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Artificial Neural Networks for the Smart Grid Control

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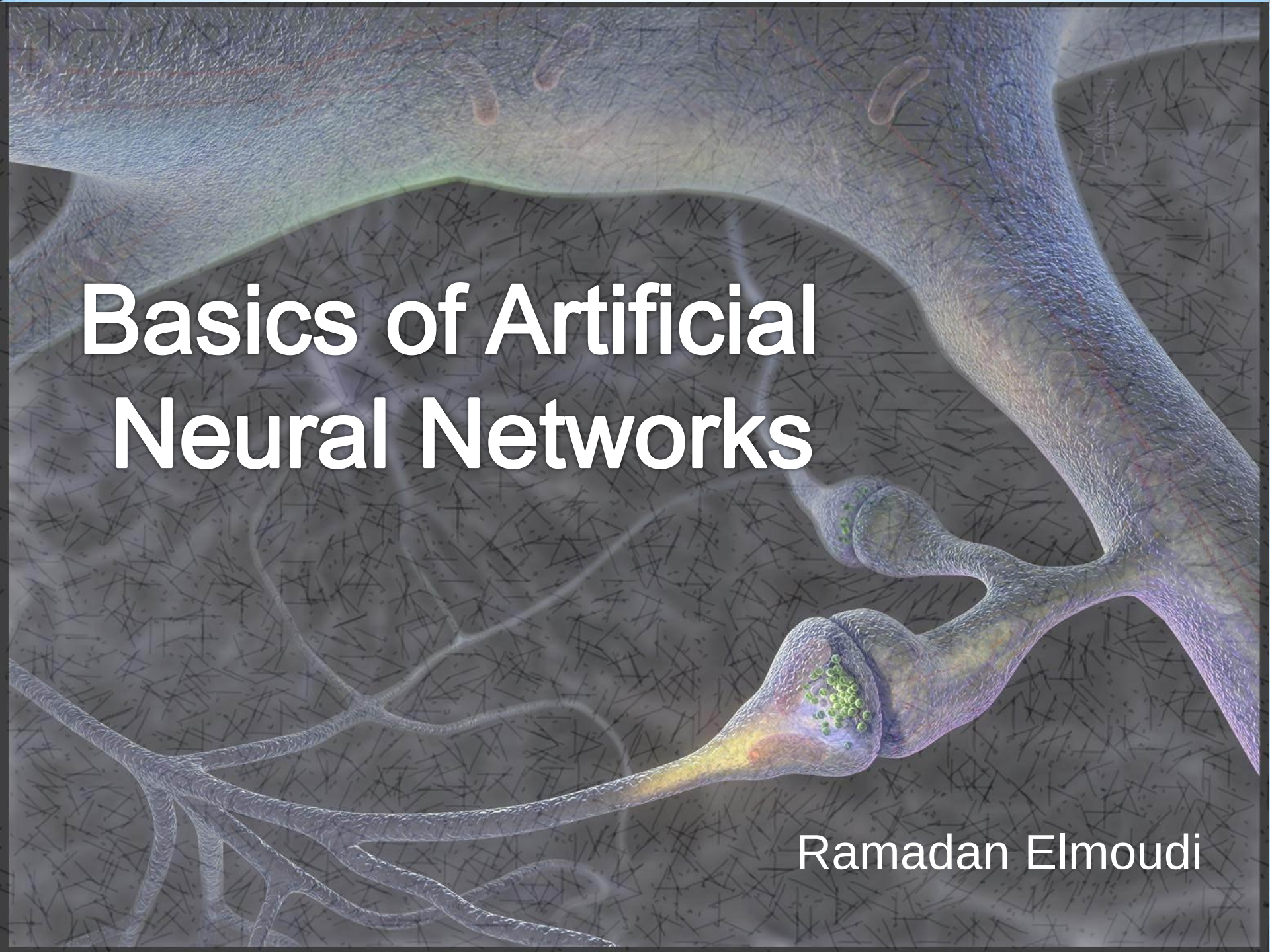
Tutorial Outline

- Basics of Artificial Neural Networks
- Simulation of Artificial Neural Networks
- Case studies about the Applications of ANN in Smart Grids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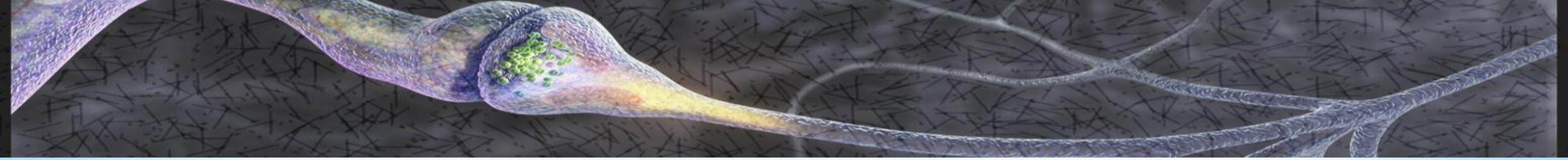

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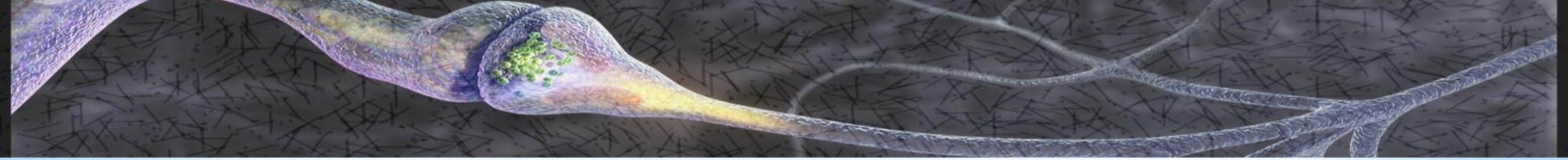

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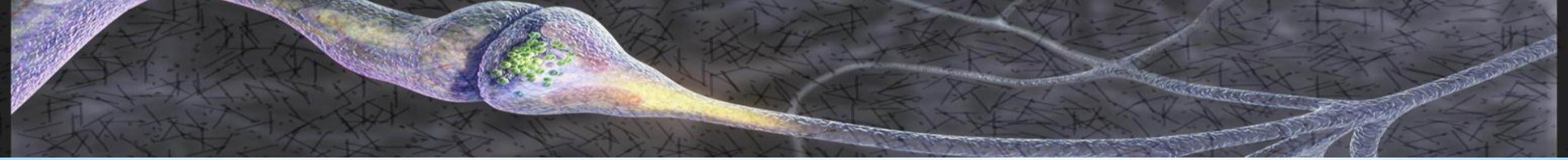

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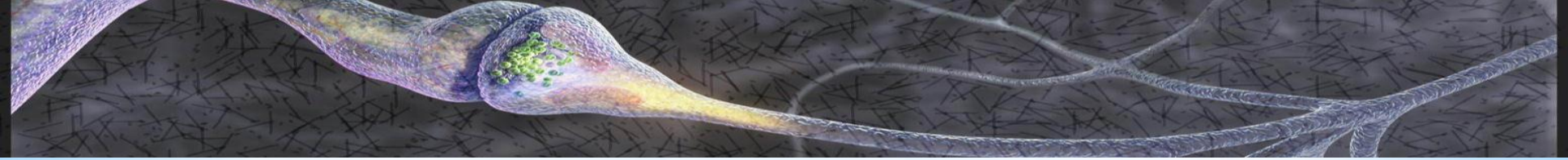
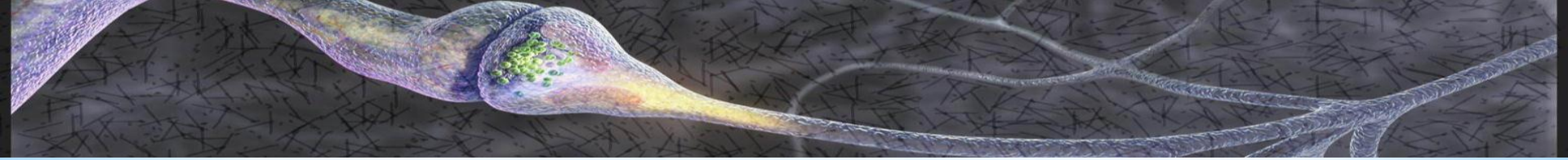


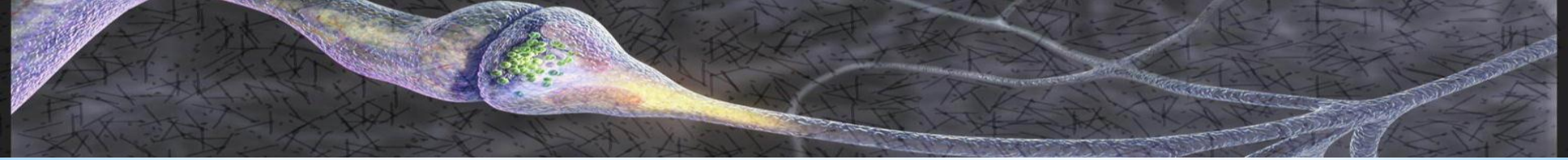
Definitions

- **Neuron** is an excitable cell that process and transmits information by electrochemical signaling.
- **Neural Networks** are networks of neurons “brain”.
- **Artificial Neuron** is a crude approximation of the neuron that found in brain.
- **Artificial Neural Networks** are parallel computational system consisting of many simple processing elements connected together to solve a specific task.



Why ANN worth Studying

- They are extremely powerful computational devices.
- Massive parallelism makes them very efficient.
- They can learn and generalize from training data.
- They are particularly fault tolerant.
- They are very noise tolerant.
- The ANN is itself nonlinear so it can model almost all nonlinear systems.
- Mathematical model of the system is not needed; since ANN generate the model from the input and output data.



A brief History

Long history of development.

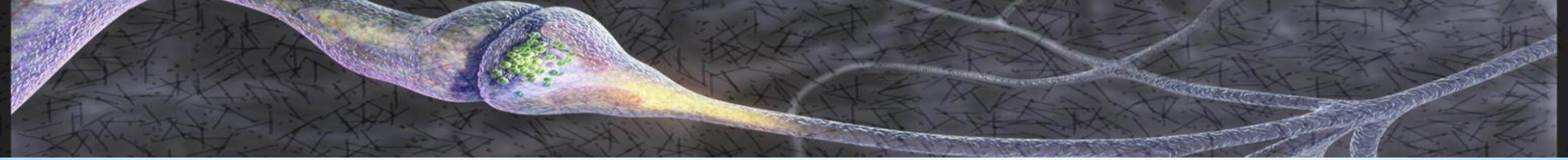
1943 McCullach & Pitts[1] outlined the first formal model of an elementary computing neuron

1949 Donald Hebb[2] proposed a learning scheme for updating neuron's connections.

Lack of efficient learning schemes and limited computational resources slowed the neural network development effort until the 1980s.

1982-1984 John Hopfield[3, 4] introduced recurrent neural network architecture for associative memories.

1986 The Back-Propagation learning algorithm for Multi-Layer Perceptron was rediscovered and the whole field took off again.



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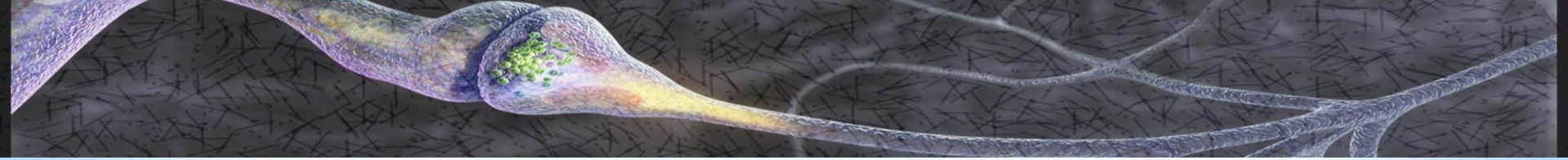

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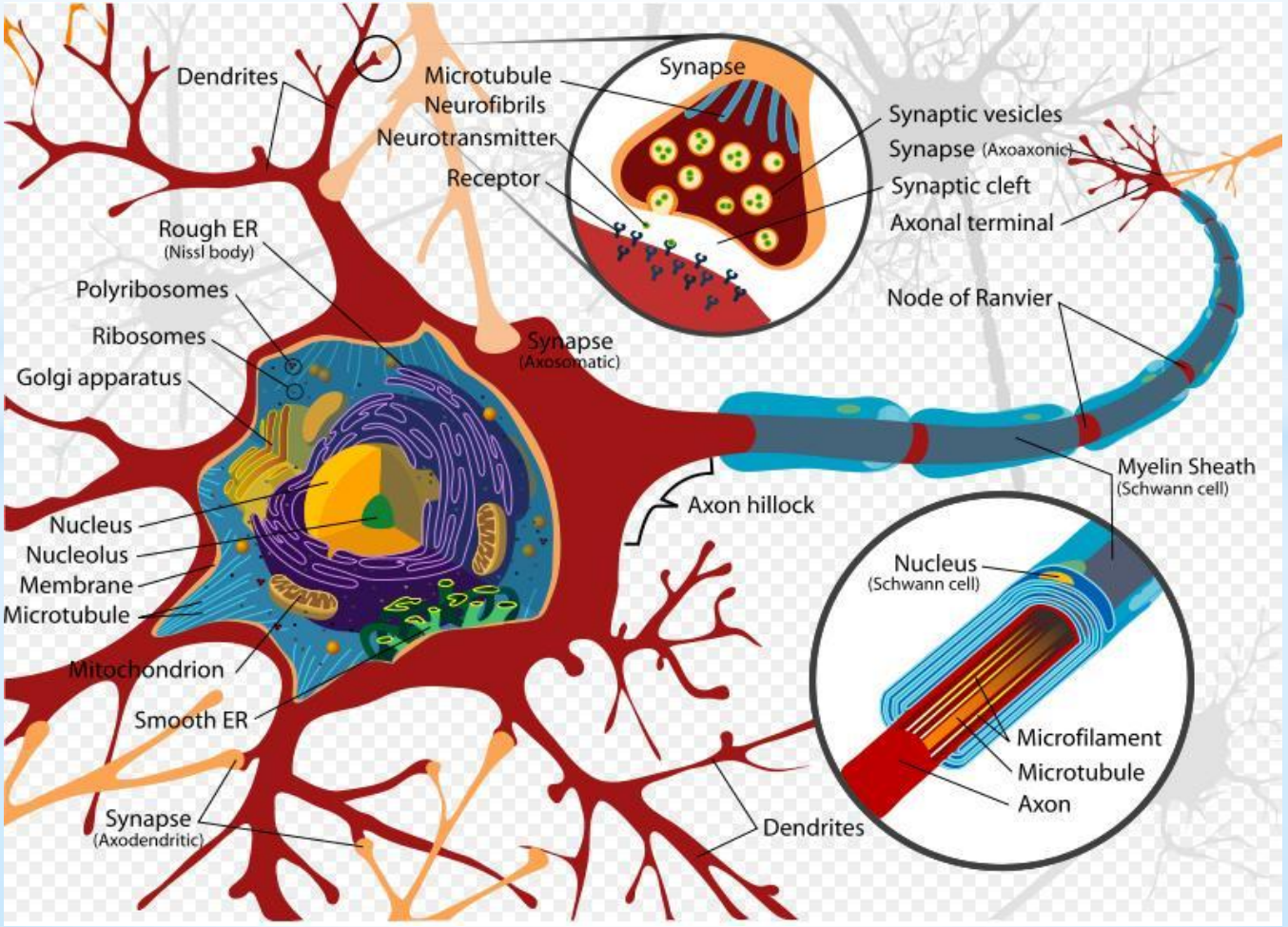

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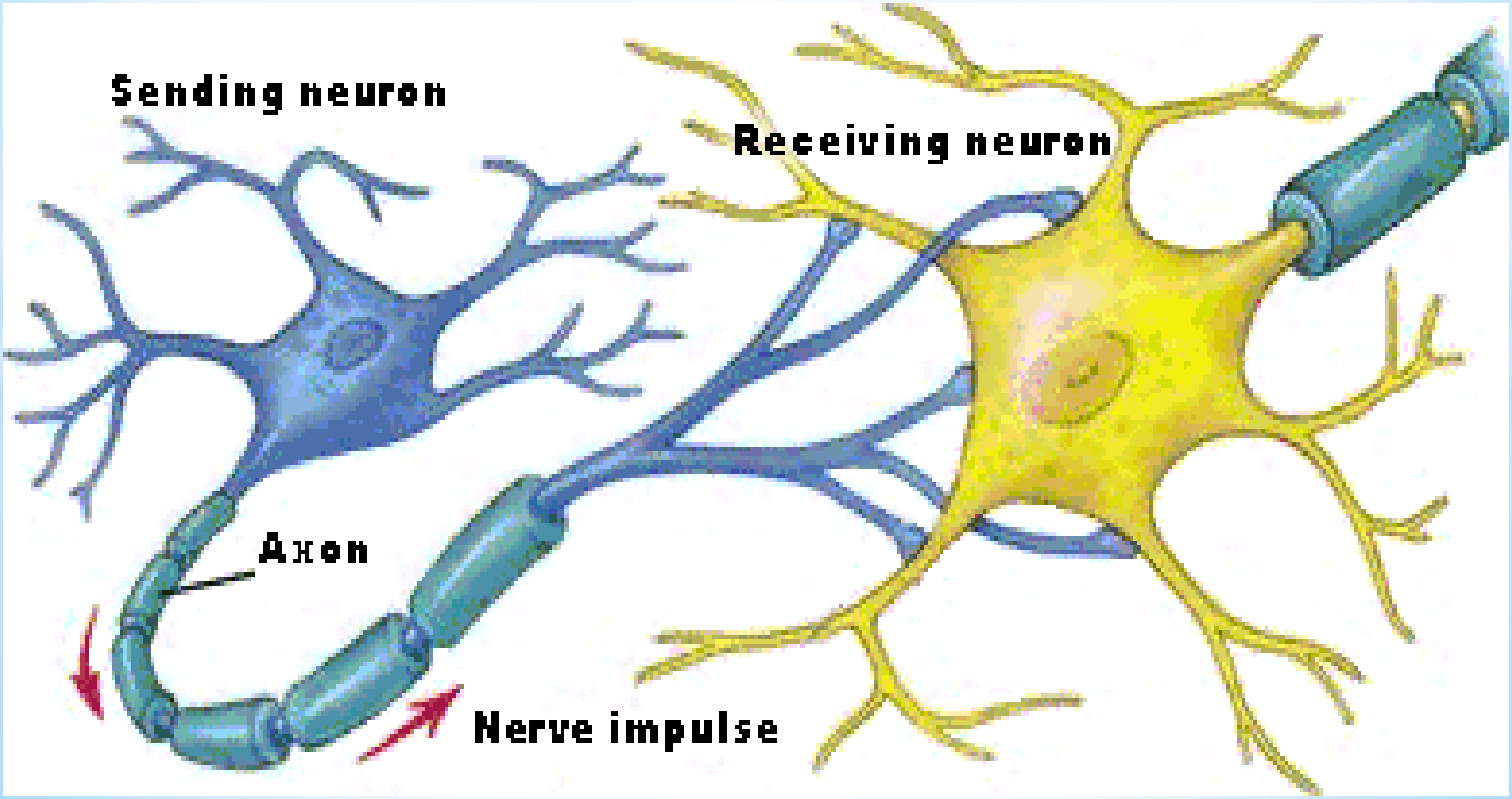

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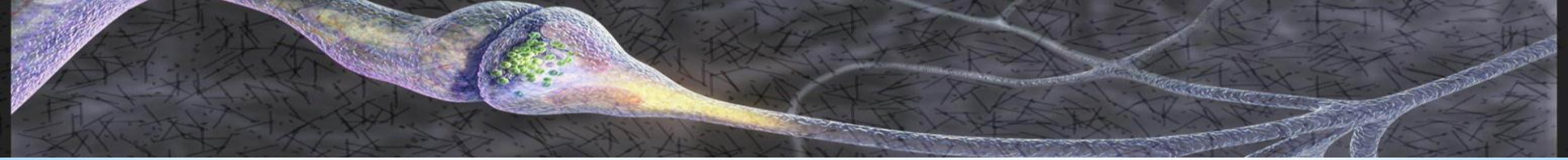
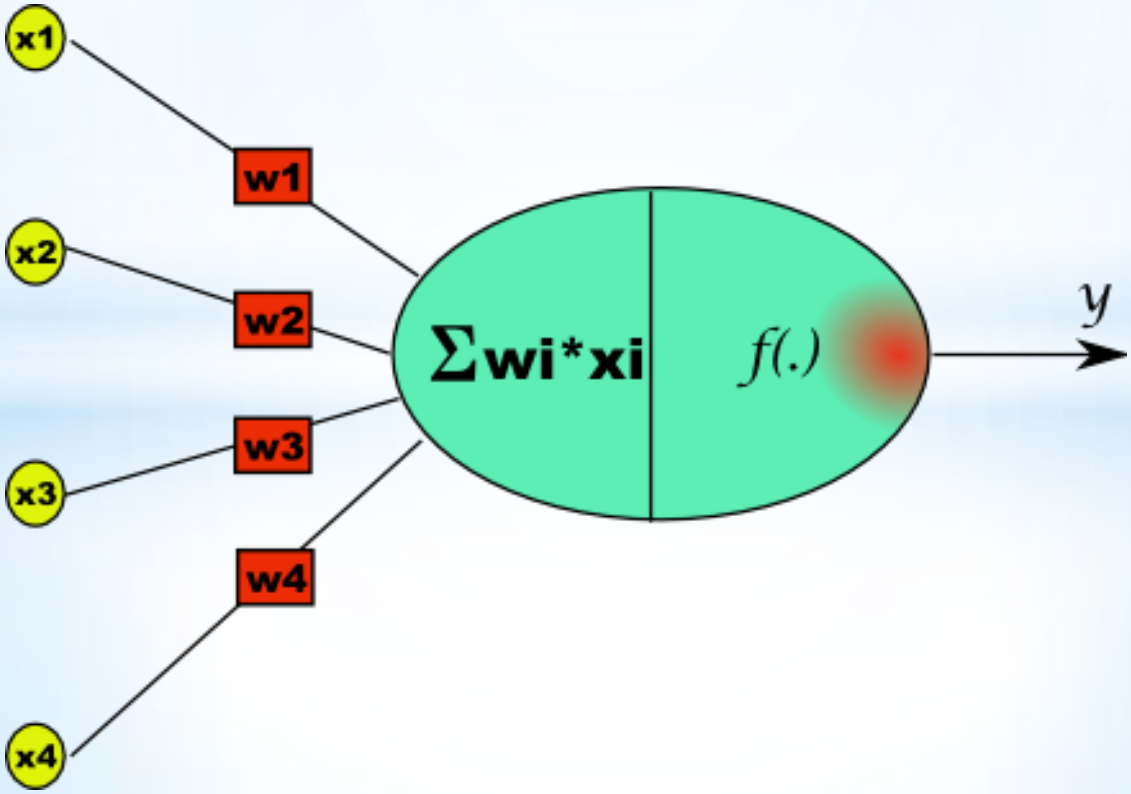


Artificial Neuron



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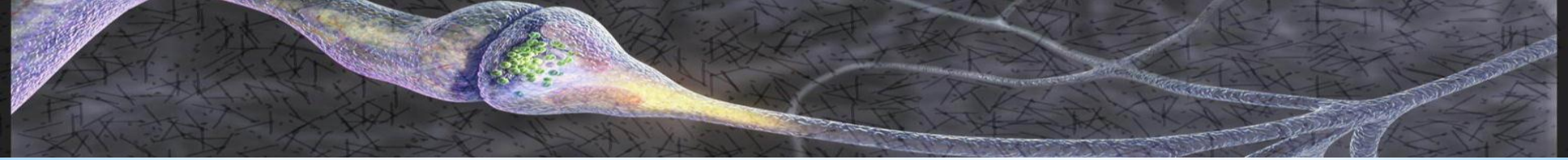

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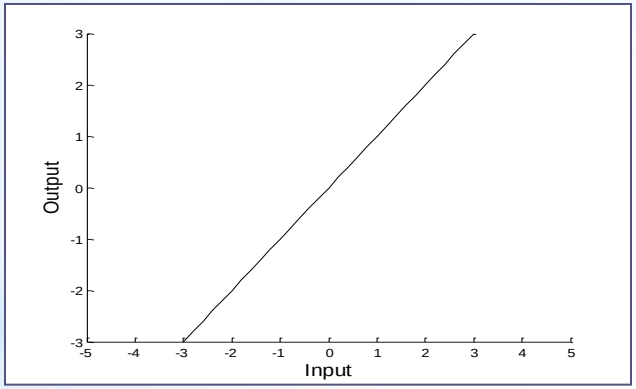
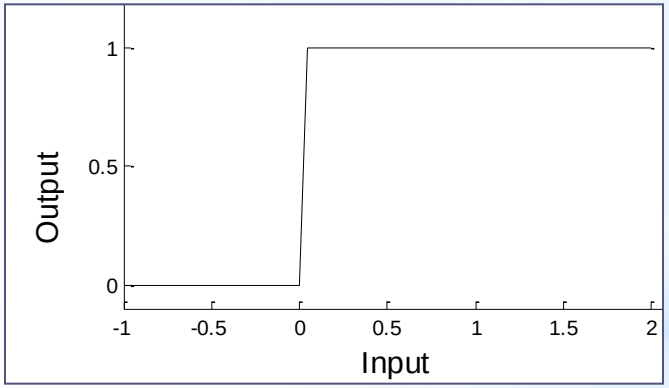
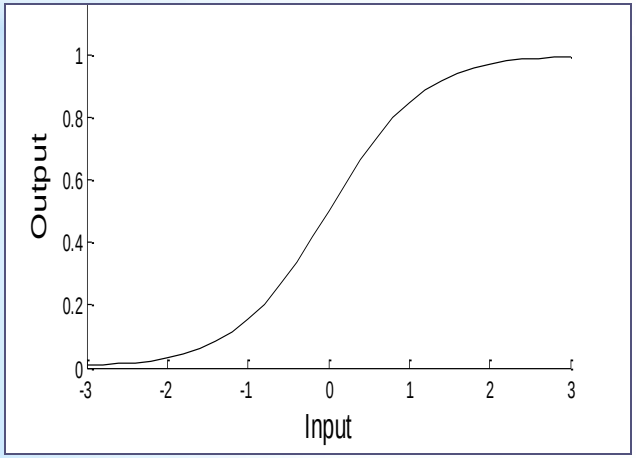
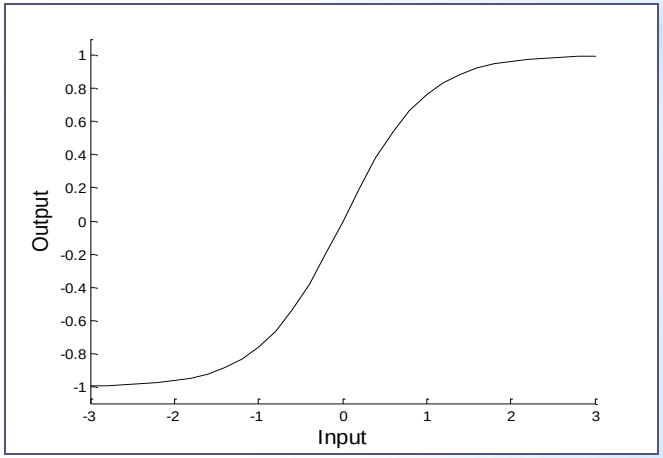
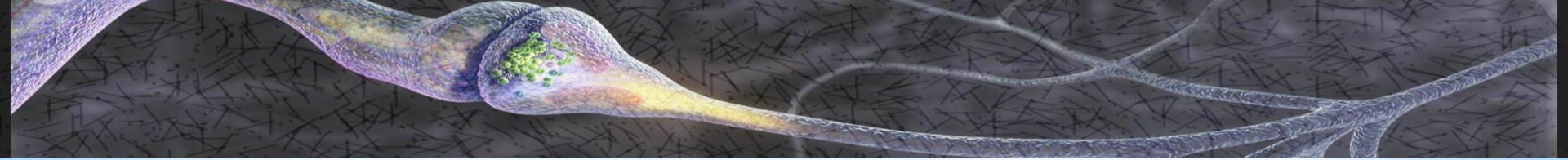


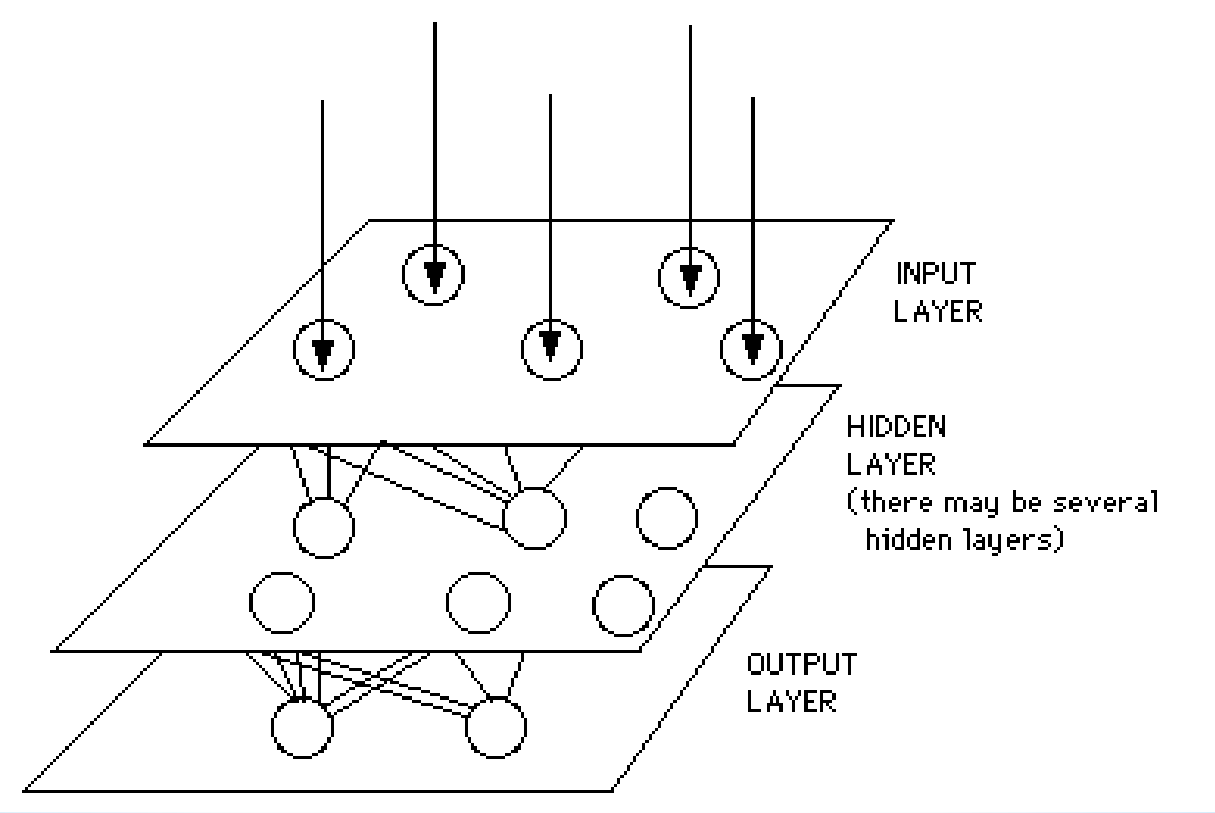


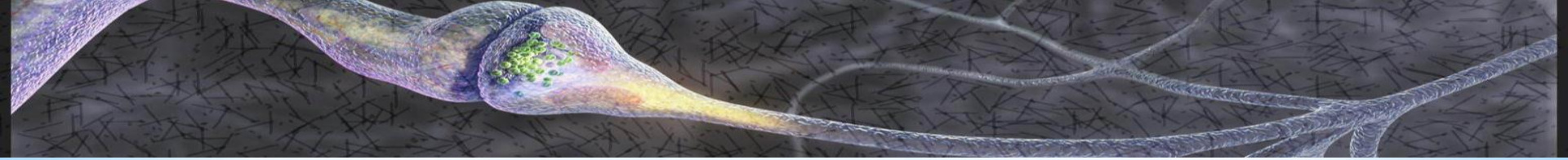






Layer arrangements in ANN





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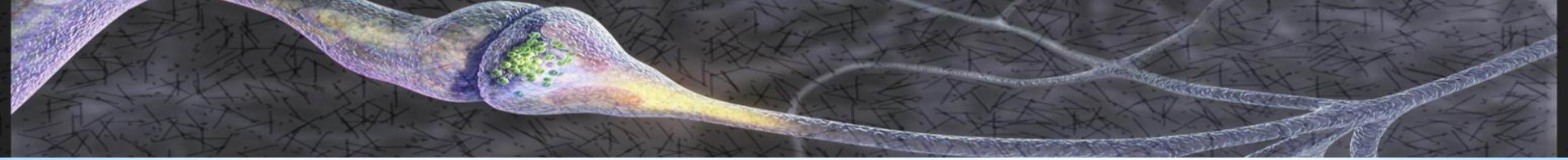
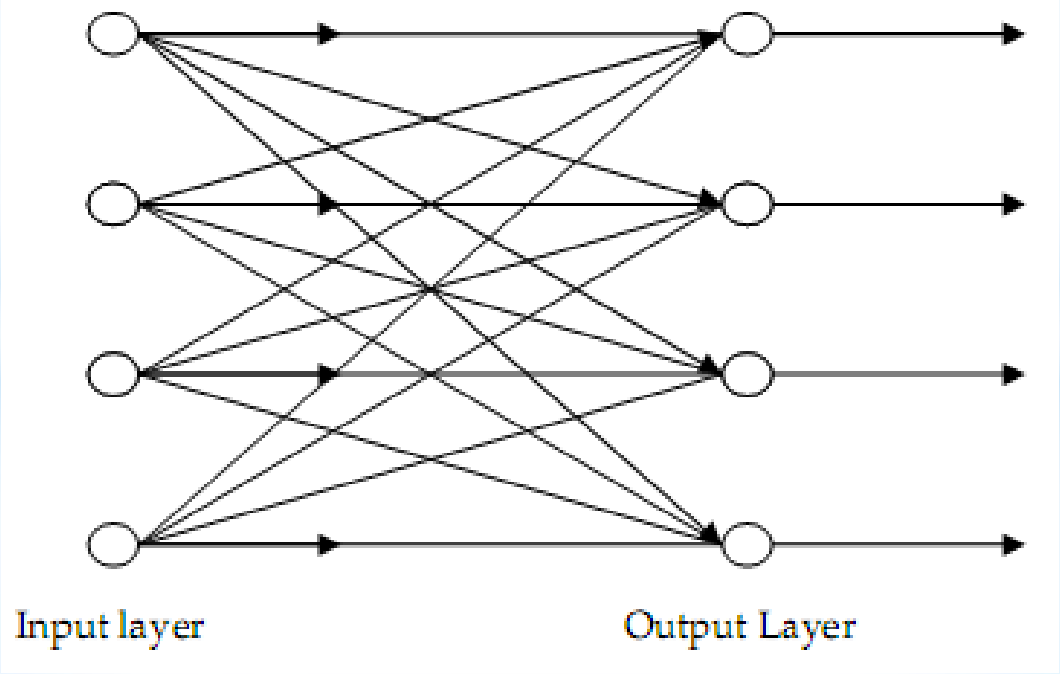


Single Layer Feed Forward Network



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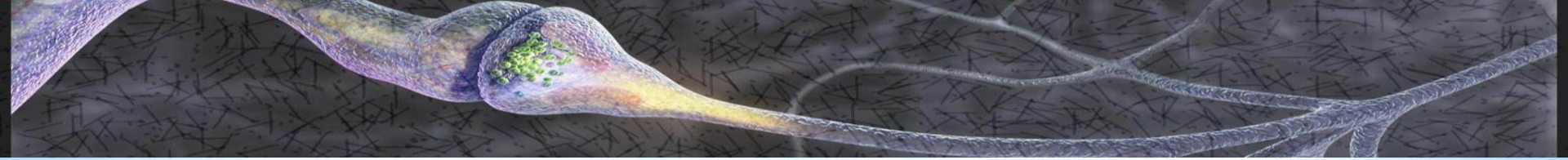
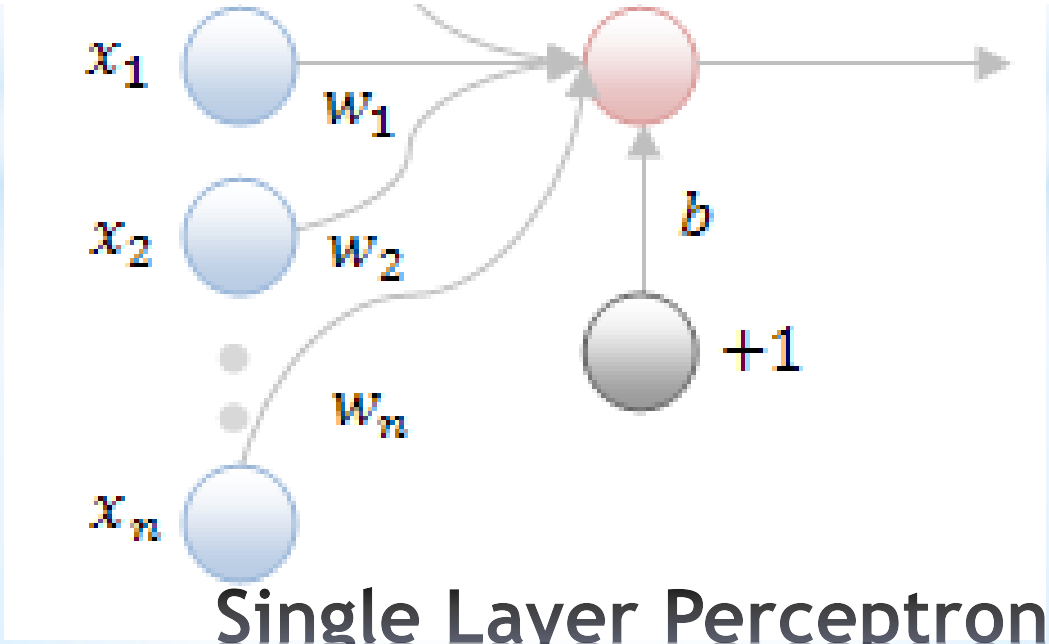


The Perceptron

$$Net = \sum_{i=0}^{n} x_i w_i + b \qquad f(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x \leq 0 \rightarrow 0 \\ x > 0 \rightarrow 1 \end{array} \right\}$$



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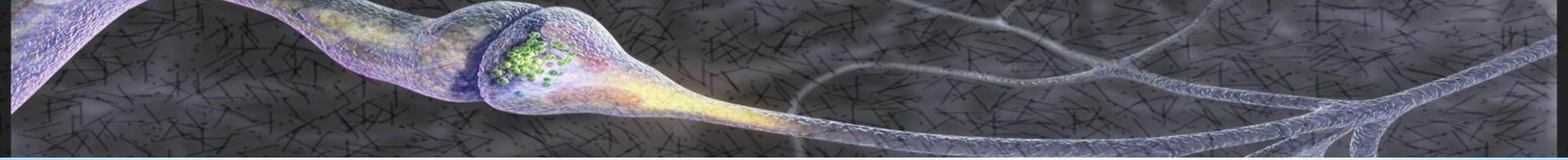
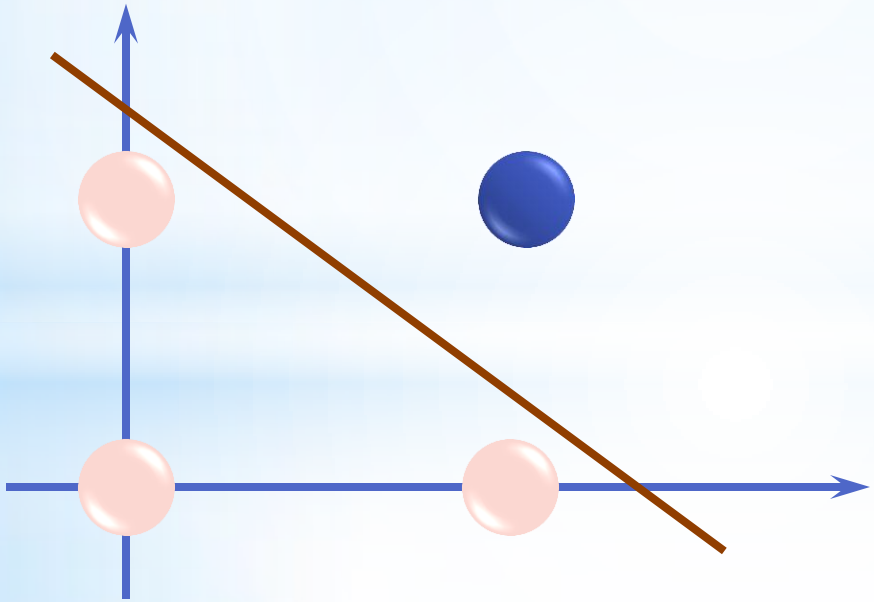


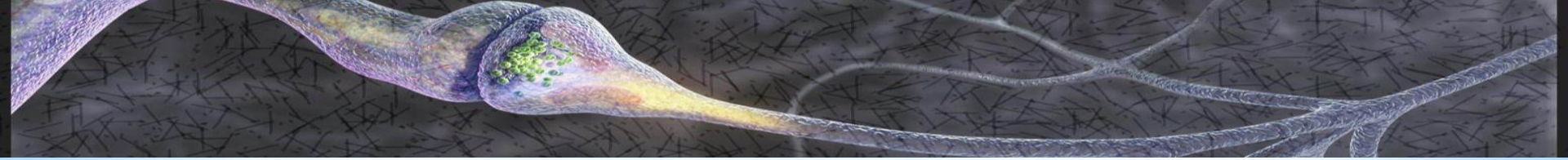
The Single Layer Perceptron

AND Gate



X_1	X_2	y
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

$$net = \sum_{i=0}^{2} w_i x_i + b$$



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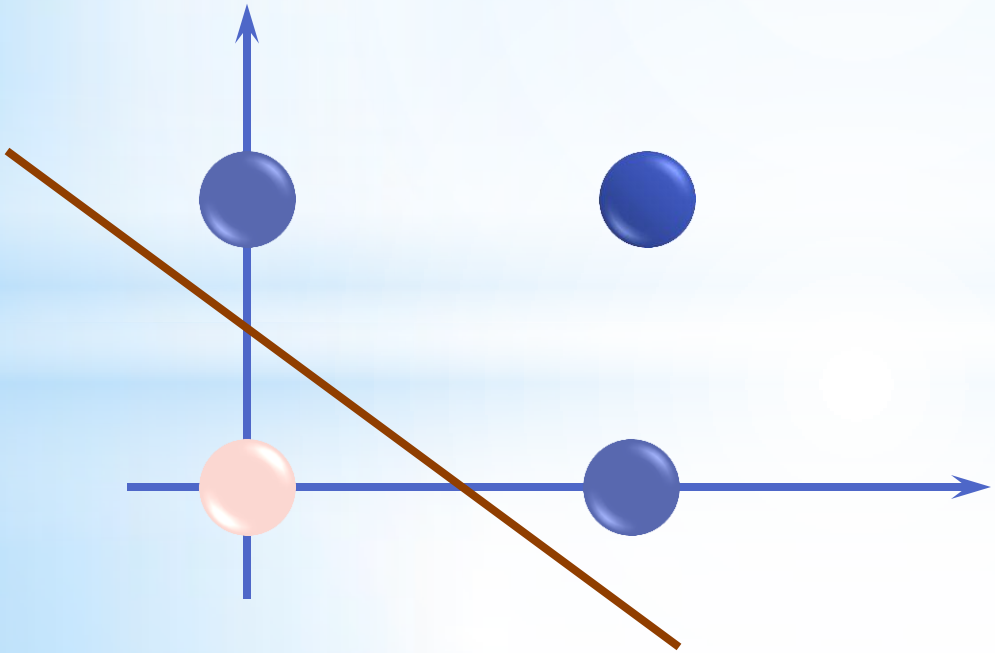
OR Gate



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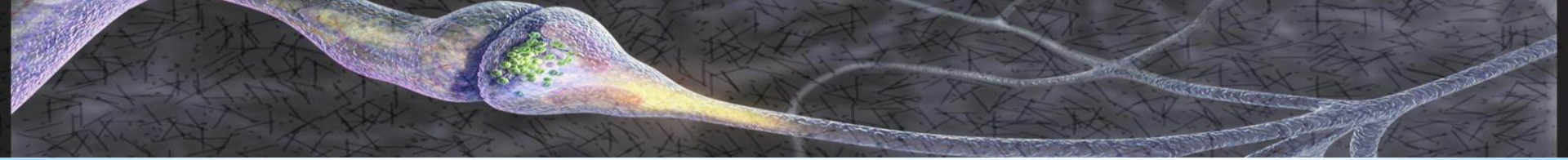

The Multi Layer Perceptron

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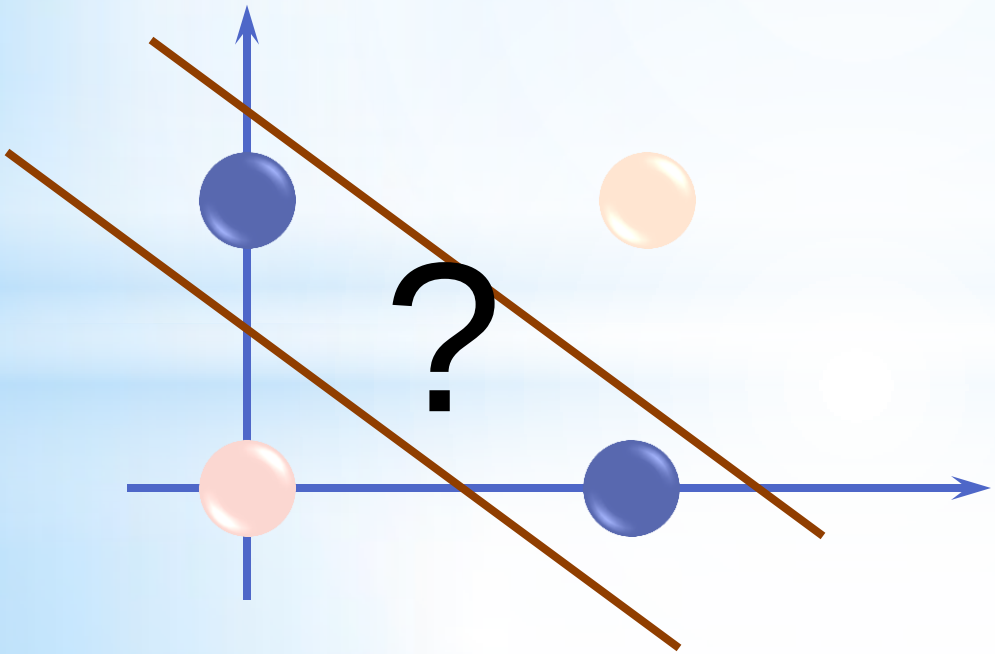

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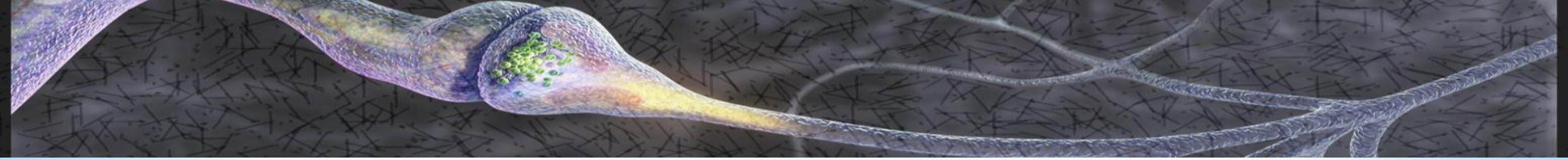
1	0	1
1	1	0

Non-Linearly Separable Data



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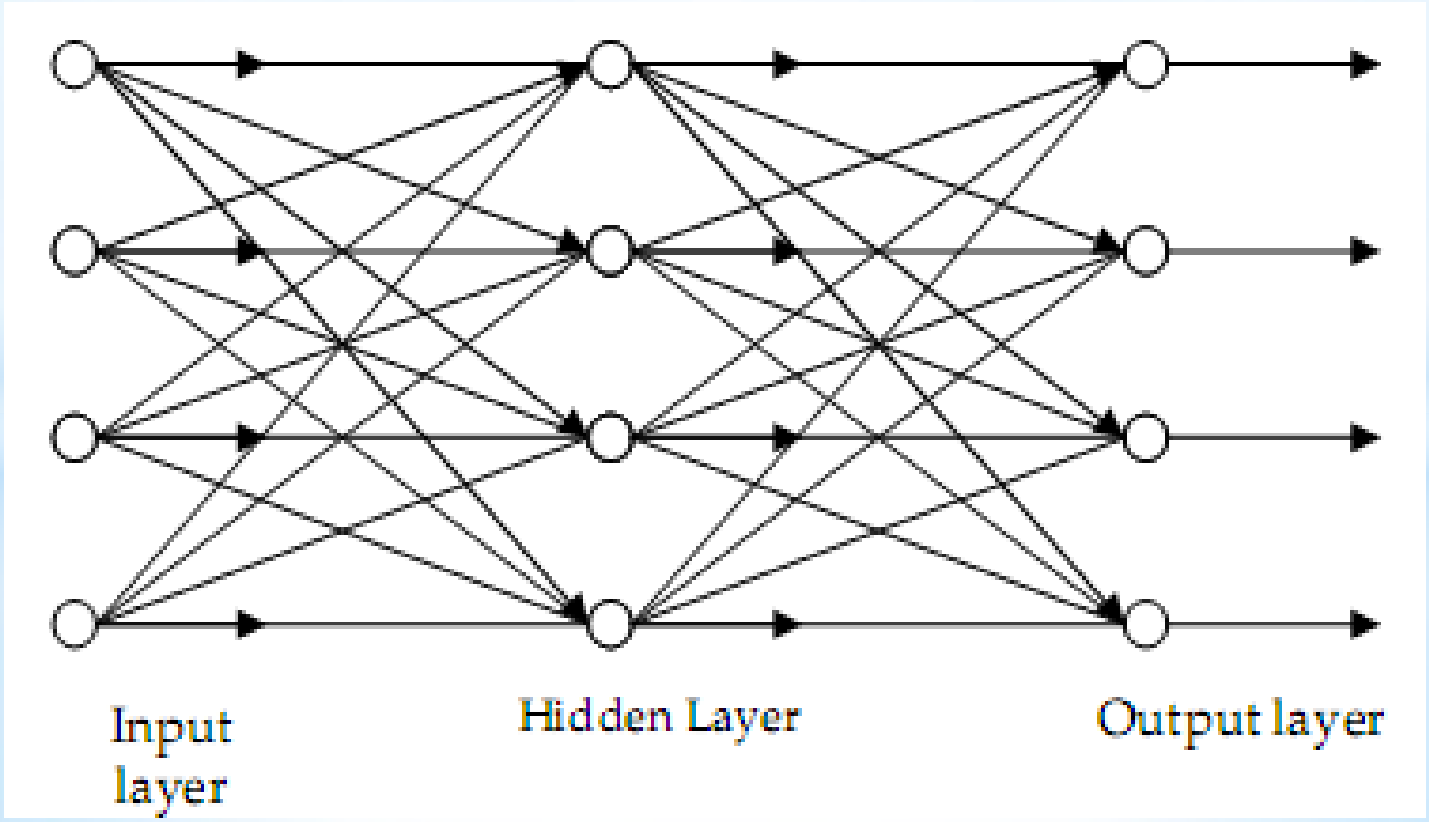

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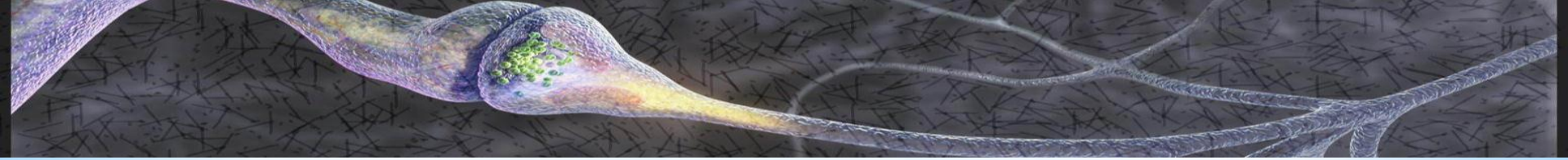
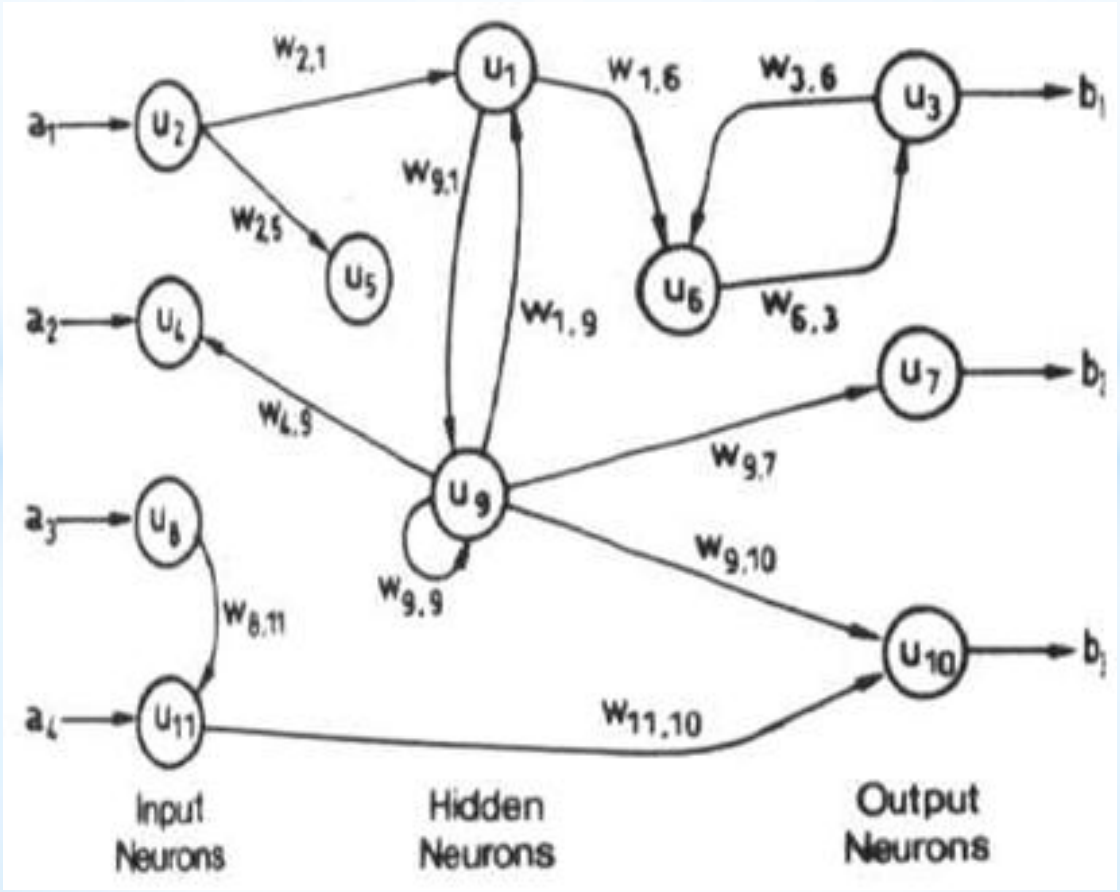


Recurrent Networks



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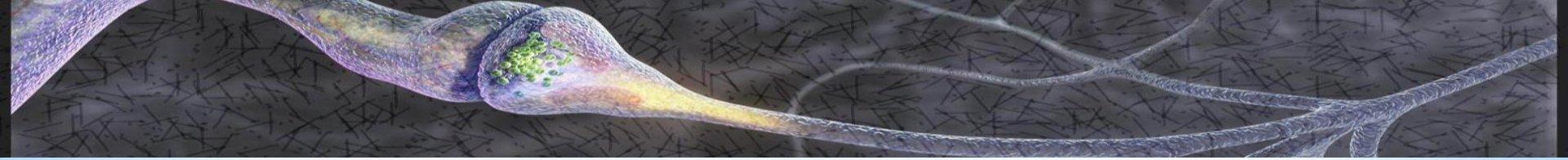

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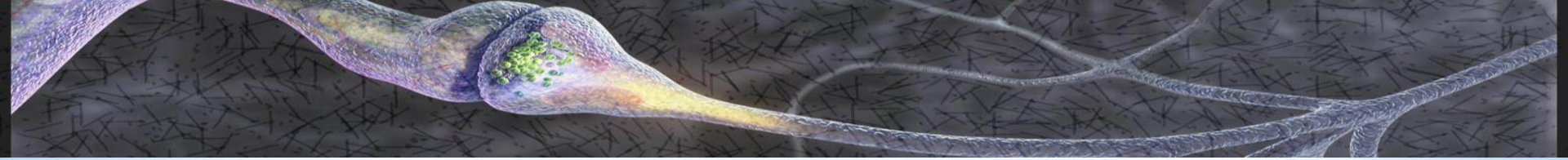
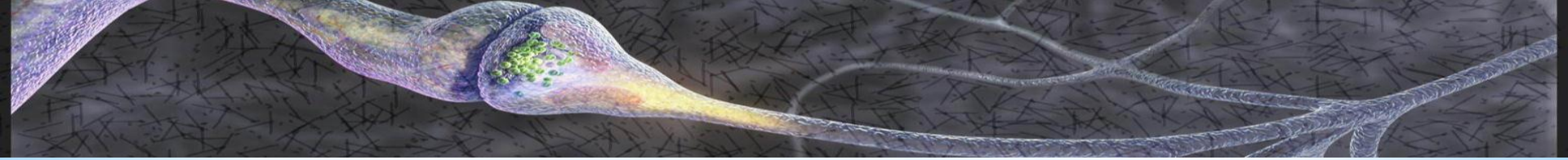


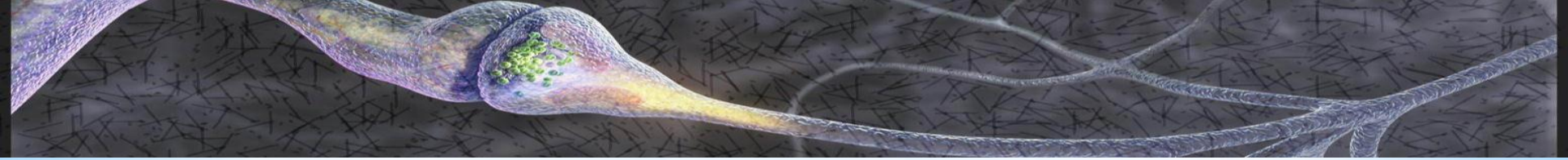
Training of ANN

- Supervised Training
- Unsupervised or Adaptive Training
- Reinforcement learning (i.e. learning with limited feedback)



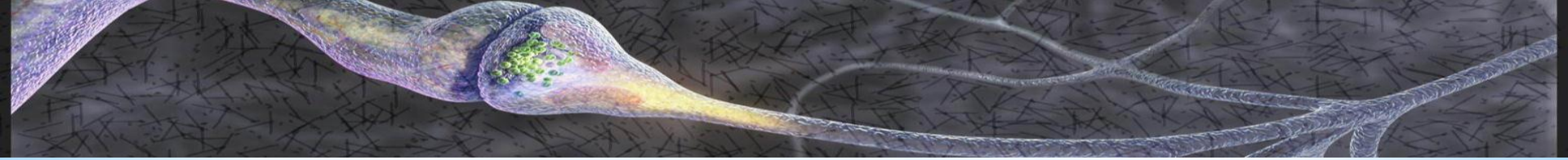
Supervised Training

- The inputs and the outputs are provided.
- The network compares its resulting outputs against the desired outputs.
- Errors are used to adjust the weights.
- Weights adjustment continue until the performance index hits specific limit.



Unsupervised Training

- Only the inputs are provided.
- Self-Organization and adaption.
- Self-performance monitoring.



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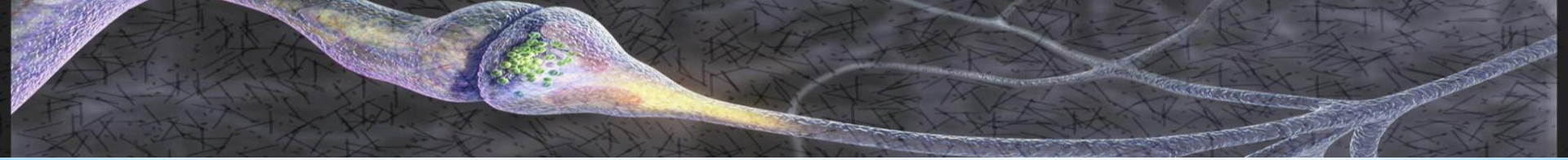
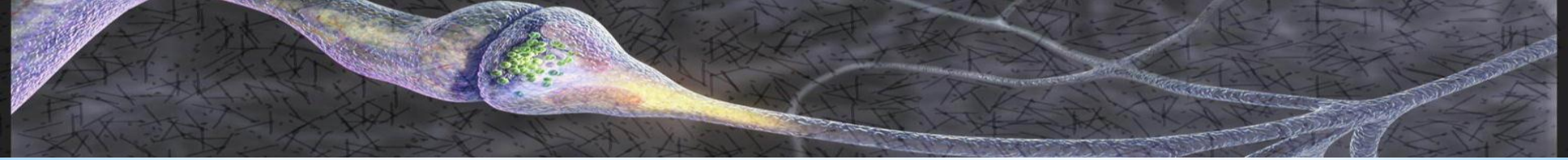


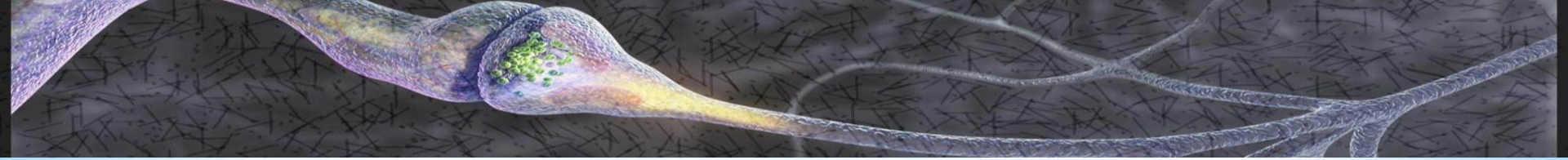
Learning Rate

- Slower rate means more time for training.
- Faster rate; no fine discriminations.
- Learning rate $0 < \eta \leq 1$



Learning Algorithms

Hebb's Rule: If a neuron receives an input from another neuron and if both are highly active (same sign), the weight between the two neurons should be strengthened.



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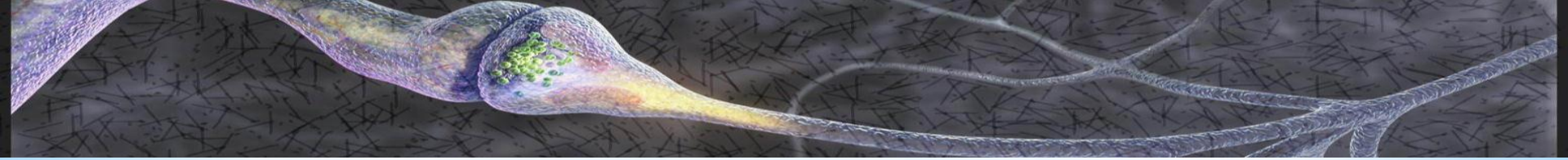
Hopfield Law: If the desired output and the input are both active or both inactive, increment the connection weight by the learning rate, otherwise decrement the weight by the learning rate.



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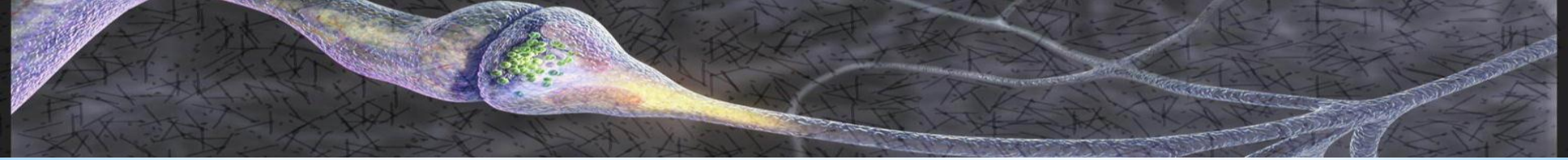
The Delta Rule: modifying the strengths of the input connections to reduce the difference (the delta) between the desired output value and the actual output of a processing element.



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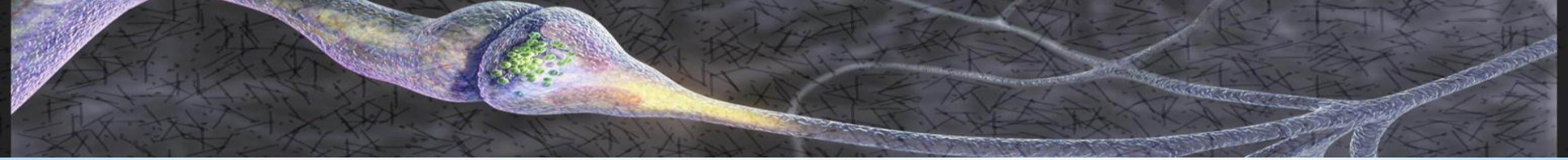
The Gradient Descent Rule: the derivative of the activation function is used to modify the delta error.



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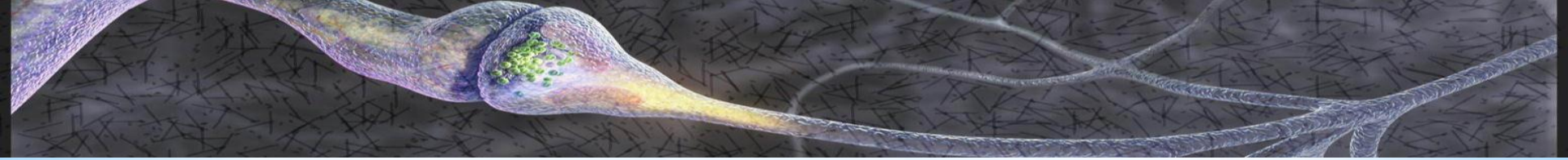
Kohonen's Law: the processing elements compete for the opportunity to learn or update their weights.



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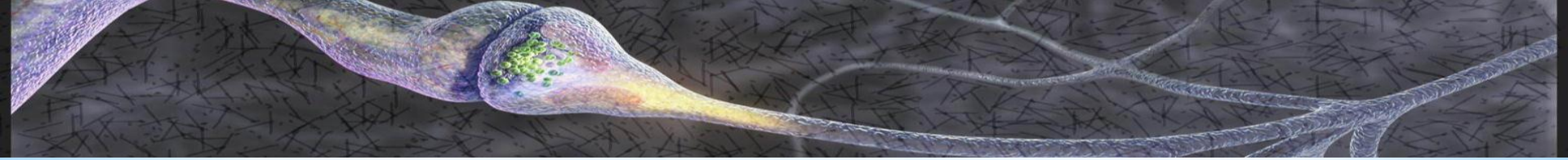
Levenberg–Marquardt algorithm: provides a solution to the problem of minimizing a nonlinear function over a space of parameters of the function. It is more robust than the Gauss-Newton Algorithm



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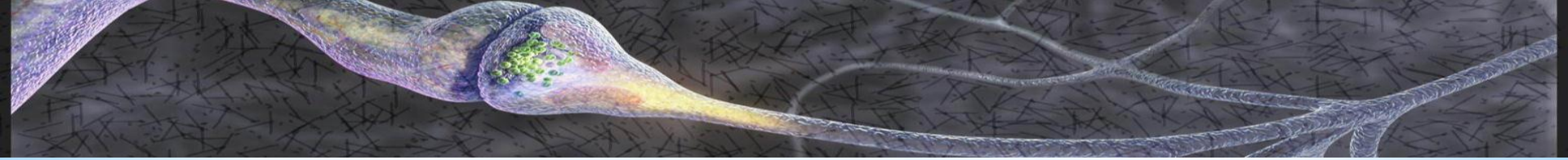
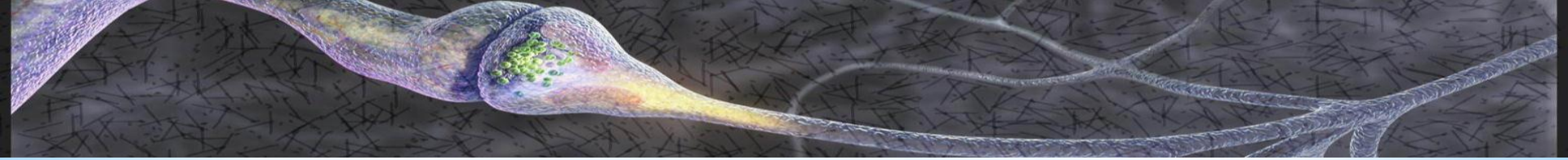


Back Propagation Learning

Training process is achieved as follows.

1. Initial values of weights are assumed
2. The network outputs are calculated for the input set
3. The error with respect to the desired output is calculated
4. The error is back propagated through the network updating the output layer's weights then the hidden layer's weights
5. The process is repeated until MSE is minimized



Back Propagation Learning

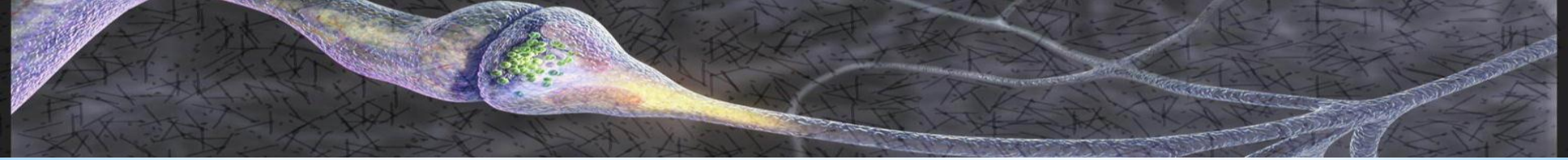
Mathematically

- Define the Error as $$E = \sum_{n=1,\ldots,T} \left\| d(n) - y(n) \right\|^2 = \sum_{n=1,\ldots,T} E(n)$$
- To minimize the error, the weights should be changed along the gradient of the error wrt weights

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{ij}^m} = \sum_{t=1,\ldots,T} \frac{\partial E(n)}{\partial w_{ij}^m}$$

- So,

$$new\ w_{ij}^m = w_{ij}^m - \gamma \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{ij}^m}$$



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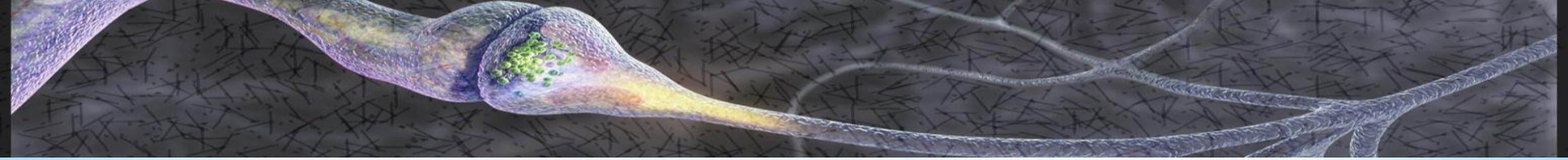
- Define the Error as

$$new\ w_{ij}^{m-1} = w_{ij}^{m-1} + \gamma \sum_{t=1}^{T} \delta_i^m(n) x_j^{m-1}(n)$$

- $\delta_i^m(n)$ Represents the error propagation term



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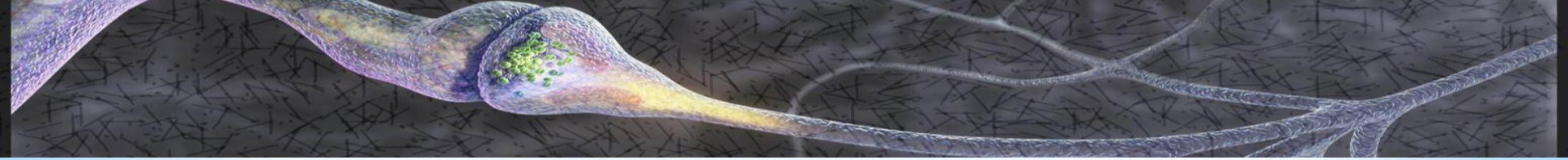

General Applications

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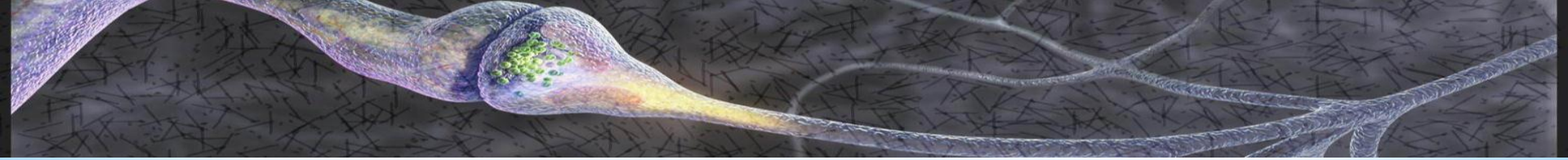
- Image compression
- Pattern Recognition
- Signal Processing
- Financial
- Servo Control



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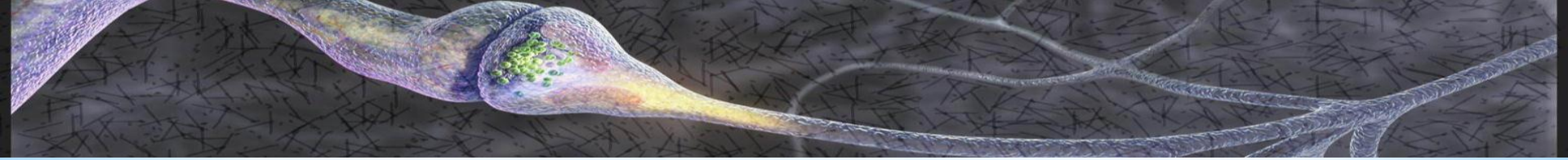

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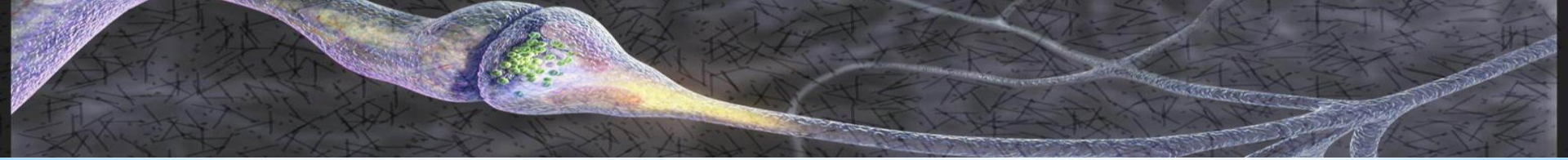

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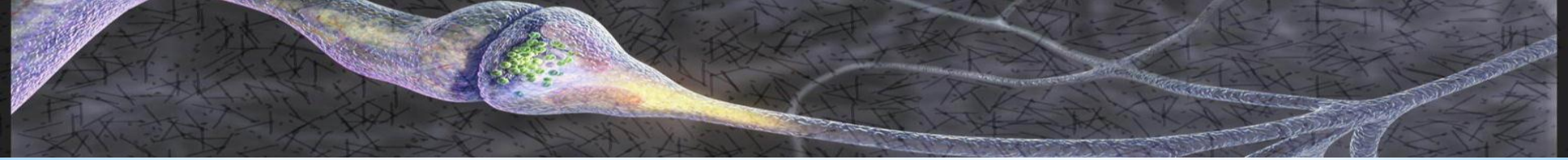

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