Melon Playlist Dataset: a public dataset for audio-based playlist
generation and music tagging
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Overview

- Large audio datasets are not public due to copyrighted commercial music
- We created Melon Playlist Dataset:
- Collected from Melon, the largest streaming service in Korea
- 649,091 tracks
- 148,826 playlists
- 30,652 different tags
- Mel-spectrograms for 20-50 second track segments. Total size: 240GB
- Proposed applications:
- Sequential recommendation
- Music classification and automatic tagging
- Automatic playlist continuation, for which we provide a baseline


## Mel-spectrograms

Previously* we studied multiple configurations

- Sample rate:

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\text { - } 12 \mathrm{KHz} \text { vs } 16 \text { KHz }
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- Frame size 512 samples
- Hann window function
- Number of mel bands.
- 128, 96, 48, 32, 24, 16, 8
- Normalization:
- db vs log
- Hop size and reduction of time resolution
- 256 samples x1, x2, x3, x4, x5, x10
* Ferraro et al. Music Auto-tagging Using CNNs and Mel-spectrograms with

Reduced Frequency and Time Resolution. EUSIPCO 2020
Automatic playlists continuation

- Goal: Continuation of playlists with new tracks
- Created new split of the data by different levels of popularity:
- APC-test-1: 17,042 tracks

APC-test-2: 46,069 tracks

- APC-test-3: 155,68 tracks
- APC-train: 81,219 tracks and 104,645 playlists
- Trained model to predict CF features using APC-train and evaluated on APC-test:
- MAP@10, nDCG@10, MAP@200 and nDCG@200

Link to the dataset
https://mtg.github.io/melon-playlist-dataset


Results

## Melon Playlist Dataset





