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OpenSoundsoundscape is free and open source software for the analysis of bioacoustic recordings. Its main goals are to allow users to train their own custom species classification models using a variety of frameworks (including convolutional neural networks) and to use trained models to predict whether species are present in field recordings. OpSo can be installed and run on a single computer or in a cluster or cloud environment.

OpenSoundcape is developed and maintained by the Kitzes Lab at the University of Pittsburgh.

The Getting Started section below provide guidance on installing OpSo. The Tutorials pages below are written as Jupyter Notebooks that can also be downloaded from the project repository on GitHub.

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## CHAPTER 1

## OpenSoundscape

OpenSoundscape is a utility library for analyzing bioacoustic data. It consists of command line scripts for tasks such as preprocessing audio data, training machine learning models to classify vocalizations, estimating the spatial location of sounds, identifying which species' sounds are present in acoustic data, and more.

These utilities can be strung together to create data analysis pipelines. OpenSoundscape is designed to be run on any scale of computer: laptop, desktop, or computing cluster.

OpenSoundscape is currently in active development. If you find a bug, please submit an issue. If you have another question about OpenSoundscape, please email Sam Lapp (sam.lapp at pitt.edu) or Tessa Rhinehart (tessa.rhinehart at pitt.edu).

For examples of some of the utilities offered, please see the "Tutorials" section of the documentation. Included are instructions on how to download and use a pretrained machine learning model from our publicly available set of models. We plan to add additional tutorials soon.

Installation

OpenSoundscape can be installed either via pip (for users) or poetry (for developers contributing to the code). Either way, Python 3.7 or higher is required.

## 2.1 Installation via pip (most users)

### 2.1.1 Just give me the pip command!

Already familiar with installing python packages via pip? The pip command to install OpenSoundscape is pip install opensoundscape==0.4.1.

#### 2.1.2 Detailed instructions

Python 3.7 is required to run OpenSoundscape. Download it from this website.

We recommend installing OpenSoundscape in a virtual environment to prevent dependency conflicts. Below are instructions for installation with Python's included virtual environment manager, venv, but feel free to use another virtual environment manager (e.g. conda, virtualenvwrapper) if desired.

Run the following commands in your bash terminal:

- Check that you have installed Python 3.7.\_: python3 --version
- Change directories to where you wish to store the environment: cd [path for environments folder]
  - Tip: You can use this folder to store virtual environments for other projects as well, so put it somewhere that makes sense for you, e.g. in your home directory.
- Make a directory for virtual environments and cd into it: mkdir .venv && cd .venv
- Create an environment called opensoundscape in the directory: python3 -m venv opensoundscape

- For Windows computers: activate/use the environment: opensoundscape\Scripts\activate.bat
- For Mac computers: activate/use the environment source opensoundscape/bin/activate
- Install OpenSoundscape in the environment: pip install opensoundscape==0.4.1
- Once you are done with OpenSoundscape, deactivate the environment: deactivate
- To use the environment again, you will have to refer to absolute path of the virtual environments folder. For instance, if I were on a Mac and created .venv inside a directory /Users/MyFiles/Code I would activate the virtual environment using: source /Users/MyFiles/Code/.venv/opensoundscape/bin/activate

For some of our functions, you will need a version of ffmpeg >= 0.4.1. On Mac machines, ffmpeg can be installed via brew.

## 2.2 Installation via poetry (contributors and advanced users)

Poetry installation allows direct use of the most recent version of the code. This workflow allows advanced users to use the newest features in OpenSoundscape, and allows developers/contributors to build and test their contributions.

To install via poetry, do the following:

- Download poetry
- Download virtualenvwrapper
- Link poetry and virtualenvwrapper:
  - Figure out where the virtualenvwrapper.sh file is: which virtualenvwrapper.sh
  - Add the following to your ~/.bashrc and source it. .. code-block:

```
# virtualenvwrapper + poetry
export PATH=~/.local/bin:$PATH
export WORKON_HOME=~/Library/Caches/pypoetry/virtualenvs
source [insert path to virtualenvwrapper.sh, e.g. ~/.local/bin/

→virtualenvwrapper_lazy.sh]
```

- Users: clone this github repository to your machine: git clone https://github.com/kitzeslab/opensoundscape.git
- Contributors: fork this github repository and clone the fork to your machine
- Ensure you are in the top-level directory of the clone
- Switch to the development branch of OpenSoundscape: git checkout develop
- Build the virtual environment for opensoundscape: poetry install
  - If poetry install outputs the following error, make sure to download Python 3.7: .. code-block:

```
Installing build dependencies: started
Installing build dependencies: finished with status 'done'
opensoundscape requires Python '>=3.7,<4.0' but the running Python is 3.6.10
```

If you are using conda, install Python 3.7 using conda install python==3.7

- If you are on a Mac and poetry install fails to install numba, contact one of the developers for help troubleshooting your issues.

- Activate the virtual environment with the name provided at install e.g.: workon opensoundscape-dxMTH98s-py3.7 or poetry shell
- Check that OpenSoundscape runs: opensoundscape -h
- Run tests (from the top-level directory): poetry run pytest
- Go back to your system's Python when you are done: deactivate

#### 2.2.1 Jupyter

To use OpenSoundscape within JupyterLab, you will have to make an ipykernel for the OpenSoundscape virtual environment.

- Activate poetry virtual environment, e.g.: workon opensoundscape-dxMTH98s-py3.7
  - Use poetry env list if you're not sure what the name of the environment is
- Create ipython kernel: python -m ipykernel install --user --name=[name of poetry environment] --display-name=OpenSoundscape
- Now when you make a new document on JupyterLab, you should see a Python kernel available called Open-Soundscape.
- Contributors: if you include Jupyter's autoreload, any changes you make to the source code installed via poetry will be reflected whenever you run the <code>%autoreload</code> line magic in a cell: .. code-block:

```
%load_ext autoreload
%autoreload
```

## 2.2.2 Contributing to code

Make contributions by editing the code in your fork. Create branches for features using git checkout -b feature\_branch\_name and push these changes to remote using git push -u origin feature\_branch\_name. To merge a feature branch into the development branch, use the GitHub web interface to create a merge request.

When contributions in your fork are complete, open a pull request using the GitHub web interface. Before opening a PR, do the following to ensure the code is consistent with the rest of the package:

- Run tests: poetry run pytest
- Format the code with black style (from the top level of the repo): poetry run black .
  - To automatically handle this, poetry run pre-commit install
- Additional libraries to be installed should be installed with poetry add, but in most cases contributors should not add libraries.

## 2.2.3 Contributing to documentation

Build the documentation using either poetry or sphinx-build

- With poetry: poetry run build\_docs
- With sphinx-build: sphinx-build doc doc/\_build

## CHAPTER 3

## Audio and spectrograms

This tutorial demonstrates how to use OpenSoundscape to open and modify audio files and spectrograms.

Audio files can be loaded into OpenSoundscape and modified using its Audio class. The class gives access to modifications such as trimming short clips from longer recordings, splitting a long clip into multiple segments, bandpassing recordings, and extending the length of recordings by looping them. Spectrograms can be created from Audio objects using the Spectrogram class. This class also allows useful features like measuring the amplitude signal of a recording, trimming a spectrogram in time and frequency, and converting the spectrogram to a saveable image.

To download the tutorial as a Jupyter Notebook, click the "Edit on GitHub" button at the top right of the tutorial. You will have to install OpenSoundscape to use the tutorial.

#### 3.1 Quickstart

First, load the classes from OpenSoundscape.

```
[1]: # import Audio and Spectrogram classes from OpenSoundscape
from opensoundscape.audio import Audio
from opensoundscape.spectrogram import Spectrogram
```

The following code loads an audio file, creates a 224px x 224px -sized spectrogram from it, then creates and saves an image of the spectrogram to the desired path. Each step is discussed in depth below.

```
[2]: # Settings
  original_audio_file = '../tests/lmin.wav'
  image_shape = (224,224)
  spectrogram_save_path = './saved_spectrogram.png'

# Open as Audio
  audio = Audio.from_file(original_audio_file)

# Convert into spectrogram
  spectrogram = Spectrogram.from_audio(audio)
```

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```
# Convert into image
image = spectrogram.to_image(shape=image_shape)

# Save image
image.save(spectrogram_save_path)
```

The above function calls can be condensed to a single line:

## 3.2 Audio loading

Load audio files using OpenSoundscape's Audio class.

OpenSoundscape uses a package called librosa to help load audio files. Librosa automatically supports .wav files, but to use .mp3 files requires that librosa be installed with a package like ffmpeg. See Librosa's installation tips for more information.

An example audio file is stored in the . . /tests/ directory of OpenSoundscape. Load that file:

```
[4]: audio_path = '../tests/1min.wav'
audio_object = Audio.from_file(audio_path)
```

## 3.2.1 Audio properties

The properties of an Audio object include its samples (the actual audio data) and the sample rate (the number of audio samples taken per second, required to understand the samples). After an audio file has been loaded, these can be accessed using the samples and sample\_rate properties, respectively.

## 3.2.2 Loading options

By default, an audio object is loaded with the same sample rate as the source recording. When loading from a file, the sampling rate can be changed or specified. This is useful when working with multiple files and ensuring that all files have a consistent sampling rate. Below, load the same audio file as above, but specify a sampling rate of 22050 Hz.

```
[7]: audio_object_resample = Audio.from_file(audio_path, sample_rate=22050)
    audio_object_resample.sample_rate
[7]: 22050
```

For other options when loading audio objects, see the `from\_file() documentation <api.html#opensoundscape.audio.Audio.from\_file>'\_\_.

## 3.3 Audio methods

The Audio class gives access to a variety of tools to change audio files, load them with special properties, or get information about them. The below examples demonstrate how to bandpass audio recordings, get their duration, extending their length, and trim them. These modifications do not change the original object or the original file itself; instead, they save or return new objects.

Another helpful tool enables the user to trim a series of consecutive clips from a longer audio file. This can be used to split up long files to ready them as inputs to machine learning algorithms. For an example of this, see the data preparation section of the prediction tutorial. For a description of the entire Audio object API, see the API documentation.

## 3.3.1 Bandpassing

Bandpass the audio file to limit its frequency range to 1000 Hz to 5000 Hz.

```
[8]: bandpassed = audio_object.bandpass(low_f = 1000, high_f = 5000)
```

#### 3.3.2 Duration

Get the current duration of the audio in audio\_object.

```
[9]: length = audio_object.duration()
print(length)
60.0
```

### 3.3.3 Extending

Using the duration gotten above, extend the recording to twice its original duration. Internally, this function loops the recording until it reaches the desired length.

```
[10]: extended = audio_object.extend(length * 2)
print(extended.duration())

120.0
```

## 3.3.4 Trimming

Trim the extended recording to its original length again, but select the last 60 seconds instead of the first 60 seconds.

```
[11]: trimmed = extended.trim(start_time = 60.0, end_time = 120.0)
```

The below logic shows that the samples of the original audio object are equal to the samples of the extended-then-trimmed audio object.

```
[12]: from numpy.testing import assert_array_equal assert_array_equal (trimmed.samples, audio_object.samples)
```

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## 3.4 Spectrogram creation

#### 3.4.1 Loading spectrograms

A Spectrogram object can be created from an audio object using the from\_audio() method.

```
[13]: audio_path = '../tests/1min.wav'
audio_object = Audio.from_file(audio_path)
spectrogram_object = Spectrogram.from_audio(audio_object)
```

Spectrograms can also be loaded from saved images using the from\_file() method.

## 3.4.2 Spectrogram properties

To check the scale of a spectrogram, you can look at its times and frequencies properties. The times property is the list of times represented by each column of the spectrogram. The frequencies property is the list of frequencies represented by each row of the spectrogram. These are not the actual values of the spectrogram – just the scale of the spectrogram itself.

```
[14]: spec = Spectrogram.from_audio(Audio.from_file('../tests/lmin.wav'))
    print(f'the first few times: {spec.times[0:5]}')
    print(f'the first few frequencies: {spec.frequencies[0:5]}')

the first few times: [0.008 0.016 0.024 0.032 0.04 ]
    the first few frequencies: [ 0. 62.5 125. 187.5 250. ]
```

## 3.4.3 Loading options

Loading a spectrogram from an Audio object gives access to several options to customize the calculation of the spectrogram. For instance, use the following steps to create a spectrogram with a higher time-resolution.

First, load an audio file with high sample rate.

```
[15]: audio = Audio.from_file('../tests/1min.wav', sample_rate=44100)
```

Next, create a spectrogram with 100-sample windows (100/44100 s of audio per window) and no overlap.

```
[16]: spec = Spectrogram.from_audio(audio, window_samples=100, overlap_samples=0)
```

Note that while this increases the time-resolution of a spectrogram, it reduces the frequency-resolution of the spectrogram.

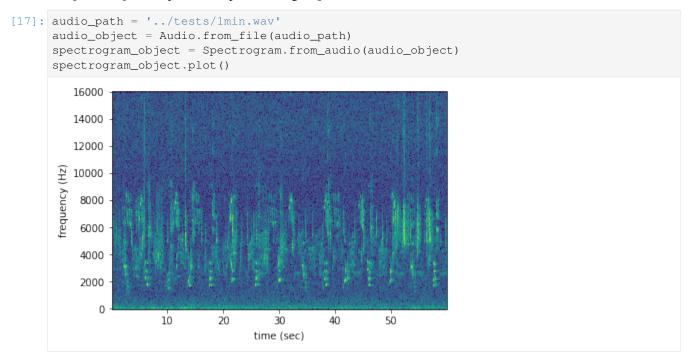
For other options when loading spectrogram objects from audio objects, see the `from\_audio() documentation <api.html#opensoundscape.spectrogram.Spectrogram.from\_audio>'\_\_.

## 3.5 Spectrogram methods

The tools and features of the spectrogram class are demonstrated here, including plotting; how spectrograms can be generated from modified audio; saving a spectrogram as an image; customizing a spectrogram; trimming and bandpassing a spectrogram; and calculating the amplitude signal from a spectrogram.

### 3.5.1 Plotting

A Spectrogram object can be plotted using its plot () method.



## 3.5.2 Loading modified audio

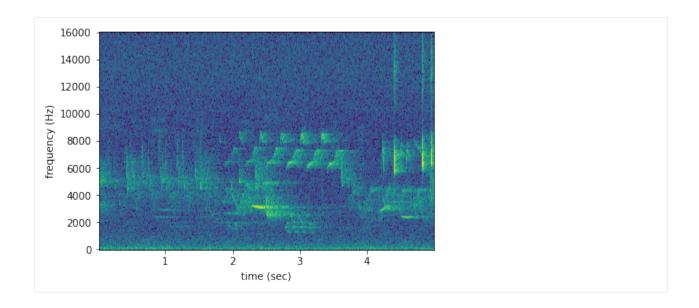
The from\_audio method converts whatever audio is inside the audio object into a spectrogram. So, modified Audio objects can be turned into spectrograms as well.

For example, the code below demonstrates creating a spectrogram from a 5 second long trim of the audio object. Compare this plot to the plot above.

```
[18]: # Trim the original audio
    trimmed = audio_object.trim(0, 5)

# Create a spectrogram from the trimmed audio
    spec = Spectrogram.from_audio(trimmed)

# Plot the spectrogram
    spec.plot()
```



#### 3.5.3 Saving a spectrogram

To save the created spectrogram, first convert it to an image. It will no longer be an OpenSoundscape Spectrogram object, but instead a Python Image Library (PIL) Image object.

Save the PIL Image using its save () method, supplying the filename at which you want to save the image.

```
[20]: image_path = './saved_spectrogram.png'
spectrogram_image.save(image_path)
```

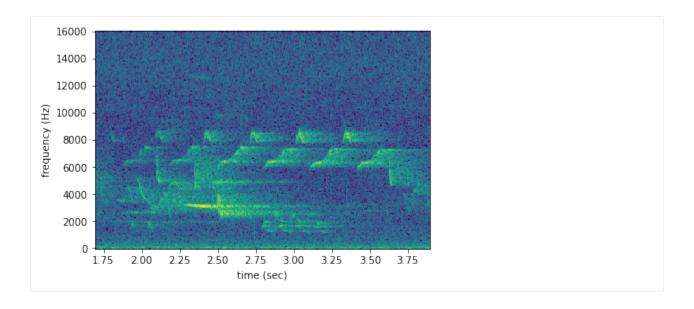
To save the spectrogram at a desired size, specify the image shape when converting the Spectrogram to a PIL Image.

```
[21]: image_shape = (512,512)
  image_path = './saved_spectrogram_large.png'
  spectrogram_image = spectrogram_object.to_image(shape=image_shape)
  spectrogram_image.save(image_path)
```

#### 3.5.4 Trimming

Spectrograms can be trimmed in time using trim(). Trim the above spectrogram to zoom in on one vocalization.

```
[22]: spec_trimmed = spec.trim(1.7, 3.9)
spec_trimmed.plot()
```

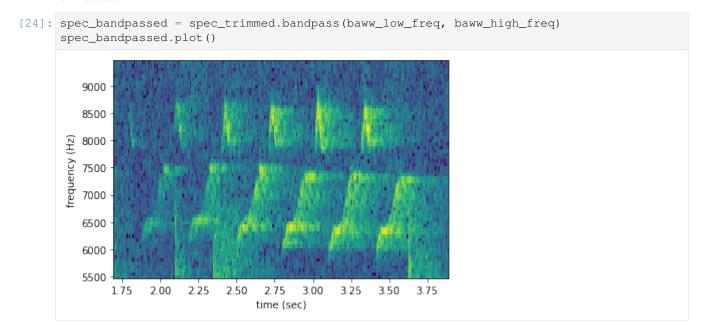


## 3.5.5 Bandpassing

Spectrograms can be trimmed in frequency using bandpass (). For instance, the vocalization zoomed in on above is the song of a Black-and-white Warbler (*Mniotilta varia*), one of the highest-frequency bird songs in our area. Set its approximate frequency range.

```
[23]: baww_low_freq = 5500
baww_high_freq = 9500
```

Bandpass the above time-trimmed spectrogram in frequency as well to limit the spectrogram view to the vocalization of interest.



### 3.5.6 Calculating amplitude signal

OpenSoundscape can calculate the amplitude of an audio file over time using the Spectrogram class. First, make a spectrogram from 5 seconds' worth of audio.

```
[25]: spec = Spectrogram.from_audio(Audio.from_file('../tests/1min.wav').trim(0,5))
```

Next, use the amplitude () method to get the amplitude signal.

```
[26]: high_freq_amplitude = spec.amplitude()
```

Plot this signal over time to visualize it.

```
[27]: from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
plt.plot(spec.times,high_freq_amplitude)
plt.xlabel('time (sec)')
plt.ylabel('amplitude')
plt.show()

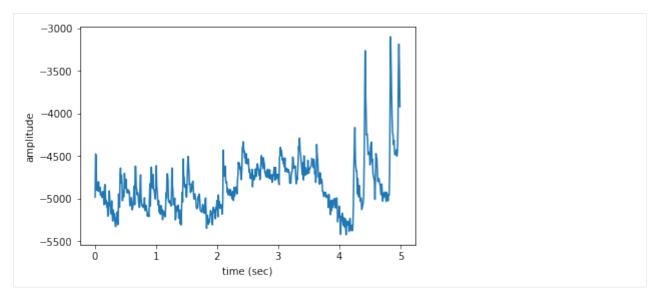
-16000
-17000
-19000
-19000
-20000
-1 2 3 4 5
time (sec)
```

It is also possible to get the amplitude signal from a restricted range of frequencies, e.g., to look at the amplitude in the frequency range of a species of interest.

Look again at the frequency range of the Black-and-white Warbler, discussed above.

```
[28]: # Get amplitude signal
high_freq_amplitude = spec.amplitude(freq_range=[baww_low_freq, baww_high_freq])

# Plot signal
plt.plot(spec.times, high_freq_amplitude)
plt.xlabel('time (sec)')
plt.ylabel('amplitude')
plt.show()
```



The amplitude in the Black-and-white Warbler frequency range is on average lower in the first two seconds of the recording, gets higher when the warbler sings between 2-4s, and then drops off at 4s. At 4-5s into the recording, there are large spikes in this frequency range from high-frequency noise, the loud "chips" of another animal.

Amplitude signals like these can be used to identify periodic calls, like those by many species of frogs. A pulsing-call identification pipeline called RIBBIT is implemented in OpenSoundscape.

Amplitude signals may not be the most reliable method of identification for species like birds. In this case, it is possible to create a machine learning algorithm to identify calls based on their appearance on spectrograms. For more information, see the algorithm training tutorial. The developers of OpenSoundscape have trained machine learning models for over 500 common North American bird species; for examples of how to download demonstration models, see the prediction tutorial.

## CHAPTER 4

## Machine learning: training

Biologists are increasingly using acoustic recorders to study species of interest. Many bioacousticians want to determine the identity of the sounds they have recorded; a variety of manual and automated methods exist for this purpose. Automated methods can make it easier and faster to quickly predict which species or sounds are in one's recordings.

Using a process called machine learning, bioacousticians can create (or "train") algorithms that can predict the identities of species vocalizing in acoustic recordings. These algorithms, called classifiers, typically do not identify sounds using the recording alone. Instead, they use image recognition techniques to identify sounds in spectrograms created from short segments of audio.

This tutorial will guide you through the process of training a simple classifier for a single species. To download the tutorial as a Jupyter Notebook and run it on your own computer, click the "Edit on GitHub" button at the top right of the tutorial. You will have to install OpenSoundscape to use the tutorial.

First, use the following packages to create a machine learning classifier. First, from OpenSoundscape import the following three functions (run\_command, binary\_train\_valid\_split, and train) and three classes (Audio, Spectrogram, and SingleTargetAudioDataset).

```
[1]: from opensoundscape.audio import Audio
from opensoundscape.spectrogram import Spectrogram
from opensoundscape.datasets import SingleTargetAudioDataset

from opensoundscape.helpers import run_command
from opensoundscape.data_selection import binary_train_valid_split
from opensoundscape.torch.train import train
```

Import the following machine learning-related modules. OpenSoundscape uses PyTorch to do machine learning.

```
[2]: import torch
import torch.nn
import torch.optim
import torchvision.models
```

Lastly, use a few miscellaneous functions.

```
[3]: # For interacting with paths on the filesystem
import os.path
from pathlib import Path

# For working with dataframes, arrays, and plotting
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

# For handling output of the training function
import io
from contextlib import redirect_stdout
```

## 4.1 Prepare audio data

#### 4.1.1 Download labeled audio files

Training a machine learning model requires some pre-labeled data. These data, in the form of audio recordings or spectrograms, are labeled with whether or not they contain the sound of the species of interest. These data can be obtained from online databases such as Xeno-Canto.org, or by labeling one's own ARU data using a program like Cornell's "Raven" sound analysis software.

The Kitzes Lab has created a small labeled dataset of short clips of American Woodcock vocalizations. You have two options for obtaining the folder of data, called woodcock\_labeled\_data:

- 1. Run the following cell to download this small dataset. These commands require you to have curl and tar installed on your computer, as they will download and unzip a compressed file in .tar.gz format.
- 2. Download a . zip version of the files by clicking here. You will have to unzip this folder and place the unzipped folder in the same folder that this notebook is in.

## 4.1.2 Inspect the data

The folder contains 2s long audio clips taken from an autonomous recording unit. It also contains a file woodcock\_labels.csv which contains the names of each file and its corresponding label information, created using a program called Specky.

Look at the contents of woodcock\_labels.csv. First, load them into a pandas DataFrame called labels. Use labels.shape to see how many audio files there are.

```
[5]: labels = pd.read_csv(Path("woodcock_labeled_data/woodcock_labels.csv"))
labels.shape
```

```
[5]: (29, 3)
```

The above call to labels.shape showed that there were 29 rows and 3 columns in the loaded dataframe. Look at the head() of this dataframe to see the first 5 rows of its contents.

```
[6]: labels.head()

[6]: filename woodcock sound_type

0 d4c40b6066b489518f8da83aflee4984.wav present song
1 e84a4b60a4f2d049d73162ee99a7ead8.wav absent na
2 79678c979ebb880d5ed6d56f26ba69ff.wav present song
3 49890077267b569e142440fa39b3041c.wav present song
4 0c453a87185d8c7ce05c5c5ac5d525dc.wav present song
```

Before splitting this dataframe into training and validation sets, prepend the name of the folder in front of the filename. This allows our computer program to find these files on the filesystem during the training process.

```
[7]: labels['filename'] = 'woodcock_labeled_data' + os.path.sep + labels['filename'].
     →astype(str)
    labels.head()
                                                filename woodcock sound_type
[7]:
    0 woodcock_labeled_data/d4c40b6066b489518f8da83a... present
                                                                        sona
    1 woodcock_labeled_data/e84a4b60a4f2d049d73162ee...
                                                          absent
                                                                          na
      woodcock_labeled_data/79678c979ebb880d5ed6d56f... present
                                                                        song
      woodcock_labeled_data/49890077267b569e142440fa... present
                                                                        song
      woodcock_labeled_data/0c453a87185d8c7ce05c5c5a... present
                                                                        song
```

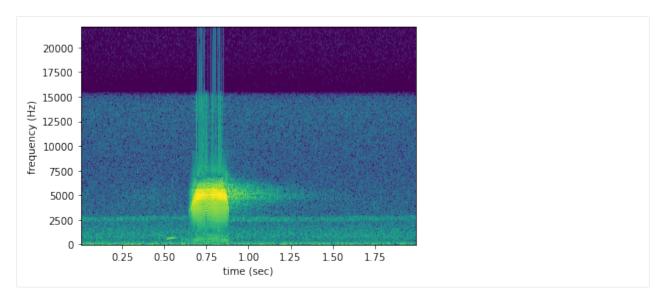
Now, use OpenSoundscape's Spectrogram and Audio classes to take a look at these files. For more information on the use of these classes, see the tutorial.

The first row in the labels dataframe contains a file with the following labels: the American Woodcock is present ("woodcock" = "present" and it makes a "song" in the recording ("sound\_type" = "song"). Get the filename for this recording.

```
[8]: filename0 = labels.iloc[0]['filename']
```

Create a spectrogram from this file. The high-contrast signal of an American Woodcock display sound ("peent") is visible about 0.6 seconds into the recording.

```
[9]: spect = Spectrogram.from_audio(Audio.from_file(filename0))
spect.plot()
```



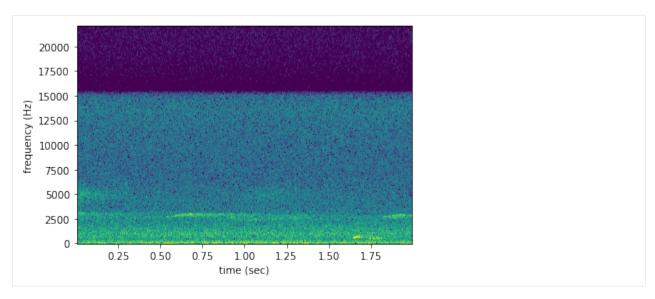
The second file, which is marked as not having a woodcock in it ("woodcock" = "absent"), has no such signal:

```
[10]: filename1 = labels.iloc[1]['filename']
      spect = Spectrogram.from_audio(Audio.from_file(filename1))
      spect.plot()
          20000
          17500
          15000
       frequency (Hz)
          12500
          10000
           7500
           5000
           2500
              0
                             0.50
                                                   1.25
                                                          1.50
                                                                 1.75
                      0.25
                                    0.75
                                            1.00
                                         time (sec)
```

Farther below in the dataset, there are recordings labeled to contain only the "call" of a woodcock. First, list these recordings:

In reality, the "call" designation means that the woodcock only makes a short, soft, and low introductory sound, instead of the full "peent." Make a spectrogram of one of them to see the difference.

```
[12]: filename22 = labels.iloc[22]['filename']
spect = Spectrogram.from_audio(Audio.from_file(filename22))
spect.plot()
```



The low sound of the introductory note appears around 1000 kHz at about 1.6 seconds into the recording. Compared to the spectrogram above containing the song, this introductory note is similar to the note that comes before the loud "peent." Although in some applications the user might want to identify this call, it is probably better to mark these as "absences." The following code creates a new column just to identify whether or not the peent is present:

```
[13]: labels['woodcock_song'] = np.where(labels['sound_type']=='song', 'present', 'absent')
     labels
                                                    filename woodcock sound_type
[13]:
      0
          woodcock_labeled_data/d4c40b6066b489518f8da83a...
                                                              present
                                                                             sona
          woodcock_labeled_data/e84a4b60a4f2d049d73162ee...
     1
                                                               absent
                                                                               na
     2
          woodcock_labeled_data/79678c979ebb880d5ed6d56f...
                                                              present
                                                                             song
      3
          woodcock_labeled_data/49890077267b569e142440fa...
                                                              present
                                                                             song
      4
         woodcock_labeled_data/0c453a87185d8c7ce05c5c5a...
                                                              present
                                                                             song
      5
         woodcock_labeled_data/0fc107ec5e76bf7a98dd207a...
                                                               absent
                                                                               na
      6
         woodcock_labeled_data/50b6b7c7e843597e0dbc6986...
                                                              present
                                                                             sona
      7
          woodcock_labeled_data/35ca80c22127c3c0ae032a08...
                                                              absent
                                                                               na
     8
          woodcock_labeled_data/f87d427bef752f5accbd8990... present
                                                                             call
      9
          woodcock_labeled_data/0ab7732b506105717708ea95... present
                                                                             song
     10
         woodcock_labeled_data/ad90eefb6196ca83f9cf43b6...
                                                             present
                                                                             song
     11
         woodcock_labeled_data/cd0b8d8a89321046e96abee2...
                                                               absent
                                                                               na
     12
          woodcock_labeled_data/24073ce519bf1d24107da8a9...
                                                              present
                                                                             song
     13
          woodcock_labeled_data/863095c237c52ec51cff7395...
                                                              present
                                                                             song
     14
          woodcock_labeled_data/882de25226ed989b31274eea...
                                                              present
                                                                             song
     15
          woodcock labeled data/6a83b011665c482c1f260d8e...
                                                               absent.
                                                                               na
         woodcock_labeled_data/45c4b1ed3d7d0acc27125579...
     16
                                                             present
                                                                             song
     17
         woodcock_labeled_data/4bb7dbc13db479e8b5769dd9... present
                                                                             song
     18
         woodcock_labeled_data/75b2f63e032dbd6d19790049... present
                                                                             song
     19
         woodcock_labeled_data/4afa902e823095e03ba23ebc... present
                                                                             song
         woodcock_labeled_data/01c5d0c90bd4652f308fd9c7... present
     2.0
                                                                             song
         woodcock_labeled_data/92647ab903049a9ee4125abd... present
                                                                             sona
     22
         woodcock_labeled_data/c057a4486b25cd638850fc07... present
                                                                             call
     23
         woodcock_labeled_data/e9e7153d11de3ac8fc3f7164...
                                                             present
                                                                             song
     2.4
         woodcock_labeled_data/724d8e61b678a6a897b47ed6...
                                                               absent
                                                                               na
     25
         woodcock_labeled_data/ad14ac7ffa729060712b442e...
                                                               absent
                                                                               na
     26
         woodcock_labeled_data/0d043e9954d9d80ca2c3e860...
                                                              present
                                                                             sona
          woodcock_labeled_data/78654b6f687d7635f50fba35...
     2.7
                                                              present
                                                                             song
          woodcock_labeled_data/ec0bd96aee95f03b47628b9c...
                                                                             song
```

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```
woodcock_song
0
         present
1
          absent
2
          present
3
          present
4
          present
5
           absent
6
          present
7
           absent
8
           absent
9
          present
10
         present
11
          absent
12
         present
13
         present
14
         present
15
          absent
16
          present
17
         present
18
          present
19
         present
20
         present
21
          present
22
          absent
23
          present
24
          absent
25
          absent
26
          present
2.7
          present
28
          present
```

#### 4.1.3 Create numeric labels

Although the labels are currently "present" and "absent," the library used for machine learning requires numeric labels, not string labels. So, use the following code to transform the "present" and "absent" labels into 0s and 1s. First, define a mapping from the string labels to the numeric labels:

```
[14]: stringlabel_to_numbericlabel = {"absent":0, "present":1}
```

Next, create a new column of numeric labels:

```
[15]: labels["numeric_labels"] = labels["woodcock_song"].apply(lambda x: stringlabel_to_
      →numbericlabel[x])
     labels.head()
[15]:
                                                 filename woodcock sound_type
     0 woodcock_labeled_data/d4c40b6066b489518f8da83a... present
       woodcock_labeled_data/e84a4b60a4f2d049d73162ee...
                                                                           na
        woodcock_labeled_data/79678c979ebb880d5ed6d56f... present
                                                                         song
     3
        woodcock_labeled_data/49890077267b569e142440fa... present
                                                                         song
        woodcock_labeled_data/0c453a87185d8c7ce05c5c5a... present
                                                                         song
       woodcock_song numeric_labels
             present
```

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```
1 absent 0
2 present 1
3 present 1
4 present 1
```

Now drop the unnecessary columns of this dataset, leaving just the "filename" and the "numeric\_labels" columns required to train a machine learning algorithm.

In order to make it easier for future users to interpret the model results, save a dictionary that associates each numeric label with an explanatory string variable. In this case, mark the 0-labeled recordings "scolopax-minor-absent" and the 1-labeled recordings "scolopax-minor-present". That way, as long as the model is bundled with this metadata, it will be easy to see that the 1 prediction corresponds to American Woodcock (scientific name *Scolopax minor*).

```
[17]: label_dict = {0:'scolopax-minor-absent', 1:'scolopax-minor-present'}
```

## 4.2 Create machine learning datasets

## 4.2.1 Training-validation split

Next, to use machine learning on these files, they must be separated into two datasets. The "training" dataset will be used to teach the machine learning algorithm. The "validation" dataset will be used to evaluate the algorithm's performance each epoch. The process of separating the data into multiple datasets is often known in machine learning as creating a "split."

Typically, machine learning practitioners use a separate validation set to check on the model's performance during and after training. While the training data are used to teach the model how to identify its focal species, the validation data are not used to teach the model. Instead, they are held out as a separate comparison. This allows us to check how well the model generalizes to data it has never seen before. A model that performs well on the training set, but very poorly on the validation set, is said to be *overfit*. Overfit models are great at identifying the original recordings they saw, but are often not useful for real applications.

First, look at the dataframe again.

```
[18]: labels.head()

[18]: filename numeric_labels

0 woodcock_labeled_data/d4c40b6066b489518f8da83a... 1

1 woodcock_labeled_data/e84a4b60a4f2d049d73162ee... 0

2 woodcock_labeled_data/79678c979ebb880d5ed6d56f... 1

3 woodcock_labeled_data/49890077267b569e142440fa... 1

4 woodcock_labeled_data/0c453a87185d8c7ce05c5c5a... 1
```

It's often desirable to make a *stratified split*. This means that the percentage of samples in the original dataset that have each label, will be roughly equal to the percentage of each label in the training and validation datasets. So, for

instance, if half of the recordings in the original dataframe had the species present, in a stratified split, half of the recordings in the training dataframe and in the validation dataframe would have the species present.

Use a scikit-learn function to do this, specifying the "numeric\_labels" column as the one to stratify over.

Check that the dataframes are stratified correctly. Compare the fraction of positives in the original dataset with the fraction of positives in the training and validation subsets.

So, the fraction is very close, though not exact—owing to the difference in size of these two datasets. This is not unexpected.

#### 4.2.2 Format as SingleTargetAudioDatasetS

Turn these dataframes into "Datasets" using the SingleTargetAudioDataset class. Once they are set up in this class, they can be used by the training algorithm. Data augmentation could be applied in this step, but is not demonstrated here; for more information, see the relevant API documentation.

To use this class, specify the names of the relevant columns in the dataframes:

## 4.3 Train the machine learning model

Next, set up the architecture of the machine learning model and train it.

#### 4.3.1 Set up model architecture

The model architecture is a neural network. Neural networks are so-named for their loose similarity to neurons. Each **neuron** takes in a small amount of data, performs a transformation to the data, and passes it on with some weight to the next neuron. Neurons are usually organized in **layers**; each neuron in one layer can be connected to one or multiple neurons in the next layer. Complex structures can arise from this series of connections.

The neural network used here is a combination of a feature extractor and a classifier. The **feature extractor** is a convolutional neural network (CNN). CNNs are a special class of neural network commonly used for image classification. They are able to interpret pixels that are near each other to identify shapes or textures in images, like lines, dots, and edges. During the training process, the CNN learns which shapes and textures are important for distinguishing between different classes.

The specific CNN used here is resnet18, using the pretrained=True option. This means that the model loaded is a version that somebody has already trained on another image dataset called ImageNet, so it has a head start on understanding features commonly seen in images. Although spectrograms aren't the same type of images as the photographs used in ImageNet, using the pretrained model will allow the model to more quickly adapt to identifying spectrograms.

```
[24]: model = torchvision.models.resnet18(pretrained = True)
```

Although we refer to the whole neural network as a classifier, the part of the neural network that actually does the species classification is its fc, or "fully connected," layers. This part of the neural network is called "fully connected" because it consists of several layers of neurons, where every neuron in each layer is connected to every other neuron in its adjacent layers.

These layers come after the CNN layers, which have already interpreted an image's features. The fc layers then use those interpretations to classify the image. The number of output features of the CNN, therefore, is the number of input features of the fc layers:

```
[25]: model.fc.in_features
[25]: 512
```

Use a Linear classifier for the fc. To set up the Linear classifier, identify the input and output size for this classifier. As described above, the fc takes in the outputs of the feature extractor, so in\_features = model.fc. in\_features. The model identifies one species, so it has to be able to output a "present" or "absent" classification. Thus, out\_features=2. A multi-species model would use out\_features=number\_of\_species.

```
[26]: model.fc = torch.nn.Linear(in_features = model.fc.in_features, out_features = 2)
```

#### 4.3.2 Train the model

Next, create set up a directory in which to save results.

```
[27]: results_path = Path('model_train_results')
if not results_path.exists(): results_path.mkdir()
```

The scikit-learn function may throw errors when calculating metrics; the following code will silence them.

```
[28]: def warn(*args, **kwargs):
    pass
import warnings
warnings.warn = warn
```

Finally, run the model training with the following parameters: \*save\_dir: the directory in which to save results (which is created if it doesn't exist) \*model: the model set up in the previous cell \*train\_dataset: the training dataset created using SingleTargetAudioDataset \*optimizer: the optimizer to use for training the algorithm \*loss\_fn: the loss function used to assess the algorithm's performance during training \*epochs: the number of times the model will run through the training data \*log\_every: how frequently to save performance data and save intermediate machine learning weights (log\_every=1 will save every epoch)

The train function allows the user to control more parameters, but they are not demonstrated here. For more information, see the train API.

```
[29]: train_outputs = io.StringIO()
with redirect_stdout(train_outputs):
    train(
        save_dir = results_path,
        model = model,
        train_dataset = train_dataset,
        valid_dataset = valid_dataset,
        optimizer = torch.optim.SGD(model.parameters(), lr=1e-3),
        loss_fn = torch.nn.CrossEntropyLoss(),
        epochs=10,
        log_every=1,
        print_logging=True,
    )
```

## 4.4 Evaluate model performance

When training is complete, it is important to check the training results to see how well the model identifies sounds. This model was only trained on a limited amount of data, so the model is expected to not be usable—it is for demonstration purposes only.

The outputs of the training function were saved to train\_outputs. Check out the first 100 characters of this output.

```
[30]: source_text = train_outputs.getvalue()
print(source_text[:100])

Epoch 0
   Training.
   Validating.
   Validation results:
        train_loss: 0.7144076221663019
        train
```

These functions help to parse the log text. They simply extract the resulting "metric" in each epoch. Metrics include accuracy, precision, recall, and f1 score.

```
[31]: def extract_all_lines_containing(source_text, str_to_extract):
    """Case-sensitive search for lines containing str_to_extract"""
    finished = False
    lines = source_text.split('\n')
    extract_lines = [line for line in lines if str_to_extract in line]
    return extract_lines

def strip_log(log, sep=': '):
    return log.split(sep)[1]
```

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Plot the validation accuracy each epoch. These results will look different every time the model is trained, as it is a stochastic process.

```
[32]: metrics_to_plot = ['valid_accuracy', 'train_accuracy']
      fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1)
      for metric in metrics_to_plot:
          results = get_metric_from_log(source_text, metric)
          ax.scatter(range(len(results)), results)
      ax.set_ylim(0, 1)
      ax.set_title('model training results')
      ax.legend(metrics_to_plot)
      plt.show()
                          model training results
       1.0
                                                 valid accuracy
                                                 train accuracy
       0.8
       0.6
       0.4
       0.2
       0.0
                       2
                                 4
                                           6
                                                     8
```

Lastly, this command "cleans up" by deleting all the downloaded files and results. Only run this if you are ready to remove the results of this analysis.

```
[33]: import shutil
# Delete downloads
shutil.rmtree(Path("woodcock_labeled_data"))
# Delete results
shutil.rmtree(results_path)
```

Machine learning: prediction

Machine learning-trained algorithms can predict whether bioacoustic recordings contain a sound of interest. For instance, an algorithm trained how to detect the sound of a Wood Thrush can be used to predict where Wood Thrushes vocalize in a set of autonomous recordings.

The Kitzes Lab, the developers of OpenSoundscape, pre-trained a series of baseline machine learning models that can be used to predict the presence of 506 species of common North American birds. These are our "beta" models and are for demonstration purposes only, not for research use. We hope to make our more accurate models available soon.

If you are interested in using these machine learning models for research, please contact us at the Kitzes Lab.

This tutorial downloads an example model and demonstrates how to use it to predict the identity of birds in recordings. To download the tutorial as a Jupyter Notebook and run it on your own computer, click the "Edit on GitHub" button at the top right of the tutorial. You will have to install OpenSoundscape to use the tutorial.

## 5.1 Import modules

Import the following modules to run a pre-trained machine learning learning classifier. First, from OpenSoundscape we will need two classes (Audio and SingleTargetAudioDataset) and three functions (run\_command, lowercase\_annotations, and predict).

```
[1]: from opensoundscape.audio import Audio
from opensoundscape.datasets import SingleTargetAudioDataset
from opensoundscape.helpers import run_command
from opensoundscape.raven import lowercase_annotations
from opensoundscape.torch.predict import predict
```

Import the following machine learning-related modules. OpenSoundscape uses PyTorch to do machine learning.

```
[2]: import torch
import torch.nn
import torchvision.models
import torch.utils.data
import torchvision.transforms
```

Lastly, use a few miscellaneous functions.

```
[3]: import yaml
import os.path
import pandas as pd
from pathlib import Path
from math import floor
```

## 5.2 Download model

To use the model, it must be downloaded onto your computer and loaded with the same specifications it was created with.

Download the example model for Wood Thrush, *Hylocichla mustelina*. First, create a folder called "prediction\_example" to store the model and its data in.

```
[4]: folder_name = "prediction_example"
folder_path = Path(folder_name)
if not folder_path.exists(): folder_path.mkdir()
```

Next, download the model from the Box storage site using the following lines. If you prefer, you can also download the model off of this webpage. Make sure to move it into the "prediction\_example" folder and ensure that it is named "hylocichla-mustelina-epoch-4.model".

Make sure that the model was downloaded correctly.

```
[7]: assert (model_filename.exists())
```

## 5.3 Load model

At its core, a machine learning model consists of two things: its architecture and its weights.

The architecture is the complex structure of the model, which in this case, is a convolutional neural network. Convolutional neural networks are a particular set of algorithms especially suited to extracting and interpreting features from images, such as combinations of lines, dots, and edges. In this case, we use a resnet18 convolutional neural network. After feature extraction, the convolutional neural network's features are passed to a classifier. The classifier decides how to weight each feature in predicting the final class identity. The model was trained with a Linear classifier.

Create the architecture of the model. First, designate the model as a resnet18 CNN.

```
[8]: model = torchvision.models.resnet18(pretrained=False)
```

Then, add the fc layers. "FC" stands for "fully connected". To set up the proper architecture, we need to specify the correct number of input features, output features, and classifier type.

The number of input features to the FC is equal to the number of features extracted from the convolutional neural network and passed to the FC layer: model.fc.in\_features

```
[9]: num_cnn_features = model.fc.in_features
```

The models were trained to predict two classes (species present and species absent), so the number of output features of the FC layer is 2.

```
[10]: num_classes = 2
```

Finally, the classifier type is a torch.nn.Linear classifier.

```
[11]: model.fc = torch.nn.Linear(
    in_features = num_cnn_features,
    out_features = num_classes)
```

The weights of the model are distinguished from its architecture because, while the architecture is decided by humans, the weights of the architecture are learned during the machine learning process. When downloading the machine learning model, you downloaded the weights.

First, use torch.load to get the model weights from the filename.

```
[12]: weights = torch.load(model_filename)
```

Now, load the weights into the architecture we have created. After this the model is almost ready to use.

```
[13]: model.load_state_dict(weights)
[13]: <All keys matched successfully>
```

## 5.4 Prepare prediction files

To actually use the model, we need to download and prepare a set of recordings. The model was trained to make predictions on spectrograms made from 5 second-long recordings, so we will have to split the recordings up and transform them into spectrograms.

As example data, we have provided a 1 minute-long soundscape which contains Wood Thrush vocalizations.

The following code downloads this audio file into the "prediction\_example" folder created above. If you prefer, you can also download this file at this link. Make sure to move it into the "prediction\_example" folder and ensure that it is named "lmin.wav".

The example soundscape must be split up into soundscapes of the same size as the ones the model was trained on. In this case, the soundscapes should be 5s long.

First, create a directory in which to save split files.

```
[15]: split_directory = folder_path.joinpath("split_files")
     if not split_directory.exists(): split_directory.mkdir()
```

Next, load the 1-minute long file as an Audio object.

```
[16]: base_file = Audio.from_file(data_filename)
```

Every split file will be saved with a prefix and the start and end times of the split with respect to the original file. In this case, make the prefix equal to the filename of the base file, without the extension (its stem):

```
[17]: split_prefix = data_filename.stem
     split_prefix
[17]: '1min'
```

Audio objects have the method split\_and\_save() which allows you to split the recording in the audio object into segments of the specified length. Here, we split the clips into a 5s length, specify the directory they should be saved in (the split directory just created) and specify the prefix of the file.

```
[18]: split_files = base_file.split_and_save(
         clip_length=5,
         destination=split_directory,
         name=split_prefix
```

The output of this function, split\_files, is a dataframe which identifies the filename of each split and its start and end times:

```
[19]: split_files
[19]:
                       start_time end_time
     file
     1min_0s-5s.wav
                                0
                                         5
     1min_5s-10s.wav
                               5
                                        1.0
     1min_10s-15s.wav
                              10
                                        15
     1min_15s-20s.wav
                              15
                                        2.0
     1min_20s-25s.wav
                                        25
                              20
     1min_25s-30s.wav
                              25
                                        30
     1min_30s-35s.wav
                               30
                                        35
     1min_35s-40s.wav
                               35
                                        40
     1min_40s-45s.wav
                               40
                                        45
     1min_45s-50s.wav
                              45
                                        50
     1min_50s-55s.wav
                               50
                                        55
     1min_55s-60s.wav
                               55
                                        60
```

Prepend the "file" index with the directory in which the files are found so that the computer can refer to the files:

```
[20]: split_files['file_path'] = [split_directory.joinpath(split_file) for split_file in_
      →split_files.index]
[21]: split_files.head()
[21]:
                        start_time end_time \
      file
      1min_0s-5s.wav
                                 0
                                          5
      1min_5s-10s.wav
                                5
                                         10
      1min_10s-15s.wav
                                10
                                         15
      1min_15s-20s.wav
                                15
                                          20
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```

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```
1min_20s-25s.wav 20 25

file_path

file

1min_0s-5s.wav prediction_example/split_files/1min_0s-5s.wav

1min_5s-10s.wav prediction_example/split_files/1min_5s-10s.wav

1min_10s-15s.wav prediction_example/split_files/1min_10s-15s.wav

1min_15s-20s.wav prediction_example/split_files/1min_15s-20s.wav

1min_20s-25s.wav prediction_example/split_files/1min_20s-25s.wav
```

## 5.5 Create a Dataset

Now that the data are split, we can create a "dataset" from them.

To create a dataset requires that we create a dictionary that associates numeric labels with the class names: 1 is for predicting a Wood Thrush's presence; 0 is for predicting a Wood Thrush's absence. In more recent versions of the model, this label dictionary is packaged with the model download.

```
[22]: label_dict = {0:'hylocichla-mustelina-absent', 1:'hylocichla-mustelina-present'}
```

Now we create a SingleTargetAudioDataset. This structure enables the data to be transformed into spectrograms when test\_dataset is accessed.

The test\_dataset is a list of dictionaries. Each element of the list contains a dictionary for one of the files to predict on.

```
[24]: len(test_dataset)
[24]: 12
```

Each dictionary in test\_dataset has one or two keys. In all cases, the dictionary has a key 'X' which refers to the spectrogram. If a dataset is created with true labels, the dictionary also has a 'y' key which links to the true label. Because it is unknown which of these files contain Wood Thrush songs, no true labels were given when creating the dataset.

The spectrogram itself is stored as a PyTorch tensor. For example, here is the tensor of the first spectrogram:

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```
[0.7529, 0.6784, 0.7373, ..., 0.7922, 0.6667, 0.5608],
[0.8118, 0.7294, 0.7451, ..., 0.7294, 0.6314, 0.5961],
...,
[0.3961, 0.4353, 0.4471, ..., 0.4941, 0.5255, 0.4941],
[0.3843, 0.3843, 0.5020, ..., 0.4353, 0.4431, 0.4118],
[0.5176, 0.5882, 0.6039, ..., 0.5020, 0.4980, 0.4902]],

[[0.8471, 0.7373, 0.8039, ..., 0.7686, 0.7608, 0.7882],
[0.7529, 0.6784, 0.7373, ..., 0.7922, 0.6667, 0.5608],
[0.8118, 0.7294, 0.7451, ..., 0.7294, 0.6314, 0.5961],
...,
[0.3961, 0.4353, 0.4471, ..., 0.4941, 0.5255, 0.4941],
[0.3843, 0.3843, 0.5020, ..., 0.4353, 0.4431, 0.4118],
[0.5176, 0.5882, 0.6039, ..., 0.5020, 0.4980, 0.4902]]])
```

To view this spectrogram, use PyTorch's transforms. ToPILImage () function. This function returns a transformer. Call the transformer on the first tensor to display the spectrogram as an image.

```
[26]: transformer = torchvision.transforms.ToPILImage()
    transformer(first_tensor)
[26]:
```

## 5.6 Use model on prediction files

Finally, the model can be used for prediction. Use OpenSoundscape's predict function to call the model on the test dataset. The label\_dict created above is used to make the classes interpretable; otherwise, the classes would just be numbered.

```
[28]: prediction_df = predict(model, test_dataset, label_dict=label_dict)
     prediction_df
[28]:
                                                       hylocichla-mustelina-absent
     prediction_example/split_files/1min_0s-5s.wav
                                                                           2.351259
                                                                           2.513747
     prediction_example/split_files/1min_5s-10s.wav
                                                                           0.816133
     prediction_example/split_files/1min_10s-15s.wav
     prediction_example/split_files/1min_15s-20s.wav
                                                                           0.273381
     prediction_example/split_files/1min_20s-25s.wav
                                                                           1.315882
     prediction_example/split_files/1min_25s-30s.wav
                                                                           1.744635
     prediction_example/split_files/1min_30s-35s.wav
                                                                           1.940377
```

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-1.988923

-0.927409

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Finally, this command "cleans up" by deleting all the downloaded files and results. Only run this if you are ready to remove the results of this analysis.

```
[29]: import shutil
  shutil.rmtree(folder_path)
```

prediction\_example/split\_files/1min\_50s-55s.wav

prediction\_example/split\_files/1min\_55s-60s.wav

### RIBBIT Pulse Rate model demonstration

RIBBIT (Repeat-Interval Based Bioacoustic Identification Tool) is a tool for detecting vocalizations that have a repeating structure.

This tool is useful for detecting vocalizations of frogs, toads, and other animals that produce vocalizations with a periodic structure. In this notebook, we demonstrate how to select model parameters for the Great Plains Toad, then run the model on data to detect vocalizations.

RIBBIT was introduced in the 2020 poster "Automatic Detection of Pulsed Vocalizations"

This notebook demonstrates how to use the RIBBIT tool implemented in open sound scape as open sound scape. ribbit.ribbit()

For help instaling OpenSoundscape, see the documentation

## 6.1 import packages

```
import warnings
warnings.simplefilter('ignore')

#import packages
import numpy as np
from glob import glob
import pandas as pd
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

#local imports from opensoundscape
from opensoundscape.audio import Audio
from opensoundscape.spectrogram import Spectrogram
from opensoundscape.ribbit import ribbit

# create big visuals
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize']=[15,8]
```

## 6.2 download example audio

first, let's download some example audio to work with.

You can run the cell below, **OR** visit this link to downlaod the data (whichever you find easier):

https://pitt.box.com/shared/static/0xclmulc4gy0obewtzbzyfnsczwgr9we.zip

If you download using the link above, first un-zip the folder (double-click on mac or right-click -> extract all on Windows). Then, move the great\_plains\_toad\_dataset folder to the same location on your computer as this notebook. Then you can skip this cell:

```
[2]: from opensoundscape.helpers import run_command

#download files from box.com to the current directory

_ = run_command(f"curl -L https://pitt.box.com/shared/static/

-> 9mrxib85y1jmf1ybbjvbr0tv171iekvy.gz -o ./great_plains_toad_dataset.tar.gz")# / tar -

-> xz -f")

_ = run_command(f"tar -xz -f great_plains_toad_dataset.tar.gz")

#this will print `0` if everything went correctly. If it prints 256 or another number,

-> something is wrong (try downloading from the link above)
```

now, you should have a folder in the same location as this notebook called great\_plains\_toad\_dataset

if you had trouble accessing the data, you can try using your own audio files - just put them in a folder called great\_plains\_toad\_dataset in the same location as this notebook, and this notebook will load whatever is in that folder

## 6.2.1 load an audio file and create a spectrogram

```
[3]: audio_path = np.sort(glob('./great_plains_toad_dataset/*'))[0]

#load the audio file into an OpenSoundscape Audio object
audio = Audio.from_file(audio_path)

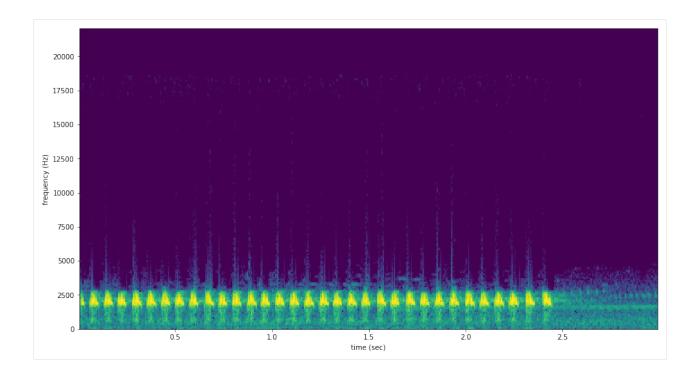
#trim the audio to the time from 0-3 seconds for a closer look
audio = audio.trim(0,3)

#create a Spectrogram object
spectrogram = Spectrogram.from_audio(audio)
```

## 6.2.2 show the Great Plains Toad spectrogram as an image

a spectrogram is a visual representation of audio with frequency on the vertical axis, time on the horizontal axis, and intensity represented by the color of the pixels

```
[4]: spectrogram.plot()
```



## 6.3 select model parameters

RIBBIT requires the user to select a set of parameters that describe the target vocalization. Here is some detailed advice on how to use these parameters.

**Signal Band:** The signal band is the frequency range where RIBBIT looks for the target species. Based on the spectrogram above, we can see that the Great Plains Toad vocalization has the strongest energy around 2000-2500 Hz, so we will specify signal\_band = [2000, 2500]. It is best to pick a narrow signal band if possible, so that the model focuses on a specific part of the spectrogram and has less potential to include erronious sounds.

Noise Bands: Optionally, users can specify other frequency ranges called noise bands. Sounds in the noise\_bands are *subtracted* from the signal\_band. Noise bands help the model filter out erronious sounds from the recordings, which could include confusion species, background noise, and popping/clicking of the microphone due to rain, wind, or digital errors. It's usually good to include one noise band for very low frequencies – this specifically eliminates popping and clicking from being registered as a vocalization. It's also good to specify noise bands that target confusion species. Another approach is to specify two narrow noise\_bands that are directly above and below the signal\_band.

**Pulse Rate Range:** This parameters specifies the minimum and maximum pulse rate (the number of pulses per second, also known as pulse repetition rate) RIBBIT should look for to find the focal species. Looking at the spectrogram above, we can see that the pulse rate of this Great Plains Toad vocalization is about 15 pulses per second. By looking at other vocalizations in different environmental conditions, we notice that the pulse rate can be as slow as 10 pulses per second or as fast as 20. So, we choose pulse\_rate\_range = [10, 20] meaning that RIBBIT should look for pulses no slower than 10 pulses per second and no faster than 20 pulses per second.

Window Length: This parameter tells the algorithm how many seconds of audio to analyze at one time. Generally, you should choose a window\_length that is similar to the length of the target species vocalization, or a little bit longer. For very slowly pulsing vocalizations, choose a longer window so that at least 5 pulses can occur in one window (0.5 pulses per second -> 10 second window). Typical values for window\_length are 1 to 10 seconds. Keep in mind that The Great Plains Toad has a vocalization that continues on for many seconds (or minutes!) so we chose a 2-second window which will include plenty of pulses.

**Plot:** We can choose to show the power spectrum of pulse repetition rate for each window by setting plot=True. The default is not to show these plots (plot=False).

```
[5]: # minimum and maximum rate of pulsing (pulses per second) to search for
    pulse_rate_range = [10,20]

# look for a vocalization in the range of 1000-2000 Hz
    signal_band = [2000,2500]

# subtract the amplitude signal from these frequency ranges
    noise_bands = [ [0,200], [10000,10100]]

#divides the signal into segments this many seconds long, analyzes each independently
    window_length = 2 #(seconds)

#if True, it will show the power spectrum plot for each audio segment
    show_plots = True
```

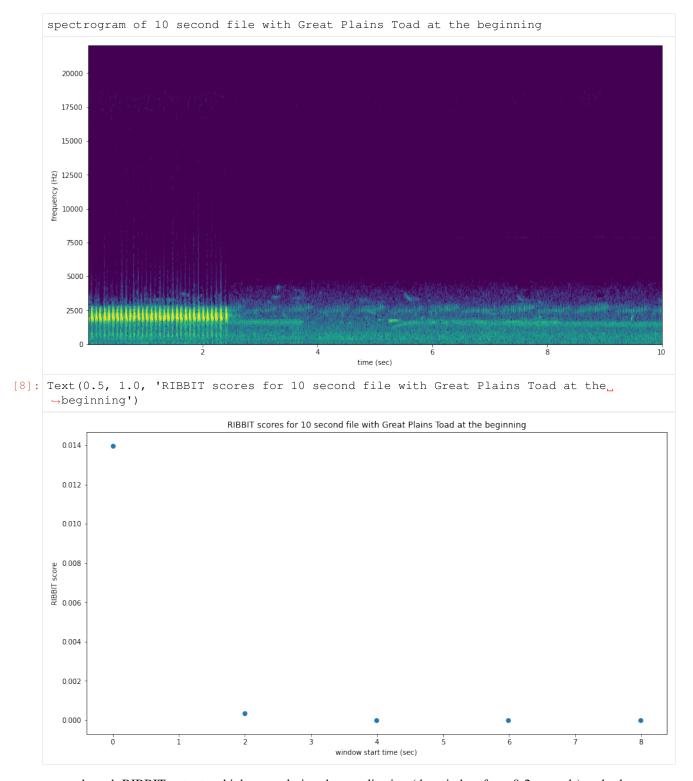
## 6.4 search for pulsing vocalizations with ribbit ()

This function takes the parameters we chose above as arguments, performs the analysis, and returns two arrays: -scores: the pulse rate score for each window - times: the start time in seconds of each window

The scores output by the function may be very low or very high. They do not represent a "confidence" or "probability" from 0 to 1. Instead, the relative values of scores on a set of files should be considered: when RIBBIT detects the target species, the scores will be significantly higher than when the species is not detected.

The file gpt 0. wav has a Great Plains Toad vocalizing only at the beginning. Let's analyze the file with RIBBIT and look at the scores versus time.

```
[8]: #get the audio file path
    audio_path = np.sort(glob('./great_plains_toad_dataset/*'))[0]
    #make the spectrogram
    spec = Spectrogram.from_audio(audio.from_file(audio_path))
    #run RIBBIT
    scores, times = ribbit(
                        pulse_rate_range=pulse_rate_range,
                        signal_band=signal_band,
                        window_len=window_length,
                        noise_bands=noise_bands,
                         plot=False)
    #show the spectrogram
    print('spectrogram of 10 second file with Great Plains Toad at the beginning')
    spec.plot()
    # plot the score vs time of each window
    plt.scatter(times, scores)
    plt.xlabel('window start time (sec)')
    plt.ylabel('RIBBIT score')
    plt.title('RIBBIT scores for 10 second file with Great Plains Toad at the beginning')
```



as we hoped, RIBBIT outputs a high score during the vocalization (the window from 0-2 seconds) and a low score when the frog is not vocalizing

## 6.5 analyzing a set of files

```
[12]: # set up a dataframe for storing files' scores and labels
     df = pd.DataFrame(index = glob('./great_plains_toad_dataset/*'),columns=['score',
      →'label'])
     # label is 1 if the file contains a Great Plains Toad vocalization, and 0 if it does.
     df['label'] = [1 if 'qpt' in f else 0 for f in df.index]
     # calculate RIBBIT scores
     for path in df.index:
         #make the spectrogram
         spec = Spectrogram.from_audio(audio.from_file(path))
         #run RTBBTT
         scores, times = ribbit(
                             pulse_rate_range=pulse_rate_range,
                             signal_band=signal_band,
                             window_len=window_length,
                             noise_bands=noise_bands,
                             plot=False)
         # use the maximum RIBBIT score from any window as the score for this file
         # multiply the score by 10,000 to make it easier to read
         df.at[path,'score'] = max(scores) * 10000
     print("Files sorted by score, from highest to lowest:")
     df.sort_values(by='score', ascending=False)
     Files sorted by score, from highest to lowest:
[12]:
                                                    score label
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/gpt0.mp3
                                                  139.765
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/gpt3.mp3
                                                  13.8338
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/gpt2.mp3
                                                 8.25766
                                                               1
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/gpt1.mp3
                                                  6.1136
                                                              1
                                                             0
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative3.mp3 2.34044
                                                             ()
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative2.mp3 1.73015
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative4.mp3 1.56953
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative1.mp3 1.21802
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative9.mp3 1.13301
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative8.mp3 1.08165
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative6.mp3 0.966176
                                                             0
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative5.mp3 0.695368
                                                             0
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/gpt4.mp3
                                                 0.634423
                                                              1
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/pops2.mp3
                                                 0.51215
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/water.mp3
                                                 0.510283
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/pops1.mp3
                                                0.493911
                                                               0
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/negative7.mp3 0.0156971
                                                        Ω
     ./great_plains_toad_dataset/silent.mp3
```

So, how good is RIBBIT at finding the Great Plains Toad?

We can see that the scores for all of the files with Great Plains Toad (gpt) score above 6 except gpt4.mp3 (which contains only a very quiet and distant vocalization). All files that do not contain the Great Plains Toad score less than 2.5. So, RIBBIT is doing a good job separating Great Plains Toads vocalizations from other sounds!

Notably, noisy files like pops1.mp3 score low even though they have lots of periodic energy - our noise\_bands successfully rejected these files. Without using noise\_bands, files like these would receive very high scores. Also, some birds in "negatives" files that have periodic calls around the same pulsre rate as the Great Plains Toad received low scores. This is also a result of choosing a tight signal\_band and strategic noise\_bands. You can try adjusting or eliminating these bands to see their effect on the audio.

(HINT: elimintating the noise\_bands will result in high scores for the "pops" files)

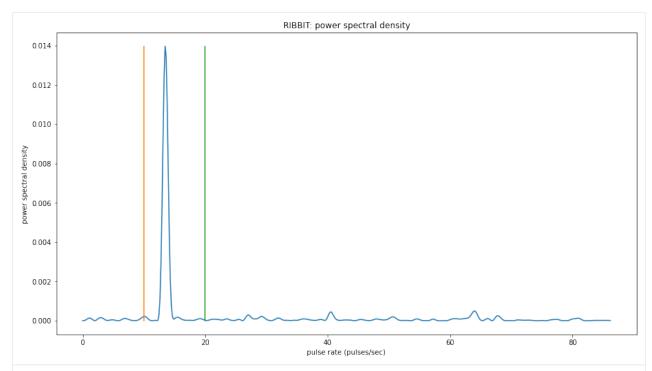
### 6.6 detail view

Now, lets look at one 10 second file and tell ribbit to plot the power spectral density for each window (plot=True). This way, we can see if peaks are emerging at the expected pulse rates. Since our window\_length is 2 seconds, each of these plots represents 2 seconds of audio. The vertical lines on the power spectral density represent the lower and upper pulse\_rate\_range limits.

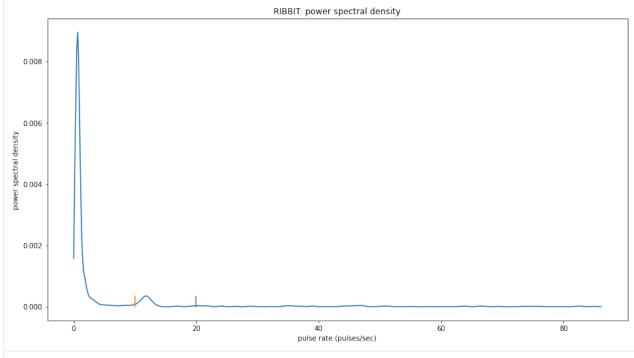
In the file gpt0.mp3, the Great Plains Toad vocalizes for a couple seconds at the beginning, then stops. We expect to see a peak in the power spectral density at 15 pulses/sec in the first 2 second window, and maybe a bit in the second, but not later in the audio.

```
[45]: #create a spectrogram from the file, like above:
     # 1. get audio file path
     audio_path = np.sort(glob('./great_plains_toad_dataset/*'))[0]
     # 2. make audio object and trim (this time 0-10 seconds)
     audio = Audio.from_file(audio_path).trim(0,10)
     # 3. make spectrogram
     spectrogram = Spectrogram.from_audio(audio)
     scores, times = ribbit(
                              spectrogram,
                              pulse_rate_range=pulse_rate_range,
                              signal_band=signal_band,
                              window_len=window_length,
                              noise_bands=noise_bands,
                              plot=show_plots)
     window: 0.0000 sec to 1.9969 sec
     peak freq: 13.4583
```

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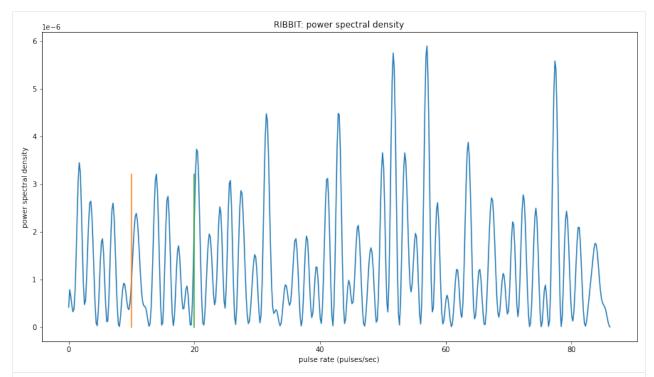


window: 1.9969 sec to 3.9938 sec peak freq: 0.6729



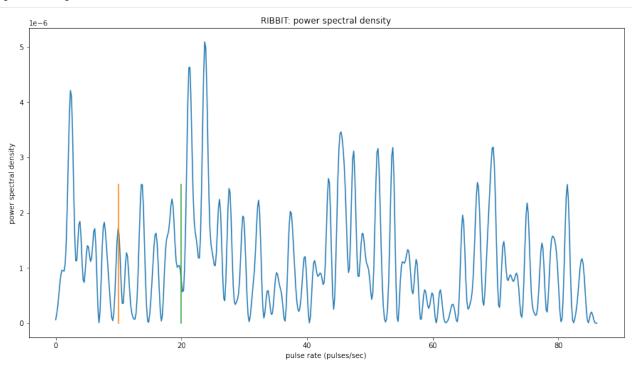
window: 3.9938 sec to 5.9907 sec

peak freq: 57.0293



window: 5.9907 sec to 7.9877 sec

peak freq: 23.7202



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# 6.7 Time to experiment for yourself

Now that you know the basics of how to use RIBBIT, you can try using it on your own data. We recommend spending some time looking at different recordings of your focal species before choosing parameters. Experiment with the noise bands and window length, and get in touch if you have questions!

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this cell will delete the folder <code>great\_plains\_toad\_dataset</code>. Only run it if you wish delete that folder and the example audio inside it.

# CHAPTER 7

## **API** Documentation

## 7.1 Audio

```
audio.py: Utilities for dealing with audio files
class opensoundscape.audio.Audio(samples, sample_rate)
     Container for audio samples
     bandpass (low_f, high_f, order=9)
          bandpass audio signal frequencies
           uses a phase-preserving algorithm (scipy.signal's butter and solfiltfilt)
               Parameters
                   • low_f - low frequency cutoff (-3 dB) in Hz of bandpass filter
                   • high_f - high frequency cutoff (-3 dB) in Hz of bandpass filter
                   • order – butterworth filter order (integer) ~= steepness of cutoff
     duration()
           Return duration of Audio
          Output: duration (float): The duration of the Audio
     extend(length)
          Extend audio file by looping it
               Parameters length – the final length in seconds of the extended file
               Returns a new Audio object of the desired length
     classmethod from_bytesio(bytesio, sample_rate=None, resample_type='kaiser_fast')
     classmethod from_file (path,
                                               sample_rate=None,
                                                                       max\_duration=None,
                                                                                                 resam-
                                    ple_type='kaiser_fast')
          Load audio from files
```

Deal with the various possible input types to load an audio file and generate a spectrogram

#### **Parameters**

- path (str, Path) path to an audio file
- **sample\_rate** (*int*, *None*) resample audio with value and resample\_type, if None use source sample\_rate (default: None)
- **resample\_type** method used to resample\_type (default: kaiser\_fast)
- max\_duration the maximum length of an input file, None is no maximum (default: None)

**Returns** attributes samples and sample\_rate

Return type Audio

#### save (path)

save Audio to file

**Parameters** path – destination for output

#### spectrum()

create frequency spectrum from an Audio object using fft

Parameters self -

Returns fft, frequencies

**split\_and\_save** (*clip\_length*, *destination*, *name*, *create\_log=True*, *final\_clip=None*, *dry=False*)

Split audio into clips and save to disk

Splits the current audio object into constant-length clips and saves each one to a .wav file.

#### **Parameters**

- clip\_length length of resulting clips, in seconds
- **destination** a path to a directory where .wav clips will be saved
- name the name of the audio file (start and end times will be appended)
- create\_log if True, a .csv file with the name, start time, and end time of each clip is created in destination
- final\_clip how to treat the end of the file when less than clip\_length remains None (default): discard audio "short": save whatever audio is left as a clip "full": save a clip of length clip\_length that ends at the end of the file (duplicating some data)
- dry if True, do not save .wav files, but do create a log file (default: False)

**Returns** dataframe containing clip names, start times, and end times

Return type clip\_df

**Effects:** writes a .wav file for each clip writes a log file (.csv) with clip start and end times if create\_log is True

#### time\_to\_sample(time)

Given a time, convert it to the corresponding sample

**Parameters** time – The time to multiply with the sample\_rate

**Returns** The rounded sample

Return type sample

```
trim (start_time, end_time)
trim Audio object in time
```

#### **Parameters**

- **start\_time** time in seconds for start of extracted clip
- end\_time time in seconds for end of extracted clip

**Returns** a new Audio object containing samples from start\_time to end\_time

```
exception opensoundscape.audio.OpsoLoadAudioInputError
    Custom exception indicating we can't load input
```

```
exception opensoundscape.audio.OpsoLoadAudioInputTooLong
    Custom exception indicating length of audio is too long
```

### 7.2 Audio Tools

audio\_tools.py: set of tools that filter or modify audio files or sample arrays (not Audio objects)

```
opensoundscape.audio_tools.bandpass_filter (signal, low_f, high_f, sample_rate, order=9) perform a butterworth bandpass filter on a discrete time signal using scipy.signal's butter and solfiltfilt (phase-preserving version of sosfilt)
```

#### **Parameters**

- signal discrete time signal (audio samples, list of float)
- low\_f -3db point (?) for highpass filter (Hz)
- high\_f -3db point (?) for highpass filter (Hz)
- sample\_rate samples per second (Hz)
- order=9 higher values -> steeper dropoff

**Returns** filtered time signal

```
opensoundscape.audio_tools.butter_bandpass(low_f, high_f, sample_rate, order=9) generate coefficients for bandpass_filter()
```

#### **Parameters**

- low\_f low frequency of butterworth bandpass filter
- high\_f high frequency of butterworth bandpass filter
- sample\_rate audio sample rate
- order=9 order of butterworth filter

**Returns** set of coefficients used in sosfiltfilt()

```
opensoundscape.audio_tools.clipping_detector(samples, threshold=0.6) count the number of samples above a threshold value
```

#### **Parameters**

- **samples** a time series of float values
- threshold=0.6 minimum value of sample to count as clipping

**Returns** number of samples exceeding threshold

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```
opensoundscape.audio_tools.convolve_file (in_file, out_file, ir_file, input_gain=1.0) apply an impulse response to a file using ffmpeg's afir convolution
```

ir\_file is an audio file containing a short burst of noise recorded in a space whose acoustics are to be recreated this makes the files 'sound as if' it were recorded in the location that the impulse response (ir\_file) was recorded

#### **Parameters**

- in\_file path to an audio file to process
- out\_file path to save output to
- ir\_file path to impulse response file
- input\_gain=1.0 ratio for in\_file sound's amplitude in (0,1)

Returns os response of ffmpeg command

```
opensoundscape.audio_tools.mixdown_with_delays (files_to_mix, destination, delays=None, levels=None, duration='first', verbose=0, create_txt_file=False)
```

use ffmpeg to mixdown a set of audio files, each starting at a specified time (padding beginnings with zeros)

#### **Parameters**

- **files\_to\_mix** list of audio file paths
- destination path to save mixdown to
- **delays=None** list of delays (how many seconds of zero-padding to add at beginning of each file)
- levels=None optionally provide a list of relative levels (amplitudes) for each input
- duration='first' ffmpeg option for duration of output file: match duration of 'longest','shortest',or 'first' input file
- **verbose=0** if >0, prints ffmpeg command and doesn't suppress ffmpeg output (command line output is returned from this function)
- create\_txt\_file=False if True, also creates a second output file which lists all
  files that were included in the mixdown

Returns ffmpeg command line output

```
open sound scape. audio\_tools. \textbf{silence\_filter} (\textit{filename}, & \textit{smoothing\_factor=10}, \\ & \textit{window\_len\_samples=256}, & \textit{over-lap\_len\_samples=128}, \textit{threshold=None})
```

Identify whether a file is silent (0) or not (1)

Load samples from an mp3 file and identify whether or not it is likely to be silent. Silence is determined by finding the energy in windowed regions of these samples, and normalizing the detected energy by the average energy level in the recording.

If any windowed region has energy above the threshold, returns a 0; else returns 1.

#### **Parameters**

- **filename** (str) file to inspect
- **smoothing\_factor** (*int*) modifier to window\_len\_samples
- window\_len\_samples number of samples per window segment
- overlap\_len\_samples number of samples to overlap each window segment
- **threshold** threshold value (experimentally determined)

**Returns** 0 if file contains no significant energy over bakeground 1 if file contains significant energy over bakeground

If threshold is None: returns net\_energy over background noise

```
opensoundscape.audio_tools.window_energy(samples, window_len_samples=256, over-lap_len_samples=128)
```

Calculate audio energy with a sliding window

Calculate the energy in an array of audio samples

#### **Parameters**

- samples (np.ndarray) array of audio samples loaded using librosa.load
- window\_len\_samples samples per window
- overlap\_len\_samples number of samples shared between consecutive windows

**Returns** list of energy level (float) for each window

## 7.3 Commands

```
opensoundscape.commands.run_command(cmd)
```

Run a command returning output, error

Input: cmd: A string containing some command

Output: (stdout, stderr): A tuple of standard out and standard error

opensoundscape.commands.run\_command\_return\_code(cmd)

Run a command returning the return code

**Input:** cmd: A string containing some command

Output: return\_code: The return code of the function

## 7.4 Completions

## 7.5 Config

```
{\tt opensoundscape.config.get\_default\_config()}
```

Get the default configuration file as a dictionary

Output: dict: A dictionary containing the default Opensoundscape configuration

opensoundscape.config.validate(config)

Validate a configuration string

Input: config: A string containing an Opensoundscape configuration

Output: dict: A dictionary of the validated Opensoundscape configuration

opensoundscape.config.validate\_file(fname)

Validate a configuration file

Input: fname: A filename containing an Opensoundscape configuration

Output: dict: A dictionary of the validated Opensoundscape configuration

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### 7.6 Console Checks

Utilities related to console checks on docopt args

### 7.7 Console

```
console.py: Entrypoint for opensoundscape
opensoundscape.console.build_docs()
    Run sphinx-build for our project
opensoundscape.console.entrypoint()
    The Opensoundscape entrypoint for console interaction
```

### 7.8 Data Selection

```
opensoundscape.data_selection.binary_train_valid_split(input_df, label, label_column='Labels', train_size=0.8, ran-dom_state=101)
```

Split a dataset into train and validation dataframes

Given a Dataframe and a label in column "Labels" (singly labeled) generate a train dataset with ~80% of each label and a valid dataset with the rest.

#### **Parameters**

- input\_df A singly-labeled CSV file
- label One of the labels in the column label\_column to use as a positive label (1), all others are negative (0)
- label\_column Name of the column that labels should come from [default: "Labels"]
- train\_size The decimal fraction to use for the training set [default: 0.8]
- random\_state The random state to use for train\_test\_split [default: 101]

Output: train\_df: A Dataframe containing the training set valid\_df: A Dataframe containing the validation set

```
opensoundscape.data_selection.expand_multi_labeled(input\_df) Given a multi-labeled dataframe, generate a singly-labeled dataframe
```

Given a Dataframe with a "Labels" column that is multi-labeled (e.g. "hellolworld") split the row into singly labeled rows.

Parameters input\_df - A Dataframe with a multi-labeled "Labels" column (separated by "|")

Output: output\_df: A Dataframe with singly-labeled "Labels" column

```
opensoundscape.data_selection.upsample(input_df, label_column='Labels', ran-dom_state=None)

Given a input DataFrame upsample to maximum value
```

Upsampling removes the class imbalance in your dataset. Rows for each label are repeated up to *max\_count // rows*. Then, we randomly sample the rows to fill up to *max\_count*.

**Input:** input\_df: A DataFrame to upsample label\_column: The column to draw unique labels from random\_state: Set the random\_state during sampling

Output: df: An upsampled DataFrame

### 7.9 Datasets

```
class opensoundscape.datasets.SingleTargetAudioDataset (df,
                                                                               label_dict,
                                                                                              file-
                                                                        name column='Destination'.
                                                                        from audio=True,
                                                                        bel_column=None,
                                                                        height=224,
                                                                                       width=224,
                                                                        add\_noise=False,
                                                                        save_dir=None,
                                                                                              ran-
                                                                        dom trim length=None,
                                                                        extend short clips=False,
                                                                        max\_overlay\_num=0,
                                                                        overlay\_prob=0.2,
                                                                                             over-
                                                                        lay_weight='random')
```

Single Target Audio -> Image Dataset

Given a DataFrame with audio files in one of the columns, generate a Dataset of spectrogram images for basic machine learning tasks.

This class provides access to several types of augmentations that act on audio and images with the following arguments: - add\_noise: for adding RandomAffine and ColorJitter noise to images - random\_trim\_length: for only using a short random clip extracted from the training data - max\_overlay\_num / overlay\_prob / overlay\_weight:

controlling the maximum number of additional spectrograms to overlay, the probability of overlaying an individual spectrogram, and the weight for the weighted sum of the spectrograms

Additional augmentations on tensors are available when calling *train()* from the module *opensound-scape.torch.train*.

**Input:** df: A DataFrame with a column containing audio files label\_dict: a dictionary mapping numeric labels to class names,

- for example: {0:'American Robin',1:'Northern Cardinal'}
- pass None if you wish to retain numeric labels

filename\_column: The column in the DataFrame which contains paths to data [default: Destination] from\_audio: Whether the raw dataset is audio [default: True] label\_column: The column with numeric labels if present [default: None] height: Height for resulting Tensor [default: 224] width: Width for resulting Tensor [default: 224] add\_noise: Apply RandomAffine and ColorJitter filters [default: False] save\_dir: Save images to a directory [default: None] random\_trim\_length: Extract a clip of this many seconds of audio starting at a random time

If None, the original clip will be used [default: None]

**extend\_short\_clips:** If a file to be overlaid or trimmed from is too short, extend it to the desired length by repeating it. [default: False]

max\_overlay\_num: The maximum number of additional images to overlay, each with probability overlay\_prob [default: 0] overlay\_prob: Probability of an image from a different class being overlayed (combined as a weighted sum)

on the training image. typical values: 0, 0.66 [default: 0.2]

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**overlay\_weight:** The weight given to the overlaid image during augmentation. When 'random', will randomly select a different weight between 0.2 and 0.5 for each overlay When not 'random', should be a float between 0 and 1 [default: 'random']

#### **Output:**

```
Dictionary: { "X": (3, H, W), "y": (1) if label_column != None } image_from_audio (audio, mode='RGB')
```

Create a PIL image from audio

Inputs: audio: audio object mode: PIL image mode, e.g. "L" or "RGB" [default: RGB]

overlay\_random\_image (original\_image, original\_length, original\_class, original\_path)
Overlay an image from another class

Select a random file from a different class. Trim if necessary to the same length as the given image. Overlay the images on top of each other with a weight

A PyTorch Dataset for splitting a WAV files

Inputs: wavs: A list of WAV files to split annotations: Should we search for corresponding annotations files? (default: False) label\_corrections: Specify a correction labels CSV file w/ column headers "raw" and "corrected" (default: None) overlap: How much overlap should there be between samples (units: seconds, default: 1) duration: How long should each segment be? (units: seconds, default: 5) output\_directory Where should segments be written? (default: segments/) include\_last\_segment: Do you want to include the last segment? (default: False)

#### **Effects:**

Segments will be written to the output\_directory

#### **Outputs:**

**output:** A list of CSV rows containing the source audio, segment begin time (seconds), segment end time (seconds), segment audio, and present classes separated by 'l' if annotations were requested

```
opensoundscape.datasets.annotations_with_overlaps_with_clip(df, begin, end)

Determine if any rows overlap with current segment
```

**Inputs:** df: A dataframe containing a Raven annotation file begin: The begin time of the current segment (unit: seconds) end: The end time of the current segment (unit: seconds)

Output: sub df: A dataframe of annotations which overlap with the begin/end times

```
opensoundscape.datasets.get_md5_digest(input_string)
Generate MD5 sum for a string
```

**Inputs:** input\_string: An input string

Outputs: output: A string containing the md5 hash of input string

### 7.10 Grad Cam

## 7.11 Helpers

```
opensoundscape.helpers.binarize(x, threshold)
     return a list of 0, 1 by thresholding vector x
opensoundscape.helpers.bound(x, bounds)
     restrict x to a range of bounds = [min, max]
opensoundscape.helpers.file_name(path)
     get file name without extension from a path
opensoundscape.helpers.hex_to_time(s)
     convert a hexidecimal, Unix time string to a datetime timestamp
opensoundscape.helpers.isNan(x)
     check for nan by equating x to itself
opensoundscape.helpers.jitter(x, width, distribution='gaussian')
     Jitter (add random noise to) each value of x
          Parameters
                • x – scalar, array, or nd-array of numeric type
                • width – multiplier for random variable (stdev for 'gaussian' or r for 'uniform')
                • distribution – 'gaussian' (default) or 'uniform' if 'gaussian': draw jitter from gaussian
                  with mu = 0, std = width if 'uniform': draw jitter from uniform on [-width, width]
          Returns x + random jitter
          Return type jittered x
opensoundscape.helpers.linear_scale (array, in\_range=(0, 1), out\_range=(0, 255))
     Translate from range in_range to out_range
     Inputs: in_range: The starting range [default: (0, 1)] out_range: The output range [default: (0, 255)]
     Outputs: new_array: A translated array
opensoundscape.helpers.min_max_scale (array, feature_range=(0, 1))
     rescale vaues in an a array linearly to feature_range
opensoundscape.helpers.rescale_features(X, rescaling_vector=None)
     rescale all features by dividing by the max value for each feature
     optionally provide the rescaling vector (1xlen(X) np.array), so that you can rescale a new dataset consistently
     with an old one
     returns rescaled feature set and rescaling vector
opensoundscape.helpers.run_command(cmd)
     run a bash command with Popen, return response
opensoundscape.helpers.sigmoid(x)
     sigmoid function
```

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## 7.12 Localization

```
opensoundscape.localization.calc_speed_of_sound(temperature=20)
```

Calculate speed of sound in meters per second

Calculate speed of sound for a given temperature in Celsius (Humidity has a negligible effect on speed of sound and so this functionality is not implemented)

Parameters temperature – ambient temperature in Celsius

**Returns** the speed of sound in meters per second

```
opensoundscape.localization.localize(receiver_positions, arrival_times, temperature=20.0, invert_alg='gps', center=True, pseudo=True)
```

Perform TDOA localization on a sound event

Localize a sound event given relative arrival times at multiple receivers. This function implements a localization algorithm from the equations described in the class handout ("Global Positioning Systems"). Localization can be performed in a global coordinate system in meters (i.e., UTM), or relative to recorder positions in meters.

#### **Parameters**

- **receiver\_positions** a list of [x,y,z] positions for each receiver Positions should be in meters, e.g., the UTM coordinate system.
- arrival\_times a list of TDOA times (onset times) for each recorder The times should be in seconds.
- temperature ambient temperature in Celsius
- invert\_alg what inversion algorithm to use
- **center** whether to center recorders before computing localization result. Computes localization relative to centered plot, then translates solution back to original recorder locations. (For behavior of original Sound Finder, use True)
- **pseudo** whether to use the pseudorange error (True) or sum of squares discrepancy (False) to pick the solution to return (For behavior of original Sound Finder, use False. However, in initial tests, pseudorange error appears to perform better.)

**Returns** The solution (x,y,z,b) with the lower sum of squares discrepancy b is the error in the pseudorange (distance to mics), b=c\*delta\_t (delta\_t is time error)

```
opensoundscape.localization.lorentz_ip (u, v=None)
```

Compute Lorentz inner product of two vectors

For vectors u and v, the Lorentz inner product for 3-dimensional case is defined as

$$u[0]*v[0] + u[1]*v[1] + u[2]*v[2] - u[3]*v[3]$$

Or, for 2-dimensional case as

$$u[0]*v[0] + u[1]*v[1] - u[2]*v[2]$$

**Args** u: vector with shape either (3,) or (4,) v: vector with same shape as x1; if None (default), sets v = u

Returns float: value of Lorentz IP

```
opensoundscape.localization.travel_time(source, receiver, speed_of_sound)
```

Calculate time required for sound to travel from a souce to a receiver

#### **Parameters**

• source – cartesian position [x,y] or [x,y,z] of sound source

- receiver cartesian position [x,y] or [x,y,z] of sound receiver
- speed\_of\_sound speed of sound in m/s

Returns time in seconds for sound to travel from source to receiver

### 7.13 Metrics

### 7.14 Pulse Finder

## 7.15 PyTorch Prediction

DEPRECATED: use opensoundscape.torch.predict instead

these functions are currently used only to support *localization.py* the module contains a pytorch prediction function (deprecated) and some additional functionality for using gradcam

opensoundscape.pytorch\_prediction.activation\_region\_limits(gcam, threshold=0.2) calculate bounds of a GradCam activation region

#### **Parameters**

- gcam a 2-d array gradcam activation array generated by gradcam\_region()
- threshold=0.2 minimum value of gradcam (0-1) to count as 'activated'

**Returns** [ [min row, max\_row], [min\_col, max\_col] ] indices of gradcam elements exceeding threshold

opensoundscape.pytorch\_prediction.activation\_region\_to\_box(activation\_region, threshold=0.2)

draw a rectangle of the activation box as a boolean array (useful for plotting a mask over a spectrogram)

#### **Parameters**

- activation\_region a 2-d gradcam activation array
- threshold=0.2 minimum value of activation to count as 'activated'

**Returns** mask 2-d array of 0, 1 where 1's form a solid box of activated region

opensoundscape.pytorch\_prediction.gradcam\_region(model, img\_paths, img\_shape, predictions=None, save\_gcams=True, box threshold=0.2)

Compute the GradCam activation region (the area of an image that was most important for classification in the CNN)

#### **Parameters**

- model a pytorch model object
- img\_paths list of paths to image files
- = None (predictions) [list of float] optionally, provide model predictions per file to avoid re-computing
- = True (save\_qcams) bool, if False only box regions around gcams are saved

**Returns** limits of the box surrounding the gcam activation region, as indices: [ [min row, max row], [min col, max col] ] gcams: (only returned if save\_gcams == True) arrays with gcam activation values, shape = shape of image

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#### Return type boxes

```
opensoundscape.pytorch_prediction.in_box (x, y, box_lims) check if an x, y position falls within a set of limits
```

#### **Parameters**

- x first index
- y second index
- box\_lims [[x low,x high], [y low,y high]]

Returns: True if (x,y) is in box\_lims, otherwise False

opensoundscape.pytorch\_prediction.**predict** (model, img\_paths, img\_shape, batch\_size=1, num\_workers=12, apply\_softmax=True) get multi-class model predictions from a pytorch model for a set of images

#### **Parameters**

- model a pytorch model object (not path to weights)
- img\_paths a list of paths to RGB png spectrograms
- batch\_size=1 pytorch parallelization parameter
- num\_workers=12 pytorch parallelization parameter
- apply\_softmax=True if True, performs a softmax on raw output of network

returns: df of predictions indexed by file

### 7.16 Raven

```
raven.py: Utilities for dealing with Raven files
opensoundscape.raven.annotation_check(directory)
     Check Raven annotations files for a non-null class
     Input: directory: The path which contains Raven annotations file
     Output: None
opensoundscape.raven.generate_class_corrections(directory)
     Generate a CSV to specify any class overrides
     Input: directory: The path which contains Raven annotations files ending in *.selections.txt.lower
     Output:
          csv (string): A multiline string containing a CSV file with two columns raw and corrected
opensoundscape.raven.lowercase_annotations(directory)
     Convert Raven annotation files to lowercase
     Input: directory: The path which contains Raven annotations file
     Output: None
opensoundscape.raven.query_annotations(directory, cls)
     Given a directory of Raven annotations, query for a specific class
```

**Input:** directory: The path which contains Raven annotations file cls: The class which you would like to query

for

Output: output (string): A multiline string containing annotation file and rows matching the query cls

## 7.17 Species Table

## 7.18 Spectrogram

spectrogram.py: Utilities for dealing with spectrograms

class opensoundscape.spectrogram.Spectrogram (spectrogram, frequencies, times)

Immutable spectrogram container

amplitude (freq\_range=None)

create an amplitude vs time signal from spectrogram

by summing pixels in the vertical dimension

**Args** freq\_range=None: sum Spectrogrm only in this range of [low, high] frequencies in Hz (if None, all frequencies are summed)

Returns a time-series array of the vertical sum of spectrogram value

bandpass (min\_f, max\_f)

extract a frequency band from a spectrogram

crops the 2-d array of the spectrograms to the desired frequency range

#### **Parameters**

- min\_f low frequency in Hz for bandpass
- high\_f high frequency in Hz for bandpass

Returns bandpassed spectrogram object

classmethod from\_audio (audio, window\_type='hann', window\_samples=512, over-lap\_samples=256, decibel\_limits=(-100, -20)) create a Spectrogram object from an Audio object

#### **Parameters**

- window\_type="hann" see scipy.signal.spectrogram docs for description of window parameter
- window\_samples=512 number of audio samples per spectrogram window (pixel)
- overlap\_samples=256 number of samples shared by consecutive windows
- = (decibel\_limits) limit the dB values to (min,max) (lower values set to min, higher values set to max)

Returns opensoundscape.spectrogram.Spectrogram object

classmethod from\_file()

create a Spectrogram object from a file

**Parameters** file – path of image to load

**Returns** opensoundscape.spectrogram.Spectrogram object

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#### limit db range ( $min\ db=-100, max\ db=-20$ )

Limit the decibel values of the spectrogram to range from min\_db to max\_db

values less than min\_db are set to min\_db values greater than max\_db are set to max\_db

similar to Audacity's gain and range parameters

#### **Parameters**

- min db values lower than this are set to this
- max\_db values higher than this are set to this

Returns Spectrogram object with db range applied

```
linear scale (feature range=(0, 1))
```

Linearly rescale spectrogram values to a range of values using in\_range as decibel\_limits

Parameters feature\_range - tuple of (low,high) values for output

**Returns** Spectrogram object with values rescaled to feature\_range

```
min_max_scale (feature_range=(0, 1))
```

Linearly rescale spectrogram values to a range of values using in\_range as minimum and maximum

Parameters feature\_range - tuple of (low,high) values for output

**Returns** Spectrogram object with values rescaled to feature\_range

```
net_amplitude (signal_band, reject_bands=None)
```

create amplitude signal in signal band and subtract amplitude from reject bands

rescale the signal and reject bands by dividing by their bandwidths in Hz (amplitude of each reject\_band is divided by the total bandwidth of all reject\_bands. amplitude of signal\_band is divided by badwidth of signal\_band.)

#### **Parameters**

- signal\_band [low,high] frequency range in Hz (positive contribution)
- band (reject) list of [low,high] frequency ranges in Hz (negative contribution)

return: time-series array of net amplitude

plot (inline=True, fname=None, show\_colorbar=False)

Plot the spectrogram with matplotlib.pyplot

#### **Parameters**

- inline=True -
- **fname=None** specify a string path to save the plot to (ending in .png/.pdf)
- **show\_colorbar** include image legend colorbar from pyplot

```
to_image (shape=None, mode='RGB', spec_range=[-100, -20])
```

create a Pillow Image from spectrogram linearly rescales values from db\_range (default [-100, -20]) to [255,0] (ie, -20 db is loudest -> black, -100 db is quietest -> white)

#### **Parameters**

- **destination** a file path (string)
- **shape=None** tuple of image dimensions, eg (224,224)
- mode="RGB" RGB for 3-channel color or "L" for 1-channel grayscale

• **spec\_range=[-100, -20]** – the lowest and highest possible values in the spectrogram

Returns Pillow Image object

trim(start time, end time)

extract a time segment from a spectrogram

#### **Parameters**

- start\_time in seconds
- end\_time in seconds

**Returns** spectrogram object from extracted time segment

### 7.19 Taxa

a set of utilites for converting between scientific and common names of bird species in different naming systems (xeno canto and bird net)

## 7.20 Torch Spectrogram Augmentation

These functions were implemented for PyTorch in the following repository https://github.com/zcaceres/spec\_augment The original paper is available on https://arxiv.org/abs/1904.08779

## 7.21 Torch Training

```
opensoundscape.torch.train.train(save\_dir, model, train\_dataset, valid\_dataset, optimizer, loss\_fn, epochs=25, batch\_size=1, num\_workers=0, log\_every=5, tensor\_augment=False, debug=False, print\_logging=True)
```

Train a model

**Input:** save\_dir: A directory to save intermediate results model: A binary torch model,

- e.g. torchvision.models.resnet18(pretrained=True)
- must override classes, e.g. model.fc = torch.nn.Linear(model.fc.in\_features, 2)

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train\_dataset: The training Dataset, e.g. created by SingleTargetAudioDataset() valid\_dataset: The validation Dataset, e.g. created by SingleTargetAudioDataset() optimizer: A torch optimizer, e.g. torch.optim.SGD(model.parameters(), lr=1e-3) loss\_fn: A torch loss function, e.g. torch.nn.CrossEntropyLoss() epochs: The number of epochs [default: 25] batch\_size: The size of the batches [default: 1] num\_workers: The number of cores to use for batch preparation [default: 1] log\_every: Log statistics when epoch % log\_every == 0 [default: 5] tensor\_augment: Whether or not to use the tensor augment procedures [default: False] debug: Whether or not to write intermediate images [default: False]

**Side Effects:** Write a file *epoch-{epoch}.tar* containing (rate of *log\_every*): - Model state dictionary - Optimizer state dictionary - Labels in YAML format - Train: loss, accuracy, precision, recall, and f1 score - Validation: accuracy, precision, recall, and f1 score - train\_dataset.label\_dict Write a metadata file with parameter values to save\_dir/metadata.txt

Output: None

**Effects:** model parameters are saved to

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