Music machine learning for humans, on Android 2.0

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Learning to play music with the aid of chord recognition software is no longer a pipe dream. For years, Chordify has used machine learning for automatically generating the chords of any song. With the release of their new app for Android, the music e-learning service is focussing their attention on the Asian market. In the meantime, the new Chordify app has already been downloaded more than 250,000 times.

Chordifying India

The new Android version of the music e-learning service enables users in growth markets, such as India, Malaysia, Indonesia, and the Philippines. By launching the Android app version 2.0, the most important premium features will become available on millions of devices worldwide.

What's new?

Premium features that are now available in the Android app 2.0 are, among others: the metronome tool, that recognizes the tempo and time signature of the song; and the chord playback mode, that lets you hear what a chord should sound like. Furthermore, adjusting the difficulty level is really easy with the transpose feature or the capo tool.

To make practicing music easier you can also increase or decrease the tempo of a song. And the loop function lets you pick out a particular piece to repeat. Finally, you can use the export feature to make the chords available as a pdf file, so you're not constantly dependent on a wifi connection.

And this is only the beginning. In the future, there will be a lot more handy premium features, like an expansion of the popular offline mode.

Hiro x Chordify

For developing the mobile applications Chordify is cooperating closely with Hiro. This Utrecht-based company also produced the iOS app, that has been downloaded 543,000 times.

Download the app here

[Dutch version below]

Chordify is an online music service, made for and by music enthusiasts, that transforms music from YouTube, Deezer, SoundCloud, or your private collection into chords. The service automatically recognizes chords from the audio signal, and aligns them to the music in a simple and intuitive player for guitar, piano, and ukulele.

The Chordify web app has been up and running since January 2013. Since then, the company has grown steadily and organically, in total welcoming over 100 million unique visitors to the platform. To date, 8 million songs have been chordified by users and 1,400,000 people have registered to the service.

Over the course of its 5-year existence Chordify received a lot of international acclaim, winning the Dutch Pitch Session at the Northside Festival in New York in 2014 and the San Francisco MusicTech Summit Startup competition in 2015. They were also selected to pitch during The Next Web Conference in New York and were showcased during the SXSW Festival in Austin, TX.

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Chordify is een online muziekservice, die muziek van YouTube, Deezer, SoundCloud of jouw privé collectie omzet in akkoorden. De service herkent de akkoorden uit de muziek automatisch en zet ze op muziek in een simpele en intuïtieve muziekspeler.

De Chordify WebApp is al sinds januari 2013 online. Sindsdien is het bedrijf gestaag en organisch gegroeid, en heeft het meer dan 100 miljoen unieke bezoekers mogen verwelkomen. Tot op de dag van vandaag zijn er al 8 miljoen liedjes gechordified door de gebruikers en hebben zich 1,400,000 mensen geregistreerd bij de service.

In de vijf jaar dat Chordify bestaat heeft het bedrijf veel internationale waardering gekregen, wat resulteerde in het winnen van de Dutch Pitch Session bij het Northside Festival in New York in 2014 en de San Francisco MusicTech Summit Startup competitie in 2015. Chordify was ook geselecteerd om te pitchen tijdens de Next Web Conference in New York en presenteerde zichzelf tijdens de SXSW Festival in Austin, TX.

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