

Introduction to Linguistics - Optional Extra Practice with the IPA for English



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[Instructions: This will not be collected as an assignment, but I will make answers available!]

• Give a broad phonetic transcription for each of the following words and phrases:

- 1. flags [flægz]
 - 2. change [tʃeɪndʒ]
 - 3. cloudy [klaʊdi]
 - 4. groomed [gru:md]
 - 5. quiet [kwaɪət]
 - 6. treasure [treʒə]
 - 7. wedges [wedʒɪz]
 - 8. acute [əkyu:t]
 - 9. business [bɪznɪs]
 - 10. cloth [klɒθ]
 - 11. who took my granny's shawl [hu: tu:k maɪ grænɪz ʃɔ:l]
- Try exercise 4 on page 261 (looking for ERRORS, not dialectal variations :))

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4. Correcting major errors in transcription.

Error	Correction
a. [cɑ:m]	[kʰɑ:m]
b. [sed]	[sed]
c. [tʰɔ:k]	[tʰɔ:k] ~ [tʰak]
d. [ænd]	[ænd]
e. [wæx]	[wæks]
f. [kʰæbeɪz]	[kʰæbeɪz]
g. [ɪs]	[ɪz]
h. [wɛθər]	[wɛðər]