

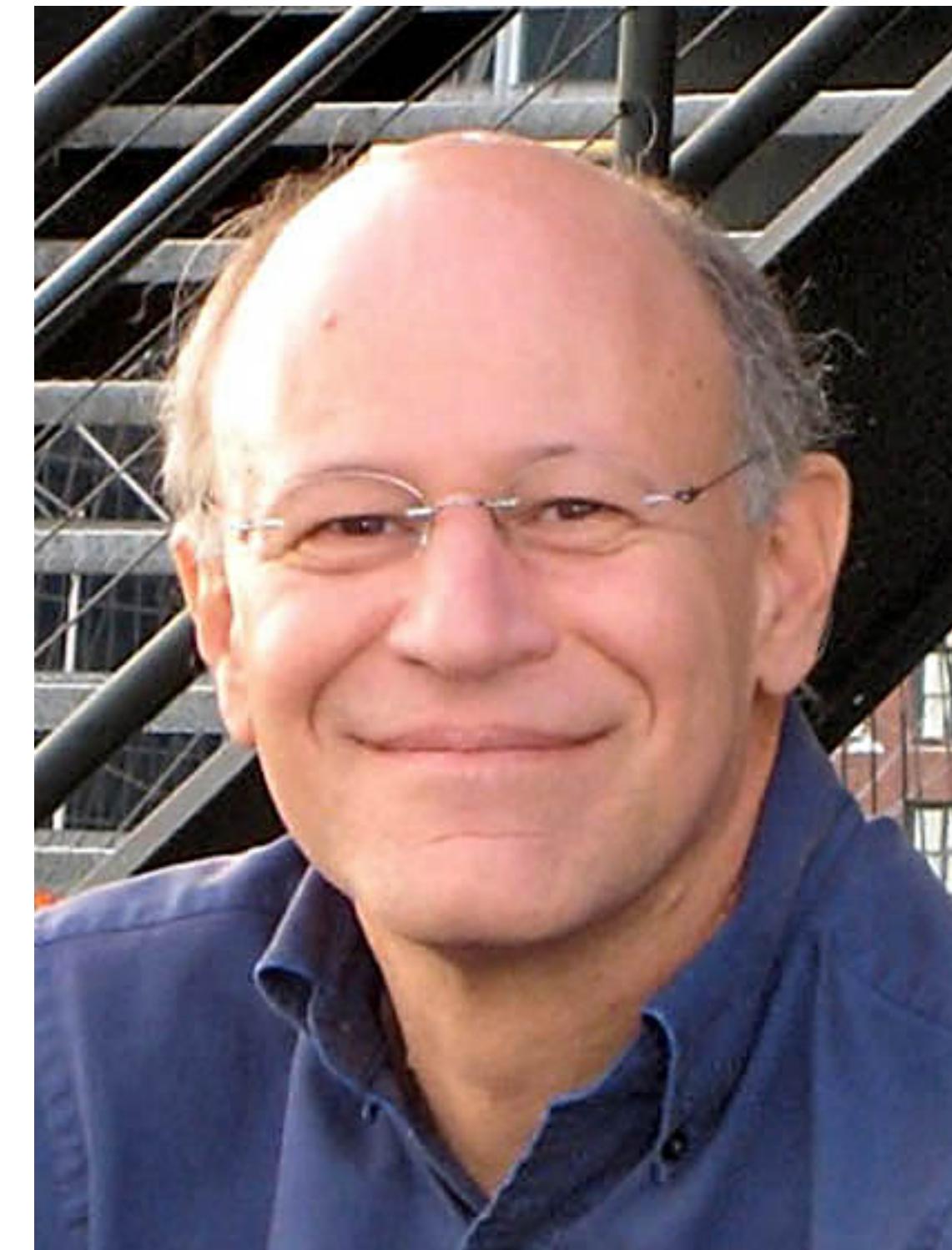
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Do

Learn - Network - Make friends.



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Sleep

Party

Talk

Ask

Shoot the shit

Make Memories

Know yourself and push yourself

Consume everything in moderation, even moderation



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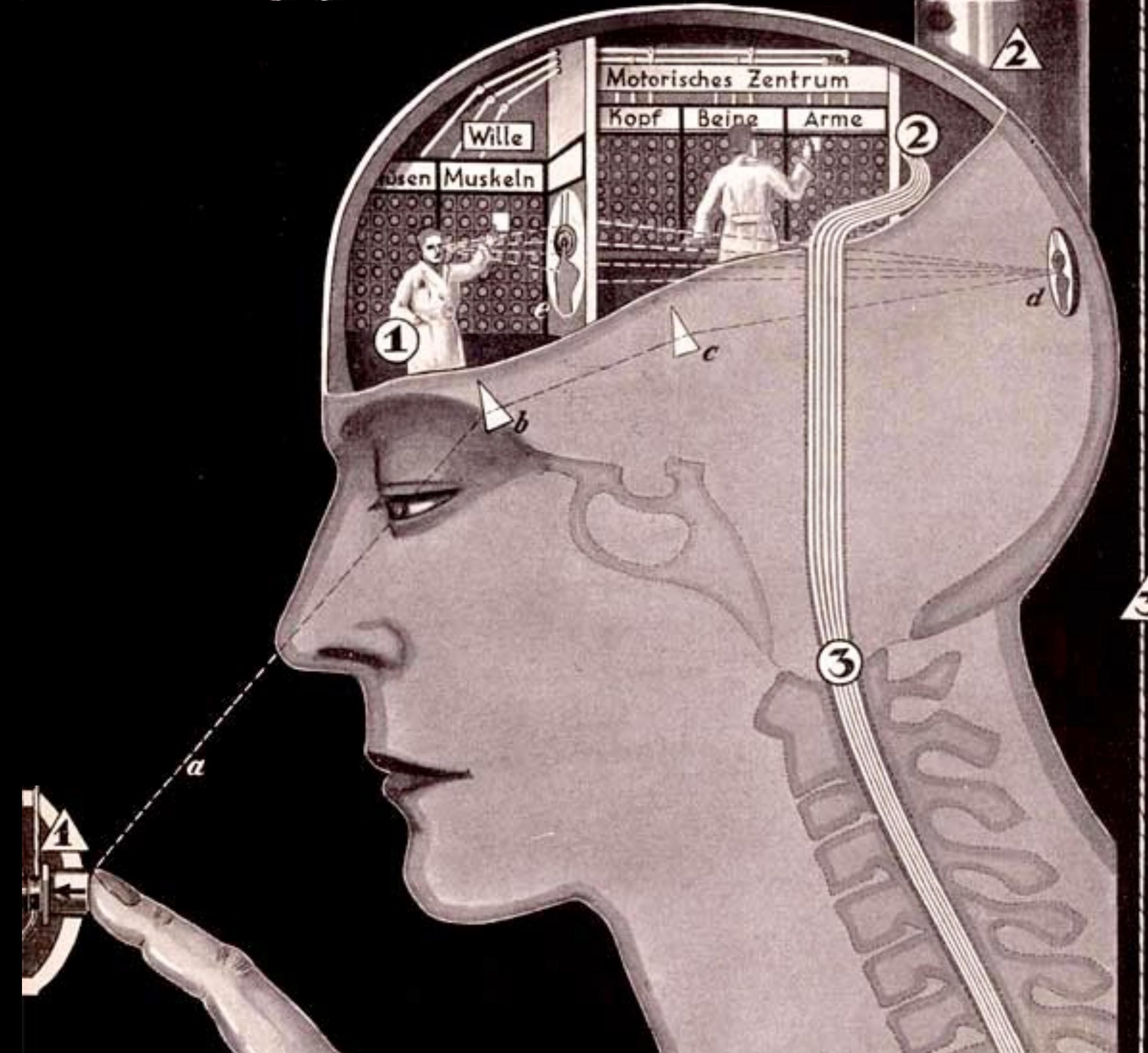
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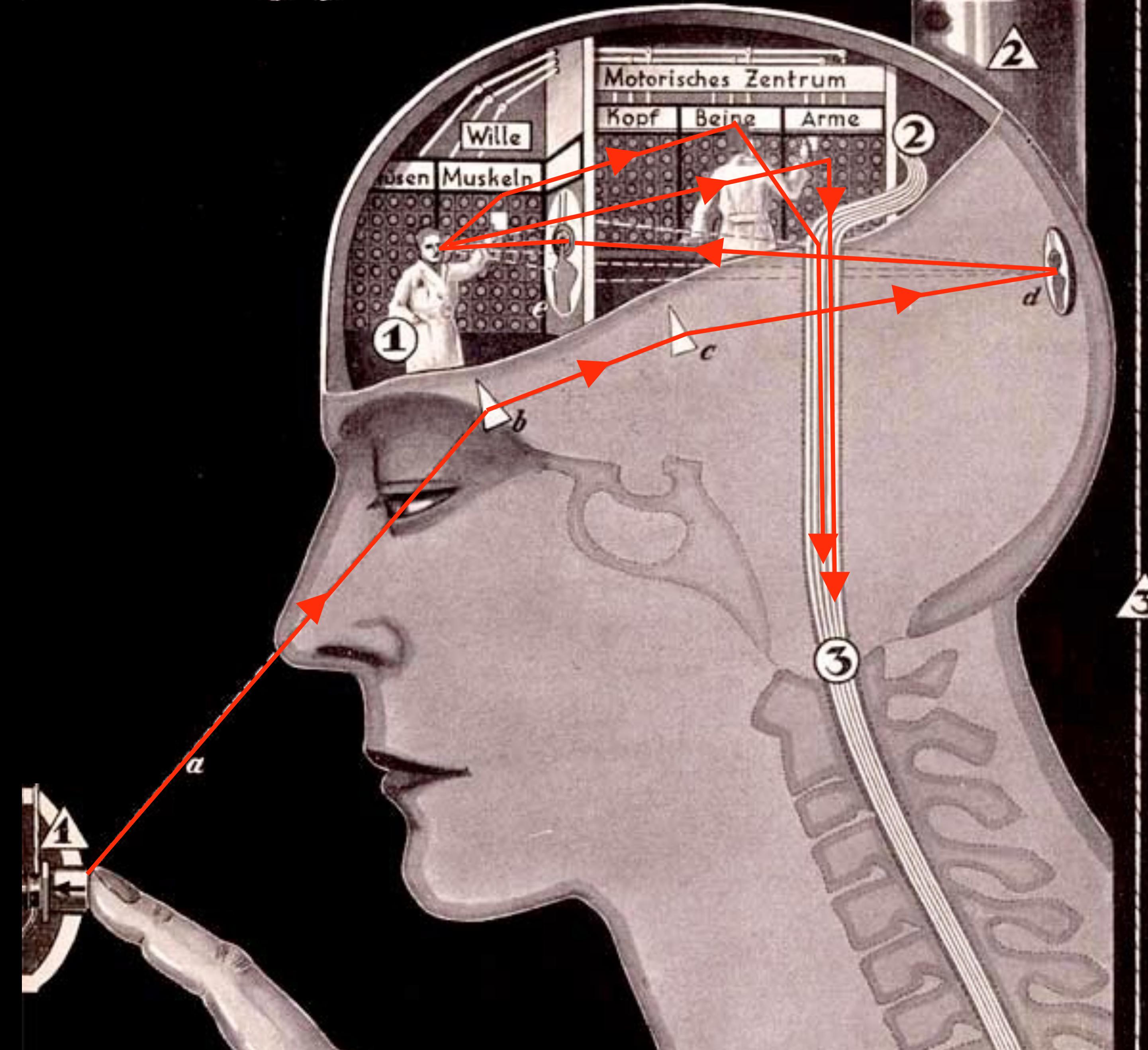


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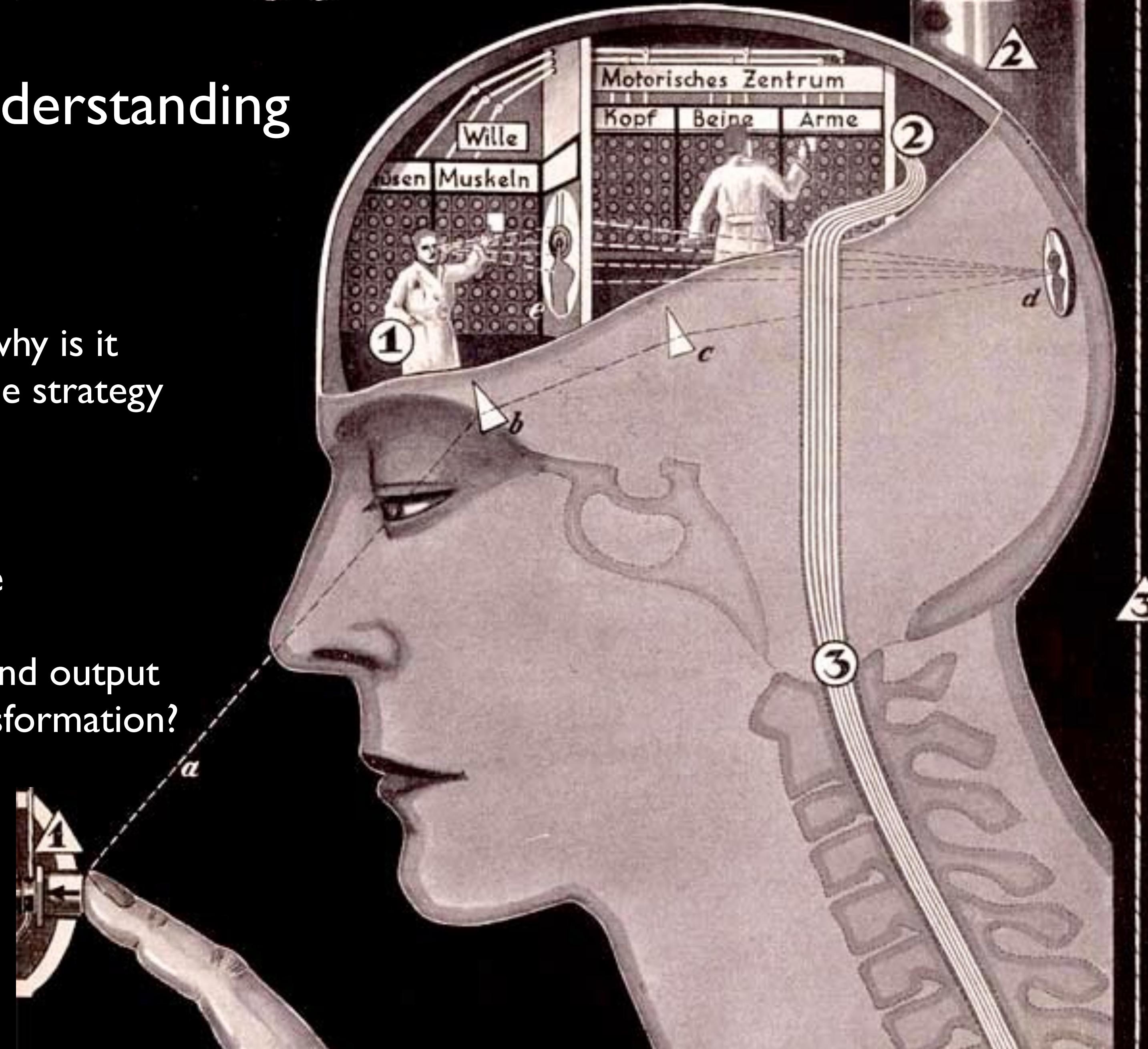
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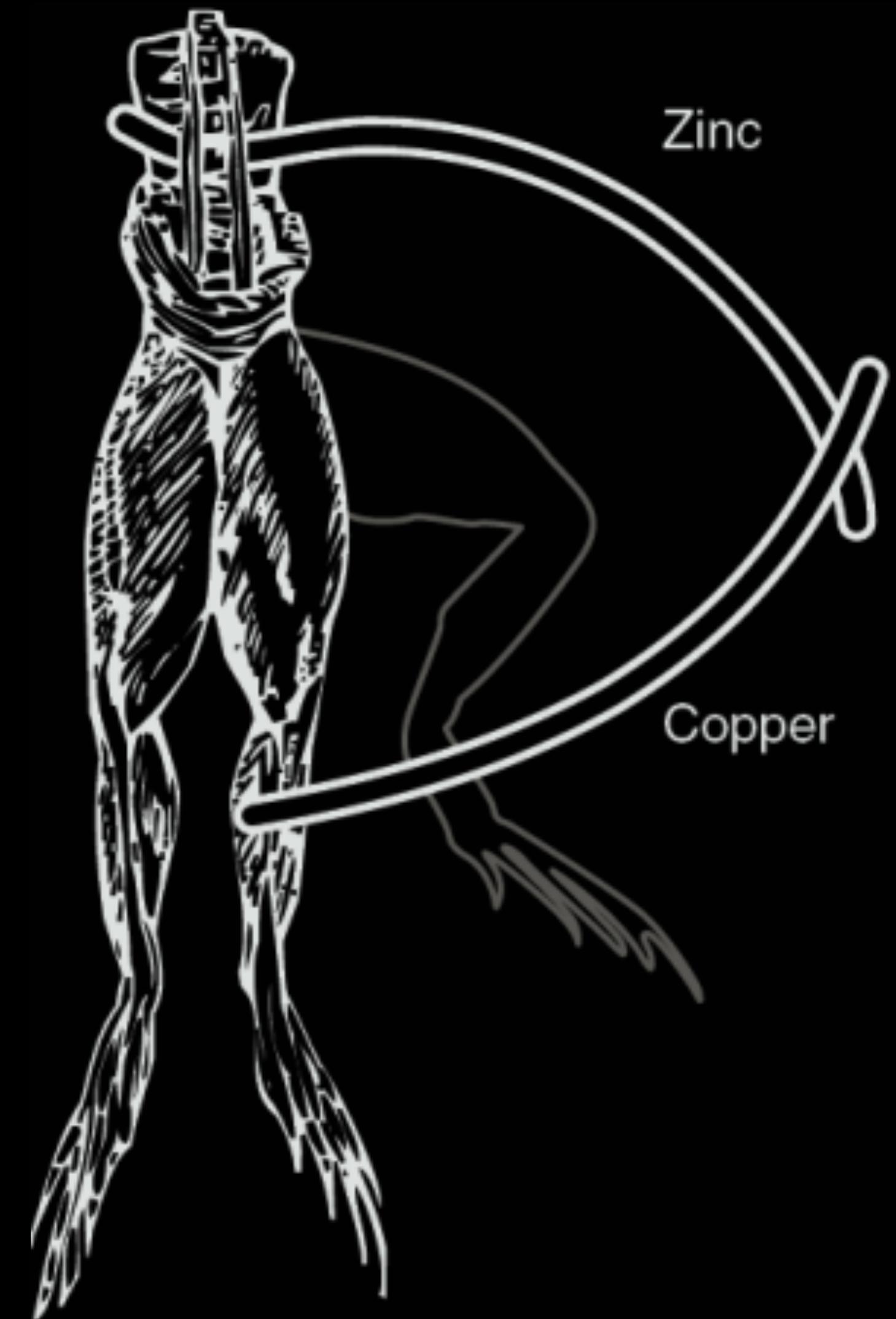
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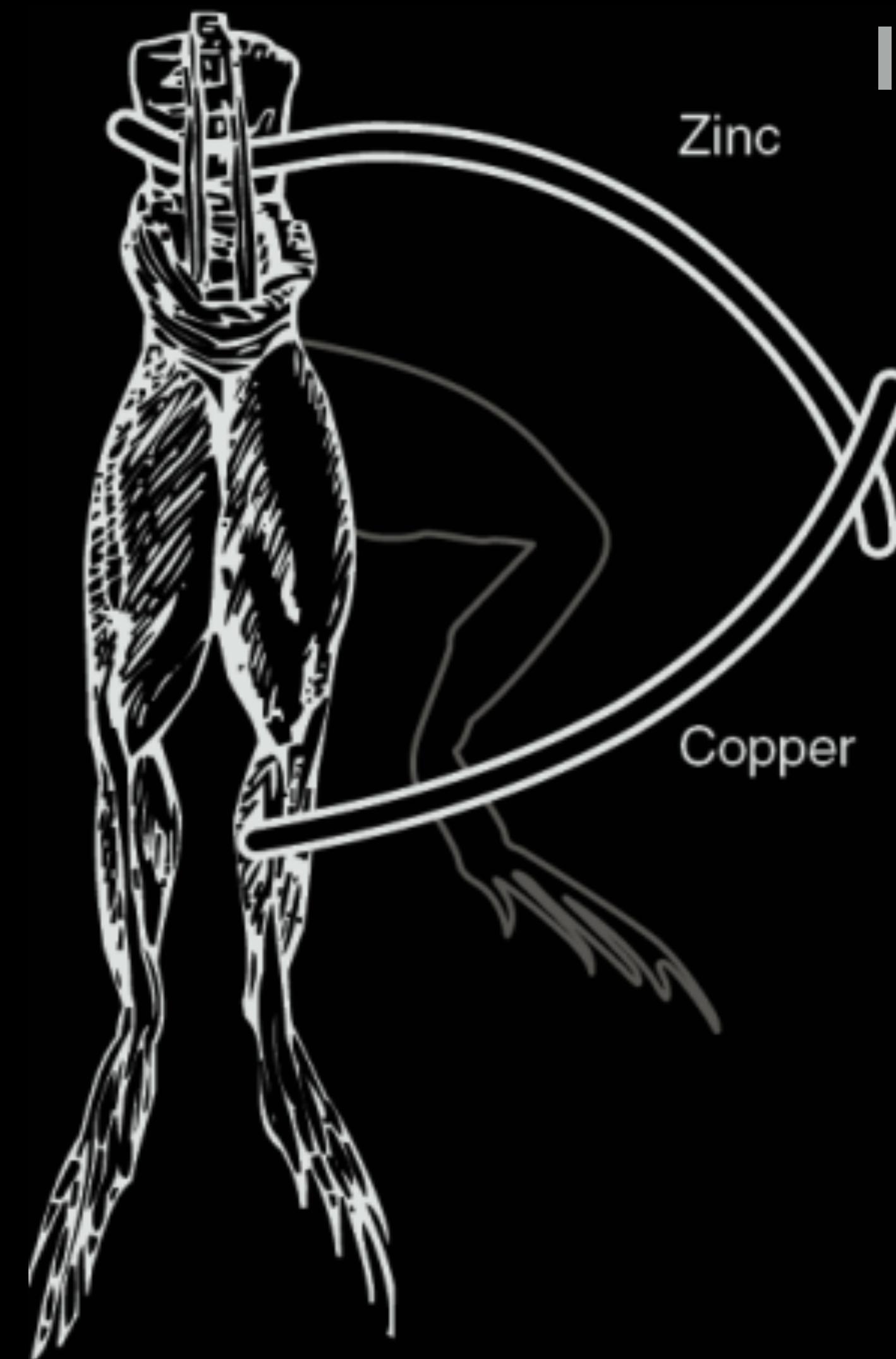


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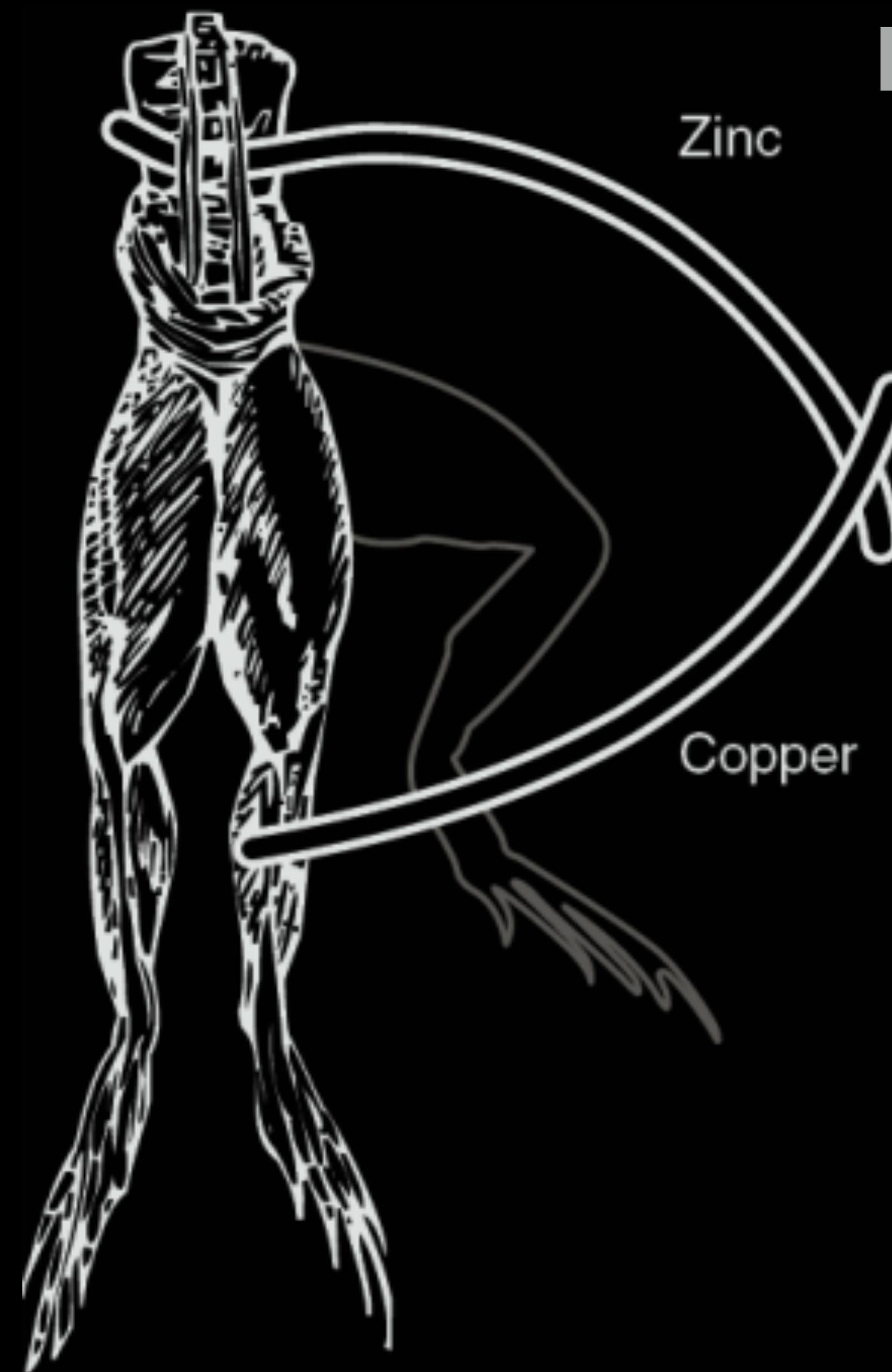


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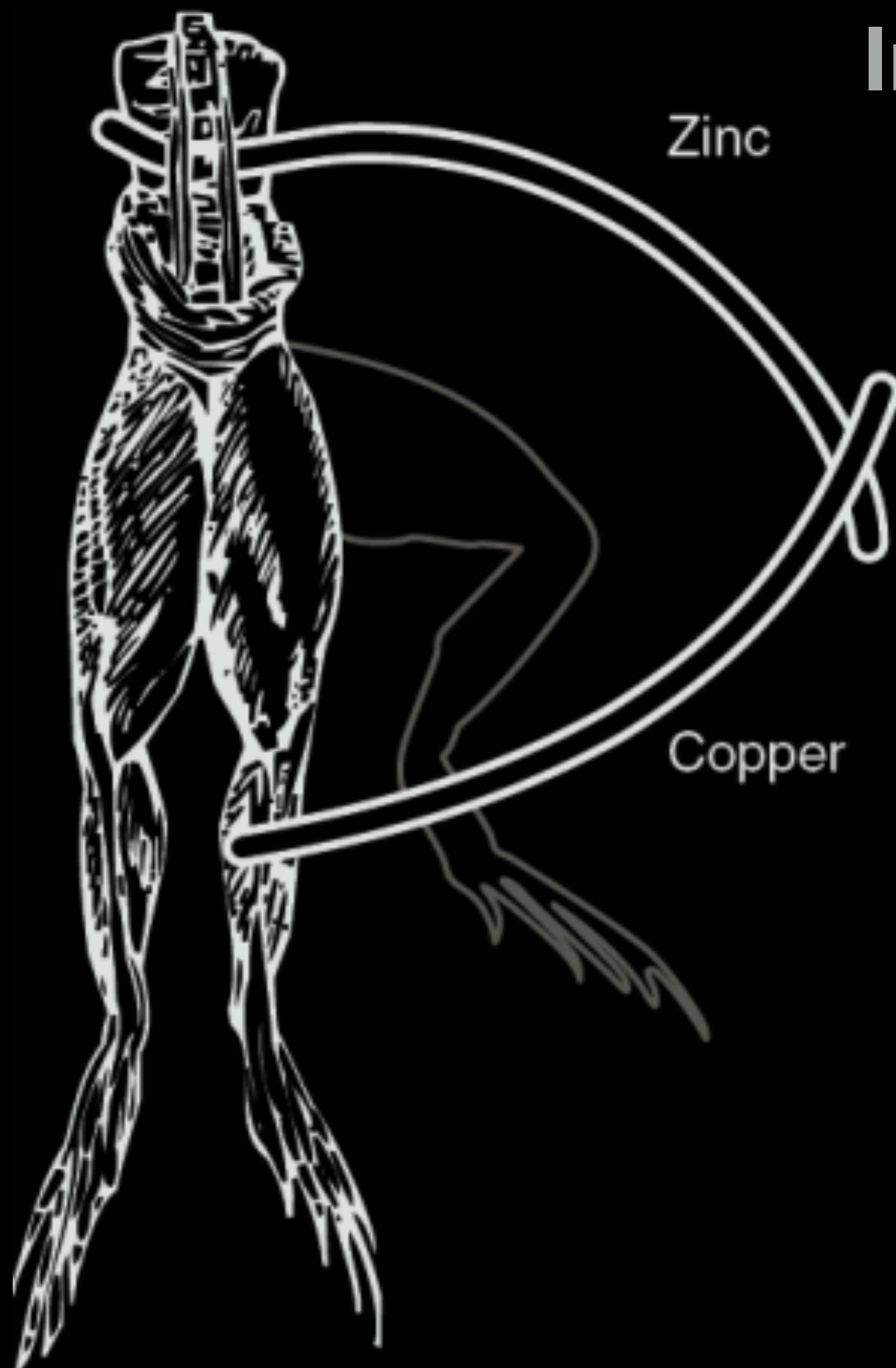
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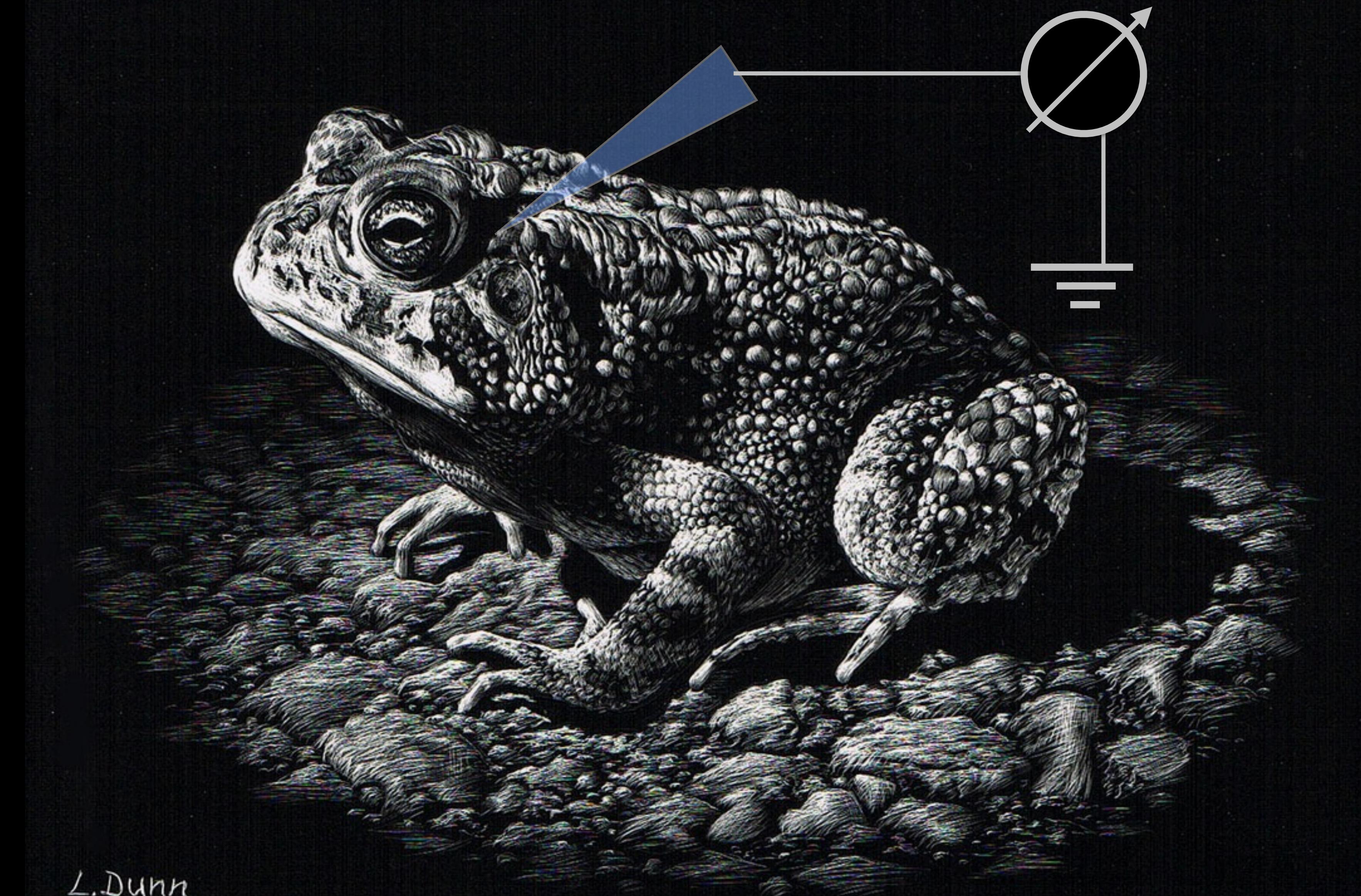
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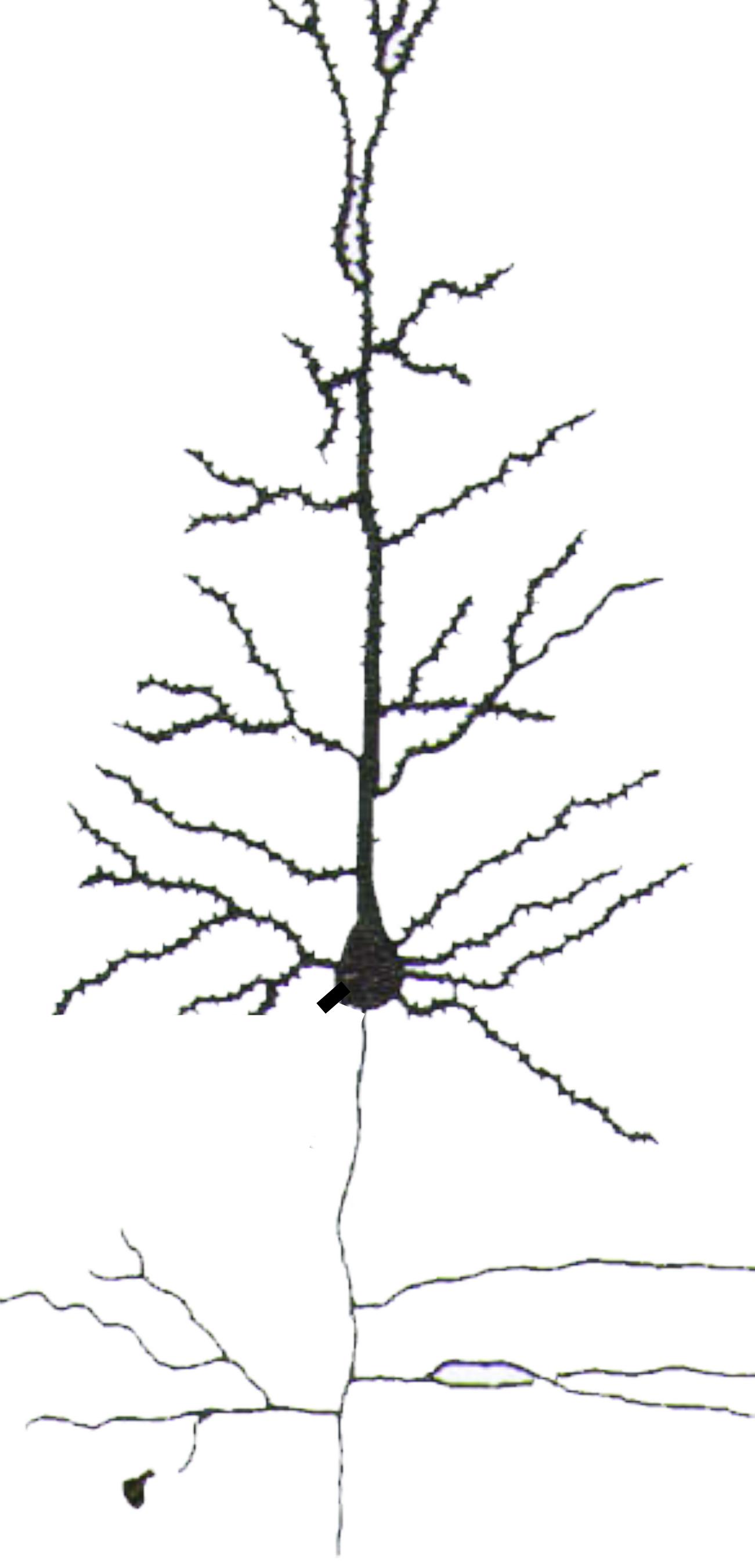
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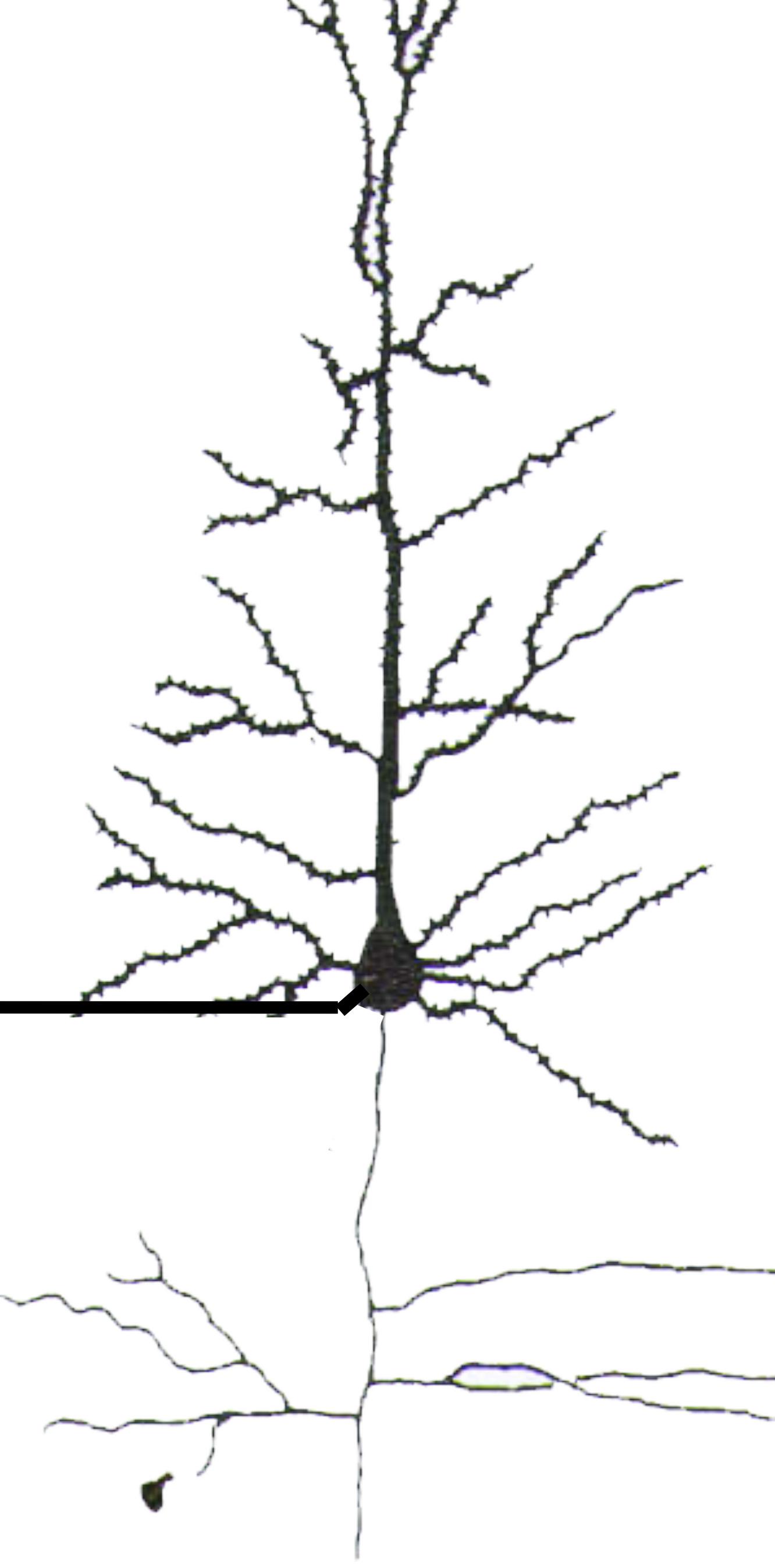
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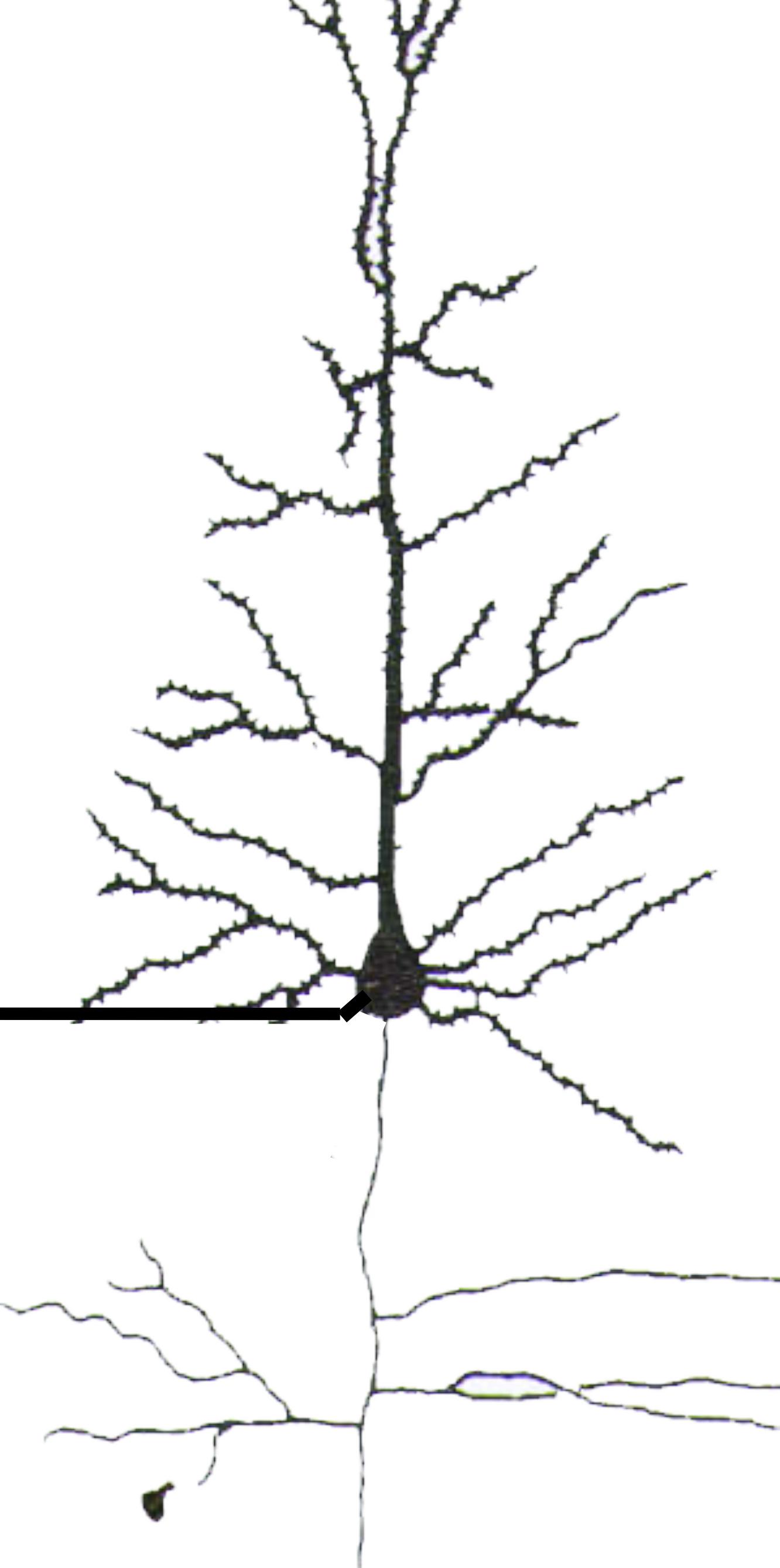
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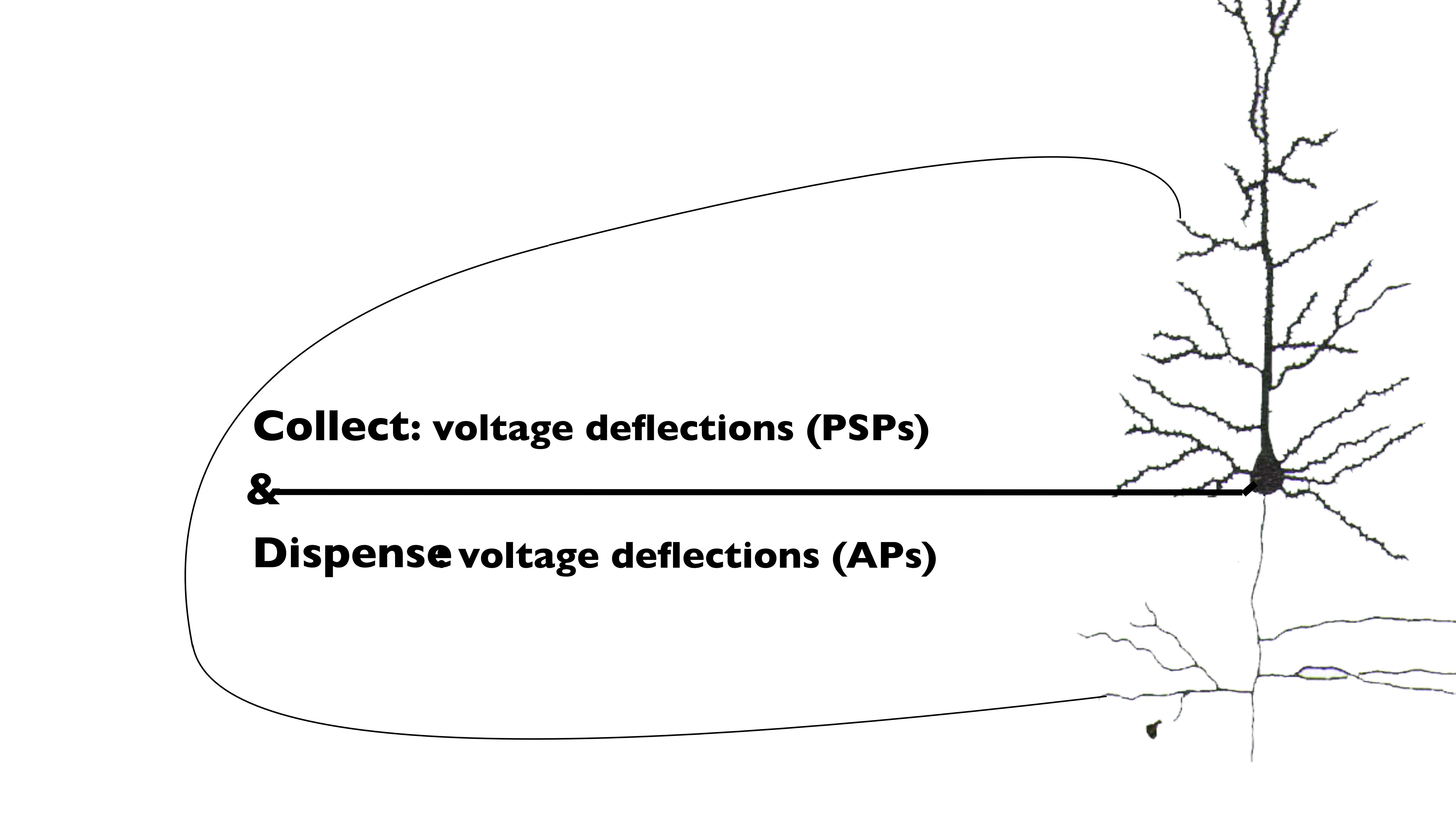


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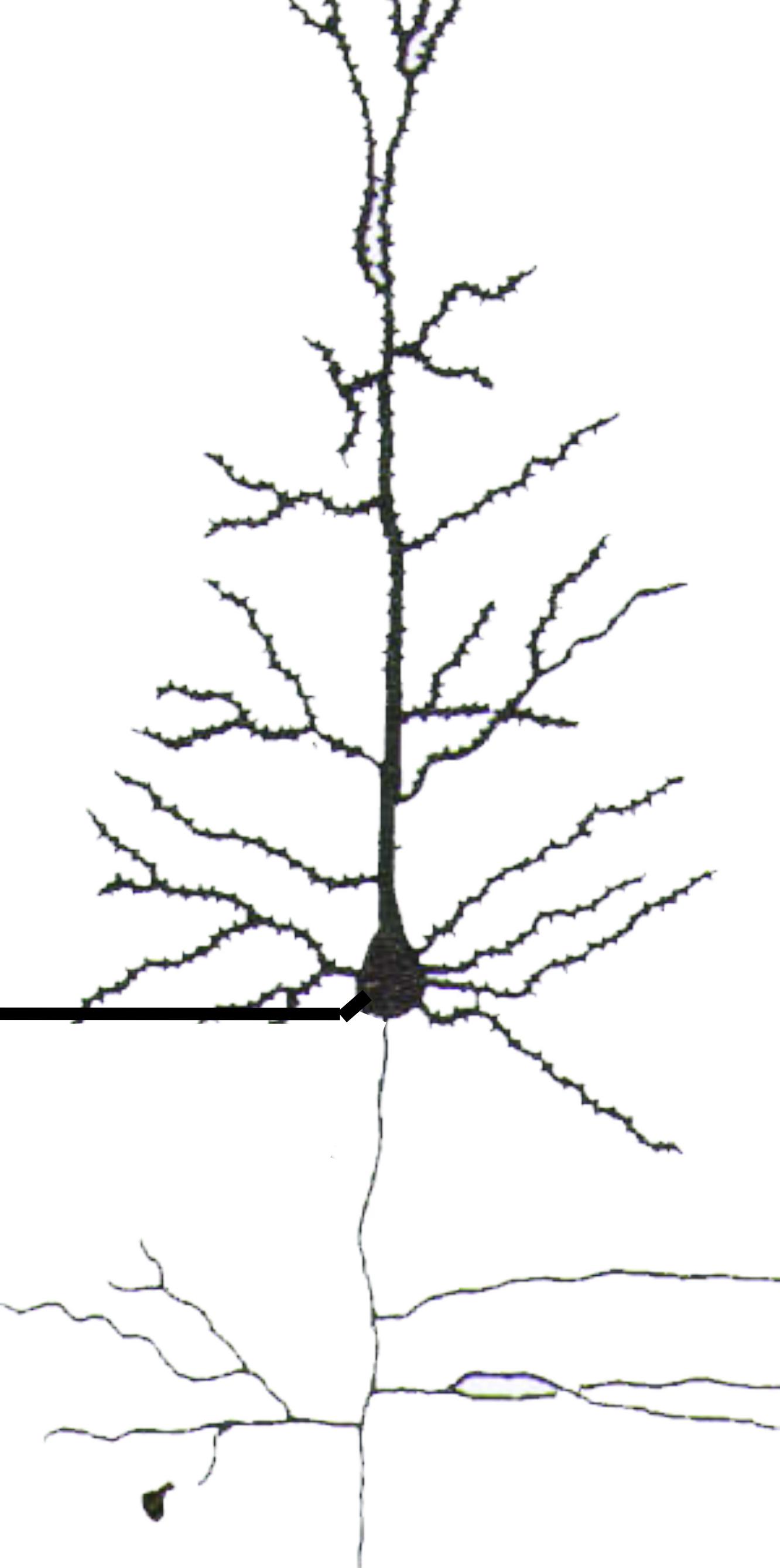
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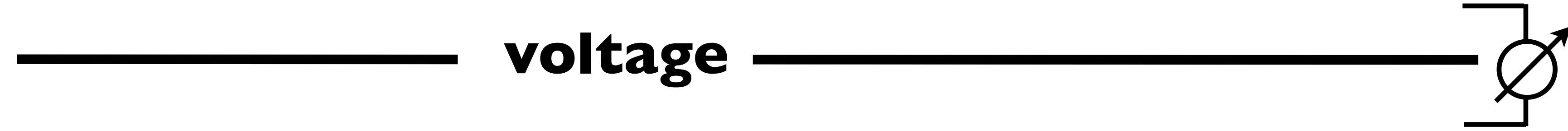
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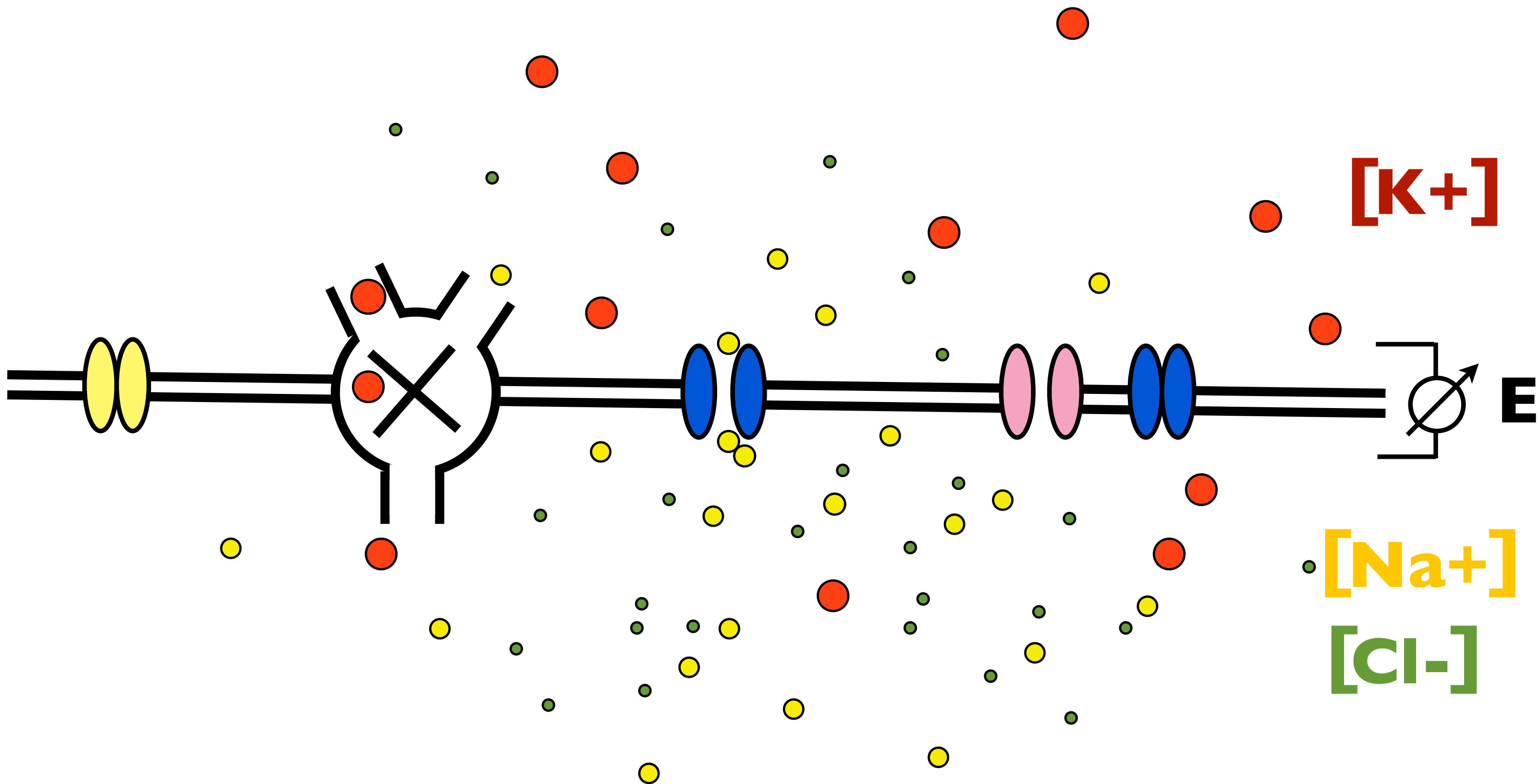


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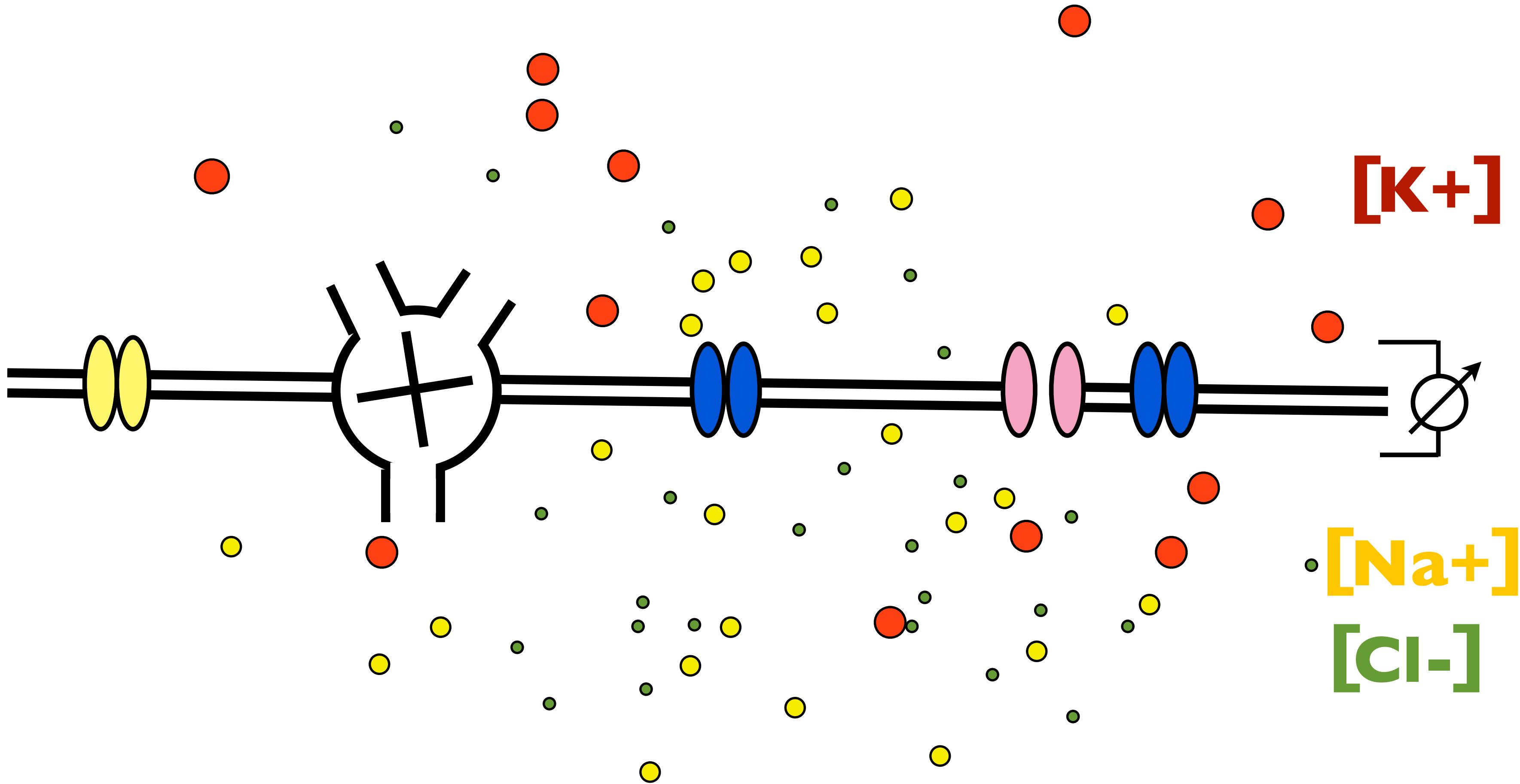
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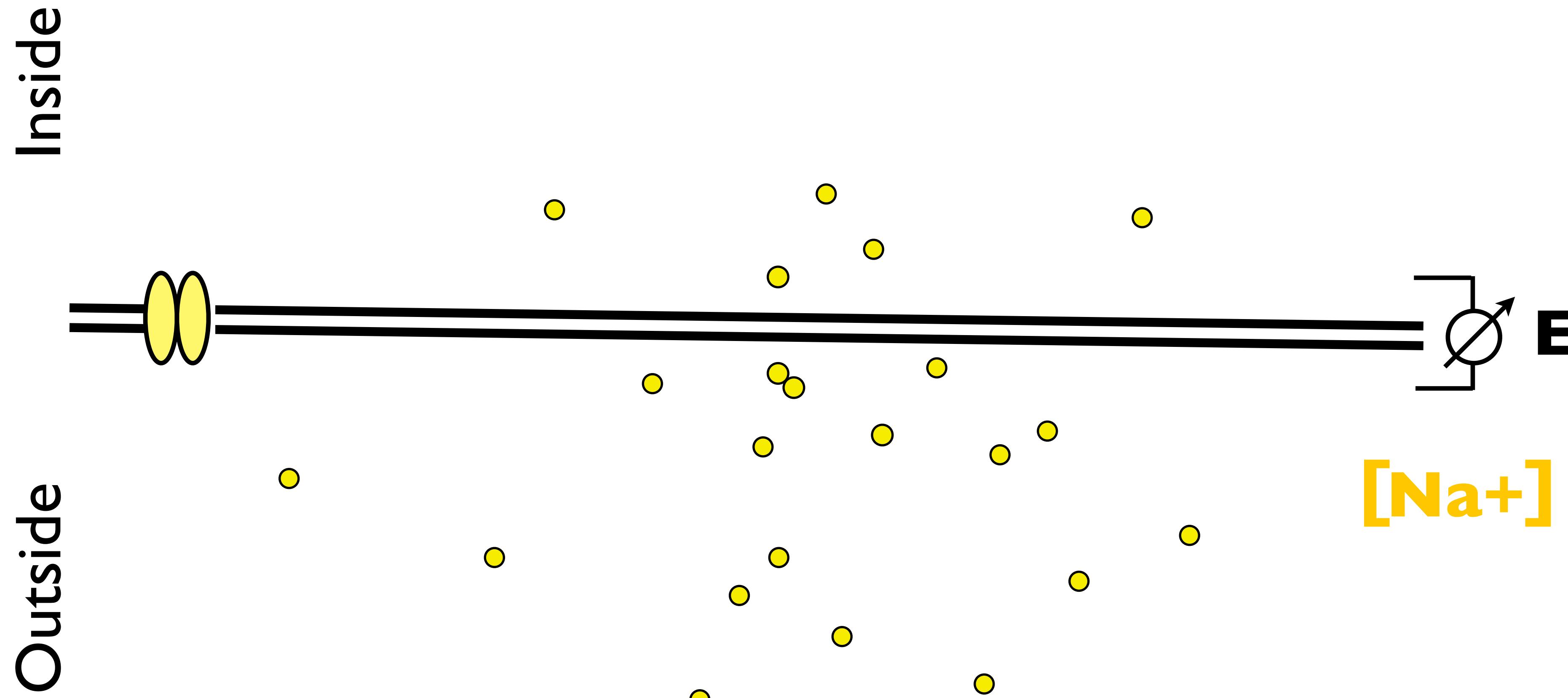
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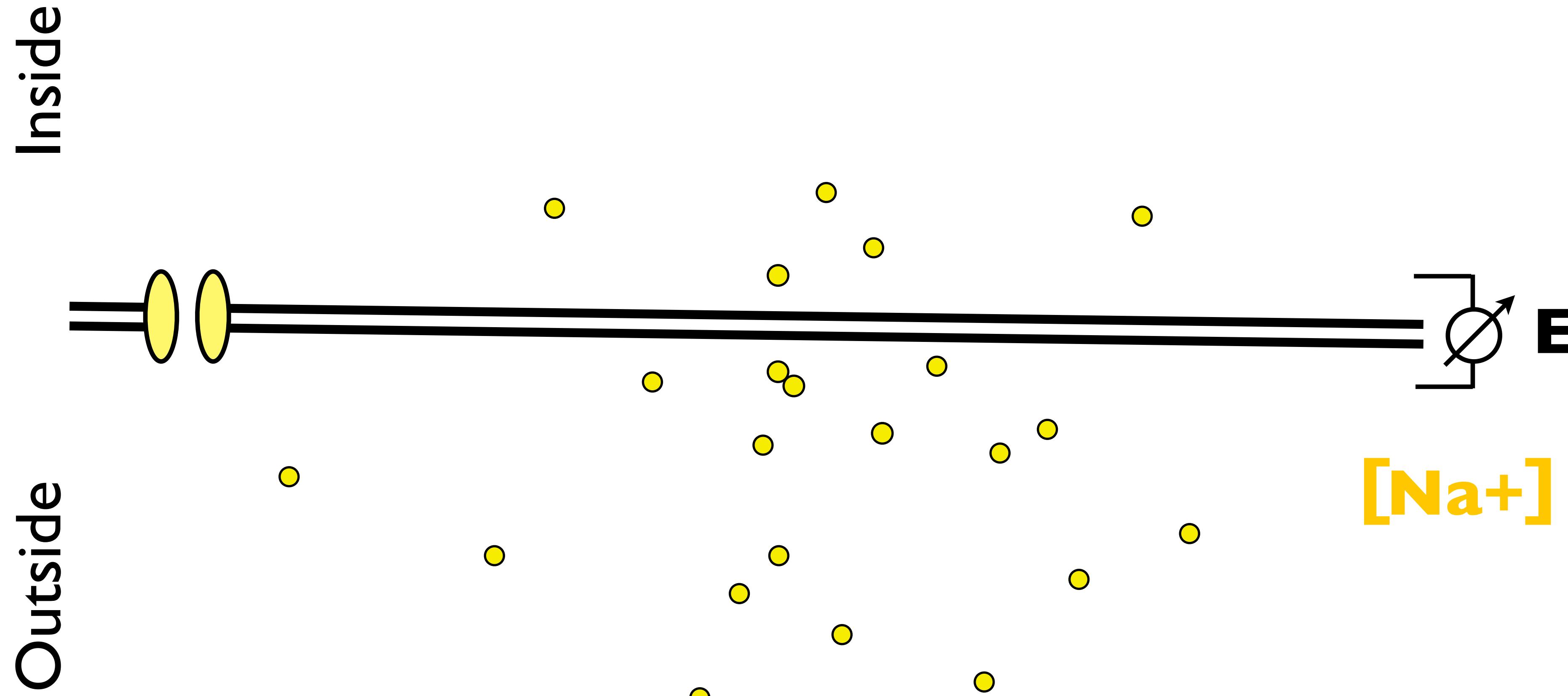
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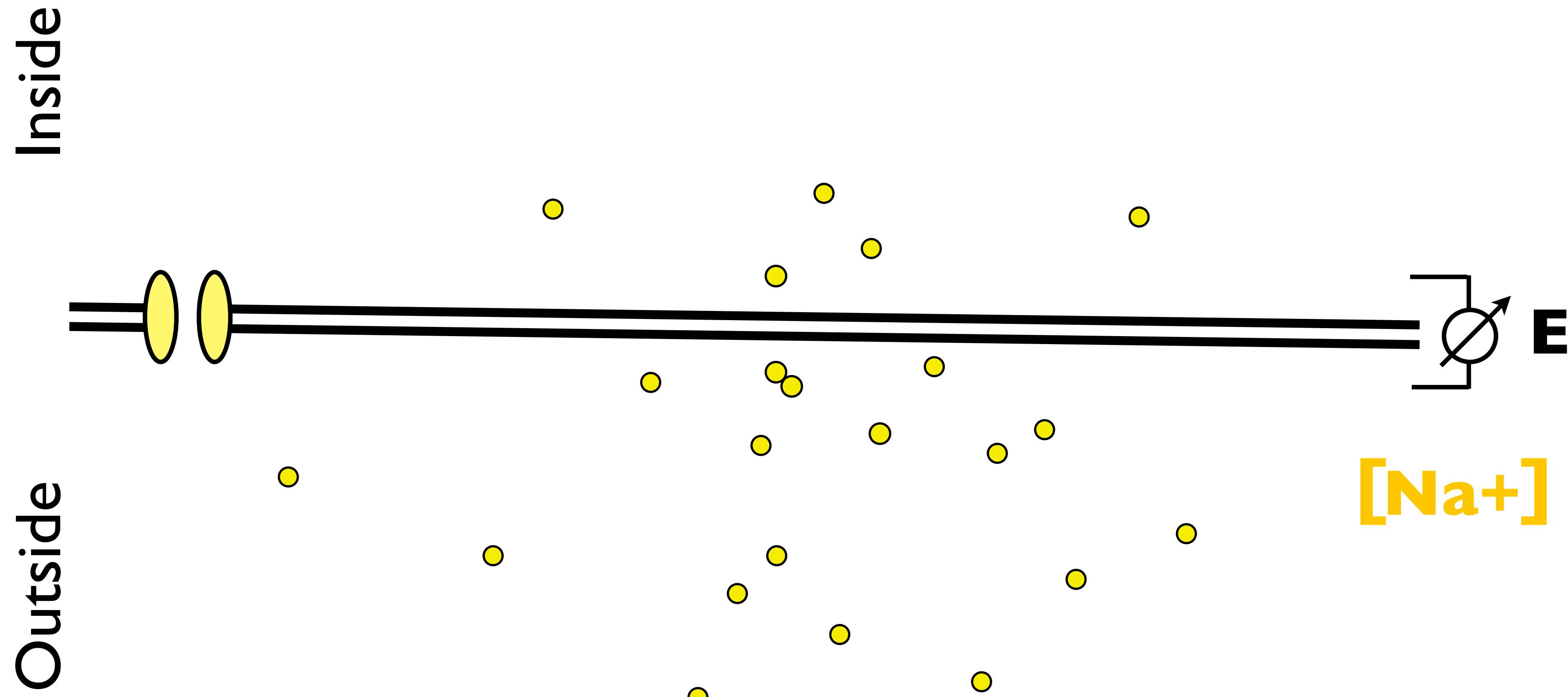


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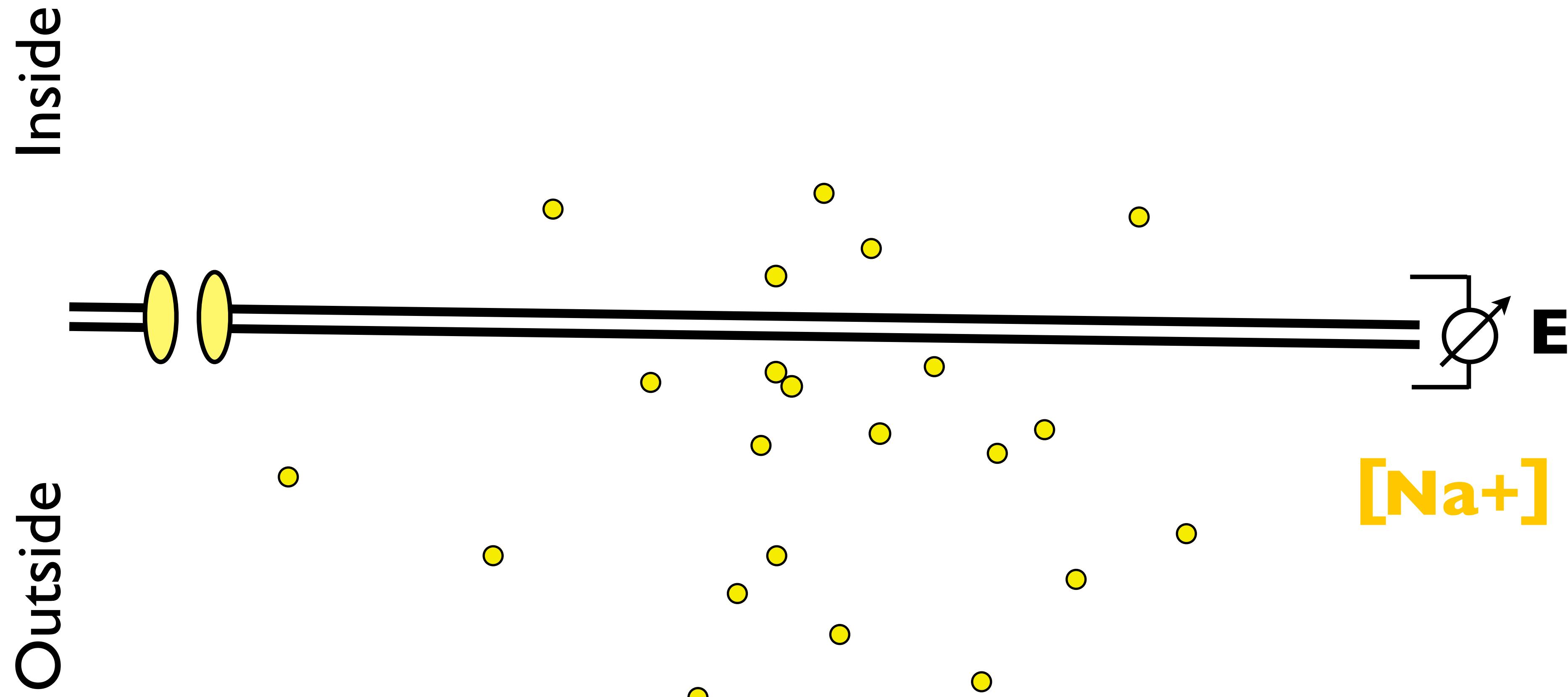
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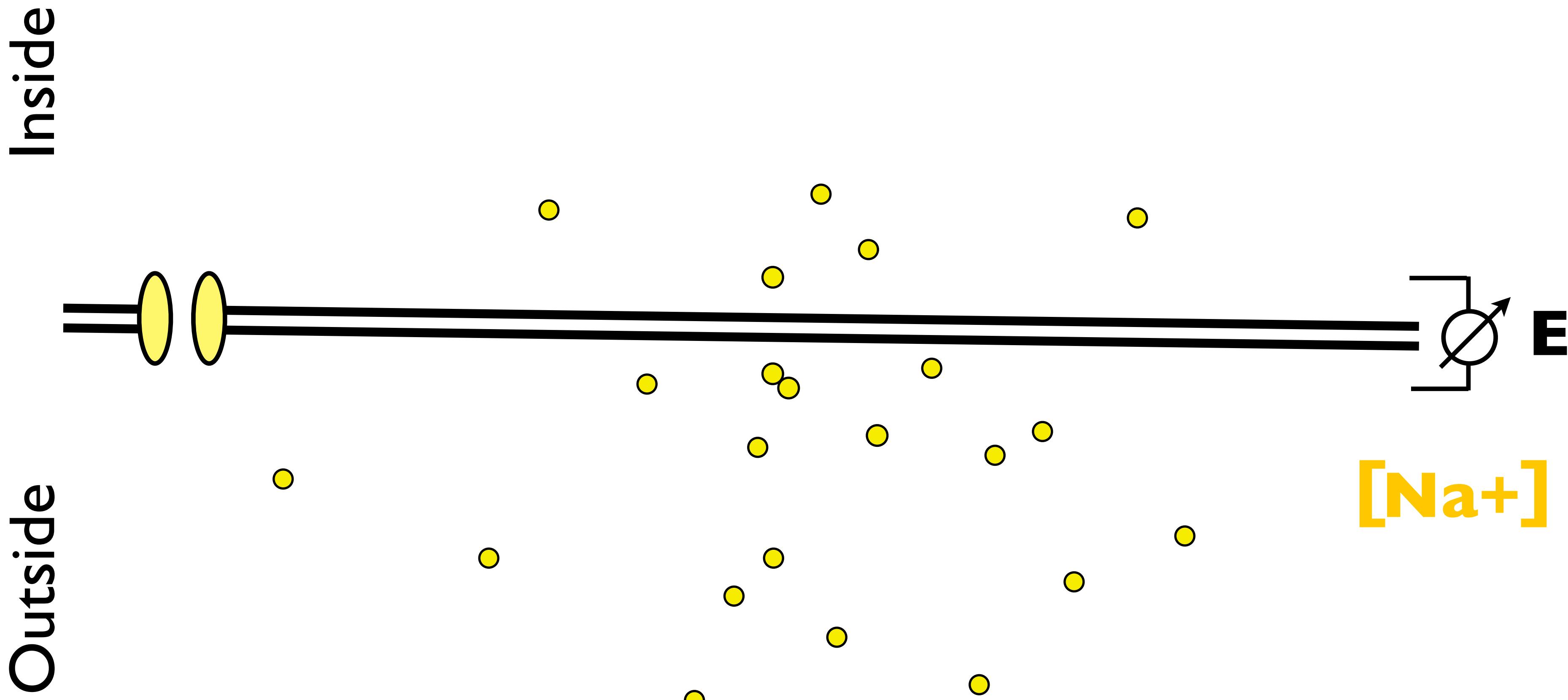


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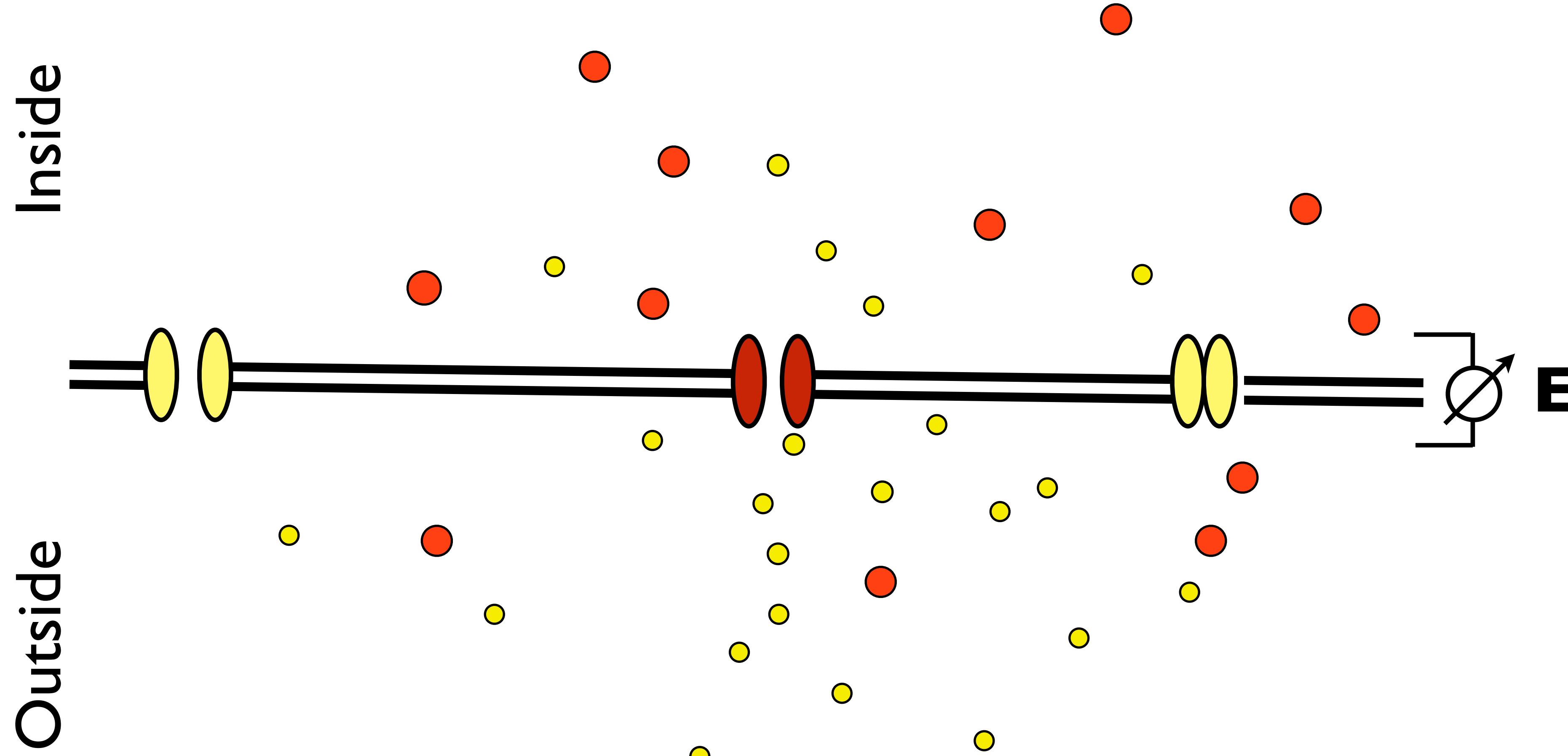


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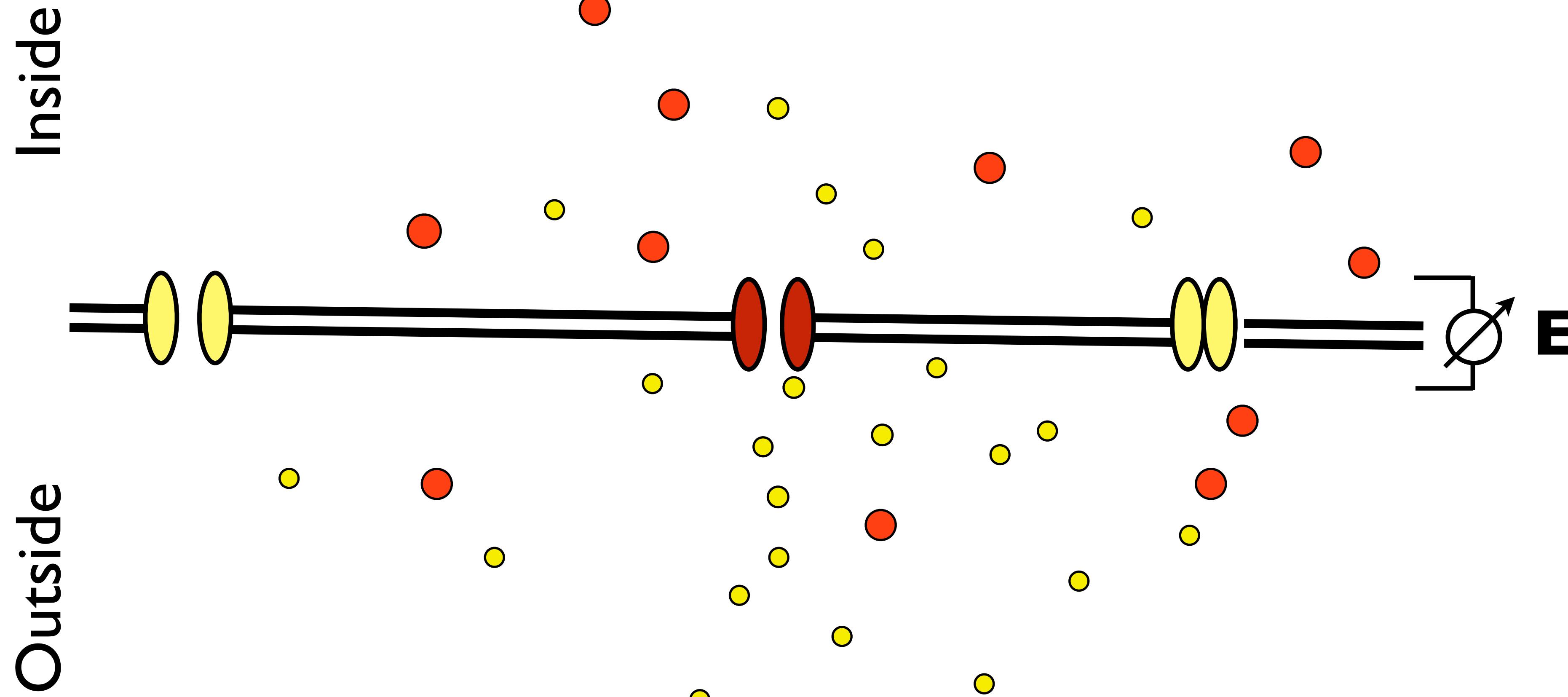


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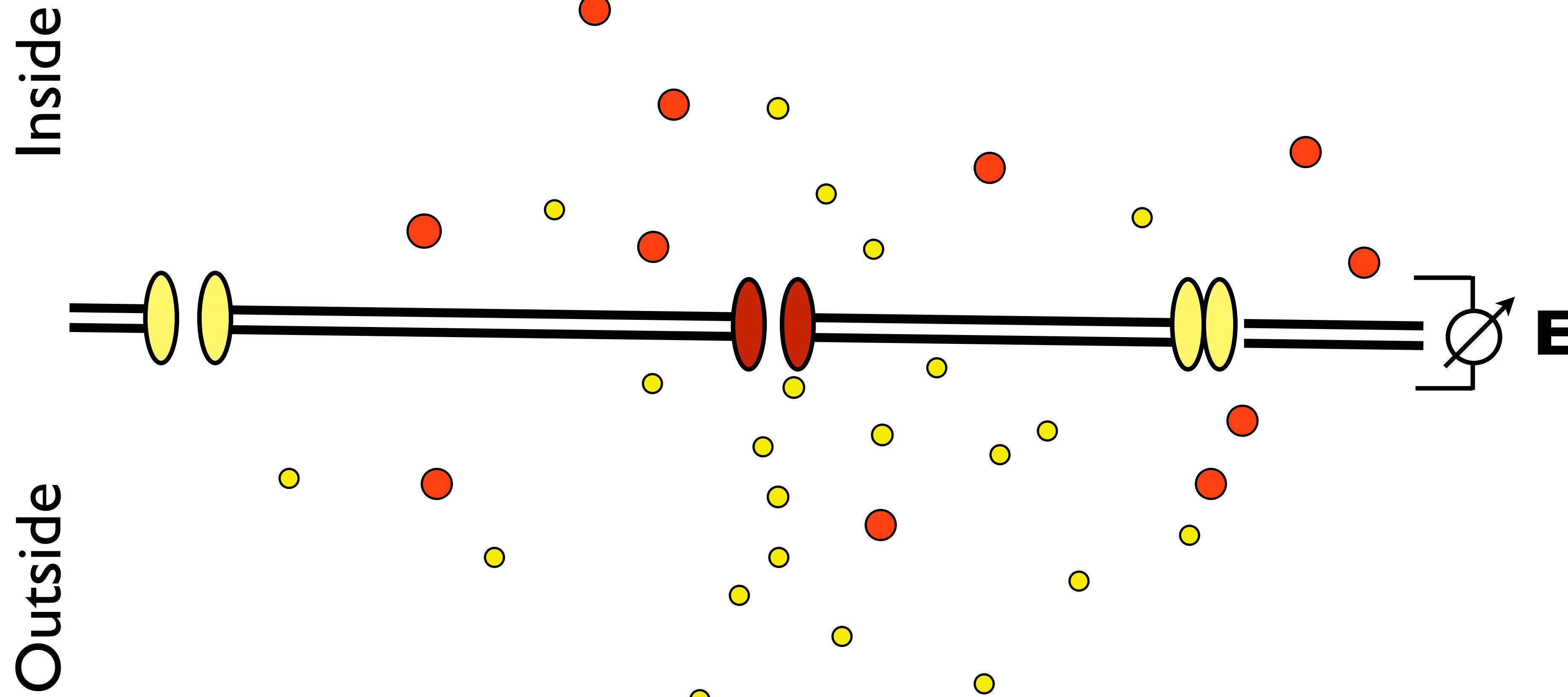
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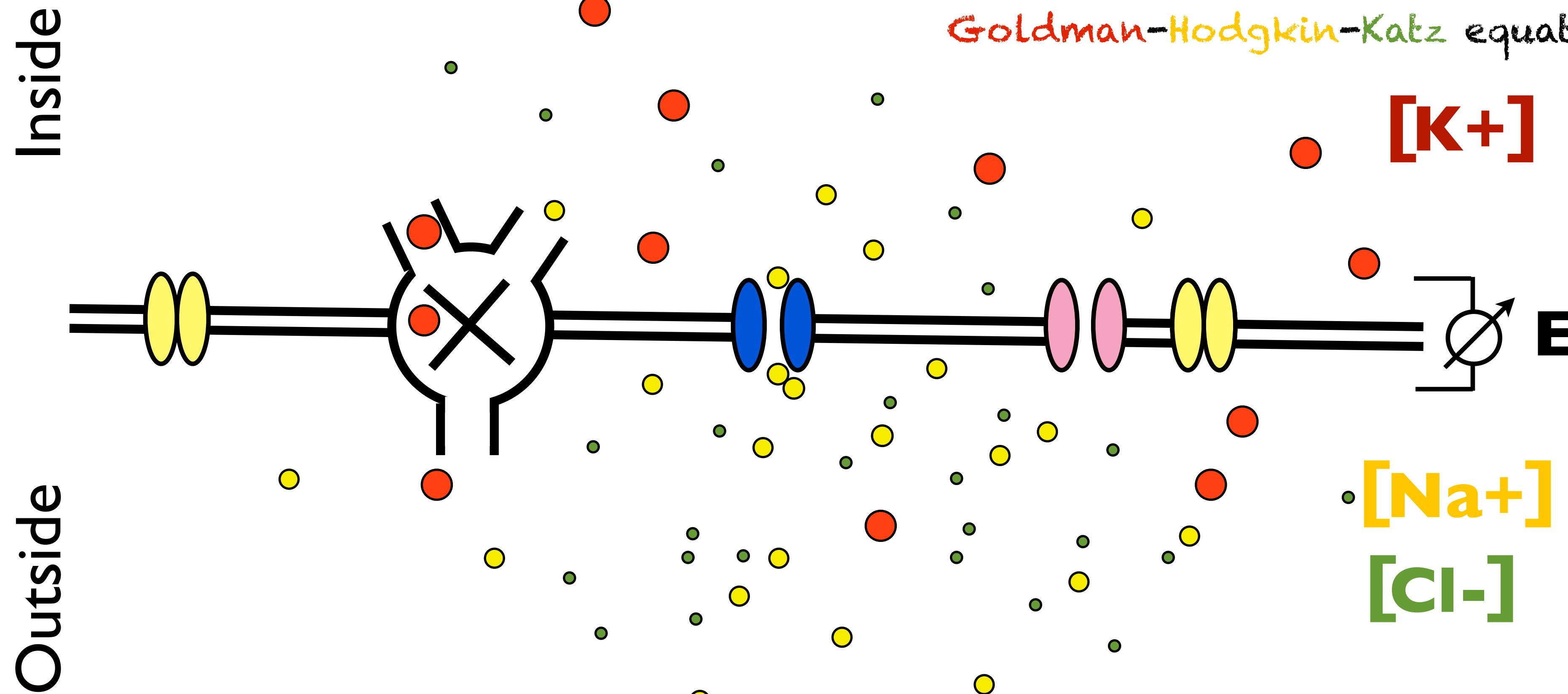
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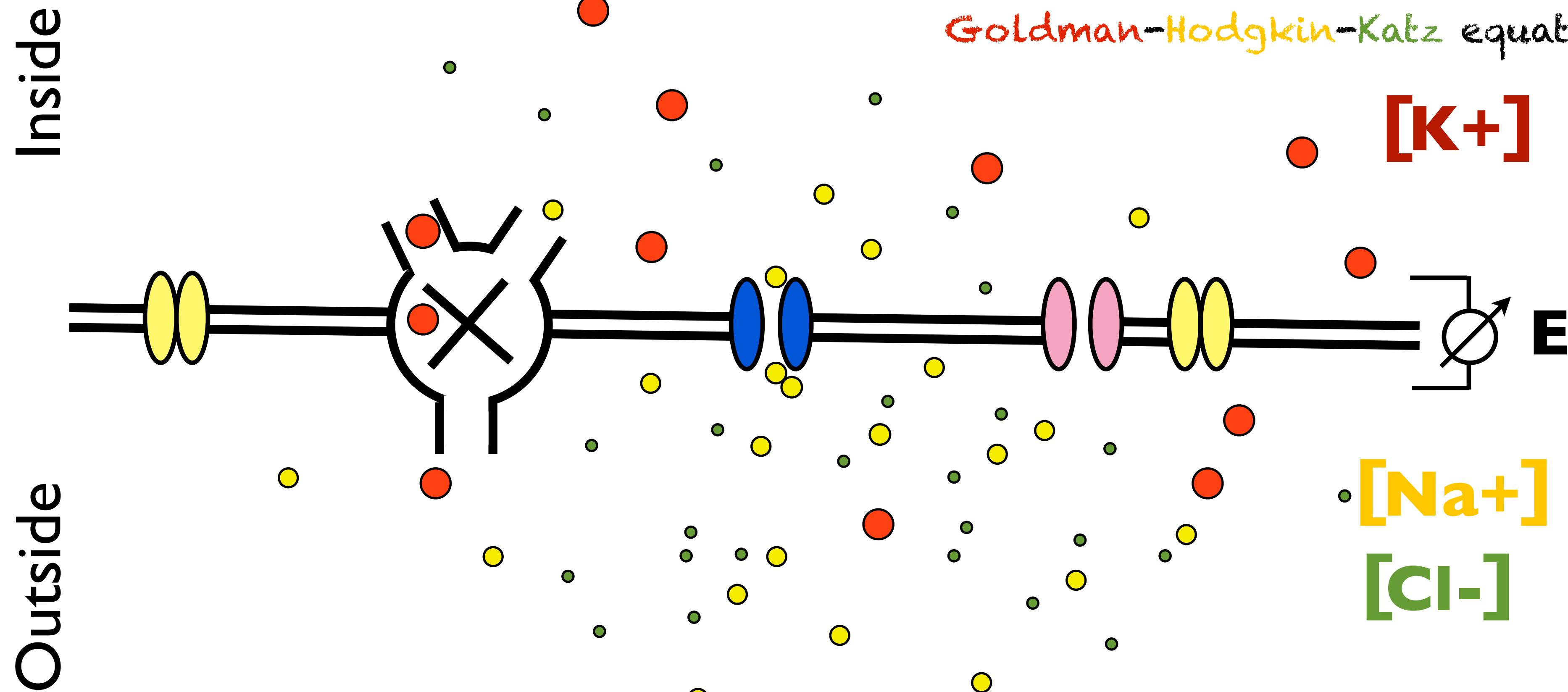


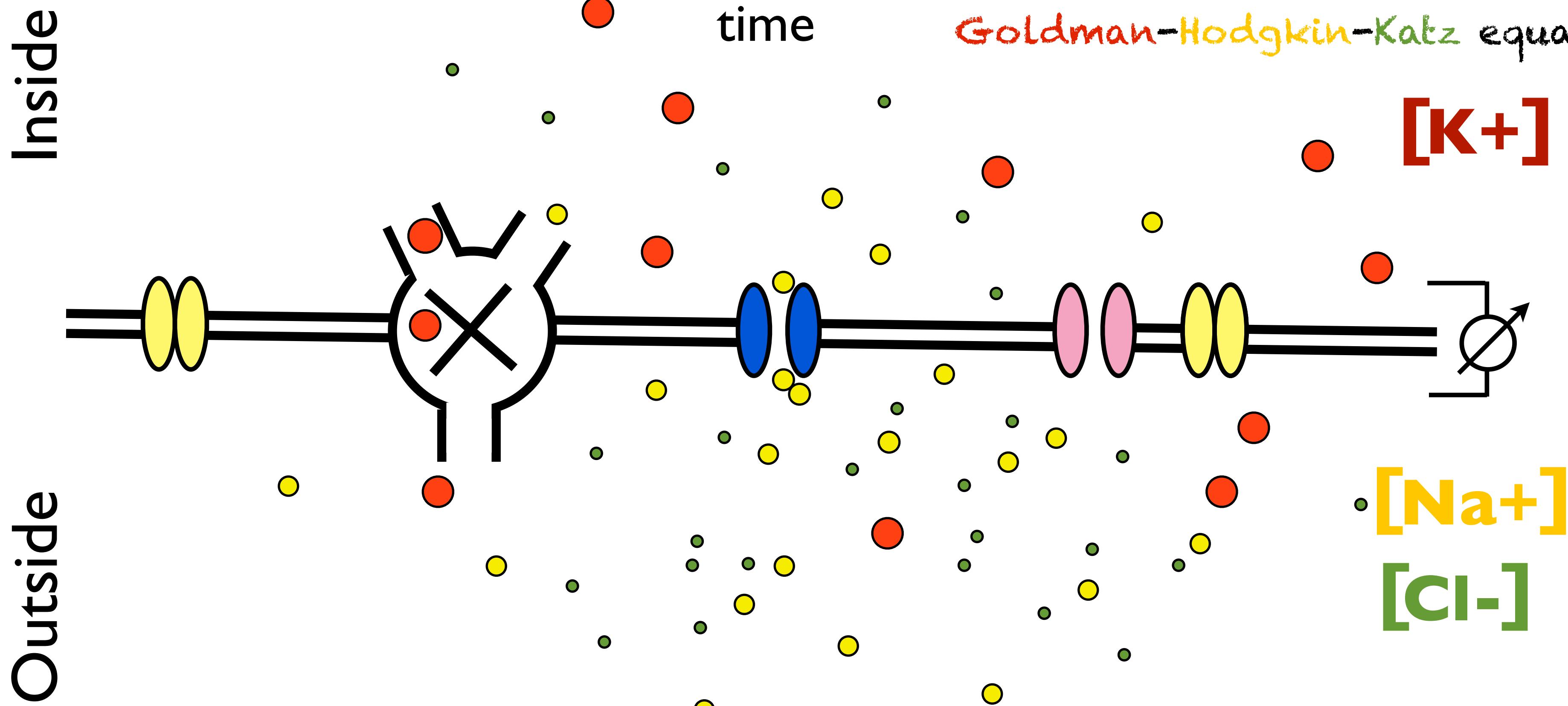
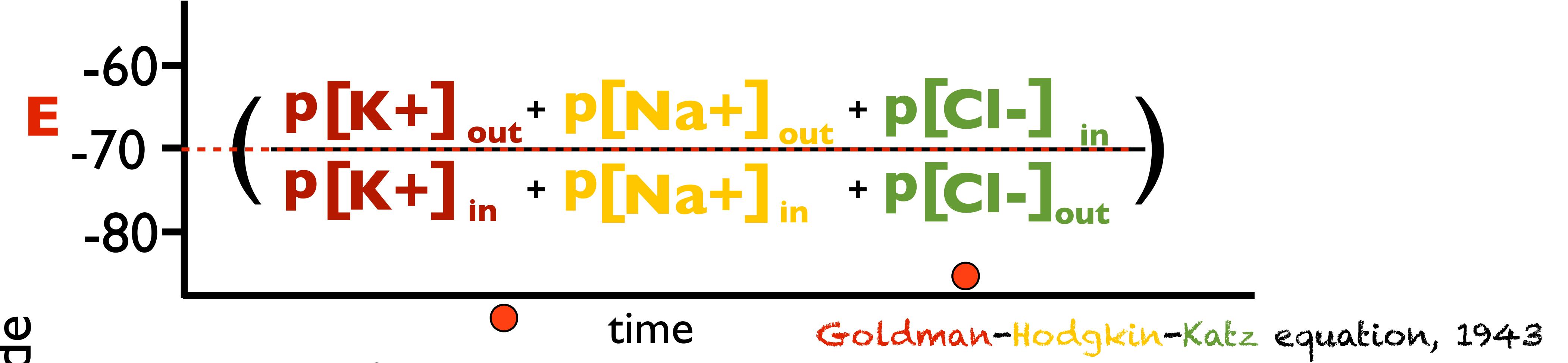
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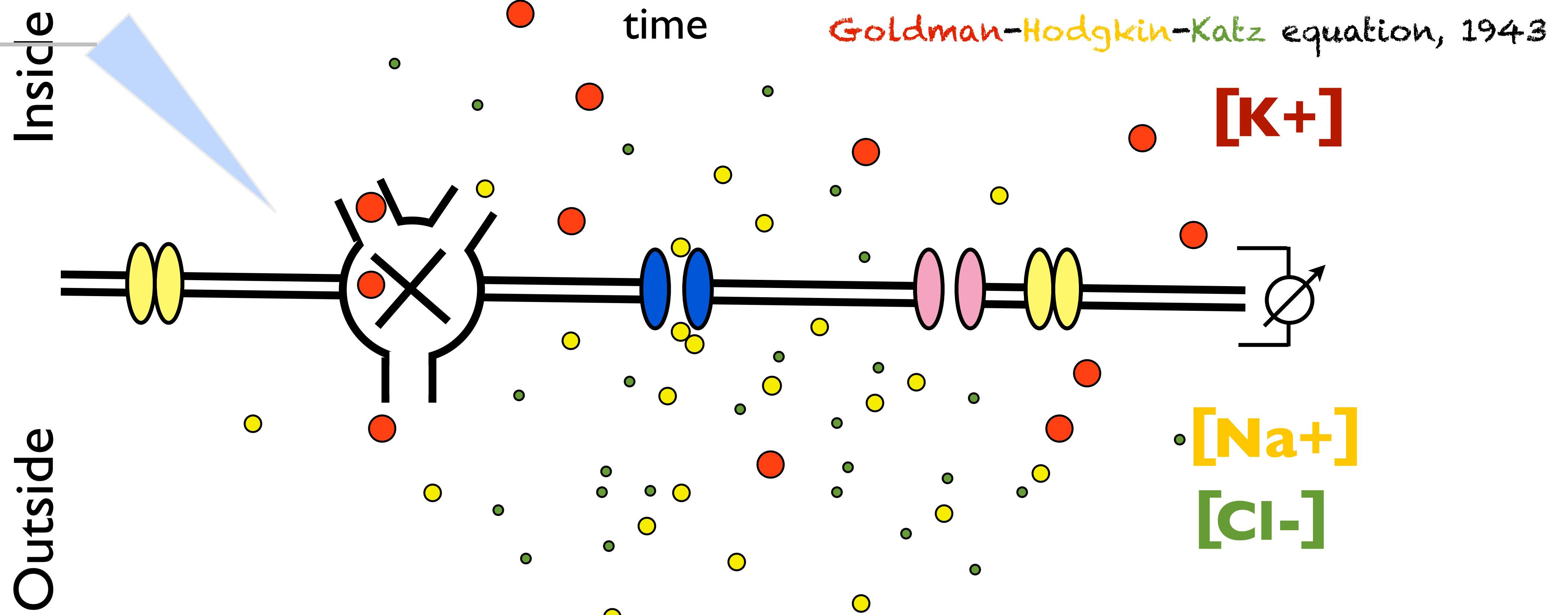
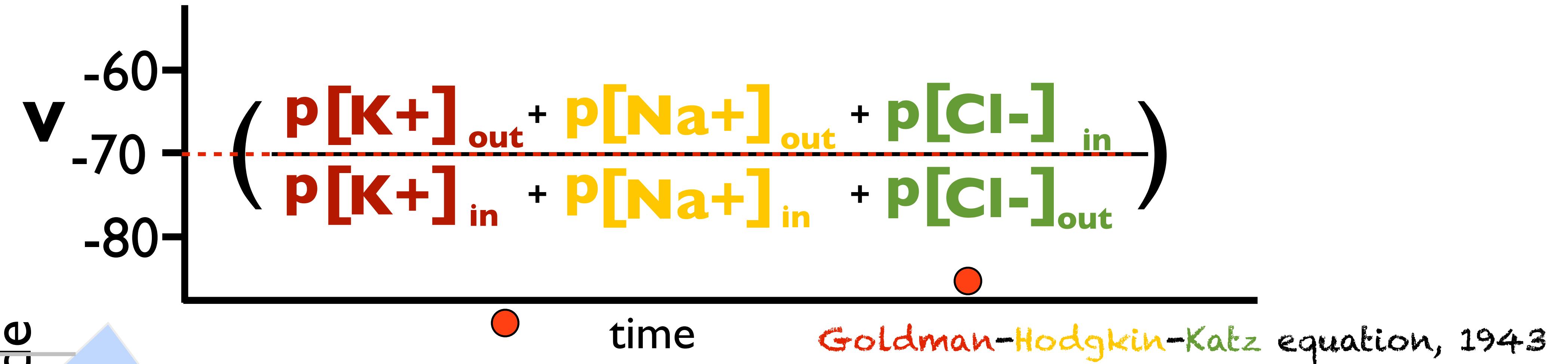
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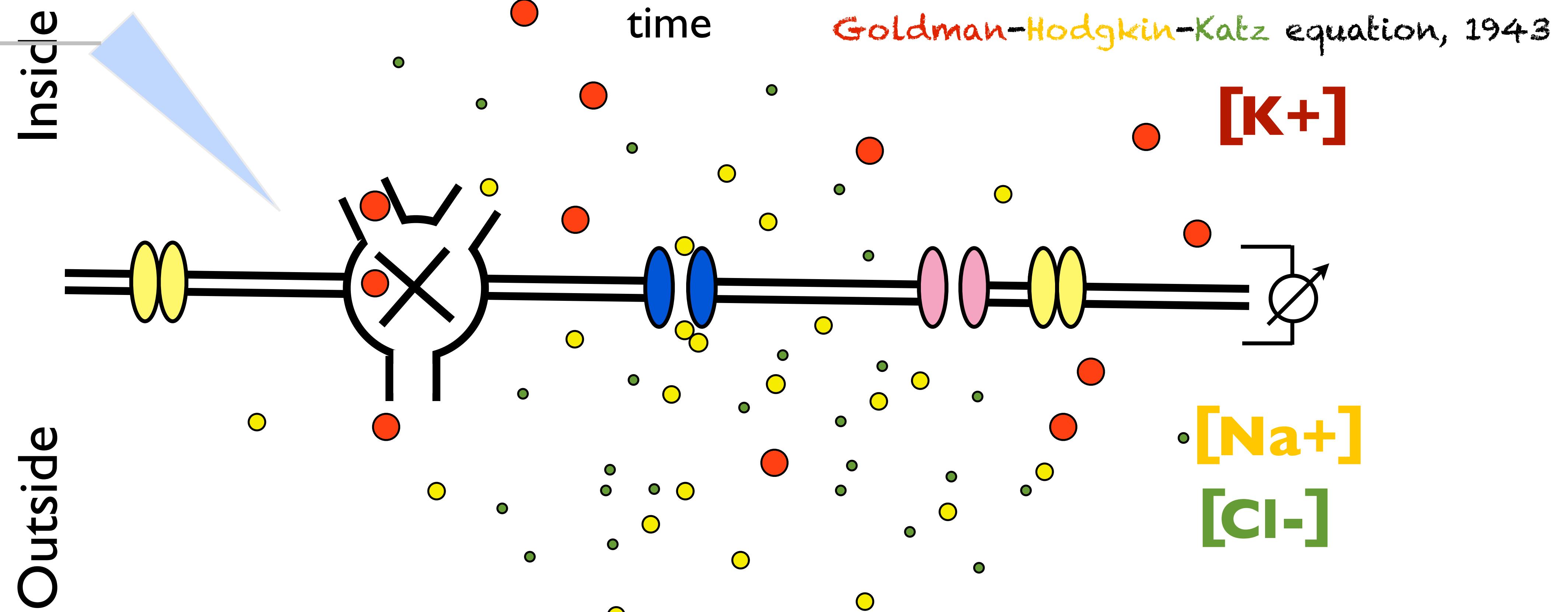
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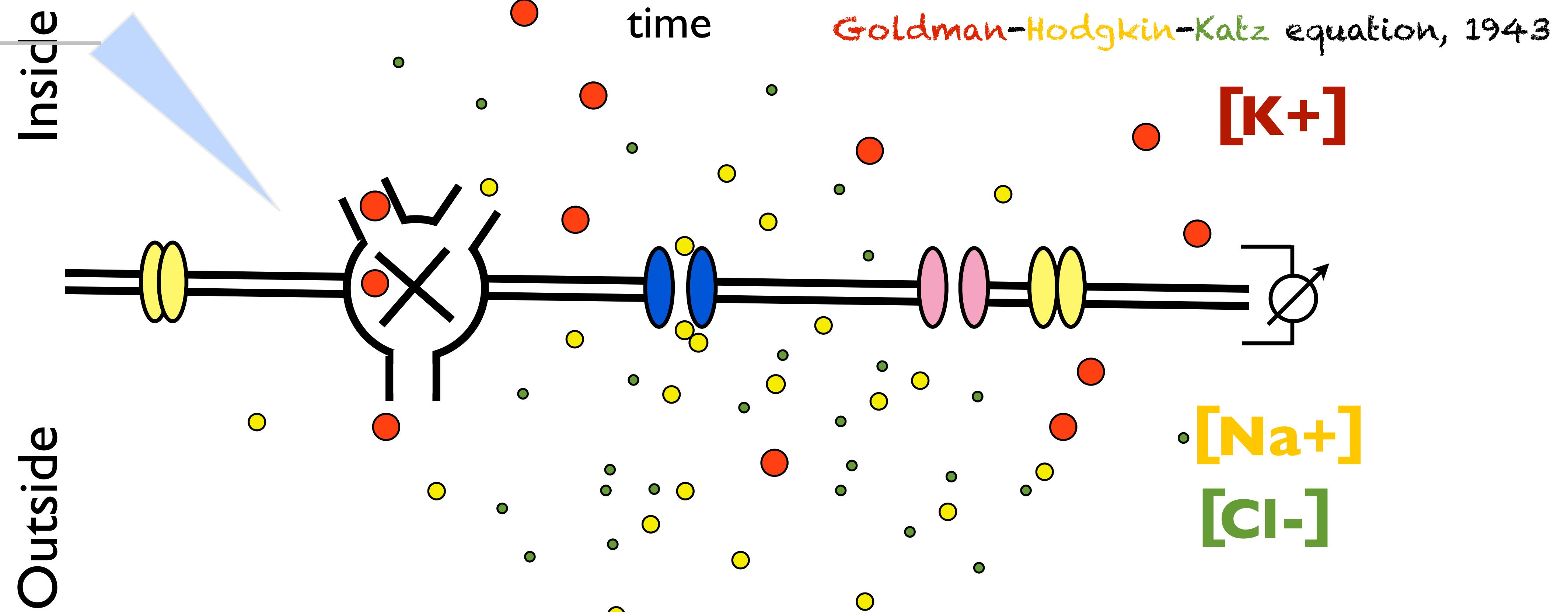




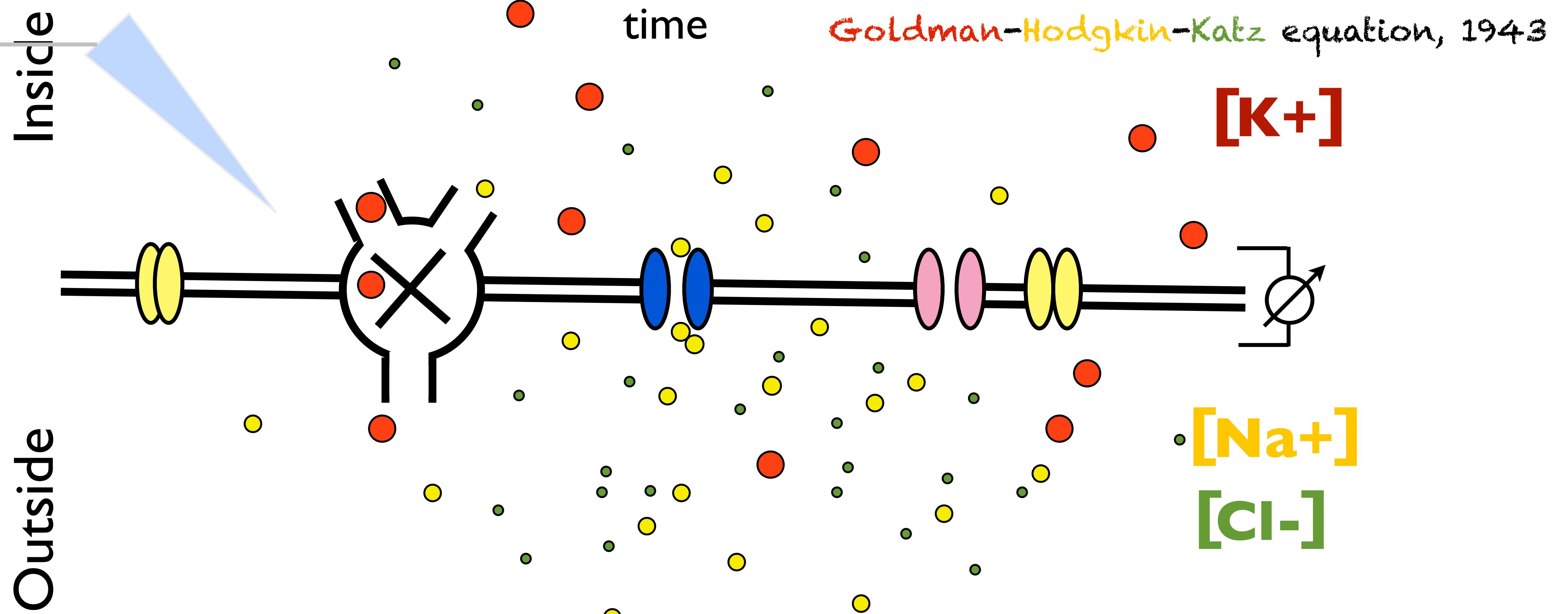
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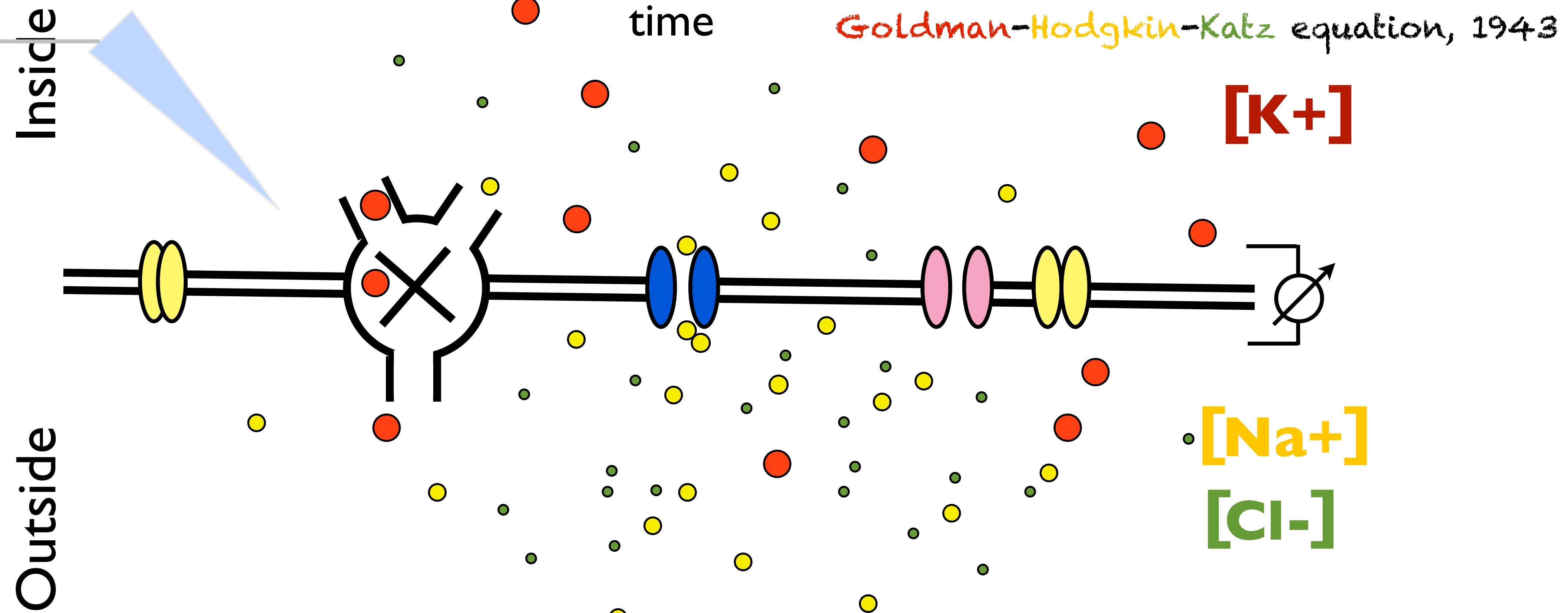


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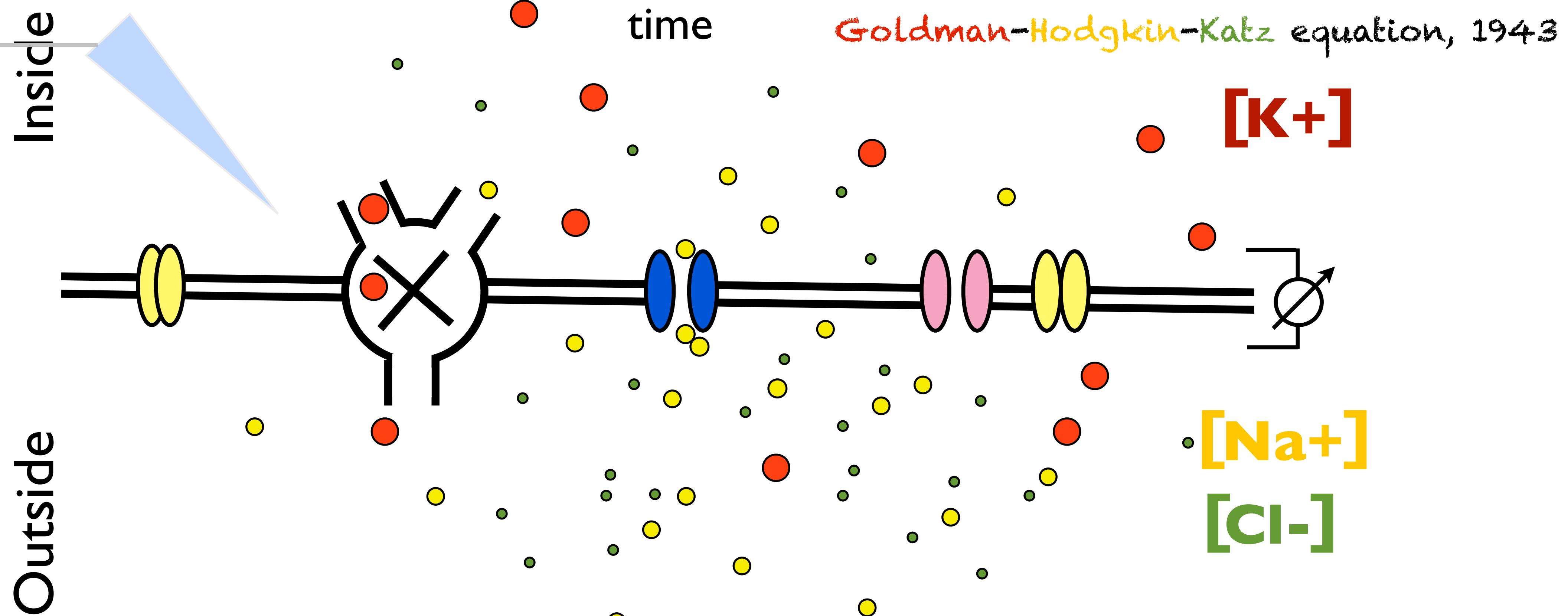
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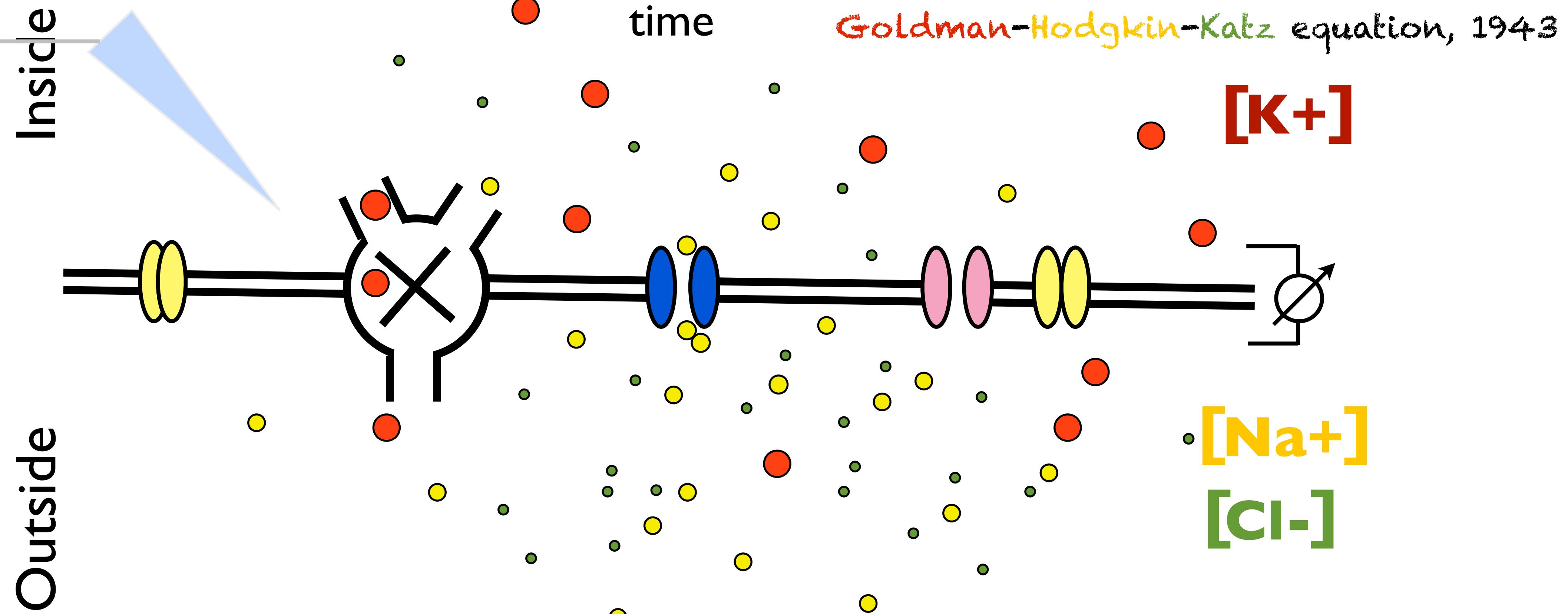
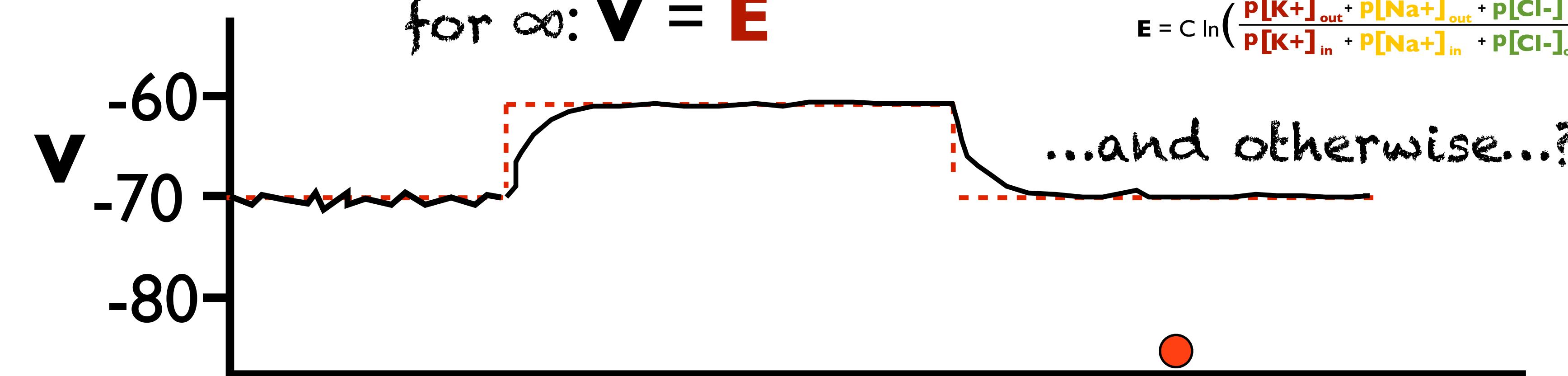
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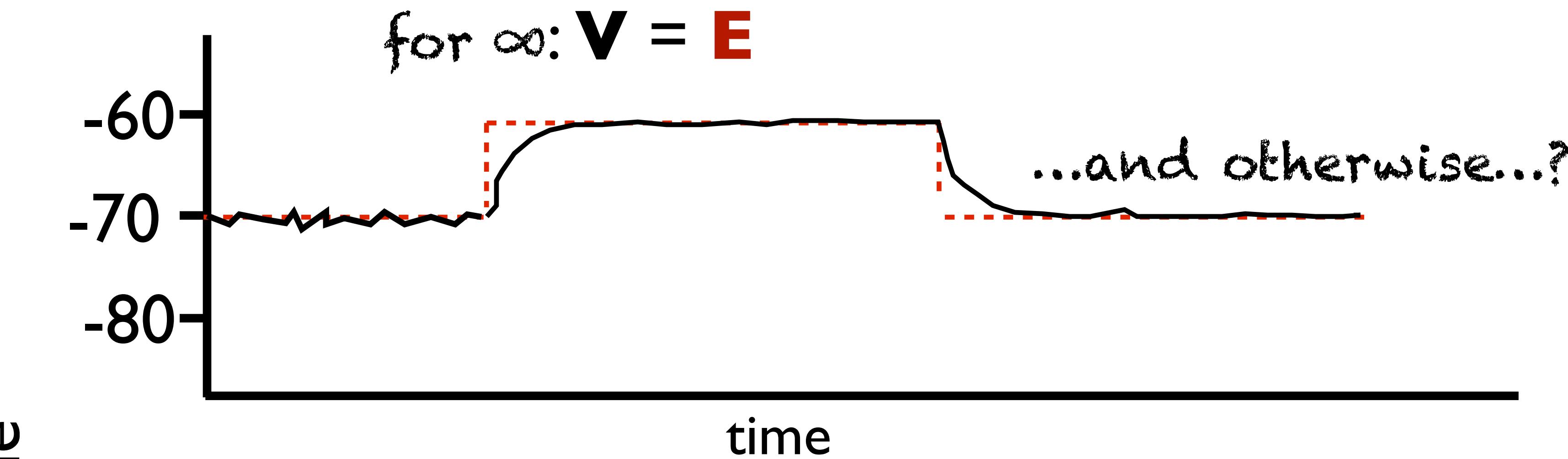
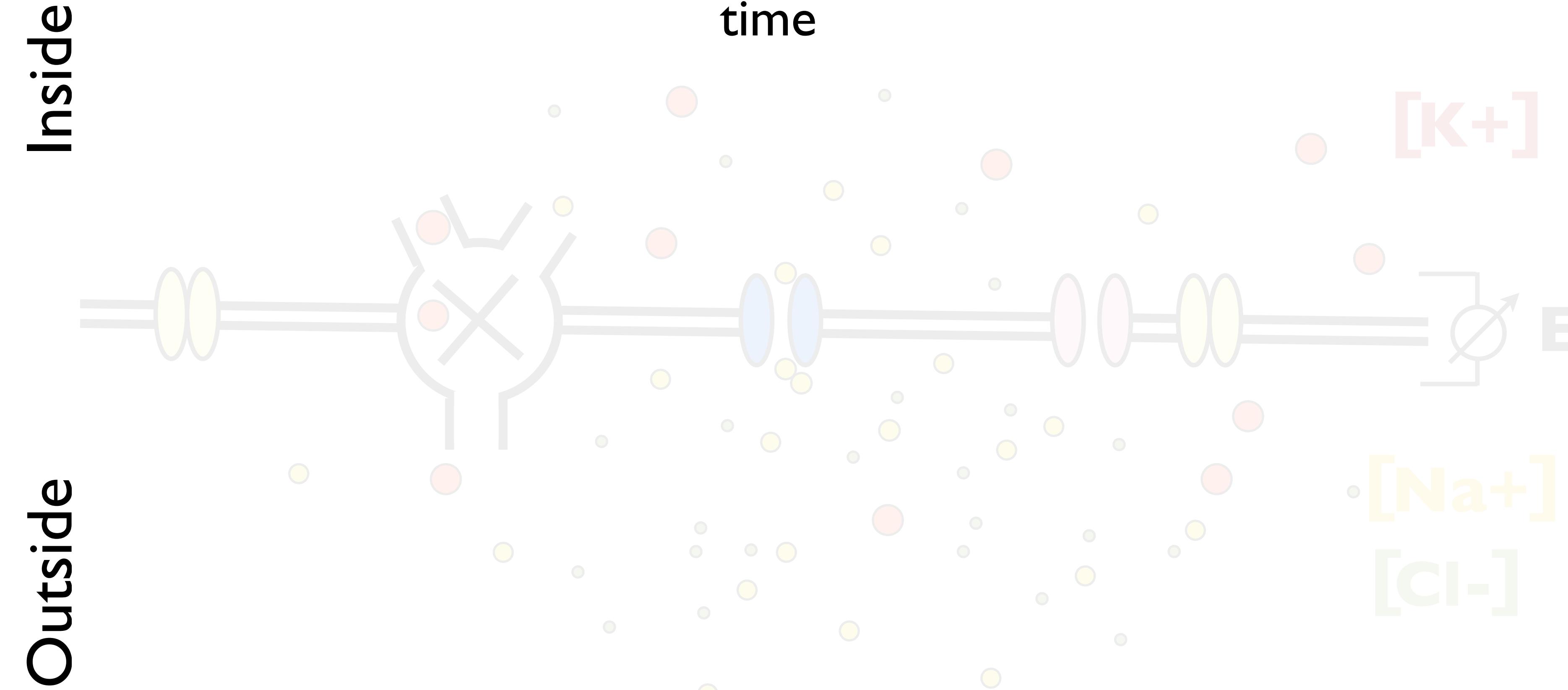
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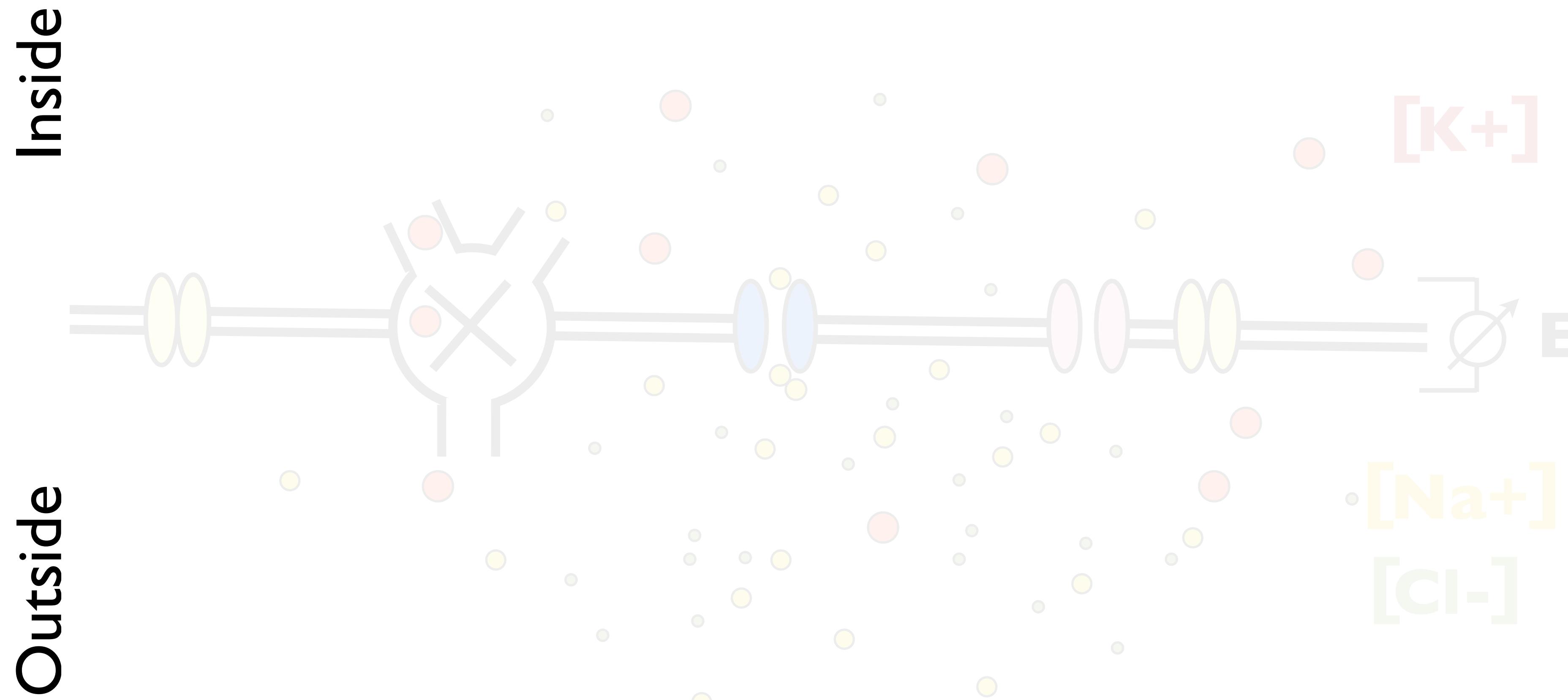
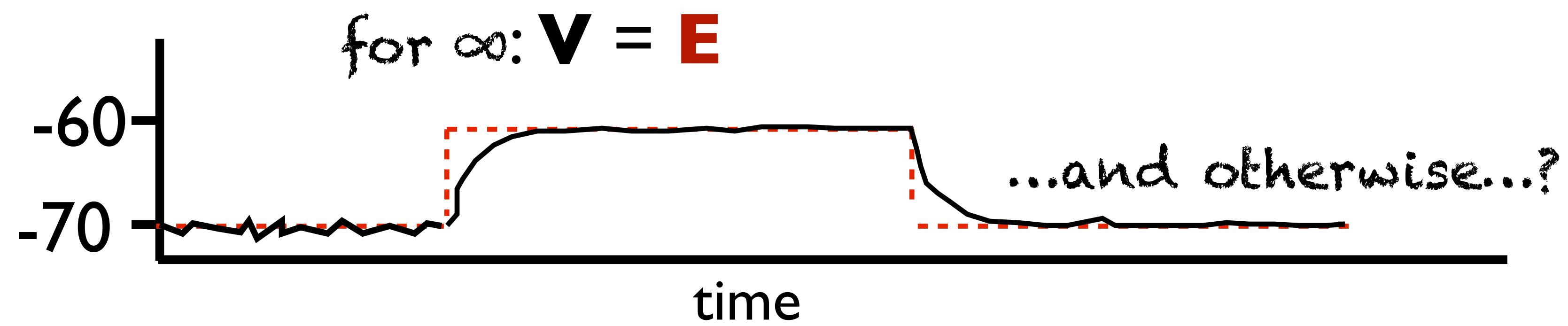


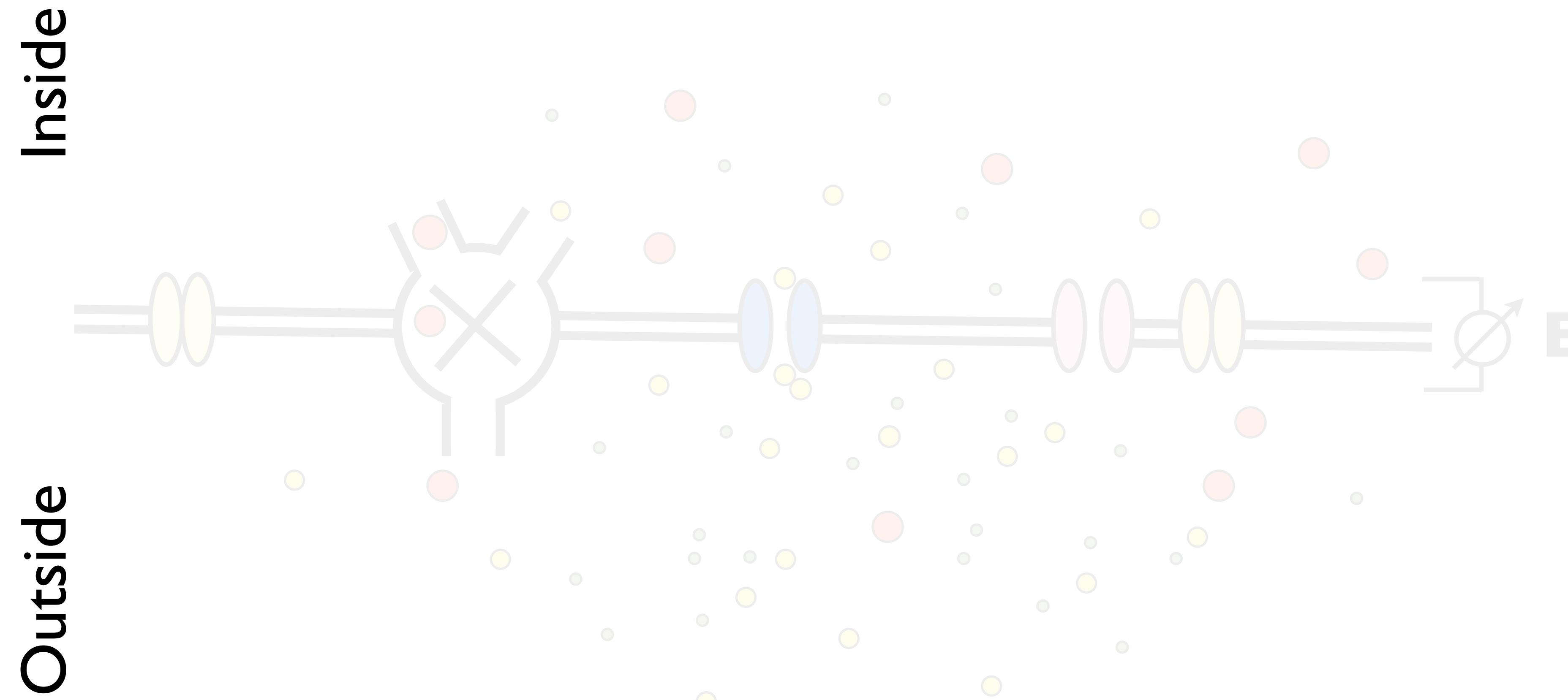
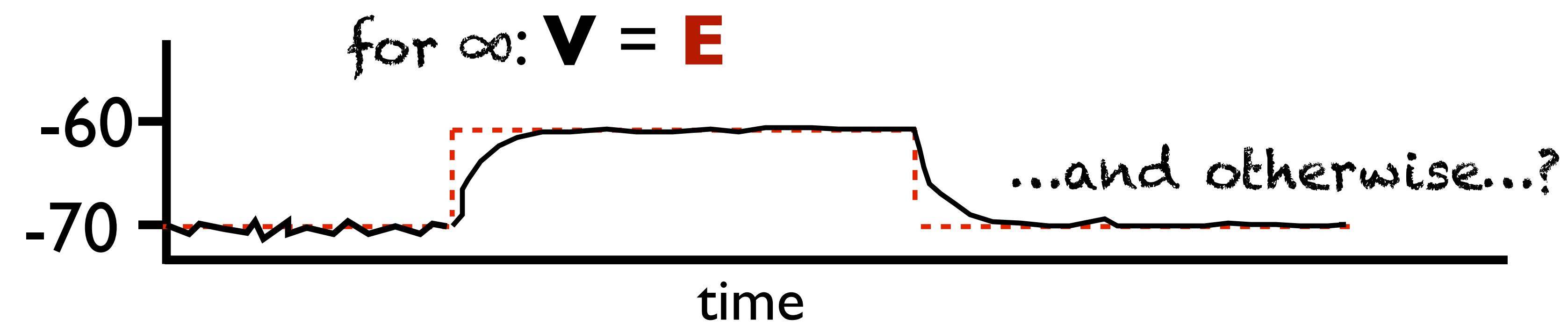
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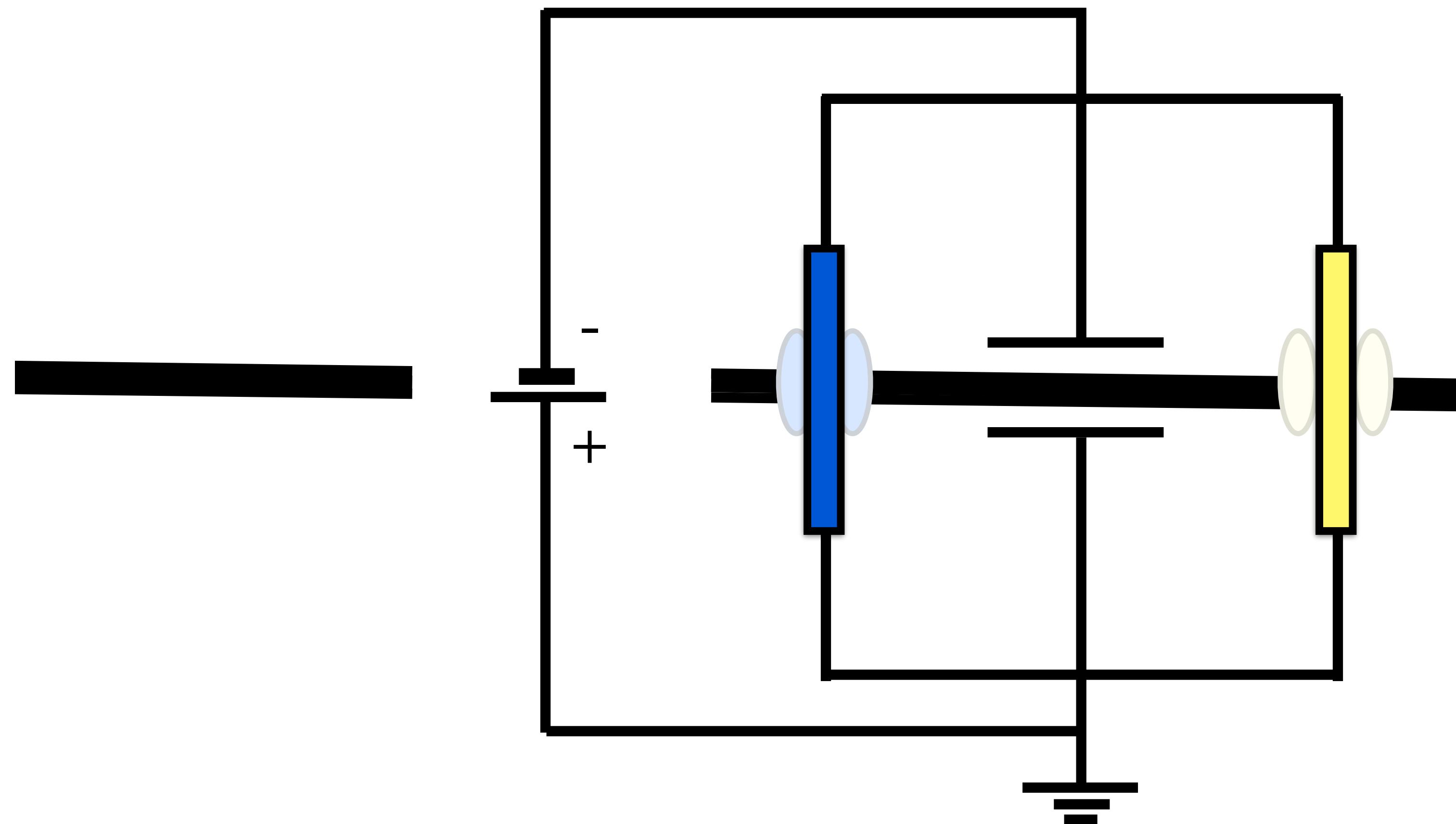
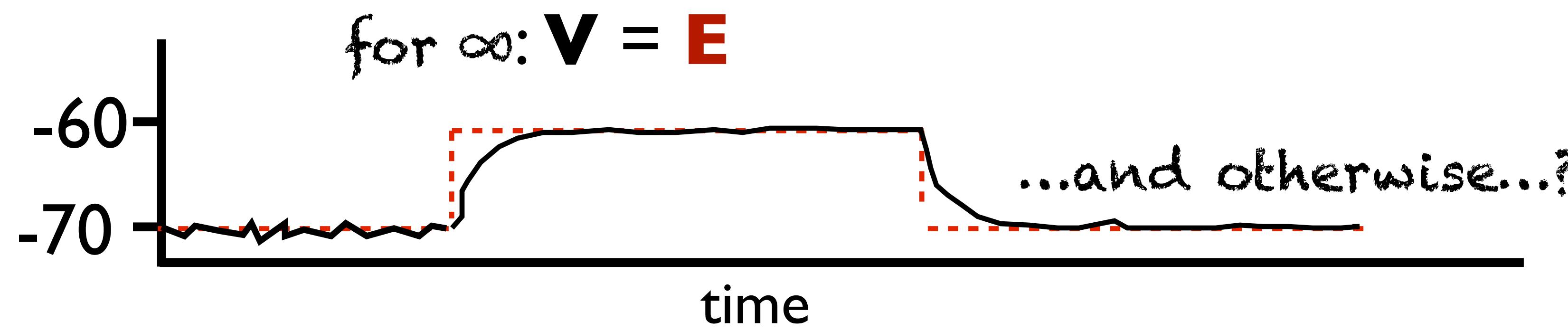
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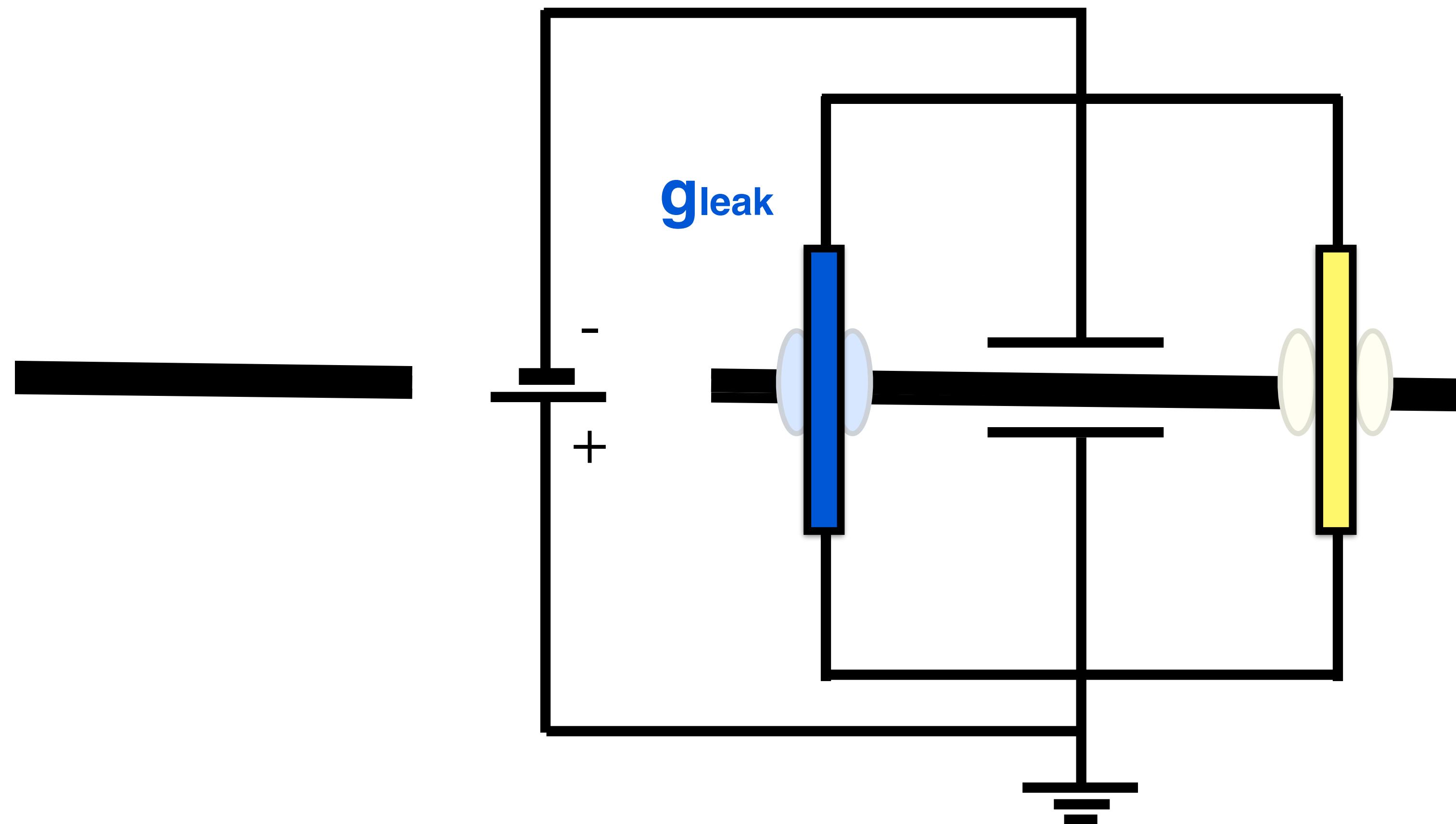
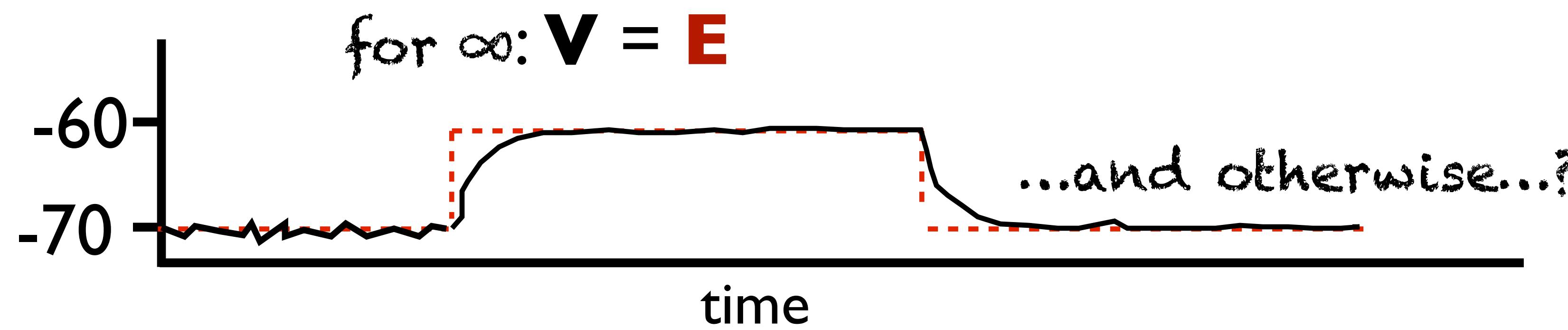


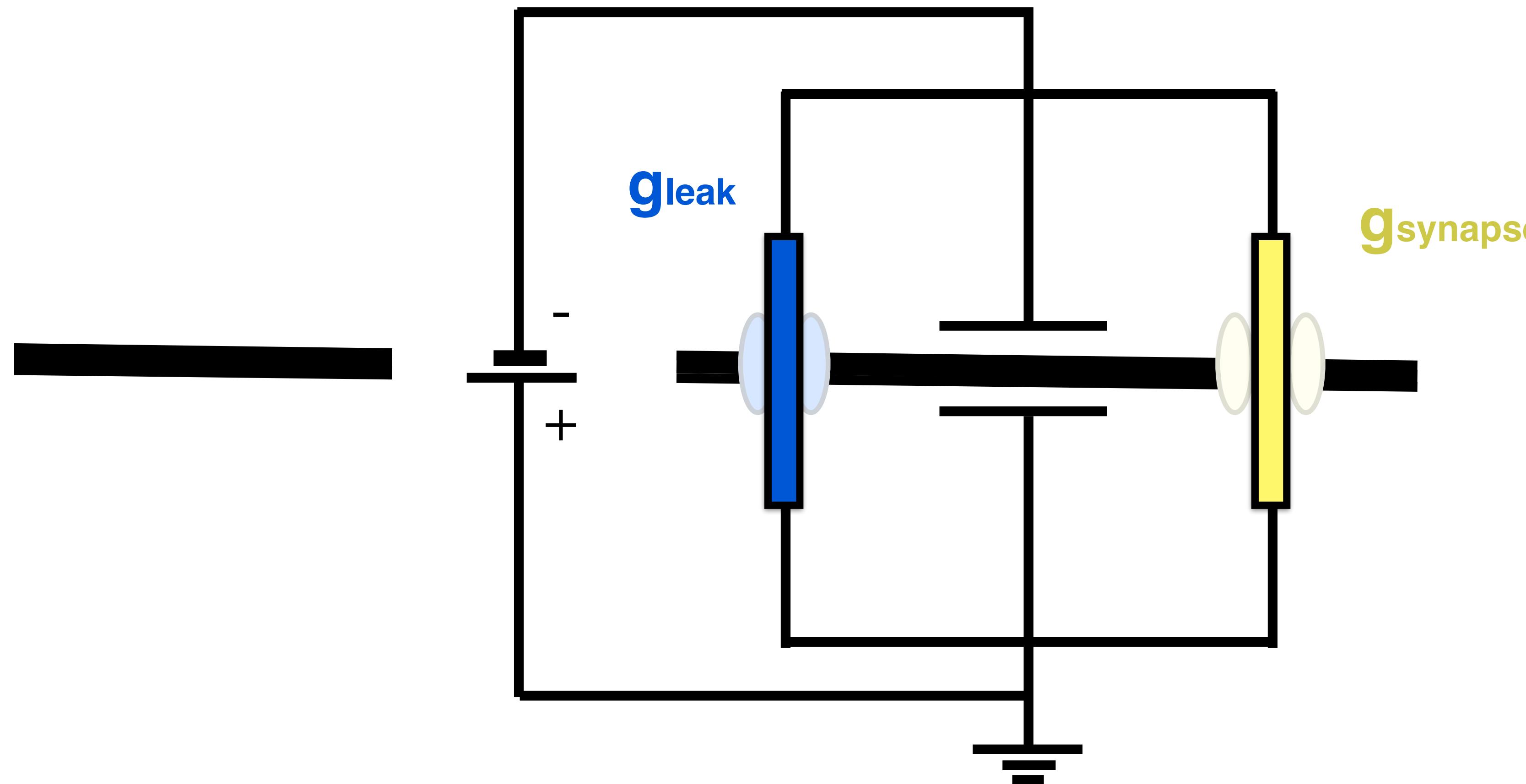
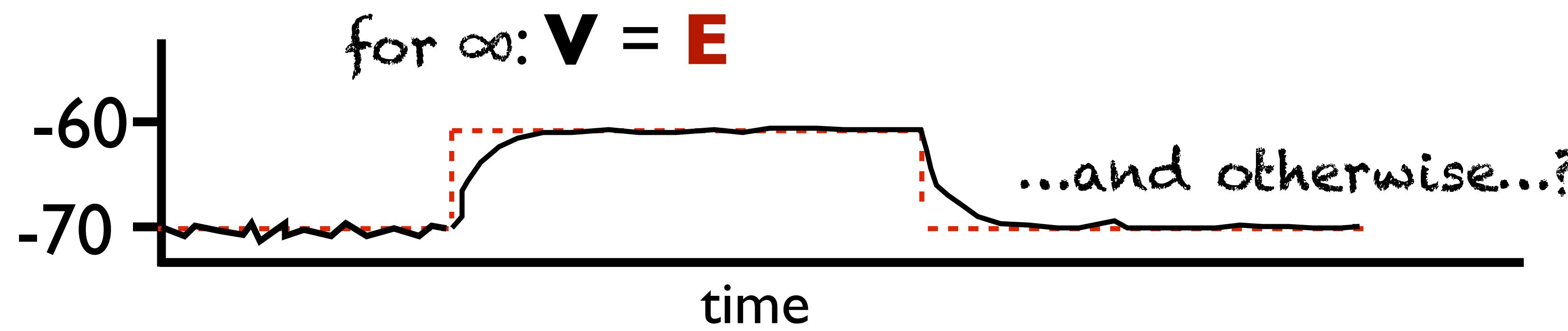


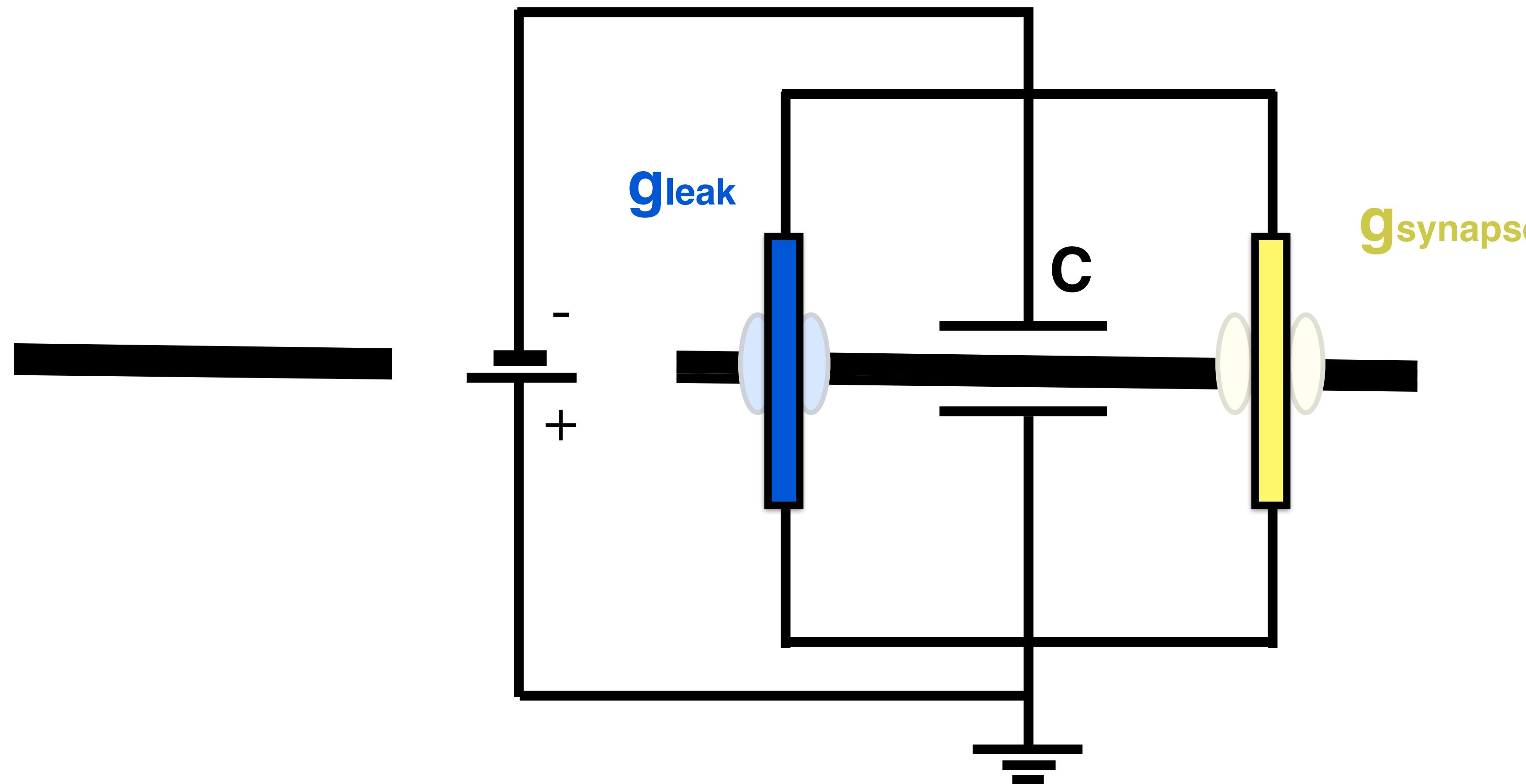
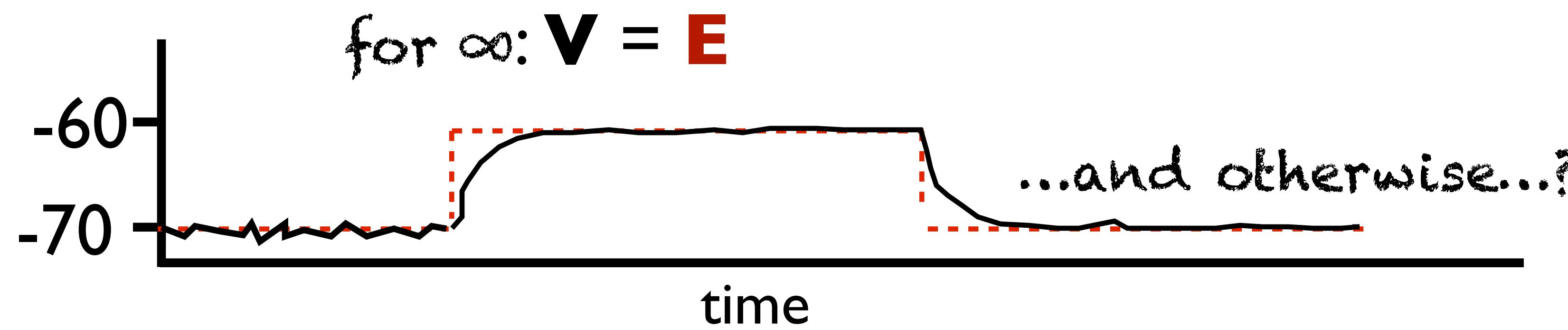


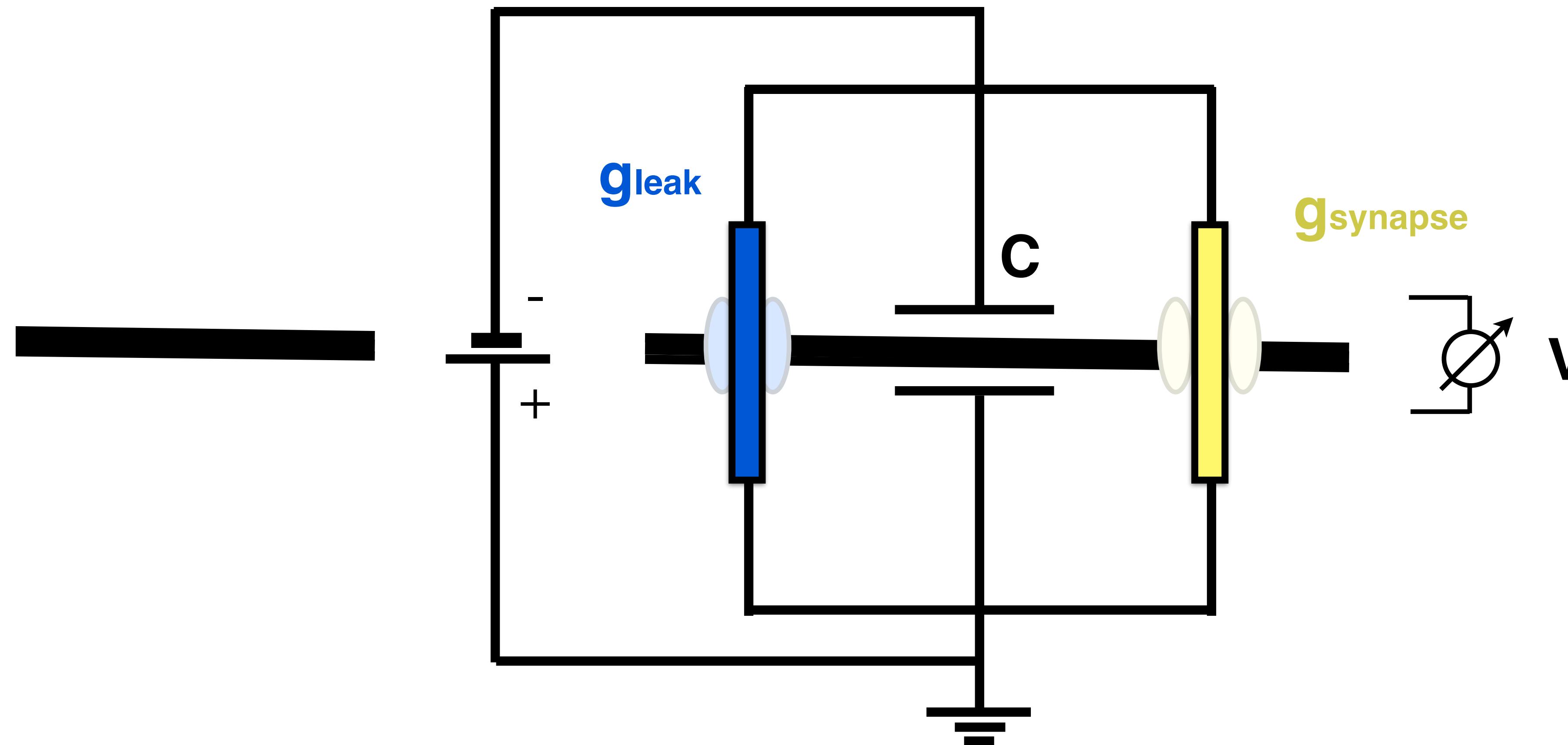
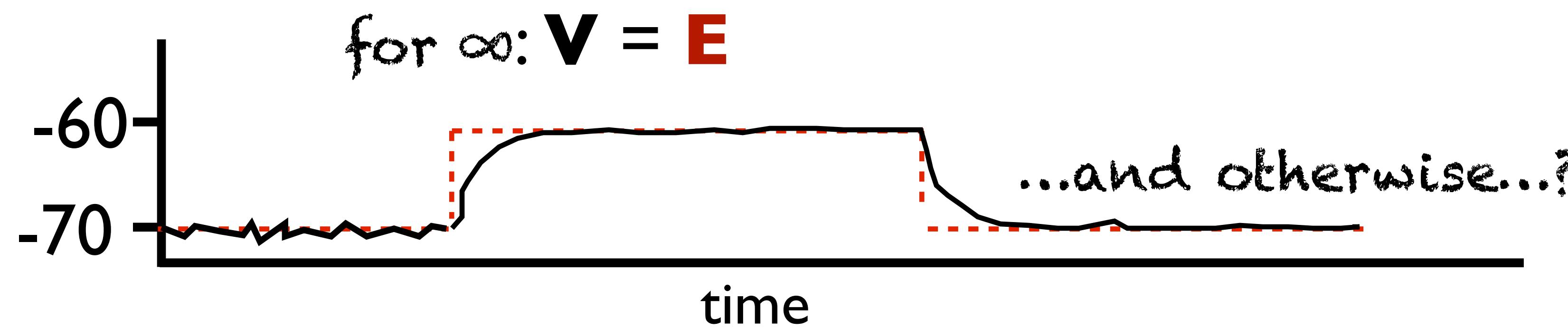


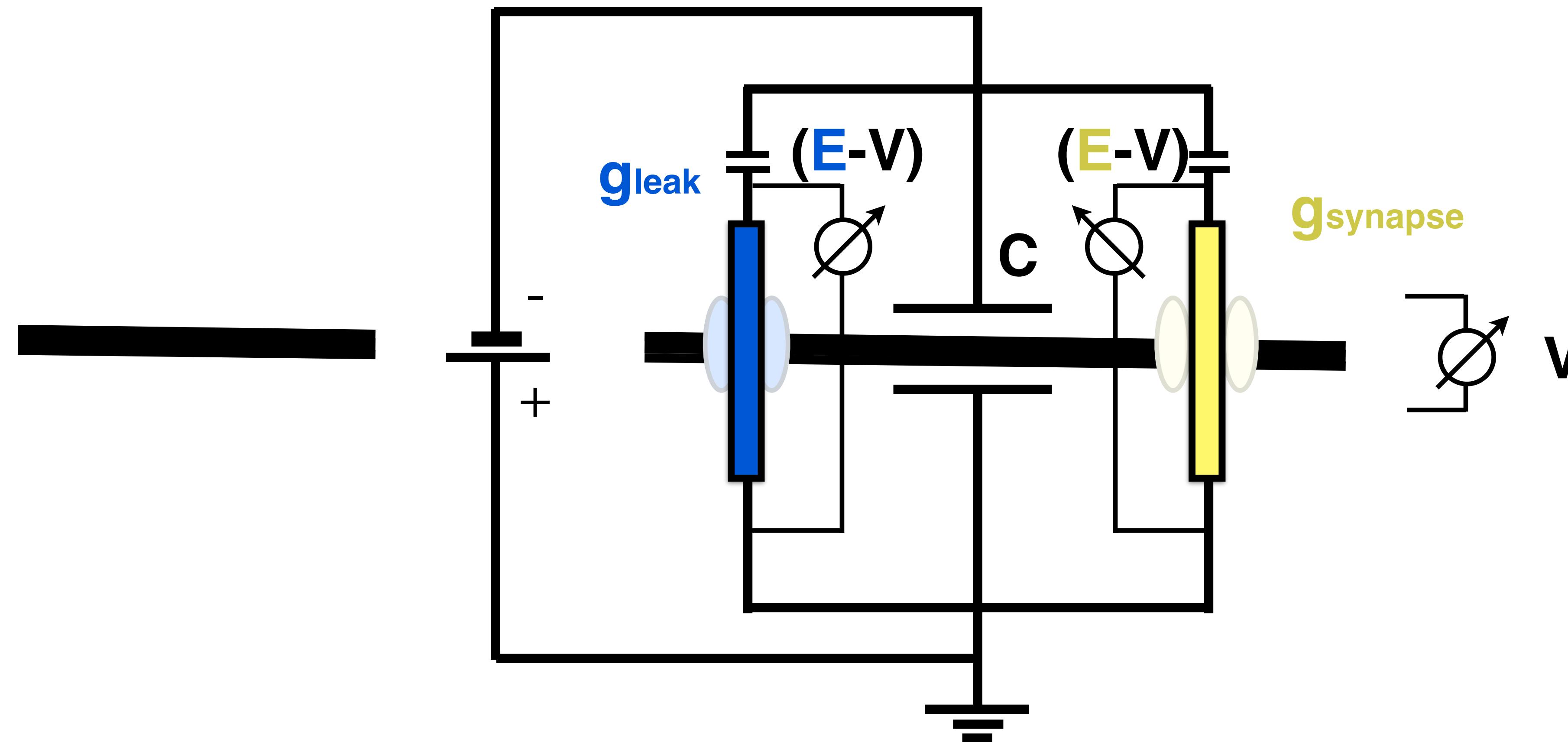
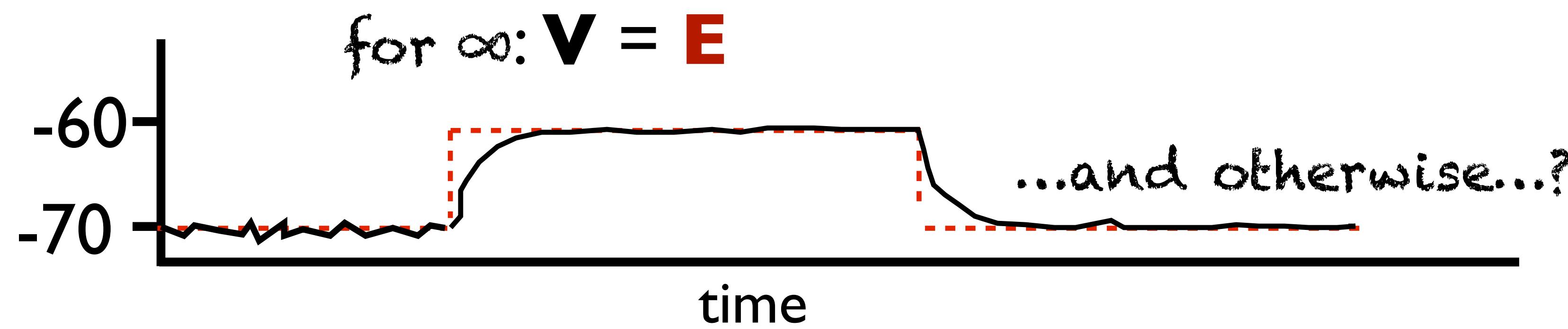


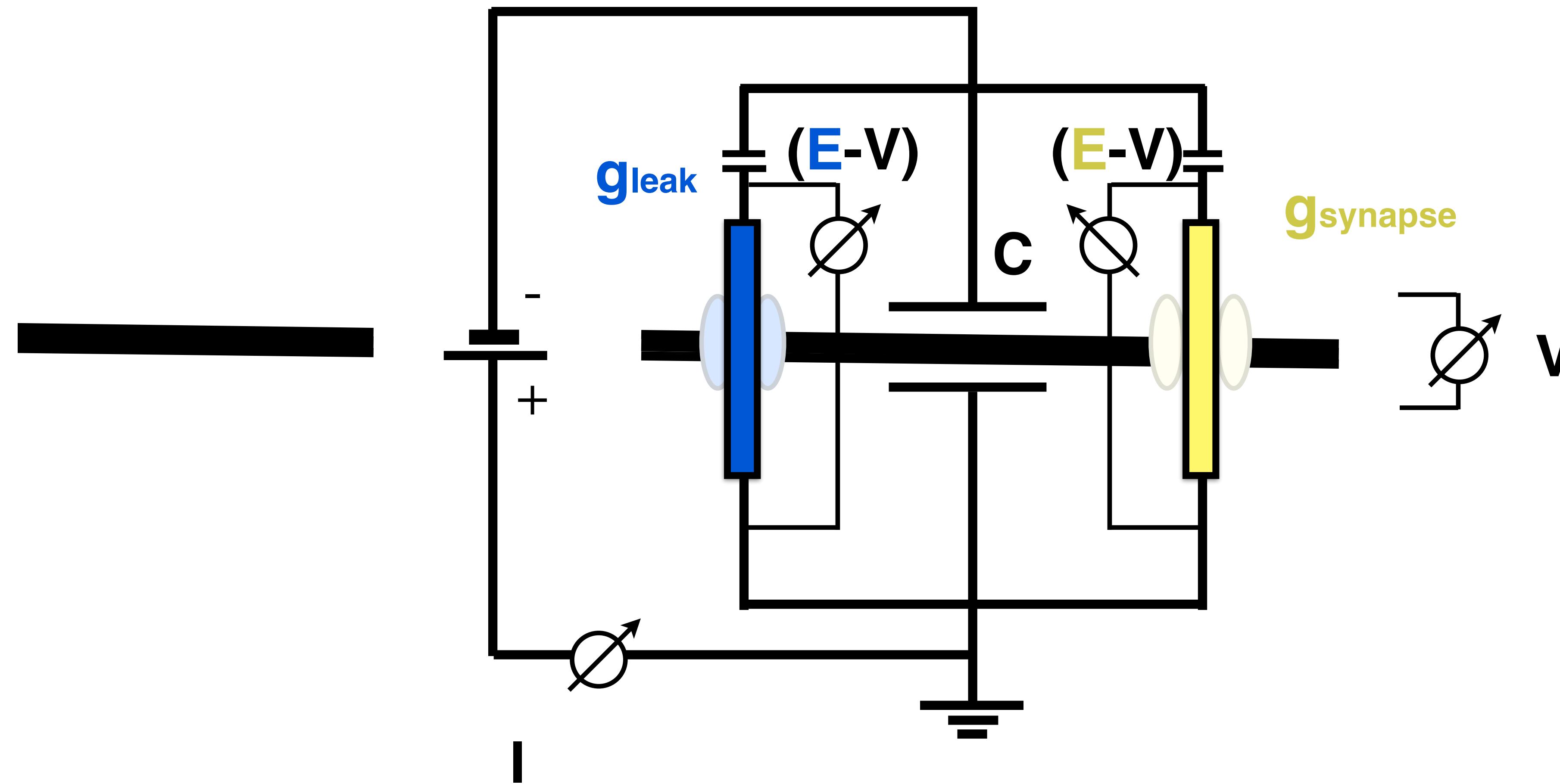
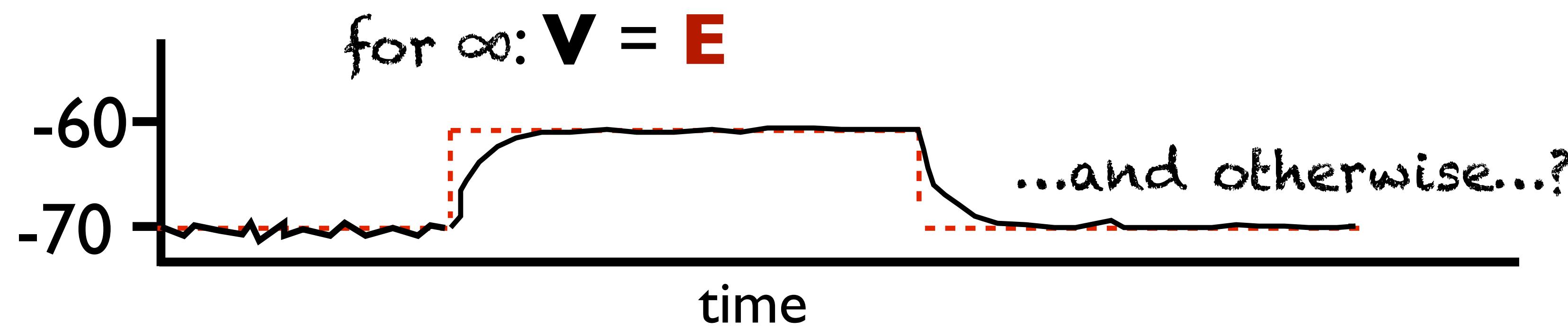


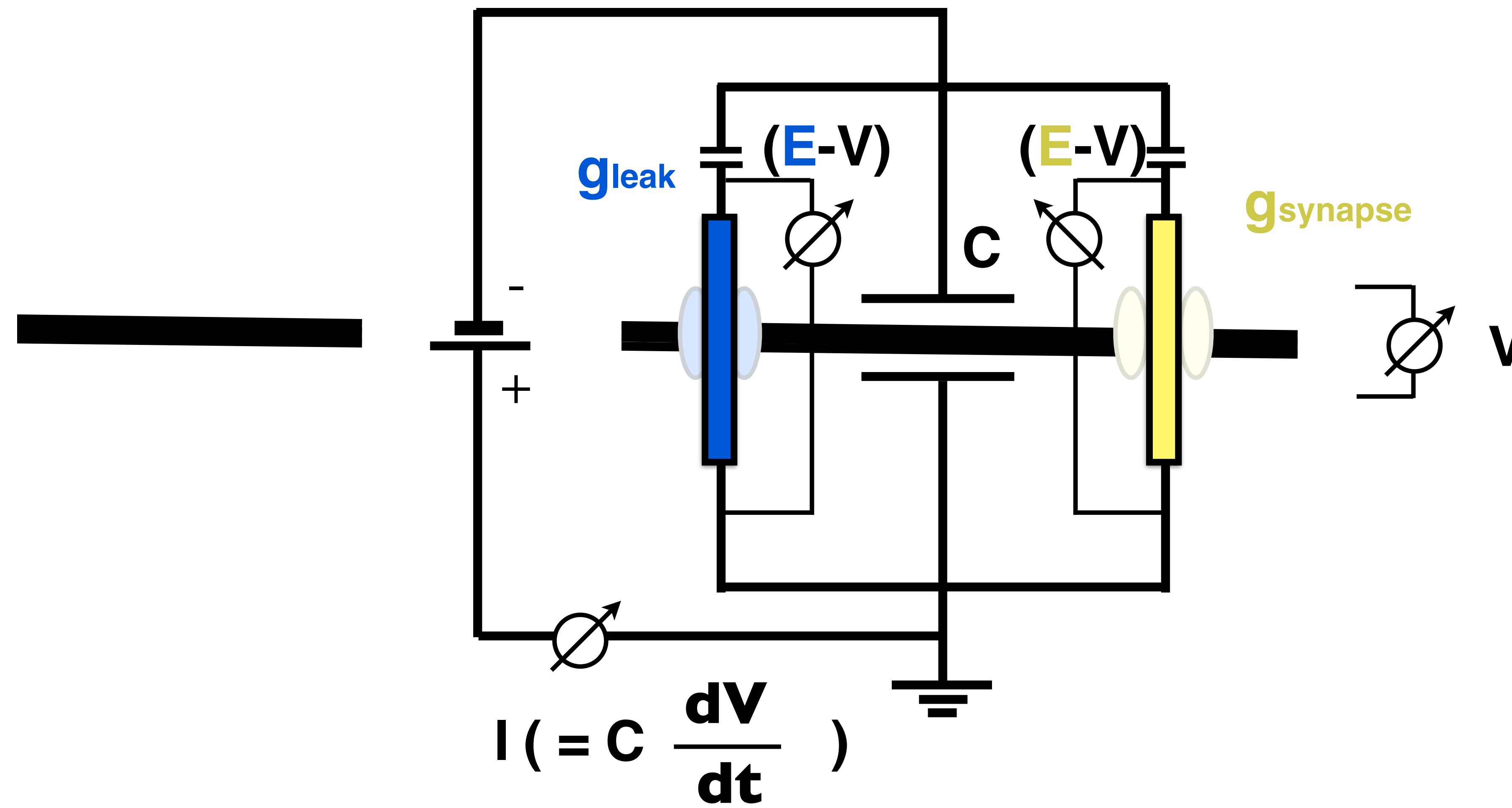
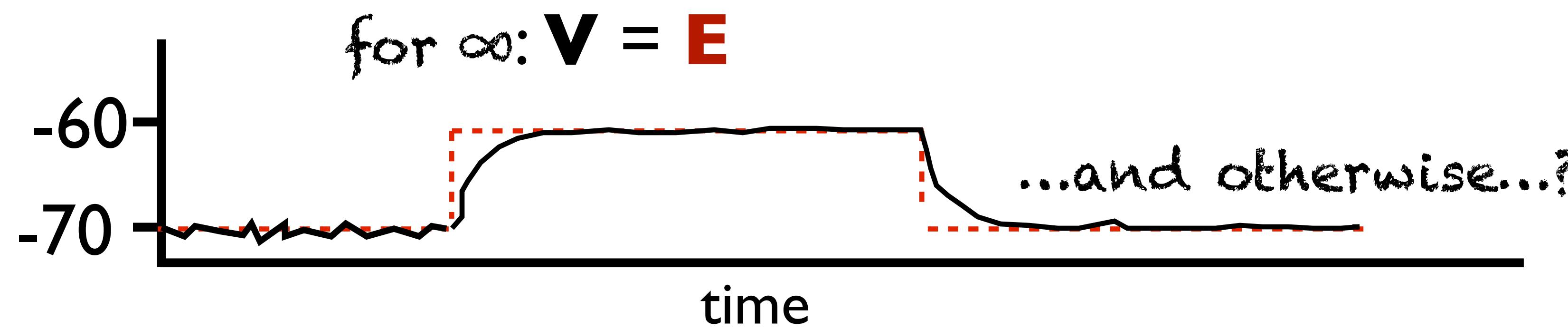




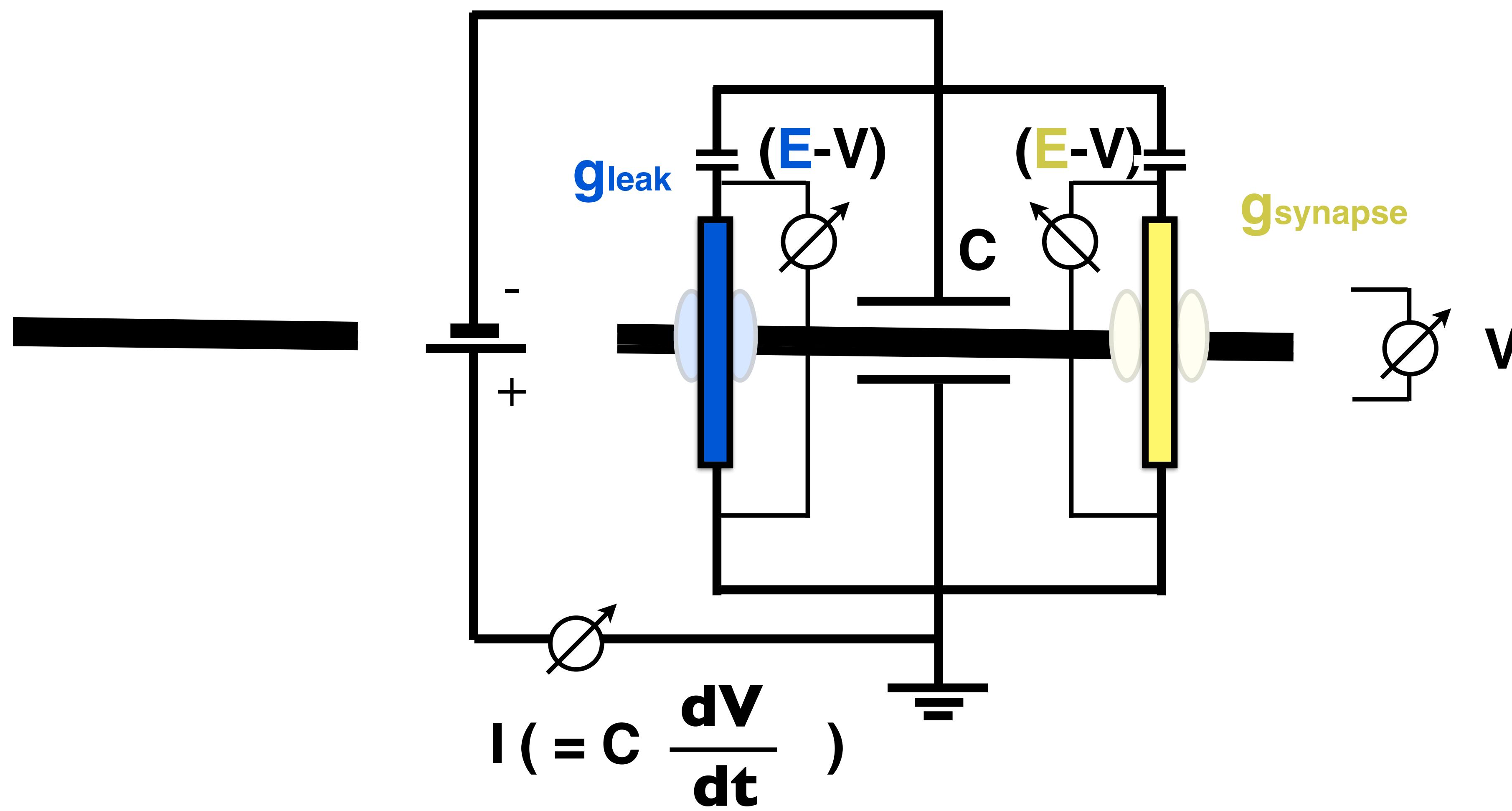






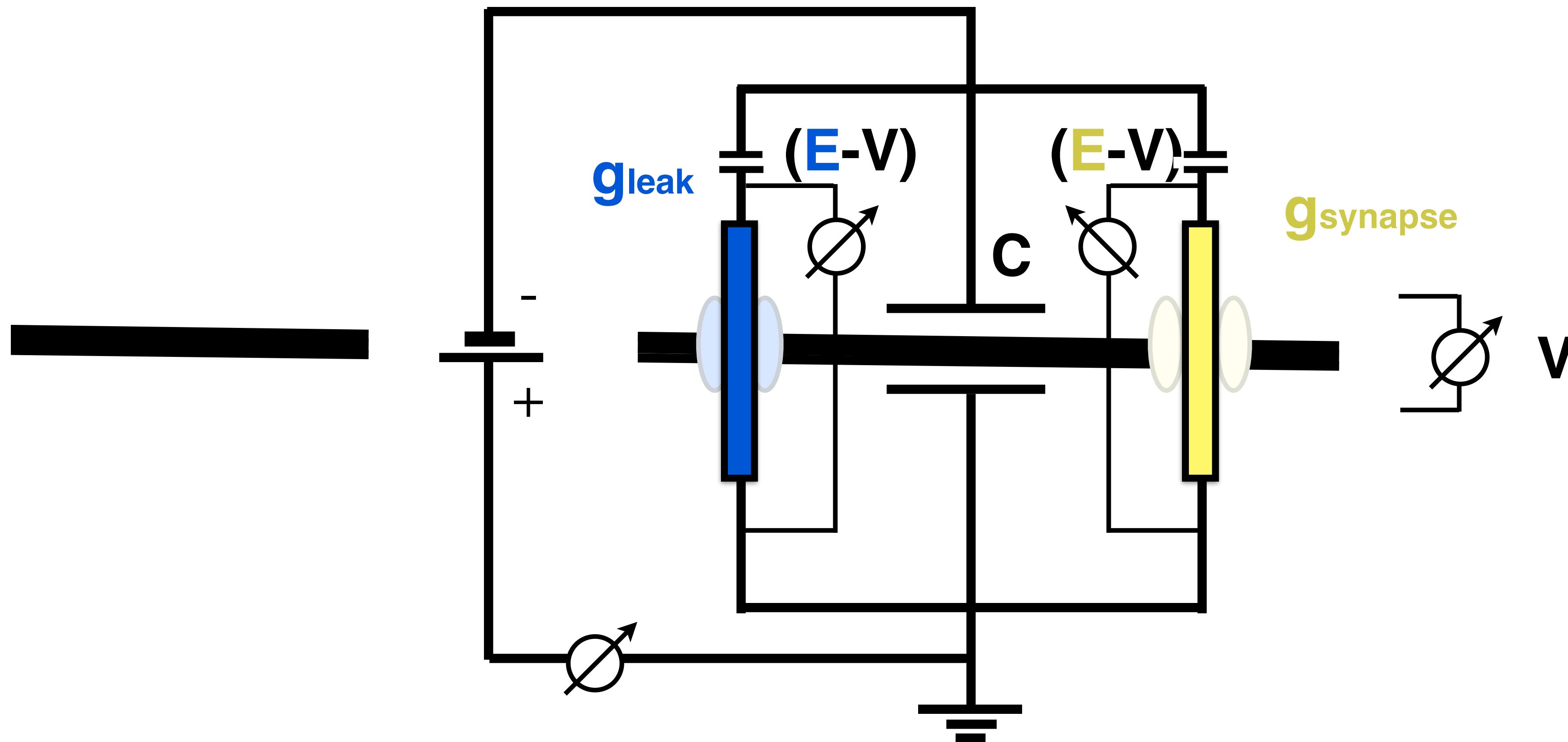


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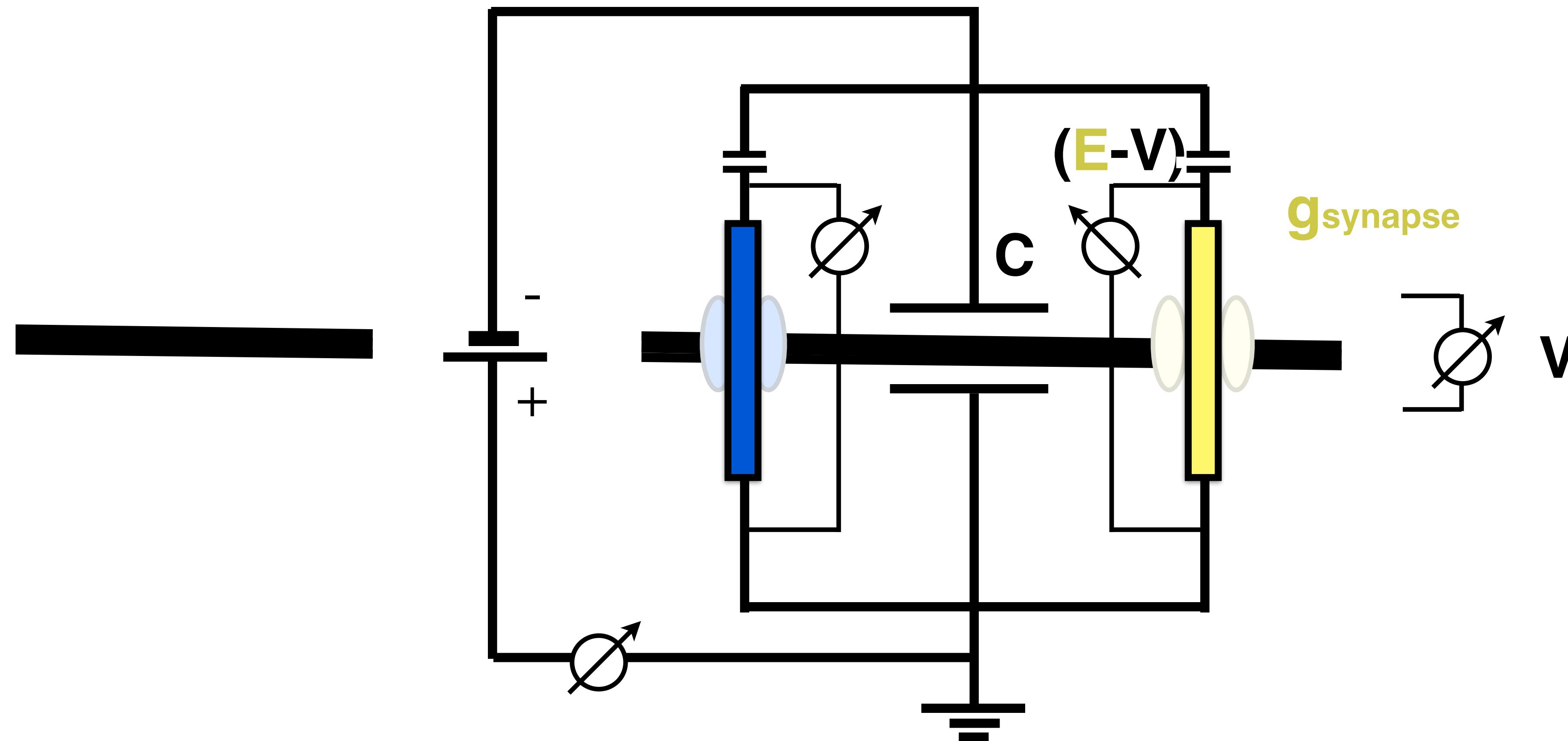
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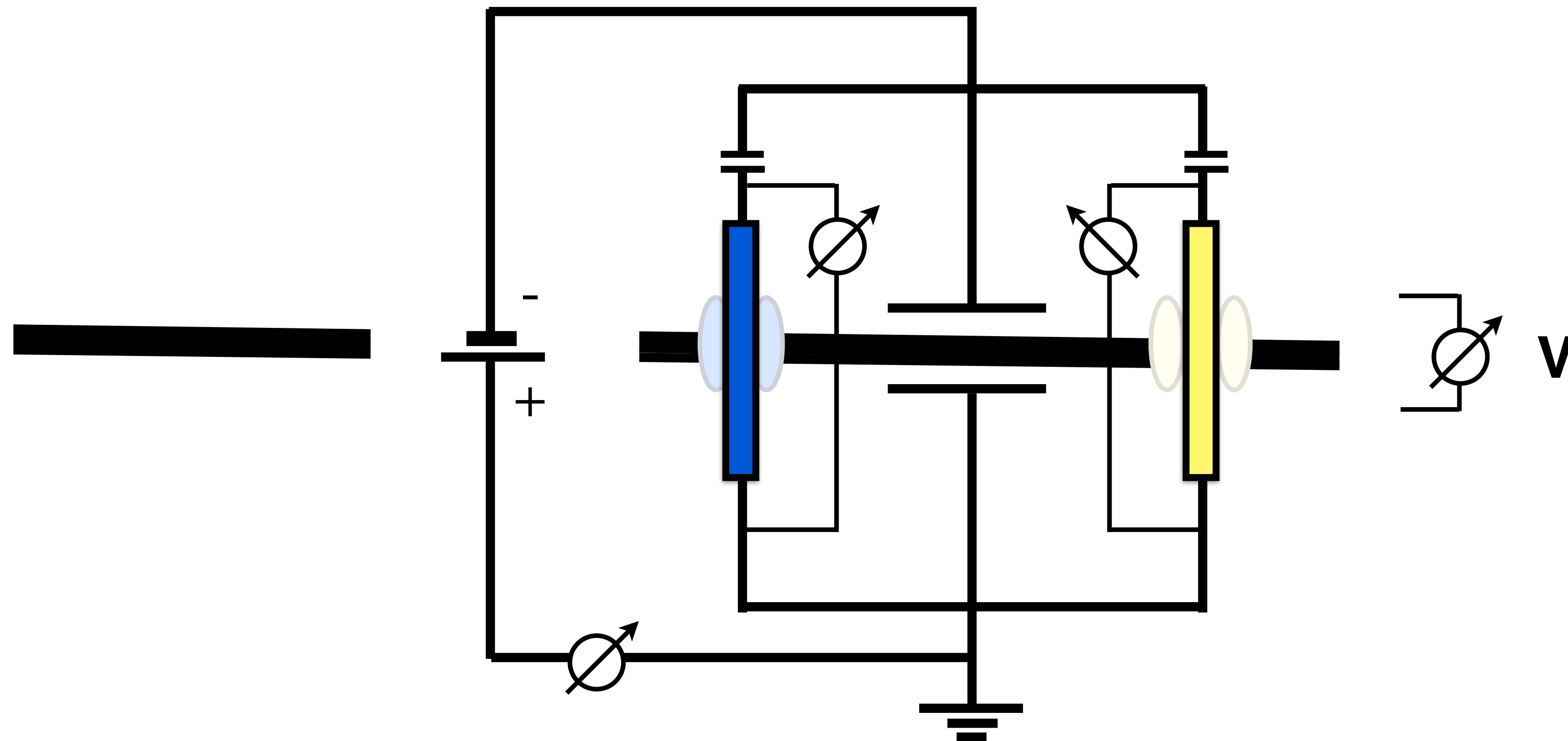
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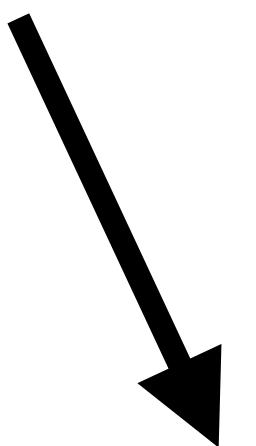


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(Nernst, Goldman Hodgkin Katz)
and we can calculate how it changes.**

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$$= \left(-\frac{t}{\tau} \right) e$$

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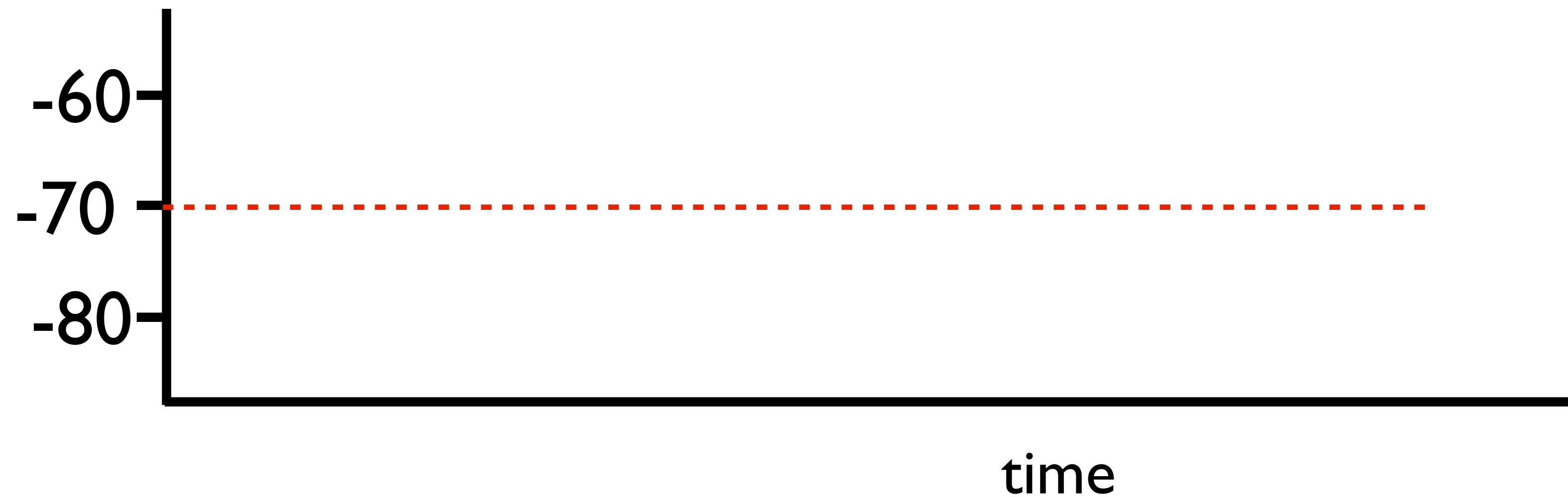
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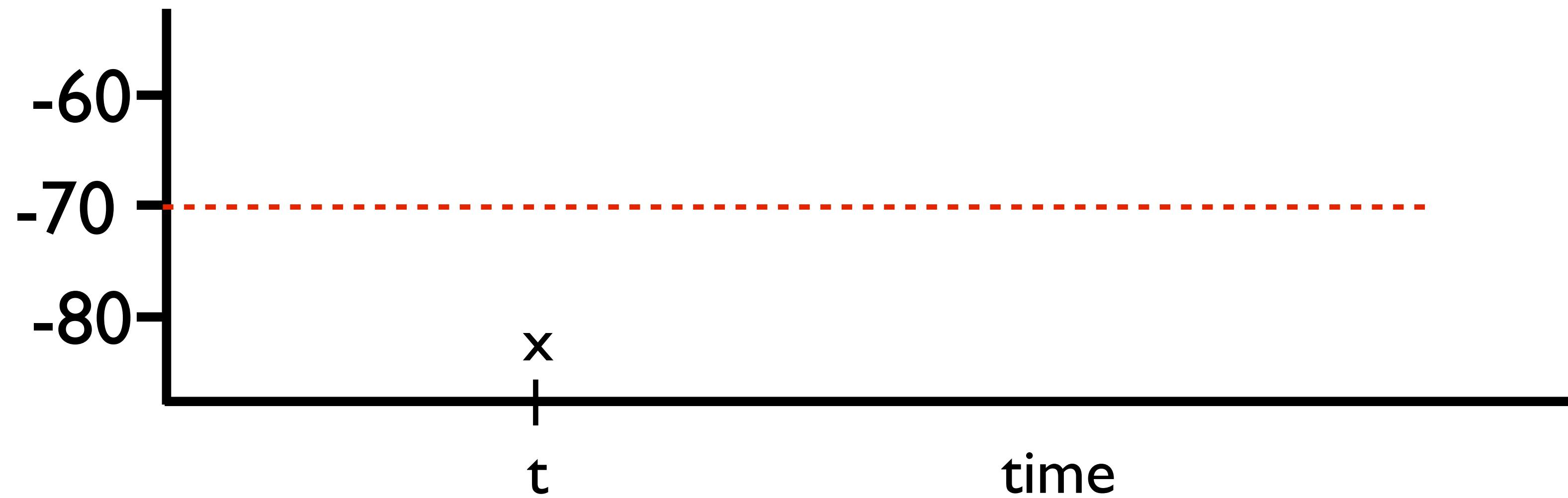
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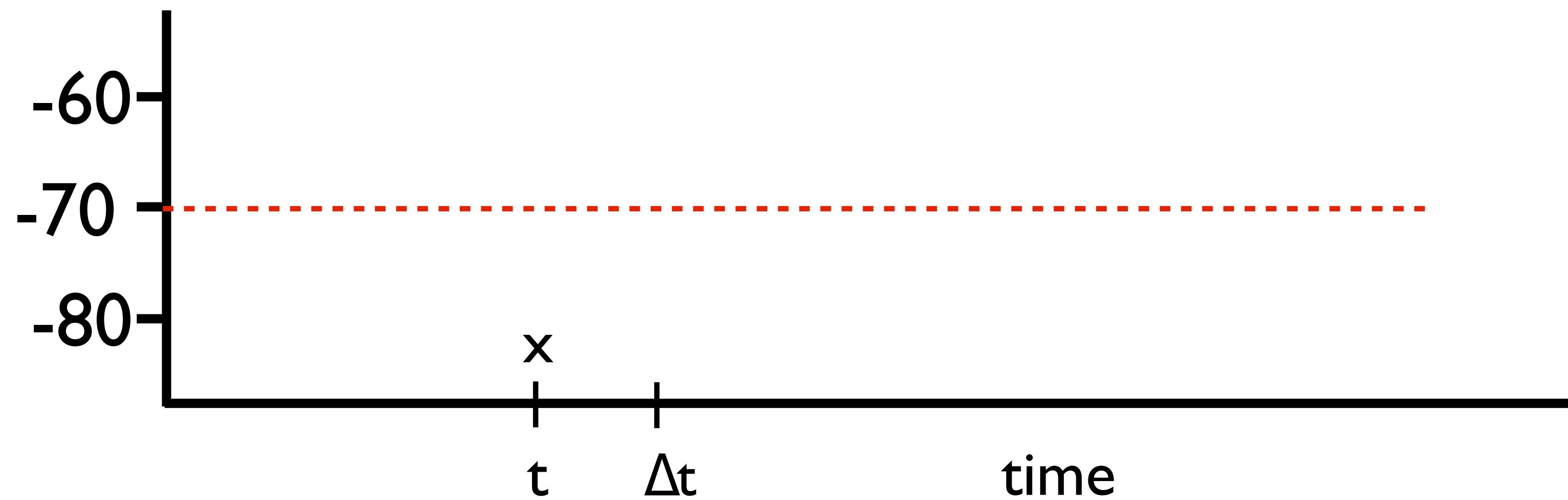
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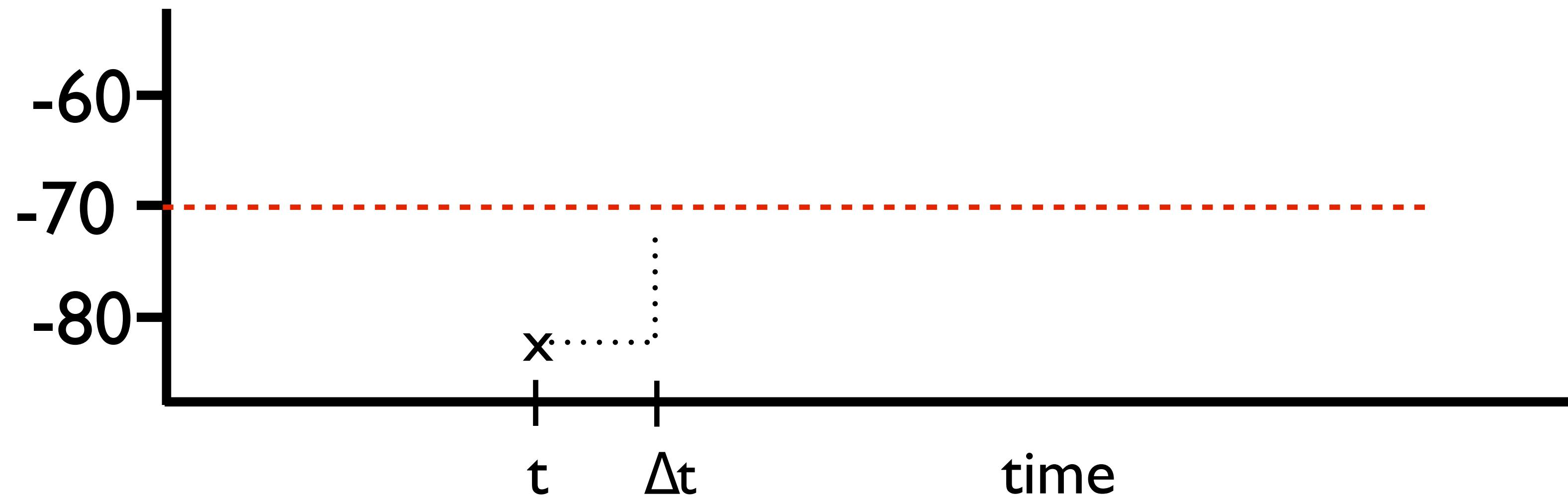
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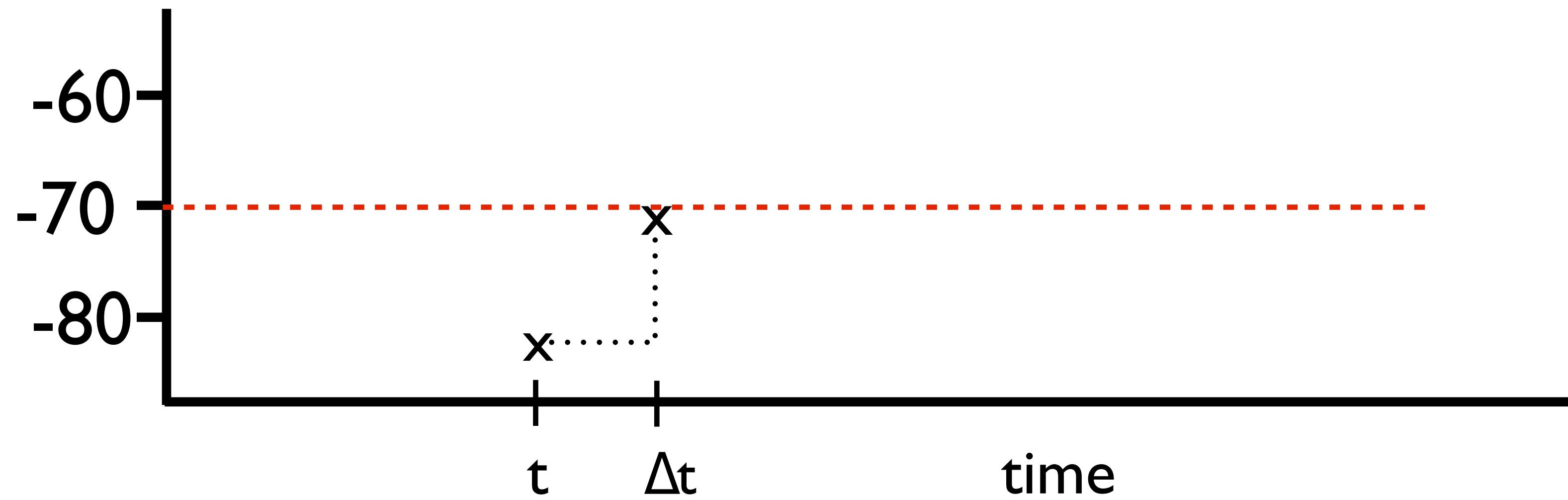
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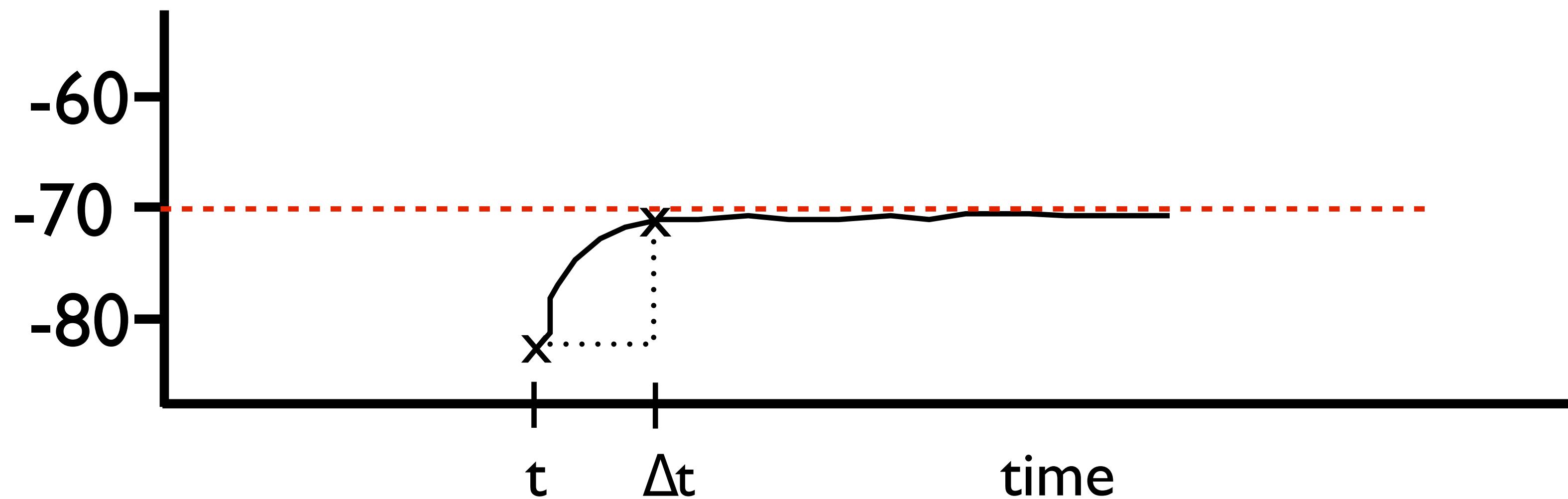
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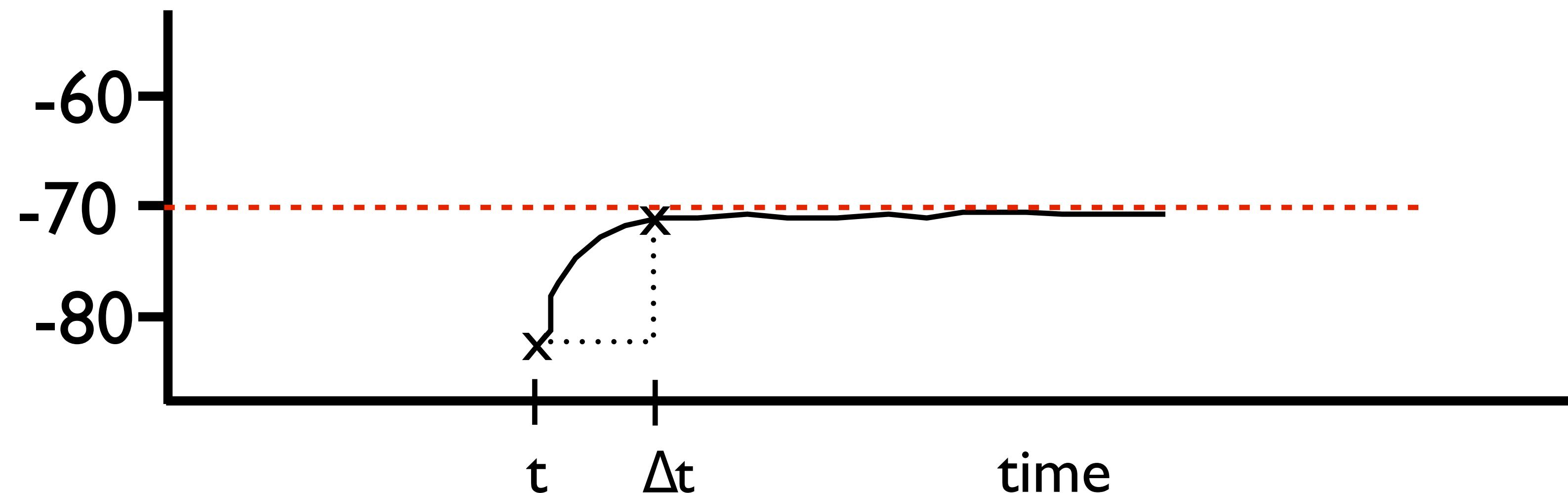
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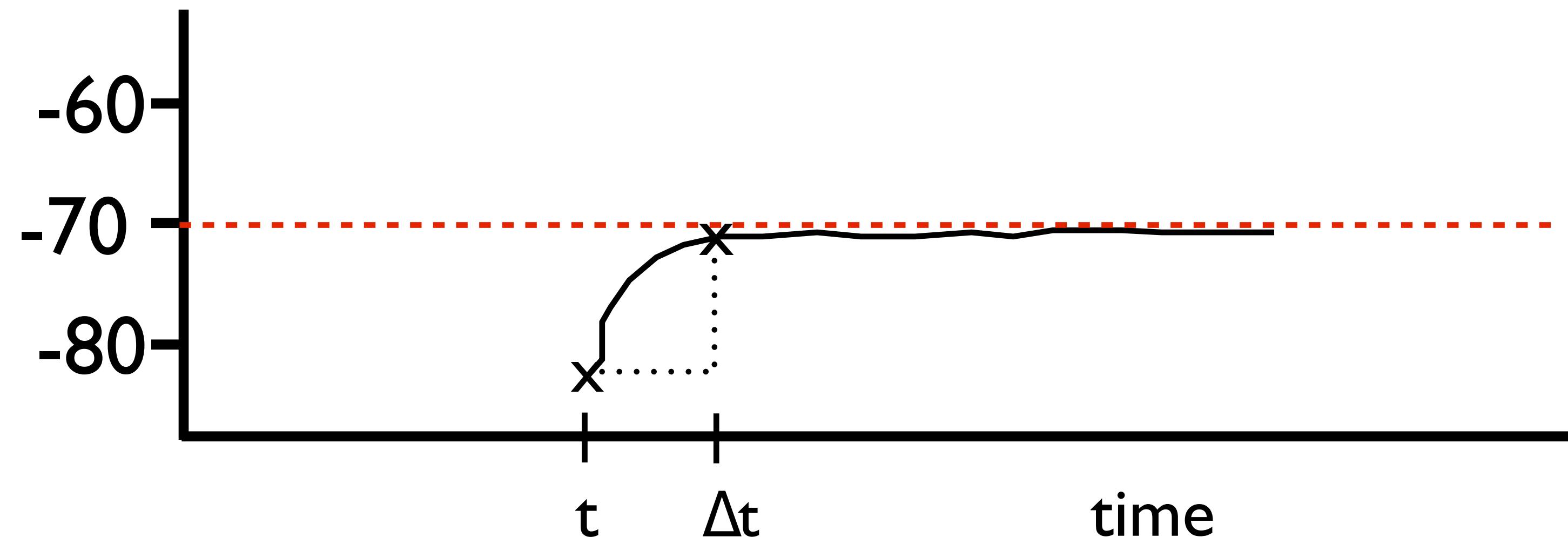


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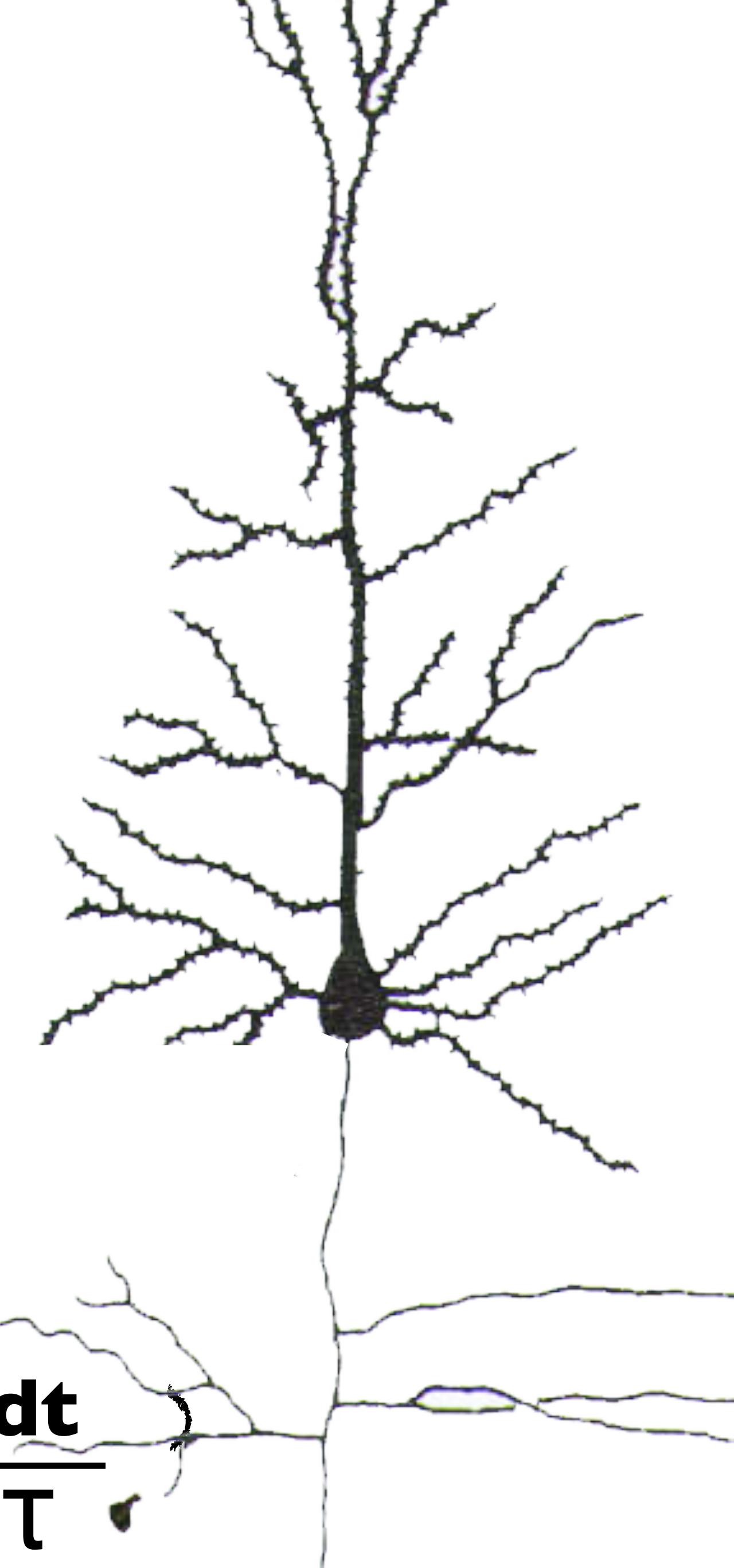
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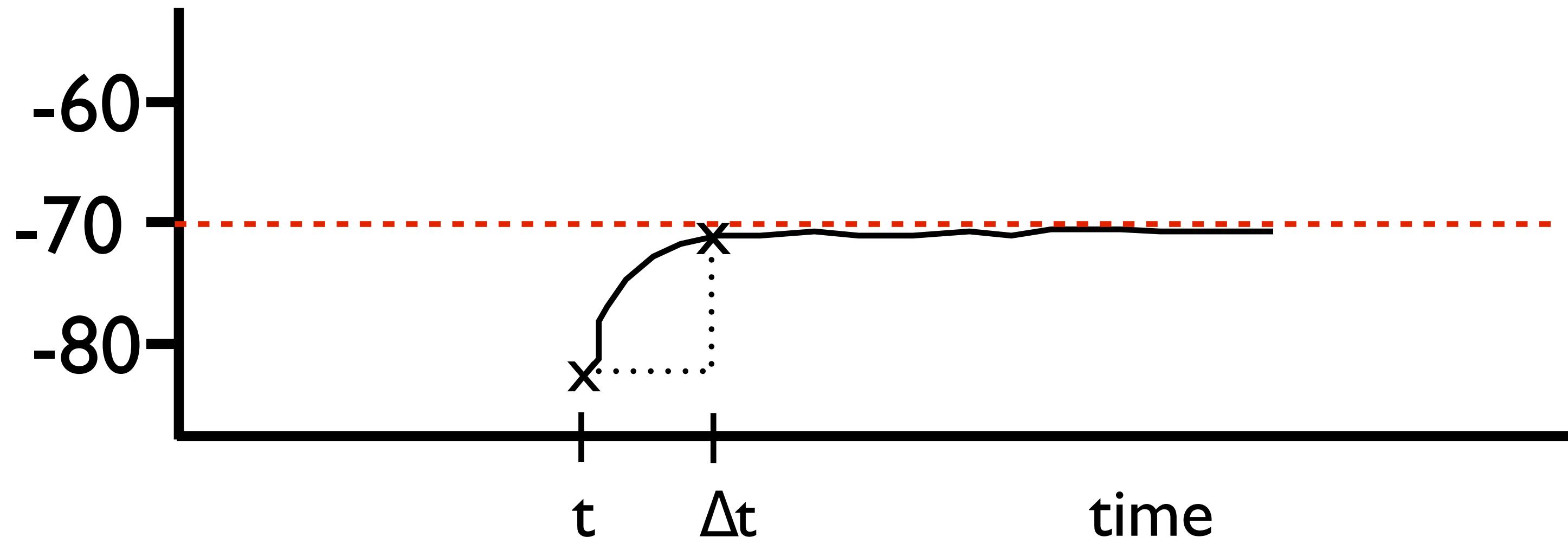


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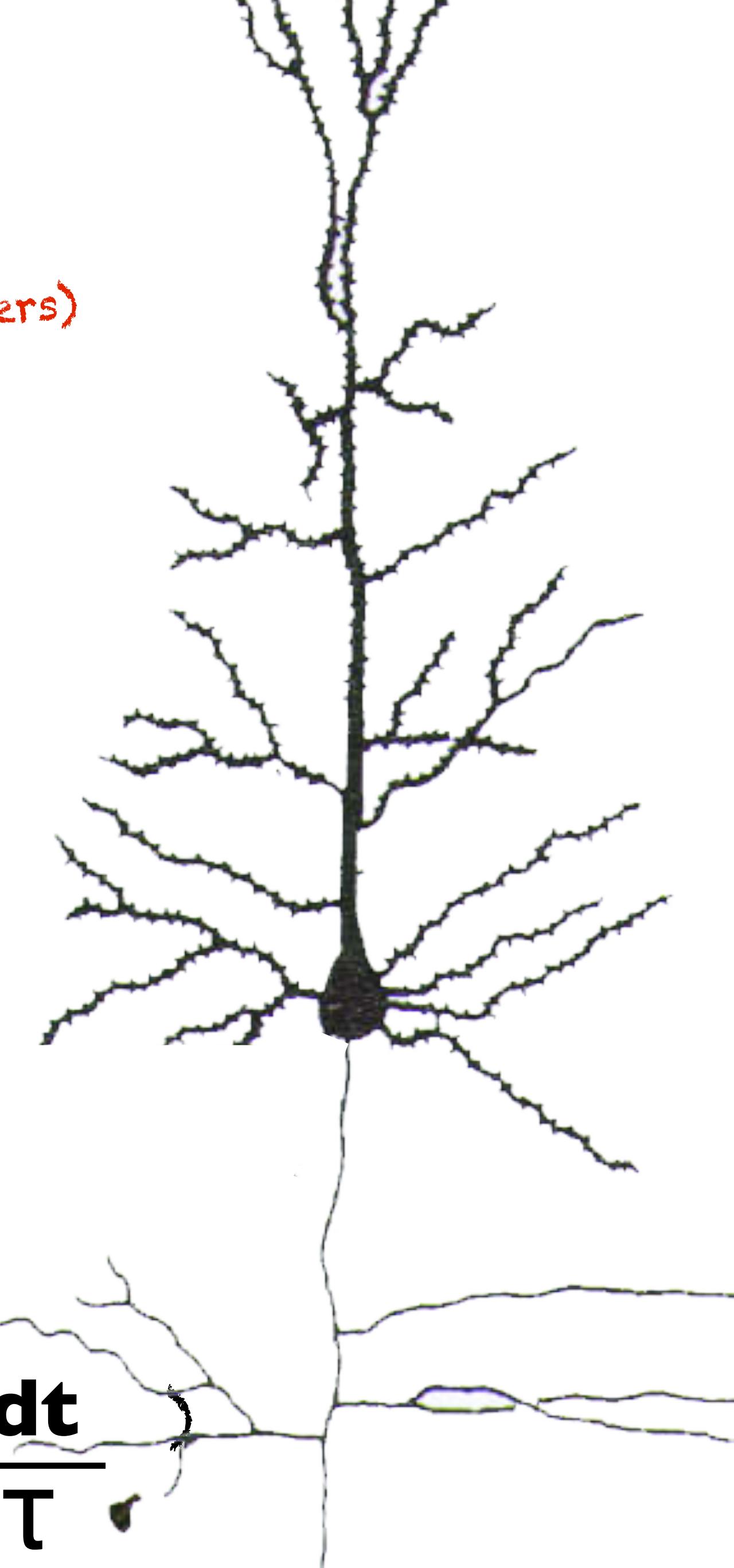
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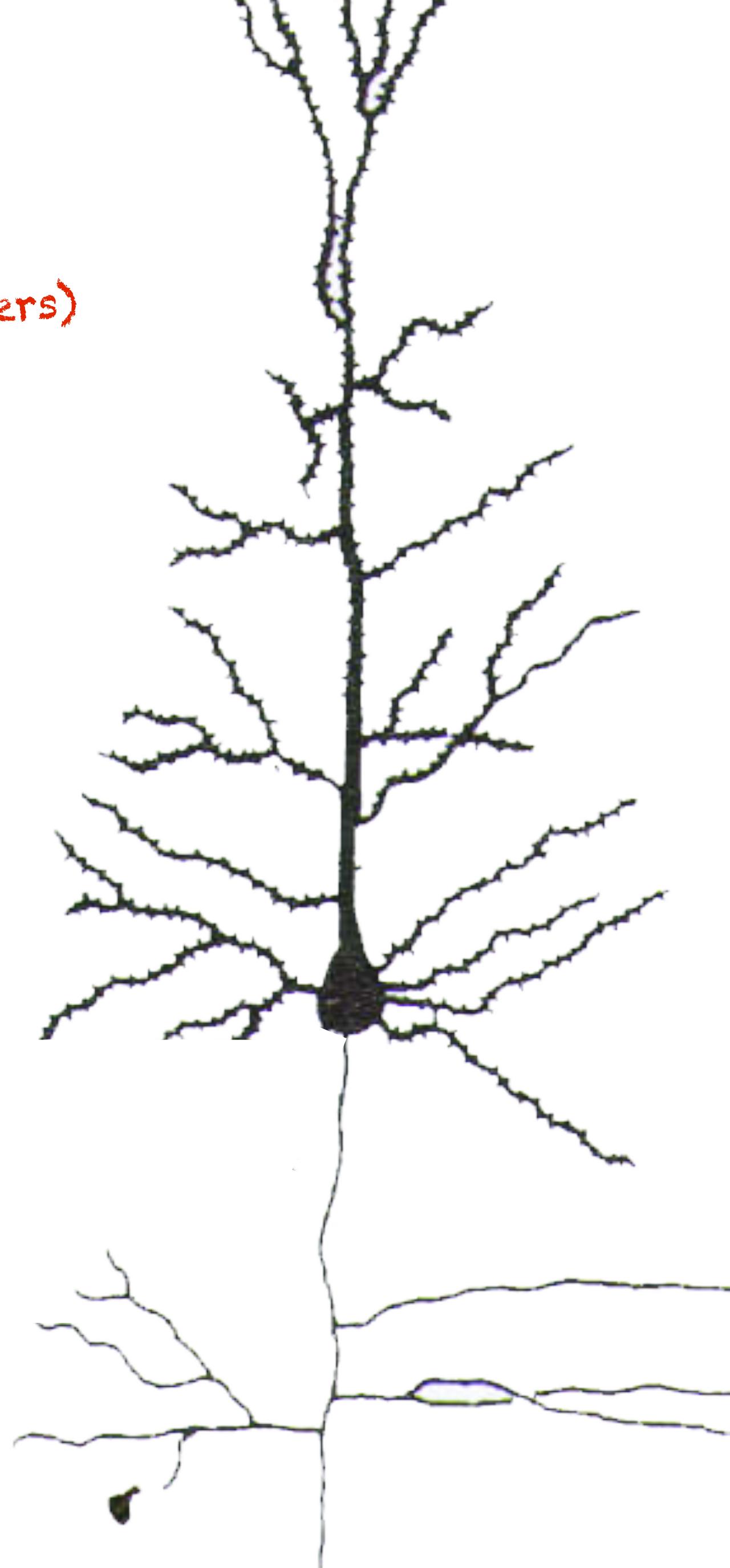


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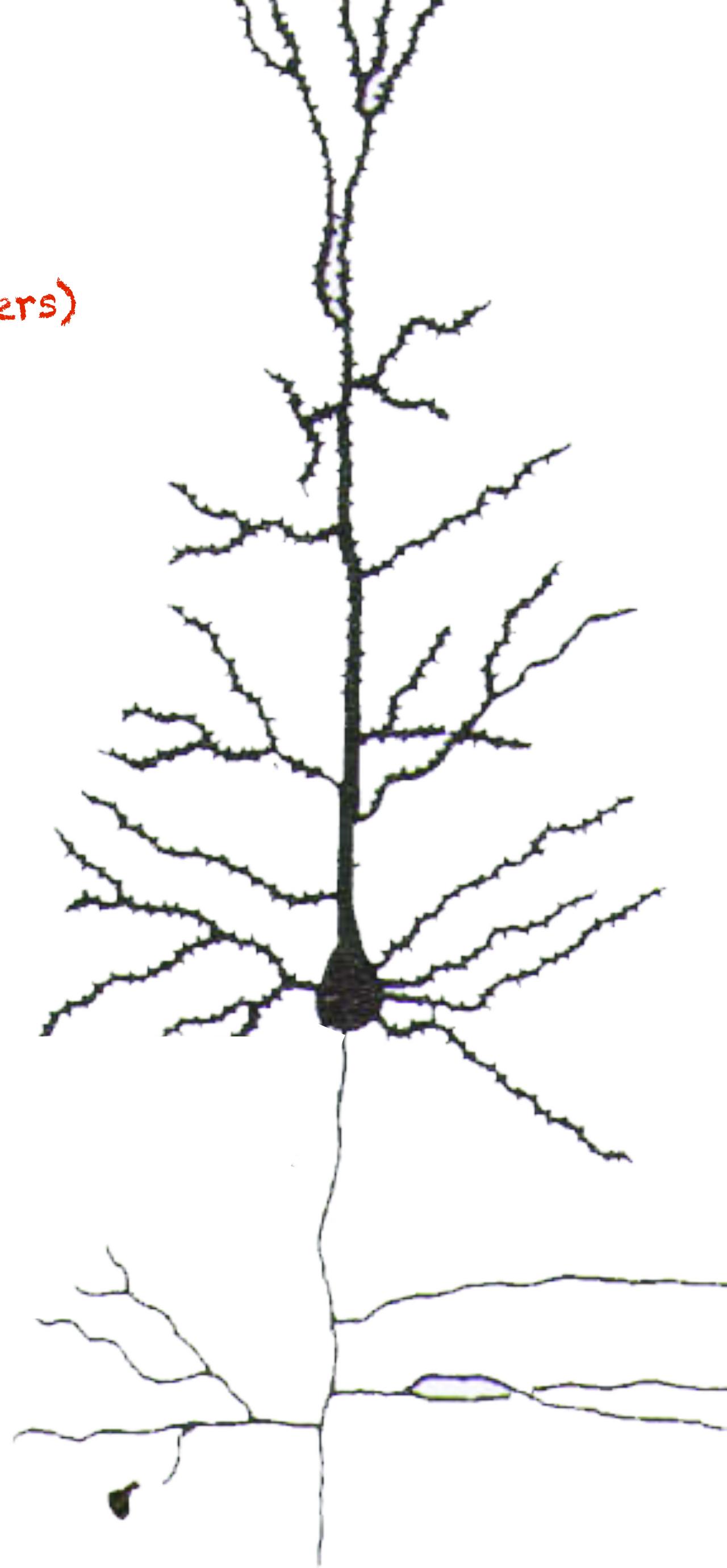


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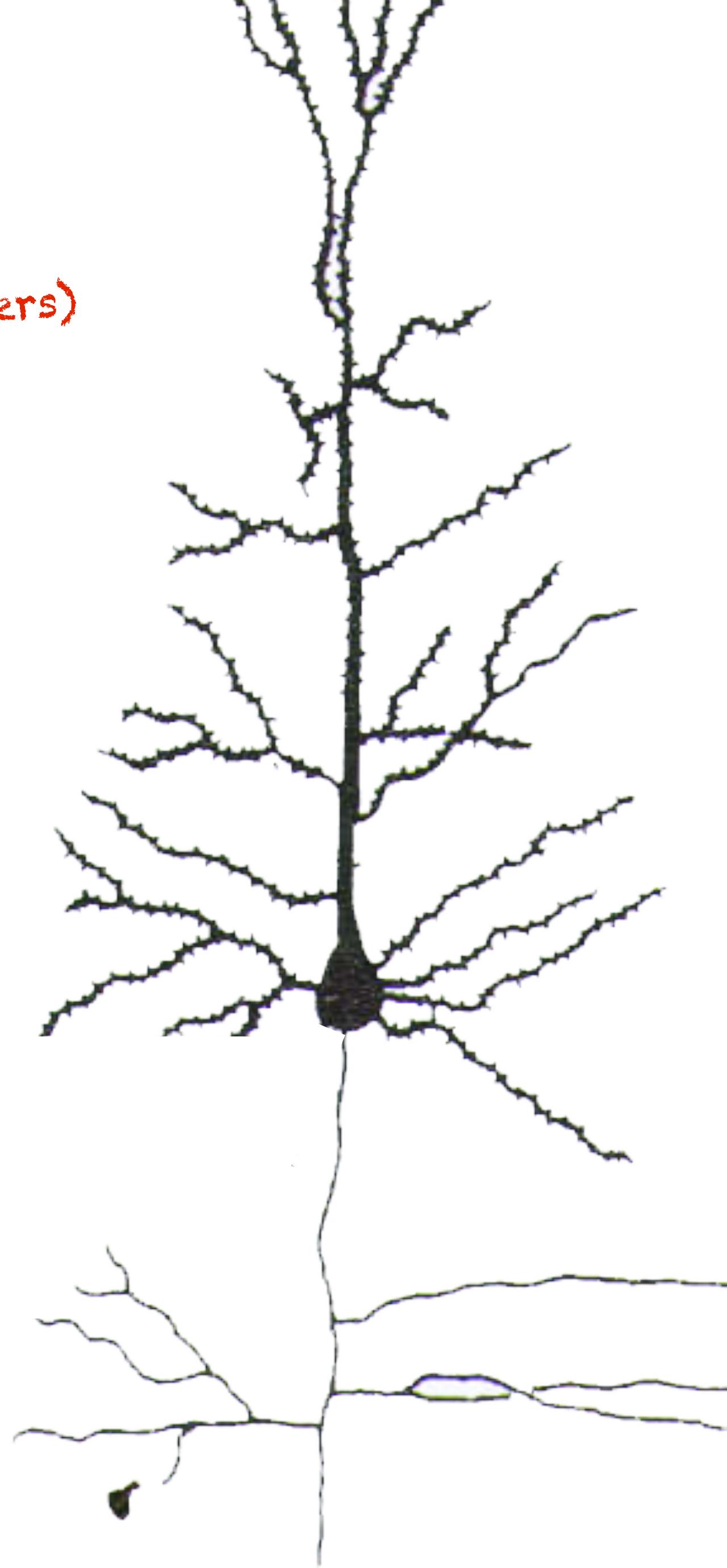


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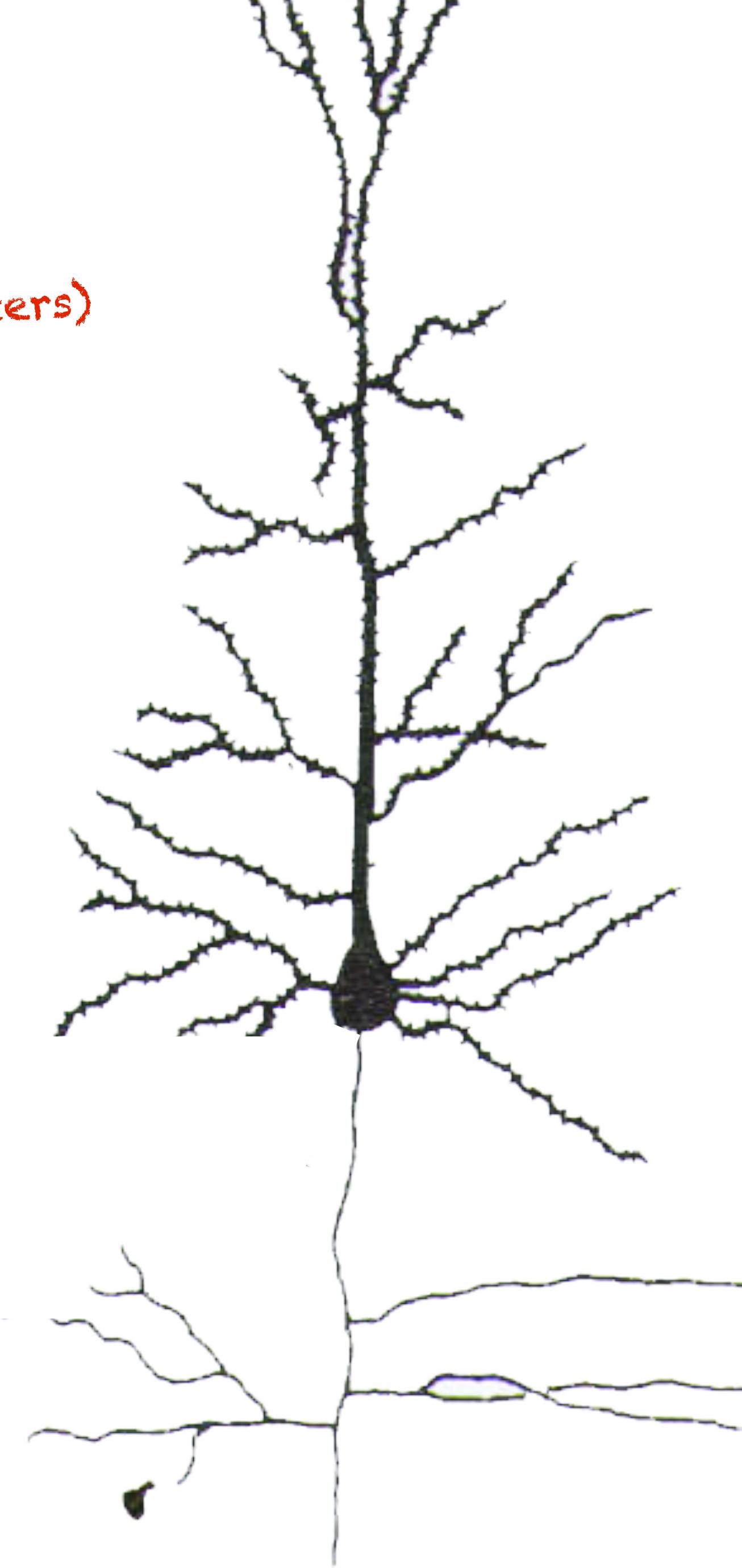
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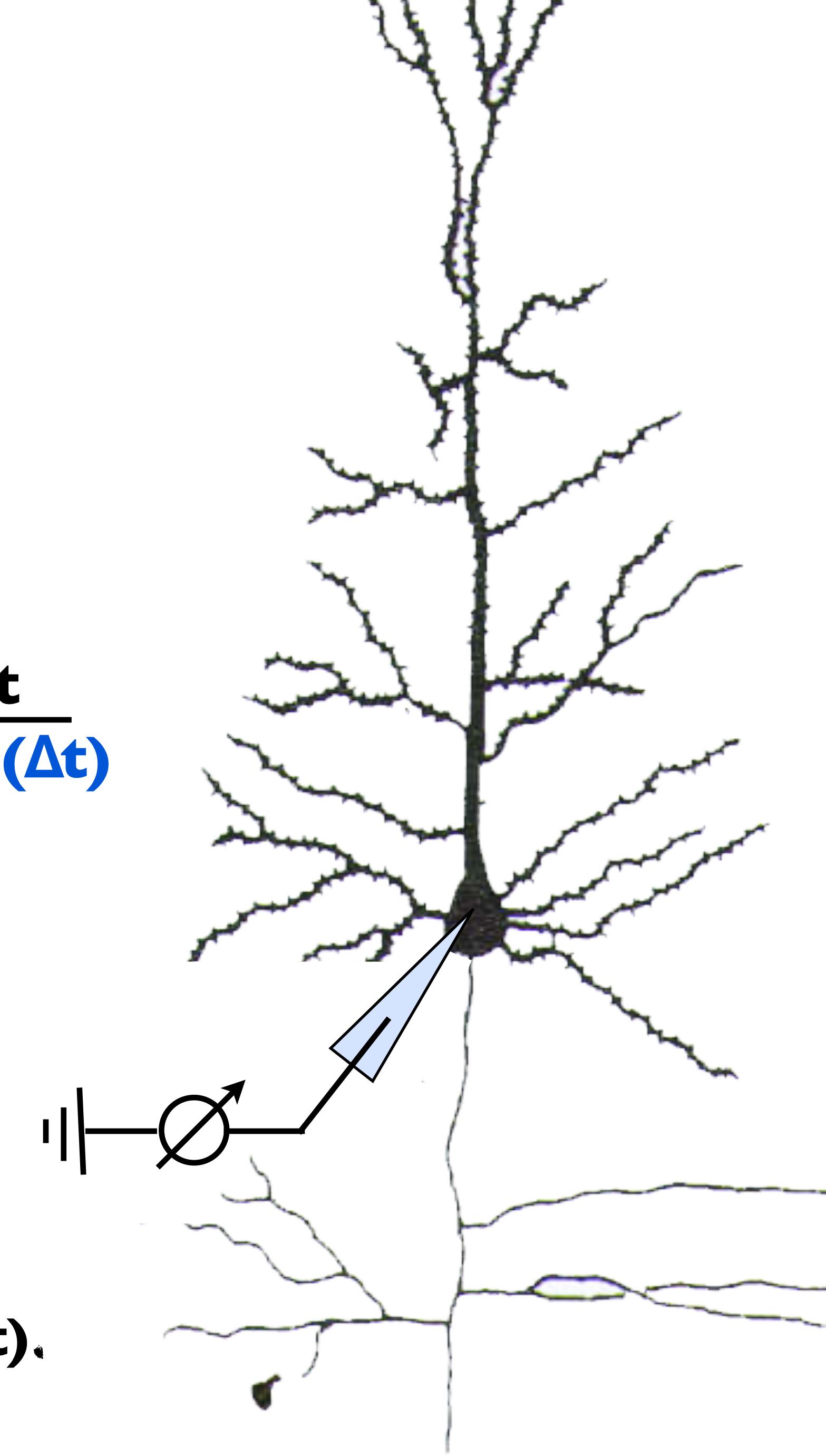
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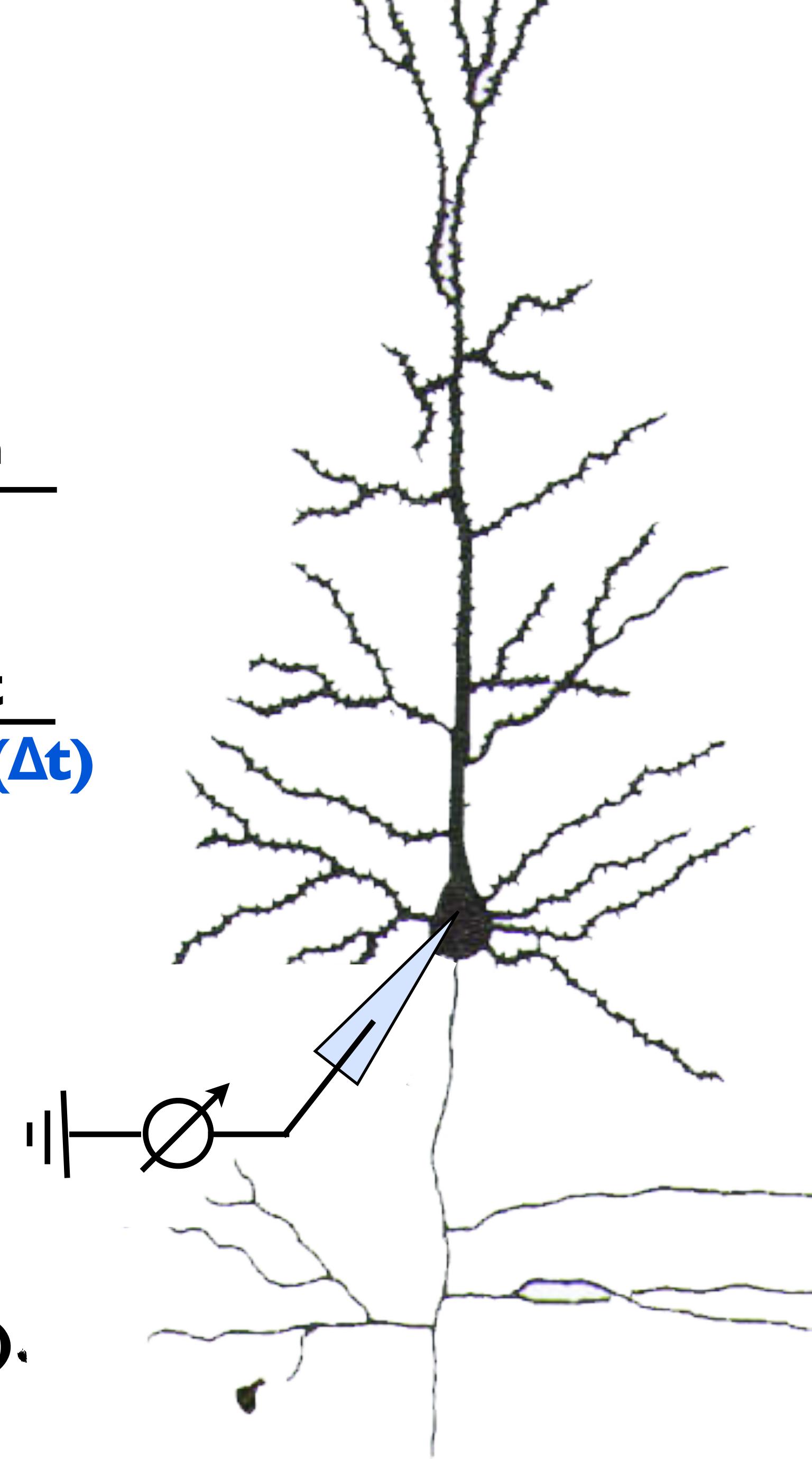
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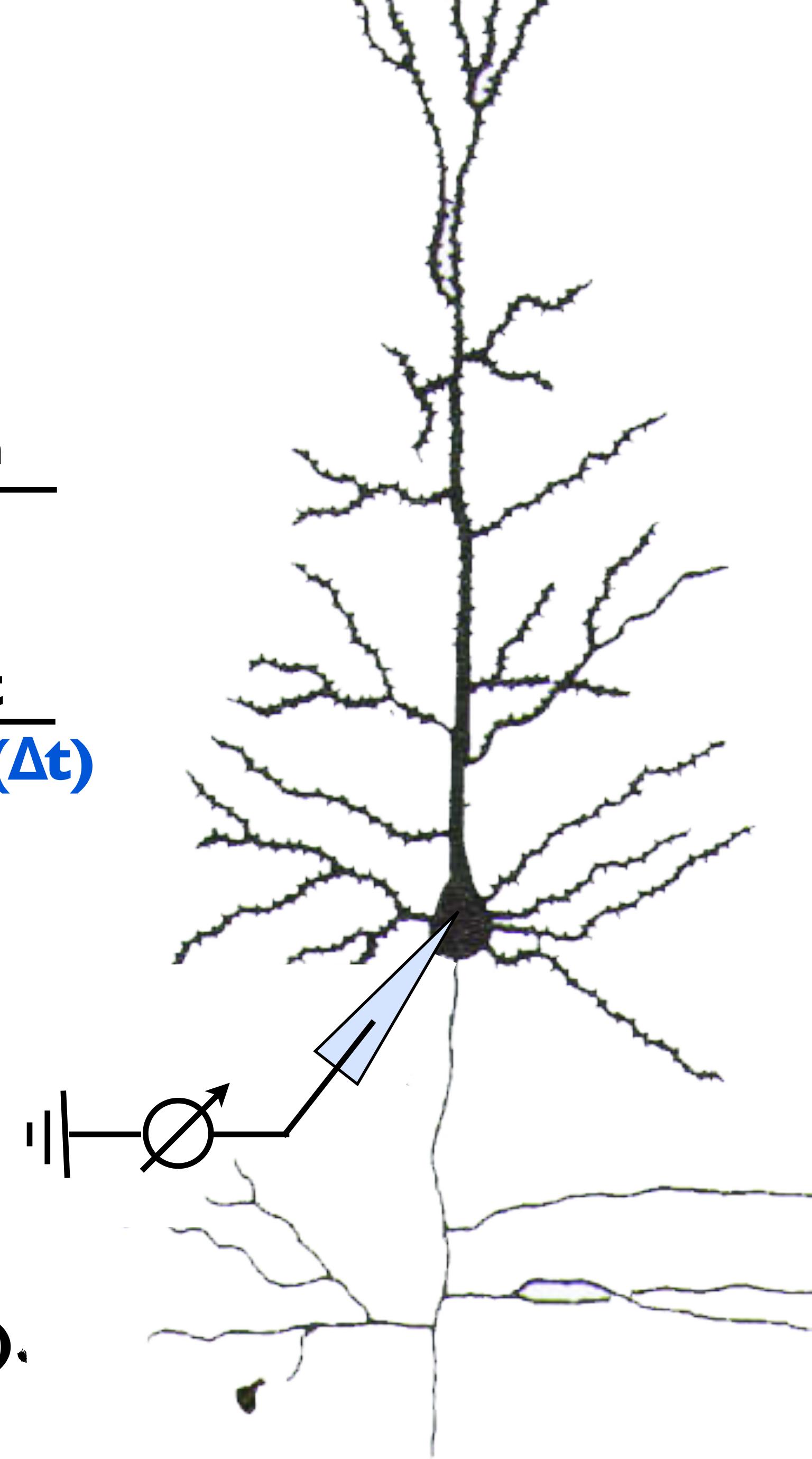
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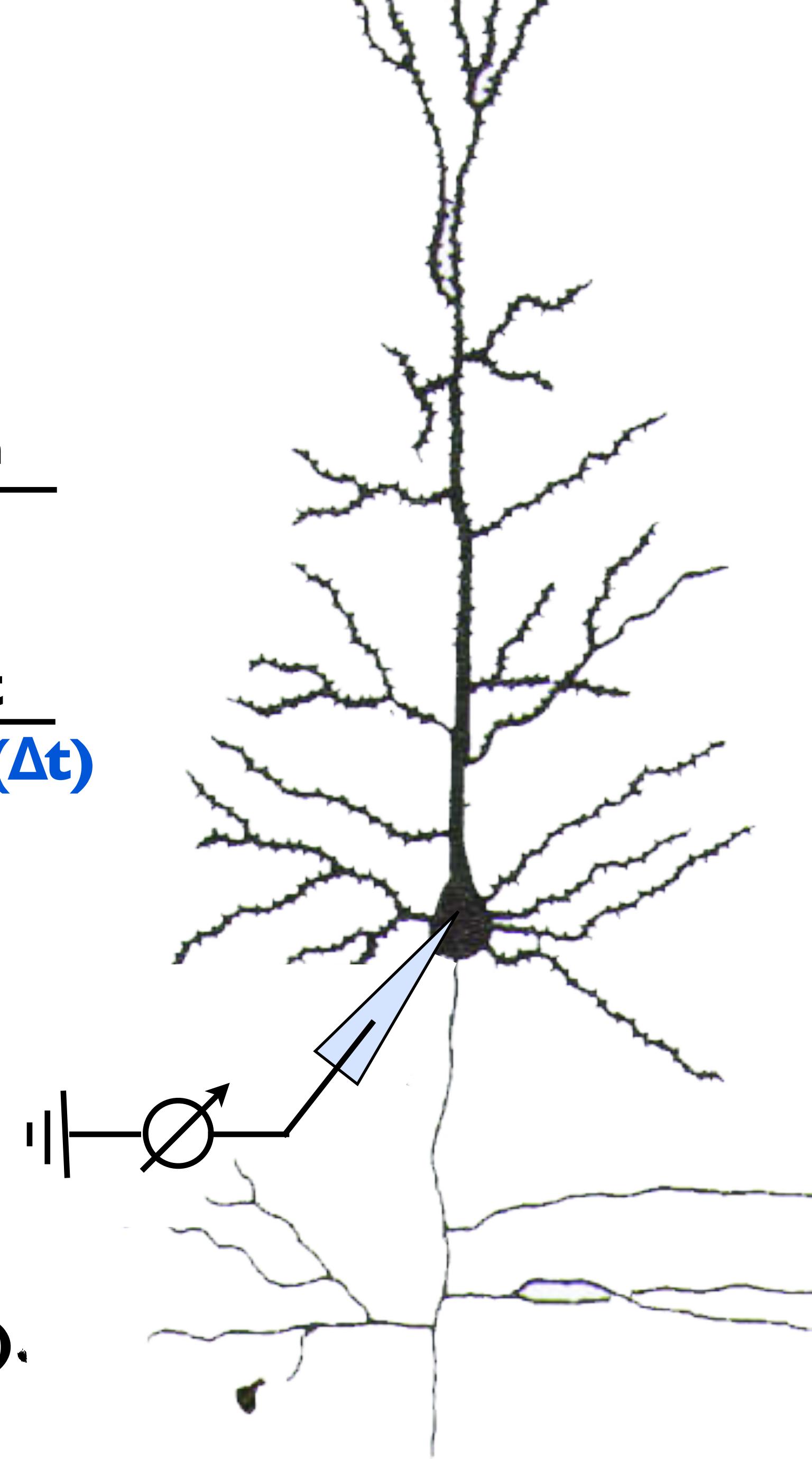
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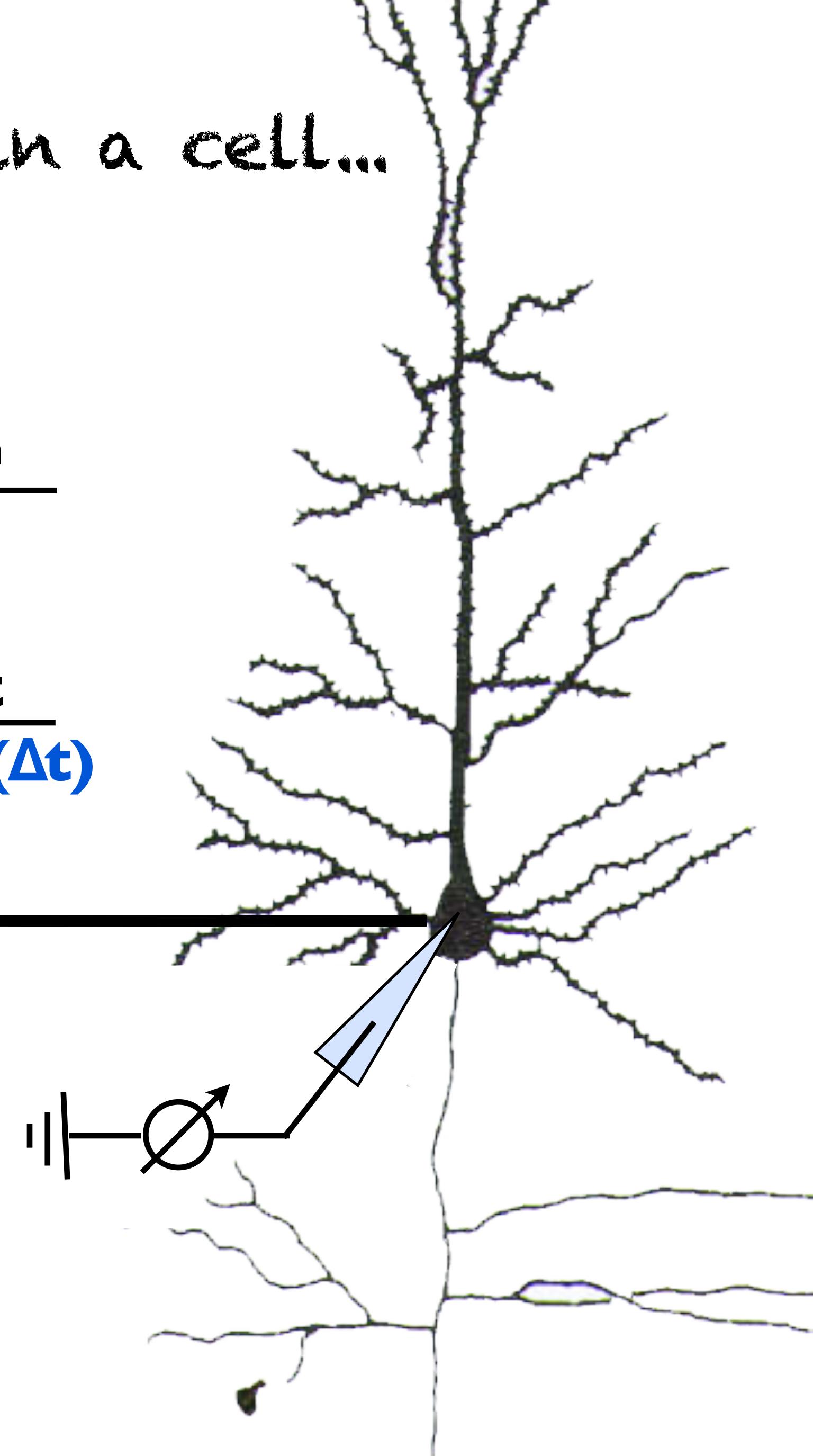
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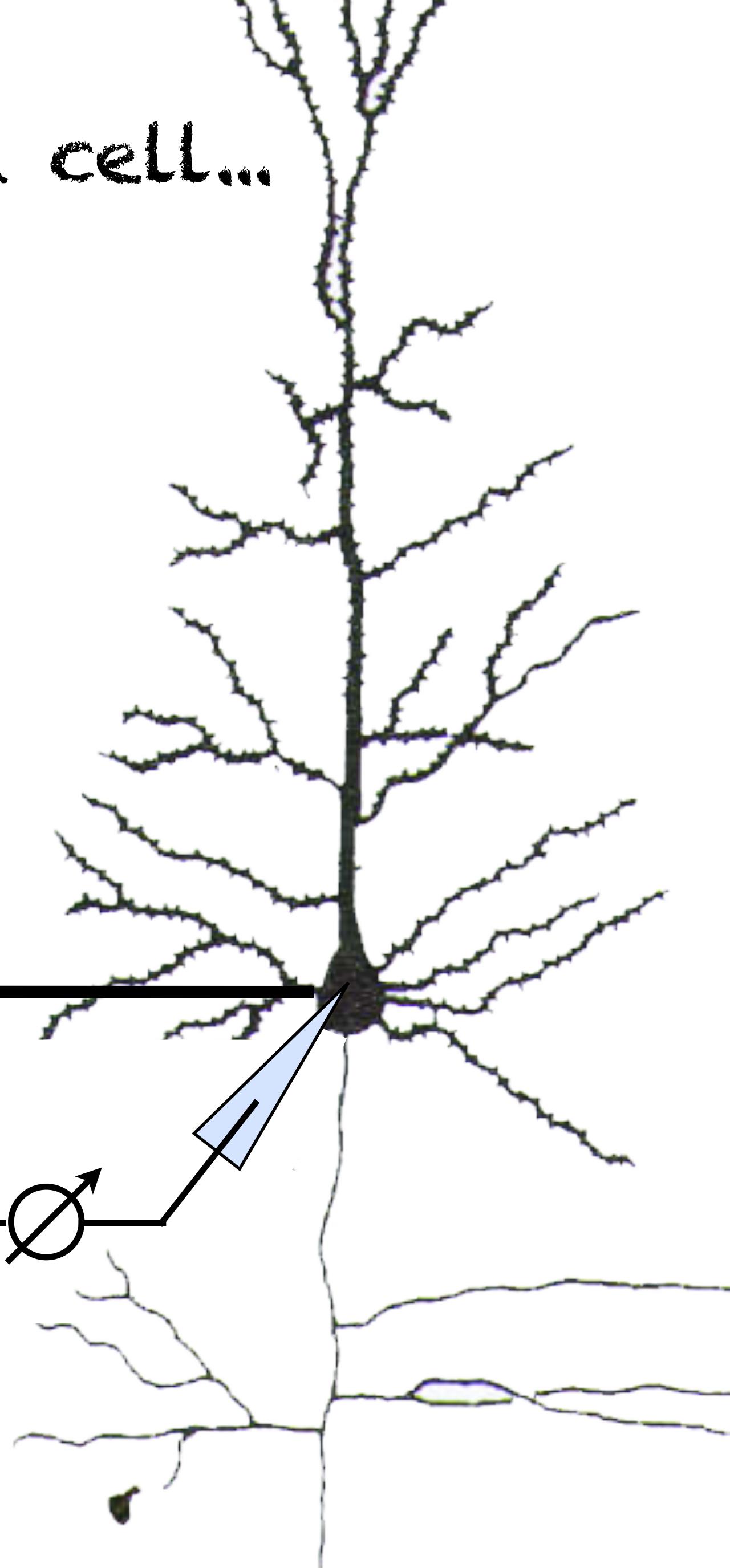
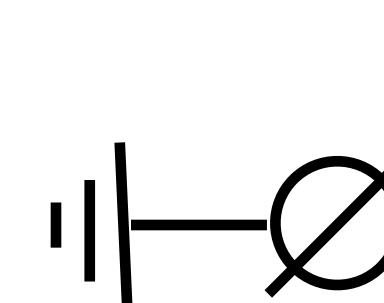
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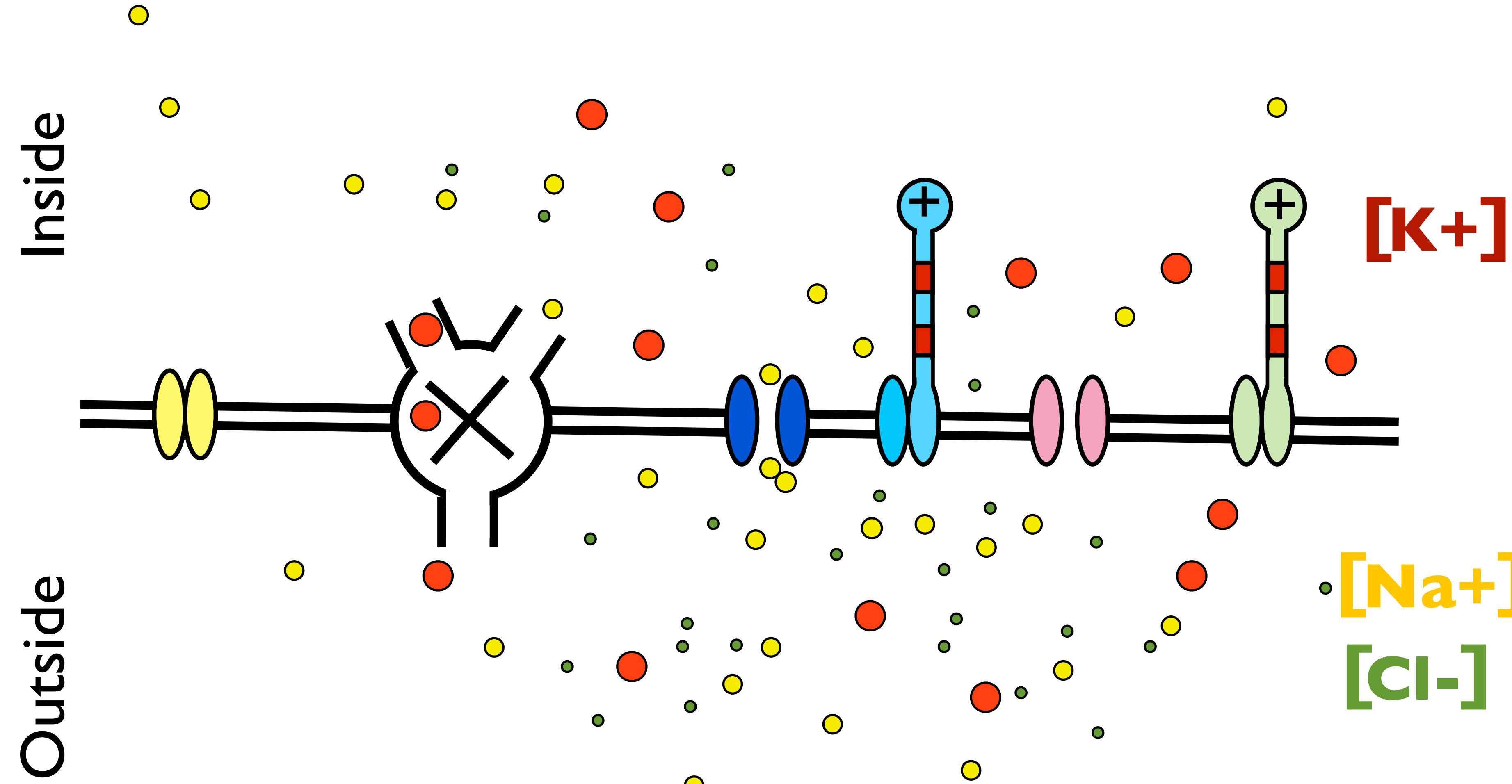
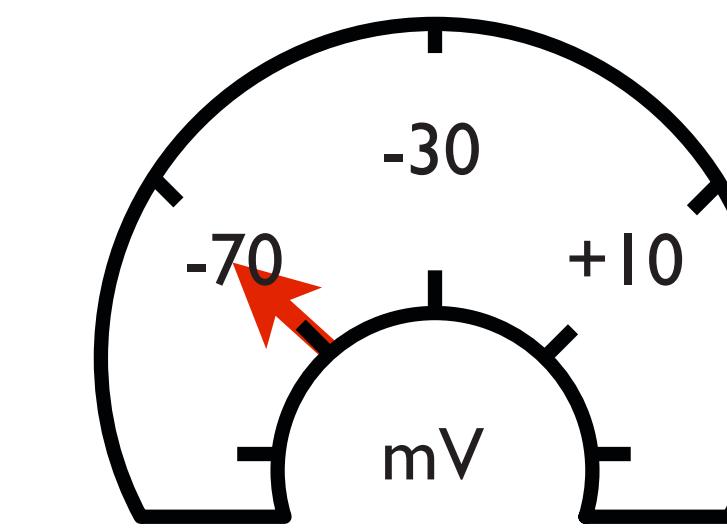
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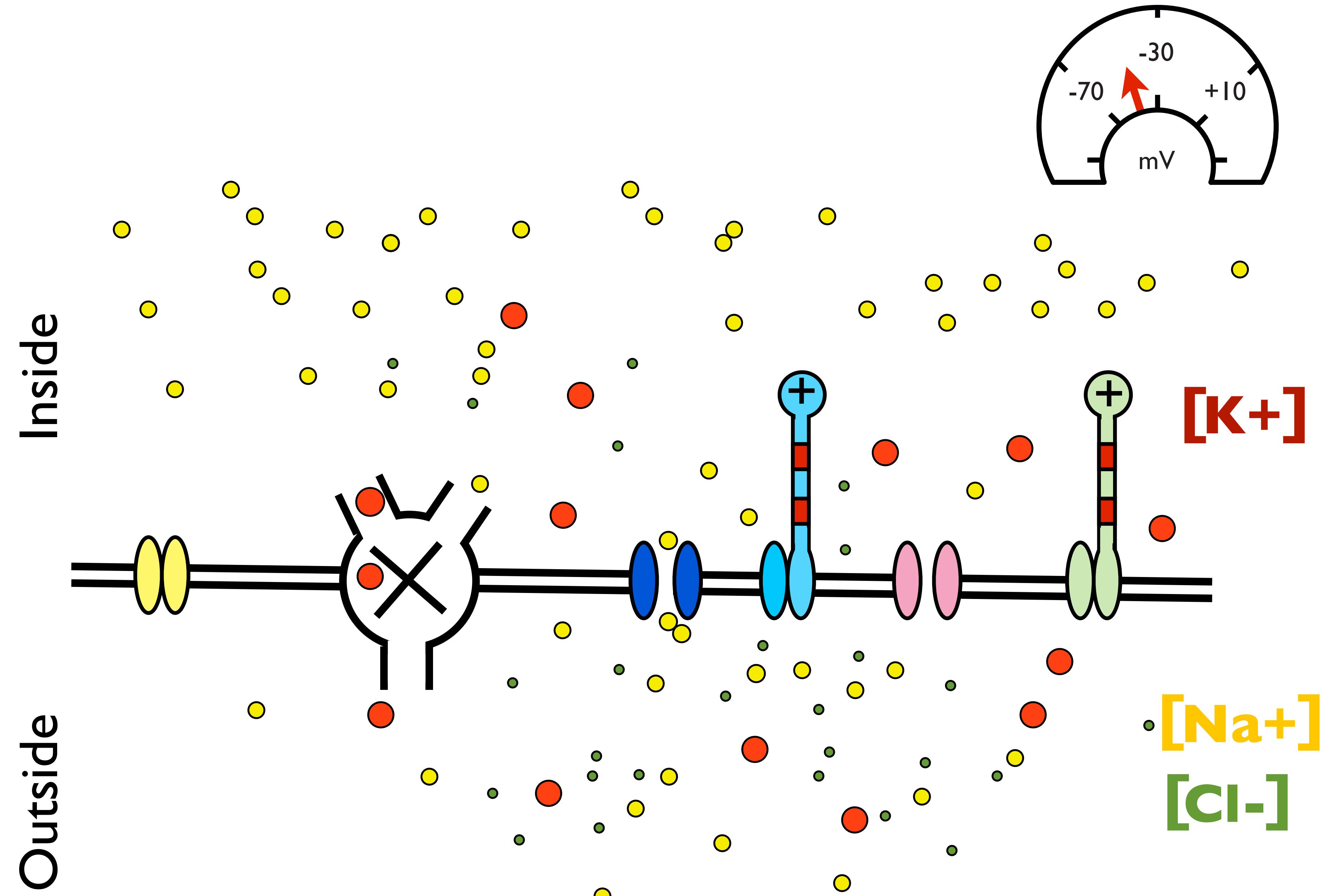
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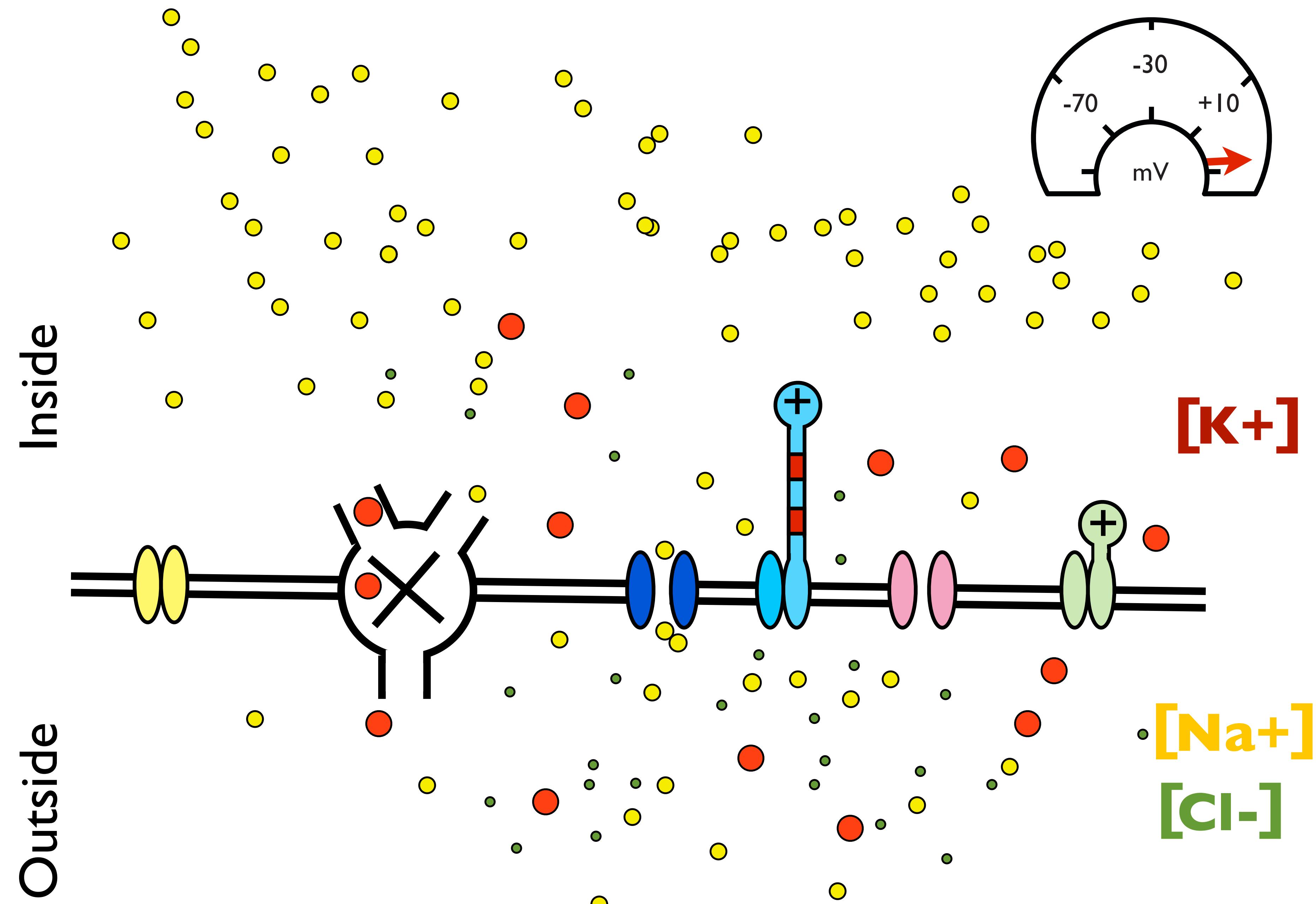
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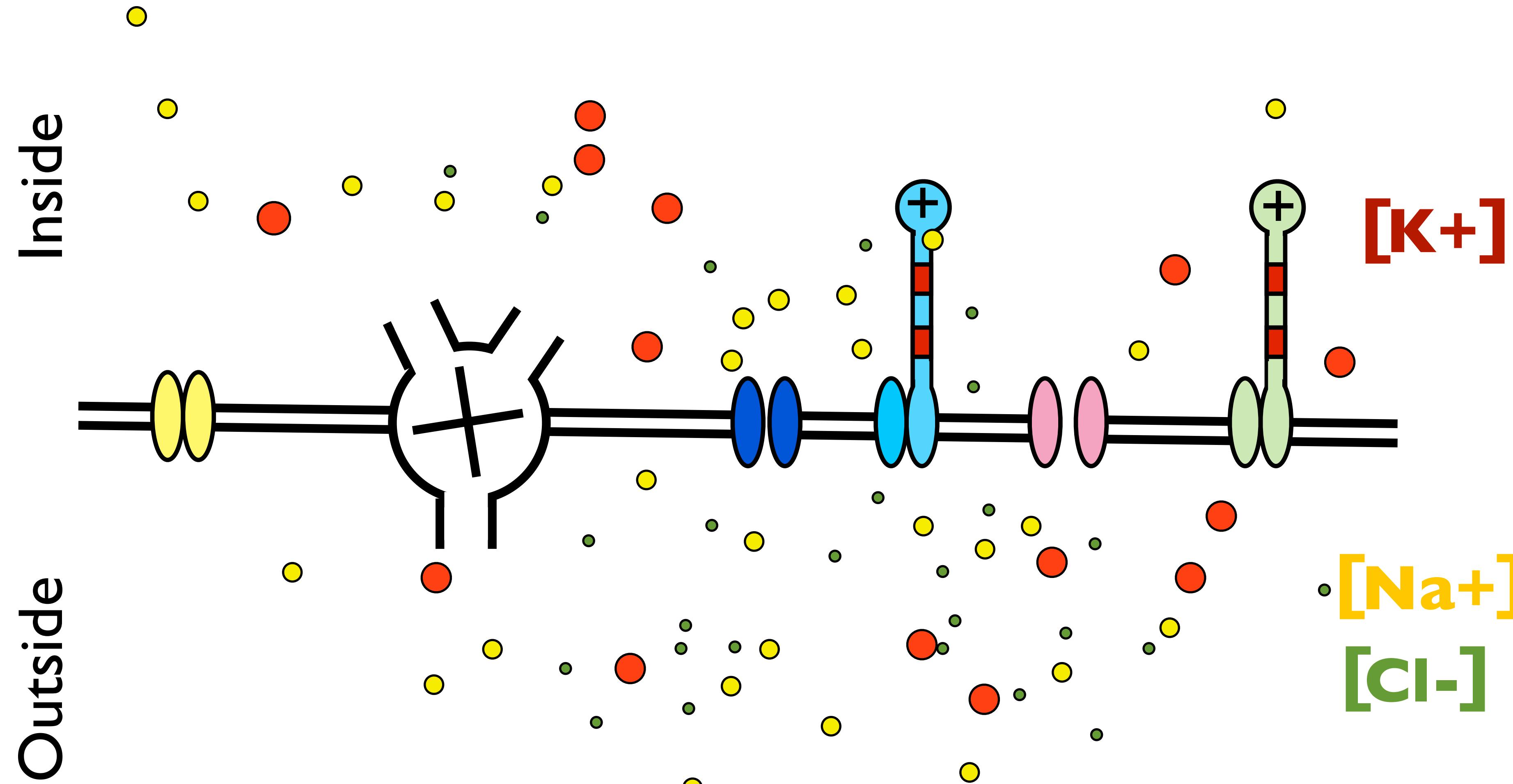
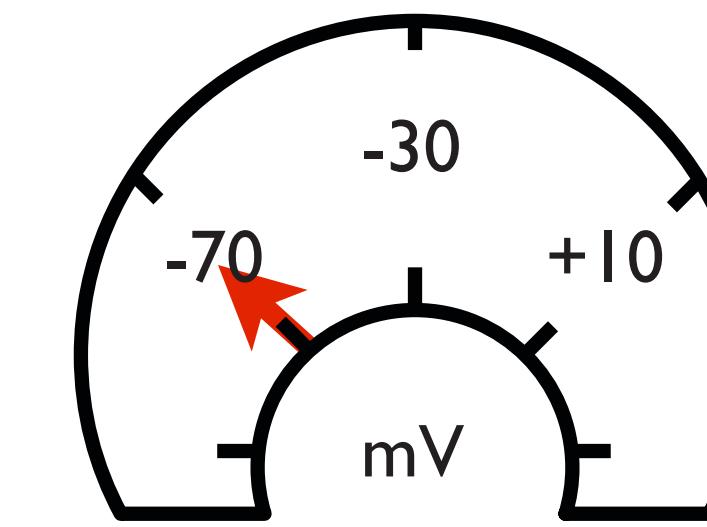




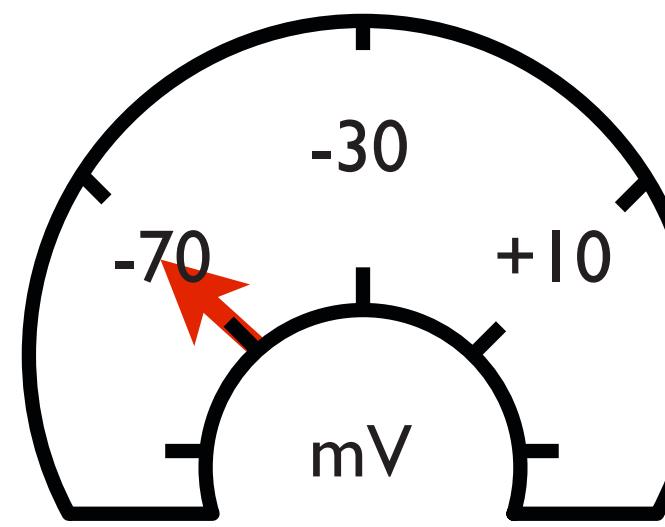
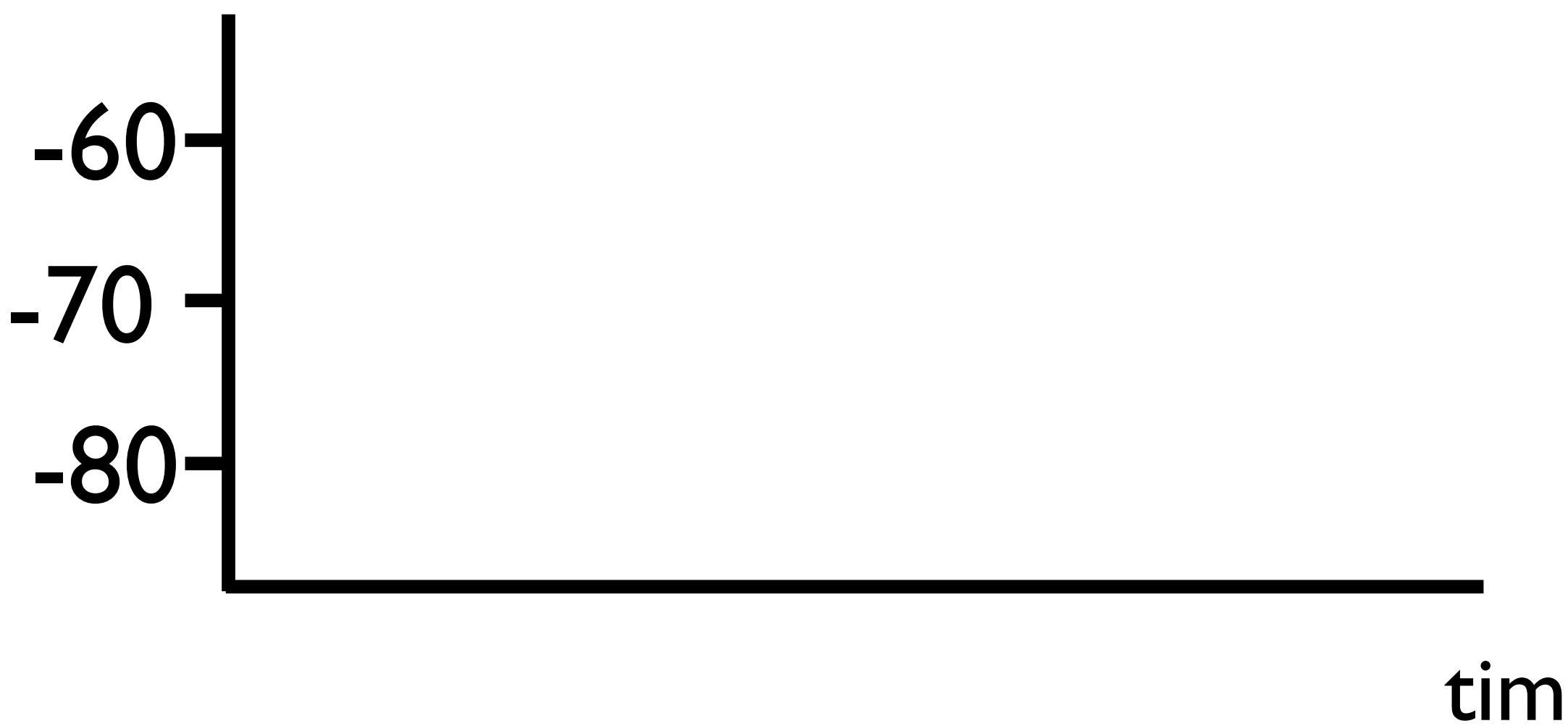




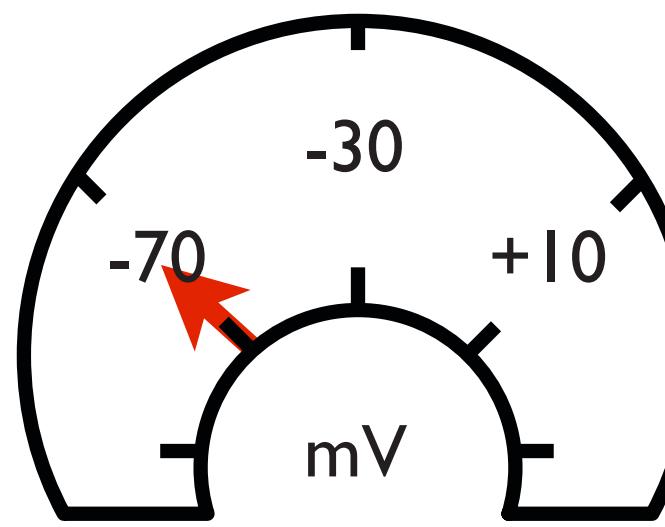
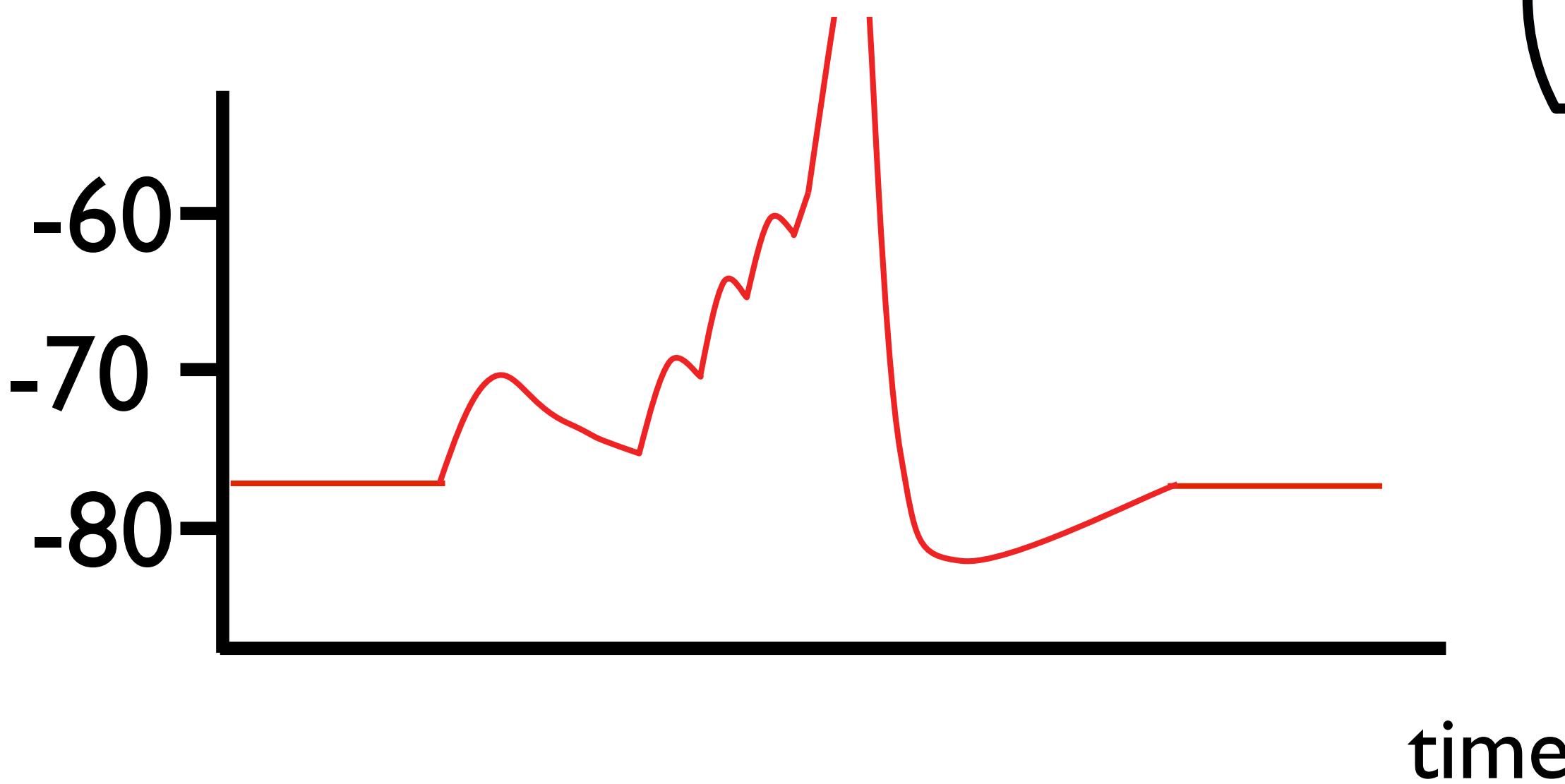
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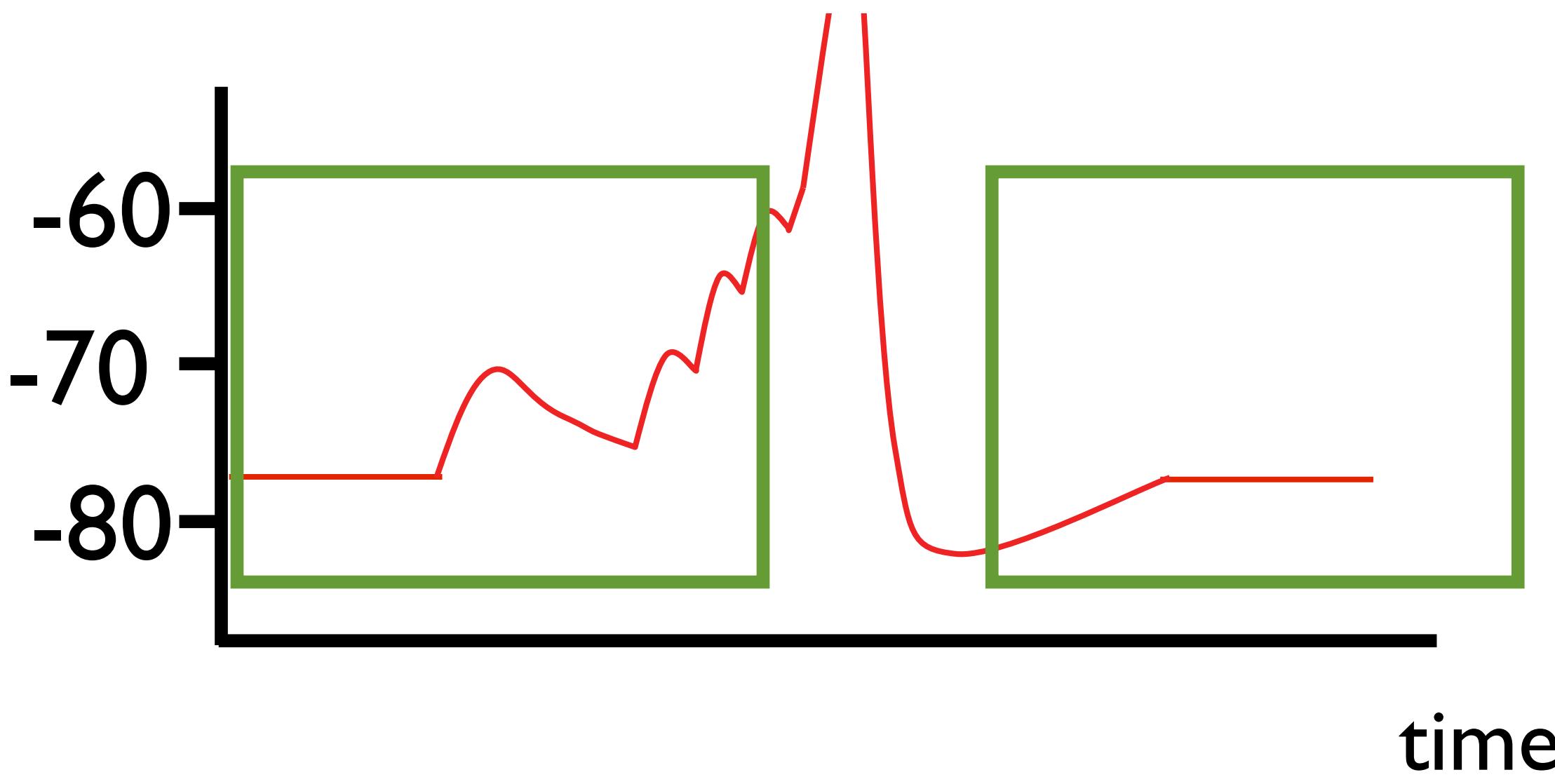


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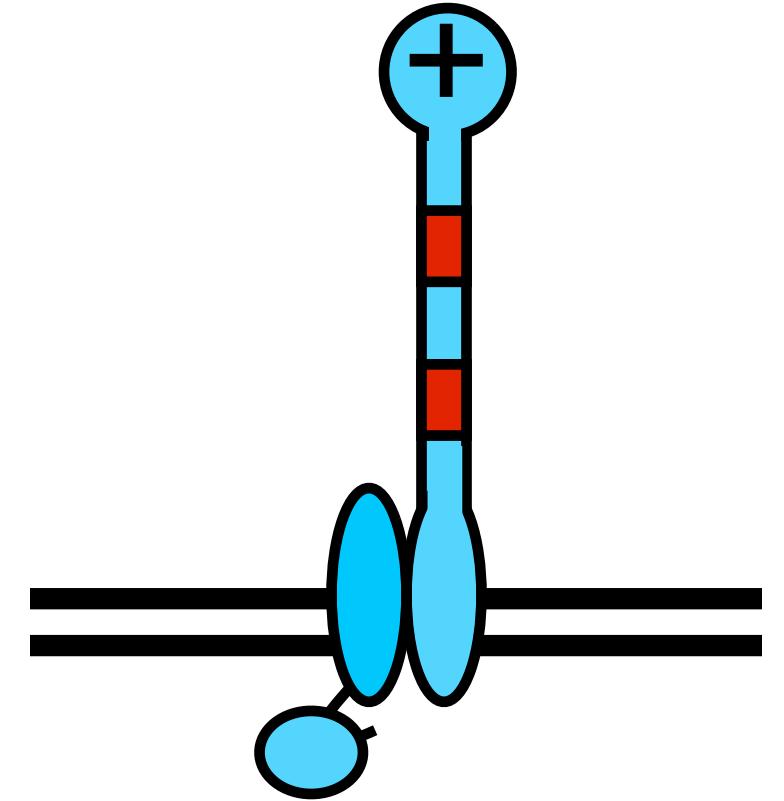
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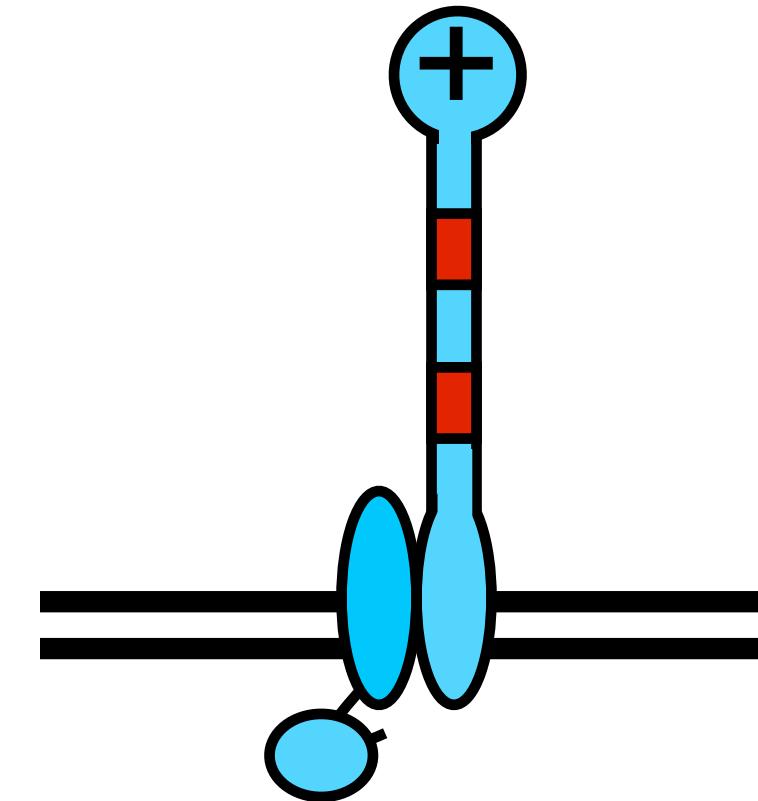
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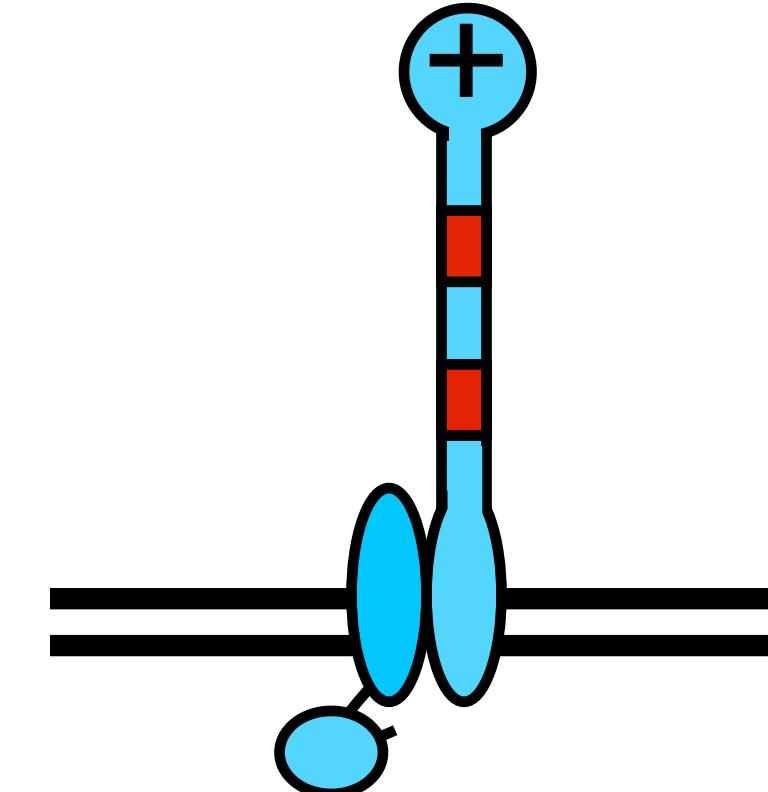
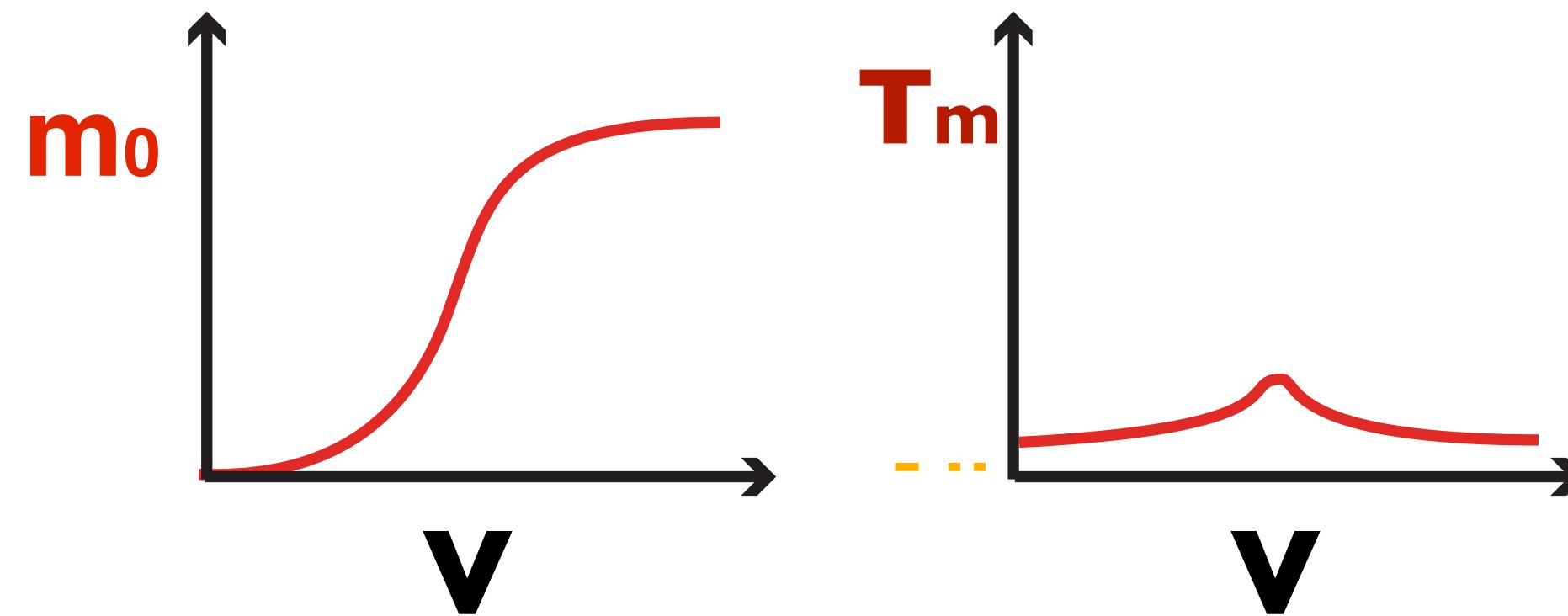
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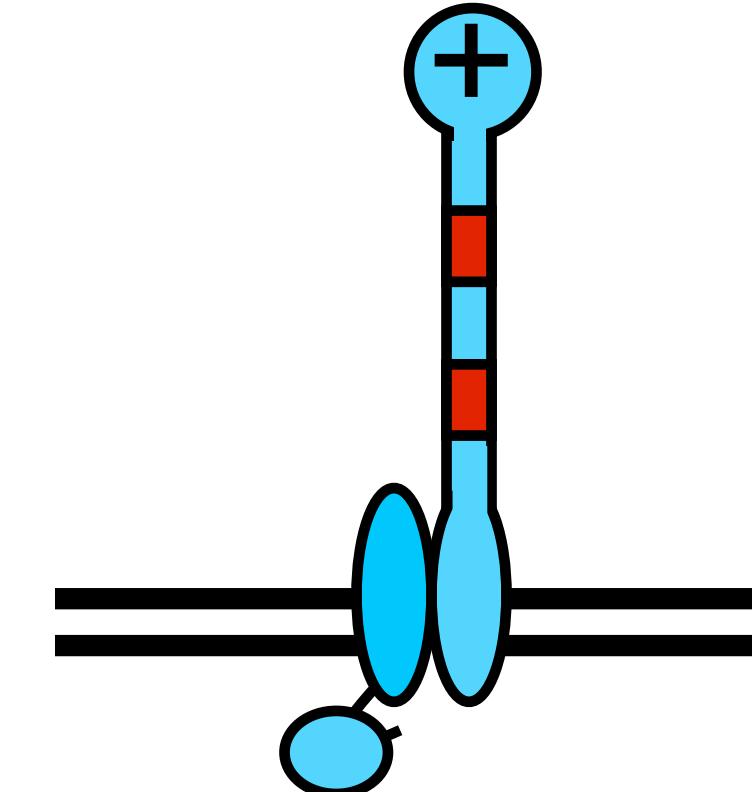
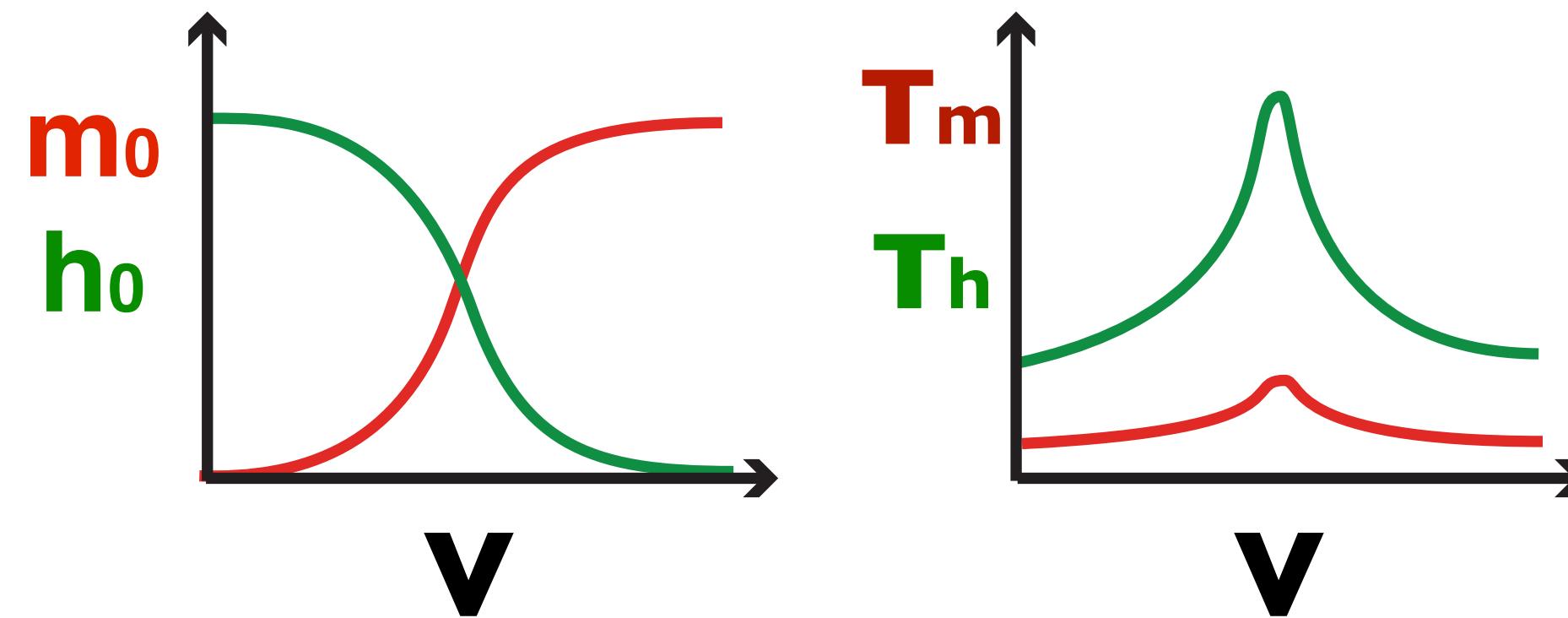
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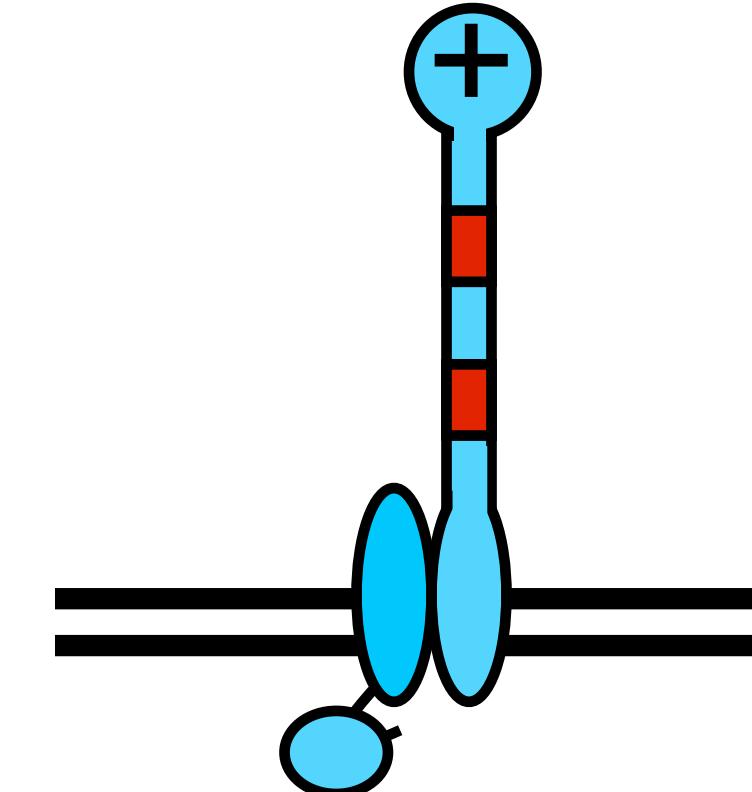
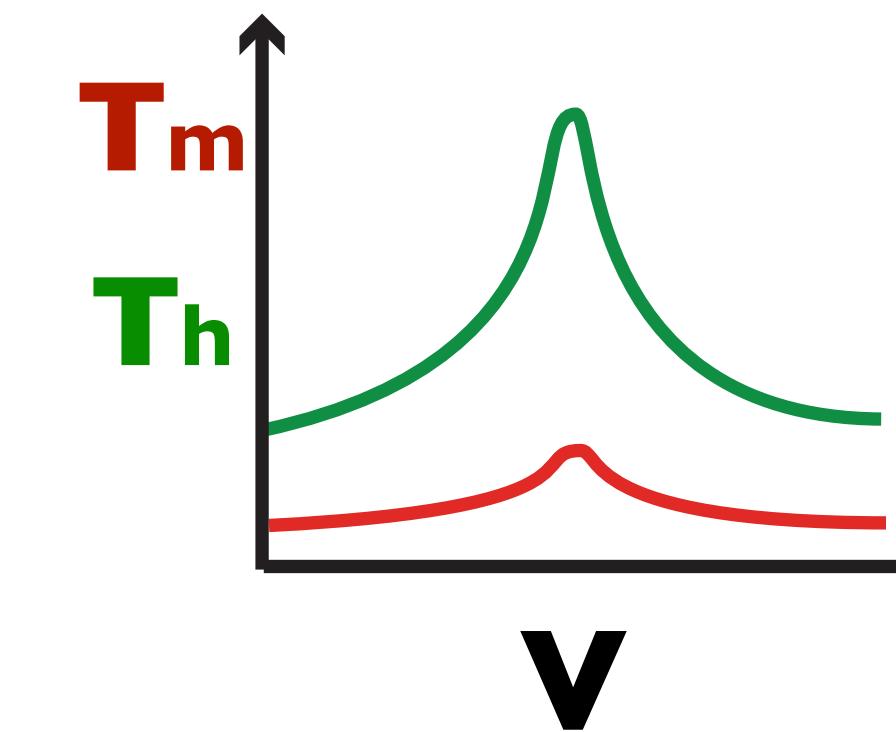
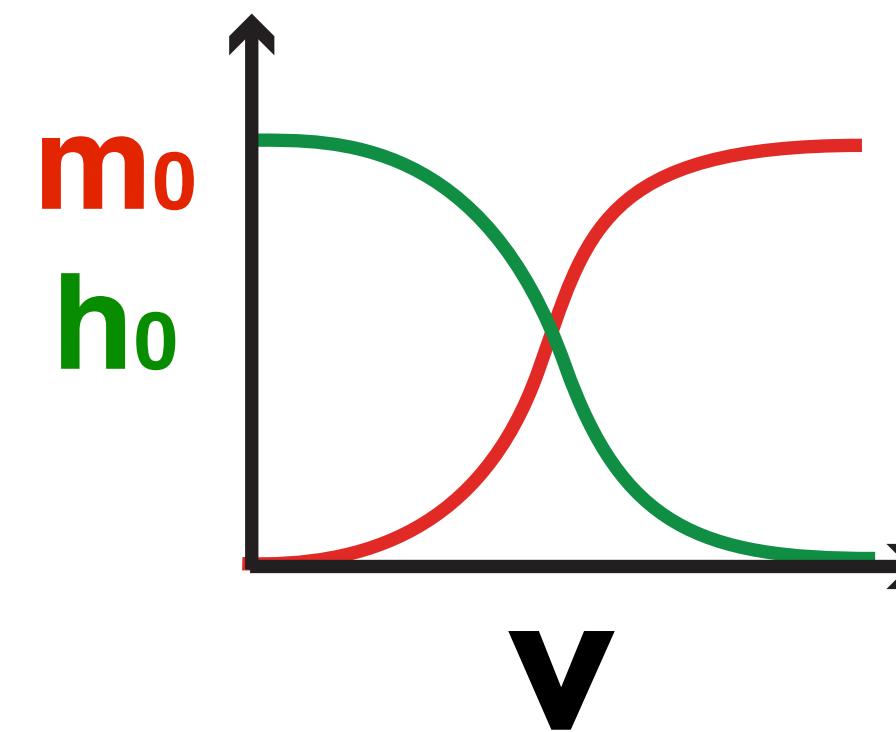
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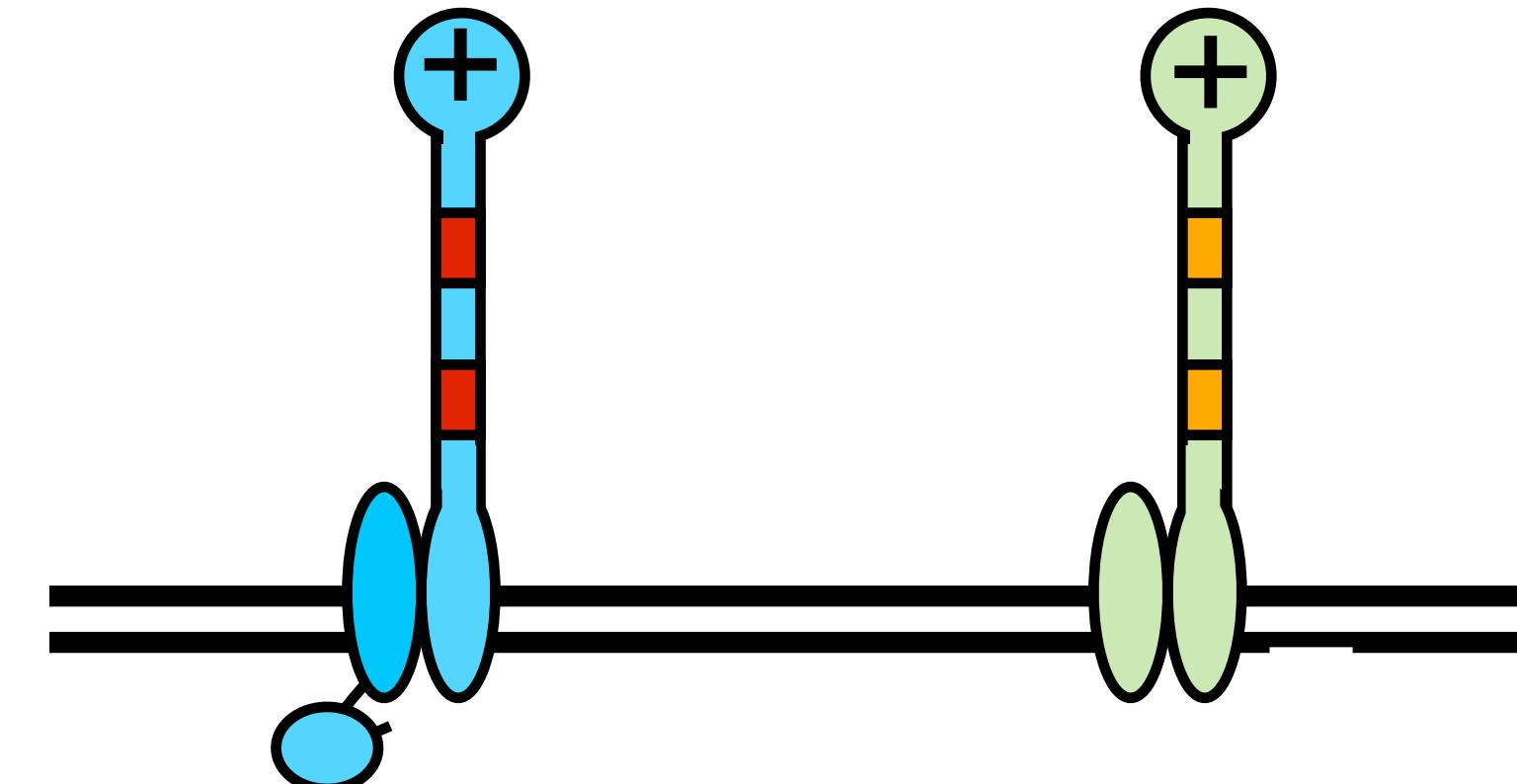
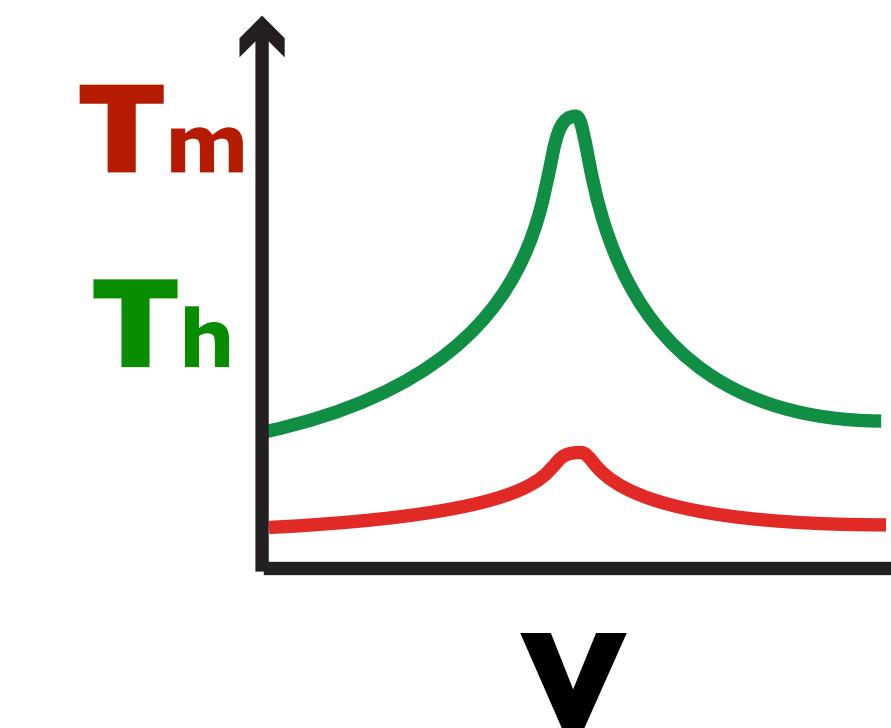
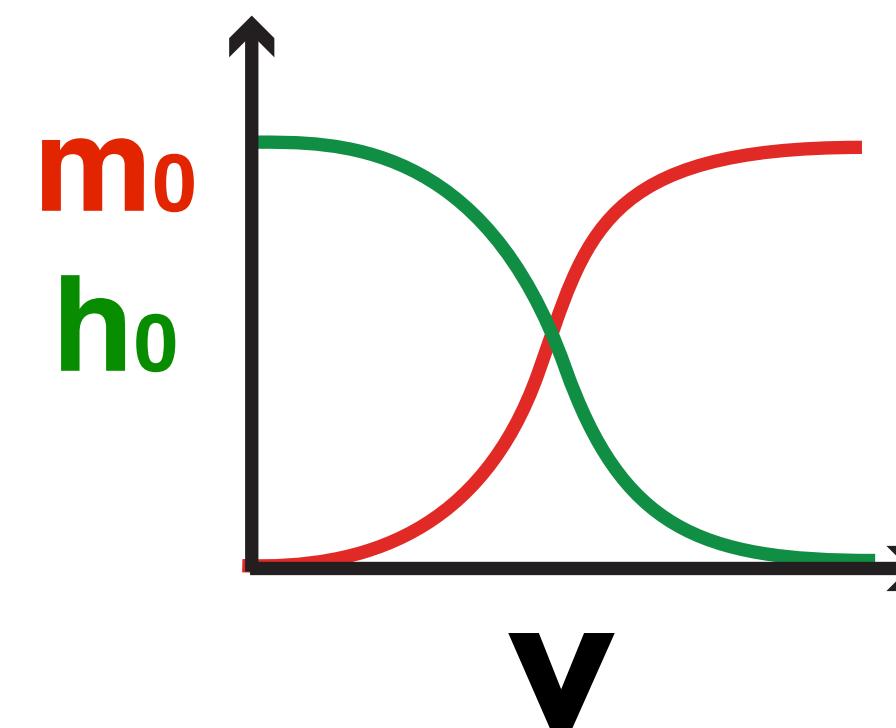


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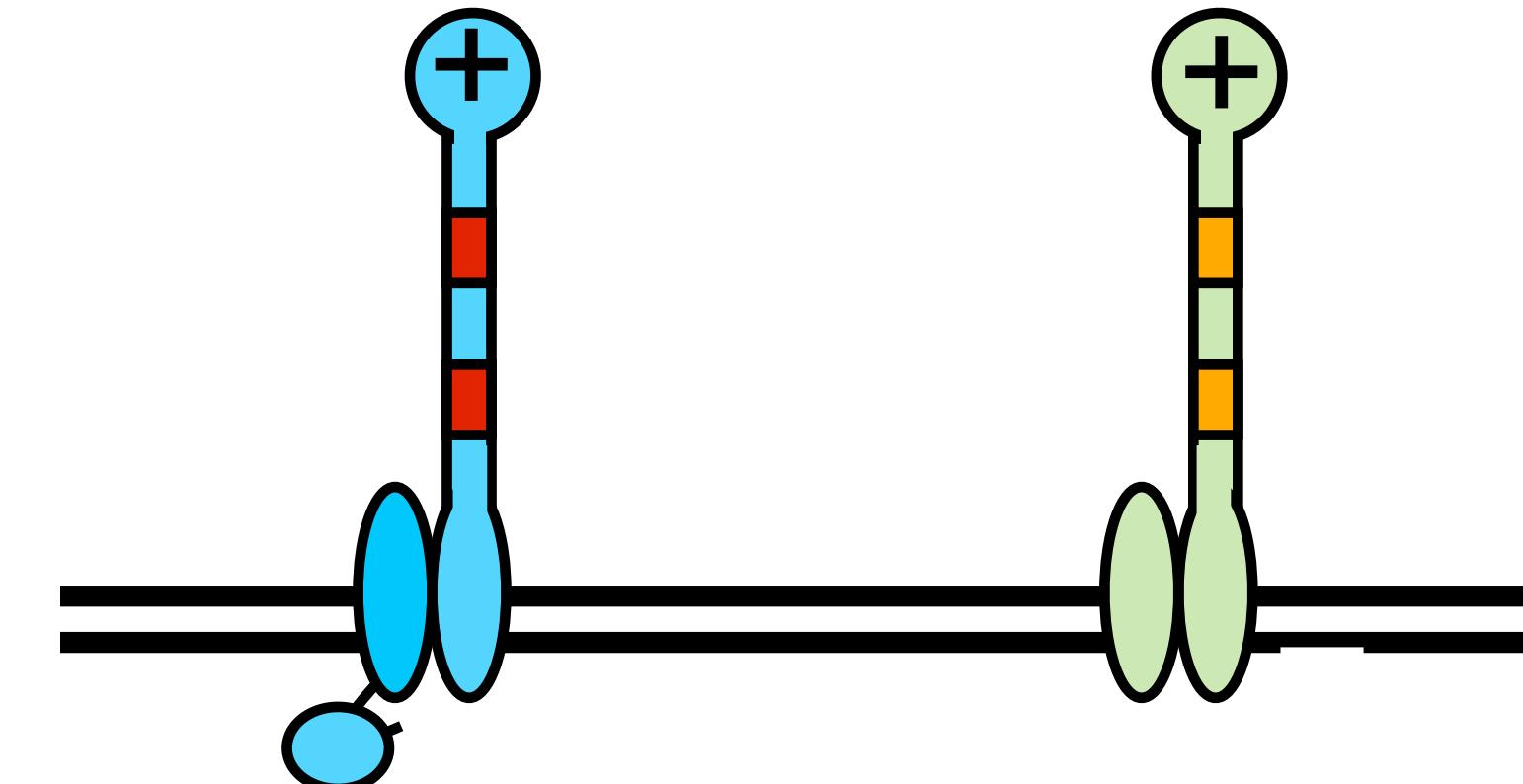
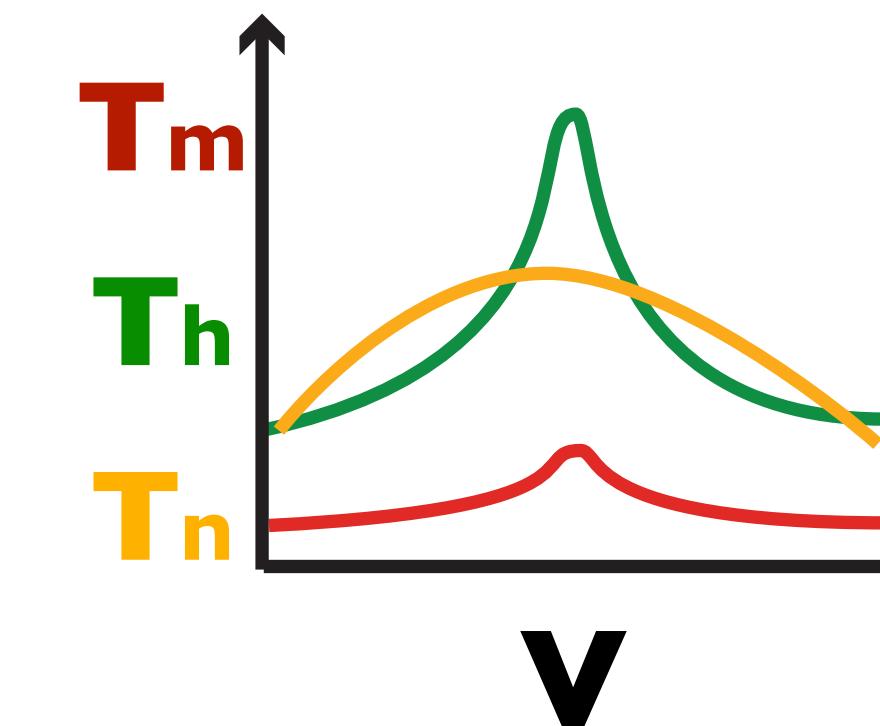
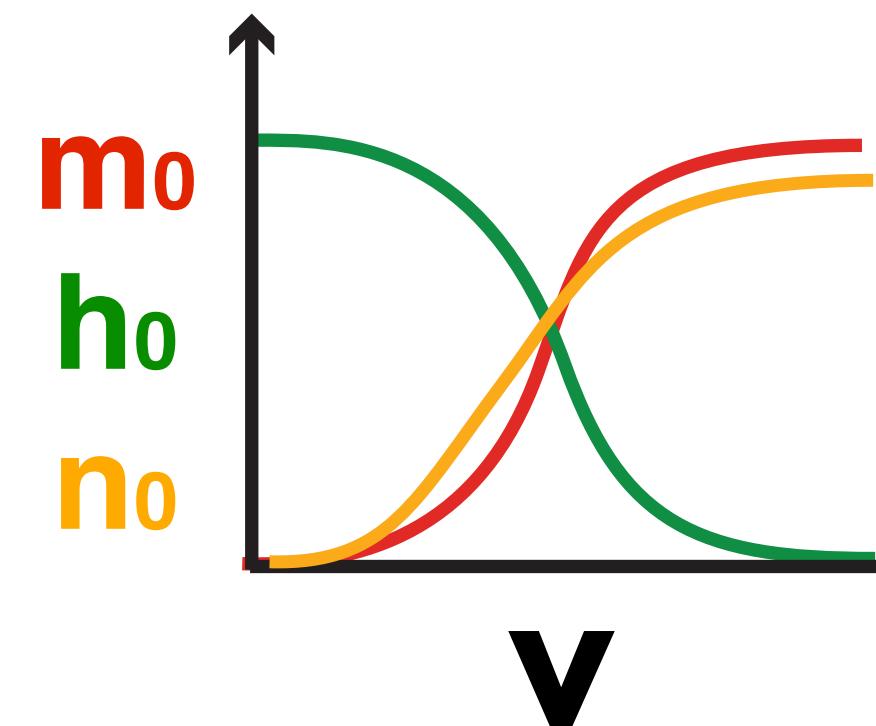


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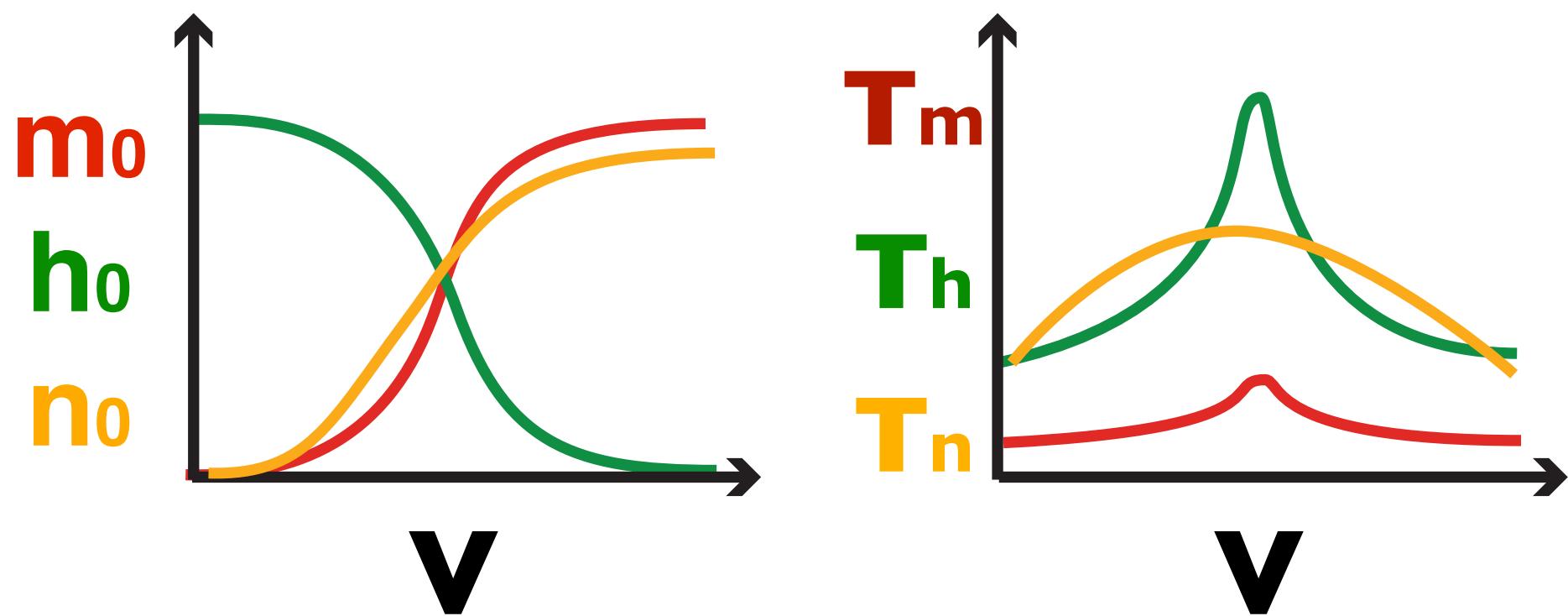


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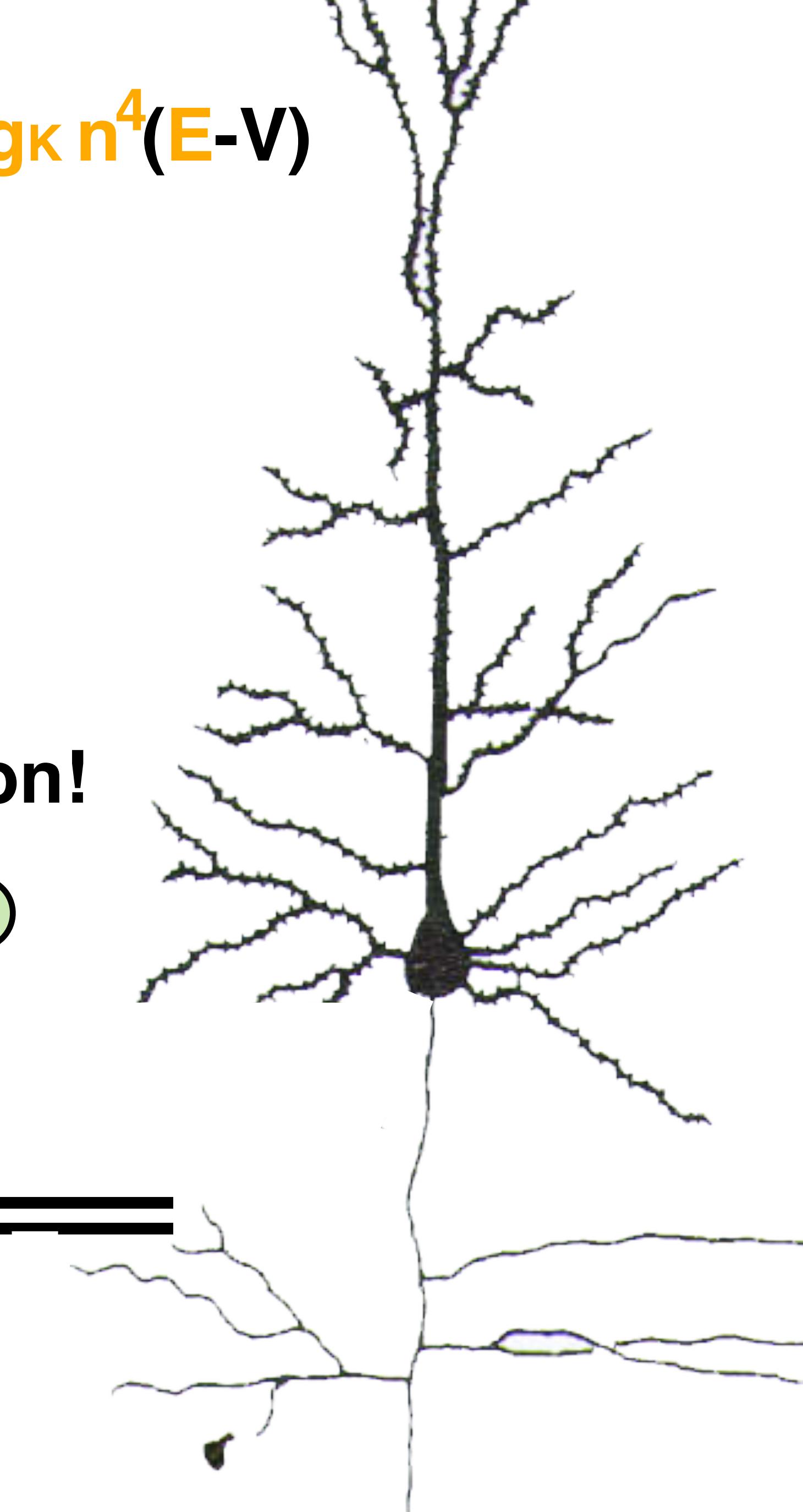
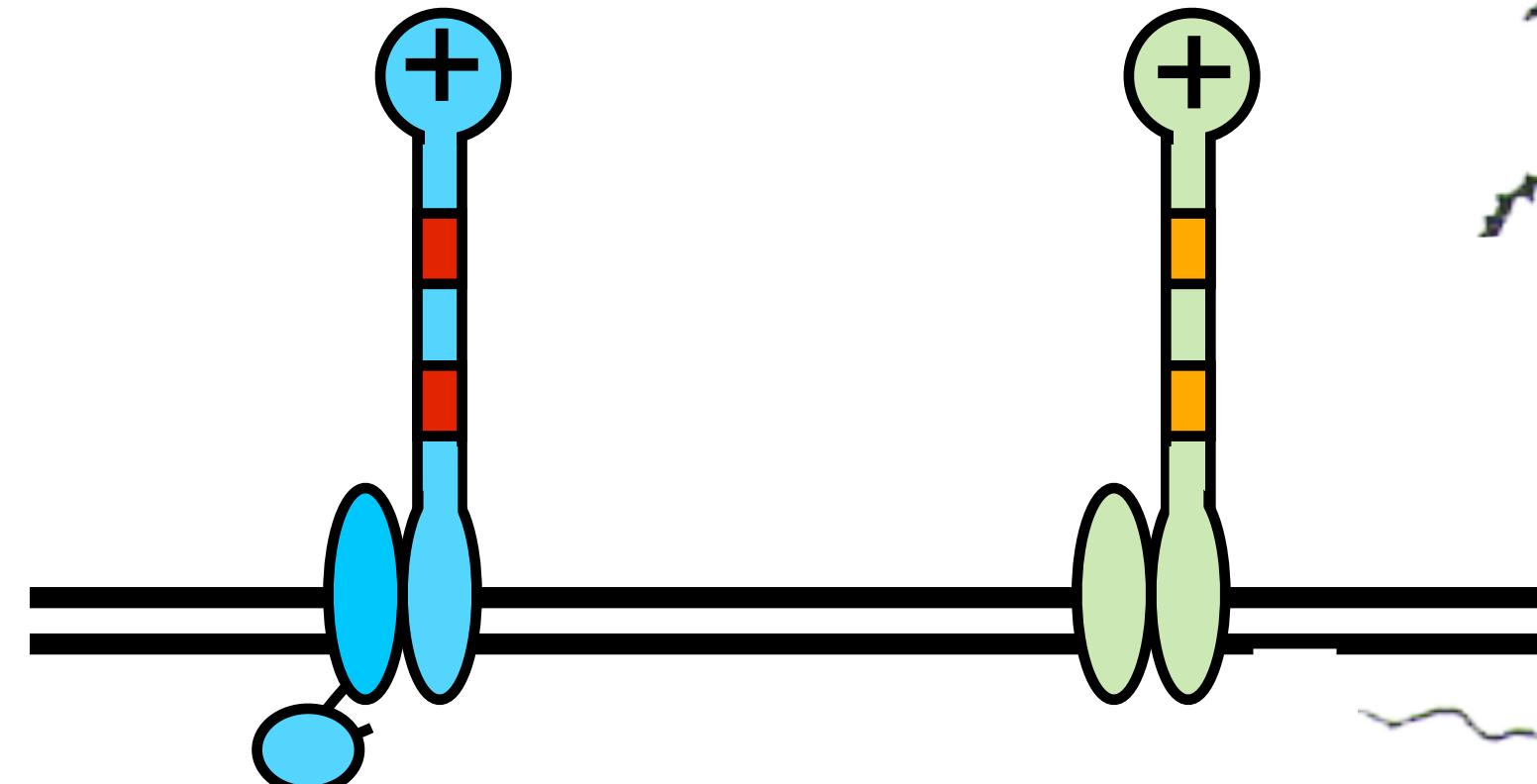
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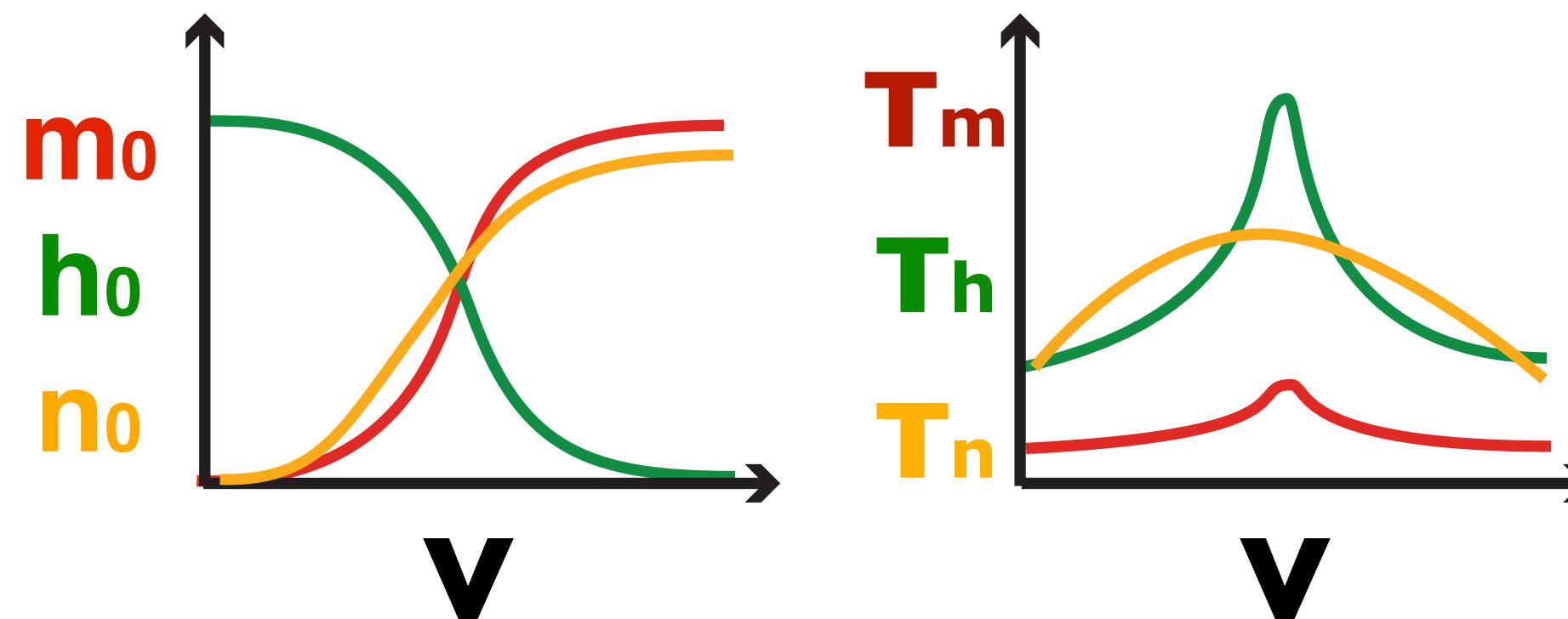
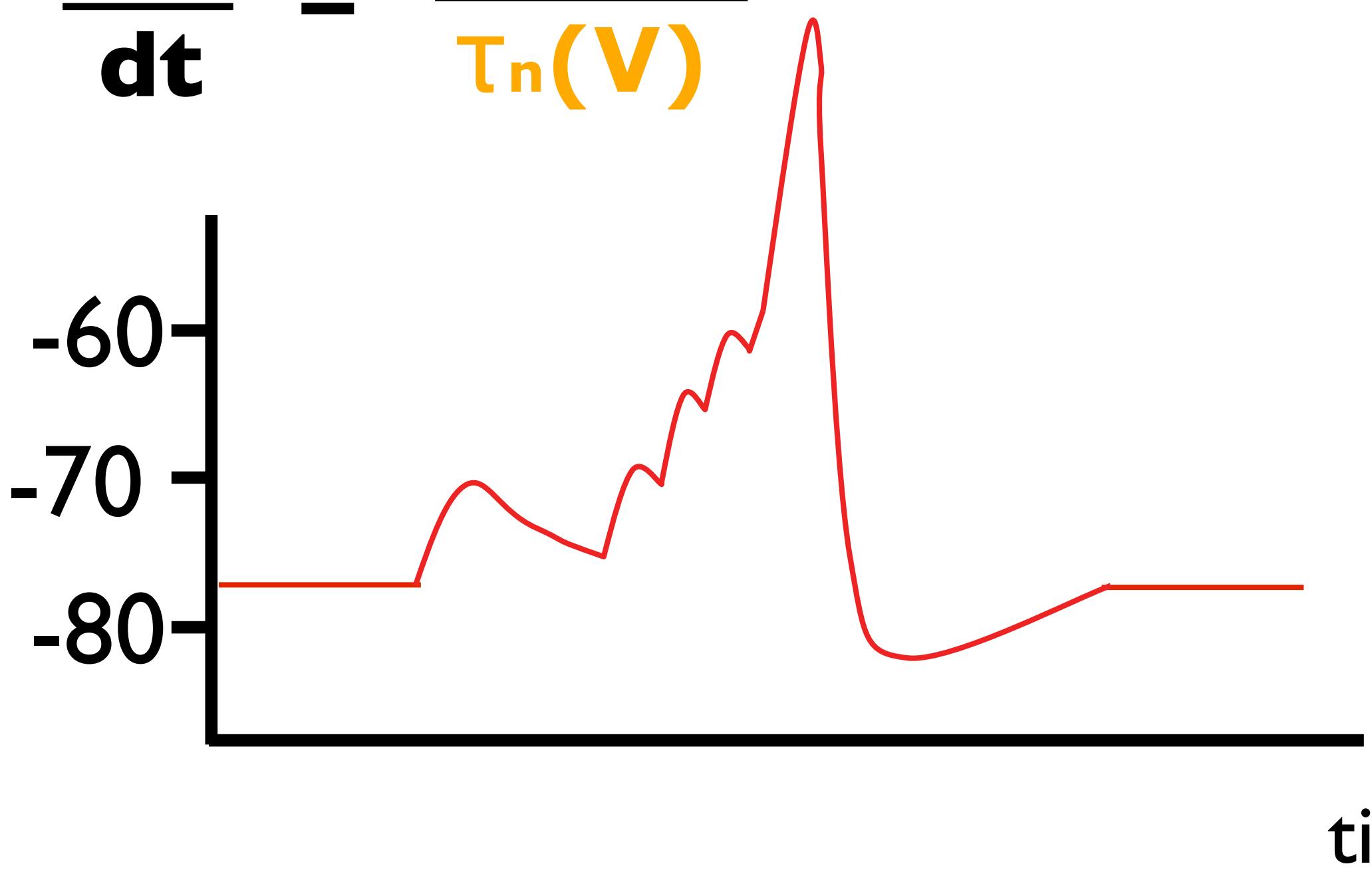


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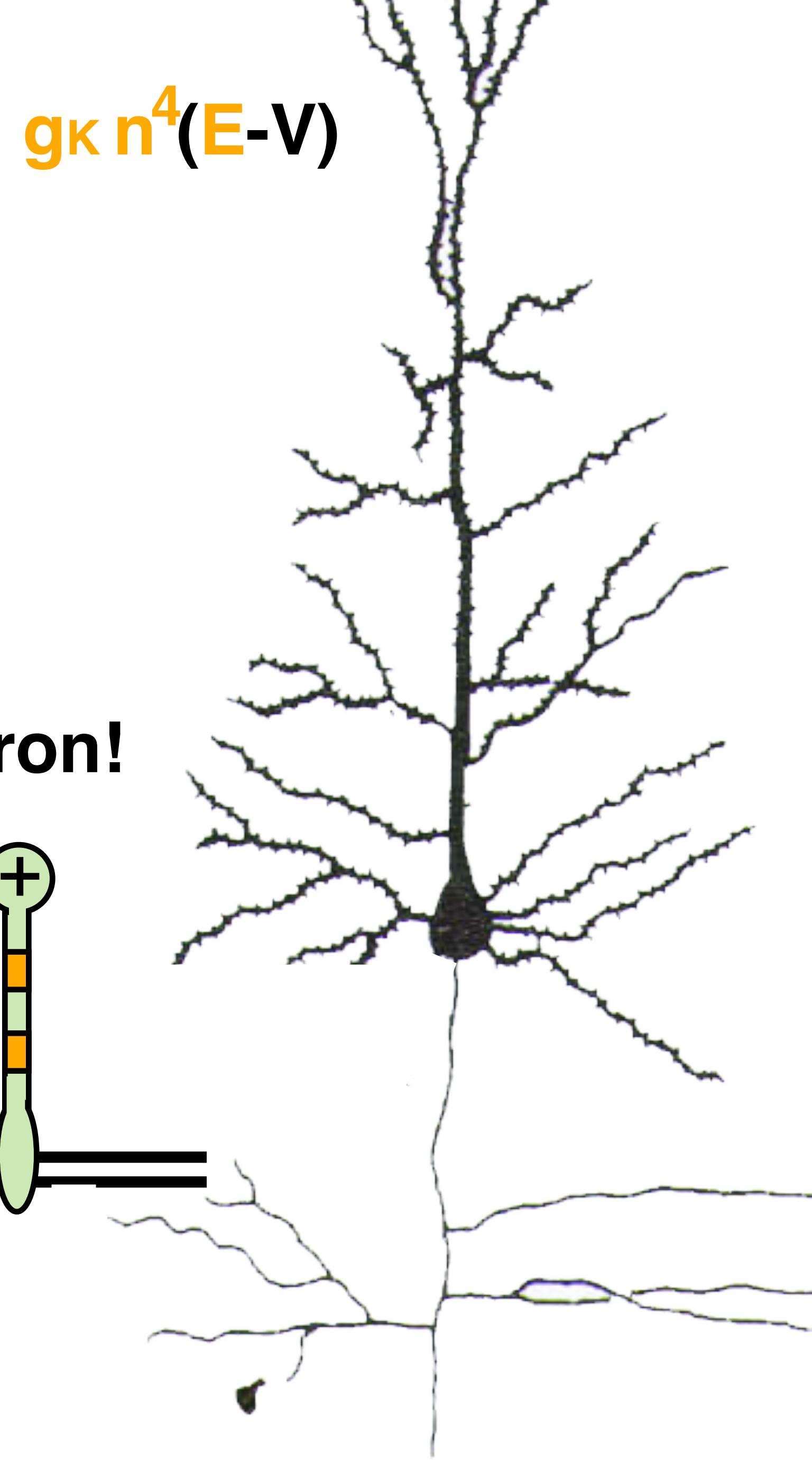
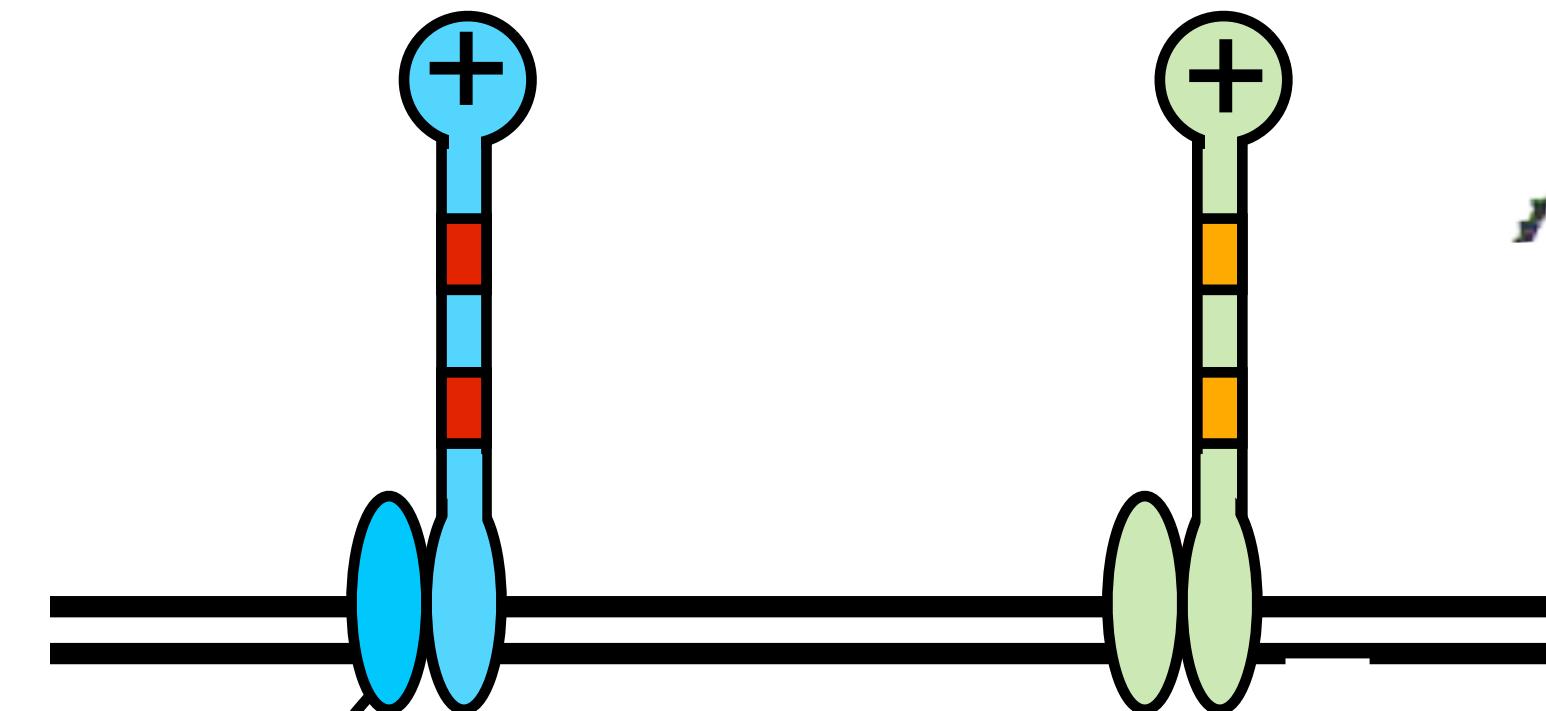
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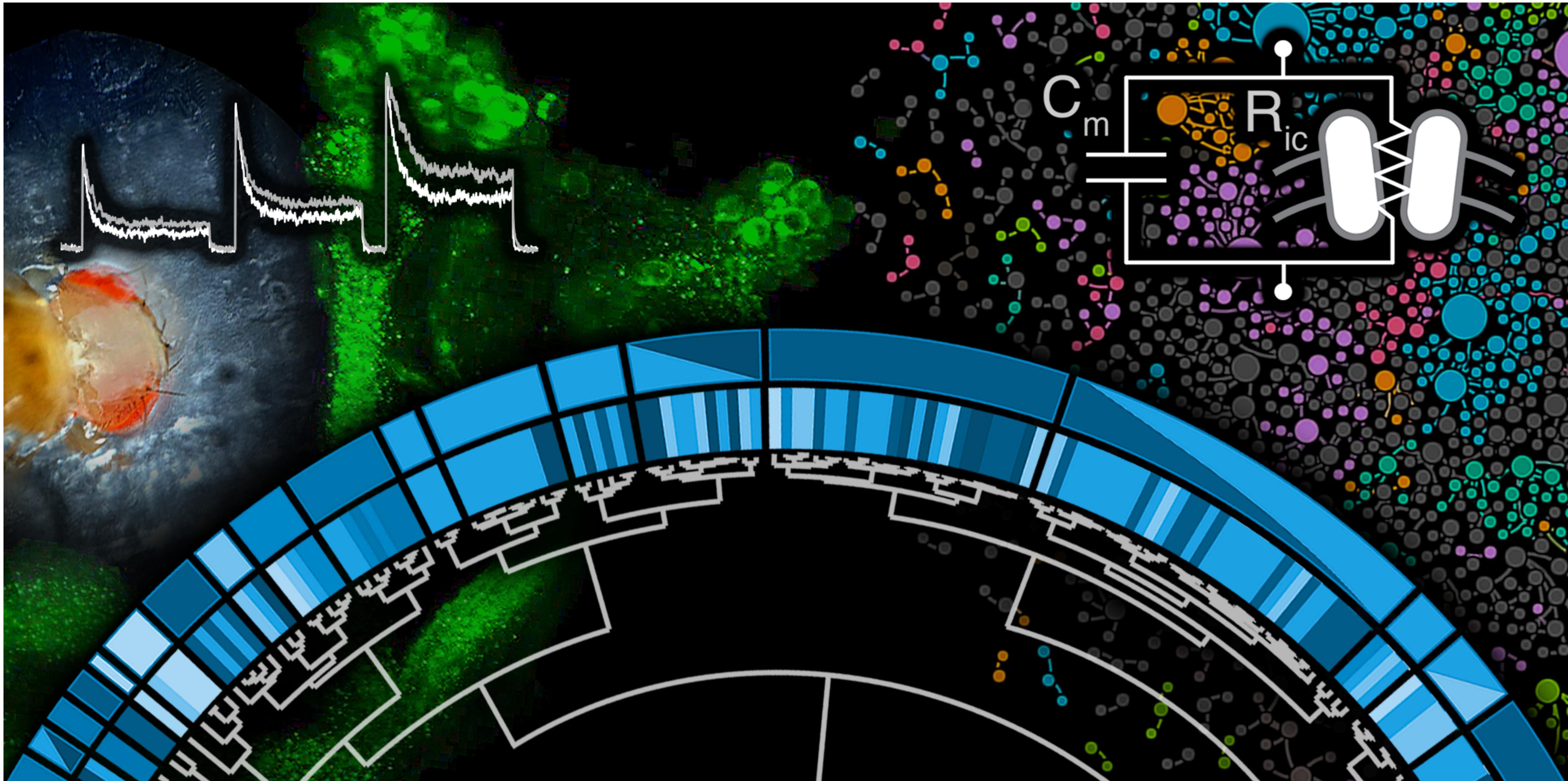


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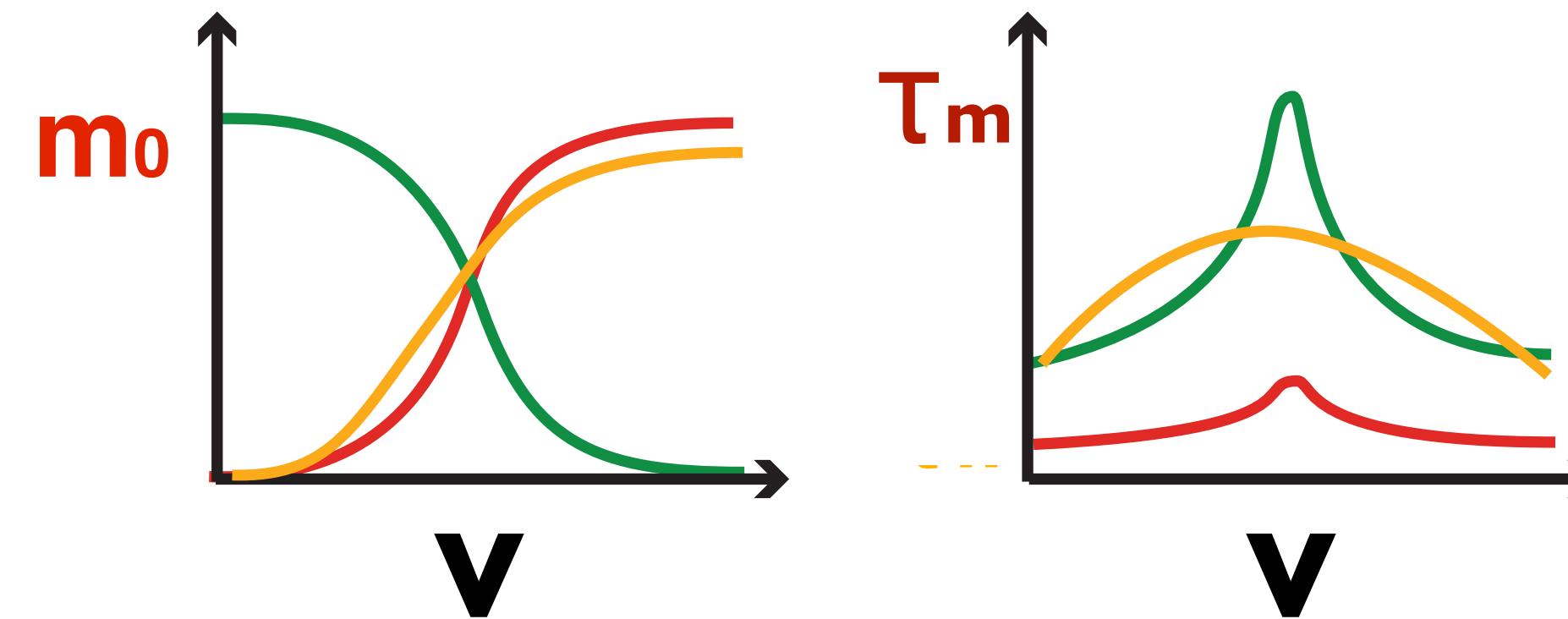


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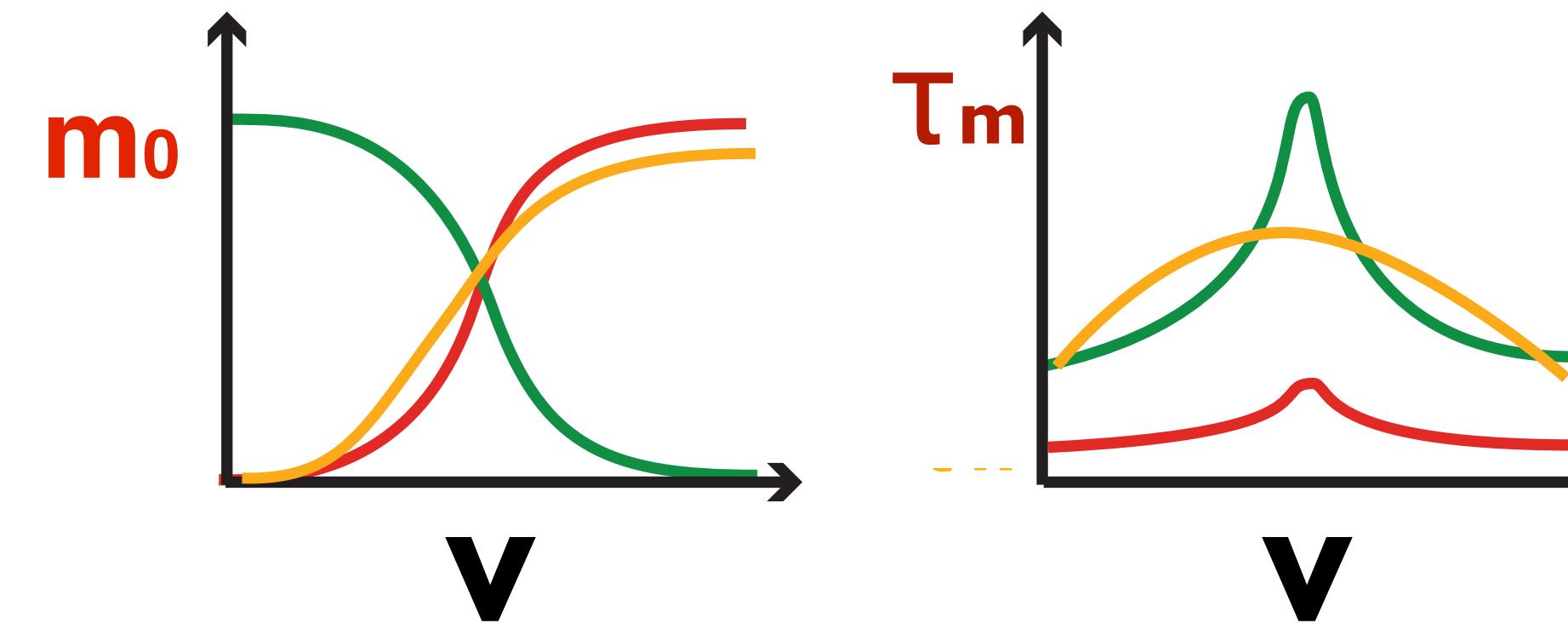
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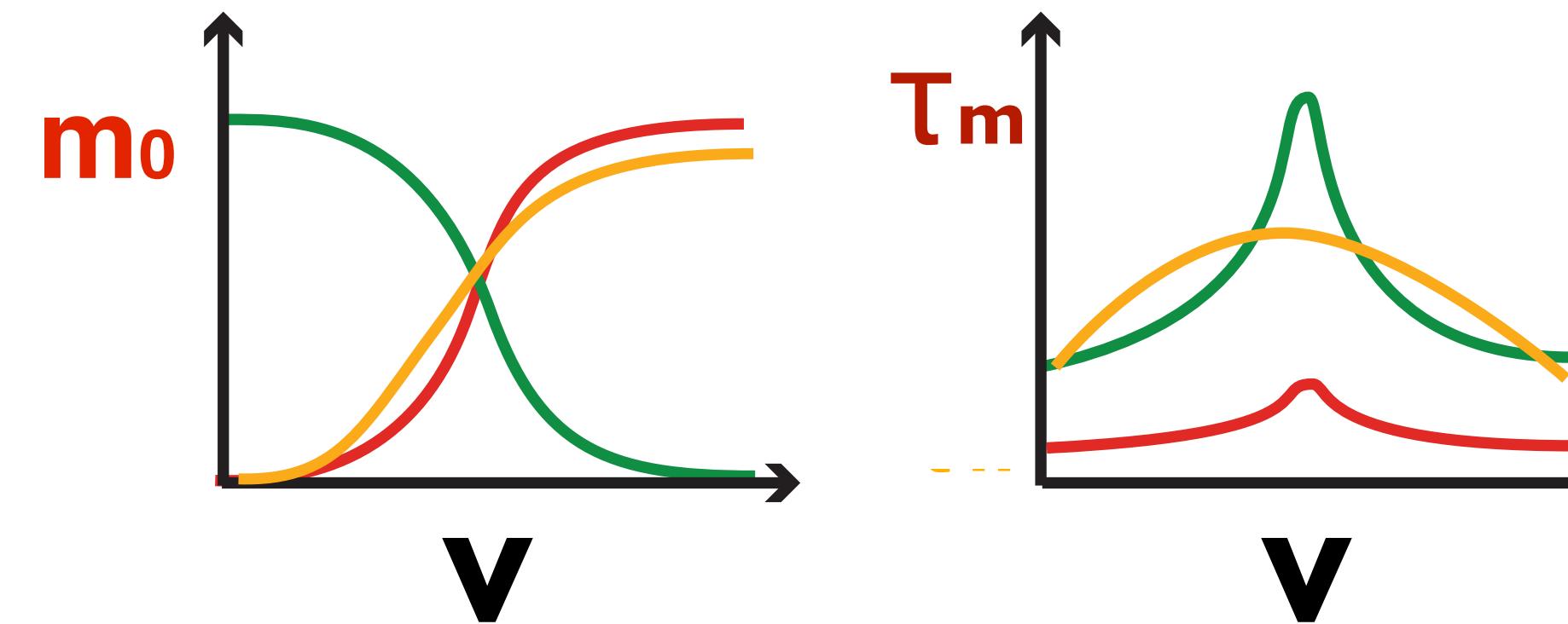
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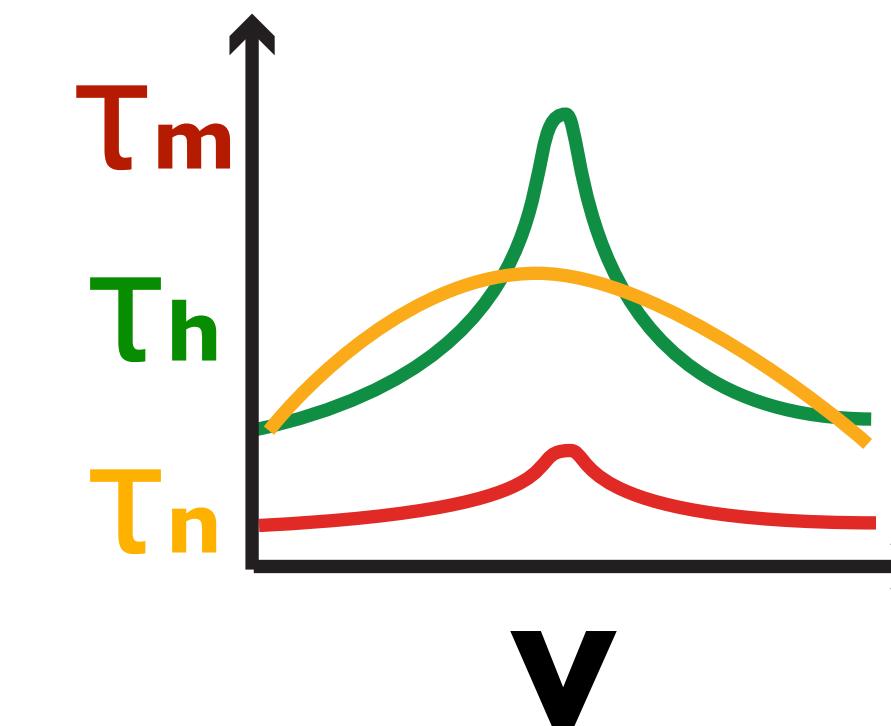
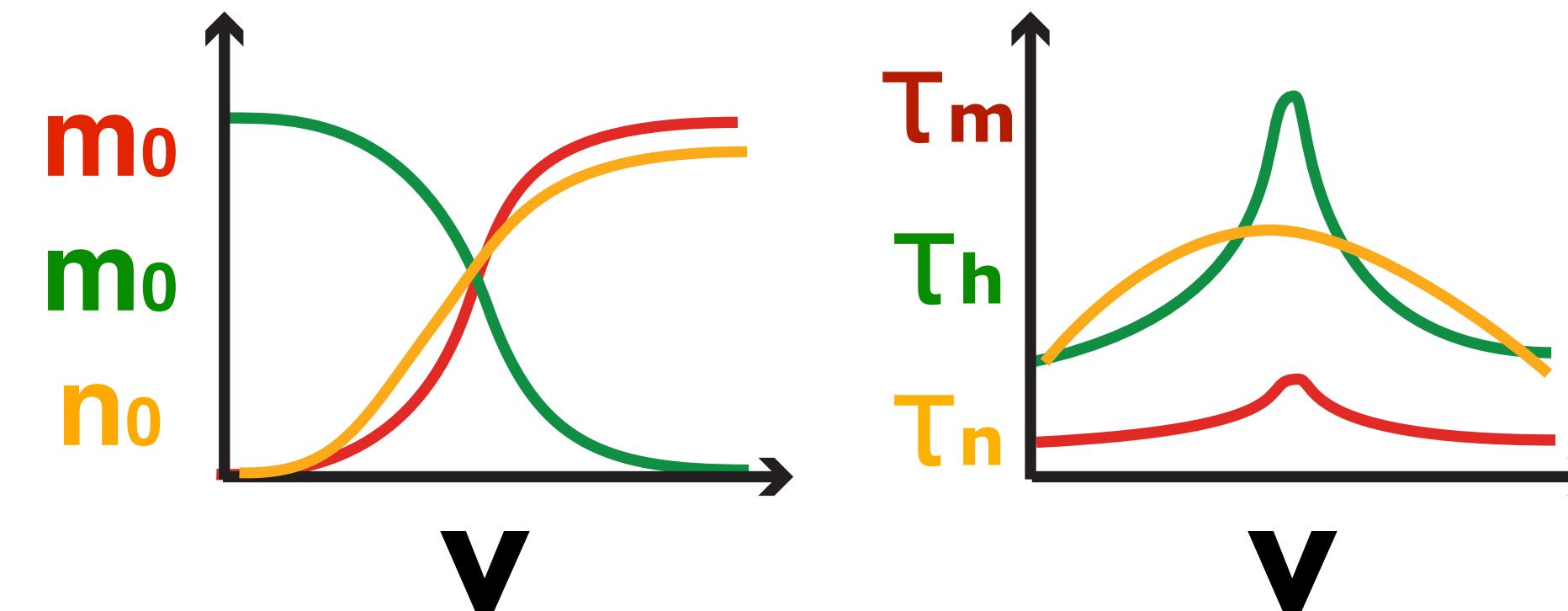
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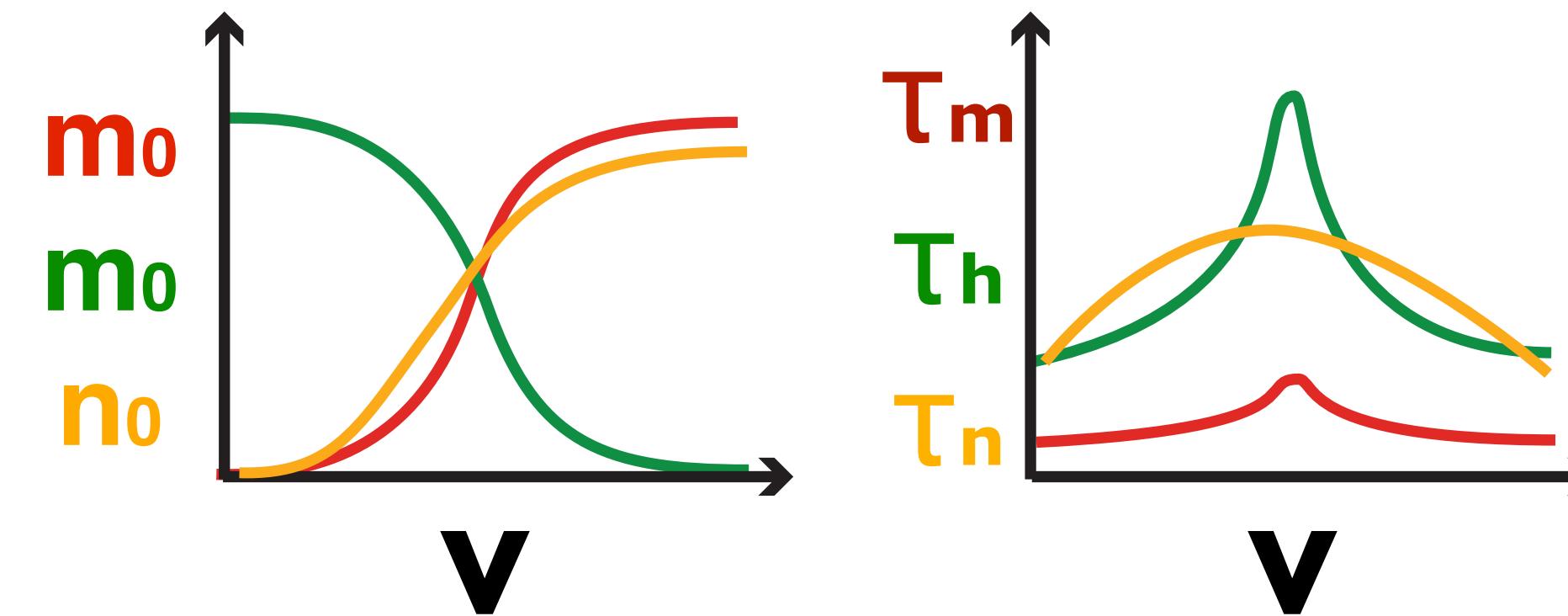
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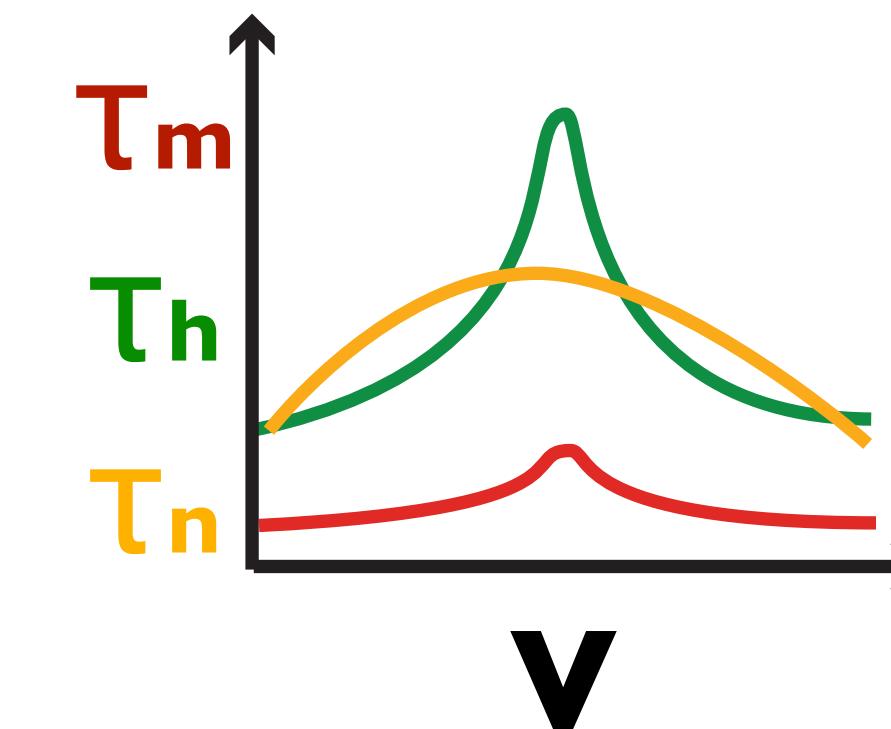
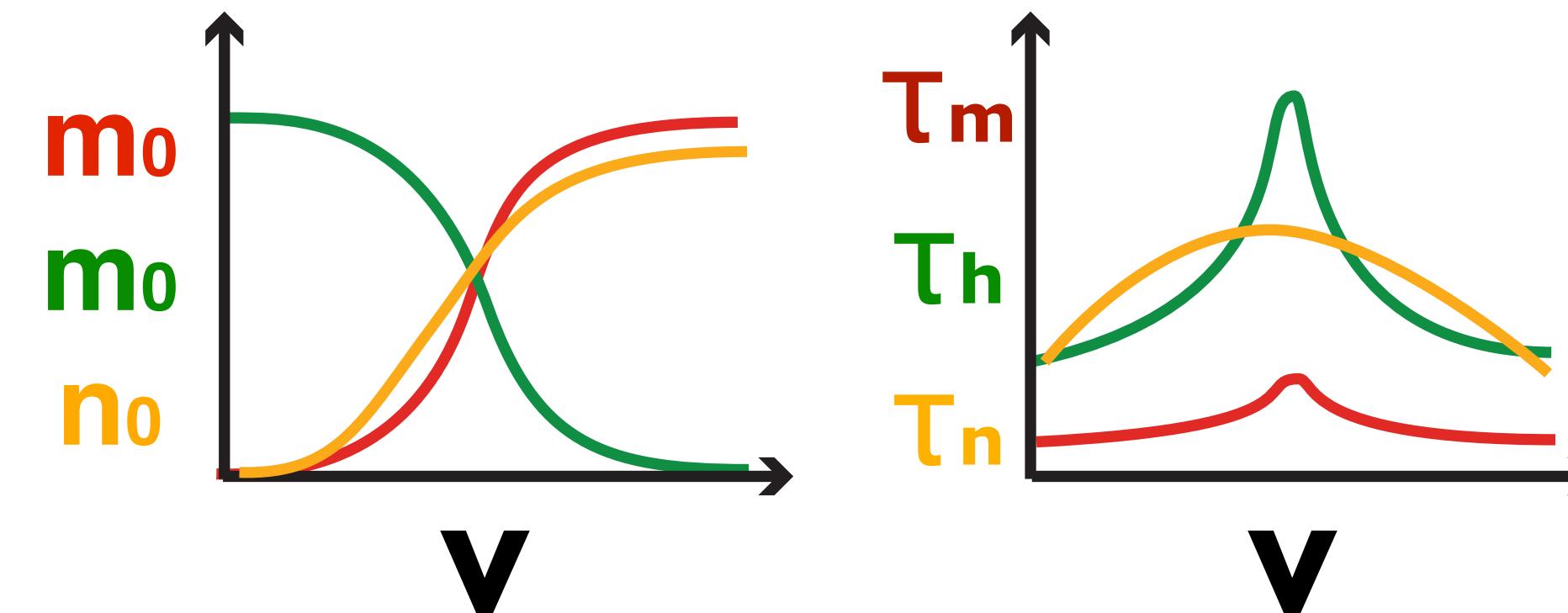
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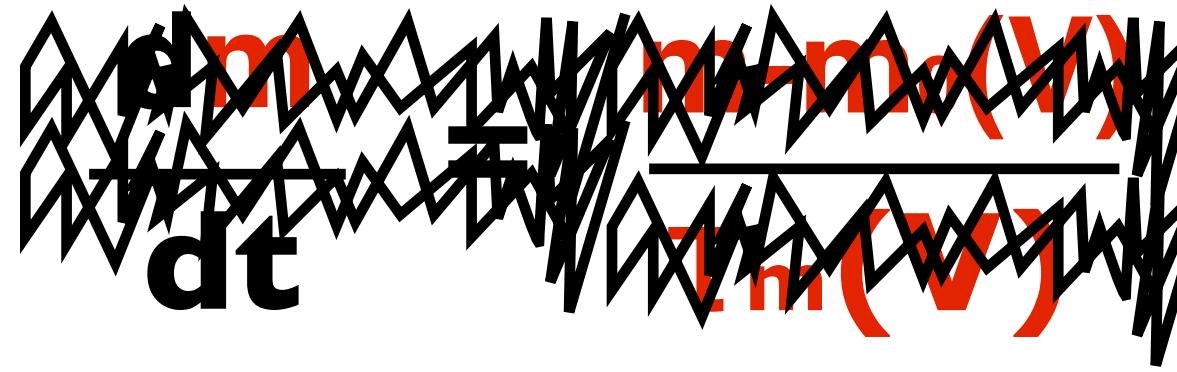


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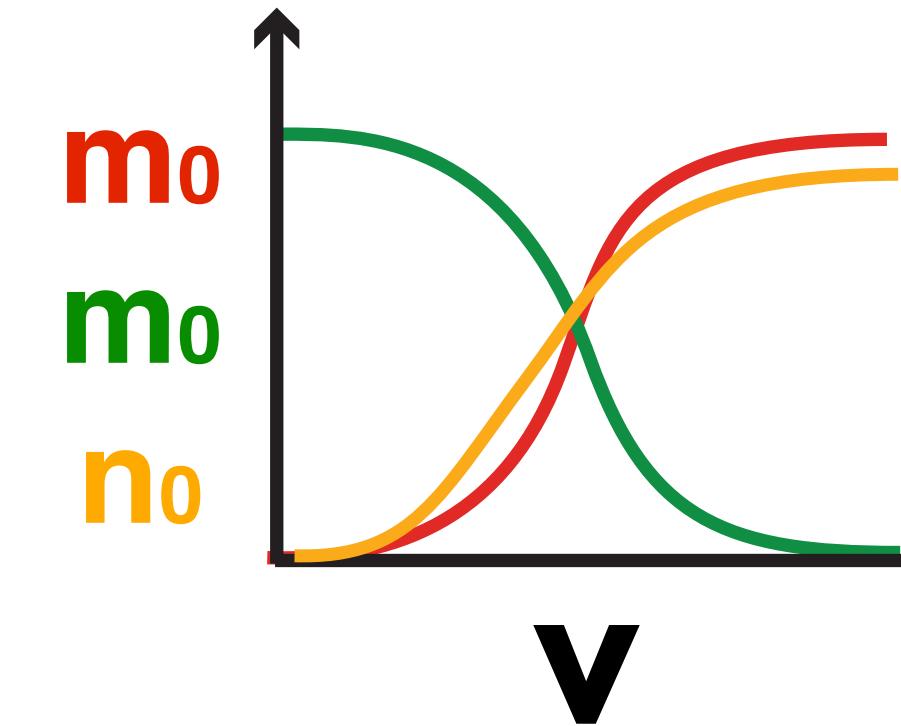
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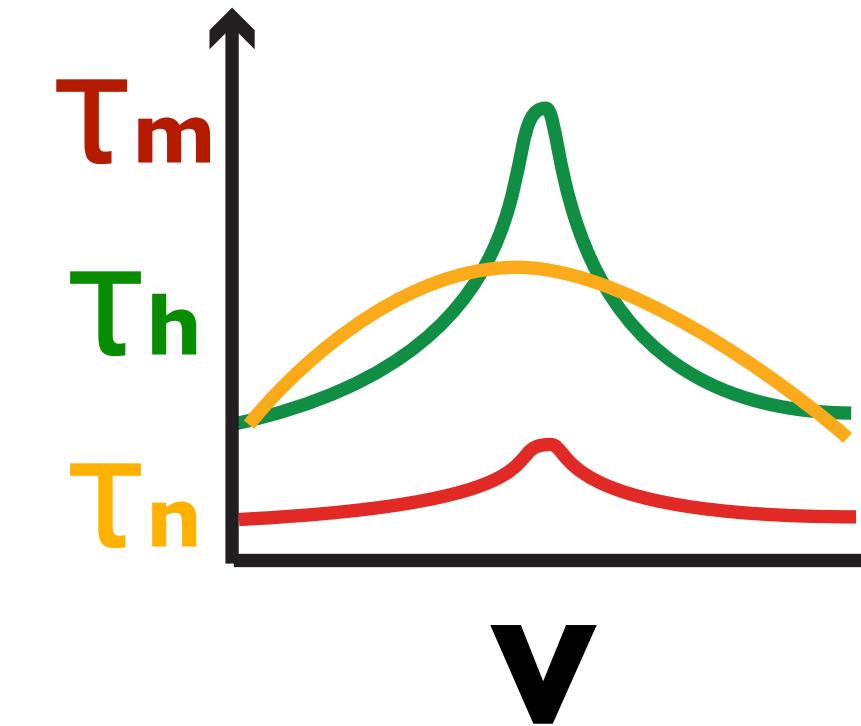
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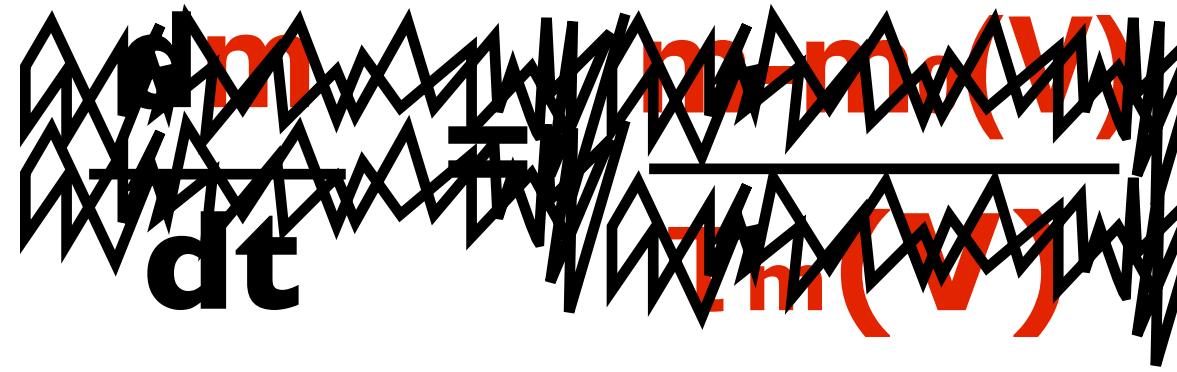


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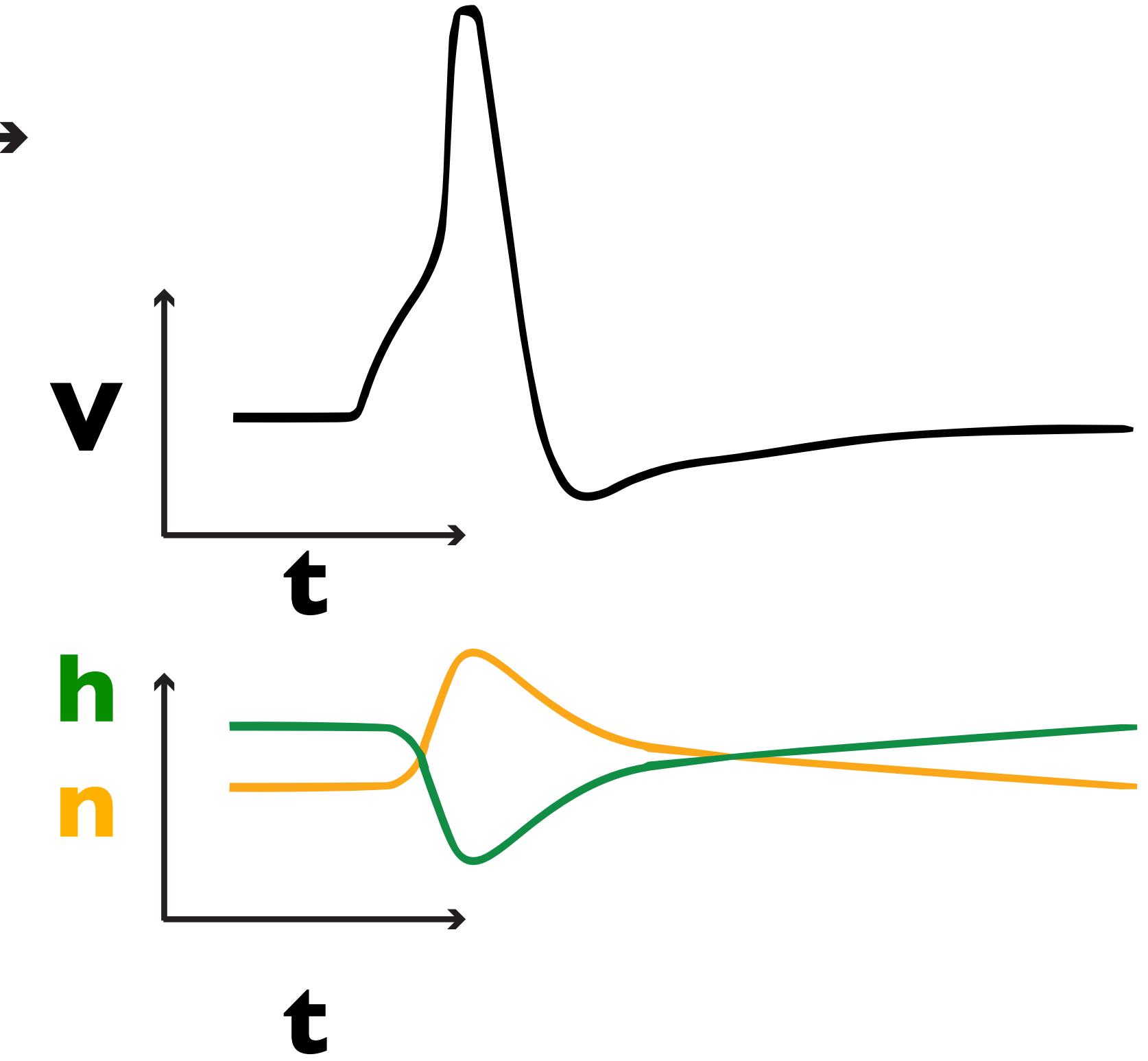
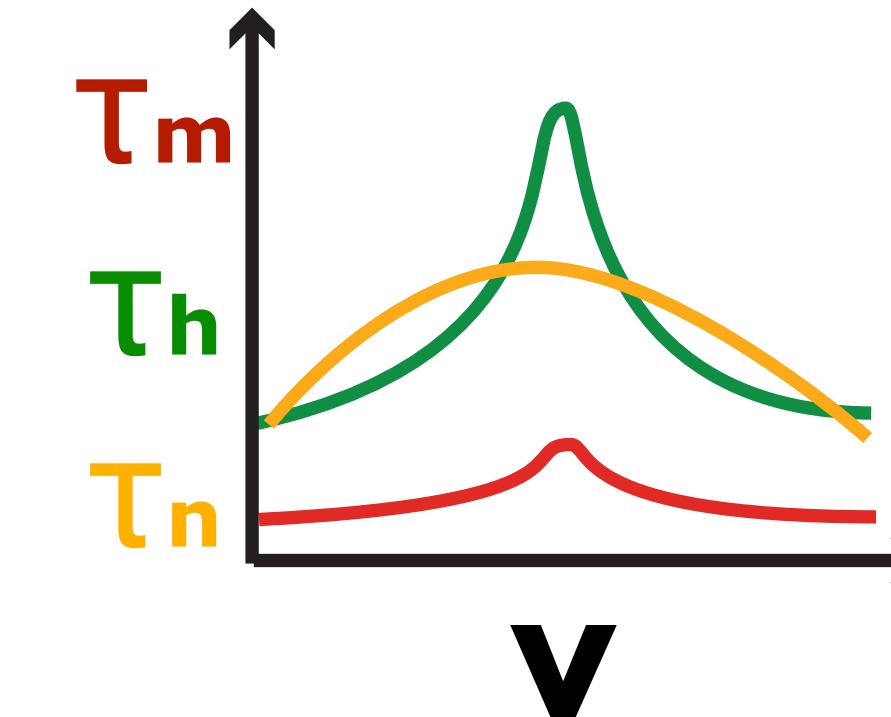
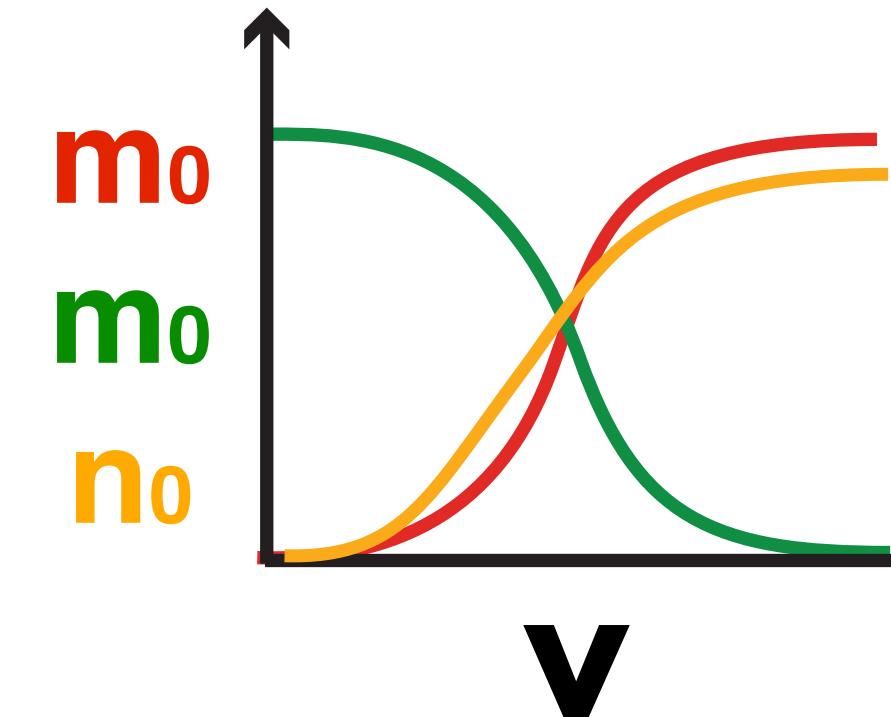
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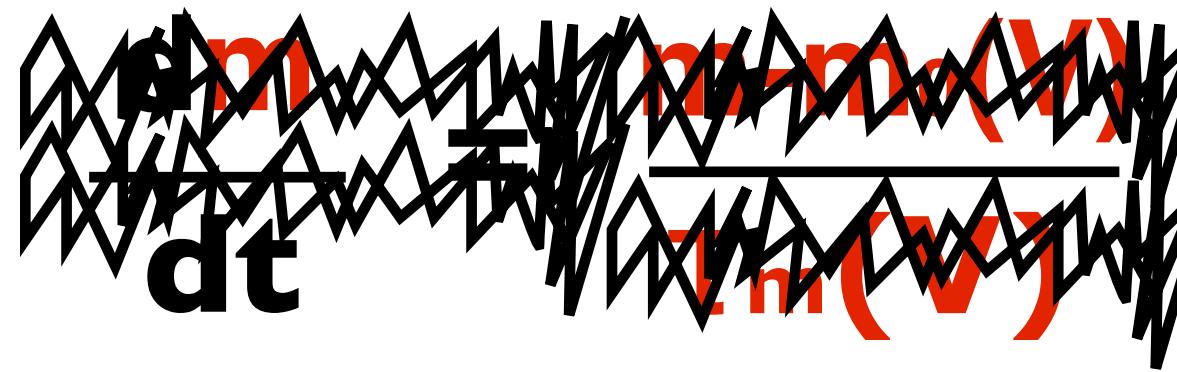


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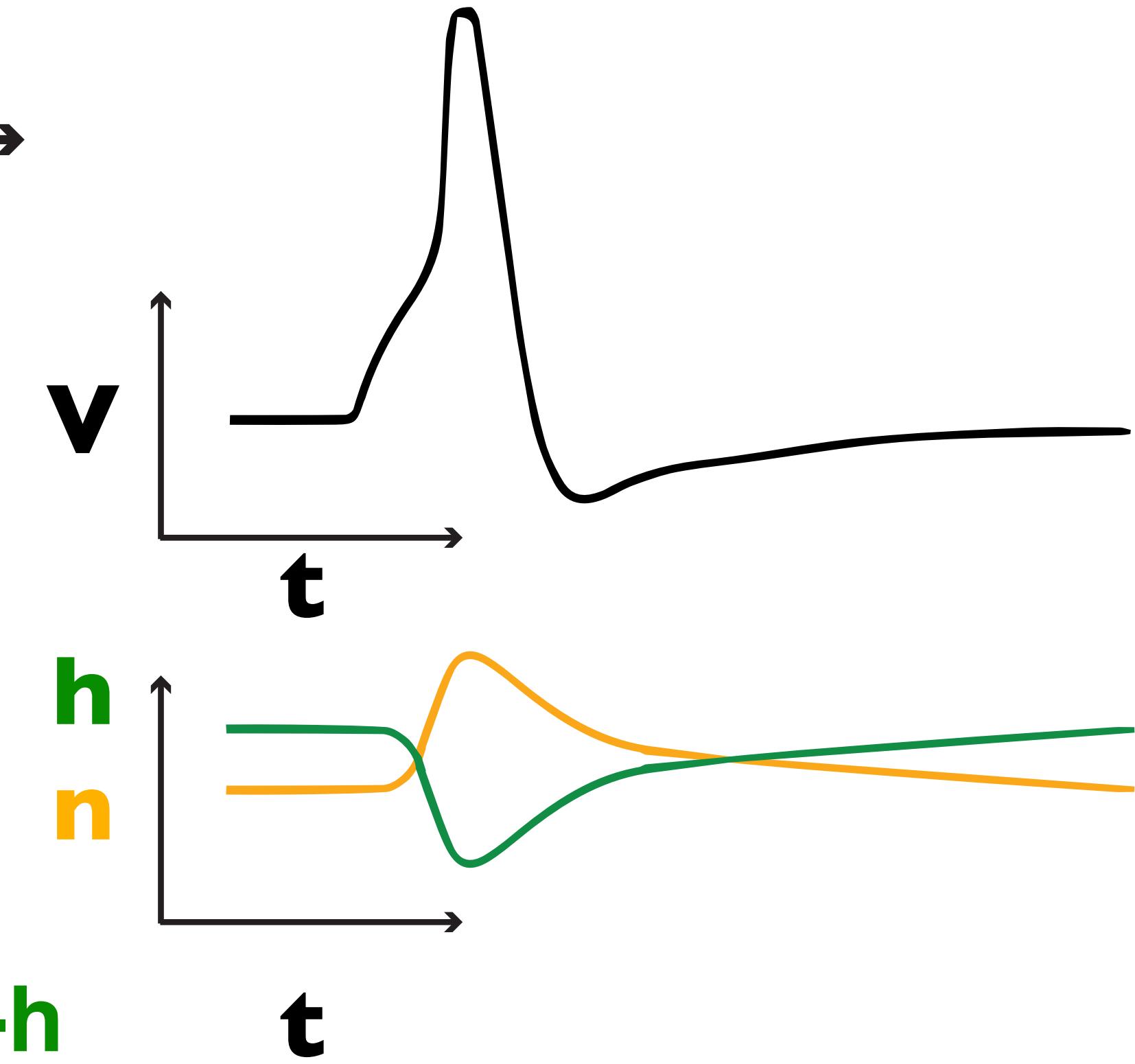
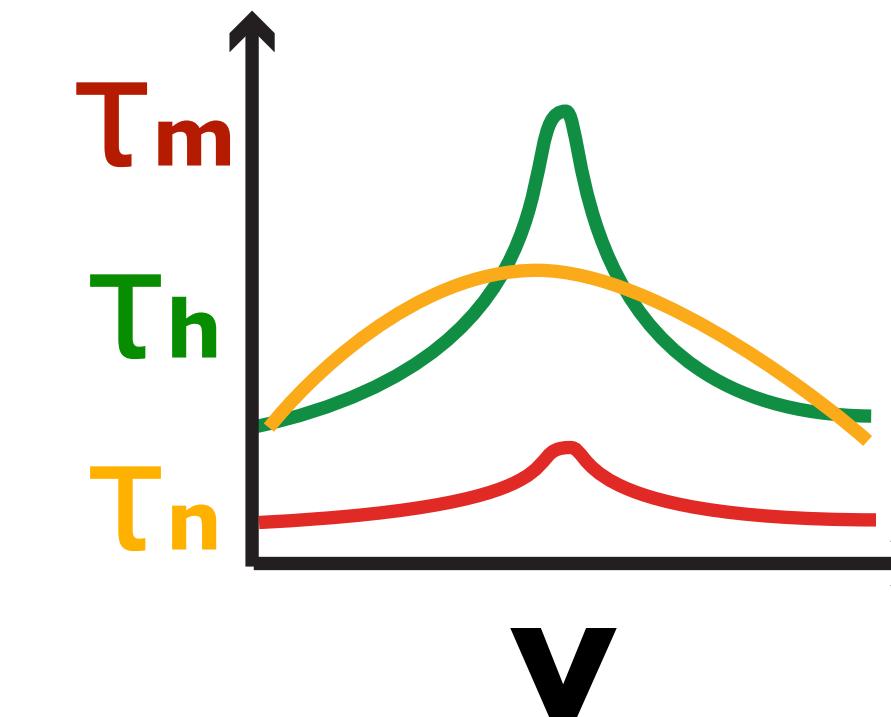
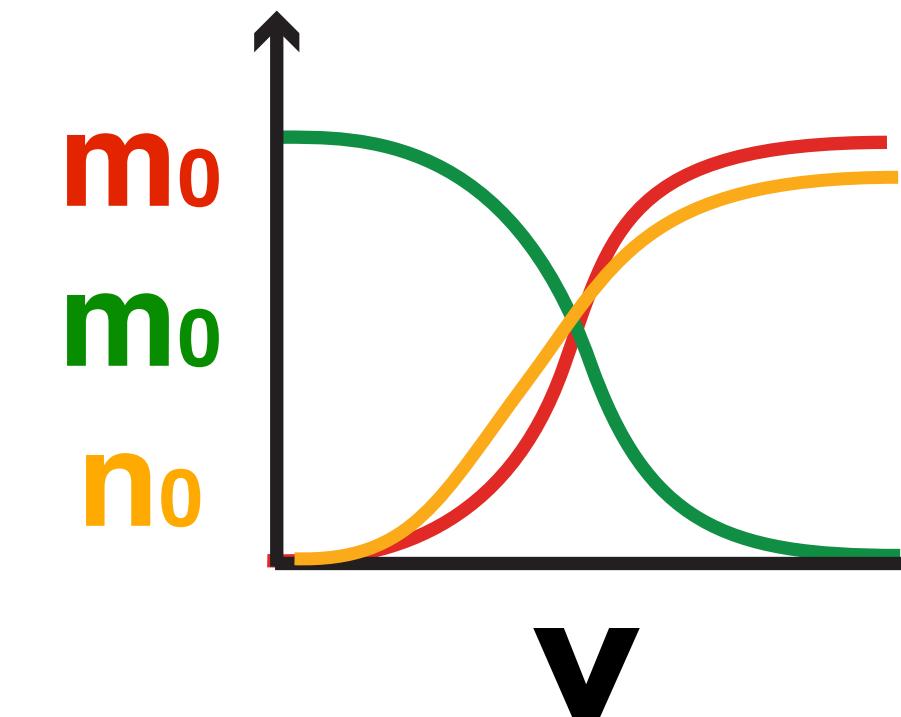
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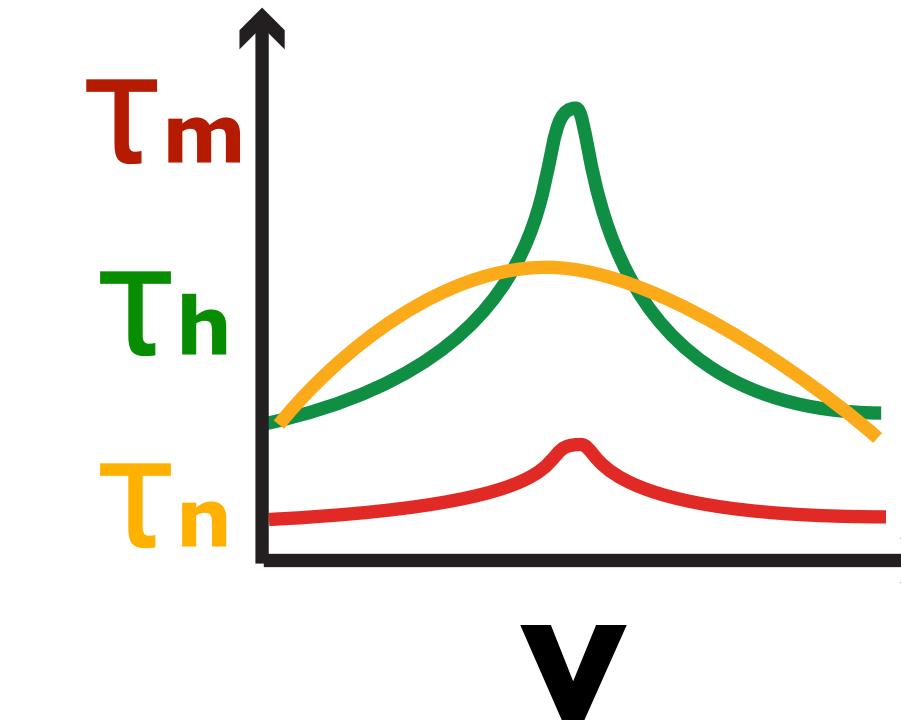
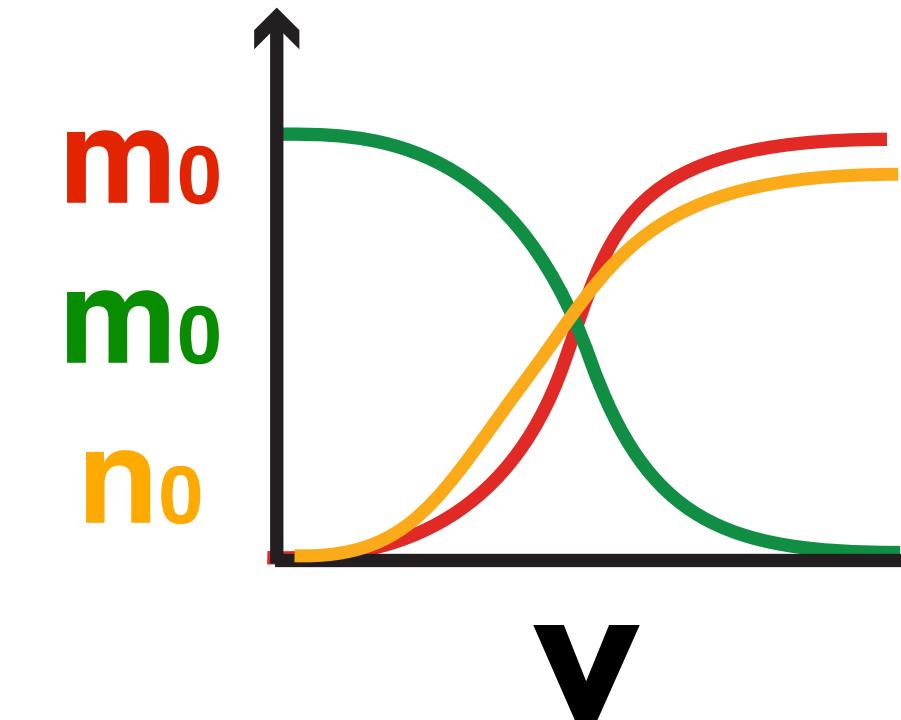
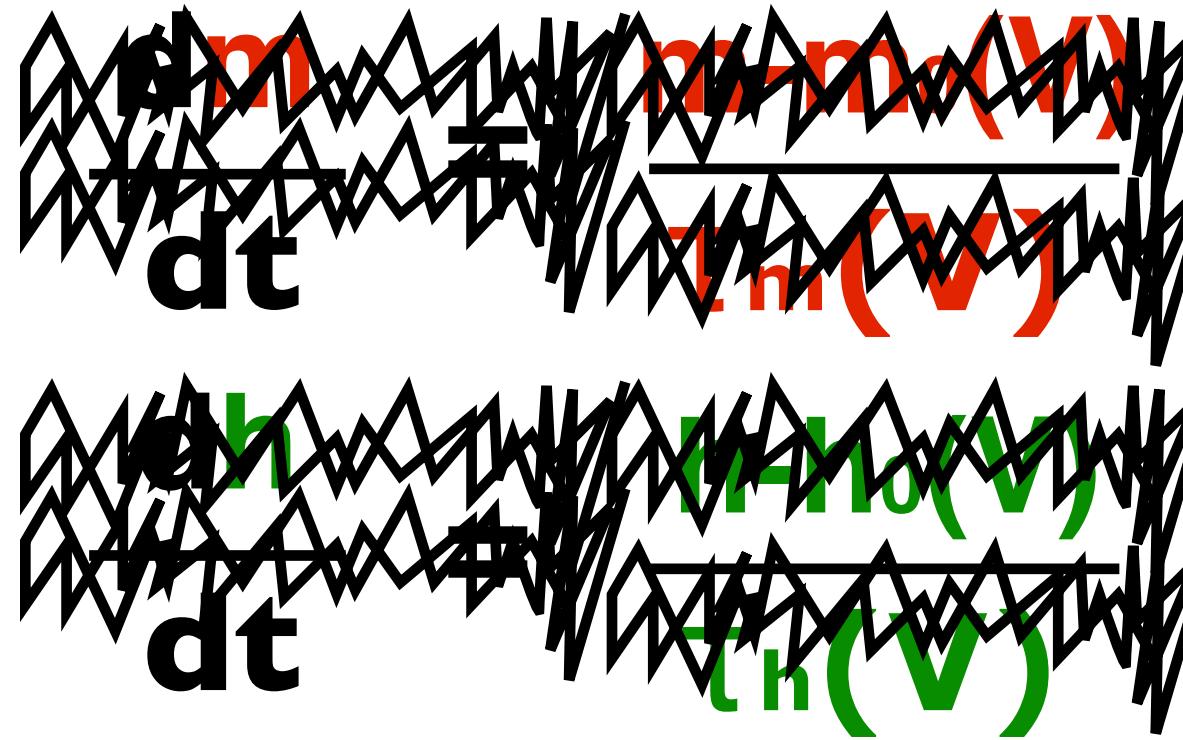
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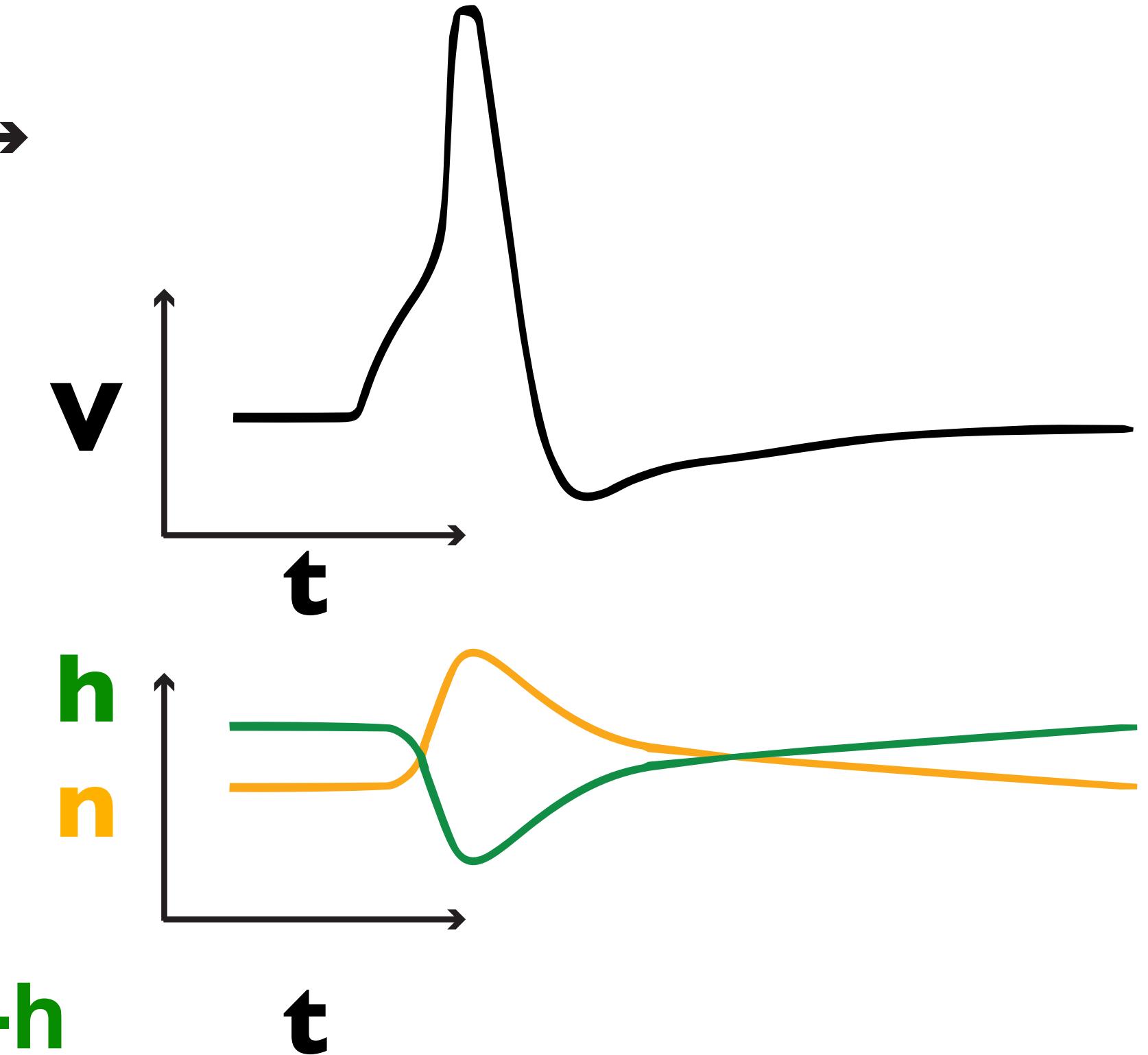


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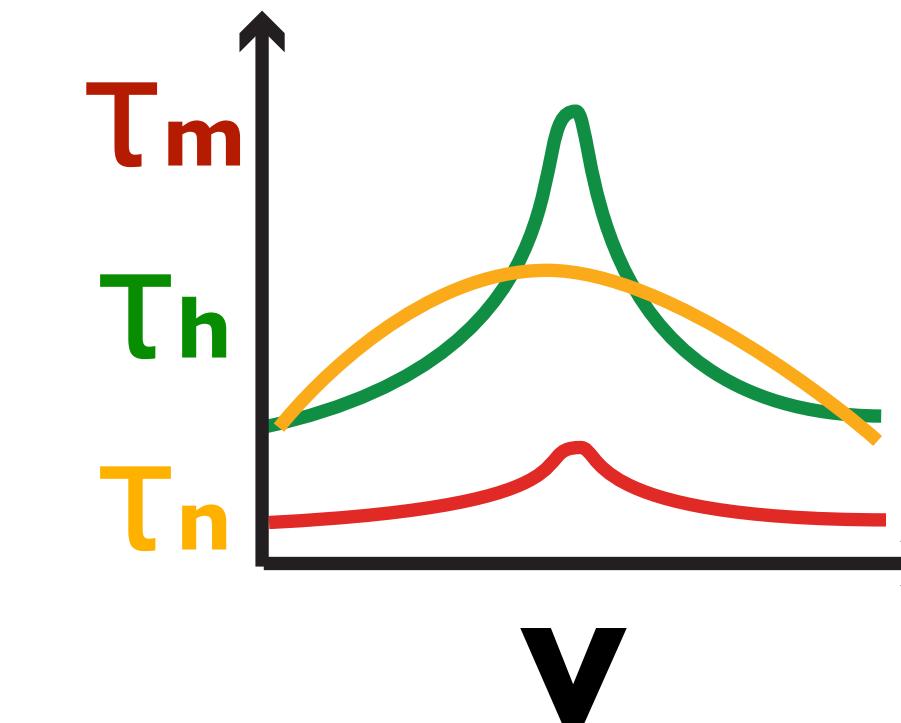
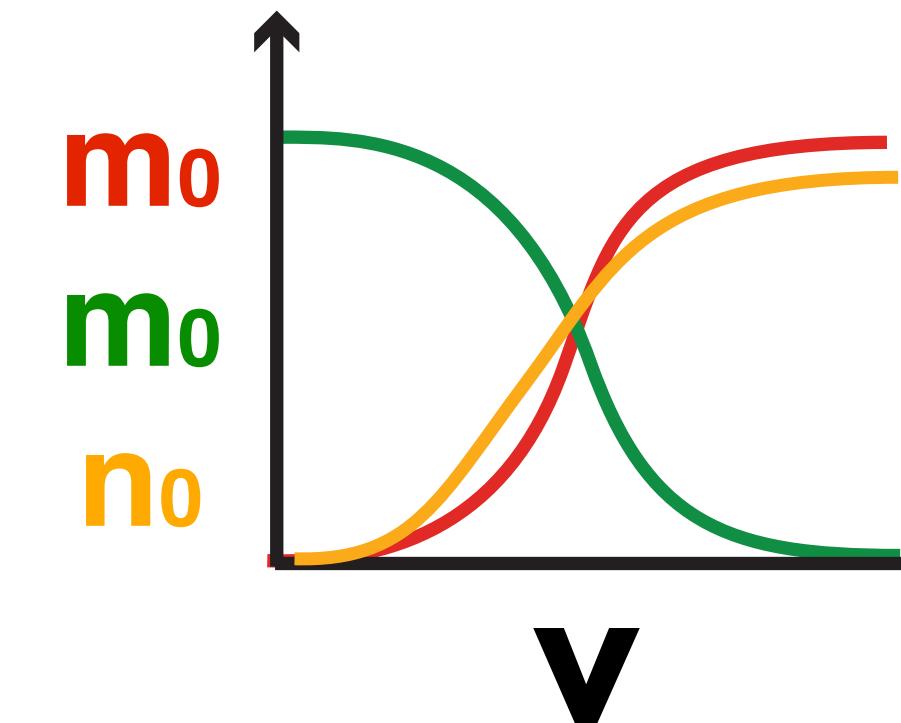
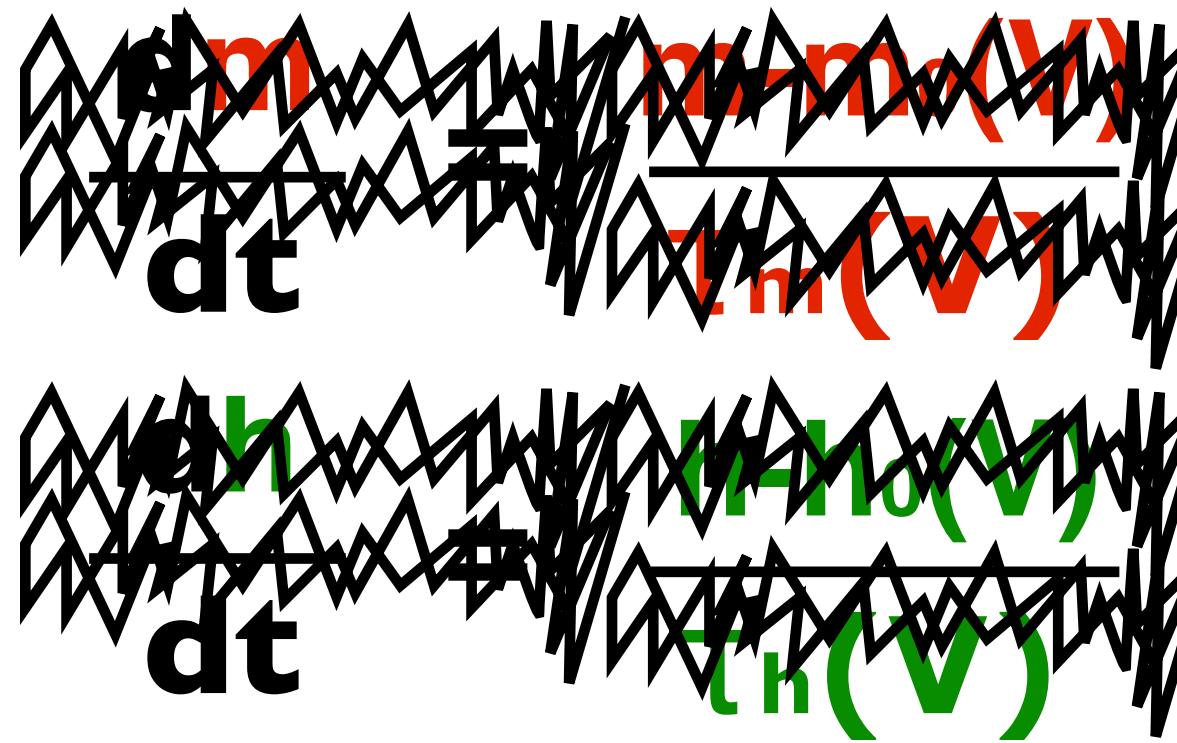
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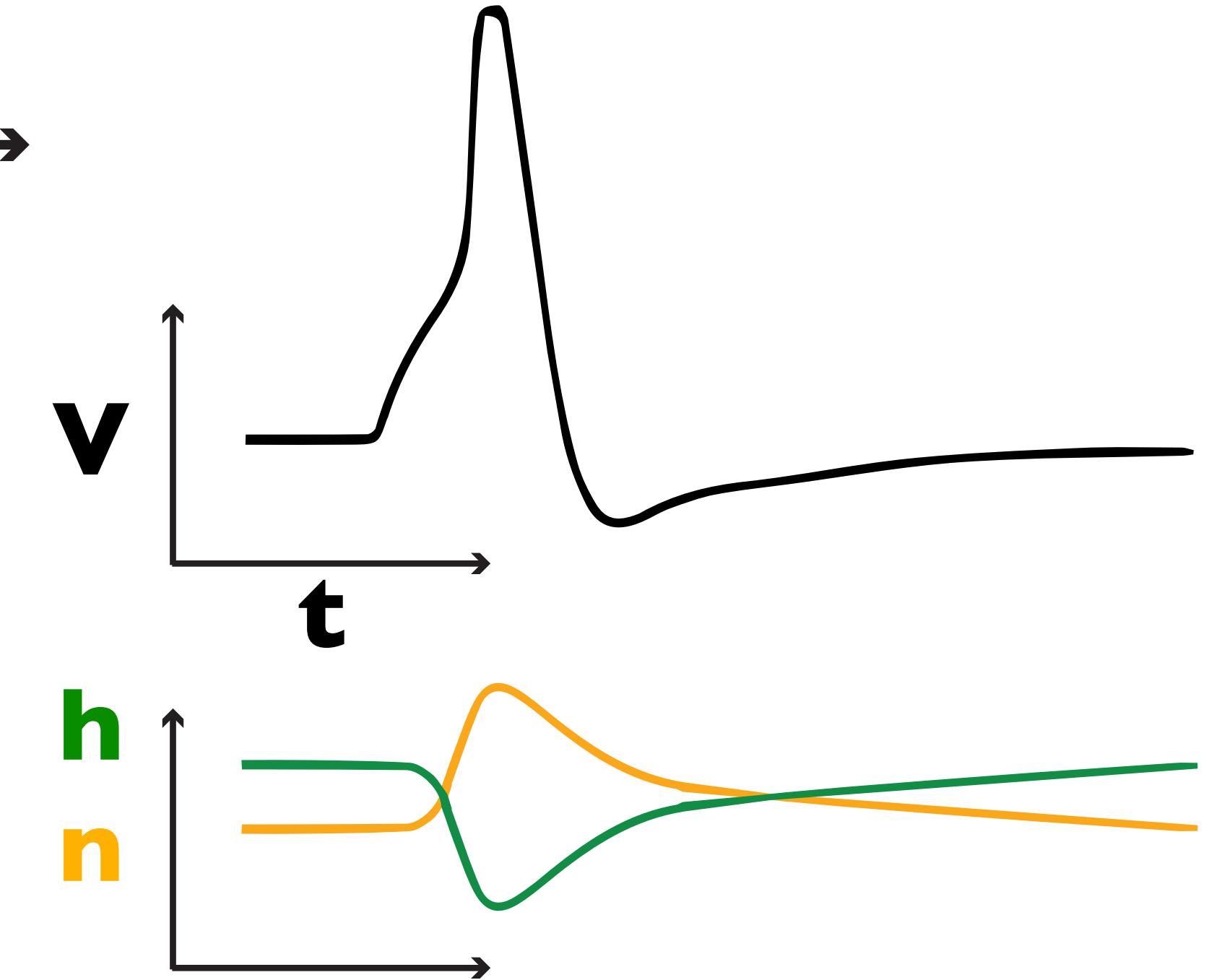


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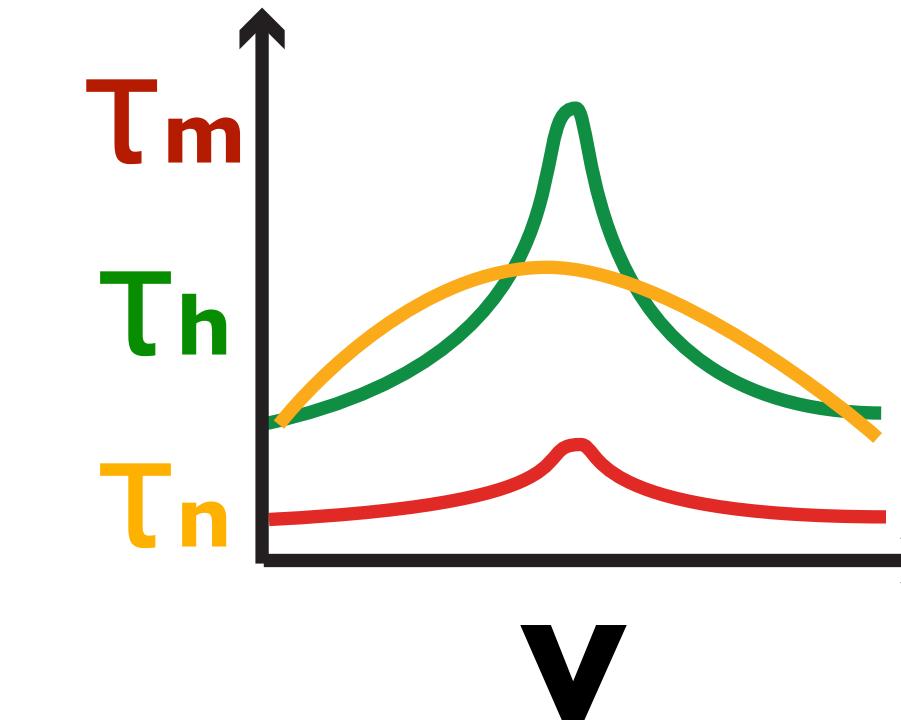
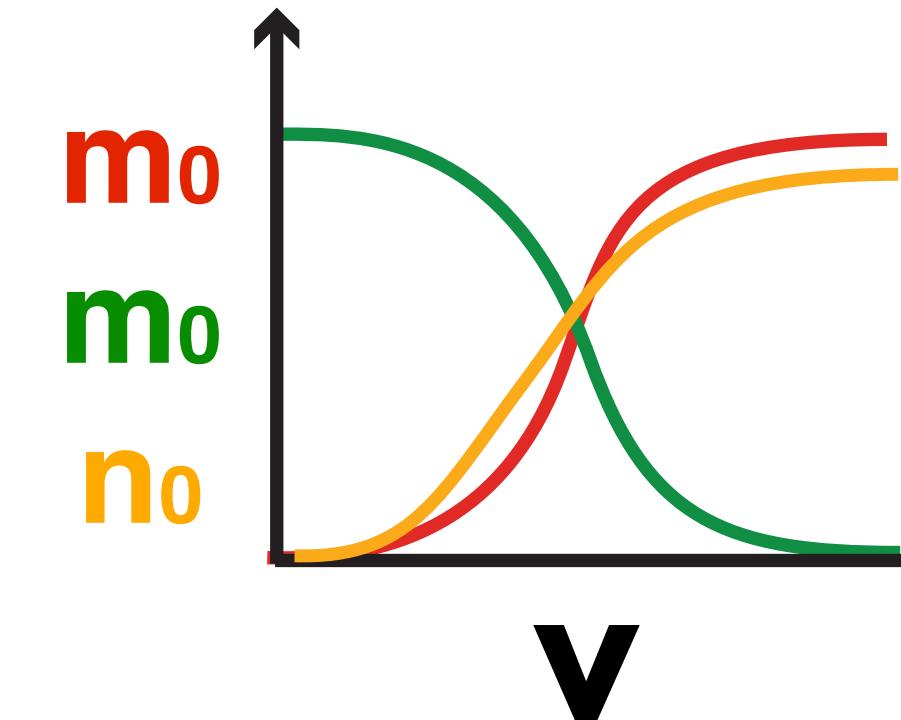
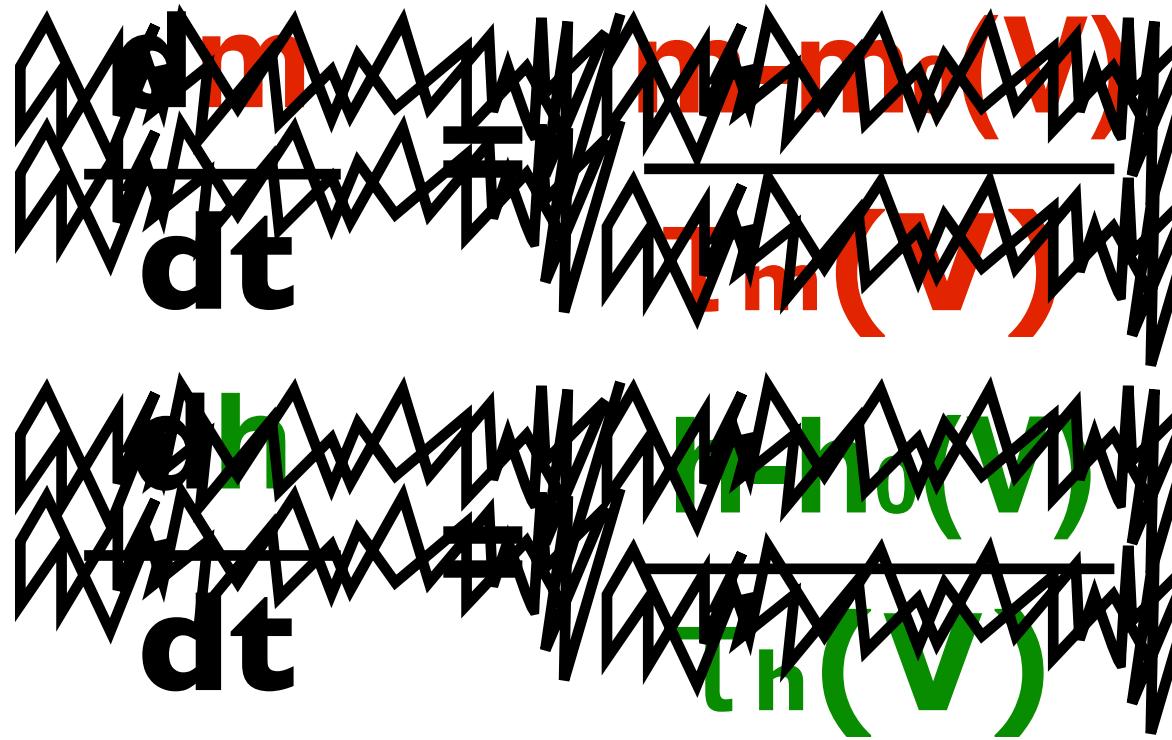
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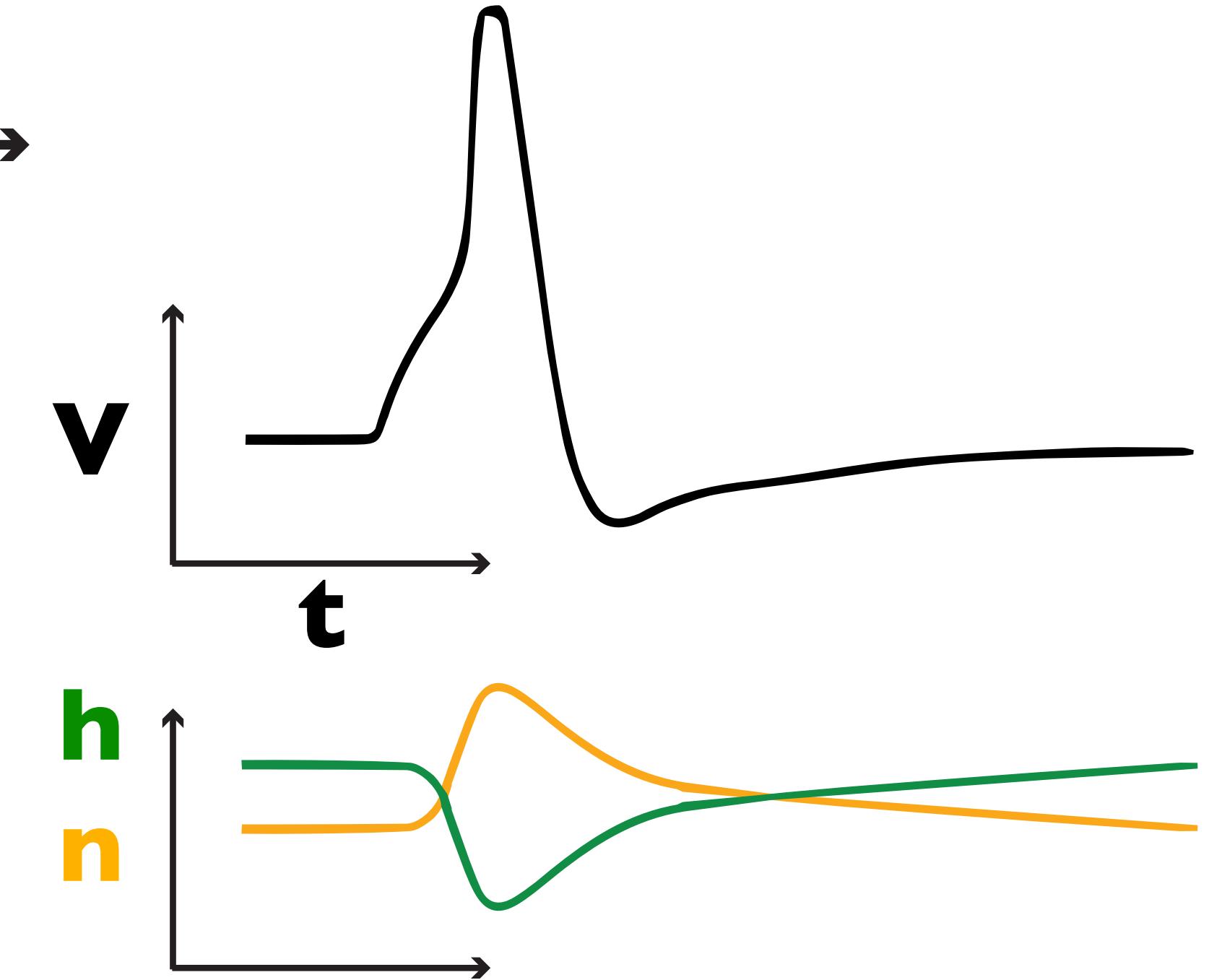
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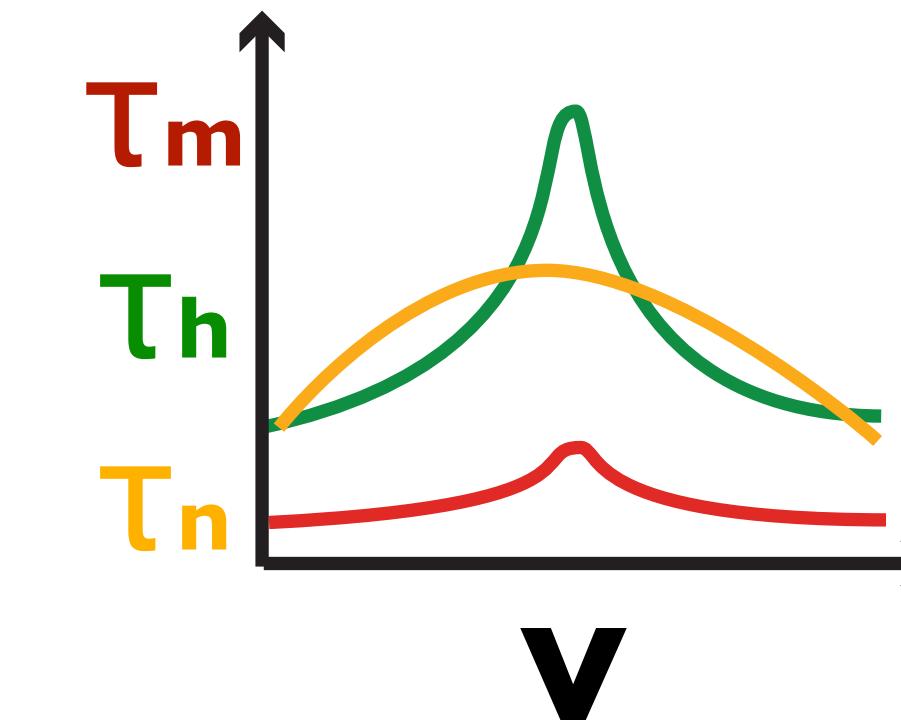
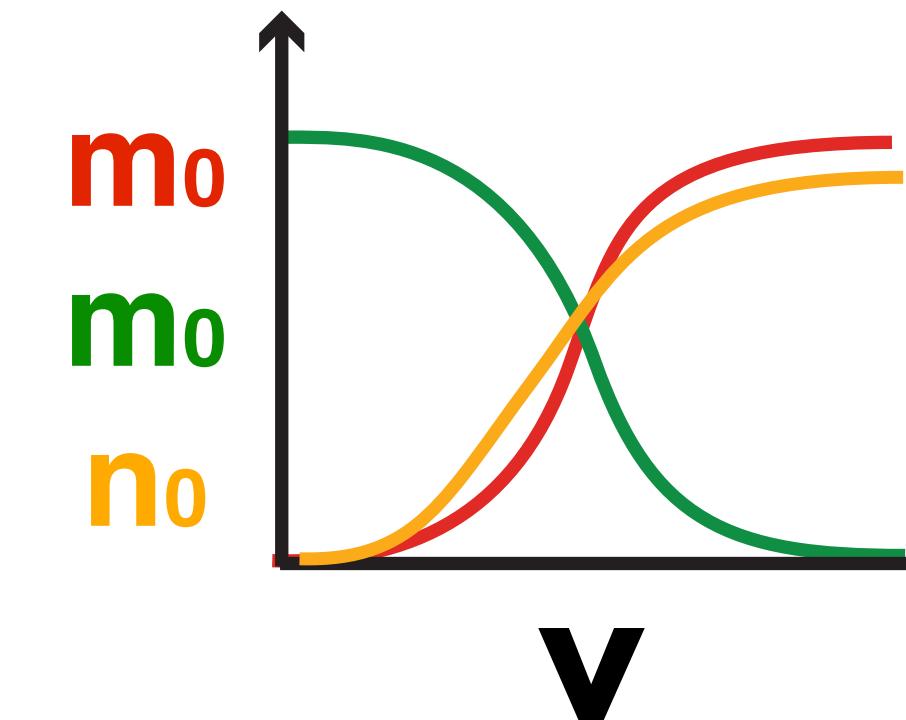
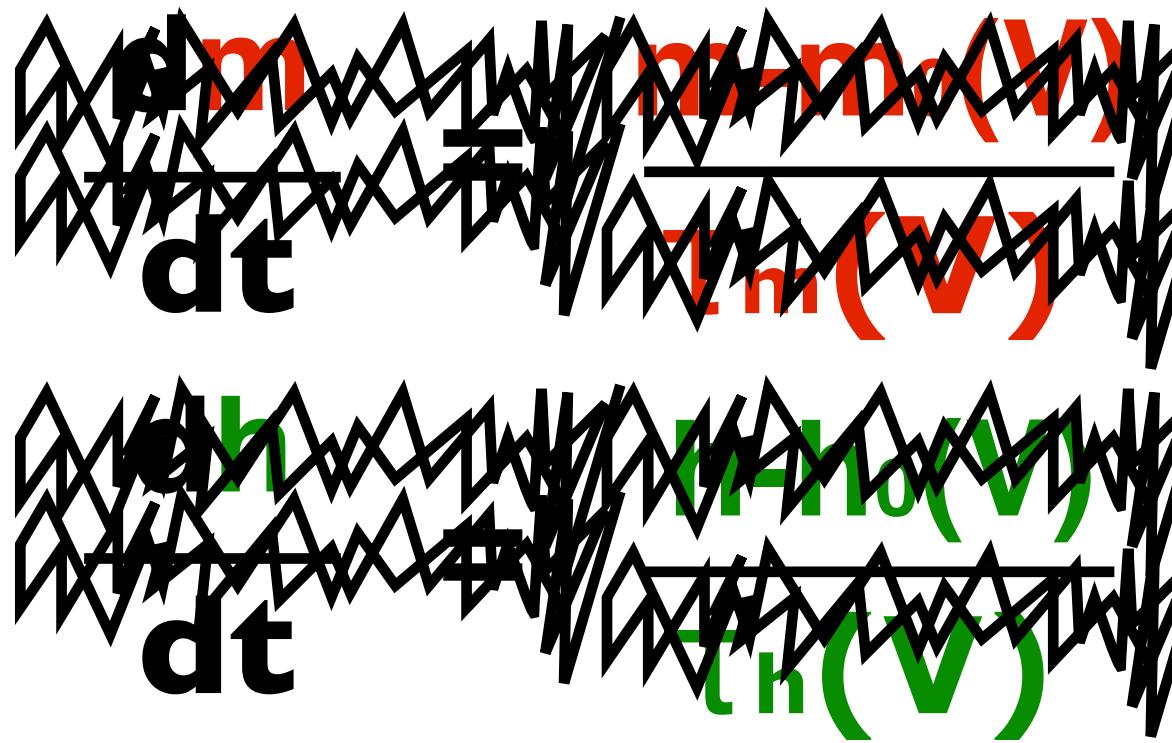
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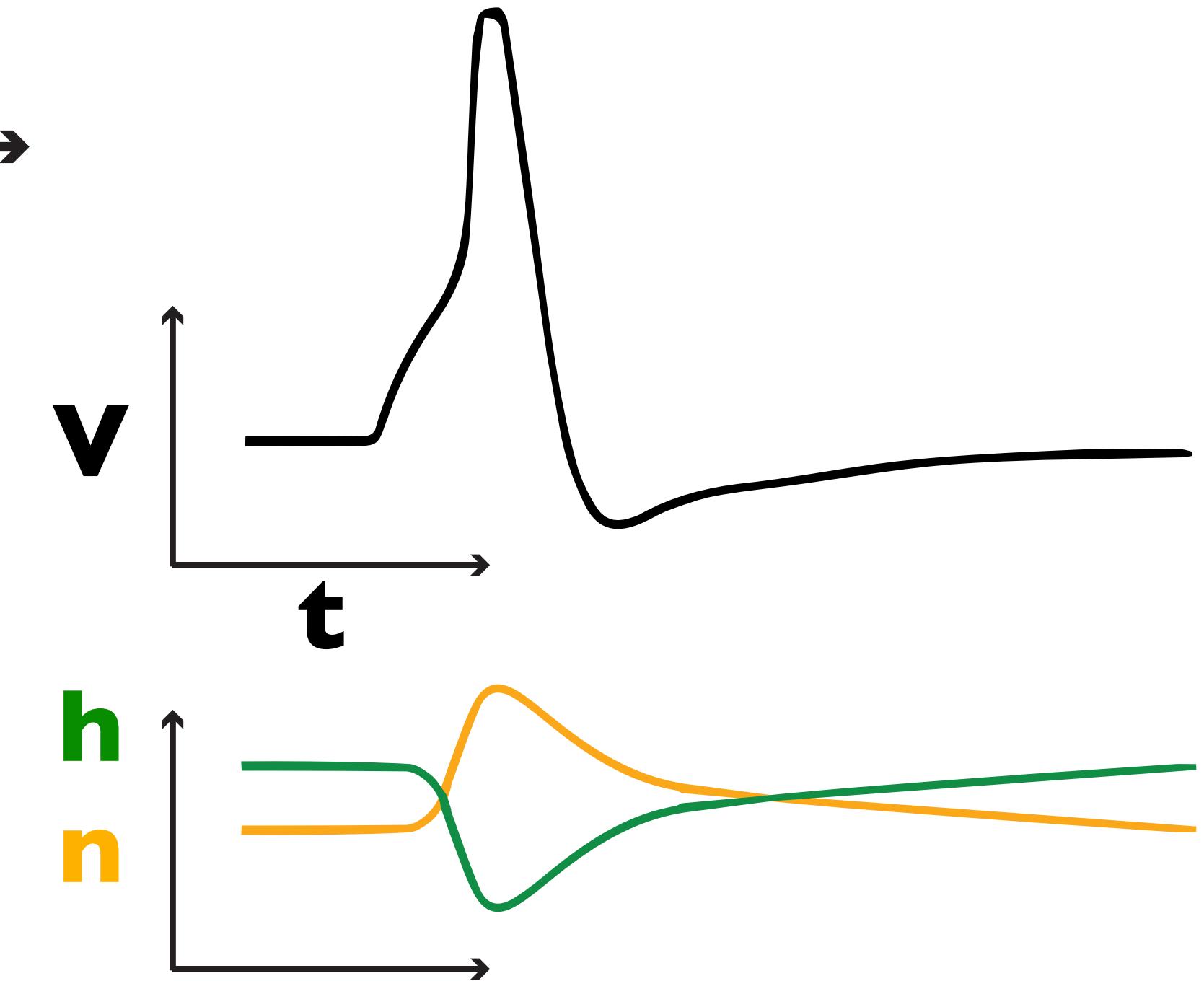
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FitzHugh-Nagumo model

$$\frac{dv}{dt} =$$

$$v - \frac{1}{3} v^3 - w$$

$$\frac{dw}{dt} =$$

$$a + b v - w$$

FitzHugh-Nagumo model

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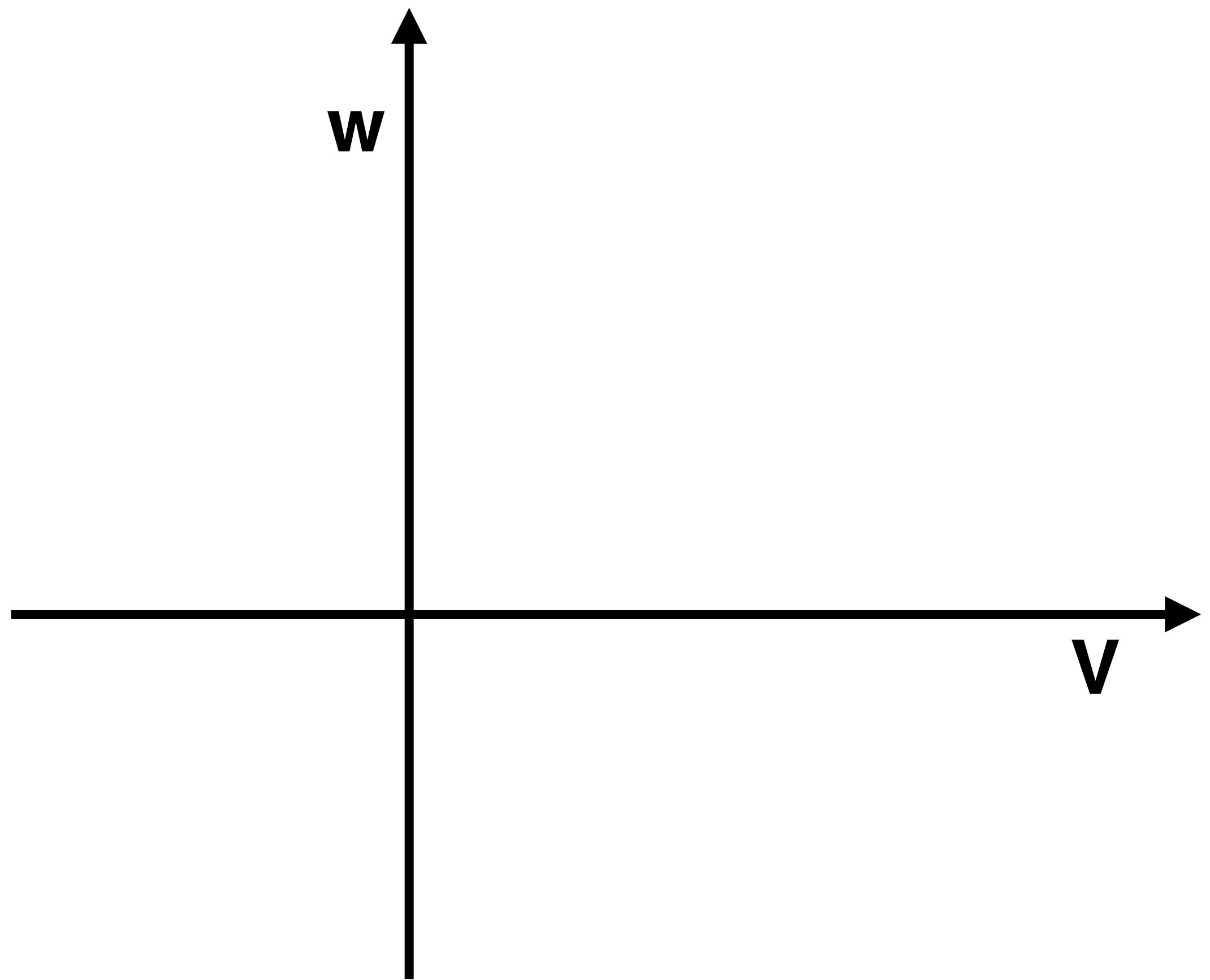
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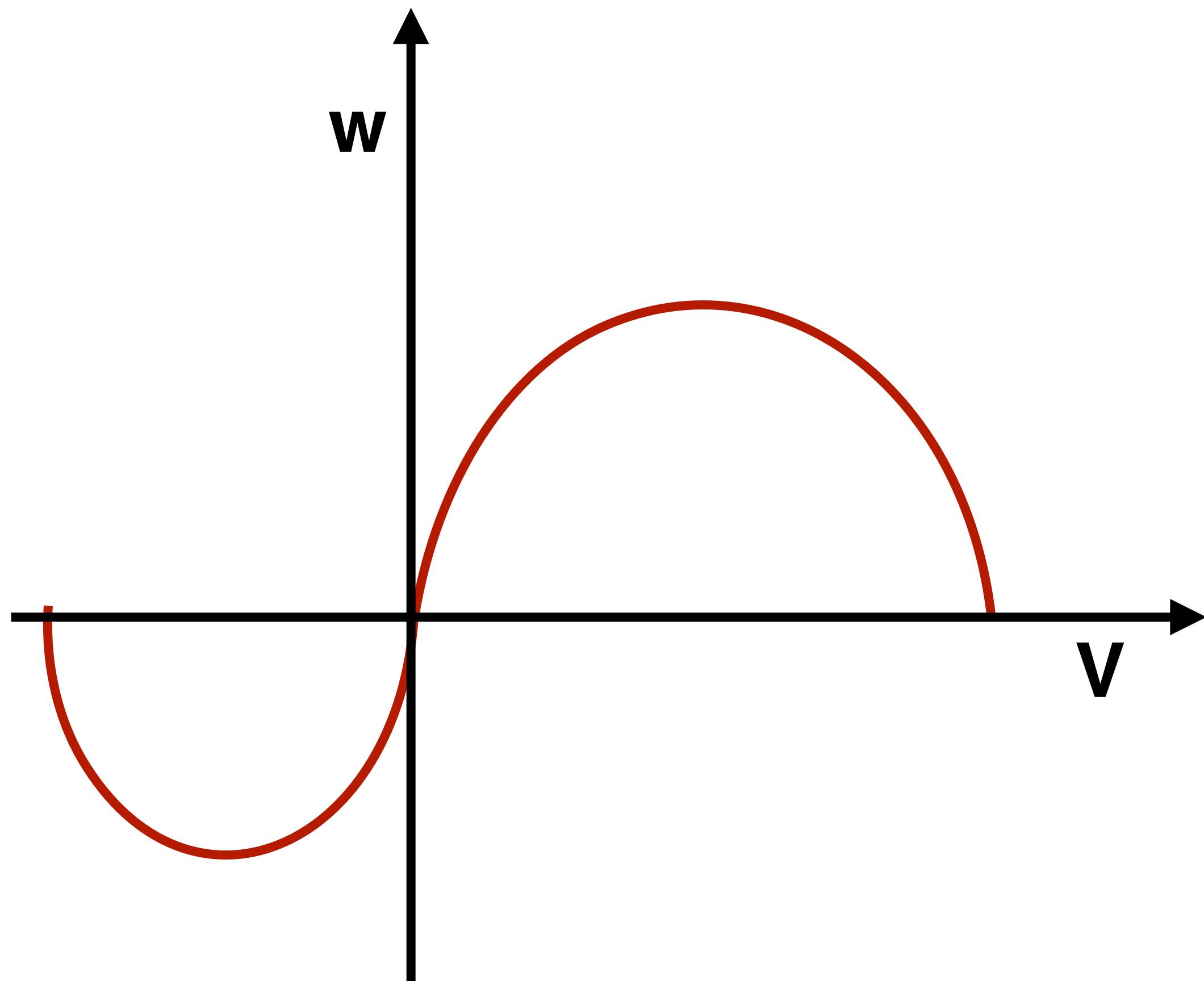
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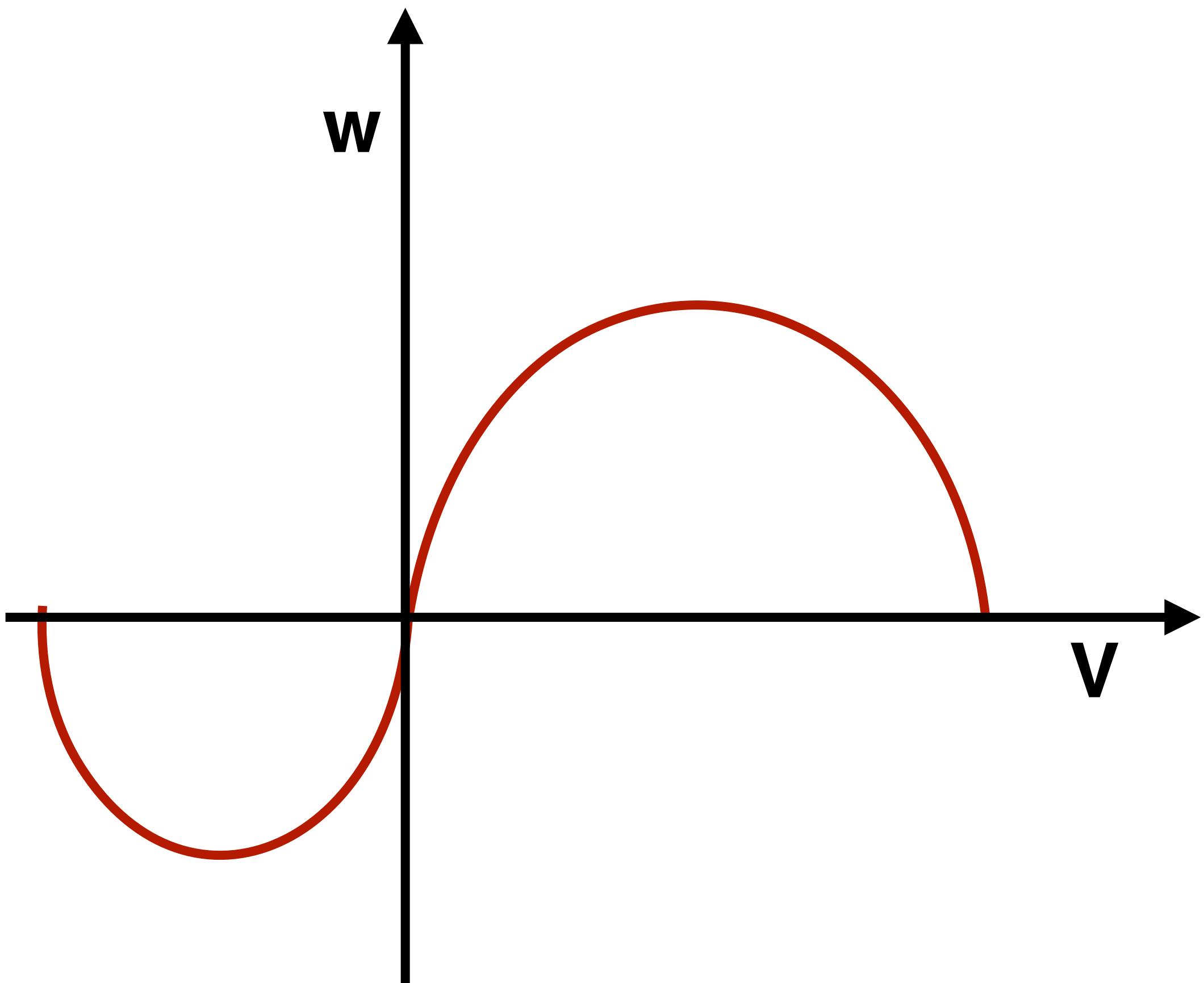
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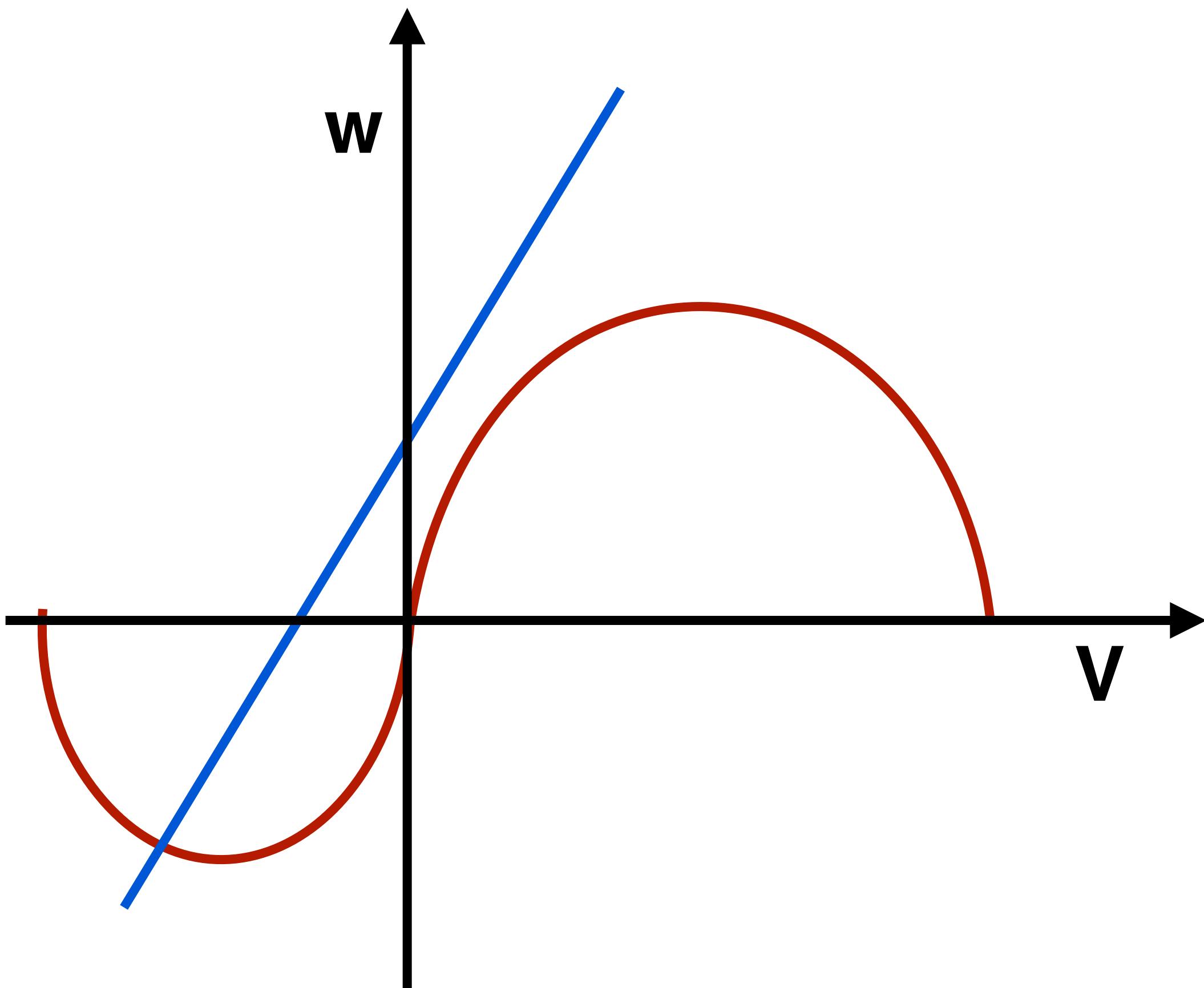
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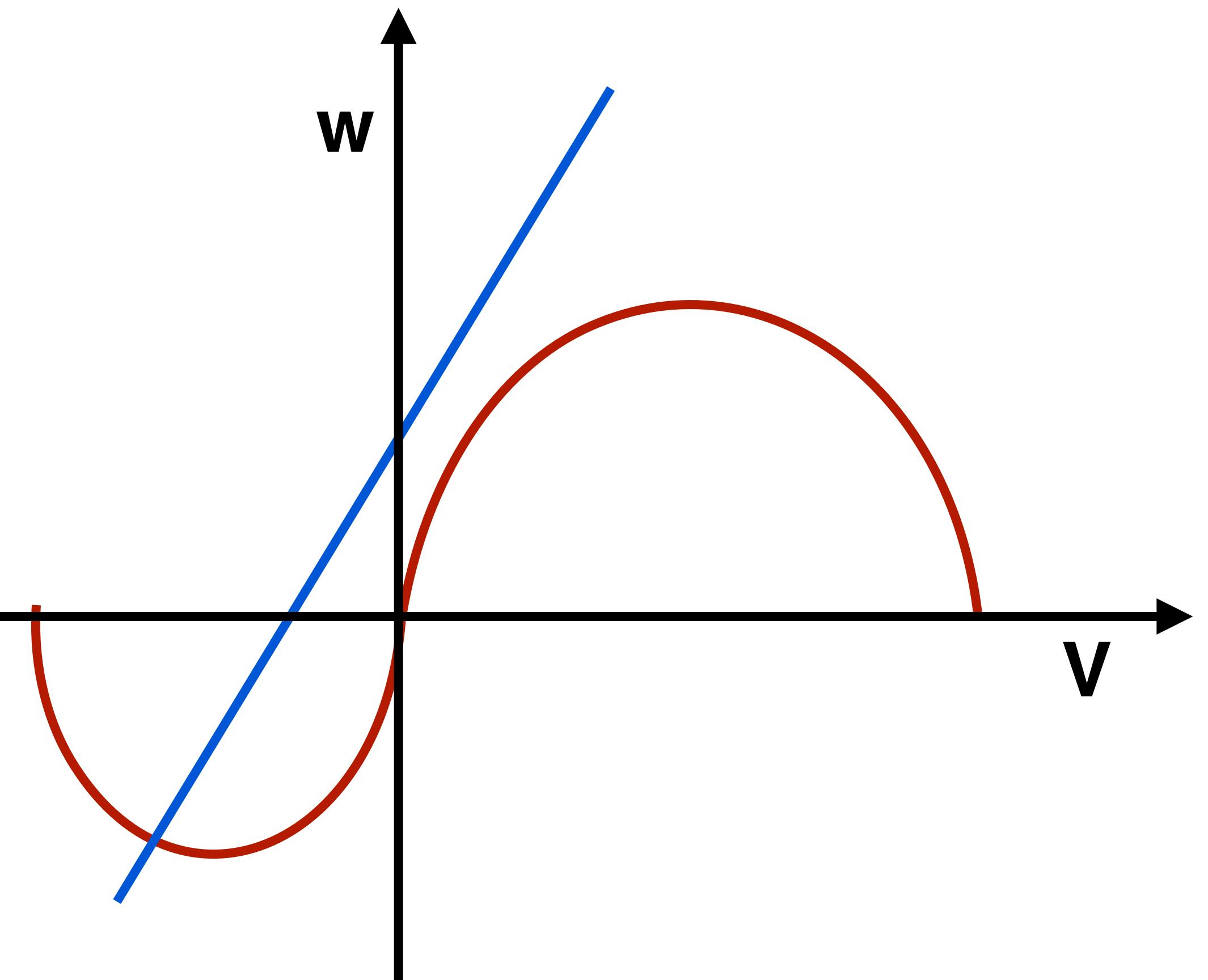
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FitzHugh-Nagumo model

nullclines

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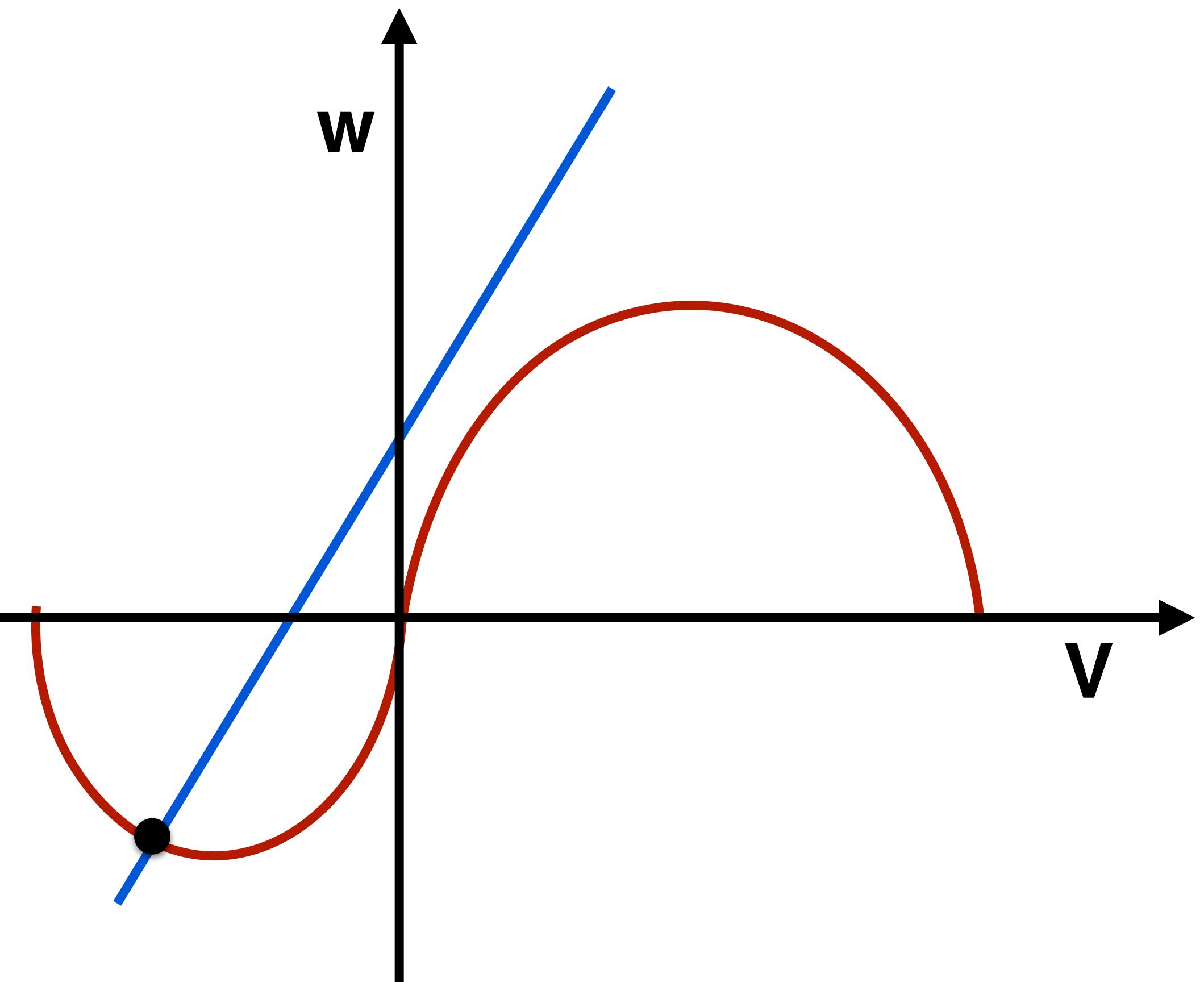
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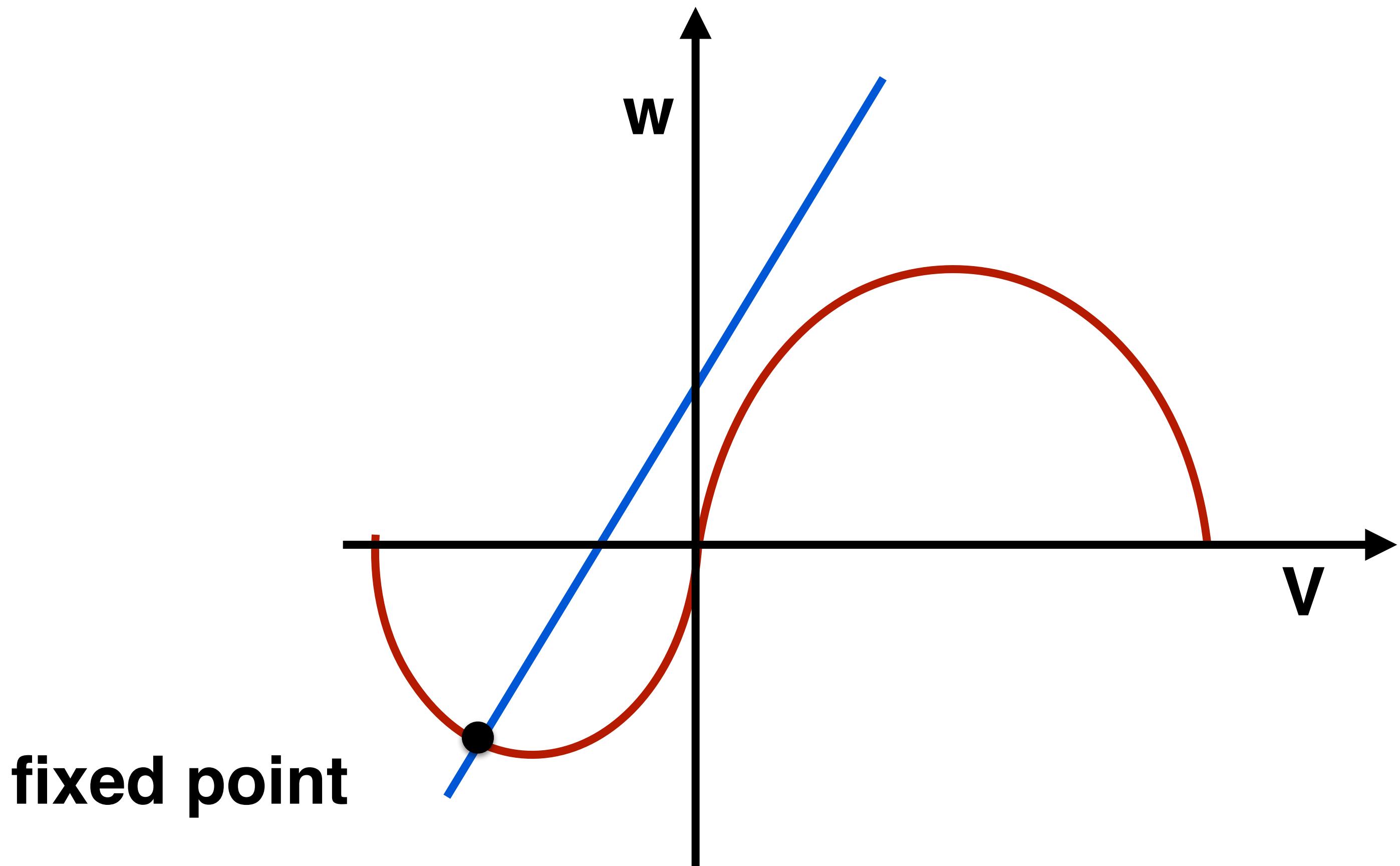
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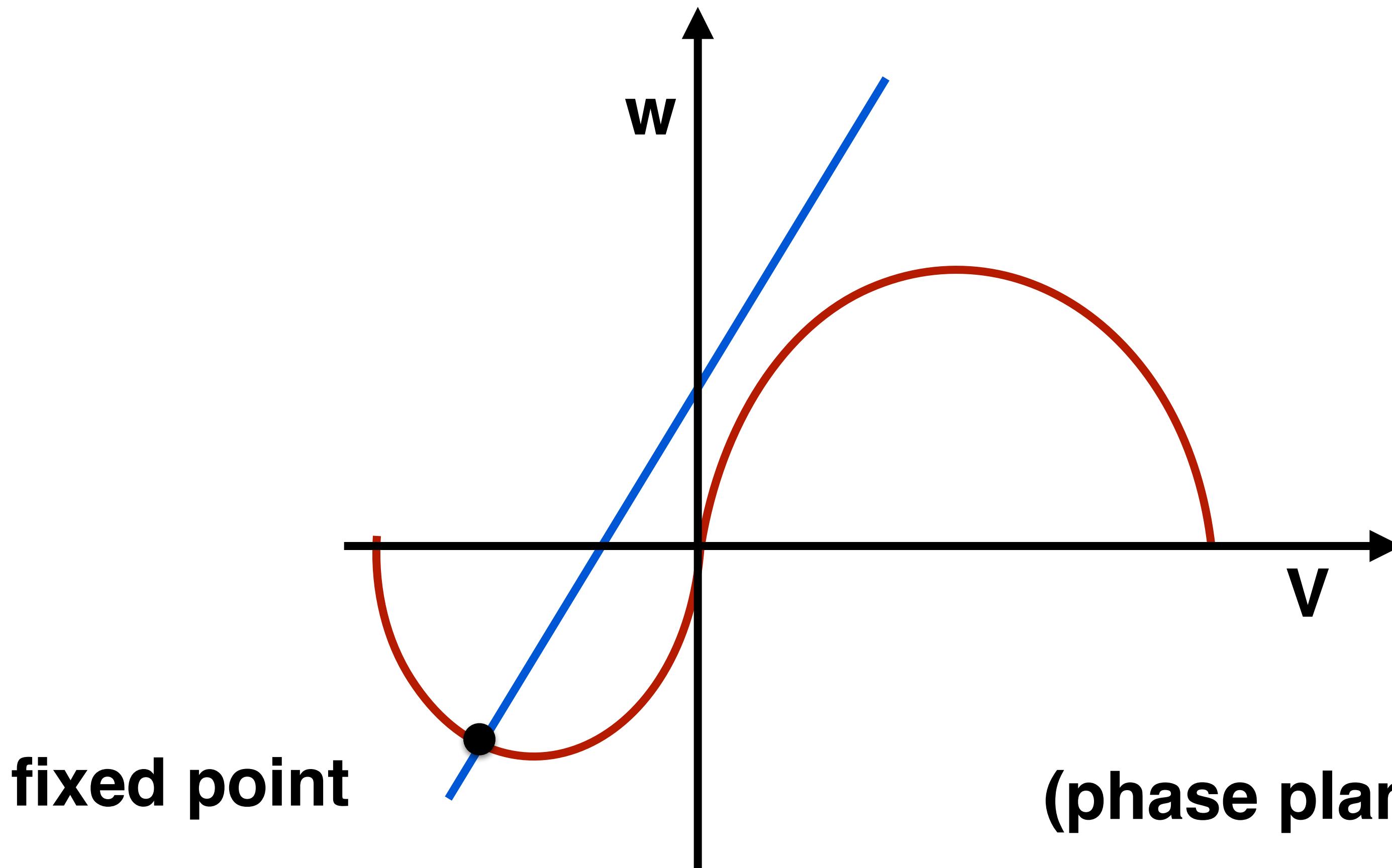
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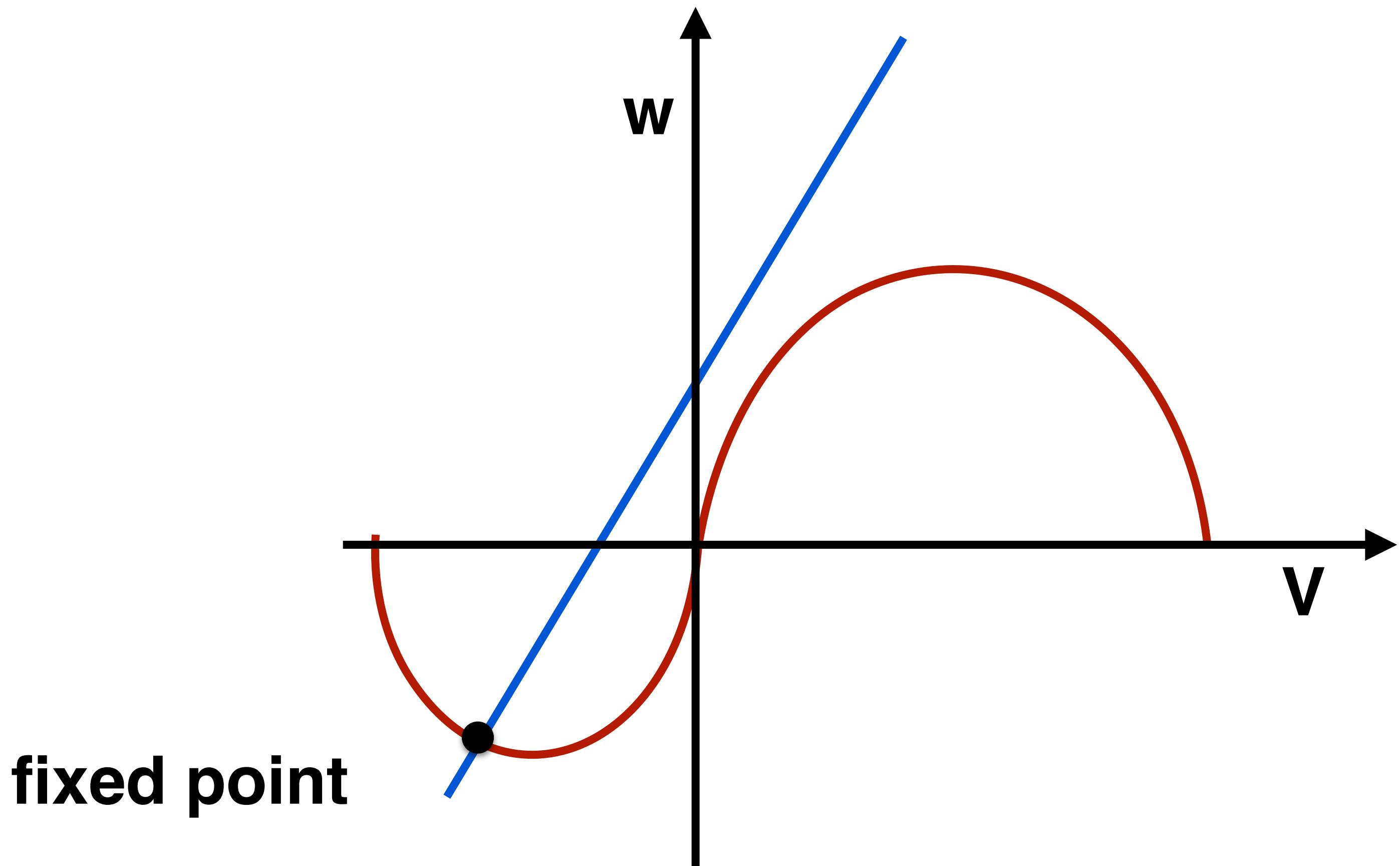
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(phase plane analysis)

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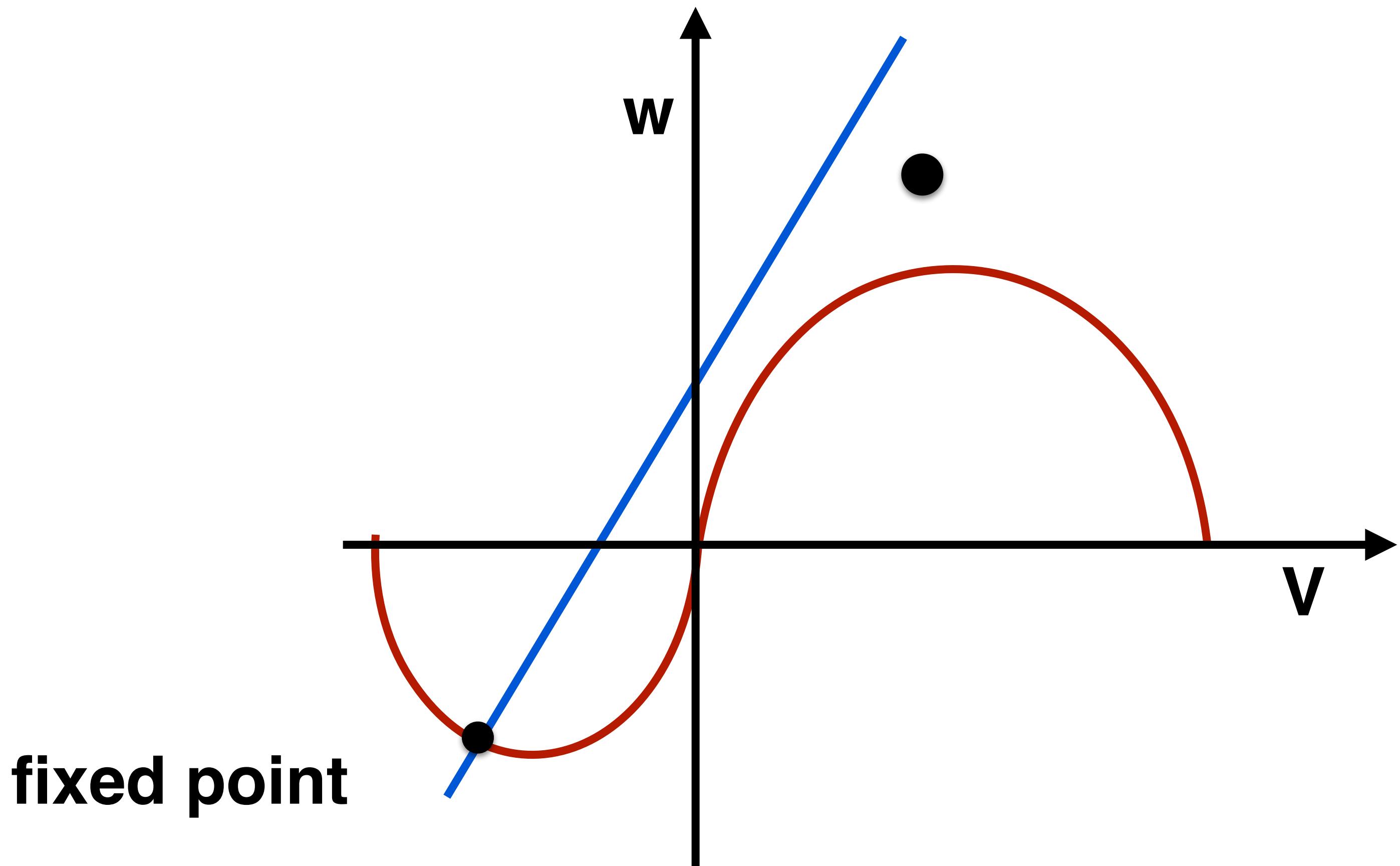
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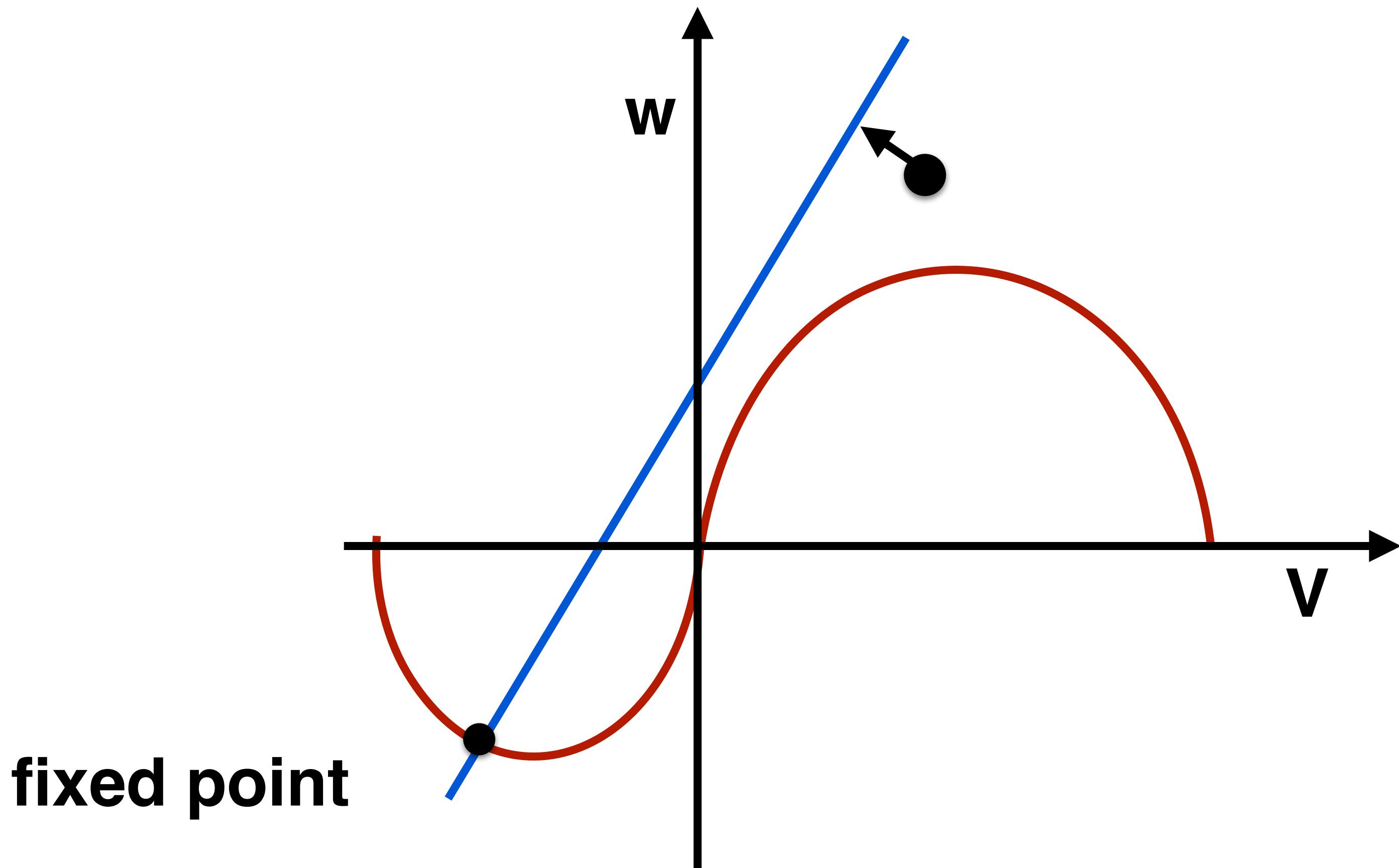
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fixed point

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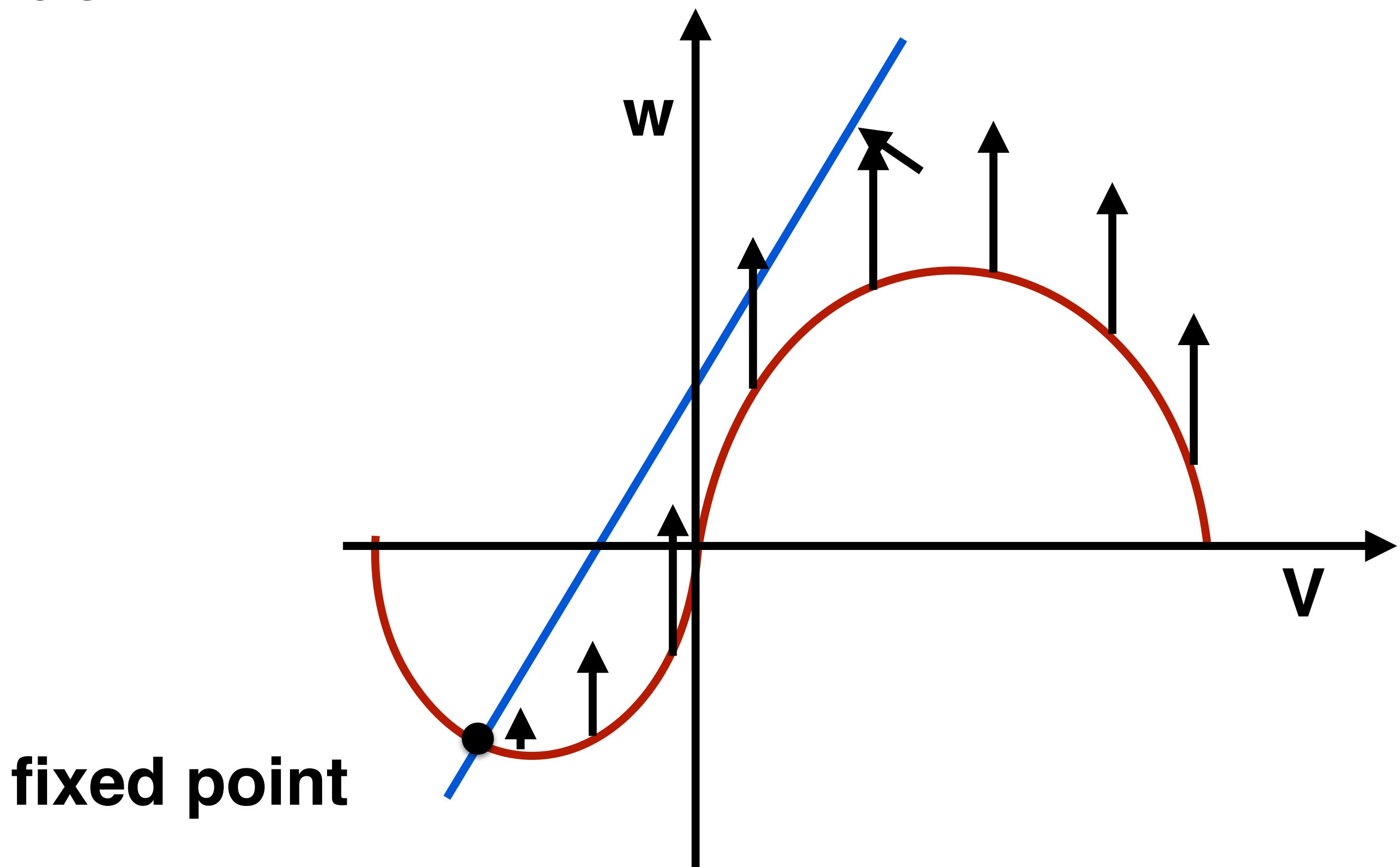
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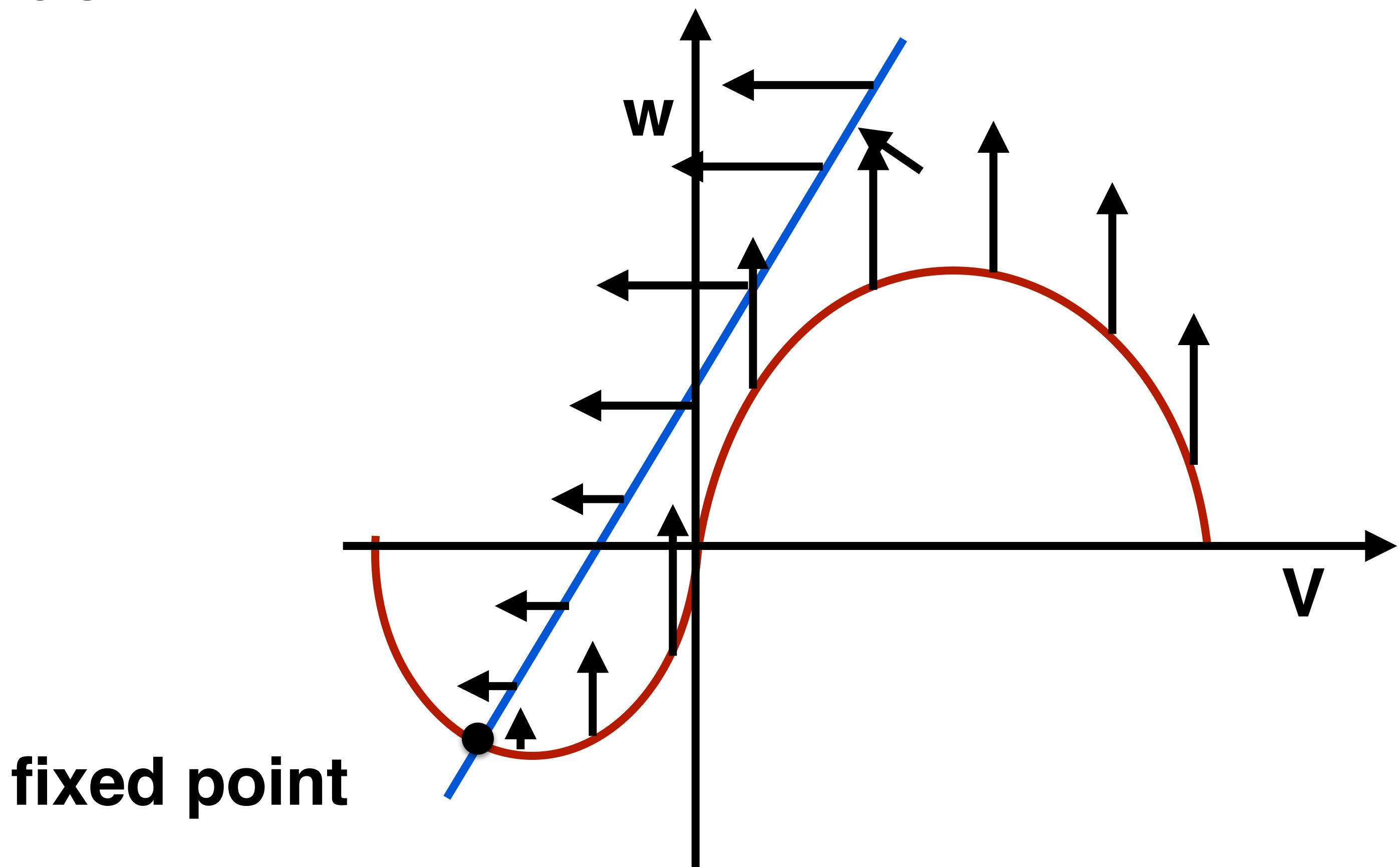
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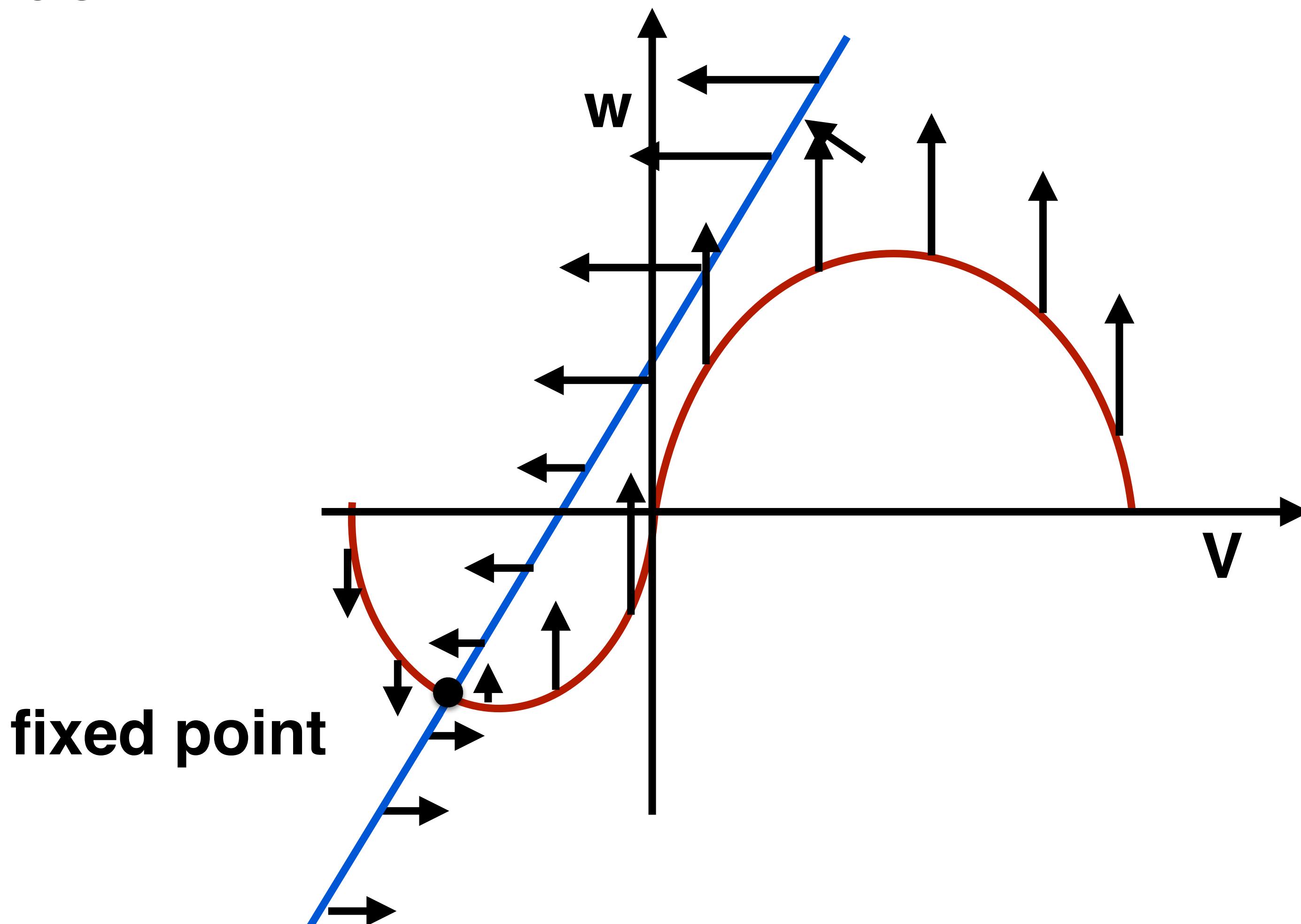
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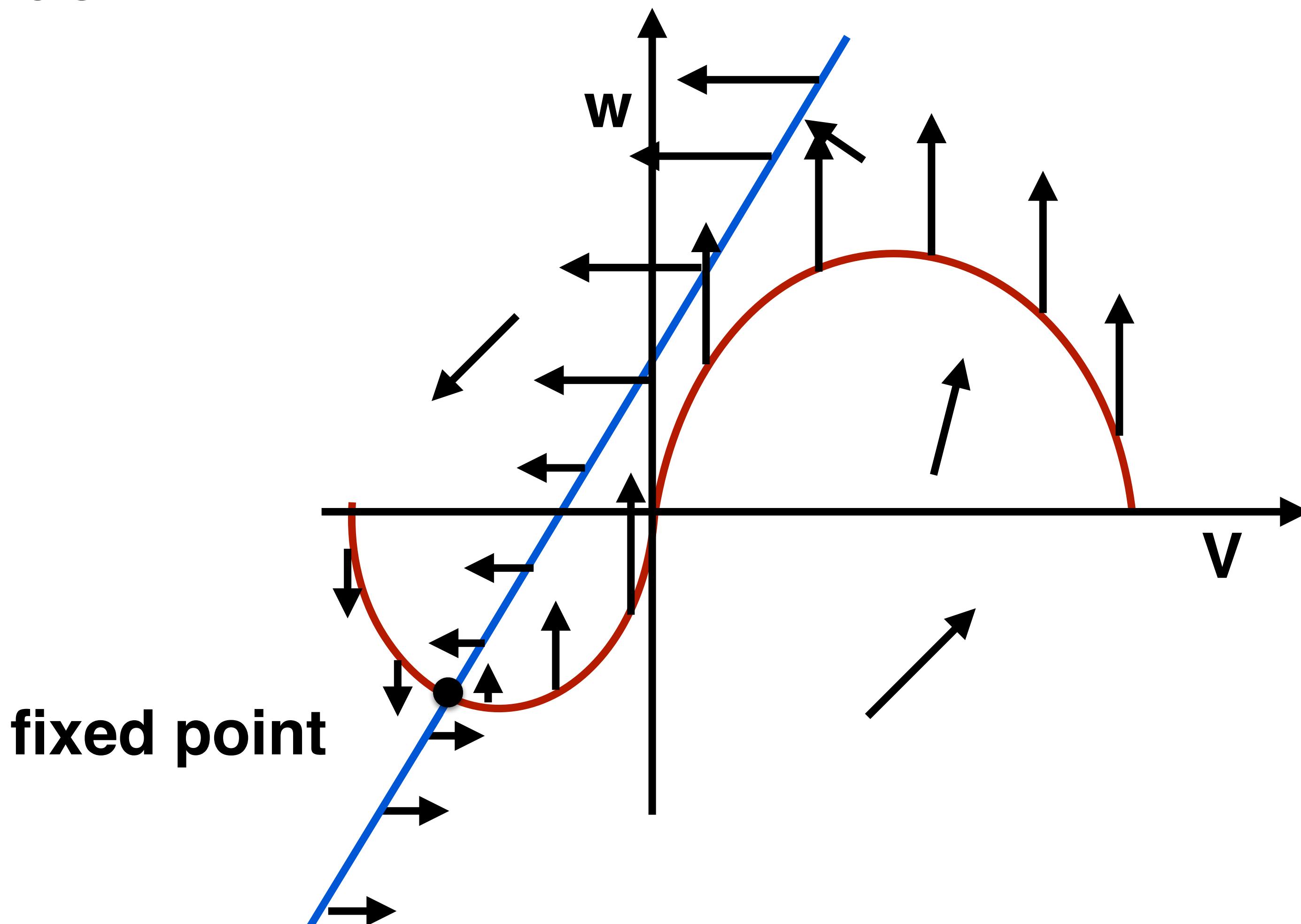
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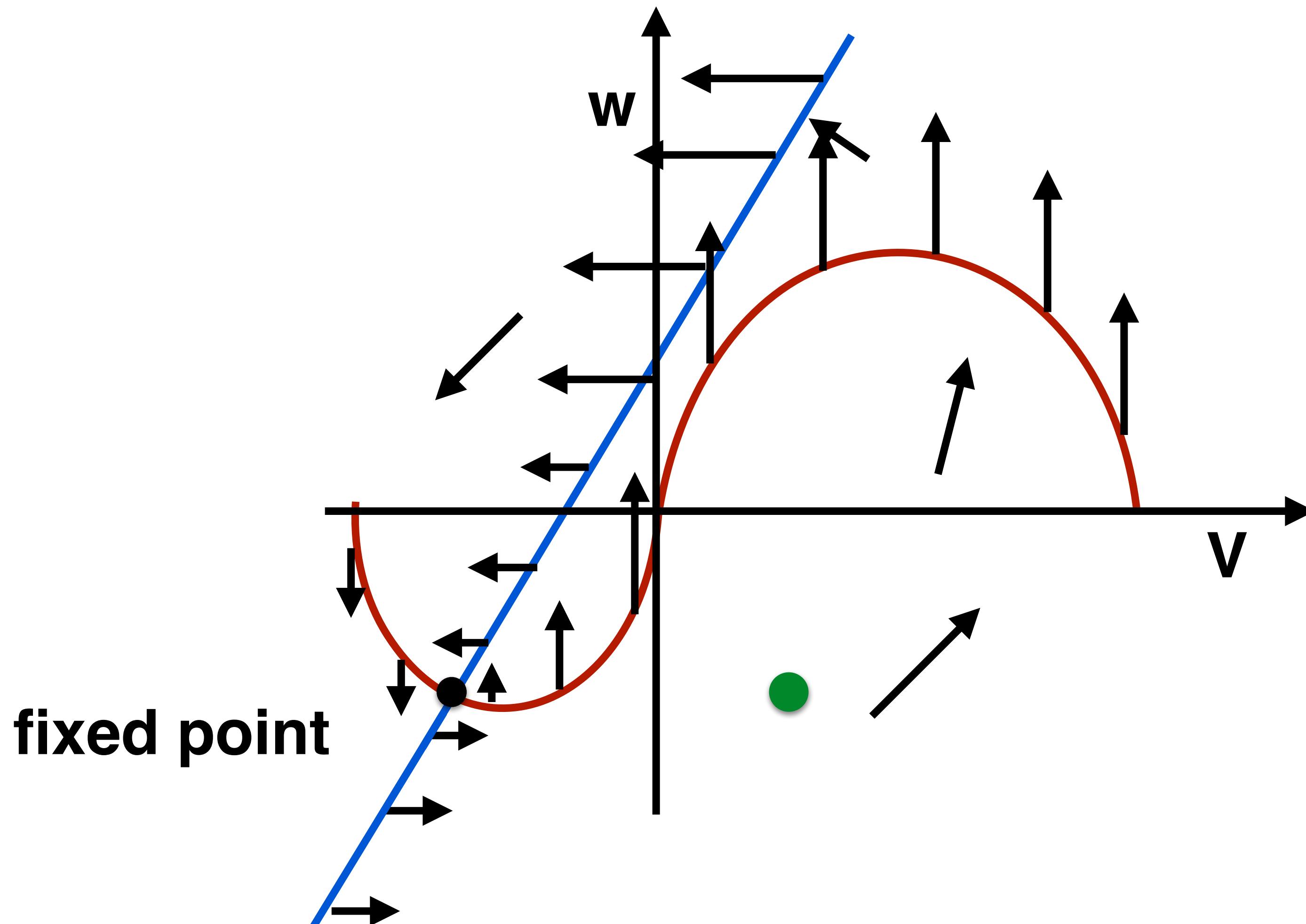
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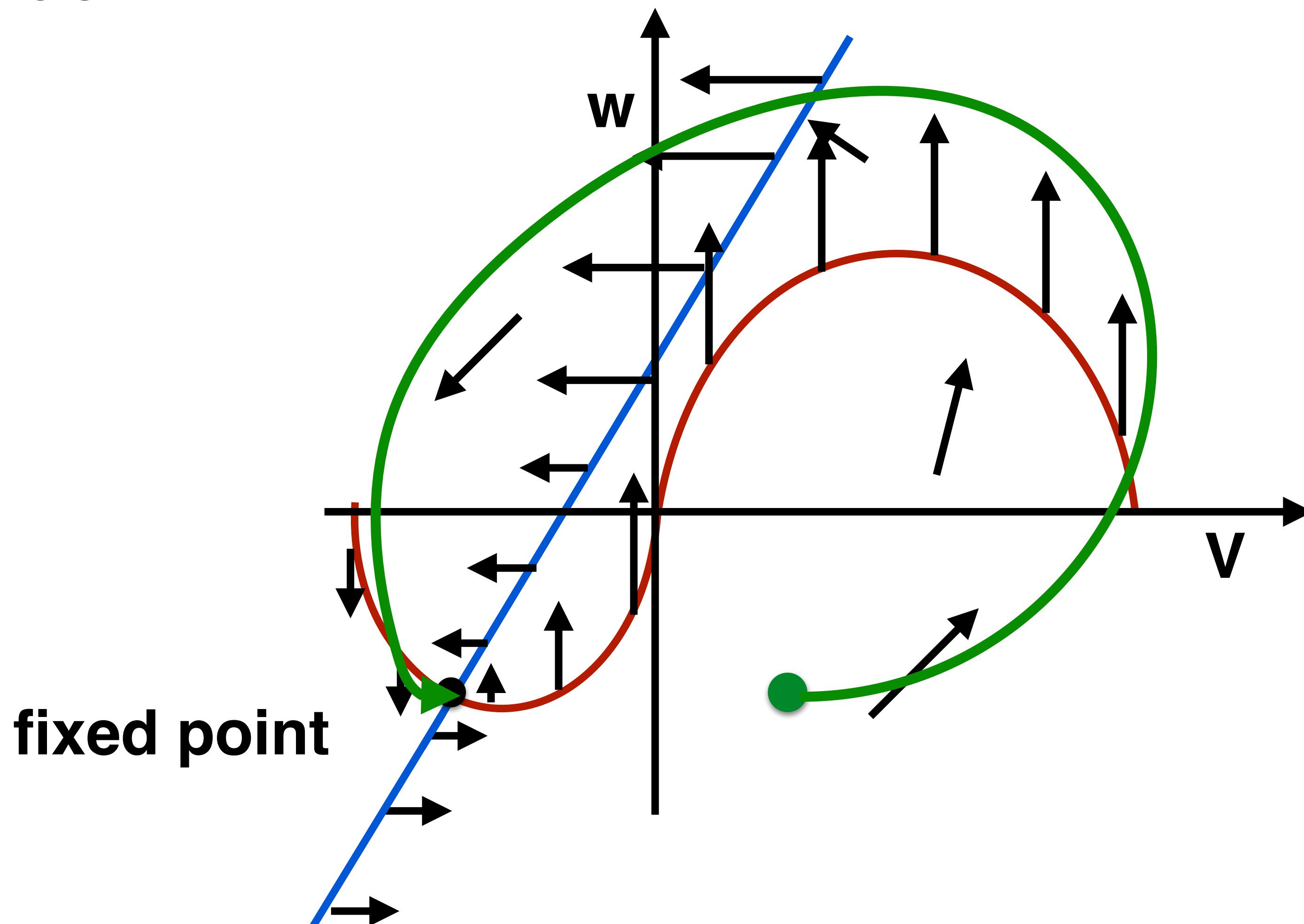
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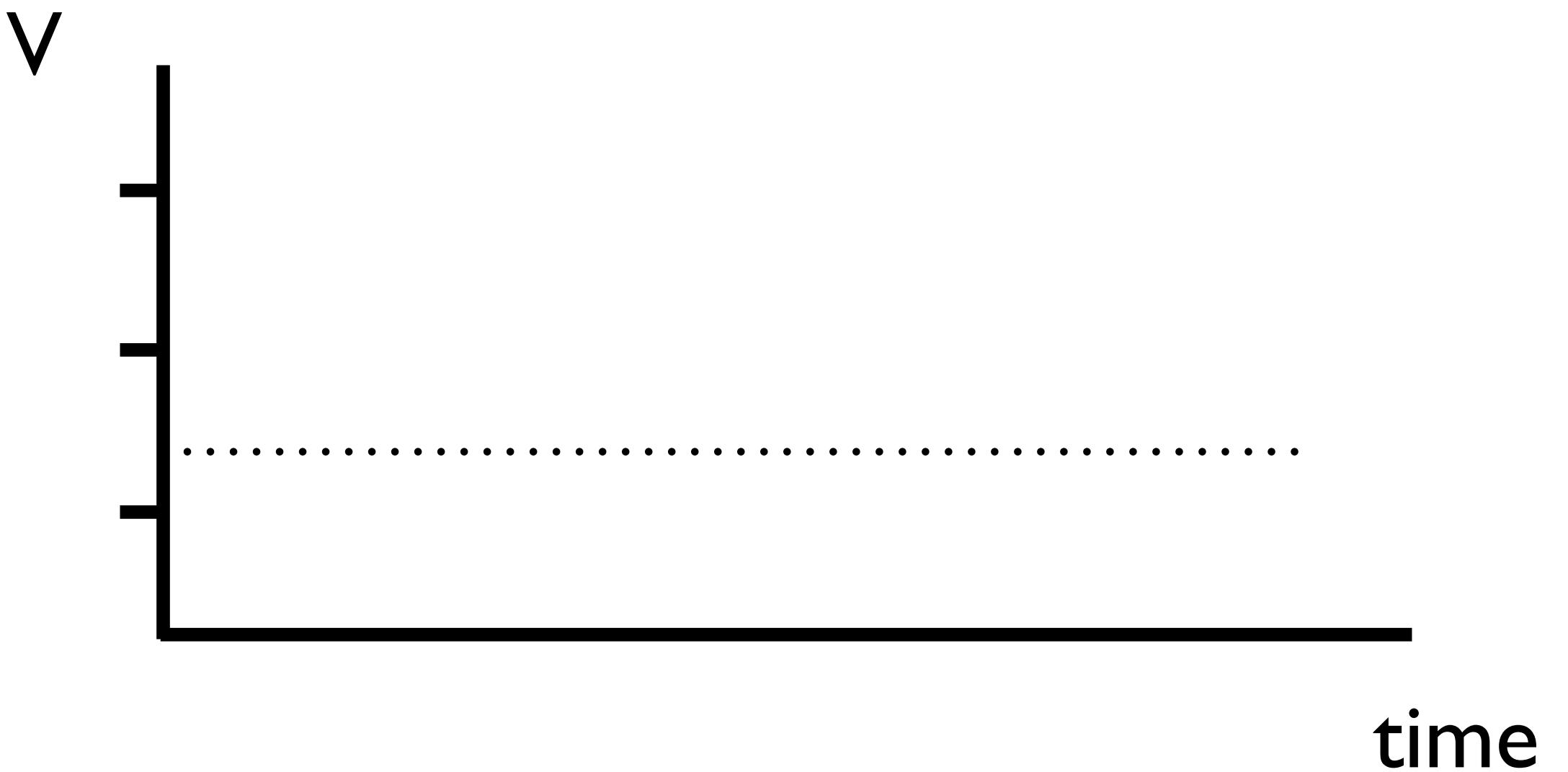
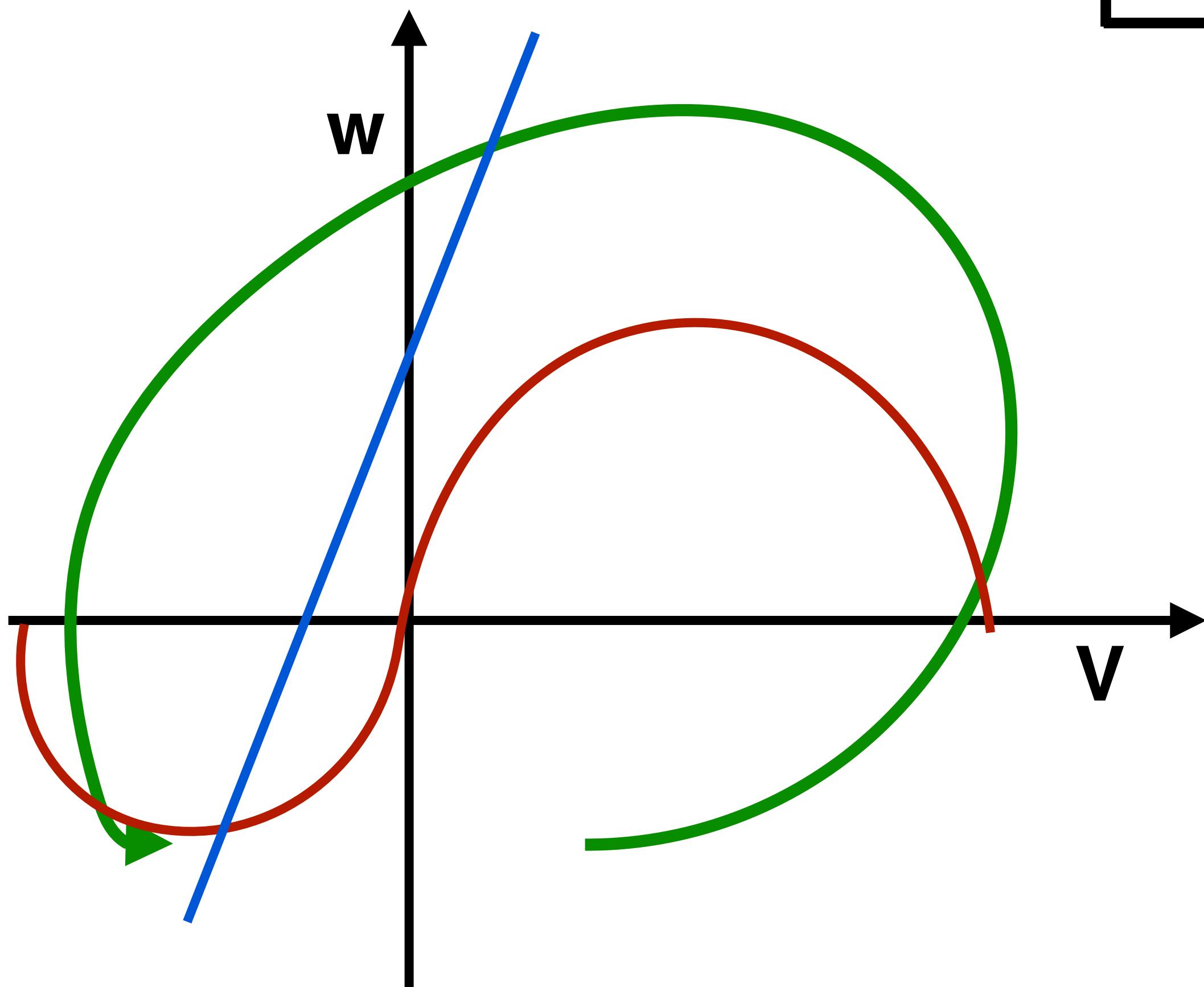
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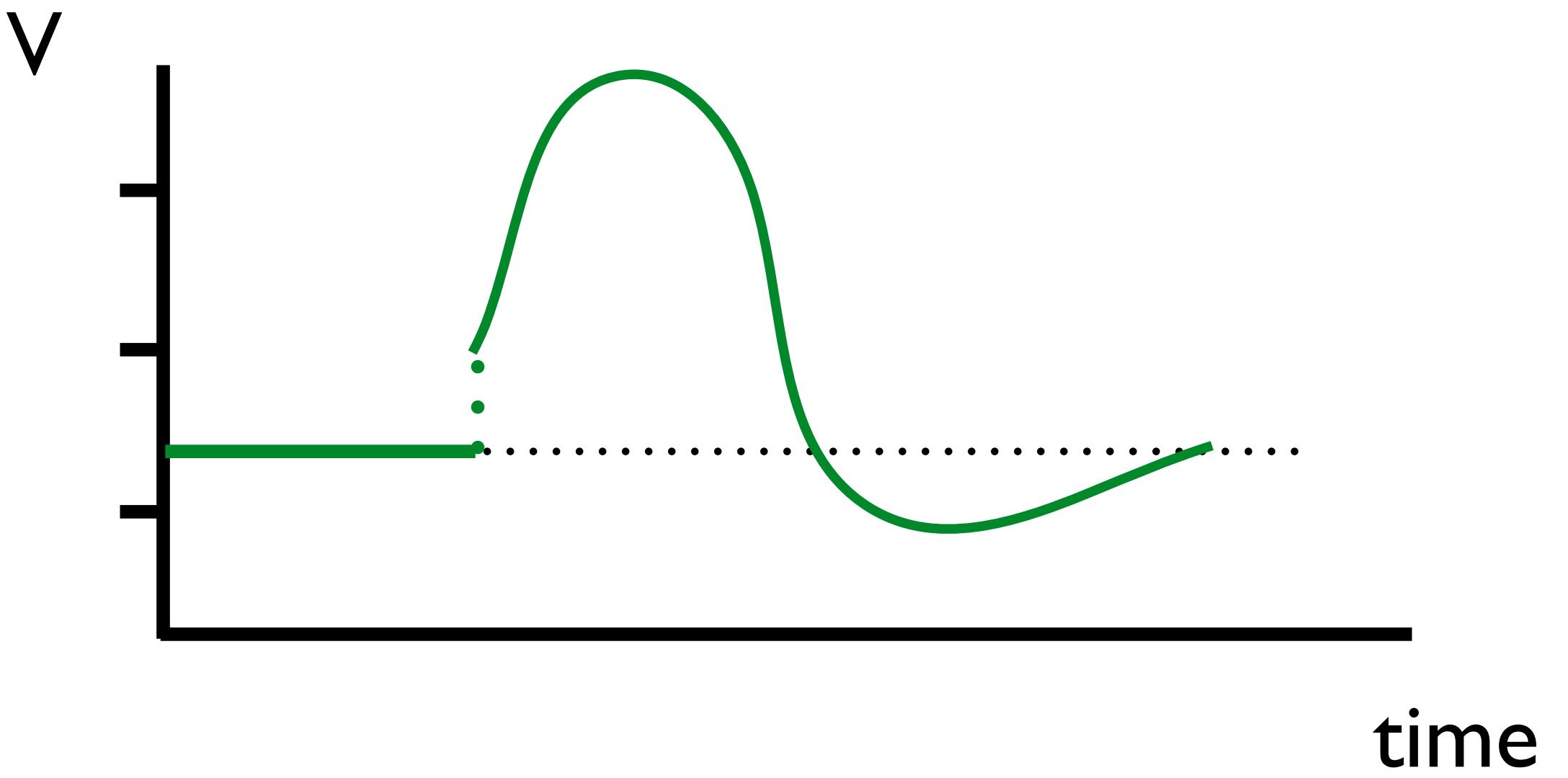
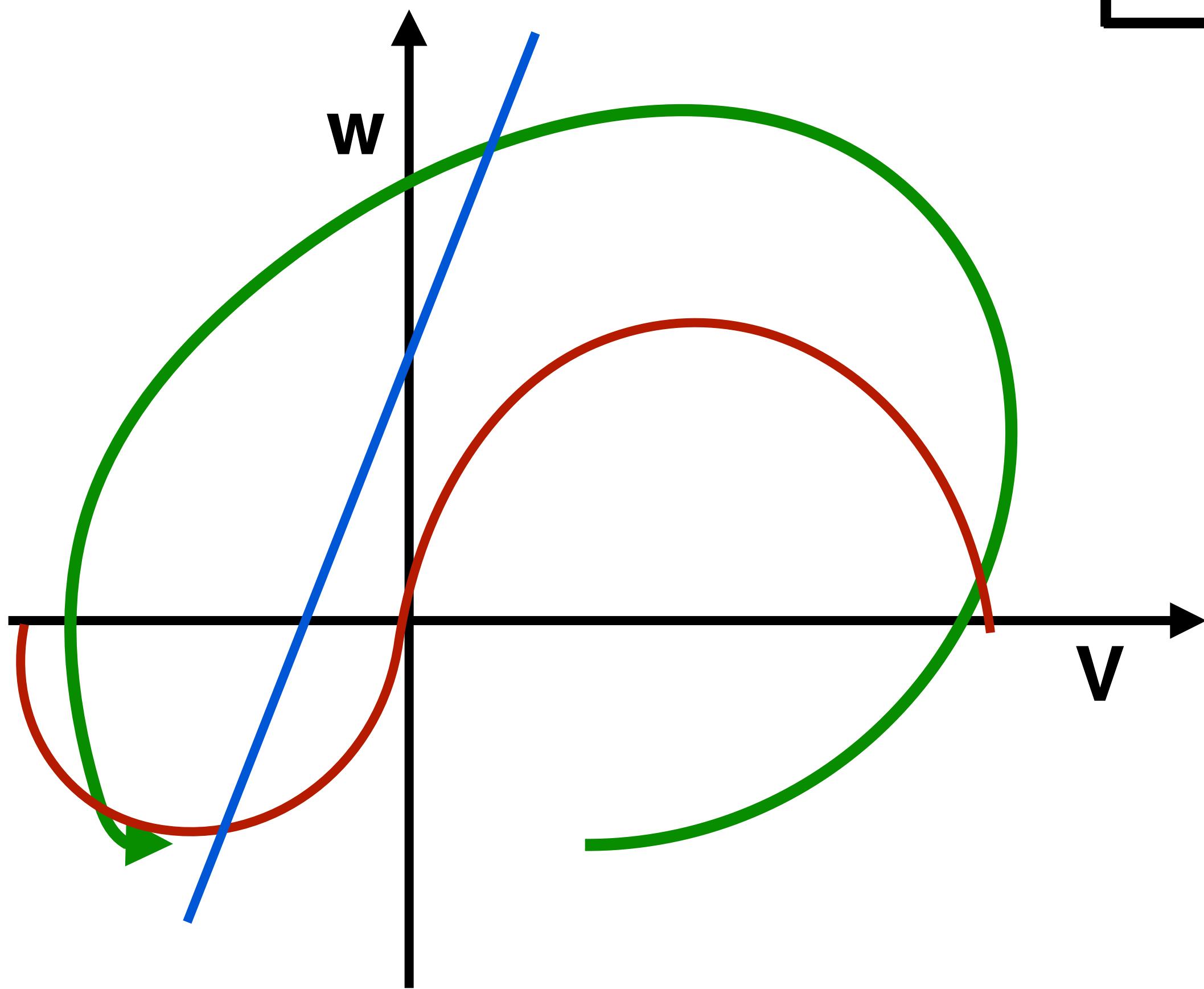
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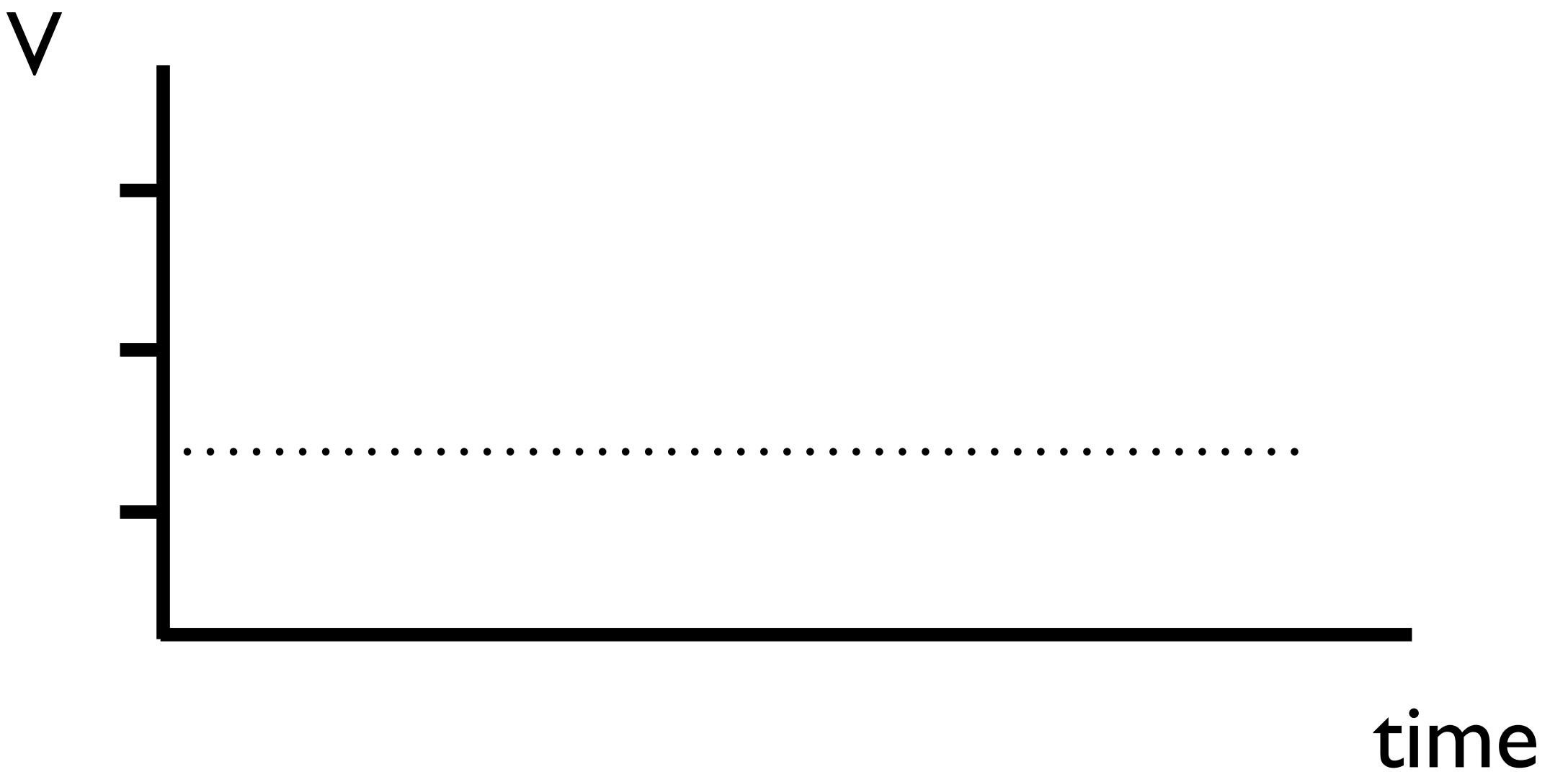
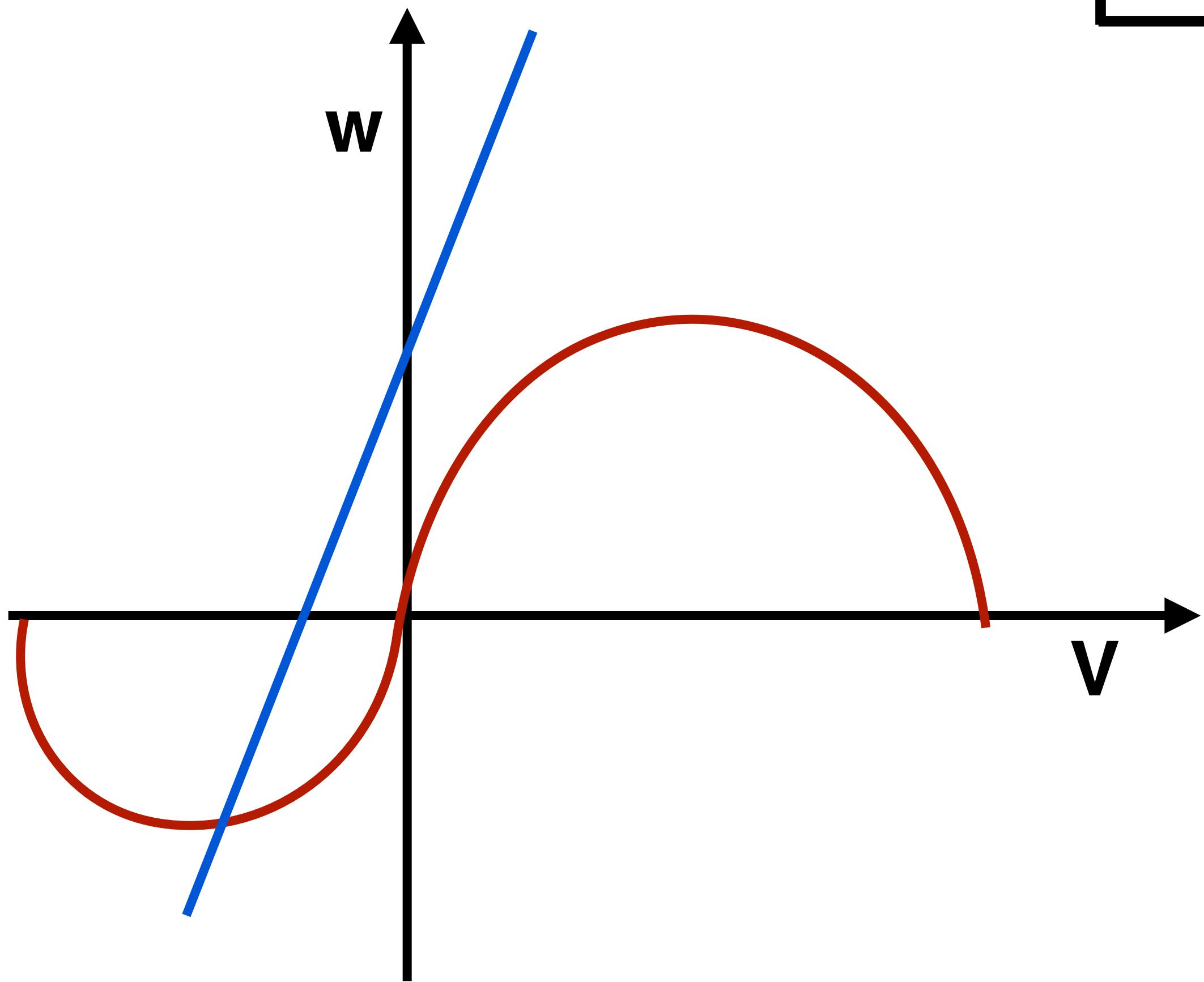
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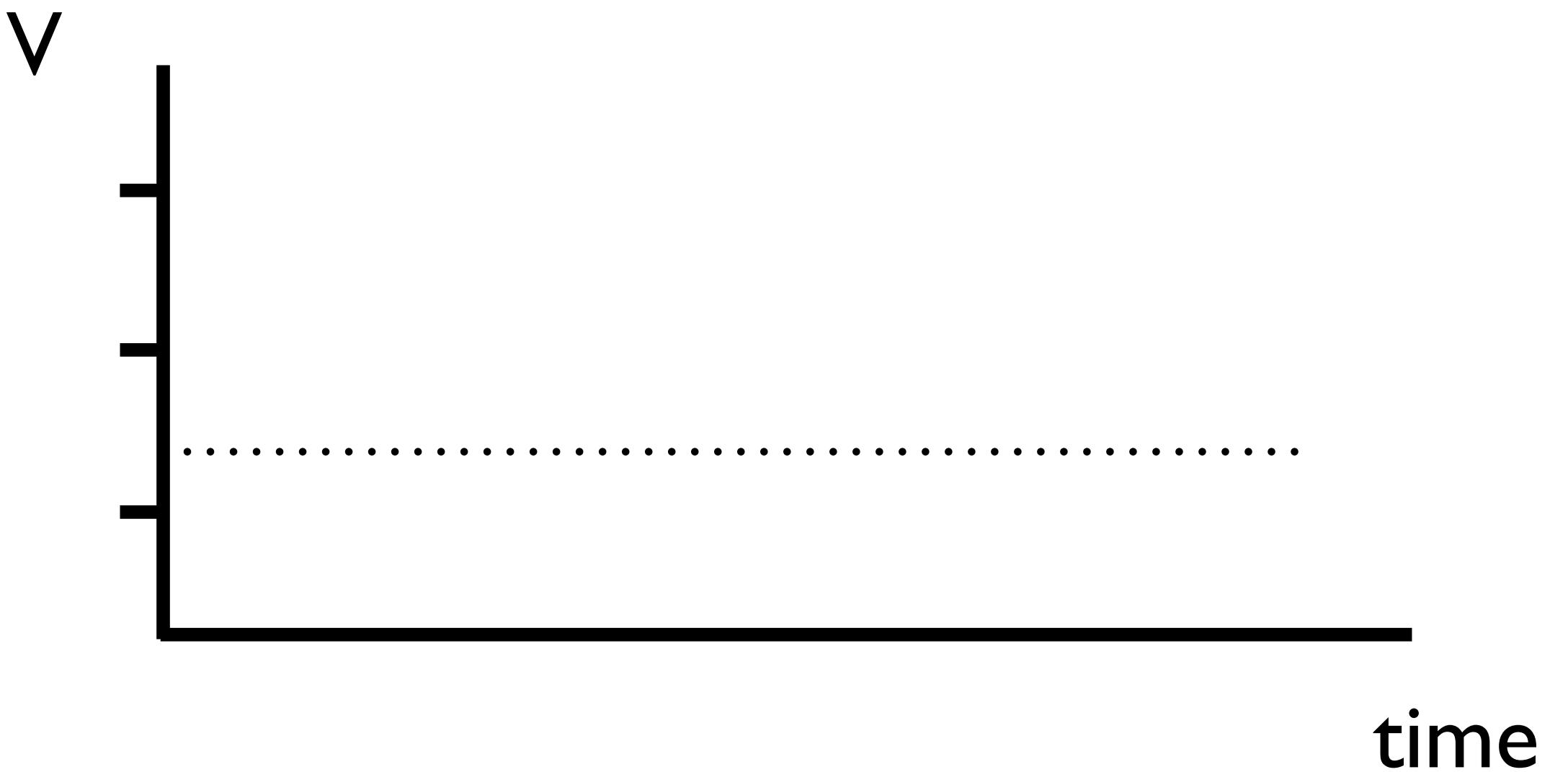
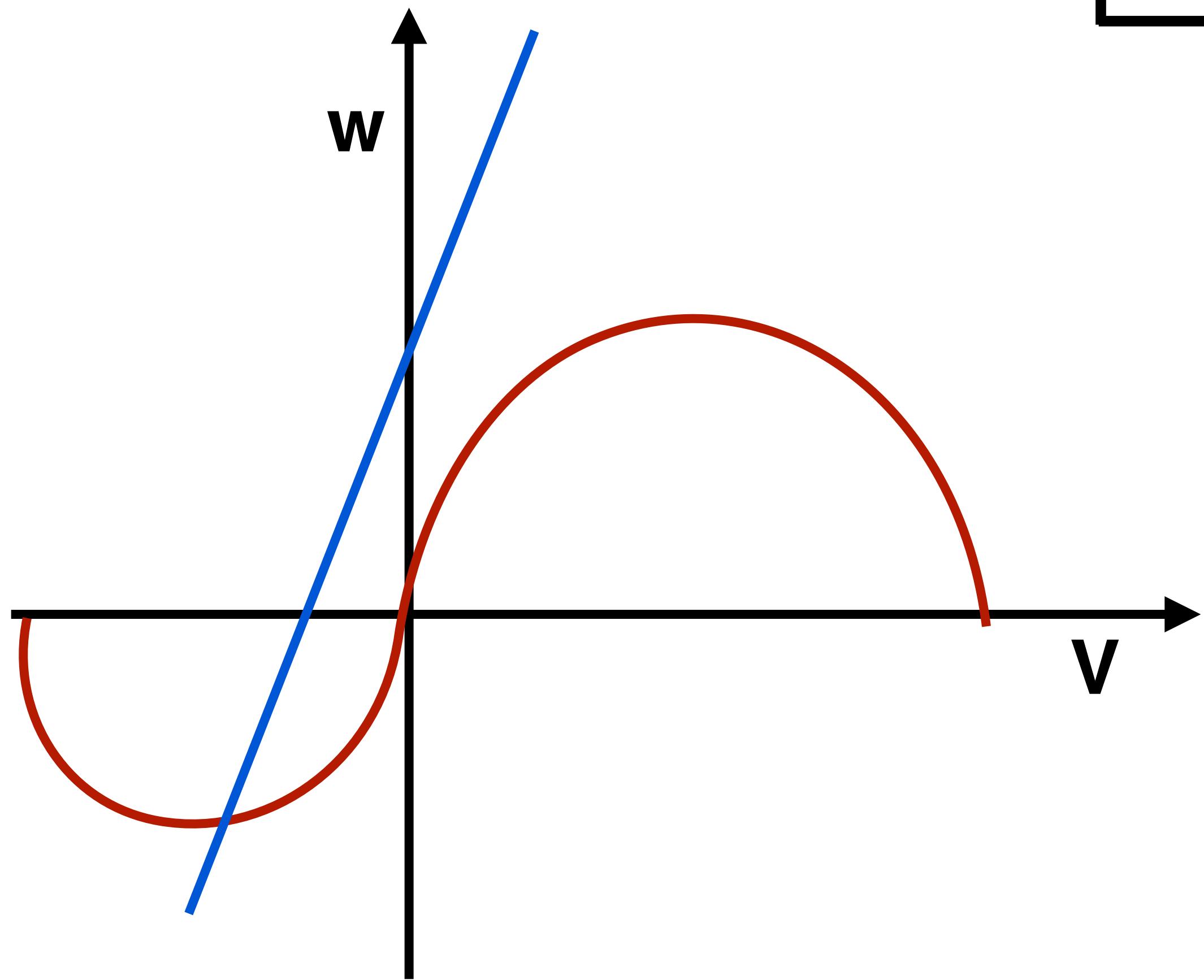
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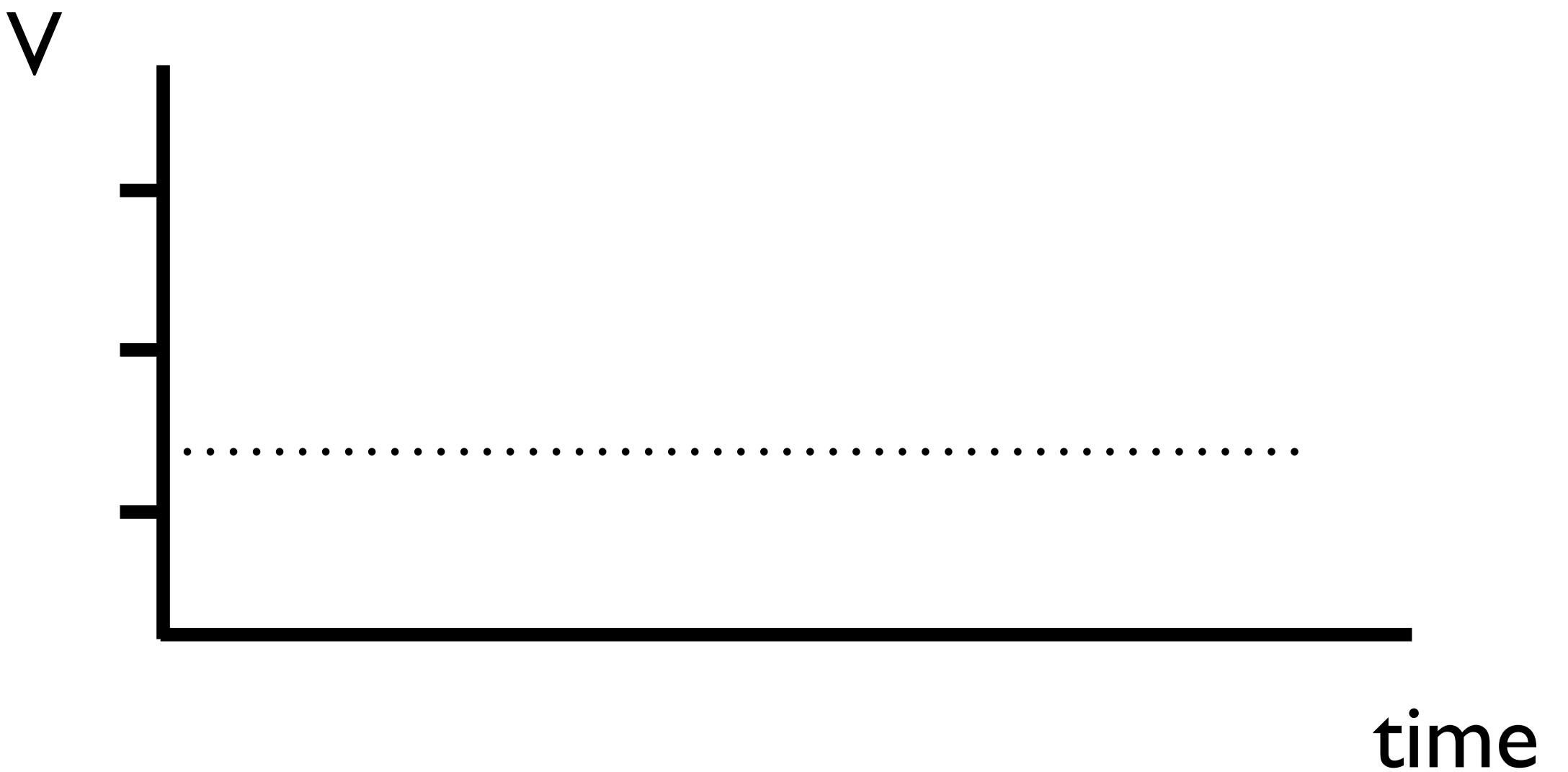
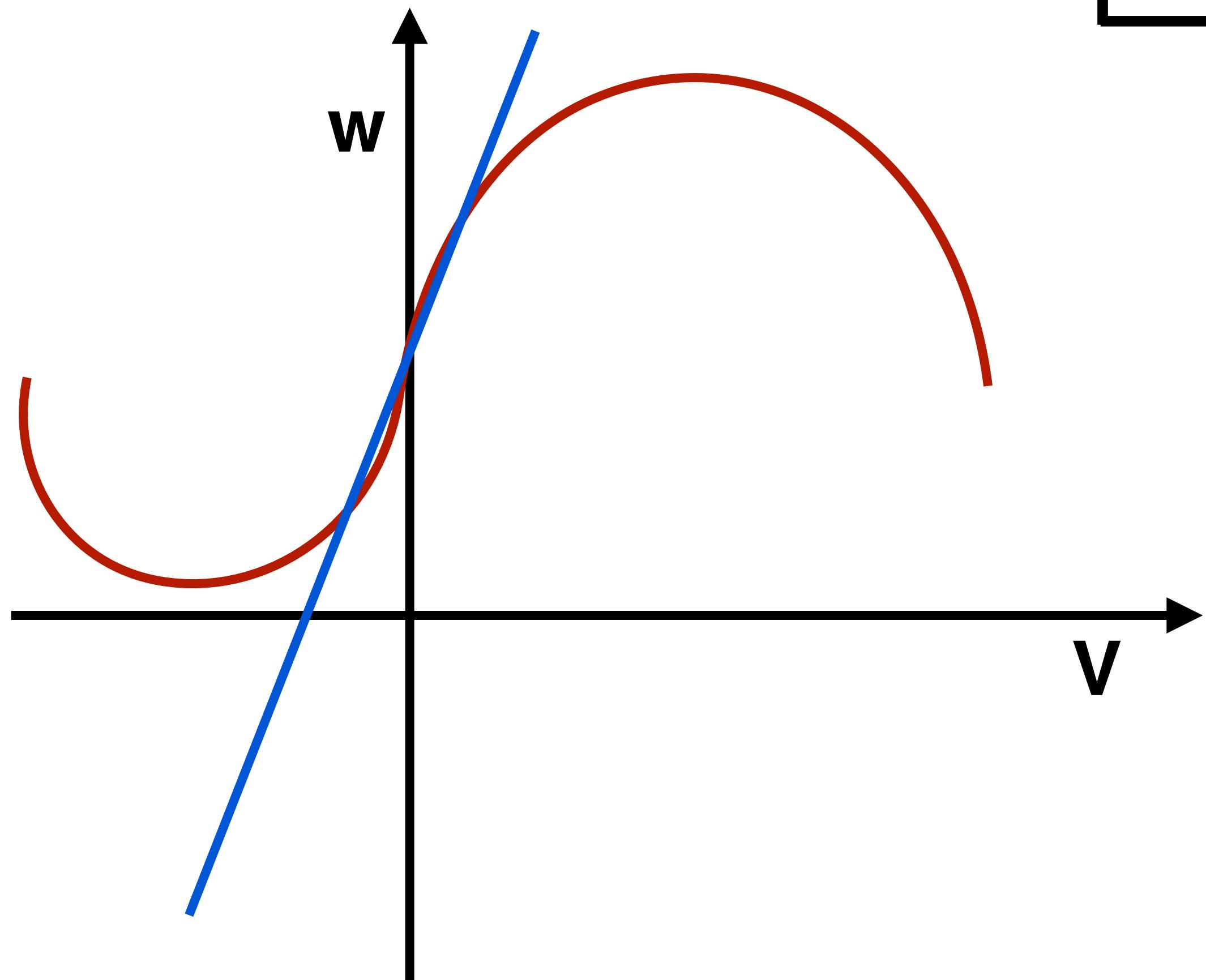
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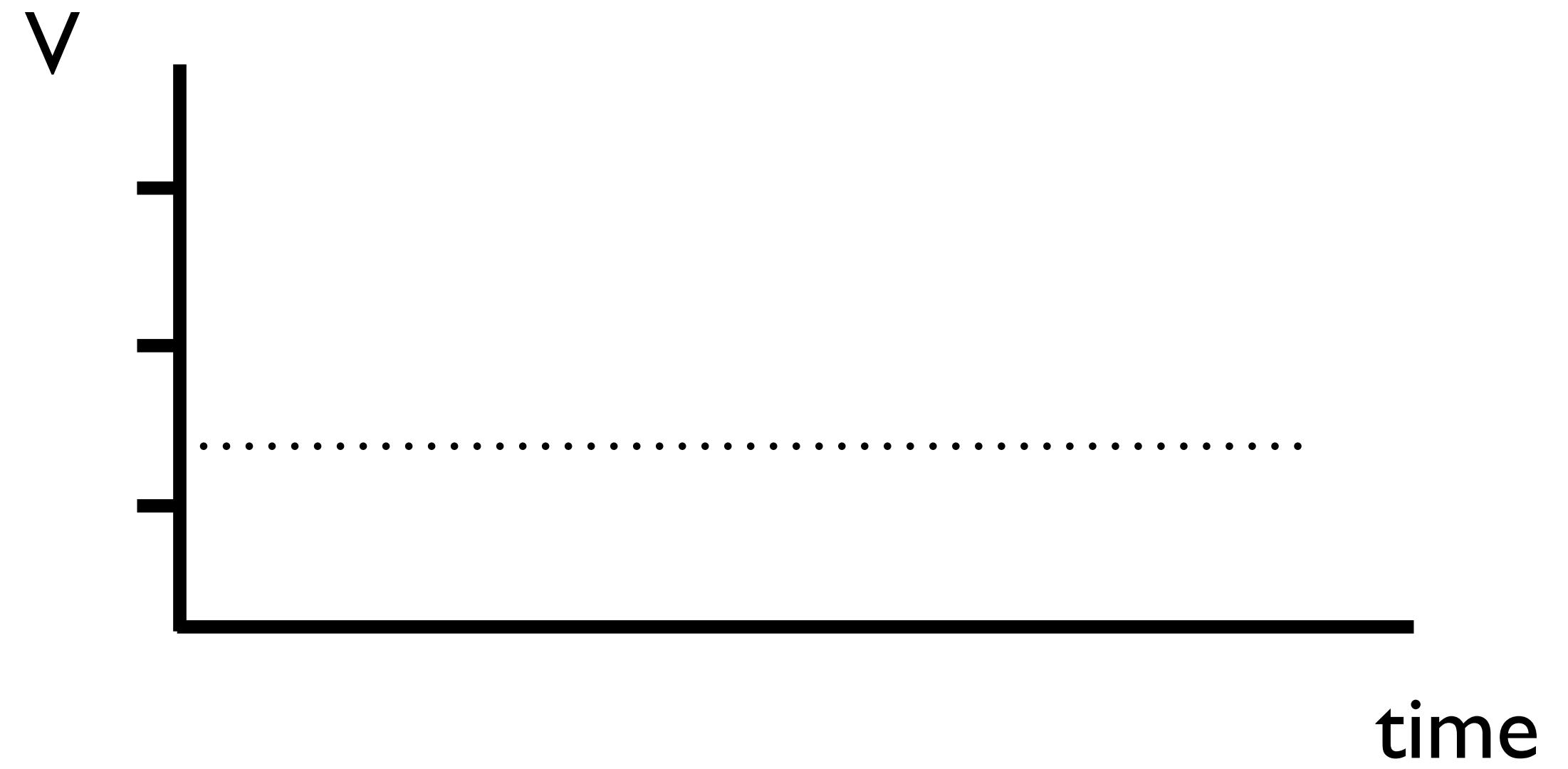
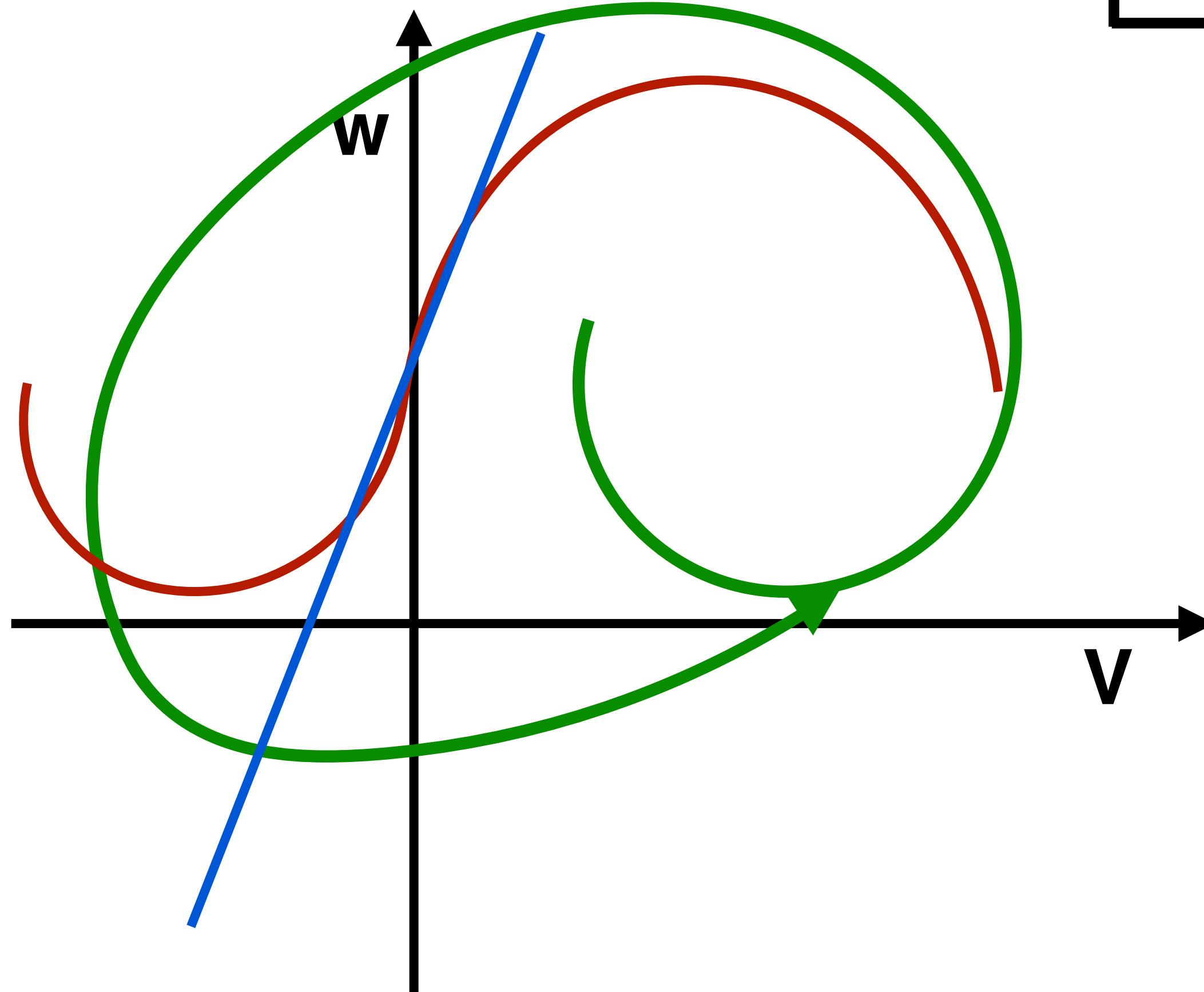
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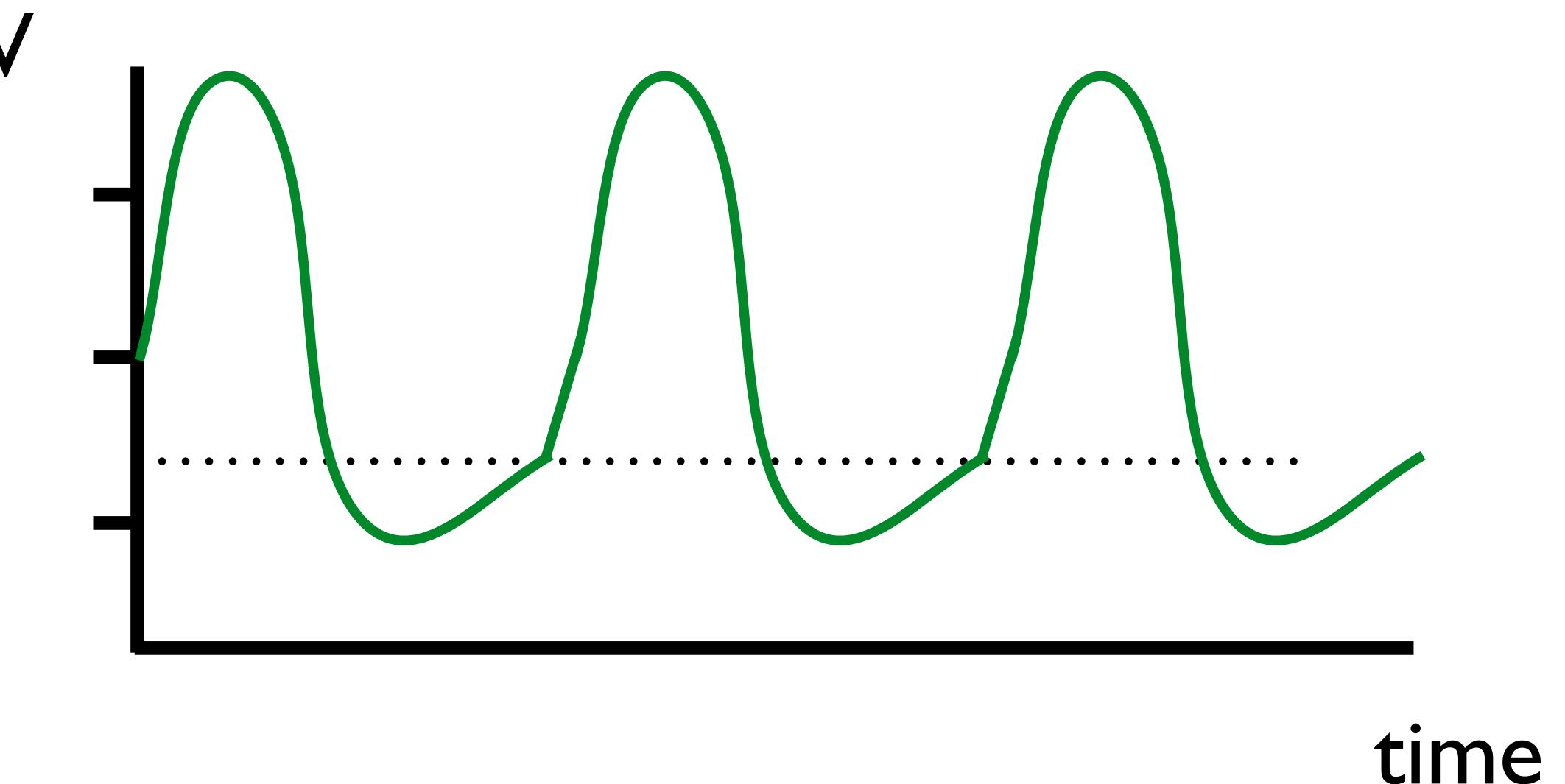
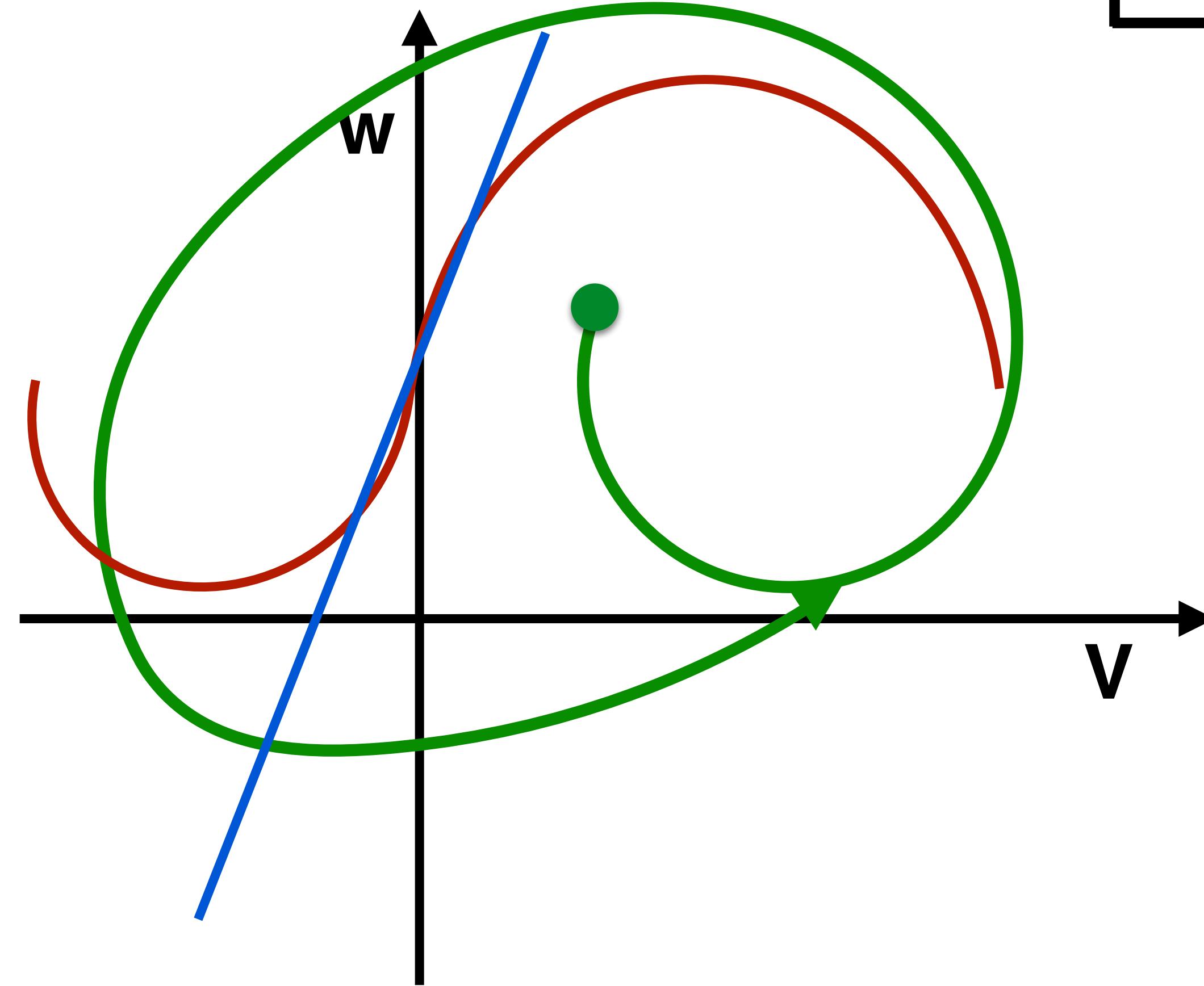
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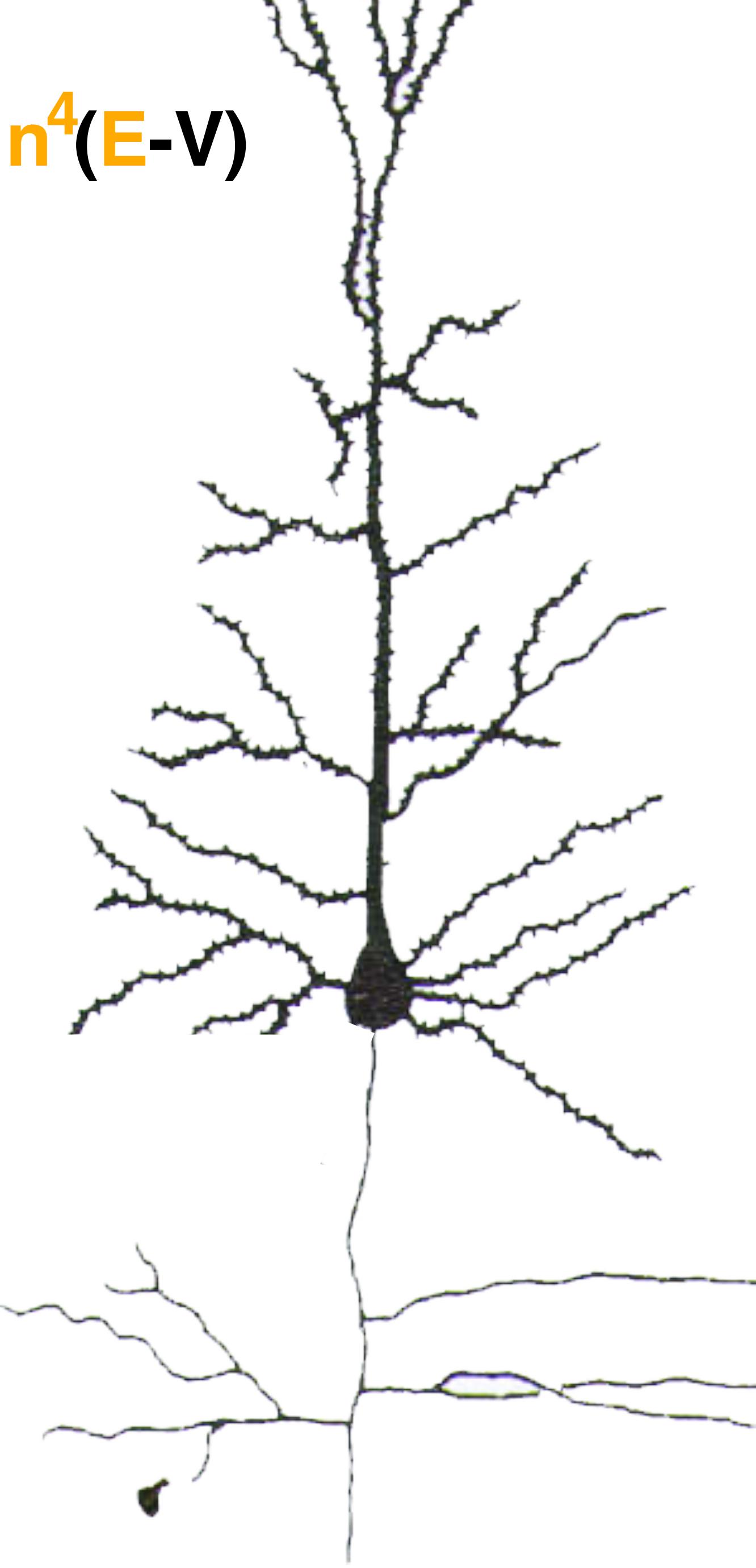
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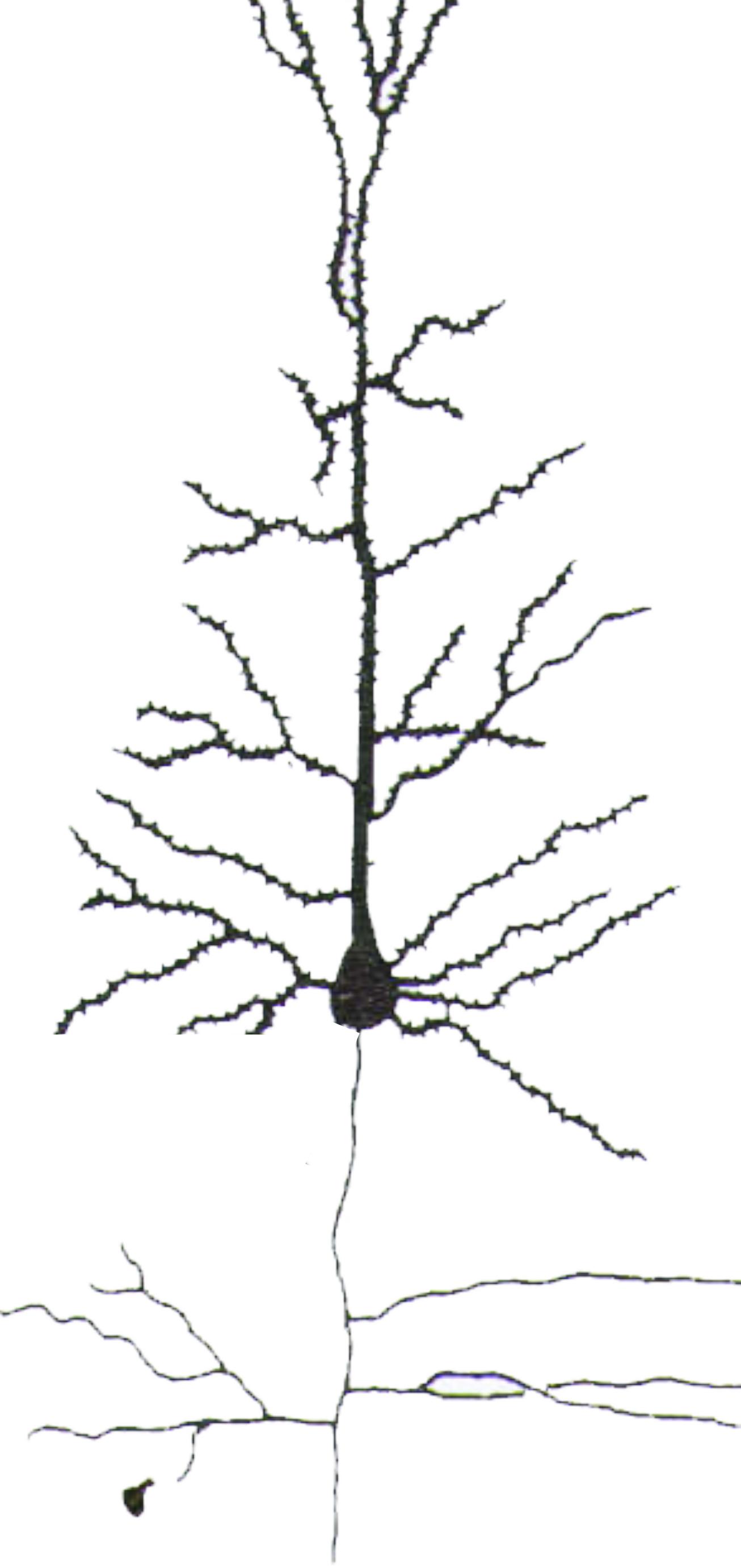


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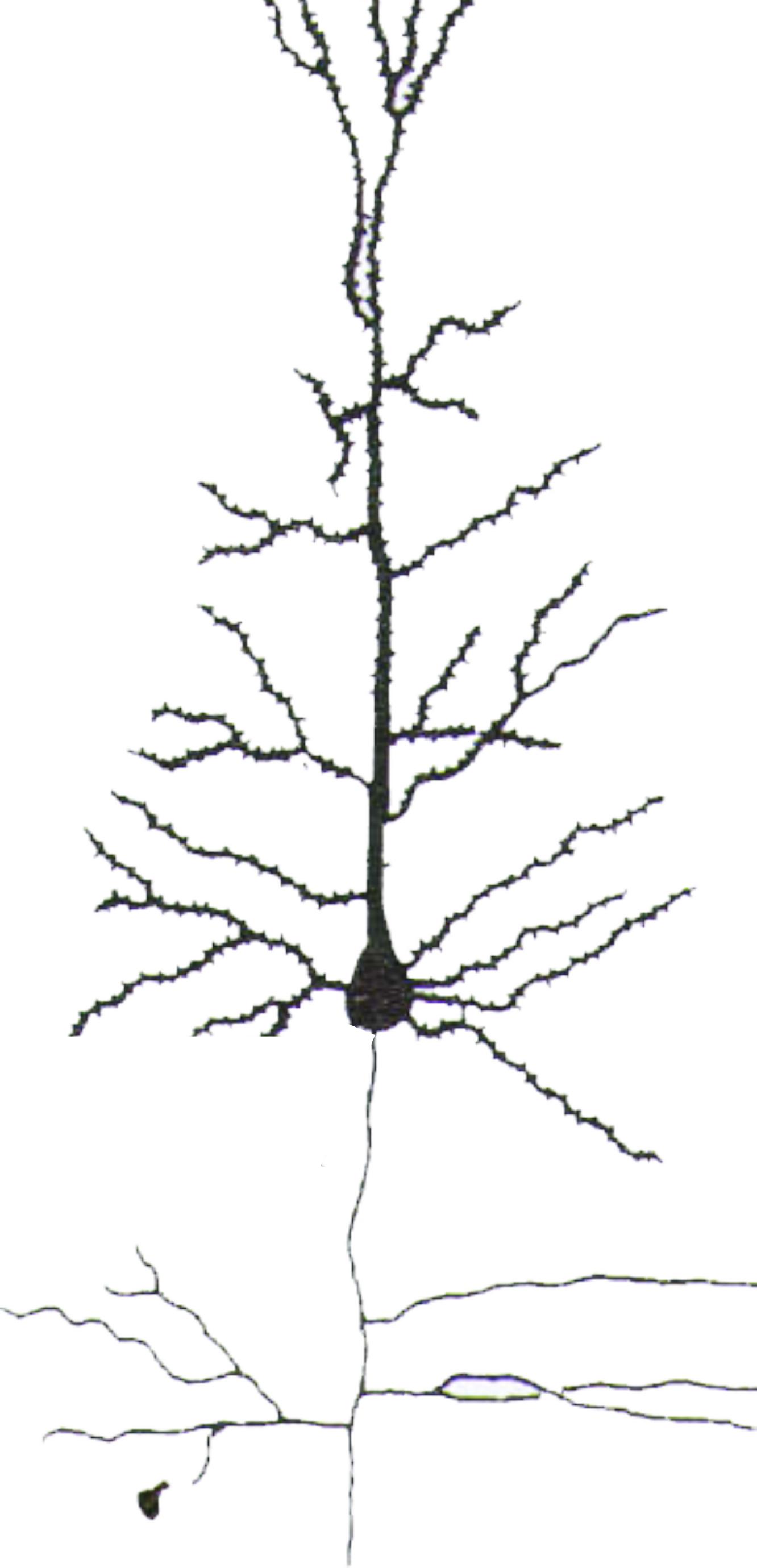
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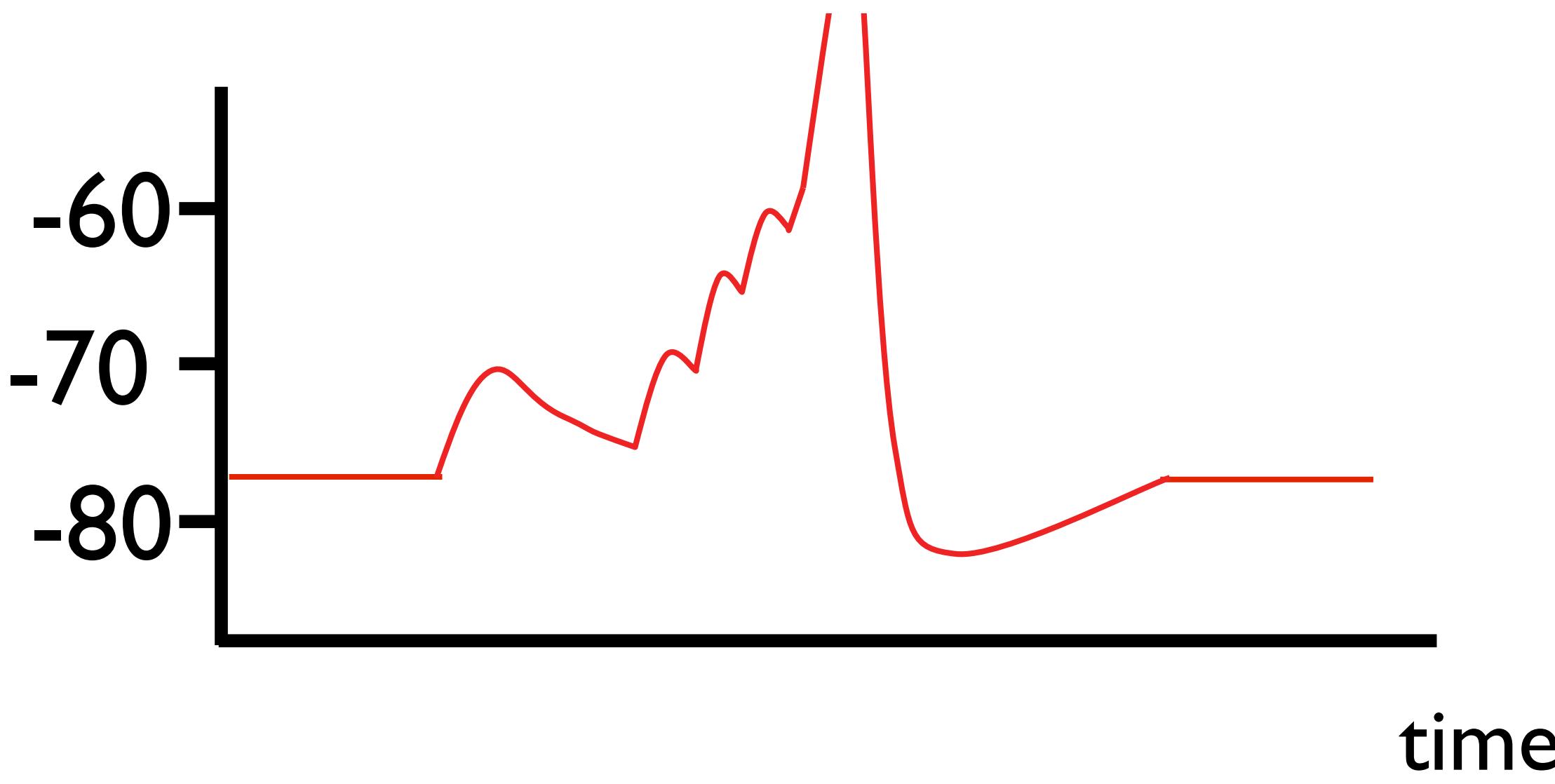
$$g_{\text{tot}} = g_{\text{leak}} + g_{\text{syn}}$$

$$E(\Delta t) = \frac{g_{\text{leak}} E_{\text{leak}} + g_{\text{syn}} E_{\text{syn}}}{g_{\text{tot}}}$$

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$$V(t+\Delta t) = E(\Delta t) + (V(t) - E(\Delta t)) e^{-\frac{\Delta t}{\tau(\Delta t)}}$$



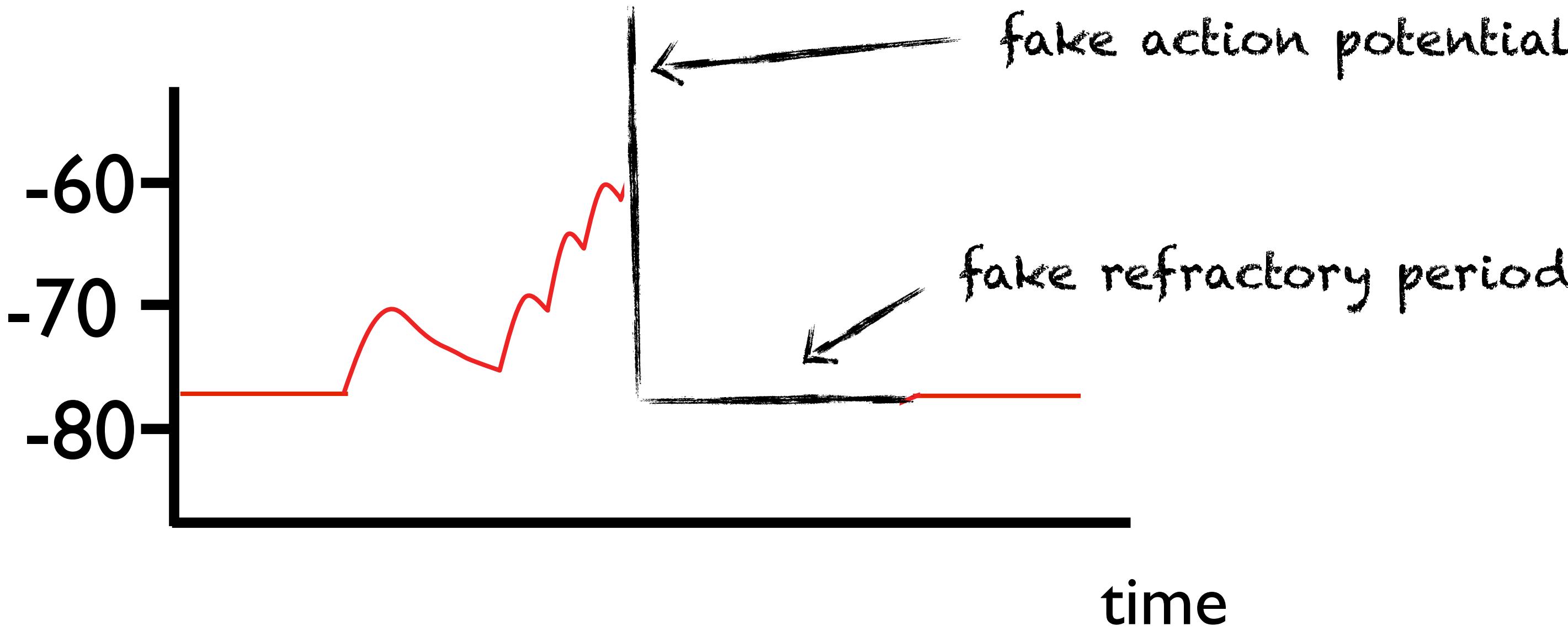


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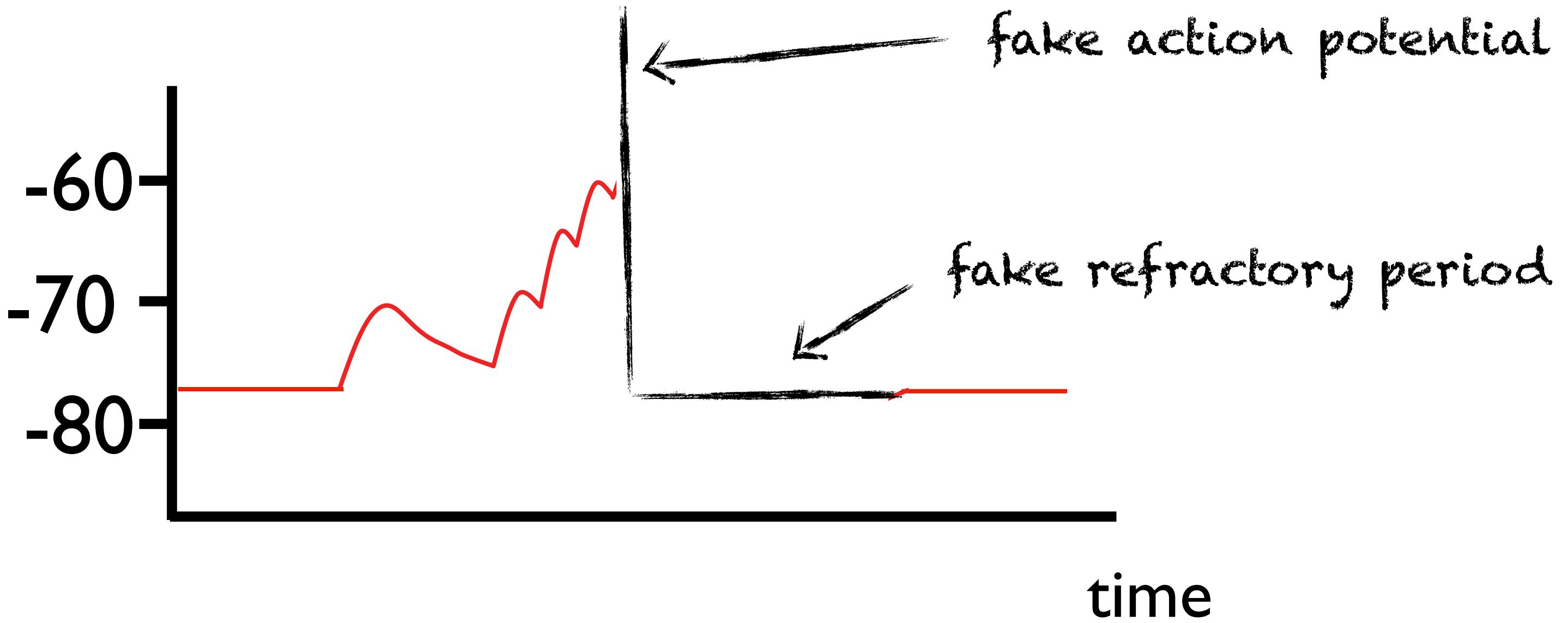


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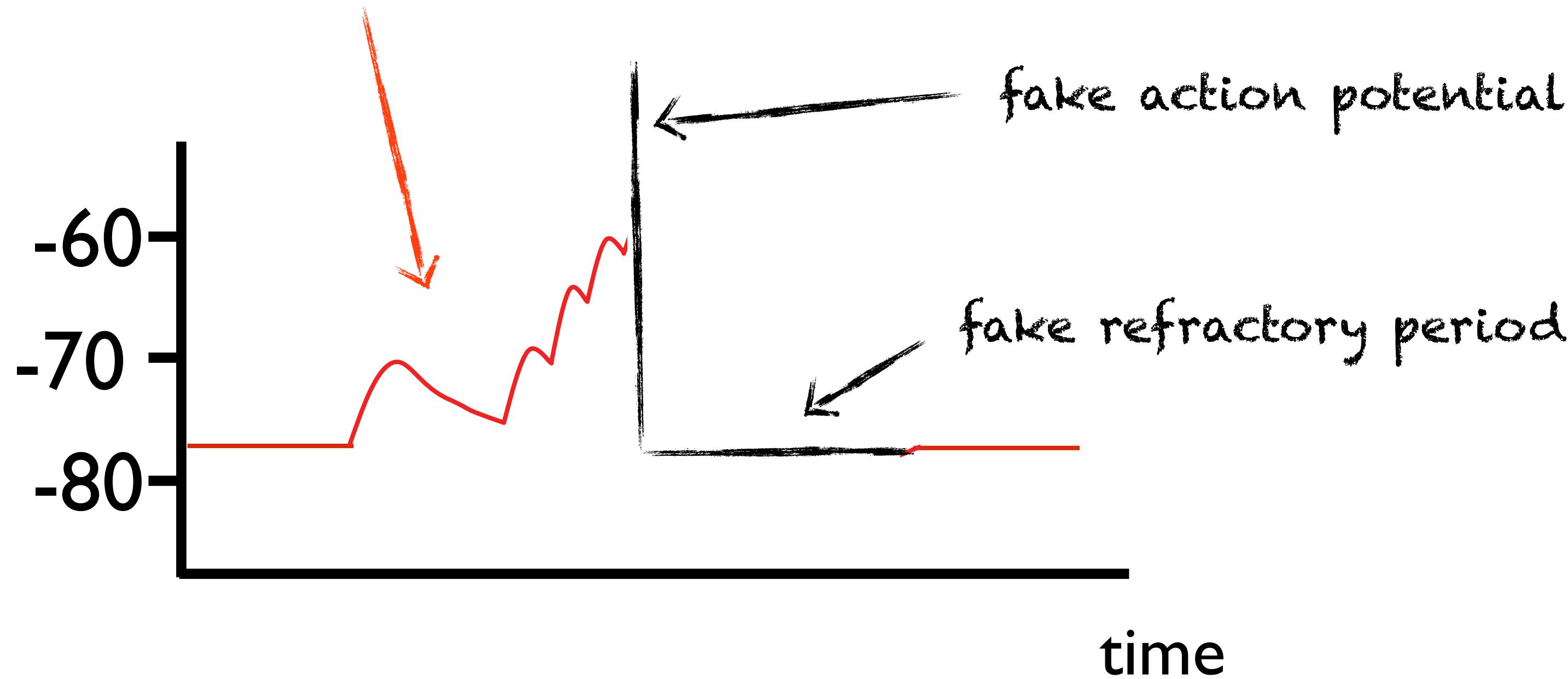
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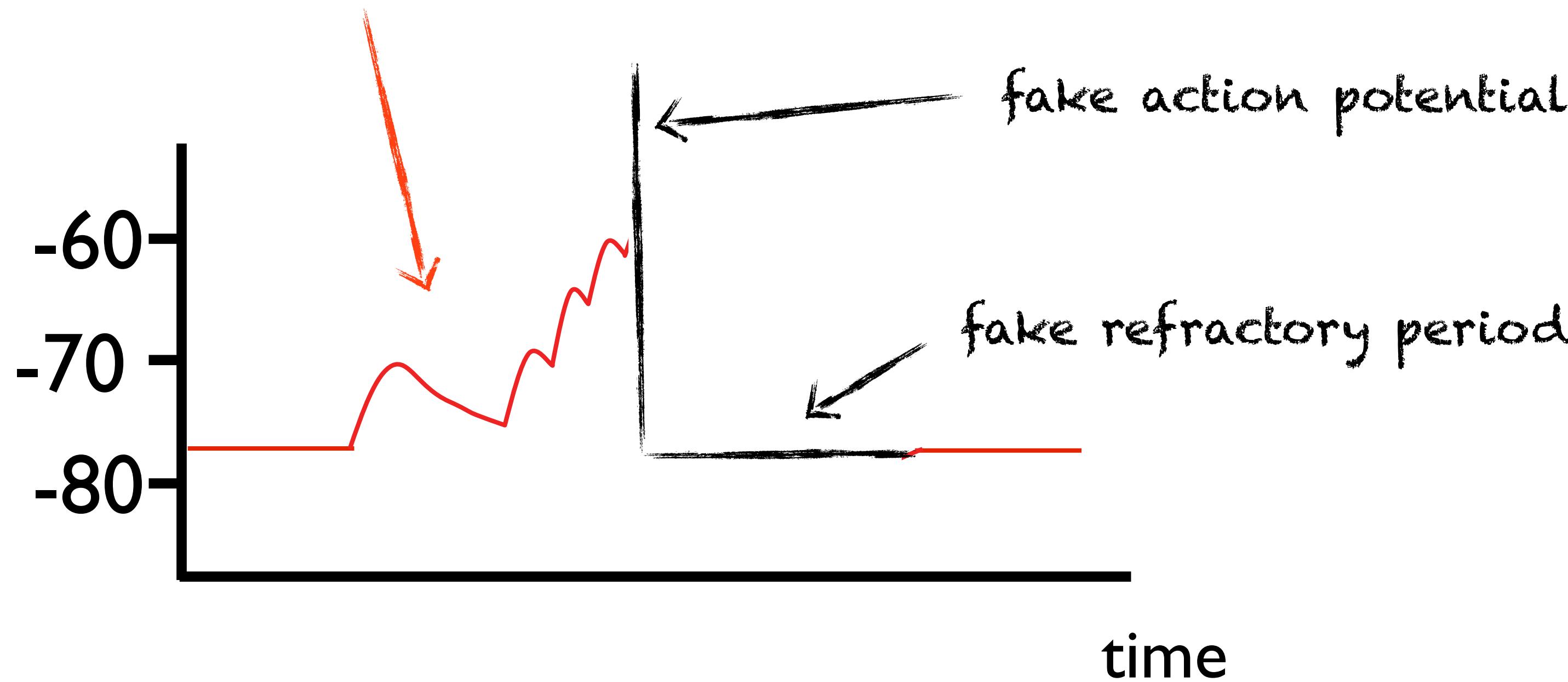
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Voilà,...

Integrate & fire!!

Lecture 2

1836 - The brain runs on **neurons** (Gabriel Gustav Valentin)

1786, 1868, 1926 - **Neurons** run on action potentials
(Luigi Galvani, Julius Bernstein Lord Adrian)

1887,1943 - Neurons have a the resting state
(Nernst, Goldman Hodgkin Katz)

In 1926 Lord Adrian & Charles Sherrington recorded the first spikes

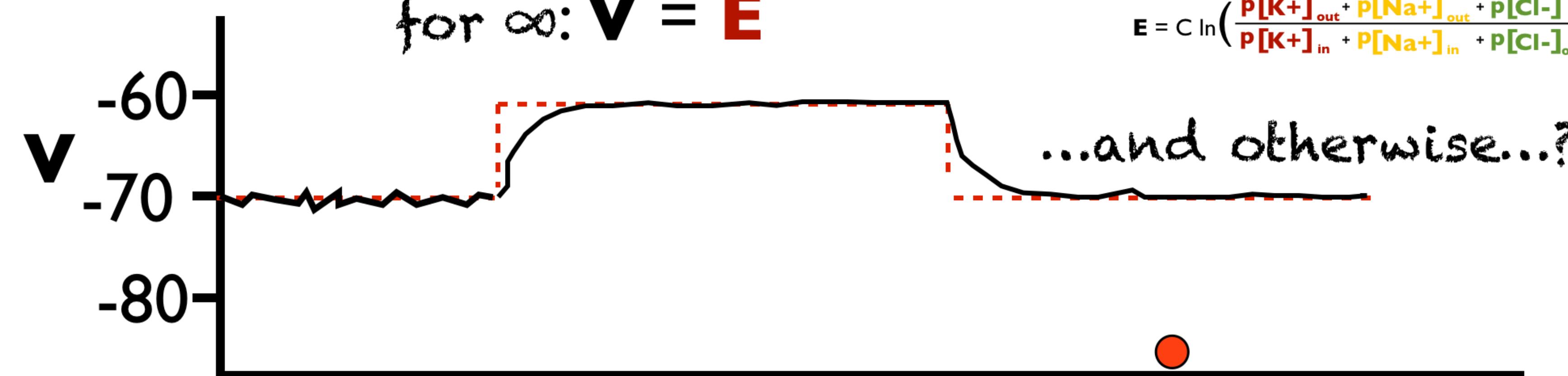
1952 APs are powered by ion channels (Hodgkin Huxley,1952)

We understand the neuron → We understand NOTHING.
Neuroscience explodes

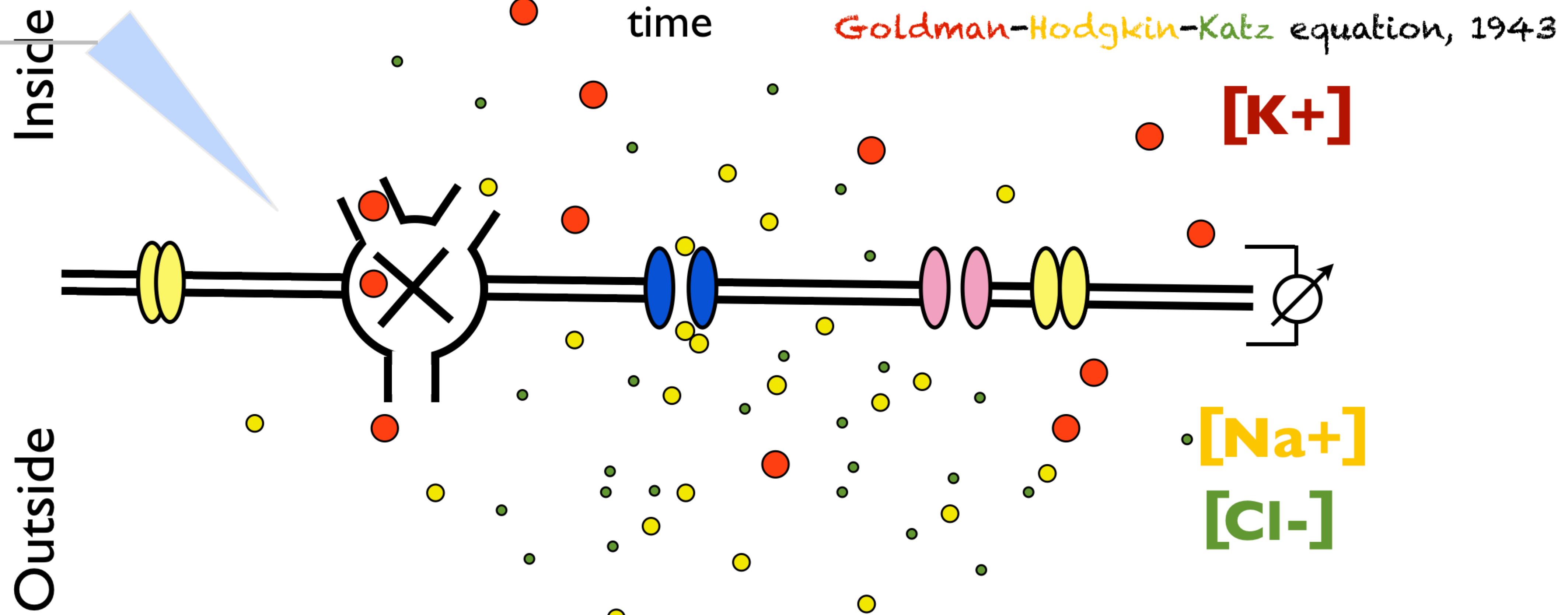
FitzHugh–Nagumo simplify the beast
we find it's not enough and go (back) to **I&F** (1907 LaPique)
wait for computers to become powerful enough

for ∞ : $V = E$

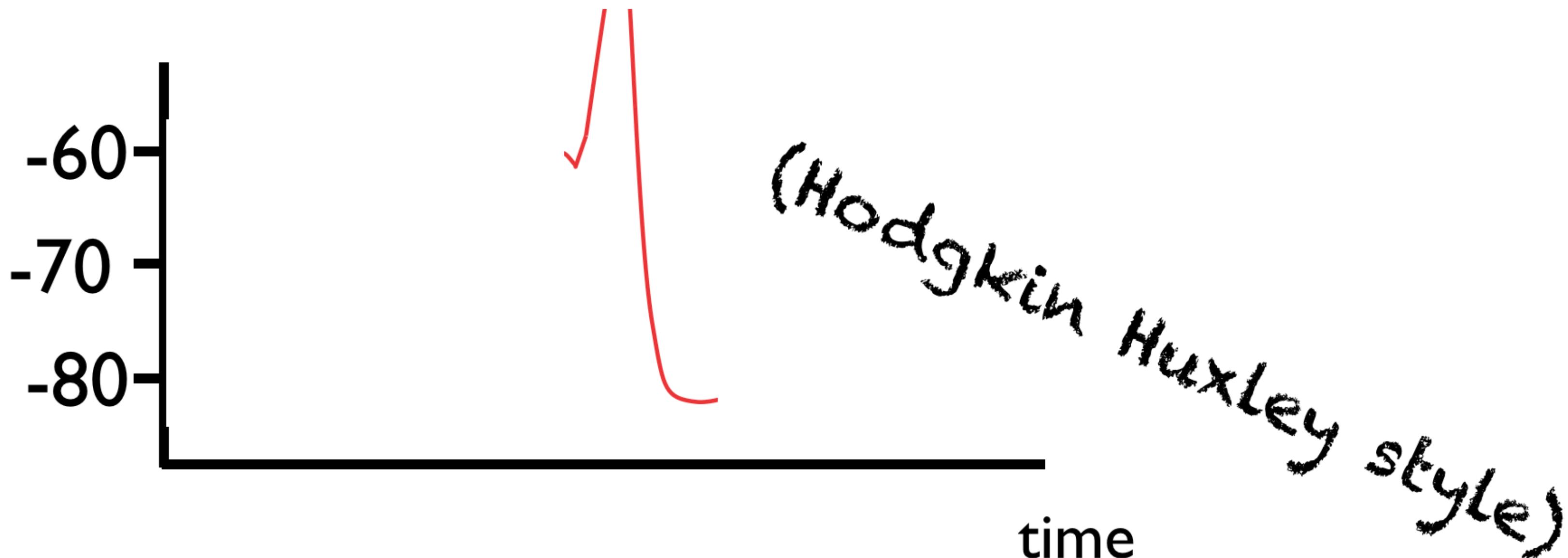
$$E = C \ln \left(\frac{P[K^+]_{out} + P[Na^+]_{out} + P[Cl^-]_{in}}{P[K^+]_{in} + P[Na^+]_{in} + P[Cl^-]_{out}} \right) + \frac{P[K^+]_{out} + P[Na^+]_{out}}{P[K^+]_{in} + P[Na^+]_{in}}$$



...and otherwise...?



This is the "fire" part!



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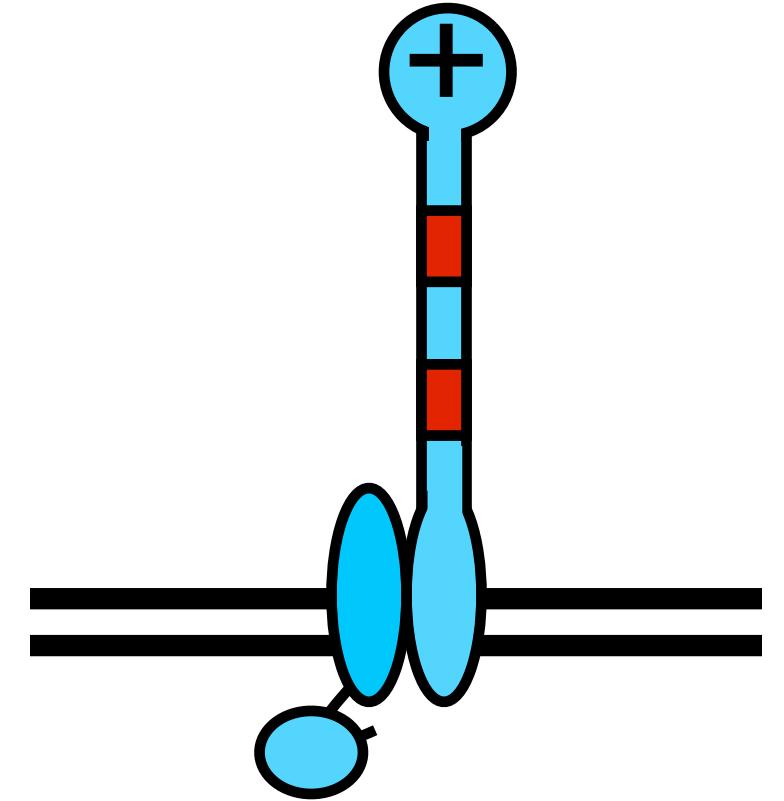
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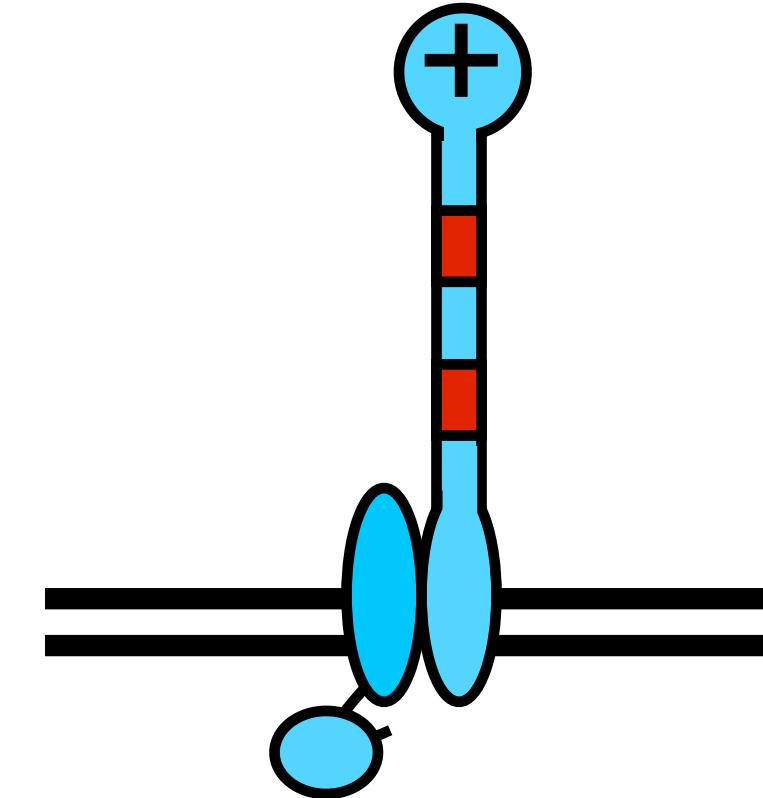
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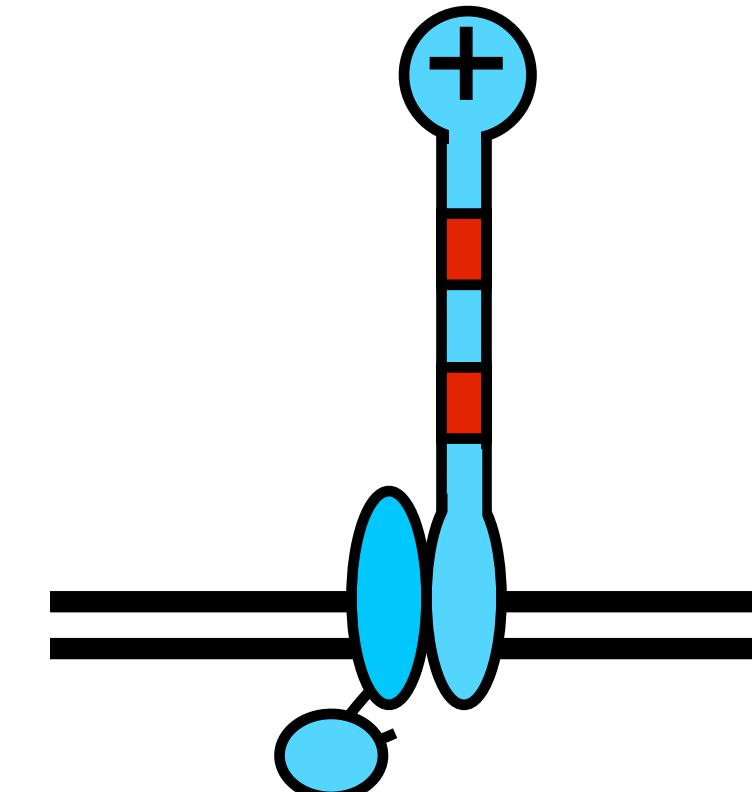
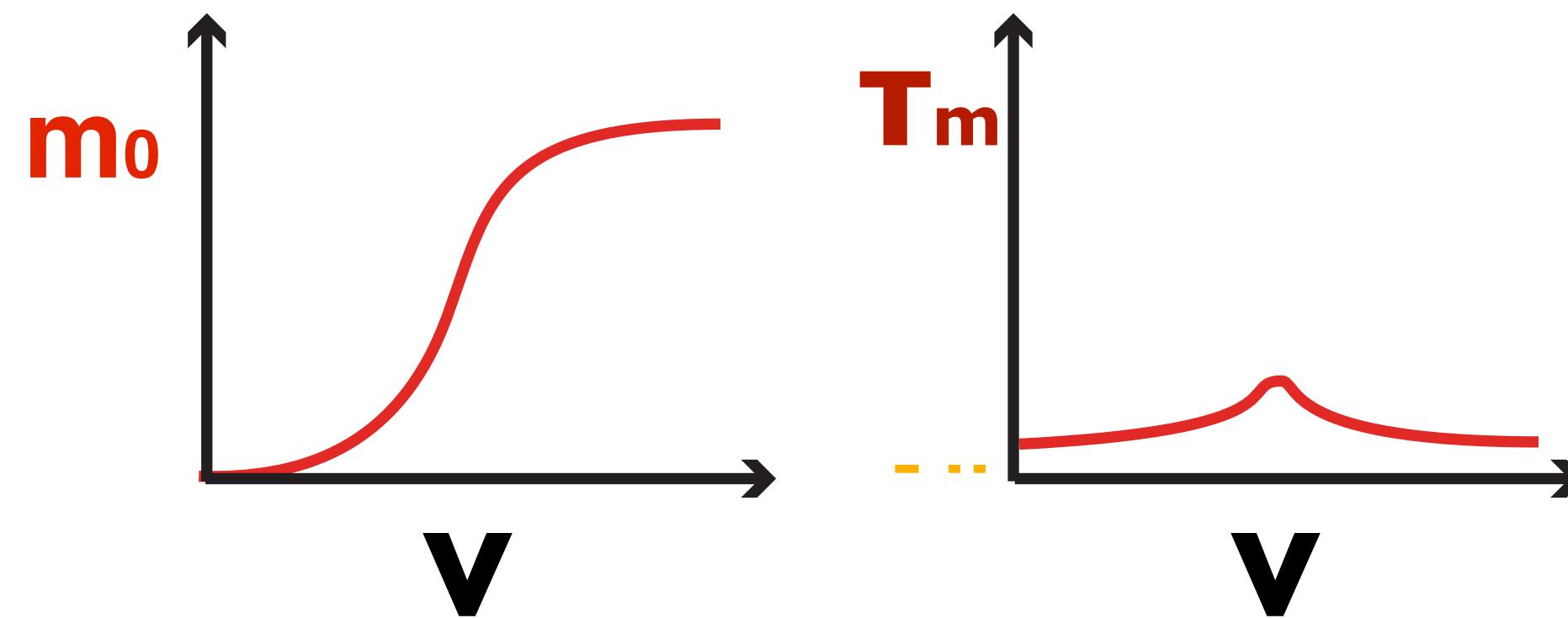
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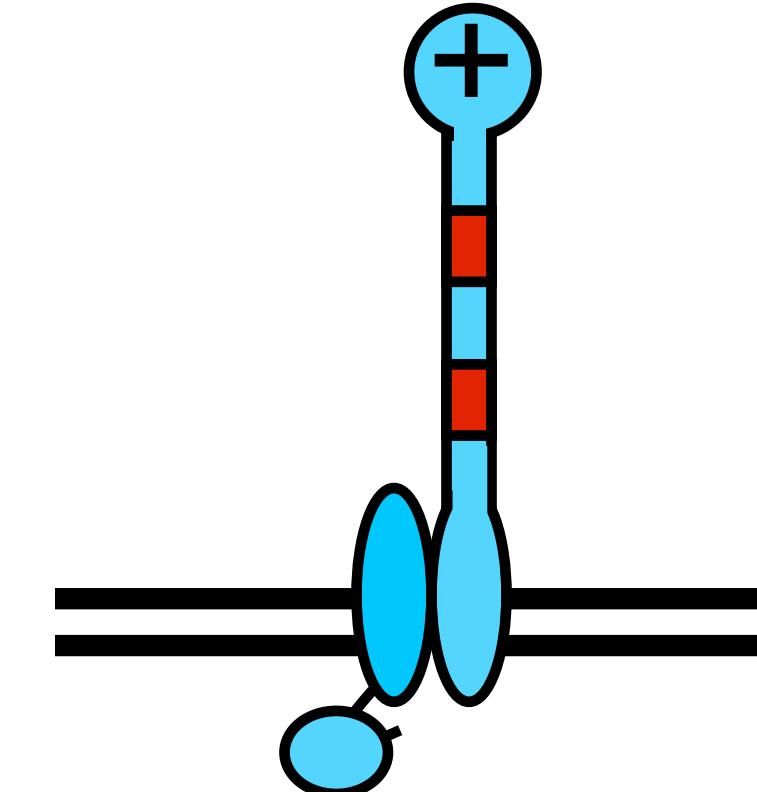
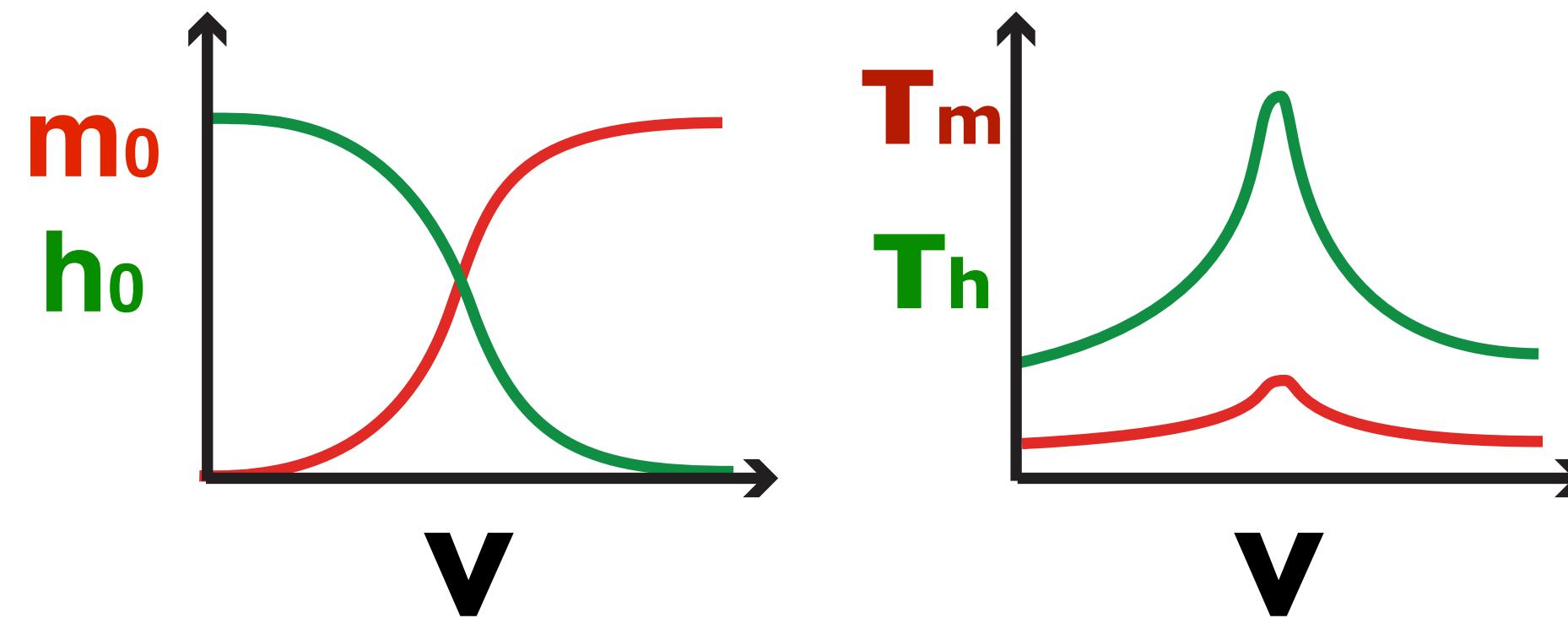
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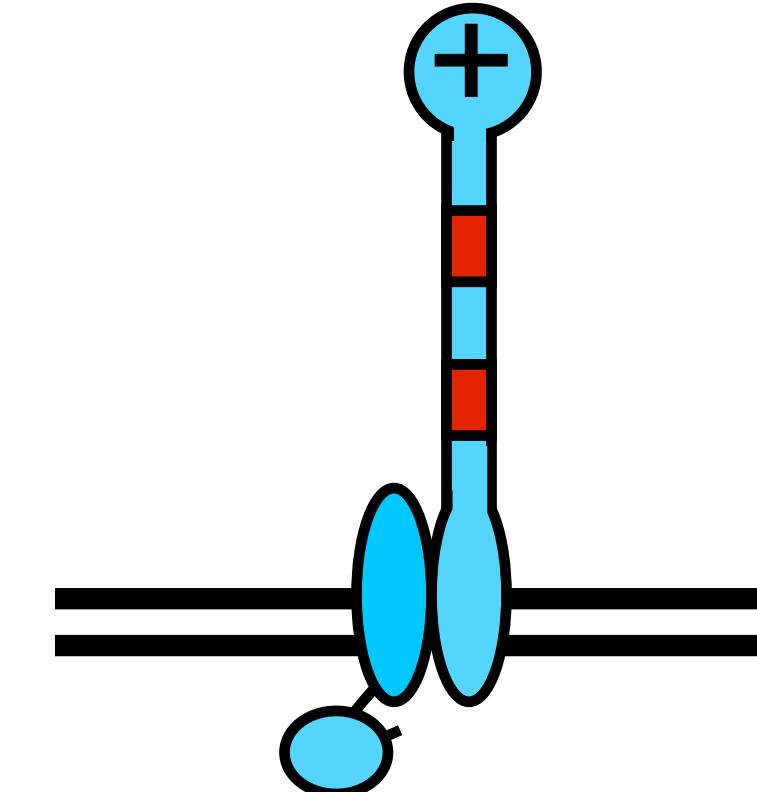
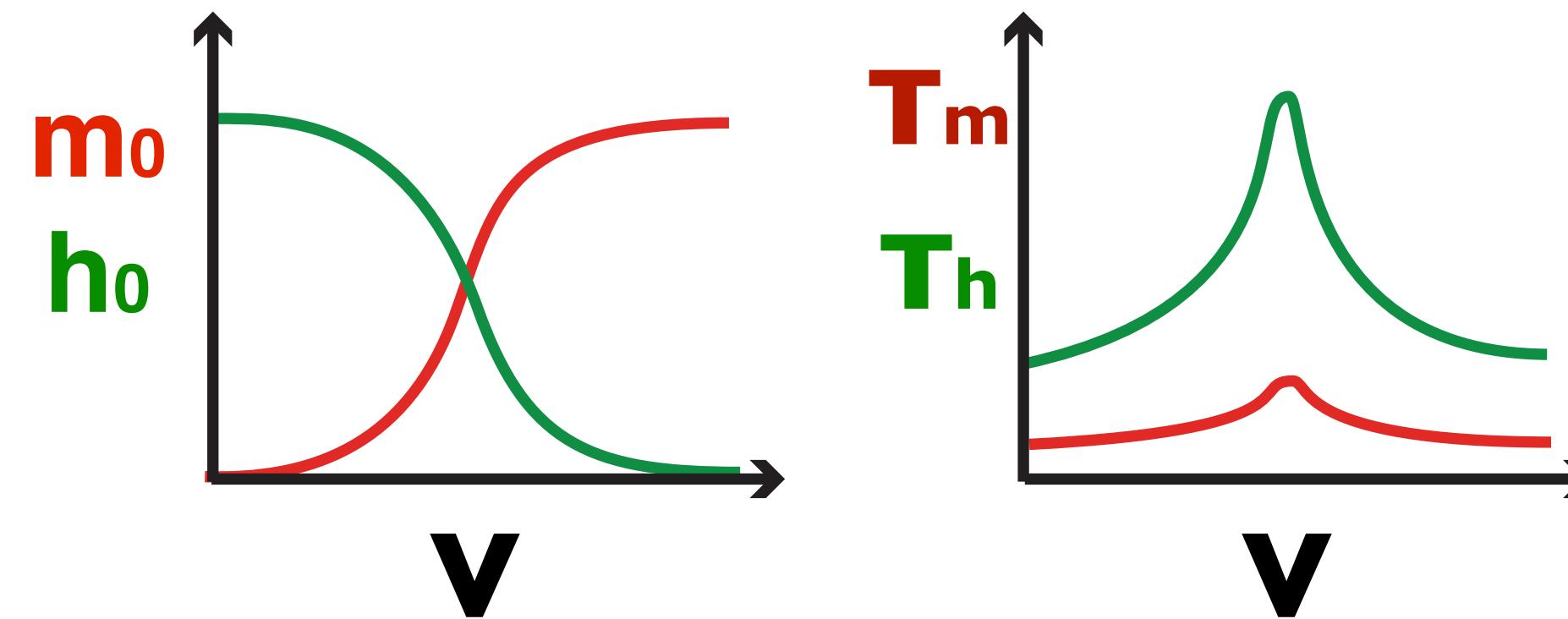
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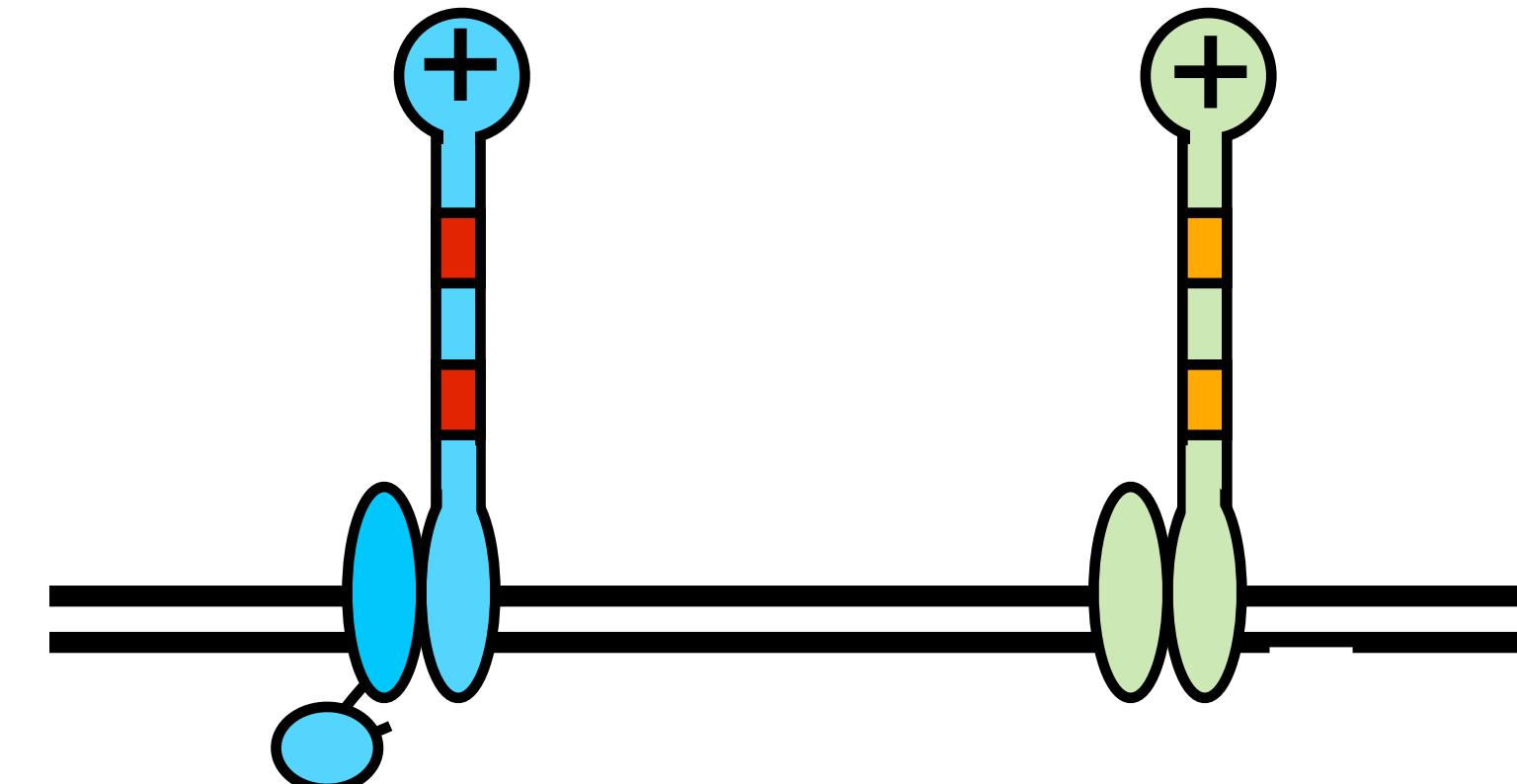
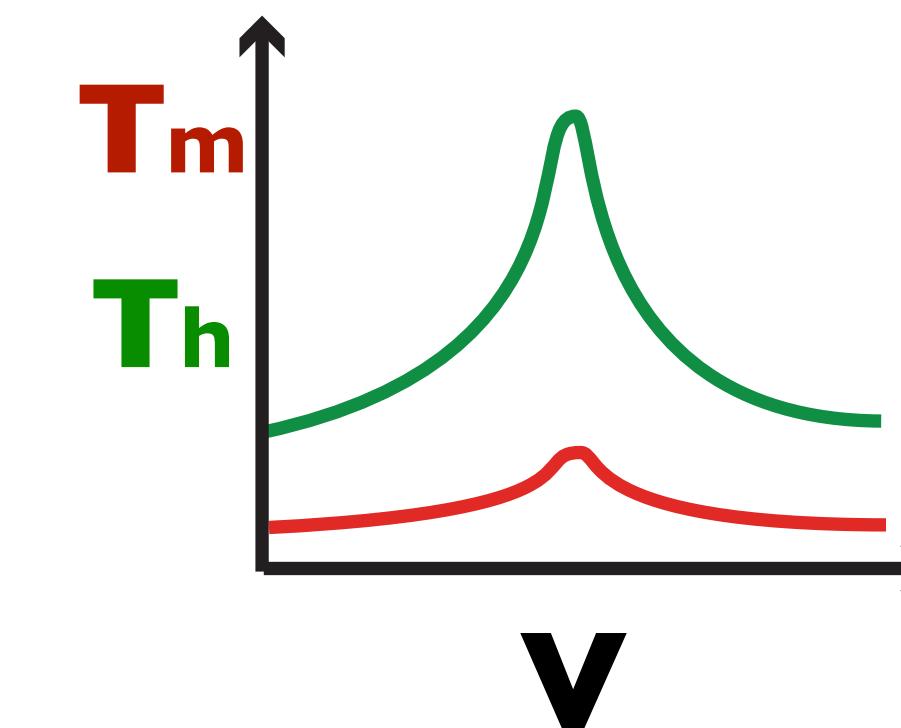
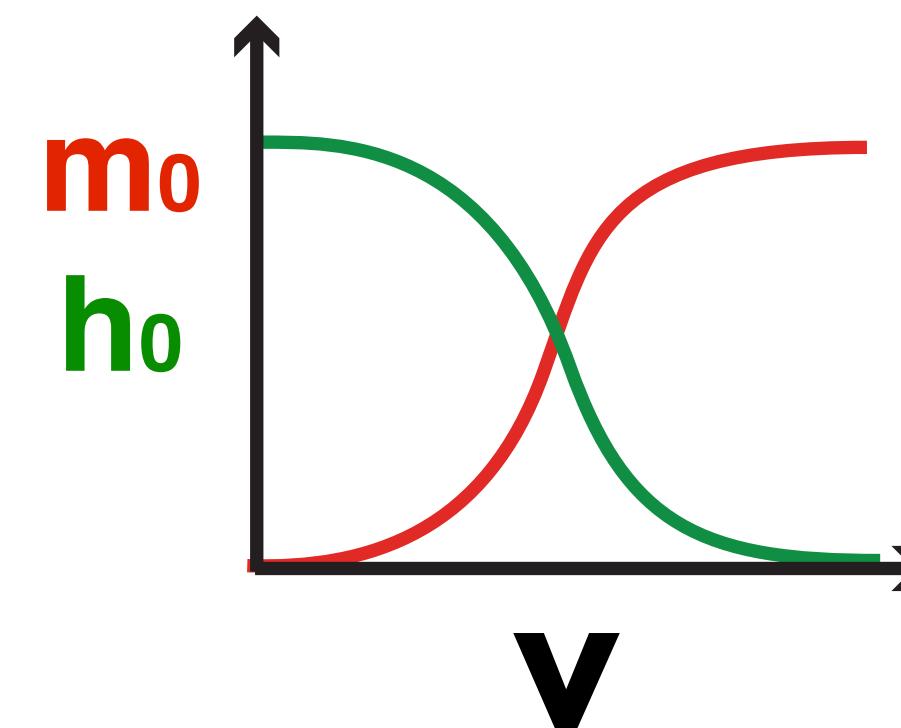


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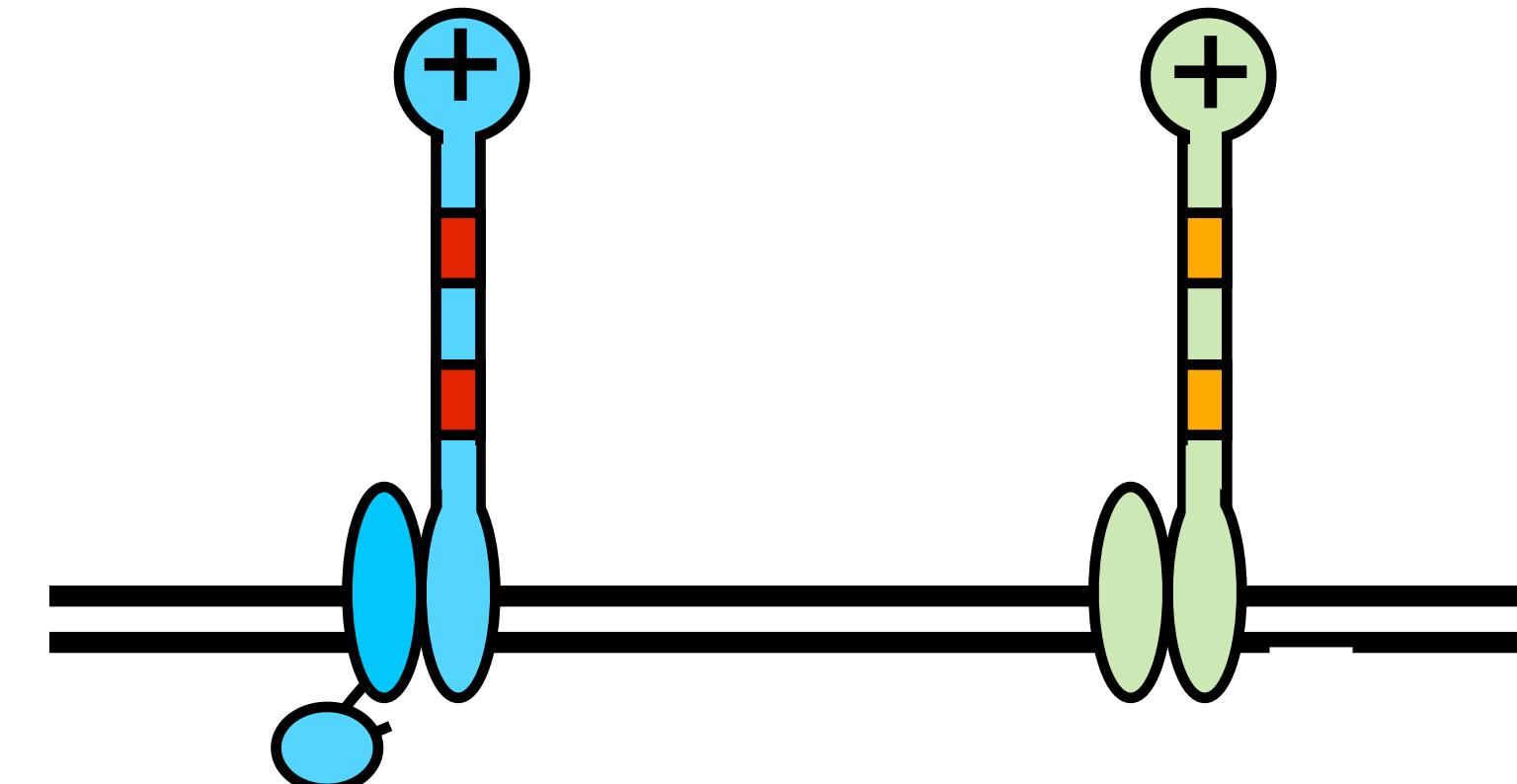
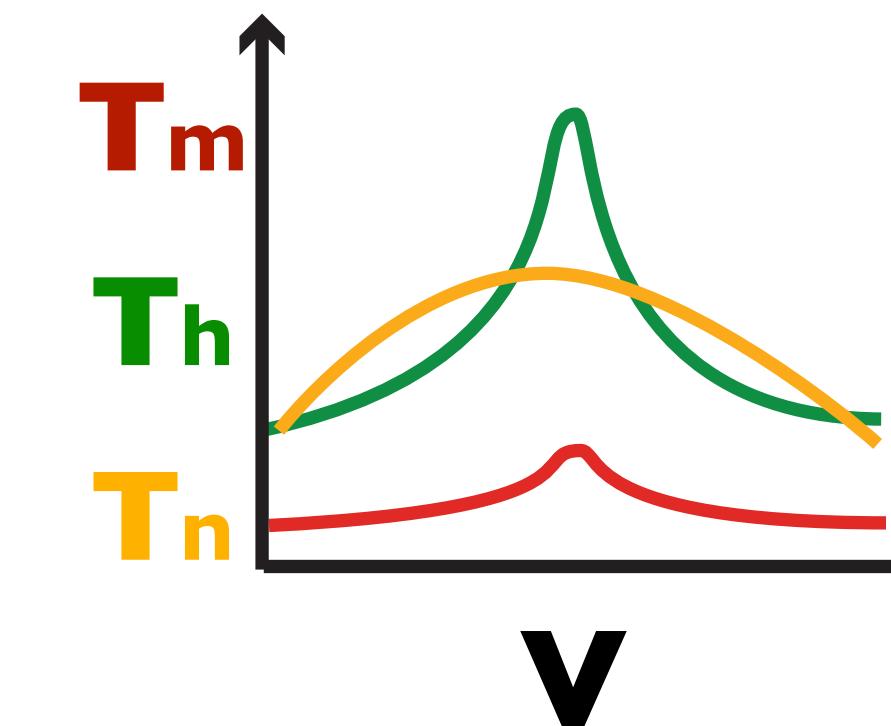
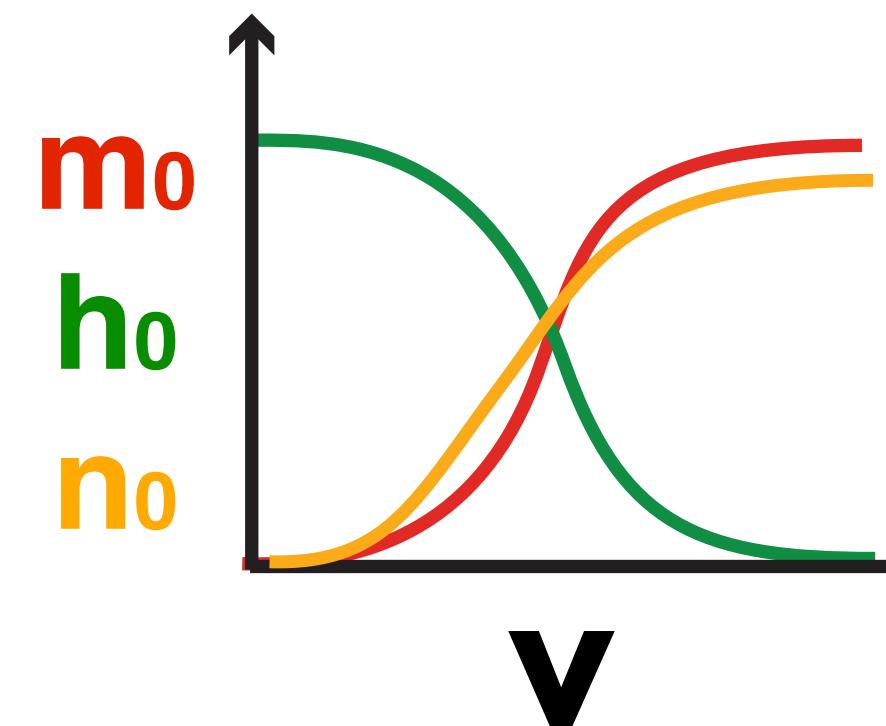


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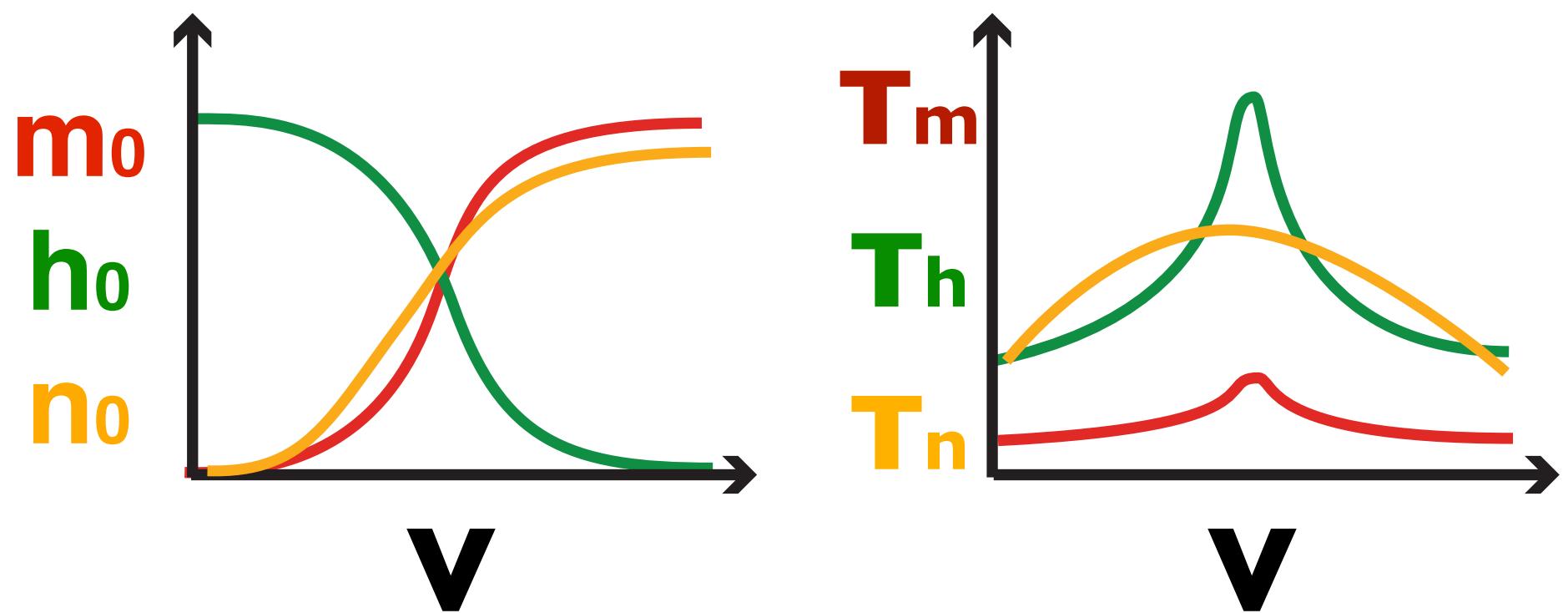


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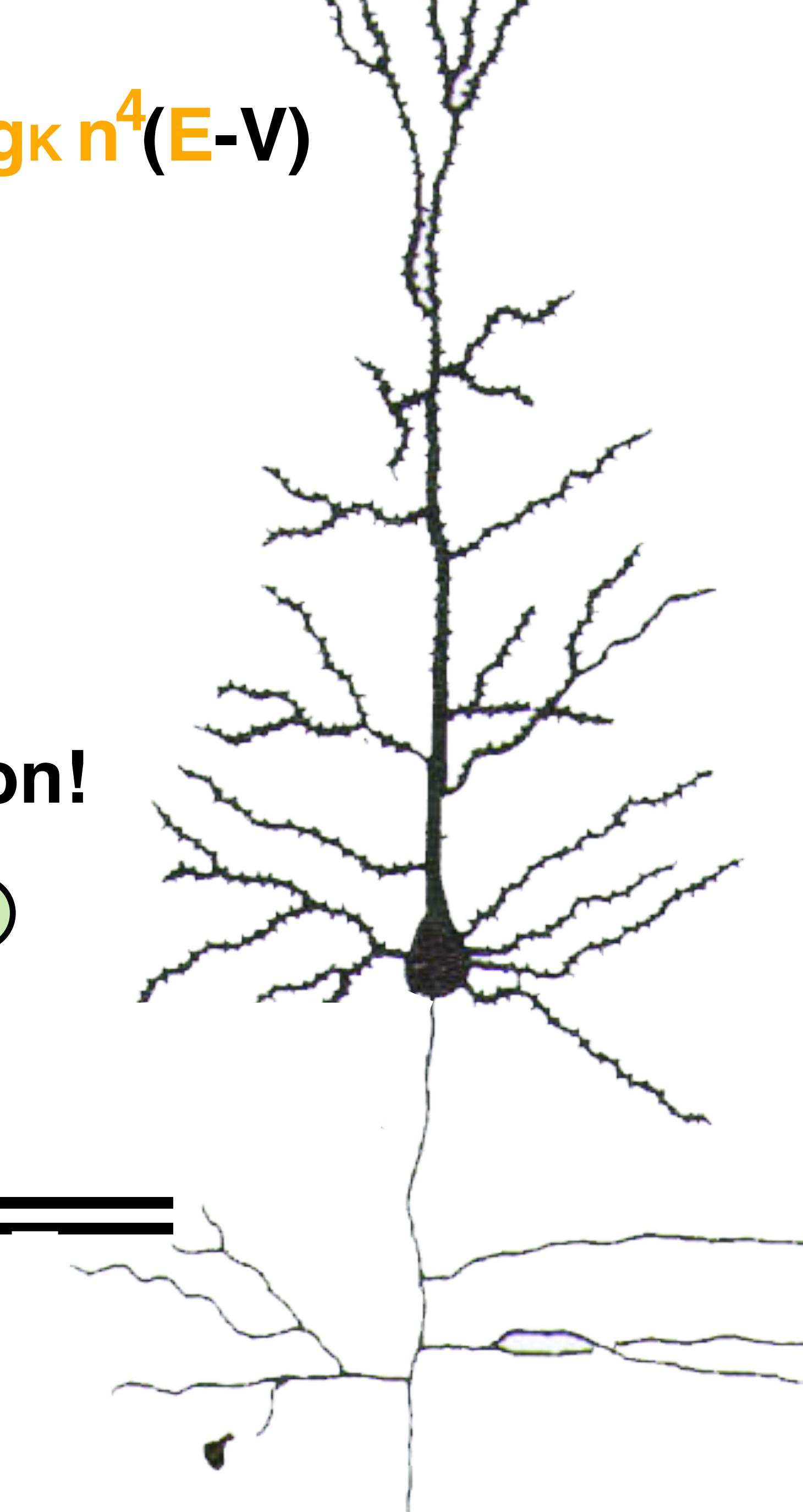
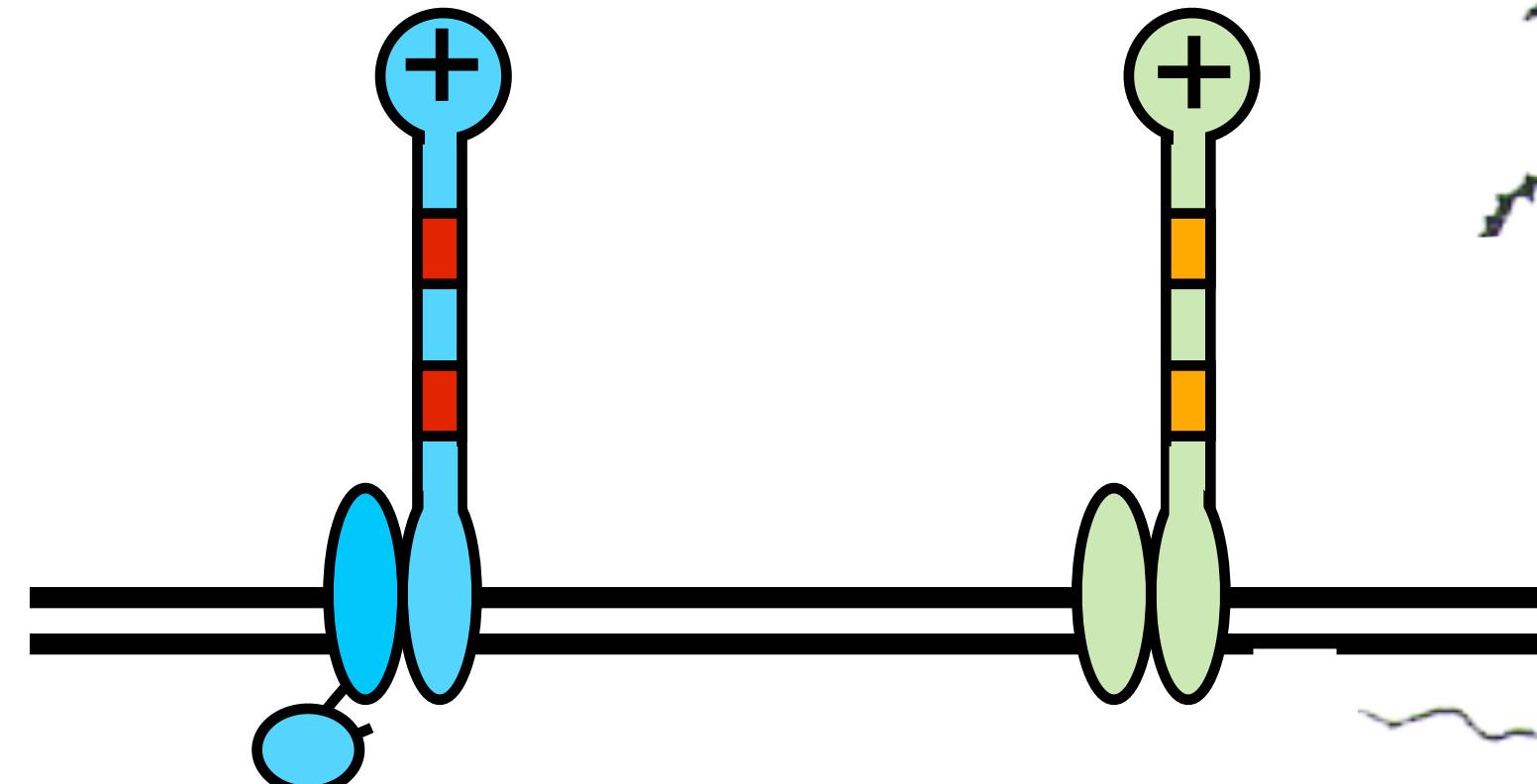
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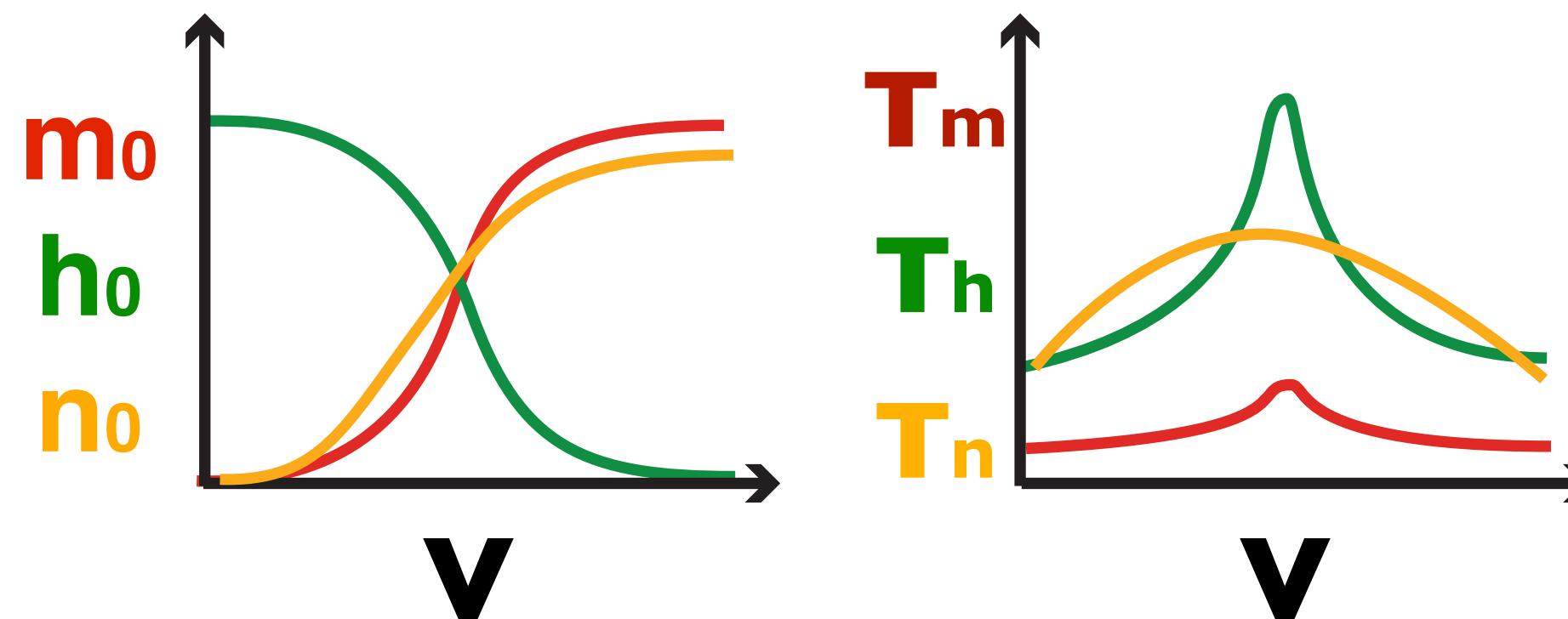
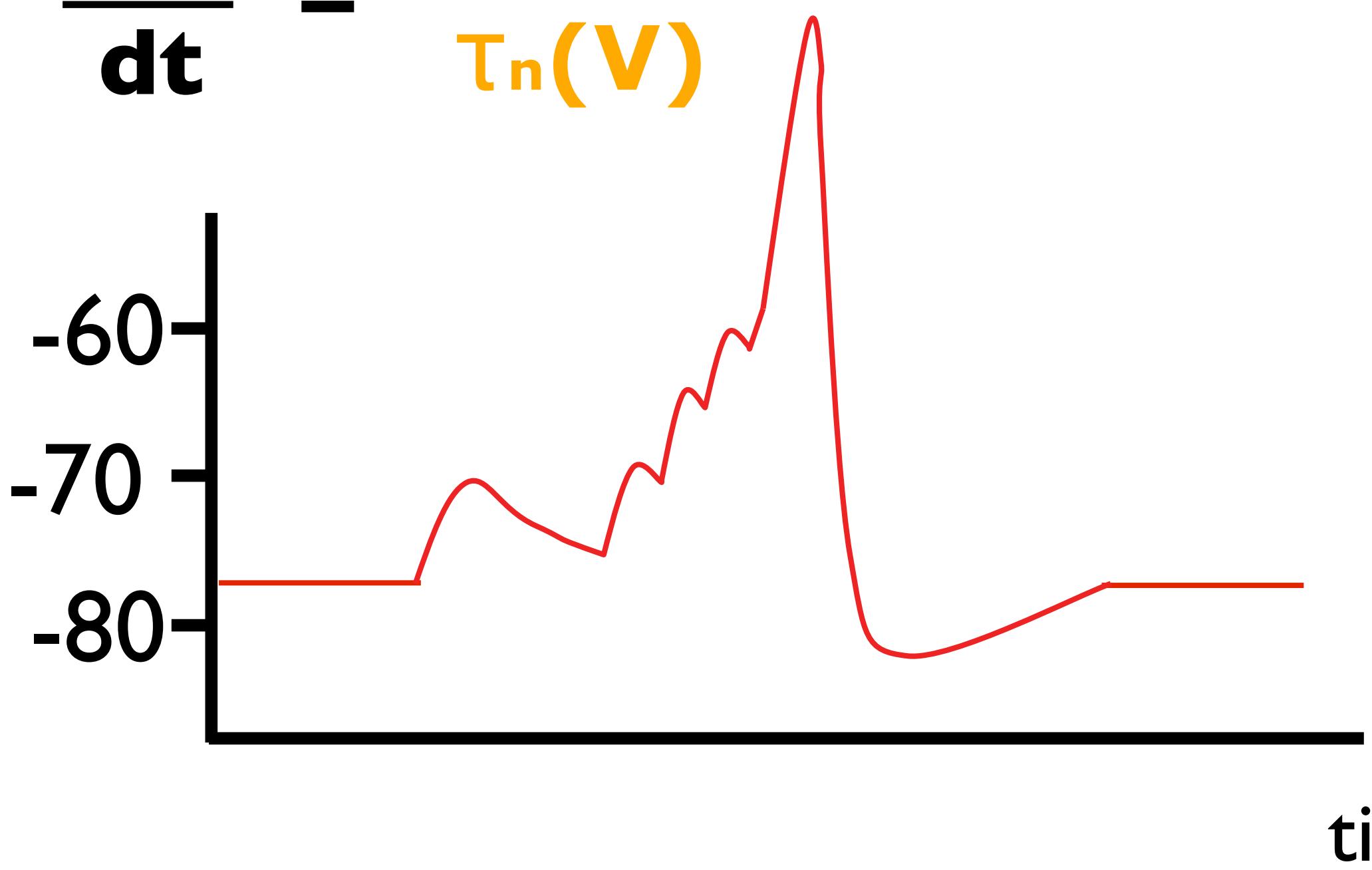


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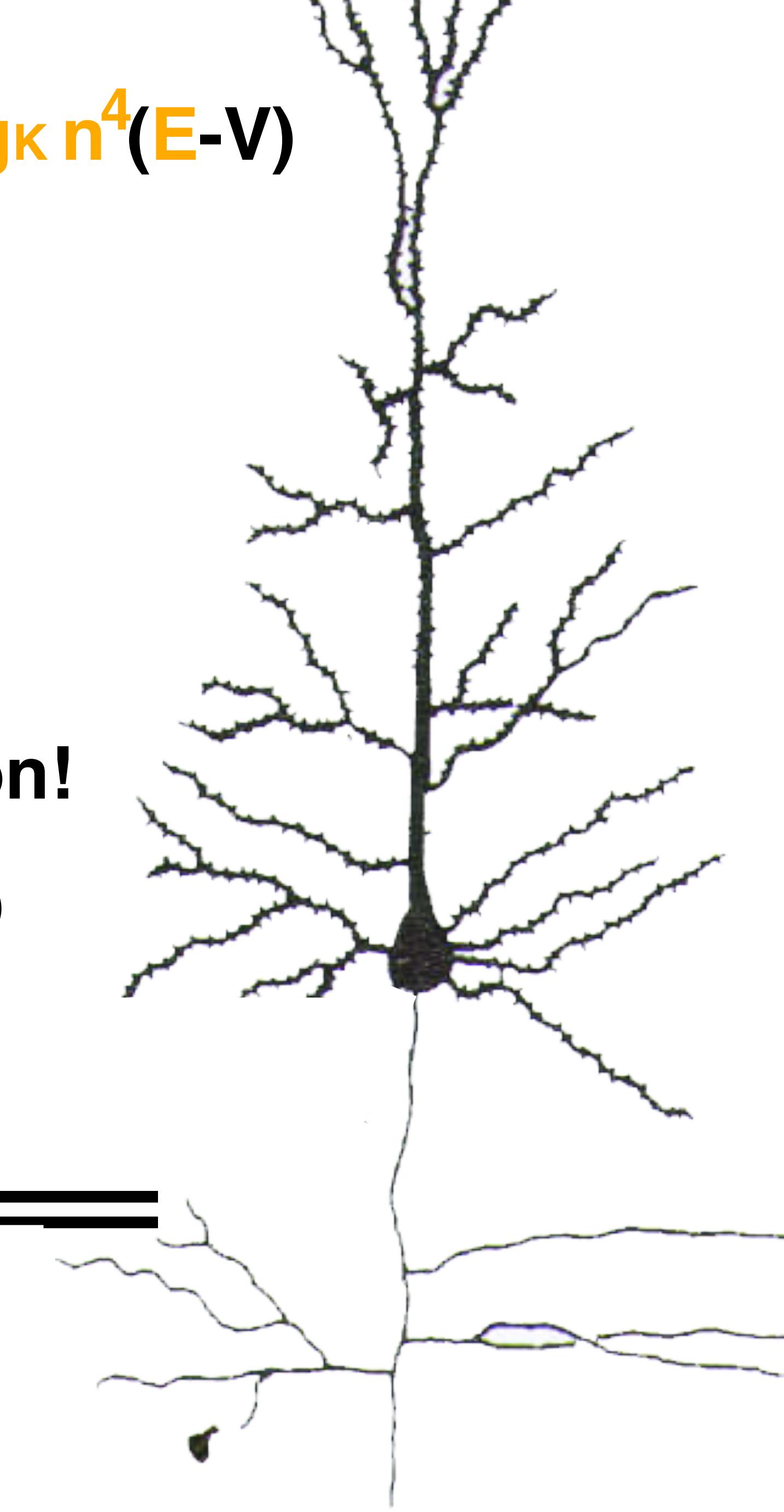
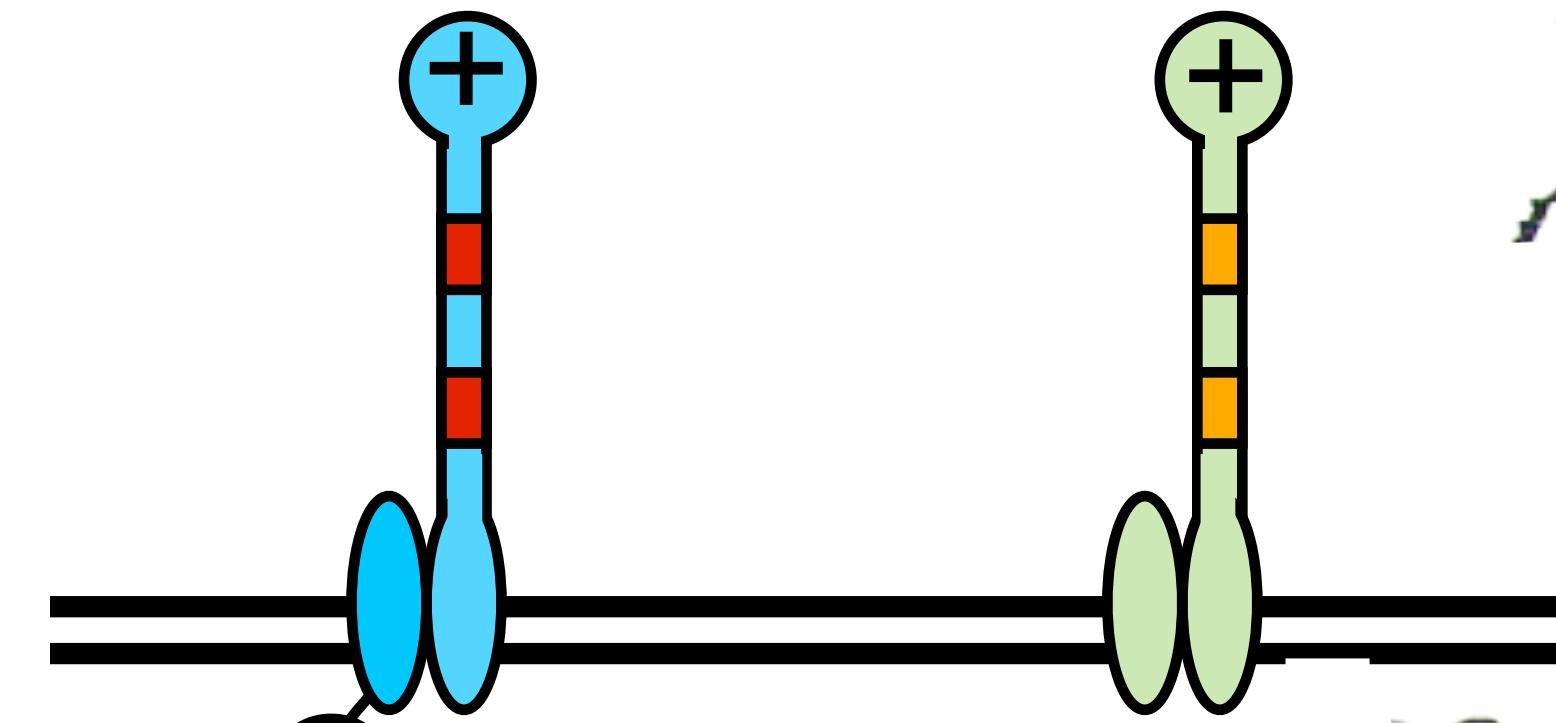
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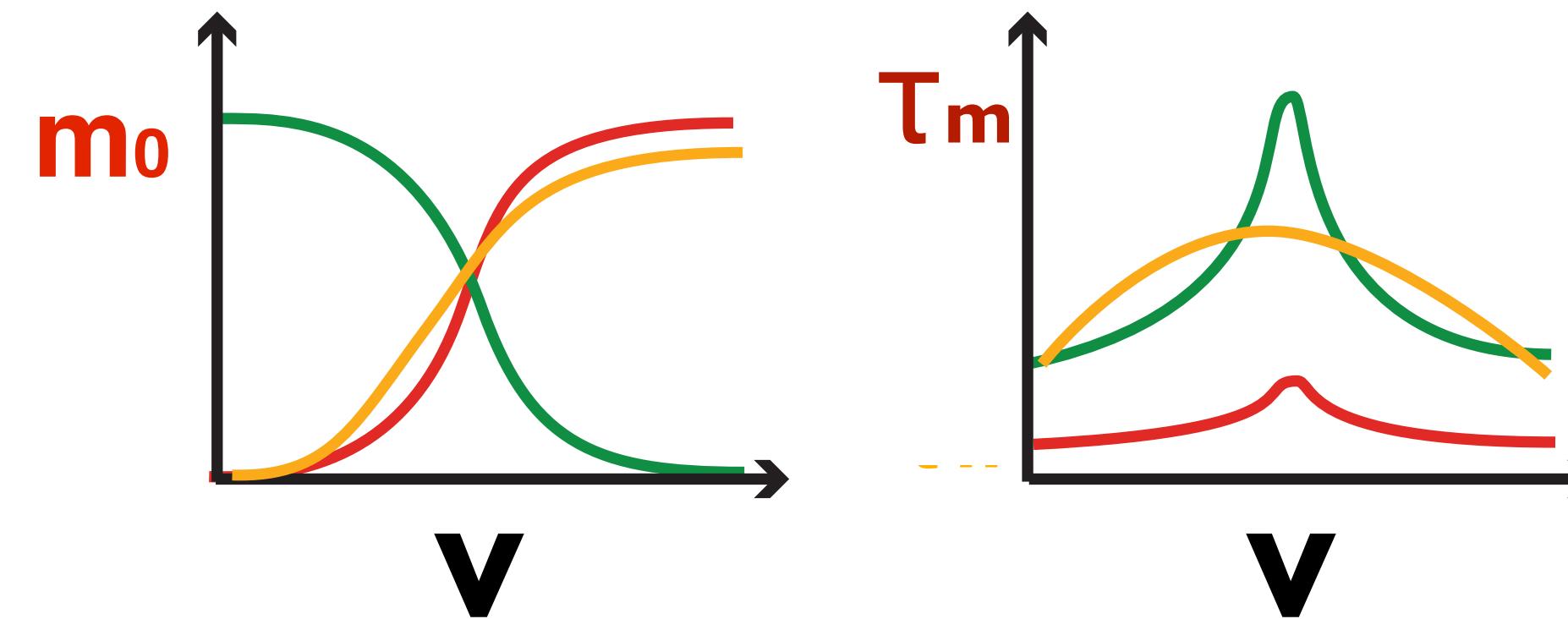


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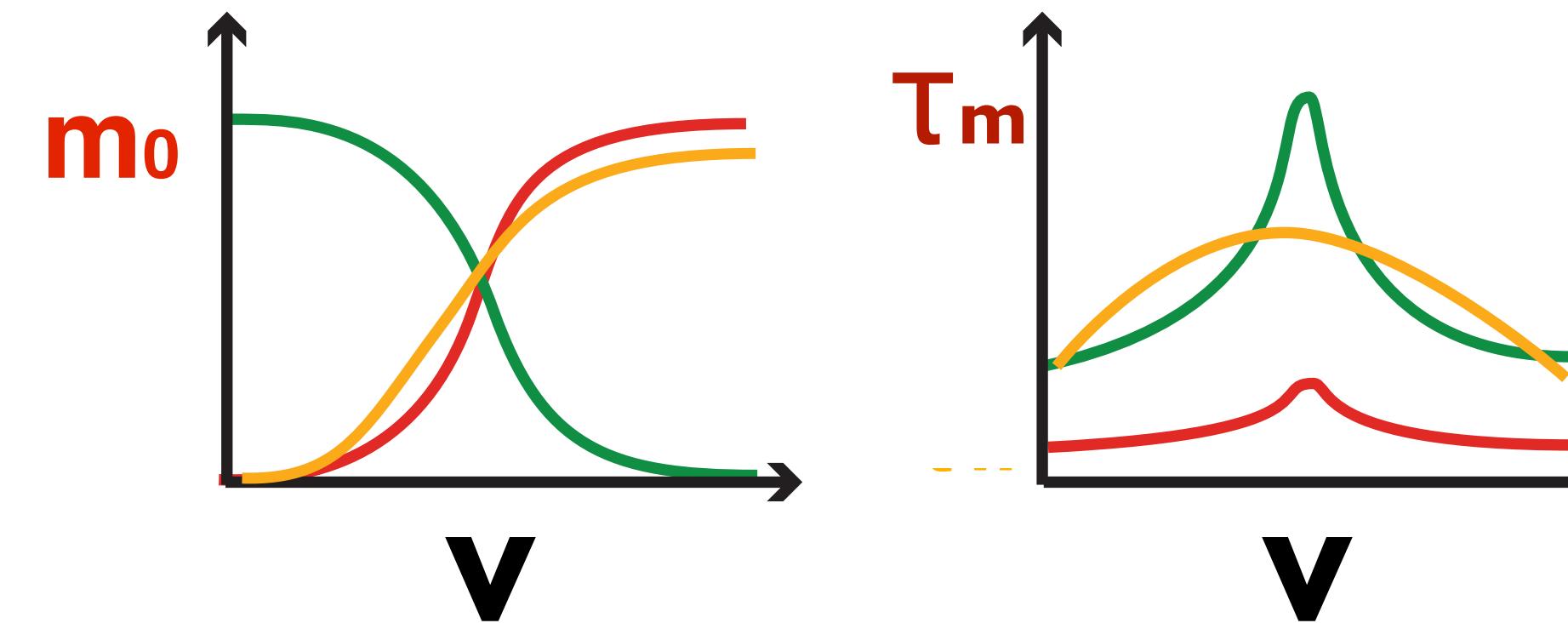
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Action potentials

Threshold behaviour

Refractory behaviour

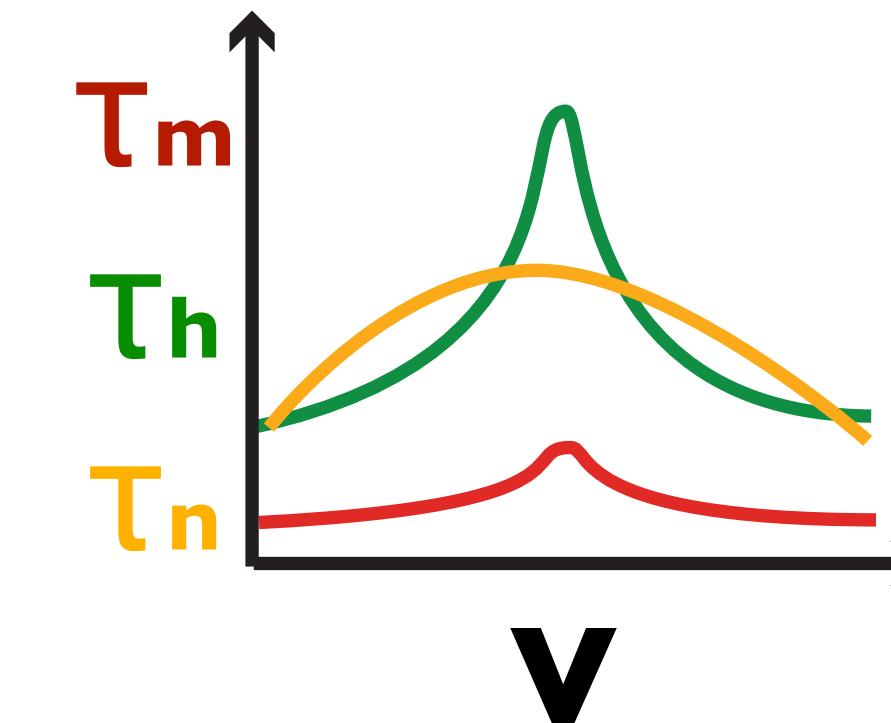
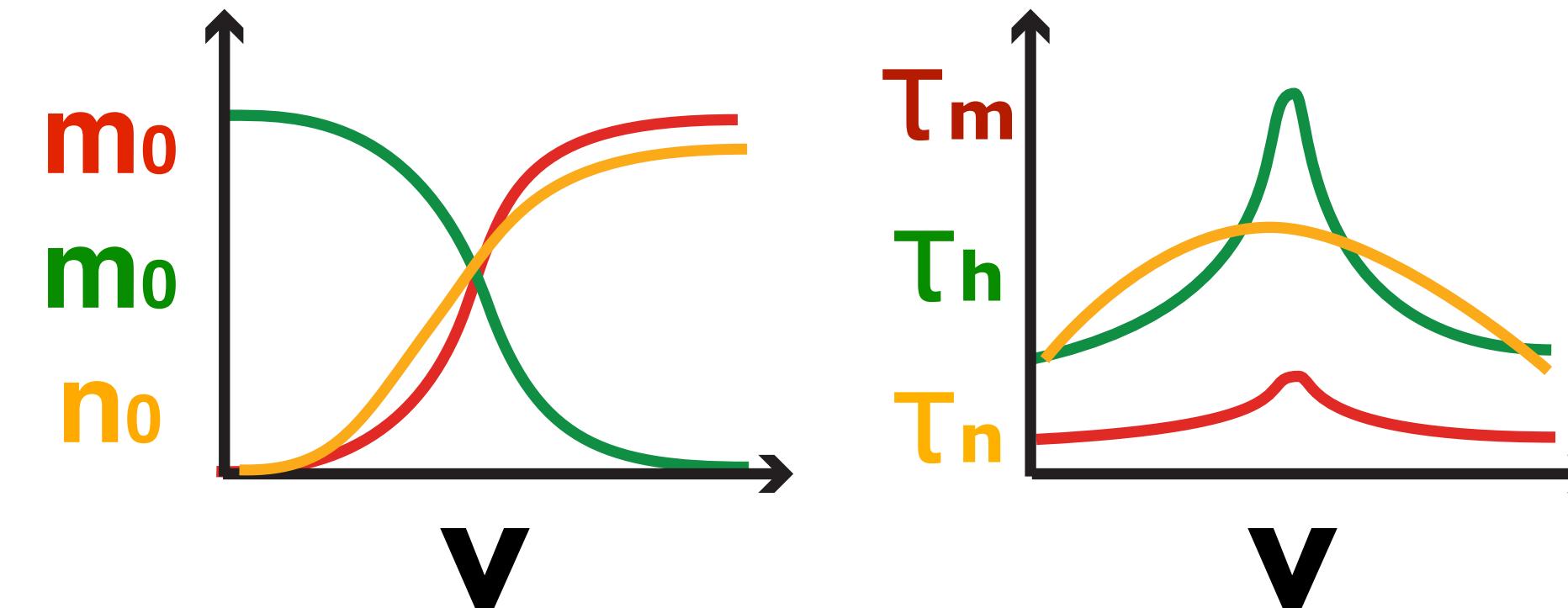
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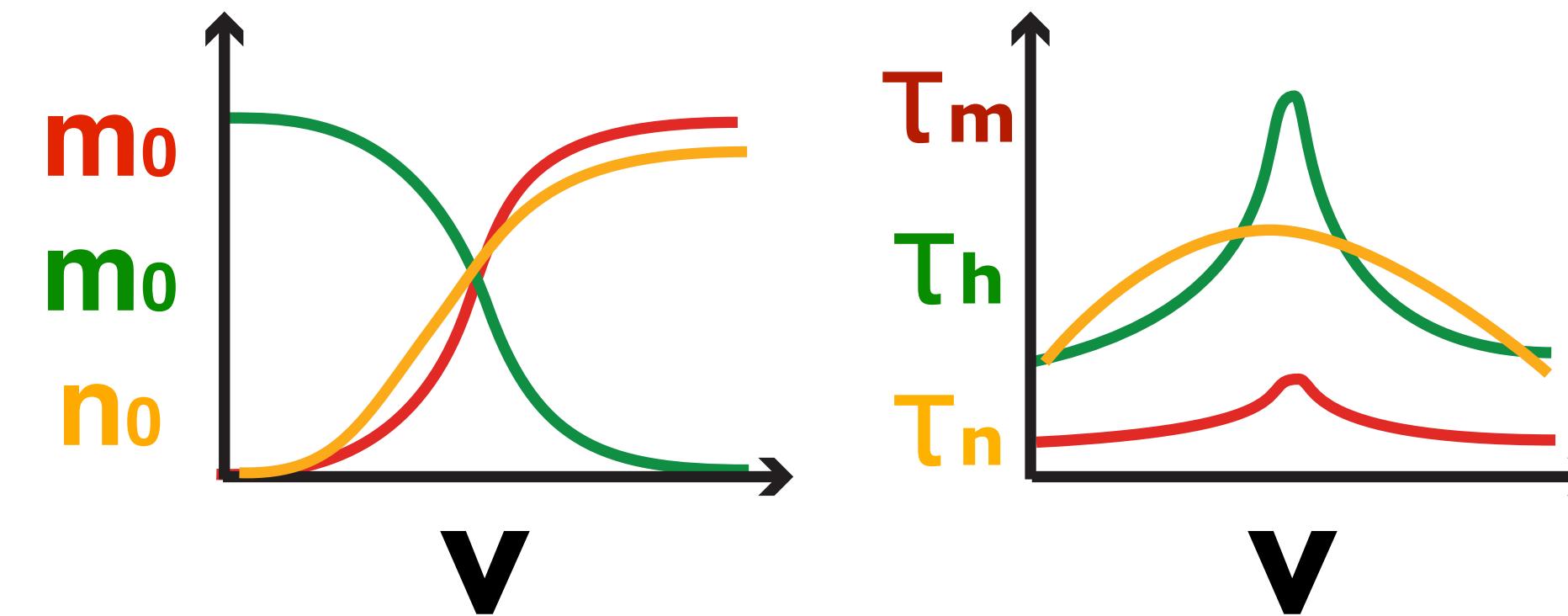
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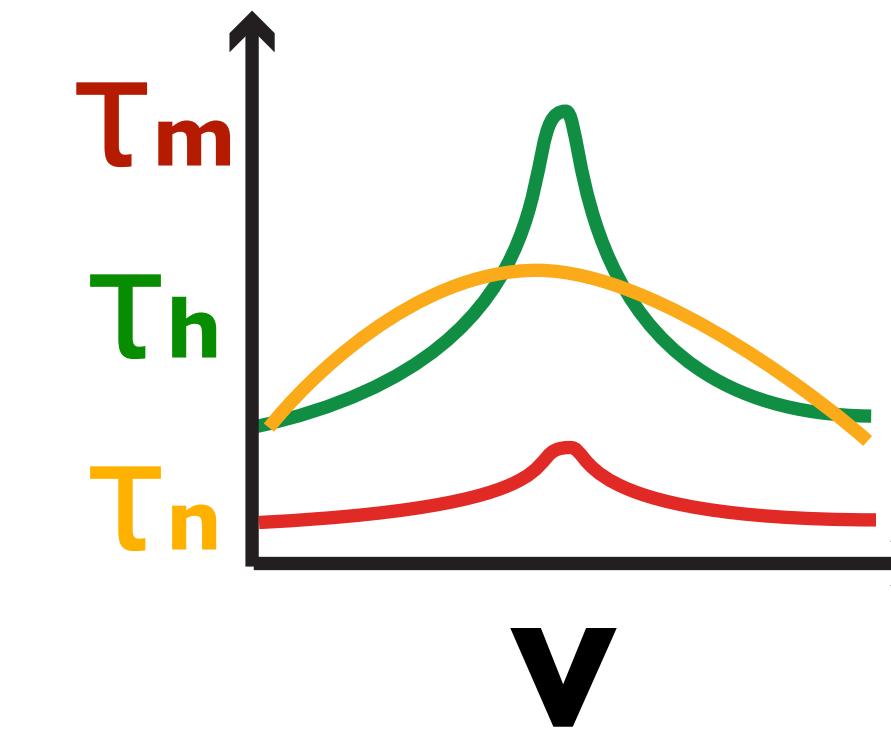
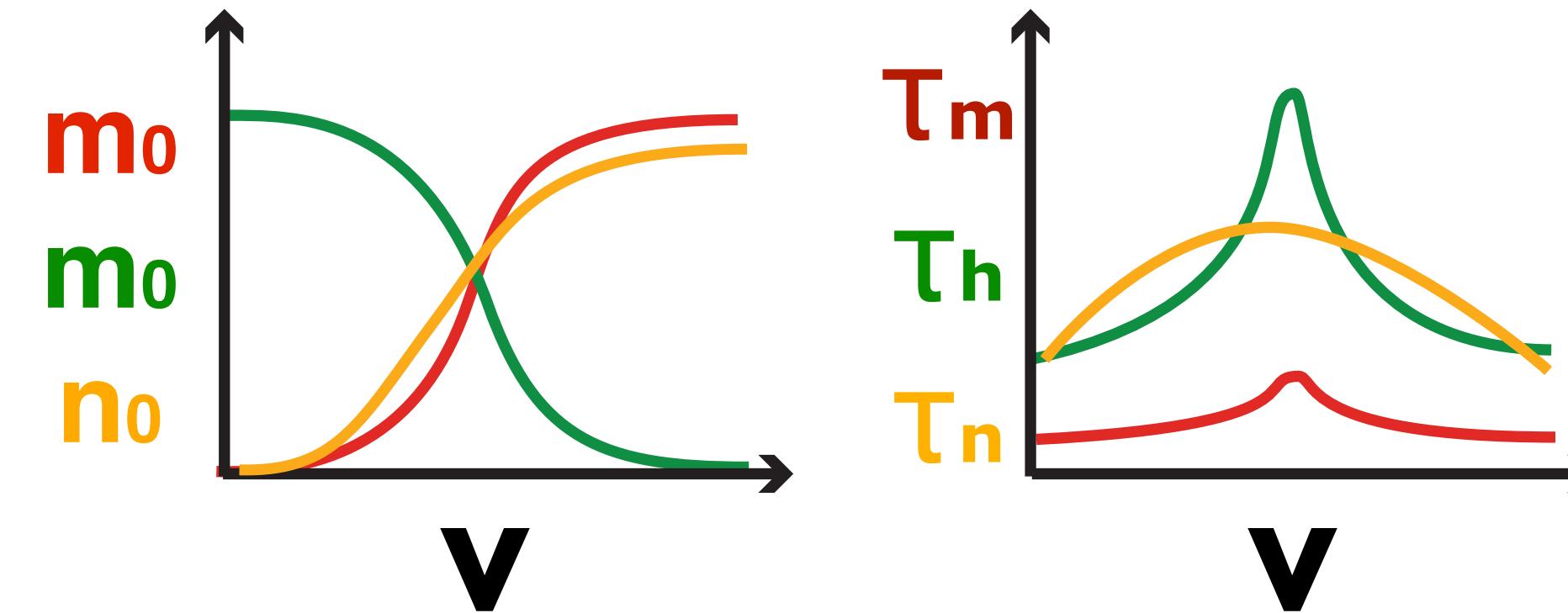
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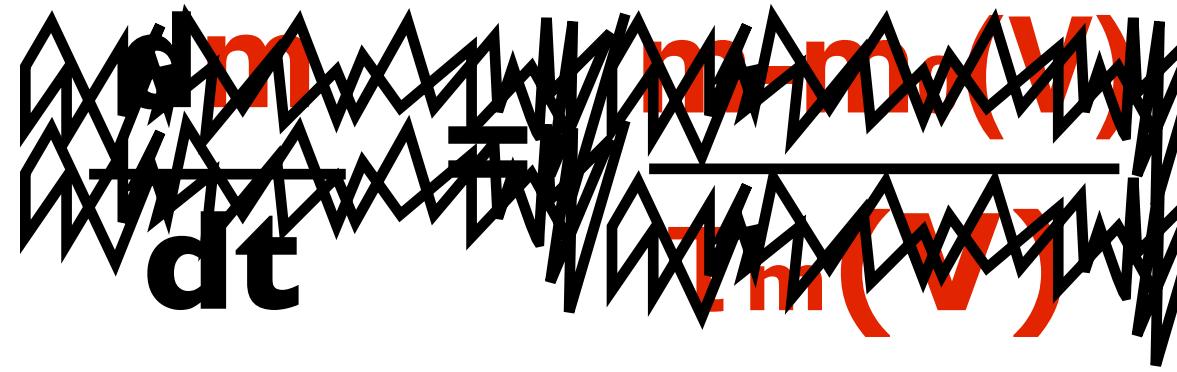


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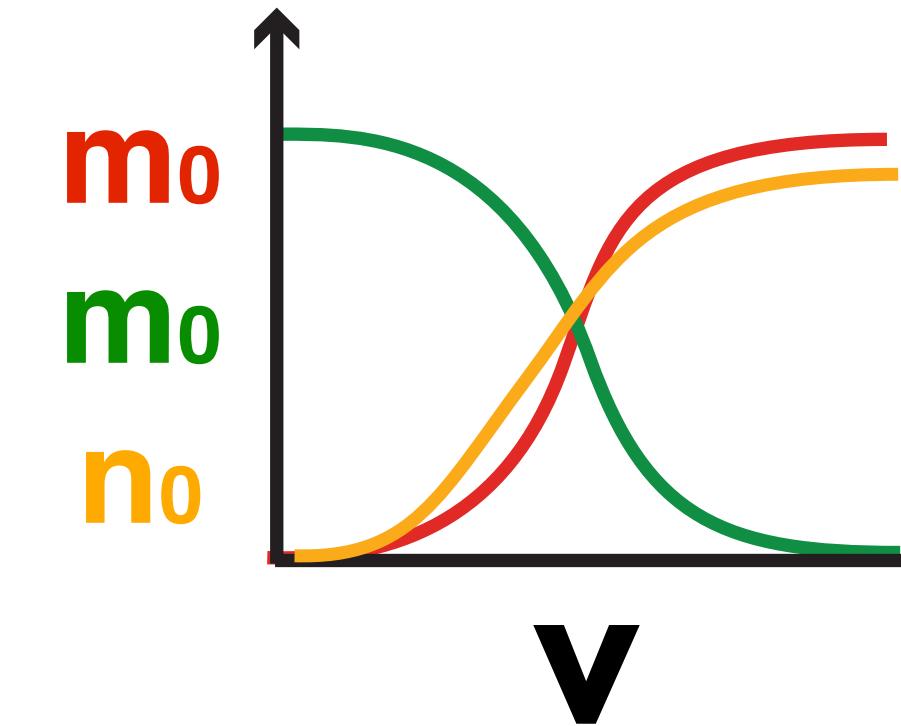
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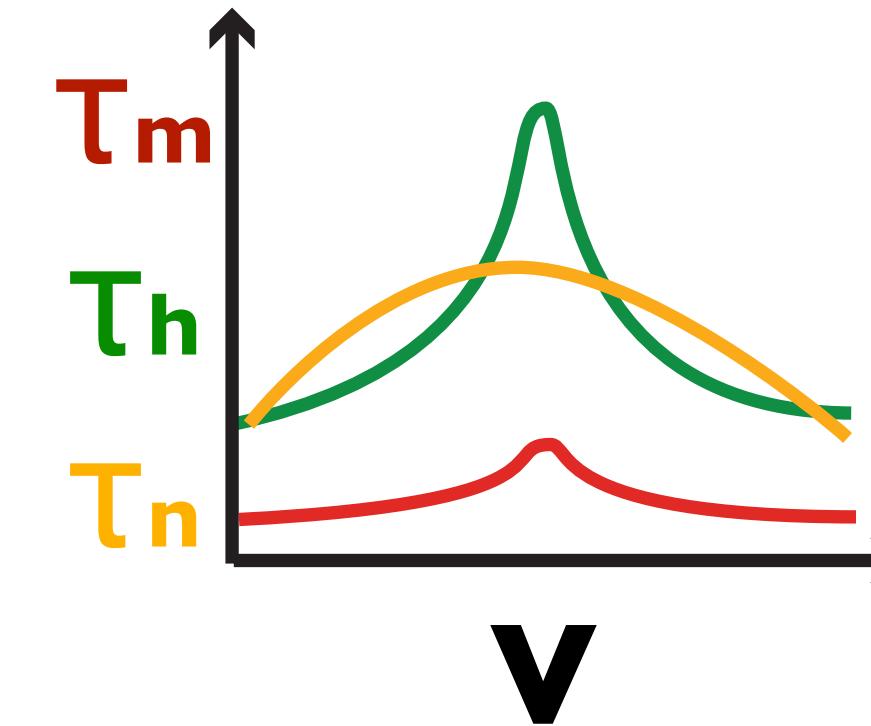
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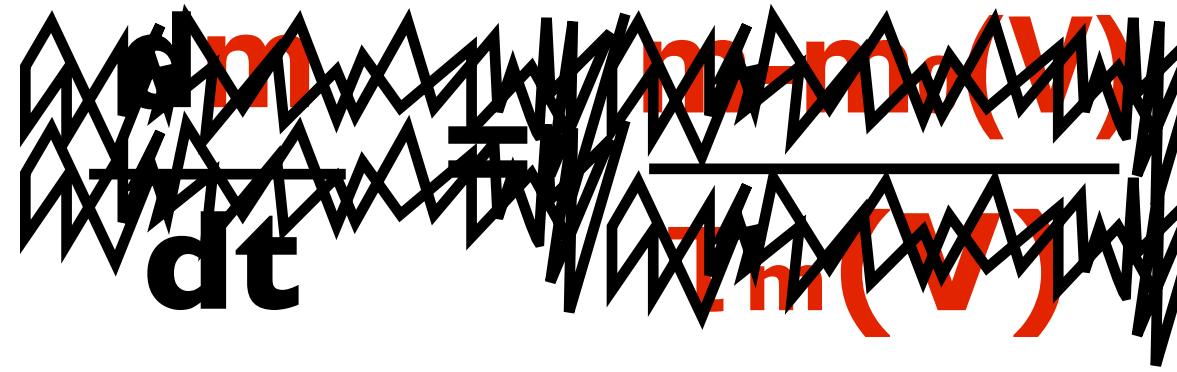


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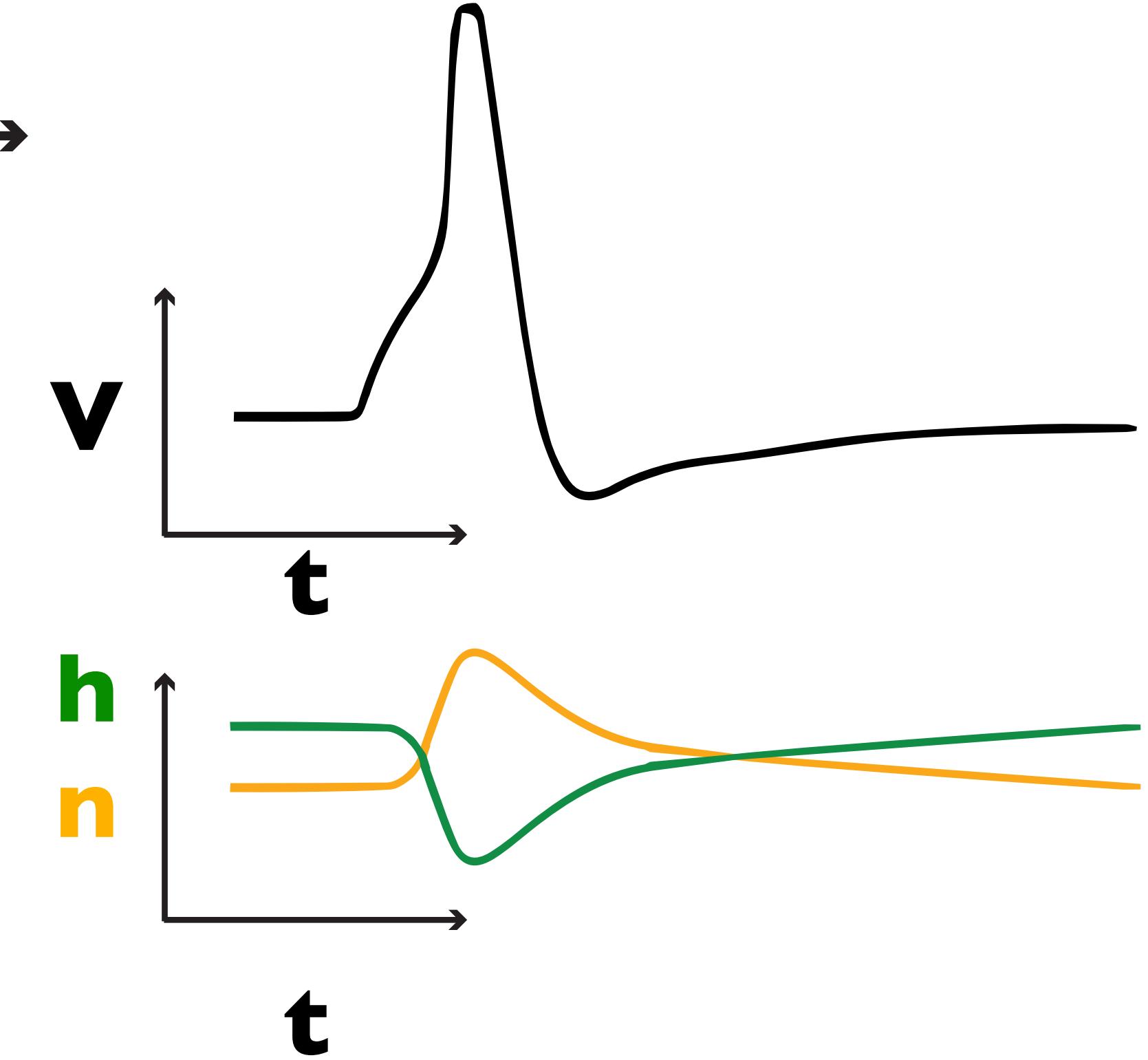
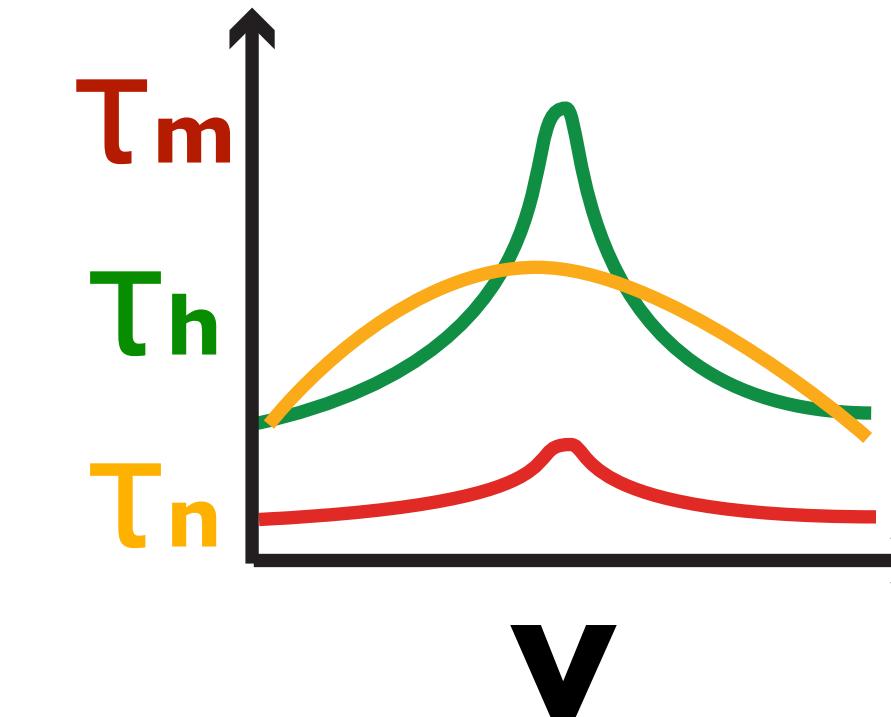
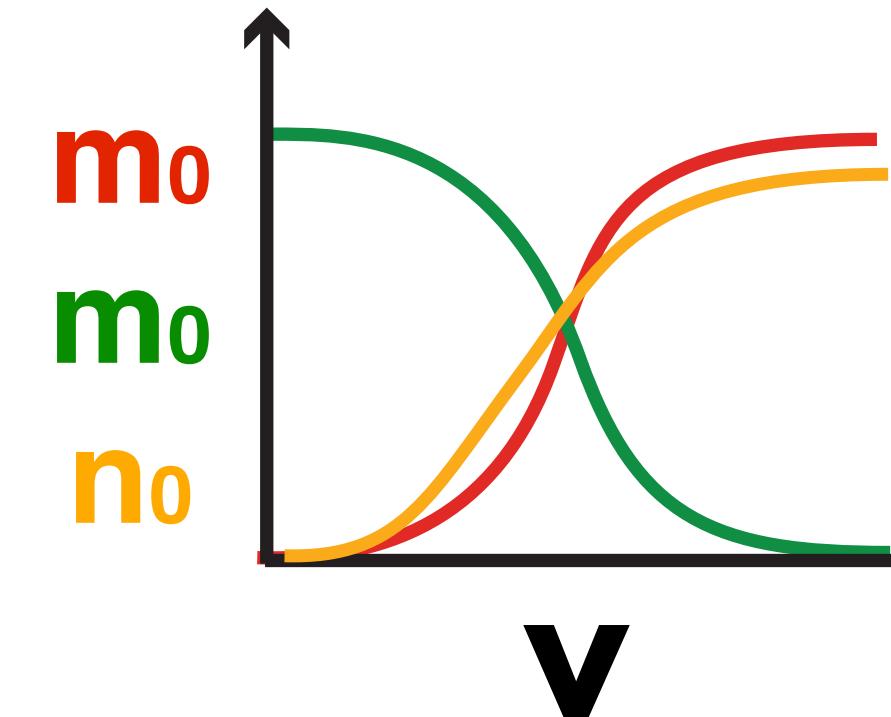
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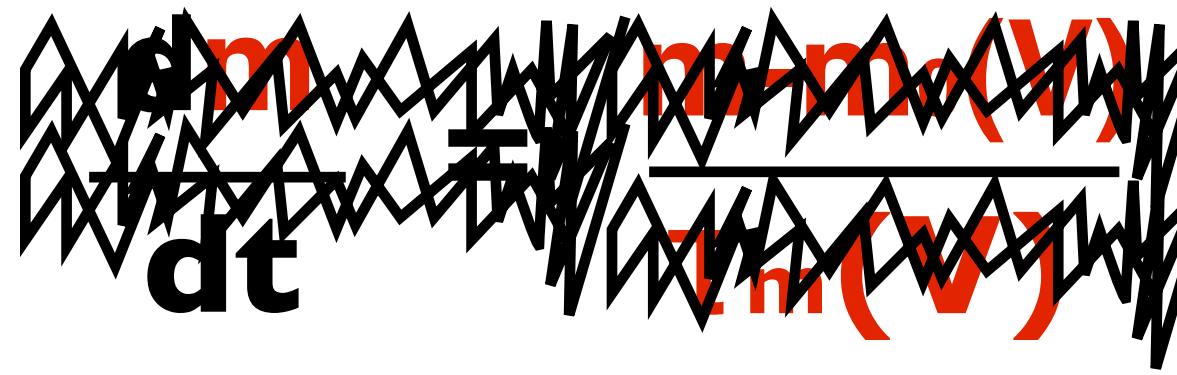


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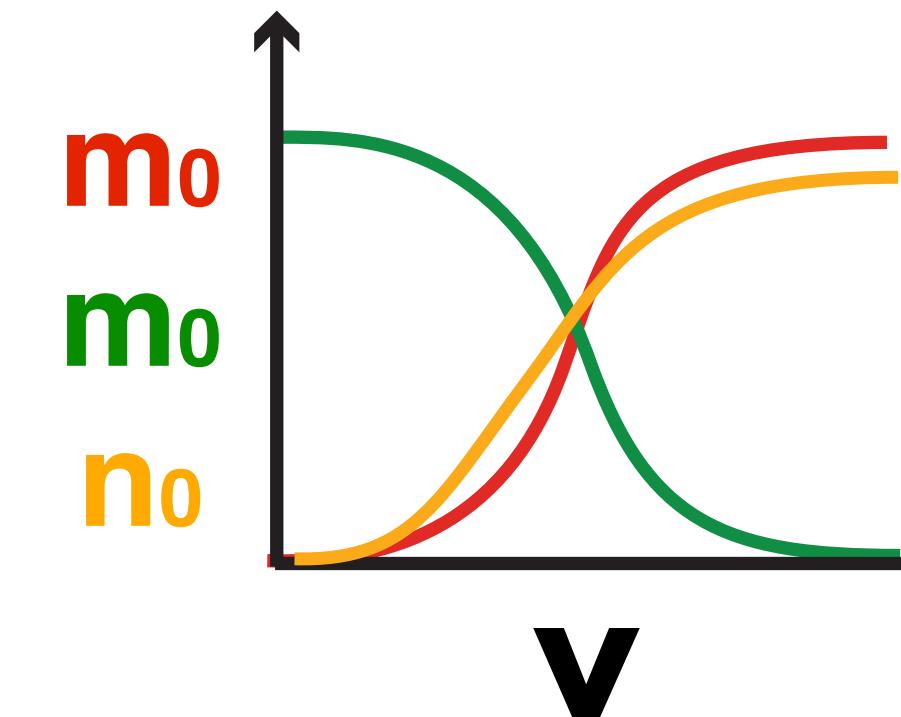
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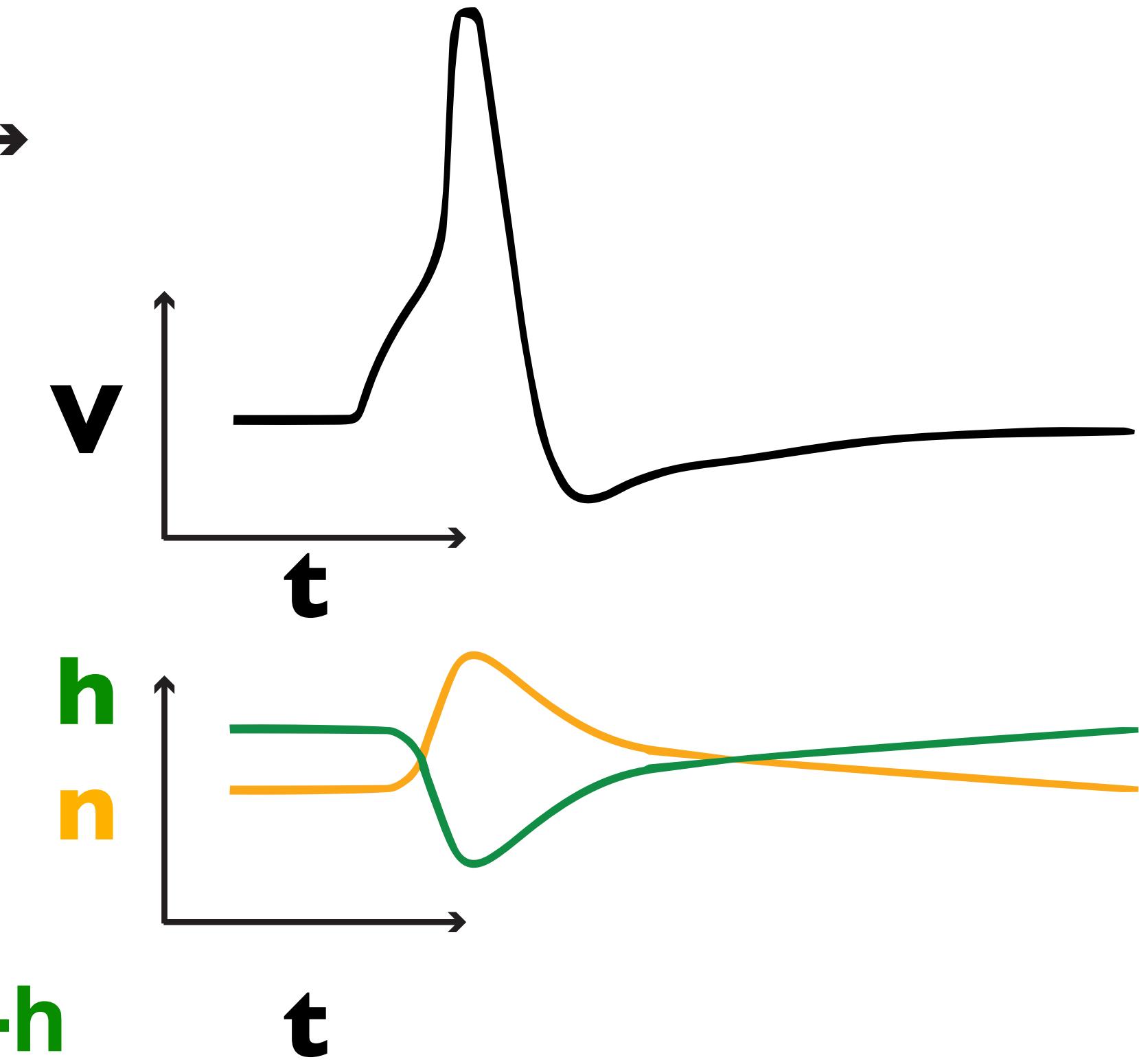
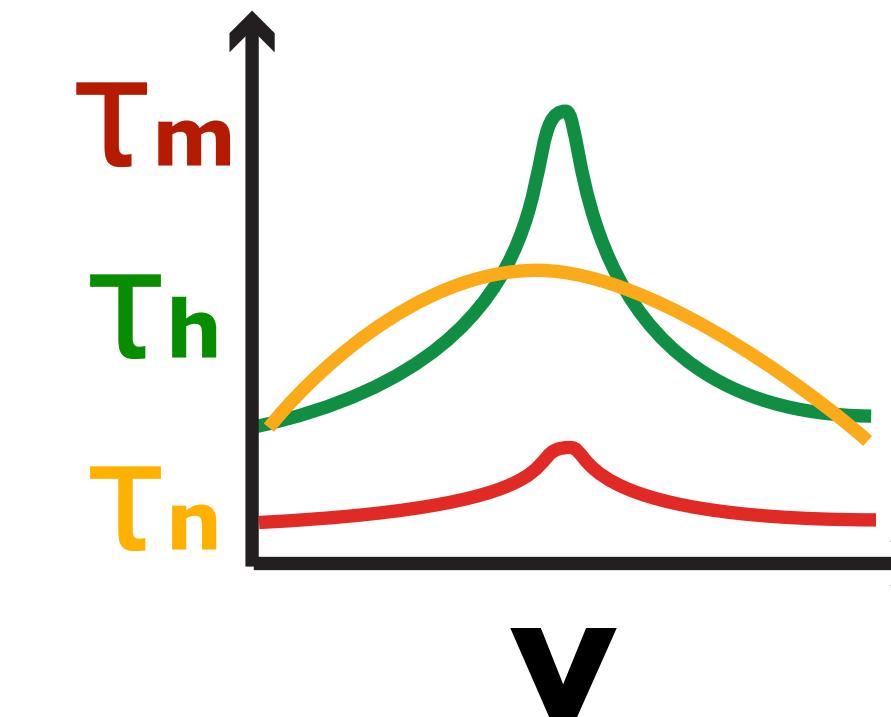
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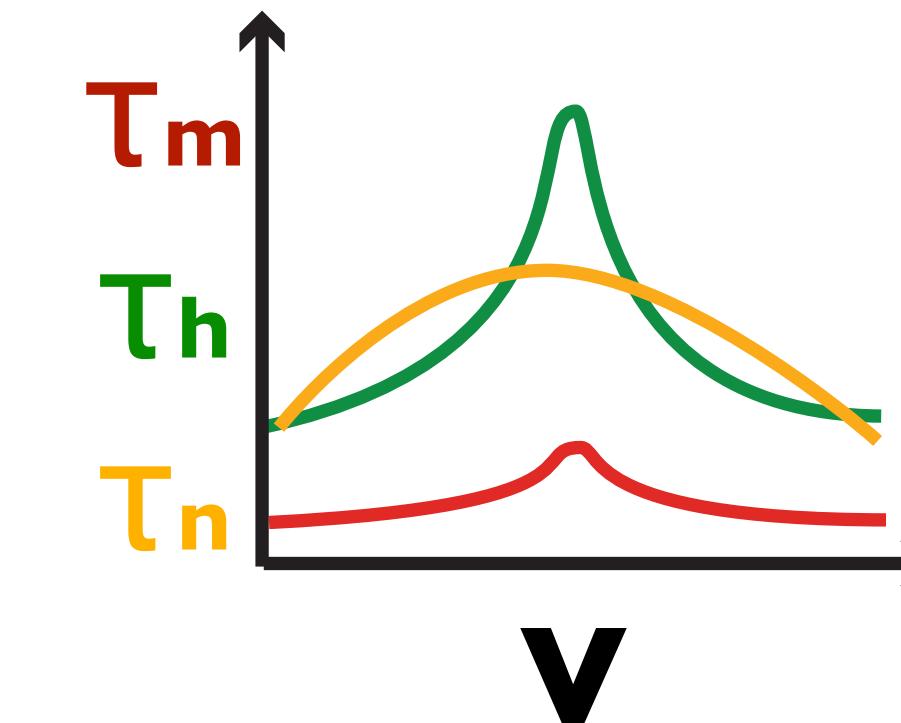
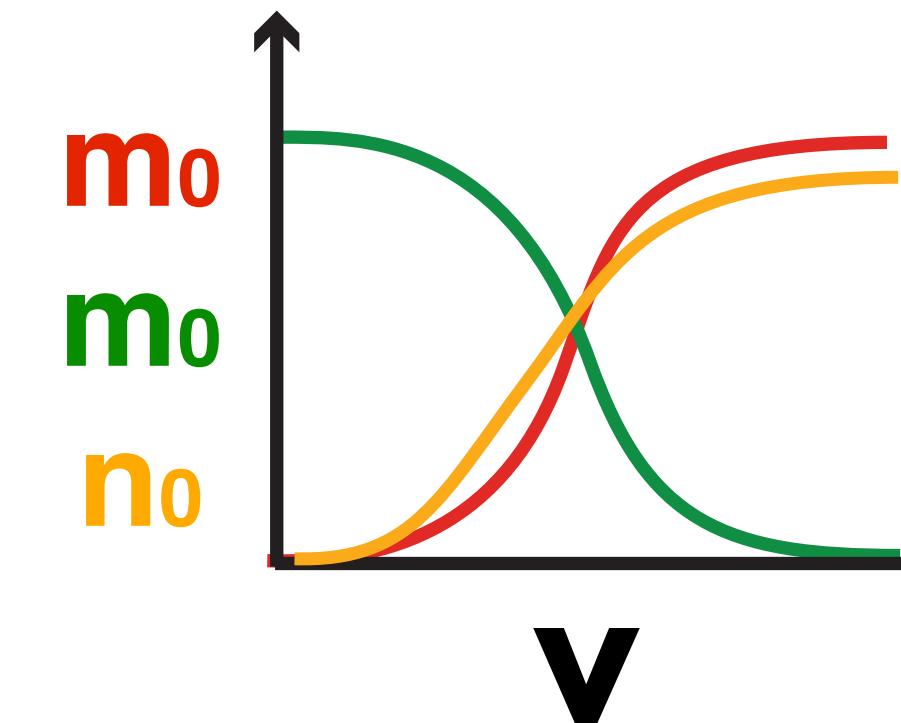
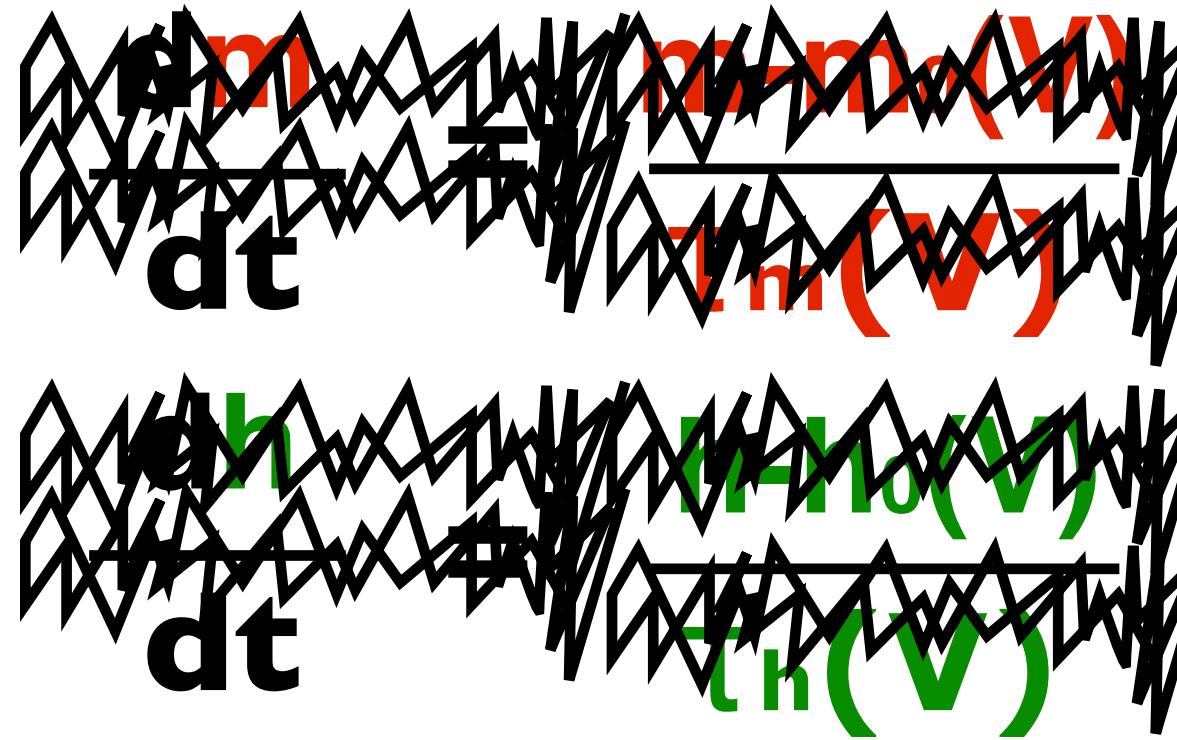
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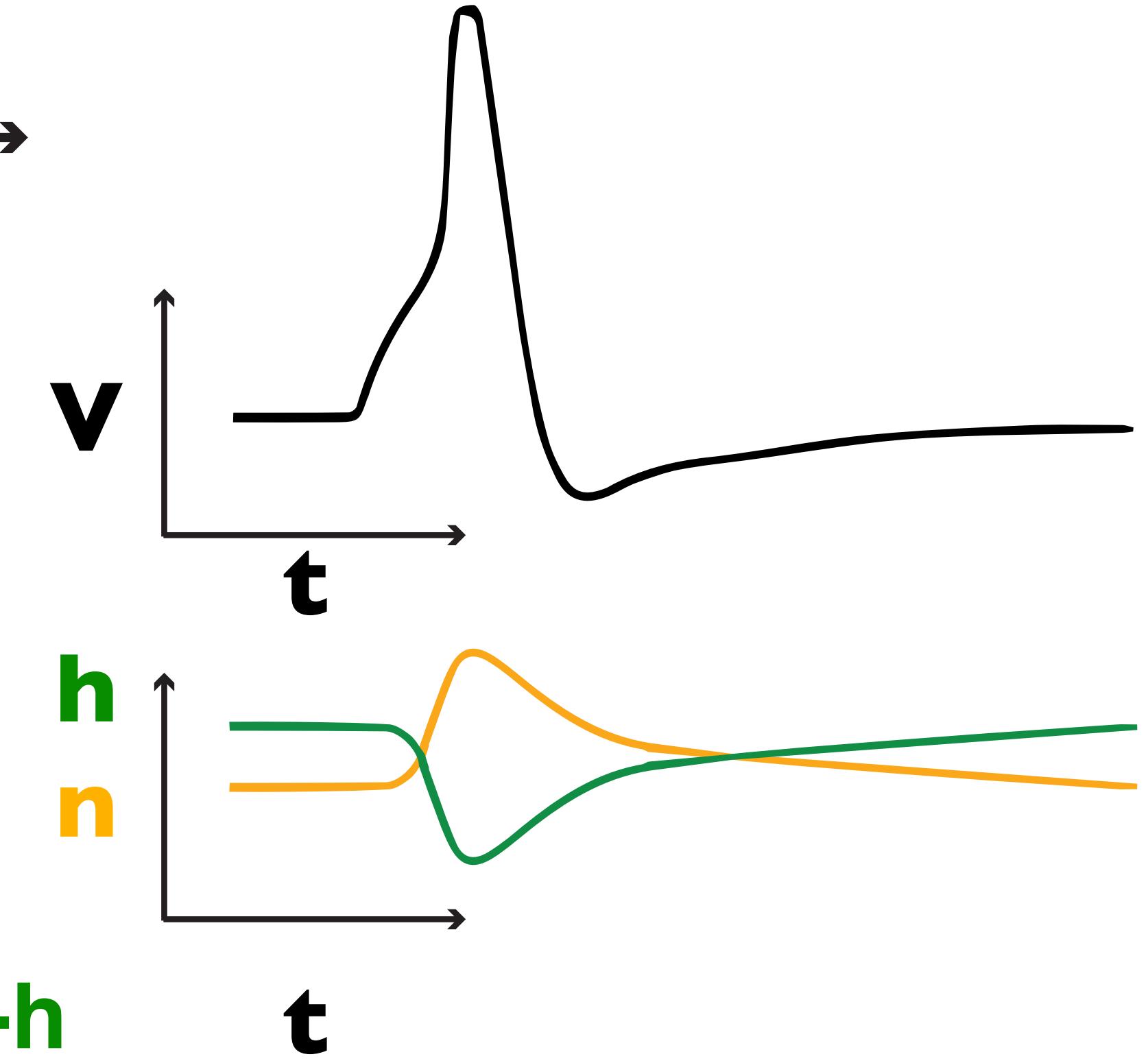
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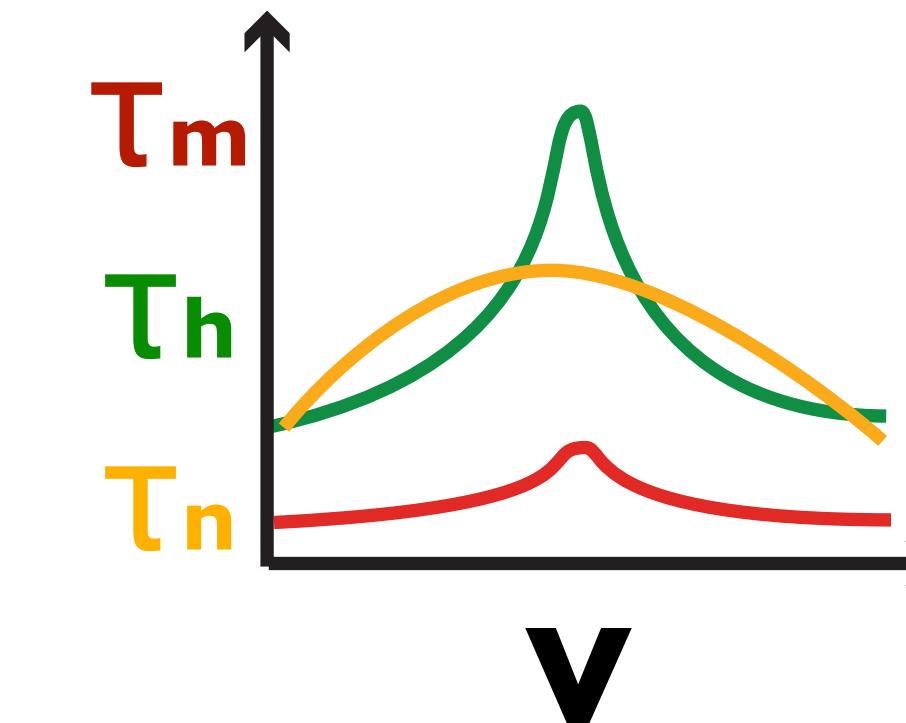
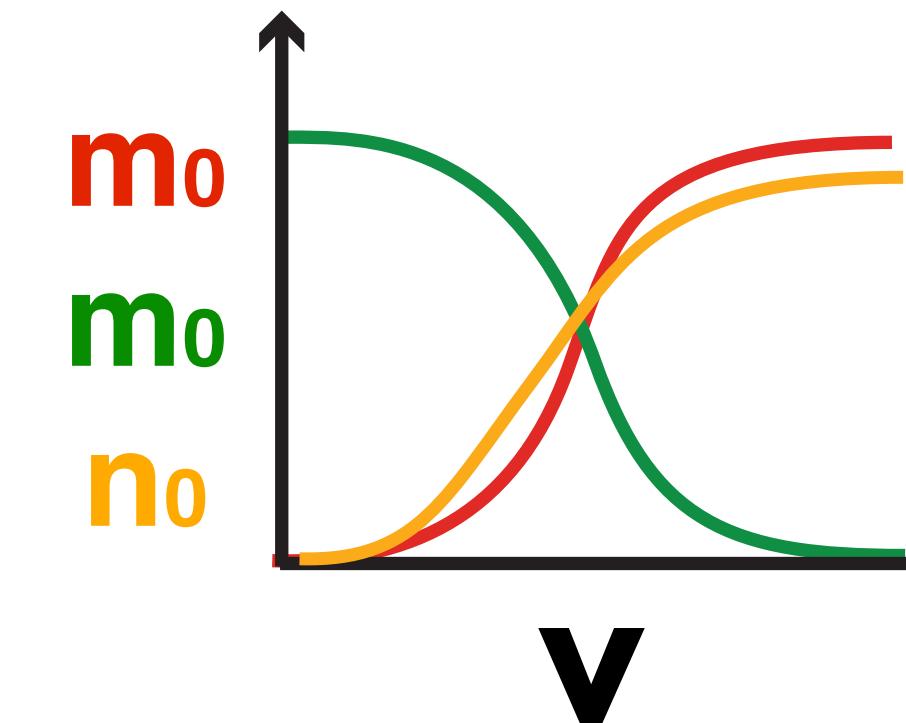
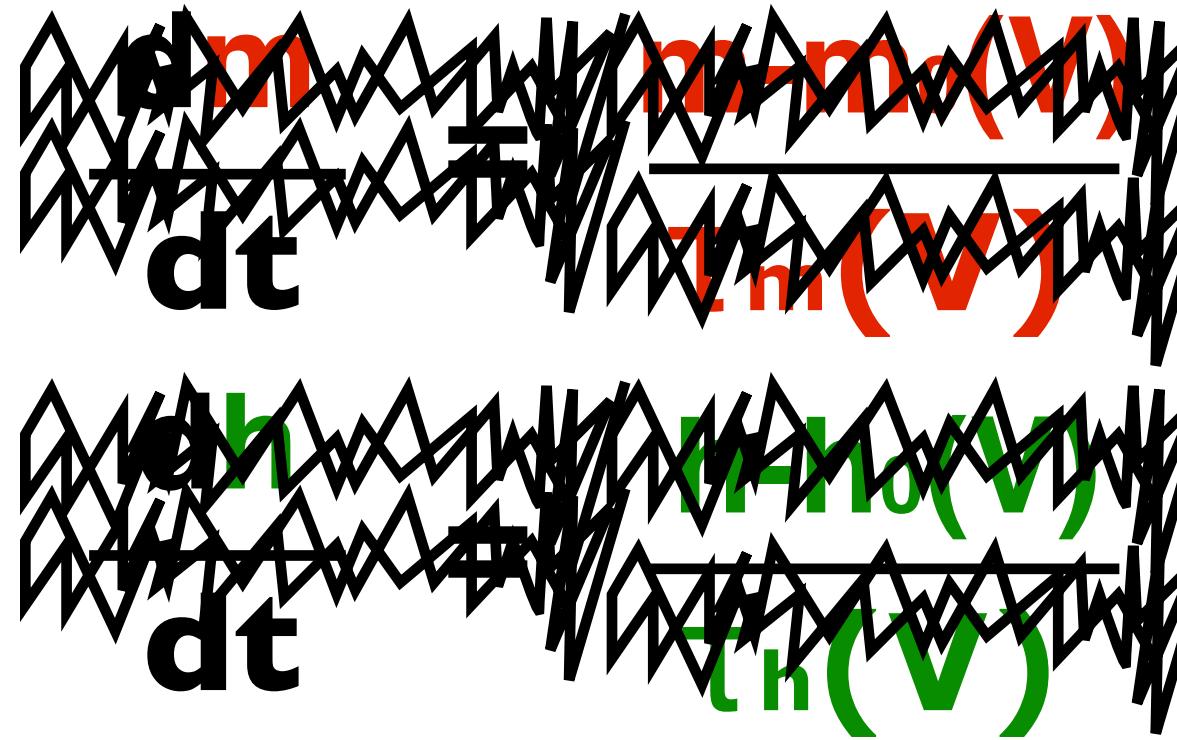
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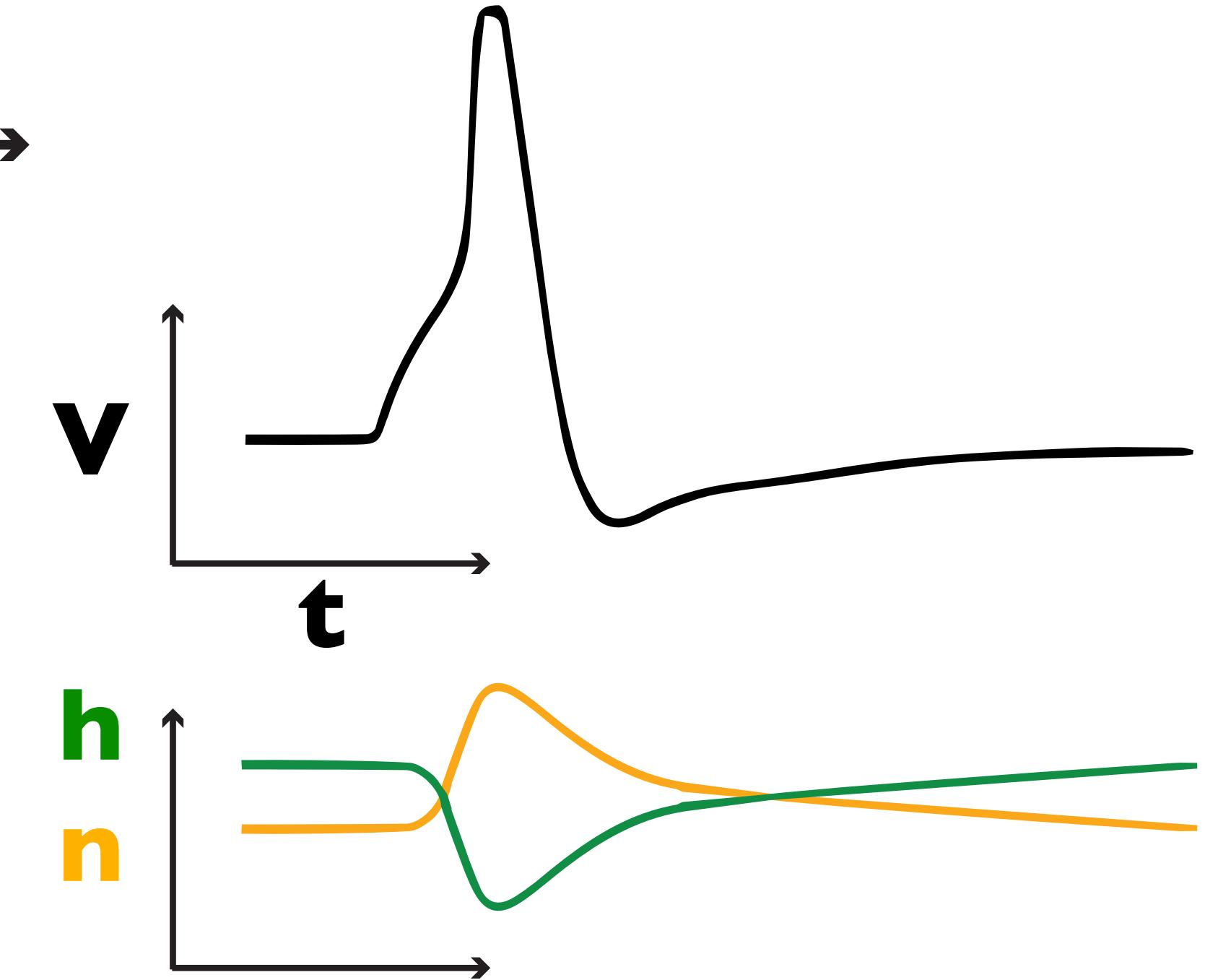
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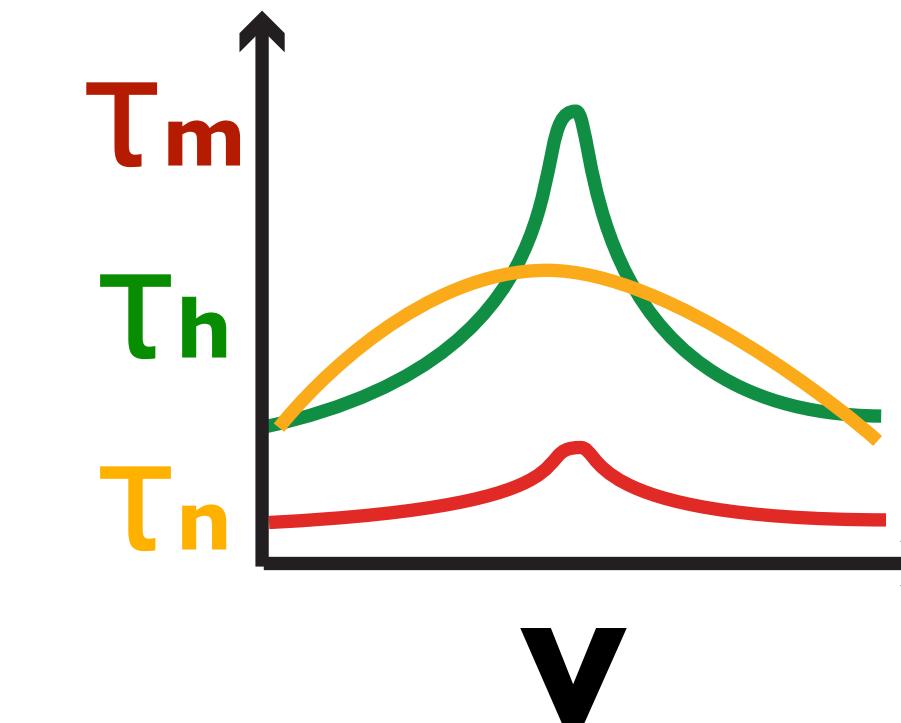
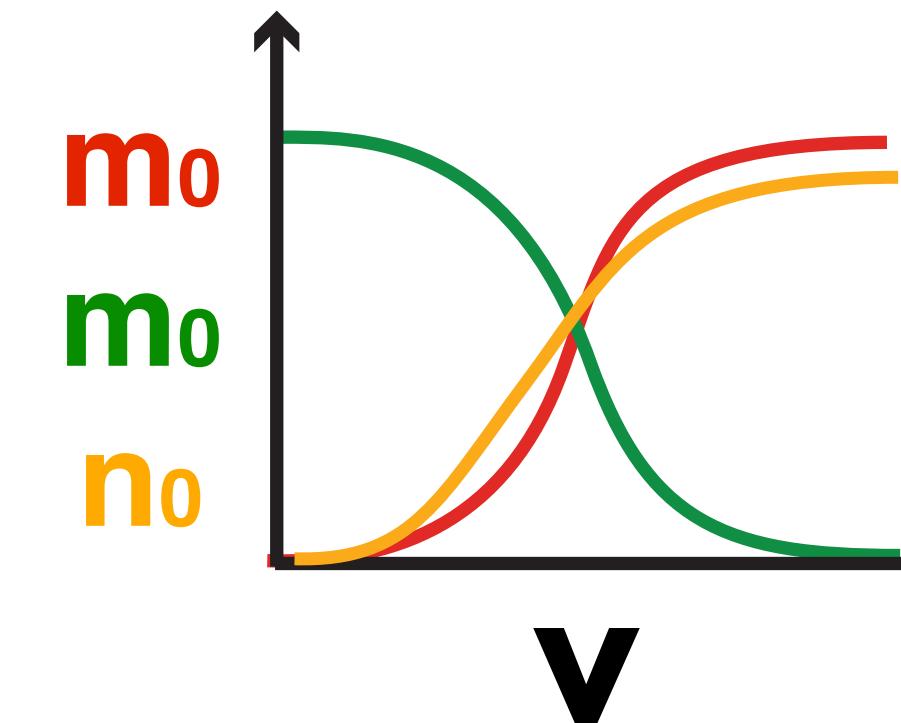
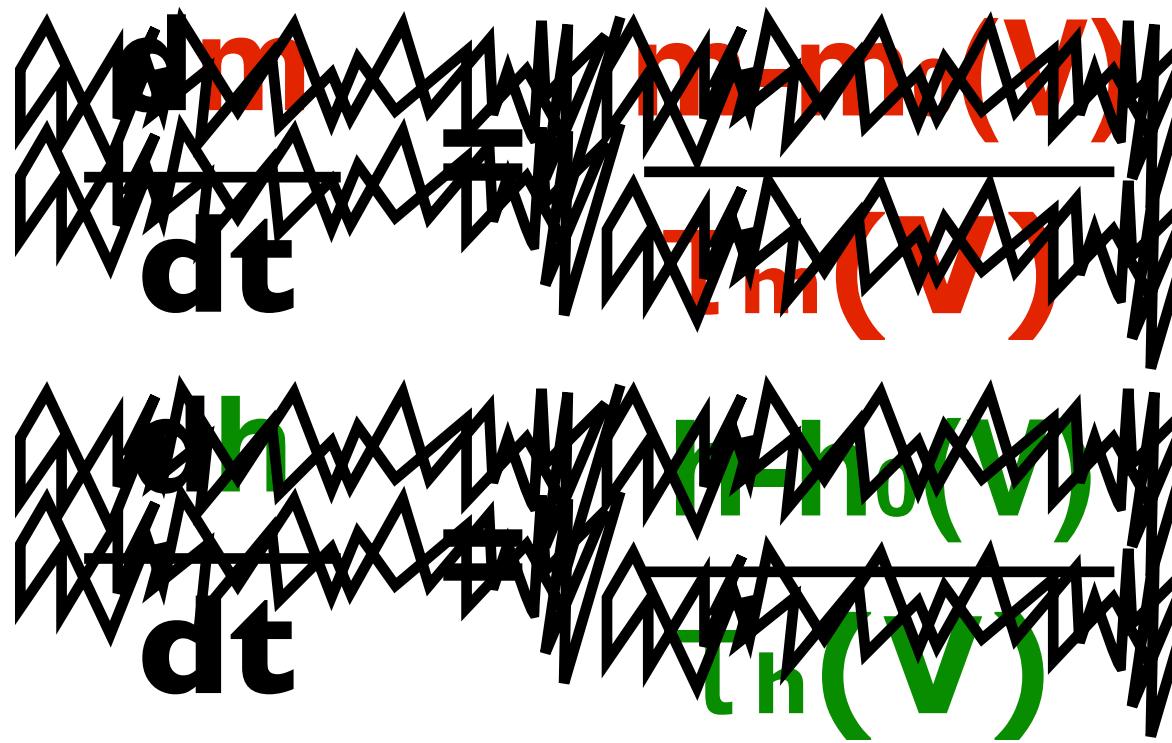
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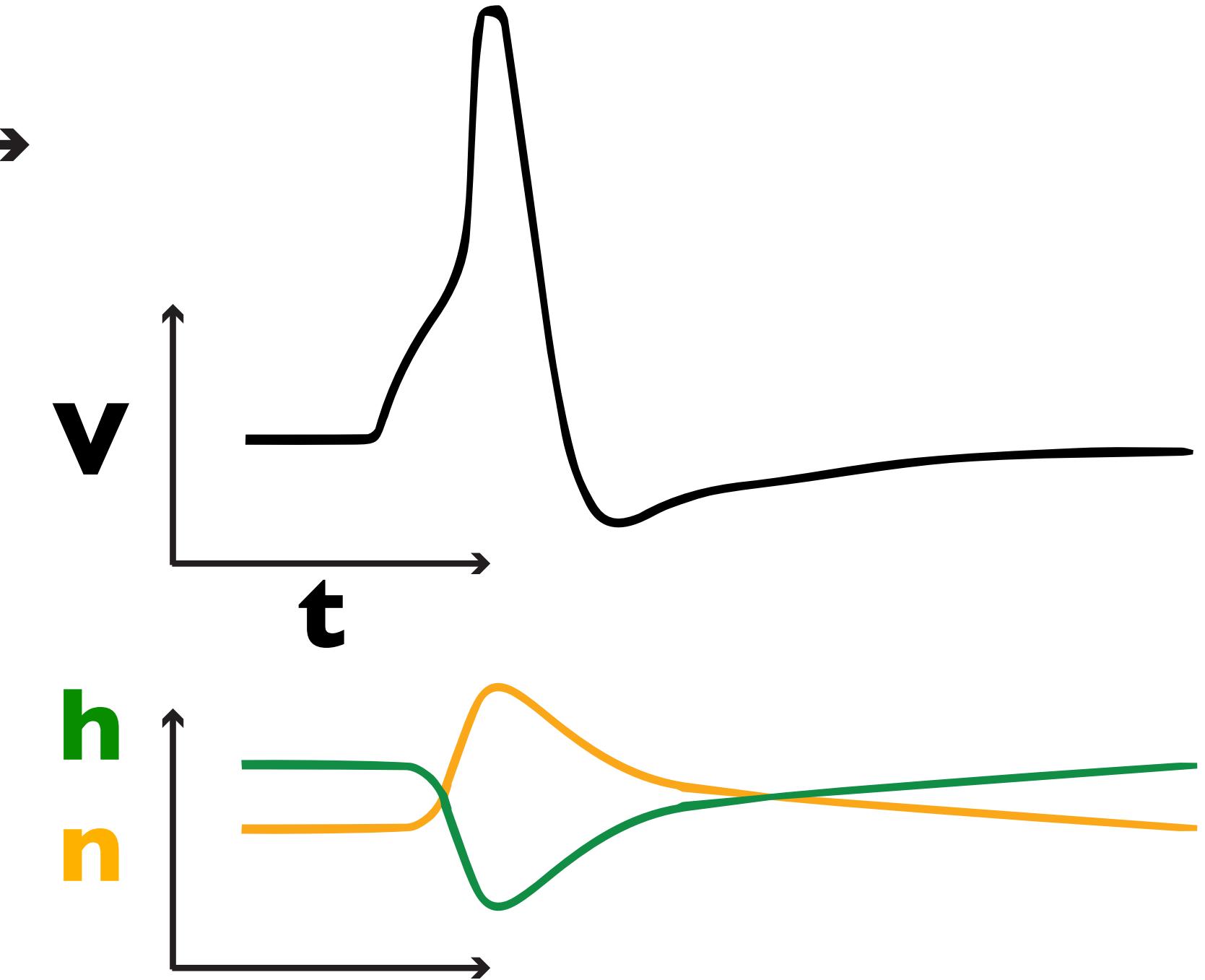
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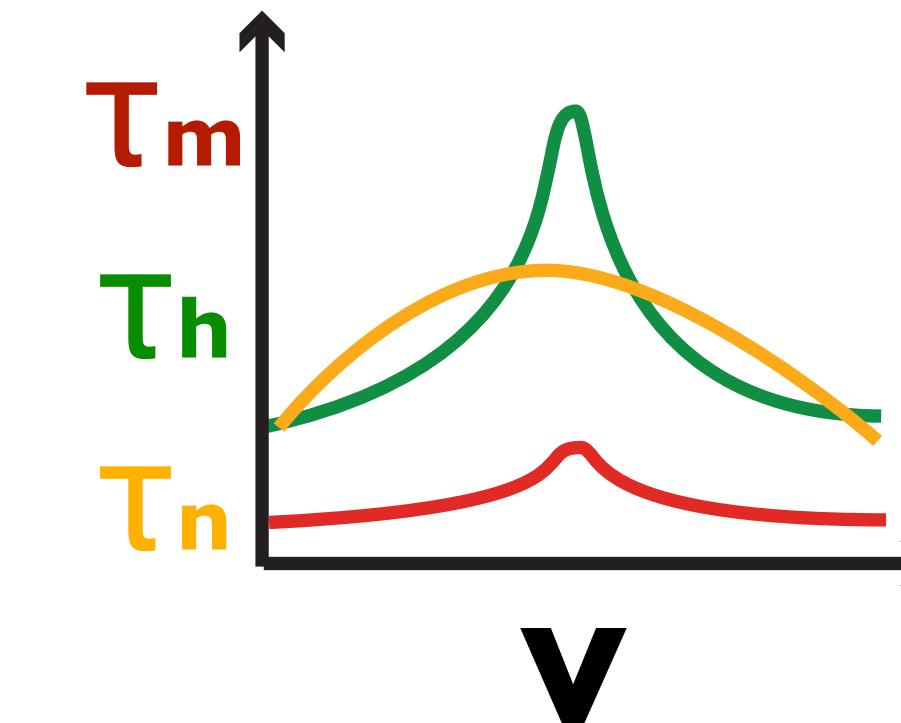
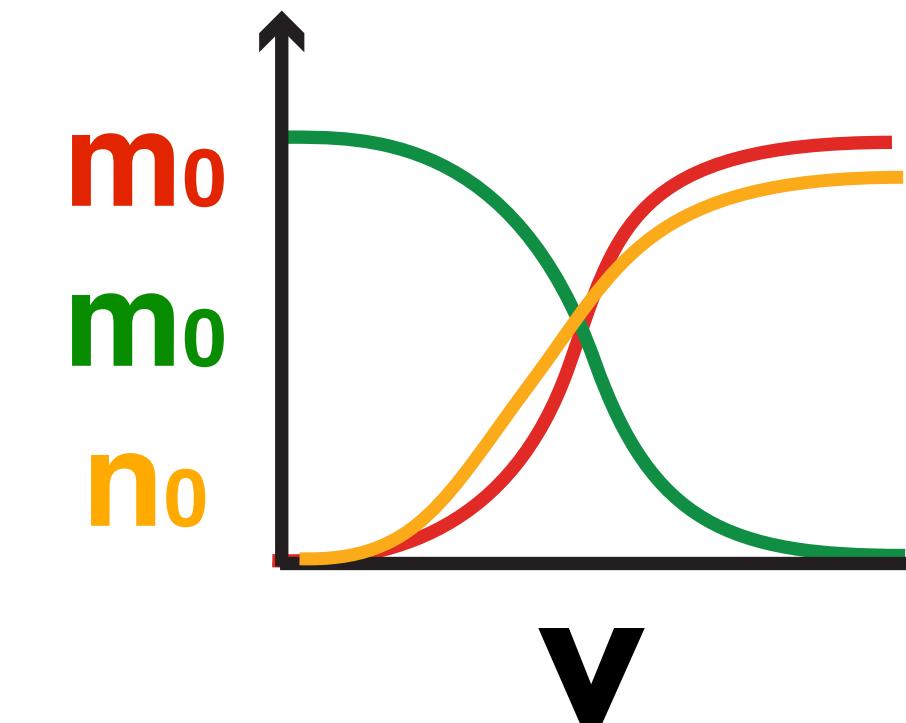
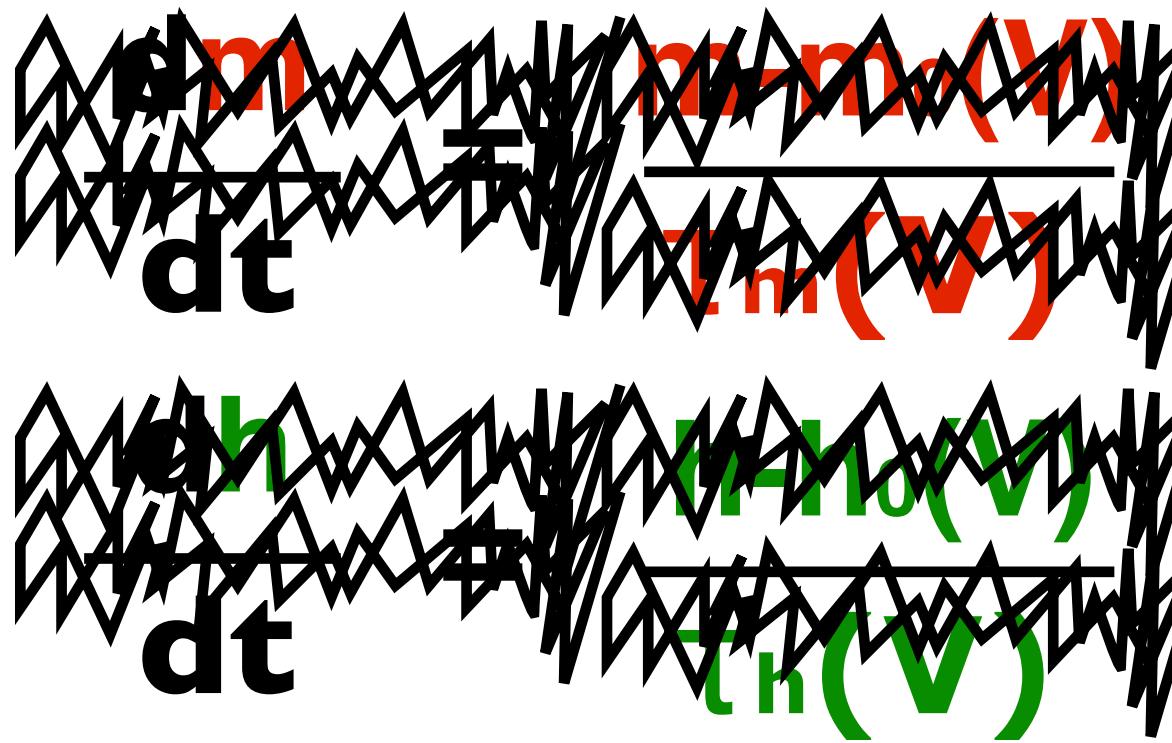
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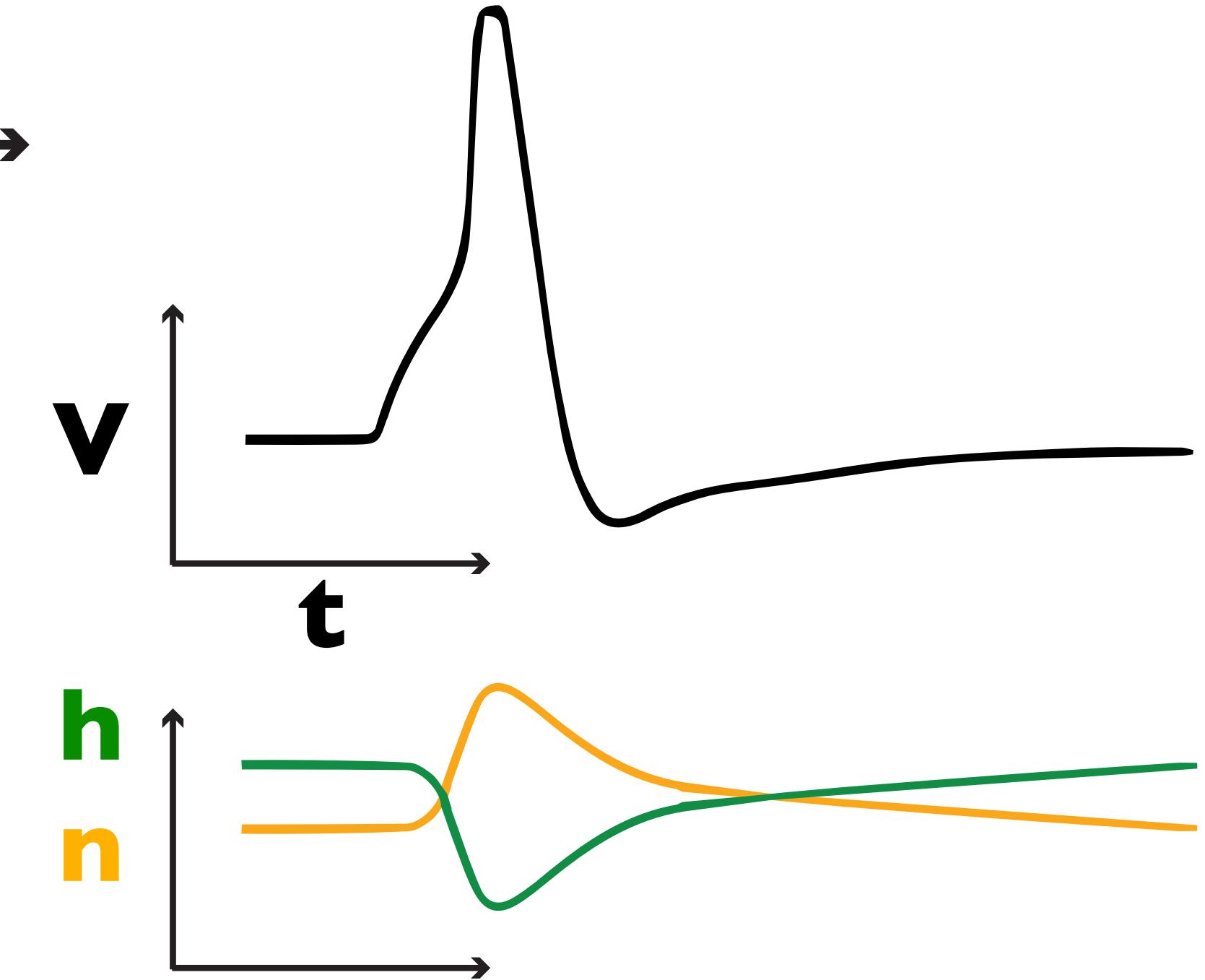
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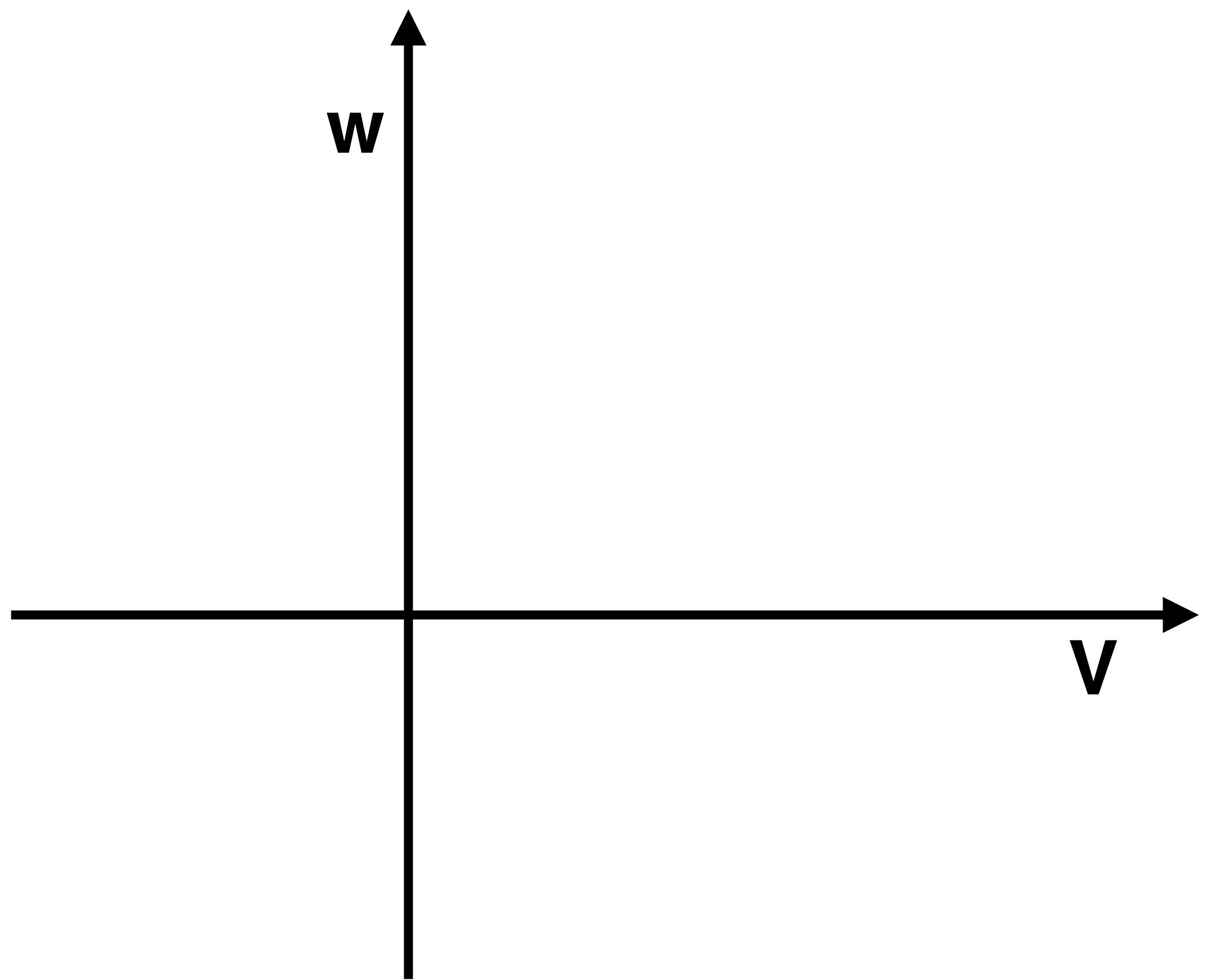
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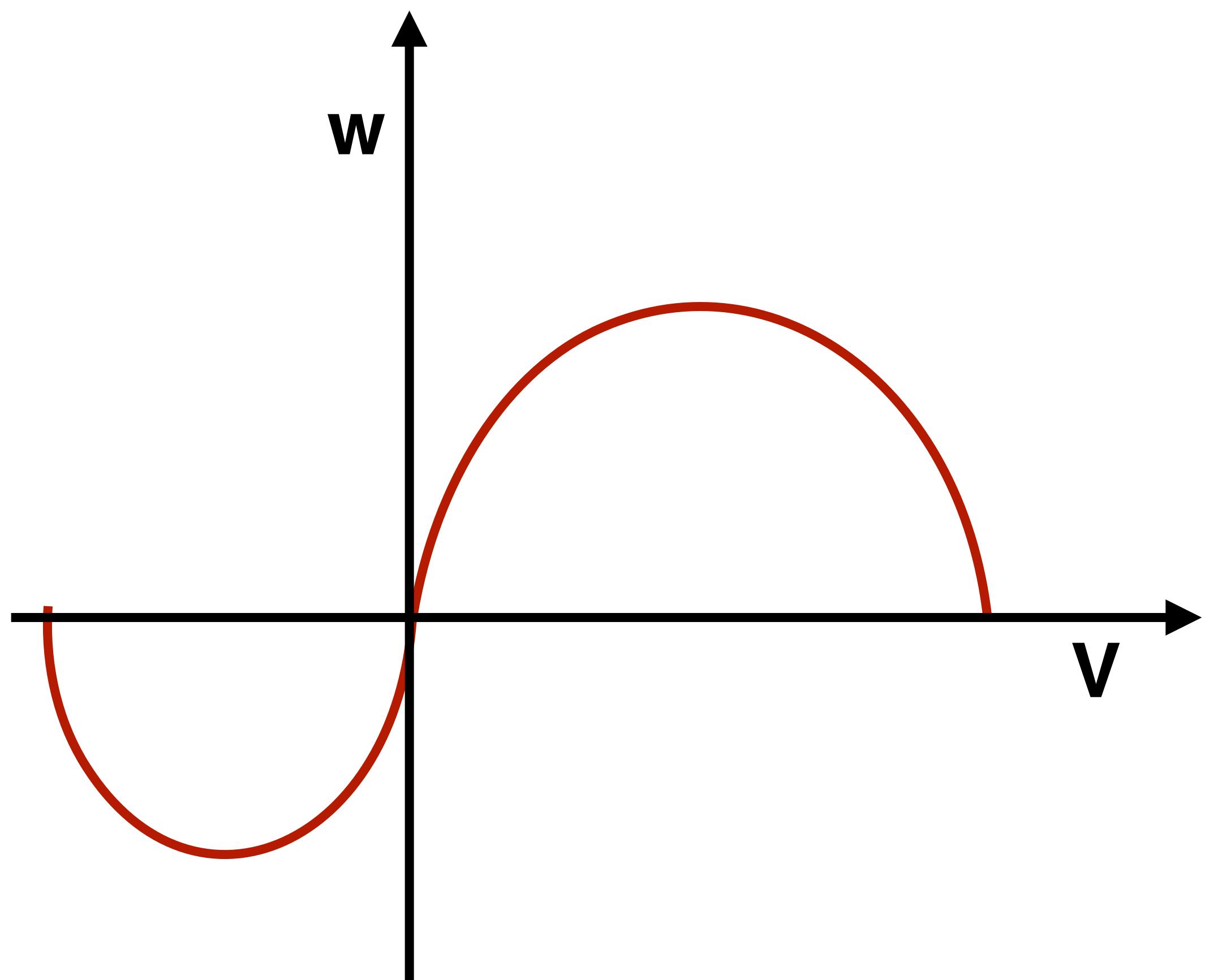
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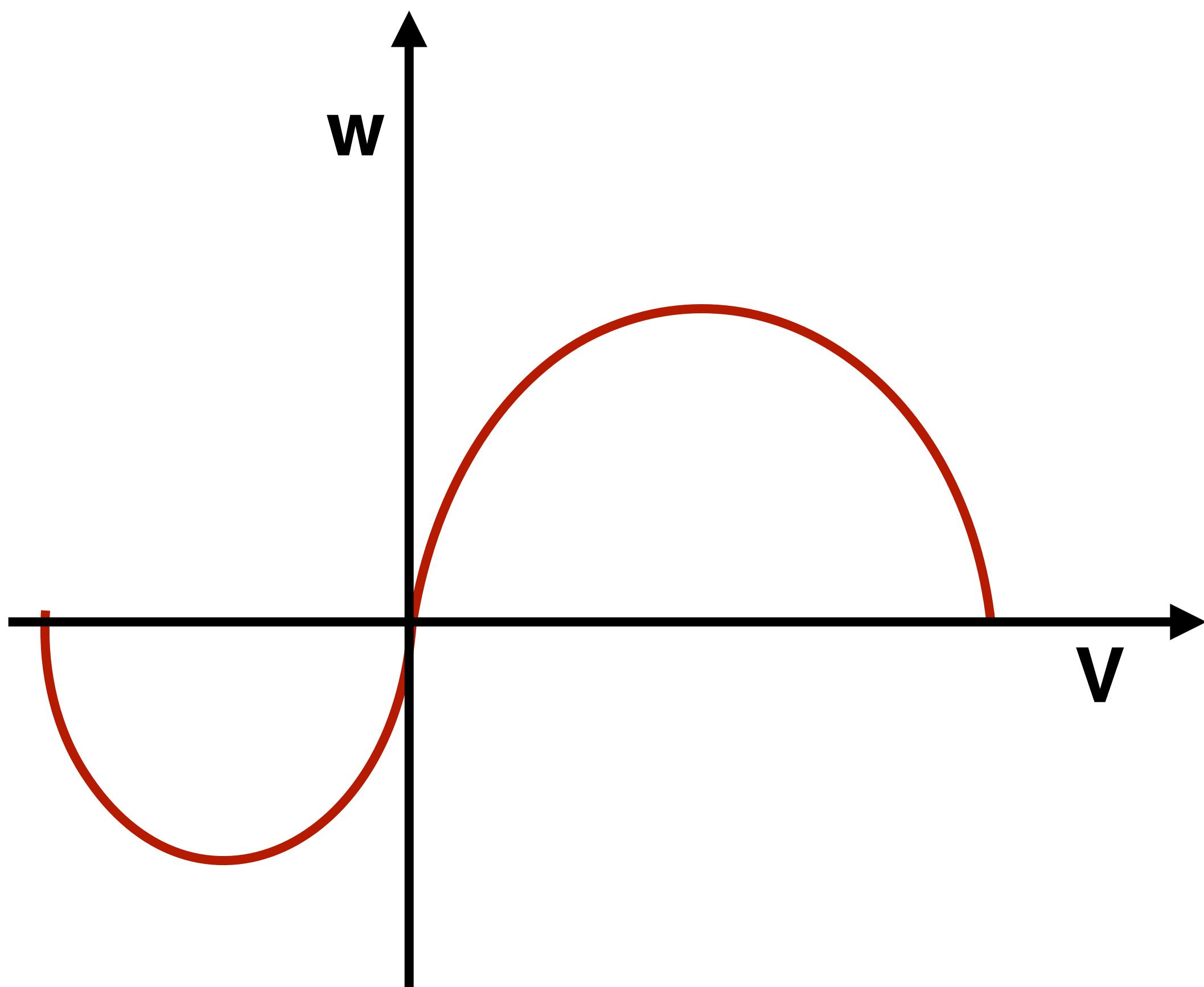
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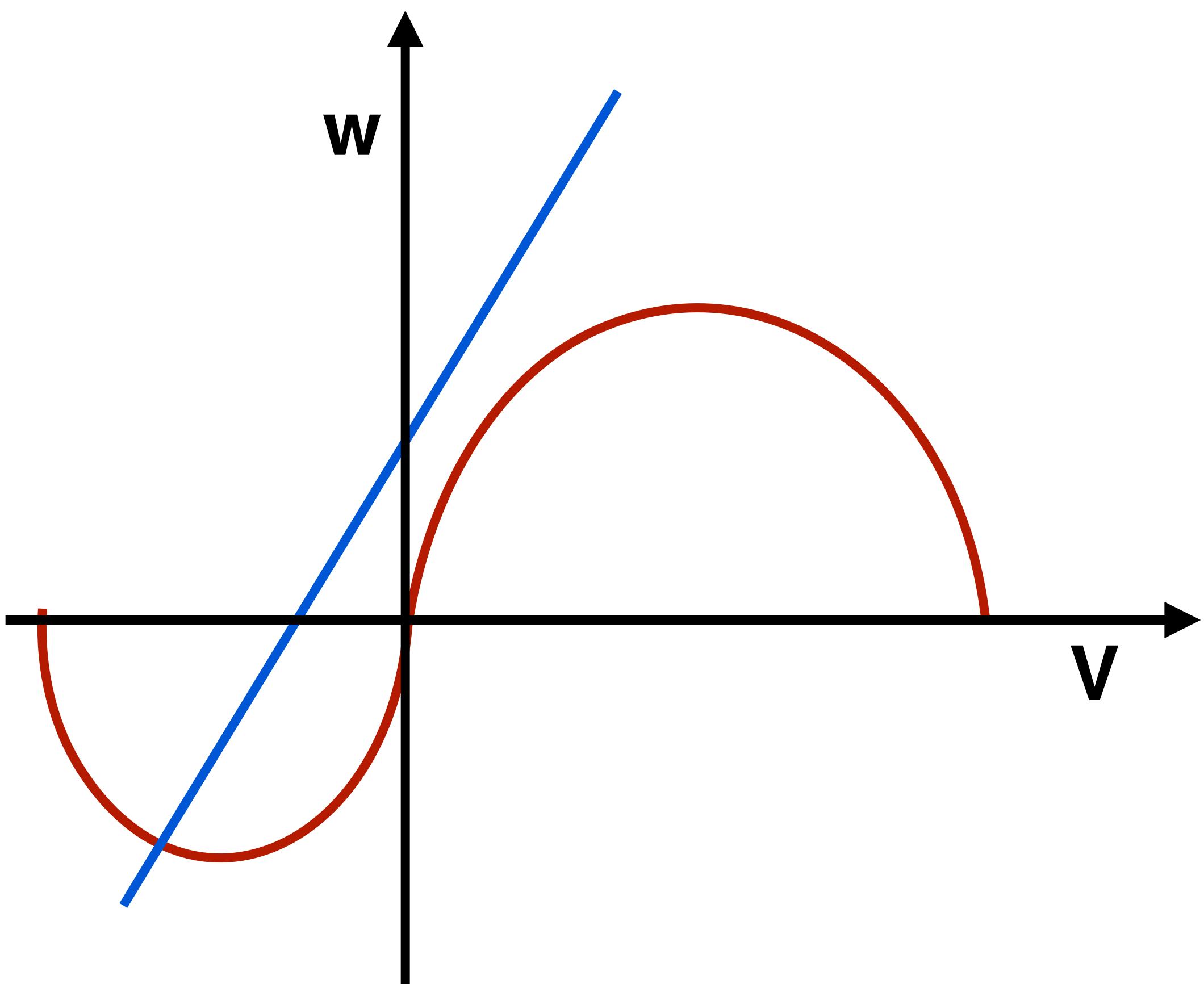
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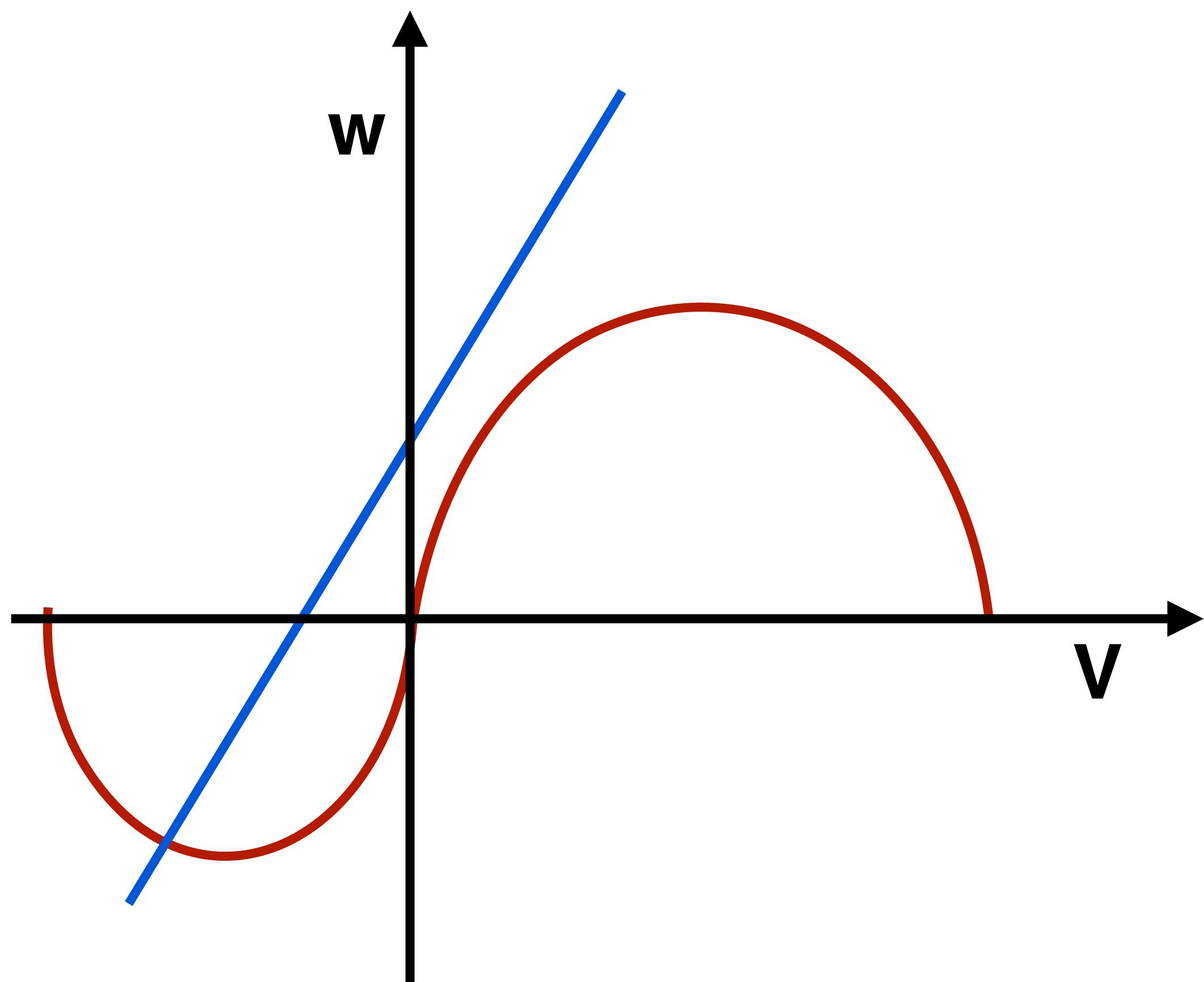
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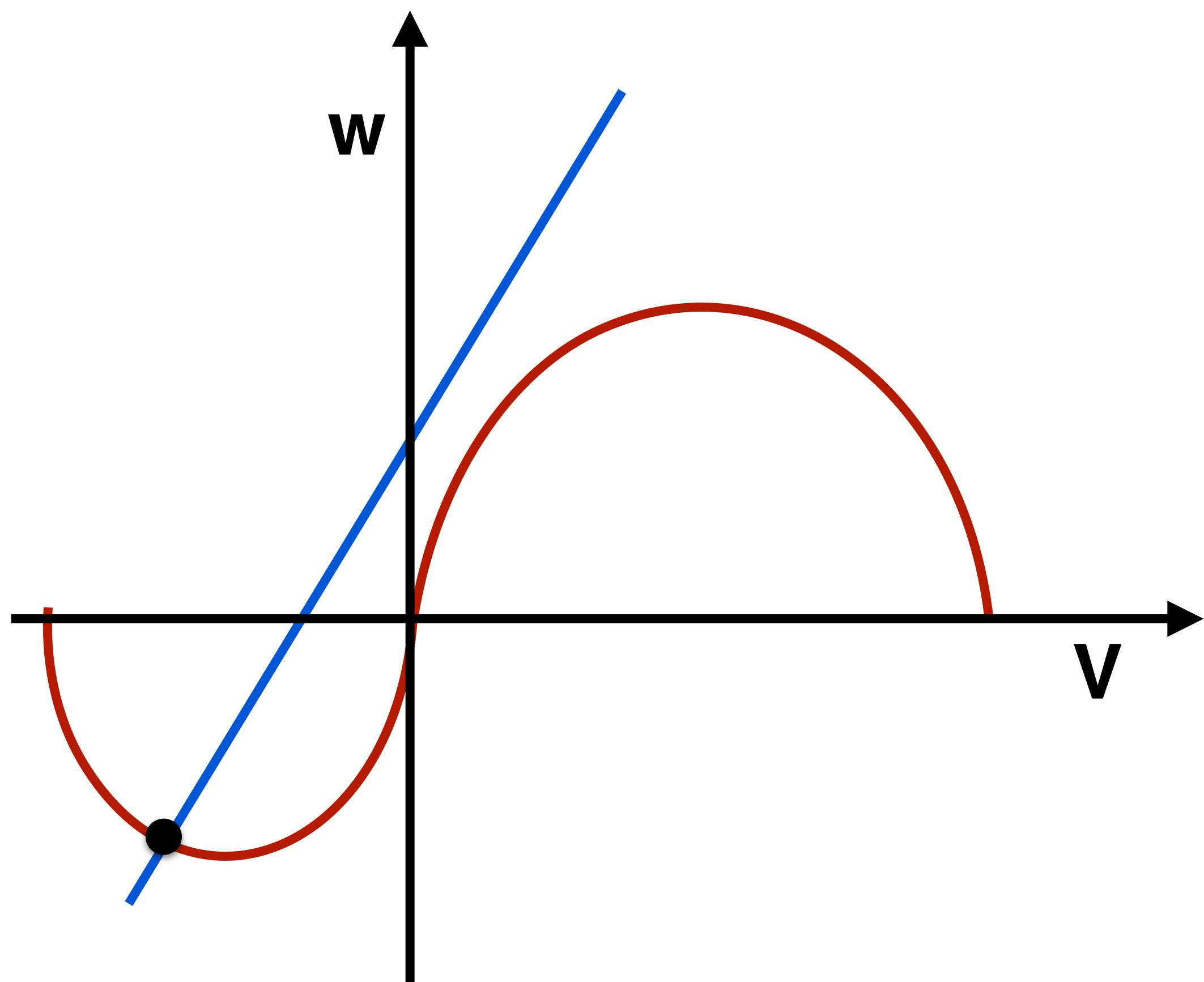
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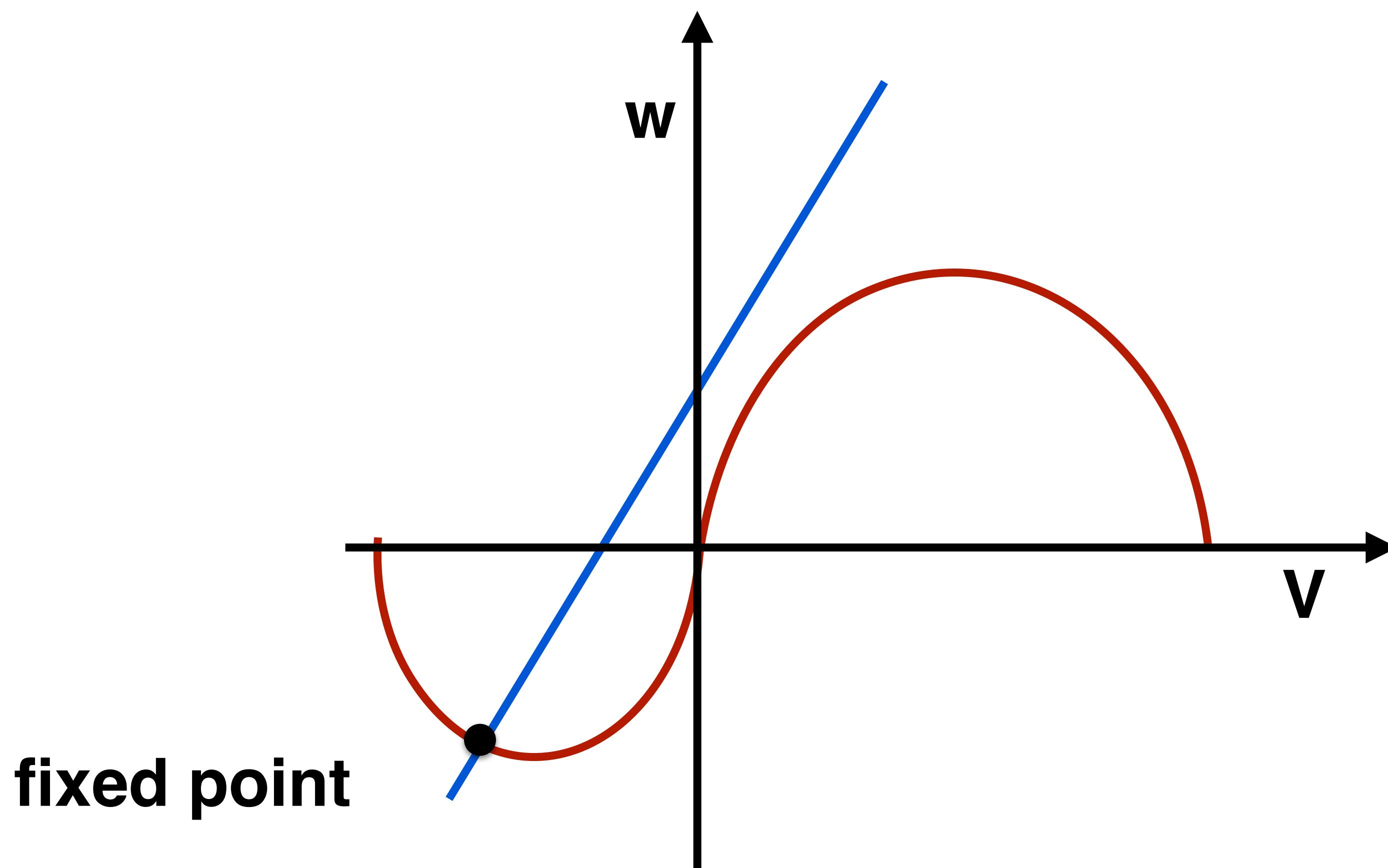
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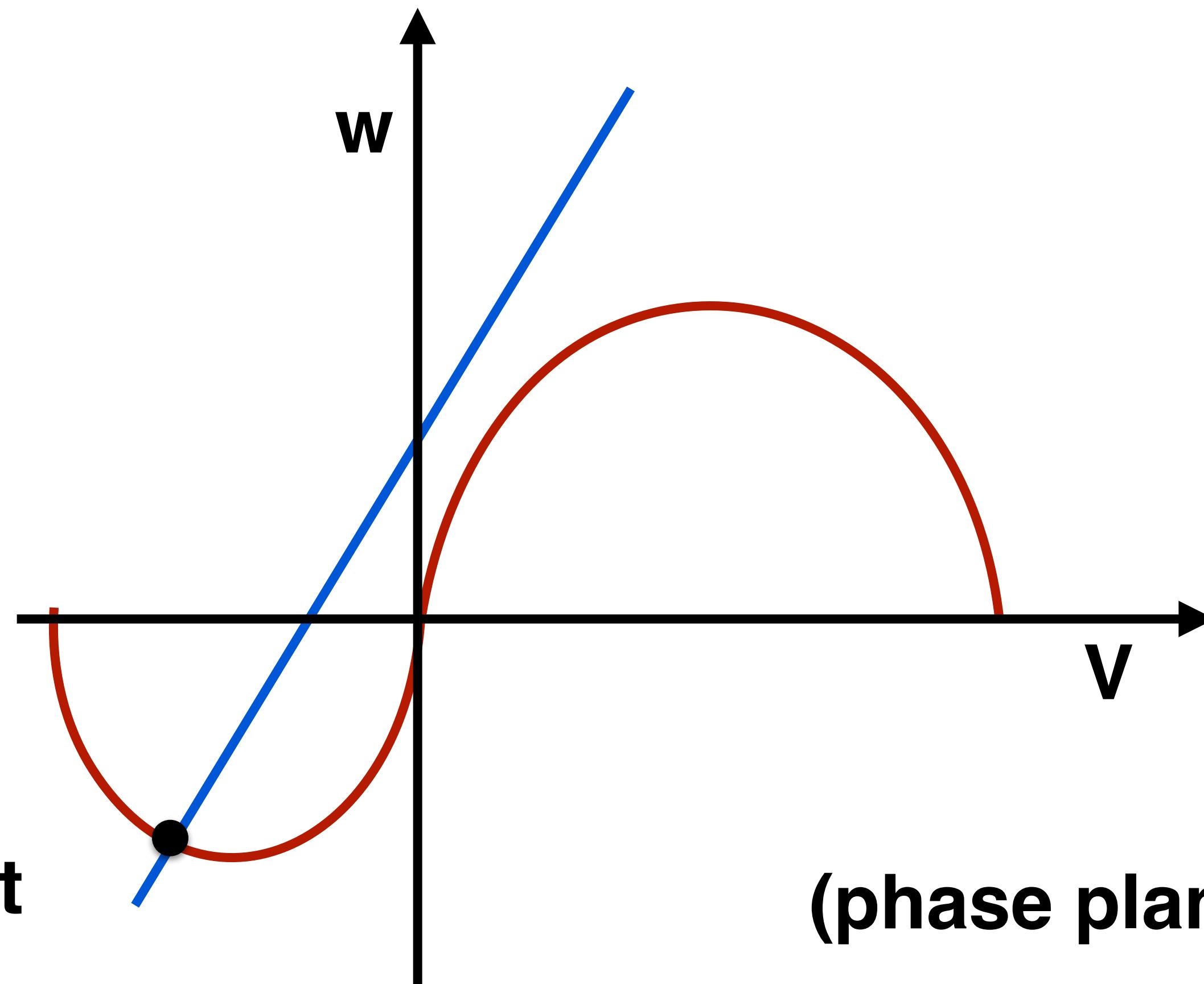
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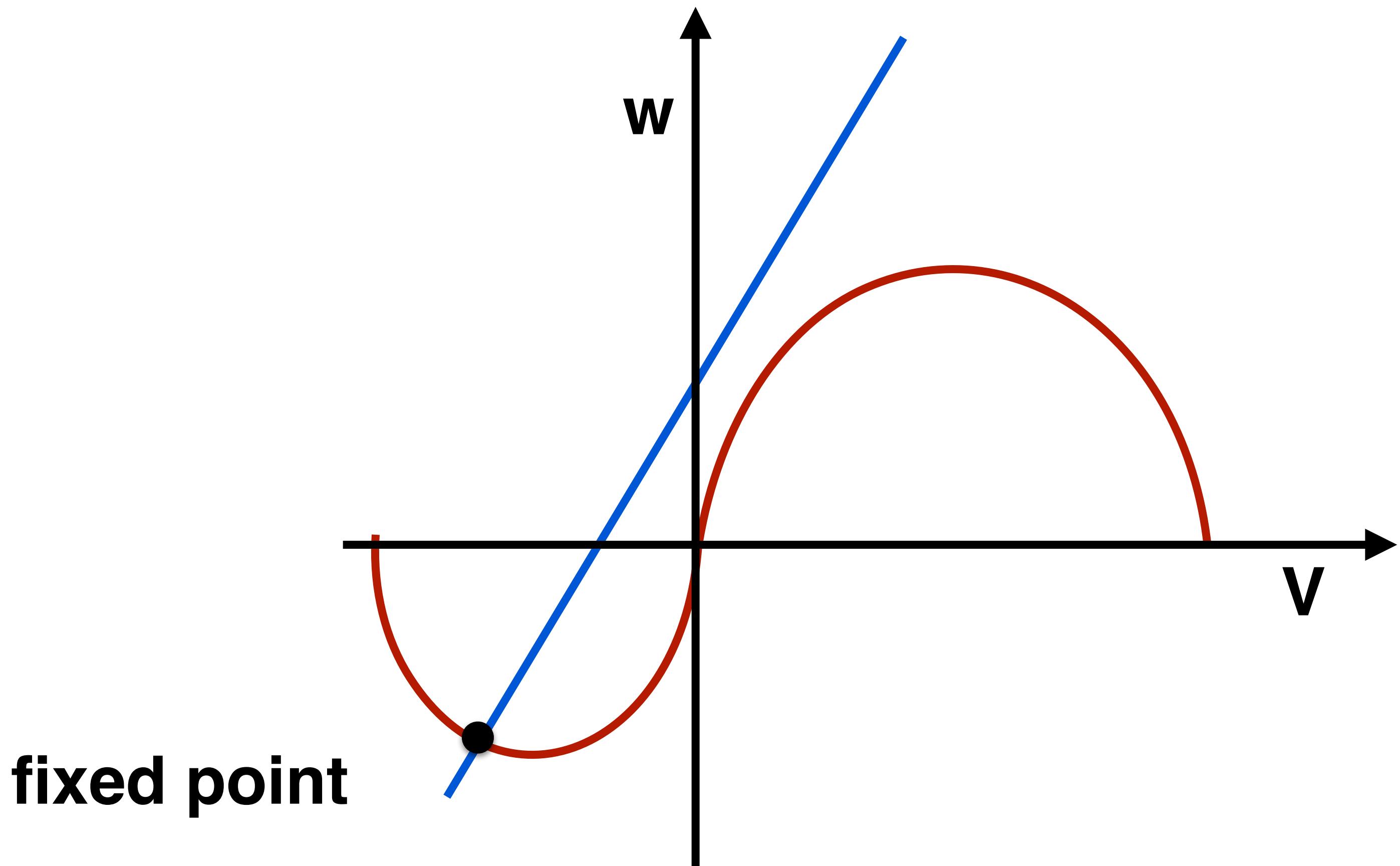
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(phase plane analysis)

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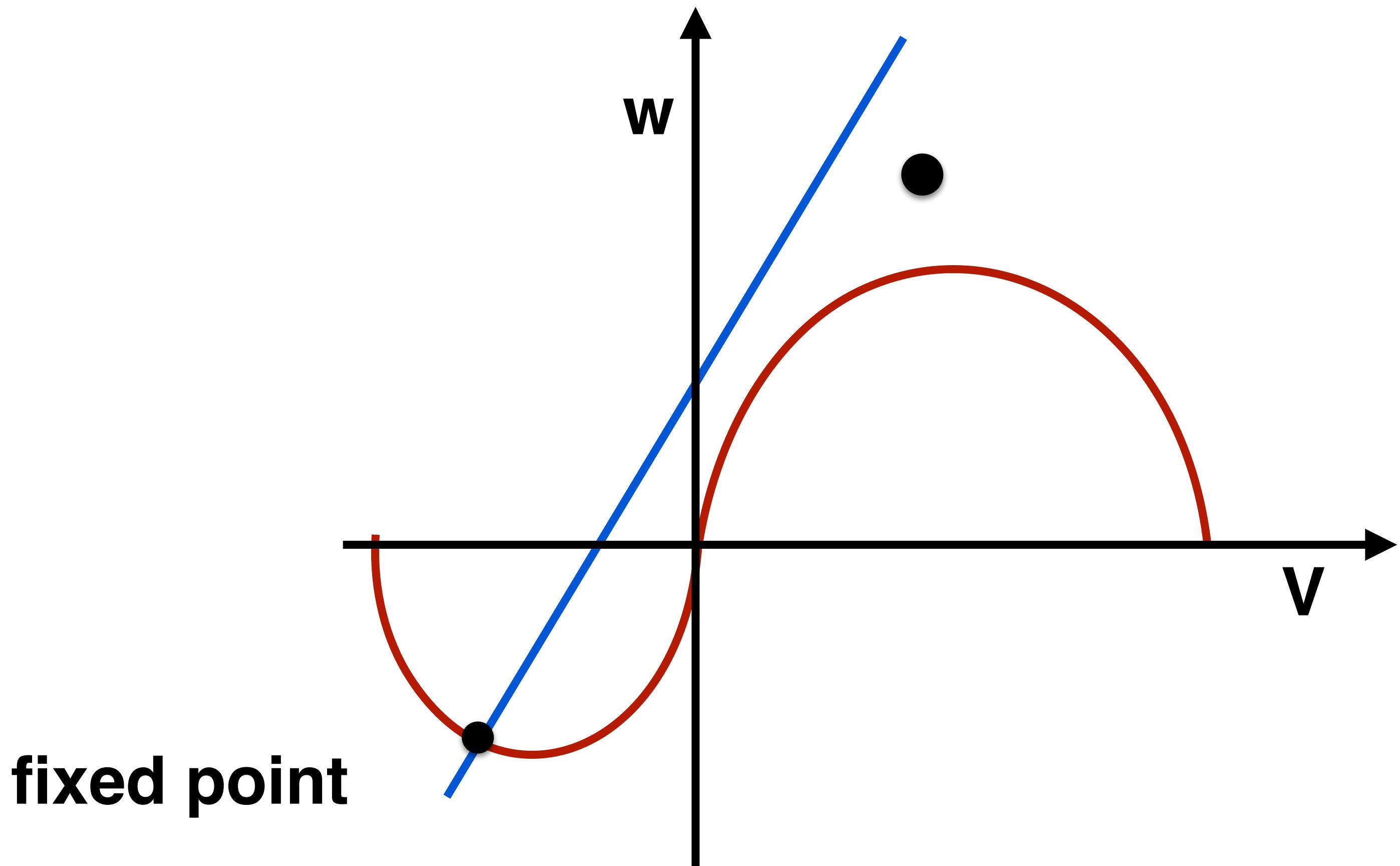
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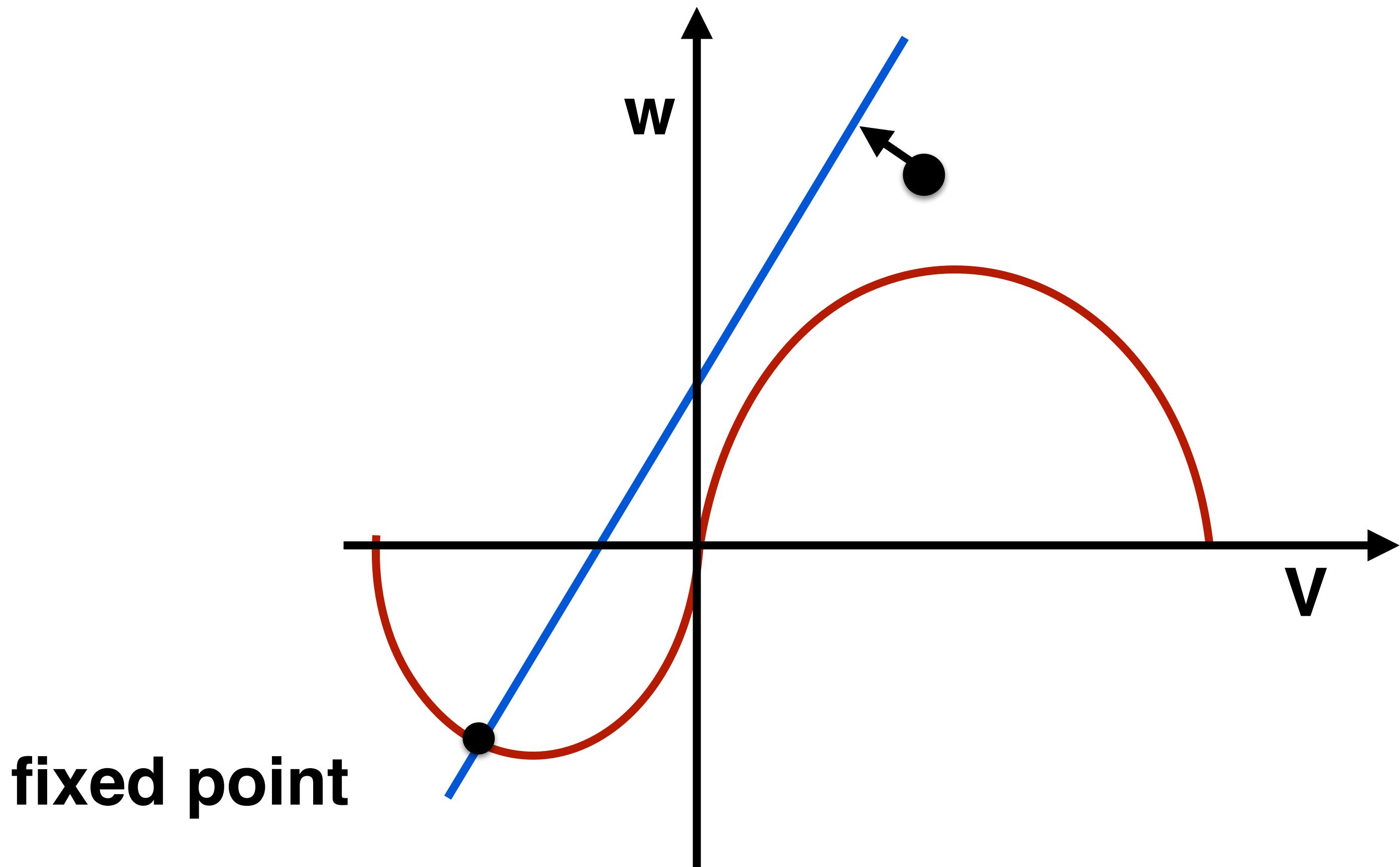
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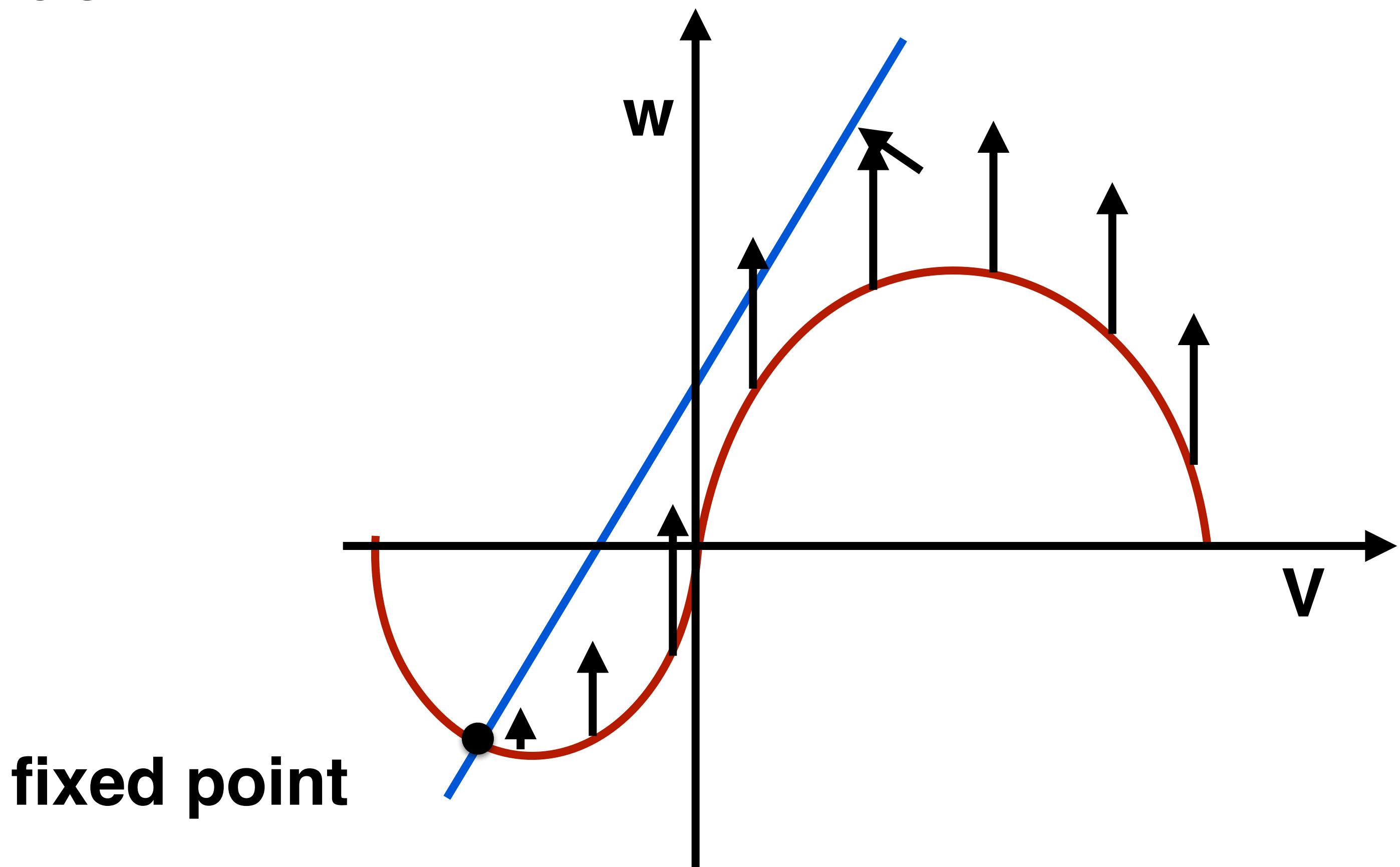
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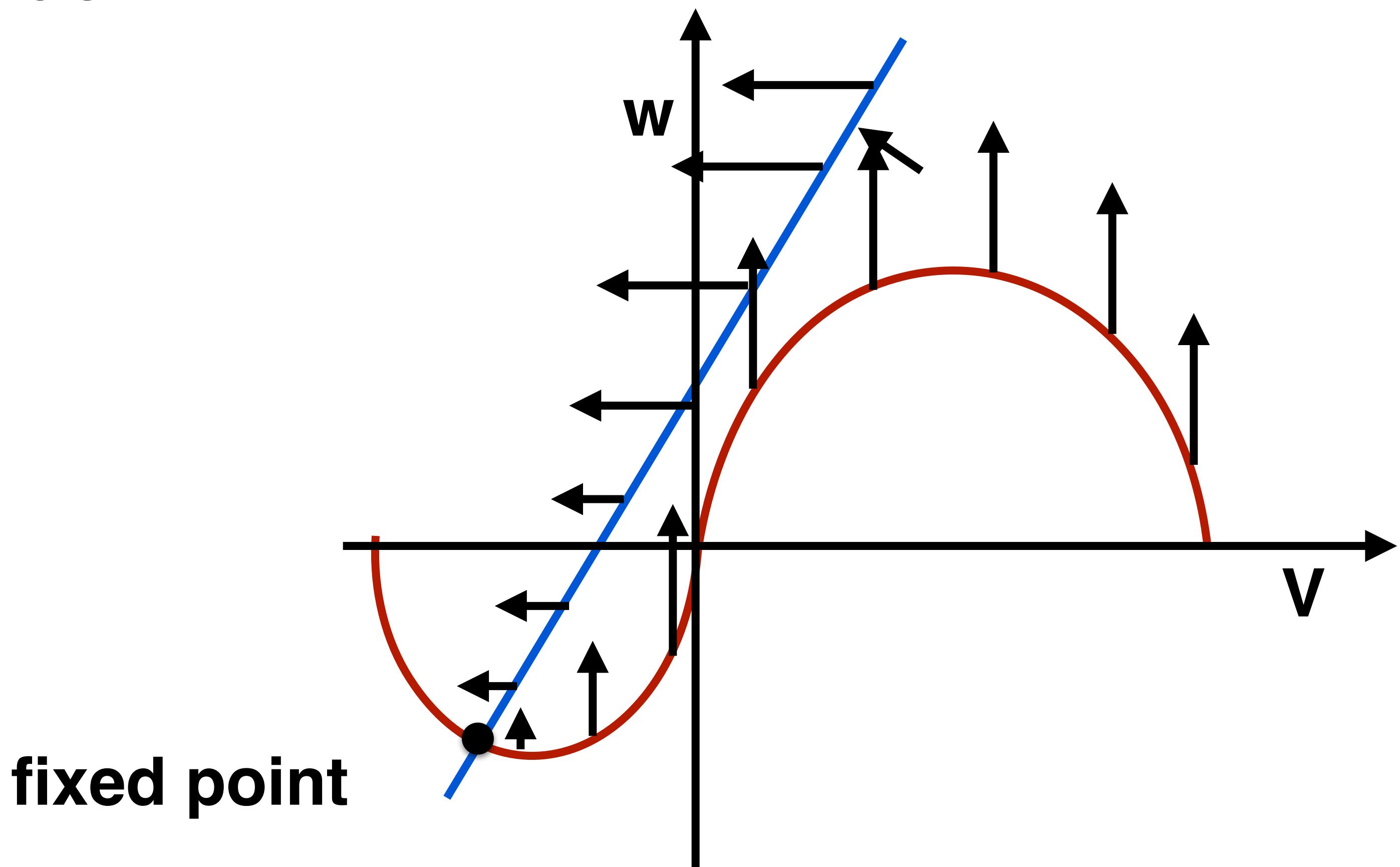
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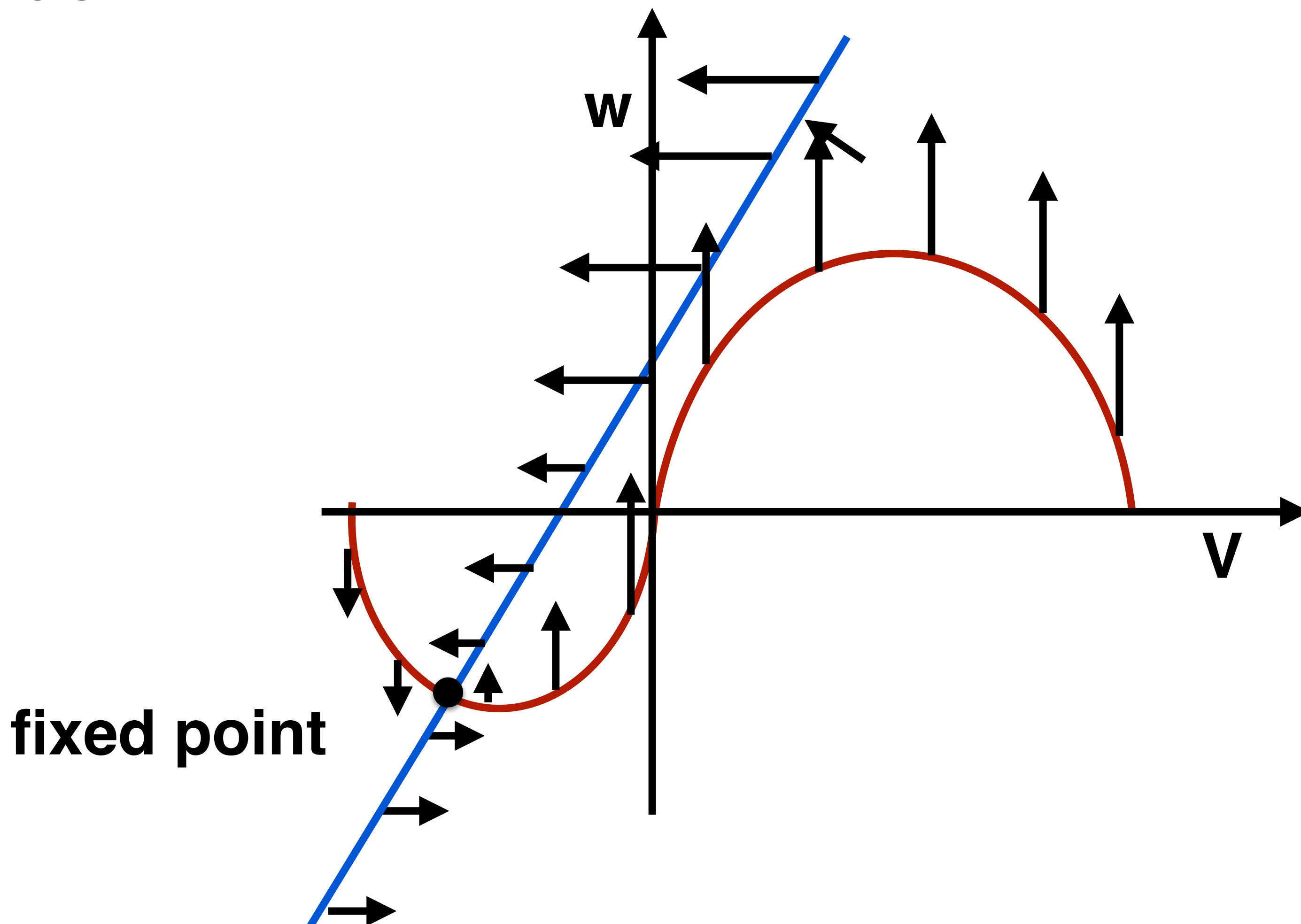
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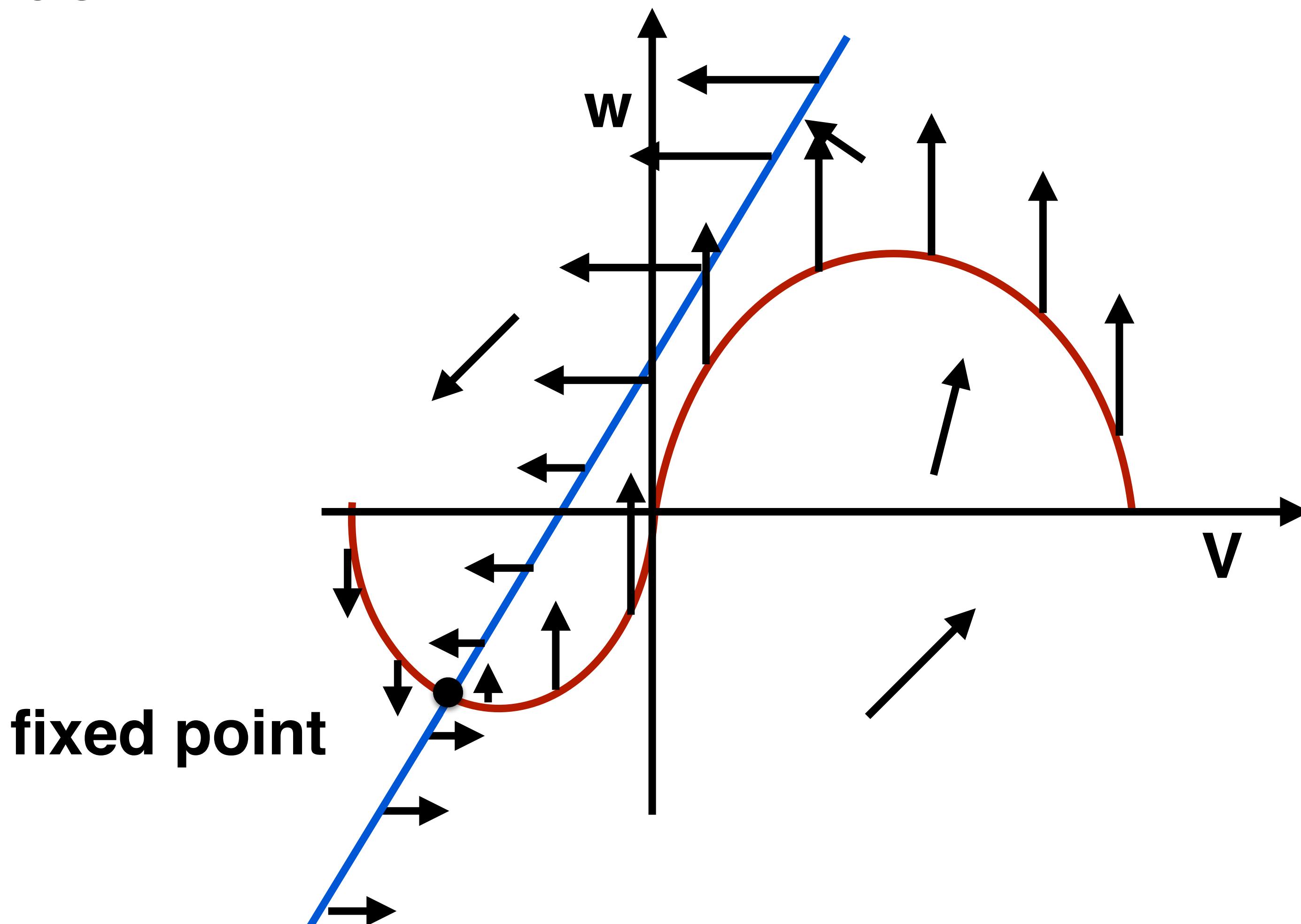
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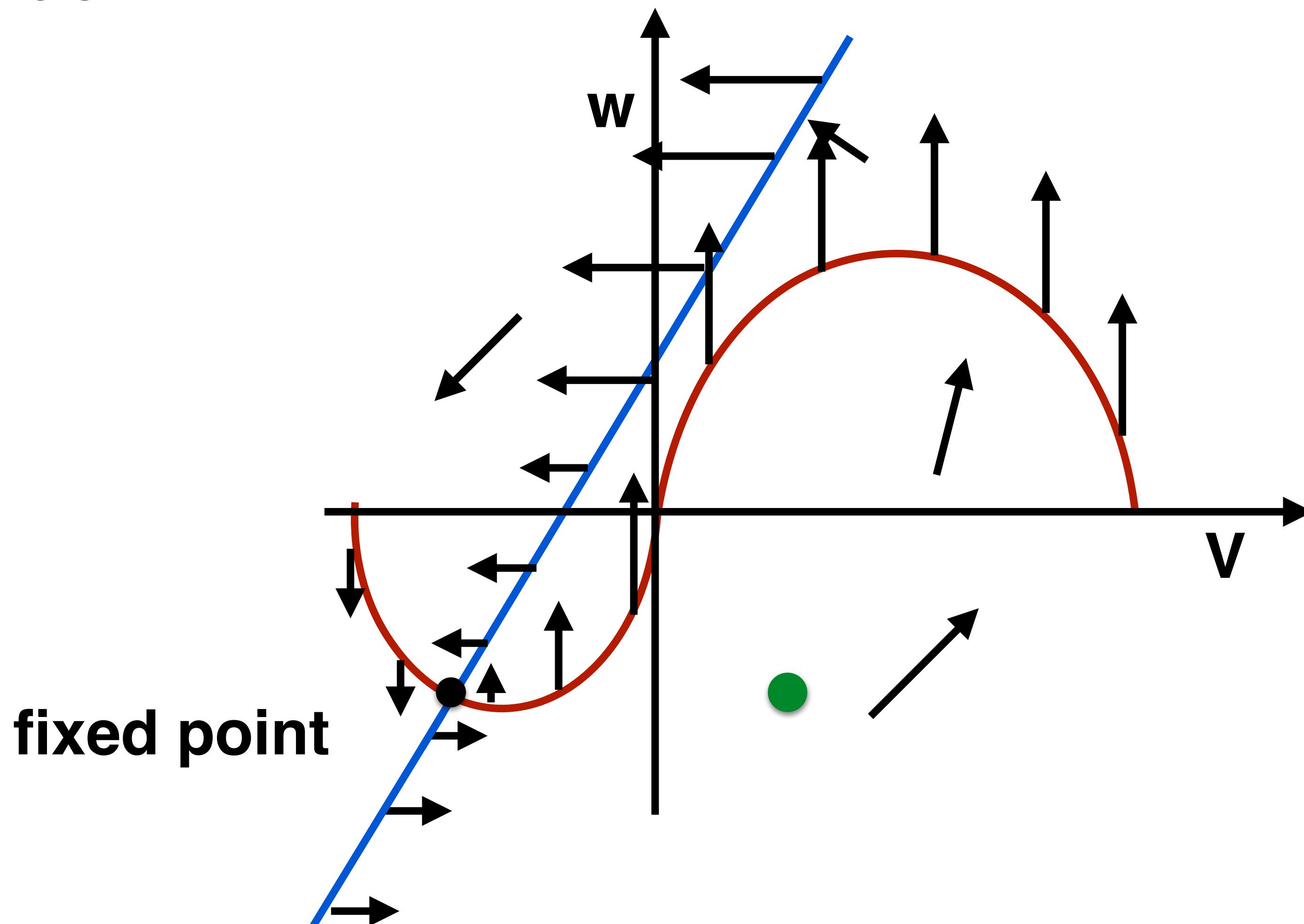
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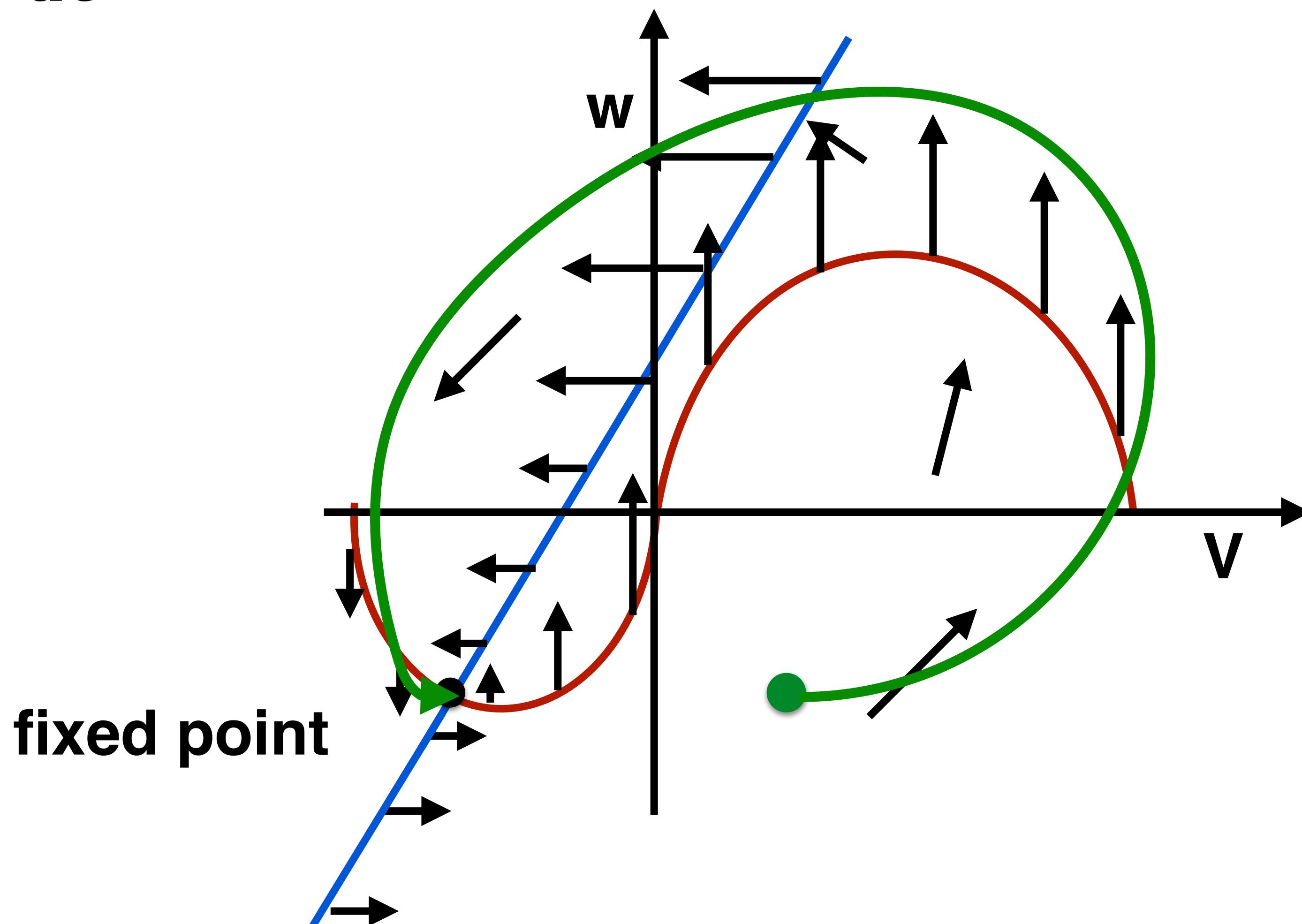
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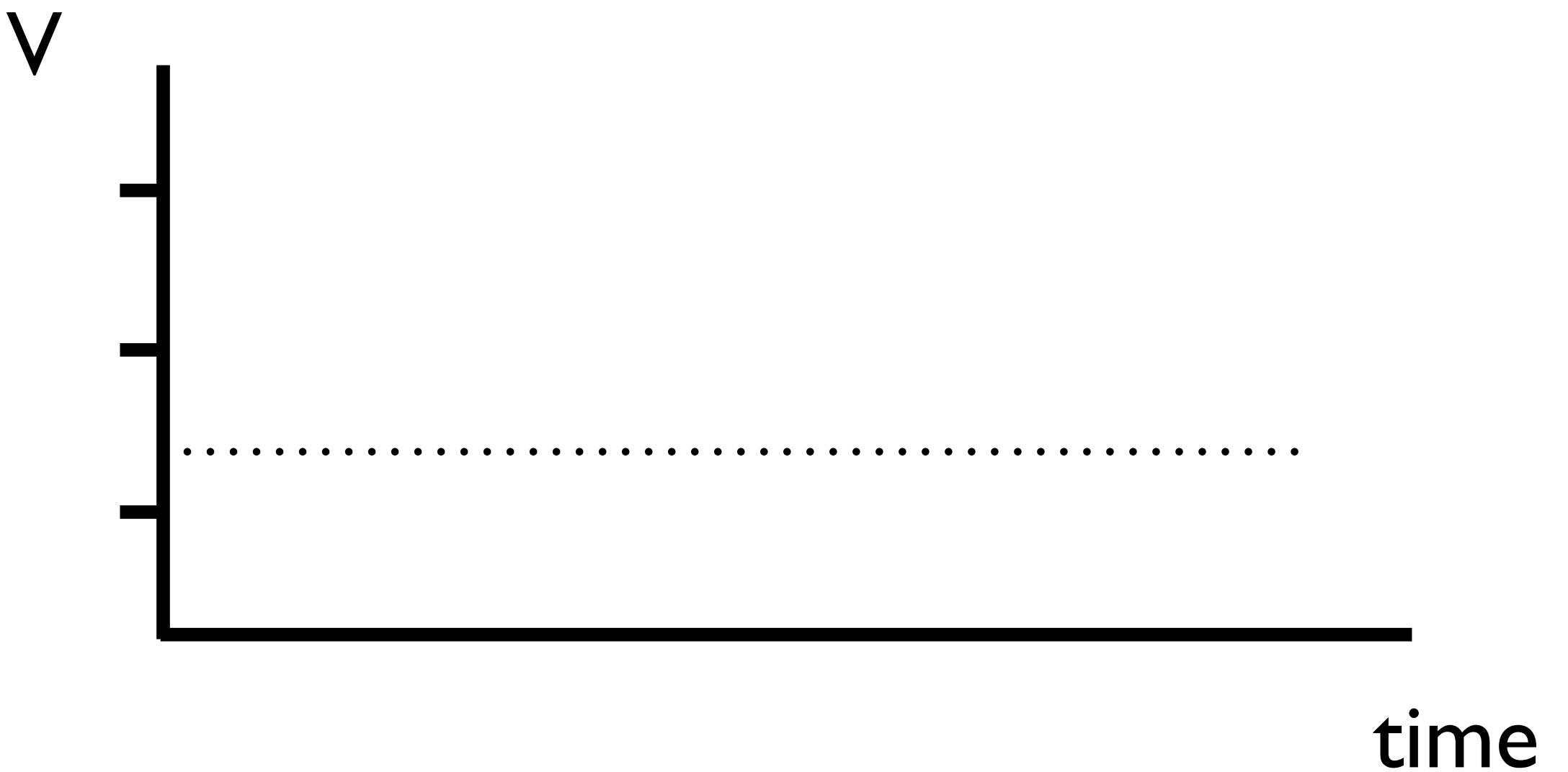
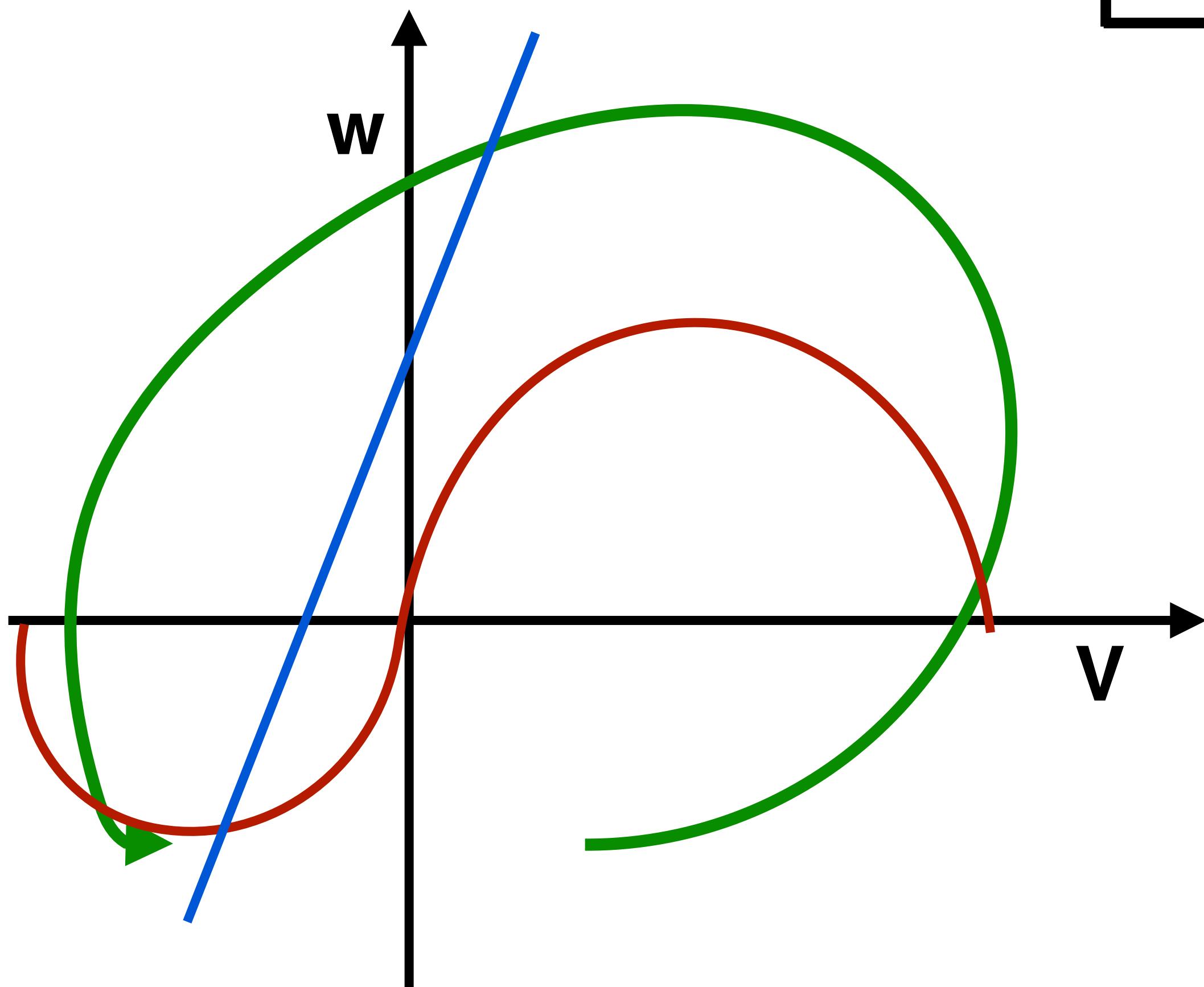
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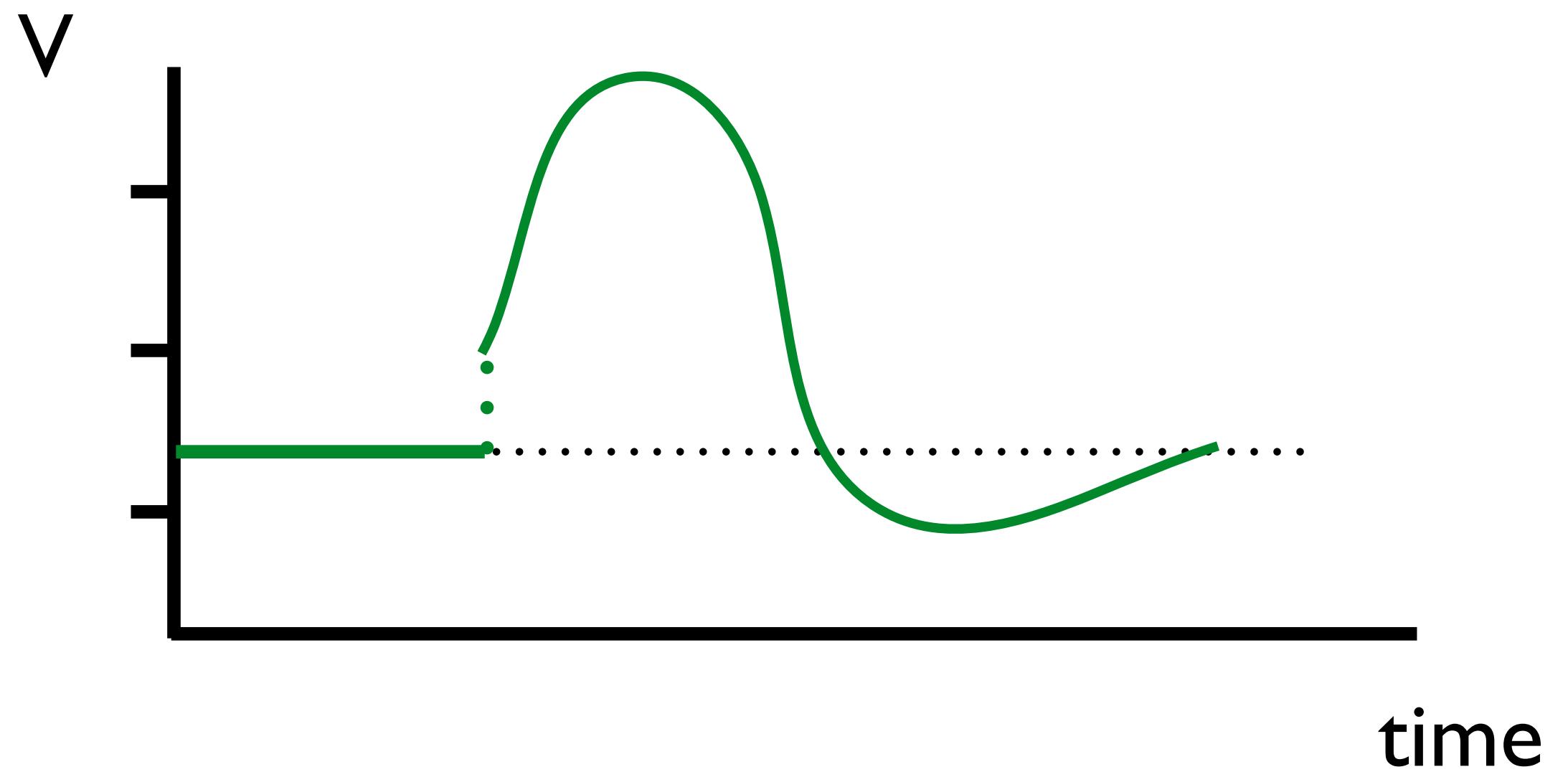
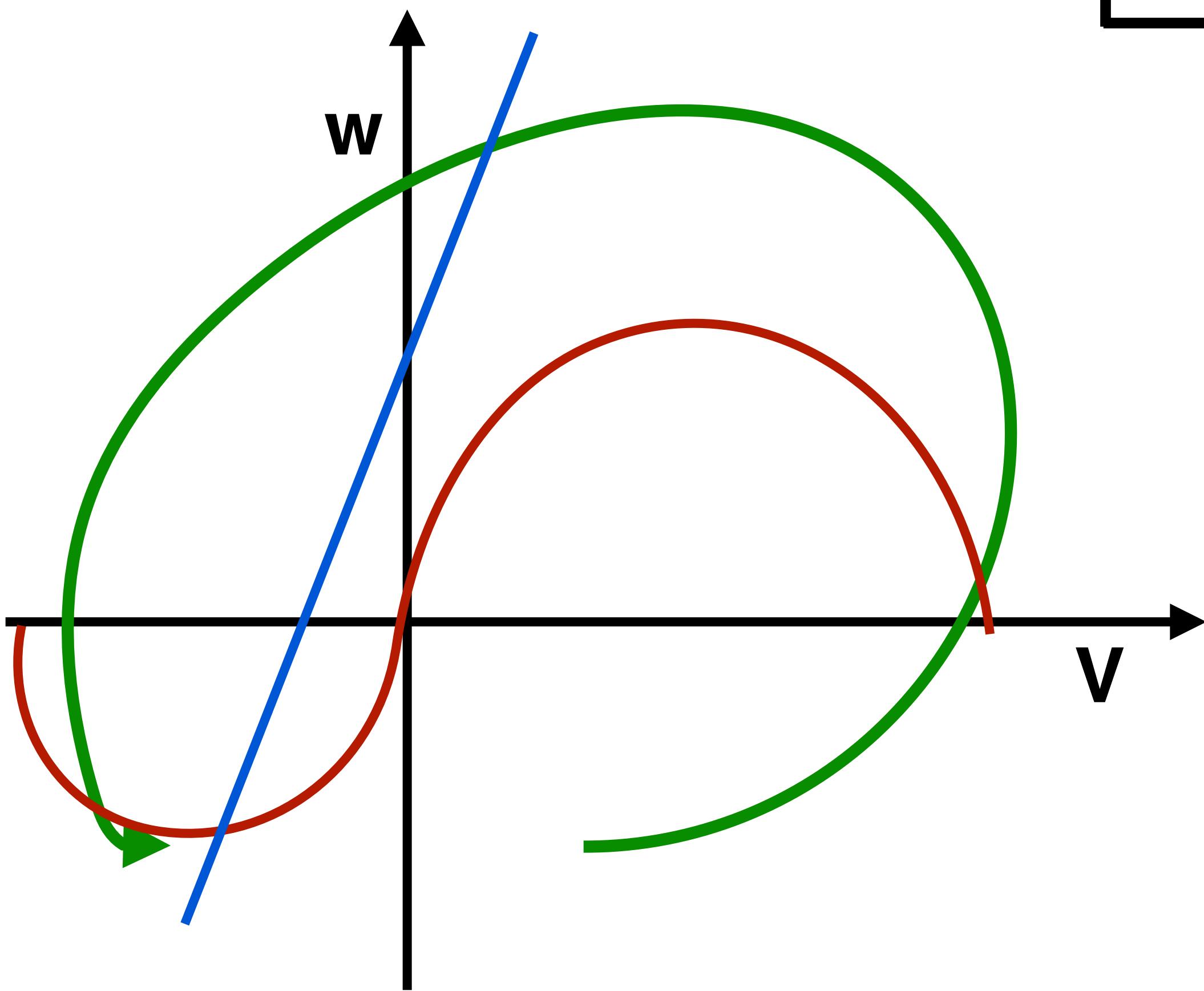
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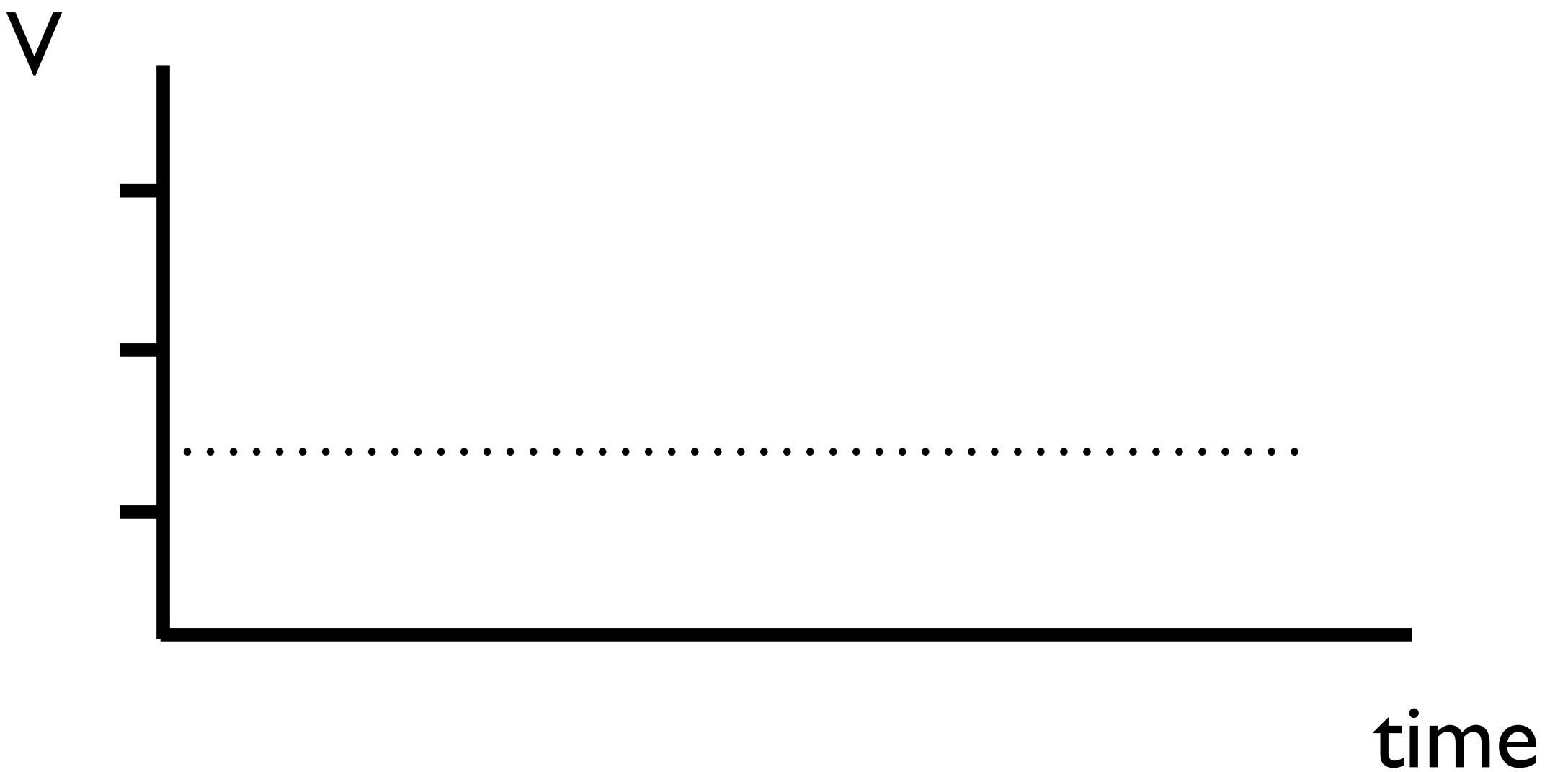
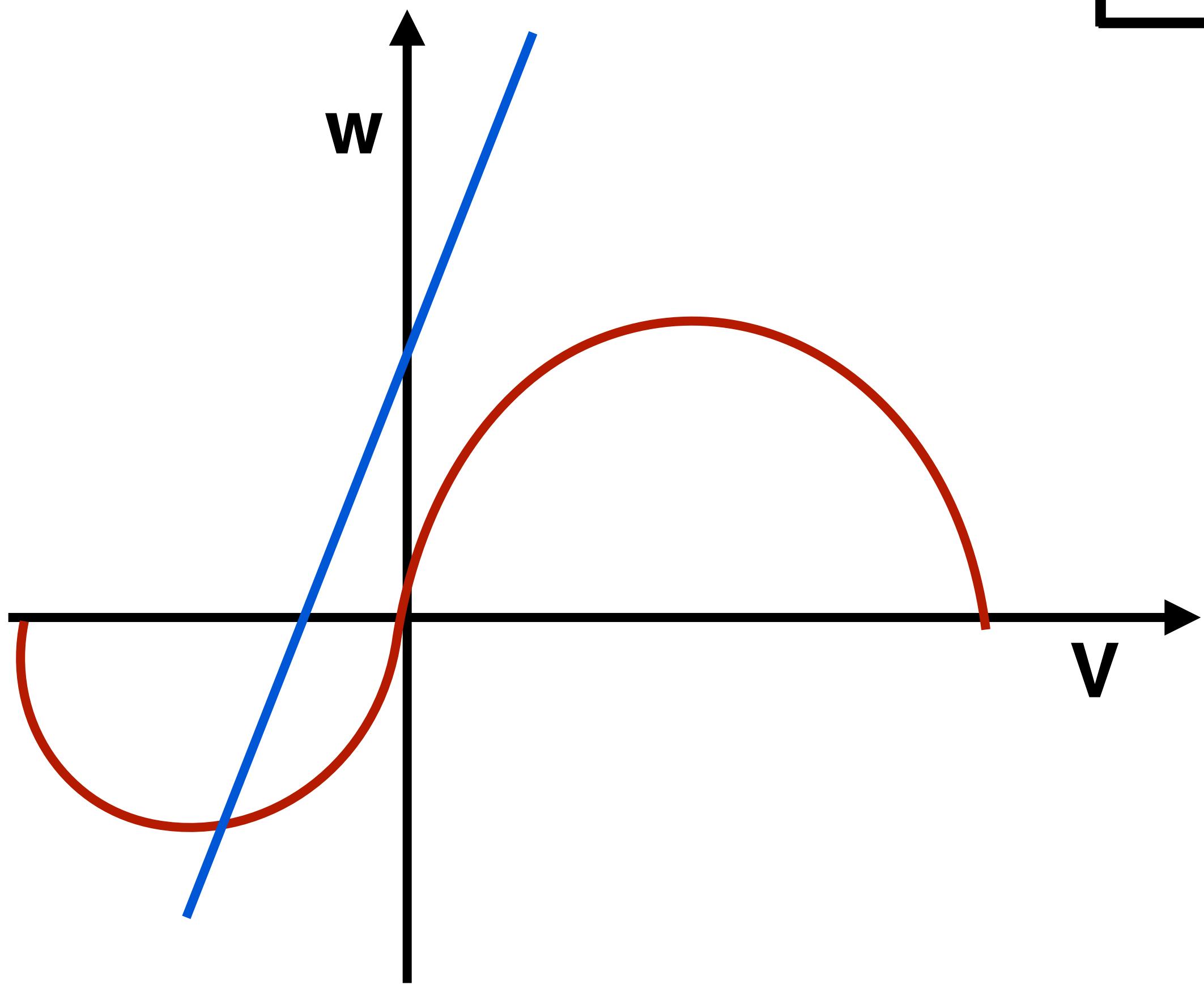
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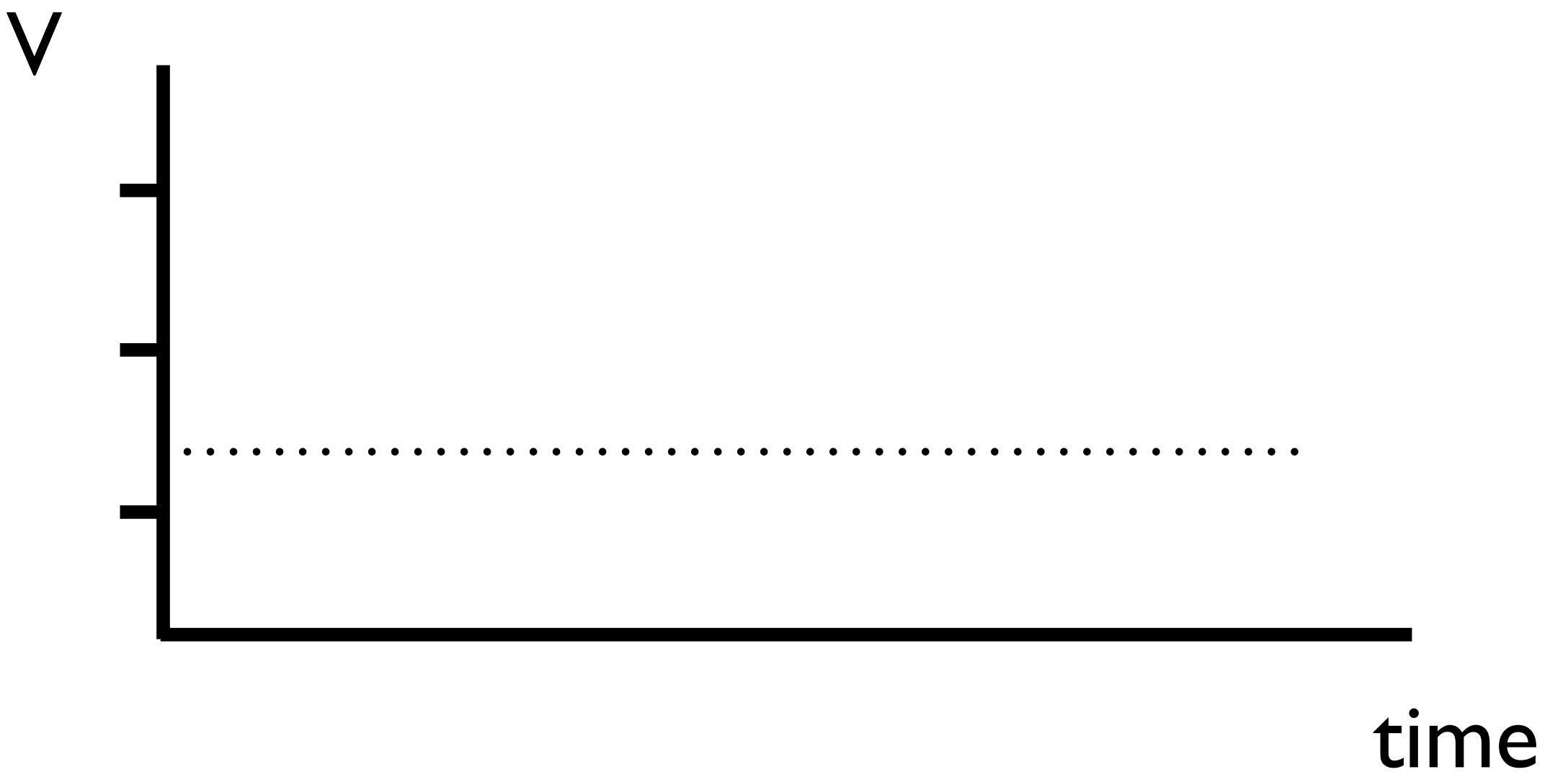
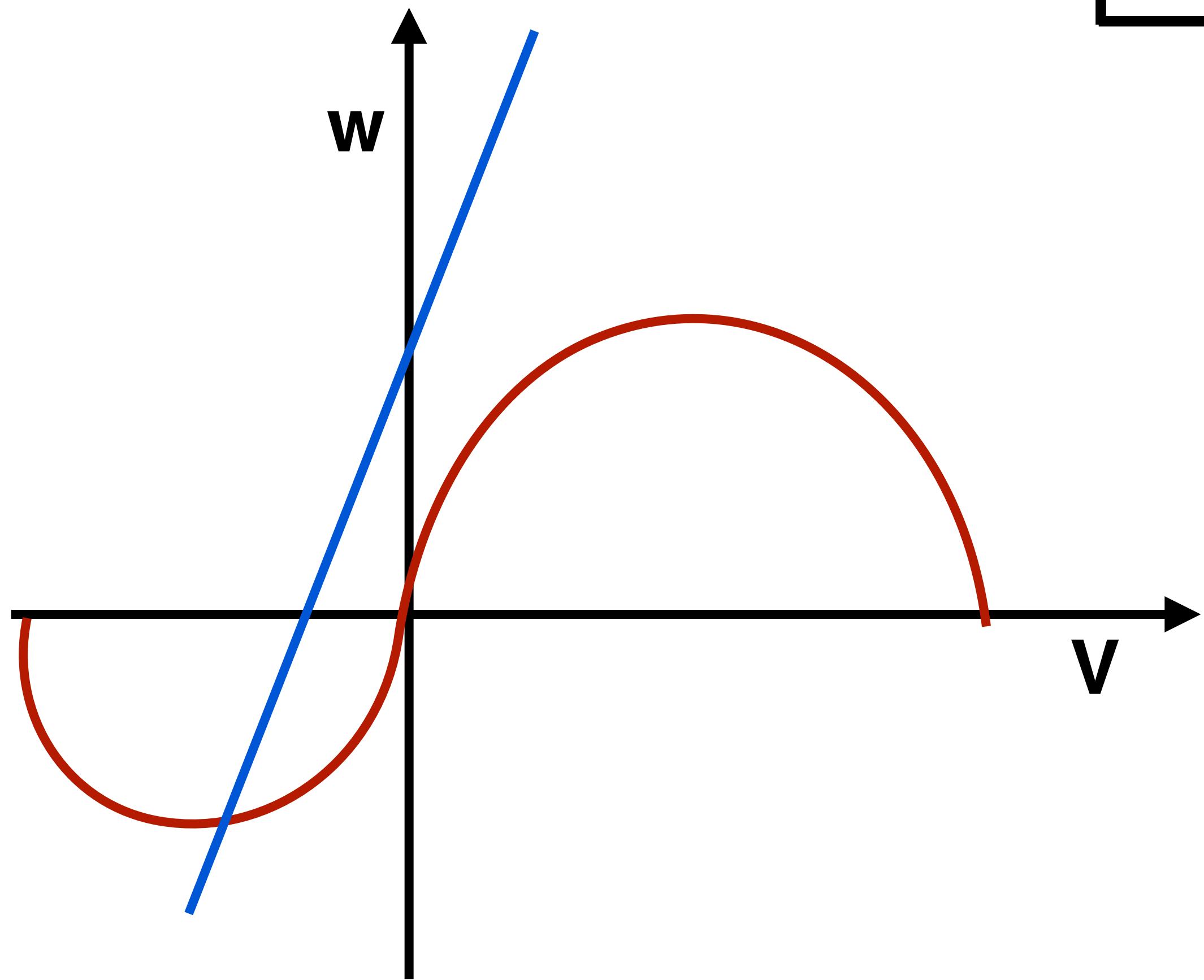
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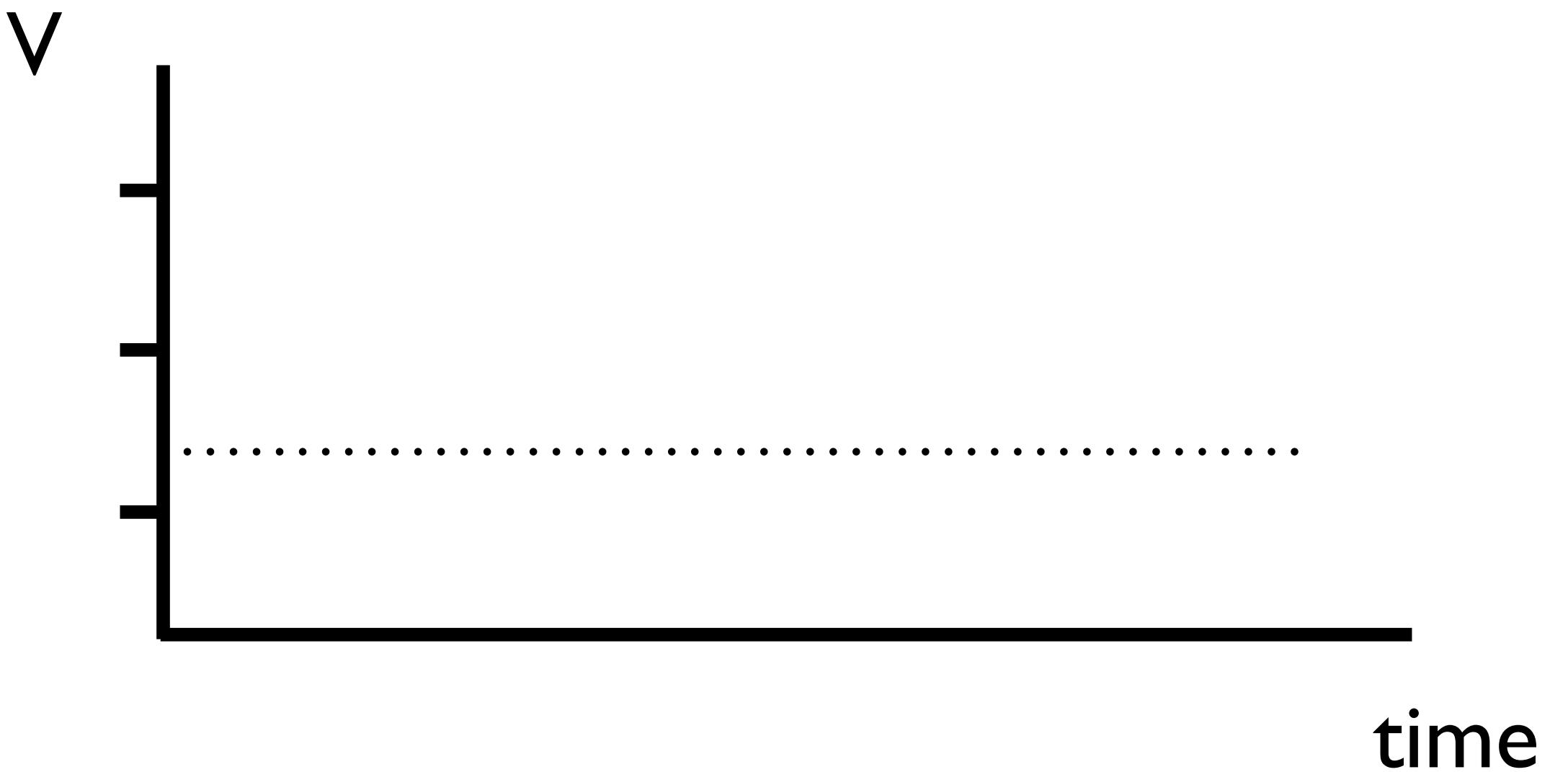
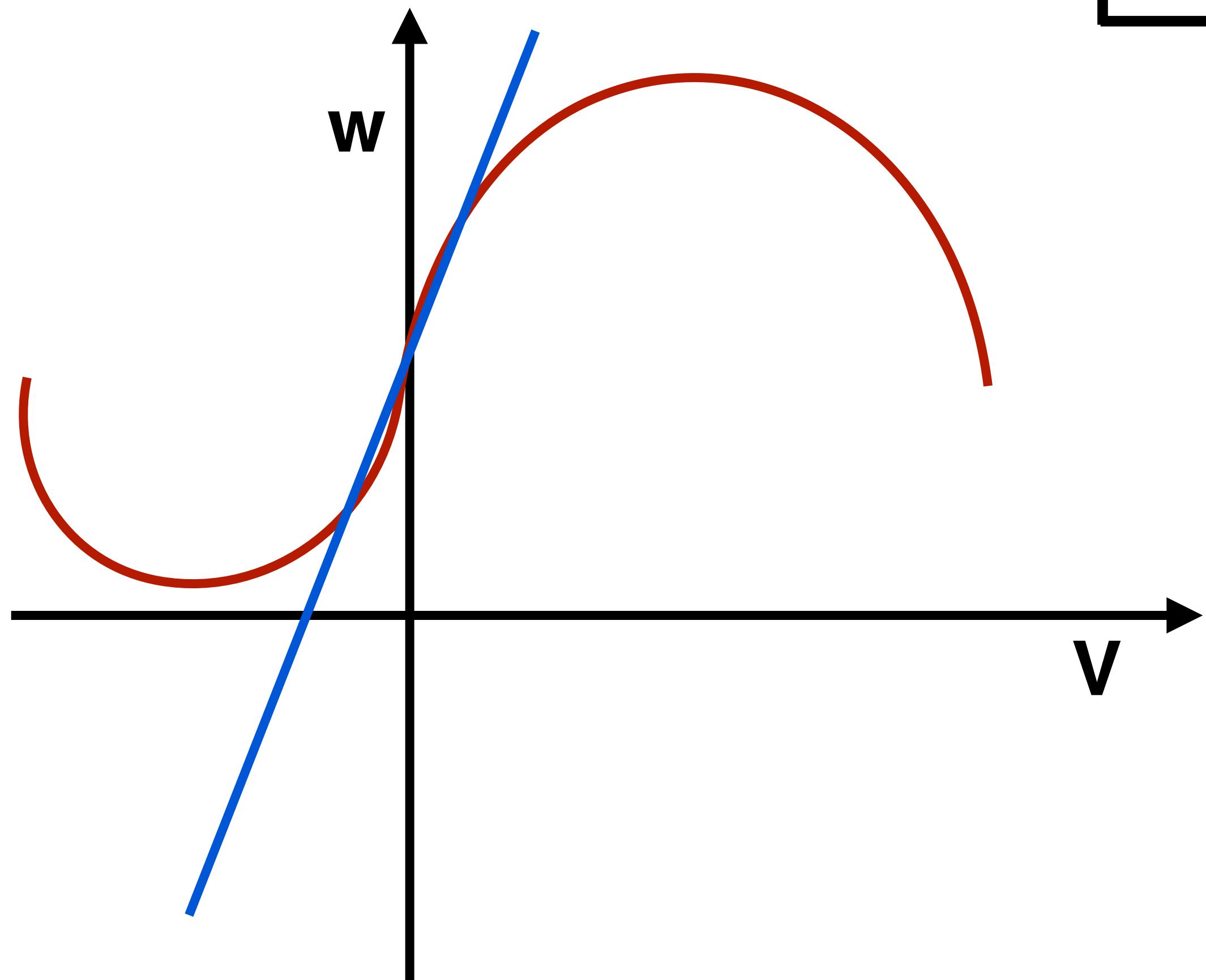
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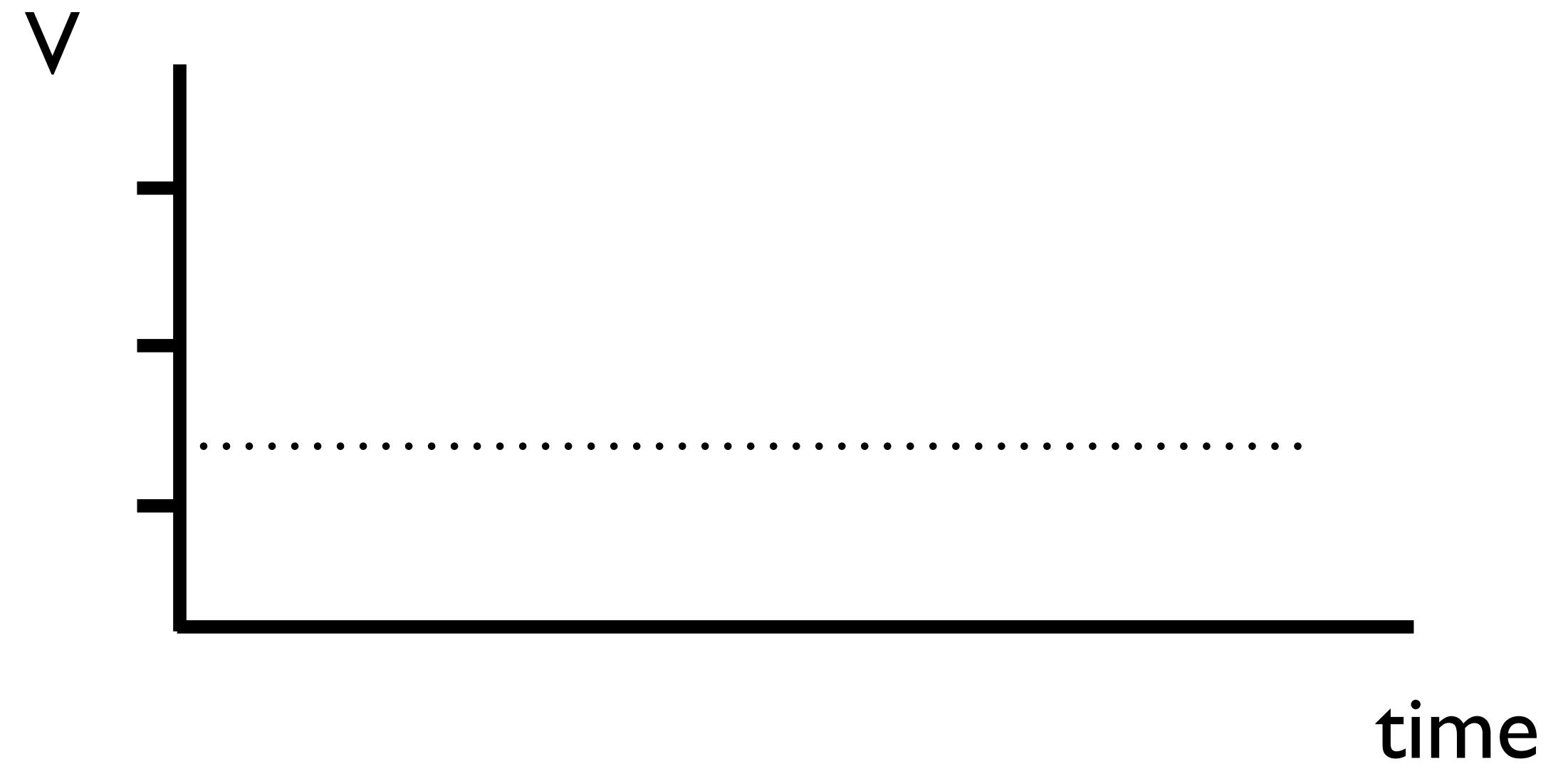
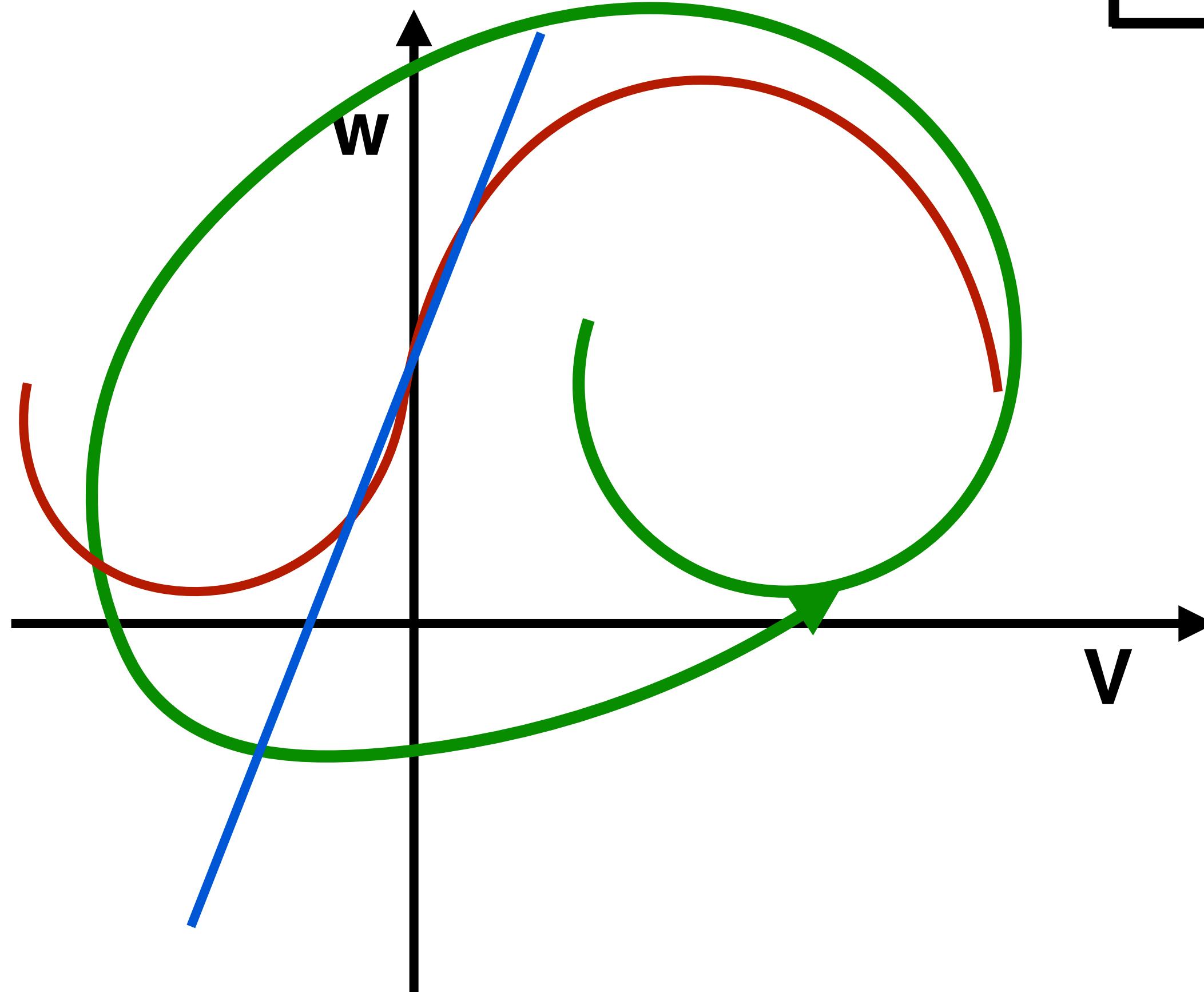
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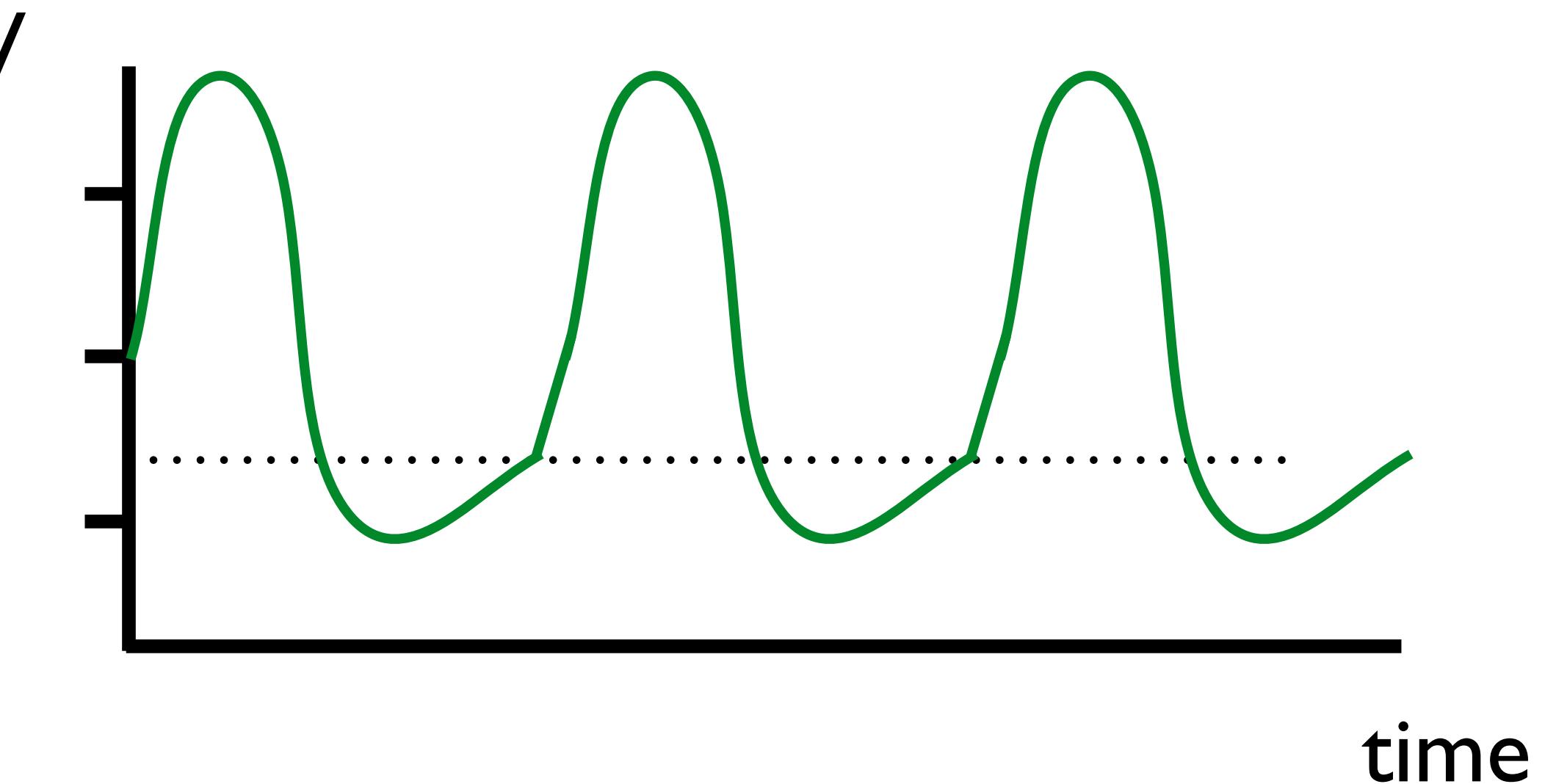
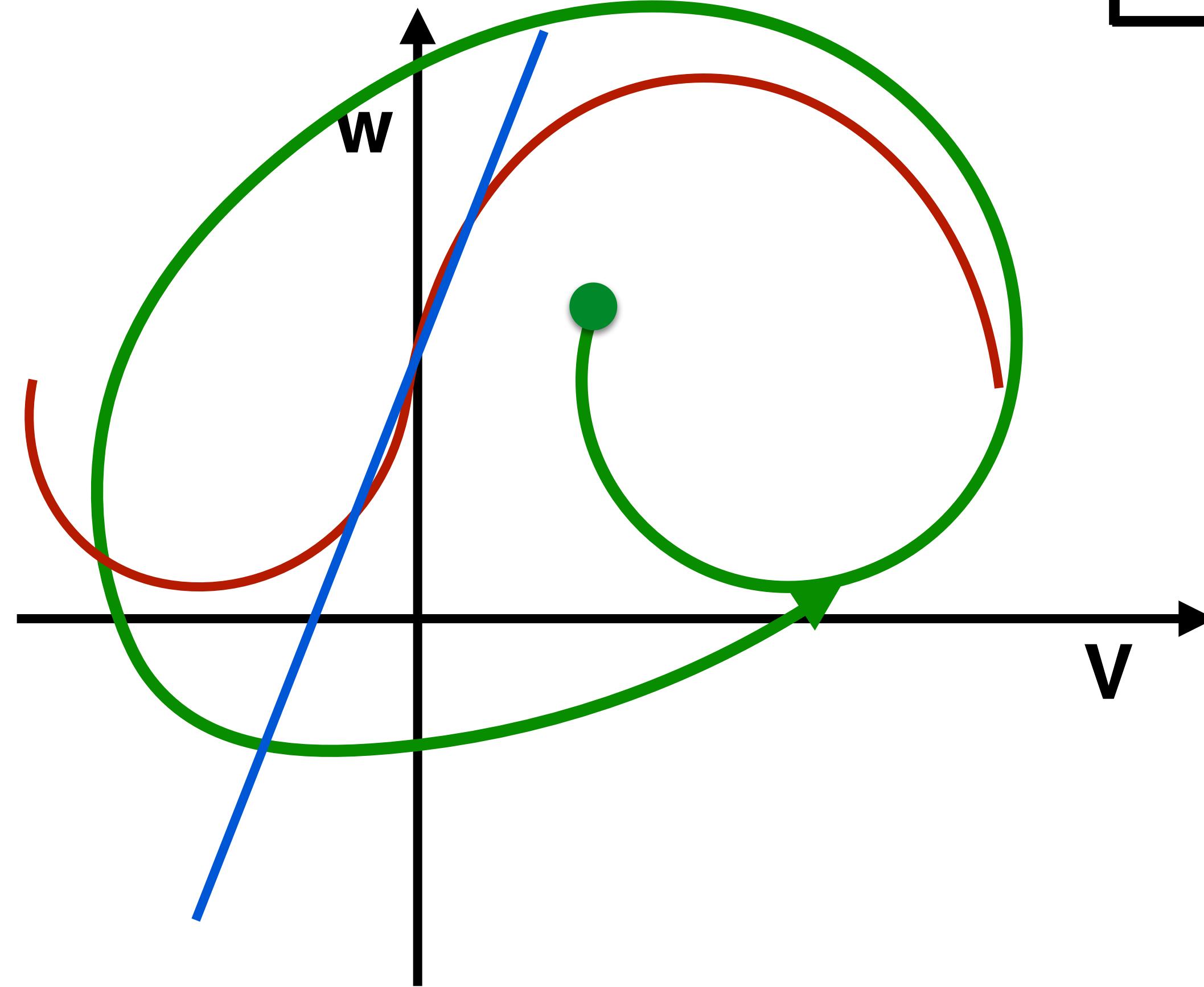
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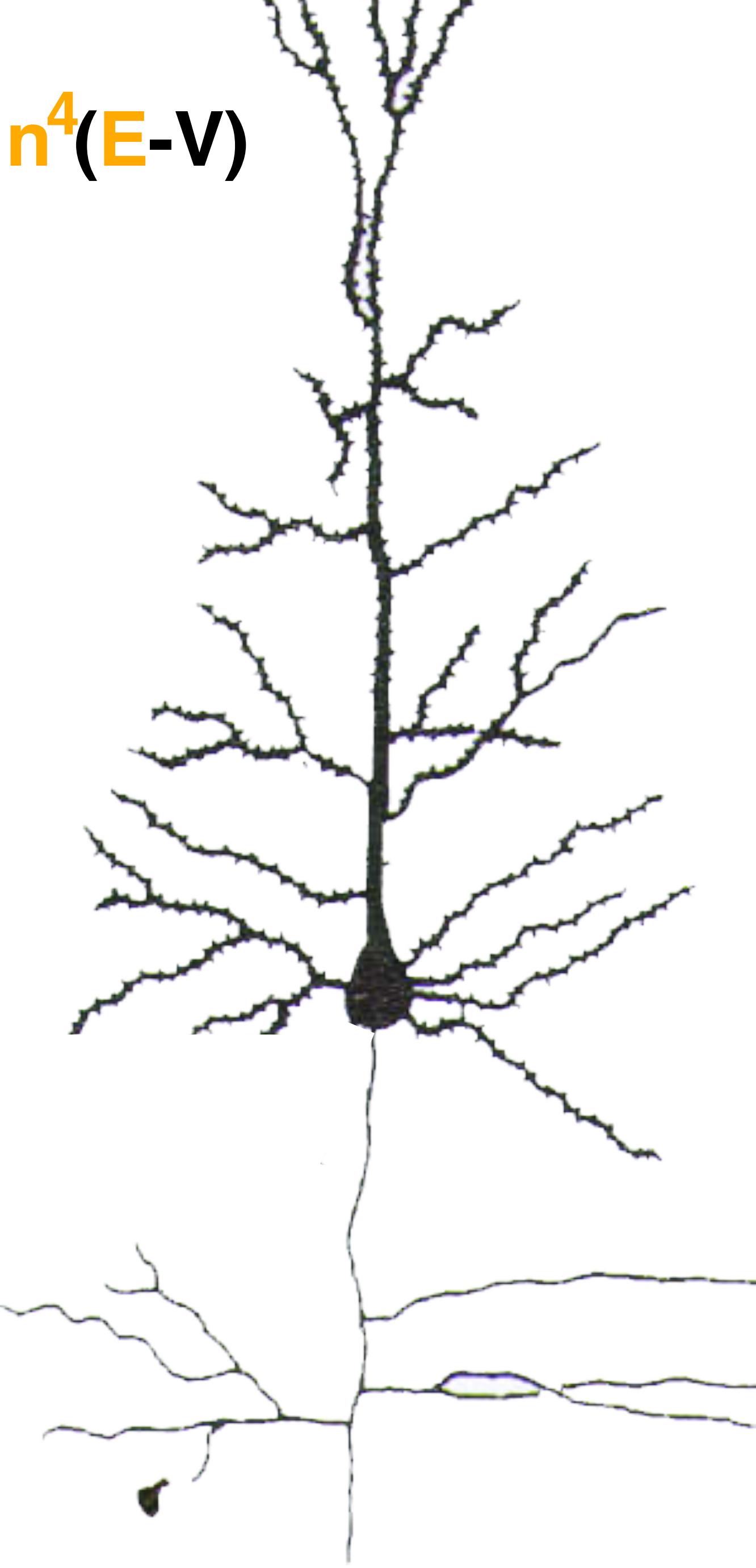
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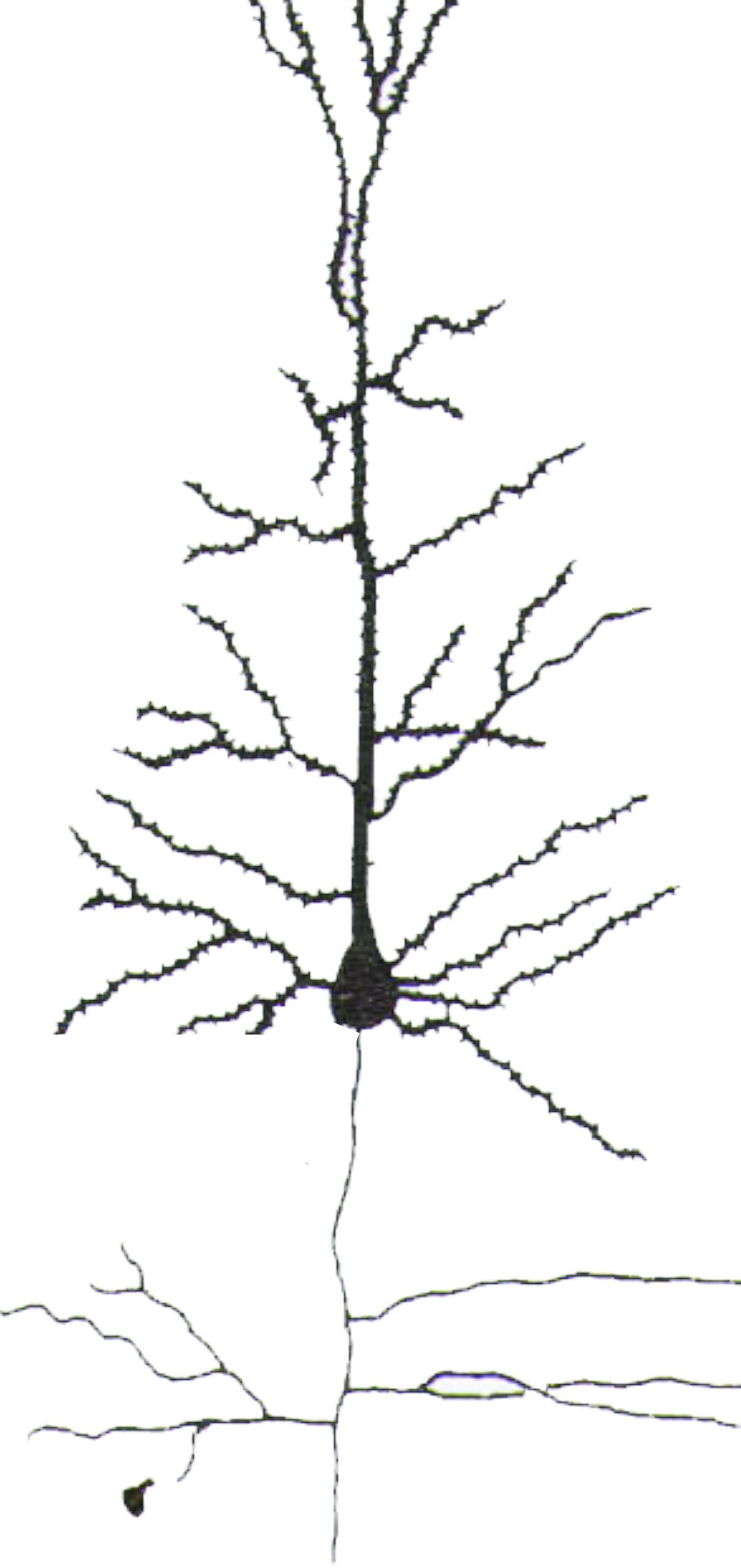


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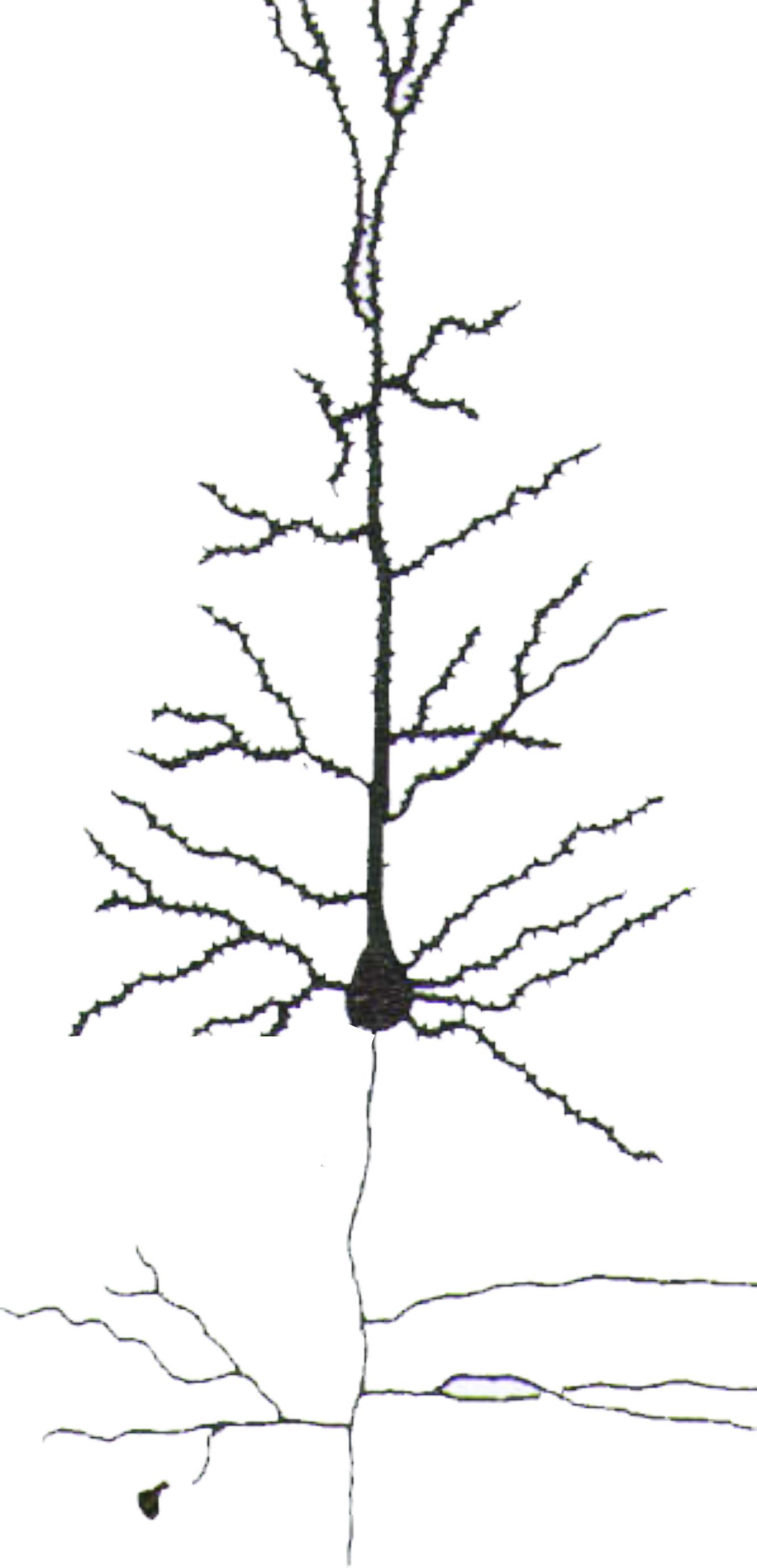
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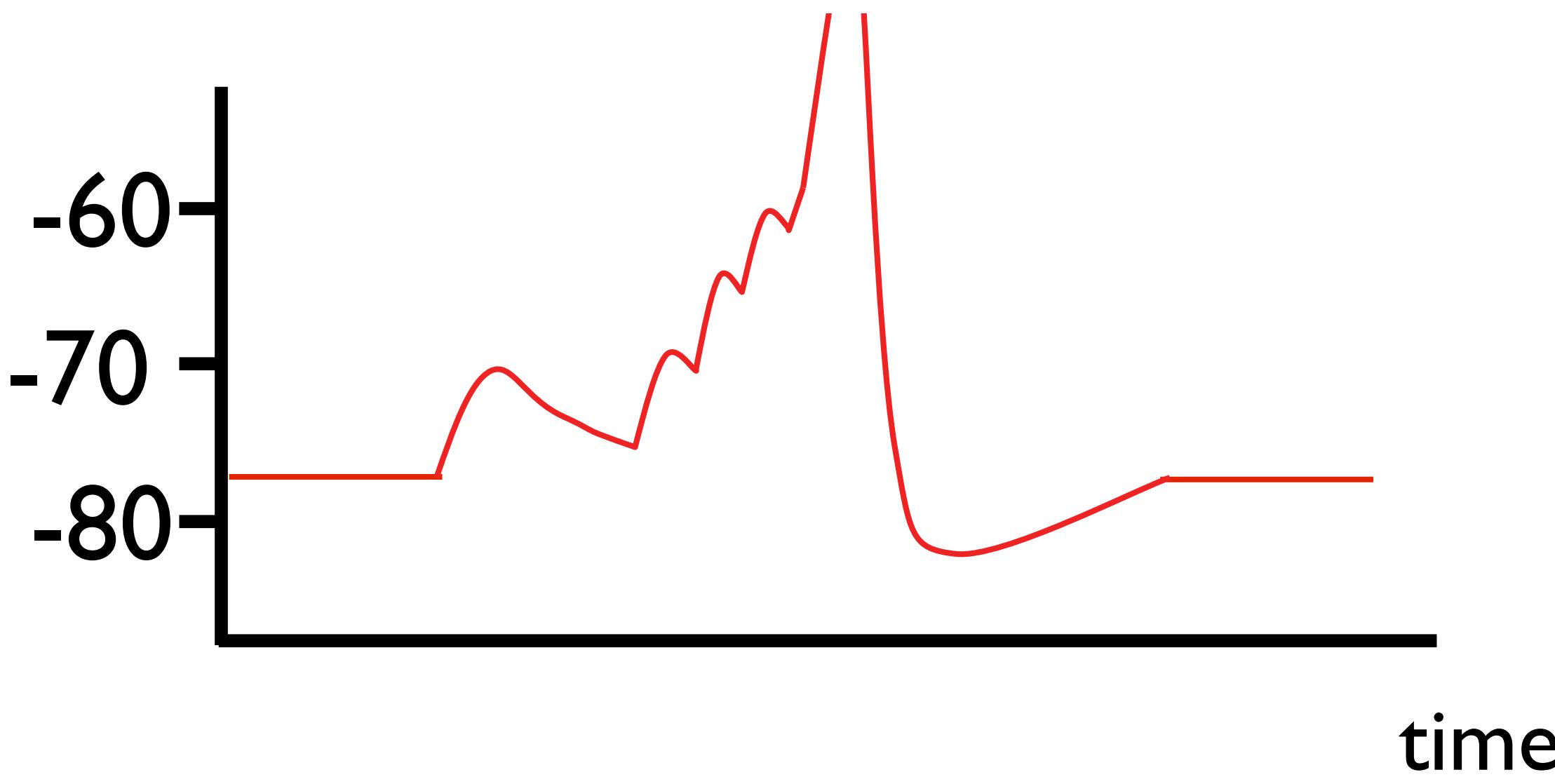
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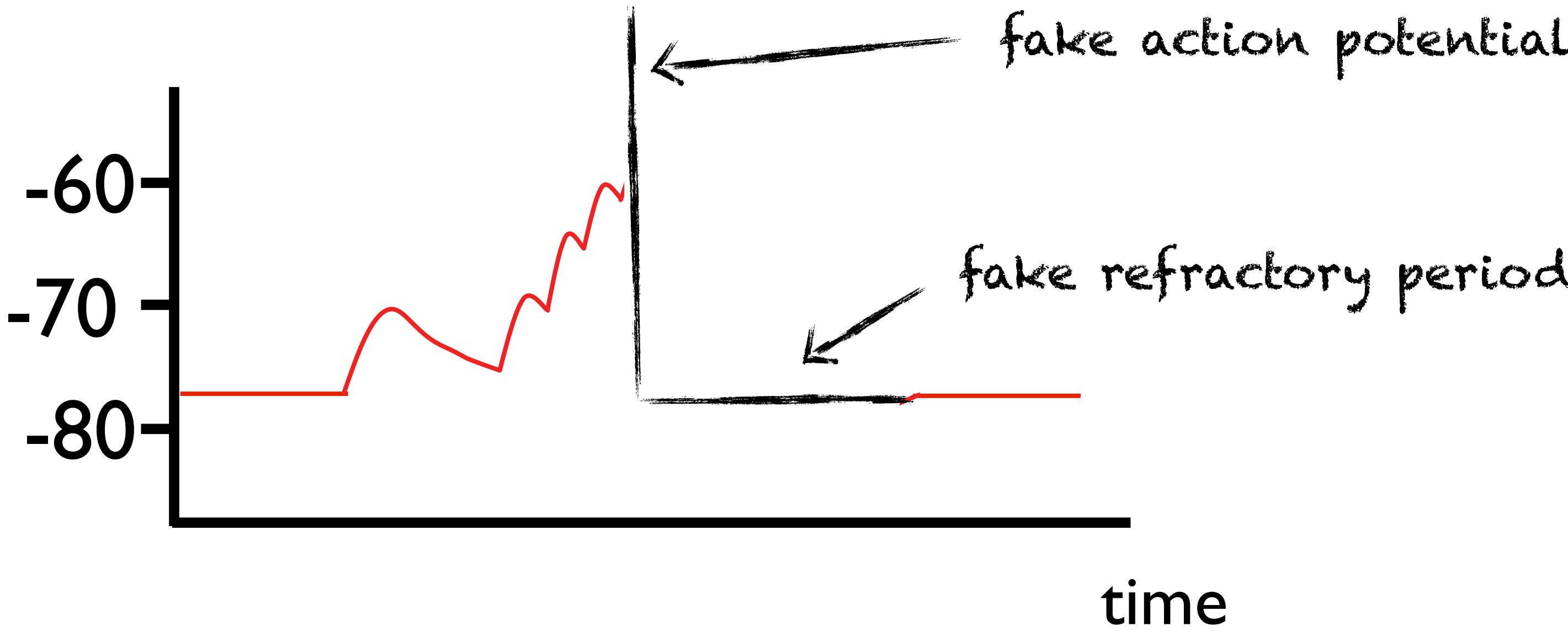


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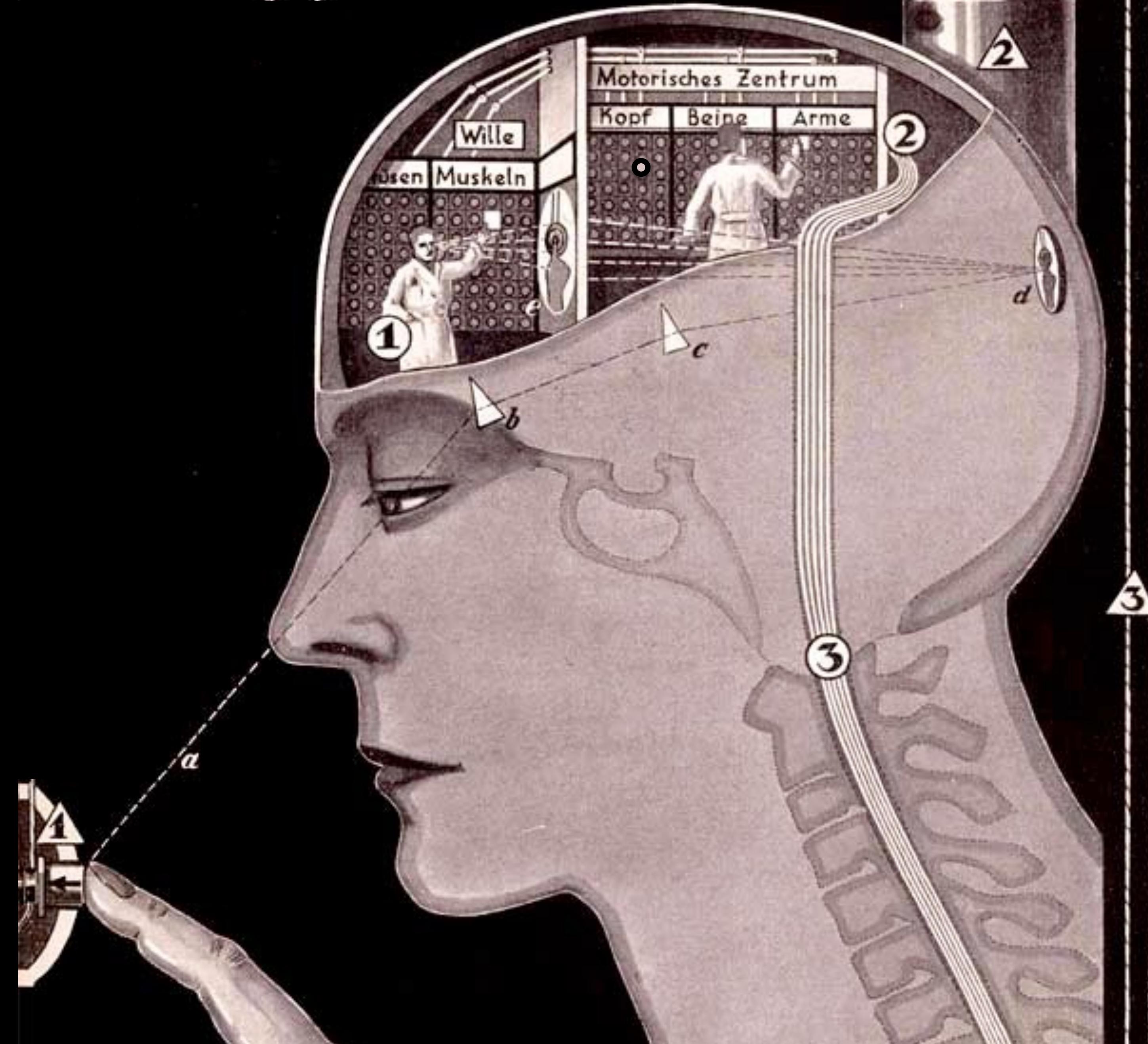
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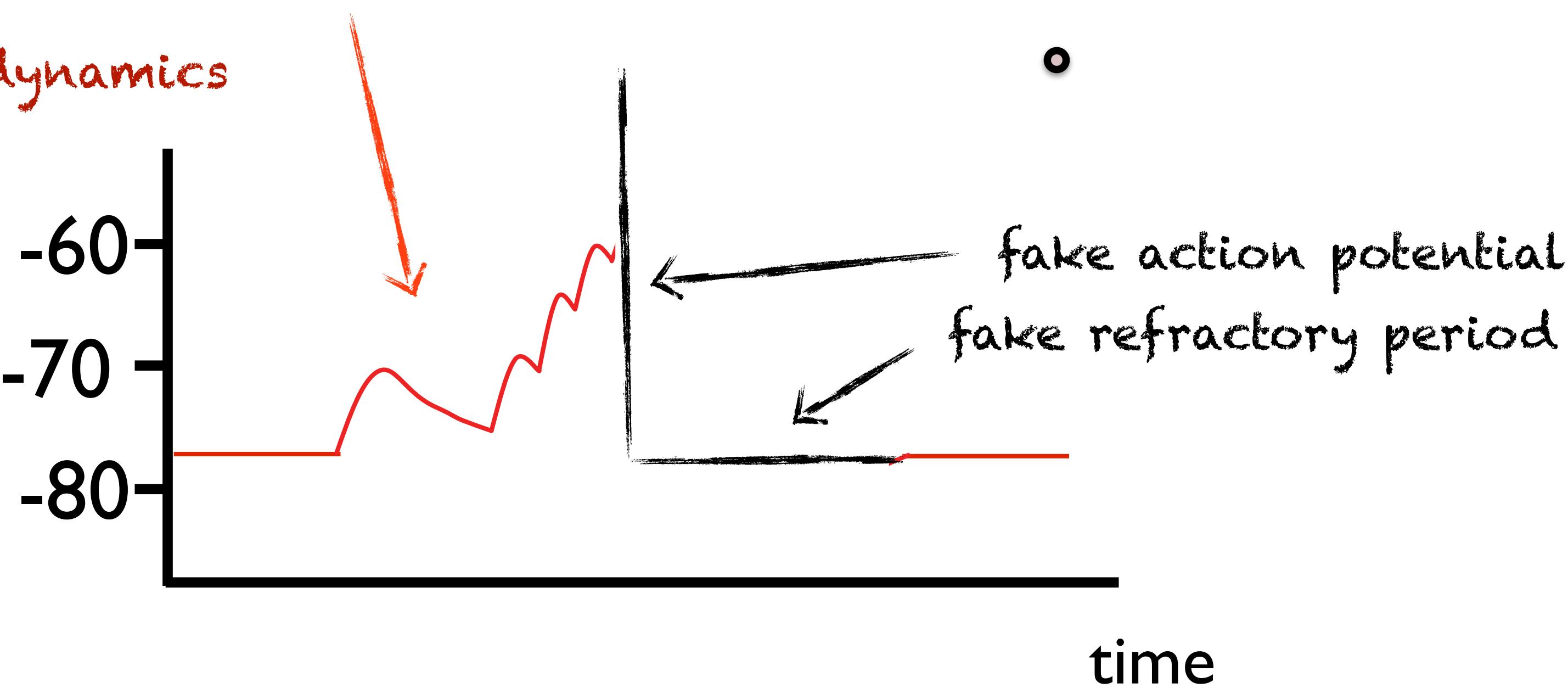
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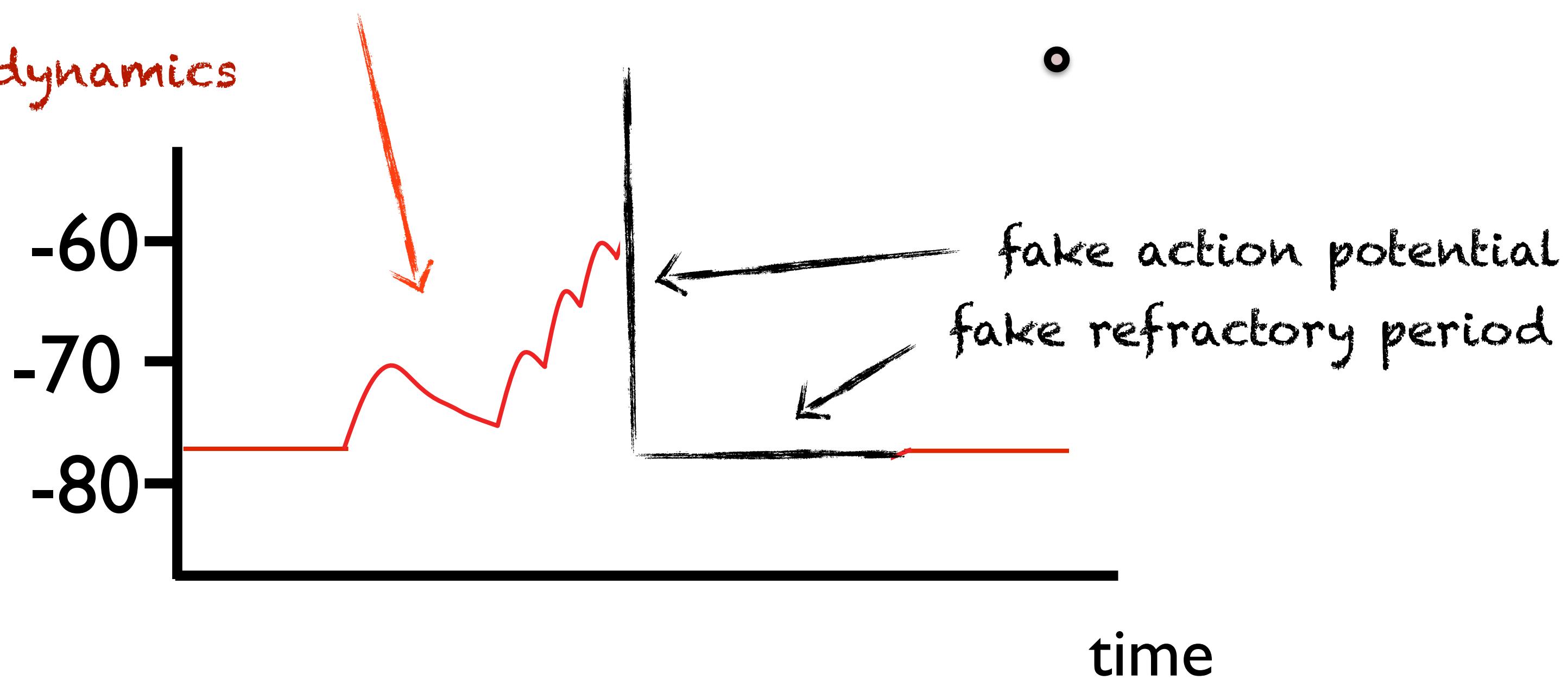
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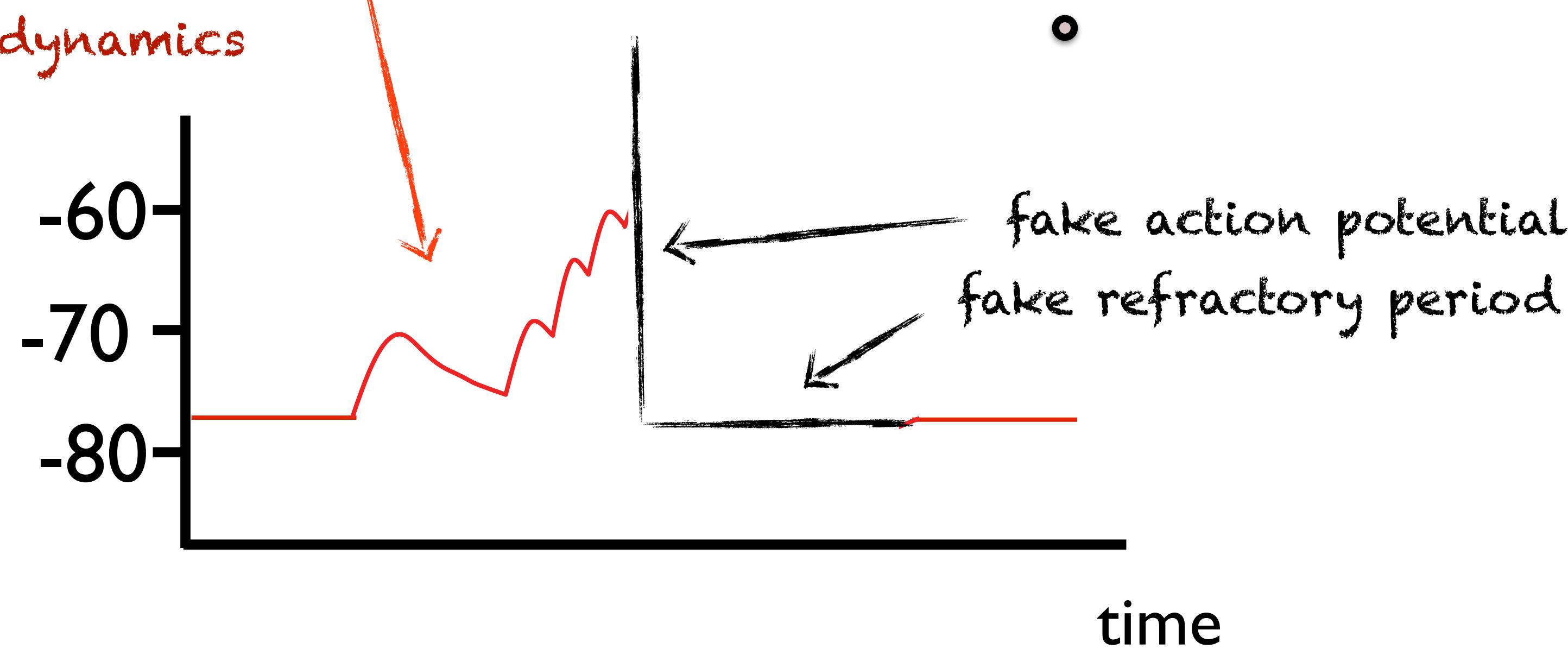
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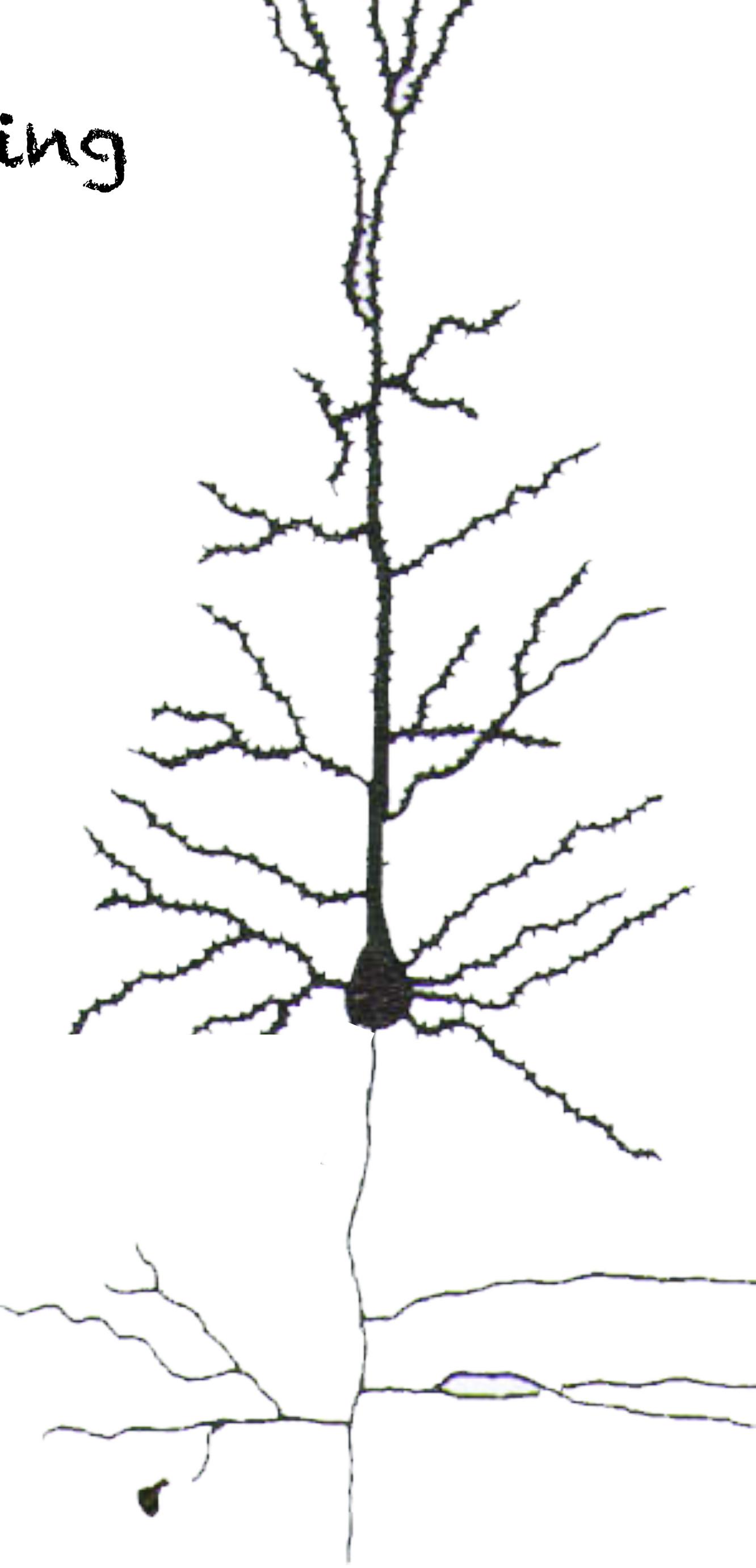
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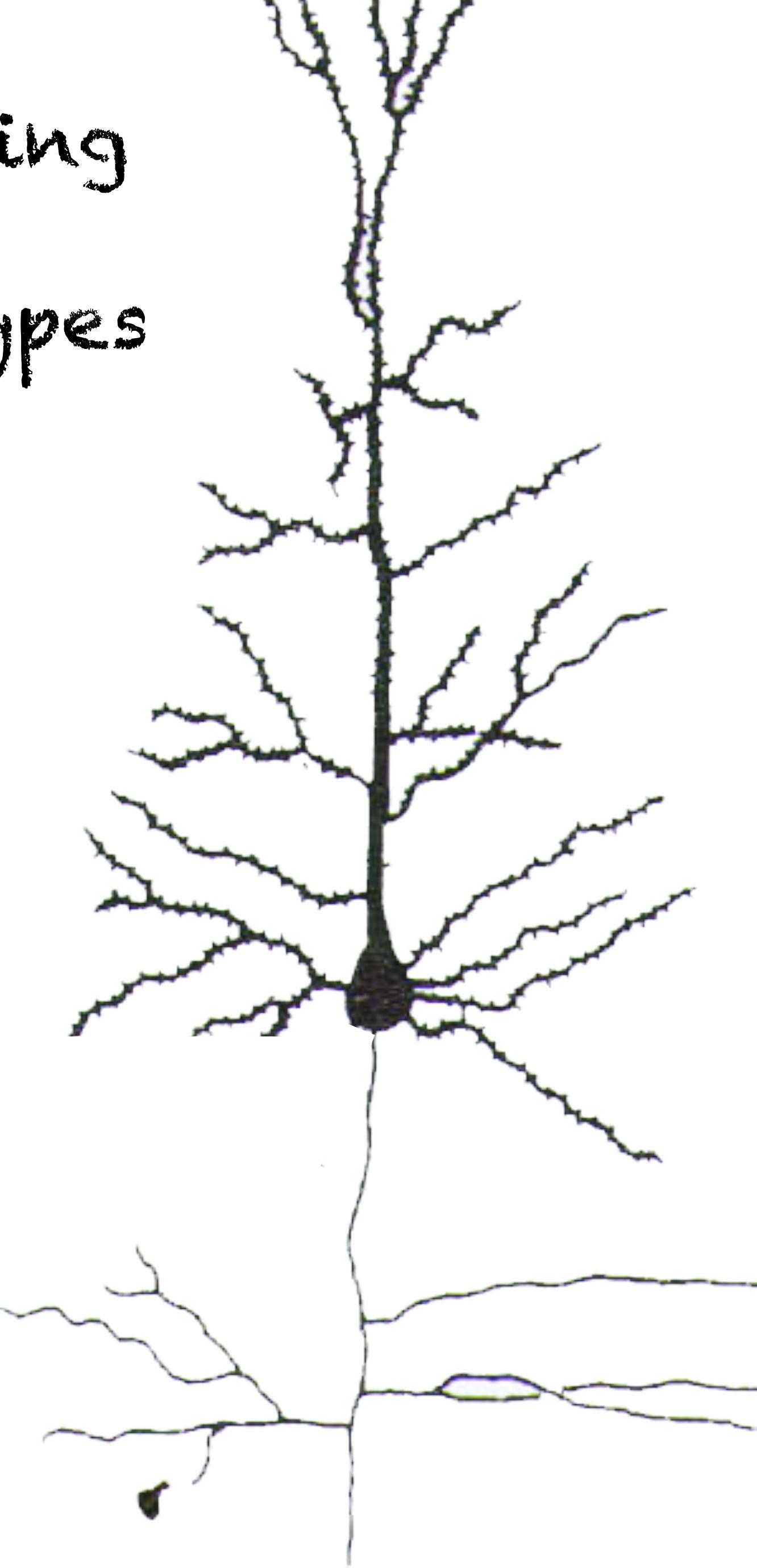
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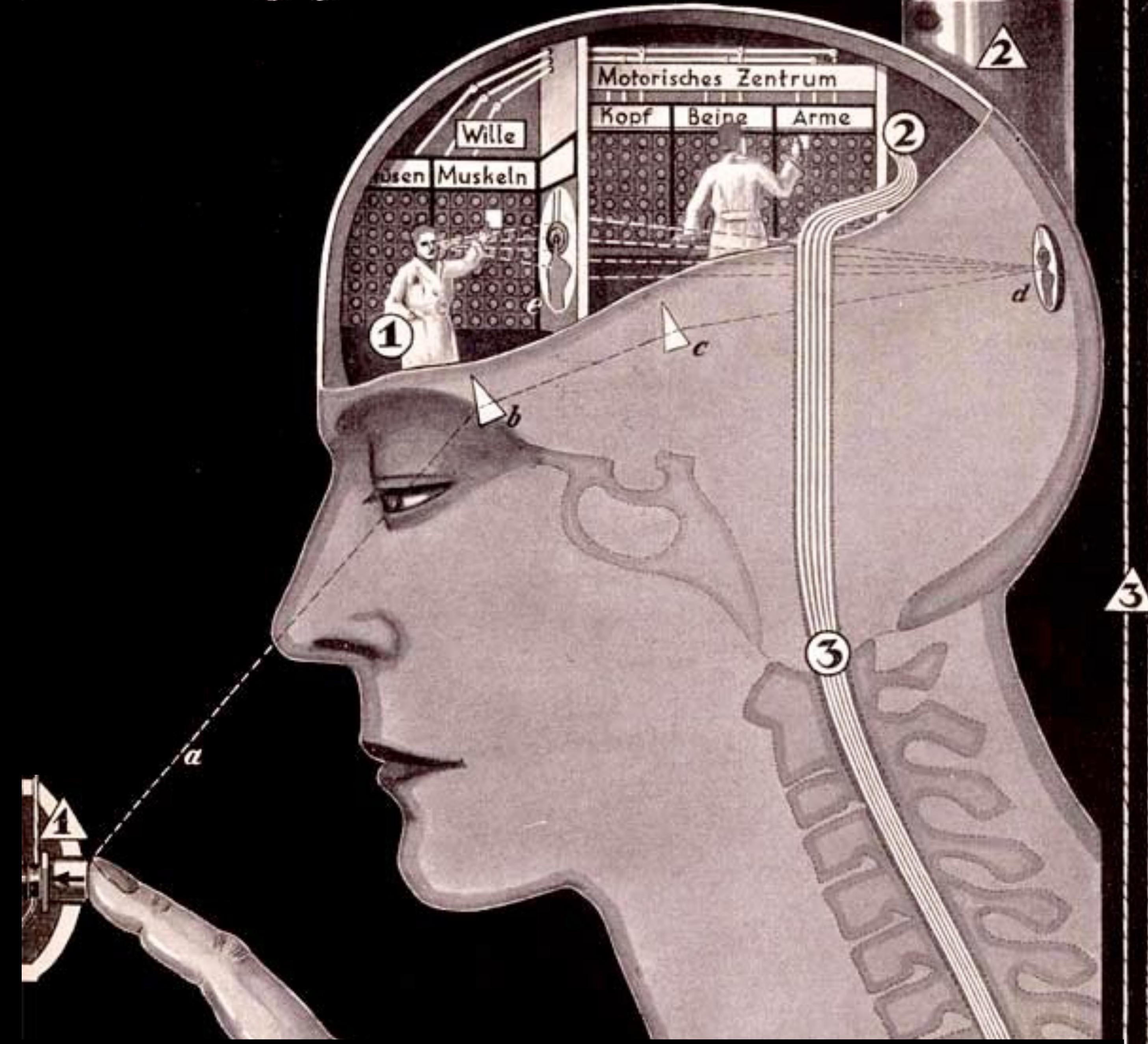


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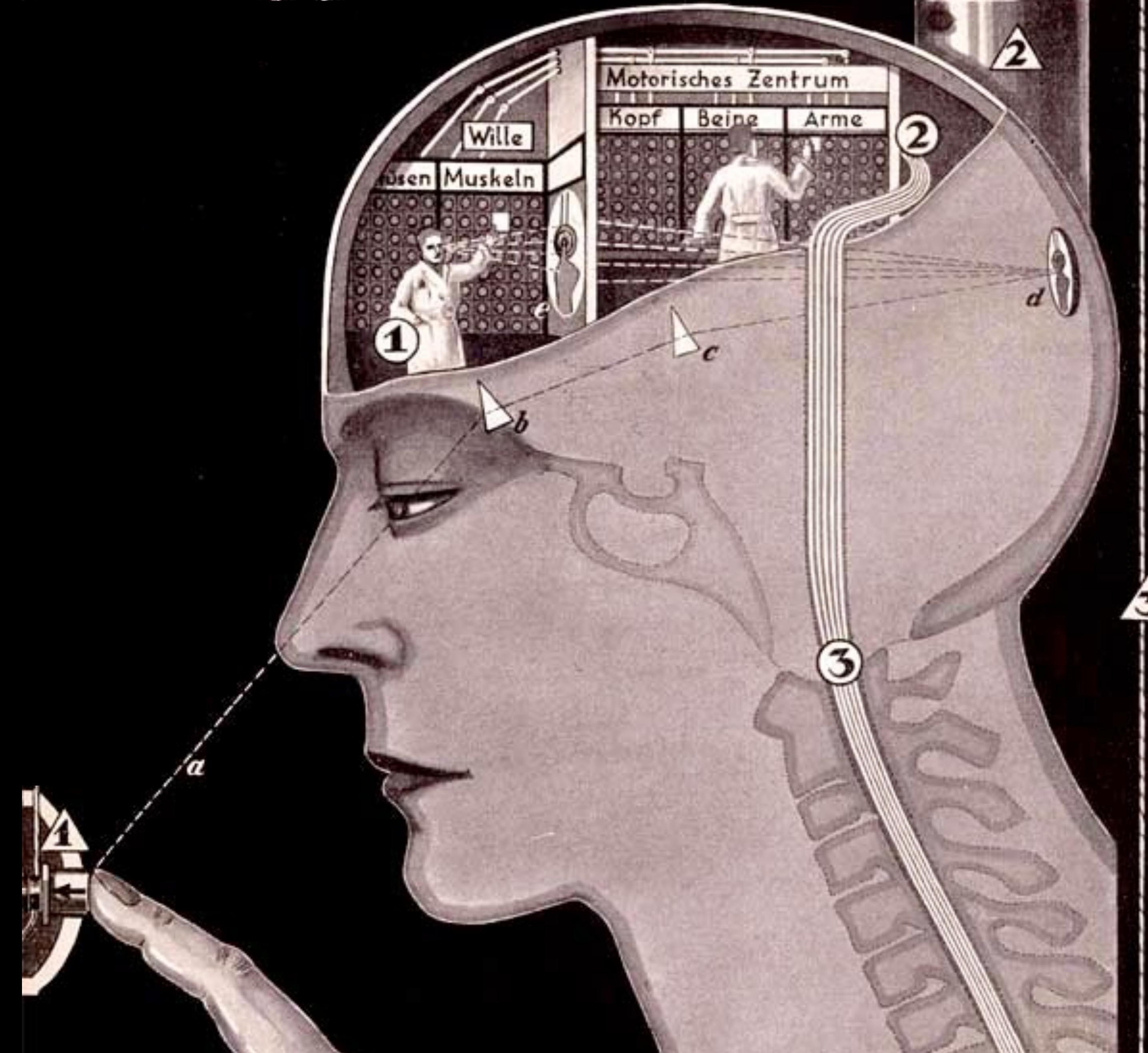


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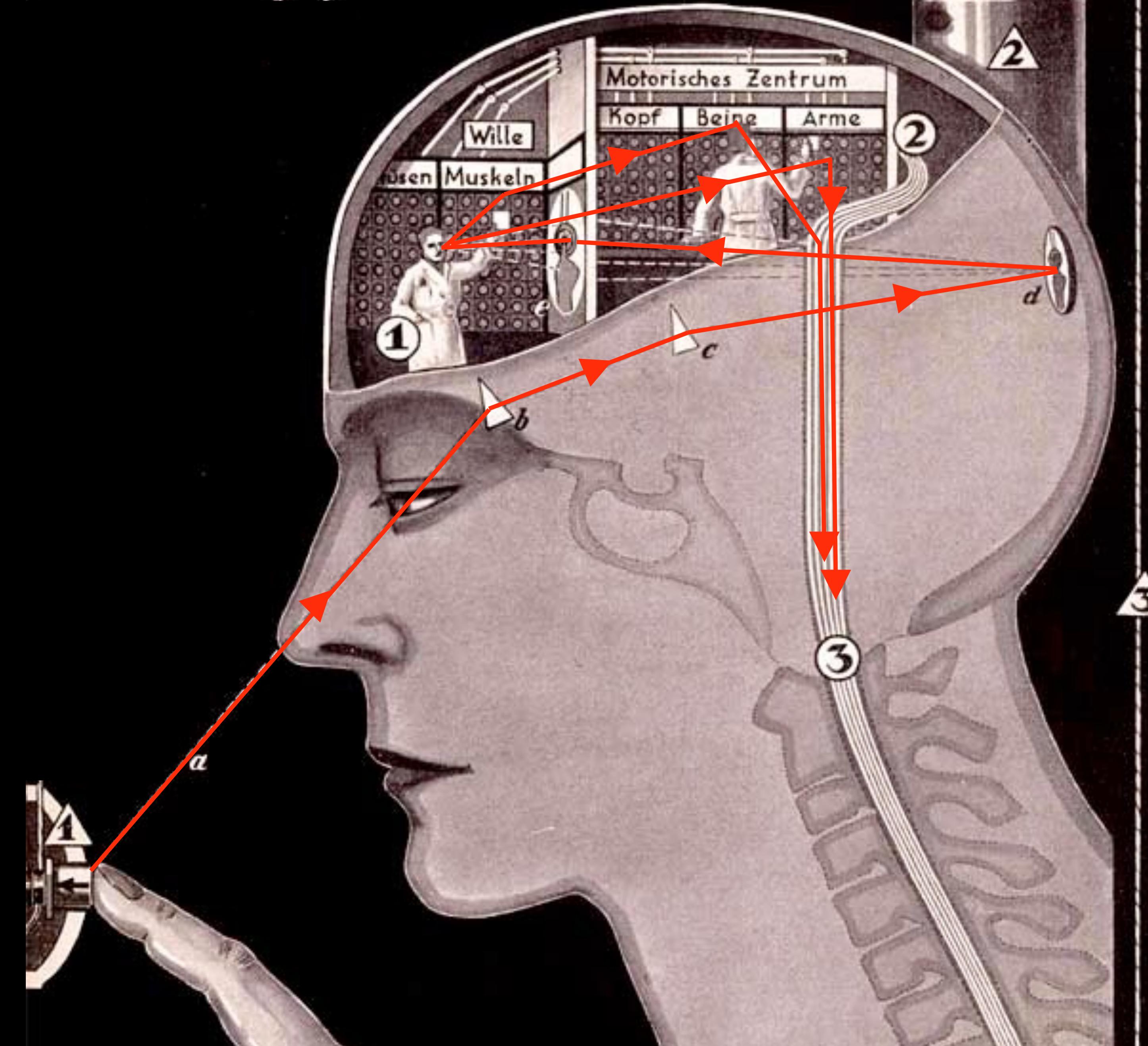


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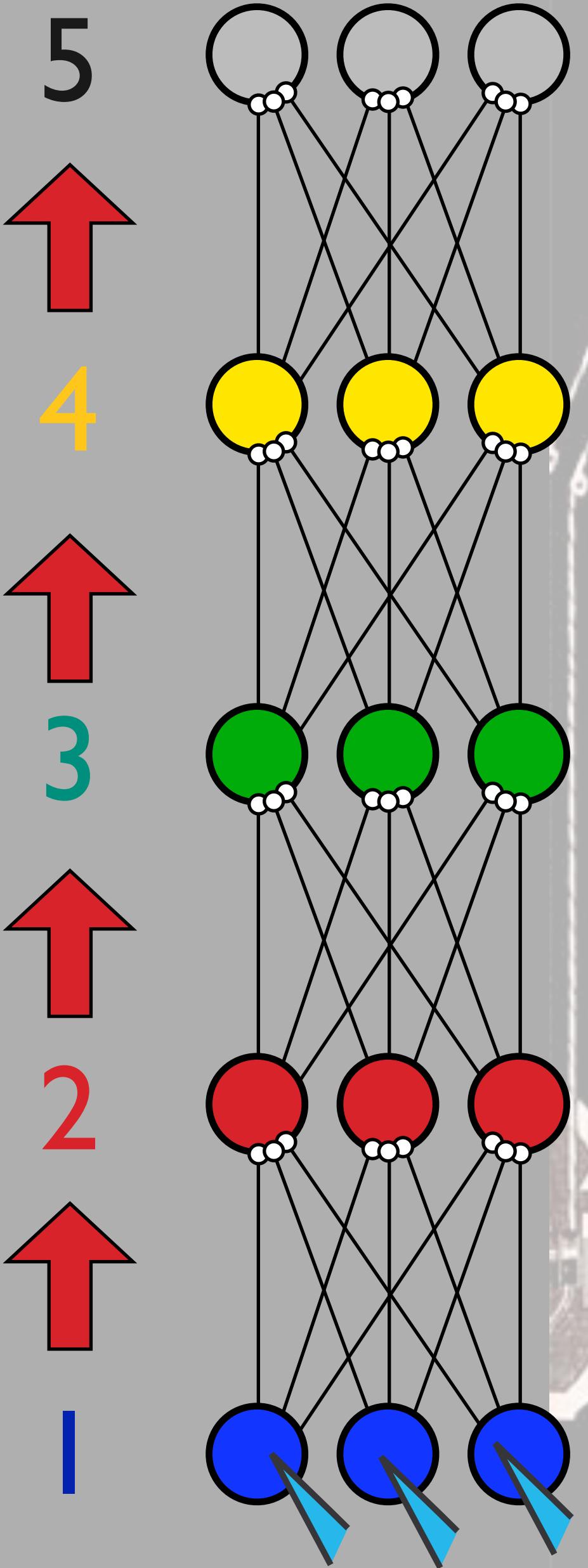
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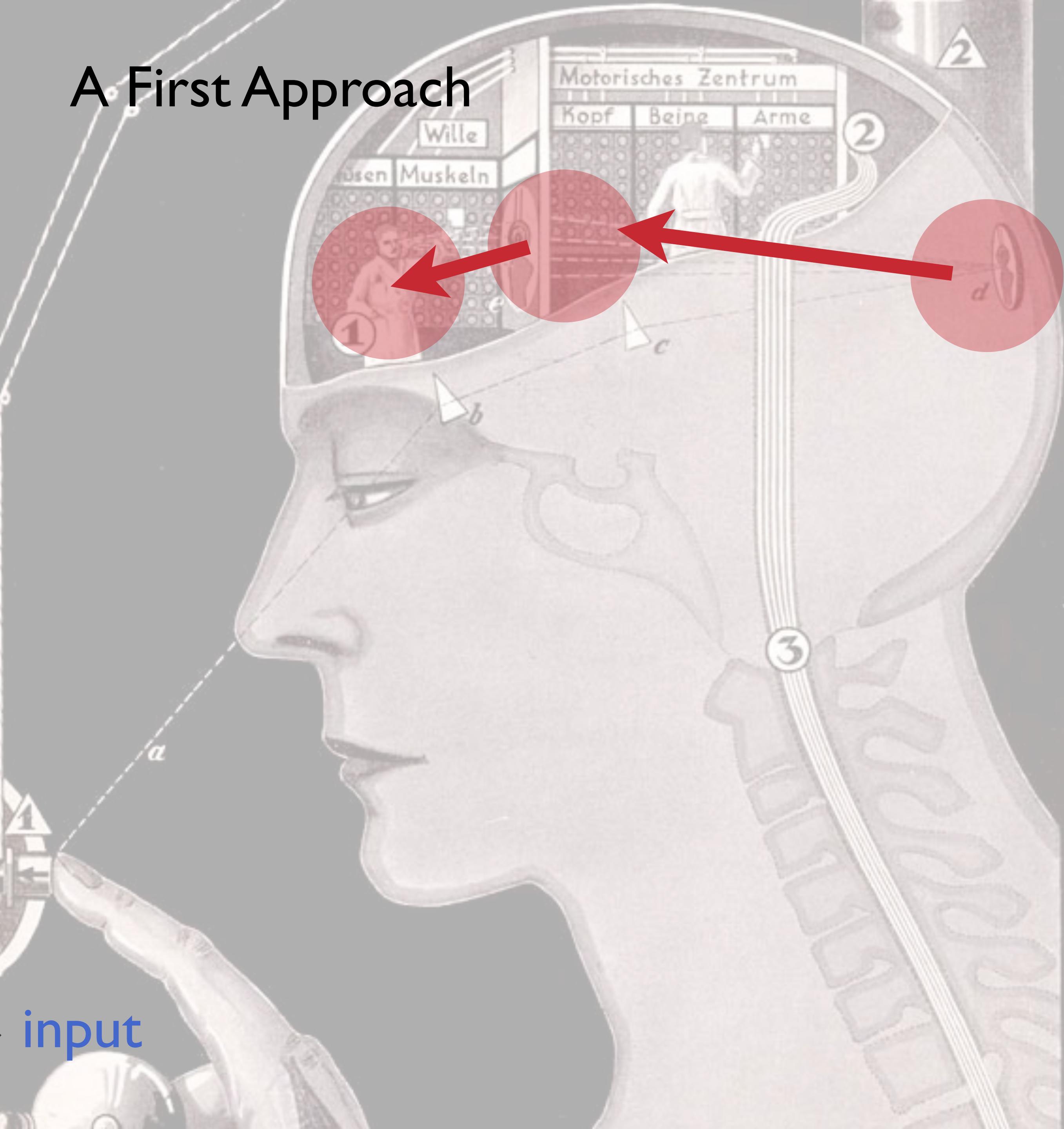


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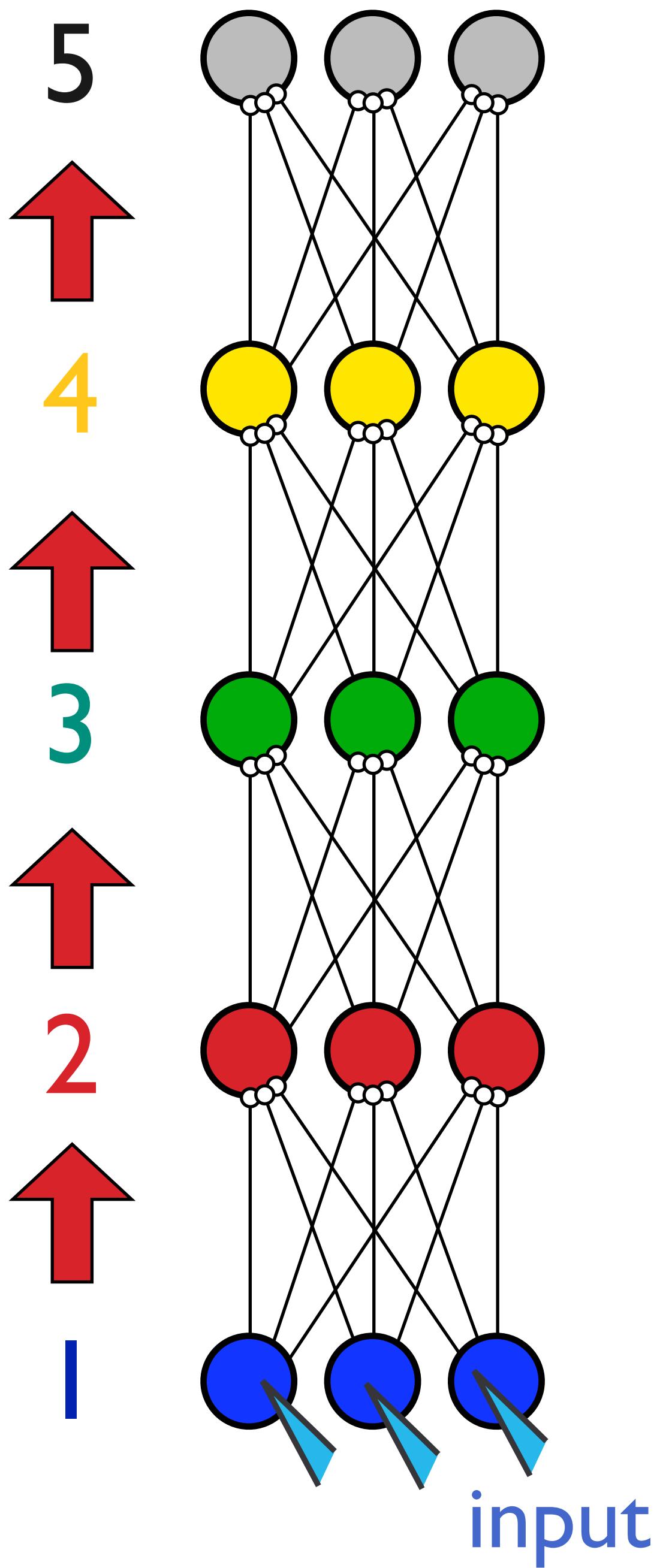
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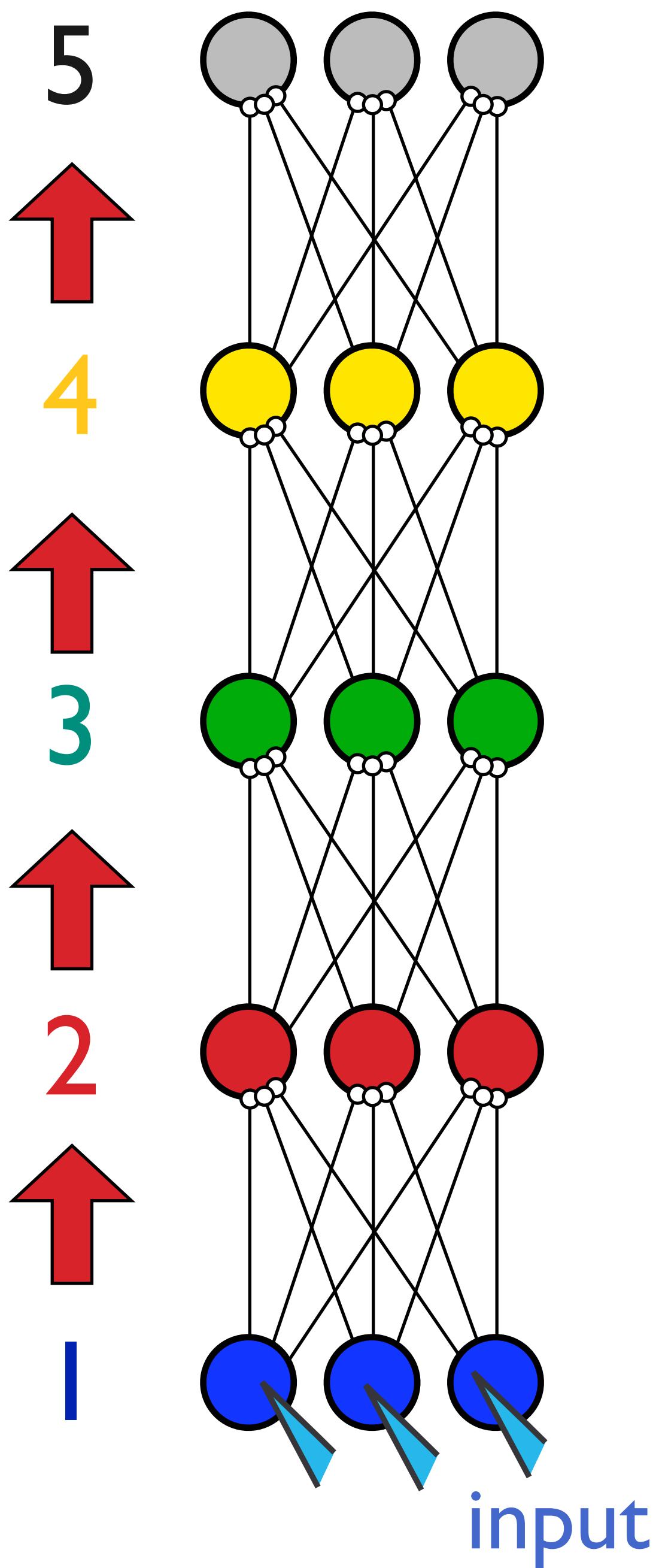
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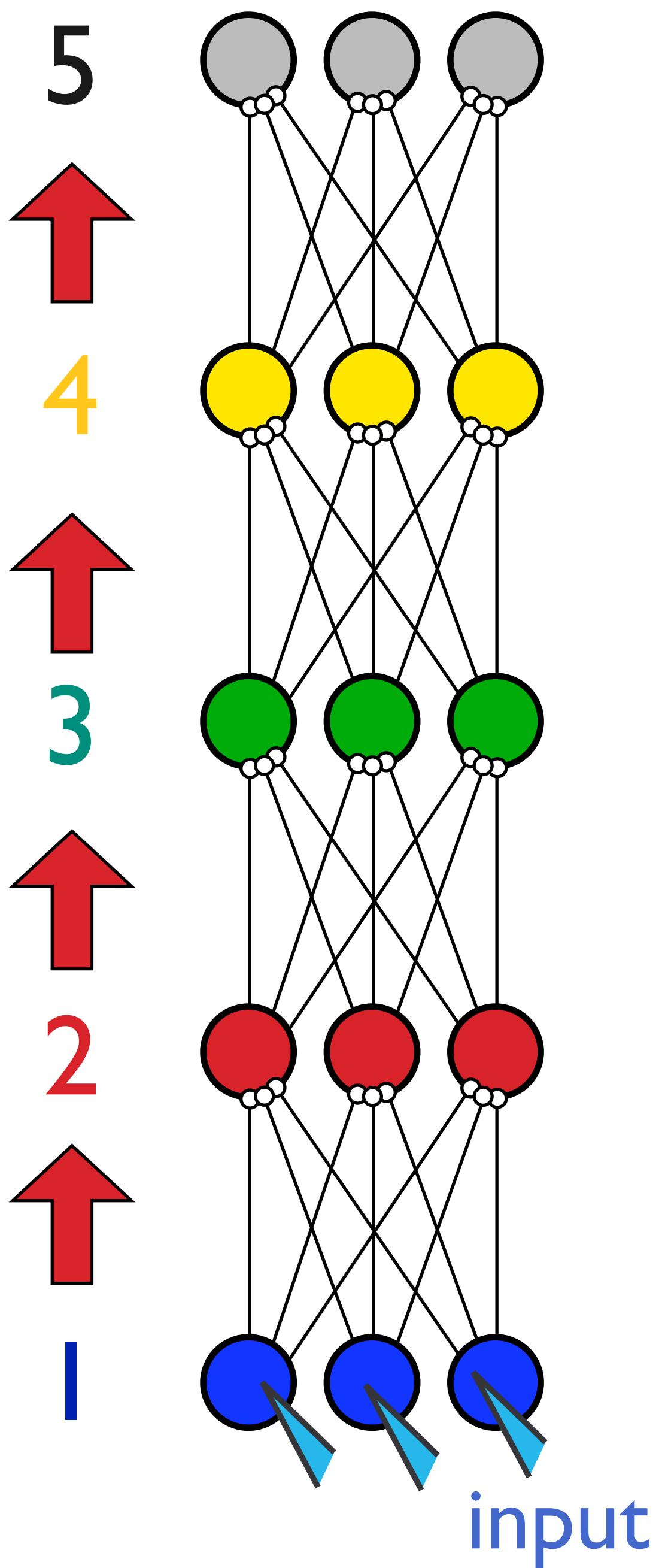


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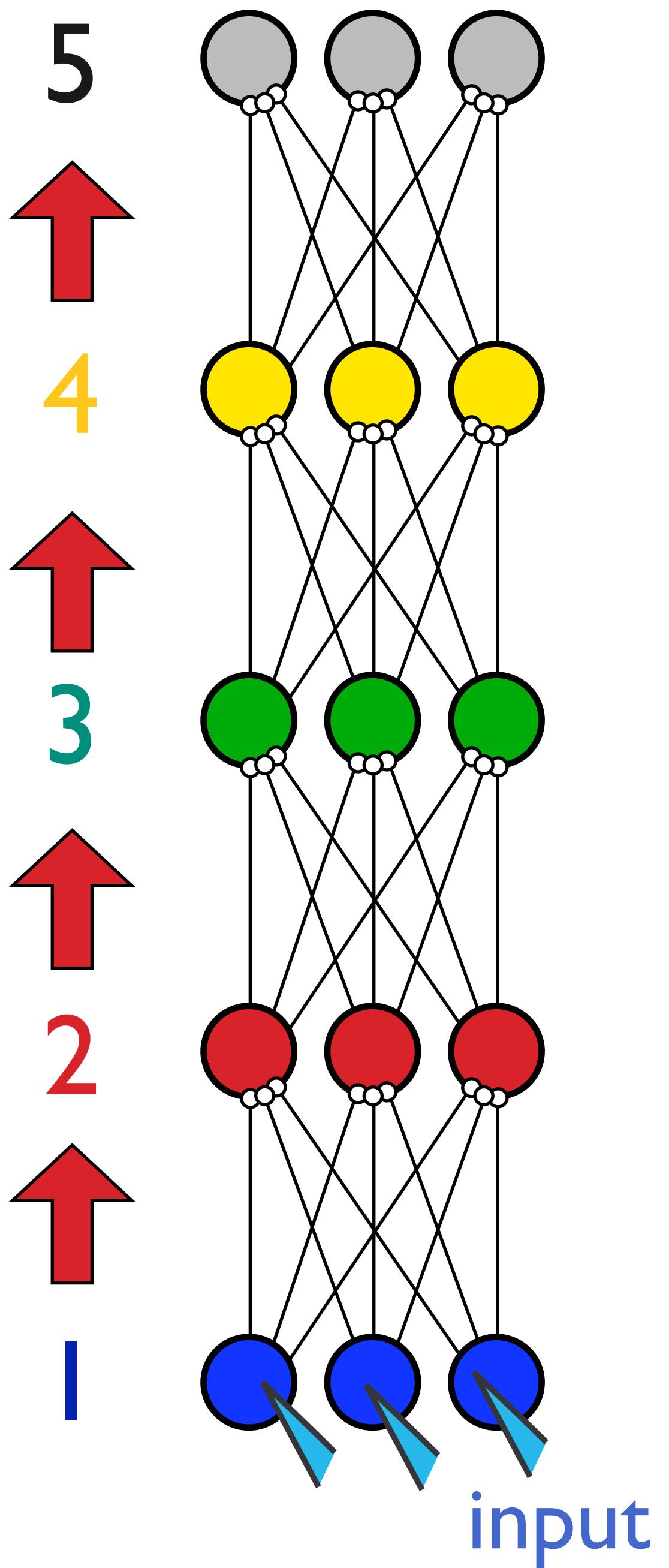
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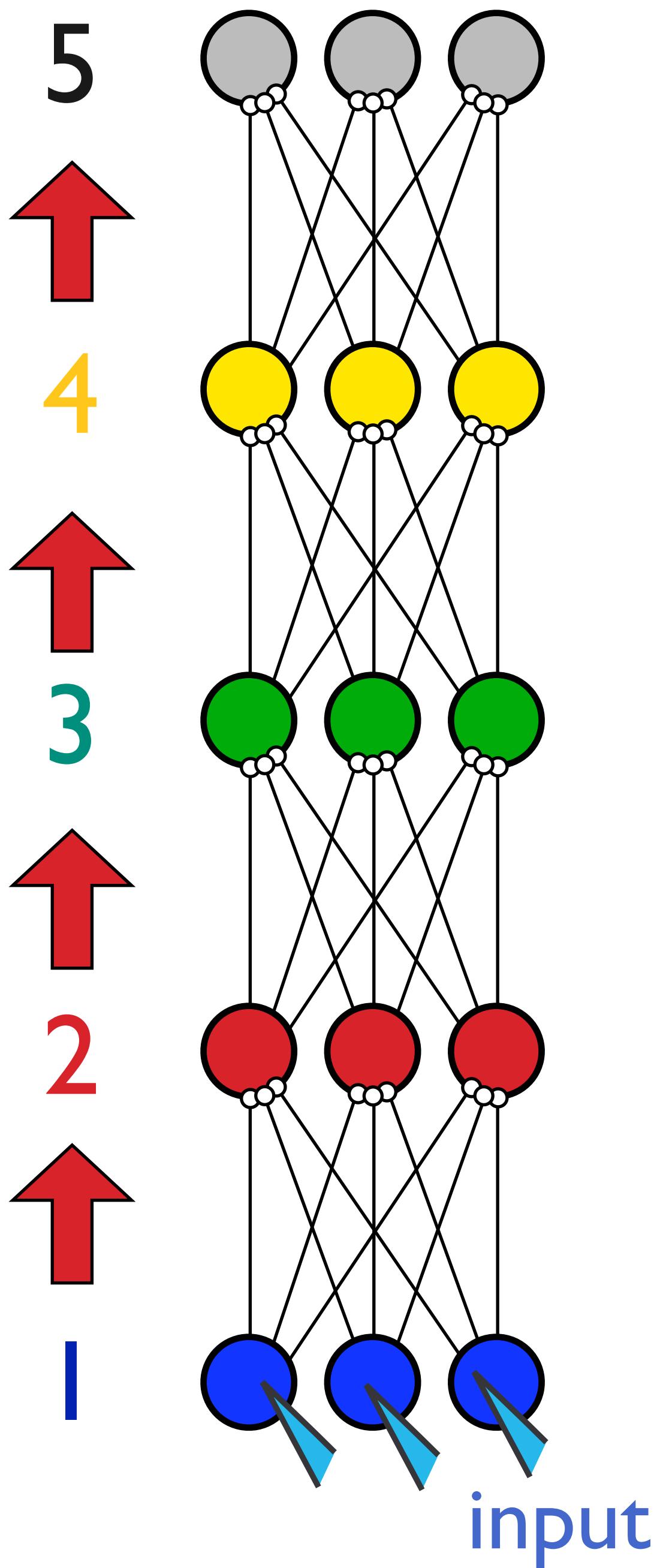
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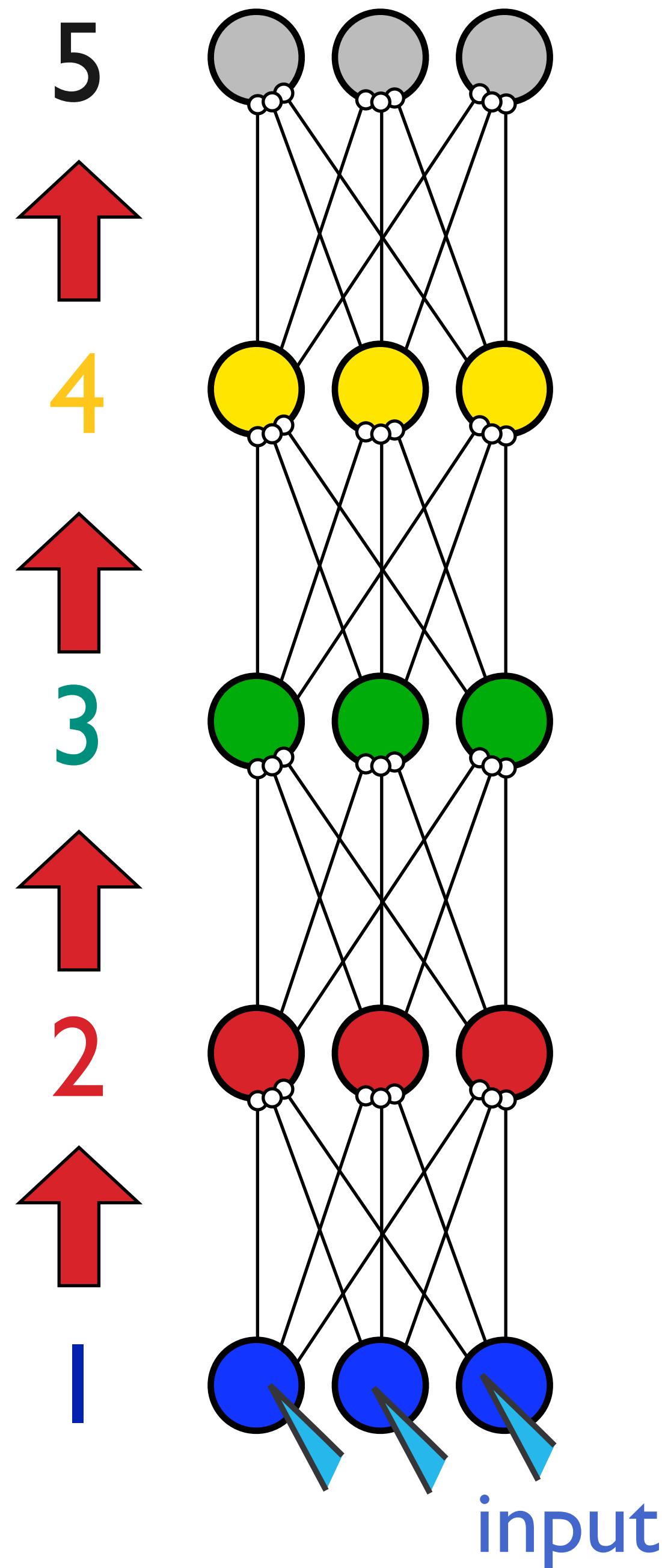
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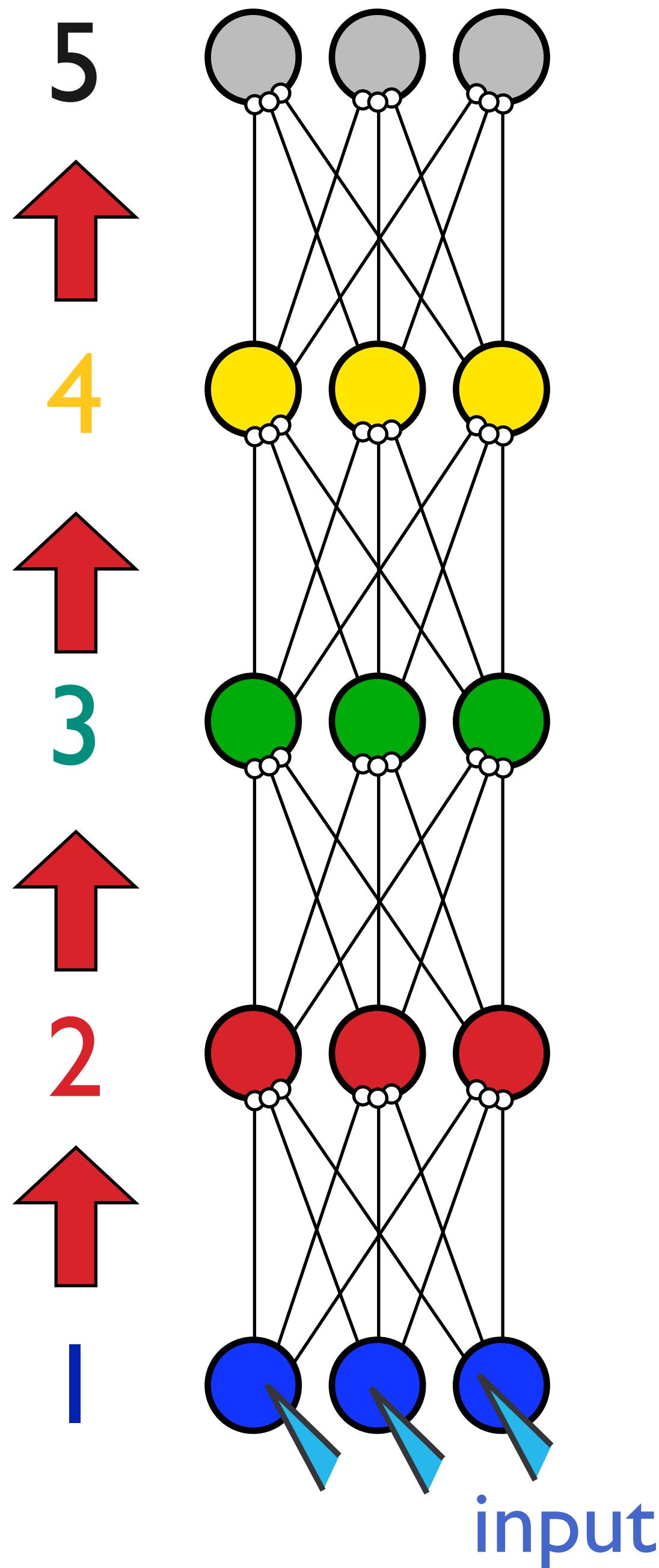


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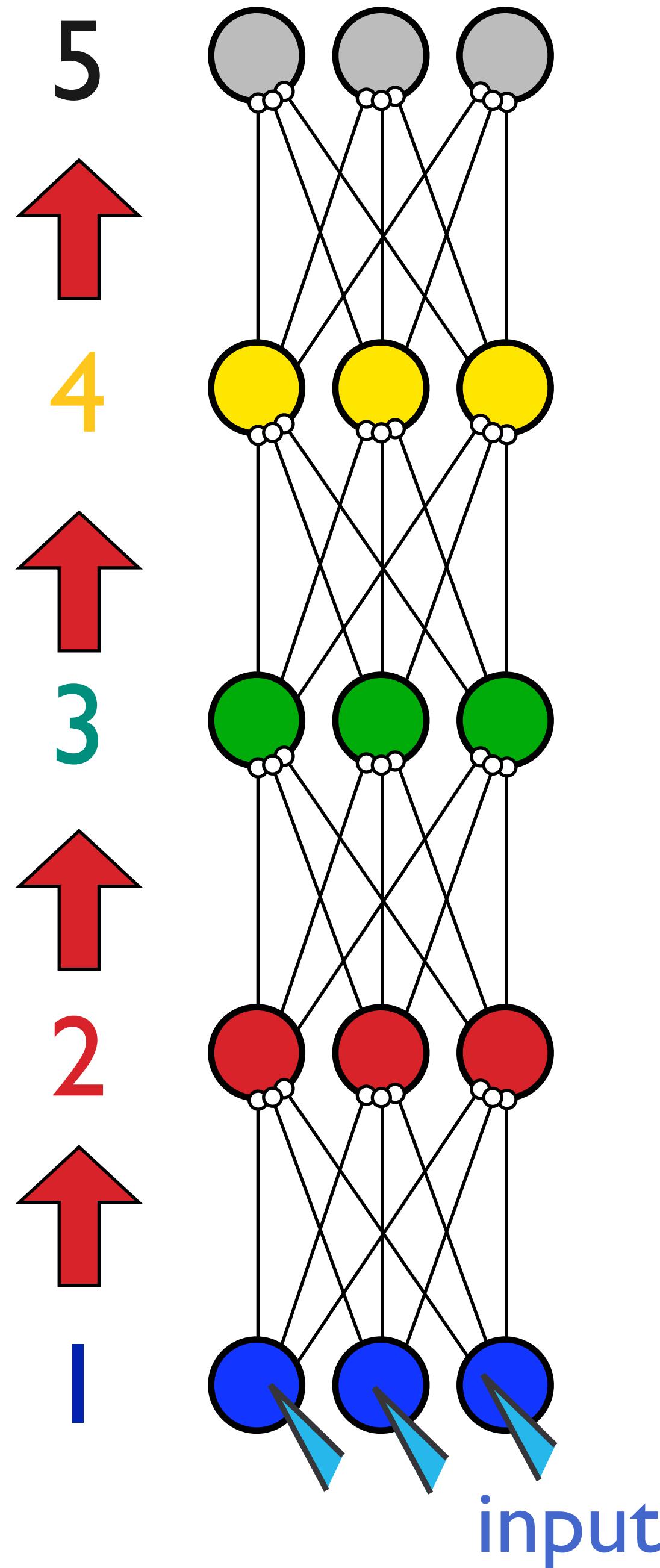
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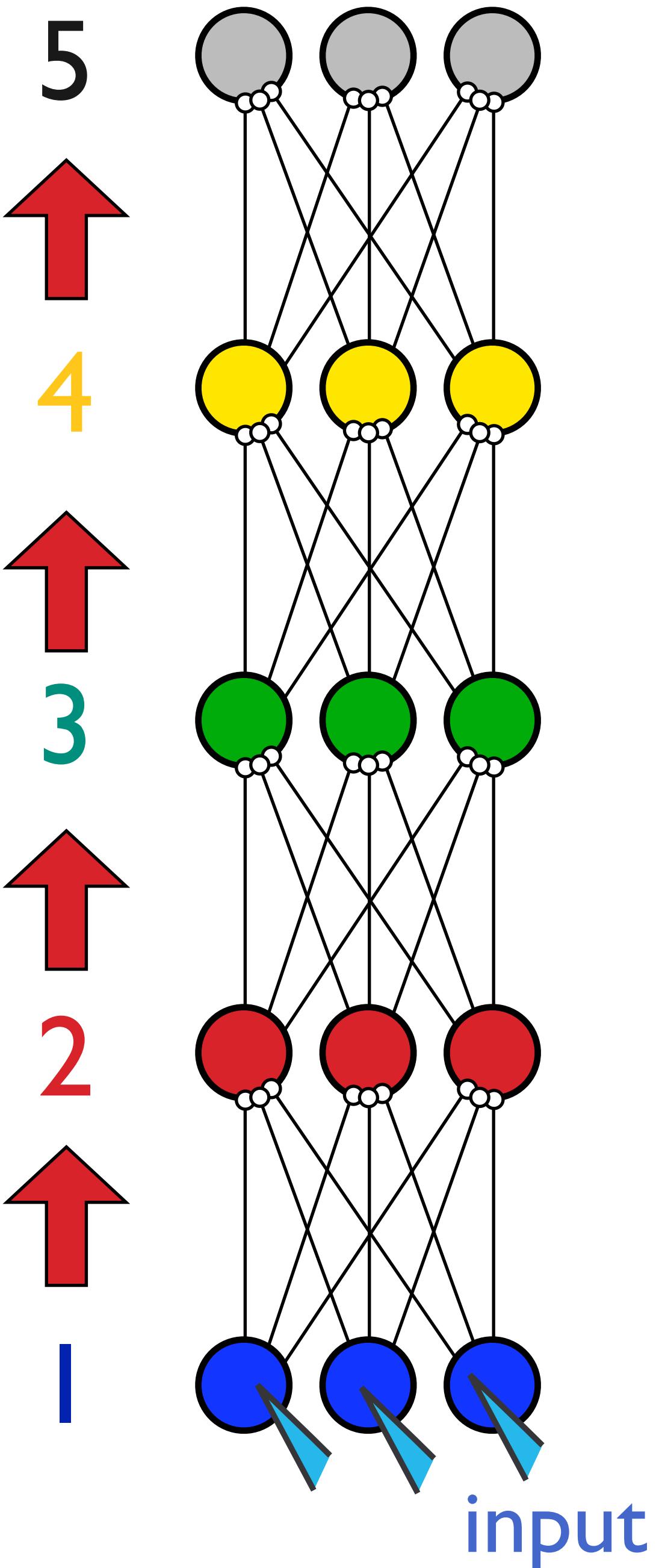
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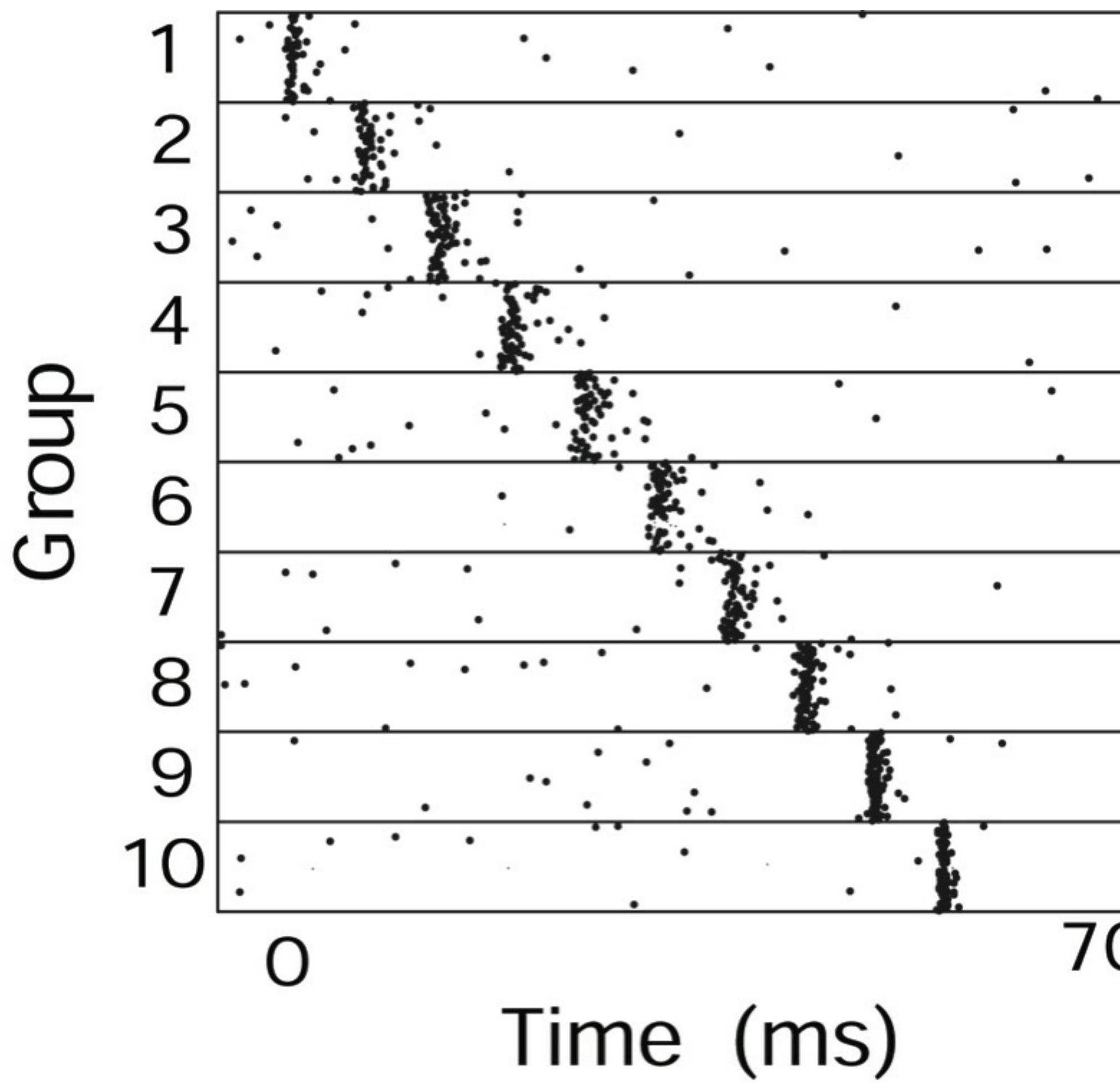
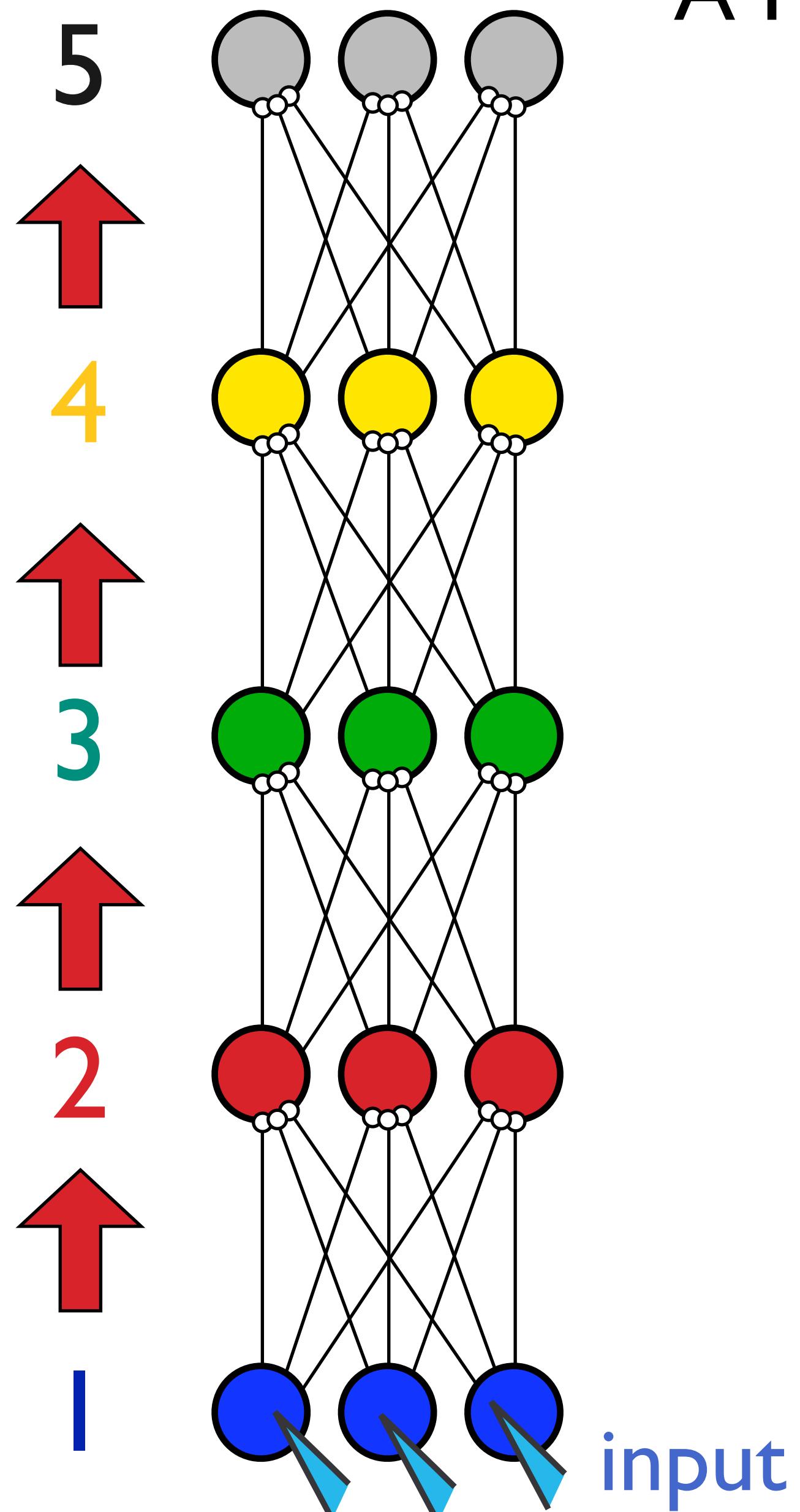
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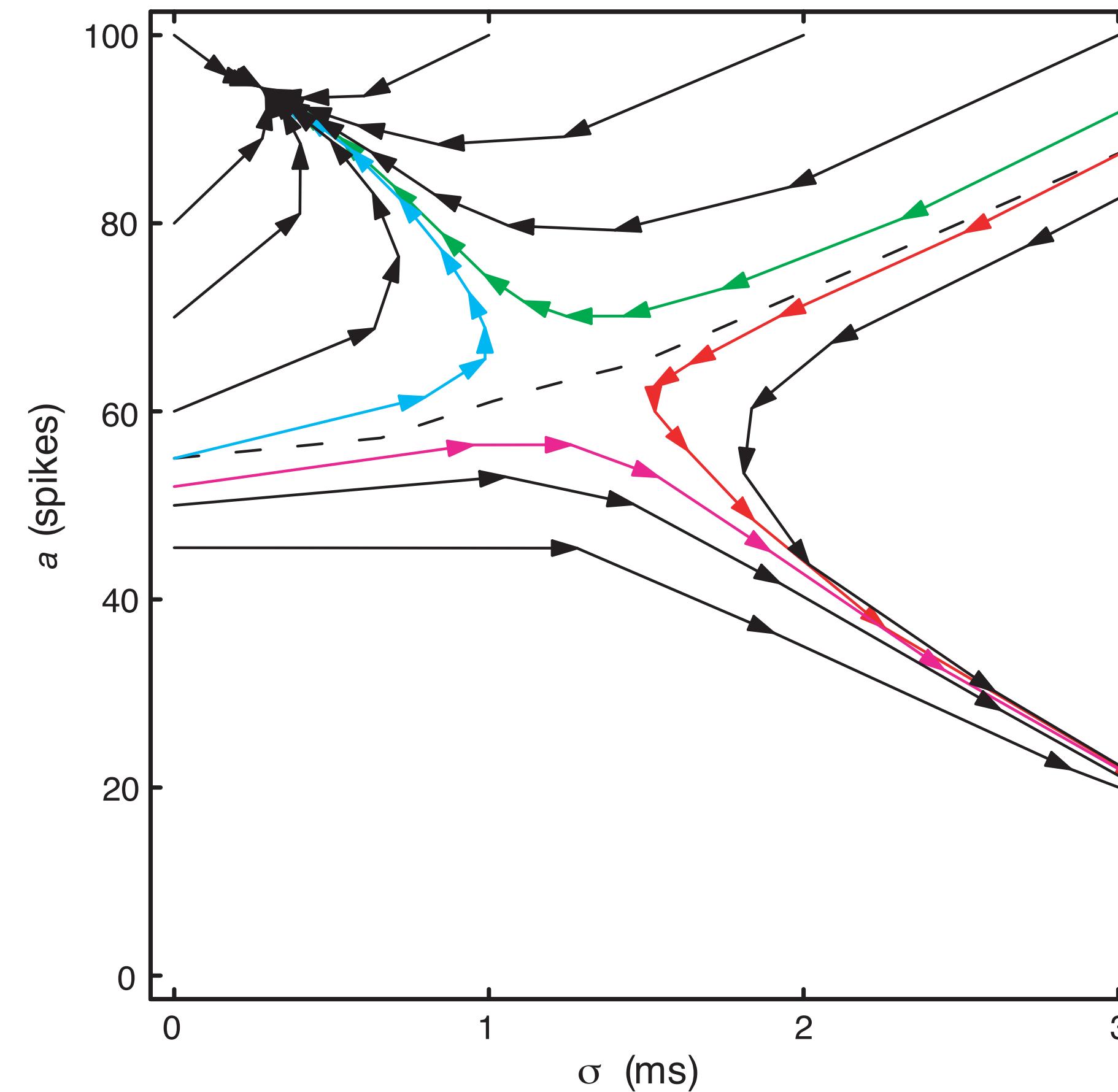
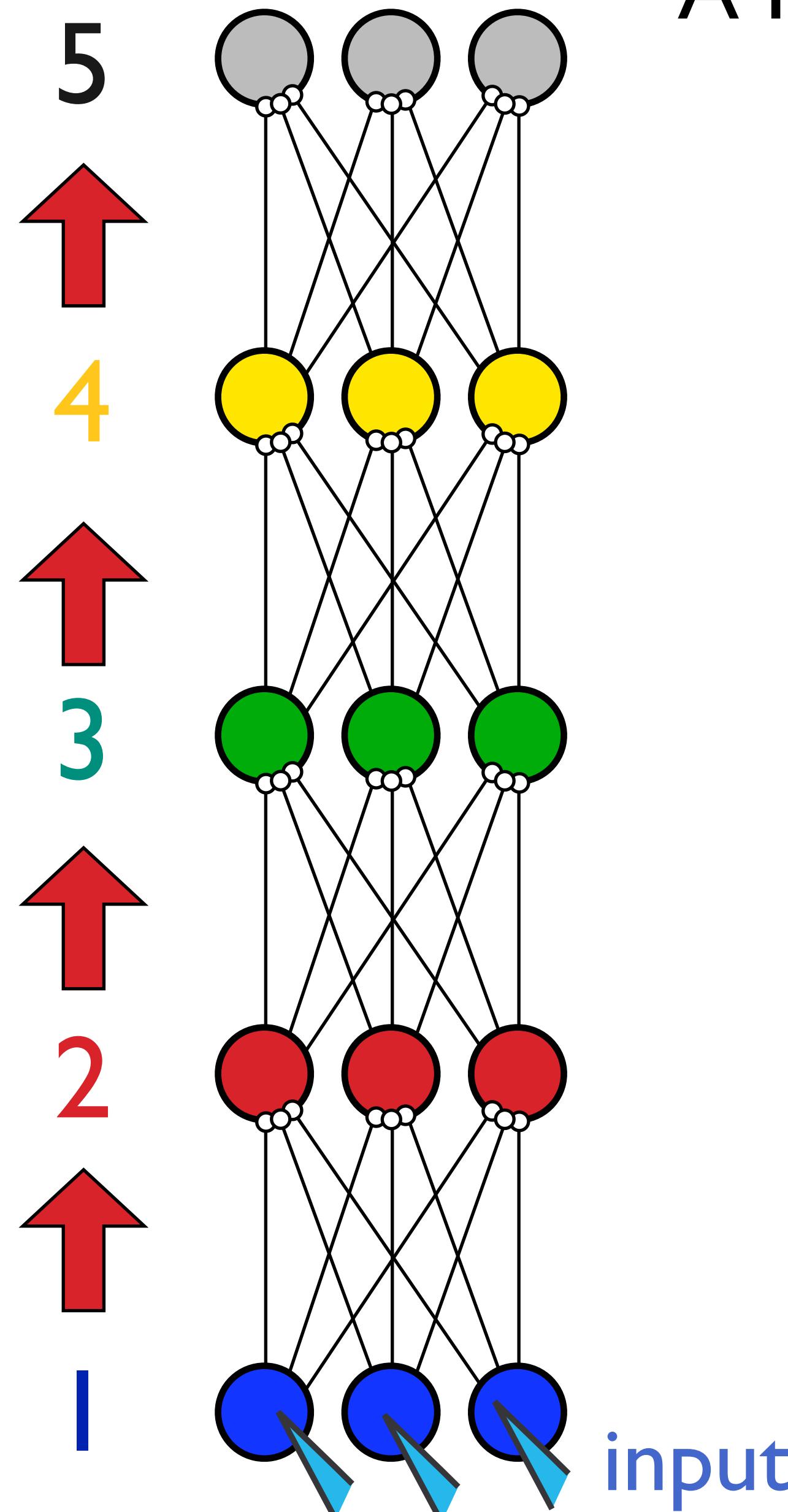
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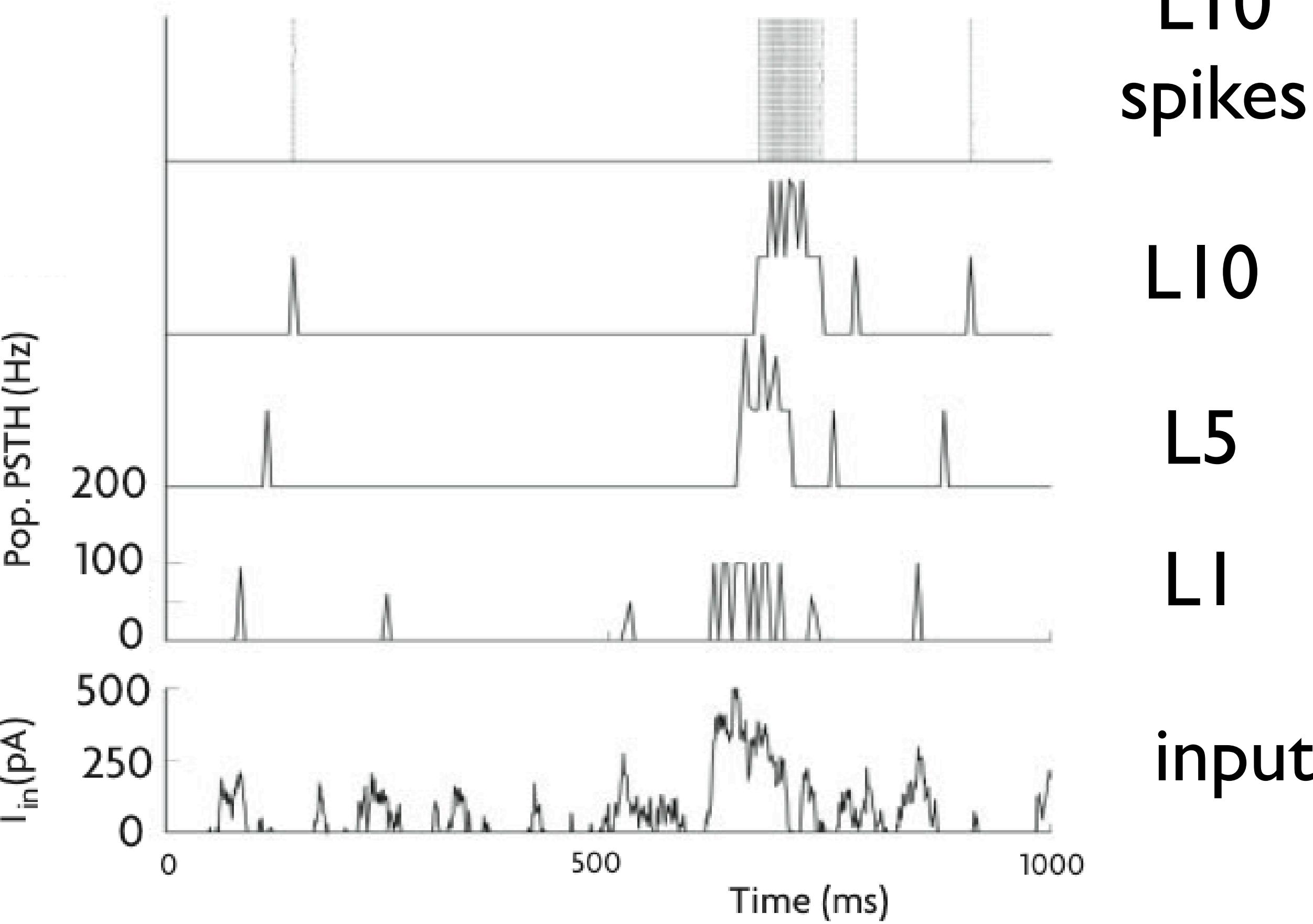
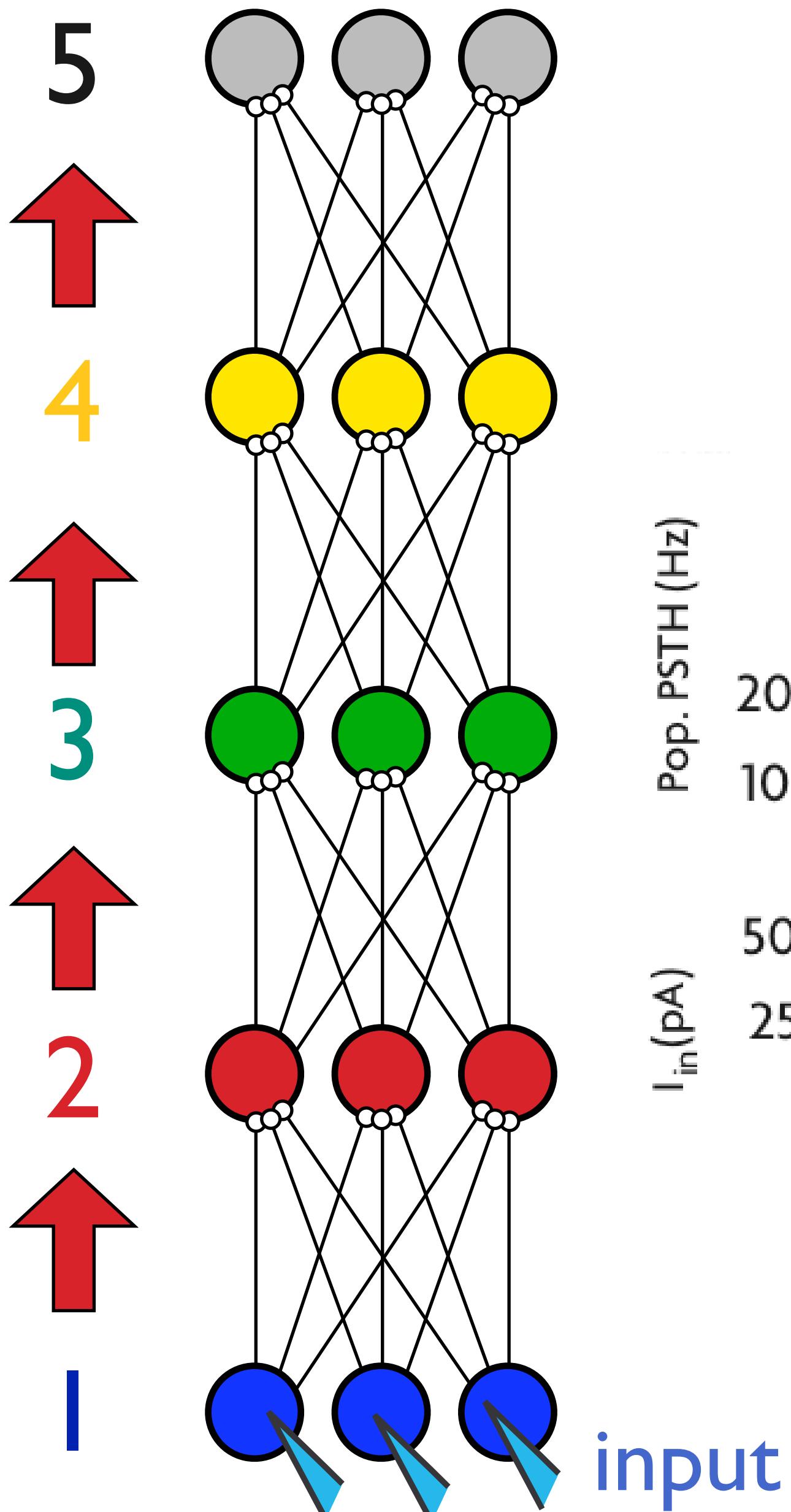


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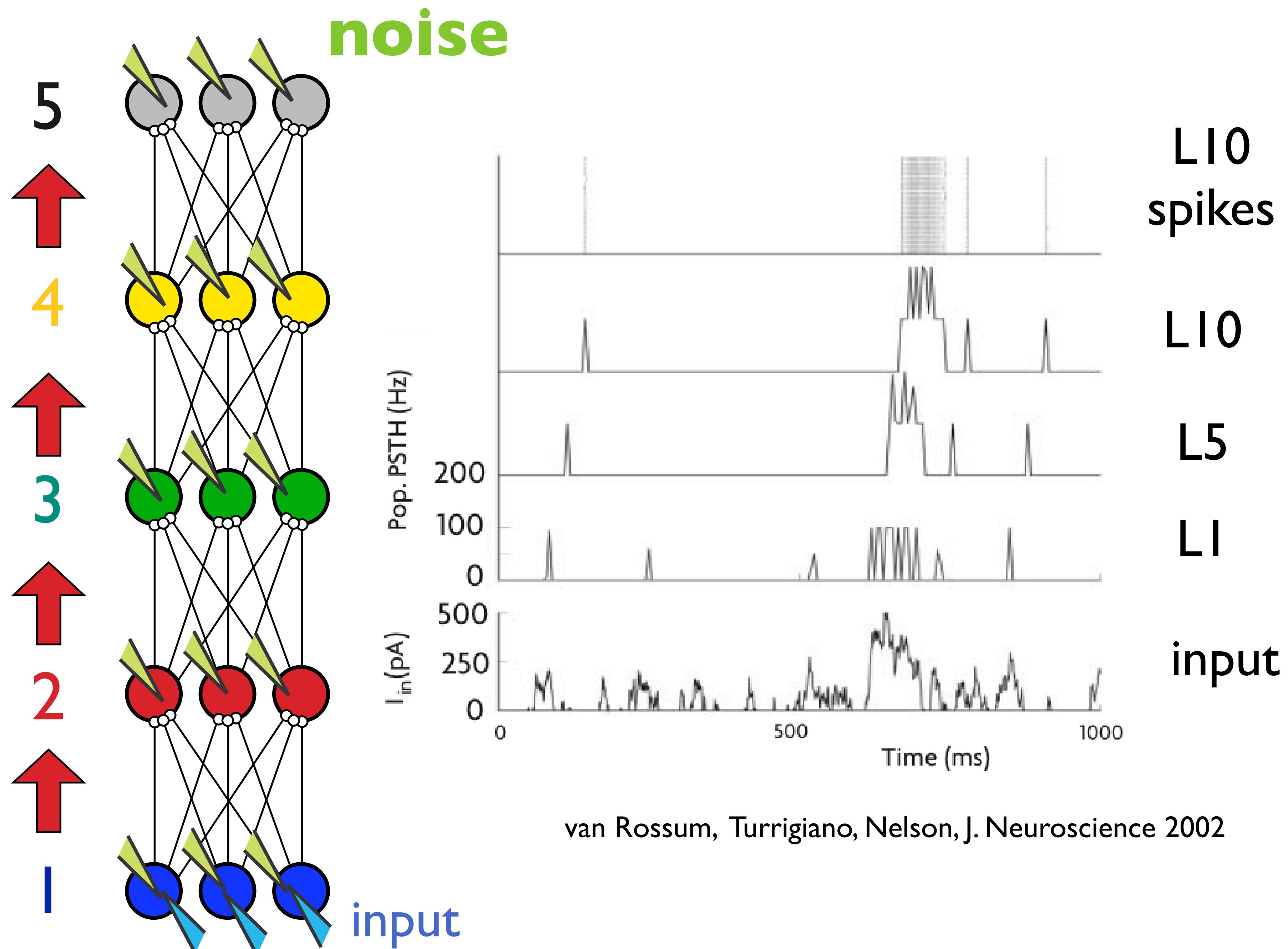
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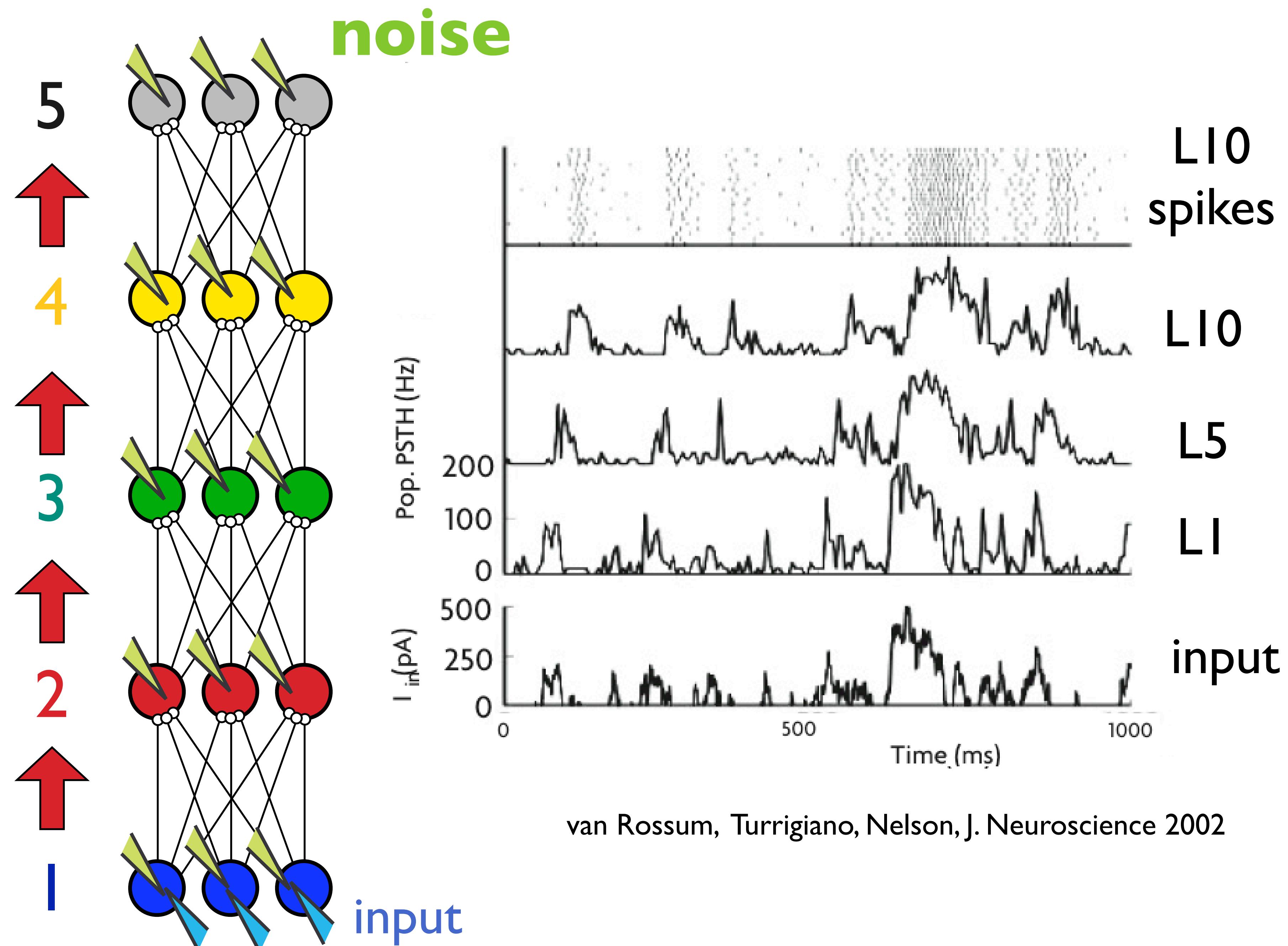


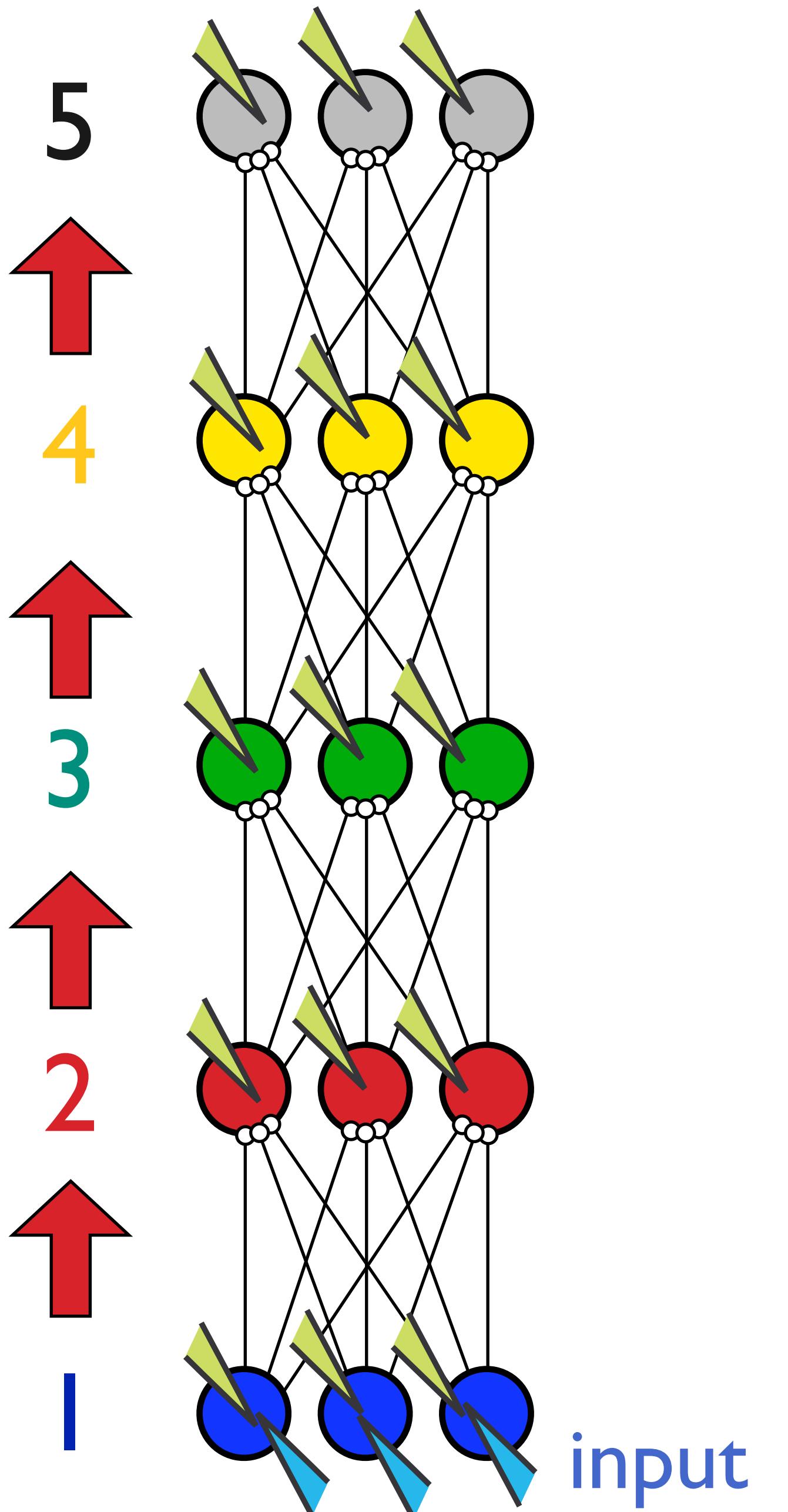
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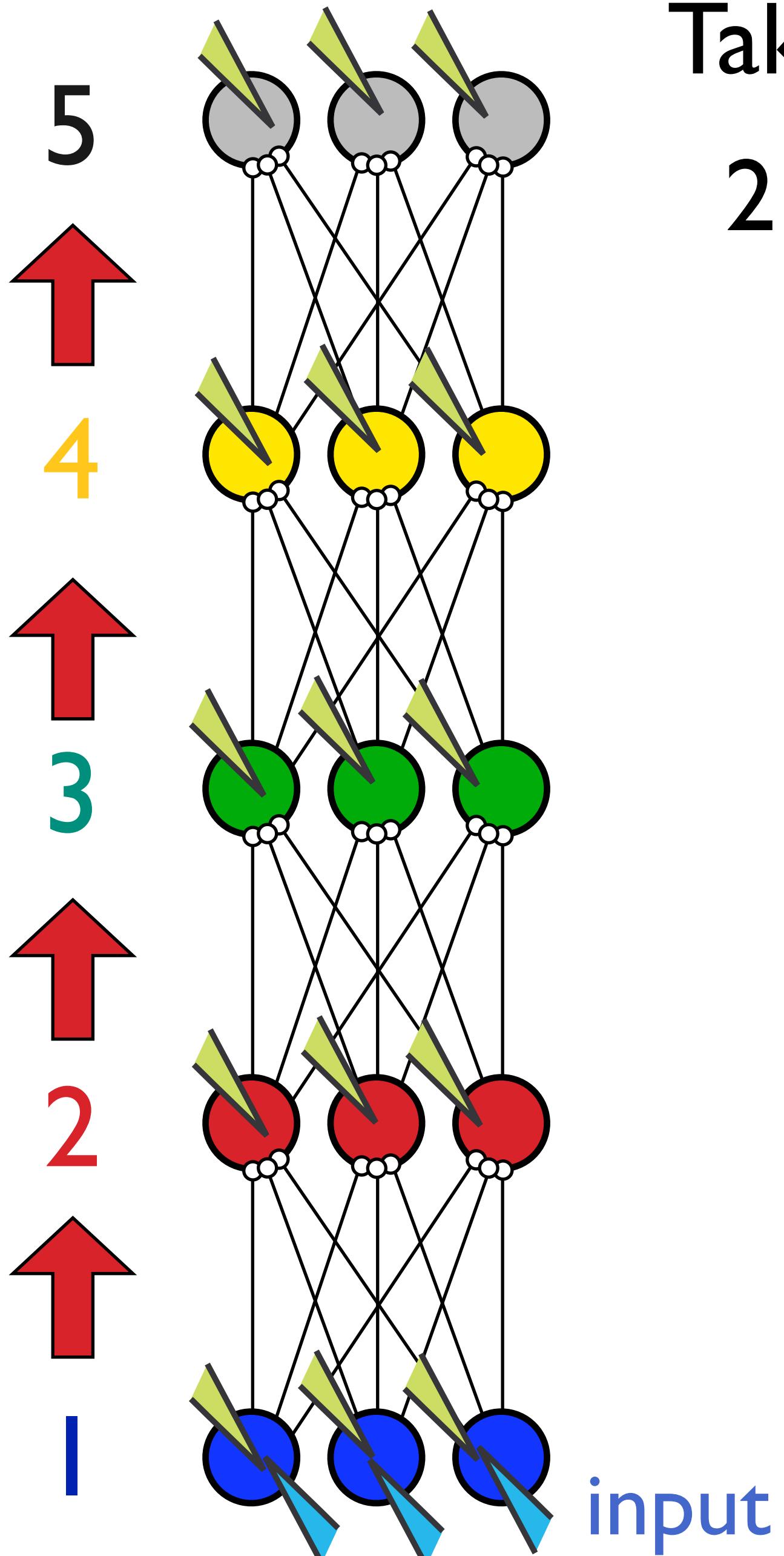


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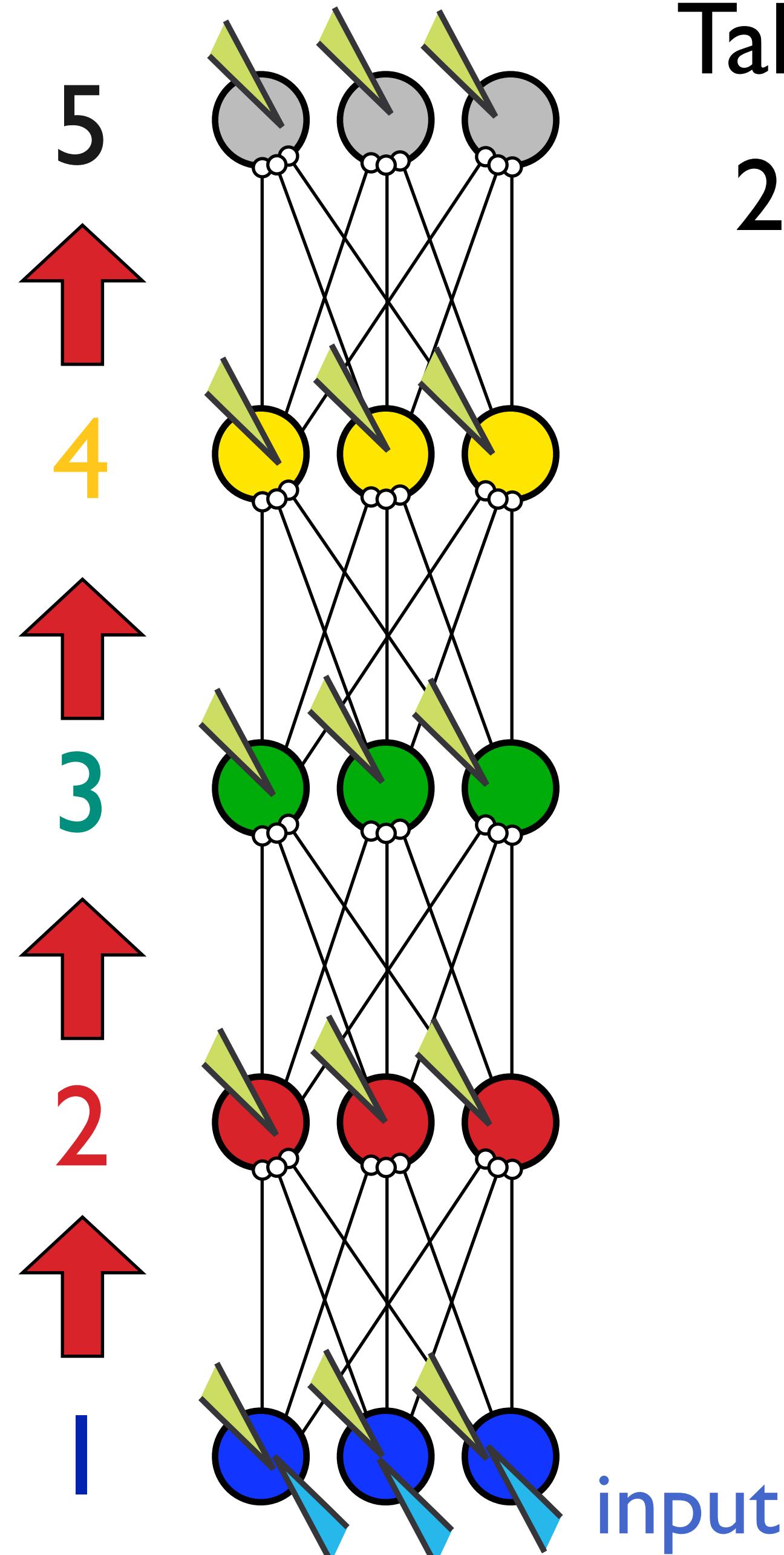








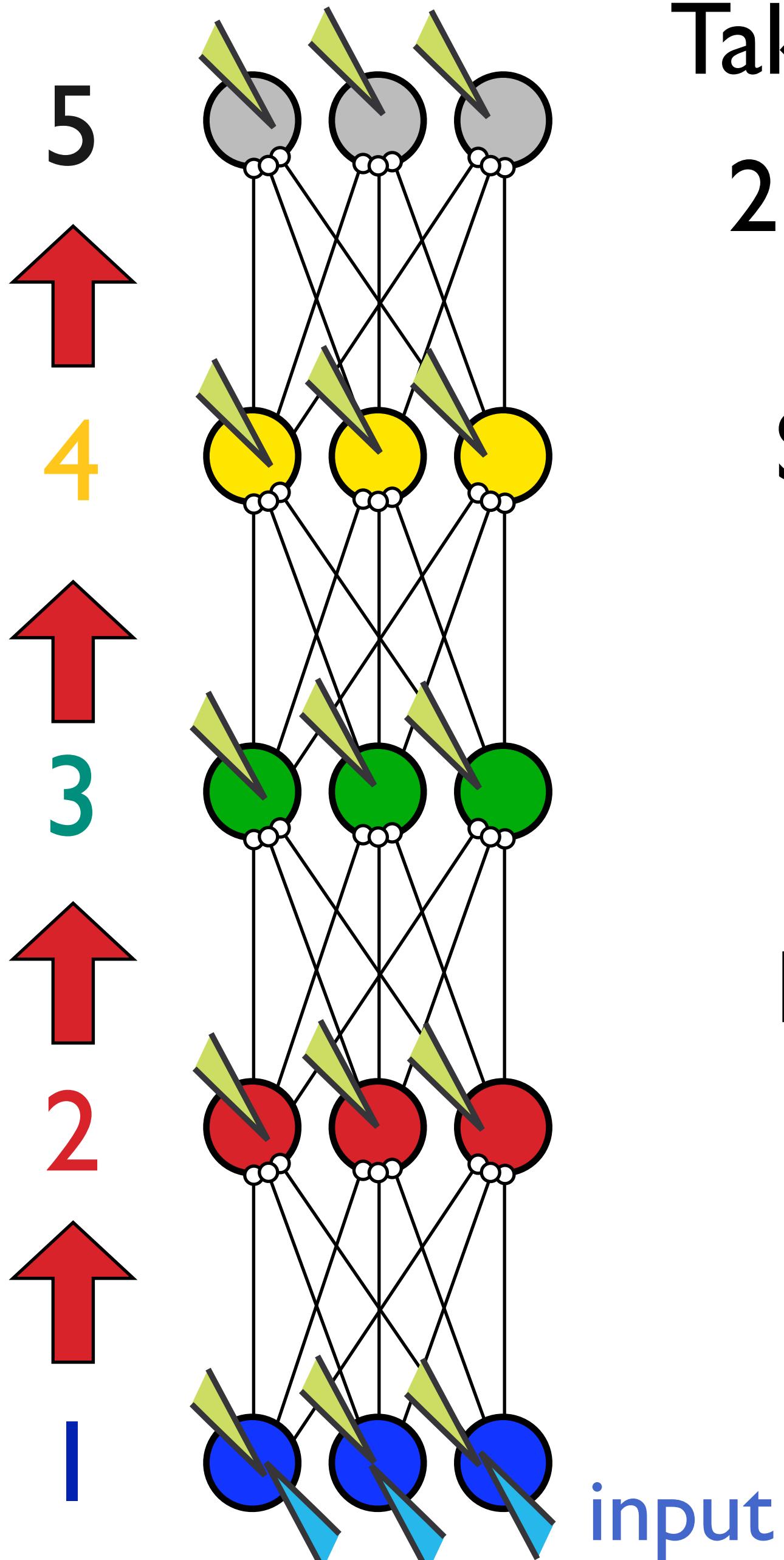
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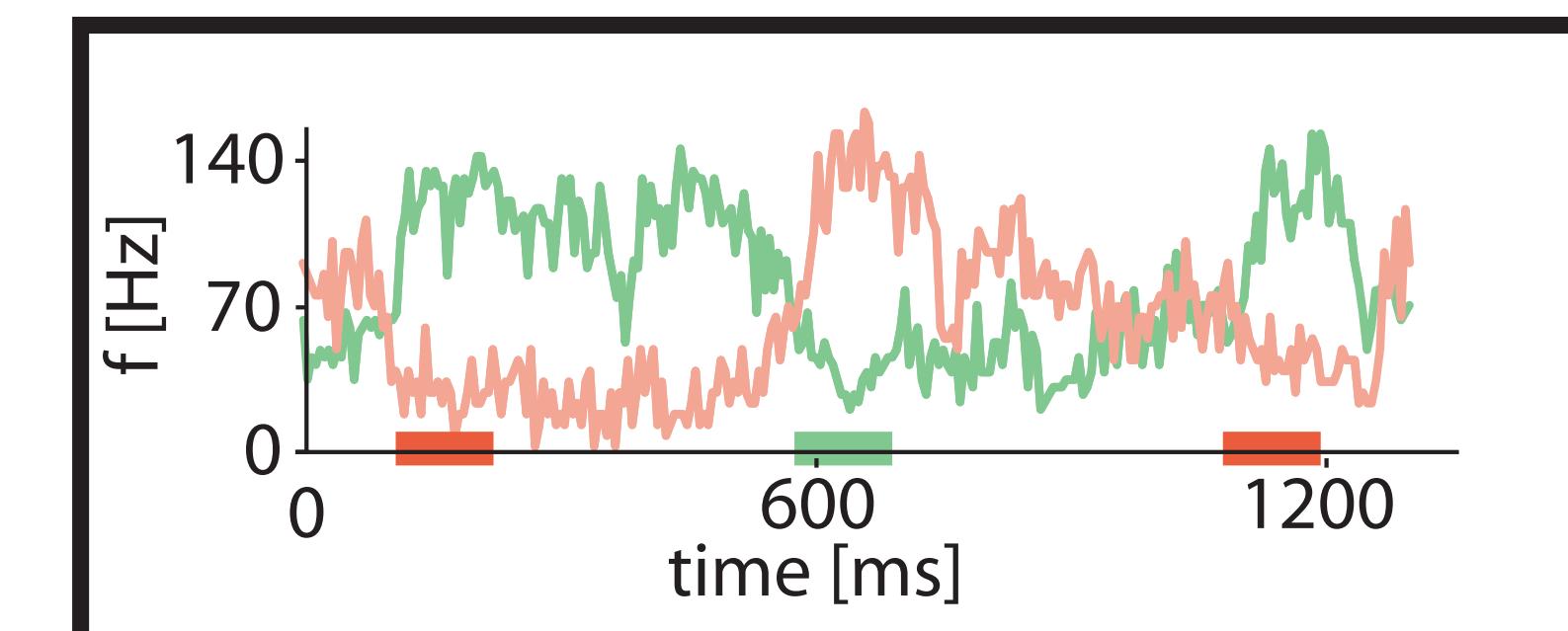
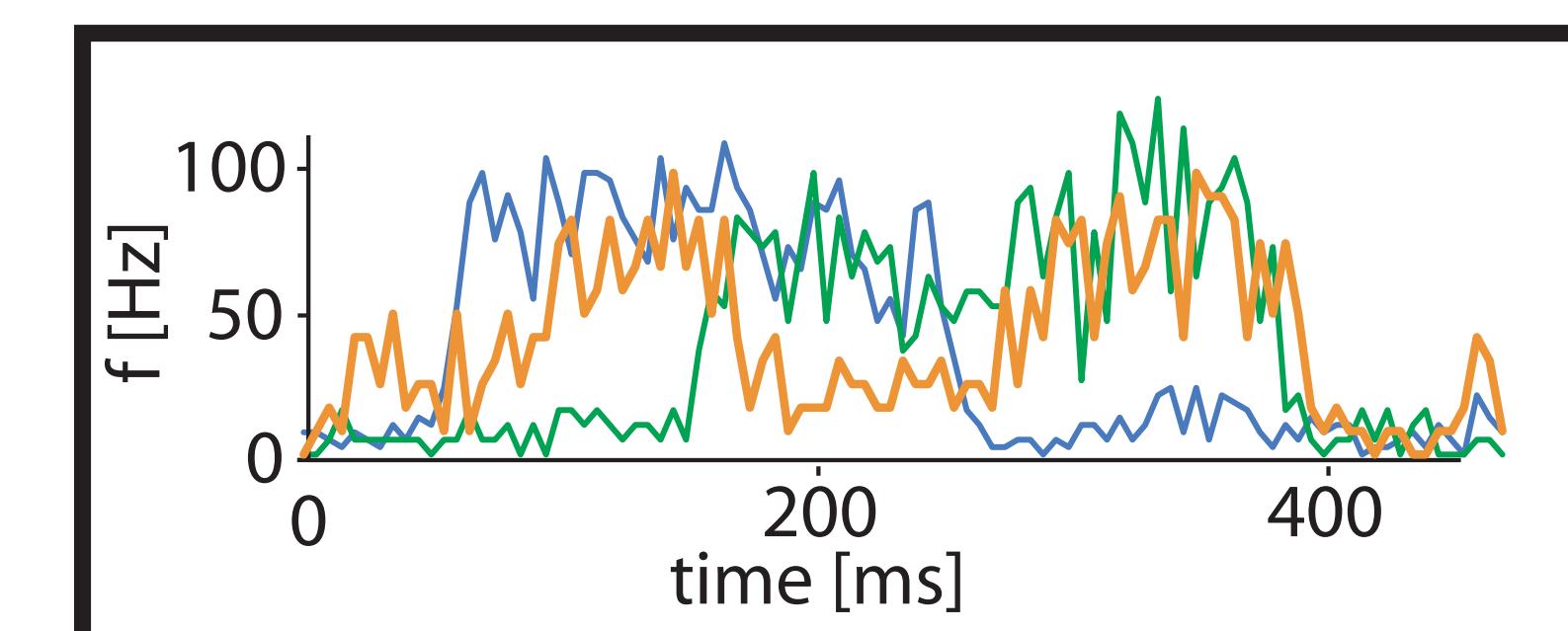
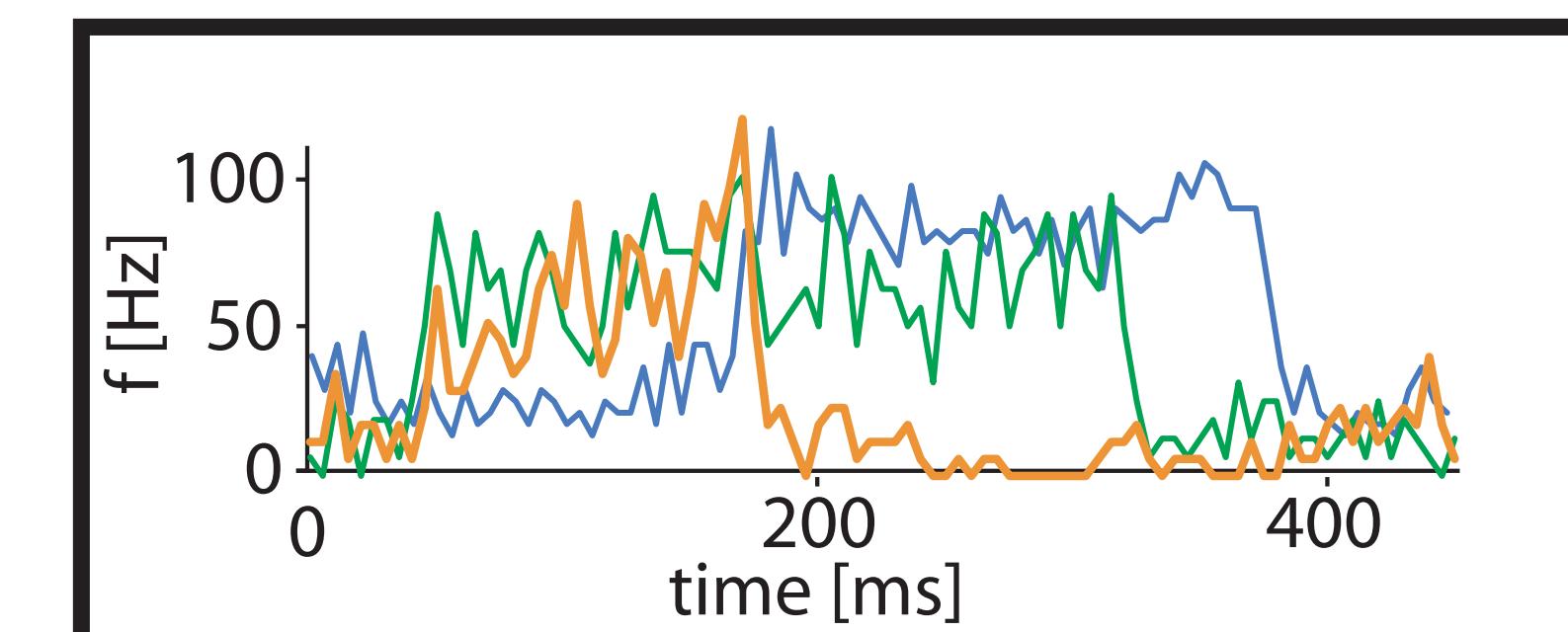
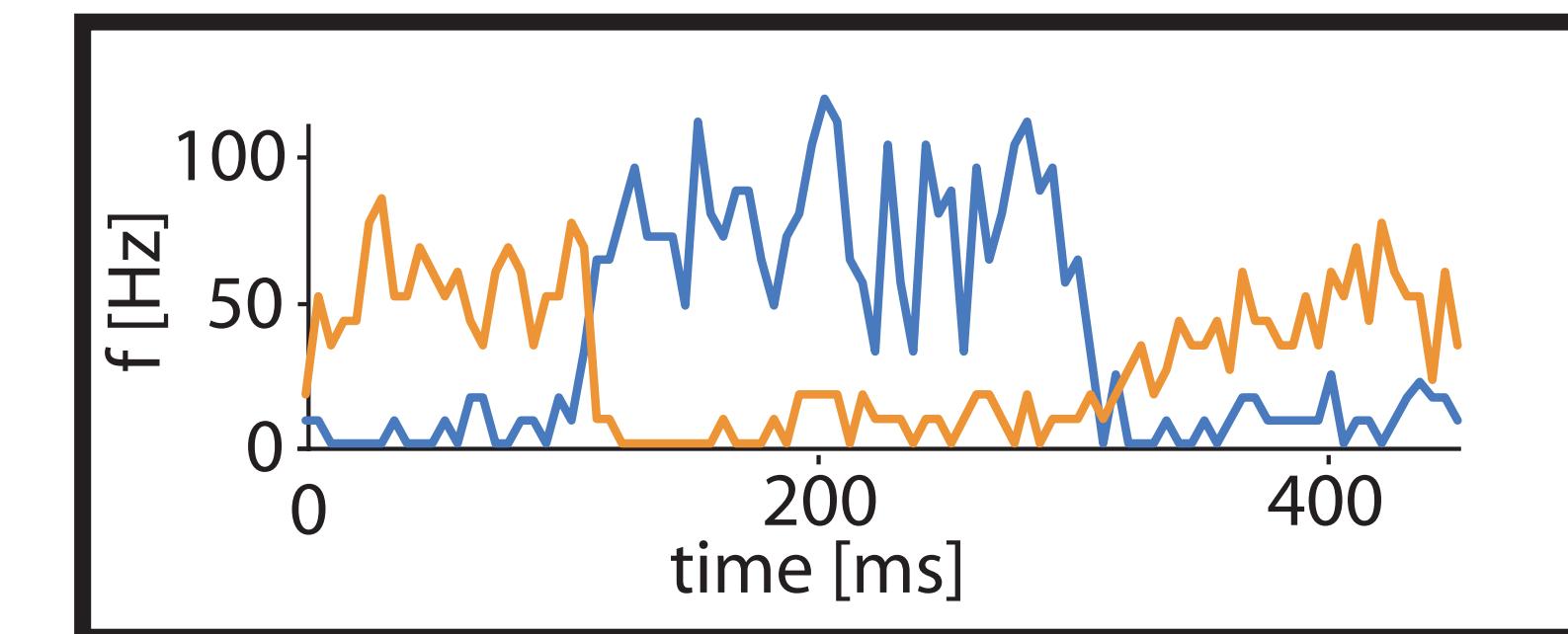
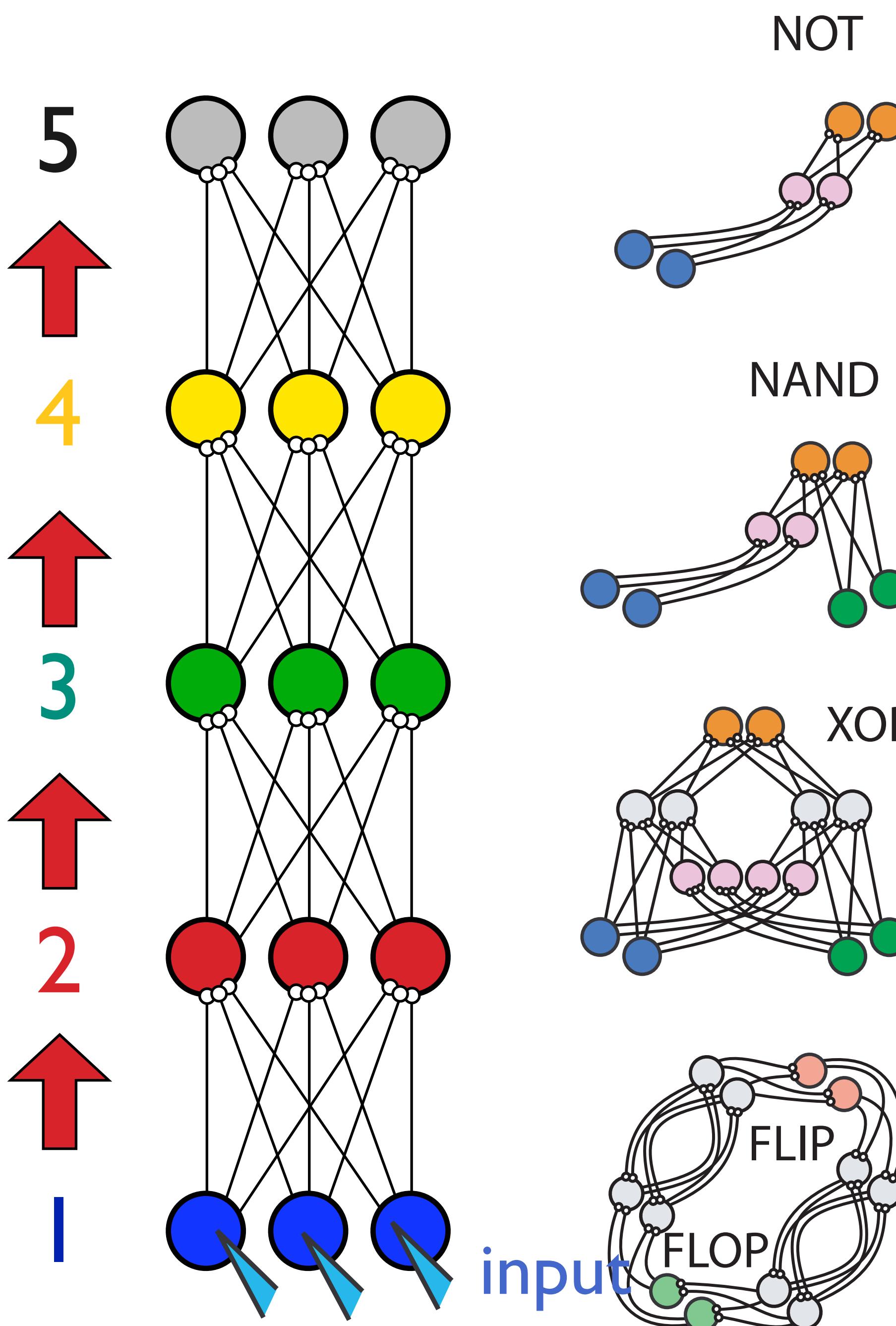
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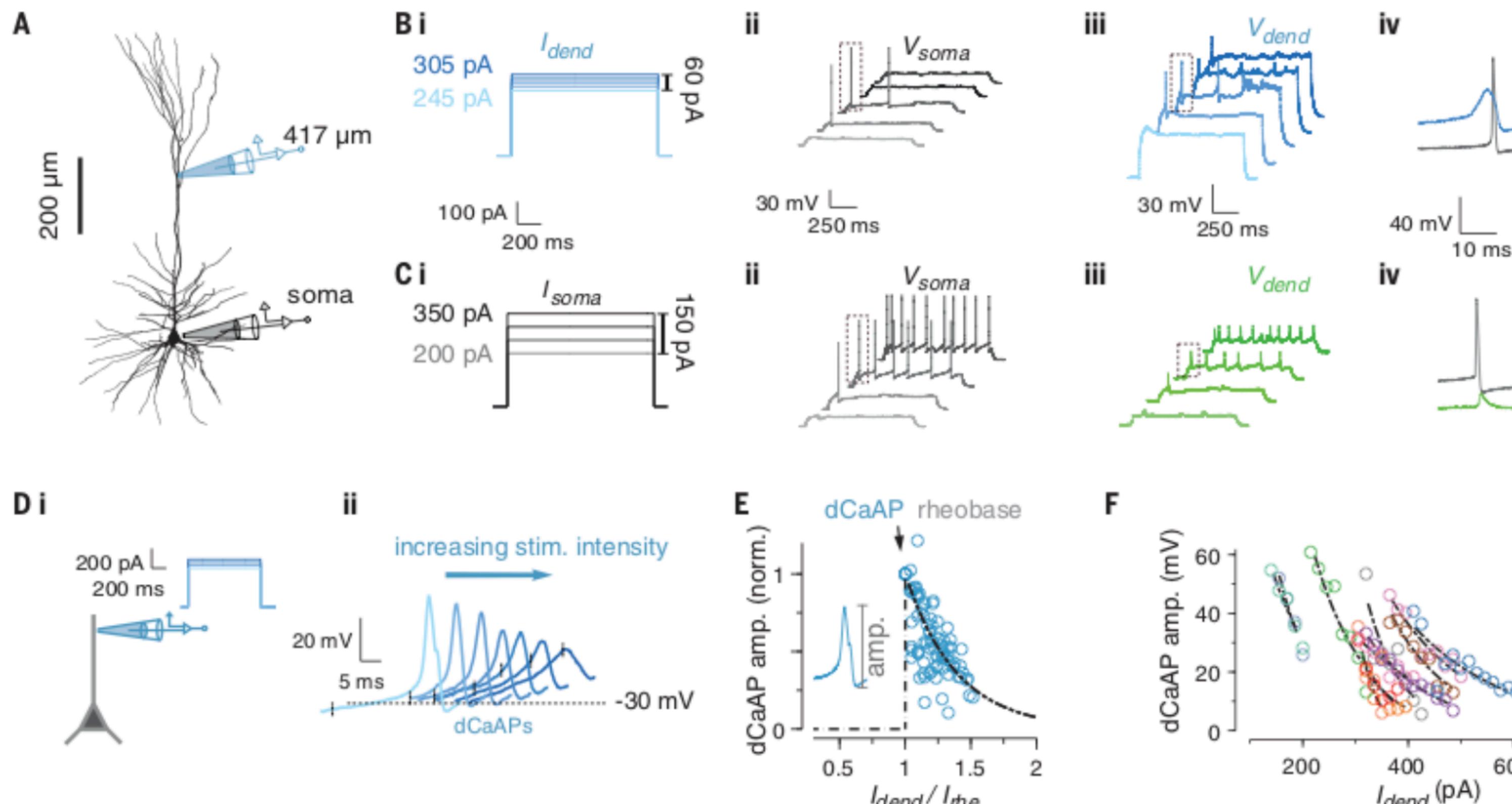
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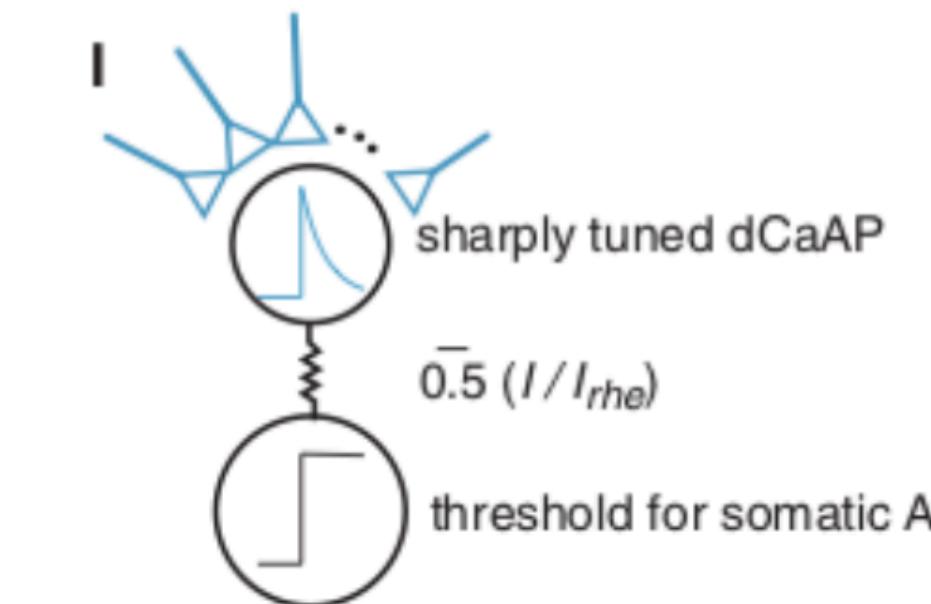


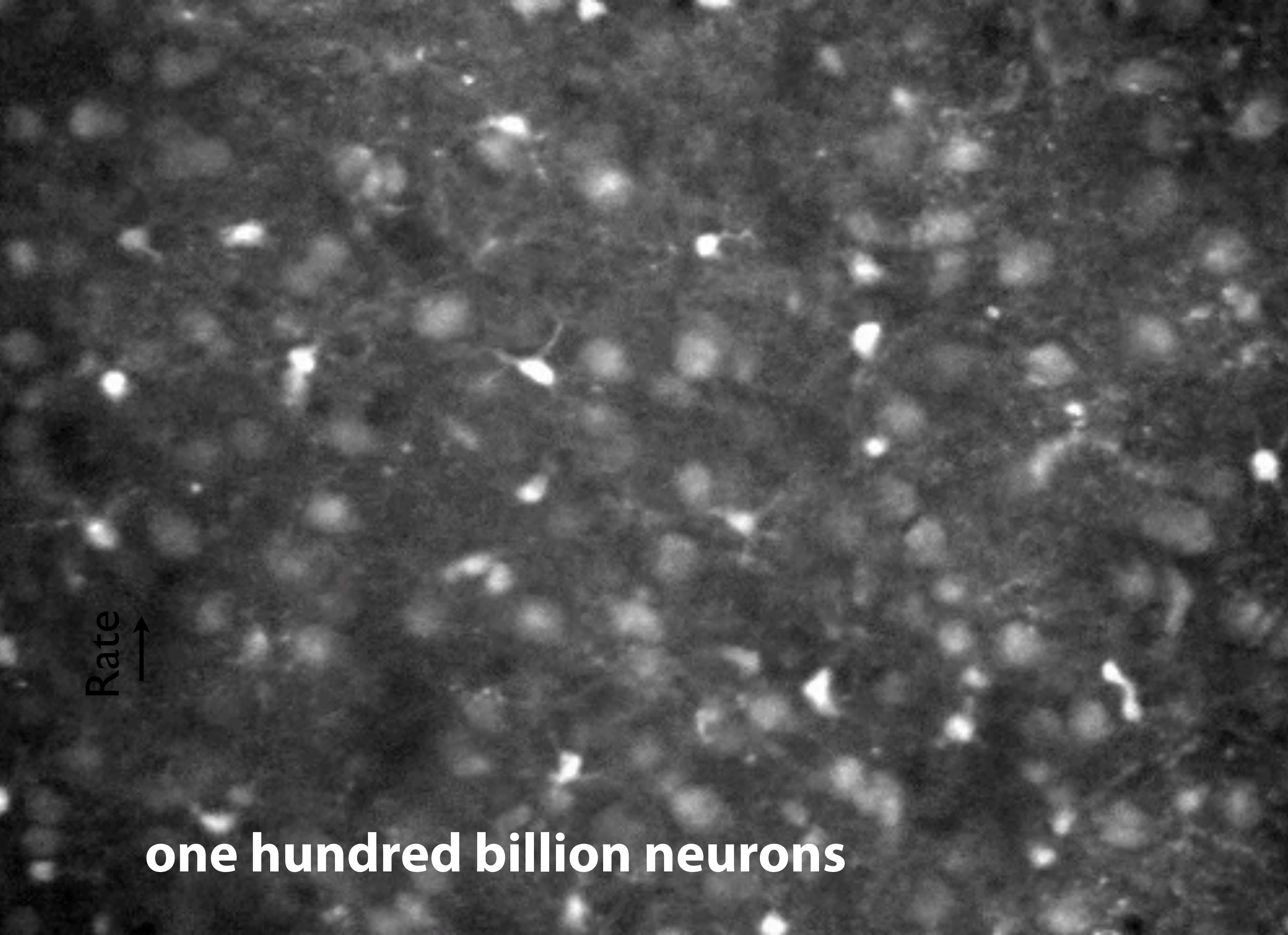
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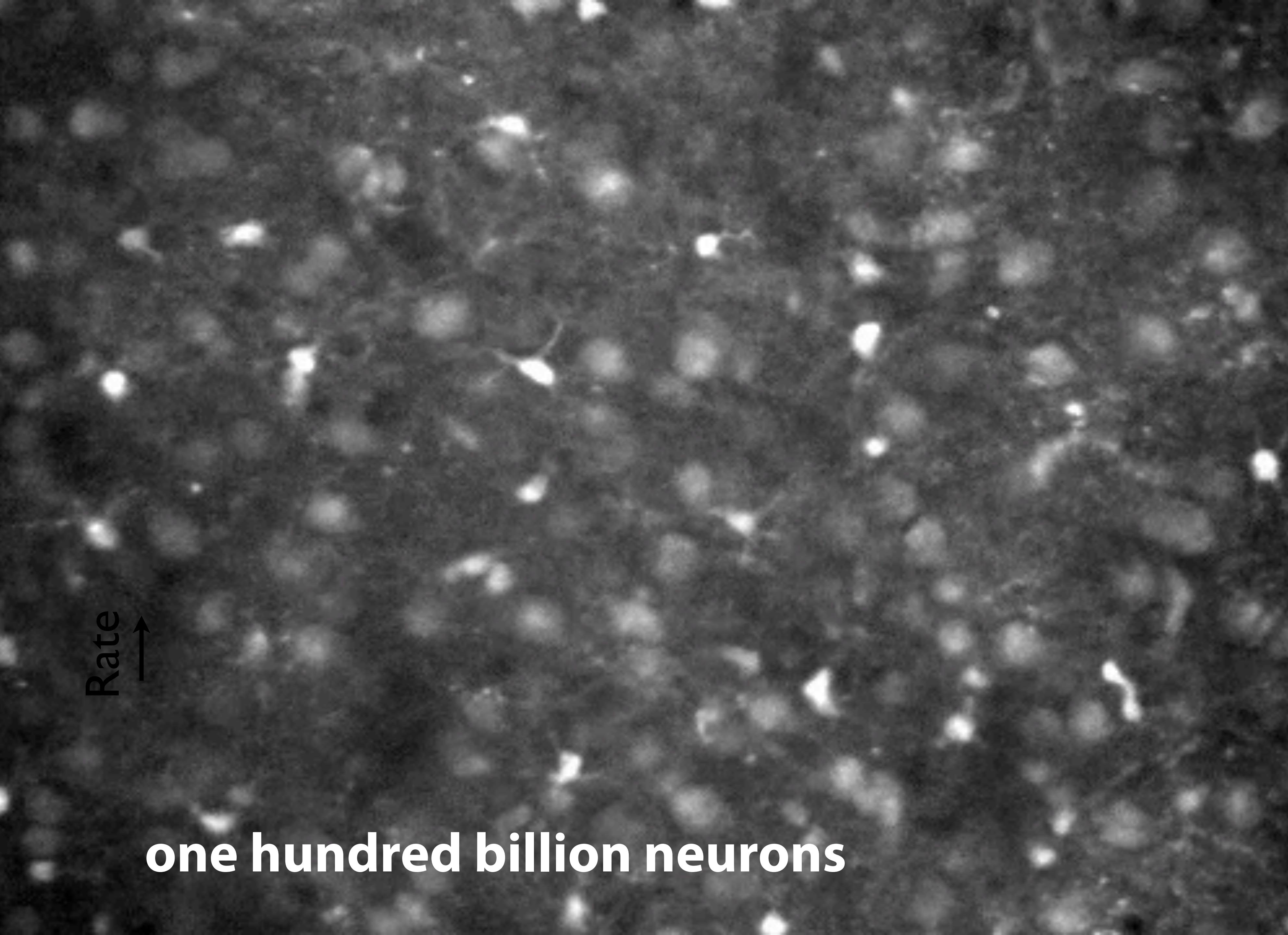
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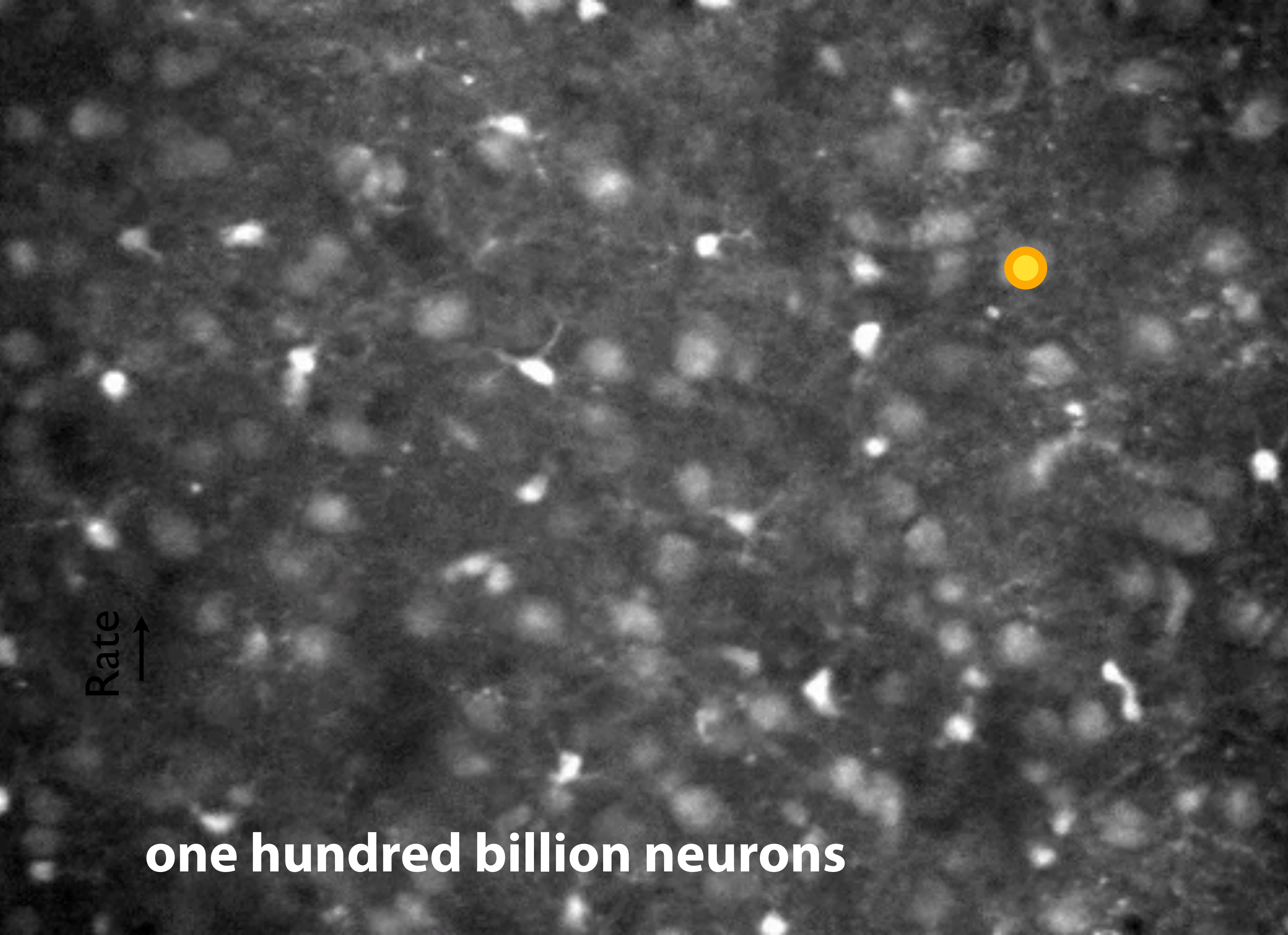
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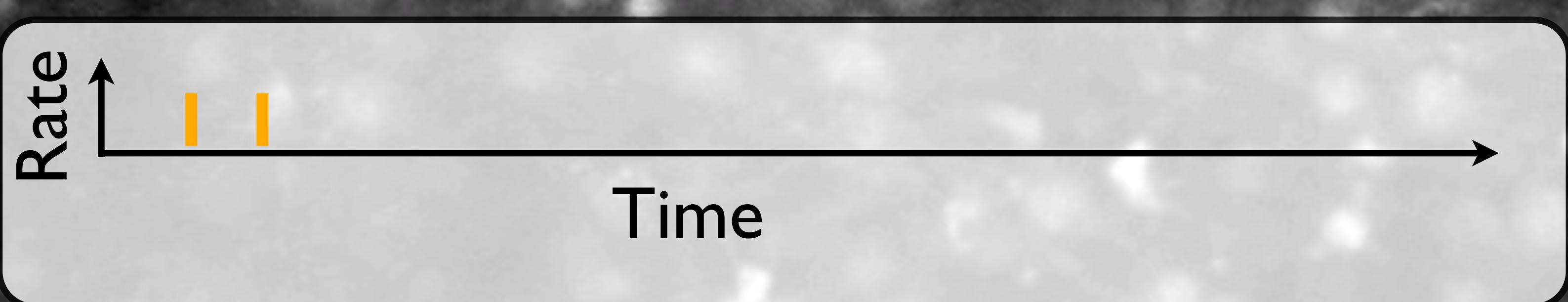
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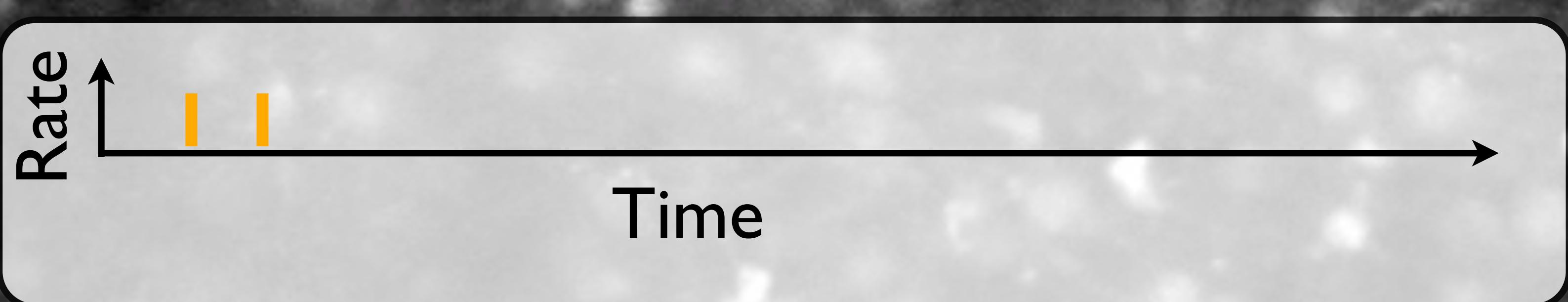


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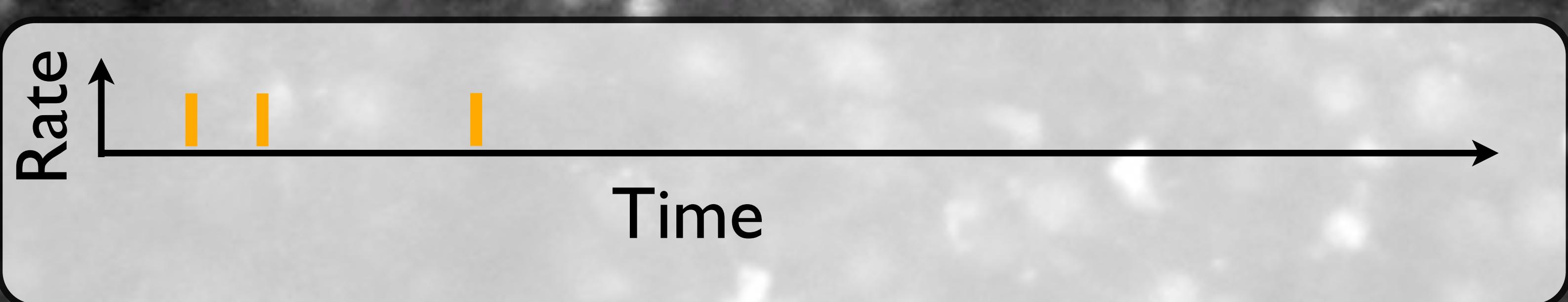
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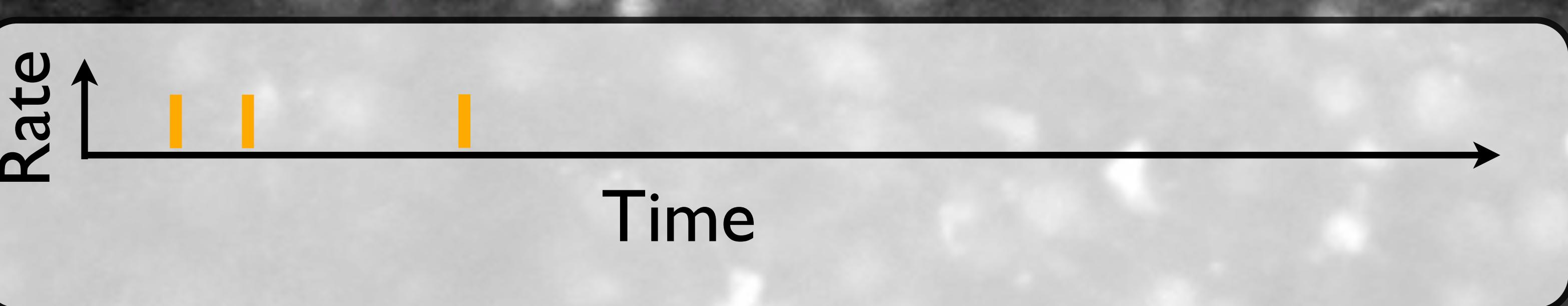
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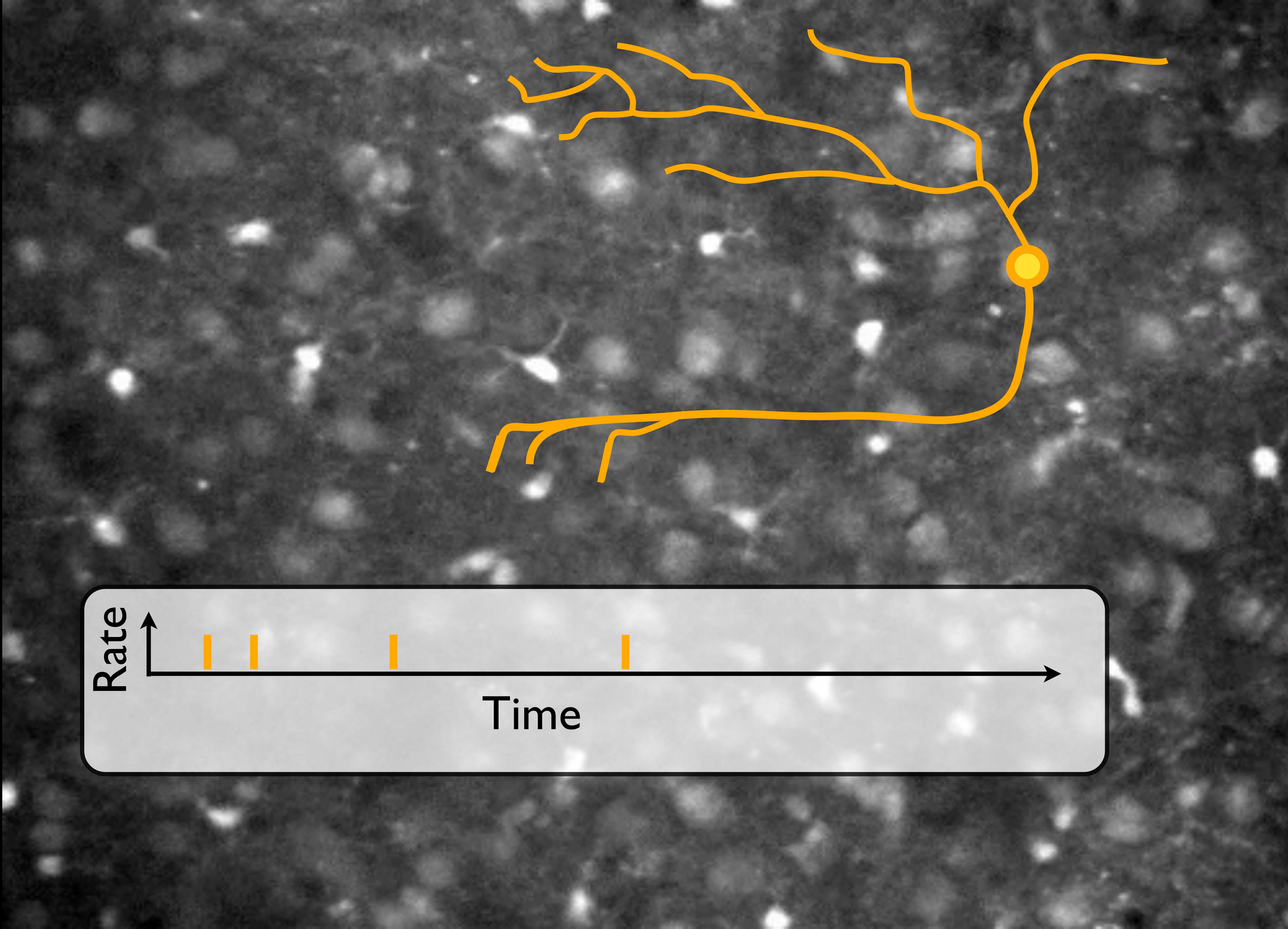
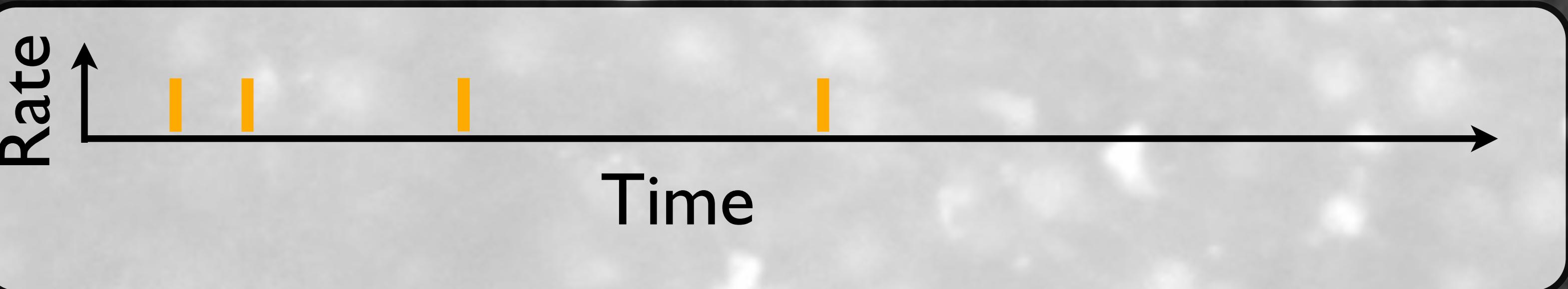
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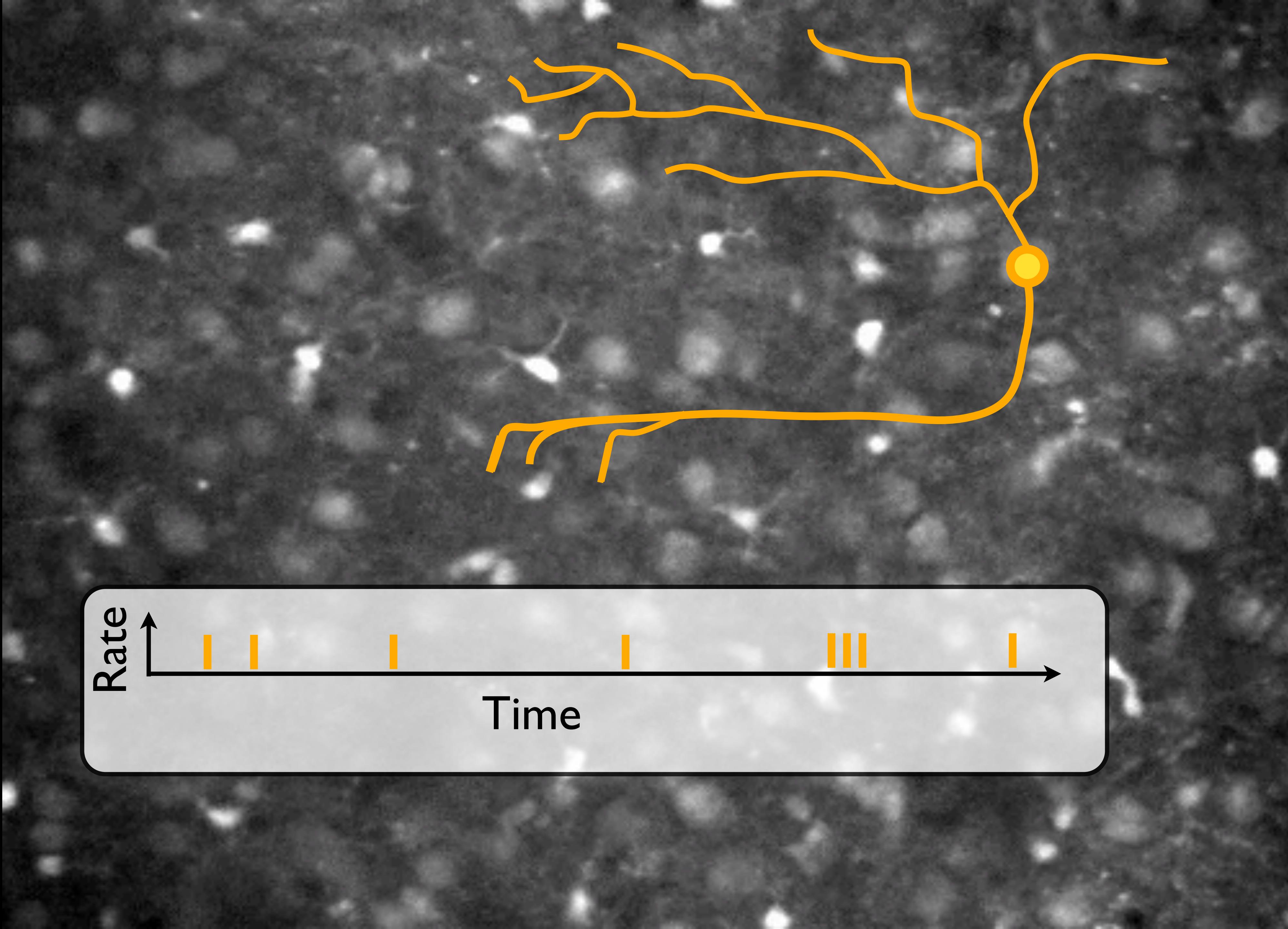


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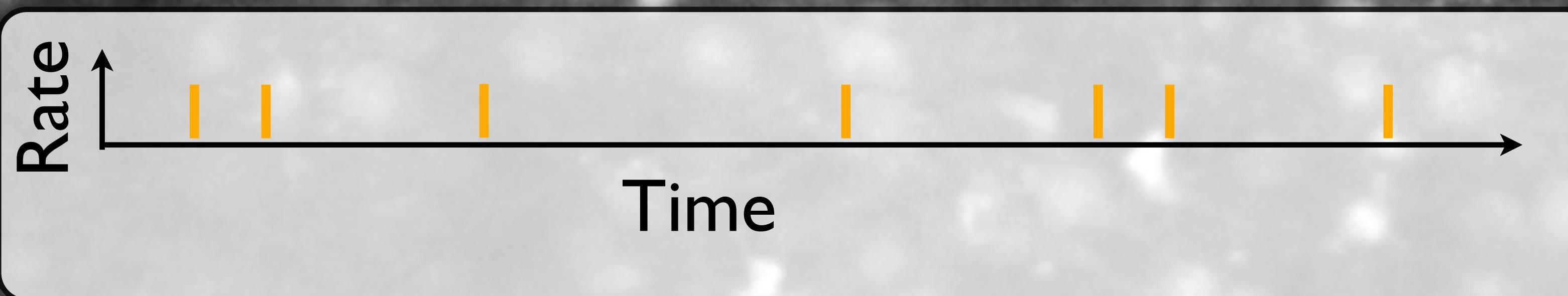


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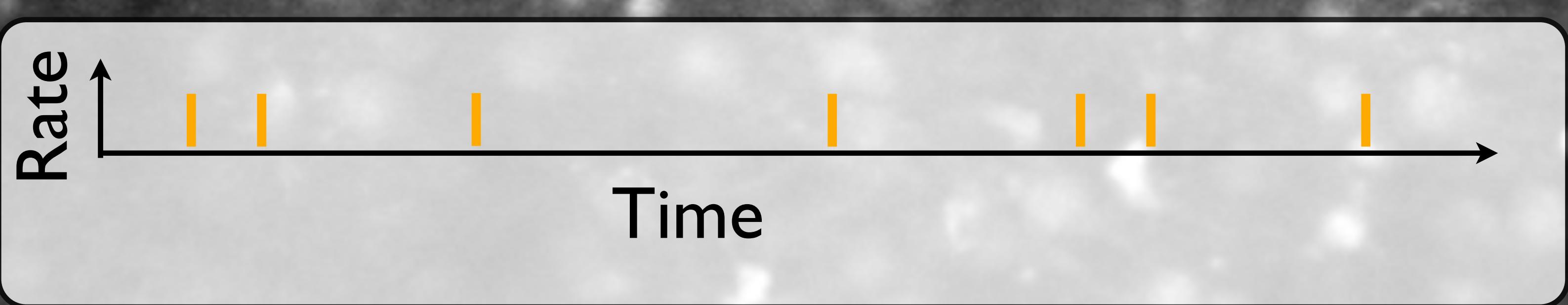


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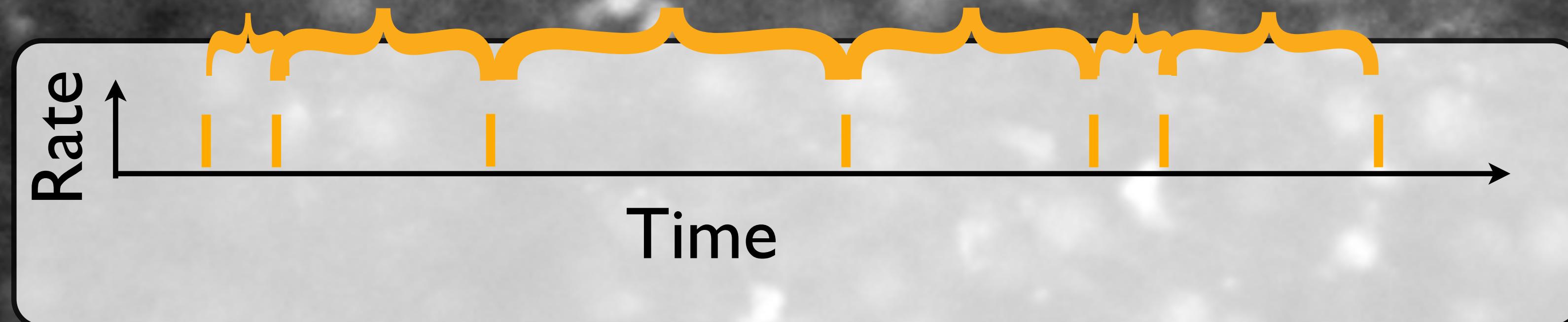
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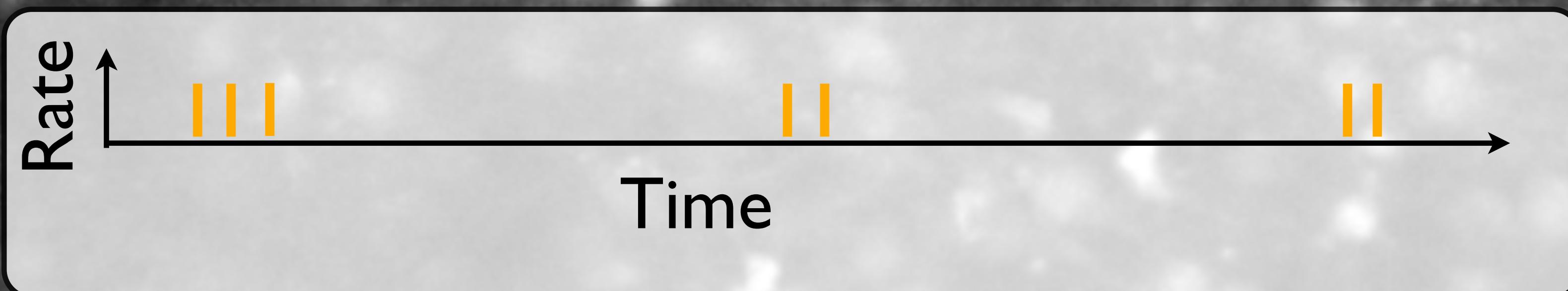


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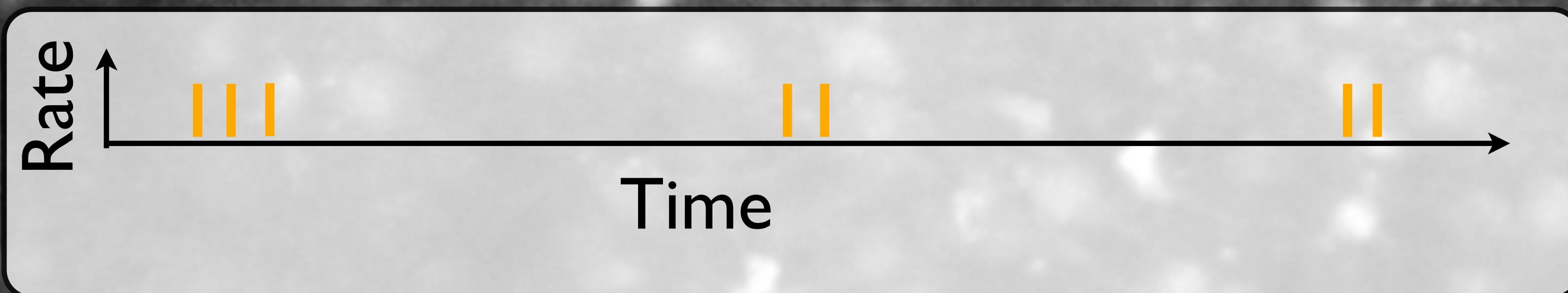


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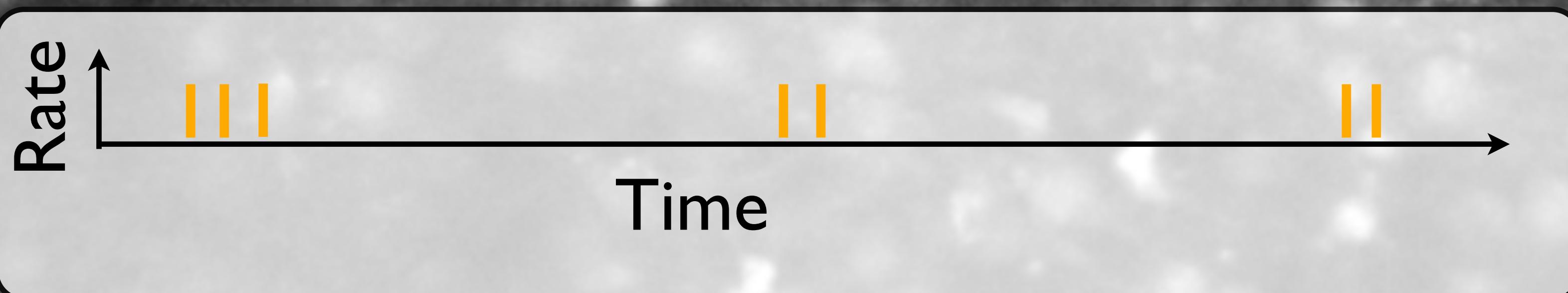
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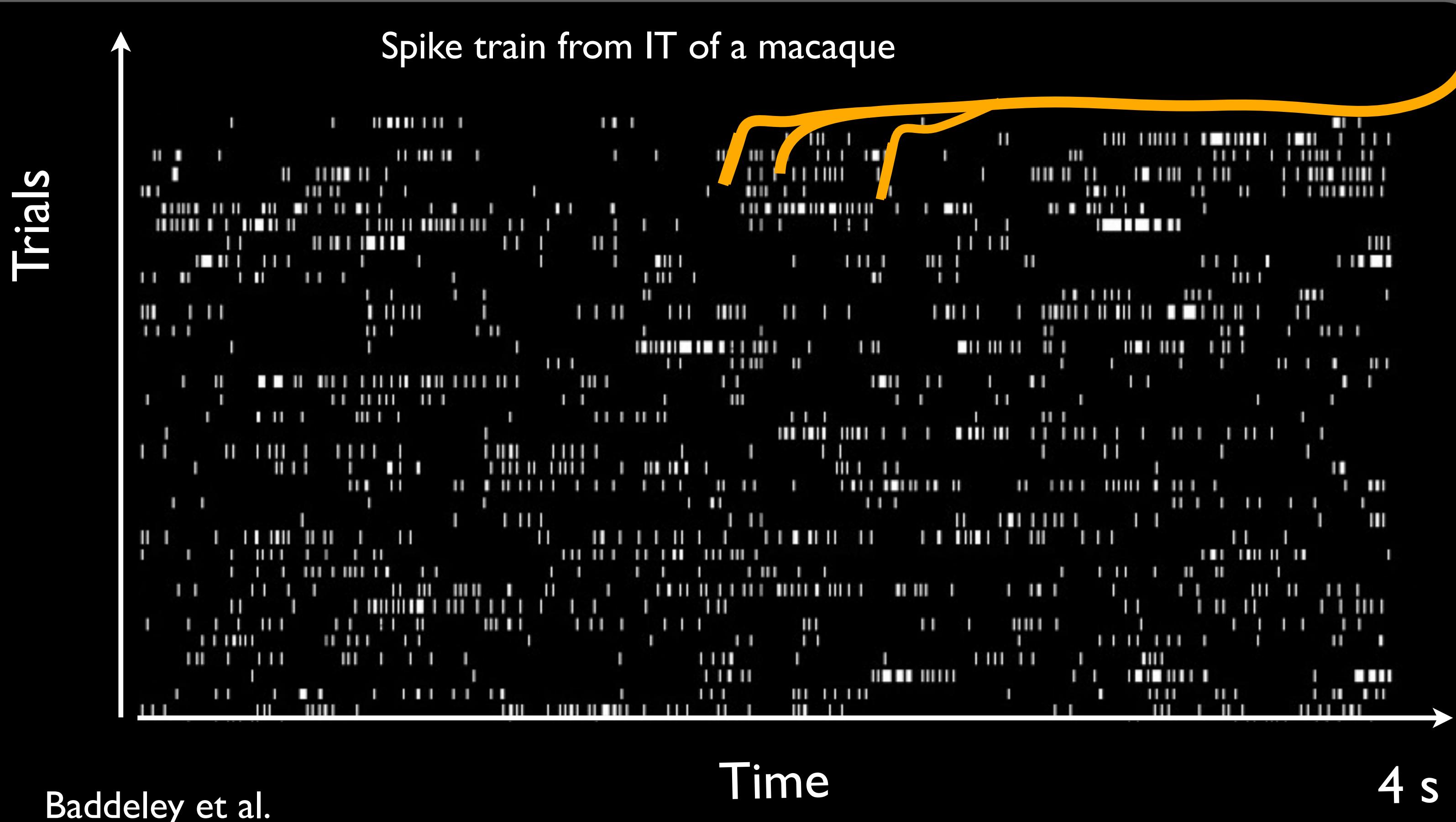
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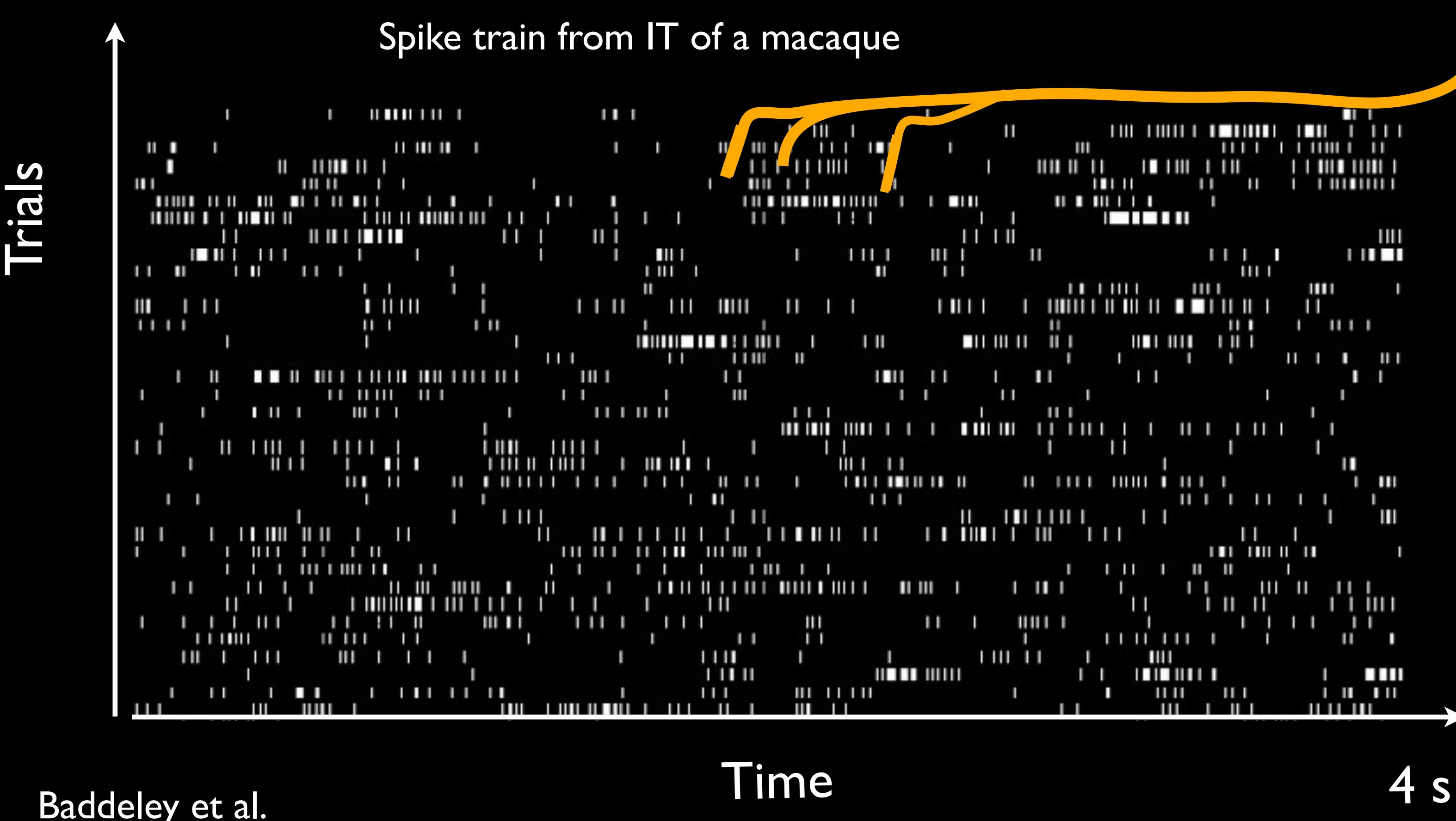
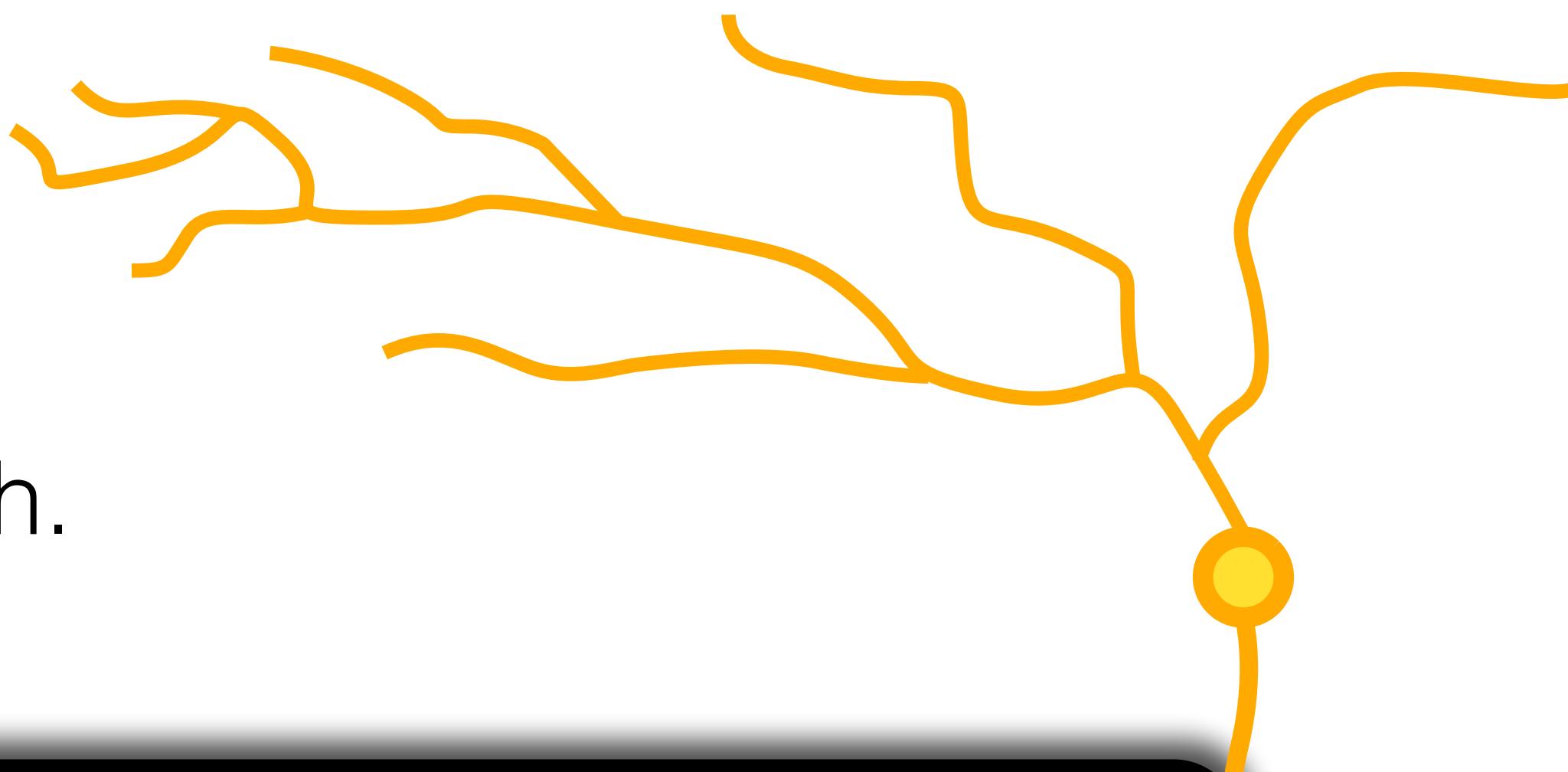
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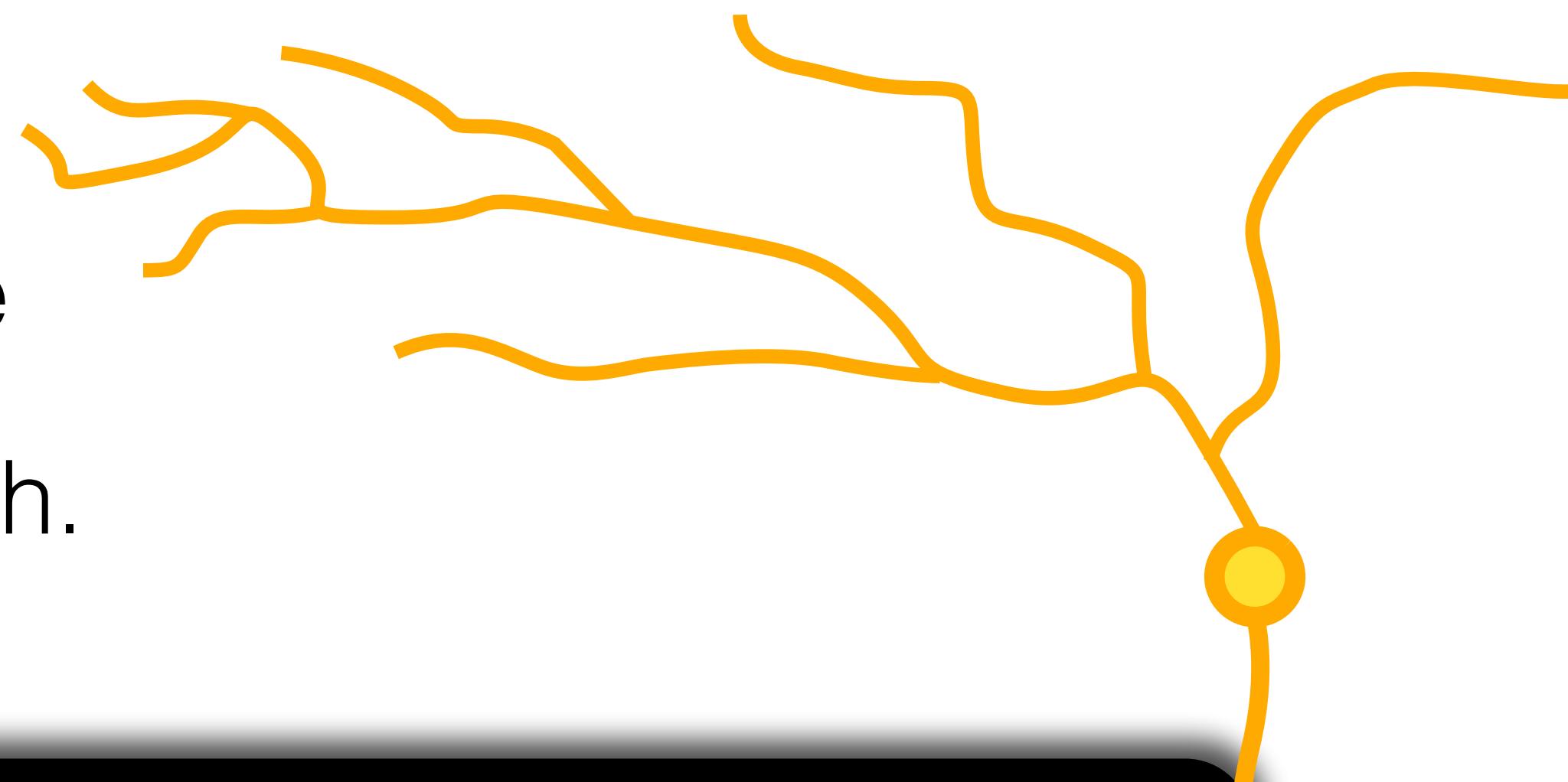
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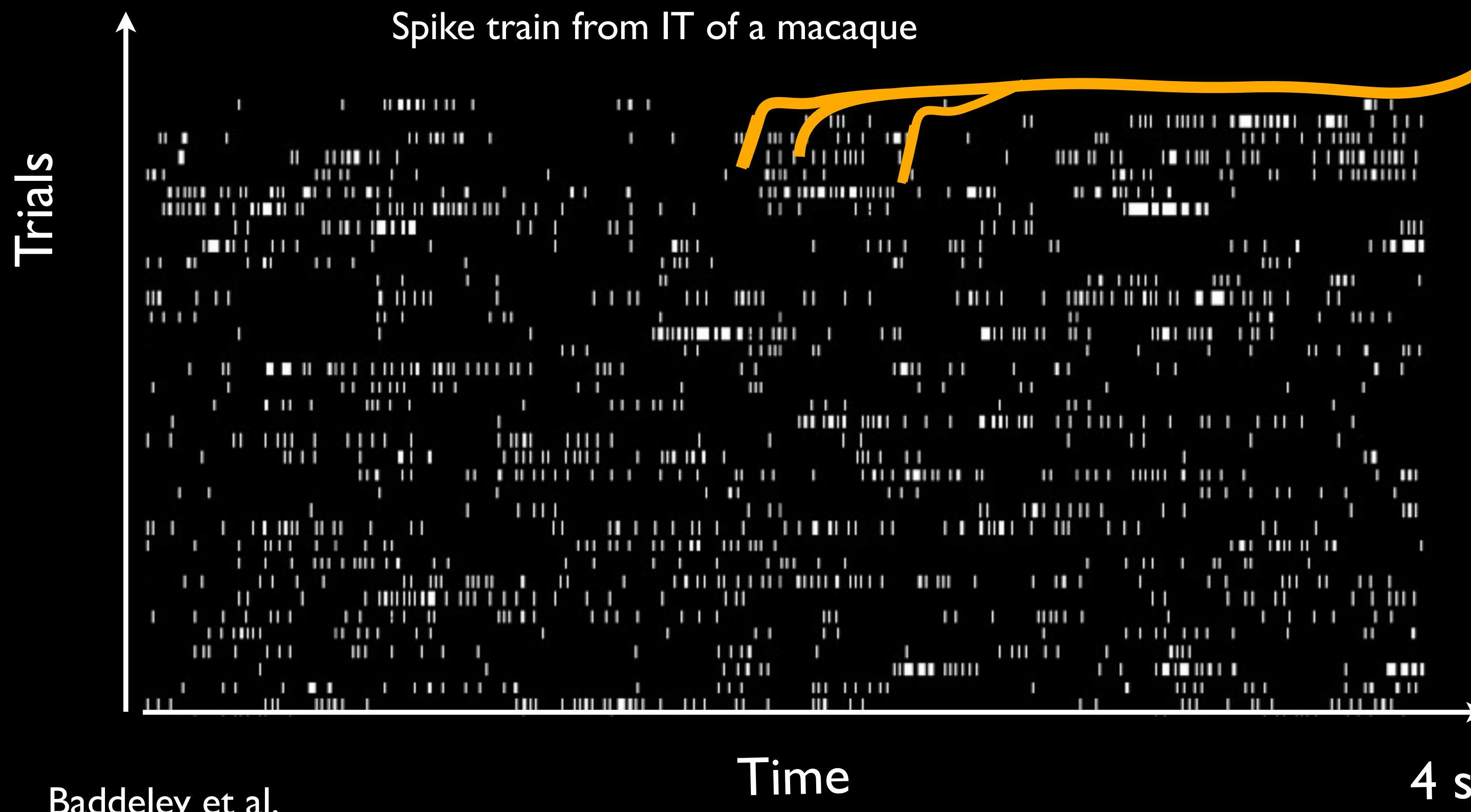
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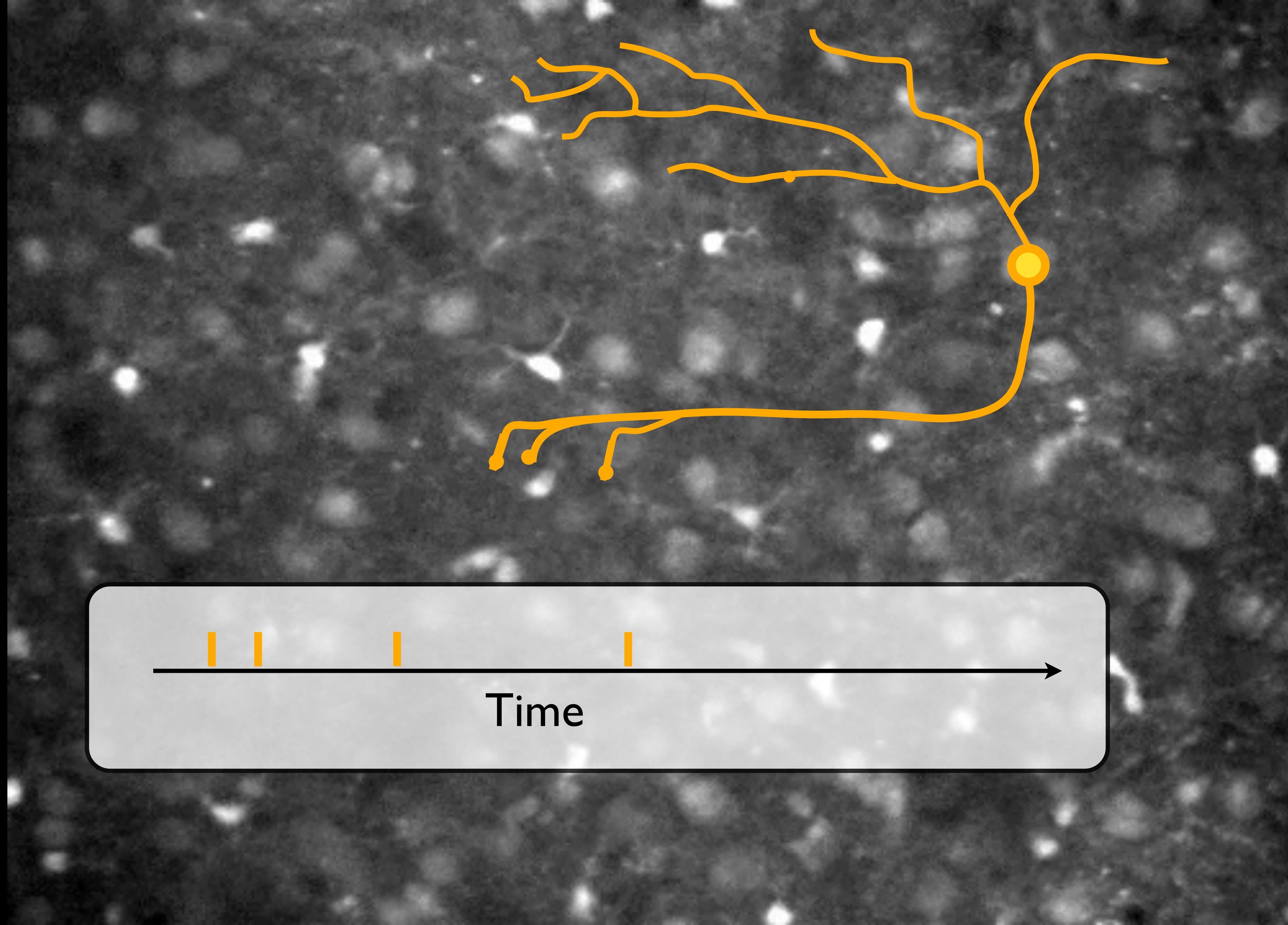
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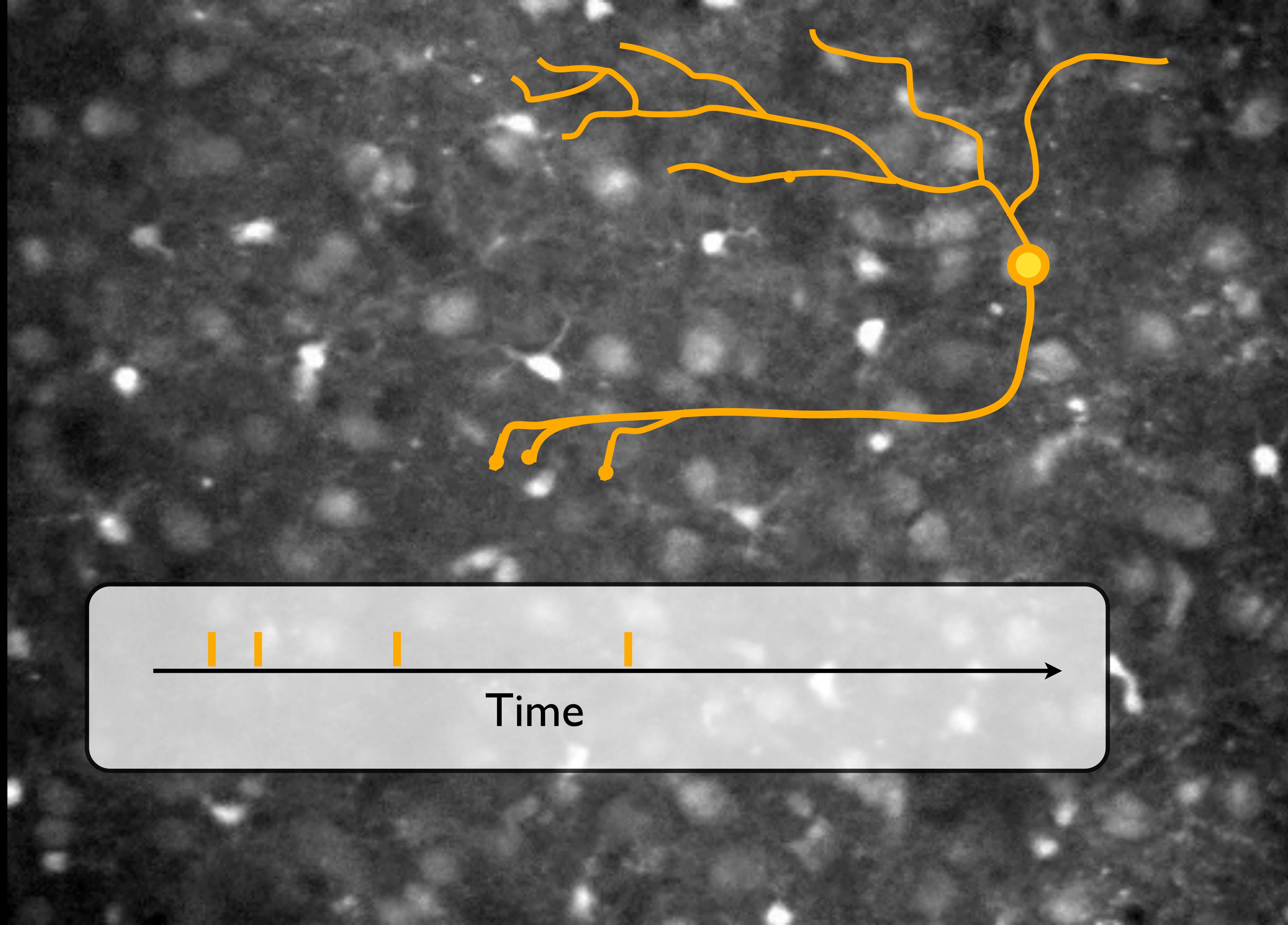
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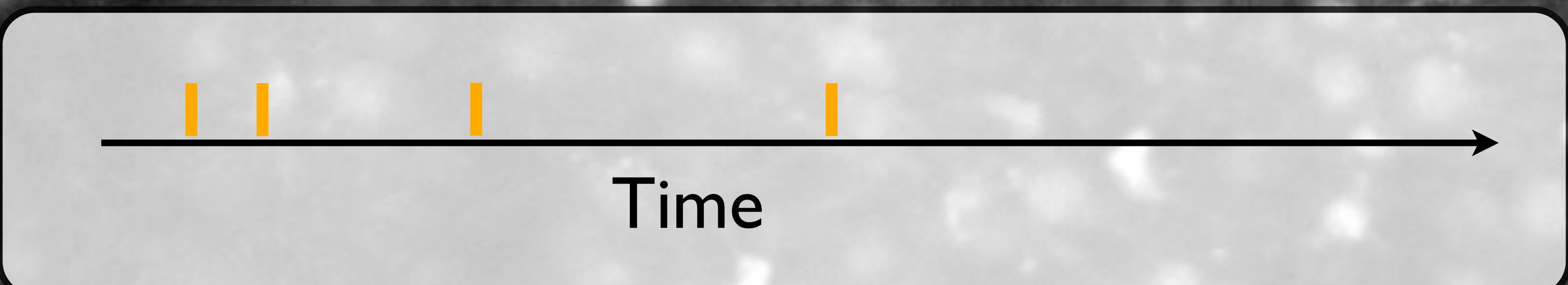
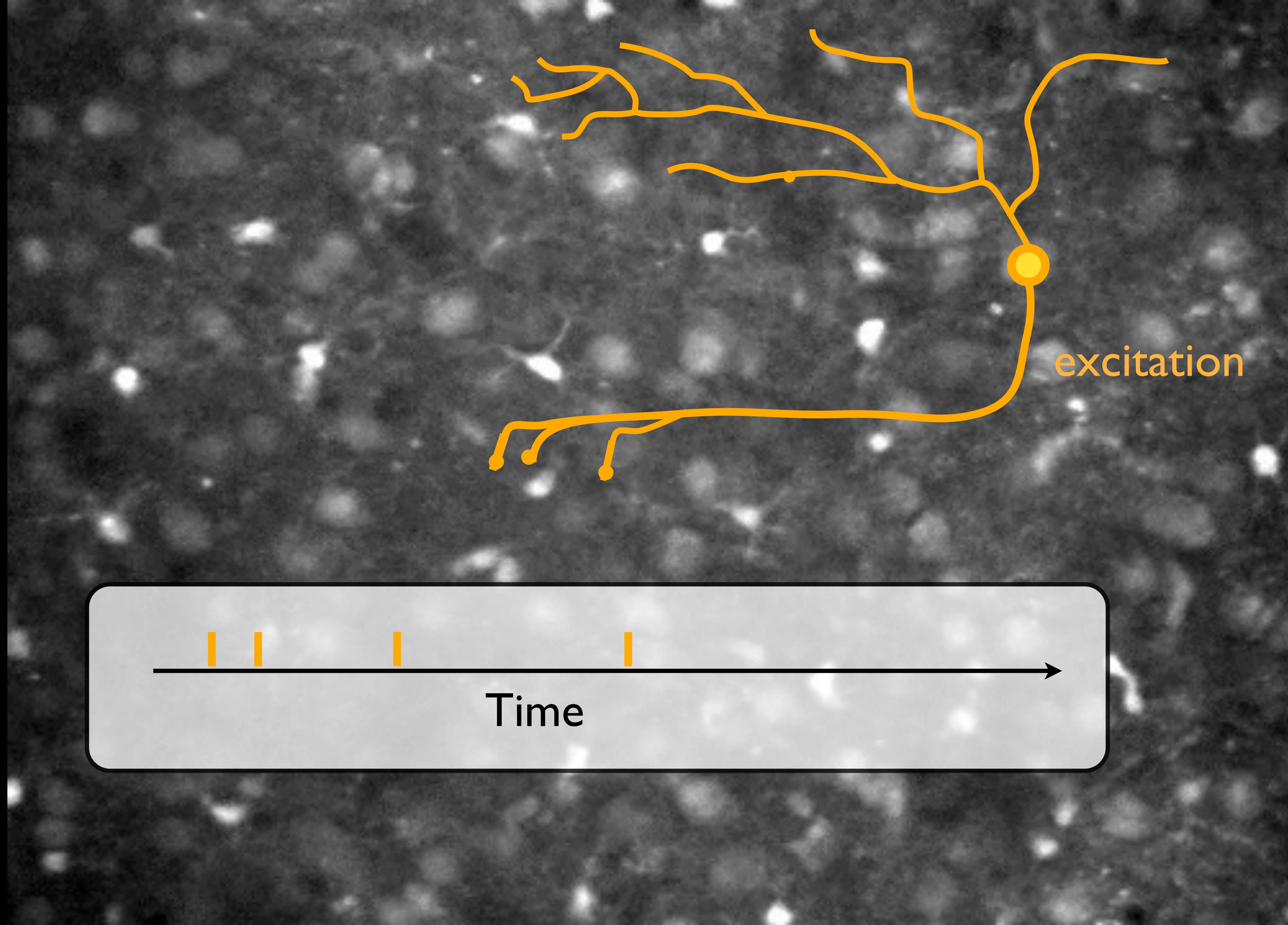
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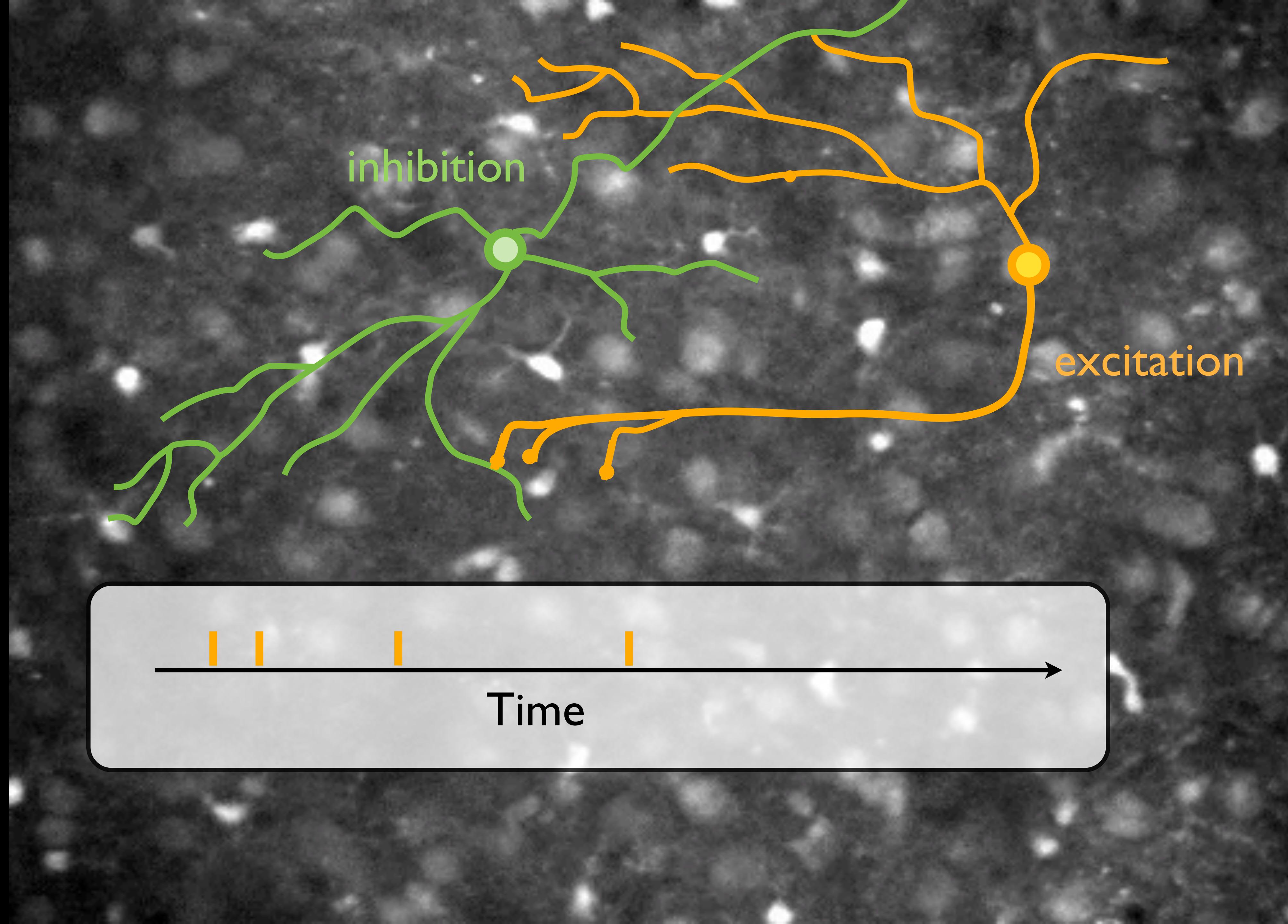


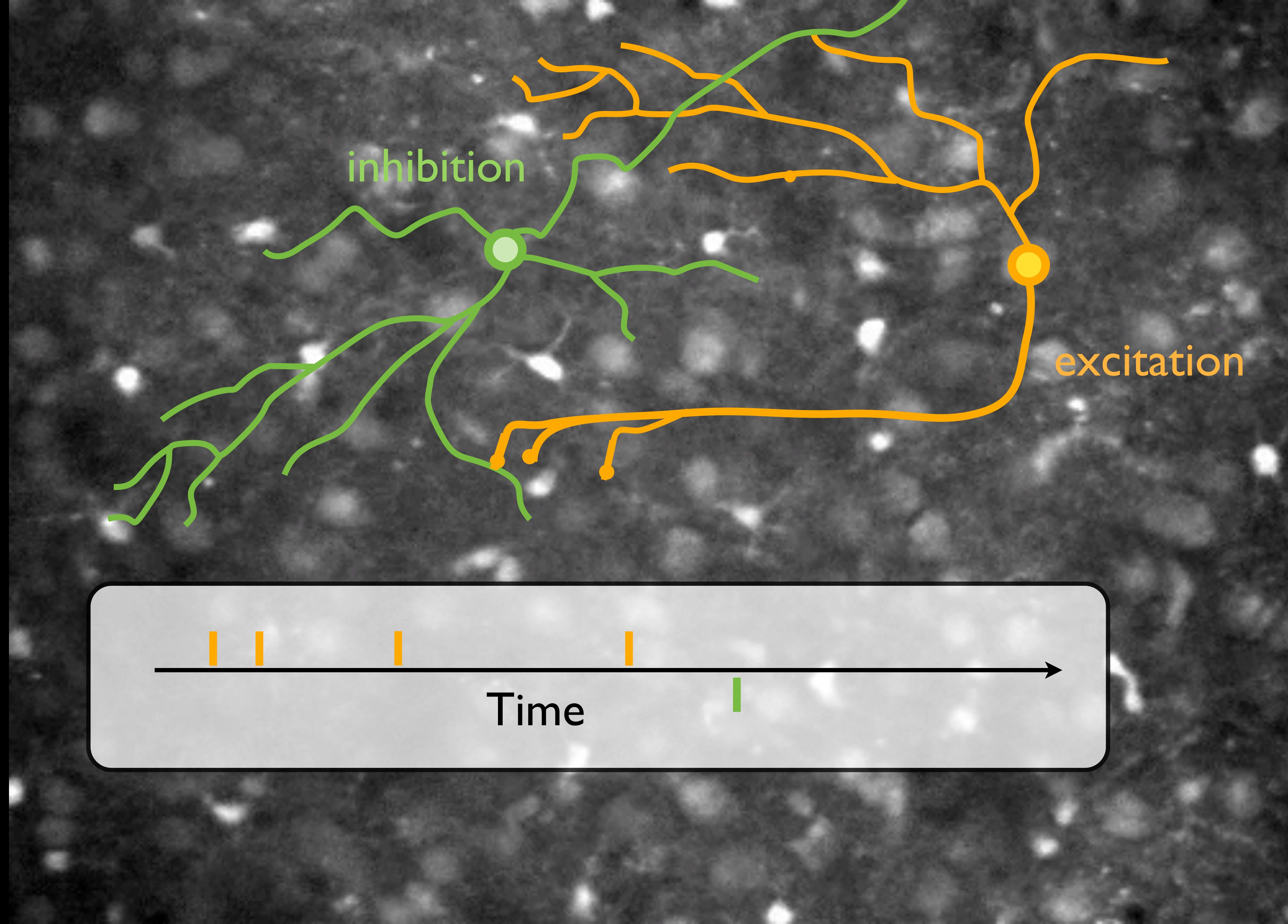
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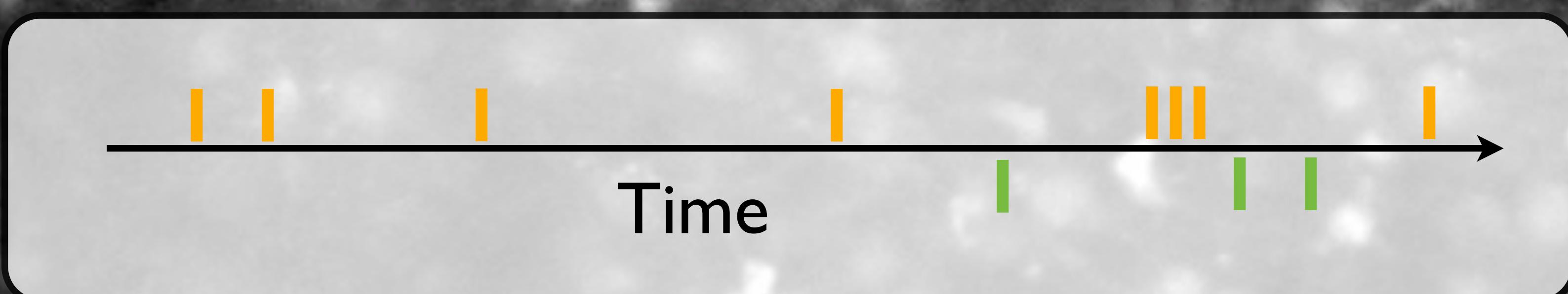
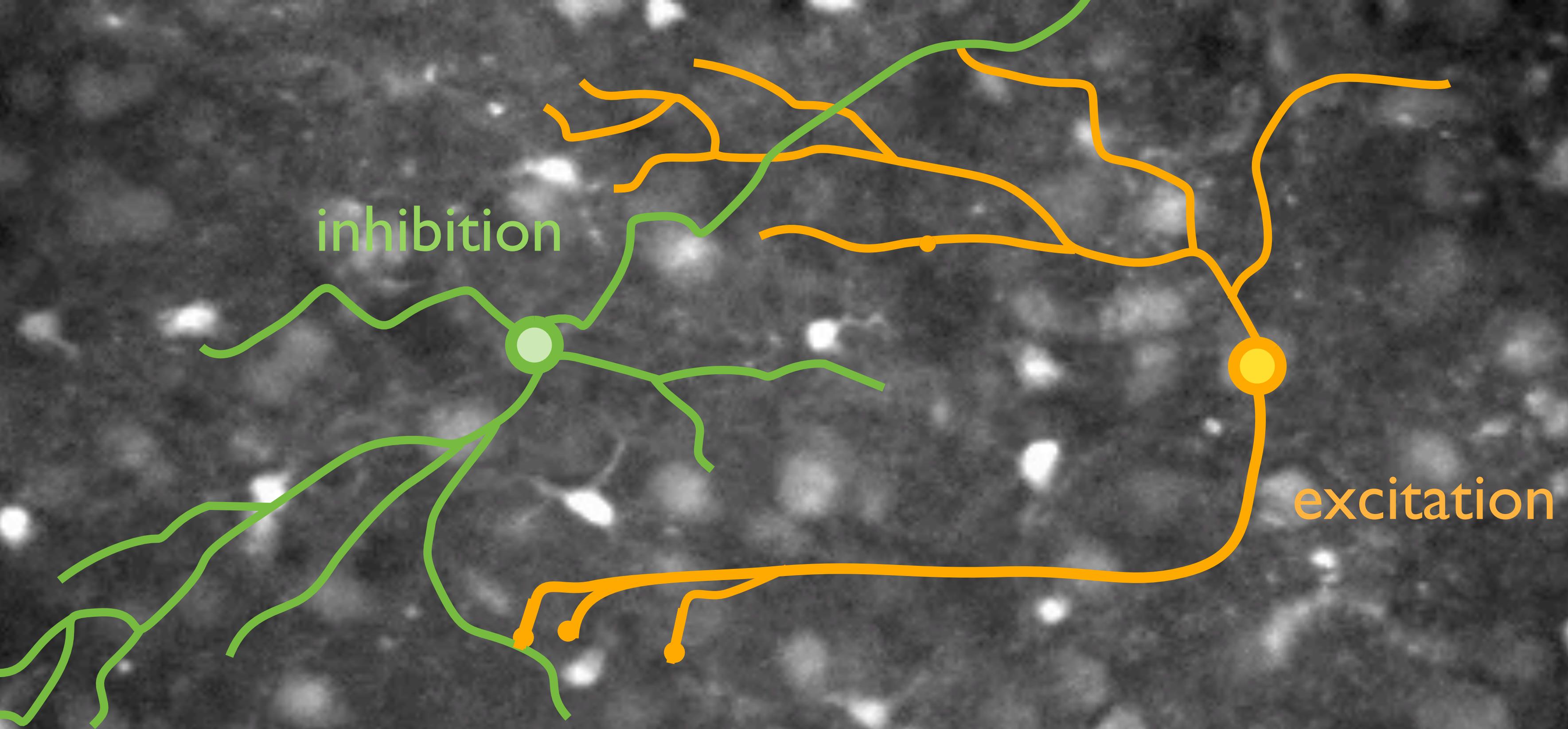


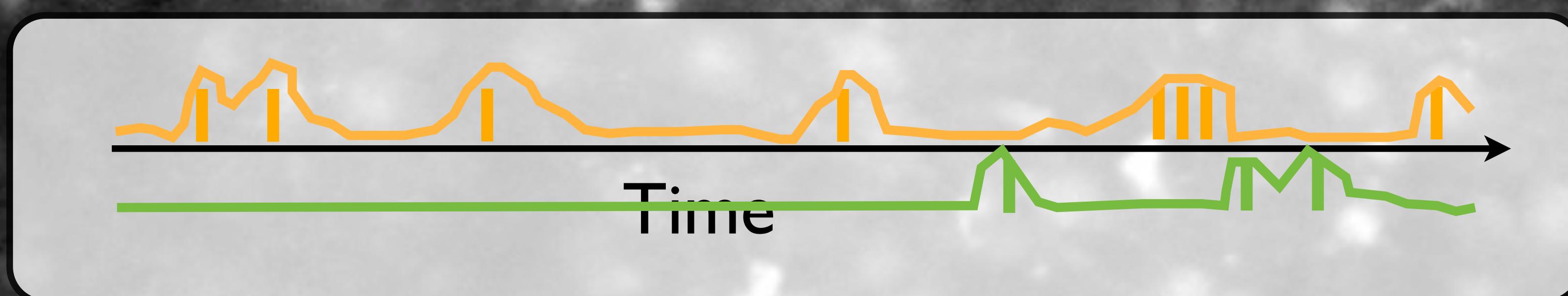
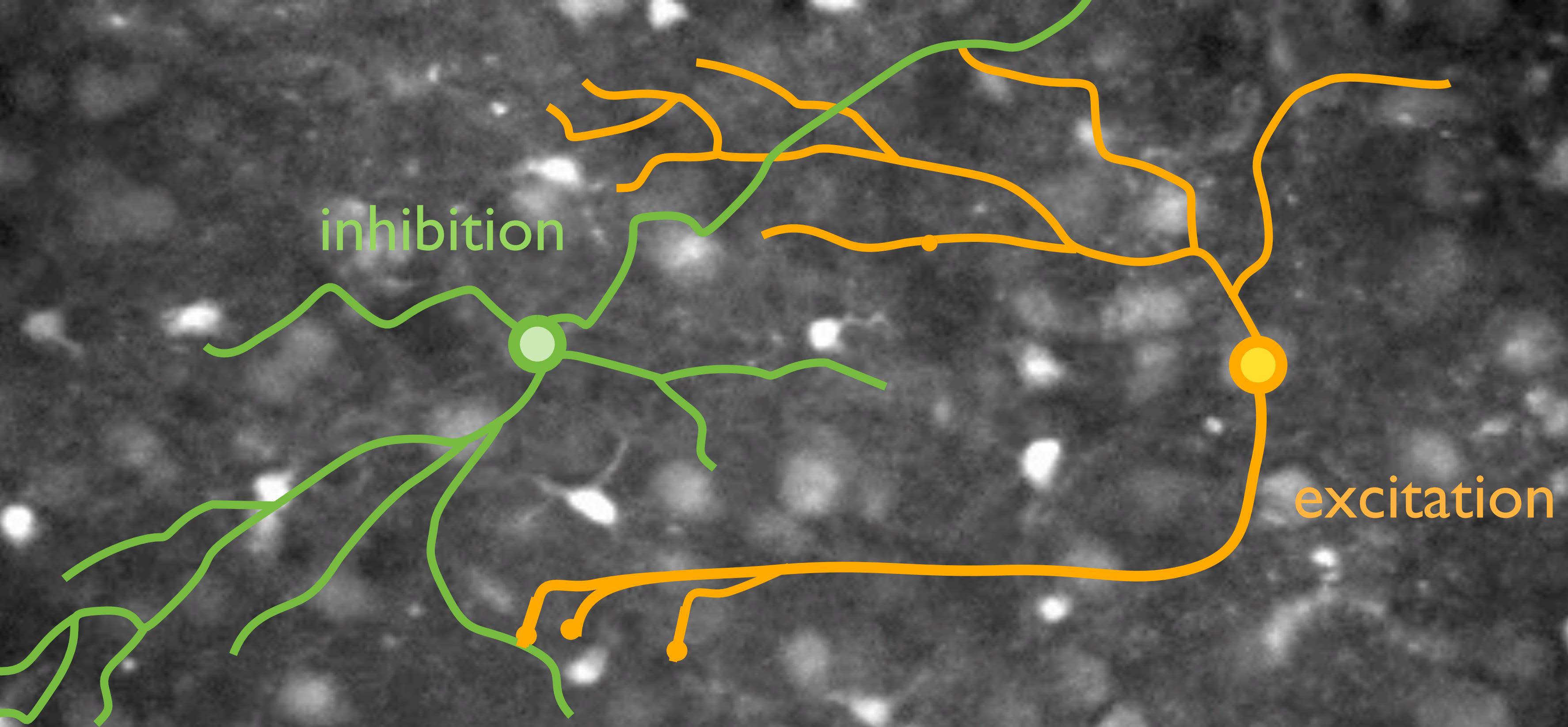
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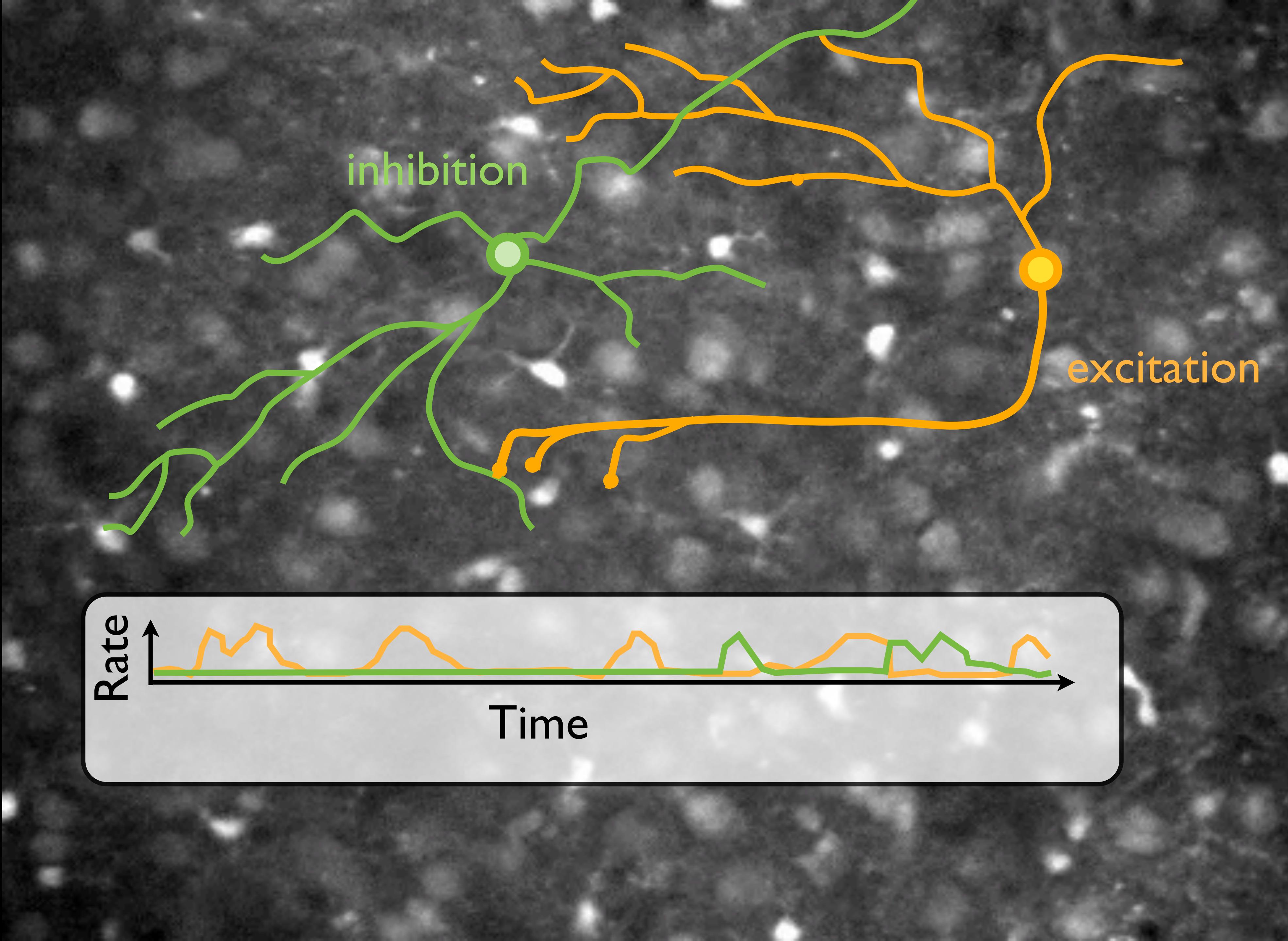






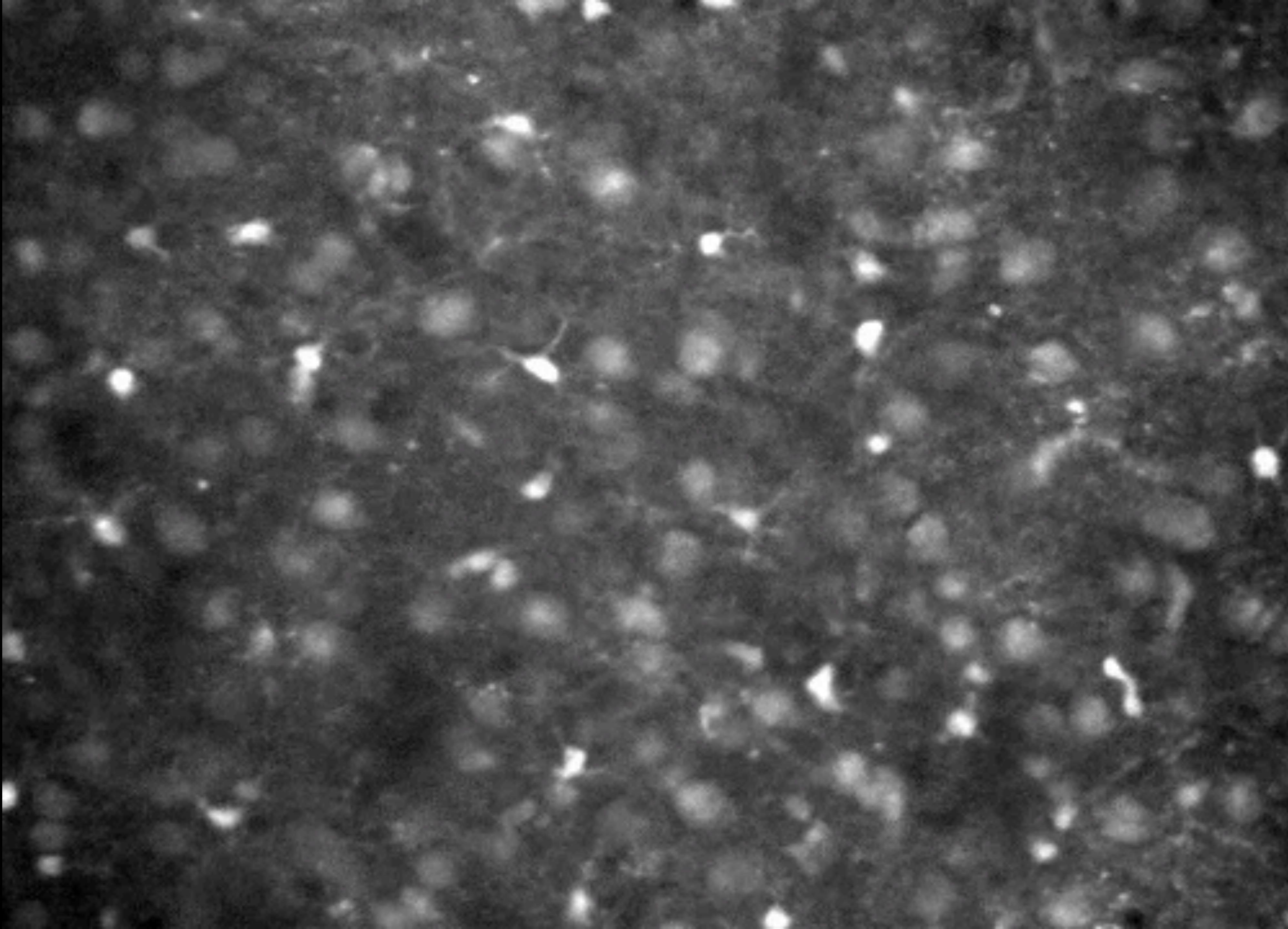


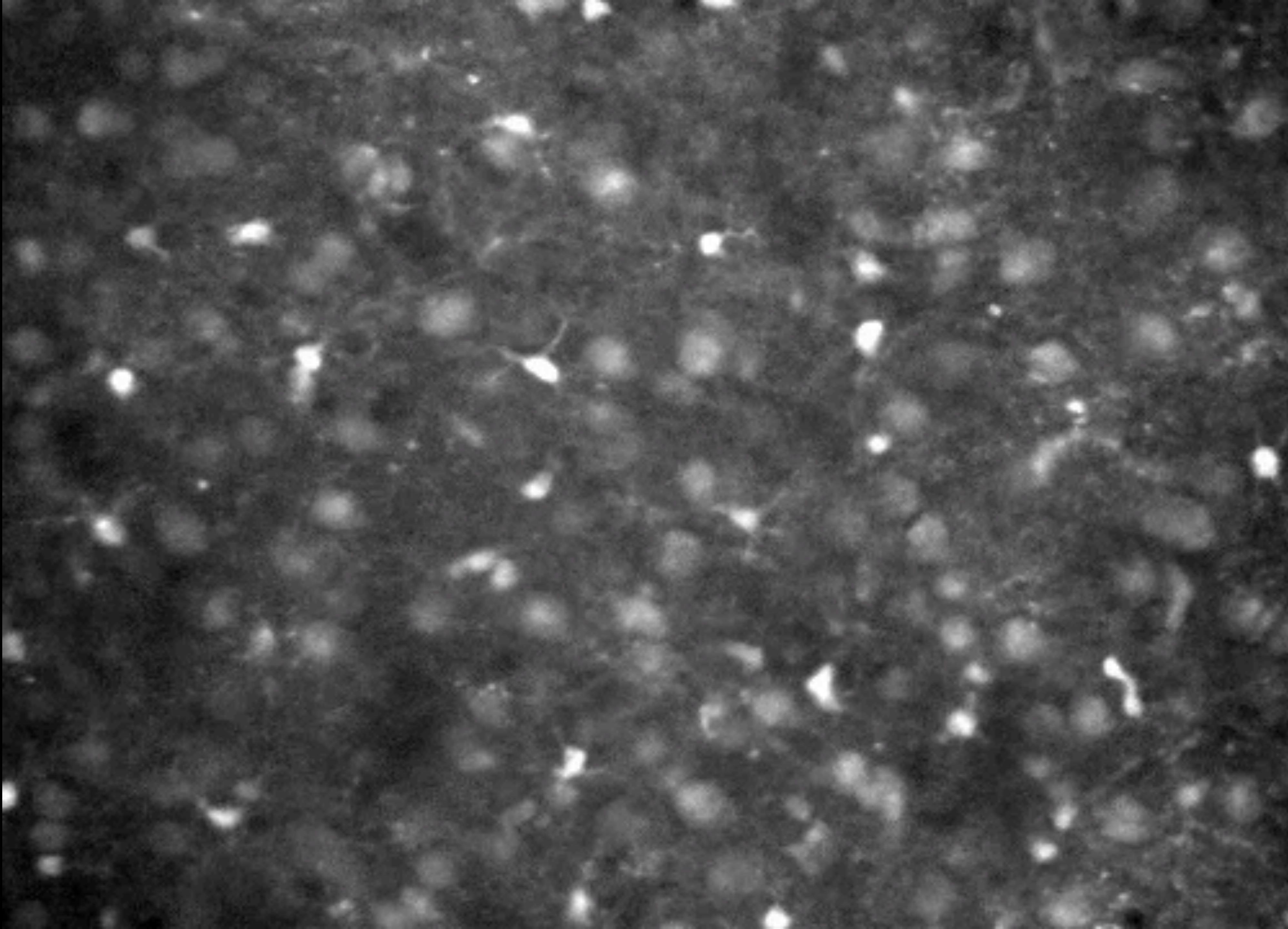


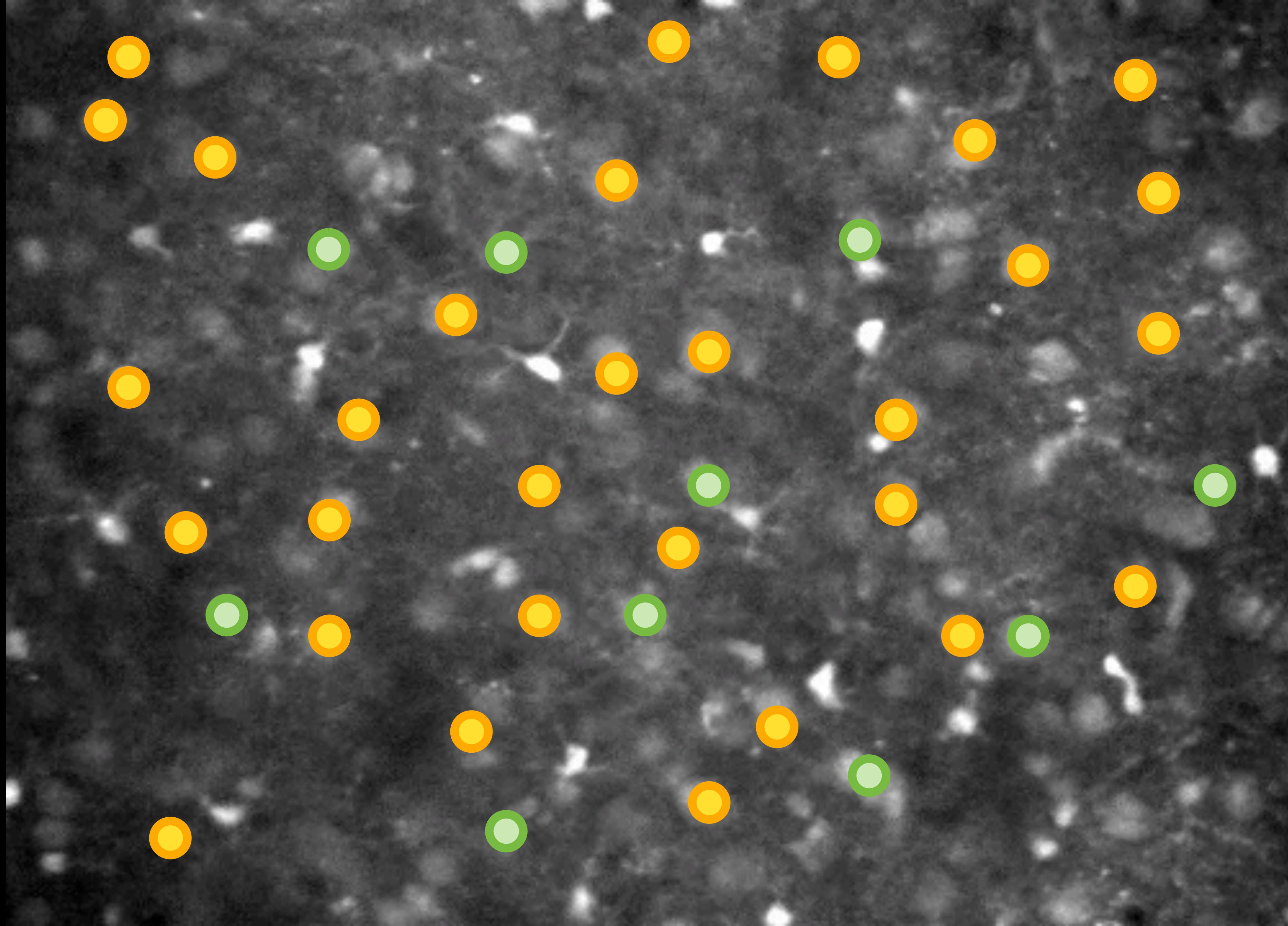


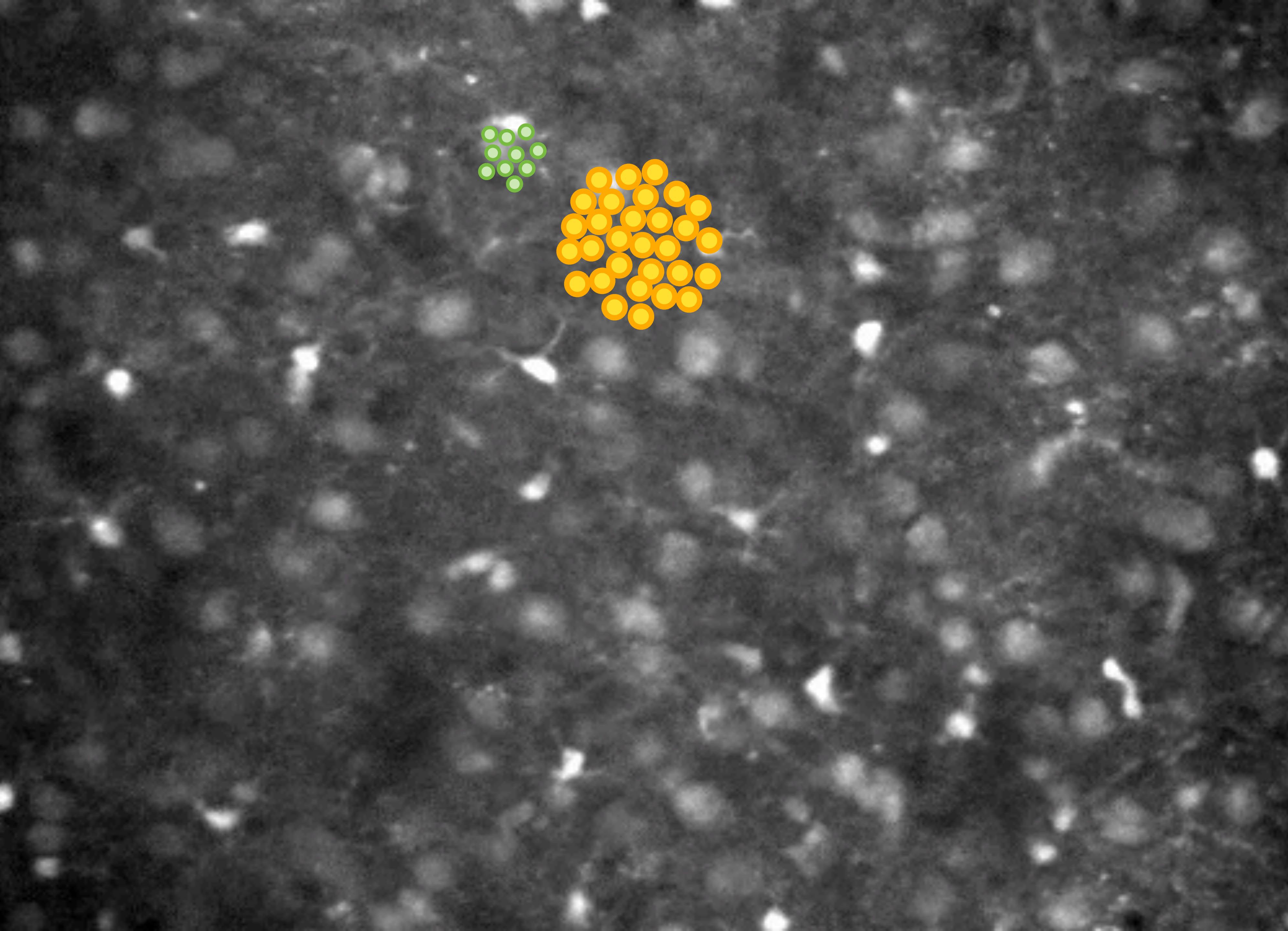
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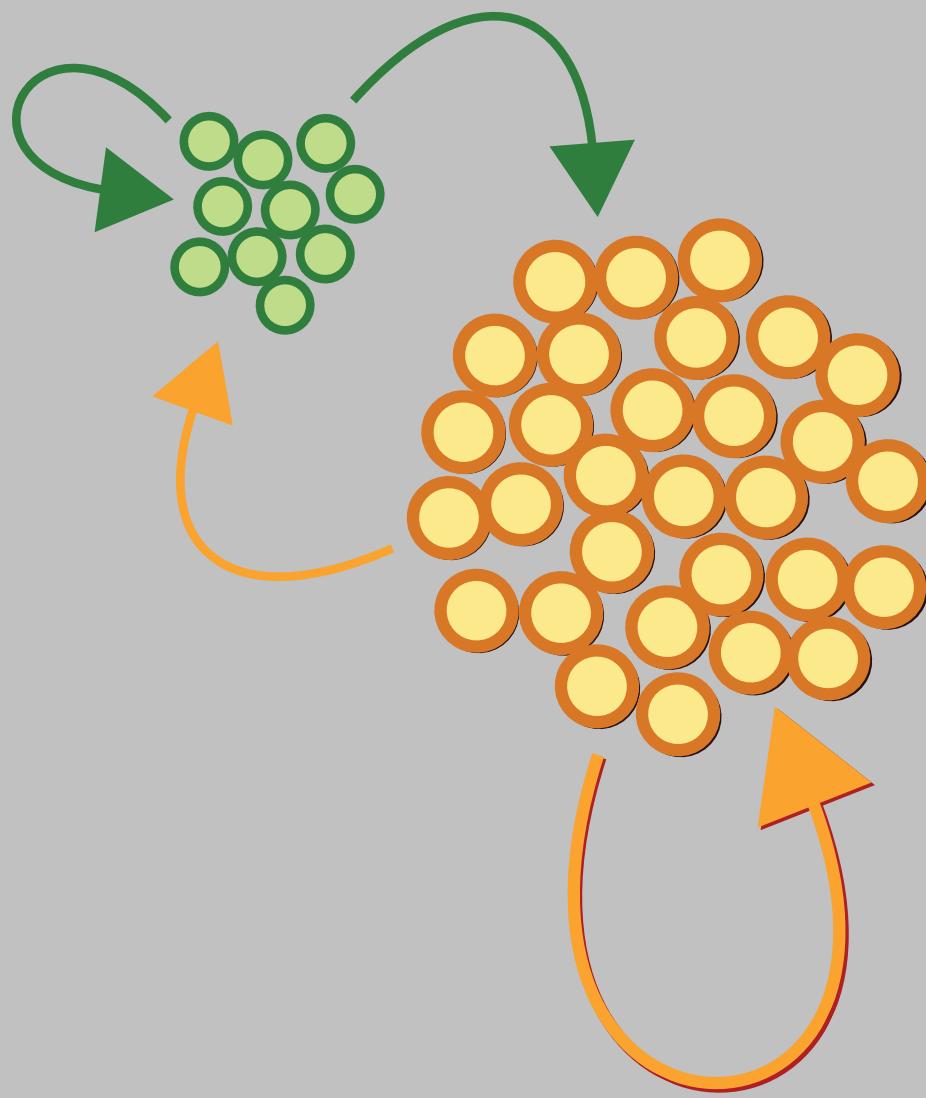
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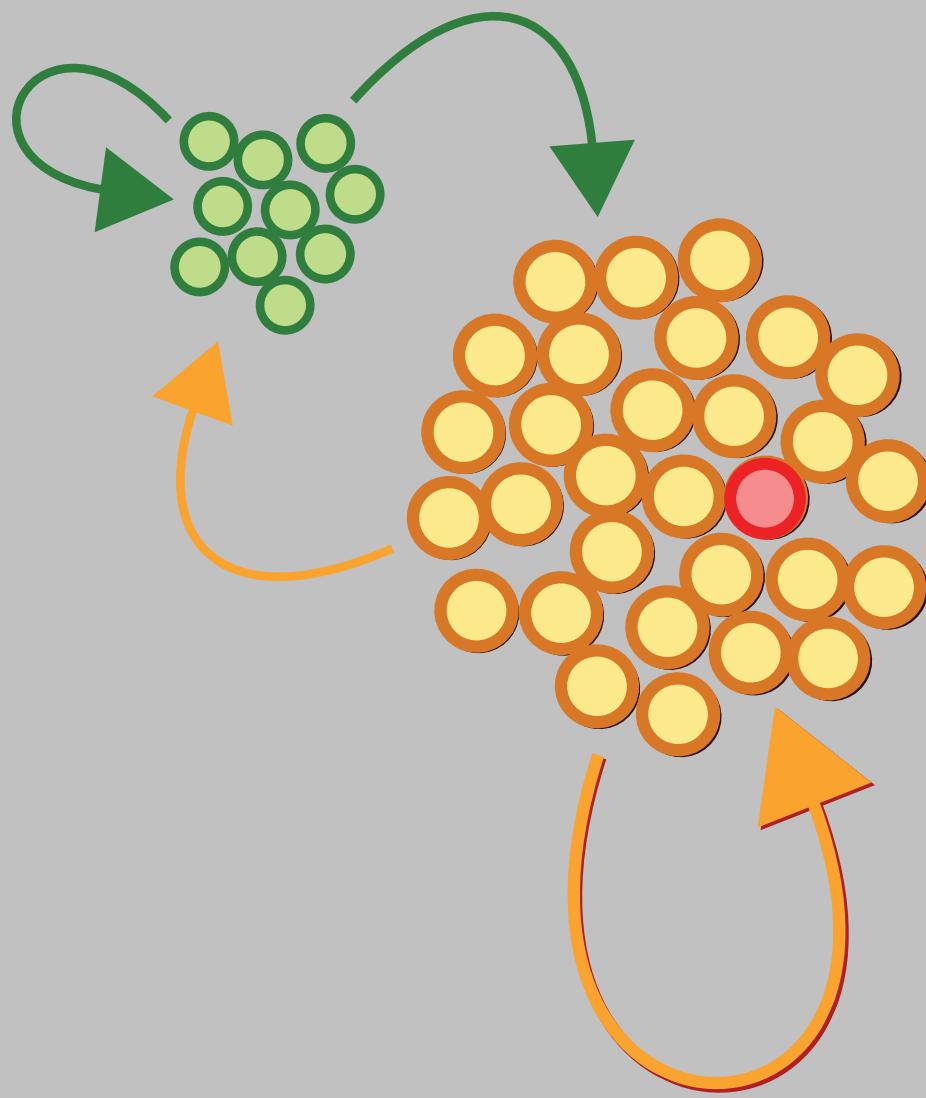




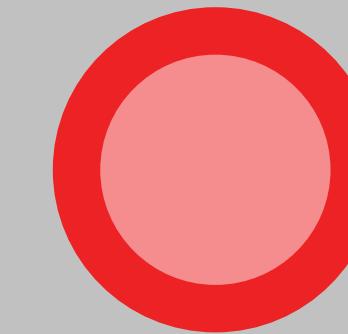
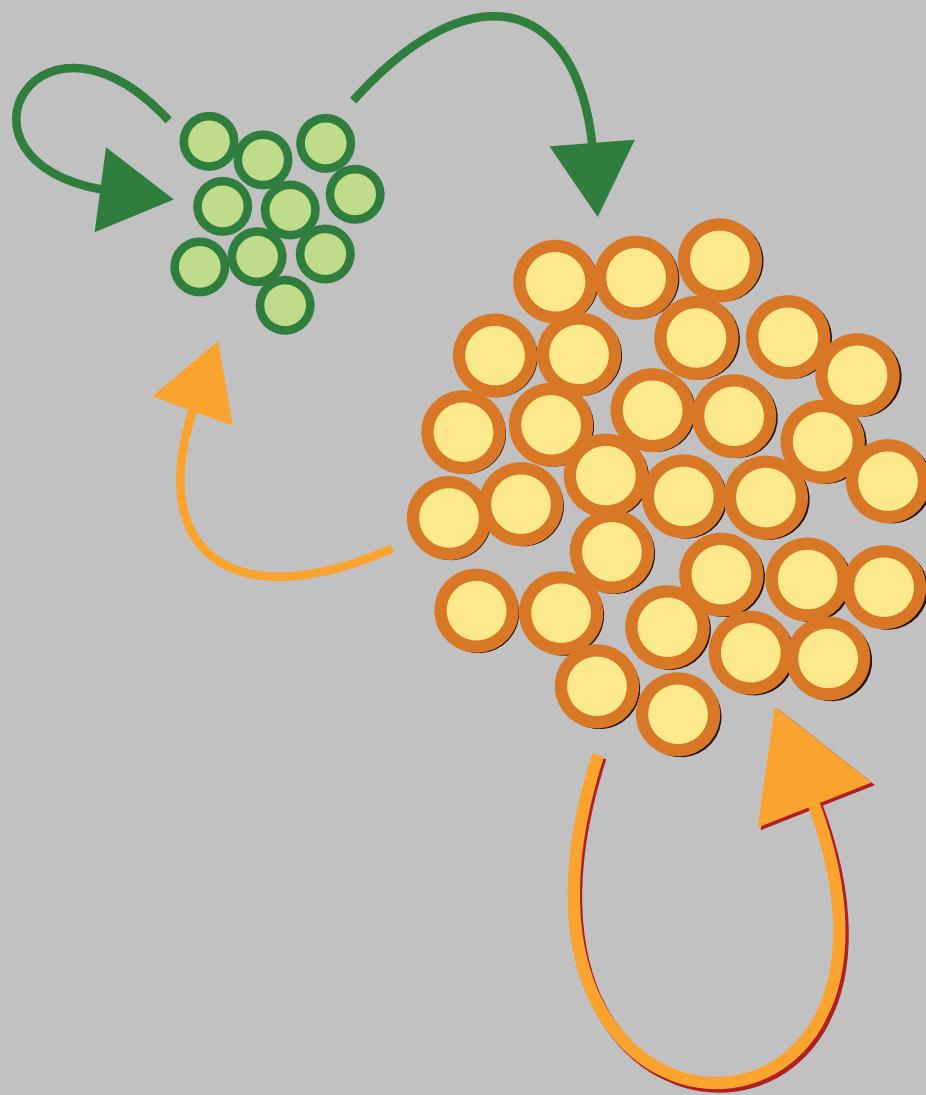




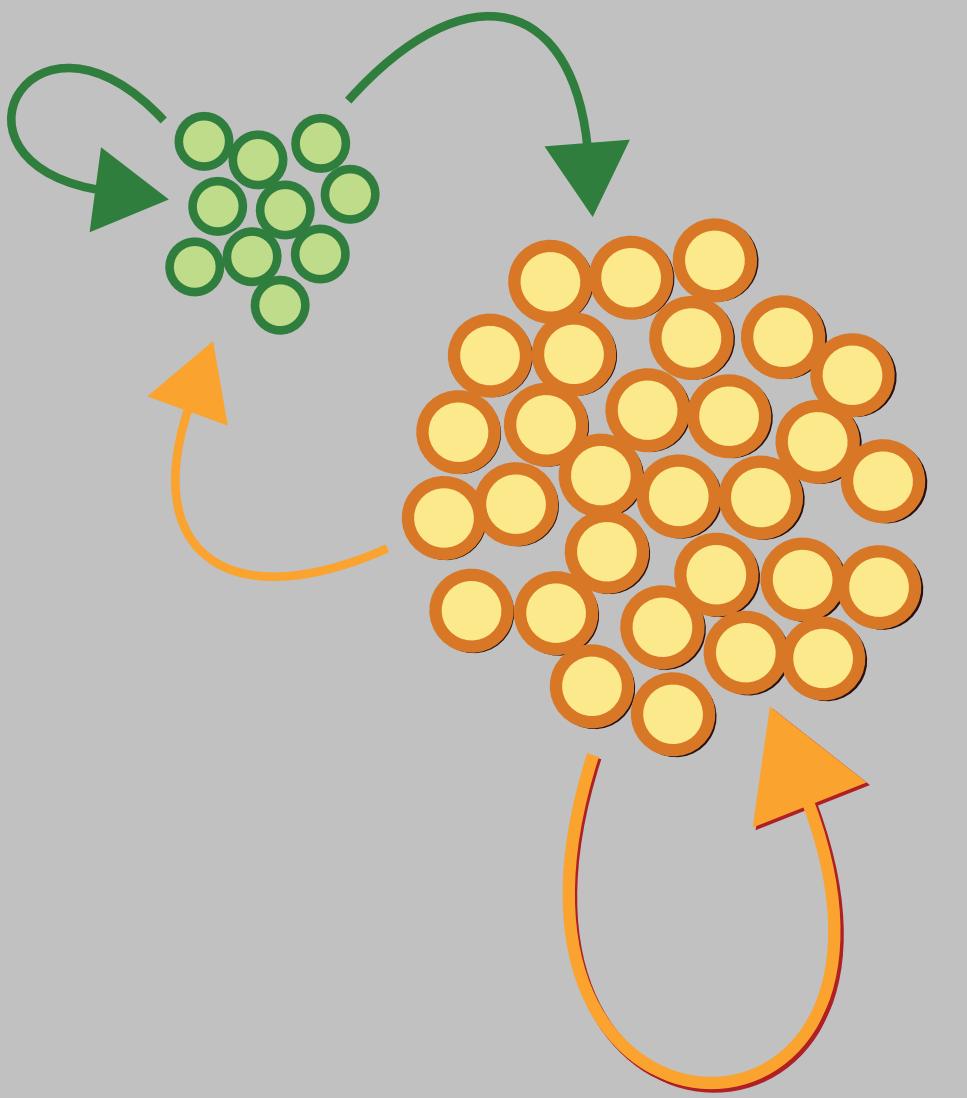
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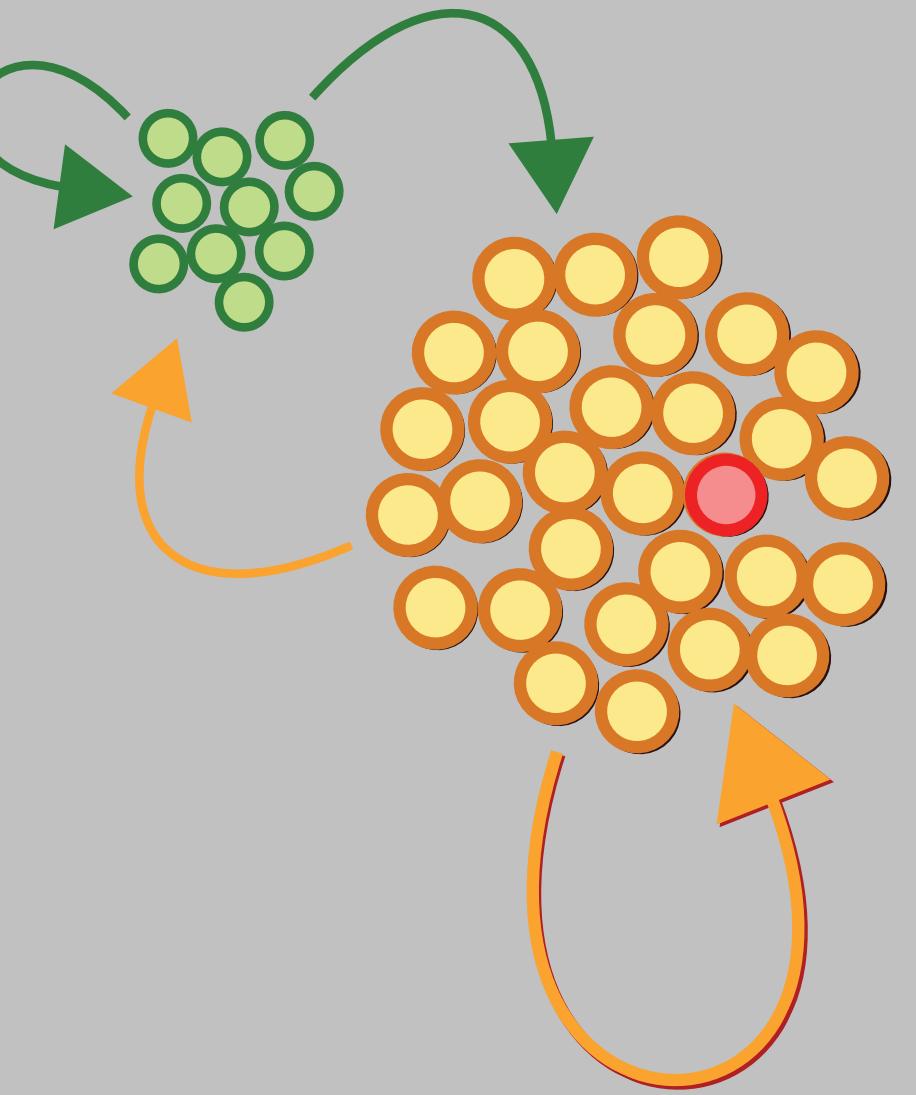
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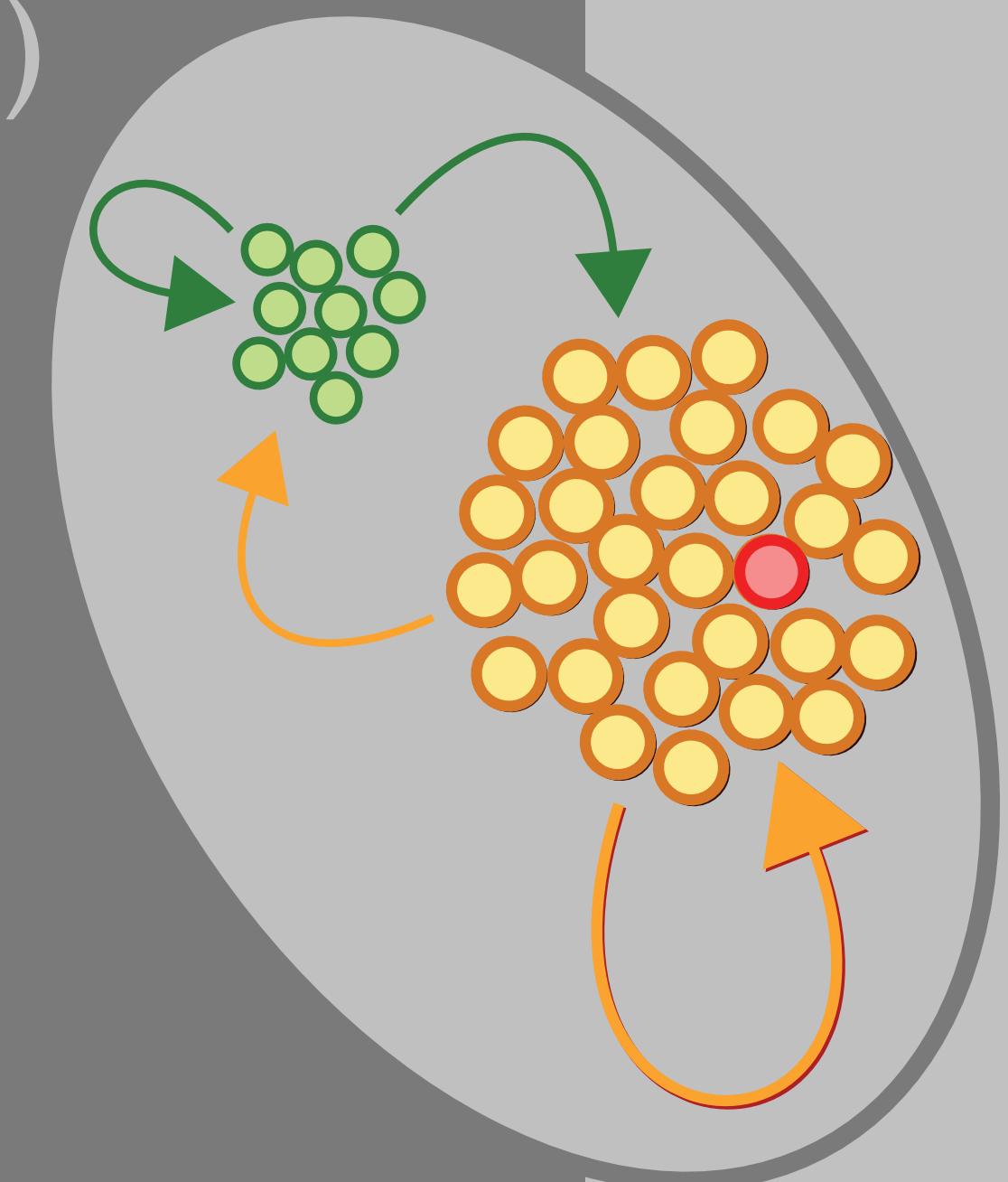


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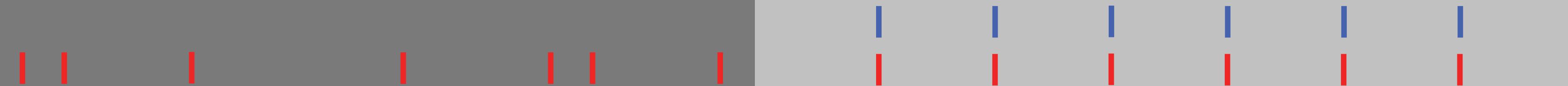
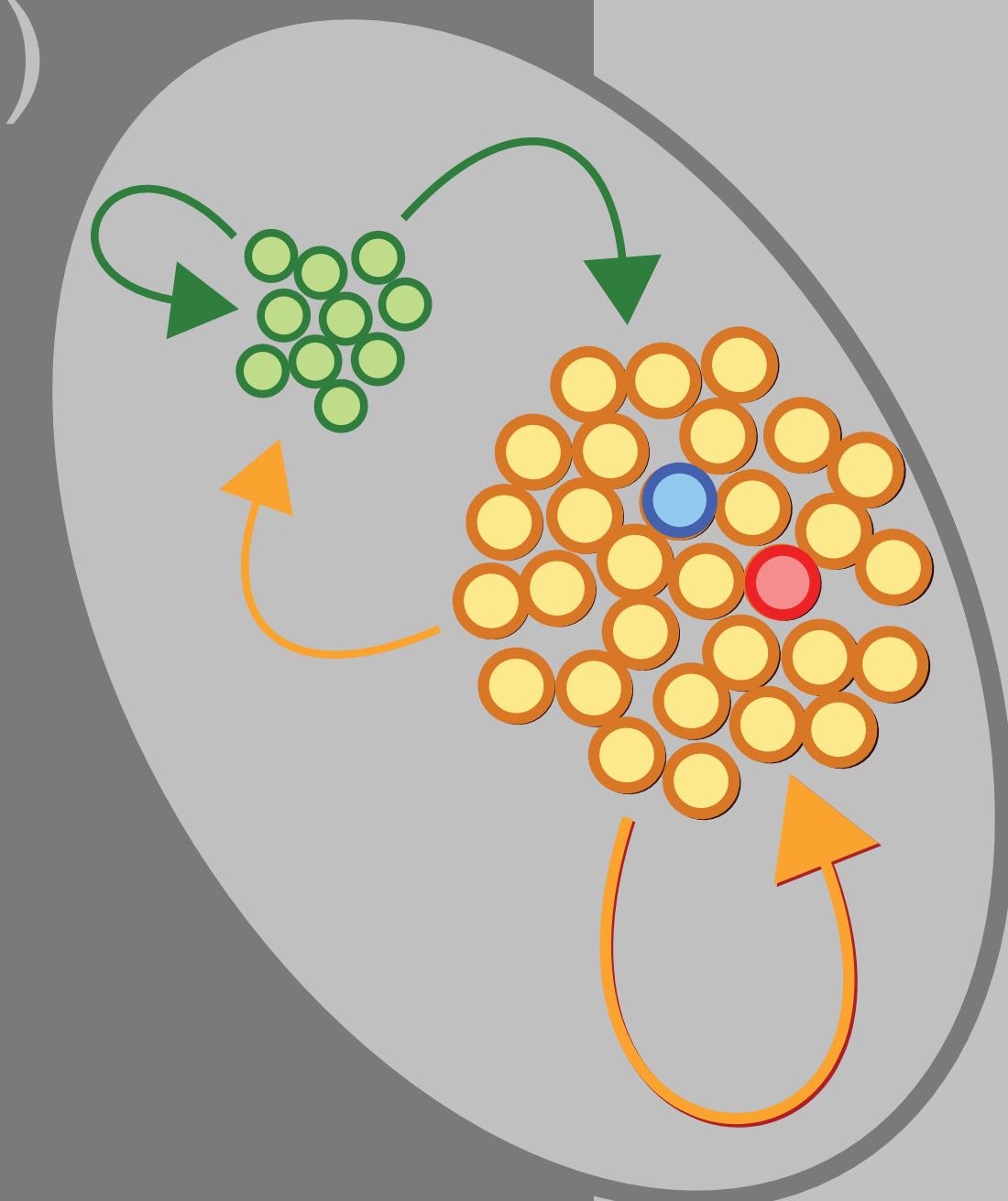
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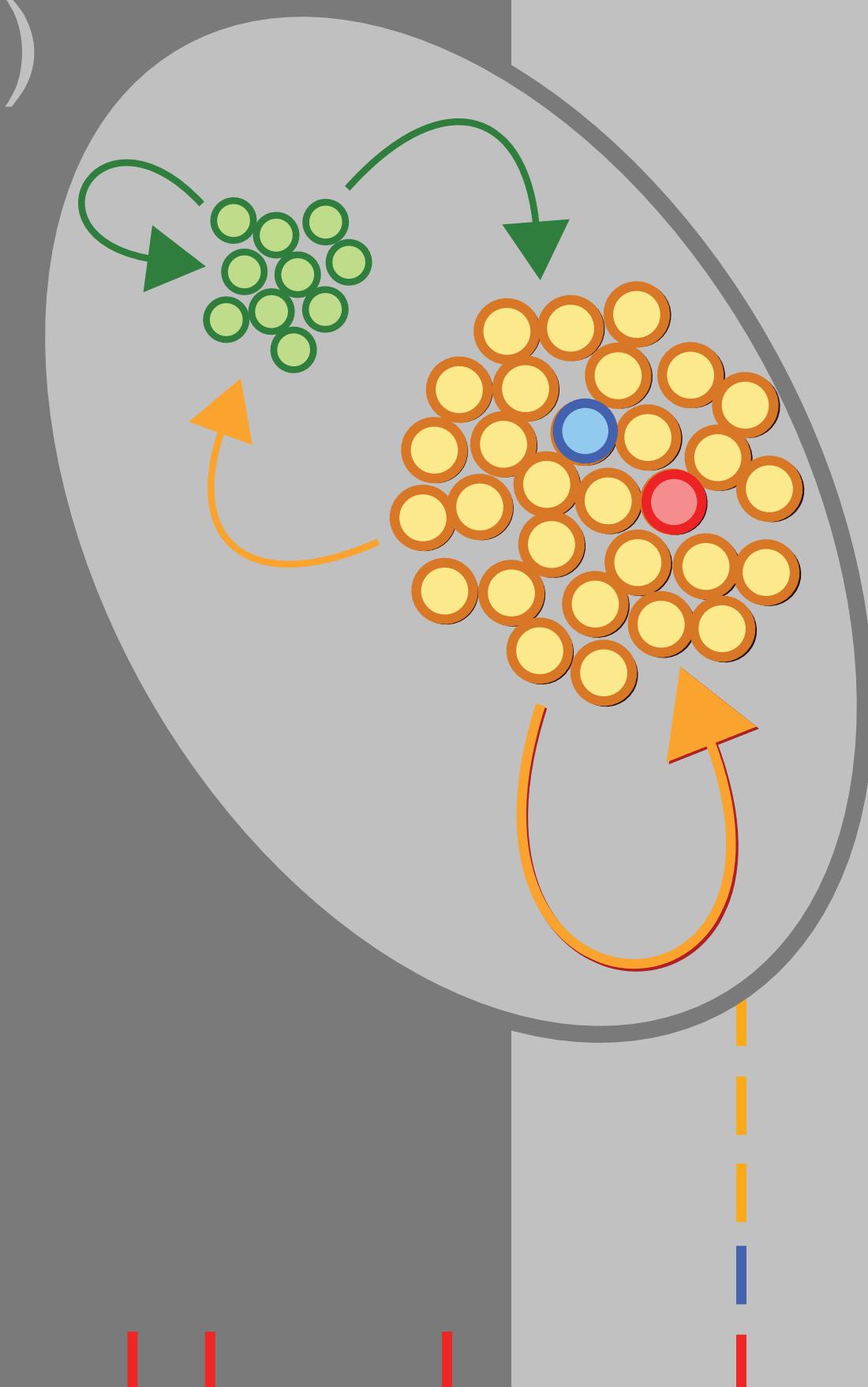
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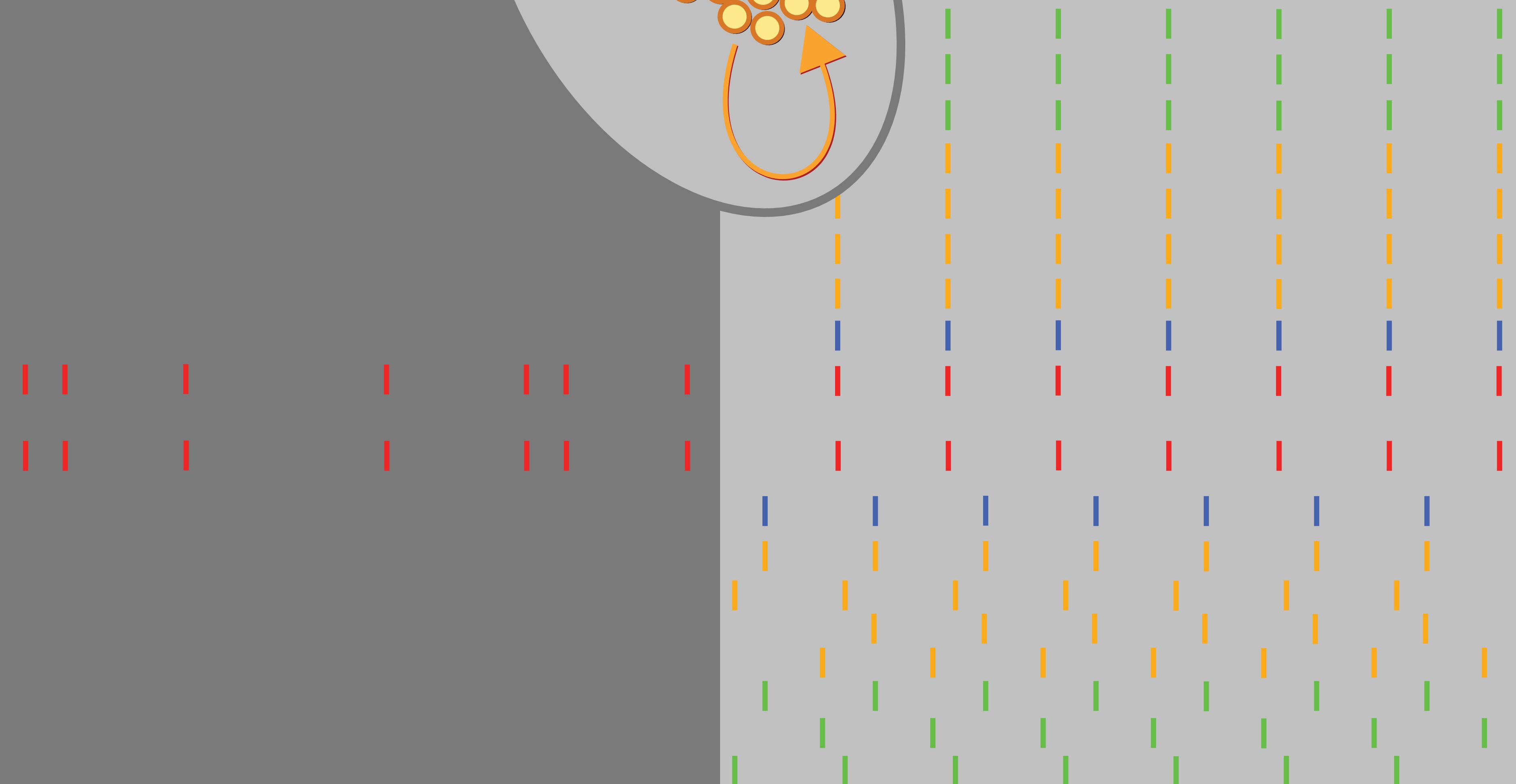
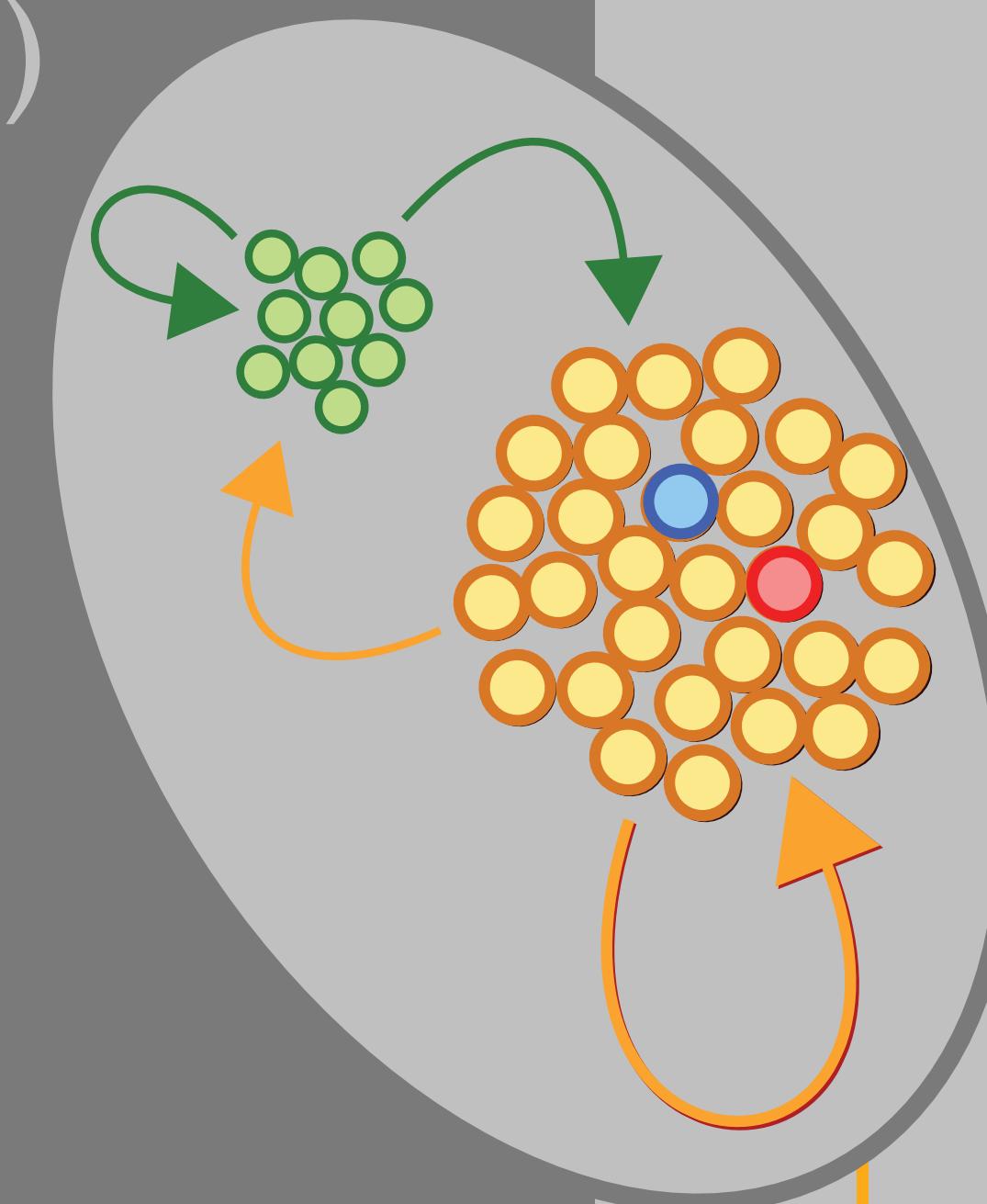
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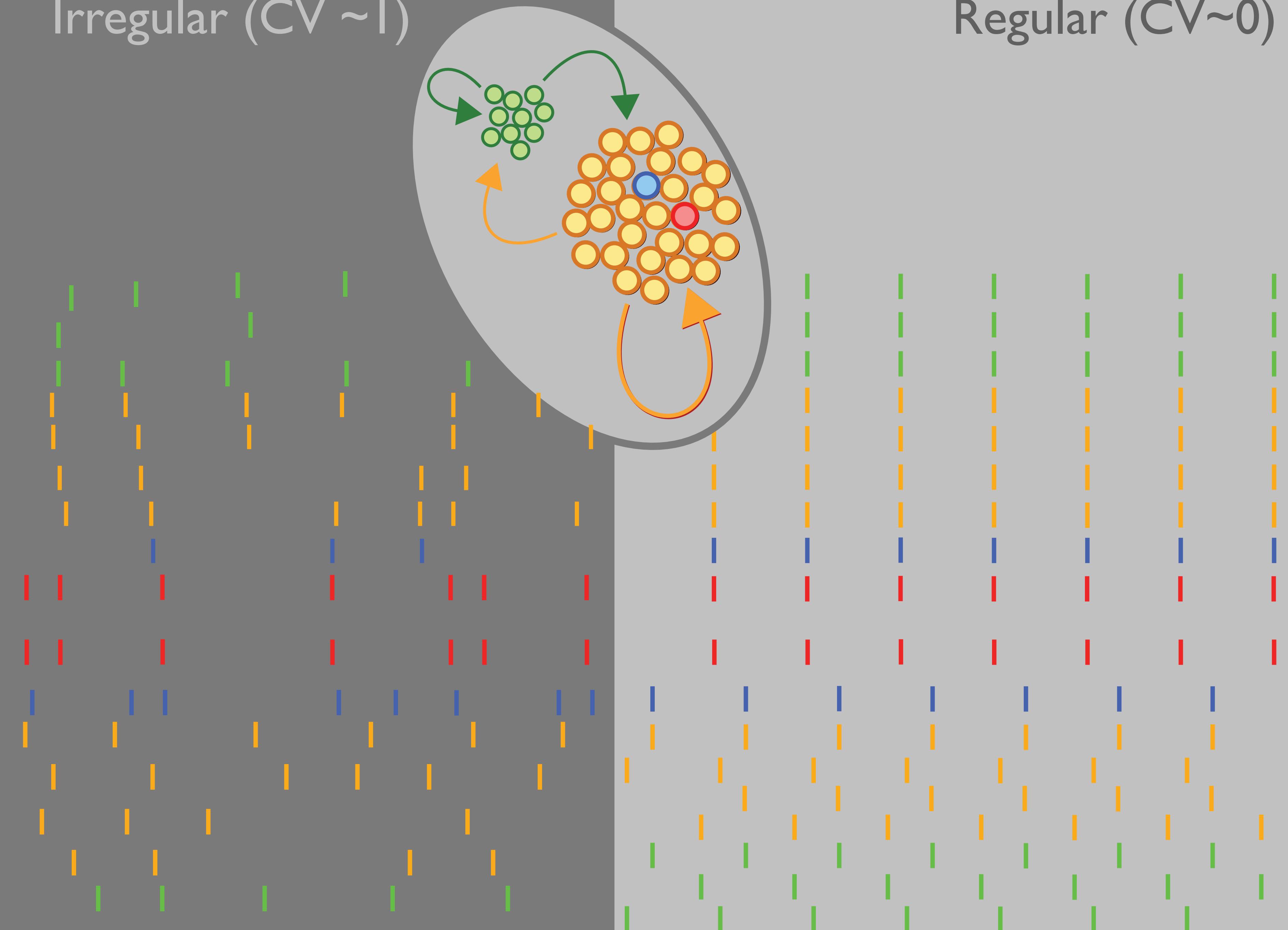
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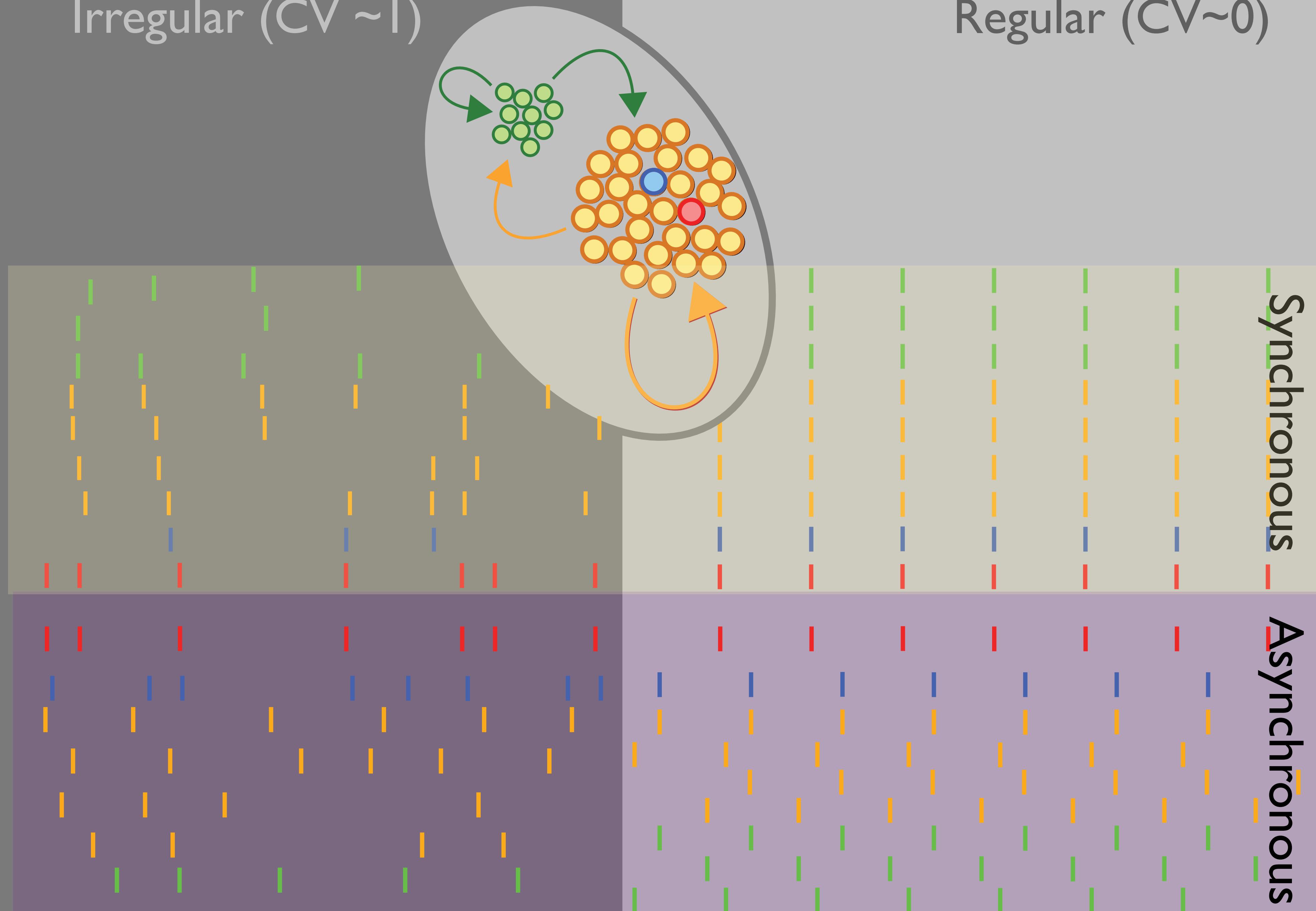
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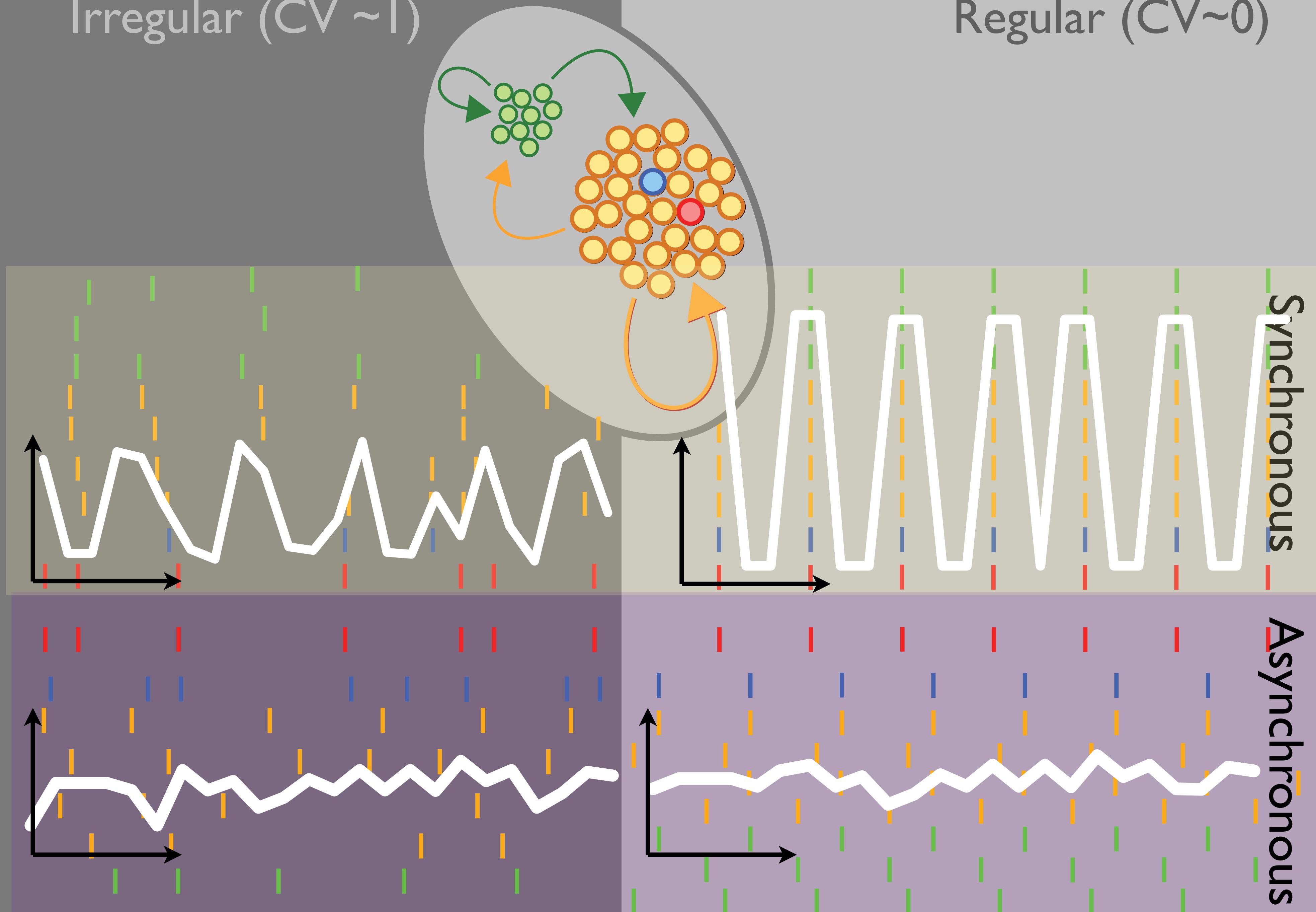
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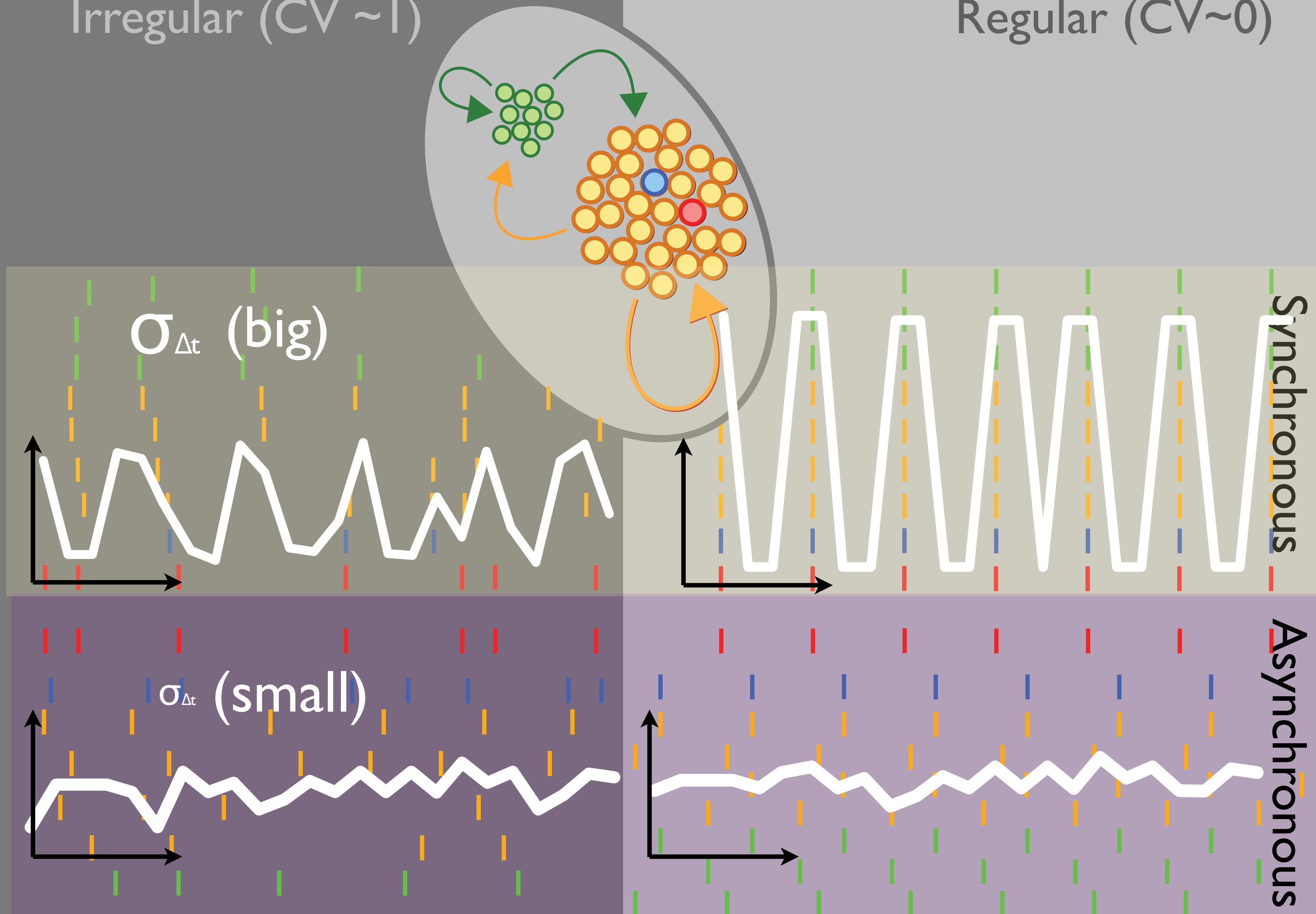
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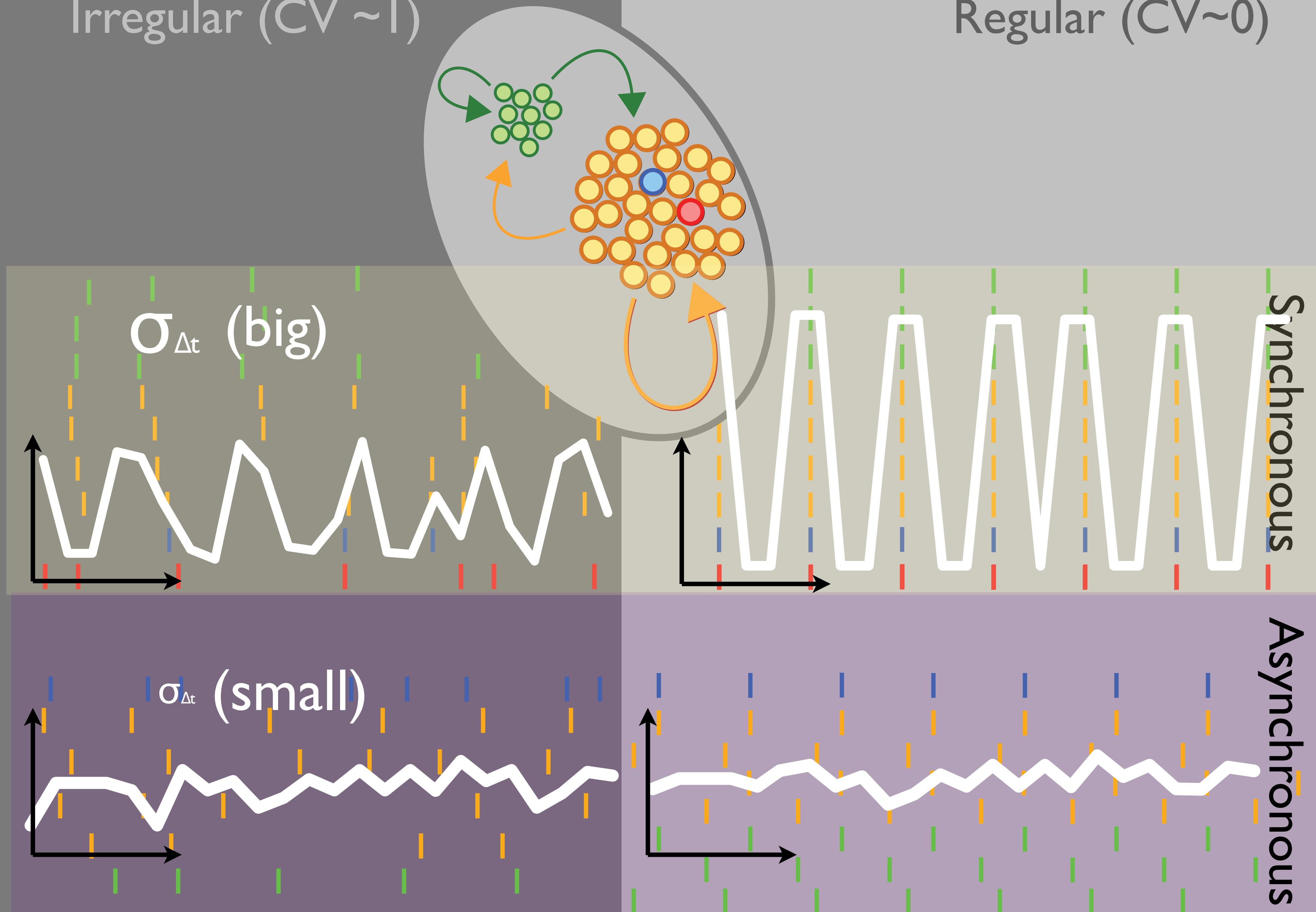
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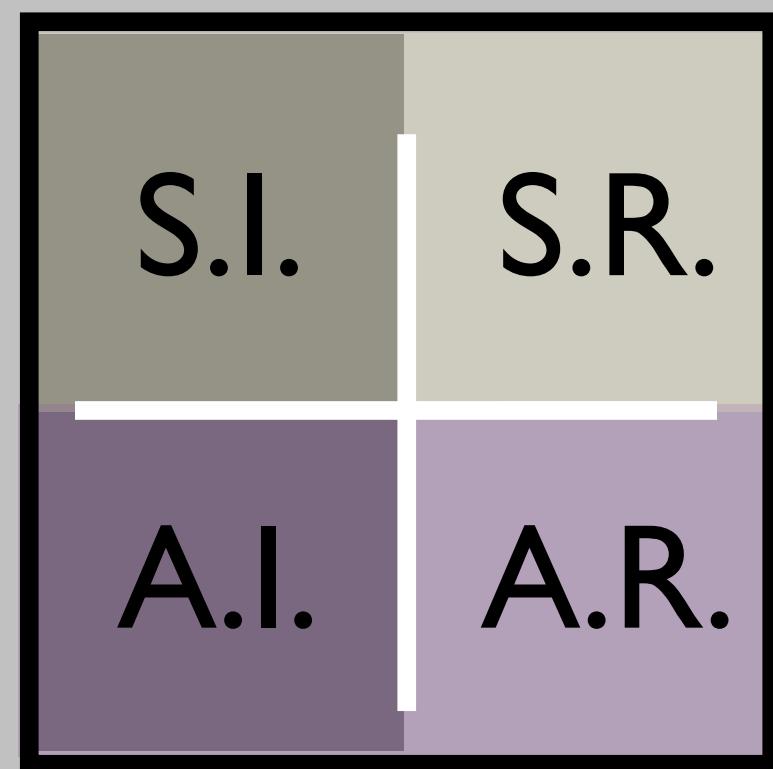
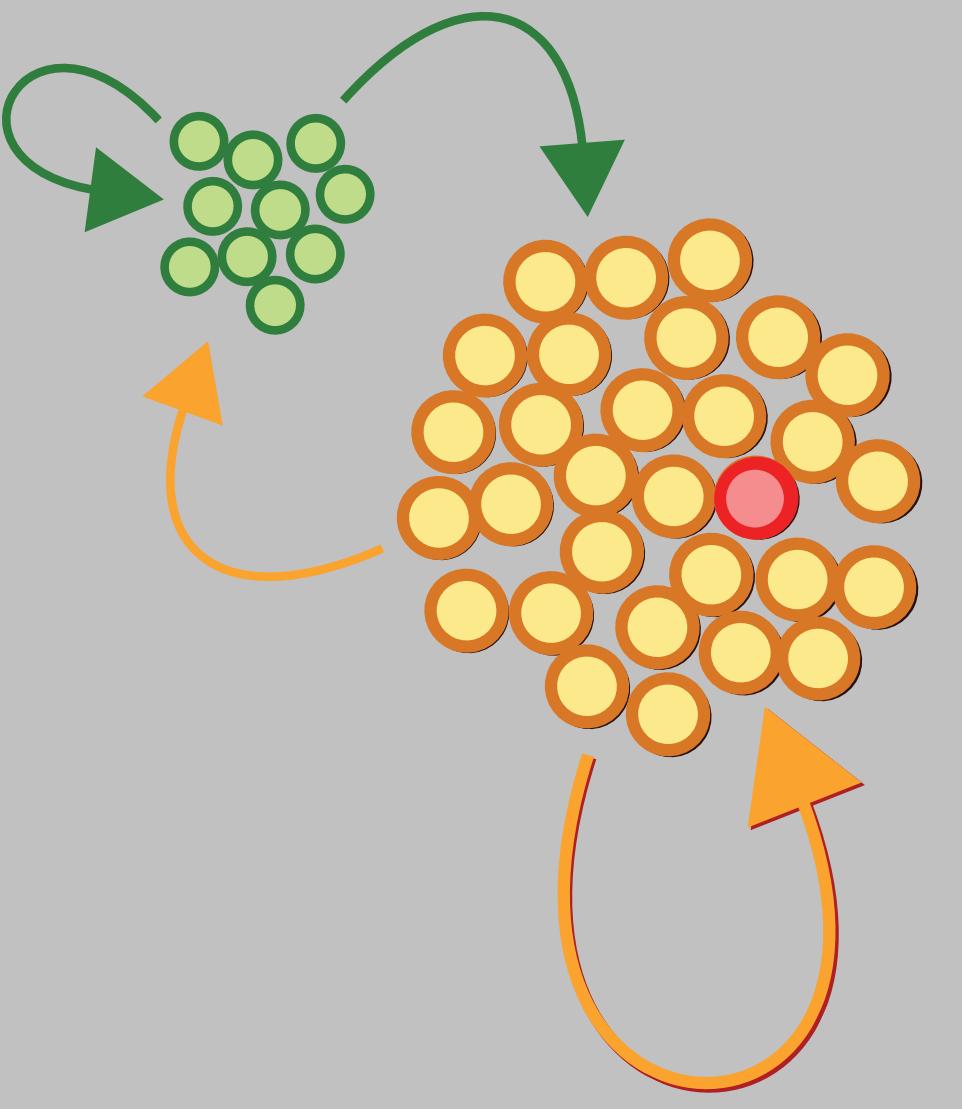
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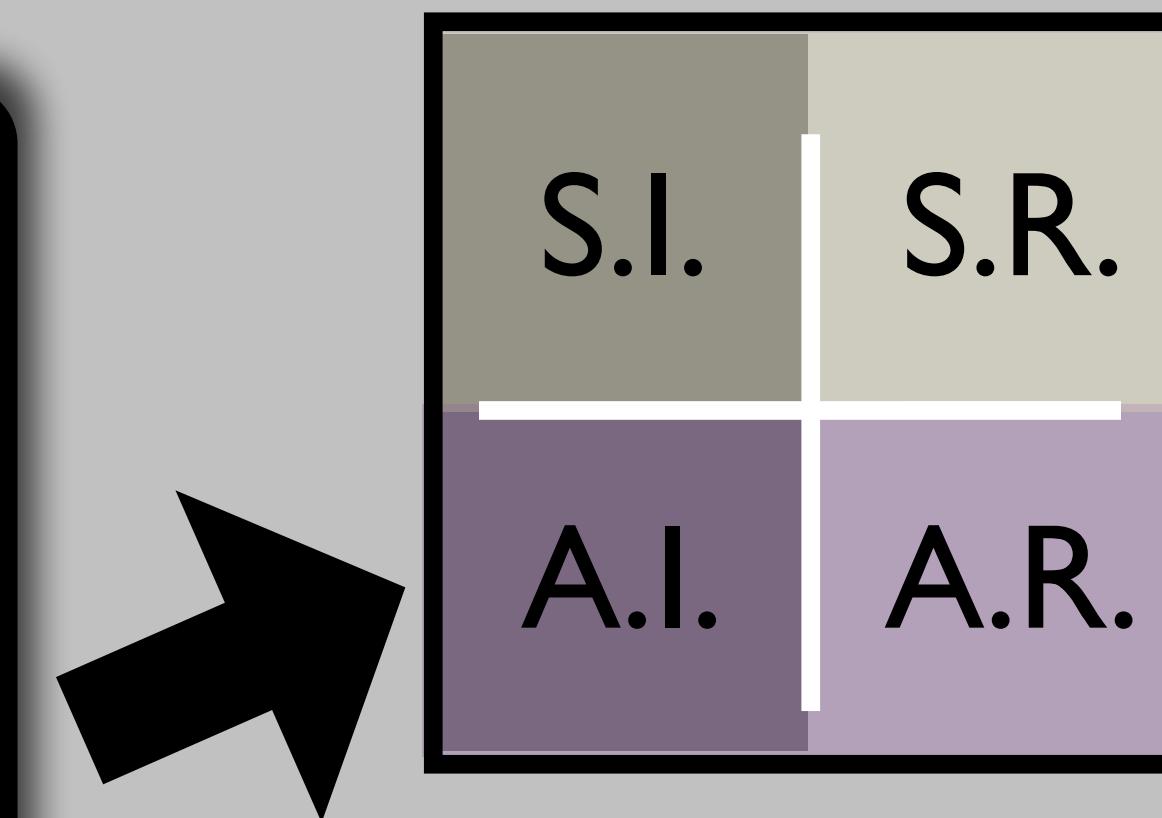
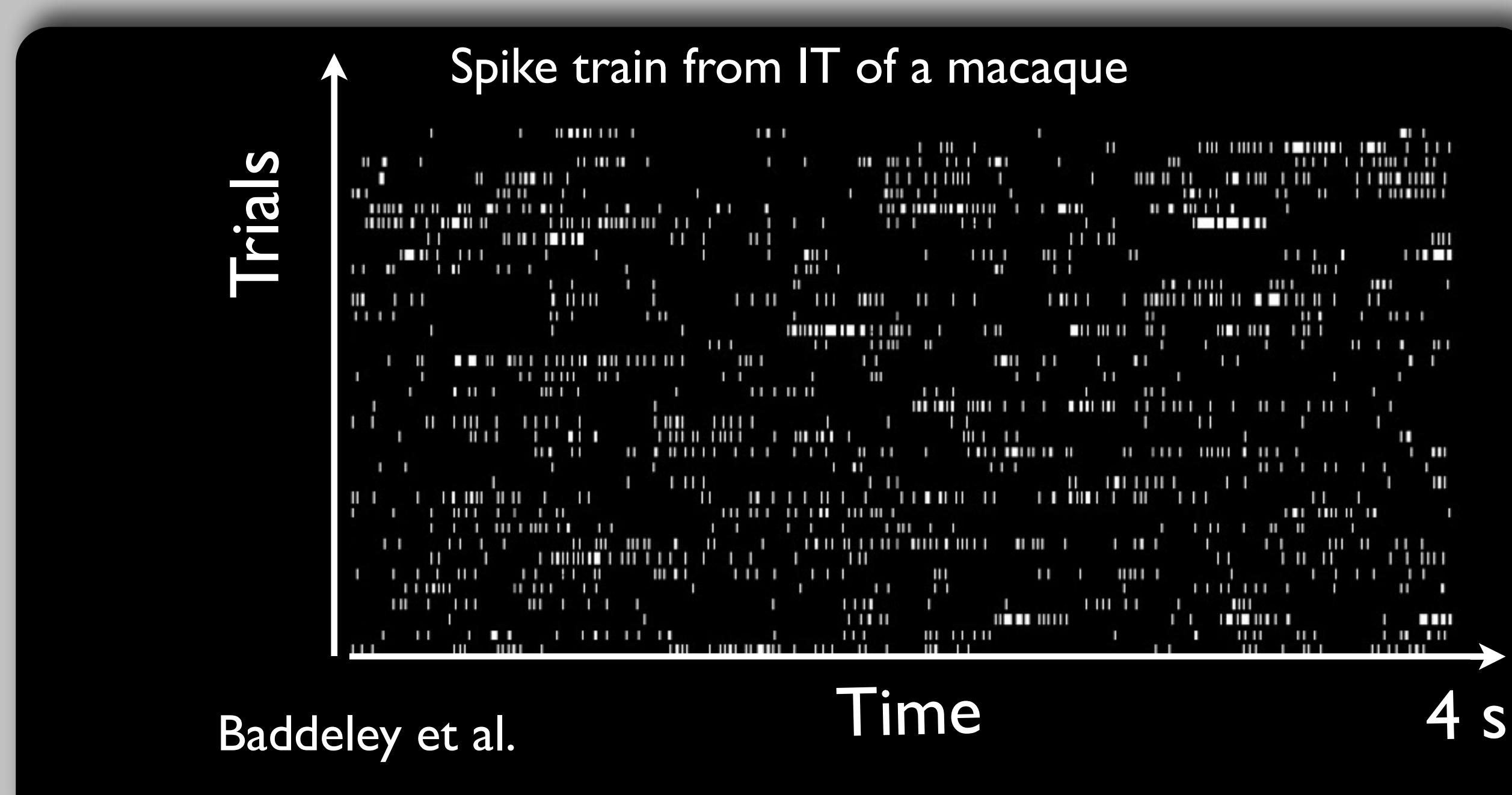
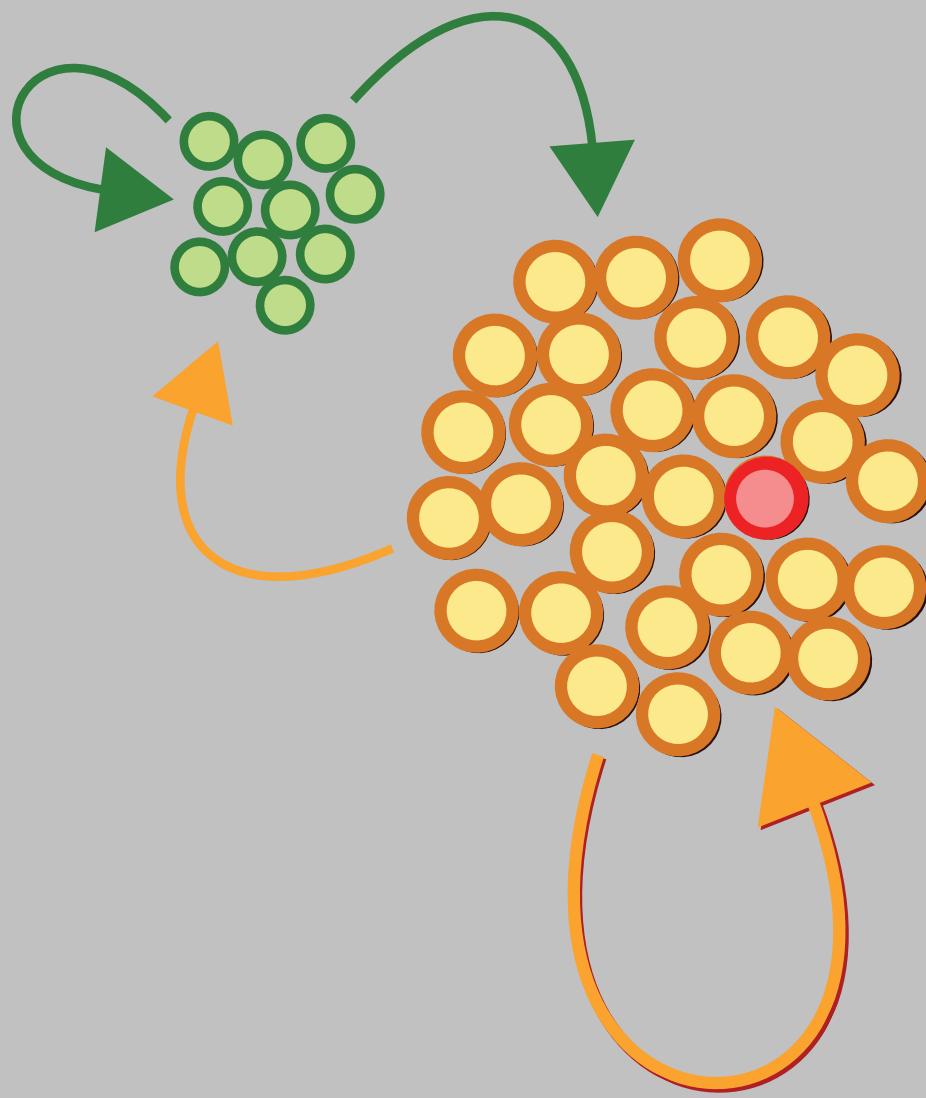


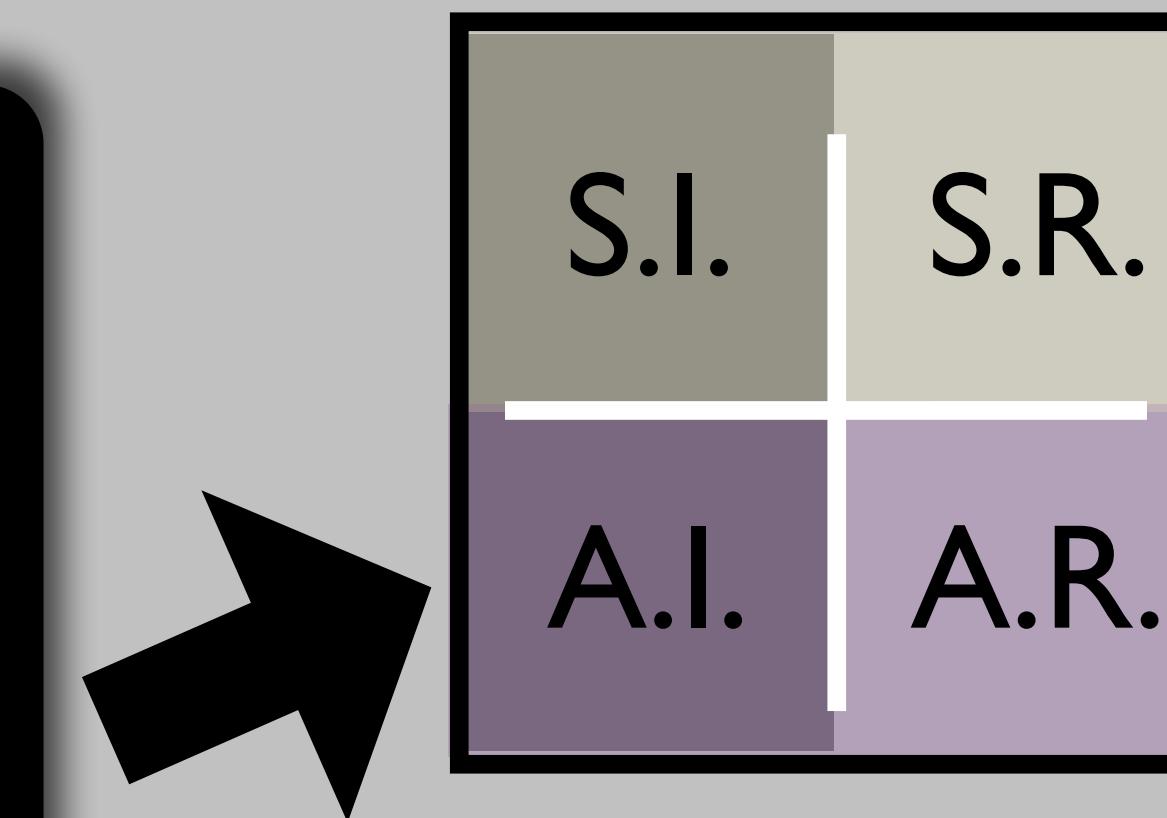
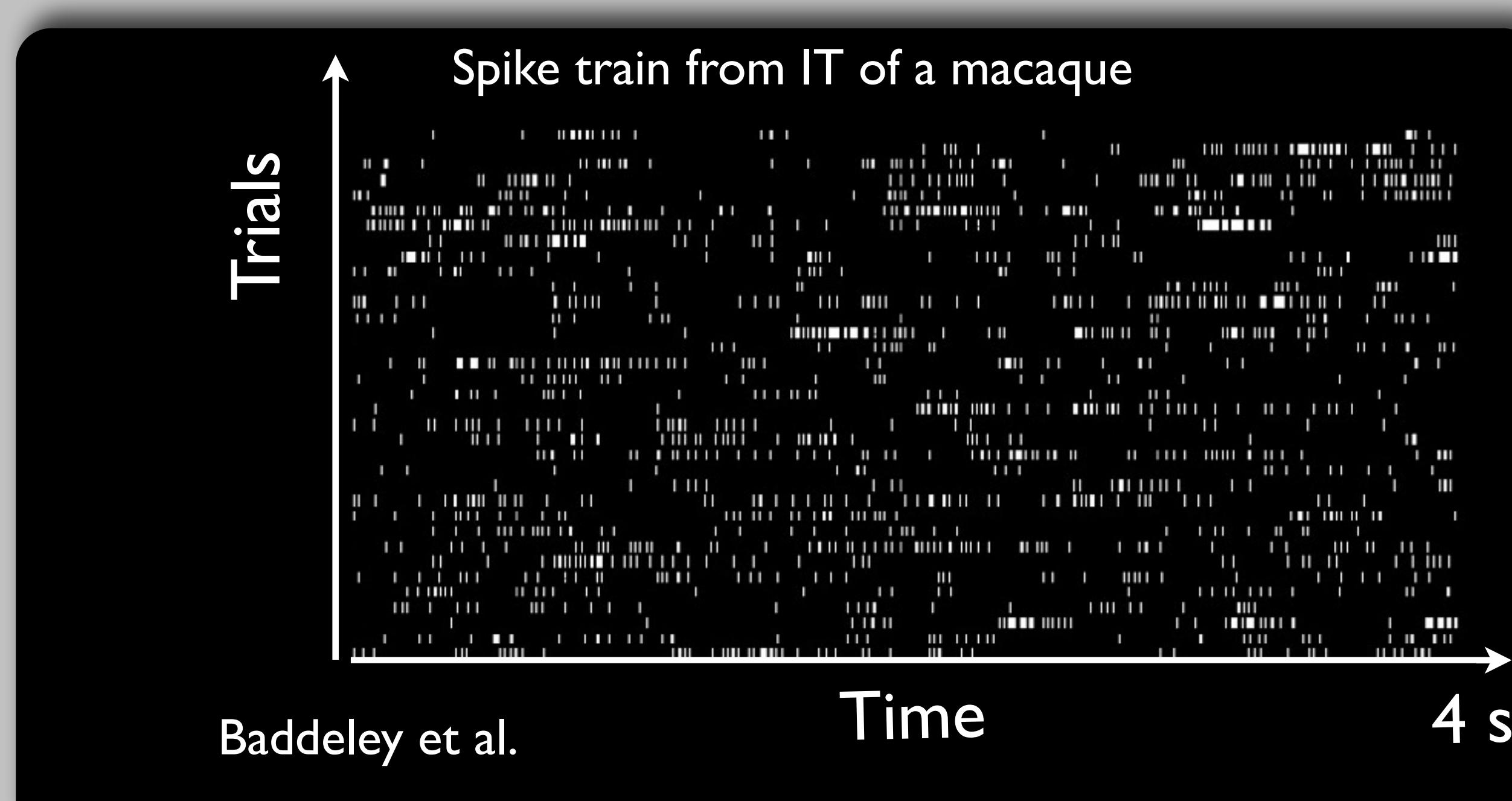
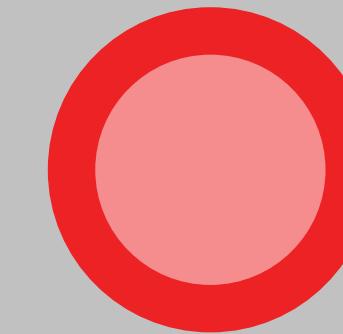
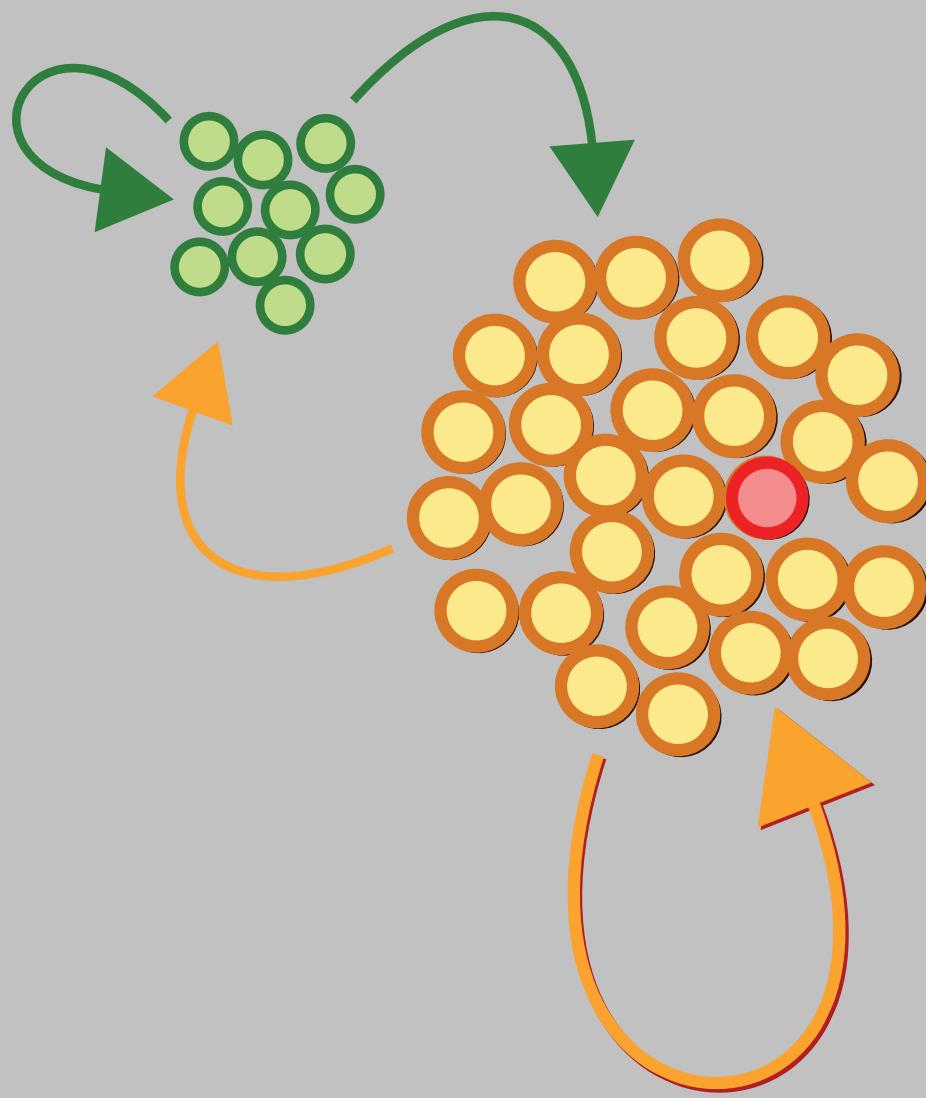
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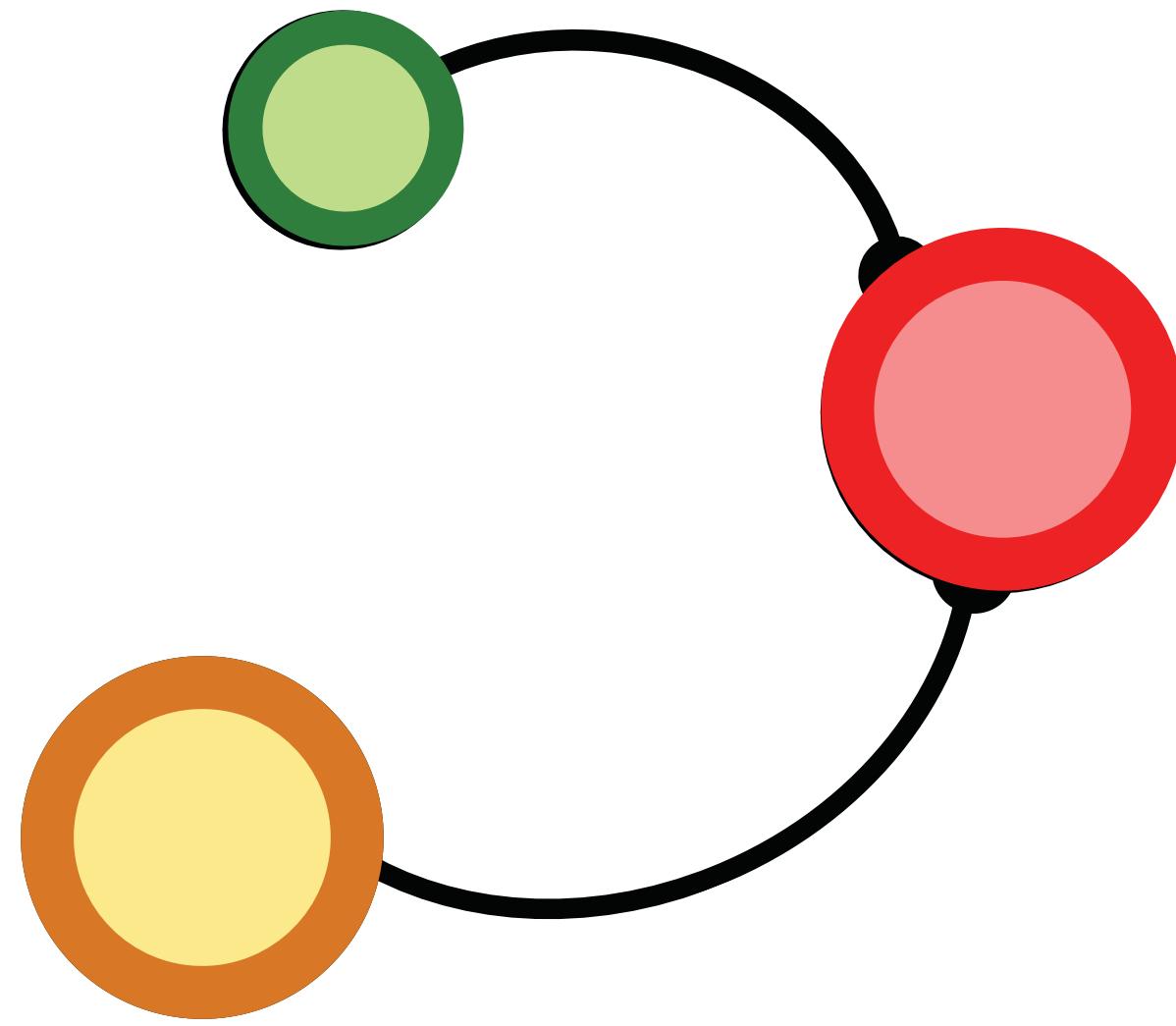
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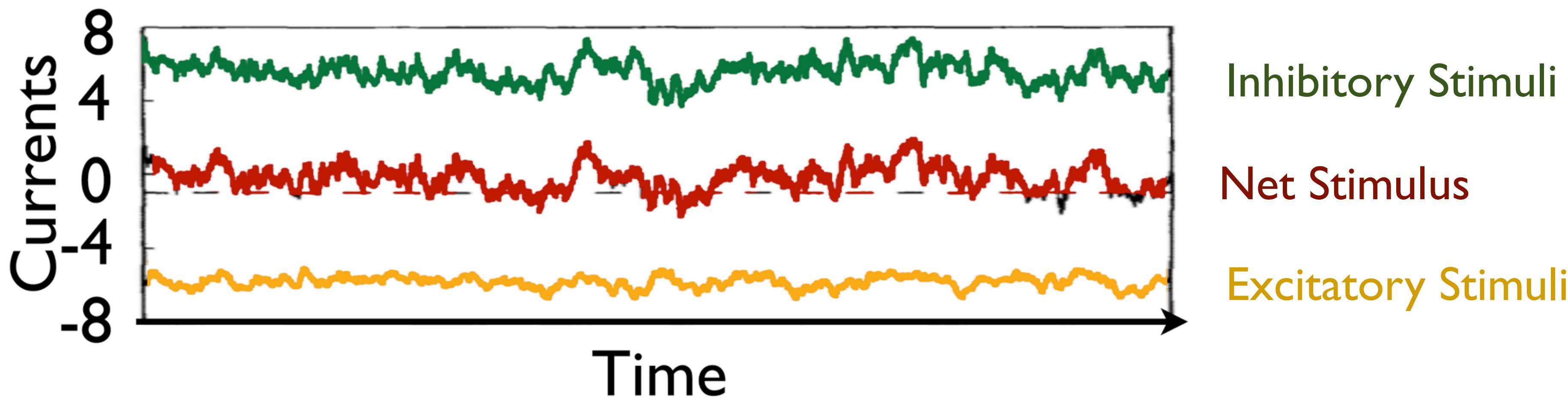
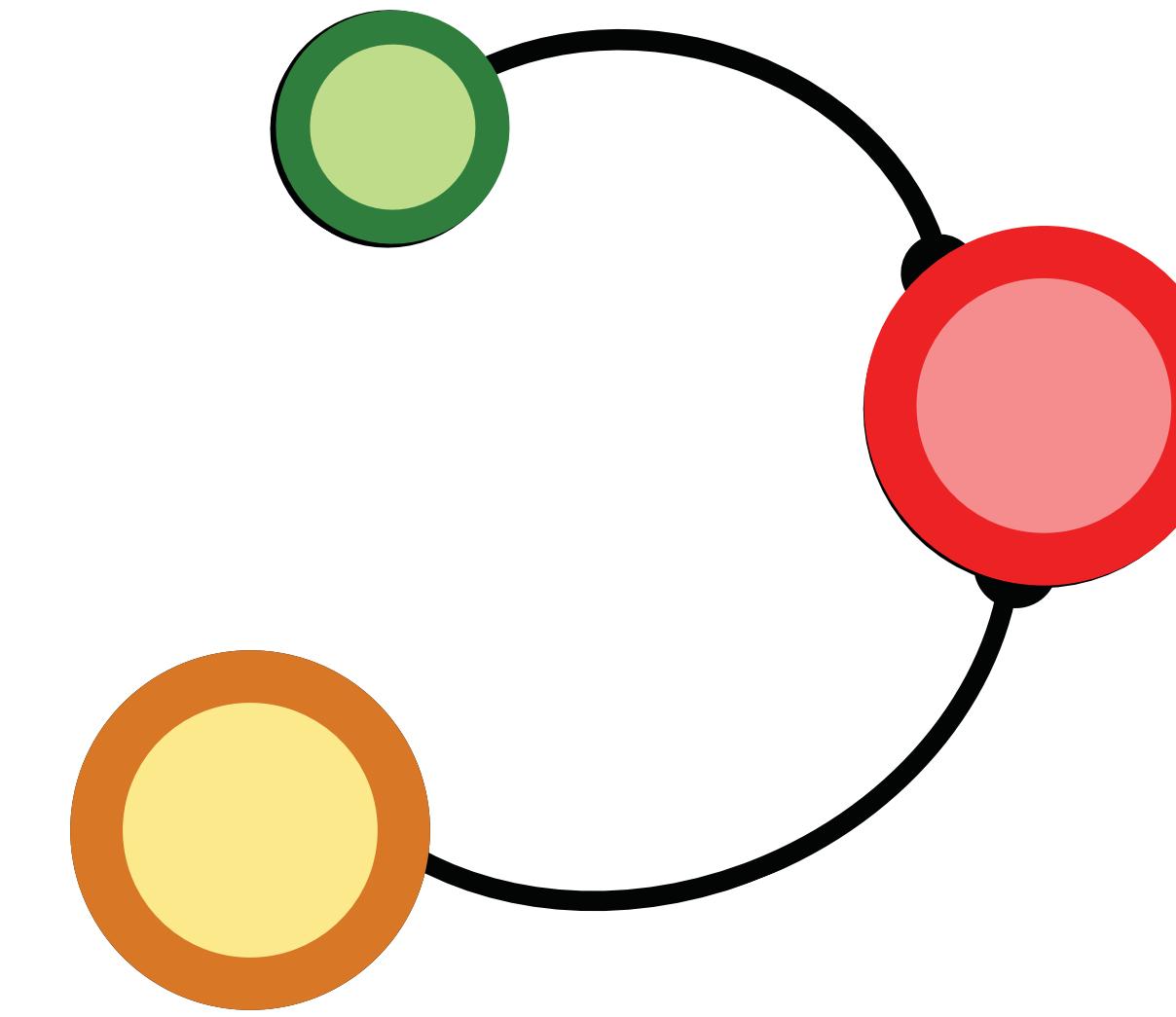




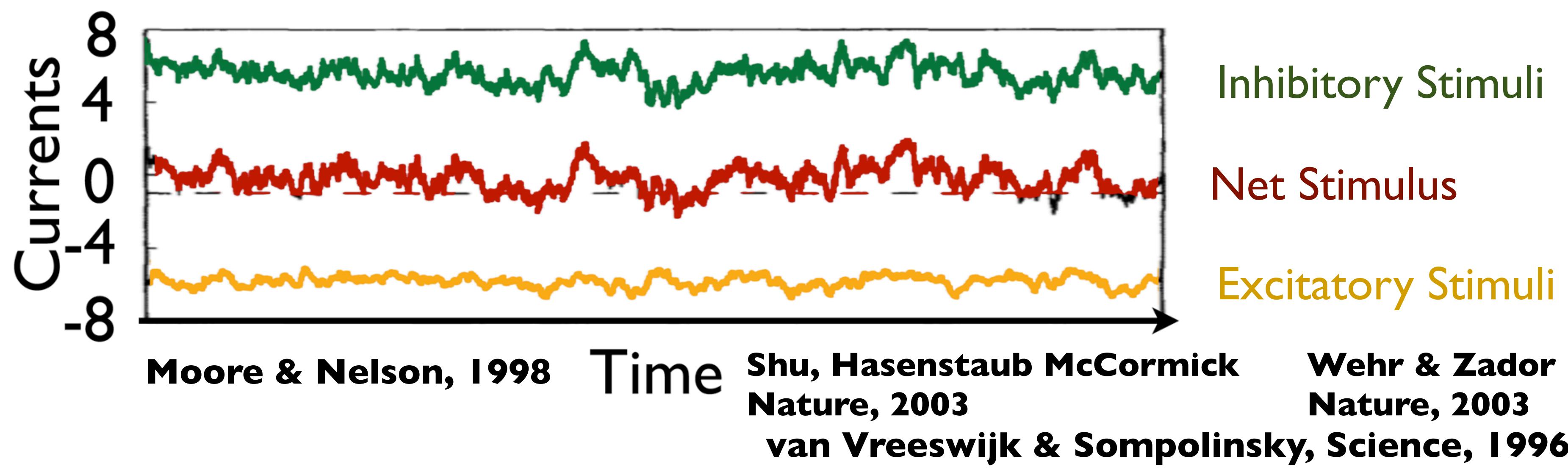
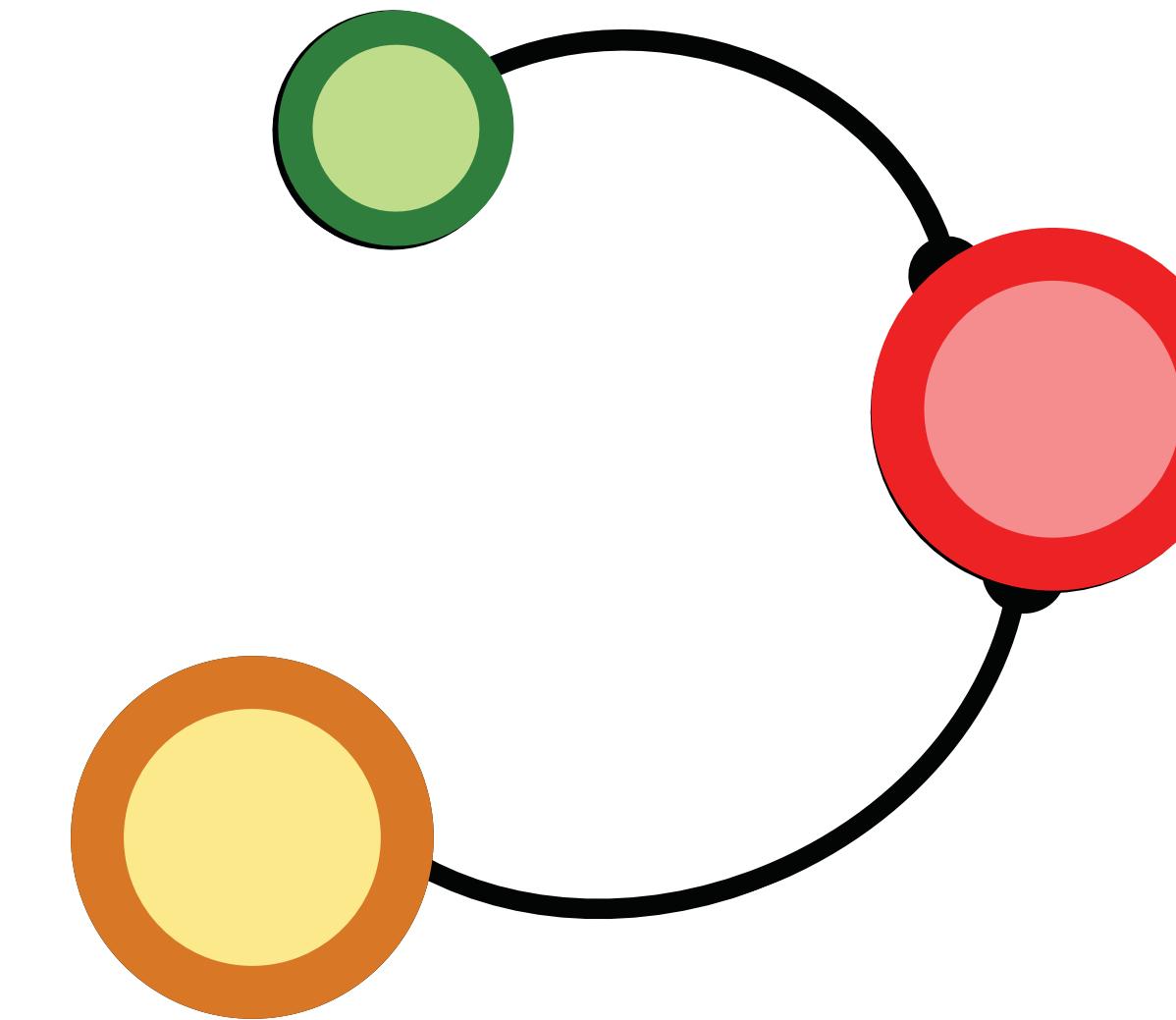


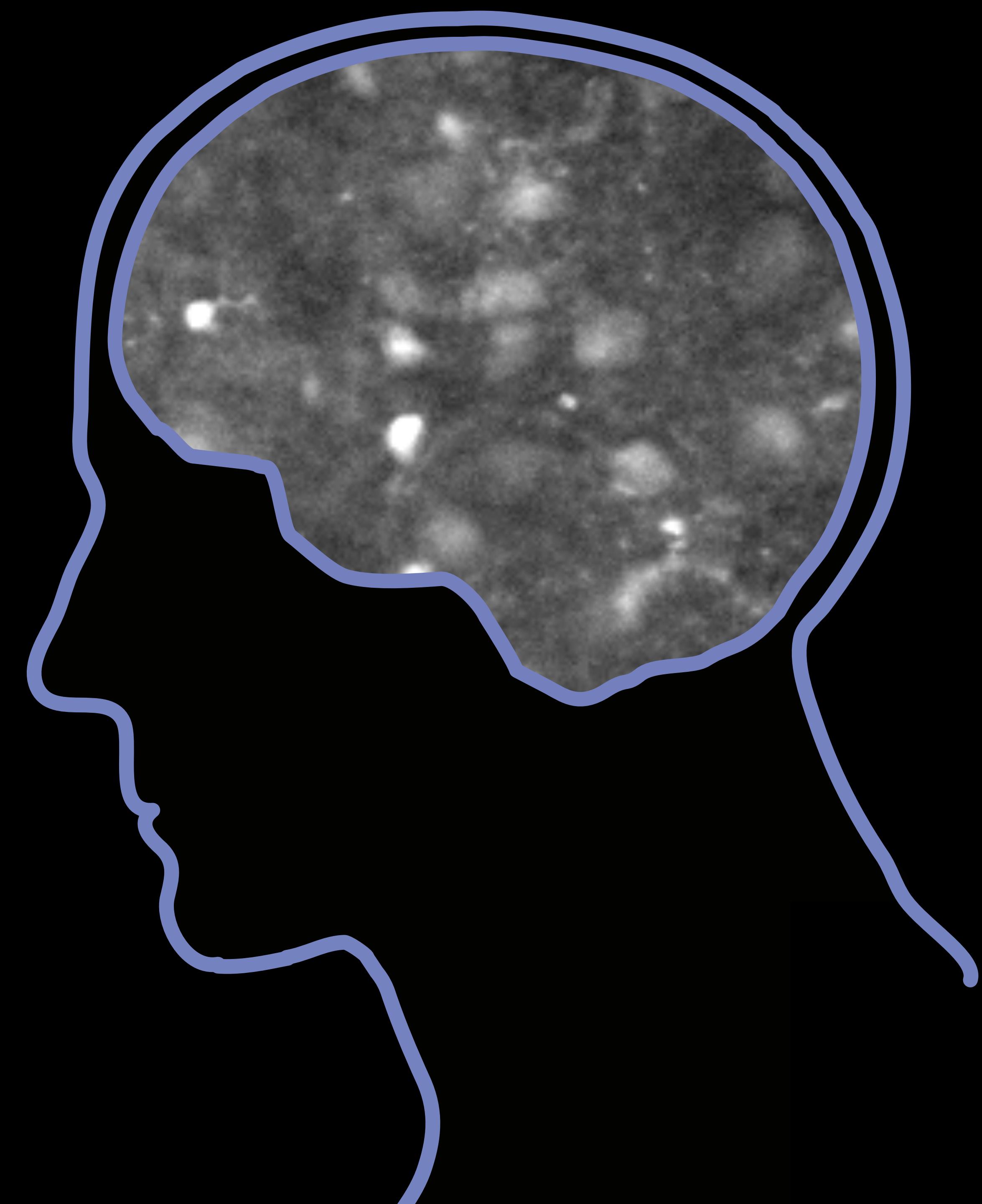


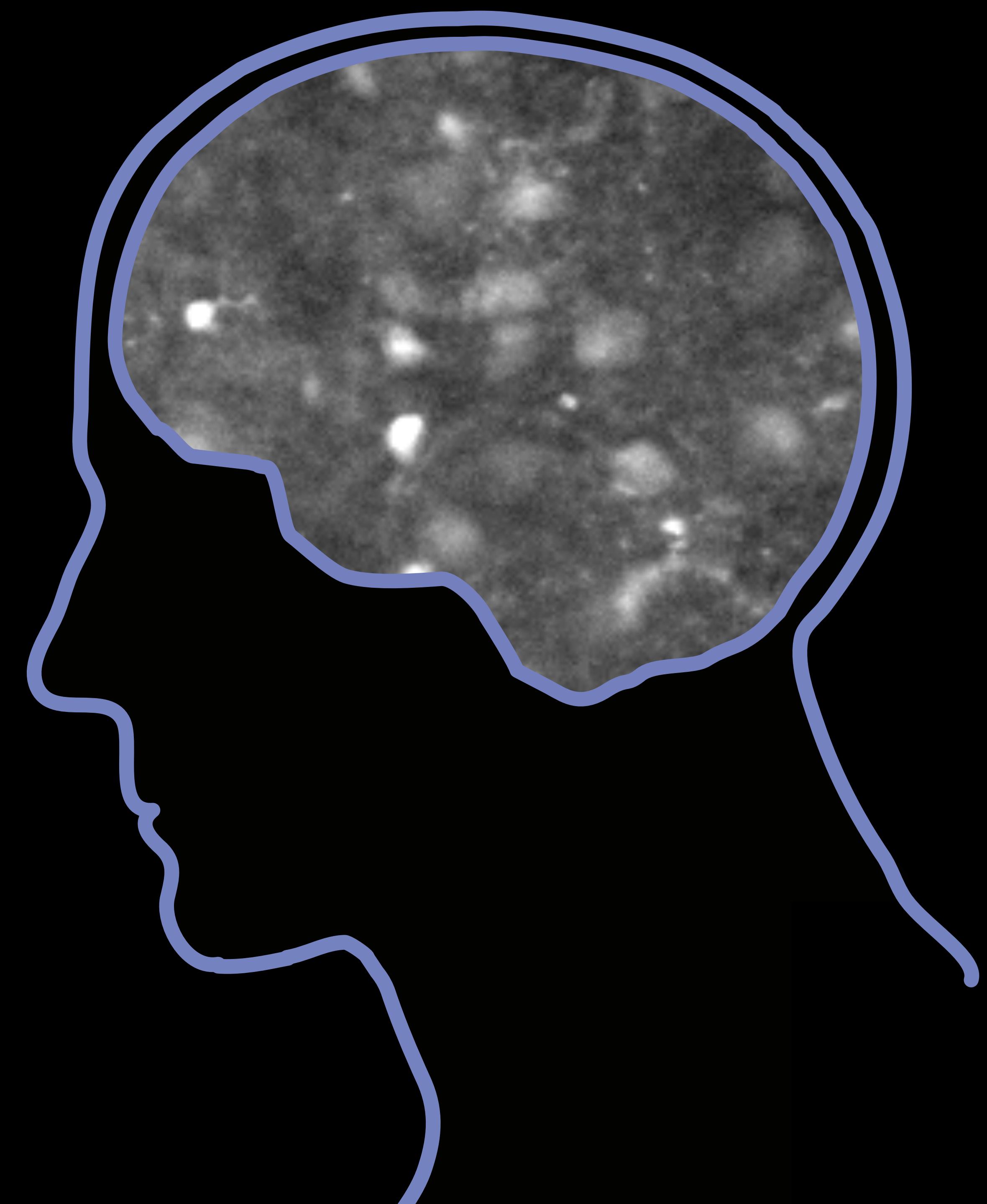
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Voilà,...

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the "rate model"!

next:

- the W
- excitation & inhibition
- dynamics & balance
- signal propagation