<u>Black Miao Notes</u>

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2. Contents:
   - Audio, EGG recordings and TextGrids
   - 8 speakers: 8 male speakers

3. Filename convention
   - Files for 5 out of the 8 speakers follows a similar convention:
     - Filenames have 3 bits of information: the speaker, the speaker ID, and the recording number. E.g. *zhangxueqi_m2_01*
   - For the other 2 speakers, filenames just consist of the speaker name and recording number. E.g. *liuhua_01*
   - For speaker M1, the filename consists of the speaker name, speaker ID and word. E.g. *Liushilong_m1_cji45*

4. Wordlist
   - The wordlist attached consists of two parts:
     - A list of words with transcriptions and glosses divided into two categories: minimal sets + others
     - A list of filenames with the corresponding transcription of the word.
   - Users are advised to consult both of these pieces of information when using the recordings

5. Transcription
   - The two digits in the string indicates tone

Consonants

Character Representation in Filename	IPA Symbol
ch	tɕ
chj	tɕʰ

cj	ɕ
f	f
fh	fʰ
h	h
hl	ɬ
hm	hm
hn	hn
j	j
k	k
kh	kʰ
l	l
m	m
n	n
ng	Nasalized vowel
nj	ɲ
p	p
ph	pʰ
py	pj
q	q
qh	qʰ
s	s
sh	sʰ
t	t
tchj	tɕʰ
tcj	tɕ
th	tʰ
tj	c
ts	ts
v	v
X	ɣ

Vowels

Character Representation in Filename	IPA Symbol
a	a
e	e
i	i
o	o
au	au
ei	ei
ia	ia
ai	ai