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| Titre (Français) | Séparation de sources sonores par factorisation en matrices positives. |
| Title (English)  | Separation of sound sources by non-negative matrix factorization.      |

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### Informations relatives au sujet proposé

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| mots-clés (français)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | séparation de sources, factorisation en matrices positives, classification d'instruments.         |
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| Bref descriptif (10-15 lignes) (français)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                   |
| <p>A partir d'un enregistrement constitué d'un mélange de plusieurs signaux sonores, la séparation de sources consiste à estimer de façon univoque chacune des sources. Dans le cadre de cette thèse, les enregistrements contiennent divers instruments de musique et il s'agira soit d'identifier les parties où un instrument joue en solo, soit de séparer ces instruments lorsqu'ils jouent simultanément.</p> <p>Nous proposons d'étudier comme outil pour la séparation de sources la factorisation en matrices positives ou nonnegative matrix factorization (NMF). A partir d'une matrice <math>M(m \times n)</math> dont les entrées sont positives (le mélange de sources) et d'un rang de factorisation <math>r</math> (le nombre de sources), la NMF a pour but de calculer deux matrices positives <math>U(m \times r)</math> et <math>V(r \times n)</math> telles que le produit <math>UV</math> est le plus proche possible de <math>M</math>. Les matrices <math>U</math> et <math>V</math> permettent alors d'estimer les contributions des diverses sources [1, 2, 3].</p> <p>Nous étudierons en particulier les effets de la NMF sur la distorsion des sources après</p> |                                                                                                   |

séparation.

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## Summary (10-15 lines) (English)

Starting from a recording containing a mixture of several sound sources, source separation consists in estimating in a univocal way each of the sources. In this thesis the recordings contain several musical instruments, and the goal is to identify the parts where an instruments plays alone or to separate various instruments playing simultaneously. We propose to study non-negative matrix factorization (NMF) as a tool for source separation. Starting with a matrix  $M(m \times n)$  whose entries are positive (e.g., the source mixture) and a factorization rank  $r$  (e.g., the number of sources), the goal of NMF is to compute two positive matrices  $U(m \times r)$  and  $V(r \times n)$  such as the product  $UV$  is the closest possible to  $M$ . The matrices  $U$  and  $V$  allow then to estimate the contribution of the various sources [1, 2, 3].

We will study in particular the effects of NMF on the distortion of the sources after separation.

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