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A Bilingual Dialogue Database for  
Automatic Spoken Language Interpretation  
between Japanese and English

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**ABSTRACT**

This report presents a bilingual Japanese-English dialogue database that is presently constructed at ATR for research in spoken language interpretation via telephone. Ten subjects participated in the recording of the dialogues, five of which are native speakers of Standard Japanese (2 female, 3 male), the other five native speakers of British (1 male) and American (2 female, 2 male) English. The material consists of seven short dialogues that were chosen from the ATR Linguistic Database and represent typical conversations that may reasonably be expected to occur in conference registration by telephone. The Japanese data were spoken both in continuous and isolated phrase (Bunsetsu) modes, the English data in continuous mode only. The material was recorded in an anechoic, sound-insulated studio at the ATR Auditory and Visual Perception Research Laboratories, using high-quality digital recording equipment. The entire material comprises a total of approximately five hours of recorded dialogues. It is aimed to be used for dedicated study of prosodic transfer in spoken language interpretation, and for training continuous speech recognition systems within the field of interpreting telephony.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

The scientific purpose of speech databases is essentially two-fold: (1) to provide the raw-material for investigative speech research; (2) to provide the reference-material for simulative speech research and for the evaluation and assessment of commercial computer speech systems. Ideally, the same speech database serves both purposes simultaneously. In addition to that, it should also permit systematic comparison and exchange of speech data and analysis parameters between different databanks both nationally and internationally.

To achieve these purposes, three basic requirements have to be fulfilled:

Standardization at all levels of data collection, registration, sampling and quantization, analysis, transcription, statistical and linguistic evaluation, database management, etc.

Integration of signal processing, analysis, and synthesis routines on the one hand, and between different levels of acoustical, statistical and linguistic analysis and evaluation on the other. Ideally, the same data used for speech processing purposes should also be subjected to linguistic analyses within the field of natural language processing (NLP) in order to unearth possible interrelations, correlations and time-alignments between different levels of linguistic, phonetic and signal analysis.

Adaptability, i.e. the speech material once collected and analysed to study one aspect of speech communication (e.g. the phonetic characteristics of certain speech sounds) should also be accessible for research on different aspects (e.g. long-time spectral properties), at different levels (e.g. prosodic variations), over different domains (e.g. complete texts), and from different points of view (i.e. auditory evaluation).

It is today widely acknowledged that spoken discourse (both monologues and dialogues) differs in several important respects from the kind of orally read material (phonemes, diphones, syllables, words, "bunsetsu" phrases, semantically unrelated sentences, etc) commonly collected in many of today's speech databases. Earlier studies have indicated, for example, that discourse is characterised by on the average longer sentences, more variable sentence durations, more frequent pauses, often fragmentary or "ungrammatical" sentence structures, and the occurrence of various non-word events (mouth clicks, filled pauses, hesitation phenomena, breath noise, etc). A detailed, cross-linguistic study of the inherent differences between discourse intonation (both narrative texts and simulated telephone dialogues) and the kind of pitch contours typically found in isolated sentences, based on equivalent samples of Swedish, English and Japanese speech, has been published in Huber (1990b).

Clearly, the simulated telephone dialogues used for the construction of the bilingual dialogue database described in this report are not to be confounded with spontaneous speech in the true sense of the word, i.e. engaging people in unprepared conversation without any script. For example, in spontaneous dialogues, i.e. involving two or more conversants, various kinds of turn taking cues and accommodation phenomena have to be taken into account for a full description and representation of the speech material. Furthermore, if the conversation takes place in the form of a face-to-face interaction, part of the total meaning will typically be transmitted through nonverbal means of communication.

The collection and analyses of the dialogue data described in this report thus serves the dual purpose (1) to gain a better understanding of the structure and variability of dialogue speech conducted within the limited applications domain of conference registration, and (2) to accumulate experience with respect to the collection and evaluation of a larger corpus of spontaneous speech planned for future extensions of the ATR speech database (cf. Sagisaka et al, 1990).

## 2. MATERIAL

The material collected in this database comprises seven simulated telephone dialogues conducted within the applications domain of conference registration. Each dialogue exists in an equivalent Japanese and English version, with the latter constituting the "target translation" of the Japanese original, adopted as intermediate goal for the initial stage of the interpreting telephony system presently developed at ATR. The composition of the dialogues is based on earlier linguistic analyses of a large sample of spontaneous telephone conversations held within the same applications domain (cf. references) .

The seven conversations taken together consist of 924 running words in the Japanese version and of 747 running words in the corresponding English equivalent. Average sentence length was calculated to 6.70 words per sentence for the Japanese, and 5.41 words per sentence for the English material. The frequency distribution of sentence durations (in number of words per sentence) separately for each language is summarized in the bar charts in figures 1 and 2 below.

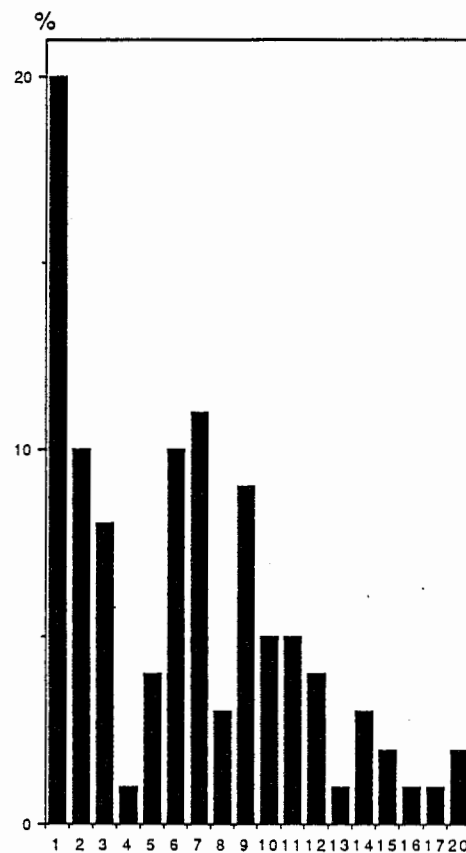
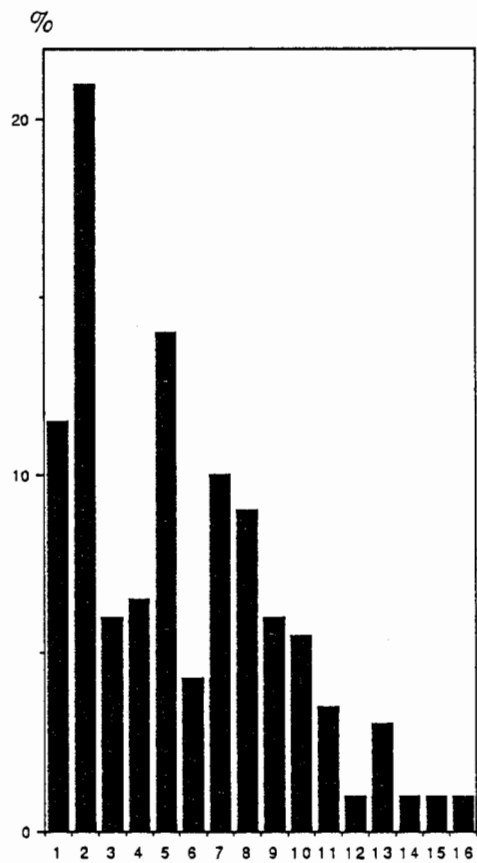


Figure 1 Bar chart for sentence length (measured in number of words per sentence) in the seven Japanese dialogues.



**Figure 2** Bar chart for sentence length (measured in number of words per sentence) in the equivalent English dialogues.

Full orthographic transcriptions of each of the seven dialogues, both in the Japanese original and in the equivalent English translation, are listed on the following pages.

Dialogue\_A (Japanese Version)

役割	日本語
質問者	もしもし。 そちらは会議事務局ですか？
事務局	はい。 そうです。
質問者	会議に申し込みたいのですが。
事務局	登録用紙は既にお持ちでしょうか。
質問者	いいえ。 まだです。
事務局	分かりました。 それでは、登録用紙をお送り致します。 ご住所とお名前をお願いします。
質問者	住所は大阪市北区茶屋町二十三です。 名前は鈴木真弓です。
事務局	分かりました。 登録用紙は至急送らせて頂きます。 分からない点がございましたら、いつでもお聞き下さい。
質問者	有難うございます。 それでは失礼します。
事務局	どうも失礼致します。

**Dialogue\_A (English Version)**

Speaker	Utterance
Questioner	Hello. Is this the Conference office?
Office	Yes. That's right.
Questioner	I would like to apply for the conference.
Office	Do you already have a registration form?
Questioner	No. Not yet.
Office	All right. We'll send you a registration form. Your name and address, please?
Questioner	My address is 23 Chayamachi, Kita-ku, Osaka. My name is Mayumi Suzuki.
Office	All right. We'll send you the registration form immediately. If there are any questions, please ask us at any time.
Questioner	Thank you. Good-bye.
Office	Good-bye.



Dialogue B (Japanese Version)

役割	日本語
質問者	もしもし。
事務局	こちらは会議事務局です。
質問者	会議に参加したいのですが。 どうすればよろしいですか。
事務局	先ず、登録用紙で手続をしていただかなくてはなりません。 もう登録用紙はお持ちでしょうか。
質問者	まだです。 用紙を送ってください。
事務局	では、ご住所とお名前をお願いします。
質問者	住所は大阪市東区徳井町一の二です。 名前は清水太郎です。
事務局	分かりました。
質問者	参加料は要るのでしょうか。
事務局	はい。 登録費としてお一人三万五千円が必要です。
質問者	そうですか。 どうも有難うございました。
事務局	失礼致します。

Dialogue\_B (English Version)

Speaker	Utterance
Questioner	Hello.
Office	This is the Conference office.
Questioner	I'd like to attend the conference. What should I do?
Office	First, you should fill in a registration form. Do you already have a registration form?
Questioner	Not yet. Please send me a form.
Office	Your name and address, please?
Questioner	My address is 1-2 Tokui-machi, Higashi-ku, Osaka. My name is Taro Shimizu.
Office	All right.
Questioner	Is the attendance fee necessary?
Office	Yes. 35,000 yen per person is the registration fee.
Questioner	All right. Thank you very much.
Office	Good-bye

Dialogue\_1 (Japanese Version)

役割	日本語
質問者	もしもし。 そちらは会議事務局ですか？
事務局	はい。 そうです どのようなご用件でしょうか？
質問者	会議に申し込みたいのですが。 どのような手続をすればよろしいのでしょうか。
事務局	登録用紙で手続きをして下さい。 登録用紙は既にお持ちでしょうか。
質問者	いいえ。 まだです。
事務局	分かりました。 それでは、登録用紙をお送り致します。 ご住所とお名前をお願いします。
質問者	住所は大阪市北区茶屋町二十三です。 名前は鈴木真弓です。
事務局	分かりました。 登録用紙を至急送らせて頂きます。
質問者	よろしく申し上げます。 それでは失礼します。

**Dialogue\_1 (English Version)**

Speaker	Utterance
Questioner	Hello. Is this the Conference office?
Office	Yes. That's right. May I help you?
Questioner	I'd like to apply for the conference. How can I apply?
Office	Please apply with a registration form. Do you already have a registration form?
Questioner	No. Not yet.
Office	All right. We'll send you a registration form.  Your name and address, please?
Questioner	My address is 23 Chayamachi, Kita-ku, Osaka My name is Mayumi Suzuki.
Office	All right. We'll send you a registration form immediately.
Questioner	Thank you very much. Good-bye.

Dialogue\_2 (Japanese Version)

役割	日本語
事務局	はい。 こちらは会議事務局です。
質問者	会議の参加料について教えて頂きたいのですが。 いま会議に申し込めば、参加料はいくらですか？
事務局	はい。 参加料は現在お一人3万5千円です。 来月お申込みになりますと4万円です。 参加料には、予稿集代と歓迎会費が含まれています。
質問者	わたしは情報処理学会の会員なのですが。 参加料の割引はないのですか？
事務局	今回は割引を行っておりません。
質問者	そうですか。 参加料はどのようにお支払いしたらよいのですか？
事務局	参加料は銀行振り込みです。 案内書に記載されている口座番号に振り込んで下さい。 また期限は今年いっぱいです。
質問者	分かりました。 どうもありがとうございました。
事務局	どういたしまして。 分からない点がございましたらいつでもお聞き下さい。 失礼致します。

**Dialogue\_2 (English Version)**

Speaker	Utterance
Office	Yes, hello. This is the Conference office.
Questioner	I'd like you to tell me the attendance fee for the conference? How much is the attendance fee if I apply for the conference now?
Office	Well. The attendance fee is 35,000 yen per person right now. If you apply next month, it is 40,000 yen.  The attendance fee covers the proceedings and the reception
Questioner	I am a member of the Information Processing Society. Is there any discount in the attendance fee?
Office	We are not making any discount this time.
Questioner	All right. How can I pay the attendance fee?
Office	The attendance fee is paid by bank-transfer. Please transfer to the bank account which is written in the announcement. And the deadline is the end of this year.
Questioner	All right. Thank you very much.
Office	You're welcome. If there are any questions, please ask us at any time. Good-bye.

Dialogue 3 (Japanese Version)

役割	日本語
事務局	はい。 こちらは会議事務局です。
質問者	会議に論文を発表したいと思っているのですが。 会議の内容について教えてください。
事務局	今回の会議は通訳電話に関連する広範な研究分野を含んでいます。 言語学や心理学を専攻する方にも参加して頂く予定です。
質問者	分かりました。 ところで、会議での公式言語は何ですか?
事務局	英語と日本語です。
質問者	わたしは日本語が全然分からないのですが。 発表が日本語で行われる場合英語への同時通訳はあるのですか?
事務局	はい。 英語への同時通訳を用意しております。
質問者	分かりました。 どうもありがとうございました。 さようなら。

**Dialogue\_3 (English Version)**

Speaker	Utterance
Office	Yes, hello. This is the Conference office.
Questioner	I'd like to present a paper at the conference. Please tell me about the content of the conference?
Office	The conference covers various fields of research related to Interpreting Telephony.  It is expected that those who major in linguistics and psychology will attend.
Questioner	All right. By the way, what is the official language at the conference?
Office	English and Japanese.
Questioner	I don't understand Japanese at all. Is there simultaneous interpretation into English when the presentation is made in Japanese?
Office	Yes. We are preparing simultaneous interpretation into English.
Questioner	All right. Thank you very much. Good-bye.



Dialogue\_4 (Japanese Version)

役割	日本語
事務局	こちらは会議事務局です。
質問者	会議について詳しいことを教えてください。
事務局	会議の案内書はお持ちですか？
質問者	いいえ。 持っていません。
事務局	そうですか。 会議は8月22日から25日まで京都国際会議場で開催されます。  参加料は4万円です。 発表を希望されるのであれば3月20日までに要約を提出して下さい。 会議の案内書をお送り致しますので、それをご覧下さい。 失礼ですがお名前とご住所をお願い致します。
質問者	アダム・スミスです。 住所は大阪市東区玉造2丁目27の7です。
事務局	分かりました。 電話番号もお聞きしたいのですが。
質問者	はい。 372の8018です。
事務局	372の8018でございますね。
質問者	はい。 そうです。 それではよろしく申し上げます。 失礼します。

Dialogue 4 (English Version)

Speaker	Utterance
Office	This is the Conference office.
Questioner	Could you please tell me the details about the conference.
Office	Do you have an announcement of the Conference?
Questioner	No. I don't.
Office	All right. The conference will be held at the Kyoto International Conference Center from August 22nd to 25th. The fee for participation is 40,000 yen. If you'd like to make a presentation, please submit a summary by March 20th. We'll send you the announcement of the conference, so please refer to it. Your name and address, please?
Questioner	Adam Smith. My address is 2-27-7 Tamatsukuri, Higashi-ku, Osaka.
Office	All right. We'd like to ask your phone number also.
Questioner	Yes. 372-8018.
Office	372-8018, right?
Questioner	Yes. That's right. Thank you very much. Good-bye.

Dialogue\_5 (Japanese Version)

役割	日本語
事務局	はい。 こちらは会議事務局でございます。
質問者	ちょっとお願いがあるのですが。 私は会議に申込みをした者です。  参加を取り消したいのですが。
事務局	お名前をお伺いできますでしょうか？
質問者	はい。 ベル研のジム・ワイベルです。
事務局	既に登録料の8万5千円を振り込まれておられますね？
質問者	はい。 そうです。 登録料を払い戻して頂けますか？
事務局	お気の毒ですができません。 案内書にも書いていますが。 9月27日以後の取り消しに対する払い戻しはできません。 後日プログラムと予稿集をお送り致します。
質問者	では、誰かが私の代わりに参加することはできますか？
事務局	それは別に問題ありません。 代理人が参加する場合は、あらかじめこちらまでお知らせ下さい。
質問者	分かりました。 代理人が決まりましたら、お知らせ致します。 では失礼します。

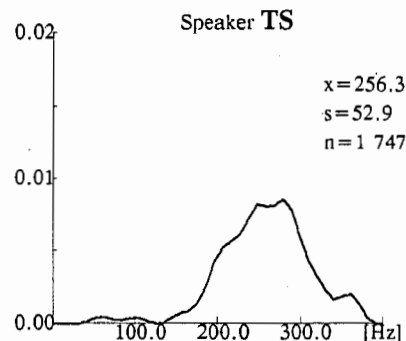
Dialogue 5 (English Version)

Speaker	Utterance
Office	Yes, hello. This is the Conference office.
Questioner	I have a request. I have applied for the conference.  I'd like to cancel the application.
Office	Could I ask your name?
Questioner	Yes. Jim Waibel of Bell Labs.
Office	You have already transferred 85,000 yen as the registration fee, right?
Questioner	Yes. That's right. Is it possible for you to refund the registration fee?
Office	I am sorry that it is not possible. We have written it in the announcement. Refunds for cancellation after September 27th are not possible. We'll send you the program and proceedings later.
Questioner	Then, is it possible that somebody attends instead of me.
Office	That does not matter particularly. Please inform us in advance if a substitute will attend.
Questioner	All right. I'll inform if the substitute is decided. Good-bye.

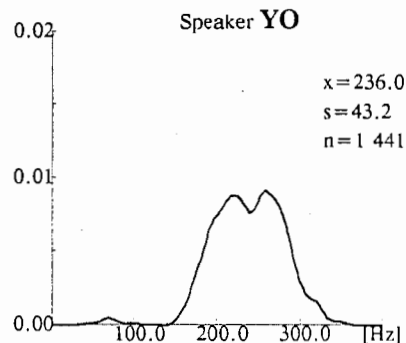
### 3. SPEAKERS

Ten speakers participated in the recording of the material: five native speakers of Standard Japanese (2 female, 3 male) and five native speakers of British (1 male) and American (2 female, 2 male) English. The speakers were selected from the research staff presently employed at ATR, including their families. None of the subjects reported any history of speech or hearing disorder. The individual speakers are identified in the DBMS by stating their name label (e.g. **JB**), sex, age, language, and regional descent, together with their histographic  $F_0$  frequency distributions (FFD) and the calculated values for  $F_0$  mean ( $\bar{x}$ ) and standard deviation (s),  $F_0$  mode ( $\bar{m}$ ) and average speech rate in words per minute (r) based on n voiced 16-ms frames of continuous speech. It must be appreciated in this context that the speech rate data include turn-internal pauses but exclude the pauses between turns and between coherent conversations.

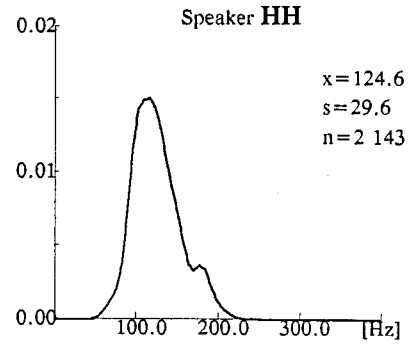
Speaker **TS** is a Japanese female, 34 years of age, originating from Nagano Prefecture. Her fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) is shown beside. Modal frequencies were established at 253.4 and 289.1 Hz, with a weak third modal at 378.3 Hz. Her average speech rate was calculated to 145.9 words per minute.



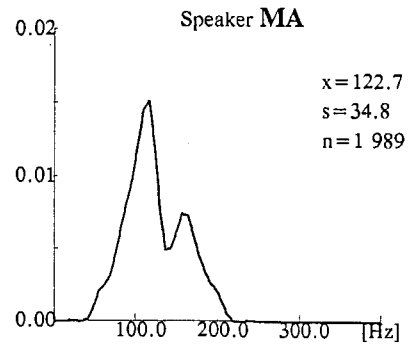
Speaker **YO** is a Japanese female, 35 years of age, originating from Kanagawa Prefecture. Her fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) displays modal frequencies at 217.7 and 259.8 Hz. Her average speech rate was calculated to 145.0 words per minute.



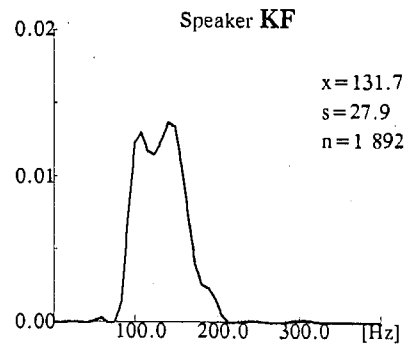
Speaker **HH** is a Japanese male, 29 years of age, originating from Hokkaido. His fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) is shown beside. His main modal frequency is 112.6 Hz, with a weak second modal 182.1 Hz. His average speech rate was calculated to 160.7 words per minute.



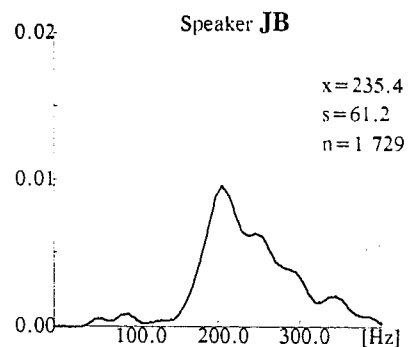
Speaker **MA** is a Japanese male, 31 years of age, originating from Gumma Prefecture. His fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) displays two clearly defined modal frequencies, the first (stronger one) at 118.3 Hz and the second (weaker one) at 162.8 Hz. His average speech rate was calculated to 155.1 words per minute.



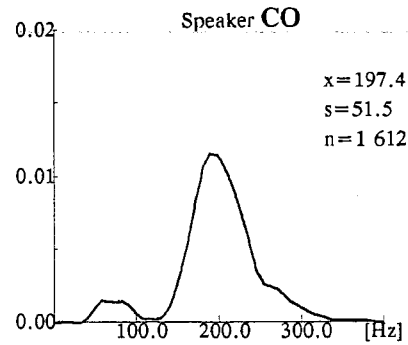
Speaker **KF** is a Japanese male, 29 years of age, originating from Yokohama. His fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) is shown beside. Modal frequencies were established at 106.1 and 148.4 Hz. His average speech rate was calculated to 152.7 words per minute.



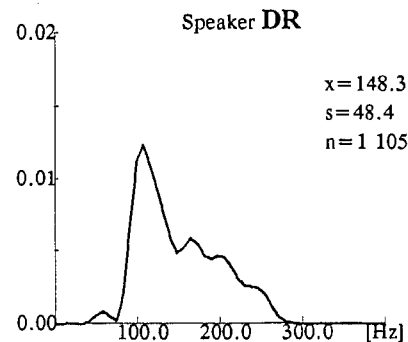
Speaker **JB** is an American female, 26 years of age, originating from Iowa (USA). Her fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) shows a principle modal frequency at 201.7 Hz, with additional, progressively weaker modals at 254.3, 298.7 and 342.2 Hz. Her average speech rate was calculated to 225.4 words per minute.



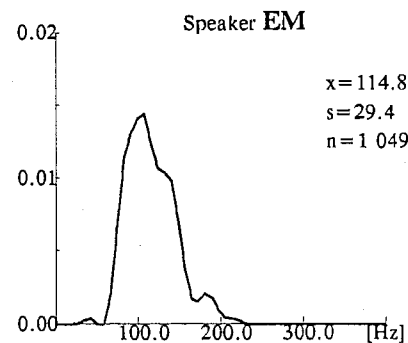
Speaker **CO** is an American female, 24 years of age, originating from Missouri (USA). Her fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) reveals a modal frequency is 188.3 Hz, with an additional, clearly delimited and almost equally distributed modal area of frequencies below 100 Hz. Her average speech rate was calculated to 204.2 words per minute.



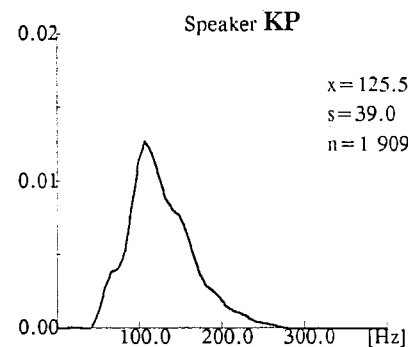
Speaker **DR** is a British male, 26 years of age, originating from Cambridge (UK). His fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) displays a strong modal at 109.4 Hz, with additional, progressively weaker modal frequencies at 171.2 and 202.3 Hz. His average speech rate was calculated to 202.1 words per minute.



Speaker **EM** is an American male, 24 years of age, originating from California (USA). His fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) is shown beside. Modal frequency is 103.1 Hz, with an additional weaker modal at 183.4 Hz. His average speech rate was calculated to 211.3 words per minute.



Speaker **KP** is an American male, 26 years of age, originating from California. His fundamental frequency distribution (FFD) reveals a single modal frequency at 109.6 Hz. His average speech rate was calculated to 208.8 words per minute.



#### 4. RECORDING PROCEDURES

The dialogue material was recorded in an anechoic, sound-insulated chamber at the ATR Auditory and Visual Perception Research Laboratories. During the recordings, the dialogues were conducted monolingually, engaging all possible pairwise combinations of speakers within one language group. Printed versions of the dialogues were handed to the subjects upon arrival at the recording studio. Only minimal instructions were given on how to render the material during the continuous speech recordings. Speakers were encouraged to deliver the dialogues in a relaxed, conversational style, and to avoid as much as possible falling into a normal text reading mode. The English subjects were permitted to choose for themselves the names and addresses (English or Japanese) they wanted to use in the dialogues, in order to avoid any potential pronunciation problems. No instructions were given concerning the inclusion of pauses or the placement of stress (emphatic or contrastive) at any place in the utterances. If speakers produced false starts, hesitations, or departed from their intended rendering of the conversation in any way, they were free to decide themselves whether and how to include any corrections.

For the phrase-wise (bunsetsu) recordings of the Japanese material, phrase boundary markers "/" were included in the hand-outs.

During the recording sessions, the two subjects participating in the respective dialogue were seated together in the anechoic room with their backs turned to each other, in order to avoid visual contact or any other kind of nonverbal/nonvocal communication. Separate condenser microphones (SONY C-350, set for digital recording) were mounted in front of each of the two conversants, and connected via a SONY AC-148F power supply placed inside the chamber. The recording system, consisting of a SONY MU-X051 audio mixer and a SONY DTC-1000ES digital audio tape deck set to 16-bits quantization and a sampling rate of 48 kHz, was located in an adjacent control room.

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The speech of the two subjects was recorded on two separate bands of standard SONY DT-120 digital audio tapes. At the beginning of each recording session the subjects read a short passage in order to get familiarized with the experimental surroundings and to allow the experimenter to adjust the levels on the recording equipment. The conversations were then recorded in one single sitting.



## 5. DATA TRANSFER AND DOWNSAMPLING

For purposes of analysis and storage, the original recordings on the DAT mastertapes were downsampled from 48 kHz to 8 kHz (maintaining 16-bits quantization) and transferred to auxiliary disk storage running under a DEC GPX workstation at the Department of Information Theory, Chalmers University of Technology, in Gothenburg, Sweden.

Downsampling was performed in two steps:

- (1) from 48 kHz to 16 kHz by digital filtering using the linear-phase transfer filter in the processing unit of the OROS.AI interface;
- (2) from 16 kHz to 8 kHz by employing a specially designed high-order (256 point) FIR-filter.

The transfer function and impulse response of this filter is shown in figure 4 below.

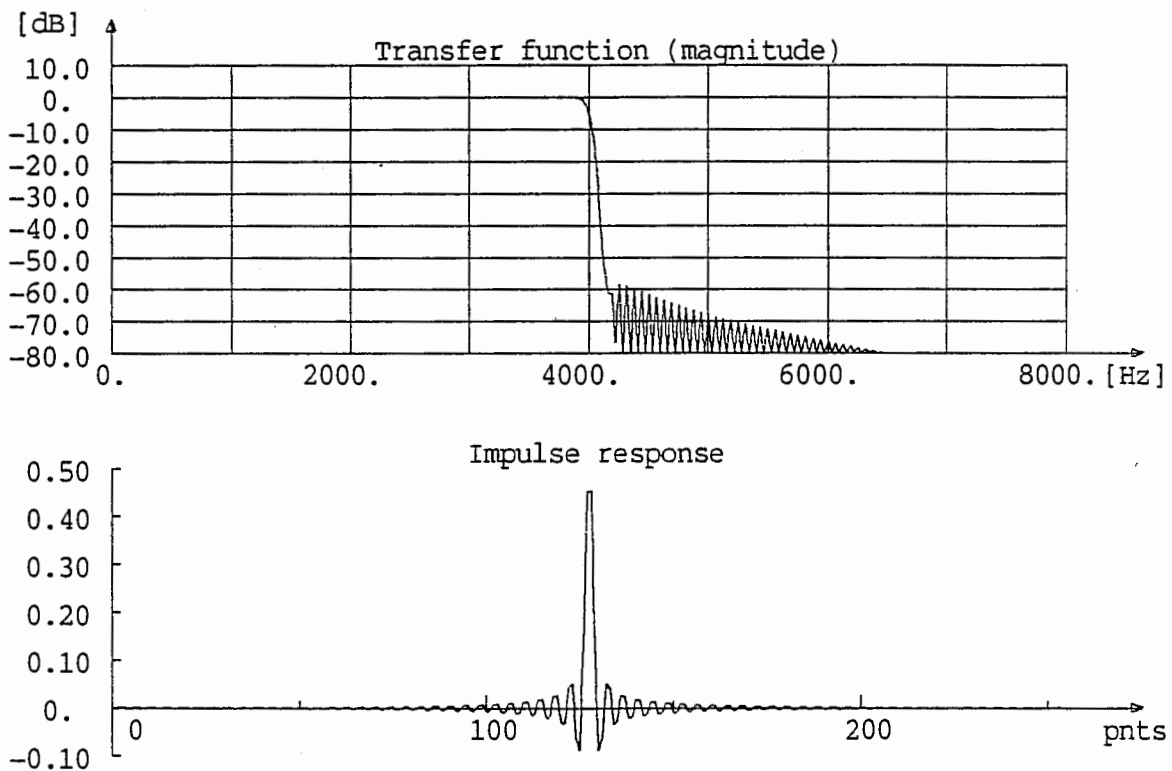


Figure 4 High-order (256 points) FIR-filter used for downsampling from 16 kHz to 8 kHz.

## 6. FILTERING

Subsequent filtering was performed in order to compensate for the relatively low cut-off frequency inherent in the recording system. Moreover, DC-drift problems were found to occur in the A/D-system. For this reason the digital processing includes two high-order (257 points) FIR-filters designed to suppress frequencies below first 40 Hz and then 70 Hz. The spectral properties (cut-off frequencies) and impulse responses of these two filters are illustrated in figures 5 and 6 respectively.

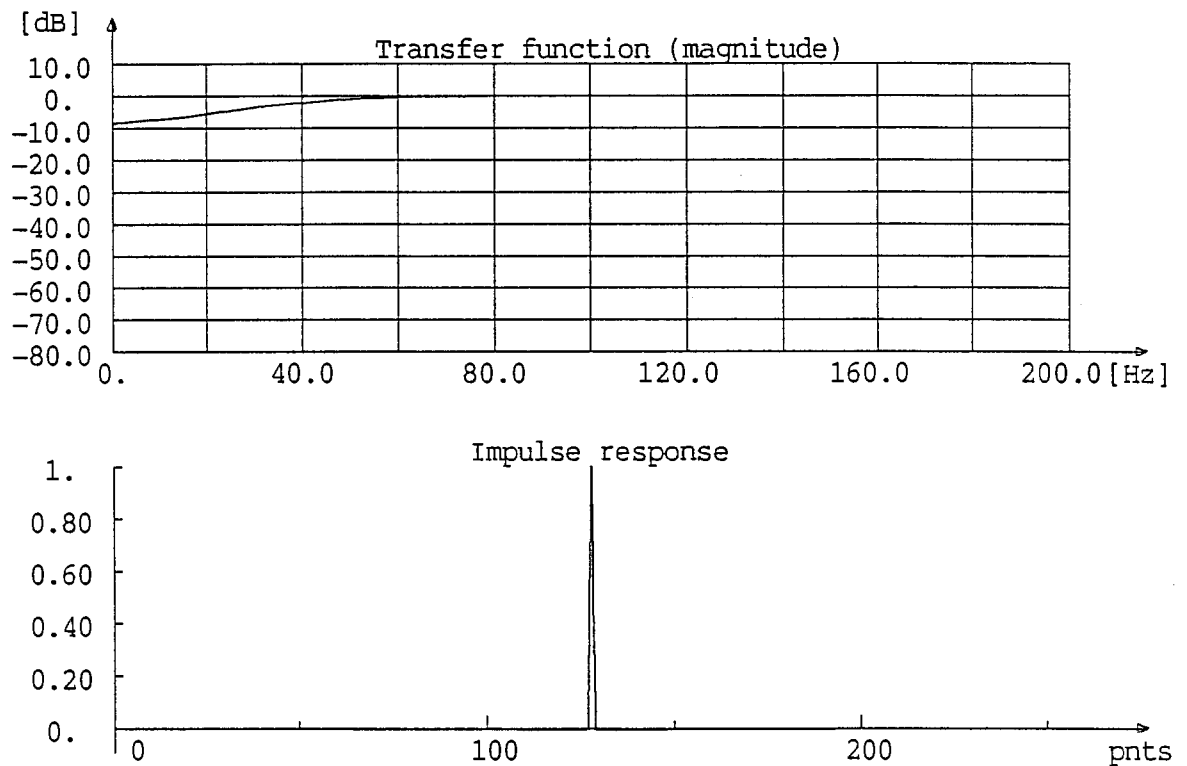


Figure 5 High-order (257 points) FIR-filter used for suppressing frequencies below 40 Hz.

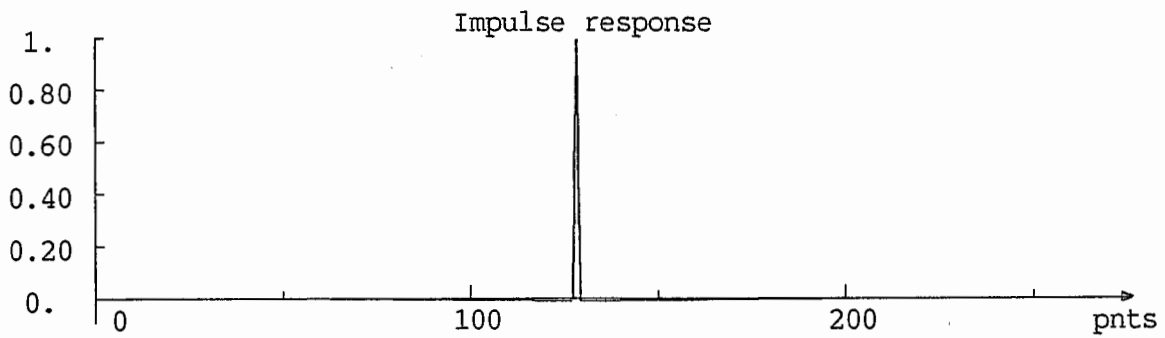
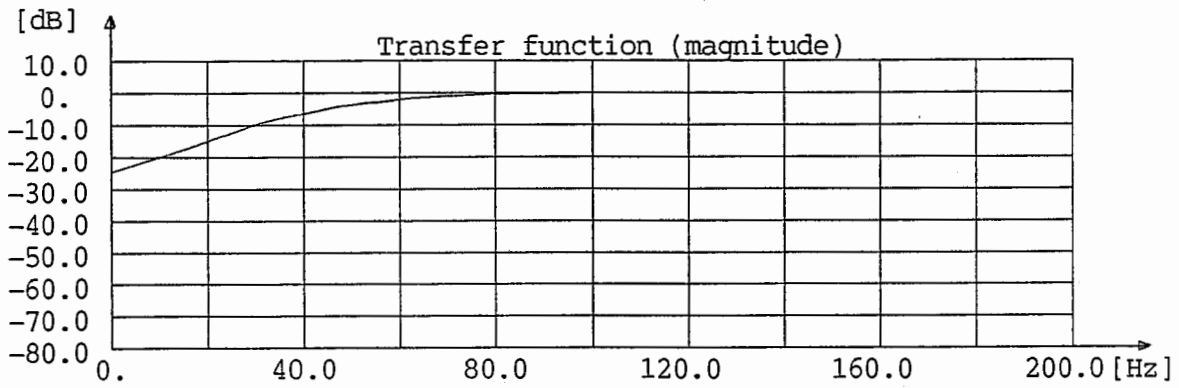


Figure 6 High-order (257 points) FIR-filter used for suppressing frequencies below 70 Hz.

## 7. LPC - ANALYSIS

LPC-analysis is performed using the LPCAYZ subroutine in the SAP signal analysis package (Hedelin 1986). This algorithm follows an auto-correlation approach with frame overlapping and adaptive (first order) pre-emphasis. Frame size is defined to 16 ms. Windowing is performed using a 45 ms Hamming window and the order of the a-polynomial is set to 16.

The prediction parameters, i.e. the LPC-coefficients and the prediction error (residual energy), are stored separately for each frame in the analysis (coefficient) file. A short extract of the complete listing for the LPC parameters computed over the first 20 frames (corresponding to 320 ms of continuous speech) of the Japanese version of Conversation\_1 recorded by the two male speakers HH and MA (compare chapter 3) is shown on the following pages for illustration purposes. The a-parameters are listed in the third column (positions 2 to 17), the prediction error in position 64 of the same column. Further details concerning the contents and organization of the data analysis files are described in chapter 10.

It must be appreciated in this context that various additional programs are provided in the SAP signal analysis package which allow the user to perform further signal analyses, including e.g.

- Cepstrum analysis
- Inverse filtering
- Area functions
- Formant structure
- Reflection coefficients

based on the a-parameters obtained by the LPCAYZ program. The listings on the following pages thus include in the right (fourth) column even the cepstrum parameters for the same set of data, i.e. the first 10 frames of the Japanese version of Conversation 1 recorded by two male speakers.

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1	5	-0.16586	0.29522
1	6	-0.34835	-0.04000
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1	9	-0.04013	0.18774
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1	12	0.01838	-0.00567
1	13	0.11037	0.03986
1	14	0.02811	-0.01850
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1	16	0.01619	0.12036
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19	14	0.02739	-0.07683
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21	2	-0.20517	-0.23142
21	3	0.25246	-0.10351
21	4	0.05459	0.20083
21	5	-0.19035	0.45886

## 8. PITCH EXTRACTION

Pitch extraction is performed using the DWAPIT pitch determination algorithm presented in Hedelin & Huber (1990a). Pitch estimates are obtained at 16-ms intervals and calculated to the first decimal. Considerable effort has been invested in designing a fast, accurate and robust pitch determination algorithm (PDA). Several approaches have been tested and systematically evaluated, including both time-domain and short-term analysis PDAs such as the Gold-Rabiner algorithm, the SIFT algorithm, and the cepstrum method. The PDA finally adopted for pitch extraction constitutes an extended and improved version of the SIFT algorithm, i.e. following a basic autocorrelation approach.

As a result, high precision pitch estimates are obtained with only a slight increase in computational complexity. In the evaluation, the pitch extractor thus designed outperformed the other methods included in the tests, in particular with respect to incorrect voicing decisions and pitch doubling.

Remaining pitch detection errors are mostly of the segmentation type and are obviously caused by the incongruity between the segment boundaries and the analysis frame size. These errors are hand-edited during transcription by marking a frame as voiced if more than one third of its total duration contains a periodic speech signal. Thus an inherent segmentation error of approximately  $\pm 10$  ms has to be taken into account in all further analyses involving durational properties of the speech wave.

Pitch estimation errors are either of the "octave error" type, i.e. the  $F_0$  values are wrong (or correct!) by a factor of 2 due to "jitter" in the voice source, or they are caused by irregular, aperiodic vibrations (both in period duration and waveform) at the onset or offset of phonation. These voicing "errors" are not corrected as their detection, classification and function as potential boundary cues in speech communication is to be investigated in a series of studies conducted at Chalmers University of Technology in Sweden.

All pitch estimates are stored in the signal analysis file (position 63). Frames without pitch are set to either "-1" (marking voiceless stretches of speech) or "-2" (marking silence in pauses). Separate listings of the pitch values obtained in 16-ms intervals for conversation 1 in one Japanese and one English version (both versions involving two male speakers) are exemplified on the following pages for illustration purposes. Figures 7 and 8 show the pitch contours of the corresponding speech material in their entire lengths. More detailed displays of the beginning of each conversation, including time-aligned amplitude displays, are shown in figures 9 and 10.

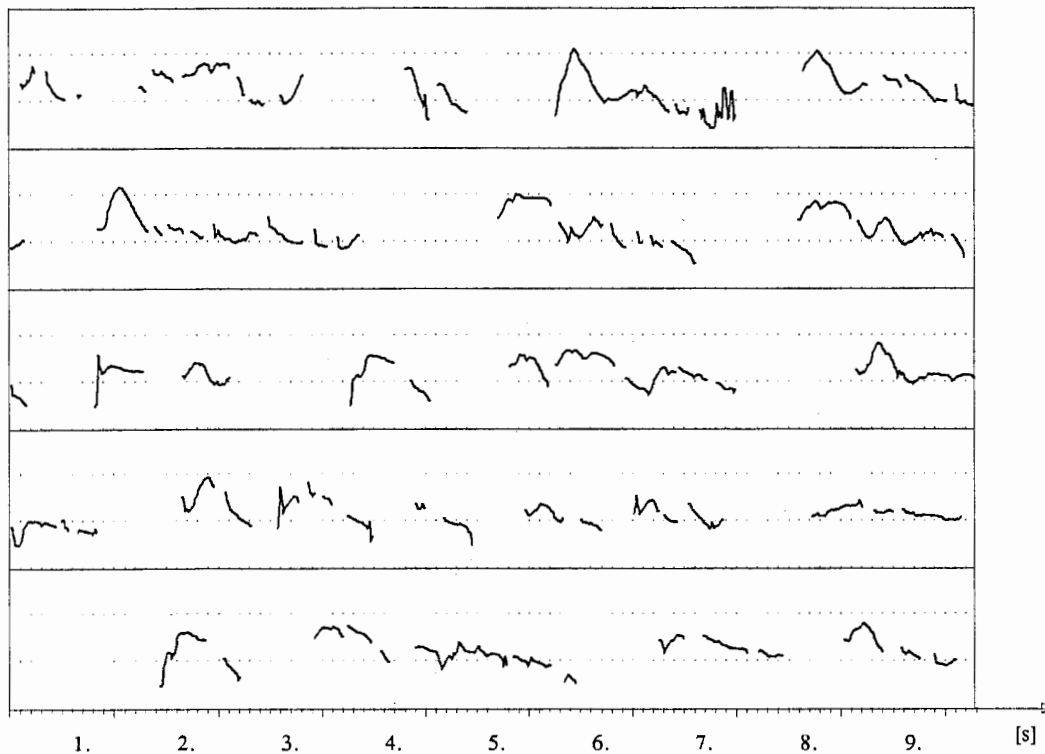


Figure 7 Pitch contour of conversation 1 (Japanese version), involving the two male speakers MA and HH.

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31	109.0	107.2	106.2	106.6								40
41	116.1	111.1	114.4									50
51												60
61												70
71								133.2	133.7	128.3		80
81	123.8	121.2				170.3	162.2	159.9	159.6	158.6		90
91	165.7	160.9	157.0	154.9	153.8	153.2	148.5	142.8				100
101				155.7	156.4	158.2	158.3	159.2	159.4	160.1		110
111	160.8	163.7	173.1	177.3	178.4	180.8	182.7	180.8	179.5	169.5		120
121	163.5	166.4	174.7	181.3	181.6	178.9	179.4	180.7	182.0	181.9		130
131	180.2	171.7					152.9	145.2	134.3	116.2		140
141	114.2				105.1	99.8	99.5	95.7	102.5	98.2		150
151	95.3	92.7	96.1									160
161			114.2	102.0	96.5	97.4	99.8	103.1	105.7	110.7		170
171	115.8	124.3	132.9	143.2	153.8	157.3	157.3					180
181												190
191												200
201												210
211												220
221												230
231								171.3	171.8	172.2		240
241	172.4	168.8	159.8	146.5	133.1	119.3	108.4	100.8	89.2	112.9		250
251	64.6	59.8						135.8	137.8	137.1		260
261	134.0	127.1	118.9	111.6	103.3	95.5	94.8	94.2	93.0	89.0		270
271	84.0	81.8	79.9	78.6	76.7	78.0						280
281												290
291												300
301												310
311												320
321									71.0	96.6		330
331	114.3	136.9	141.8	150.5	163.8	178.6	185.5	199.2	207.6	212.0		340
341	208.3	200.8	192.0	185.7	181.1	176.6	170.6	165.1	157.0	145.7		350
351	136.2	132.7	124.2	119.0	111.9	108.6	103.8	98.3	99.8	105.4		360
361	106.1	105.7	105.0	104.7	104.2	104.7	105.7	107.2	109.6	111.6		370
371	113.0	115.5	119.3	122.1	124.8	124.9	123.9	109.5	117.7	119.8		380
381	119.8	132.5	133.8	124.7	121.6	118.8	115.4	110.7	111.7	107.7		390
391	102.4	97.2	90.9	86.8	82.3	81.6	75.4					400
401	93.5	83.6	76.1	74.5	76.4	78.1	75.9	71.9	84.2			410
411						82.1	62.0	82.9	57.2	52.0		420
421	52.0	45.0	45.0	45.0	45.0	93.6	65.0	76.3	63.6	125.8		430
431	128.2	85.0	62.3	117.1	121.0	60.1	71.2					440
441												450
451												460
461												470
471								166.5	179.9	182.6		480
481	185.2	190.1	194.8	198.1	204.0	207.7	205.8	200.7	194.9	189.5		490
491	185.1	182.2	179.6	173.7	163.9	155.9	147.0	138.5	132.3	125.9		500
501	122.4	119.4	117.6	119.3	119.1	118.3	119.5	121.6	122.4	125.2		510
511	127.4	131.4	135.3	138.6	136.7	133.7						520
521						156.0	152.7	147.4	146.1	147.1		530
531	148.1	148.0	147.4	144.5	138.2	130.4			157.7	151.8		540
541	146.7	145.5	144.7	141.7	139.0	138.0	136.9	135.0	129.4	126.1		550
551	124.8	118.2	113.7	108.9	105.1	101.5	99.0	105.1	103.9	103.9		560
561	104.2	100.3	101.3	101.7					135.8	103.4		570
571	99.9	96.1	97.6	100.5	96.5	94.7	94.7	93.3	91.6	92.4		580
581	91.8	90.4	91.7	93.5	97.6	98.8	100.9	105.9	103.6			590
591												600
601												610
611												620
621												630
631			131.2	129.4	129.6	130.2	132.8	143.5	167.3	175.3		640
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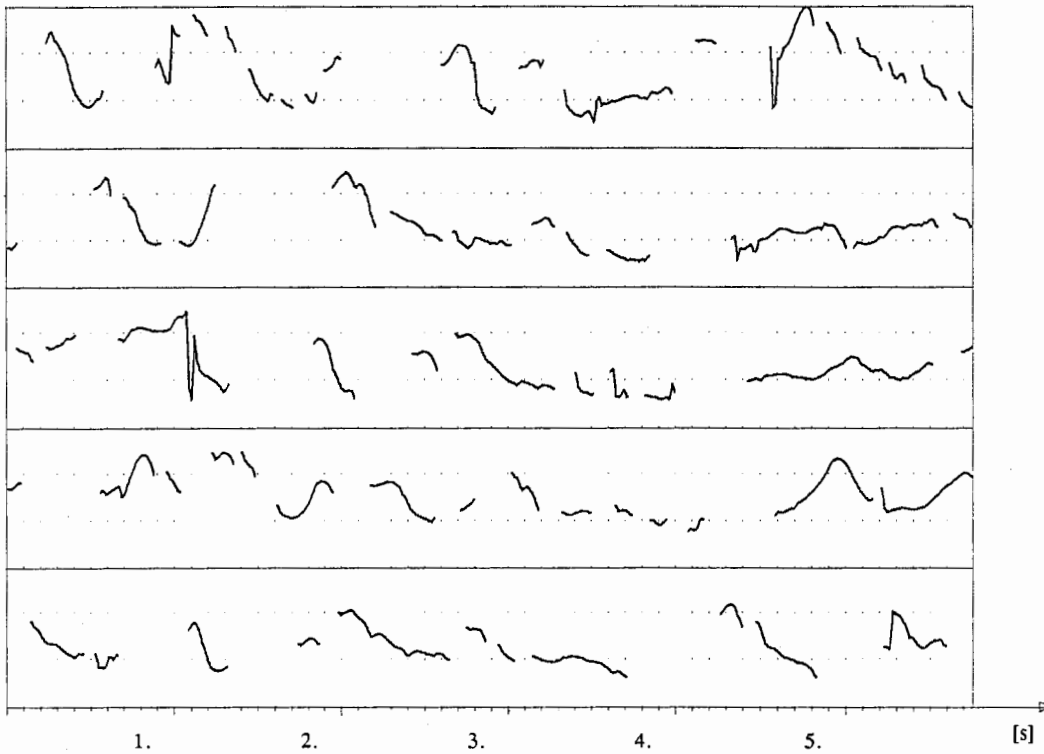


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681	130.2	130.8	128.8	118.5					124.8	123.1	690
691	119.8	117.3	115.8	110.2	108.7	112.3					700
701		139.7	112.2	115.2	125.4	116.2	115.3	112.6	106.6	108.3	710
711	109.5	109.4	104.5	102.6	100.6	100.8	102.5	104.8	105.7	106.7	720
721	107.7	105.7	113.8	119.7	121.9	121.5	121.1	116.8	115.5		730
731					156.8	134.8	134.6	131.4	130.4	125.7	740
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801											810
811											820
821											830
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881	191.6	190.9	185.7	196.9	202.5	203.2	201.8	197.7	196.7	196.5	890
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1011											1020
1021											1030
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1041											1050
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1191											1200
1201											1210
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1221	137.8	137.9	137.2	136.2	135.2	133.7	131.8	130.6	130.0	129.2	1230
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1241											1250
1251											1260
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1271	144.2	144.4	143.1	139.6	140.9	138.1	130.2	122.4	113.9	106.3	1280
1281	101.9	98.5	95.9	103.1	97.5	96.7	97.1	98.1	97.4	104.8	1290
1291	108.7	110.4									1300
1301											1310
1311											1320



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2011	95.2	92.8	91.5	89.5	85.5	79.4	76.7	51.0	51.0			2020
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2071	101.3	99.1	106.4									2080
2081				105.4	100.0	99.5	96.7	98.3	93.6	97.5		2090
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2461												2470
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2481												2490
2491												2500
2501			152.2	155.8	160.3	165.5	170.0	172.9	173.7	174.3		2510
2511	173.4	172.1	169.9	175.9	174.4	172.6	170.2	163.8	156.7	153.3		2520
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2531	161.3	160.0	157.3	154.7	150.9	146.6	139.5					2540
2541			123.0	118.6	111.5	106.1	101.7	99.0				2550
2551												2560
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2571	127.5	125.2	124.5	123.5	123.8	121.5	117.0	101.5	92.1	84.3		2580
2581	91.9	98.6	105.5	112.4	109.7	105.7	117.7	116.9	120.8	141.5		2590
2591	136.5	132.3	125.8	123.8	123.5	122.5	121.5	121.9	121.6	118.9		2600
2601	125.9	132.9	126.1	123.8	120.7	115.1	111.7	113.0	115.5	117.1		2610
2611	117.4	117.4	116.2	114.5	111.9	106.7	89.7	110.9	91.9			2620
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2661	53.0											2670
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2691												2700
2701												2710
2711	146.7	146.7	136.3	119.6	127.1	132.7	137.6	143.4	145.0	146.1		2720
2721	153.0	157.1	155.9	156.1	155.5	148.6						2730
2731								156.7	154.3	150.9		2740
2741	149.4	147.9	147.1	142.7	143.7	142.2	143.3	140.1	137.7	136.3		2750
2751	135.1	132.8	129.9	129.0	130.0	130.7	128.9	128.5	128.6	127.5		2760
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2781	111.6	113.4	115.7	113.6	112.2							2790
2791												2800
2801												2810
2811												2820
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2841	139.6	133.6	130.8	126.1	118.9							2850
2851						130.4	121.7	118.5	115.2	122.9		2860
2861	119.9	117.5	115.7	113.4	111.5	110.4	106.1	106.3				2870
2871						116.2	99.0	97.3	96.2	96.1		2880
2881	94.2	93.7	92.5	93.6	95.6	97.8	98.6	103.4	102.7			2890
2891												2900



**Figure 8** Pitch contour of conversation 1 (English version), involving the two male speakers DR and EM.

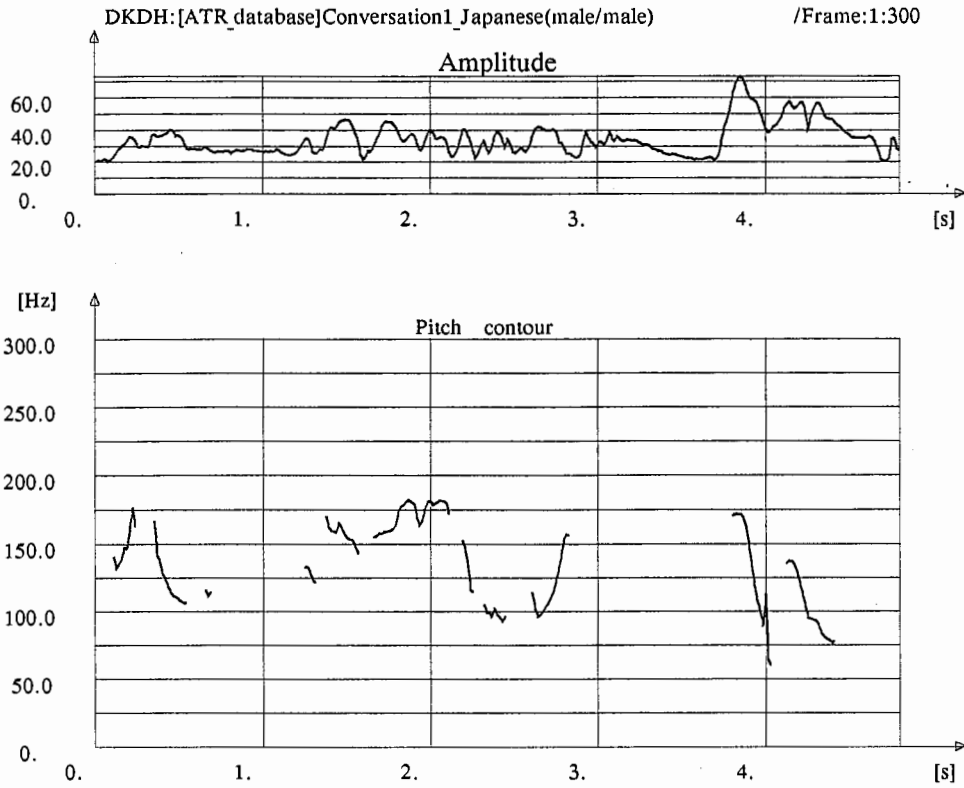
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200	203.5	193.3	171.7	149.4	130.5	116.5	107.3	98.6	93.1	90.6		209
210	89.0	91.7	96.9	106.6	105.9	121.4						219
220												229
230						174.5	189.3	174.7	158.0	142.8		239
240	137.7	260.6	244.8	240.7	239.0					284.6		249
250	273.1	271.2	263.6	247.9	238.2							259
260		259.5	236.5	231.2	220.8	202.8						269
270	167.4	155.9	137.6	125.7	114.4	109.9	105.1	99.1	114.3	115.4		279
280			103.9	97.0	92.9	91.4	86.3					289
290		114.6	102.9	99.7	96.4	116.2			165.6	166.0		299
300	170.4	174.5	189.3	194.9	188.2							309
310												319
320												329
330												339
340			177.8	176.5	182.0	190.7	200.9	211.2	217.3	218.8		349
350	218.5	214.5	203.4	182.8	182.8	115.4	93.6	86.1	84.8	81.0		359
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440	229.8	228.9	229.1	226.5	220.2							449
450												459
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490	200.5						234.2	212.3	209.1	202.6		499
500	199.6	196.1	195.7	191.6	176.4	162.5			180.5	157.2		509
510	149.1	147.9	156.3	158.1	138.5							519
520	174.7	151.1	142.6	136.1	132.7	131.1	129.7	125.0	113.9	100.3		529
530					118.4	101.7	97.5	91.8	88.9	86.5		539
540	89.2	84.5	90.1	96.5								549
550												559
560												569
570			215.5	216.8	220.9	228.7	238.1	234.2	199.4			579
580			196.3	193.9	178.4	172.8	164.8	143.3	127.4			589
590	119.6	105.2	100.3	97.4	95.5	93.7	97.3	96.2				599
600					101.4	96.7	92.8	90.9	93.3	98.3		609
610	109.6	124.8	135.7	155.8	171.5	193.6	212.9	220.8				619
620												629
630												639
640												649
650												659
660		217.2	221.9	232.8	239.2	244.6	249.4	244.3	232.6	219.0		669
670	214.9	223.3	218.8	204.2	192.0	162.4	146.2	130.2				679
680			163.7	160.8	156.9	153.1	150.1	147.4	145.8			689
690	144.4	142.9	138.1	134.0	129.3	120.2	114.6	114.5	114.7	111.7		699
700	108.6	103.9	101.3				119.9	121.7	102.3	97.8		709
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730							137.3	139.8	140.9	143.2		739
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750	107.2	97.6	91.9	83.1	76.1	74.2	70.5	68.9				759
760					82.3	79.1	73.4	70.2	67.6	64.9		769
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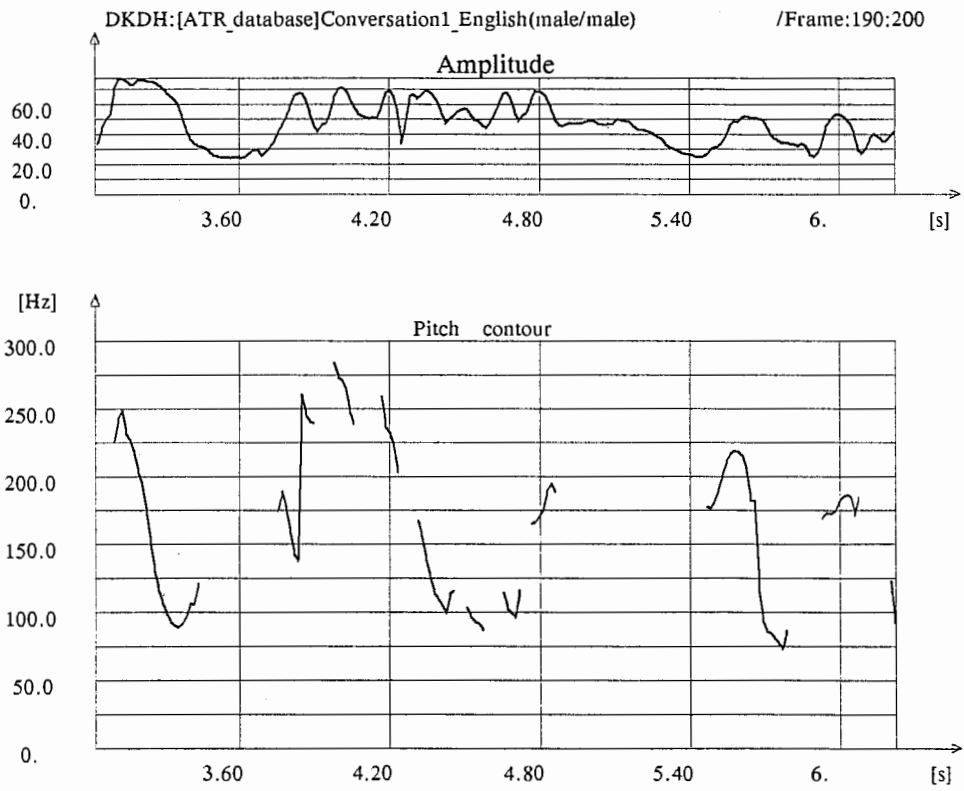
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880	133.6	140.9	140.6	146.8	147.4	136.5	129.6					889
890			160.8	153.6	150.7	149.5	148.9	145.7	131.6	132.3		899
900				171.3	165.5	164.4	161.2	160.0	148.0	141.0		909
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920	180.4	187.7	191.9	190.9	193.6	197.0						929
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940		190.8	189.1	185.4	191.5	201.0	209.9	211.6	214.0	215.1		949
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960	211.8	217.9	229.5	236.5	238.3	237.7	248.9	85.0	60.1	196.3		969
970	144.3	124.6	115.8	112.0	111.0	107.0	103.0	99.5	93.9	85.3		979
980	76.3	80.5	92.6									989
990												999
1000												1009
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1040												1049
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1150												1159
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1260	172.1	171.7	175.6	181.0	184.6	184.9						1269
1270												1279
1280												1289
1290					164.8	168.7	159.8	162.0	166.3	170.6		1299
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1350	219.7	215.1	196.3									1359
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1380	172.0	161.9										1389
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1400	182.8	185.8	186.1	186.0	183.5	177.9	172.3	158.7	154.5	140.6		1409
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1420											126.6	1429
1430	127.7	131.2	135.3	139.4	147.9							1439
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1460									121.6	119.3	116.8	1469
1470	116.3	116.8	118.5	120.7	123.1	125.0	124.9	119.9	119.5			1479
1480									135.3	123.6	124.8	1489
1490	125.3	122.8	117.5	112.4								1499
1500	103.9	103.5	97.5	94.0	94.1	98.9	103.7					1509
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1520	106.2											1529
1530												1539
1540							115.5	121.5	121.6	122.0		1549
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1570	232.6	228.5	221.8	211.3	199.4	189.6	176.9	166.8	160.2	153.6		1579
1580	147.6	148.1	149.4			173.4	130.6	122.3	123.6	126.4		1589
1590	127.5	128.1	130.1	131.0	130.3	129.0	129.0	128.8	129.4	130.2		1599
1600	131.0	133.0	137.0	142.9	148.3	152.8	158.2	164.6	170.2	176.3		1609
1610	179.8	182.9	188.8	192.1	197.6	202.0	205.2	204.3	200.5	195.1		1619
1620	187.2								185.6	174.4		1629
1630	170.7	163.8	152.2	143.5	138.0	136.7	136.8	136.5	132.8	127.8		1639
1640	121.3	117.0	114.2	111.4	107.4	107.7	115.0	113.3	114.6			1649
1650			115.0	86.2	86.0	83.5	85.8	106.5	107.8	100.9		1659
1660	112.0	111.7										1669
1670												1679
1680								168.0	176.3	183.0		1689
1690	174.1	159.8	138.4	118.9	101.5	86.3	81.9	79.5	78.6	79.0		1699
1700	81.0	84.5	85.9									1709
1710												1719
1720									137.0	131.0		1729
1730	136.6	142.5	146.5	147.9	145.7	136.5	134.5					1739
1740				204.4	197.9	201.6	205.1	207.1	209.0	201.2		1749
1750	195.2	191.2	185.4	176.9	164.2	152.7	152.5	155.6	157.0	156.5		1759
1760	151.9	146.0	141.0	136.0	130.4	127.3	125.6	123.4	115.2	110.7		1769
1770	110.3	116.4	119.8	120.0	118.4	117.2	114.0	113.9	110.8	110.2		1779
1780	114.8	114.7	113.7	107.0	102.9	102.3						1789
1790		171.5	167.0	167.4	168.6	167.2	167.0	159.2	140.4			1799
1800				134.1	121.8	115.4	110.1	106.1	102.1	97.0		1809
1810							109.2	106.4	103.7	101.4		1819
1820	100.0	99.2	98.8	97.5	97.5	99.6	100.2	102.1	106.4	106.4		1829
1830	107.9	109.8	109.9	105.6	106.3	103.7	99.7	98.6	99.0	97.6		1839
1840	96.1	94.5	91.6	88.0	82.1	75.0	71.8	73.8	75.9	72.8		1849
1850	67.4	62.7										1859
1860												1869
1870												1879
1880							200.8	205.3	214.1	220.0		1889
1890	220.6	214.5	197.8	188.5	169.5				183.3			1899
1900	175.8	158.3	137.6	129.8	127.7	126.8	121.5	117.2	111.2	106.6		1909
1910	105.2	103.3	101.7	98.0	95.0	96.1	92.9	90.8	86.3	80.7		1919
1920	69.0	61.2										1929
1930												1939
1940							130.4	128.2	123.9	205.7		1949
1950	200.6	198.4	193.2	182.6	173.7	149.6	150.6	144.2	135.9	130.0		1959
1960	127.9	127.5	131.0	137.9	140.2	143.8	143.7	145.0	134.8	130.0		1969
1970												1979





**Figure 9** Enlarged pitch contour and amplitude display of the first 300 16-ms frames of conversation 1 (Japanese version), involving the two male speakers MA and HH.



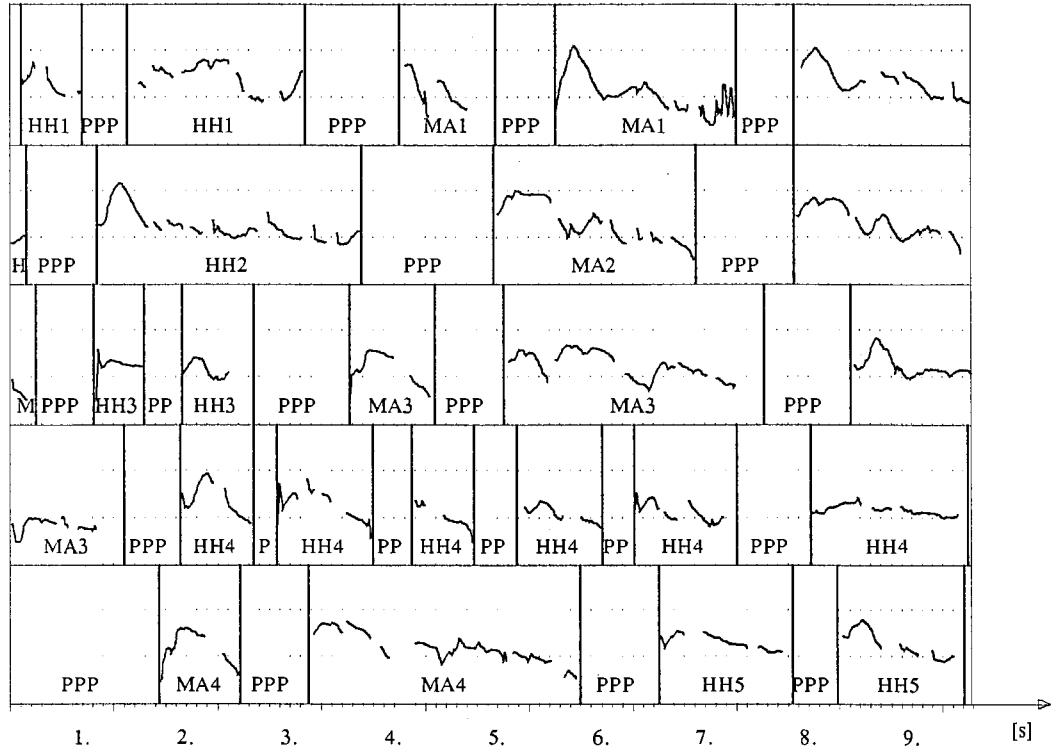
**Figure 10** Enlarged pitch contour and amplitude display of the first 200 16-ms frames of conversation 1 (English version), involving the two male speakers DR and EM.

## 9. SEGMENTATION AND LABELING

All dialogues in their entire lengths are being segmented by marking turn boundaries, pauses and inhalation breaks. Individual turns are marked by indicating the speaker label and the sequence number of his or her turn within the respective dialogue (e.g. HH3 to denote the third turn of speaker HH). Pauses are labeled PPP and inhalation periods IH. False starts, hesitations, repairs, and non-speech sounds (vocalizations) are marked separately.

All labels are written in technical notation in order to facilitate computer handling and storage. Labeling is done manually at 16-ms intervals using the MANPIT program in the SAP signal analysis package. Labels are stored in the signal analysis file (position 58) together with the LPC-coefficients, pitch estimates, etc (compare chapters 7 and 8). Separate listings of the framewise labels for conversation\_1 (both Japanese and English version) are exemplified on the following pages. Figures 11 to 14 display the segmentated and labeled pitch contours introduced earlier in chapter 8.

It must be appreciated in this context that MANPIT also supplies the tools for narrow phonetic classification and labeling in the phoneme, allophone and acoustic event domains as well as facilities for automatic conversion between various levels of linguistic analysis (cf. Hedelin & Huber 1990c).



**Figure 11** Segmented and labeled pitch contour of conversation\_1 (Japanese version), involving the two male speakers MA and HH.

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21	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	30
31	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	HH1	40
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201	PPP	PPP	PPP	PPP	PPP	PPP	PPP	PPP	PPP	PPP	210
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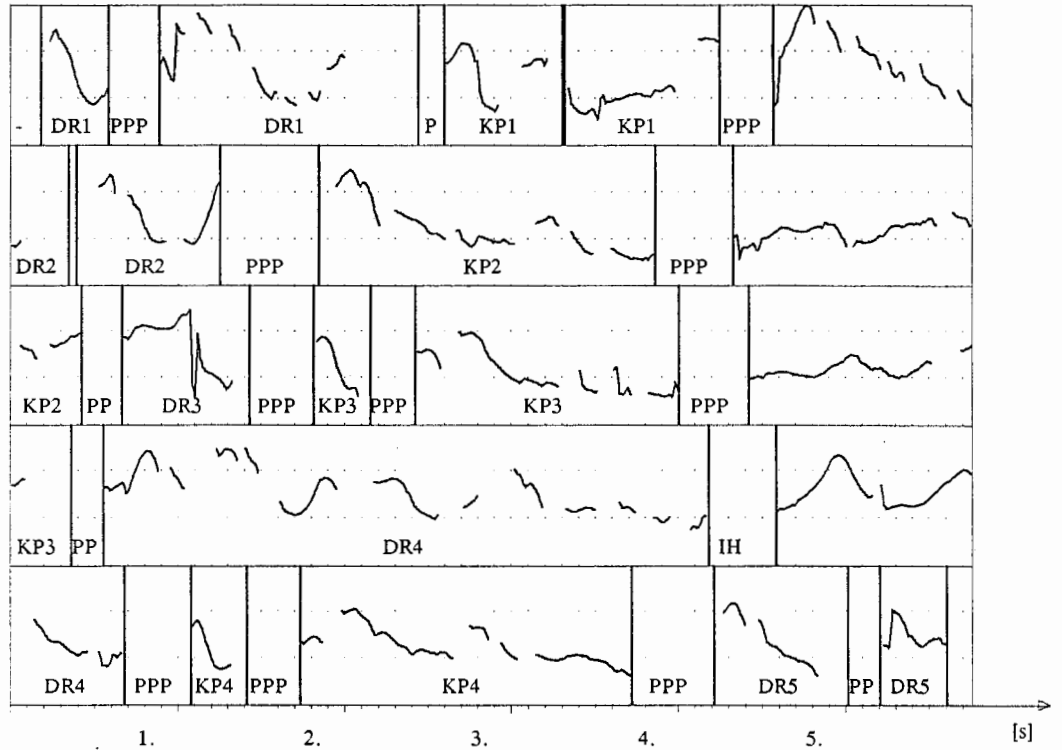


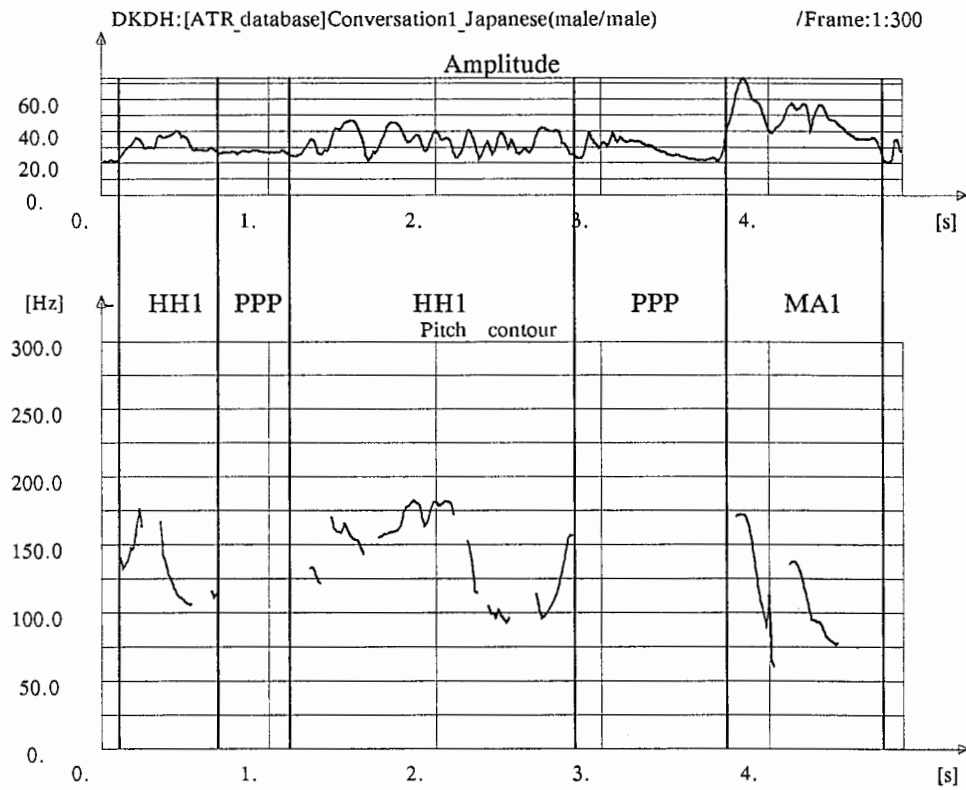
Figure 12 Segmented and labeled pitch contour of conversation 1 (English version), involving the two male speakers DR and EM.

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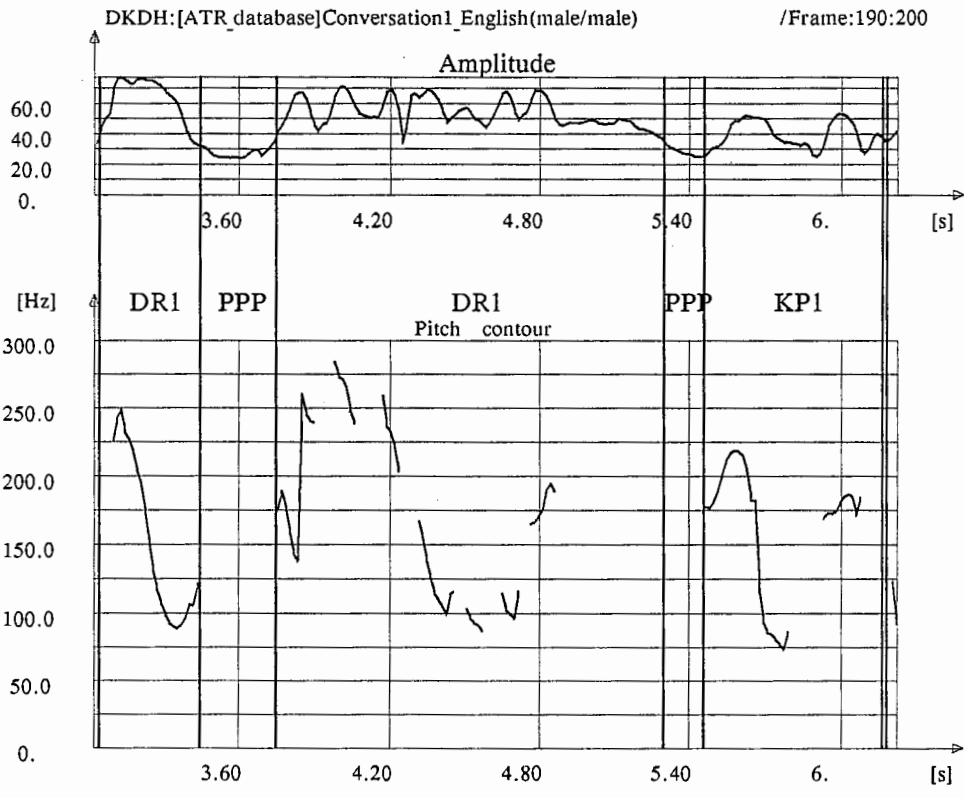
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**Figure 13** Segmented and labeled pitch contour and amplitude display of the first 300 16-ms frames of conversation 1 (Japanese version), involving the two male speakers MA and HH.



**Figure 14** Segmented and labeled pitch contour and amplitude display of the first 200 16-ms frames of conversation 1 (English version), involving the two male speakers DR and EM.

## 10. DATA STORAGE AND TRANSFER

All analysis data are stored in a separate data file running parallel to the sampled speech signal file. This data file is organized in terms of a HEADER followed by an array of RECORDS.

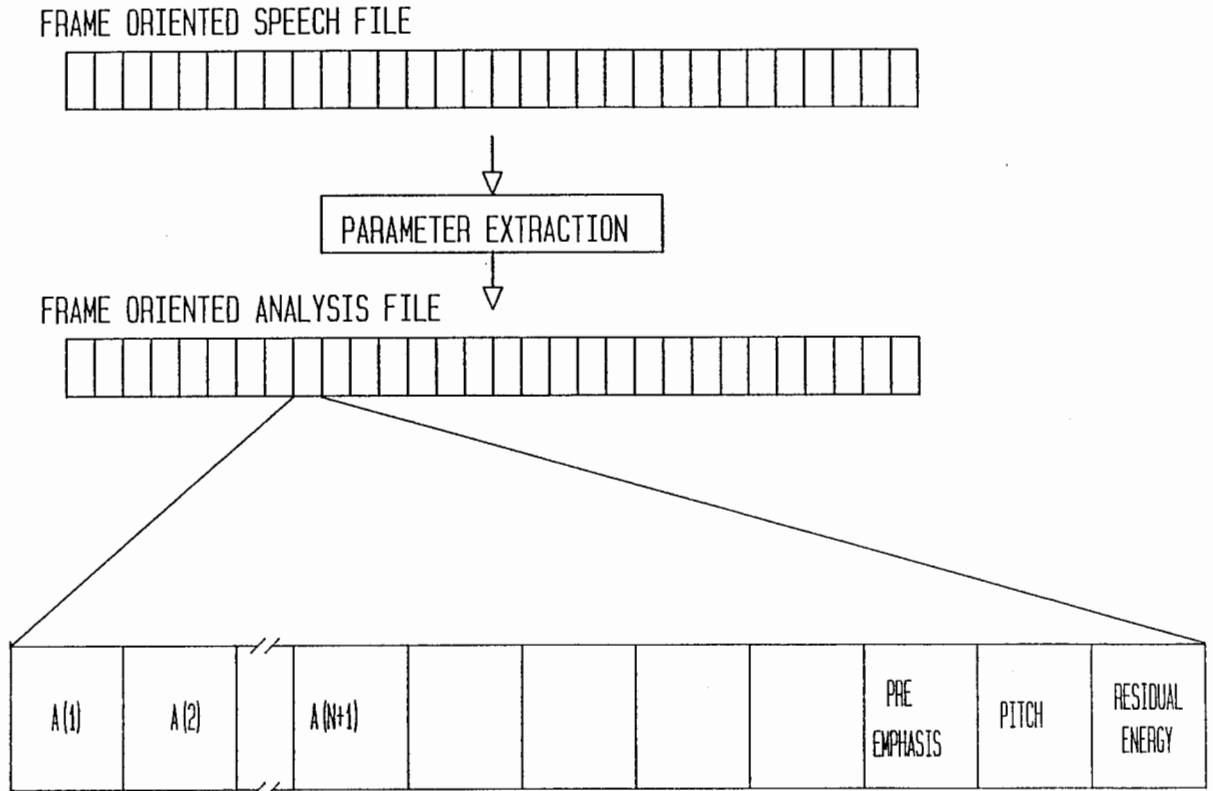


Figure 15 Data storage and file organisation

The HEADER is defined by the first 256 (16-bit) words of the file, which describe

- (1) the file address;
- (2) the order  $m$  of the  $a$ -parameters;
- (3) the pre-emphasis  $p$  (adaptive pre-emphasis is signaled by  $\text{HEADER}(4) = -32768$ );
- (4) the analysis frame size.

Each RECORD corresponds to one frame of signal analysis data and describes essentially a source-filter model of speech representation. Thus, one record of analysis data consists of an array of  $N$  variables, which are organized as follows:

- (1) the first 17 variables represent the 16  $a$ -parameters of the LPC-analysis (with an initial identification label);



- (2) the last variable N states the prediction error (residual energy);
- (3) the pitch value  $F_0$  is listed in the second last position of the record N-1, stated in Hertz (Hz);
- (4) the adaptive (time-varying) pre-emphasis is listed at position N-2 in the record;
- (5) transcription labels are listed in position N-6 in the record;
- (6) optionally, a formant area starts at position N-10, with N-10 stating the number of formants listed for the present frame, N-11 the center frequency of the first formant  $F_1$ , N-12 the bandwidth of the first formant  $B_1$ , position N-13 the center frequency of the second formant  $F_2$ , etc.

One complete RECORD of analysis data from the onset of conversation\_1 (Japanese version) is listed on the following pages for illustration purposes.

As can be seen in these listings, each record includes a considerable number of empty positions (marked as 0.00000 in the listings) which can be used for simultaneous storage of additional parameters derived from extended signal analyses and/or further phonetic-linguistic-prosodic labeling.

10	1	1.00000	0.72220
10	2	-0.72220	0.40276
10	3	-0.14197	0.37530
10	4	-0.14721	0.18930
10	5	0.06916	-0.08709
10	6	0.24216	0.07437
10	7	-0.11968	0.30344
10	8	-0.27696	0.13631
10	9	0.05177	0.06360
10	10	0.08329	0.16368
10	11	-0.03807	-0.09311
10	12	0.20481	-0.18113
10	13	0.07027	-0.01808
10	14	-0.10603	-0.06747
10	15	0.04384	-0.06255
10	16	-0.02643	0.00589
10	17	-0.01657	0.00000
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10	51	0.00000	0.00000
10	52	0.00000	0.00000
10	53	0.00000	0.00000
10	54	0.00000	0.00000
10	55	1.00000	0.00000
10	56	16.00000	0.00000
10	57	0.00000	0.00000
10	58	51232.19141	0.00000
10	59	0.00000	0.00000
10	60	0.00000	0.00000
10	61	1.00000	0.00000

10	62	0.91460	0.00000
10	63	138.76981	0.00000
10	64	110693.74219	0.00000
11	1	1.00000	1.07926
11	2	-1.07926	0.60904
11	3	-0.02664	0.42152
11	4	0.02627	0.05444
11	5	0.28779	-0.26311
11	6	0.24833	-0.09931
11	7	-0.24499	0.18809
11	8	-0.34321	0.03955
11	9	0.17693	0.01561
11	10	0.12369	0.07454
11	11	0.00166	0.00459
11	12	-0.00957	-0.14577
11	13	0.05148	-0.01168
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11	57	0.00000	0.00000
11	58	51232.19141	0.00000
11	59	0.00000	0.00000

11	60	0.00000	0.00000
11	61	1.00000	0.00000
11	62	0.91019	0.00000
11	63	147.81116	0.00000
11	64	146934.48438	0.00000

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