

4.Display picture

Learning goals: RGB matrix display local picture.

Experimental phenomena: Display the picture content on the RGB matrix.

1.Create python file

nano photo.py

We need to input content as shown below:

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#!/usr/bin/python
from sense_hat import SenseHat
sense = SenseHat()
```

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sense.set_rotation(180)
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sense.clear()
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Please press **Ctrl+O** to save, press **Ctrl+X** to quit.

The code of the experiment, please refer to **photo.py** in the Python sample program folder.

2.Commonly function

- ① Clear RGB matrix
- ② Display local picture

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3. Running program

Input the following command to running:

python photo.py

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pi@raspberrypi:~/sense_hat $ nano photo.py
pi@raspberrypi:~/sense_hat $ python photo.py
pi@raspberrypi:~/sense_hat $ █
```

After running the program, you can see the contents of the space_invader.png displayed on the RGB matrix.

!Note: Images need to be in 8*8 pixel format and placed in the same folder.

