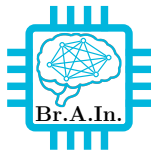


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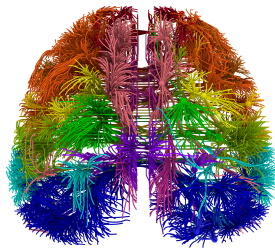
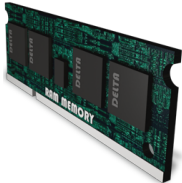
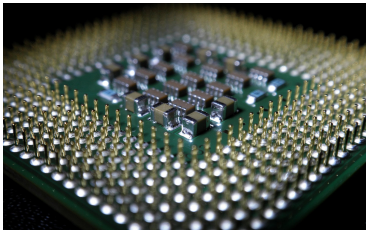
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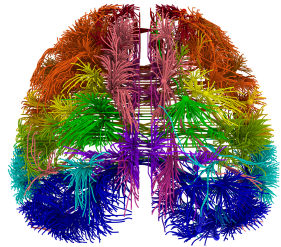
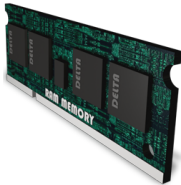
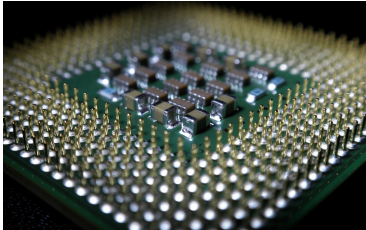
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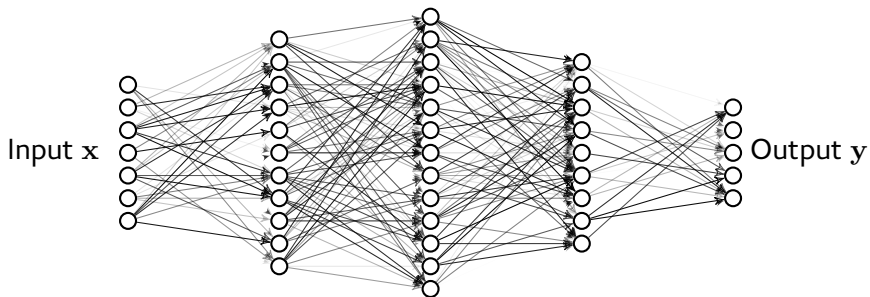


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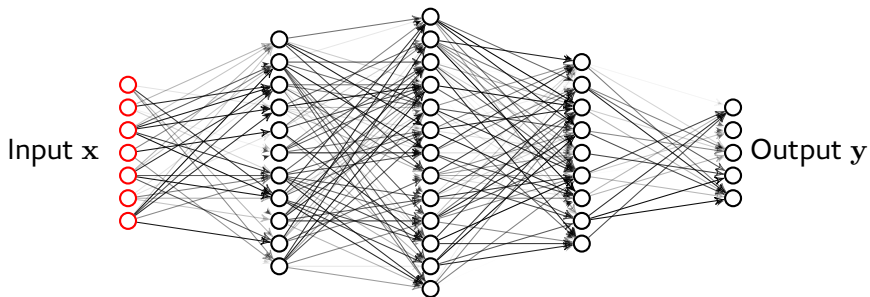
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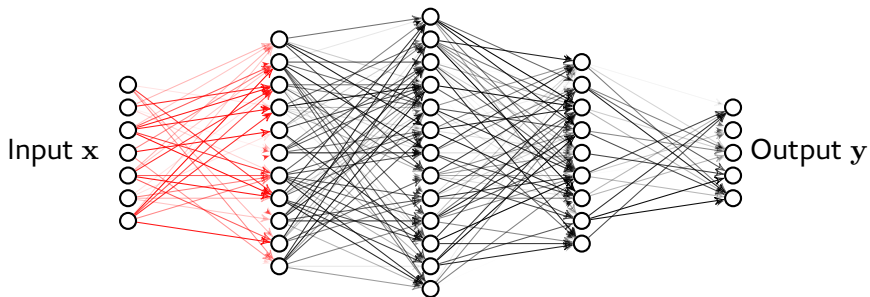
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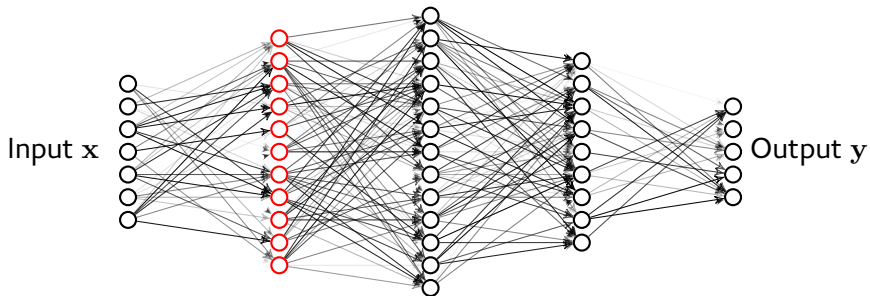
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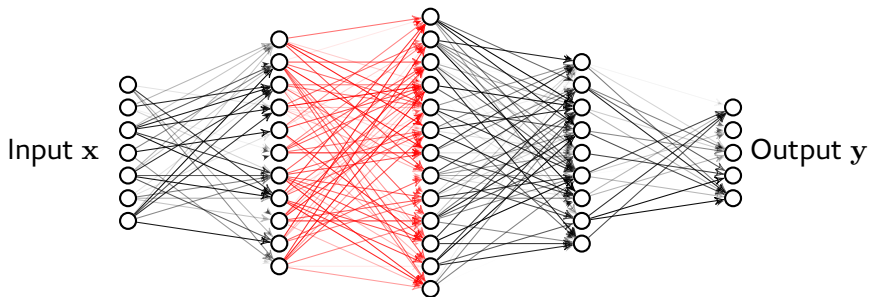
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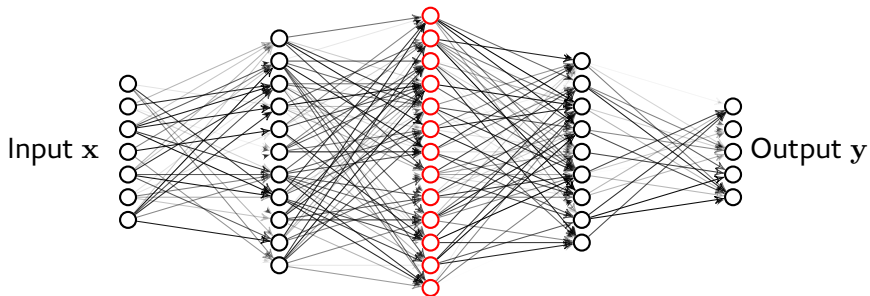
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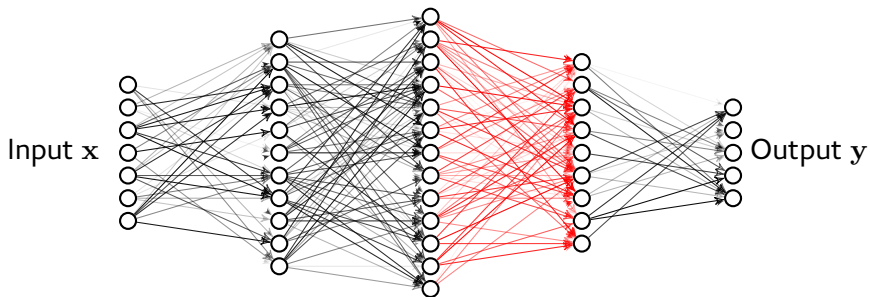
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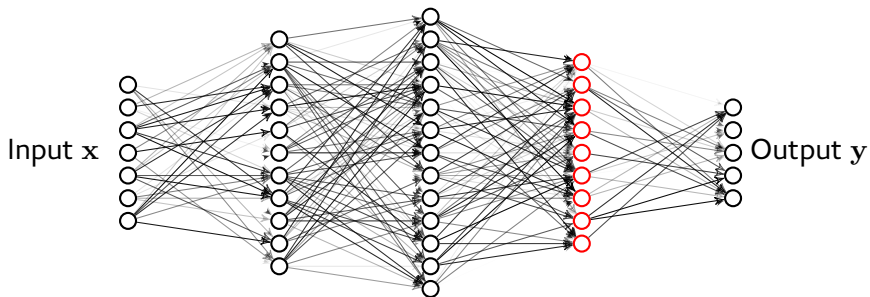
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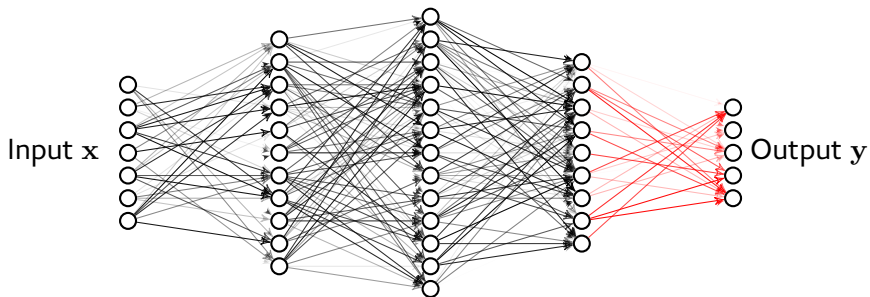
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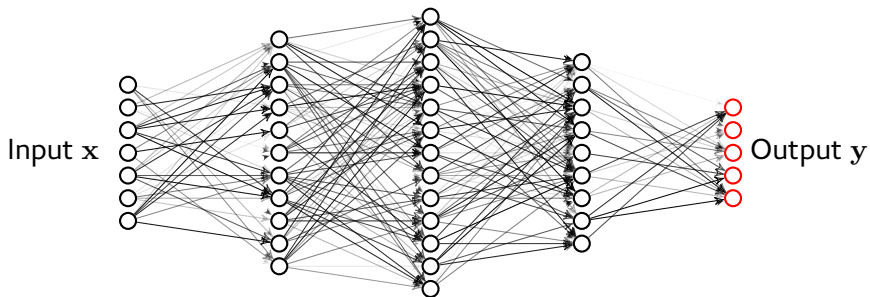
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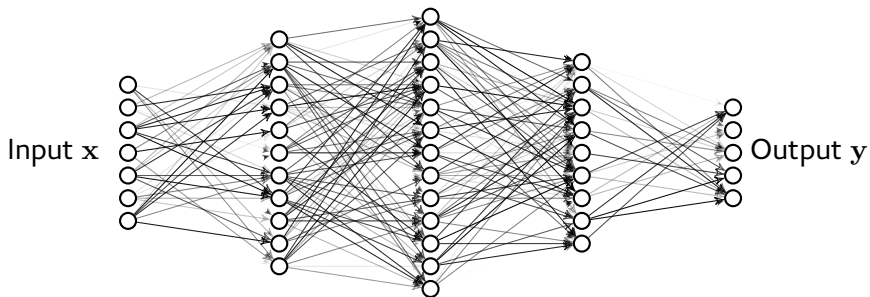
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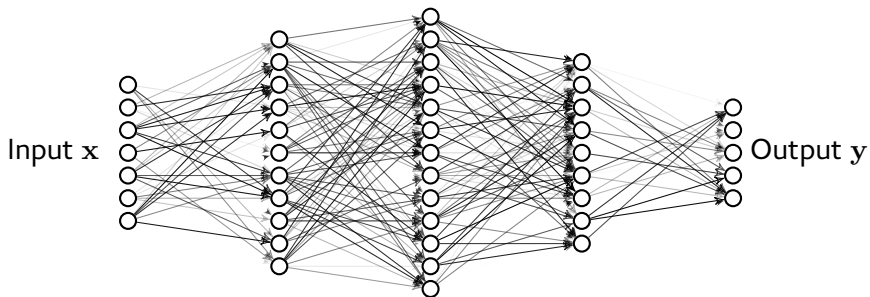
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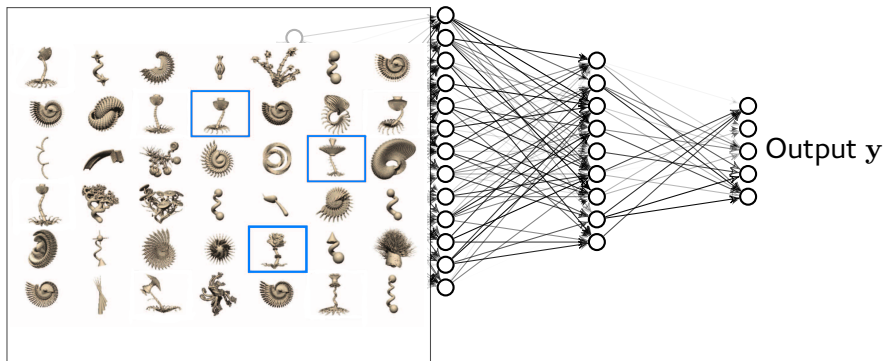


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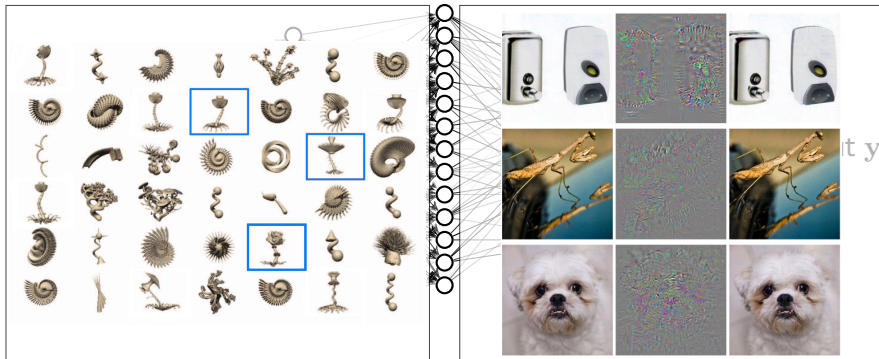
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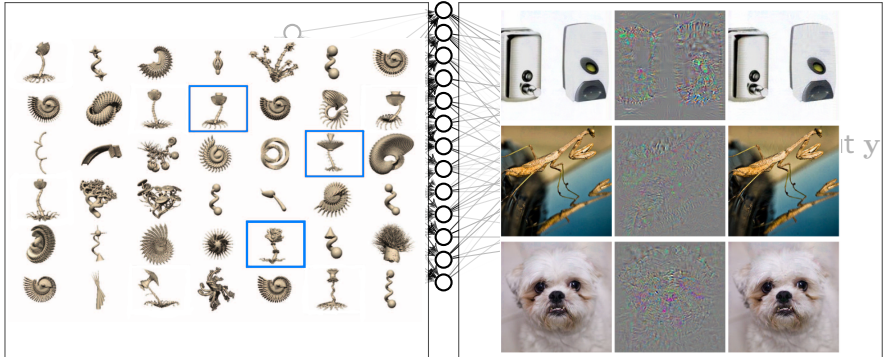


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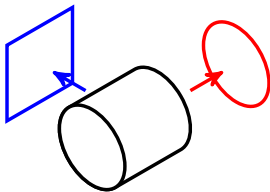
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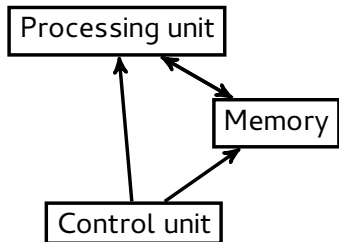
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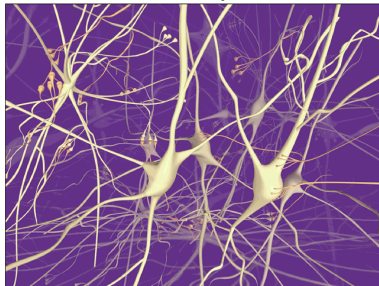


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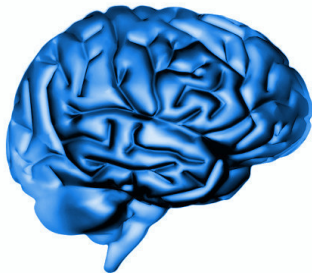
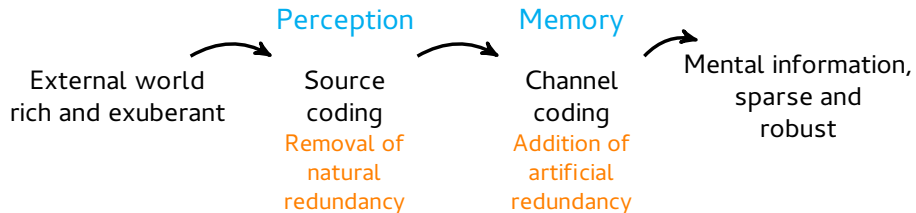
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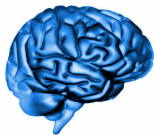
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Schannon's model applied to the brain

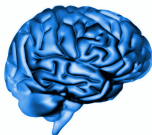


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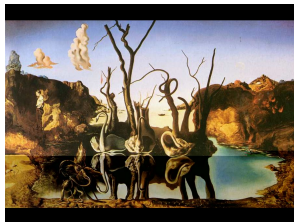
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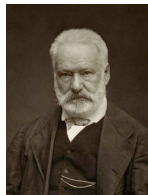


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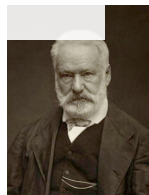
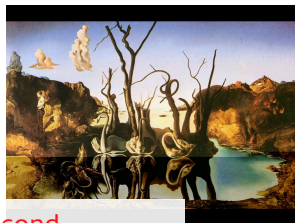
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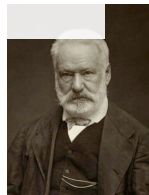
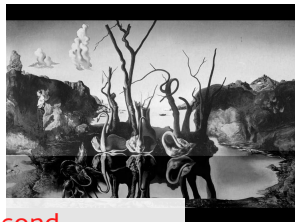
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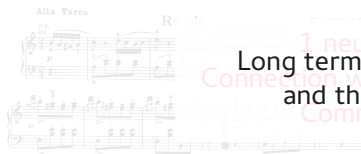
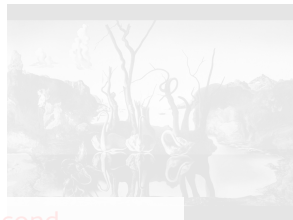
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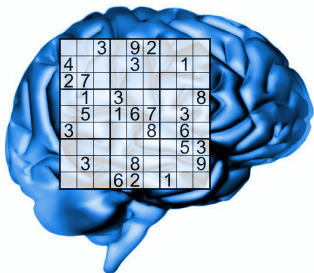
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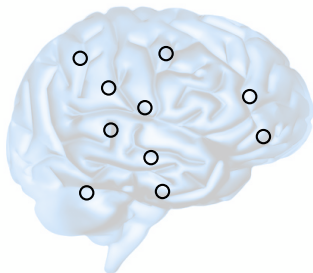
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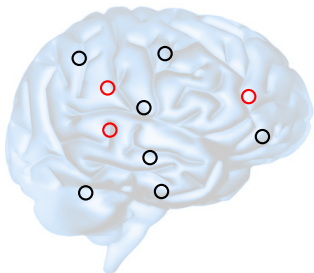
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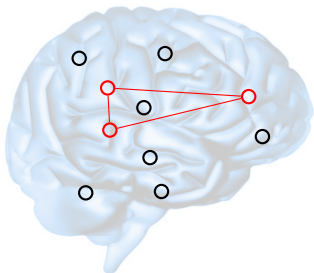


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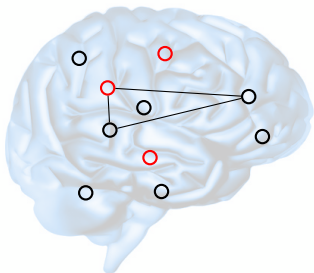
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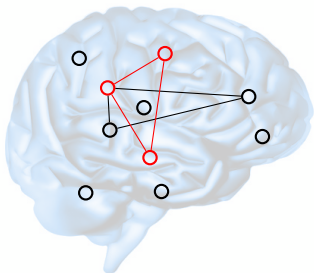
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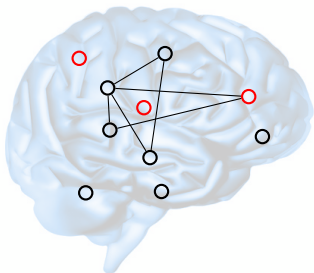
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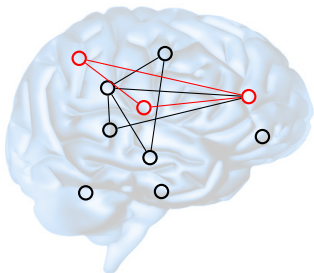
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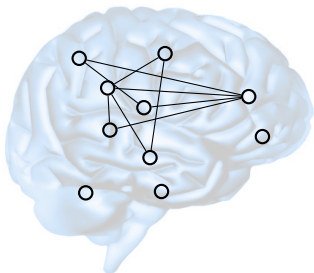
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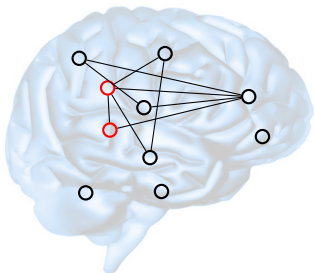


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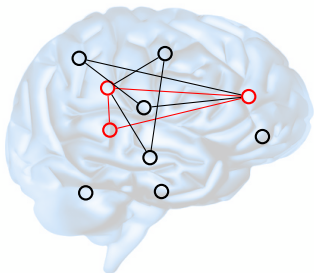
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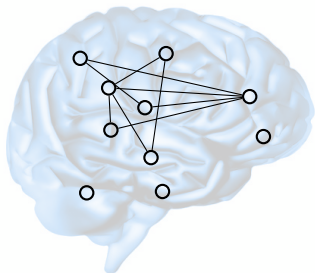
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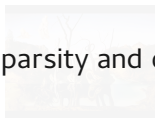


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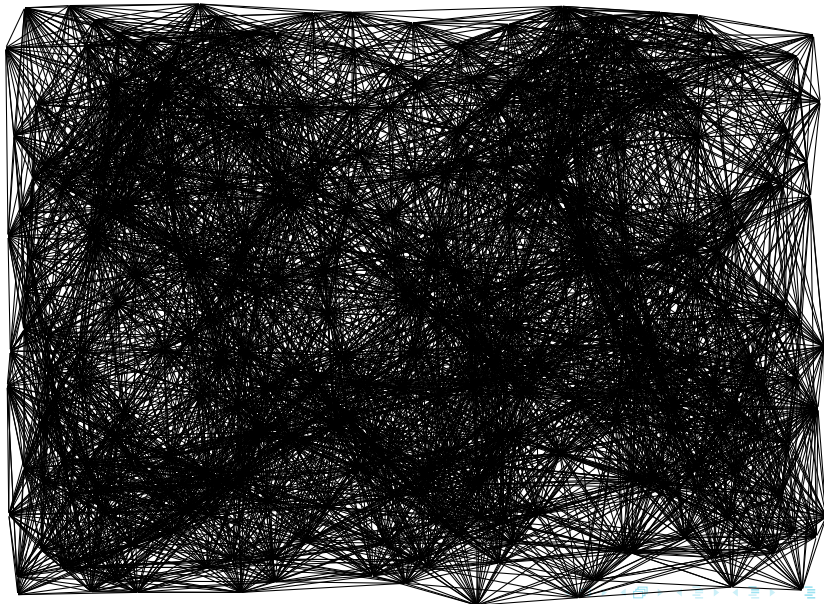
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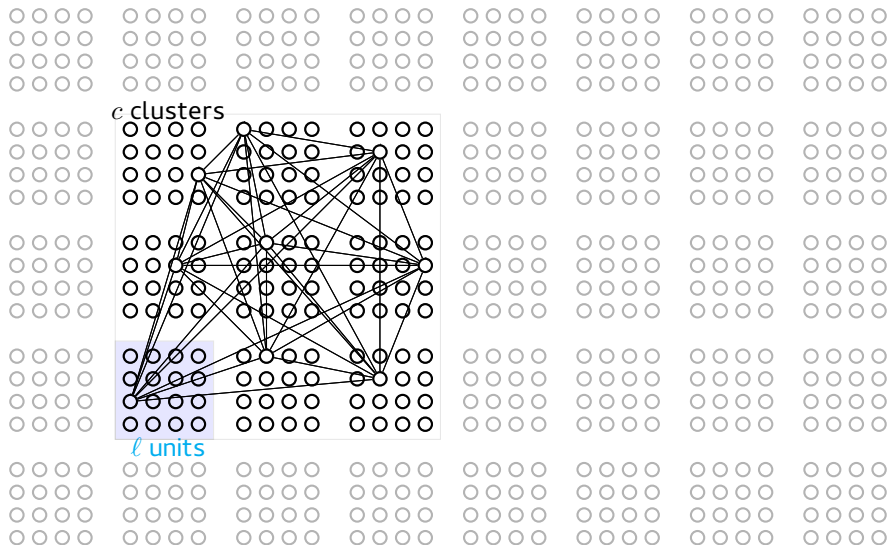
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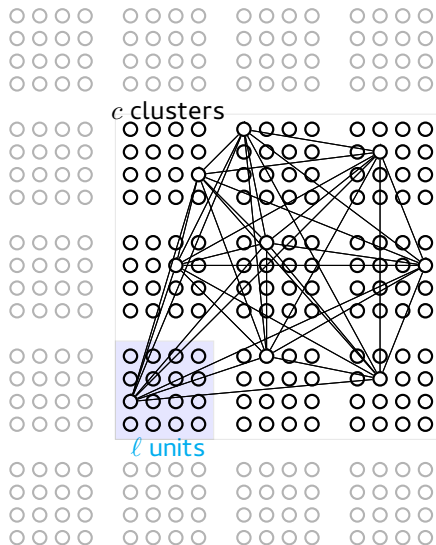
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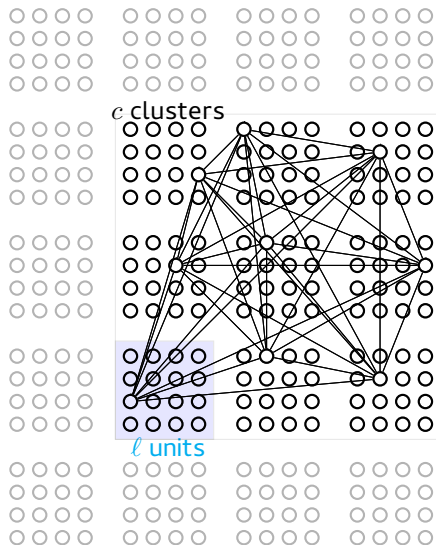
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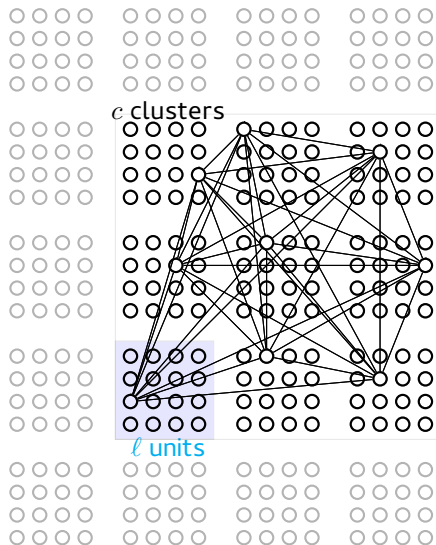
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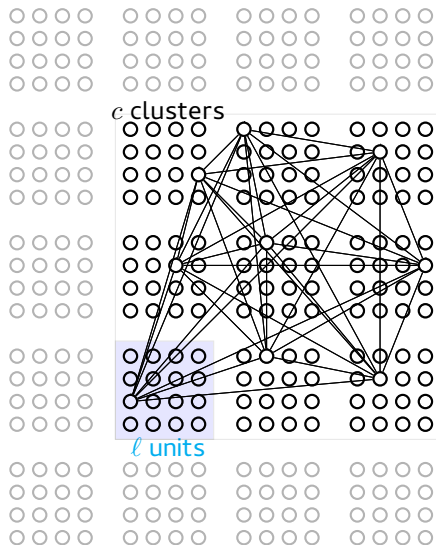
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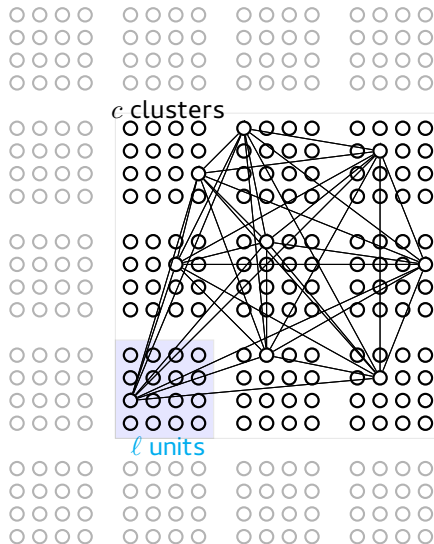
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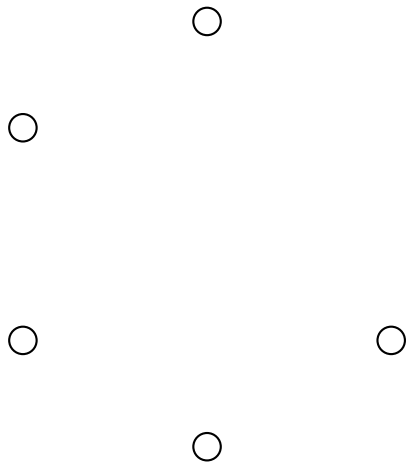
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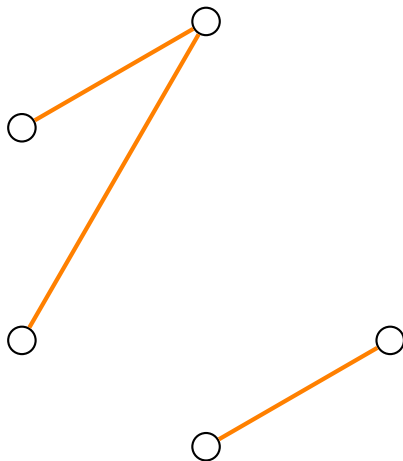
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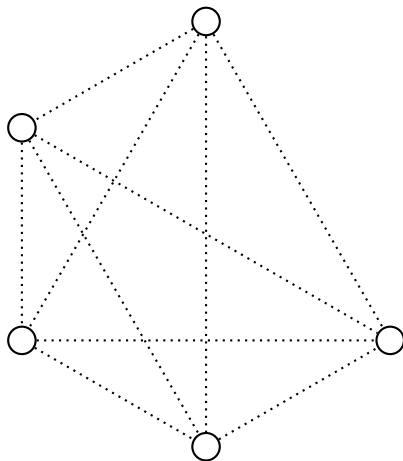
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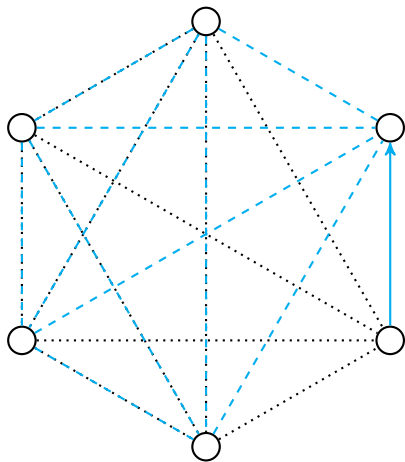
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Memory efficiency (with some approximations)

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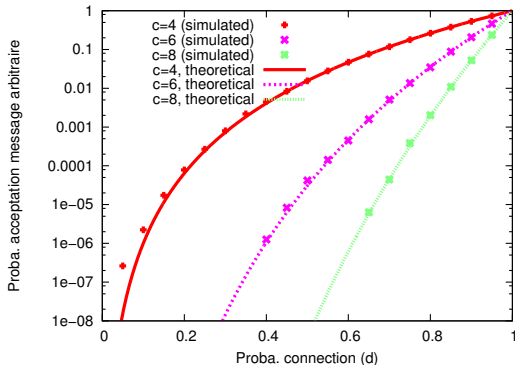
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Experiments



False positive rate for various number of clusters c and $\ell = 512$ units per cluster.

With 1% of error, efficiency is 137.1%

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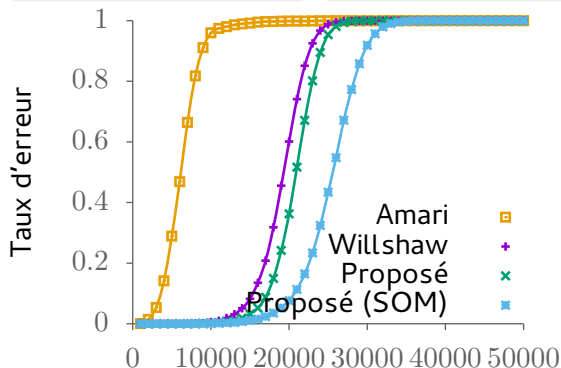
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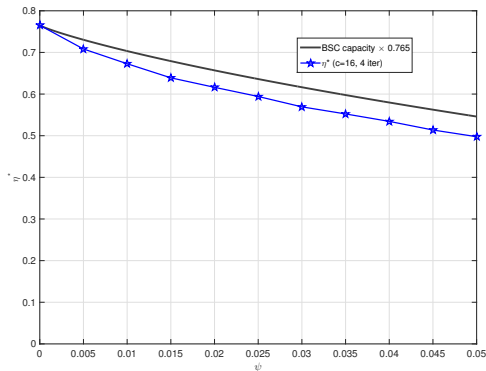
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- 2048 units total,
- 8 units per message,
- 4 initially activated units,
- ($\ell = 256$),
- $\eta \approx 50\%$.

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Robustness towards noise



$c = 8$ clusters with $\ell = 256$ units each (~ 64 bits of information per message), Messages are retrieved from half-erased versions.

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Binary models vs. continuous models

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- Information is carried out by weights,
- Learning performance is great,
- "Connection weights exhibit a heavy-tailed lognormal distribution spanning five orders of magnitude" [2].
- External world is continuous.

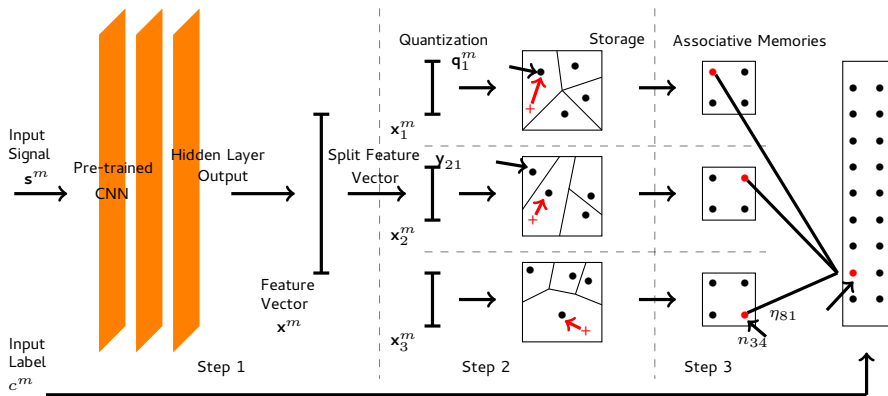
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- Information is carried out by existence of connections,
- Storing performance is great,
- "The probability that a synapse fails to release neurotransmitter in response to an incoming signal is remarkably high, between 0.5 and 0.9" [1].
- Language is discrete.

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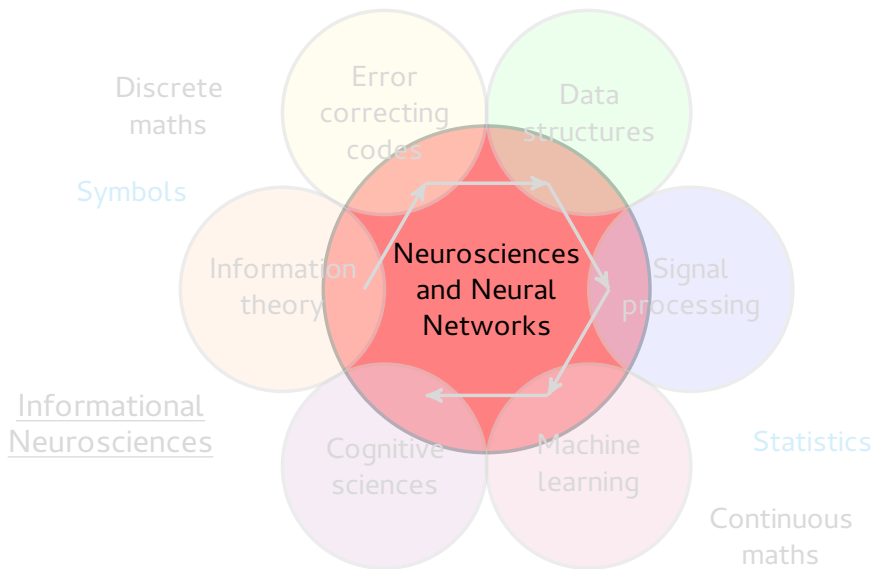
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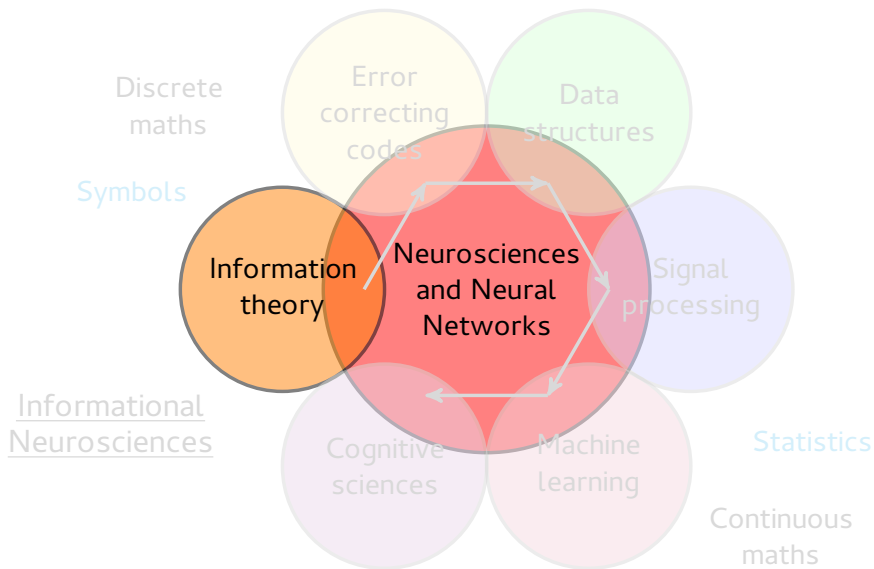
	Proposed method	Other techniques	
		1-NN	5-NN
Accuracy(%)	82	82.6(82)	86.07 (83)
complexity- ℓ	negligible	$\geq 2 \cdot 10^{10}$	$\geq 2 \cdot 10^{10}$
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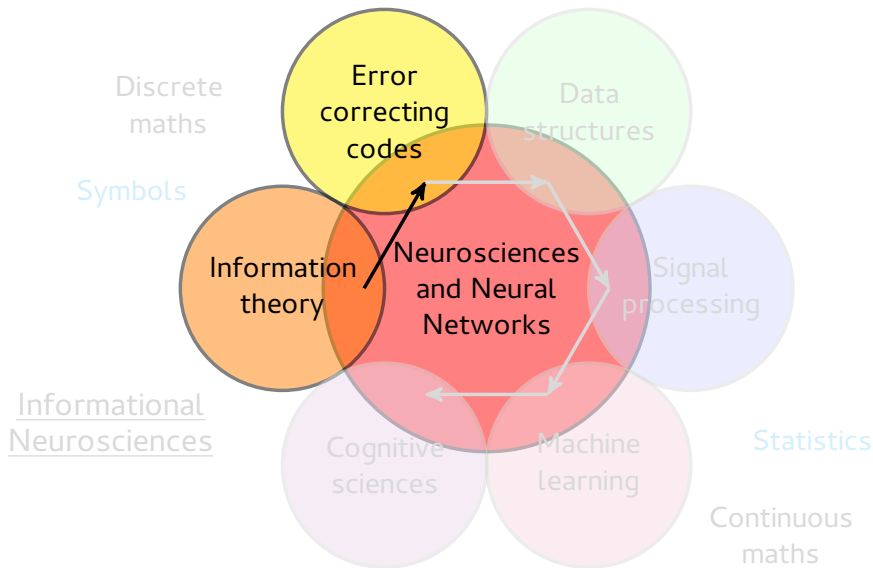
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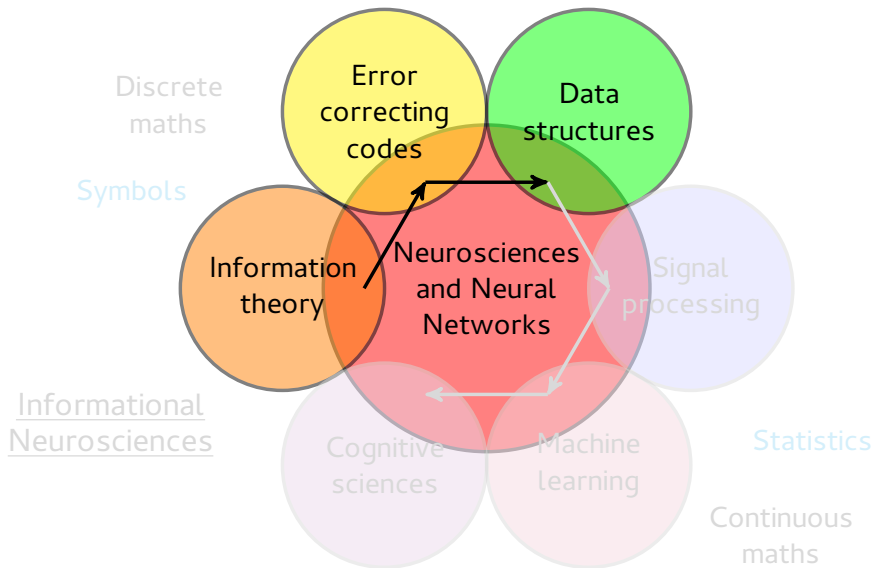
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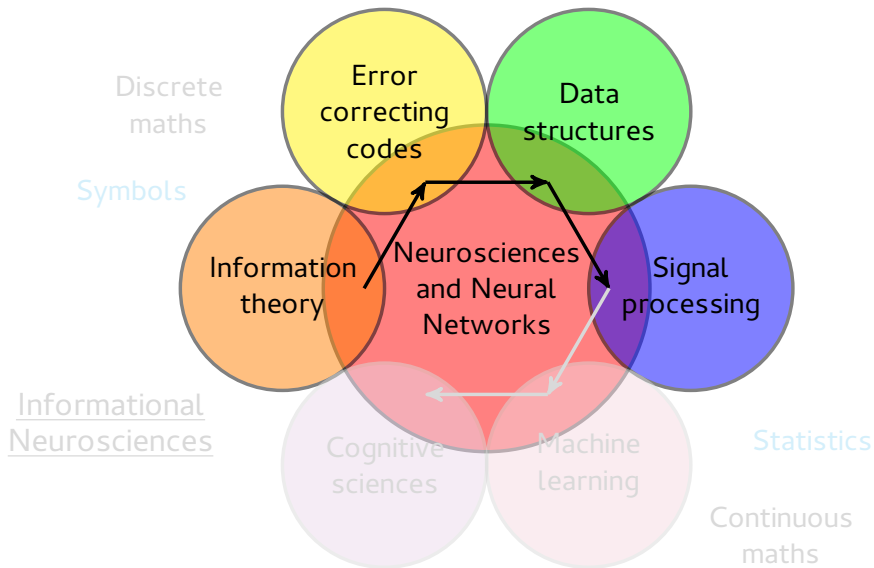
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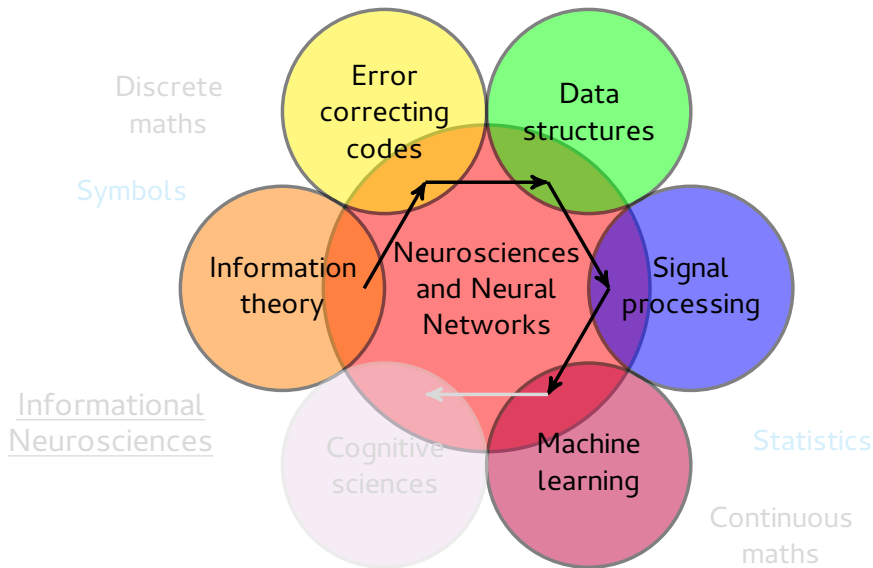
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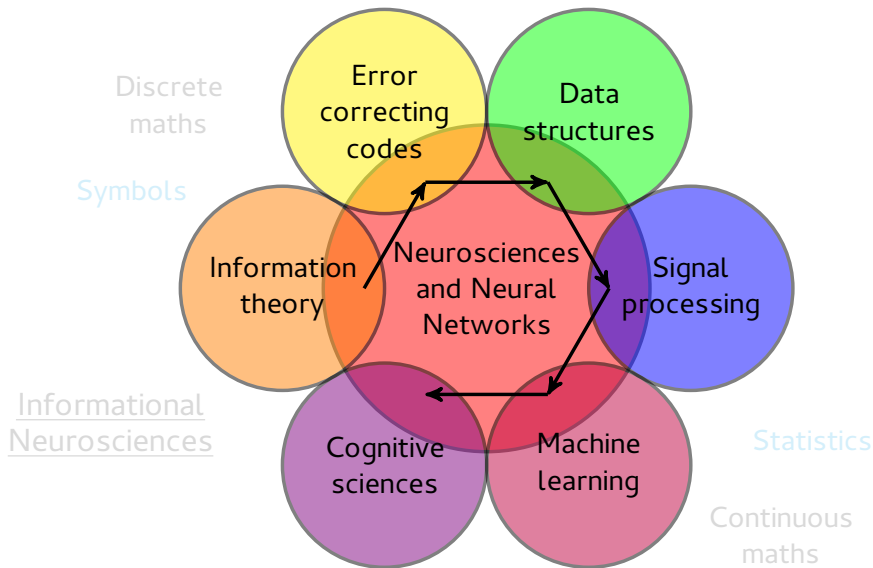
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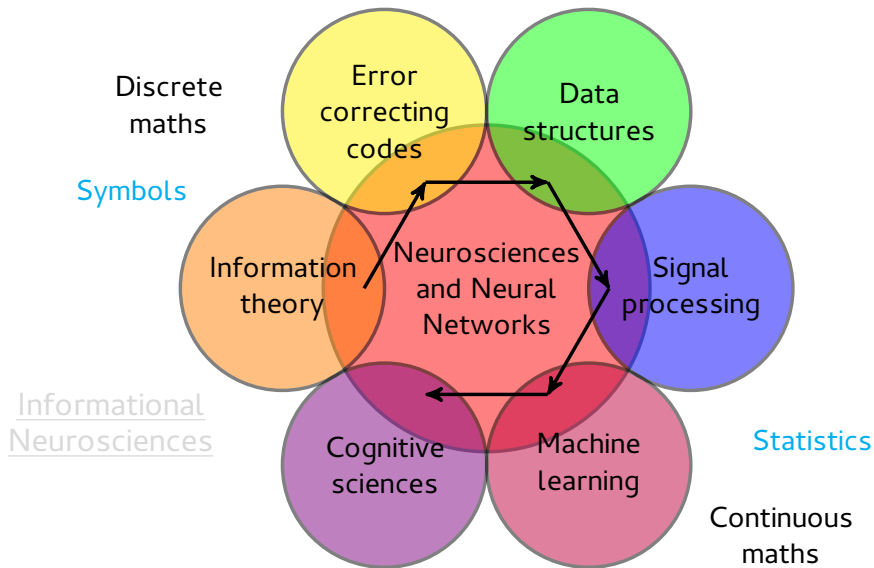
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