

# Utilities – Sort array and retrieve indexes

#### sort

Sort array elements

#### Syntax

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B = sort(A)
B = sort(A,dim)
B = sort(___,direction)
B = sort(___,Name,Value)
[B,I] = sort(___)
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#### Description

- B = sort(A) sorts the elements of A in ascending order.
- If A is a vector, then sort (A) sorts the vector elements.
- If A is a matrix, then sort (A) treats the columns of A as vectors and sorts each column.
- If A is a multidimensional array, then sort(A) operates along the first array dimension whose size does not equal 1, treating the elements as vectors.

B = sort(A,dim) returns the sorted elements of A along dimension dim. For example, if A is a matrix, then sort(A,2) sorts the elements of each row.

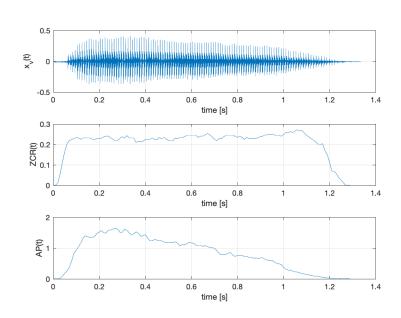
B = sort(\_\_\_,direction) returns sorted elements of A in the order specified by direction using any of the previous syntaxes. 'ascend' indicates ascending order (the default) and 'descend' indicates descending order.

B = sort(\_\_\_, Name, Value) specifies additional parameters for sorting. For example, sort(A, 'ComparisonMethod', 'abs') sorts the elements of A by magnitude.

[B,I] = sort(\_\_\_) also returns a collection of index vectors for any of the previous syntaxes. I is the same size as A and describes the arrangement of the elements of A into B along the sorted dimension. For example, if A is a vector, then B = A(I).

## Exercise 1 – Feature Extraction

- Load the file 'voiced.way'
- Define a Hamming window of length 40 ms
- Extract ZCR and AP from each window of the audio signal, using hop size of 10 ms
  - Extract a 40ms audio excerpt
  - Apply Hamming window
  - Compute ZCR
  - Compute AP
  - Save feature vector [ZCR, AP]
  - Repeat for all windows...
- Plot the following figures
  - > The audio waveform
  - > The ZCR in time
  - The AP in time



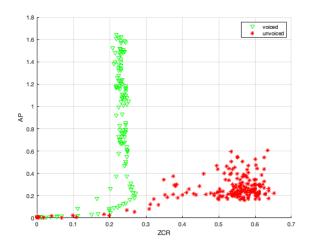
## Exercise 2 – KNN Classification

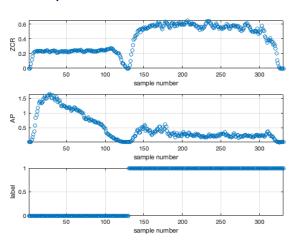
### Develop a voiced vs. unvoiced sound classification system

■ Load the three audio signals (voiced, unvoiced, and test one)

### Training:

- Using the same parameters of exercise 1, extract ZCR and AP features from voiced and unvoiced signals
- Using a different color for each class, plot training feature vectors in the feature space
- Plot in three separate subplots: all training ZCR, all training AP, the corresponding label (0=voiced, 1=unvoiced)

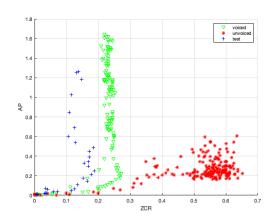


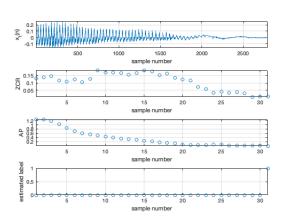


## Exercise 2 – KNN Classification

### Deploy / test the system:

- Using the same parameters of exercise 1, extract ZCR and AP features from the test signal
- Plot test feature vectors in the feature space together with training features
- Using KNN with K=3, classify each window of the test signal separately
- Plot the test waveform, the ZCR for each window, the AP for each window, and the estimated label for each window





Is the test sound a voiced or unvoiced one? Listen to it and check

# Exercise 2 – KNN Classification

Repeat with 'test\_long.wav'

