Communication in Multi-agent Reinforcement Learning

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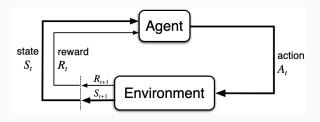
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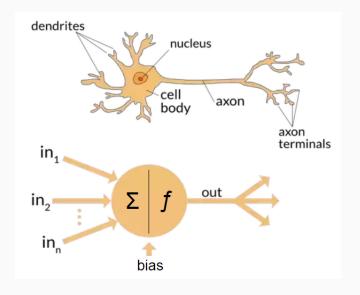
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Outline

Motivation

Comm-MARL

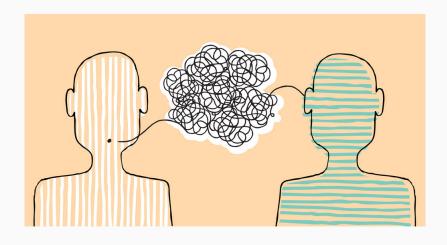




- Non-stationarity
- Credit Assignment
- Scaling

Comm-MARL

How do we communicate?



Dimensions of Comm-MARL

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	2	How to fulfil realistic requirements?	Communication Constraints
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