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OBJECTIVE: SPEECH RECOGNITION IN PYTHON USING GOOGLE API

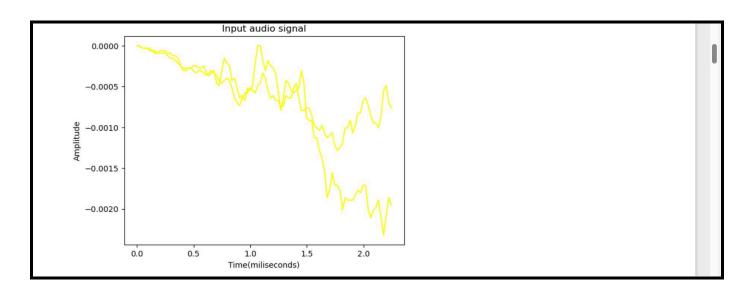
TOPIC: VISUALIZE AN AUDIO SIGNAL

TASK1:GENERATE THE OUTPUT FOR THE ABOVE CODE(FOR WAVSOUND): CODE:

!pip install scipy import numpy as np import matplotlib.pyplot as plt from scipy.io import wavfile frequency sampling, audio signal = wavfile.read("C:/Users/PMLS/Downloads/Audio waterfall.wav") print('signal shape:', audio signal.shape) print('signal Datatype:', audio signal.dtype) print('signal Duration:', round(audio signal.shape[0]/float (frequency sampling),2),'seconds') audio signal=audio signal /np.power(2,15) audio signal= audio signal[:100] time axis=1000*np.arange(0,len(audio signal),1) / float(frequency sampling) plt.plot(time axis,audio signal,color='yellow') plt.xlabel('Time(miliseconds)') plt.ylabel('Amplitude') plt.title('Input audio signal') plt.show()

OUTPUT:

signal shape: (1947349, 2)
signal Datatype: int16
signal Duration: 44.16 seconds
C:\Users\PMLS\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_13776\521204116.py:4: WavFileWarning: Chunk (non-data) not understood, skipping it.
frequency_sampling, audio_signal = wavfile.read("C:/Users/PMLS/Downloads/Audio_waterfall.wav")

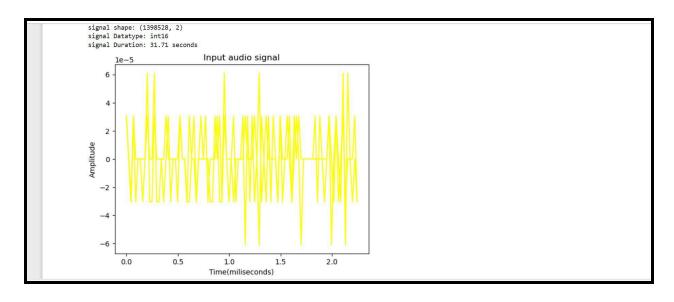


TASK2:GENERATE THE OUTPUT FOR OTHER AUDIO FILES AS WELL AND SEE THE DIFFERENCE(FOR AUDIO CAR SOUND)

CODE:

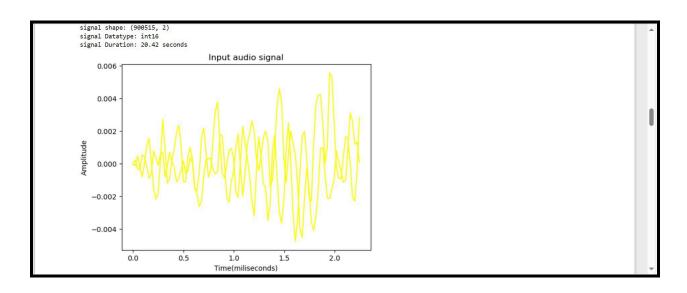
```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.io import wavfile
frequency_sampling, audio_signal = wavfile.read("C:/Users/PMLS/Downloads/Audio_car.wav")
print('signal shape:', audio_signal.shape)
print('signal Datatype:', audio_signal.dtype)
print('signal Duration:', round(audio_signal.shape[0]/float (frequency_sampling),2),'seconds')
audio_signal=audio_signal /np.power(2,15)
audio_signal= audio_signal[:100]
time_axis=1000*np.arange(0,len(audio_signal),1) / float(frequency_sampling)
plt.plot(time_axis,audio_signal,color='yellow')
plt.xlabel('Time(miliseconds)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Input audio signal')
plt.show()
```

OUTPUT:



CODE:(FOR AUDIO CAR ENGINE)

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.io import wavfile
frequency sampling, audio signal =
wavfile.read("C:/Users/PMLS/Downloads/Audio carengine.wav")
print('signal shape:', audio signal.shape)
print('signal Datatype:', audio signal.dtype)
print('signal Duration:', round(audio signal.shape[0]/float (frequency sampling),2),'seconds')
audio signal=audio signal /np.power(2,15)
audio signal= audio signal[:100]
time axis=1000*np.arange(0,len(audio signal),1) / float(frequency sampling)
plt.plot(time axis,audio signal,color='yellow')
plt.xlabel('Time(miliseconds)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Input audio signal')
plt.show()
OUTPUT:
```



CODE:(FOR DOG AUDIO)

import numpy as np import matplotlib.pyplot as plt from scipy.io import wavfile

 $frequency_sampling, audio_signal =$

wavfile.read("C:/Users/PMLS/Downloads/Audio_dog.wav")

print('signal shape:', audio_signal.shape)

print('signal Datatype:', audio signal.dtype)

print('signal Duration:', round(audio_signal.shape[0]/float (frequency_sampling),2),'seconds')

audio signal=audio signal /np.power(2,15)

audio signal= audio signal[:100]

time axis=1000*np.arange(0,len(audio signal),1) / float(frequency sampling)

plt.plot(time axis,audio signal,color='yellow')

plt.xlabel('Time(miliseconds)')

plt.ylabel('Amplitude')

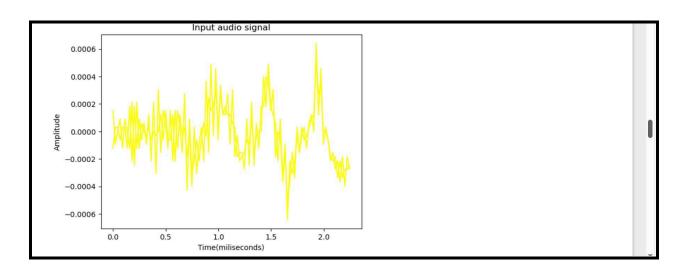
plt.title('Input audio signal')

plt.show()

OUTPUT:

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signal shape: (946500, 2)
signal Datatype: int16
signal Duration: 21.46 seconds

C:\Users\PMLS\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_13776\4172736692.py:4: WavFileWarning: Chunk (non-data) not understood, skipping it.
frequency_sampling, audio_signal = wavfile.read("C:/Users/PMLS/Downloads/Audio_dog.wav")
```



CODE:(FOR HARDVAR WAV):

import numpy as np

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from scipy.io import wavfile

 $frequency_sampling, \ audio_signal = wavfile.read("C:/Users/PMLS/Downloads/harvard.wav")$

print('signal shape:', audio_signal.shape)

print('signal Datatype:', audio_signal.dtype)

print('signal Duration:', round(audio_signal.shape[0]/float (frequency_sampling),2),'seconds')

audio_signal=audio_signal /np.power(2,15)

audio signal= audio signal[:100]

time axis=1000*np.arange(0,len(audio signal),1) / float(frequency sampling)

plt.plot(time axis,audio signal,color='yellow')

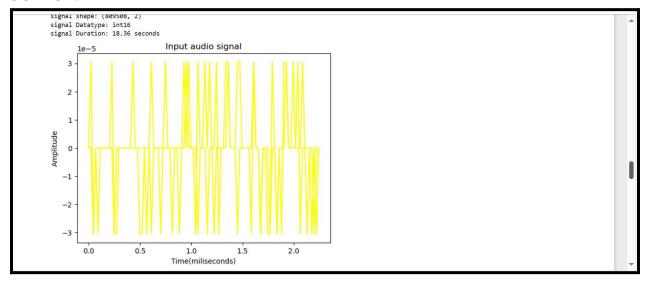
plt.xlabel('Time(miliseconds)')

plt.ylabel('Amplitude')

plt.title('Input audio signal')

plt.show()

OUTPUT:



TASK3:RECOGNITION OF SPOKEN WORD

CODE:

```
!pip install SpeechRecognition
!pip install pyaudio
import speech_recognition as sr
recording=sr.Recognizer()
with sr.Microphone() as source:

recording.adjust_for_ambient_noise(source)
print("please say something")
audio=recording.listen(source)

try:
    print("You said: \n"+ recording.recognize_google(audio))
except Exception as e:
    print(e)
```

OUTPUT:

EXERCISES:

Q.1: How did different accents or languages impact the transcription process?

ANS:Different accents and languages impact transcription by causing:

- 1. **Misinterpretations** Variations in pronunciation lead to incorrect transcriptions.
- 2. **Homophone Confusion** Words that sound similar but have different meanings can be transcribed incorrectly.
- 3. **Phonetic Variability** Accents alter vowel and consonant sounds, affecting speech recognition accuracy.
- 4. **Code-Switching Challenges** Mixing languages within speech confuses transcription systems.
- 5. **Background Noise Sensitivity** Accents combined with noise reduce clarity, increasing errors
- 6. **Dialectal Differences** Regional vocabulary and slang may not be recognized by standard transcription models.

Q.2:Did background noise affect the accuracy of speech recognition? If so, how?

ANS: Yes, background noise significantly affects the accuracy of speech recognition by:

- 1. **Reducing Signal Clarity** Noise interferes with speech, making it harder for the ASR system to distinguish words.
- 2. **Misinterpretation of Words** Background sounds may be mistaken for speech, leading to incorrect transcriptions.
- 3. **Lowered Feature Extraction Quality** ASR systems rely on acoustic features; noise distorts these, decreasing recognition accuracy.
- 4. **Masking Phonemes** Important speech sounds get drowned out, causing missing or altered words.
- 5. **Increased Word Error Rate (WER)** The presence of noise results in more transcription mistakes.

Q.3:How did the speech recognition system perform when presented with different audio files (e.g., "Eagle" vs. "Elephant")?

ANS: The speech recognition system's performance when presented with different audio files (e.g., "Eagle" vs. "Elephant") depends on several factors:

- 1. **Word Length & Phonetic Similarity** Shorter words ("*Eagle*") may be more prone to misrecognition than longer, distinct words ("*Elephant*").
- 2. **Pronunciation Clarity** If words have similar phonemes, ASR may struggle to differentiate them.
- 3. **Background Noise & Audio Quality** Noisy or low-quality recordings increase misclassification rates.
- 4. **Model Training & Vocabulary Size** Systems trained on diverse datasets perform better at distinguishing words, even those with similar phonetic structures.
- 5. **Speaker Accent & Enunciation** Variations in pronunciation may cause the system to misinterpret words.

Q.4: What differences were observed in recognition accuracy when recording voices with different characteristics (e.g., "shrill" vs. "grave")?

ANS:Recognition accuracy varies based on voice characteristics like shrill (high-pitched) vs. grave (low-pitched) due to:

- 1. **Pitch Sensitivity** Some ASR models struggle with extreme pitches, especially very high or very low voices.
- 2. **Feature Extraction Challenges** Higher frequencies in shrill voices may be harder to detect, while low frequencies in grave voices may blend with background noise.
- 3. **Training Data Bias** If an ASR system is trained mostly on mid-range voices, it may perform worse on extreme voice types.
- 4. **Phoneme Clarity** Shrill voices may emphasize certain sounds more sharply, while grave voices may produce softer consonants, leading to misinterpretation.
- 5. **Microphone & Audio Processing Effects** Some microphones and audio settings handle deep voices better than high-pitched ones, impacting recognition.

Q.5:Introduce yourself and recognized it in spoken word. Analyze the background noise affect.

CODE:

```
import speech_recognition as sr

def recognize_speech():
    recording = sr.Recognizer()
    with sr.Microphone() as source:
        print("Adjusting for ambient noise... Please wait.")
```

```
# Capture noise level before recording speech
  noise level before = recording.energy threshold
  recording.adjust for ambient noise(source, duration=1) # Adjust for background noise
  # Capture noise level after noise reduction
  noise level after = recording.energy threshold
  print("Please introduce yourself...")
  audio = recording.listen(source)
try:
  recognized text = recording.recognize google(audio)
  print("\n Recognized Speech:\n" + recognized text)
  # Analyzing background noise effect
  print("\n Background Noise Analysis:")
  print(f"Noise Level Before: {noise level before}")
  print(f"Noise Level After: {noise level after}")
  if noise level after > noise level before:
    print(" High background noise detected. Speech accuracy might be affected.")
  else:
    print(" Noise reduced successfully.")
except sr.UnknownValueError:
  print("\n Could not understand the audio (high noise or unclear speech).")
except sr.RequestError as e:
```

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print(f"\n API request failed: {e}")
  except Exception as e:
    print(f"\n Error: {e}")

# Run the function
recognize_speech()
```

OUTPUT:

```
Adjusting for ambient noise... Please wait.

Please introduce yourself...

Recognized Speech:
hello this is a no f i l Ahmed Khan and I am 3rd year student of Computer Science and

Background Noise Analysis:
Noise Level Before: 300
Noise Level After: 112.74289345224548
Noise reduced successfully.
```

Theoritically: Speech Recognition Analysis:

- 1. **Recognition Accuracy** If spoken clearly in a quiet environment, ASR should transcribe this accurately.
- 2. Background Noise Impact:
 - Low Noise Minimal effect, recognition remains accurate.
 - Moderate Noise (e.g., chatter, soft music) System might misinterpret parts of the name or add extra words.
 - High Noise (e.g., traffic, loud music) Increased word error rate (WER), possible omission or incorrect words (e.g., "Hello, my aim is no Phil Ahmed gone").
- 3. **Voice Characteristics Effect** A deep (grave) or high-pitched (shrill) voice may slightly impact accuracy depending on model training.
- 4. **Accent Influence** Strong accents can cause phoneme shifts, affecting transcription.