Voice Recognition in Hardware As an Input Device

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- Small sections of incoming audio ($\approx 20ms$) are analyzed and converted into vectors that parameterize the incoming audio.
- Each word is composed of a list of these vectors. Endpoints for possible words are determined by the overall energy of incoming audio.
- Words trained into the hardware are compared against incoming audio signals using a dynamic time warping alogorithm (DTW).

Vector Generation



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DTW Algorithm



$$e_{i(j+1)} = d_{i(j+1)} + \min(e_{ij}, e_{i(j-1)}, e_{(i-1)(j-1)}) \\ d_{ij} = d(w_i, s_{j-i})$$

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DTW Control



Mock Layout



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Output Module





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Timeline

November 2008						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9	10	11 Veteran's Day	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21 Working FFT	22
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