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From Hopfield Models to the Neural Networks Toolbox:
Implementing Neural Networks in Matlab and
Applications in Biomedical Research

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Outline

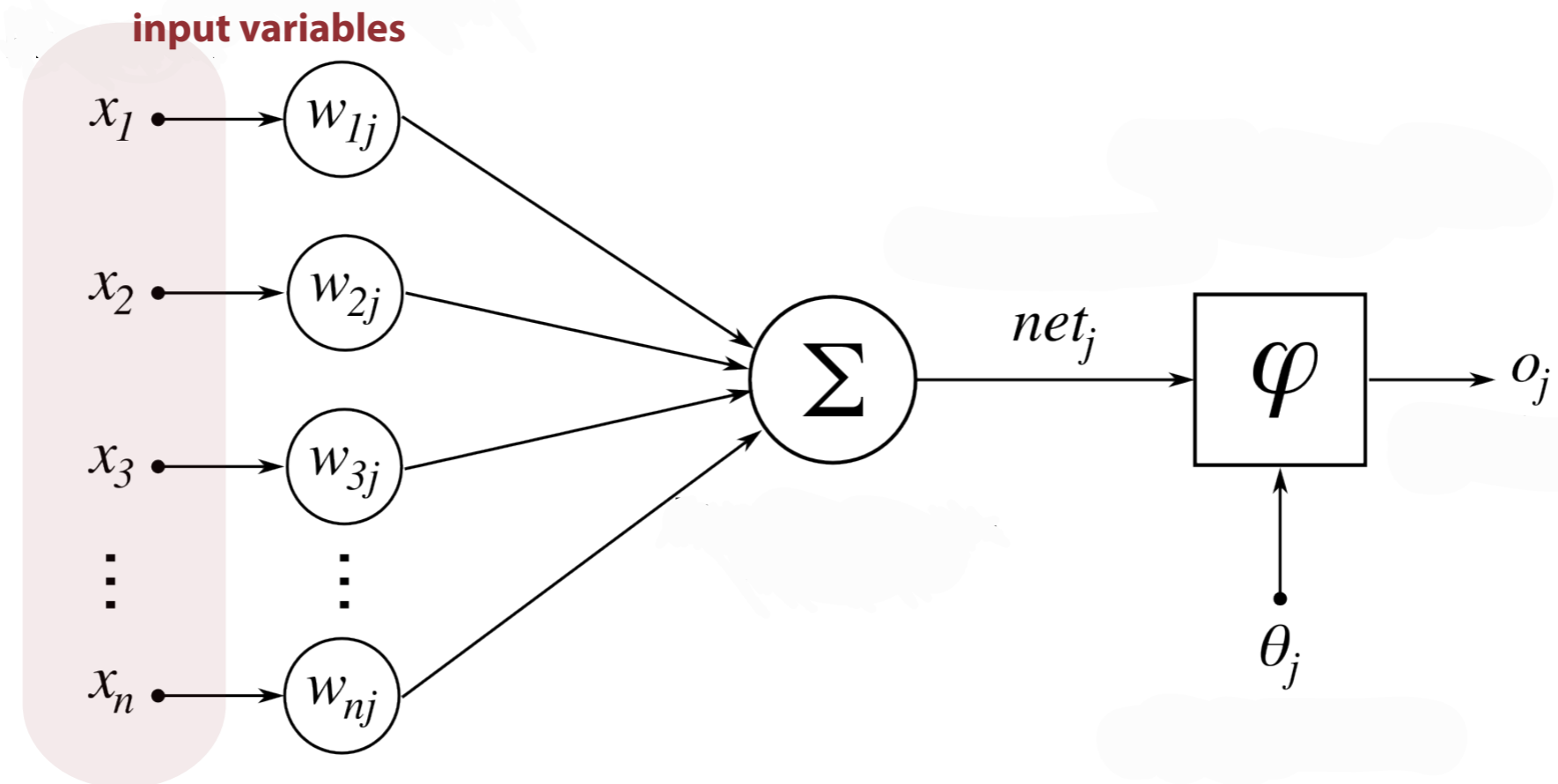
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Introduction: Neural Networks

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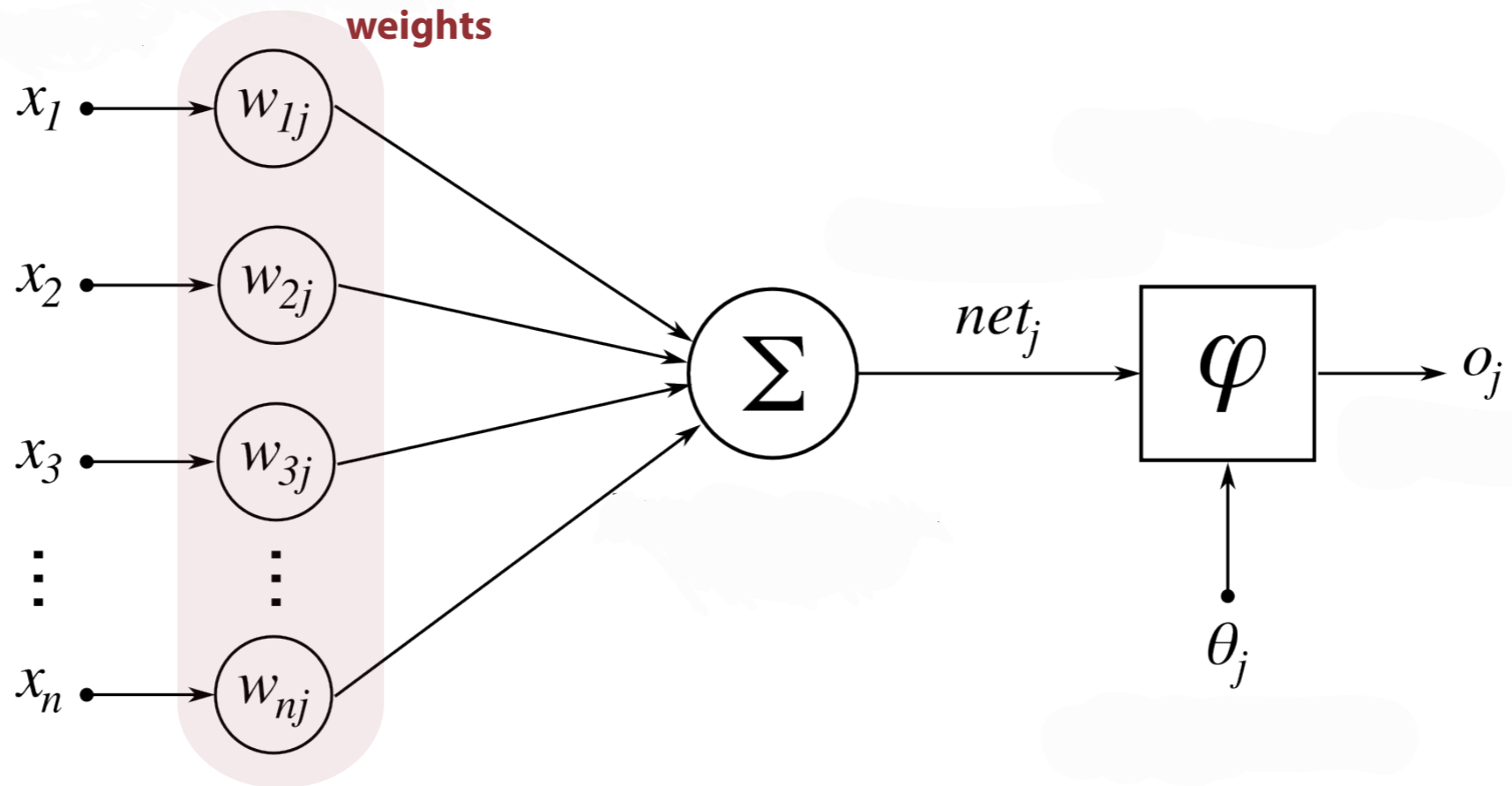
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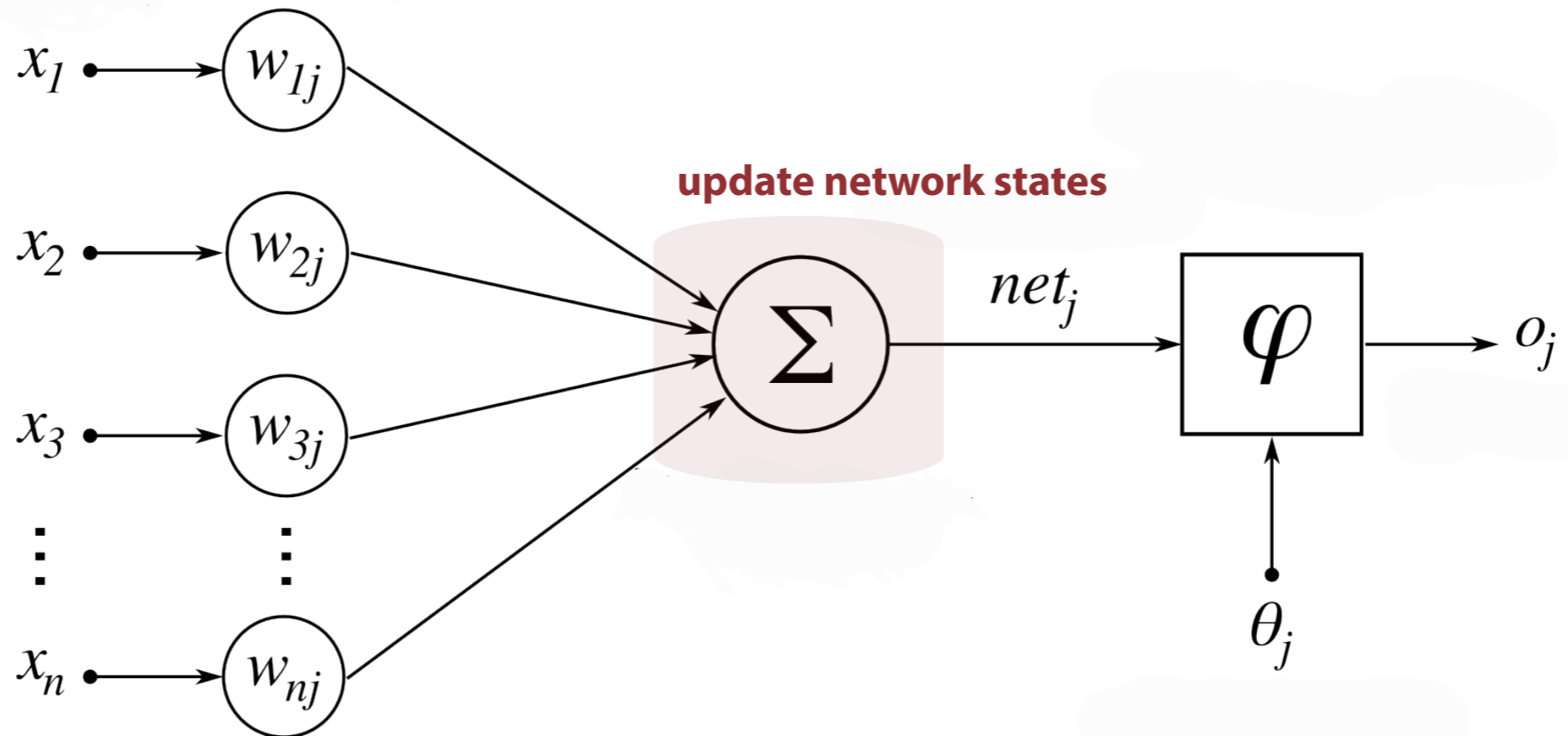
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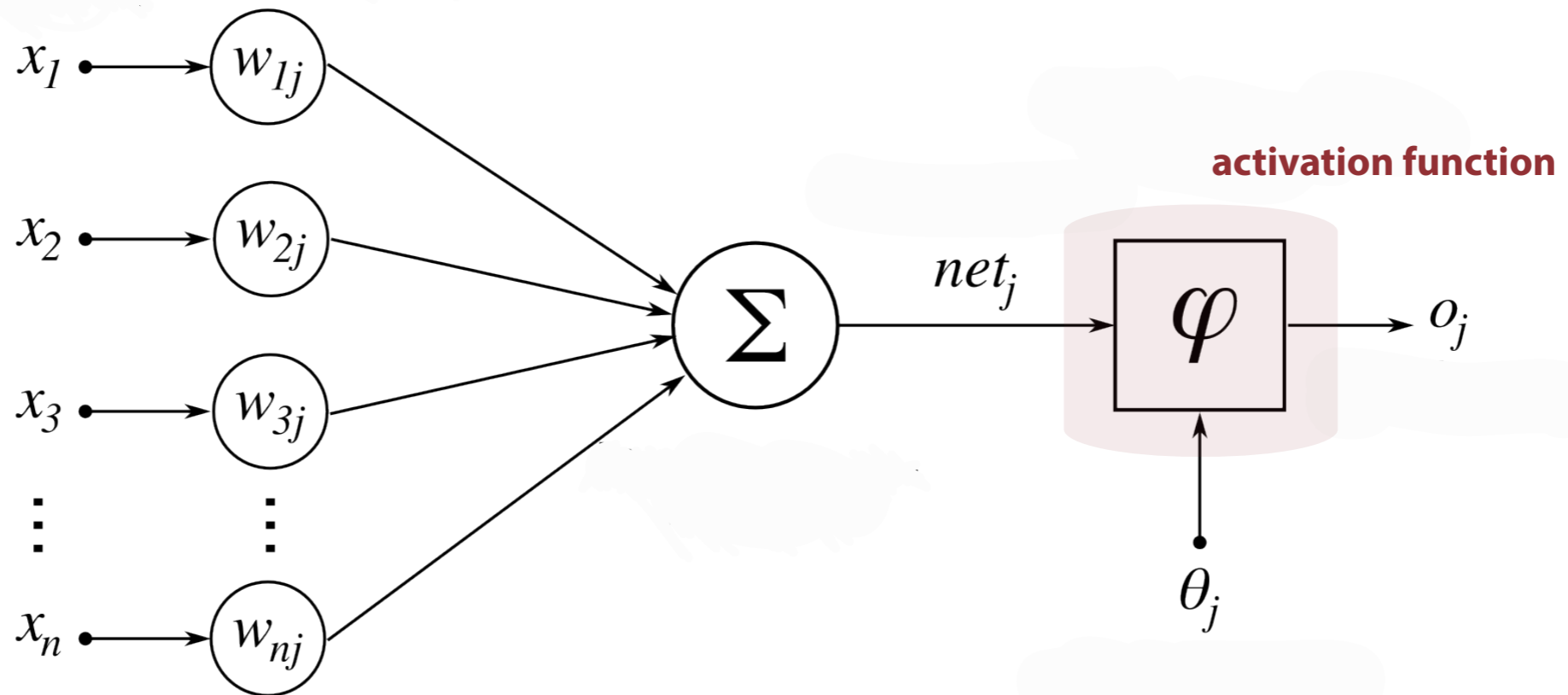
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Matlab's Neural Networks Toolbox

Neural Networks Toolbox

Network Architectures

Supervised

Feedforward Networks

- Perceptrons
- Backpropagation
- Nonlinear Feedforward
- * Prediction
- * Pattern Recognition
- * Fitting nonlinear functions

Dynamic Networks

- Nonlinear Autoregression(NARX)
- Recurrent Feedback Models
- Hopfield Networks
- * Spatial-temporal Patterns
- * Learning & Control

Learning Vector Quantification (LVQ)

Classification of not linearly separable patterns

Unsupervised

Competitive Layers

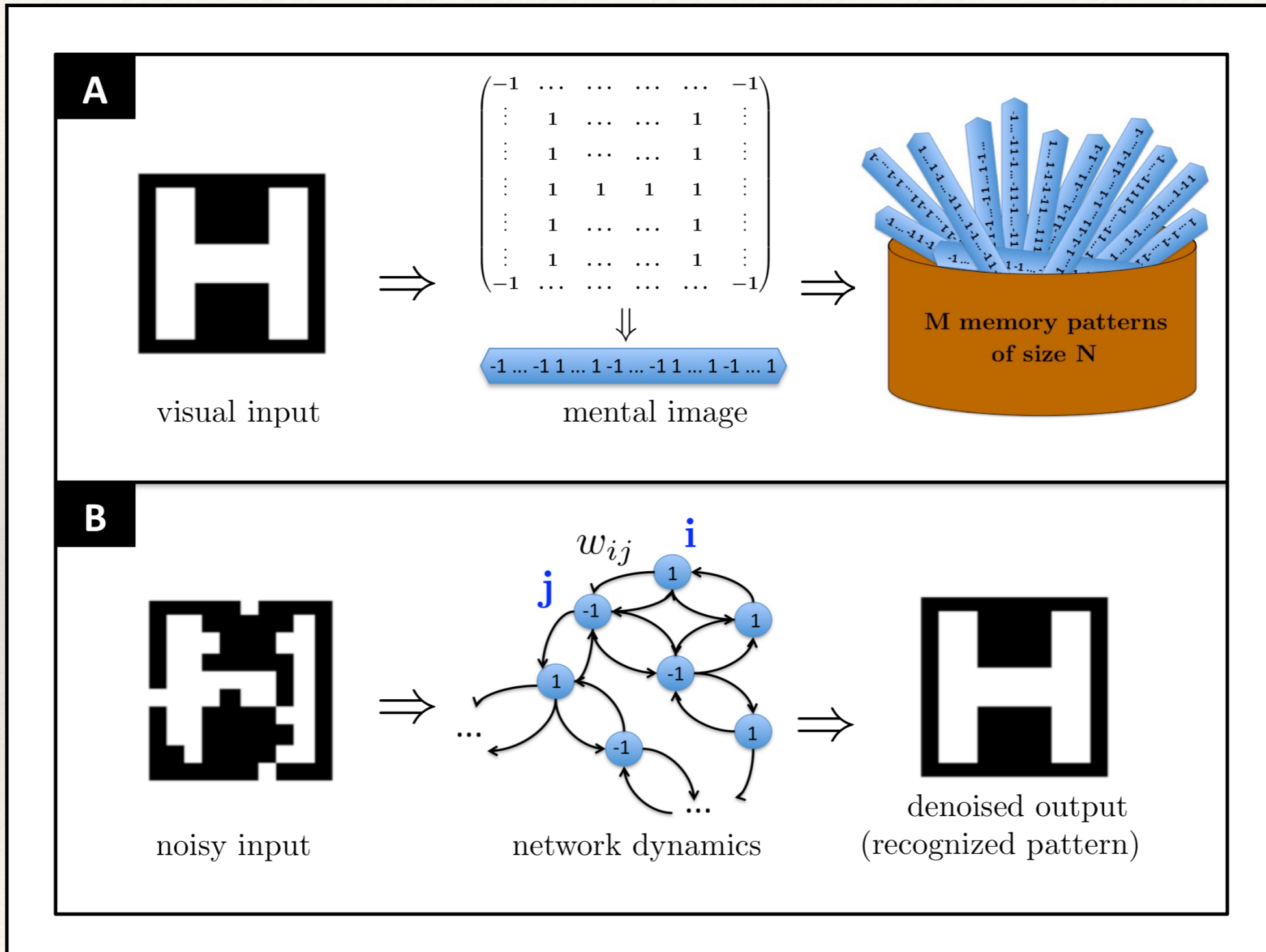
- Categorization
- * Classification tasks
 - * Pattern recognition

Self-organizing Maps

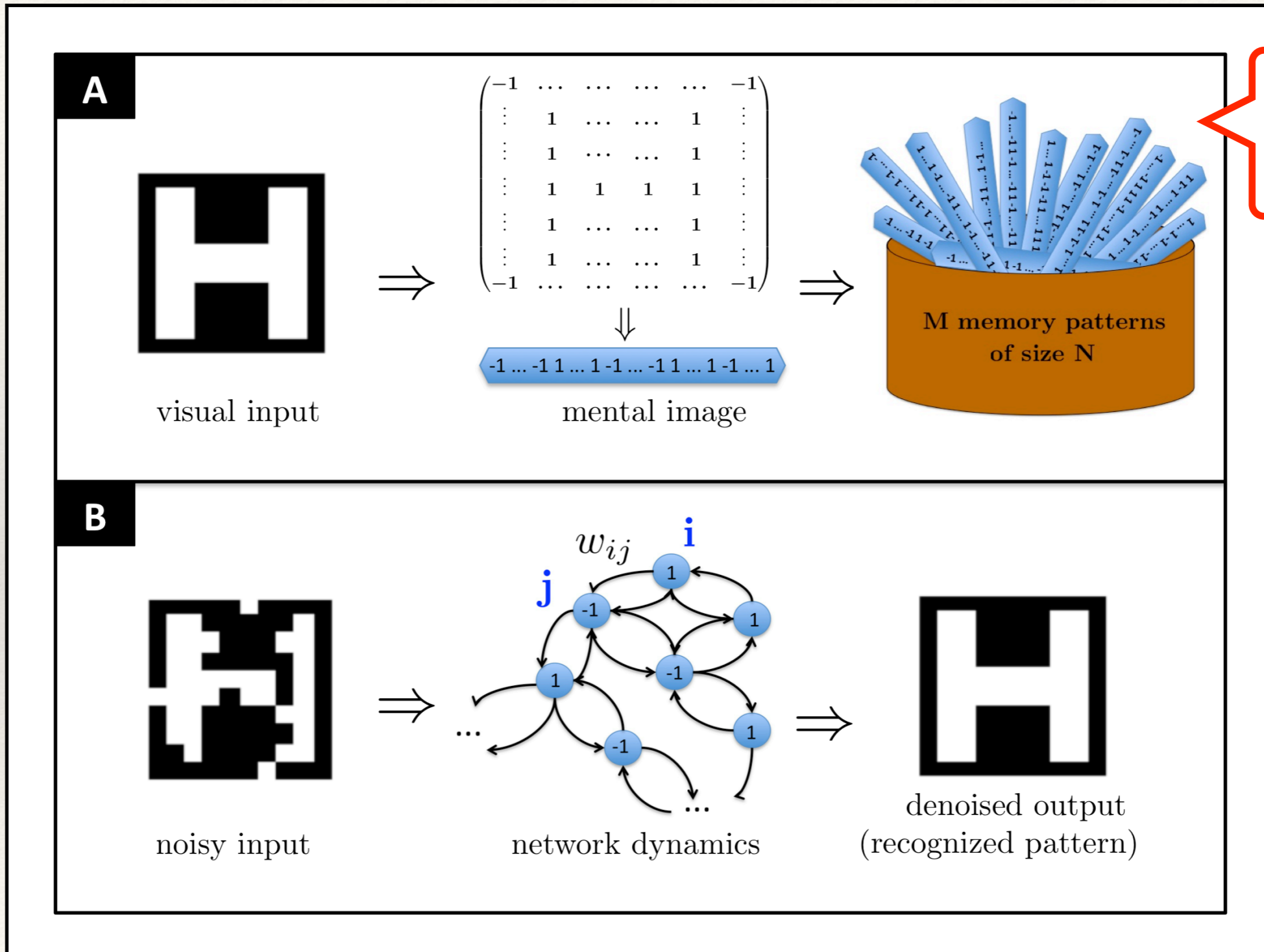
- topology-preserving categorization
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How to build a Neural Network from scratch

Hopfield Networks (Hebbian Learning)



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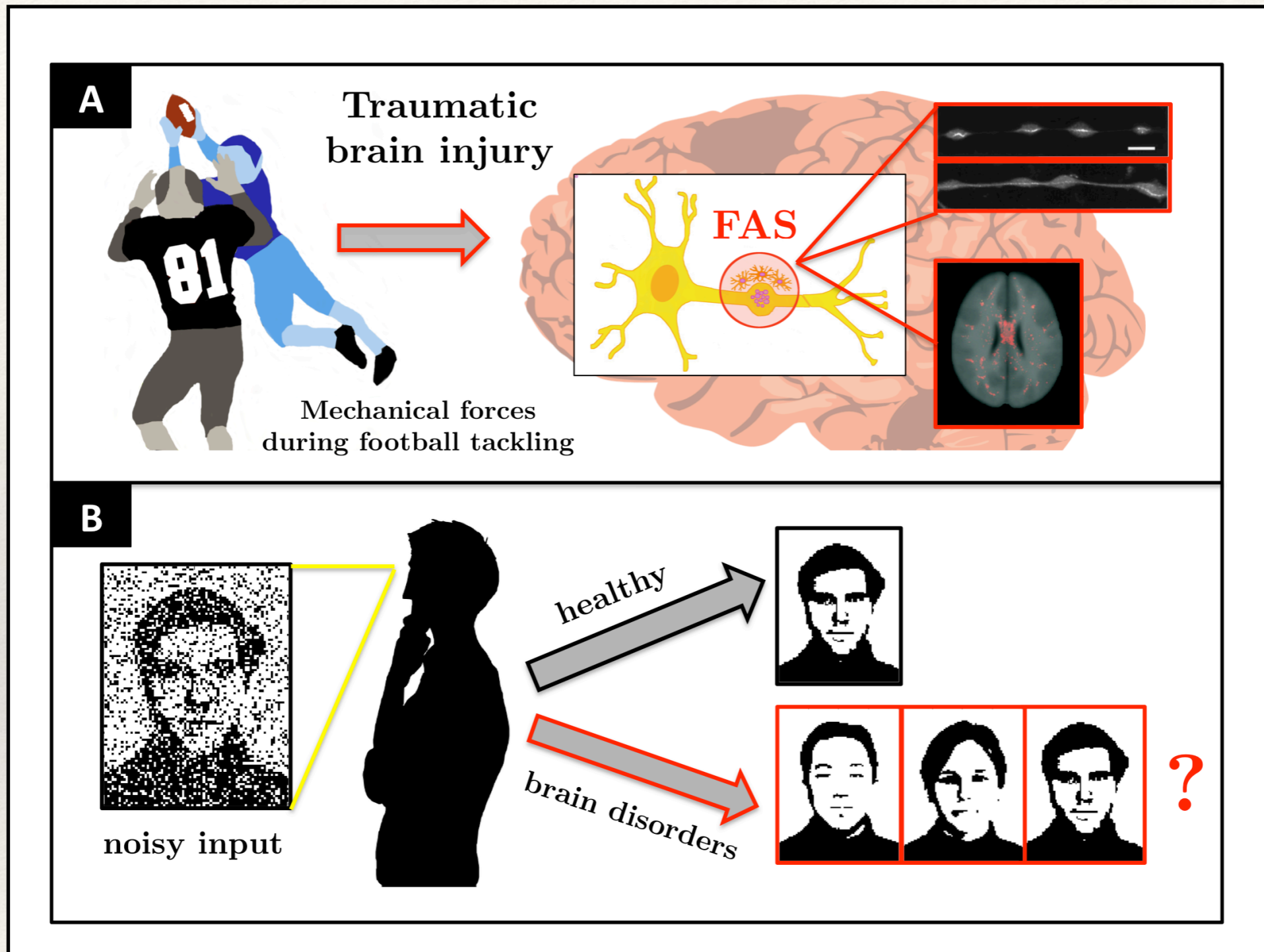


Matlab

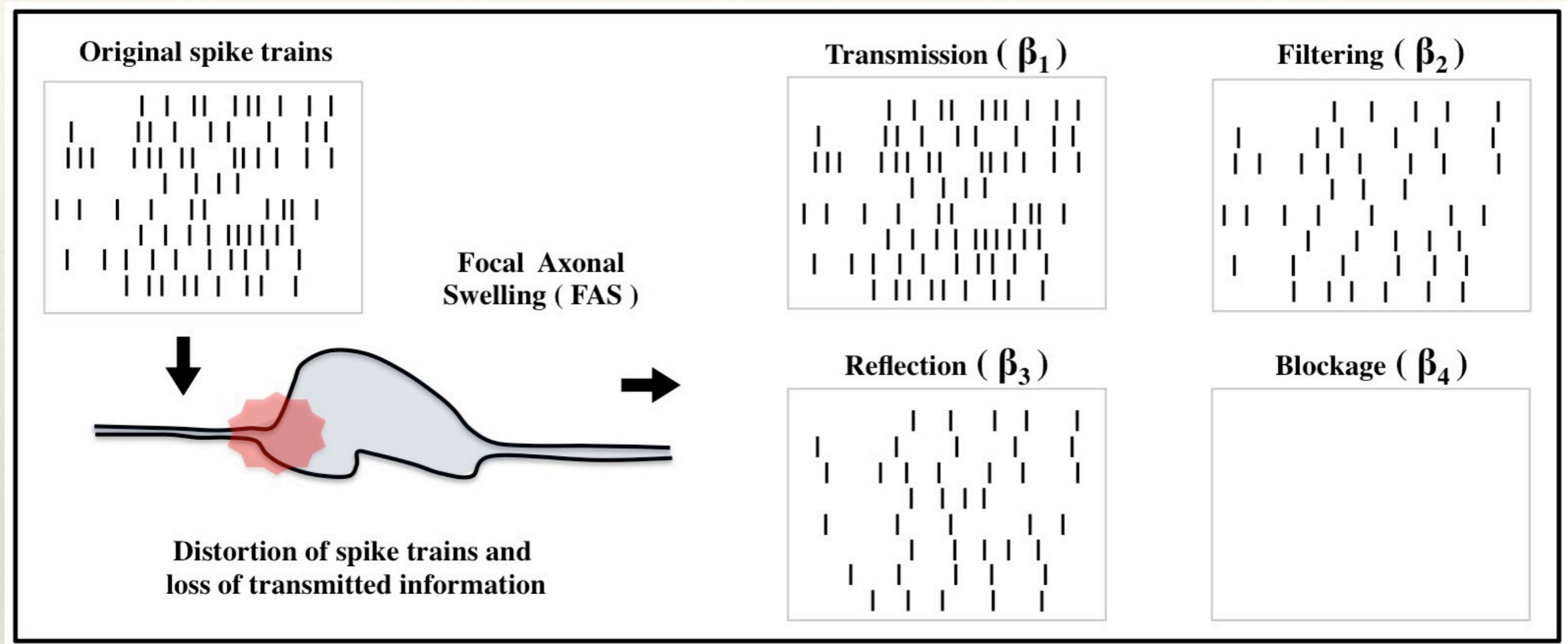
Biomedical Application

Modeling brain disorders with Hopfield Networks

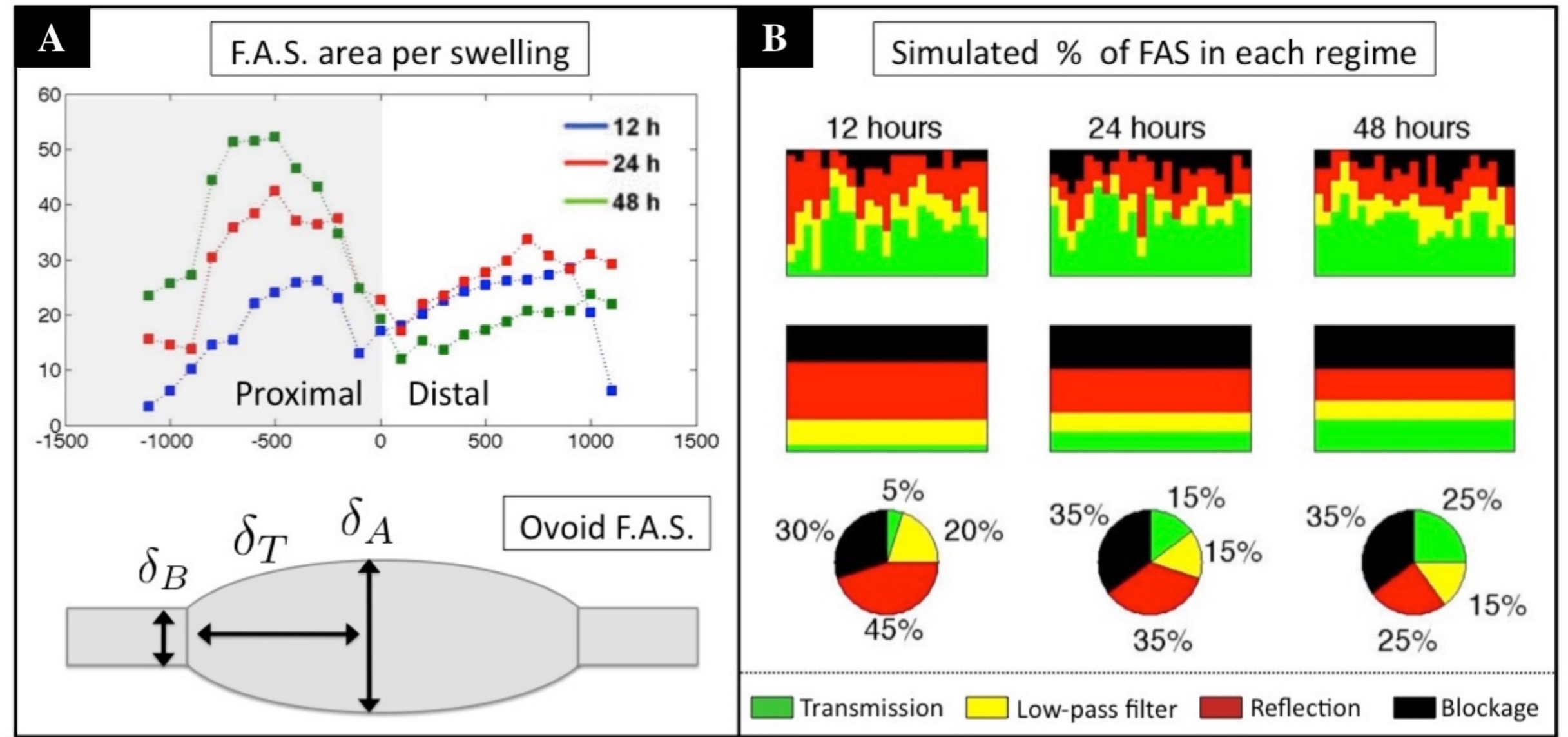
Focal Axonal Swellings as cause of Brain disorders



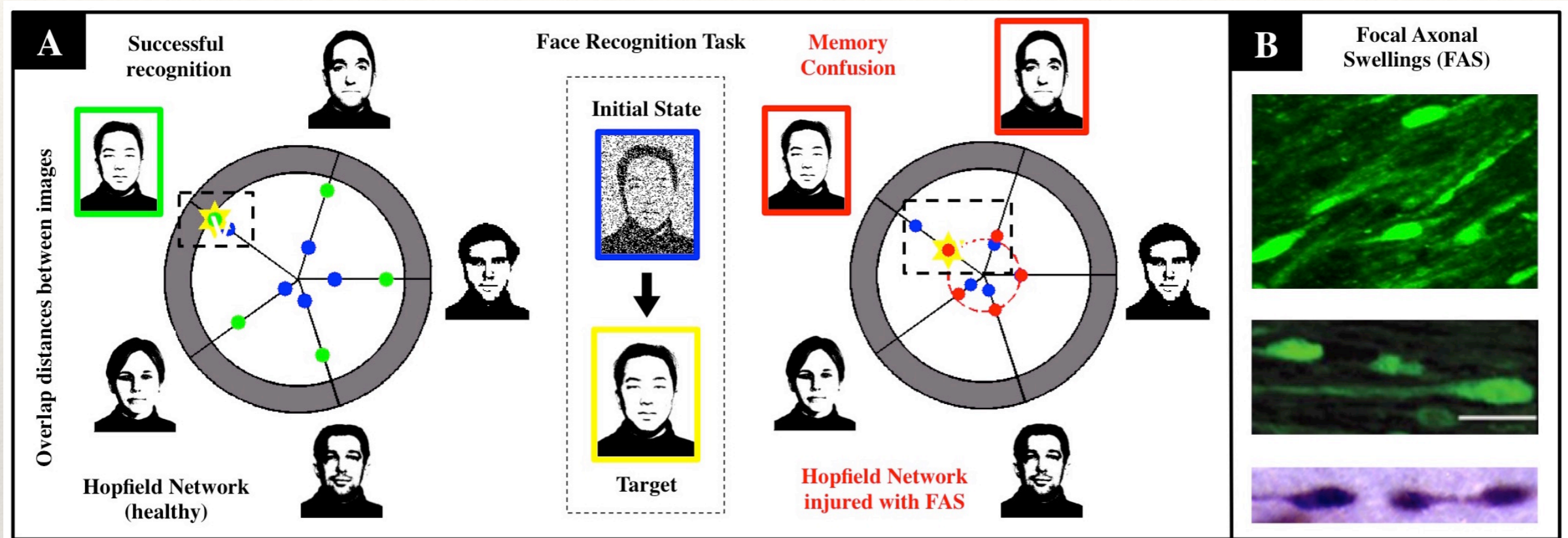
Modelling FAS



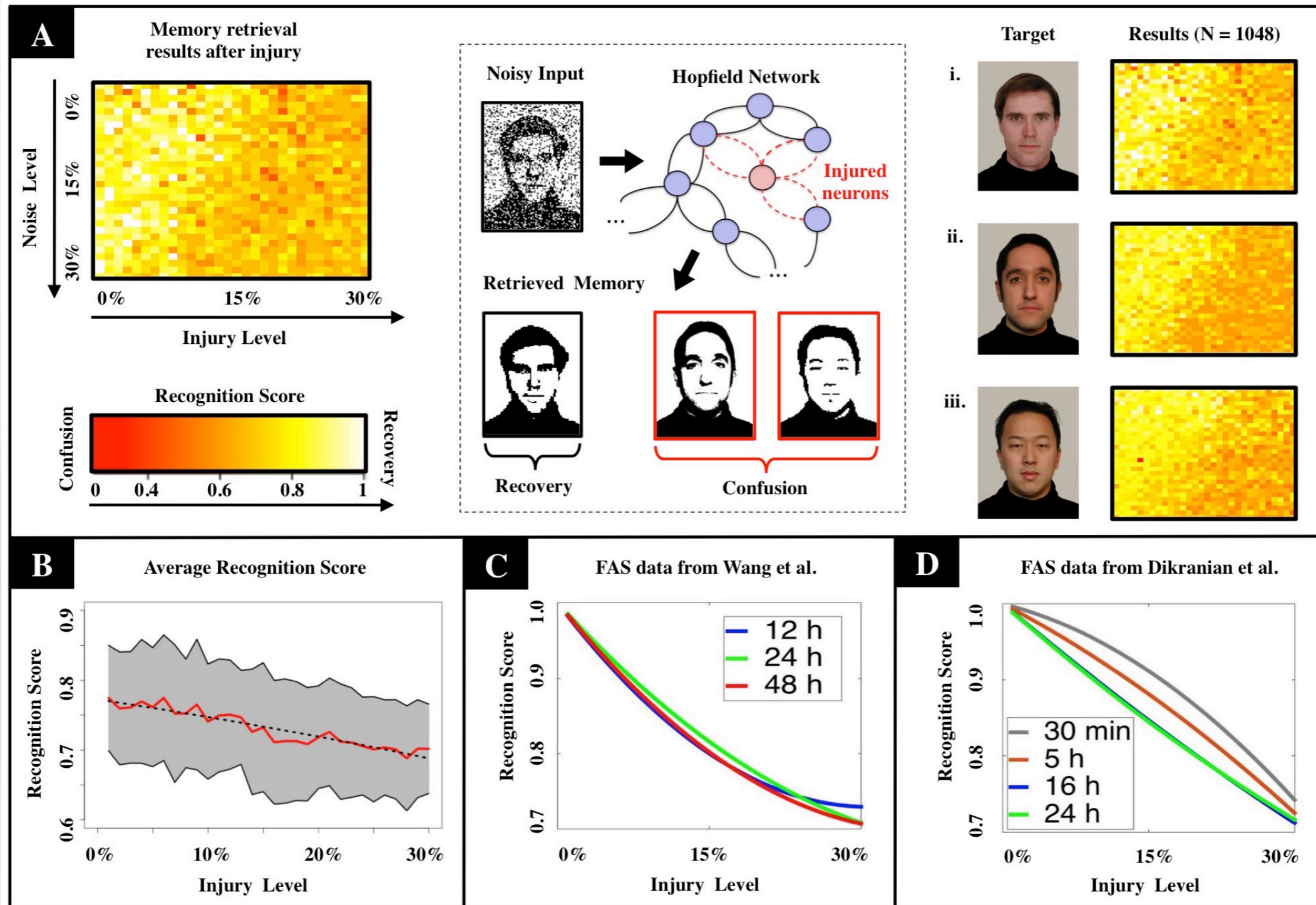
Distribution of FAS mechanisms



Implementation with Hopfield Networks



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