





ISPL Image and Sound Processing Lab

Modeling Techniques homework

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- Homeworks can be done in groups up to 3 people
- You must upload on the beep folder the exercise files and a report describing your choices.
- The deadline for uploading your solutions is 23:59 16/01/2021

FD implementation of piano string

- Implement the piano string FD model considering the hammer interaction
- The problem is analyzed on the slides:
 - 06_modeling_of_musical_instrument
 - Pages 23-35
- A detailed description is provided in the references (page 36)

• Complete the code template homework piano.m

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- Suggested parameters:
 - $f_1 = 65.4$ [Hz] C2 fundamental frequency
 - $b_1 = 0.5$
 - $b_2 = 6.25 \times 10^{-9}$
 - w = 0.2 width of the hammer spatial window g
 - $Vh_0 = 2.5$ [m/s] initial hammer velocity
 - $\kappa = \epsilon$ is the string stiffness coefficient
 - Other parameters can be found on the slides and articles or derived from the given ones.
- Hint:
 - Refer to Chaigne et. Al. for
 - The condition on maximum spatial step X
 - Hammer-string contact duration

FD implementation of piano string

- Complete the code template homework piano.m
 - Compute the simulation of a C2 piano string
 - The signal length is 8s
 - Approximate the sound by averaging the string displacement over a small portion of the string (12 spatial samples).
 - The center of the average portion will be specular with respect to the hammer striking position.
 - After the FD computation:
 - Plot the whole string diplacement at each time instant
 - Plot the estimated sound signal
 - Play the sound
 - Save the estimated sound signal in a file named:
 - yourIDnumber_surname_piano.wav

- All the files must be included in a .zip file named:
 - yourIDnumber_surname_homework_piano.wav
- The file must include:
 - A brief report which expains how the FD scheme is implemented and your implementation choices.
 - The source code.
 - The audio file.
- BONUS:
 - Include the solution of the exercise 6 from the modeling of musical instrument exercise session.