AI For Accessibility

End to End Real Time Transcription & TTS

Importance of Accessibility

6.1 percent of U.S. adults are deaf or have serious difficulty hearing. - <u>CDC</u>

23% percent of disabled respondents say they "never" go online - <u>Pew</u>
<u>Research</u>

217 million people worldwide had moderate to severe vision impairment in 2015, with this number expected to rise to 588 million by 2050 - WHO

Web Content Accessibility Guidelines
Few platforms are compliant!

Voice Accessibility

Voice Commands, Speech to text, etc.

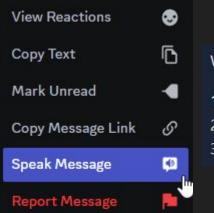
Existing tools are built on decades old technology.

Voice Accessibility Problems

Platforms like Discord, Teamspeak, & others have some accessibility tools, but there is no way to truly grant access to a group voice call for hearing or speech impaired users.

Regardless of tooling on platform, accessibility options do not provide the

same level of usability.



We offer three default soundpacks:

- 1) Spoken text from wave files (default)
- 2) Spoken text via TTS (for channel-, nick- and servernames)
- 3) Silence

Our approach

Multi-model applications

Using modern AI models, results and accuracy of voice related accessibility tools can be improved significantly.

With parallelism and asynchronous code, real time conversations can be both transcribed and synthesized back and forth between users.

Becoming an end to end solution, seamlessly integrating into your favorite VOIP platform.

End to End solution

Leveraging API based models, our project delivers a real time voice substitute for our accessibility users.

A Whisper model runs real time transcriptions on everyone in the voice call, splitting transcription per speaker.

Elevenlab's API plays a user selected voice model Text to Speech of the user's message content.



Behind the scenes:

- Whisper model transcribes chunks from voice call audio stream
- Elevenlabs Toven instant voice clone synthesizes messages into speech
- Discord Text & Voice channels are used to output results of both models
- Seamless voice channel accessibility for users of any level of ability.

Example Transcript + TTS Usage

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/ Toven used /start
      BOT Whispy Mapping user ids...

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2:19 PM BOT Whispy The recording has started!
      Whispy toven: Hello? Bunger? I need your help. Can you come here?
2:20 PM BUNGER Well, I can't. I'm buying clothes
2:21 PM BOT Whispy toven: Alright, hurry up then. Come over here.
2:21 PM BUNGER i cant find them.
2:21 PM BOT Whispy toven: What do you mean?
       BOT Whispy toven: You can't find them.
2:21 PM BUNGER I can't find them. There's only soup
2:21 PM BOT Whispy toven: What do you mean there's only soup?
2:22 PM BUNGER It means there's only soup.
2:22 PM BOT Whispy toven: Well, get out of the soup aisle.
2:22 PM BUNGER Alright, you don't have to shout at me.... There's more soup!
2:22 PM BOT Whispy toven: What do you mean there's more soup?
2:22 PM BUNGER There's just more soup!
2:23 PM BOT Whispy toven: Go into the next aisle!
2:23 PM BUNGER There's still soup!
2:23 PM BOT Whispy toven: Where are you right now?
2:23 PM BUNGER I'm at soup!
      BOT Whispy toven: What do you mean you're at soup?
2:24 PM BUNGER | MEAN I'M AT SOUP!!!
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Pricing model

- Discord Premium Bot
- Future integrations into other platforms
 - Additional offering as a standalone tool

