

OLED BIT MAP ARRAY



What is our GOAL for this CLASS?

In this class, we learned about OLED

What did we ACHIEVE in the class TODAY?

- We learned about OLED
- We displayed BIT MAP Array on OLED

Which CONCEPTS/ CODING BLOCKS did we cover today?

- OLED:
 - An OLED stands for an organic light-emitting diode. An OLED display is made up
 of pixels that glow when electricity is applied to them. It's like the heating
 elements in a toaster, but with less heat and a better resolution. This effect is
 called electroluminescence
 - It is called organic because it is made up of organic substances, such as carbon.
 - BITMAP is an array of binary data representing the values of pixels in an image or display. A bitmap is a file format or memory organization of rows and columns of bits (or pixels) that collectively display a graphical representation. Most graphic images contain thousands of bits. Pixels are larger squares made up of bits.



We can draw a bitmap in this OLED display with some steps:

- 1. Resize your image to fit the OLED display.
- 2. Convert image to monochrome
- 3. Convert monochrome image to array
- 4. Copy the array to Arduino code.

How did we DO the activities?

- 1. Display WHITEHATJR on the OLED.
 - Collect the material
 - o 1 x ESP32
 - o 1 x OLED



- Connections:
 - Insert OLED into the breadboard
 - o Take four jumper wires.
 - o OLED VCC to ESP32 PIN VCC
 - o OLED GND to ESP32 PIN GND
 - o OLED Clk to ESP32 PIN GPIO22
 - o OLED Data to ESP32 PIN GPIO21

To control the **OLED** display, install libraries

- Click on the small triangle icon next to Library Manager
- Select New File
- Name the file libraries.txt
- Write down Adafruit SSD1306



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sketch.ino diagram.json ● libraries.txt ● Library Manager ▼

1 # Wokwi Library List
2 # See https://docs.wokwi.com/guides/libraries
3

4 Adafruit SSD1306
5
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1. Write the program:

- SPI.h Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) is a synchronous serial communication protocol used by microcontrollers for communicating with one or more peripheral devices quickly over short distances. When using SPI, there is always one master device (usually a microcontroller) that controls all peripheral devices.
- Wire.h This library allows you to communicate with I2C / devices. I2C is a serial communication protocol, so data is transferred bit by bit along a single wire.
- Adafruit_GFX.h: This library offers a common graphical syntax and set of functions for all LCD displays, OLED displays, and LED matrices.
- Adafruit_SSD1306: This library takes care of low-level communication with the hardware.

```
#include <Wire.h>
#include <Adafruit_GFX.h>
#include <Adafruit_SSD1306.h>

#define SCREEN_WIDTH 128
#define SCREEN_HEIGHT 64

Adafruit_SSD1306 display(SCREEN_WIDTH, SCREEN_HEIGHT, &Wire, -1);
```

- Define **SCREEN_WIDTH & SCREEN_HEIGHT** for OLED
- OLED size is a 128×64

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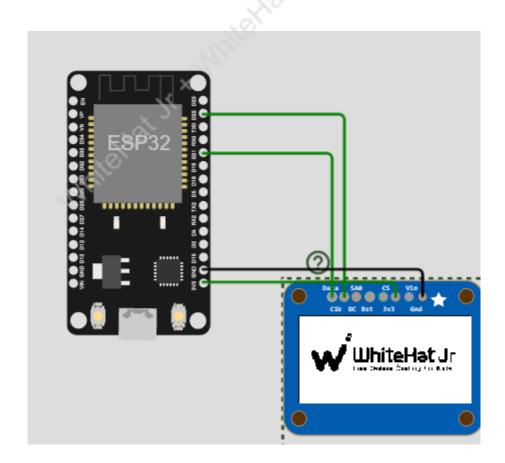
- Initialize using **void setup()** function
 - Serial.begin(115200): Sets the **data rate** in bits per second (baud) for **serial** data transmission.



- Initialize the OLED display with the begin() method.
- If the OLED displays nothing, check the OLED address at **0x3C**. In our case, the address is 0x3C.
- If we are not able to connect to the display, it prints a message on the Serial
- If something fails, don't proceed further, try to repeat the process using for()
 loop
- display.drawBitmap is used to display the picture Write down the exact name of the BitMAP array. Here in this case it is bitmap_14v9q

2. Output:

- Output:
- Click on the Save button and then click on the simulation button





3. Select the material from the Simulator

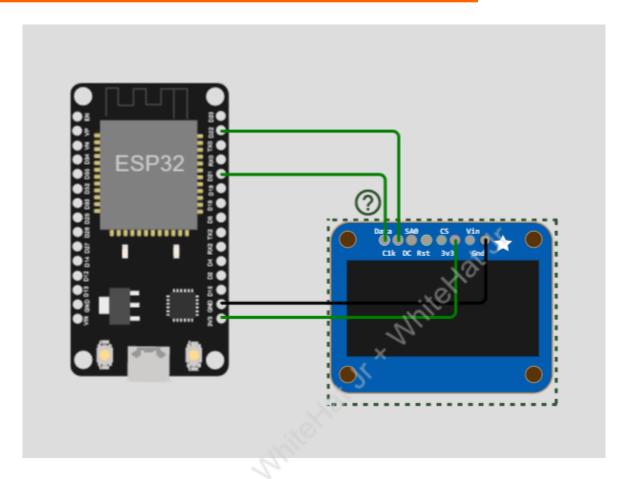
- 1 x ESP32
- 1 x OLED Click on + Sign and selects OLED

4. Let's do connections:

- Insert OLED into the breadboard
- Take four jumper wires.

OLED PIN	ESP32 PIN
vcc	3.3 V
GND	GND
Data	GPIO 21
CLK	GPIO 22





- 5. Initialize using void setup() function
- **6.** To control the **OLED** display, we need to install libraries
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7. Set the MELODY Length, tempo, pause time and rest time

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- Define **SCREEN_WIDTH & SCREEN_HEIGHT** for OLED .Our **OLED** size is 128×64.
- Declaration of an SSD1306 display that connects to I2C communication using Wire Library.
- Initialize a **display** object with the **SCREEN_WIDTH & SCREEN_HEIGHT** defined earlier with the I2C communication protocol.
- A value of **(-1)** indicates that our OLED display does not have a **RESET** pin. Sometimes OLED displays have a RESET pin on the OLED, in that case, we should connect it to a GPIO and should include the GPIO number as a parameter.

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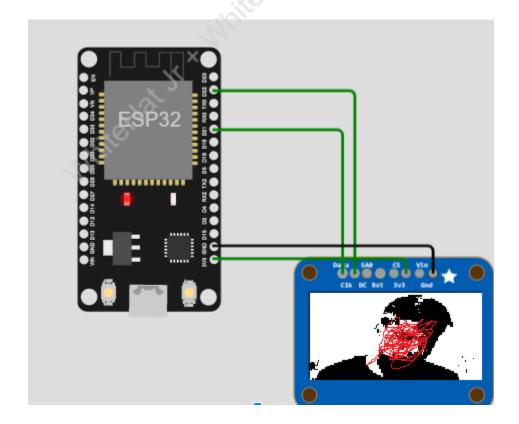
- 8. Convert Picture into Bit Map Array
- 9. Initialize using **void setup()** function
 - Serial.begin(115200): Sets the **data rate** in bits per second (baud) for **serial** data transmission.
 - Initialize the OLED display with the begin() method.
 - If the OLED displays nothing, check the OLED address at **0x3C**. In our case, the address is 0x3C.
 - If we are not able to connect to the display, it prints a message on the Serial Monitor.
 - If something fails, don't proceed further, try to repeat the process using for()
 loop
 - display.drawBitmap is used to display the picture Write down the exact name of the BitMAP array.



Here in this case it is bitmap_14v9q

10. Output

• Click on the save button and then Click on restart the simulation



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What's NEXT?

In the next class, we will learn about Electronic Voting machines.

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Expand Your Knowledge

To know more about **Bitmap** click here.