

Sense Hat

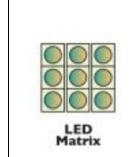
Python 3 Cheatsheet



To add **Sense HAT** functionality to your python programs add the following lines to import the library for the Sense HAT library:

from sense_hat import SenseHat
sense = SenseHat()

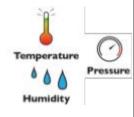
From that point forwards you can use any of the set of functions from the Sense HAT Library.



sense.set_pixel(0, 0, 255, 0, 0)	Sets the top left LED to the colour red.	
sense.show_letter("J", 0, 0, 255)	Displays the letter "J" on the screen in blue.	
<pre>sense.show_message("msg", text_colour=[0, 255, 0])</pre>	Displays the message "msg" on the matrix in green.	
<pre>sense.load_image("creeper.png", redraw=True)</pre>	Load an 8x8 image "creeper.png" image and display it.	
sense.clear()	Clears the LED and switches them all off. Sets the rotation of the LED matrix.	
sense.set_rotation(r=0)		
<pre>sense.set_pixels(pixelList)</pre>	Uses pixellist to draw a picture, each item is an [R,G,B] list	



<pre>yaw,pitch,roll = sense.get_orientation().values()</pre>	Gets the orientation data and stores their values as yaw, pitch, roll	
<pre>m_x, m_y, m_z = sense.get_compass_raw().values()</pre>	Gets the compass data and stores as m_x, m_y, m_z	
x, y, z = sense.get_accelerometer_raw().values()	Gets the accelerometer data and stores as x ,y, z	
<pre>g_x,g_y,g_z = sense.get_gyroscope_raw().values()</pre>	Gets the orientation data and stores as g_x, g_y, g_z	



	<pre>t = sense.get_temperature_from_humidity()</pre>	Uses the humidity sensor to get temperature and stores it as t.	
5	<pre>t = sense.get_temperature_from_pressure()</pre>	Uses the pressure sensor to get temperature and stores it as t.	
e	<pre>h = sense.get_humidity()</pre>	Measures the humidity and stores it as h.	
	<pre>p = sense.get_pressure()</pre>	Measures the pressure and stores it as p .	

There are a number of ways to capture the input from the joystick. You could use the either the **pygame** or **curses** library. However for this example we're going to use the evdev system, which you'll need to install using "sudo pip3 install evdev"

```
from evdev import InputDevice, ecodes, list_devices
from select import select

devices = [InputDevice(fn) for fn in list_devices()]
for dev in devices:
    if dev.name == "Raspberry Pi Sense HAT Joystick":
        js = dev

The code on the left looks through the available input devices and finds the Sense-HAT joystick.
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It then continually check the joystick device and creates a list of events call **r**.

For each event in the list it checks whether it was a keyboard style event.

It then compares the the key code to the values for up, down, left and right and pirnts a corresponding message

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Scrolling Message
from sense hat import SenseHat
sense = SenseHat()
while True:
    sense.show message("Spaaaaaaace!!", scroll speed=0.05, text colour=[255,255,0], back colour=[0,0,255])
Environmental Sensing
                                            Rotating letter "J"
                                            from sense hat import SenseHat
from sense hat import SenseHat
                                            import time
sense = SenseHat()
                                            sense = SenseHat()
while True:
                                            sense.show letter("J")
   t = sense.get temperature()
    p = sense.get pressure()
    h = sense.get humidity()
                                            while True:
                                              x, y, z = sense.get accelerometer raw().values()
   t = round(t,1)
    p = round(p,1)
                                              x = round(x, 0)
                                              y = round(y, 0)
    h = round(h,1)
    msg = "Temp = %s, Pressure=%s,
                                              if x == -1:
Humidity=%s" % (t,p,h)
                                                  sense.set rotation(180)
                                              elif y == -1:
                                                  sense.set rotation(90)
sense.show message(msg,scroll speed=0.05)
                                              elif y == 1:
                                                  sense.set rotation(270)
                                              else:
                                                  sense.set rotation(0)
                                              time.sleep(0.1)
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Reaction Game

```
from sense hat import SenseHat
                                                        pause = 3
import time
                                                        score = 0
import random
                                                        angle = 0
                                                        play = True
sense = SenseHat()
                                                        sense.show message("Keep the arrow pointing up", text colour=[100,100,100])
# set up the colours (white, green, red, empty)
                                                        while play == True:
W = [150, 150, 150]
                                                           last angle = angle
g = [0,255,0]
                                                           while angle == last angle:
                                                              angle = random.choice([0,90,180,270])
r = [255,0,0]
e = [0,0,0]
                                                            sense.set rotation(angle)
                                                           sense.set pixels(arrow)
                                                           time.sleep(pause)
# create three different coloured arrows
arrow = [e,e,e,w,w,e,e,e,e]
                                                           x, y, z = sense.get accelerometer raw().values()
    e,e,w,w,w,e,e,e,
                                                           x = round(x, 0)
    e,w,e,w,w,e,w,e,
                                                           y = round(y, 0)
    w,e,e,w,w,e,e,w,
    e,e,e,w,w,e,e,e,e,
                                                           if x == -1 and angle == 180:
    e,e,e,w,w,e,e,e,e,
                                                              sense.set pixels(arrow green)
    e,e,e,w,w,e,e,e,e,
                                                              score = score + 1
    e,e,e,w,w,e,e,e
                                                            elif x == 1 and angle == 0:
arrow_red = [e,e,e,r,r,e,e,e,e,
                                                              sense.set pixels(arrow green)
                                                              score = score + 1
    e,e,r,r,r,r,e,e,
                                                           elif y == -1 and angle == 90:
    e,r,e,r,r,e,r,e,
                                                              sense.set pixels(arrow_green)
    r,e,e,r,r,e,e,r,
                                                              score = score + 1
    e,e,e,r,r,e,e,e,e,
                                                           elif v == 1 and angle == 270:
    e,e,e,r,r,e,e,e,e,
                                                              sense.set pixels(arrow green)
    e,e,e,r,r,e,e,e,e,
                                                              score = score + 1
    e,e,e,r,r,e,e,e]
                                                            else:
                                                              sense.set_pixels(arrow_red)
arrow_green = [e,e,e,g,g,e,e,e,e,
                                                              play = False
    e,e,g,g,g,g,e,e,
    e,g,e,g,g,e,g,e,
                                                            pause = pause * 0.95
    g,e,e,g,g,e,e,g,
                                                           time.sleep(0.5)
    e,e,e,g,g,e,e,e,
    e,e,e,g,g,e,e,e,
                                                        msg = "Your score was %s" % (score)
    e,e,e,g,g,e,e,e,
                                                        sense.show message(msg, scroll speed=0.05, text colour=[100,100,100])
    e,e,e,g,g,e,e,e]
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