

FMA: A Dataset For Music Analysis

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Usage

1. Go through the [paper](https://arxiv.org/abs/1612.01840) (<https://arxiv.org/abs/1612.01840>) to understand what the data is about.
2. Download some datasets from <https://github.com/mdeff/fma> (<https://github.com/mdeff/fma>).
3. Uncompress the archives, e.g. with `unzip fma_small.zip`.
4. Load and play with the data in this notebook.

In [1]:

```
%matplotlib inline

import os

import IPython.display as ipd
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import sklearn as skl
import sklearn.utils, sklearn.preprocessing, sklearn.decomposition, sklearn.svm
import librosa
import librosa.display

import utils

plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (17, 5)
```

In [2]:

```
# Directory where mp3 are stored.
AUDIO_DIR = os.environ.get('AUDIO_DIR')

# Load metadata and features.
tracks = utils.load('tracks.csv')
genres = utils.load('genres.csv')
features = utils.load('features.csv')
echonest = utils.load('echonest.csv')

np.testing.assert_array_equal(features.index, tracks.index)
assert echonest.index.isin(tracks.index).all()

tracks.shape, genres.shape, features.shape, echonest.shape
```

Out[2]:

```
((106574, 52), (163, 4), (106574, 518), (13129, 249))
```

1 Metadata

The metadata table, a CSV file in the `fma_metadata.zip` archive, is composed of many columns:

1. The index is the ID of the song, taken from the website, used as the name of the audio file.
2. Per-track, per-album and per-artist metadata from the Free Music Archive website.
3. Two columns to indicate the subset (small, medium, large) and the split (training, validation, test).

In [3]:

```
ipd.display(tracks['track'].head())
ipd.display(tracks['album'].head())
ipd.display(tracks['artist'].head())
ipd.display(tracks['set'].head())
```

	bit_rate	comments	composer	date_created	date_recorded	duration	favorites	genre_top	genres	genres_all
track_id										
2	256000	0	NaN	2008-11-26 01:48:12	2008-11-26	168	2	Hip-Hop	[21]	[21]
3	256000	0	NaN	2008-11-26 01:48:14	2008-11-26	237	1	Hip-Hop	[21]	[21]
5	256000	0	NaN	2008-11-26 01:48:20	2008-11-26	206	6	Hip-Hop	[21]	[21]
10	192000	0	Kurt Vile	2008-11-25 17:49:06	2008-11-26	161	178	Pop	[10]	[10]
20	256000	0	NaN	2008-11-26 01:48:56	2008-01-01	311	0	NaN	[76, 103]	[17, 10, 76, 103]

	comments	date_created	date_released	engineer	favorites	id	information	listens	producer	tags	title
track_id											
2	0	2008-11-26 01:44:45	2009-01-05	NaN	4	1	<p></p>	6073	NaN	[]	AWOL - A Way Of Life
3	0	2008-11-26 01:44:45	2009-01-05	NaN	4	1	<p></p>	6073	NaN	[]	AWOL - A Way Of Life
5	0	2008-11-26 01:44:45	2009-01-05	NaN	4	1	<p></p>	6073	NaN	[]	AWOL - A Way Of Life
10	0	2008-11-26 01:45:08	2008-02-06	NaN	4	6	NaN	47632	NaN	[]	Constant Hitmaker
20	0	2008-11-26 01:45:05	2009-01-06	NaN	2	4	<p> "spiritual songs" from Nicky Cook</p>	2710	NaN	[]	Niris

	active_year_begin	active_year_end	associated_labels	bio	comments	date_created	fav
track_id							
2	2006-01-01	NaT	NaN	<p>A Way Of Life, A Collective of Hip-Hop from...	0	2008-11-26 01:42:32	
3	2006-01-01	NaT	NaN	<p>A Way Of Life, A Collective of Hip-Hop from...	0	2008-11-26 01:42:32	
5	2006-01-01	NaT	NaN	<p>A Way Of Life, A Collective of Hip-Hop from...	0	2008-11-26 01:42:32	
10	NaT	NaT	Mexican Summer, Richie Records, Woodsist, Skul...	<p><span style="font-family:Verdana, Geneva, A...	3	2008-11-26 01:42:55	

	active_year_begin	active_year_end	associated_labels	bio	comments	date_created	fav
track_id							
20	1990-01-01	2011-01-01	NaN	<p>Songs written by: Nicky Cook</p>\n<p>VOCALS...	2	2008-11-26 01:42:52	

	split	subset
track_id		
2	training	small
3	training	medium
5	training	small
10	training	small
20	training	large

2 Genres

The genre hierarchy is stored in `genres.csv` and distributed in `fma_metadata.zip`.

In [4]:

```
print('{} top-level genres'.format(len(genres['top_level'].unique())))
genres.loc[genres['top_level'].unique()].sort_values('#tracks', ascending=False)
```

16 top-level genres

Out[4]:

	#tracks	parent	title	top_level
genre_id				
38	38154	0	Experimental	38
15	34413	0	Electronic	15
12	32923	0	Rock	12
1235	14938	0	Instrumental	1235
10	13845	0	Pop	10
17	12706	0	Folk	17
21	8389	0	Hip-Hop	21
2	5271	0	International	2
4	4126	0	Jazz	4
5	4106	0	Classical	5
9	1987	0	Country	9
20	1876	0	Spoken	20
3	1752	0	Blues	3
14	1499	0	Soul-RnB	14
8	868	0	Old-Time / Historic	8
13	730	0	Easy Listening	13

In [5]:

```
genres.sort_values('#tracks').head(10)
```

Out[5]:

	#tracks	parent	title	top_level
genre_id				
175	0	86	Bollywood	2
178	0	4	Be-Bop	4
377	1	19	Deep Funk	14
173	4	86	N. Indian Traditional	2
493	4	651	Western Swing	9
374	9	20	Banter	20
808	12	46	Salsa	2
174	17	86	South Indian Traditional	2
465	18	20	Musical Theater	20
176	23	2	Pacific	2

3 Features

1. Features extracted from the audio for all tracks.
2. For some tracks, data collected from the [Echonest \(http://the.echonest.com/\)](http://the.echonest.com/) API.

In [6]:

```
print('{1} features for {0} tracks'.format(*features.shape))
columns = ['mfcc', 'chroma_cens', 'tonnetz', 'spectral_contrast']
columns.append(['spectral_centroid', 'spectral_bandwidth', 'spectral_rolloff'])
columns.append(['rmse', 'zcr'])
for column in columns:
    ipd.display(features[column].head().style.format('{:.2f}'))
```

518 features for 106574 tracks

statistics																		
number	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
track_id																		
2	3.86	1.54	0.00	0.33	0.12	-0.34	-0.26	0.15	0.41	-0.16	-0.03	0.43	-0.23	-0.30	-0.19	-0.05	-0.15	-0.
3	4.30	1.40	0.11	-0.21	0.03	-0.02	0.15	0.05	0.03	-0.06	0.51	0.37	0.21	0.10	0.48	0.27	0.11	0.
5	2.62	2.42	0.44	-0.78	-0.77	-0.72	0.09	0.15	0.26	-0.61	0.10	-0.25	0.16	0.64	0.19	0.29	-0.07	0.
10	5.08	1.16	2.10	1.37	-0.20	-0.35	-0.53	0.56	0.28	-0.15	-0.05	-0.19	0.02	0.11	0.18	-0.12	-0.03	-0.
20	11.88	4.09	0.00	1.52	0.18	0.34	0.37	0.07	-0.02	0.03	0.25	0.13	0.08	0.04	-0.05	0.06	0.32	0.

statistics											kurtosis								
number	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	01	02	03	04	05	06	
track_id																			
2	7.18	5.23	0.25	1.35	1.48	0.53	1.48	2.69	0.87	1.34	1.35	1.24	0.69	0.57	0.60	0.63	0.57	0.44	
3	1.89	0.76	0.35	2.30	1.65	0.07	1.37	1.05	0.11	0.62	1.04	1.29	0.68	0.58	0.58	0.58	0.45	0.46	
5	0.53	-0.08	-0.28	0.69	1.94	0.88	-0.92	-0.93	0.67	1.04	0.27	1.13	0.61	0.65	0.49	0.45	0.47	0.45	
10	3.70	-0.29	2.20	-0.23	1.37	1.00	1.77	1.60	0.52	1.98	4.33	1.30	0.46	0.54	0.45	0.65	0.59	0.51	
20	-0.19	-0.20	0.20	0.26	0.78	0.08	-0.29	-0.82	0.04	-0.80	-0.99	-0.43	0.65	0.68	0.67	0.60	0.65	0.70	

statistics						kurtosis						max				mean			
number	01	02	03	04	05	06	01	02	03	04	05	06	01	02	03	04	05	06	
track_id																			
2	2.30	0.98	1.03	1.67	0.83	8.46	0.10	0.16	0.21	0.32	0.06	0.07	-0.00	0.02	0.01	0.07	0.01	0.02	-
3	2.00	1.38	0.87	2.02	0.43	0.48	0.18	0.11	0.27	0.21	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.01	0.05	-0.03	0.02	-0.00	-
5	10.77	0.92	-0.19	0.53	0.15	7.70	0.25	0.09	0.19	0.18	0.07	0.08	-0.01	-0.02	-0.03	0.02	0.00	-0.00	-
10	0.50	2.95	0.09	3.00	4.28	0.35	0.06	0.10	0.32	0.19	0.12	0.06	-0.02	-0.02	-0.00	-0.07	0.01	0.01	-
20	1.11	4.17	0.25	0.16	0.52	0.46	0.17	0.19	0.35	0.29	0.10	0.07	0.01	0.01	-0.02	-0.08	0.01	-0.01	-

statistics		kurtosis								max							
number	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	01	02	03
track_id																	
2	2.27	0.45	0.76	0.08	0.01	7.25	3.26	50.83	41.39	39.33	31.51	33.35	47.27	54.69	18.01	15.36	17.11
3	3.21	0.24	-0.01	-0.28	0.25	1.28	3.73	59.70	40.60	42.14	31.47	38.78	37.24	58.20	15.73	15.05	17.31
5	1.48	0.36	0.46	0.08	-0.11	0.77	0.93	50.93	38.54	39.02	33.71	32.75	38.79	51.90	17.10	15.97	18.61
10	2.24	0.74	1.61	0.46	-0.14	1.70	-0.40	58.62	37.43	45.41	28.71	33.74	46.30	52.13	19.18	14.28	15.51
20	2.26	0.32	0.63	0.10	0.37	0.70	11.45	46.74	42.15	39.38	33.53	36.35	28.78	48.10	16.04	16.16	17.71

feature				spectral_centroid								spectral_b			
statistics	kurtosis	max	mean	median	min	skew	std	kurtosis	max	mean	median	min	skew	std	kurtosis

feature	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01
statistics	kurtosis	max	mean	median	min	skew	std	kurtosis	max	mean	median	min	skew	std
number	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01
track_id														
2	2.41	5514.05	1639.58	1503.50	0.00	1.08	719.77	3.87	3451.11	1607.47	1618.85	0.00	-0.8	0.00
3	3.52	6288.43	1763.01	1517.99	0.00	1.65	972.76	2.38	3469.18	1736.96	1686.77	0.00	0.4	0.00
5	1.32	5648.61	1292.96	1186.51	0.00	0.94	665.32	0.90	3492.74	1512.92	1591.52	0.00	-0.6	0.00
10	9.73	5739.39	1360.03	1180.97	0.00	2.52	668.70	0.44	3962.70	1420.26	1301.81	0.00	0.8	0.00
20	2.18	5540.21	1732.97	1640.78	123.61	0.96	481.93	1.69	3556.88	2489.02	2467.10	677.70	-0.1	0.00

feature	rmse							zcr						
statistics	kurtosis	max	mean	median	min	skew	std	kurtosis	max	mean	median	min	skew	std
number	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01	01
track_id														
2	2.50	14.75	3.19	2.65	0.00	1.57	2.54	5.76	0.46	0.09	0.07	0.00	2.09	0.06
3	-0.64	9.10	3.61	3.71	0.00	0.02	1.95	2.82	0.47	0.08	0.06	0.00	1.72	0.07
5	0.00	11.03	3.25	2.41	0.00	1.03	2.59	6.81	0.38	0.05	0.04	0.00	2.19	0.04
10	1.77	12.32	3.89	3.76	0.00	0.83	2.00	21.43	0.45	0.08	0.07	0.00	3.54	0.04
20	1.24	16.18	4.60	4.37	0.00	0.80	2.18	16.67	0.47	0.05	0.04	0.00	3.19	0.03

3.1 Echonest features

In [7]:

```
print('{1} features for {0} tracks'.format(*echonest.shape))
ipd.display(echonest['echonest', 'metadata'].head())
ipd.display(echonest['echonest', 'audio_features'].head())
ipd.display(echonest['echonest', 'social_features'].head())
ipd.display(echonest['echonest', 'ranks'].head())
```

249 features for 13129 tracks

	album_date	album_name	artist_latitude	artist_location	artist_longitude	artist_name	release
track_id							
2	NaN	NaN	32.6783	Georgia, US	-83.2230	AWOL	AWOL - A Way Of Life
3	NaN	NaN	32.6783	Georgia, US	-83.2230	AWOL	AWOL - A Way Of Life
5	NaN	NaN	32.6783	Georgia, US	-83.2230	AWOL	AWOL - A Way Of Life
10	2008-03-11	Constant Hitmaker	39.9523	Philadelphia, PA, US	-75.1624	Kurt Vile	Constant Hitmaker
134	NaN	NaN	32.6783	Georgia, US	-83.2230	AWOL	AWOL - A Way Of Life

	acousticness	danceability	energy	instrumentalness	liveness	speechiness	tempo	valence
track_id								
2	0.416675	0.675894	0.634476	0.010628	0.177647	0.159310	165.922	0.576661
3	0.374408	0.528643	0.817461	0.001851	0.105880	0.461818	126.957	0.269240
5	0.043567	0.745566	0.701470	0.000697	0.373143	0.124595	100.260	0.621661
10	0.951670	0.658179	0.924525	0.965427	0.115474	0.032985	111.562	0.963590
134	0.452217	0.513238	0.560410	0.019443	0.096567	0.525519	114.290	0.894072

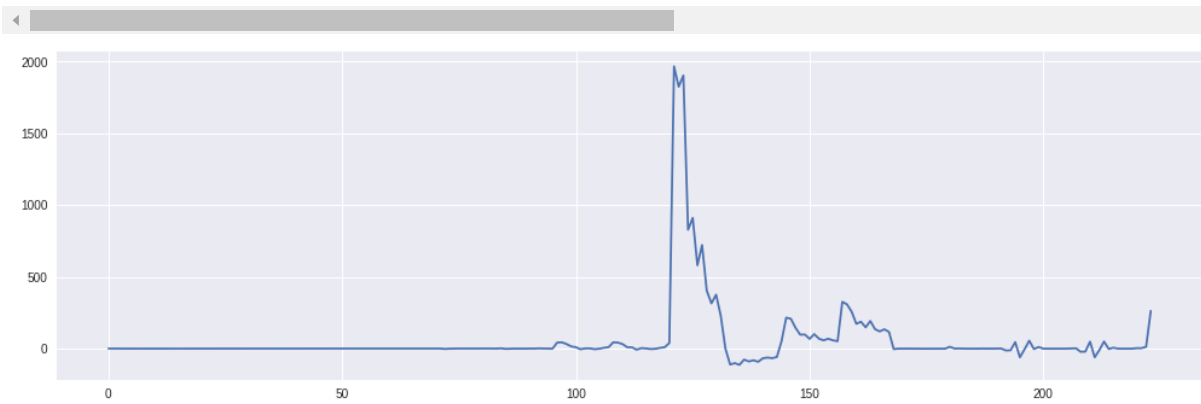
	artist_discovery	artist_familiarity	artist_hottnesss	song_currency	song_hottnesss
track_id					
2	0.388990	0.386740	0.406370	0.000000	0.000000
3	0.388990	0.386740	0.406370	0.000000	0.000000
5	0.388990	0.386740	0.406370	0.000000	0.000000
10	0.557339	0.614272	0.798387	0.005158	0.354516
134	0.388990	0.386740	0.406370	0.000000	0.000000

	artist_discovery_rank	artist_familiarity_rank	artist_hottnesss_rank	song_currency_rank	song_hottnesss_rank
track_id					
2	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
3	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
5	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
10	2635.0	2544.0	397.0	115691.0	67609.0
134	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN

```
In [8]: ipd.display(echonest['echonest', 'temporal_features'].head())
x = echonest.loc[2, ('echonest', 'temporal_features')]
plt.plot(x);
```

	000	001	002	003	004	005	006	007	008	009	...	:
track_id												
2	0.877233	0.588911	0.354243	0.295090	0.298413	0.309430	0.304496	0.334579	0.249495	0.259656	...	-1.992
3	0.534429	0.537414	0.443299	0.390879	0.344573	0.366448	0.419455	0.747766	0.460901	0.392379	...	-1.582
5	0.548093	0.720192	0.389257	0.344934	0.361300	0.402543	0.434044	0.388137	0.512487	0.525755	...	-2.288
10	0.311404	0.711402	0.321914	0.500601	0.250963	0.321316	0.734250	0.325188	0.373012	0.235840	...	-3.662
134	0.610849	0.569169	0.428494	0.345796	0.376920	0.460590	0.401371	0.449900	0.428946	0.446736	...	-1.452

5 rows × 224 columns



3.2 Features like MFCCs are discriminant

In [9]:

```
small = tracks['set', 'subset'] <= 'small'
genre1 = tracks['track', 'genre_top'] == 'Instrumental'
genre2 = tracks['track', 'genre_top'] == 'Hip-Hop'

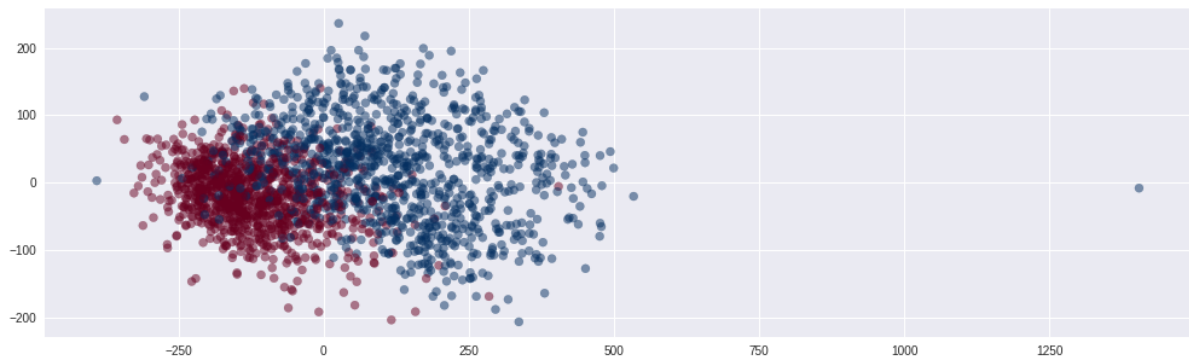
X = features.loc[small & (genre1 | genre2), 'mfcc']
X = skl.decomposition.PCA(n_components=2).fit_transform(X)

y = tracks.loc[small & (genre1 | genre2), ('track', 'genre_top')]
y = skl.preprocessing.LabelEncoder().fit_transform(y)

plt.scatter(X[:,0], X[:,1], c=y, cmap='RdBu', alpha=0.5)
X.shape, y.shape
```

Out[9]:

```
((2000, 2), (2000,))
```



4 Audio

You can load the waveform and listen to audio in the notebook itself.

In [10]:

```
filename = utils.get_audio_path(AUDIO_DIR, 2)
print('File: {}'.format(filename))

x, sr = librosa.load(filename, sr=None, mono=True)
print('Duration: {:.2f}s, {} samples'.format(x.shape[-1] / sr, x.size))

start, end = 7, 17
ipd.Audio(data=x[start*sr:end*sr], rate=sr)
```

```
File: /media/share/fma/fma_full/000/000002.mp3
Duration: 167.86s, 7402752 samples
```

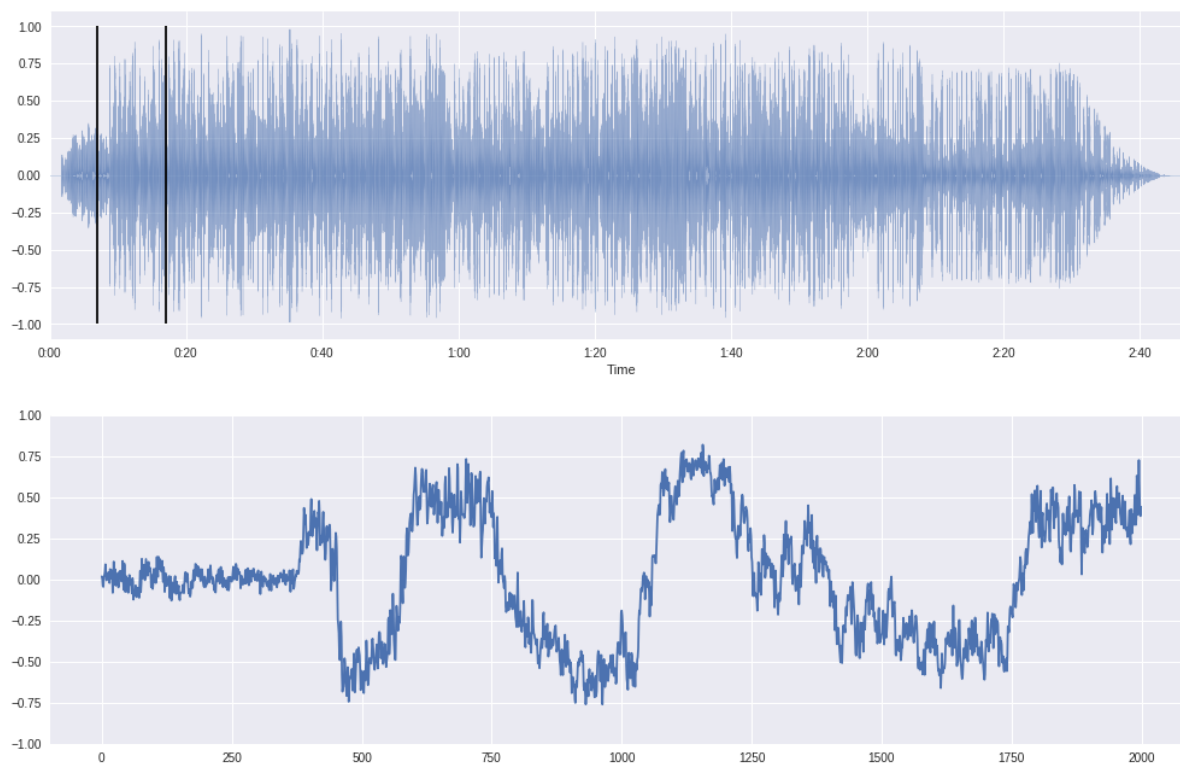
Out[10]:

```
0:00 / 0:10
```

And use [librosa](https://github.com/librosa/librosa) (<https://github.com/librosa/librosa>) to compute spectrograms and audio features.

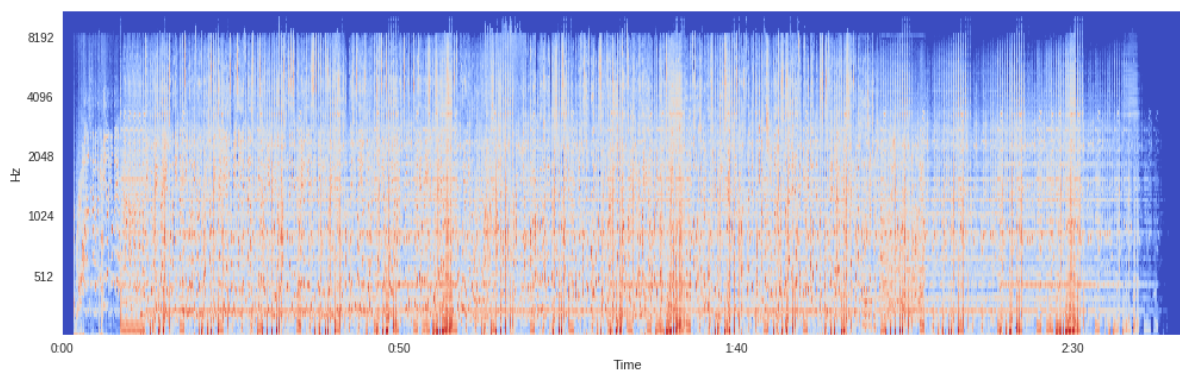
In [11]:

```
librosa.display.waveplot(x, sr, alpha=0.5);  
plt.vlines([start, end], -1, 1)  
  
start = len(x) // 2  
plt.figure()  
plt.plot(x[start:start+2000])  
plt.ylim((-1, 1));
```



In [12]:

```
stft = np.abs(librosa.stft(x, n_fft=2048, hop_length=512))  
mel = librosa.feature.melspectrogram(sr=sr, S=stft**2)  
log_mel = librosa.logamplitude(mel)  
  
librosa.display.specshow(log_mel, sr=sr, hop_length=512, x_axis='time', y_axis='mel');
```



In [13]:

```
mfcc = librosa.feature.mfcc(S=librosa.power_to_db(mel), n_mfcc=20)  
mfcc = sklearn.preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit_transform(mfcc)  
librosa.display.specshow(mfcc, sr=sr, x_axis='time');
```