

# eLecta Technical Reference

## The Echo Effect

# The echo effect occurs when:

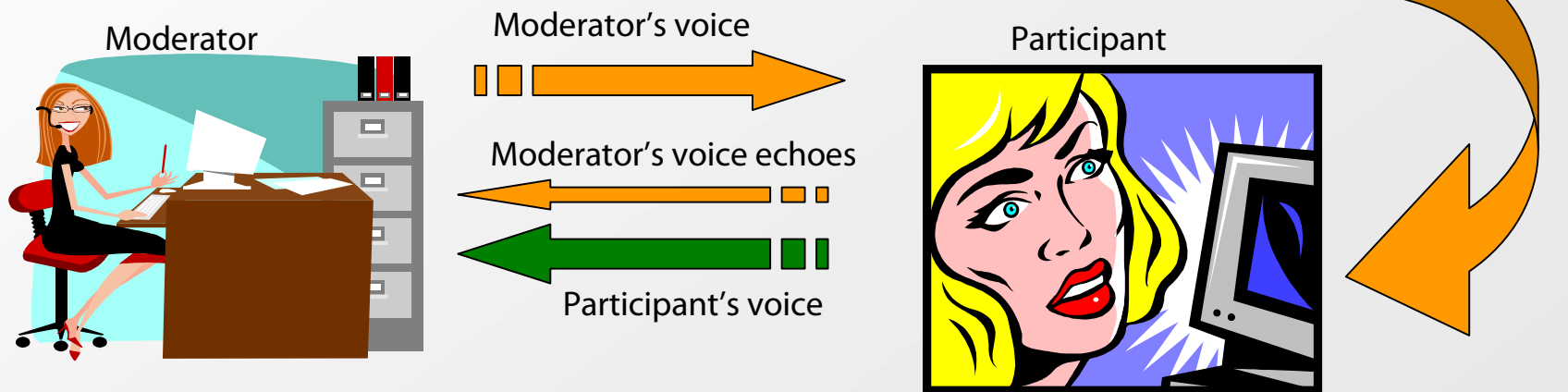
1. The participants in the virtual classroom have their microphone on

and

2. At least one of them is using speakers instead of a headset.

# What Is the Echo Effect ?

The Moderator's (Teacher's) voice at the Participant's end falling back into the his/her microphone



Participant using speakers with a microphone.  
Moderator's voice goes from participant's speakers  
into her microphone.

# How to prevent voice echoes ?

1. Try to use a headset instead of speakers.
2. If using speakers decrease your microphone and speakers volume.
3. Make sure your microphone is not placed directly in front of or facing your speakers.
4. Turn off the “microphone boost” in Windows audio settings. (see Windows Sound Speech and Audio Devices in the Control Panel)