# The characteristics of the human ear

#### Main functions:

♦ It's the organ of hearing which detects and analyzes sound by the conversion of electrochemical impulses.

♦ It has a main role in equilibrium by the maintain of the sense of balance.

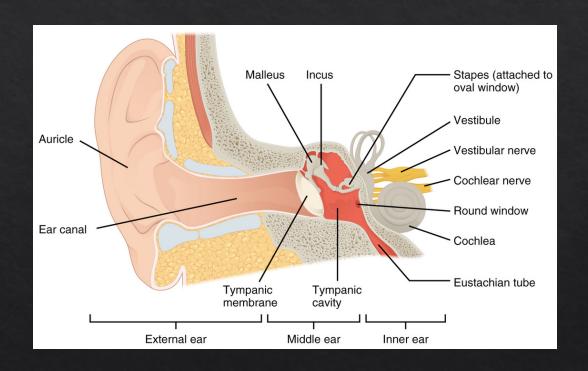
♦ It also contributes to the coordination between head and eyes.

#### Structure:

♦ The outer ear.

♦ The middle ear.

♦ The inner ear.

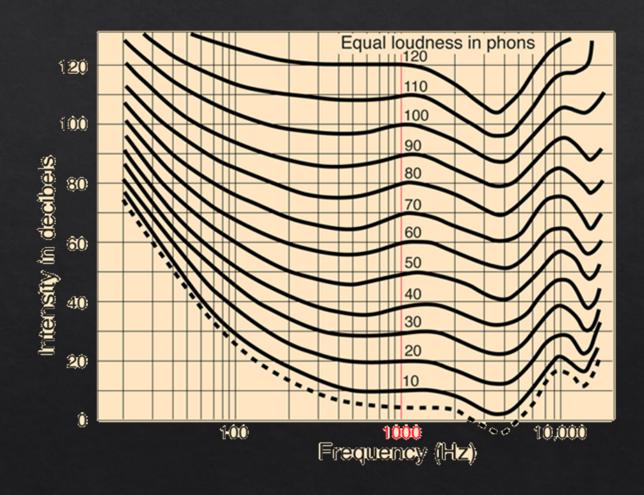


## How does the hear «listen»?

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# Isophonic curves:

♦ Fletcher-Munson Curves



## Hear diseases:



♦ Deafness.

♦ Hearing loss is caused by a disfunction of the inner ear or by a brain damage.

## Sitography

- http://www.dangerousdecibels.org/virtualexhibit/2howdowehear.html
- https://www.britannica.com/science/ear
- https://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/Orecchio
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qgdqp-oPb1Q
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