

Log-Frequency Spectrogram

$$\text{STFT} \quad X(m, k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n + mH) w(n) \exp(-2\pi i kn/N)$$

↑ Fourier coefficient
↓ frame index
↙ window
↘ window size

↑ hop size

Window: $w: [0: N-1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$F_{\text{coef}}(k) = k \cdot \frac{F_s}{N}, \quad T_{\text{coef}}(m) = m \cdot \frac{H}{F_s}$$

Pitch binning:

$$F_{\text{pitch}}(p) = 2^{(p-69)/12} \cdot 440 \text{ Hz}, \quad p \in [0: 127]$$

$$P(p) = \{ k \mid F_{\text{pitch}}(p-0.5) \leq F_{\text{coef}}(k) \leq F_{\text{pitch}}(p+0.5) \}$$

Bandwidth $BW(p) = F_{\text{pitch}}(p+0.5) - F_{\text{pitch}}(p-0.5)$

$$Y_{\text{LT}}(m, p) = \sum_{k \in P(p)} |X(m, k)|^2$$

↙ cut-off frequencies ↘

Problem:

Bandwidth becomes smaller for decreasing p

Frequency resolution is linear when using STFT

Example:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} F_s = 44100 \text{ Hz} \\ N = 4096, H = 2048 \end{array} \right\} \text{Freq. res.} = \frac{F_s}{N} \approx 10.8 \text{ Hz}$$

$$p = 69: \quad F_{\text{pitch}}(p-0.5) = 427.5 \text{ Hz}$$

$$F_{\text{pitch}}(p+0.5) = 452.9 \text{ Hz}$$

$$BW(p) = 25.4$$

$$\begin{array}{l} F_{\text{coef}}(39) = 419.9 \\ \text{"}(40) = 430.7 \\ \text{"}(41) = 441.4 \\ \text{"}(42) = 452.2 \\ \text{"}(43) = 463.0 \end{array}$$

$$P(p) = \{ 40, 41, 42 \}$$