

Table S1: Median level-increment thresholds (in dB), interquartile ranges (in dB) and number of subjects (#) tested in experiments ILD_{standard/deviant} and ILD_{distracting}.

	ILD_{standard/deviant}			ILD_{distracting}		
ILD	Median	Interquartile range	#	Median	Interquartile range	#
0	28.3	27.6, 29.0	13	28.2	27.6, 29.5	8
1	27.0	27.0, 27.2	5	27.0	4.3, 27.0	6
1.5	26.2	23.9, 27.4	11	27.1	26.8, 27.4	4
2	21.4	13.0, 26.2	10	25.5	18.8, 26.2	4
3	-	-	0	4.8	4.5, 9.2	3
4	10.7	10.2, 17.0	9	7.5	6.9, 11.3	8
6	14.0	10.4, 21.1	9	3.7	3.3, 4.2	2
9	7.0	5.7, 10.9	9	4.0	3.7, 7.4	7
12	6.5	5.6, 8.1	9	3.4	2.9, 6.0	7
15	-	-	0	3.9	3.4, 4.6	3
20	-	-	0	4.0	3.3, 4.2	3
25	-	-	0	2.8	2.3, 3.4	2

Table S2: Median level-increment thresholds (in dB), interquartile ranges (in dB) and number of subjects tested in experiments ITD_{standard/deviant} and ITD_{distracting}.

	ITD _{standard/deviant}			ITD _{distracting}		
ITD	Median	Interquartile range	#	Median	Interquartile range	#
0	28.5	28.1, 29.0	9	27.4	27.3, 27.6	5
15	27.7	27.4, 27.8	9	27.0	26.6, 27.1	5
25	27.2	26.1, 27.6	9	26.8	25.9, 27.0	5
35	25.2	24.6, 26.1	5	-	-	0
45	26.8	23.9, 27.3	13	24.1	18.7, 25.6	4
75	16.4	13.4, 24.2	5	-	-	0
100	12.3	10.6, 16.8	9	11.7	9.0, 16.0	5
600	5.5	3.5, 8.7	9	4.5	3.9, 5.7	4
1000	5.1	4.3, 8.0	9	3.6	2.7, 4.9	5

Table S3: Median level-increment thresholds (in dB), interquartile ranges (in dB) and number of subjects (#) tested in the experiment investigating the influence of spectral separation on the release from IM.

Condition	455	500	550	600	650	750	1000	1905	R	C
Median	28.6	27.8	13.8	6.1	6.0	4.0	3.1	3.6	2.9	3.3
Interquartile range	28.1,	26.5,	10.2,	5.8,	3.6,	2.9,	2.7,	3.1,	2.5,	3.2,
	28.9	28.6	18.5	6.5	7.3	4.9	3.2	3.8	3.8	3.6
#	13	6	7	7	7	7	7	13	13	13