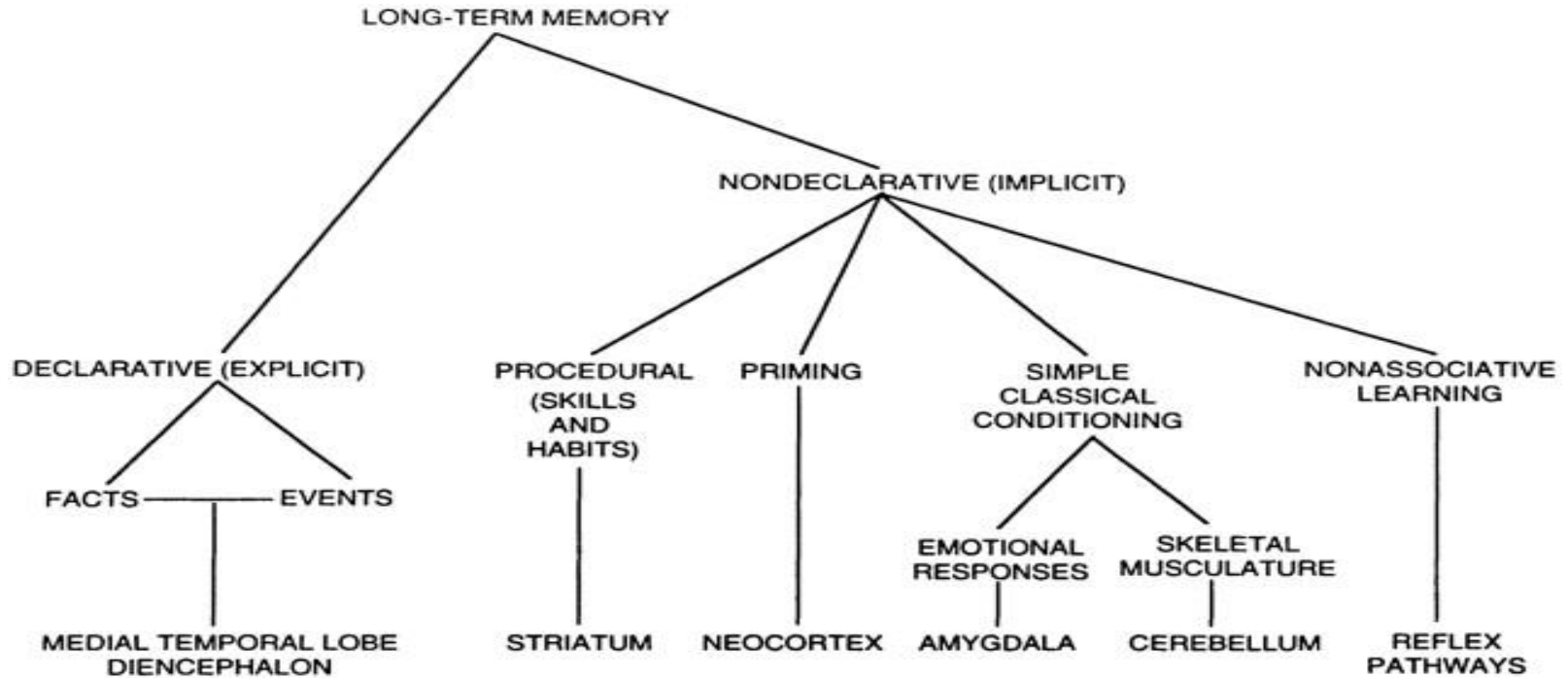


Taxonomy of mammalian memory systems



HM - Henry Gustav Molaison



H. M.' s lesion

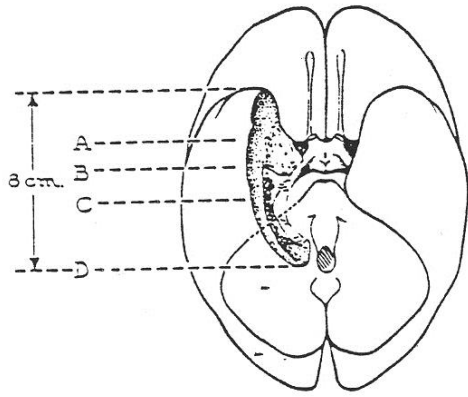
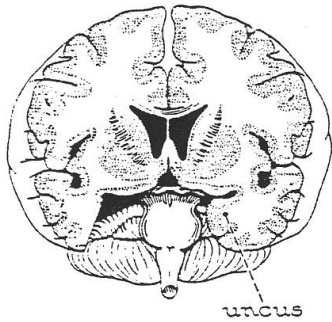
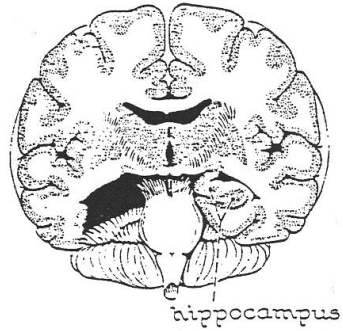


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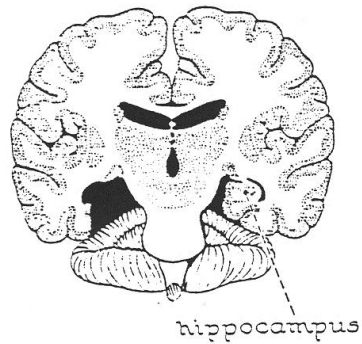
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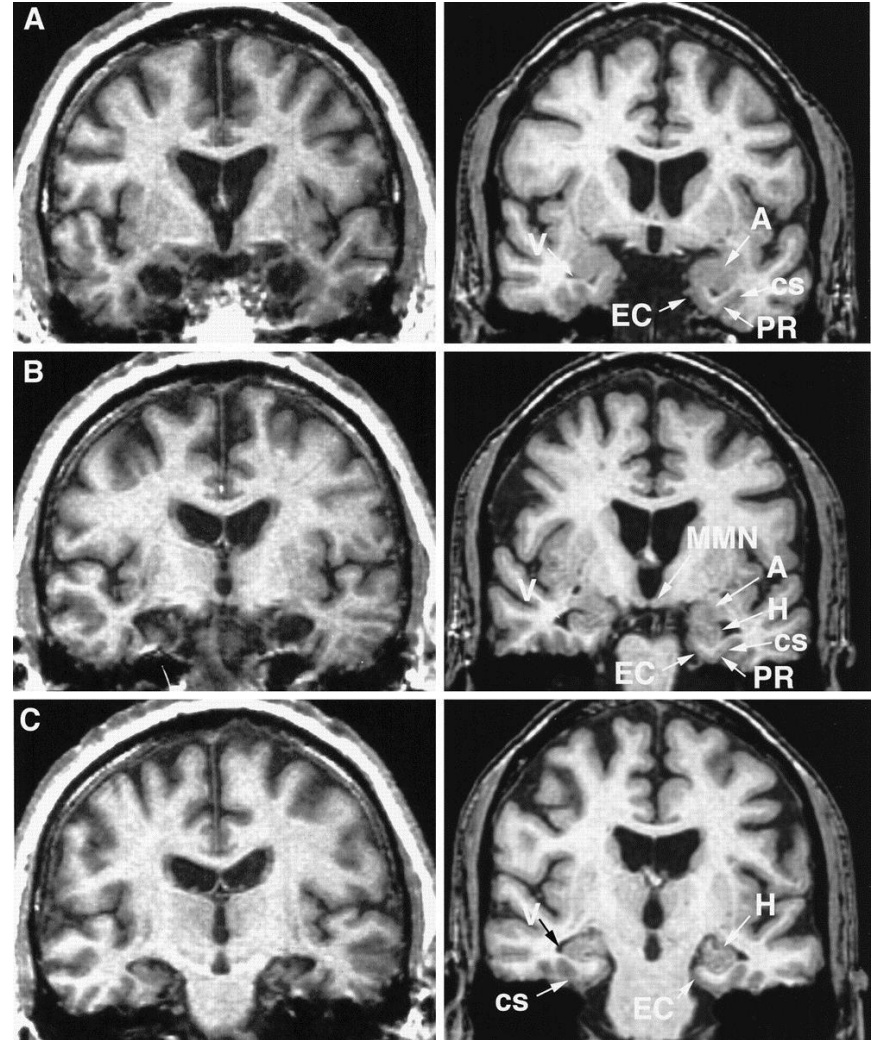
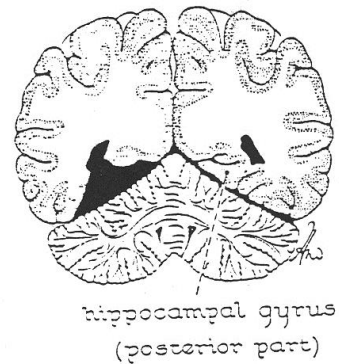
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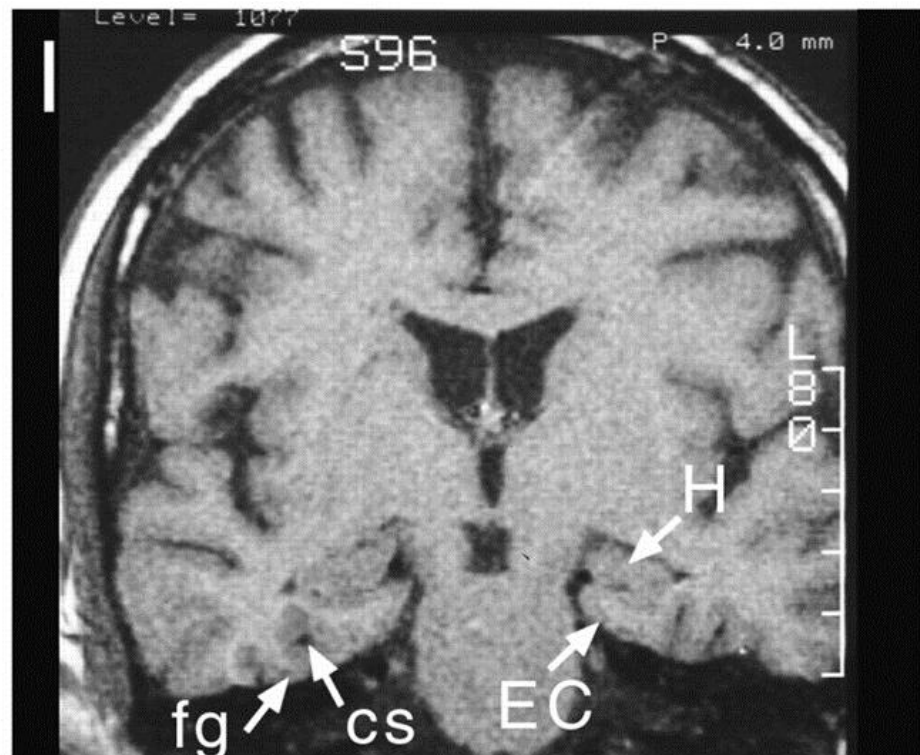
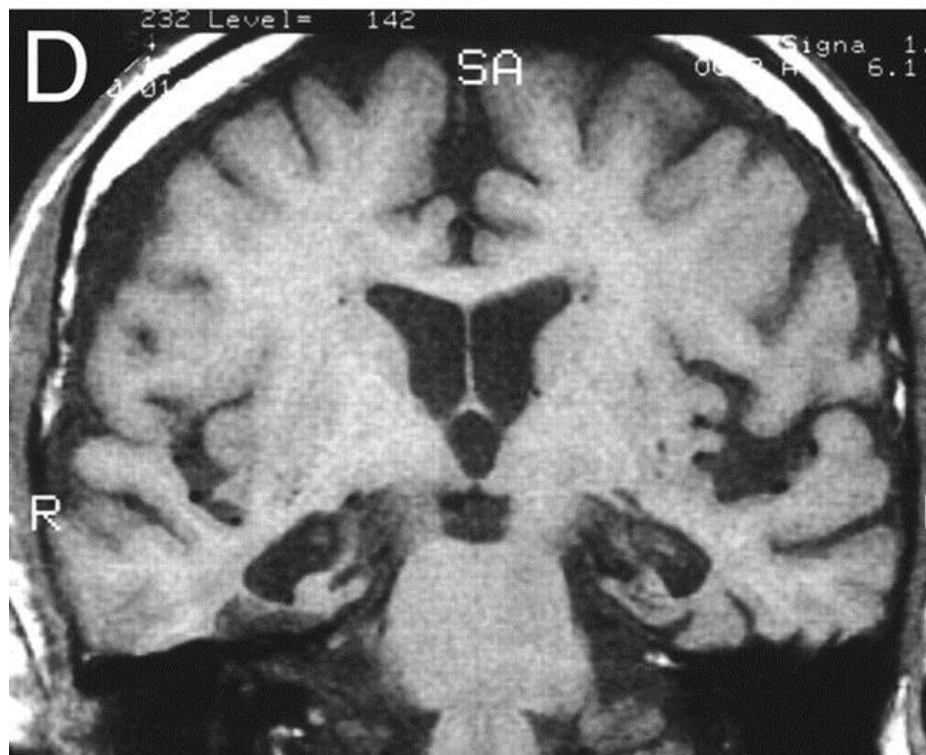
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Patient E. P. replicates the impairment seen in H. M.



Stefanacci et al., J. Neurosci. 2000

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The Organization of Behavior, 1949

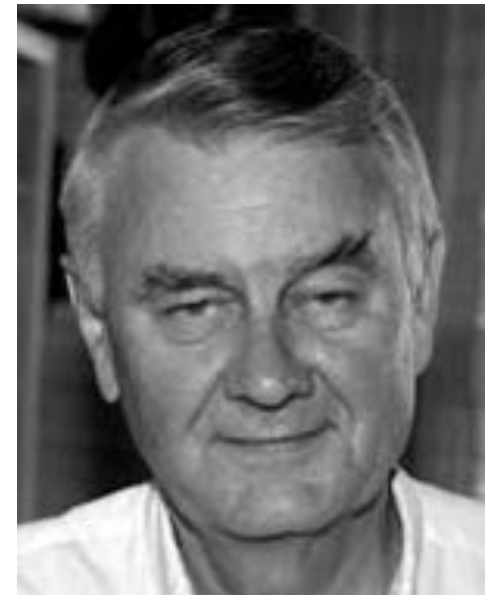
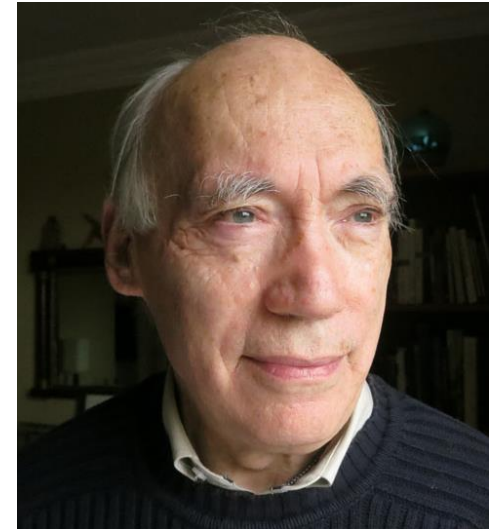
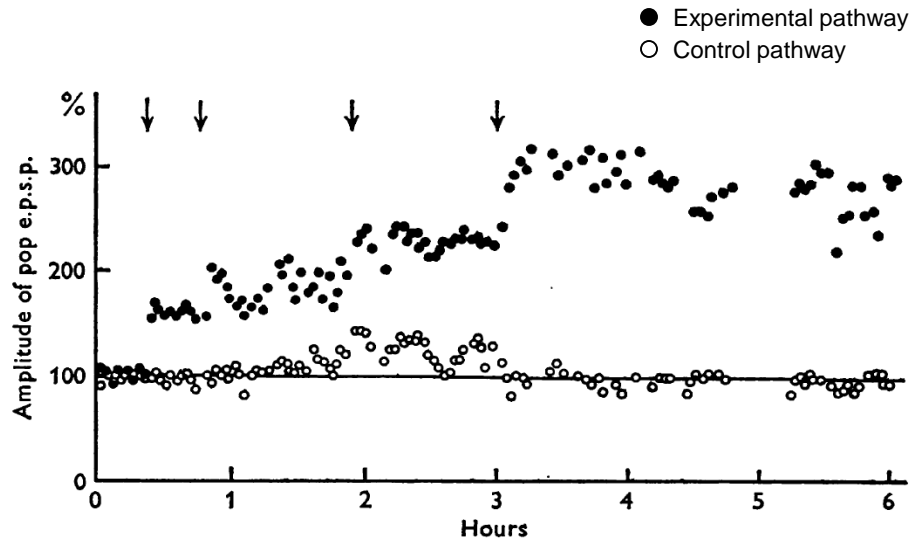
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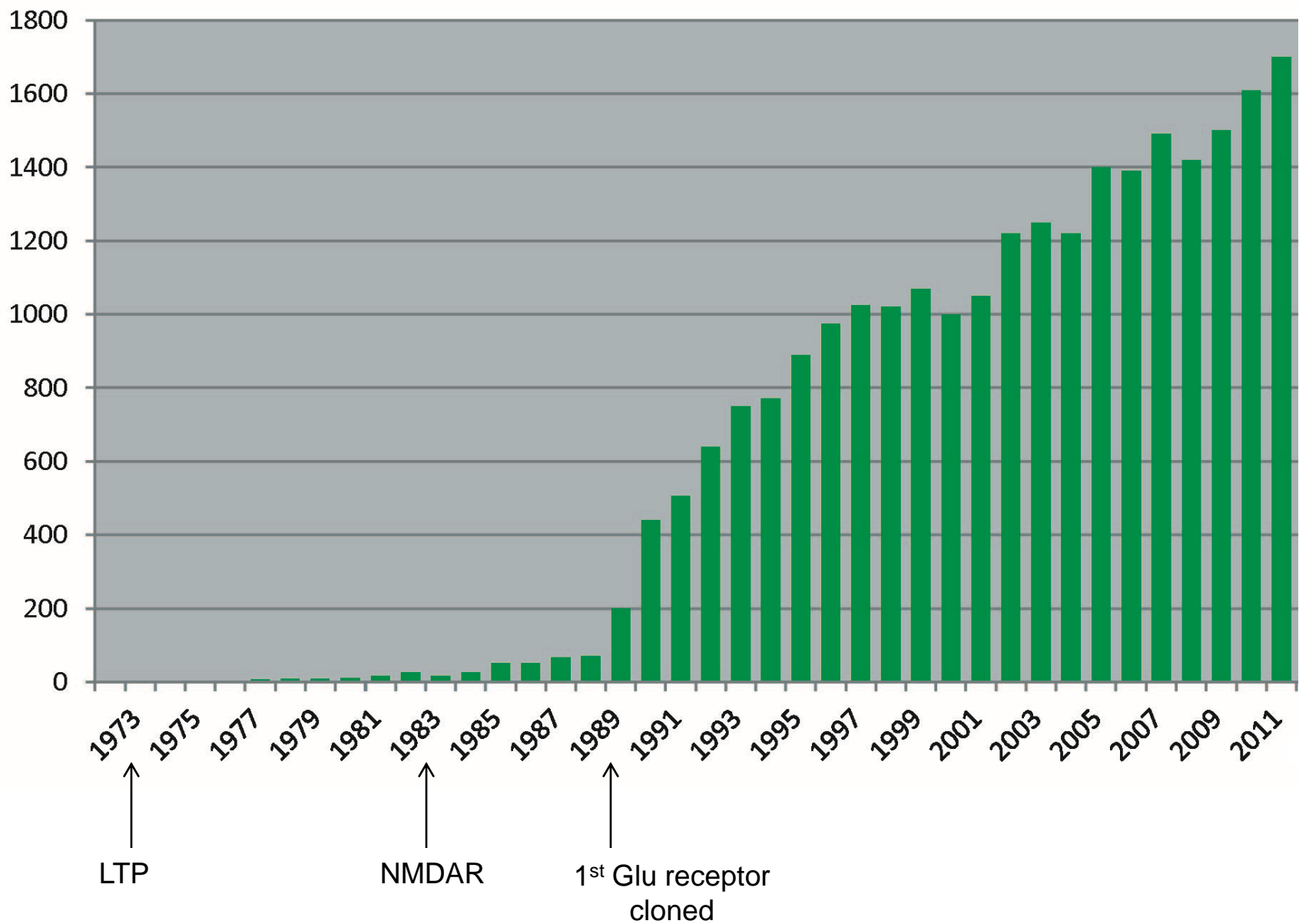
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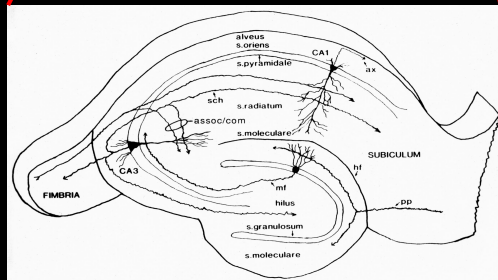
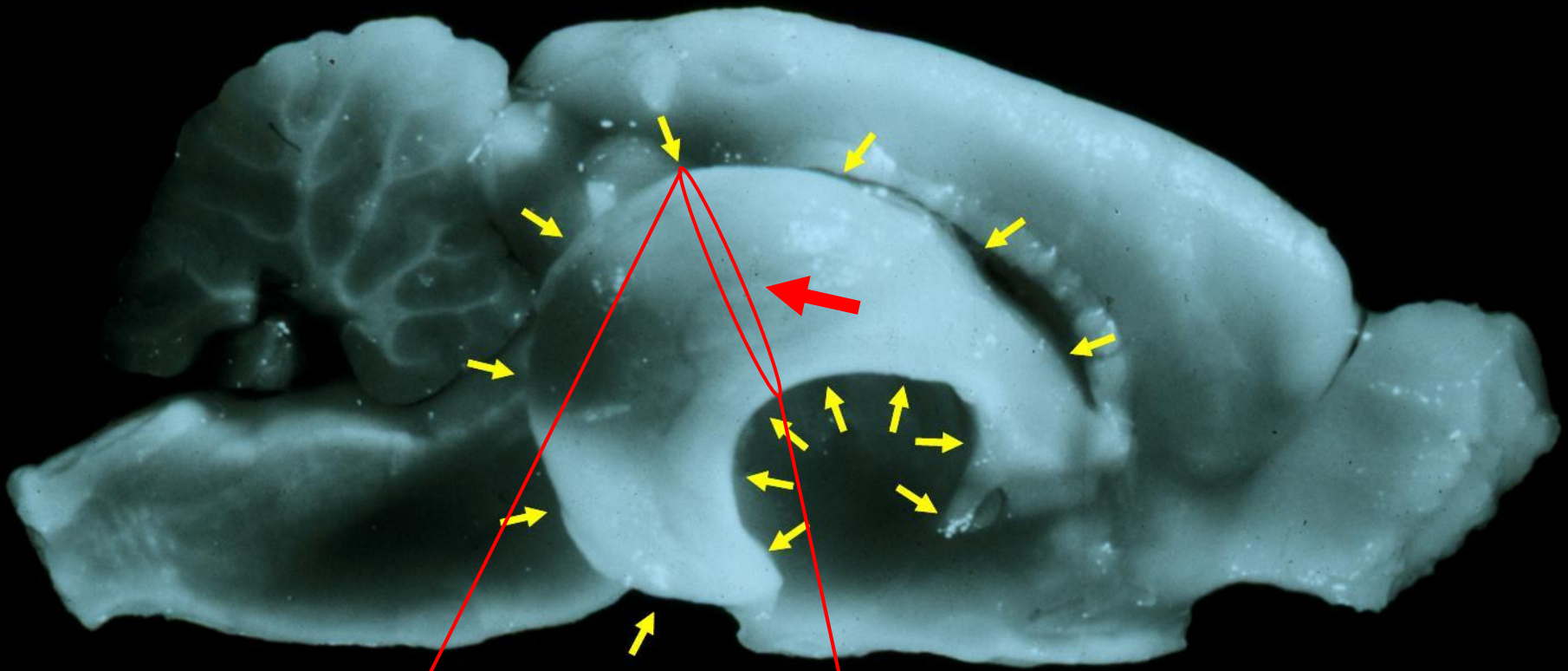
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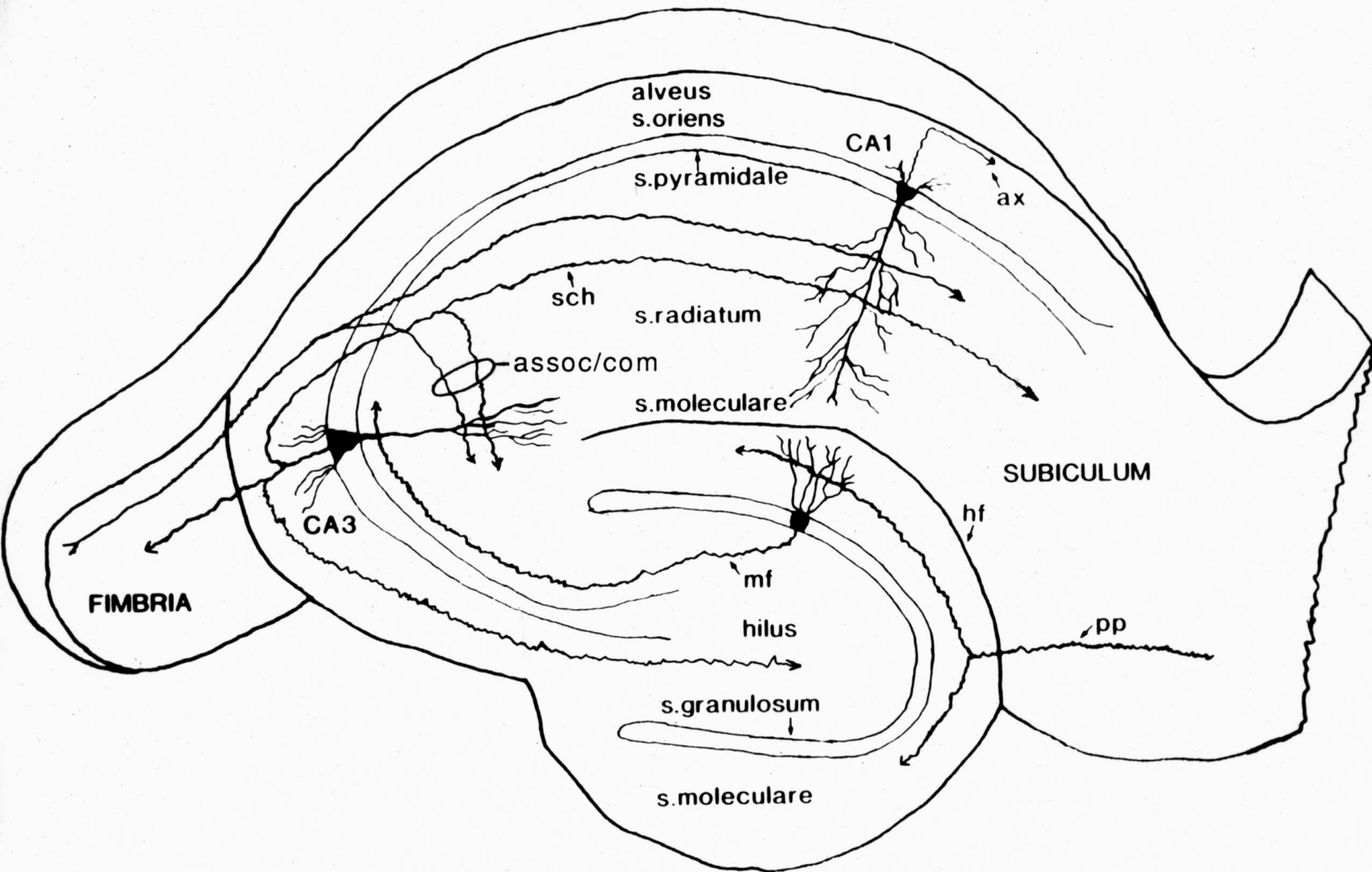
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Search “long term potentiation”: ~27,000 papers and still going strong



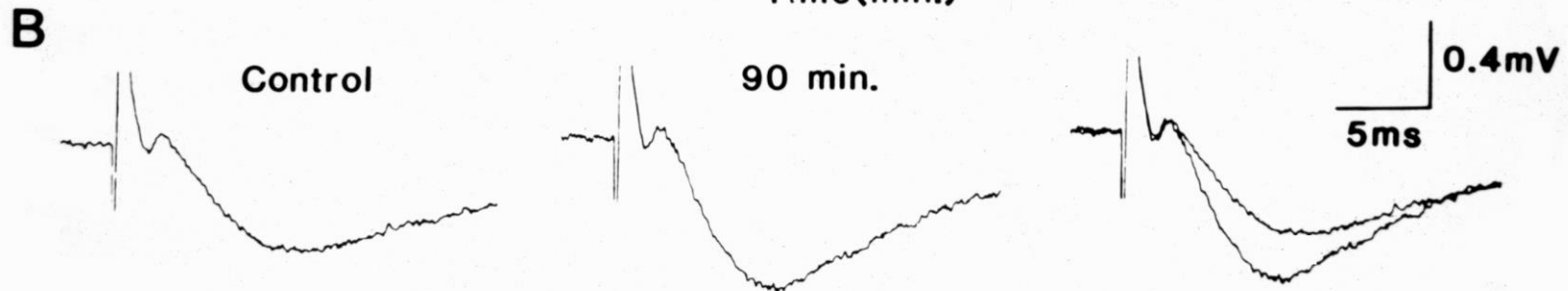
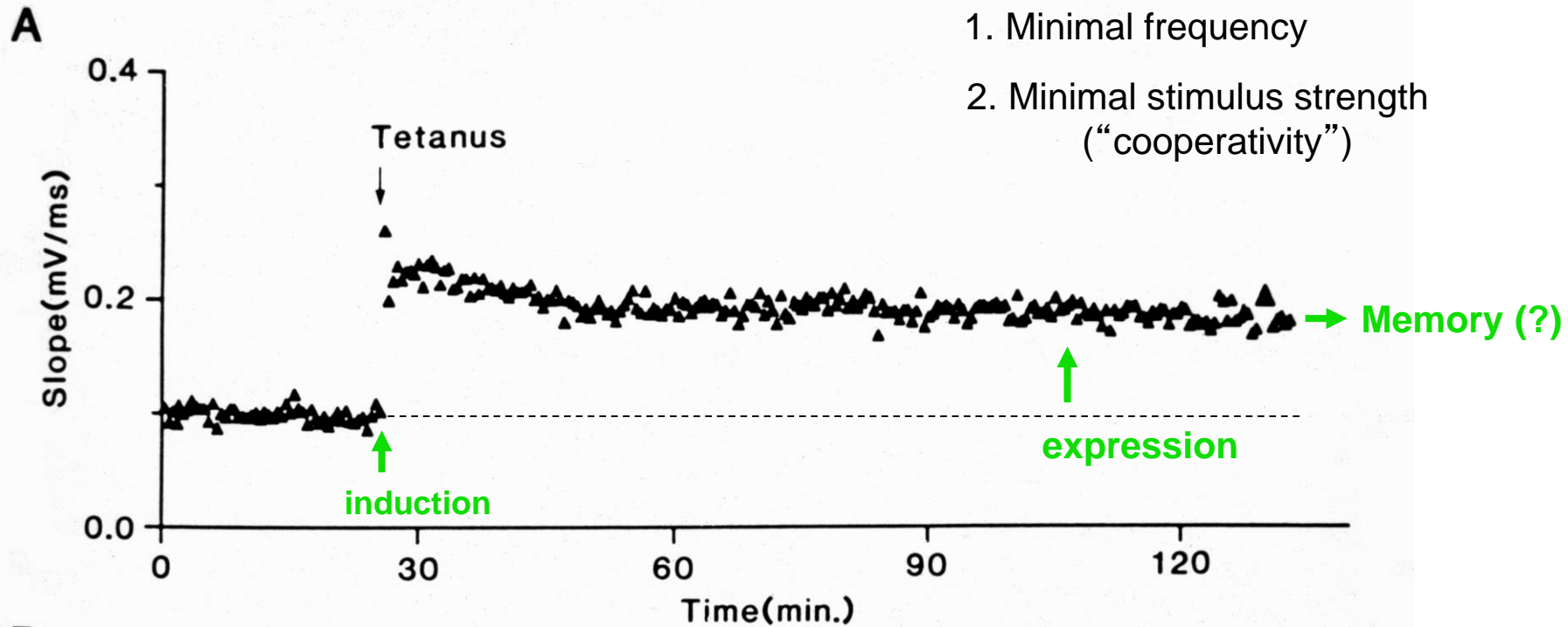




Hippocampal Long-Term Potentiation (LTP)

Requirements for induction

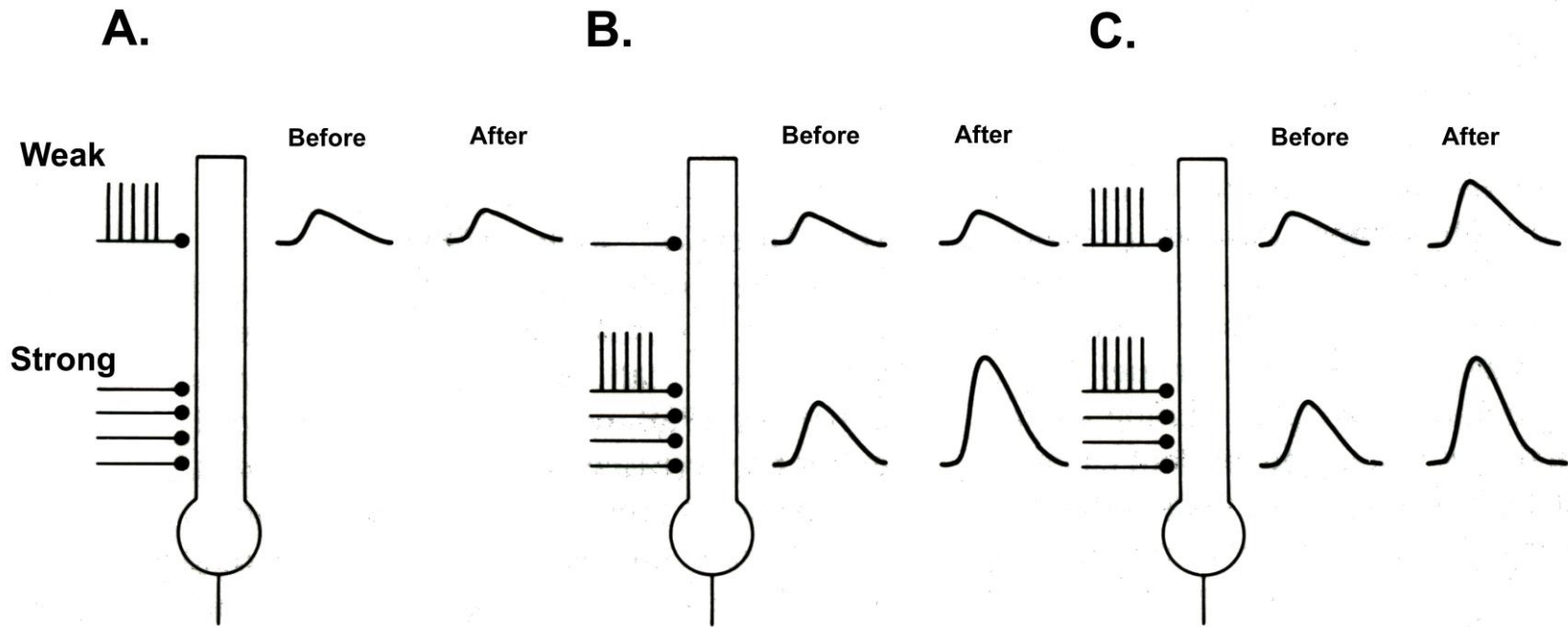
1. Minimal frequency
2. Minimal stimulus strength (“cooperativity”)



Induction mechanisms of LTP/LTD

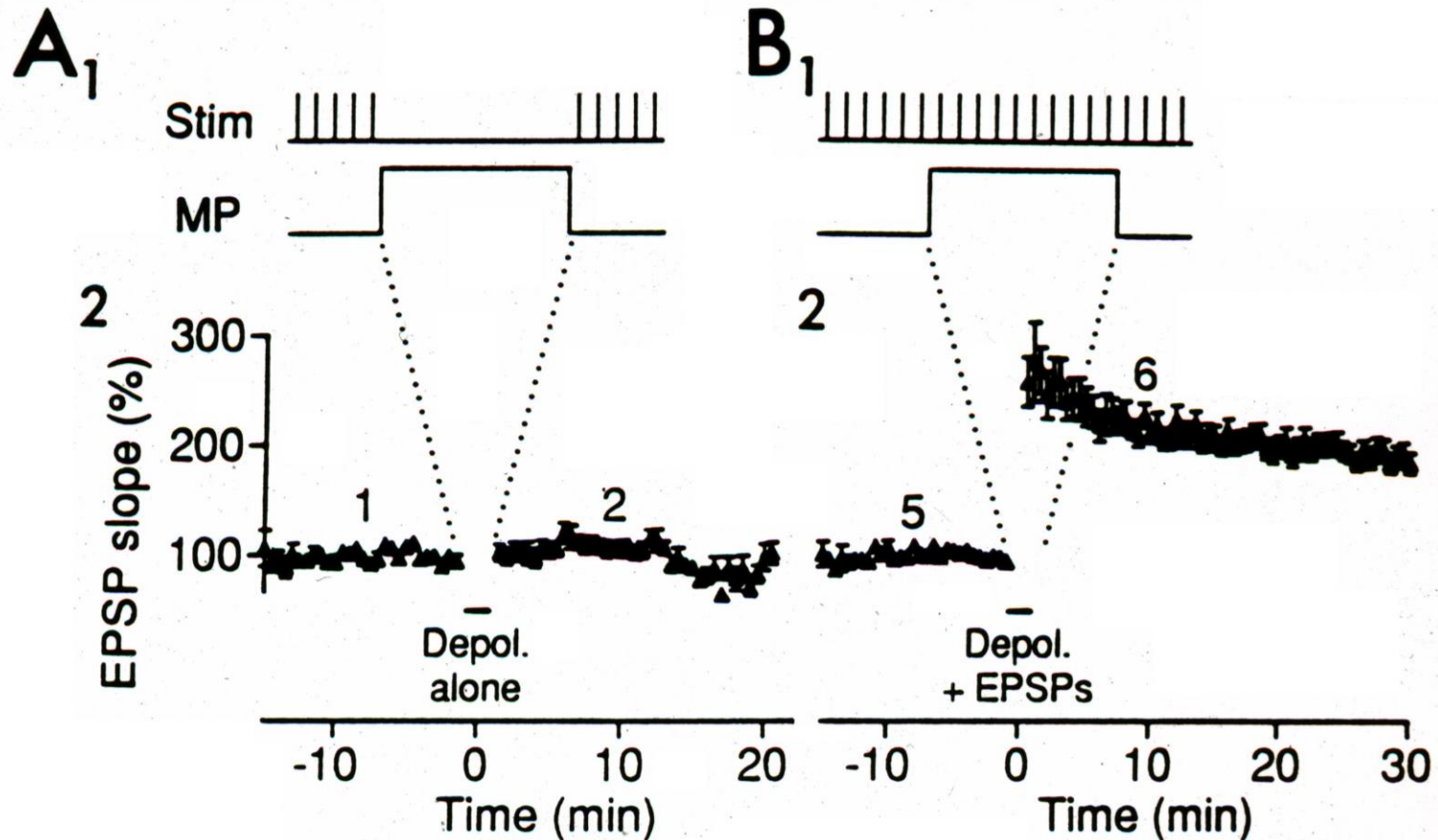
Associative nature of LTP

“associativity”



1. Pathway (synapse?) specificity
2. Near simultaneous activation
3. Proximity of pathways, not important
4. Thus, signal from strong to weak is extremely fast and widespread

LTP requires synaptic activation and depolarization



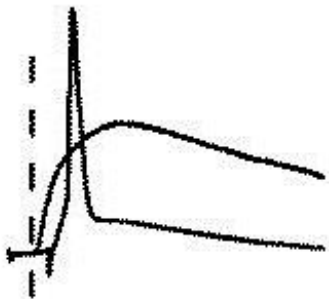
Don't need a tetanus

Only two requirements

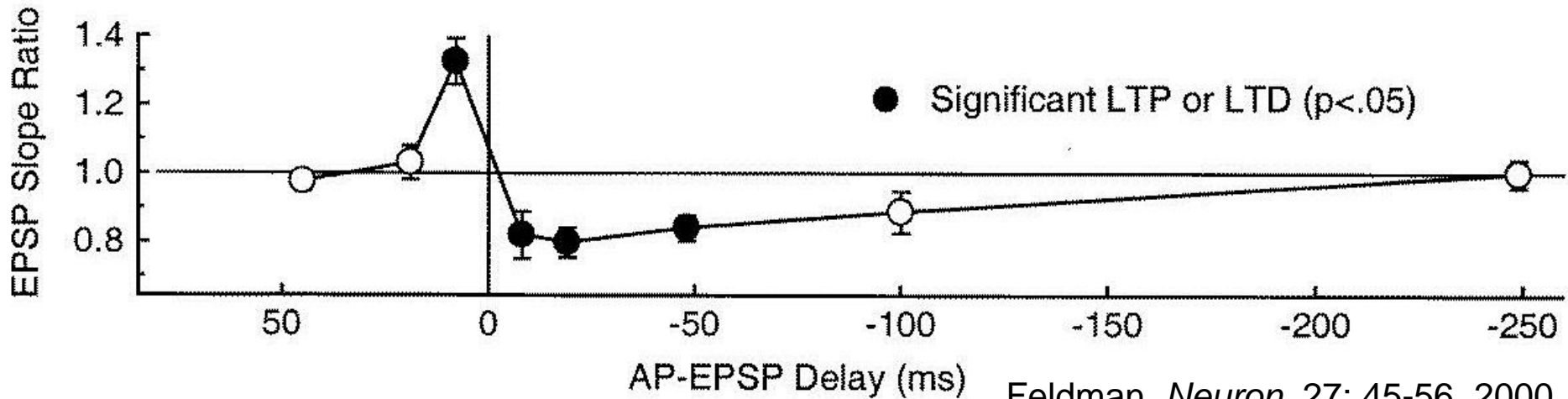
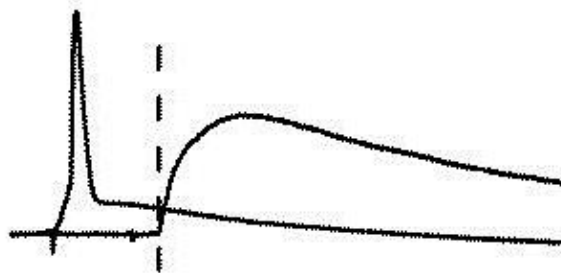
1. Synaptic activation
2. Depolarization

Spike timing-dependent plasticity

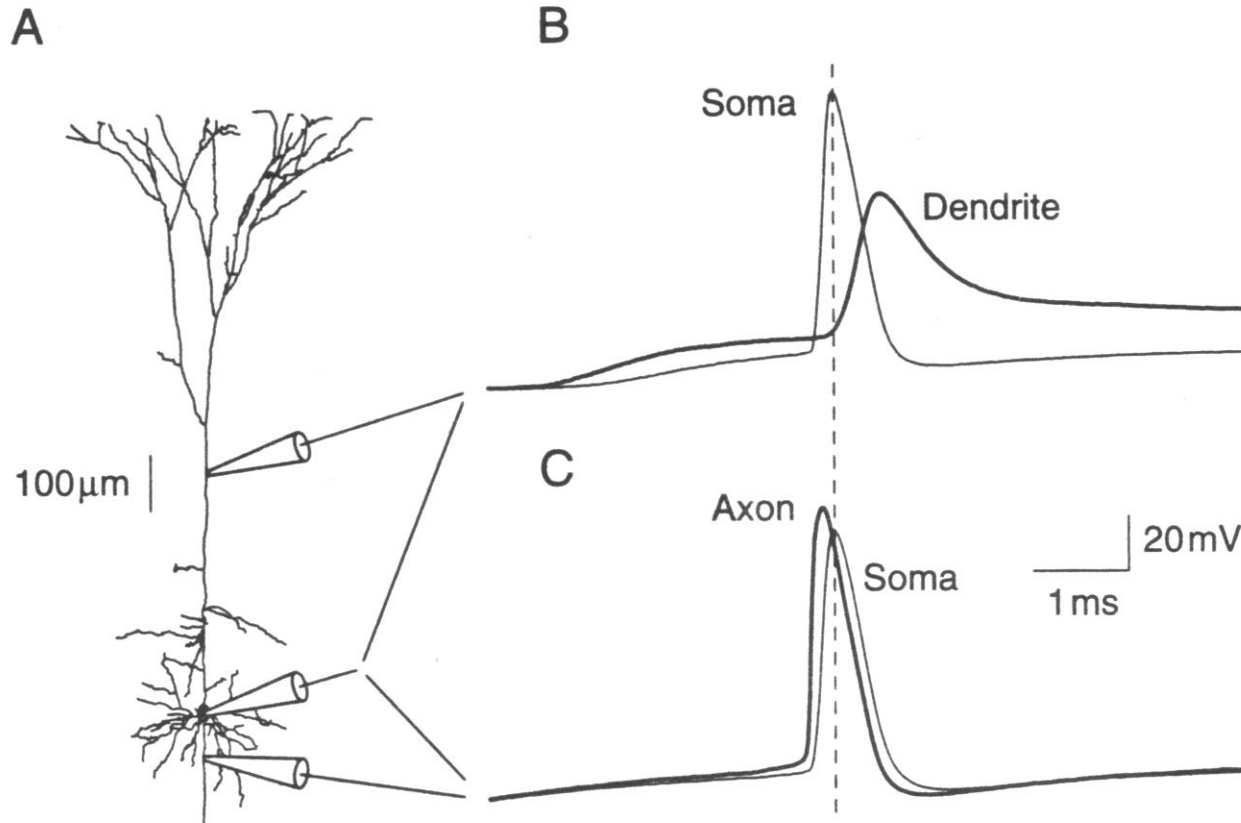
$\Delta t > 0$
EPSP leads AP



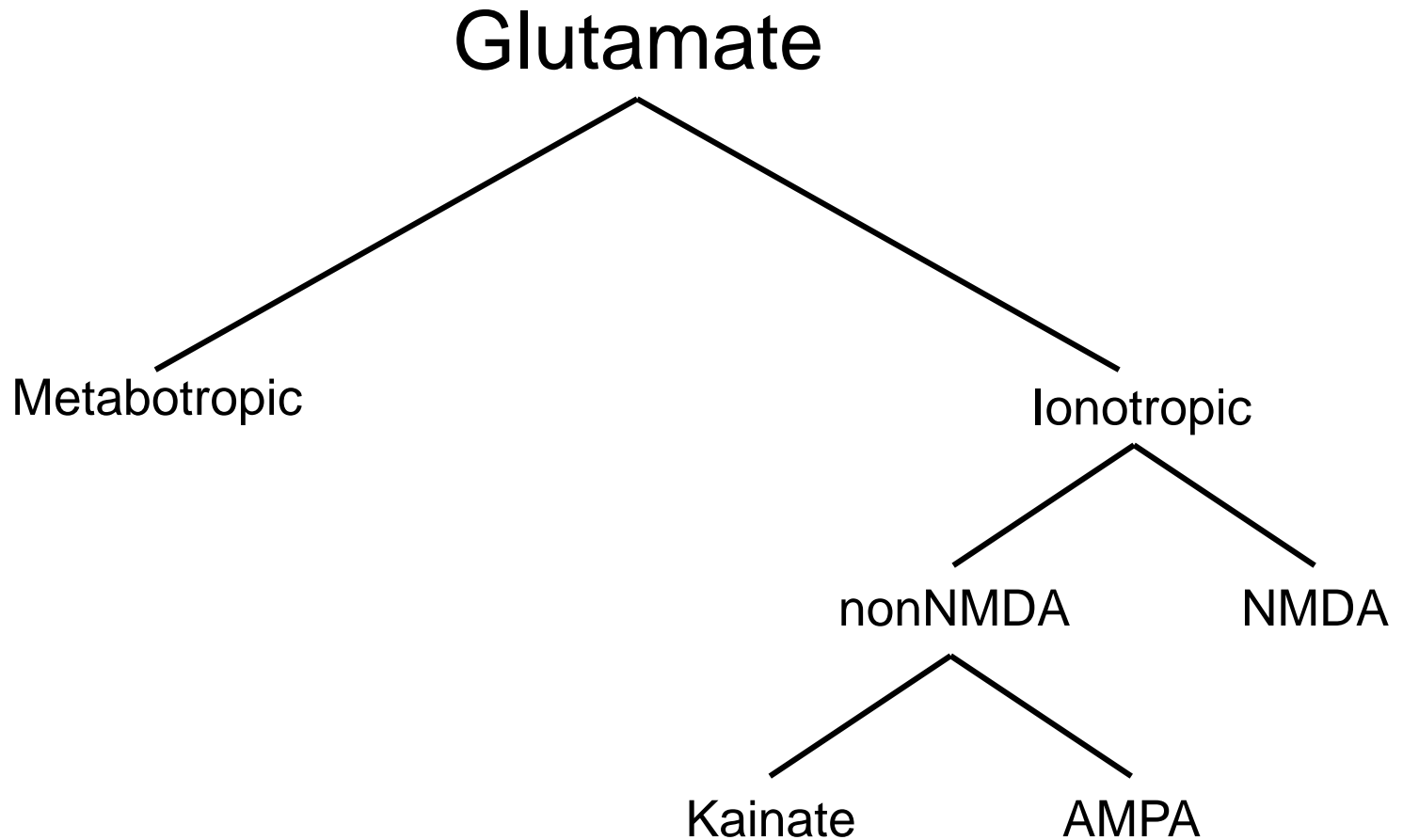
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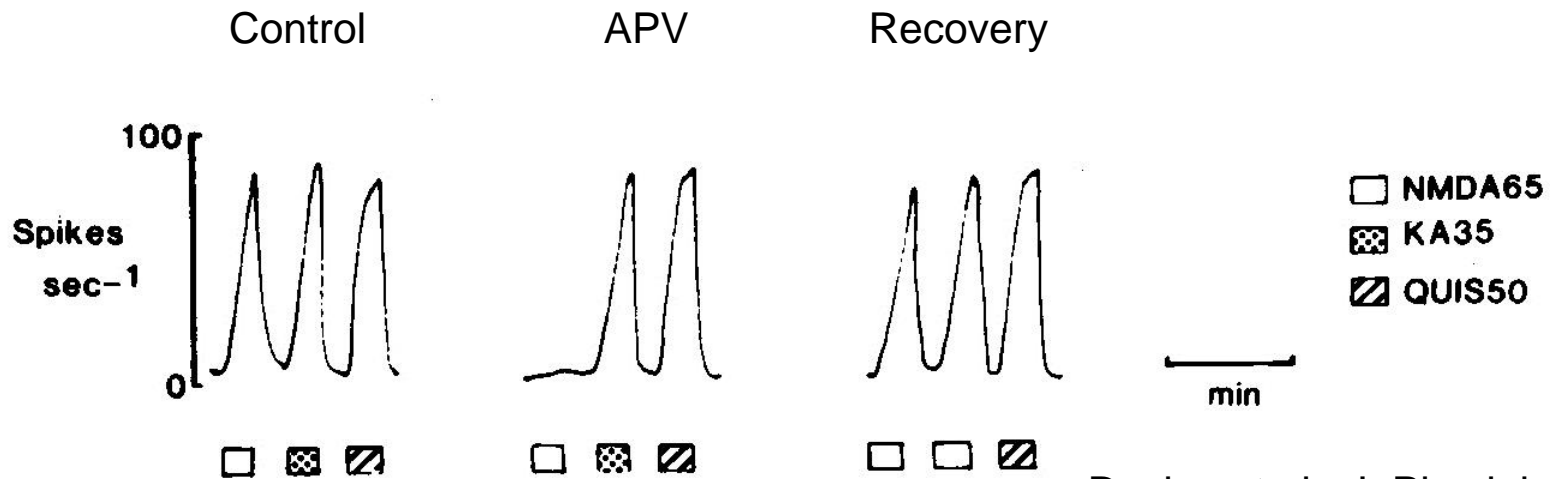
Action potential backpropagation



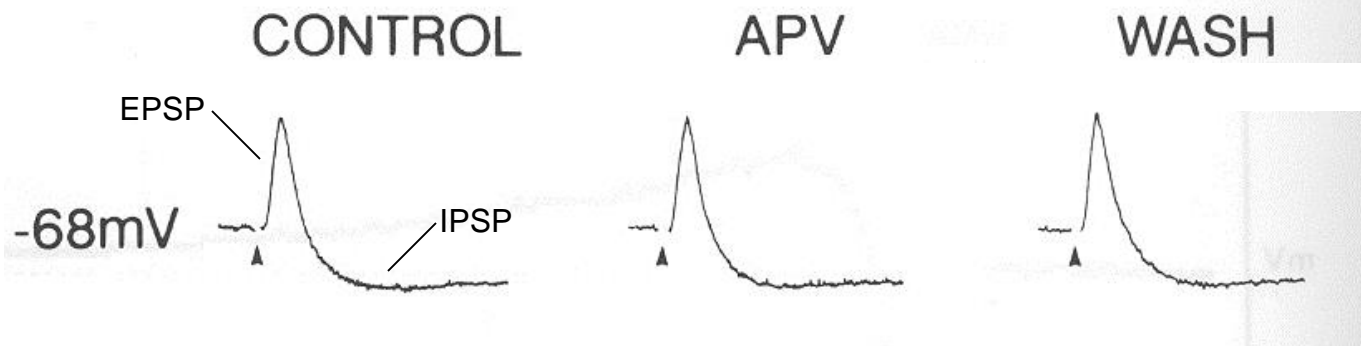
Glutamate Receptor Subtypes



Neurons respond to applied NMDA, but synaptic responses are not affected by an NMDAR antagonist

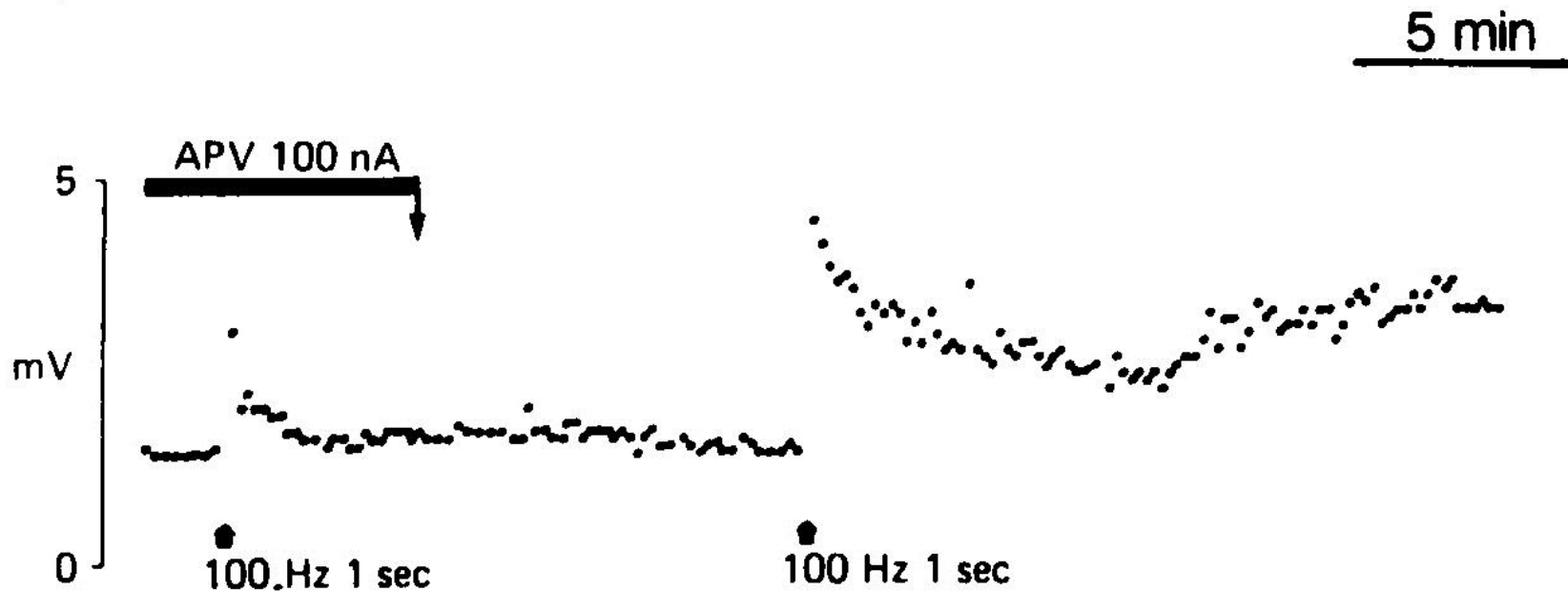


Davies et al., J. Physiol. 1983



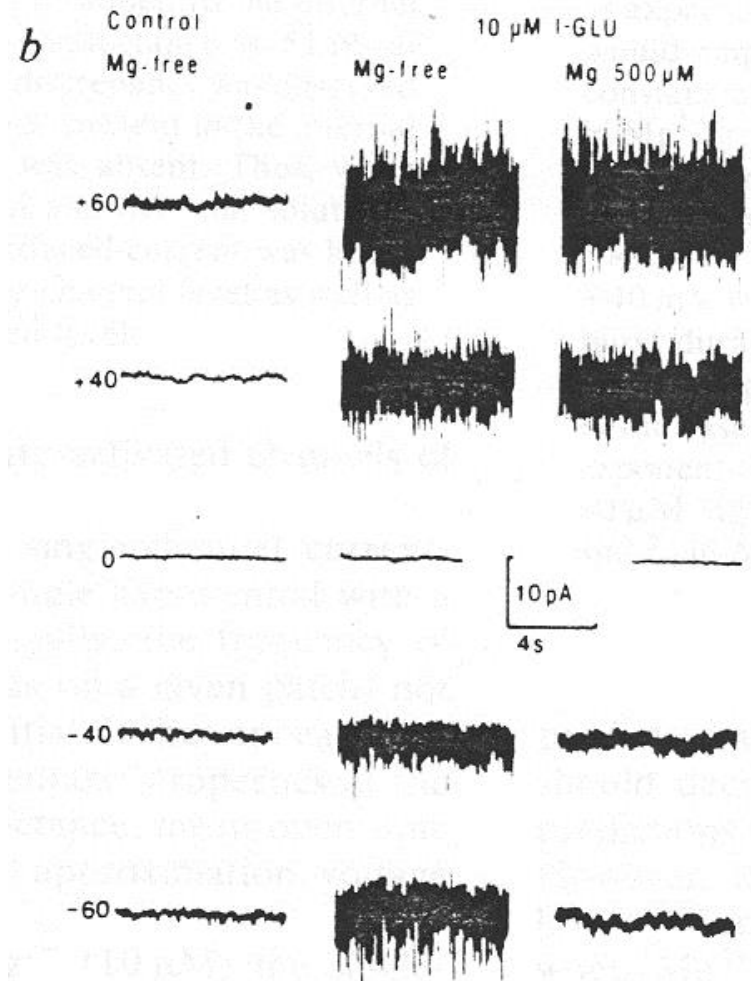
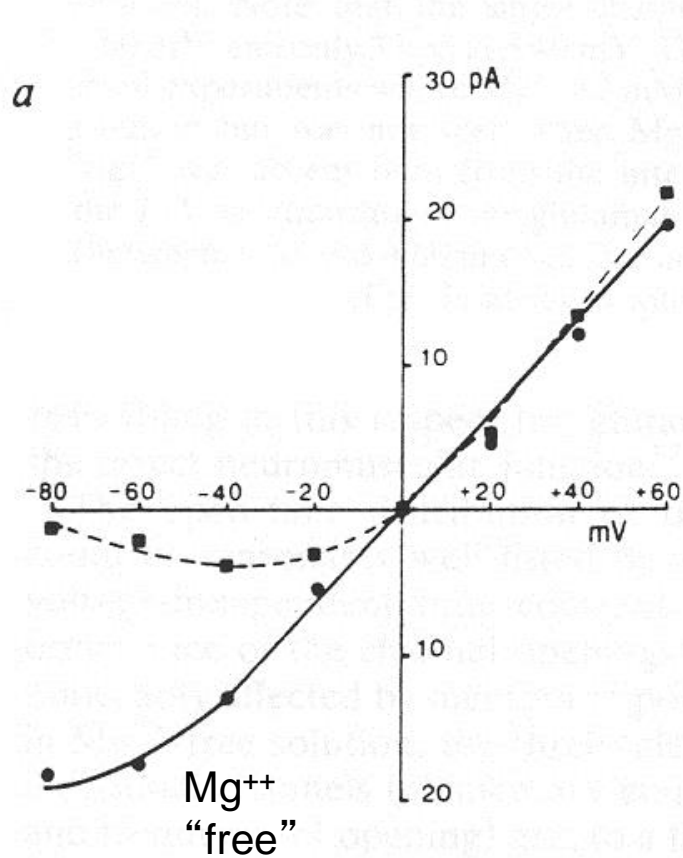
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LTP is blocked by NMDA receptor antagonists, but the EPSP is unaffected



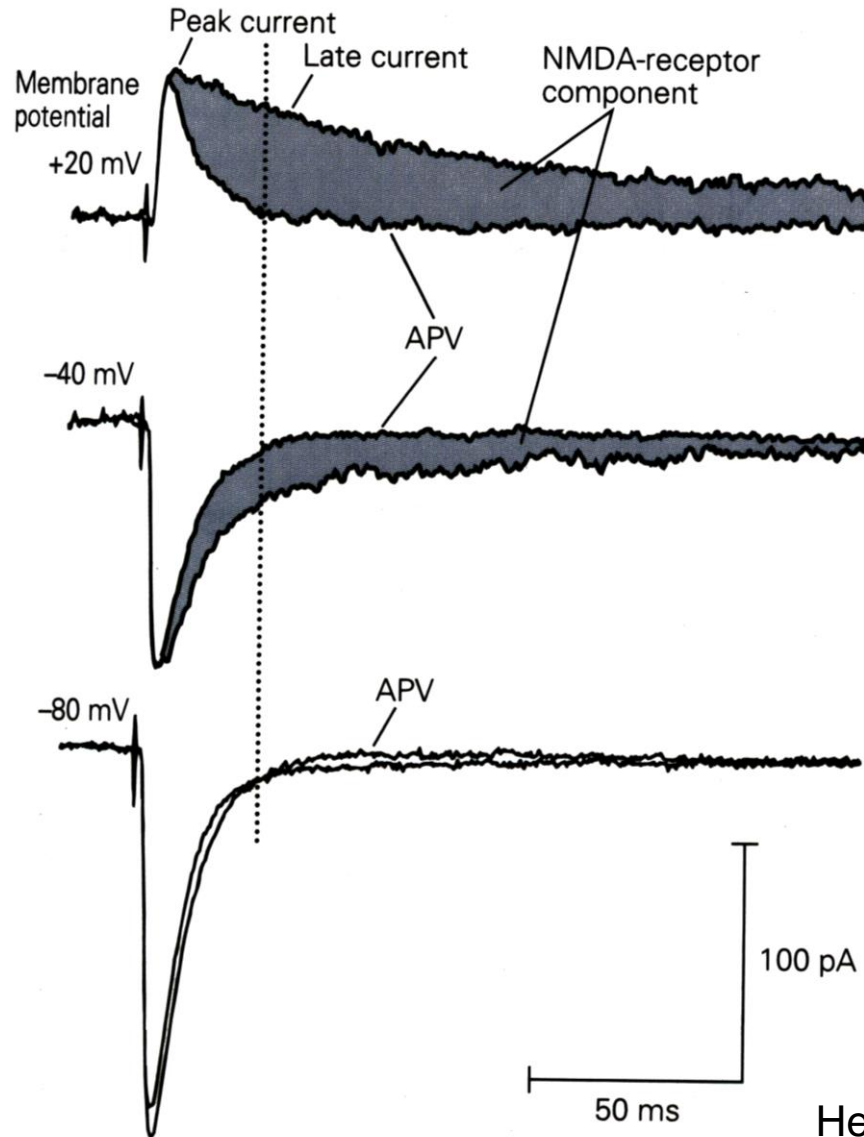
“the present study has shown that the NMDA receptor plays no role in the mediation of synaptic transmission, but may be involved in the generation of l.t.p.”

NMDA currents are voltage dependent



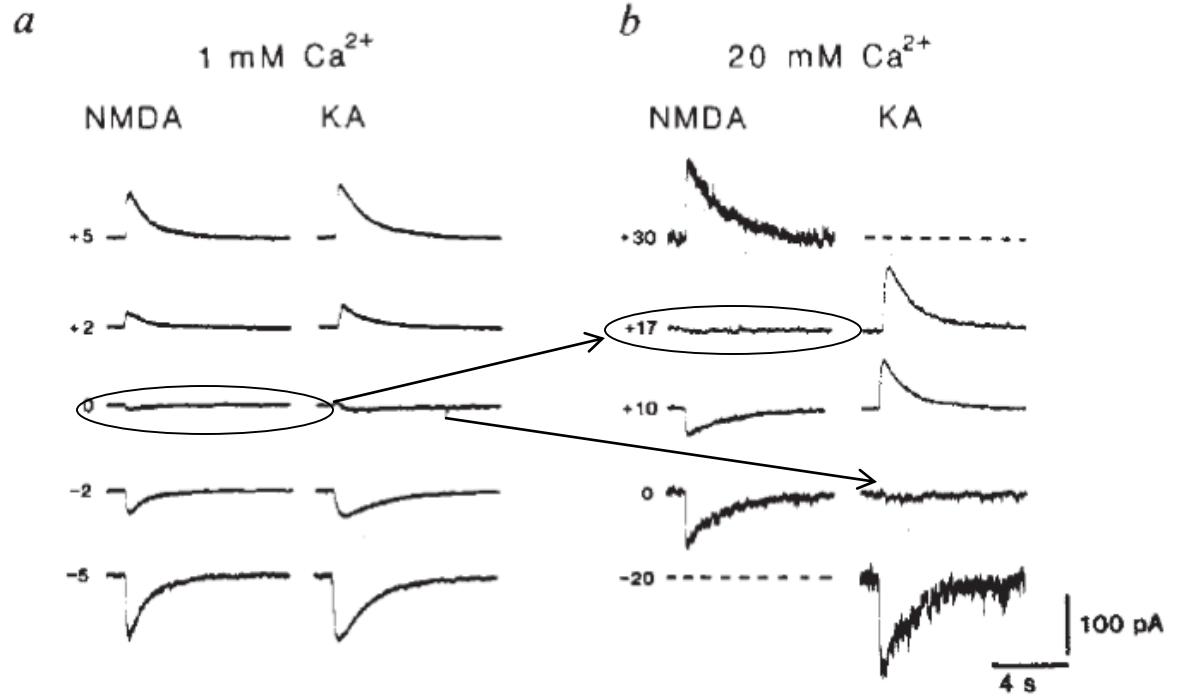
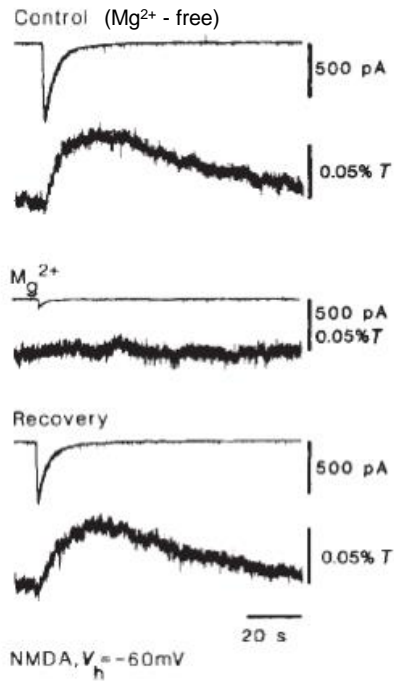
Extracellular Mg⁺⁺ accounts for the voltage dependence

Synaptic AMPA and NMDA receptors

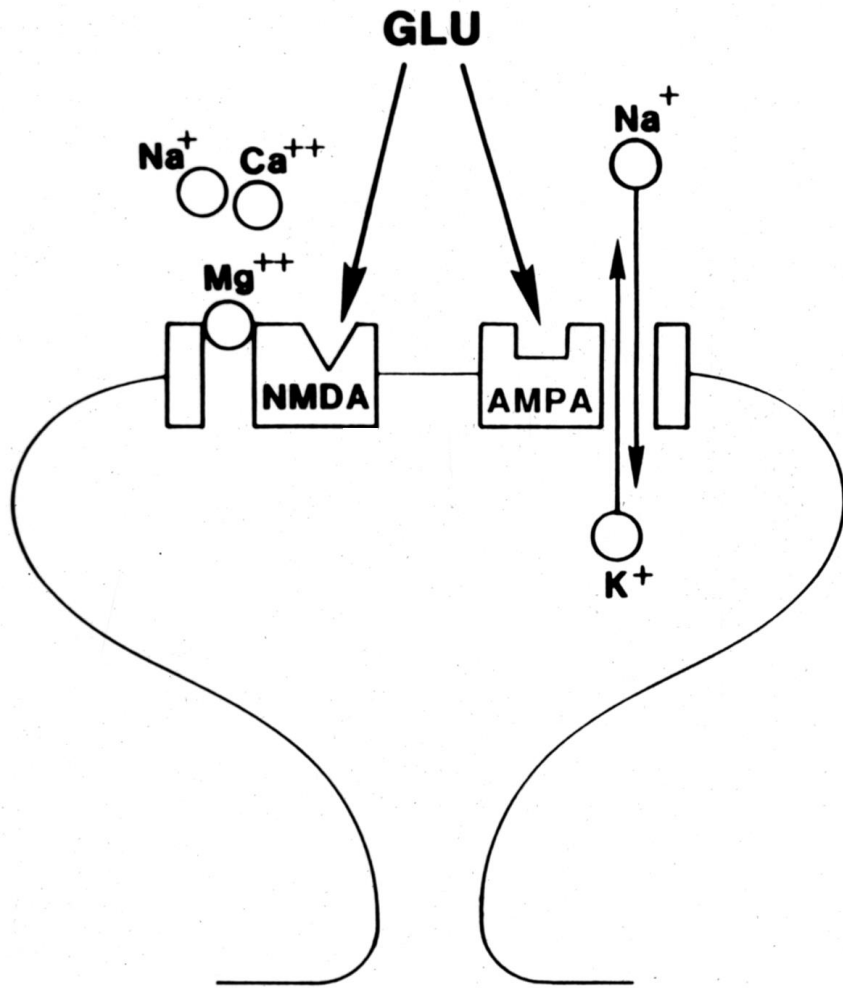


NMDARs, but not AMPARs, are permeable to calcium

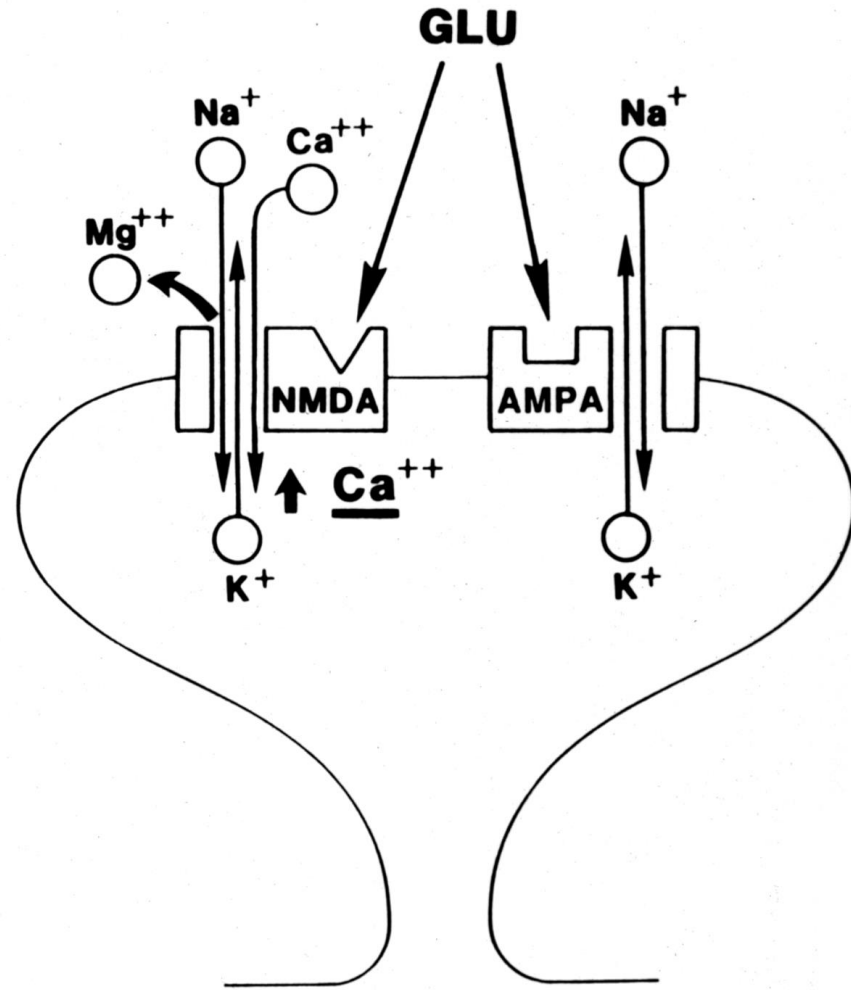
Ca²⁺ imaging



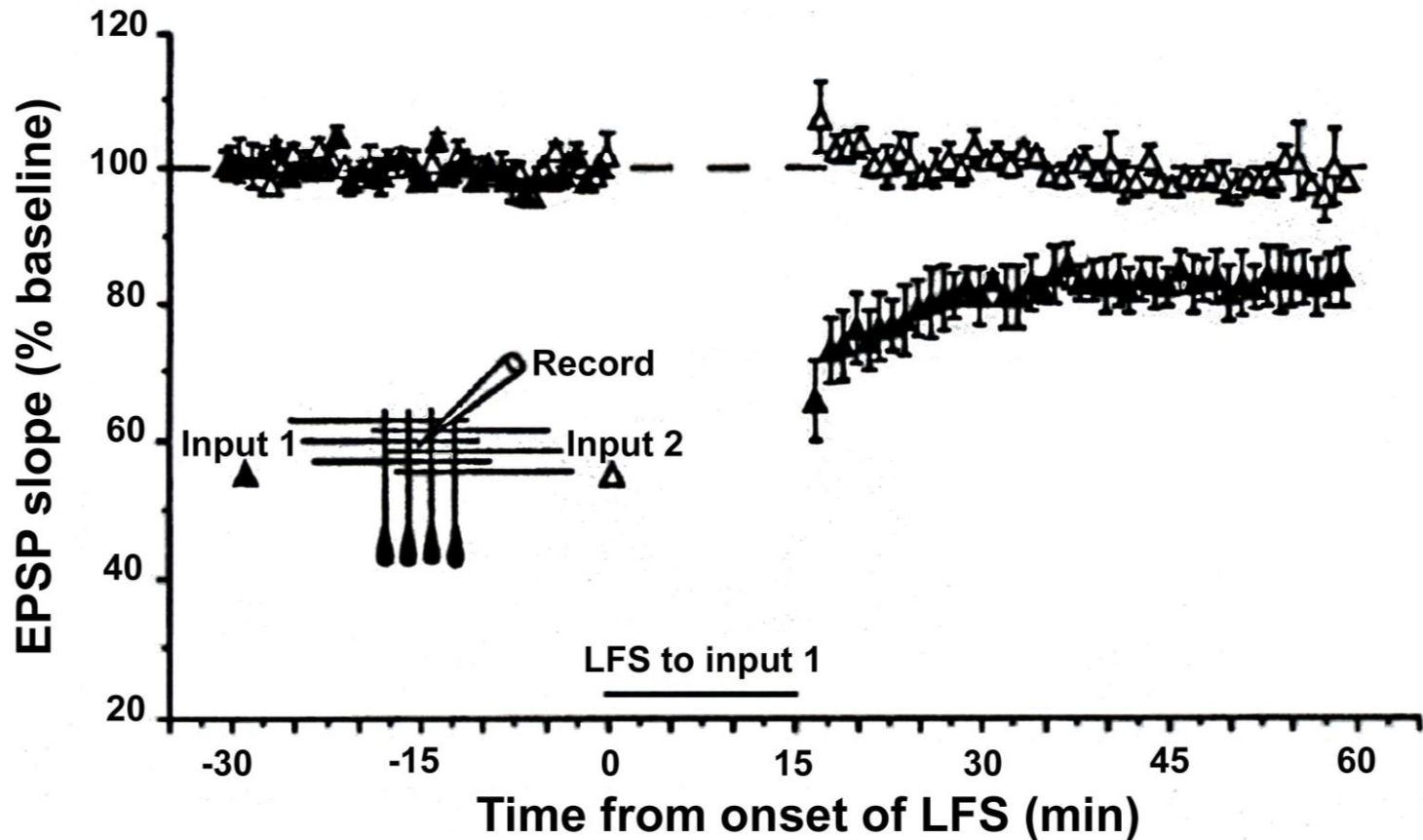
Normal synaptic transmission



During depolarization



LTD induced by low frequency stimulation



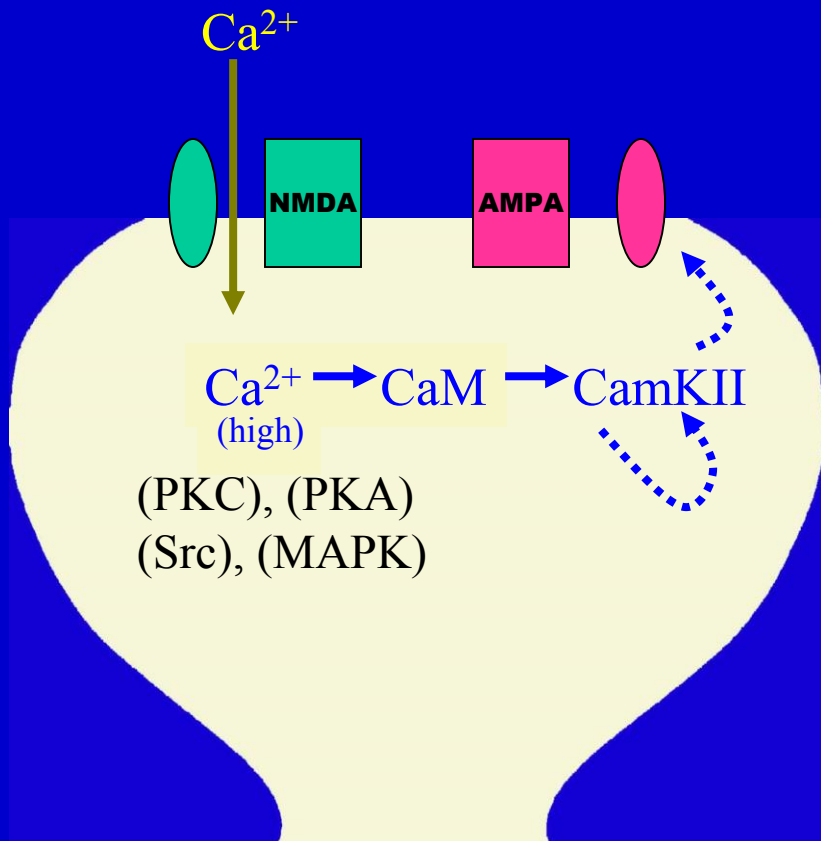
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- Induced by high-frequency stimulation
- Input specific
- Saturable
- Reversible
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- Requires activation of NMDA receptors

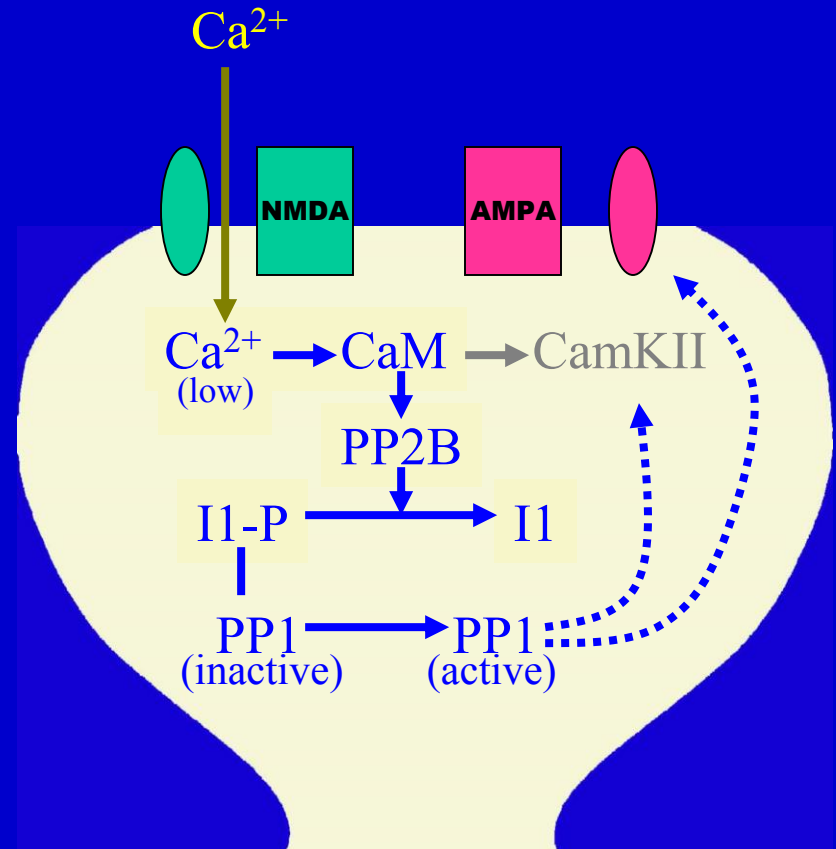
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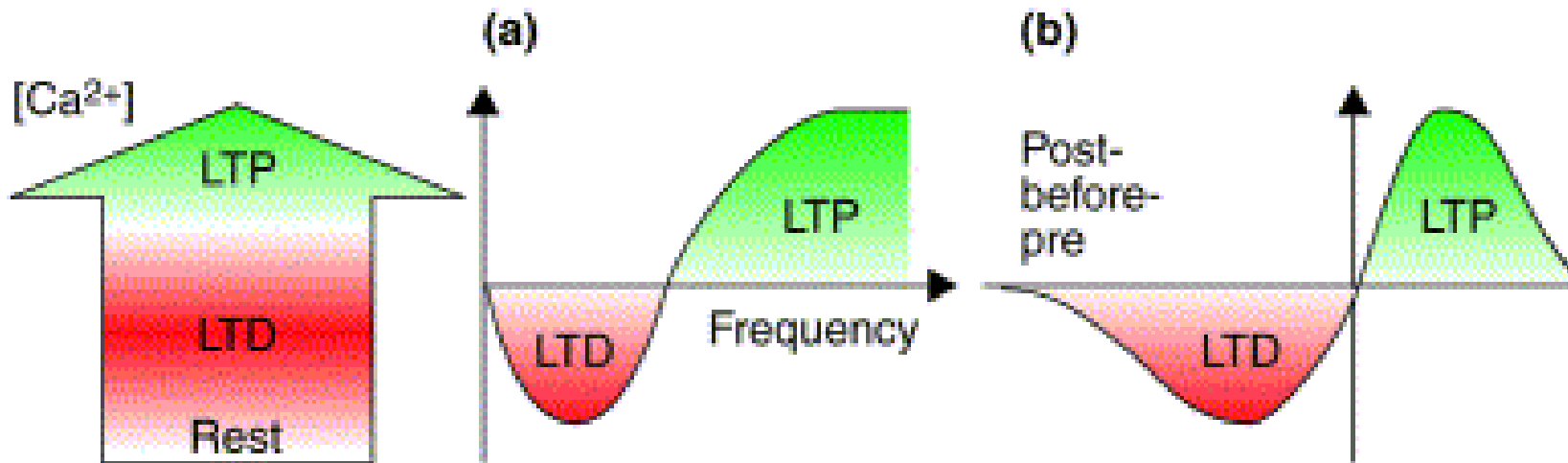
LTP



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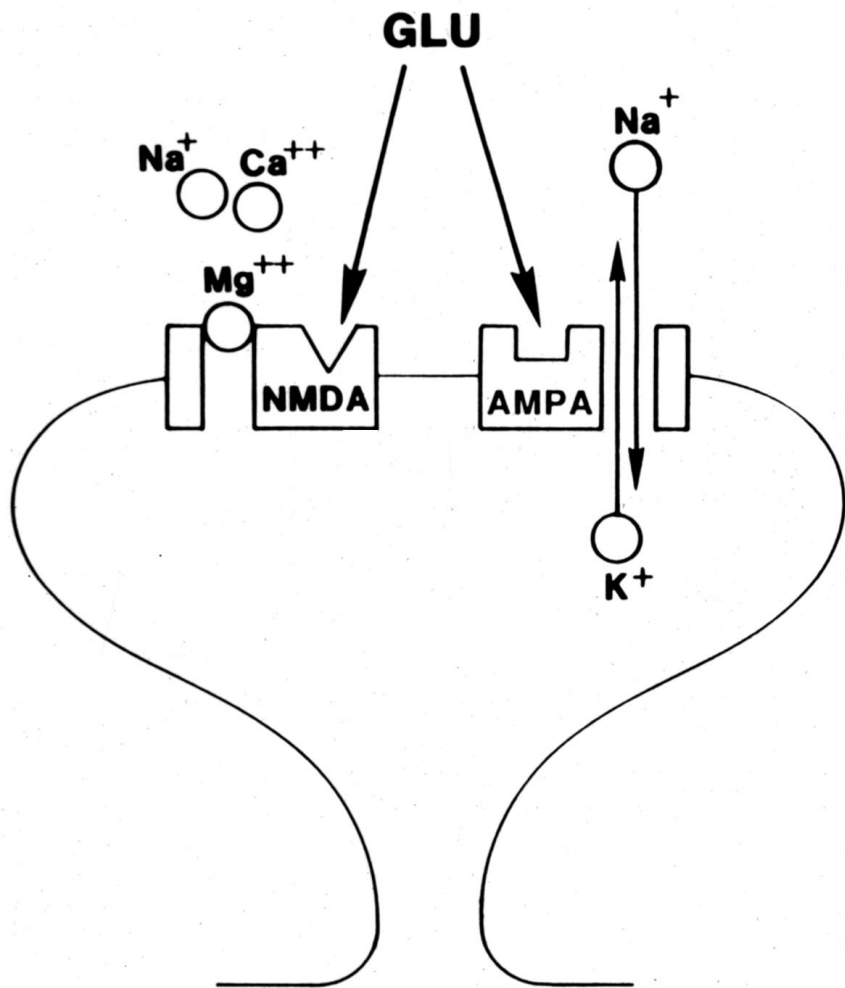


The level of Ca^{++} determines the polarity of synaptic plasticity

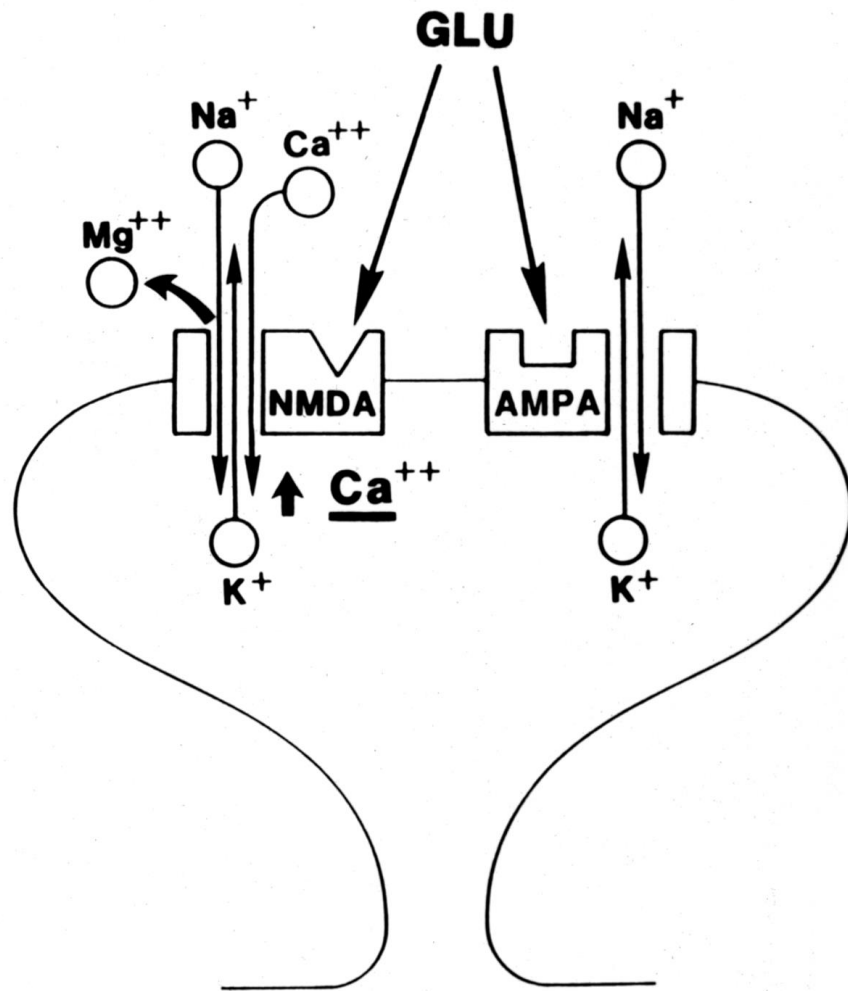


Expression mechanisms of LTP/LTD

Normal synaptic transmission



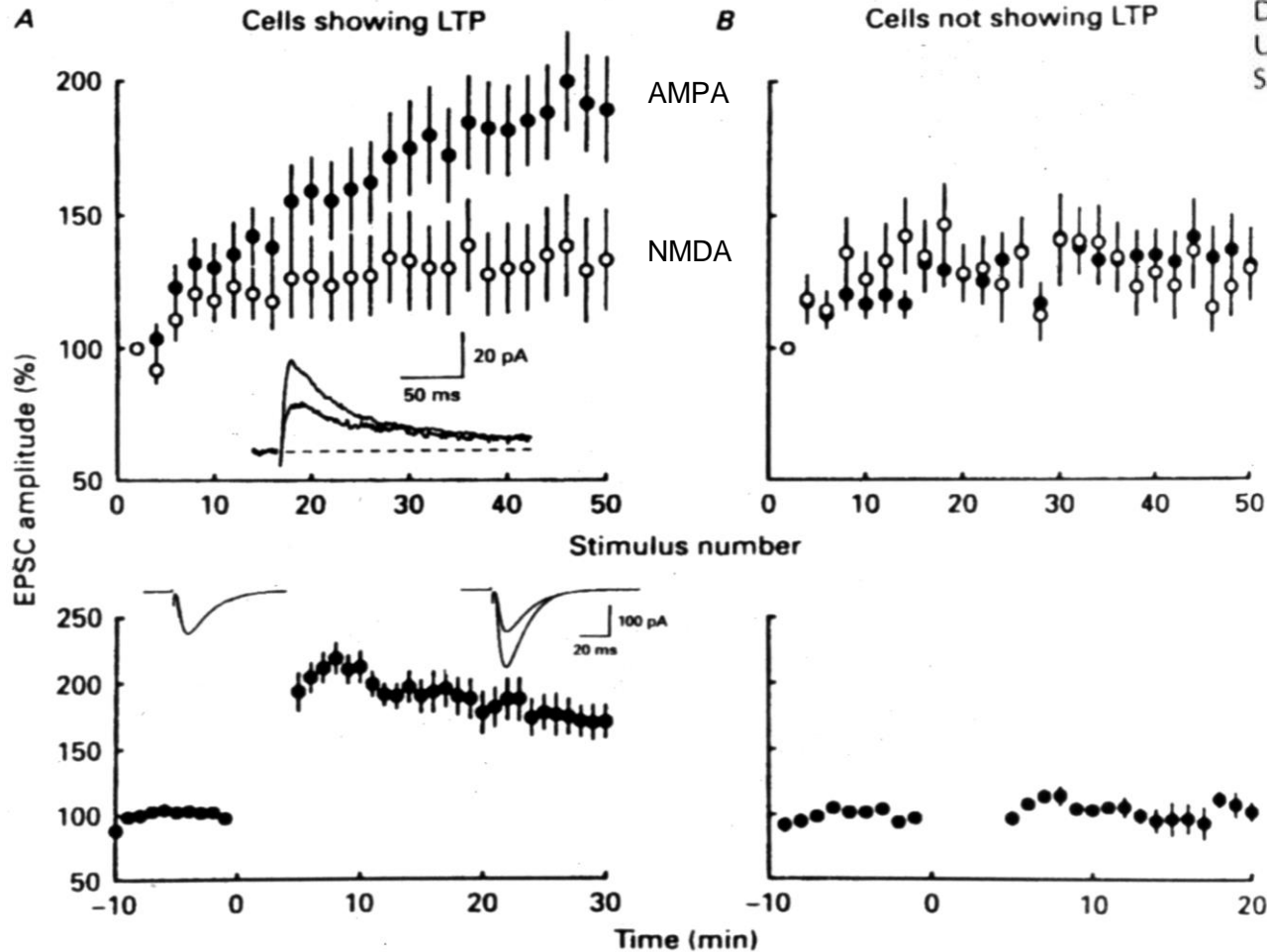
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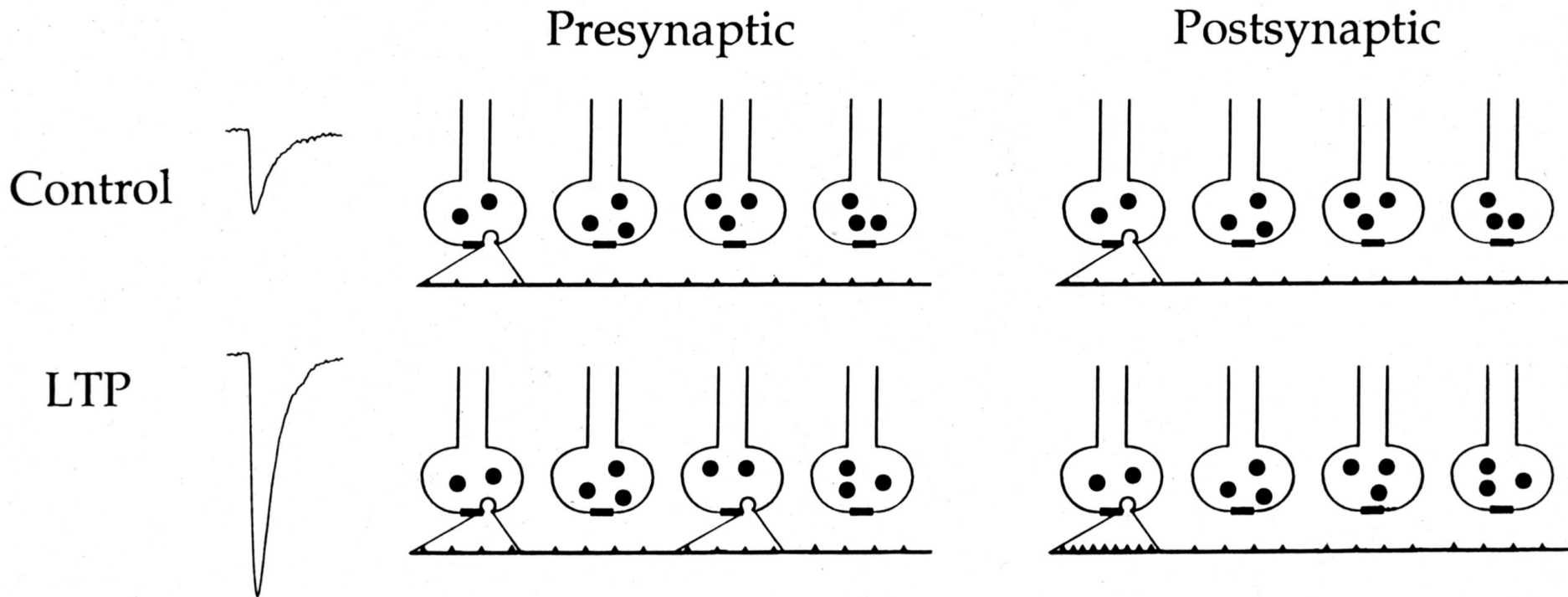
A Persistent Postsynaptic Modification Mediates Long-Term Potentiation in the Hippocampus

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“Quantal analysis” and LTP



Presynaptic mechanism for long-term potentiation in the hippocampus

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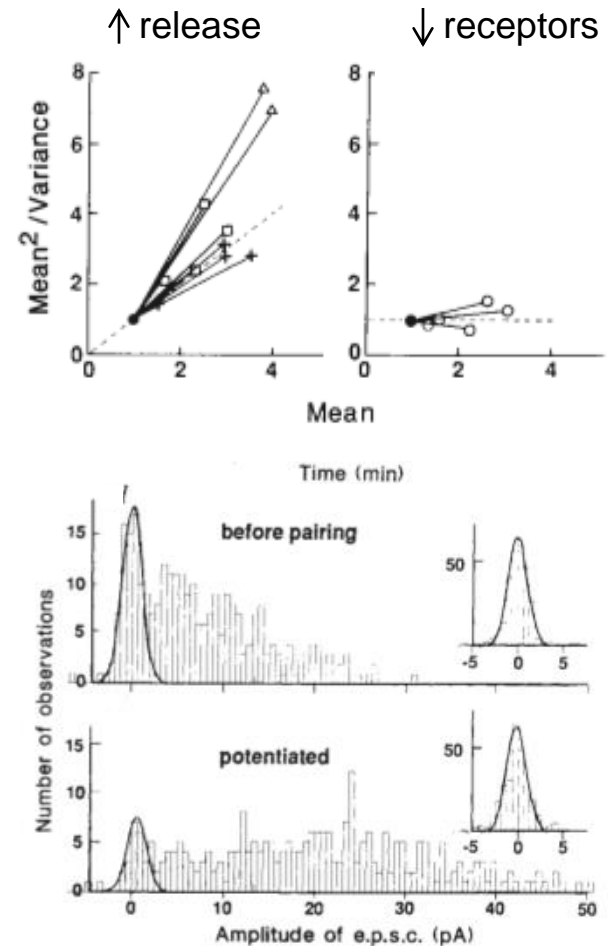
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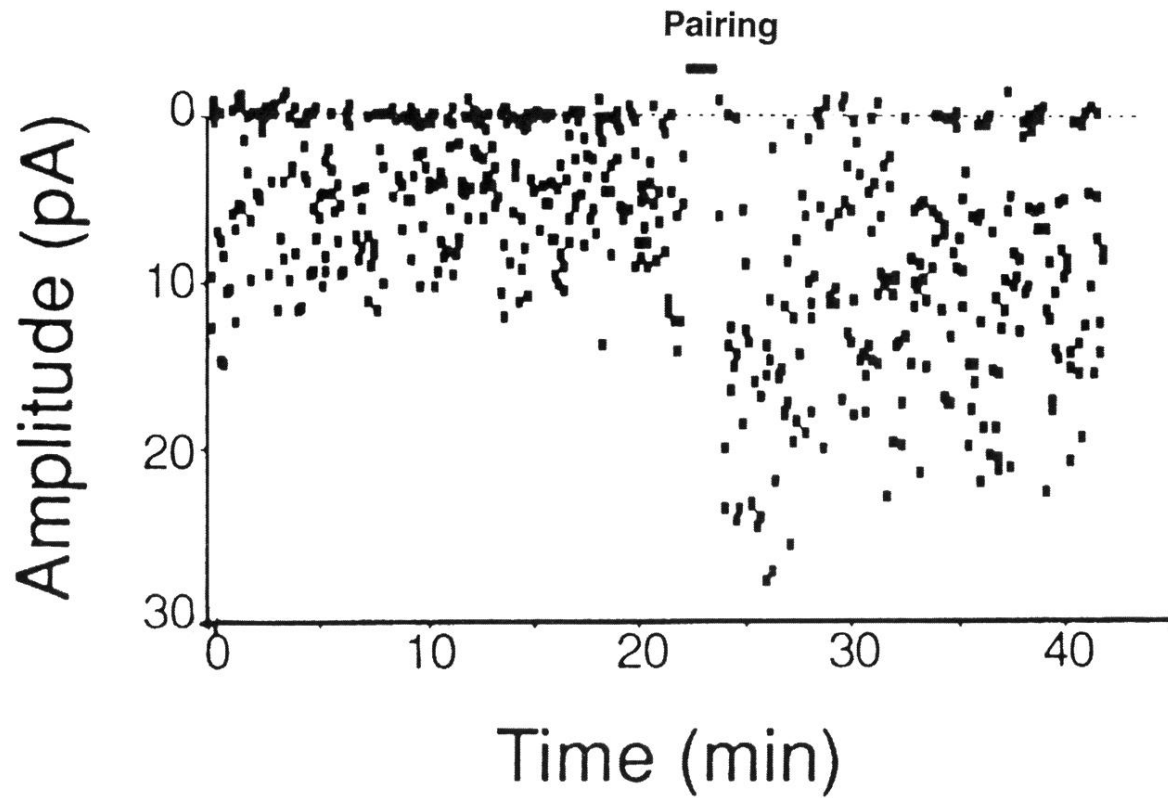
Presynaptic enhancement shown
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in hippocampal slices

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Synaptic failure rate decreases during LTP



Can molecules explain long-term potentiation?

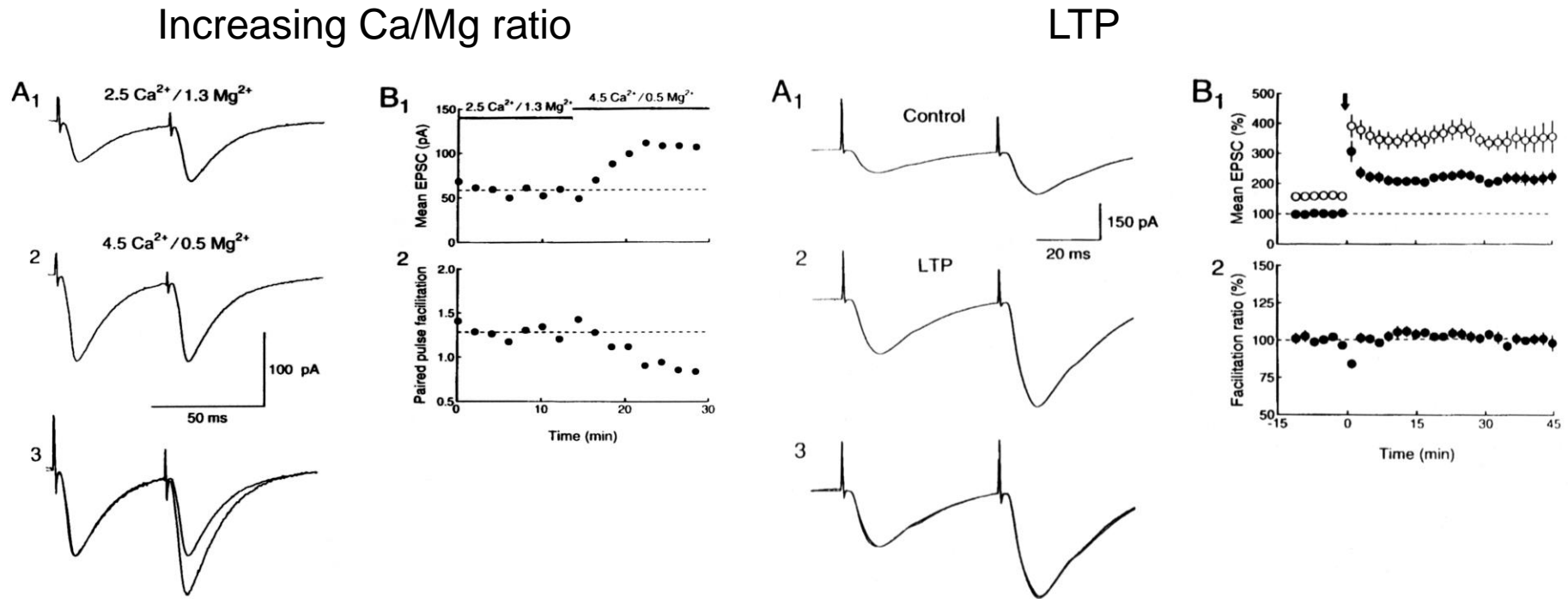
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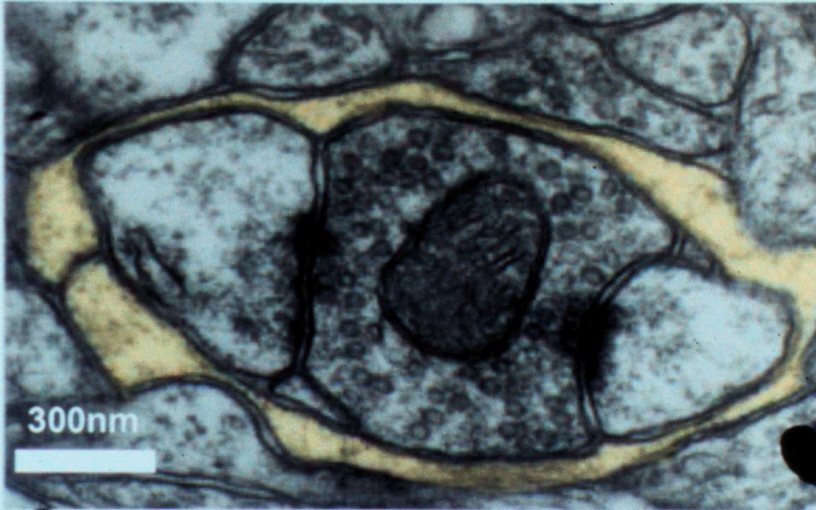
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“Does LTP exist?when humans go looking for something they often find it – even when it is not there....seeing a...Mickey Mouse in a peculiar arrangement of clouds”

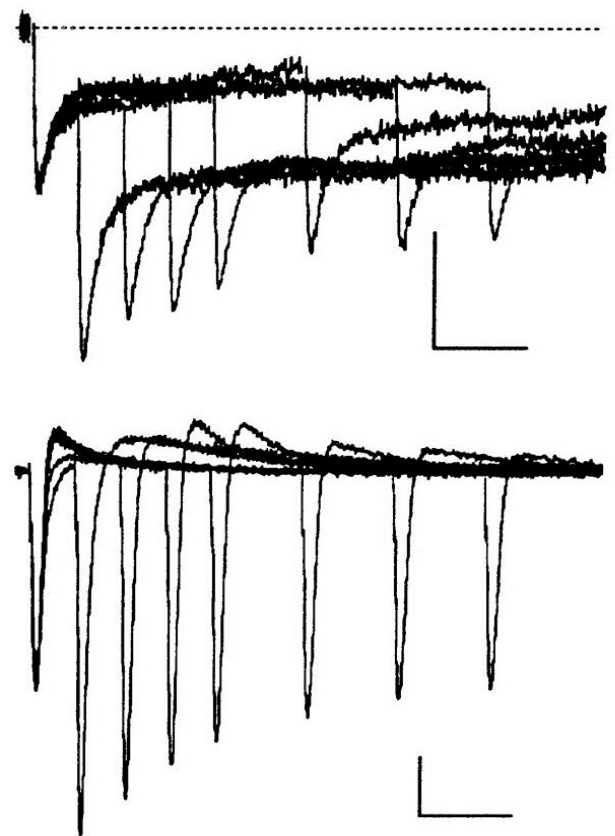
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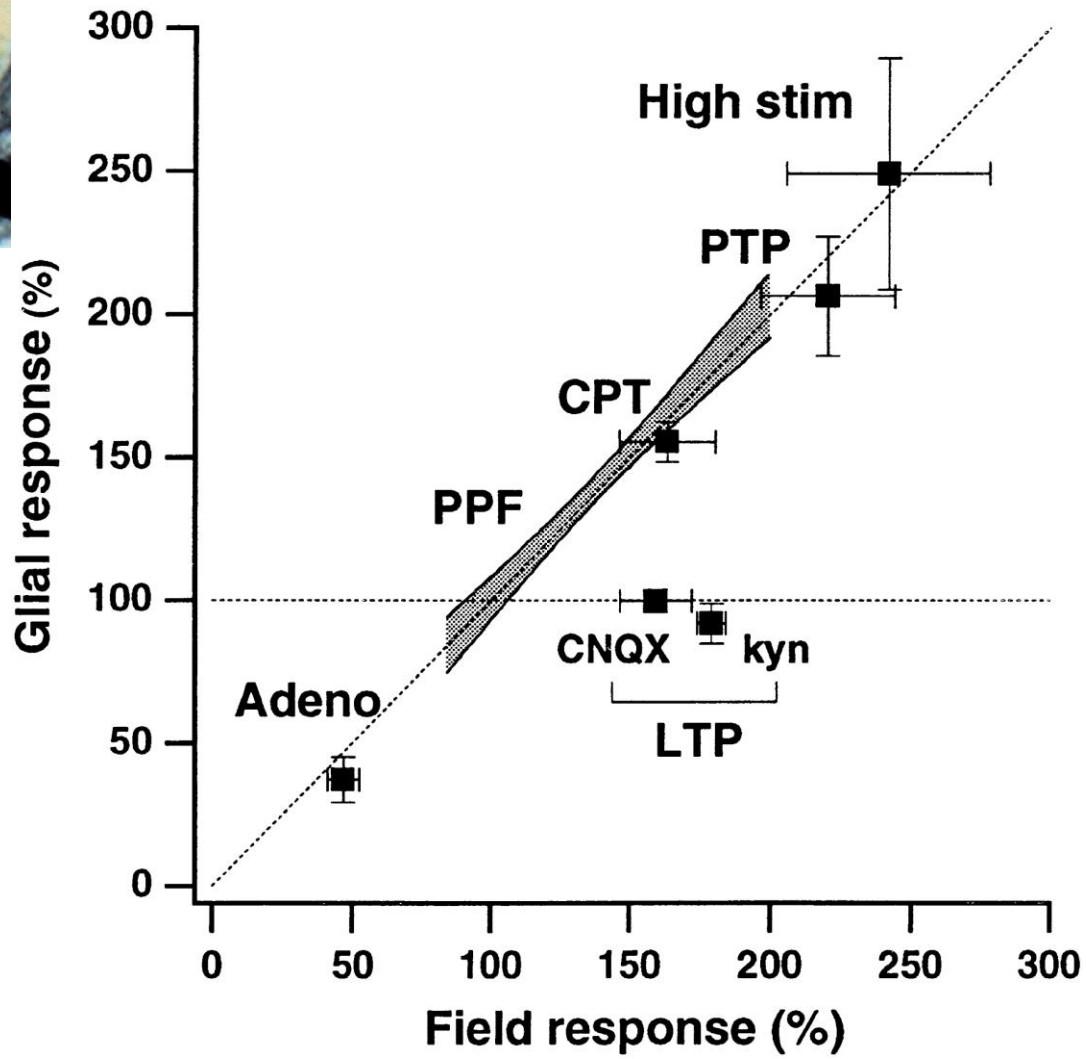
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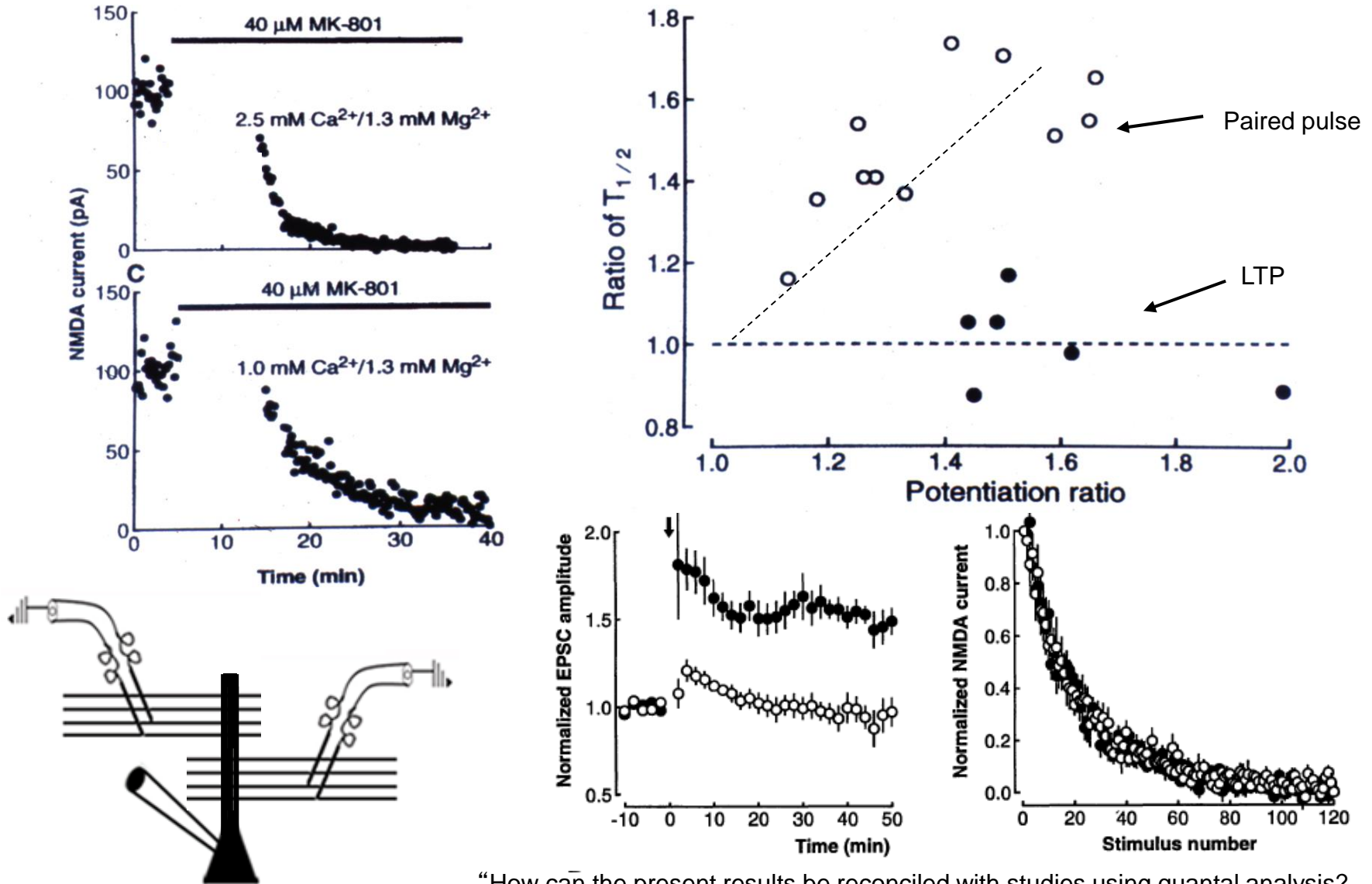


Monitoring synaptically released glutamate with glial glutamate transporter currents

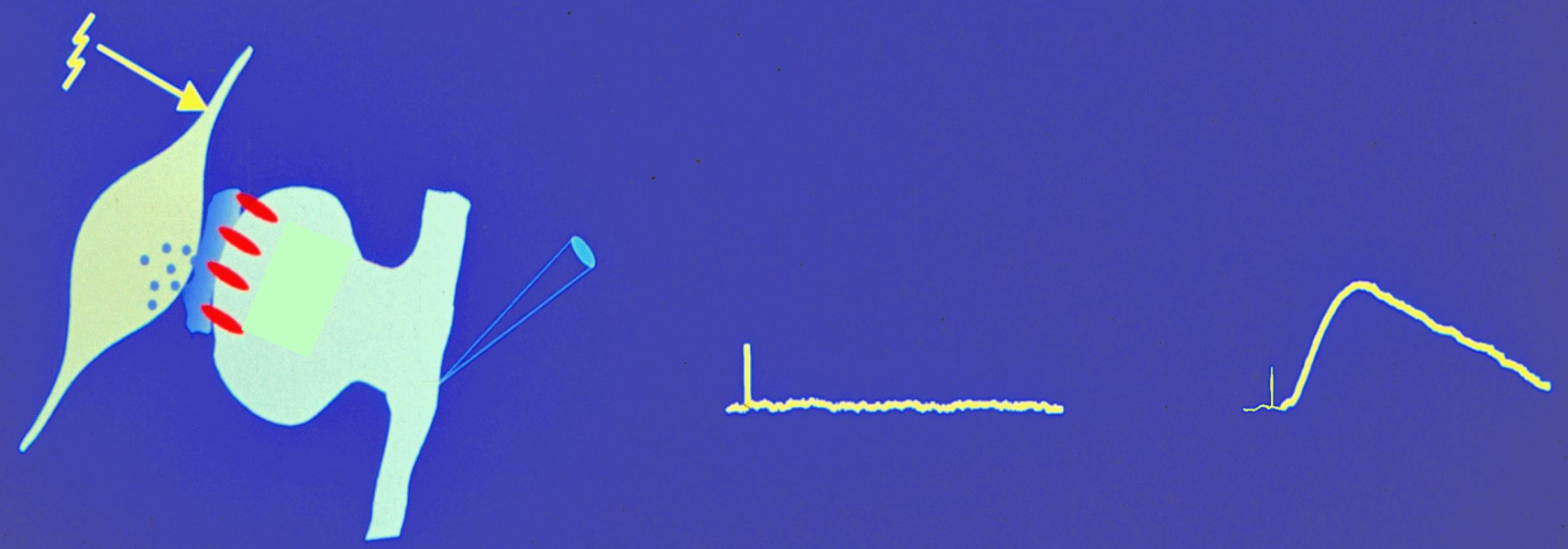
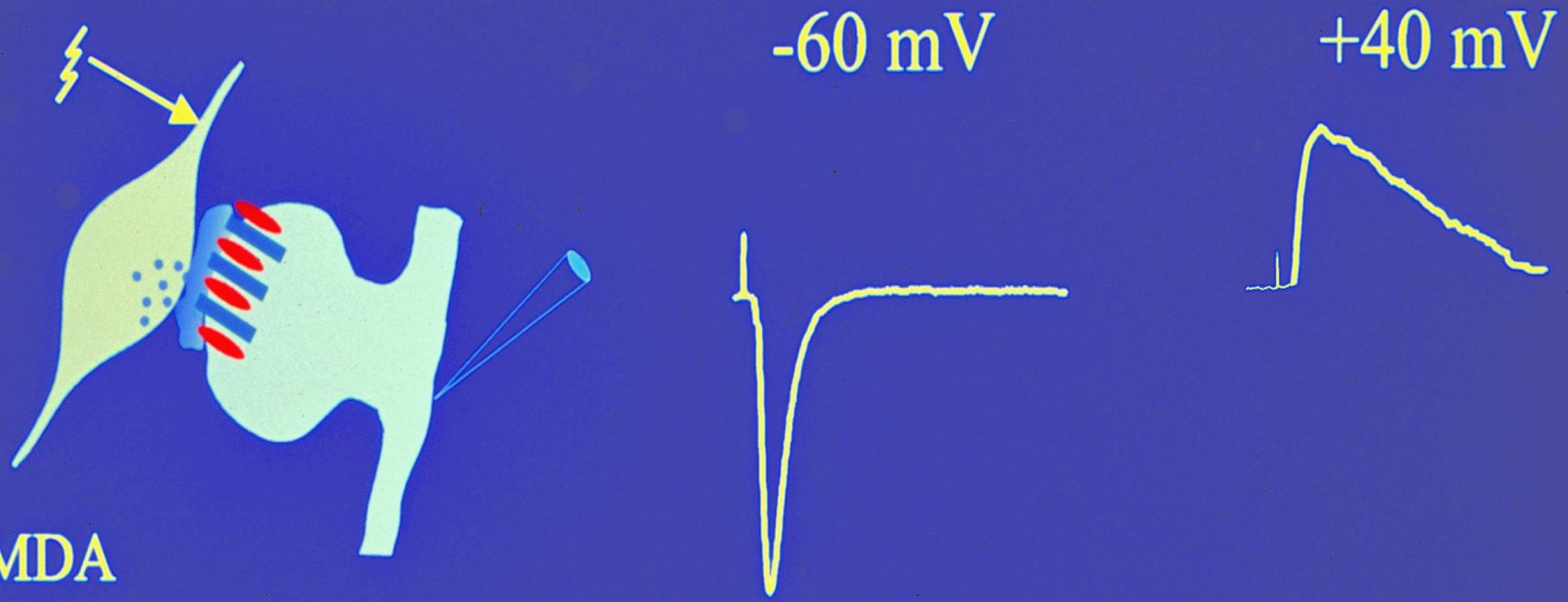


Luscher, et al., *Neuron*, 1998

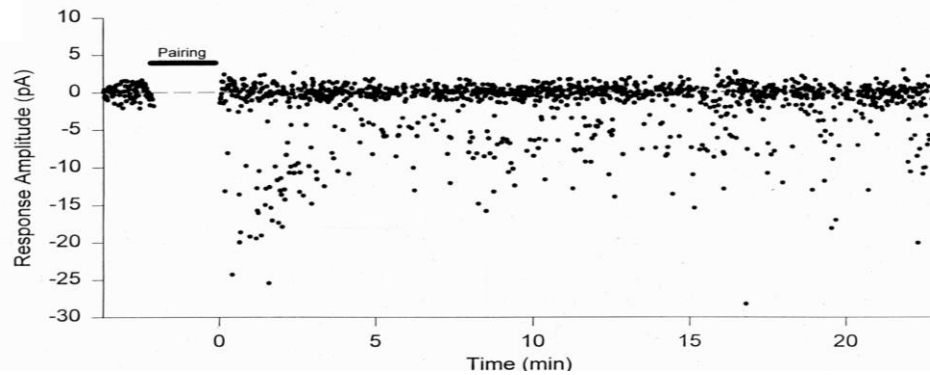
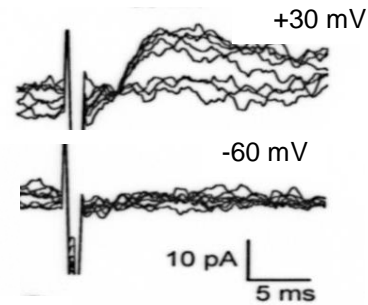
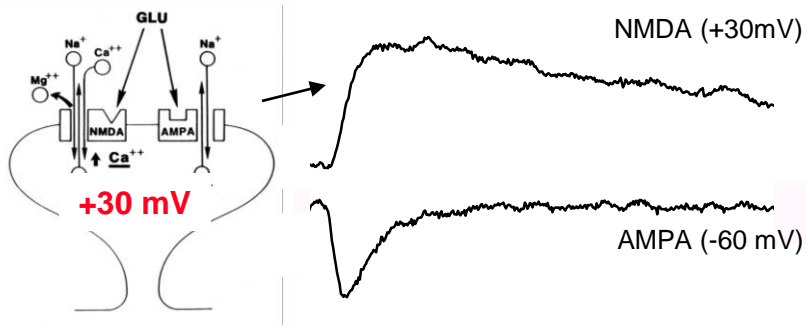
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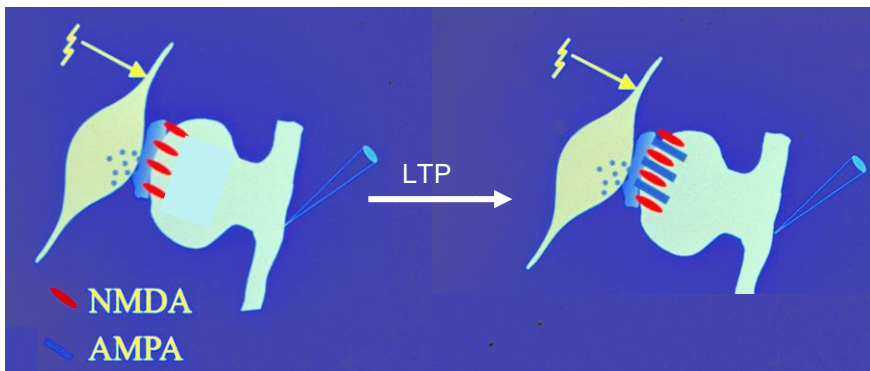
“How can the present results be reconciled with studies using quantal analysis? The decrease in failures is usually interpreted as an increase in P_r . Alternatively, the decrease in failures could reflect the appearance of patches of functional AMPA receptors on the postsynaptic cell”.



Silent Synapses

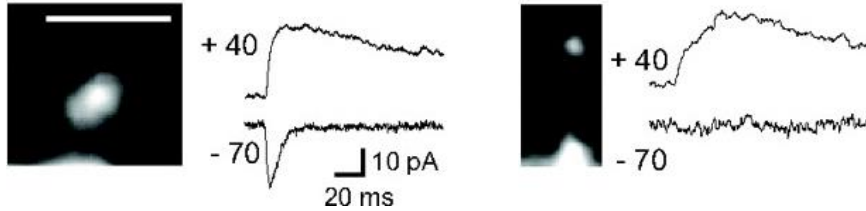


AMPAfication can occur in the absence of any change in the NMDA response

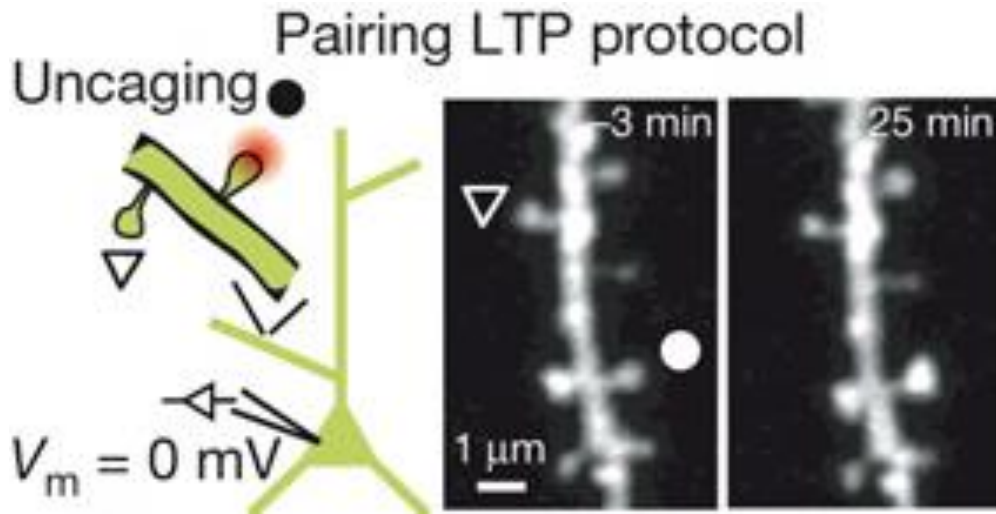


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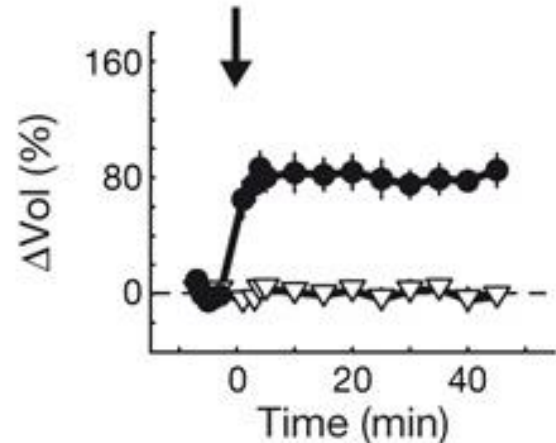
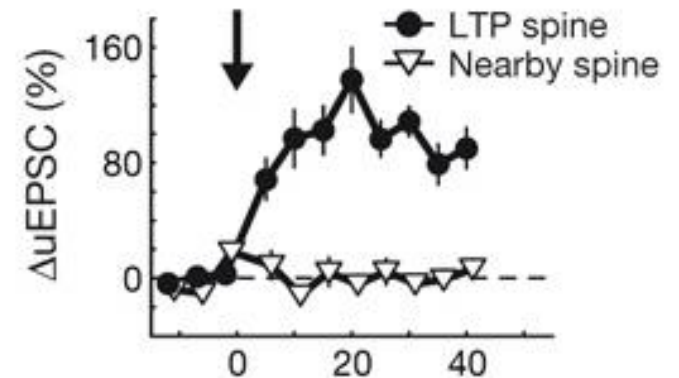
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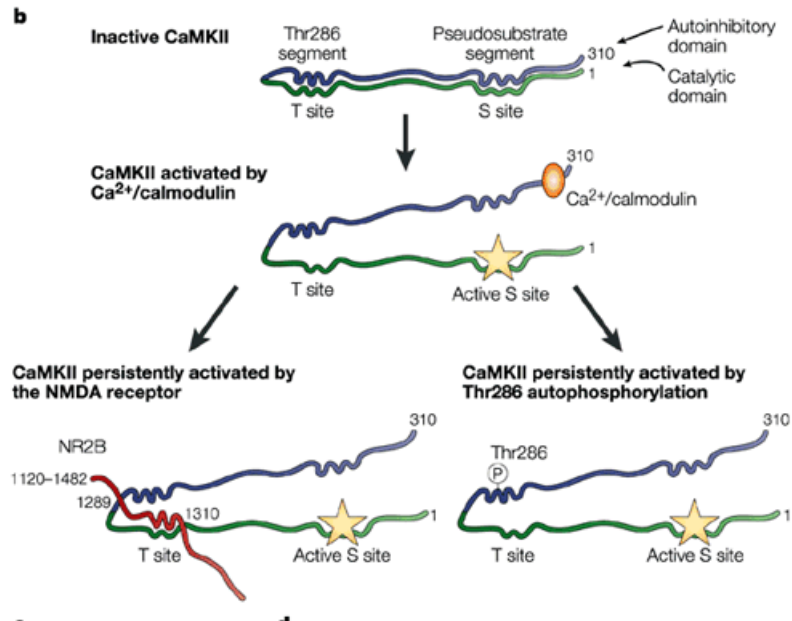
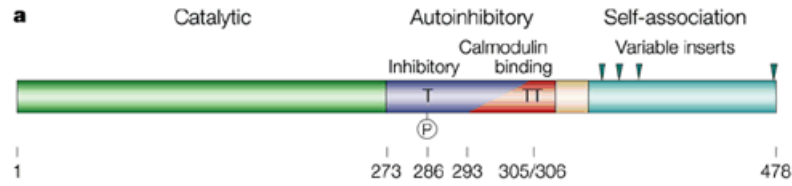
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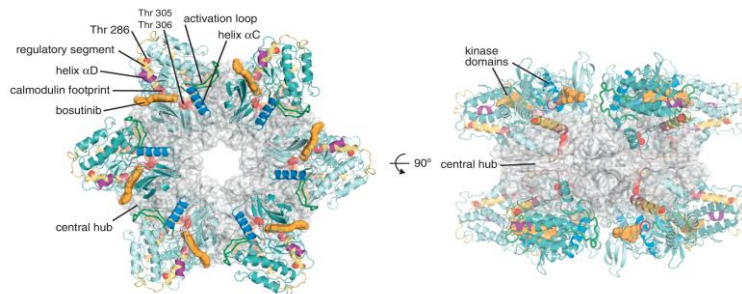
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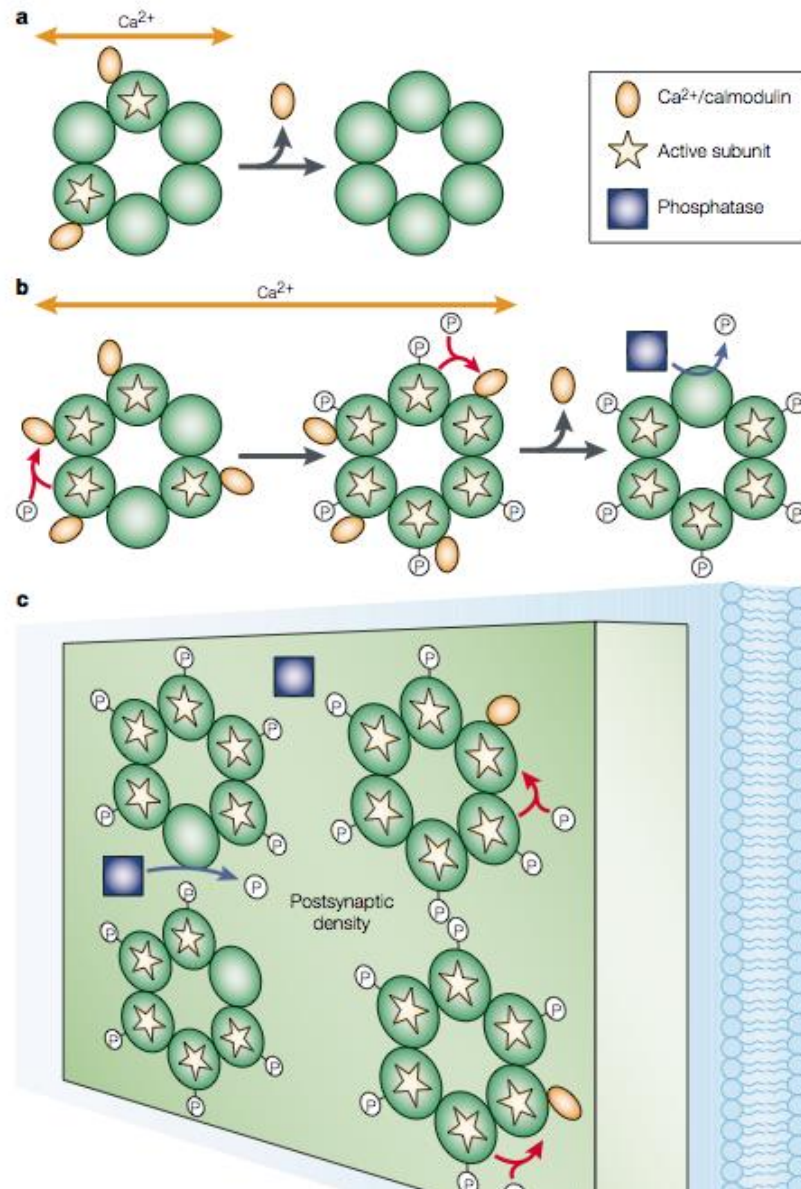


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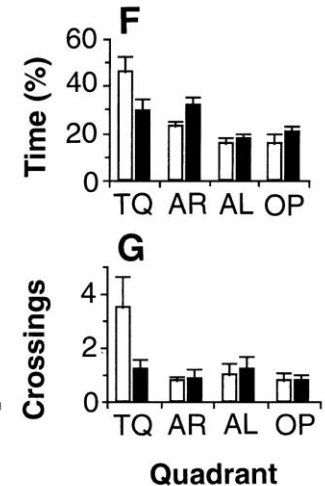
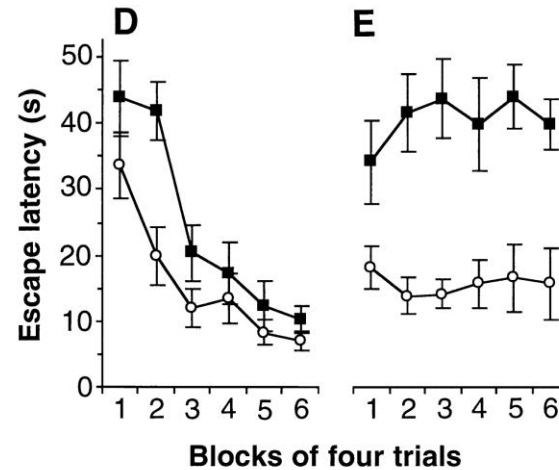
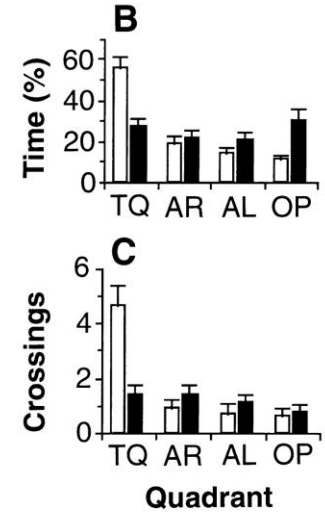
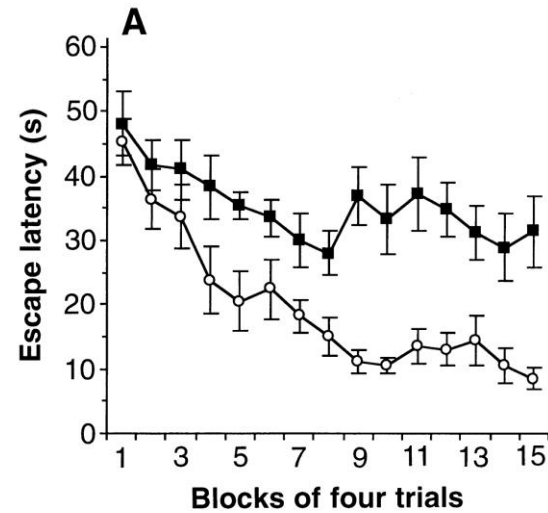
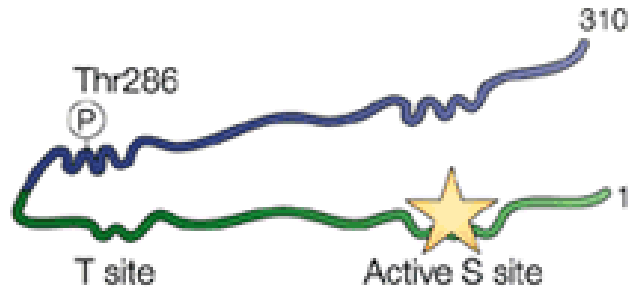
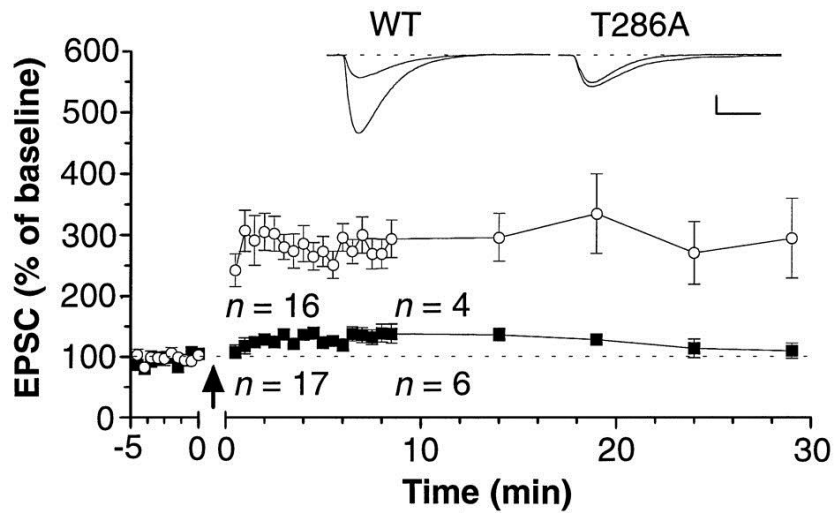


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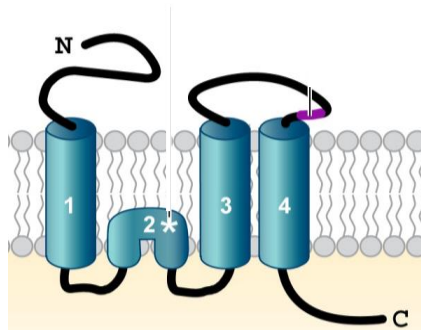
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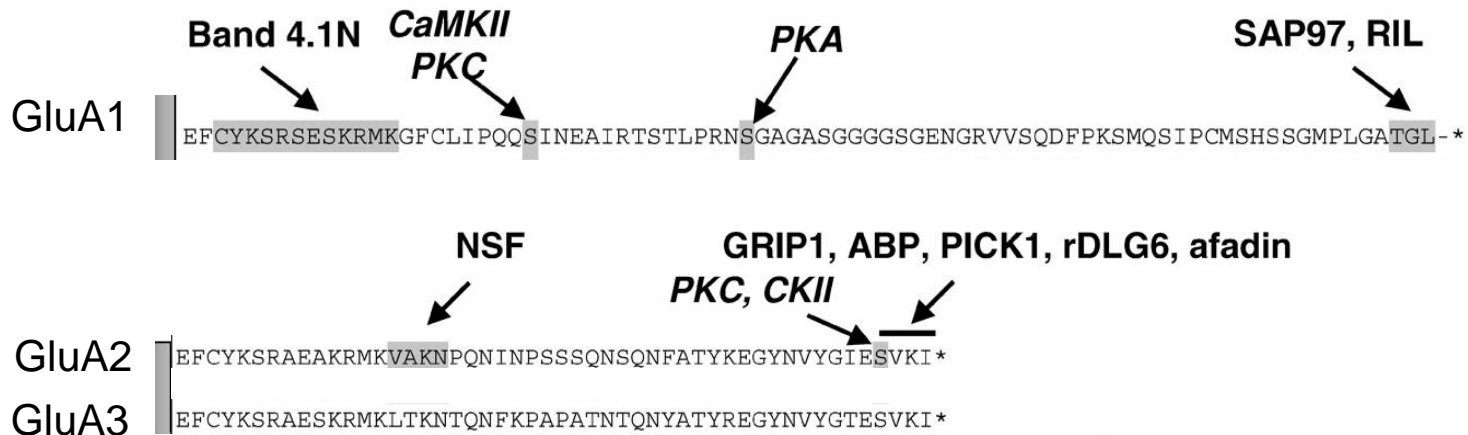
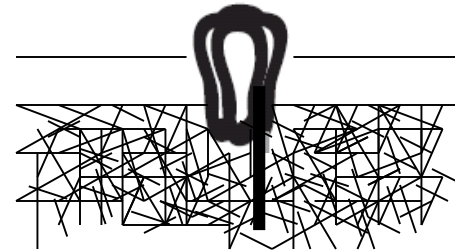
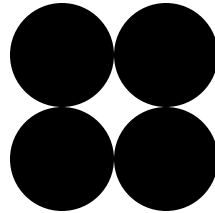
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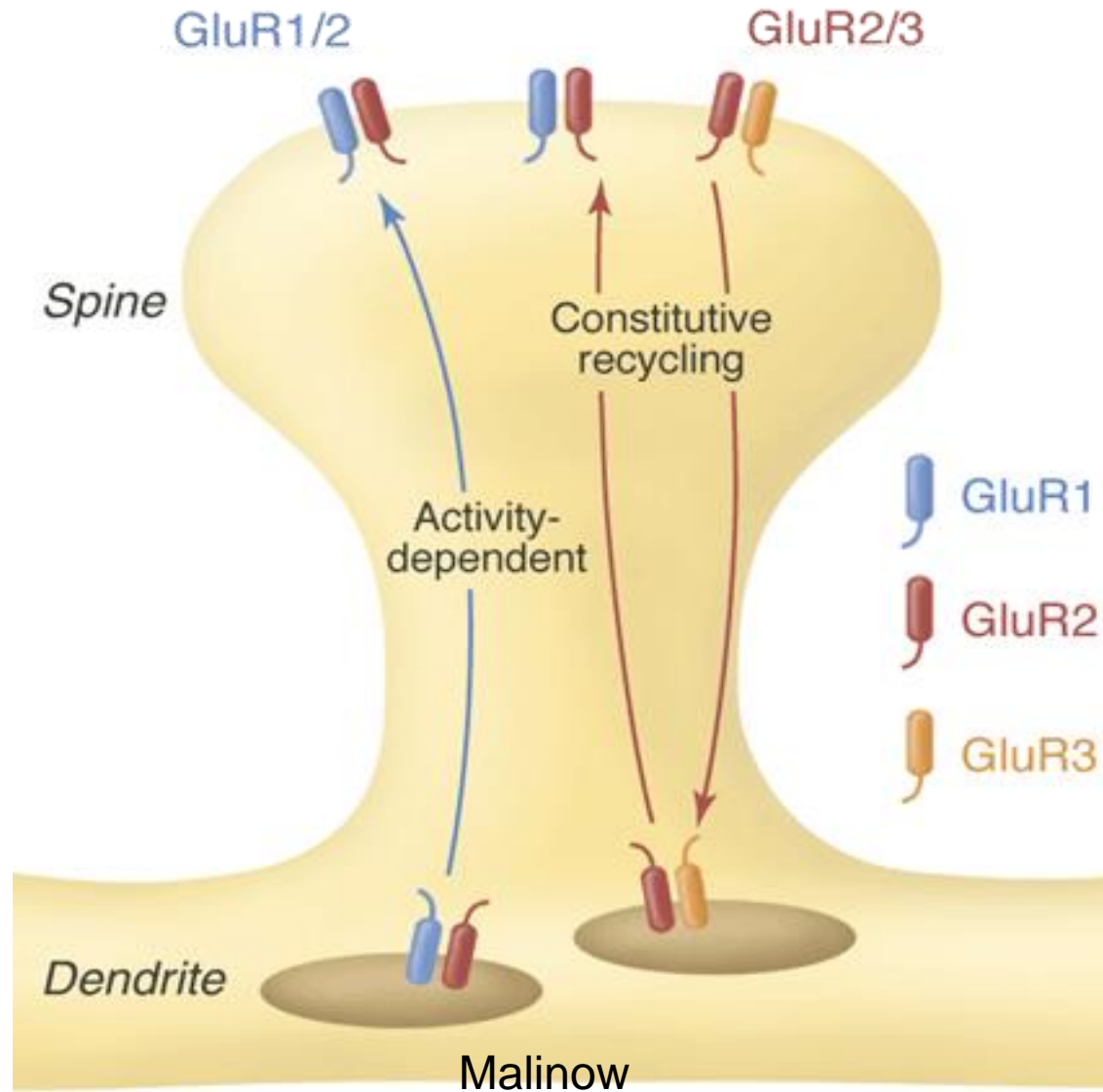
The C-tails are sites for protein-protein interactions and phosphorylation



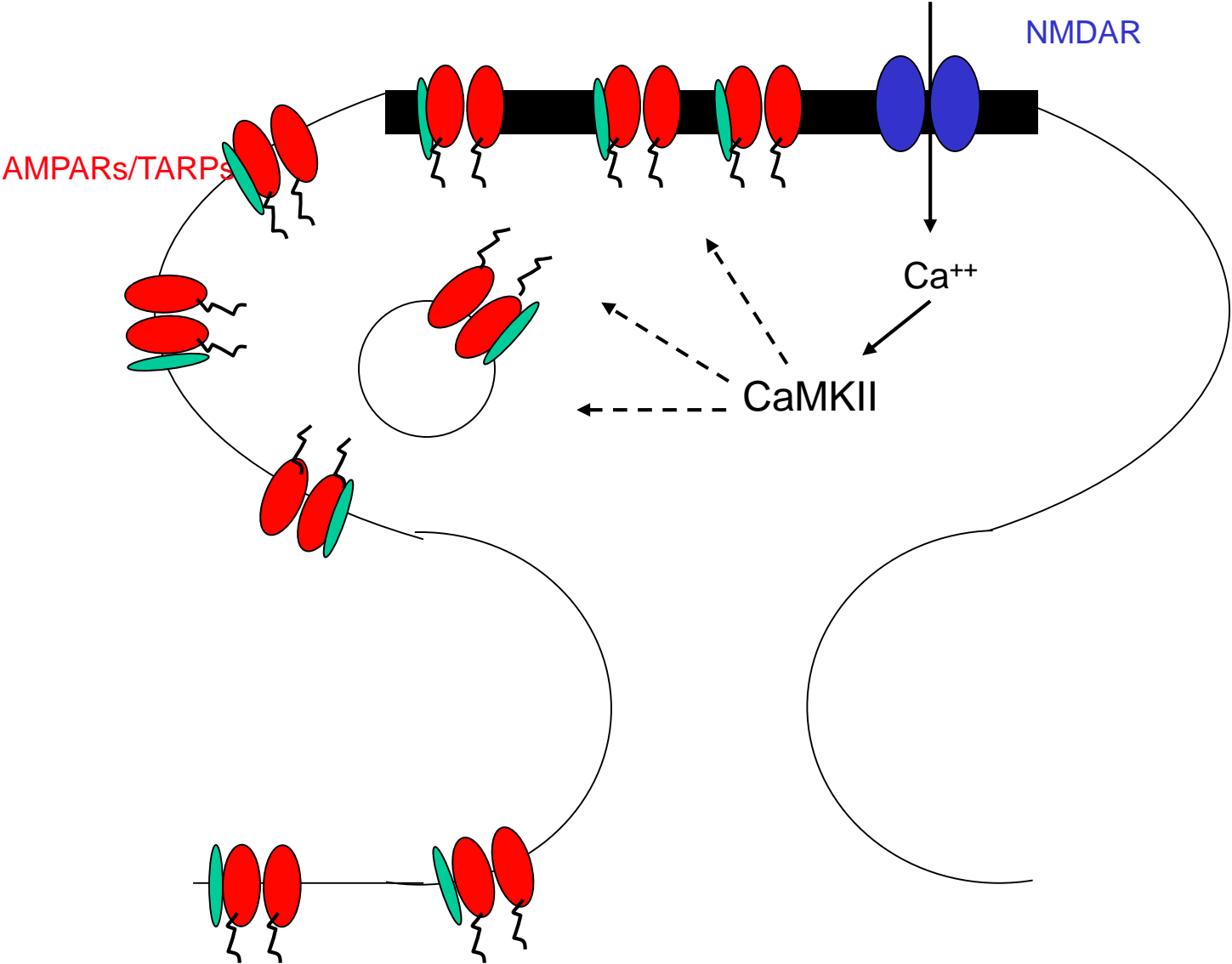
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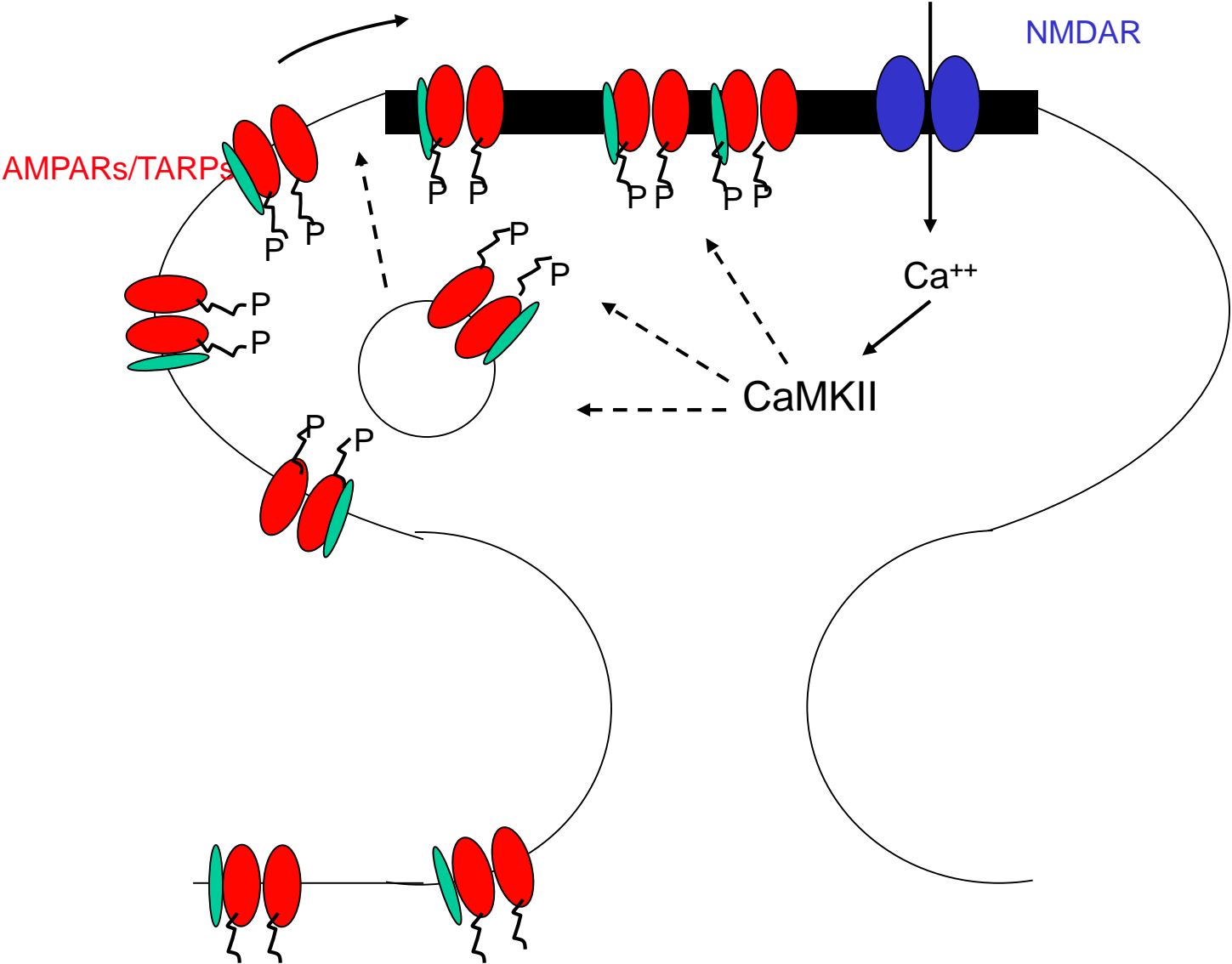
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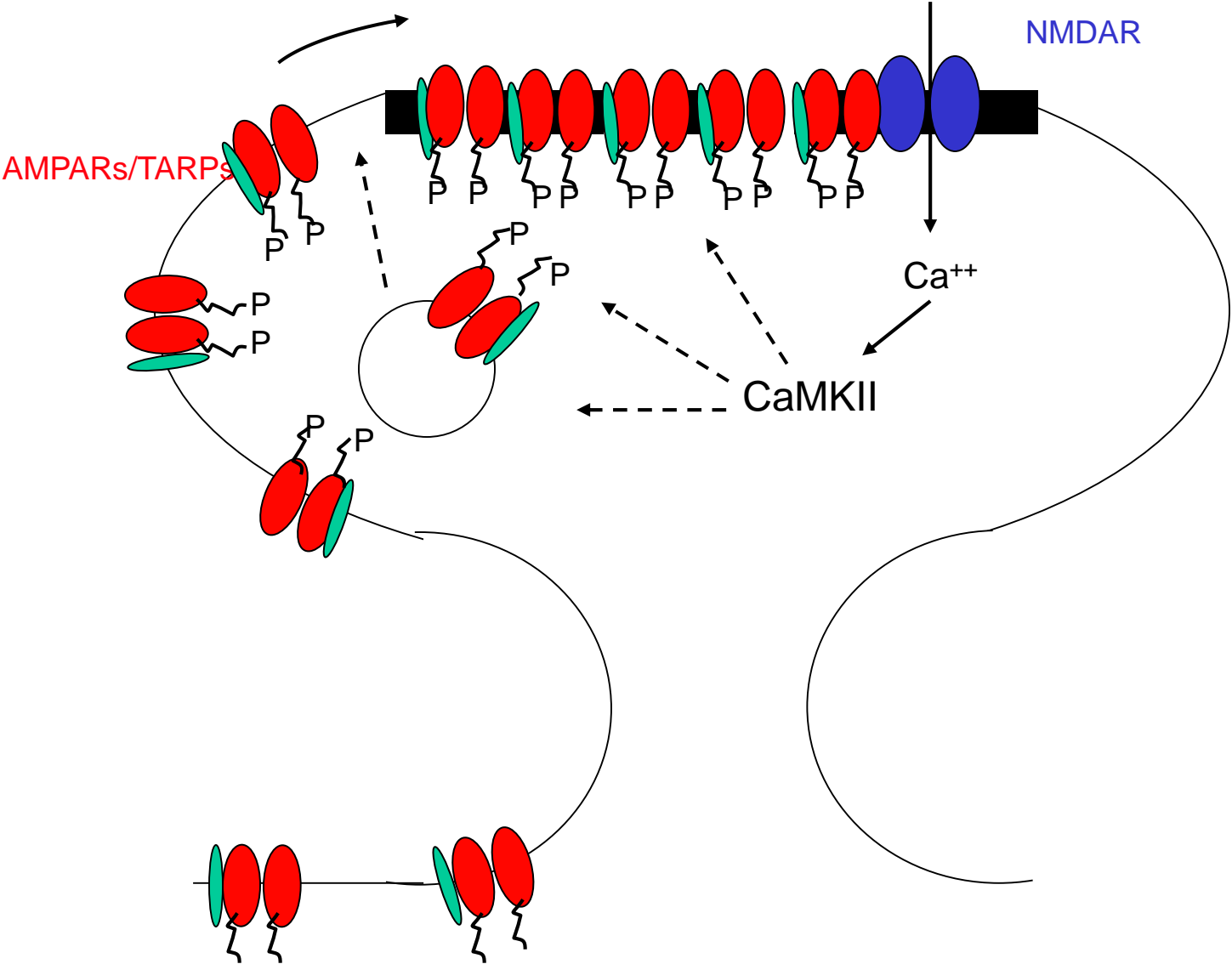
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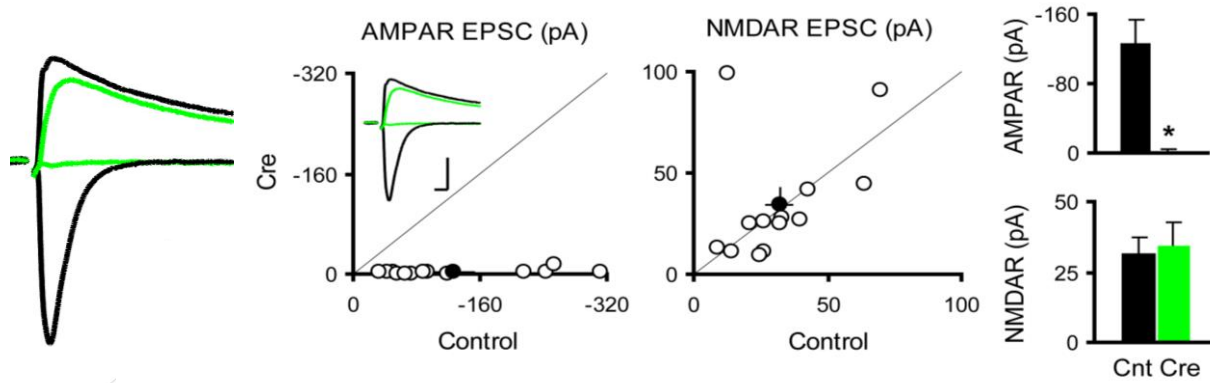
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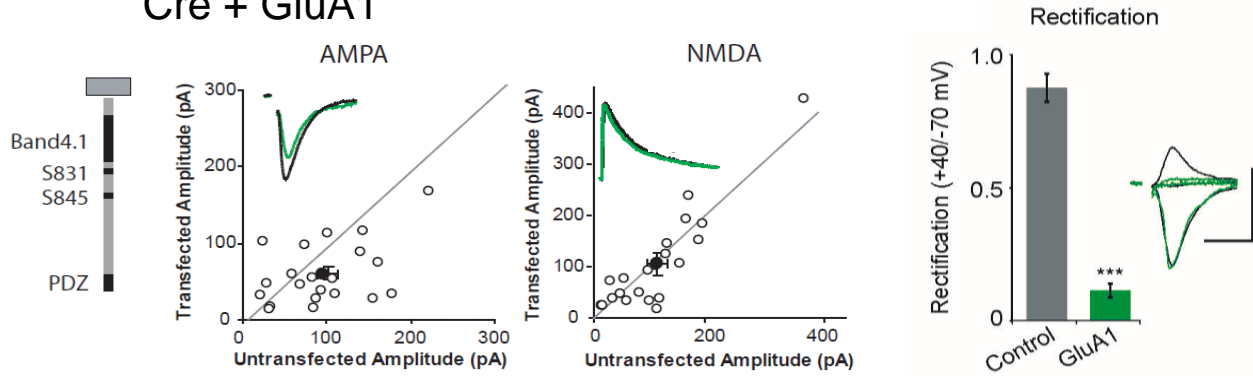
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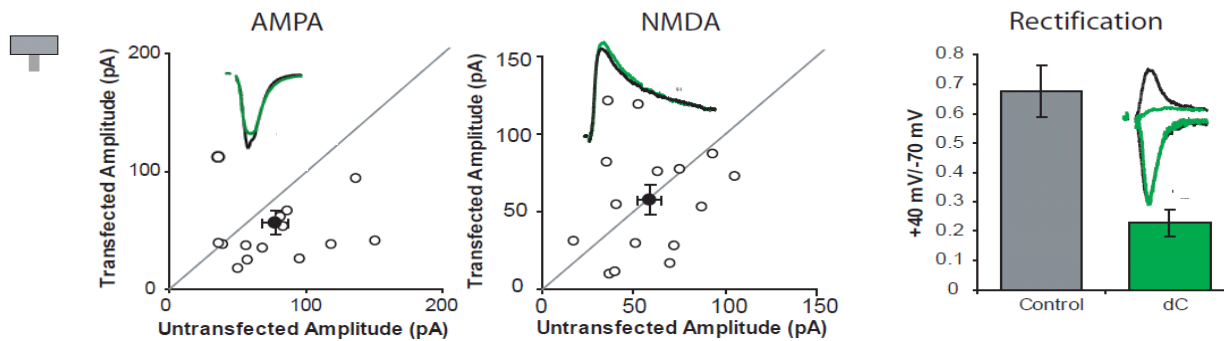
Single Cell deletion and replacement of AMPAR subunits



Cre + GluA1



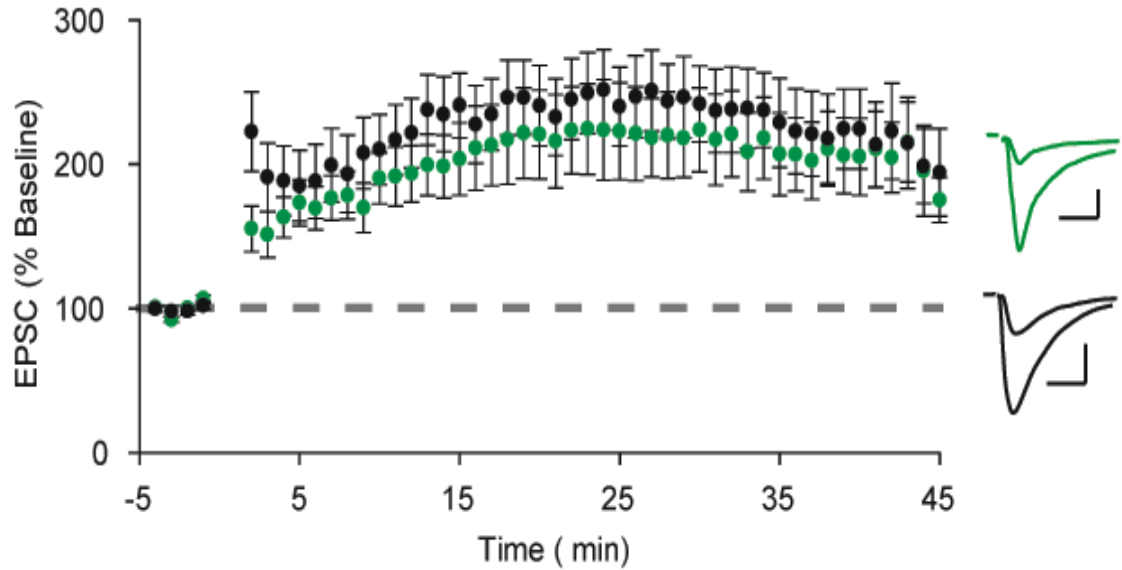
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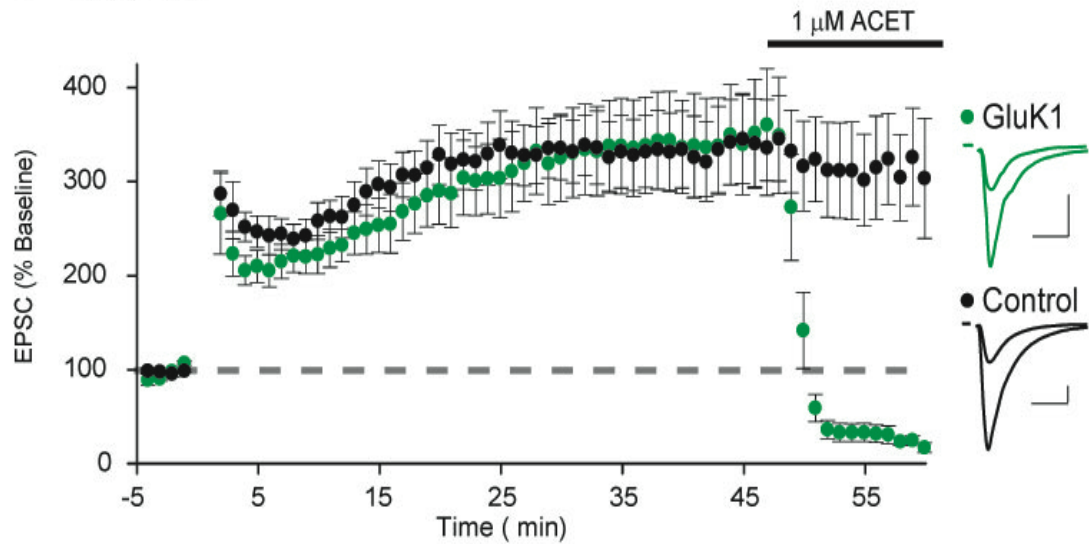
The C-tail of GluA1 is not required for synaptic targeting

Single Cell deletion and replacement of AMPAR subunits

GluA1 Δ C

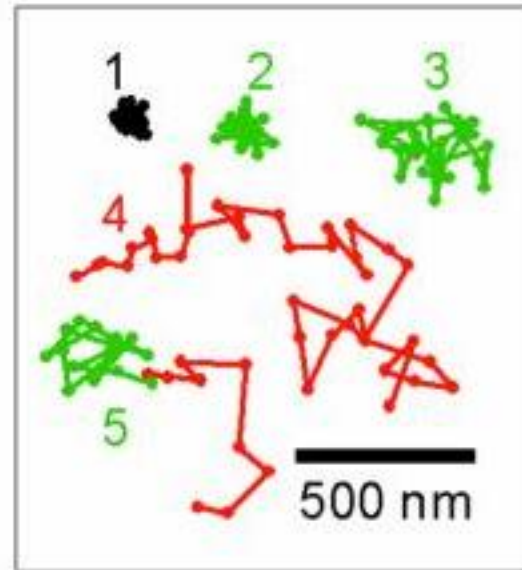
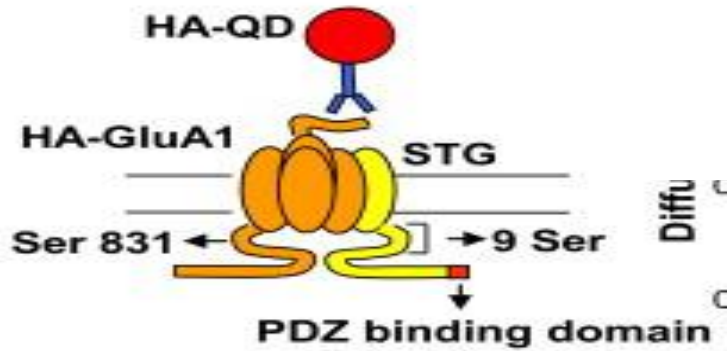


Kainate receptor



Single particle tracking of AMPARs

Cy5 labeled Anti-GluA2 antibodies



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PSD Centric Model (Capture)

