

How to rotate the display and touch

For [HDMI capacitive screen](#)

This method is only suitable for HDMI capacitive screen, not suitable for GPIO resistive screen.

➤ How to rotate display direction:

1. Add the statement in the "config.txt" file (the "config.txt" file is located in /boot):

```
display_rotate=1          #0: 0; 1: 90; 2: 180; 3: 270
```

2. Restart the **Raspberry Pi** after saving

```
sudo reboot
```

➤ How to rotate Touch direction:

After the display is rotated, the touch needs to be modified.

1. Install libinput

```
sudo apt-get install xserver-xorg-input-libinput
```

2. Create the xorg.conf.d directory in /etc/x11 / below (if the directory already exists, this will proceed directly to step 3)

```
sudo mkdir /etc/X11/xorg.conf.d
```

3. Copy the file "40-libinput.conf" to the directory you just created.

```
sudo cp /usr/share/X11/xorg.conf.d/40-libinput.conf /etc/X11/xorg.conf.d/
```

4. Edit "/etc/X11/xorg.conf.d/40-libinput.conf"

```
sudo nano /etc/X11/xorg.conf.d/40-libinput.conf
```

Find a part of the `touchscreen`, add the following statement inside, press **Ctrl+X** to exit, press **Y** to save.

```
Option "CalibrationMatrix" "0 1 0 -1 0 1 0 0 1"
```

```

pi@raspberrypi: ~
GNU nano 2.7.4 File: /etc/X11/xorg.conf.d/40-libinput.conf
Match on all types of devices but tablet devices and joysticks
Section "InputClass"
  Identifier "libinput pointer catchall"
  MatchIsPointer "on"
  MatchDevicePath "/dev/input/event*"
  Driver "libinput"
EndSection

Section "InputClass"
  Identifier "libinput keyboard catchall"
  MatchIsKeyboard "on"
  MatchDevicePath "/dev/input/event*"
  Driver "libinput"
EndSection

Section "InputClass"
  Identifier "libinput touchpad catchall"
  MatchIsTouchpad "on"
  MatchDevicePath "/dev/input/event*"
  Driver "libinput"
EndSection

Section "InputClass"
  Identifier "libinput touchscreen catchall"
  MatchIsTouchscreen "on"
  Option "CalibrationMatrix" "0 1 0 -1 0 1 0 0 1"
  MatchDevicePath "/dev/input/event*"
  Driver "libinput"
EndSection

Section "InputClass"
  Identifier "libinput tablet catchall"
  MatchIsTablet "on"
  MatchDevicePath "/dev/input/event*"
  Driver "libinput"
EndSection

^G Get Help  ^C Write Out  ^W Where Is  ^K Cut Text  ^J Justify   ^C Cur Pos
^X Exit      ^R Read File  ^\ Replace   ^U Uncut Text ^T To Spell  ^_ Go To Line

```

5. Restart your Raspberry Pi

sudo reboot

Complete the above steps for a 90 degree rotation.

Note:

0 degrees of rotation parameters: Option "CalibrationMatrix" "1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1"

90 degrees of rotation parameters: Option "CalibrationMatrix" "0 1 0 0 -1 1 0 0 1"

180 degrees of rotation parameters: Option "CalibrationMatrix" "1 0 0 -1 1 0 0 1"

270 degrees of rotation parameters: Option "CalibrationMatrix" "0 -1 1 1 0 0 0 0 1"