

Transcription Practice Exercise 5—Argentinean Spanish

This exercise consists of 20 items to transcribe, each repeated twice. The consonants and vowels in these items are included in this set:

Consonants:

p b t d k g
β f ð s z x γ h
m n ɲ j l r w j
tʃ dʒ

Vowels: i, e, a, o, u

(Transcribe all variants as the closest of these five.)

There is also a voiceless vowel [e̞], sometimes followed by [h].

Transcription exercise: In a few cases, the first and second repetitions of an item differ somewhat: (3), (5), and (10) sound different in certain consonants. The slight differences in (3) and (10) can be ignored (if you hear them at all), but (5) should be transcribed twice. Also, the first repetition of (17) has a syllabic nasal instead of a vowel + nasal. Transcribe it with a vowel, as in the second repetition. Be sure to mark stress.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
- 5a. _____ 5b. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____
17. _____
18. _____
19. _____
20. _____