

Discrete Cosine Analysis

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A Matlab Live script to load in an audio signal (stored in an Excel workbook) and perform a discrete cosine analysis of the frequency content.

Load and Plot Audio Signal: Put file "gong.xlsx" where Matlab can find it. Here "n" is the number of data points.

```
clear;
adat = readmatrix('gong.xlsx');
n = length(adat)
```

Compute the duration "T" of the signal, and set the sampling rate (16000 Hz).

```
samprate = 16000;
T = n/samprate
```

Here's a plot of the entire signal versus time.

```
tt = (0:n-1)/samprate;
figure(1)
plot(tt,adat)
xlabel("Time (seconds)");
ylabel("Signal Intensity");
```

For time $t = 1$ to $t = 1.01$ seconds plot from $k = 16000$ to $k = 16161$, roughly

```
figure(2);
plot(tt(16000:16161),adat(16000:16161));
xlabel("Time (seconds)");
ylabel("Signal Intensity");
```

Compute the DCT of the Signal Vector and Plot: Use Matlab's dct command

```
C = dct(adat);
```

Display the DCT magnitude versus frequency ($C[k]$ is frequency $(k-1)/(2*T)$).

```
freqs = (0:n-1)/(2*T);
figure(2);
plot(freqs,abs(C));
xlabel("Frequency (hz)");
ylabel("Coefficient Magnitude");
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