

Féidearthachtaí as Cuimse
Infinite Possibilities

Week 2

Raspberry Pi Pico

Fundamentals of IoT
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Lesson Outline

- Introducing the Pico WH (our first piece of hardware)
- Basic pinout for the Pico WH
- Programming the Pico WH using MicroPython

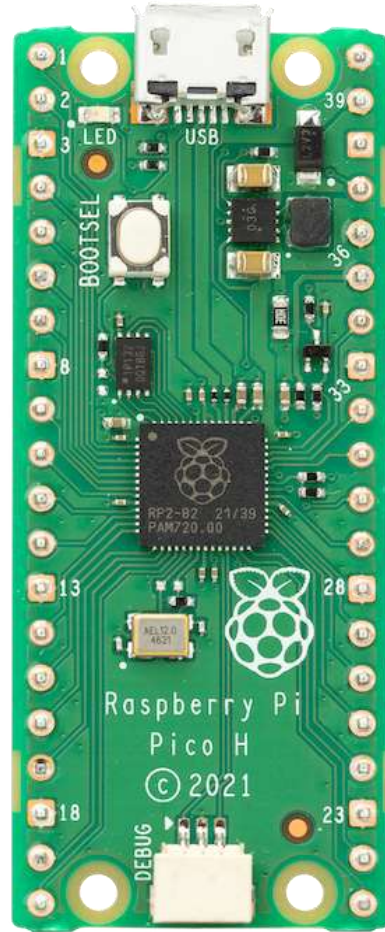
Raspberry Pi Pico WH

Our first piece of hardware!

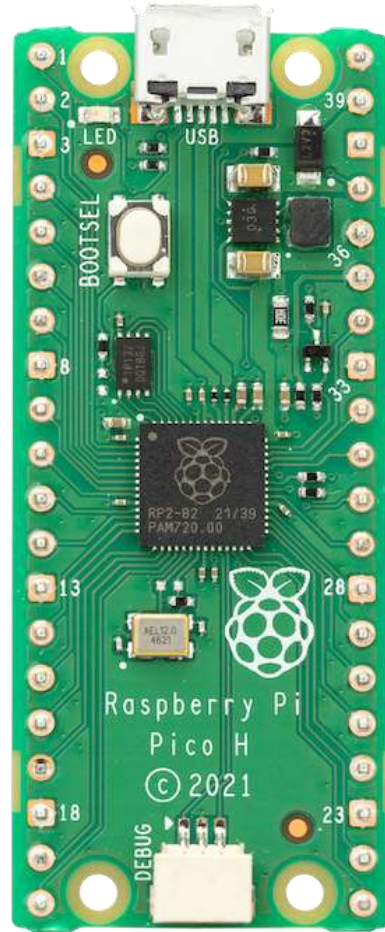
Specs

- RP2040 microcontroller (dual Cortex M0 @ 133MHz, 256KB RAM)
- 2MB of flash memory (disk space)
- 26 GPIO pins, SPI and I²C support
- Software FP support(!)

Pico 1 family



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Raspberry Pi Pico WH

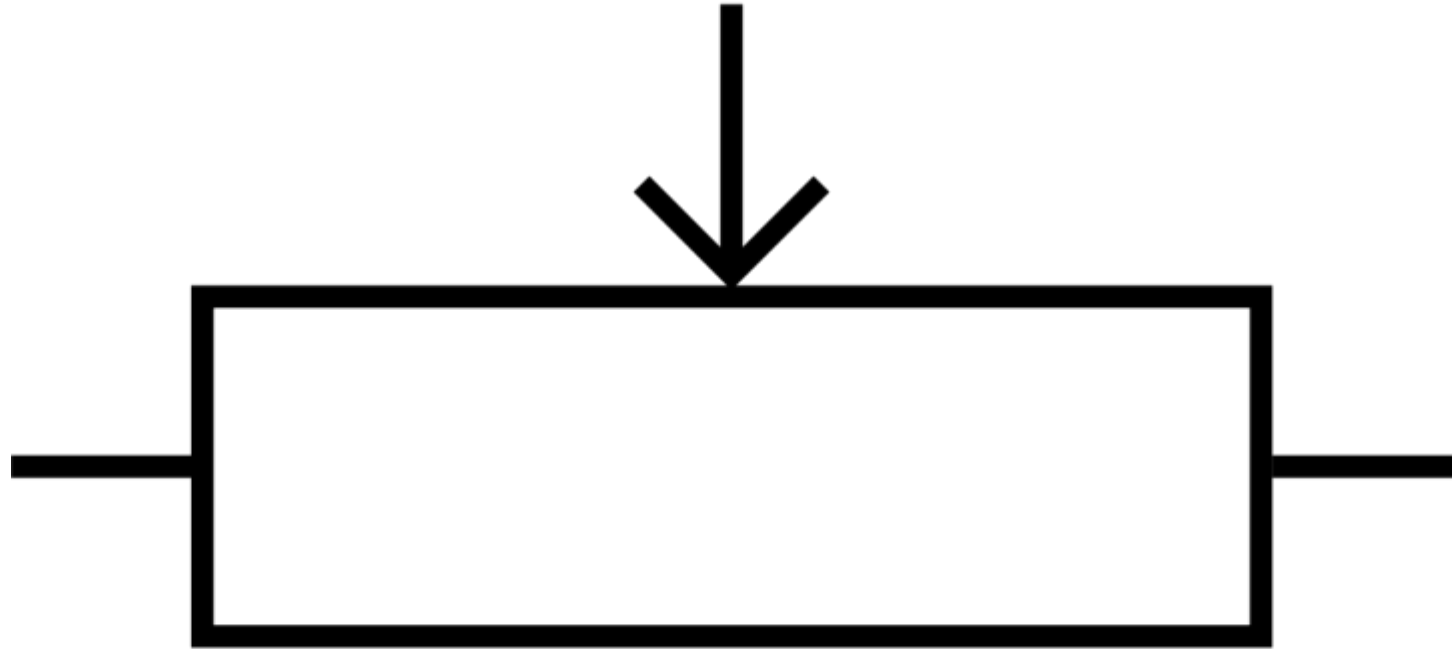
Pico W(H) pinout

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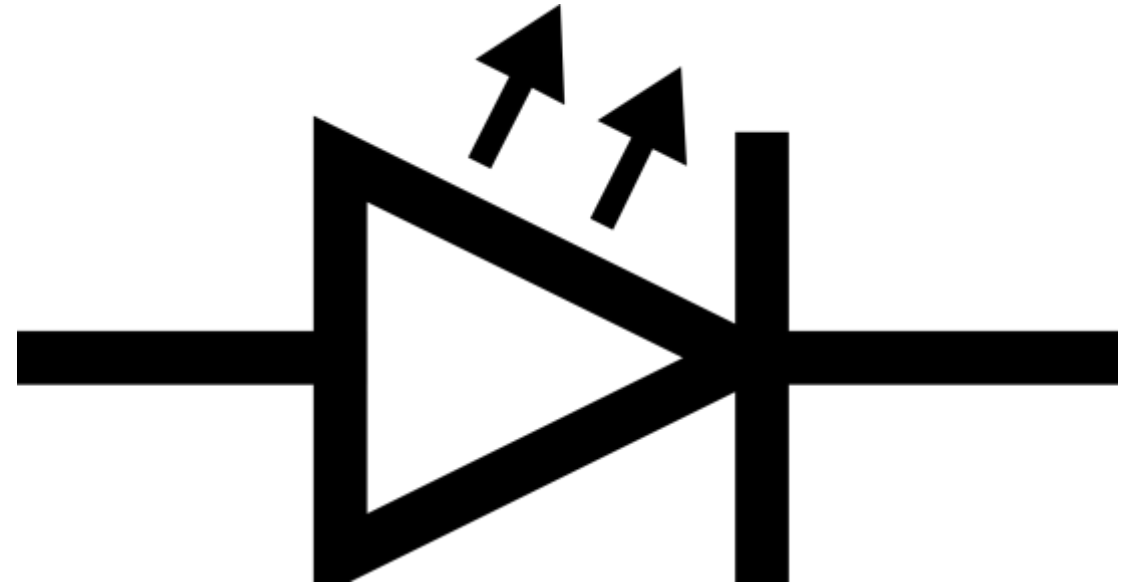
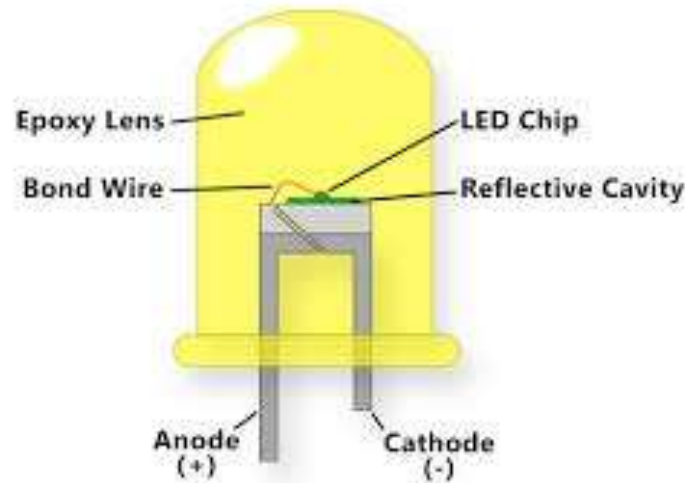
More electronic components

Some assorted components we can connect to the Pico

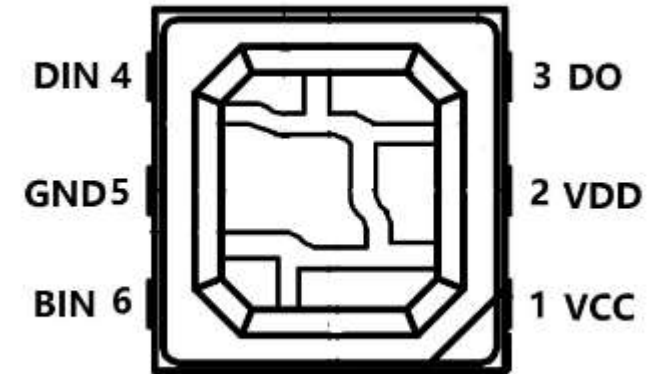
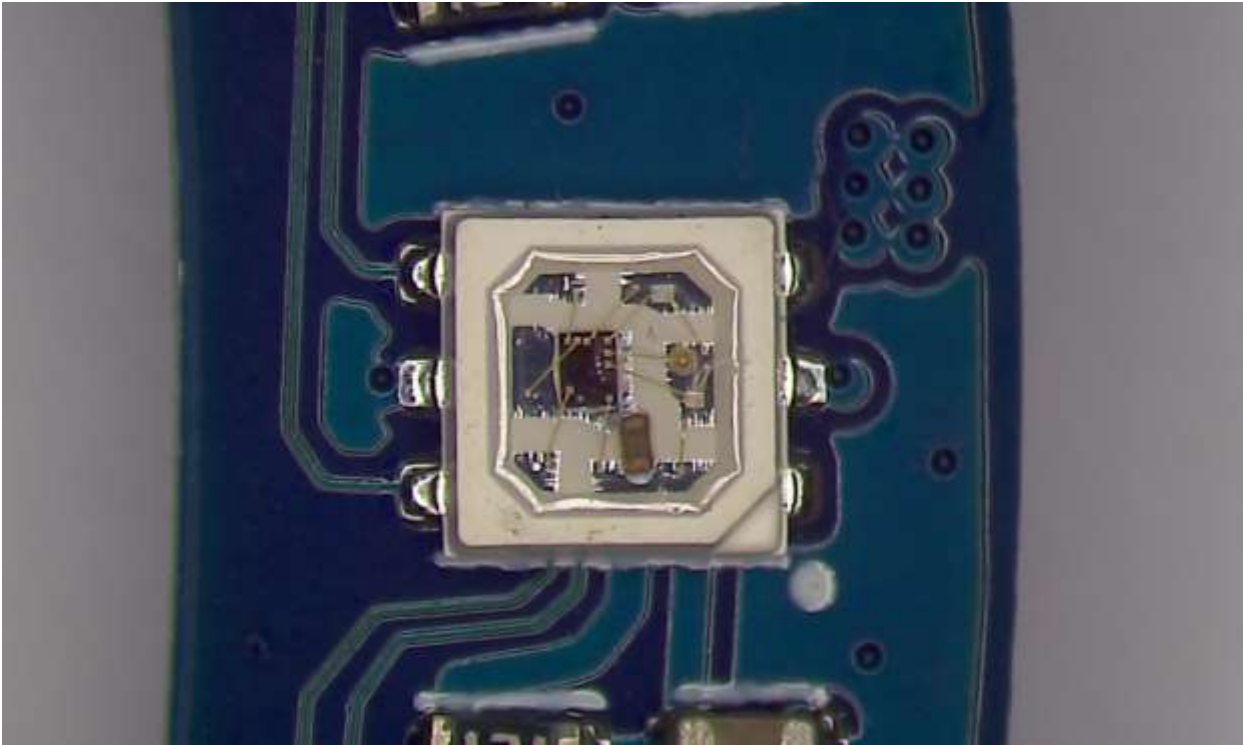
Potentiometer



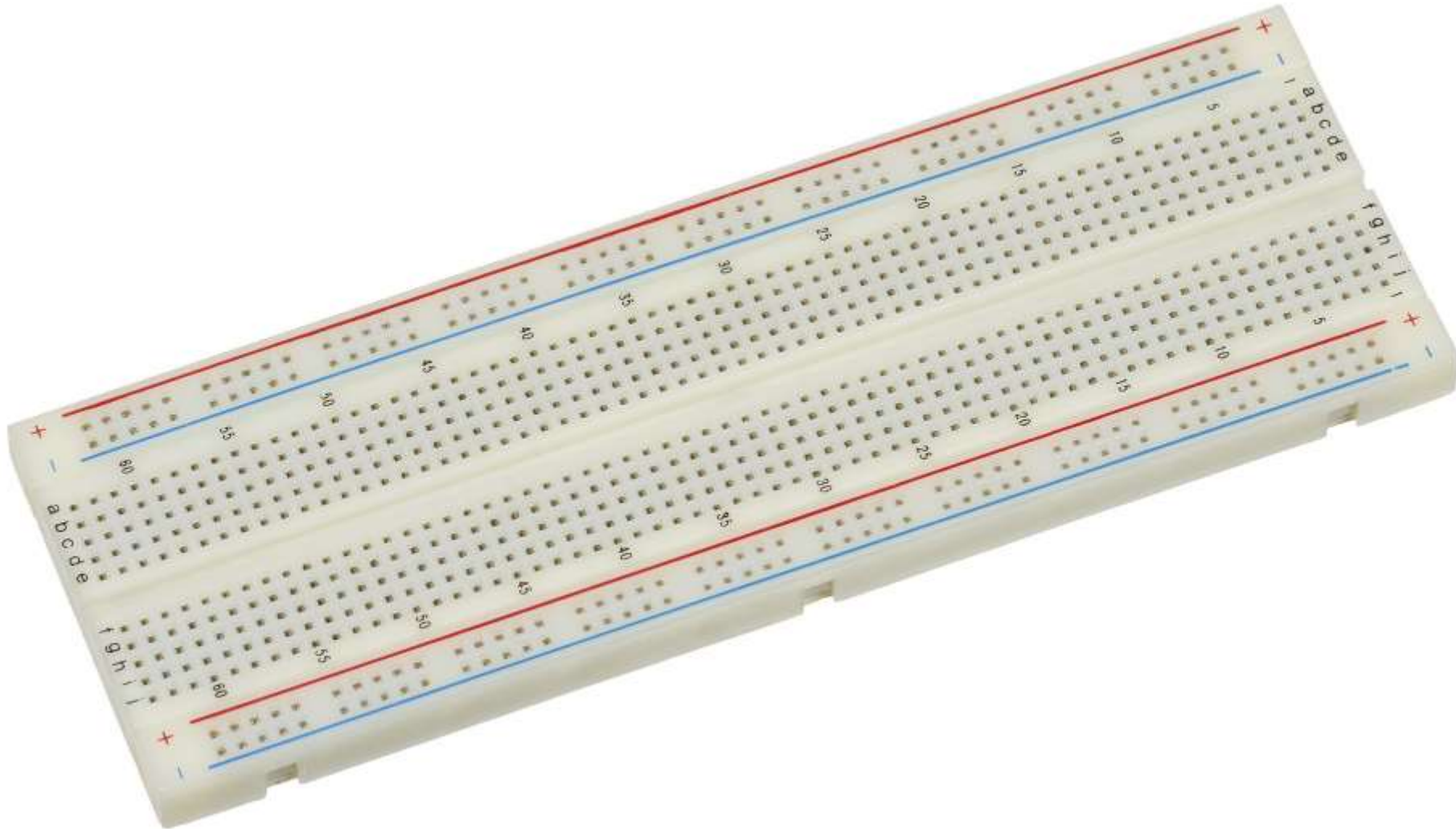
Light emitting diode (LED)



RGB LED (WS2813 mini)



Breadboard



Servomotor



MicroPython

A dialect of Python designed for microcontrollers (μ Cs)

MicroPython

- Implements a large subset of Python 3.4 (and parts of 3.5)
- Runs on the metal (i.e. on systems without an operating system)
- Supports a wide range of hardware/ μ Cs(not just the Pico)
- Open source and very easy to install!

Blinking an LED on and off

```
# Blinking an LED on and off
import machine, time

# Use the LED built into the Pico, so we
# don't have to connect our own!
led = machine.Pin('LED', machine.Pin.OUT)

while True:
    led.value(1) # On
    time.sleep(2) # Wait for 2 seconds
    led.value(0) # Off
```


Better blinking script

```
from machine import Pin, Timer

# Use the LED built into the Pico, so we
# don't have to connect our own!
led = Pin('LED', machine.Pin.OUT)
timer = Timer()

# Callback function
def tick():
    global led
    led.toggle()

timer.init(freq=0.5, mode=Timer.PERIODIC, callback=tick)
```

RGB LED (WS2813)

```
from ws2812 import WS2812
import time

#WS2812(pin_num, led_count)
led = WS2812(18, 1)

while True:
    led.pixels_set(0, (255, 0, 0))
    led.pixels_show()
    time.sleep(2)
    led.pixels_set(0, (0, 255, 0))
    time.sleep(2)
    led.pixels_show()
    led.pixels_set(0, (0, 0, 255))
    time.sleep(2)
    led.pixels_show()
```

Reading from a potentiometer

```
from machine import ADC
import time

adc = ADC(1)

while True:
    value = adc.read_u16()
    print(value)
    time.sleep(0.05)
```

Moving a servo

```
from machine import Pin, PWM
import time

servo = PWM(Pin(27), freq=50, duty_u16=0)

def move_servo(servo_obj, angle):
    assert 0 <= angle <= 180
    minimum, maximum = 1802, 7864
    diff = maximum - minimum
    duty_cycle = (angle / 180) * diff + minimum
    print(duty_cycle)
    servo_obj.duty_u16(int(duty_cycle))

move_servo(servo, 0)
time.sleep(5)
print(180)
move_servo(servo, 180)
time.sleep(5)
print(0)
move_servo(servo, 0)
```


That's all for this week

Thanks for your attention!