

# Harmony Tools in Humdrum I

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# Installing Humdrum Tools

Best way is by using git to download from github:

<https://github.com/humdrum-tools/humdrum-tools>

Windoze: first install Cygwin: <http://www.cygwin.com>

Above contains two software packages for processing Humdrum data files:

<https://github.com/humdrum-tools/humdrum>

“Humdrum Toolkit”

<https://github.com/humdrum-tools/humextra>

“Humdrum Extras”

Websites:

“Humdrum Toolkit” <https://www.humdrum.org>

“Humdrum Extras” <https://extras.humdrum.org>

# Humdrum Documentation

Online:	Humdrum Toolkit User Guide	<a href="http://www.humdrum.org/guide">http://www.humdrum.org/guide</a>
	Humdrum Toolkit Manual	<a href="http://www.humdrum.org/man">http://www.humdrum.org/man</a>
	Humdrum Extras Manual	<a href="https://extra.humdrum.org/man">https://extra.humdrum.org/man</a>
Local:	Humdrum Toolkit help	<i>program -h</i>
	Humdrum Toolkit help	<i>man program</i>
	Humdrum Extras help	<i>program --options</i>
Other:	CCARH Humdrum Portal	<a href="http://humdrum.ccarh.org">http://humdrum.ccarh.org</a>

# Humdrum Programming

<http://humlib.humdrum.org>



The humlib library is of a set of C++ classes for parsing [Humdrum](#) data files. It is easy to incorporate into your project by adding these two files:

1. An include file [humlib.h](#)
2. and a source file [humlib.cpp](#)

The source code uses some C++11-specific features, so add the `-std=c++11` option when compiling with GNU g++ or the clang++ compiler. Also include the `-stdlib=libc++` option when compiling with clang. See the [Makefile](#) for compiling the library and [Makefile.examples](#) for compiling and linking executables.

# Harmonic Tools

## 1. Intervals

**mint**: melodic intervals HT

**hint**: harmonic intervals HT

**cint**: composite intervals (counterpoint modules) HE

## 2. Chords/Sonorities

**tntype**: sonority types HE

**sonority**: triadic sonority types HE

## 3. Key

**key/keycor**: musical key by correlation HE/HT

**mkeyscape**: keyscape HE

**finalis**: Identify finalis tone of music HE

# Humdrum Data

Download a large chunk: <https://github.com/humdrum-tools/humdrum-data>

Mostly from: <http://kern.humdrum.org>

Humdrum Extras programs can download internally:

One file: [keycor h://chorales/chor001.krn](#)

All files in a set: [mkdir chorales; cd chorales  
humsplit h://chorales](#)

Download to HT programs: [humcat h://chorales/chor001.krn | key](#)

multiple files: [humcat -s h://chorales | census -k](#)

# Humdrum score encoding

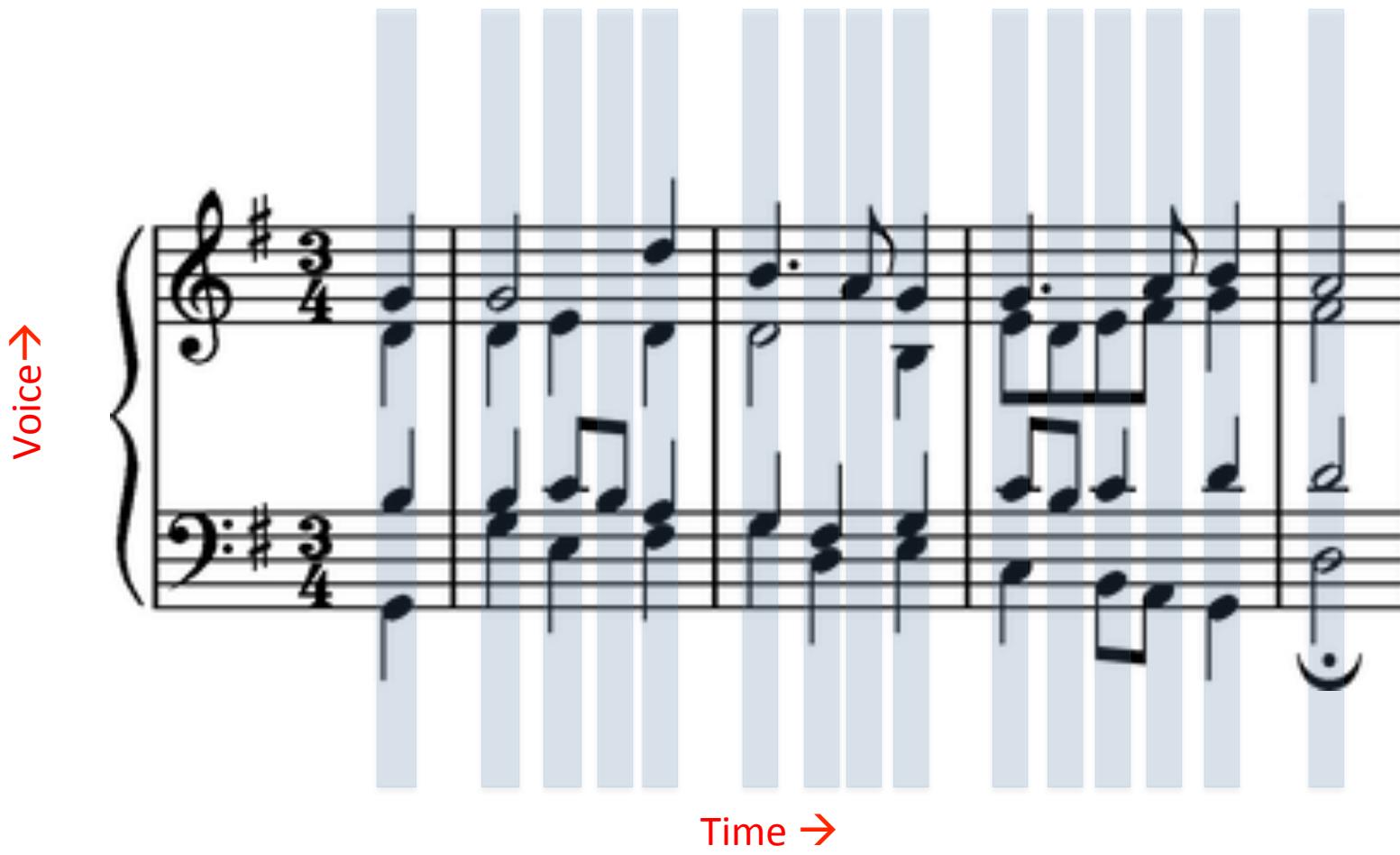
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Voice →



Time →

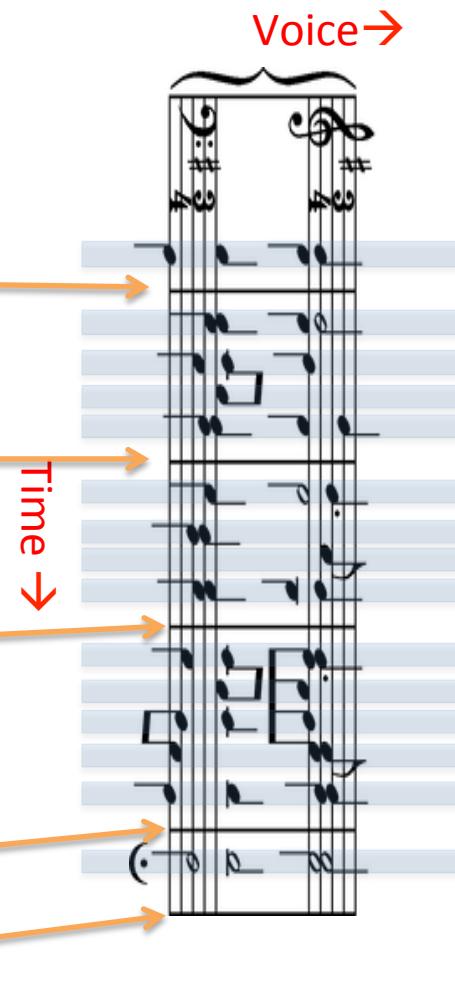
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 !!!CDT: 1685/02/21/-1750/07/28/  
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 !!!OTL@EN: From the Depths of My Heart  
 !!!SCT: BWV 269

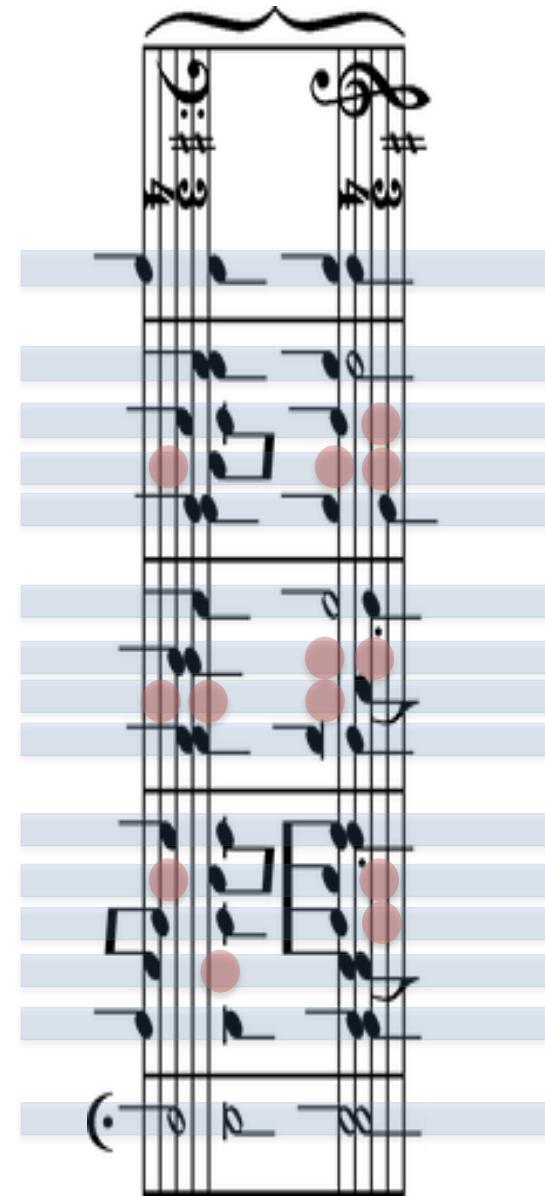
**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern
*Ibass	*Tenor	*Alto	*Soprano
*clefF4	*clefG2	*clefG2	*clefG2
*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]
*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:
*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4
4GG	4B	4d	4g
=1	=1	=1	=1
4G	4B	4d	2g
4E	8cL	4e	.
.	8BJ	.	.
4F#	4A	4d	4dd
=2	=2	=2	=2
4G	4G	2d	4.b
4D	4F#	.	.
.	.	.	8a
4E	4G	4B	4g
=3	=3	=3	=3
4C	8cL	8eL	4.g
.	8BJ	8d	.
8BBL	4c	8e	.
8AAJ	.	8f#J	8a
4GG	4d	4g	4b
=4	=4	=4	=4
2D;	2d;	2f#;	2a;
4GG	4d	4g	4b
=	=	=	=



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 !!!SCT: BWV 269

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern
*Ibass	*Itenor	*Ialto	*Isoprn
*clefF4	*clefGv2	*clefG2	*clefG2
*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]
*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:
*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4
4GG	4B	4d	4g
=1	=1	=1	=1
4G	4B	4d	2g
4E	8cL	4e	.
.	8BJ	.	.
4F#	4A	4d	4dd
=2	=2	=2	=2
4G	4G	2d	4.b
4D	4F#	.	8a
.	.	.	8a
4E	4G	4B	4g
=3	=3	=3	=3
4C	8cL	8eL	4.g
.	8BJ	8d	.
8BBL	4c	8e	.
8AAJ	.	8f#J	8a
4GG	4d	4g	4b
=4	=4	=4	=4
2D;	2d;	2f#;	2a;
4GG	4d	4g	4b
=	=	=	=



# mint HT

## Melodic Intervals

<http://www.humdrum.org/man/mint>

<http://www.humdrum.org/guide/ch11>

See a list of options:  
**mint -h**

```
[oznin:- craig$ mint -h

MINT      : Determine melodic intervals between successive pitches.

This command outputs the distance between successive pitches expressed as diatonic interval size plus interval quality (e.g. m7).

Inputs processed:

  **kern,   **pitch,   **solfg,   **Tonh

Syntax:

  mint [-acd] [-b regexp] [-s regexp] [inputfile ...]

Options:

  -a      : output absolute pitch interval (no leading + or -)
  -c      : output compound intervals as non-compound intervals
  -d      : output diatonic interval size only, without interval quality
  -e      : with -s option, output skipped input data rather than null tokens
  -b regexp : break; do not calculate for records matching regexp
  -s regexp : skip; ignore records matching regexp; output null tokens

Refer to reference manual for further details.
```

Local manpage:  
**man mint**

```
mint(1)                                     mint(1)

NAME
  mint  --  determine melodic intervals between successive pitches for
          Humdrum inputs

SYNOPSIS
  mint  [-acd]  [-b  regexp]  [-s  regexp]  [inputfile]  [ >  output-
          file.mnt]

DESCRIPTION
  The mint command determines the distance (interval) between successive pitches. Output pitch intervals are expressed as a diatonic interval size plus interval quality; a leading plus or minus sign indicates whether the interval is ascending or descending. By way of illustration, mint will change a sequence of **pitch data tokens -- such as C4, A4, E4 -- to the interval sequence +M6, -P4. Each pitch-related input spine is transformed to a corresponding **mint output spine.

  The mint command determines melodic intervals only for pitch tokens within individual spines. Pitch intervals across spines are not determined by mint.
```

# mint

What are the melodic intervals in a chorale?:

```
mint chor001.krn | less
```

```
humcat h://chorales/chor001.krn | mint | less
```

What is the most common intervals in the chorale?:

```
mint chor001.krn | serialize | ridx -H | sort | uniq -c
```

HE      HE      U      U



```
mint chor001.krn | serialize | ridx -H | sortcount
```

HE

rid -H  
rid -GLId | grep -v =  
HT            U

As a percentage:

```
mint chor001.krn | serialize | ridx -H | sortcount -p
```

# Super mint

What is the most common melodic interval in all of the chorales?:?

```
cat chor*.krn | mint | serialize | ridx -H | sortcount -p | head -n 20
```

U

U

```
cat chor*.krn | mint | serialize | ridx -H | grep -v '[]r' | sortcount -p
```

U

Least common intervals:

```
cat chor*.krn | mint | serialize | ridx -H | grep -v '[]r' | sortcount | tail -n 20
```

U



# hint HT

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## hint chor001.krn

```
!!!COM:      Bach, Johann Sebastian
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!!!OTL@EN:   From the Depths of My Heart
!!!SCT:      BWV 269
```

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**hint
*Ibass	*Itenor	*Ialto	*Isoprn	*
*cleffF4	*clefGv2	*clefG2	*clefG2	*
*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]
*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:
*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4
4GG	4B	4d	4g	M10 m3 P4
=1	=1	=1	=1	=1
4G	4B	4d	2g	M3 m3 P4
4E	8cL	4e	.	m6 M3
.	8BJ	.	.	-
4F#	4A	4d	4dd	m3 P4 P8
=2	=2	=2	=2	=2
4G	4G	2d	4.b	P1 P5 M6
4D	4F#	.	.	M3
.	.	.	8a	-
4E	4G	4B	4g	m3 M3 m6



```
hint chor001.krn > temp
assemble chor001.krn temp | less
```

```
satb2gs file.krn | autostem | hum2muse \
| muse2ps =z21v120,120c120T^^ \
| pstopnm -dpi=300 | convert - -trim \
-resize '33%' file.png
```

# hint documentation

`hint -h` gives one-page summary of *hint* command (same for all Humdrum Toolkit programs)  
`man hint` gives command-line manual page

Humdrum Toolkit man pages:

<http://www.humdrum.org/man>

Older version

<http://www.humdrum.org/Humdrum/commands/hint.html>

Chapter 15 in the Humdrum Users' Guide (Harmonic Intervals):

<http://www.humdrum.org/guide/ch15>

Older version

<http://www.humdrum.org/Humdrum/guide15.html>

# hint -a

- a option shows intervals for all note permutations, not just “stacked intervals”

**hint -a chor001.krn**

```
!!!COM: Bach, Johann Sebastian
!!!CDT: 1685/02/21/-1750/07/28/
!!!OTL@DE: Aus meines Herzens Grunde
!!!OTL@EN: From the Depths of My Heart
!!!SCT: BWV 269
**kern **kern **kern **kern **hint
*Ibass *Itenor *Ialto *Isoprn *
*clefF4 *clefG2 *clefG2 *clefG2 *
*k[f#] *k[f#] *k[f#] *k[f#] *k[f#]
*G: *G: *G: *G: *G:
*M3/4 *M3/4 *M3/4 *M3/4 *M3/4
4GG 4B 4d 4g M10 P12 P15 m3 m6 P4
=1 =1 =1 =1 =1
4G 4B 4d 2g M3 P5 P8 m3 m6 P4
4E 8cL 4e . m6 P8 M3
. 8BJ . . -
4F# 4A 4d 4dd m3 m6 m13 P4 P11 P8
=2 =2 =2 =2
4G 4G 2d 4.b P1 P5 M10 P5 M10 M6
4D 4F# . . M3
. . 8a -
4E 4G 4B 4g m3 P5 m10 M3 P8 m6
```

→ (GG,B), (GG,d), (GG, g), (B,d),  
(B, g), (d, g)

# hint -c

- Collapse the interval to a single octave. Such as: P12 → P8+P4 → P4

**hint -ac chor001.krn**

**hint -a -c chor001.krn**

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**hint
*Ibass	*Itenor	*Ialto	*Isoprn	*
*clefF4	*clefGv2	*clefG2	*clefG2	*
*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]
*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:
*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4
4GG	4B	4d	4g	M3 P5 P1 m3 m6 P4
=1	=1	=1	=1	=1
4G	4B	4d	2g	M3 P5 P1 m3 m6 P4
4E	8cL	4e	.	m6 P1 M3
.	8BJ	.	.	-
4F#	4A	4d	4dd	m3 m6 m6 P4 P4 P1
=2	=2	=2	=2	=2
4G	4G	2d	4.b	P1 P5 M3 P5 M3 M6
4D	4F#	.	.	M3
.	.	.	8a	-
4E	4G	4B	4g	m3 P5 m3 M3 P1 m6
=3	=3	=3	=3	=3
4C	8cL	8eL	4.g	P1 M3 P5 M3 P5 m3
.	8BJ	8d	.	m3
8BBL	4c	8e	.	m2 P4 M3
8AAJ	.	8f#J	8a	M6 P1 m3
4GG	4d	4g	4b	P5 P1 M3 P4 M6 M3

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M10	→	M3
P12	→	P5
P15	→	P1
m3	→	m3
m6	→	m6
P4	→	P4

# Most common harmonic intervals

```
hint –ac chor001.krn | serialize –c | ridx –H | sort | uniq –c | sort -nr
```

1. `hint -ac chor001.krn`: do harmonic interval analysis (Humdrum Toolkit)
  2. `serialize -c`: force intervals one to a line (Humdrum Extras)
  3. `ridx -H`: remove Humdrum file structure from data (Humdrum Extras)
  4. `sort`: sort lines alphabetically (Unix)
  5. `uniq -c`: output lines without repetitions, counting occurrences (Unix)
  6. `sort -nr`: sort numerically, in reverse order (largest count first) (Unix)

\*\*hint  
\*k[f#]  
\*G:  
\*M3/4  
M3 P5 P1 m3 m6 P4  
=1  
M3 P5 P1 m3 m6 P4  
m6 P1 M3  
-  
m3 m6 m6 P4 P4 P1  
=2  
P1 P5 M3 P5 M3 M6  
M3  
-  
m3 P5 m3 M3 P1 m6

\*\*hint  
\*k[f#]  
\*G:  
\*M3/4  
M3  
P5  
P1  
m3  
m6  
P4  
=1  
M3  
P5  
P1  
m3  
m6  
P4

M  
P  
P  
m  
m  
P  
M  
P  
P  
m  
m  
P  
m  
P  
M  
m  
m  
m

21 —  
2 A4  
4 M2  
55 M3  
23 M6  
43 P1  
30 P4  
44 P5  
3 d5  
2 m2  
42 m3  
24 m6  
6 m7

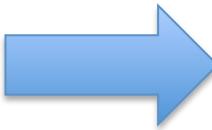
55	M3
44	P5
43	P1
42	m3
30	P4
24	m6
23	M6
21	-
6	m7
4	M2
3	d5
2	m2
2	A4

# ditto HT

- *hint* ignores null tokens, resulting in harmonic intervals between note attacks only
- To also include intervals to sustained intervals from previous attacks, use *ditto*
- This fills in the null token with the continuing data token it represents

## ditto chor001.krn

```
**kern **kern **kern **kern
*Ibass *Itenor *Ialto *Isoprn
*clefF4 *clefG2 *clefG2 *clefG2
*k[f#] *k[f#] *k[f#] *k[f#]
*G: *G: *G: *G:
*M3/4 *M3/4 *M3/4 *M3/4
4GG 4B 4d 4g
=1 =1 =1 =1
4G 4B 4d 2g
4E 8cL 4e .
.
8BJ .
.
4F# 4A 4d 4dd
=2 =2 =2 =2
4G 4G 2d 4.b
4D 4F# .
.
4E 4G 4B 4g
```



```
**kern **kern **kern **kern
*Ibass *Itenor *Ialto *Isoprn
*clefF4 *clefG2 *clefG2 *clefG2
*k[f#] *k[f#] *k[f#] *k[f#]
*G: *G: *G: *G:
*M3/4 *M3/4 *M3/4 *M3/4
4GG 4B 4d 4g
=1 =1 =1 =1
4G 4B 4d 2g
4E 8cL 4e 2g
4E 8BJ 4e 2g
4F# 4A 4d 4dd
=2 =2 =2 =2
4G 4G 2d 4.b
4D 4F# 2d 4.b
4D 4F# 2d 8a
4E 4G 4B 4g
```

# Most common harmonic interval including sustained notes

hint –ac chor001.krn | serialize –c | ridx –H | sort | uniq –c | sort -nr

ditto chor001.krn | hint –ac | serialize –c | ridx –H | sort | uniq –c | sort -nr

attacks

55	M3
44	P5
43	P1
42	m3
30	P4
24	m6
23	M6
21	–
6	m7
4	M2
3	d5
2	m2
2	A4

+sustains

76	P5
75	M3
74	m3
59	P1
56	P4
43	M6
41	m6
18	m7
16	M2
9	A4
7	d5
4	m2
2	M7

# All Bach chorales

```
cat chor*.krn | hint -ac | serialize -c \
| ridx -H | sort | uniq -c | sort -nr
```

18053 m3  
17545 P5  
16147 M3  
15263 P1  
10812 P4  
10035 M6  
9935 m6  
2537 M2  
1542 m7  
1534 A4  
1103 d5  
397 m2  
248 M7  
175 d7  
64 A2  
62 d4  
43 A5  
2 A6  
1 d1

Attacked minor thirds  
more common than  
attacked 5ths.

```
cat chor*.krn | ditto | hint -ac | serialize -c \
| ridx -H | sort | uniq -c | sort -nr
```

29352 P5  
28149 m3  
23975 M3  
22049 P1  
20642 P4  
17349 M6  
15016 m6  
7015 M2  
6498 m7  
3721 A4  
3131 d5  
1555 m2  
1183 M7  
299 d7  
182 r  
176 d4  
146 A2  
111 A5  
3 d1  
3 A6  
1 d3

Sustained 5ths more  
common sustained  
minor thirds.

# Beethoven string quartets

download and save all quartets locally:

humcat -s h://beethoven/quartets > beethoven-quartets.krns

or humsplit h://beethoven/quartests

hint -ac beethoven-quartets.krns | serialize -c | ridx -H | sort | uniq -c | sort -nr

ditto beethoven-quartets.krns | hint -ac | serialize -c | ridx -H | sort | uniq -c | sort -nr

60156	P1
40163	m3
31479	M3
26374	P5
24285	M6
21775	P4
18348	m6
10697	m7
9520	M2
7491	A4
6559	d5
2237	M7
1659	A2
1419	m2
1395	d7
529	A5
431	d4
269	A6
104	A1
80	d6
67	d3
55	d1
39	A3
27	AA4
23	d2
18	A7
10	dd5
7	dd1
7	AA2
5	dd7
2	dd4
2	AA5

102597	P1
69409	m3
57966	M3
55746	P5
46270	M6
45913	P4
35295	m6
23213	m7
22159	M2
14037	A4
12924	d5
6139	M7
4529	m2
3020	A2
2764	d7
1453	A5
1155	d4
533	A6
403	A1
223	d1
147	d6
121	A3
113	d3
72	d2
40	A7
37	AA4
34	dd5
15	dd1
13	dd7
13	AA2
3	dd4
3	AA5
1	AA6
1	AA3
1	AA1



# tntype

Tool for generalized description of sonority types (pitch-class sets sounding together)

documentation: <http://extras.humdrum.org/man/tntype>

similar to Humdrum Toolkit command pcset <http://www.humdrum.org/Humdrum/commands/pcset.html>



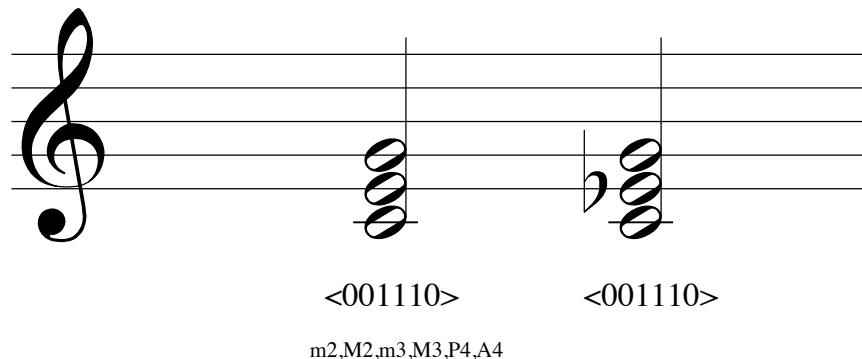
seven successive “sonorities” present in the above music:

The same musical score as above, but with red markings indicating the onset of each sonority. Red vertical stems are placed at the start of each measure, and red horizontal stems connect the notes within each measure, forming a single continuous line. This visualizes the pitch-class sets sounding together at each point in time.

*sonority #:* 1    2    3    4    5    6    7

# Interval vectors

- Similar data generated by *hint*, but more compact



- Major and minor triads have the same interval content: m3, M3, P5
- <001110> is can be represented by the Forte number enumeration 3-11.
  - 3 = three pitch classes in set
  - 11 = 11<sup>th</sup> most compact organization of 3 pitch classes  
3-1 = c,c#,d    3-2 = c,c#,d#   3-3 = c,c#,e   3-4 = c,c#,f   3-5 = c,c#,f#   etc.

# tntype -d

Generate a \*\*dpc (diatonic pitch-class) spine listing unique pitch classes in sonorities

A musical score consisting of two staves (treble and bass) with seven measures. The treble staff has a treble clef and the bass staff has a bass clef. Measures 1 through 6 each contain a red note, while measure 7 contains a black note. The red notes in measures 1-6 correspond to the notes highlighted in the red boxes in the image above.

sonority #: 1    2    3    4    5    6    7

[tntype -ad file.krn](#)

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**num	* *dpc
=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-
8AL	4c	4a	4cc	1	A c
8GJ	.	.	.	2	(a) (c) G
4F	4e-	8aL	4cc	3	F a c e-
.	.	8gnXJ	.	4	(c) (e-) (F) g
8B-L	4d	4f	4dd	5	B- d f
8AJ	.	.	.	6	(d) (f) A
4G	4g	4b-	4dd	7	G b- d
==	==	==	==	==	==
* -	* -	* -	* -	* -	* -

# Normal form



*sonority #:* 1    2    3    4    5    6    7

tntype -na file.krn

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**num	**nf
=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-
8AL	4c	4a	4cc	1	[90]
8GJ	.	.	.	2	[790]
4F	4e-	8aL	4cc	3	[9035]
.	.	8gnXJ	.	4	[0357]
8B-L	4d	4f	4dd	5	[A25]
8AJ	.	.	.	6	[259]
4G	4g	4b-	4dd	7	[7A2]
==	==	==	==	==	==
* -	* -	* -	* -	* -	* -

# Transposed normal form



*sonority #:* 1    2    3    4    5    6    7

tntype -af file.krn

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**num	**tnf
=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-
8AL	4c	4a	4cc	1	{03}
8GJ	.	.	.	2	{025}
4F	4e-	8aL	4cc	3	{0368}
.	.	8gnXJ	.	4	{0357}
8B-L	4d	4f	4dd	5	{047}
8AJ	.	.	.	6	{037}
4G	4g	4b-	4dd	7	{037}
==	==	==	==	==	==
* -	* -	* -	* -	* -	* -

# Preserving transposition



*sonority #:* 1    2    3    4    5    6    7

tntype –an input | tntype –aft

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**num	**nf	**tnf
=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-	=1-
8AL	4c	4a	4cc	1	[90]	{03}T9
8GJ	.	.	.	2	[790]	{025}T7
4F	4e-	8aL	4cc	3	[9035]	{0368}T9
.	.	8gnXJ	.	4	[0357]	{0357}T0
8B-L	4d	4f	4dd	5	[A25]	{047}T10
8AJ	.	.	.	6	[259]	{037}T2
4G	4g	4b-	4dd	7	[7A2]	{037}T7
==	==	==	==	==	==	==
*-	*-	*-	*-	*-	*-	*-

# Forte pc-set enumerations

*sonority #:* 1      2      3      4      5      6      7

Tntype -an | tntype -aft | tntype -aF

# Forte numbers, without inversions

tntype -an | tntype -aft | tntype -aF --Tn

# Sonority descriptions

humcat h://371chorales/chor001.krn | tntype -a | tntype -tfa | tntype -Da

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**tnt	**tnf	**description
*Ibass	*Itenor	*Ialto	*Isoprn	*	*	*
*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]
*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4
4GG	4B	4d	4g	3-11B	{047}T07	Major Chord
=1	=1	=1	=1	=1	=1	=1
4G	4B	4d	2g	3-11B	{047}T07	Major Chord
4E	8cL	4e	.	3-11B	{047}T00	Major Chord
.	8BJ	.	.	3-11A	{037}T04	Minor Chord
4F#	4A	4d	4dd	3-11B	{047}T02	Major Chord
=2	=2	=2	=2	=2	=2	=2
4G	4G	2d	4.b	3-11B	{047}T07	Major Chord
4D	4F#	.	.	3-11A	{037}T11	Minor Chord
.	.	.	8a	3-11B	{047}T02	Major Chord
4E	4G	4B	4g	3-11A	{037}T04	Minor Chord
=3	=3	=3	=3	=3	=3	=3
4C	8cL	8eL	4.g	3-11B	{047}T00	Major Chord
.	8BJ	8d	.	4-14B	{0457}T07	Perfect-fourth Major Tetrachord
8BBL	4c	8e	.	4-20	{0158}T11	Major-seventh Chord
8AAJ	.	8f#J	8a	3-10	{036}T06	Diminished Chord
4GG	4d	4g	4b	3-11B	{047}T07	Major Chord
=4	=4	=4	=4	=4	=4	=4

# Bach chorale sonority types

- Are there more major or minor sonorities in Bach chorales?

By musical description:

```
humcat -s h://371chorales | tntype -D | ridx -H | sortcount
```

By Forte number:

```
humcat -s h://371chorales | tntype | ridx -H | sortcount
```

- Do Bach chorales in minor keys have more major or minor sonorities?

```
humsplit h://371chorales
```

```
humcat -s `egrep -l "^\*[a-g][#-]?:" chor*.krn` | tntype -D | ridx -H | sortcount
```

- What is the most common 7<sup>th</sup> chord sonority?

# context<sup>HT</sup>

Generate transition table information from data sequences

```
tntype h://chorales/chor001.krn | context -n 2 -o = | ridx -H | sortcount
```

```
16  3-11B 3-11B  
6   3-11B 4-27B  
5   3-11B 3-11A  
4   4-27B 3-11B  
4   3-11A 3-11B  
4   4-22A 3-11B  
4   3-10 3-11B  
3   4-26 3-11B  
2   3-11B 3-9  
2   3-11A 3-11A  
2   3-11B 4-22A  
2   3-11B 4-26  
1   4-20 3-10  
1   3-7A 3-11B  
1   4-27B 4-14A  
1   3-11A 3-7A  
1   4-27B 4-22A  
1   3-8A 3-11B  
1   3-11B 3-10  
1   4-13B 4-22A
```

```
tntype h://chorales | context -n 2 -o = \  
| ridx -H | sortcount -p
```

10.34	3-11B 3-11B		
5.49	3-11B 4-27B	1.78	3-11A 4-26
4.33	4-27B 3-11B	1.77	3-10 3-11B
4.28	3-11B 3-11A	1.5	3-11B 3-9
4.27	3-11A 3-11B	1.33	3-11A 3-10
2.57	3-11A 3-11A	1.3	3-10 3-11A
2.47	3-9 3-11B	1.15	4-22A 3-11B
2.09	4-27B 3-11A	1.1	4-27A 3-11B
1.88	3-11B 4-26	1.08	3-11B 4-22A
1.87	3-11B 4-20	1.06	4-20 3-11B
1.83	4-26 3-11B		

# sample HE

“sample” the music with a specific rhythm

humcat h://chorales/chor001.krn

```
**kern **kern **kern **kern
4GG 4B 4d 4g
=1 =1 =1 =1
4G 4B 4d 2g
4E 8cL 4e .
. 8BJ .
4F# 4A 4d 4dd
=2 =2 =2 =2
4G 4G 2d 4.b
4D 4F# .
. .
. .
4E 4G 4B 4g
=3 =3 =3 =3
4C 8cL 8eL 4.g
. 8BJ 8d .
8BBL 4c 8e .
8AAJ .
4GG 4d 4g 4b
=4 =4 =4 =4
2D; 2d; 2f#; 2a;
4GG 4d 4g 4b
= = = =
```

sample h://chorales/chor001.krn

```
**kern **kern **kern **kern
4GG 4B 4d 4g
=1 =1 =1 =1
4G 4B 4d 4g
4E 4c 4e 4g
4F# 4A 4d 4dd
=2 =2 =2 =2
4G 4G 4d 4b
4D 4F# 4d 4b
4E 4G 4B 4g
=3 =3 =3 =3
4C 4c 4e 4g
4BB 4c 4e 4g
4GG 4d 4g 4b
=4 =4 =4 =4
4D 4d 4f# 4a
4D 4d 4f# 4a
4GG 4d 4g 4b
=5 =5 =5 =5
```

# sample + context

Generate transition table information from beat-to-beat transitions

```
sample h://chorales | tntype | context -n 2 -o = | ridx -H | sortcount -p
```

29.19	3-11B	3-11B
7.82	3-11B	3-11A
7.13	3-11A	3-11A
6.77	3-11A	3-11B
2.4	3-9	3-11B
2.28	4-27B	3-11B
2.05	4-26	3-11B
1.92	3-11B	4-27B
1.71	3-11B	3-9
1.45	3-11B	4-26
1.25	3-11A	4-27B
1.15	3-10	3-11B
1.15	3-11B	3-10
1.1	4-27A	3-11B
1.05	3-11A	3-9
1.02	3-11A	4-27A
1.01	4-27B	3-11A
1	3-11A	4-26

```
tntype h://chorales | context -n 2 -o = \  
| ridx -H | sortcount -p
```

10.34	3-11B	3-11B	1.78	3-11A	4-26
5.49	3-11B	4-27B	1.77	3-10	3-11B
4.33	4-27B	3-11B	1.5	3-11B	3-9
4.28	3-11B	3-11A	1.33	3-11A	3-10
4.27	3-11A	3-11B	1.3	3-10	3-11A
2.57	3-11A	3-11A	1.15	4-22A	3-11B
2.47	3-9	3-11B	1.1	4-27A	3-11B
2.09	4-27B	3-11A	1.08	3-11B	4-22A
1.88	3-11B	4-26	1.06	4-20	3-11B
1.87	3-11B	4-20			
1.83	4-26	3-11B			



# sonority HE

- similar to tntype program but has more triad-centered descriptions of sonorities

<http://extras.humdrum.org/man/sonority>

sonority -a h://371chorales/chor001.krn

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	**qual
*ICvox	*ICvox	*ICvox	*ICvox	*ICvox
*Ibass	*Tenor	*Alto	*Soprano	*
*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]	*k[f#]
*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:
*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4
*MM100	*MM100	*MM100	*MM100	*MM100
4GG	4B	4d	4g	maj:0:G
=1	=1	=1	=1	=1
4G	4B	4d	2g	maj:0:G
4E	8cL	4e	.	maj:1:C
.	8BJ	.	.	min:0:E
4F#	4A	4d	4dd	maj:1:D
=2	=2	=2	=2	=2
4G	4G	2d	4.b	maj:0:G
4D	4F#	.	.	min:1:B
.	.	.	8a	maj:0:D
4E	4G	4B	4g	min:0:E
=3	=3	=3	=3	=3
4C	8cL	8eL	4.g	maj:0:C
.	8BJ	8d	.	X
8BBL	4c	8e	.	majmaj:3:C
8AAJ	.	8f#J	8a	dim:1:F#
4GG	4d	4g	4b	maj:0:G
=4	=4	=4	=4	=4
2D;	2d;	2f#;	2a;	maj:0:D

J.S. Bach

# finalis <sup>HE</sup>

Script which extracts the root of the last sonority (using sonority tool)

finalis h://jrp/Ock | sortcount -p

26.8	D
21.65	F
20.62	G
13.4	E
12.37	A
4.12	C
1.03	B-

finalis h://jrp/Ock | sortcount -p

37.21	G
14.19	A
13.72	E
12.79	F
12.09	D
8.37	C
1.63	B-



# Starting/Ending sonority

- Do Bach chorales start and end on the same sonority?
- How does the starting/ending chord root relate to the key of the chorale?

```
humcat -s h:/371chorales | humsplit
```

```
#!/usr/bin/perl

@filelist = @ARGV;

foreach $file (@filelist) {
    processFile($file)
}

sub processFile {
    my ($file) = @_;
    $first_sonority = `sonority $file | ridx -GLIMd | grep -v ":" | head -n 1`;
    $last_sonority = `sonority $file | ridx -GLIMd | grep -v ":" | tail -n 1`;
    $key = `egrep -i '^\\*[A-G][#-]?:' $file | head -n 1 | sed 's/\\t.*//'";
    chomp $first_sonority;
    chomp $last_sonority;
    chomp $key;
    print "$file\t$key\t$first_sonority\t$last_sonority\n";
}
```

# Starting/Ending sonority (2)

chor001.krn	*G:	maj:0:G	maj:0:G
chor002.krn	*A:	maj:0:A	maj:0:A
chor003.krn	*a:dor	maj:0:E	maj:0:E
chor004.krn	*E:	maj:0:E	maj:0:E
chor005.krn	*G:	maj:0:G	maj:0:G
chor006.krn	*F:	maj:0:F	maj:0:F
chor007.krn	*A:	maj:0:A	maj:0:A
chor008.krn	*f:dor	min:0:F	maj:0:F
chor009.krn	*G:	maj:0:G	maj:0:G
chor010.krn	*a:	domsev:3:E	maj:0:E
chor011.krn	*C:	maj:0:C	maj:0:C
chor012.krn	*a:	min:0:A	maj:0:A
chor013.krn	*a:	min:0:A	maj:0:A
chor014.krn	*G:	maj:0:G	maj:0:G
chor015.krn	*d:dor	min:0:D	maj:0:D
chor016.krn	*b:	maj:0:F#	maj:0:F#
chor017.krn	*e:	min:0:E	maj:0:E
chor018.krn	*G:	maj:0:G	maj:0:G
chor019.krn	*g:dor	min:0:G	maj:0:G
chor020.krn	*D:	maj:0:D	maj:0:D
chor021.krn	*a:	domsev:3:E	maj:0:E
chor022.krn	*E-:	maj:0:E-	maj:0:E-
chor023.krn	*a:	min:0:A	maj:0:A
chor024.krn	*D:	maj:0:D	maj:0:D
chor025.krn	*f:dor	min:0:F	maj:0:F

# Check for unusual cases

```
#!/usr/bin/perl

@filelist = @ARGV;

foreach $file (@filelist) {
    processFile($file)
}

sub processFile {
    my ($file) = @_;
    $first_sonority = `sonority $file | ridx -GLIMd | grep -v ":" | head -n 1`;
    $last_sonority = `sonority $file | ridx -GLIMd | grep -v ":" | tail -n 1`;
    $key = `egrep -i '^\\*[A-G][#-]?:' $file | head -n 1 | sed 's/\\t.*//`;
    chomp $first_sonority;
    chomp $last_sonority;
    chomp $key;
    $first_sonority =~ /:([^:]*)$/;
    $first_root = $1;
    $last_sonority =~ /:([^:]*)$/;
    $last_root = $1;
    $key =~ /^\\*([A-G][#-]?):/;
    $key_root = uc($1);
    if (($first_root ne $last_root) or ($first_root ne $key_root)) {
        print "$file\t$key\t$first_sonority\t$last_sonority\n";
    }
}
```

# Inconsistent start/end/key

chor056.krn	*b:	min:0:E	maj:0:F#
chor057.krn	*a:	maj:0:E	min:0:A
chor066.krn	*a:	min:0:D	maj:0:A
chor071.krn	*e:	maj:1:B	maj:0:E
chor074.krn	*F:	min:0:D	maj:0:F
chor077.krn	*A:	min:0:F#	maj:0:A
chor079.krn	*a:	min:0:A	maj:0:E
chor083.krn	*A:	min:0:F#	maj:0:A
chor089.krn	*b:	min:0:B	maj:0:F#
chor119.krn	*c:dor	maj:0:B-	maj:0:C
chor121.krn	*A:	min:0:F#	maj:0:A
chor154.krn	*G:mix	min:0:D	maj:0:G
chor162.krn	*d:dor	maj:0:A	maj:0:E
chor181.krn	*e:	min:0:E	maj:0:B
<b>chor205.krn</b>	<b>*C:</b>	<b>min:0:E</b>	<b>maj:0:E → *e:phr</b>
chor208.krn	*e:	min:0:E	maj:0:B
chor227.krn	*d:	min:0:G	maj:0:D
chor248.krn	*G:	maj:1:D	maj:0:G
<b>chor253.krn</b>	<b>*g:</b>	<b>maj:0:A</b>	<b>maj:0:D</b>
chor255.krn	*D:	maj:1:A	maj:0:D
chor275.krn	*A:	maj:1:C#	maj:0:A
chor284.krn	*C:mix	maj:0:F	maj:0:C
chor286.krn	*b:	min:0:B	maj:0:F#
chor288.krn	*A:mix	min:0:F#	maj:0:A
chor291.krn	*D:	maj:1:A	maj:0:D
chor311.krn	*F:	maj:1:C	maj:0:F
chor314.krn	*e:	maj:0:B	maj:0:F#
chor315.krn	*G:	min:0:E	maj:0:G
chor333.krn	*D:	maj:0:F#	maj:0:D
chor337.krn	*F:	maj:0:A	maj:0:F
chor341.krn	*A:	min:0:F#	maj:0:A
chor357.krn	*G:mix	maj:0:C	maj:0:G
chor359.krn	*b:	maj:0:D	incmaj:0:B
chor364.krn	*b:	maj:0:F#	maj:0:B
chor367.krn	*b:	maj:0:D	maj:0:F#

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# key

humcat h://371chorales/chor001.krn | key

Estimated key: G major (r=0.9501) confidence: 52.3%

humcat h://371chorales/chor001.krn | key -a

Tonic[0]	major 0.441131	minor 0.0554652
Tonic[1]	major -0.711388	minor -0.415044
Tonic[2]	major 0.775722	minor 0.354884
Tonic[3]	major -0.301544	minor -0.42342
Tonic[4]	major -0.085096	minor 0.540753
Tonic[5]	major 0.00550523	minor -0.515126
Tonic[6]	major -0.407599	minor 0.0398076
Tonic[7]	major 0.9501	minor 0.434019
Tonic[8]	major -0.602254	minor -0.310748
Tonic[9]	major 0.158757	minor 0.224714
Tonic[10]	major -0.11878	minor -0.679797
Tonic[11]	major -0.104554	minor 0.694493

Estimated key: G major (r=0.9501) confidence: 52.3%



# keycor

<http://extras.humdrum.org/man/keycor>

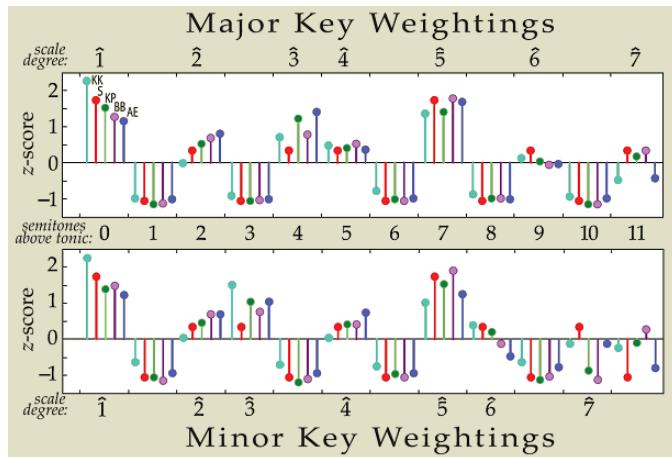
- Generalized version of the Humdrum Toolkit key program.

[keycor h://371chorales/chor001.krn](#)

The best key is: G Major

$$R(x, y) = \frac{\sum (x_n - \bar{x})(y_n - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum (x_n - \bar{x})^2 \sum (y_n - \bar{y})^2}}$$

$$\text{key}_k = \arg \max_k R(x, y_k)$$



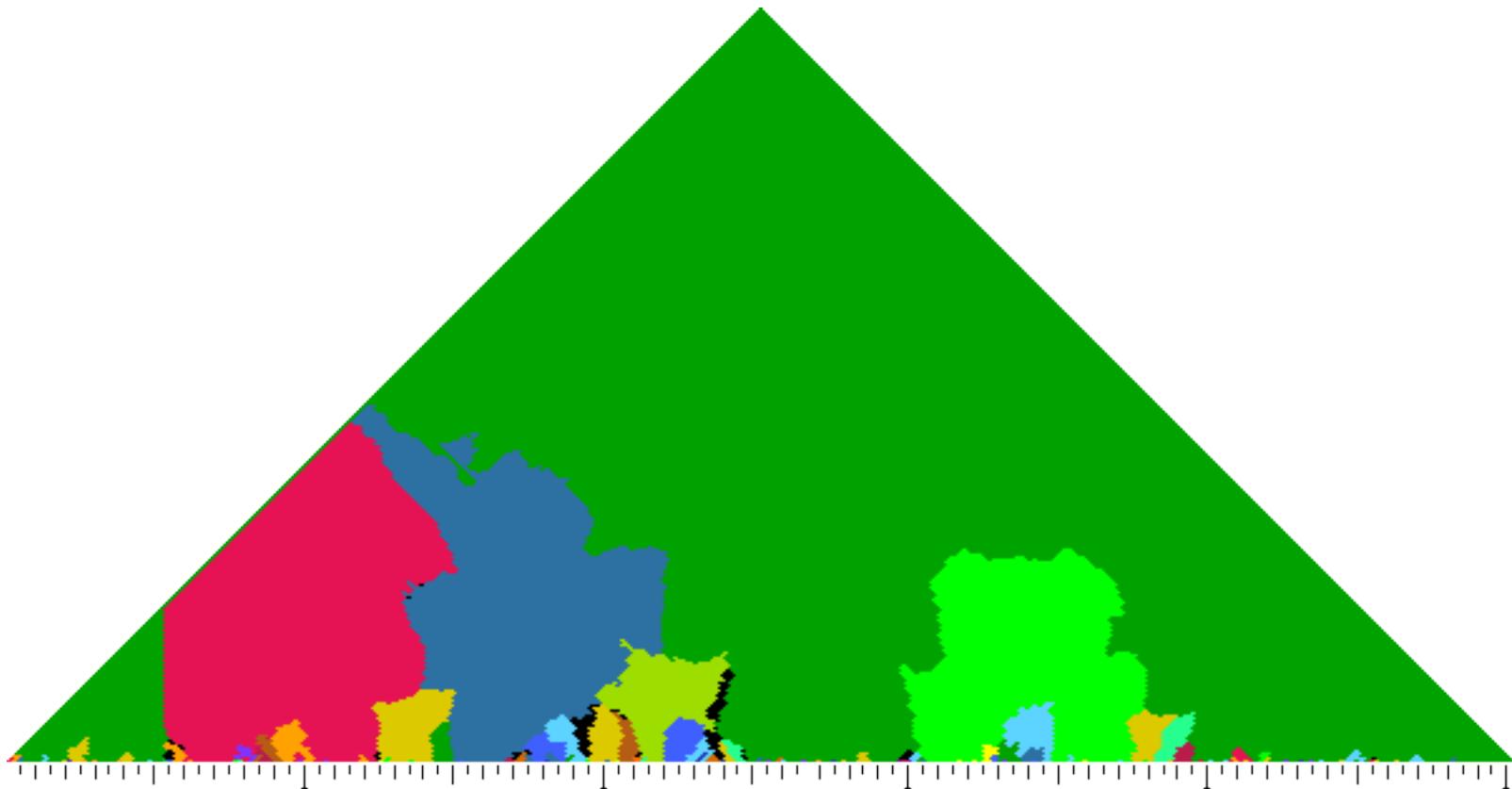
[keycor -c h://371chorales/chor001.krn](#)

**key	**rval	**conf	**start	**mid	**end
G	0.952	82	=0	=5	=11
G	0.956	87	=1	=6	=11
G	0.973	87	=1	=6	=12
G	0.974	97	=1	=6	=12
G	0.969	90	=2	=7	=12
G	0.975	94	=2	=7	=13
G	0.971	86	=2	=7	=13
G	0.969	92	=3	=8	=13
G	0.959	92	=3	=8	=14
G	0.959	86	=3	=8	=14
G	0.969	81	=4	=9	=14
G	0.958	71	=4	=9	=15
G	0.959	70	=4	=9	=15
G	0.962	71	=5	=10	=15
G	0.963	64	=5	=10	=16
G	0.960	67	=5	=10	=16
G	0.943	64	=6	=11	=16
G	0.960	69	=6	=11	=17
G	0.954	72	=6	=11	=17
G	0.948	64	=7	=12	=17
G	0.952	66	=7	=12	=18
G	0.966	76	=7	=12	=18
G	0.976	86	=8	=13	=18
G	0.975	83	=8	=13	=19
G	0.965	87	=8	=13	=19
G	0.970	93	=9	=14	=19
G	0.975	88	=9	=14	=20
G	0.972	82	=9	=14	=20
G	0.978	80	=10	=15	=20
G	0.980	78	=10	=15	=21
G	0.972	68	=10	=15	=21
*_-	*_-	*_-	*_-	*_-	*_-

# mkeyscape

<http://extras.humdrum.org/man/mkeyscape>

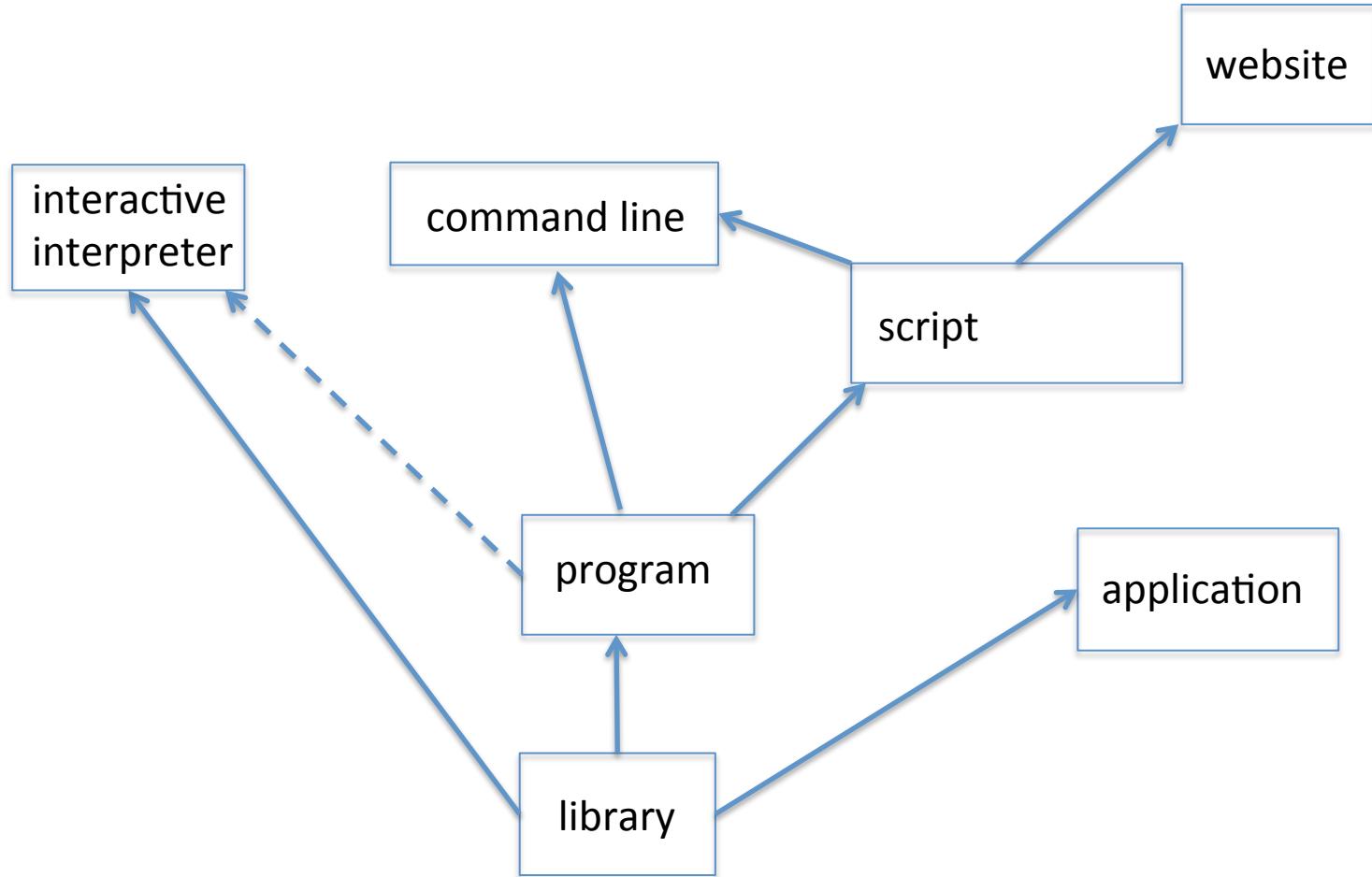
- Structural analysis of key in a piece of music



\* Beethoven's 5<sup>th</sup> symphony in C minor, first movement



# Humdrum Interfacing



# C++ harmony analysis skeleton

```
git clone https://github.com/craigsapp/humextras  
cd humextras  
make library
```

Then place the following code into humextras/src-programs/midinotes.cpp  
and then type “[make midinotes](#)”, then type “[bin/midinotes h://371chorales/chor001.krn](#)”

**kern	**kern	**kern	**kern	
*Ibass	*Itenor	*Ialto	*Isoprn	
*k[ f#]	*k[ f#]	*k[ f#]	*k[ f#]	43 59 62 67
*G:	*G:	*G:	*G:	55 59 62 67
*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	*M3/4	52 60 64 67
4GG	4B	4d	4g	52 59 64 67
=1	=1	=1	=1	54 57 62 74
4G	4B	4d	2g	55 55 62 71
4E	8cL	4e	.	50 54 62 71
.	8BJ	.	.	50 54 62 69
4F#	4A	4d	4dd	52 55 59 67
=2	=2	=2	=2	48 60 64 67
4G	4G	2d	4.b	48 59 62 67
4D	4F#	.	.	47 60 64 67
.	.	.	8a	
4E	4G	4B	4g	
=3	=3	=3	=3	
4C	8cL	8eL	4.g	
.	8BJ	8d	.	
8BBL	4c	8e	.	



# midinotes.cpp (1)

```
// This program takes multiple input files or standard input and outputs a
// list of MIDI pitches sounding at a every time (line) in the input score(s).

#include "humdrum.h"

void processSegment      (HumdrumFile& infile);
void processLine         (HumdrumFile& infile, int line);
void addFieldMidiNotes  (Array<int>& notelist, HumdrumFile& infile, int line,
                        int field);

int main(int argc, char** argv) {
    Options options;
    options.process(argc, argv);
    HumdrumFileSet infilenames;
    int i;
    int incount = options.getArgCount();
    if (incount < 1) {
        infilenames.read(cin);
    } else {
        for (i=0; i<incount; i++) {
            infilenames.readAppend(options.getArg(i+1));
        }
    }

    for (i=0; i<infilenames.getCount(); i++) {
        processSegment(infilenames[i]);
    }

    return 0;
}
```

# midinotes.cpp (2)

```
// processSegment -- handle data extraction from one Humdrum file segment
//   (such as a movement, or individual work from a collection).
void processSegment(HumdrumFile& infile) {
    for (int i=0; i<infile.getNumLines(); i++) {
        if (!infile[i].isData()) {
            continue;
        }
        processLine(infile, i);
    }
}

// processLine -- Print notes for one line of data.
void processLine(HumdrumFile& infile, int line) {
    Array<int> notelist;
    notelist.setSize(1000);
    notelist.setSize(0);
    for (int j=0; j<infile[line].getFieldCount(); j++) {
        if (infile[line].isExInterp(j, "**kern")) {
            addFieldMidiNotes(notelist, infile, line, j);
        }
    }
    for (int i=0; i<notelist.getSize(); i++) {
        cout << notelist[i];
        if (i < notelist.getSize()-1) {
            cout << ' ';
        }
    }
    if (notelist.getSize() > 0) {
        cout << '\n';
    }
}
```

# midinotes.cpp (3)

```
// addFieldMidiNotes -- Print one or more notes in a Humdrum **kern token.
//      Don't do anything if there is a rest.

void addFieldMidiNotes(Array<int>& notelist, HumdrumFile& infile, int line,
    int field) {
    int k;
    int midinote;
    int tline = line;
    int tfield = field;
    char buffer[1024] = {0};

    if (strcmp(infile[line][field], ".") == 0) {
        // resolve data represented by null token
        tline = infile[line].getDotLine(field);
        tfield = infile[line].getDotSpine(field);
    }

    int tcount = infile[tline].getTokenCount(tfield);
    for (k=0; k<tcount; k++) {
        infile[tline].getToken(buffer, tfield, k);
        if (strchr(buffer, 'r') != NULL) {
            // ignore rests
            continue;
        }
        midinote = Convert::kernToMidiNoteNumber(buffer);
        notelist.append(midinote);
    }
}
```