

# ASSIGNMENT

## Text-based audio classification

### PART A - Prepare and explore your dataset

To run the cells in this notebook you'll need to install the following Python dependencies:

- numpy
- sklearn

If you have not installed them you should be able to do so by running: `pip install numpy sklearn`.

Furthermore, you'll need to get **Freesound API** credentials so that you can retrieve sounds' metadata for building your dataset. Please create a Freesound account (if you don't already have one) and go here: <http://www.freesound.org/apiv2/apply/> (<http://www.freesound.org/apiv2/apply/>). Set `API_KEY` variable below to the given API key.

In [2]:

```
from __future__ import print_function
import freesound
import random
import utils
import json
from IPython.core.display import display, HTML
from collections import defaultdict

API_KEY='uo6MmiMPAJiWkAxjP0aM0mJoeS7H0IN7pshv2p7a'
c = freesound.FreesoundClient()
c.set_token(API_KEY,"token")
PAGE_SIZE = 50 # Page size for fs requests, no need to change that
```

#### 1) Select your audio categories and get metadata from Freesound for each category

For the task in this session we provide a pre-selected number of audio categories with a number of Freesound sound IDs linked to them. The first step is to choose which classes to include in the dataset that we'll use later for classification and to get metadata for each sound in our dataset.

- Chose the categories you want to work with by editing the `DATASET_CLASSES` list below.
- You can limit the number of sounds chosen per class by setting the `N` parameter.
- The resulting dataset will be saved to a file named `DATASET_NAME.json`. This file will be loaded later in another notebook to carry out the classification task.

In [4]:

```
# Configure dataset parameters and audio categories

DATASET_NAME = 'instruments' # Dataset will be saved in a .json file with this name
N = None # Number of sounds per class (set 'None' to get all in dataset)
DATASET_CLASSES = [
    'Percussion',
    'Wind instrument, woodwind instrument',
    'Bowed string instrument',
    'Domestic sounds, home sounds',
]

# Get sound examples from Freesound
data_index = json.load(open('data_index.json'))
dataset = defaultdict(list)

for klass in DATASET_CLASSES:
    sound_ids = data_index.get(klass, None)
    if sound_ids is None:
        print('Skipping class %s as no data is available for it' % klass)
        continue
    random.shuffle(sound_ids) # Shuffle order of sound ids
    sound_ids = sound_ids[:N] # Limit number of selected sound ids

    print('Getting sounds\' data for class %s...' % klass)
    for i in range(0, len(sound_ids), PAGE_SIZE):
        current_sound_ids = sound_ids[i:i + PAGE_SIZE]

        fields = "id,tags,description,username,analysis"
        # For the dataset classes :
        # 'Percussion', 'Wind instrument, woodwind instrument', 'Bowed string instrument', 'Domestic sounds, home sounds'
        # the audio features : pitch_salience, spectral_flux, hfc, average_loudness and dissonance will be helpful.
        descriptors = "lowlevel.pitch_salience,lowlevel.dynamic_complexity,lowlevel.spectral_flux,lowlevel.hfc,lowlevel.average_loudness,lowlevel.dissonance"
        results_pager = c.text_search(
            filter='id:(%s)' % ' OR '.join([str(sid) for sid in current_sound_ids]),
            page_size=PAGE_SIZE,
            fields = fields,
            descriptors=descriptors
        )
        dataset[klass] += results_pager.results

    # TIP ON AUDIO FEATURES: you can get also audio features extracted in freesound by passing a 'descriptors'
    # parameter in the text_search function and including 'analysis' in the fields list
    # (see http://www.freesound.org/docs/api/resources\_apiv2.html#response-sound-list):
    #
    # fields = "id,tags,description,username,analysis"
    # descriptors = "lowlevel.spectral_centroid,lowlevel.barkbands.mean"
    #
    # e.g.: results_page = c.text_search(query=target_query, ..., fields=fields, descriptors=descriptors)
    # ...

# Show information and save dataset to file so we can work with it later on
utils.save_to_json('%s.json' % DATASET_NAME, dataset)
print('\nDataset created with %i classes:' % len(dataset))
for klass, sounds in dataset.items():
    print('\t%s: %i sounds' % (klass, len(sounds)))
print('Saved to %s' % '%s.json' % DATASET_NAME)
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Getting sounds' data for class Percussion...
Getting sounds' data for class Wind instrument, woodwind instrument...
Getting sounds' data for class Bowed string instrument...
Getting sounds' data for class Domestic sounds, home sounds...
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Dataset created with 4 classes:
Wind instrument, woodwind instrument: 200 sounds
Bowed string instrument: 200 sounds
Percussion: 200 sounds
Domestic sounds, home sounds: 200 sounds
Saved to instruments.json
```

## 2) Explore the dataset (know your data!)


The cell below displays some data about your recently created dataset so you can have an idea of its contents. Feel free to experiment with the data and add any relevant plots that you might find useful for the future classification task.

In [7]:

```
# Pick some sounds from each category and show players (Freesound embeds) to listen to them
for count, (class_name, sounds) in enumerate(dataset.items()):
    html = "<h3 style='color:#bbb;'>%i) %s</h3>" % (count + 1, class_name)
    html += "<h4>Example sounds:</h4><br>"
    html += utils.generate_html_with_sound_examples([sound['id'] for sound in sounds][:6])
    html += "<h4>Most commons tags tagcloud:</h4><br>"
    class_tags = utils.get_all_tags_from_class(class_name, dataset)
    html += utils.generate_html_tagcloud(class_tags, N=100, max_px=30, min_px=10, pow_scale=1.2)
    html += "<br><br>"
    display(HTML(html)) # <- This is pure jupyter notebook AWESOMENESS which renders the HTML in the output
of the cell
```

## 1) Percussion


Example sounds:



**Glockenspiel\_35\_c4\_04**

cabled\_mess  
freesound

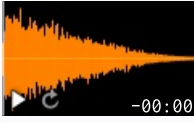
single-note  
Glockenspiel



**TOY\_GLOCK-23.wav**

kilo one nine  
freesound


incremental  
glockenspiel



**HiHat Open RAW-02 Gate EQ.wav**

cabled\_mess  
freesound

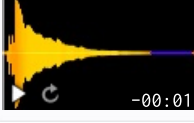
Hat analog pack  
analogue rhythm



**CHihat.wav**

esentpietellem  
freesound


percussive drums  
closed percussion



**bicycle-bell\_12.wav**

newagesoup  
freesound

glockenspiel  
hit ring metallic



**Scratched Beats 010**

GioMilko  
freesound


Tascam Kick  
Scratching Snare

Most commons tags tagcloud:

kick processed machine Glockenspiel reverb kick-drum 909 beat realistic toy single single-note drum-machine electronic tone hi-hat distortion techno hardstyle china plastic wav hardcore tamborine vsco-2 pack xylophone snare gong sample CompMusic compmusic chinese-traditional qmul beijing-opera Tabla mallets peking-opera heavy metal glock musical-instrument tones mallet Tabla-stroke bassdrum icassp2014-dataset idiophone tambourine echo dance hard rhythm bd tribal dirty sampler xiaoluo-instrument Percussion 1-shot edited recording tony acoustic 808 analog from cymbal hihat drum kit house timpani percussion-loop samples percussive note loop bass vibraphone one-shot real metallophone instrument multihit velocity drums tabla notes hit drum-loop incremental kickdrum multisample chinese glockenspiel roll percs Indian-percussion

## 2) Domestic sounds, home sounds


### Example sounds:



**Drawers opening and closing.wav**

MoniqueKruger

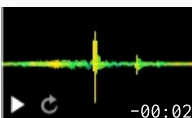
tags: open, clothes, furniture, cabinet



**typewriter\_electric\_typing\_02.wav**

magedu

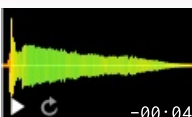
tags: type, typewriter, write, key, typing



**Kitchen Drawer Close.wav**

Glitchedtones

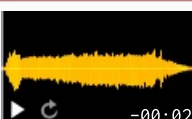
tags: sliding, kitchen, close, closing



**Signaali, äänimerkki, nopea ding-dong / Si...**

YleArkisto

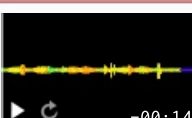
tags: Field-Recording, Yleisradio, Vuoro



**Food Processor Speed 1**

robertsvard

tags: Motor, Kitchen, Mixer



**draws being opened and closed.wav**

Aliedsvwyk

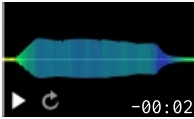
tags: open, opening, drawers, OWI

### Most commons tags tagcloud:

door-bell Sell steel closing dry scrape office indiegameDEV Money tearing bong **drawer** type old ring  
write Video-Game typewriter foley dryer percussion glass pencil jangling games Coins cutting ding hair house  
duct-tape kitchen sound ping short letter **wooden** typing scissors tape **wood** Gold ding-dong tap bag  
pen campus-upf keyboard sticky **rip** indieDEV zipper Game **close** ripping money **metal** squeak  
mechanical coins drop Purchase key field-recording Currency electric microwave Realistic gamedeveloping Coin tear  
videogame paper hit **writing** squeaky sfx keys coin jingle household gamedev **door** gaming  
opening scribble gate creaking **bell** slide doorbell dong knock fabric **open** videogames OWI chime velcro  
cupboard

### 3) Bowed string instrument

Example sounds:



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-00:02

Double Bass - F#1

MTG

upf.

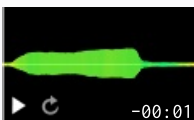
MTG

free

sound

good-sounds

single-note



▶ ↺

-00:01

Double Bass - G4

MTG

upf.

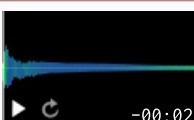
MTG

free

sound

good-sounds

single-note



▶ ↺

-00:02

Double Bass - B1 - pizzicato

MTG

upf.

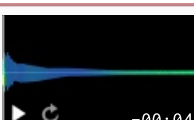
MTG

free

sound

good-sounds

single-note



▶ ↺

-00:04

Double Bass - C#2 - pizzicato

MTG

upf.

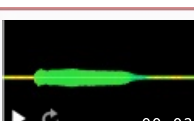
MTG

free

sound

good-sounds

single-note



▶ ↺

-00:03

Cello - C2

MTG

upf.

MTG


free

sound

C2

good-sounds

single-note



▶ ↺

-00:02

Cello - F#2

MTG

upf.

MTG

free

sound

good-sounds

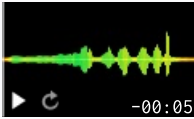
single-note

Most commons tags tagcloud:


C3 non-vibrato c5 chordophone Gsharp3 midi-note-60 Asharp3 mezzoforte zoom-h2n slow tenuto phone acoustic C4 strings  
Double Gsharp2 bad Fsharp2 Dsharp4 violin dirty Gsharp4 bass Csharp2 midi-note-86 col-legno contrabass vsc0-2 C2  
loops g2 double zoom g-3 message descending classic glitchy double-bass vibrato midi-note-72 scale bowed d6 essharp3  
orchestra plucked midi-note-67 pizzicato Stereo bowing tight-pizzicato a3 B3 midi-note-83 g-sharp-1 midi-velocity-31 b5  
good-sounds G2 midi-note-57 b3 Acoustic ensemble g-sharp-3 **multisample** fsharp4 midi-note-69 note  
violin-section viola Fsharp3 Upright orchestral glitch midi-velocity-95 pluck b-4 **cello** recording A3 c4 Plucked cello-section  
cheap **single-note** Instrument neumann-U87 G3 Bass string-instrument midi-note-53 solo-violin Standup F4  
D3 a4 midi-velocity-63 midi-note-59

4) Wind instrument, woodwind instrument


Example sounds:



sax1.wav



luigino.pizzaleo



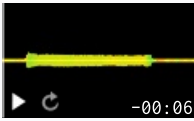
melody

sax


birds

soprano


saxophone



Flute - E4



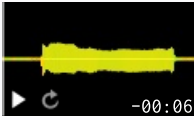
MTG




good-sounds

E4


single-note



Flute - Dsharp5

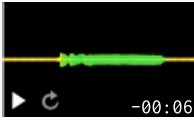


MTG




good-sounds


single-note



Flute - Csharp4 - bad-attack

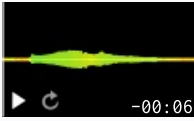


MTG




good-sounds


single-note



Flute - A5 - bad-dynamics

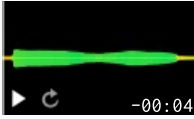


MTG




good-sounds


single-note



Clarinet - E4 - bad-timbre-errors



MTG



good-sounds

clarinet

single-note

Most commons tags tagcloud:

medieval staccato Instruments midi-velocity-62 native-american Enatural bassoon multiphonics midi-note-52 soprano-saxophone  
neumann-U87 D6 woodwind Gmajor aerophone c-sharp-3 birds saxophone E4 Asharp3 midi-note-72  
Csharp5 good-sounds E3 vibrato clarinet c4 D4 d-2 F4 midi-note-88 Fsharp5 flauto-dolce vibrato-sustain midi-  
velocity-95 multisample C4 non-vibrato Dsharp5 alto-sax minor single-note melody music midi-  
note-89 native-american-flute scale soprano e6 pad jazz SaX oboe caroli soprano-sax B5 Asharp4 Gsharp4 midi-note-45  
sustain B4 flute Fsharp4 midi-note-76 e-3 midi-velocity-105 vsco-2 mezzoforte midi-note-70 Asharp5 C6 vst D3 midi-note-58  
african swing G3 d-sharp-2 tenuto Dnatural c5 B3 Acoustic midi-note-60 e5 sampled-instruments Fmajor schoeps-mk4 asharp4  
woodwinds double-reed hip-hop G6 a2 Asharpmajor loop D5 midi-velocity-31 E5 recorder