COMPUTER MUSIC

Languages and Systems

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Homework 1 – Assigment 3 HARMONIZER EFFECT

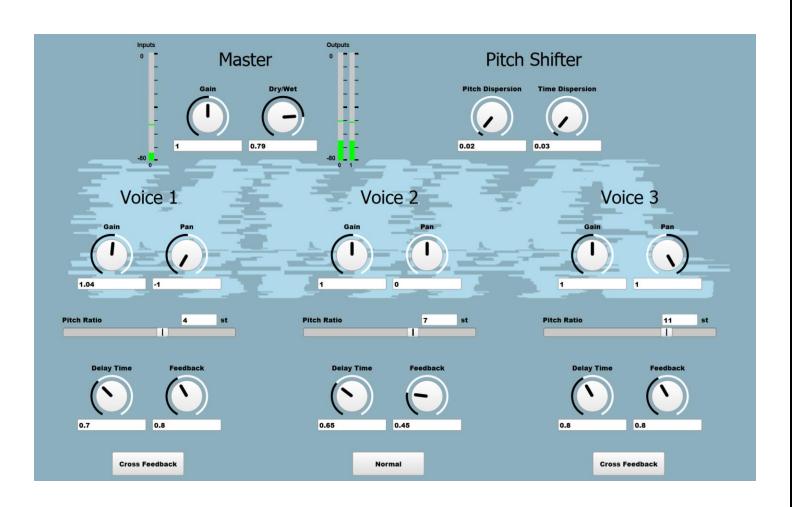
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HarMMLonizer

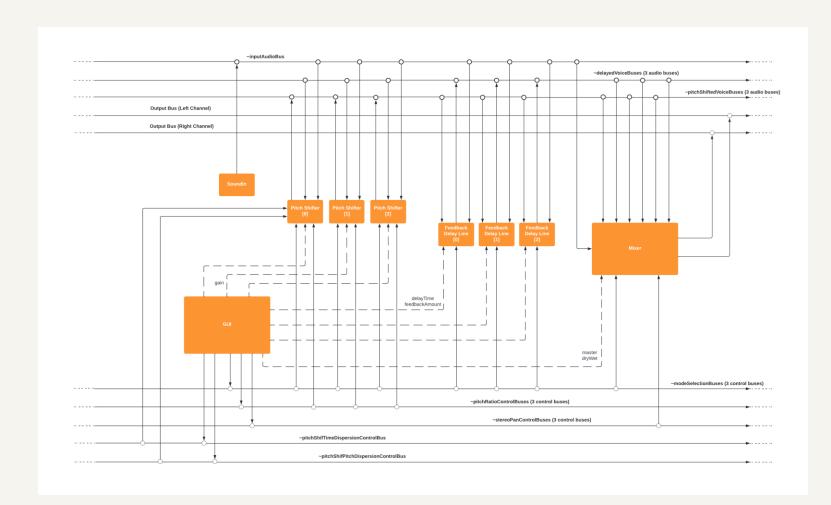


INTRODUCTION

Main Features

- 3 pitch shifted voices harmonizer
- Full control over single voice gain and pan
- 3 different delay modes: normal, pitch-shifted feedback and cross-feedback
- Master gain and dry/wet knob to control final result

SW ARCHITECTURE



Processing Blocks

- Audio input
- Pitch Shifter (1x voice)
- Feedback Delay Line (1x voice)
- Mixer

Controls

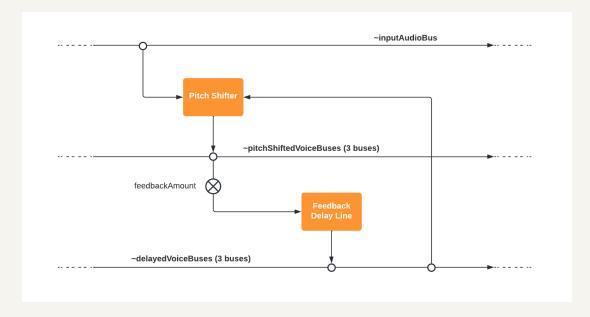
 Buses: store numbers into environmental variables so that all the blocks can exchange massages with each other

DELAYS

Standard Delay

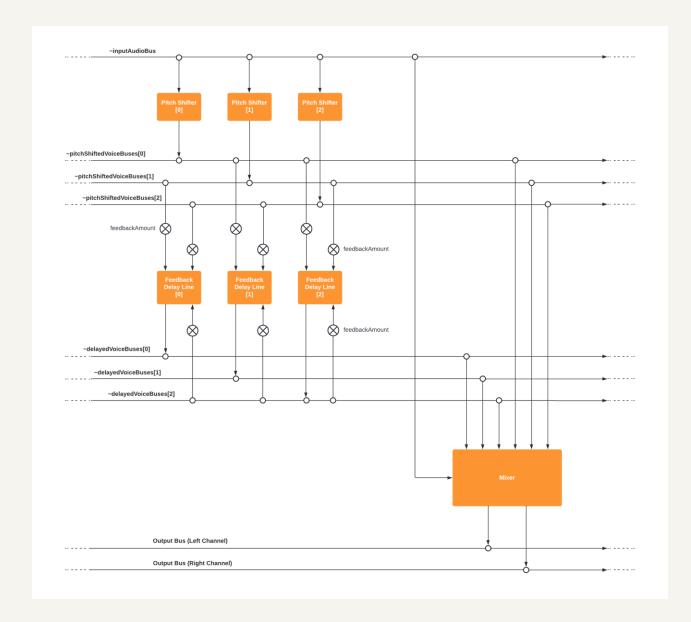
Pitch Shifter -pitchShiftedVoiceBuses (3 buses) feedbackAmount Feedback Delay Line feedbackAmount

Pitch Shifted-Feedback Delay



- Delay achieved through a feedback mechanism and the amount is easily controlled.
- FbNode(): Quarks class that creates a feedback loop within a SynthDef.
- Standard Delay Mode: the signal is shifted first, then goes into the weighted feedback loop.
- Pitch Shifted-Feedback Delay: the signal is shifted again at each iteration.
- FeedbackAmount set to one creates a looper

CROSS-FEEDBACK



- The feedback fed into each voice is a mixture of all the other active voices.
- The mixer collects both the pitchshifted voices and the delayed ones.
- Ping-Pong Effect with two active voices panned to the opposite sides.

PITCH SHIFTER

Granular Pitch Shifter

Basically, the granular pitch shifter slices the input signal into waves that can be individually looped and then played faster or slower to increase the pitch or lower it.

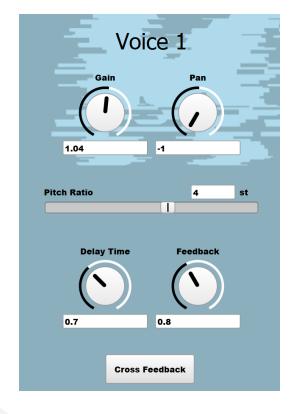
General controls

- Pitch Dispersion
- Time Dispersion

Controls over single voices

- Gain
- Pan
- Pitch Ratio (amount of semitones upward or downward)





SMART PITCH SHIFTER

Upgrade for HOMEWORK 3

The input note is considered to be the root of the harmony that is going to be created.

Controls

- Key
- Scale: 17 musical modes available
- 1 / 2 octaves upward / downward pitch shifting



DEMO VIDEO

HarMMMLonizer.mp4

