

Active dendrites stochastic neuronal model

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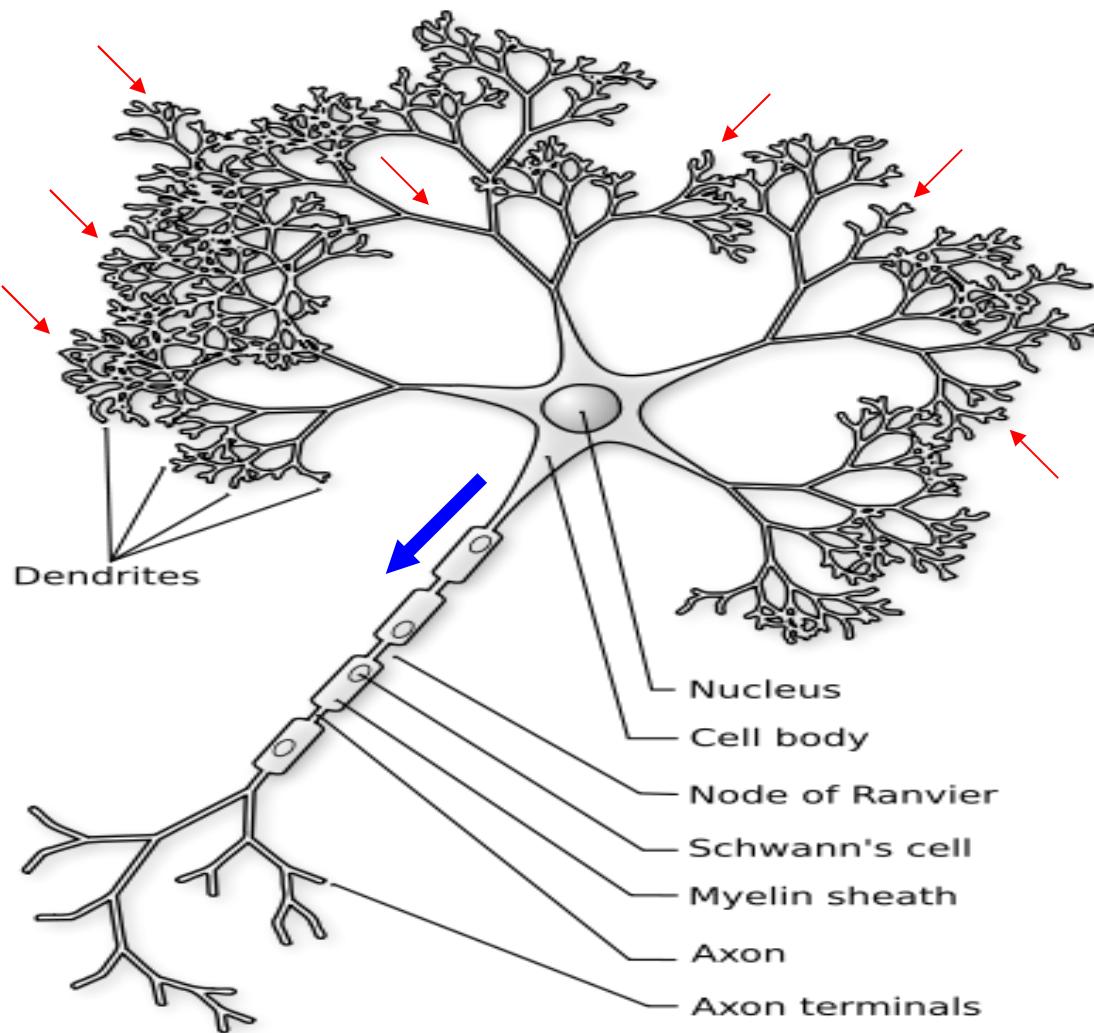
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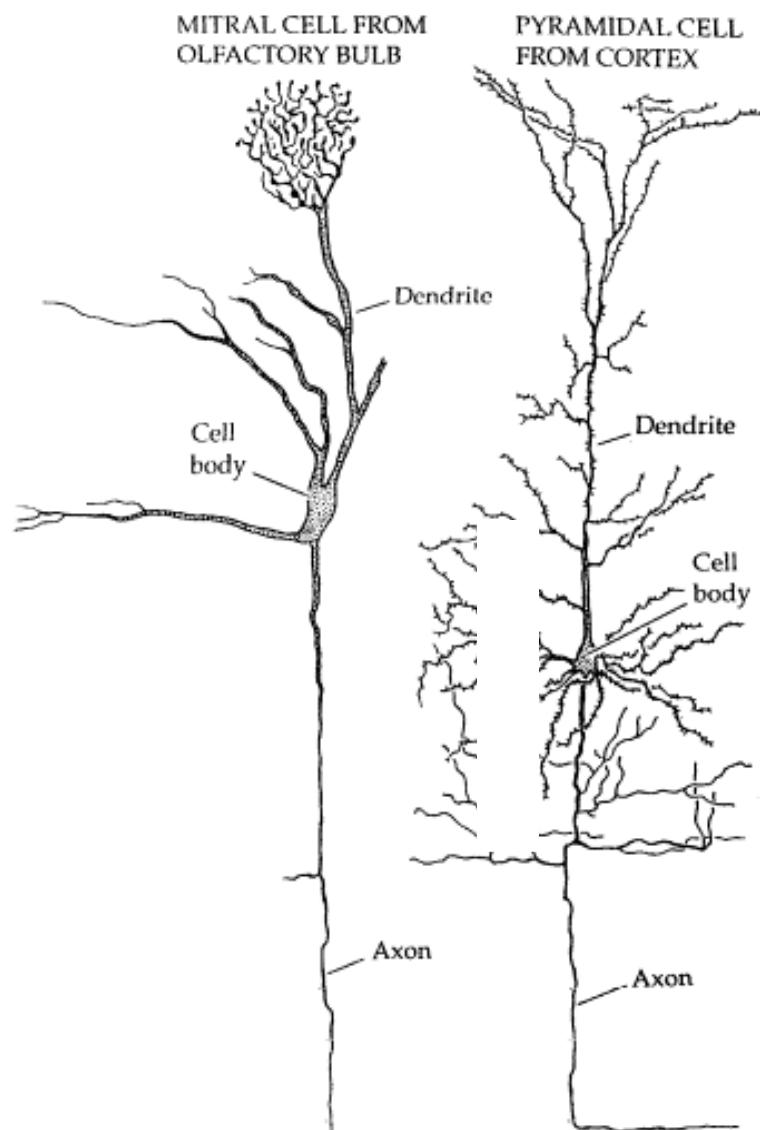
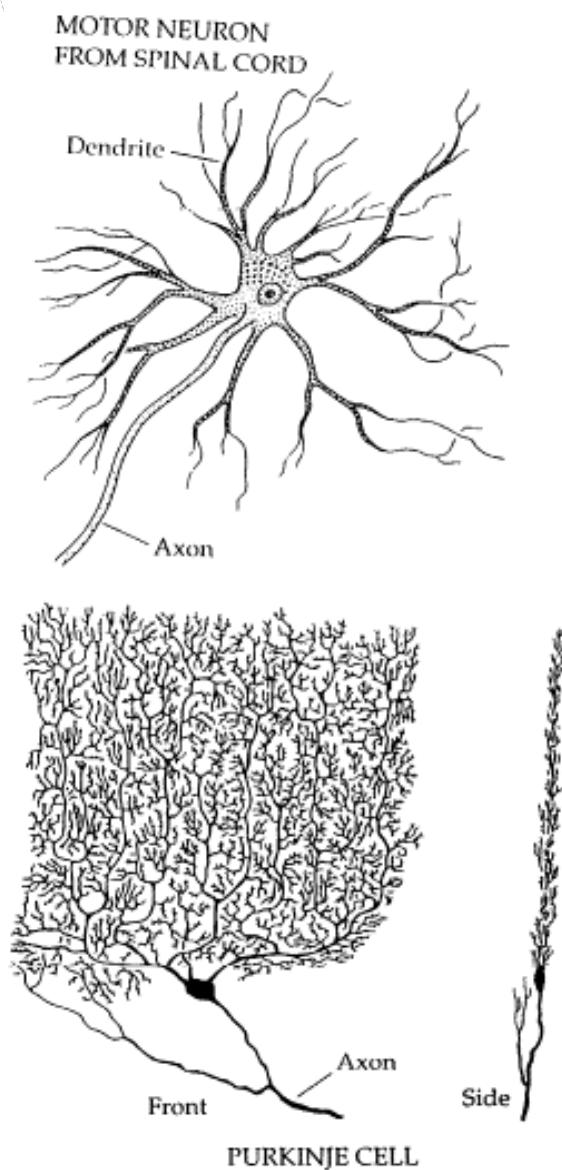


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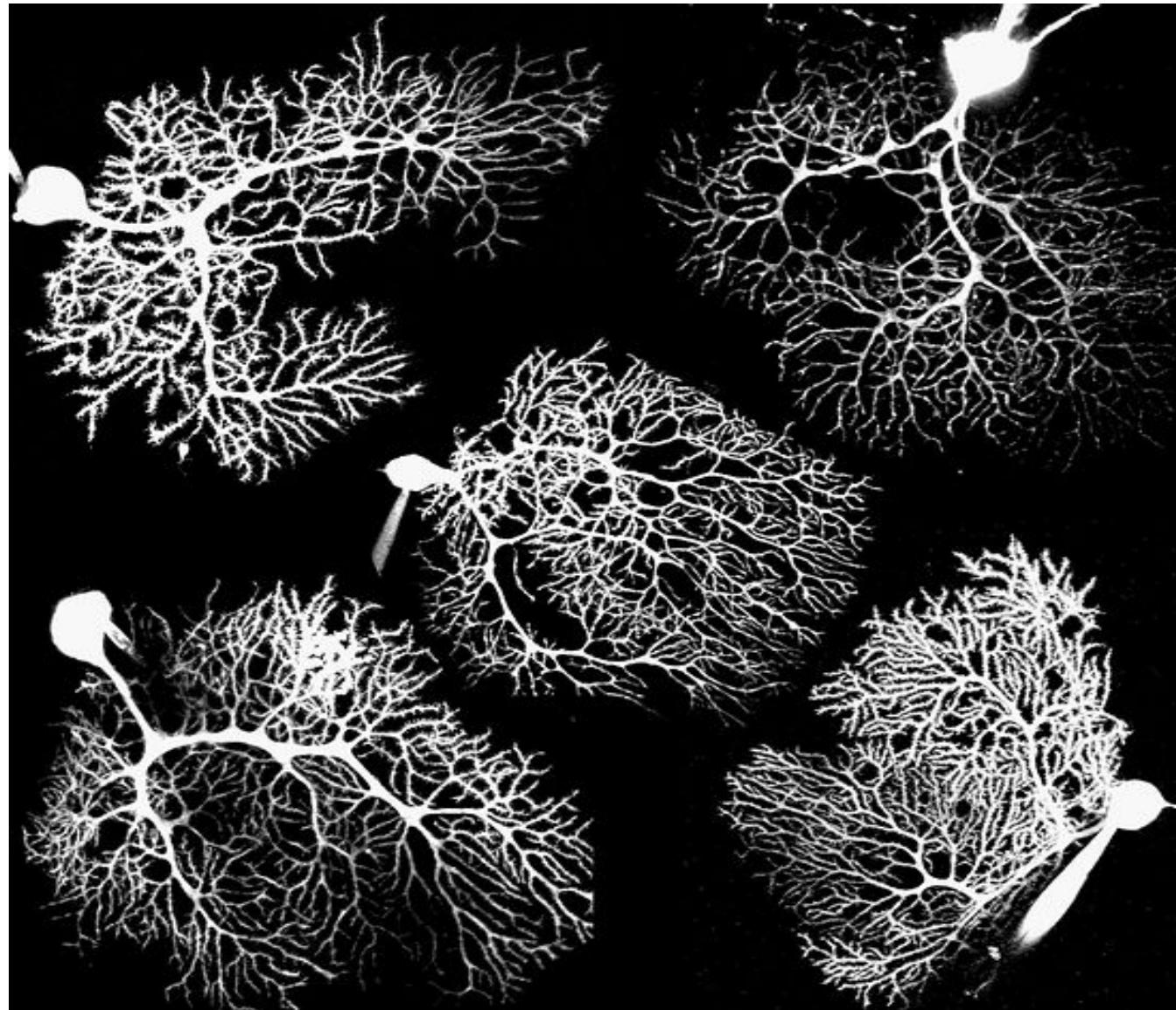
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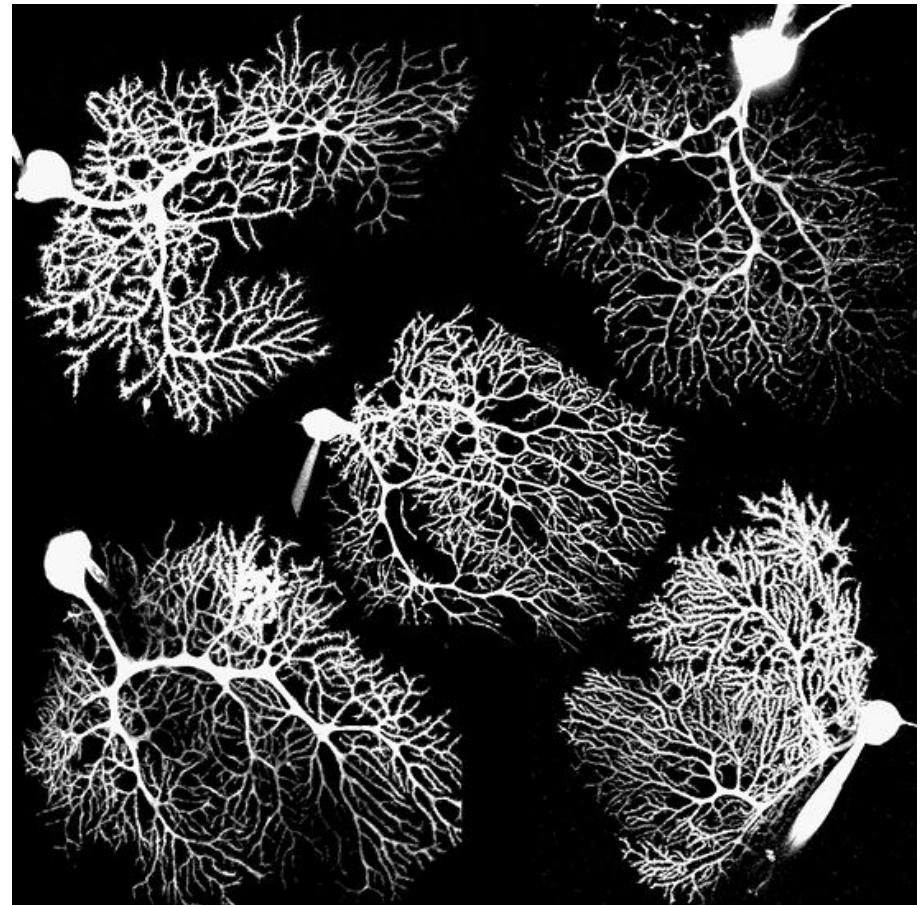




Dendrites: perhaps the most important neuronal feature

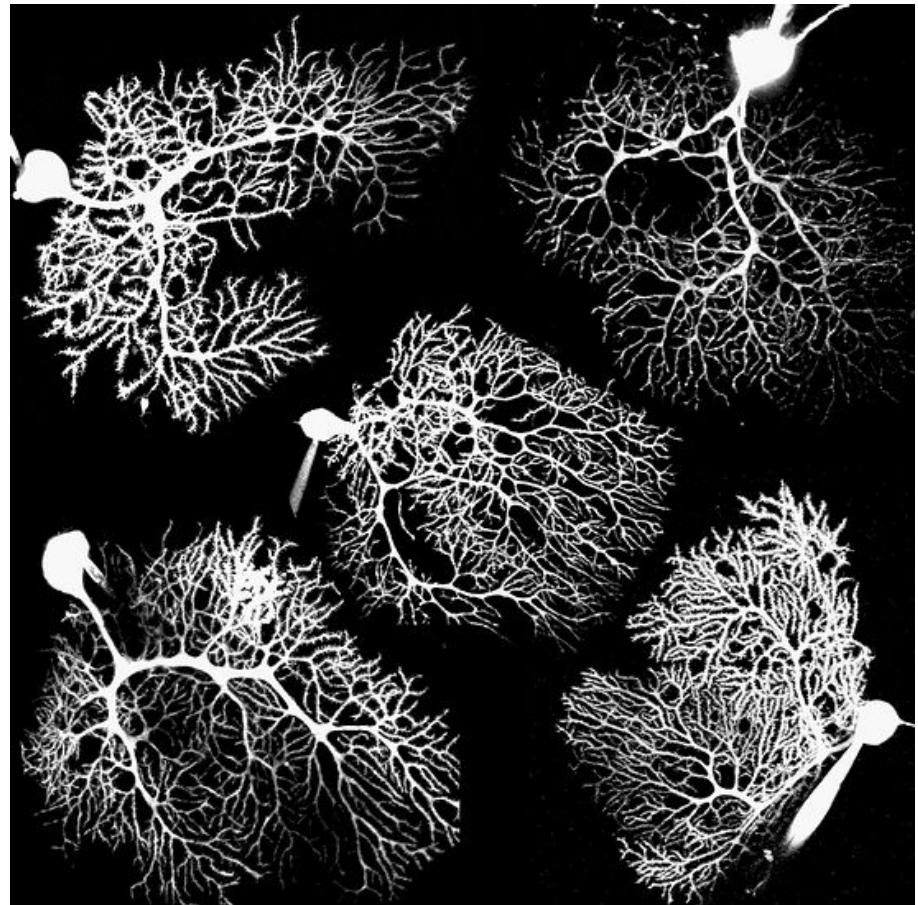


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- Coincidence detectors
- Biological logic gates
- Learn modulation



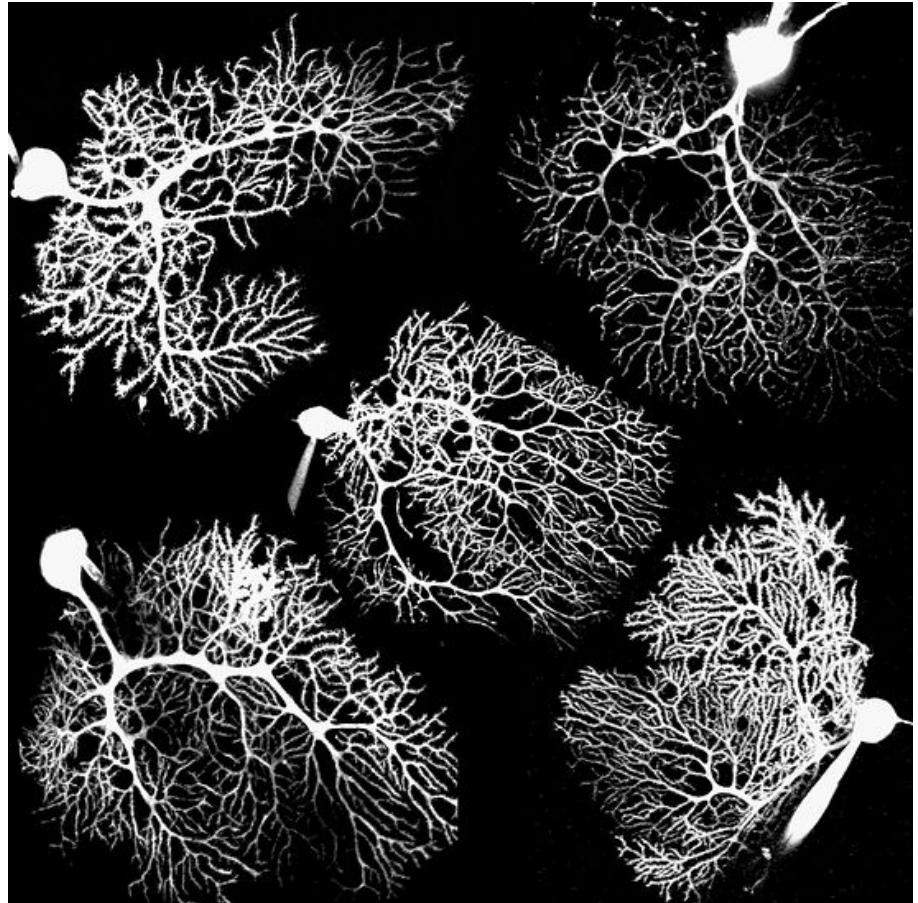
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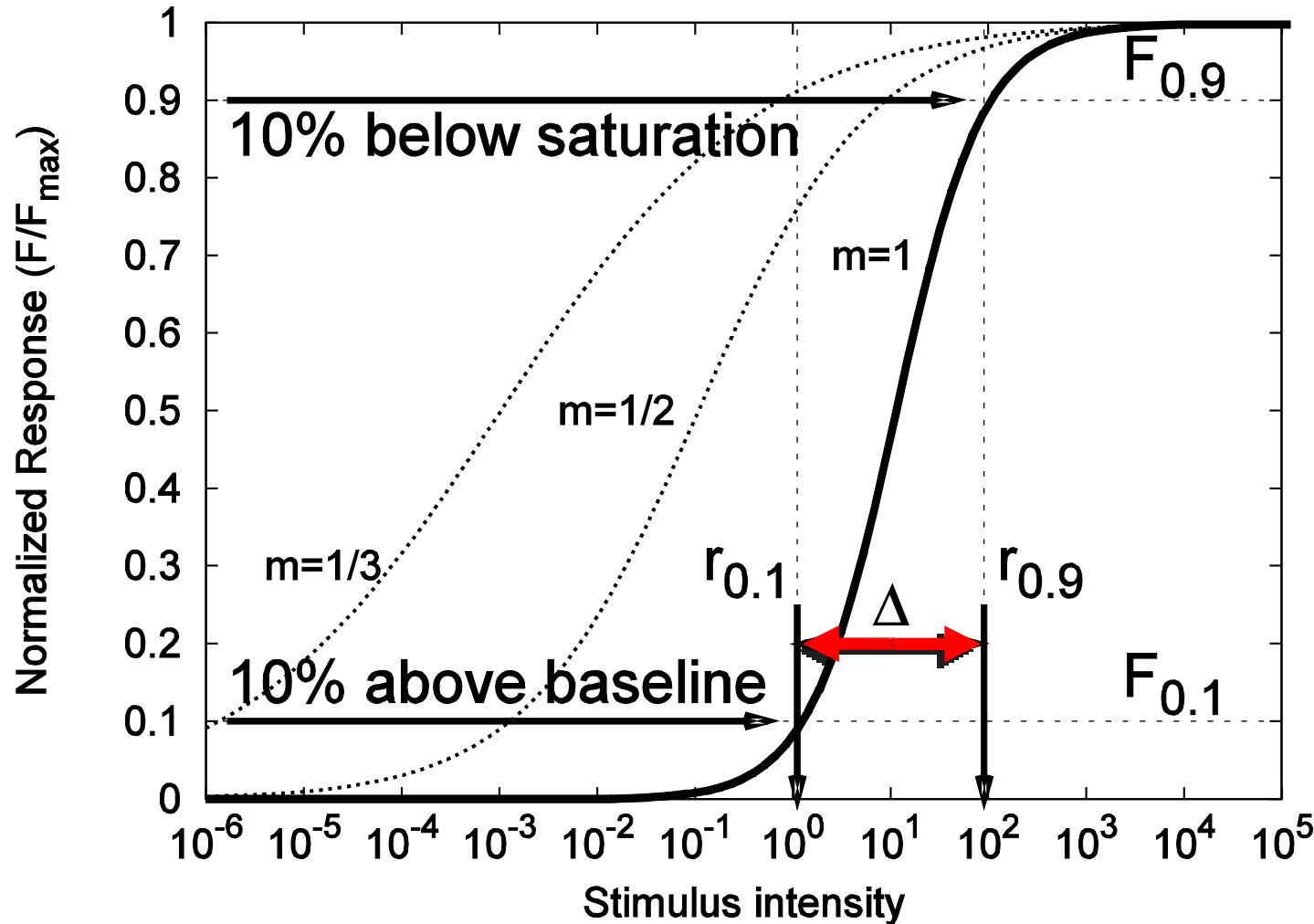
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To detect and distinguish incoming stimulus

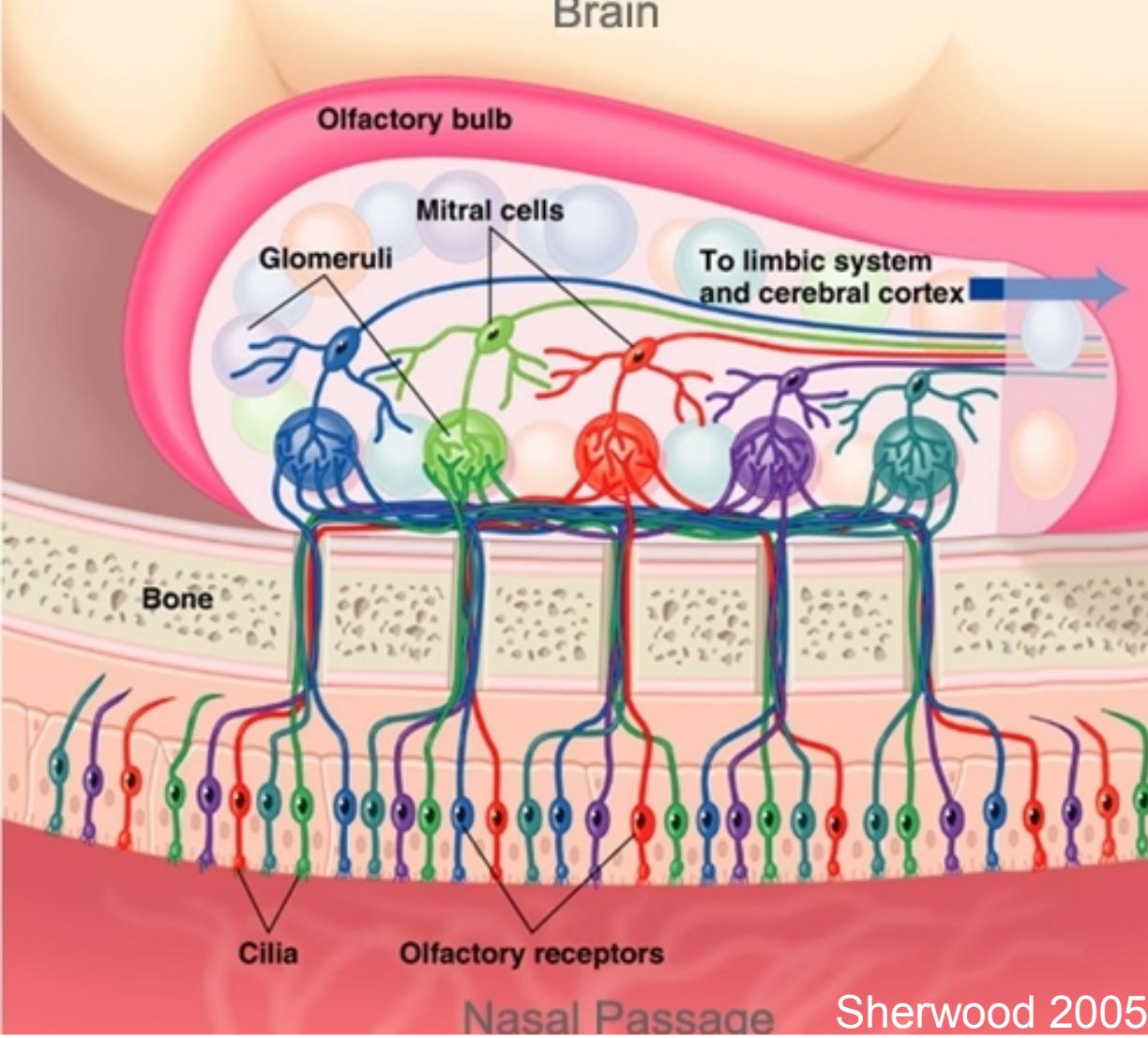
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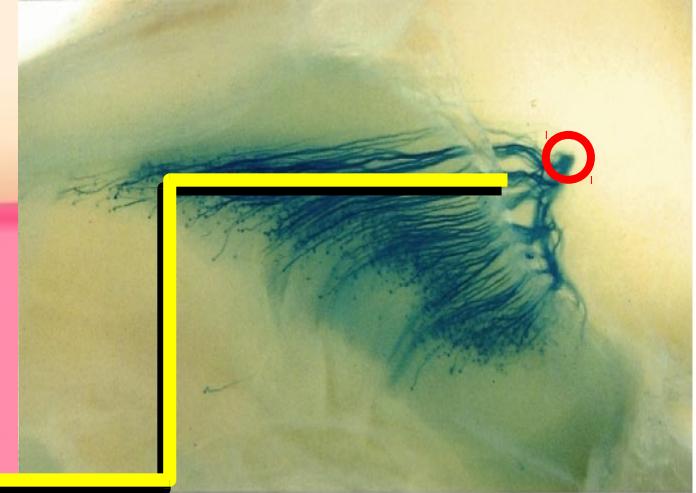
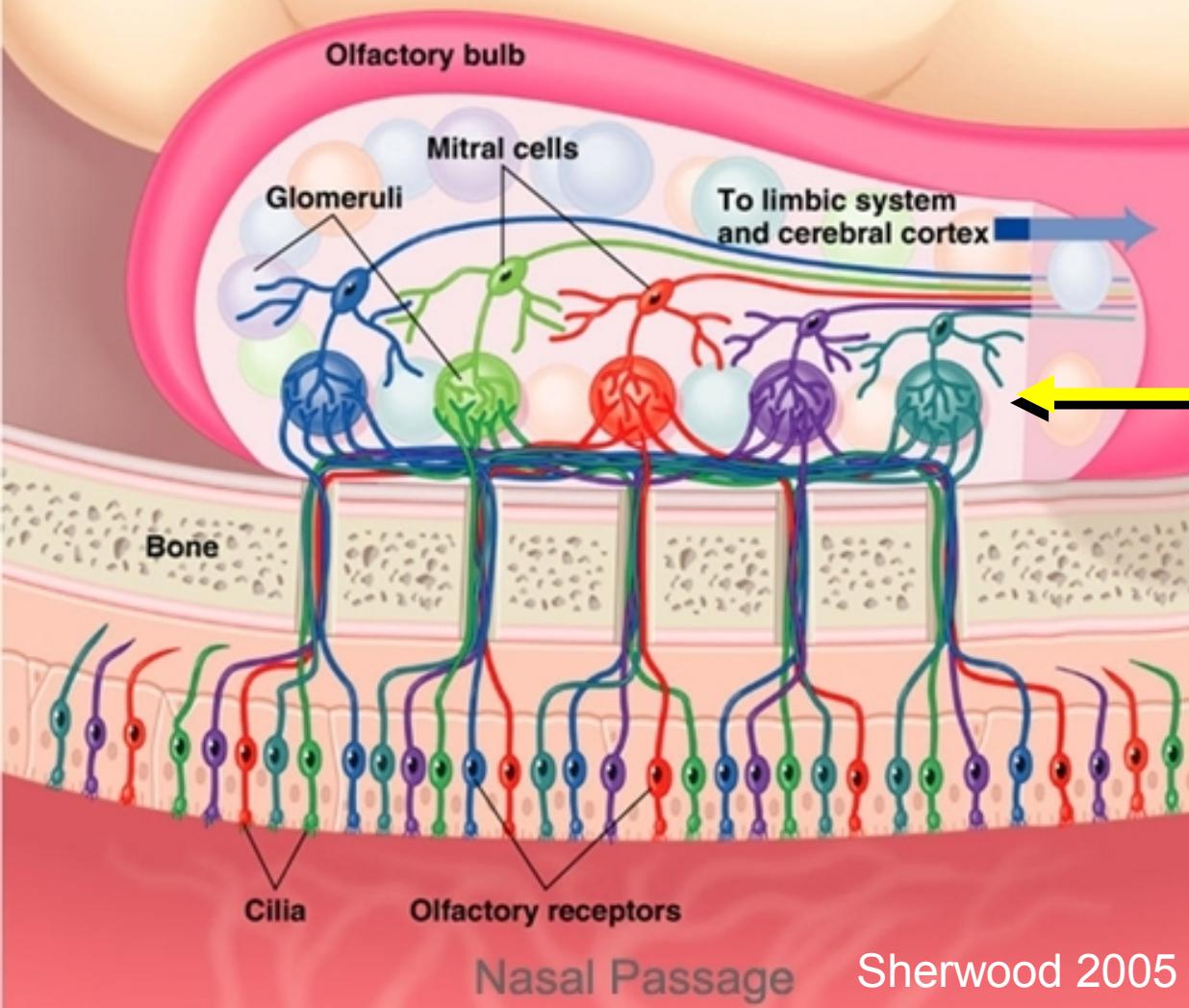
$$F_x = x(F_{max} - F_0) + F_0$$



Brain



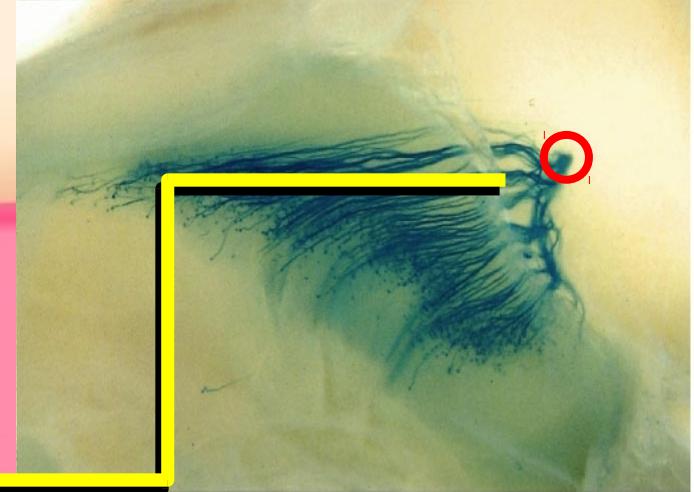
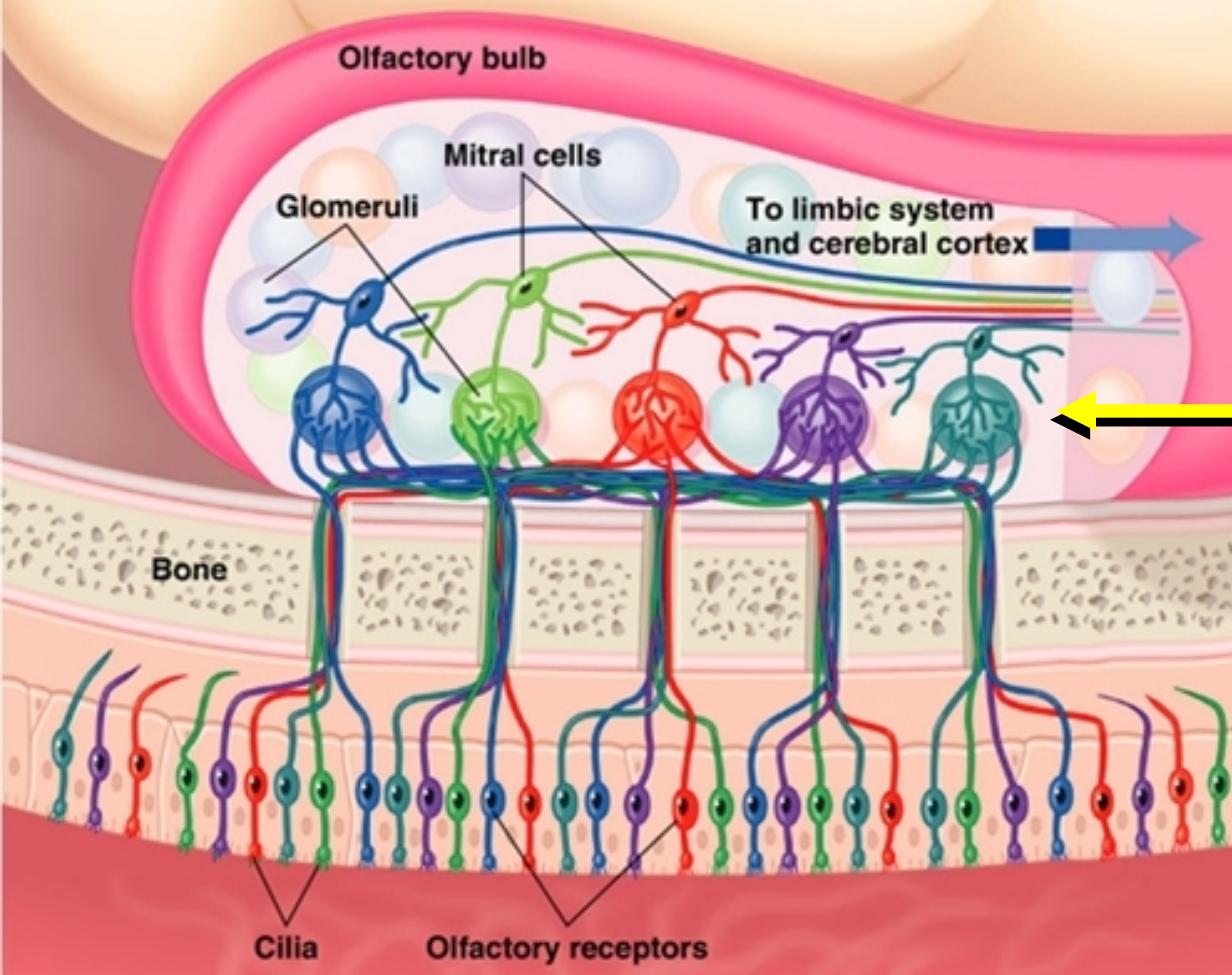
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Squire et al. 2003

Sherwood 2005

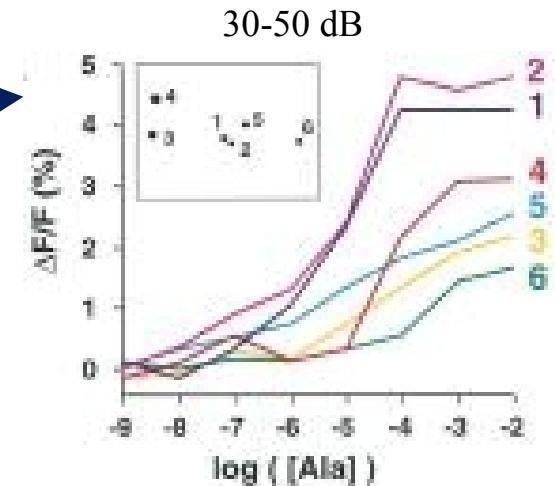
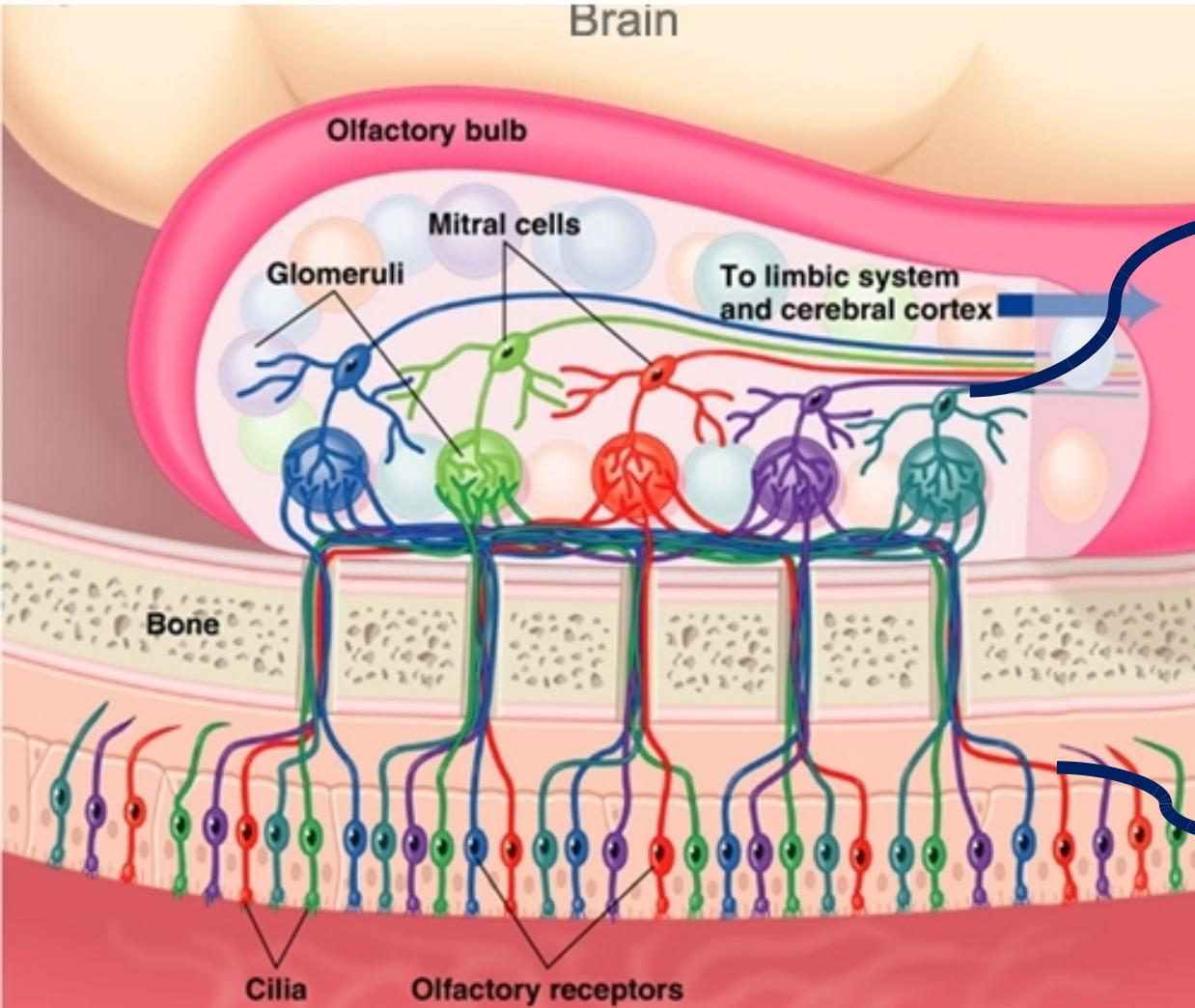
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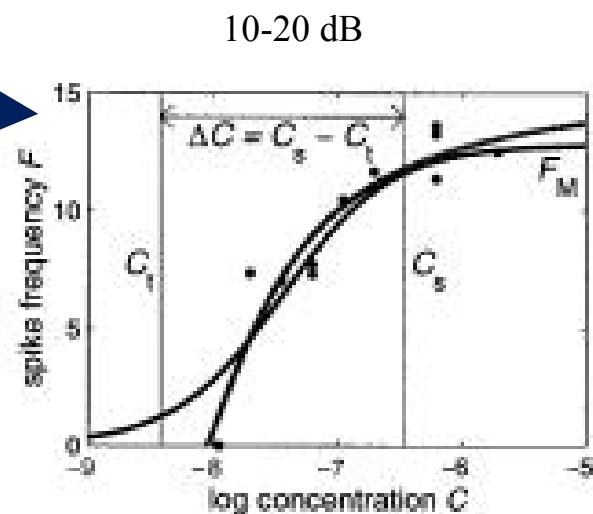
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Kosaka et al. 2001



Friedrich et al 1997

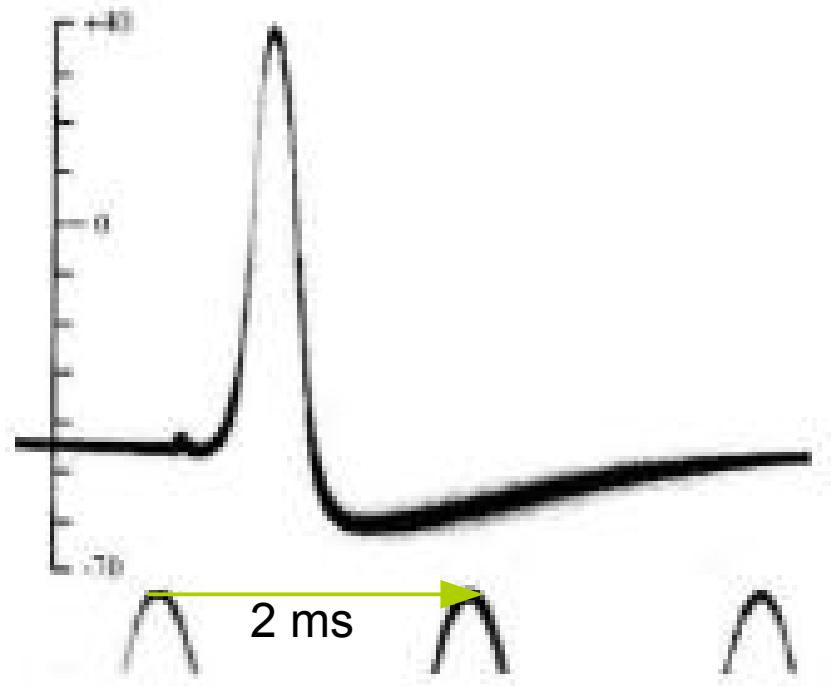
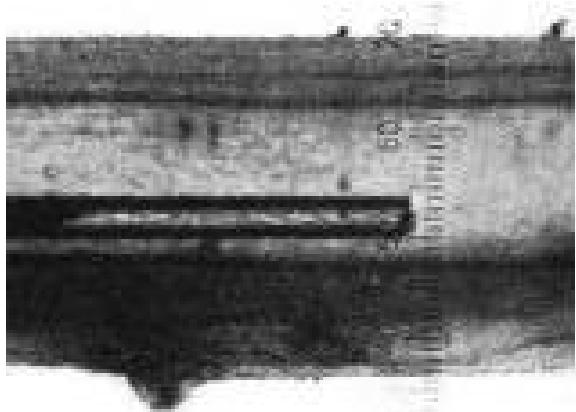


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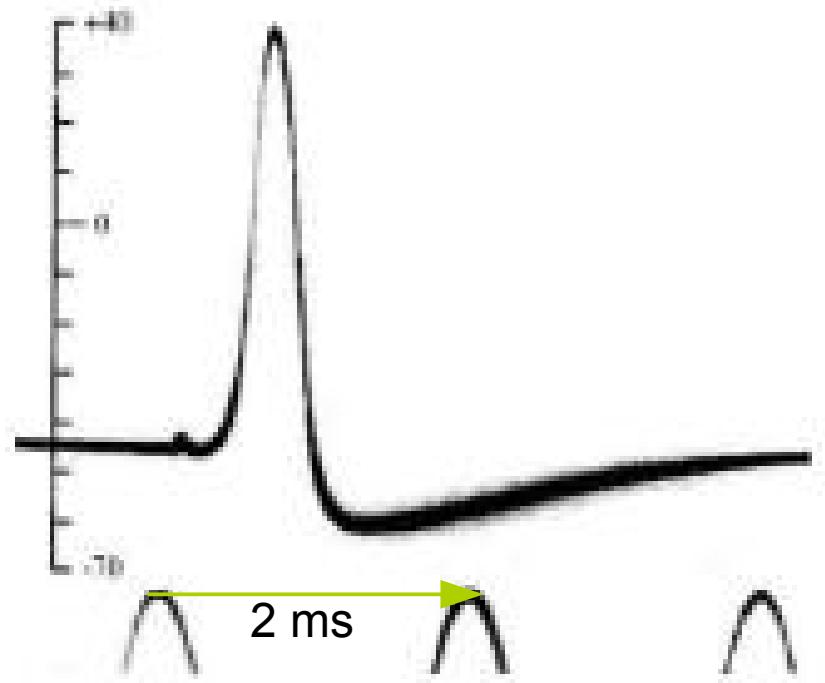
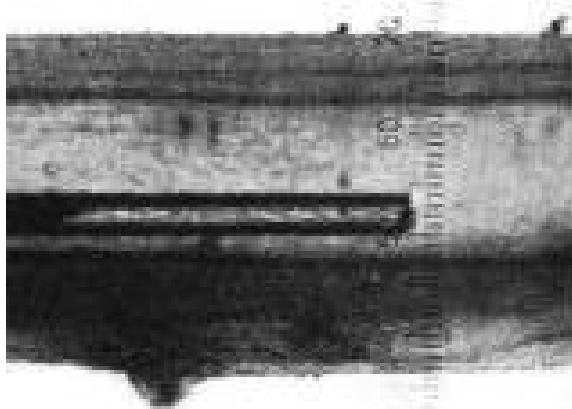
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Hodgkin – Huxley (1939)



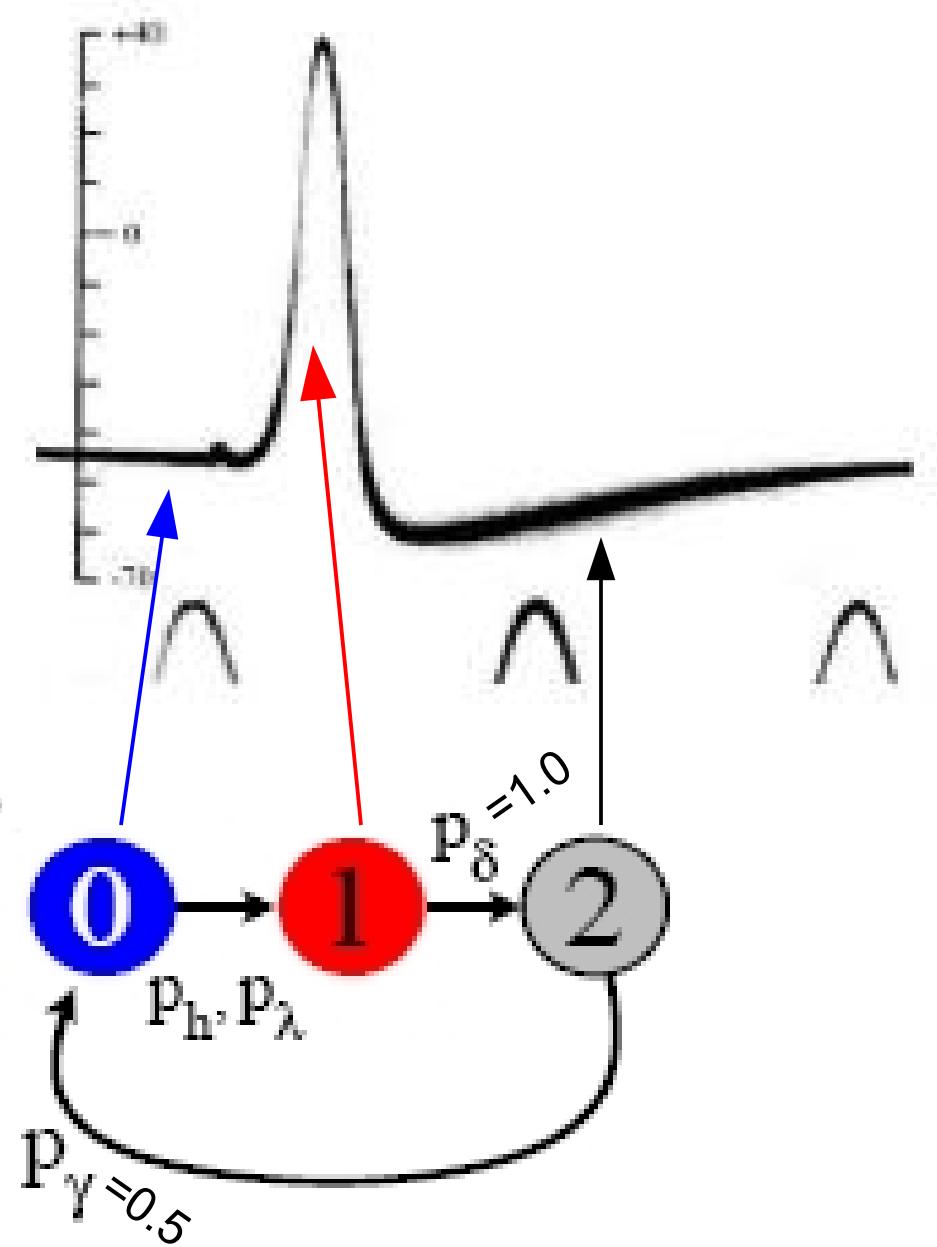
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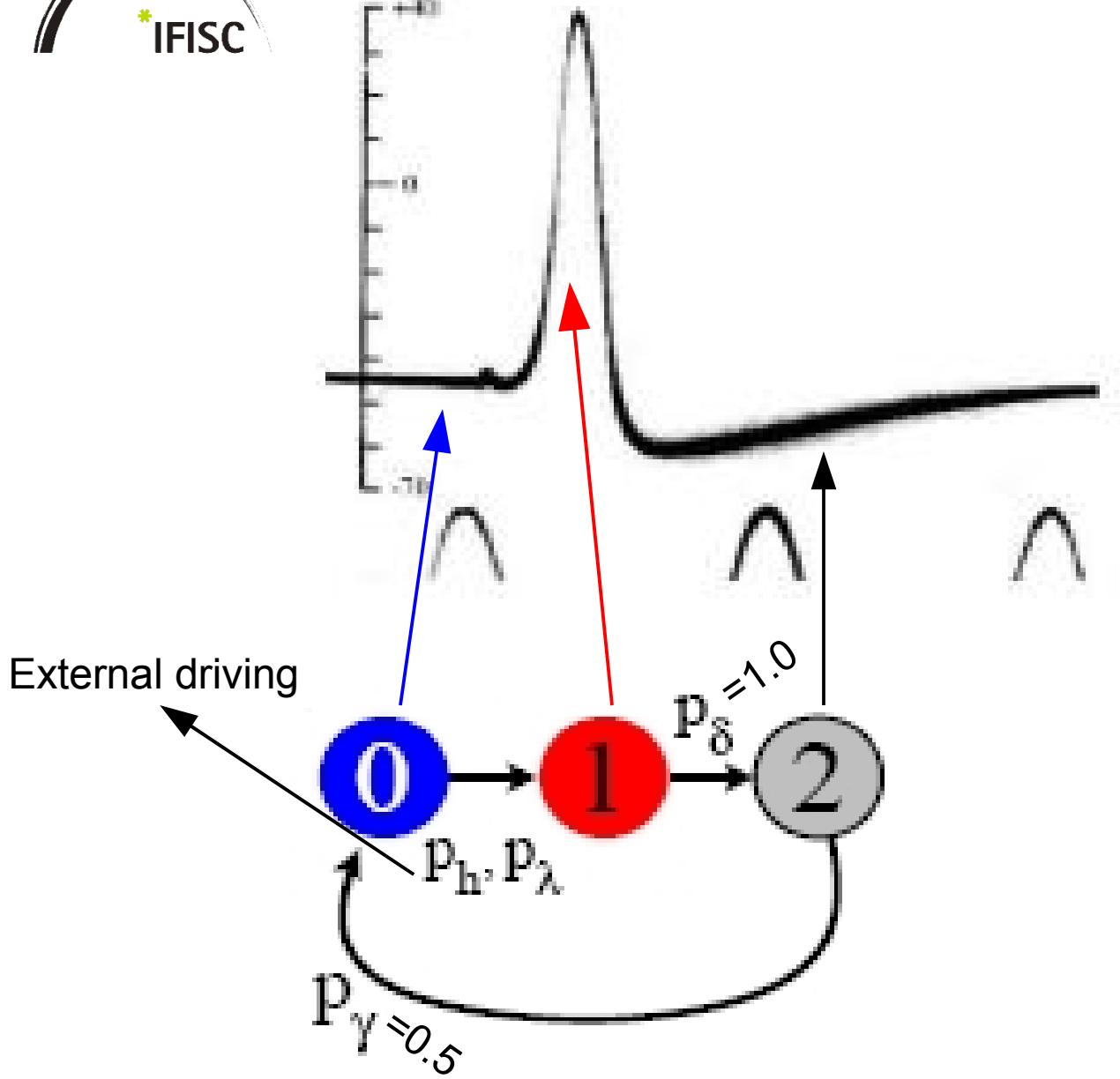
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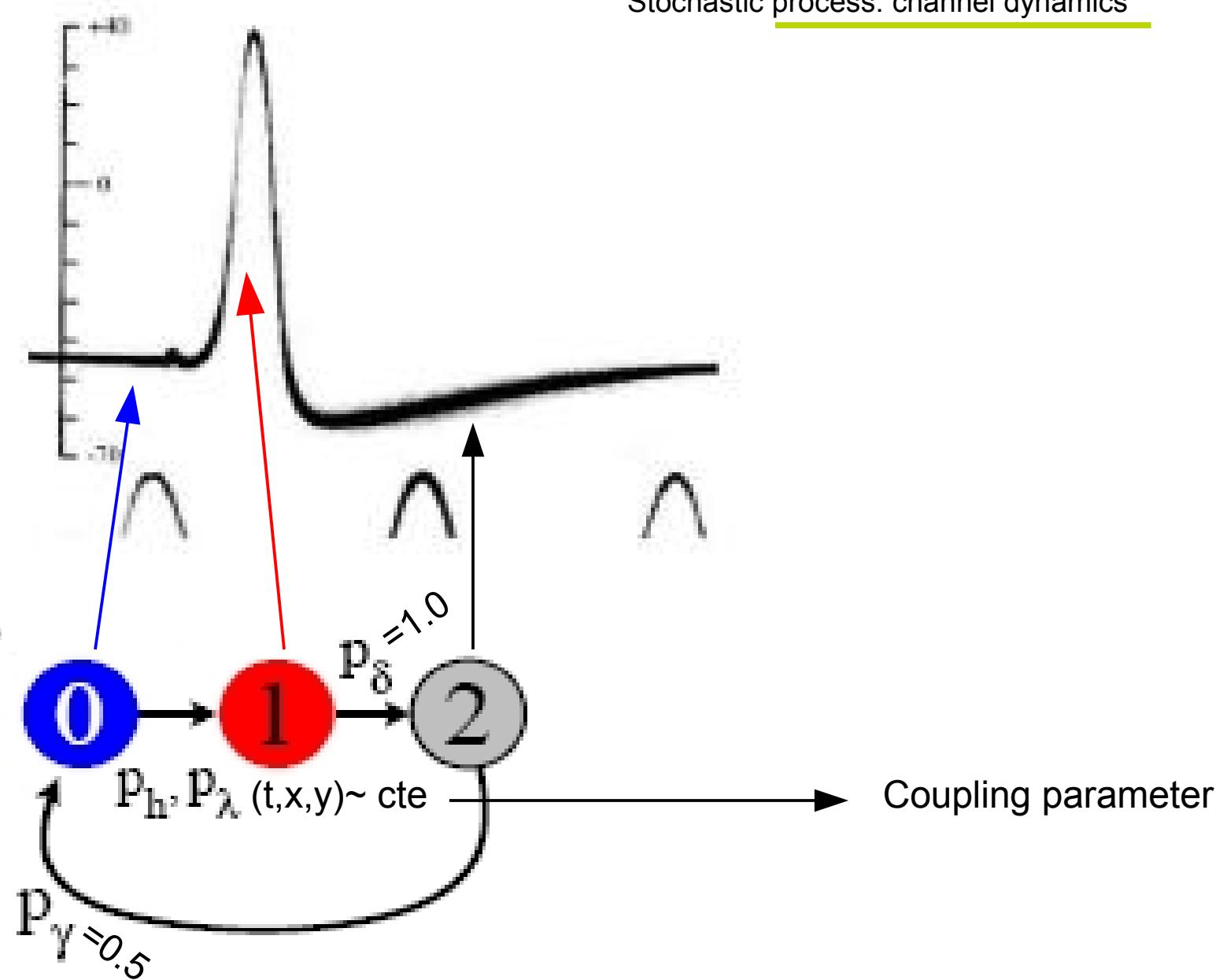


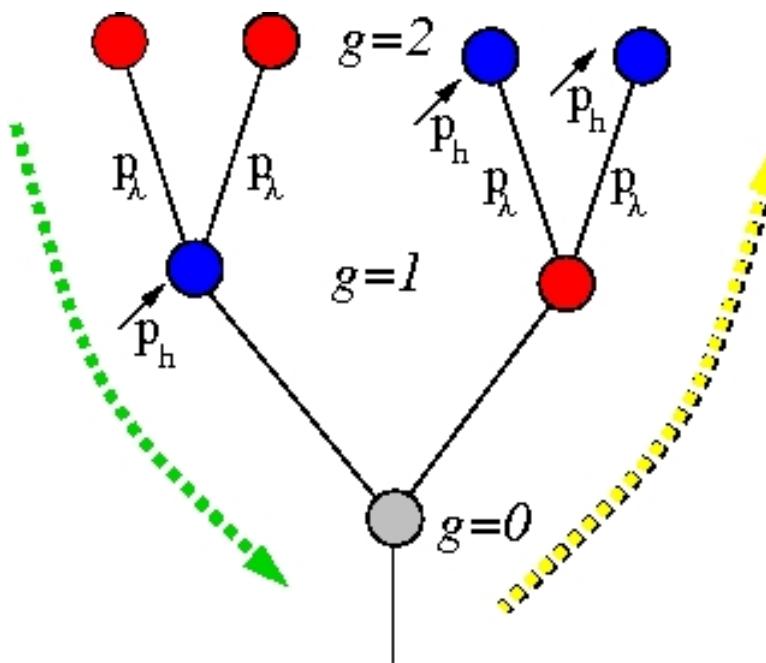
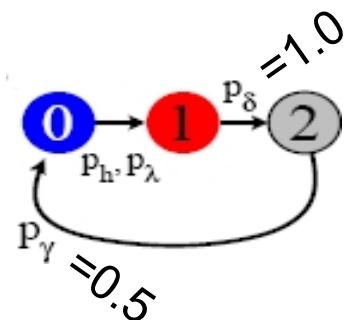
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- Detailed compartmental modelling

- Spatially extended excitable system
- Simple non-linear dynamics
- Collective behavior



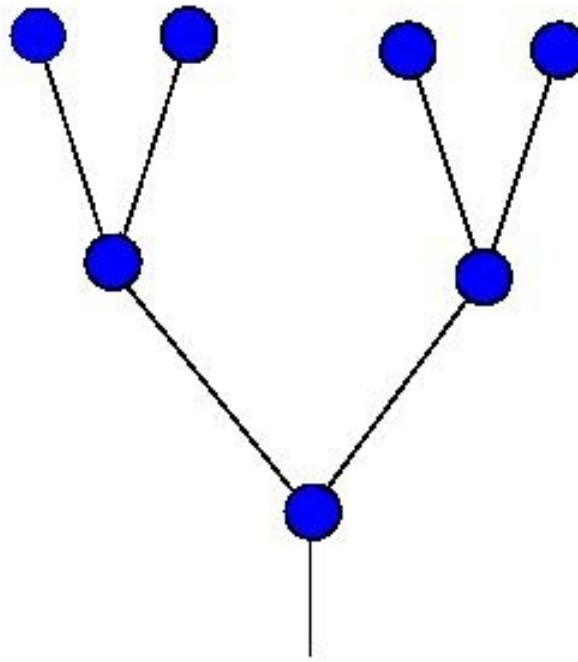




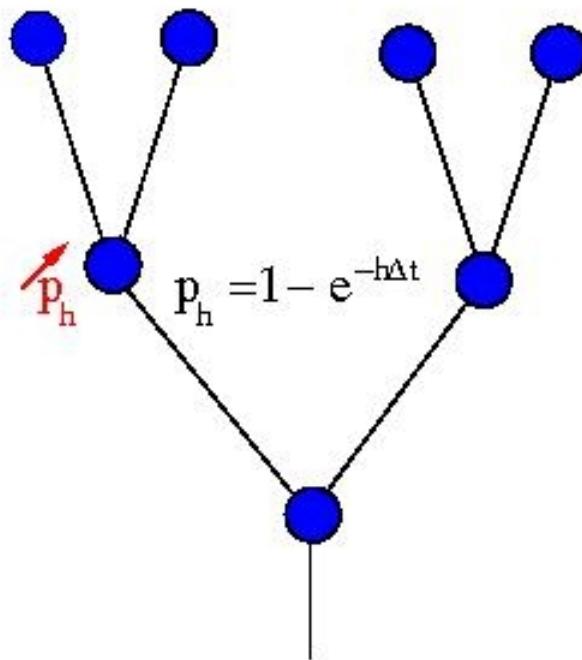


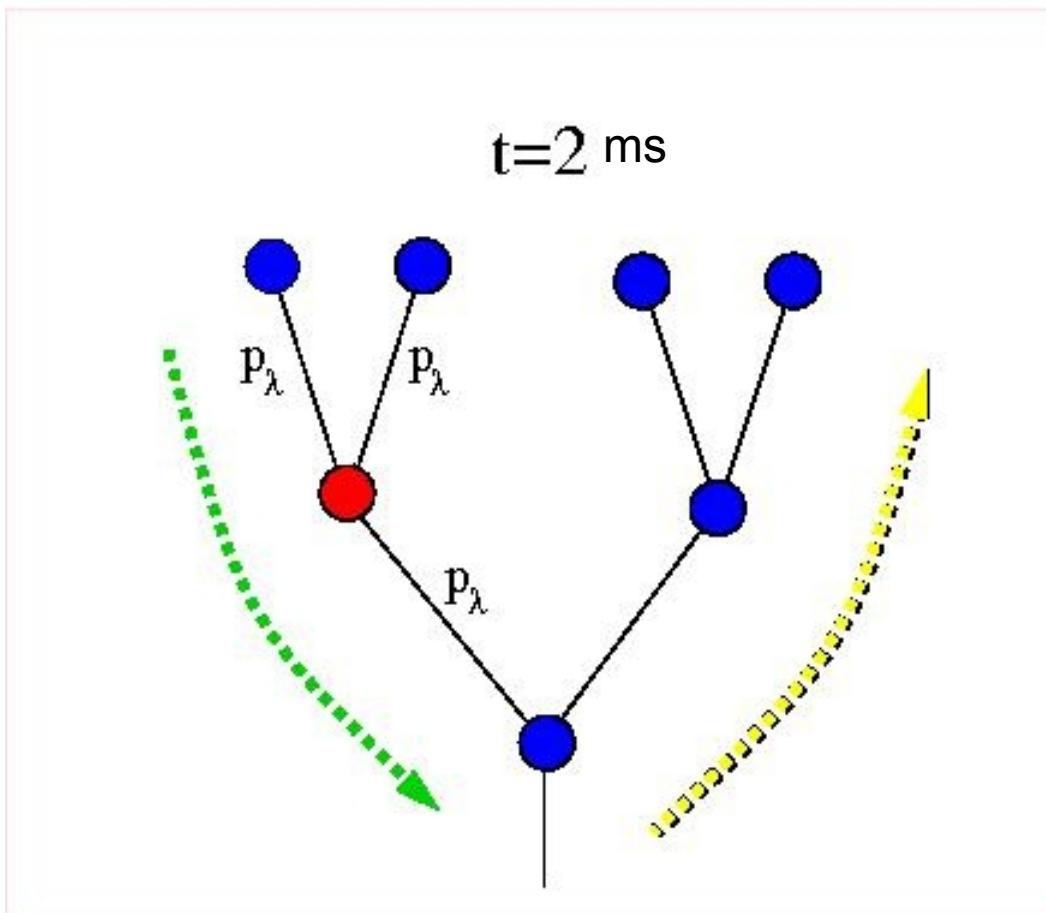
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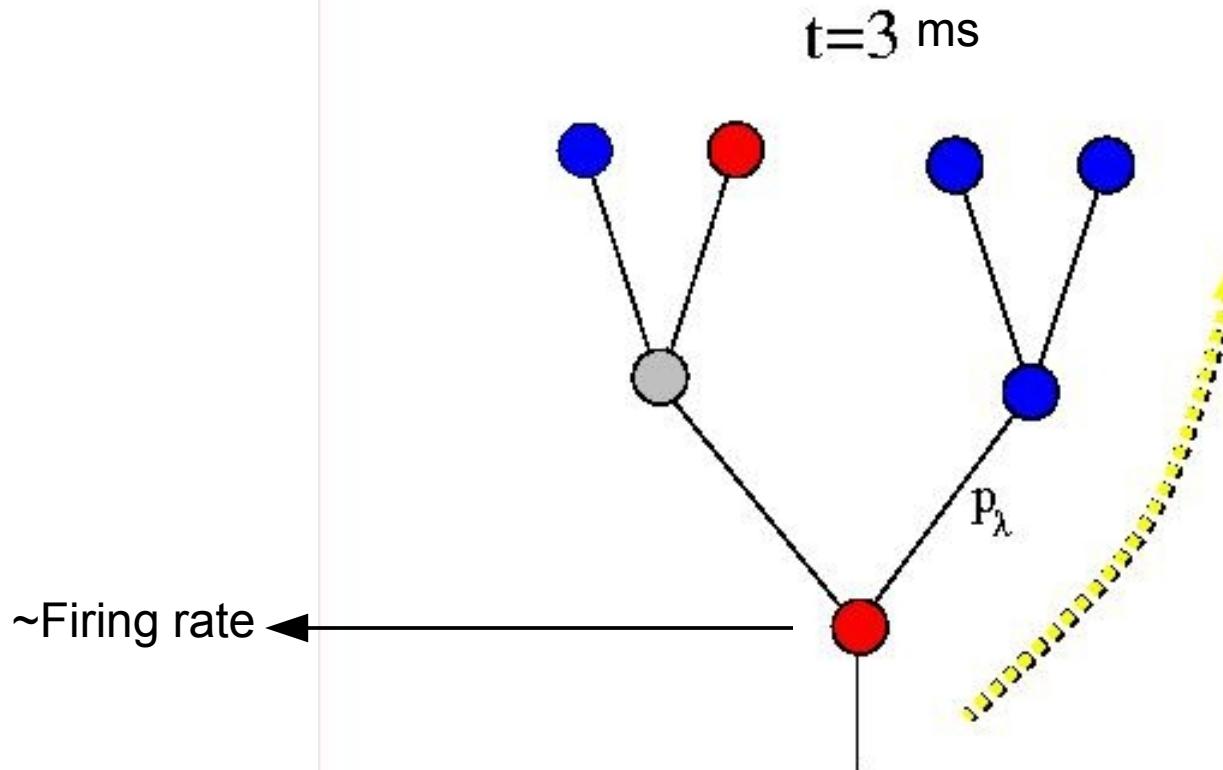
$t=0$

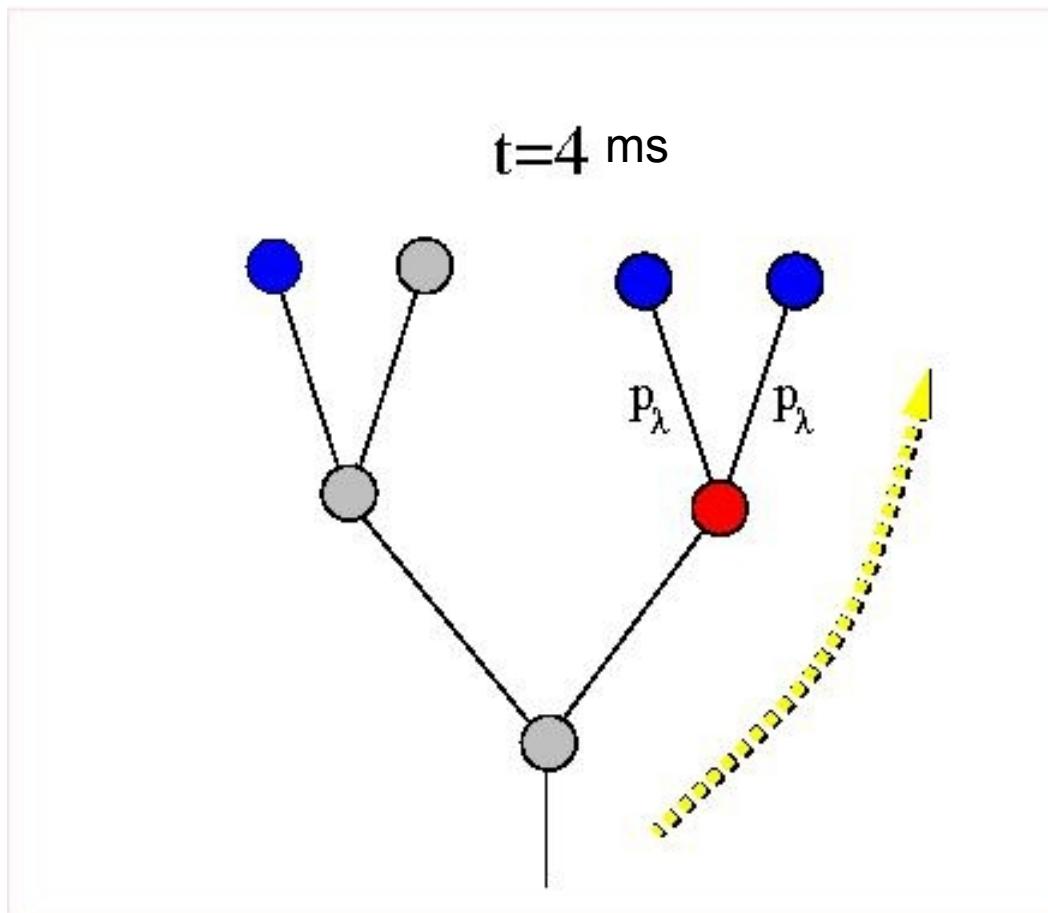


$t=1 \text{ ms}$

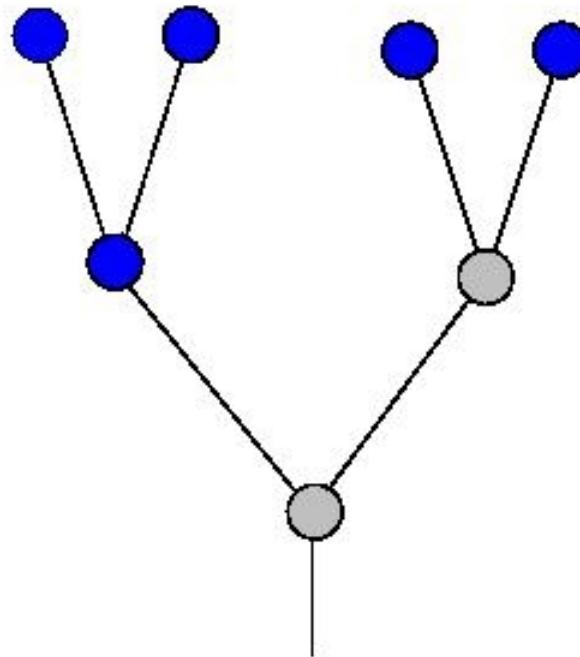




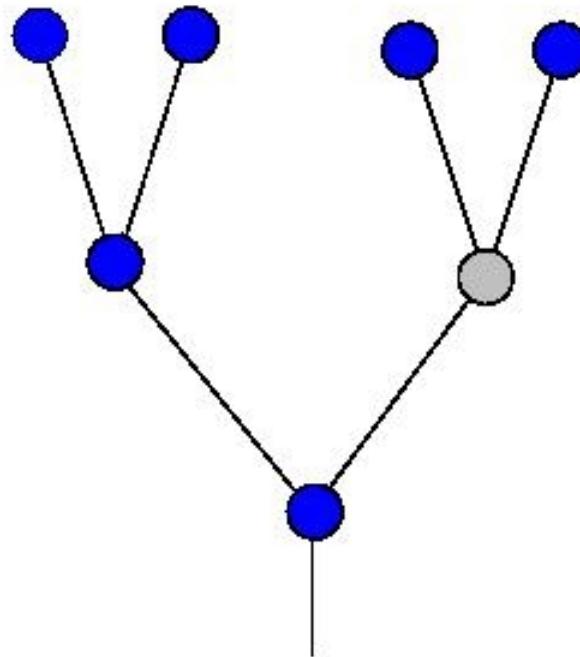




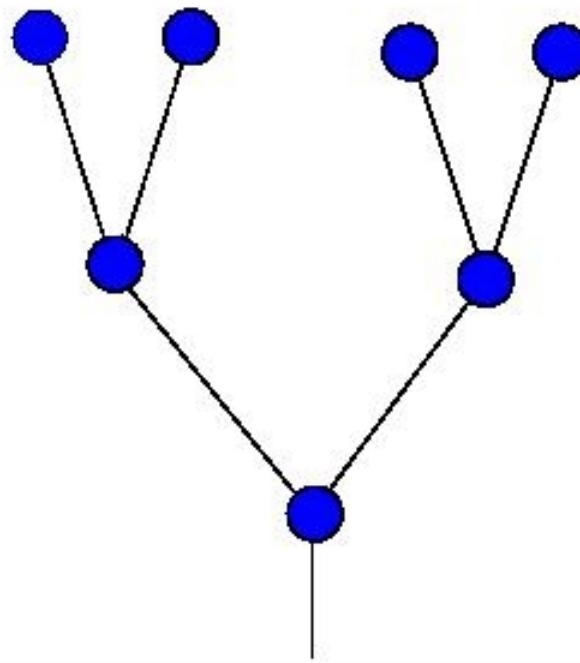
$t=5 \text{ ms}$

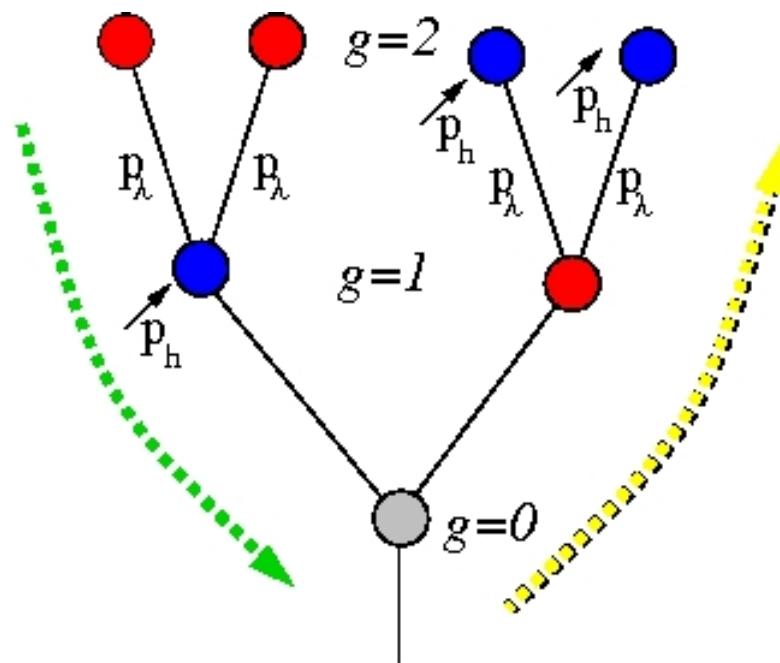


$t=6$ ms

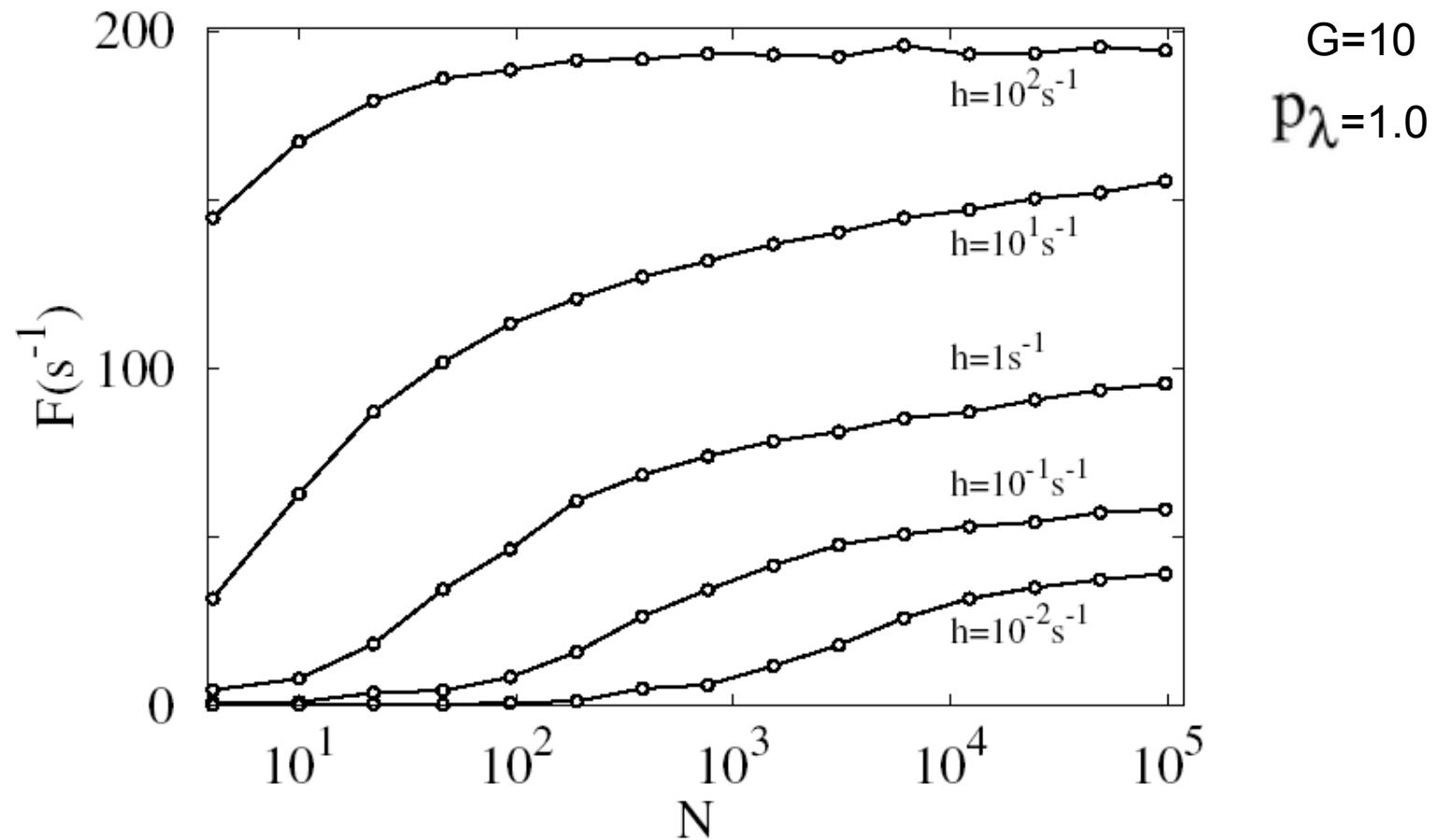


$t=7 \text{ ms}$

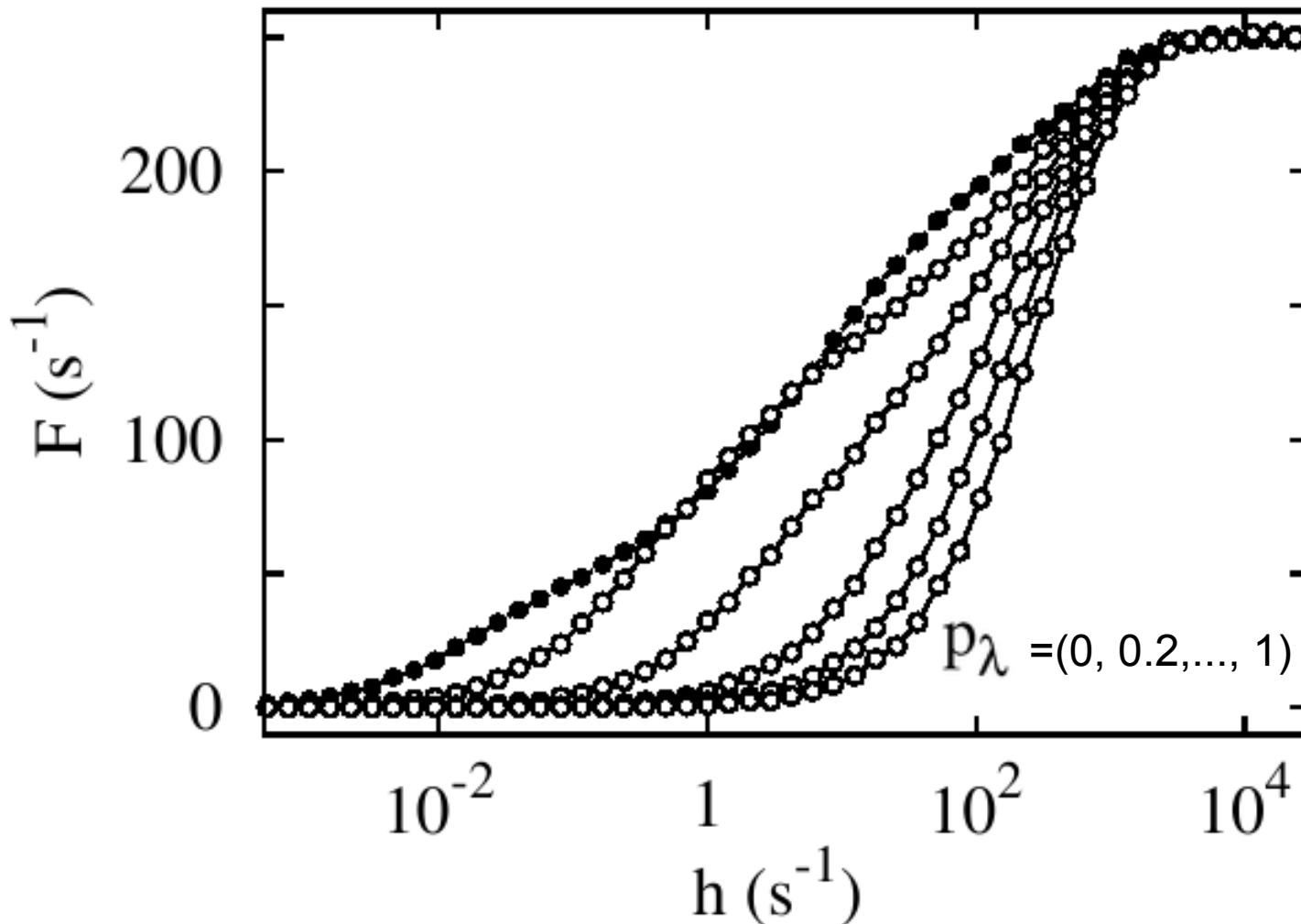


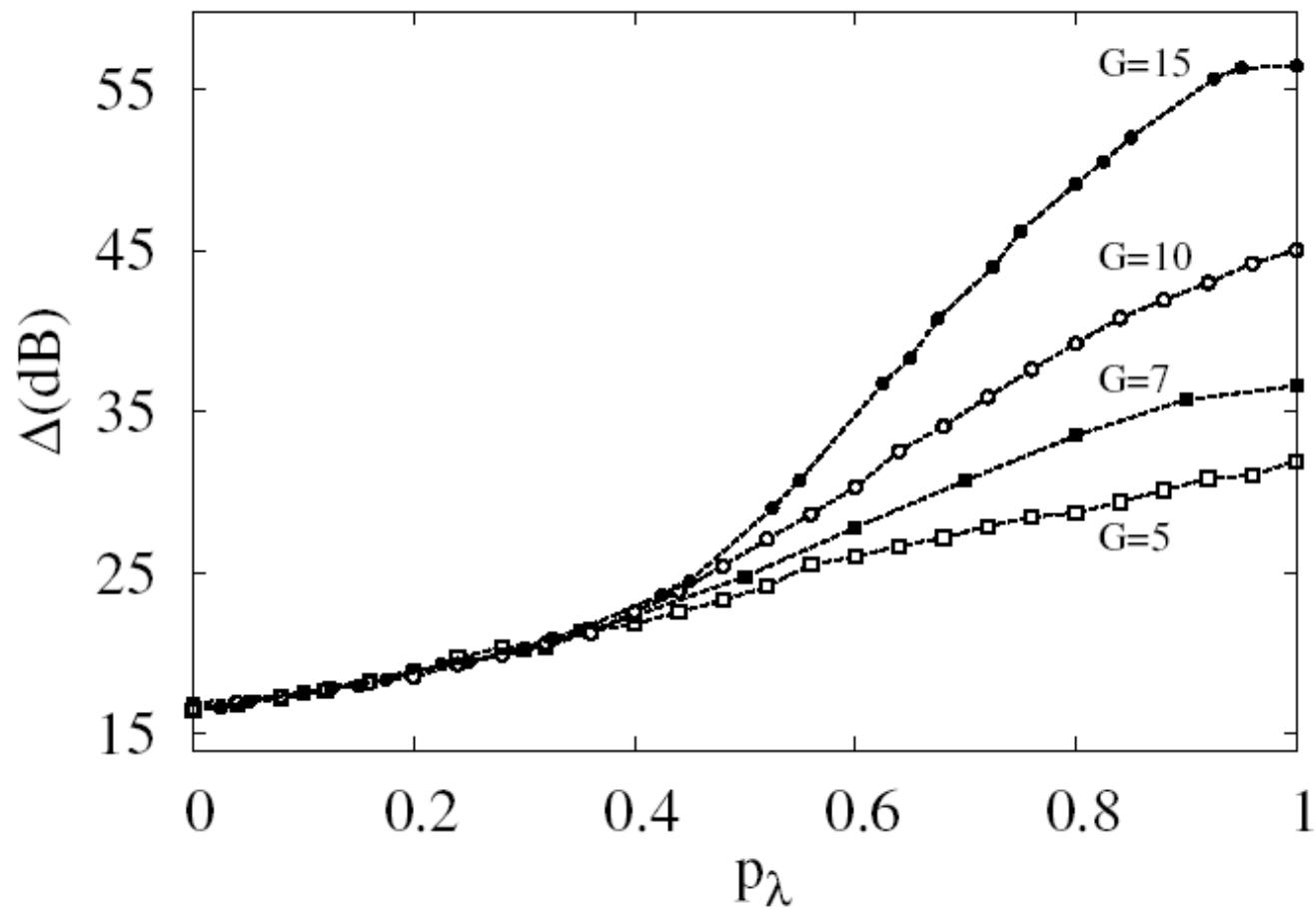


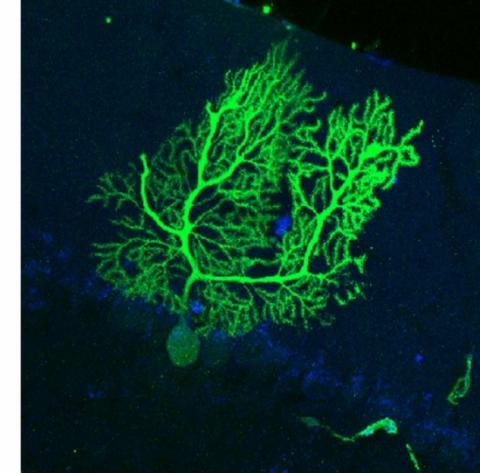
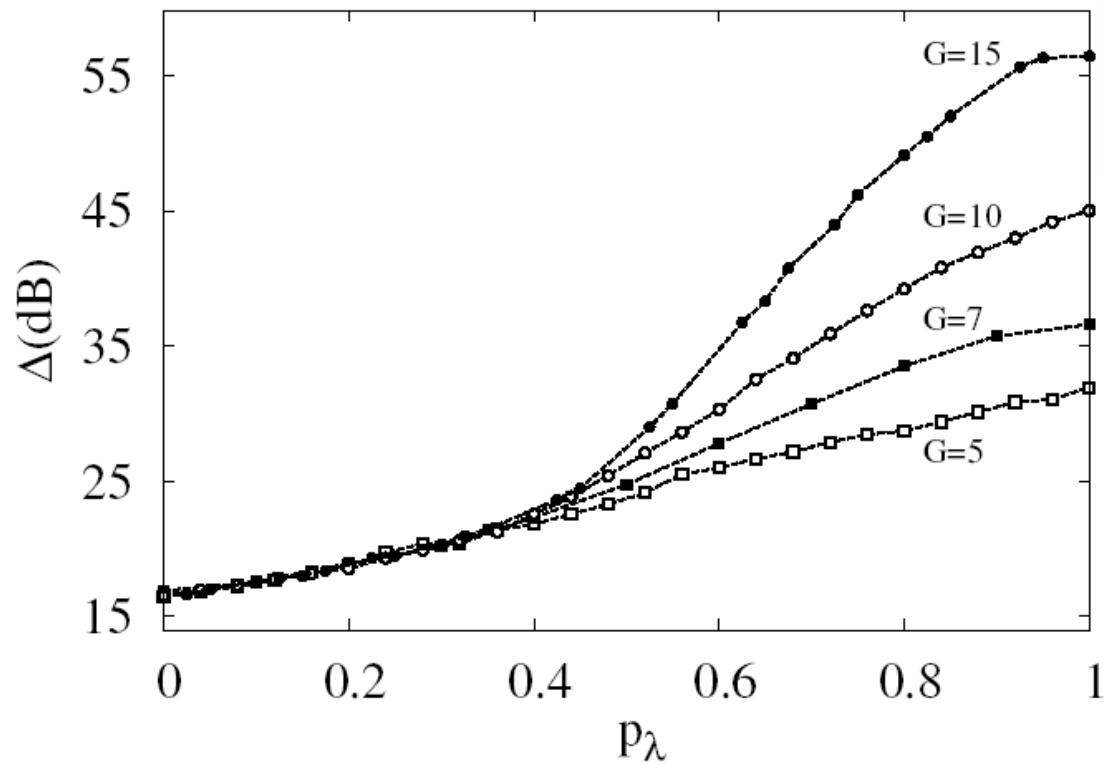
Does the output depend on the number of branchlets?



- Family of response functions $G=10$

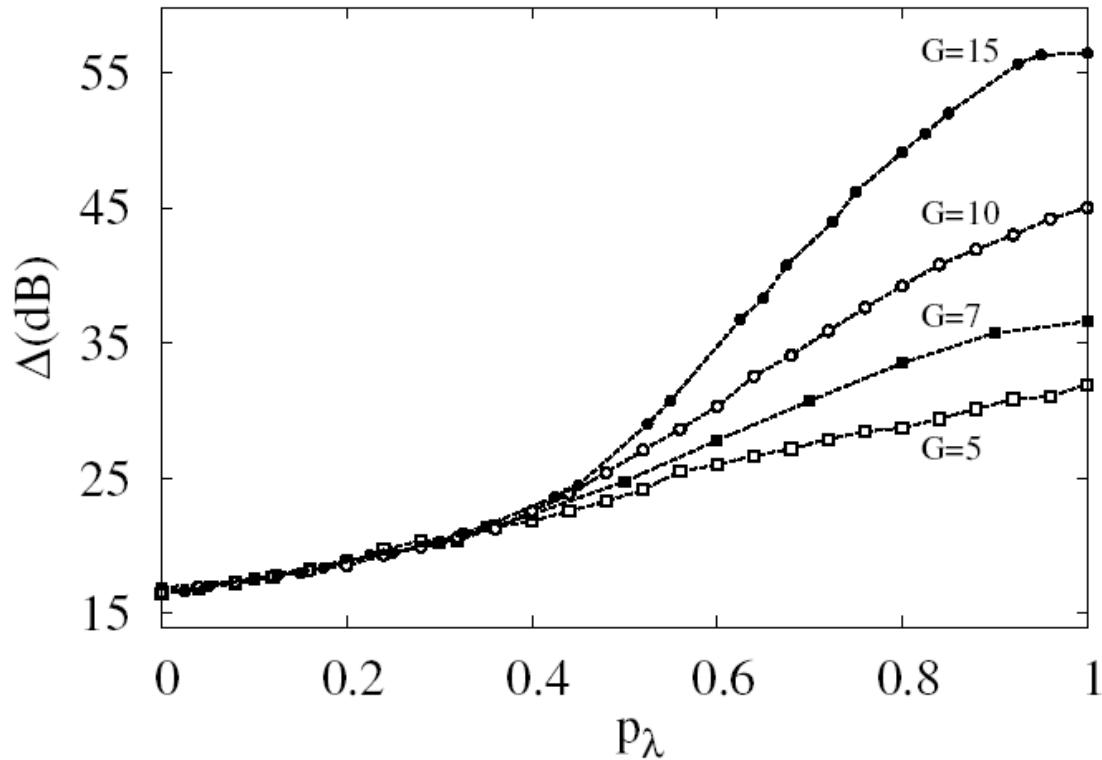






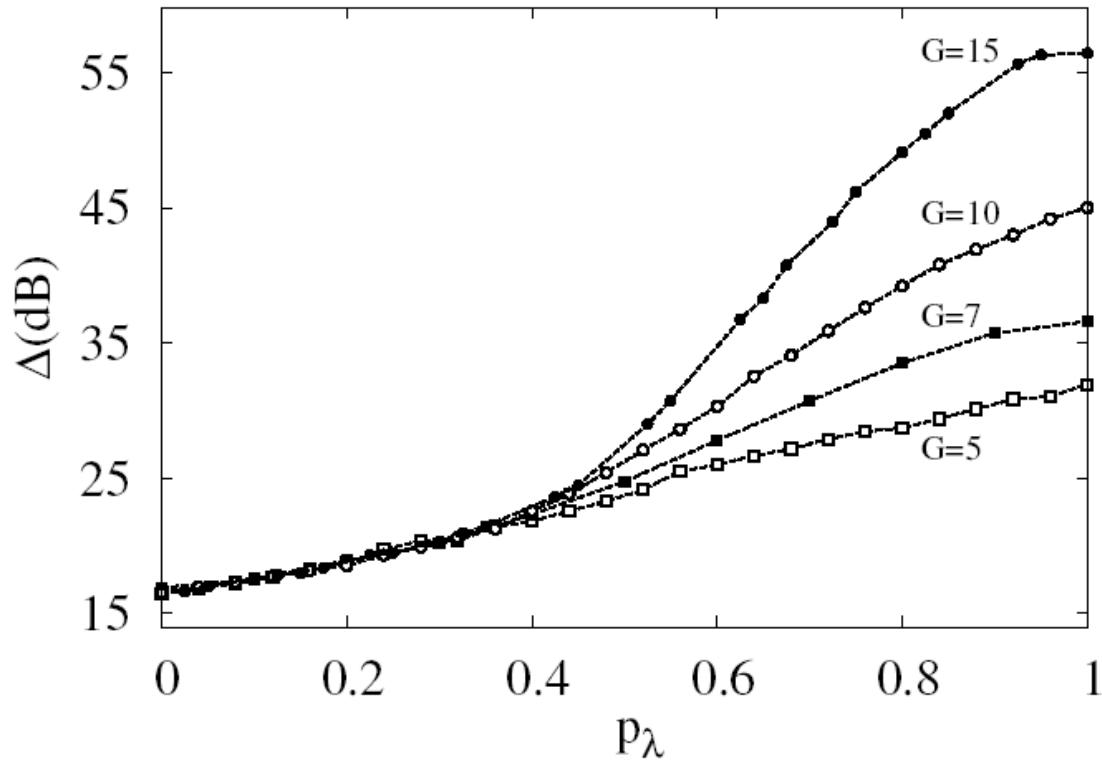
Purkinje cell Conjecture:

- play crucial role in fine motor control in cerebellum



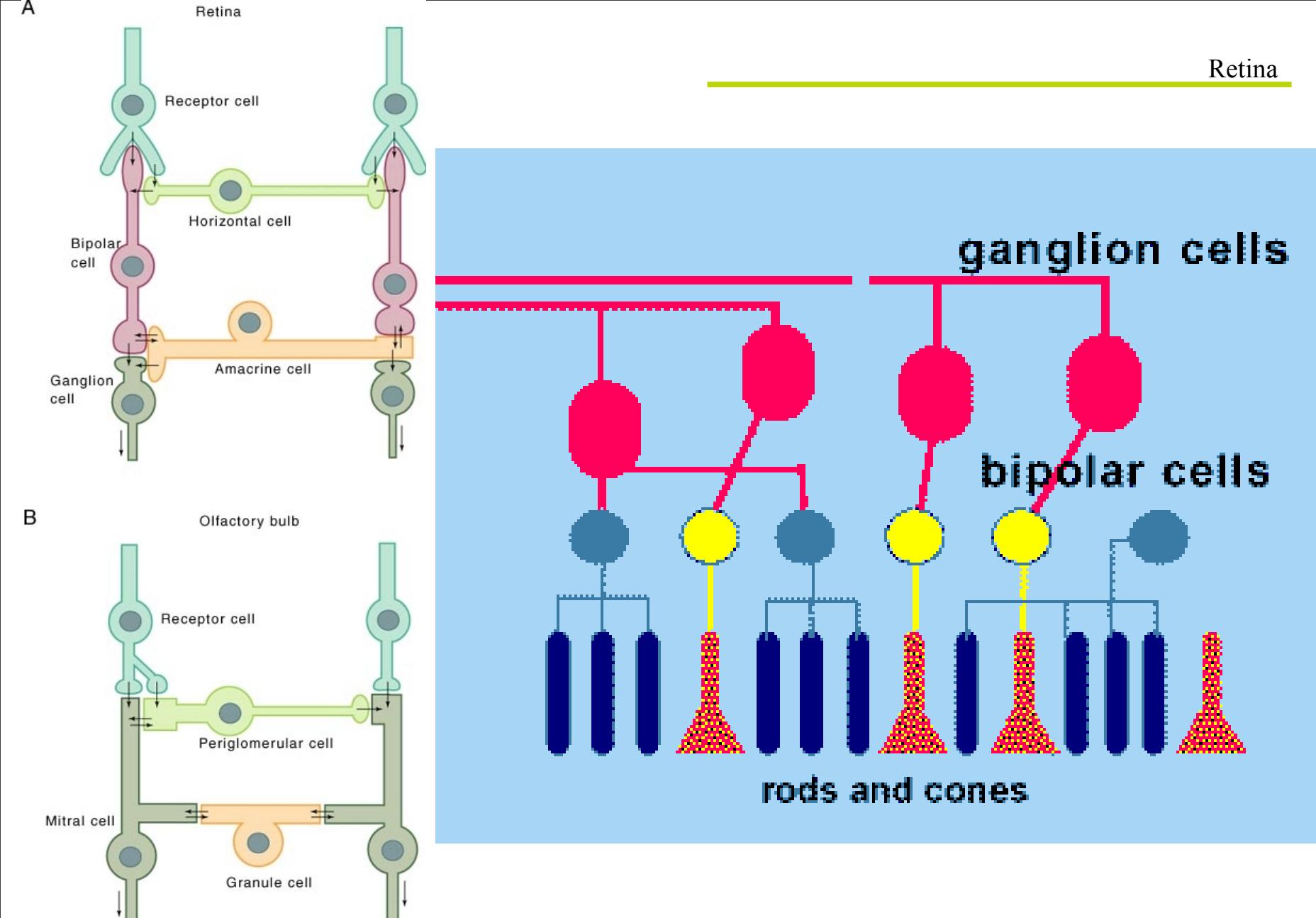
Predictions:

1. larger trees implies larger dynamic range



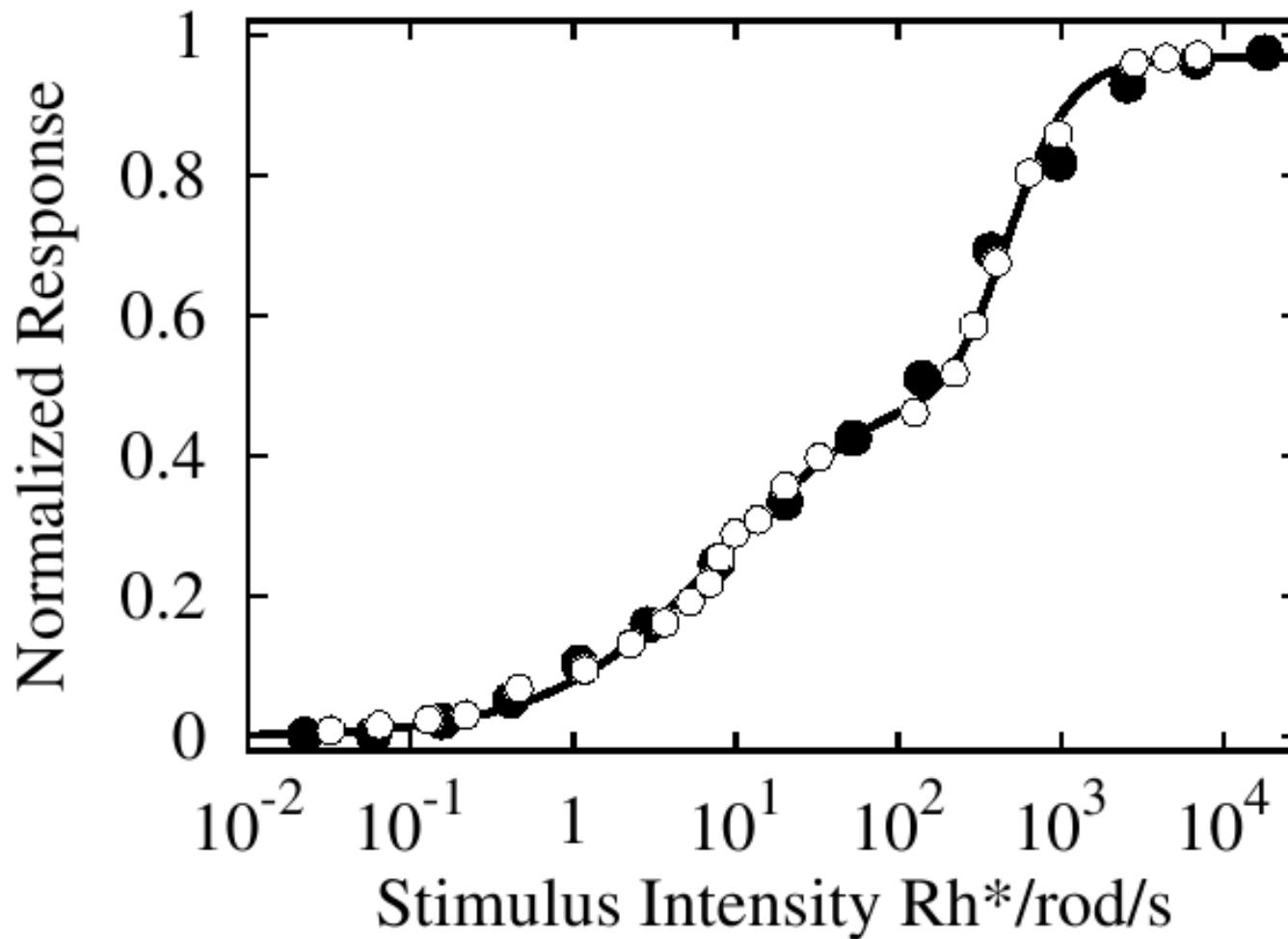
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2. to block active conductances should decrease dynamic range



Shepherd 1998

- First model to obtain double sigmoid response function



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- Backpropagation (plasticity, memory, learn) an exaptation

New propose for active dendrites

Robust

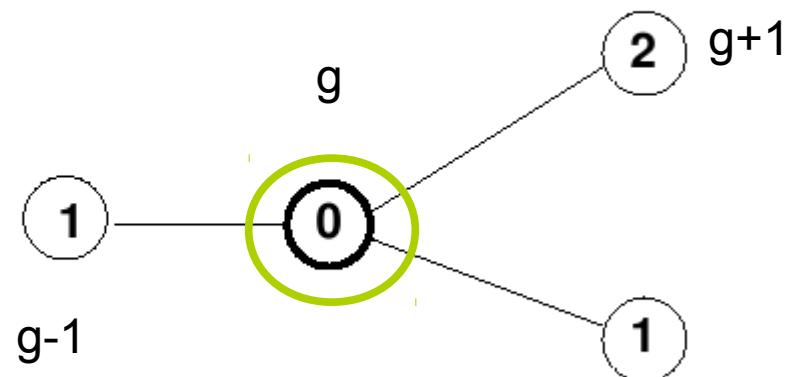
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General properties of excitable media

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$$P^g(1; 0; 2, 1) \doteq$$



$$P_{t+1}^g(;1;) = P_t^g(;0;) p_h$$

$$+(1-p_\delta)P_t^g(;1;) , \quad (1)$$

$$P_{t+1}^g(;0;) = 1 - P_{t+1}^g(;1;) - P_{t+1}^g(;2;) , \quad (2)$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{t+1}^g(;1;) &= P_t^g(;0;) \\
 &\quad - (1 - p_h) \sum_{i=0}^{z-1} \left[p_\lambda^i \binom{z-1}{i} (-1)^i P_t^g(;0;1^{(i)}) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - \beta p_\lambda^{i+1} \binom{z-1}{i} (-1)^i P_t^g(1;0;1^{(i)}) \right] \\
 &\quad + (1 - p_\delta) P_t^g(;1;) , \tag{1}
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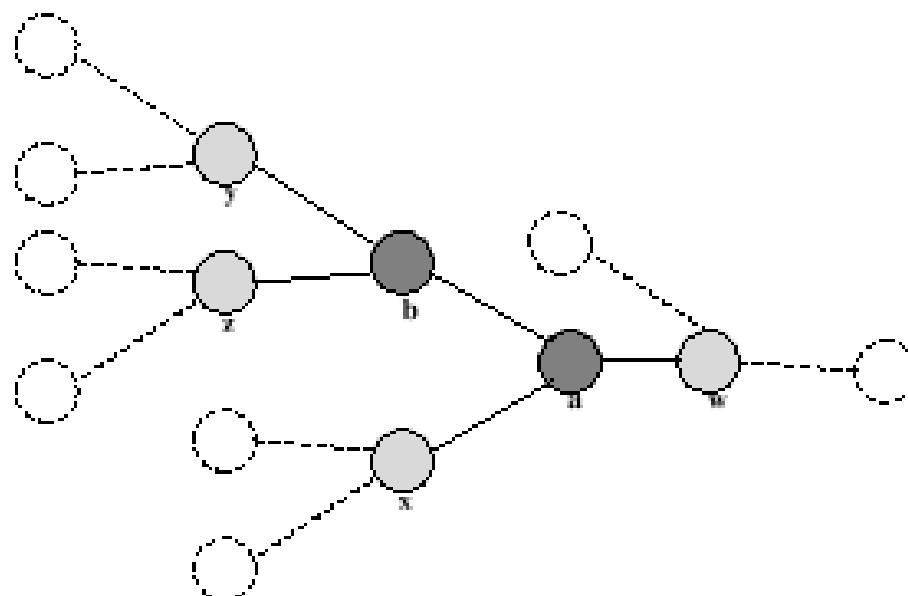
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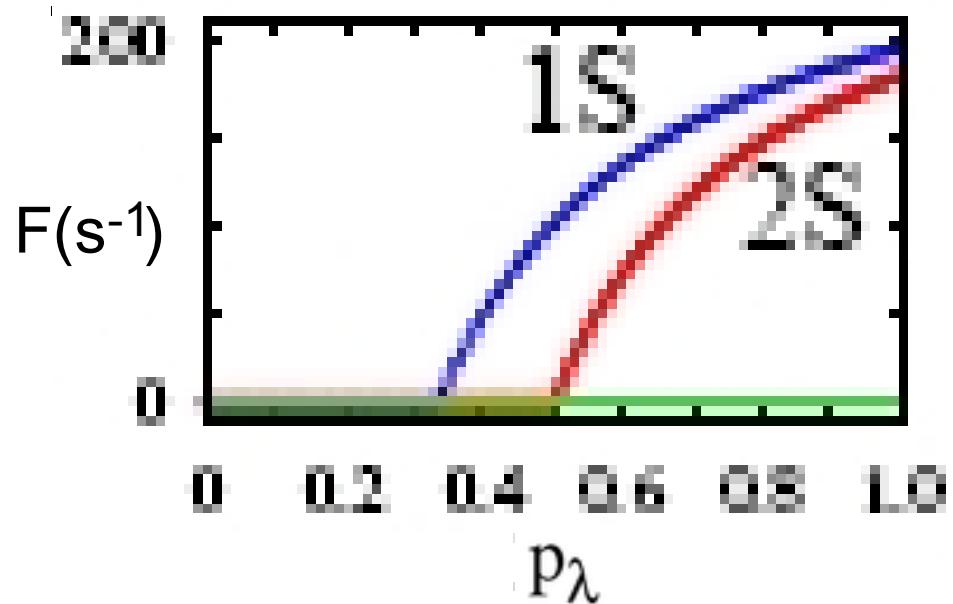
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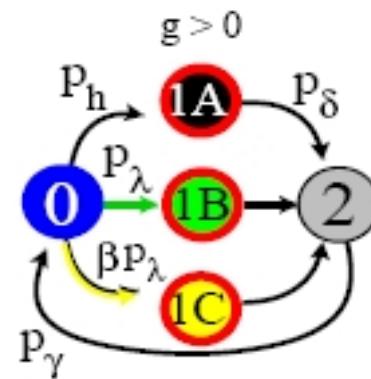
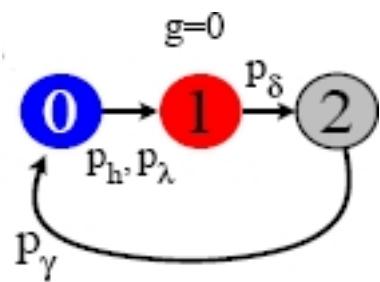
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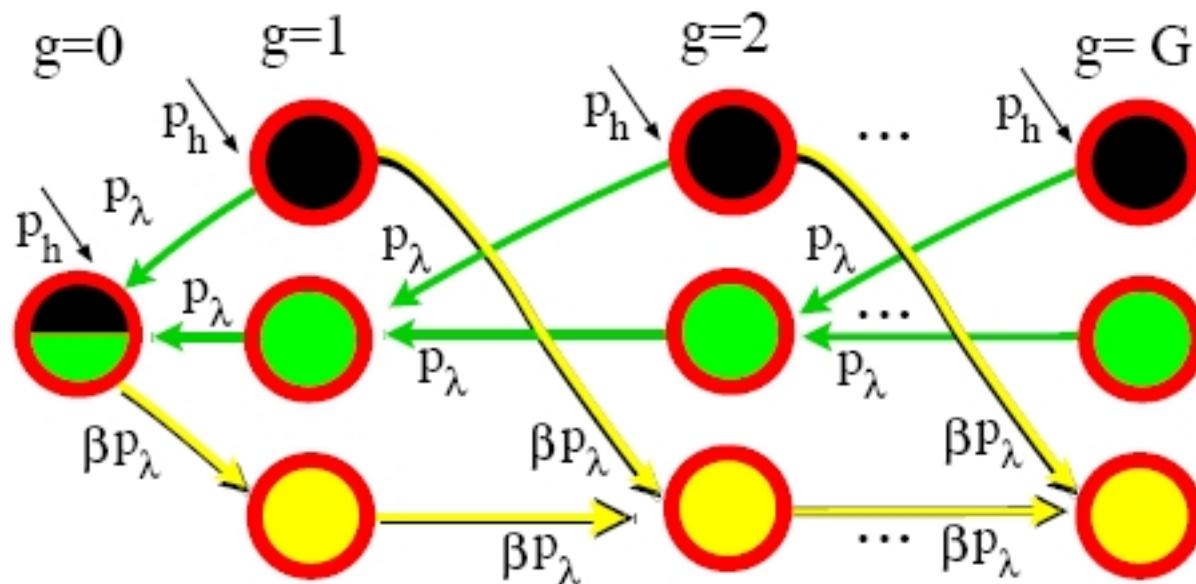
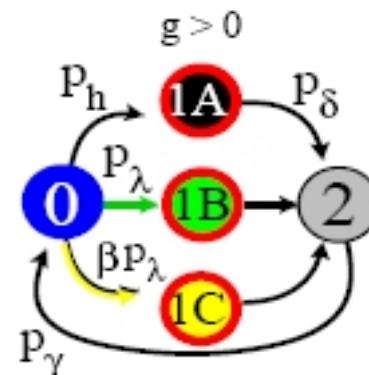
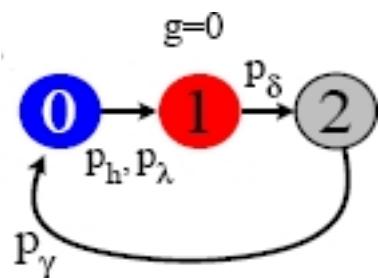
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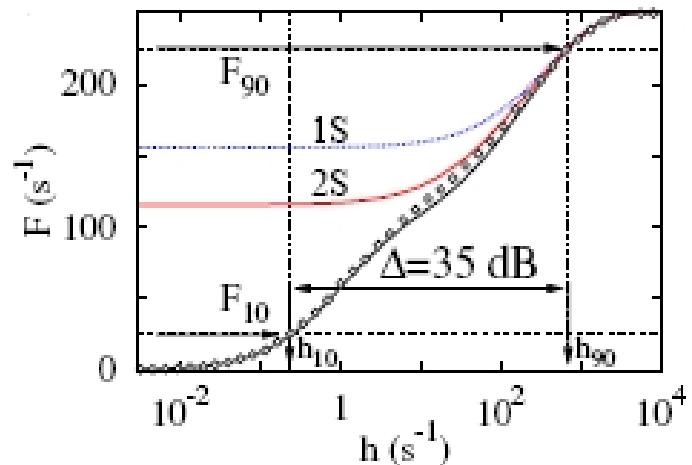
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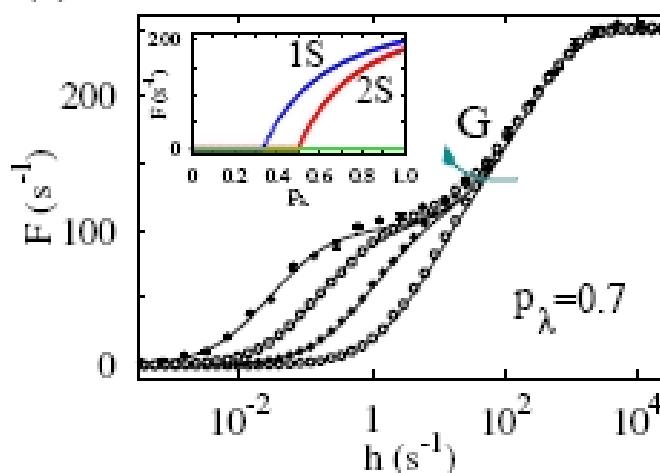
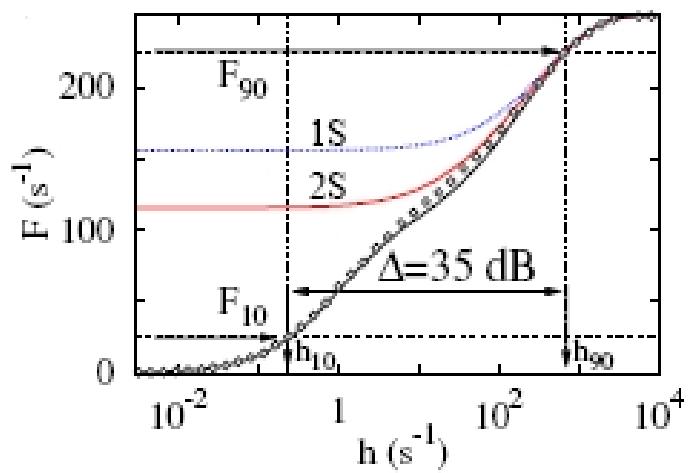


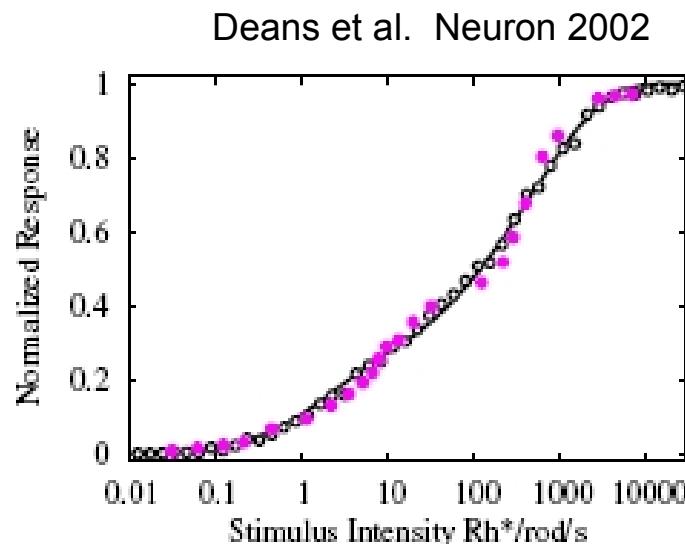
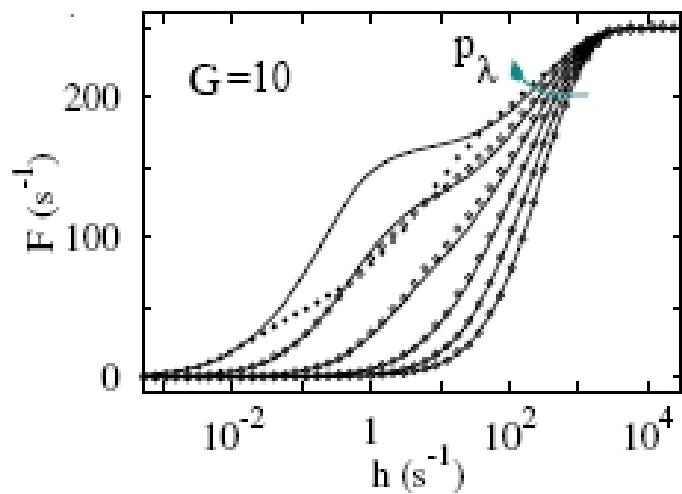


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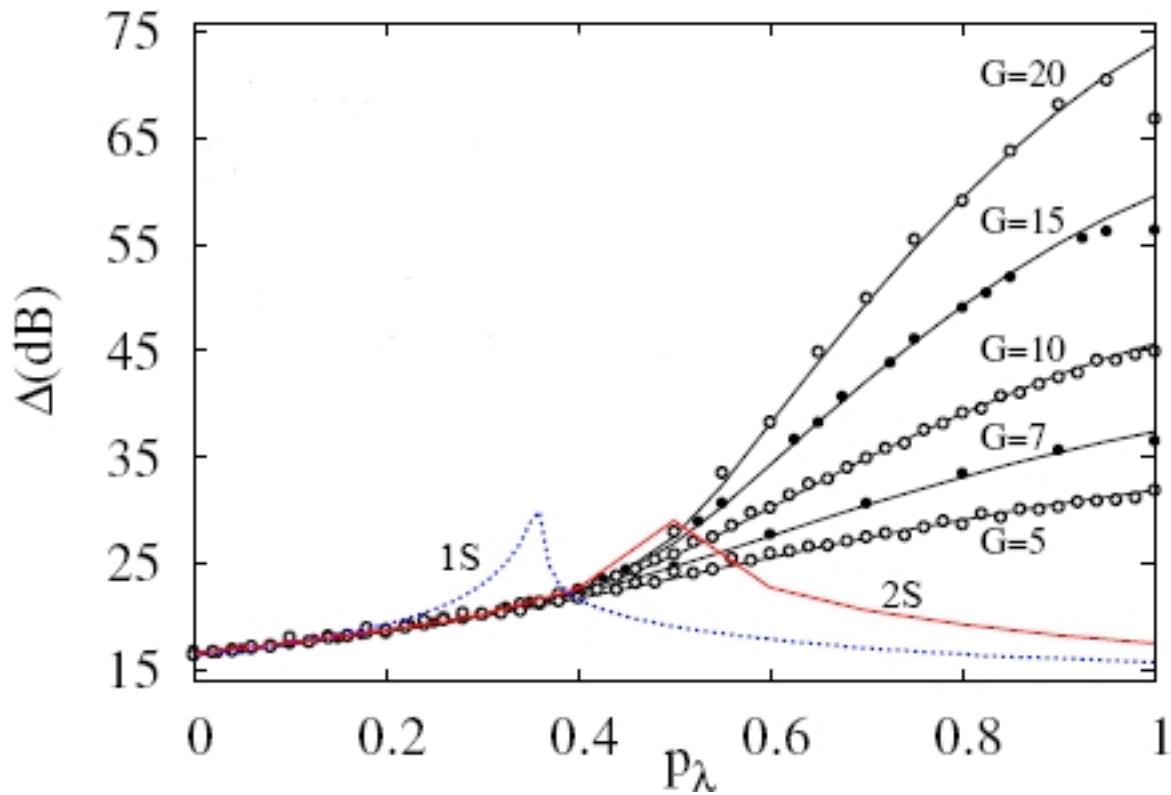


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Final remark : EW

Captures essential dynamical aspects

Good agreement: simulations and experimental data



Thank you!

