

CLIO 10 SINUSOIDAL FILE STRUCTURE WITH IMPORT EXAMPLES IN SCILAB

by Daniele Ponteggia - dp@audiomatica.com

INTRODUCTION

Starting from release CLIO 10 the file structure of Sinusoidal files has changed. This has been necessary due to the introduction of the support of sinusoidal stereo measurements.

This enhancement allowed to implement features such as the simultaneous measurement of impedance and response, one-pass measurement of Thiele and Small parameters using laser transducer.

CLIO 10 SINUSOIDAL FILE STRUCTURE

The Sinusoidal file structure is composed of an header section of a fixed length and data sections which length is dependent on measurement settings. The SinData section will always be present while RBDData and THDDData sections are present only if the relative calculation options are active during the measurement.

The following table report in details the Sinusoidal file fields, rows with gray background are optional.

Position (Bytes)	Field	Type	Length (Bytes)	Notes
0	Undocumented Space	char	28	
28	RelBackComp	unsigned int	4	Sets the lowest compatible release (This file structure applies to RelBackComp=1000)
32	Undocumented Space	char	758	
790	Channel	char	1	0 - ChA, 1 - ChB, 2 - ChA&B
791	Undocumented Space	char	22	
813	CHAUnit	char	1	CHA Y Unit, see TLevUnit definition
814	Undocumented Space	char	54	
868	THDFlag	char	1	THDDData present: 0 - No, 1 - Yes
869	RBFlag	char	1	Rub and Buzz Data present: 0 - No, 1 - Yes
870	CHBUnit	char	1	CHB Y Unit, see below TLevUnit definition for details
871	Undocumented Space	char	85	
956	NumOfFreq	unsigned int	4	How many frequency points

CLIO 10 SINUSOIDAL FILE STRUCTURE WITH IMPORT EXAMPLES IN SCILAB

Position (Bytes)	Field	Type	Length (Bytes)	Notes
960	SinData	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	Sinusoidal response data
+20*NumOfFreq	RBData	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	Present only if RBFlag=1
+20*NumOfFreq	THDData	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	Present only THDFlag=1
+20*NumOfFreq	2 nd Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	3 rd Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	4 th Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	5 th Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	6 th Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	7 th Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	8 th Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	9 th Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	
+20*NumOfFreq	10 th Armonic	Array [1..NumOfFreq] of sinstep	20*NumOfFreq	

The sinstep data type is defined as:

```

struct complex
{
float re;
float im;
};

struct sinstep
{
float freq;
complex valA;
complex valB;
};
    
```

CLIO 10 SINUSOIDAL FILE STRUCTURE WITH IMPORT EXAMPLES IN SCILAB

The TlevUnit is of a set type:

```
TlevUnit=(Vrms, dBV, dBu, dBspl, dBRel, Ohm, Deg, ms, dB, Perc, dBmet, dBms2, dBPa, dBPaV, dBms);
```

Value	Shown Unit in CLIO	Saved Data Unit
0	Vrms	V
1	dBV	V
2	dBu	V
3	dBspl	Pa
4	dBrel	V
5	Ohm	Ohm
6	Deg	
7	ms	
8	dB	
9	%	
10	dBmet	m
11	dBm/s2	m/s2
12	dBPa	
13	dBPa/V	
14	dBm/s	m/s

SCILAB IMPORT EXAMPLE

We report here a very simple example of import function for CLIO 10 Sinusoidal files in Scilab language.

```
function [Ch, CHAUnit, CHBUnit, SinFreq, SinData, RNBFreq, RNBFreq, RNBDData, THD-Flag, THDFreq, THDDData]=loadsin(filename)
```

```
[fd]=mopen(filename);
```

```
skip=mget(28, 'uc', fd);
```

```
RelBackComp=mget(1, 'ui', fd);
```

```
if RelBackComp<1000 then  
  mclose(fd);  
  error('File not compatible');  
end;
```

```
skip=mget(740, 'uc', fd);
```

```
skip=mget(18, 'uc', fd);
```

```
Ch=mget(1,'uc',fd);

skip=mget(22,'uc',fd);

CHAUnit=mget(1,'uc',fd);

skip=mget(54,'uc',fd);

THDFlag=mget(1,'uc',fd);
RNBFlag=mget(1,'uc',fd);

CHBUnit=mget(1,'uc',fd);

skip=mget(85,'uc',fd);

NumOfFreq=mget(1,'ui',fd);

for i=1:NumOfFreq
    SinFreq(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
    SinRe(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
    SinIm(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
    SinRe(2,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
    SinIm(2,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
end
SinData=complex(SinRe,SinIm);

if RNBFlag==1 then
    for i=1:NumOfFreq
        RNBFreq(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
        RNBRe(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
        RNBIm(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
        RNBRe(2,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
        RNBIm(2,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
    end
    RNBDData=complex(RNBRe,RNBIm);
else
    RNBFreq=[];
    RNBDData=[];
end

if THDFlag==1 then
    for j=1:10
        for i=1:NumOfFreq
            //THDFreq(1,i,j)=mget(1,'f',fd);
            AppoFreq(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
            THDRe(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
            THDIm(1,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
            THDRe(2,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
            THDIm(2,i)=mget(1,'f',fd);
        end
        THDFreq(:, :, j)=AppoFreq;
        THDData(:, :, j)=complex(THDRe,THDIm);
    end
end
```

CLIO 10 SINUSOIDAL FILE STRUCTURE WITH IMPORT EXAMPLES IN SCILAB

```
    end
else
    THDFreq=[];
    THDData=[];
end

mclose(fd);
endfunction
```

The function can be called from the console:

```
-->[Ch, CHAUnit, CHBUnit, SinFreq, SinData, RNBFreq, RNBFreq, RNBDData, THDFlag,
    THDFreq, THDData]=loadsin('filename.sin');
```

and return a series of vector and matrices in function of the data available into the file.

`SinData` is a (2,NumOfFreq) complex vector where (1,:) is the channel A response and (2,:) is the channel B response.

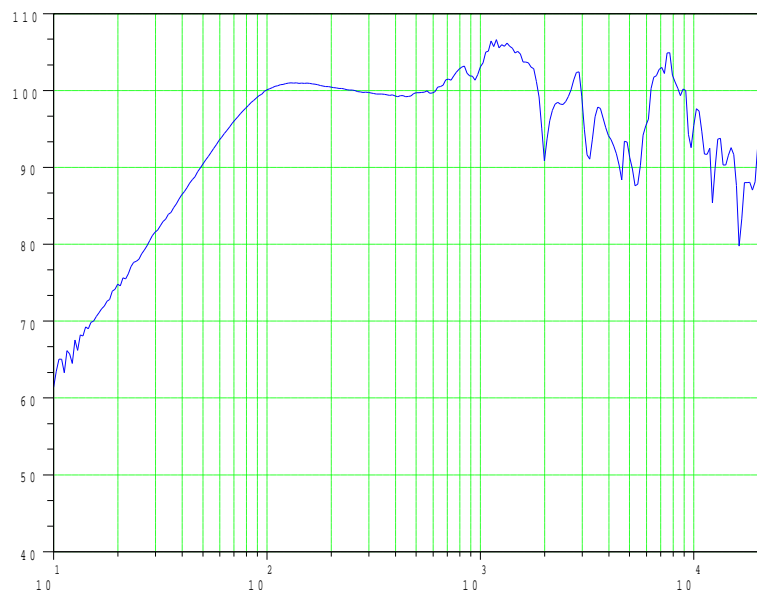
If present `THDData` is a (2,NumOfFreq,10) complex matrix. (1,:,1) is the THD of the channel A, (2,:,1) is the THD of the channel B, (1,:,2) is the second harmonic response of the channel A and so on...

As an example we can import the sinusoidal measurement of the acoustical response of a loudspeaker:

```
-->[Ch, CHAUnit, CHBUnit, SinFreq, SinData, RNBFreq, RNBFreq, RNBDData, THDFlag,
    THDFreq, THDData]=loadsin('example_lspk.sin');
```

We can plot the measured sinusoidal SPL response (channel A), since the data is stored in Pa and in complex format it is necessary to calculate the modulus and convert to dB SPL:

```
-->plot2d(SinFreq(1,:), 20.*log10(abs(SinData(1,:)+1e-35)
    +94, logflag="ln", style=2);
```



We can also add to the plot the second harmonic distortion:

```
-->plot2d(THDFreq(1, :, 2), 20.*log10(abs(THDData(1, :, 2)+1e-35))  
+94, logflag="ln", style=5);
```

