pyrubberband Documentation

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A python wrapper for rubberband.

For now, this just provides lightweight wrappers for pitch-shifting and time-stretching.

All processing is done via the command-line through files on disk. In the future, this could be improved by directly wrapping the C library instead.

CHAPTER 1

Example usage

```
>>> import soundfile as sf
>>> import pyrubberband as pyrb
>>> y, sr = sf.read("myfile.wav")
>>> # Play back at double speed
>>> y_stretch = pyrb.time_stretch(y, sr, 2.0)
>>> # Play back two semi-tones higher
>>> y_shift = pyrb.pitch_shift(y, sr, 2)
```

CHAPTER 2

API Reference

2.1 Functions

Command-line wrapper for rubberband

`time_stretch`(y, sr, rate[, rbargs])	Apply a time stretch of *rate* to an audio time series.
`pitch_shift`(y, sr, n_steps[, rbargs])	Apply a pitch shift to an audio time series.

2.1.1 pyrubberband.pyrb.time_stretch

`pyrubberband.pyrb.`**`time_stretch`**(*y*, *sr*, *rate*, *rbargs=None*)

Apply a time stretch of *rate* to an audio time series.

This uses the *tempo* form for rubberband, so the higher the rate, the faster the playback.

Parameters

y [np.ndarray [shape=(n,) or (n, c)]] Audio time series, either single or multichannel

sr [int > 0] Sampling rate of *y*

rate [float > 0] Desired playback rate.

rbargs Additional keyword parameters for rubberband

See *rubberband -h* for details.

Returns

y_stretch [np.ndarray] Time-stretched audio

Raises

ValueError if *rate <= 0*

2.1.2 pyrubberband.pyrb.pitch_shift

`pyrubberband.pyrb.`**`pitch_shift`**(*y*, *sr*, *n_steps*, *rbargs=None*)

Apply a pitch shift to an audio time series.

Parameters

y [np.ndarray [shape=(n,) or (n, c)]] Audio time series, either single or multichannel

sr [int > 0] Sampling rate of *y*

n_steps [float] Shift by *n_steps* semitones.

rbargs Additional keyword parameters for rubberband

See *rubberband -h* for details.

Returns

y_shift [np.ndarray] Pitch-shifted audio

CHAPTER 3

Contribute

- Issue Tracker
- Source Code

CHAPTER 4

Changelog

4.1 Changes

4.1.1 v0.2.2

- Suppress console logging from *rubberband*

4.1.2 v0.2.1

- Improved error handling when *rubberband* fails to execute.

4.1.3 v0.2.0

- Removed dependency on librosa in favor of pysoundfile (PR #4).
- Stereo/mono interface now matches pysoundfile instead of librosa: t he first axis now corresponds to time rather than channel number.

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