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#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The Department of Defense (DoD) has long recognized the potential value of automatic speech recognition. In fact, the DoD, often acting through the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), has funded or facilitated much of the most significant speech recognition research over the past few decades. As command, control, communications, computer, and intelligence (C4I) systems continue to swell in importance, speech recognition is likely to assume an increasingly important role. Unfortunately, existing systems are still too limited in capability for many military purposes.

Most large-vocabulary systems use phonemes (individual speech sounds, including vowels and consonants) as recognition units. This architecture may place an upper limit on the performance of these systems. This research explores the use of diphones (pairings of phonemes) as recognition units. Diphones are acoustically easier to recognize because coarticulation effects between the diphone's phonemes become recognition features, rather than confounding variables as in phoneme recognition. Also, diphones carry more information than phonemes, giving higher levels in the recognition system two chances to detect every phoneme in the word. Research results confirm these theoretical advantages.

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These results imply that diphones may indeed be suitable as recognition units for large vocabulary, speaker independent, continuous speech recognition systems.

#### I. INTRODUCTION

#### A. SPEECH RECOGNITION

Science fiction writers seldom portray the keyboard as the computer input device of the future. Instead, futurists have long predicted that humans will one day interact with their computers through speech. Presumably, that interaction will be two-way (and the human will be in charge). If so, the computer will be performing both *speech synthesis* and *automatic speech recognition (ASR)*. The latter process is the subject of the research described in this thesis. Specifically, this research involves evaluation of the diphone (defined in Chapter II) as a recognition unit for ASR systems.

For the purposes of this research, automatic speech recognition is the process of translating the human speech signal from its acoustic form into more something meaningful to a computer, such as ASCII text. Current ASR systems can be classified with respect to the following characteristics:

- Speaker independence speaker independent systems are designed to recognize speech for a broad class of speakers (e.g., adult American males), while speaker dependent systems must be trained by the intended user.
- Vocabulary size actual numbers, when given, depend on the author. But a small vocabulary system would probably recognize from a few to a few hundred words while large vocabulary systems should recognize tens of thousands of words. A medium vocabulary would fall somewhere in between.
- Discrete versus continuous speech in normal (continuous) human speech the words tend to flow together with little, if any, silence between. Discrete-utterance recognition systems require that the speaker pause between words. Naturally, continuous speech recognition systems would be easier to use. But they are harder to build.

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Ideally, a speech recognition system would be speaker independent, have a large vocabulary, and be capable of recognizing continuous speech. Unfortunately, for reasons to be discussed later, current systems essentially force us to choose just one of those three characteristics.

#### **B. THE IMPORTANCE OF SPEECH RECOGNITION**

It is not difficult to imagine applications for ASR. Some of the more obvious include:

- Voice dictation and transcription doctors and dentists could record their observations while examining their patients. Fewer details would be forgotten and the results would be legible.
- Remote control everything from alarm clocks to robots could be controlled without hunting for a hand-held transmitter.
- Machine operation in hostile environments where gloves would otherwise interfere.
- Assistance for the handicapped quadriplegics could operate wheelchairs and the deaf attend lectures.
- Friendlier user interfaces databases and computer expert systems would be more accessible to less technically-oriented users.
- Public information systems Voice-operated telephone switchboards could replace touch-tone menu systems and computers could "man" information booths where (or when) humans are too costly.
- Cockpit systems pilots could operate avionics and weapons without removing their hands from the throttle and stick.
- Military intelligence systems computers could use word spotting algorithms to sift through monitored communications, flagging only the most useful for further study by human translators.

There are, of course, many other potential uses for speech recognition technology. Many applications will probably only come to light when more capable systems are finally developed.

#### C. RELEVANCE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

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#### D. SCOPE OF RESEARCH

Automatic speech recognition, as discussed in more depth later, is a more challenging goal than one might expect. Therefore, as is so often the case with complex problems, ASR is better approached as a series of smaller and more manageable subproblems. Specifically, existing systems typically operate at acoustic, lexical, syntactic, and (to a lesser degree) semantic and pragmatic levels . *Acoustic analysis* consists of translating the acoustic waveform into a series of speech symbols, such as phonemes (individual speech sounds, discussed in more detail later). *Lexical analysis* consists of translating the speech symbols into word hypotheses. *Syntactic analysis* uses the rules of sentence structure to choose from among the words hypothesized by the lexical analyzer. The *semantic* level uses knowledge about the domain of discourse to refine the sentence hypotheses provided by lower levels. Finally, *pragmatic analysis* involves using world knowledge to achieve what can best be called "understanding" of the utterance. The last two levels, semantic and pragmatic, clearly require what can best be termed *artificial intelligence*. Thus, except for rudimentary forms (usually domain specific) of semantic analysis, satisfactory implementations of the last two levels are likely to remain distant goals. [Ref. 1]

This research primarily involves ASR at the acoustic and lexical levels, although the other levels are considered and receive some mention. The following specific research questions are addressed:

- Is the diphone a suitable choice as the recognition unit (speech symbol) for ASR systems?
- Can artificial neural networks recognize diphones in the acoustic signal?
- What can be done to improve recognition accuracy?
- Will accuracy in identifying the selected recognition unit translate into high word recognition accuracy?

#### E. ORGANIZATION OF THESIS

Following this introductory chapter, background information is provided on speech recognition and neural networks in Chapter II. The research methodology used, and the rationale behind it, is covered in Chapter III. The results are summarized in Chapter IV and conclusions in Chapter V. Finally, Chapter VI offers recommendations for further research.

#### **II. BACKGROUND**

#### A. INTRODUCTION

One cannot hope to build a working speech recognition system without knowing something about speech. Nor can one hope to use neural networks effectively without knowing something about how they work. Therefore, this chapter will provide a brief overview of human speech and the challenges it presents. Then, the fundamentals of back-propagation neural networks will be introduced. The research methodology and research results, presented in later chapters, should make more sense in the light of this information.

#### **B.** SPEECH RECOGNITION

#### **1. Production Mechanisms**

Figure 2.1 is a simplified block diagram of the human speech production system [after Ref. 1]. *Voiced speech* is produced by forcing air from the lungs through the vocal folds (or cords). The air causes the vocal folds to vibrate and produce sounds dominated by a fundamental frequency, perceived as the speaker's *pitch*. The sound of the vocal fold vibrations must then pass through several cavities which serve as resonance chambers, reinforcing some frequencies while suppressing others. Finally, the air and the sound must pass several speech-related organs, known as *articulators*, which further modify the speech waveform. Voicing, also known as *phonation*, produces all of the *vowels* and is involved directly in some of the consonants. *Semivowels* (*liquids* such as the "w" in "wet" and *glides* such as the "y" in "yam") are essentially formed by transitioning between vowel-like sounds.

*Consonants*, some voiced and some unvoiced, are also produced by forcing air past the articulators and resonance chambers of the vocal tract. But the vocal folds remain silent in the case of unvoiced consonants. For example, unvoiced *fricatives* (such as the "s" in "lease") are produced by forcing air through some constriction in the vocal tract other than the vocal folds (such as a constriction formed between the tongue and teeth). *Plosives*, also known as *stops*, are produced by building air pressure behind a constriction and then suddenly releasing the pressure to produce sound. The "t" and "p" in "stop" are both plosives. The *nasals* (such as the "n" in

"noise") are produced through a combination of phonation and opening of the velum so that the sound passes through both oral and nasal cavities. Finally, *affricates* ("ch" in "change" and "j" in "jam") are formed by transitions between stops and fricatives.



Figure 2.1. A Block Diagram of the Speech Production System [after Ref. 1].

The classification of speech sounds by their method of production is useful because the speech signal contains acoustic clues as to the method of a sound's production. Those clues may, in turn, be used to determine what words were spoken.

Unfortunately, conventional alphabets are unsuitable for unambiguously referring to particular speech sounds. So phoneticians have defined a set of atomic speech units known as *phonemes*<sup>\*</sup>, as well as several phonetic alphabets for referring to those phonemes. The *International Phonetic Alphabet* (IPA), developed by a group of European phoneticians in 1888, has enough symbols to describe all of the phonemes in all of the world's languages. But the IPA

<sup>\*</sup> Phoneticians actually distinguish between the phoneme, a theoretical sound unit, and phones, the sounds actually produced by a speaker. Associated with each phoneme is a set of phones, called allophones, which constitute acoustics variations of that phoneme. The term phoneme is often loosely used, in this thesis and elsewhere, to refer to all three speech units.

is most suited to hand transcription, since it is not practical for use with conventional keyboards and printers. In the United States, the *ARPAbet* (developed under the auspices of ARPA) is more widely used. The version of the uppercase ARPAbet used in the TIMIT lexicon (described later) is reproduced in Table 2.1. The symbols listed in Table 2.1 have been used (in bold upper case letters) to refer to specific phonemes in the remainder of this thesis.

<u>CLASS</u>	SYMBOL	EXAMPLE	<u>CLASS</u>	SYMBOL	EXAMPLE
Stops:	В	Bee	Glides:	R	Ray
	D	Day		Y	Yacht
	G	Gay	Africates:	JH	Joke
	Р	Pea		СН	CHoke
	Т	Tea	Vowels:	IY	bEEt
	К	Key		IH	blt
Fricatives:	S	Sea		EH	bEt
	SH	She		EY	bAlt
	Z	Zone		AE	bAt
	ZH	aZure		AA	bOttom
	F	Fin		AW	abOUt
	TH	THin		AY	blte
	V	Van		AH	bUt
	DH	THen		AO	bOUGHt
	М	Mom		OY	bOY
	Ν	Noon		WO	bOAt
	NG	siNG		UH	bOOk
	EM	bottOM		UW	bOOt
	EN	buttON		ER	bIRd
	ENG	washINGton		AX	abOUt
Semivowel:	EL	bottLE		IX	deblt
Liquids:	L	Lay		AXR	bUtter
	W	Way			

Table 2.1. The Timit Lexicon's Phonetic Alphabet [after Ref. 2].

Before leaving the topic of speech production, it is useful to look at speech production from the communications system perspective (as suggested by Parsons [Ref. 3]). Specifically,

the lungs and vocal folds provide excitation (the carrier) and the speech articulators provide modulation. As with communications systems, the information content is in the modulation produced by the articulators, not the excitation produced by the vocal folds.

#### 2. Characteristics of the Speech Signal

The vocal fold vibrations mentioned earlier do not produce anything like a clean sinusoidal waveform. Instead, the fundamental frequency is accompanied by many harmonics. Articulator effects and time-varying changes in the size and shape of resonance chambers further complicate the signal. Figures 2.2 and 2.3, showing just a few seconds of speech, illustrate how enormously complex the speech waveform is. The time-varying nature of the signal's amplitude is obvious from the speech "envelope" in Figure 2.2. But Figure 2.3 shows that the frequency varies widely with time as well.



Figure 2.2. An Example of Digitized Speech



Figure 2.3. Frequency Variations with Time (the IX S sound, as in "aegIS")

Unfortunately, the time-domain view of speech (shown in Figures 2.2 and 2.3) is of limited use in speech recognition. For example, it may appear at first glance that four words were recorded in Figure 2.2. But the waveform includes only two words. And the word break is at 1.53 seconds, rather than at 1.75 seconds, as one might expect. A stop consonant (**B**) resulted in a longer silence (1.69 to 1.81 seconds) than is found at the actual junction between words.

Since the time domain is so troublesome, it is natural to look to the frequency domain. The invention of the spectrograph at Bell Laboratories in 1941 first made this practical [Ref. 3]. Today, Pulse Code Modulation (another Bell Labs invention) and Fast Fourier Transforms (FFTs) allow digital signal processors and computers to, in real time, determine the frequency components present in a speech waveform. Figure 2.4, produced using MATLAB's FFT function, shows the spectral characteristics of 20 milliseconds of voiced human speech (the vowel IY, as in bEEt, uttered by an adult male). Note the high frequency *combing* produced by the vocal folds, and the three prominent peaks in the spectral envelope. The largest peak, and the one with the lowest frequency, is at 300 Hz in Figure 2.4. This first peak is known as the *first formant* (or F1). Its position, when present, is determined by the degree of oral or pharyngeal

constriction of the vocal tract. The *second formant* (F2) is at about 2200 Hz in Figure 2.4. When it is present, the second formant's position is determined by the degree of constriction produced by the front or back of the tongue. The position of the *third formant* (at 3000 Hz in the same figure, a partial *blend* with F2), when present, is largely determined by vocal tract length. The frequencies of all three formants are inversely proportional to vocal tract length and any lip-rounding during articulation. [Ref. 1]



Figure 2.4. Frequency Components of a Vowel (IY as in bEEt) Spoken by a Male

Theoretically, the speech signal contains an infinite number of formants, just as it contains an infinite number of harmonics. But the higher formants become increasingly weak and the first three formants (particularly the first two) carry the bulk of speech information. Similarly, speech can include frequency components throughout the range of human hearing (about 15-20,000 Hz [Ref. 4]). But most of the information is at the lower frequencies. This is evidenced by our ability to recognize speech over telephone systems that have been band-limited to between 300 and 3000 Hz. Because articulator movements affect formant frequencies, spectral information provides important speech recognition clues, at least for vowels. In fact, the frequencies and intensities of the first three formants can be used to identify vowels. Figure 2.5 (after Ref. 1) shows the average formant locations for vowels in American English.



Figure 2.5. Average Formant Frequencies for Vowels in American English [after Ref. 1].

Unfortunately, the unvoiced consonants are more difficult to identify from their spectral characteristics. Figure 2.6, a spectrogram of the S consonant, illustrates this fact. The spectral envelope lacks the formant peaks characteristic of voiced sounds. Instead, the spectrum is dominated by higher frequencies (a noise-like hissing in the case of an S). In fact, the best clues as to the identity of a consonant are often found in the formant transitions of neighboring vowels [Ref. 3,5]. To a lesser extent, the speech envelope in the time domain is also of some use in consonant identification. For example, the *stop gap* in Figure 2.2 is a clue that a plosive follows. These facts will become important in later discussions of the recognition unit and feature vectors.



Figure 2.6. Frequency Spectrum of a Consonant (S) Spoken by a Male

As further evidence of the value of frequency domain analysis, it should be noted that at least one researcher, Victor Zue, learned to read spectrograms with greater than 90 percent accuracy [Ref. 3]. Furthermore, he was able to teach others to do the same.

#### 3. Human hearing

When setting out to build an automatic speech recognition system, it is natural to ask how humans perform the same task. In particular, how do humans perceive pitch or frequency? In an effort to answer this question, two major theories were developed in the 19th century. The place theory, advanced by Helmholz, suggested that frequencies are encoded by the place of activation of hair cell receptors in the *cochlea* (the spiral-shaped tube in Figure 2.7). Rutherford's frequency theory, on the other hand, suggested that frequency is encoded by the frequency of discharge of neurons in the auditory system. The issue was partially settled by Georg von Bekesy, who was awarded the Nobel Prize in 1962 for his work. Sound produces vibrations of the *tympanic membrane* (eardrum), which are transferred by tiny bones (the *ossicles*) to the *oval window* at one end of the cochlea. In a famous series of experiments, von Bekesy showed that vibrations of the



Figure 2.7. Cross-Section of the Human Ear and Cochlea [after Ref. 21].

oval window produce standing waves in the fluid filled cochlea. These standing waves activate tiny hair cell receptors in the basilar membrane that runs the length of the cochlea. The sound's frequency determines the point of maximum displacement of the basilar membrane. Higher frequencies, for example, cause standing waves with maximum amplitude very close to the oval window. Low frequencies activate nerves far from the oval window. The place theory is given further credence by experiments showing that individual neurons are incapable of firing more than about 1000 times per second. Yet humans are capable of resolving frequencies up to about 20,000 Hz. So, although some research indicates that the frequency theory is valid below about 1000 Hz, the place theory seems to best explain perception of higher frequencies. [Ref. 3,4]

Although we now know quite a bit about the function of the ear itself, much less is known about the higher levels in the auditory system. Unfortunately, the inner ear and auditory processing centers of the brain are surrounded by the skull, brain tissues, and other critical structures that make studies on living patients very difficult. However, some of the research that has been done implies that the auditory system includes *feature detectors* similar to those discovered in the (more accessible) visual cortex of the brain. The visual cortex includes simple feature detectors, such as edge detectors (neurons) that respond to edges with a particular orientation in a specific portion of the visual field. The outputs of regions of these neurons feed into complex neurons. The outputs of complex neurons feed into hypercomplex and higher-order hypercomplex neurons. At each stage of processing, the neurons are responsible for recognizing more complex patterns over wider regions of the retina. Researchers at Harvard even located a neuron in a monkey's brain that responded only to the shape of a hand. [Ref. 4]

If we assume that the auditory cortex operates like the visual cortex, it should contain feature detectors. Some feature detectors might respond to falling pitch, some to rising pitch, and others to temporal combinations of both. A number of studies support these assumptions. It is also interesting to note that animals with damaged auditory cortexes retain the ability to recognize pure tones but lose the ability to recognize more complex sounds (such as melodies). [Ref. 6]

It is encouraging to learn of the ear's ability to encode speech frequencies at such a low level in the auditory system. This ability implies that the frequency domain may play a key role

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in human speech decoding. What we know of the auditory cortex further supports this theory. In any case, the frequency domain has been used extensively in speech research.

Before leaving the topic of human hearing, it would be worthwhile to briefly discuss its selectivity. As mentioned earlier, humans are capable of detecting tones from about 20 to 20,000 Hz. But the ear is most sensitive to some frequencies than others. Research has shown that the ear is more sensitive to frequencies between about 500 and 5000 Hz [Ref. 3]. Perhaps not coincidentally, this is also the range where most of the information content of speech resides.

In addition to nonuniform sensitivity, humans exhibit nonuniform pitch perception. For example, Middle C on the piano is 261.6 Hz while the C one octave higher is at twice that frequency, 523.2 Hz. Yet the second C does not sound like twice the pitch [Ref. 4]. More will be said of this in Chapter III. For now it is probably enough to say that humans can detect very slight changes in frequency below about 1000 Hz. But absolute sensitivity to a change in frequency falls off approximately logarithmically at higher frequencies. Again, the increased sensitivity in the speech band is interesting.

#### 4. Why Speech Recognition is Difficult

The information presented so far might lead one to believe that speech recognition is a relatively straightforward process. It would seem that the FFT and an expanded version of Figure 2.5 could turn speech recognition into a fairly simple pattern recognition problem. In fact, this illusion of simplicity has been deceiving researchers, and those who fund research, since at least the 1930s. According to the brief history presented by Parsons [Ref. 3], the earliest serious attempts to build speech recognition hardware were part of an effort to replace human switchboard operators in the rapidly expanding phone system. When this effort failed to produce a system that could recognize digits spoken by a variety of people, the rotary dialing and switching system was developed. In the 1950s, many incorrectly predicted that the digital computer would soon make automatic speech recognition possible. Since then, many advances have been made. But we are still a long way from duplicating the speech recognition capabilities of humans.

The following subsections detail some of the problems plaguing automatic speech recognition systems.

#### a. Coarticulation

*Coarticulation* is one of the most difficult challenges facing speech systems. There are approximately 45 phonemes in American English (actual numbers vary slightly in the literature). Unfortunately, the acoustic characteristics of a given phoneme can vary widely depending on its phonetic context. For example, the second **D** and the **Y** in the sentence, "Did you find her?" can sound more like a **JH** in continuous speech [after Ref. 1]. Coarticulation occurs because the articulators must move rapidly between the target positions for each phoneme. In fact, they often never reach the target position for one phoneme before they start transitioning to the next. Thus, speech recognition systems must cope with a very large number of actual speech sounds. This is far more challenging than identifying 45 or so phonemes in isolation.

#### b. Segmentation

Another problem in speech systems is in locating the boundaries between words and between phonemes. As mentioned earlier, there is frequently no pause whatsoever between words. And coarticulation makes for extremely fuzzy boundaries between phonemes. So a speech recognition system must recognize patterns of varying lengths in a rapidly changing acoustic stream. This problem partially accounts for the failure of some phoneme recognizors to perform nearly as well on words. It is one thing to identify a hand segmented slice of speech. It is quite another to spot the same phoneme in a waveform when the system lacks a priori knowledge of where to start and stop looking.

#### c. Speaker Variations

Obviously, accents, dialects, and speech pathologies will present problems for speech recognition systems. But more fundamental differences between speakers also wreak havoc with recognition systems. As mentioned earlier, formant frequencies tend to be inversely proportional to vocal tract length. Thus, adult males, with vocal tracts an average of about 30 percent longer than women, exhibit formant frequencies that are lower than females for the same phoneme [Ref. 7]. These individual variations cause overlap between formant positions for vowels of different classes. Humans apparently adjust rapidly to the formant frequencies of a particular

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speaker [Ref. 7] and some researchers have attempted to build recognition systems that do the same [Ref. 8].

In addition to vocal tract-related differences, recognition systems must cope with variations in speech rate, volume, inflection, and pitch. Even separate utterances by the same speaker will vary considerably from time to time. For example, a pilot handling an in-flight emergency might speak more rapidly and at a higher pitch than normal.

#### d. Confusability and Ambiguity

The easiest way to introduce confusability and ambiguity is with a few examples [after Ref. 7]:

- Homonyms "red" versus "read" or "two" versus "to"
- Word segmentation "I scream for ice cream." versus "ice cream for ice cream" or "gray tape" versus "great ape" or "light housekeeper" versus "lighthouse keeper"
- Syntactic ambiguity "The boy jumped over the stream with the fish." (Did the boy have a fish or did the stream?)
- Semantic ambiguity "The council decided to subsidize the port." (Is this an alcoholic or salt water port?) or "He saw that gas can burn." (Is "can" a verb or a noun? [Ref. 1])

A certain amount of world knowledge is needed to make sense out of these examples in a given context. Thus, artificial intelligence techniques must be used to attack such problems. However, artificial intelligence techniques will be more likely to succeed if lower levels (acoustic and lexical analysis) of the recognition system perform well.

#### e. Noise

Ultimately, speech recognition systems may be judged by their ability to handle noise. Humans do a superb job of understanding speech under exceptionally noisy conditions. Even interfering speech, the worst possible form of noise, is easily handled by humans. This is evidenced by the well-known *cocktail party effect*, our ability to isolate and listen to one speaker's voice in a crowd. [Ref. 3] But current speech recognition systems are hard-pressed to perform well even on clean speech.

#### 5. Existing Commercial Systems

Existing commercial systems typically use *hidden Markov models* (HMMs) at the heart of their recognition engines. The HMM dates back to the 1950s, when statisticians were looking for ways to characterize random processes for which they had only incomplete observations. They developed the HMM to model these problems as *doubly stochastic processes*. In an HMM, the observed data is considered to be the result of passing the "true" (hidden) process through a "censor," resulting in a second observed process. Both processes are characterized using only the one that can be observed. The HMM was introduced to the speech recognition field in the 1970's through the independent work of Baker at Carnegie-Mellon and Jelinek and his colleagues at IBM. [Ref. 1]

Hidden Markov Model speech recognition systems operate by using a training process to build a statistical model for each word (or other utterance) in the vocabulary. Each model is imagined to be a *finite state machine* capable of generating observation strings. During recognition, given an actual observation string, the system determines the likelihood that each word's HMM produced that particular observation string. The word with the highest likelihood is declared to be the word recognized. [Ref. 1]

Dragon Systems and IBM currently offer two of the most well-known commercial speech recognition systems. The following specifications were taken from Internet Home Pages describing their respective products (as of May 1996):

#### a. Dragon Systems DragonDictate 2.0 for Windows (Power Edition)

- 60,000 word primary (in RAM) dictionary
- 120,000 word backup (on disk) dictionary
- Up to 64.000 word user dictionary
- Domain-specific dictionaries available
- Discrete-speech QuickTalk feature allows user to shorten the pause between words. Dragon Systems calls this semi-connected speech. Also, some commands and numbers may be spoken in a truly continuous manner.
- Speaker Adaptable Dragon Systems claims reasonably accurate recognition "out of the box." Training or "enrollment" is optional. The system automatically adapts to the user during use (over time).
- 16 MB RAM required, 20 MB recommended (8 MB dedicated to DragonDictate).
- 42 MB hard disk for system (minimum) plus 14 MB per user (for speaker-dependent data).
- DSP card not required but recommended for computationally-intensive applications (uses ordinary sound card otherwise).

## b. IBM VoiceType Dictation for Windows

- 22,000 word general-purpose dictionary
- Up to 2.000 word user dictionary
- Domain-specific dictionaries available (including 20,000 Radiology words, 16,000 Emergency Medicine words, 30,000 Journalism words, or 25,000 Legal words)
- Discrete-speech IBM states that a pause between words of as little as 1/10 of a second is sufficient. They also claim that users can achieve dictation rates of at least 70 to 100 words per minute
- Speaker Adaptable A brief "enrollment" period is required.
- 12 MB RAM required, 16 MB recommended (8 MB dedicated to Dragon Dictate).
- 33 MB hard disk for system (minimum) plus 14 MB per user.

- IBM claims that accuracy percentages in the high 90s are not uncommon. (No accuracy figures were offered in the Dragon Systems home page.)
- IBM DSP card required.

Not surprisingly, neither home page offered details on the recognition algorithms used. But the product descriptions used terms implying that HMMs are used for language and word models in both systems. To put some of the product specifications in perspective, consider the following facts:

- The most commonly used words make up about 75% of typical text samples. A vocabulary of 5000 words is sufficient for about 95% of typical text. The remaining 5% of words will depend on the user and the domain of discourse. [Ref. 7]
- The word search space increases exponentially with vocabulary size. So both recognition time and error frequency are likely to increase with vocabulary size.
- At least one study indicates that users find discrete word recognition systems quite acceptable for some office tasks [Ref. 7]. This is not surprising, in that the alternative to careful enunciation may be "hunt and peck" typing for many. However, the general public is much less cooperative with someone else's automatic recognition system than an office worker would be with his own system. This fact has plagued telephone industry researchers since the earliest days of speech recognition research.
- Both systems place relatively hefty demands on the personal computer.

Much more could be said about the state of the art, and speech recognition in general. But further details will be deferred until the discussion of related issues in subsequent chapters. For example, previous research on formant normalization will be included in Chapter III's discussion of that topic.

## C. BACK-PROPAGATION NEURAL NETWORKS

Having covered some of the fundamentals of speech recognition, it is time to describe the back-propagation neural network, the primary pattern recognition tool used in this research.

Artificial neural networks are an attempt to emulate the massively parallel processing approach used by the human brain. Unfortunately, we still know far too little about biological neural networks themselves. So existing artificial neural networks (ANNs) are still quite primitive. Nevertheless, they have proven to be extremely useful in a wide variety of fields. And neural network research is continuing on many fronts.

No attempt will be made to provide a comprehensive introduction to neural networks. The subject has inspired hundreds of books and thousands of research papers over the last 50 years. Instead, only back-propagation neural networks will be described. This architecture has been said to account for about 80% to 90% percent of practical ANN applications to date [Ref. 9].

#### **1. MATLAB Neural Network Toolbox**

The bulk of this research was conducted using the *MATLAB Neural Network Toolbox*, a product of The Mathworks, Incorporated. MATLAB itself offers a rich collection of signal processing, numeric computation, and visualization tools. The Neural Network Toolbox includes a variety of functions specific to neural network applications. MATLAB also includes a powerful script language for developing custom algorithms and extending the toolbox.

In addition to the Neural Network Toolbox, the MATLAB code in Appendix A makes use of several functions from the *Signal Processing and Communications Toolbox*. The latter toolbox was developed at the Naval Postgraduate School to support coursework in speech and signal processing [Ref. 10].

In the sections and chapters that follow, equations are often expressed in terms of MATLAB function calls. This should reduce ambiguity and simplify cross referencing of equations with code in Appendix A. Details on MATLAB script language syntax and functions are found in user's guides for the Neural Network Toolbox and MATLAB itself [Ref. 9]. The Neural Network Toolbox and its User's Guide also include clear and concise tutorials on neural networks, as well as demonstration scripts to illustrate concepts and facilitate experimentation.

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### 2. The Biological Neuron

A typical biological neuron is pictured in Figure 2.8. A number of branch-like projections called *dendrites* radiate from the cell body (*soma*). Neurons receive signals from other neurons through connections, called *synapses*, at the dendrites or the cell body itself. Some synapses are *excitory* and tend to raise the activation level of the neuron. Other synapses are *inhibitory* and lower the activation level. The incoming signals arrive, typically as asynchronous pulse trains, and contribute to what can best be called a decaying weighted average. When the neuron's activation level reaches some threshold, it fires, sending a signal to other neurons via its *axon* and *axon branches*. A neuron can directly receive signals (via synapses) from up to 10,000 or so other neurons. Likewise, it can send signals to 10,000 or so other neurons (including connections to its own dendrites or soma). [Ref. 11]



Figure 2.8. The Structure of a Typical Biological Neuron [after Ref. 21].

The human brain contains on the order of 10 billion total neurons (approximately the number of stars estimated to make up the Milky Way galaxy). These neurons form a network with an estimated 60 trillion interconnections between neurons. (By contrast, an artificial neural

network is considered large if it contains a few thousand neurons and a few million connections.) Many of these connections form during the first two years of life, at a rate of up to one million synapses per second. The mechanisms behind this process, and its exact relationship to learning, are largely unknown. [Ref. 11]

The neurons in the cerebral cortex (the portion apparently responsible for our higher mental processes) are arranged into a wrinkled sheet two to three millimeters thick and about 2,200 square centimeters in area (about the area of two computer keyboards). Based on reaction time studies and the speed at which biological neurons switch (a few milliseconds), it has been estimated that human perceptual decisions cannot involve more than 100 or so serial steps [Ref. 11].

#### 3. The Artificial Neuron

Back-propagation neural networks are constructed of what are commonly called McCulloch and Pitts (MP) neurons, named in honor of two pioneering researchers at the University of Chicago in the 1940s. The MP neuron, pictured in Figure 2.9, is a greatly simplified abstraction of the biological neuron. The inputs are multiplied by their respective weights and then added. The weighted sum is then passed through a *transfer function* (also called *activation function*) to determine if the neuron will "fire." In practice, a *bias input* is usually added, for reasons to be explained later. The bias input is always one. But the weight associated with the bias is adjusted during training, as are the other weights.



Figure 2.9. A McCulloch and Pitts Neuron [after Ref. 11].

Neural network training and interconnection strategies are introduced later. First, it is useful to see how a single MP neuron can be applied to simple problems.

## 4. Artificial Neural Networks as Classifiers

Figure 2.10 illustrates a simple classification problem. Each of the two inputs can be one or zero. There are four possible pairs of inputs, commonly known as *input vectors*. An input vector consisting of two ones should be classified into output category one (plus symbols in the figure). All other input vectors should result in an output of zero (circles in the figure). Clearly, this is a logical AND operation. So we can certainly solve it using conventional hardware or programming techniques. But it is useful for illustrating how neurons operate.



Figure 2.10. A simple classification problem (logical AND). The two inputs are plotted along the axes. Correct output classes are indicated with "+" (true) and "o" (false) symbols.

It is immediately obvious from Figure 2.10 that the input vectors can be properly separated into the correct output classes by drawing a diagonal line through the input space. Recall that the general form, for the equation of a line is:

$$Ax + By + C = 0$$
 (2.1)

where A, B, and C are constants. This can easily be translated into neural network form by renaming some variables:

$$X_1 W_1 + X_2 W_2 + B = 0$$
 (2.2)

where  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are inputs,  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  are weights, and B is a bias. Thus, a MP neuron with two inputs can be used to represent a line in a two-dimensional input space. If we assume a threshold transfer function, an input vector on one side of the line will make the left side of Equation 2.2 negative and output will be zero. Input vectors falling on the other side of the line will make the left side of the equation positive and the output one. Inputs falling exactly on the line will result in a sum of zero. In that unlikely case, the output would normally also be zero. Without a bias, all classification lines would necessarily pass through the origin. Thus, a *bias* is usually included to allow classification lines anywhere in the input space.

At this point, it is natural to wonder how the weights in Equation 2.2 are determined. In practice, they are usually initialized to random numbers that have been scaled based on the range of input values. The weights are then adjusted until the resulting line leads to the correct classifications. This process will be described in more detail later. For now, it is sufficient to observe the results. Figure 2.11 shows the initial (random) classification line of a single neuron. Figure 2.12 shows the final line defined by the neuron's weights after training.

If a third input is added, the neuron's summation formula becomes:

$$X_1 W_1 + X_2 W_2 + X_3 W_3 + B = 0$$
(2.3)

This, of course, is analogous to the general form of the equation for a plane. Thus, our input space becomes three-dimensional and the input classes are separated using planes. With

four or more inputs, the input space becomes n-dimensional *hyperspace* and the input classes are separated using *hyperplanes*.



Figure 2.11. Classification line defined by the AND neuron's initial (random) weights.



Fig 2.12. Classification line defined by the AND neuron's final (trained) weights.

#### 5. Linear Separability and Multi-layer Networks

The McCulloch and Pitts neuron, after a brief period of excitement in the 1940s, received little attention until the 1960s. Then, Rosenblatt's *perceptron convergence theorem* led to a flurry of research. But research, and funding, largely ended in the early 1970s. A 1969 book by Minsky and Papert is usually credited (or blamed) for the dramatic loss of interest in the perceptron (usually defined to be a simple MP neuron with a threshold transfer function). The most important point made by Minsky and Papert is that a simple perceptron cannot learn to correctly classify input vectors unless the input vectors from different output classes are linearly separable. The most famous example of a non-linearly separable problem is the exclusive-OR function. Figure 2.13 depicts the possible input vectors and their correct classifications. Note that no single line can be used to properly divide the input vectors into the correct output classes. Some researchers suspected that multi-layer networks would be able to solve this problem. But the perceptron training method would not allow weight corrections to propagate through multiple layers. And Minsky expressed doubt that multi-layer perceptrons would be useful, even if they could be built. [Ref. 12]



Figure 2.13. A non-linearly separable problem (the exclusive-OR problem).

In the mid 1980s, several researchers<sup>\*</sup> more or less simultaneously proposed solutions to the problem of training multi-layer neural networks. Their back-propagation learning rule allows weight corrections to propagate from the output layer back through one or more *hidden layers*. This process will be described in more detail in the next section. First, it is necessary to understand how MP neurons are interconnected to form neural networks. Figure 2.14 shows a neural network capable of solving the exclusive-or problem. The network consists of two inputs, two neurons in a single hidden *layer*, and a single output neuron. Note that all neurons in the first hidden layer are connected to all of the inputs. Also, every output neuron (only one in this case) receives inputs from every neuron in the preceding hidden layer. This is referred to as a *fully connected feed-forward network*. Some network architectures are not fully connected and some involve connections between neurons of the same layer (or from a neuron to itself). But these architectures are less common (at least in artificial neural networks) and they will not be discussed further here.



Figure 2.14. A multi-layer neural network capable of solving the exclusive-OR problem.

Figure 2.15 shows the two lines defined by the two hidden layer neurons of the network in Figure 2.14 (after learning to solve the exclusive-OR problem). Figure 2.16 shows the outputs of the hidden layer, mapped into the output neuron's input space. Note that this new input space, though still two-dimensional, is not the same as the original input space. This time, one axis is

<sup>\*</sup> Rumelhart, Hinton, & Williams, 1986; Parker, 1985; LeCun, 1985; and Werbos, whose doctoral dissertation of 1974 solved the problem but was not noticed until much later.

the first hidden node's output and the other hidden node's output is plotted on the second axis. The output classes have again been indicated using plus symbols or circles. Note that the vectors are now linearly separable. The line in Figure 2.16 was plotted using the actual weights of a trained network (as have all previous classification lines). This simple example illustrates how multi-layer neural networks solve non-linearly separable problems. They use hidden neurons, often called feature detectors, to map the input vectors into a new input space, usually of different dimensionality. Given enough hidden neurons, any problem becomes linearly separable. This issue will be addressed in more detail in the next chapter.



Figure 2.15. Classification lines defined by hidden layer weights for exclusive-OR problem.



Figure 2.16. Classification line of output neuron plotted in the output space of hidden layer. Note that the hidden layer has mapped the exclusive-OR problem into a new two-dimensional space, where it is now linearly separable.

#### 6. Training Methods

Multi-layer neural networks are typically simulated in conventional computers using matrices. In MATLAB's Neural Network Toolbox, a weight matrix for a given layer consists of an m by n matrix where m represents the number of neurons (layer outputs) and n is the number of inputs. Thus, the weight given to input i by neuron j is found in matrix position (j,i).

The outputs for a layer are computed by arranging the inputs into a column vector. The input vector is multiplied by the weight matrix to produce an output vector. The transfer function is then applied to each element of the output vector to produce the final output vector. In a multi-layer network, this output vector would become the input vector for the next layer. This is the reason for the term "feed-forward network." In matrix notation, the process is quite simple:

$$output = F(\mathbf{W}^*\mathbf{p} + \mathbf{b}) \tag{2.4}$$

where F(x) is the transfer function applied to each element of matrix x.

For example, the hidden layer outputs for the exclusive-OR network described earlier are found by:

output vector = F(
$$\begin{bmatrix} -7.7068 & 7.2724 \\ -8.6552 & 7.8783 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ I_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4.2454 \\ -3.8833 \end{bmatrix}$$
) (2.5)

#### 7. The Back-Propagation Learning Rule

Neurons with a threshold transfer function are unsuitable for multi-layer networks because it is impossible to determine which hidden layer neuron weights were the most responsible for incorrect (or correct) outputs. Thus, it is impossible to apply weight changes to only the incorrect weights because those weights cannot be identified. This is known as the *credit assignment problem* [Ref. 13]. Back-propagation solves this problem by using a differentiable transfer function, such as the *log-sigmoid* function:

$$logsig(n) = 1/(1+e^{-n})$$
 (2.6)

With a differentiable transfer function, the network can properly assign credit for wrong answers, and reduce more heavily the input weights that contributed most to that incorrect output. Note in the following discussion that the back-propagation learning rule is really a form of gradient descent. The elements of the *delta vectors* (Equations 7 and 9) serve as error surface partial derivatives. Training proceeds as follows [Ref. 14]:

- An input vector from the training set is presented to the first hidden layer's inputs. The results feed forward through each layer as described earlier.
- The network's actual outputs are compared to the desired outputs. The output layer's weight corrections are based on the difference, an *error vector*. For output neuron *j*, a *delta* value must first be computed using the error vector (in parentheses), the weighted sum of the neuron's inputs, and the transfer function's derivative:

$$\delta_j = (t \arg et_j - output_j) f'(\Sigma W_i I_i)$$
(2.7)

where f' is the derivative of the transfer function.

• The output neuron's delta value is then used to determine the change to apply to each input weight W<sub>ii</sub> as follows:

$$\Delta W_{ji} = \eta \delta_j I_i \tag{2.8}$$

where  $\eta$  is the *learning rate*, typically between .25 and .75, and  $I_i$  is the input associated with the weight being adjusted. In practice, the learning rate is often adjusted dynamically as training proceeds. This research was conducted using the adaptive learning rate algorithms included in the MATLAB Neural Network Toolbox.

• The hidden layer weight adjustments are slightly more complicated. To compute the delta value for a hidden neuron, the delta values of the output neurons are multiplied by the weights of their connections to that hidden neuron. The hidden neuron's delta is thus the weighted sum of the output layer deltas. For hidden neuron k, the delta value is:

$$\delta_k = (\Sigma \,\delta_i W_{ki}) f'(\Sigma \,W_i I_i) \tag{2.9}$$

where  $W_{kj}$  is the weight between this hidden neuron and output neuron j and  $f(\Sigma W_i I_i)$  is again the transfer function's derivative for the sum of the hidden neuron's weighted inputs.

- Once the hidden neuron's delta value has been computed, its weights are adjusted as before (using Equation 2.8).
- If the network has more than one hidden layer, the error corrections continue to back-propagate in this manner until all layers have been adjusted.
- Once the weights of all layers have been adjusted, the next training input vector is presented to the network and the entire is process repeated.
- A momentum term α is often added to Equation 2.8 to helps the network skip over small local minima [Ref. 13]:

$$\Delta W_{ij}(n) = \alpha \Delta W_{ji}(n-1) + (1-\alpha)\eta \delta_j(n)I_i(n)$$
(2.10)

In this form of the learning rule, each weight is adjusted during epoch n by an amount equal to the weighted average of the previous weight change (epoch n - 1) and the weight change dictated by Equation 2.8. Thus, the network follows a running average of the gradient rather than just the local gradient. If the momentum constant is zero, this degenerates to pure gradient descent (Equation 2.8). If the constant is one, the gradient is ignored and the last weight adjustment is repeated (not very useful). A constant of between 0.90 and 0.95 (usually the latter) was used in this research.

The training paradigm just described is known as *supervised learning*. The training algorithm must know each training vector's correct output class in order to perform the weight adjustments. *Unsupervised learning* algorithms also exist. But they are less common (at least in artificial neural networks) and they will not be discussed here.

### 8. Neural Networks Versus Conventional Programming Techniques

The previous examples are problems that could easily be solved with the kind of conditional statements found in every programming language. But consider a program to process

loan applications. One might initially think that it would be possible to simply apply thresholds to each of the inputs and approve the applications where all or a certain number of inputs exceed the threshold. For example, a recent bankruptcy could be used to justify an immediate rejection. But what if the applicant now has a six-figure income? Humans deal easily with situational thresholds and fuzzy logic. But the thought processes used by humans don't easily reduce to nested if/then statements. For this reason, the average loan officer would probably find it difficult to write an unambiguous set of instructions describing how to evaluate loan applications.

Artificial neural networks deal easily with problems like this. In fact, some financial institutions currently screen loan applications using neural networks. The networks are trained by repeatedly presenting training data (such as actual loan applications) and comparing the network's output with the "correct" output (such as an indication of whether the applicant defaulted on the loan). If the network's output is incorrect, the weights that contributed to the incorrect output are reduced. Training then resumes until the error rate becomes acceptable.

#### 9. Artificial Versus Biological Neural Networks

It is somewhat traditional, and wise, to include a disclaimer in descriptions of artificial neural networks. Specifically, we must remember that ANNs bear little real resemblance to the biological neural networks that inspired them. This is particularly true of back-propagation neural networks (BPNNs). Some of the key differences include:

- BPNNs operate in a synchronous feed-forward manner. All inputs are sampled at the same time. The first layer's weights are then all calculated and synchronously applied to the next layer's inputs. Biological networks, on the other hand, operate asynchronously. A biological neural network's neurons integrate their inputs over time, firing asynchronously. The resulting activity patterns bear little resemblance to the orderly lock-step operation of ANNs.
- The neurons in a BPNN layer are typically fully connected with preceding layers but do not receive inputs from the same or succeeding layers. Again, some ANNs do employ feedback and competition within layers. But the majority of practical ANN applications have used the feed-forward architecture. Biological neural networks, on

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the other hand, often employ connections that imply feedback and competition within "layers." Biological networks also imply much more varied, and far less symmetric, connection strategies. In particular, clusters of richly interconnected biological neurons often form subnetworks, a very different strategy from the monolithic fully-interconnected ANN.

The supervised learning paradigm described earlier is biologically implausible.
 Self-organizing ANNs have been built. But far too little is known about the mechanics of human learning to judge how close those ANNs come to the mechanisms of their biological counterparts.

This disclaimer is certainly not intended to slight the importance of ANNs. They have proven quite useful in spite of their simplicity. And it may never be necessary to exactly mimic the operation of the brain. After all, manmade machines seldom exactly duplicate the operation of the biological structures that inspire them. Otherwise, our airplanes would have feathers and our automobiles would travel on hooves.

## **10. Neural Networks and Speech Recognition**

The commercial speech recognition systems described earlier are quite impressive compared to the systems of just a few years ago. But no existing system can claim to have human-like continuous speech recognition abilities. And the HMM approach has disadvantages, some theoretical and some practical, that may place limits on its long-term usefulness. One such theoretical disadvantage is the necessary assumption that the features extracted within a phonetic segment are uncorrelated with each other. This is obviously not true [Ref. 15]. A more practical disadvantage is that large-vocabulary HMMs are very computationally intensive, as evidenced by the hardware requirements described earlier. It simply may not be possible to implement real-time speaker-independent large-vocabulary continuous speech recognition on conventional (serial) computers using HMMs alone.

With the HMM perhaps reaching its "Peter principle" limits, many researchers have turned to the artificial neural network. Once trained, ANNs have the potential to greatly speed up recognition tasks because they can be implemented in highly parallel hardware. They have also

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proven to be well suited to complex pattern recognition tasks, such as computer vision and speech recognition.

In fact, speech recognition is prominent in nearly every author's list of suitable neural network applications.

In the last ten years, hundreds of papers have been written describing neural network-based speech research. No attempt is made here to provide a comprehensive summary of previous research. But the following papers are illustrative of the scope of recent research:

- Hirai and Waibel developed a speaker-dependent time-delay neural network (TDNN<sup>\*</sup>) for Japanese phoneme spotting, combined with a higher level network for word recognition. [Ref. 16]
- Wendell and Abdelhamied used modular TDNNs to develop a phoneme recognizor. In a modular neural network the recognition problem is partitioned into subproblems and subnetworks are trained to solve particular subproblems. For example, one subnetwork might be trained to identify stop consonants and another vowels. [Ref. 17]
- Matsuura, Miyazawa, and Skinner built a small vocabulary phoneme-based neural network word recognizor. [Ref. 18]
- Iso and Watanabe investigated the use of demi-syllables (described later) in a large-vocabulary speaker-dependent Japanese language recognition system. [Ref. 19]
- Witbrock and Haffner constructed a recognition system which adapts to individual speakers to improve recognition accuracy. A Speaker Voice Code, representing a speaker's individual speech characteristics, was presented to a TDNN along with more conventional acoustic inputs. The system's accuracy on French digits was in excess of 99 percent. [Ref. 8]
- Morgan and Bourlard, and others, have researched the use of hybrid ANN/HMM architectures. [Ref. 15]

\* A TDNN neuron receives both current inputs and delayed prior inputs.

- Dalsgaard, Anderson, and Jorgensen applied self-organizing neural networks to feature identification in continuous speech. [Ref. 20]
- Sivakumar and Robertson showed that neural network consonant recognition could be improved by using formant transitions in neighboring vowels. [Ref. 5]

The state of neural network-based speech recognition can perhaps best be summarized by saying that the field is young but promising.

## D. SUMMARY

This chapter has summarized some of the fundamentals of speech recognition and artificial neural networks. These facts will be referred to, and expanded on, in Chapter III. In particular, the rationale behind the research methodology is explained in terms of these fundamentals.

## **III. METHODOLOGY AND RATIONALE**

## A. INTRODUCTION

Chapter III describes the specifics of how this research was conducted. This chapter also offers some of the reasoning behind those specifics. In particular, the following sections describe the rationale behind the choice of recognition unit, neural network feature vector, frequency normalization method, time alignment method, neural network topology, and word recognition algorithm.

## **B.** CHOICE OF RECOGNITION UNIT

Probably the most fundamental decision in speech recognition system design is the choice of recognition unit. Systems can be, and have been, designed to detect words, syllables, demi-syllables, and phonemes. Another recognition unit, the diphone, has been used effectively in speech synthesis. But it has received far less attention in speech recognition. The diphone is discussed in depth later in this section. First, the alternative recognition units are described.

### 1. Words

Small-vocabulary word recognizors have been built. However, it is probably impractical to build a large-vocabulary, speaker independent system using the word as a recognition unit. The most obvious problem is in the sheer size of the task. The system would be required to recognize on the order of 100,000 words. In order to achieve speaker independence, the system would probably have to train on hundreds of examples of each word, from a wide variety of speakers. Just assembling the training and test data would be a daunting task.

Another problem with words is in their length. Longer speech segments magnify the impact of speaker variabilities such as speech rate. Also, an enormous amount of storage would be required to hold acoustic templates for 100,000 words. The situation is analogous to assigning a unique symbol to every word in the English language (rather than spelling each word with combinations of 26 letters). If humans were to attempt this, we would no doubt have to devote a great deal of our mental storage capacity to storing images of those symbols.

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A final problem is in segmentation. As mentioned earlier, words acoustically merge in continuous speech. Word recognition systems normally get around this problem by requiring discrete utterances. Continuous-speech word recognizors would have to spot words of widely varying length in a continuous speech stream.

#### 2. Syllable

A syllable consists of a vowel (in the center) and, usually, one or more starting and/or ending consonants. Syllables are attractive because they are relatively easy to segment. They are identifiable in the speech envelope by the large amount of energy (and voicing) associated with the vowel. They also account for coarticulation between phonemes in various phonetic contexts (see the phoneme paragraph for more on this issue). Unfortunately, ambiguity can arise in dealing with strings of consonants. Specifically, the recognizor must decide whether to group the consonants with the preceding vowel or the succeeding one. Another problem is, again, in the size of the search space. Though fewer in number than words, there are still an estimated 10,000 syllables in the English language. [Ref. 7]

#### 3. Triphone

The triphone is a combination of three phonemes. This is attractive because the triphone would also account for coarticulation. In fact, every phoneme could be modeled in every possible phonetic context. But the numbers are, again, quite large. If we use the 45 phonemes of Table 2-2, plus a dummy phoneme to represent silence, there are theoretically 46<sup>3</sup> or 97336 possible triphones. Undoubtedly, far fewer combinations actually appear in English. But the number is still rather large, probably of about the same magnitude as the number of syllables.

#### 4. Demisyllable

A demisyllable consists of half of a syllable. If each syllable in the English language is divided in half at the vowel, the 10,000 English syllables can be reconstructed from the resulting 2000 or so unique demisyllables. Thus, the number of required recognition units can be reduced significantly by employing demisyllables instead of syllables. As mentioned earlier, some research has been conducted using the demisyllable as the recognition unit [Ref. 19]. Though

very promising, the demisyllable requires slightly more complicated heuristics than some of the alternatives. In particular, the segmentation algorithm must deal with consonant clusters, as described earlier for syllables.

## 5. Phoneme

The phoneme is an attractive alternative if for no other reason than the small numbers, less than 50 in English. Also, the phoneme is tempting because of the large body of knowledge and theory behind it. Phonemes are appealing as well, from a practical viewpoint, because a large number of tools, including phonetically transcribed speech databases and phonetic dictionaries, have been built around the phoneme. Thus, the phoneme is the most commonly used sub-word recognition unit. Unfortunately, the phoneme is much more a theoretical unit of speech than a practical one. As mentioned in the section on coarticulation, a given phoneme's acoustic properties depend greatly on its phonetic context. Thus, a recognition system must force some 100 to 200 allophones [Ref. 7] into 50 or so phoneme classes. Another challenge is in segmentation. In general, there is no sharp dividing line between phonemes in flowing speech. This causes problems both in training and during recognition (this issue is discussed in more detail in the next section).

## C. THE DIPHONE

The final sub-word speech unit to be discussed is the diphone, the recognition unit selected for use in this thesis research. A diphone consists of two phonemes. Theoretically, there are 46<sup>2</sup> or 2116 possible combinations of the diphones in Table 2-1 (a dummy phoneme is again used to represent silence). But not all of these actually occur in English. The 6229 entry TIMIT lexicon used in this research contains only 1195 diphones. And the 100,000 word Carnegie Mellon phonetic dictionary contains only 1331 distinct diphones<sup>\*</sup>. Furthermore, these diphones are by no means evenly distributed. As indicated in Figure 3.1, some diphones are far more common than others. In fact, the ninety most common diphones, just 7.5 percent of the total, account for over 50 percent of the diphone occurrences in the TIMIT lexicon. Similarly, the 490 most common

<sup>\*</sup> These numbers include all diphones formed by pairing phonemes with a period of silence, as at the beginning or end of an isolated word. The numbers were obtained using DIPCOUNT.ADA, a utility contained in Appendix B.

diphones, 41 percent of the total diphones, account for over 90 percent of the diphone occurrences. That means that fairly large vocabularies can be built from far fewer than 1220 or 1300 diphones.



Figure 3.1. Cumulative distribution of diphones in the TIMIT lexicon. Although 1195 diphones exist in the lexicon, some are far more common than others. Thus, fairly large vocabularies can be constructed with far fewer diphones.

The remaining paragraphs of this section describe additional advantages of diphone-based recognition.

### 1. Coarticulation

The junction between two phonemes constituting a diphone is acoustically influenced by both phonemes. To a phoneme recognizor these coarticulation effects are a curse. But to a diphone recognizor this transition region is the key to recognition. As mentioned earlier, vowels are relatively easy to recognize due to their characteristic formant frequencies. But consonants are less recognizable in isolation. This issue was specifically investigated by Sivakumar and Robertson [Ref. 5], who showed that formant transitions in neighboring vowels could significantly increase accuracy in consonant recognition (especially stop consonants). Such an advantage is particularly important in view of the fact that consonants actually carry most of the information in speech<sup>\*</sup>. As further evidence of their potential, diphones have already proven useful in speech synthesis [Ref. 7]. If diphones lead to more natural sounding synthesized speech, it is reasonable to assume that diphone models would more closely match actual speech during recognition.

### 2. Redundancy and Probability of Detection

Each diphone carries twice as much information as a phoneme. To understand why this is useful, consider a hypothetical diphone recognizor and a hypothetical phoneme recognizor, both with 85 percent recognition accuracy. For the sake of comparison, assume that both recognizors are uniformly accurate for all recognition units and that the error probabilities between adjacent speech units are independent<sup>\*\*</sup>. For the word "robot," consisting of five phonemes (**R OW B AA T**), the probability of a phoneme recognizor spotting the word (assuming no missing phonemes can be tolerated) would be:

$$p(word spotted | phoneme recognizor) = .85^{5} = .44$$
 (3.1)

The same five phoneme word would be described with six diphones (HX-R R-OW OW-B B-AA AA-T T-HX<sup>\*\*\*</sup>). But each diphone carries two phonemes. So two adjacent diphones would have to be missed to cause the word to be missed. In this case, the probability of word detection is given by:

$$p(word \mid diphones) = .85^{6} + 6(.85^{5} .15^{1}) + 10(.85^{4} .15^{2}) + 4(.85^{3} .15^{3}) = .90$$
 (3.2)

The formula in Equation 3.2 was reached by counting the 21 success modes out of the  $2^6$  or 64 possible outcomes. Only one outcome consisted of six correct diphones (contributing .85<sup>5</sup>

<sup>\*</sup> This can easily be verified by removing the vowels from a typical sentence. The result will be much more understandable than the same sentence with all consonants removed.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Both assumptions are, of course, incorrect. Some diphones and phonemes will enjoy lower error rates and "burst errors" are very likely to occur in continuous speech.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> The symbol "HX" is used throughout this thesis as a dummy phoneme consisting of some period of silence.

to the overall probability). Six outcomes included five correct and one incorrect diphone (adding  $6[.85^5 .15^1]$  to the overall probability). Similarly, there were 10 outcomes with 4 diphones correct and 2 incorrect; and four outcomes with three diphones correct and three incorrect.

Thus, in this example and given identical sub-word recognition accuracies, the diphone recognizor is theoretically capable of more than twice the word recognition accuracy of a phoneme recognizor.

## 3. Search Space Reduction

The diphone offers one final advantage as a recognition unit. This last advantage becomes evident when considering the lexical search that might result from detecting a given speech unit in the speech stream. Again, consider a hypothetical phoneme recognizor and a hypothetical diphone recognizor. If the phoneme recognizor detects what appears to be an  $\mathbf{R}$  in the speech stream, the lexical analyzer must consider all 341 words in the TIMIT lexicon that begin with that phoneme. And enough spurious phonemes will probably be detected after that to keep most of those words in the search tree.

Contrast this situation with a diphone recognizor that has detected the **R-OW** diphone in the input stream. Only 20 words in the TIMIT lexicon begin with that diphone. And not just any **B** in the input stream will be accepted in the lexical analyzer's consideration of the word "robot." The **B** must come in the form of an **OW-B** or **B-AA** diphone. Thus, diphones should reduce the lexical analyzer's burden because the search tree can be pruned much more quickly.

## D. FEATURE VECTOR

A critical decision facing the neural network designer is the choice of input, or feature, vector. One cannot expect a neural network, or any other tool, to perform pattern recognition well unless relevant inputs are provided. For example, a neural network provided with the height and weight of applicants could not be expected to accurately predict loan defaults.

In addition to carefully choosing the ANN's inputs, it is often desirable to pre-process inputs to make the neural network's recognition task as straightforward as possible. In speech

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recognition, the most obvious example of pre-processing is transformation from the time domain to the frequency domain.

The following subsections describe the inputs selected for this research, the preprocessing steps used, and the rationale behind their selection.

## 1. Differenced Cepstral Coefficients

Formant peaks can be difficult to identify in conventional spectra, as is evident from Figure 3.2. *Cepstral smoothing* is a method frequently used to make the formant peaks more easily identifiable. Cepstral smoothing is explained in Figure 3.3 [after Ref. 1].



Figure 3.2 Log spectrum of the IY vowel spoken by an adult male. Note that F3 (about 3200 Hz) has partially blended with F2 (about 2600 Hz). This, combined with pitch combing, makes it difficult to exactly determine the positions of the formant peaks.



Figure 3-3. An intuitive explanation of cepstral smoothing of a voice signal [after Ref. 1]. The top row shows that a voice signal in the conventional frequency domain is a nonlinear combination (product) of vocal fold excitation effects (pitch "combing") and articulator effects (the "spectral envelope"). The two components are difficults to separate. But the logarithm of this product is the sum of the logarithms of the components (middle row). Thus, an inverse Fourier transform can be used to separate the pitch and articulator effects in the "quefrency domain." The bottom row shows a cepstral plot of a voice signal. In the cepstrum, the articulator effects are concentrated at the low quefrency end and pitch effects dominate at high quefrencies. A low-time lifter can be used to remove the pitch peak and its "rahmonics." A final Fourier transform then produces the smoothed spectrum at the right end of the middle row.

In MATLAB, the *cepstrum*<sup>\*</sup> can be computed with the following function calls:

# cepstrum = ifft(log(abs(fft(signal .\* hamming(512))))); (3.3)

where "signal" is a PCM speech vector<sup>\*\*</sup>, "ifft" is the MATLAB inverse fourier transform function, and "fft" is the fast fourier transform.

Figure 3.4 is a cepstral version of Figure 3.2. The low *quefrency* components are due to articulator effects. The speaker's pitch is evident in the series of high quefrency spikes. A *low time lifter* is used to remove the pitch effects (the dotted line in Figure 3.4 shows the coefficients of the lifter used) and a final FFT produces the smoothed spectrum of Figure 3.5. In MATLAB's script language, these final steps could be accomplished by:

where "lifter" is a vector of low time lifter coefficients.

A 512 point FFT is used to compute the cepstral coefficients used in the actual feature surface. The samples are Hamming windowed and each window position overlaps the previous window position by approximately one third (170 samples or about 10.6 milliseconds at the 16 KHz sample rate). Figure 3.6 illustrates the windowing strategy. Note that the term "sample window" is used throughout this thesis to refer to the 512 point FFT sample window. The term "recognition window" is used to refer to the longer window from which the overall feature vector is produced. A number of overlapped sample windows are required to constitute a single recognition window.

<sup>\*</sup> The cepstrum domain is not the frequency domain. So unique terms have been invented to deal with it. The most commonly used terms include *quefrency* (modification of the word frequency), *lifter* (from filter), *rahmonics* (from harmonics), and *cepstrum* itself (from spectrum). [Ref. 1]

<sup>\*\*</sup> In MATLAB's script language, the ".\*" operator means to multiply each element in one vector by the corresponding element in the other vector. The hamming(n) function returns a n-point hamming window vector.



Figure 3.4. A cepstral version of Figure 3.2. The prominent spike near the center of the quefrency scale is a pitch peak. Articulator effects are concentrated at the left end of the quefrency scale. The dotted outline illustrates the location of the low-time lifter cutoff.



Figure 3.5. The spectrum of Figure 3.2 after cepstral smoothing. Note that the formant peaks are now easier to identify.



Figure 3.6. Windowing strategy used by the diphone recognizor. The recognition window is composed of a sequence of overlapped FFT (512 point) sample windows.

Figure 3.7 is an example of the feature surface used in this research. Each row is produced from a single sample window position. Twenty-nine columns of each row in the feature surface are devoted to cepstral information. The thirtieth column contains information related to the signal's short-time power (explained in more detail later in this section). The 30 columns of the feature surface are ultimately sequenced into a single feature vector for presentation to the neural network. Later paragraphs describe the number of feature surface rows used in a feature vector (its length in the time domain).

A speaker's volume can, of course, effect the magnitude of the spectral peaks. To reduce the impact of this potentially confounding variable, each cepstral coefficient in the feature vector actually represents the difference between that time period's coefficient and the coefficient of the previous time step. This is analogous to the use of capacitive coupling to remove a direct current offset from an oscilloscope's input. The delta or differenced cepstrum, as this technique is called, has been used with some success in previous research [Ref. 1]. It seems especially appropriate for diphone recognition, where the dynamic aspects of speech are relevant, rather than annoying.



Figure 3.7. An example of the feature surface used for diphone recognition. The final design included 13 rows (about 289 ms) by 30 columns (29 cepstrally-smoothed, differenced frequency values and one differenced RMS amplitude measure). The columns were sequenced into a single (390 element) feature vector for presentation to the neural network.

### 2. Critical Bands

The 512 point FFT returns spectral information in 256 "frequency bins" of 31.25 Hz per bin (at a sampling rate of 16 KHz). Even if it were practical to include 256 inputs for each 32 millisecond slice of speech, it would not be desirable. The resulting feature vector would probably exhibit too much granularity. In particular, F1 frequencies (for the same vowel) differing by just 20 or 30 Hz would trigger entirely different inputs. On the other hand, evenly dividing the 8000 Hz spectrum between the 29 columns of Figure 3.7 would give each input a bandwidth of 276 Hz. The resulting loss in resolution would often cause the F1 frequencies of entirely different vowels to merge into a single input.

This dilemma is often resolved through the use of critical band filters. Psychoacoustic research has shown that human perception of a given frequency is influenced by a critical band of neighboring frequencies [Ref. 7]. At lower frequencies, the critical bands are narrower. As a result, the human auditory system exhibits finer resolution at lower frequencies.

In an effort to mimic critical bands, the FFT's output bins were unevenly distributed between the 29 columns of each feature surface row. Figure 3.8 shows the bandwidth of each of the 29 differenced cepstral inputs of the feature surface columns. The exact frequency assignments can be found in Appendix A (the FEATURES.M script file). The bandwidth for each center frequency was computed using the following approximation [Ref. 22]:

$$BW_{i} = 25 + 75 [1 + 1.4(F_{c}/1000)^{2}]^{0.69}$$
(3.5)

where  $F_c$  is the center frequency.



Figure 3.8. Critical frequency bands used in computation of feature surface. At low frequencies, fewer FFT frequency coefficients are averaged to produce the feature surface column values. Thus, spectral resolution is finer at low frequencies (as it is for human hearing).

Each center frequency was computed using the recursive formula:

$$FC_{i} = START_{i} + 0.75 (BW_{i}) + (BW_{i}/2)$$
 (3.6)

where START, is the previous band's start frequency.

This results in an overlap between bands ranging from about 25 percent at the low frequency end to about 29 percent at the high end. The first band's center frequency was defined to be 50 Hz with a bandwidth of 100 Hz. The actual value used for a given feature surface column is the mean of the contents of the FFT frequency bins falling in that column's bandwidth.

## 3. Short-Time Power Differences

Although the frequency domain is more useful in many cases, it does not seem wise to completely ignore the time domain. As one example of its value, recall that the speech envelope offers important clues to the presence of stop consonants. Thus, the thirtieth column of each feature surface row originally contained a measure of the differenced short-term power [Ref. 1] for that column's sample window position. For the (n-long) sample window at position k:

$$\Delta P(k) = ((\sum s^2(t))/n) - \Delta P(k-1)$$
(3.7)

where  $s^{2}(t)$  is the square of the amplitude of the voice signal at time t.

As explained in Chapter IV, a better choice would have been the differenced RMS amplitude:

$$\Delta A_{\rm RMS}(k) = \sqrt{\sum s^2(t)/n} - \Delta A_{\rm RMS}(k-1)$$
(3.8)

### 4. Recognition Window Length

So far, no mention has been made of the length of the recognition window. This is actually a difficult question. Figure 3.9 is a histogram of maximum durations of diphones in the TIMIT SX and SI sentences (described later). Since the majority of diphones last no more than 500 milliseconds, the initial version of the feature surface contained 23 rows, with each containing spectral and short-time power information from a single 512 point (32 millisecond) sample



window. Because the windows were overlapped by one third, the recognition window was approximately 502 milliseconds wide (8036 samples).

Figure 3.9. Histogram of durations of diphones in the TIMIT SX and SI sentences.

It is clear from Figure 3.9 that the vast majority of diphones are too short in duration to fill such a large recognition window. It was hoped that the neural network would, during training, reduce the weights of the outlying rows for short diphones. As explained in Chapter IV, it later became clear that the recognition window size should be reduced to approximately 289 milliseconds (4616 samples). This is actually not surprising, in that Kamm and Singhal found an input span of about 125 milliseconds worked best for phoneme recognition [Ref. 23], and a diphone consists of two phonemes.

### 5. Precomputation of Feature Vectors

Before leaving the topic of feature vector design, it should be mentioned that all of the feature vectors used for network training and testing were precomputed and saved in MATLAB data files. Each feature vector requires approximately 800,000 to one million floating point

operations to compute. And the same feature vectors were used during each of thousands of passes through the data (by hundreds of networks). It would have been very inefficient to recompute the feature vectors from the raw speech waveforms during each pass through the data (up to 20,190 feature vectors per pass).

### E. PITCH-BASED FREQUENCY NORMALIZATION

As mentioned earlier, it is desirable to remove from the feature vector any features that are not relevant. The speaker's pitch or fundamental frequency is such a feature. Pitch is a much better indicator of the gender (or age) of the speaker than of what is being spoken.

As mentioned in Chapter II, formant frequencies and pitch tend to be inversely proportional to vocal tract length. Several researchers; most notably Gersten, Wakita, and Neuburg; have attempted to normalize formant frequencies of individual speakers to improve recognition accuracy [Ref. 3]. Wakita's effort is especially interesting. He used measured formant data to estimate the speaker's vocal tract length. He then normalized the formant frequencies based on the vocal tract length estimate. Normalization reduced a vowel recognizor's error rate from 21 to 15.6 percent. Neuburg also attempted various scalings of the frequency scale based on the measured formant frequencies.

Unfortunately, the methods described in [Ref. 3] depend on identification of the speaker's formant frequencies and then normalization of those frequencies. These techniques add to the complexity of the preprocessing, they are difficult to implement in real time, and errors in formant identification could be expected to reduce accuracy.

Because both pitch and formant frequencies are inversely proportional to vocal tract length, it seems reasonable to use pitch itself as the basis for formant normalization. Therefore, an early part of this research was the measurement of pitch and formant frequencies for a variety of speakers. The results of this investigation are described in Chapter IV. For now, it is sufficient to say that pitch does appear to be a useful basis for normalization. Accordingly, the feature vectors used during this research were frequency-normalized using the procedure described in Chapter IV.

## F. TIME ALIGNMENT USING NEURAL NETWORK FEEDBACK

Because of the dynamic nature of diphones, correct time-alignment with the recognition window is doubly important. One cannot expect a neural network to easily see the similarities in time-shifted versions of a rapidly changing waveform. Fortunately, the TIMIT speech data used in this research includes time-aligned phonetic transcriptions that can be used to (approximately) center the diphone's phoneme junction in the recognition window. But the phonetic transcriptions are based on a semi-automated process of labeling phoneme boundaries that are themselves usually quite indistinct [Ref. 24]. Figure 3.10 illustrates that variability exists, even in diphones with sharply defined features, such as stop consonants. So it seems likely that recognition accuracy could be improved by more accurate time-alignment.



Figure 3.10. RMS amplitude columns of several feature surfaces for the same diphone (different speakers). Notice the variability in time alignment (based on TIMIT phonetic transcriptions).

Unfortunately, it is not easy to determine just what recognition window position is correct. One could conceivably compare the speech envelope with some diphone-specific template and use the window position that minimized the sum-squared error. But it would be necessary to de-emphasize the tails of the window when aligning short diphones. Also, the process of developing templates would be challenging and error prone. Finally, the usefulness of such an approach might be hampered by the fact that not all important features are evident in the time domain. For example, voice onset time (period of time between a stop's release and the resumption of voicing) is a key feature for distinguishing voiced plosives from unvoiced plosives. Figure 3.11 shows a plot of one spectral band of the same diphones shown in Figure 3.10. Note that this band shows even greater variability than the RMS amplitude plot.





The time-alignment method used in this research makes use of feedback from the neural network itself. Specifically, the neural network is trained using transcription-based alignments until test set errors appear to have reached a minimum. Then, each feature vector is shifted through the recognition window until the correct output is maximized. The window position that maximizes the correct output is used to perform the weight adjustments. With this approach in mind, the precomputed feature surface files contained 27 rows. This allowed the initial 23 row recognition window to be shifted left or right by up to two time steps (about 43 milliseconds).

A second feature surface was also computed for each diphone. The second feature surface was computed by shifting the recognition window to a start position about 10 milliseconds earlier
in the speech sample. This meant that the two feature surfaces were interleaved in time (in case 20 millisecond time steps were too coarse). As a result, the effective temporal resolution was about 10 milliseconds. Because the time-alignment method evolved considerably during the conduct of this research, further details are deferred until Chapter IV.

## G. NEURAL NETWORK TOPOLOGY

Neural network design is still more an art than a science. There are few generally accepted theories to guide the designer of networks that must be used on real-world problems. Instead, researchers must often resort to rules of thumb and experimentation. In particular, it can be difficult to determine the number of hidden nodes required to solve a non-trivial problem. This section describes the architecture selected for this research, as well as the justification for that selection.

## 1. Single Hidden Layer Versus Two Hidden Layers

One key architectural question is the number of hidden layers to use in the neural network. Hornik, Stinchcombe, and White proved in 1989 that a neural network with a single hidden layer and sigmoidal activation function<sup>\*</sup> can approximate any mapping to any degree of accuracy given enough nodes in the hidden layer [Ref. 25]. Though their existence proof offers no advice on the number of hidden nodes required, it is encouraging to know that a single hidden layer can theoretically handle any mapping. Nevertheless, other researchers have shown that two hidden layers will perform better (fewer nodes and better accuracy) on problems where the output classes cannot be separated into convex<sup>\*\*</sup> open or closed regions [Ref. 26]. Some texts have even referenced Hornik's proof on one page, while stating (incorrectly) on another that a single hidden layer is only sufficient if the decision boundaries are convex.

While the theoretical arguments seem to favor two hidden layers on complex mappings, practitioners often argue for a single hidden layer [Ref. 27]. Because it is impractical to determine whether diphone classes can be bounded by convex regions in an input space that has

<sup>\*</sup> In 1991 Hornik removed the requirement that the transfer function be sigmoidal. It is only necessary that is be sufficiently smooth.

<sup>\*\*</sup> A convex region is a region in which any two points in the region can be connected by a line that does not leave the region [Ref. 12].

several hundred dimensions, a simple experiment was conducted in an effort to shed light on the convexity issue. Figure 3.12 shows a problem with three output classes. Note that none of the three classes can be bounded by a convex region without including members of another class. This problem was solved with a back-propagation neural network consisting of two inputs, 10 hidden neurons, and three output neurons. Figure 3.13 shows the classification lines defined by the trained hidden layer's weights. The *sum-squared error*<sup>\*</sup> (SSE) after 755 *epochs* (an epoch is one complete pass through the training data) was less than 10<sup>-6</sup>. While this example does not prove that a single hidden layer is sufficient for every problem, it does disprove the notion that networks with a single hidden layer are incapable of solving all problems with non-convex decision boundaries.



Figure 3.12. A classification problem with three output classes that cannot be separated using convex decision regions. A neural network with a single hidden layer proved capable of handling this problem.

<sup>\*</sup> A sum-squared error of zero would require that the correct neuron's output be a one and all other outputs zero. In practice, it is usually only necessary that the correct output be the strongest for correct classification. In this example, all input vectors were correctly classified long before epoch 755. The SSE error goal of  $10^{-6}$  was arbitrarily selected.



Figure 3.13. Classification lines defined by 10 sets of hidden layer weights. The output layer's input space has 10 dimensions so it cannot be plotted.

For comparison purposes, several networks with two hidden layers were trained on the same problem. After some experimentation, it was determined that at least five neurons in the first hidden layer and five neurons in the second hidden layer were required to solve the same problem. While this is the same number of hidden nodes as the network with just one hidden layer, the new network required 5436 epochs to reach the same error goal. Thus, networks with two hidden layers are apparently not always superior, even with non-convex decision boundaries. It should also be noted that this second network was constructed only after it was known that 10 neurons were sufficient for a single hidden layer. Armed with this knowledge, and the assumption that two hidden layers would require a total of nearly that many neurons, it was a fairly simple matter to come up with a working design.

Although two hidden layers may be better, at least theoretically, for some problems, a network with just one hidden layer has an important practical advantage. Specifically, it is only

necessary to determine the size of one layer. The size of the feature vector and the number of output neurons can be derived from the nature of the problem. But experimentation is the only sure way to determine the optimal number of hidden neurons. In the example problem just described, the network with a single hidden layer was first trained with 32 hidden nodes. The hidden layer was then reduced in size until the network failed to converge (at 9 or fewer neurons). The network with two hidden layers was actually harder to size and test because two hidden layers had to be sized.

Because the networks used in this research required up to five weeks of training time and trillions of floating point operations, it was important to minimize the number of network topologies to be tested. Primarily for this reason, the neural networks used in the remainder of this research consisted of just one hidden layer.

## H. TRANSLATING DIPHONES TO WORDS

Whether using the diphone or the phoneme as a recognition unit, high accuracy at the sub-word level is no guarantee of similar accuracy at the word level. So a prototype lexical analyzer was constructed, using Common LISP, to determine if the assumed advantages of diphones were real. The following approach is used:

- Two interleaved recognition windows are stepped through the PCM speech file<sup>\*</sup>, each moving 21 milliseconds (342 samples) per time step. The resulting temporal resolution is about 10 milliseconds (170 samples).
- For each recognition window position, the three output neurons with the strongest outputs are identified. A text line is then appended to the output file, listing the identities and output values of these neurons, as well as the current window position (to serve as a "time stamp").
- A Common LISP program reads in the neural network's output as a LISP list. In cases where a given diphone appears in the one of the top three positions for more than one

<sup>\*</sup> Precomputed feature vectors were used during training only. TIMIT PCM speech files were used during word recognition tests.

consecutive time step, only the entry with the highest output value (the output peak) is retained.

- The remaining output peaks are then processed sequentially and in chronological order. Each diphone peak is assumed to potentially be the start of a word.
- For each word in the phonetic dictionary that begins with the current diphone, the lexical analyzer scans forward in the diphone stream, looking for diphones containing the remaining phonemes of that word. The search is bounded by maximum and minimum expected durations for the phoneme. In other words, any diphones containing the required phoneme must be tagged with times that make sense in view of the phoneme's expected duration. Otherwise, they are ignored.
- A word is written to the lexical analyzer's output if all of its phonemes appear in the diphone stream (and with reasonable time stamps). A confidence value (a simple average of the diphone recognizor outputs for the diphones in the word) and time stamp are also written to the output.
- Thresholds are used to prevent weak diphone recognizor outputs from triggering this search process. Similarly, a threshold is used to prevent the output of words with low overall confidence values.
- A second phonetic dictionary is maintained, sorted by the second phoneme in each word. This allows the lexical analyzer to spot words in the diphone stream even if the first two diphones are lost (taking the word's first phoneme with them).

Further details of this algorithm can be found in Chapter IV and Appendix C (primarily in RECOGNIZ.CL).

## I. TRAINING AND TEST DATA

Early speech recognition researchers were forced to build their own speech databases. Thus, a significant amount of time and money had to be invested in gathering training and test data before any useful research could be conducted. In an effort to solve this problem, DARPA

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launched a large speech database development program in 1984 as part of its Strategic Computing speech program [Ref. 24]. One of the results of this effort was the TIMIT speech database, developed jointly by researchers at Texas Instruments (TI), the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), and SRI International.

The TIMIT database is currently distributed on CD-ROM through the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST). The database consists of a total of 6,300 sentences from 630 speakers, totaling over 5 hours of speech. The sentences are already partitioned into recommended training and test sets, with 27 percent of the speakers assigned to the test set. Test set speakers do not also appear in the training set. Both the test set and the training set are partitioned into eight dialect regions (New England, Northern, North Midland, South Midland, Southern, New York City, Western, and "Army Brat" [moved around]). Each dialect region is further partitioned by individual speaker, with ten sentences per speaker. Of the total, 70 percent of the speakers are male and 30 percent female. [Ref. 2]

To support the variety of research being conducted, three types of sentences were included in the TIMIT database. The dialect sentences (prefixed by SA in the database) were designed to expose dialectical variations between speakers. Only two such sentences are included in the database and each speaker recorded both. The phonetically diverse (SI) sentences were randomly selected from a variety of sources to generate diversity in sentence types and phonetic contexts. Each speaker read three SI sentences and no two speakers read the same sentence. Finally, the phonetically-compact (SX) sentences were hand-designed at MIT to be compact and provide good phonetic coverage. Each speaker read five SX sentences. [Ref. 2]

Because of their compactness and comprehensive phonetic coverage, the TIMIT SX sentences were selected for use in this research. Only sentences from the TIMIT training set were used for training (weight adjustments) and only test set sentences were used for testing.

Before the neural network feature vectors could be computed, it was necessary to identify the specific diphones and sentences to be used. A number of automated tools were developed to assist with this task. The ADA source code for these utilities can be found in Appendix B. Four speech data sets were ultimately used for neural network training. The first two sets, built around 19 and 44 diphones respectively, were used primarily for software testing and experimentation with various training algorithms. These two data sets will not be discussed in depth. The other two speech data sets included samples of the 157 most common diphones in the SX sentences. These two data sets are described in more detail later in this section. Details on the mechanics of building the speech data sets can be found in the source code comments of Appendix B. For now, the following facts should suffice:

- A utility (DIPNUMS.ADA) was used to sift through the TIMIT phonetic transcriptions and determine how many and which diphones were available.
- It was assumed (based on intuition) that at least thirty occurrences of each diphone would be needed to train the neural networks to a reasonable degree of generalization. It was also assumed that 100 occurrences would be better.
- Only 157 diphones were common enough to occur at least 100 times in the TIMIT SX training set. These 157 diphones were therefore used to produce the two speech data sets described in the following subsections. The diphones themselves are listed in Appendix D.

## 1. The Medium-Sized Data Set

It would not have been wise to use an overly large data set for early neural network training attempts. A great deal of trial and error was needed to determine the number of hidden nodes required. It was also frequently necessary to refine the training methodology and determine the effect of a number of parameters described in Chapter IV. Since a common UNIX workstation requires approximately eight hours for a single pass through the large data set (described later), it was necessary to do much of the experimentation with a more modest data set. The medium training set consisted of 30 examples of each of the 157 diphones mentioned earlier (4710 files). Because some diphones are more common in the TIMIT training set than in the test set, most but not all of the 157 diphones occur 10 times in the medium test set (1568 files). The TIMIT file listings were "shuffled" before selection of all data sets, in an effort to achieve a more uniform gender and dialectical distribution (the selection procedure is described in Appendix B). Table 3.1 lists the demographics of the speakers included in the medium training and test sets.

CATEGORY	TRAINING SET	TEST SET	TOTAL
MALE SPEAKERS / SAMPLES	325 / 3338	110 / 1068	435 / 4406
FEMALE SPEAKERS / SAMPLES	136 / 1372	53 / 500	189 / 1872
DIALECT REGION 1 SAMPLES	398	108	506
DIALECT REGION 2 SAMPLES	820	219	1,039
DIALECT REGION 3 SAMPLES	784	247	1,031
DIALECT REGION 4 SAMPLES	663	262	925
DIALECT REGION 5 SAMPLES	682	265	947
DIALECT REGION 6 SAMPLES	310	106	416
DIALECT REGION 7 SAMPLES	792	228	1,020
DIALECT REGION 8 SAMPLES	261	133	394
TOTAL DIPHONE SAMPLES	4,710	1,568	6,278

Table 3.1. Description of Medium Data Set

## 2. The Large Data Set

The large training set consisted of 100 examples of each of the 157 diphones in Appendix D (15,700 files). Again, some diphones are more common in the TIMIT training set than in the test set. So most but not all of the 157 diphones occur 30 times in the large test set (4490 files). Table 3-2 lists the demographics of the speakers included in the large training and test sets.

CATEGORY	TRAINING SET	TEST SET	TOTAL
MALE SPEAKERS / SAMPLES	326 / 11106	110 / 3945	436 / 15051
FEMALE SPEAKERS / SAMPLES	136 / 4594	53 / 545	189 / 5139
DIALECT REGION 1 SAMPLES	1,315	294	1,609
DIALECT REGION 2 SAMPLES	2,702	686	3,388
DIALECT REGION 3 SAMPLES	2,597	691	3,288
DIALECT REGION 4 SAMPLES	2,270	727	2,997
DIALECT REGION 5 SAMPLES	2,293	808	3,101
DIALECT REGION 6 SAMPLES	1,112	291	1,403
DIALECT REGION 7 SAMPLES	2,629	660	3,289
DIALECT REGION 8 SAMPLES	782	333	1,115
TOTAL DIPHONE SAMPLES	15,700	4,490	20,190

Table 3.2. Description of Large Data Set

## J. TRAINING METHODOLOGY

The MATLAB Neural Network Toolbox and MATLAB script files were used to simulate and train the neural networks used in this research. Appendix A contains the script files specifically written for this purpose. The main training script (TRNBPX.M) operates as follows:

- At startup, the script file reads a file containing a number of training parameters, such as the number of hidden nodes and the recognition window width. It also loads a list of diphones defining the output classes. Finally, it opens two text files listing the files containing the precomputed diphone feature vectors.
- After one complete pass through the training set, the new weights are tested using the entire test set. Statistics for both training and test sets are then written to a text file. If the test results indicate that the test set errors have reached a new minimum, the weights are saved to a file. If, on the other hand, the new weights actually increase training set SSE by a predetermined amount (set by the "er" parameter), the weight changes are discarded and the epoch is repeated with a lower learning rate.
- The current state, including the latest weights, is written to a file to allow resumption of training even if the job terminates unexpectedly (with up to several weeks of CPU time invested in the network's weights, it would not be wise to tempt fate).
- The entire process (an *epoch*) is repeated until the error rate becomes satisfactory or the job is terminated.

It is, of course, quite expensive, in terms of CPU time, to run through the entire test set during every epoch. But test set errors can exhibit sharp drops and spikes from one epoch to the next. And training set errors are a poor short term indicator of test set errors. In fact, a drop in training set errors is often accompanied by at least a temporary rise in test set errors. Also, a neural network's ability to generalize (correctly categorize never-before-seen data) will suffer if the network is overtrained. The usual intuitive explanation is that the network learns too many details about the test set, details that do not contribute to correct classification of unfamiliar data. Thus, a pass through the test set after every epoch is the best way to ensure that the best weights will be found.

# K. SUMMARY

Chapter III has outlined the plan under which this research was conducted. The next chapter describes the results of carrying out that plan.

## **IV. RESULTS**

## A. INTRODUCTION

Not surprisingly, some details of the methodology evolved as results accumulated and were analyzed. However, this research largely supports the assumptions and expectations of Chapter III. The following sections describe the key results. In particular, frequency normalization results, diphone and word recognition statistics, and the impact of feedback-based time alignment are described. Emphasis is also given to reporting the apparent impact of various neural network training alternatives.

## **B.** FREQUENCY NORMALIZATION

As mentioned in Chapters II and III, both pitch and formant frequencies vary inversely with the speaker's vocal tract length. Pitch can be detected fairly easily in a voiced speech signal<sup>\*</sup>. So a study was conducted to determine if pitch would be a useful basis for formant frequency normalization. If so, speaker independent recognition accuracy could be expected to improve.

The IY vowel was selected as the subject of this study. As indicated in Figure 2.5, this vowel is characterized by good separation between its formant frequencies. After cepstral smoothing, the formant frequencies were visually identified and recorded along with the speaker's pitch. A total of 209 data points were taken from 70 speakers, 57 samples from 21 females and 152 samples from 49 males. All samples were taken from SX sentences and Dialect Region 2. The following subparagraphs describe the data and the normalization method based on that data.

## **1. Distribution of Formant Frequencies**

Figures 4.1, 4.2, and 4.3 show scatter plots for F1, F2, and F3 respectively. It appears from the plots that pitch frequency and formant frequency are related. Table 4.1 lists key statistics for formant frequencies of the three data sets. The raw data is listed in Appendix H.

<sup>\*</sup> Cepstral pitch detection was used in this research, backed up by the Average Magnitude Difference Function [Ref. 1]. The code in Appendix A can be consulted for specifics on the technique used.



Figure 4.1. Plot of F1 frequency versus pitch for 209 samples of the IY vowel (70 speakers).



Figure 4.2. Plot of F2 frequency versus pitch for the same speakers as in Figure 4.1.



Figure 4.3. Plot of F3 frequency versus pitch for the same speakers as in Figure 4.1.

FORMANT	SAMPLE MEAN (Hz)	SAMPLE VARIANCE	PITCH/FORMANT CORRELATION COEFFICIENT (r)	REGRESSION COEFFICIENT OF DETERMINATION (r <sup>2</sup> )	REGRESS. X COEFFIC.
F1	362	7,904	0.35	0.13	0.08
F2	2,125	80,262	0.62	0.38	4.48
F3	2,729	81,669	0.58	0.34	4.25

Table 4.1. Statistics from 209 Measurements of IY Formant Frequencies

The correlation coefficients, and the plots, indicate a moderate correlation between pitch and formant frequencies, particularly F2 and F3. The correlation between pitch and F1 is weaker. Furthermore, the weak regression coefficients of determination  $(r^2)$  indicate that the relationships are nonlinear. This is consistent with previous research on the subject [Ref. 3]. Finally, the slopes of the regression lines are steeper for F2 and F3 than for F1. This rules out a simple shift of the frequency axis proportional to pitch changes. Such a shift would overcorrect F1 or undercorrect F2 and F3.

### 2. Normalization Method Used

Because the neural network must recognize formant peaks in the overall spectrum, it was necessary to use a normalization method that did not depend on detection of the formants themselves. Instead, each frequency component of the FFT output was shifted by an amount proportional to both the frequency being shifted and the difference between that speakers pitch and a "standard" pitch (100 Hz). Thus, the expected "error" in a given frequency component was modeled by:

$$\Delta f_{\text{formant}} \approx k f_{\text{measured}} \Delta f_{\text{pitch}}$$
(4.1)

where k is a constant of proportionality. If the speakers measured pitch is 100 Hz, the right side of the equation would equal zero and no correction would be made. For any other pitch, the measured frequency would be corrected by adding the left side of Equation 4.1 to the measured frequency. The constant of proportionality was estimated by solving for k as follows:

$$\Delta f_{\text{formant}} / \Delta f_{\text{pitch}} \approx k f_{\text{measured}}$$
(4.2)

$$(\Delta f_{\text{formant}} / \Delta f_{\text{pitch}}) / f_{\text{measured}} \approx k$$
 (4.3)

The left side of Equation 4.2 can be approximated by the slopes of the regression lines in Table 4.1. A value for  $f_{measured}$  is obtained for each formant by plugging a pitch of 200 Hz into the equation for that formant's regression line. The three resulting equations form the divisors and the regression slopes are the dividends in Equations 4.4 through 4.6. For the first formant:

F1: 
$$0.805 / (0.805 \times 200 + 251.4) = 0.00195$$
 (4.4)

where 251.4 is the regression line's intercept (Table 4.1). For F2:

$$F2: 4.48 / (4.48 \times 200 + 1508) = 0.00186$$
(4.5)

where 1508 is the intercept. Finally, for F3:

F3: 
$$4.25 / (4.25 \times 200 + 2143) = 0.00142$$
 (4.6)

where 2143 is the intercept.

Because the F2 regression line best fit the data, the value from Equation 4.5 was given more weight and 0.00185 was the proportionality constant actually used to perform normalization. Equation 4.1 yields an estimate of the difference between measured frequency and normalized frequency. Thus, the frequency components from the FFT can be normalized by:

$$f_{\text{normalized}} = f_{\text{measured}} + 0.00185 f_{\text{measured}} (100 - f_{\text{pitch}})$$
(4.7)

The right addend in Equation 4.7 is simply Equation 4.1 with the proportionality constant from Equations 4.4 through 4.6. The parenthesized quantity is the difference between the speaker's pitch and the "standard" pitch of 100 Hz ( $\Delta f_{pitch}$  in earlier equations). In words, the measured frequency is corrected by an amount proportional to the measured frequency and the difference between the speaker's pitch and a standard pitch (again, 100 Hz was used).

#### 3. Impact of Normalization

Figures 4.4 and 4.5 show the distribution of F2 frequencies for the same 209 F2 data points, before and after normalization using Equation 4.7. While considerable variance remains, the distribution after normalization is clearly tighter. As shown by Table 4.2, normalization also reduces the variance of F1 and F3 frequencies for the same data.



Figure 4.4. Distribution of F2 frequencies (IY vowel) before normalization.



Figure 4.5. Distribution of F2 frequencies after pitch-based normalization.

FORMANT	VARIANCE BEFORE NORMALIZATION	VARIANCE AFTER NORMALIZATION
F1	7,904.5	5,820
F2	80,261.7	42,111.8
F3	81,669.1	49,325.2

Table 4.2. Variance of Formant Frequencies for IY Vowel Before and After Frequency Normalization

No attempt was made to collect data on vowels other than **IY**. It was assumed that all vowels would exhibit similar relationships between pitch and formant frequencies. Instead, feature vectors were produced both with and without frequency normalization. Identical neural networks were then trained on the same speech samples from the same speakers, the only difference being the use or absence of normalization. In every case the neural network trained with normalized frequencies outperformed the network trained without normalization. Figure 4.6 shows the learning curves from the largest such comparison. The solid line shows the test set errors rate for the network trained with normalized data. The dashed line shows the test set errors for an identical network trained without normalization. In this case, the network without normalization suffered over 34% more errors (using the "top three" error metric, explained in the next section).



Figure 4.6. Error plots for identical networks with and without frequency normalization. Network with normalization (solid line) converged to lower error rate.

The relationship modeled in Equations 4.1 and 4.7 may have very little to do with the true relationship between pitch and formant frequency. But, judging from the data gathered so far, the frequency normalization method described in this section is at least useful.

## C. DIPHONE RECOGNITION RESULTS

### **1. Error Metrics**

Two metrics were used to evaluate the accuracy of all neural networks trained in conjunction with this research:

#### a. Percent Correct

This metric represents the percentage of test set diphones which triggered the correct neural network output. In other words, if the correct output neuron had the strongest output, the diphone was correctly recognized. Test set diphones (and speakers) were never used to train (adjust weights of) the networks. So these figures should give a much more accurate idea of a network's generalization ability than the training set figures. Therefore, all comments and accuracy figures refer to the test set unless specified otherwise.

#### b. Percent in Top Three

This metric is the percentage of diphones which activated the correct output neuron strongly enough to place it among the top three neuron outputs. This figure is useful for two reasons:

• The lexical analyzer (described in Chapter III) is only shown the network's top three outputs for each recognition window position. Thus, the diphone must be in the top three to be useful at the next stage of recognition. Of course, the lexical analyzer could be redesigned to scan the top four or five neural network outputs. But that would increase its own search space considerably. Thus, the top three figure is a tradeoff between the diphone recognizor and the lexical analyzer. If the diphone recognizor top three percentage is too low some of the burden must be shifted to the lexical analyzer.

• The top three metric is commonly used in speech recognition research. So its use here will facilitate comparisons between diphone and phoneme recognition results.

Although sum-squared error (SSE) was recorded for every epoch of each network, it is not often quoted in this thesis. In many cases, sum-squared error drops were accompanied by increases in test set errors.

### 2. Results

The first entry in Table 4.3 describes the most accurate neural network of those trained on the large and medium-sized data sets (157 diphones). In short, this network correctly recognized 70.2% of the test diphones. For the same network, 89.0% of the correct diphones were among the top three outputs.

Table 4.3 also lists key statistics from other selected neural networks trained with the medium-sized and large data sets described in Chapter III. The networks included in this table were chosen because they seemed to illustrate the impact of various training alternatives. For example, the apparent impact of frequency normalization can be seen by comparing the third and fourth networks in the table. The third network was trained without frequency normalization. The fourth network was trained with normalization. The following comments also apply to the table:

- The numbers in the first column of the table are included only to simplify references in the text to a particular network. They have nothing to do with a ranking of the results or the sequence in which the networks were trained.
- The training set accuracy figures are for the same epoch as the test set figures. It proved possible to achieve training set accuracy of 100% (or very nearly 100%) on all of the data sets. But doing so requires overtraining, at the expense of test set accuracy.
- Training was stopped when test set accuracy no longer appeared to be improving. It is sometimes difficult to judge when progress has truly ended. So it is theoretically possible that some networks were stopped too soon.

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ID #	Data Set	Test Correct	Test Top 3	Train Correct	Train Top 3	Frequency Normalized	Time Alignment	RMS Amplitude	Window Width	Remarks
1	L100	70.2%	89.0%	98.2%	98.4%	YES	YES	YES	13	
2	L100	69.4%	87.9%	97.8%	98.0%	YES	YES	NO	13	
3	M30	54.5%	73.5%	87.2%	87.3%	NO	NO	NO	13	Compare w/4
4	M30	56.8%	80.3%	94.3%	94.4%	YES	NO	NO	13	Compare w/3
5	M30	52.0%	72.0%	84.7%	85.1%	NO	NO	NO	13	Compare w/8
6	M30	59.4%	78.2%	90.6%	90.7%	YES	NO	NO	13	Seed = 0
7	M30	55.3%	77.8%	93.1%	93.1%	YES	NO	NO	13	Seed = 5
8	M30	58.0%	79.0%	91.1%	91.1%	YES	NO	NO	13	
9	M30	55.8%	77.2%	89.9%	89.9%	YES	NO	NO	13	Long initial set
10	M30	N/A	N/A	43.3%	44.6%	YES	NO	NO	13	Inputs batched
11	M30	59.6%	80.1%	98.9%	99.0%	YES	YES	NO	13	Shuffled often
12	M30	61.4%	81.8%	99.8%	99.8%	YES	YES	NO	13	Shuffled once
13	M30	58.3%	79.1%	92.7%	92.8%	YES	NO	NO	11	
14	M30	58.0%	79.0%	91.1%	91.1%	YES	NO	NO	13	
15	M30	56.1%	77.2%	94.1%	94.2%	YES	NO	NO	15	Too wide
16	M30	56.8%	80.3%	94.3%	94.4%	YES	NO	NO	13	No initial set
17	M30	60.7%	81.6%	91.4%	91.5%	YES	NO	NO	13	Compare w/16
18	M30	57.1%	82.5%	99.8%	99.9%	YES	YES	NO	13	Early feedback
19	M30	62.5%	83.5%	99.1 <sup>%</sup>	99.2%	YES	YES	YES	13	RMS vice STP

Table 4.3. Key Statistics from Selected Neural Network Diphone Recognizors

### 3. Caveat on Neural Network Comparisons

In the discussions that follow, every effort has been made to compare results between networks that are identical in every respect except the parameter at issue. For example, the third and fourth networks in the table were initialized with the same random weights and they were trained on the same speech samples from the same speakers. They had the same number of hidden neurons and both networks were trained without feedback-based time alignment. The only significant difference was in the use of frequency normalization for the third network. However, it is wise to remember that two identical networks can achieve very different results simply by starting at different points on the error surface. Networks 6 and 7 in Table 4.3 illustrate this point. The only difference between these two networks is in the random seed used to initialize MATLAB's pseudo-random number generator prior to initialization of the weights. Network 6's random seed was set to zero and Network 7's was set to five. Judging from the learning curves, Network 7 fell into an inferior local minimum and never achieved the accuracy of Network 6.

To eliminate this potentially confounding variable, and to make any particular network's course of training repeatable, the networks trained in this research all started with random seeds of zero unless specified otherwise. But this is still no guarantee that a particular comparison will reliably indicate the impact of a given parameter. Even networks with the same initial weights can fall into different local minima if something causes them to take different paths down the error surface. In one case, a network that had been training for several weeks was interrupted by the failure of the host's hard drive. Training was resumed on another host using a backup copy of some earlier weights. But the second host never achieved the accuracy level of the first. The second network took a different path down the error surface because the training algorithm uses an adaptive learning rate and a momentum term. When training was interrupted the learning rate dropped back to the default and the momentum term was zeroed out for the first epoch. This caused the second network to deviate from the path taken by the first. Unfortunately, the second path was inferior. It would be possible to reproduce the results of the first run, given some patches to the training code and a few more weeks of training time. But some other network might just as easily benefit from an unplanned interruption.

Although the preceding discussion suggests that comparisons between neural network runs are risky, trends are difficult to ignore. None of the conclusions described in the following subsections are based on a single comparison. For example, Networks 5 and 8 show essentially the same frequency normalization advantage as do Networks 3 and 4. And early test runs on smaller data sets support the same conclusions. Similarly, the advantages of feedback based time alignment were apparent in dozens of training runs. Again, the comparisons discussed in the text are based on careful matching of training parameters, including factors such as the momentum term and error ratio used by MATLAB's training algorithms.

The impact of frequency normalization has already been discussed. The following subsections describe the apparent impact of a number of other key training alternatives.

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## 4. Number of Output Classes

Although all of the entries in Table 4.3 describe neural networks trained on 157 diphones, a number of smaller networks were trained to recognize smaller diphone sets. Table 4.4 shows the highest accuracy rates achieved for the three diphone set sizes. The *Small IH* data set training set consisted of 30 examples of each of 19 diphones, all starting with the vowel IH. The *Small IH-T* data set consisted of 30 examples of each of 44 diphones, all starting with the IH vowel or the T consonant (thus, it is a superset of the Small IH data set). The medium data set was described in Chapter III. In hindsight, some of the training techniques used on the smaller networks were inferior. Yet the smaller networks achieved noticeably higher accuracy levels. This issue is revisited in Chapter VI and the next paragraph's discussion of input batching.

DATA SET	NUMBER DIPHONES	TRAIN / TEST SAMPLES	TRAINING CORRECT	TRAINING TOP 3	TEST CORRECT	TEST TOP 3
SMALL (IH)	19	570 / 181	100%	100%	84.0%	100%
SMALL(IH-T)	44	1320 / 397	100%	100%	71.5%	95.7%
MEDIUM	157	4710 / 1568	99.1%	99.2%	62.5%	83.5%

Table 4.4. Comparison of Accuracy Levels for Neural Networks with Varying Numbers of Output Classes

#### 5. Size of Training Set

As expected, networks trained on the large data set performed better on their test sets than networks trained with the medium data set. Network 1 in Table 4.3, for example, was trained using 100 samples of each diphone (15,700 input vectors). Network 19, identical in all other respects, was trained using just 30 samples of each diphone (4,710 input vectors). The larger training set clearly improved Network 1's generalization ability.

## 6. Batching of Weight Changes

Weight changes from each test set input vector are often accumulated until the end of an epoch and then all applied at once. This is commonly known as *input* or *weight change batching*. This method is the default in MATLAB's Neural Network Toolbox. It was also used successfully in training a number of networks to recognize the two smaller diphone sets. But dozens of networks failed to converge during batched input training on the medium data set.

Training was attempted with hidden layer sizes ranging from 64 to 512 neurons. Figure 4.7 shows the SSE plot (*learning curve*) for one such network with 256 hidden neurons. Note the abrupt leveling off of the curve at about the tenth epoch. This is typical of the neural networks that became stuck in local minima. For comparison purposes, the dashed line in the same figure shows the SSE plot for a later network which converged to a much lower minimum. The principal difference in the second network is the absence of weight change batching. In the second network, and all of the networks successfully trained on the medium-sized and large data sets, weight changes were made immediately after each input vector.



Figure 4.7. Error plots for identical networks, with and without batching of weight changes. The network with batched weight changes (solid line) stopped learning at approximately epoch 10.

Weight change batching is discussed in [Ref. 13]. The crux of that discussion is that batching is useful in some situations. But it depends on the nature of the problem. In other situations, input batching can render a network more prone to becoming stuck in local minima. Network 10 in Table 4.3 also illustrates this point. This network correctly identified only 68 of the 157 diphones in its initial training set (just one example of each diphone). Apparently, weight change batching is of questionable value in diphone recognition systems.

## 7. Hidden layer sizes

The majority of the networks trained on the large and medium-sized data sets included 256 neurons in the hidden layer. This produced the lowest error rate of the networks tested without input batching. Figure 4.8 shows test set performance for the hidden layer sizes which performed well enough initially to justify training on the full training set. It may be that a smaller number of hidden neurons would suffice. But there would probably be no advantage to pruning the hidden layer other than reducing the CPU's floating point burden. Research by Sietsma and Dow [Ref. 28] suggests that, contrary to neural network "folklore," neural networks with smaller hidden layers do not generalize better than those with oversized hidden layers. Networks often generalize poorly because of overtraining. But if training is stopped when test set errors reach a minimum, and training is conducted with "noisy" data, there is no accuracy penalty for oversized hidden layers. These conclusions are consistent with informal observations on the issue during this research.



Figure 4.8. Medium test set errors versus hidden layer size (with batched weight changes). Most networks successfully trained on the medium and large data sets employed 256 hidden neurons (the error minimum in the above plot). However, more data points would reveal that the above relationship is not smooth (peaks and valleys exist between the points plotted).

## 8. Randomized Sequencing

When inputs are batched, input vectors may be presented in any sequence during a training epoch. Since all weight changes are deferred until the end of the epoch, their ordering is irrelevant. That is not the case when input batching is disabled. Without input batching, weight changes for a given input vector are determined after applying weight changes for the preceding input vectors. So changes in the input sequence can lead to entirely new paths down the error surface. Therefore, randomized sequencing of inputs is often recommended [Ref. 13]. When training on just one example of each of 157 diphones, randomized sequencing did indeed appear to speed up network convergence. However, when training with the medium data set (30 examples of each of 157 diphones), there was no apparent advantage to "shuffling" the input vectors before each epoch. For example, Network 11 in Table 4.3 was trained by shuffling the input vectors before every epoch. The input vectors for Network 12, on the other hand, were shuffled just once, prior to the first epoch. The input sequence was identical for the remaining The results for these two networks (and similar comparisons) imply there is no epochs. significant benefit to frequent re-sequencing of the inputs. Therefore, the added algorithmic complexity and run time appear to be unjustified.

### 9. Feature Vector Length

As discussed in Chapter III, the recognition window was initially 23 (overlapped) sample windows or 502 milliseconds wide. This design worked well enough during initial testing with 19 diphones (dominated by vowels). But the error rate increased considerably during testing with a data set of 44 diphones (and a larger proportion of stop consonants and consonant pairs). The error statistics implied that the shorter diphones were suffering higher error rates than the longer ones. So tests were run with these 44 diphones and recognition window widths of 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, and 23 sample windows. Error rates were consistently lowest when the input vector was 13 sample windows wide (289 milliseconds). Also, comparisons were later run with the medium data set and input vector widths of 11, 13, and 15 sample windows. The results can be seen in table 4.3 (Networks 13, 14, and 15 respectively). Although the difference between 11 and 13 sample windows is less apparent with the larger data set, both are clearly better than the

15 sample window version. Therefore, a recognition window width of about 289 milliseconds appears to be a reasonable compromise, at least for the 157 diphones used in this research.

#### **10. Training Phases**

Some early networks were trained on the entire training set from the first epoch. This method had several disadvantages:

- A trial and error approach had to be used to determine the number of neurons required in the hidden layer. Much CPU time was wasted in training networks for hundreds of epochs on thousands of files, only to discover that the networks needed more hidden neurons.
- Some networks failed to converge, even though later trials demonstrated that the networks had enough hidden nodes.

Both of these problems were addressed by training later networks with a single (arbitrarily selected) example of each diphone initially. After the networks performed well on the *initial set*, training was resumed with the complete training set. With only 157 files in the initial set, epochs accumulated quickly. If the network failed to learn the initial set, more hidden nodes could be added and another attempt made with little time lost. This technique also seemed to ultimately result in more accurate networks. Networks 16 and 17 in Table 4.3 are examples. However, the difference was not dramatic and it was much less apparent for some comparisons than others. Also, training for too long on the initial set actually reduced final network performance. Network 9 in table 4.3, for example, was identical with Network 8 in every respect but one, the length of training on the initial set.

It should be noted that these observations are consistent with the recommendation of many researchers that initial training be conducted without "noise." For example, an optical character recognition system should be trained on sharply defined letters before attempting to train on smudged ones. Although no speaker's diphones can be considered "noise free," the initial set in the preceding discussion takes on a similar role. The individual variations of other speakers can then be viewed as a form of noise.

#### **11. Feedback-Based Time Alignment**

Figure 4.9 shows the output of the N-D output neuron as a neural network's recognition window is stepped through a speech sample containing the N-D diphone. Note that the neural network's output peaked sharply when the recognition window was properly aligned and fell off rapidly both before and after that window position. Figure 4.10 shows the same output sequence from a different perspective. The solid line in Figure 4.10 is the same output plotted in Figure 4.9. The dashed lines show the outputs of competing neurons during the same time period. Again, the penalty for recognition window misalignment is obvious. Because of the dynamic nature of diphone phoneme transitions, a shift of just one window position (about 20 milliseconds, 10 with interleaving as described in Chapter III) can completely remove the correct output from the top three outputs.



Figure 4.9. Output of the **N-D** neuron as the recognition window is stepped through a speech sample containing the **N-D** diphone. Note that the neural network is sensitive to correct alignment (window positions are about 10 milliseconds apart).

This again raises an issue discussed in Chapter III, recognition window time alignment. During training, the TIMIT phonetic transcriptions provide a rough guide. However, as discussed in Chapter III, these transcriptions are only approximate and they may be based on time-domain features that may be less important to the neural networks than other (frequency domain) features. Furthermore, during recognition the networks must recognize diphones with no a priori knowledge of where in the speech stream to look.



Figure 4.10. The same output as in Figure 4.9, but joined by plots of the other 156 output neurons during the same time period.

The recognition time alignment approach was described in Chapter III. The top three network outputs are recorded for every window position during recognition. The lexical analyzer then sorts out which output peaks to believe. The training problem is actually more challenging. The TIMIT transcriptions are adequate during initial training. But small variations in time alignment apparently blur diphone features as the networks become more discriminating. Thus, recognition window alignment should be adjusted as carefully as possible prior to all weight changes. The following subsections describe three approaches to time alignment and the results obtained from each.

## a. Timit Transcription-Based Alignment

Network 17 in Table 4.3 was trained using only the TIMIT phonetic transcriptions to time align the recognition window. In dozens of comparisons, this method limited the neural networks to accuracy levels lower than those obtained with both of the other methods.

## b. Feedback-Based Alignment Started Early

Several dozen networks were first trained on an initial set (one example of each diphone) and then with feedback-based time alignment on the entire training set. Network 18 in Table 4.3 was trained in this manner. These networks converged to lower error levels than those trained with transcription-based alignment. However, they also exhibited more variability in recognition window offsets (from the transcription-based window position) than expected. Figure 4.11 is a histogram of test set recognition window offsets for a small network (44 diphones, 1320 training files, and 397 test files) trained with this method.



Figure 4.11. Offsets between recognition window center and transcription-based diphone position for a network trained with early feedback-based time alignment.

After training a number of networks using this method, one network proved slow to converge on the initial set. Thus, this network trained substantially longer (several hundred epochs) on one example of each diphone before feedback was used to time-align the entire training set. The resulting weights performed better on the test set and also exhibited less variability in feedback-based recognition window offsets. Apparently, after lengthier training on the initial set the network was better able to sense the "correct" recognition window position.

Figure 4.12 is a histogram of test set recognition window offsets for a network immediately after lengthy training on the medium data set's initial set (one example of each of 157 diphones). Figure 4.13 is a histogram of the same network's test set window offsets after training on the entire training set. These distributions are clearly tighter than in Figure 4.11. Because lengthier initial set training improved error performance, it is reasonable to expect even better performance from networks trained on the entire training set before relying on network feedback for recognition window alignment. The results of this approach are described in the next subsection.



Figure 4.12. Medium test set recognition window offsets for a network immediately after lengthy training on the medium data set's initial set (one example of each of 157 diphones)



Figure 4.13. Test set recognition window offsets (for the same network as in Figure 4.12) after training with feedback-based alignment on the full training set (and lengthier initial set training than in Figure 4.11). Note that the neural network usually preferred recognition window positions clustered around the position indicated in the phonetic transcription.

#### c. Feedback-Based Alignment After Training With Transcription

Networks 11, 12, and 19 in Table 4.3 were trained on the medium data set's initial set, followed by transcription-based time alignment on the entire training set. When test set errors appeared to have reached a minimum, training was completed with feedback-based alignment and the entire training set. As a precaution, recognition window offsets were also limited to plus or minus two window positions from the transcription-based position. This method resulted in the lowest error rate of all three methods used. Figures 4.14 and 4.15 also show that these networks exhibit less variability in window offsets, both before and after the use of feedback-based alignment.



Figure 4.14. Test set recognition window offsets after lengthy training on the full training set (but before training with feedback-based alignment). Note that the additional training has apparently improved the network's ability to determine when the diphone is properly aligned with the recognition window.



Figure 4.15. Test set offsets after training with feedback-based alignment. Note that the network still favors positions near the transcription position, even after being given the freedom to deviate.

Figure 4.16 is a plot of test set errors for Network 1. Note the sharp drop in errors when feedback-based alignment began (epoch 196). Feedback-based offsets are recomputed every five epochs. So one would expect the quality of the network's feedback to improve as training progresses. Although it is difficult to determine all of the mechanisms involved, the error rate does continue to improve for some time after feedback-based time alignment commences.



Figure 4.16. Test set error percentage for Network 1 in Table 4.3. Note the sharp drop in errors when feedback-based alignment began at epoch 196.

#### 12. Short-Time Power Versus RMS Amplitude

As discussed in Chapter III, the input feature surface was initially designed with one column devoted to short time power. Figure 4.17 shows plots of short time power for 5 examples of the **T-IY** diphone. Note that one of the plots is an outlier. Apparently, that speaker was louder than most of the other speakers. Unfortunately, the squaring operation used to arrive at short-time power accentuated the differences between the outlier's waveform and the other

signals. Figure 4.18 shows the same signals converted to RMS amplitude. Note that the outlier is much less prominent in the second figure.



Figure 4.17. Short time power for 5 examples of the **T-IY** diphone. Note that one of the plots is an outlier. The outlier's differences are accentuated by the squaring operation.



Figure 4.18. RMS amplitude for the same 5 diphone samples as in Figure 4.17. Note that the outlier's differences are now less extreme.

Judging from several comparisons, including Networks 1 and 19 in Table 4.3, RMS amplitude is indeed a better feature to use in diphone recognition than short-time power. This is consistent with observations by Hamming [Ref. 29] that  $L_1$  measures are often more useful in perceptual matters than  $L_2$  measures.

#### D. WORD RECOGNITION RESULTS

Figure 4.19 shows a plot of all 157 outputs from Network 1 (Table 4.3) when presented with a speech sample containing the word "cleaned." Some of the output spikes are, of course, from diphone recognizors properly triggered by this word. The other spikes are noise from false neuron activations. Figure 4.20 shows a contour plot of only the relevant diphone detector outputs. Note that it is possible to visually construct the correct word from the peaks in this figure.



Figure 4.19. A plot of all 157 outputs from Network 1 (Table 4.3) when presented with a speech sample containing the word "cleaned."



Figure 4.20. A contour plot of only the relevant diphone detector outputs from Figure 4.19. A diagonal from the upper left to lower right corners roughly connects the output peaks for the word "cleaned."

Figure 4.21 shows the corresponding text output from the diphone detector (RECOGNIZ.M in Appendix A). As discussed in Chapter III, only the three strongest outputs are passed to the LISP lexical analyzer.

Finally, Figure 4.22 shows a portion of the output from the LISP lexical analyzer. Notice that the correct word was detected in the diphone stream. The syntactic and semantic analyzers would be expected, in a continuous speech recognition system, to select from the candidate words nominated by the lexical analyzer.

Using the 157 diphones selected for the medium and large data sets, 3070 of the 110,935 entries in the Carnegie Mellon lexicon (version 0.3 dated 9-7-94) can be constructed. The same diphones allow a vocabulary of 340 out of the 6224 entries in the TIMIT lexicon. Of these, 1977 samples of 120 words could be found in the SX test set sentences. Unfortunately, these 120 words did not include uniform coverage of the 157 diphones in the Medium and Large data sets. For example, the word "the" alone accounted for 409 of the 1171 in-vocabulary speech samples. Thus, the word recognition statistics presented in Table 4.5 do not necessarily indicate accuracy levels achievable on more uniform samples.

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((495	9 (R IY	) 0.067	056) (49	959 (L IY	) 0.0	)14768	) (4959	(K R	) 0.0	07128))
((513	0 (L IY	) 0.153	<b>800) (5</b> 1	30 (IX Z	2 <b>)0.</b> 1	134072	) (5130	(IX N	) 0.0	)37814))
((530	1 (AX N	[) 0.43	8422) (5	301 (N I	Y)0	.02583	1) (530	1 (DH	IY)	0.003564))
((547	2 (AX N	[ ) 0.32	4274) (5	472 (D I	H)0	.02901	3) (547)	2 (L El	H)O	.018131))
((564	3 (N IH	) 0.073	388) (56	643 (AXI	(Z)	0.0180	55) (564	13 (N I	)))	.016444))
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((615	6 (IX M	) 0.354	1304) (6	156 (IH 1	NG)(	).09282	21) (615	6 (N I	X)(	).091743))
((632	7 (IH N	G) 0.20	3180) (6	6327 (S A	X)(	0.04379	99) (632	27 (EY	N )	0.038053))
((649	8 (EY N	) 0.02	1970) (6	498 (IY I	N) 0.	01339	4) (6498	3 (IX 1	)).	006094))
((666	9 (IY N	) 0.146	805) (66	669 (AE I	M)0	.11474	5) (666	9 (IX 1	0 (` N	.029980))
((684	0 (AX V	) 0.18	0183) (6	840 (AE	M )	0.0134	60) (684	40 (R I	H )(	).011701))
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((735	3 (K R	) 0.137	409) (73	53 (N D	) 0.1	22368	(7353	N DH	Ú) 0.	104988))
(752	4 (N D	) 0.323	681) (75	24 (M P	) 0.2	77733	(7524	NT	) 0.1	45333))
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((786	6 (R AE	) 0.060	)286) (7	866 (N S	) 0.0	)49713	) (7866	(ÌX I	<b>)</b> )))	029375))
((803	7 (K S	) 0.0179	934) (80)	37 (N S	) 0.0	12144)	(8037 (	AXR 2	Z)0.	007918))
((820	8 (AXR	Z) 0.23	3987) (8	3208 (AX	(N)	0.0098	79) (82	08 (K	W)	0.008760))
((837)	9 (AXR	Z)0.01	6868) (	3379 (IX	T)(	.00946	5) (837	9 (D E	X)0	.003793))
((855	0 (IY IX	) 0.001	285) (85	550 (R A.	A ) O	.00076	5) (8550	) (W Г	Y)0	.000573))
((872	1 (JH IX	C) <b>0.05</b> 1	.646) (81	721 (IY S	。) 0.0	)44583	) (8721	(THX	() 0.	006520))
((889)	2 (JH IX	.) 0.215	6402) (88	892 (D H	X )0	.03495	6) (889)	2 (IY S	5)0.	024411))
((906	3 (K AE	) 0.123	3909) (9	063 (IX 1	N) ().	106962	2) (9063	3 (IH Z	) 0.	065737))
((923	4 (IX Z	) 0.290	279) (92	34 (IH Z	) 0.0	11543)	(9234)	(Z AX	) 0.0	)06819))
((940	5 (IX Z	) 0.978	204) (94	05 (AX \	V) 0.	03842	7) (9405	5 (IH Z	) 0.	005301))
((957)	6 (SH I)	.) 0.230	5237) (9	576 (IX \	V)0.	05820	J) (9576	AX	V)(	.020296))
((974	7 (S T	) 0.1090	34) (974	17 (K T	) 0.0:	6291)	(9747 (	SH IX	) 0.0	34269))
((991)	8 (AX L	) 0.075	5804) (9	918 (IY 1	<u>v)</u> 0.	008476	5) (9918	3 (Z IX	) 0.0	006940))
((100	89 (D H	X) 0.1	18372) (	10089 (1	EH	) 0.112	912) (1	0089 (	S HX	) 0.030426
							<b>.</b>			
((106	02 (ZH	K) 0.33	80007) (	10602 (S	AH	) 0.132	011) (10	0602 (1	D R	) 0.089018)

Figure 4.21. Output from all 157 diphone detectors for the speech sample plotted in Figures 4.19 and 4.20. Only the three strongest outputs for each time step are included in the output (and passed to the LISP lexical analyzer), with one output line per time step. The diphone outputs used by the lexical analyzer to build the word "cleaned" are in bold type. Each diphone output consists of the sample number where the diphone was detected, the diphone name, and the numerical output of the neuron (used as a measure of confidence by the lexical analyzer). The "word\_is" and "word\_end" labels at the beginning and end of the stream are used to capture error statistics, not for recognition.
[ WORD RECOGNIZ	20K OUTPUT J
(word_is cleaned)	
((171 7182) ROCK 0.253995)	
 ((4617 9063) WICK 0.057184998)	
((4617 9063) QUICK 0.057184998)	
((4788 7182) RAY 0.3513035)	
((4788 10602) PHRASE 0.34420466)	
((4788 7524) RIM 0.32823732)	
((4788 5985) CLING 0.326786)	
((4788 8892) RIDGE 0.30746034)	
((4788 10089) READ~V, PRES 0.29356867)	
((4788 10602) RACE 0.278206)	
((4788 9747) WRIST 0.27200434)	
((4788 10089) RATE 0.27183965)	
((4788 7695) CLEAN 0.26777232)	
((4788 10431) REAL 0.25929865)	
((4788 9747) RAKED 0.252966)	
((4788 10431) RAIL 0.23938966)	
((4788 10089) CLEANED 0.23042224)	<ul> <li>Correct word ranked 14th among words with same start tim</li> </ul>
((4788 7695) SCREEN 0.21856575)	
((4788 10089) AFRAID 0.20774475)	
((4788 10602) CLEANS 0.171402)	
((4788 10602) LAMB~S 0.16658266)	
((4788 10602) CLAMS 0.16658266)	
((4788 7524) RIM 0.16404)	
((4788 7524) LAMP 0.149158)	
((4788 7524) CLAMP 0.149158)	
((4788 8208) CLEANERS 0.14739701)	
 ((4959 6669) THREE 0.07462034)	
((4959 6669) TREE 0.07462034)	
((5130 10602) EASE 0.24190348)	
((5130 7695) CLEANED 0.2262815)	<- Same instance of word, but built starting at 2nd diphone
((5130 7182) KNICK- 0.16763067)	,
((5130 10602) CLEANS 0.160153)	
((5130 8208) CLEANERS 0.136148)	
((5130 10089) LEAD 0.136086)	
[ DEBUGGING OUT	PUT J
(CLEANED ((4/88 (K L) 0.054996)	<- Correct word built starting from K-L diphone
(5130 (L IY) 0.1538)	
(7095 (N D) 0.594521)	
(10089 (D HX) 0.118372))	
0.23042224)	
(CLEANED ((-1 (K L) 0.01)	<- Dummy diphone inserted by lexical analyzer
(5130 (L IY) 0.1538)	<- This word instance constructed by starting search from L-IY
(0009 (1Y N) U.146805)	
(7095 (N D) 0.594521))	

Figure 4.22. Output stream from the lexical analyzer for the speech sample of Figures 4.19 through 4.21. Each word candidate is listed with its start sample number and overall confidence value (average of its diphone confidence values. A more detailed output format (for debugging) is listed at the bottom. Note the large number of rhyming words and word fragments detected. Note also that the analyzer was able to detect the correct word even without the first diphone.

DESCRIPTION	OF THOSE DETECTED	OVERALL
Percentage of time correct word was in lexical analyzer's output stream	-	85.0%
Correct word ranked first of word candidates with same start time	41.6%	35.4%
Correct word ranked among top 3 word candidates with same start time	60.0%	51.0%
Correct word ranked among top 6 word candidates with same start time	74.0%	62.9%

Table 4.5. Summary of Word Recognition Statistics Using Network 1 from Table 4.3

The neural network and lexical analyzer were deliberately presented with speech segments that started before and ended after the word being tested. Thus, the neural network and lexical analyzer achieved the results of Table 4.5 on what amounts to continuous speech. Also, the word recognition tests were conducted before (by about two percent) Network 1 reached the error minimum listed in Table 4.3. So slightly higher scores might be achievable, even with the limitations of the word test set.

As mentioned in the table's description column, the accuracy rates in Table 4.5 are for all word candidates with starting sample numbers that match the correct word's starting sample number. In many cases, the correct word was both globally and locally the strongest candidate nominated by the lexical analyzer. In other cases, the correct word had a high ranking locally (among word candidates with the same start time) but other words ranked higher globally. In the latter case, it would be up to the syntactic and semantic analyzers to properly segment the sentence and select the appropriate word candidates. On the average, the 85 percent of the correct words that were detected were ranked number 5.44 among words with the same starting time.

Appendix G contains a more detailed list of the word recognition results summarized in Table 4.5. It is interesting to look at both the successes and failures of the lexical analyzer. Although no detailed analysis has yet been made of the errors, some samples have been listed in Table 4.6, along with comments as appropriate.

Further details on the lexical analysis algorithm are available in the source code comments in Appendix C. Finally, Chapter VI includes recommendations on how the word recognition rates of Table 4.5 might be improved.

CORRECT WORD	LOCAL RANK	GLOBAL RANK	LOCAL WINNER	GLOBAL WINNER	REMARKS
fish	1	1	fish	fish	first 4 are local and global winners
of	1	1	of	of	
by	1	1	buy	buy	no attempt to resolve homonyms
may	1	1	may	may	
frantically	1	20	frantically	leaf	local best but not global
in	1	7	in	the	"the" is next word in sentence
of	1	384	of	am	
run	1	230	run	may	
leap	1	7	leap	knee	
candy	1	6	candy	tea	
quick	1	16	quick	wick	"wick" portion of word stronger
made	9	28	may	may	"may" part stronger
my	3	3	mind	mind	"my" part real, rest is fiction
money	4	18	my	knee	"knee" part stronger
are	7	482	art	in	next word starts with a stop
intelligence	7	274	intent	ten	more confident in first part
in	8	20	dim	dim	nasals are hard to tell apart
become	N/A	N/A	BE	BE	missed last part of word
hard	N/A	N/A	ARE	ARE	missed first part of word

Table 4.6. Sample Word Recognition Results

# E. ANALYSIS OF REMAINING ERRORS

As with word recognition errors, no detailed analysis has yet been conducted of remaining diphone recognition errors. However, Figure 4.23 shows that these errors are at least fairly uniformly distributed among diphones. Again, Chapter VI offers recommendations on how the remaining errors might be reduced.

## F. SUMMARY

The results reported in this chapter are encouraging. The next chapter suggests what these results imply with respect to the basic research questions of this thesis.



Figure 4.23. Accuracy rates (top 3 metric) for 157 diphones of Network 1 in Table 4.3.

#### V. CONCLUSIONS

### A. INTRODUCTION

This chapter briefly summarizes major conclusions that may be drawn from the results of Chapter IV. In particular, the research questions listed in Chapter I are addressed.

### **B.** THE DIPHONE AS A RECOGNITION UNIT

The results reported in Chapter IV imply that the diphone is indeed a suitable recognition unit for speaker-independent continuous-speech recognition systems. As further evidence of their potential, Table 5.1 compares the performance of two diphone recognizors (from Tables 4.3 and 4.4) with two recent neural network-based phoneme recognition systems.

NETWORK	RECOGNITION	NUMBER OF OUTPUT CLASSES	TRAINING SET CORRECT	TRAINING TOP 3	TEST SET CORRECT	TEST SET TOP 3
[Ref. 23]	PHONEME	46	-	-	27.2%	55.6%
[Ref. 30]	PHONEME	47	58.5%	68%	52.3%	74%
Table 4.4	DIPHONE	44	100%	100%	71.5%	95.7%
Table 4.3	DIPHONE	157	98.2%	98.4%	70.2%	89.0%
* Estimated from Figure 2 in the reference						

Table 5.1. A Comparison of Recognition Rates for Several Phoneme and Diphone Recognizors.

The statistics in Table 5.1 suggest that the diphone is inherently easier to recognize from its acoustics properties than is the phoneme. Note particularly the contrast between the first three networks in the table. With nearly the same number of output classes, the diphone recognizor's accuracy rates are substantially higher in every category.

### C. FREQUENCY NORMALIZATION

Although more study is needed, this research suggests that pitch can serve as a basis for improving speaker independence through frequency normalization. Table 5.2 again shows the apparent impact of frequency normalization on several networks (from Table 4.3).

ID #	Data Set	Test Correct	Test Top 3	Train Correct	Train Top 3	Frequency Normalized	Time Alignment	RMS Amplitude	Window Width	Remarks
3	M30	54.5%	73.5%	87.2%	87.3%	NO	NO	NO	13	Compare w/4
4	M30	56.8%	80.3%	94.3%	94.4%	YES	NO	NO	13	Compare w/3
5	M30	52.0%	72.0%	84.7%	85.1%	NO	NO	NO	13	Compare w/8
8	M30	58.0%	79.0%	91.1%	91.1%	YES	NO	NO	13	Compare w/5
* The medium data set (30 examples of each diphone in training set) is indicated by M30. The large data se (100 examples of each diphone in training set) is labeled L100.										

Table 5.2. Comparison of Neural Networks With and Without Frequency Normalization

### D. TIME ALIGNMENT

Proper alignment of diphone feature vectors with the recognition window has proven to be absolutely critical. Because of the dynamic nature of diphones, an alignment error of just one recognition window position can drop the correct output from first place to the noise level. However, this research shows that neural network feedback can be used to improve alignment prior to weight adjustments. Specifically, the best results were obtained by training in three phases:

- Train on a single sample of each diphone until the average sum-squared error (total SSE divided by the number of input vectors) is on the order of  $10^{-3}$ .
- Train with the full training set and phonetic transcription-based alignment until test set errors reach a minimum.
- Resume training and use neural network feedback to position the training vectors in the recognition window. To avoid unreasonable window positions, the maximum offset from the transcription position should be constrained (plus or minus about 40 milliseconds seemed adequate).

During recognition, the sharp temporal selectivity of the trained network can actually be considered an advantage. This issue is discussed further in the next chapter.

#### E. TRANSLATION OF DIPHONES TO WORDS

This research implies that continuous-speech word recognition can be achieved using diphones as the recognition unit. Discrete utterances were not assumed in the algorithm described in Chapters III and IV. Yet that algorithm usually spotted the correct word in the neural network's output stream. Unfortunately, it also spotted words that were not present in the speech sample. This does not mean that the basic approach is unworkable. But it does mean that the syntactical and semantic analyzers will need to share some of the word recognition burden. Specifically, they will need to use syntactic and semantic knowledge to eliminate non-sensical words from the lexical analyzer's output stream. This may not be as difficult or unreasonable as it seems. After all, humans routinely use syntactic and semantic knowledge to compensate for poor acoustic signals. One factor that would help is the temporal information provided by the lexical analyzer. Once a word is recognized with some confidence, all word candidates overlapping that word in time can be eliminated from further consideration (unless, of course the system is forced to later reject that word and backtrack). The process can also be facilitated by the use of word segmentation algorithms such as those currently used by discrete speech recognition systems. This issue is discussed further in the next chapter.

## F. INPUT VECTOR DESIGN

No attempt was made to experiment with input vector alternatives other than length and frequency normalization. Since the input vector design used in this research was based largely on intuition, some aspects of that design may not be optimal. However, the results imply that it has some merit. In particular, the design probably benefited from the inclusion of RMS amplitude (rather than short-time power), frequency normalization of differenced cepstral coefficients, the use of critical bands, and a length of about 289 milliseconds.

#### G. NEURAL NETWORK TRAINING METHODS

It would be impossible to conduct research of this nature without drawing conclusions about which neural network training techniques work and which do not. The following comments summarize the key lessons learned:

• Use a single hidden layer unless there are very compelling reasons to use more.

• As a rough rule of thumb, the hidden layer can be started with about twice as many neurons as there are output classes. Neurons can then be pruned or added as needed. Of course, this suggestion is very specific to diphone recognition using the feature vector described in Chapter III.

• In any neural network classifications system, the feature vector should be carefully designed to eliminate frivolous and accentuate relevant features. This may require extensive preprocessing.

• Training should be conducted without noise first [Ref. 9].

• The larger the number of training exemplars, the better. The sequence of presentation should be randomized (although a single "shuffling" may suffice if the training set is large).

• Training exemplars should be evenly divided between output classes.

• The random seed should be set explicitly prior to weight initialization. This makes results repeatable and it allows for deliberate restarts from different points on the error surface.

• Weight changes should not be batched (at least not when training with diphones).

Momentum and an adaptive learning rate should be used [Ref. 9].

• Use a separate test set (on every epoch) and stop training when test set errors reach a minimum.

# H. SUMMARY

While the conclusions offered in this chapter are encouraging, many questions remain. The next chapter will suggest avenues of research that may address some of those questions.

#### VI. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FURTHER RESEARCH

### A. INTRODUCTION

Previous chapters included remarks on a few of the areas where further diphone-related research is needed. For example, further study is needed to determine if the frequency normalization method introduced in Chapter IV can be improved on (perhaps by gathering data on other vowels). Also, both diphone and word recognition errors that remain should be studied in depth. If any trends are identified, they may inspire improvements to the neural network's feature vector design.

Two additional research areas seem promising enough to justify particular emphasis in this chapter. They are summarized in the next two sections.

### **B. MODULAR NEURAL NETWORKS**

As illustrated in Table 4.4, extremely high recognition rates can be achieved by neural networks trained to recognize up to about 50 diphones. Yet large vocabularies require over 1000 diphones. The accuracy levels achievable on 157 diphones are encouraging. However, *modular neural networks* may scale up better than the monolithic neural networks used in this research. Modular networks are discussed in depth in [Ref. 13]. The basic idea is to break the problem into smaller subproblems, each assigned to its own subnetwork. A top-level network then selects a winner from the outputs of the subnetworks.

Average duration might be a useful basis for partitioning the diphones. The recognition window length of each subnetwork could then be more closely matched to the lengths of the diphones to be recognized. Diphones could also be partitioned based on the first phoneme. This approach was used successfully in the two diphone recognizors of Table 4.4. In either case, the overall recognition rate should be quite good if the top-level network also performs well.

## C. LEXICAL ANALYZER IMPROVEMENTS

Unfortunately, time did not permit extensive experimentation with the lexical analyzer. In particular, improvements in two areas might increase word recognition accuracy. The first area is in the method used to compute the word *confidence level*. This is currently just the average of

the confidence levels (neural network output values) of the diphones used to build the word. This approach has several disadvantages:

- The lexical analyzer tends to favor pieces of words, if those pieces are themselves words and the pieces have higher average confidence values than the correct word. Both the complete word and its pieces will be in the output stream, but the syntactic and semantic analyzers will have to work harder to find the correct word if it is ranked lower.
- Short words can have their confidence values unduly influenced by one or two diphones. A single strong diphone can rocket the word to the top of the list.
   Similarly, a single weak diphone can bury the word at the bottom of the candidate list, or even cause it to be missed altogether.
- Words with only half of their diphones actually detected (every other diphone is sufficient for word detection) may score higher than words with every diphone detected (but a lower average confidence value). This is counter-intuitive.

Expert system developers face similar evidence weighting problems. Unfortunately, the uncertainty management methods typically applied to expert systems do not (at first glance) seem to fit this problem well.

The second area of the lexical analyzer that deserves scrutiny is related to the first. Other than rejecting diphones that appear in the stream unreasonably early or late, temporal information is not incorporated into the word confidence value calculations. It seems likely that the times between two given diphones would be normally distributed. Diphones which appear earlier or later than the expected time should, it seems, be penalized. Although it would add a small amount of complexity to the algorithm, doing so might greatly improve the lexical analyzer's discrimination.

### D. SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

Many questions remain unanswered. And the methods described in this thesis may require some adaptation before they can be applied to practical systems. But this research implies that

the diphone is indeed a promising recognition unit. Also, pitch-based frequency normalization and feedback-based time alignment appear to be potentially useful for speech recognition in general, and diphone recognition in particular. Hopefully, these techniques will bring the field a small step closer to the day when research can focus on the most serious challenges of speech recognition, semantic and pragmatic analysis.

### APPENDIX A. MATLAB CODE

### A. CONTENTS

### 1. TRNBPX.M

This is a script for training a neural network to recognize diphones. It requires a text file listing precomputed feature vectors (files) produced by MAKVECTS.M.

#### 2. RECOGNIZ.M

This script file produces a text file listing diphones detected in designated speech (.WAV) files. Output from this script is used by the lexical analyzer for word recognition.

#### **3. FEATURES.M**

This function returns a feature surface for a designated portion of a speech (.WAV) file. Used by MAKVECTS.M.

#### 4. FEATUREL.M

Same as FEATURES.M except the feature surfaces are for a word instead of a single diphone. Used by RECOGNIZ.M.

#### 5. TESTNET.M

This script produces a detailed report of test set errors for a given set of network weights.

#### 6. MAKVECTS.M

This script computes feature surfaces for a list of speech files. The speech file list must include a diphone name and sample numbers for each file. See Appendix B for the utilities used to produce that list.

### 7. INPUTS.M

This script obtains training parameters from the user before training the network. Invoked by TRNBPX.M.

### 8. P\_AMDF.M

This function returns the speaker's apparent pitch for a sample of speech. Uses the Average Magnitude Difference Function (AMDF).

#### 9. P\_CEPS.M

This function returns the speaker's apparent pitch for a sample of speech. Uses cepstral pitch detection.

#### **10. VECTORIZ.M**

This function is used by TRNBPX.M to convert a feature surface into a feature vector.

#### 11. DIPNUMOF.M

This function is used by TRNBPX.M to return an index number for a given diphone name.

#### 12. DIFF\_MAT.M

This function is used by MAKVECTS to compute the differenced version of a feature surface.

## 13. LD16BIT.M

This function (from the NPS SPC Toolbox) loads a PCM speech file.

### 14. LESSTHAN.M

This is a less than function for use in the binary search performed by DIPNUMOF.M.

### 15. STRCAT.M

This is a simple string concatenation function.

# B. TRNBPX.M

% TRNBPX - Trains a neural network to recognize diphones % % This code contains many patches and a great deal of scaffolding for the % purpose of trying out various training alternatives. Like most prototypes. % it should be thrown out and replaced with something cleaner and more % efficient. % % User defineable parameters are loaded from inputs.mat, if it exists. % Otherwise, INPUTS.M is invoked to obtain settings from the user. % Remove inputs.mat before invoking TRNBPX.M if you wish to change % settings from the previous run. % % The following text files must reside in the current directory: % % (1) A file listing the diphones to be recognized (one diphone % per line, a single space separating the phonemes of the diphone. % and all caps) % % (2) A file listing the training MAT files that were created % by MAKVECTS.M % % (3) [optionally] a file listing the test MAT files that were created % by MAKVECTS.M % % Written by: Major Mark Cantrell, USMC % % Modified 11 Feb 96 (new time alignment method) % 12 Feb 96 (trimmed fat to speed up code) % 26 Feb 96 (re-anchored ref set in middle of recog window) % 2 Mar 96 (Test files now use window center if time align off) % 7 Mar 96 (Fixed bug in binary search from 12 Feb changes) % 8 Mar 96 (Once again unleashed ref set) % 17 Apr 96 \* User inputs moved to INPUTS.M % \* Static file offsets optionally loaded from mat file % \* Randomness inserted in training file sequencing % 20 Apr 96 (Allowed test set time alignment based on max win offset) % 18 May 96 (Patched to use RMS Amplitude vice Short Time Power) % 13 Jun 96 (fixed inconsistencies in use of w1 versus new\_w1 and % b1 versus new\_b1 [same for w2 & b2]) % % % This prologue must be included in all copies of this software. % % This software is released to the Public Domain % % Note: % % Software released to the Public Domain is not subject % to copyright protection. % % The MathWorks, Inc. holds the copyright on the MATLAB % Neural Network Toolbox functions invoked by this script file.

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[hidden_size input_size] = size(w1);
win_width=input_size/30;
mid_pos = round((27-win_width)/2) + 1;
win_slack = 27-win_width+1;
win_scan_start = 14 - (round(win_width/2) + max_win_offset - 1);
win_scan_stop = win_scan_start + (2 * max_win_offset);
if win_scan_start < 1
win_scan_start = 1;
end
if win_scan stop > win slack
win_scan_stop = win_slack;
end
report_filename = 'nnreport.txt';
ste_start = 29*win_width+1; % part of STE patch
% LOAD THE LIST OF DIPHONES TO BE RECOGNIZED
num dips = 0;
dip_names = zeros(575,7);
if lfname==0
return
else
Ifpname=strcat(lpname.lfname):
list file = fopen(lfpname):
line read = ' ':
while (~feof(list_file)) & (length(line_read)>2) % for every diphones listed
 line_read = upper(fgetl(list_file));
 if length(line_read) > 2
  num_dips = num_dips + 1;
  dip_names(num_dips,:) = blanks(length(dip_names(num_dips,:)));
  dip_names(num_dips,1:length(line_read)) = line_read;
 end
end
fclose(list_file);
end
% open training file list
if mfname==0
return
end
mfpname=strcat(mpname,mfname);
% open test file list
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if sep_test_data == 1
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if tfname==0
return
end
tfpname=strcat(tpname,tfname);
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end

flops(0); % reset flop counter gigaflops = 0;

if (reset\_weights == 1) % randomize weights & reset epoch counter

flops(0); % reset counters gigaflops = 0;

epoch\_count = 1;

best_correct = 0;	% used to determine when a set of wts
best_wayoff = inf;	% is best so far
best_SSE = inf;	

SSE\_record = zeros(1,1);
t\_SSE\_record = zeros(1,1);

disp(strcat('Initializing the neural network for output layer size of ',num2str(num\_dips)));

input\_limits = ones(win\_width\*30,2); % input vector is win\_width\*30 inputs input\_limits(1:win\_width\*29,1) = -10 \* input\_limits(1:win\_width\*29,1); % freq mins input\_limits(1:win\_width\*29,2) = 10 \* input\_limits(1:win\_width\*29,2); % freq maxs input\_limits(win\_width\*29+1:win\_width\*30,1) = -30 \* input\_limits(win\_width\*29+1:win\_width\*30,1); % freq mins input\_limits(win\_width\*29+1:win\_width\*30,2) = 30 \* input\_limits(win\_width\*29+1:win\_width\*30,2); % freq maxs

[w1,b1,w2,b2] = initff(input\_limits,hidden\_size,'logsig',num\_dips,'logsig');

else % resuming with same weights so use same epoch count & record

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epoch_count = epoch_count + 1;
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end

df1 = feval(f1,'delta'); df2 = feval(f2,'delta');

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dw1 = w1*0;
db1 = b1*0;
dw2 = w2*0;
db2 = b2*0;
MC = 0:
last_SSE = inf;
new_w1 = w1:
new_b1 = b1;
new_w^2 = w^2;
new_b2 = b2;
                              % write header to report file
report_file = fopen(report_filename,'at+');
fprintf(report_file,'%s\n','-----
                                             .-----');
fprintf(report_file,'%s%s%s\n\n','NNET TRAINING RECORD Ver. ',revision','
(Epochs,SSEs,#Correct,#MoreThan3off)');
fprintf(report_file,'%s\n',remarks);
fprintf(report file,'%s\n',remarks2);
fprintf(report_file,'win_width = %d, max_offset = %d, seed = %d\n',win_width,max_win_offset,seed);
fprintf(report_file,'%s/%s: Hidden = %d, Num_Dips = %d, mc = %f, er =
%f\n\n',f1,f2,hidden_size,num_dips,mc,er);
tv = fix(clock);
time_stamp = strcat('Start Time = ',num2str(tv(1)));
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,'/);
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,num2str(tv(2)));
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,'/');
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,num2str(tv(3)));
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,' ');
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,num2str(tv(4)));
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,':');
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,num2str(tv(5)));
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,':');
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,num2str(tv(6)));
fprintf(report_file,'%s\n',time_stamp);
fclose(report_file);
if (time_align == 1) & (static_offsets == 1)
 load(offname):
else
 train_offsets = zeros(num_dips,1); % for recording recognition window offsets
end
test_offsets = zeros(1,1);
if single_instance_only == 1
 ref_dips = zeros(1,1);
end
pass_num = 1;
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for epoch\_count = epoch\_count:me % epoch loop (one pass through training list)

% for 2nd & subsequent passes through training files. % generate a random integer for each training file to % allow shuffling of presentation sequence (see comments % below) if pass\_num > 1 rand\_array = round(10\*rand(1,length(train\_offsets)));  $max_draws = 10;$ else max\_draws = 0; % no shuffling on 1st pass through files end tv = fix(clock);disp(strcat(num2str(epoch\_count),' ------[TRAINING]------')); disp(tv); correct = 0;wrong\_by\_alot = 0; SSE = 0;dip\_record = zeros(num\_dips.3); % for each dip in a pass: # seen, # correct, # way off num found = 0: mat\_list\_file = fopen(mfpname); for dip\_set = 0:max\_draws % make max\_draws+1 passes thru files, only training on % a file when rand\_array(file\_num) == dip\_set. % This results in shuffling sequence of training % file presentations each epoch. On 1st epoch, all % files are presented in file list sequence and in % a single pass through the file list. line\_read = ' '; dip\_name = blanks(7); file\_num = 0; % training file loop while (~feof(mat\_list\_file)) & (length(line\_read)>0) % for every MAT file line\_read = (fgetl(mat\_list\_file));

file\_num = file\_num + 1;

% if line not blank & this file's number is up (or 1st pass thru files)

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if (pass_num > 1) & (length(line_read) > 2)
  if (rand_array(file_num) == dip_set)
   file enable = 1;
  else
   file_enable = 0;
  end
 else
  file_enable = 1;
  if length(train_offsets) < file_num
   train_offsets(file_num,1) = mid_pos;
  end
 end
 if file_enable == 1
  if (length(line_read) > 2)
   load nice.txt -ascii:
   niceness=nice;
                          %sleep for niceness seconds if during work hours
   tv = fix(clock);
   if (niceness > 0) & (tv(4) > nice_start) & (tv(4) < nice_stop)
       pause(niceness);
   end
   filename = line_read;
                            % used to load file
% pick out diphone name from filename
dot_loc=findstr(filename,'.');
   if dot_loc>0
     dip_str=filename(1:dot_loc-1);
     j = length(dip_str);
     while (dip_str(j) \ge 0') \& (dip_str(j) \le 9')
      j=j-1;
     end
     i = j;
     while (dip_str(i) ~= '/') & (dip_str(i) ~= '\') & (i > 1)
      i=i-1:
     end
     if i > 1
      i = i + 1;
     end
     dip_name = blanks(7);
     dip_name(1:j-i+1) = upper(dip_str(i:j));
     for i = 1:length(dip_name)
                                   % get rid of hyphen
      if dip_name(i) == '-'
       dip_name(i) = ' ';
       break;
      end
     end
   else
     error(strcat('Bad MAT filename: ',filename));
   end
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elseif length(line_read) < 3
  break:
             % bail out of eof loop if line blank
 end
% determine target output vector
% note that dipnames file MUST be alpha sorted & pound ('#') signs replaced by 'X' !!!
% use bin search to find dip's column number
 dip_num = dipnumof(dip_name,dip_names(1:num_dips,:));
 if strcmp(dip_names(dip_num,:),dip_name) ~= 1
  error(strcat('Is dip list sorted & are #s replaced by Xs? Unable to find '.dip name)):
 end
             % target vector is all zeroes except a 1 at correct dip col
 t = zeros(num_dips,1);
 t(dip_num) = 1;
% if training on full set or this is first example of this diphone, load MAT file
if pass_num > 1
  if ref_dips(file_num,1) > 0
   ref_dip = 1;
  else
   ref_dip = 0;
  end
 else
  if dip_record(dip_num, 1) < 1
   ref_dip = 1;
   ref_dips(file_num,1) = 1;
  else
   ref_dip = 0;
   ref_dips(file_num, 1) = 0;
  end
 end
 if (single_instance_only == 0) | (ref_dip == 1)
             % load mat file
 load(filename,'-mat'):
 % if this is first pass or (or every fifth pass) thru the files...
 if (pass_num == 1) | (round(pass_num/5) == (pass_num/5))
   % ... and not time aligning
```

if (time\_align == 0)

train\_offsets(file\_num,1) = mid\_pos; % center recognition window per timit transcription
win\_pos = mid\_pos;
best\_pos = mid\_pos;
win\_pos = mid\_pos;

% sequence each column from matrix into vector p = vectoriz(feature\_surf\_a,win\_width,win\_pos);

ste=p(ste\_start:input\_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
p(ste\_start:input\_size)=sign(ste).\*sqrt(abs(ste));

win\_pos = train\_offsets(file\_num,1); % center recognition window per offsets file best\_pos = win\_pos;

% sequence each column from matrix into vector

```
if win_pos < (win_slack+1)
    p = vectoriz(feature_surf_a,win_width,win_pos);
    ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
    p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
else
    win_pos = win_pos - win_slack;
    p = vectoriz(feature_surf_b,win_width,win_pos);
    ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
    p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
end</pre>
```

else

best\_out = -inf; best\_pos = 0; best\_rank = num\_dips;

% look for best window pos in vector a for win\_pos = win\_scan\_start:win\_scan\_stop

```
% sequence each column from matrix into vector
p = vectoriz(feature_surf_a,win_width,win_pos);
ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
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if batch == 1
    a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
    a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
else
    a1 = feval(f1,new_w1*p,new_b1);
    a2 = feval(f2,new_w2*a1,new_b2);
end
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a2 copy = a2;
 [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
 a2 copy(max pos) = 0;
 test_wrong_by = 0;
 sum_winners = 0;
 while max_pos ~= dip_num
  sum_winners = sum_winners + a2_copy(max_pos);
  [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
  a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
  test_wrong_by = test_wrong_by +1;
 end
 if (test_wrong_by < best_rank)
  best_rank = test_wrong_by;
  best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
  best_pos = win_pos;
  best_p = p;
 elseif (test_wrong_by == best_rank)&((a2(dip_num) - sum_winners) > best_out)
  best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
  best_pos = win_pos;
  best_p = p;
 end
end
                      % look for best window pos in vector b
for win_pos = win_scan_start:win_scan_stop
                                         % sequence each column from matrix into vector
 p = vectoriz(feature_surf_b,win_width,win_pos);
 ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
 p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
 if batch == 1
  a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
  a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
 else
  a1 = feval(f1,new_w1*p,new_b1);
  a2 = feval(f2,new_w2*a1,new_b2);
 end
 a2 copy = a2;
 [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
 a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
 test_wrong_by = 0;
 sum_winners = 0;
 while max_pos ~= dip_num
  sum_winners = sum_winners + a2_copy(max_pos);
  [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
  a2\_copy(max\_pos) = 0;
  test_wrong_by = test_wrong_by +1;
 end
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```
if (test_wrong_by < best_rank)
best_rank = test_wrong_by;
best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
best_pos = win_pos + win_slack;
best_p = p;
elseif (test_wrong_by == best_rank)&((a2(dip_num) - sum_winners) > best_out)
best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
best_pos = win_pos + win_slack;
best_p = p;
end
```

end

```
train_offsets(file_num,1) = best_pos; % remember this window pos for next epoch
p = best_p;
```

end

else

win\_pos = train\_offsets(file\_num); best\_pos = win\_pos; if win\_pos < (win\_slack+1)

```
% sequence each column from matrix into vector
p = vectoriz(feature_surf_a,win_width,win_pos);
ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
```

else

win\_pos = win\_pos - win\_slack;

% sequence each column from matrix into vector p = vectoriz(feature\_surf\_b,win\_width,win\_pos); ste=p(ste\_start:input\_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude p(ste\_start:input\_size)=sign(ste).\*sqrt(abs(ste));

end

end

```
if batch == 1
    a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
    a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
else
    a1 = feval(f1,new_w1*p,new_b1);
    a2 = feval(f2,new_w2*a1,new_b2);
end
e = t - a2;
str = ' ';
```

```
% record whether NNET output was correct or way off
[max_val max_pos] = max(a2);
if (dip record(dip num, 1) < 1)
  num_found = num_found + 1;
end
dip record(dip num, 1) = dip record(dip num, 1) + 1;
if max_pos ~= dip_num
  a2_copy = a2;
  a2 copy(max pos) = 0;
 wrong_by = 0;
 while max_pos ~= dip_num
  [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
  a2 copy(max pos) = 0;
  wrong by = wrong by +1;
  end
 str = strcat(strcat(strcat(str,' (wrong by '),num2str(wrong_by)),')');
 if wrong by > 2
  wrong_by_alot = wrong_by_alot+1;
  dip_record(dip_num,3) = dip_record(dip_num,3) + 1;
 end
else
 correct = correct+1;
 dip_record(dip_num,2) = dip_record(dip_num,2) + 1;
end
% BACKPROPAGATION - Call approp delta function
d2 = feval(df2,a2,e);
if batch == 1
 d1 = feval(df1,a1,d2,w2);
else
 d1 = feval(df1,a1,d2,new_w2);
end
% LEARNING - Use backprop to find weight changes
[dw1,db1] = learnbpm(p,d1,lr,MC,dw1,db1);
[dw2,db2] = learnbpm(a1,d2,lr,MC,dw2,db2);
new_w1 = new_w1 + dw1;
                   % adjust temp wts & bias's
new_b1 = new_b1 + db1;
new_w^2 = new_w^2 + dw^2;
new_b2 = new_b2 + db2;
                  % Determine effect of new weights on SSE
if batch == 1
 a1 = feval(f1,new_w1*p,new_b1);
```

```
a2 = feval(f2,new_w2*a1,new_b2);
```

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e = t - a2;
end
```

SSE = SSE + sumsqr(e);

end % end of "if single instance..."

```
if (num_found === num_dips) & (single_instance_only == 1)
    if (pass_num > 1)
        break;
    end
end
```

end

end

frewind(mat\_list\_file);

end % end of file shuffling loop
fclose(mat\_list\_file);

MC = mc;

if (single\_instance\_only == 0) & (sep\_test\_data == 1)

disp(strcat(num2str(correct),strcat(' correct and ',strcat(num2str(wrong\_by\_alot),' way off'))));

disp(strcat(num2str(epoch\_count),' -----[TESTING]------')); disp(fix(clock));

test\_file = fopen(tfpname);

```
line_read = ' ';
dip_name = blanks(7);
test_file_num = 0;
test_SSE = 0;
test_correct = 0;
test_wrong_by_alot = 0;
test_dip_record = zeros(num_dips,3); % for each dip in last pass: # seen, # correct, # way off
```

```
while (~feof(test_file)) & (length(line_read)>0) % for every test file
line_read = (fgetl(test_file));
if length(line_read) > 2
```

load nice.txt -ascii; niceness=nice;

%sleep for niceness seconds if during work hours

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tv = fix(clock);
if (niceness > 0) & (tv(4) > nice_start) & (tv(4) < nice_stop)
    pause(niceness);
end
```

filename = line\_read; % used to load file test\_file\_num = test\_file\_num + 1;

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dot_loc=findstr(filename,'.');
   if dot_loc>0
    dip_str=filename(1:dot_loc-1);
    j = length(dip_str);
    while (dip_str(j) \ge 0') \& (dip_str(j) \le 9')
     j=j-1;
    end
    i = i
    while (dip_str(i) \sim = '/') \& (dip_str(i) \sim = '\') \& (i > 1)
     i=i-1:
    end
    if i > 1
     i = i + 1;
    end
    dip_name = blanks(7);
    dip_name(1:j-i+1) = upper(dip_str(i:j));
    for i = 1:length(dip_name)
                                         % get rid of hyphen
     if dip_name(i) == '-'
       dip_name(i) = ' ';
       break;
     end
    end
  else
    error(strcat('Bad TEST filename: ',filename));
  end
else
  break;
                       % bail out of eof loop if line blank
```

```
end
```

% determine target output vector % note that dipnames file MUST be alpha sorted & pound ('#') signs replaced by 'X' !!! % use bin search to find dip's column number dip\_num = dipnumof(dip\_name,dip\_names(1:num\_dips,:)); if strcmp(dip\_names(dip\_num,:),dip\_name) ~= 1 error(strcat('Is dip list sorted & are #s replaced by Xs? Unable to find ',dip\_name)); end % target vector is all zeroes except a 1 at correct dip col  $t = zeros(num_dips, 1);$  $t(dip_num) = 1;$ % load test MAT file load(filename, '-mat'); % use NNET feedback to time align input vectors best\_out = -inf; best pos = 0;best\_rank = num\_dips; % look for best window pos in vector a for win\_pos = win\_scan\_start:win\_scan\_stop % sequence each column from matrix into vector p = vectoriz(feature\_surf\_a,win\_width,win\_pos); ste=p(ste\_start:input\_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude p(ste\_start:input\_size)=sign(ste).\*sqrt(abs(ste)); a1 = feval(f1,w1\*p,b1);a2 = feval(f2,w2\*a1,b2); $a2_copy = a2;$ [max\_val max\_pos] = max(a2\_copy);  $a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;$  $test_wrong_by = 0;$ sum winners = 0; while max\_pos ~= dip\_num sum\_winners = sum\_winners + a2\_copy(max\_pos); [max\_val max\_pos] = max(a2\_copy);  $a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;$ test\_wrong\_by = test\_wrong\_by +1; end if (test\_wrong\_by < best\_rank) 121

```
best_rank = test_wrong_by;
best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
best_pos = win_pos;
best_p = p;
elseif (test_wrong_by == best_rank)&((a2(dip_num) - sum_winners) > best_out)
best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
best_pos = win_pos;
best_p = p;
end
```

end

% look for best window pos in vector b for win\_pos = win\_scan\_start:win\_scan\_stop

```
% sequence each column from matrix into vector
p = vectoriz(feature_surf_b,win_width,win_pos);
ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
```

```
a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
```

```
a2_copy = a2;
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```
[max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
```

```
a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
test_wrong_by = 0;
sum_winners = 0;
while max_pos ~= dip_num
sum_winners = sum_winners + a2_copy(max_pos);
[max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
test_wrong_by = test_wrong_by +1;
end
```

```
if (test_wrong_by < best_rank)
    best_rank = test_wrong_by;
    best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
    best_pos = win_pos + win_slack;
    best_p = p;
elseif (test_wrong_by == best_rank)&((a2(dip_num) - sum_winners) > best_out)
    best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
    best_pos = win_pos + win_slack;
    best_p = p;
end
```

end

```
test_offsets(test_file_num,1) = best_pos; % save window ofset for next epoch
p = best_p;
```

```
a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
e = t - a2;
test_SSE = test_SSE + sumsqr(e);
```

str = ' ';

```
% record whether NNET output was correct or way off
[max_val max_pos] = max(a2);
test_dip_record(dip_num,1) = test_dip_record(dip_num,1) + 1;
if max pos ~= dip num
  a2_copy = a2;
  a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
  test_wrong_by = 0;
  while max_pos ~= dip_num
  [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
  a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
  test_wrong_by = test_wrong_by +1;
  end
  str = strcat(strcat(strcat(str,' (wrong by '),num2str(test_wrong_by)),')');
  if test wrong bv > 2
  test_wrong_by_alot = test_wrong_by_alot+1;
  test_dip_record(dip_num,3) = test_dip_record(dip_num,3) + 1;
  end
else
  test_correct = test_correct+1;
  test_dip_record(dip_num,2) = test_dip_record(dip_num,2) + 1;
end
```

end

fclose(test\_file);

end % end of "if sep\_test\_data..."

```
if (single_instance_only==1)
SSE_record(epoch_count) = SSE/num_dips;
else
SSE_record(epoch_count) = SSE/file_num;
end
```

```
disp(strcat('* SSE went from ',num2str(last_SSE)));
 disp(strcat('*
               to '.num2str(SSE))):
 disp(strcat('* change was ',num2str(SSE-last_SSE)));
 disp(strcat(num2str(correct),strcat(' trng vects OK & ',strcat(num2str(wrong_by_alot),' way off'))));
 if (sep_test_data == 1)
 t_SSE_record(epoch_count) = test_SSE/test_file_num;
  disp(strcat(num2str(test_correct),strcat(' test vectors OK & ',strcat(num2str(test_wrong_by_alot),' way
off'))));
 end
% save weights if this is best result so far
if (single_instance_only==0)
 if sep test data == 0
  test_correct = correct;
  test_wrong_by_alot = wrong_by_alot;
 end
 if (test_wrong_by_alot < best_wayoff)I((test_wrong_by_alot == best_wayoff) & (test_correct >
best_correct))
  efname = 'bestwts';
  eval(['save ' efname ]); % save best wts
  best_wayoff = test_wrong_by_alot;
  best_correct = test_correct;
 end
 if test SSE < best SSE
  efname = 'bestsse':
  eval(['save ' efname ]); % save best sse wts
  best SSE = test SSE:
 end
end
% momentum & adaptive learning rate phases
if SSE > last_SSE * er
  Ir = Ir * dm:
  MC = 0:
  new_w1 = w1;
  new_b1 = b1;
  new_w2 = w2;
  new_b2 = b2;
```

disp('\* Error increased. Rejecting weight changes & decreasing learning rate.'); str = '\*\*\*';

else

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str = '-';
```

end

```
% record epoch stats in report file
report_file = fopen(report_filename, 'at+');
fprintf(report_file, '%d, TRAIN, %f, %d, %d, ', epoch_count, SSE, correct, wrong by alot);
if sep_test_data== 1
 fprintf(report_file,' TEST,%f,%d,%d, %s\n',test_SSE,test_correct,test_wrong_by_alot.str);
else
 fprintf(report_file,' %s\n',str);
end
fclose(report_file);
% break out of for loop if error goal reached
if (single_instance_only ==0) & (SSE < (eg * file_num))
 break;
elseif SSE < (eg * num_dips)
 break;
end
% increment pass counter & prevent flop counter overflow
pass_num = pass_num + 1;
flop_count = flops; % prevent flop counter overflow
if flop_count >= 1e9
 gigaflops = gigaflops + (flop_count/(1e9));
 flops(0);
end
save lastwts;
end
```

disp('-----');

save finalwts; % save final state (including final wts & bias')

% Display final results if (single\_instance\_only ==0) & (SSE < (eg \* file\_num)) str = 'Error goal reached! Final SSE:'; elseif (single\_instance\_only ==1) & (SSE < (eg \* num\_dips)) str = 'Error goal reached! Final SSE:'; else str = 'Error goal not reached! Final SSE:'; end disp(str); disp(SSE): if gigaflops > 0gigaflops = gigaflops + (flop\_count/(1e9)); flops(0): disp('Giga-Flops:'); disp(gigaflops); else disp('Flops:'); disp(flops); end % write trailer to report file report file = fopen(report filename.'at+'); tv = fix(clock): time\_stamp = strcat('Stop Time = ',num2str(tv(1))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,'/'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(2))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,'/'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(3))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,' '); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(4))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,':'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(5))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,':'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(6))); fprintf(report\_file,'\n%s\n',time\_stamp); if gigaflops > 0fprintf(report\_file,'%f giga-flops\n',gigaflops); else fprintf(report\_file,'%d flops\n',flops); end fprintf(report\_file,'%s %f\n',str,SSE); fprintf(report\_file,'\n%s\n\n','END OF NNET TRAINING RECORD'); fclose(report\_file);
# C. RECOGNIZ.M

% RECOGNIZ - Use the currently loaded weights to produce a text file % showing diphone detector outputs for wav files listed in another % text file. %

% Sample WAV file list format:

- % /timit/test/dr1/mcje0/sx33.wav ocean 1234 3499
- % ...
- % /timit/test/dr8/mtrw0/sx343.wav rabbit 21234 23499
- %
- % Sample Output:
- % (word\_is ocean)
- % ((1008 (AE P) 0.8) (1008 (R OW) 0.6) (1008 (IY T) 0.4))
- % ((1010 (OW K) 0.9) (1010 (OW B) 0.6) (1010 (UH JH) 0.4))
- % ..
- % (word\_end ocean)
- %

% Written by: Major Mark Cantrell, USMC

- % Date: 20 Dec 1995
- % %
- % 2 Jun 1996 Switched to 2 interleaved feature surfaces to improve
   % resolution
- % 7 Jun 1996 Switched from short-time power to RMS amplitude in column 30 of feature surfaces
- %

revision = '3.0';

speech\_data = []; % vector with entire speech file's contents
sampsize = []; % size of above

fname = []; % will be string with filename

pname = []; % will be string with pathname

fpname = []; % will be string with filename + pathname

varname = []; % will be string with filename less extension

win\_step = 512-170; % This is how much (samples) each recognition window moves % each time step. resolution is half this with interleaving

[fname,pname] = uigetfile('\*.\*','WAV/Word File List File'); if fname==0 return end fpname=strcat(pname,fname);

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% read in list of diphone names
num_dips = 0;
dip_names = zeros(575,7);
dip_file = fopen('diplist.txt');
line read = ' ';
while (~feof(dip_file)) & (length(line_read)>2) % for every diphone listed
 line_read = upper(fgetl(dip_file));
 if length(line_read) > 2
 num dips = num_dips + 1;
 dip_names(num_dips,:) = blanks(length(dip_names(num_dips,:)));
 dip_names(num_dips,1:length(line_read)) = line_read;
 end
end
fclose(dip_file);
dip_names = dip_names(1:num_dips,:);
list_file = fopen(fpname);
result_file = fopen('recogniz.out','wt');
line_read = fgetl(list_file);
% main list file loop
while (~feof(list_file)) & (length(line_read)>0) % for every filename listed in list file
disp('-----
                     -----');
disp(line_read);
dot_loc=findstr(line_read,'.'); % pick out pathname from line read
fpname_end=dot_loc+3;
fpname = line_read(1:fpname_end);
disp (strcat('Pathname is ',pname));
% pick out word name
wordname_start = fpname_end + 2;
i = wordname_start;
while line_read(i) ~= ' '
 i=i+1;
end
wordname_end = i - 1;
wordname = line_read(wordname_start:wordname_end);
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disp(strcat('Word is ',wordname));

word\_limits = sscanf(line\_read(wordname\_end+1:length(line\_read)),'%d %d'); word\_start = word\_limits(1); word\_end = word\_limits(2);

disp(strcat('Word start is: ',num2str(word\_start))); disp(strcat('Word end is: ',num2str(word\_end)));

disp(strcat('Loading ',fpname));

speech\_data = ld16bit(fpname);
speech\_data=speech\_data';
speech\_data=speech\_data(513:length(speech\_data));

[feature\_surf,median\_pitch,formants\_a] = featurel(speech\_data,word\_start-170,word\_end-170); feature\_surf1 = diff\_mat(feature\_surf);

ste=feature\_surf1(:,30); % convert STP to RMS amplitude feature\_surf1(:,30) = sign(ste).\*sqrt(abs(ste));

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[feature_surf,median_pitch,formants_a] = featurel(speech_data,word_start,word_end);
feature_surf2 = diff_mat(feature_surf);
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ste=feature_surf2(:,30); % convert STP to RMS amplitude
feature_surf2(:,30) = sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
```

[feature\_rows fc] = size(feature\_surf1);

win\_slack = feature\_rows - win\_width + 1;

result\_matrix = zeros(2\*win\_slack,num\_dips);

```
for win_pos = 1:win_slack
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for i = 1:30 % sequence each column from matrix 1 into vector
        p(i*win_width-win_width+1:i*win_width,1) = feature_surf1(win_pos:win_pos+win_width-1,i);
end
a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
result_matrix(2*win_pos-1,:) = a2';
```

for i = 1:30 % sequence each column from matrix 2 into vector

```
p(i*win_width-win_width+1:i*win_width,1) = feature_surf2(win_pos:win_pos+win_width-1,i);
end
a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
result_matrix(2*win_pos,:) = a2';
```

end

fprintf(result\_file,'(word\_is %s)\n',wordname);

for win\_pos = 1:2\*win\_slack

outputs\_copy = result\_matrix(win\_pos,:);

[max\_val max\_pos] = max(outputs\_copy); out1 = max\_val; dip1 = dip\_names(max\_pos,:); outputs\_copy(max\_pos) = 0;

[max\_val max\_pos] = max(outputs\_copy); out2 = max\_val; dip2 = dip\_names(max\_pos,:); outputs\_copy(max\_pos) = 0;

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[max_val max_pos] = max(outputs_copy);
out3 = max_val;
dip3 = dip_names(max_pos,:);
outputs_copy(max_pos) = 0;
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fprintf(result\_file,'((%d (%s) %f) (%d (%s) %f) (%d (%s) %f))\n', in\_pos\*win\_step/2,dip1,out1,win\_pos\*win\_step/2,dip2,out2,win\_pos\*win\_step/2,dip3,out3);

end

fprintf(result\_file,'(word\_end %s)\n',wordname);

line\_read = fgetl(list\_file);

fclose(result\_file);
fclose(list\_file);

## D. FEATURES.M

function [out\_matrix,out\_pitch,form\_matrix] = features(speech\_data,dip\_boundry) %FEATURES Return the matrix form of a feature vector for a given % speech slice. The recognition window will be centered % on the sample number specified in the second argument. % Matrix will include an extra two time periods on either % side of the 24 needed for producing the final vector. % The second value returned is median pitch for sample. % % Note: This version currently returns a measure of short-time % power in column 30 of the feature surface. As explained in % the thesis, RMS amplitude would have been better. TRNBPX has % been patched to use the latter. But it would be more efficient % in future if RMS amplitude used in original feature surfaces. % %USAGE EXAMPLE: [feature\_matrix pitch] = features(data(100:12000),5000); % % Revision 2.0; Written by Major M. E. Cantrell, USMC % % 7 June 1996 - Patched to use RMS amplitude vice STP fs = 16000: % sample rate ps = 1/fs;% sample period n = 512: % window size for FFT % how much sliding window overlaps last window win\_overlap = 170; L=round(n/10);% initial value for the "low time lifter" used with cepstrum speech\_slice=zeros(1,9746); % will hold the slice of main file in % in recognition window slice size=9746; % center window speech\_start = dip\_boundry - 4446; % start of 14th window pos is @4447 speech\_end = dip\_boundry + 5299; slice\_start = 1; slice\_end = 9746; speech\_length = length(speech\_data); % following vectors hold start & stop freqs for freq bins. % these will be adapted for speaker's pitch & then used to % determine which formant surface columns to average for each % freq bin in output matrix. bin\_starts = [ 0 74.4 149.4 225.3 302.7 382.2 464.5 550.4 640.6 735.9 837.3 945.8 1062.6

1189.1 1326.8 1477.6 1643.6 1827.2 2031.5 2260.0 2516.9 2807.4 3137.7 3515.5 3950.0 4453.1 5039.5 5727.5 6541.0 ]; bin\_ends = [ 100 175.6 252.3 330.8 411.7 495.6 583.4 675.8 773.8 878.2 990.3 1111.2 1242.5 1385.8 1543.1 1716.6 1909.2 2124.1 2365.0 2636.8 2945.1 3296.7 3700.3 4166.5 4708.4 5342.9 6091.3 6981.0 8047.8 . ]; % pad voice data with zeros if needed if speech\_start < 1 slice\_start = 2 - speech\_start; speech\_start = 1; end

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if speech_end > speech_length
    slice_end = 4447 + (speech_length - dip_boundry);
    speech_end = speech_length;
end
```

speech\_slice(slice\_start:slice\_end) = speech\_data(speech\_start:speech\_end);

```
%plot(speech_slice);
%drawnow;z=input('Press enter to continue...');
```

form\_cols = n/2; % at fs=16K & n=512 this covers 0-8K Hz form\_rows = 28;

form\_matrix = zeros(form\_rows,form\_cols);

out\_matrix = zeros(form\_rows,30);

ste\_array = zeros(form\_rows,1);

```
hamming_vector=zeros(1,n); % compute window & "lifter" function for size=n hamming_vector=hamming(n);
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```
%compute "lifter's" coefficients for cepstrum/formants
lifter1=zeros(1,n);
last=n;
for i = 0:L
lifter1(i+1) = 1+cos(pi*i/(2*L));
lifter1(last-i) = lifter1(i+1);
end
```

```
% Main "program" loop starts here
win start = 1:
             % start sliding window at first sample
win end = n:
pitch_array = zeros(form_rows,1);
                         % for computing median of pitch values
pitch_count = 0;
form_x = 1;
win_size = win_end - win_start + 1;
while (form_x <= form rows)
                        % main processing loop
ste = (speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end).* speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end))/100000;
ste_array(form_x,1) = mean(ste(1,:));
if max(abs(speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end))) > 0
```

% compute FFT

abs\_fft=abs(fft(hamming\_vector.\*speech\_slice(1,win\_start:win\_end)));

```
% now compute "cepstrum";
  RCEP=ifft(log(abs_fft));
  rcep=abs(RCEP(1:win_size/2));
  % determine pitch
  [peak_val,peak_loc] = max(rcep(L:length(rcep)));
  pitch_prominence = peak_val/(10*median(rcep(L:length(rcep))));
  cep_pitch=fs/(L+peak_loc);
  if (pitch_prominence >= 1.5) % 1.5 is probably a safer number (but slow!)
   pitch=cep pitch;
   pitch_count = pitch_count + 1;
   pitch_array(pitch_count)=pitch;
  elseif ((pitch_prominence >= 0.6) & (pitch_count < 1))
             % if two pitch estimates are within 10 % of each other, use cep pitch
   a_pitch=p_amdf(speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end),fs,n-(1+((1/50)/(1/fs))));
   if ((((abs(cep_pitch-a_pitch))/cep_pitch) < 0.10)) | ((cep_pitch >= 100) & (cep_pitch <= 200) &
(pitch_count < 1))
     pitch=cep_pitch;
     pitch_count = pitch_count + 1;
     pitch_array(pitch_count)=pitch;
   end
  else
   pitch=0;
  end
% smooth formants
  RCEPL1 = zeros(1,length(RCEP));
                                 %"lifter" out pitch & rhamonics
  RCEPL1(1:length(RCEP)) = RCEP(1:length(RCEP)) .* lifter1(1:length(RCEP));
  FORMANTS = fft(RCEPL1);
                               %now take FFT to see formants
  form_matrix(form_x,:) = abs(FORMANTS(1:n/2));
%disp('Pitch_Prom:');
%disp(pitch_prominence);
%disp('Pitch:');
%disp(pitch):
%plot(abs(FORMANTS(1:n/2))),title('FORMANTS');
%drawnow;z=input('Press enter to continue...');
%plot(rcep(L:length(rcep))),title('CEPSTRUM');
%drawnow;z=input('Press enter to continue...');
 end
          % end of "if non-zero amplitude"
```

form\_x = form\_x + 1;

```
win_start = win_end + 1 - win_overlap;
 win_end = win_start + n - 1;
end % while
%mesh(form matrix):
%drawnow;z=input('Press enter to continue...');
% main "program" loop ends here
% now "normalize" data for speaker's pitch
if pitch_count > 0
 pitch = median(pitch_array(1:pitch_count));
 if (pitch < 50) | (pitch > 400)
  pitch = 100;
  out_pitch = 0;
 else
  out_pitch = pitch;
 end
else
 pitch = 100;
 out_pitch = 0;
end
bin_starts = bin_starts / (1.185 - (0.00185 * pitch));
bin_ends = bin_ends / (1.185 - (0.00185 * pitch));
for i = 1:29
 bin_start = round(n*bin_starts(i)/fs);
 if bin_start < 1
  bin_start = 1;
 end
 if bin_start > n/2
 bin_start = n/2;
 end
 bin_end = round(n*bin_ends(i)/fs);
 if bin_end < 1
 bin end = 1:
 end
 if bin_end > n/2
 bin end = n/2:
 end
 for j = 1:form_rows
 out_matrix(j,i) = mean(form_matrix(j,bin_start:bin_end));
 end
end
out_matrix(:,30) = ste_array(:,1);
%mesh(out_matrix);
%drawnow;z=input('Press enter to continue...');
```

# E. FEATUREL.M

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function [out_matrix,out_pitch,form_matrix] = featurel(speech_data,start,end) %FEATUREL Return the matrix form of a feature vector for a given
<ul> <li>% Speech side.</li> <li>% The second value returned is median pitch for sample.</li> <li>%</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Note: This version currently returns a measure of short-time</li> <li>power in column 30 of the feature surface. As explained in</li> <li>the thesis, RMS amplitude would have been better. RECOGNIZ has</li> <li>been patched to use the latter. But it would be more efficient</li> <li>in future if RMS amplitude used in original feature surfaces.</li> </ul>
%USAGE EXAMPLE: [feature_matrix pitch] = featurel(data(100:12000)); %
% Revision 2.0; Written by Major M. E. Cantrell, USMC %
% 7 June 1996 - Patched to use RMS amplitude vice STP
fs = 16000; % sample rate ps = 1/fs; % sample period n = 512; % window size for FFT win_overlap = 170; % how much sliding window overlaps last window L=round(n/10); % initial value for the "low time lifter" used with cepstrum
% center window speech_start = start - 4446; % start of 14th window pos is @4447 speech_end = end + 5299; speech_slice=zeros(1,speech_end-speech_start+1);
<pre>slice_start = 1; slice_end = length(speech_slice); slice_size = slice_end; speech_length = length(speech_data);</pre>
% pad voice data with zeros if needed
if speech_start < 1 slice_start = 2 - speech_start; speech_start = 1; end
<pre>if speech_end &gt; speech_length   speech_end = speech_length;   slice_end = slice_start + (speech_end - speech_start); % slice_end = 4447 + (speech_length - end); % speech_end = speech_length; end</pre>
<pre>speech_slice(slice_start:slice_end) = speech_data(speech_start:speech_end);</pre>
%plot(speech_slice); %drawnow;

% following vectors hold start & stop freqs for freq bins.

% these will be adapted for speaker's pitch & then used to

% determine which formant surface columns to average for each

% freq bin in output matrix.

bin\_starts = [ 0 74.4 149.4 225.3 302.7

382.2 464.5 550.4 640.6 735.9 837.3

945.8 1062.6 1189.1

1326.8 1477.6

1643.6 1827.2 2031.5

2260.0

2516.9 2807.4 3137.7

3515.5 3950.0

4453.1 5039.5

5727.5

6541.0 ];

bin\_ends = [ 100 175.6 252.3 330.8 411.7 495.6 583.4 675.8 773.8 878.2 990.3 1111.2 1242.5 1385.8 1543.1 1716.6 1909.2

2124.1

2365.0 2636.8 2945.1 3296.7 3700.3 4166.5 4708.4 5342.9 6091.3 6981.0 8047.8 ];

form\_cols = n/2; % at fs=16K & n=512 this covers 0-8K Hz form\_rows = round(slice\_size/(n-win\_overlap)) + 1;

form\_matrix = zeros(form\_rows,form\_cols);

out\_matrix = zeros(form\_rows,30);

ste\_array = zeros(form\_rows,1);

hamming\_vector=zeros(1,n); % compute window & "lifter" function for size=n hamming\_vector=hamming(n);

```
%compute "lifter's" coefficients for cepstrum/formants
lifter1=zeros(1,n);
last=n;
for i = 0:L
lifter1(i+1) = 1+cos(pi*i/(2*L));
lifter1(last-i) = lifter1(i+1);
end
```

```
win_start = 1; % start sliding window at first sample
win_end = n;
pitch_array = zeros(form_rows,1); % for computing median of pitch values
pitch_count = 0;
form_x = 1;
win_size = win_end - win_start + 1;
while (win_end <= slice_end) % main processing loop
ste = (speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end) .* speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end))/100000;
ste_array(form_x,1) = mean(ste(1,:));
```

```
if max(abs(speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end))) > 0
```

```
% compute FFT
  abs_fft=abs(fft(hamming_vector.*speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end)));
                   % now compute "cepstrum";
  RCEP=ifft(log(abs_fft));
  rcep=abs(RCEP(1:win_size/2));
% determine pitch
  [peak_val,peak_loc] = max(rcep(L:length(rcep)));
  pitch_prominence = peak_val/(10*median(rcep(L:length(rcep))));
  cep_pitch=fs/(L+peak_loc);
  if (pitch_prominence >= 1.5)
   pitch=cep_pitch;
   pitch_count = pitch_count + 1;
   pitch_array(pitch_count)=pitch;
  elseif (pitch prominence >= 0.6)
            % if two pitch estimates are within 10 % of each other, use cep_pitch
   a_pitch=p_amdf(speech_slice(1,win_start:win_end),fs,n-(1+((1/50)/(1/fs))));
   if ((((abs(cep_pitch-a_pitch))/cep_pitch) < 0.10)) | ((cep_pitch >= 100) & (cep_pitch <= 200) &
(pitch_count < 1))
     pitch=cep_pitch;
     pitch count = pitch count + 1:
     pitch_array(pitch_count)=pitch;
   end
  else
   pitch=0;
  end
% smooth formants using real cepstrum
  RCEPL1 = zeros(1,length(RCEP));
                                %"lifter" out pitch & rhamonics
  RCEPL1(1:length(RCEP)) = RCEP(1:length(RCEP)) .* lifter1(1:length(RCEP));
  FORMANTS = fft(RCEPL1);
                              %now take FFT to see formants
  form_matrix(form_x,:) = abs(FORMANTS(1:n/2));
%disp('Pitch_Prom:');
%disp(pitch_prominence);
%disp('Pitch:');
```

%disp(pitch): %plot(abs(FORMANTS(1:n/2))),title('FORMANTS'); %pause; %plot(rcep(L:length(rcep))),title('CEPSTRUM'); %pause;

end % end of "if non-zero amplitude"

% slide window to next (overlapped) position

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form_x = form_x + 1;
win_start = win_end + 1 - win_overlap;
win_end = win_start + n - 1;
end % while
% main "program" loop ends here
% now "normalize" data for speaker's pitch
if pitch_count > 0
pitch = median(pitch_array(1:pitch_count));
if (pitch < 50) | (pitch > 400)
 pitch = 100;
 out_pitch = 0;
else
 out_pitch = pitch;
end
else
pitch = 100;
```

```
out_pitch = 0;
end
bin_starts = bin_starts / (1.185 - (0.00185 * pitch));
bin_ends = bin_ends / (1.185 - (0.00185 * pitch));
for i = 1:29
 bin_start = round(n*bin_starts(i)/fs);
 if bin_start < 1
  bin_start = 1;
 end
 if bin_start > n/2
  bin_start = n/2;
 end
 bin_end = round(n*bin_ends(i)/fs);
 if bin_end < 1
  bin_end = 1;
 end
 if bin_end > n/2
  bin_end = n/2;
 end
 for j = 1:form_rows
  out_matrix(j,i) = mean(form_matrix(j,bin_start:bin_end));
 end
end
out_matrix(:,30) = ste_array(:,1);
%plot(ste_array(:,1));
%drawnow;
```

## F. TESTNET.M

% TESTNET - Gathers statistics for neural network weights trained by TRNBPX. % These weights must already be loaded when this script file is % started. % % You must provide two text files: % % (1) A text file listing the diphones to be recognized (one diphone % per line, a single space separating the phonemes of the diphone, % and all caps) % % (2) A text file listing the test MAT files created by MAKVECTS.M % % Written by: Major Mark Cantrell, USMC Feb 1996 % % Last Updated 8 Feb 96 (new time alignment method) % 20 Apr 96 (bug fixes) % 7 Jun 96 (patched to use RMS Amplitude vice short-time power) revision = '5.2'; if ~exist('disp\_files') disp\_files = 0; end max\_win\_offset = input('Maximum offset from center for recognition window? ');  $mid_pos = round((27-win_width)/2) + 1;$ win\_slack = 27-win\_width+1: win\_scan\_start = 14 - (round(win\_width/2) + max\_win\_offset - 1); win\_scan\_stop = win\_scan\_start + (2 \* max\_win\_offset); if win scan start < 1 win\_scan\_start = 1; end if win\_scan\_stop > win\_slack win\_scan\_stop = win\_slack; end % write header to report file report\_filename = 'nntest.txt'; report\_file = fopen(report\_filename,'at+'); fprintf(report\_file,'%s\n','---------'): fprintf(report\_file,'%s%s%s\n\n','NNET TEST RECORD Ver. '.revision'.' (Epochs,SSEs,#Correct,#MoreThan3off)'): fprintf(report\_file,'%s\n',remarks); fprintf(report\_file,'%s\n win\_width = %d, max\_offset = %d, seed = %d\n',win\_width,max\_win\_offset); fprintf(report\_file,'%s/%s: Hidden = %d, Num\_Dips = %d, mc = %f, er = %f\n\n',f1,f2,hidden\_size,num\_dips.mc.er); tv = fix(clock): time\_stamp = strcat('Start Time = ',num2str(tv(1))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,'/'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(2))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,'/'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(3))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,' ');

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time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,num2str(tv(4)));
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,':');
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,num2str(tv(5)));
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp,':');
time_stamp = strcat(time_stamp.num2str(tv(6)));
fprintf(report_file,'%s\n',time_stamp);
fclose(report_file);
test_record = zeros(num_dips,5);
test_offsets = zeros(1,1);
pass_num = 1;
disp(strcat(num2str(epoch_count),' ------[TESTING]------['));
disp(fix(clock));
test_file = fopen(tfpname);
line_read = ' ';
dip_name = blanks(7);
test file num = 0:
test_SSE = 0;
test_correct = 0;
test_wrong_by_alot = 0;
test_dip_record = zeros(num_dips,3); % for each dip in last pass; # seen, # correct, # way off
% test file loop
report_file = fopen(report_filename,'at+');
fprintf(report_file,'\nDIP
                 OUT
                       ER RECOG OUT
                                      OFFSET \n');
while (~feof(test_file)) & (length(line_read)>0) % for every test file
  line_read = (fgetl(test_file));
  if length(line_read) > 2
    filename = line read;
                       % used to load file
    test_file_num = test_file_num + 1;
    if disp files == 1
     disp(strcat(strcat(num2str(test_file_num),' = test file '),line read));
    end
% pick out diphone namefrom filename
dot_loc=findstr(filename,'.'):
    if dot loc>0
     dip_str=filename(1:dot_loc-1);
    j = length(dip_str);
     while (dip\_str(j) \ge 0') \& (dip\_str(j) \le 9')
     j=j-1:
     end
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i = i;
     while (dip_str(i) \sim = '/') \& (dip_str(i) \sim = '\') \& (i > 1)
      i=i-1:
     end
     if i > 1
      i = i + 1:
     end
     dip_name = blanks(7);
     dip_name(1:i-i+1) = upper(dip_str(i:i));
     for i = 1:length(dip_name)
                               % aet rid of hyphen
      if dip_name(i) == '-'
       dip_name(i) = '';
      end
     end
     else
     error(strcat('Bad TEST filename: ',filename));
     end
  else
                   % bail out of eof loop if line blank
    break;
  end
% determine target output vector
  % note that dipnames file MUST be alpha sorted & pound ('#') signs replaced by 'X' !!!
% use bin search to find dip's column number
  dip_num = dipnumof(dip_name,dip_names(1:num_dips,:));
% load test MAT file
load(filename, '-mat');
  p = zeros(win_width*30,1);
  best_out = -inf;
  best_pos = 0;
  best_rank = num_dips;
                       % look for best window pos in vector a
  for win_pos = win_scan start:win scan stop
                    % sequence each column from matrix into vector
    p = vectoriz(feature_surf_a,win_width,win_pos);
    ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
    p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
     a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
    a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
     a2_copy = a2;
     [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
     a2\_copy(max\_pos) = 0;
     test_wrong_by = 0;
```

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sum_winners = 0;
while max pos ~= dip num
 sum_winners = sum_winners + a2_copy(max_pos);
 [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
 a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
 test_wrong_by = test_wrong_by +1;
end
if (test_wrong_by < best_rank)
 best_rank = test_wrong_by;
 best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
 best_pos = win_pos;
 best_p = p;
elseif (test_wrong_by == best_rank)&((a2(dip_num) - sum_winners) > best_out)
 best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
best_pos = win_pos;
best_p = p;
end
```

end

%sleep for niceness seconds if during work hours tv = fix(clock); if (niceness > 0) & (tv(4) > 6) & (tv(4) < 15) pause(niceness); end % look for best window position in vector b for win\_pos = win\_scan\_start:win\_scan\_stop % sequence each column from matrix into vector

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p = vectoriz(feature_surf_b,win_width,win_pos);
ste=p(ste_start:input_size); % this is patch to convert STPwr to RMS Amplitude
p(ste_start:input_size)=sign(ste).*sqrt(abs(ste));
```

```
a1 = feval(f1,w1*p,b1);
a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
```

```
a2_copy = a2;
[max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
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```
a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
test_wrong_by = 0;
sum_winners = 0;
while max_pos ~= dip_num
sum_winners = sum_winners + a2_copy(max_pos);
[max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
a2_copy(max_pos) = 0;
test_wrong_by = test_wrong_by +1;
end
```

```
if (test_wrong_by < best_rank)
best_rank = test_wrong_by;
best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
best_pos = win_pos + win_slack;
best_p = p;</pre>
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elseif (test_wrong_by == best_rank)&((a2(dip_num) - sum_winners) > best_out)
     best_out = a2(dip_num) - sum_winners;
     best_pos = win_pos + win_slack;
     best_p = p;
    end
  end
                 %sleep for niceness seconds if during work hours
  tv = fix(clock);
  if (niceness > 0) & (tv(4) > 6) & (tv(4) < 15)
      pause(niceness);
  end
  test_offsets(test_file_num,1) = best_pos; % save window ofset for next epoch
  p = best_p;
% PRESENTATION PHASE - Determine outputs of layers
a1 = feval(f1.w1*p.b1);
  a2 = feval(f2,w2*a1,b2);
  e = t - a2:
  test_SSE = test_SSE + sumsar(e);
                 %sleep for niceness seconds if during work hours
  tv = fix(clock);
  if (niceness > 0) & (tv(4) > 6) & (tv(4) < 15)
    pause(niceness);
  end
  if disp_files == 1
                      % display progress
    str =strcat(strcat(num2str(epoch_count),' = epoch. SSE = '),num2str(sumsqr(e)));
  else
    str = ' ':
  end
% record whether NNET output was correct or way off
[max_val max pos] = max(a2);
  test_record(test_file_num,:) = zeros(1,5);
  test_record(test_file_num,1) = dip_num;
  test_record(test_file_num,2) = a2(dip_num);
  test_record(test_file_num,4) = max_pos;
  test_record(test_file_num,5) = max_val;
  test_dip_record(dip_num,1) = test_dip_record(dip_num,1) + 1;
  if max_pos ~= dip_num
    a2_copy = a2;
    a2\_copy(max\_pos) = 0;
    test_wrong_by = 0;
```

```
while max_pos ~= dip_num
    [max_val max_pos] = max(a2_copy);
    a2 copy(max pos) = 0;
    test_wrong_by = test_wrong_by +1;
   end
  test_record(test_file_num,3) = test_wrong_by;
  str = strcat(strcat(strcat(str,' (wrong by '),num2str(test_wrong_by)),')');
  if test_wrong_by > 2
    test_wrong_by_alot = test_wrong_by_alot+1;
    test_dip_record(dip_num,3) = test_dip_record(dip_num,3) + 1;
  end
else
  test_record(test_file_num,3) = 0;
  test_correct = test_correct+1;
  test_dip_record(dip_num,2) = test_dip_record(dip_num,2) + 1;
end
if disp_files == 1
  str = strcat(str,strcat('@',num2str(best_pos)));
  disp(str):
  disp(test_record(test_file_num,:));
end
v = test_record(test_file_num,:);
o = test_offsets(test_file_num,1);
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end

fclose(test\_file);

end % end of "if sep\_test\_data..."

report\_file = fopen(report\_filename,'at+');
fprintf(report\_file,'\n%d, TRAIN,%f,%d,%d,',epoch\_count,SSE,correct,wrong\_by\_alot);
if sep\_test\_data
 fprintf(report\_file,' TEST,%f,%d,%d, %s\n',test\_SSE,test\_correct,test\_wrong\_by\_alot,str);
else
 fprintf(report\_file,' %s\n',str);
end
fclose(report\_file);

time\_stamp = strcat('Stop Time = ',num2str(tv(1))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,'/'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(2))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,'/'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(3))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,' '); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(4))); time stamp = strcat(time stamp,':'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(5))); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,':'); time\_stamp = strcat(time\_stamp,num2str(tv(6))); fprintf(report\_file,'\n%s\n',time\_stamp); if gigaflops > 0fprintf(report\_file,'%f giga-flops\n',gigaflops); else fprintf(report\_file,'%d flops\n',flops); end fprintf(report\_file,'%s %f\n',str,SSE); fprintf(report\_file,'\n%s\n\n','END OF NNET TEST RECORD'); fclose(report\_file);

save testrec

# G. MAKVECTS.M

```
% MAKVECTS.M - MatLab script file for creating precomputed feature
         vector files for use by TRNBPX.
%
%
% Written by Major M.E. Cantrell, USMC
%
% Last Modified:
%
%
     7 June 1996
%
clear;
clc;
ch = input('Use frequency normalization? ','s');
if upper(ch(1)) == 'N'
 freq_norm = 0;
 out_ext = '.BAD';
else
 freq_norm = 1;
 out_ext = '.vec';
end
ch = input('Two versions? ','s');
if upper(ch(1)) == 'N'
 two_ver = 0;
else
 two ver = 1;
end
niceness_setting = input('Niceness setting (will sleep that many seconds per file)? ');
save nice.txt niceness_setting -ascii
niceness = niceness_setting;
speech_data = [];
                % vector with entire speech file's contents
               % size of above
sampsize = [];
fname = [];
         % will be string with filename
          % will be string with pathname
pname = [];
fpname = []; % will be string with filename + pathname
varname = []; % will be string with filename less extension
last_pname = [];
vect_count = 0;
no_pitch_count = 0;
```

```
% get file list filename from user
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```
[Ifname, Ipname] = uigetfile('*.*', 'Filename Containing List of Voice Files');
if lfname==0
 return
end
lfpname=strcat(lpname,lfname);
Idot loc=findstr(lfname,'.');
if length(ldot_loc)>0
 lvarname=lfname(1:ldot_loc-1);
 lfname_ext=upper(lfname(ldot_loc+1:length(lfname)));
else
 lvarname=lfname;
end
list_file = fopen(lfpname);
badmat_file = fopen('badmats.dir','wt');
report_file = fopen('makevrpt.txt','wt');
fprintf(report_file, 'FOLLOWING DIPHONES WERE UNVOICED:\n\n');
tic;
        % start timer
line_read = fgetl(list_file);
while (~feof(list_file)) & (length(line_read)>0) % for every filename listed in list file
                   %sleep for niceness seconds if during work hours
 tv = fix(clock);
 if (niceness > 0) & (tv(4) > 6) & (tv(4) < 18)
  pause(niceness);
 end
 disp('-----');
 disp(fix(clock));
 disp(line_read);
 dot_loc=findstr(line_read,'.'); % pick out pathname from line read
 fpname_end=dot loc+3;
 fpname = line_read(1:fpname_end);
 i = dot loc-1:
 while (i > 0) &
(((fpname(i)>='A')&(fpname(i)<='Z'))|((fpname(i)>='a')&(fpname(i)<='z'))|((fpname(i)>='0')&(fpname(i)<='9
')))
  i=i-1;
 end
 pname=fpname(1:i);
 varname=fpname(i+1:dot_loc-1);
```

```
disp (strcat('Pathname is ',pname));
```

% pick out diphone name dipname\_start = fpname\_end + 2; i = dipname\_start; while line\_read(i) ~= '' i=i+1; end dipname\_end = i - 1; dipname = upper(line\_read(dipname\_start:dipname\_end));

disp(strcat('Diphone is ',dipname));

% get location of this diphone's phoneme junction

dip\_limits = sscanf(line\_read(dipname\_end+1:length(line\_read)),'%d %d %d'); dip\_junction = dip\_limits(2);

disp(strcat('Diphone junction is: ',num2str(dip\_junction)));

disp(strcat('Loading ',fpname));

speech\_data = ld16bit(fpname);
speech\_data=speech\_data';
speech\_data=speech\_data(513:length(speech\_data));

% create feature "vectors" disp('Computing feature vectors...');

```
if freq_norm == 1
 [feature_surf,median_pitch,formants_a] = features(speech_data,dip_junction);
 feature_surf_a = diff_mat(feature_surf);
 if two_ver == 1
  [feature_surf,median_pitch_2,formants_b] = features(speech_data,dip_junction-170);
  feature_surf_b = diff_mat(feature_surf);
 end
else
 [feature_surf,median_pitch,formants_a] = featureb(speech_data,dip_junction);
 feature_surf_a = diff_mat(feature_surf);
 if two_ver == 1
  [feature_surf,median_pitch_2,formants_b] = featureb(speech_data,dip_junction-170);
  feature_surf_b = diff_mat(feature_surf);
 end
end
if median_pitch == 0
 median_pitch = median_pitch_2;
```

end

```
% save feature "vectors" to a file with same path
 filenum = 0:
 file_exists = 1;
 while file_exists
  out_fpname = strcat(pname,dipname);
  out_fpname = strcat(out_fpname,num2str(filenum));
  out_fpname = lower(strcat(out_fpname,out_ext));
  file_exists = exist(out_fpname);
  filenum = filenum + 1;
 end
 disp(strcat('Median pitch is ',num2str(median_pitch)));
 if median_pitch \leq 0
  no_pitch_count = no_pitch_count + 1;
  fprintf(report_file,'%s\n',line_read);
  fprintf(badmat_file,'%s\n',out_fpname);
 end
 vect_count = vect_count + 1;
 disp(strcat('Vector count now ',num2str(vect_count)));
 disp(vect_count);
 disp(strcat('Saving features to ',out_fpname));
 if two ver == 1
  eval(['save ' out_fpname ' feature_surf_a feature_surf_b median_pitch']);
 else
  eval(['save ' out_fpname ' feature_surf_a median_pitch']);
 end
 clear speech_data;
                          % clean up workspace before next phoneme
 line_read = fgetl(list_file);
                              % get next filename from list file
      % while not eof(list_file)
end
fclose(list_file);
fclose(report_file);
fclose(badmat_file);
disp('Total elapsed time:');
           % display total elapsed time in seconds
toc;
pack;
```

# H. INPUTS.M

revision = '1.0';

remarks2 = ' ';

```
me = input('Maximum total epochs? ');
```

```
mc = input('Momentum Constant (0.90 to .95 is standard)? ');
```

```
er = input('Allowable Error Ratio (1.04 to 1.05 is standard)? ');
```

```
eg = input('Error goal per output (0.02 is standard)? ');
```

```
ch = input('Reset weights to random values? ','s');
if upper(ch(1)) == 'Y'
 hidden_size = input('How many neurons in hidden layer? ');
 win width = input('Width of recognition window (13 standard)? '):
 reset_weights = 1;
 remarks2 = 'New Weights, ';
else
 reset_weights = 0;
 remarks2 = 'Same Weights, ';
end
ch = input('Train on first instance of each diphone only? ','s');
if upper(ch(1)) == 'Y'
 single_instance_only = 1;
 remarks2 = strcat(remarks2, 'First Instance Only, ');
else
 single_instance_only = 0;
 remarks2 = strcat(remarks2,'Entire File Set, ');
end
ch = input('Batch weight changes? ','s');
if upper(ch(1)) == 'Y'
 batch = 1:
else
 batch = 0;
 remarks2 = strcat(remarks2,'NO BATCHING, ');
end
if (single_instance_only == 0)
 ch = input('Time-Align Feature Vectors? ','s');
 if upper(ch(1)) == 'Y'
  time_align = 1;
  remarks2 = strcat(remarks2,'Time-Aligning, ');
  ch = input('Use static file offsets? ','s');
```

```
if upper(ch(1)) == 'Y'
   static_offsets = 1;
   if exist('trnoffs.mat')
     offname = 'trnoffs';
    else
     ls
     offname = input('What is name of matlab file with offsets (only)? ','s');
   end
  else
   static offsets = 0;
   offname = 'trnoffs':
  end
  max_win_offset = input('Maximum offset from center for recognition window? ');
 else
  time align = 0:
  remarks2 = strcat(remarks2, 'Not Time-Aligning, ');
  static_offsets = 0;
  offname = 'trnoffs';
 end
 ch = input('Separate test data? ','s');
 if upper(ch(1)) == 'Y'
  sep_test_data = 1;
  remarks2 = strcat(remarks2,'Separate Test Set,');
  if time align == 0
   max_win_offset = input('Maximum offset from center for test files? ');
  end
 else
  sep test data = 0:
  remarks2 = strcat(remarks2,'No Separate Test Set,');
 end
else
 sep_test_data = 0;
time_align = 0;
 static_offsets = 0;
 max_win_offset = 1;
end
```

```
remarks = input('Remarks for record? ','s');
```

```
save nice.txt niceness_setting -ascii
niceness = niceness_setting;
```

```
% get diphone list filename from user
lpname = pwd:
if exist('diplist.txt')
Ifname = 'diplist.txt':
else
ls
Ifname = input('What is name of diphone list file? ','s');
end
if op_sys == 'unix'
ipname = strcat(ipname,'/');
else
lpname = strcat(lpname.'\');
end
% get training file list filename from user
mpname = pwd;
ls
mfname = input('What is name of training file list? ','s');
if op_sys == 'unix'
mpname = strcat(mpname.'/'):
else
mpname = strcat(mpname,'\');
end
% get test file list filename from user
if (sep_test_data == 1)
tpname = pwd;
ls
tfname = input('What is name of test file list? ','s');
if op_sys == 'unix'
 tpname = strcat(tpname,'/');
else
 tpname = strcat(tpname,'\');
end
end
% save inputs to a mat file
```

save inputs

# I. P\_AMDF.M

function [pitch] = p\_amdf(speech\_data,fs,n) %P\_AMDF Voice Pitch using Average Magnitude Difference Function % % This function computes the pitch of a voice signal (first argument). The sample frequency is required as the second argument and the third % % must be the AMDF window size. Because of the nature of the algorithm, the % speech vector must be longer than the window size by 1+((1/50)/(1/fs)) or 321 at 16 KHz. This version is specifically intended for voice signals. % So it will only detect pitches in the range 50 to 500 Hz. Note that % % accuracy suffers near the end of a voiced segment of speech. Also, this % func can be slow. Try a smaller N to speed things up. You'll probably % get the same answer as you would with a larger N (this N is not related % to the N used with FFT; it only determines how much of speech segment % to use for pitch determination). % % This code is based on [Ainsworth p96]. See thesis for complete reference % information. % % %USAGE EXAMPLE: pitch =  $p_amdf(data(1:n+321),fs,n);$ % if  $\sim$ (nargin == 3) error('Invalid number of arguments to P\_AMDF.M');

```
end
```

 $max_lag = 1+(1/50)/(1/fs);$  % valid pitch range 50-500 Hz min\_lag = 1+(1/500)/(1/fs);

```
last=length(speech_data);
```

```
if n+max_lag <= last % can't do it if too near end file
lag_array = zeros(1,max_lag); % only need this for plot of lags
best_lag_sum=inf; % initialize big so anything looks better
for lag = min_lag:1:max_lag % chg of 1 in step size = about 15 Hz
% (at pitch=500). step 5 = 68 Hz (too big).
```

```
lag_sum=sum(abs(speech_data(1:n)-speech_data(lag+1:n+lag)));
```

```
if lag_sum <= best_lag_sum % remember best; if tie use lower Hz
            best_lag_sum;
            best_lag=lag;
            end
            lag_array(lag) = lag_sum; % only needed for lag plot
            end
            pitch=1/((best_lag-1)*(1/fs)); % compute pitch from best lag
else
            error('Sample too small. Need at least N + 1 + ((1/50)/(1/fs)) samples.');</pre>
```

end

# J. P\_CEPS.M

```
function [pitch , confidence] = p_ceps(ceps_data,fs,n,L)
 %P_CEPS Voice Pitch using Cepstral Peak
 %
 %
       This function computes the pitch of a voice signal using cepstral
 %
       coefficients (first argument). The sample frequency is required as
 %
       the second argument, the third must be the window size, and the fourth
 %
       is the cutoff between the pitch peak and the formant peak. If requested,
 %
       a number indicating the prominence of the pitch peak is also returned
 %
       (one tenth the ratio of the peak's height to mean amplitude of the
 %
       surrounding plot). If this value is less than one, a pitch value of zero
%
       is returned (unless the confidence number is also requested). The second
%
       returned value may be used as an indicator of the degree of voicing, as
%
       well as an indication of the reliability of the pitch figure. Note that
%
       the window size N and Fs must be the same as those used to produce the
%
       cepstrum. Because this function is intended for speech processing, a
%
       zero will be returned unless the computed pitch is between 50 and 500 Hz.
%
%
%USAGE EXAMPLE:
                            cep_vector=cepstrum(data(1:n),fs,hamming(n));
%
                 [pitch confidence]=p_ceps(cep_vector,fs,n,round(n/10));
%
if \sim(nargin == 4)
 error('Invalid number of arguments in P_CEPS');
end
if length(fs)==0
 error('Invalid sample frequency in P_CEPS');
end
if length(ceps_data) == n/2
 rceps=abs(ceps_data);
elseif length(ceps_data) == n
 rceps=(abs(ceps_data(1:n/2)));
else
 error('Window size and cepstrum vector size must agree');
end
confid = max(rceps(L:length(rceps)))/(10*mean(rceps(L:length(rceps))));
                               % determine pitch (if strongly voiced or user asked for confid)
if (confid \ge 1) | (nargout = 2)
                               % Try using cepstral peak to determine pitch
  [peak_val,peak_loc] = max(rcep(L:length(rcep)));
  cep_pitch=fs/(L+peak_loc);
  if (cep_pitch<500)&(cep_pitch>50) % only return pitch if in reasonable range
    pitch=cep_pitch;
  else
    pitch=0;
  end
else
  pitch=0;
end
if nargout==2
 confidence=confid;
end
```

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```

## K. VECTORIZ.M

function [p] = vectoriz(feature\_surf,win\_width,win\_pos)
%VECTORIZ sequence each column from feature matrix into a vector
%
% USAGE: input\_vect = vectoriz(in\_mat,win\_width,win\_pos)
%

%for i = 1:30, sequence each column from matrix into vector % this function does not use for loop because MATLAB for loops are SLOW

p=zeros(win\_width\*30,1);

p(1\*win\_width-win\_width+1:1\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,1); p(2\*win\_width-win\_width+1:2\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win pos:win pos+win width-1.2);  $p(3*win_width-win_width+1:3*win_width,1) = feature surf(win_pos:win_pos+win_width-1.3);$ p(4\*win\_width-win\_width+1:4\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,4); p(5\*win\_width-win\_width+1:5\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,5); p(6\*win\_width-win\_width+1:6\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,6); p(7\*win\_width-win\_width+1:7\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,7); p(8\*win\_width-win\_width+1:8\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,8); p(9\*win\_width-win\_width+1:9\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,9); p(10\*win\_width-win\_width+1:10\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,10); p(11\*win\_width-win\_width+1:11\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,11); p(12\*win\_width-win\_width+1:12\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,12); p(13\*win\_width-win\_width+1:13\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,13); p(14\*win\_width-win\_width+1:14\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,14); p(15\*win\_width-win\_width+1:15\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1.15); p(16\*win\_width-win\_width+1:16\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1.16); p(17\*win\_width-win\_width+1:17\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,17); p(18\*win\_width-win\_width+1:18\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,18); p(19\*win\_width-win\_width+1:19\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,19); p(20\*win\_width-win\_width+1:20\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,20); p(21\*win\_width-win\_width+1:21\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,21); p(22\*win\_width-win\_width+1:22\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,22); p(23\*win\_width-win\_width+1:23\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,23); p(24\*win\_width-win\_width+1:24\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,24); p(25\*win\_width-win\_width+1:25\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,25); p(26\*win\_width-win\_width+1:26\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,26);

p(28\*win\_width-win\_width+1:28\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,28); p(29\*win\_width-win\_width+1:29\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,29); p(30\*win\_width-win\_width+1:30\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,30);

p(27\*win\_width-win\_width+1:27\*win\_width,1) = feature\_surf(win\_pos:win\_pos+win\_width-1,27);

# L. DIPNUMOF.M

```
function[p] = dipnumof(dip_name,dip_names)
%DIPNUMOF Return the index position of a diphone name in an array
         of diphone names. Uses binary search. Requires LESSTHAN.M.
%
%
%
   Usage: dip_num = dipnumof(dipname, dipnames);
  num_dips=length(dip_names);
  i = 1:
  k = num dips;
  found = 0:
  while (i \leq k)&(found \sim = 1)
   j = round((i+k)/2);
   if strcmp(dip_names(j,:),dip_name)==1
      found=1:
   elseif lessthan(dip_name,dip_names(j,:))==1
      k = i - 1;
   else
      i = j+1;
   end
  end
  \mathbf{p} = \mathbf{j};
```

# M. DIFF\_MAT.M

```
function [out_matrix] = diff_mat(in_mat)
%DIF_MAT
                Return a difference matrix for specified input matrix.
%
%
      Row i of the output matrix is the difference between rows i-1 and i
%
      of the input matrix. The resulting surface represents the
%
      rate of change of the function (assuming row number increases with
%
      time). Note that the resulting matrix will have one less row than
%
      input matrix.
%
%
%
%USAGE EXAMPLE:
                          delta_surface = diff_mat(data(1:maxrow,1:maxcol));
%
```

```
num_rows_in = size(in_mat,1);
num_cols_in = size(in_mat,2);
```

```
result_mat = zeros(num_rows_in-1,num_cols_in);
```

```
result_mat = (in_mat(2:num_rows_in,:)-in_mat(1:num_rows_in-1,:));
```

```
out_matrix = result_mat;
```

# N. LD16BIT.M

function [y] = ld16bit(name,number,offset) %LD16BIT Load signed 16-bit binary data file. % [Y] = LD16BIT('NAME') load the entire file 'NAME' as 16-bit % signed data samples. % % [Y] = LD16BIT('NAME',NUMBER) loads the first NUMBER % samples starting from the beginning of the file. % % [Y] = LD16BIT('NAME',NUMBER,OFFSET) loads NUMBER samples % beginning at OFFSET samples from the beginning of the % file. If NUMBER=0, loads starting from OFFSET to the EOF. % % See also LD16BIT, LD32BIT, SV8BIT, SV16BIT, SV32BIT % LT Dennis W. Brown 7-17-93, DWB 1-23-94 Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, CA % % May be freely distributed. % Not for use in commercial products. % default output y = []; % name must be a string if ~isstr(name), error('ld16bit: Filename must be a string argument!'); end; % open the file fid = fopen(name,'rb'); if fid == (-1) error(['ld16bit: Could not open file ' name]); end % get file length fseek(fid,0,'eof'); flength = ftell(fid); fseek(fid,0,'bof'); if nargin == 1 % read the entire file y = fread(fid,flength/2,'int16'); elseif nargin == 2 % read some of the samples beginning at the start of file % error check if number > flength/2, fclose(fid); error('Id16bit: Requested number of samples greater than filelength!'); end: % read samples fseek(fid,0,'bof'); y = fread(fid,number,'int16'); elseif nargin == 3, % read some of the samples beginning somewhere in the file % error check (offset sample is included in number) if number+offset-1 > flength/2, fclose(fid): error('Id16bit: Requested number+offset of samples greater than filelength!'); end;

```
if number == 0,
  % read to end-of-file
  fseek(fid,2*(offset-1),'bof');
  y = fread(fid,flength/2-offset+1,'int16');
  else
  % read specified number of samples
  fseek(fid,2*(offset-1),'bof');
  y = fread(fid,number,'int16');
  end;
end;
fclose(fid);
```

## O. LESSTHAN.M

```
function[r] = lessthan(str1,str2)
%LESSTHAN Return 1 if diphone name in str1 is alphabetically
% less than diphone name in str2.
% STRINGS MUST BE 7 CHARACTERS LONG!
%
% Usage: if lessthan(dip_names(i,1:7),dip_names(j,1:7)) == 1; break; end
%
colvals = [10000 1000 100 10 1 0.1 0.01]; % used to convert MATLAB's "<"
% result (a vector) to a alpha</pre>
```

% comparison. Crude, but it works % (for 7 char strings anyway).

r = sum(colvals.\*(str1 < str2)) > sum(colvals.\*(str1 > str2));

## P. STRCAT.M

```
function [out_str] = strcat(left,right)
%STRCAT Append two strings.
%
% USAGE: answer_str = strcat('Answer is ',int2str(result));
%
```

left\_len=length(left); right\_len=length(right); new\_last=left\_len+right\_len; out\_str = blanks(new\_last); out\_str(1:left\_len)=left(1:left\_len); out\_str(left\_len+1:new\_last)=right(1:right\_len);

### **APPENDIX B. ADA CODE**

## A. CONTENTS

### 1. DIPCOUNT.ADA

This utility counts the number of occurrences of each diphone in a phonetic dictionary.

## 2. DIPDURS.ADA

This utility gathers information on the maximum durations of diphones in a list of phonetic transcription files.

#### 3. DIPNUMS.ADA

This utility counts the number of occurrences of diphones in the phonetic transcription files. This tells how many exemplars are available for training and testing.

### 4. MAKFLIST.ADA

This utility produces a list containing the requested number of speech (.WAV) files containing the designated diphones. The output is used by MAKVECTS.M.

#### 5. VOCAB.ADA

This utility determines the vocabulary that can be built from a given list of diphones (for a particular phonetic dictionary).

## 6. MAKWLIST.ADA

This program produces a list of speech (.WAV) files, and the words they contain, for use by RECOGNIZ.M (in recognizing diphones prior to word tests).

#### 7. PHNDURS.ADA

This program gathers statistics on phoneme durations from phonetic transcription files.

### **B.** USING THE UTILITIES

The utilities in the appendix were used as follows:

- A directory listing of all TIMIT SX phonetic transcription (.PHN) files was redirected to a text file (eg. by typing "dir /b /s \*.phn > phnfiles.txt" at the DOS command prompt or "find" at the UNIX prompt). The list of transcription files was used by DIPNUMS.ADA to create a list of all diphones found in the PHN files. The output file was in the following format (the numbers refer to start, phoneme junction, and ending sample number): e:\timit\train\dr1\falk0\sx132.wav b-r 0 2200 4300
- 2. The list produced by the preceding step was sorted by an arbitrary column (one of the sample number fields) in order to scramble the speech files. Otherwise, speakers from the first few dialect regions would have dominated the training and test files selected in the next step (because they are early in the directory listing).
- 3. The shuffled file list from the preceding step was used by MAKFLIST.ADA to produce a final list of the speech files to be used. This utility also required a file (produced by DIPNUMS.ADA) listing the diphones to be included in the data set .
- 4. The file produced by MAKFLIST.ADA was used by a MATLAB script file (MAKVECTS.M) to locate and compute feature vectors from the actual TIMIT speech files.
- 5. Both DIPNUMS.ADA and MAKFLIST.ADA require an integer prescribing how many occurrences of each diphone to include.
- 6. Lists of the resulting feature vector files (again, produced by redirecting directory listings) were used by TRNBPX.M and TESTNET to locate the feature vector files.
- 7. After the network was trained, VOCAB.ADA was used to produce a list of words in the vocabulary achievable DIPLIST.TXT.
- 8. The vocabulary list produced by VOCAB.ADA was used by MAKWLIST.ADA to build a test set (list of .WAV files and their word locations) for use by RECOGNIZ.M.
# C. DIPCOUNT.ADA

--\*\* PROGRAM NAME: DipCount (DipCount.ada) 1 \_\_\*\* --\*\* AUTHOR: Maj Mark Cantrell, USMC (cantrell@nps.navy.mil) --\*\* --\*\* DESCRIPTION: Program for reading a phonetic dictionary & counting --\*\* diphones. --\*\* --\*\* DATE MODIFIED: 3 July, 1995 (see below for version number) ...\*\* \* with Arg, Text\_IO; use Text\_IO; procedure DipCount is Max\_Str\_Len : constant := 255; Max\_Phn\_Len : constant := 5; Col\_Widths : constant := 6; Usage\_Error : exception; Type STR is record Txt : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Len : Integer range 0..Max\_Str\_Len := 0; end record; Temp,Tail,Atom,Atom\_Str,Tail\_Str,Phon\_Str : STR; Type Phoneme is (AA,AE,AH,AO,AW,AY,B,CH,D,DH,EH,ER,EY, -- 1st 3 lines from CMU lex F,G,HH,IH,IY,JH,K,L,M,N,NG,OW,OY,P,R, S,SH,T,TH,UH,UW,V,W,Y,Z,ZH, EM, EN, ENG, EL, AX, IX, AXR, HX, -- this line from TIMIT -- use XXX for unknown codes XXX); Diphone\_Matrix : array(Phoneme, Phoneme) of natural := (others => (others => 0));This\_Phoneme,Last\_Phoneme : Phoneme; Debugging : boolean := false; Input\_Filename,Output\_FileName : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len) := (others => ' '); Name\_Last : Natural; Input\_Line : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len);

Version : constant String := "DipCount Version #1.0"; Input\_DataFile,Output\_DataFile : Text\_IO.File\_Type; \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* --\* GET\_ATOM - Gets next atom from a str Procedure Get\_Atom(In\_Str : Str;Atom\_Str,Tail\_Str : out Str) is i,a\_start,a\_end,a\_len,t\_len : integer := 1; Begin If In Str.Len > 0 then While (In\_Str.Txt(i) = ' ') and (i < In\_Str.Len) loop i := i + 1;end loop; If In\_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ' then a\_start := i; While (In\_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ') and (i < In\_Str.Len) loop i:=i+1; end loop; if In\_Str.Txt(i) = ' ' then  $a_end := i - 1;$ else a\_end := i; end if:  $a\_len := a\_end - a\_start + 1;$ t\_len := In\_Str.Len - a\_end; Tail\_Str.Len := t\_len; Atom\_Str.Len := a\_len; for i in 1..a\_len loop Atom\_Str.Txt(i) := In\_Str.Txt(a\_start + i - 1); end loop: for i in 1..t\_len loop Tail\_Str.Txt(i) := In\_Str.Txt(a\_end + i); end loop: else Atom\_Str.Len := 0; Tail\_Str.Len := 0; end if; else Atom\_Str.Len := 0; Tail Str.Len := 0; end if: end Get\_Atom; --\* GET\_PHONEME - Returns Phoneme corresponding to an atom (atom must be free --\* of leading & trailing blanks & other garbage (accent digits on end OK) Function Get\_Phoneme (In\_Atom : Str) return Phoneme is i,Phn\_End : Integer; Phn\_String : String (1..Max\_Phn\_Len); Out Phoneme : Phoneme: Beain Phn\_End := In\_Atom.Len;

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if In_Atom.Len > 0 then
  While ((In_Atom.Txt(Phn_End) in '0'..'9')) and (Phn_End > 1) loop
     Phn_End := Phn_End - 1;
 end loop;
 end if:
 If (Phn_End > 0) and (Phn_End <= Max_Phn_Len) then
 Phn_String(1..Phn_End) := In_Atom.Txt(1..Phn_End);
 begin -- block to catch constraint error if not a valid phoneme
     Out_Phoneme := Phoneme'Value(Phn_String(1..Phn_End));
     return Out_Phoneme;
  exception
     when constraint error =>
      return XXX:
  end: -- block
 else
 return XXX;
 end if:
end Get_Phoneme;
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--* PUT_PHON - A Put routine that translates from my enum
--* representations to standard symbols
     Procedure Put_Phon(O_File : File_Type; Phon : Phoneme) is
begin
If Phon = HX then
 Put(O File,"H#"):
 elsif Phon = XXX then
 Put(O_File,"???");
 else
 Put(O_File,Phoneme'image(Phon));
 end if:
end Put_Phon;
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--* DISPLAY_MATRIX - Prints final diphone matrix to output file (in 2 pieces)
Procedure Display_Matrix is
row,col,mid_col: Phoneme;
Count : natural := 0;
begin
DIPHONE COUNTS FOR FILE " & Input_Filename);
Put_Line(Output_Datafile," DIPHONE COUNTS FOR FILE " & Input_Filename
Put_Line(Output_Datafile,"
mid_col := Phoneme'val(integer((Phoneme'pos(Phoneme'last))/2));
new_line(Output_Datafile);
                                -- left half of matrix
for col in Phoneme'first..Mid_Col loop -- column labels
 set_col(Output_Datafile,col_widths*(1 + Phoneme'pos(col)));
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Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Col); end loop; new\_line(Output\_Datafile,2); for row in Diphone\_Matrix'range loop Put Phon(Output Datafile, Row); -- row label for col in Phoneme'first..Mid\_Col loop set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(1 + Phoneme'pos(col))); put(Output Datafile.integer'image(Diphone Matrix(row.col))); if Diphone\_Matrix(row,col) > 0 then -- count nonzero entries count := count + 1:end if: end loop: new\_line(Output\_Datafile); end loop; new\_line(Output\_Datafile,2); -- right half of matrix for col in Phoneme'succ(Mid\_Col)..Phoneme'last loop -- col labels set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(Phoneme'pos(col) - Phoneme'pos(Mid\_Col))); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,col); end loop: new\_line(Output\_Datafile,2); for row in Diphone\_Matrix'range loop Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Row); -- row label for col in Phoneme'succ(Mid\_Col)..Phoneme'last loop set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(Phoneme'pos(col) - Phoneme'pos(Mid\_Col))); put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone Matrix(row.col))): if Diphone\_Matrix(row.col) > 0 then -- count nonzero entries count := count + 1;end if: end loop; new\_line(Output\_Datafile); end loop: New\_Line(Output\_Datafile,3); Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," Total Diphones with nonzero entries = " & integer'image(count)); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile,3); -- Now list nonzero entries Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile,"NONZERO ENTRIES ARE:"); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); for row in Diphone\_Matrix'range loop for col in Phoneme'first..Phoneme'last loop if Diphone\_Matrix(row,col) > 0 then Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Row); set\_col(Output\_Datafile.col\_widths); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Col);

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set_col(Output_Datafile,(3*col_widths)-(integer'image(Diphone_Matrix(row,col))'length));
       put(Output_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone_Matrix(row,col)));
       new_line(Output_Datafile);
      end if;
  end loop;
 end loop;
end Display_Matrix;
--* GET_FILE - Prompts user for filename, opens file, & returns name & handle
Procedure Get_File(Prompt_String : String;
                F_Name : out String;
                F_Mode : File_Mode;
                F_Handle : in out File_Type) is
 Str_Last : Integer;
 Str_Text : String(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
begin
 loop -- loop until valid filename entered or user aborts (^C)
  Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered
      Put(Prompt_String);
      Get_Line(Str_Text,Str_Last);
      if F_Mode = In_File then
       Text_IO.Open(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      else
       Text_IO.Create(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      end if;
      F_Name := Str_Text;
      exit;
  exception
      When Name_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
                       Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
                       New Line:
      When others = raise;
  end:
 end loop;
end Get_File;
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\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* --\* DIPCOUNT Main Program \*\*\*\*\*\* Begin -- DipCount if (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/d" or -- process command line Arg.Data(3) = "/D" or Arg.Data(3) = -d or Arg.Data(3) = "-D" orArg.Data(3) = "d" or Arg.Data(3) = "D") then Debugging := True; elsif Arg.Count > 2 then -- note that program name is 1st entry in array raise Usage\_Error; end if; New\_Line(25); -- blank lines & program "banner" Put\_Line(Version); New\_Line(2); if (Arg.Count > 1) then -- if input filename on cmd line, open it. else ask begin Text\_IO.Open(File => Input\_DataFile, Mode => In\_File, Name => Arg.Data(2)); Input\_Filename(1..Arg.Data(2)'length) := Arg.Data(2); exception -- handle bad filenames from command line When Name\_Error Status\_error | Mode\_error | Use error | Device\_error => New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("\*\*\* Unable to open " & Arg.Data(2)); New Line; raise Usage\_Error; end; else Get\_File("Enter name of input file: ", Input\_Filename, In\_File, Input\_Datafile); end if; -- get output filename from user Get\_File("Enter name of output file: ", Output\_Filename, Out\_File, Output\_Datafile); If Debugging then New Line: Put\_Line("---------[ PROCESSING FILE ]------[ PROCESSING FILE ]-----end if;

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While NOT End_Of_File(Input_DataFile) loop
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Get_Line(Input_DataFile,Input_Line,Input_Last);
                                       -- if not a comment line
if Input_Last > 0 and then Input_Line(1) in 'A'..'z' then
 if debugging then
     Put_Line(Input_Line(1..Input_Last));
 end if;
 for i in 1...Input_Last loop
                             -- remove slashes. don't need them.
     if Input_Line(i) = '/' then
      Input_Line(i) := ' ';
     end if;
 end loop;
 Temp.Txt(1..Input_Last) := Input_Line(1..Input_Last);
 Temp.Len := Input_Last;
 Get_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get & discard the word
 if Debugging then
     Put_Line("Word = " & Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));
 end if;
 Last_Phoneme := HX; -- Consider silence & first phoneme to be a diphone
 loop
             -- for each phoneme on the line (in the word)
     Temp := Tail:
     Get_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail);
     if Atom.Len > 0 then
      This_Phoneme := Get_Phoneme(Atom);
      if Debugging then
       Put_Line(" Diphone = " &
             Phoneme'Image(Last_Phoneme) & "/" &
             Phoneme'Image(This_Phoneme));
      end if;
             -- increment counter for diphone formed by this & prior phoneme
      Diphone_Matrix(Last_Phoneme,This_Phoneme) :=
       Diphone_Matrix(Last_Phoneme,This_Phoneme) + 1;
      Last_Phoneme := This_Phoneme;
     end if;
     exit when Tail.Len <= 0;
 end loop;
 if Debugging then
     Put_Line(" Diphone = " &
       Phoneme'Image(Last_Phoneme) & "/" &
       Phoneme'Image(HX));
 end if;
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-- Consider last phoneme & silence to be a diphone Diphone\_Matrix(Last\_Phoneme,HX) := Diphone\_Matrix(Last\_Phoneme,HX) + 1;

end if;

end loop;

Display\_Matrix;

If Debugging then Put\_Line("------[ DONE ]------"); New\_Line; end if;

Text\_IO.Close(Input\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(Output\_Datafile);

exception

When Usage\_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel); New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("Usage: DipCount infilename [-d]"); New\_Line; Put\_Line(" -d = enable debugging"); New\_Line; return;

end DipCount;

## D. DIPDURS.ADA

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* \* --\*\* PROGRAM NAME: DipDurs (DipDurs.ada) \_\_\*\* --\*\* AUTHOR: Maj Mark Cantrell, USMC (cantrell@nps.navy.mil) --\*\* --\*\* DESCRIPTION: Program for reading a list of phonetic transcription --\*\* files & recording max diphone durations listed ...\*\* --\*\* DATE MODIFIED: 17 Sep, 1995 (see below for version number) \_\_\*\* with Arg, Text\_IO; use Text\_IO; procedure DipDurs is Max\_Str\_Len : constant := 255; Max\_Phn\_Len : constant := 5; Col\_Widths : constant := 6; Fs : constant := 16000.0; FList\_Filename : constant string := "DIPFLIST.TXT"; Usage\_Error : exception; Type STR is record Txt: String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Len : Integer range 0..Max\_Str\_Len := 0; end record: Temp,Tail,Atom,Atom\_Str,Tail\_Str,Phon\_Str: STR; Type Phoneme is (AA,AE,AH,AO,AW,AY,B,CH,D,DH,EH,ER,EY, -- 1st 3 lines from CMU lex F,G,HH,IH,IY,JH,K,L,M,N,NG,OW,OY,P,R, S,SH,T,TH,UH,UW,V,W,Y,Z,ZH, EM, EN, ENG, EL, AX, IX, AXR, HX, -- this line from TIMIT XXX); -- use XXX for unknown codes Diphone\_Matrix : array(Phoneme, Phoneme) of natural := (others => (others => 0));Max\_Dip\_X,Max\_Dip\_Y : Phoneme := HX; Max\_Duration : Integer := 0; Max\_Fname : Str: Debugging : boolean := false; Input\_Filename,Output\_FileName : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len) := (others => ' '); Name\_Last : Natural;

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Input_Line : string(1..Max_Str_Len);
Input_Last : natural;
Version : constant String := "DipDurs Version #1.0";
Input_DataFile,Output_DataFile,FList_File : Text_IO.File_Type;
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--* UPPER_CASE - Returns upper case version of input string
Function Upper_Case(In_String : string) return string is
 Result_String : String(In_String'first..In_String'last);
Begin
 for index in In_String'first..In_String'last loop
  If In_String(index) in 'a'..'z' then
Result_String(index) := character'val(character'pos(In_String(index)))
                 - character'pos('a')
                 + character'pos('A'));
  else
Result_String(index) := In_String(index);
  end if:
 end loop:
 return Result_String;
end Upper_Case;
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--* GET_ATOM - Gets next atom from a str
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Procedure Get_Atom(In_Str : Str;Atom_Str,Tail_Str : out Str) is
 i,a_start,a_end,a_len,t_len : integer := 1;
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 If In_Str.Len > 0 then
  While (In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
      i:=i+1;
  end loop;
  If In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ' then
      a_start := i;
      While (In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
       i:=i+1;
      end loop;
      if In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ' then
       a_end := i - 1;
      else
       a_end := i:
      end if:
      a\_len := a\_end - a\_start + 1;
      t_len := In_Str.Len - a_end;
      Tail_Str.Len := t_len;
      Atom_Str.Len := a_len;
      for i in 1..a len loop
       Atom_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_start + i - 1);
      end loop;
      for i in 1..t_len loop
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Tail_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_end + i);
      end loop;
  else
      Atom_Str.Len := 0;
      Tail_Str.Len := 0;
  end if:
 else
  Atom_Str.Len := 0;
  Tail_Str.Len := 0;
 end if:
end Get_Atom;
 --* GET_PHONEME - Returns Phoneme corresponding to an atom (atom must be free
--* of leading & trailing blanks & other garbage (accent digits on end OK)
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Function Get_Phoneme (In_Atom : Str) return Phoneme is
 i.Phn End : Integer:
 Phn_String : String (1..Max_Phn_Len);
 Out_Phoneme : Phoneme;
Begin
 Phn_End := In_Atom.Len;
 if In_Atom.Len > 0 then
  While ((In_Atom.Txt(Phn_End) in '0'..'9')) and (Phn_End > 1) loop
      Phn_End := Phn_End - 1;
  end loop;
 end if:
 If (Phn_End > 0) and (Phn_End <= Max_Phn_Len) then
  Phn_String(1..Phn_End) := Upper_Case(In_Atom.Txt(1..Phn_End));
  begin -- block to catch constraint error if not a valid phoneme
      Out_Phoneme := Phoneme'Value(Phn_String(1..Phn_End));
      return Out_Phoneme;
  exception
      when constraint_error =>
       if Phn_End = 2 and then Phn_String(1..2) = "H#" then
        return HX;
       else
        return XXX;
       end if:
  end: -- block
 else
  return XXX;
 end if:
end Get_Phoneme;
 --* ECHO_DATA - Used by Process_Phn_File to echo the data read from file
Procedure Echo_Data (Start_N, End_N : Long_Integer;
                      Phon_Str : Str;
                      Phoneme_Read : Phoneme) is
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begin

if Debugging then Put\_Line(" Start = " & long\_integer'image(Start\_N)); Put\_Line(" End = " & long\_integer'image(End\_N)); Put\_Line(" Phoneme " & Phon\_Str.Txt(1..Phon\_Str.Len) & " = " & Phoneme'image(Phoneme\_Read)); end if; end Echo\_Data; --\* PUT\_PHON - A Put routine that translates from my enum --\* representations to standard symbols. Used by Display Matrix. Procedure Put\_Phon(O\_File : File\_Type; Phon : Phoneme) is begin If Phon = HX then Put(O\_File,"H#"); elsif Phon = XXX then Put(O\_File,"???"); else Put(O\_File, Phoneme'image(Phon)); end if: end Put\_Phon; \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* --\* DISPLAY\_MATRIX - Prints final diphone matrix to output file (in 2 pieces) \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Procedure Display\_Matrix is row,col,mid\_col : Phoneme; Count : natural := 0; begin Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," MAX DIPHONE DURATIONS FOR FILES LISTED IN " & Input\_Filename); mid\_col := Phoneme'val(integer((Phoneme'pos(Phoneme'last))/2)); new\_line(Output\_Datafile); -- left half of matrix for col in Phoneme'first..Mid Col loop -- column labels set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(1 + Phoneme'pos(col))); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Col); end loop: new\_line(Output\_Datafile,2); for row in Diphone\_Matrix'range loop -- row label Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Row); for col in Phoneme'first..Mid Col loop set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(1 + Phoneme'pos(col)));

put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone\_Matrix(row,col))); if Diphone\_Matrix(row,col) > 0 then -- count nonzero entries count := count + 1;end if; end loop; new\_line(Output\_Datafile); end loop: new\_line(Output\_Datafile,2); -- right half of matrix for col in Phoneme'succ(Mid\_Col)..Phoneme'last loop -- col labels set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(Phoneme'pos(col) - Phoneme'pos(Mid\_Col))); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,col); end loop; new\_line(Output\_Datafile,2); for row in Diphone\_Matrix'range loop Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Row); -- row label for col in Phoneme'succ(Mid\_Col)..Phoneme'last loop set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(Phoneme'pos(col) - Phoneme'pos(Mid\_Col))); put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone\_Matrix(row,col))); if Diphone\_Matrix(row,col) > 0 then -- count nonzero entries count := count + 1: end if: end loop; new\_line(Output\_Datafile); end loop: New\_Line(Output\_Datafile,3); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); Total Diphones with nonzero entries = " & integer'image(count)); Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," Maximum diphone duration data:"): Put(Output\_Datafile," Diphone = "); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Max\_Dip X); Put(Output\_Datafile,"/"); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Max\_Dip\_Y); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," Duration (samples) = " & integer'image(Max\_Duration)); Put(Output\_Datafile," Duration (milliseconds) = "); Put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(integer(1000.0\*(float(Max\_Duration)/Fs)))); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," Found in file: " & Max\_Fname.Txt(1..Max\_FName.Len)); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile,3);

-- Now list nonzero entries

Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile,"NONZERO ENTRIES ARE:"); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile);

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for row in Diphone_Matrix'range loop
  for col in Phoneme'first..Phoneme'last loop
      if Diphone Matrix(row.col) > 0 then
        Put Phon(Output Datafile, Row);
        set_col(Output_Datafile,col_widths);
        Put_Phon(Output_Datafile,Col);
        set_col(Output_Datafile,(3*col_widths)-(integer'image(Diphone_Matrix(row,col))'length));
        put(Output_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone_Matrix(row,col)));
        new_line(Output_Datafile);
      end if;
  end loop;
 end loop;
end Display Matrix;
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-* GET_FILE - Prompts user for filename, opens file, & returns name & handle
Procedure Get_File(Prompt_String : String;
                 F_Name : out String;
F_Mode : File_Mode;
                 F_Handle : in out File_Type) is
 Str_Last : Integer;
 Str_Text : String(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
begin
loop -- loop until valid filename entered or user aborts (^C)
  Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered
      Put(Prompt_String);
      Get_Line(Str_Text,Str_Last);
      if F_Mode = In_File then
       Text_IO.Open(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str Text(1..Str Last));
      else
       Text_IO.Create(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      end if;
      F_Name := Str_Text;
      exit;
  exception
      When Name_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
                        Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
                        New Line:
      When others => raise:
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end; end loop;

end Get\_File;

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* --\* RECORD\_DURATION - Used by Process\_Phn\_File to record a diphone's duration --\* in Diphone\_Matrix. Durations of HX (silence) & XXX (unknown) not counted Procedure Record\_Duration (Start\_N, Mid\_N, End\_N : Long\_Integer; First\_Phon,Second\_Phon : Phoneme; Phon\_Filename : Str) is Dip Duration : Integer: m\_Sec : Integer; Local\_FName : Str; Valid\_Dip : Boolean := false; -- only valid dips count for max duration begin if (First\_Phon = HX) or (First\_Phon = XXX) then Dip\_Duration := integer(End\_N - Mid\_N); elsif (Second\_Phon = HX) or (Second\_Phon = XXX) then Dip\_Duration := integer(Mid\_N - Start\_N); else Dip\_Duration := integer(End\_N - Start\_N); Valid\_Dip := True; end if; if Dip\_Duration > Diphone\_Matrix(First\_Phon,Second\_Phon) then Diphone\_Matrix(First\_Phon,Second\_Phon) := Dip\_Duration; end if; if Debugging then Put\_Line("Diphone = " & Phoneme'Image(First\_Phon) & "/" & Phoneme'Image(Second\_Phon) & " duration = " & integer'image(Dip\_Duration)); New\_Line; end if: -- if new global max, record it If Valid\_Dip and (Dip\_Duration > Max\_Duration) then Max\_Duration := Dip\_Duration: Max\_Dip\_X := First\_Phon; Max\_Dip\_Y := Second\_Phon; Max\_Fname := Phon\_Filename; end if: end Record\_Duration; \*\*\*\*\*\* --\* PROCESS\_PHN\_FILE - Opens designated file & records diphone durations Procedure Process\_Phn\_File (Phn\_Filename : string) is

Phn\_File : Text\_IO.File\_Type; Last\_PhnAtom,Phn\_FName : Str; This\_Start,This\_End,Last\_Start,Last\_End,Closure\_Start,Closure\_End : long\_integer; Closure\_Pending : Boolean := False; Phn\_Line : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Phn\_Last : natural; This\_Phoneme,Last\_Phoneme,Closure\_Phoneme : Phoneme; Closure\_String : String(1..3);

begin

-- set up filename str for Record\_Duration calls Phn\_FName.Txt(1..Phn\_Filename'length) := Phn\_Filename; Phn\_FName.Len := Phn\_Filename'length;

Text\_IO.Open(File => Phn\_File, Mode => In\_File, Name => Phn\_Filename);

get\_line(Phn\_File,Phn\_Line,Phn\_Last);

if Phn\_Last > 5 then

if debugging then
 Put\_Line(Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last));
end if;

Temp.Txt(1..Phn\_Last) := Upper\_Case(Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last)); Temp.Len := Phn\_Last;

Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the start N Last\_Start := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the ending N Last\_End := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the phoneme string Last\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Atom); Last\_PhnAtom := Atom;

Echo\_Data (Last\_Start,Last\_End,Atom,Last\_Phoneme);

-- in case file starts with closure If Atom.Len = 3 and then ((Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "BCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "GCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "PCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "KCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL")) then

Closure\_Pending := True; \*

Closure\_Start := Last\_Start; Closure\_End := Last\_End; Closure\_String := Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len); Last\_Phoneme := HX; -- ignore the "last" values If Debugging then Put\_Line(" (Stop closure will be combined with stop's duration)"); end if; While NOT End\_Of\_File(Phn\_File) loop get\_line(Phn\_File,Phn\_Line,Phn\_Last);

if Phn\_Last > 5 then

if debugging then
 Put\_Line(" New line = " & Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last));
end if;

Temp.Txt(1..Phn\_Last) := Upper\_Case(Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last)); Temp.Len := Phn\_Last;

Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the start N This\_Start := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the ending N This\_End := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the phoneme string This\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Atom);

Echo\_Data (This\_Start, This\_End, Atom, This\_Phoneme);

If Closure\_Pending then

-- if this is stop to match pending closure If ((Closure\_String = "BCL") and (This\_Phoneme = B)) or ((Closure\_String = "DCL") and (This\_Phoneme = D)) or ((Closure\_String = "GCL") and (This\_Phoneme = G)) or ((Closure\_String = "PCL") and (This\_Phoneme = P)) or ((Closure\_String = "TCL") and (This\_Phoneme = T)) or ((Closure\_String = "KCL") and (This\_Phoneme = K)) or ((Closure\_String = "DCL") and (This\_Phoneme = JH))or ((Closure\_String = "TCL") and (This\_Phoneme = JH))or

-- record duration from last phoneme, thru closure to this -- phoneme's end. next diphone starts with CLOSURE's start

Record\_Duration(Last\_Start,Last\_End,This\_End, Last\_Phoneme,This\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

Last\_Start := Closure\_Start;

Last\_End := This\_End; Last\_Phoneme := This\_Phoneme; Last\_PhnAtom := Atom;

else -- else closure was not followed by matching stop

-- record duration from last phoneme, thru closure's end

-- as one diphone & from closure's start thru this

-- phoneme's end as another. next diphone starts with this

-- phoneme's start

Temp.Txt(1) := Closure\_String(1); Temp.Len := 1; Closure\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Temp);

Record\_Duration(Last\_Start,Last\_End,Closure\_End, Last\_Phoneme,Closure\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

Record\_Duration(Closure\_Start,Closure\_End,This\_End, Closure\_Phoneme,This\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

Last\_Start := This\_Start; Last\_End := This\_End; Last\_Phoneme := This\_Phoneme; Last\_PhnAtom := Atom;

end if;

Closure\_Pending := false;

-- see if THIS is a closure

elsif Atom.Len = 3 and then

((Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "BCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "GCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "PCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "KCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL")) then

If Debugging then Put\_Line(" (Stop closure will be combined with stop's duration)"); end if;

Closure\_Pending := True; Closure\_Start := This\_Start; Closure\_End := This\_End; Closure\_String := Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len);

else -- handle simple case where no closures involved

Record\_Duration(Last\_Start,Last\_End, This\_End,Last\_Phoneme,This\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

Last\_Start := This\_Start;

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Last_End := This_End;
Last_Phoneme := This_Phoneme;
Last_PhnAtom := Atom;
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end if;

Echo\_Data (Last\_Start,Last\_End,Last\_PhnAtom,Last\_Phoneme);

end if;

end loop;

-- handle case where last phoneme was a closure if Closure\_Pending then

-- closure was not followed by matching stop

-- record duration from last phoneme, thru closure's end -- as one diphone

Temp.Txt(1) := Closure\_String(1); Temp.Len := 1; Closure\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Temp);

Record\_Duration(Last\_Start,Last\_End,Closure\_End, Last\_Phoneme,Closure\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

end if;

end if;

Close(Phn\_File);

#### exception

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When Name_Error | Use_Error | Device_Error =>
New_Line;
Put_Line("*** Unable to open PHN file " & Phn_Filename);
New_Line;
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end Process\_Phn\_File;

--\*\* DipDurs Main Program

Begin -- DipDurs

if (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/d" or -- process command line Arg.Data(3) = "/D" or Arg.Data(3) = "-d" or Arg.Data(3) = "-D" or Arg.Data(3) = "d" or Arg.Data(3) = "d" or Arg.Data(3) = "D") then

Debugging := True;

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elsif Arg.Count > 2 then -- note that program name is 1st entry in array
 raise Usage_Error;
end if;
New_Line(25);
                      -- blank lines & program "banner"
Put_Line(Version);
New_Line(2);
if (Arg.Count > 1) then -- if input filename on cmd line, open it. else ask
 begin
  Text_IO.Open(File => Input_DataFile,
          Mode => In_File,
          Name => Arg.Data(2));
  Input_Filename(1..Arg.Data(2)'length) := Arg.Data(2);
                    -- handle bad filenames from command line
 exception
When Name Error |
   Status_error |
   Mode_error |
   Use error |
   Device_error => New_Line(3);
                       Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Arg.Data(2));
                       New_Line;
                       raise Usage_Error;
 end;
else
 Get_File("Enter name of input file: ",
        Input_Filename,
        In File.
        Input_Datafile);
end if;
                         -- get output filename from user
Get_File("Enter name of output file: ",
        Output_Filename,
        Out_File,
        Output_Datafile);
If Debugging then
 New_Line;
 Put_Line("-
               ------[ PROCESSING FILE ]------[ PROCESSING FILE ]-------[]
end if:
While NOT End_Of_File(Input_DataFile) loop
 Get_Line(Input_DataFile,Input_Line,Input_Last);
 Input_Line := Upper_Case(Input_Line);
 if Input_Last > 0 then
  If Debugging then
      Put_Line("#### " & Input_Line(1..Input_Last) & " ####");
  end if;
  Process_Phn_File(Input_Line(1..Input_Last));
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end if;

end loop;

Display\_Matrix;

If Debugging then Put\_Line("------[ DONE ]------"); New\_Line; end if;

Text\_IO.Close(Input\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(Output\_Datafile);

exception

When Usage\_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel); New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("Usage: DipDurs infilename [-d]"); New\_Line; Put\_Line(" -d = enable debugging"); New\_Line; return;

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end DipDurs;

### E. DIPNUMS.ADA

Text\_IO;

use Text\_IO;

procedure DipNums is

Max\_Str\_Len : constant := 255; Max\_Phn\_Len : constant := 5; Col\_Widths : constant := 6; Fs : constant := 16000.0; FList\_Filename : constant string := "DIPFLIST.TXT"; DipList\_Filename : constant string := "DIPFLIST.TXT";

Usage\_Error : exception;

Type STR is record Txt : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Len : Integer range 0..Max\_Str\_Len := 0; end record;

Temp,Tail,Atom,Atom\_Str,Tail\_Str,Phon\_Str : STR;

Type Phoneme is (AA,AE,AH,AO,AW,AY,B,CH,D,DH,EH,ER,EY, -- 1st 3 lines from CMU lex F,G,HH,IH,IY,JH,K,L,M,N,NG,OW,OY,P,R, S,SH,T,TH,UH,UW,V,W,Y,Z,ZH, EM,EN,ENG,EL,AX,IX,AXR,HX, -- this line from TIMIT XXX); -- use XXX for unknown codes

Diphone\_Matrix : array(Phoneme,Phoneme) of natural :=

(others => (others => 0));

Dip\_Num\_Needed : integer := 0;

Debugging : boolean := false; Recording : Boolean := false;

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Input_Filename,Output_FileName : string(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
Name_Last : Natural;
Input_Line : string(1..Max_Str_Len);
Input_Last : natural;
Version : constant String := "DipNums Version #1.0";
Input_DataFile,Output_DataFile,FList_File,DipList_OutFile : Text_IO.File_Type;
   --* UPPER_CASE - Returns upper case version of input string
Function Upper_Case(In_String : string) return string is
 Result_String : String(In_String'first..In_String'last);
Begin
 for index in In_String'first..In_String'last loop
  If In_String(index) in 'a'..'z' then
Result_String(index) := character'val(character'pos(In String(index))
                 - character'pos('a')
                + character'pos('A'));
  else
Result_String(index) := In_String(index);
  end if:
 end loop;
 return Result_String;
end Upper_Case;
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--* GET_ATOM - Gets next atom from a str
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                                        *****
Procedure Get_Atom(In_Str : Str;Atom_Str,Tail_Str : out Str) is
i,a_start,a_end,a_len,t_len : integer := 1;
Begin
 If In_Str.Len > 0 then
  While (In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
      i := i + 1;
  end loop;
  If In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ' then
      a start := i;
      While (In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
       i:=i+1:
      end loop;
      if In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ' then
       a_end := i - 1;
      else
       a_end := i;
      end if:
      a_len := a_end - a_start + 1;
      t_len := In_Str.Len - a_end;
      Tail_Str.Len := t len:
      Atom_Str.Len := a_len;
      for i in 1..a_len loop
       Atom_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_start + i - 1);
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end loop;
      for i in 1..t_len loop
       Tail_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_end + i);
       end loop;
   else
       Atom_Str.Len := 0;
       Tail_Str.Len := 0;
   end if;
 else
   Atom_Str.Len := 0;
  Tail_Str.Len := 0;
 end if:
end Get_Atom;
--* GET_PHONEME - Returns Phoneme corresponding to an atom (atom must be free
--* of leading & trailing blanks & other garbage (accent digits on end OK)
Function Get_Phoneme (In_Atom : Str) return Phoneme is
 i,Phn_End : Integer:
 Phn_String : String (1..Max_Phn_Len);
 Out_Phoneme : Phoneme;
Begin
 Phn_End := In_Atom.Len;
 if In_Atom.Len > 0 then
  While ((In_Atom.Txt(Phn_End) in '0'..'9')) and (Phn_End > 1) loop
      Phn_End := Phn_End - 1;
  end loop;
 end if;
 If (Phn_End > 0) and (Phn_End <= Max_Phn_Len) then
  Phn_String(1..Phn_End) := Upper_Case(In_Atom.Txt(1..Phn_End));
  begin -- block to catch constraint error if not a valid phoneme
      Out_Phoneme := Phoneme'Value(Phn_String(1..Phn_End));
      return Out_Phoneme;
  exception
      when constraint_error =>
       if Phn_End = 2 and then Phn_String(1..2) = "H#" then
        return HX;
       else
        return XXX;
       end if;
  end; -- block
 else
  return XXX;
 end if:
end Get_Phoneme;
 -* ECHO_DATA - Used by Process_Phn_File to echo the data read from file
Procedure Echo_Data (Start_N, End_N : Long_Integer;
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Phon_Str : Str;
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Phoneme\_Read : Phoneme) is

begin

if Debugging then Put\_Line(" Start = " & long\_integer'image(Start\_N)); Put\_Line(" End = " & long\_integer'image(End\_N)); Put\_Line(" Phoneme " & Phon\_Str.Txt(1..Phon\_Str.Len) & " = " & Phoneme'image(Phoneme\_Read)); end if; end Echo\_Data; --\* PUT\_PHON - A Put routine that translates from my enum --\* representations to standard symbols. Used by Display\_Matrix. Procedure Put\_Phon(O\_File : File\_Type; Phon : Phoneme) is begin If Phon = HX then Put(O\_File,"H#"); elsif Phon = XXX then Put(O\_File,"???"); else Put(O\_File,Phoneme'image(Phon)); end if; end Put\_Phon: \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* --\* DISPLAY\_MATRIX - Prints final diphone matrix to output file (in 2 pieces) Procedure Display\_Matrix is row,col,mid\_col : Phoneme; Count : natural := 0: maxed\_count : natural := 0; begin Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," MAX DIPHONE DURATIONS FOR FILES LISTED IN " & Input\_Filename); mid\_col := Phoneme'val(integer((Phoneme'pos(Phoneme'last))/2)); new\_line(Output\_Datafile); -- left half of matrix for col in Phoneme'first..Mid\_Col loop -- column labels set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths\*(1 + Phoneme'pos(col))); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Col); end loop;

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new_line(Output_Datafile,2);
  for row in Diphone_Matrix'range loop
   Put_Phon(Output_Datafile,Row);
                                      -- row label
   for col in Phoneme'first..Mid_Col loop
        set_col(Output_Datafile,col_widths*(1 + Phoneme'pos(col)));
       put(Output_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone_Matrix(row,col)));
       if Diphone_Matrix(row,col) > 0 then -- count nonzero entries
         if (Row /= XXX) and (Col /= XXX) and
          (Diphone_Matrix(row,col) >= Dip_Num_Needed) then
          maxed_count := maxed_count + 1;
          Put Phon(DipList_Outfile,row);
          Put(DipList_Outfile,' ');
          Put Phon(DipList_Outfile,col);
          New_Line(DipList_Outfile);
         end if:
         count := count + 1;
       end if:
   end loop;
   new_line(Output_Datafile);
  end loop;
  new_line(Output_Datafile,2);
                                        -- right half of matrix
  for col in Phoneme'succ(Mid Col)..Phoneme'last loop -- col labels
   set_col(Output_Datafile,col_widths*(Phoneme'pos(col) - Phoneme'pos(Mid_Col)));
   Put_Phon(Output_Datafile,col);
  end loop:
  new_line(Output_Datafile,2);
  for row in Diphone_Matrix'range loop
   Put_Phon(Output_Datafile,Row);
                                      -- row label
   for col in Phoneme'succ(Mid_Col)..Phoneme'last loop
       set col(Output_Datafile,col_widths*(Phoneme'pos(col) - Phoneme'pos(Mid Col)));
       put(Output_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone_Matrix(row,col)));
       if Diphone_Matrix(row,col) > 0 then -- count nonzero entries
        if (Row /= XXX) and (Col /= XXX) and
          (Diphone_Matrix(row,col) >= Dip_Num_Needed) then
          maxed_count := maxed_count + 1;
          Put Phon(DipList Outfile.row):
          Put(DipList Outfile.' '):
          Put_Phon(DipList_Outfile,col);
          New_Line(DipList_Outfile);
        end if:
        count := count + 1;
       end if;
   end loop;
   new_line(Output_Datafile);
  end loop;
  New_Line(Output_Datafile,3);
New Line(Output Datafile):
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Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," Total Recognized Diphones with nonzero entries = " & integer'image(count)); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," Total Recognized Diphones with requested number of files = " & integer'image(maxed\_count)); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile,3); -- Now list nonzero entries Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile, "NONZERO ENTRIES ARE:"); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile); for row in Diphone\_Matrix'range loop for col in Phoneme'first..Phoneme'last loop if Diphone\_Matrix(row,col) > 0 then Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Row); set\_col(Output\_Datafile,col\_widths); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Col); set\_col(Output\_Datafile,(3\*col\_widths)-(integer'image(Diphone\_Matrix(row,col))'length)); put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(Diphone\_Matrix(row,col))); new\_line(Output Datafile): end if: end loop; end loop: end Display\_Matrix; --\* GET\_FILE - Prompts user for filename, opens file, & returns name & handle Procedure Get\_File(Prompt\_String : String; F\_Name : out String; F\_Mode : File\_Mode: F\_Handle : in out File\_Type) is Str Last : Integer: Str\_Text : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len) := (others => ' '); begin loop -- loop until valid filename entered or user aborts (^C) Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered Put(Prompt\_String); Get\_Line(Str\_Text,Str\_Last); if F\_Mode = In\_File then Text\_IO.Open(File => F\_Handle,

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Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      else
       Text_IO.Create(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      end if;
      F_Name := Str_Text;
      exit;
  exception
      When Name_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
                       Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
                       New_Line;
      When others = raise:
  end:
 end loop;
end Get_File;
       --* Record Diphone - Used by Process_Phn_File to record a diphone's duration
--* in Diphone_Matrix. Durations of HX (silence) & XXX (unknown) not counted
Procedure Record_Diphone (Start_N, Mid_N, End_N : Long_Integer;
                        First_Phon,Second_Phon : Phoneme;
                        Phon_Filename : Str) is
 Local FName : Str:
 Valid_Dip : Boolean := true; -- only valid dips count
begin
 if (First Phon = XXX) or (Second_Phon = XXX) then
  Valid_Dip := False;
 end if;
 if recording and Valid_Dip then
  Local_Fname := Phon_Filename;
  If (Local_Fname.Len > 4) and then
       (Local_FName.Txt((Local_Fname.Len-3).Local_Fname.Len)) = ".PHN" then
      Local_FName.Txt((Local_Fname.Len-3)..Local_Fname.Len) := ".WAV";
      Put(FList_File,Local_FName.Txt(1..Local_Fname.Len) & " ");
      Put(FList_File,Phoneme'Image(First_Phon) & "-" & Phoneme'Image(Second_Phon) & " ");
      Put(FList_File,long_integer'image(Start_N) & " ");
Put(FList_File,long_integer'image(Mid_N) & " ");
      Put_Line(FList_File,long_integer'image(End_N));
  end if;
end if:
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Diphone\_Matrix(First\_Phon,Second\_Phon) := Diphone\_Matrix(First\_Phon,Second\_Phon) + 1;

if Debugging then Put\_Line("Diphone = " & Phoneme'Image(First\_Phon) & "-" & Phoneme'Image(Second\_Phon)); New\_Line; end if;

end Record\_Diphone;

--\* PROCESS\_PHN\_FILE - Opens designated file & records diphone durations

Procedure Process\_Phn\_File (Phn\_Filename : string) is

Phn\_File : Text\_IO.File\_Type; Last\_PhnAtom,Phn\_FName : Str; This\_Start,This\_End,Last\_Start,Last\_End,Closure\_Start,Closure\_End : long\_integer; Closure\_Pending : Boolean := False; Phn\_Line : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Phn\_Last : natural; This\_Phoneme,Last\_Phoneme,Closure\_Phoneme : Phoneme; Closure\_String : String(1..3);

begin

-- set up filename str for Record\_Diphone calls Phn\_FName.Txt(1..Phn\_Filename'length) := Phn\_Filename; Phn\_FName.Len := Phn\_Filename'length;

Text\_IO.Open(File => Phn\_File, Mode => In\_File, Name => Phn\_Filename);

get\_line(Phn\_File,Phn\_Line,Phn\_Last);

if Phn\_Last > 5 then

if debugging then
 Put\_Line(Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last));
end if;

Temp.Txt(1..Phn\_Last) := Upper\_Case(Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last)); Temp.Len := Phn\_Last;

Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the start N Last\_Start := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the ending N Last\_End := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the phoneme string Last\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Atom); Last\_PhnAtom := Atom; Echo\_Data (Last\_Start,Last\_End,Atom,Last\_Phoneme);

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-- in case file starts with closure
If Atom.Len = 3 and then
      ((Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "BCL") or
       (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or
       (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "GCL") or
       (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "PCL") or
       (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL") or
       (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "KCL") or
       (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or
       (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL")) then
      Closure Pending := True;
      Closure Start := Last_Start;
      Closure_End := Last_End;
      Closure_String := Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len);
      Last_Phoneme := HX; -- ignore the "last" values
      If Debugging then
       Put_Line(" (Stop closure will be combined with stop's duration)");
      end if;
end if;
While NOT End_Of_File(Phn_File) loop
 get_line(Phn_File,Phn_Line,Phn_Last);
if Phn_Last > 5 then
  if debugging then
      Put_Line(" New line = " & Phn_Line(1..Phn_Last));
  end if;
  Temp.Txt(1..Phn_Last) := Upper_Case(Phn_Line(1..Phn_Last));
  Temp.Len := Phn_Last;
  Get_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the start N
  This_Start := Long_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));
  Temp := Tail;
  Get_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the ending N
  This_End := Long_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));
  Temp := Tail;
  Get_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the phoneme string
  This_Phoneme := Get_Phoneme(Atom);
  Echo_Data (This_Start, This_End, Atom, This_Phoneme);
  If Closure_Pending then
                      -- if this is stop to match pending closure
      If ((Closure_String = "BCL") and (This_Phoneme = B)) or
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((Closure\_String = "DCL") and (This\_Phoneme = D)) or ((Closure\_String = "GCL") and (This\_Phoneme = G)) or ((Closure\_String = "PCL") and (This\_Phoneme = P)) or ((Closure\_String = "TCL") and (This\_Phoneme = T)) or ((Closure\_String = "KCL") and (This\_Phoneme = K)) or ((Closure\_String = "DCL") and (This\_Phoneme = JH))or ((Closure\_String = "TCL") and (This\_Phoneme = CH)) then

-- record duration from last phoneme, thru closure to this -- phoneme's end. next diphone starts with CLOSURE's start

Record\_Diphone(Last\_Start,Last\_End,This\_End, Last\_Phoneme,This\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

Last\_Start := Closure\_Start; Last\_End := This\_End; Last\_Phoneme := This\_Phoneme; Last\_PhnAtom := Atom;

else -- else closure was not followed by matching stop

-- record duration from last phoneme, thru closure's end

-- as one diphone & from closure's start thru this

-- phoneme's end as another. next diphone starts with this -- phoneme's start

Temp.Txt(1) := Closure\_String(1); Temp.Len := 1; Closure\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Temp);

Record\_Diphone(Last\_Start,Last\_End,Closure\_End, Last\_Phoneme,Closure\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

Record\_Diphone(Closure\_Start,Closure\_End,This\_End, Closure\_Phoneme,This\_Phoneme,Phn Fname);

Last\_Start := This\_Start; Last\_End := This\_End; Last\_Phoneme := This\_Phoneme; Last\_PhnAtom := Atom;

end if;

Closure\_Pending := false;

-- see if THIS is a closure elsif Atom.Len = 3 and then ((Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "BCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "GCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "PCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "KCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "DCL") or (Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len) = "TCL")) then If Debugging then Put\_Line(" (Stop closure will be combined with stop's duration)"); end if;

Closure\_Pending := True; Closure\_Start := This\_Start; Closure\_End := This\_End; Closure\_String := Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len);

else -- handle simple case where no closures involved

Record\_Diphone(Last\_Start,Last\_End, This\_End,Last\_Phoneme,This\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

Last\_Start := This\_Start; Last\_End := This\_End; Last\_Phoneme := This\_Phoneme; Last\_PhnAtom := Atom;

end if;

Echo\_Data (Last\_Start,Last\_End,Last\_PhnAtom,Last\_Phoneme);

end if;

end loop;

-- handle case where last phoneme was a closure if Closure\_Pending then

-- closure was not followed by matching stop

-- record duration from last phoneme, thru closure's end -- as one diphone

Temp.Txt(1) := Closure\_String(1); Temp.Len := 1; Closure\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Temp);

Record\_Diphone(Last\_Start,Last\_End,Closure\_End, Last\_Phoneme,Closure\_Phoneme,Phn\_Fname);

end if;

end if;

Close(Phn\_File);

exception

When Name\_Error I Use\_Error I Device\_Error => New\_Line; Put\_Line("\*\*\* Unable to open PHN file " & Phn\_Filename); New\_Line;

end Process\_Phn\_File; -\* DipNums Main Program \*\*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\* Begin -- DipNums if (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/d" or -- process command line Arg.Data(3) = "/D" or Arg.Data(3) = "-d" orArg.Data(3) = "-D" orArg.Data(3) = "d" or Arg.Data(3) = "D") then Debugging := True; elsif Arg.Count > 2 then -- note that program name is 1st entry in array raise Usage\_Error; end if; New\_Line(25); -- blank lines & program "banner" Put\_Line(Version); New\_Line(2); if (Arg.Count > 1) then -- if input filename on cmd line, open it. else ask begin Text\_IO.Open(File => Input\_DataFile, Mode => In File, Name => Arg.Data(2)); Input\_Filename(1..Arg.Data(2)'length) := Arg.Data(2); -- handle bad filenames from command line exception When Name\_Error Status\_error I Mode\_error I Use\_error | Device\_error => New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("\*\*\* Unable to open " & Arg.Data(2)); New Line; raise Usage\_Error; end; else Get\_File("Enter name of input file: ", Input\_Filename, In File. Input\_Datafile); end if; -- get output filename from user Get\_File("Enter name of output file: ", Output\_Filename, Out\_File, Output\_Datafile); -- get number of files to record per diphone

loop -- loop until valid integer entered or user aborts (^C)

Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered

Put("How many instances of each diphone required (0 if none)? "); Get\_Line(Input\_Line,Input\_Last);

Dip\_Num\_Needed := integer'value(input\_line(1..input\_last));

If Dip\_Num\_Needed > 0 then Text\_IO.Create(File => FList\_File, Mode => Out File, Name => FList\_Filename); Text\_IO.Create(File => DipList\_OutFile, Mode => Out\_File, Name => DipList\_Filename); Recording := True; else Recording := false; end if; exit; exception When constraint\_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel); Put\_Line("\*\*\* You must enter an integer (0 to cancel recording) \*\*\*"); New\_Line; When others => raise: end; end loop; If Debugging then New\_Line; Put\_Line("--------[ PROCESSING FILE ]------"); end if; While NOT End\_Of\_File(Input\_DataFile) loop Get\_Line(Input\_DataFile,Input\_Line,Input\_Last); Input\_Line := Upper\_Case(Input\_Line); if Input\_Last > 0 then If Debugging then Put\_Line("#### " & Input\_Line(1..Input\_Last) & " ####"); end if: Process\_Phn\_File(Input\_Line(1..Input\_Last)); If Debugging then 

end if;

end if;

end loop;

Display\_Matrix;

If Debugging then Put\_Line("------"); New\_Line; end if;

Text\_IO.Close(Input\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(Output\_Datafile);

If Recording then Text\_IO.Close(FList\_File); Text\_IO.Close(DipList\_Outfile); end if;

exception

When Usage\_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel); New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("Usage: DipNums infilename [-d]"); New\_Line; Put\_Line(" -d = enable debugging"); New\_Line; return;

end DipNums;

## F. MAKFLIST.ADA

--\*\* PROGRAM NAME: MakFList (MakFList.ada) \_\_\*\* --\*\* AUTHOR: Maj Mark Cantrell, USMC (cantrell@nps.navy.mil) \_\_\*\* --\*\* DESCRIPTION: Program for reading a list of TIMIT WAV/diphone --\*\* files & generating a new list with N occurences of each diphone --\*\* contained in DIPLIST.TXT. \_\_\*\* --\*\* DATE MODIFIED: 3 Oct, 1995 (see below for version number) \_\_\*\* with Arg, Text\_IO; use Text\_IO; procedure MakFList is Max\_Str\_Len : constant := 255; Max\_Phn\_Len : constant := 5; Col\_Widths : constant := 6; Fs : constant := 16000.0; DipList\_Filename : constant string := "DIPLIST.TXT"; Usage\_Error : exception; Type STR is record Txt : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Len : Integer range 0..Max\_Str\_Len := 0; end record; Temp, Tail, Atom, Atom\_Str, Tail\_Str, Phon\_Str : STR; Type Phoneme is (AA,AE,AH,AO,AW,AY,B,CH,D,DH,EH,ER,EY, -- 1st 3 lines from CMU lex F,G,HH,IH,IY,JH,K,L,M,N,NG,OW,OY,P,R, S,SH,T,TH,UH,UW,V,W,Y,Z,ZH, EM,EN,ENG,EL,AX,IX,AXR,HX, -- this line from TIMIT -- use XXX for unknown codes XXX); Diphone\_Matrix : array(Phoneme, Phoneme) of natural := (others => (others => integer'last)); Dip\_Rec\_Limit : integer := 0;

Debugging : boolean := false; Recording : Boolean := false;
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Input_Filename,Output_FileName : string(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
Name_Last : Natural;
Input_Line : string(1..Max_Str_Len);
Input_Last : natural;
Version : constant String := "MakFList Version #1.0";
Input_DataFile,Output_DataFile,DipList_InFile : Text_IO.File_Type;
--* UPPER_CASE - Returns upper case version of input string
Function Upper_Case(In_String : string) return string is
 Result_String : String(In_String'first..In_String'last);
Begin
 for index in In_String'first..In_String'last loop
  If In String(index) in 'a'..'z' then
Result_String(index) := character'val(character'pos(In_String(index))
                - character'pos('a')
                + character'pos('A'));
  else
Result_String(index) := In String(index);
  end if;
end loop;
 return Result_String;
end Upper_Case;
--* GET_ATOM - Gets next atom from a str
Procedure Get_Atom(In_Str : Str;Atom_Str,Tail_Str : out Str) is
i,a_start,a_end,a_len,t_len : integer := 1;
Begin
 If In_Str.Len > 0 then
  While (In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
      i := i + 1;
  end loop;
  If In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ' then
      a start := i:
      While (In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
       i:=i+1;
      end loop;
      if In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ' then
       a_end := i - 1;
      else
       a_end := i;
      end if;
      a\_len := a\_end - a\_start + 1;
      t_len := In_Str.Len - a_end;
      Tail_Str.Len := t_len;
      Atom_Str.Len := a_len;
      for i in 1..a_len loop
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Atom_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_start + i - 1);
      end loop;
      for i in 1..t_len loop
       Tail_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_end + i);
      end loop;
  else
      Atom_Str.Len := 0;
      Tail_Str.Len := 0;
  end if;
 else
  Atom_Str.Len := 0;
  Tail_Str.Len := 0;
 end if:
end Get_Atom;
--* GET_PHONEME - Returns Phoneme corresponding to an atom (atom must be free
--* of leading & trailing blanks & other garbage (accent digits on end OK)
Function Get_Phoneme (In_Atom : Str) return Phoneme is
 i,Phn End : Integer;
 Phn_String : String (1..Max_Phn_Len);
 Out_Phoneme : Phoneme;
Begin
 Phn_End := In_Atom.Len;
 if In_Atom.Len > 0 then
  While ((In_Atom.Txt(Phn_End) in '0'..'9')) and (Phn_End > 1) loop
      Phn_End := Phn_End - 1;
  end loop;
 end if:
 If (Phn_End > 0) and (Phn_End <= Max_Phn_Len) then
  Phn_String(1..Phn_End) := Upper_Case(In_Atom.Txt(1..Phn_End));
  begin -- block to catch constraint error if not a valid phoneme
      Out_Phoneme := Phoneme'Value(Phn_String(1..Phn_End));
      return Out Phoneme;
  exception
      when constraint error =>
       if Phn_End = 2 and then Phn_String(1..2) = "H#" then
        return HX;
       else
        return XXX;
       end if;
  end; -- block
 else
  return XXX;
 end if;
end Get_Phoneme;
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--* PUT_PHON - A Put routine that translates from my enum
--* representations to standard symbols. Used by Display Matrix.
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Procedure Put_Phon(O_File : File_Type; Phon : Phoneme) is
begin
 If Phon = HX then
  Put(O_File,"H#");
 elsif Phon = XXX then
  Put(O_File,"???");
 else
  Put(O_File,Phoneme'image(Phon));
 end if:
end Put_Phon;
--* GET_FILE - Prompts user for filename, opens file, & returns name & handle
Procedure Get_File(Prompt_String : String;
                F_Name : out String;
                F Mode : File Mode;
                F_Handle : in out File_Type) is
 Str_Last : Integer;
 Str_Text : String(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
begin
 loop -- loop until valid filename entered or user aborts (^C)
  Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered
      Put(Prompt_String);
      Get_Line(Str_Text,Str_Last);
      if F_Mode = In_File then
       Text_IO.Open(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      else
       Text_IO.Create(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode.
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      end if;
      F_Name := Str_Text;
      exit;
  exception
      When Name_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
                       Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
                       New_Line;
      When others => raise;
  end;
end loop;
end Get File;
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 * Record_Diphone - Output the line if this diphone still needed
Procedure Record_Diphone (File_Line : String;
                      First Phon.Second Phon : Phoneme) is
 Valid_Dip : Boolean := true; -- only valid dips count
begin
 if (First_Phon = XXX) or (Second_Phon = XXX) then
  Valid_Dip := False;
 end if;
 if recording and Valid_Dip and
   (Diphone_Matrix(First_Phon,Second_Phon) < Dip_Rec_Limit) then
  Put Line(Output_Datafile,File_Line);
  Diphone_Matrix(First_Phon,Second_Phon) := Diphone_Matrix(First_Phon,Second_Phon) + 1;
 end if;
 if Debugging then
  Put Line("Diphone = " &
  Phoneme'Image(First_Phon) & "-" &
  Phoneme'Image(Second_Phon));
  New_Line;
 end if;
end Record_Diphone;
 ******
--* PROCESS_LINE - Process line from file list & output if that diphone is
--* still needed
            Procedure Process_Line(File_Line : string) is
 Hyphen_Pos : natural := 0;
 First_Phn_Str,Last_Phn_Str,Line_Str,Tail,Temp : Str;
 Row,Col: Phoneme;
begin
 Line_Str.Txt(1..File_Line'length) := File_Line;
 Line_Str.Len := File_Line'length;
 Get_Atom(Line_Str,Temp,Tail);
                                -- fetch and discard filename
 Temp := Tail;
 Get_Atom(Temp,First_Phn_Str,Tail); -- fetch diphone string
 Last_Phn_Str := First_Phn_Str;
                               -- store diphone in both str's & then
                                  -- remove one phoneme from each
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For i in 1..First\_Phn\_Str.Len loop -- determine where first phoneme ends
if (First\_Phn\_Str.Txt(i) = '-') or (First\_Phn\_Str.Txt(i) = '/') then
Hyphen\_Pos := i;
end if;
end loop;

First\_Phn\_Str.Len := Hyphen\_Pos - 1; -- "remove" 2nd phoneme from tail of 1st

-- remove 1st phoneme from front of 2nd For i in Hyphen\_Pos+1..Last\_Phn\_Str.Len loop Last\_Phn\_Str.Txt(i-Hyphen\_Pos) := Last\_Phn\_Str.Txt(i); end loop; Last\_Phn\_Str.Len := Last\_Phn\_Str.Len - Hyphen\_Pos;

Row := Get\_Phoneme(First\_Phn\_Str); Col := Get\_Phoneme(Last\_Phn\_Str);

Record\_Diphone(File\_Line,Row,Col);

end Process\_Line;

--\* INIT\_MATRIX - Set matrix cells to zero if that diphone is listed in

--\* diplist.txt. That allows file lines with those diphones to be output.

Procedure Init\_Matrix is

Input\_Line : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Input\_Last : natural; First\_Phn\_Str,Last\_Phn\_Str,Line\_Str,Tail,Temp : Str; Row,Col : Phoneme;

#### Begin

Text\_IO.Open(File => DipList\_InFile, Mode => In\_File, Name => DipList\_Filename);

While NOT End\_Of\_File(DipList\_InFile) loop

Get\_Line(DipList\_InFile,Input\_Line,Input\_last);

Line\_Str.Txt(1..Input\_Last) := Input\_Line(1..Input\_Last); Line\_Str.Len := Input\_Last;

Get\_Atom(Line\_Str,First\_Phn\_Str,Tail); -- fetch first phoneme str

Get\_Atom(Tail,Last\_Phn\_Str,Temp); -- fetch last phoneme str

Row := Get\_Phoneme(First\_Phn\_Str); Col := Get\_Phoneme(Last\_Phn\_Str);

Diphone\_Matrix(row,col) := 0;

end loop;

end Init\_Matrix;

-\* MakFList Main Program \*\*\*\*\*\* Begin -- MakFList if (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/d" or -- process command line Arg.Data(3) = "/D" or Arg.Data(3) = -d or Arg.Data(3) = "-D" or Arg.Data(3) = "d" or Arg.Data(3) = "D") then Debugging := True; elsif Arg.Count > 2 then -- note that program name is 1st entry in array raise Usage\_Error; end if: New\_Line(25); -- blank lines & program "banner" Put\_Line(Version); New\_Line(2); if (Arg.Count > 1) then -- if input filename on cmd line, open it. else ask beain Text\_IO.Open(File => Input\_DataFile, Mode => In File, Name => Arg.Data(2)); Input\_Filename(1..Arg.Data(2)'length) := Arg.Data(2); exception -- handle bad filenames from command line When Name\_Error I Status\_error | Mode error | Use\_error | Device\_error => New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("\*\*\* Unable to open " & Arg.Data(2)); New\_Line; raise Usage\_Error; end: else Get\_File("Enter name of input file: ", Input\_Filename, In File. Input\_Datafile); end if; -- get output filename from user Get\_File("Enter name of output file: ", Output\_Filename, Out\_File, Output\_Datafile);

-- get number of files to record per diphone

loop -- loop until valid integer entered or user aborts (^C)

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Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered
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Put("How many filenames required for each diphone? "); Get\_Line(Input\_Line,Input\_Last);

Dip\_Rec\_Limit := integer'value(input\_line(1..input\_last));

If Dip\_Rec\_Limit > 0 then

Init\_Matrix; Recording := True;

else

raise constraint\_error;

end if;

exit;

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exception
When constraint_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
Put_Line("*** You must enter a nonzero integer ***");
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New\_Line; When others => raise;

end;

end loop;

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If Debugging then
New_Line;
Put_Line("------[ PROCESSING FILE ]------");
end if;
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While NOT End\_Of\_File(Input\_DataFile) loop

Get\_Line(Input\_DataFile,Input\_Line,Input\_Last);

Input\_Line := Upper\_Case(Input\_Line);

if Input\_Last > 0 then

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If Debugging then
        Put_Line("#### " & Input_Line(1..Input_Last) & " ####");
end if;
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Process\_Line(Input\_Line(1..Input\_Last));

end if;

end loop;

If Debugging then Put\_Line("------[ DONE ]------"); New\_Line; end if;

Text\_IO.Close(Input\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(Output\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(DipList\_Infile);

exception

When Usage\_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel); New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("Usage: MakFList infilename [-d]"); New\_Line; Put\_Line(" -d = enable debugging"); New\_Line; return;

end MakFList;

# G. VOCAB.ADA

--\*\* PROGRAM NAME: Vocab (vocab.ada) \_\_\*\* --\*\* AUTHOR: Maj Mark Cantrell, USMC (cantrell@nps.navy.mil) \_\_\*\* --\*\* DESCRIPTION: Program for reading a phonetic dictionary & creating a --\*\* text file list of words in that dictionary that are composed of --\*\* diphones in DIPLIST.TXT. --\*\* --\*\* DATE MODIFIED: 8 Mar, 1996 (see below for version number) \_\_\*\* with Arg, Text\_IO; use Text\_IO; procedure Vocab is Version : constant String := "Vocab Version #3.0"; DipList\_FileName : constant String := "diplist.txt"; Max\_Str\_Len : constant := 255; Max\_Phn\_Len : constant := 5; Col\_Widths : constant := 6; Usage\_Error : exception; Type STR is record Txt : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Len : Integer range 0..Max\_Str\_Len := 0; end record; Temp,Tail,Atom,Word,Atom\_Str,Tail\_Str,Phon\_Str : STR; Type Phoneme is (AA,AE,AH,AO,AW,AY,B,CH,D,DH,EH,ER,EY, -- 1st 3 lines from CMU lex F,G,HH,IH,IY,JH,K,L,M,N,NG,OW,OY,P,R, S,SH,T,TH,UH,UW,V,W,Y,Z,ZH, EM, EN, ENG, EL, AX, IX, AXR, HX, -- this line from TIMIT XXX); -- use XXX for unknown codes Diphone\_Matrix : array(Phoneme, Phoneme) of natural := (others => (others => 0));

This\_Phoneme,Last\_Phoneme : Phoneme;

Debugging : boolean := false;

Input\_Filename,Output\_FileName : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len) := (others => ' '); Name\_Last : Natural;

Input\_Line : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Input\_Last : natural;

Input\_DataFile,Output\_DataFile,DipList\_InFile : Text\_IO.File\_Type;

In\_Vocab : boolean;

Splice\_Count : natural; Splicing : Boolean; Splice\_Array : array(1..Max\_Str\_Len,1..2) of Phoneme;

Mid\_Splice\_Enable : Boolean := false; -- toggled on to allow mid-word splicing

--\* GET\_ATOM - Gets next atom from a str \*\*\*\*\*\* Procedure Get\_Atom(In\_Str : Str;Atom\_Str,Tail\_Str : out Str) is i,a\_start,a\_end,a\_len,t\_len : integer := 1; Begin If In\_Str.Len > 0 then While (In\_Str.Txt(i) = ' ') and (i < In\_Str.Len) loop i:=i+1; end loop; If In\_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ' then a\_start := i; While (In\_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ') and (i < In Str.Len) loop i := i + 1;end loop: if In\_Str.Txt(i) = ' ' then a\_end := i - 1; else  $a_end := i;$ end if;  $a\_len := a\_end - a\_start + 1;$ t\_len := In\_Str.Len - a\_end; Tail\_Str.Len := t\_len; Atom\_Str.Len := a\_len; for i in 1..a\_len loop Atom\_Str.Txt(i) := In\_Str.Txt(a\_start + i - 1); end loop; for i in 1..t\_len loop Tail\_Str.Txt(i) := In\_Str.Txt(a\_end + i);

end loop;

else

Atom\_Str.Len := 0; Tail\_Str.Len := 0;

end if;

else

Atom\_Str.Len := 0; Tail\_Str.Len := 0; end if; end Get\_Atom;

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--* GET_PHONEME - Returns Phoneme corresponding to an atom (atom must be free
--* of leading & trailing blanks & other garbage (accent digits on end OK)
Function Get_Phoneme (In_Atom : Str) return Phoneme is
i.Phn End : Integer:
Phn_String : String (1..Max_Phn_Len);
Out_Phoneme : Phoneme;
Begin
Phn_End := In_Atom.Len;
if In_Atom.Len > 0 then
 While ((In_Atom.Txt(Phn_End) in '0'..'9')) and (Phn_End > 1) loop
     Phn_End := Phn_End - 1;
 end loop;
end if;
If (Phn_End > 0) and (Phn_End <= Max_Phn_Len) then
 Phn_String(1..Phn_End) := In_Atom.Txt(1..Phn_End);
 begin -- block to catch constraint error if not a valid phoneme
     Out_Phoneme := Phoneme'Value(Phn_String(1..Phn_End));
     return Out Phoneme:
 exception
     when constraint_error =>
      return XXX;
 end; -- block
else
 return XXX;
end if;
end Get_Phoneme;
--* PUT_PHON - A Put routine that translates from my enum
--* representations to standard symbols
Procedure Put_Phon(O_File : File_Type; Phon : Phoneme) is
begin
If Phon = HX then
 Put(O File,"H#"):
elsif Phon = XXX then
 Put(O_File,"???");
else
 Put(O_File,Phoneme'image(Phon));
end if:
end Put_Phon;
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--\* GET\_FILE - Prompts user for filename, opens file, & returns name & handle

Procedure Get\_File(Prompt\_String : String; F\_Name : out String;

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F_Mode : File_Mode;
                 F_Handle : in out File_Type) is
 Str_Last : Integer;
 Str_Text : String(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
begin
 loop -- loop until valid filename entered or user aborts (^C)
  Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered
      Put(Prompt_String);
      Get_Line(Str_Text,Str_Last);
      if F_Mode = In_File then
       Text_IO.Open(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      else
       Text_IO.Create(File => F_Handle,
               Mode => F_Mode,
               Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      end if;
      F_Name := Str_Text;
      exit;
  exception
      When Name_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
                       Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
                       New Line:
      When others => raise;
  end:
 end loop;
end Get_File;
 --* INIT_MATRIX - Set matrix cells to one if that diphone is listed in
--* diplist.txt.
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               *********
Procedure Init_Matrix is
 Input_Line : String(1..Max_Str_Len);
 Input_Last : natural;
First_Phn_Str,Last_Phn_Str,Line_Str,Tail,Temp : Str;
Row,Col: Phoneme:
Begin
Text_IO.Open(File => DipList_InFile,
                     Mode => In_File,
                     Name => DipList_Filename);
While NOT End_Of_File(DipList_InFile) loop
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Get\_Line(DipList\_InFile,Input\_Line,Input\_last);

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Line_Str.Txt(1..Input_Last) := Input_Line(1..Input_Last);
Line_Str.Len := Input_Last;
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Get\_Atom(Line\_Str,First\_Phn\_Str,Tail); -- fetch first phoneme str

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Get_Atom(Tail,Last_Phn_Str,Temp); -- fetch last phoneme str
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Row := Get_Phoneme(First_Phn_Str);
Col := Get_Phoneme(Last_Phn_Str);
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Diphone\_Matrix(row,col) := 1;

end loop;

Text\_IO.Close(DipList\_InFile);

end Init\_Matrix;

--\* VOCAB Main Program

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Begin -- Vocab
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if (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/d" or -- process command line
                           Arg.Data(3) = "/D") then
 Debugging := True;
elsif (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/m" or -- process command line
                                Arg.Data(3) = "/M") then
 Mid_Splice_Enable := True;
elsif Arg.Count > 2 then -- program name is 1st entry in array
 raise Usage_Error;
end if;
New_Line(2);
                     -- blank lines & program "banner"
Put_Line(Version);
New_Line(2);
if (Arg.Count > 1) then -- if input filename on cmd line, open it. else ask
 begin
  Text_IO.Open(File => Input_DataFile,
          Mode \Rightarrow In_File,
          Name => Arg.Data(2));
  Input_Filename(1..Arg.Data(2)'length) := Arg.Data(2);
 exception
                   -- handle bad filenames from command line
When Name_Error |
   Status_error |
   Mode_error |
   Use_error |
   Device_error => New_Line(3);
                       Put_Line("**** Unable to open " & Arg.Data(2));
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New_Line;
                       raise Usage_Error;
 end;
else
 Get_File("Enter name of input file: ",
        Input Filename,
        In_File,
        Input_Datafile);
end if:
                         -- get output filename from user
Get_File("Enter name of output file: ",
        Output_Filename,
        Out_File,
        Output_Datafile);
If Debugging then
 New_Line;
 Put_Line("------[ PROCESSING FILE ]------");
end if;
Init_Matrix;
While NOT End_Of_File(Input_DataFile) loop
 Get_Line(Input_DataFile,Input_Line,Input_Last);
                                        -- if not a comment line
 if Input_Last > 0 and then Input_Line(1) in 'A'..'z' then
  if debugging then
      Put_Line(Input_Line(1..Input_Last));
  end if:
  for i in 1..Input_Last loop
                               -- remove slashes. don't need them.
      if Input_Line(i) = '/' then
       Input_Line(i) := ' ';
      end if;
  end loop;
  Temp.Txt(1..Input_Last) := Input_Line(1..Input_Last);
  Temp.Len := Input Last;
  Get_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the word
  Word := Atom;
                        -- save it
  if Debugging then
      Put_Line("Word = " & Word.Txt(1..Word.Len));
  end if;
  Last_Phoneme := HX; -- Consider silence & first phoneme to be a diphone
  In_Vocab := true;
  Splicing := false; -- This flag will go true if must splice around a dip
  Splice Count := 0; -- count splices for each word
  loop
               -- for each phoneme on the line (in the word)
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Temp := Tail;
    Get_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail);
    if Atom.Len > 0 then
     This_Phoneme := Get_Phoneme(Atom);
     if Debugging then
      Put Line(" Diphone = " &
            Phoneme'Image(Last_Phoneme) & "/" &
            Phoneme'Image(This_Phoneme));
     end if;
            -- include word if composed of diphones in diplist.txt
     if (Diphone_Matrix(Last_Phoneme,This_Phoneme) = 0) and
       ((Mid_Splice_Enable = true) or (Last_Phoneme = HX)) and
       (Splicing = false) then -- splice around if just one missing
      Splicing := true;
      Splice_Count := Splice_Count + 1;
      Splice_Array(Splice_Count,1) := Last Phoneme;
      Splice Array(Splice Count.2) := This Phoneme:
     elsif Diphone_Matrix(Last_Phoneme,This_Phoneme) = 0 then
      In Vocab := false:
                              -- can't splice if two diphones missing
     else
      Splicing := false;
                            -- not splicing if diphone found
     end if:
     Last_Phoneme := This_Phoneme;
    end if:
    exit when Tail.Len <= 0;
end loop;
if Debugging then
    Put_Line(" Diphone = " &
      Phoneme'Image(Last_Phoneme) & "/" &
      Phoneme'Image(HX));
end if:
              -- Consider last phoneme & silence to be a diphone
if (Diphone_Matrix(Last_Phoneme,HX) = 0) and (Splicing = false) then
 Splice_Count := Splice_Count + 1:
 Splice_Array(Splice_Count,1) := Last_Phoneme;
 Splice_Array(Splice Count.2) := HX:
elsif Diphone_Matrix(Last_Phoneme,HX) = 0 then
 In Vocab := false:
end if;
            -- output word if it was composed of diphones in diplist.txt
if In Vocab then
    Text_IO.Put(Output_Datafile,Word.Txt(1..Word.Len));
    Text_IO.Put(Output_Datafile,',');
    Text_IO.Put(Output_Datafile,integer'image(splice_count));
    if (Splice_Count > 0) then
     for i in 1..splice_count loop
      Text_IO.Put(Output_Datafile,',');
      Put_Phon(Output_Datafile,Splice_Array(i,1));
      Text_IO.Put(Output_Datafile,'/');
      Put_Phon(Output_Datafile,Splice_Array(i,2));
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end loop;
end if;
Text_IO.New_Line(Output_Datafile);
end if;
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end if;

end loop;

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If Debugging then
Put_Line("------[ DONE ]-----");
New_Line;
end if;
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Text\_IO.Close(Input\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(Output\_Datafile);

exception

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When Usage_Error =>

Put(Ascii.Bel);

New_Line(3);

Put_Line("Usage: Vocab infilename [-d]");

New_Line;

Put_Line(" /d = enable debugging");

Put_Line(" /m = enable mid-word splices");

New_Line;

return;
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end Vocab;

# H. MAKWLIST.ADA

--\*\* PROGRAM NAME: MakWList (MakWList.ada) \_\_\*\* --\*\* AUTHOR: Maj Mark Cantrell, USMC (cantrell@nps.navy.mil) \_\_\*\* --\*\* DESCRIPTION: Program for reading a list of TIMIT \*.WRD --\*\* files & generating a new list with occurences of each word --\*\* contained in a vacabulary file \_\_\*\* --\*\* DATE MODIFIED: 21 Jan, 1996 (see below for version number) \_\_\*\* \* with Arg, Cody\_Math, Text\_IO; use Text\_IO; procedure MakWList is package Long\_Int\_IO is new Text\_IO.Integer\_IO(Long\_Integer); use Long\_Int\_IO; Max\_Str\_Len : constant := 255; Max\_Word\_Len : constant := 20; Max\_Num\_Words : constant := 1000; Vocab\_Filename : constant string := "VOCAB.TXT"; Usage\_Error : exception; SubType Word\_Str is String(1..Max\_Word\_Len); Vocab\_Array : array(1..Max\_Num\_Words) of Word\_Str := (others => (others => ' '));Debugging : boolean := false; Input\_Filename,Output\_FileName : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len) := (others => ' '); Name\_Last : Natural; Input\_Line : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Input\_Last : natural; Version : constant String := "MakWList Version #1.0"; Input\_DataFile,Output\_DataFile : Text\_IO.File\_Type;

Num\_Words : natural := 0;

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--* UPPER_CASE - Returns upper case version of input string
Function Upper_Case(In_String : string) return string is
 Result_String: String(In_String'first..In_String'last);
Beain
 for index in In_String'first..In_String'last loop
  If In_String(index) in 'a'..'z' then
Result_String(index) := character'val(character'pos(In_String(index))
                - character'pos('a')
                + character'pos('A'));
  else
Result_String(index) := In_String(index);
  end if;
 end loop;
 return Result String;
end Upper_Case;
 --* GET_FILE - Prompts user for filename, opens file, & returns name & handle
Procedure Get_File(Prompt_String : String;
                F_Name : out String;
                F_Mode : File_Mode;
                F_Handle : in out File_Type) is
 Str Last : Integer;
 Str_Text : String(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
begin
 loop -- loop until valid filename entered or user aborts (^C)
  Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered
      Put(Prompt_String);
      Get_Line(Str_Text,Str_Last);
      if F_Mode = In_File then
       Text_IO.Open(File => F_Handle,
              Mode => F_Mode,
              Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      else
       Text_IO.Create(File => F_Handle,
              Mode => F_Mode,
              Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
      end if;
      F_Name := Str_Text;
      exit;
  exception
      When Name Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
                       Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
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New_Line;
When others => raise;
end;
end loop;
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end Get\_File;

--\* IN\_VOCAB - Determine if a word is in the vocabulary

Function In\_Vocab(Key : String) return boolean is

mid : natural; s : natural := 1; e : natural := Num\_Words; found : boolean := false;

begin

If debugging then Text\_IO.Put("Checking for: <"); Text\_IO.Put(Key); Text\_IO.Put\_Line(">"); end if;

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while (found = false) and (S <= E) loop
Mid := integer(Cody_Math.round(float(S+E)/2.0));
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If debugging then
Text_IO.Put("Comparing to: <");
Text_IO.Put(Vocab_Array(Mid));
Text_IO.Put_Line(">");
end if;
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If Vocab_Array(mid) = Key then
found := true;
elsif Key <= Vocab_Array(mid) then
e := Mid - 1;
else
s := Mid + 1;
end if;
end loop;
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If found then return true; else return false; end if;

end In\_Vocab;

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--* PROCESS_LINE - Process line from wrd file list & output if that word --* is in vocabulary
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Procedure Process\_Line(File\_Line,Wav\_Filename : string) is

Word\_Read : String(1..Max\_Word\_Len) := (others => ' '); Start\_Sample,End\_Sample : Long\_Integer; Index\_1,Index\_2,Word\_Index : natural;

begin

Long\_Int\_Io.Get(File\_Line,Start\_Sample,Index\_1); Long\_Int\_Io.Get(File\_Line(Index\_1+1..File\_Line'length),End\_Sample,Index\_2);

Word\_Index := 0; For i in Index\_2+1..File\_Line'length loop if File\_Line(i) /= ' ' then Word\_Index := Word\_Index + 1; Word\_Read(Word\_Index) := File\_Line(i); end if; end loop;

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If debugging then
Text_IO.Put("File_Line is: <");
Text_IO.Put(File_Line);
Text_IO.Put_Line(">");
end if;
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if In_Vocab(Upper_Case(Word_Read)) then
Text_lo.Put(Output_Datafile,Wav_Filename);
Text_lo.Put(Output_Datafile,'');
Text_lo.Put(Output_Datafile,Word_Read(1..Word_Index));
Text_lo.Put(Output_Datafile,'');
Long_Int_lo.Put(Output_Datafile,Start_Sample,0);
Text_lo.Put(Output_Datafile,'');
Long_Int_lo.Put(Output_Datafile,End_Sample,0);
Text_IO.New_Line(Output_Datafile);
end if;
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end Process\_Line;

--\* PROCESS\_WRD\_FILE - Process lines from a word file: pass each line --\* of each wrd file to process\_line for vocab check & possible output

Procedure Process\_Wrd\_File(Wrd\_Filename : String) is

Dot\_Loc : natural := 0; Wrd\_Infile : Text\_IO.File\_Type; Word\_Line : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Line\_Last : natural; WAV\_Filename : String(1..Wrd\_Filename'length) := Wrd\_Filename;

begin

Text\_IO.Open(File => Wrd\_InFile, Mode => In\_File, Name => Wrd\_Filename);

loop -- determine WAV filename

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dot\_loc := dot\_loc + 1;
  exit when (Dot_Loc > Wrd_Filename'length) or else (Wrd Filename(Dot Loc) = '.');
 end loop:
 WAV_Filename(Dot_Loc+1..Dot_Loc+3) := "WAV";
                 -- process all lines in WRD file
 while NOT End_of_File(Wrd_InFile) loop
  Text_Io.Get_Line(Wrd_InFile,Word_Line,Line_Last);
  Process_Line(Word_Line(1..Line_Last),WAV_Filename);
 end loop;
 Text_IO.Close(Wrd_Infile);
end Process_Wrd_File;
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--* PROCESS_FILELIST - Process lines from a file list file & pass each line
--* of each wrd file to process_wrd_file
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Procedure Process_Filelist(FileList_Infile : Text_IO.File_Type) is
 FileName_Line : String(1..Max_Str_Len);
 Filename Last : Natural;
begin
                 -- process all lines in file list file
 while NOT End_of_File(FileList_InFile) loop
  Text_Io.Get_Line(FileList_InFile,Filename_Line,Filename_Last);
  If debugging then
      Text_IO.Put("File Name is: <");
      Text_IO.Put(Filename_Line(1..Filename_Last));
      Text_IO.Put_Line(">");
  end if;
  Process_WRD_File(Filename_Line(1..Filename_Last));
 end loop:
end Process_FileList;
    ****************
--* Read_Vocab - Read words from vocab file into vocab array
Procedure Read_Vocab is
 Vocab_Infile : Text_IO.File_Type;
 Word_Line : String(1..Max_Str_Len);
 Word_Last,Word_End : Natural;
 Word_Read : String(1..Max_Word_Len);
begin
 Text_IO.Open(File => Vocab_InFile,
         Mode => In_File,
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Name => Vocab\_Filename);

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-- process all lines in WRD file
  while NOT End_of_File(Vocab_InFile) loop
   Text_Io.Get_Line(Vocab_InFile,Word_Line,Word_Last);
   Word_Read := (others => ' ');
   Word_End := 0;
   loop
                -- determine word read
       word_end := word_end + 1;
       exit when (Word_End > Max_Word_Len) or else
                (Word_End > Word_Last) or else
                (Word_Line(Word_End) = ',');
       Word_Read(Word_End) := Word_Line(Word_End);
   end loop:
   Num_Words := Num_Words + 1;
   Vocab_Array(Num_Words) := Upper_Case(Word_Read);
  end loop;
  Text_IO.Close(Vocab_InFile);
  If debugaing then
   Text_IO.Put_Line("Vocab is:");
   For i in 1...Num_Words loop
       Text_IO.Put_Line(Vocab_Array(i));
   end loop:
  end if;
end Read_Vocab;
  ***********
 -* MakWList Main Program
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                              *****
Begin -- MakWList
if (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/d" or -- process command line
                          Arg.Data(3) = "/D" or
                          Arg.Data(3) = -d or
                          Arg.Data(3) = "-D" or
                          Arg.Data(3) = "d" or
                          Arg.Data(3) = "D") then
  Debugging := True;
elsif Arg.Count > 2 then -- note that program name is 1st entry in array
  raise Usage_Error;
end if;
New_Line(2);
                     -- blank lines & program "banner"
Put Line(Version);
New_Line(2);
if (Arg.Count > 1) then -- if input filename on cmd line, open it, else ask
 begin
   Text_IO.Open(File => Input_DataFile,
          Mode => In_File,
          Name \Rightarrow Arg.Data(2));
   Input_Filename(1..Arg.Data(2)'length) := Arg.Data(2);
 exception
                   -- handle bad filenames from command line
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When Name\_Error Status\_error | Mode\_error | Use\_error | Device\_error => New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("\*\*\* Unable to open " & Arg.Data(2)); New\_Line; raise Usage\_Error; end; else Get\_File("Enter name of input file: ", Input\_Filename, In\_File, Input\_Datafile); end if; -- get output filename from user Get\_File("Enter name of output file: ", Output\_Filename, Out\_File, Output\_Datafile); If Debugging then New\_Line; Put\_Line("------[ READING VOCAB.TXT ]------";); end if: Read Vocab: If Debugging then Put\_Line("------[ DONE READING VOCAB.TXT ]------"); New\_Line(2); Put\_Line("-----[ PROCESSING FILE LIST ]------"); end if; Process\_Filelist(Input\_Datafile); If Debugging then Put\_Line("------[ DONE ]------"); New\_Line; end if; Text\_IO.Close(Input\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(Output\_Datafile); exception When Usage\_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel); New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("Usage: MakWList infilename [-d]"); New\_Line; Put\_Line(" -d = enable debugging"); New\_Line; return; end MakWList;

## I. PHNDURS.ADA

--\*\* PROGRAM NAME: PhnDurs (PhnDurs.ada) \_\_\*\* --\*\* AUTHOR: Maj Mark Cantrell, USMC (cantrell@nps.navy.mil) \_\_\*\* --\*\* DESCRIPTION: Program for reading a list of phonetic transcription --\*\* files & recording max diphone durations listed \_\_\*\* --\*\* DATE MODIFIED: 17 Sep, 1995 (see below for version number) \_\_\*\* with Arg, Text\_IO; use Text\_IO; procedure PhnDurs is Max\_Str\_Len : constant := 255; Max\_Phn\_Len : constant := 5; Col\_Widths : constant := 6; Fs : constant := 16000.0; FList\_Filename : constant string := "DIPFLIST.TXT"; Usage\_Error : exception; Type STR is record Txt : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Len : Integer range 0..Max\_Str\_Len := 0; end record; Type Phn\_Rec is record Min : integer := integer'last; Max : integer := 0; Sum : float := 0.0; Count : Integer := 0; end record; Temp,Tail,Atom,Atom\_Str,Tail\_Str,Phon\_Str : STR; Type Phoneme is (AA,AE,AH,AO,AW,AY,B,CH,D,DH,EH,ER,EY, -- 1st 3 lines from CMU lex F,G,HH,IH,IY,JH,K,L,M,N,NG,OW,OY,P,R, S,SH,T,TH,UH,UW,V,W,Y,Z,ZH, EM, EN, ENG, EL, AX, IX, AXR, HX, -- this line from TIMIT -- use XXX for unknown codes XXX);

Phoneme\_Array : array(Phoneme) of Phn\_Rec;

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-- Max_Dip_X,Max_Dip_Y : Phoneme := HX;
Max_Duration : Integer := 0;
Max_Fname : Str:
Debugging : boolean := false;
Input_Filename,Output_FileName : string(1..Max_Str_Len) := (others => ' ');
Name_Last : Natural;
Input_Line : string(1..Max_Str_Len);
Input Last : natural;
Version : constant String := "PhnDurs Version #1.0";
Input_DataFile,Output_DataFile,FList_File : Text_IO.File Type:
  --* UPPER_CASE - Returns upper case version of input string
Function Upper_Case(In_String : string) return string is
 Result_String : String(In_String'first..In_String'last);
Begin
 for index in In_String'first..In_String'last loop
  If In_String(index) in 'a'..'z' then
 Result_String(index) := character'val(character'pos(In_String(index))
                 - character'pos('a')
                 + character'pos('A'));
  else
 Result_String(index) := In_String(index);
  end if;
 end loop;
 return Result_String;
end Upper_Case;
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--* GET_ATOM - Gets next atom from a str
  ******
Procedure Get_Atom(In_Str : Str;Atom_Str,Tail_Str : out Str) is
 i,a_start,a_end,a_len,t_len : integer := 1;
Begin
 If In_Str.Len > 0 then
  While (In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
      i:=i+1;
  end loop:
  If In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ' then
      a_start := i;
      While (In_Str.Txt(i) /= ' ') and (i < In_Str.Len) loop
       i := i + 1;
      end loop;
      if In_Str.Txt(i) = ' ' then
        a_end := i - 1;
      else
        a_end := i;
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end if:
       a\_len := a\_end - a\_start + 1;
      t_len := In_Str.Len - a_end;
       Tail_Str.Len := t_len;
      Atom_Str.Len := a_len;
      for i in 1..a_len loop
        Atom_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_start + i - 1);
      end loop:
      for i in 1..t_len loop
        Tail_Str.Txt(i) := In_Str.Txt(a_end + i);
      end loop:
  else
      Atom_Str.Len := 0;
      Tail_Str.Len := 0;
  end if;
 else
  Atom Str.Len := 0;
  Tail_Str.Len := 0;
 end if;
end Get_Atom;
 --* GET_PHONEME - Returns Phoneme corresponding to an atom (atom must be free
--* of leading & trailing blanks & other garbage (accent digits on end OK)
Function Get_Phoneme (In_Atom : Str) return Phoneme is
 i,Phn_End : Integer;
 Phn_String : String (1..Max_Phn_Len);
 Out_Phoneme : Phoneme;
Begin
 Phn_End := In_Atom.Len;
 if In_Atom.Len > 0 then
  While ((In_Atom.Txt(Phn_End) in '0'..'9')) and (Phn_End > 1) loop
      Phn_End := Phn_End - 1;
  end loop;
 end if;
 If (Phn_End > 0) and (Phn_End <= Max_Phn_Len) then
  Phn_String(1..Phn_End) := Upper_Case(In_Atom.Txt(1..Phn_End));
  begin -- block to catch constraint error if not a valid phoneme
      Out_Phoneme := Phoneme'Value(Phn String(1..Phn End));
      return Out_Phoneme;
  exception
      when constraint error =>
       if Phn_End = 2 and then Phn_String(1..2) = "H#" then
        return HX;
       else
        return XXX:
       end if:
  end; -- block
 else
  return XXX;
 end if;
end Get Phoneme;
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--\* ECHO\_DATA - Used by Process\_Phn\_File to echo the data read from file

Procedure Echo\_Data (Start\_N, End\_N : Long\_Integer; Phon\_Str : Str; Phoneme\_Read : Phoneme) is

begin

if Debugging then Put\_Line(" Start = " & long\_integer'image(Start\_N)); Put\_Line(" End = " & long\_integer'image(End\_N)); Put\_Line(" Phoneme " & Phon\_Str.Txt(1..Phon\_Str.Len) & " = " & Phoneme'image(Phoneme\_Read)); end if; end Echo\_Data; --\* PUT\_PHON - A Put routine that translates from my enum --\* representations to standard symbols. Used by Display\_Array. Procedure Put\_Phon(O\_File : File\_Type; Phon : Phoneme) is begin If Phon = HX then Put(O\_File,"H#"); elsif Phon = XXX then Put(O\_File,"???"); else Put(O\_File,Phoneme'image(Phon)); end if; end Put\_Phon; --\* Display\_Array - Prints final results to output file Procedure Display\_Array is row : Phoneme; avg : float; count : integer; begin Put\_Line(Output\_Datafile," MAX PHONEME DURATIONS FOR FILES LISTED IN " & Input\_Filename); new\_line(Output\_Datafile); for row in Phoneme\_Array'range loop count := Phoneme\_Array(row).count; If count > 0 then

avg := Phoneme\_Array(row).sum/float(Phoneme\_Array(row).count);

Put(Output\_Datafile,"(");

Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Row); -- phn name

Put(Output\_Datafile," ("); Put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(Phoneme\_Array(row).Min)); Put(Output\_Datafile," "); Put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(Phoneme\_Array(row).Max)); Put(Output\_Datafile," "); Put(Output\_Datafile,integer'image(integer(avg))); Put(Output\_Datafile,")");

Put(Output\_Datafile,")");

new\_line(Output\_Datafile);

else

Put(Output\_Datafile,"("); Put\_Phon(Output\_Datafile,Row); Put(Output\_Datafile," (nil nil nil))"); New\_Line(Output\_Datafile);

end if; end loop;

end Display\_Array;

--\* GET\_FILE - Prompts user for filename, opens file, & returns name & handle

Procedure Get\_File(Prompt\_String : String; F\_Name : out String; F\_Mode : File\_Mode; F\_Handle : in out File\_Type) is Str\_Last : Integer; Str\_Text : String(1..Max\_Str\_Len) := (others => ' '); begin

loop -- loop until valid filename entered or user aborts (^C) Begin -- block statements to allow another try if bad filename entered

Put(Prompt\_String); Get\_Line(Str\_Text,Str\_Last);

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Mode => F_Mode,
             Name => Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
     end if;
     F_Name := Str_Text;
     exit:
  exception
     When Name_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel);
                    Put_Line("*** Unable to open " & Str_Text(1..Str_Last));
                    New_Line;
     When others => raise;
  end;
 end loop;
end Get_File;
 --* RECORD_DURATION - Used by Process_Phn_File to record a phoneme's duration
--* in Phoneme Array.
Procedure Record_Duration (Start_N,End_N : Long_Integer;
                     Phn: Phoneme) is
 Phn_Duration : Integer;
m_Sec : Integer;
Local_FName : Str;
begin
if End_N - Start_N < long_integer(integer'last) then
 Phn_Duration := integer(End_N - Start_N);
 else
 Phn_Duration := integer'last;
 end if;
if Phn_Duration > Phoneme_Array(Phn).Max then
 Phoneme_Array(Phn).Max := Phn_Duration;
end if;
 if Phn_Duration < Phoneme_Array(Phn).Min then
 Phoneme_Array(Phn).Min := Phn_Duration;
end if;
Phoneme_Array(Phn).Sum := Phoneme_Array(Phn).Sum + float(Phn_Duration);
Phoneme_Array(Phn).Count := Phoneme_Array(Phn).Count + 1;
end Record_Duration;
 *************
--* PROCESS_PHN_FILE - Opens designated file & records diphone durations
Procedure Process_Phn_File (Phn_Filename : string) is
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Phn\_File : Text\_IO.File\_Type;

Temp,Atom,Tail,This\_PhnAtom,Phn\_FName : Str; This\_Start,This\_End : long\_integer; Phn\_Line : string(1..Max\_Str\_Len); Phn\_Last : natural; This\_Phoneme : Phoneme;

begin

-- set up filename str for Record\_Duration calls Phn\_FName.Txt(1..Phn\_Filename'length) := Phn\_Filename; Phn\_FName.Len := Phn\_Filename'length;

Text\_IO.Open(File => Phn\_File, Mode => In\_File, Name => Phn\_Filename);

get\_line(Phn\_File,Phn\_Line,Phn\_Last);

if Phn\_Last > 5 then

While NOT End\_Of\_File(Phn\_File) loop

if debugging then
 Put\_Line(Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last));
end if;

Temp.Txt(1..Phn\_Last) := Upper\_Case(Phn\_Line(1..Phn\_Last)); Temp.Len := Phn\_Last;

Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the start N This\_Start := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the ending N This\_End := Long\_Integer'value(Atom.Txt(1..Atom.Len));

Temp := Tail; Get\_Atom(Temp,Atom,Tail); -- get the phoneme string This\_Phoneme := Get\_Phoneme(Atom); This\_PhnAtom := Atom;

Echo\_Data (This\_Start,This\_End,Atom,This\_Phoneme);

get\_line(Phn\_File,Phn\_Line,Phn\_Last);

Record\_Duration(This\_Start,This\_End,This\_Phoneme);

end loop;

end if;

Close(Phn\_File);

exception

When Name\_Error | Use\_Error | Device\_Error => New\_Line;

Put\_Line("\*\*\* Unable to open PHN file " & Phn\_Filename); New\_Line;

end Process\_Phn\_File;

-\* PhnDurs Main Program \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Begin -- PhnDurs if (Arg.Count > 2) and then (Arg.Data(3) = "/d" or -- process command line Arg.Data(3) = "/D" or Arg.Data(3) = "-d" or Arg.Data(3) = "-D" orArg.Data(3) = "d" or Arg.Data(3) = "D") then Debugging := True; elsif Arg.Count > 2 then -- note that program name is 1st entry in array raise Usage\_Error; end if; New\_Line(25); -- blank lines & program "banner" Put\_Line(Version); New\_Line(2); if (Arg.Count > 1) then --- if input filename on cmd line, open it. else ask begin Text\_IO.Open(File => Input\_DataFile, Mode => In\_File, Name => Arg.Data(2)); Input\_Filename(1..Arg.Data(2)'length) := Arg.Data(2); exception -- handle bad filenames from command line When Name\_Error | Status\_error I Mode\_error I Use\_error | Device\_error => New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("\*\*\* Unable to open " & Arg.Data(2)); New\_Line; raise Usage\_Error; end; else Get\_File("Enter name of input file: ", Input\_Filename, In File. Input\_Datafile); end if; -- get output filename from user Get\_File("Enter name of output file: ", Output\_Filename, Out\_File, Output\_Datafile);

If Debugging then New\_Line; Put\_Line("------[ PROCESSING FILE ]------"); end if; While NOT End\_Of\_File(Input\_DataFile) loop Get\_Line(Input\_DataFile,Input\_Line,Input\_Last); Input\_Line := Upper\_Case(Input\_Line); if Input\_Last > 0 then If Debugging then Put\_Line("#### " & Input\_Line(1..Input\_Last) & " ####"); end if: Process\_Phn\_File(Input\_Line(1..Input\_Last)); If Debugging then end if: end if; end loop; Display\_Array; If Debugging then Put\_Line("------"); New\_Line; end if; Text\_IO.Close(Input\_Datafile); Text\_IO.Close(Output\_Datafile); exception When Usage\_Error => Put(Ascii.Bel); New\_Line(3); Put\_Line("Usage: PhnDurs infilename [-d]"); New\_Line; Put\_Line(" -d = enable debugging"); New\_Line; return; end PhnDurs;

## APPENDIX C. LISP CODE

#### A. CONTENTS

## 1. RECOGNIZ.CL

This is the main lexical analyzer code. It reads a list of diphone detections (produced by RECOGNIZ.M) and outputs a list of word candidates. Note that this code is not limited to the diphone list of Appendix D or the vocabulary of Appendix E. The entire TIMIT lexicon is scanned by the lexical analyzer (and a larger lexicon may easily be substituted). If some of a word's diphones are not among the neural network's output classes, the lexical analyzer will simply fail to ever find those diphones in its input stream. Appendix E contains additional comments on this issue.

#### 2. PEAKS.CL

This file contains functions for removing all but the output peaks from the input file used by RECOGNIZ.CL.

#### 3. DICT.CL

This file contains phonetic dictionary utilities.

#### 4. LEXICON.TXT

This is the TIMIT lexicon converted to a LISP list. The complete file is too large to include in this appendix. So an extract is provided as a sample of the format used.

### 5. LEXICON2.TXT

This is the TIMIT lexicon converted to a LISP list. This version is sorted by the second phoneme in each word. The complete file is too large to include in this appendix. So an extract is provided as a sample of the format used.

## 6. PHNINDEX TXT

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This is an index containing each phoneme (45 entries) and the file position of the first word in LEXICON.TXT that starts with that phoneme.

## 7. PHNINDX2 TXT

This is an index containing each phoneme (45 entries) and the file position of the first word in LEXICON2.TXT that has that phoneme as its second phoneme.

## 8. PHNDURS TXT

This is a list of phonemes and their minimum, average, and maximum expected durations. It was produced by PHNDURS.ADA and is used by RECOGNIZ.CL to bound its search for phonemes in a word.

## B. RECOGNIZ.CL

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; RECOGNIZ.CL - This program converts a diphone peak list into word ; candidates.
; ; Written by Maj Mark E. Cantrell, USMC
; ; Version 1.3; 7 June 1996
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,**************************************
, GLOBALS
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(defvar *diphone_peak_list* nil) ; peaks list produced by dip2peak
(defvar "phoneme_index" nil) ; lexicon index by 1st phoneme
(delvar phoneme_index2 nii) ; lexicon index by 2nd phoneme (defvar *nhn_dure* nii) ; list of max 8 min nhn durations
(defvar *dict file* nil) ; is of max & min prin durations (defvar *dict file* nil) ; levicon sorted by 1st nbn
(defvar *dict_file2* nil) : lexicon sorted by 2nd phn
(defvar *word_candidates* nil) ; words from peaks_to_words

(defvar \*last phns\* nil) ; phns located in last build\_word call (defvar \*failed\_phn\* nil) (defvar \*last\_peaks\* nil) ; peaks located in last build\_word call ; phn that last build word call failed on (defconstant \*dummy\_confidence\* 0.0) ; confidence assigned to dummy diphones (defconstant \*min\_conf\* 0.0005) ; word confidence must be > this to list (defconstant \*min\_peak\* 0.0005) ; start peaks with lower confidence are ignored (defconstant \*win\_rate\* 170) ; this number of samples between (interleaved) ; window positions \*\*\*\*\*\* LOAD SUPPORT CODE (load "peaks") ; functions for converting NNET outputs to diphone peaks (load "dict") ; phonetic dictionary functions \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* KEY FUNCTIONS FOR TURNING DIPHONE PEAKS INTO WORD CANDIDATES PEAKS\_TO\_WORDS - Try each dip in peak list (recursively) to see if it starts a word (defun peaks\_to\_words (peak\_list) (cond ((null peak\_list) nil) (t (if (>= (third (first peak\_list)) \*min\_peak\*) (findwords (first peak\_list) (rest peak\_list))) (peaks\_to\_words (rest peak\_list))))) FINDWORDS - Find all possible words in peak list starting with given diphone peak \* (defun findwords (start\_peak rest\_peak\_list) (cond ((equal (first\_phn start\_peak) 'HX) ; if detected silence at start of word, chain from start\_peak (setf \*word\_candidates\*

(append \*word\_candidates\* (build\_words\_I start\_peak rest\_peak\_list)))) ; else look for words starting w/2nd phn in start\_peak (no word gap) (t (setf \*word candidates\* (append \*word\_candidates\* (build\_words\_I start\_peak rest\_peak\_list))) ; and look for words starting with 1st phn in start\_peak (setf \*word\_candidates\* (append \*word\_candidates\* (build\_words\_II start\_peak rest\_peak\_list))) ; and words with 2nd phn = 1st phn in start\_peak (a "splice") (setf \*word\_candidates\* (append \*word\_candidates\* (build\_words\_III start\_peak rest\_peak\_list)))))) \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* BUILD\_WORDS\_I - Look for all words in peak list starting from a silence-first dip \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* (defun build words I (start peak rest peaks) (let ((file\_pos (index\_pos (second\_phn start\_peak) \*phoneme\_index\*)) (word entry nil) (nw nil) (rl nil)) ; position lexicon file pointer at 1st word starting with 1st phn (cond (file\_pos (file-position \*dict\_file\* file\_pos) (setf word\_entry (read \*dict\_file\* nil nil nil)) (loop; attempt to confirm each word starting with 1st phn (when (not (equal (second word\_entry) (second\_phn start\_peak))) (return rl)) ; exit when no more words in dictionary ; start with this phn (if (not\_already\_found word\_entry \*word\_candidates\* start\_peak) ; (setf nw (build word (first word entry) ; word candidate (list (second word\_entry)); phns found so far (rest (rest word\_entry)) ; phns yet to be found (list start\_peak) ; peaks used so far rest\_peaks)) ; rest of peak list
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(setf nw nil))
;
          (cond ((and (not (null nw)) (>= (confidence_in nw) *min_conf*))
                (setf rl (append rl (list (print nw))))
                (setf *last_peaks* (second nw))
                (setf *last_phns* (rest word_entry))
                (setf *failed_phn* nil))
               ((not (null nw))
                (setf *last_peaks* (second nw))
                (setf *last_phns* (rest word_entry))
                (setf *failed_phn* nil)))
          (setf word_entry (read *dict_file* nil nil nil)))))))
                          *****
 BUILD_WORDS_II - Look for all words in peak list starting with a given
 phoneme
                  *******************
(defun build_words_II (start_peak rest_peaks)
 (let* ((word_entry nil)
       (phn1 (first_phn start_peak))
       (phn2 (second_phn start_peak))
       (file_pos (index_pos phn1 *phoneme_index*))
       (nw nil)
       (rl nil))
        ; position lexicon file pointer at 1st word starting with 1st phn
  (cond (file_pos
        (file-position *dict_file* file_pos)
        (setf word_entry (read *dict_file* nil nil nil))
        (loop ; scan forward in dictionary till 2nd phn of word = 2nd phn of dip
          (when (or (equal (third word_entry) phn2)
                  (not (equal (second word_entry) phn1)))
               (return nil))
          (setf word_entry (read *dict_file* nil nil nil)))
        (loop ; attempt to confirm each word starting with 1st phn
          (when (not (equal (third word_entry) phn2))
               (return rl))
                                 ; exit when no more words in dictionary
                                   ; start with these 2 phns
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; The next if clause is commented out because it turned out to be very

; expensive to determine of the same instance of the same word was already in ; the output list. Seems better to just process the word & let higher levels ; of analysis sort out the duplications (if (not\_already\_found word\_entry \*word\_candidates\* start\_peak) ; (setf nw (build\_word (first word\_entry) ; word candidate (list phn1 phn2) ; phns found so far (rest (rest (rest word\_entry))); phns yet to be found (list start\_peak) ; peaks used so far rest\_peaks)) ; rest of peak list (setf nw nil)) ; (cond ((and (not (null nw)) (>= (confidence\_in nw) \*min\_conf\*)) (setf rl (append rl (list (print nw)))) (setf \*last\_peaks\* (second nw)) (setf \*last\_phns\* (rest word\_entry)) (setf \*failed\_phn\* nil)) ((not (null nw)) (setf \*last\_peaks\* (second nw)) (setf \*last\_phns\* (rest word\_entry)) (setf \*failed\_phn\* nil))) (setf word\_entry (read \*dict\_file\* nil nil nil)))) (t nil)))) BUILD WORDS III - Look for all words in peak list with a given 2nd phoneme (defun build\_words\_III (start\_peak rest\_peaks) (let\* ((word\_entry nil) (phn1 (first\_phn start\_peak)) (phn2 (second\_phn start\_peak)) (file\_pos (index\_pos phn1 \*phoneme\_index2\*)) (nw nil) (rl nil)) ; position lexicon file pointer at 1st word with given 2nd phn (cond (file\_pos (file-position \*dict\_file2\* file\_pos) (setf word\_entry (read \*dict\_file2\* nil nil nil)) (loop ; scan forward in dictionary till 3rd phn of word = 3rd phn of dip

(when (or (equal (fourth word\_entry) phn2) (not (equal (third word\_entry) phn1))) (return)) (setf word\_entry (read \*dict\_file2\* nil nil nil))) (loop; attempt to confirm each word starting with 1st phn (when (or (not (equal (fourth word\_entry) phn2)) (not (equal (third word\_entry) phn1))) (return rl)) ; exit when no more words in dictionary ; have these 2 phns in 2nd & 3rd pos (if (not\_already\_found word\_entry \*word\_candidates\* start\_peak) ; (setf nw (build\_word (first word\_entry) ; word candidate (list (second word\_entry) phn1 phn2) ; phns found so far (nthcdr 3 word\_entry); phns yet to be found ; peaks used so far (list (dummy\_peak (second word\_entry) phn1) start\_peak) rest\_peaks)) ; rest of peak list (setf nw nil)) ; (cond ((and (not (null nw)) (>= (confidence\_in nw) \*min\_conf\*)) (setf rl (append rl (list (print nw)))) (setf \*last\_peaks\* (second nw)) (setf \*last\_phns\* (rest word\_entry)) (setf \*failed\_phn\* nil)) ((not (null nw)) (setf \*last\_peaks\* (second nw)) (setf \*last\_phns\* (rest word\_entry)) (setf \*failed phn\* nil))) (setf word\_entry (read \*dict\_file2\* nil nil nil)))) (t nil)))) \*\*\*\*\* BUILD\_WORD - Take advantage of phns & peaks previously found (and needed by this word) before looking for rest of phonemes required (defun build\_word (test\_word phns\_found phns\_needed peaks\_used rest\_peaks) (let ((phns\_found2 phns\_found)) (phns\_needed2 phns\_needed) (peaks\_used2 peaks\_used) (last\_phns2 \*last\_phns\*)

(last\_peaks2 \*last\_peaks\*)

(recycled phns nil) (matches 0)) (cond ; if this word started at same peak as last ((equal (first peaks\_used) (first \*last\_peaks\*)) (dolist (phn phns\_found); see if phns so far match phns from last word (when (not (equal phn (first last\_phns2))) (return)) (setf last\_phns2 (rest last\_phns2)) (setf matches (+ matches 1))) ; if phns match so far, look for more usable phns in last word (cond ((equal matches (length phns\_found)) (dolist (phn last\_phns2); recycle phns already proven in last word search (when (not (equal phn (first phns\_needed2))) (return)) (setf phns\_needed2 (rest phns\_needed2)) (setf phns\_found2 (append phns\_found2 (list phn))) (setf recycled phns (append recycled phns (list phn)))) (dolist (peak peaks\_used); skip over peaks already listed (if (equal (first last\_peaks2) peak) (setf last\_peaks2 (rest last\_peaks2)))) (setf peaks\_used2 ; move approp peaks from last list to this one (recycle\_peaks last\_peaks2 recycled phns phns\_needed2 peaks used2)) ; don't use phn not found in peaks used (cond ((and (not (equal (first\_phn (first (last peaks\_used2))) (first (last phns\_found2)))) (not (equal (second\_phn (first (last peaks\_used2))) (first (last phns\_found2))))) (setf phns\_needed2 (append (last phns\_found2) phns\_needed2)) (setf phns\_found2 (butlast phns\_found2)))) ; fail this word if it depends on same phn that failed last word (if (and (equal recycled phns last phns2) (equal (first phns\_needed2) \*failed\_phn\*) (not (null phns\_needed2))) nil (build\_word2 test\_word ; else look for rest of word phns\_found2 phns needed2 peaks\_used2 (if (> (length peaks\_used2))

(length peaks\_used)) (all\_after rest\_peaks (first (last peaks\_used2))) rest\_peaks))))

; no matches with last word so start from scratch

(t (build\_word2 test\_word phns\_found phns\_needed peaks\_used rest\_peaks))))

(t; this peak is a new starting point in peaks so don't bother trying to recycle (build\_word2 test\_word phns\_found phns\_needed peaks\_used rest\_peaks)))))

; BUILD\_WORD2 - Attempt (recursively) to find phonemes of given word in

; peak list called by build\_words\_I, build\_words\_II, and build\_words\_III

; through build\_word.

(defun build\_word2 (test\_word phns\_found phns\_needed peaks\_used rest\_peaks) (let\* ((link (link\_dip peaks\_used phns\_needed rest\_peaks)) (peak\_used (first link))

(rest\_peaks2 (second link))

(need nil))

(setf \*last\_peaks\* peaks\_used) ; save results so far to avoid search for (setf \*last\_phns\* phns\_found) ; same phns again on similar word

(setf \*failed\_phn\* (first (last phns\_needed)))

(cond ((null phns\_needed) ; success if no more phonemes to find (list test\_word peaks\_used (confidence\_val peaks\_used)))

((null rest\_peaks) nil); failure if no more peaks to try

(peak\_used ; if there is a nearby peak with next phn

(better\_of (build\_word2 test\_word ; try to chain from this link (update\_found phns\_found peak\_used) (setf need (update\_needed phns\_needed peak\_used)) (append peaks\_used (list peak\_used)) rest\_peaks2)

> (build\_word2 test\_word ; if one link doen't work, try another phns\_found phns\_needed peaks\_used rest\_peaks2)))

; else if link to this phn not found but last peak was real, try splice ((real\_peak (car (last peaks\_used)))

<pre>(build_word2 test_word (append phns_found (list (first phns_needed)))) (rest phns_needed) (append peaks_used (list (dummy_peak (car (last phns_found))</pre>
(t nil)))) ; else word not found
.*************************************
; SUPPORT FUNCTIONS FOR TURNING DIPHONE PEAKS INTO WORD CANDIDATES
, .************************************
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; LINK_DIP - Return a diphone that supplies needed phoneme (in 1st or 2nd
, pos, .************************************
<pre>(defun link_dip (peaks_list phns_needed rest_peaks) (let* ((last_peak (first (last peaks_list))) (rest_peaks2 rest_peaks) (min_span_start (first last_peak)) (max_span_start min_span_start) (last_phn (second_phn last_peak)) (phn_needed (first phns_needed)) (second_phn_needed (second phns_needed)) (second_phn_needed (second phns_needed)) (max_last_phn_dur (max_dur last_phn)) (max_phn_needed_dur (max_dur phn_needed)) (min_last_phn_dur (min_dur last_phn)) (min_phn_needed_dur (min_dur phn_needed)) (max_both_durs (+ max_last_phn_dur max_phn_needed_dur)) (min_both_durs (+ min_last_phn_dur min_phn_needed_dur)) (only_need_one (equal (length phns_needed) 1)))</pre>
(cond ((null rest_peaks) nil)

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(t (cond ((< min_span_start 0) ; if last peak was dummy peak
             (setf min_span_start ; estimate missing start pos
                (- (first (first rest_peaks))
                    *win_rate*))
             (setf max_span_start (first (first rest_peaks)))))
       (dolist (peak rest_peaks)
        (let ((min_span (- (first peak) max_span_start))
             (max_span (- (first peak) min_span_start))
             (first_phn_peak (first_phn peak))
             (second phn peak (second phn peak)))
         (setf rest_peaks2 (rest rest_peaks2))
         (cond ((> min_span (+ max_last_phn_dur max_phn_needed_dur))
               (return nil))
                                 ; if gone too far, return nil
              ((and (equal first_phn_peak last_phn) ;peak's phn1=last phn2
                    (equal second_phn_peak phn_needed) ; peak's phn2=phn needed
                    (<= min_span max_last_phn_dur) ; if timing looks right
                    (>= max_span min_last_phn_dur))
               (return (list peak rest_peaks2)))
              ((and (equal first_phn_peak phn_needed) ; peak's phn1=phn needed
                    (<= min_span max_both_durs) ; if timing looks right
                    (>= max_span min_both_durs)
                    ; and this is last phn needed or both phns match
                    (or only_need_one
                      (equal second_phn_peak second_phn_needed)))
               (return (list peak rest_peaks2)))
              (t nil)))))))))
                 ******
 NOT ALREADY_FOUND - Return nil if current peak starts a word that was
 already found; else T
(defun not_already_found (word_entry word_list start_peak)
(let ((word (first word_entry))
    (word_phn1 (second word_entry))
    (word_phn2 (third word_entry))
    (peak_phn1 (first_phn start_peak))
    (last_word_start (first (first (second (first (last word_list)))))
    (peak_start (first start_peak)))
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(cond ((null word_list) t)
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((and (equal peak_phn1 word_phn2); use duration of both phns
         (< last_word_start
             (- peak_start
              (+ (max_dur word_phn1)
                (max_dur word_phn2))))
         (> last_word_start
             0))
      t); we have looked far enough back, so not found (T)
      ((and (equal peak_phn1 word_phn1); only one phn duration counts
         (< last_word_start
             (- peak_start
              (max_dur word_phn1)))
         (> last_word_start
             0))
         ; we have looked far enough back, so not found (T)
      t)
      ((and (equal (first (first (last word_list))) word)); same word
      nil); this start_peak is part of a word already found
      (t (not_already_found word_entry (butlast word_list) start_peak)))))
                     ********
 DUMMY_PEAK - Return a dummy peak containing desired phonemes (& low
 confidence). Negative start sample number is used to flag peak as
 a dummy peak.
                       *******
(defun dummy_peak (phn1 phn2)
 (list -1 (list phn1 phn2) *dummy_confidence*))
                                        *****
 REAL_PEAK - Return T if given peak is not a dummy peak (else nil)
(defun real_peak (peak); returns true if peak is real vice dummy
 (>= (first peak) 0)); dummy peaks have negative sample number
               *******
 RECYCLE_PEAKS - If last word search located phonemes useful for this
 word, add appropriate peaks from last search to this word's peak list
(defun recycle_peaks (last_peaks phns_recycled phns needed peaks used)
 (let ((last_peaks2 last_peaks))
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(recycled\_phns phns\_recycled)

(peaks_used2 peaks_used))
(loop ; add useful peaks previously found (cond ((null last_peaks2) (return)) ((null recycled_phns) (return)) ((and (equal (first_phn (first last_peaks2)) ;pk phn 1 = (first recycled_phns)) ;next needed phn
(or (and (null (second recycled_phns)) ; no more to recycle (or (null (first phns_needed)) ; & no more needed (equal (first phns_needed) ; or 1st phn needed = (second_phn (first last_peaks2))))) ; peak's 2nd
(equal (second_phn (first last_peaks2)) ;pk phn 2 (second recycled_phns))))
(setf peaks_used2 (append peaks_used2 (list (first last_peaks2))))
(setf last_peaks2 (rest last_peaks2)) (setf recycled_phns (rest (rest recycled_phns))))
((and (equal (first_phn (first last_peaks2)) ;pk phn1= (second_phn (first (last peaks_used2)))) ;last phn in peak
(equal (second_phn (first last_peaks2)) ;pk phn 2= (first recycled_phns))) ; next needed phn
(setf peaks_used2 (append peaks_used2 (list (first last_peaks2))))
(setf last_peaks2 (rest last_peaks2)) (setf recycled_phns (rest recycled_phns)))
(t (return))))
peaks_used2))
•*************************************
; ALL_AFTER - Return portion of peak list after given peak
(defun all_after (rest_peaks last_peak_used) (cond ((null rest_peaks) nil) ((null last_peak_used) rest_peaks) ((equal (first rest_peaks) last_peak_used)

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(dolist (phn phns)
(setf dur_sum (+ dur_sum (min_dur phn))))
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(setf limit (+ start_pos dur_sum))
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(loop

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(cond ((null loc_list)
(return nil))
((< (first (first loc_list)) limit)
(setf loc_list (rest loc_list)))
(t (return loc_list))))))
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; UPDATE\_FOUND - Add 1 or 2 phns to found list (depending on link type)

(defun update\_found (phns\_found peak\_used) ; if peak phn1 seen before (if (equal (first\_phn peak\_used) (first (last phns\_found))) (append phns\_found (rest (second peak\_used))) ; only add 1 phn (append phns\_found (second peak\_used)))) ; else add both phns

; UPDATE\_NEEDED - Remove 1 or 2 phns from phn needed list (depending on ; link type)

(defun update\_needed (phns\_needed peak\_used) ; if peak phn1=1st needed (if (equal (first\_phn peak\_used) (first phns\_needed)) (rest (rest phns\_needed)) ; remove both phns (rest phns\_needed))) ; else only remove 1 phn

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 MIN_DUR - Return minimum expected duration of given phoneme (in samples)
(defun min_dur (phn)
 (let ((dur_list (index_pos phn *phn_durs*)))
 (if (null (first dur_list))
     0
     (first dur_list))))
               ******
 MAX_DUR - Return maximum expected duration of given phoneme (in samples)
           ********
(defun max_dur (phn)
 (let ((dur_list (index_pos phn *phn_durs*)))
 (if (null (second dur_list))
     0
     (second dur_list))))
                   *******
 BETTER_OF - Return word with higher confidence level based on peaks used
(defun better_of (word1 word2)
 (if (> (confidence_in word1) (confidence_in word2))
   word1
   word2))
                    *************
 CONFIDENCE_VAL - Return confidence level based on peaks used to build
 word
               ******
(defun confidence_val (peaks)
 (let ((conf_sum 0)
     (count 0))
 (dolist (peak peaks)
   (setf count (+ 1 count))
   (setf conf_sum (+ conf_sum (third peak))))
  (if (> count 0))
   (/ conf_sum count)
   0)))
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CONFIDENCE\_IN - Return confidence level stored in word's list (defun confidence\_in (word) (if (null word) 0 (third word))) \*\*\*\*\* FIRST\_PHN - Return first phoneme in given peak's phn list (defun first\_phn (peak) (if (null peak) nil (first (second peak)))) \*\*\*\*\*\* SECOND\_PHN - Return first phoneme in given peak's phn list (defun second\_phn (peak) (if (null peak) nil (second (second peak)))) \*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*\* SORTING, LISTING, & I/O RELATED CODE \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SORT\_WORDS - Sort the word candidate list by sample number and then by confidence level \*\*\*\*\*\* (defun sort\_words (word\_candidates) (let ((result nil) (wl nil)) (dolist (word word\_candidates) ; start/stop sample numbers (setf wl (list (list (start\_samp word) (end\_samp word))

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(first word)
                                   ; word
                (confidence_in word)))
                                         : confidence
    (setf result (append result (list wl))))
  (setf result (sort result #'more_conf))
  (setf result (stable-sort result #'before))))
 BEFORE - Returns true if wrd1 has lower sample number than wrd2 (for
 sort)
(defun before (wrd1 wrd2)
 (if (< (first (first wrd1)) (first (first wrd2)))
   t
   nil))
                                      ******
 MORE_CONF - Boolean function comparing word confidences (for sort)
(defun more_conf (w1 w2)
 (if (> (third w1) (third w2))
   t
   nil))
                                   *****
 WRITE_WORDS - Write word candidates to designated file handle
(defun write_words (word_list f_handle)
 (dolist (word word_list)
  (format f_handle "~% ~S" word)
  (print word))
 t)
                           *****
 LIST_WORDS - Sort and display list of word candidates
(defun list_words ()
 (dolist (word (sort_words *word_candidates*))
  (format t "~% ~S" word))
 t)
                                *****
SAVE_WORDS - Save word list to designated filename
```

```
(defun save_words (fname)
 (let ((out_file (open fname :direction :output
                       :if-does-not-exist :create
                       :if-exists :rename)))
  (dolist (word (sort_words *word_candidates*))
   (format out_file "~% ~S" word)
   (print word))
  (close out_file))
 t)
                                        *********************
 LIST_TO_FILE - Save contents of a list to a file (one item per line)
                        *****
(defun list_to_file (object_name fname)
 (let ((f_handle (open fname :direction :output
                       :if-does-not-exist :create
                       :if-exists :append)))
  (dolist (item object_name)
   (format f_handle "~S~%" item)
  (close f_handle)
START_SAMP - Return starting sample number for a word entry
(defun start_samp (word)
 (if (null word) 0
  (if (>= (first (first (second word))) 0)
      (first (first (second word)))
      (first (second (second word))))))
 END_SAMP - Return ending sample number for a word entry
(defun end_samp (word)
 (max (first (first (last (second word))))
    (if (butlast (second word))
        (first (first (last (butlast (second word)))))
        0)))
```

\*\*\*\*\*\* WORD\_ENTRY - Return most confident entry for given word in word candidate list \*\*\*\*\*\* (defun word\_entry (correct\_word word\_list) (cond ((null word\_list) nil) ((string-equal (first (first word\_list)) correct\_word) (better\_of (first word\_list) (word\_entry correct\_word (rest word\_list)))) (t (word\_entry correct\_word (rest word\_list))))) STATS - Return list of statistics reflecting how well word was recognized \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* (defun stats (correct\_word word\_list) (let\* ((cword (word\_entry correct\_word word\_list)) (cword\_conf (confidence\_in cword)) (cword Irank 1) (cword\_rank 1) (best\_w nil) (best\_conf 0) (lbest\_w nil) (lbest\_conf 0)) (print correct word) (dolist (w word\_list) (cond ((> (confidence\_in w) best\_conf) (setf best\_conf (confidence\_in w)) (setf best\_w (first w)))) (cond ((> (confidence\_in w) cword\_conf) (setf cword\_rank (1+ cword\_rank)))) (cond ((equal (start\_samp w) (start\_samp cword)) (if (> (confidence\_in w) cword\_conf) (setf cword\_lrank (1+ cword\_lrank))) (cond ((> (confidence\_in w) lbest\_conf) (setf lbest\_conf (confidence\_in w)) (setf lbest\_w (first w))))))) (list (start\_samp cword) correct\_word cword conf cword\_Irank cword\_rank

lbest_w lbest_conf best_w best_conf)))
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TEST CODE
, , ,*********************************
, ************************************
, RECOGNIZE - Open lexicon files & look for words in sample peak list
<pre>(defun test () (let ((index_file (open "phnindex.txt"))</pre>
; TEST_WORDS - Open designated diphone recognizer (Matlab script file ; recogniz.m) files & look for words. Save results to second filename.
(defun recognize (nnet_outputsname out_fname) (let* ((index_file (open "phnindex.txt")) (index_file2 (open "phnindx2.txt"))

(phn\_durfile (open "phndurs.txt")) (debug\_fname "recogniz.dbg") (report fname "recogrep.txt") (nnet\_outputs (open nnet\_outputsname)) (out\_file (open out\_fname :direction :output :if-does-not-exist :create :if-exists :rename)) (report\_file (open report\_fname :direction :output :if-does-not-exist :create :if-exists :append)) (correct\_word nil) (temp\_out nil) (obj\_read nil)) (setf \*dict\_file\* (open "lexicon.txt")) (setf \*dict\_file2\* (open "lexicon2.txt")) (setf \*phoneme\_index\* (read index\_file nil nil nil)) (setf \*phoneme\_index2\* (read index\_file2 nil nil nil)) (setf \*phn\_durs\* (read phn\_durfile nil nil nil)) (loop (setf obj\_read (read nnet\_outputs nil nil nil)) (when (null obj\_read) (return)) (print obj\_read out\_file) (setf correct\_word (second obj\_read)) (format t "~%~S: Reading NNET outputs..." correct\_word) (setf temp\_out (open "temp.dip" :direction :output :if-does-not-exist :create :if-exists :rename-and-delete)) (loop (setf obj\_read (read nnet\_outputs nil nil nil)) (when (equal (first obj\_read) 'word\_end) (return)) (print obj\_read temp out)) (close temp\_out) (format t "~%~S: Locating output peaks..." correct\_word) (dip2peak "temp.dip") (setf \*word\_candidates\* nil) (format t "~%~S: Looking for words..." correct\_word) (peaks\_to\_words \*diphone\_peak list\*) (format t "~%~S: Saving results to file..." correct\_word) (write\_words (sort\_words \*word\_candidates\*) out\_file) (list\_to\_file (cons (list correct\_word) \*word\_candidates\*) debug fname) (print (stats correct\_word \*word\_candidates\*) report\_file)) (close nnet outputs) (close out\_file) (close index file) (close index\_file2) (close phn durfile)

(close report\_file)
(close \*dict\_file\*)
(close \*dict\_file2\*)))

## C. PEAKS.CL

RECOG.CL - This program converts the output file from a diphone recognizer into a string of phonemes and then words. The following "type definitions" will be used in program comments (each is implemented as a LISP list): diphone ::= (phoneme phoneme); diphone\_record ::= (sample\_num diphone confidence\_value) three\_best\_diphones ::= (diphone\_record diphone\_record diphone\_record) The diphone recognizer converts a PCM voice file into an ASCII file of three\_best\_diphones (one line each). Each three best diphone represents the three output classifiers with the highest activation level at the time represented by the sample\_num. In principal, each diphone classifier's confidence value should peak when the sample window is perfectly aligned with the diphone. So this program tracks each diphone from the time it first appears in a three best diphones line until it is replaced by a new "winner." Once a diphone is displaced, its peak diphone\_record is appended to the \*diphone\_peak\_list\*. The diphone\_peak\_list is then (time) sorted for conversion to a list of phonemes by the peak2phn function. ; globals (defvar \*current\_best\_diphones\* nil) (defvar \*new\_best\_diphones\* '(nil nil nil)) \*\*\*\*\*\*\* FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS TURN DIPHONE RECOGNIZER OUTPUT INTO SEQUENCE ; OF DIPHONE PEAKS; ; DIP2PEAK - main function for opening ASCII file of three\_best\_diphones ; and converting to a string of diphone peaks (defun dip2peak (fname) (let ((dip\_data\_file (open fname))) (setf \*current\_best\_diphones\* nil) (setf \*new\_best\_diphones\* '(nil nil nil))

(setf \*diphone\_peak\_list\* nil) (loop (let ((three\_best\_diphones (read dip\_data\_file nil nil nil))) (if (null three\_best\_diphones) (return) (record\_diphones three best\_diphones)))) (refresh\_best\_diphones) (stable-sort \*diphone\_peak\_list\* #'is\_earlier) (close dip\_data\_file))) ; IS\_EARLIER - predicate for use by stable-sort (defun is\_earlier (first\_dip second\_dip) (if (< (first first dip) (first second dip)) first\_dip nil)) ; RECORD\_DIPHONES - Save latest three\_best\_diphones in appropriate slot ; in \*new\_best\_diphones\*, shift results to \*current\_best\_diphones\*, and reinitialize \*new\_best\_diphones\* to nils. (defun record\_diphones (three\_dip\_list) (when (not (null three dip list)) (record\_dip (first three\_dip\_list)) (record\_dip (second three dip list)) (record\_dip (third three\_dip\_list)) (refresh best diphones) (setq \*new\_best\_diphones\* (list nil nil nil)) t )) ; RECORD\_DIP - Save a diphone record in the appropriate slot in ; in \*new\_best\_diphones\*. If the diphone\_record contains same : diphone as an existing \*current\_best\_diphones\* entry, save in ; corresponding slot in \*new\_best\_diphones\*. Else tack it on ; end of \*new\_best\_diphones\*. REFRESH\_BEST\_DIPHONES will then ; know (by a nil in one of first 3 slots) that one of the diphones ; it was tracking has been replaced. (defun record\_dip (new\_diphone\_rec) (cond ((equalp (second new\_diphone\_rec) (second (first \*current\_best\_diphones\*))) (update\_best\_diphone 1 new\_diphone\_rec)) ((equalp (second new\_diphone\_rec) (second (second \*current\_best\_diphones\*))) (update\_best\_diphone 2 new\_diphone\_rec)) ((equalp (second new\_diphone\_rec) (second (third \*current\_best\_diphones\*))) (update\_best\_diphone 3 new\_diphone\_rec)) (t (new\_best\_diphone new\_diphone\_rec)) )) ; BEST\_OF - Used by UPDATE\_BEST\_DIPHONE to determine which of 2 diphones

; has a higher confidence\_value.

(defun best\_of (first\_dip second\_dip)

(cond ((null first\_dip) second\_dip)

((null second\_dip) first\_dip)

((> (car (last first\_dip)) (car (last second\_dip))) first\_dip)

(second\_dip) ))

; UPDATE\_BEST\_DIPHONE - Used by RECORD\_DIP to put best of old & new dips ; in the appropriate slot of \*new\_best\_diphones\* list.

(defun update\_best\_diphone (best\_dip\_number new\_best\_dip\_rec)

(case best\_dip\_number

(1 (setf (first \*new\_best\_diphones\*)

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(best_of new_best_dip_rec (first *current_best_diphones*)) ))
```

; NEW\_BEST\_DIPHONE - Used by RECORD\_DIP to append a new diphone\_record

; on end of \*new\_best\_diphones\* for future tracking. This will leave

; a nil in one of first 3 slots of \*new\_best\_diphones\* which will, in

; turn, trigger recording of the peak value for the diphone that dropped

; off the "winners" list.

(defun new\_best\_diphone (new\_best\_dip\_rec)

(setf \*new\_best\_diphones\*

(append \*new\_best\_diphones\* (list new\_best\_dip\_rec)) ))

; REFRESH\_BEST\_DIPHONES - Used by RECORD\_DIPHONES to move the lastest

; "winning" diphones from \*new\_best\_diphones\* to \*current\_best\_diphones\*.

; But first, any nils in first 3 slots of \*new\_best\_diphones\* (meaning

; a diphone has dropped off the "winners list") trigger recording of

; diphone\_record in corresponding slot of \*current\_best\_diphones\* to

; \*diphone\_peak\_list\* (at any time, \*current\_best\_diphones\* has most

; confident [peak] value for 3 diphones being tracked).

```
(defun refresh_best_diphones ()
```

(if (null (first \*new\_best\_diphones\*))

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(record_diphone_peak (first *current_best_diphones*)))
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(if (null (second \*new\_best\_diphones\*))

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(record_diphone_peak (second *current_best_diphones*)))
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(if (null (third *new_best_diphones*))
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```
(record_diphone_peak (third *current_best_diphones*)))
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```
(setf *new_best_diphones* (remove_nils *new_best_diphones*))
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(setf *current_best_diphones* *new_best_diphones*)
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; RECORD_DIPHONE_PEAK - Append a peak diphone_record to *diphone_peak_list.
(defun record_diphone_peak (latest_diphone_peak)
(when (not (null latest_diphone_peak))
(setf *diphone_peak_list*
(append *diphone_peak_list* (list latest_diphone_peak)))
t ))
```

```
; REMOVE_NILS - Used by REFRESH_BEST DIPHONES
(defun remove_nils (nilly_list)
(if (not (null (first nilly_list)))
(append (list (first nilly_list)) (remove_nils (rest nilly_list)))
(if (not (null (rest nilly_list)))
(remove_nils (rest nilly_list)) ))
```

```
(defun testfile (fname)
(dip2peak fname)
*diphone_peak_list*)
```

```
(defun test_peaks ()
  (format t "~% DIPHONE PEAKS:~%")
  (print (testfile "dips"))
  (read-line)
  (format t "~%~%~% FINAL DIPHONE SEQUENCE:~%")
  (print *diphone_peak_list*))
```

## D. DICT.CL

PHONETIC DICTIONARY-RELATED FUNCTIONS

(defun write\_file (object\_name fname) (let ((f\_handle (open fname :direction :output))) (print object\_name f\_handle) (close f\_handle) ))

```
CREATE_PHN_DICT - Reads the standard TIMIT phonetic dictionary and
  converts each entry into a LISP list. Phonemes are placed
  first to allow sorting of entire dictionary by phoneme vice by word.
(defun create_phn_dict (in_fname out_fname)
 (let ((lexicon_file (open in_fname))
     (output_file (open out_fname :direction :output))
    (word_read nil) )
  (format output file "(")
  (loop
   (setf word_read (read_word lexicon_file))
   (if (null word_read)
    (return)
    (if (> (length word_read) 2)
      (print (append (rest word_read)
          (list (first word_read)))
      output_file ))))
  (format output_file ")")
  (close lexicon_file)
  (close output_file)))
             ; PUT_WORDS_FIRST - Returns phonetic dictionary to word first format
  after sorting by phonemes.
(defun put_words_first (in_fname out_fname)
 (let ((phn_dict_file (open in_fname))
    (output_file (open out_fname :direction :output))
    (obj_read nil))
  (setf obj_read (read phn_dict_file nil nil nil))
  (if (not (null obj read)) (file-position phn dict file :start))
  (loop
   (setf obj_read (read phn_dict_file nil nil nil))
   (cond ((null obj_read) (return))
       (t (print (append (last obj_read))
                 (butlast obj_read)) output_file))))
  (close phn_dict_file)
  (close output_file) ))
                  *****************
```

<sup>;</sup> CREATE\_PHN\_DICT2 - Reads the standard TIMIT phonetic dictionary and

<sup>;</sup> converts each entry into a LISP list. Phonemes are placed

<sup>;</sup> first to allow sorting of entire dictionary by phoneme vice by word.

```
(defun create_phn_dict2 (in_fname out_fname)
 (let ((lexicon_file (open in_fname)))
    (output_file (open out_fname :direction :output))
    (word_read nil))
  (format output_file "(")
  (loop
  (setf word_read (read_word lexicon_file))
  (if (null word_read)
    (return)
    (if (> (length word_read) 2)
      (print (append (rest (rest word_read))
              (list (first word_read) (second word_read)))
         output file))))
  (format output_file ")")
  (close lexicon_file)
  (close output_file)))
          ; PUT_WORDS_FIRST2 - Returns phonetic dictionary to word first format
 after sorting by phonemes.
(defun put_words_first2 (in_fname out_fname)
 (let ((phn_dict_file (open in_fname))
    (output_file (open out_fname :direction :output))
    (obj_read nil))
  (setf obj_read (read phn_dict_file nil nil nil))
  (if (not (null obj_read)) (file-position phn_dict_file :start))
  (loop
   (setf obj_read (read phn_dict_file nil nil nil))
   (cond ((null obj_read) (return))
      ((> (length obj_read) 2)
      (print (append (last (butlast obj_read))
              (last obj_read)
              (butlast (butlast obj_read)))
       output_file))))
  (close phn_dict_file)
  (close output_file)))
```

<sup>;</sup> BUILD\_INDEX - Creates a list of phoneme/file-position pairs.

<sup>;</sup> Each pair records the file position of the first word entry that

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; starts with the given phoneme.
(defun build_index (fname out_fname)
 (let ((lexicon_file (open fname))
     (last_phn nil)
     (word read nil)
     (file_pos 0)
     (phn index nil))
  (setf word_read (read lexicon_file nil nil nil))
  (if (not (null word read)) (file-position lexicon file :start))
  (loop
    (setf file_pos (file-position lexicon_file))
    (setf word_read (read lexicon_file nil nil nil))
    (cond ((null word_read) (return))
       ((not (equal last_phn (second word_read)))
          (setf phn_index
              (append phn_index
                   (list (list (second word_read) file_pos))))
          (setf last_phn (second word_read)))
       (t nil)))
  (close lexicon_file)
  (write_file phn_index out_fname) ))
  ****************
 ; BUILD_INDEX2 - Creates a list of phoneme/file-position pairs.
 ; Each pair records the file position of the first word entry that
 ; has phoneme 2 = the given phoneme.
(defun build_index2 (fname out_fname)
 (let ((lexicon_file (open fname))
     (last_phn nil)
     (word_read nil)
     (file_pos 0)
     (phn_index nil))
  (setf word_read (read lexicon_file nil nil nil))
  (if (not (null word_read)) (file-position lexicon_file :start))
  (loop
   (setf file_pos (file-position lexicon_file))
   (setf word_read (read lexicon_file nil nil nil))
   (cond ((null word_read) (return))
       ((not (equal last_phn (third word_read)))
          (setf phn_index
              (append phn_index
                   (list (list (third word_read) file_pos))))
          (setf last_phn (third word_read)))
       (t nil)))
```

(close lexicon\_file)
(write\_file phn\_index out\_fname)))

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* (defun sort\_dict (in\_fname out\_fname) (let ((tmp\_dict (open in\_fname)) (out\_dict (open out\_fname :direction :output)) (dict\_list nil)) (setf dict\_list (read tmp\_dict nil nil nil)) (sort dict\_list #'word<) (dolist (wrd dict\_list) (print wrd out\_dict)) (close tmp\_dict) (close out\_dict))) \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* (defun word< (wrd1 wrd2) (if (or (string< (symbol-name (first wrd1)) (symbol-name (first wrd2))) (and (equal (first wrd1) (first wrd2)) (string< (symbol-name (second wrd1)) (symbol-name (second wrd2)))))) t nil)) ; READ\_WORD\_LINE - Returns the next non-comment line from TIMIT dictionary. (defun read\_word\_line (file\_handle) (let ((line\_read nil)) (loop (setf line\_read (read-line file\_handle nil nil)) (cond ((null line\_read) (return)) ((and (not (equal (char line\_read 0) #\;)) (not (null (read-from-string line\_read)))) (return line\_read)) )))) 

; TEXT\_TO\_LIST - Converts a TIMIT dictionary entry from text to a LISP list.

```
(defun text_to_list (text_line)
 (if (not (null text_line))
  (let ((text_list (format nil "~S" (list text_line))))
   (setf (char text_list 1) #\Space)
   (setf (char text_list (- (length text_list) 2)) #\Space)
   (read-from-string text_list) ) ))
    ***********
 ; CLEAN_TEXT - Removes extraneous characters from TIMIT dictionary entries.
(defun clean_text (phn_text)
 (if (not (null phn_text))
  (let ((cleaned_text phn_text)
     (extraneous_chars '(#V #\1 #\2 #\3)))
   (dotimes (i (length phn_text) cleaned text)
    (if (member (char phn_text i) extraneous_chars)
      (setf (char cleaned_text i) #\Space) )
    (if (equal (char phn text i) #\')
      (setf (char cleaned_text i) #\~)))
   cleaned_text) ))
     *************************
 ; READ_WORD - Returns next TIMIT dictionary entry as a LISP list.
(defun read_word (file_handle)
 (text_to_list (clean_text (read_word_line file_handle))))
        ; BIN_SEARCH - Binary search used by INDEX_POS to determine first
  dictionary entry with given starting phoneme
(defun bin search (phoneme start n end n index)
 (let ((mid_n (round (/ (+ start_n end_n) 2))))
  (cond ((>= start_n end_n)
      (if (equal (first (nth start_n index)) phoneme)
         (second (nth start_n index))
        nil))
     ((string< (string phoneme)
          (string (first (nth mid_n index))))
       (bin_search phoneme start_n (1- mid_n) index))
     ((string> (string phoneme)
          (string (first (nth mid_n index))))
       (bin_search phoneme (1+ mid_n) end_n index))
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(t (second (nth mid\_n index))))))

\* \*\*\*\*\*\* ; INDEX\_POS - Uses BIN\_SEARCH to determine first ; dictionary entry with given starting phoneme (defun index\_pos (phoneme index) (bin\_search phoneme 0 (- (length index) 1) index)) (defun make\_dicts () (format t "~%Preparing for sort #1...") (create\_phn\_dict "timitdic.txt" "lexicon.txt") (format t "~%Sorting lexicon #1...") (sort\_dict "lexicon.txt" "tempdic.txt") (format t "~%Reordering #1...") (put\_words\_first "tempdic.txt" "lexicon.txt") (format t "~%Building index #1...") (build\_index "lexicon.txt" "phnindex.txt") (format t "~%Preparing for sort #2...") (create\_phn\_dict2 "timitdic.txt" "lexicon2.txt") (format t "~%Sorting #2...") (sort\_dict "lexicon2.txt" "tempdic.txt") (format t "~%Reordering #2...") (put\_words\_first2 "tempdic.txt" "lexicon2.txt") (format t "~%Indexing #2...") (build\_index2 "lexicon2.txt" "phnindx2.txt") (format t "~%Done building lexicons") t)

## E. LEXICON.TXT

(OBJECT~N AA B JH EH K T) (OBJECTS AA B JH EH K T S) (OBSESSION AA B S EH SH IX N) (OBSESSIONS AA B S EH SH IX N Z) (OBSOLESCENT AA B S AX L EH S EN T) (OBSTACLES AA B S T IH K EL Z) (OBVIOUS AA B V IY AX S) (OBVIOUSLY AA B V IY AX S L IY) (ODD AA D) (ODDS AA D Z) (ODDS-ON AA D Z AO N) (AHAH AA HH AA) // BULK OF LEXICON OMITTED TO SAVE SPACE // ... (USE~N Y UW S)  $(USE \sim V Y UW Z)$ (USING Y UW Z IX NG) (USUAL Y UW ZH UW EL) (USUALLY Y UW ZH UW AX L IY) (UTILIZING Y UW T AX L AY Z IX NG) (UTOPIANISM Y UW T OW P IY EN IH Z EM) (UTOPIANS Y UW T OW P IY EN Z) (YOU Y UW)

## F. LEXICON2.TXT

(BOB B AA B) (BOBBY B AA B IY) (BOBCAT B AA B K AE T) (COBBLER~S K AA B L AXR Z) (JOB JH AA B) (ROB R AA B) (ROBIN R AA B IX N) (WOBBLE W AA B EL) ... // BULK OF LEXICON OMITTED TO SAVE SPACE // (EASY IY Z IY) (EASYGOING IY Z IY G OW IX NG) (ASTHMA AE Z M AX)

#### G. PHNINDEX.TXT

((AA 0)	(AE 1406)	(AH 5923)	(AO 8582)	(AW 10417)	(AX 11006)
(AY 17254)	(B 18190)	(CH 26124)	(D 27445)	(DH 36700)	(EH 37226)
(ER 40653)	(EY 41015)	(F 41482)	(G 49147)	(HH 53189)	(IH 59913)
(IY 69715)	(JH 70173)	(K 72175)	(L 86484)	(M 91274)	(N 99381)
(OW 102942)	(OY 104478)	(P 104628)	(R 116939)	(S 126411)	(SH 145371)
(T 147921)	(TH 154674)	(UW 156159)	(V 156176)	(W 158877)	(Y 162935))

#### H. PHNINDX2.TXT

((AA 0)	(AE 8496)	(AH 19748)	(AO 26768)	(AW 32328)	(AX 33915)
(AXR 41419)	(AY 43122)	(B 48901)	(CH 50132)	(D 50245)	(DH 52101)
(EH 52196)	(ER 63293)	(EY 67429)	(F 72390)	(G 73210)	(HH 74464)
(IH 74503)	(IX 90607)	(IY 91610)	(JH 97191)	(K 97602)	(L 102931)
(M 110634)	(N 113252)	(NG 123018)	(OW 123226)	(OY 127976)	(P 128847)
(R 132537)	(S 146744)	(SH 148084)	(T 148426)	(TH 153434)	(UH 153811)
(UW 155688)	(V 158995)	(W 160867)	(Y 163488)	(Z 164536))	

## I. PHNDURS.TXT

(

(AA (381 7735 1984)) (AE ( 660 6800 2144)) (AH ( 300 5442 1414)) (AO (421 5760 1957)) (AW (1003 6640 2563)) (AX (74 2778 766)) (AXR (305 3752 1236)) (AY (616 6790 2485)) (B (47 1229 279)) (CH (320 3200 1382)) (D (81 1840 385)) (DH (110 1839 563)) (EH (343 4498 1448)) (EL (440 3810 1440)) (EM (656 3300 1281)) (EN (204 2943 1236)) (ENG (694 1882 1274)) (ER (560 5862 1937)) (EY (668 6250 2017)) (F (213 4880 1640)) (G (124 1661 442))

(HH (220 3440 1079)) (HX (480 32767 2714)) (IH (333 6386 1244)) (IX (186 3189 819)) (IY (372 5540 1529)) (JH (238 3073 998)) (K ( 98 2716 829)) (L (203 3677 970)) (M (130 3676 1032)) (N (152 3397 880)) (NG (256 3844 1003)) (OW (559 5520 2039)) (OY (1002 5096 2707)) (P(100 1930 707)) (R (36 2783 893)) (S (374 5709 1798)) (SH (385 4213 1895)) (T (74 2315 773)) (TH (201 3602 1404)) (UH (292 3509 1217)) (UW (390 5034 1674)) (V (192 2464 947)) (W (152 3280 979)) (Y (183 2632 868)) (Z ( 410 4310 1365)) (ZH (355 4218 1362)) )

# APPENDIX D. LIST OF 157 DIPHONES IN MEDIUM AND LARGE DATA SETS

AA K	ЕНК	IX N	LIH	SIX
AA L	EHL	IX NG	LIX	SIY
AA R	EH N	IX P	LIY	SK
AE K	EH R	IXS	M AH	SP
AE M	EH S	IX T	M AY	ST
AE N	EH V	IXV	M EY	SH EN
АН М	EY N	IX Z	MIX	SH IX
AH N	EY SH	IY HX	MP	T AE
AH S	EY T	IY IX	ND	T AXR
AO L	F AO	IYK	N DH	T EH
AO R	F AXR	IY N	N HX	ТНХ
AW N	FIH	IY NG	NIH	TIH
AX B	FR	IY P	N IX	TIX
AX L	GR	IYS	N IY	TIY
AX M	HX D	IYZ	NS	TR
AX N	HX DH	JH IX	NT	ΤS
AX P	НХ НН	K AA	NZ	V AXR
AX S	НХ К	K AE	P AXR	W AX
AX V	HX W	K AO	PL	W IH
AXR HX	IH G	K EL	PR	W IX
AXR Z	ІНК	KIX	R AA	WIY
B AY	IHL	KL	R AE	Z AX
B EL	НМ	KR	R AH	Z HX
BIH	IHN	KS	R AY	ZIX
BIY	IH NG	КТ	R EH	ZK
BR	IHS	КW	REY	
D HX	IH SH	L AA	RIH	
DIH	IH Z	LAE	RIX	
DIX	IX D	L AX	RIY	
DR	IX G	LAY	ROW	
DH AX	IX JH	LD	S AH	
DH IX	IXK	LEH	S AX	
DH IY	IX M	LEY	SHX	•

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#### **APPENDIX E. TIMIT VOCABULARY LIST FOR WORD TESTS**

#### A. DESCRIPTION

The following table lists the 340 words in the TIMIT lexicon that can be constructed using the 157 diphones of the Medium and Large Data Sets. The lexical analyzer scans the diphone stream from the neural network and identifies the phonemes for a word if they are present. Because each phoneme in a word forms part of two diphones, it is possible to detect all of a word's phonemes even if some diphones are missing from the diphone stream (up to every other diphone can be missing). Thus, it is actually possible to detect far more than the 340 words listed here. However, the additional words would suffer a lower probability of detection. Therefore, this vocabulary list is limited to words with all diphones among the neural network's output classes, except as described in the next paragraph.

The number following each word represents the number of that word's diphones that are not among the 157 diphones of the Medium and Large Data Sets. Currently, VOCAB.ADA will only allow a word's first diphone to be missing from the diphone list. In every case, a word's first diphone is considered to be a period of silence (denoted by the dummy phoneme **HX**) combined with the word's first phoneme. The lexical analyzer must be able to detect a word without this diphone because in continuous speech it cannot count on having a period of silence before every word. Thus, VOCAB.ADA will consider a word to be in-vocabulary, even if this first diphone is not in the current list of recognizable diphones. The diphone listed after each number is the name of any diphones that are not among the 157 diphones of the Medium and Large Data Sets. Again, this list will currently only contain, at most, the word's first diphone.

a, 1,H#/AX	fishing, 1,H#/F	remains, 1,H#/R
ability, 1,H#/AX	fist, 1,H#/F	rent, 1,H#/R
abyss, 1,H#/AX	fists, 1,H#/F	rented, 1,H#/R
accident, 1,H#/AE	fix, 1,H#/F	rest, 1,H#/R
act, 1,H#/AE	fixed, 1,H#/F	restricted, 1,H#/R
actor, 1,H#/AE	for, 1,H#/F	rickety, 1,H#/R
actors, 1,H#/AE	forest, 1,H#/F	rim, 1,H#/R

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acts, 1,H#/AE	four, 1,H#/F	risks, 1,H#/R
ain't, 1,H#/EY	frantically, 1,H#/F	rock, 1,H#/R
all, 1,H#/AO	frequent, 1,H#/F	rockets, 1,H#/R
am, 1,H#/AE	friend, 1,H#/F	run, 1,H#/R
an, 1,H#/AE	from, 1,H#/F	running, 1,H#/R
and, 1,H#/AE	front, 1,H#/F	runs, 1,H#/R
ant, 1,H#/AE	frustration, 1,H#/F	rust, 1,H#/R
ants, 1,H#/AE	grains, 1,H#/G	scar, 1,H#/S
any, 1,H#/EH	grants, 1,H#/G	scenes, 1,H#/S
apply, 1,H#/AX	greasing, 1,H#/G	score, 1,H#/S
approximated, 1,H#/AX	greasy, 1,H#/G	screen, 1,H#/S
approximation, 1,H#/AX	great, 1,H#/G	sea, 1,H#/S
are, 1,H#/AA	greater, 1,H#/G	secret, 1,H#/S
ate, 1,H#/EY	green, 1,H#/G	see, 1,H#/S
aunt, 1,H#/AE	greenness, 1,H#/G	seeing, 1,H#/S
aw, 1,H#/AO	grill, 1,H#/G	seeking, 1,H#/S
awe, 1,H#/AO	grin, 1,H#/G	seen, 1,H#/S
axis, 1,H#/AE	grinned, 1,H#/G	selected, 1,H#/S
be, 1,H#/B	grow, 1,H#/G	selecting, 1,H#/S
beans, 1,H#/B	grunt, 1,H#/G	solicits, 1,H#/S
been, 1,H#/B	i, 1,H#/AY	some, 1,H#/S
beep, 1,H#/B	ill, 1,H#/IH	son, 1,H#/S
being, 1,H#/B	in, 1,H#/IH	splinter, 1,H#/S
big, 1,H#/B	innocence, 1,H#/IH	sprained, 1,H#/S
bill, 1,H#/B	insulate, 1,H#/IH	spray, 1,H#/S
biscuit, 1,H#/B	insulator, 1,H#/IH	spring, 1,H#/S
brain, 1,H#/B	integrated, 1,H#/IH	squeaked, 1,H#/S
brand, 1,H#/B	integration, 1,H#/IH	stacked, 1,H#/S
breast, 1,H#/B	intelligence, 1,H#/IH	stand, 1,H#/S
breeze, 1,H#/B	intelligent, 1,H#/IH	steep, 1,H#/S
brick, 1,H#/B	intent, 1,H#/IH	stick, 1,H#/S
bricks, 1,H#/B	is, 1,H#/IH	still, 1,H#/S
brim, 1,H#/B	knee, 1,H#/N	straight, 1,H#/S
bring, 1,H#/B	knees, 1,H#/N	strain, 1,H#/S
build, 1,H#/B	knick-, 1,H#/N	strained, 1,H#/S

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building, 1,H#/B	lack, 1,H#/L	stranded, 1,H#/S
buy, 1,H#/B	lamp, 1,H#/L	stray, 1,H#/S
by, 1,H#/B	land, 1,H#/L	stress, 1,H#/S
call, 0	late, 1,H#/L	sum, 1,H#/S
called, 0	later, 1,H#/L	sun, 1,H#/S
calling, 0	latest, 1,H#/L	tackle, 1,H#/T
camp, 0	lay, 1,H#/L	tan, 1,H#/T
can, 0	leap, 1,H#/L	tax, 1,H#/T
can't, 0	least, 1,H#/L	taxi, 1,H#/T
canister, 0	less, 1,H#/L	tea, 1,H#/T
canned, 0	lest, 1,H#/L	tell, 1,H#/T
canteen, 0	lie, 1,H#/L	ten, 1,H#/T
canter, 0	lily, 1,H#/L	tenant, 1,H#/T
car, 0	limit, 1,H#/L	tenant's, 1,H#/T
cease, 1,H#/S	liquid, 1,H#/L	tend, 1,H#/T
chorused, 0	list, 1,H#/L	tended, 1,H#/T
clamp, 0	listed, 1,H#/L	test, 1,H#/T
clay, 0	lists, 1,H#/L	test-run, 1,H#/T
clean, 0	lock, 1,H#/L	testicle, 1,H#/T
cleaned, 0	locked, 1,H#/L	tests, 1,H#/T
cleaning, 0	main, 1,H#/M	text, 1,H#/T
cleans, 0	maintenance, 1,H#/M	texts, 1,H#/T
clever, 0	mate, 1,H#/M	the, 0
cling, 0	mates, 1,H#/M	these, 0
collie, 0	may, 1,H#/M	tim, 1,H#/T
cory, 0	money, 1,H#/M	tin, 1,H#/T
crack, 0	must, 1,H#/M	track, 1,H#/T
cracked, 0	my, 1,H#/M	tracks, 1,H#/T
crest, 0	o', 1,H#/OW	train, 1,H#/T
crisp, 0	of, 1,H#/AX	training, 1,H#/T
criss-, 0	oh, 1,H#/OW	trait, 1,H#/T
cry, 0	or, 1,H#/AO	traits, 1,H#/T
dig, 0	origin, 1,H#/AO	transience, 1,H#/T
dim, 0	plan, 1,H#/P	transit, 1,H#/T
discipline, 0	plane, 1,H#/P	tray, 1,H#/T

disciplined, 0	planes, 1,H#/P	tree, 1,H#/T
dish, 0	planets, 1,H#/P	trees, 1,H#/T
dishes, 0	planned, 1,H#/P	trend, 1,H#/T
disk, 0	planning, 1,H#/P	trick, 1,H#/T
display, 0	plans, 1,H#/P	trim, 1,H#/T
distance, 0	plant, 1,H#/P	trish, 1,H#/T
distances, 0	planted, 1,H#/P	try, 1,H#/T
distracted, 0	plate, 1,H#/P	uneasily, 1,H#/AH
distress, 0	plated, 1,H#/P	unseen, 1,H#/AH
districts, 0	play, 1,H#/P	until, 1,H#/AX
drain, 0	please, 1,H#/P	us, 1,H#/AH
dress, 0	plenty, 1,H#/P	we, 0
dressing, 0	practical, 1,H#/P	we'll, 0
dressy, 0	practiced, 1,H#/P	weakens, 0
dry, 0	practices, 1,H#/P	week, 0
ease, 1,H#/IY	princes, 1,H#/P	weeks, 0
easily, 1,H#/IY	print, 1,H#/P	wick, 0
eight, 1,H#/EY	prints, 1,H#/P	will, O
electric, 1,H#/AX	queen, 0	win, 0
electrical, 1,H#/AX	quick, 0	winter, 0
electricity, 1,H#/AX	quickly, 0	wish, 0
end, 1,H#/EH	quince, 0	wrist, 1,H#/R
ended, 1,H#/EH	rack, 1,H#/R	x, 1,H#/EH
enter, 1,H#/EH	rain, 1,H#/R	
entity, 1,H#/EH	rains, 1,H#/R	
entries, 1,H#/EH	ran, 1,H#/R	
entry, 1,H#/EH	rate, 1,H#/R	
ever, 1,H#/EH	rated, 1,H#/R	
explain, 1,H#/IH	rates, 1,H#/R	
explains, 1,H#/IH	rating, 1,H#/R	
exquisite, 1,H#/EH	ray, 1,H#/R	
extended, 1,H#/IH	recall, 1,H#/R	
extending, 1,H#/IH	recalled, 1,H#/R	
extent, 1,H#/IH	rector, 1,H#/R	
eye, 1,H#/AY	related, 1,H#/R	

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fall, 1,H#/F	relaxed, 1,H#/R	
fallen, 1,H#/F	release, 1,H#/R	
fill, 1,H#/F	released, 1,H#/R	
filling, 1,H#/F	relish, 1,H#/R	
finish, 1,H#/F	rely, 1,H#/R	
finishing, 1,H#/F	remain, 1,H#/R	
fiscal, 1,H#/F	remained, 1,H#/R	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
fish, 1,H#/F	remaining, 1,H#/R	

## **APPENDIX F. TRAINING RECORD FOR NETWORK 1 IN TABLE 4.3**

### A. DESCRIPTION

The training record in this appendix was produced automatically by TRNBPX.M while training Network 1 in Table 4.3. The record shows the three main training phases discussed in Chapter 4. First, the network was trained on just one training set example for each diphone (through epoch 79). Then, the network was trained without feedback-based time alignment until errors seemed to have reached a minimum (epochs 90 through 224, with the error minimum at epoch 196). Finally, training was completed with feedback-based time alignment (starting at epoch 197). Several additional training restarts are evident in this report. Those usually resulted from problems with the host (like system shutdowns for maintenance). Also, a few more errors were eliminated by lowering the MATLAB momentum and error ratio terms and the resuming training at epoch 268.

The weights from epoch 267 were used to perform the word tests described in Chapter IV. The (slightly better) statistics from epoch 278 were reported in Table 4.3.

The fields in each output line of the report are:

- 1. Epoch number.
- 2. TRAIN (indicating the data set that the next three fields refer to)
- 3. Training set Sum Squared Error (SSE) for the epoch
- 4. Training set number of diphones correct (out of 15,700 in this case).
- 5. Training set number of diphones not in top three
- 6. TEST (indicating the data set that the next three fields refer to)
- 7. Test set Sum Squared Error (SSE) for the epoch
- 8. Test set number of diphones correct (out of 15,700 in this case)
- 9. Test set number of diphones not in top three
- 10. A "-" to indicate SSE decreased (or at worst increased no more than allowed by the MATLAB error ratio parameter) or a "\*\*\*" to indicate that the training set SSE actually increased as a result of the weight changes (which will cause TRNBPX.M to decrease the weights, reduce the learning rate, a zero out the momentum term for an epoch).

#### **B. TRAINING RECORD**

NNET TRAINING RECORD Ver. 11.0 (Epochs,SSEs,#Correct,#MoreThan3off)

Starting random with sqrt(ste) patch on sx100 ref set New Weights, First Instance Only, NO BATCHING, win\_width = 13, max\_offset = 1, seed = 0 logsig/logsig: Hidden = 256, Num\_Dips = 157, mc = 0.950000, er = 1.050000

Start Time = 1996/5/2 20:11:38 1, TRAIN, 1995.848124, 1, 154, -2, TRAIN,236.366505,9,135, -3, TRAIN, 157.278046, 44, 105, -4, TRAIN, 136.608430, 60, 86, -5, TRAIN, 119.669860, 68, 77, -6, TRAIN, 105.668917, 84, 64, -7, TRAIN,94.050810,94,57, -8, TRAIN, 82.302249, 101, 50, -9, TRAIN, 74.967135, 108, 46, -10, TRAIN, 67.197963, 114, 40, -11. TRAIN.58.882383.121.34. -12, TRAIN, 52.839936, 125, 31, -13, TRAIN, 47.260793, 127, 30, -14, TRAIN, 42.735514, 127, 27, -15, TRAIN, 38.549172, 131, 24, -16, TRAIN, 35.522931, 134, 22, -17, TRAIN, 33.105917, 137, 20, -18, TRAIN, 30.334545, 137, 20, -19, TRAIN, 28.447628, 137, 19, -20, TRAIN, 26.658648, 138, 18, -21, TRAIN, 25.123675, 142, 15, -22, TRAIN, 23.417798, 143, 14, -23, TRAIN, 20.889654, 144, 12, -24, TRAIN, 18.952710, 145, 12, -25, TRAIN, 16.897846, 145, 11, -26, TRAIN, 16.273867, 145, 11, -27, TRAIN, 15.786864, 146, 11, -28, TRAIN, 15.446025, 146, 11, -29, TRAIN, 15.159968, 146, 11, -30, TRAIN, 14.828331, 147, 10, -31, TRAIN, 14.415502, 147, 10, -32, TRAIN, 13.573549, 147, 10, -33, TRAIN, 13.233618, 148, 8, -34, TRAIN, 12.648216, 150, 7, -35, TRAIN, 10.177223, 151, 6, -36, TRAIN, 9.447141, 151, 5, -37, TRAIN, 8.180229, 153, 4, -38, TRAIN, 8.076680, 155, 2, -39, TRAIN, 6.640486, 155, 2, -40, TRAIN.5.088253.155.2. -41, TRAIN, 4.035936, 155, 2, -42, TRAIN, 3.733584, 155, 2, -43, TRAIN, 3.540276, 155, 2, -44, TRAIN, 3.420515, 155, 2, -45, TRAIN, 3.315062, 155, 2, -

46, TRAIN, 3.227354, 155, 2, -47, TRAIN, 3.149244, 155, 2, -48. TRAIN.3.080232.155.2. -49, TRAIN, 3.013316, 155, 2, -50, TRAIN, 2.953998, 155, 2, -51, TRAIN, 2.900981, 155, 2, -52, TRAIN, 2.850587, 155, 2, -53, TRAIN, 2.802942, 155, 2, -54, TRAIN, 2.755167, 155, 2, -55, TRAIN, 2.705984, 156, 1, -56, TRAIN, 2.606806, 156, 1, -57, TRAIN, 1.719107, 156, 1, -58, TRAIN, 1.675180, 156, 1, -59, TRAIN, 1.617412, 156, 1, -60, TRAIN, 1.579698, 156, 1, -61, TRAIN, 1.548818, 156, 1, -62, TRAIN, 1.519882, 156, 1, -63, TRAIN, 1.493706, 156, 1, -64, TRAIN, 1.469554, 156, 1, -65, TRAIN, 1.447213, 156, 1, -66, TRAIN, 1.424741, 156, 1, -67, TRAIN, 1.403695, 156, 1, -68, TRAIN, 1.384237, 156, 1, -69, TRAIN, 1.366024, 156, 1, -70, TRAIN, 1.348750, 156, 1, -71, TRAIN, 1.331886, 156, 1, -72, TRAIN, 1.315760, 156, 1, -73. TRAIN, 1.300565, 156, 1, -74, TRAIN, 1.285063, 156, 1, -75, TRAIN, 1.268038, 156, 1, -76, TRAIN, 1.223247, 157, 0, -77, TRAIN,21.170338,148,3, \*\*\* 78, TRAIN, 118.198458, 96, 38, \*\*\* 79, TRAIN, 4.269325, 156, 0, \*\*\*

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NNET TRAINING RECORD - Train Ver. 11.0 (Epochs,SSEs,#Correct,#MoreThan3off)

Resuming with patched STE -> sqrt(STE) New Weights, First Instance Only, NO BATCHING, logsig/logsig: Hidden = 256, Num\_Dips = 157, mc = 0.950000, er = 1.050000

Start Time = 1996/5/3 18:35:34

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80, TRAIN,14780.718082,2364,11806, TEST,4182.651892,758,3222, -
81, TRAIN,13678.547017,4028,9808, TEST,4008.506783,1040,2871, -
82, TRAIN,12697.597643,5223,8533, TEST,3885.237038,1216,2648, -
83, TRAIN,11948.871163,6098,7713, TEST,3801.350937,1318,2457, -
84, TRAIN,11276.061962,6785,7032, TEST,3733.762359,1447,2349, -
85, TRAIN,10737.701500,7319,6567, TEST,3650.957049,1528,2248, -
86, TRAIN,10222.402759,7869,6063, TEST,3667.035001,1541,2208, -
87, TRAIN,9788.995216,8307,5748, TEST,3594.897039,1626,2112, -
88, TRAIN,9404.012764,8646,5482, TEST,3581.229172,1641,2044, -
89, TRAIN,9048.987435,8953,5217, TEST,3546.618377,1665,1999, -
90, TRAIN,8713.546272,9260,5020, TEST,3537.740306,1684,1962, -
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# APPENDIX G. WORD RECOGNITION RESULTS

## A. DESCRIPTION

The following report was produced by RECOGNIZ.CL during the word tests described in Chapter IV. This report is intended for statistical purposes, not syntactic or semantic analysis. Each line in the report is a LISP list with nine elements:

- 1. The sample number where the correct word appeared strongest in the output stream (zero if the word was not detected).
- 2. The correct word.
- 3. The word confidence value for the word candidate described in items one and two (zero if the word was not detected).
- 4. The ranking of the correct word among all word candidates with the same starting time (one if the word was not detected).
- 5. The global ranking of the correct word (among all words in the output stream). This is only marginally useful in continuous speech recognition, as discussed in the Chapter IV (the total number of word candidates if the correct word was not detected).
- 6. The strongest word candidate with the same start time as the correct word (nil if the correct word was not detected).
- 7. The word confidence value for the word candidate described in item six.
- 8. The strongest word candidate among all words in the output stream.
- 9. The word confidence value for the word candidate described in item eight.

## **B. RESULTS**

(3933 are 0.1873845 7 482 ART 0.6646775 IN 0.9814075) (0 for 0 1 871 nil 0 NEXT 0.7313204) (2736 quick 0.6811147 1 16 QUICK 0.6811147 WICK 0.960505) (2052 in 0.46714053 15 44 LINE 0.67273206 AM 0.922388) (3078 in 0.4691025 1 7 IN 0.4691025 THE 0.929525) (0 consists 0 1 1644 nil 0 THE 0.761428) (3591 of 0.821699 1 1 OF 0.821699 OF 0.821699) (4959 and 0.14384134 10 264 LIE 0.38751552 LIE 0.748632) (2052 are 0.127771 4 365 US 0.49286598 US 0.971366) (3420 made 0.5320155 9 28 MAY 0.994712 MAY 0.994712) (3249 of 0.0054145 1 384 OF 0.0054145 AM 0.8061645) (3591 are 0.482579 5 20 ROAM 0.50531733 BE 0.946454) (2394 in 0.5402075 8 20 DIM 0.94087 DIM 0.94087)

(5130 stockings 0.29724526 59 1116 TORN 0.8617256 US 0.99528396) (3762 run 0.304104 1 230 RUN 0.304104 MAY 0.794837) (4788 dishes 0.27224898 21 693 DENSE 0.71203 HE 0.925552) (2736 makes 0.93518746 2 3 AM 0.988569 AM 0.988569) (4275 and 0.029465998 11 563 AIN~T 0.27141333 IT 0.81334496) (2052 intelligence 0.40138015 7 274 INTENT 0.6046135 TEN 0.986287) (2907 is 0.20747401 6 77 EAT 0.4195245 TELL 0.555865) (0 for 0 1 770 nil 0 ILL 0.835065) (0 become 0 1 1523 nil 0 BE 0.999408) (5130 artists 0.3802265 6 113 RIM 0.528966 WE 0.955054) (5130 fish 0.950968 1 1 FISH 0.950968 FISH 0.950968) (4617 leap 0.5617575 1 7 LEAP 0.5617575 KNEE 0.870113) (4446 frantically 0.7132638 1 20 FRANTICALLY 0.7132638 LEAF 0.955064) (2736 of 0.120827004 5 202 SEEN 0.422501 IS 0.63039) (12312 cat 0.73065 1 29 AT 0.73065 TELL 0.942454) (3762 my 0.752832 3 3 MIND 0.814682 MIND 0.814682) (2907 by 0.999798 1 1 BUY 0.999798 BUY 0.999798) (1539 of 0.3058325 3 48 AGREE 0.32896432 RAIN 0.495736) (3420 may 0.942935 1 1 MAY 0.942935 MAY 0.942935) (2907 money 0.783675 4 18 MY 0.8917825 KNEE 0.996276) (3933 by 0.998938 1 1 BUY 0.998938 BUY 0.998938) (0 hard 0 1 1835 nil 0 ARE 0.980915) (6156 candy 0.833961 1 6 CANDY 0.833961 TEA 0.9668495) (1881 are 0.4910435 2 66 COLLIE 0.4913785 REAL 0.976672) (0 for 0 1 553 nil 0 LEAD 0.78059447) (4275 big 0.762662 3 3 IN 0.8091895 IN 0.8091895) (4275 ambled 0.35976335 2 51 MILK 0.36078367 PLAN 0.61251634) (2565 increases 0.137292 24 824 NEAREST 0.5557577 EASE 0.969679) (1026 is 0.254825 6 218 WRIST 0.613279 ARE 0.980894) (0 controlled 0 1 1429 nil 0 LOT 0.917583) (3591 from 0.3059175 13 316 ROB 0.60963464 ARE 0.981709) (1368 is 0.4983955 14 96 EAR 0.973136 EAR 0.973136) (0 for 0 1 634 nil 0 CALF 0.7700615) (4104 buyer 0.98096 3 3 BUY 0.997935 BUY 0.997935) (3762 money 0.88202864 2 8 US 0.9071145 ACE 0.9591505) (0 for 0 1 437 nil 0 EASE 0.9729785) (5814 all 0.250349 11 225 LET 0.43589398 SALT 0.570993) (1881 are 0.49441198 6 73 LOCK 0.98185 LOCK 0.9870567) (4275 expected 0.56739616 17 103 STRUCK 0.8219268 LOCK 0.87118053) (2907 comes 0.311604 12 312 DOLL 0.56631 ELSE 0.9000225) (4788 for 0.12270367 7 362 RUN 0.493005 NONE 0.933492) (1710 his 0.5756375 1 2 HIS 0.5756375 THE 0.580016) (4104 broken 0.57375675 12 37 ROCK 0.8566167 PA 0.871716) (2565 he 0.9774945 1 1 HE 0.9774945 HE 0.9774945) (0 from 0 1 431 nil 0 ARM 0.7998555)

(0 every 0 1 752 nil 0 EAT 0.9720475) (3591 in 0.54388297 5 13 IT 0.61600196 SHE 0.7135) (2052 of 0.128311 6 367 ODD 0.413048 KNEE 0.904689) (0 cleans 0 1 1309 nil 0 ODD 0.8228425) (3762 for 0.4036405 3 36 ALL 0.7619205 ILL 0.94701254) (0 every 0 1 922 nil 0 TEA 0.7970245) (1368 related 0.27530575 11 362 ROCKETS 0.53542477 AT 0.92029953) (0 my 0 1 482 nil 0 DOLL 0.679531) (3420 ability 0.416951 10 54 BILL 0.6112095 BUY 0.984153) (3249 is 0.178628 3 83 WICK 0.506303 JAW 0.513643) (3249 made 0.042727 13 437 ATE 0.124715 TREE 0.6406955) (3420 of 0.06788 2 370 VAULT 0.091452 TREE 0.545698) (2394 are 0.219975 17 195 ROCK 0.659722 AM 0.911262) (3420 in 0.49384397 2 15 KNICK- 0.514528 THE 0.933759) (2736 stockings 0.76056767 4 7 SAY 0.90993404 NONE 0.9181985) (2223 run 0.66080195 1 4 RUN 0.66080195 DONE 0.89926696) (5301 dishes 0.481654 1 52 DISHES 0.481654 DISH 0.9055015) (2907 makes 0.881495 1 8 MAKES 0.881495 BUY 0.99428) (0 and 0 1 335 nil 0 TEN 0.7172965) (4446 is 0.38257 2 71 LESS 0.4374865 HE 0.9108505) (5130 for 0.738793 5 16 ON 0.90576303 KNEE 0.9634295) (4959 ended 0.23284724 11 276 DUMB 0.52641404 TEA 0.977053) (4788 please 0.36718166 21 296 EAT 0.6738665 THESE 0.89815354) (2736 cleaners 0.504659 16 124 KEY 0.7781905 KNEES 0.9892255) (3933 for 0.515878 1 11 OR 0.515878 ADD 0.6838985) (1539 cleaners 0.33306125 34 533 QUEEN 0.61019766 KNEE 0.87358904) (6156 all 0.121824 15 304 LOCKED 0.33104834 US 0.934741) (4446 are 0.866431 1 2 ARE 0.866431 ILL 0.9536) (3249 expected 0.61259025 3 40 EXPECT 0.7148502 PECK 0.930991) (2736 comes 0.33323964 7 182 CAUGHT 0.495526 RAW 0.9304695) (0 for 0 1 565 nil 0 AIN~T 0.9800635) (2907 his 0.577604 1 2 HIS 0.577604 THE 0.663486) (4446 broken 0.143412 39 1026 I~LL 0.4946285 TELL 0.864295) (3420 he 0.57342803 1 4 HE 0.57342803 KNEE 0.69167054) (4446 from 0.5095253 1 10 FROM 0.5095253 RUN 0.66486704) (6156 every 0.7046505 2 3 EVER 0.92598 EASE 0.965269) (2565 in 0.2646255 10 58 IF 0.5510375 IF 0.5510375) (3762 of 0.022181 18 571 LEAST 0.30533427 KNEE 0.48568553) (4788 cleaned 0.25117275 14 81 RAY 0.39502448 LEAF 0.5082985) (3933 for 0.5500345 3 8 ALL 0.6511795 ILL 0.781802) (7353 are 0.812259 1 5 ARE 0.812259 KNEE 0.999797) (4446 all 0.330042 2 115 CORY 0.53609467 BE 0.859098) (4959 errors 0.7802375 2 6 RAW 0.8750295 OR 0.910335) (2907 nearest 0.28977123 6 219 NEAR 0.46660066 ERRORS 0.846212) (3591 may 0.999945 1 1 MAY 0.999945 MAY 0.999945)

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## APPENDIX H. FREQUENCY NORMALIZATION DATA

# A. DESCRIPTION

The following table lists data used to develop the frequency normalization method described in Chapter IV.

### **B.** DATA

TIMIT Speech File	Sample Number	F1 Freq (Hz)	F2 Freq (Hz)	F3 Freq (Hz)	Pitch <b>(Hz)</b>
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FAEM0/SX132.WAV	23,911	333	2,369	3,026	172
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FAEM0/SX132.WAV	24,167	349	2,361	2,856	117
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FAJW0/SX183.WAV	23,287	479	2,540	3,075	160
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FAJW0/SX183.WAV	23,543	503	2,726	3,164	162
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FCAJ0/SX129.WAV	33,179	495	2,523	3,124	158
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FCAJ0/SX129.WAV	33,435	471	2,588	3,172	158
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FCAJ0/SX129.WAV	33,947	479	2,596	2,986	154
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FCMM0/SX183.WAV	13,497	568	2,418	3,181	190
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FCMM0/SX183.WAV	13,753	519	2,475	3,043	190
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FCYL0/SX127.WAV	17,323	300	2,548	2,937	198
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FCYL0/SX127.WAV	18,091	365	2,767	3,140	205
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDAS1/SX21.WAV	21,065	446	2,207	2,872	195
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDAS1/SX21.WAV	21,321	381	2,345	3,002	182
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDAS1/SX21.WAV	21,577	406	2,426	3,034	178
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDAS1/SX21.WAV	22,089	406	2,491	2,848	184
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDNC0/SX18.WAV	12,455	519	2,402	3,043	193
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDXW0/SX161.WAV	16,961	373	2,548	3,083	178
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDXW0/SX161.WAV	17,217	422	2,475	3,018	178
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FDXW0/SX161.WAV	17,473	511	2,442	3,002	178
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FEAC0/SX255.WAV	36,743	389	2,199	2,718	152
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FHLM0/SX120.WAV	38,551	365	2,791	3,383	198
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FHLM0/SX120.WAV	38,807	389	2,799	3,083	200
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FHLM0/SX120.WAV	39,319	414	2,580	3,262	200
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FHLM0/SX120.WAV	39,575	406	2,604	3,132	195
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FHLM0/SX120.WAV	39,831	406	2,645	3,099	190
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FKAA0/SX128.WAV	17,335	454	2,320	2,929	184
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FKAA0/SX128.WAV	17,847	414	2,385	3,132	184

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F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FKAA0/SX128.WAV	18,103	341	2,361	3,156	182
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FLMA0/SX253.WAV	5,811	365	2,507	3,018	239
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FLMA0/SX253.WAV	6,067	487	2,556	3,043	235
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FLMA0/SX253.WAV	6,323	479	2,718	3,083	232
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FMJB0/SX187.WAV	24,783	763	2,450	3,010	180
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FMJB0/SX187.WAV	25,039	771	2,540	3,034	180
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FMJB0/SX187.WAV	25,807	260	2,540	3,043	184
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FMKF0/SX276.WAV	16,302	414	2,426	2,970	193
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FMKF0/SX276.WAV	16,558	365	2,418	2,913	193
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FMMH0/SX187.WAV	20,961	333	2,734	3,286	178
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FMMH0/SX187.WAV	21,217	381	2,702	3,043	176
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FPJF0/SX236.WAV	31,758	462	2,426	3,132	186
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FPJF0/SX236.WAV	32,014	503	2,580	3,018	184
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FRLL0/SX164.WAV	26,551	438	2,329	2,986	213
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FRLL0/SX164.WAV	27,063	381	2,507	2,864	203
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FRLL0/SX164.WAV	27,575	454	2,467	2,775	208
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	69,415	495	2,101	3,010	186
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	69,671	479	2,199	2,856	178
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	69,927	495	2,207	2,921	172
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	70,183	487	2,256	2,986	172
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	70,439	495	2,280	2,986	170
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	71,463	438	2,442	2,945	168
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	71,719	438	2,499	2,929	167
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSCN0/SX176.WAV	71,975	438	2,450	2,937	167
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSKL0/SX179.WAV	39,738	438	2,012	2,385	142
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSKL0/SX179.WAV	40,250	349	2,199	2,686	119
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSKL0/SX179.WAV	40,506	341	2,166	2,621	122
F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/FSRH0/SX221.WAV	17,597	487	2,320	3,099	262
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F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/MARC0/SX18.WAV	9,362	422	1,955	2,410	133
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F:/TIMIT/TRAIN/DR2/MZMB0/SX176.WAV	52,391	284	2,077	2,767	97

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