Introduction to the Raspberry Pi



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Lesson 1: What is a Raspberry Pi (RPi)

- 1. Guided tour of the RPi
 - a. Discussing and identifying all the hardware components
 - i. System on Chip (SoC)
 - ii. Memory
 - iii. Radio Module
 - iv. Power Management Circuitry (PMIC)
 - v. USB Ports
 - vi. Ethernet Port
 - vii. Audio / Video Jack
 - viii. Camera Connector
 - ix. HDMI Ports
 - x. Power Connector
 - xi. Display Connector
 - xii. GPIO Header
 - xiii. MicroSD Card Connector
- 2. RPi types
 - a. RPi, RPi2, RPi3, RPi4, Pi Zero, Pico, Compute Module



Lesson 2: Getting started with the RPi

- 1. What you need to get started
 - a. USB Power Supply
 - b. MicroSD Card
 - c. Keyboard & Mouse
 - d. Micro HDMI Cable
- 2. Setting up the Hardware
- 3. Connecting the microSDCard
- 4. Connecting the keyboard & mouse
- 5. Connecting a display
- 6. Network Connection

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7. Connecting a power supply



Lesson 3: How to configure the RPi

1. RPi Configuration

- a. Welcome Wizard
- b. Setup Country, Language and Timezone
- c. Setting a new password
- d. Desktop Screen setup
- e. Choosing a network connection
- f. Checking for Updates
- g. Restarting RPi



Lesson 4: Getting to know the RPi Operating System (OS)

- 1. Desktop Overview
- 2. Chromium Web Browser
- 3. File Manager
- 4. LibreOffice
- 5. Terminal
- 6. Recommended Software Tool
- 7. RPi Config Tool
- 8. Shutting down



Lesson 5: Intro to programming with Scratch 3

- 1. Scratch 3 Interface
- 2. Your first program
- 3. Sequencing
- 4. Looping the loop
- 5. Variables and conditionals
- 6. Projects
 - a. Astronaut Reaction Timer
 - b. Synchronised swimming
 - c. Archery Game



Lesson 6: Intro to Programming with Python

- 1. Thonny Python IDE
- 2. Your first Python program
- 3. Loops & code indentation
- 4. Variables & conditionals
- 5. Projects
 - a. Turtle Snowflakes
 - b. Scary spot the differences
 - c. RPG Maze



Lesson 7: Physical Computing with Scratch & Python

- 1. Introducing the GPIO Header
- 2. Electronic Components
 - a. Breadboard
 - b. Connecting wires
 - c. Push button
 - d. Light Emitting Diode (LED)
 - e. Resistors
 - f. Buzzer
- 3. Reading resistor color codes
- 4. LED control in scratch
- 5. LED control in python
- 6. Using a breadboard
- 7. Reading a button
 - a. Reading a button in Scratch
 - b. Reading a button in Python
- 8. Controlling a buzzer
 - a. Controlling a buzzer in Scratch
 - b. Controlling a buzzer in Python
- 9. Scratch Project Traffic Lights
- 10. Python Project Quick Reaction Game



Lesson 8: Physical Computing with the Sense HAT

- 1. Introducing the Sense HAT
- 2. Hello, Sense HAT
- 3. Greetings from Scratch
- 4. Greetings from Python
- 5. Drawing with Light
- 6. Draw Pictures in Scratch
- 7. Draw Picture in Python
- 8. Environmental sensing
 - a. Environmental sensing in Scratch
 - b. Environmental sensing in Python
- 9. Inertial sensing
 - a. Inertial sensing in Scratch
 - b. Inertial sensing in Python
- 10. Joystick control
 - a. Joystick control in Scratch
 - b. Joystick control in Python
- 11. Scratch Project Sense HAT Sparkler
- 12. Python Project Sense HAT Tricorder



Lesson 9: Raspberry Pi Camera Module

- 1. Installing the camera
- 2. PiCamera
- 3. Capturing still pictures
- 4. Capturing moving video
- 5. Push-button stop-motion animation
- 6. Advanced camera settings



Lesson 10: The command-line interface

- 1. Terminal program
- 2. The prompt
- 3. Navigating
- 4. File handling
- 5. Running programs
- 6. Using the TTYs

