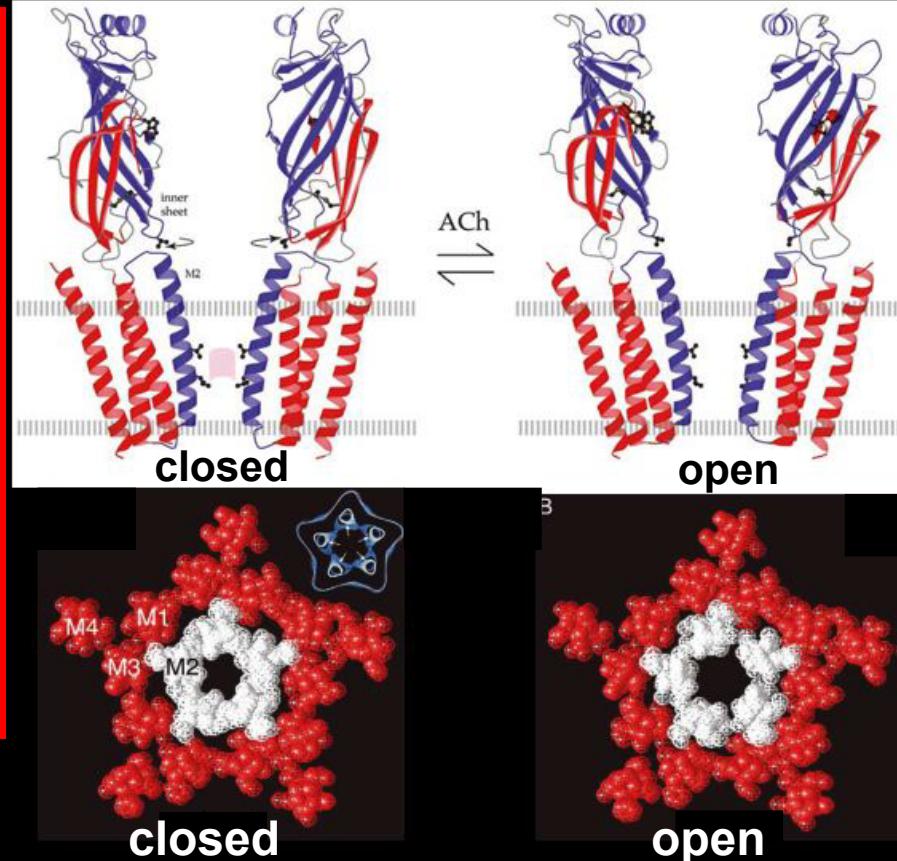


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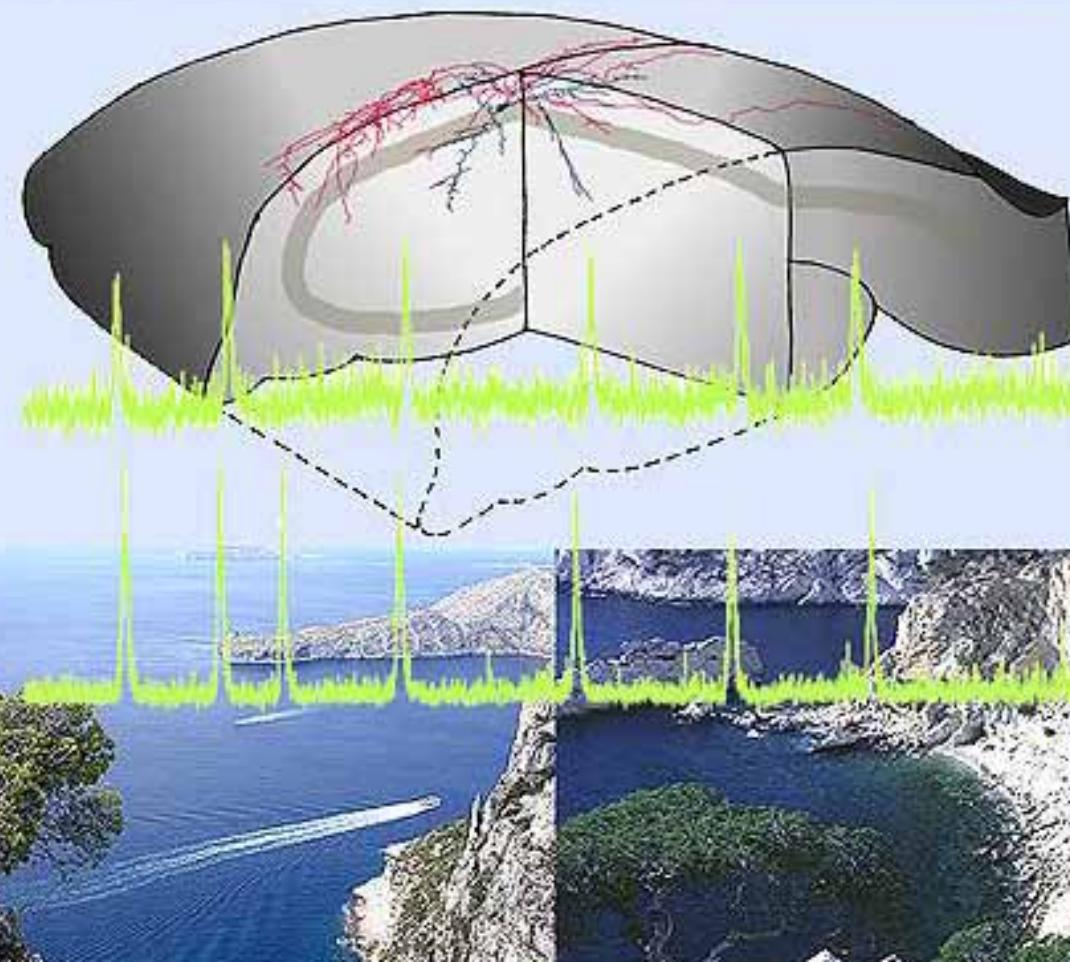


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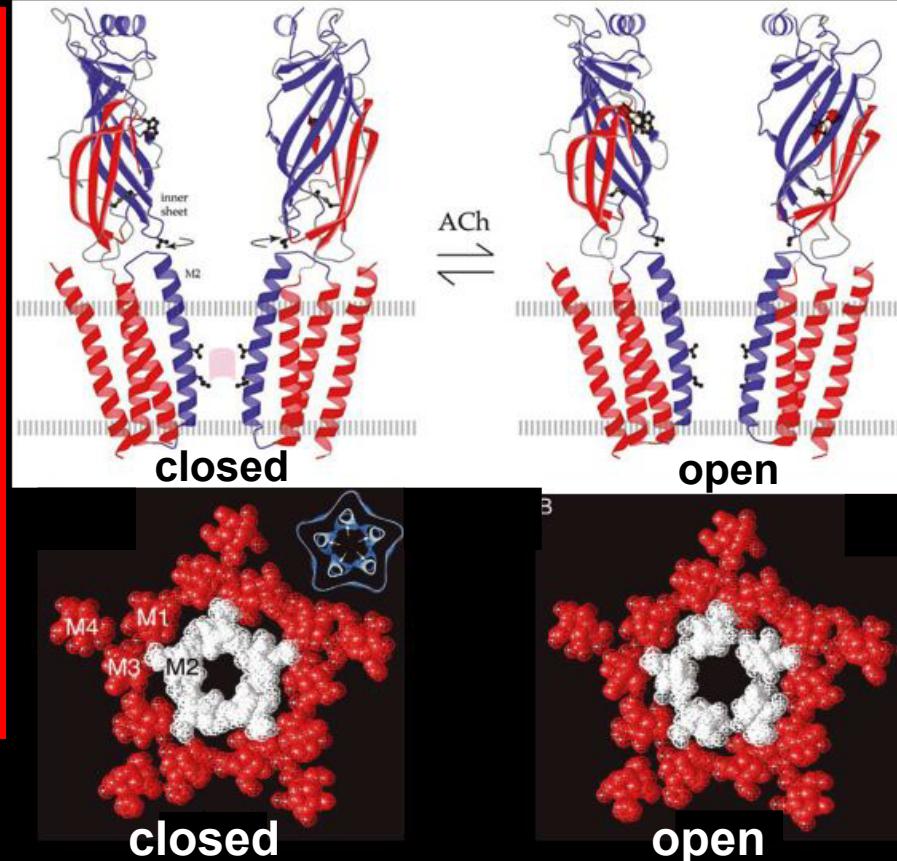


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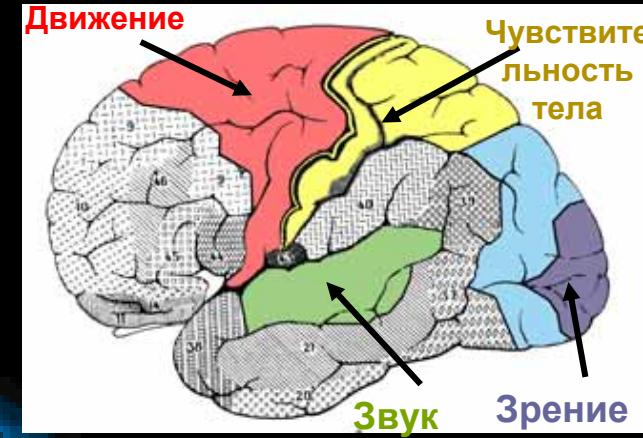
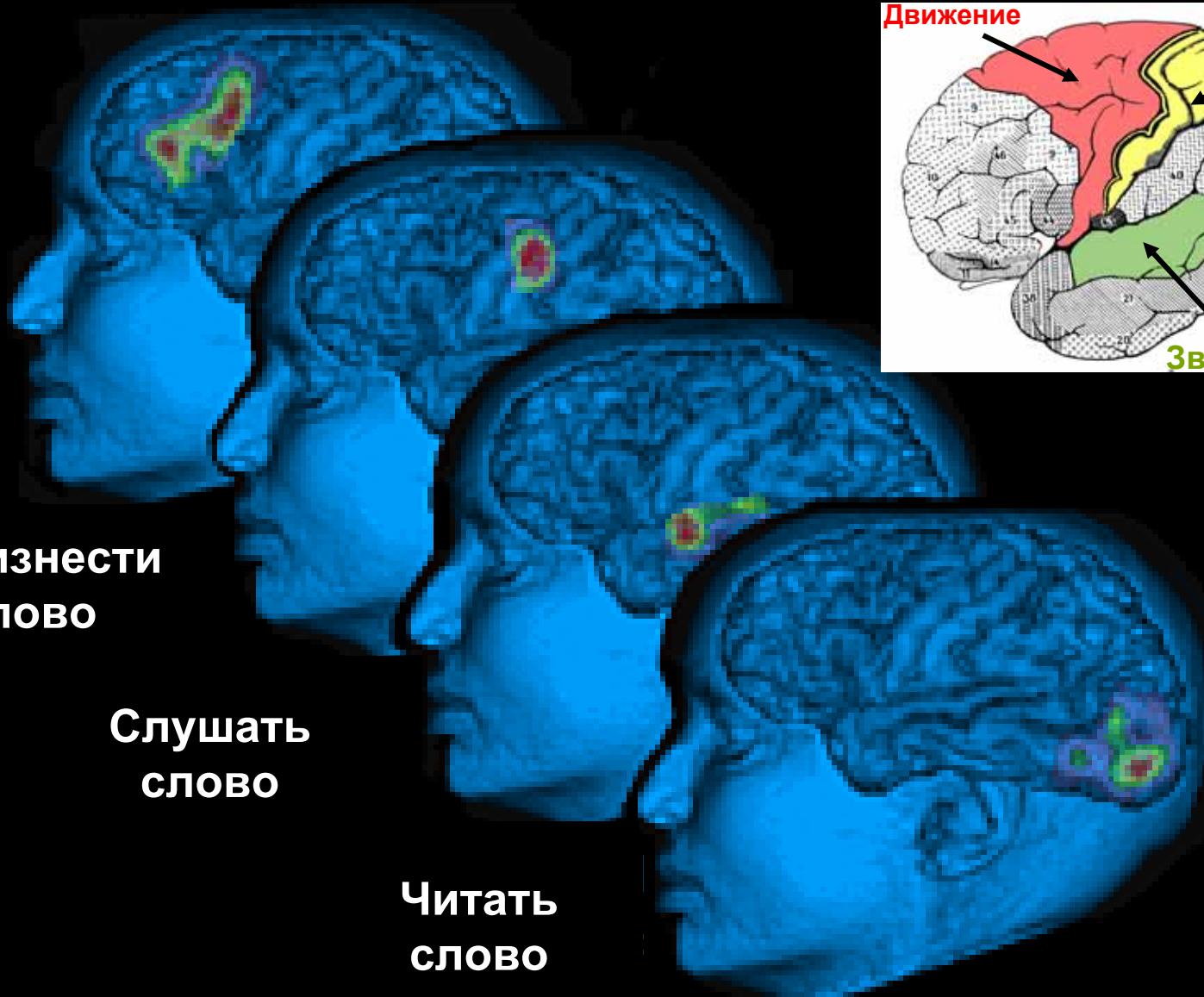
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Визуализация мозга: Позитронная эмиссионная томография



ОРГАНЫ ЧУВСТВ: Общие правила



чувства



зрение



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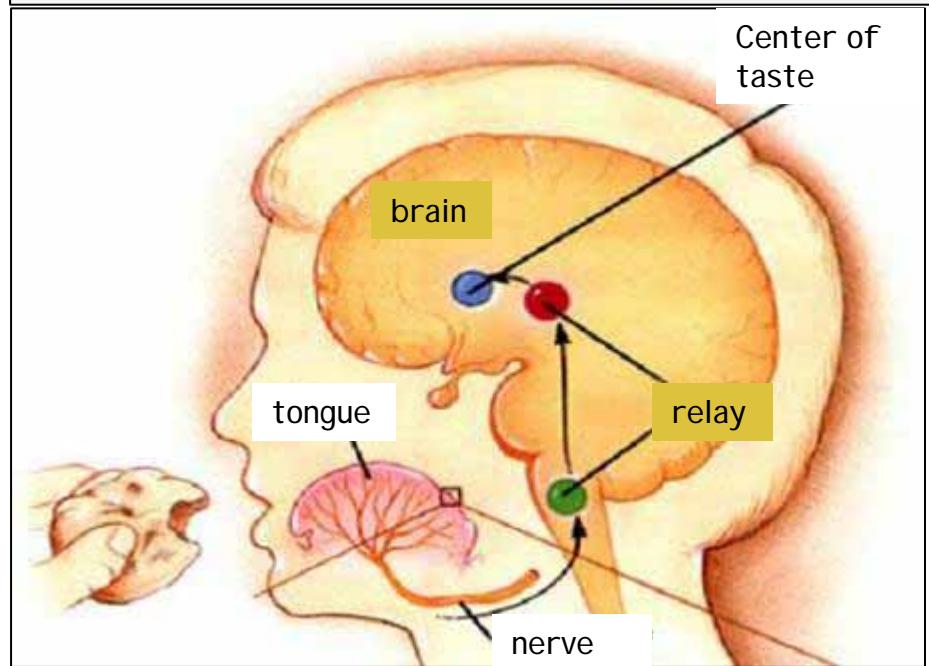
Сигнал:
Свет
Звук
Запах...



Орган:
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Нос...

Трансформация
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Интеграция и обработка
информации



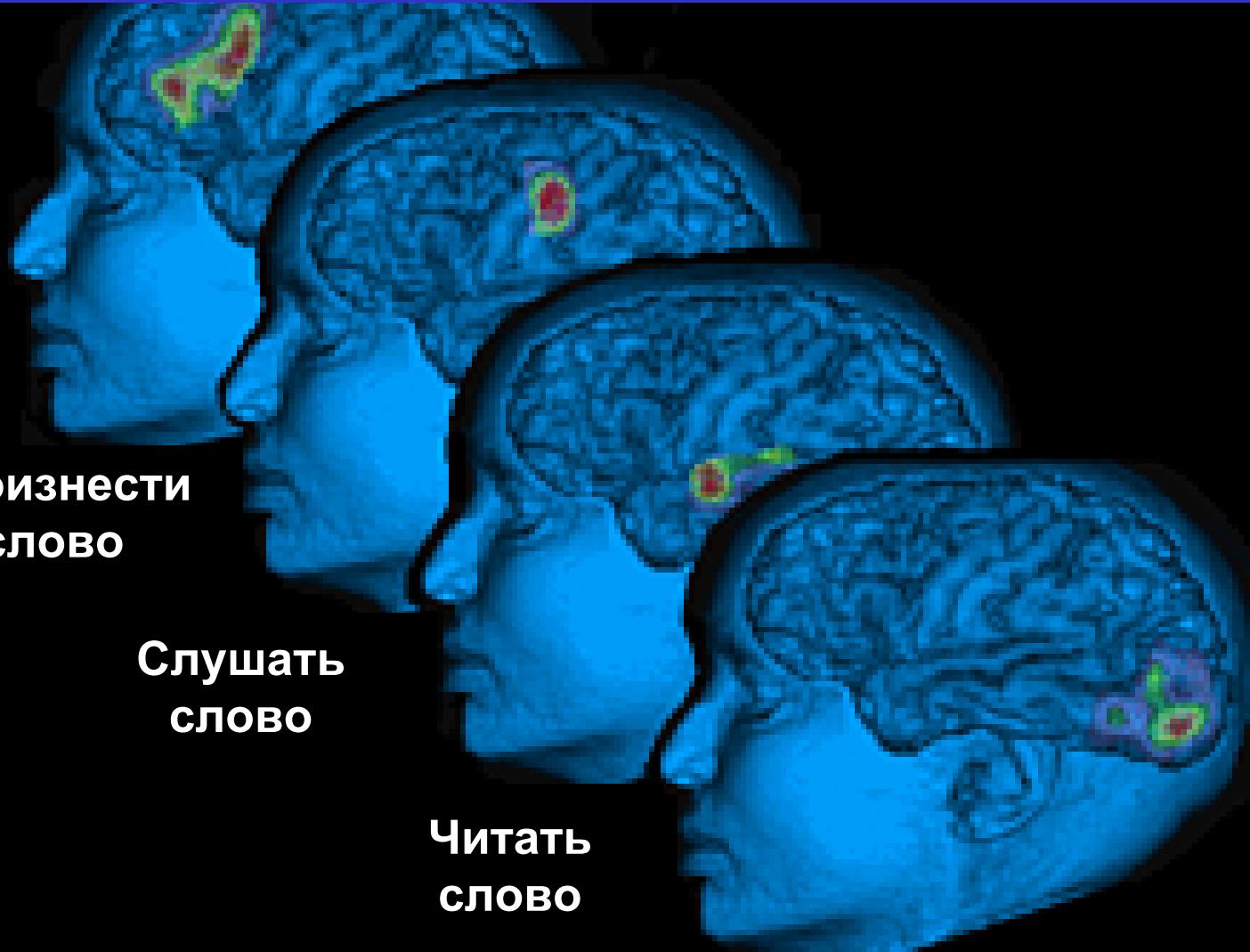
Биологические организмы - "молекулярные машины", способные превращать световые, звуковые, химические, механические и др. внешние сигналы в электрические.

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слово

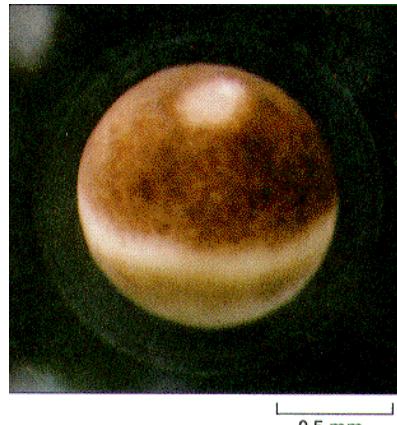
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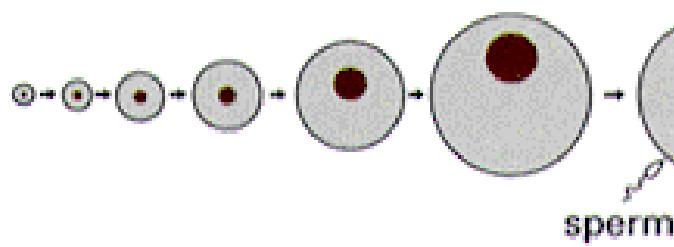
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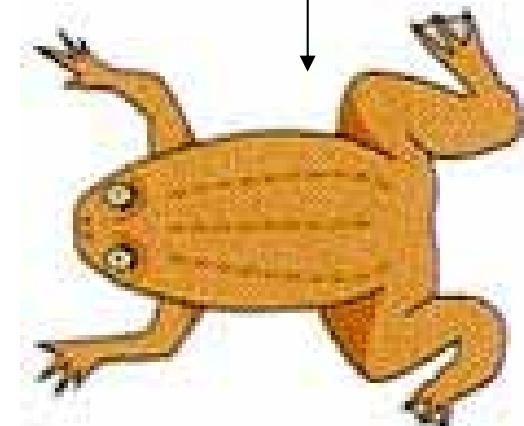
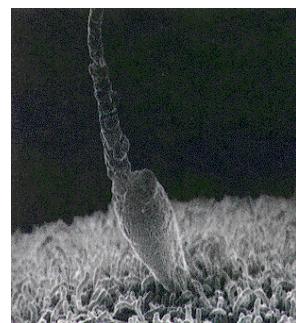
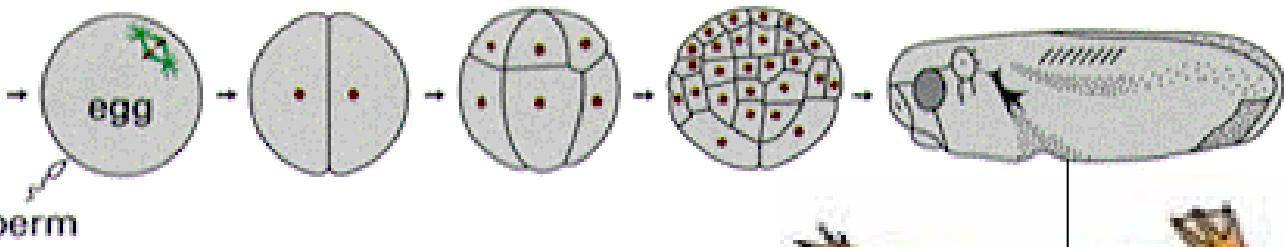
Основные стадии развития



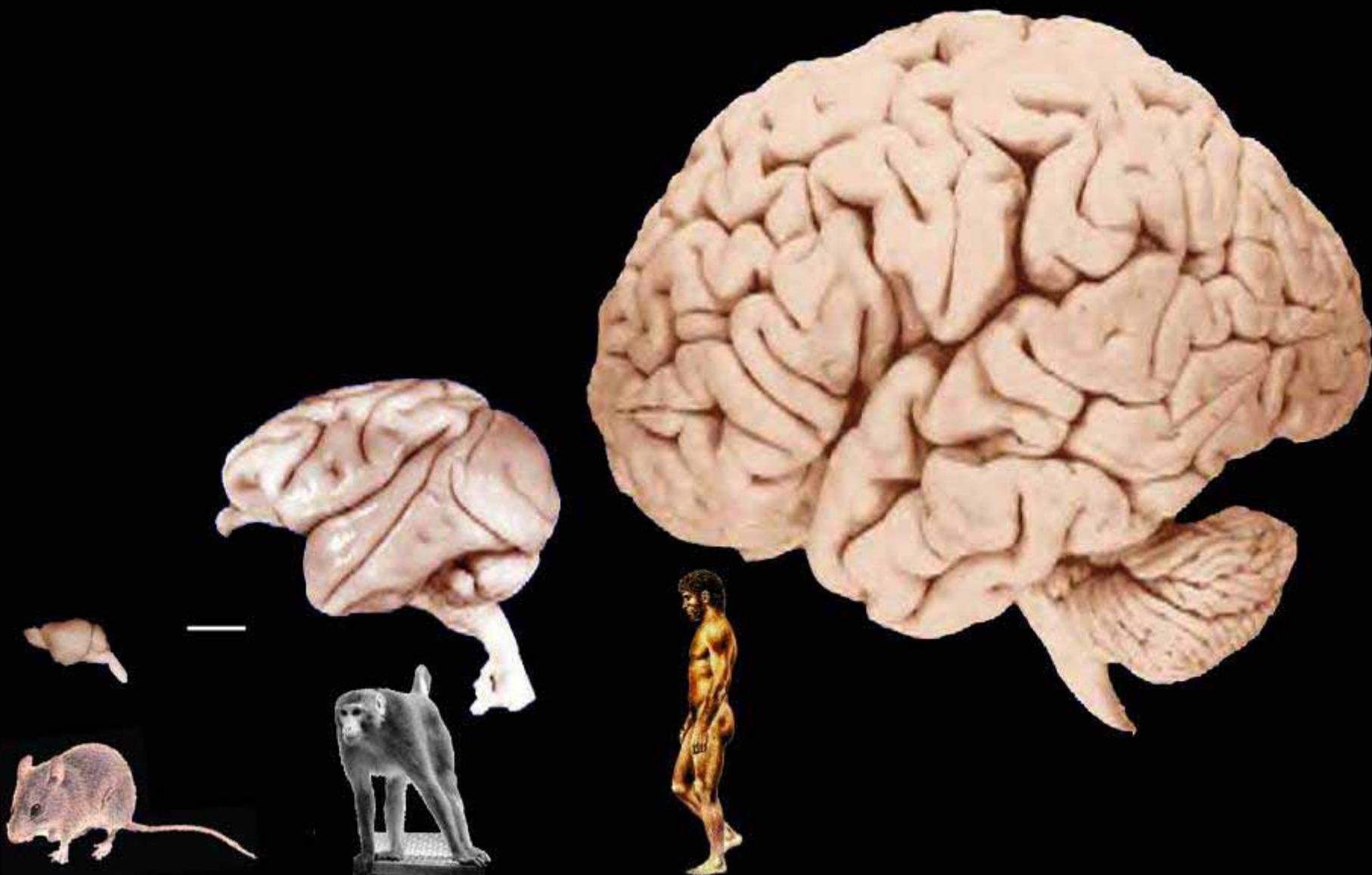
oocyte grows without dividing
(months)



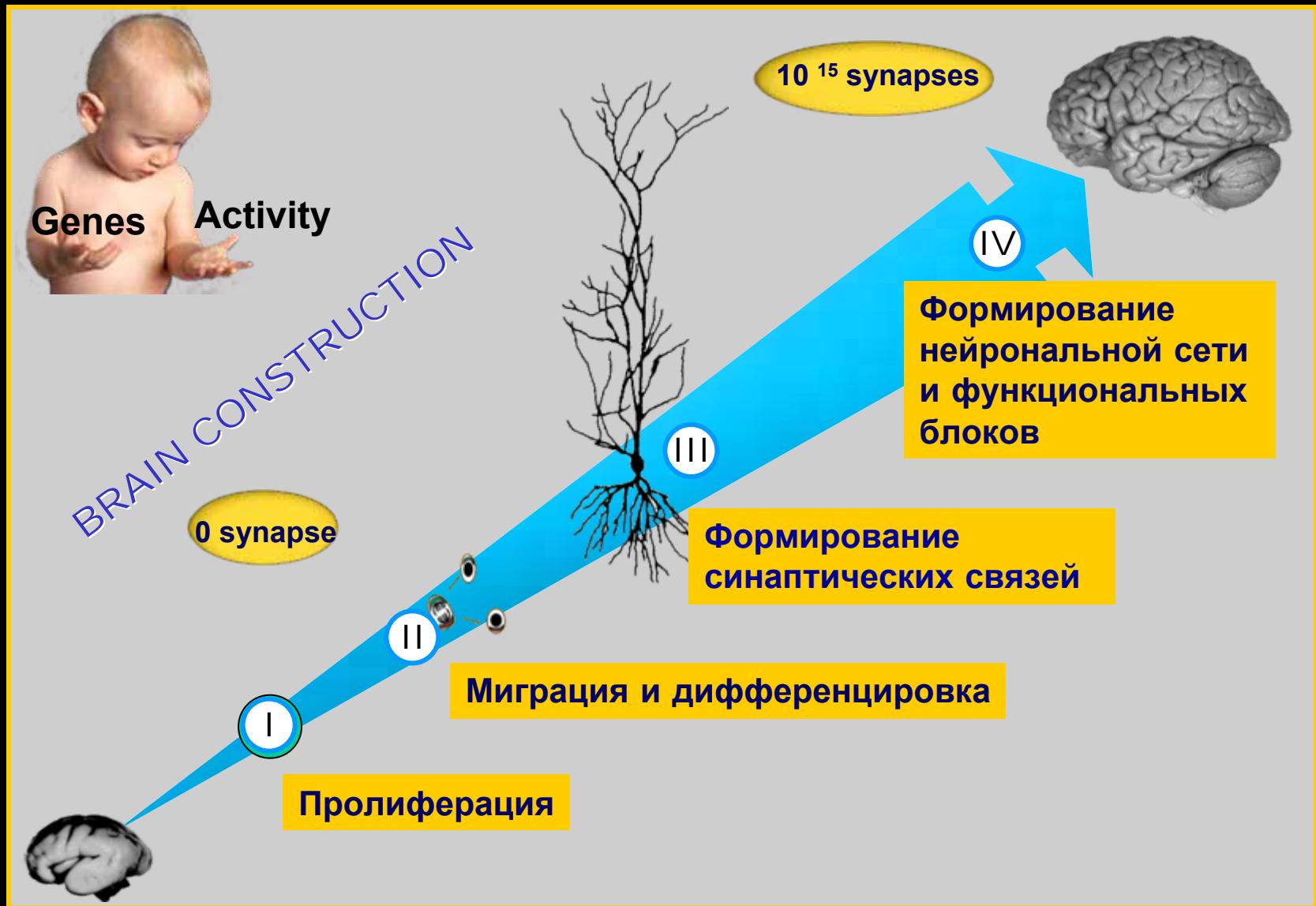
fertilized egg divides without growing
(hours)



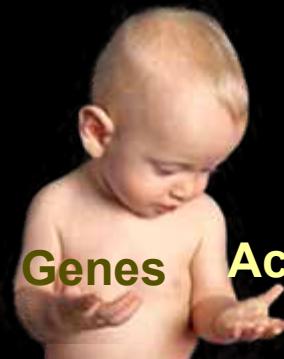
Относительные размеры мозга млекопитающих



Основные этапы развития мозга

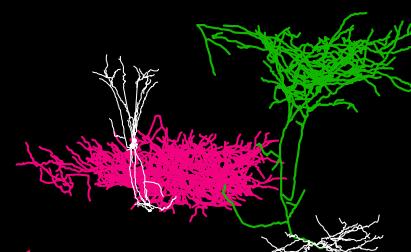
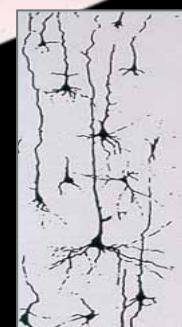
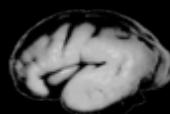


Основные этапы развития мозга и формирование нейрональной сети

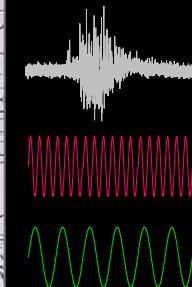
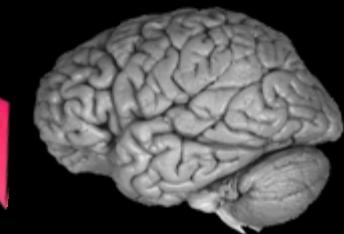


Микросети:
локальные
взаимодействия

0 synapse



10^{15} synapses



Сложные осцилляции нейрональных сетей

Ранние осцилляции нейрональных сетей

Этапы развития коры

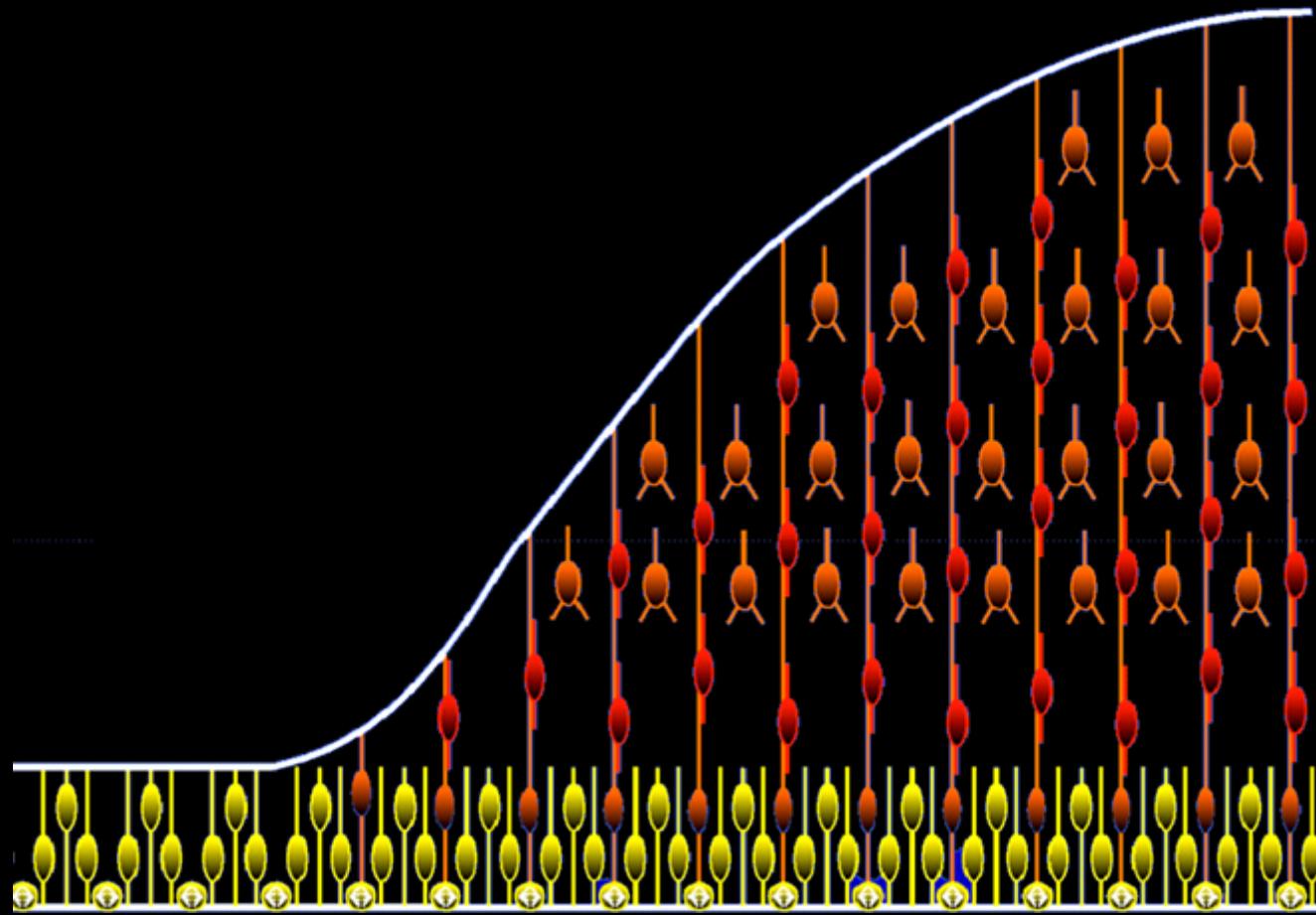
Пролиферация
клеток



Дифференцировка и
миграция

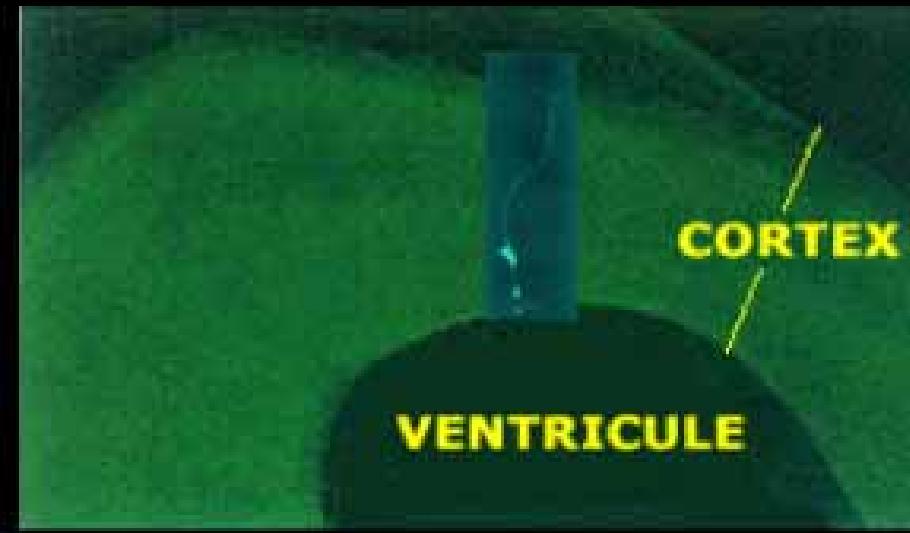
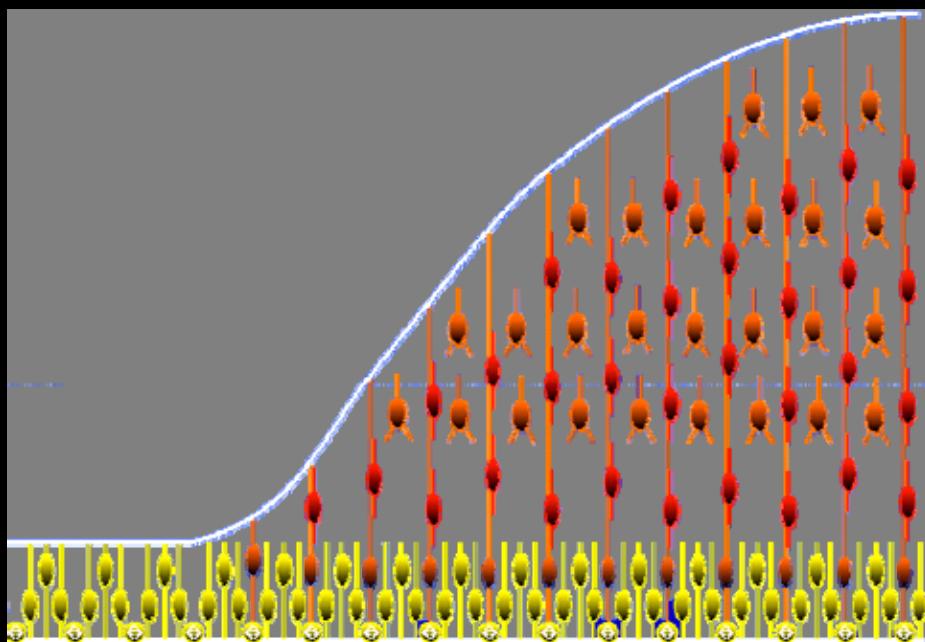


Конечная
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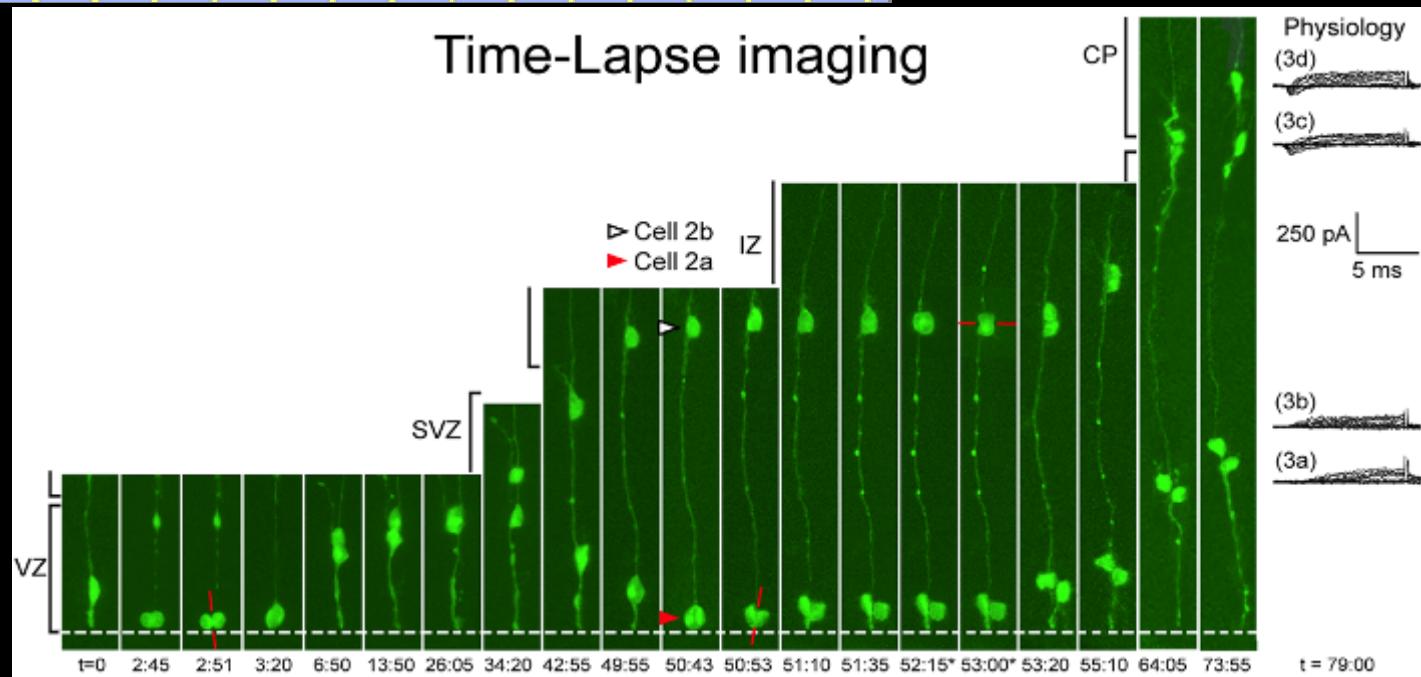


Этапы развития коры

Kriegstein et al.



Time-Lapse imaging



Гены, нейроны и синапсы

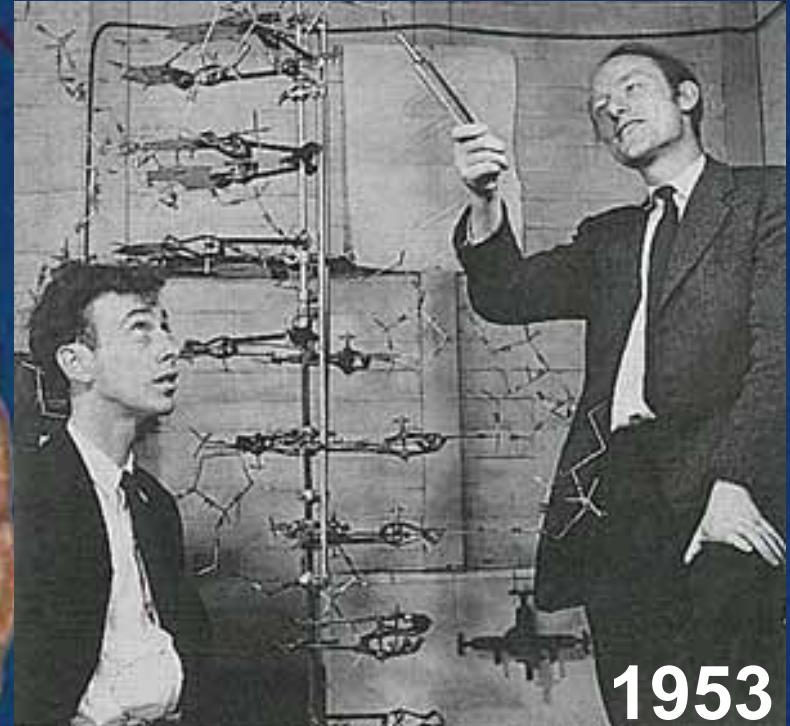
Species	Nb genes	Nb neurones	Nb synapses
 <i>C. elegans</i>	20 000	302	
 <i>Drosophila</i>	12 000	205 000	
 <i>Mus musculus</i>	33 000	100 000 000	1.2×10^{11}
 <i>Macacus mulatus</i>	30000	10 000 000 000	1.2×10^{13}
 <i>Homo sapiens</i>	30 000	100 000 000 000	1.2×10^{15}

To calculate 10^{11} (100 billion) seconds: more than 3000 years (3168 years).

10^{13} - > 3 million years;

10^{15} - > 300 million years

Физика



Биология

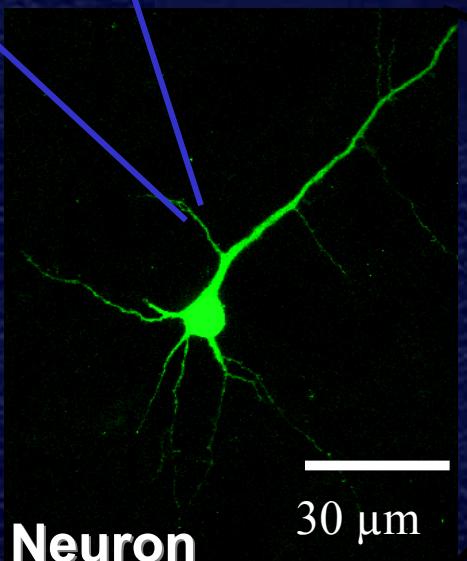
"Мозг - последняя и грандиознейшая биологическая вершина, наиболее глубокая тайна, которую нам еще предстоит разгадать "

James D. Watson "Discovering the Brain", 1992



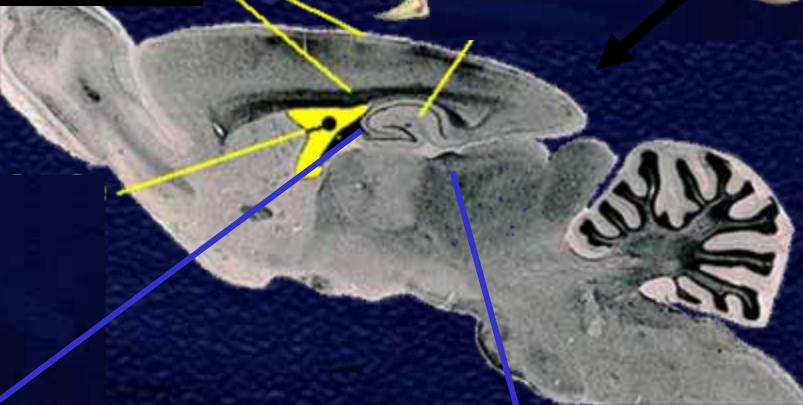
**Ion
channel**

**Dendrite
Synapses**



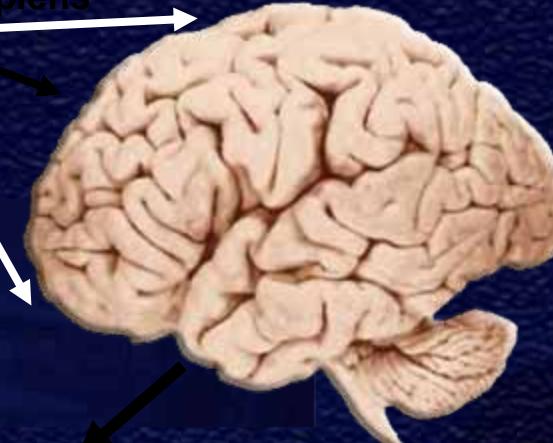
Neuron

**Slice of the
brain**



**Slice of the
hippocampus**

Homo sapiens sapiens



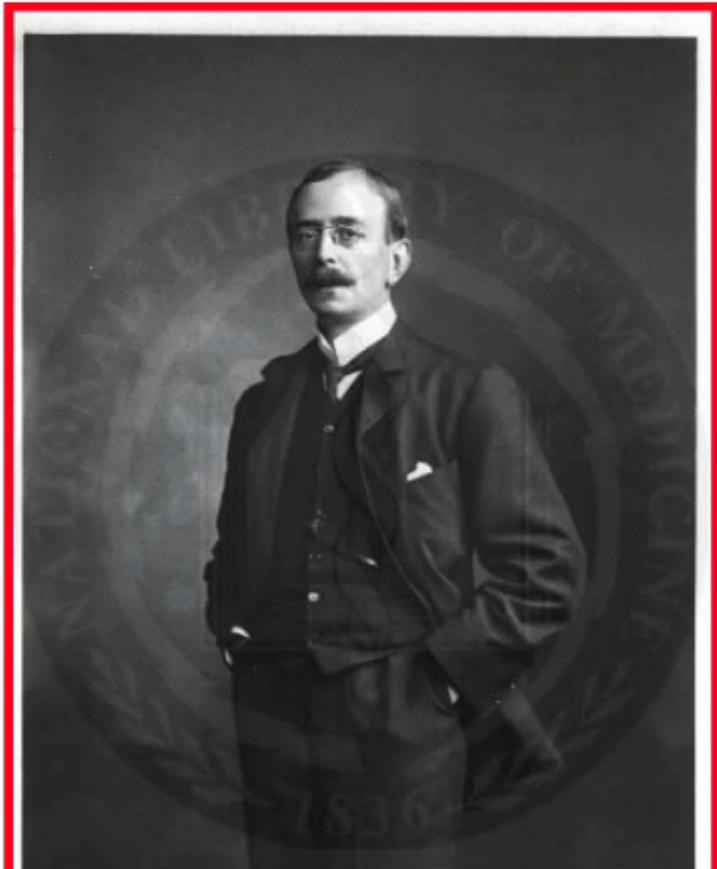
Мы сегодня обсудим:

- Синапс: основные принципы организации
- Ионные каналы - ключевые белки трансформации электро-химических сигналов:
 - основные модули ионных каналов
 - принципы функционирования ионных каналов
 - что мы знаем о структуре ионных каналов
- Возбуждающие и тормозные синапсы
- Формирование и пластиность синапсов

Синапс

Шеррингтон - 1897

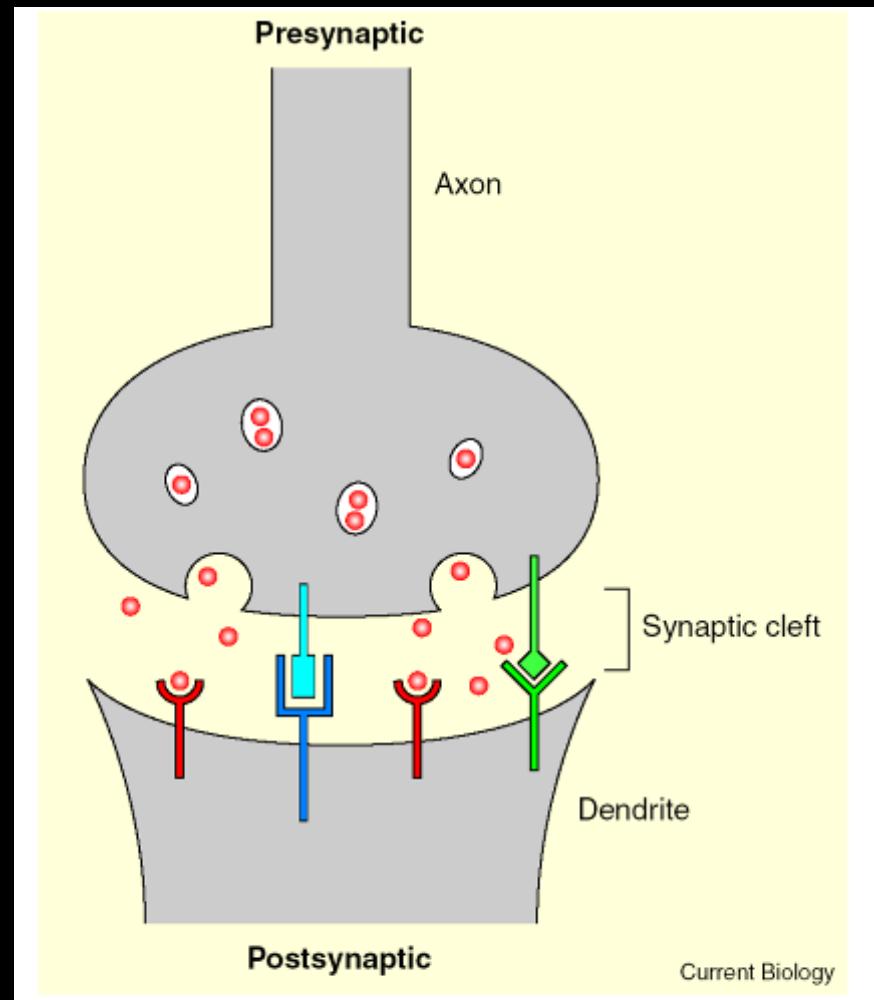
Lord C.S. Sherrington 1857-1952;
Étude sur les réflexes (réflexe myotatique)



Synapse - region (site) of the contact of neuron with the other cell.

Synapse – synaptein (Greek)

syn - together (вместе)
haptein-to hold (держать)

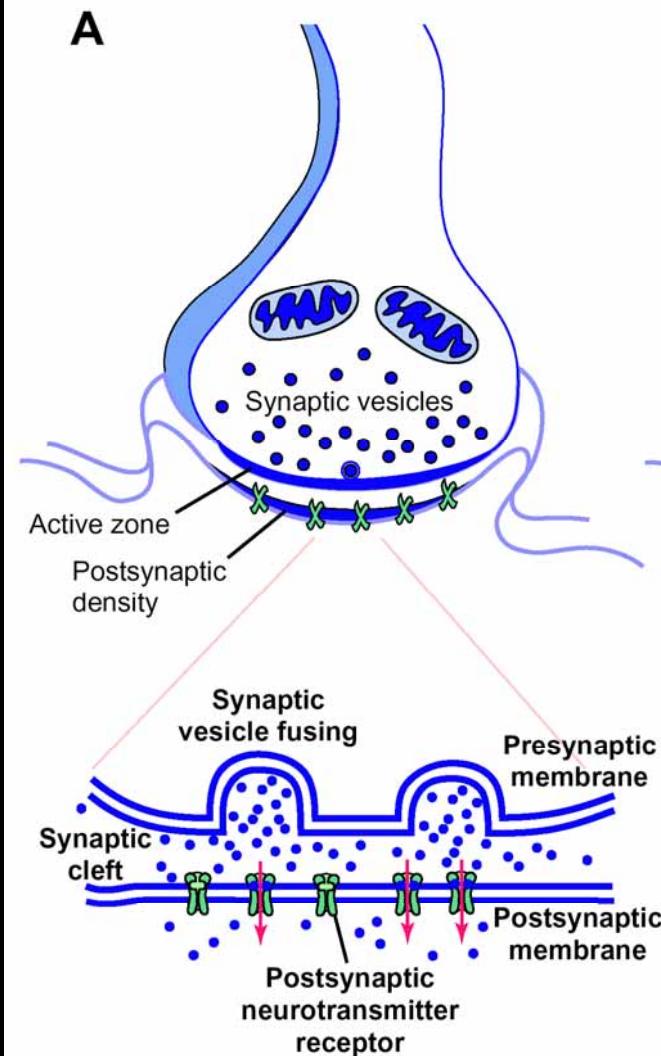


Синапс - место (участок) контакта нейрона с другой клеткой.

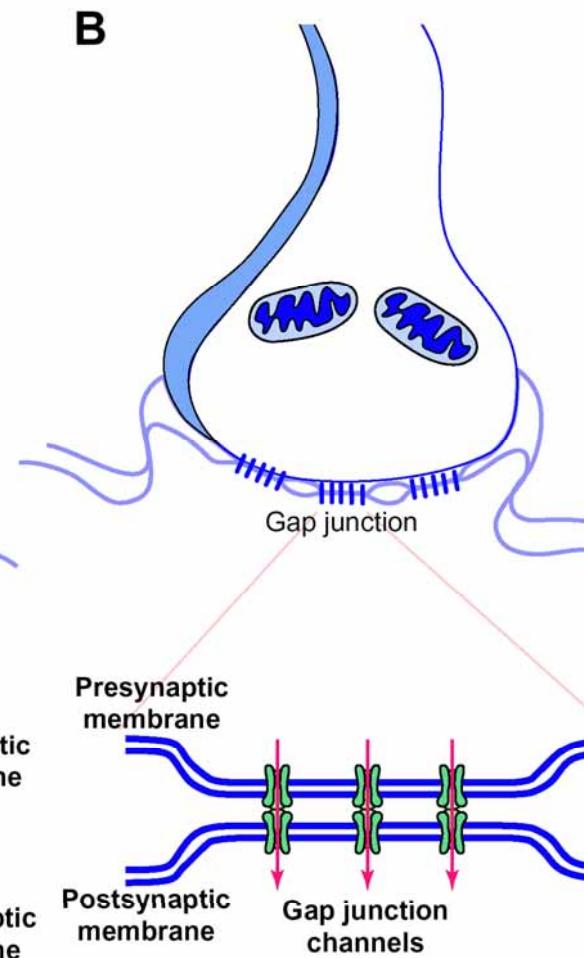
Current Biology

Основные типы синапсов

Химические

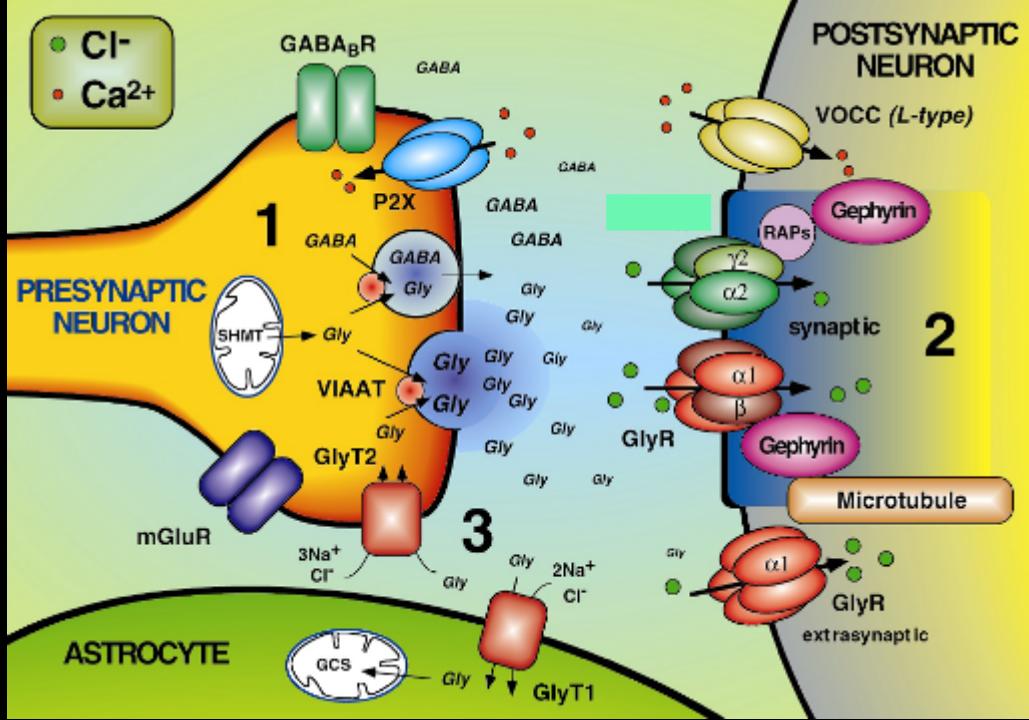


Электрические

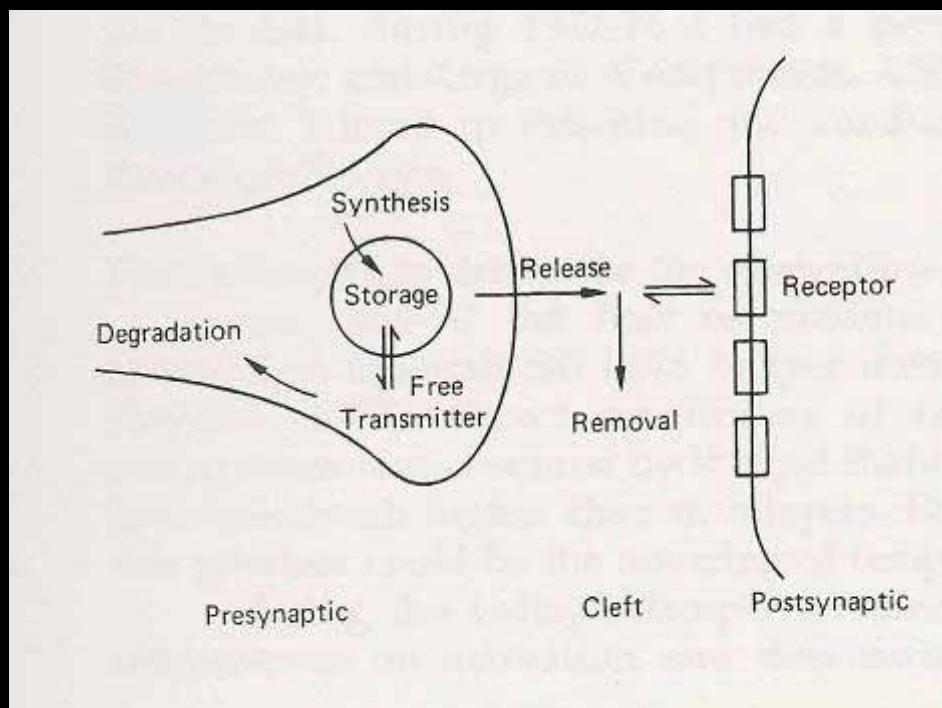


Synapse

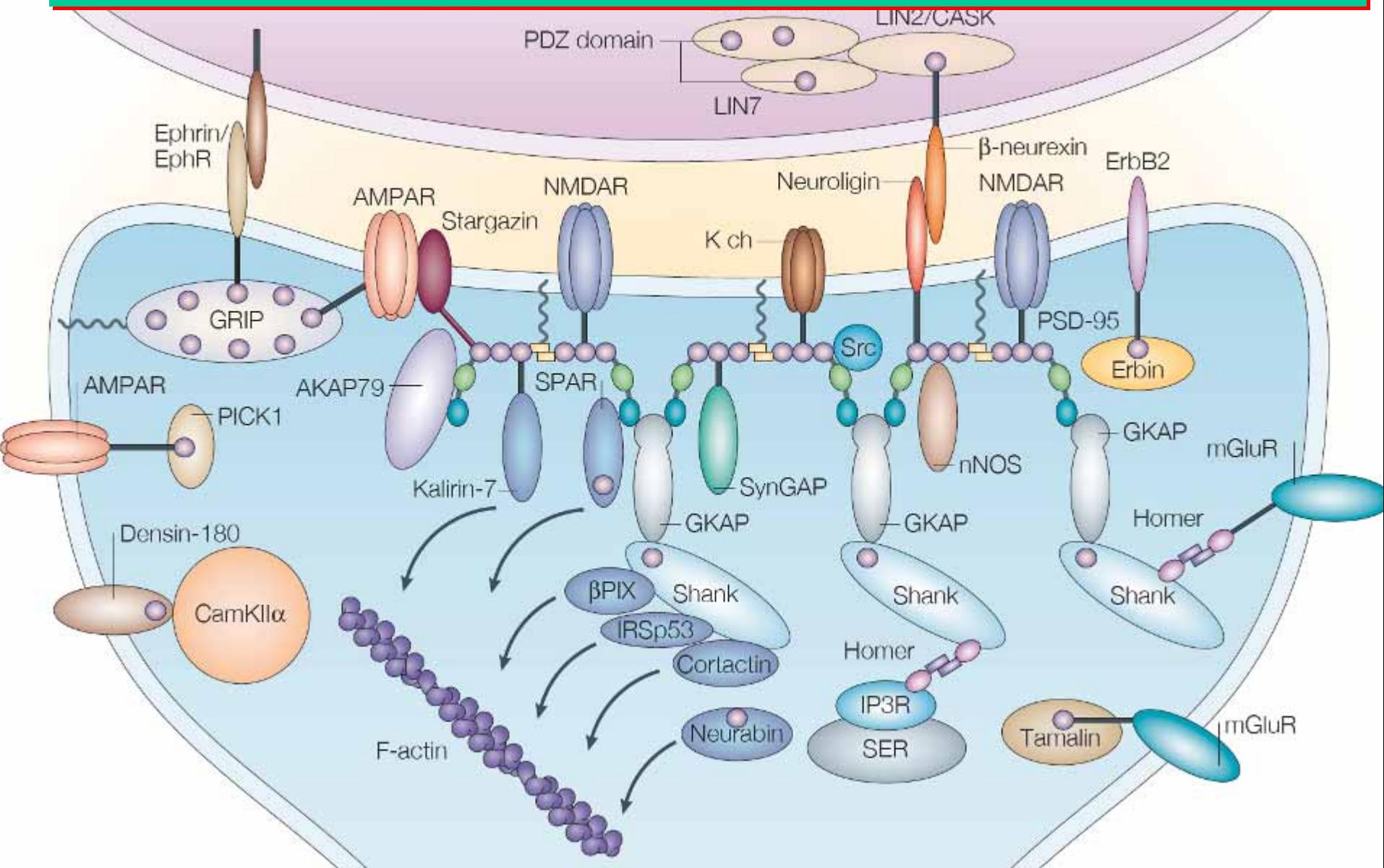
2000-e



1970-e



Компоненты постсинаптической области возбуждающего синапса - 2004



Bernard KATZ 1911-2003



B. Katz-1973

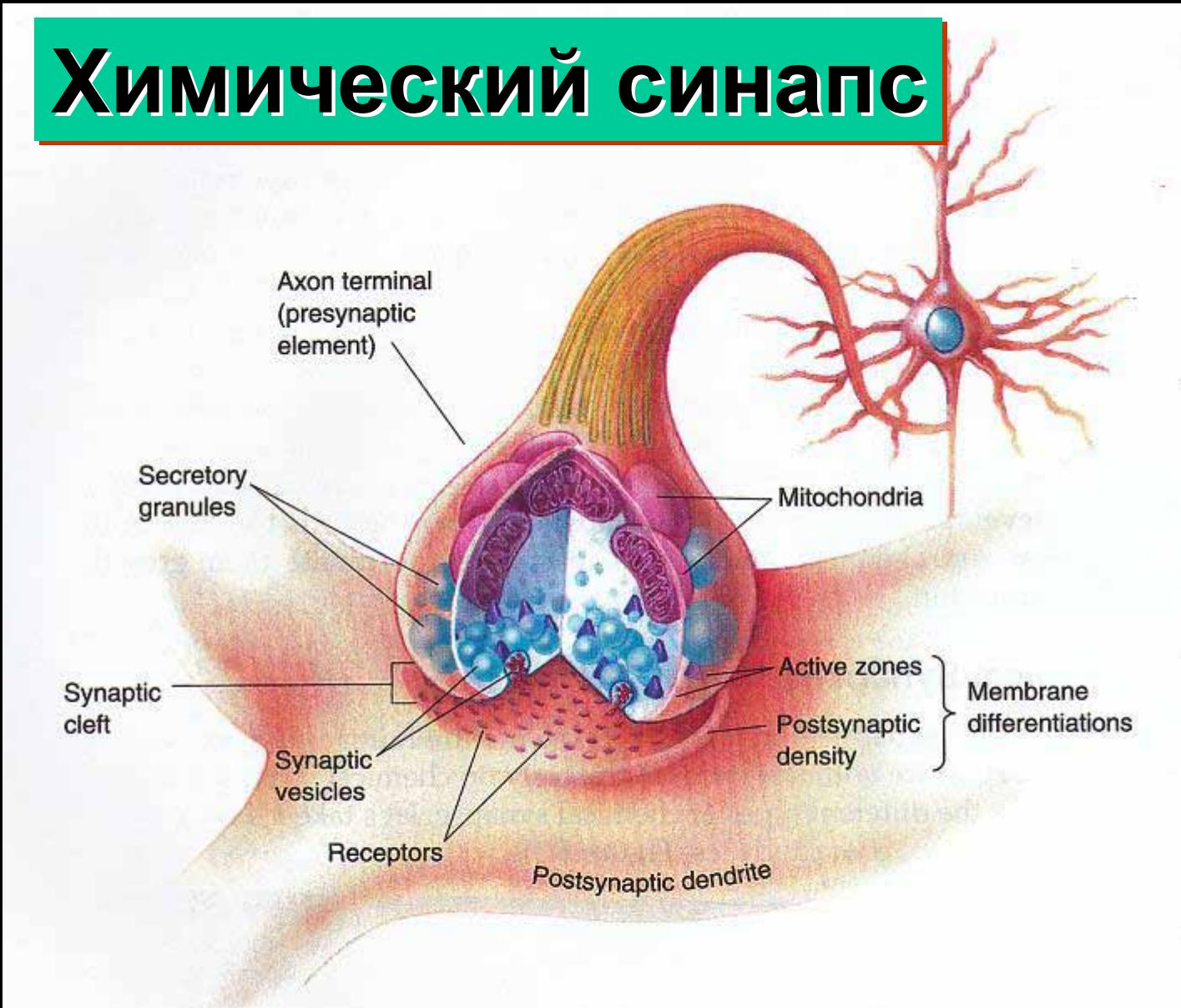


B. Katz-2002

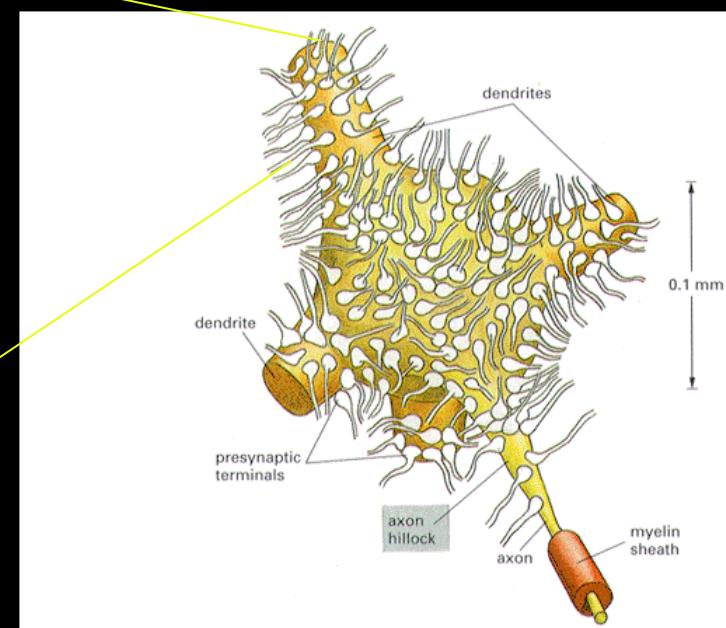
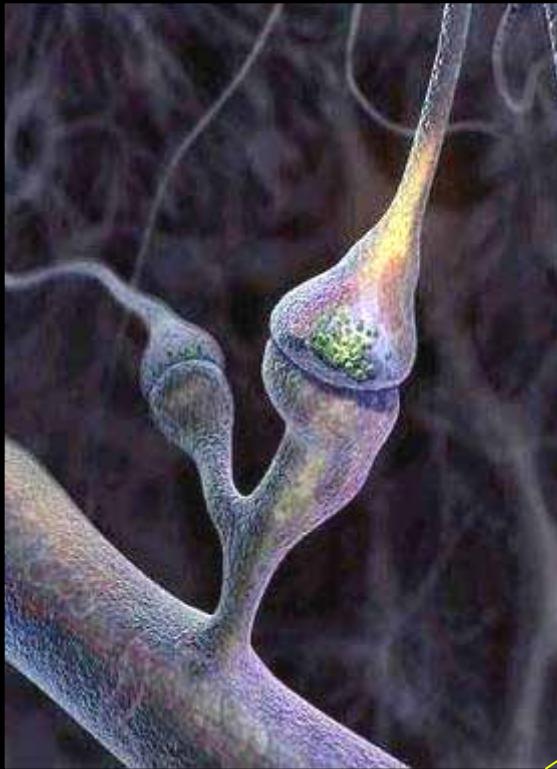
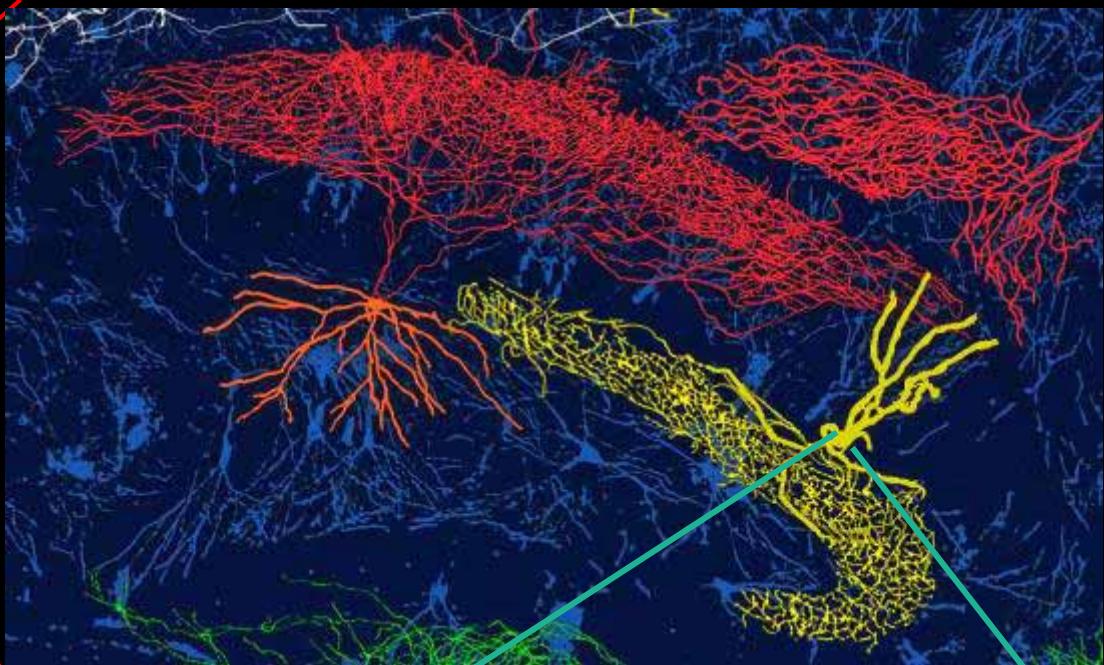
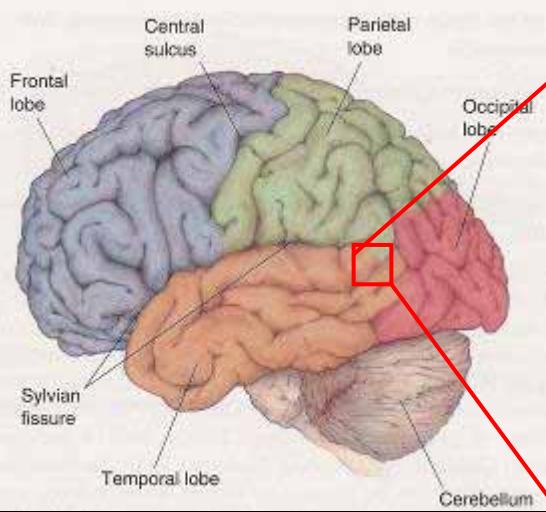
- квантовый выброс нейромедиатора
- ключевая роль кальция в выбросе нейромедиатора
- оценка параметров одиночных каналов

Nobel Price - 1970

Химический синапс

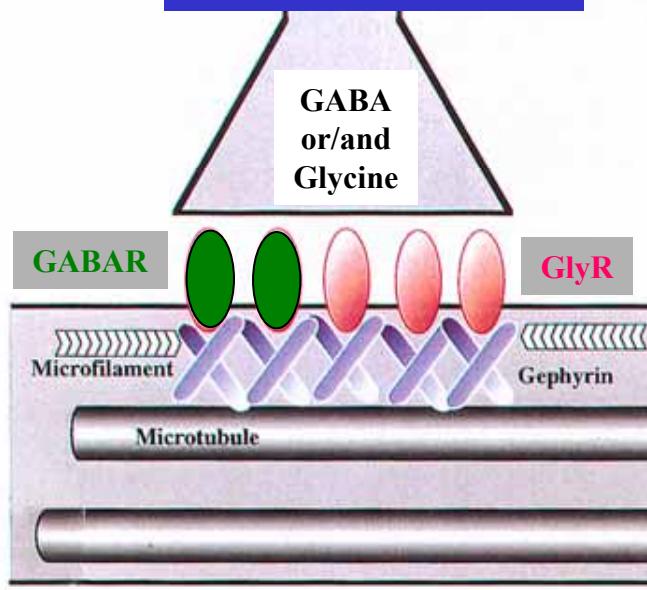


В химических синапсах передача сигнала
осуществляется химическими соединениями
(нейромедиаторами)

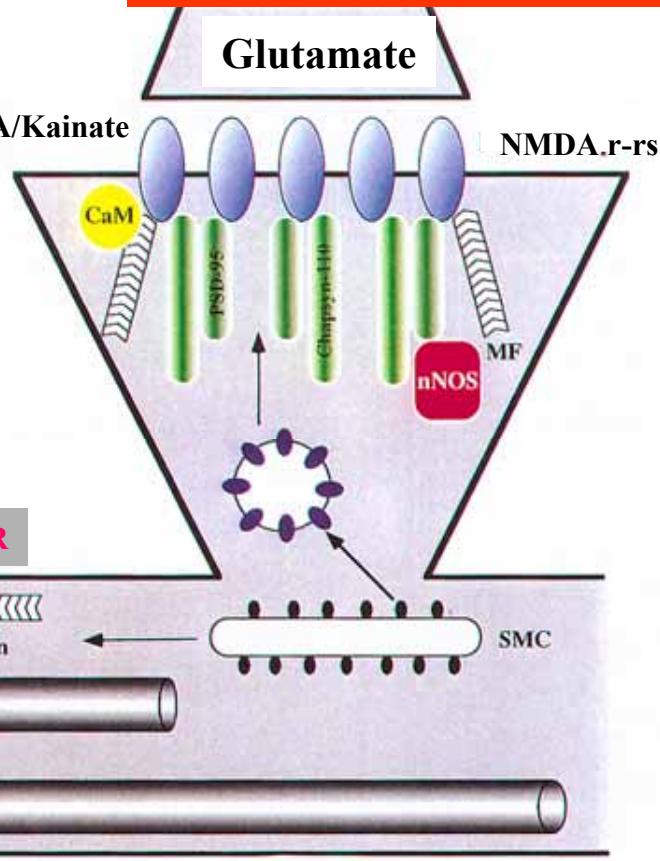


Синапсы в мозге позвоночных

Тормозные

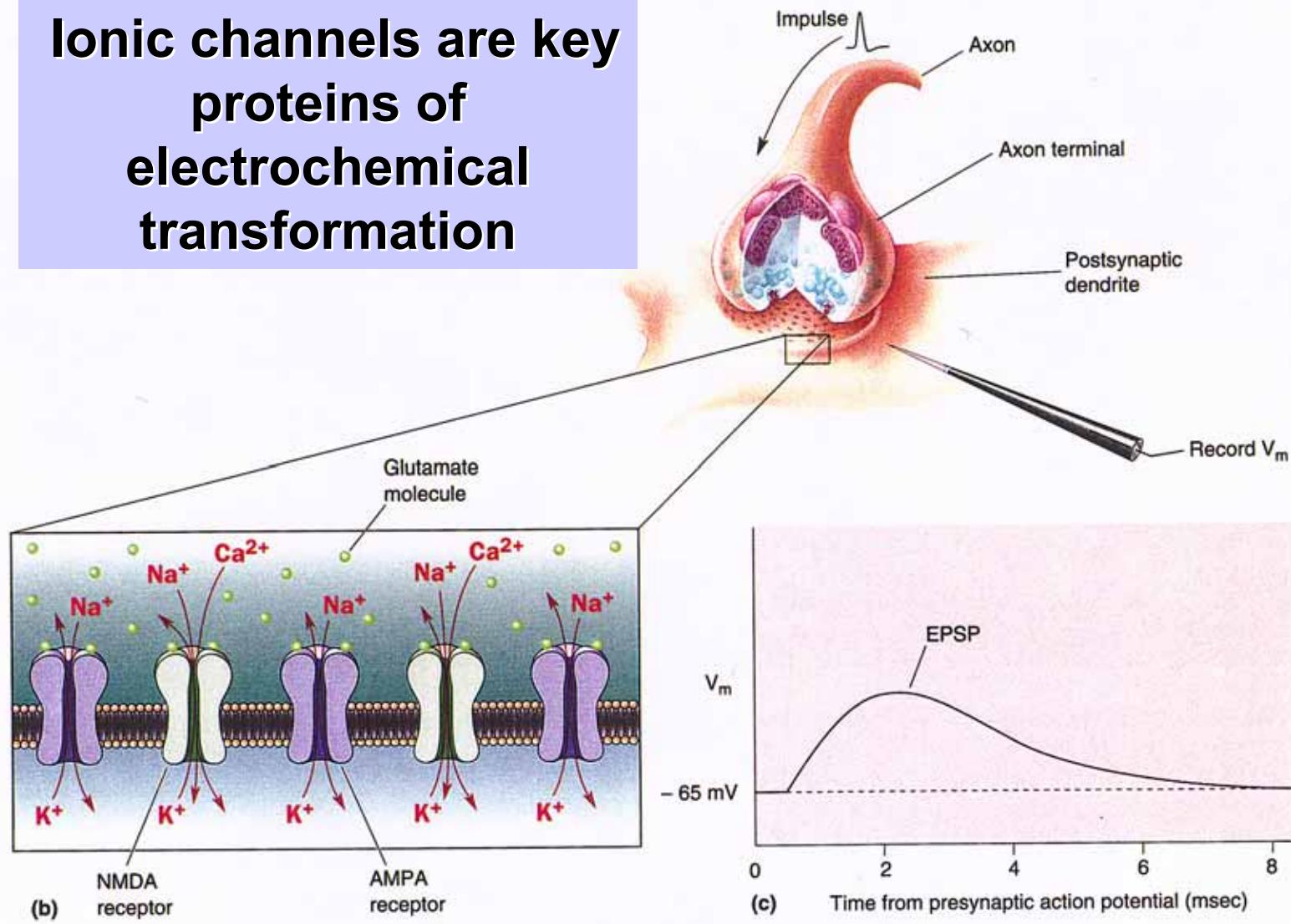


Возбуждающие

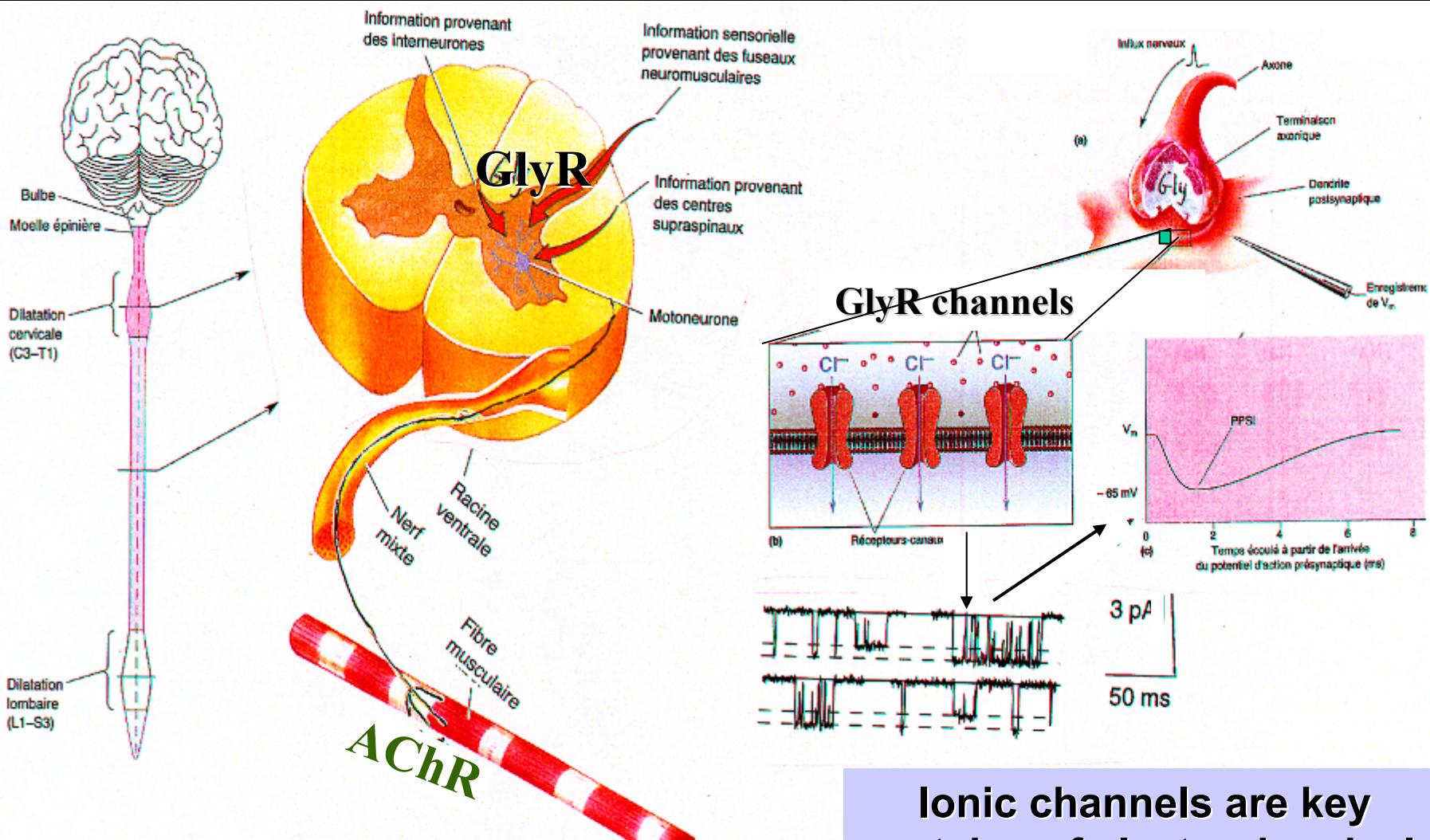


Возбуждающие синапсы: глутаматергические

Ionic channels are key
proteins of
electrochemical
transformation



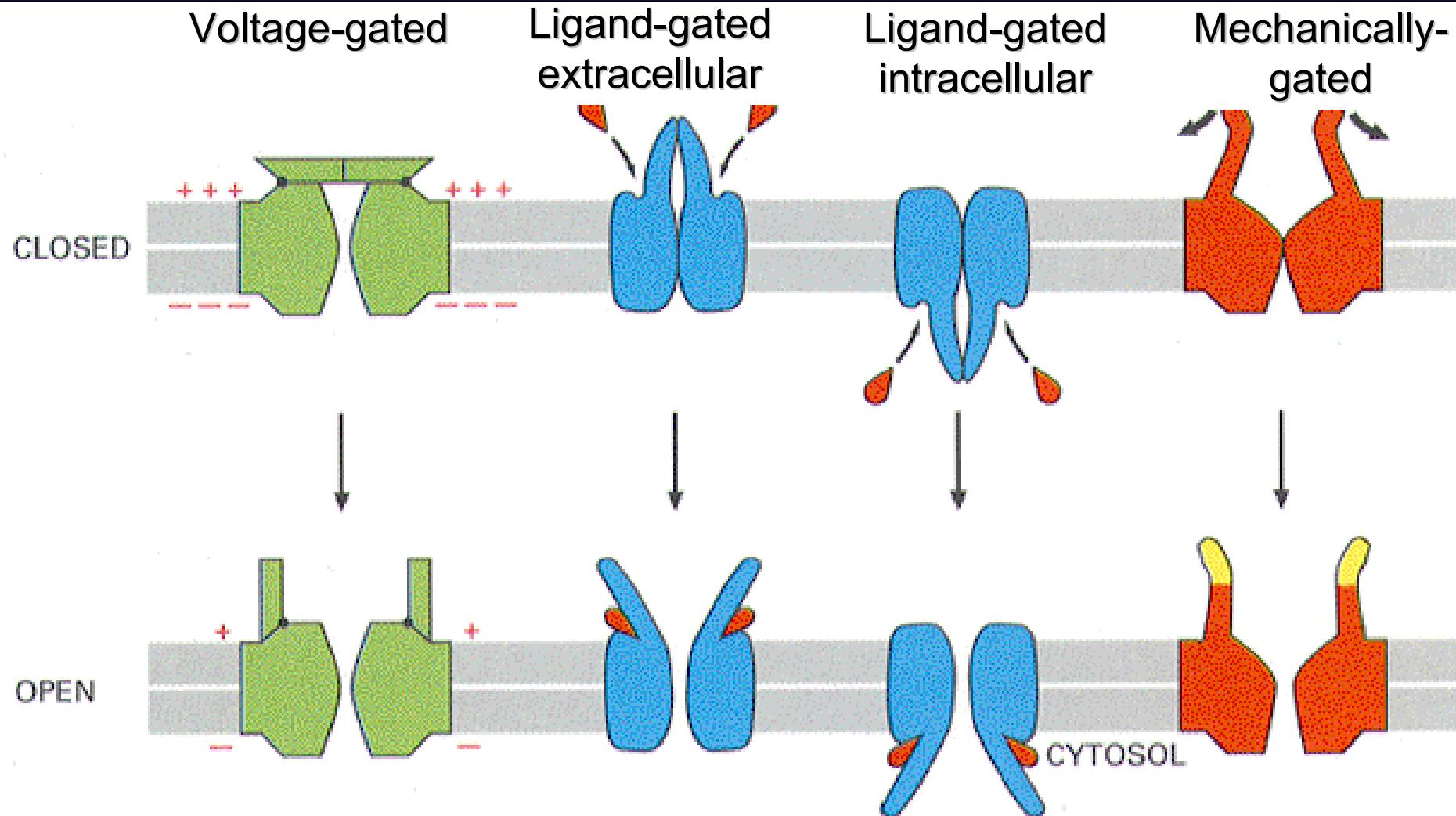
Глицин и ГАБА - тормозные нейромедиаторы в синапсах ЦНС



Ионные каналы - ключевые белки биологической жизни

Ionic channels are key proteins of electrochemical transformation

Основные типы ионных каналов



Medina & Bregestovski, Proc.Roy Soc, 1991

Ионные каналы - молекулярные комплексы, превращающие потенциал, химические или механические сигналы в потоки ионов

Основные функциональные блоки ионных каналов

Extracellular domain:

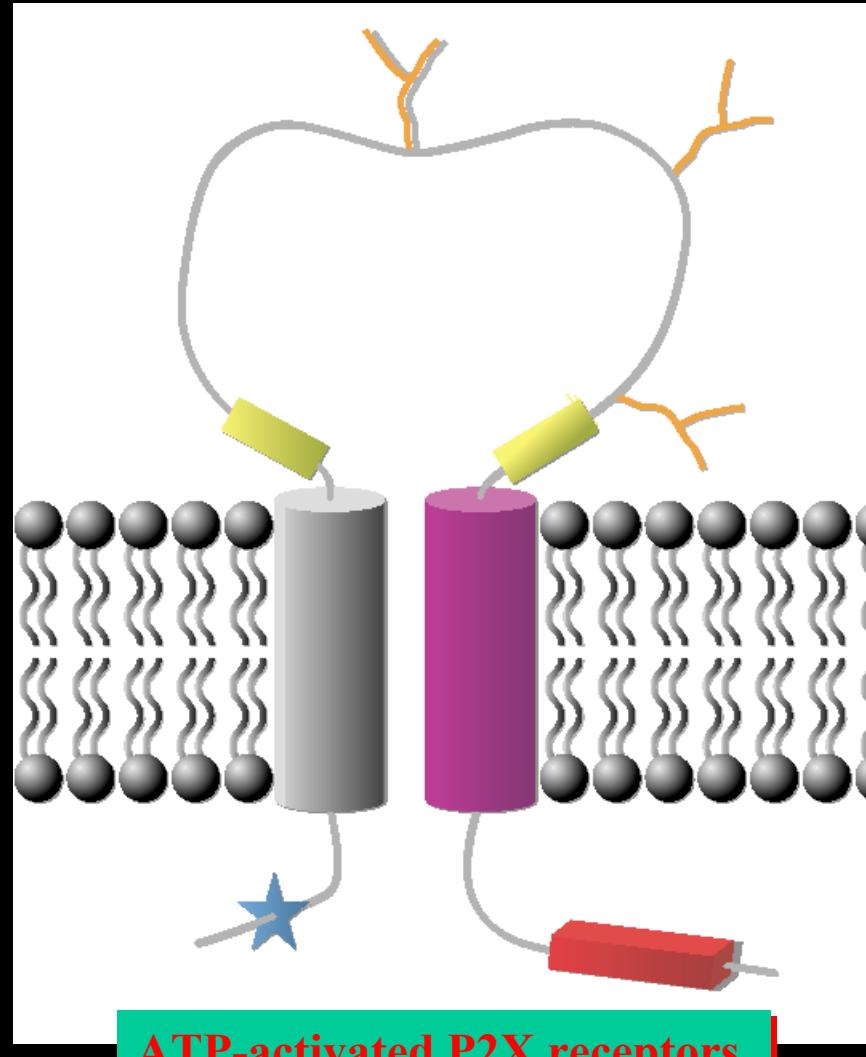
- receptor site;
- extrasynaptic targeting

Transmembrane domain:

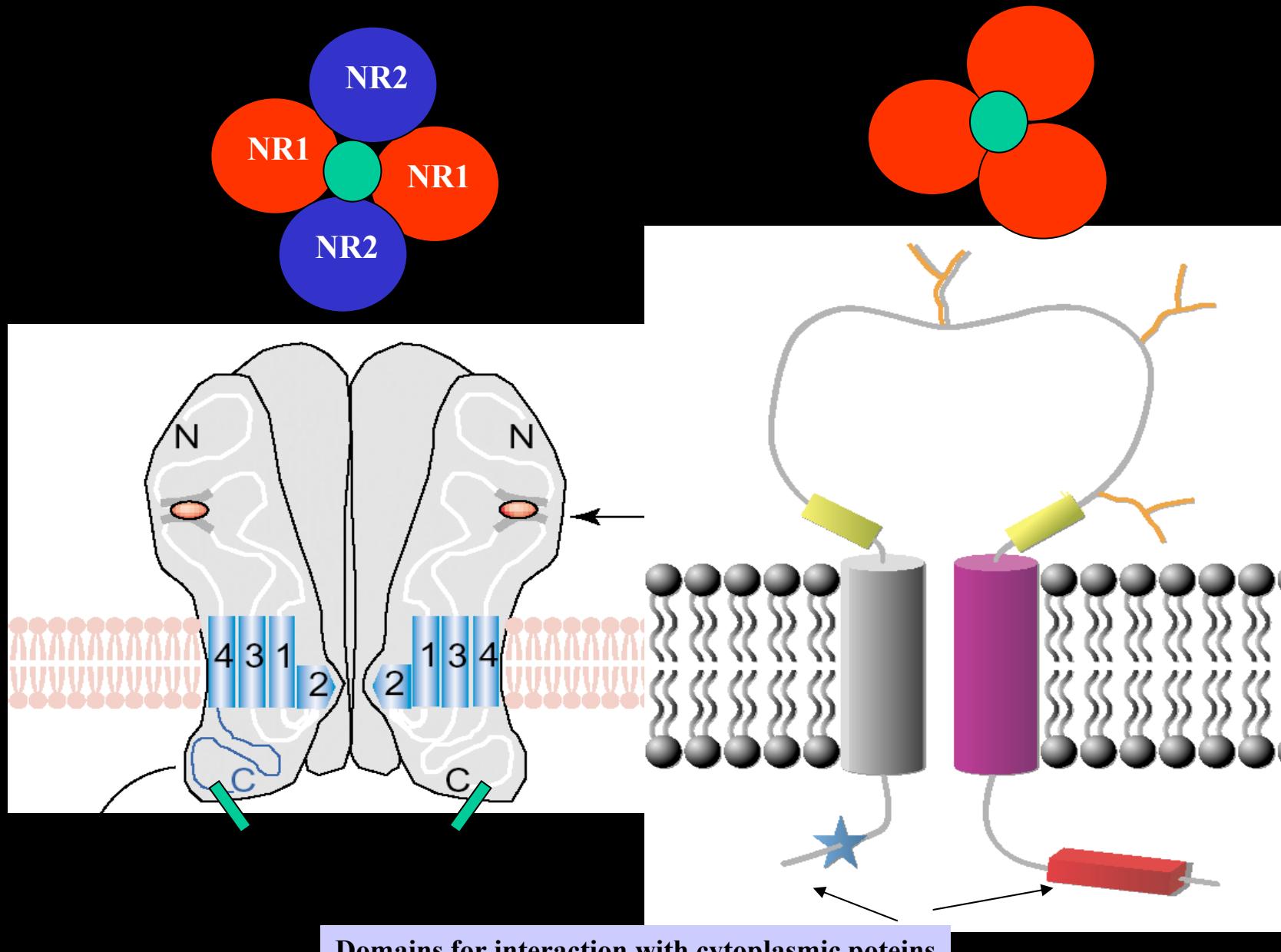
- ion selectivity;
- gating

Intracellular domain:

- phosphorylation;
- protein-protein interaction



Субъединичная организация каналов



Субъединичная организация каналов

Cation-selective

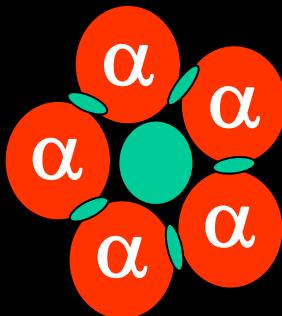
Acetylcholine

Serotonin

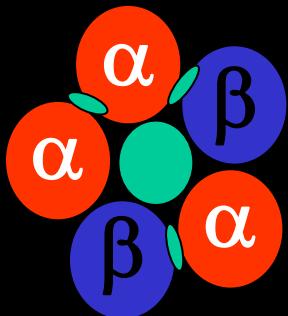
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Glycine

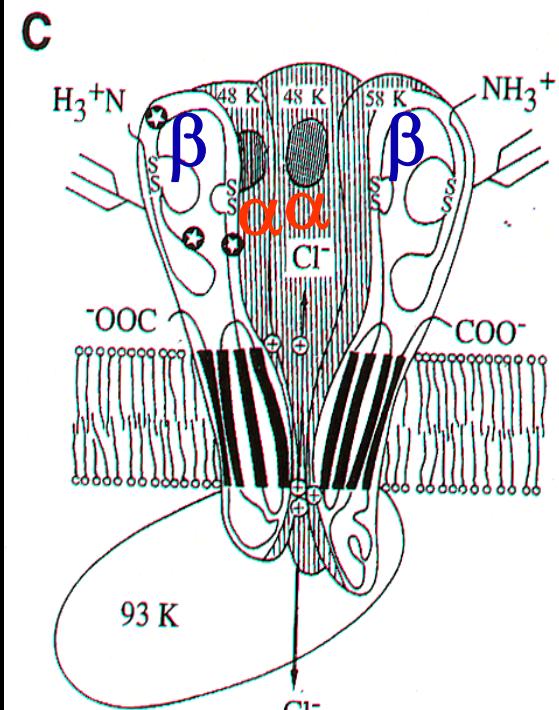
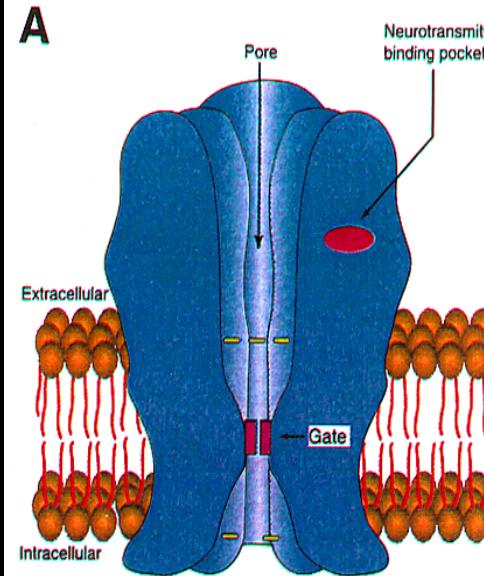
Anion-selective



homo-



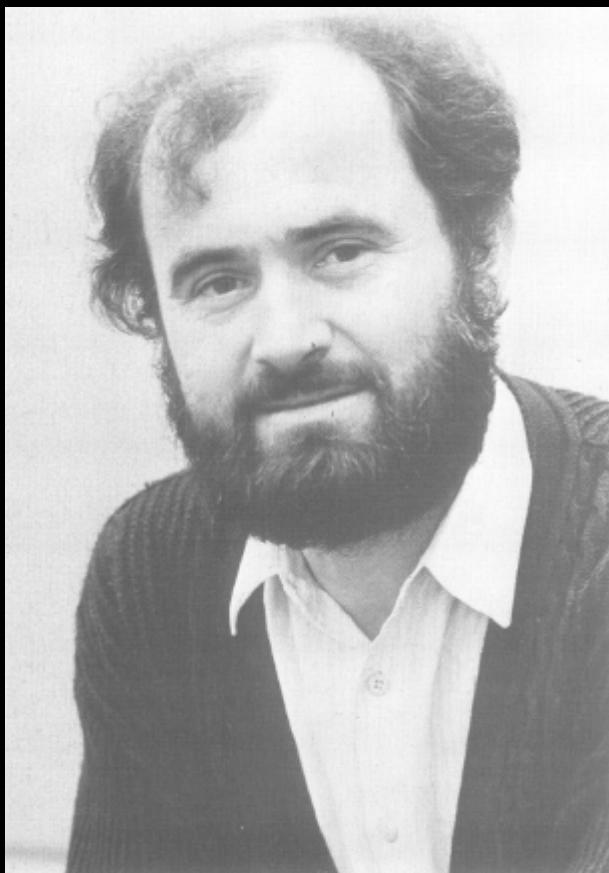
hetero-oligomeric



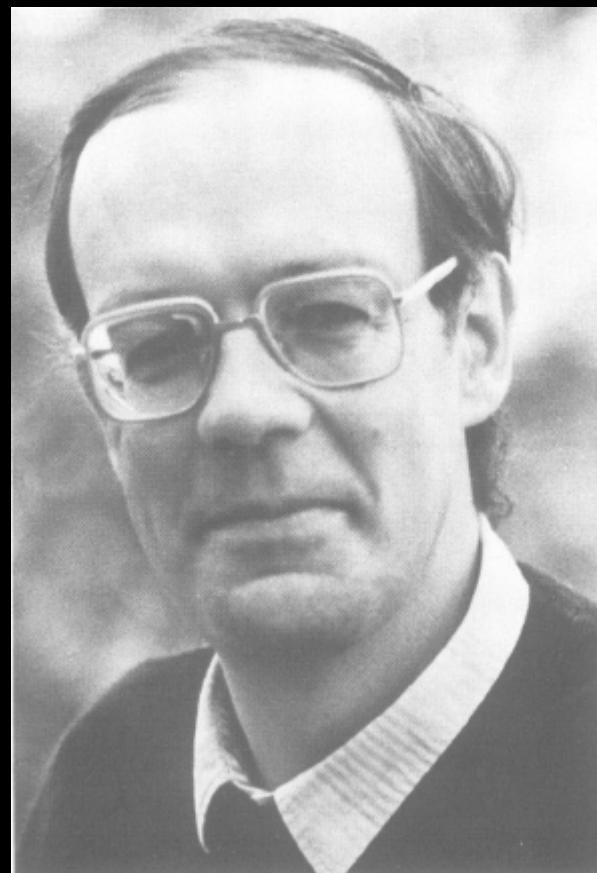
Glycine Recepto

Basic principles of ionic channels functioning

Как увидеть активность одиночных ионных каналов?

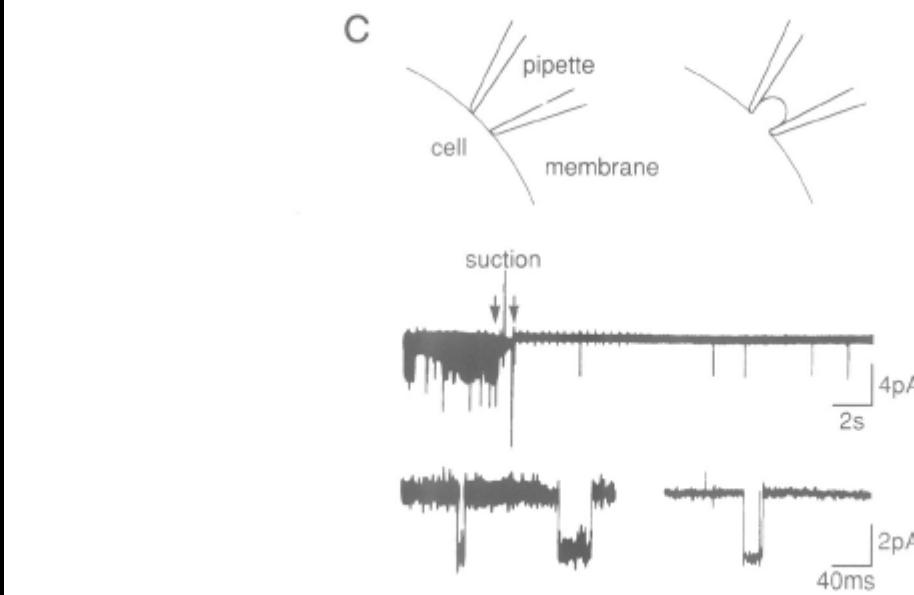
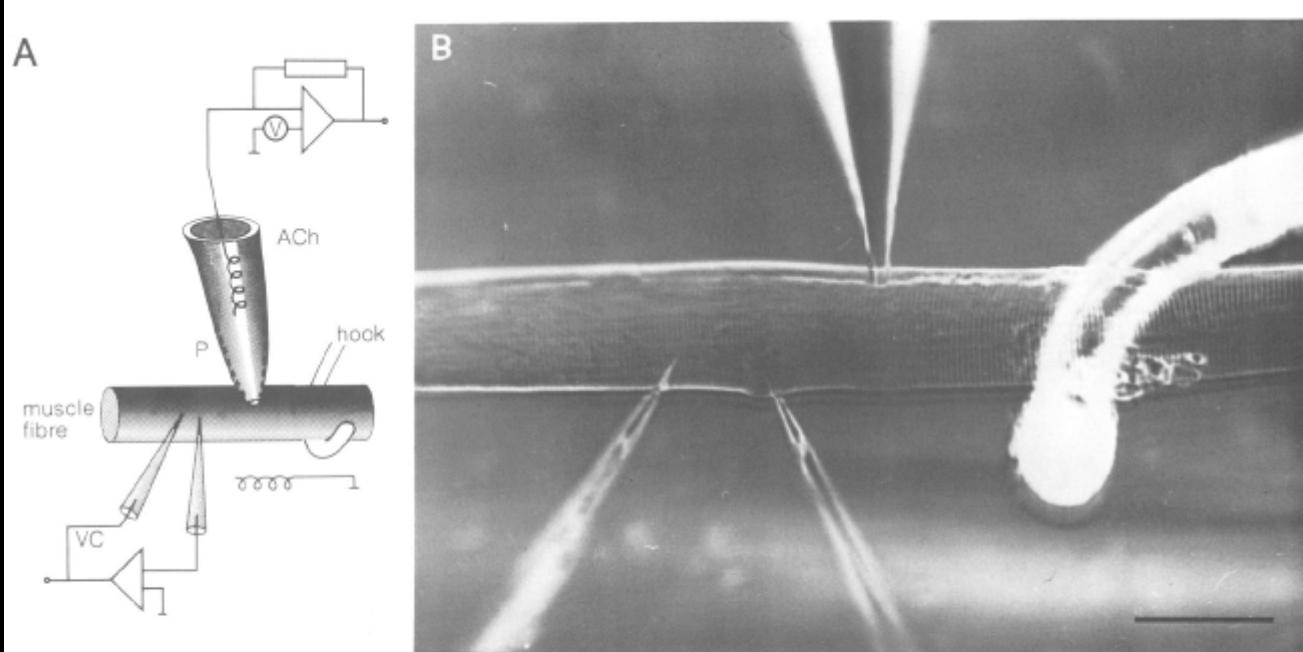


E. Neher



B. Sakmann

Nobel Price-1991



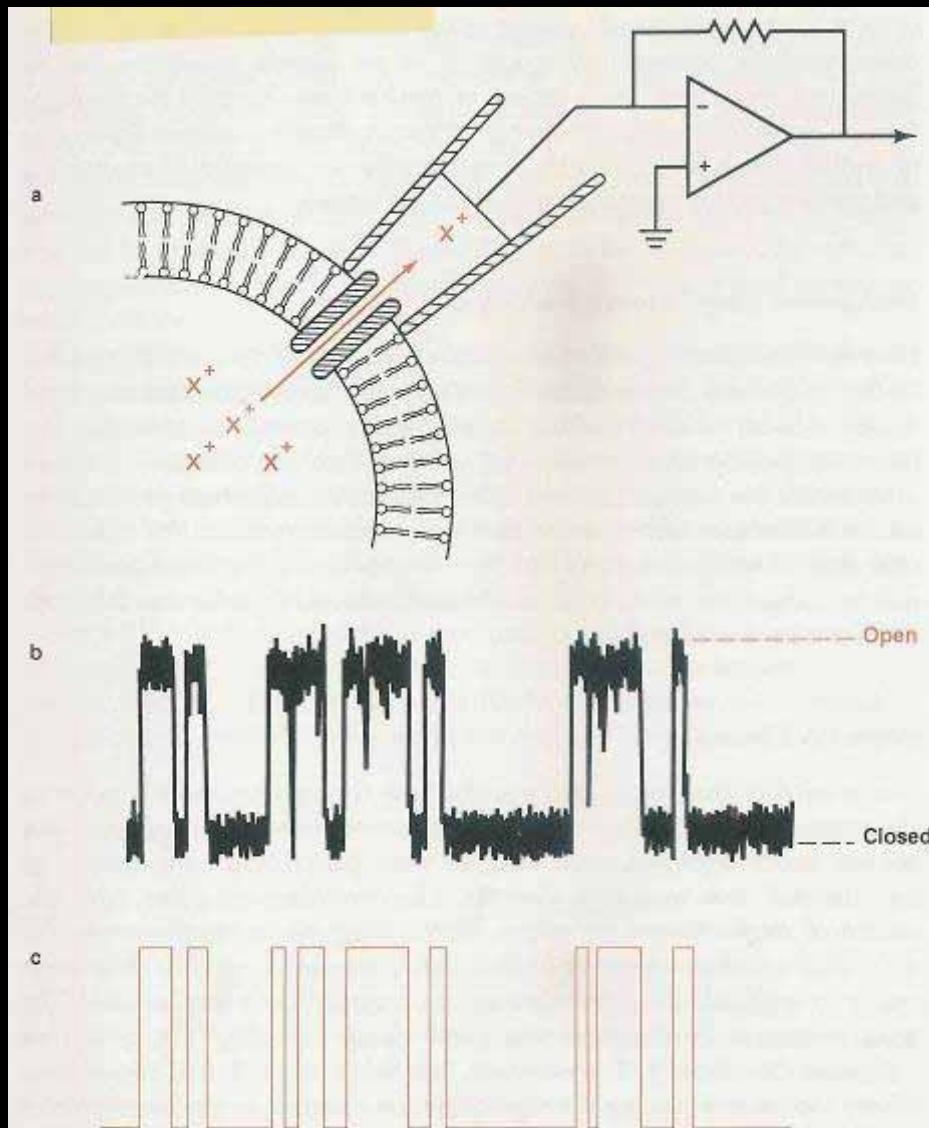
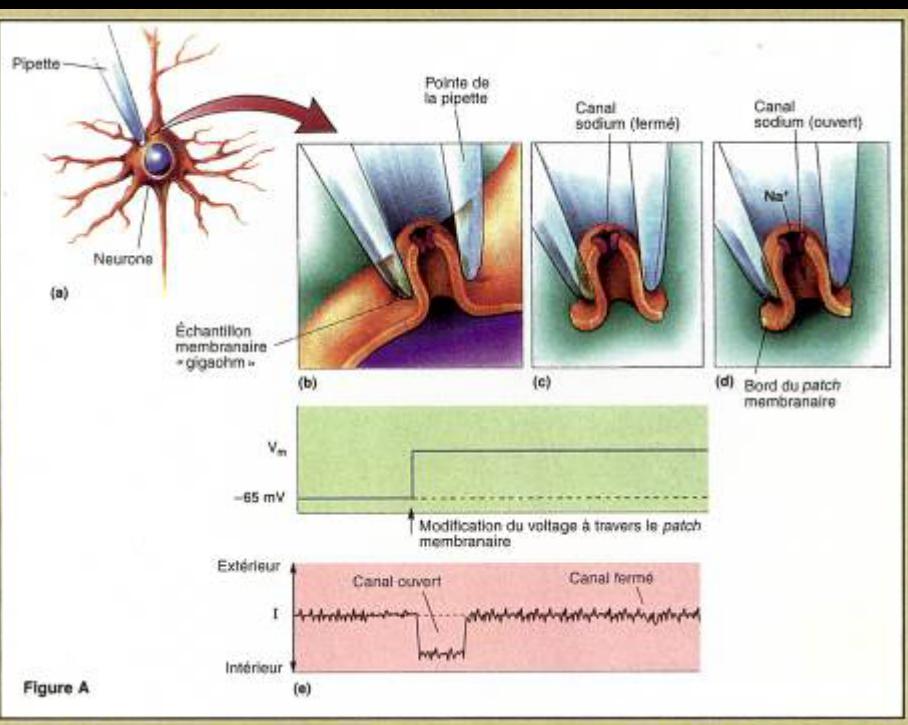
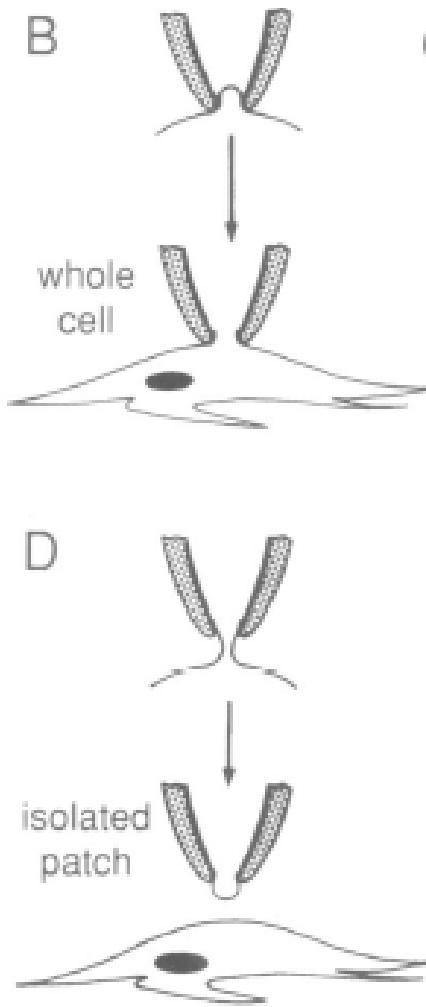
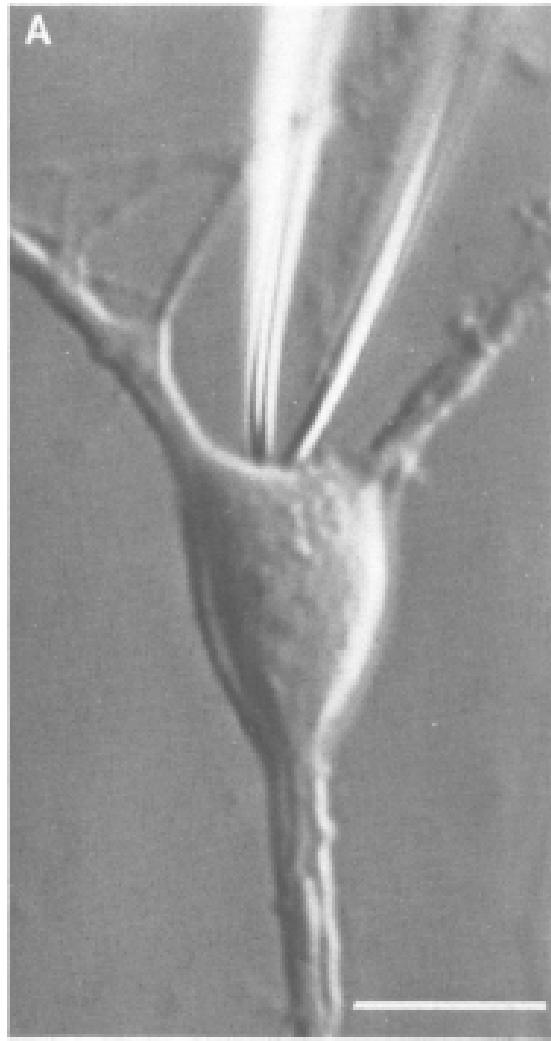
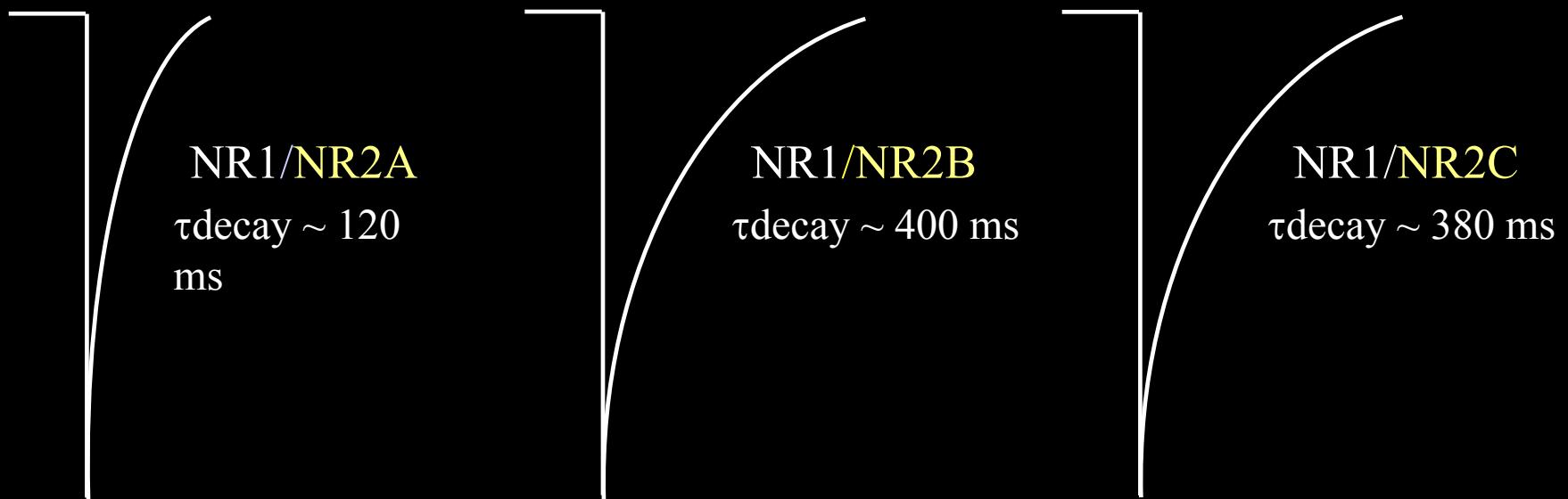


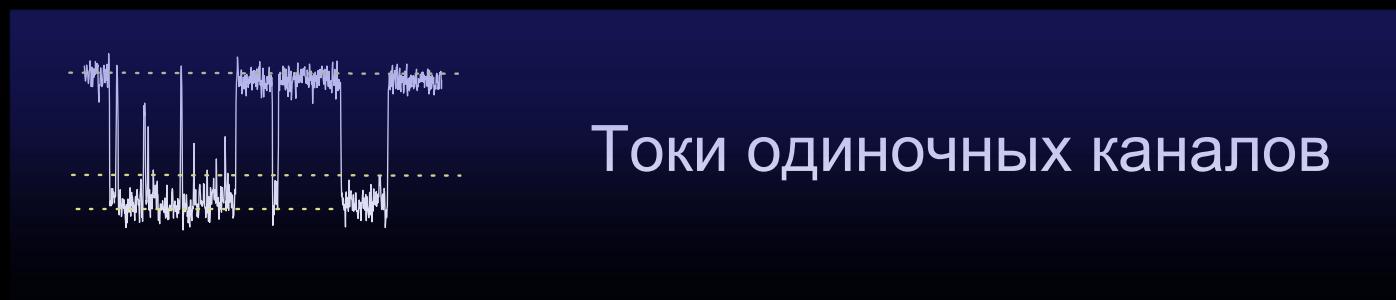
FIGURE 3-4. Patch clamp recording of single ion channel activity. **a:** Illustration of the cell-attached mode of patch clamp recording, with a current-to-voltage converter that is connected to the electrode (Hamill et al., 1981). **b:** An example of recordings of single channel activity obtained with this method. **c:** Simple computer programs can be used to produce idealized single channel records, which reproduce faithfully the openings and closings seen in the real record.



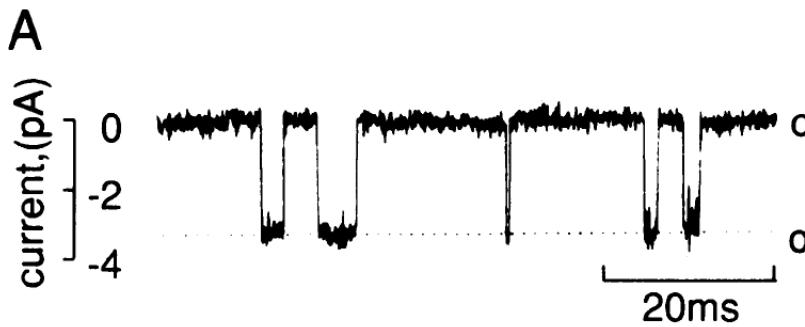
Кинетика деактивации интегральных ионных токов



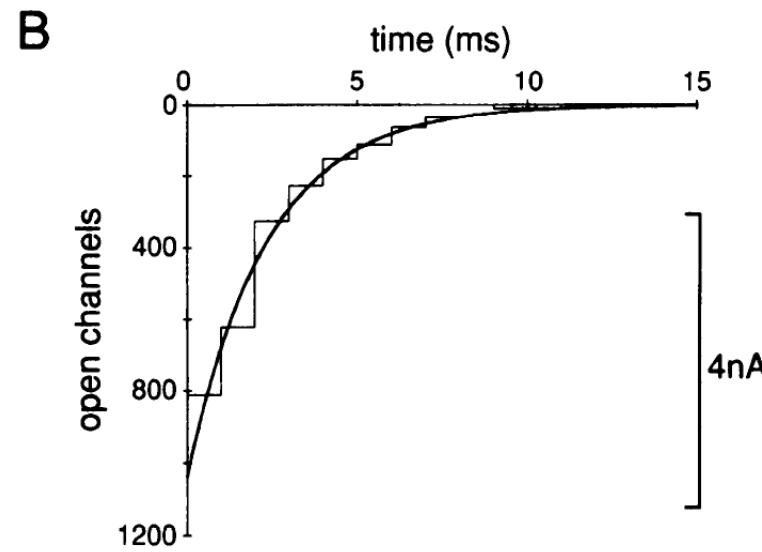
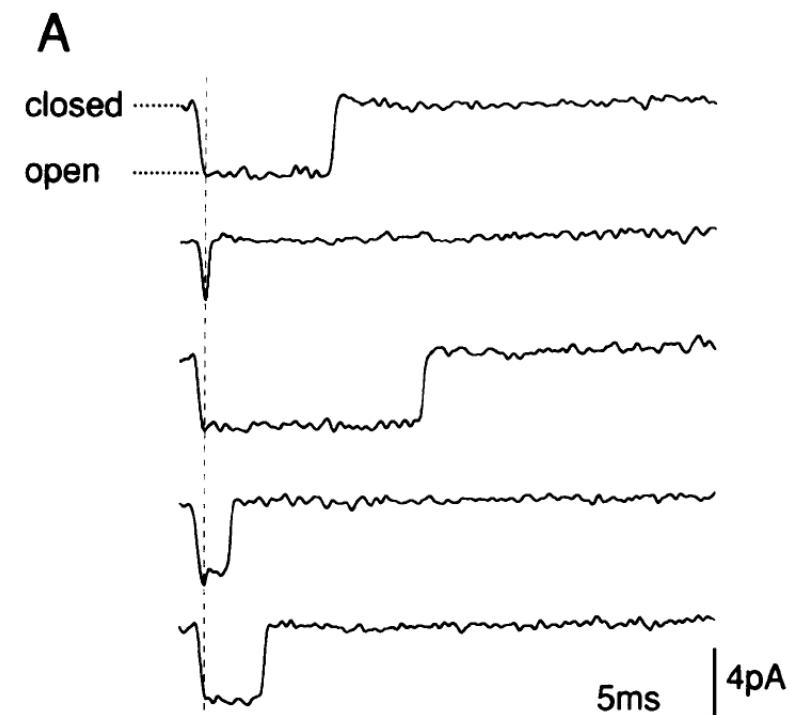
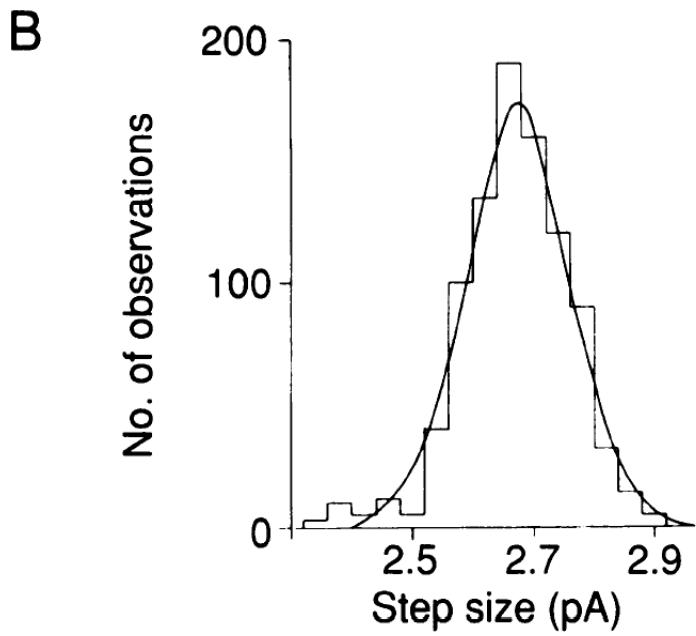
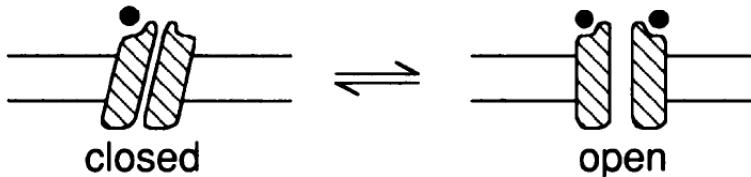
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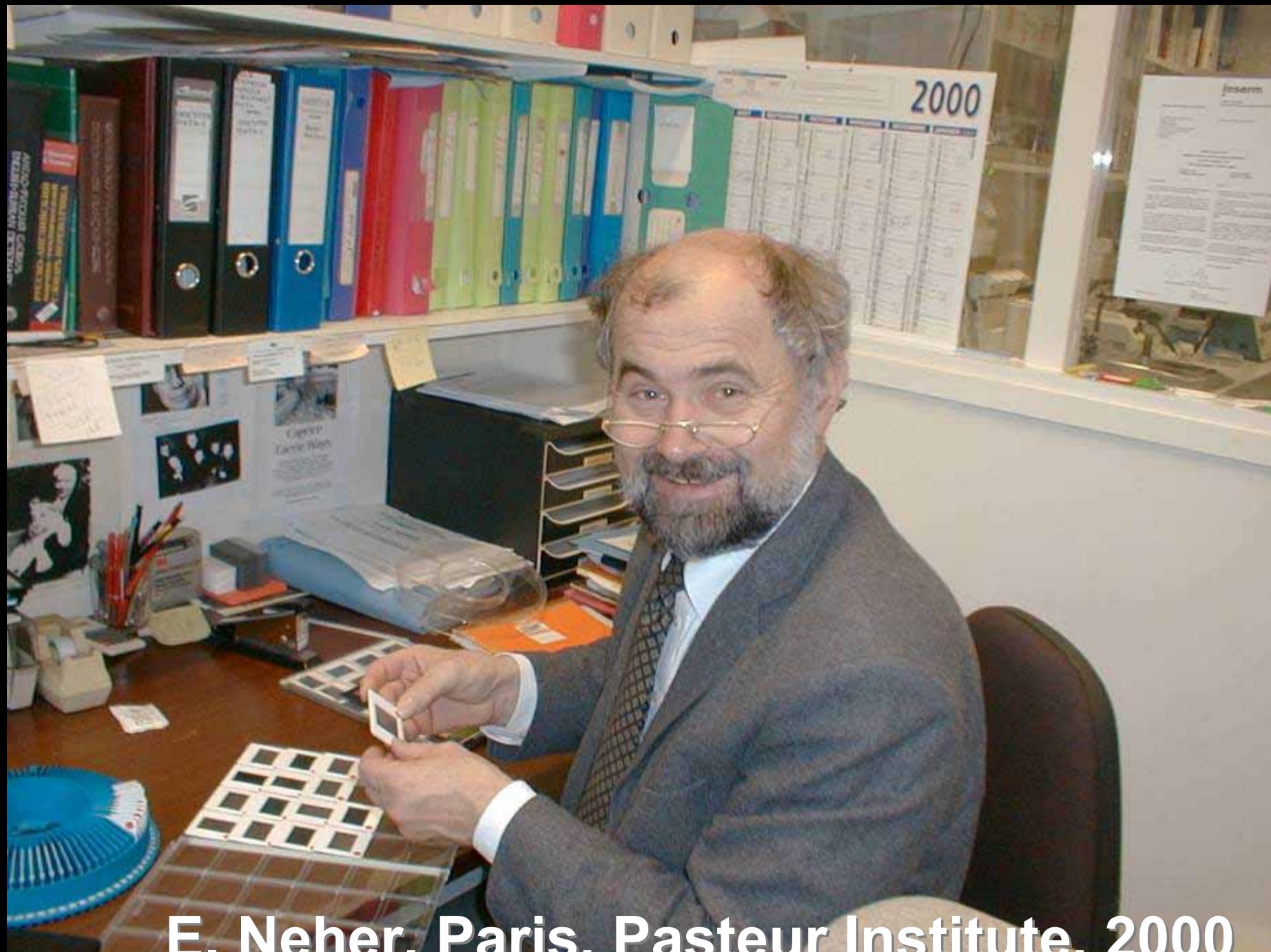


Токи одиночных каналов

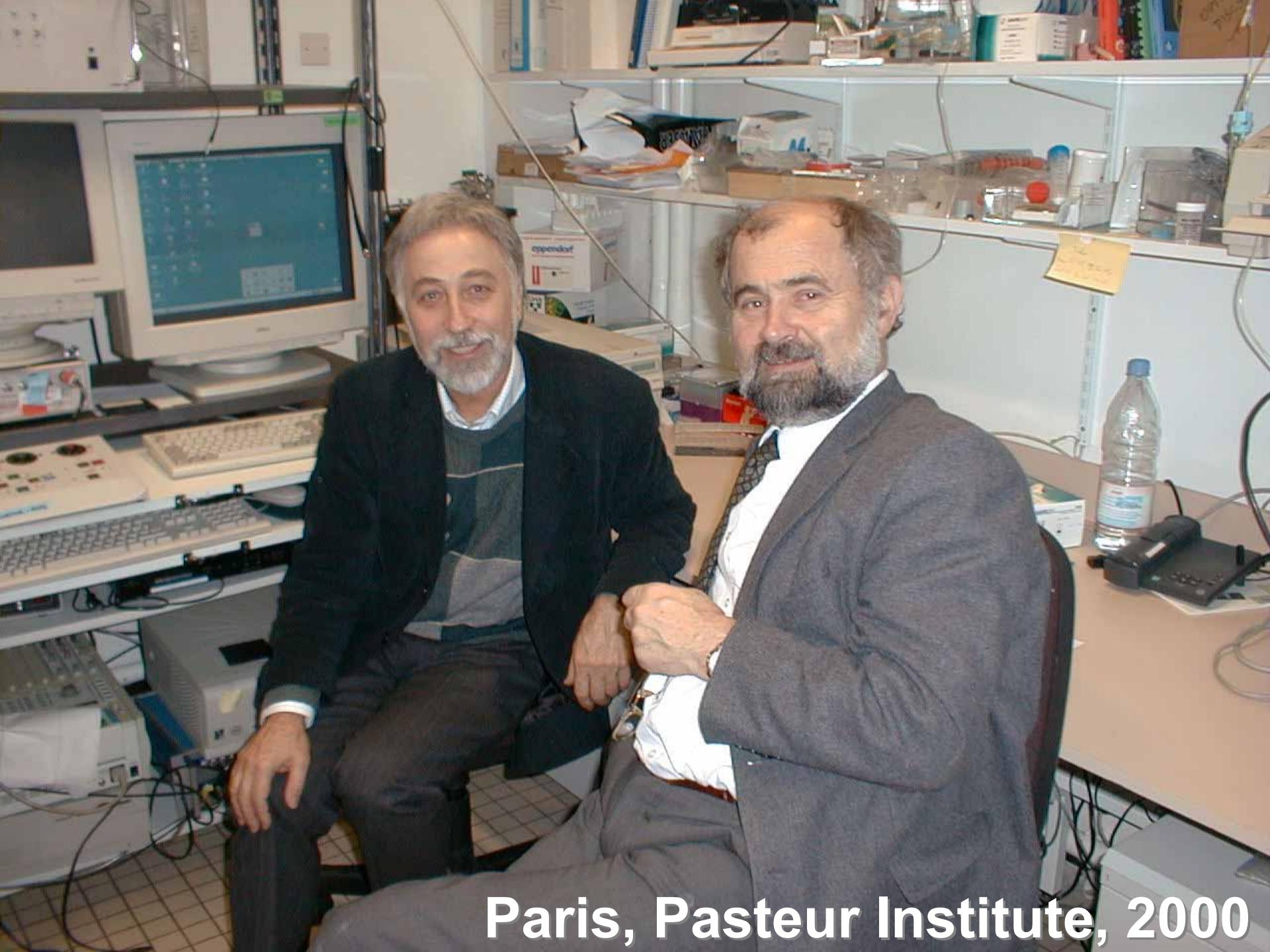


ACh end-plate channel





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Некоторые работы

Доказательство конформационных изменений рецептора
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Доказательство кальциевой проницаемости рецептора
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Потенциал-зависимый блок магнием рецепторов NMDA
Nowak, Bregestovski, Ascher., Nature, 1984

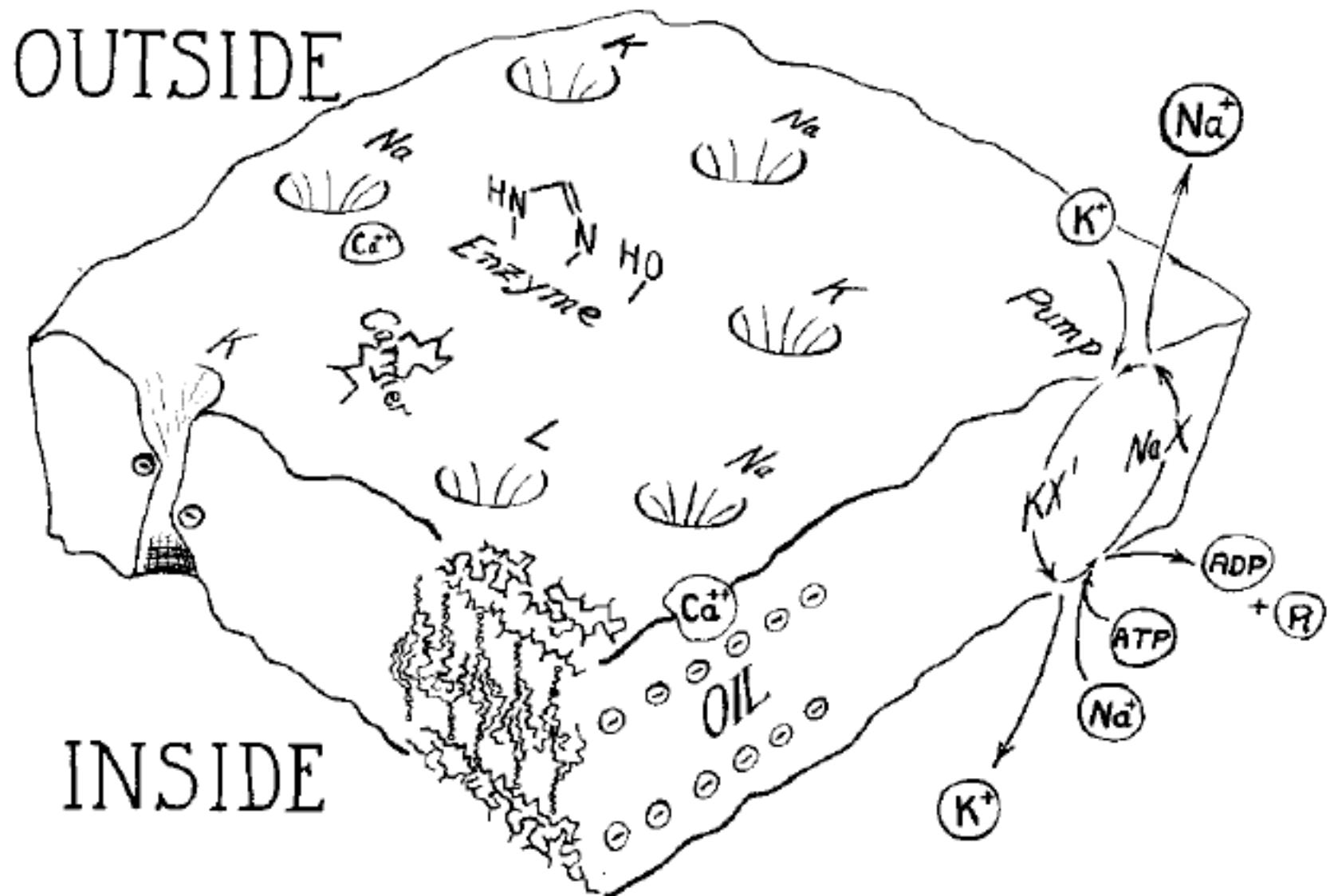
Кальций-зависимая модуляция K⁺ каналов лимфоцитов
Bregestovski, Redkozubov, Alexeev, Nature, 1986

Открытие нового типа механо-чувствительных каналов
Medina, Bregestovski, Proc.Roy.Soc, 1991

- what we know about structure of ion channels

Как увидеть молекулярную
организацию ионных каналов?

Ion Channels -1968



1968

Albert Lasker Basic Medical Research Award

Clay Armstrong, Bertil Hille and Roderick MacKinnon

For elucidating the functional and structural architecture of ion channel proteins, which govern the electrical potential of membranes throughout nature, thereby generating nerve impulses and controlling muscle contraction, cardiac rhythm, and hormone secretion. ([More >](#))



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Bertil Hille

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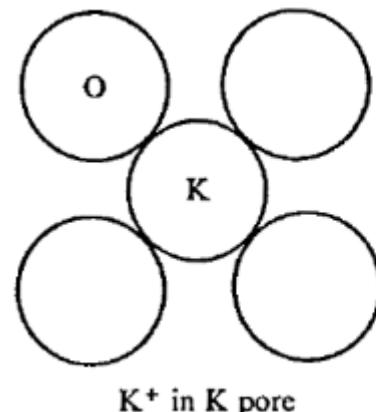
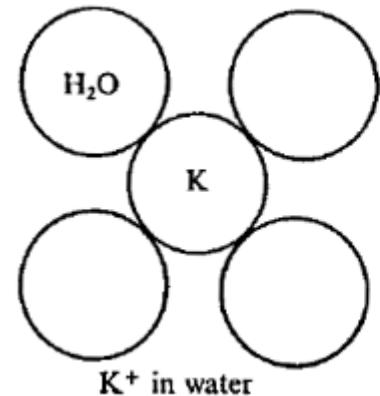


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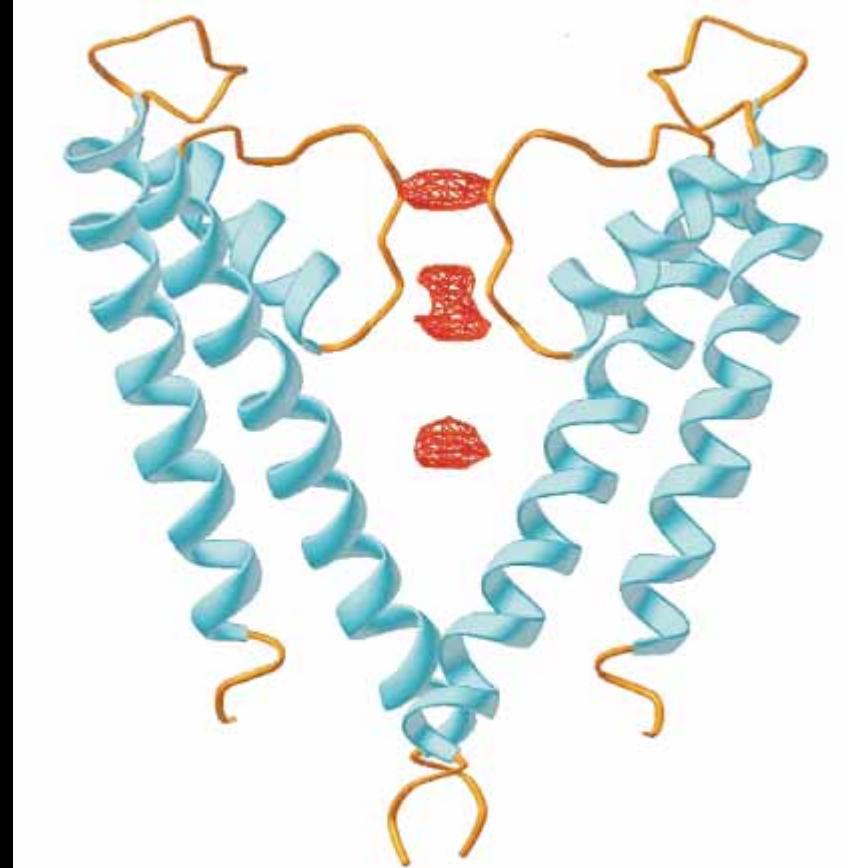
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Idea and reality for K channels selectivity

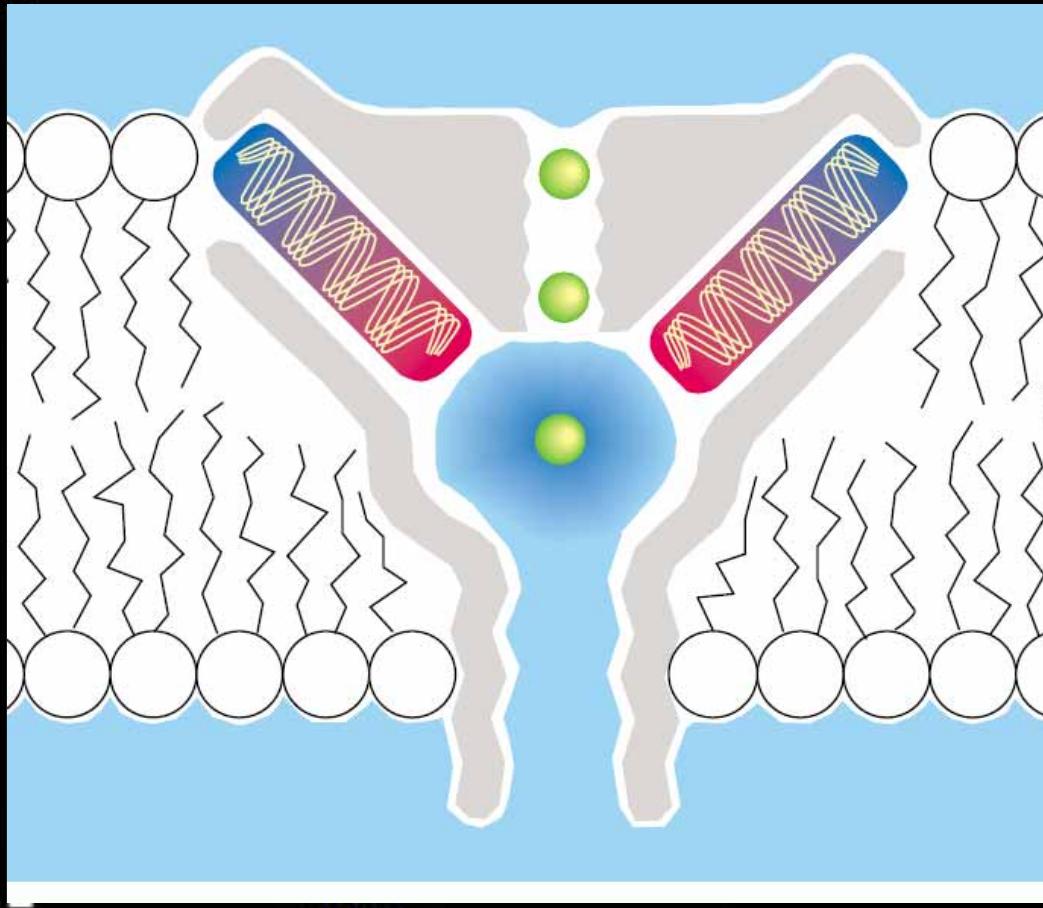
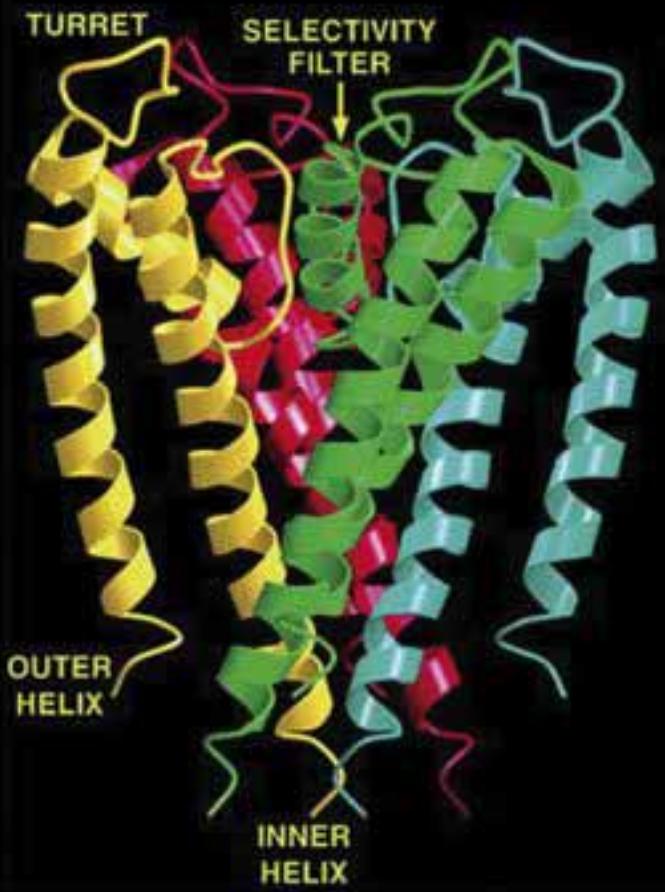
Idea - 1968



Reality-1998



The crystal structure of K⁺ channel



MacKinnon R. Nobel price - 2003

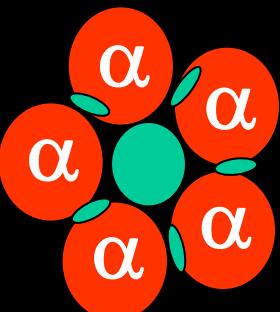
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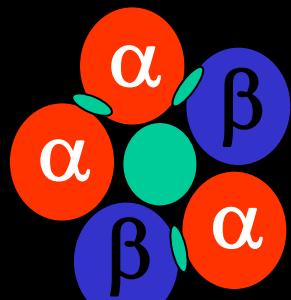
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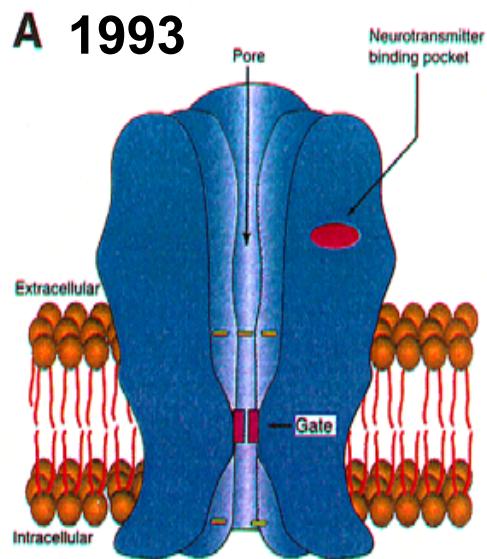
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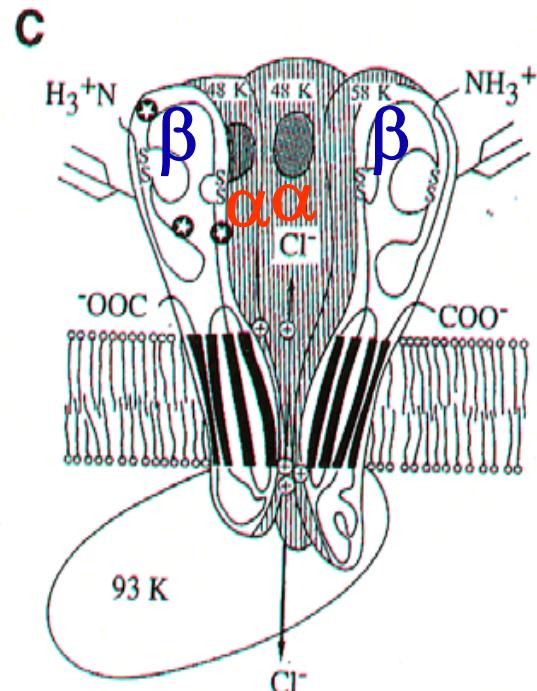
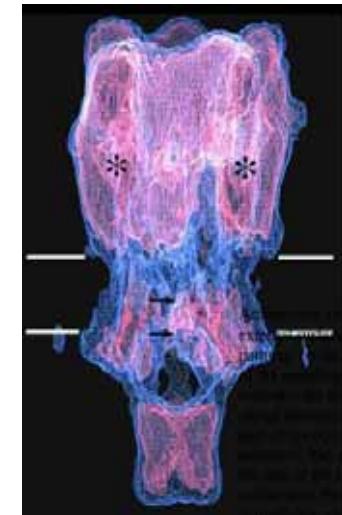
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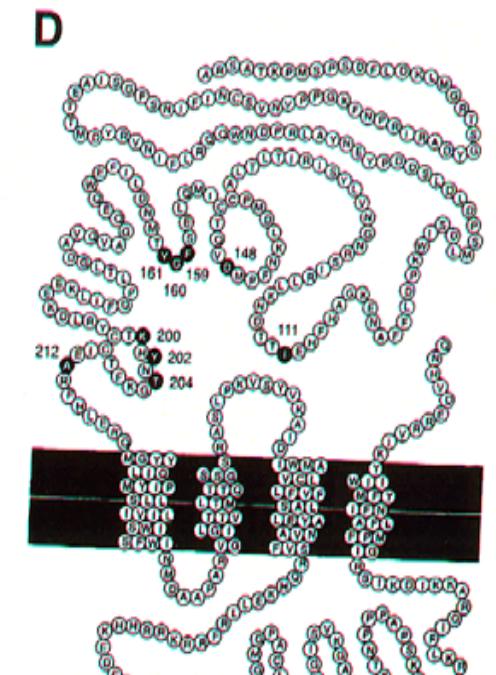
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Glycine Receptor



GlyR α subunit

Cys-loop channels phylogeny in eukaryotes

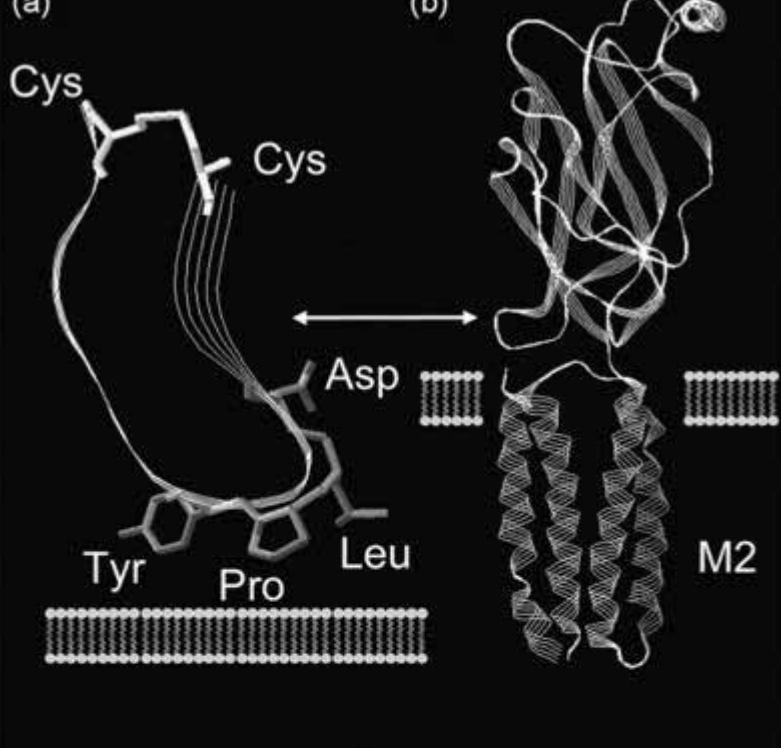
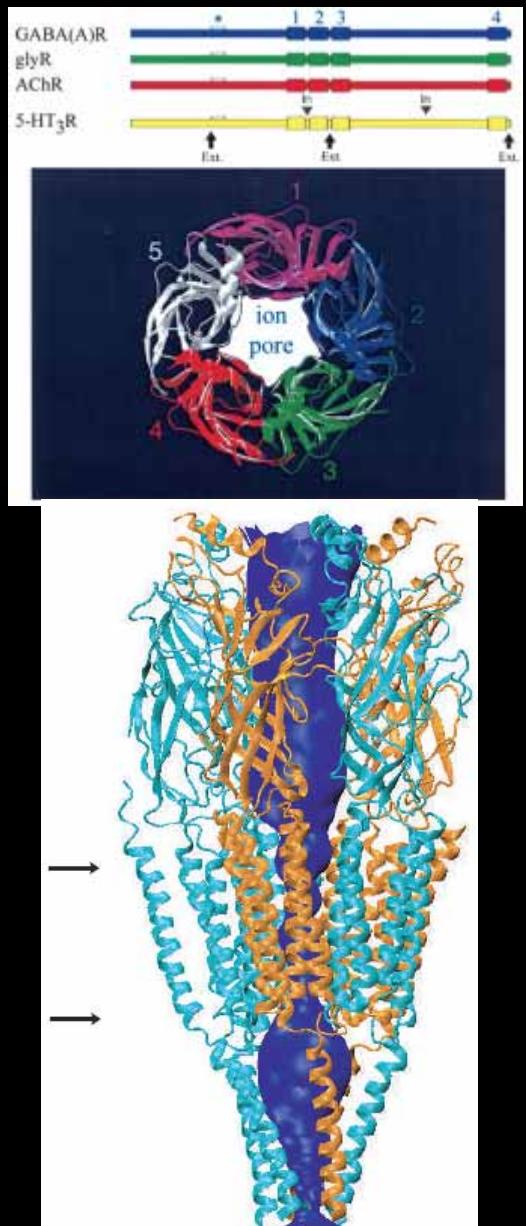
nAChR

5HT₃R

GABA-AR

GlyR





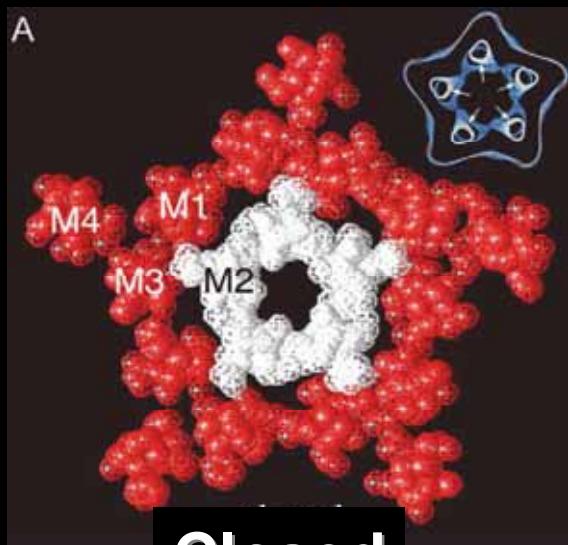
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	1*	5*	9*	15*
AChBP	CDVSG	VDTES	.GAT	C
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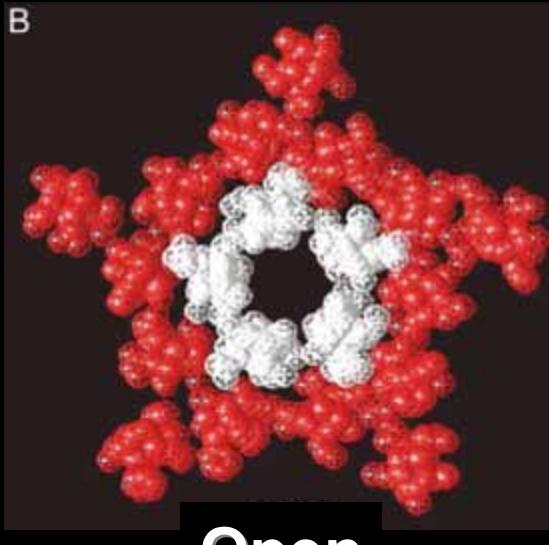
Signature sequence of 13 residues flanked by cysteines, form a closed loop situated between binding and channel domains

Cys-loop

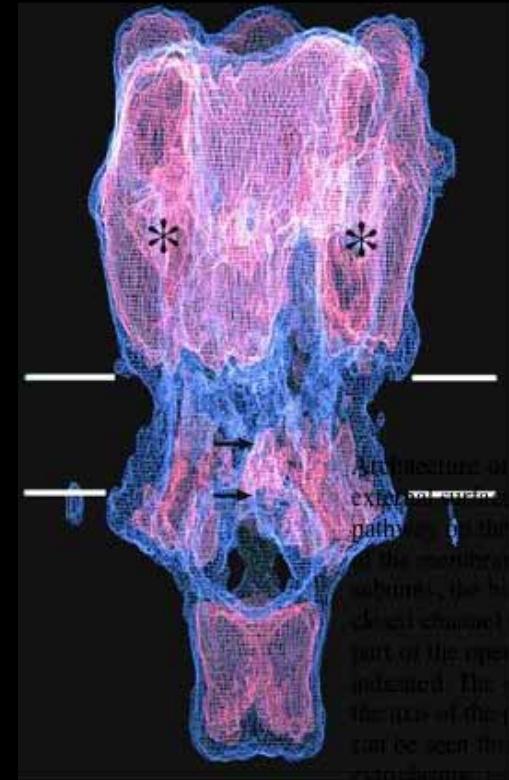
Ключевые вопросы:



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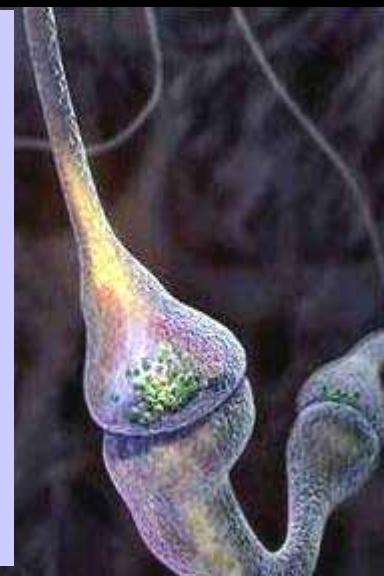
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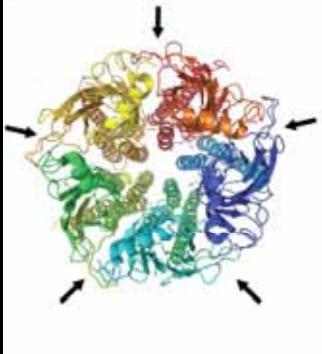


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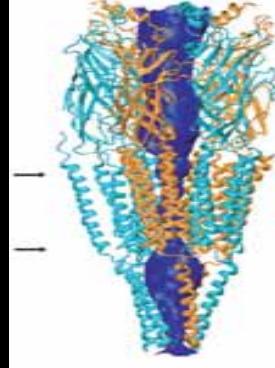
-Какие конформационные изменения претерпевает ионный канал при активации?

- Как регулируются функции ионных каналов?





Some key events in cys-loop receptors life

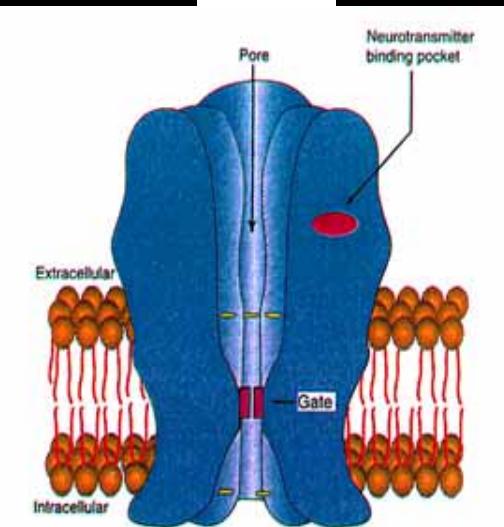


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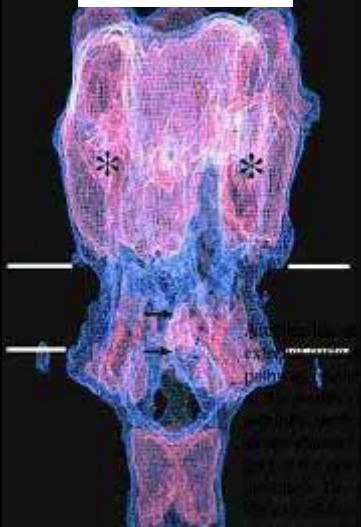
1999 - structure of AChR from *T. Californica* (4.6A) S. Unwin & co

2001 - crystal structure of ACh-binding protein from
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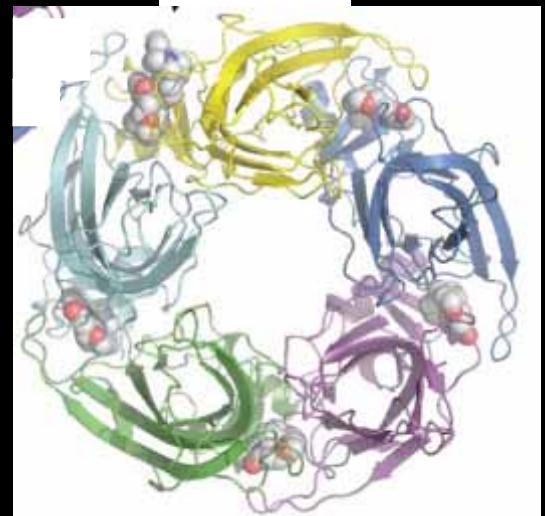
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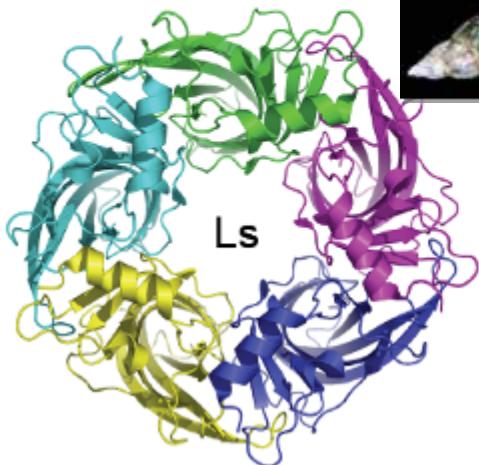
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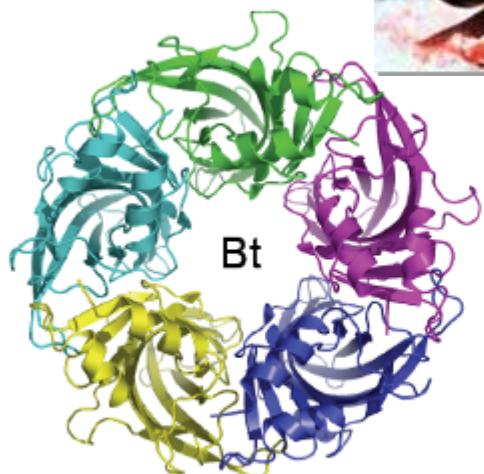
A conserved architectural fold among different AChBPs



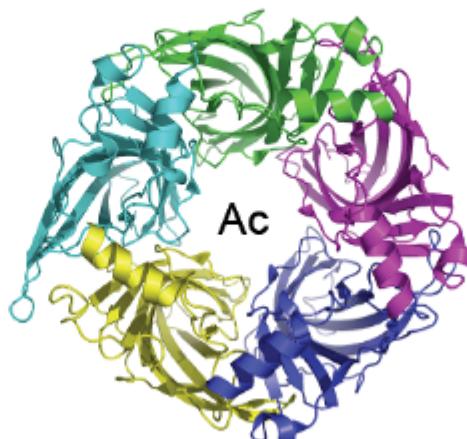
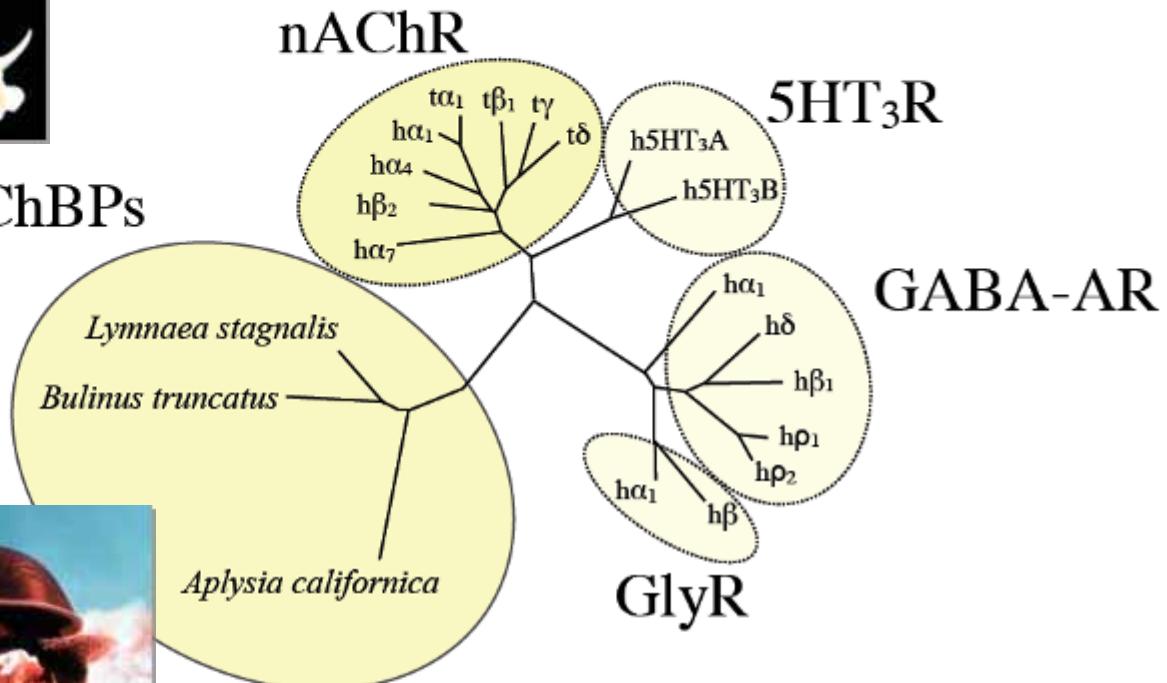
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AChBPs



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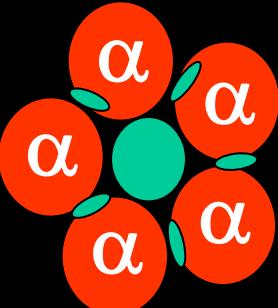
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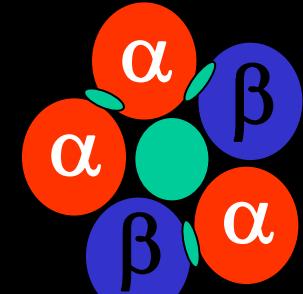
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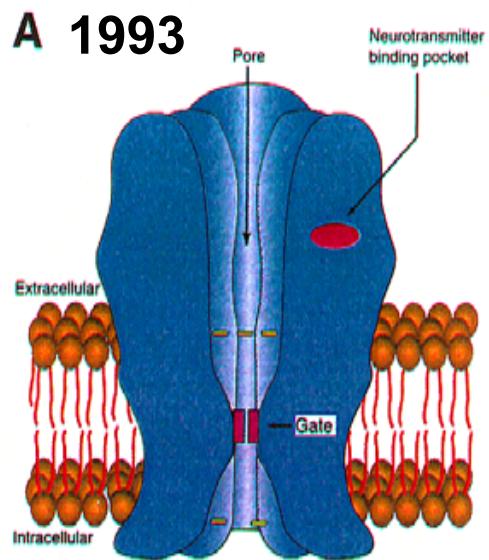
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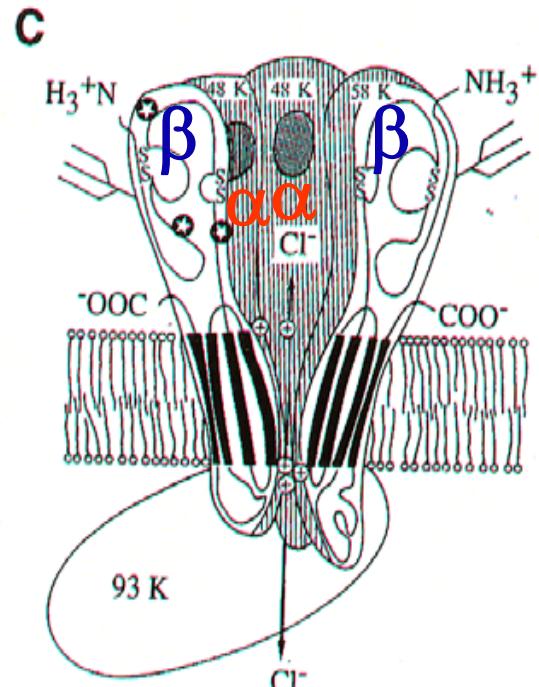
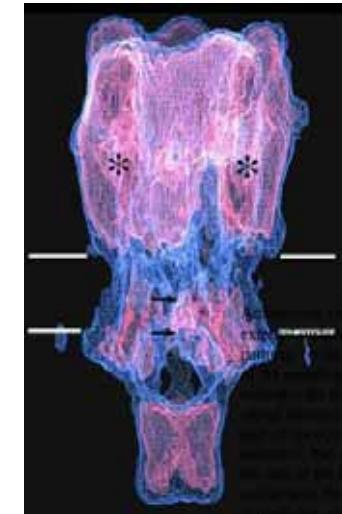
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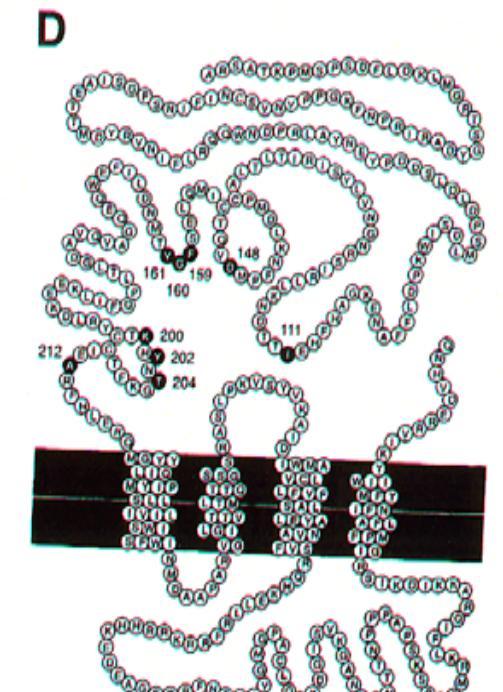
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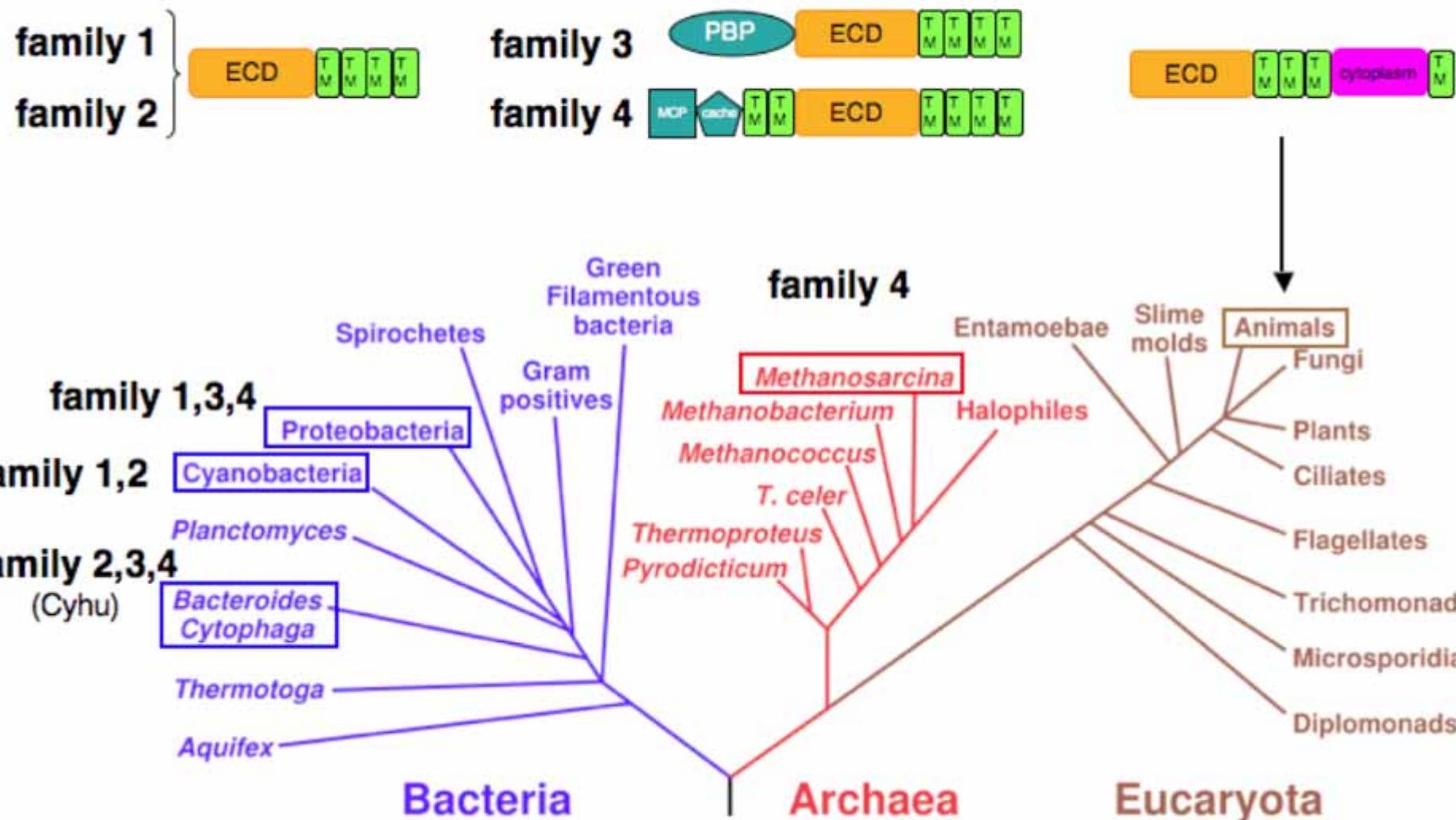


Glycine Receptor



GlyR α subunit

4-ТМ каналы обнаружены во всех биологических царствах



Bacterial CLR history

2005 **Genomic identification**

Tasneem et al. *Genome Biol* 6 (1) pp. R4

2007 **Functional identification**

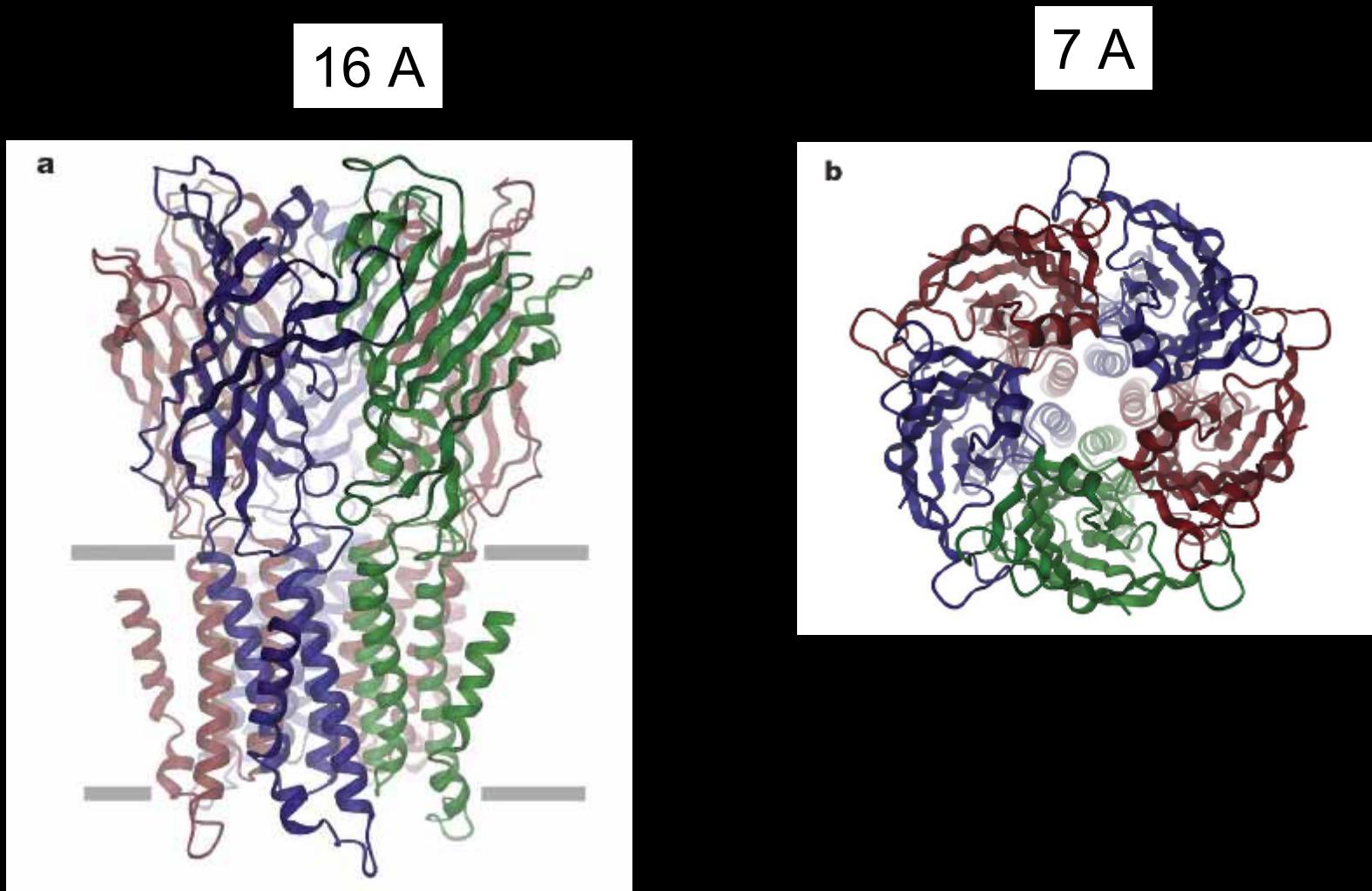
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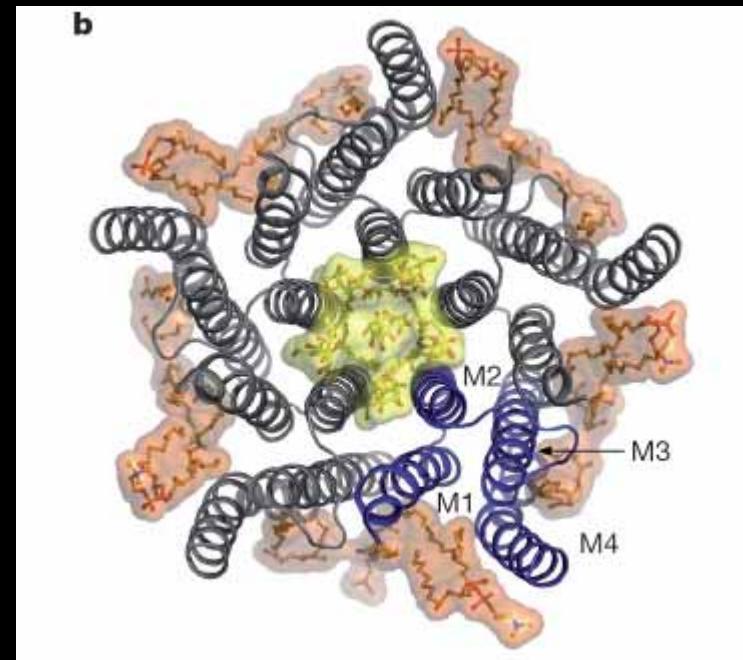
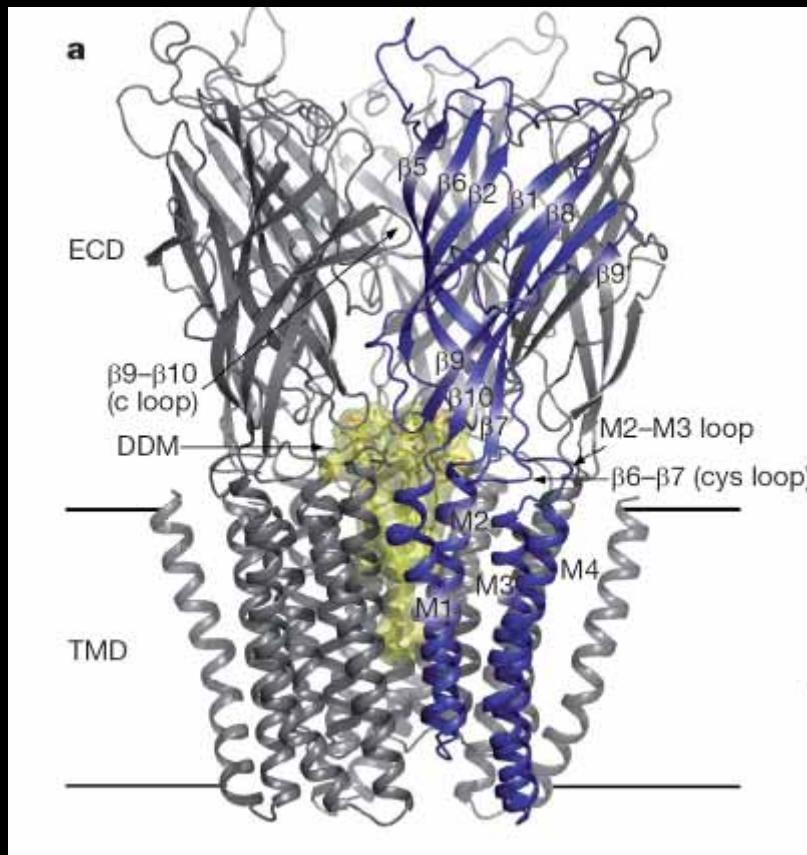
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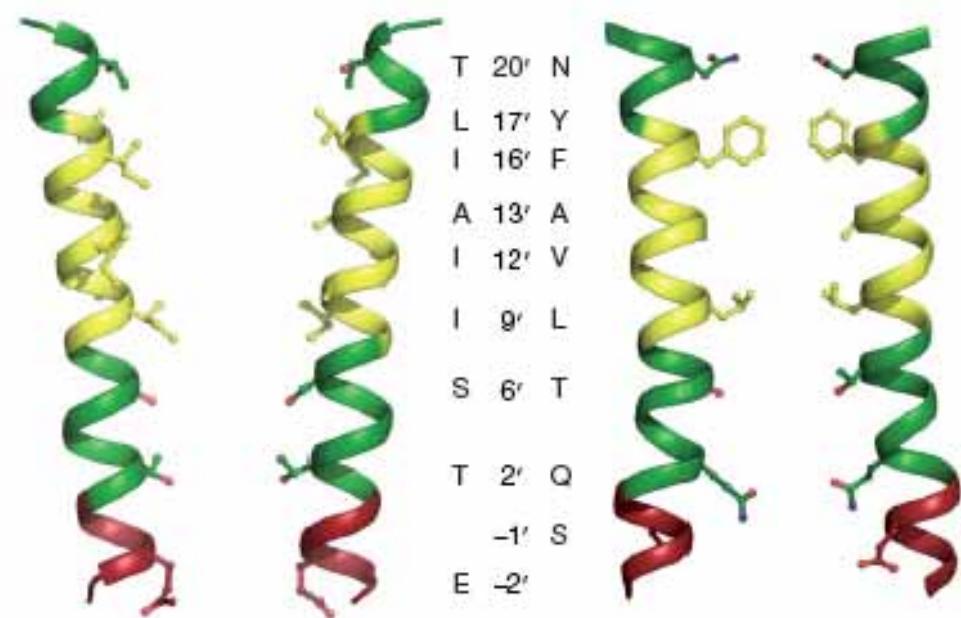
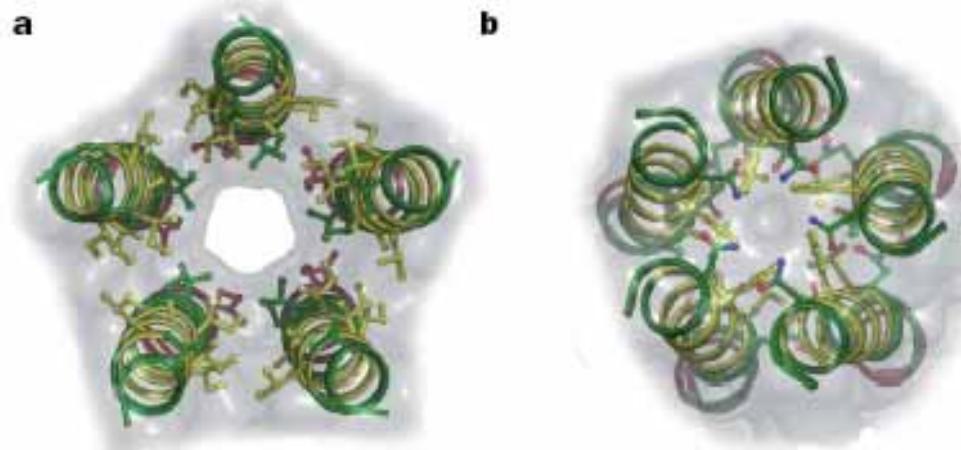
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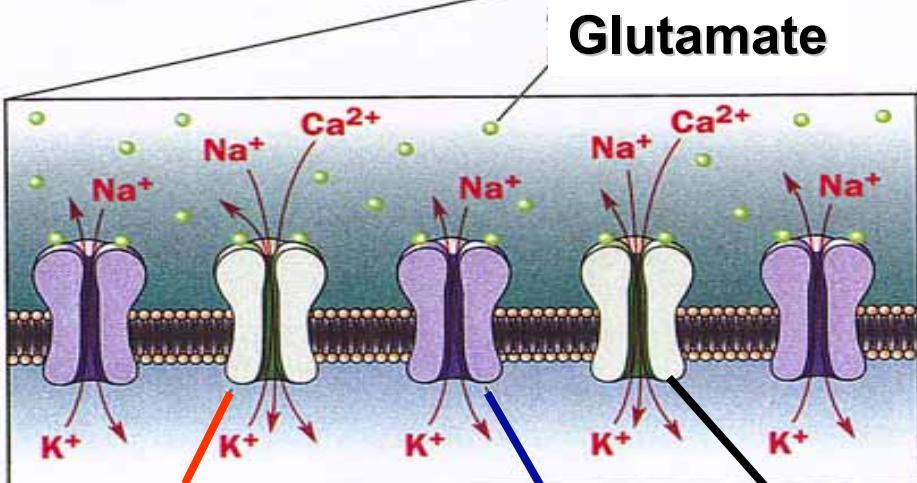
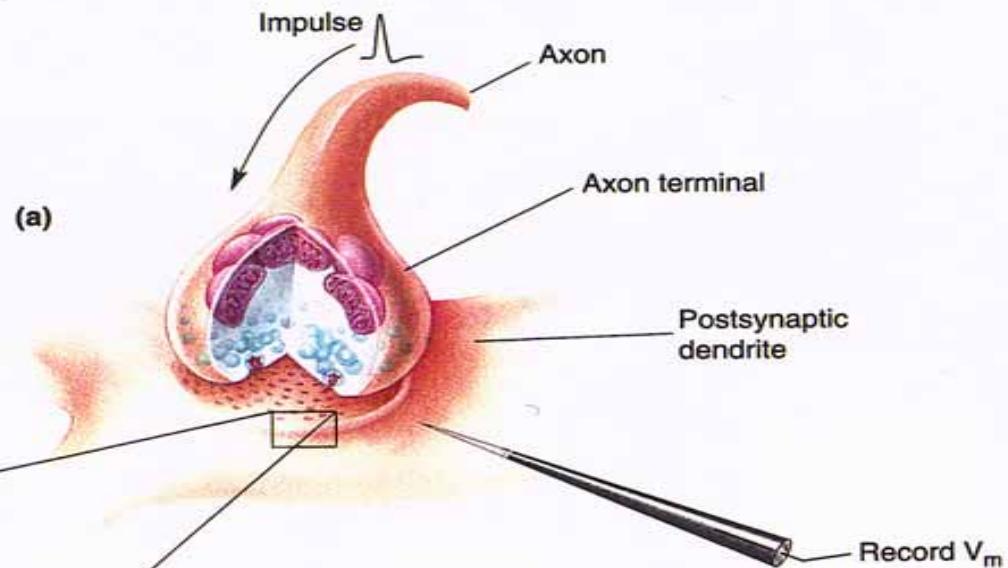
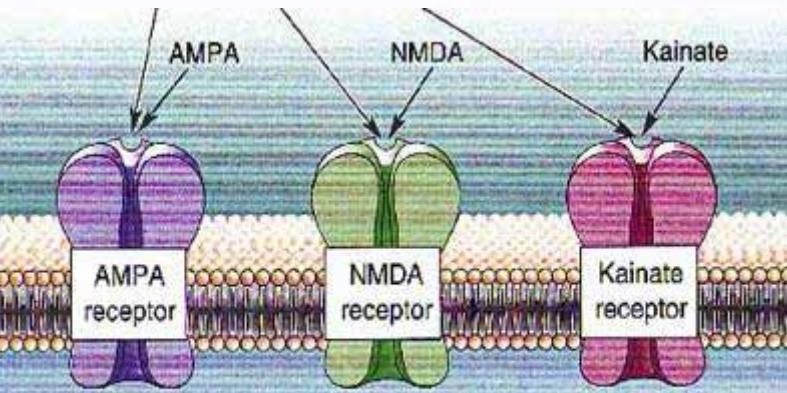


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Самосборка ионных каналов в синапсах

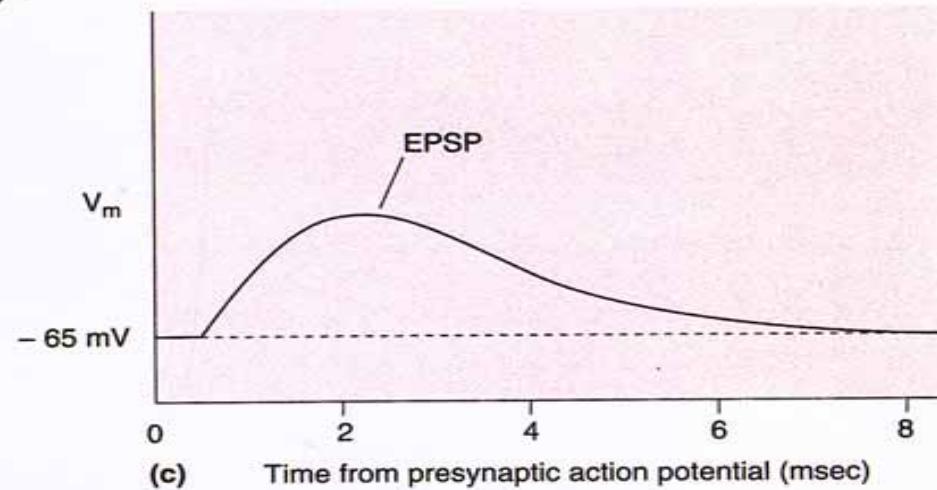
Как эти рецепторы ко-локализуются?



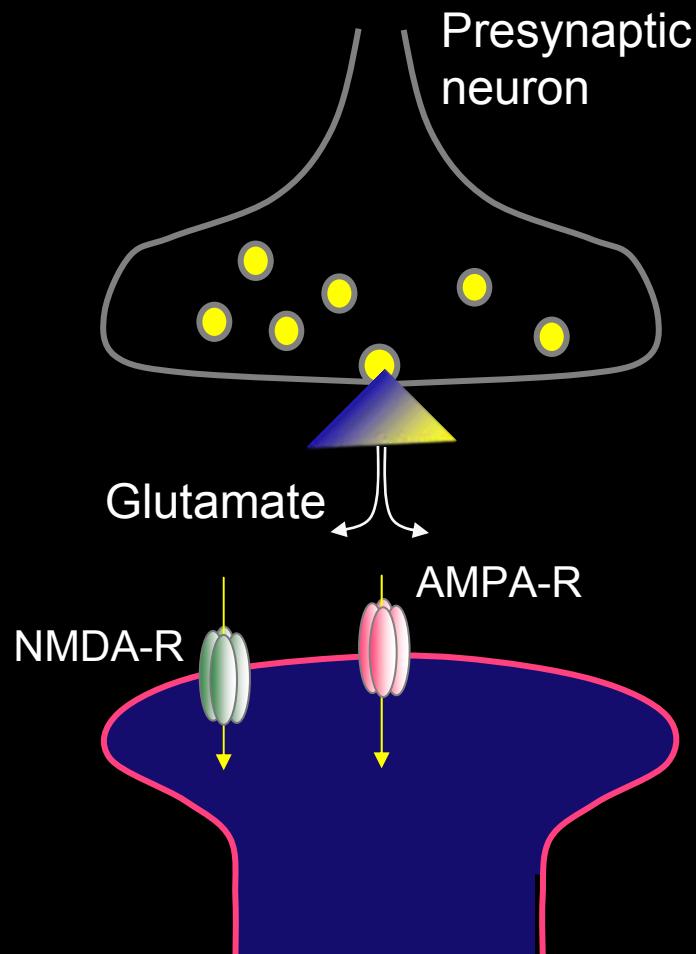
**NMDA
receptor**

**AMPA
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**Kainate
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Постсинаптическая плотность глутаматергических синапсов



Glutamate
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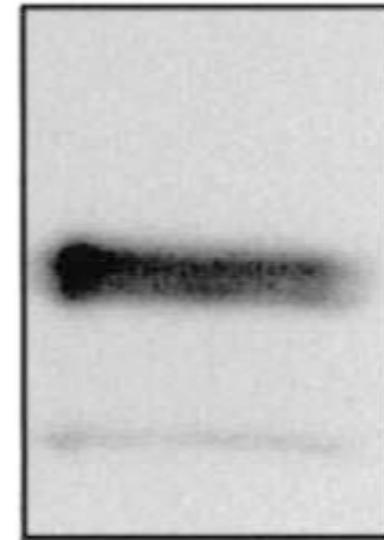


PSD-95-domain organization

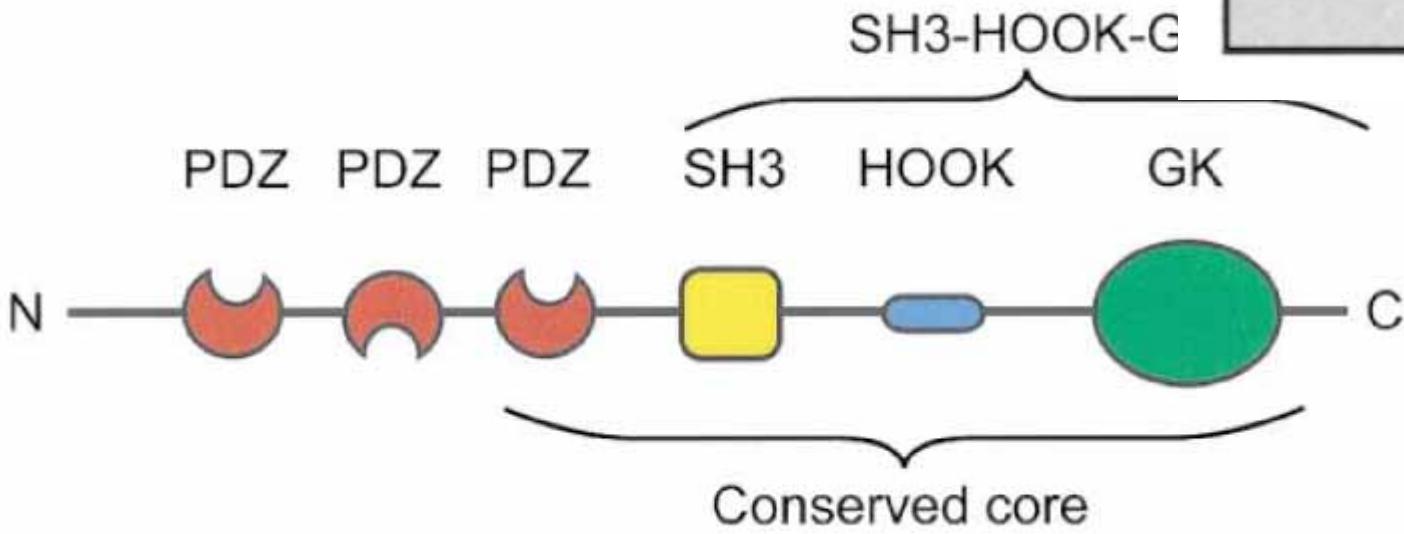
PDZ domains- modular protein-interaction domains that are specified for binding a short peptide motifs at the extreme carboxy (C) termini of other proteins.

PDZ domains-are located at about 12 nm below postsynaptic membrane.

anti-
PSD-95



— 122 kD
— 102 kD
— 80 kD



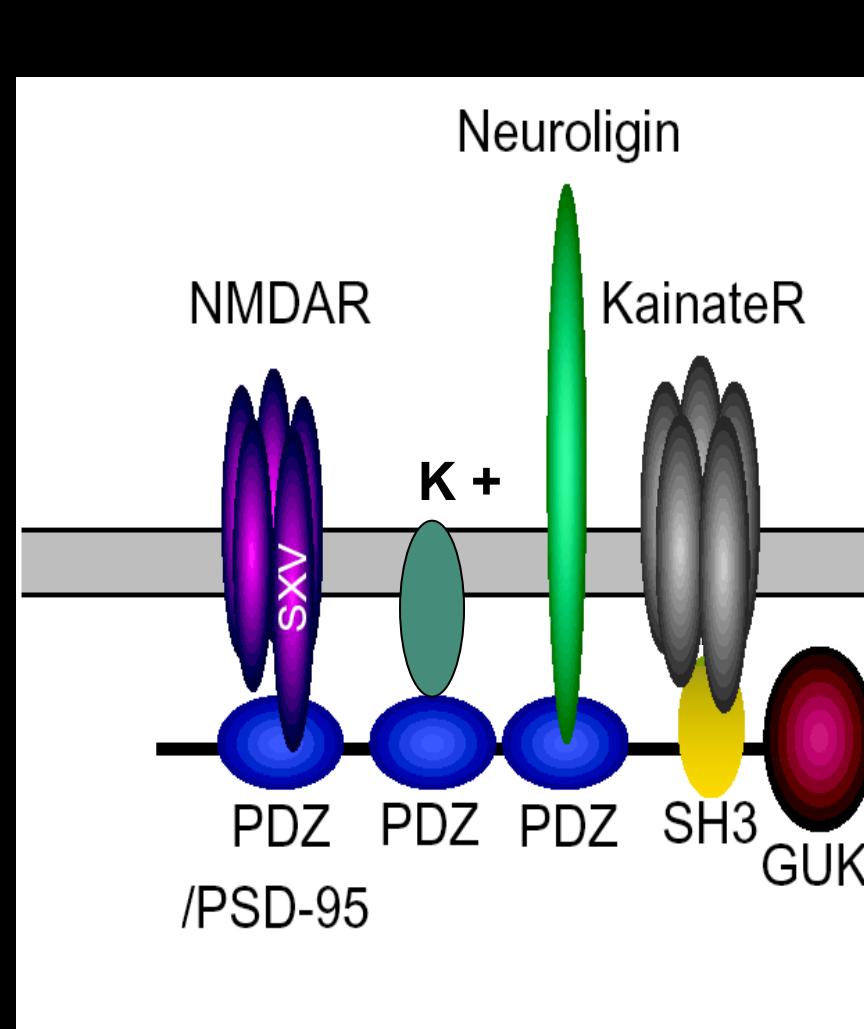
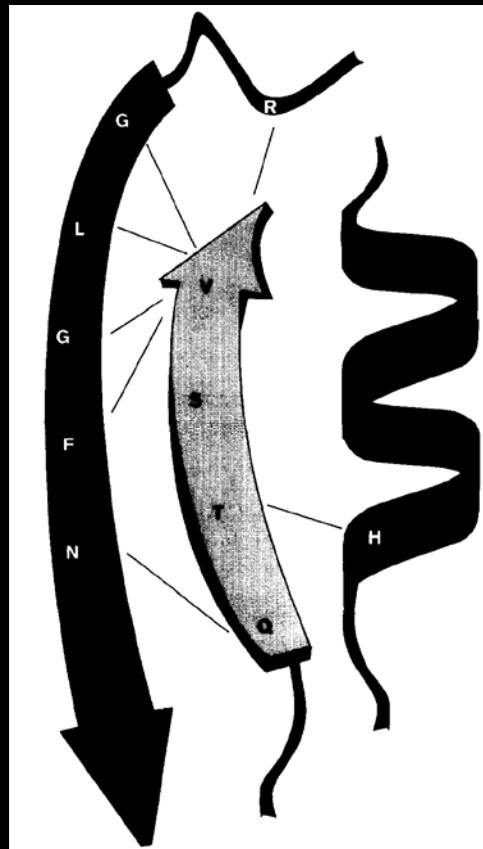
P. Seeburg et al, 1995 : PSD-95 stimulate clustering of NMDAR channels

M. Sheng et al, 1995 : PSD-95 stimulate clustering of potassium channels

protein–protein interactions between synaptic components of the postsynaptic density (PSD)

- 90 amino acids

-Six β -strands and two α -helices



-ETDV - K⁺ channel

-ESDV - NMDA receptor (NR2A/B subunits)

Schematic diagram of the protein–protein interactions between synaptic protein components of the postsynaptic density (PSD)

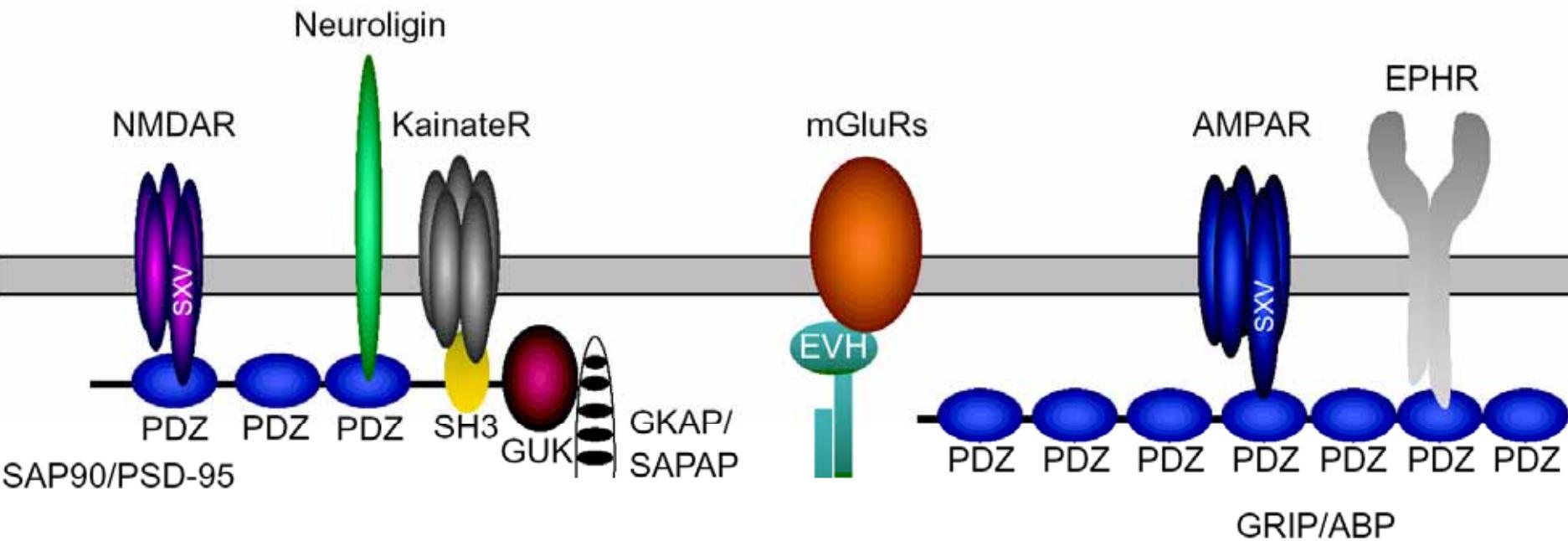
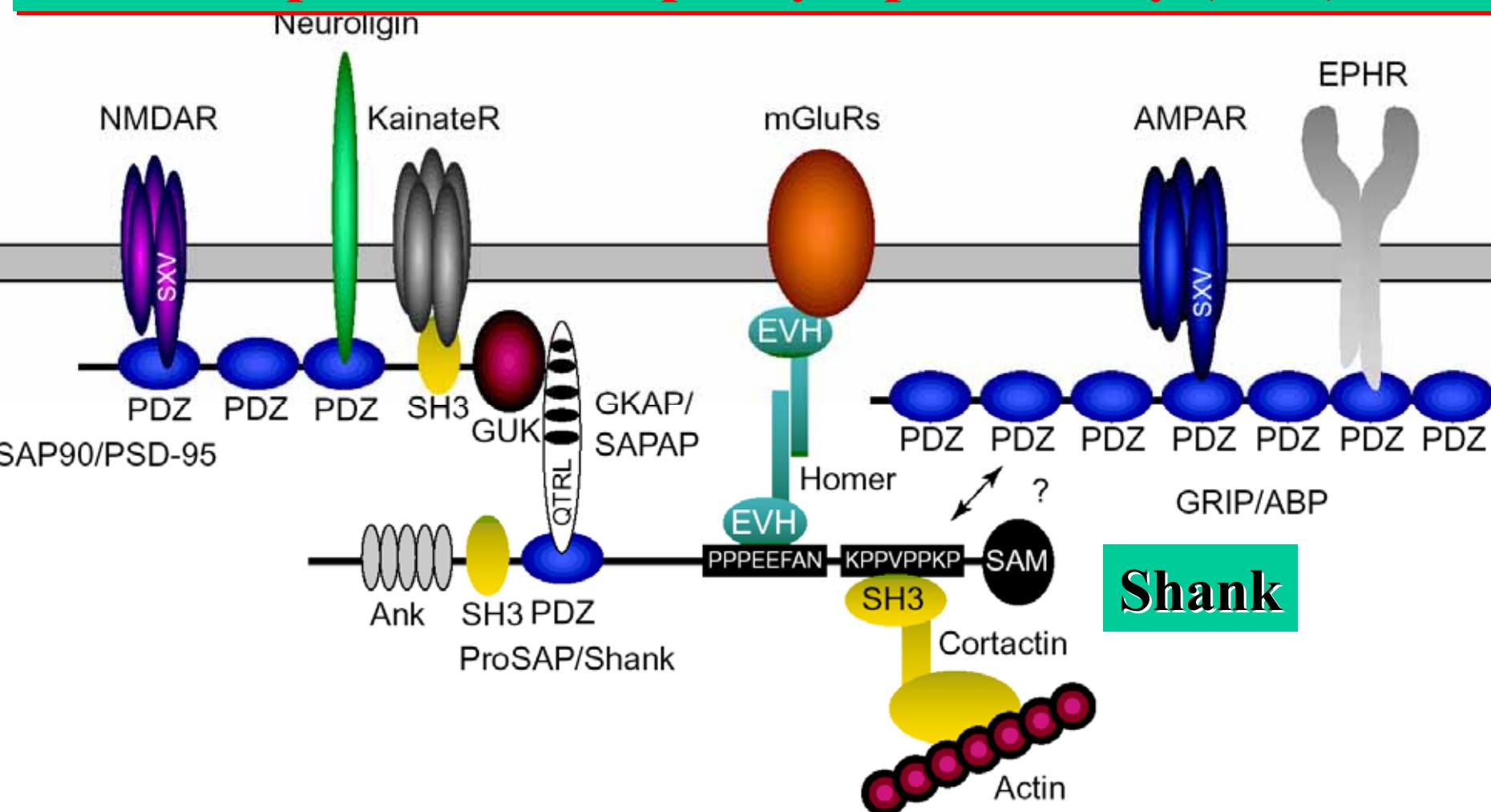
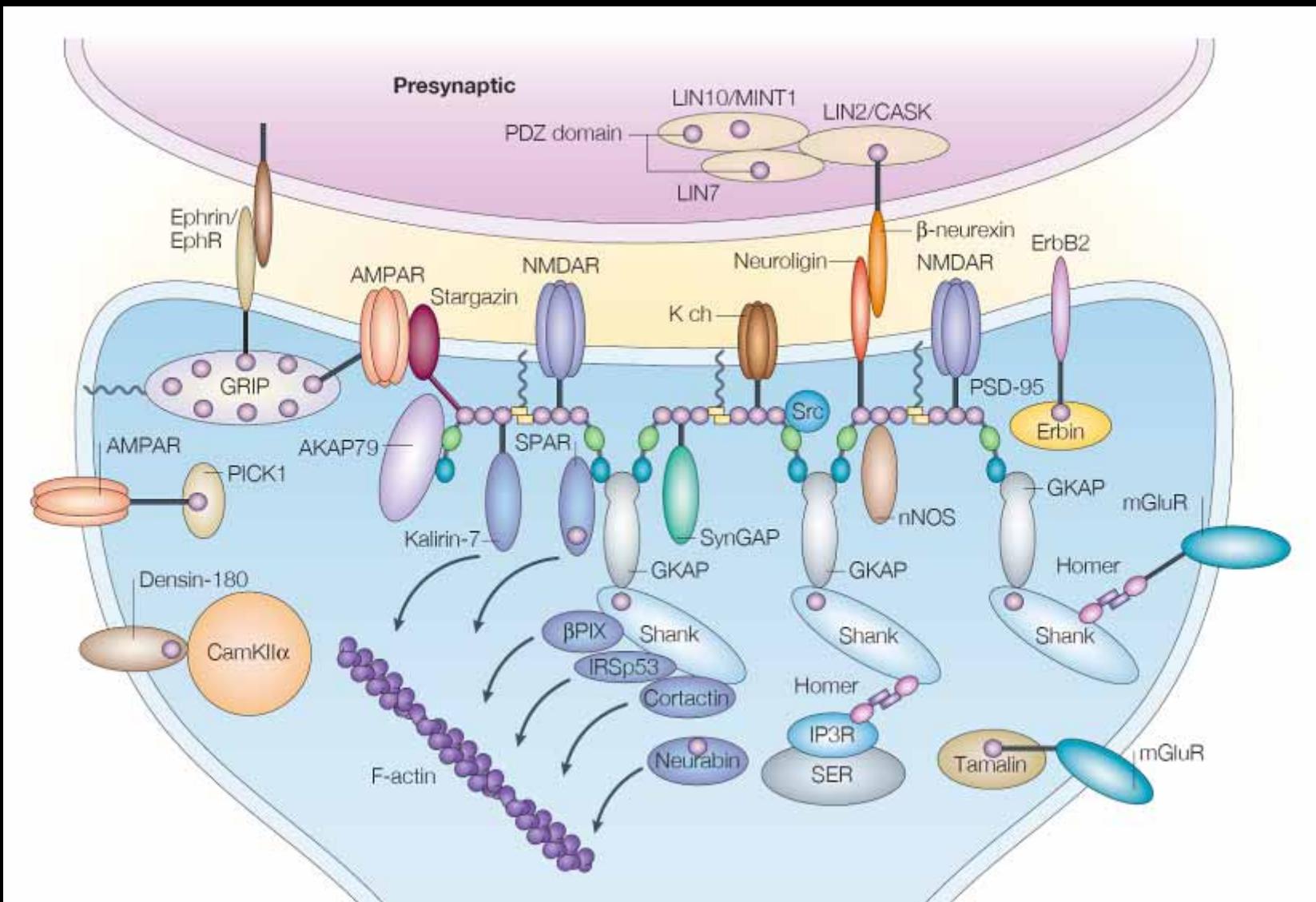


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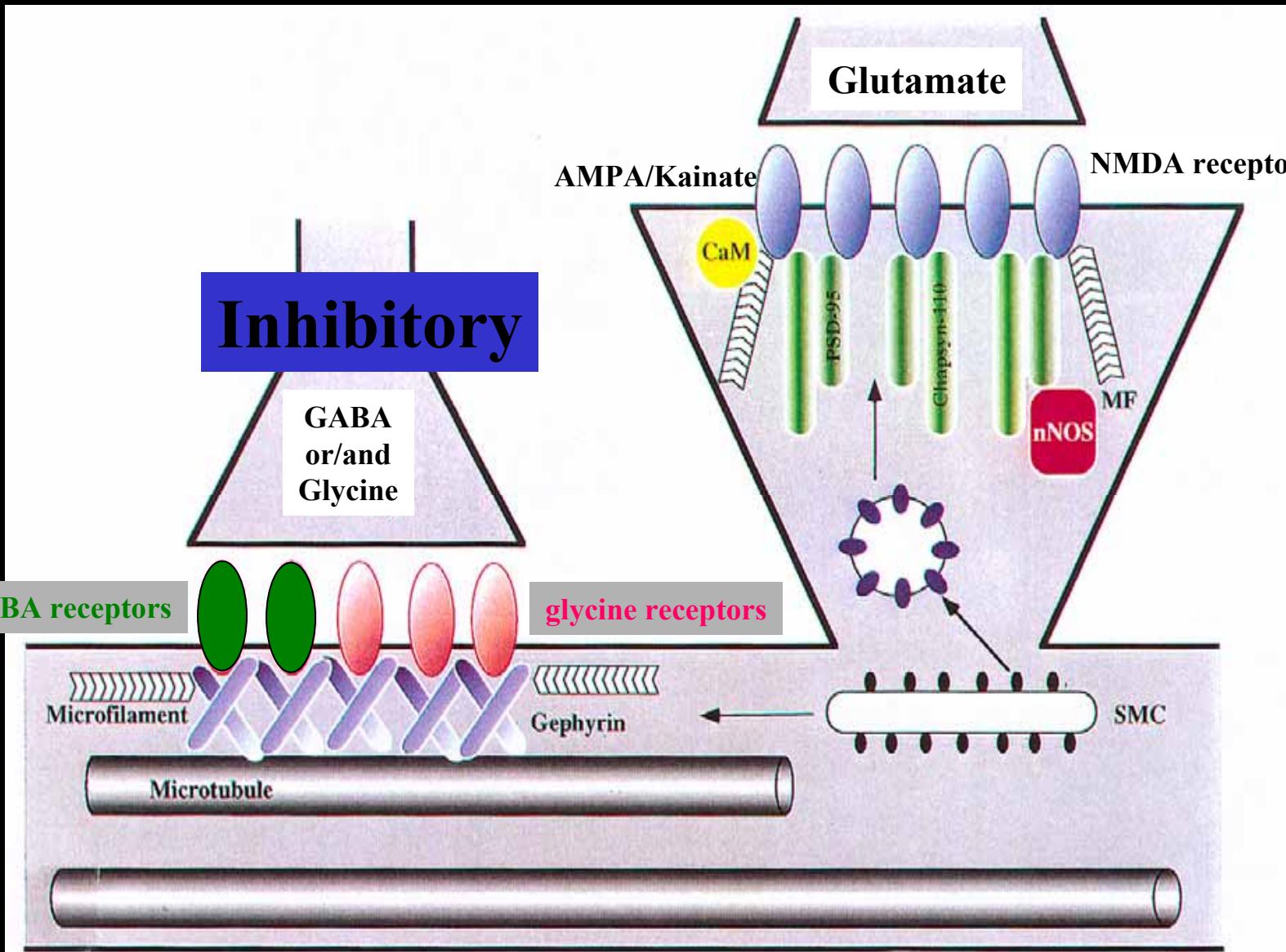
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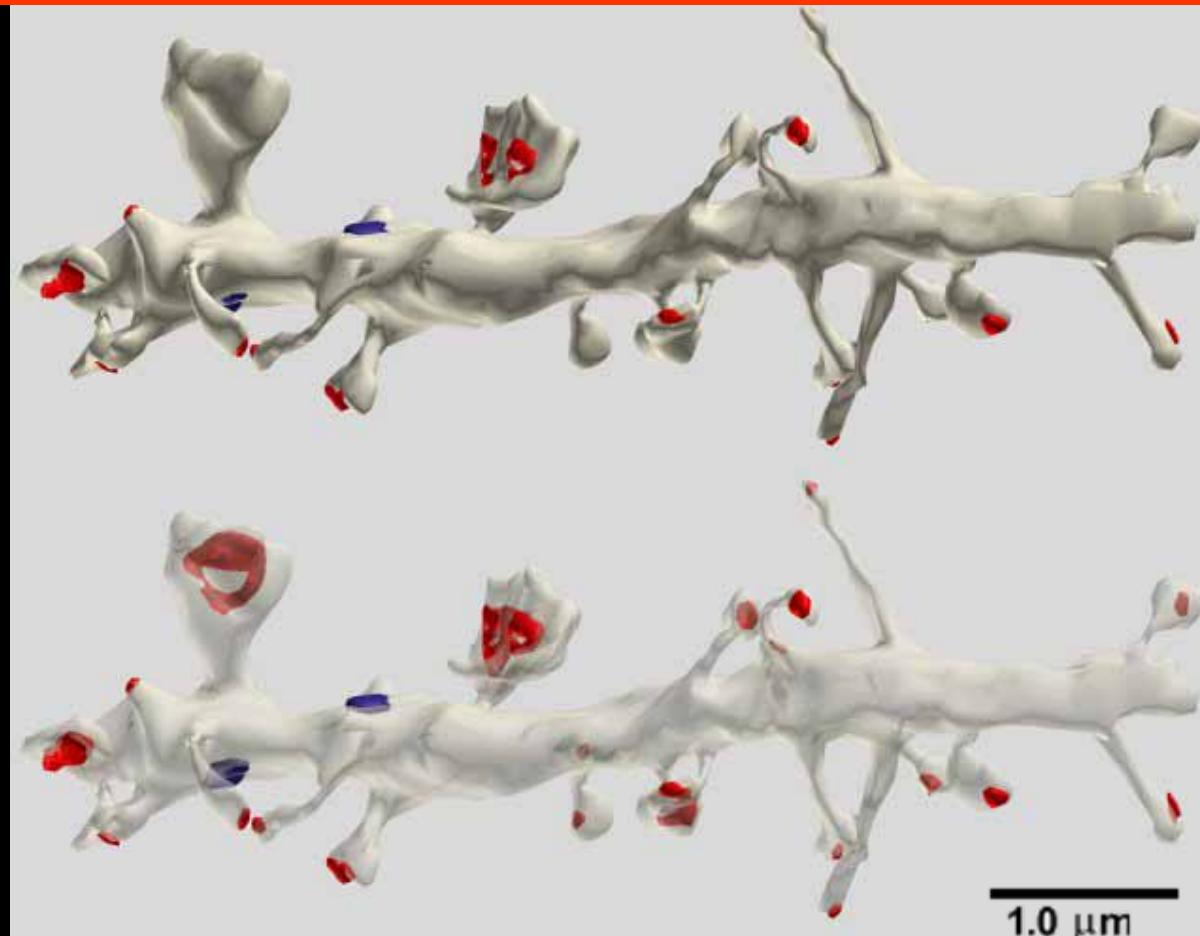
Формирование и подвижность синапсов

Model of synapses

Excitatory



Дендриты и постсинаптические шипики содержат актин



Fifkova, E., and Delay, R.J. (1982.) Cytoplasmic actin in neuronal processes as a possible mediator of synaptic plasticity. *J. Cell Biol.* 95, 345–350.

Matus, A., Ackermann, M., Pehling, G., Byers, H.R., and Fujiwara, K. (1982.) High actin concentrations in brain dendritic spines and postsynaptic densities. *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 79, 7590–7594.

Excitatory synapses are shown in red. Inhibitory synapses in blue.

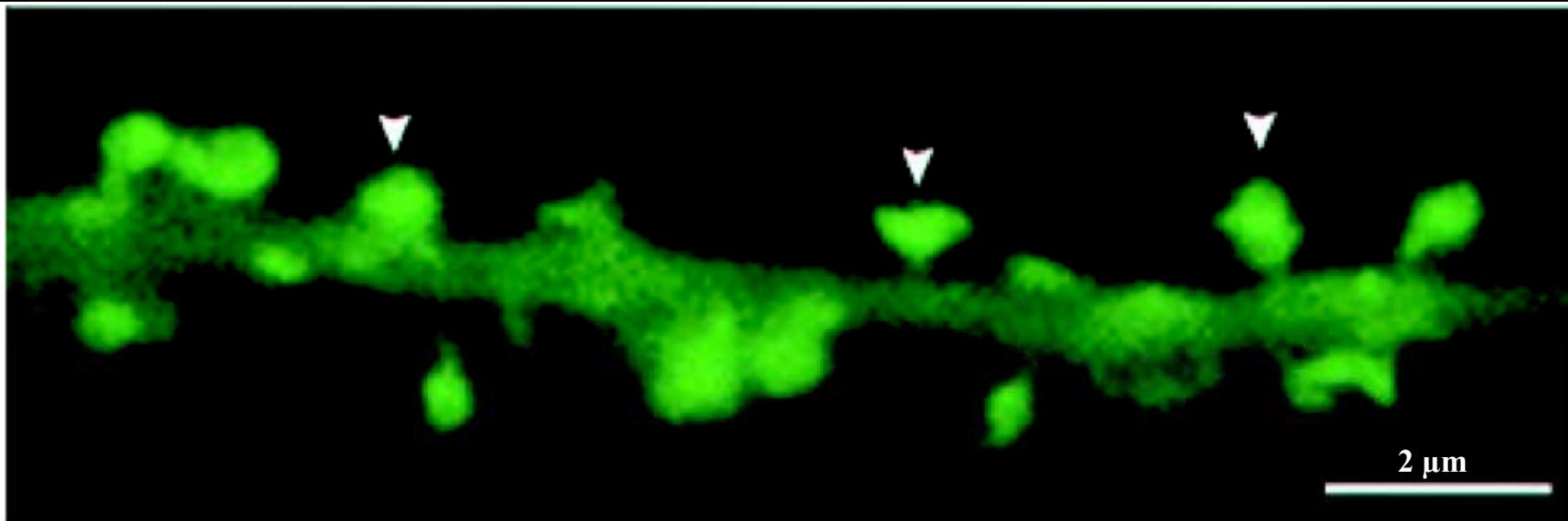
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X-Protein

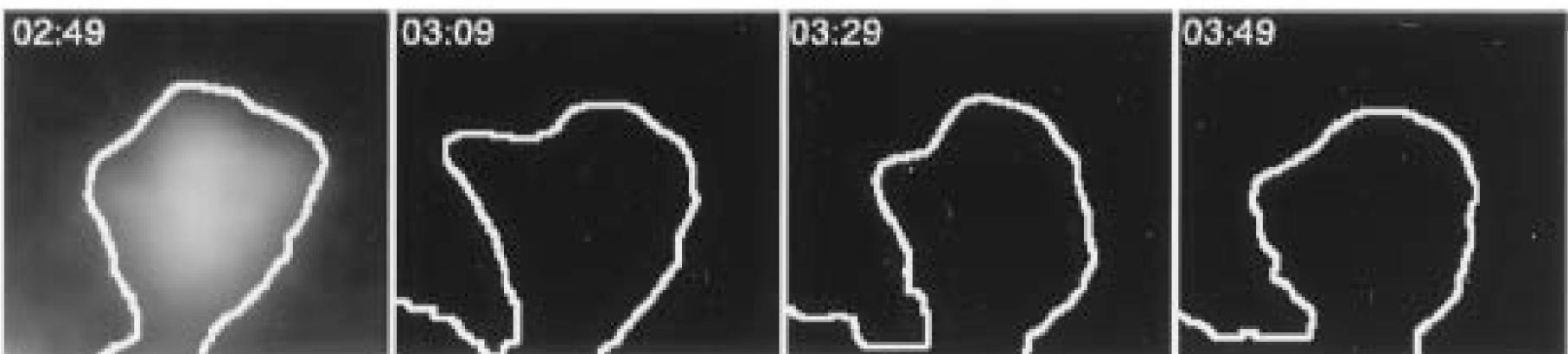


Actin

Подвижность дендритных шипиков

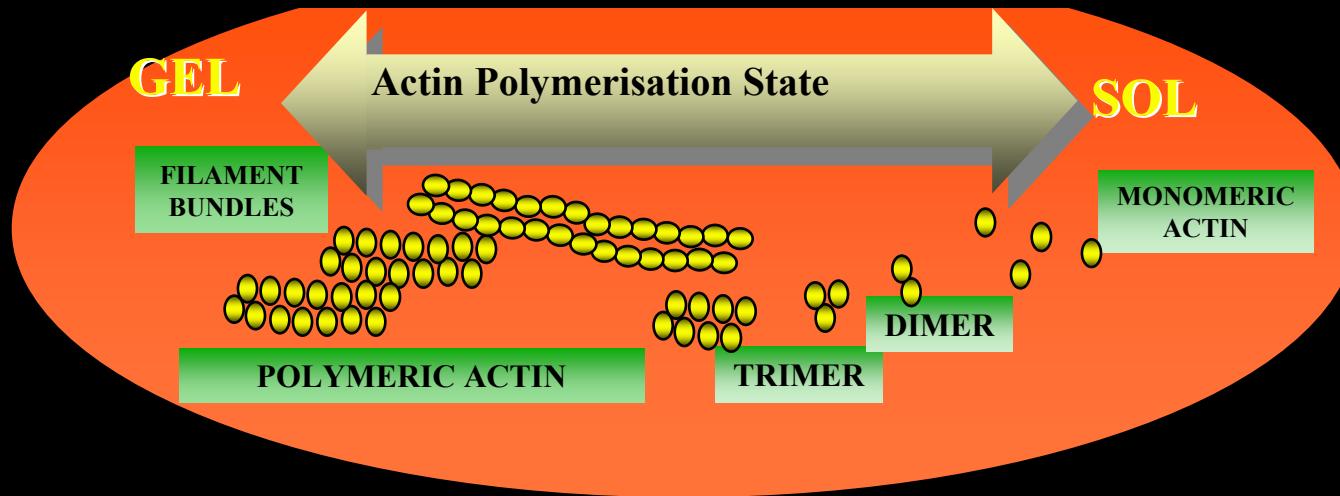


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**Actin in spines of hippocampal neurons
Matus**

F/G-actin modulators

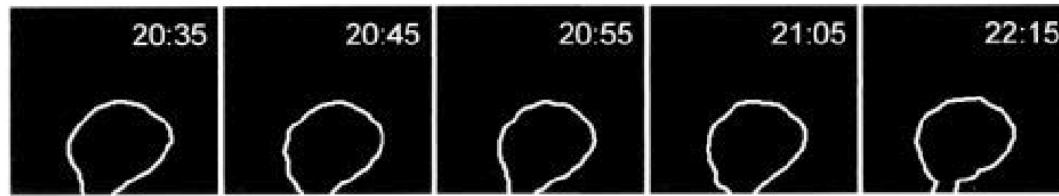


CYTOCHALASIN	Depolymerization: cap to the fast-growing end
LANTRUCULIN	Depolymerization: binds to monomeric actin (marine sponge)
PHALLOIDIN	Polymerization: prevents depolymerization (mushroom)
JASPLAKINOLIDE	Polymerization: prevents depolymerization (marine sponge)
Proteins	
GELSOLIN	Depolymerization: (i) Ca-dependent F-actin severing; (ii) displace phalloidin from actin filaments;
COFILIN	Depolymerization: pH-dependent;
PROFILIN	Polymerization

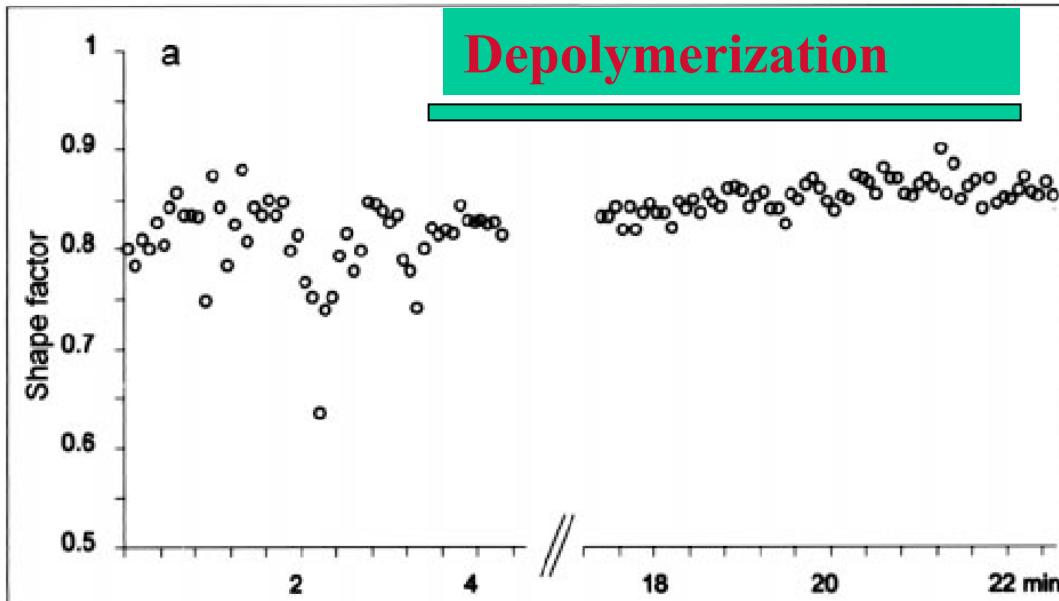
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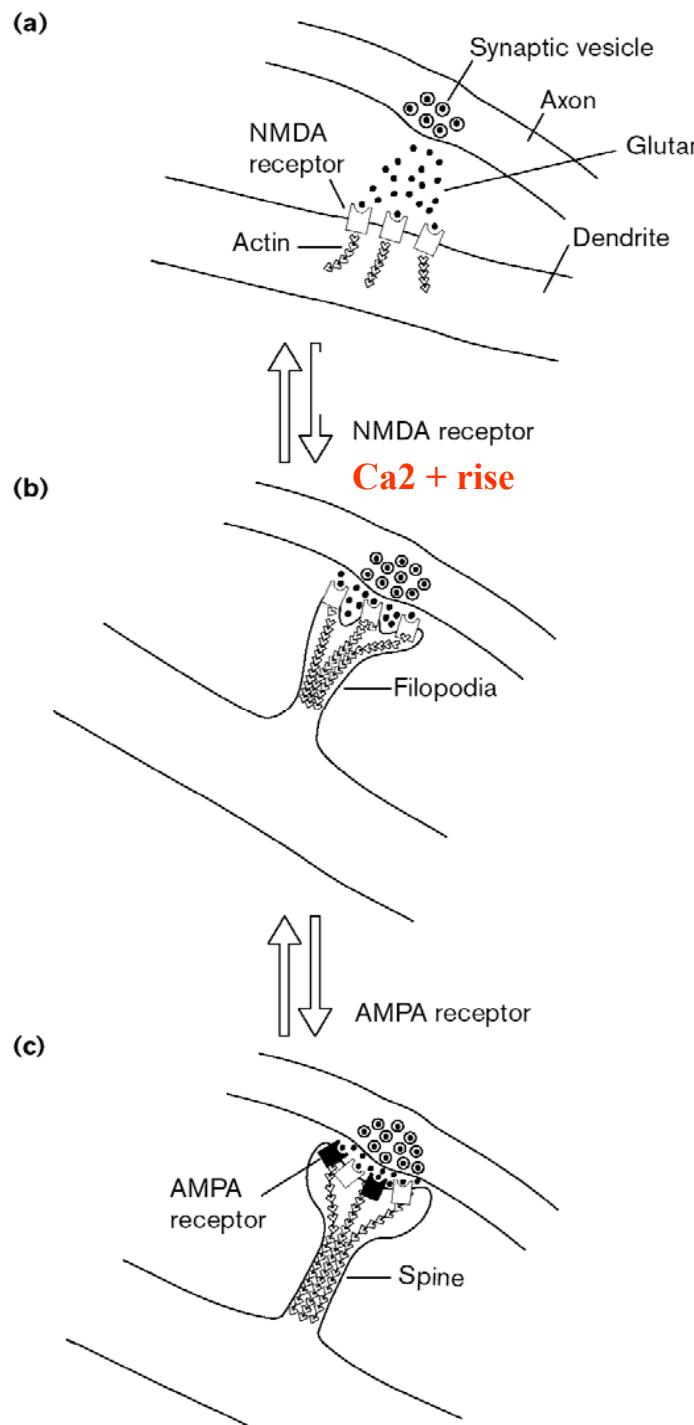


Actin in spines + CytD

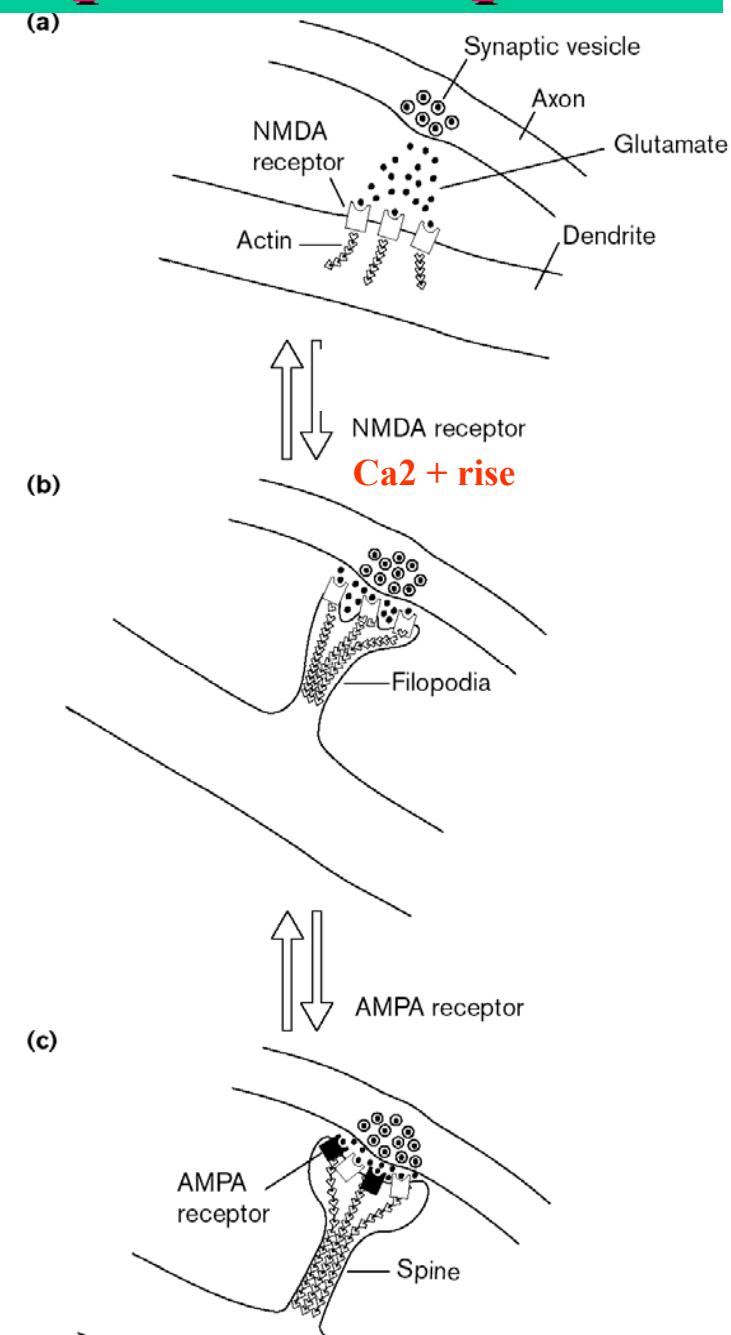
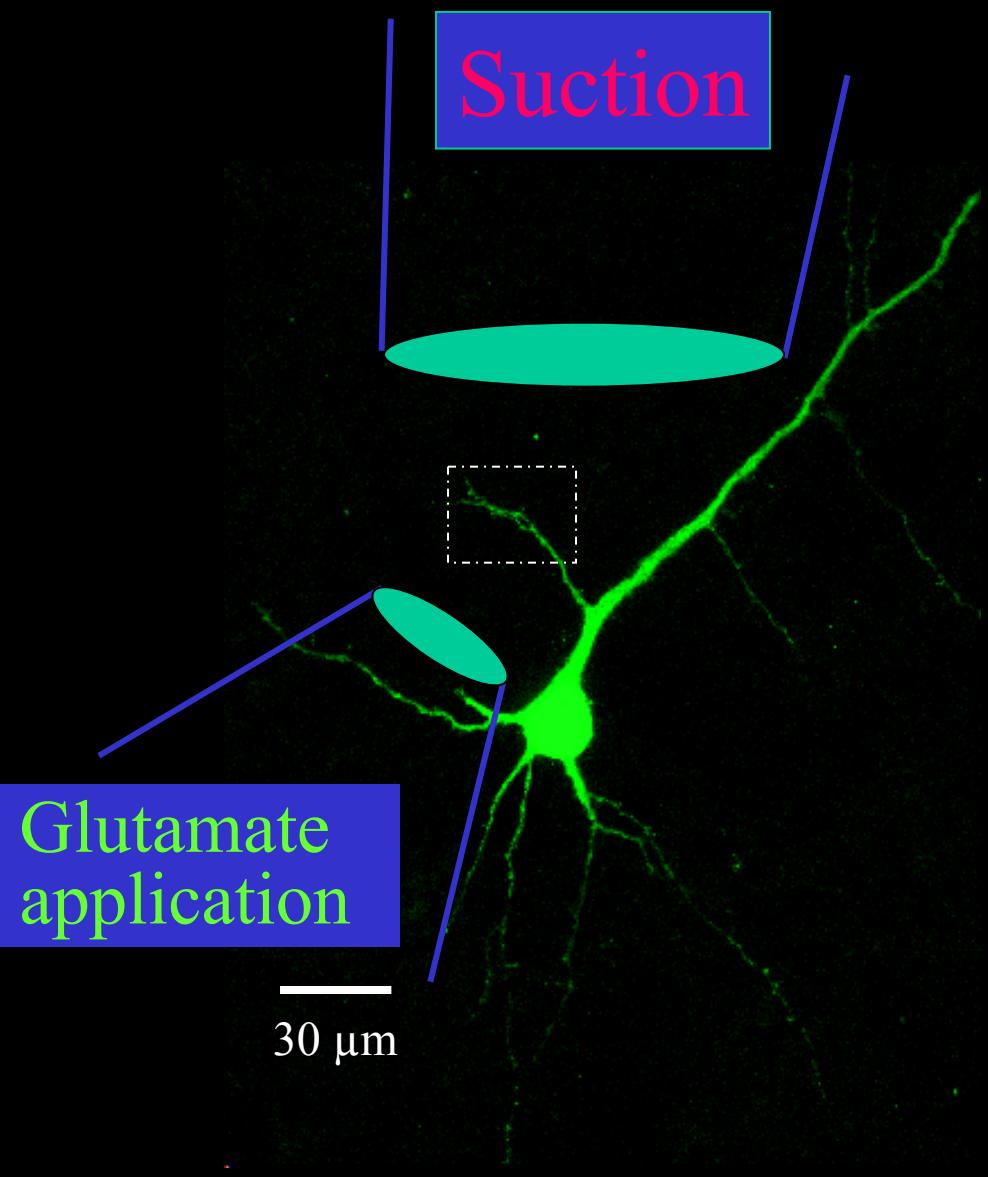
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Ca^{2+} -стимулируемое формирование дендритных шипиков

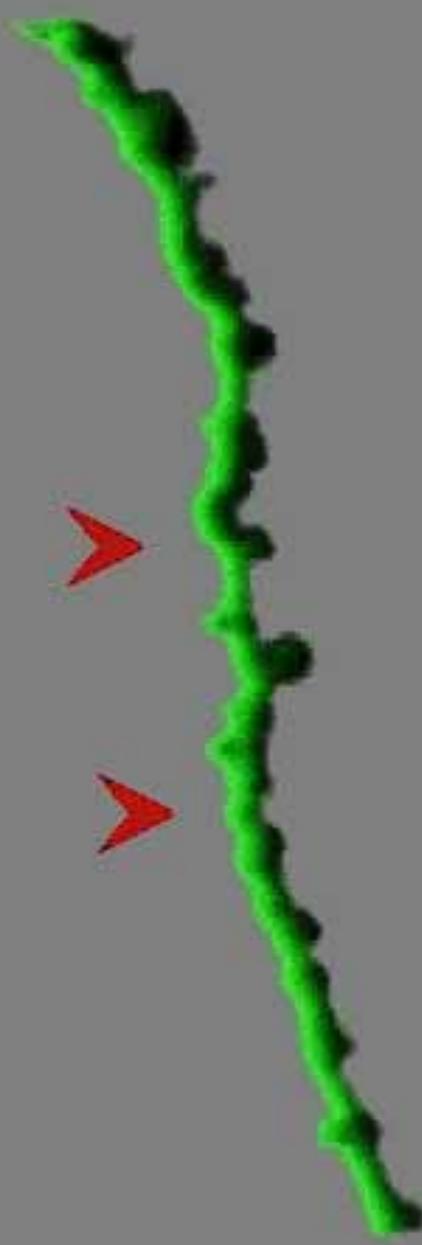


Локальная активация рецепторов в дендритах



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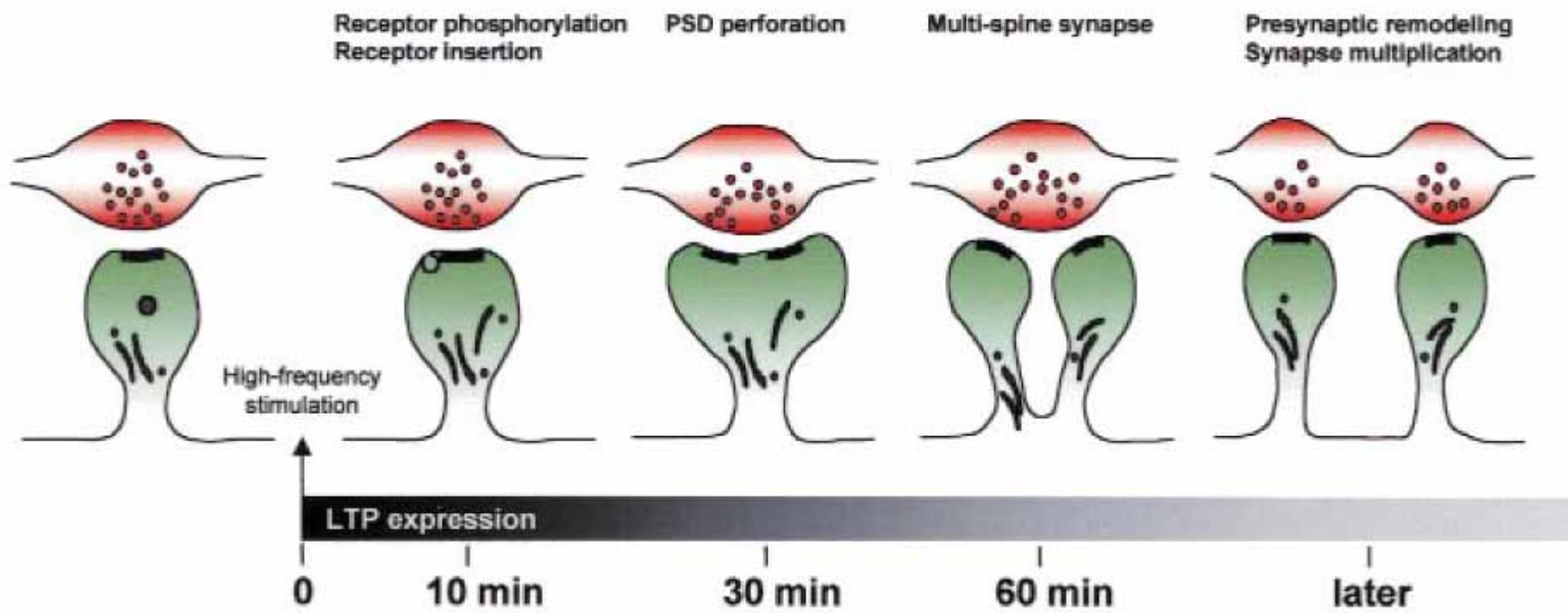
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Подвижность дендритных шипиков

<i>Effect</i>	<i>Correlate</i>	<i>Time-scale</i>
Motility	Shape Change	Seconds
Growing	New Spines	Minutes Hours

Возможный механизм формирования новых синапсов

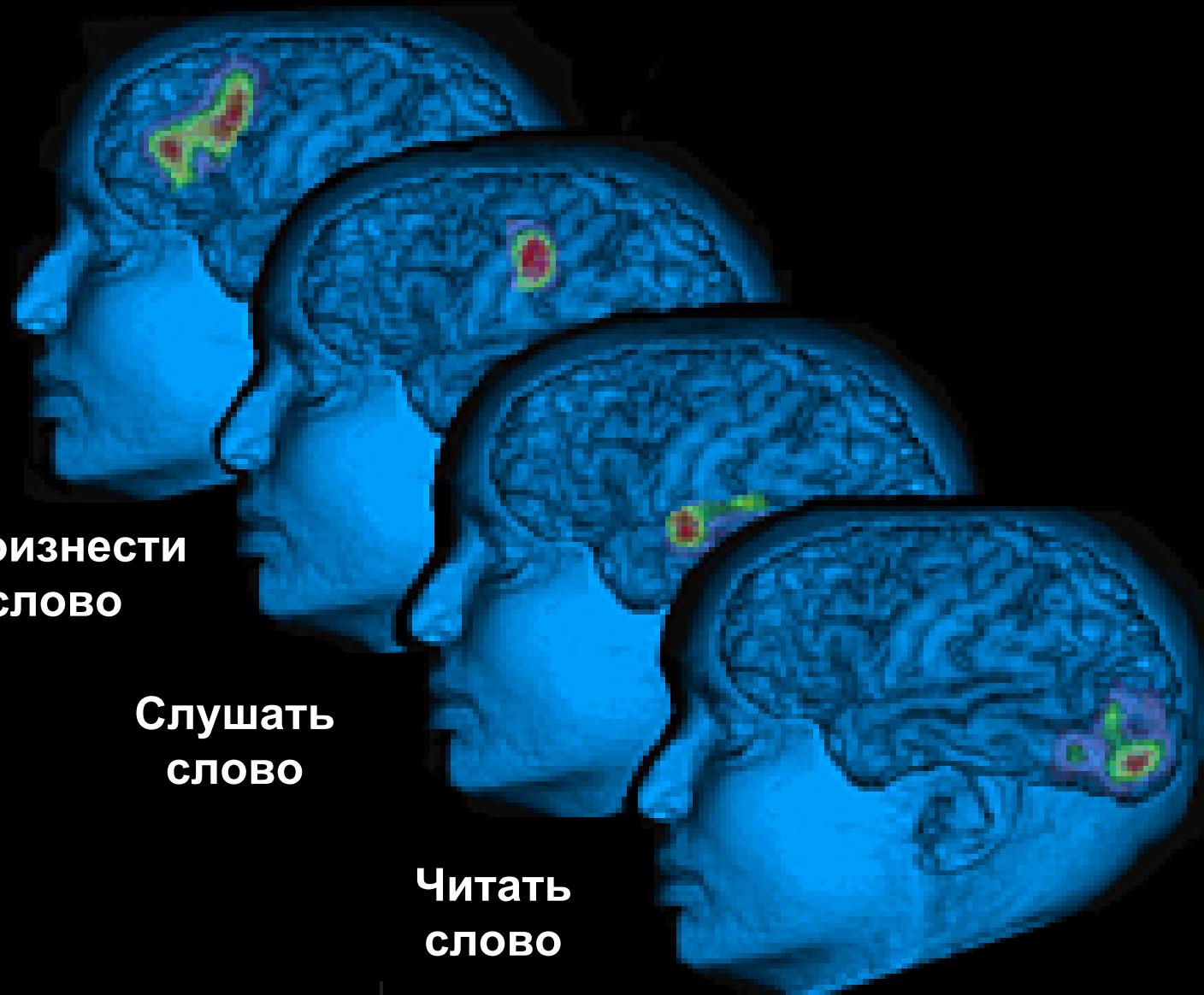


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На память:

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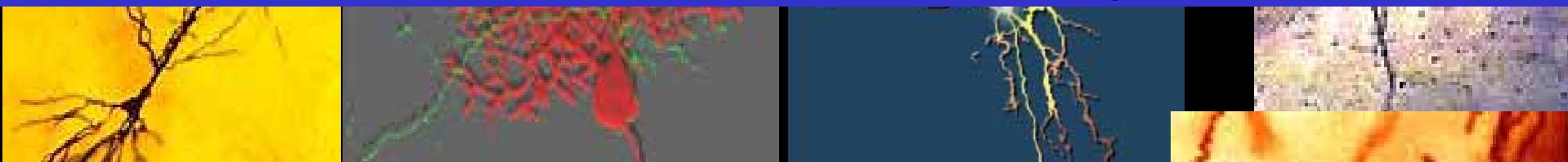
В будущем:

- формирование и пластичность нервной сети
- модели памяти
- нарушения функции каналов и синапсов

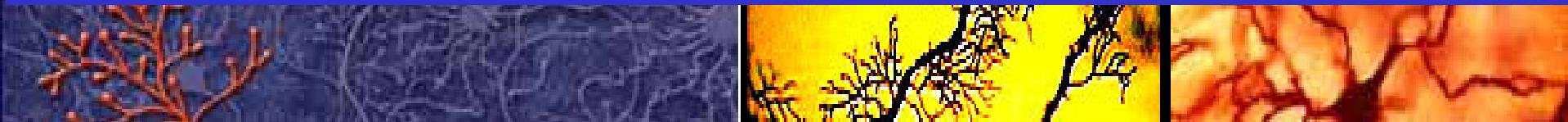
Фундаментальные вопросы



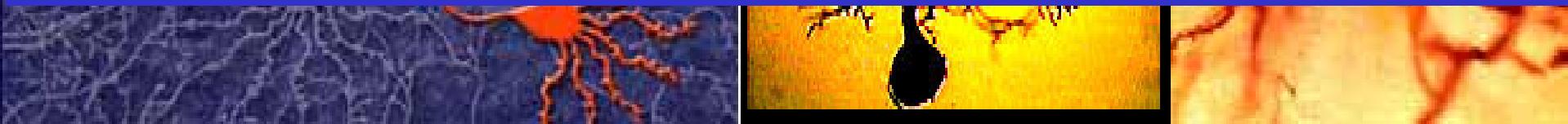
Как устроены молекулярные блоки и сети, обеспечивающие прием и обработку информации?



Какие функции выполняют молекулярные блоки нервной системы?



Как формируются блоки, обеспечивающие функцию мозга и нервной системы?

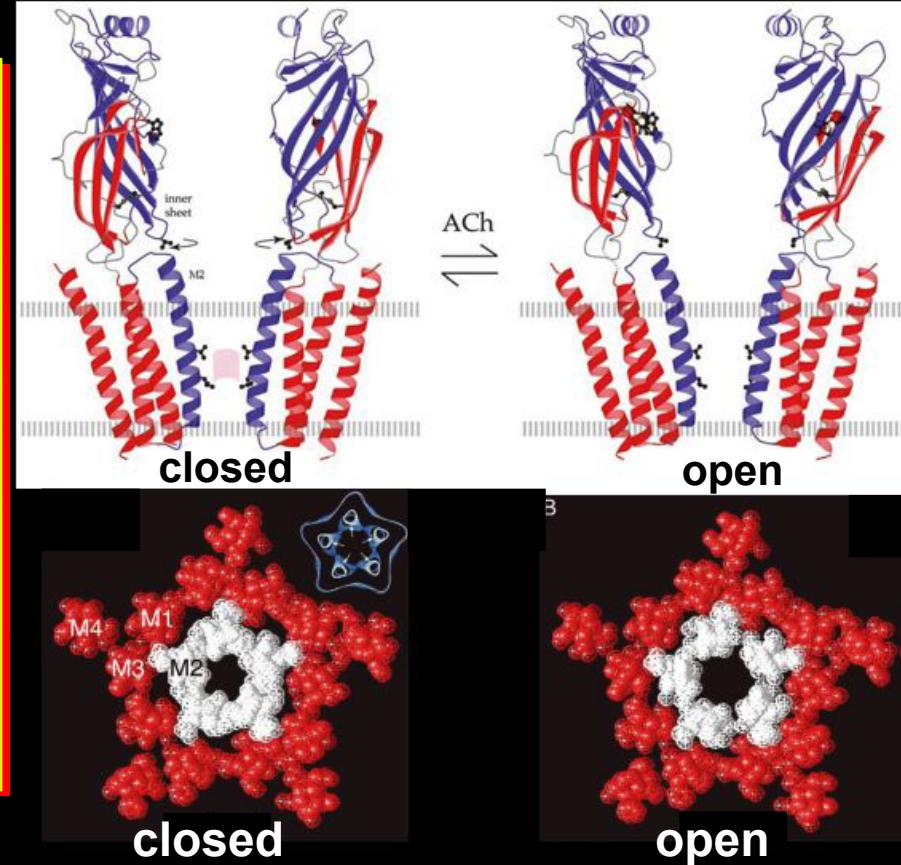


Ионные каналы и синапсы: ключевые молекулярные блоки биологической жизни

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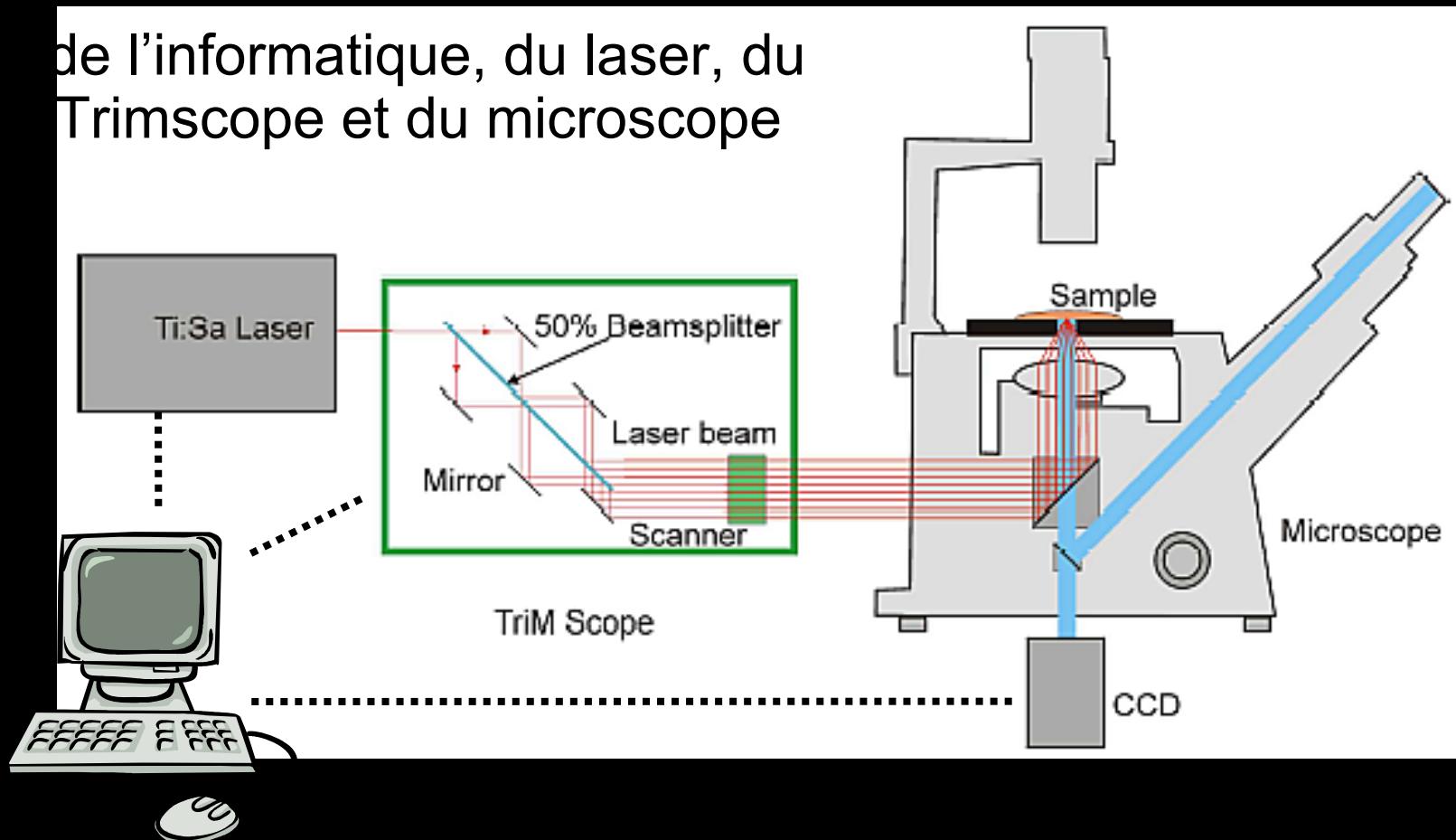
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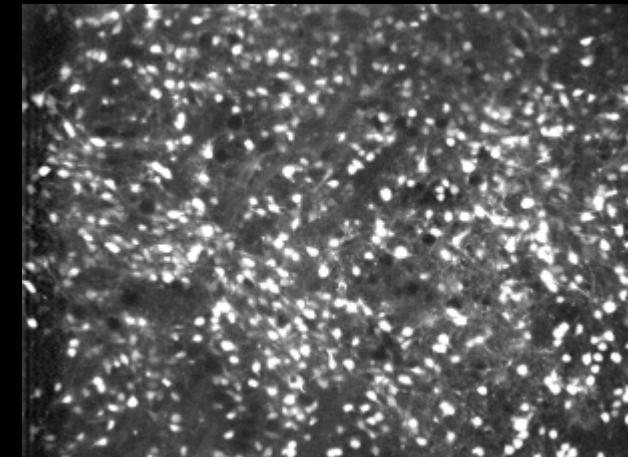
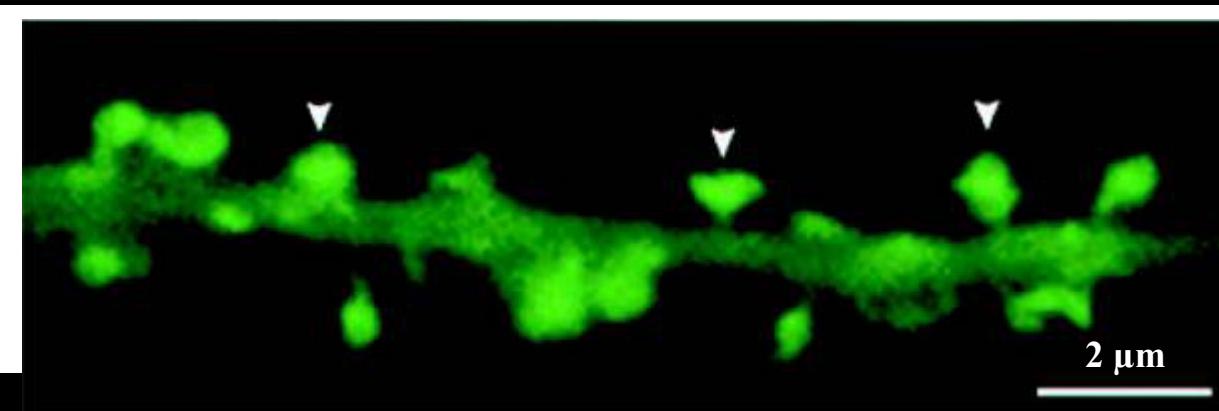
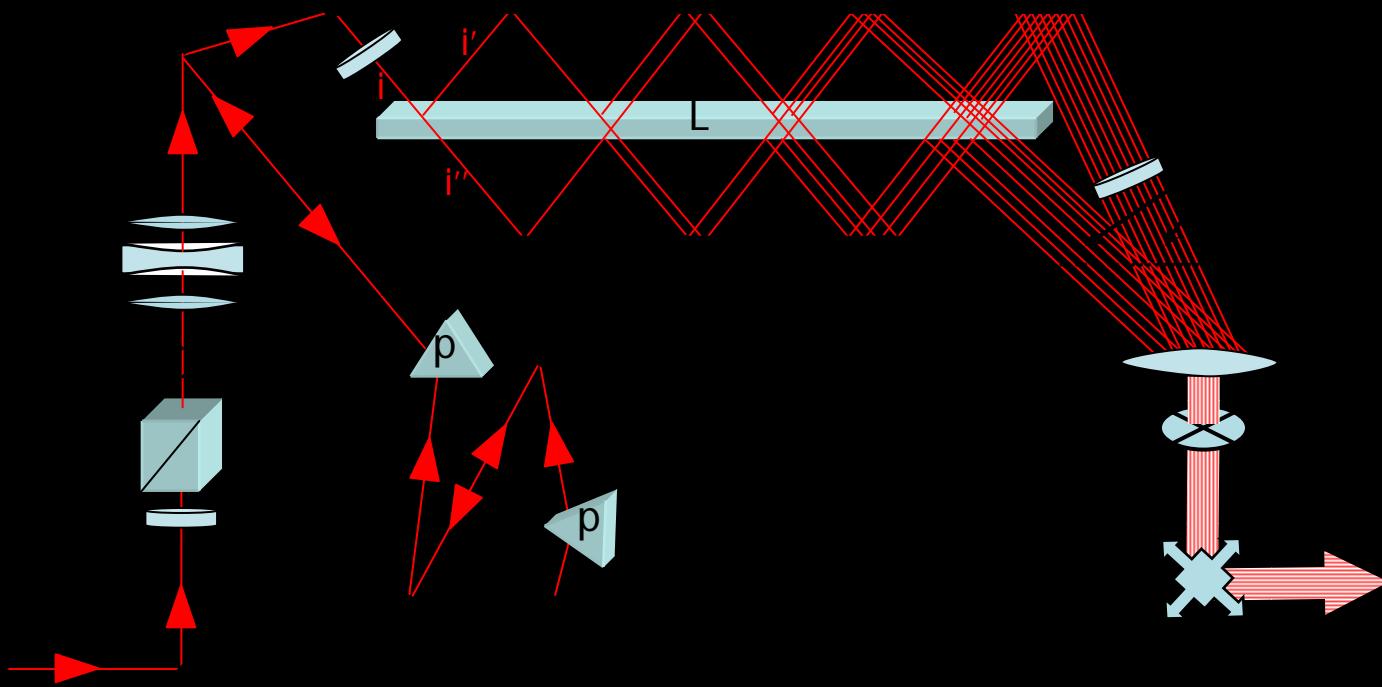
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Быстрая 2-фотонная микроскопия

de l'informatique, du laser, du
Trimscope et du microscope



Fonctionnement du Trimscope

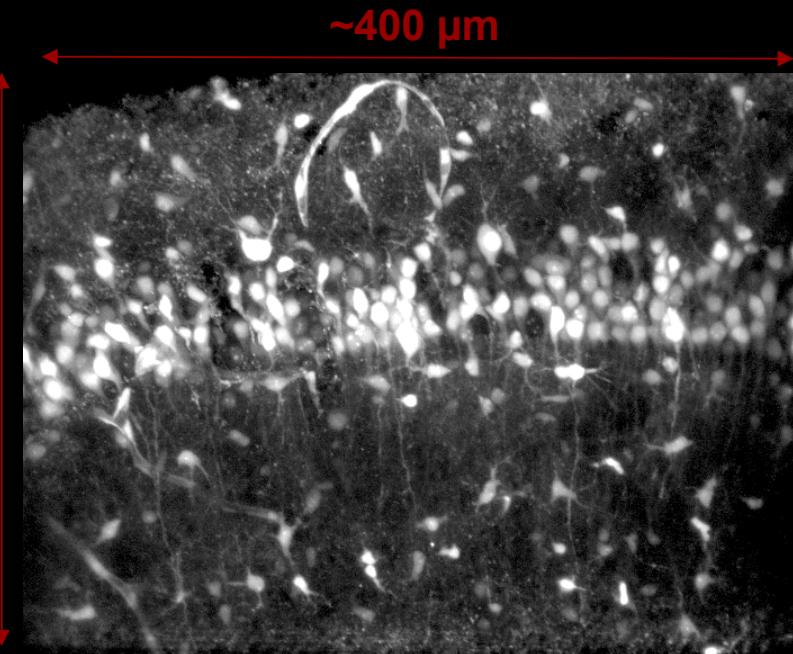


Experimental procedures

Hippocampal slices



Imaging experiments

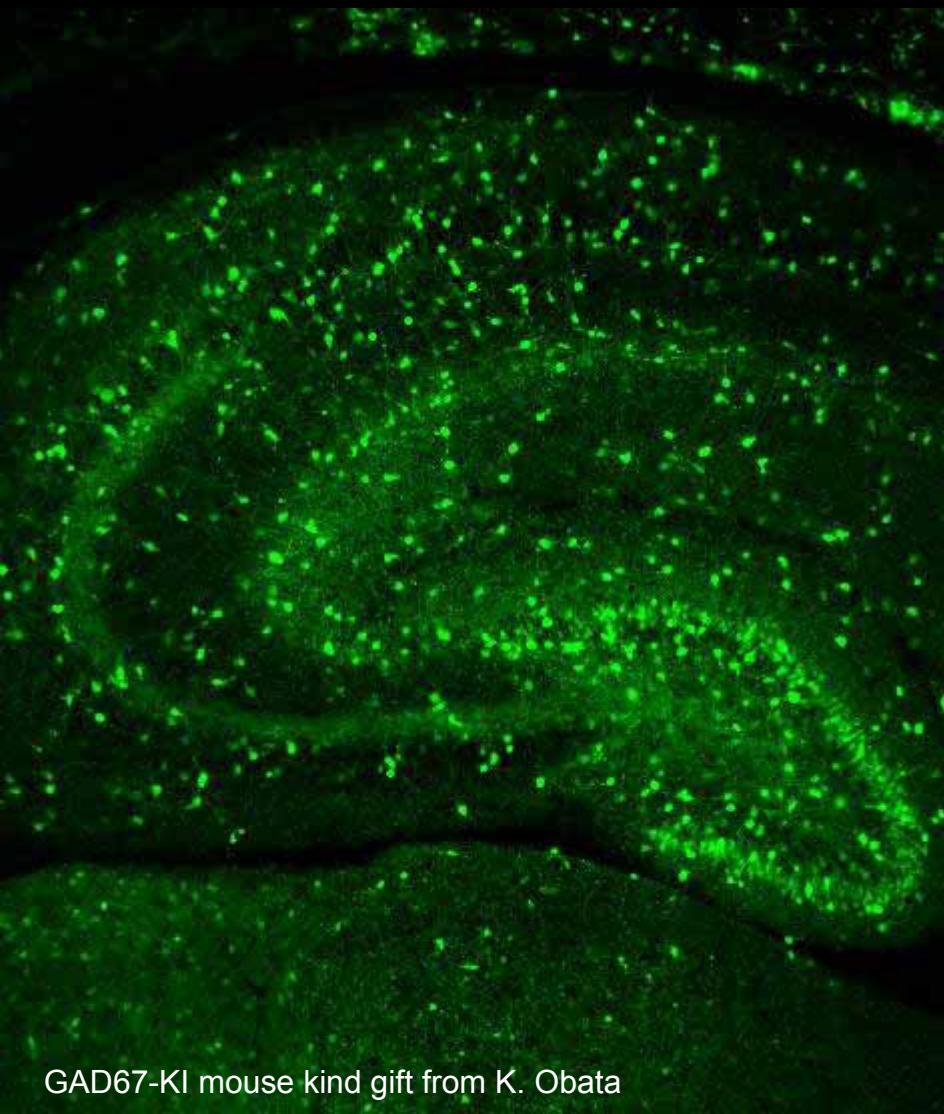


- E16 to 15-day old Swiss mice
- hippocampal slices (300 µm thick)
- Standard ACSF (submerged chamber, 30°C)

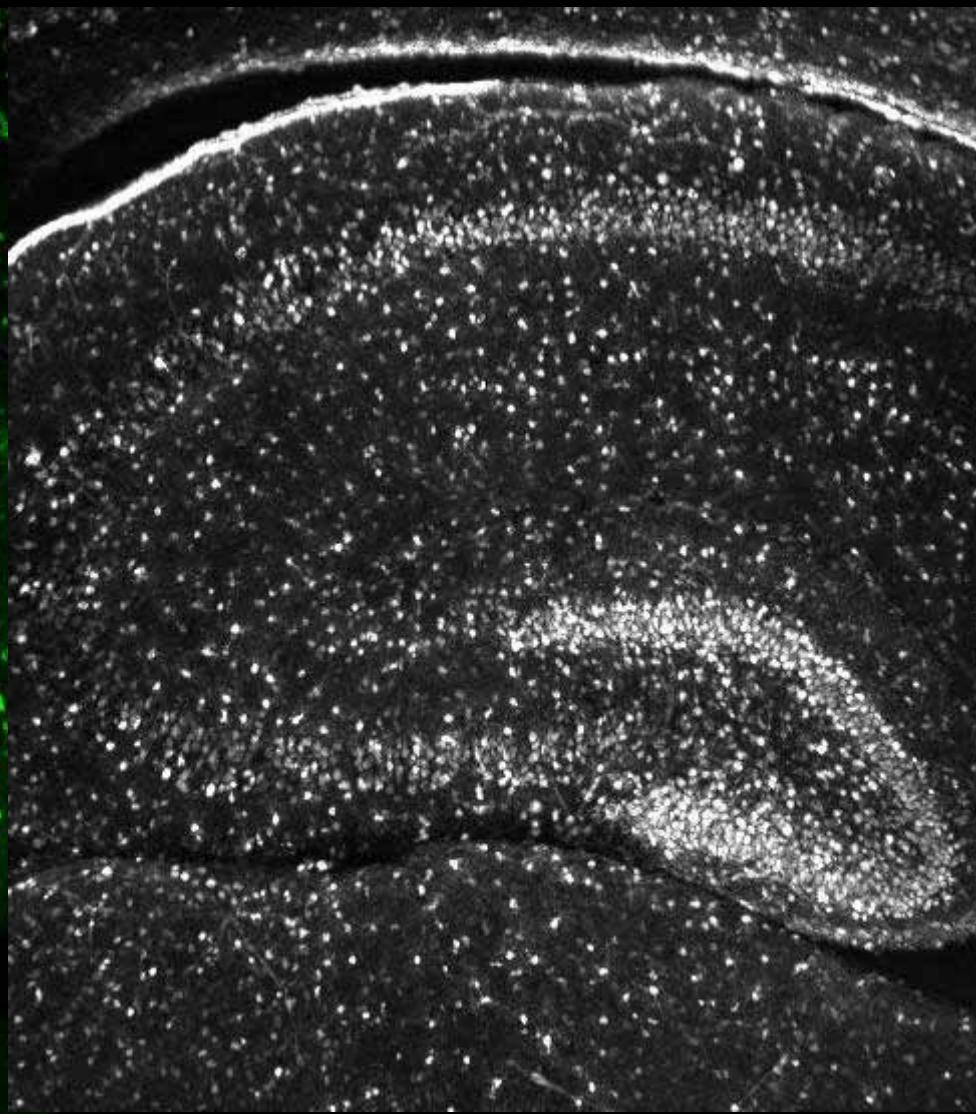
- Low-magnification (20X), high NA (0.95) objective
- Calcium-sensitive dye (Fura 2-AM)
- Two-photon excitation
- Multi-beam (64) : 100ms / frame

Imaging GABAergic neurons

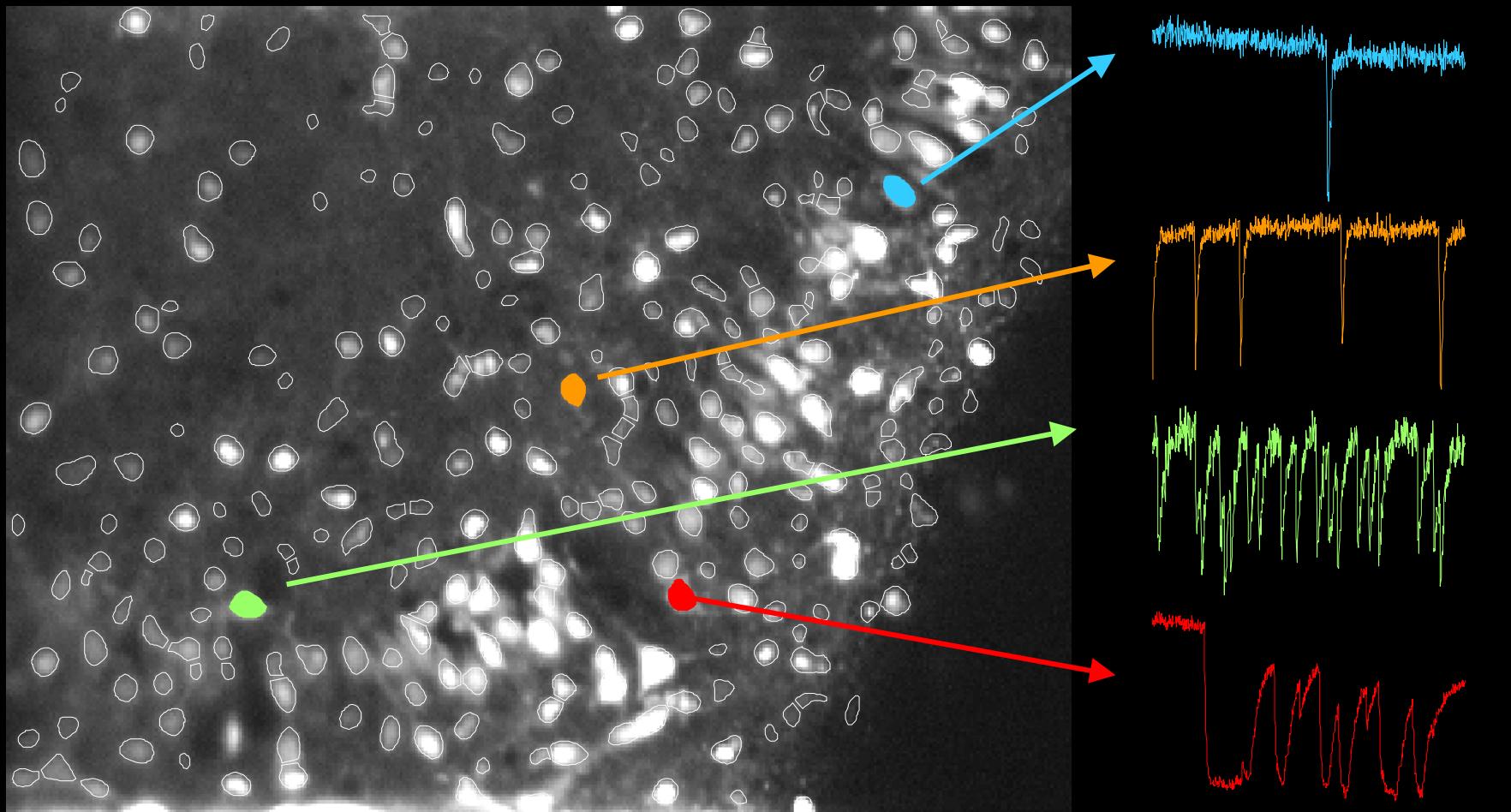
GFP+ neurons=GABAergic neurons



Calcium imaging



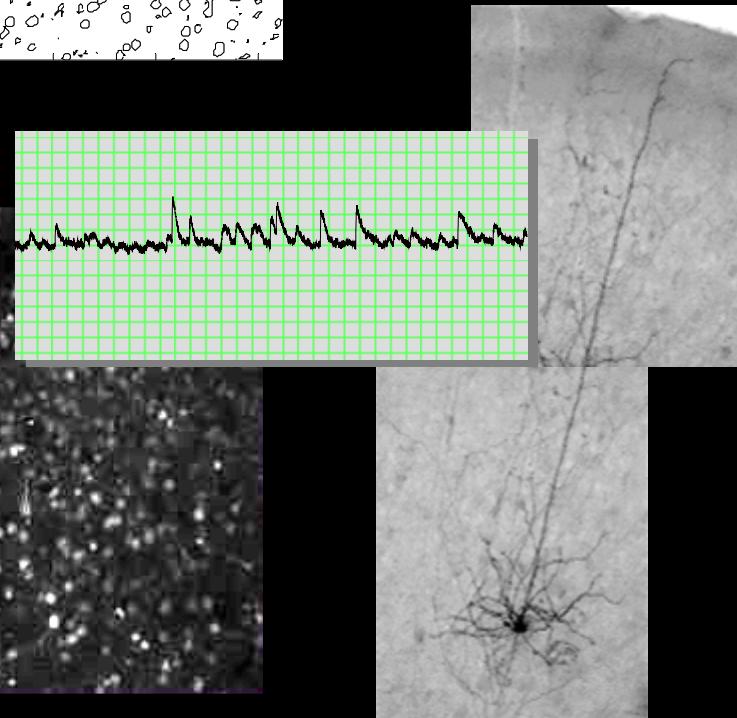
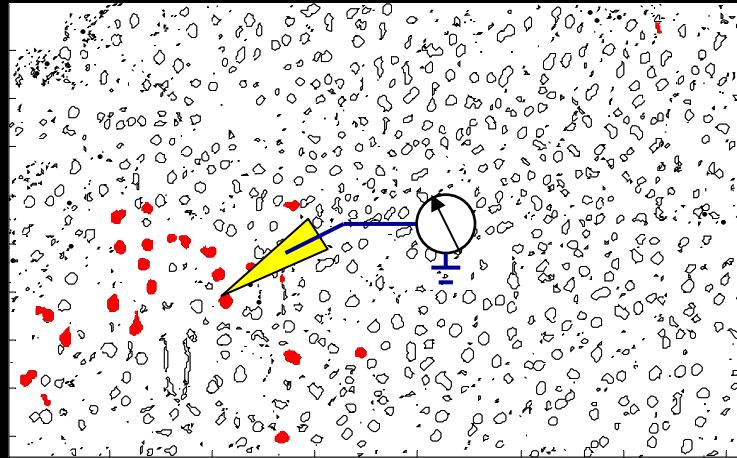
Online analysis: cell detection



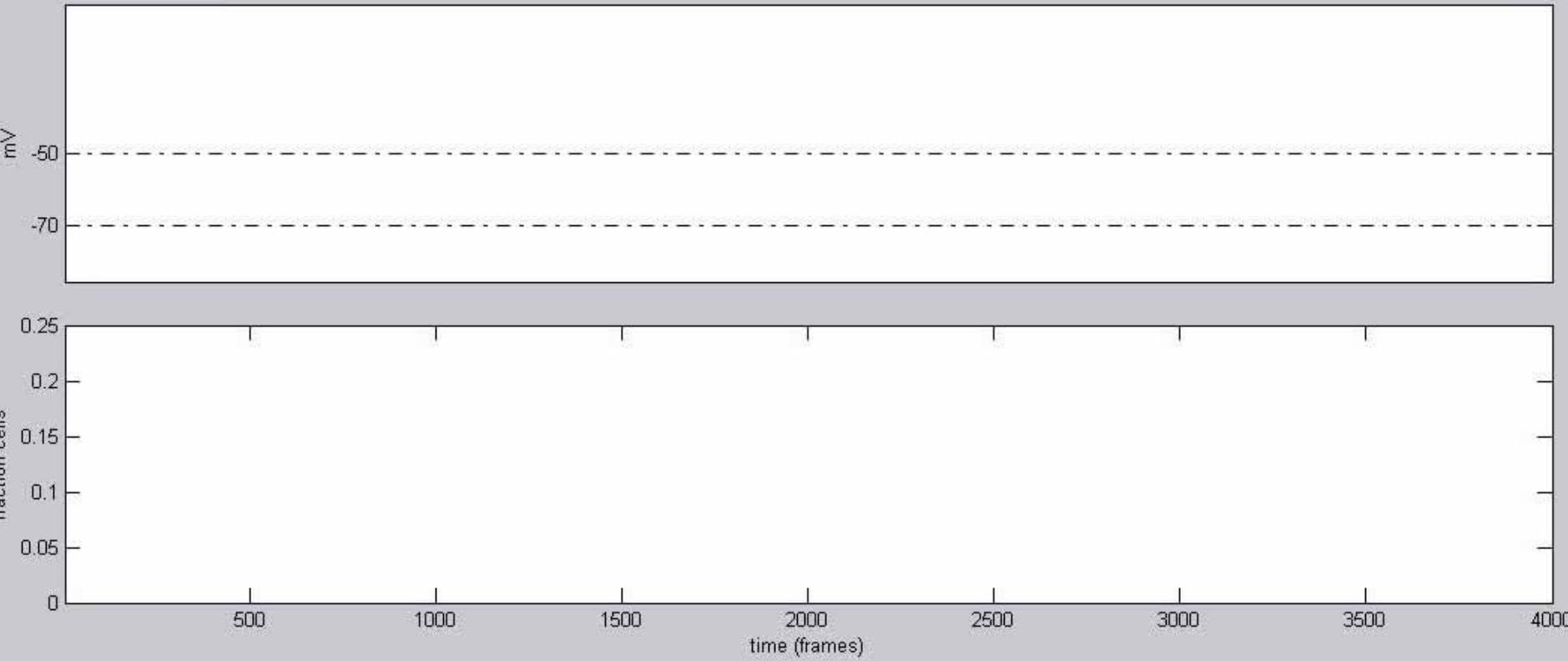
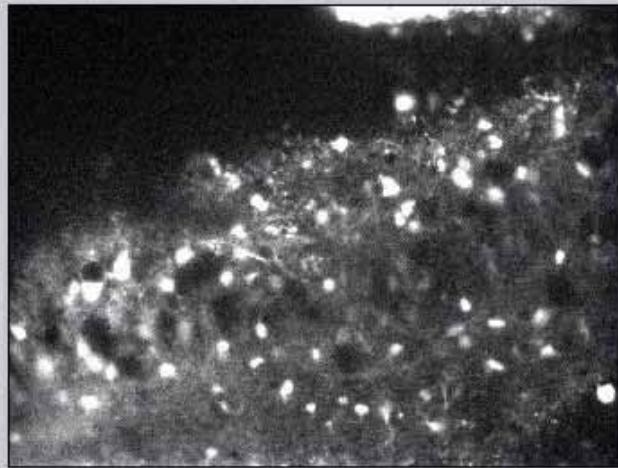
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Patch-clamp recording of the active microcircuits

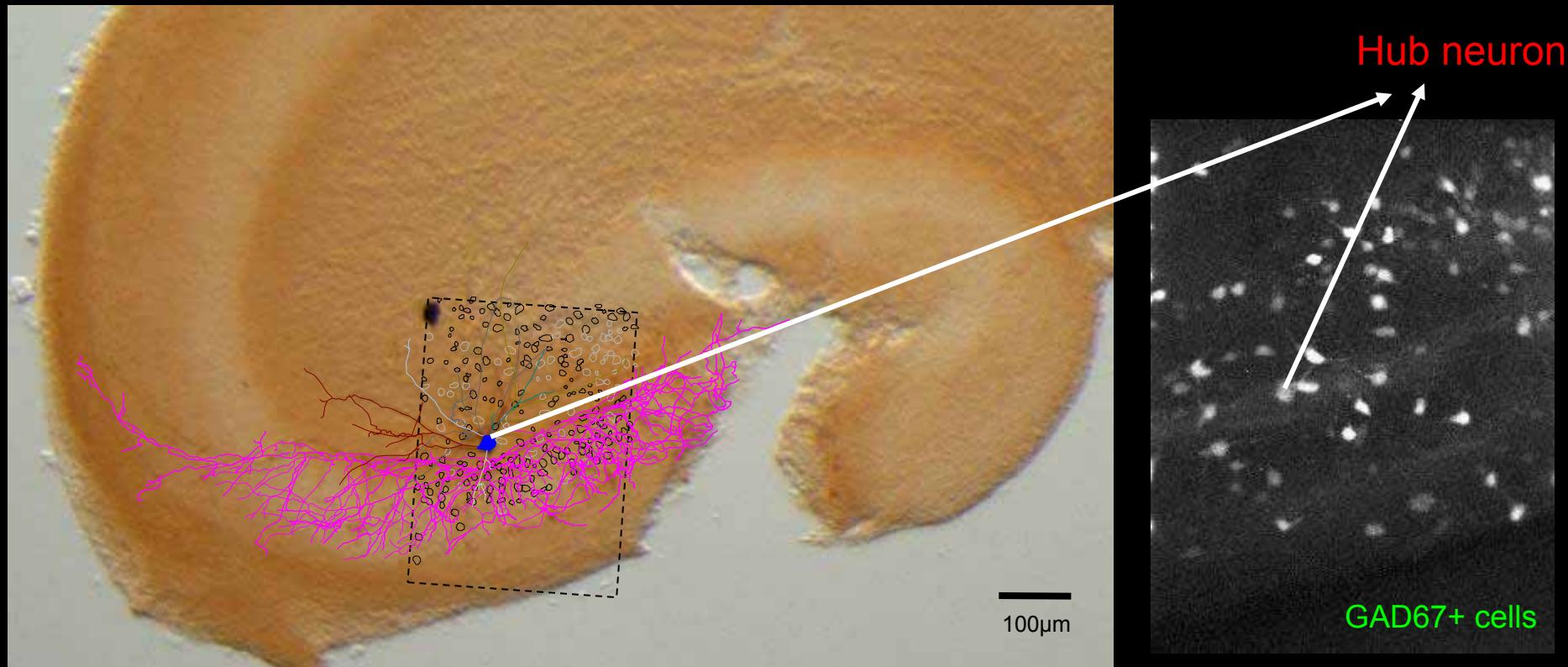
Localization of
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Patch clamp and
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analysis



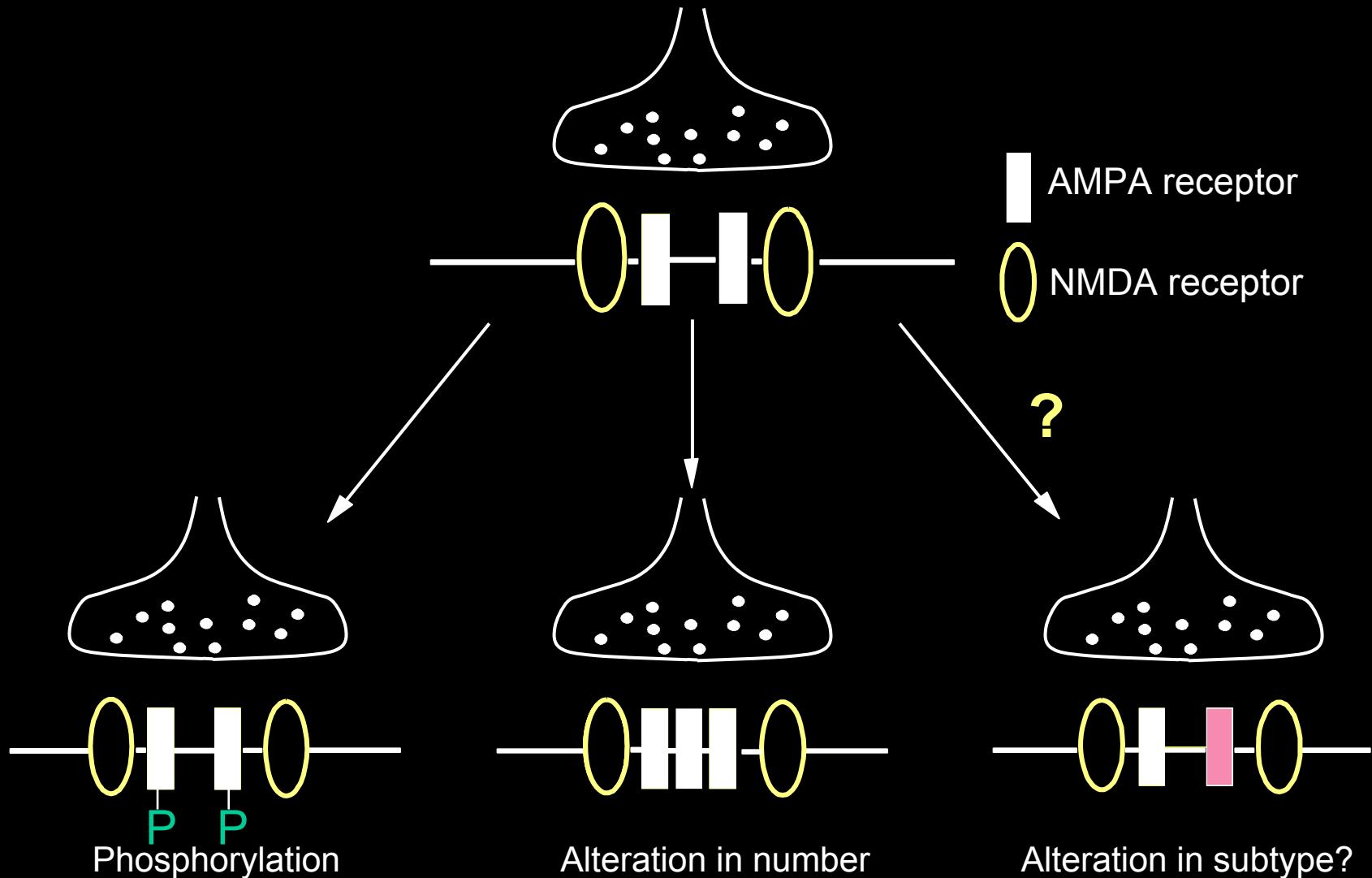
Hubs are GABA neurons with widespread axonal arborization



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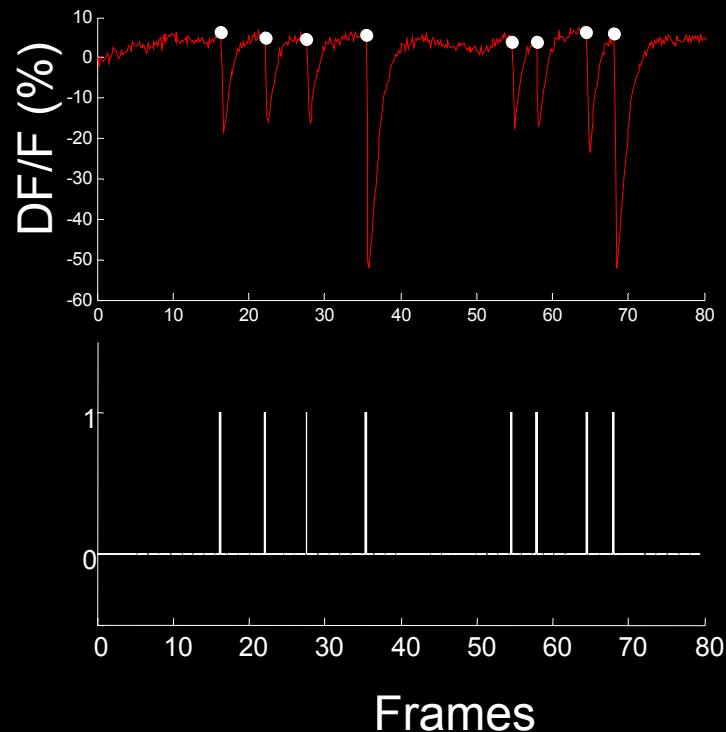
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- патологии (каналопатии)

Plasticity of synaptic channels

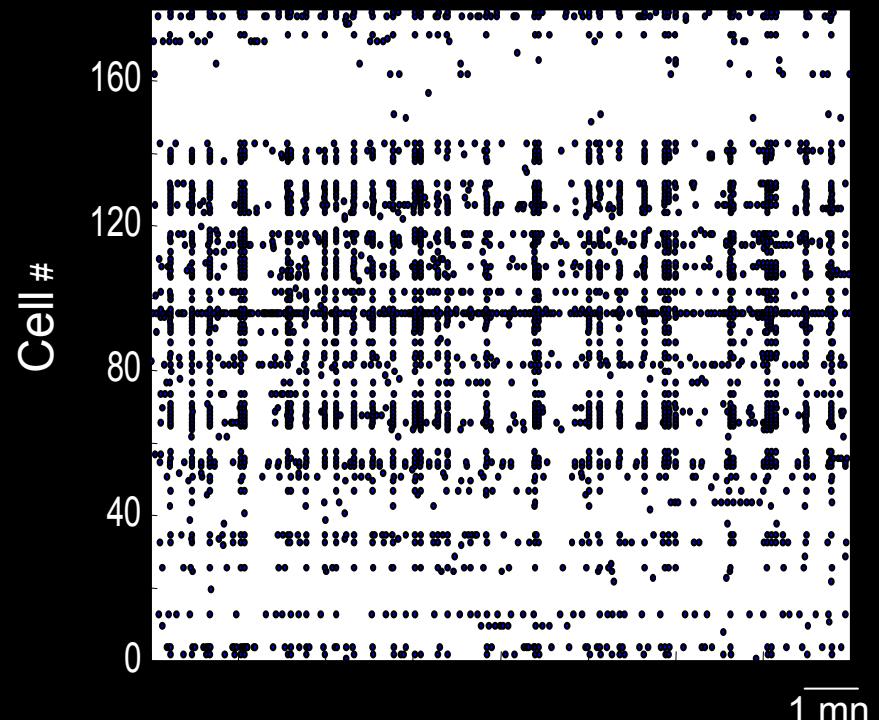


Online analysis: event detection

Event detection

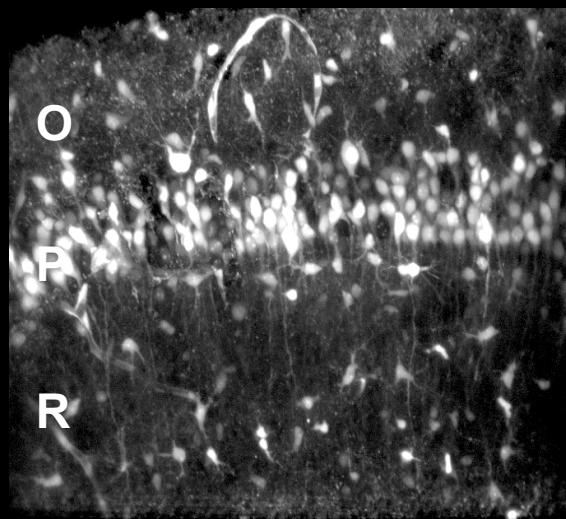


Rasterplot of network activity

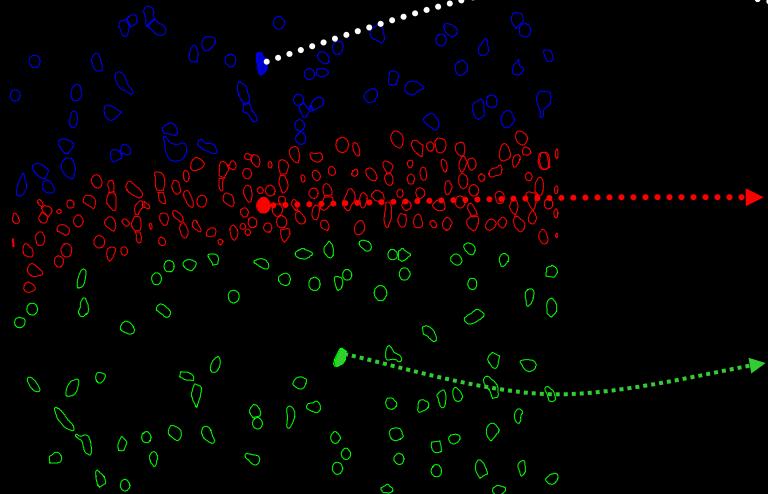


Detecting calcium signal from single neurons

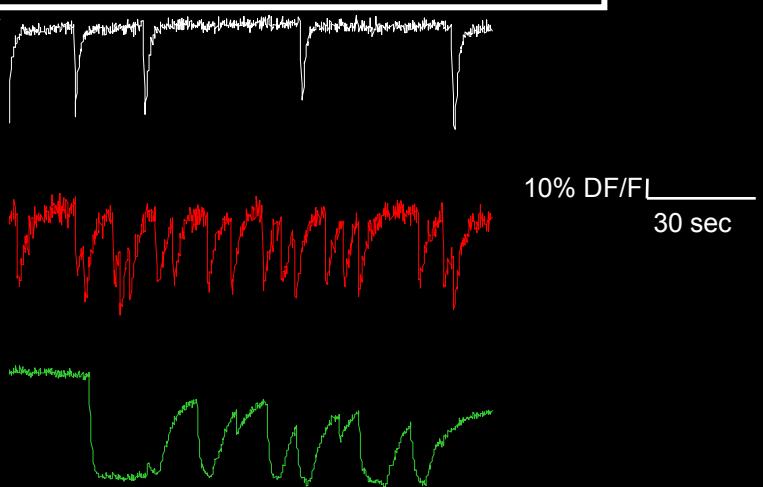
Fluorescent image



Detected contours
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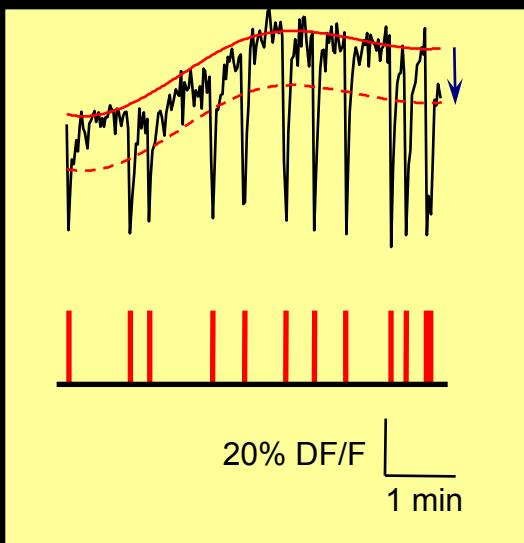


Fluorescence traces versus time

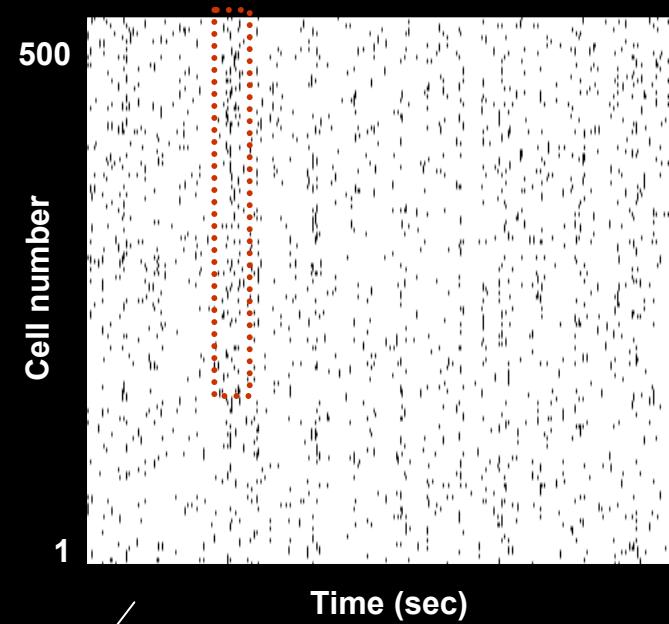


Analysis of the network activity

Signal detection



Rasterplots of the activity



Reconstruction of network activity

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- How chemical molecules activates channels?
- How synaptic activation leads to "intelligent" operation of brain?

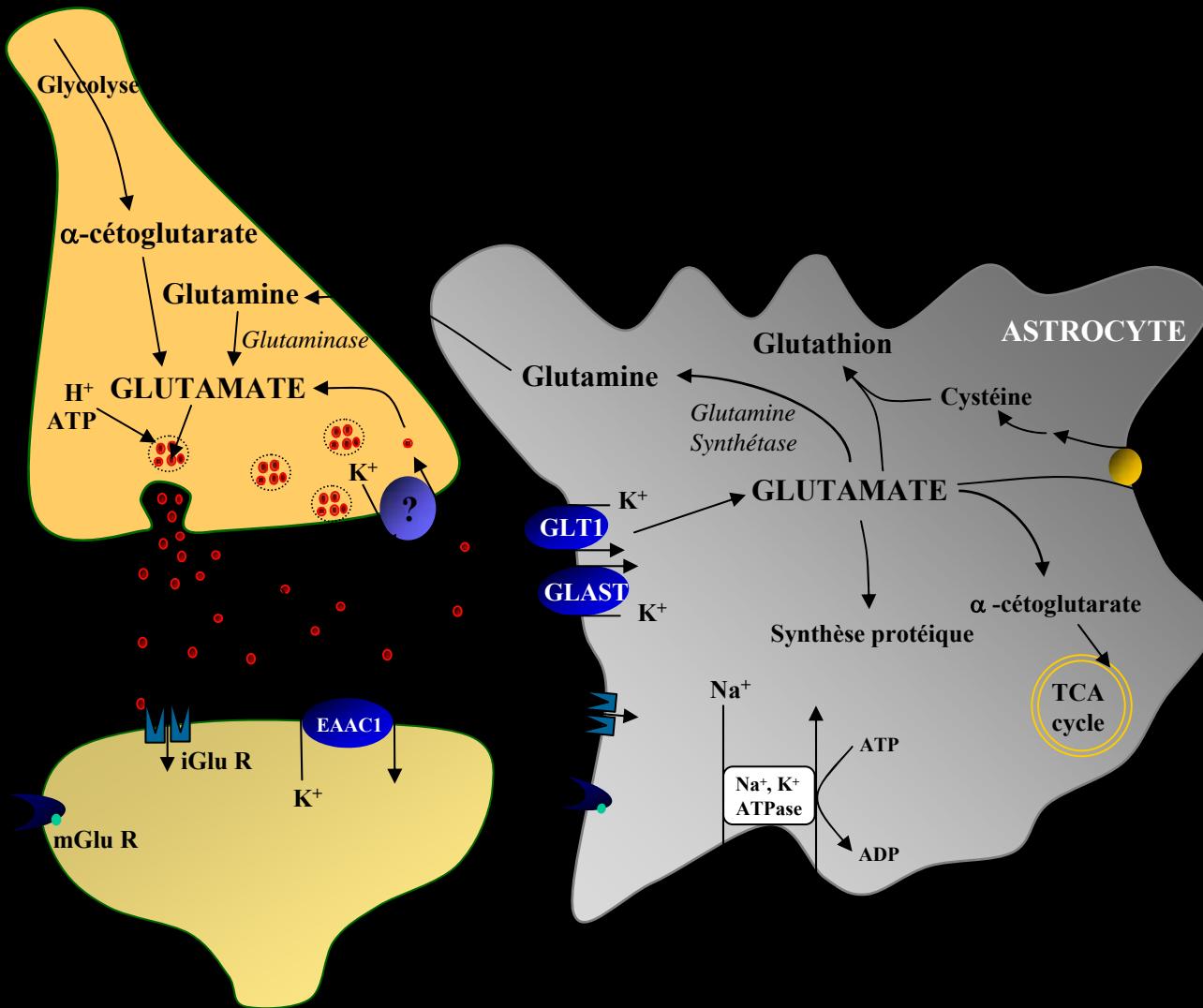
Molecules activating receptor-operated channels

Excitatory - Cation-selective (Na^+ , K^+):

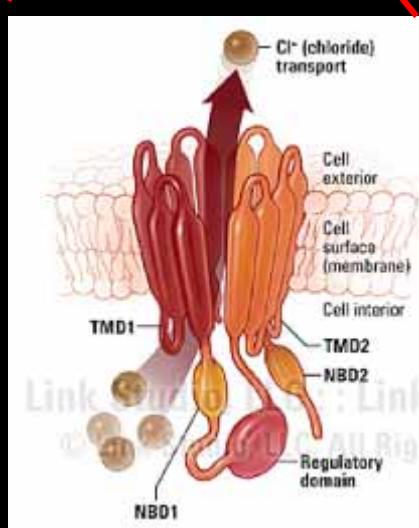
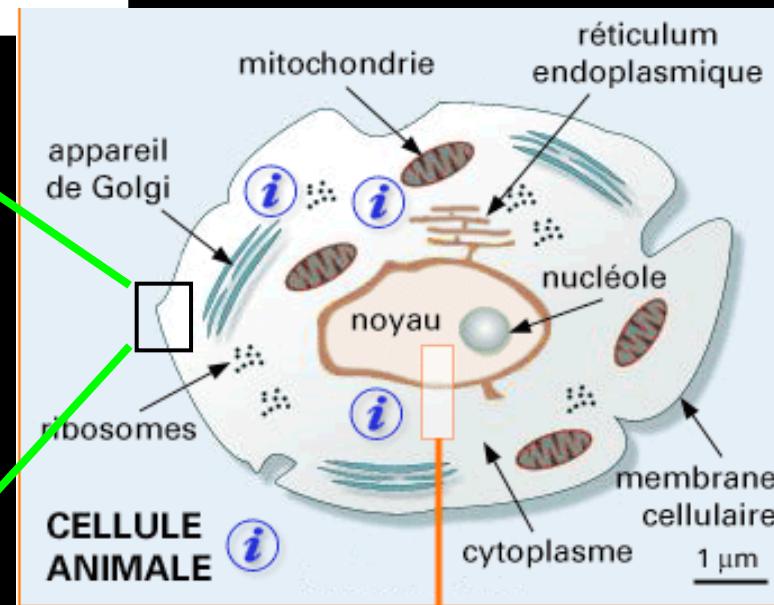
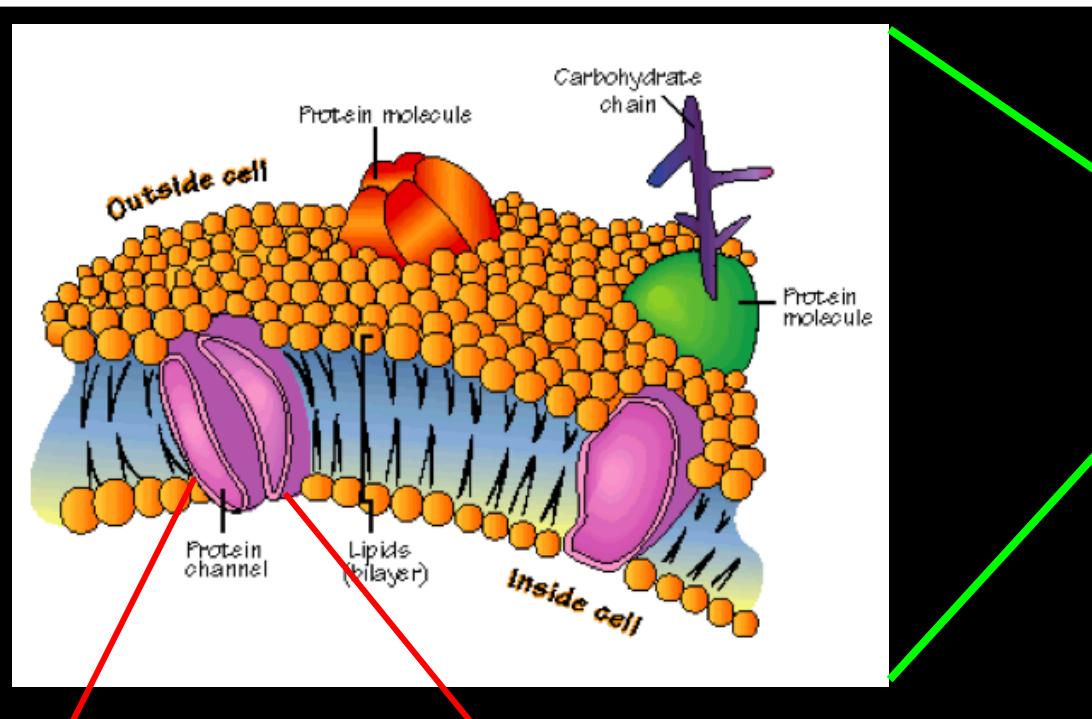
- main neurotransmitter in CNS: **Glutamate**
- in neuro-muscular junction: **Acetylcholine**

Inhibitory-Ation-selective (Cl^-):

- main neurotransmitter in brain: **GABA**
- in spinal cord: **glycine**

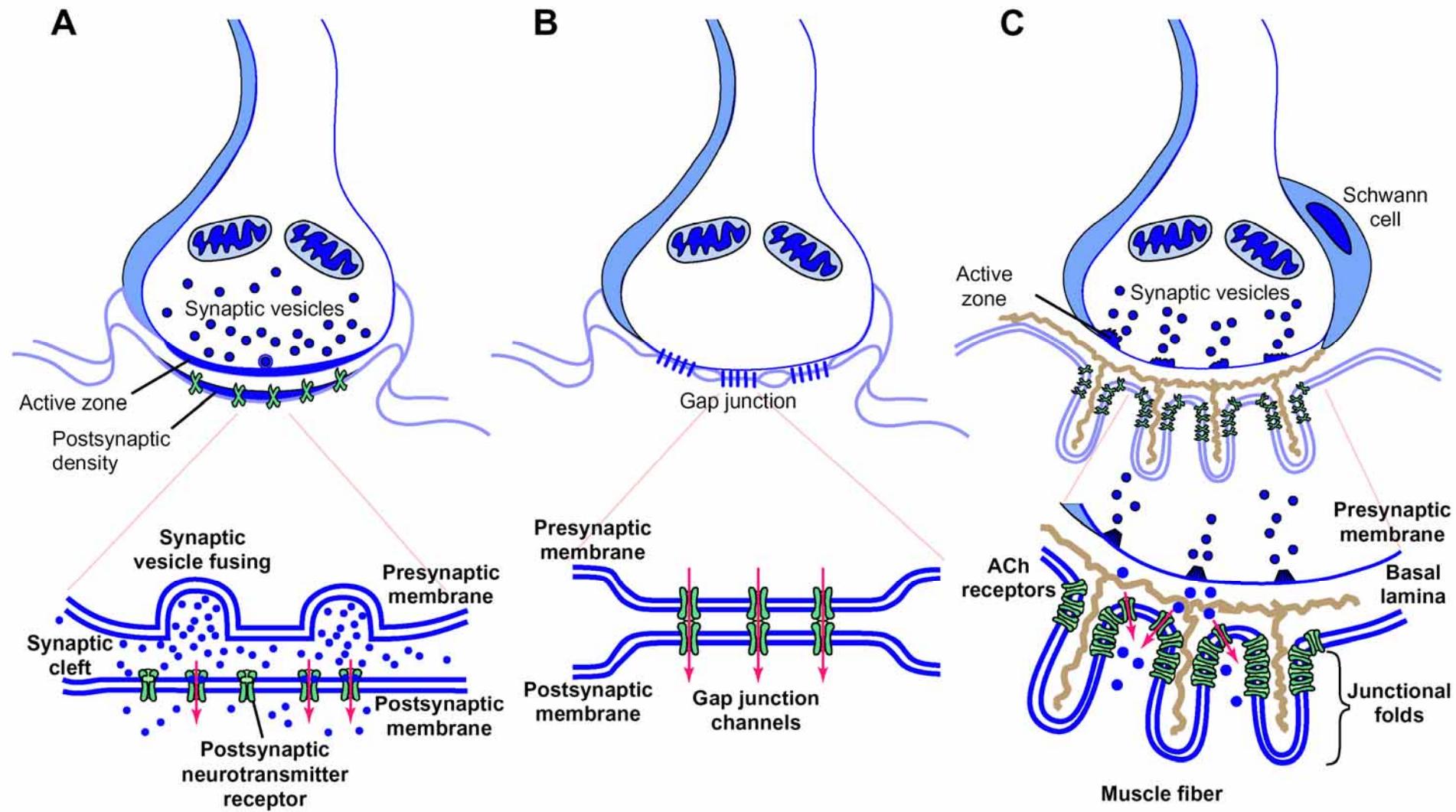


Membranes and Channels

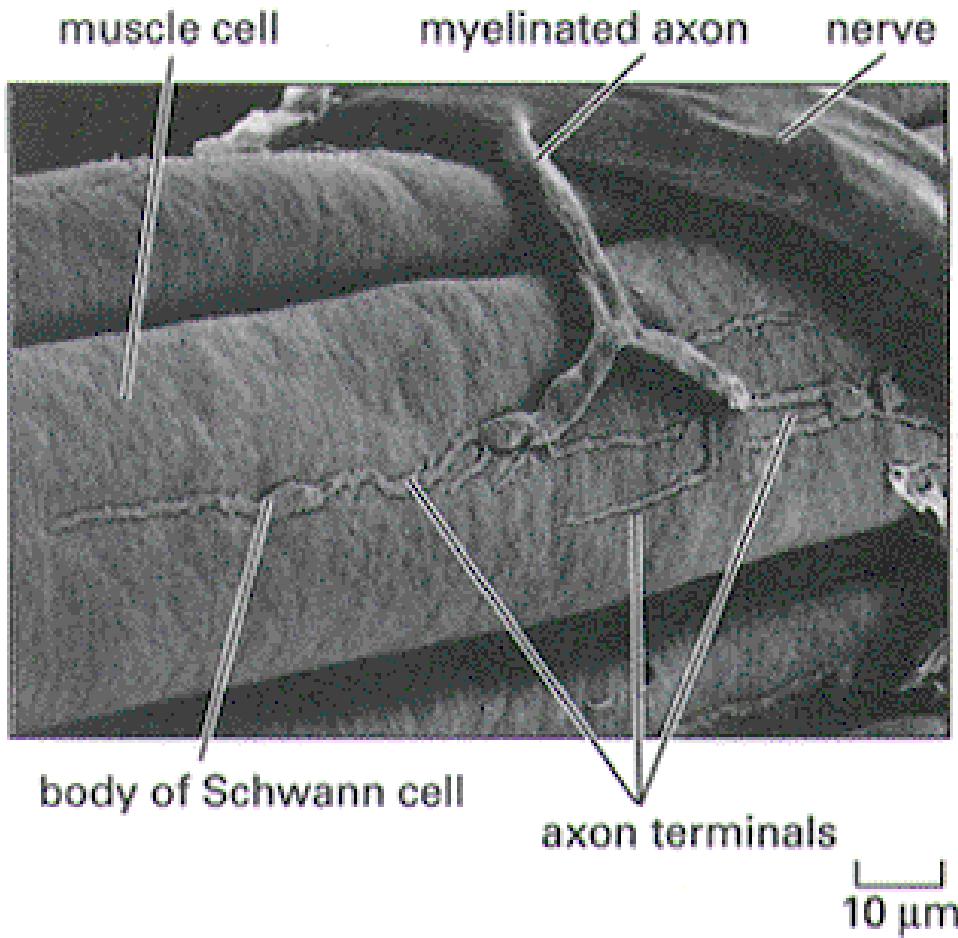


Ion channels mediate intracellular communication by converting the voltage, chemical or mechanical signals into ion fluxes

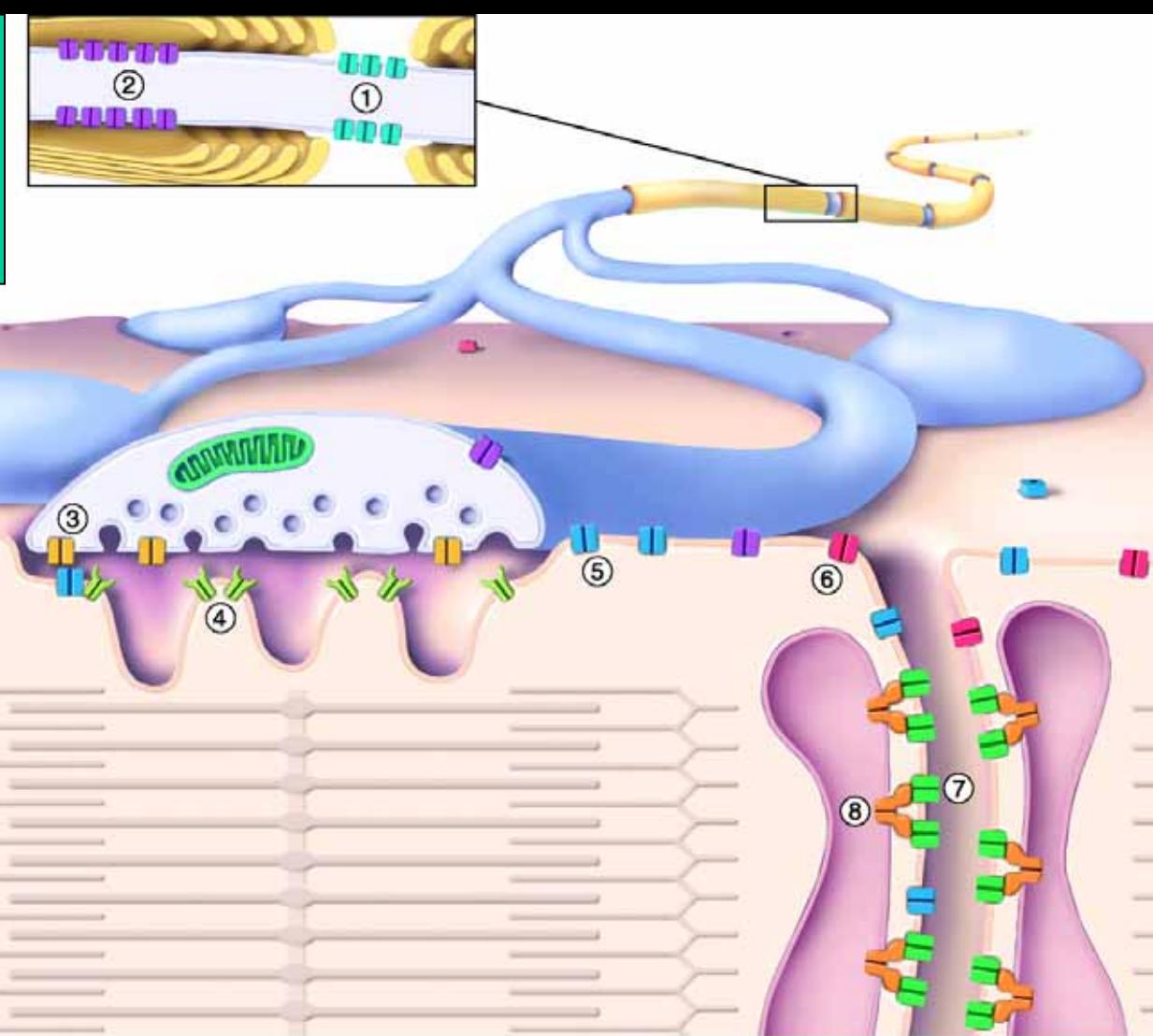
Interneuronal and neuromuscular synapses



Ion channel - protein interactions in neuromuscular synapses



Ion channels of end-plate



① Nerve voltage-gated sodium channel

② KCNA voltage-gated potassium channel

③ Nerve voltage-gated calcium channel

④ Nicotinic acetylcholine receptor

⑤ Skeletal muscle voltage-gated sodium channel

⑥ Skeletal muscle voltage-gated chloride channel

⑦ Transverse tubule voltage-gated calcium channel

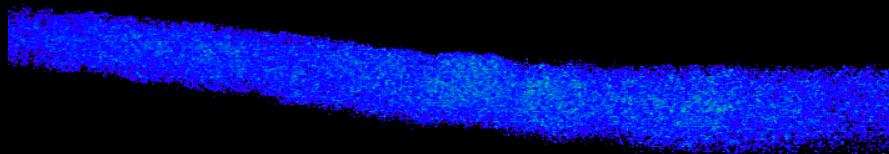
⑧ Sarcoplasmic reticulum calcium release channel

Ca^{2+} in muscle at application of $3\mu\text{M ACh}$

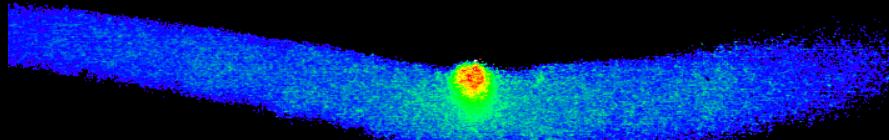
Before acetylcholine

Fura-2

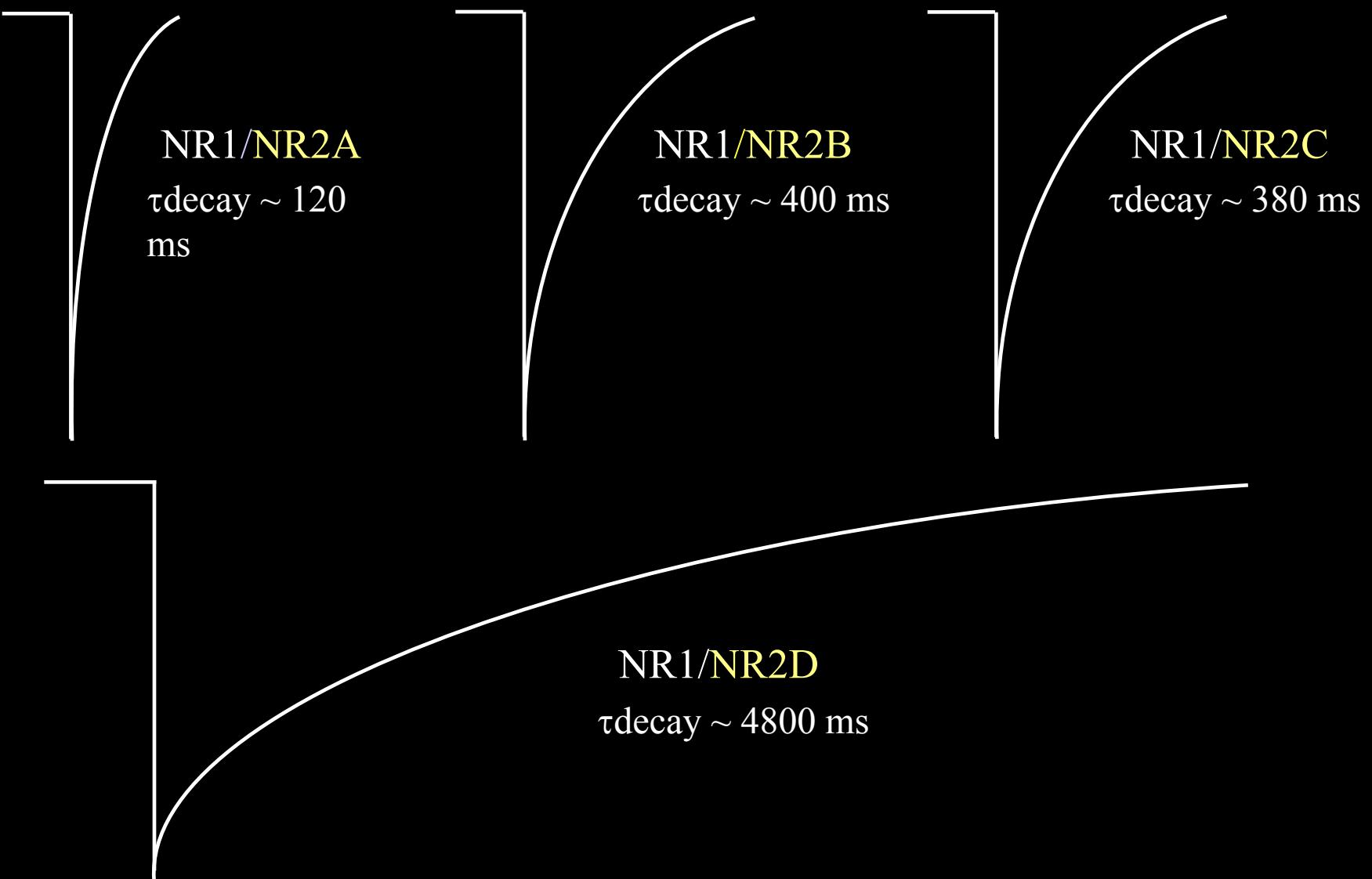
Ca-sensitive dye



After acetylcholine



Deactivation kinetics of NMDARs



We will discuss today:

- **Ionic channels:**
 - general principles of organization;
 - how to record channels;
 - main functional parameters
- **Neuronal plasticity:**
 - Long-term potentiation;
 - Long-term inhibition;
 - Short-term modulation.
- **Actin cytoskeleton and Ca^{2+} in formation and plasticity of spines**



Tim Bliss, Per Andersen and Terje Lømo at The Royal Society in London last May during the meeting "Long-term potentiation: enhancing neuroscience for 30 years". Bliss and Lømo discovered LTP while working in Andersen's laboratory in Oslo. Photo courtesy of J. Lisman.

LONG-LASTING POTENTIATION
OF SYNAPTIC TRANSMISSION IN THE DENTATE AREA
OF THE ANAESTHETIZED RABBIT FOLLOWING
STIMULATION OF THE PERFORANT PATH

By T. V. P. BLISS AND T. LØMO

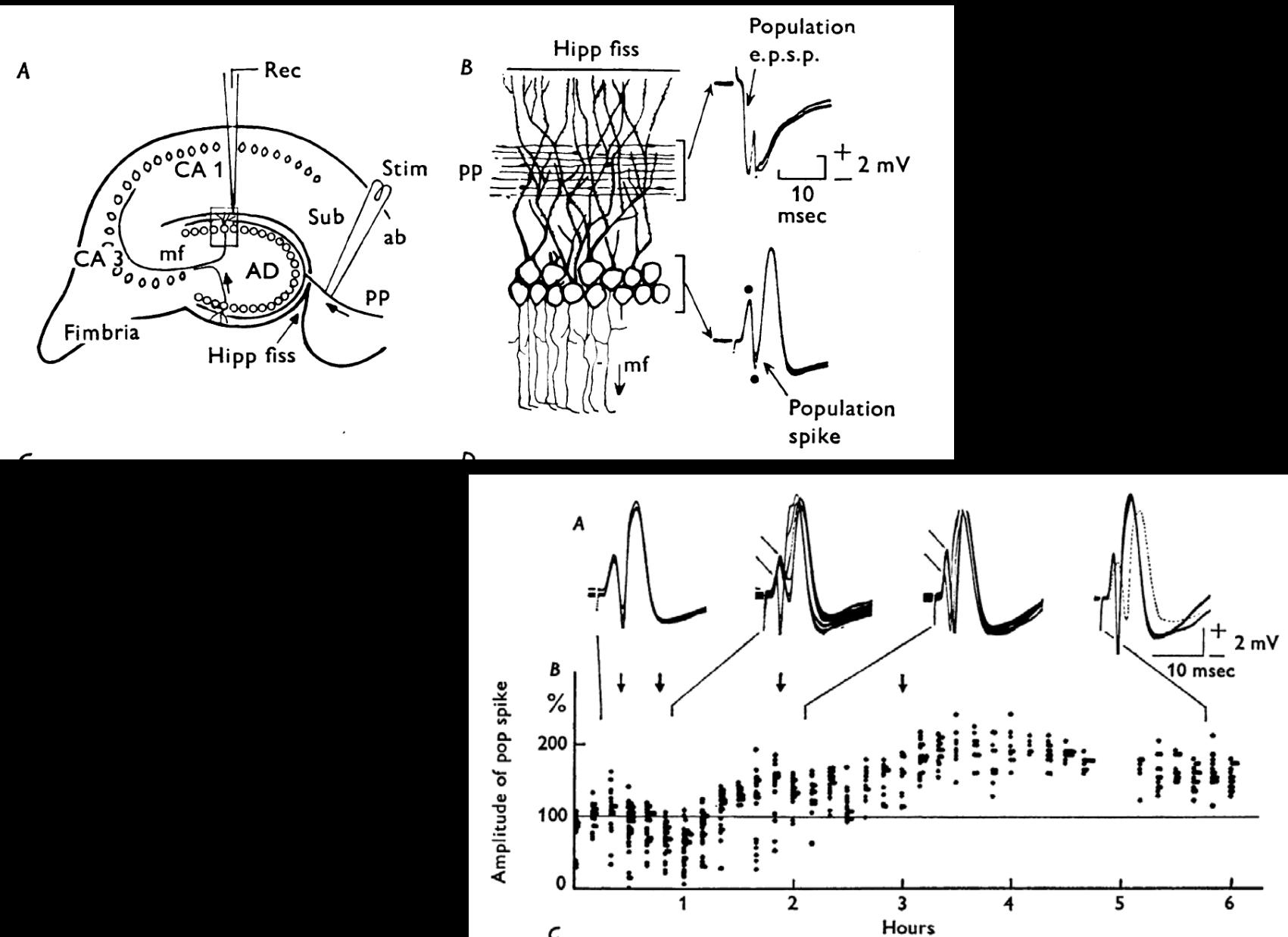
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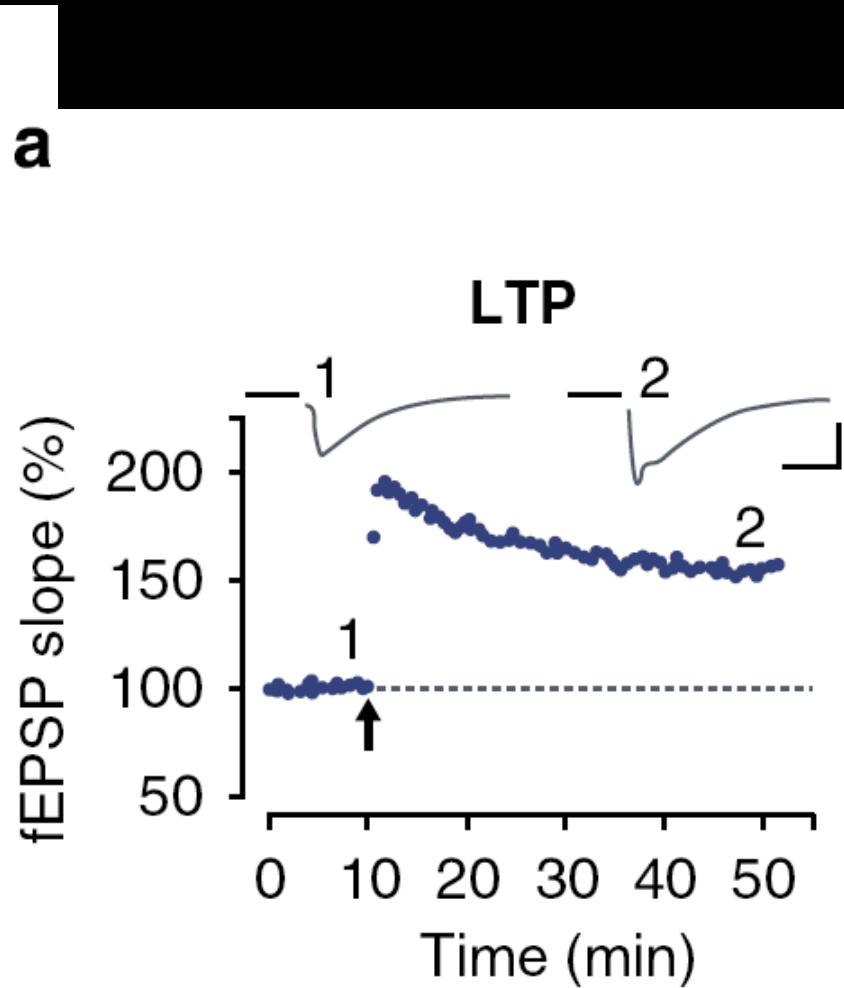
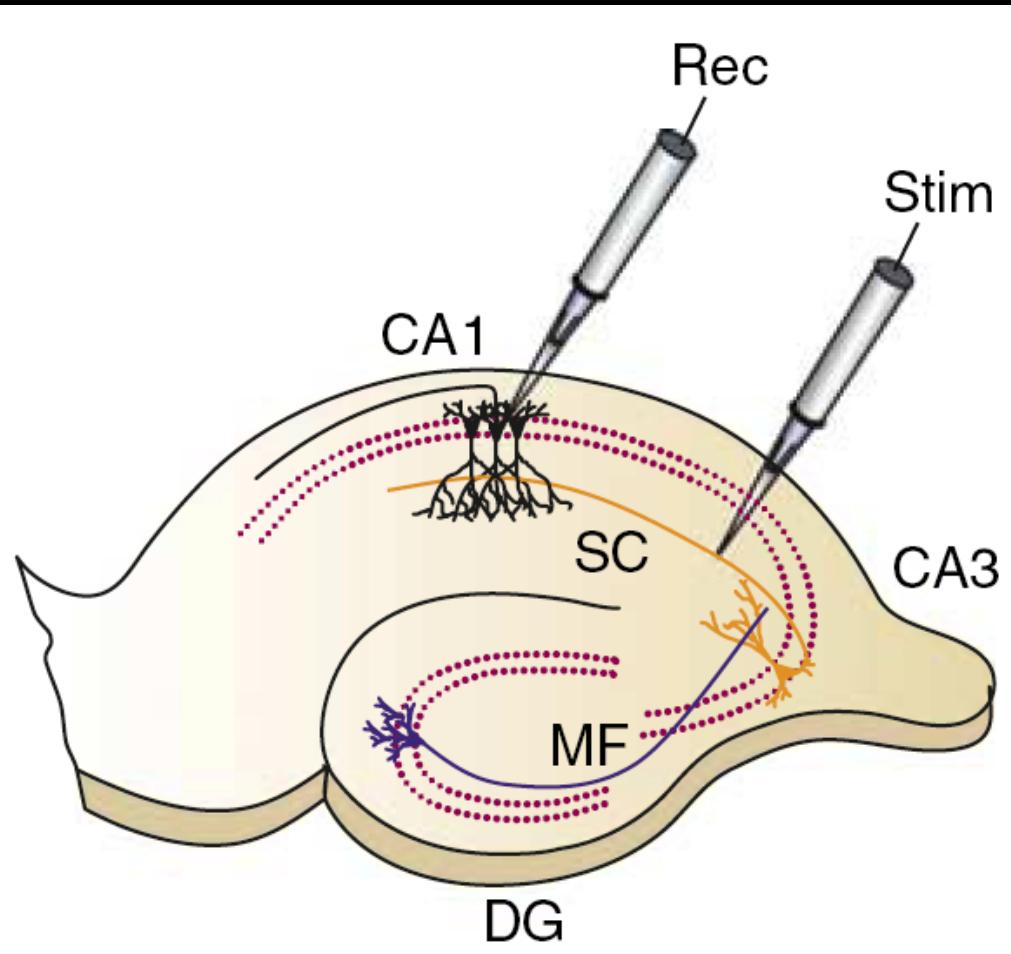
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SUMMARY

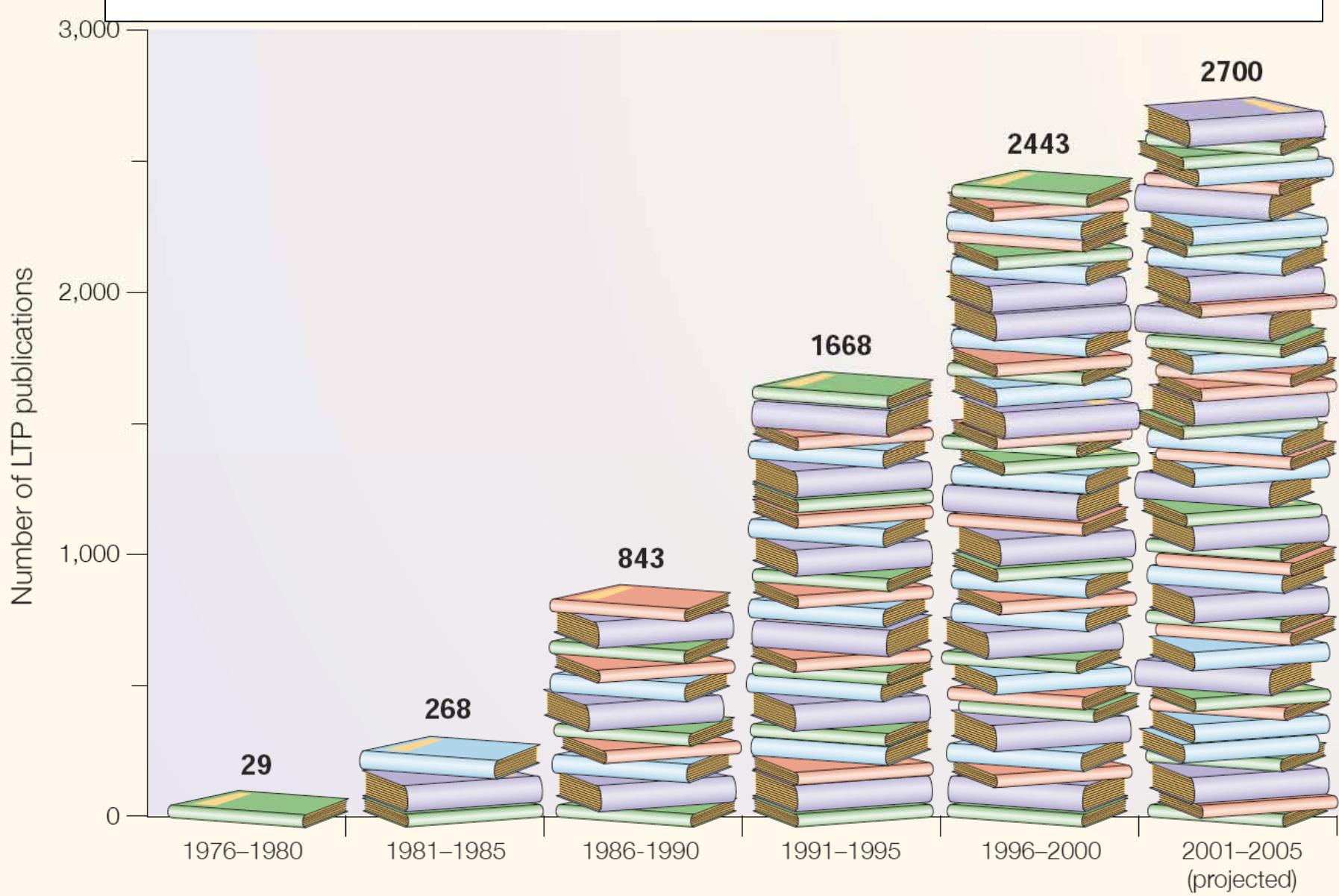
1. The after-effects of repetitive stimulation of the perforant path fibres to the dentate area of the hippocampal formation have been examined with extracellular micro-electrodes in rabbits anaesthetized with urethane.
2. In fifteen out of eighteen rabbits the population response recorded from granule cells in the dentate area to single perforant path volleys was potentiated for periods ranging from 30 min to 10 hr after one or more conditioning trains at 10–20/sec for 10–15 sec, or 100/sec for 3–4 sec.

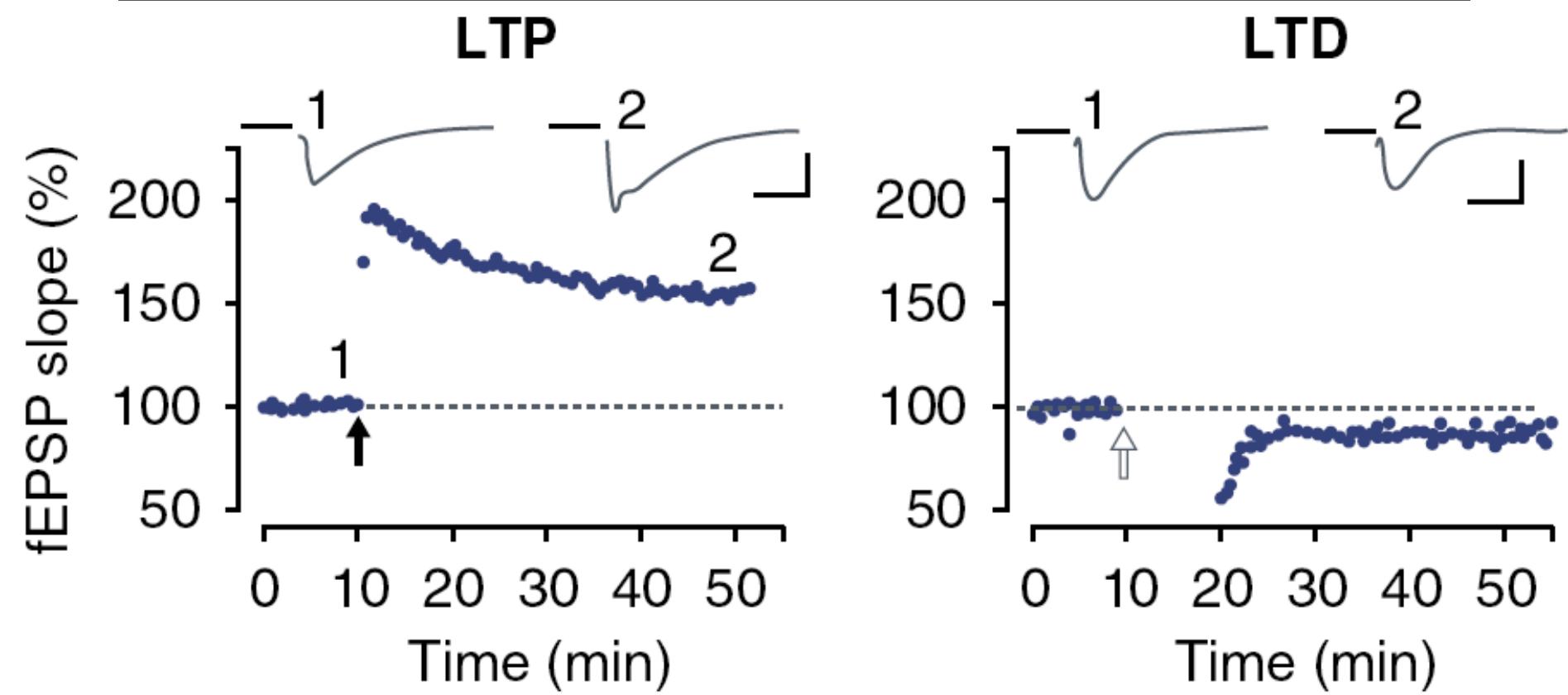
Discovery of Long-Term Potentiation (LTP)





Number of LTP publications



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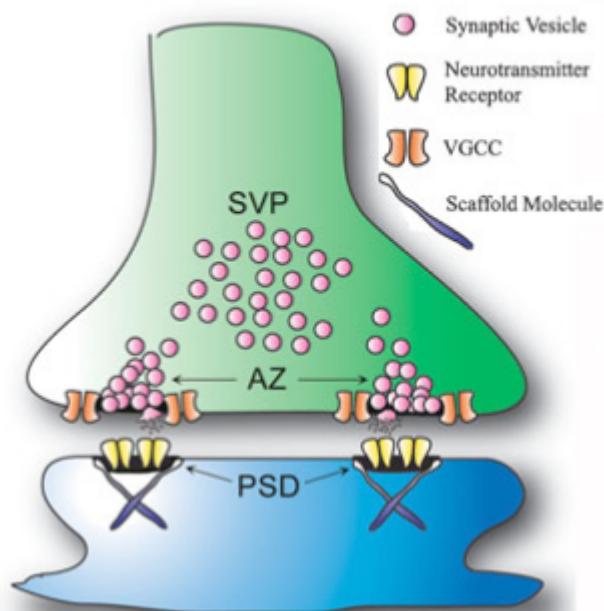
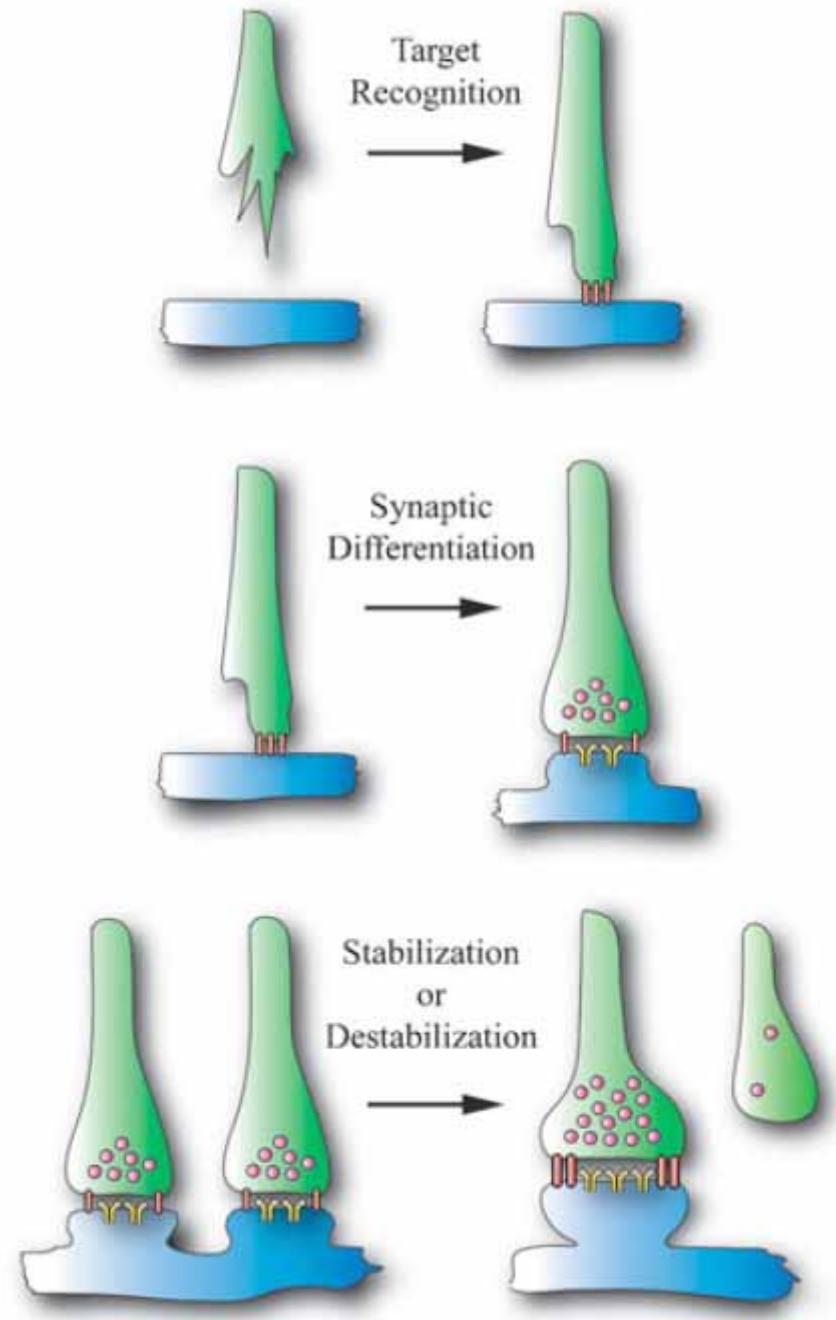


Fig. 1 (a) Anatomy of a synapse. The presynaptic terminal contains multiple active zones (AZ) that contain densely packed synaptic vesicles and are flanked by VGCCs. The active zone is the site of neurotransmitter release, depicted here by the release of a neurotransmitter into the synaptic cleft. In addition to synaptic vesicles clustering at active zones, several synaptic vesicle pools (SVP) accumulate elsewhere in the presynaptic terminal during presynaptic differentiation. The number and type of synaptic vesicle pools depends on the type of synapse. Across the synaptic cleft, the postsynaptic apparatus contains postsynaptic densities (PSD) precisely apposed to the presynaptic active zones. Postsynaptic densities contain clustered neurotransmitter receptors stabilized by synaptic scaffolding molecules, such as PSD-95 and gephyrin. (b) Three steps of synapse formation (see the text for details).

(b)



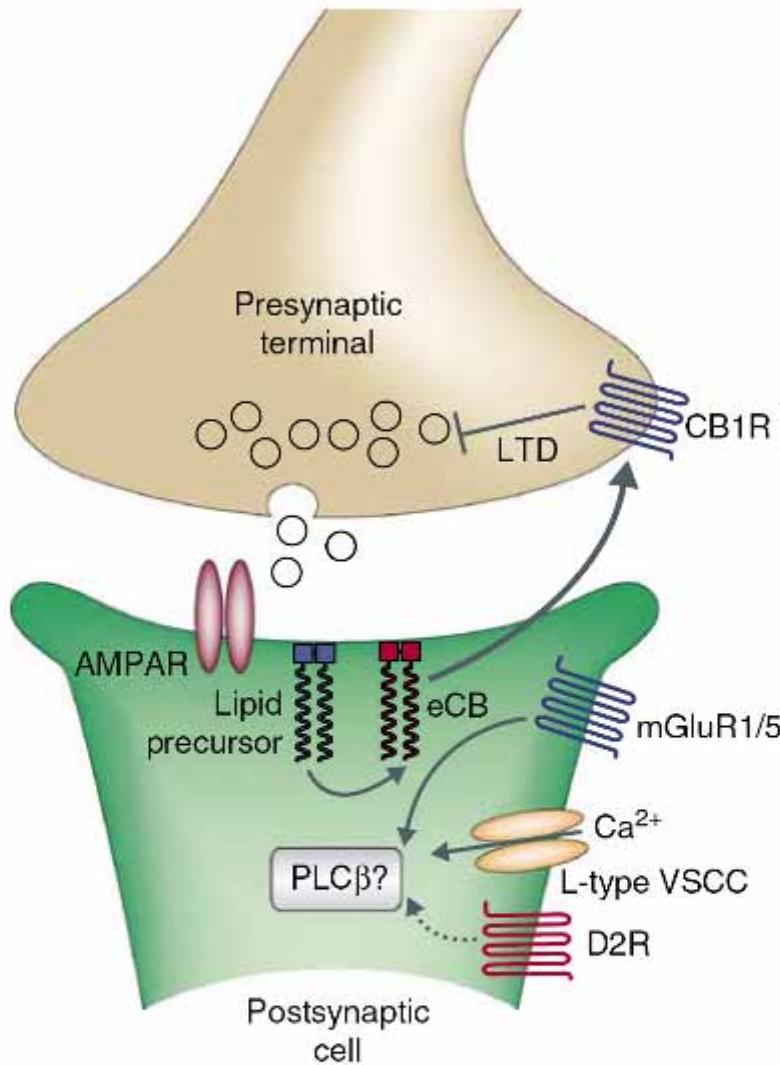


Figure 3 Model of eCB-LTD at excitatory synapses onto medium spiny neurons in the striatum. Activation of postsynaptic type I mGluRs, along with coincident subthreshold depolarization of medium spiny neurons sufficient to activate L-type voltage-sensitive calcium channels (VSCCs), stimulates the postsynaptic synthesis and release of endocannabinoids. What enzyme generates the endocannabinoids is not known; one candidate is PLC β . Co-activation of postsynaptic dopamine D2-type receptors (D2R) enhances endocannabinoid production and the subsequent induction of synaptic LTD. “?” indicates that the identity of the enzyme that generates endocannabinoids is not known.

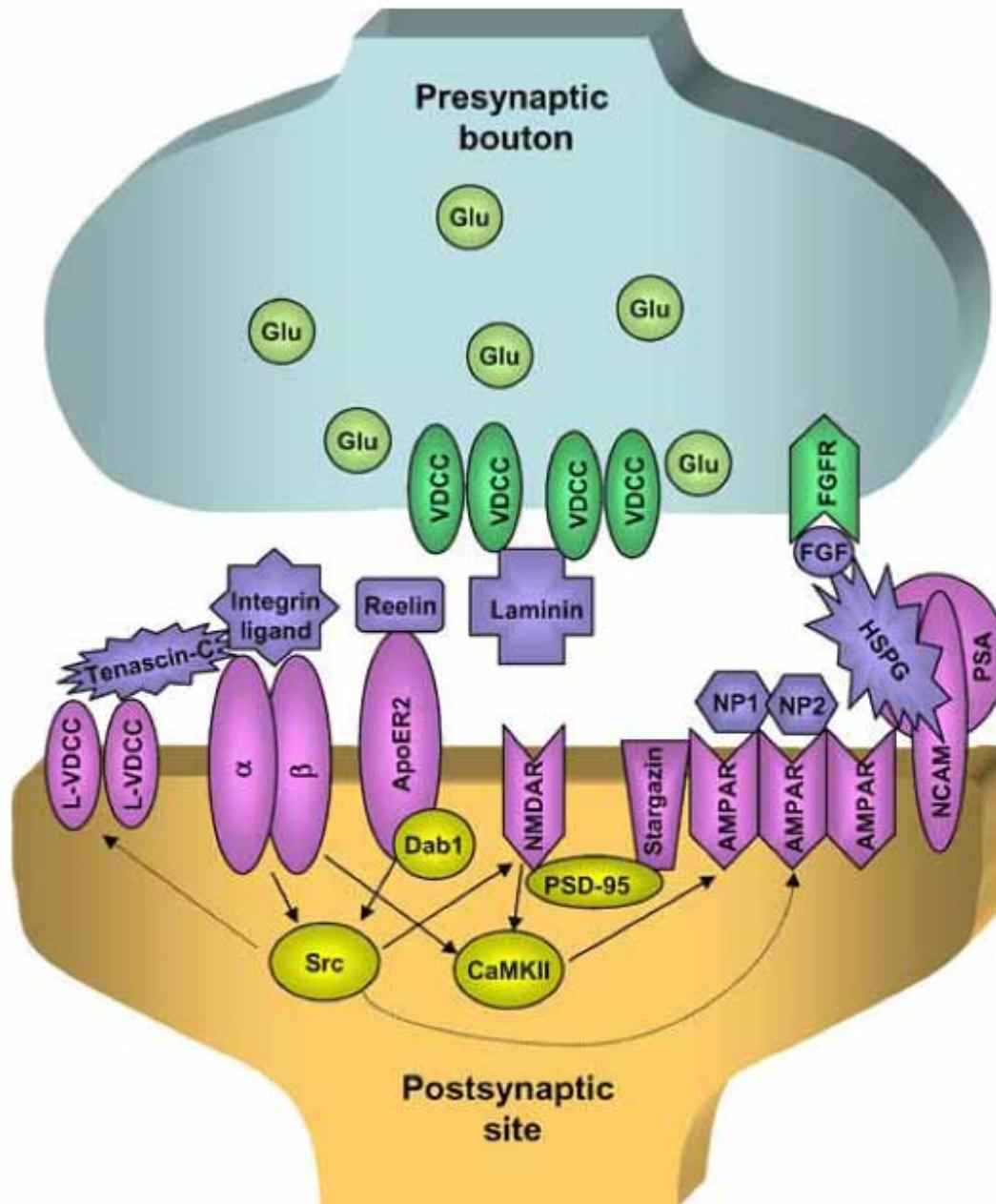
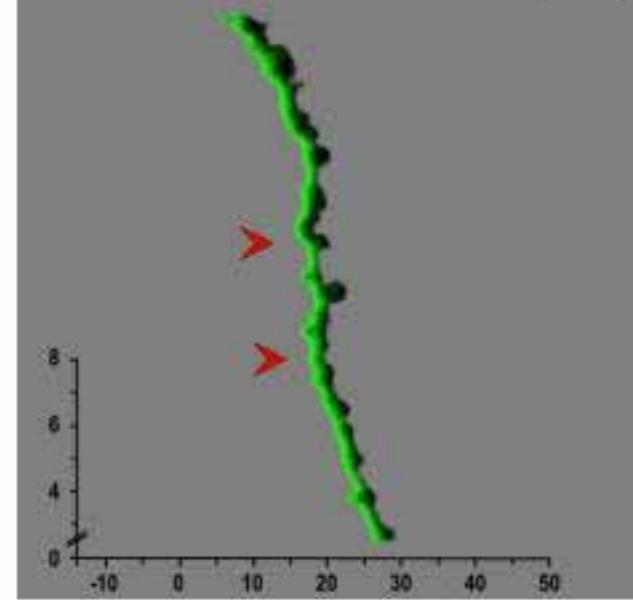
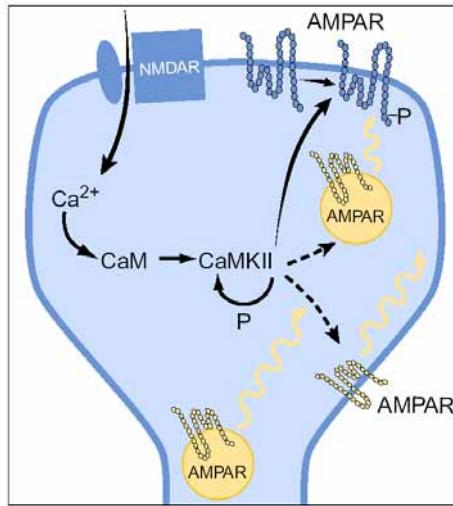
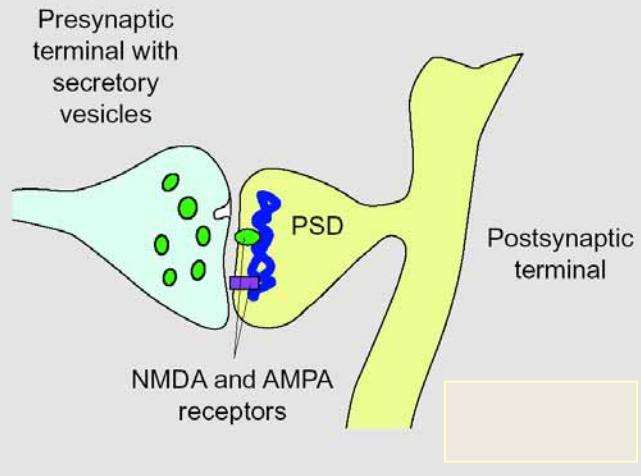


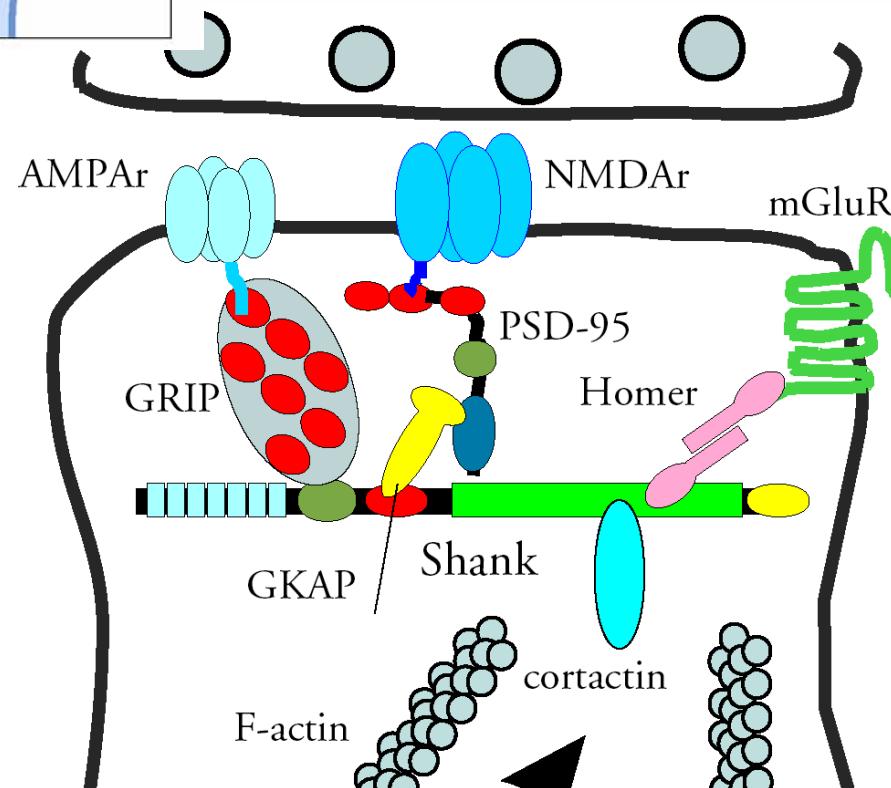
Fig. 1 Summary of mechanisms by which ECM molecules may shape synaptogenesis and synaptic plasticity. Neuronal pentraxins *NP1* and *NP2* interact with each other and form a scaffold in the extracellular space, and they also interact with NMDA receptors (NMDARs), AMPA receptors (AMPARs), and PSD-95. Other molecules shown include integrins, laminin, reelin, stargazin, and HSP 90. Abbreviations: VDCC, voltage-gated calcium channel; FGF, fibroblast growth factor; FGFR, fibroblast growth factor receptor; PSD-95, postsynaptic density protein 95; CaMKII, calcium/calmodulin-dependent protein kinase II; Src, non-receptor tyrosine kinase; NP1, neuronal pentraxin 1; NP2, neuronal pentraxin 2; HSP 90, heat shock protein 90; PSA, pentraxin-related gene product; NCAM, neural cell adhesion molecule; PSD, postsynaptic density; NMDAR, N-methyl-D-aspartate receptor; AMPAR, α-amino-3-hydroxy-5-methyl-4-isoxazolepropionic acid receptor; Dab1, downstream of Drosophila armless 1; ApoER2, apolipoprotein E receptor 2; L-VDCC, low-voltage-gated calcium channel; HSP 90, heat shock protein 90.

Ca^{2+} -induced modulation



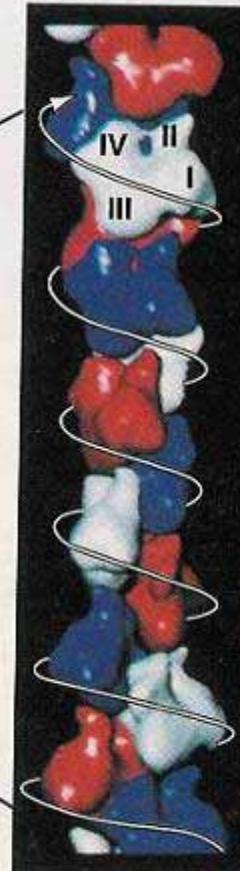
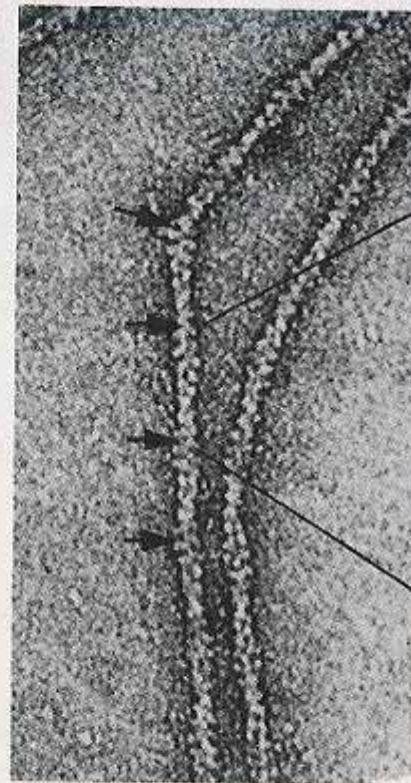
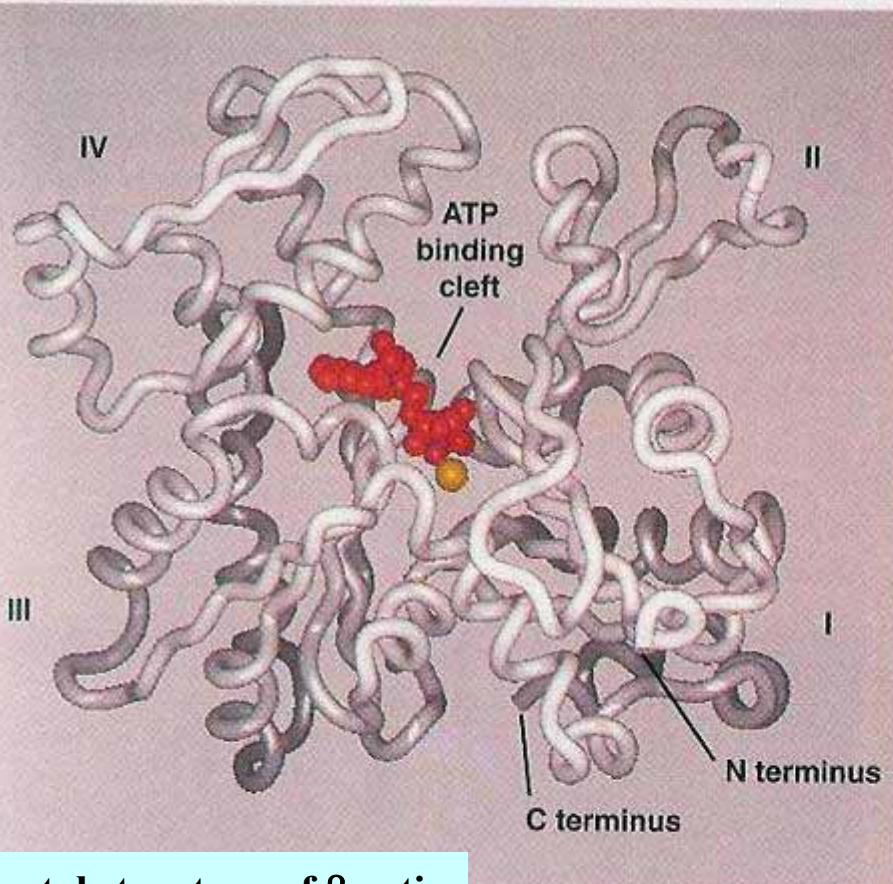
- Movement of spines

- Formation of specialized synaptic structures

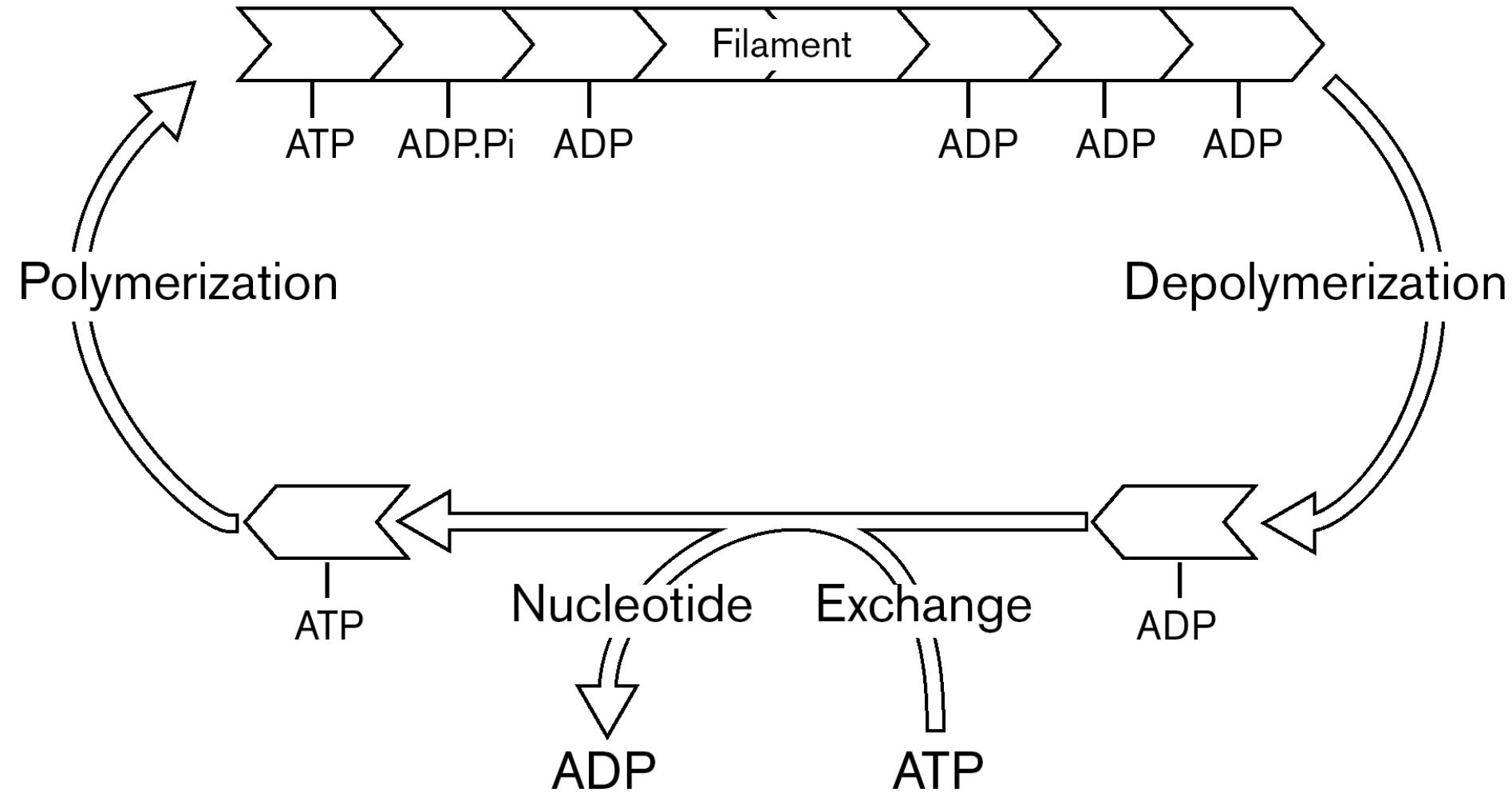


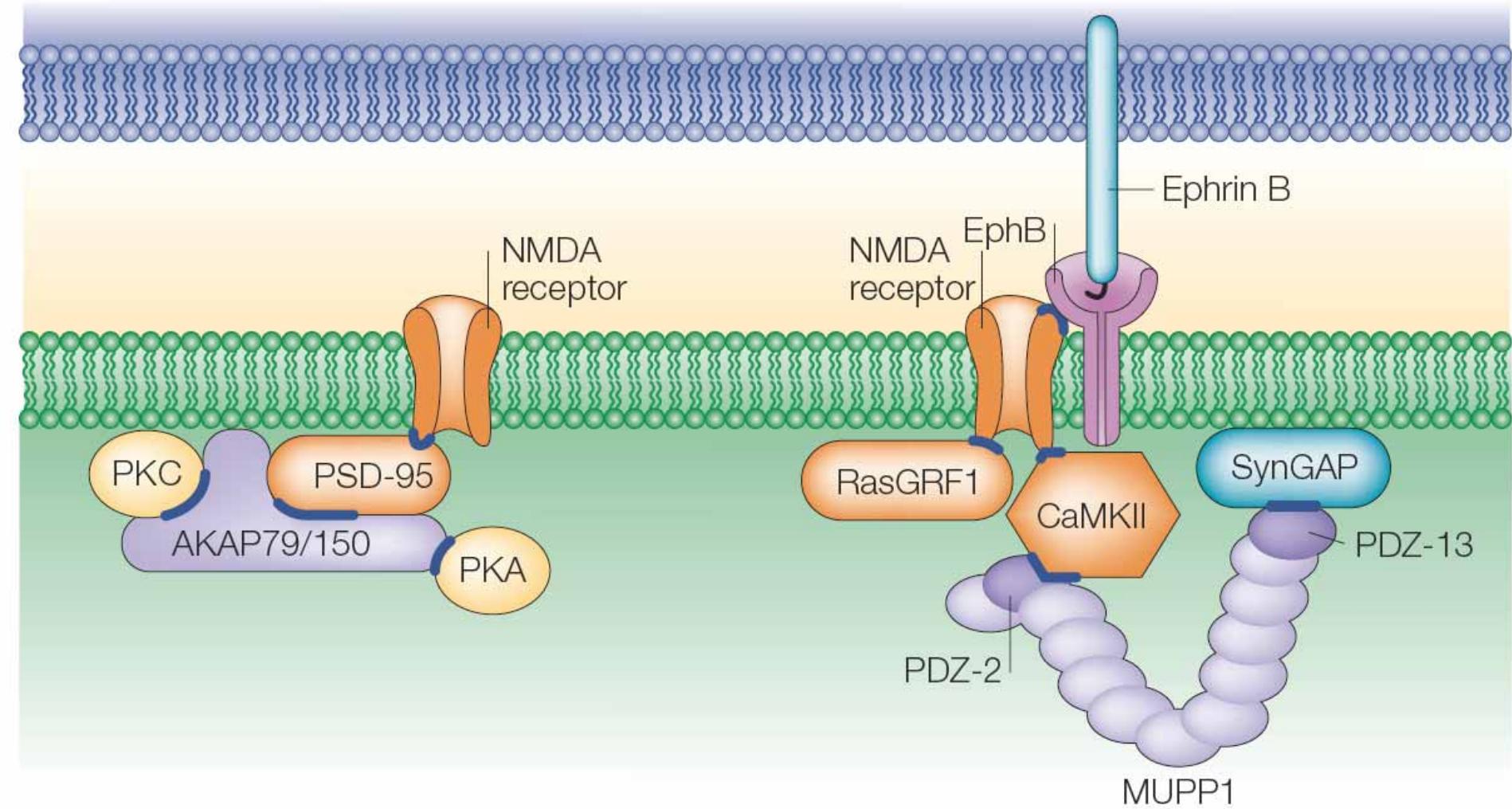
Actin

- The most abundant protein (10% in muscle cells & 1-5% in non-muscle)
- 375 amino acids protein
- 6 types of actin in mammals: 3 – α actins, β and γ . Neuronal is mainly β
- Exist in two main forms: G-actin- globuler and F-actin – filaments
- Each actin contains MgATP or MgADP



Crystal structure of β actin

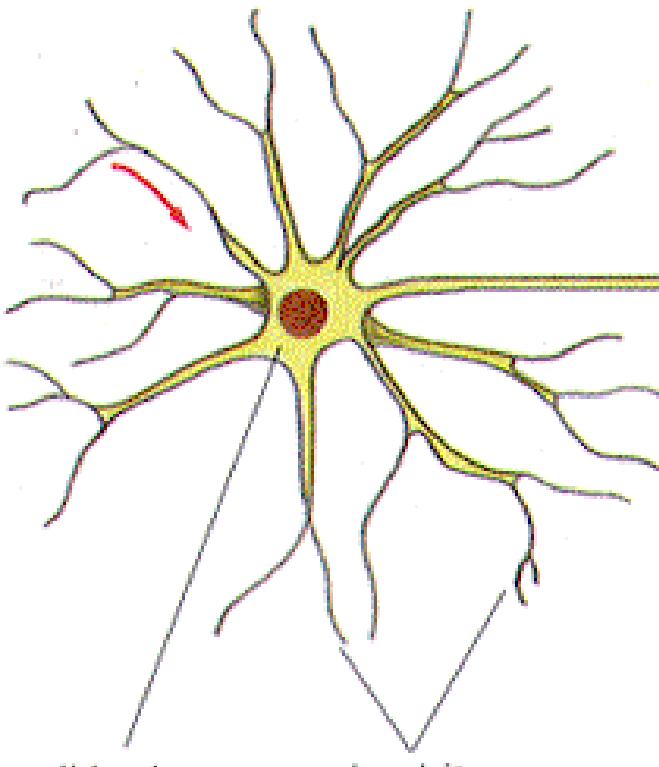




Neuron - key cell of nervous system

10^{11} neurons

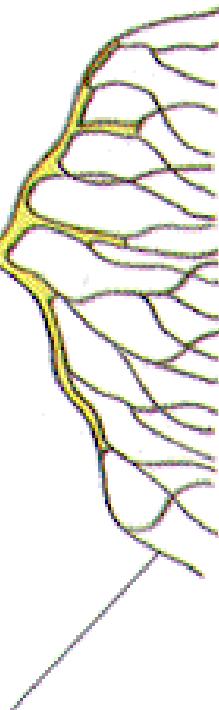
10^{15} synapses



cell body

dendrites

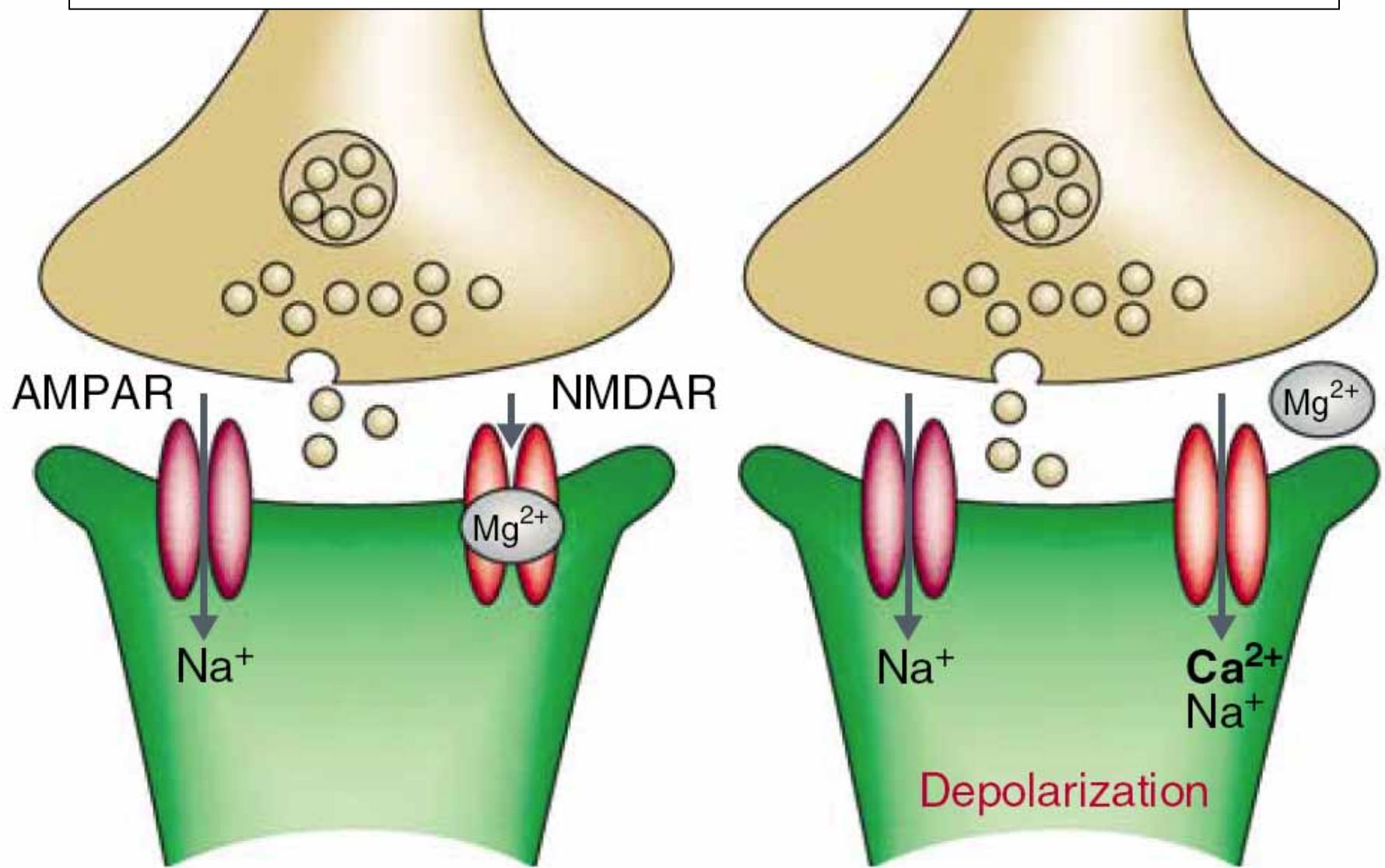
axon (less than 1 mm to
more than 1 m in length)

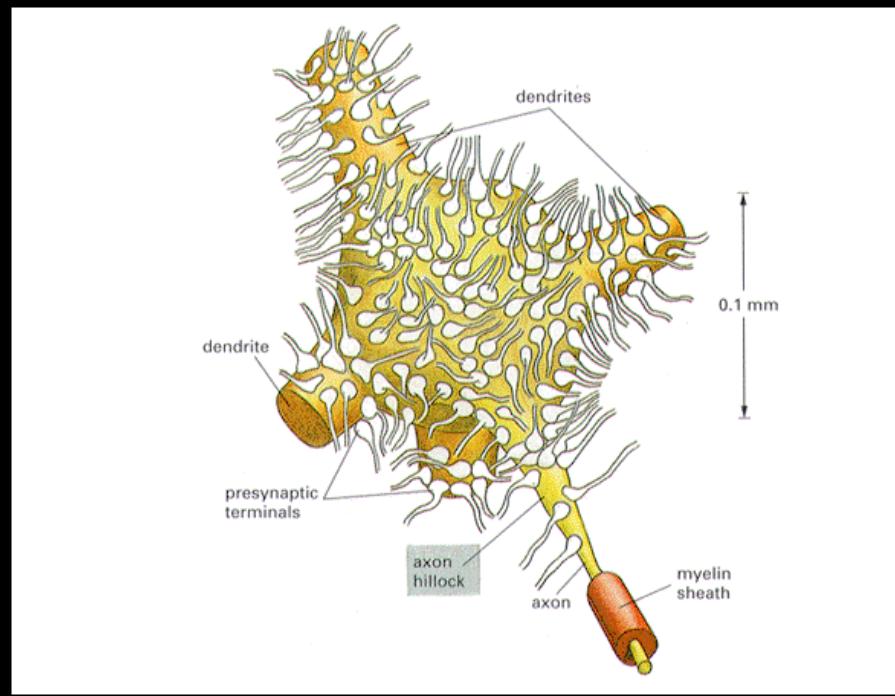
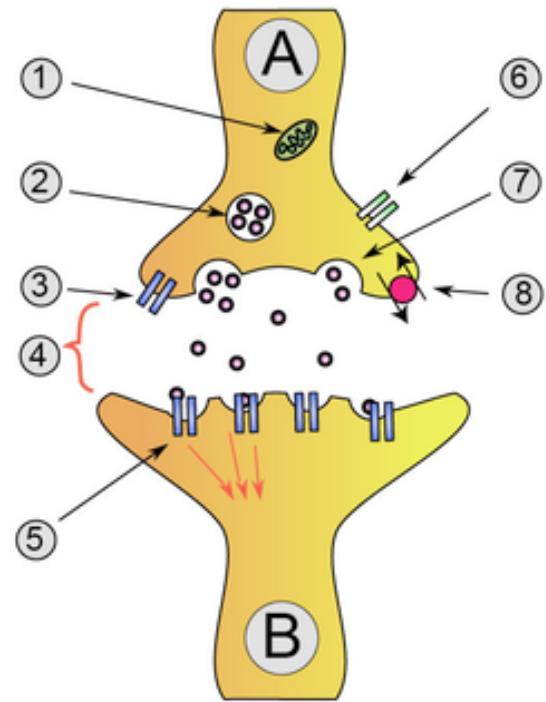
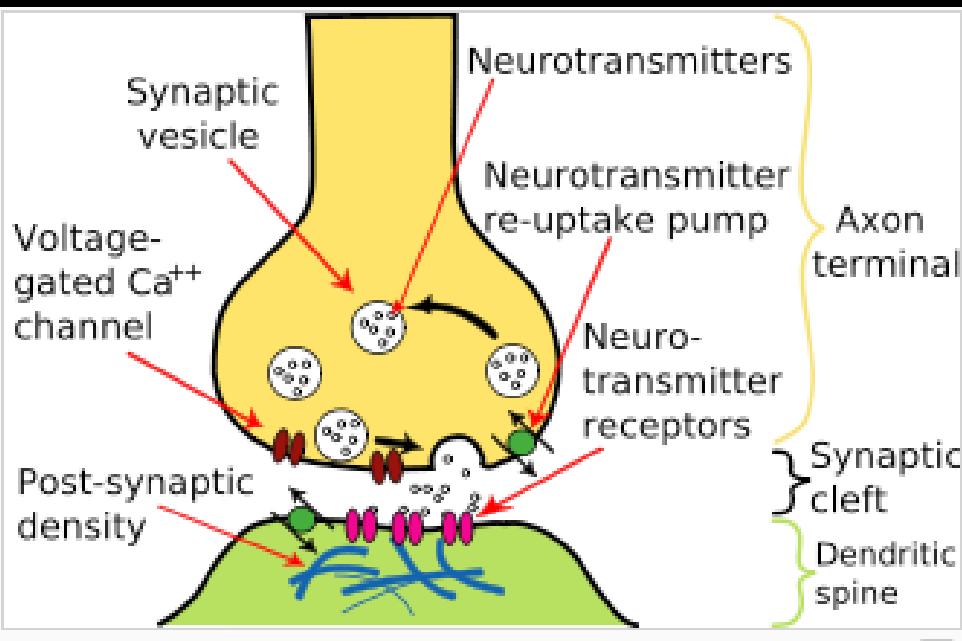


terminal branches of axon

Channels are selectively permeable

- ◆ Example: potassium channel
 - K⁺ ion (1.33 Å) vs. Na⁺ ion (0.95 Å)
 - ratio of permeabilities is 10,000
 - 10⁸ ions/second

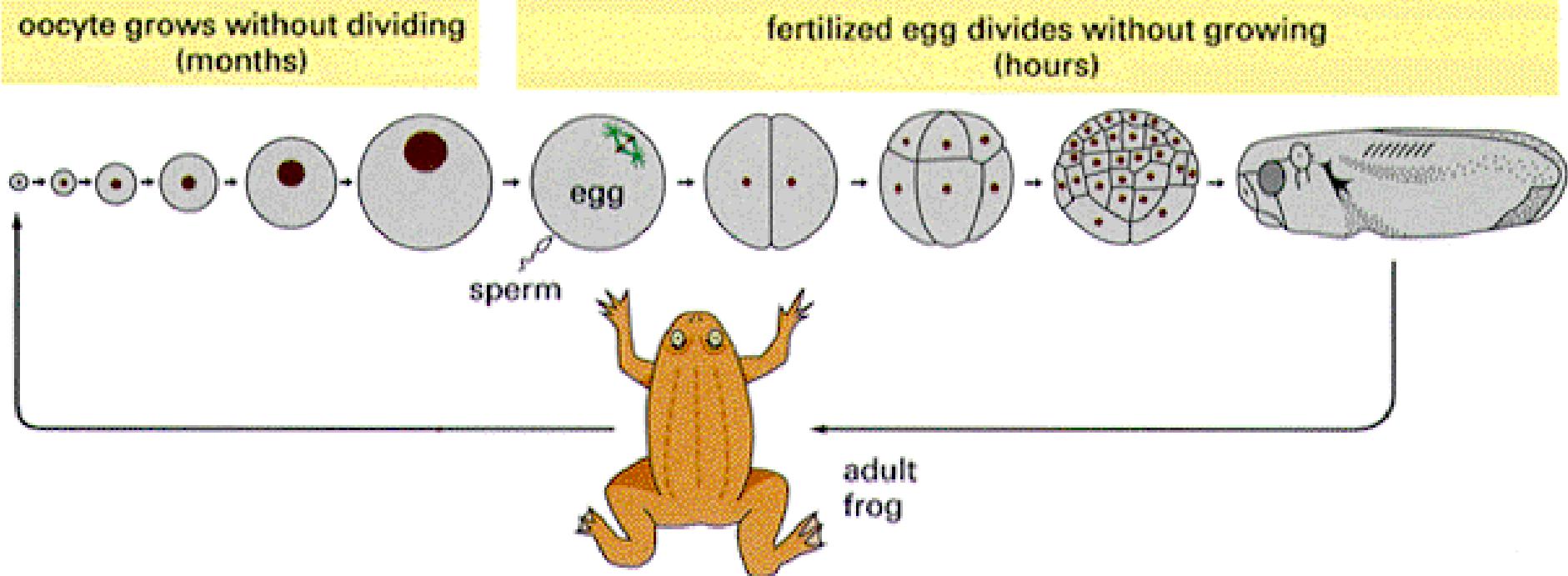




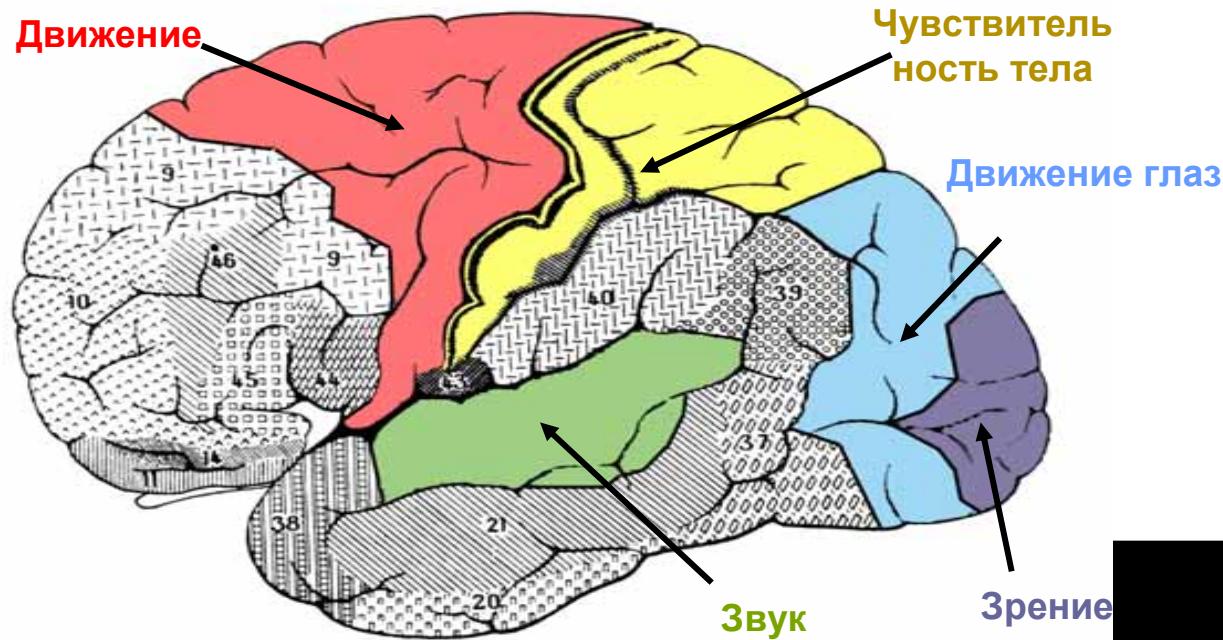
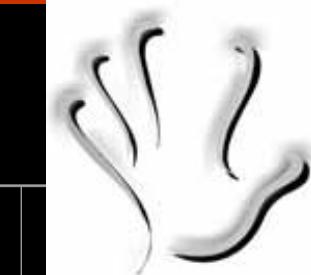
Neuron A (transmitting) to neuron B (receiving)

1. Mitochondria
2. **synaptic vesicle with neurotransmitters**
3. Autoreceptor
4. **Synapse with neurotransmitter released (serotonin)**
5. Postsynaptic receptors activated by neurotransmitter (induction of a postsynaptic potential)
6. Calcium channel
7. **Exocytosis of a vesicle**
8. **Recaptured neurotransmitter**

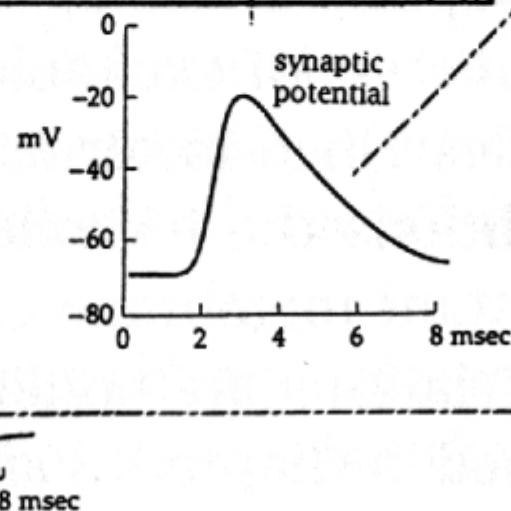
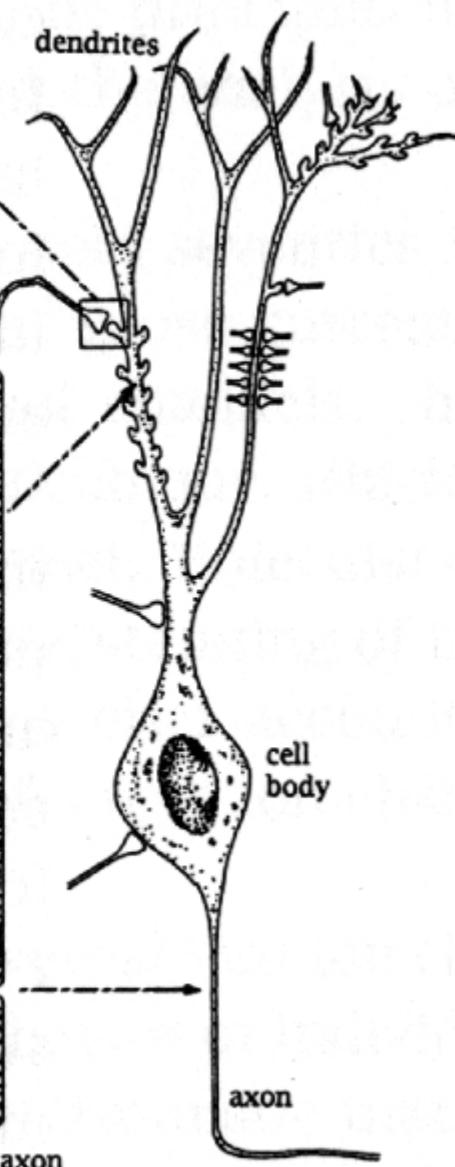
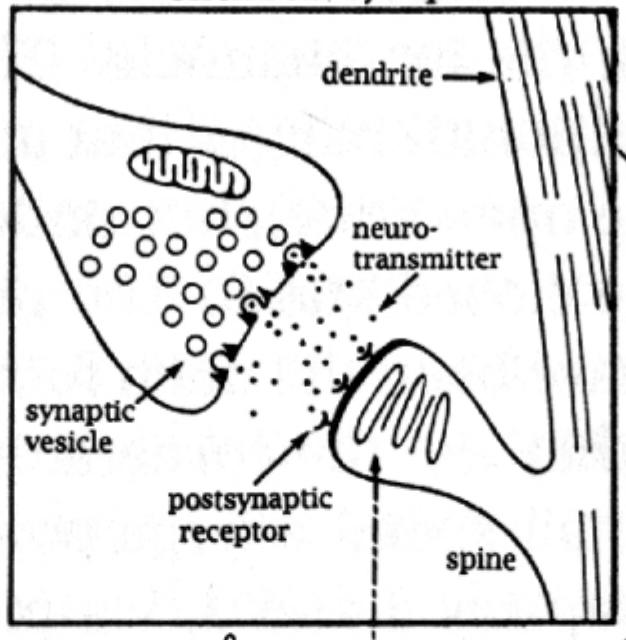
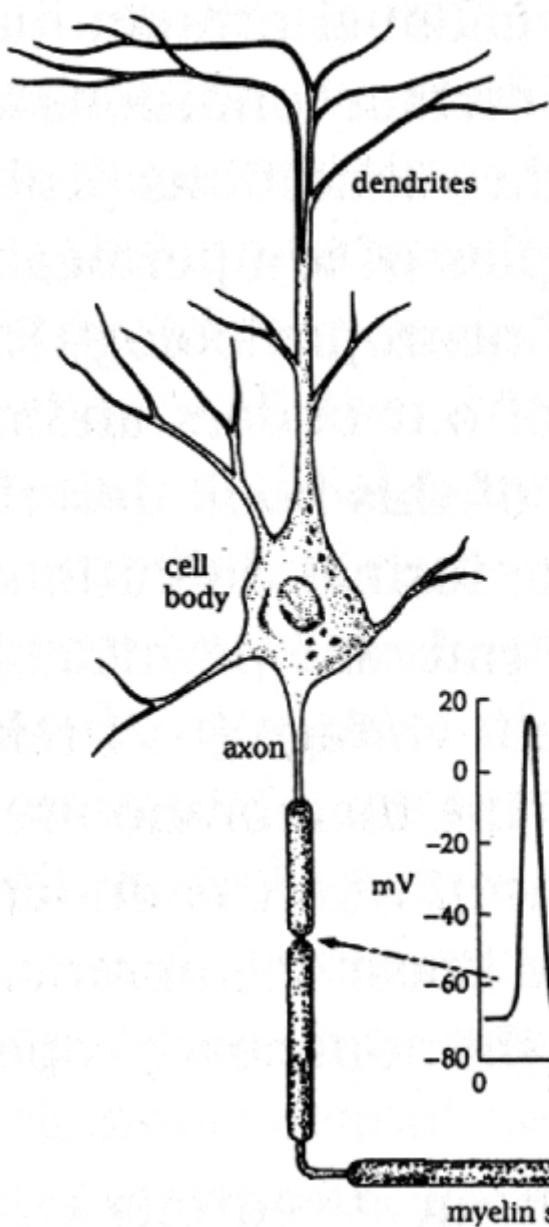
Main stages of development



Основные чувства и органы чувств



Chemical synapse



Эксперимент аспиранта Турпаева (1946), ставший отправной точкой для цикла работ по холинорецептору



Турпаев-1946

ждение свободных сульфидрильных групп путем внесения цистеина полностью восстанавливает исчезнувший эффект (рис.13). Конечно, этой способностью не обладает испытанный нами цистин.

Уже этот опыт с достаточной ясностью показывает, что первое воздействие, а также воздействие тех химических агентов, которые в качестве специфических продуктов обмена

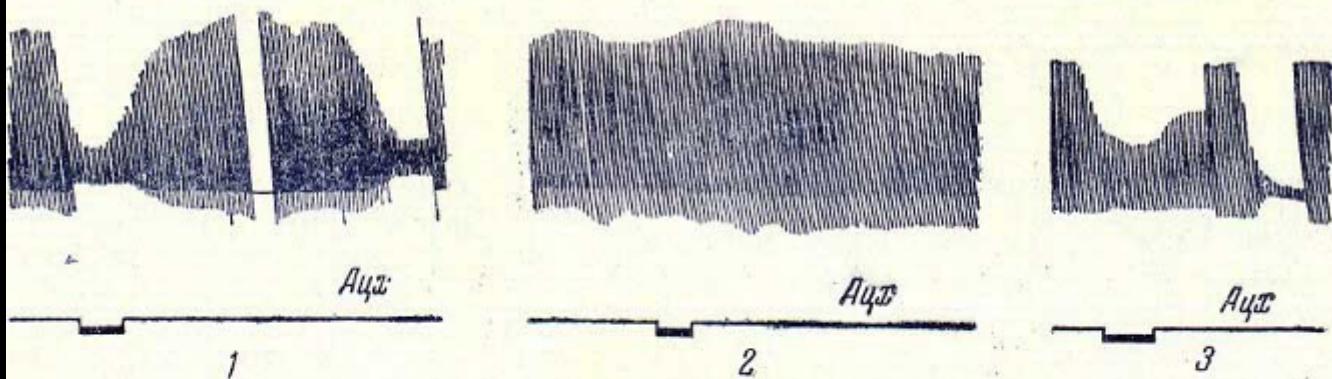


Рис. 13.

1 — действие раздражения блуждающего нерва (и ацетилхолина для сравнения) на сокращения миокарда желудочка сердца лягушки в норме; 2 — после связывания сульфидрильных групп сулемой ($5 \cdot 10^{-6}$);
3 — после действия цистеина ($5 \cdot 10^{-4}$)

Сулема - HgCl_2
- дихлорид ртути

gift of D.A. Sakharov

Холинорецептор - белок



Letters to Editor

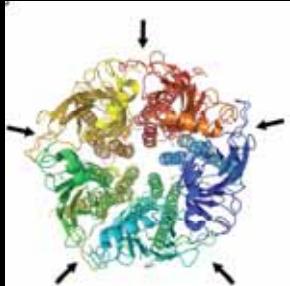
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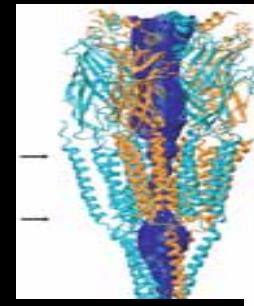
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Some key events in AChR's life



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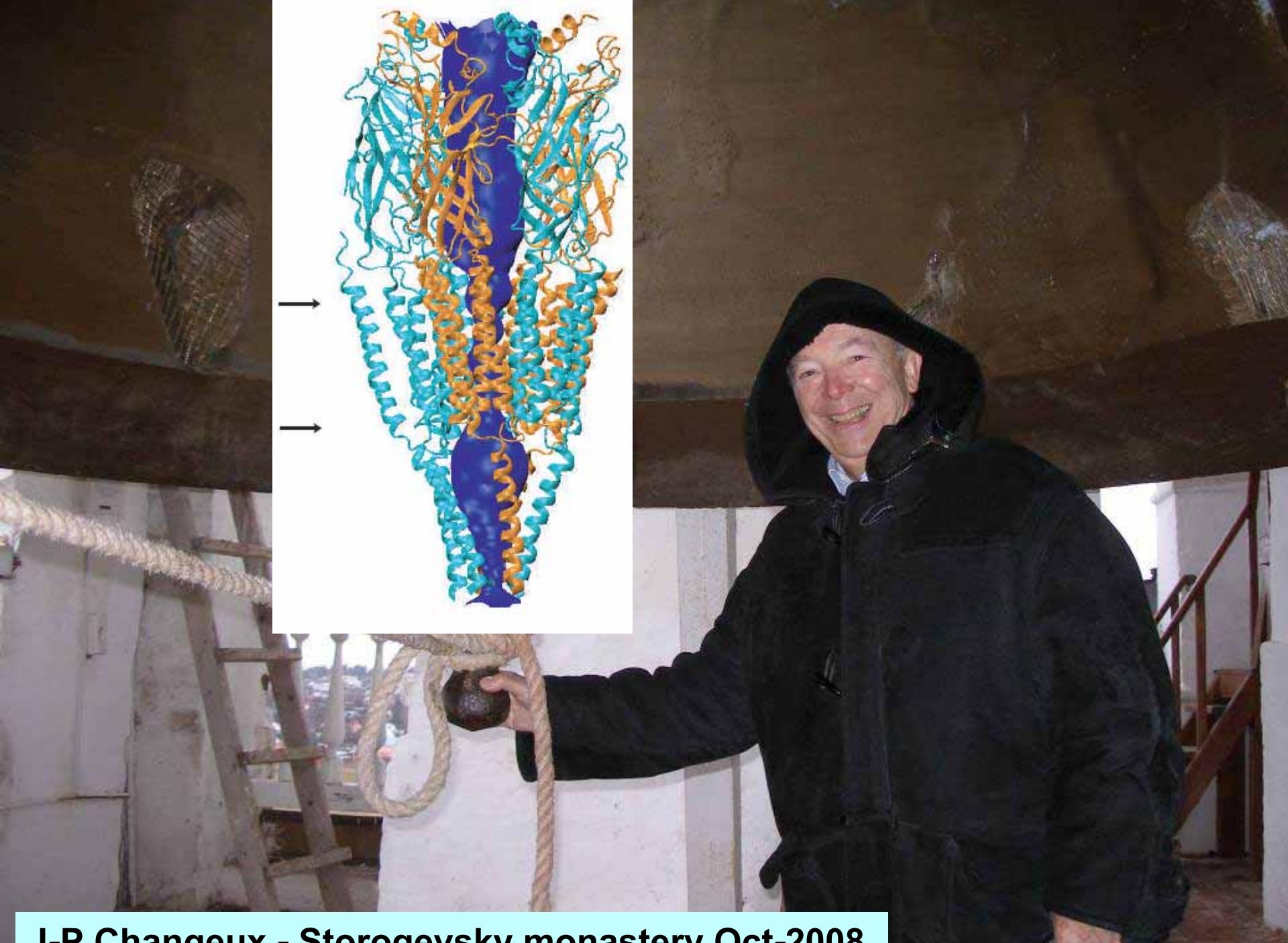
1958-60-th - Homogenate of AChR Turpaev & co-authors

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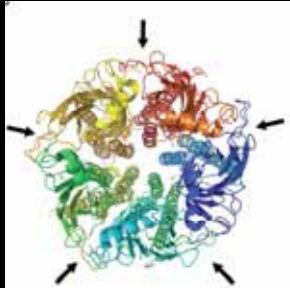
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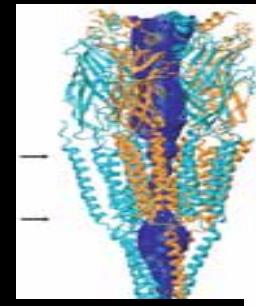
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J-P Chanqueux - Storozhevsky monastery Oct-2008



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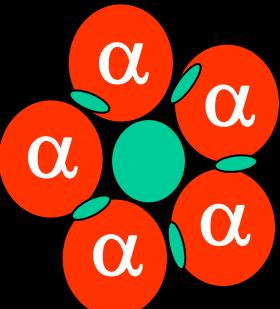
Cys-Loop ligand-gated channels

Cation-selective

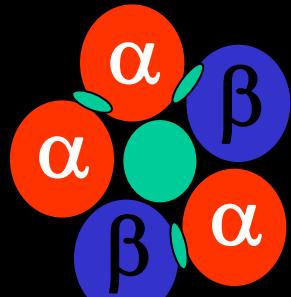
Acetylcholine
Serotonin (5-HT)

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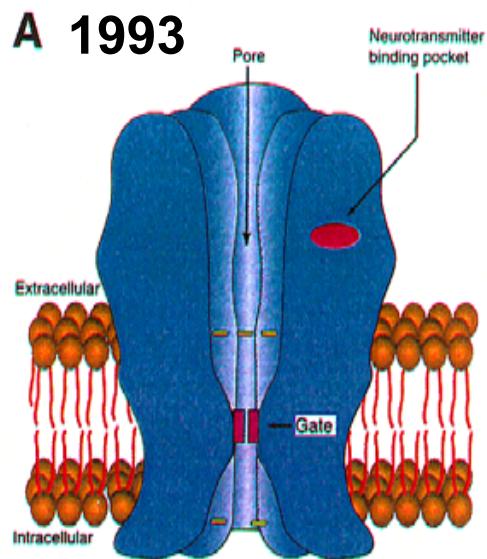
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Glycine



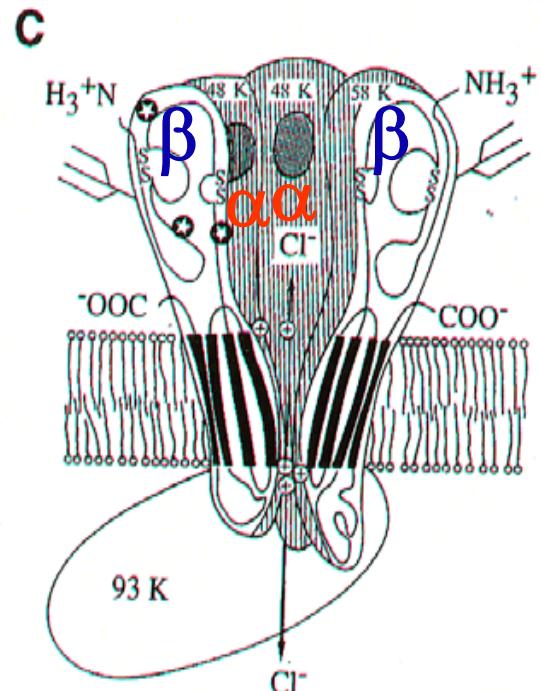
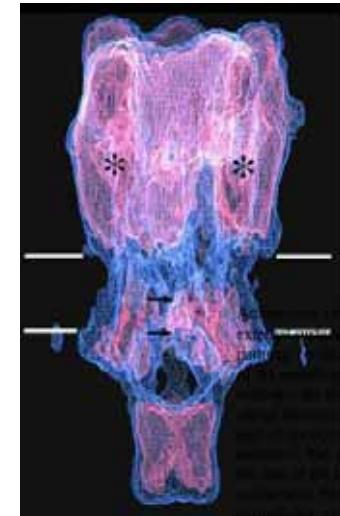
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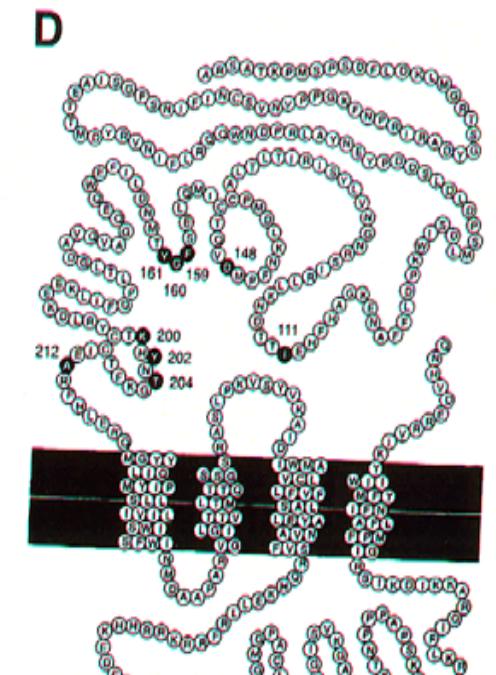
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Glycine Receptor



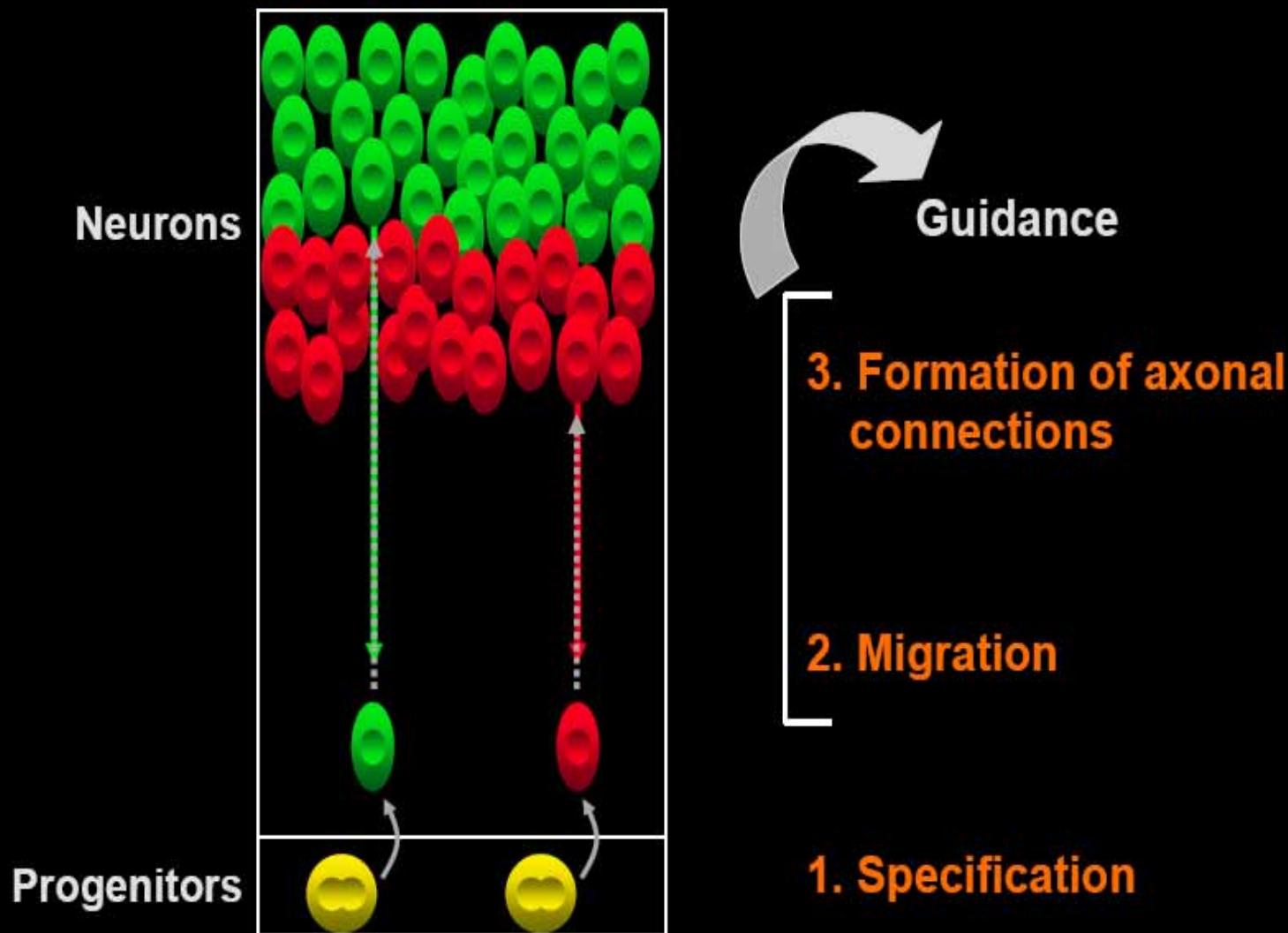
GlyR α subunit

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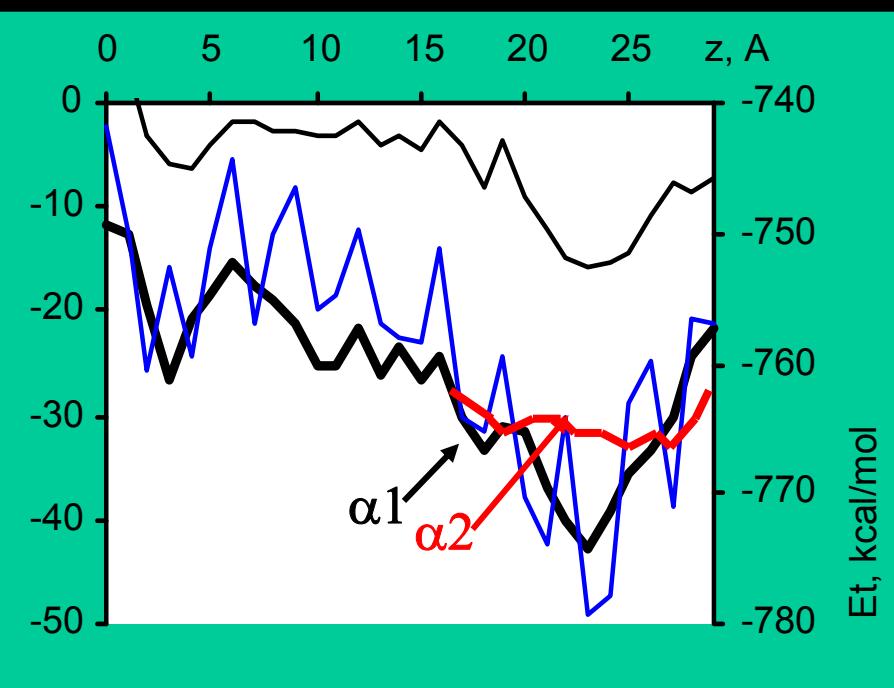
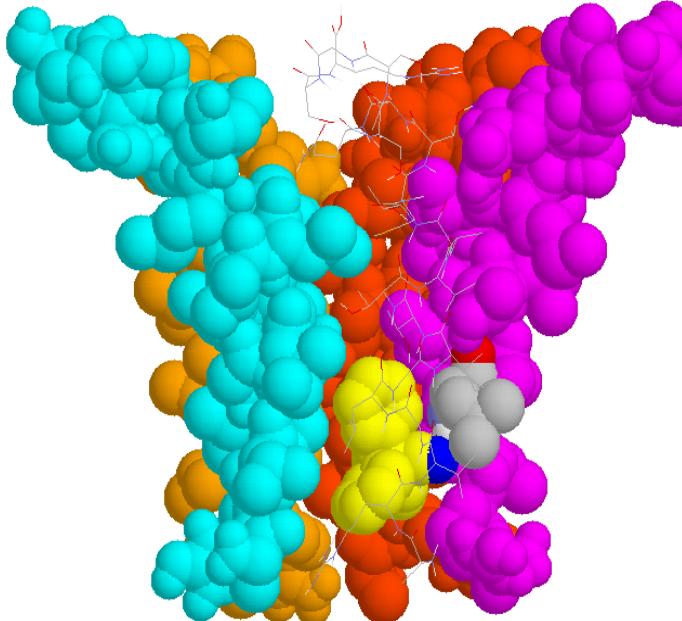
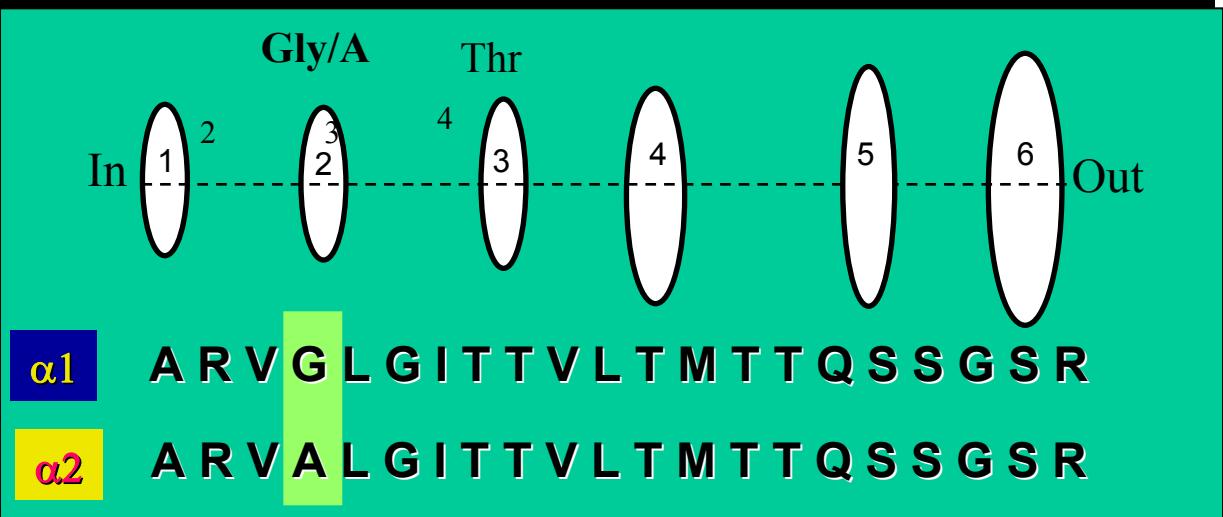
– What we know about:

- Structure
- Conformational transitions during activation

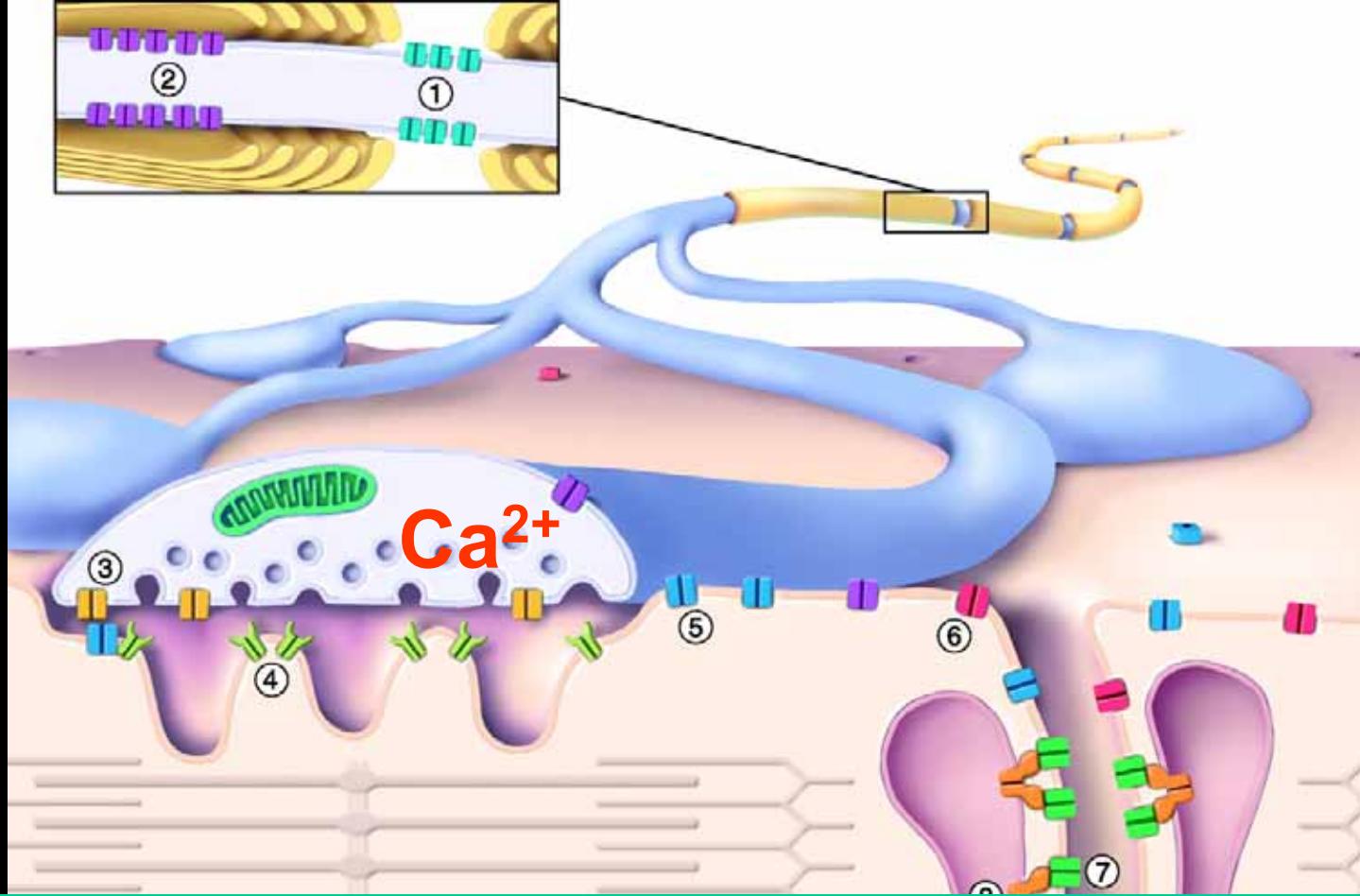
Steps in the early development of the nervous system



Energy Profile of CTB in a1 and a2 GlyRs



- Ligand-receptor energy for a1
- Ligand-receptor energy for a2
- Electrostatic ligand-receptor energy
- Total energy



Calcium - key trigger of neurotransmitter release in chemical synapses

○ Nerve voltage-gated calcium channel

○ Chloride channel

③ Nerve voltage-gated calcium channel

⑦ Transverse tubule voltage-gated

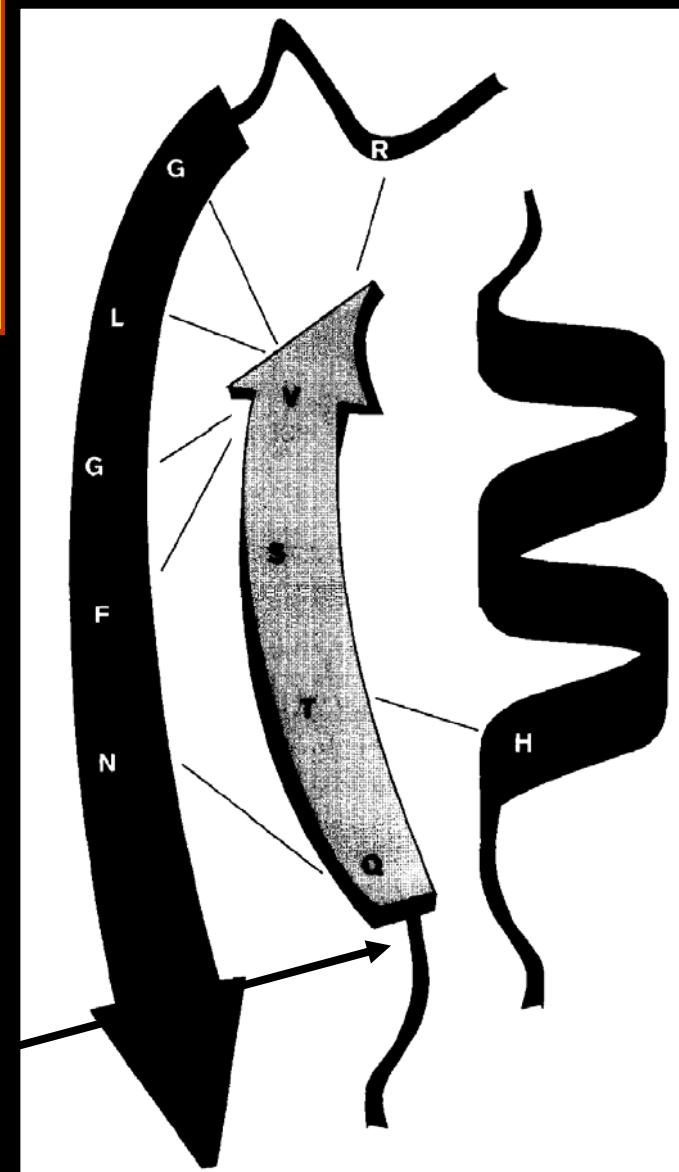
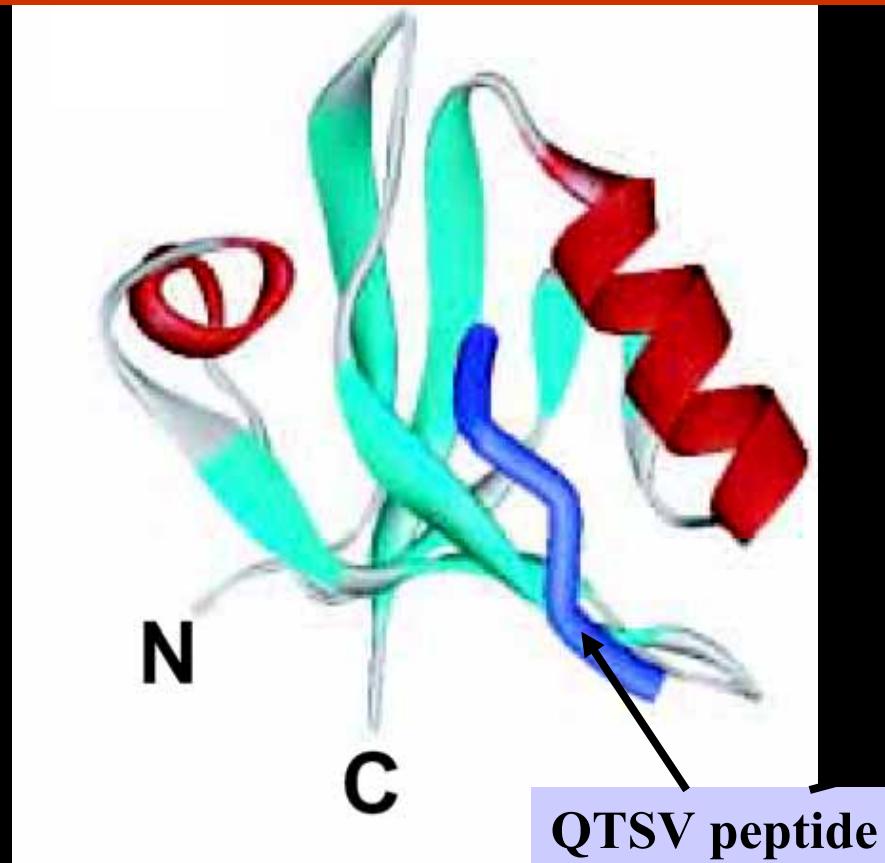
Interaction of peptides with PDZ domains

- 90 amino acids

-Six β -strands and two α -helices

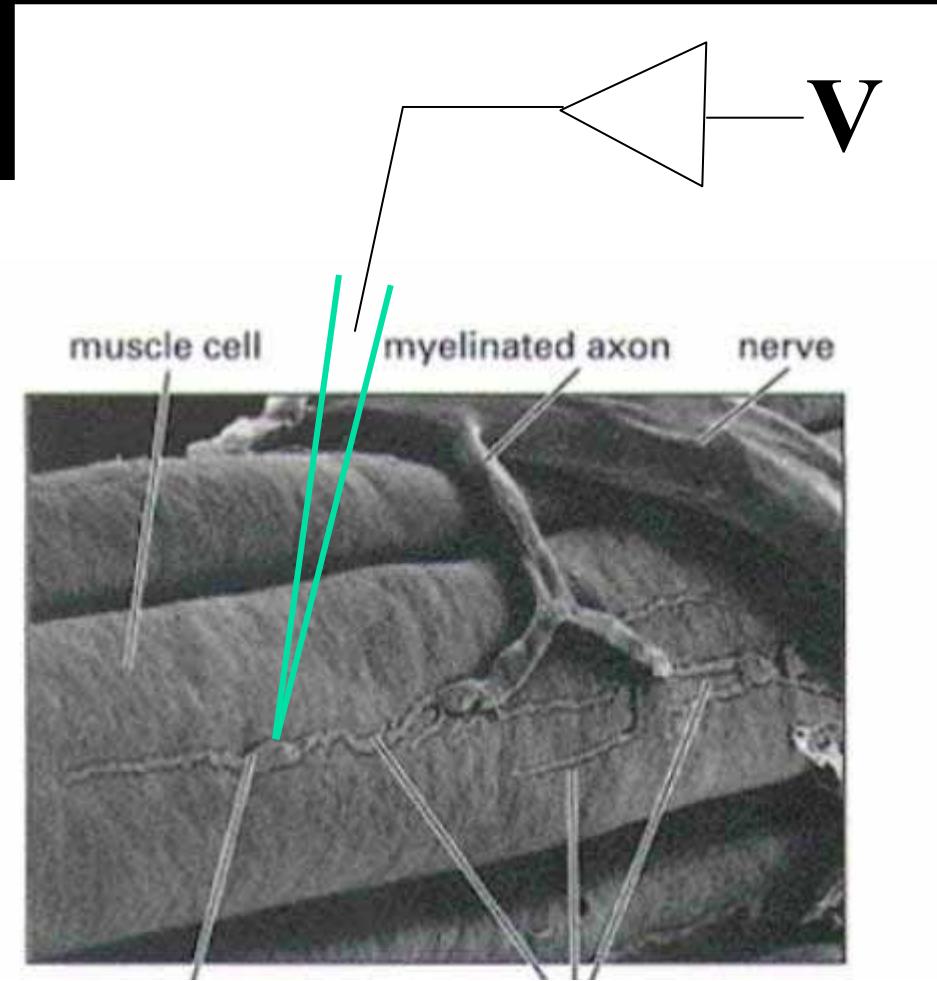
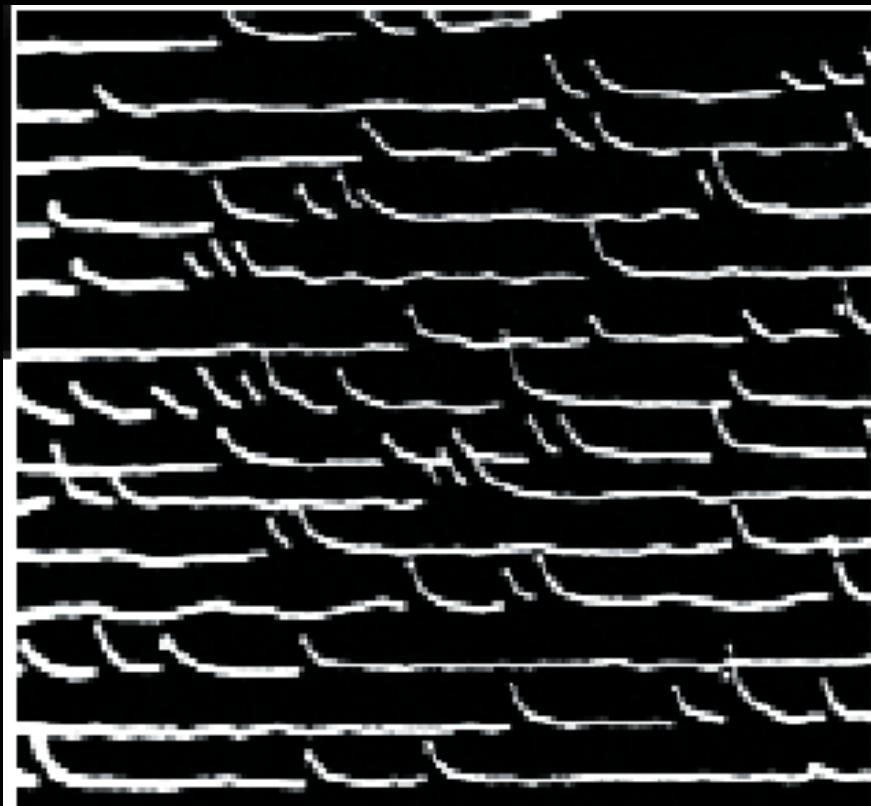
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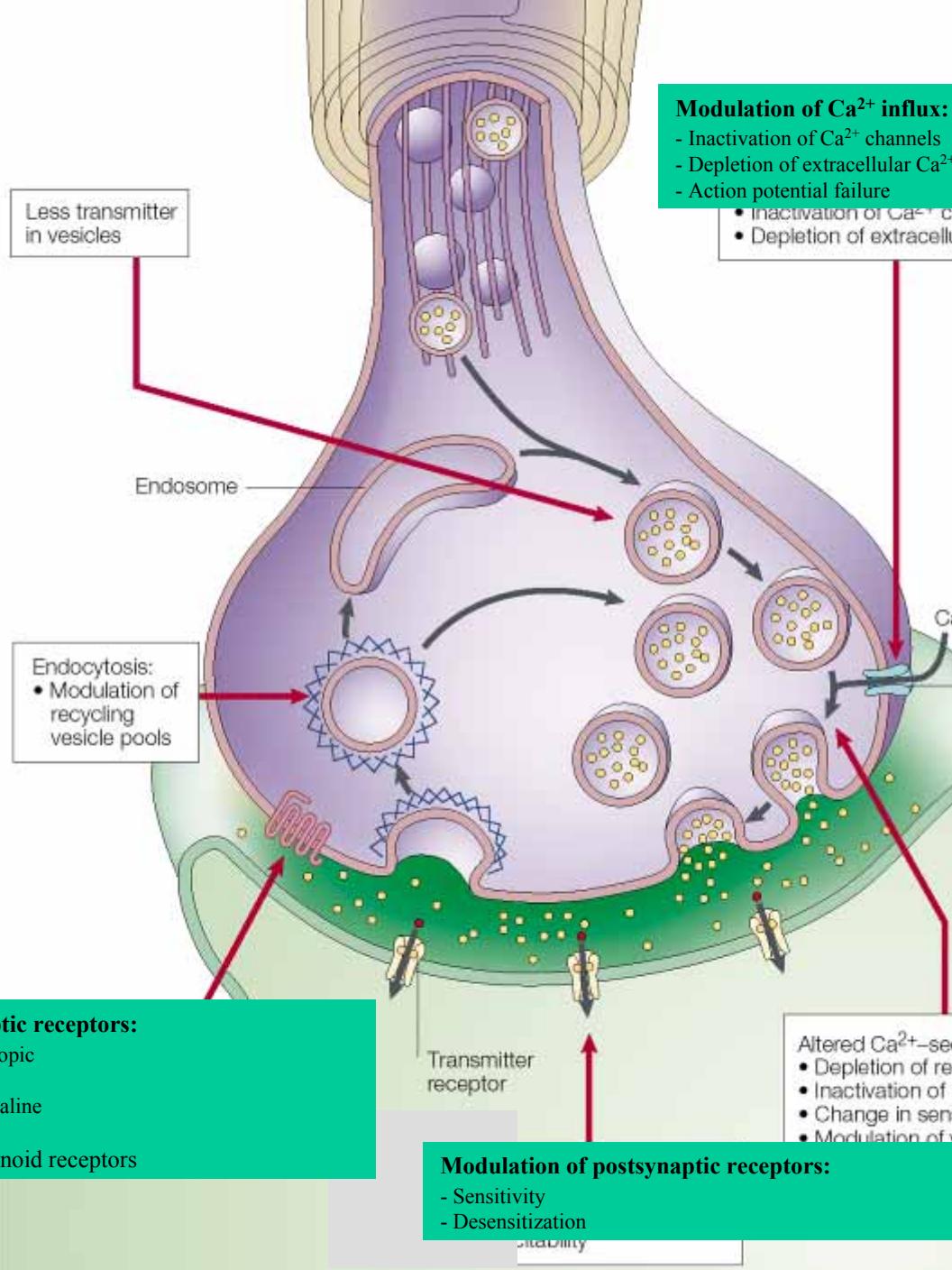
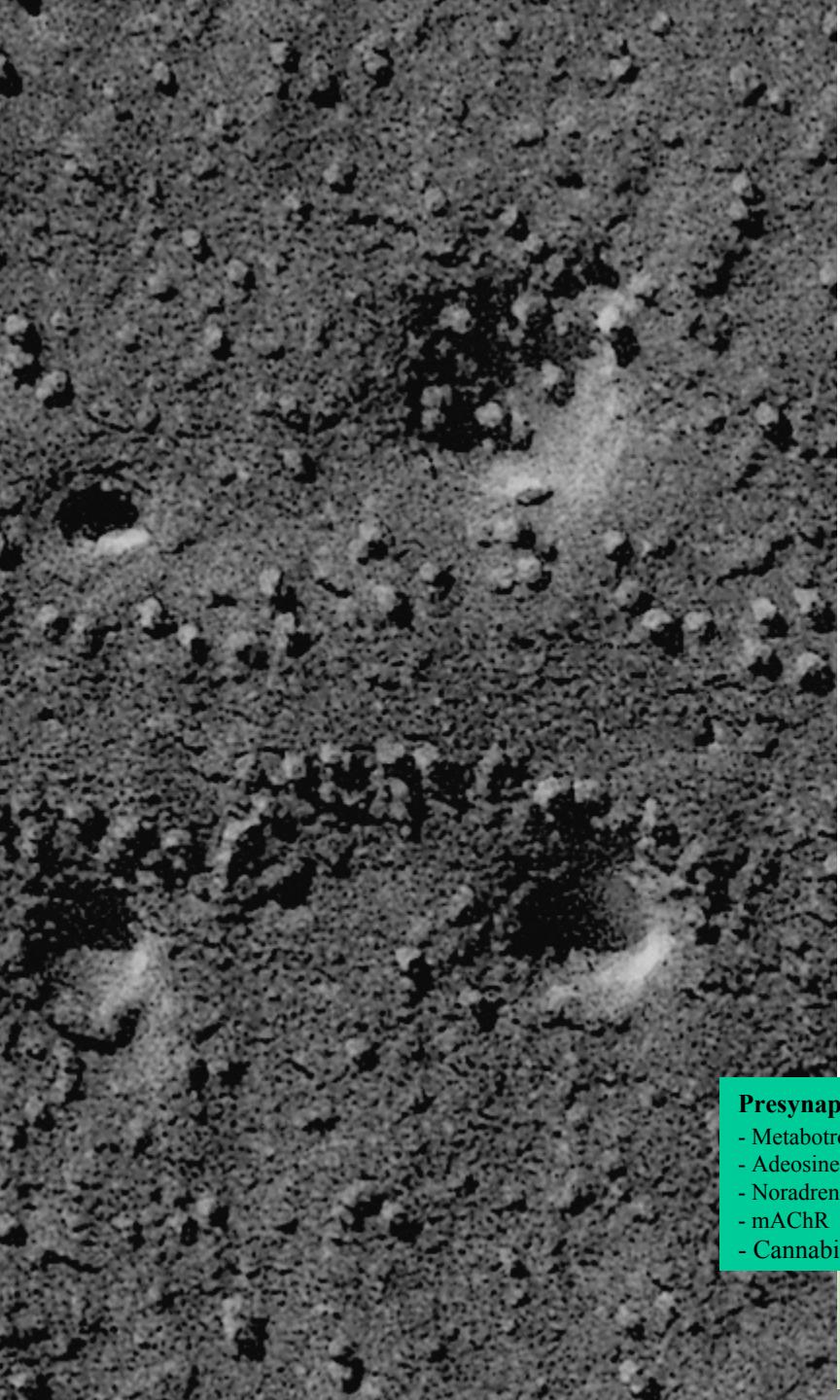
PDZ domains-are located at about 12 nm below postsynaptic membrane.



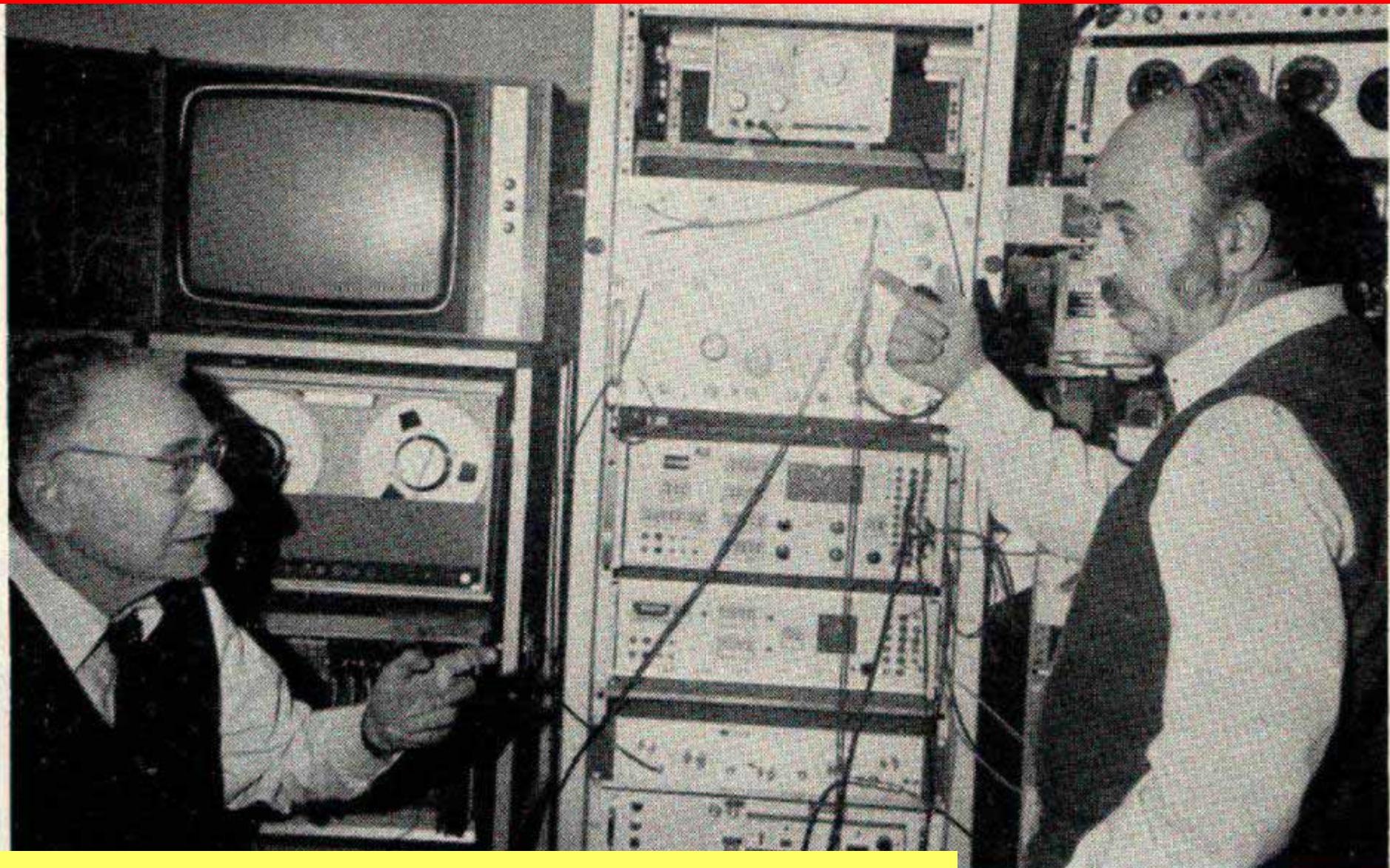
Миниатюрные синаптические потенциалы

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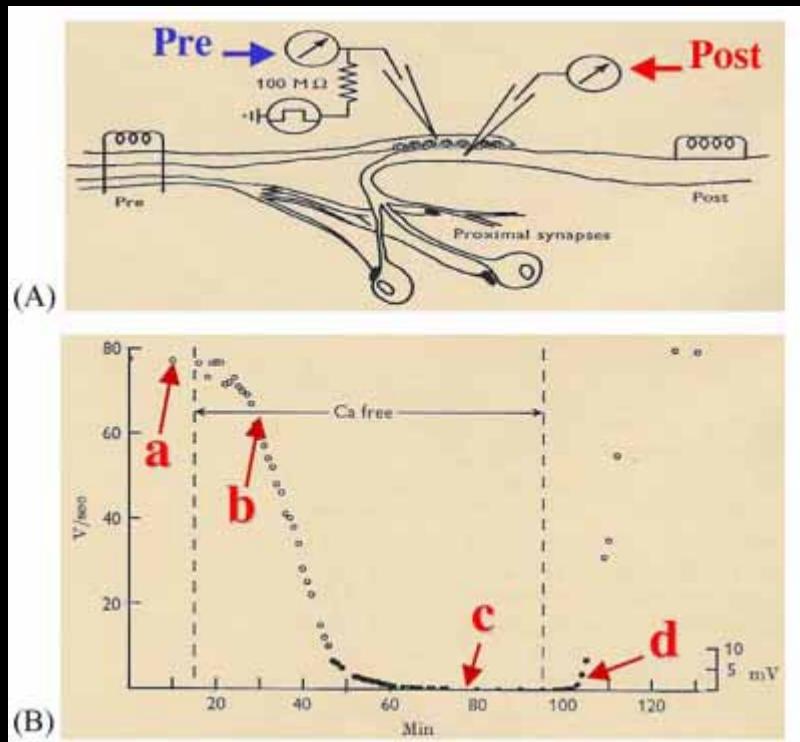
Ca^{2+} - ключевая роль в выбросе нейромедиатора



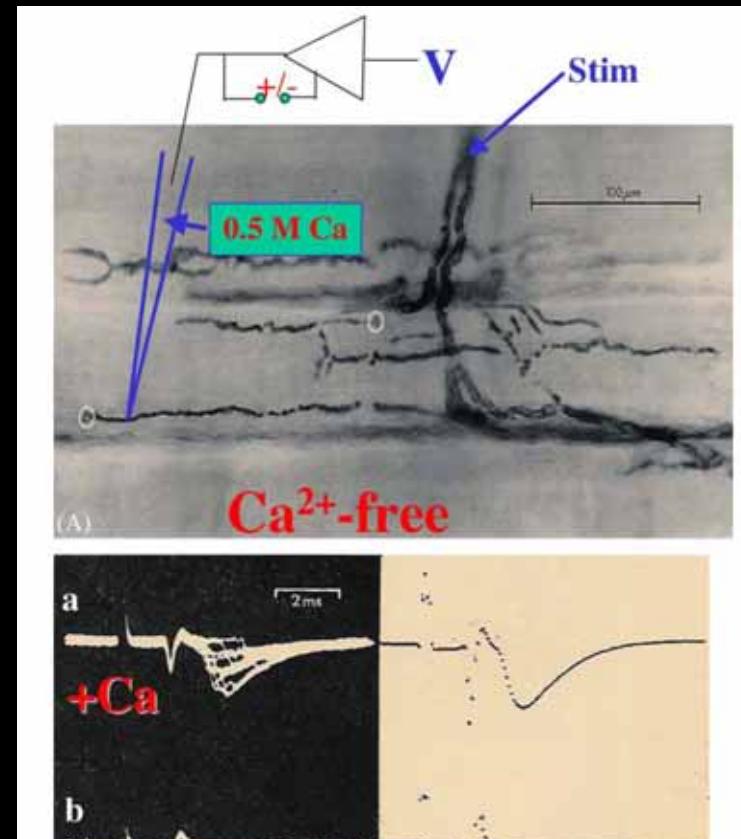
Bernard KATZ & Ricardo MILEDI, 1978

Photo: T. Takahashi

Доказательство ключевой роли Ca^{2+}



Squid giant synapse



Neuromuscular synapse

Katz & Miledi, *Nature*, 212: 1242-1245, 1966:

"At the squid giant synapse as well as at the neuromuscular junction, external calcium ions are indispensable for synaptic activity"

Calyx of Held – giant mammalian synapse

