

Motion Controlled Additive Synthesis

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Chapter 1

Motion Controlled Additive Synthesis

With this we are presenting a additive sound synthesis Pure Data External. Alongside we provide a fun demonstration of controlling it by using smartphone accelerometer and gyroscope data from a smartphone

1.1 Where to start?

The repo consist of the external's source code in addition with other needed c files, the pd external binary (MacOS x64) and two sample patches to use it with [PdParty](#)

1.1.1 Requirements

In order to use the addsi~ external from **External Binary and Help Patch** you either need to have a MacOS running on a 64 bit machine, or you build the external yourself using the provided **External's Source**

1.1.2 Using addsi~ with PdParty

addsi was created to be used with your smartphone! How to?

1. Download [PdParty](#) (iOS) or [DroidParty](#) (Android) and see how they work
 2. Grab the smartphone patch from **Sample Patches** and move it to your device and start it.
 3. Tap the buttons to send OSC messages containing accelerometer and gyroscope data. Make sure to set the host IP correctly in the OSC settings, to match the IP adress of you computer!
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1. Start the addsi~patch.pd from **Sample Patches** on your computer
 2. Have fun!

Chapter 2

Data Structure Index

2.1 Data Structures

Here are the data structures with brief descriptions:

_atom	.....	??
_gobj	.....	??
_gpointer	.....	??
_gstub	.....	??
_resample	.....	??
_scalar	.....	??
_signal	.....	??
_symbol	.....	??
_text	.....	??
addsi	Internal data structure containing the parameters for the oscillators and buffer data variables ??	
addsi_tilde	The Pure Data struct of the addsi~ object. ??	
word	.....	??

Chapter 3

File Index

3.1 File List

Here is a list of all documented files with brief descriptions:

External's Source/ addsi.c	Implementation of the external's working code Includes all functions needed to create the additive synthesis of ~addsi	??
External's Source/ addsi.h	Header for addsi.c Includes type definitions and function declarations	??
External's Source/ addsi_pd.c	Pure data integration of the addsi external The file includes the basic setup needed in order for the external to work with pure data	??
Needed other C Files/ m_pd.h	. . . . .	??
Needed other C Files/ vas_mem.h	Utilities for dynamic memory allocation Wrapper for memory allocation Max/MSP SDK suggests using the Max/MSP "sysmem_" - routines instead of malloc/calloc/free So for Max/MSP define the Preprocessor macro "MAXM← SPSDK"	??
Needed other C Files/ vas_util.h	Utility functions and all #defines for the VAS library All kinds of utility functions, mostly vector math	??

Chapter 4

Data Structure Documentation

4.1 `_atom` Struct Reference

Data Fields

- `t_atomtype a_type`
- union `word a_w`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m_pd.h

4.2 `_gobj` Struct Reference

Data Fields

- `t_pd g_pd`
- struct `_gobj * g_next`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m_pd.h

4.3 `_gpointer` Struct Reference

Data Fields

- union {
 struct `_scalar * gp_scalar`
 union `word * gp_w`
} `gp_un`
- int `gp_valid`
- `t_gstub * gp_stub`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m_pd.h

4.4 `_gstub` Struct Reference

Data Fields

- ```
union {
 struct _glist * gs_glist
 struct _array * gs_array
} gs_un
```
- int **gs\_which**
- int **gs\_refcount**

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m\_pd.h

## 4.5 `_resample` Struct Reference

### Data Fields

- int **method**
- t\_int **downsample**
- t\_int **upsample**
- t\_sample \* **s\_vec**
- int **s\_n**
- t\_sample \* **coeffs**
- int **coefsize**
- t\_sample \* **buffer**
- int **bufsize**

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m\_pd.h

## 4.6 `_scalar` Struct Reference

### Data Fields

- t\_gobj **sc\_gobj**
- t\_symbol \* **sc\_template**
- t\_word **sc\_vec** [1]

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m\_pd.h

## 4.7 `_signal` Struct Reference

### Data Fields

- `int s_n`
- `t_sample * s_vec`
- `t_float s_sr`
- `int s_refcount`
- `int s_isborrowed`
- `struct _signal * s_borrowedfrom`
- `struct _signal * s_nextfree`
- `struct _signal * s_nextused`
- `int s_vecsize`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m\_pd.h

## 4.8 `_symbol` Struct Reference

### Data Fields

- `char * s_name`
- `struct _class ** s_thing`
- `struct _symbol * s_next`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m\_pd.h

## 4.9 `_text` Struct Reference

### Data Fields

- `t_gobj te_g`
- `t_binbuf * te_binbuf`
- `t_outlet * te_outlet`
- `t_inlet * te_inlet`
- `short te_xpix`
- `short te_ypix`
- `short te_width`
- `unsigned int te_type:2`

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/m\_pd.h

## 4.10 addsi Struct Reference

Internal data structure containing the parameters for the oscillators and buffer data variables

```
#include <addsi.h>
```

### Data Fields

- int [tableSize](#)
- float [currentIndex](#)
- float [basefrequency](#)
- float \* [lookupTable1](#)
- int [numberOfHarmonics](#)
- float [harmonicIndex](#) [MAXNUMBEROFHARMONICS]
- float [harmonicGain](#) [MAXNUMBEROFHARMONICS]
- float \* [envelopeTable](#)
- int [envelopeIndex](#)
- float \* [LFO1\\_Table](#)
- float [LFO1frequency](#)
- float [LFO1\\_depth](#)
- float [LFO1\\_currentIndex](#)
- float \* [LFO2\\_Table](#)
- float [LFO2frequency](#)
- float [LFO2\\_depth](#)
- float [LFO2\\_currentIndex](#)

### Related Functions

(Note that these are not member functions.)

- [addsi \\* addsi\\_new](#) (int sampleRate)  
*Sets up new addsi object on first run and creates wave tables  
 This function sets up all we need to get started with processing.*
- void [addsi\\_free](#) (addsi \*x)  
*Frees the memory  
 Implements mandatory memory management function.*
- void [addsi\\_process](#) (addsi \*x, float \*in, float \*out, int vectorSize)  
*Main method: Implementing the additive synthesis of ~addsi  
 Processes the wave tables.*
- void [addsi\\_setbasefrequency](#) (addsi \*x, float [basefrequency](#))  
*Sets a base frequency for the osc*
- void [addsi\\_setLFO1frequency](#) (addsi \*x, float [LFO1frequency](#))  
*Sets the strength of the first LFO*
- void [addsi\\_setLFO2frequency](#) (addsi \*x, float [LFO2frequency](#))  
*Sets the strength of the second LFO*
- void [addsi\\_setnumberOfHarmonics](#) (addsi \*x, float [numberOfHarmonics](#))  
*Sets the number of partials added to the base frequency*

### 4.10.1 Detailed Description

Internal data structure containing the parameters for the oscillators and buffer data variables

### 4.10.2 Friends And Related Function Documentation

#### 4.10.2.1 addsi\_free()

```
void addsi_free (
 addsi * x) [related]
```

Frees the memory  
Implements mandatory memory management function.

##### Parameters

|    |                         |
|----|-------------------------|
| *x | pointer to addsi struct |
|----|-------------------------|

#### 4.10.2.2 addsi\_new()

```
addsi * addsi_new (
 int sampleRate) [related]
```

Sets up new addsi object on first run and creates wave tables  
This function sets up all we need to get started with processing.

##### Parameters

|            |                                                                                                                                                                     |
|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| sampleRate | int containing the used sample rate. Note that at this time this is hard coded to 44100 in <a href="#">addsi_pd.c</a> and will not work with differing sample rates |
|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|

##### Returns

An addsi struct

#### 4.10.2.3 addsi\_process()

```
void addsi_process (
 addsi * x,
```

```
float * in,
float * out,
int vectorSize) [related]
```

Main method: Implementing the additive synthesis of ~addsi  
Processes the wave tables.

#### Parameters

|                   |                                                  |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| <i>*x</i>         | pointer to an addsi struct                       |
| <i>*in</i>        | pointer to sound input vector (currently unused) |
| <i>*out</i>       | pointer to sound output vector                   |
| <i>vectorSize</i> | size of the sound vectors                        |

#### Returns

An addsi struct

#### 4.10.2.4 addsi\_setbasefrequency()

```
void addsi_setbasefrequency (
 addsi * x,
 float basefrequency) [related]
```

Sets a base frequency for the osc

#### Parameters

|                      |                                                                |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>             | A pointer to the addsi object                                  |
| <i>basefrequency</i> | float containing the Hz value of the base frequency of the osc |

#### 4.10.2.5 addsi\_setLFO1frequency()

```
void addsi_setLFO1frequency (
 addsi * x,
 float LFO1frequency) [related]
```

Sets the strength of the first LFO

## Parameters

|                      |                                                    |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>             | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
| <i>LFO1frequency</i> | float value setting the strength of the first LFO  |

**4.10.2.6 addsi\_setLFO2frequency()**

```
void addsi_setLFO2frequency (
 addsi * x,
 float LFO2frequency) [related]
```

Sets the strength of the second LFO

## Parameters

|                      |                                                    |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>             | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
| <i>LFO2frequency</i> | float value setting the strength of the second LFO |

**4.10.2.7 addsi\_setnumberOfHarmonics()**

```
void addsi_setnumberOfHarmonics (
 addsi * x,
 float numberOfHarmonics) [related]
```

Sets the number of partials added to the base frequency

## Parameters

|                          |                                                    |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>                 | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
| <i>numberOfHarmonics</i> | float value setting the number of partials         |

**4.10.3 Field Documentation**

#### 4.10.3.1 basefrequency

```
float basefrequency
```

Working frequency of the sine oscillator

#### 4.10.3.2 currentIndex

```
float currentIndex
```

Current working index of the sine oscillator

#### 4.10.3.3 envelopeIndex

```
int envelopeIndex
```

Current working index in envelopeTable. Currently this is not used

#### 4.10.3.4 envelopeTable

```
float* envelopeTable
```

Help array for enveloping. Currently this is not used

#### 4.10.3.5 harmonicGain

```
float harmonicGain[MAXNUMBEROFHARMONICS]
```

Gain of Harmonics, size is set by definition of MAXNUMBEROFHARMONICS in [addsi.h](#)

#### 4.10.3.6 harmonicIndex

```
float harmonicIndex[MAXNUMBEROFHARMONICS]
```

Index of Harmonics, size is set by definition of MAXNUMBEROFHARMONICS in [addsi.h](#)

#### 4.10.3.7 LFO1\_currentIndex

```
float LFO1_currentIndex
```

Current working index of lfo1\_table

#### 4.10.3.8 LFO1\_depth

```
float LFO1_depth
```

Depth of the first LFO



#### 4.10.3.9 LFO1\_Table

```
float* LFO1_Table
```

Working array of the first LFO

#### 4.10.3.10 LFO1frequency

```
float LFO1frequency
```

Working frequency of the first LFO

#### 4.10.3.11 LFO2\_currentIndex

```
float LFO2_currentIndex
```

Current working index of lfo2\_table

#### 4.10.3.12 LFO2\_depth

```
float LFO2_depth
```

Depth of the second LFO

#### 4.10.3.13 LFO2\_Table

```
float* LFO2_Table
```

Working array of the second LFO

#### 4.10.3.14 LFO2frequency

```
float LFO2frequency
```

Working frequency of the second LFO

#### 4.10.3.15 lookupTable1

```
float* lookupTable1
```

Sine wave table

#### 4.10.3.16 numberOfHarmonics

```
int numberOfHarmonics
```

Number of added harmonics to the baseFrequency

#### 4.10.3.17 tableSize

```
int tableSize
```

Size of waveform tables, based on sample rate. Note that this is hard coded to 44100 in this external

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following files:

- External's Source/[addsi.h](#)
- External's Source/[addsi.c](#)

## 4.11 addsi\_tilde Struct Reference

The Pure Data struct of the addsi~ object.

### Data Fields

- [t\\_object](#) x\_obj
- [t\\_sample](#) f
- [addsi](#) \* osc
- [t\\_outlet](#) \* out

### Related Functions

(Note that these are not member functions.)

- [t\\_int](#) \* [addsi\\_tilde\\_perform](#) ([t\\_int](#) \*w)  
*Perform function, mandatory for PureData. Calculates the output vector  
For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)*
- void [addsi\\_tilde\\_dsp](#) ([addsi\\_tilde](#) \*x, [t\\_signal](#) \*\*sp)  
*DSP function mandatory for PureData. Adds [addsi\\_tilde\\_perform](#) to the signal chain.  
For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)*
- void [addsi\\_tilde\\_free](#) ([addsi\\_tilde](#) \*x)  
*Memory Management function mandatory for Pure Data. Frees our [addsi\\_tilde](#) object.  
For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)*
- void \* [addsi\\_tilde\\_new](#) ([t\\_floatarg](#) f)  
*Creates new [addsi\\_tilde](#) object and sets its outlet and sampling rate. note that the externals sampling rate is set at 44100  
For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)*
- void [addsi\\_tilde\\_setbasefrequency](#) ([addsi\\_tilde](#) \*x, float basefrequency)  
*Wrapper for the base frequency setting of the sine osc*
- void [addsi\\_tilde\\_setLFO1frequency](#) ([addsi\\_tilde](#) \*x, float LFO1frequency)  
*Wrapper for the strength setting of the first LFO*

- void [addsi\\_tilde\\_setLFO2frequency](#) ([addsi\\_tilde](#) \*x, float LFO2frequency)  
*Wrapper of the strength setting of the second LFO*
- void [addsi\\_tilde\\_setnumberOfHarmonics](#) ([addsi\\_tilde](#) \*x, float numberOfHarmonics)  
*Wrapper for the number of the partials added to the fundamental frequency*
- void [addsi\\_tilde\\_setup](#) (void)  
*Setup function*  
*This function (or functions called by it) declares the new classes and their properties of the addsi-tilde external. It is only called once, when the external is loaded.*  
*For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)*

### 4.11.1 Detailed Description

The Pure Data struct of the addsi~ object.

### 4.11.2 Friends And Related Function Documentation

#### 4.11.2.1 addsi\_tilde\_dsp()

```
void addsi_tilde_dsp (
 addsi_tilde * x,
 t_signal ** sp) [related]
```

DSP function mandatory for PureData. Adds [addsi\\_tilde\\_perform](#) to the signal chain.  
For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)

#### Parameters

|           |                                                  |
|-----------|--------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>  | A pointer the <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
| <i>sp</i> | A pointer to the input and output vectors        |

#### 4.11.2.2 addsi\_tilde\_free()

```
void addsi_tilde_free (
 addsi_tilde * x) [related]
```

Memory Management function mandatory for Pure Data. Frees our [addsi\\_tilde](#) object.  
For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)

## Parameters

|          |                                                    |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i> | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------|

**4.11.2.3 addsi\_tilde\_perform()**

```
t_int * addsi_tilde_perform (
 t_int * w) [related]
```

Perform function, mandatory for PureData. Calculates the output vector  
For more information please refer to the [Pure Data Docs](#)

## Parameters

|          |                                                    |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>w</i> | A pointer to the object, input and output vectors. |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------|

## Returns

A pointer to the signal chain right behind the [addsi\\_tilde](#) object.

**4.11.2.4 addsi\_tilde\_setbasefrequency()**

```
void addsi_tilde_setbasefrequency (
 addsi_tilde * x,
 float basefrequency) [related]
```

Wrapper for the base frequency setting of the sine osc

## Parameters

|                      |                                                                     |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>             | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object                  |
| <i>basefrequency</i> | float containing the Hz value of the base frequency of the sine osc |

**4.11.2.5 addsi\_tilde\_setLFO1frequency()**

```
void addsi_tilde_setLFO1frequency (
```

```
addsi_tilde * x,
float LFO1frequency) [related]
```

Wrapper for the strength setting of the first LFO

#### Parameters

|                      |                                                    |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>             | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
| <i>LFO1frequency</i> | float value setting the strength of the first LFO  |

#### 4.11.2.6 addsi\_tilde\_setLFO2frequency()

```
void addsi_tilde_setLFO2frequency (
 addsi_tilde * x,
 float LFO2frequency) [related]
```

Wrapper of the strength setting of the second LFO

#### Parameters

|                      |                                                    |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>             | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
| <i>LFO2frequency</i> | float value setting the strength of the second LFO |

#### 4.11.2.7 addsi\_tilde\_setnumberOfHarmonics()

```
void addsi_tilde_setnumberOfHarmonics (
 addsi_tilde * x,
 float numberOfHarmonics) [related]
```

Wrapper for the number of the partials added to the fundamental frequency

#### Parameters

|                          |                                                    |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <i>x</i>                 | A pointer to an <a href="#">addsi_tilde</a> object |
| <i>numberOfHarmonics</i> | float value setting the number of the partials     |

### 4.11.3 Field Documentation

#### 4.11.3.1 f

`t_sample f`

Also necessary for signal objects, float dummy dataspace for converting a float to signal if no signal is connected (CLASS\_MAINSIGNALIN)

#### 4.11.3.2 osc

`addsi* osc`

custom addsi type containing all signal generating parameters and wavetables

#### 4.11.3.3 out

`t_outlet* out`

needed to store handles to the outlet of the signal

#### 4.11.3.4 x\_obj

`t_object x_obj`

Necessary for every signal object in Pure Data

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

- External's Source/[addsi\\_pd.c](#)

## 4.12 word Union Reference

### Data Fields

- `t_float w_float`
- `t_symbol * w_symbol`
- `t_gpointer * w_gpointer`
- `t_array * w_array`
- `struct _glist * w_list`
- `int w_index`

The documentation for this union was generated from the following file:

- Needed other C Files/[m\\_pd.h](#)

## Chapter 5

# File Documentation

### 5.1 External's Source/addsi.c File Reference

Implementation of the external's working code

Includes all functions needed to create the additive synthesis of  $\sim$ addsi.

```
#include "addsi.h"
```

#### 5.1.1 Detailed Description

Implementation of the external's working code

Includes all functions needed to create the additive synthesis of  $\sim$ addsi.

Author

Marius, Richard, Lenni, Kai  
Audiocommunication Group, Technical University Berlin

### 5.2 External's Source/addsi.h File Reference

Header for [addsi.c](#)

Includes type definitions and function declarations.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <math.h>
#include "vas_mem.h"
#include "vas_util.h"
```

#### Data Structures

- struct [addsi](#)

*Internal data structure containing the parameters for the oscillators and buffer data variables*

## Macros

- `#define M_PI` (3.141592654)
- `#define TWOPI` (2.0 \* M\_PI)
- `#define MAXNUMBEROFHARMONICS` 32

## Typedefs

- `typedef struct addsi addsi`

### 5.2.1 Detailed Description

Header for `addsi.c`

Includes type definitions and function declarations.

#### Author

Marius, Richard, Lenni, Kai  
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## 5.3 External's Source/addsi\_pd.c File Reference

Pure data integration of the addsi external

The file includes the basic setup needed in order for the external to work with pure data.

```
#include "m_pd.h"
#include "addsi.h"
```

## Data Structures

- `struct addsi_tilde`  
*The Pure Data struct of the addsi~ object.*

## Typedefs

- `typedef struct addsi_tilde addsi_tilde`

### 5.3.1 Detailed Description

Pure data integration of the addsi external

The file includes the basic setup needed in order for the external to work with pure data.

#### Author

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## 5.4 Needed other C Files/vas\_mem.h File Reference

Utilities for dynamic memory allocation

Wrapper for memory allocation Max/MSP SDK suggests using the Max/MSP "sysmem\_" - routines instead of malloc/calloc/free So for Max/MSP define the Preprocessor macro "MAXMSPSDK".

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
```

### Functions

- void \* **vas\_mem\_alloc** (long size)
- void \* **vas\_mem\_resize** (void \*ptr, long size)
- void **vas\_mem\_free** (void \*ptr)

#### 5.4.1 Detailed Description

Utilities for dynamic memory allocation

Wrapper for memory allocation Max/MSP SDK suggests using the Max/MSP "sysmem\_" - routines instead of malloc/calloc/free So for Max/MSP define the Preprocessor macro "MAXMSPSDK".

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Tools for calculating convolution based virtual acoustics (mainly dynamic binaural synthesis)

## 5.5 Needed other C Files/vas\_util.h File Reference

Utility functions and all #defines for the VAS library

All kinds of utility functions, mostly vector math.

### Typedefs

- typedef float **VAS\_INPUTBUFFER**
- typedef float **VAS\_OUTPUTBUFFER**

#### 5.5.1 Detailed Description

Utility functions and all #defines for the VAS library

All kinds of utility functions, mostly vector math.

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