

$$S_i(t+1) = \text{sign} \left[\frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{\mu=1}^p \xi_j^\mu S_j(t) \right]$$

$\nearrow n \text{ variables}$

$$\xi_i^\mu = \begin{cases} 1 & P = \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & P = \frac{1}{2} \end{cases} \quad m_\mu$$

$$m_\mu(t) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^n \xi_j^\mu S_j(t)$$

guess: $S_j(t) = \xi_j^\mu$

$$m_\mu = 1$$

$$m_\nu(t+1) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_i \xi_i^\nu \text{sign} \left[\sum_\mu \xi_i^\mu m_\mu \right]$$

$$m_{\nu \neq \mu} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$\nearrow p \text{ variables}$

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_i \xi_i^\nu \text{sign} \left[\xi_i^\nu m_\nu + \underbrace{\sum_{\mu \neq \nu} \xi_i^\mu m_\mu}_{\text{noise}} \right] \quad z_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

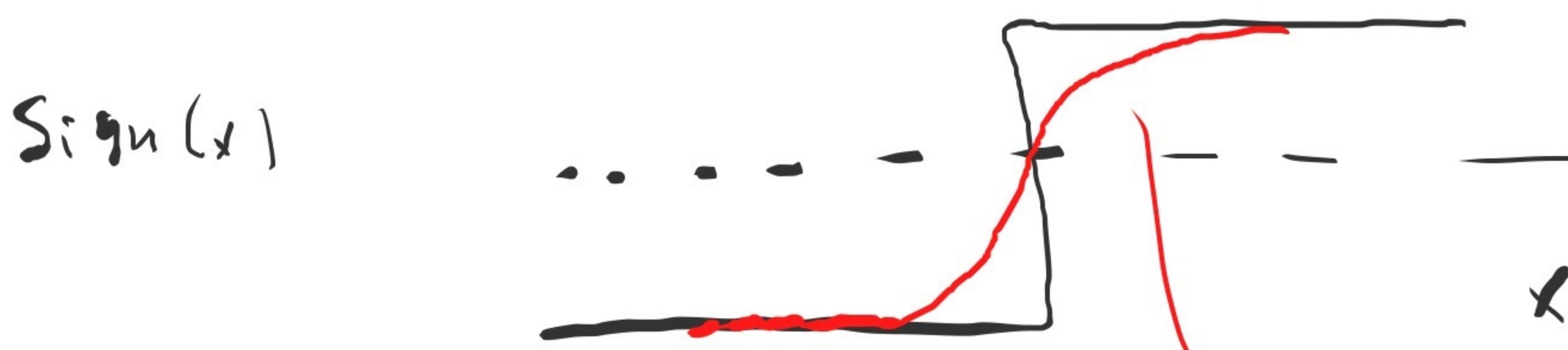
$\nearrow \sigma z_i$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{n} \sum_i \xi_i^\nu \text{sign} \left[\xi_i^\nu m_\nu + \sigma z_i \right]$$

$\nwarrow \text{uncorrelated}$

$$m_v = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \xi_i^v \operatorname{sign} [\xi_i^v m_v + z_i \sigma]$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \xi_i^v \int dz \frac{e^{-\frac{z^2}{2\sigma^2}}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \operatorname{sign} [\xi_i^v m_v + z \sigma]$$



larger $\sigma \Rightarrow$ more smoothing

$$m_v = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \xi_i^v \tilde{\Phi} (\xi_i^v m_v; \sigma)$$

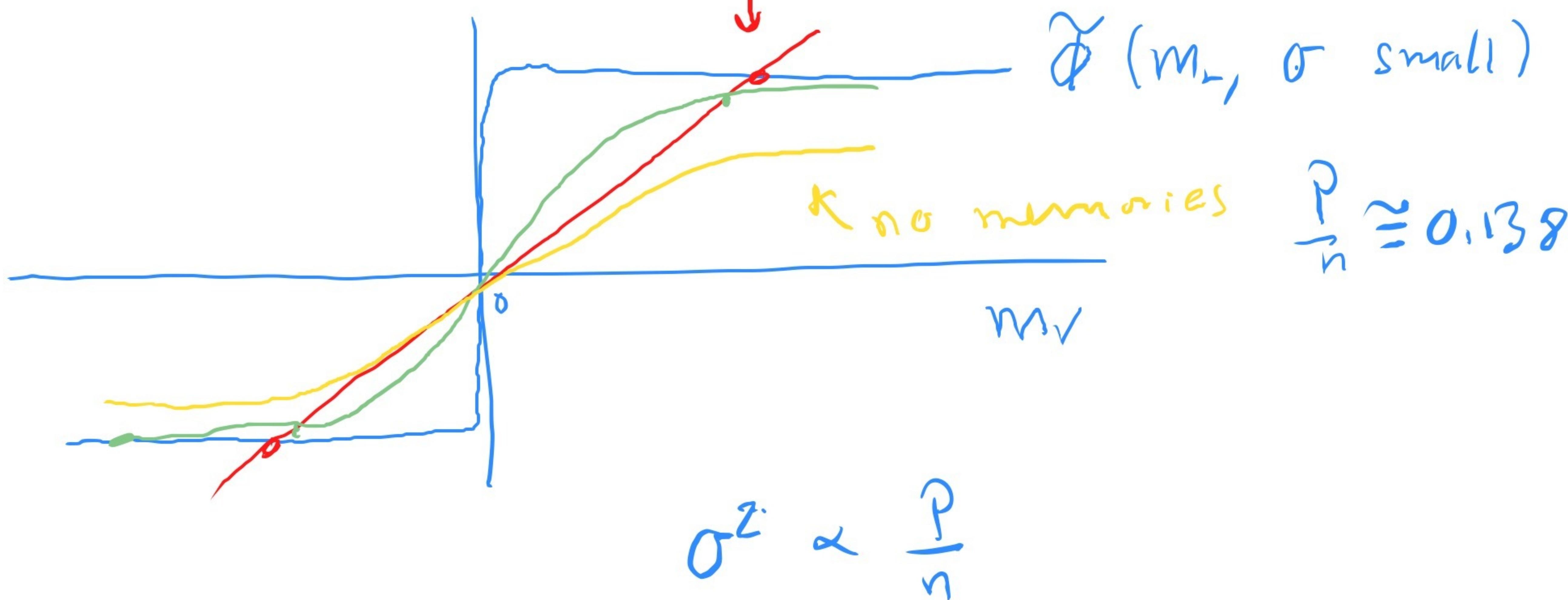
$$\begin{aligned} (\pm 1) \tilde{\Phi}(x) \\ = \pm \Phi(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$m_v = \tilde{\Phi}(m_v; \sigma)$$

$$\rightarrow \langle \xi \tilde{\Phi}(\xi; \sigma) \rangle$$

$\xi = \begin{cases} \text{prob } \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 \quad \text{prob } \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$

$$m_r = \tilde{\phi}(m_r; \sigma)$$



$$\sigma^2 = \text{Var} \left[\sum_{u \neq v}^P \xi_i^u m_u \right]$$

more realistic networks $v_e = \frac{1}{n} \sum_i v_{ei}$

$$\tau_e \frac{dv_{ei}}{dt} = \tilde{\Phi}_e \left(\epsilon (w_{ee} v_e - w_{ii} v_i) + \frac{1}{n \ell(n+1)} \sum_j \gamma_j (\eta_{ij}) v_{ej} \right) - v_{ei}$$

$$\tau_e \frac{dv_i}{dt} = \tilde{\Phi}_i \left(\sqrt{n} (w_{ii} v_e - w_{jj} v_j) \right) - v_i$$

$\epsilon = O(\frac{1}{n})$

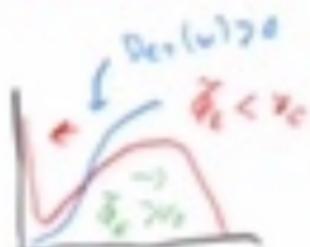
$$\tau_e \rightarrow 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad v_i \approx \frac{w_{ii} v_e}{w_{jj}} + O(\frac{1}{n})$$

bad approx.

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{n} \left(w_{ii} v_e - \frac{w_{jj} v_e}{w_{jj}} \right) v_i$$

$$\frac{1}{v_{ii}} \left(w_{ii} v_e - w_{jj} v_e \right)$$

$$= \frac{O(\epsilon)}{w_{jj}}$$



$$T_E \frac{dV_{Ei}}{dt} = \tilde{\Phi}_E \left(-\gamma V_E + \frac{\beta}{nf(hf)} \sum_j \gamma_j (\gamma_j - f) V_{Ej} \right)$$

$$\gamma_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Prob f} \\ 0 & \text{Prob hf} \end{cases}$$

Overlap:

$$m = \frac{1}{nf(hf)} \sum_j (\gamma_j - f) V_{Ej}$$

$$T_E \frac{dV_{Ei}}{dt} = \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\gamma V_E + \gamma_i \beta m) - V_{Ei}$$

$$(T_E \frac{dm}{dt} = \frac{1}{nf(hf)} \sum_i (\gamma_i - f) \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\gamma V_E + \gamma_i \beta m))$$

$$\rightarrow T_E \frac{dV_E}{dt} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_i \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\gamma V_E + \gamma_i \beta m) - V_E$$

$$\mathcal{T}_E \frac{dV_E}{dt} = \langle \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\delta V_E + \gamma \beta m) \rangle - V_E$$

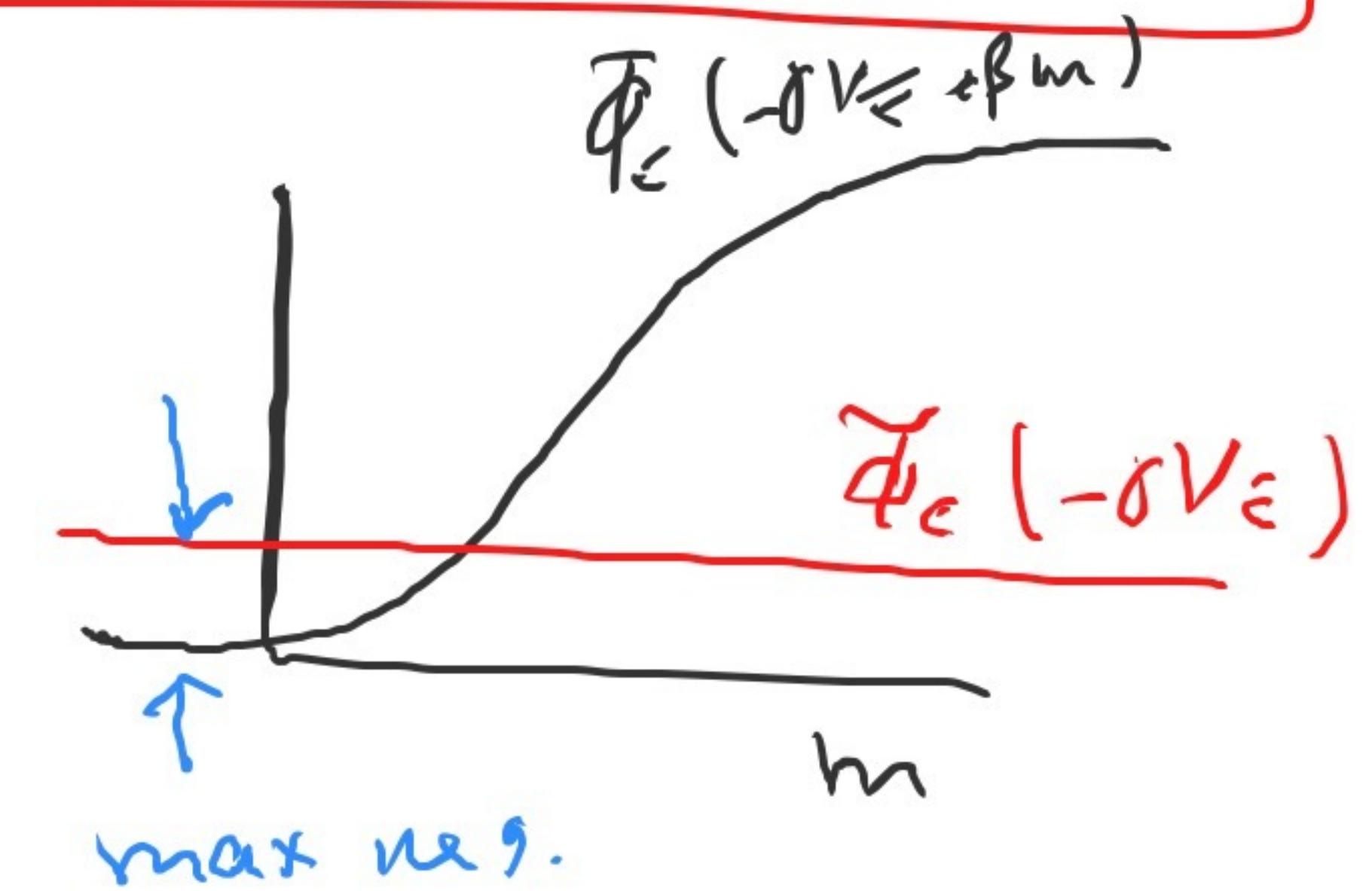
$$\mathcal{T}_E \frac{dm}{dt} = \frac{1}{f(1-f)} \langle (\gamma +) \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\delta V_E + \gamma \beta m) \rangle - m$$

$$\mathcal{T}_E \frac{dV_E}{dt} = \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\delta V_E) + f \left[\tilde{\Phi}_E (-\delta V_E + \beta m) - \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\delta V_E) \right] - V_E$$

$$\mathcal{T} \frac{dm}{dt} = \boxed{\tilde{\Phi}_E (-\delta V_E + \beta m) - \tilde{\Phi}_E (-\delta V_E)} - m$$

$$\Delta \tilde{\Phi}_E (V_E, \beta m)$$

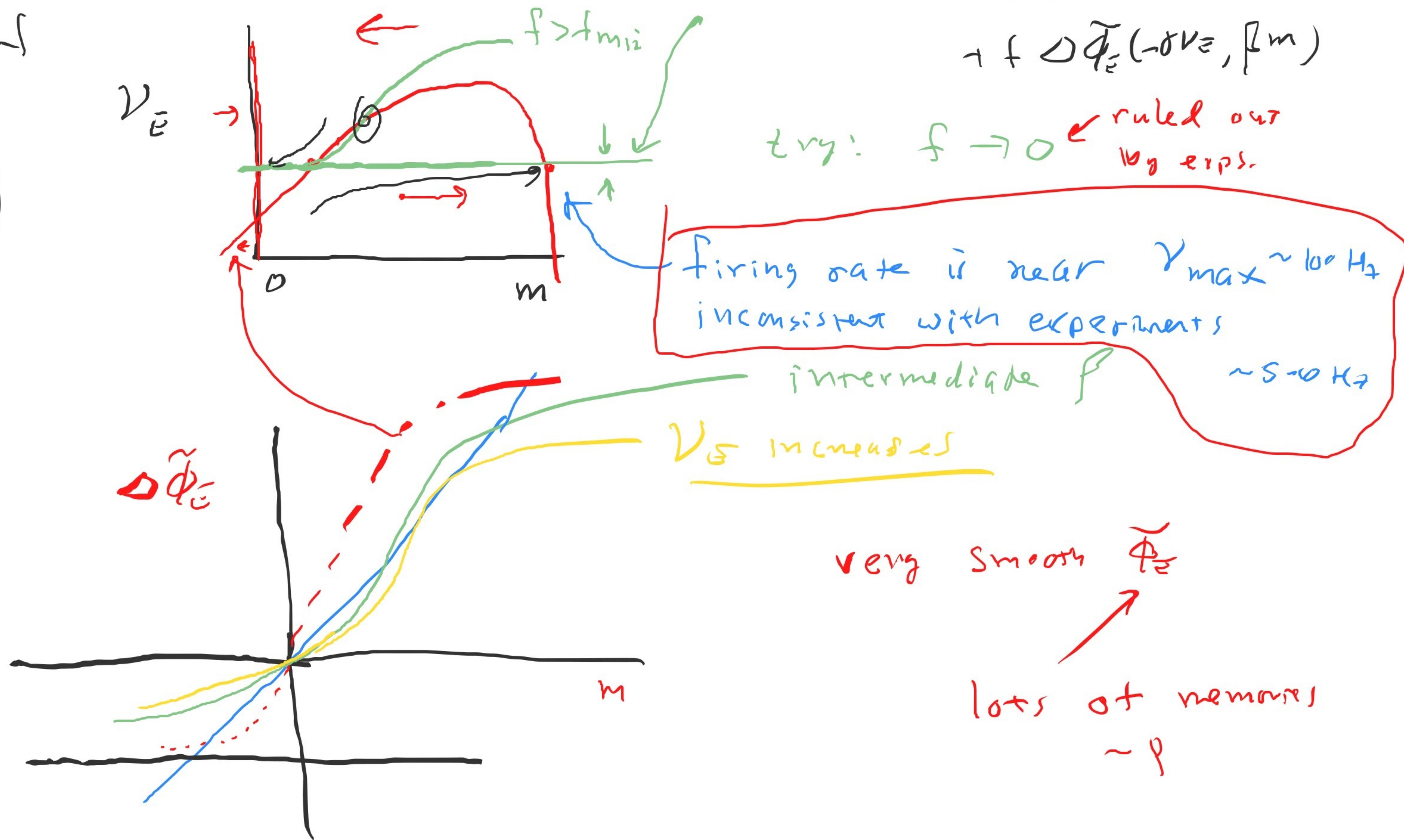
$$\Delta \tilde{\Phi}_E (V_E, 0) = 0$$



$$m\text{-nullcline: } m = \Delta \tilde{\Phi}_E(V_E, m)$$

$$V_E\text{-nullcline: } V_E = \tilde{\Phi}_E(-\delta V_E)$$

$$\rightarrow f \Delta \tilde{\Phi}_E(-\delta V_E, \beta m)$$



problem w/ classic Hopfield networks:

$$P \propto K$$

\nwarrow # connections / neuron

fix: $P \propto \frac{K}{f}$ \nwarrow # neurons involved in memory

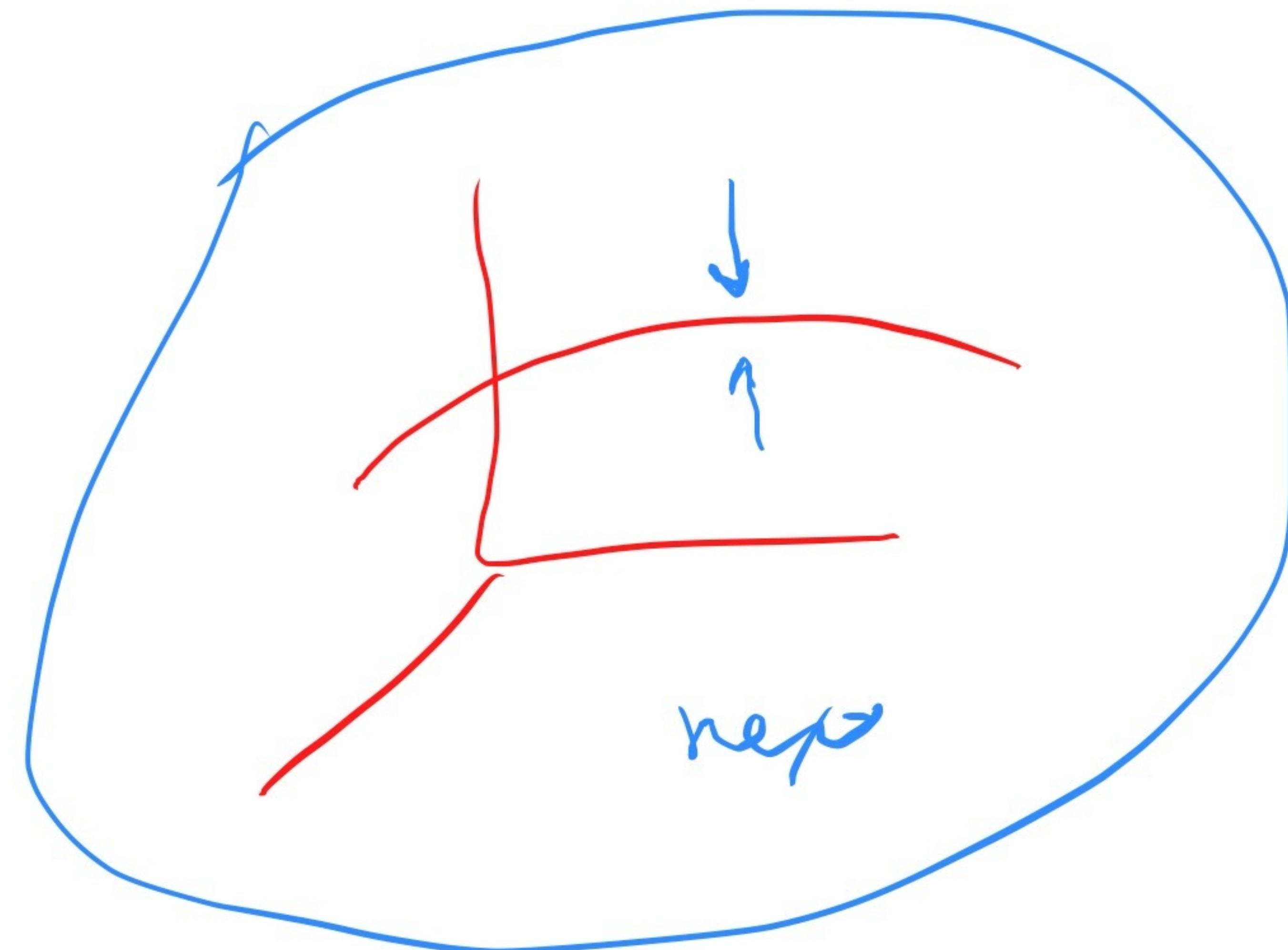
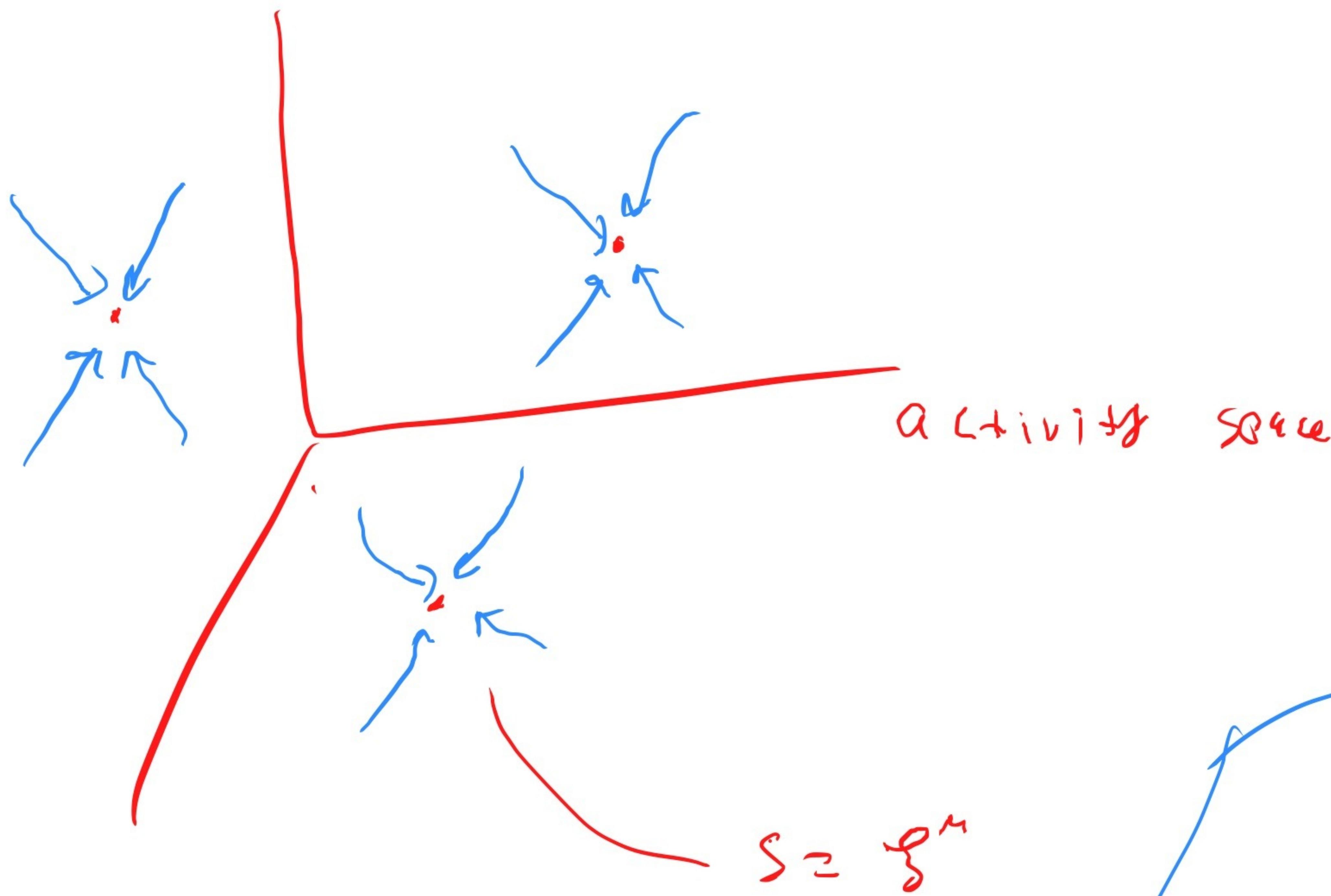
choose $f \sim \frac{K}{n}$

recover $P \propto n$

fix is dead for realistic memories

conclusion:

we have absolutely no idea how
associative memory works in the brain



networks of neurons:

$$\gamma \frac{dV_i}{dt} = (\text{single neuron model}) - \sum_j A_{ij} (V_i - \bar{V}_j) g_j(t)$$

→ techniques for dealing
with $\sum_j \tilde{W}_{ij} g_j(t)$

→ main technique:

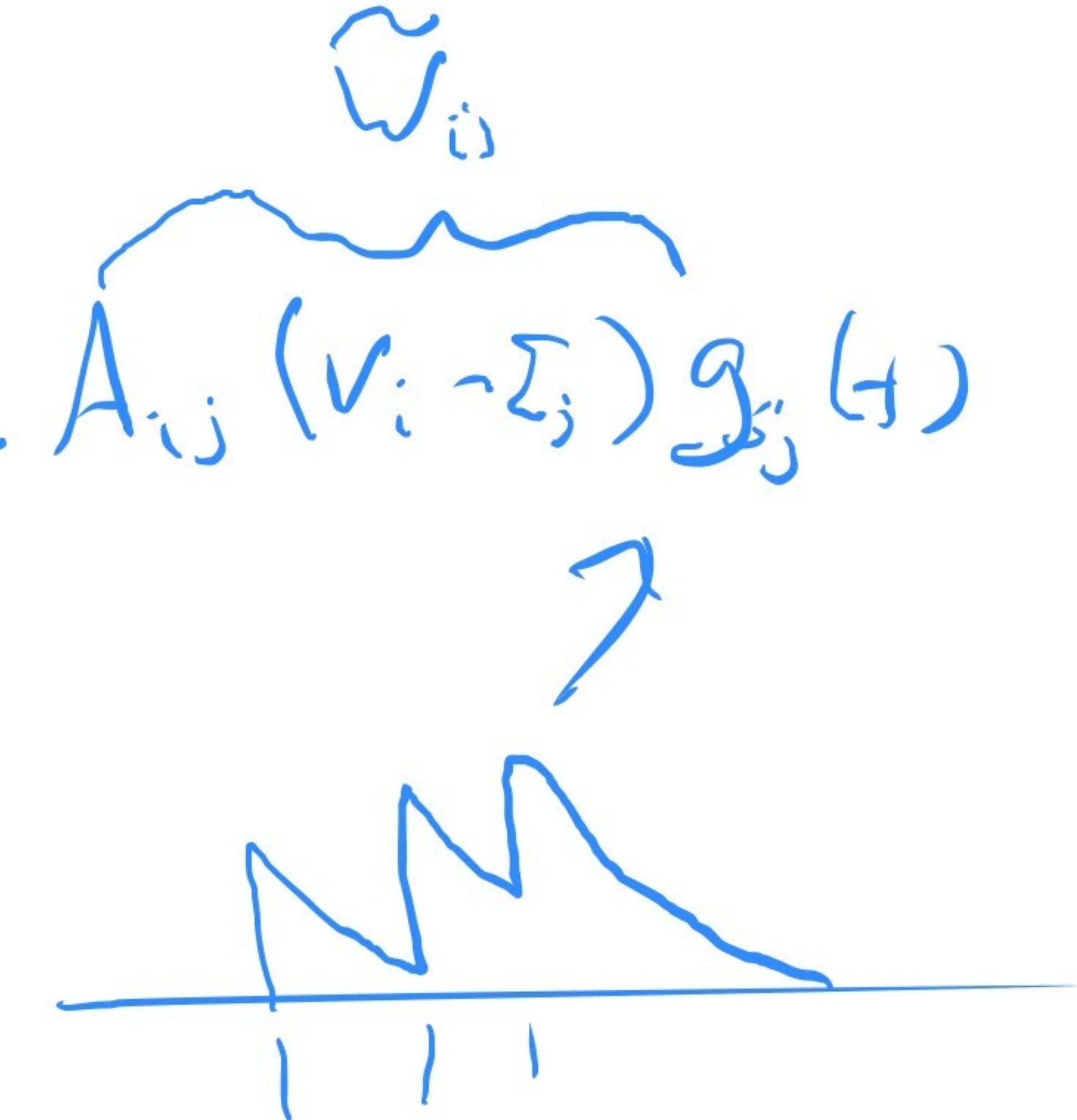
a. large sums are turned

into Gaussian random variables

b. replace sums by Gaussian integrals

→ gain functions are smoothed

→ added structure; still replace
sums with integrals, but not
Gaussian

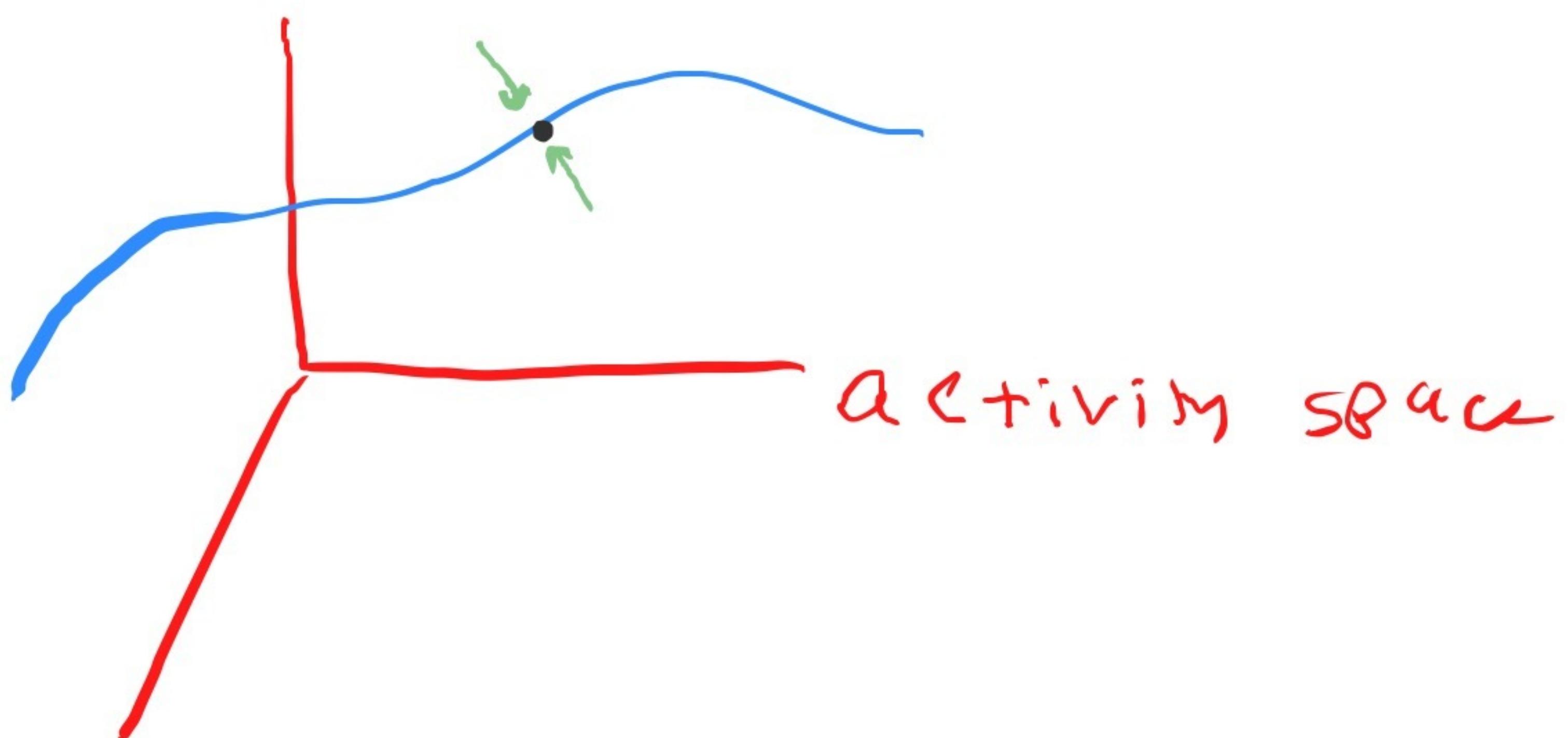


$$\begin{aligned} &\rightarrow \frac{1}{n} \sum \xi_i f(-\xi_i) \\ &\rightarrow \langle \xi f(-\xi) \rangle \\ &\xi \text{ discrete} \end{aligned}$$

- line attractor networks

ignores { - point attractors are useful for storing discrete items.
- not good for continuous items.

- how do you remember an analog variable
for short times.



$$\dot{r}_i = \phi \left(\sum_j w_{ij} f_j \right) - r_i$$

$$f_i(\theta) = \phi \left(\sum_j w_{ij} f_j(\theta) \right)$$

for a range of θ

- line attractor



$$f_i(\theta) = \phi \left(\sum_j w_{i-j} f_j(\theta) \right)$$

one sol: $f_i(\theta)$

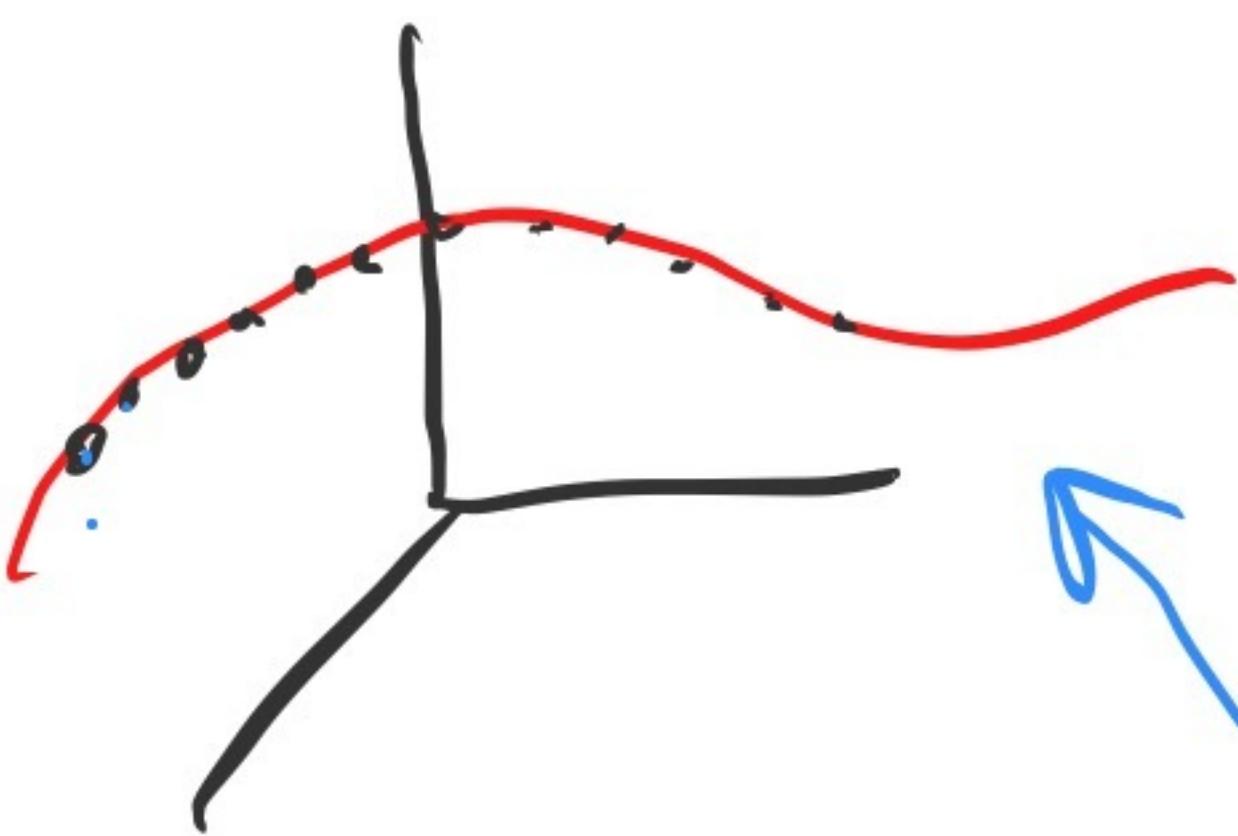
guess
another : $f_i(\theta) \rightarrow f_{i+k}(\theta)$

$$f_{i+k}(\theta) = \phi \left(\sum_j w_{i-j} f_{j+k}(\theta) \right)$$

$$i = i' - k$$

$$j = j' - k$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{i'}(\theta) &= \phi \left(\sum_{j'} w_{i'-k - (j'-k)} f_{j'}(\theta) \right) \\ &= \phi \left(\sum_{j'} w_{i'-j'} f_{j'}(\theta) \right) \end{aligned}$$



large n limit, collapses onto line

1. Stability ←

1a. Can we control drift along line attractor



- Circuitry that tells you where to point your eyes.

- you need to be able to provide a signal to move your eyes.

2. Can we embed multiple line attractors?

↑ we'll see that this is hard

$$\dot{r}_i = \phi\left(W_{ij} r_j + \sum_j V_{ij} r_j + h_i\right) - r_i$$

firing rate

V_{ij} small
 h_i small

{ compared
to W_{ij}

external signal

Perturbation because
weights can't be
set perfectly

$$r_i = f_i(\theta_0) + \delta r_i$$

fixed

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\delta r}_i &= \phi\left(\sum_j W_{ij} f_j(\theta_0) + \sum_j V_{ij} f_j(\theta_0) + h_i + \sum_j W_{ij} \delta r_j \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \sum_j V_{ij} \delta r_j\right) - f_i(\theta_0) - \delta r_i \end{aligned}$$

$$\phi''\left(\sum_j W_{ij} f_j(\theta_0)\right) \approx \phi\left(\sum_j W_{ij} f_j(\theta_0)\right) - f_i(\theta_0)$$

$$+ \underline{\phi_i''} \left[\sum_j W_{ij} \delta r_j + \sum_j V_{ij} f_j(\theta_0) + h_i \right] - \delta r_i$$

$$\delta r_i = \phi'_i \sum_j w_{ij} \delta r_j - \delta r_i + \phi'_i \left(\sum_j V_{ij} f_j(\theta_0) + h_i \right)$$

$$= \sum_j J_{ij}^{(\theta_0)} \delta r_j + S_i(\theta_0)$$

J_{ij} = Jacobian

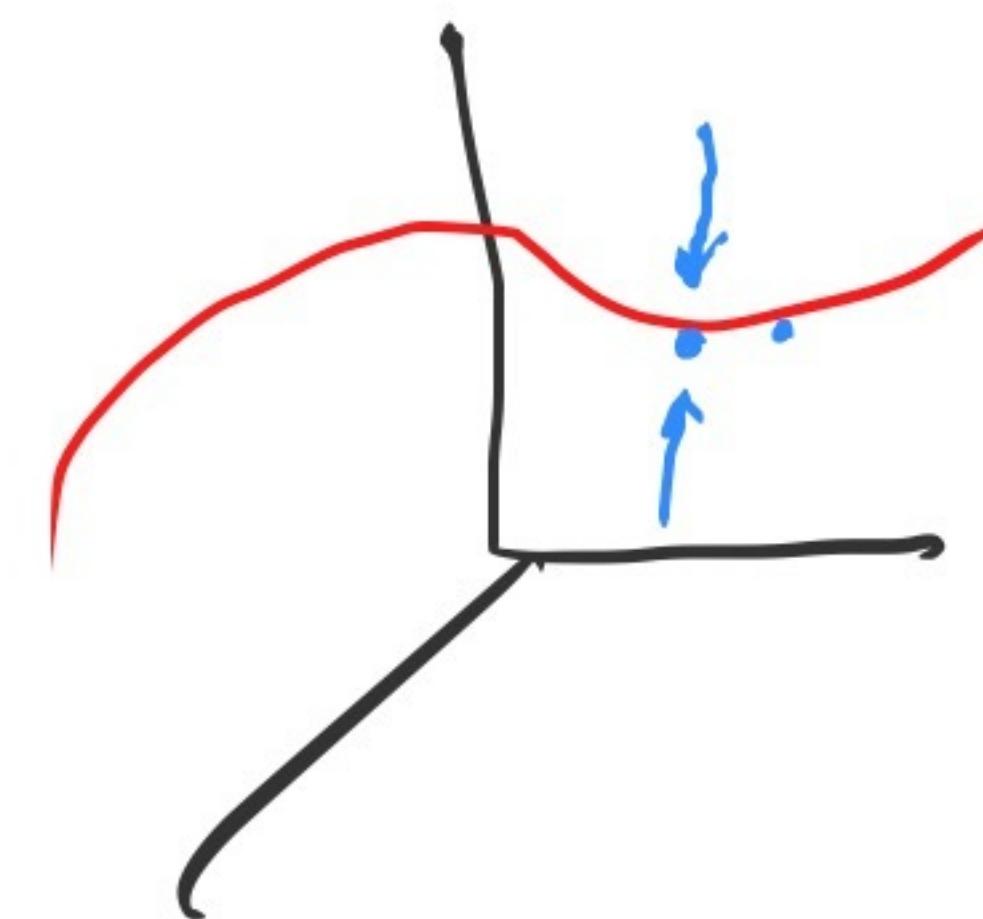
↓ Kronecker delta

 $= \phi'_i w_{ij} - \delta_{ij}$

= 1 $i=j$
0 $i \neq j$

$$S_i = \phi'_i \left[\sum_j V_{ij} f_j(\theta_0) + h_i \right]$$

$\delta \tilde{r} = \tilde{J} \cdot \delta \tilde{r} + \tilde{S}$



$$f_i(\theta) = \phi'_i \left(\sum_j w_{ij} f_j(\theta) \right)$$

$$\frac{df_i(\theta)}{d\theta} = \phi''_i \sum_j w_{ij} \frac{df_j(\theta)}{d\theta}$$

$$0 = \left[\phi''_i \sum_j w_{ij} - \delta_{ij} \right] \frac{df_j(\theta)}{d\theta}$$

$$J \cdot f' = 0$$

$$J \cdot v_k = \lambda_k v_k$$

$$v_k = f' \Rightarrow \lambda_k = 0$$

$$= \sum_j J_{ij} \phi''_j(\theta) = 0$$

eigenvector with eigenvalue = 0

$$\dot{J}_k^+ = \bar{J} \cdot \dot{J}_k^- + \Sigma$$

$$\dot{J}_k^{(t)} = \sum_k a_k^{(t)} V_k$$

$$\bar{J} \cdot V_k = J_k V_k$$

$$V_k^+ \cdot \bar{J} = \lambda_k V_k^+$$

$$V_k^+ \cdot V_e = J_{ke}$$

$$\sum_k \dot{a}_k V_k = \bar{J} \cdot \sum_k a_k V_k + \Sigma$$

$$V_e^+ \cdot \sum_k \dot{a}_k V_k = V_e^+ \sum_k a_k \lambda_k V_k + V_e^+ \cdot \Sigma$$

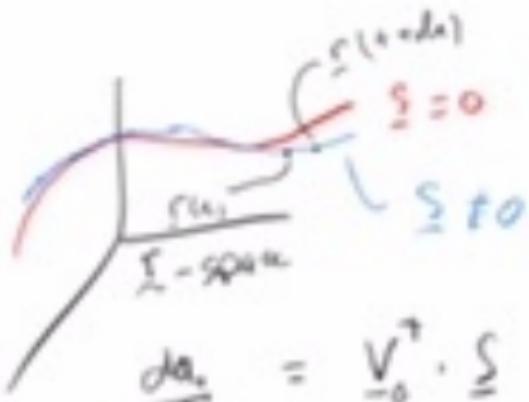
$$\dot{a}_e = \lambda_e a_e + V_e^+ \cdot \Sigma$$

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda_0 &= 0 \\ \lambda_{e>0} &< 0\end{aligned}$$

Asymptotically: $\lambda_{e>0} < 0$

$$a_e = \frac{V_e^+ \cdot \Sigma}{-\lambda_e}$$

$$\lambda_0 = 0$$



$$\frac{da_i}{dt} = V_0^T \cdot S$$

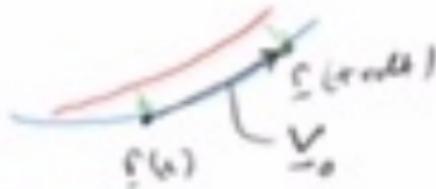
$$F_i = f_i(\underline{a}) + \frac{dF_i}{dt}$$

$$t = dx \quad a_i(x+dx) = dt \quad V_0^T \cdot S$$

$$S / dx + da_i V_0^T \cdot S = V_0 \cdot dx$$

$$\frac{dF_i}{dt} = \frac{dF_i}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{dF_i}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dF_i}{dt} = \frac{V_0^T \cdot S}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$$



$$a_i(t) = a_i(0) + t V_0^T \cdot S$$

$$a_i(t+dx) = a_i(t) + dx V_0^T \cdot S$$

$$a_i(t+dx) = 0$$

$$F_i(t+dx) = \left(\frac{f(x)}{a_i(x+dx)} \right) V_0^T \rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n a_i(x+dx) V_0^T$$

$\frac{dF_i}{dt} \rightarrow$ perturbations of the line equation

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{\underline{V}_0^T \cdot \underline{S}}{\underline{V}_0^T \cdot \underline{d}f/d\theta}$$

