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# Thyroarytenoid Muscle

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An intrinsic muscle of the larynx that originates on the thyroid cartilage with insertion on the arytenoid cartilage; it functions to regulate the tension of the vocal ligaments along with other intrinsic laryngeal muscles.