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Analyze by Mimicking the Brain



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Neuromimetic Systems

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Silicon Neuronal Networks

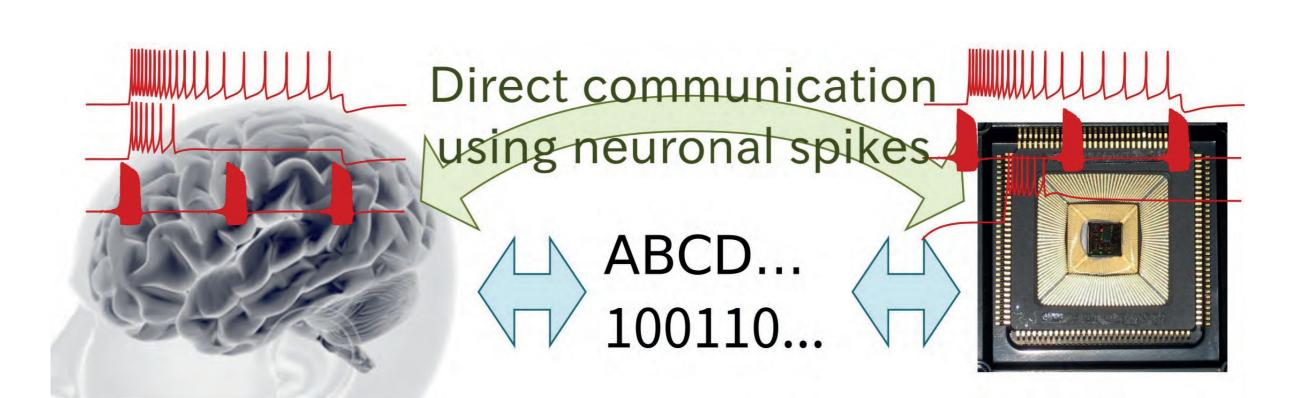
Electronic circuit copies the nervous system —

Silicon neuronal network is the electronic circuit composed of electronic circuit versions of neuronal cells and synapses. It reproduces electro-physiological activities in the nervous system in real-time or faster.

Final goal is to realize "Brain-compatible AI"

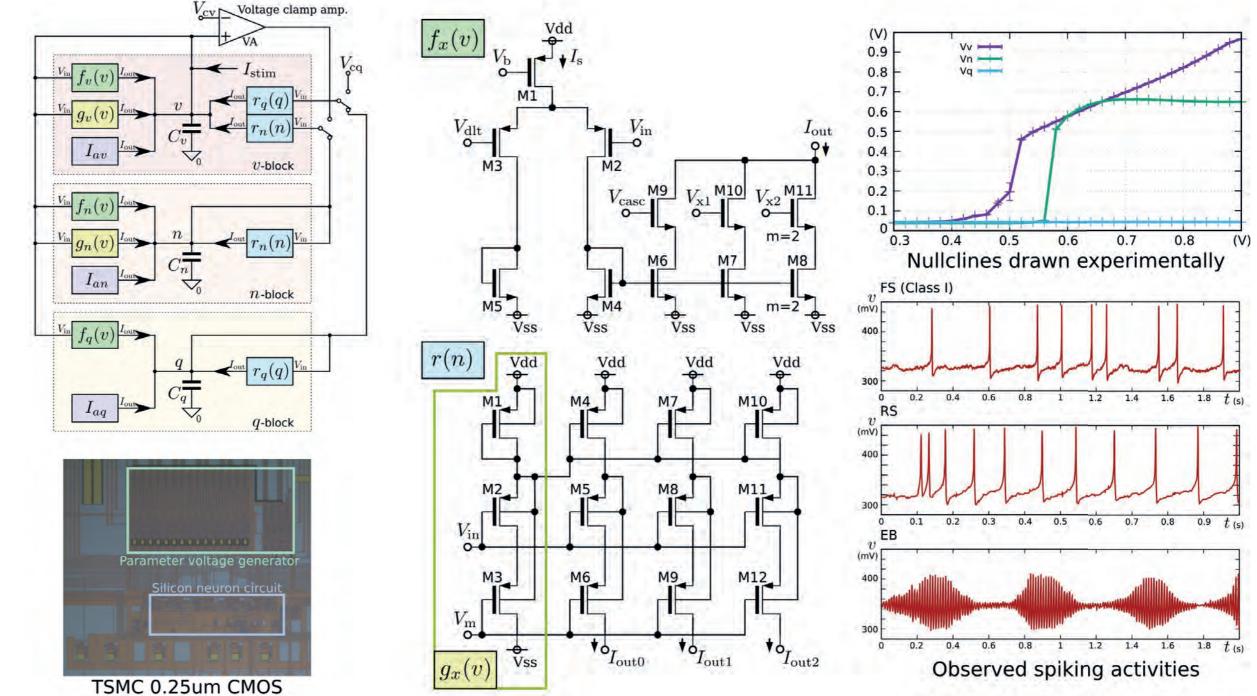
Features compared to current AI:

- Capable of direct communication with the brain without using symbols or languages.
- Efficient processing of non-linguistic information such as sensations and sense.
- Efficient learning with small amount of data similarly to the brain.
- Applicable to neuro-prosthesis devices



Analog neuromimetic circuits designed by the theory of nonlinear mathematics

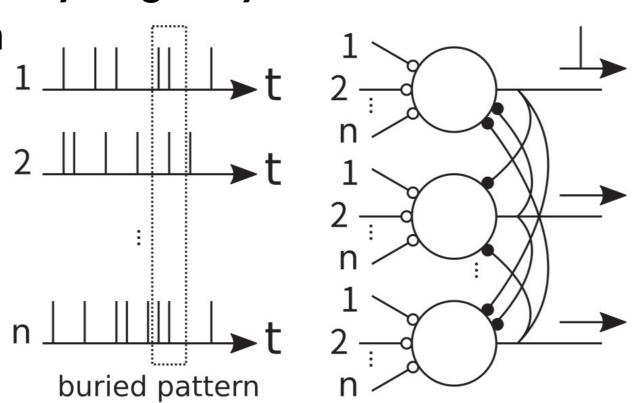
- Ultralow-power
- 7nW / neuron
- 2pW / synapse
- 0.25μm CMOS process
- Power supply voltage 1V
- Supports important brain cells
 7 types of cells including:
 Regular Spiking cells
 Fast Spiking cells
 Elliptic Bursting cells



Towards reproduction of information processing in the brain

• Biologically realistic models that differ from current AI models such as deep learning.

Masquelier's spatio-temporal pattern detection from noisy spike trains by single layer network with lateral inhibition



Insect olfactory network on low-power silicon Neuronal network

