ENGLISH PHONETIC FEATURES

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Feature Name	Classificatory Possibilities	English Segments
Voice	[+ voice]	b, d, g, v, z, ð, dʒ, ʒ, m, n, ŋ, l, r, w, (and all vowels)
	[- voice]	p, t, k, f, s, θ, tʃ, ʃ, h
Labial	----	p, b, m, f, v
Coronal	[+anterior]	θ, ð, t, d, n, s, z, l, r
	[- anterior]	tʃ, dʒ, ʃ, ʒ, j (and front vowels)
Dorsal	----	k, g, ŋ, w (and back vowels)
Stricture	[stop]	p, t, k, b, d, g, m, n, ŋ
	[fricative]	f, v, s, z, h, θ, ð, ʃ, ʒ, tʃ, dʒ
	[approximant]	w, r, l, j, (and all vowels)
Nasal	[+ nasal]	m, n, ŋ

	[- nasal]	all other segments
Lateral	[+ lateral]	l
	[- lateral]	all other segments
Sibilant	[+ sibilant]	s, z, ʃ, ʒ, tʃ, dʒ
	[- sibilant]	all other segments
Back	[+ back]	u, uː, ɒ, ɔː, aː k, g, w, ŋ
	[- back]	iː, I, e, æ, ə, ɜː, ʌ, (and all other segments)
Syllabic	[+ syllabic]	all vowels
	[- syllabic]	all consonants