

# CSCI128 Lab 8

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1. Write a function *increaseVolumeNamed* that takes a file name as input then play the louder sound.

```
def increaseVolumeNamed(filename):
    sound = makeSound(filename)
    for sample in getSamples(sound):
        value = getSampleValue(sample)
        setSampleValue(sample, value * 3)

    play(sound) # 3x louder = +9db
```

2. Write a function that takes two inputs: A sound to increase in volume, and a multiplier. Use the multiplier as how much to increase the amplitude of the sound samples. Can we use this same function to both increase and decrease the volume?

```
def increaseVolumeByFactor(filename, factor):
    sound = makeSound(filename)
    for sample in getSamples(sound):
        value = getSampleValue(sample)
        setSampleValue(sample, value * factor)
    play(sound)
```

The function can be used to increase/decrease the volume, but not by simply multiplying by a negative integer. Multiplying by a negative inverts the phase of the waveform but increases the amplitude by the same factor. Using a percentage of 1 will decrease the volume, ex. 0.9 or 0.25.

3. Rewrite the following so that you normalize the first second of a sound, then slowly decrease the sound in steps of 1/5 for each following second. (How many samples are in a second? `getSamplingRate` is the number of samples per second for the given sound.)

Original:

```
def increaseAndDecrease(sound):
    for sampleIndex in range(1, getLength(sound)/2):
        value = getSampleValueAt(sound, sampleIndex)
        setSampleValueAt(sound, sampleIndex, value * 2)
    for sampleIndex in range(getLength(sound)/2, getLength(sound)+1):
        value = getSampleValueAt(sound, sampleIndex)
        setSampleValueAt(sound, sampleIndex, value * 0.2)
```

Rewritten:

```
def normalizeAndDrop(filename):
    # Normalizing First Second
    sound = makeSound(filename)
    samplesPerSecond = getSamplingRate(sound)
    sps = samplesPerSecond
    loudest = getSampleValueAt(sound,0)
    for sampleIndex in range(1,sps):
        if loudest < getSampleValueAt(sound,sampleIndex):
            loudest = getSampleValueAt(sound,sampleIndex)
        normfactor = 32767.0/loudest
        normlevel = normfactor * getSampleValueAt(sound,sampleIndex)
        setSampleValueAt(sound,sampleIndex,normlevel)
    # Dealing with the rest of the audio clip
    factor = 0.8
    for sampleIndex in range(sps,getLength(sound)):
        if sampleIndex % sps == 0:
            factor = factor
            value = getSampleValueAt(sound,sampleIndex)
            setSampleValue(sampleIndex,value*factor)
        else:
            factor = factor - 0.2
            value = getSampleValueAt(sound,sampleIndex)
            setSampleValue(sampleIndex,value*factor)

    play(sound)
```