

32x32 RGB LED Matrix - 4mm pitch SKU:DFR0472

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Introduction

City night is always beautiful. She is just like a charming girl, showing her beauty every time. The colorful light is jewelry, dotted on her dress.

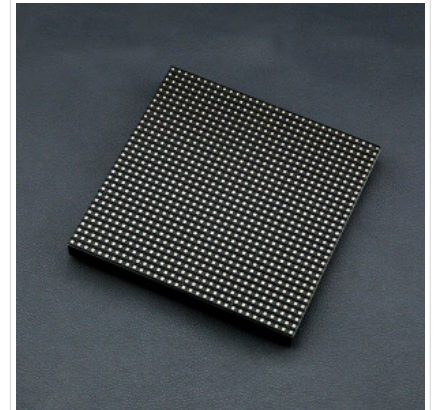
This is a 32x32 RGB LED Matrix Panel, it has 1024 full-color RGB LEDs in all. Each LED can be independently addressed and controlled. It requires at least 13 digital GPIOs to control the LED matrix. The led matrix has 2 IDC connectors (DATA_IN, DATA_OUT) on the back, you can cascade multiple panels and make a huge screen together. BUT Arduino doesn't support this function, its speed is not enough to multiple panel.

What's more, it is a high brightness, long life, no pollution, pure color LED display module. It can be used both indoor and outdoor, safety and stability, the module can not be mutually extrusion deformation, also can be used normally in harsh environment.



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Note: This panel needs a 5V@3A power supply. And if you connect 2 or more screen, it needs a high performance controller, such as Mega 2560, Raspberry. .etc.



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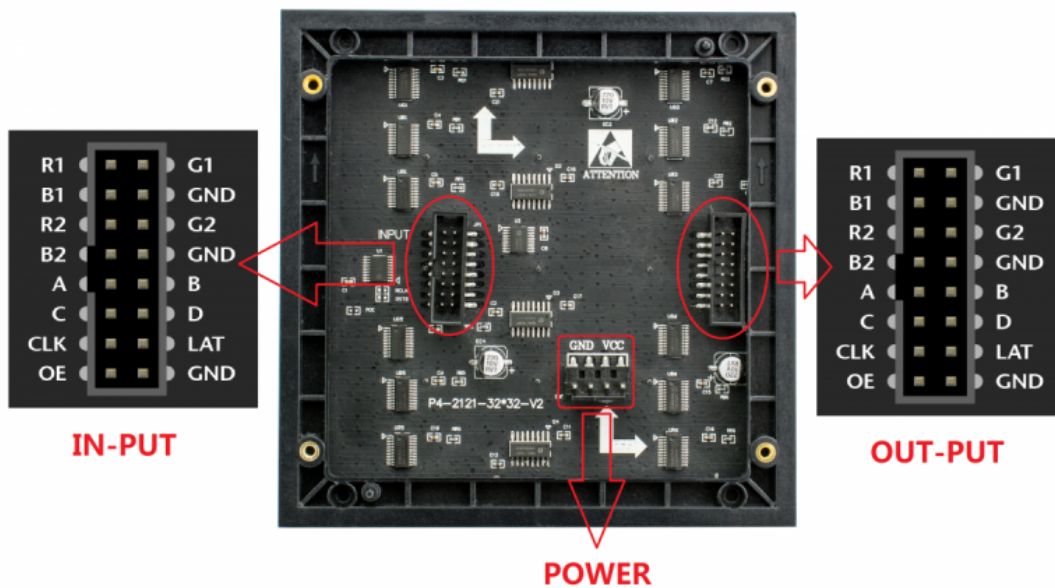
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Specification

- Operating voltage: DC 5V
- Average power consumption: <math><500W/m^2</math>
- Maxim Power Consumption: <math><1000w/m^2</math>
- Pixel: 32x32=1024
- Level of viewing Angle: $\geq 160^\circ$
- Control mode: Synchronous control
- Drive mode: 1/16 scan rate
- Repetition frequency: $\geq 60\text{Hz}$
- White Balance Brightness: $\geq 1200\text{cd}/m^2$
- Refresh frequency : $\geq 300\text{Hz}$
- MTTF: ≥ 5000 hours
- Service Life: 75000~100000 hours
- Pixel pitch: 6mm
- Dimension: 128mm*128mm/5.04*5.04 inches
- Thickness: 11mm

Board Overview

Note: The pin order of DATA-IN and ADTA-OUT is same, POWER SUPPLY 5V.



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DATA-IN and DATA-OUT

Label	Name	Function
1	DR1	High R data
2	DG1	High G data
3	DB1	High B data
4	GND	GND
5	DR2	Low R data
6	DG2	Low G data
7	DB2	Low B data
8	GND	GND
9	A	A line selection
10	B	B line selection
11	C	C line selection
12	D	D line selection
13	CLK	CLOCK
14	LAT	LATCH
15	OE	Output Enable
16	GND	GND

POWER

Label	Name	Function
1	VCC	5V
2	VCC	5V
3	GND	GND
4	GND	GND

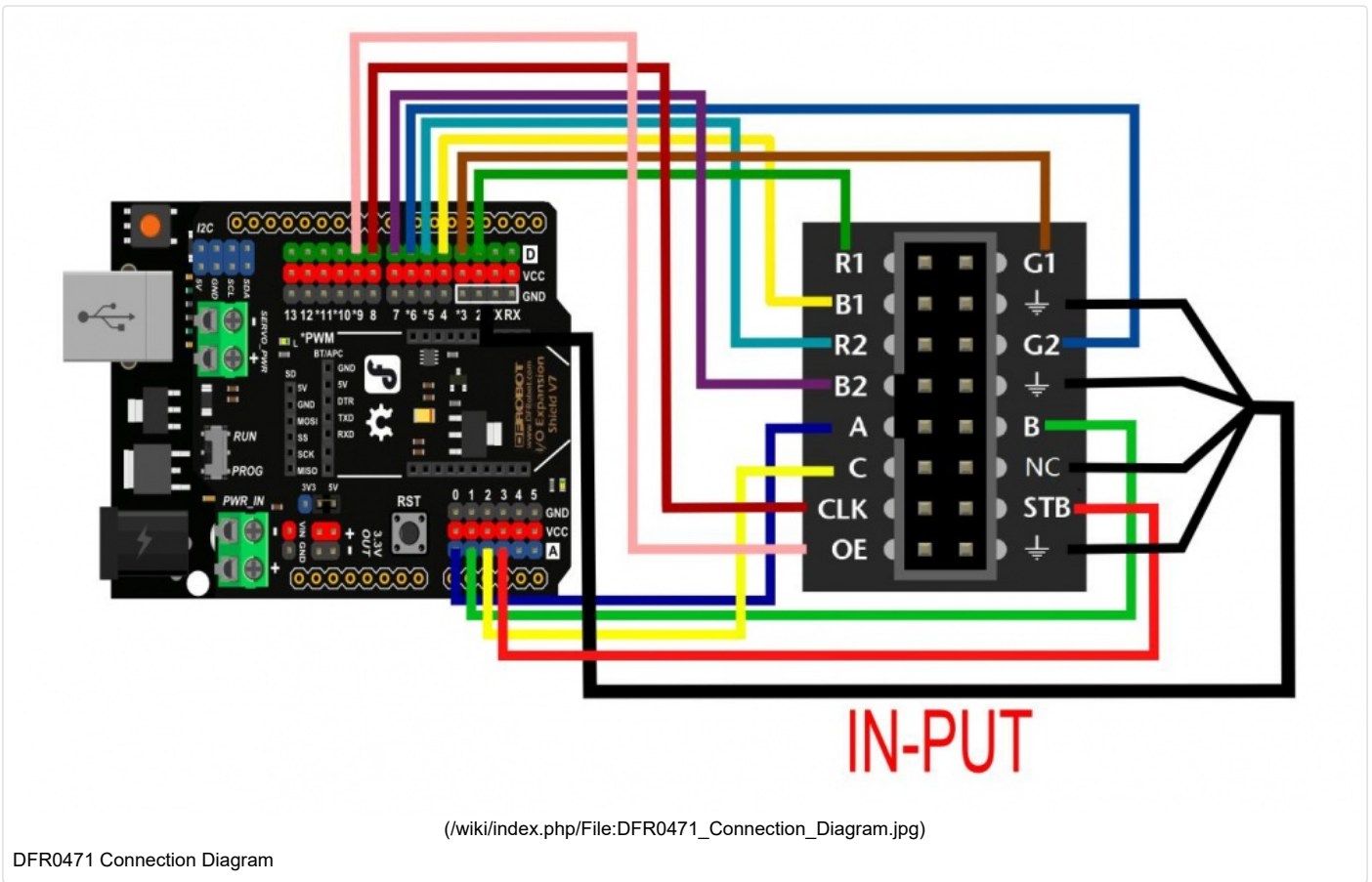
Tutorial

According to the pinout to connect, then upload the code to UNO, you will be able to see a beautiful display effect.

Requirements

- **Hardware**
 - DFRduino UNO R3 (<https://www.dfrobot.com/product-838.html>) x1
 - DFR0471 x1
 - DuPont cables
- **Software**
 - Arduino IDE Click to Download Arduino IDE from Arduino® (<https://www.arduino.cc/en/Main/Software%7C>)

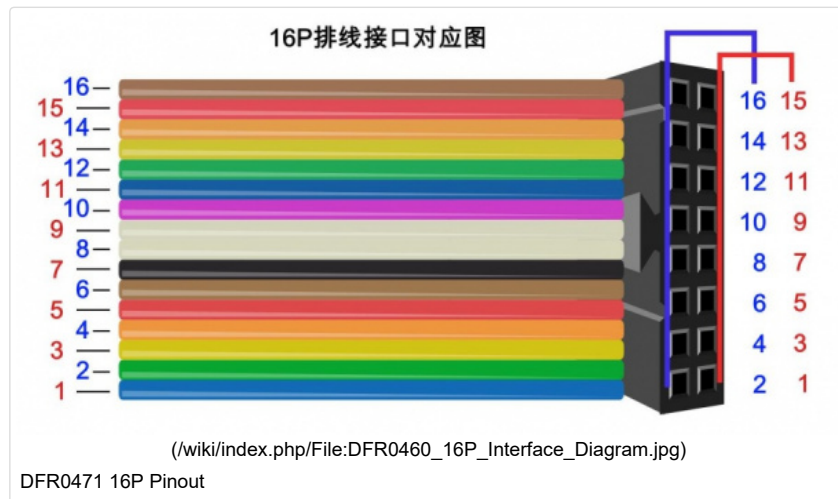
Connection Diagram



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Note: It needs an external power supply, the USB is only 5V@500mA, not enough power.

16P Interface Diagram



Sample Code 1

Click to download the library Adafruit-GFX-Library (<https://github.com/adafruit/Adafruit-GFX-Library/archive/master.zip>). RGB-matrix-Panel (<https://github.com/adafruit/RGB-matrix-Panel>). How to install the library? (<http://www.dfrobot.com.cn/community/forum.php?mod=viewthread&tid=1854&page=1&extra=#pid6955>)

```

/*****
 *
 * For 32x32 RGB LED matrix.
 *
 * @author Lg.gang
 * @version V1.0
 * @date 2016-10-28
 *
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 * *****/

#include <Adafruit_GFX.h> // Core graphics Library
#include <RGBmatrixPanel.h> // Hardware-specific library

// If your 32x32 matrix has the SINGLE HEADER input,
// use this pinout:
#define CLK 8 // MUST be on PORTB! (Use pin 11 on Mega)
#define OE 9
#define LAT 10
#define A A0
#define B A1
#define C A2
#define D A3
// If your matrix has the DOUBLE HEADER input, use:
// #define CLK 8 // MUST be on PORTB! (Use pin 11 on Mega)
// #define LAT 9
// #define OE 10
// #define A A3
// #define B A2
// #define C A1
// #define D A0
RGBmatrixPanel matrix(A, B, C, D, CLK, LAT, OE, false);

void setup() {
  int x, y, hue;
  float dx, dy, d;
  uint8_t sat, val;
  uint16_t c;

  matrix.begin();

  for(y=0; y < matrix.height(); y++) {
    dy = 15.5 - (float)y;
    for(x=0; x < matrix.width(); x++) {
      dx = 15.5 - (float)x;
      d = dx * dx + dy * dy;
      if(d <= (16.5 * 16.5)) { // Inside the circle(ish)?
        hue = (int)((atan2(-dy, dx) + PI) * 1536.0 / (PI * 2.0));
        d = sqrt(d);
        if(d > 15.5) {
          // Do a little pseudo anti-aliasing along perimeter
          sat = 255;
          val = (int)((1.0 - (d - 15.5)) * 255.0 + 0.5);
        } else
        {
          // White at center
          sat = (int)(d / 15.5 * 255.0 + 0.5);
          val = 255;
        }
        c = matrix.ColorHSV(hue, sat, val, true);
      } else {
        c = 0;
      }
      matrix.drawPixel(x, y, c);
    }
  }

  void loop() {
    // do nothing
  }
}

```

Smample Code 2

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RGBmatrixPanel matrix(A, B, C, D, CLK, LAT, OE, false);

void setup() {

  matrix.begin();

  // whew!
}

void loop() {
  // fix the screen with red
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(7, 0, 0));
  delay(500);
  // fix the screen with green
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(0, 7, 0));
  delay(500);
  // fix the screen with blue
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(0, 0, 7));
  delay(500);
  // fix the screen with yellow
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(7, 7, 0));
  delay(500);
  // fix the screen with purple
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(7, 0, 7));
  delay(500);
  // fix the screen with cyan
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(0,7, 7));
  delay(500);
  // fix the screen with white
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(3, 3, 3));
  delay(500);

  // fill the screen with 'black'
  matrix.fillRect(matrix.Color333(0, 0, 0));
  // draw a pixel in solid white
  matrix.drawPixel(0, 0, matrix.Color333(7, 7, 7));
  delay(500);

  // fix the screen with green
  matrix.fillRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(0, 7, 0));
  delay(500);

  // draw a box in yellow
  matrix.drawRect(0, 0, 32, 32, matrix.Color333(7, 7, 0));
  delay(500);

  // draw an 'X' in red

```

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matrix.drawLine(0, 0, 31, 31, matrix.Color333(7, 0, 0));
matrix.drawLine(31, 0, 0, 31, matrix.Color333(7, 0, 0));
delay(500);

// draw a blue circle
matrix.drawCircle(10, 10, 10, matrix.Color333(0, 0, 7));
delay(500);

// fill a violet circle
matrix.fillCircle(21, 21, 10, matrix.Color333(7, 0, 7));
delay(500);

// fill the screen with 'black'
matrix.fillScreen(matrix.Color333(0, 0, 0));

// draw some text!
matrix.setCursor(1, 0); // start at top left, with one pixel of spacing
matrix.setTextSize(1); // size 1 == 8 pixels high
matrix.setTextWrap(false); // Don't wrap at end of line - will do ourselves

matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(0,7,0));
matrix.println("green");
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(0,7,7));
matrix.println("robot");

// print each letter with a rainbow color
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(7,0,0));
matrix.print('3');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(7,4,0));
matrix.print('2');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(7,7,0));
matrix.print('x');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(4,7,0));
matrix.print('3');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(0,7,0));
matrix.println('2');

matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(0,7,7));
matrix.print('*');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(0,4,7));
matrix.print('R');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(0,0,7));
matrix.print('G');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(4,0,7));
matrix.print('B');
matrix.setTextColor(matrix.Color333(7,0,4));
matrix.print('*');
delay(5000);
}

```


Expected Results

- Sample Code 1: A color filled circle
- Sample Code 2: The LED module will take turns display: a white point, full screen green, full screen yellow, a yellow rectangle, a yellow rectangle, a red X and a blue circle,

FAQ

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More

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