# 數位語音處理概論 HW#2-1

# **HMM Training and Testing**

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# Digit Recognizer

# Construct a digit recognizer - monophone ling | yi | er | san | si | wu | liu | qi | ba | jiu

### Free tools of HMM: Hidden Markov Toolkit (HTK)

```
http://htk.eng.cam.ac.uk/
build it yourself, or use the compiled version

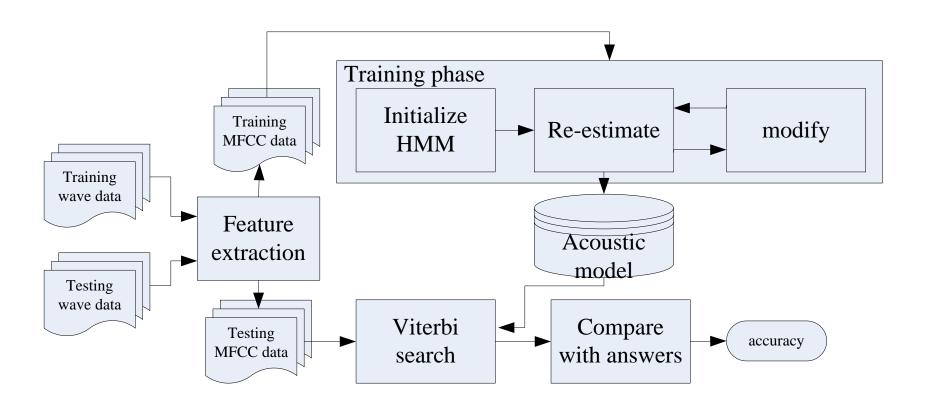
htk341_debian_x86_64.tar.gz

HTK 3.4.1 was released in 2009
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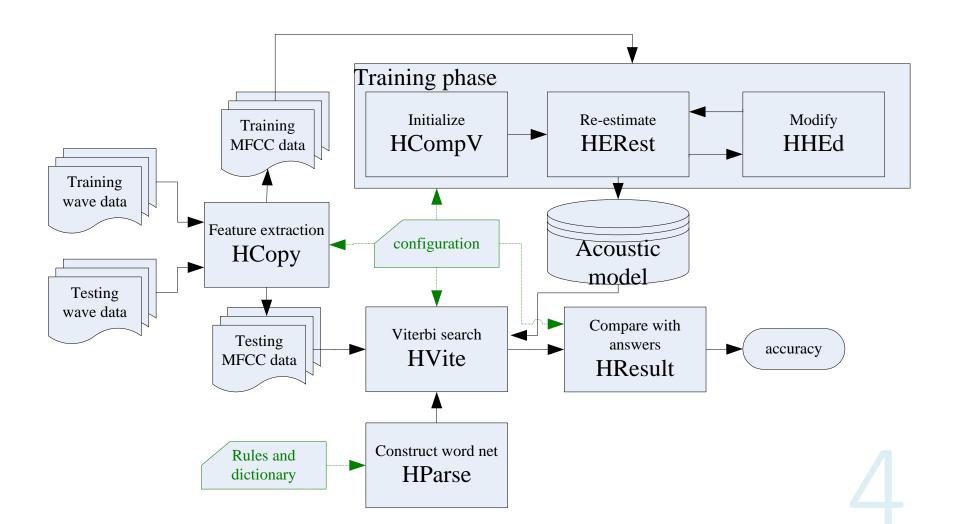
### Training data, testing data, scripts, and other resources

all are available on http://speech.ee.ntu.edu.tw/courses/DSP2016Spring/

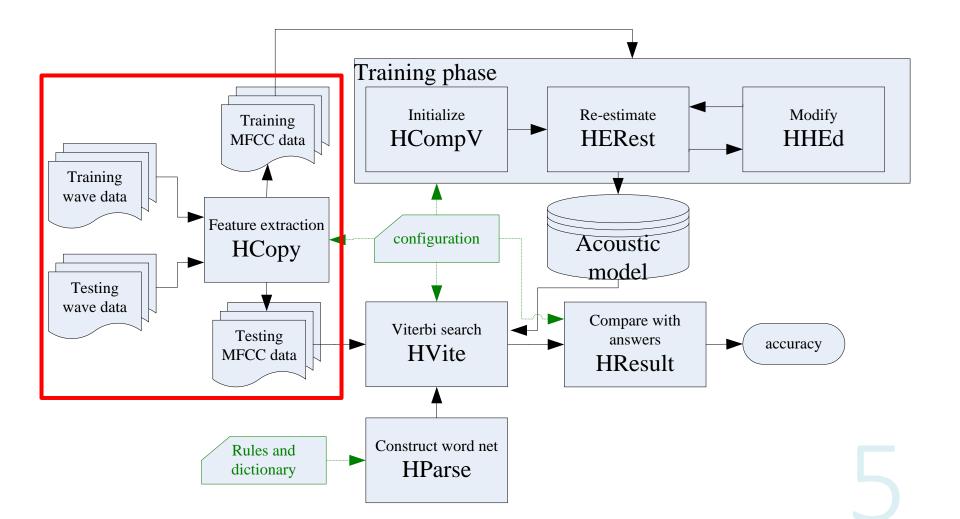
### Flowchart



### Thanks to HTK!



### Feature Extraction



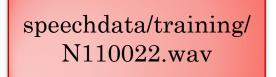
### Feature Extraction - HCopy

HCopy -C lib/hcopy.cfg -S scripts/training\_hcopy.scp

### Convert wave to 39 dimension MFCC

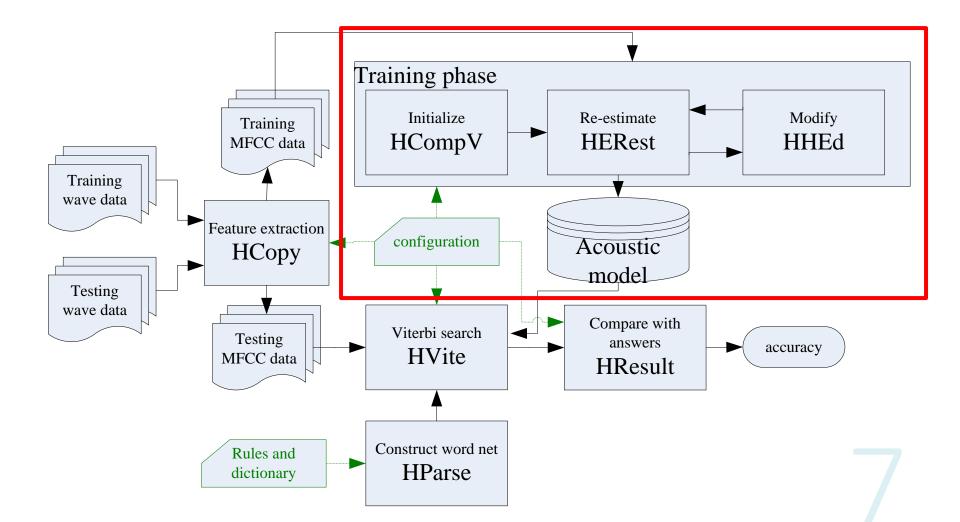
- -C lib/hcopy.cfg
- input and output format

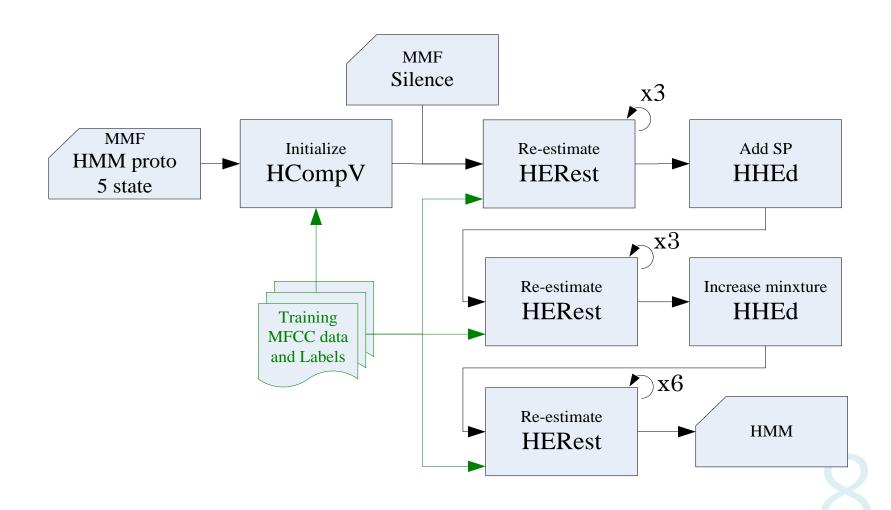
- parameters of feature extraction
- Chapter 7 Speech Signals and Front-end Processing
- -S scripts/training\_hcopy.scp
- a mapping from Input file name to output file name

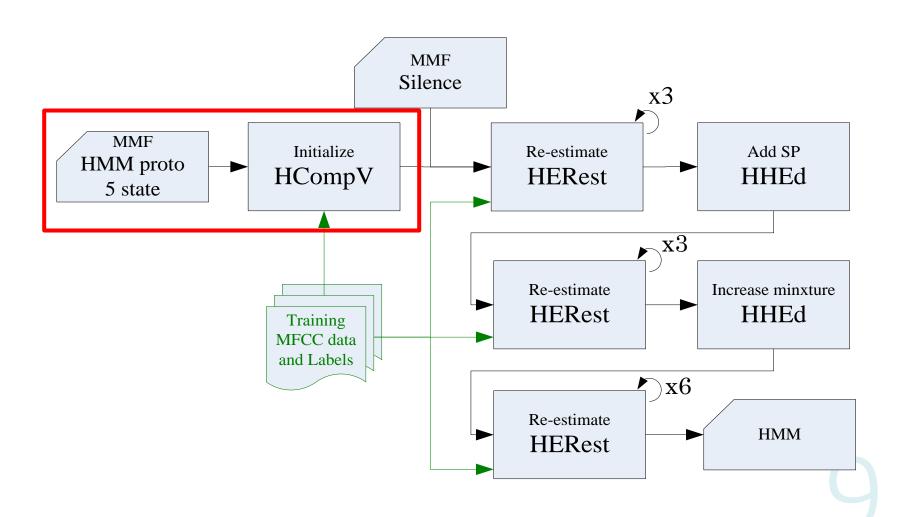




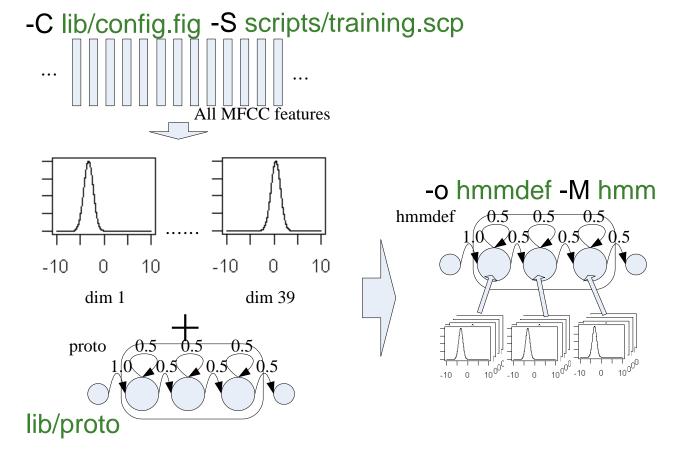
MFCC/training/ N110022.mfc







# HCompV - Initialize



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HCompV -C lib/config.cfg -o hmmdef -M hmm -S scripts/training.scp lib/proto

### Compute global mean and variance of features

- -C lib/config.cfg
- set format of input feature (MFCC\_Z\_E\_D\_A)
- -o hmmdef -M hmm
- set output name: hmm/hmmdef
- -S scripts/training.scp
- a list of training data

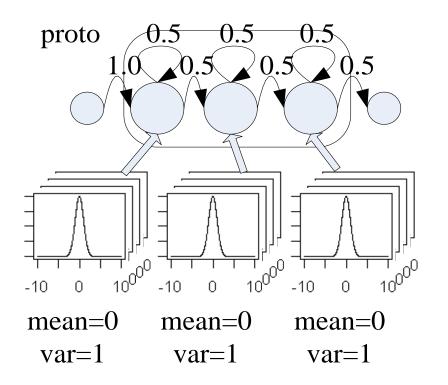
You can modify the Model Format here. (# states)

### lib/proto

a description of a HMM model, HTK MMF format

# Initial MMF Prototype

### MMF: HTKBook chapter 7



```
~o <VECSIZE> 39 <MFCC Z E D A>
~h "proto"
<BeginHMM>
<NumStates> 5
<State> 2
<Mean> 39
<Variance> 39
<State> 3
<Mean> 39
<Variance> 39
<TransP> 5
0.0 1.0 0.0 0.0 0.0
0.0 0.5 0.5 0.0 0.0
0.0 0.0 0.5 0.5 0.0
0.0 0.0 0.0 0.5 0.5
0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0
<EndHMM>
```

### Initial HMM

#### hmm/hmmdef

# 

### bin/macro

Produce MMF contains vFloor

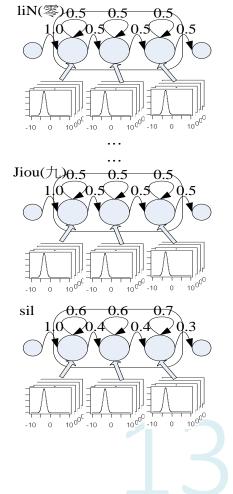
### bin/models\_1mixsil

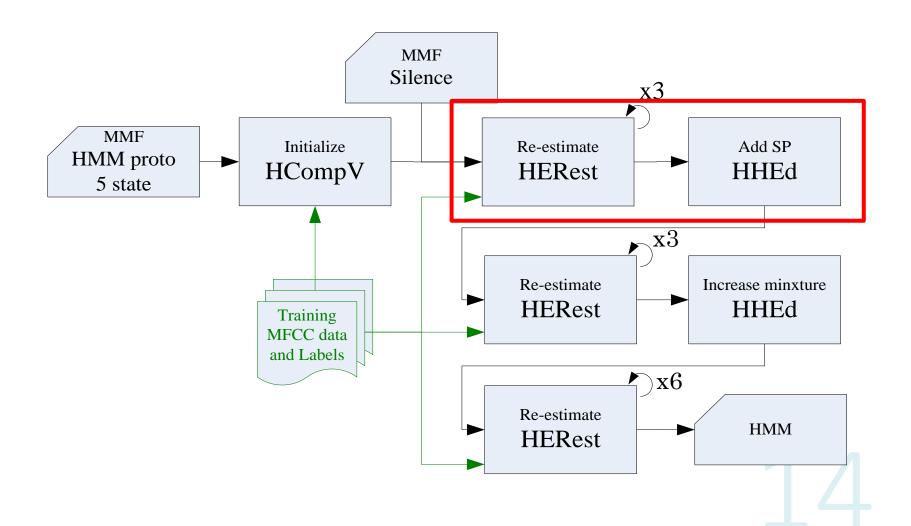
add silence HMM

#### These are written in C

But you can do these by a text editor

#### hmm/models

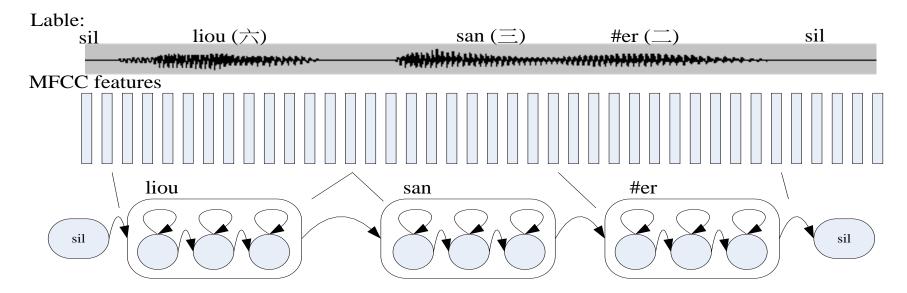




# HERest - Adjust HMMs

### Basic problem 3 for HMM

• Given O and an initial model  $\lambda = (A, B, \pi)$ , adjust  $\lambda$  to maximize  $P(O|\lambda)$ 



### HERest - Adjust HMMs

HERest -C lib/config.cfg -S scripts/training.scp -I labels/Cleano8TR.mlf -H hmm/macros -H hmm/models -M hmm lib/models.lst

### Adjust parameters $\lambda$ to maximize $P(O|\lambda)$

- one iteration of EM algorithm
- run this command three times => three iterations

### -I labels/Cleano8TR.mlf

set label file to "labels/Cleano8TR.mlf"

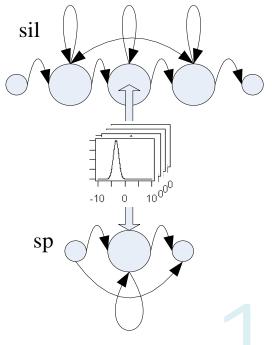
### lib/models.lst

• a list of word models (lin (零), #i (一), #er (二),... jiou (九), sil)

### Add SP Model

bin/spmodel\_gen hmm/models hmm/models

Add "sp" (short pause) HMM definition to MMF file "hmm/hmmdef"



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# HHEd - Modify HMMs

HHEd -H hmm/macros -H hmm/models -M hmm lib/sil1.hed lib/models\_sp.lst

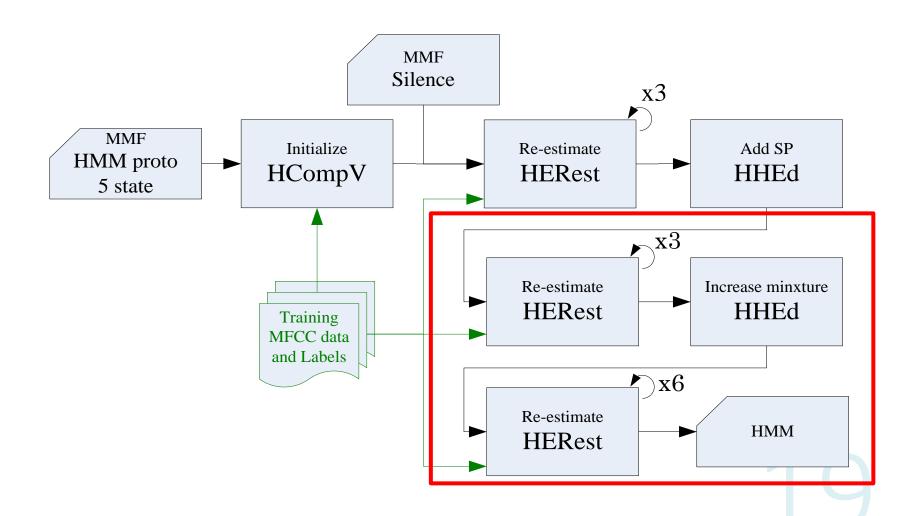
### lib/sil1.hed

a list of command to modify HMM definitions

### lib/models\_sp.lst

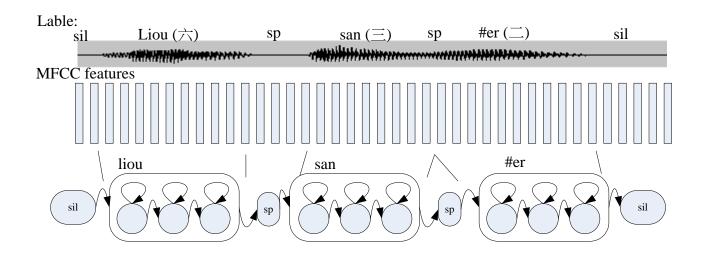
a new list of model

See HTK book 3.2.2 (p. 33)



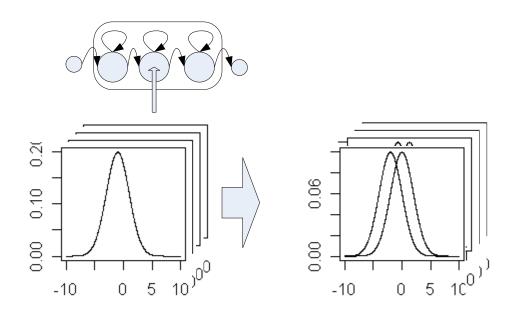
### HERest - Adjust HMMs Again

HERest -C lib/config.cfg -S scripts/training.scp -I labels/Cleano8TR\_sp mlf -H hmm/macros -H hmm/models -M hmm lib/models\_sp lst



# HHEd – Increase Number of Mixtures

HHEd -H hmm/macros -H hmm/models
-M hmm lib/mix2\_10.hed lib/models\_sp.lst



### Modification of Models

#### lib/mix2\_10.hed

```
MU 2 {liN.state[2-4].mix}
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MU 2 {#er.state[2-4].mix}

MU 2 {san.sta (e[2-4],) hix}

MU 2 {sy.state[2-4].mix}

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MU 3 {sil.state[2-4].mix}

Ml +2 {\text{san.state[2-9].mix}}

You can modify # of Gaussian mixture here.

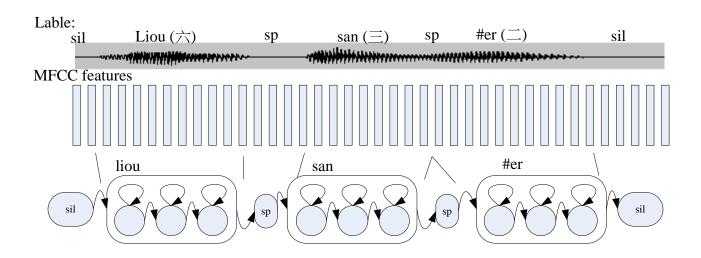
This value tells HTK to change the mixture number from state 2 to state 4. If you want to change # state, check lib/proto.

You can increase # Gaussian mixture here.

Check HTKBook 17.8 HHEd for more details

# HERest - Adjust HMMs Again

HERest -C lib/config.cfg -S scripts/training.scp -I labels/Cleano8TR\_sp.mlf -H hmm/macros -H hmm/models -M hmm lib/models\_sp.lst



#### Training Flowchart Hint: Increase mixtures little by little MMF Silence x3MMF Initialize Re-estimate Add SP HMM proto **HCompV HERest** HHEd 5 state Increase minxture Re-estimate **HERest** HHEd **Training** MFCC data

**x**6

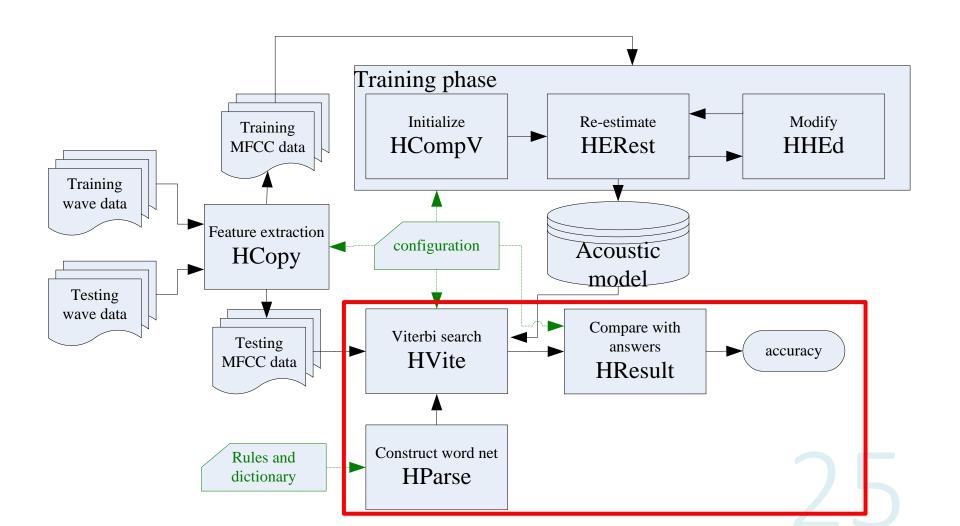
**HMM** 

Re-estimate

**HERest** 

and Labels

# Testing Flowchart



### HParse - Construct Word Net

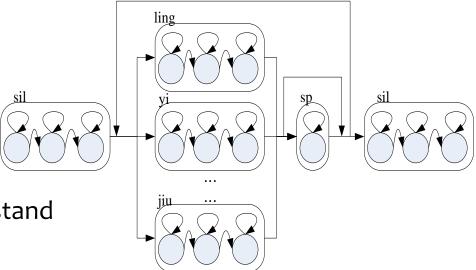
HParse lib/grammar\_sp lib/wdnet\_sp

### lib/grammar\_sp

- regular expression
- easy for user to construct

### lib/wdnet\_sp

- output word net
- the format that HTK understand



### HVite - Viterbi Search

HVite -H hmm/macros -H hmm/models -S scripts/testing.scp -C lib/config.cfg -w lib/wdnet\_sp -l '\*' -i result/result.mlf -p o.o -s o.o lib/dict lib/models\_sp.lst

### -w lib/wdnet\_sp

input word net

### -i result/result.mlf

output MLF file

### lib/dict

• dictionary: a mapping from word to phone sequences ling -> liN, er -> #er, ... . —-> sic\_i i, ∠-> chi\_i i

#### Don't worry about the warning!

# HResults - Compared With Answer

HResults -e "???" sil -e "???" sp

-I labels/answer.mlf lib/models\_sp.lst result/result.mlf

### Longest Common Subsequence (LCS)

### Part 1 (40%) – Run Baseline

### Download HTK tools and homework package

#### Set PATH for HTK tools

set\_htk\_path.sh

#### Execute (bash shell script)

- (oo\_clean\_all.sh)
- o1 run HCopy.sh
- 02\_run\_HCompV.sh
- o3\_training.sh
- 04\_testing.sh

#### You can find accuracy in "result/accuracy"

• the baseline accuracy is 74.34%

# Useful tips

### To unzip files

- unzip XXXX.zip
- tar -zxvf XXXX.tar.gz

To set path in "set\_htk\_path.sh"

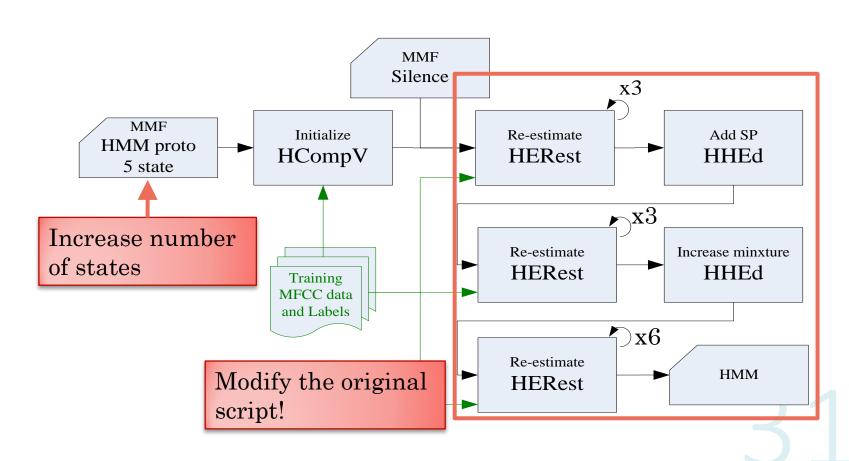
PATH=\$PATH:"~/XXXX/XXXX"

In case shell script is not permitted to run...

chmod 744 XXXX.sh

# Part 2 (40%) – Improve Recognition Accuracy

Acc > 95% for full credit; 90~95% for partial credit



# Attention(1)

- Executing 03\_training.sh twice is different from doubling the number of training iterations. To increase the number of training iterations, please modify the script, rather than run it many times.
- If you executed o3\_training.sh more than once, you will get some penalty.

# Attention(2)

• Every time you modified any parameter or file, you should run oo\_clean\_all.sh to remove all the files that were produced before, and restart all the procedures. If not, the new settings will be performed on the previous files, and hence you will be not able to analyze the new results.

(Of course, you should record your current results before starting the next experiment.)

```
#!/bin/bash
if [ -d MFCC/ ]; then
    echo "rm MFCC/ -r"
    rm MFCC/ -r
    echo "mkdir MFCC"
   mkdir MFCC
fi
if [ -d hmm/ ]; then
    echo "rm hmm/ -r"
    rm hmm/ -r
    echo "mkdir hmm"
   mkdir hmm
fi
if [ -d result/ ]; then
    echo "rm result/ -r"
    rm result/ -r
    echo "mkdir result"
   mkdir result
fi
cd bin; make clean; cd ...
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# Part 3 (20%)

### Write a report describing your training process and accuracy.

- Number of states, Gaussian mixtures, iterations, ...
- How some changes effect the performance
- Other interesting discoveries

Well-written report may get +10% bonus.

# Submission Requirements

### 4 shell scripts

your modified 01~04\_XXXX.sh

#### 1 accuracy file

with only your best accuracy (The baseline result is not needed.)

### proto

your modified hmm prototype

### mix2\_10.hed

your modified file which specifies the number of GMMs of each state

### 1 report (in PDF format)

the filename should be hw2-1\_bXXXXXXXX.pdf (your student ID)

# Put above 8 files in a folder (named after your student ID), and compress into 1 zip file and upload it to Ceiba.

10% of the final score will be taken off for each day of late submission

# If you have any problem...

- Check for hints in the shell scripts.
- •Check the HTK book.
- •Ask friends who are familiar with Linux commands or Cygwin.

This should solve all your technical problems.

•Contact the TA by email.

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