

Coding Assignment

Task: implement a symbolic music tokenizer that converts MusicXML files into sequences of discrete tokens suitable for machine learning models.

Practical information:

- Assignment is **individual** (no groups involved)
- **Deadline:** February 27th, 23:59 (Hard deadline!)
- Submission through **Aula Global**
- **Format:** .ipynb notebook that should run on Google Colab

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Minimum requirements:

- Score-to-token (tokenizer) script
- No need for token-to-score (de-tokenizer) script (but suggested for testing)
- Tokenizer should:
 - Take as input a MusicXML file
 - Return a list of strings, each of which representing a token
 - Support **any number of parts/instruments**
 - Support **key and time signature changes**
 - Perform tokenization **partwise** (i.e. every parts contains all bars)

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Tokenizer should handle:

- Beginning/end of sequence tokens: <BOS>, <EOS>
- Parts/Instrumentation: PART_<instrument>
- Clef: CLEF_<type>_<line>
- Pitch: PITCH_<note><octave>
- Position onset (relative to bar): POS_BAR_<onset>
- Position onset (absolute): POS_ABS_<onset>
- Duration: DUR_<quarterLength>
- Rests: REST_<type>
- Bar boundaries: BAR_<measure_number>
- Time signature: TIME_SIG_<num>/<denom>
- Key signature: KEY_<tonic>_<mode>

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Expected output:

```
[  
    "<BOS>",  
    # violin part  
    "PART_Violin",  
    "TIME_SIG_4/4",  
    "KEY_C_major",  
    "CLEF_G_2",  
    # bars of the violin part  
    "BAR_1",  
    "POS_BAR_0.0", "POS_ABS_0.0", "PITCH_C5", "DUR_1.0",  
    "POS_BAR_1.0", "POS_ABS_1.0", "PITCH_D5", "DUR_1.0",  
    # ...  
]
```