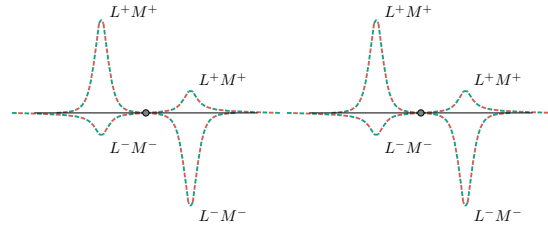
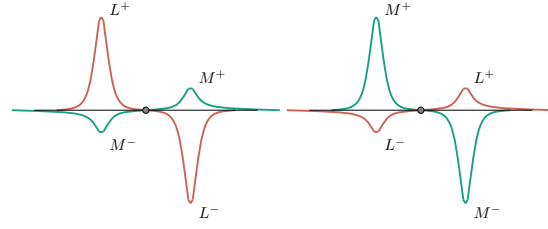


Figure 1: Diagram of *Opponent Processing of Receptive Fields* workflow. The L, M, and S channels are convoluted with center and surround gaussians and then combined to build opponent colors, here exemplified by single-opponent cell receptive fields.



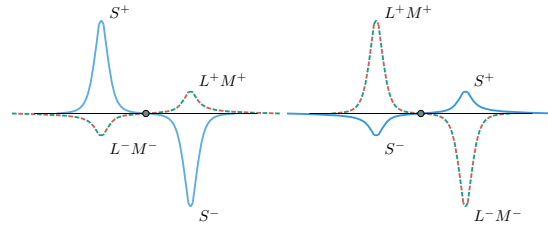
(a) Light DO  
Receptive Field

(b) Dark DO  
Receptive Field



(c) Red DO  
Receptive Field

(d) Green DO  
Receptive Field



(e) Blue DO  
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(f) Yellow DO  
Receptive Field

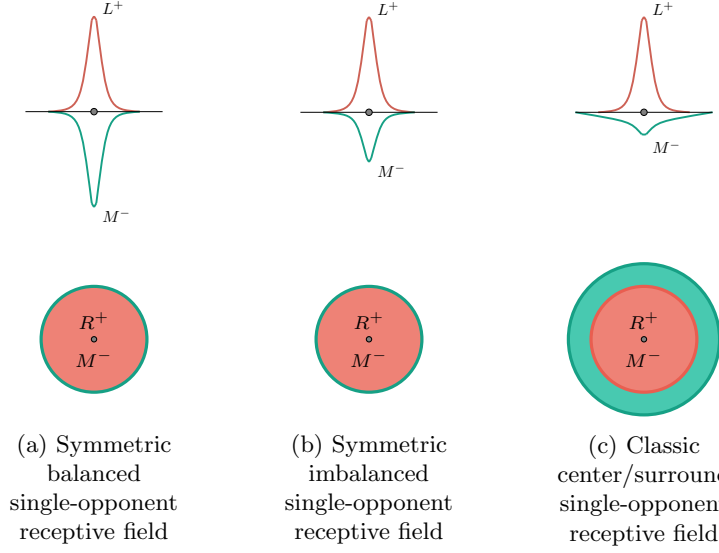


Figure 3: Examples of various possible single-opponent receptive field configurations, many others could be designed. All function to describe color properties of surfaces, though their response patterns to similar stimuli vary slightly.

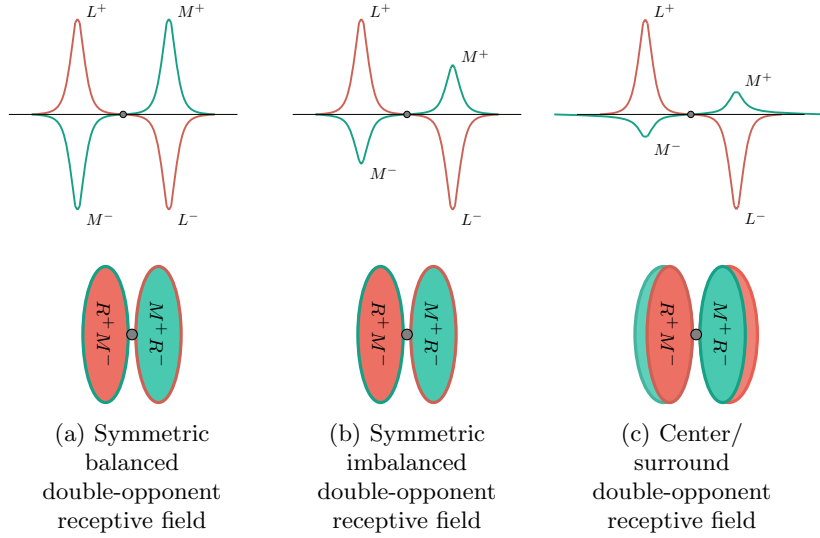


Figure 4: Examples of various possible double-opponent receptive field configurations, many others could be designed. All function to describe color properties of borders, though their response patterns to similar stimuli vary slightly.

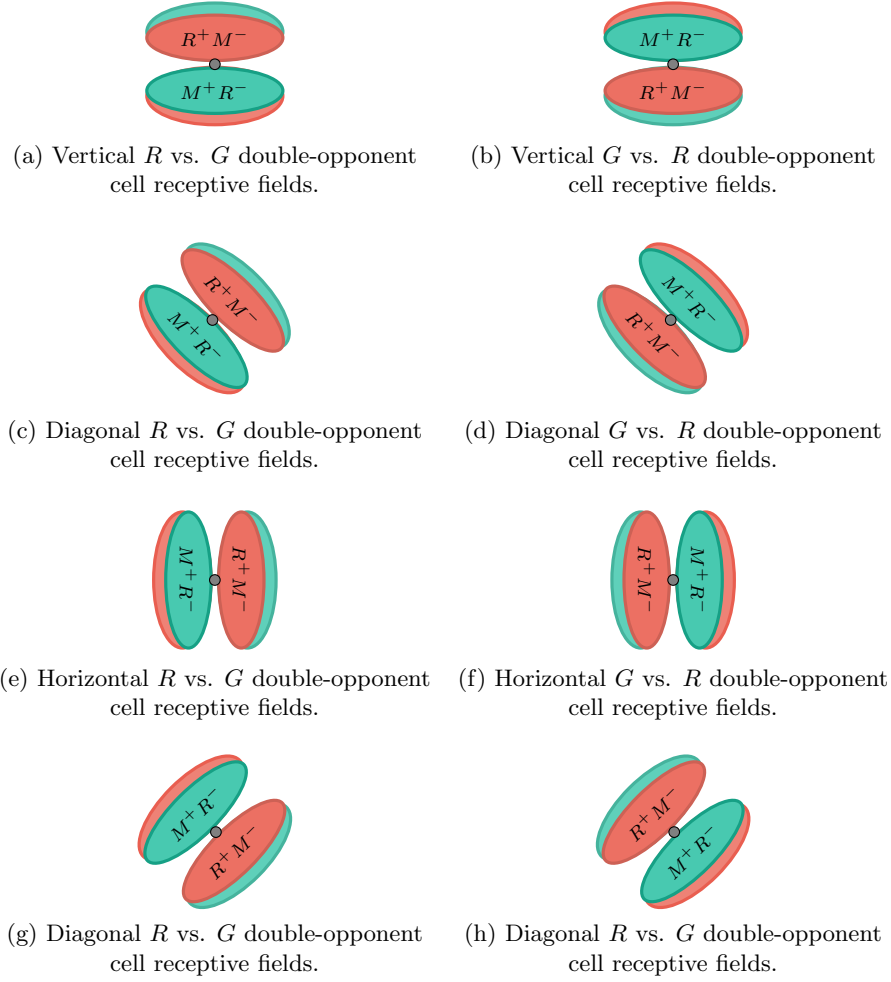


Figure 5: Schematic of orientation selectivity in double-opponent receptive field configurations. Any single double-opponent neuron only has one receptive field hard wired into it. By having collections of neurons, each selective to a different orientation at the same retinotopic location, we obtain a degree of rotation invariance.

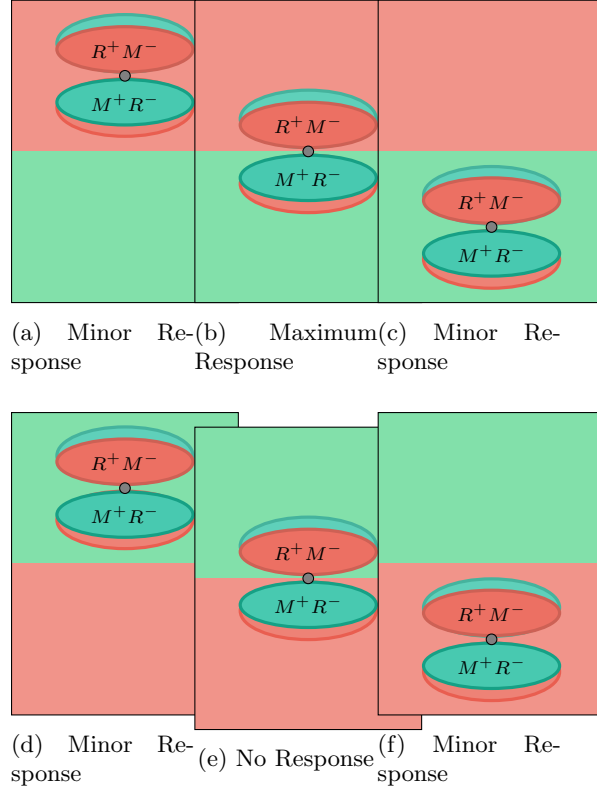


Figure 6: A double-opponent cell selective to horizontally oriented borders with red above and green below; only responsive to that particular stimulus. In Figure (b), the neuron is presented with its ideal stimulus: its  $L^+$  and  $M^+$  receptive fields are fully activated while its  $L^-$  and  $M^-$  receptive fields are completely unactivated. Figure (e) presents the neuron with the exact opposite stimulus, neither its  $L^+$  nor  $M^+$  receptive fields are activate at all, and both its  $L^-$  and  $M^-$  receptive fields are fully activated, ensuring no response possible from the cell. While its  $L^+$  receptive field might be strongly stimulated in (a) and (f), it's  $L^-$  receptive field cancels it out. Similarly, in (c) and (d) its  $M^+$  receptive field is stimulated but cancelled out by activity in its  $M^-$  receptive field.

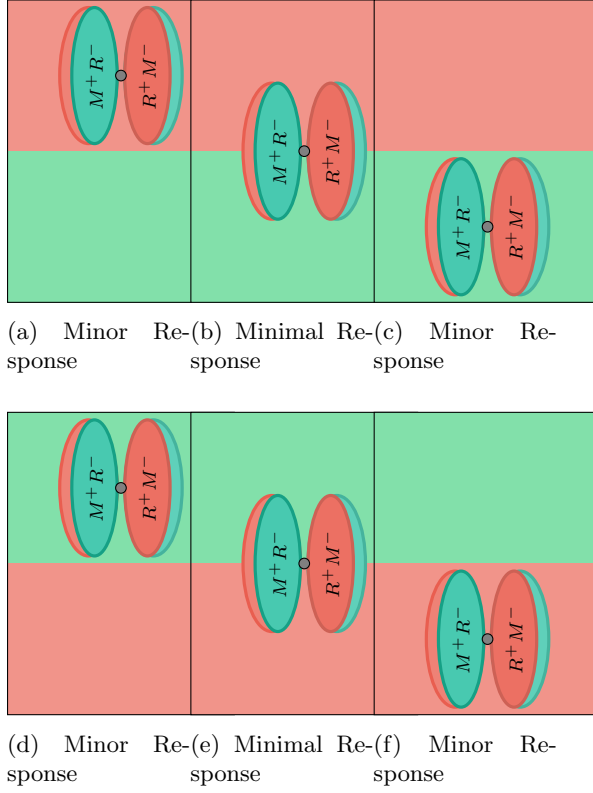


Figure 7: A double-opponent cell selective to vertically oriented borders with red to the right and green on the left; completely unresponsive to a horizontal border. While its  $L^+$  receptive field might be strongly stimulated in (a) and (f), its  $L^-$  receptive field cancels it out. Similarly, in (c) and (d) its  $M^+$  receptive field is stimulated but cancelled out by activity in its  $M^-$  receptive field. In (b) and (e) both of its  $L^+$  and  $M^+$  receptive fields are moderately activated, but again, cancelled out by activation in its  $L^-$  and  $M^-$  receptive fields, respectively.