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# **dlipower Documentation**

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## The dlipower module

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The `dlipower` module provides a python api to manage digital loggers networked power switches.

### 1.1 `dlipower.dlipower`

The `dlipower.dlipower` module provides the core functionality of the `dlipower` module.

#### 1.1.1 Digital Loggers Web Power Switch management

Description: This is both a module and a script

The module provides a python class named `powerswitch` that allows managing the web power switch from python programs.

When run as a script this acts as a command line utility to manage the DLI Power switch.

This module has been tested against the following Digital Loggers Power network power switches:

WebPowerSwitch II WebPowerSwitch III WebPowerSwitch IV WebPowerSwitch V  
Ethernet Power Controller III

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**exception** `dlipower.dlipower.DLIPowerException`

Bases: `exceptions.Exception`

An error occurred talking the the DLI Power switch

**class** `dlipower.dlipower.Outlet` (*switch, outlet\_number, description=None, state=None*)

Bases: `object`

A power outlet class

**name**

Return the name or description of the outlet

**off** ()  
Turn the outlet off

**on** ()  
Turn the outlet on

**rename** (*new\_name*)  
Rename the outlet :param new\_name: New name for the outlet :return:

**state**  
Return the outlet state

**class** dlipower.dlipower.**PowerSwitch** (*userid=None, password=None, hostname=None, timeout=None, cycletime=None, retries=None*)

Bases: `object`

Powerswitch class to manage the Digital Loggers Web power switch

**command\_on\_outlets** (*command, outlets*)  
If a single outlet is passed, handle it as a single outlet and pass back the return code. Otherwise run the operation on multiple outlets in parallel the return code will be failure if any operation fails. Operations that return a string will return a list of strings.

**cycle** (*outlet=0*)  
Cycle power to an outlet False = Power off Success True = Power off Fail Note, does not return any status info about the power on part of the operation by design

**determine\_outlet** (*outlet=None*)  
Get the correct outlet number from the outlet passed in, this allows specifying the outlet by the name and making sure the returned outlet is an int

**get\_outlet\_name** (*outlet=0*)  
Return the name of the outlet

**geturl** (*url='index.htm'*)  
Get a URL from the userid/password protected powerswitch page Return None on failure

**load\_configuration** ()  
Return a configuration dictionary

**off** (*outlet=0*)  
Turn off a power to an outlet False = Success True = Fail

**on** (*outlet=0*)  
Turn on power to an outlet False = Success True = Fail

**printstatus** ()  
Print the status off all the outlets as a table to stdout

**save\_configuration** ()  
Update the configuration file with the object's settings

**set\_outlet\_name** (*outlet=0, name='Unknown'*)  
Set the name of an outlet

**status** (*outlet=1*)  
Return the status of an outlet, returned value will be one of: ON, OFF, Unknown

**statuslist** ()  
Return the status of all outlets in a list, each item will contain 3 items plugnumber, hostname and state

**verify** ()  
Verify we can reach the switch, returns true if ok

## 1.2 dlipower.debug

The `dlipower.debug` module provides debug information for the dlipower module.

DLIPower Debug Utilities

This module contains utility functions useful for troubleshooting dlipower.

This module can be run from the command line using the following command:

```
python -m dlipower.debug
```

This will output information like the following:

```
$ python -m dlipower.debug

dlipower debug information:
  Version: 0.7.120
  Module Path: /home/dwight/github/python-dlipower/dlipower

  Source Code Information
    Git Source URL: https://github.com/dwighthubbard/python-dlipower/tree/
↪9c3bb943124d5d9767403960fdf6a622cbea5128
    Git Hash: 9c3bb943124d5d9767403960fdf6a622cbea5128
    Git Version: 0.7.120
    Git Origin: https://github.com/dwighthubbard/python-dlipower.git
    Git Branch: master
```

When run from the command line this will print a dump of information about the module and it's build information.

`dlipower.debug.debug_info()`

Return a multi-line string with the debug information :return:

`dlipower.debug.debug_info_list()`

Return a list with the debug information :return:

`dlipower.debug.print_debug_info()`

Display information about the redislite build, and redis-server on stdout. :return:

## 1.3 Classes

### 1.3.1 Outlet

**class** `dlipower.Outlet` (*switch, outlet\_number, description=None, state=None*)

A power outlet class

**name**

Return the name or description of the outlet

**off()**

Turn the outlet off

**on()**

Turn the outlet on

**rename** (*new\_name*)

Rename the outlet :param new\_name: New name for the outlet :return:

**state**

Return the outlet state

### 1.3.2 Powerswitch

**class** `dlipower.PowerSwitch` (*userid=None, password=None, hostname=None, timeout=None, cycletime=None, retries=None*)

Powerswitch class to manage the Digital Loggers Web power switch

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Get the correct outlet number from the outlet passed in, this allows specifying the outlet by the name and making sure the returned outlet is an int

**get\_outlet\_name** (*outlet=0*)

Return the name of the outlet

**geturl** (*url='index.htm'*)

Get a URL from the userid/password protected powerswitch page Return None on failure

**load\_configuration** ()

Return a configuration dictionary

**off** (*outlet=0*)

Turn off a power to an outlet False = Success True = Fail

**on** (*outlet=0*)

Turn on power to an outlet False = Success True = Fail

**printstatus** ()

Print the status off all the outlets as a table to stdout

**save\_configuration** ()

Update the configuration file with the object's settings

**set\_outlet\_name** (*outlet=0, name='Unknown'*)

Set the name of an outlet

**status** (*outlet=1*)

Return the status of an outlet, returned value will be one of: ON, OFF, Unknown

**statuslist** ()

Return the status of all outlets in a list, each item will contain 3 items plugnumber, hostname and state

**verify** ()

Verify we can reach the switch, returns true if ok

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**COMMAND LINE USAGE**

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The dlipower package provides two scripts.

## 2.1 dlipower script

This script provides a command line interface to the dli power switches.

```
Usage: dlipower [options] [status|on|off|cycle|get_outlet_name|set_outlet_name]
↳[range] [newname]

Options:
  -h, --help                show this help message and exit
  --hostname=HOSTNAME      hostname/ip of the power switch (default none)
  --timeout=TIMEOUT        Timeout for value for power switch communication
                           (default none)
  --cycletime=CYCLETIME    Delay between off/on states for power cycle
                           operations (default none)
  --user=USER              userid to connect with (default none)
  --password=PASSWORD      password (default none)
  --save_settings          Save the settings to the configuration file
  --quiet                  Suppress error output

Arguments:
  range - One or more ports delimited by commas
  Example:
    1,3,5-9 (Refers to outlets 1,3,5,6,7,8,9)
  newname - The name to rename the outlet to``
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## **2.2 fence\_dli**

The fence\_dli script is a linux cluster compatible stonith fencing script for dlipower switches.

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