

recap

$n \gg p$

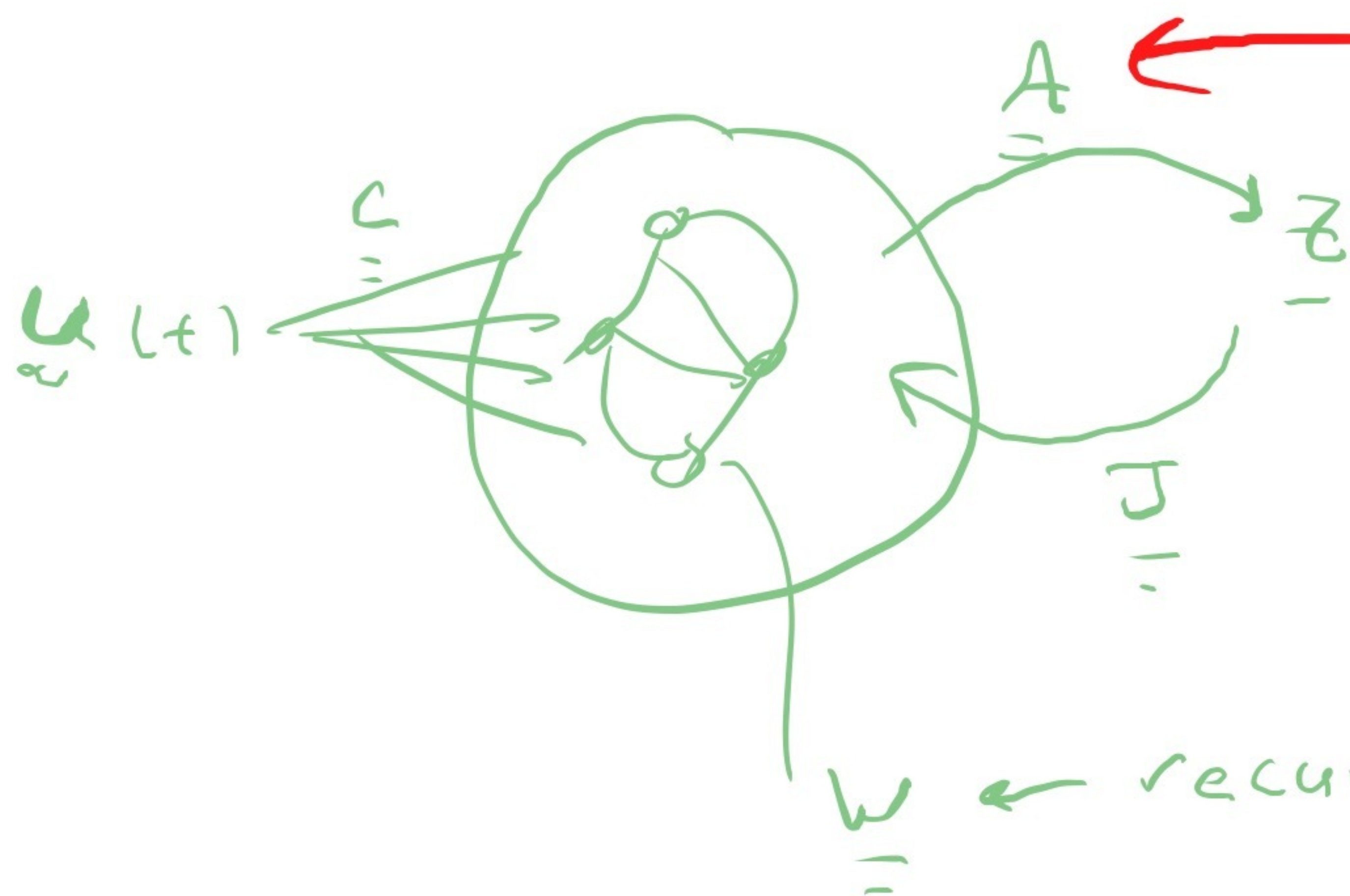
$$\tau \frac{dx_i}{dt} = \sum_{j=1}^n W_{ij} \phi(x_j) + \sum_m J_{im} z_m + \sum_n C_{in} u_n$$

feedback
control

$$z_m = \sum_{i=1}^p A_{mi} \phi(x_i)$$

↑ want to achieve a target $z_m^*(t)$

wide nonlinear network

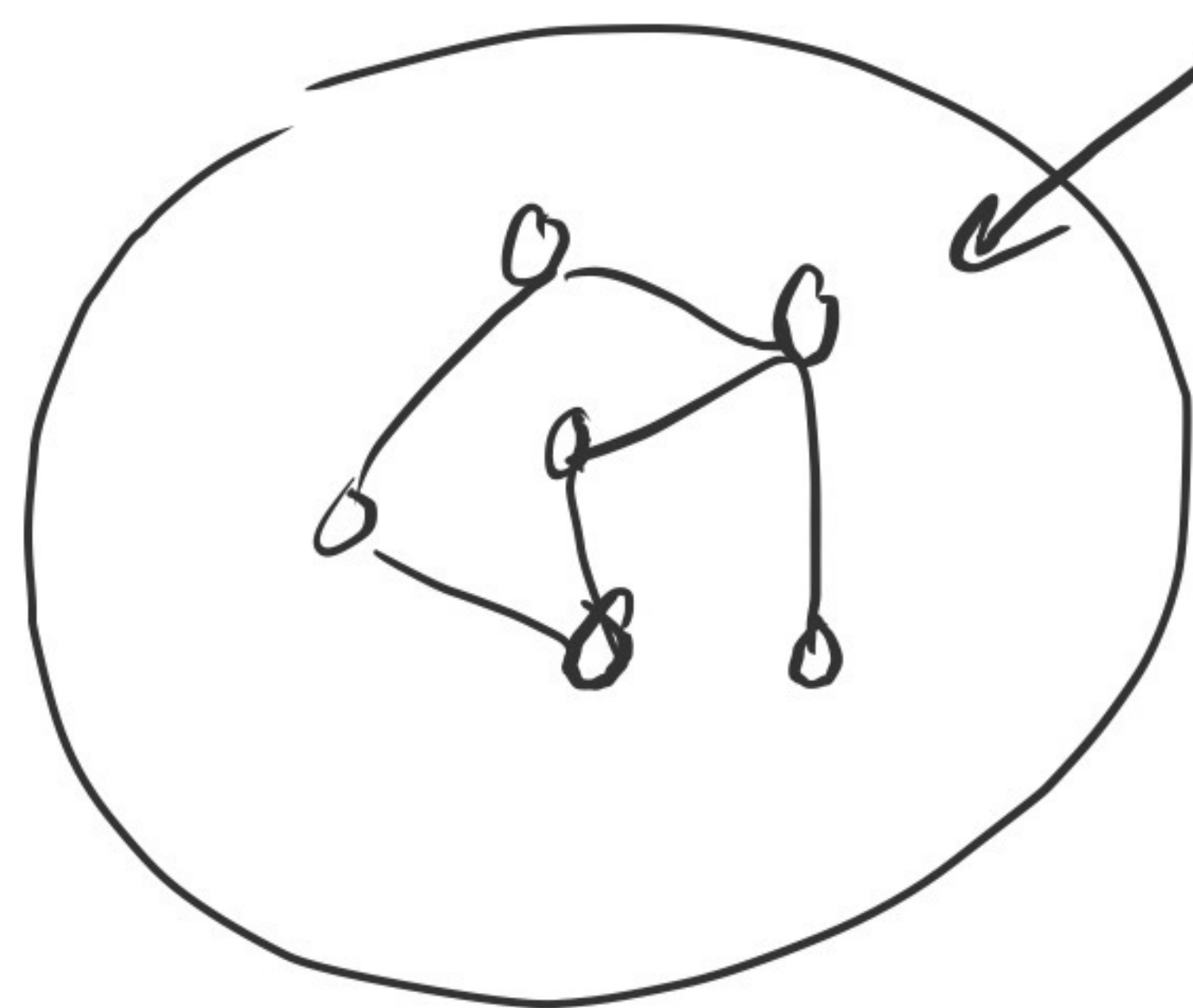


Train only A

$\underline{W} = 0$ (no recurrent connectivity)

$$\tau \frac{d\tilde{z}_m}{dt} = \sum_i A_{mi} \phi \left(\sum_j J_{ij} \tilde{z}_j + \sum_v C_{iv} \bar{u}_v \right) - \tilde{z}_m$$

$$\tau \frac{d\tilde{z}_m}{dt} + \tilde{z}_m = z_m$$



recurrent network

- recurrent weights are plastic

- how do we train recurrent weights?

$$\tau \dot{X}_i = \sum_j W_{ij} \phi(X_j) + h_i(t) - X_i$$

Control signal
+ feedback from z

$$z = \sum_i A_i \phi(X_i)$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} \int dt (z^* - z)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \int dt (z^* - \sum_i A_i \phi(X_i))^2$$

minimize loss with respect to W_{ij} and A_i
hard
easy

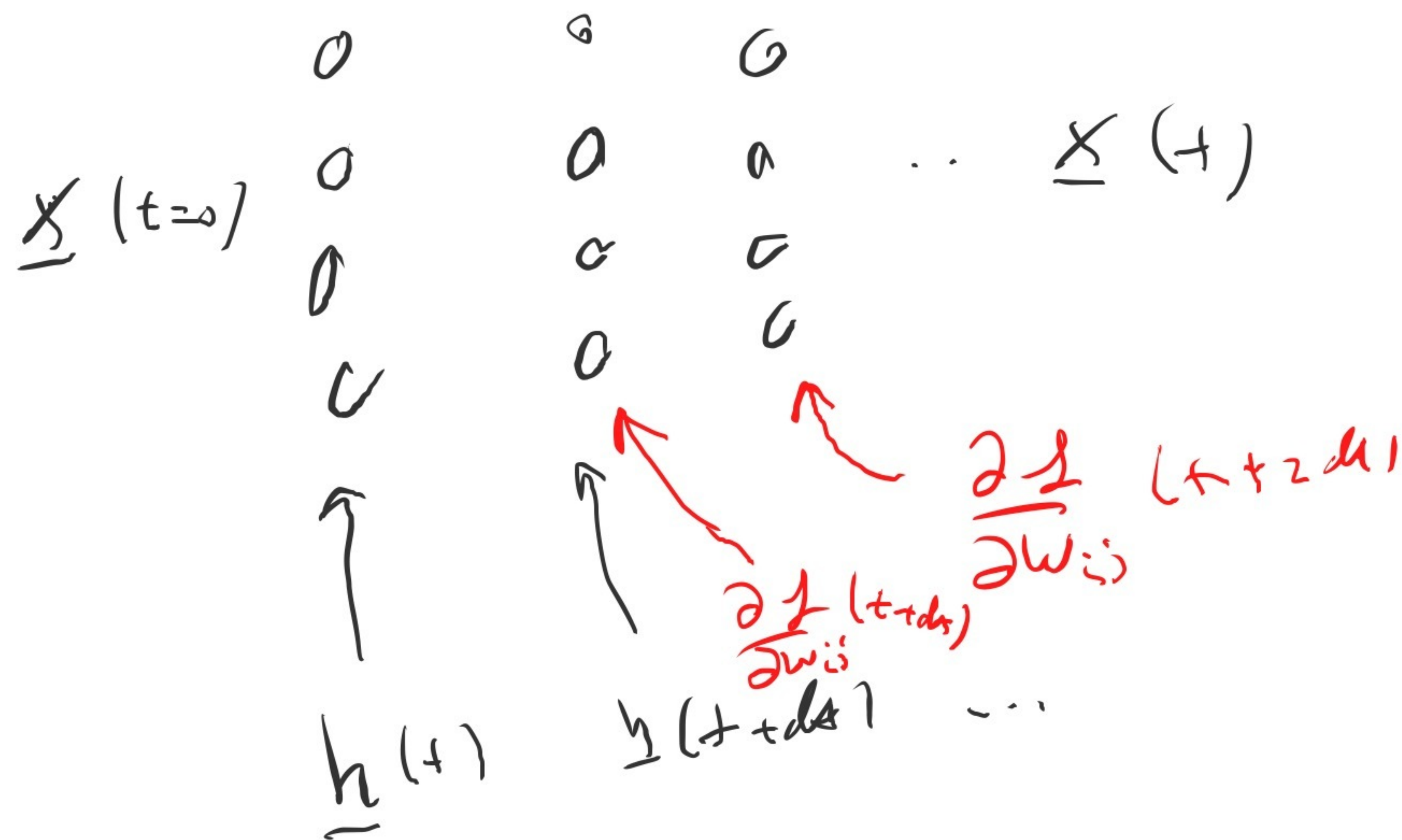
- discretize time

$$X_i(t+dt) = X_i(t) \left(1 - \frac{dt}{\tau}\right) + \frac{dt}{\tau} \left[\sum_j W_{ij} \phi(x_j) + b_i \right]$$

Compute

$\frac{\partial L}{\partial W_{ij}}$: compute via
backprop

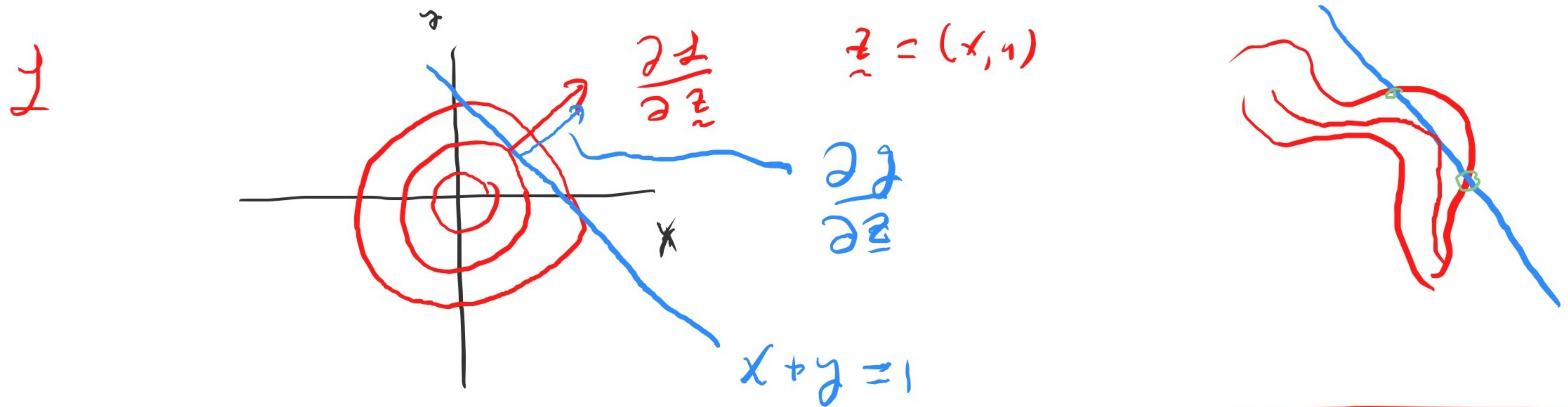
↑
feedforward network
with tied weights



Lagrange multipliers

minimize $\frac{x^2 + y^2}{2} = f(x, y)$

subject to $x + y = 1$ $g(x, y) = x + y - 1$



At the minimum,
extremum gradient of loss and gradient
of constraint are parallel

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial z} + \lambda \frac{\partial g}{\partial z} = 0$$

↑ scalar variable to be determined

$$g(x, y) = ax + by - c$$

$$x + \lambda \geq 0$$

$$y + \lambda \geq 0$$

$$x = y = -\lambda$$

$$x + \lambda a \geq 0$$

$$y + \lambda b \geq 0$$

$$ax + by = c$$

$$g(x, y) = x + y - 1 = 0 = -2\lambda - 1 = 0 \quad \lambda = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$f(\underline{x})$$

$$\text{s.t. } g_1(\underline{x}) = 0, \quad g_2(\underline{x}) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \underline{x}} + \lambda_1 \frac{\partial g_1}{\partial \underline{x}} + \lambda_2 \frac{\partial g_2}{\partial \underline{x}} = 0$$

$$\underline{x} \sim \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\hookrightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\partial}{\partial \underline{x}} [f + \lambda_1 g_1 + \lambda_2 g_2] = 0 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda_1} [f + \lambda_1 g_1 + \lambda_2 g_2] = 0 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda_2} [f + \lambda_1 g_1 + \lambda_2 g_2] = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

n eqns. , $n+2$ unknowns

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} g_1 = 0 \\ g_2 = 0 \end{array} \right\} \text{ 2 more equations}$$

$$\tau \frac{d\underline{x}}{dt} = \underline{w} \cdot \phi(\underline{x}) + \underline{b} - \underline{x}$$

$$\underline{z} = \underline{A} \cdot \underline{x}$$

$$\mathcal{J} = \frac{1}{2} \int dt \left(\underline{z}^*_{(t)} - \underline{A} \cdot \underline{x}(t) \right)^2$$

$$+ \int dt \lambda(t) \cdot \left[\tau \frac{d\underline{x}}{dt} + \underline{x} - \underline{w} \cdot \phi(\underline{x}) - \underline{b} \right]$$

↑ Lagrange multipliers

Minimize $\mathcal{J}$ w.r.t. $\underline{A}, \underline{w}$

Set $\frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial \underline{x}} = 0$

S.T. $[\quad] = 0$

$\frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial \underline{\tau}} = 0$

$$\dot{x} = -w x$$

$$x(t=0) = 1$$

minimize $\frac{1}{2} \int_0^T dt (f(t) - A x(t))^2$

Lagrange
multiplier

$$\mathcal{J} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T dt (f(t) - A x(t))^2 + \int_0^T dt \lambda(t) (\dot{x} + w x)$$

$$\dot{w} = -\gamma \frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial w}$$

$$\dot{A} = -\gamma \frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial A}$$

slow update rules
(easy)

enforce:

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial \lambda(t)} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial x(t)} = 0$$

enforces constraints

gradients of loss parallel to
gradients of constraints

$$\mathcal{J} = \mathcal{J}(A, w, x(0), x(dt), x(2dt), \dots, \lambda(t), \lambda(2t), \dots)$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial \lambda(t)} = 0$$

each param

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda(t)} \int_0^T dt' \lambda(t') (\dot{x}(t') + \omega x(t')) \quad \text{functional derivative}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda(t)} = \dot{x}(t) + \omega x(t) = 0$$

$$\lambda \frac{d}{dt} x = \frac{d}{dt} (\lambda x) - \frac{d\lambda}{dt} x$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda(t)} \left[\int_0^T dt' -\dot{\lambda}(t') x(t') + \omega \lambda(t') x(t') + \lambda(T)x(T) - \lambda(0)x(0) \right] = \int_0^T dt' \lambda(t') \dot{x}(t') + \int_0^T dt' \frac{d}{dt'} (\lambda(t') x(t')) - \dot{\lambda}(t') x(t')$$

$t \neq T$

$t = T$

$$-\dot{\lambda} + \omega \lambda = \frac{d}{dt} (\lambda x) = \lambda(T)x(T) - \lambda(0)x(0) - \int_0^T dt' \dot{\lambda}(t') x(t')$$

$\lambda(T) = 0$

Integrate by parts in time

$$\frac{2}{\partial x(t)} \sum_{t'=0}^t \left[-\dot{\lambda}(t') x(t') + \omega \lambda(t') x(t') + \frac{1}{2} (f(t') - A x(t'))^2 \right] dt' + x(t) \lambda(t) - x(0) \lambda(0)$$

$$\frac{2}{\partial x(t)} = \frac{\lambda(t)}{dt} + \left[-\dot{\lambda} + \omega \lambda - (f - A x) A \right] \frac{dt}{dt} \approx \lambda(t)$$

$$\frac{d\lambda}{dt} = \omega \lambda - A (f(t) - A x(t))$$

linearized dynamics

$$\lambda(T=0) = 0$$

$$\gamma \dot{\underline{x}} = \underline{w} \cdot \phi(\underline{x}) + \underline{h}(t) - \underline{x} \quad \leftarrow \underline{x}(t=0) = \underline{x}_0$$

$$\mathcal{J} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^T dt' (\underline{z}^*(t') - \underline{A} \cdot \underline{x}(t'))^2 + \int_0^T dt' \underline{\lambda}(t') \cdot [\gamma \dot{\underline{x}} + \underline{x} - \underline{w} \cdot \phi - \underline{h}]$$

$$0 = \frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial \underline{\lambda}(t)} = \gamma \dot{\underline{x}} + \underline{x} - \underline{w} \cdot \phi(\underline{x}) - \underline{h}(t) = 0$$

$$\int dt' \underline{\lambda} \cdot \frac{d\underline{x}}{dt} = \int dt' \left[\frac{d}{dt'} (\underline{\lambda} \cdot \underline{x}) - \frac{d\underline{\lambda}}{dt'} \cdot \underline{x} \right]$$

$$= \underline{\lambda}(T) \cdot \underline{x}(T) - \underline{\lambda}(0) \cdot \underline{x}(0)$$

$$\mathcal{J} = \frac{1}{2} \int dt' (\dot{z}^*(t') - \underline{A} \cdot \underline{x}(t'))^2 + \left[\underline{\lambda}(T) \cdot \underline{x}(T) - \underline{\lambda}(0) \cdot \underline{x}(0) \right] \tau$$

$$+ \int_0^T dt' \left[-\dot{\underline{\lambda}} \cdot \underline{x}(t') \tau + \underline{\lambda} \cdot \left[\underline{x} - \underline{w} \cdot \phi(\underline{x}) - \underline{h}(t') \right] \right]$$

$$0 = \frac{\partial \mathcal{J}}{\partial \underline{x}} = -\underline{A} \left(\dot{z}^*(t) - \underline{A} \cdot \underline{x}(t) \right)$$

$$+ \left[-\dot{\underline{\lambda}} \tau + \underline{\lambda}(t) \cdot \underline{w} \cdot \phi'(\underline{x}) \right] = 0$$

$$\tau \dot{\underline{\lambda}} = \underline{x} \cdot \left[\underline{\lambda} \cdot \underline{w} \cdot \phi'(\underline{x}) \right] - \underline{A} \left(\dot{z}^*(t) - \underline{A} \cdot \underline{x}(t) \right)$$



linearized dynamics (integrating backwards in time)

$$\underline{\lambda}(t=T) = 0$$

$$\dot{\underline{A}} = -\gamma \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \underline{A}} = \gamma \int dt' (z^*(t') - \underline{A} \cdot \underline{x}(t')) \underline{x}(t')$$

$$\dot{\underline{w}} = -\gamma \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial \underline{w}} = \gamma \int dt' \lambda(t') \phi(\underline{x}(t'))$$

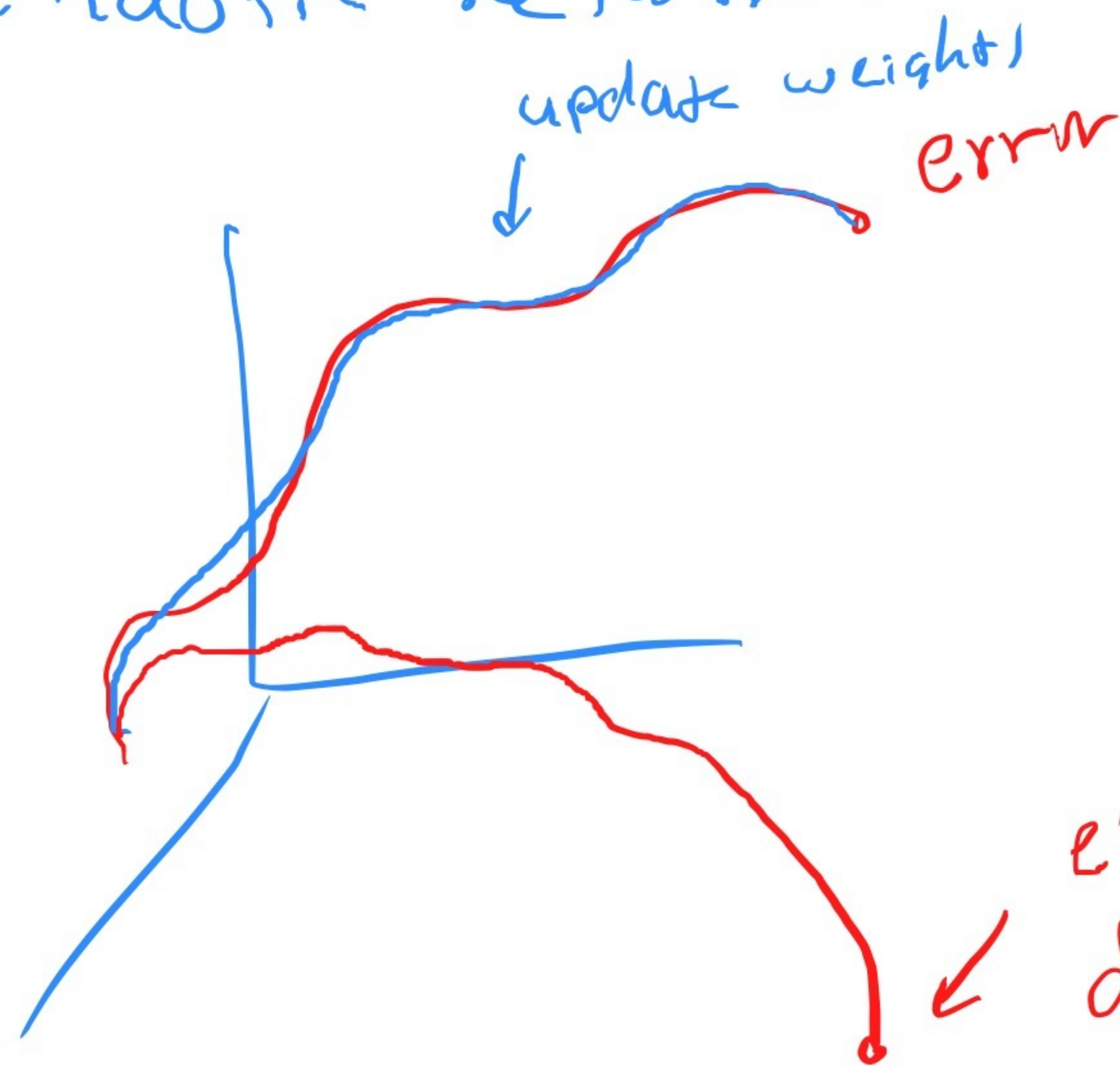
$$\frac{d\underline{\lambda}}{dt} = \left[\right]$$

entirely non-trivial

Summarize

- problem faced by the brain ^{we believe} is to update recurrent weights.
- that's hard: change weights, and that affects the future.
- BPTT: run into the future, backprop the error

Chaotic network:



- BPTT can't deal with long time
- "long" depends on how chaotic
- clearly not biologically plausible

- Slight change of gears
- local learning rules

$$\tau \dot{V}_i = \underbrace{\phi\left(\sum_j W_{ij} V_j\right) - V_i}$$

local learning rule:

$$\Delta W_{ij} = \underline{f(V_i, V_j)}$$

is there a function that can produce "good" weights?

$$\Delta W_{ij} = f\left(f^{-1}\phi\left(\sum_k W_{ik} V_k(t)\right), V_j(t)\right)$$

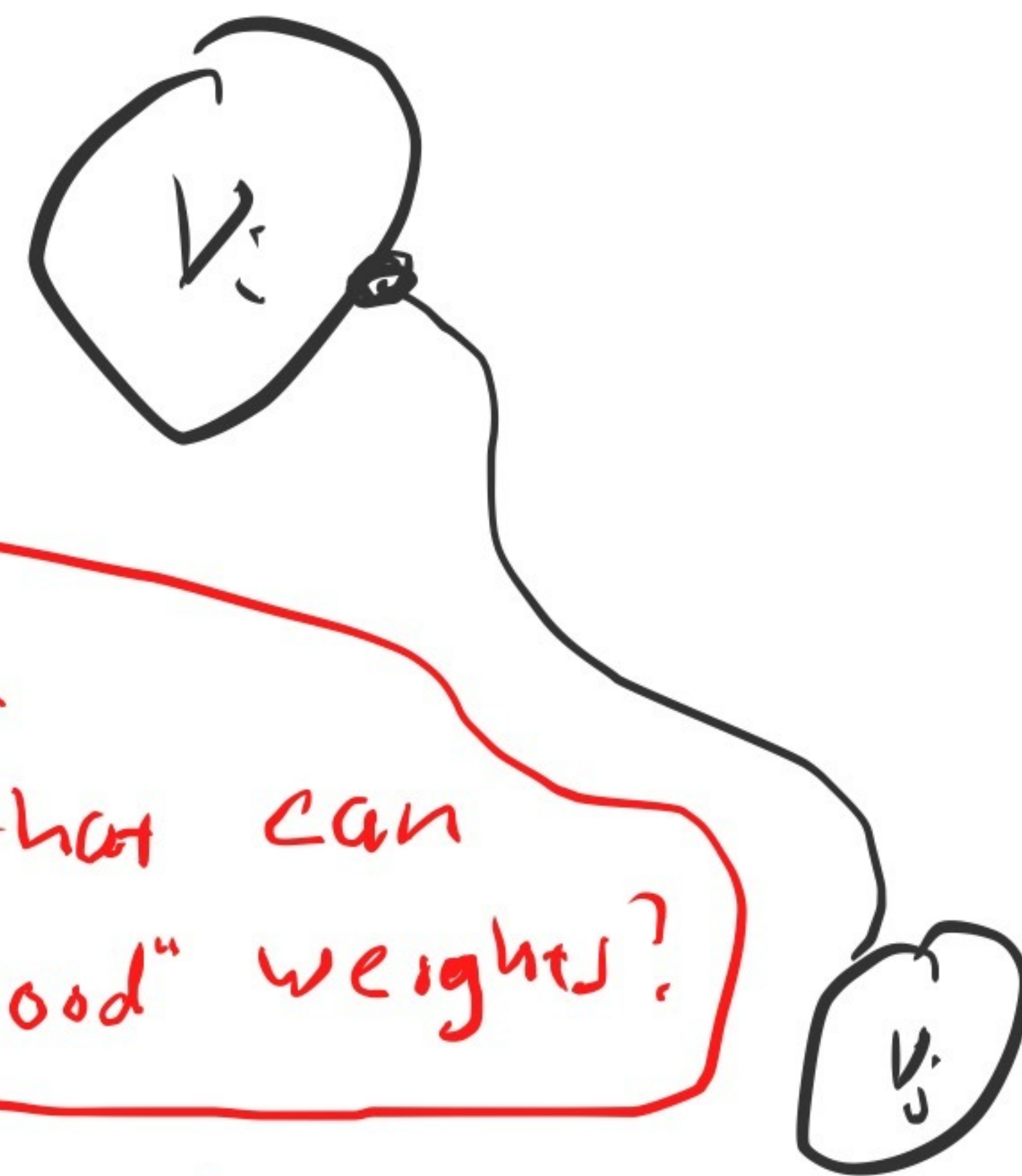
$$\Delta W_{ij} = \tilde{f}(\text{all the weights})$$

function of weights

$$f V_i = \phi\left(\sum_j W_{ij} V_j\right) \Rightarrow V_i = \underline{f^{-1}\phi\left(\sum_k W_{ik} V_k(t)\right)}$$

$$\tau \rightarrow 0 \quad f^{-1}(\phi) = \phi$$

← several time constants into the part



$$\cancel{V_i^{l+1} = \sum_j \cancel{w_{ij}^l} V_j^l}$$

discrete sampler: V_j in

$$y = \sum_j w_{ij}^l x_j - V_j^l$$

learning rule: $\dot{w}_i = y x_i$

(Hebb rule)

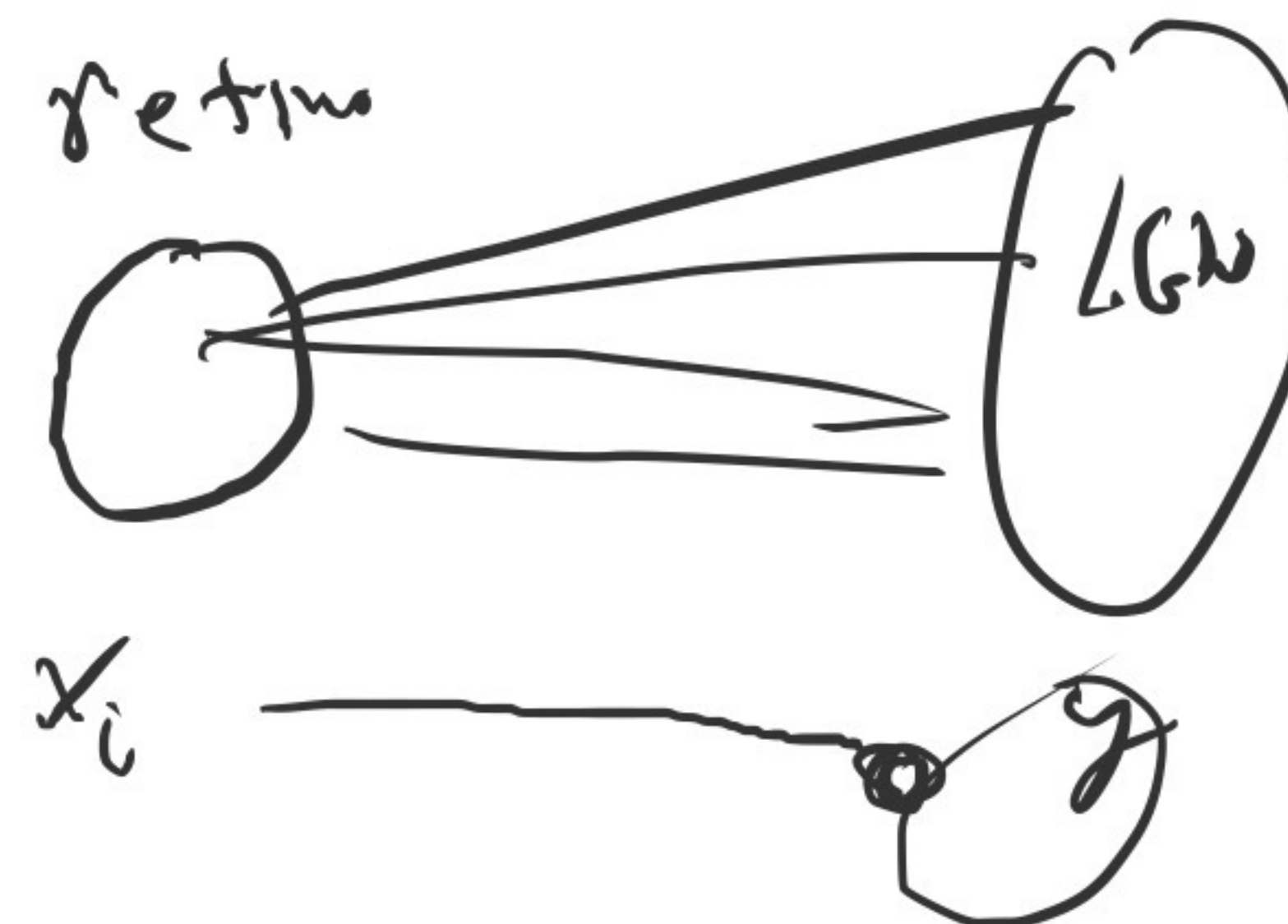
averaged over lots of x_i 's

$$\dot{w}_i = \sum_j w_j x_j x_i$$

average $\hookrightarrow C_{ji}$

$$\dot{w}_i = \sum_j w_j \langle x_j x_i \rangle$$

$$\underline{\dot{w}} = \underline{C} \cdot \underline{w}$$



$$\underline{w} = \sum_k a_k \underline{v}_k$$

$$\underline{C} \cdot \underline{v}_k = \lambda_k \underline{v}_k$$

$$\underline{v}_k \cdot \underline{v}_e = \underline{\delta_{ke}}$$

$$\dot{\underline{w}} = \dot{a}_e \underline{v}_e = \underline{C} \cdot \sum_k a_k \underline{v}_k = \sum_k a_k \underline{C} \cdot \underline{v}_k = \sum_k a_k \lambda_k \underline{v}_k$$

$$\dot{a}_e = \lambda_e a_e \quad a_e(t) = a_e(0) e^{\lambda_e t}$$

at long times, dominated
by largest eigenvalue
of covariance matrix

- picks out structure in
the input

w $\rightarrow \infty$

fixed by Oja's rule

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next time:

- Oja's rule
- feed forward networks
 - attempts to make them biologically plausible

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