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PHRASE EDIT Operation Guide

rekordbox

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1.1   Before getting started

This Operation Guide explains how to edit phrases, created from Phrase Analysis in rekordbox.

For instructions on rekordbox in general, please see the rekordbox Operating Instructions.

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1.2   Phrase Analysis

In rekordbox, you can analyze the structure of a track through Phrase Analysis. After Phrase Analysis, each part of the structure is defined as a phrase. and the track structure is expressed as a set of the following phrases.

INTRO	an opening phrase of a track
UP	a build-up phrase of a track
DOWN	a breakdown phrase of a track
CHORUS	an uplifting phrase of a track
BRIDGE	an interlude phrase of a track
VERSE	a phrase that does not apply to other phrases
OUTRO	an ending phrase of a track

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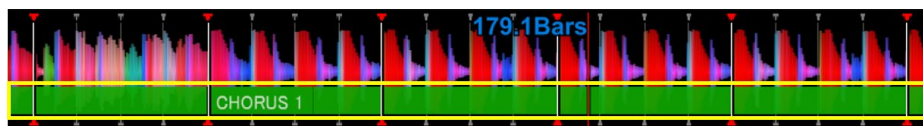## 1.3   Display results of Phrase Analsys

Load a track analyzed by Phrase Analysis to a deck (Deck1~4). Result from Phrase Analysis is shown under the waveform on the track information panel.

*Open [Preferences] > [View] category > [Layout] tab > [Phrase (Full Waveform)] and tick/untick to show/hide phrase analysis results.

When you select [Phrase (Enlarged Waveform)], phrase analysis result is shown in the same way as below.

*Open [Preferences] > [View] category > [Layout] tab > [Phrase (Enlarged Waveform)] and tick/untick to show/hide phrase analysis results.
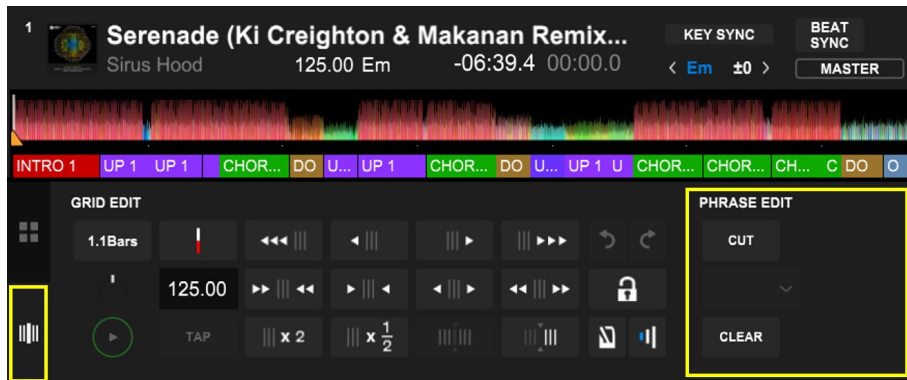

* ▮▮▮▮▮▮ is shown if [Fill in] is included in the phrases. (Enlarged Waveform only).

* [Fill in] is a section that provides improvisational changes at the end of phrase. [Fill in] is detected at the end of Intro, Up, and Chorus (up to 4 beats).

2   Phrase Edit

To edit phrases, click ▮▮▮ on the deck to display [PHRASE EDIT].

Only one deck can be edited at one time (Deck 1~4).

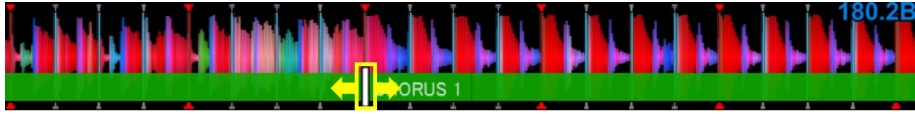*NOTE: If you perform Phrase Analysis again for the track of which you edited phrases, your edit will be cleared.

2.1　Adjust positions and combine phrases

You can adjust the position of a phrase or combine phrases.

1　　Click a phrase. (e.g. `CHORUS`)

　　appears at both ends of the phrase.

2　　Click ▌ to move backward or forward and release the mouse.

　　The split position of the phrase will be changed.

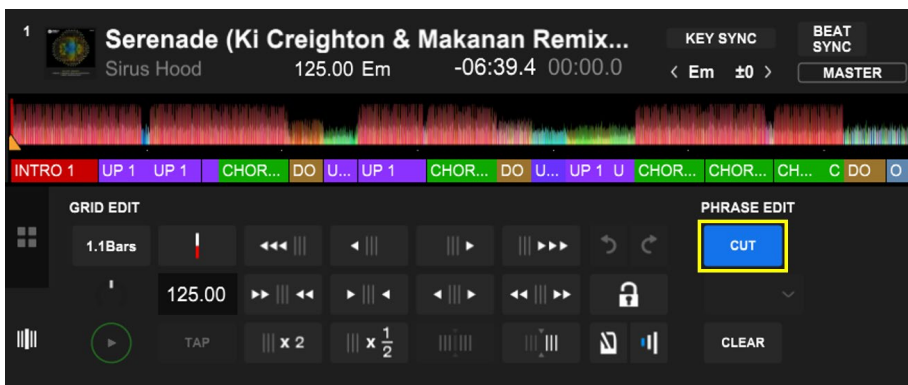　　If ▌ is moved beyond another phrase, the phrases will be combined.

*You can do the same on enlarged waveforms.

*NOTE: If [Fill in] is moved from the end of the phrase or divided due to the edit, the [Fill in] will be deleted.

2.2 Cut a phrase

You can cut a phrase and divide it into two phrases. If a phrase is divided, two phrases of the

same type will be created. You can change the type of the phrase later. (To change the type, see *2.3*

Change phrase type.)

1   Click **CUT** (black).

The CUT icon turns blue. **CUT** (The CUT feature is enabled.)

2   Move the mouse to a phrase you would like to cut. (e.g. **CHORUS**)

appears on the phrase.

3   Click where you would like to cut.

The phrase will be divided.
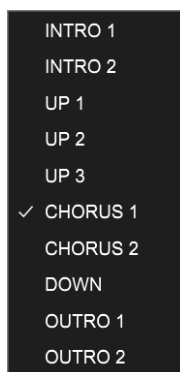
* You can do the same on enlarged waveforms.

* NOTE: If [Fill in] is divided due to the edit, the [Fill in] will be deleted.

2.3 Change phrase type

You can change types of phrases detected in phrase analysis.

1   Click a phrase on the bar (CHORUS) and then click CHORUS 1 ∨ under [CUT] button to show the drop-down menu below.

2   Select a type from the drop-down menu to change the type.
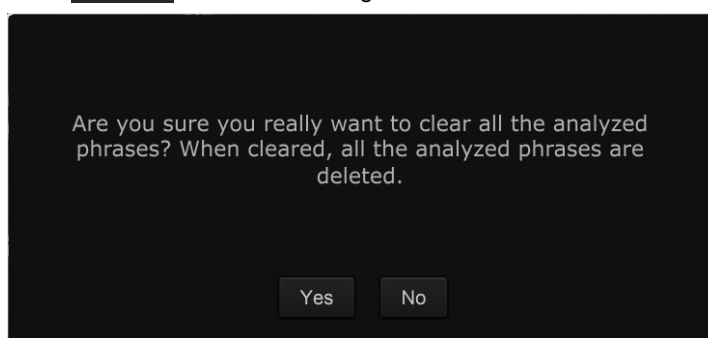
* You can do the same on enlarged waveforms.

*NOTE: If [Intro]/[Up]/[Chorus] is changed to a different type and [Fill in] in included before the edit, the [Fill in] will be deleted.

2.4   Clear phrases

If you clear phrases, results of Phrase Analysis will be deleted except [Intro]. Then you can edit by cutting a phrase or changing types to create phrases as you like.

1   Click CLEAR to show the dialog below.

Are you sure you really want to clear all the analyzed phrases? When cleared, all the analyzed phrases are deleted.

Yes   No

2   Click [Yes] to clear all the analyzed phrases.

All the phrases are cleared except [Intro].

* NOTE: If you clear the phrases, the [Fill in] will be deleted.

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