

### Worksheet 1

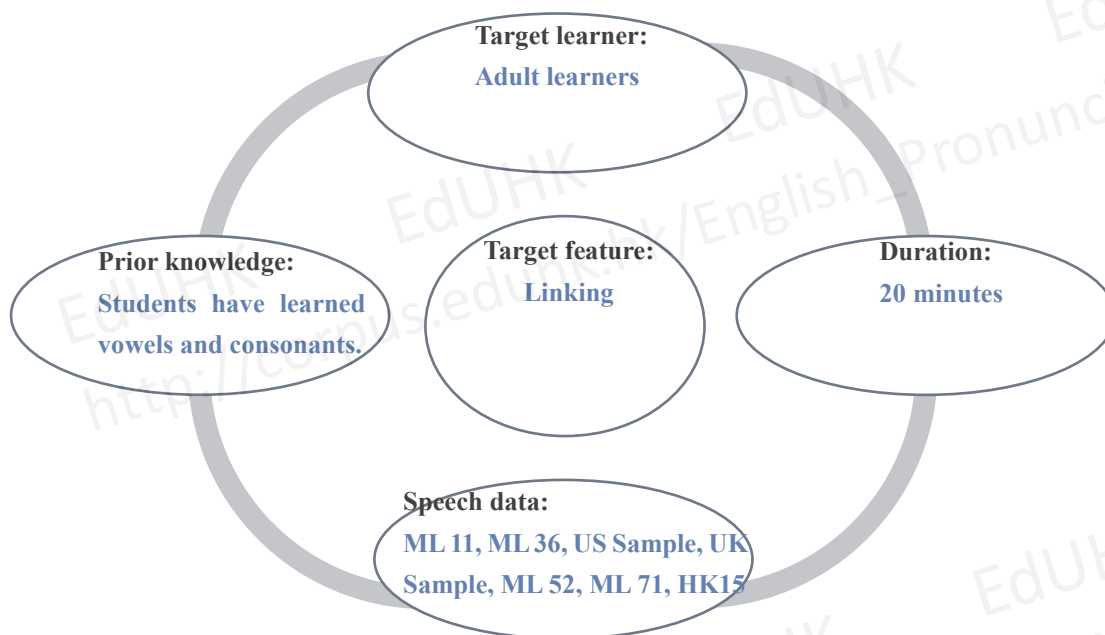
1. Visit the corpus <http://phonetics2.eduhk.hk/#/home>.
2. Use 'search' function.
3. Choose one suprasegmental feature you are interested in.
4. Note down the numbers of HK, ML, SA speakers who have the suprasegmental feature and calculate the percentage of occurrences for each group of speakers.

| Type of suprasegmental feature | Group of speaker | Number of occurrences | Percentage of occurrences |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Inappropriate pausing          | HK               | 19/20                 | 95%                       |
|                                | ML               | 90/96                 | 93.75%                    |
|                                | SA               | 18/20                 | 90%                       |
| Type of suprasegmental feature | Group of speaker | Number of occurrences | Percentage of occurrences |
| Absence of pausing             | HK               | 1/20                  | 5%                        |
|                                | ML               | 13/96                 | 13.54%                    |
|                                | SA               | 11/20                 | 55%                       |
| Type of suprasegmental feature | Group of speaker | Number of occurrences | Percentage of occurrences |
| Absence of CV linking          | HK               | 20/20                 | 100%                      |
|                                | ML               | 95/96                 | 98.96%                    |
|                                | SA               | 20/20                 | 100%                      |
| Type of suprasegmental feature | Group of speaker | Number of occurrences | Percentage of occurrences |
| Inappropriate lexical stress   | HK               | 3/20                  | 15%                       |
|                                | ML               | 19/96                 | 19.79%                    |
|                                | SA               | 5/20                  | 25%                       |
| Type of suprasegmental feature | Group of speaker | Number of occurrences | Percentage of occurrences |
| Inappropriate intonation       | HK               | 20/20                 | 100%                      |
|                                | ML               | 96/96                 | 100%                      |
|                                | SA               | 20/20                 | 100%                      |

5. Discuss with your partner(s):
  - 1) why did you choose this suprasegmental feature?
  - 2) for the suprasegmental feature you searched for, which group of speakers has the highest frequency of occurrence?
  - 3) what are the possible causes for such phenomenon?

## Worksheet 2

Design a classroom activity with integration of speech data from the corpus to help students remedy one of the suprasegmental features.



What is the presentation of the activity for students?

### 1. Feature discovery

Students listen to the recordings of ML 11, ML 36, and US and UK samples, (Sentence 5, Passage one in the Spoken English Corpus of Chinese and Non-Chinese Learners in Hong Kong) and find the differences between learners and native speakers.

The teacher then gives instructions and examples of CV linking.

### 2. Consolidation

Students listen to the recordings of ML 52, ML 71, HK 15, and check whether these speakers have the feature of absence of CV linking.

### 3. Production

Students listen to the song “1000 hours” and try to find CV linking features in the song.

Students sing the song together and check whether they produce CV linking feature appropriately and correctly.

Do you love the rain  
Does it make you dance  
When you're drunk with your friends at a party  
What's your favorite song  
Does it make you smile  
Do you think of me  
When you close your eyes tell me what are you dreaming  
Everything I wanna know it all  
I'd spend 10,000 hours  
And 10,000 more  
Oh if that's what it takes to learn that sweet heart of yours  
And I might never get there  
But I'm gonna try  
If it's 10,000 hours  
Or the rest of my life  
I'm gonna love you  
Or the rest of my life  
I'm gonna love you