A Mathematical Framework for Modeling Consciousness Sydney Cook 12/8/24

This theorem proposes a mathematical model of consciousness based on three foundational principles: Bayesian inference for probabilistic reasoning, fuzzy logic for handling vagueness and ambiguity, and an equation for time. This theorem exemplifies consciousness as the ability for the brain to change when a threat is present.

This consists of five steps:

Step One-Bayesian Inference One

Step Two-Fuzzy Logic

Step Three- Activation

Step Four- Bayesian Inference Two

Step Five- Conscious Transformation

Step Three only executes if the fuzzy logic concludes that there is a real threat– activation of Glutamate. Step Four only executes if the time the threat is present is equal to or more than 5400 seconds.

$$f(t) = egin{cases} 2 & ext{if } 3600 \leq t < 5400, \ 1 & ext{if } t \geq 5400, \ 0 & ext{if } t < 3600. \end{cases}$$

Step Four uses Bayesian Inference again:

 $P(H) = \mu High(P)$ from Step Two

P(E|H) = Dependent on stimuli

 $P(E|\neg H) = \mu Low(P)$ from Step Two

Step Five executes if P(H|E) > 0.80, meaning the individual has gone through a conscious transformation