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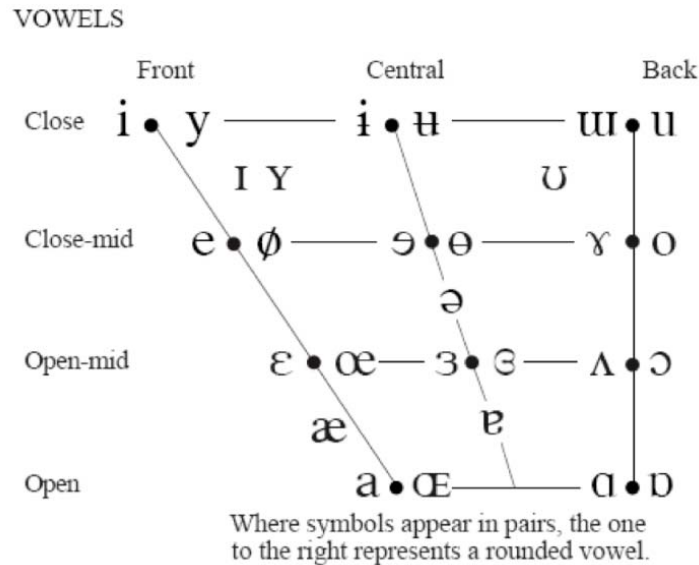


Figure 1: The vowel chart in the International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA).

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