

Pronunciation Guide for Mártölämmë

Unary Consonants

Fehnte	English	IPA	Example
ᄁ	b	b	is like in: <u>b</u> oard, da <u>b</u> .
ᄂ	ch	tʃ	is like in: <u>ch</u> urch, <u>ch</u> at.
ᄃ	çh	ç	no English equiv: mi <u>ch</u> (Ger.)
ᄄ	d	d	is like in: <u>d</u> ye, be <u>d</u> .
ᄅ	ð	ð	is like in: <u>th</u> an, wi <u>th</u> .
ᄆ	f	f	is like in: <u>f</u> ox, sta <u>ff</u> .
ᄇ	g	g	is like in: <u>g</u> ap, sta <u>g</u> .
ᄈ	h	h	is like <u>h</u> in: Va <u>h</u> alla, <u>h</u> op. If it is the head character, it has a strong initial flow of air as in <u>h</u> op.
ᄉ	hw	ʍ	is like in: <u>w</u> heat, <u>w</u> hat.
ᄊ	j	dʒ	is like in: ju <u>mp</u> , a <u>jax</u> .
ᄋ	k	k	is like in: <u>c</u> at, sti <u>ck</u> .
ᄌ	kh	x	no English equiv: Ba <u>ch</u> (Ger.), lo <u>ch</u> (Scot.)
ᄍ	l	l	is like <u>l</u> in: lea <u>p</u> , ha <u>ll</u> .
ᄎ	ll	ʎ	is like <u>ll</u> in: mi <u>ll</u> ion, ca <u>ll</u> e (Span.), <u>ll</u> ama.
ᄏ	m	m	is like in: <u>m</u> oat, da <u>m</u> .
ᄐ	n	n	is like in: <u>n</u> o, be <u>en</u> .
ᄑ	ñ	ɲ	is like in: ni <u>ñ</u> a (Span.); bo <u>n</u> (Fre.)
ᄒ	ŋ	ŋ	is like <u>ng</u> in: ki <u>ng</u> , si <u>ng</u> .
ᄓ	p	p	is like in: <u>p</u> op, sou <u>p</u> .
ᄔ	r	r	is like in: <u>r</u> oad, roa <u>r</u> .
ᄕ	ř	ʀ	is a trilled R
ᄖ	s	s	is like in: <u>s</u> it, ki <u>ss</u> .
ᄗ	sh	ʃ	is like in: <u>sh</u> oe, bu <u>sh</u> .
ᄘ	t	t	is like in: ba <u>t</u> , too <u>k</u> .
ᄙ	þ	θ	is like in: <u>th</u> y, too <u>th</u> .
ᄚ	v	v	is like in: <u>v</u> ote, stri <u>v</u> e.
ᄛ	w	w	is like in: <u>w</u> ax, awa <u>k</u> e.
ᄜ	y	j	is like in: <u>y</u> et, <u>y</u> acht.
ᄝ	z	z	is like in: <u>z</u> ap, raze.
ᄞ	zh	ʒ	is like in: a <u>z</u> ure, mea <u>s</u> ure.

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◀	bl	bl	is like in: <u>b</u> lue, sub <u>l</u> et.
▢	br	br	is like in: <u>b</u> rackish, ab <u>br</u> upt .
⚡	by	bj	is like in: "b" + "y".
⌞	dl	dl	is like in: ad <u>dl</u> ess.
↗	dr	dr	is like in: <u>d</u> rop, Hyd <u>dr</u> a.
↘	dy	dj	is like in: "d" + "y".
<	ðl	ðl	is like in: "dh" as in then + "l".
↳	ðr	ðr	is like in: "dh" as in then + "r".
⋈	ðy	ðj	is like in: "dh" as in then + "y".
↶	fl	fl	is like in: <u>f</u> lag, inf <u>l</u> ict.
↷	fr	fr	is like in: <u>f</u> reer.
⌚	fy	fj	is like in: "f" + "y".
◀	gl	gl	is like in: <u>g</u> loat, e <u>gl</u> antine.
⌞	gr	gr	is like in: <u>g</u> reen, ag <u>gr</u> iculture.
▢	gw	gw	is like in: <u>G</u> wen.
↘	gy	gj	is like in: "g" + "y".
↗	hr	hr	is like in: "h"+"r" as in row.
⋈	hv	hv	is like in: "h"+"v" as in view.
⋈	hy	hj	is like in: "h"+"y" as in yell.
➤	kl	kl	is like in: <u>c</u> licker, un <u>cl</u> ass.
↗	kr	kr	is like in: <u>C</u> hristopher, a <u>cr</u> es.
✓	ks	ks	is like in: a <u>x</u> e, le <u>x</u> icon.
▴	kw	kw	is like in: <u>q</u> uestion, <u>q</u> ueen.
↶	ky	kj	is like in: "k" + "y".
➤	pl	pl	is like in: <u>p</u> lanner, ap <u>pl</u> y.
▢	pr	pr	is like in: <u>p</u> rick, ap <u>pr</u> on.
↘	ps	ps	is like in: <u>l</u> ips, lap <u>s</u> e.
⚡	py	pj	is like in: "p" + "y".
▴	sl	sl	is like in: <u>s</u> lanty, Os <u>l</u> o.
↗	sk	sk	is like in: a <u>s</u> k, <u>s</u> ky, mus <u>k</u> y.
⋈	sm	sm	is like in: os <u>m</u> ose.

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↗	sn	sn	is like in: <u>As</u> ner.
↘	sp	sp	is like in: <u>s</u> parkle, was <u>p</u>
Δ	sr	sr	is like in: <u>s</u> rut <u>i</u> .
↗	st	st	is like in: <u>s</u> tart, last, must <u>er</u> .
↘	sw	sw	is like in: <u>s</u> warthy, <u>s</u> wimmer.
↗	sy	sj	is like in: "s" + "y".
↘	shl	ʃl	is like in: "th" as in ash + "l".
↗	shr	ʃr	is like in: "sh" + "r".
↘	shy	ʃj	is like in: "sh" + "y".
↗	tl	tl	is like in: At <u>l</u> an, T <u>l</u> acopan.
↘	tr	tr	is like in: <u>t</u> racks, k <u>at</u> ra.
↘	ts	ts	is like in: cat <u>s</u> , get <u>s</u> , <u>t</u> sunami.
↗	ty	tj	is like in: "t" + "y".
↗	pl	θl	is like in: "th" as in thin + "l".
↘	pr	θr	is like in: <u>th</u> rash.
↘	py	θj	is like in: "th" as in thin + "y".
↗	vl	vl	is like in: <u>V</u> lad.
↘	vr	vr	is like in: <u>v</u> ril <u>l</u> e.
↗	vy	vj	is like in: "v" + "y".
↗	zhl	ʒl	is like in: "zh" as in azure+"l".
↗	zhr	ʒr	is like in: "zh" as in azure+"r".
↗	zhy	ʒj	is like in: "zh" as in azure+"y".

Prime Vowels

Fehnte	English	IPA	Example
↗	a	ɑ	is like <u>a</u> in: f <u>a</u> ther, c <u>a</u> lm.
↘	e	e	is like <u>e</u> in: b <u>e</u> t, p <u>e</u> p.
↘	i	i	is like <u>i</u> in: b <u>i</u> t, p <u>i</u> n, p <u>i</u> ck.
↘	o	o	is like <u>o</u> in: n <u>o</u> , <u>o</u> bey.
↘	u	u	is like <u>u</u> in: t <u>oo</u> t, b <u>oo</u> t.

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Fehte	English	IPA	Example
ø	ò	ɔ	is like <u>o</u> in: <u>o</u> n, <u>l</u> ong.
ɸ	ù	ʌ	is like <u>u</u> , <u>oo</u> in: <u>cut</u> , <u>mud</u> , <u>blood</u> .
ɸ	ä	eɪ	is like <u>a</u> in: <u>day</u> , <u>mane</u> .
ɸ	ë	i:	is like <u>e</u> in: <u>bee</u> , <u>bean</u> .
ɸ	ï	aɪ	is like <u>i</u> in: <u>eye</u> , <u>buy</u> , <u>lie</u> .
ø	ö	əʊ	is like <u>o</u> in: <u>oboe</u> , <u>stow</u> .
ɸ	ü	u:	is like <u>u</u> , <u>e</u> in: <u>few</u> , <u>mule</u> .
ɸ	â	aʊ	is like <u>ou</u> in: <u>about</u> , <u>now</u> , <u>loud</u> .
ɸ	ê	ə	is like <u>a</u> , <u>o</u> , <u>u</u> in: <u>about</u> , <u>collide</u> , <u>but</u> , <u>central</u> .
ɸ	î	æ	is like <u>a</u> in: <u>sat</u> , <u>lap</u> , <u>passive</u>
ø	ô	ɔ:	is like <u>a</u> , <u>o</u> in: <u>haunt</u> , <u>paw</u> , <u>all</u> , <u>boss</u> , <u>caught</u> , <u>hawk</u> .
ɸ	û	œ	no English equiv.: To produce the œ sound, hold the lips firmly in a rounded position as for a Long O vowel and try to say the Long A ("ä").

Binary Vowels

Fehte	English	IPA	Example
ɸ	ár	ɑ:	is like <u>a</u> in: <u>star</u> , <u>car</u> , <u>far</u> .
ɸ	ér	ə	is like <u>e</u> in: <u>merger</u> .
ɸ	ír	ɪə	is like <u>i</u> in: <u>mirror</u> , <u>beer</u> .
ø	ór	ɔə	is like <u>o</u> in: <u>board</u> , <u>fort</u> .
ɸ	úr	ɜ:	is like <u>u</u> in: <u>sure</u> , <u>poor</u> .
ø	ör	eə	is like <u>a</u> in: <u>air</u> , <u>care</u> .
ø	úr	ʊə	is like <u>u</u> in: <u>furs</u> , <u>sir</u> , <u>urge</u> , <u>term</u> .
ɸ	am	am/n	is like <u>am</u> or <u>an</u> in: <u>amount</u> , <u>damp</u> , <u>tanks</u> .
ɸ	em	em/n	is like <u>em</u> or <u>en</u> in: <u>temperature</u> , <u>tender</u> .
ɸ	im	im/n	is like <u>im</u> or <u>in</u> in: <u>limping</u> , <u>Linda</u> .
ø	om	om/n	is like <u>om</u> or <u>on</u> in: <u>pomp</u> , <u>tons</u> .
ɸ	um	um/n	is like <u>um</u> or <u>un</u> in: <u>tomb</u> , <u>toons</u> .
ɸ	äm	eim/n	is like <u>am</u> or <u>an</u> in: <u>aim</u> , <u>dame</u> , <u>ain't</u> .
ɸ	ëm	i:m/n	is like <u>em</u> or <u>en</u> in: <u>steam</u> , <u>teen</u> .
ɸ	ïm	aim/n	is like <u>im</u> or <u>in</u> in: <u>climb</u> , <u>tine</u> .

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Fehnte	English IPA	Example
0	öm	əʊm/n is like <u>om</u> or <u>on</u> in: <u>ohm</u> , <u>tones</u> .
1	üm	u:m/n is like <u>um</u> or <u>un</u> in: <u>Yuma</u> , <u>tunes</u> .
2	ah	aʰ is like <u>ah</u> in: <u>bah</u> a.
3	eh	eʰ is like <u>eh</u> in: <u>Nehru</u> (Indian).
4	ih	iʰ is like <u>ih</u> in: <u>mihrab</u> (Arabic).
5	oh	oʰ is like <u>oh</u> in: <u>kohl</u> (Arabic).
6	uh	uʰ no English equiv.: To produce the <u>ũ</u> sound, say the <u>u</u> followed by the soft aspirated "h" sound in a clear, even, unvoiced flow of air.
7	ay	aʲ no English equiv.: To produce the <u>ã</u> sound, say the <u>a</u> followed by the soft "y" sound.
8	ey	eʲ no English equiv.: To produce the <u>ẽ</u> sound, say the <u>e</u> followed by the soft "y" sound.
9	iy	iʲ no English equiv.: To produce the <u>ĩ</u> sound, say the <u>i</u> followed by the soft "y" sound.
10	oy	oj(ɔɪ) is like <u>oy</u> in: <u>oil</u> , <u>toy</u> .
11	uy	uj no English equiv.: To produce the <u>ũ</u> sound, say the <u>u</u> followed by the soft "y" sound.
12	al	aɫ is like <u>al</u> in: <u>calm</u> .
13	el	eɫ is like <u>el</u> in: <u>belt</u> , <u>welp</u> .
14	il	iɫ is like <u>il</u> in: <u>built</u> , <u>pill</u> .
15	ol	oɫ is like <u>ol</u> in: <u>told</u> , <u>bolt</u> .
16	ul	uɫ is like <u>ul</u> in: <u>pulley</u> , <u>bulimia</u> .
17	äl	eɪɫ is like <u>al</u> in: <u>ailing</u> , <u>mailer</u> .
18	ël	ɪɫ is like <u>el</u> in: <u>eel</u> , <u>meal</u> .
19	ïl	aɪɫ is like <u>il</u> in: <u>isle</u> , <u>aisle</u> .
20	öl	ouɫ no English equiv.: To produce the <u>ô</u> sound, elongate the <u>o</u> sound.
21	ül	juɫ no English equiv.: To produce the <u>û</u> sound, elongate the <u>o</u> sound.