



# **Interact-AS**<sup>™</sup>

# **Communication Products for Seniors**



One of Auditory Sciences many products for removing communication barriers.

### At Last, the Wait is Over

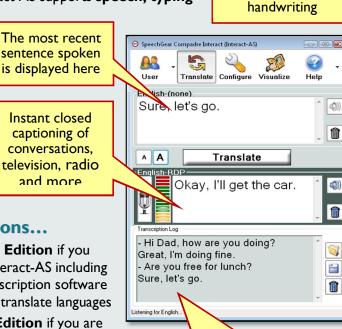
In 1883, the editor of the American Annals of the Deaf wrote, "It is not unreasonable to hope that some instrument will yet be contrived that will transcribe ordinary human utterance." After a wait of over a century, what was once a dream is now available product. With Interact-AS, conversations, radio broadcasts and

television programs are instantly transcribed.

## Simple to Use

Load Interact-AS onto your own laptop, netbook or tablet PC, and you're ready to go. Interact-AS supports speech, typing

and handwriting. Use it at home, in stores, at restaurants. Interact-AS even transcribes religious services, radio broadcasts and television programs. With Interact-AS you can communicate anywhere, anytime, and even in multiple languages.



A transcript and voice recording of the entire conversation is shown here

Interact-AS

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typing and

# Start Interacting Today

Affordable, simple to use, with features to ensure all your communication needs are being met, that's what Interact-AS is all about. Purchase either version of Interact-AS and load it onto your own computer, or purchase a complete pre-configured system that's ready-to-go and customized just for you - just turn it on and you are ready to Interact. Interact-AS meets the guidelines for Medicare purchases (HCPCS Codes E2510 and E2511). To learn more about Interact-AS, visit www.auditorysciences.com, or send an email to info@auditorysciences.com, or give us a call at 507-645-8924 and we will be happy to help you get Interacting the right way, right away.

<sup>11</sup> The only hearing assistance product that allows you to truly interact.

#### Interact-AS runs on your own Computer:

- Microsoft's Windows Vista or newer operating system.
- I GB of RAM (2 GB is preferred)
- I.8 GHz or faster CPU (an Intel i5 CPU is suggested).
- At least 500KB of available disk space (3 GB for the Professional Edition).
- An external microphone.

#### Or Purchase a **Complete System:**

- You can order Interact-AS on a pre-configured laptop or tablet PC optimized for your needs.
- This includes everything you need: PC, Microphone, etc.
- Please contact us and we'll be happy to help you select the ideal system for your needs.



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#### Your Choice of Versions...

- Choose the Professional Edition if you want all the features of Interact-AS including the high performance transcription software and the ability to instantly translate languages
- Choose the **Consumer Edition** if you are looking for a scaled down lower priced version of Interact-AS.



The only product that allows you to truly Interact

#### **Please Note:**

- Per the licensing agreement, the Professional Version can be purchased and used by anyone without limitations.
- However, the Consumer Edition can only be purchased by an individual. It <u>cannot</u> be purchased by a business, agency, school or firm.

#### Upgrading your System:

- If your computer breaks or you purchase a new one, just let us know. We'll help you move your license to your new system.
- You can upgrade from the Consumer to the Professional Edition at any time. For upgrades, fifty percent of the current price of the Consumer Edition will be deducted from the price of your new Professional version.



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# **Professional and Consumer Editions**



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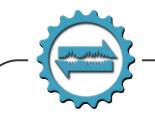
### **Choose the Version that Best Meets your Needs**

Interact-AS comes in two editions: Professional and Consumer. If you want to use all of Interact-AS's many features, then choose the Professional Edition; or if you are looking for a scaled down lower-priced version, then choose the Consumer Edition. Both come standard with a noise cancelling microphone plus free upgrades and technical support for the first year of your purchase.

Interact-AS Suite									
	<b>Consumer Edition</b>	Professional Edition							
Features									
Number of User Accounts	up to three	unlimited							
Speech Recognition Engine	Standard	High Quality							
- Transcription Timing	less than 2 seconds	less than 1 second							
Conversations Transcription	included	included							
Seminar/Lecture Transcription	included	included							
Conference Room Discussion Transcription	limited	included							
Radio Broadcast Captioning	limited	included							
Television Program Captioning	limited	included							
Movie Captioning	not available	limited							
Handwriting Input	included	included							
Typing Input	included	included							
Visualize Tools and Sketch Pad	included	included							
Auto Translate Mode	included	included							
Skype Compatibility	included	included							
Full Duplex Operations	included	included							
Spoken Command Confirmations	included	included							
Spoken Voice Output	single selection	multiple high quality voices							
Visual Indicator of Speech Being Spoken	included	included							
Transcript Log	included	included							
One-Click Audio Repeat of Phrases	included	included							
Zero Click Term Expansion	not available	included							
One-Click Favorites Lists	not available	included							
One-Click Playback of Prerecorded Audio	not available	included							
Sociable Sounds to Support Conversations	not available	included							
Synchronized Voice Recording	not available	included							
Ability to Add Language Modules	not available	included							
Handsfree Operational Mode	not available	included							
Reverse Translation Mode	not available	included							
Continuous Repeat Mode	not available	included							
PhraseBuilder <sup>™</sup> Feature	not available	included							
Noise Cancelling Headset	included	included							
Available Modules									
Composer	not available	included							
Direct Language Modules	not available	optional item							
- Spanish	not available	optional item							
- French	not available	optional item							
- German	not available	optional item							
- Italian	not available	optional item							
- Dutch	not available	optional item							
Remote Server Module	not available	optional item							
Live Interpreter Module	not available	optional item							
System Requirements									
Supported Operating Systems	Windows Vista and 7	Windows XP, Vista and 7							
Amount of RAM (Minimum   Recommended)	1 GB 2 GB or more	2 GB   2 GB or more							
Amount of Available Disk Space	500 KB	3 GB							
CPU (Minimum   Recommended)	1.8 GHz CPU   Intel i3 or better	1.8 GHz CPU   Intel i5 or better							
External Microphone	Strongly Recommended	Strongly Recommended							

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## **Optional Modules for Removing Language Barriers**



Are you planning to travel overseas? Make sure to bring Interact-AS Professional Edition along with you. By adding the optional language modules, now you can hold conversations in multiple languages. Whatever you write, type or speak in English is immediately translated and voiced out in Spanish, French, German, Italian, Dutch or many other languages. When someone says something in a foreign language, it's translated and shown to you in English. Only Interact-AS allows you to communicate with others in over 38 languages.

SpeechGear Compadre Interact (RDP - Spanish)

h-Untrained (Spanish)

Eso es increíble!

Translate Configure Visualize

With this product, anything that I say,

spoken out loud in your language.

Translate

With this product, anything that I say, write or type is instantly translated and spoken out loud

Con este producto, algo que digo, escribo

write or type is instantly translated and

### Instant Translation of Conversations and Documents

With Interact-AS's language modules, anything spoken, typed or written is simultaneously translated and voiced aloud in your selected language. No being limited to fixed phrases, having to be connected to the internet, or waiting instant translation right on your own computer.

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in your language. ---

fuerte en su idioma

Listening for Spanish.

o escribo a máquina es traducido

instantáneamente y es hablado francamente

English-RDP

#### Easy to Use

#### Affordable, simple to use, that's what Interact-AS is all about.

The optional language translation modules run on any computer that already has Interact-AS Professional Edition installed. Select as many languages as you want, and add more language modules as needed. Spanish, Italian, Chinese, Arabic, German, and many more, they can all be added to your communication system.

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modules, give us a call at 507-645-8924, or visit us at

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email to info@speechgear.com. We'll be glad to help

you start Interacting the right way, right away.



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#### A transcript and optional voice recording of the entire conversation is shown here

With Interact-AS, now you can communicate anytime, anywhere and in multiple languages.

#### **Features:**

- Available modules include American and British English, European and Latin American Spanish, European and Canadian French, Italian, German, Dutch, Arabic, Mandarin Chinese, plus many more....
- Bi-directional instant translation of speech, typing and handwriting.

#### **System Requirements:**

Language modules can only be added to an Interact-AS Professional system – they are not compatible with the Consumer Edition. If you would like to upgrade your system from the Consumer to the Professional Edition, let us know, we'll be glad to help.



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# Comparison of Systems

Product Cost	Interact-AS Professional Edition	Interact-AS Consumer Edition	UbiDuo	Interpretype	iCommunicator	Dragon	CART Services
Retail Pricing	\$795	\$149	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$6,500	\$100 to \$600	\$80/hr \$75K/yr
Communication Barriers Addressed			+-/	+-/	+-/		
Closed Captioning of Conversations	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO < 1 second	YES
Transcription Delay	< 1 second YES	< 2 seconds LIMITED	N/A NO	N/A NO	< 3 seconds NO	< 1 second NO	appx. 7 - 10 secs YES
Closed Captioning of Meetings Closed Captioning of Lectures and Seminars	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
Closed Captioning of Lectures and Seminars	YES	LIMITED	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
Closed Captioning of Television Programming	YES	LIMITED	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
Closed Captioning of Radio Broadcasts	YES	LIMITED	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
Private Telephone Conversations	YES, via Skype	YES, via Skype	No, Reg's 3rd Person	No, Reg's 3rd Person	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hands-free Typing	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO
Text Reader	YES	YES	NO	NO	NQ	NO	NO
Speech Generation	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO
Language Learning Tools	YES	YES	NO	NO	NQ	NO	NO
Input Modes							
Typing	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO
Handwriting	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO
Speech Recognition	YES - High Quality	YES - Standard Quality	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES
Hands-free Operation	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
Zero Click Term Expansion	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
One Click Favorites Lists	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Phrase Building	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Ability to use Pictures in your Communications	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Built-in Sketch Pad	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Output Modes							
Displayed Text of Spoken Conversations	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
Displayed Text of Typed Conversations	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
Synchronized Voice Recording	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO
Spoken Voice Output of Text	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO
Multiple Voices (Male and Female)	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Multiple Dialects and Accents	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Adjustable Cadence	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	N/A
Visual Indicator of Speech being Spoken	YES	YES	N/A	NO	NO	YES	N/A
Spoken Command Confirmations	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Sociable Sounds to Support Conversations	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
One Click Playback of Prerecorded Phrases	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
One-click Repeat of Phrases	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Languages Supported							
Supports English	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Number of Foreign Languages Supported	36	NONE	NONE	2	NONE	NONE	LIMITED
Simultaneous Captioning and Translating	YES	YES	NO	NO	< 3 seconds	< 1 second	appx. 7 - 10 secs
Live Interpreter Access	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	LIMITED
Additional Considerations							
	VEC	YES	VEC	VEC	YES	VEC	
Does not require internet access	YES		YES	YES		YES	NO
Mobile System, Can be used Anywhere	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO
Number of Personalized User Accounts	UNLIMITED	Up to Three	NONE	NONE	NONE	ONE	N/A
Immediate Generation of Transcripts	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO
Can save a transcript of the conversations	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	SOMETIMES
Runs on your Existing Computers	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
Can move the license to a new computer	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
Section 508 Compliant	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES