ABBREVIATIONS

ANOVA  Analysis of variance
EMG    Electromyography
$f_i$  Initial median frequency
$f$    Median frequency
$H^+$  Hydrogen ion
ICC    Intraclass correlation coefficient
ICF    International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health
L1     Spinal level at the first lumbar vertebrae
L5     Spinal level at the fifth lumbar vertebrae
MVC    Maximal voluntary contraction
pH     Acidity, concentration of hydrogen ions
Slope  Slope of regression line, i.e. rate of decrease in median frequency during a contraction.
       “Steep” slope = high rate of decrease
       “Flat” slope = low rate of decrease
$S_w$  Standard error of measurement
$S_{diff}$  Within-subject standard deviation of differences
$t_{1/2}$ Recovery half-time