Vuvuzela project guidelines

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Abstract

This document outlines the Vuvuzela project guidelines

1 Main objective

Filters can be used for a variety of reasons (filter noise, detect quick changes in a system...). In this project, we'll look into filtering a musical instrument's sound to emphasize a commentator's speech. We'll try different ways to do that (different types of **bandstop** filters) and will evaluate their shortcomings.

2 Setup

- Project handout:
 - lab handout
 - vuvuzela sound file
- Groups of 2
- One experimental procedure per group member
- Report in the form of jupyter notebook
- First session supervised
- Second session UC1 supervised, UC2 unsupervised
- Last session UC1 unsupervised, UC2 supervised

3 Jupyter notebook

- Project due on December 18th 2020
- Report should be in English
- There should be an introduction and a conclusion.
 - 1. General introduction on filters and why they are important

- 2. Specific introduction on what will be done in the project
- 3. Conclusion. Were we able to do what we set ourselves out to do? Did we encounter any problems with the different filters and how were they fixed?
- Organize your folders properly (one folder for pictures, one folder for sounds etc)

4 Experimental and optional questions

For experimental procedures, we'll see how we set this up:

- 1. Describe and perform the procedure to measure the inductor's internal resistance R_{int} in the RLC filter (one group member should do this)
- 2. Describe and perform the procedure to find the damping ratio m in the RC-RC filter (the other group member should do this)
- 3. Assemble all filter blocks for the active Twin-T. Make sure you put a feedback filter between each of them to not lose in gain.

For the bonus question, just indicate if the signal looks stationary or non-stationary