STATE = "dumpsys audio | grep paused | grep -qv 'Buffer Queue"
    Get the audio state

androidtv.constants.CMD_AWAKE = 'dumpsys power | grep mWakefulness | grep -q Awake'
    Determine whether the device is awake

androidtv.constants.CMD_CURRENT_APP = 'CURRENT_APP=$(dumpsys window windows | grep mCurrent'
    Get the current app

androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'D: Get the properties for a Fire TV device (lazy=True, get_running_apps=False); see androidtv.firetv_sync.FireTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.firetv.async.FireTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'Disp: Get the properties for a Fire TV device (lazy=True, get_running_apps=True); see androidtv.firetv_sync.FireTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.firetv.async.FireTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_NO_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'Get the properties for a Fire TV device (lazy=False, get_running_apps=False); see androidtv.firetv_sync.FireTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.firetv.async.FireTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_PROPERTIES_NOT_LAZY_RUNNING_APPS = "(dumpsys power | grep 'I: Get the properties for a Fire TV device (lazy=False, get_running_apps=True); see androidtv.firetv_sync.FireTVSync.get_properties() and androidtv.firetv.async.FireTVAsync.get_properties()"

androidtv.constants.CMD_FIRETV_RUNNING_APPS = 'ps | grep u0_a'
    Get the running apps for a Fire TV device

androidtv.constants.CMD_LAUNCH_APP = "CURRENT_APP=$(dumpsys window windows | grep mCurrent"
    Launch an app if it is not already the current app

androidtv.constants.CMD_MEDIA_SESSION_STATE = "dumpsys media_session | grep -A 100 'Session"
    Get the state from dumpsys media_session; this assumes that the variable CURRENT_APP has been defined
```

```

androidtv.constants.CMD_MEDIA_SESSION_STATE_FULL = "CURRENT_APP=$ (dumpsys window windows | 
    Determine the current app and get the state from dumpsys media_session

androidtv.constants.CMD_SCREEN_ON = "(dumpsys power | grep 'Display Power' | grep -q 'state
    Determine if the device is on

androidtv.constants.CMD_STREAM_MUSIC = "dumpsys audio | grep '\\\\- STREAM_MUSIC:' -A 12"
    Get the "STREAM_MUSIC" block from dumpsys audio

androidtv.constants.CMD_WAKE_LOCK_SIZE = "dumpsys power | grep Locks | grep 'size='"
    Get the wake lock size

androidtv.constants.DEFAULT_ADB_TIMEOUT_S = 9.0
    Default timeout (in s) for adb_shell.handle.tcp_handle.TcpHandle and adb_shell.handle.
        tcp_handle_async.TcpHandleAsync

androidtv.constants.DEFAULT_AUTH_TIMEOUT_S = 10.0
    Default authentication timeout (in s) for adb_shell.handle.tcp_handle.TcpHandle.connect()
        and adb_shell.handle.tcp_handle_async.TcpHandleAsync.connect()

androidtv.constants.DEFAULT_LOCK_TIMEOUT_S = 3.0
    Default timeout for acquiring the lock that protects ADB commands

androidtv.constants.MEDIA_SESSION_STATES = {0: None, 1: 'stopped', 2: 'paused', 3: 'pla
    States for the media_session_state property

androidtv.constants.VALID_PROPERTIES = ('audio_state', 'media_session_state', 'wake_lock_s
    Properties that can be checked for custom state detection (used by
        state_detection_rules_validator())

androidtv.constants.VALID_PROPERTIES_TYPES = {'audio_state': <class 'str'>, 'media_session
    The required type for each entry in VALID_PROPERTIES (used by
        state_detection_rules_validator())

androidtv.constants.VALID_STATES = ('idle', 'off', 'playing', 'paused', 'standby')
    States that are valid (used by state_detection_rules_validator())

androidtv.constants.VALID_STATE_PROPERTIES = ('audio_state', 'media_session_state')
    Properties that can be used to determine the current state (used by
        state_detection_rules_validator())

```

androidtv.exceptions module

Exceptions for use throughout the code.

```
exception androidtv.exceptions.LockNotAcquiredException
    Bases: Exception
```

The ADB lock could not be acquired.

androidtv.setup_async module

2.1.3 Module contents

Connect to a device and determine whether it's an Android TV or an Amazon Fire TV.

ADB Debugging must be enabled.

`androidtv.ha_state_detection_rules_validator(exc)`

Validate the rules (i.e., the `state_detection_rules` value) for a given app ID (i.e., a key in `state_detection_rules`).

See [BaseTV](#) for more info about the `state_detection_rules` parameter.

Parameters `exc` (`Exception`) – The exception that will be raised if a rule is invalid

Returns `wrapped_state_detection_rules_validator` – A function that is the same as `state_detection_rules_validator()`, but with the `exc` argument provided

Return type function

`androidtv.setup(host, port=5555, adbkey='', adb_server_ip='', adb_server_port=5037, state_detection_rules=None, device_class='auto', auth_timeout_s=10.0, signer=None)`

Connect to a device and determine whether it's an Android TV or an Amazon Fire TV.

Parameters

- `host` (`str`) – The address of the device; may be an IP address or a host name
- `port` (`int`) – The device port to which we are connecting (default is 5555)
- `adbkey` (`str`) – The path to the `adbkey` file for ADB authentication
- `adb_server_ip` (`str`) – The IP address of the ADB server
- `adb_server_port` (`int`) – The port for the ADB server
- `state_detection_rules` (`dict, None`) – A dictionary of rules for determining the state (see [BaseTV](#))
- `device_class` (`str`) – The type of device: 'auto' (detect whether it is an Android TV or Fire TV device), 'androidtv', or 'firetv'
- `auth_timeout_s` (`float`) – Authentication timeout (in seconds)
- `signer` (`PythonRSASigner, None`) – The signer for the ADB keys, as loaded by `androidtv.adb_manager.adb_manager_sync.ADBPythonSync.load_adbkey()`

Returns The representation of the device

Return type `AndroidTWSync, FireTWSync`

androidtv is a Python package that provides state information and control of Android TV and Fire TV devices via ADB. This package is used by the [Android TV](#) integration in Home Assistant.

CHAPTER
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INSTALLATION

```
pip install androidtv
```

To utilize the async version of this code, you must install into a Python 3.7+ environment via:

```
pip install androidtv[async]
```

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ADB INTENTS AND COMMANDS

A collection of useful intents and commands can be found [here](#) (credit: mcfrojd).

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