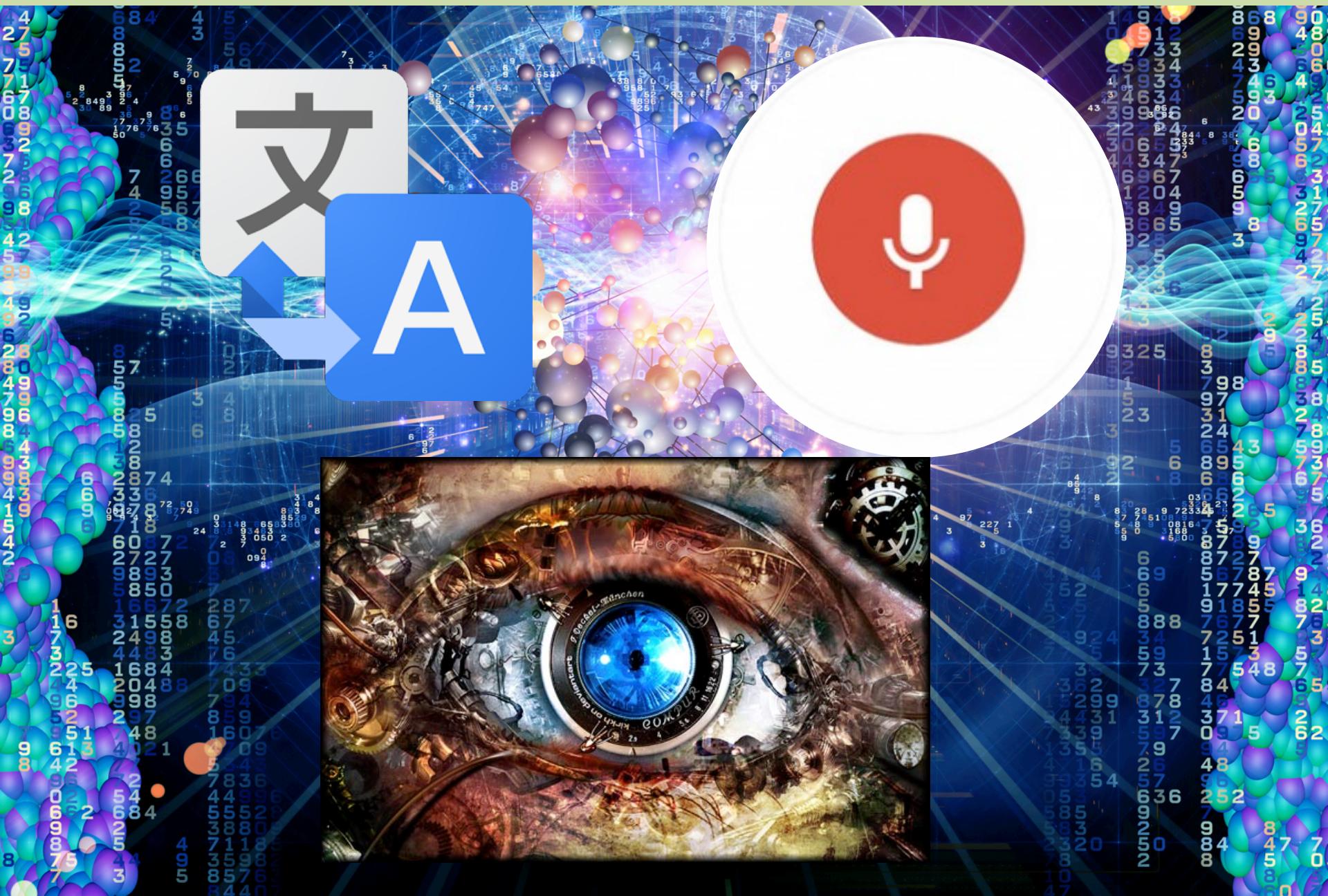
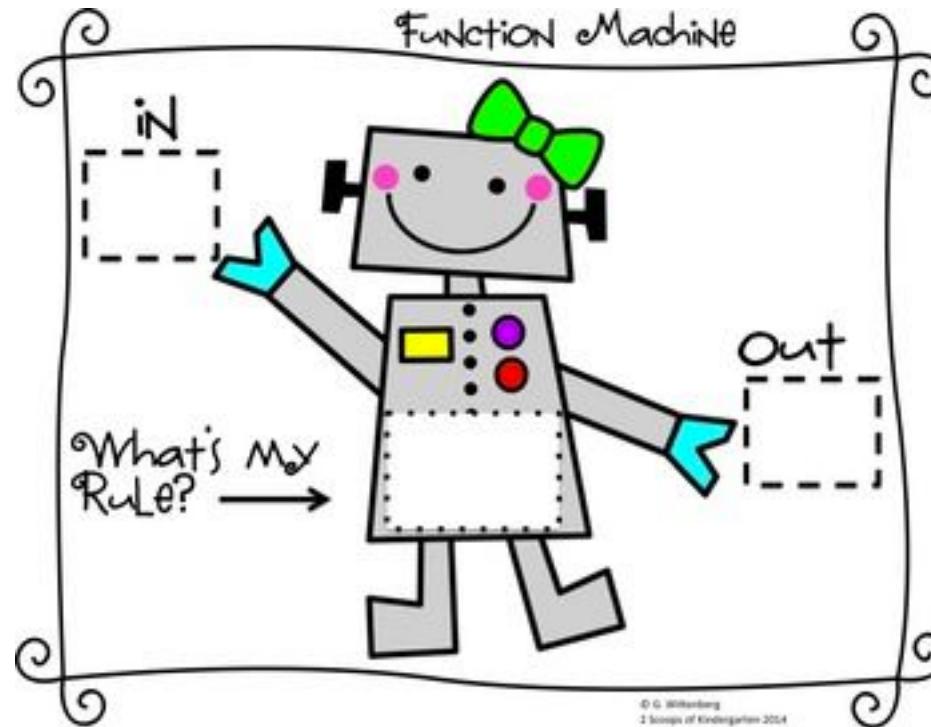


What's Going On With AI?



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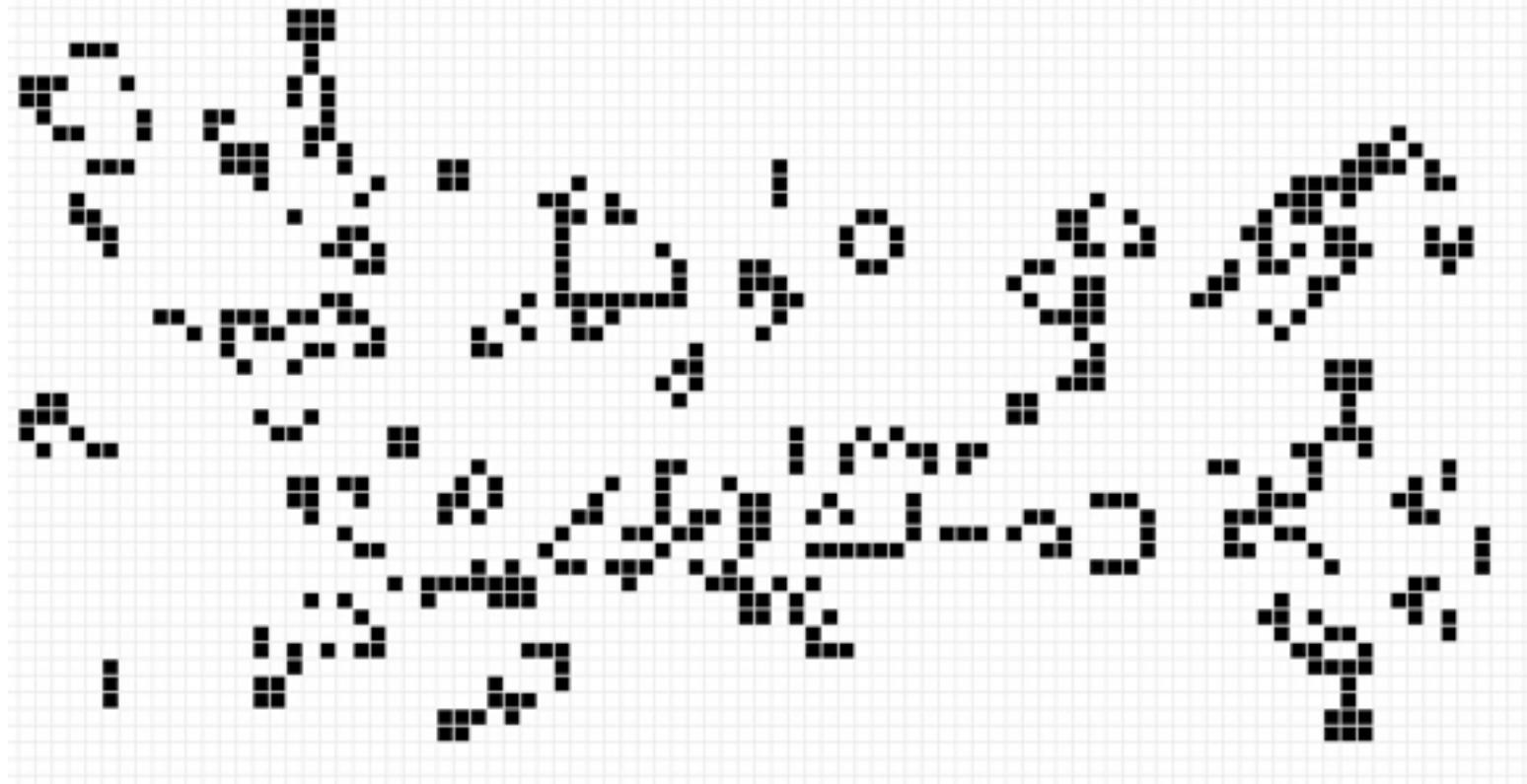


CS 106B
Lecture 1
Jan 4, 2015

Announcements

-  You can start Life now. Due Jan 15th
-  I would recommend getting QT creator installed on your computer.
-  Monday extra office hours with Megan! Gates 104 from 10am to 11am.
-  Chris office hours are moved to Friday 2:30pm to 3:30pm

Life



Life Simulated



Recap from Monday

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Winter 2016
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EXAMS

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 Tuesday, Feb 9th

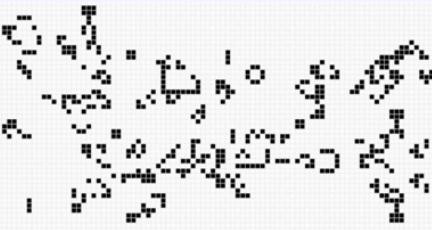
Final
 Monday, March 14th

STAFF



Life Assignment Out
a minute ago

Assignment 1, [Life](#) goes out today in class. In this program you will implement Conways Game of Life, an elegant cartoon model of cell life that has inspired an entire field of thinking on complex structures that can arise from simple rules.



One time office hour change.
a day ago

Chris' Wednesday office hours for this week have been changed from Wednesday (5th of Jan) to Friday (7th of Jan) from 2:30pm to 3:30pm. This is a one time change. Things go back to normal next week. Come with early question on [Life](#) :).

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Instructor: Chris Piech

Office hours:

Mon 1:30 to 2:30pm
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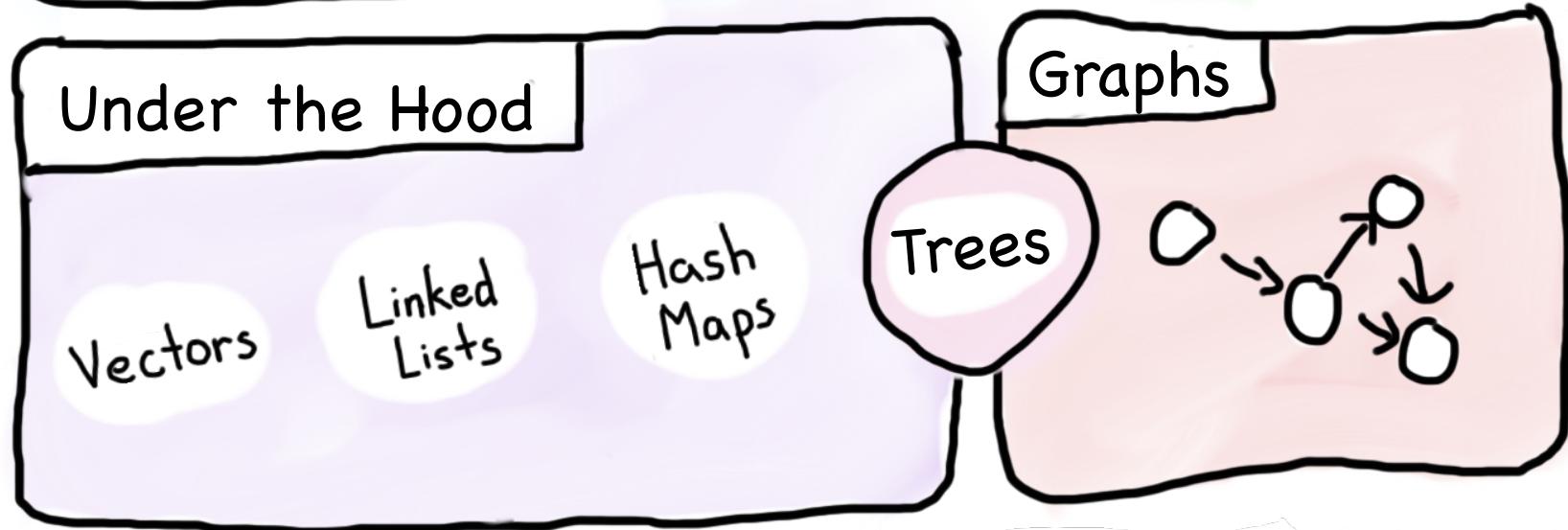
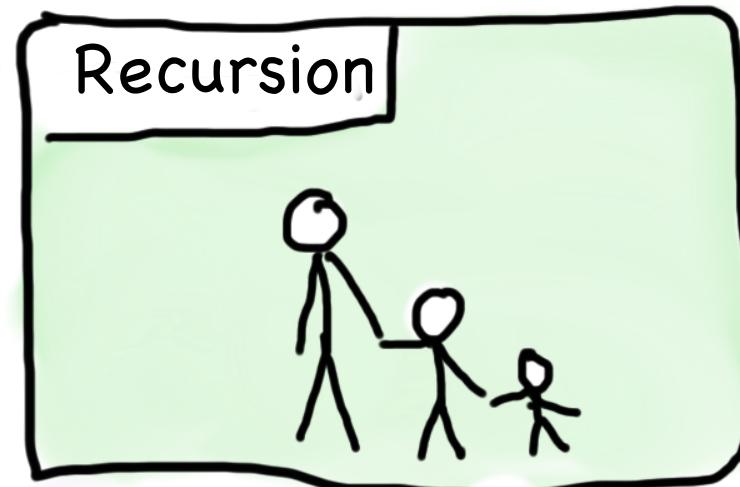
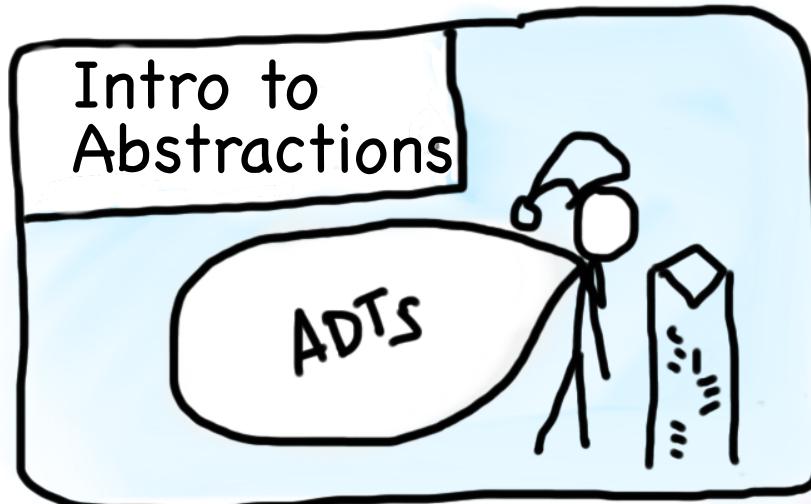


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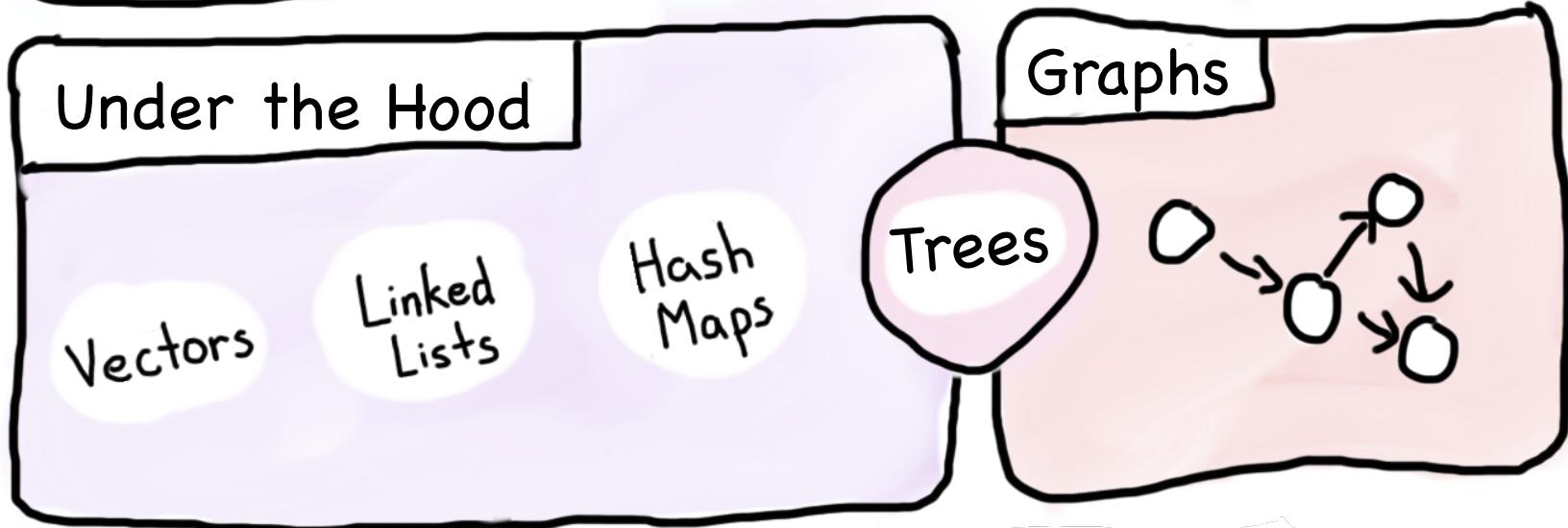
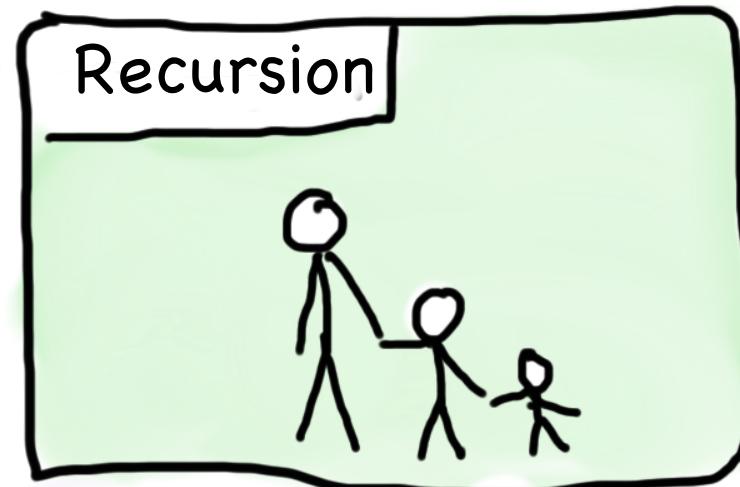
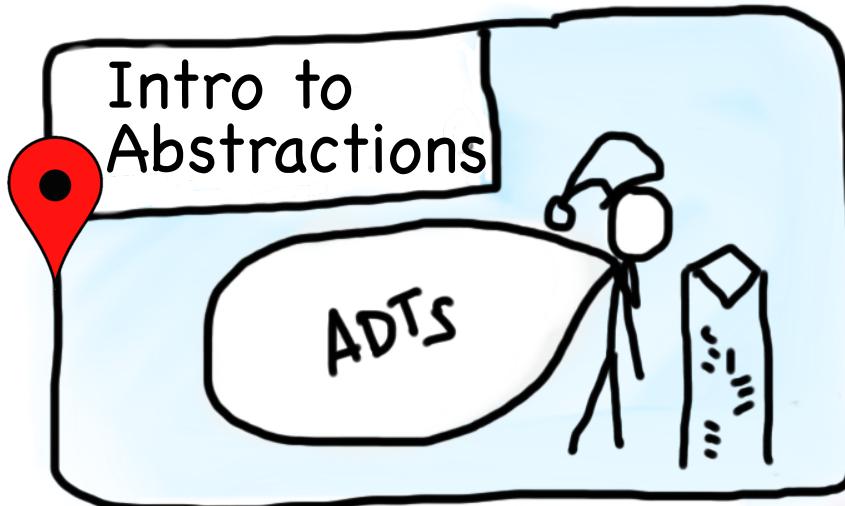
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Today's Goals

1. Intro to C++

2. Functions in C++



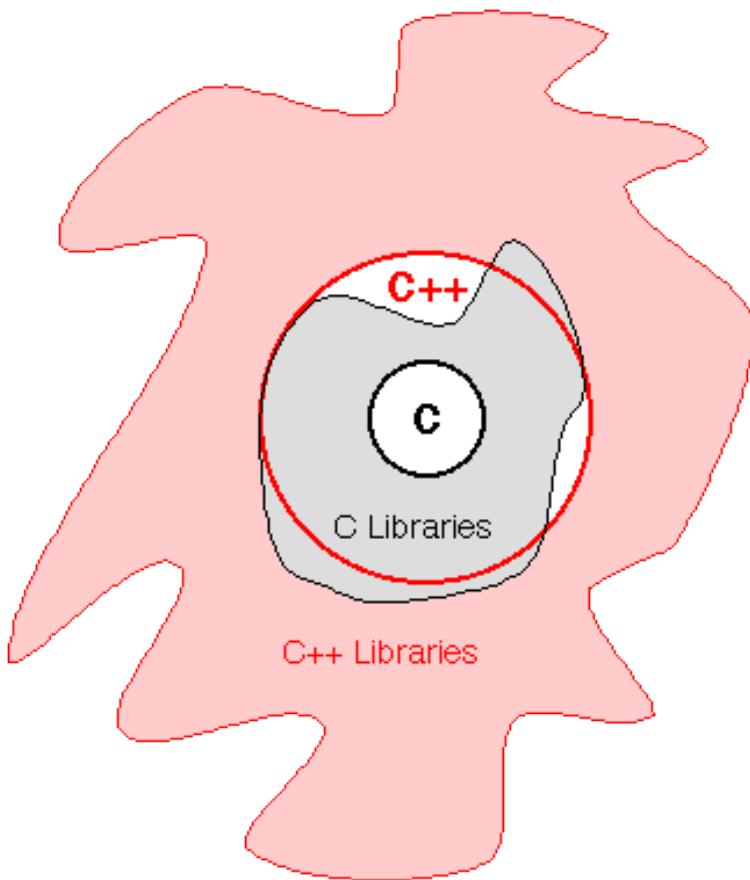
Part 1: C++

Similar to Java

C++ from the Java
Programmer's
Perspective

(But it's ok if you don't
know java!)

C++



Hello World

```
/*
 * The canonical hello world program in C++
 */
```

```
#include <iostream> // A true classic.
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using namespace std; // The best namespace.

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Most Primitives are the Same

Java

C++

`int`

`int`

`double`

`double`

`float`

`float`

`boolean`

`bool`

`char`

`char`

Most Operators are the Same

Operator	Meaning
<code>==</code>	Equals comparison
<code> </code>	Logical or
<code><=</code>	Less than comparison
<code>=</code>	assignment

Most Control flow is the Same

Control	Meaning
<pre>while(<i>cond</i>) { <i>body</i> }</pre>	Repeat <i>body</i> until <i>cond</i> is false.
<pre>for(int i = 0; i < N; i++) { <i>body</i> }</pre>	Repeat body <i>N</i> times.
<pre>if(<i>cond</i>) { <i>body A</i> } else { <i>body B</i> }</pre>	Either run <i>bodyA</i> or <i>bodyB</i> depending on <i>cond</i> .

Wahoo!

Is it all the same?

No.

Strings are a little different

```
#include <string>
...
string s = "hello";
```

A string is a (possibly empty) sequence of characters. Strings in C++ are conceptually similar to strings in Java.

Minor differences:

- Different names for similar methods.
- Different behavior for similar methods

Major differences

- Strings are mutable (can be changed) in C++
- There are two types of strings in C++

String Operators

Like in Java, you can concatenate strings using + or +=:

```
string s1 = "Chr";
s1 += "is";           // "Chris"
```

Unlike in Java, you can compare strings using relational operators:

```
string s2 = "Megan";          // == != < <= > >=
if (s2 > s1 && s2 != "Keith") { // true
    ...
}
```

Unlike in Java, strings are mutable and can be changed:

```
s1.append(" Piech")      // s1 is "Chris Piech"
s1.erase(3, 2);           // s1 is "Chr Piech"
s1[6] = 'o';              // s1 is "Chr Piech"
```

String Functions

Member function name	Description
<code>s.append(str)</code>	add text to the end of a string
<code>s.compare(str)</code>	return -1, 0, or 1 depending on relative ordering
<code>s.erase(index, Length)</code>	delete text from a string starting at given index
<code>s.find(str)</code> <code>s.rfind(str)</code>	first or last index where the start of <code>str</code> appears in this string (returns <code>string::npos</code> if not found)
<code>s.insert(index, str)</code>	add text into a string at a given index
<code>s.length()</code> or <code>s.size()</code>	number of characters in this string
<code>s.replace(index, Len, str)</code>	replaces <code>len</code> chars at given index with new text
<code>s.substr(start, Length)</code> or <code>s.substr(start)</code>	the next <code>length</code> characters beginning at <code>start</code> (inclusive); if <code>length</code> omitted, grabs till end of string

```
string name = "Donald Knuth";
if (name.find("Knu") != 0) {
    name.erase(7, 5); // "Donald"
}
```

Two Kinds of Strings

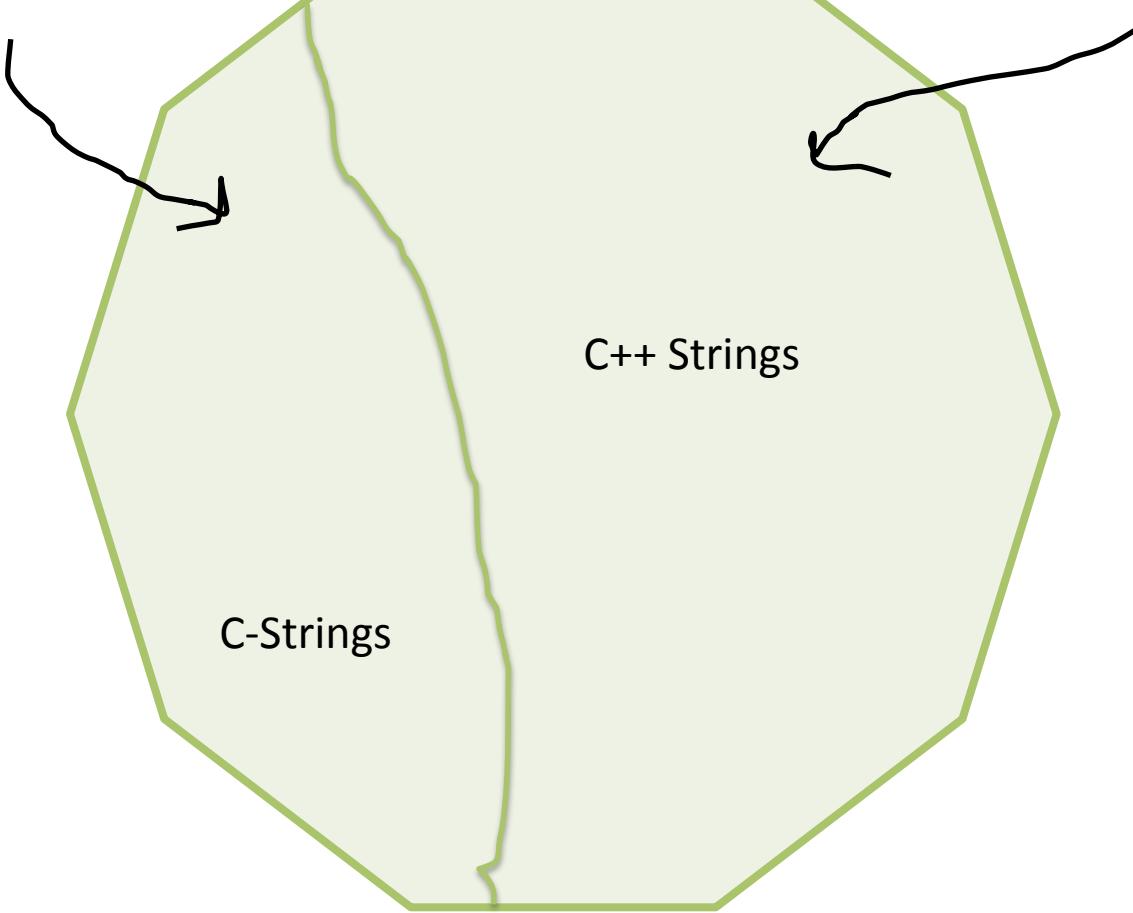
Any string literal such as
`"hi there"` is a C string

Strings

`string x = "text";`

C++ Strings

C-Strings



Aside: Common Bugs



C-String Bugs

```
string s = "hi" + "there";
```

Does not compile; C strings can't be concatenated with +.

```
string s = string("hi") + "there";
string s = "hi";      // "hi" is auto-converted to string
s += "there";
```

These both compile and work properly.

```
int n = (int) "42";
```

Bug; sets n to the memory address of the C string
"42" (ack!).

```
int n = stringToInteger("42");
```

Works, because of explicit conversion.

Concatenation Bugs

```
string s = "hi" + '?'; // C-string + char  
string s = "hi" + 41; // C-string + int
```

Bug; produces garbage, not "hi?" or "hi42". (*memory address stuff*)

```
string s = "hi"; // char '?' is concatenated to string  
s += '?'; // "hi?"
```

Works, because of auto-conversion.

```
s += 41; // "hi?")
```

Adds character with ASCII value 41, ')', doesn't produce "hi?41".

```
s += integerToString(41); // "hi?41"
```

Works, because of conversion from int to string.

At this point seen some basics...

Ready to Dive In?



Doctor Eliza

The screenshot shows an Emacs window titled "emacs: *doctor*". The menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "View", "Cmds", "Tools", "Options", "Buffers", and "Help". The toolbar below the menu bar contains icons for Open, Dired, Save, Print, Cut, Copy, Paste, Undo, Spell, Replace, Mail, Info, Compile, Debug, and News. The buffer area displays the following text:

```
*doctor*
I am the psychotherapist. Please, describe your problems. Each time
you are finished talking, type RET twice.

Can you help me with my problem?

Why do you say can I help you with your problem?

I was hoping that talking with an artificial intelligence would give
me answers to my problem.

Is it because talking with an artificial intelligence would give you
answers to your problem that you came to me?

I am confused.

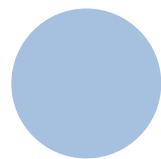
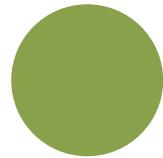
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you answers to your problem?
```

Eliza Beta

1. Until the end of time:

1. Get a prompt from the user
2. If prompt is hello, respond
3. If prompt is a question ask why they asked
4. If prompt is a statement challenge its truth

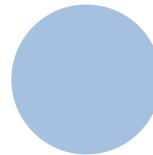
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Great start to C++



Part 2: Functions

What is a Function?



A First C++ Function

```
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using namespace std;

int main() {
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}

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Return

Name

Parameters

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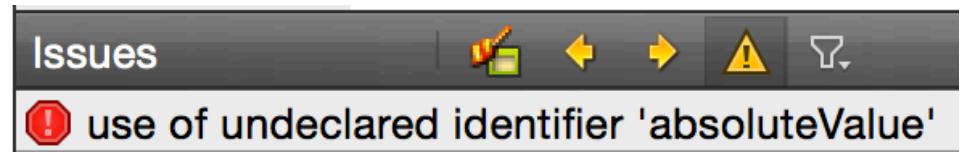
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```



Fix: Change order of functions

A First C++ Function (Fix 2)

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Fix: Add a function
“prototype”



C++ Design?

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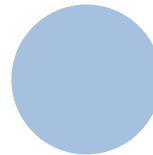
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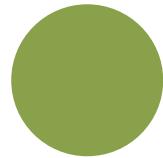
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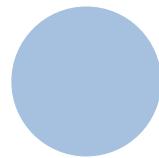
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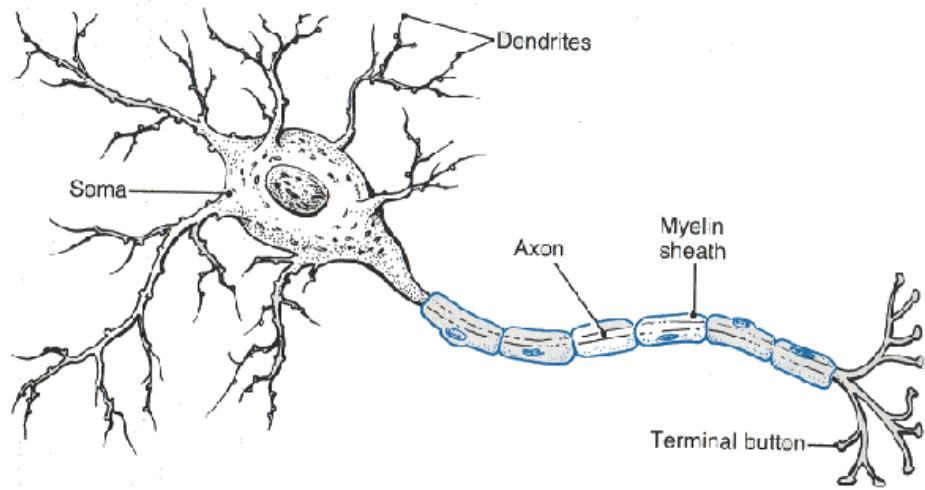
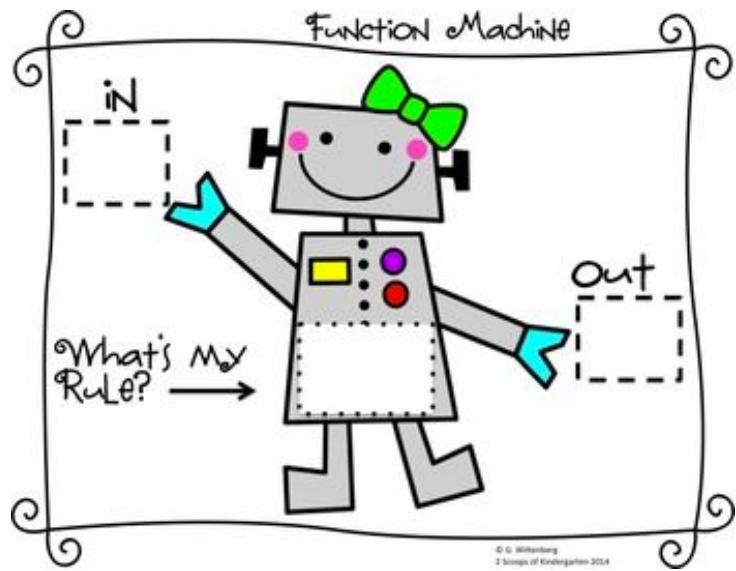
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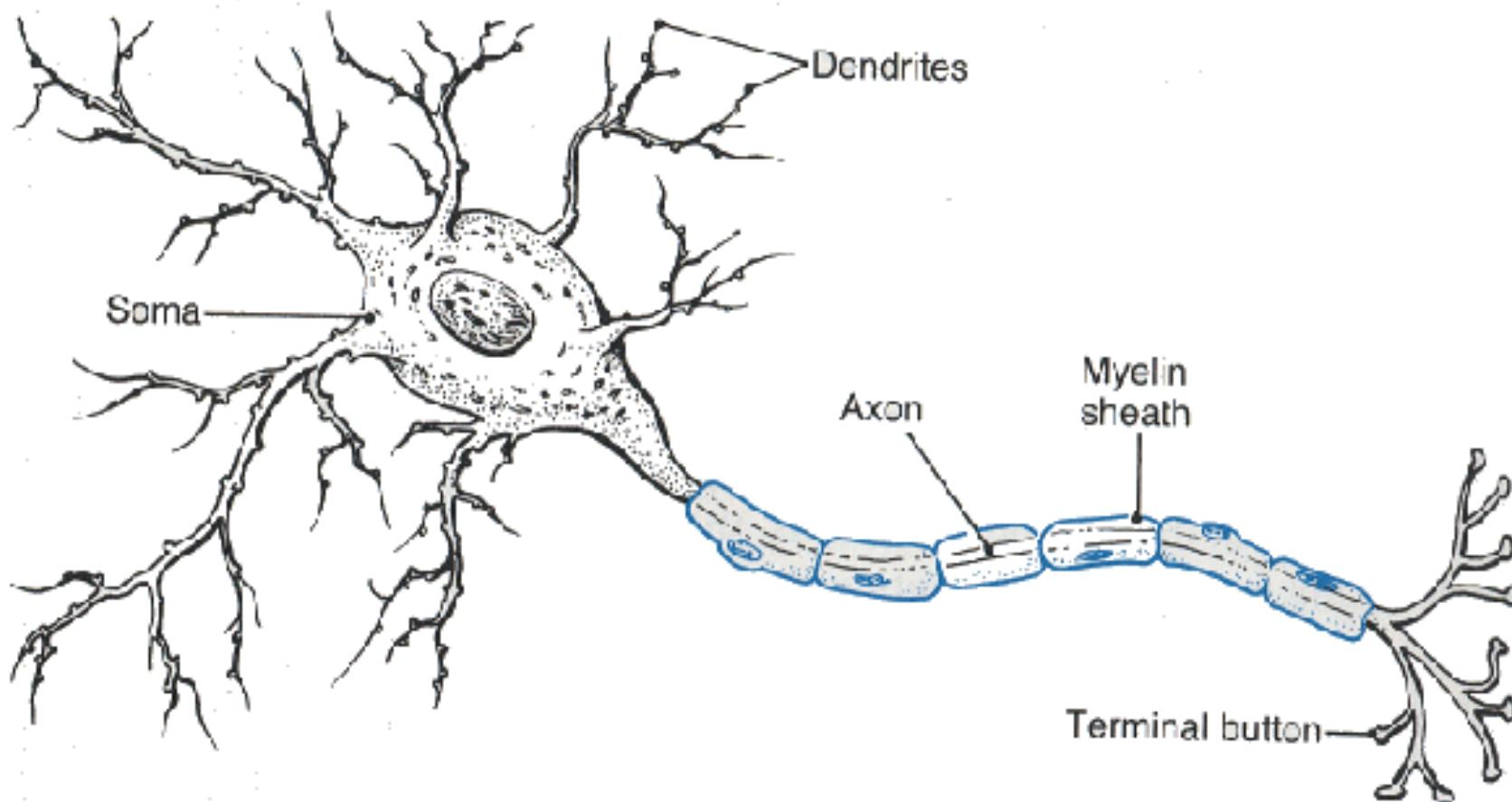
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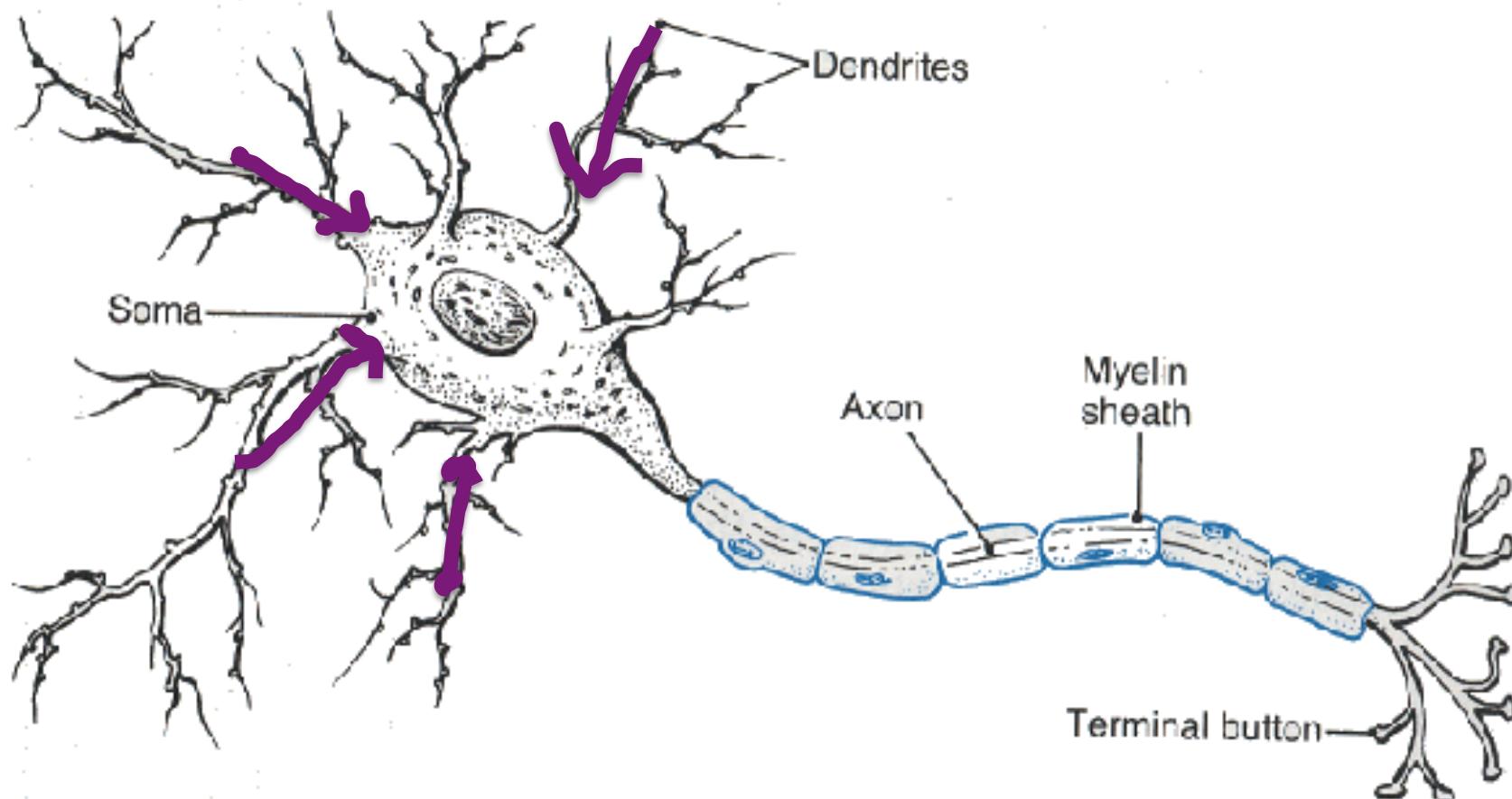
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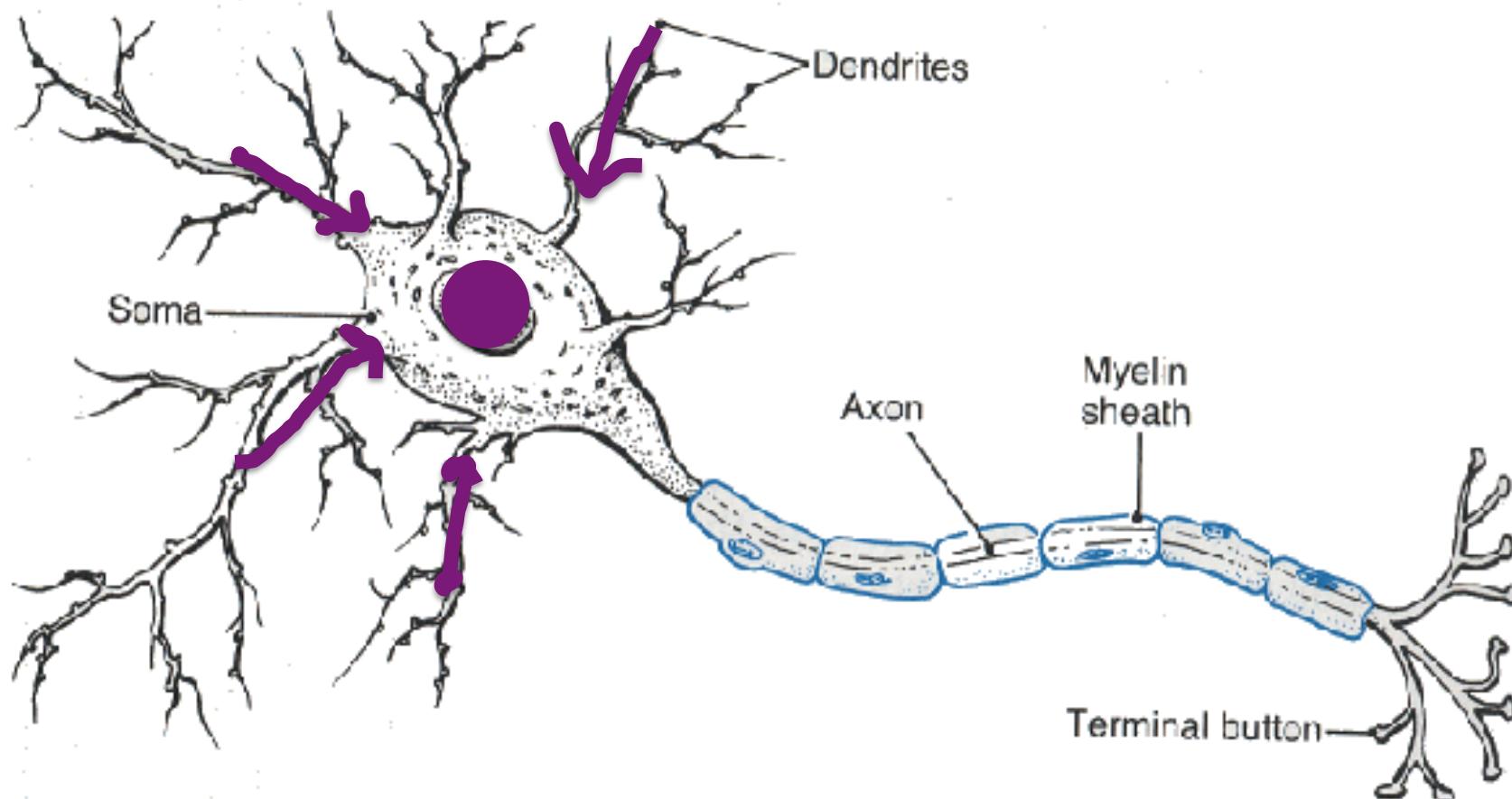
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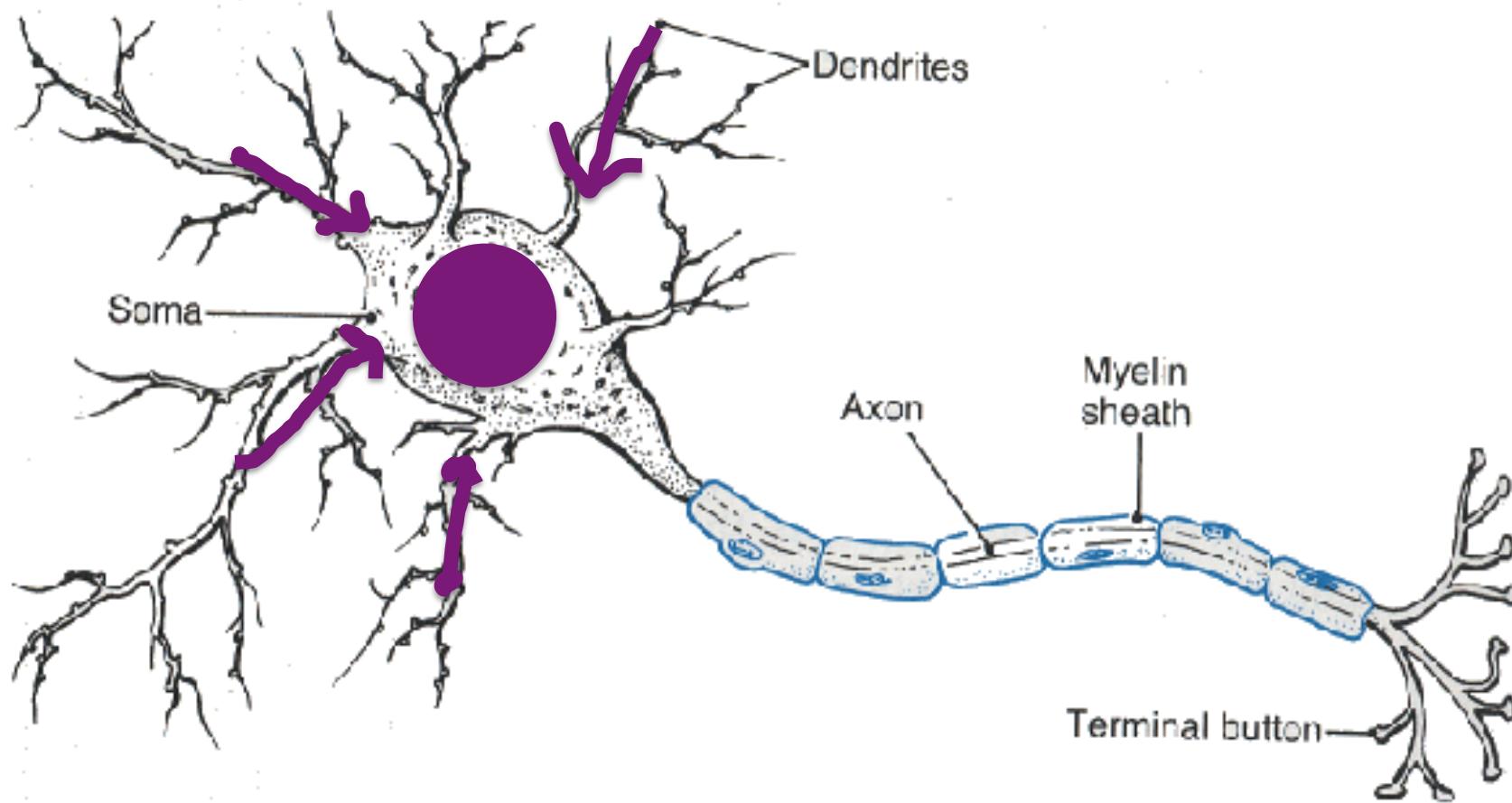
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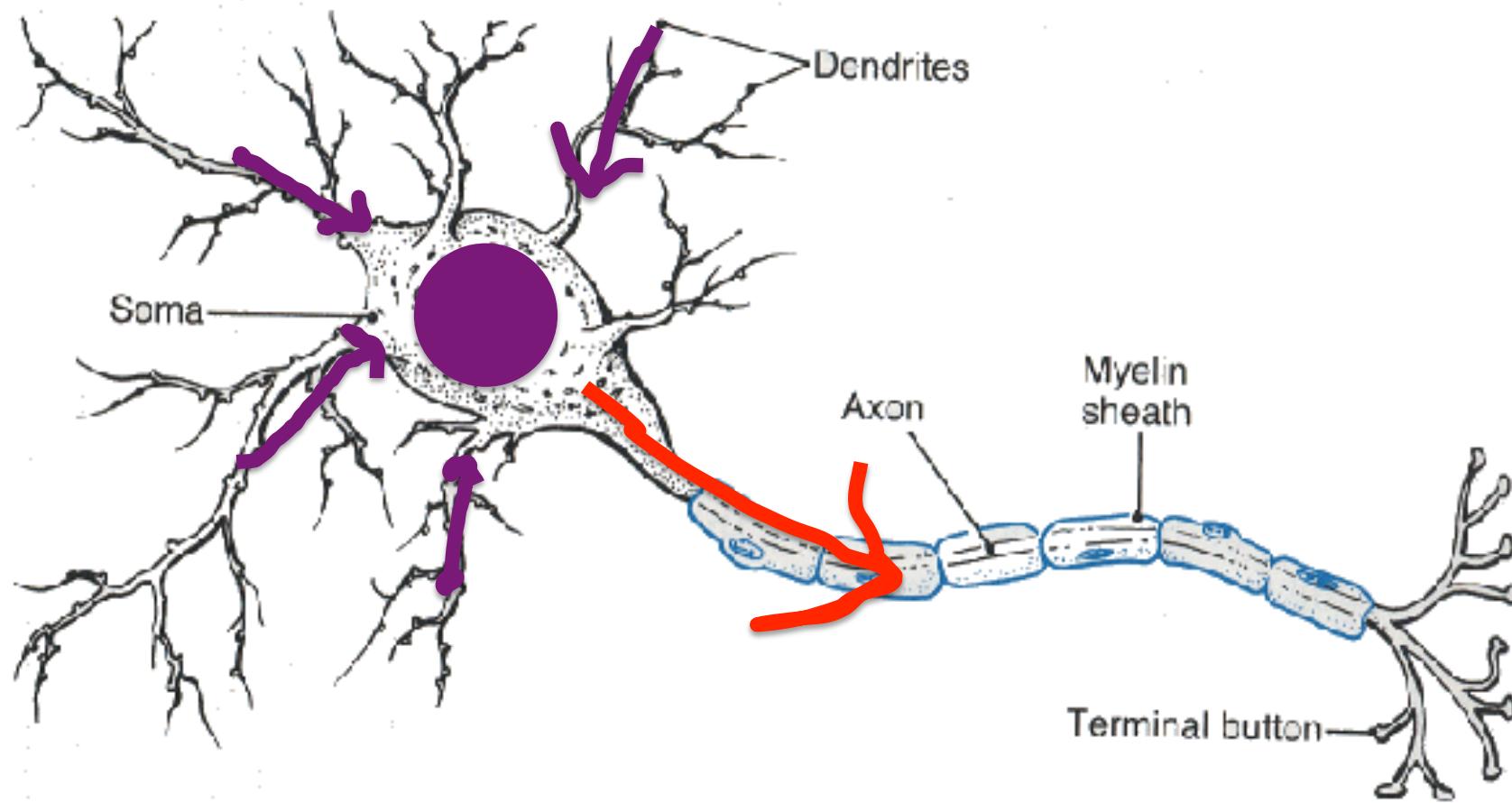
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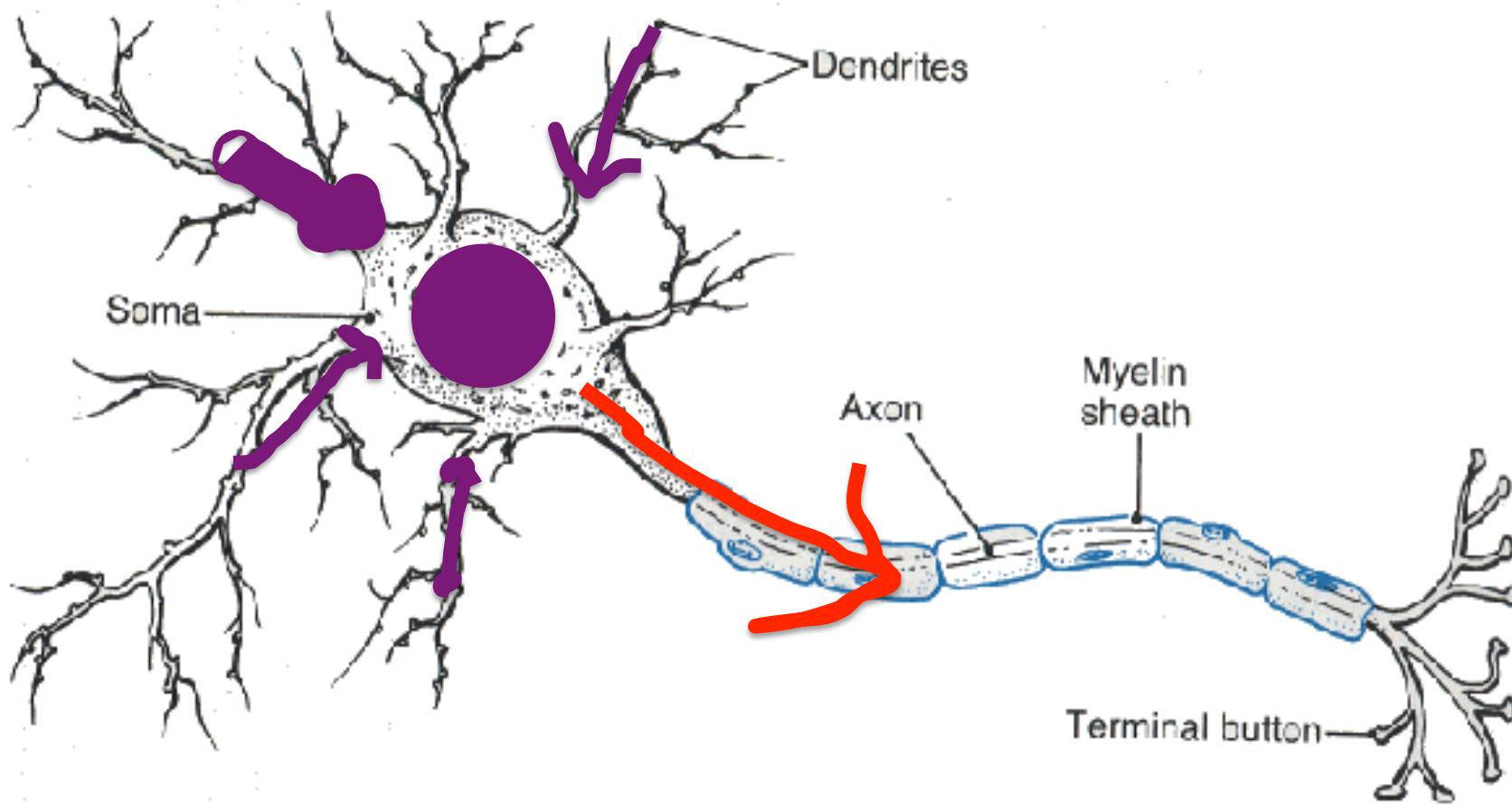
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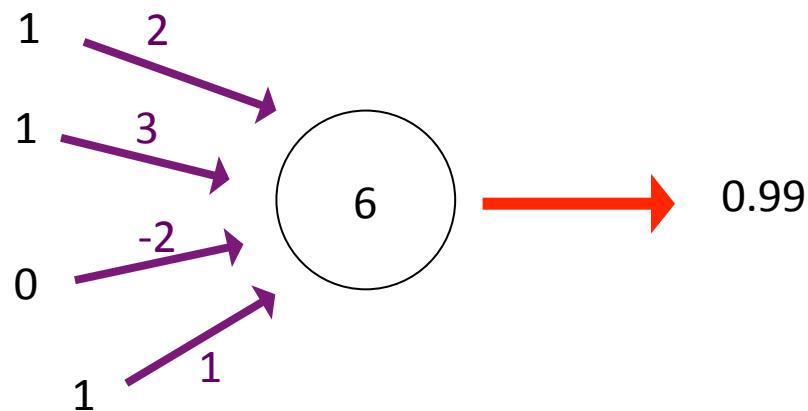
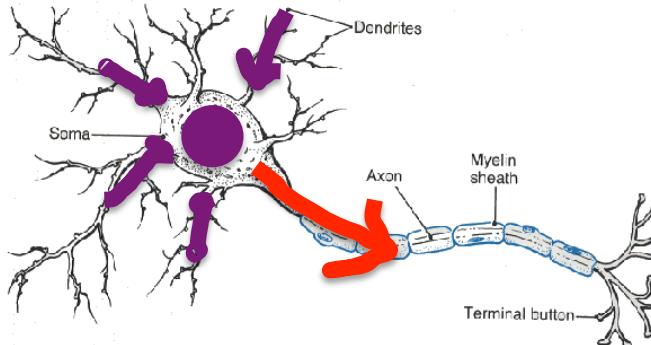
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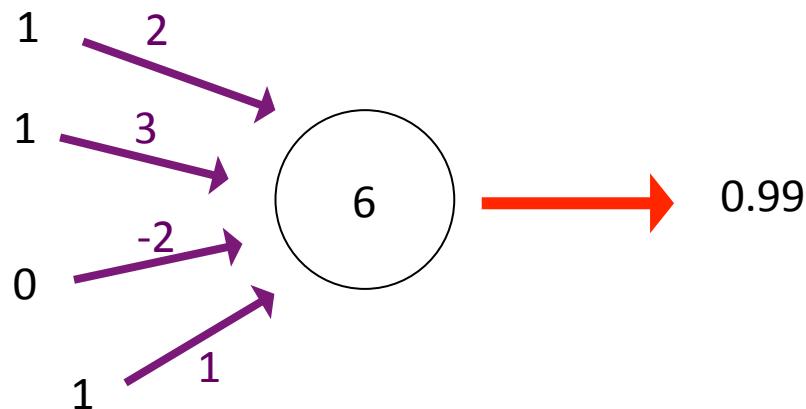
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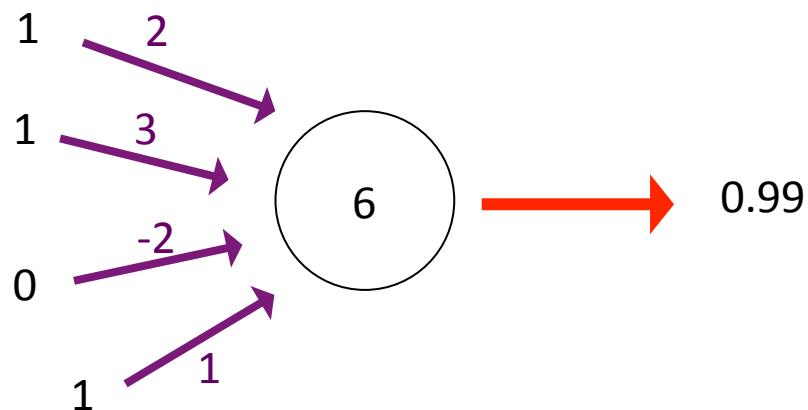


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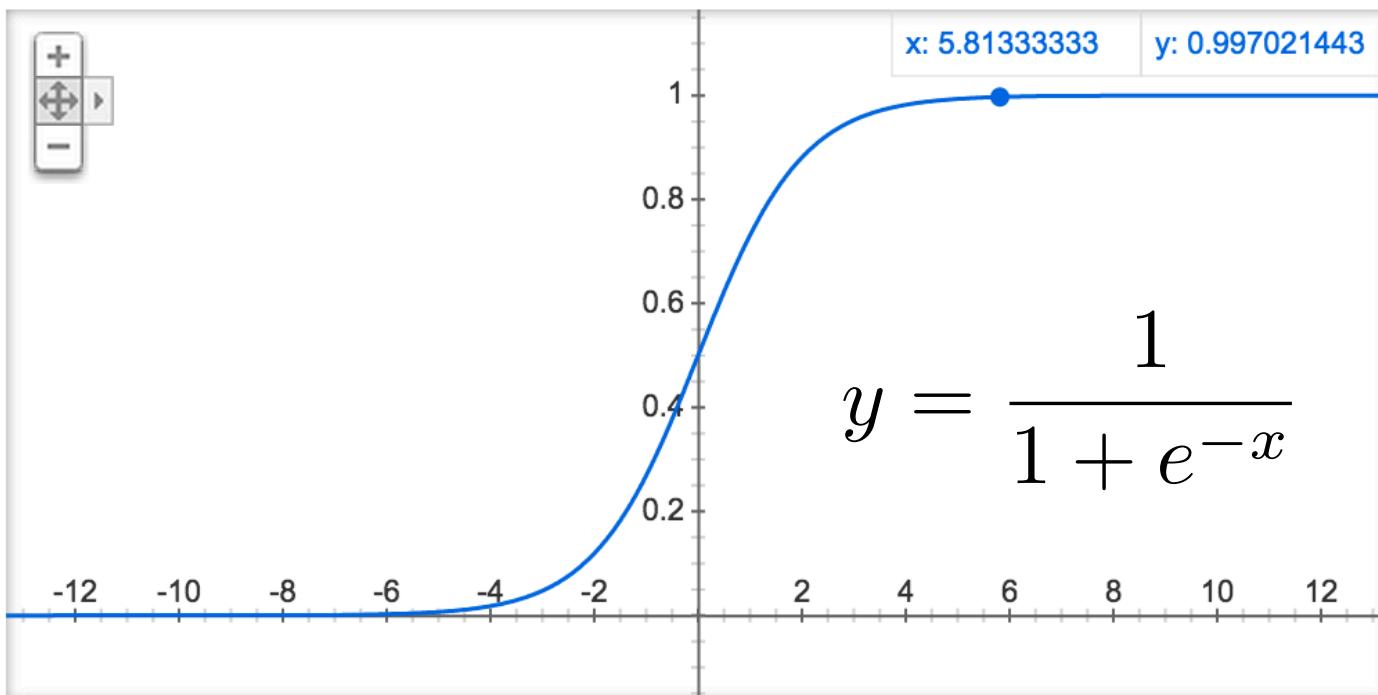
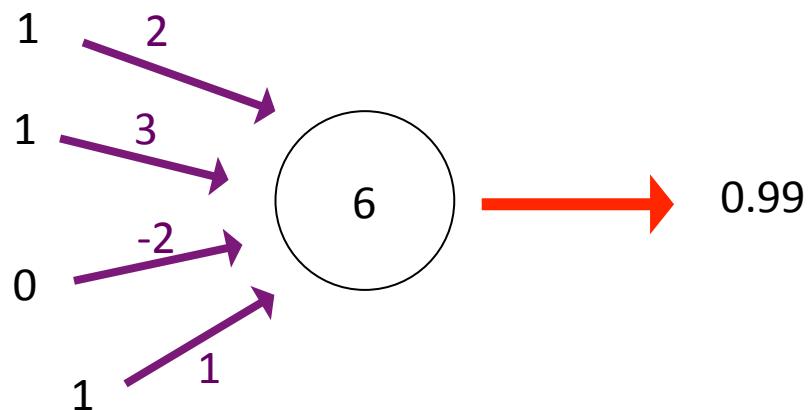
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          input4 * weight4
```

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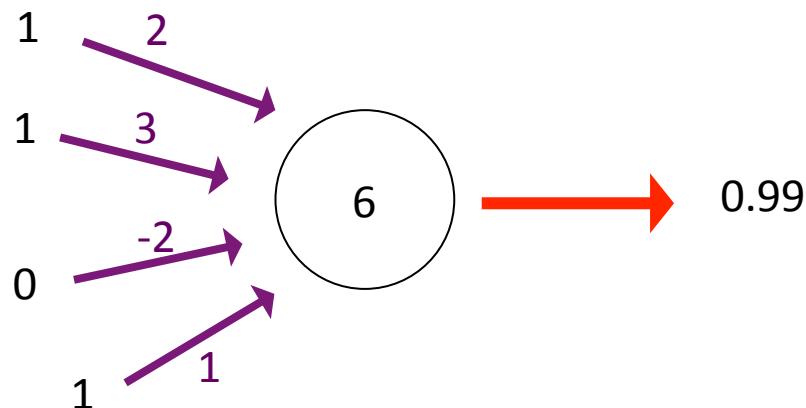


$$\begin{aligned}\text{InputSum} &= 1 * 2 + \\ &\quad 1 * 3 + \\ &\quad 0 * -2 + \\ &\quad 1 * 1\end{aligned}$$

Sigmoid Function

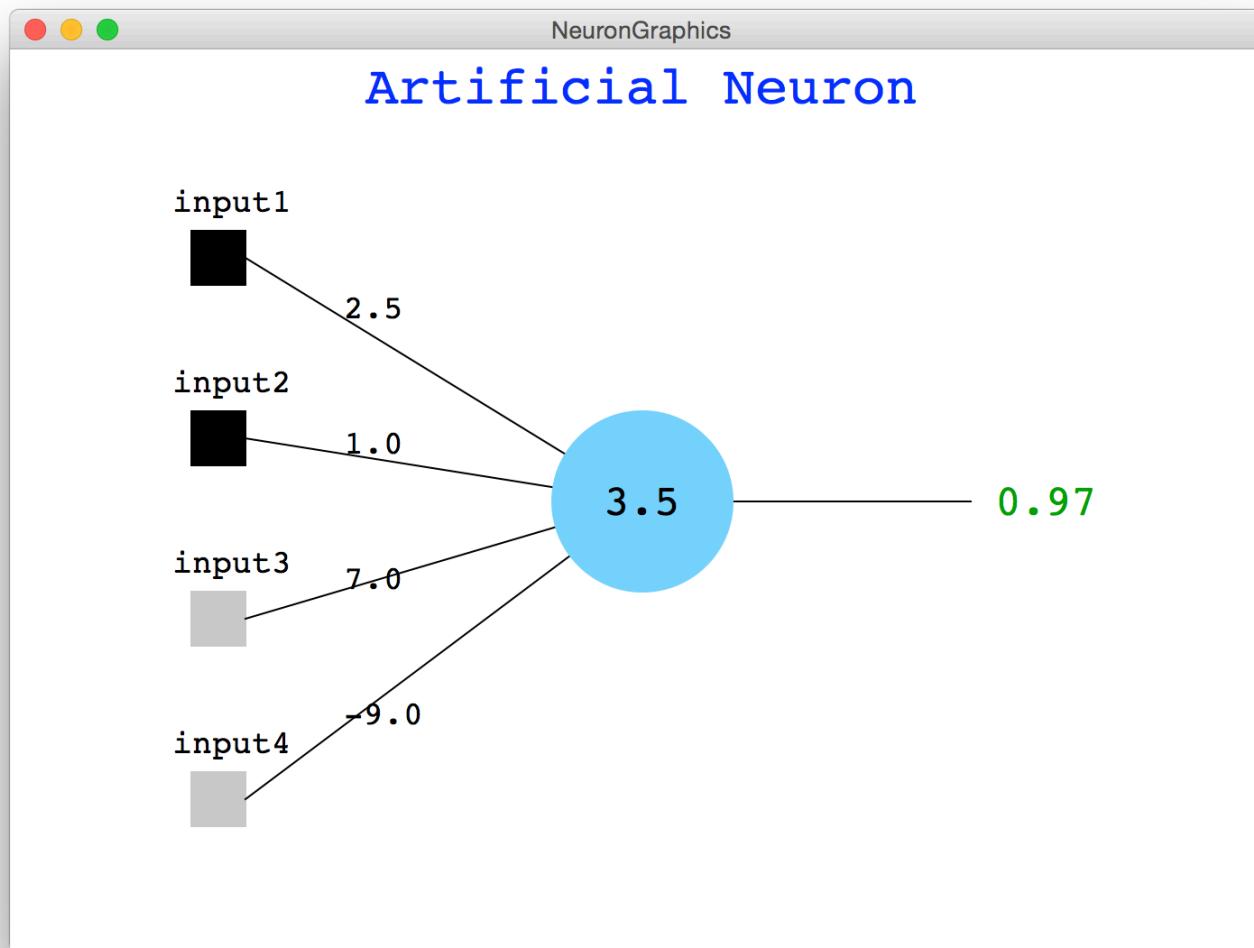


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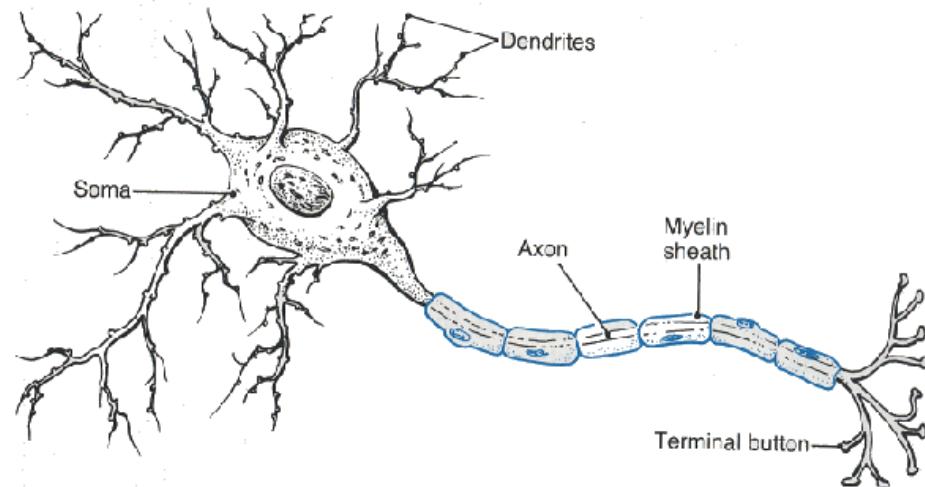
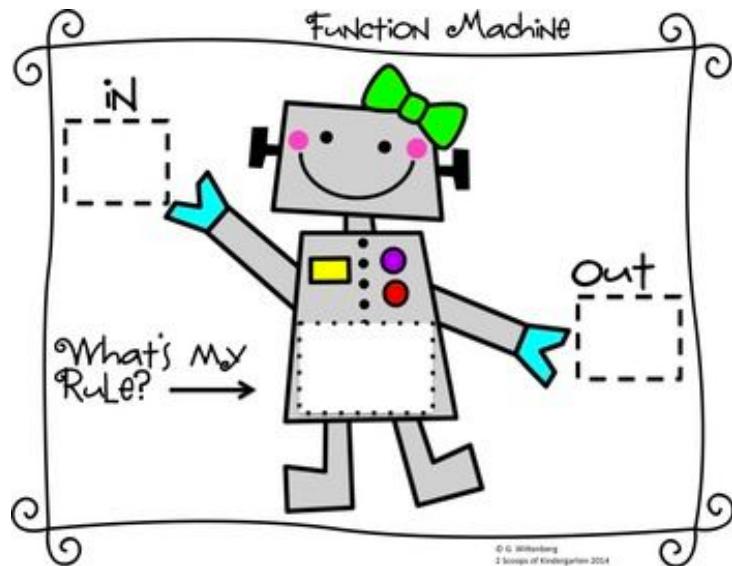


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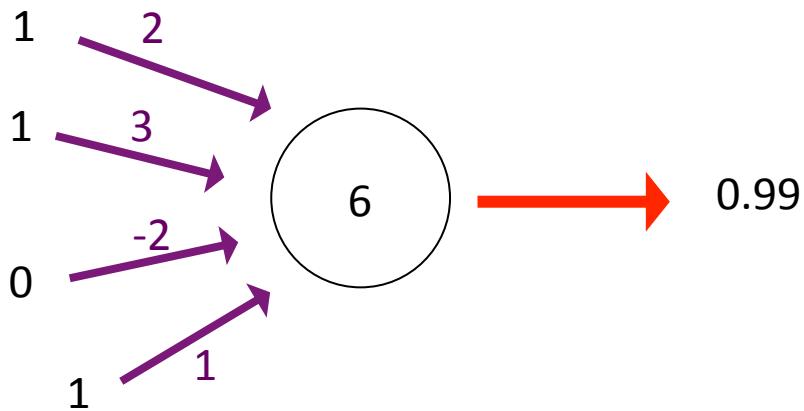
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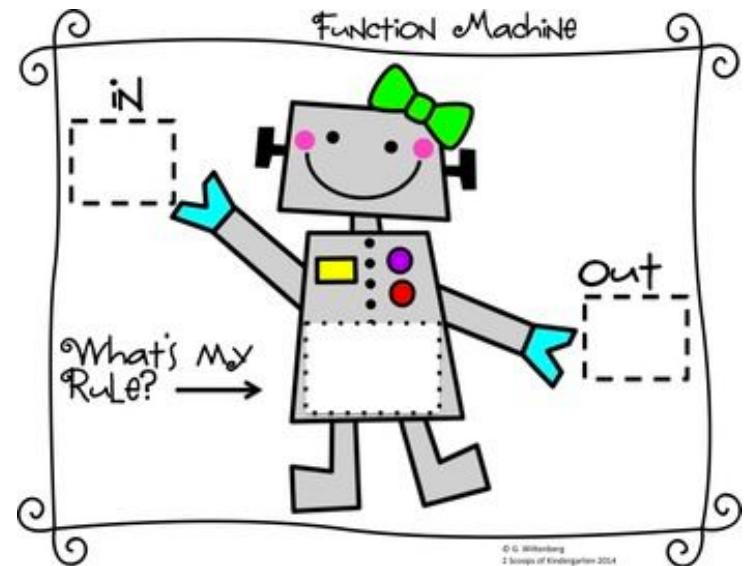
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```
double neuron(double x1, double x2);
```



Pass by Value

Value semantics: In Java and C++, when variables (int, double) are passed as parameters, their values are copied.

Modifying the parameter will not affect the variable passed in.

```
void grow(int age) {  
    age = age + 1;  
    cout << "grow age is " << age << endl;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int age = 20;  
    cout << "main age is " << age << endl;  
    grow(age);  
    cout << "main age is " << age << endl;  
    return 0;  
}
```

Output:

```
main age is 20  
grow age is 21  
main age is 20
```

Pass by Reference (2.5)

Reference semantics: In C++, if you declare a parameter with an & after its type, instead of passing a copy of its value, it will link the caller and callee functions to the same variable in memory.

Modifying the parameter *will* affect the variable passed in.

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```



Pass by Reference Example

With reference parameters, you can write a swap function.

```
/*
 * Places a's value into b and vice versa.
 */
void swap(int& a, int& b) {
    int temp = a;
    a = b;
    b = temp;
}
```

A Mystery

- What is the output of this code?

```
void mystery(int& b, int c, int& a) {  
    b--;  
    a++;  
    c += a;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a = 5;  
    int b = 2;  
    int c = 8;  
    mystery(a, b, c);  
    cout << a << " " << b << " " << c << endl;  
    return 0;  
}
```

// A. 5 3 13
// B. 5 2 8
// C. 4 3 7
// D. 4 2 9
// E. other

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    mystery(a, b, c);  
    cout << a << " " << b << " " << c << endl;  
    return 0;  
}
```

A Mystery

- What is the output of this code?

```
void mystery(int& b, int c, int& a) {  
    b--;  
    a++;  
    c += a;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a = 5;  
    int b = 2;  
    int c = 8;  
    mystery(a, b, c);  
    cout << a << " " << b << " " << c << endl;  
    return 0;  
}
```

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}
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A Mystery

- What is the output of this code?

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b = 5    c = 2    a = 8
void mystery(int& b, int c, int& a) {
    b--; Now b = 4
    a++;
    c += a;
}

int main() {
    int a = 5;
    int b = 2;
    int c = 8;
    mystery(a, b, c);
    cout << a << " " << b << " " << c << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

A Mystery

- What is the output of this code?

```
b = 5    c = 2    a = 8
void mystery(int& b, int c, int& a) {
    b--; Now b = 4
    a++; Now a = 9
    c += a;
}

int main() {
    int a = 5;
    int b = 2;
    int c = 8;
    mystery(a, b, c);
    cout << a << " " << b << " " << c << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

A Mystery

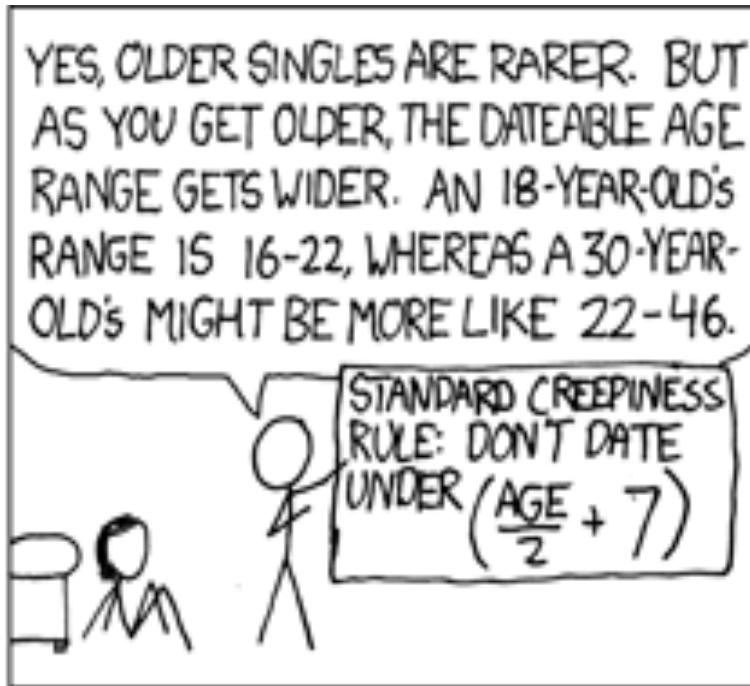
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void mystery(int& b, int c, int& a) {
    b--; Now b = 4
    a++; Now a = 9
    c += a; Now c = 11
}

int main() {
    int a = 5;
    int b = 2;
    int c = 8;
    mystery(a, b, c);
    cout << a << " " << b << " " << c << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

Output Parameters

What is the minimum and maximum non-creepy age to date?



<http://xkcd.com/314/>

Output Parameters

```
void datingRange(int age, int& min, int& max);

int main() {
    int young;
    int old;
    datingRange(48, young, old);
    cout << "A 48-year-old could date someone from "
        << young
        << " to "
        << old
        << " years old."
        << endl;
    return 0;
}

void datingRange(int age, int& min, int& max) {
    min = age / 2 + 7;
    max = (age - 7) * 2;
}

// A 48-year-old could date someone from
// 31 to 82 years old.
```

Pass by Reference Pros / Cons

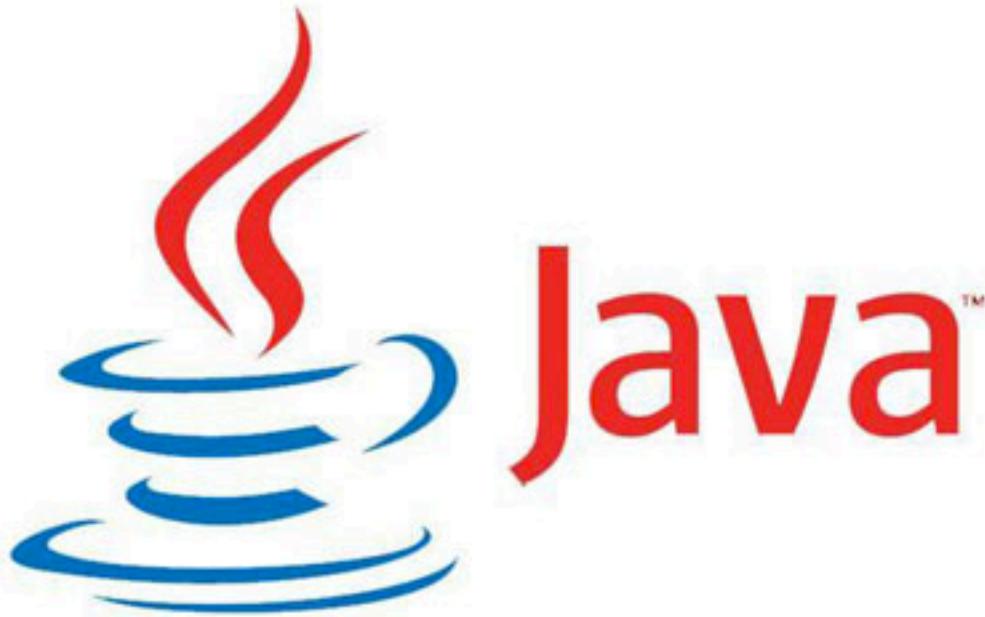
Benefits of reference parameters:

- a useful way to be able to 'return' more than one value
- often used with objects, to avoid making bulky copies when passing

Downsides of reference parameters:

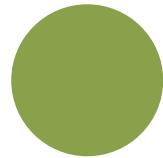
- hard to tell from call whether it is ref; can't tell if it will be changed
 - `foo(a, b, c); // will foo change a, b, or c? :-/`
- (very) slightly slower than value parameters
- can't pass a literal value to a ref parameter
 - `grow(39); // error`

Insight into Java

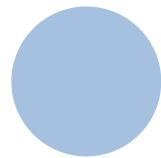


In Java, primitives are passed by value, and objects are passed by reference

Points



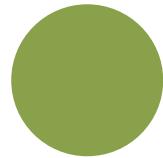
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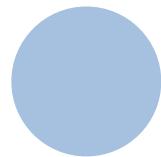
Prototype your functions



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Prototype your functions



Pass by reference vs
pass by value

Today's Goals

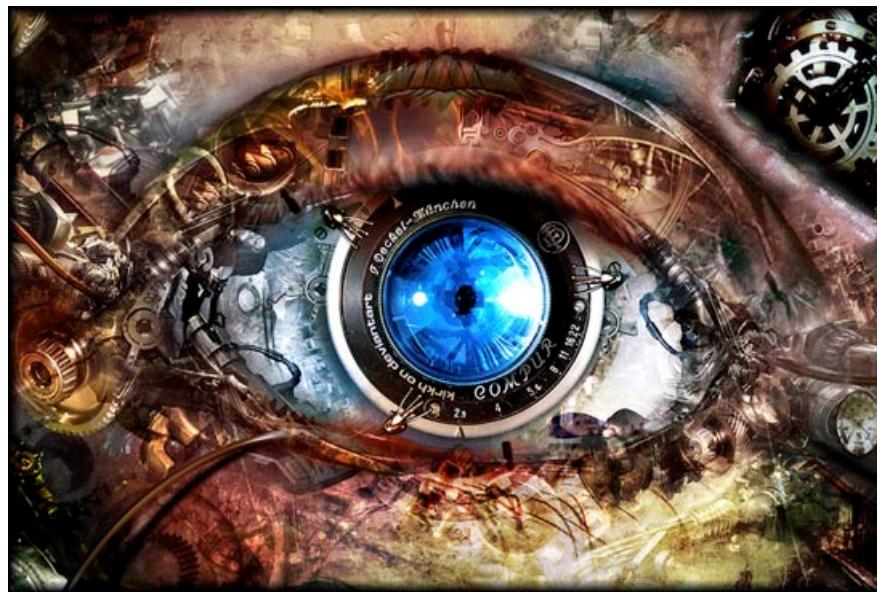
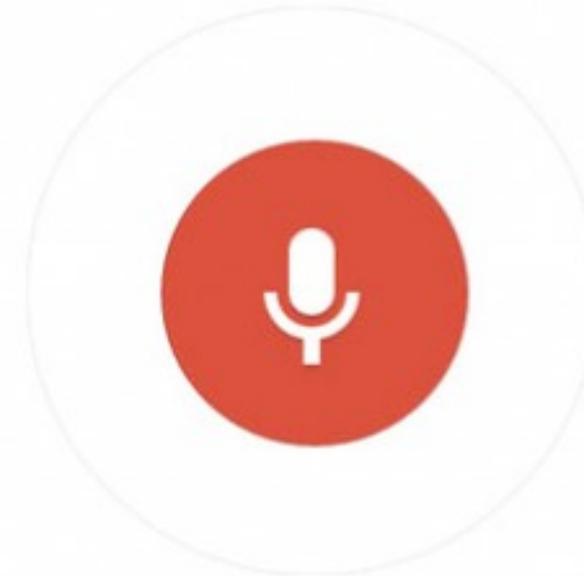
1. Intro to C++

2. Functions in C++

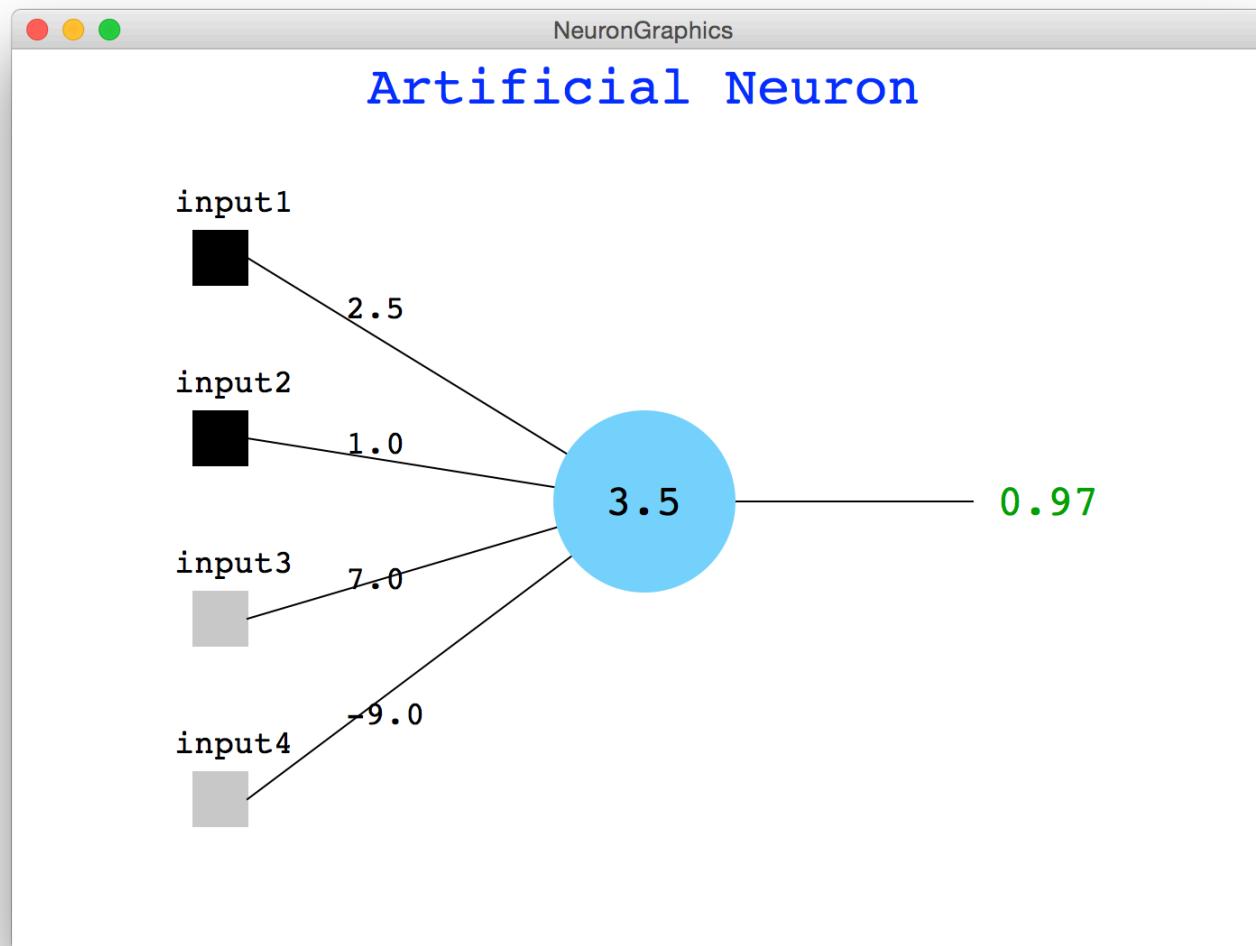


Story of Modern AI

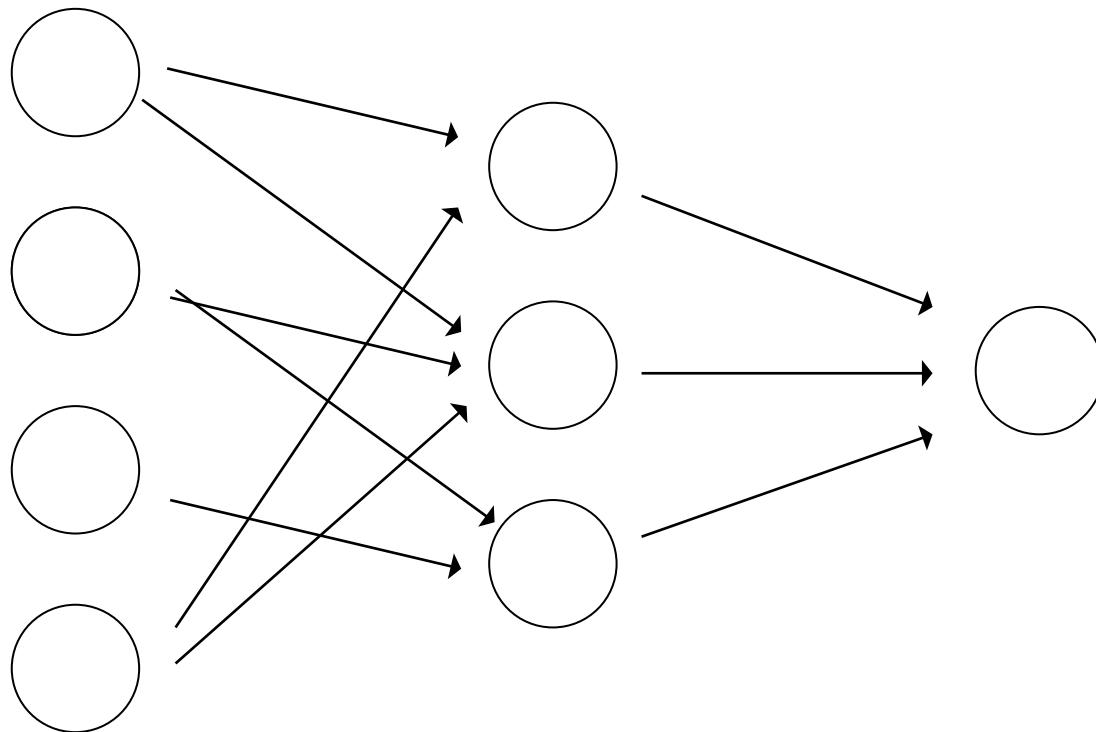
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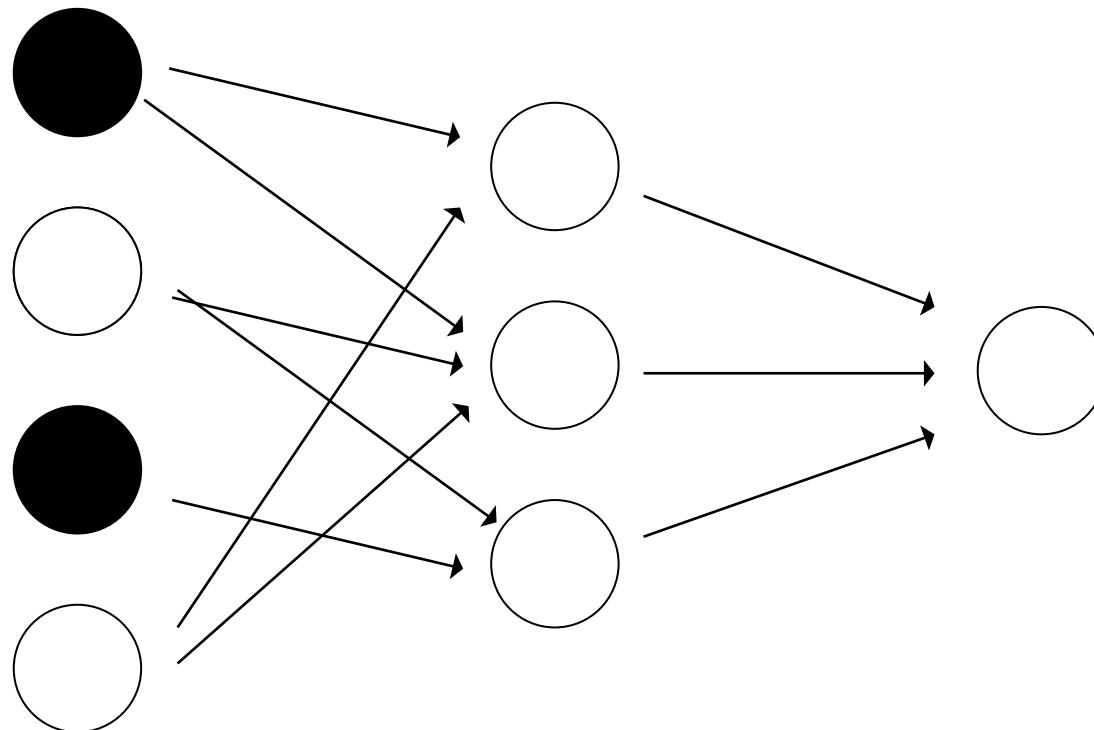
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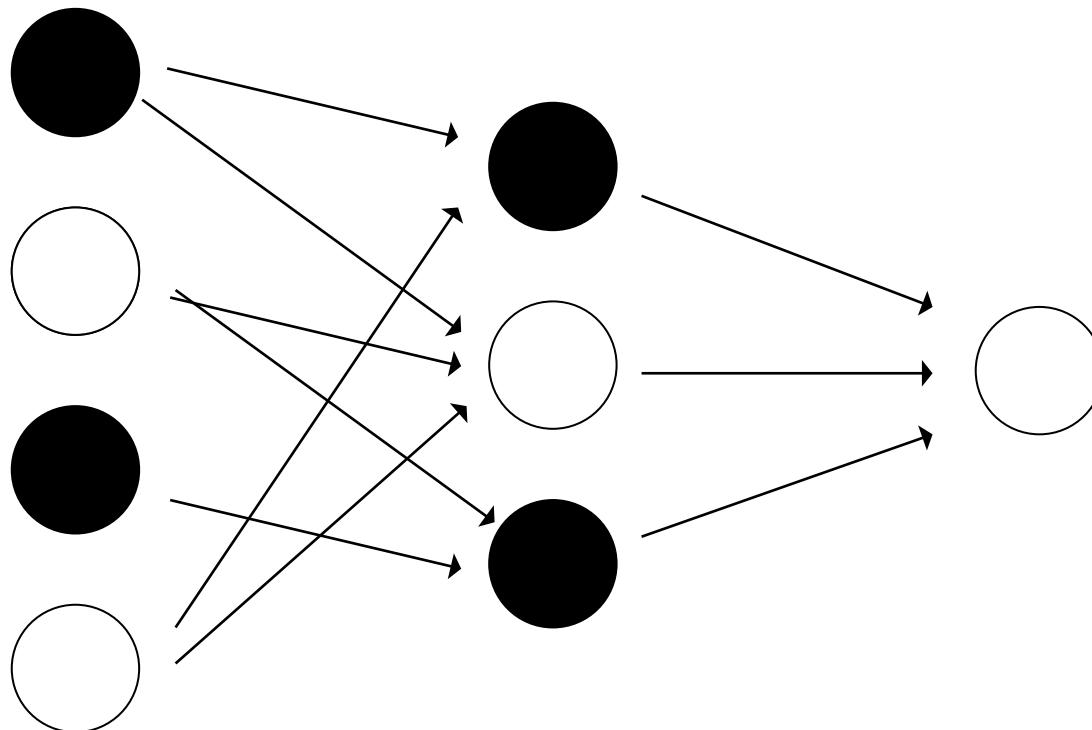
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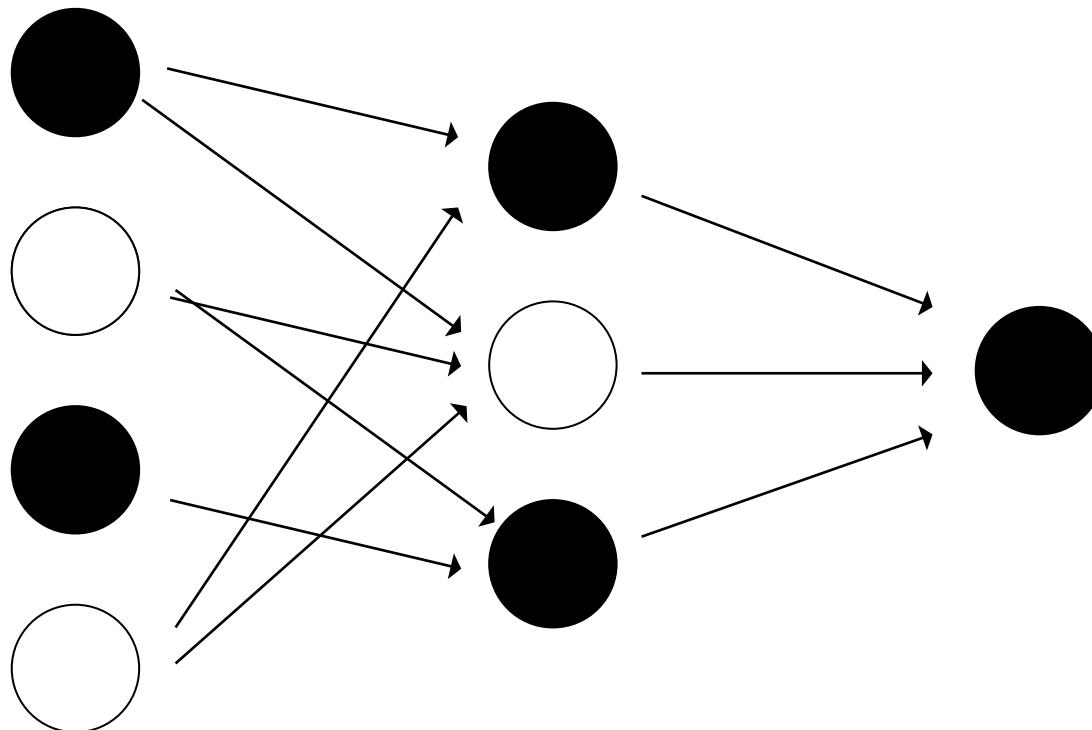
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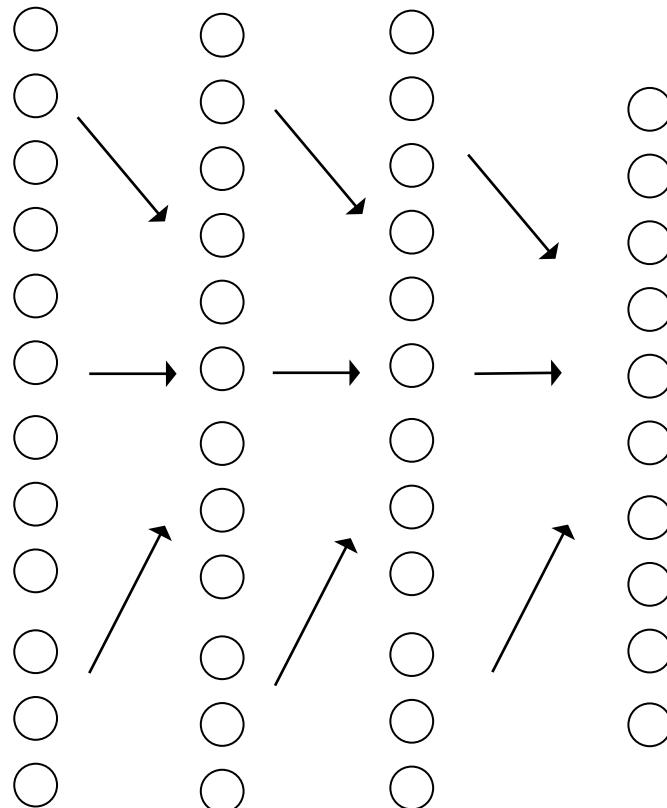
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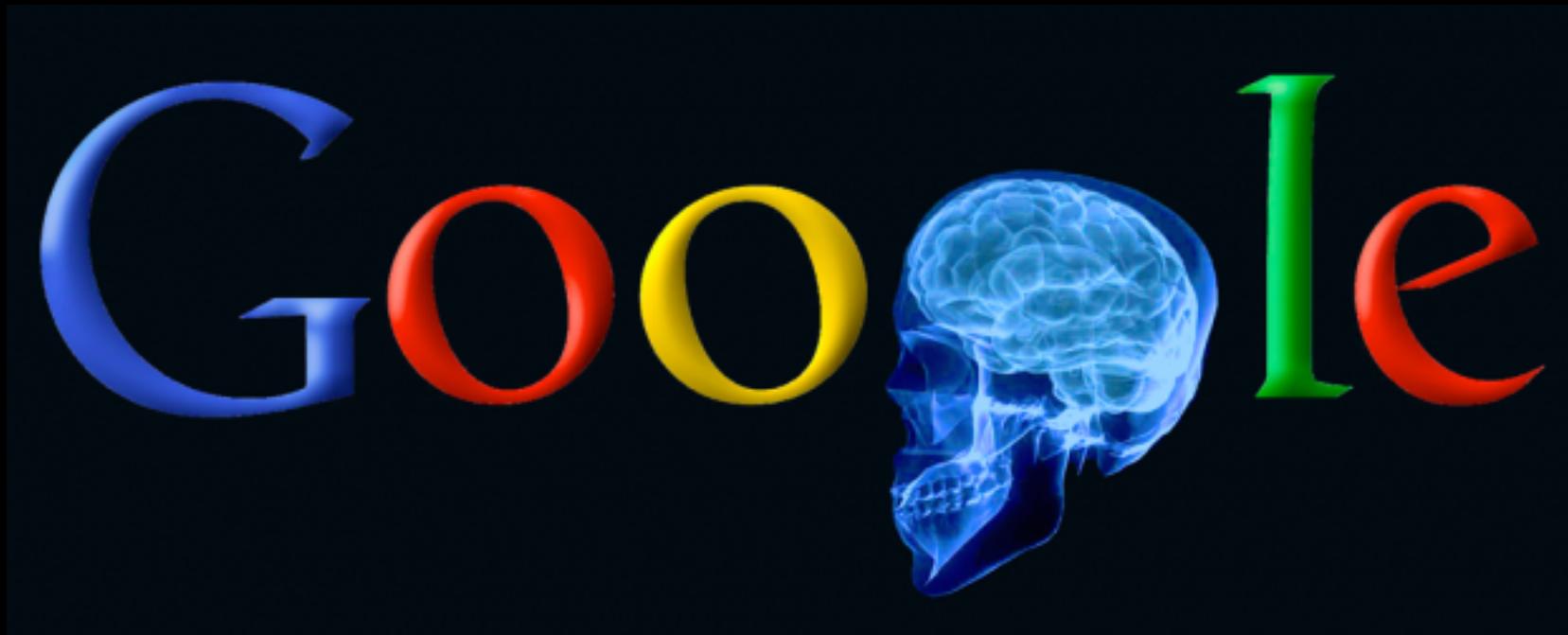
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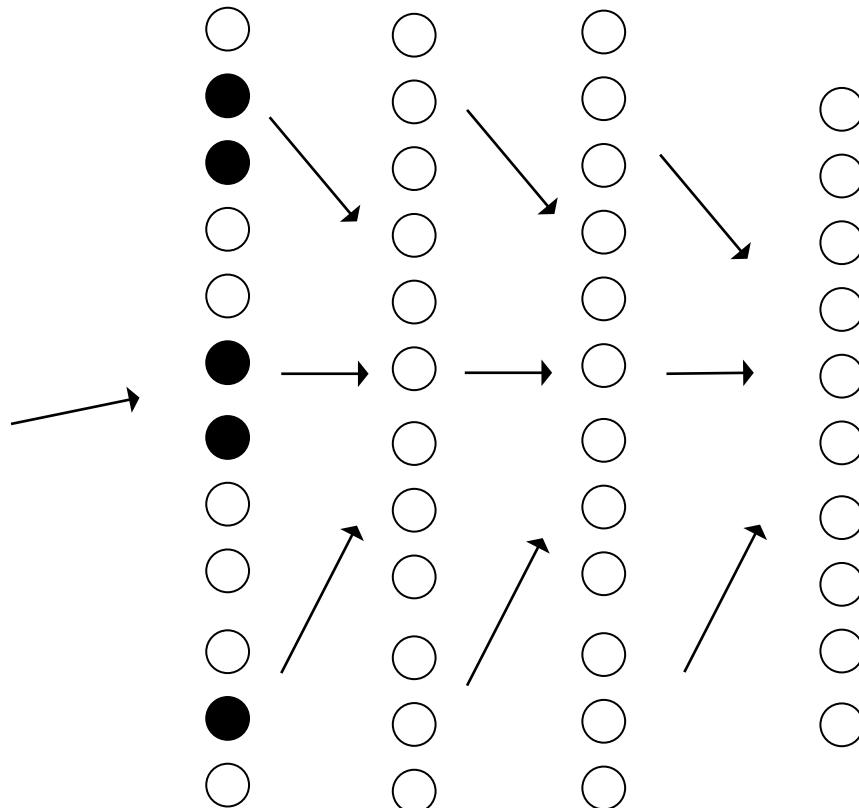
Google Brain



1 Trillion Artificial Neurons

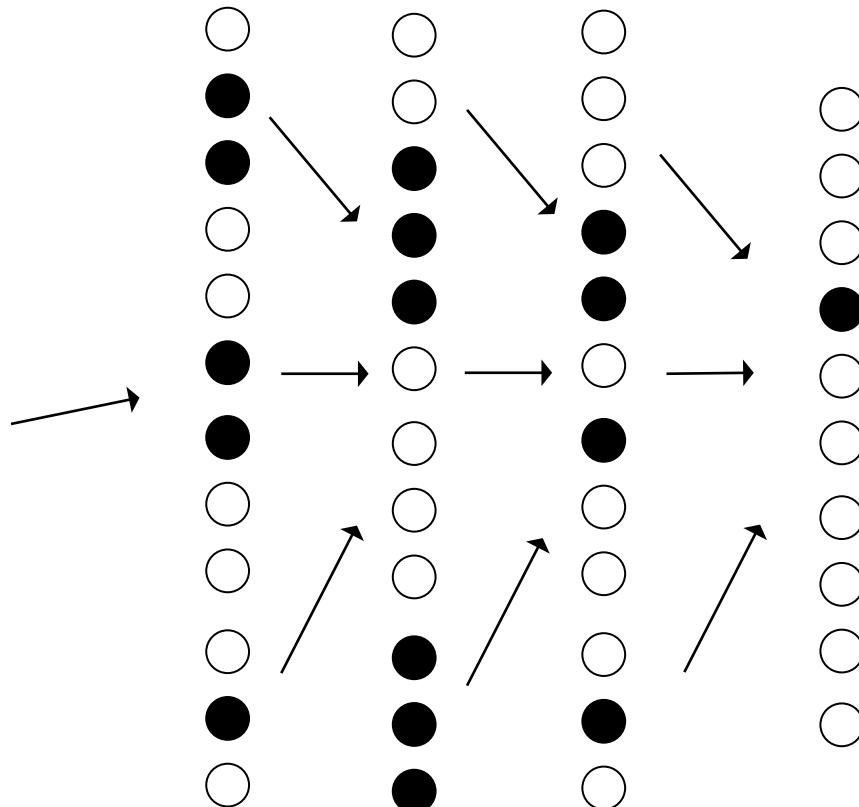
Make It Useful

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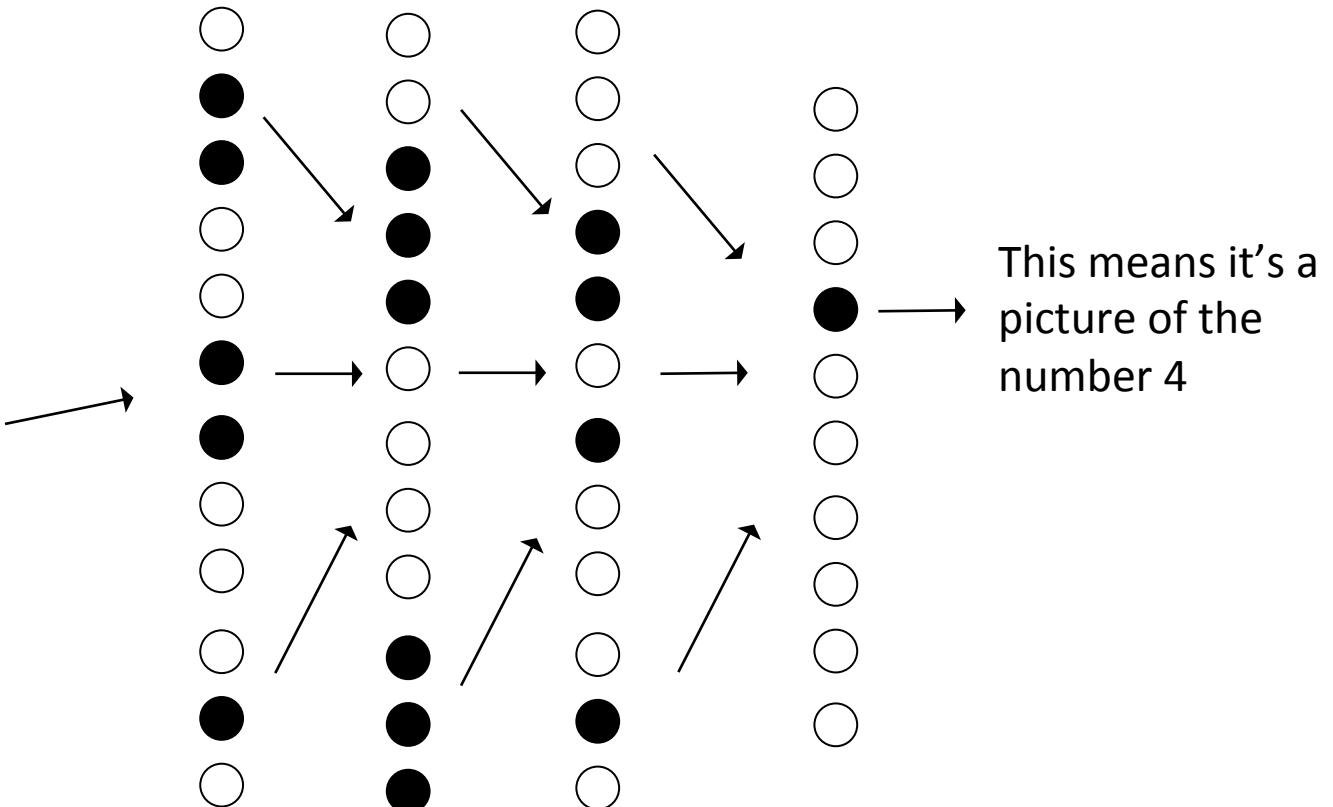
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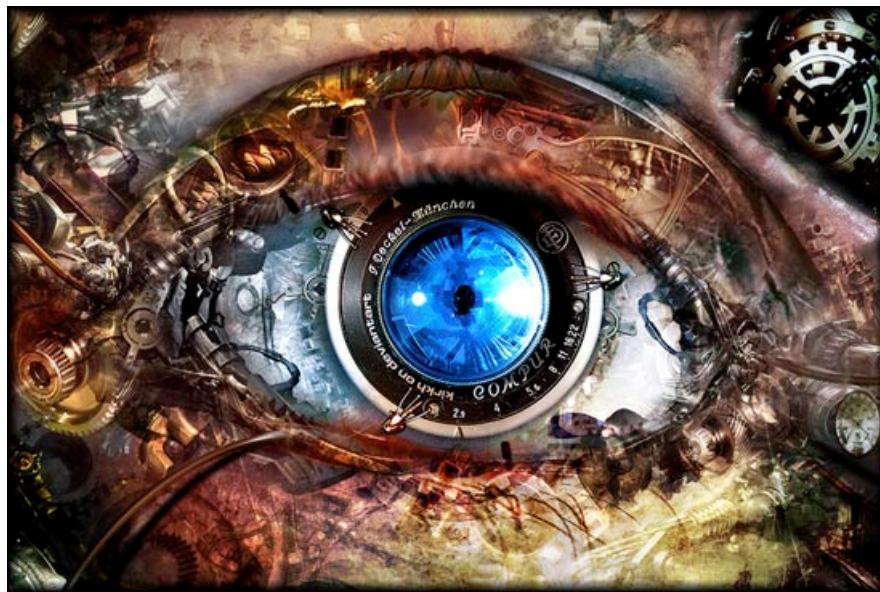
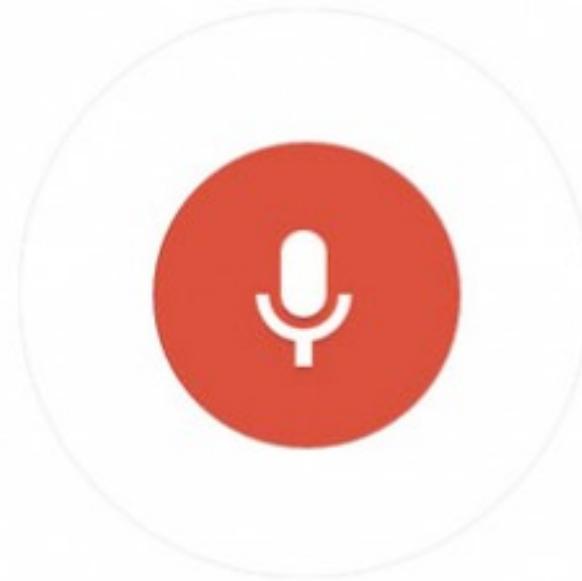


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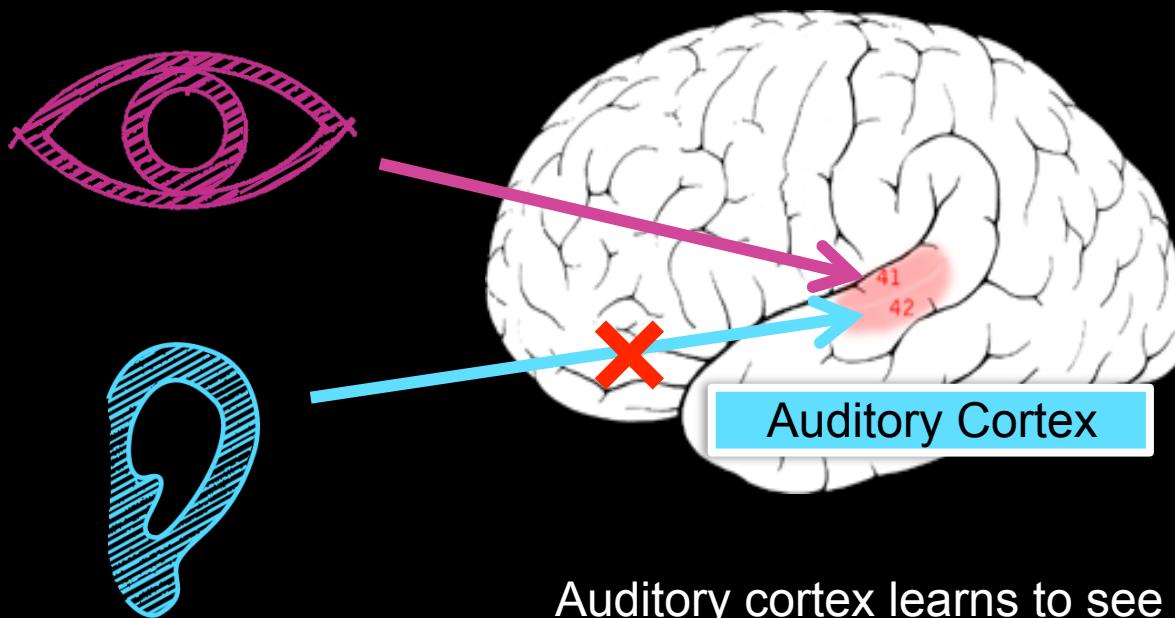
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Big Milestones



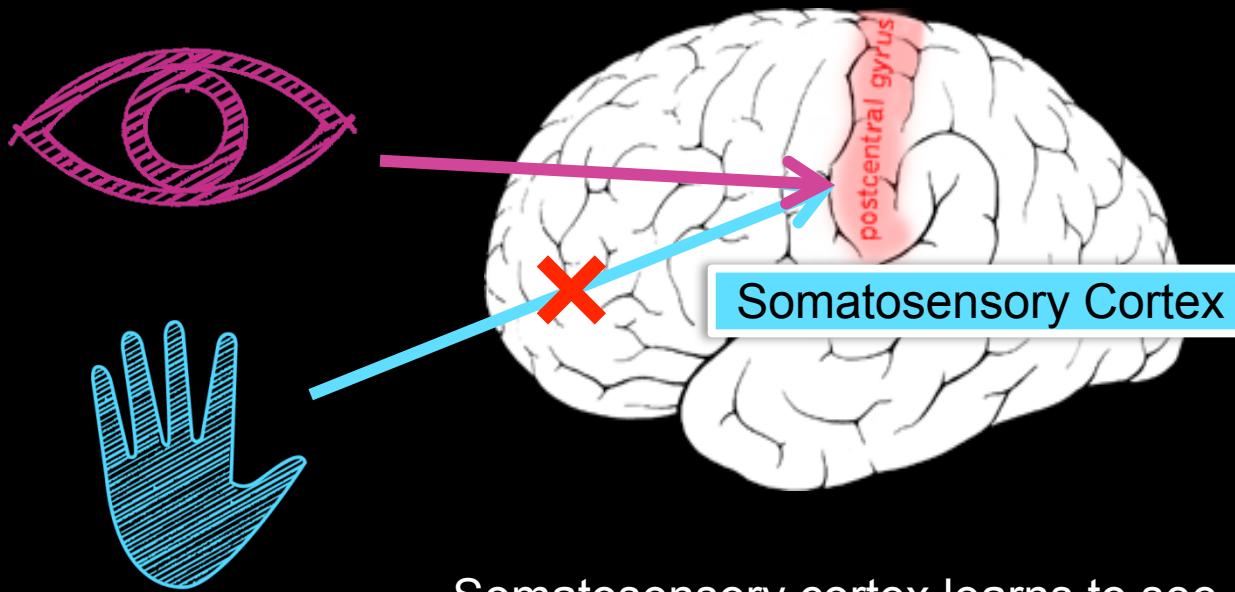
One Algorithm Hypothesis



[Roe et al., 1992]

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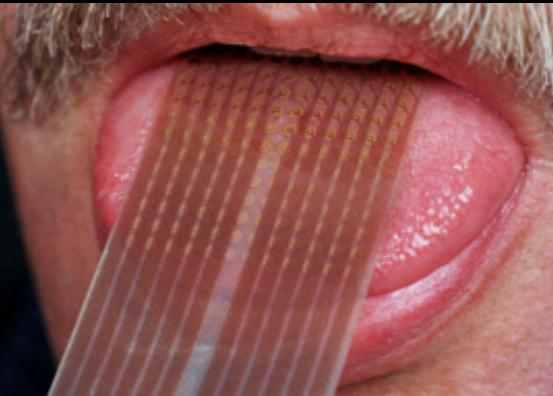
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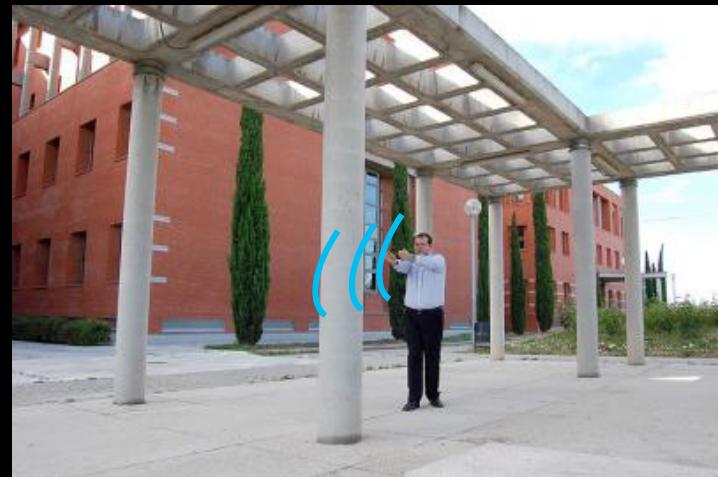
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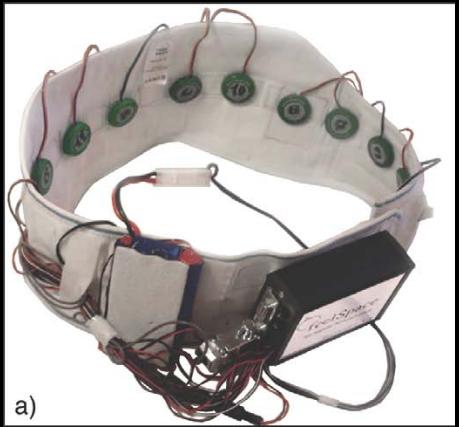
Sensor Representations



Seeing with your tongue



Human echolocation (sonar)



Haptic belt: Direction sense



Implanting a 3rd eye

Know It So You Can Beat It



Little math

The End.

A close-up photograph of a shiny, metallic silver top hat. The hat is positioned diagonally, with its pointed crown pointing towards the top left. It sits on a dark, textured surface that appears to be a piece of leather or a similar material. The lighting is dramatic, coming from the side, which creates strong highlights on the edges of the hat and deep shadows in the interior. The background is a solid, dark brown color.

The End?