Dual Tone Multi-Frequency (DTMF) Signaling

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1. Encoding Program

DTMFwrite.py

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#Program to encode a sequence of single digits into a DTMF sound (written to a .wav
file)

import numpy as np
import wave #Necessary for writing the .wav file
import struct #Necessary for writing the .wav file

fileName = "media/TestSignals/TenDigits.wav" #Output file name (must include .wav)

numberList = [0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9] #List of digits (0-9) to be encoded into sound

sampleRate = 44100
soundLevel = 4096
soundLength = 400
pauseLength = 200

def createPureToneData(freq):
    return np.array([soundLevel/2 * np.sin(2.0 * np.pi * freq * x / sampleRate) for x
in range(0, sampleRate)]).astype(np.int16)

array697 = createPureToneData(697)
array770 = createPureToneData(770)
array852 = createPureToneData(852)
array941 = createPureToneData(941)
array1209 = createPureToneData(1209)
array1336 = createPureToneData(1336)
array1477 = createPureToneData(1477)

toneList =
[sum([array941,array1336]).tolist(),sum([array697,array1209]).tolist(),sum([array697,array1336]).toli

soundData = []
for i in range(len(numberList)):
    soundData += toneList[numberList[i]][:int(sampleRate*soundLength/1000)]
    soundData += [0] * int(sampleRate*pauseLength/1000)

#Start to write the .wav file
wav_file = wave.open(fileName, "w")

#Parameters for the .wav file
nchannels = 1
sampwidth = 2
framerate = int(sampleRate)
nframes =
(int(sampleRate*soundLength/1000)+int(sampleRate*pauseLength/1000))*len(numberList)
comptype = "NONE"
compname = "not compressed"
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wav_file.setparams((nchannels, sampwidth, framerate, nframes,
    comptype, compname))

#Write the data to the file
for s in soundData:
    wav_file.writeframes(struct.pack('h', int(s)))

wav_file.close() #Finish writing the .wav file

print("Writing " + fileName + " complete!")
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Output:

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Writing media/TestSignals/TenDigits.wav complete!
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2. Decoding Program

DTMFread.py

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#Program to read in and decode DTMF sound data from a .wav file

from numpy import *
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt #Necessary if you want to plot the waveform (commented
out lines at the end)
import wave #Necessary for reading the .wav file
import struct #Necessary for reading the .wav file

#These first few blocks read in the .wav file to an ordinary integer data list
fileName = "media/TestSignals/TenDigits.wav"
plotName = "media/TenDigitsPlot.svg"

wavefile = wave.open(fileName, 'r')

length = wavefile.getnframes()
framerate = wavefile.getframerate()
save_data = []
for i in range(0, length):
    wavedata = wavefile.readframes(1)
    data = struct.unpack("<h", wavedata)
    save_data.append(int(data[0]))
#At this point the sound data is saved in the save_data variable

low_frequencies = [697, 770, 852, 941]
high_frequencies = [1209, 1336, 1477]
decode_matrix = [[1,2,3],[4,5,6],[7,8,9],[-1,0,-1]]

def slice_data():
    i = 0
    data_list = []
    streak_length = 2
    while i < length:
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        if not any(save_data[i:i+streak_length]):
            i += 1
        else:
            j = 0
            current_signal = []
            while any(save_data[i+j:i+j+streak_length]):
                current_signal.append(save_data[i+j])
                j += 1
            data_list.append(current_signal)
            i += j + 1
    return data_list

def calculate_coefficient(dataSample, freq):
    a = 0
    b = 0
    N = len(dataSample)
    for i in range(N):
        y = dataSample[i]
        t = i / framerate
        a += y * cos(2 * pi * freq * t)
        b += y * sin(2 * pi * freq * t)
    return 2/N * sqrt(a**2 + b**2)

def decode_freqs(low_freq, high_freq):
    return decode_matrix[low_frequencies.index(low_freq)]
[high_frequencies.index(high_freq)]

sliced_data = slice_data()

for signal in sliced_data:
    low_coeffs = [calculate_coefficient(signal, freq) for freq in low_frequencies]
    high_coeffs = [calculate_coefficient(signal, freq) for freq in high_frequencies]
    low_freq = low_frequencies[argmax(low_coeffs)]
    high_freq = high_frequencies[argmax(high_coeffs)]

    print(decode_freqs(low_freq, high_freq), end="")

print()

fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.set(ylabel="$y$", xlabel="$t$ (s)")

time = arange(length) / framerate
ax.plot(time, save_data)

fig.savefig(plotName)
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Output:

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0123456789
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3. Extension