# #JustPicoBasic manual

The best way to see how it works is to run a few examples: <a href="https://github.com/bgolab/JustBasic/tree/main/examples">https://github.com/bgolab/JustBasic/tree/main/examples</a>

### Wiring

Hardware components: RPI PICO, OLED 0.91" I2C, EEPROM 24c64 I2C, 2x resistors 10kohm



#### **Terminal**

JustPicoBasic was tested w/ Putty and TeraTerm. Copy & Paste is supported.

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COM10 - Tera Term VT
 File Edit Setup Control Window Help
 (C) 2021 bg
HW: RP2040
  unning at 125000000Hz
LIMITs: SRC/LINE:8000/160, DIM/DATA:500, NAMES/NAMELENGTH:100/8, IF/FOR/WHILE:50/50/50
CLI: [L]oad, [S]ave, [C]ode, [R]un, [N]ew, [U]ser, [E]dit, @N[], [B]ye, [H]elp, [T]ech, T0, T1, T2, ?
CMDs: print, input, inkey, cls, data, read, restore, if, then, else, endif, for, to, step, next, while, endwhile, goto, gosu b, return, rem, peek, poke, pause, rnd, abs, sin, cos, exp, log, sqr, sqn, hex$, str$, chr$, left$, mid$, right$, len, val, int, fix, gettick, dim, pmode, dwrite, awrite, dread, aread, end, ,, ;, +, -, and, or, not, *, /, *, (, ), <, <=, >, >=, =, <>, plot, draw, circle, lprint, lref, lcls, sm,
  SENSOR=20
   node 100, TSENSOR
      k=1 to 5
            t1k=aread(100)
print t1k/1000,".",t1k%1000,"C"
             pause 500
 ext. k
 end
Press ESC to break!
 26.790C
```

### **Code formatting**

You can freely format the code – can put many commands in single line, etc. Capital and small letters accepted for keyword (i.e. 'CLS' and 'cls' are the same). Names recognizes small and capital letters (i.e. 'as' is different than 'AS')

**Program structure** 

Program Structure	Description/Comments	Example
code	Command 'end' has to follow the	print "Hi!"
gosub subroutines1	last line of the code. Subroutines	gosub callme
end	have to follow the 'end'.	end
subroutines1:		callme:
[subroutine1 code]		print "Hi!"
return		return

System commands

Command	Description/Comments	Example
ESC key	Break the program while Running or prevent from Loading.	,
?	Shows info about the VM (ver, available commands)	
С	Code – show code ('SM LN 0' to turn off line numbers)	
r	Run – run code from SRAM memory	r n=2 data 2, 3 s=0 for i=1 to n read a s=s+a
r <code></code>	Run - run single line of code NOT stored in memory (ad-hoc)	next i print "s=", s end
n	New – clear VM memory and code	
b	Bye: PICO – reboot VM in disk mode, Windows - exist	
1	l - Load program from EEPROM (auto.bas)	
S	s - Save program to EEPROM (auto.bas)	
ee	ee - EEPROM erase — to decide if required, now disabled	
ed	ed - EEPROM dump – show EEPROM content	
is	I2C scan – show I2C devices on both I2C buses	
t0 t1 t2	Program flow tracing.	T1 T2 - enable particular tracing mode
	t0 - Disable tracing; t1 - Stepping mode; t2 - Run with tracing	R – run program in T1 or T2 mode
@N	<b>Pico Editor.</b> New code is appended at the end of code; 'c'	@3 – removes 3rd line of code
@N <code></code>	shows code with line numbers (useful for @N cmds);	@4 CLS – inserts 'CLS' before line 4
	@N delete Nth line; @N <code> insert <code> before Nth line</code></code>	

## The language

### MISC

Command	Description/Comments	Example
SM <entity> 1   0</entity>	System Mode command for system configuration. Entities:	SM ESC 0
	ESC (default=enabled) – enable / disable ESC key check (disable to boost perf)	SM OLED 1
	OLED (default=disabled) – enable OLED hw (cannot be disabled now)  SM LN 0	
	LN (default=enabled) – enable / disable line numbering for 'c' command	
REM	Comment	REM MyProc
CLS	Clear Screen	

# **VARIABLES** (STRING arrays NOT supported yet)

- -variable name: up to 8chars letter&digits starting w/ a letter(digits, '#", '\$', '\_', ':' accepted)
- -expr: combination of INT/FLOAT and ops/brackets(+, -, \*, /, %,(, )) and INT/FLOAT vars;
- -sexpr: combination of string, string functions (with suffix \$) and string vars (with suffix \$) and '+' op

Command	Description/Comments	Example
var=expr	INT var (no suffix), name=expr, 1 <sup>st</sup> -reference creates var(value=0);	sy=2*abs(-15) + a*20
var#=expr	FLOAT var (# suffix), name#=expr, 1 <sup>st</sup> -reference creates var(value=0);	w#= a#-2*(2+3)+abs(-1.0)
var\$=sexpr	STR var (\$ suffix), name\$=sexpr	v\$="a"+a\$+left\$(str\$(13),1);
DIM var(n)=expr	INT array, 1-dimension, DIM name(size); name(item)=expr	DIM a(3) a(0)=3
DIM var#(n)=expr	FLOAT array, 1-dimension, DIM name#(size); name#(item)=expr	DIM(b#(3) b#(0)=2.5

Command	Description/Comments	Example
FOR var=expr TO expr [STEP expr] []	if STEP[default=1] is negative var decreases;	FOR i = 5 TO 1 STEP -1 NEXT I END
NEXT var	FLOAT supported; nesting supported	
WHILE condition [code] ENDWHILE	FLOAT supported; nesting supported;	a=0 while a<5 print a a=a+1
	AND/OR/NOT supported;	endwhile end
IF condition THEN [code] [ELSE]	FLOAT supported; nesting supported	if a>1 and b#>3.4 then print "ok" else
[code] ENDIF	AND/OR/NOT) supported;	print "bad" endif
label:	label name starting with a letter, terminated	k=1
GOTO label	by colon; up to 8 letter & digits( plus '_');	again: print k k=k+1
	can be located(before or after GOTO)	if k<5 then goto again: endif
GOSUB label	label can be located after END	gosub task0 end
label: [code] RETURN		task0: print "done" return
RETURN		
END	last instruction (GOSUB labels MUST be	
	located behind the END)	

## INPUT, OUTPUT, DATA

Command	Description/Comments	Example
PRINT expr[, sexpr], [;]	Prints expr, sexpr separated by ',';	PRINT "6/3=", 6/3 (with NEW LINE)
	';' to skip NEW LINE	PRINT 1; (w/o NEW LINE because of ';')
INPUT var,	Assign int/float/str values to (array) var	INPUT a(2), d#, name\$ print a(2), d#, name\$
DATA expr, sexpr;	INT/FLOAT/STR supported	DATA 1.5, 2*a
READ a, b#, d\$	Assign DATA specified input to vars	READ v, v#, v(), v#();
RESTORE reset data pointe	r	

## **BUILT-IN FUNCTIONS**

Command	Description/Comments	Example
LEFT\$\$(sexpr), RIGHT\$\$(sexpr),	Left\$/right\$/mid\$ - trimming	k\$=LEFT\$("abcdefgh", 3) + "1234"
MID\$(sexpr),	functions, len - string length, Val –	PRINT VAL("-1234")+1
LEN(sexpr), VAL(sexpr)	converts string to value	i=1234567 i\$=MID\$(STR\$(i), 2, 3) PRINT i\$
HEX\$(expr), STR\$(expr),	Hex\$ – expr to hex string, Str\$ - expr	PRINT HEX\$(NOT(0x0F))
CHR\$(expr)	to string, Chr\$ - expr to ascii	a=65 d\$=chr\$(a)
SIN(expr), COS(expr), SQR(expr),	Math functions	PRINT "SQR:", SQR(5), "EXP:", EXP(1), "LOG:",
EXP(expr), LOG(expr),		LOG(2.718), "SIN:",SIN(3.14/6),"COS:",COS(3.14/3)
SGN(expr), ABS(expr)		
RND(max)	Hw-based random generator with	PRINT "RND: ", RND(1000)
	von Neuman extractor-whitenizer	
GETTICK()	Tick number	a=gettick()
PAUSE msec	Delay (blocking) in msec	PAUSE 2*500
INKEY()	Current key (pressed), otherwise 0;	
	non-blocking (no-wating)	
INT/FIX(expr)	QBASIC like	a=INT(1.1) b=INT(-1.1) c=FIX(1.9) d=FIX(-1.9)
		PRINT a, ", ", b, ", ", c, ", ", d (1, -2, 1, -1)
AND(expr,expr), OR(expr,expr),		PRINT AND(0x03,0x0F) PRINT OR(0x01,0x02)
NOT(expr)		PRINT HEX\$(NOT(0x0F))

## PICO HARDWARE SUPPORT

Command	Description/Comments	Example	
PEEK(addr)	Memory read / write; hex supported	REM SYSTICK	
POKE addr, value		SYSTCSR=0xe000e010	
		SYSTRVR=0xe000e014	
		SYSTCVR=0xe000e018	

		poke SYSTCSR, 0
		poke SYSTRVR, 0x1e847
		poke SYSTCSR, 5
		for k=1 to 50
		print and(peek(SYSTCVR), 0x00FFFFFF)
		pause 1000
		next k
PMODE pin, mode	mode: 0-IN, 1-OUT, 2-PULLUP, 3-PULLDOWN,	
	10-ADC, 15-PWM, 20-TSENSOR	
AREAD(pin)	Read analog pin; pins=26-29 – analog pin;	pmode 26, 10 voltage=aread(26)
	pin=100 –temperature virtual pin	pmode 100, 20 temp= aread(100)
AWRITE pin, cycles	PWM duty=cycles/65535 cycle: 0-65535)	pmode 22, 15 awrite 22, 16000
DREAD(pin)	Read digital pin	REM explorer buttons: a, b, x, y
		a=12 b=13 x=14 y=15
		pmode y, 0 pmode y, 2
		for k=1 to 2 step 0 pause 50 print dread(y) next k
DWRITE pin, value	Write digital pin	REM explorer led - pin 25
		pmode 25, 1 dwrite 25,1 pause 3000 dwrite 25,0

# GRAPHIC LCD/OLED SUPPORT (currently: OLED0.91 support, commands syntax may change)

Command	Description/Comments	Example
SM OLED 1	Enable OLED support	
LPLOT X, Y	Draw point at X, Y	for x=0 to 127
		lplot x,fix(15+15*sin(2*3.14159*x/128))
		next x
		Iref
LDRAW X, Y	Draw line from the last PLOT / DRAW X, Y	plot 10,10 ldraw 20,20 lref
LCIRCLE x, y, r	Draw circle at x, y, r	lcircle 15, 15, 10
LPRINT x, y, "txt"	syntax to change	lprint 1, 1, "hi!" Iref
LCLS	Clear Screen	IcIs
LREF	Refresh LCD (copy mem content to LCD)	Iref