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**Index Terms**: speech recognition, human-computer interac­tion, computational paralinguistics

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| 2/1 | ≈ 6 |
| 3.16 | 10 |
| 1/10 | 20 |
| 10/1 | -20 |
| 100/1 | 40 |
| 1000/1 | 60 |

Figure 1: *Schematic diagram of speech production.*

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 (1)

where  is a special warping function

 (2)

A residue theorem states that

 (3)

Applying (3) to (1), it is quite straightforward to see that

 (4)

Finally we have proven the secret theorem of all speech sciences. No more math is needed to show how useful the result is!

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