

Phonetics and Phonology

FF1B

Lecture 8 Worksheet

ASPECTS OF CONNECTED SPEECH III

ELISION

Practice 1

How would you pronounce the following words/expressions in rapid colloquial speech?

1. pneumatic / /
2. fasten / /
3. bomb / /
4. debt / /
5. Worcester / /
6. receipt / /
7. history / /
8. comfortable / /
9. believe / /
10. camera / /
11. landlord / /
12. sandwich / /
13. factory / /
14. just now / /
15. fresh shirt / /

Before you check your answers in the Key, go to back to Elision II at https://is.muni.cz/auth/el/1441/jaro2008/A2BK_FF1B/5328107/5334472/Elision_II.doc?fakulta=1441;obdobi=3764;kod=A2BK_FF1B;nbloku=cont%20assessment and try to find the answers there.

KEY

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| 1. pneumatic | /nju:'mæɪtɪk / |
| 2. fasten | /fɑ:sən/ |
| 3. bomb | /bɒm / |
| 4. debt | /det / |
| 5. Worcester | /wʊstə / |
| 6. receipt | /rɪ'si:t / |
| 7. history | /hɪstri / |
| 8. comfortable | /kʌmfətəbl / |
| 9. believe | /bli:v / |
| 10. camera | /kæmrə / |
| 11. landlord | /lændlɔ:d / |
| 12. sandwich | /sænwɪtʃ / |
| 13. factory | /fæktri / |
| 14. just now | /dʒʌs 'naʊ / |
| 15. fresh shirt | /frefʃ ʃɜ:t / no assimilation possible!!! |