# Sound(Module)

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- 1 This is a module which provides some of the functions for reading, writing, recording and playing a wave file.
- 1.0.1 import relevant modules and define variables.

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In [1]: import pyaudio
    import struct
    from numpy import clip

    opened=0;
    stream=[]
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1.0.2 The functions are as follows (description followed by the code):

### 1.0.3 sound(s, FS)

This function plays the samples vector 's' with the sampling rate of 'FS', where, 's' is the samples vector for a signal to be played through the output & 'fs' is the sampling rate at which the signal has to be played.

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In [2]: def sound(s, FS):
            """ This function plays out a vector s as a sound at sampling rate FS, like on Octar
            import sound; sound.sound(s,FS)"""
            CHUNK = 1024 #Blocksize
            WIDTH = 2 #2 bytes per sample
            CHANNELS = 1 #2
            RATE = FS #Sampling Rate in Hz
            p = pyaudio.PyAudio()
            stream = p.open(format=p.get_format_from_width(WIDTH),
                        channels=CHANNELS,
                        rate=RATE,
                        input=False,
                        output=True,
                        #input_device_index=0,
                        frames_per_buffer=CHUNK)
            for i in range(0, int(len(s) / CHUNK) ):
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#converting from short integers to a stream of bytes in data:
samples=s[i*CHUNK:((i+1)*CHUNK)];
samples=clip(samples,-2**15,2**15-1)
data=struct.pack('h' * CHUNK, *samples);
#print data[1]
#Writing data back to audio output stream:
stream.write(data, CHUNK)
stream.write(data, CHUNK)
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### 1.0.4 wavread(sndfile)

This function reads the file and returns back two values i.e., the vector of samples and the sampling rate, where 'sndfile' is the file name or file path which has to read. E.g., wavread('Track01.wav') will return the series of samples and sampling rate.

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In [3]: def wavread(sndfile):
            This function implements the wavread function of Octave or Matlab to read a wav sour
            rate info at its return, with:
            import sound
            [s, rate] = sound.wavread('sound.wav') or
            s, rate = sound.wavread('sound.wav')
            import wave
            wf=wave.open(sndfile, 'rb')
            nchan=wf.getnchannels()
            bytes=wf.getsampwidth()
            rate=wf.getframerate()
            length=wf.getnframes()
            print("Number of channels: ", nchan)
            print("Number of bytes per sample:", bytes)
            print("Sampling rate: ", rate)
            print("Number of samples:", length)
            data=wf.readframes(length)
            if bytes==2:
                shorts = (struct.unpack( 'h' * length, data ))
            else:
                shorts = (struct.unpack( 'B' * length, data ))
            wf.close
            return shorts, rate
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# 1.0.5 wavwrite(snd, Fs, sndfile)

This function writes the samples vector 'snd' with sampling rate 'Fs' to the file provided in snd-file(string value of filename or filepath). ##### 'snd' is the samples vector ##### 'Fs' is the sampling rate ##### 'sndfile' is the desired filename or filepath E.g., wavwrite(snd, Fs, 'Track22.wav')

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In [4]: def wavwrite(snd,Fs,sndfile):
            This function implements the wawwritefunction of Octave or Matlab to write a wav so
            sampling rate Fs, with:
            import sound
            sound.wavwrite(snd,Fs,'sound.wav')
            import wave
            import pylab
            WIDTH = 2 #2 bytes per sample
            \#FORMAT = pyaudio.paInt16
            CHANNELS = 1
            \#RATE = 22050
            RATE = Fs #32000
            length=pylab.size(snd);
            wf = wave.open(sndfile, 'wb')
            wf.setnchannels(CHANNELS)
            wf.setsampwidth(WIDTH)
            wf.setframerate(RATE)
            data=struct.pack( 'h' * length, *snd )
            wf.writeframes(data)
            wf.close()
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# 1.0.6 record(time, Fs)

This function records in the audio from the selected input for a given period with desired sampling rate. ##### 'time' is desired time of recording in seconds. ###### 'Fs' is the sampling rate for recording. E.g., record(10, 32000)

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In [5]: def record(time, Fs):
    """

    Records sound from a microphone to a vector s, for instance for 5 seconds and with s
    import sound
    s=sound.record(5,32000)
    """

import numpy;
    global opened;
    global stream;
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CHUNK = 1000 #Blocksize

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WIDTH = 2 #2 bytes per sample
CHANNELS = 1 #2
RATE = Fs #Sampling Rate in Hz
RECORD_SECONDS = time;
p = pyaudio.PyAudio()
a = p.get_device_count()
print("device count=",a)
#if (opened == 0):
if(1):
    for i in range(0, a):
        print("i = ",i)
        b = p.get_device_info_by_index(i)['maxInputChannels']
        print("max Input Channels=", b)
        b = p.get_device_info_by_index(i)['defaultSampleRate']
        print("default Sample Rate=", b)
    stream = p.open(format=p.get_format_from_width(WIDTH),
            channels=CHANNELS,
            rate=RATE,
            input=True,
            output=False,
            #input_device_index=3,
            frames_per_buffer=CHUNK)
    opened=1;
print("* recording")
snd=[];
#Loop for the blocks:
for i in range(0, int(RATE / CHUNK * RECORD_SECONDS)):
    #Reading from audio input stream into data with block length "CHUNK":
    data = stream.read(CHUNK)
    #Convert from stream of bytes to a list of short integers (2 bytes here) in "san
    #shorts = (struct.unpack( "128h", data ))
    shorts = (struct.unpack( 'h' * CHUNK, data ))
    #samples=list(shorts)
    samples=shorts
    snd=numpy.append(snd,samples)
return snd
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