Acoustic Modem Project:

Audio Playback, recording and analysis

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1 Exercise 1: Audio playback/recording

Done.

2 Exercise 2: Time-frequency analysis of recorded signals

- 2. There's some noise besides the 400Hz frequency.
- 3. The DFT size determines the time interval of which a spectrum is calculated. (+ opgeschreven uitleg)
- 4. There are other frequencies present. These are harmonic frequencies, they are multiples of the original frequency.
- 5. In the spectrogram of the transmitted signal, there's a DC component. But in the recorded signal this DC component has faded.
- 6. Clipping amplifies some of the harmonic frequencies. This could be harmful for the acoustic modem for harmonic signals could interfere with the correct signal. (?)
 - 8. ?
- 9. Possible relevant information: The noise present in the environment is not white noise.
- 10. It doesn't change over time. This is relevant because we want a time-invariant system.
 - 11. There's more background noise and a weaker signal. (?)

3 Exercise 3: Time-frequency analysis of recorded signals

- 1. ?
- 4. The maximum data transfer rate for error-free transmission, in bits per second.