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A 4-bit dance in frequency space

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Abstract. Identification of sounds has immense applications in the embedded systems space, ranging from simple detection of sounds to complete voice transcription. Being able to do this on low power devices is an area of active interest. We present a new approach to this problem involving bypassing a complete Fourier Transform and approximating its results using a cross-correlation based approach pruning a tree of (preset) frequencies. Our method returns present frequencies with reasonable accuracy whilst maintaining the speed expected of such an embedded system.

1 Project Details

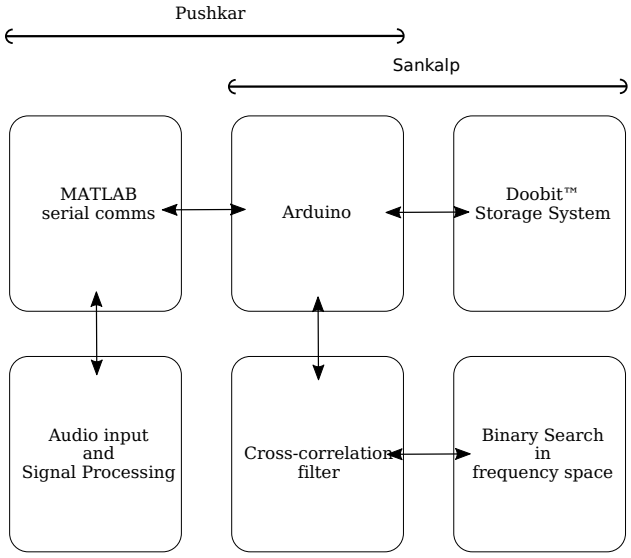

Fig. 1: Block diagram and work distribution.

2 Main components and Invectory

The project mainly revolves around processing onboard the Arduino, so not much hardware is required:

- Arduino
- USB Cable for serial communication
- Mic – replaced by laptop with MATLAB here
- LEDs for displaying frequencies (optional extra)

3 Results

not good

screenshots of code compiled and running on arduino

photo video uploads

Appendix A Arduino Code

Here is the full code sent to the Arduino, verbatim.

```
// main.ino

#include <cmath>        // for sqrt
#include <vector>       // for vector...
#include <algorithm>    // the OTHER std::move
#include <cstdint>      // ALL the ints
#include <cassert>      // testing

#define SIZE 100

// custom typing -- forward declaration
struct doobit;

// functions and constants
int correlation(signal*, signal*);
int crosscorrelation(signal*, signal*, int = 0);
std::vector<float> checkcorr(signal*, std::vector<float>);

std::vector<float> freq = {0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5, 0.6, 0.7, 0.8};
const float corr_threshold = 0.1;

// data input
bool recording = false;
uint16_t recorded = 0;
String text;
uint8_t has_num = 0;
uint8_t k[] = {0, 0};

typedef doobit signal;
signal f[SIZE];

void setup(){
    Serial.begin(9600);

  // clear data just in case
  for(int i = 0; i < SIZE; i++){
    f[i] = 0;
  }
}

void loop(){

    if(recording){
        // recording data
    if (Serial.available()){
      text = Serial.readStringUntil('$');
      k[has_num] = text.toInt();
      has_num++;
    }
```

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    if ((has_num >= 2) && recorded < SIZE) {
      recorded++;
      f[recorded] = signal(k[0], k[1]);
      has_num = 0;
    }
    if(recorded >= SIZE){
      Serial.write("G"); // we Good
      digitalWrite(13,1);
      recording = false;
    }
    }
    else{
        // calculate with the data

        // f coming from data
        //auto f_gen = [](int x){
        //            return (7.0*(sin(0.3 * x) + 4*sin(0.5 * x) + sin
    (0.8 * x + 0.6))/6.0);
        //            };

        //for(int i = 0; i < SIZE; i++){
        //    f[i] = signal(f_gen(2*i), f_gen(2*i+1));
        //}

        auto wpresent = checkcorr(f, freq);

        for(auto w : wpresent){
            printf("%f ", w);
        }

        printf("\n");
    }

    return;
}

// definitions

// bit mask storage
struct doobit{
  uint_fast8_t data;

  doobit(int8_t x = 0, int8_t y = 0){ // handles all our casts too
    this->storelow(x);
    this->storehigh(y);
  }

  void storelow(int8_t);
  void storehigh(int8_t);

  int8_t getlow();
  int8_t gethigh();
```

```
101
102   int16_t operator*(doobit& b){
103     auto highprod = this->gethigh() * b.gethigh();
104     auto lowprod = this->getlow() * b.getlow();
105     return (highprod + lowprod);
106   }
107 };
108
109 void doobit::storelow(int8_t x){
110   this->data &= 0b11110000;  // clear for storage
111
112   x += 7; // remove signed component
113   assert((!(x & 0b11110000)) && "doobit range violation");
114
115   this->data |= x;
116 }
117
118 void doobit::storehigh(int8_t x){
119   this->data &= 0b00001111;  // clear for storage
120
121   x += 7; // remove signed component
122   assert((!(x & 0b11110000)) && "doobit range violation");
123
124   this->data |= (x << 4);
125 }
126
127 int8_t doobit::getlow(){
128   int8_t x = (data & 0b00001111); // bitmask
129   return (x-7); // reinsert sign
130 }
131
132 int8_t doobit::gethigh(){
133   int8_t x = ((data & 0b11110000) >> 4); // bitmask and shift
134   return (x-7); // reinsert sign
135 }
136
137
138 int correlation(signal* f, signal* g){
139   int sum = 0;
140
141   for(int i = 0; i < SIZE; i++){
142     sum += f[i] * g[i];
143   }
144   return sum;
145 }
146
147 int crosscorrelation(signal* f, signal* g, int m){
148   int sum = 0;
149
150   if(m >= 0){
151     for(int i = 0; i < SIZE - m; i++){
152       sum += f[i] * g[i+m];
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153     }
154     for(int i = 0; i < m; i++){
155       sum += f[i+SIZE-m] * g[i];
156     }
157   }
158   else{
159     m = -m;
160     for(int i = 0; i < m; i++){
161       sum += f[i] * g[i+SIZE-m];
162     }
163     for(int i = m; i < SIZE; i++){
164       sum += f[i] * g[i-m];
165     }
166   }
167   return sum;
168 }
169
170 std::vector<float> checkcorr(signal* f, std::vector<float> wlist){
171
172   if(wlist.size() == 0) return wlist;
173
174   float maxcorr = -1;
175
176   auto g_gen = [wlist](int x){
177           float sum = 0;
178           for(auto w : wlist){
179             sum += sin(w*x);
180           }
181           return 7.0*sum/float(wlist.size());
182         };
183
184   auto g = new signal[SIZE];
185
186   for(int i = 0; i < SIZE; i++){
187     g[i] = signal(g_gen(2*i), g_gen(2*i + 1));
188   }
189
190   auto norm_coeff = sqrt((correlation(f, f) * correlation(g, g)));
191   norm_coeff = 1/norm_coeff;
192
193   for(int i = -SIZE+1; i < SIZE; i++){
194     auto corr = crosscorrelation(f, g, i);
195     maxcorr = maxcorr > corr ? maxcorr : corr;
196   }
197
198   // clean memory just in case it isn't deallocated
199   // before recursion else we run over quota
200   delete[] g;
201
202   if(maxcorr*norm_coeff < corr_threshold) return {};
203
204   if(wlist.size() == 1) return wlist;
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205
206   auto wl = checkcorr(f, std::vector<float>(wlist.begin(), wlist.begin
        () + (wlist.size()/2)));
207   auto wr = checkcorr(f, std::vector<float>(wlist.begin() + (wlist.
        size()/2), wlist.end()));
208
209   std::move(wr.begin(), wr.end(), std::back_inserter(wl));
210
211   return wl;
212 }
```

Appendix B MATLAB

The code used inside MATLAB to record and send audio to the Arduino.

```
function carr = getAudioAndSend2()
a = audiorecorder(10000,8,1);
recordblocking(a,1); %200 data points recorded
carr = getaudiodata(a,'int8')
Ard = serial("COM4","BaudRate",9600);
fopen(Ard);
for i = 1:200
  fprintf(Ard,'%d\n',int2str(carr(i+1500)));
end
fscanf(Ard)
fclose(Ard);
end
```