



基于脉冲神经网络的编码和算法

新加坡国立大学
张马路
2022年1月

01

研究背景和意义

-

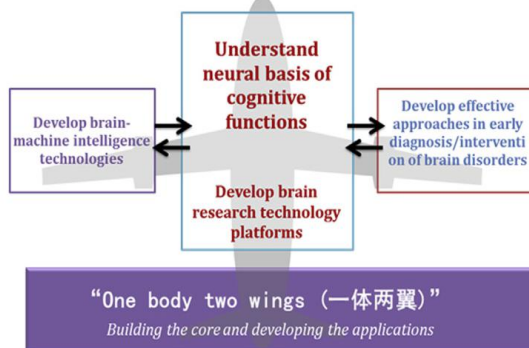
- ## 摩尔定律逐渐失效

背景需求 Background

- 类脑计算深入借鉴大脑信息处理的规律，是提升智能模型性能和打破现有计算体系瓶颈的重要方案，蕴含着重大创新的可能性。



中国脑计划 (2021-)

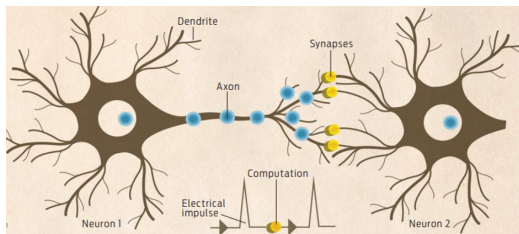


中华人民共和国科学技术部
Ministry of Science and Technology of the People's Republic of China

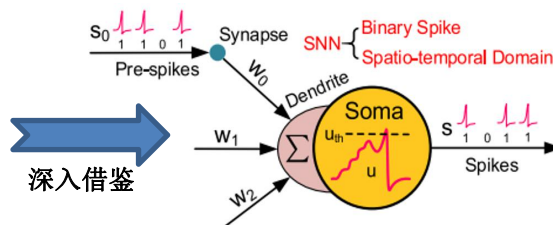
科技创新 2030—“脑科学与类脑研究”
重大项目 2021 年度项目申报指南

中国脑计划，首批拨款31.48亿
未来五年拨款190亿。

- 类脑计算包含芯片和软件算法，其中脉冲神经网络 (Spiking Neural Networks, SNNs) 是软件算法的核心。



生物神经元

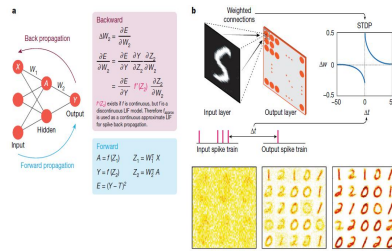
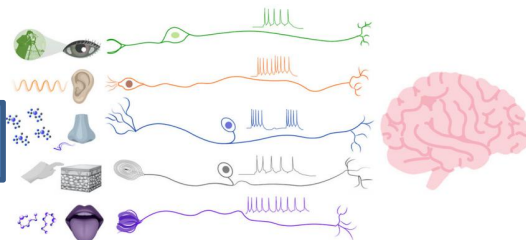


深入借鉴

脉冲神经元

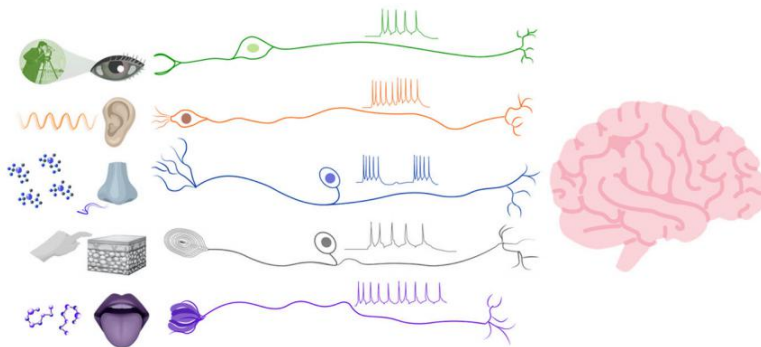
编码?

算法?

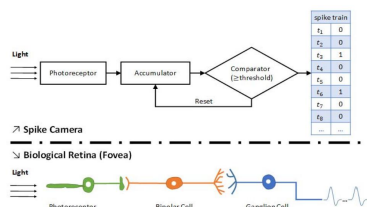


类脑脉冲时空编码

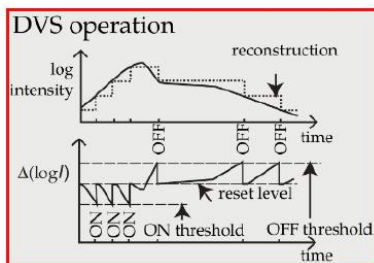
- 在现实生活环境中，大脑通过多种感觉器官（眼睛、耳朵、皮肤等）接收复杂且快速时变的多模态信息。如何对这些异质的多模态信息进行有效的脉冲时空编码，对后续脉冲神经网络模型的学习、推理和认知具有重大影响。



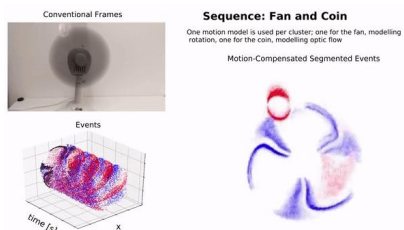
➤ 视觉



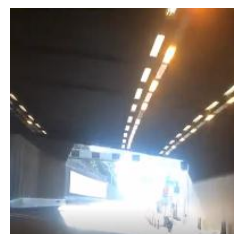
积分型



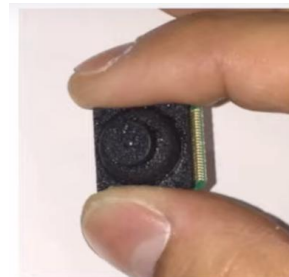
差分型



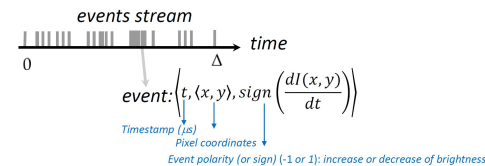
高时域分辨率



高动态范围



低功耗

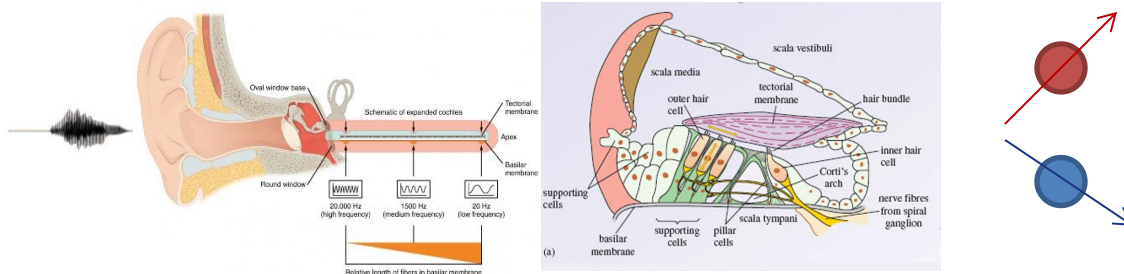


异步输出

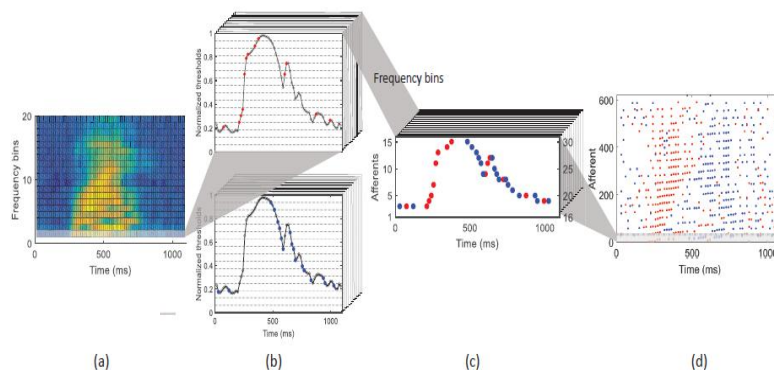
编码1: 基于语音识别任务的类脑脉冲时空编码

➤ 基于语音识别任务的类脑脉冲时空编码方案。

- 大脑听觉前端



- 类脑语音编码



基于识别任务的脉冲时空编码方案

编码1: 基于语音识别任务的类脑脉冲时空编码

➤ 基于语音识别任务的类脑脉冲时空编码方案。

在语音数据集TIDIGITS上的测试结果

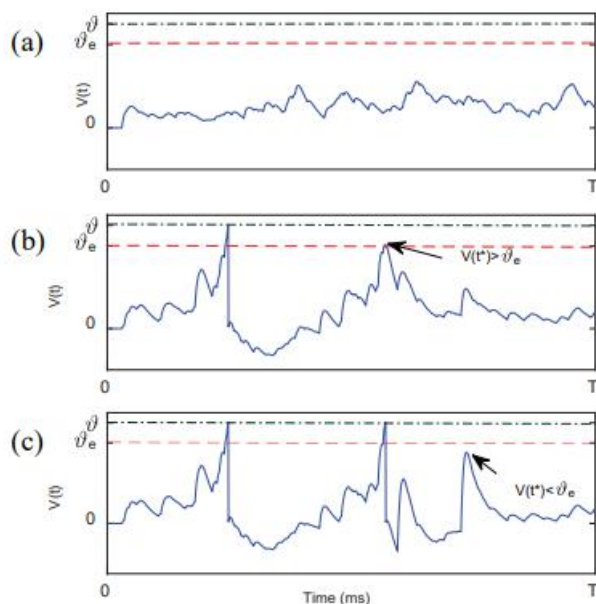


Table 1: Comparison of the proposed framework against other baseline frameworks.

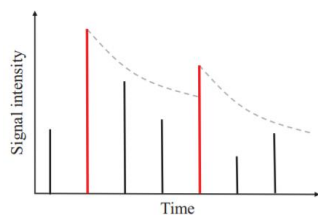
Model	Accuracy
Single-layer SNN and SVM (Tavanaei and Maida 2017b)	91.00%
Spiking CNN and HMM (Tavanaei and Maida 2017a)	96.00%
AER Silicon Cochlea and SVM (Abdollahi and Liu 2011)	95.58%
Auditory Spectrogram and SVM (Abdollahi and Liu 2011)	78.73%
AER Silicon Cochlea and Deep RNN (Neil and Liu 2016)	96.10%
Liquid State Machine (Zhang et al. 2015)	92.30%
MPD-AL with $N_d = 3$	95.35%
MPD-AL with Dynamic Decoding	97.52%

"MPD-AL: an efficient membrane potential driven learning algorithm for SN." *AAAI-2019*.

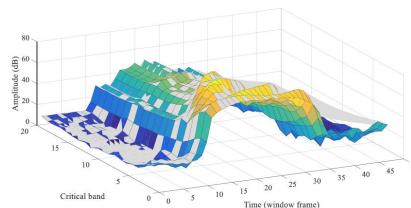
编码1: 基于语音识别任务的类脑脉冲时空编码

➤ 基于语音识别任务的类脑脉冲时空编码方案。

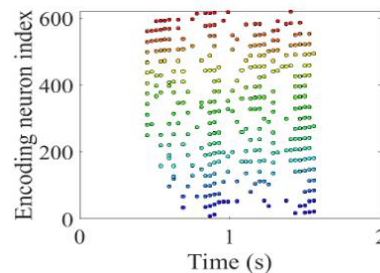
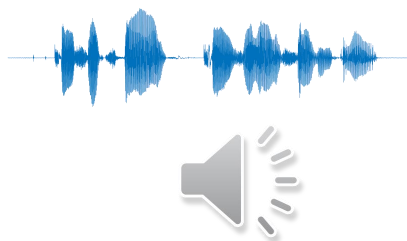
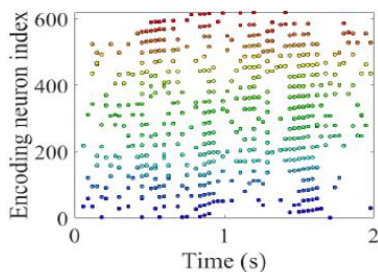
- 听觉掩码机制



时间掩码



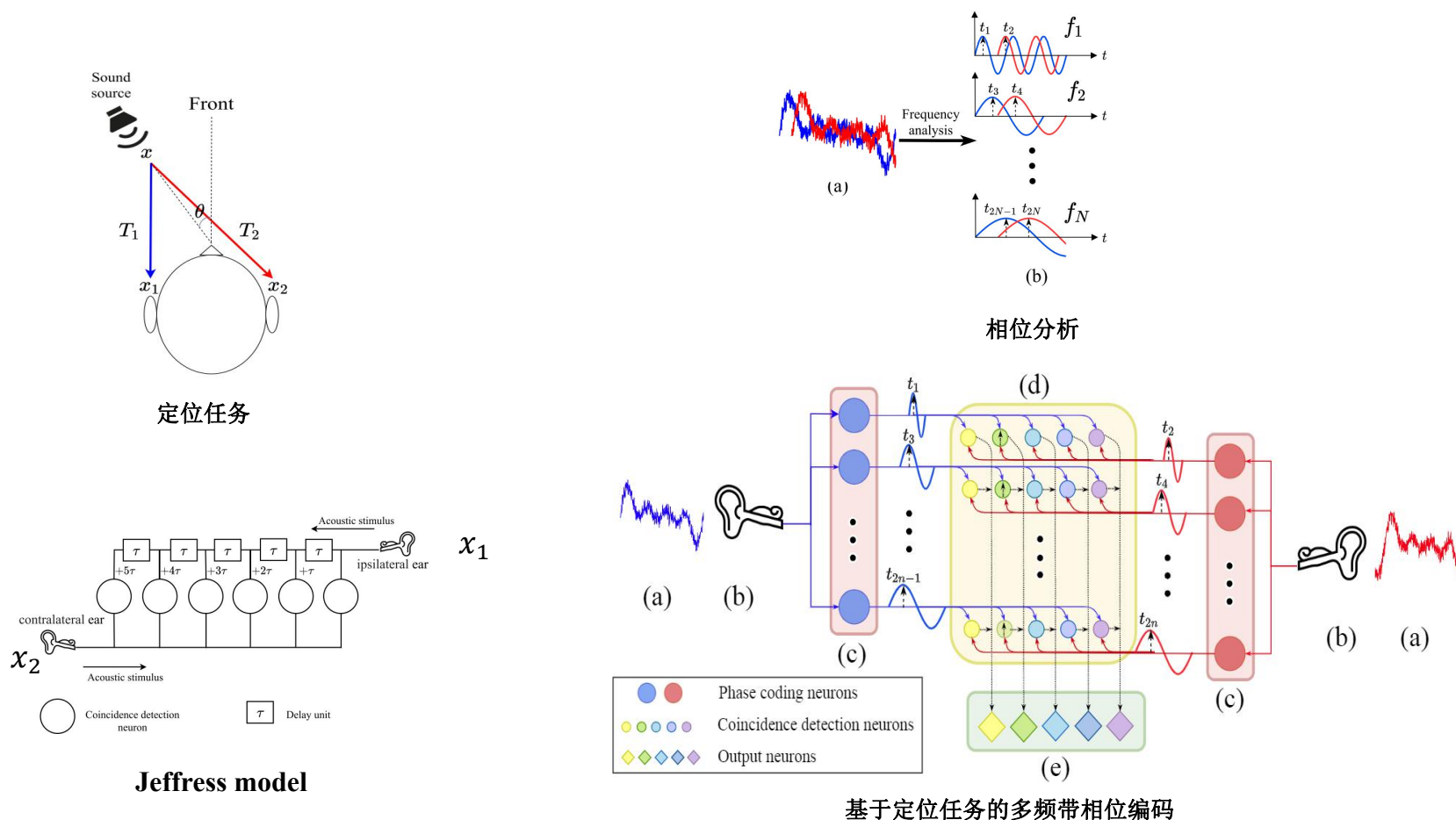
频率掩码



[2] "An efficient and perceptually motivated auditory neural encoding and decoding algorithm for spiking neural networks." Frontiers in neuroscience 13 (2020): 1420.

编码2: 基于声源定位任务的类脑脉冲时空编码

➤ 基于声源定位任务的类脑脉冲时空编码方案。

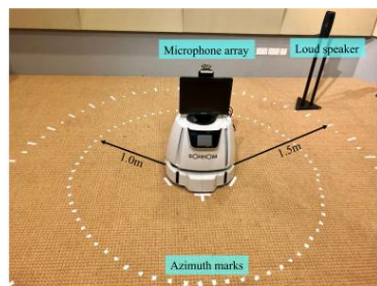
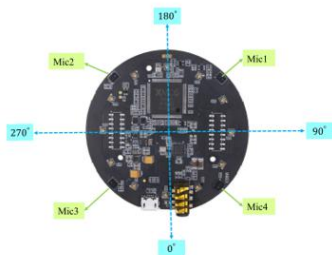


Multi-Tone Phase Coding of Interaural Time Difference for Sound Source Localization With Spiking Neural Networks. IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio, Speech, and Language Processing, 29, 2656-2670.

编码2: 基于声源定位任务的类脑脉冲时空编码

➤ 基于声源定位任务的类脑脉冲时空编码方案。

• 实验环境

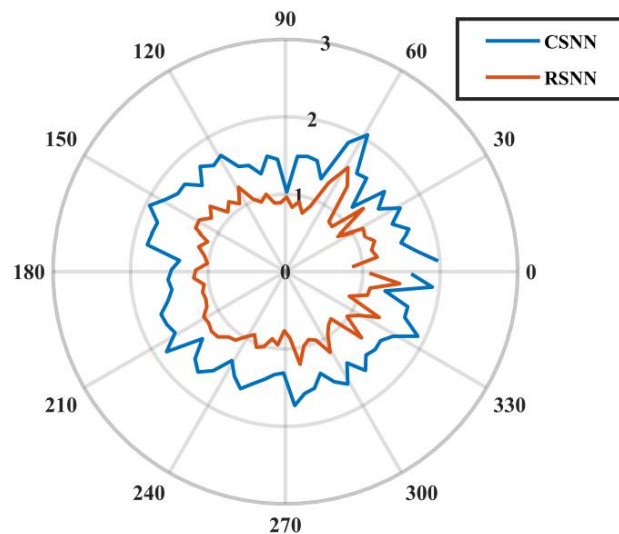
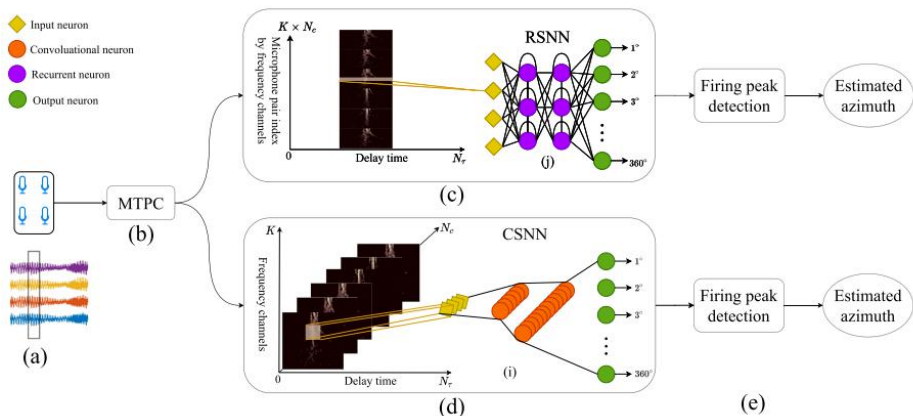


• 实验结果

TABLE VII
A COMPARISON OF MAE BETWEEN MTPC-SNN AND OTHER COMPETITIVE SOUND SOURCE LOCALIZATION TECHNIQUES

Computational model	MAE (1.5m)	MAE (1.0m)
MTPC-CSNN [55]	1.61	4.84
MTPC-RSNN [44]	1.02	4.09
MTPC-CNN [56]	1.20	4.06
MTPC-LSTM [57]	0.41	3.89
GCC-Phat + CNN [52]	1.57	4.38
MUSIC [54]	2.35	3.79

• 计算模型



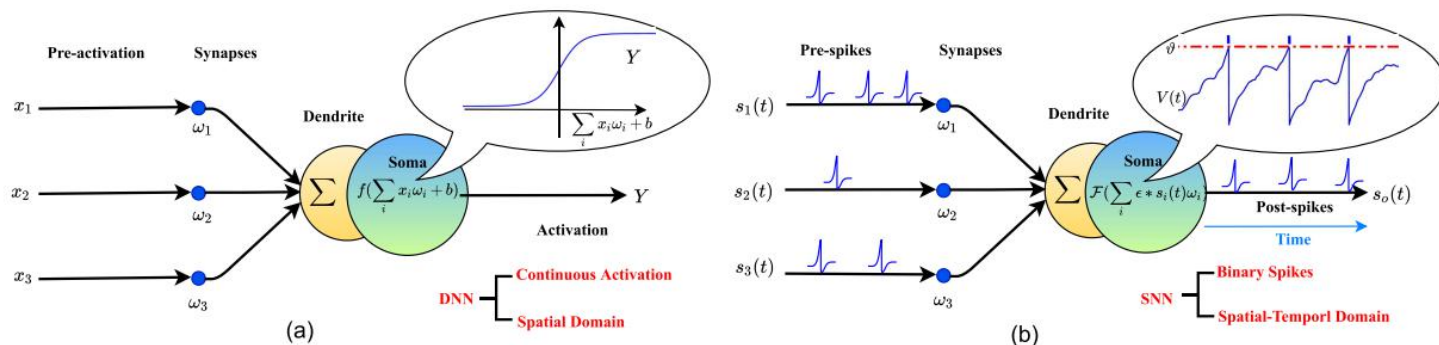
编码2: 基于声源定

➤ 基于声源定位任务的类



基于脉冲神经网络的算法

- 脉冲神经网络具有复杂的时序依赖关系且脉冲激发函数不可导，因此如何高效训练脉冲神经网络一直是一个研究热点。



单个神经元

三层神经网络

深度神经网络

ANN-SNN

代理梯度

脉冲驱动BP

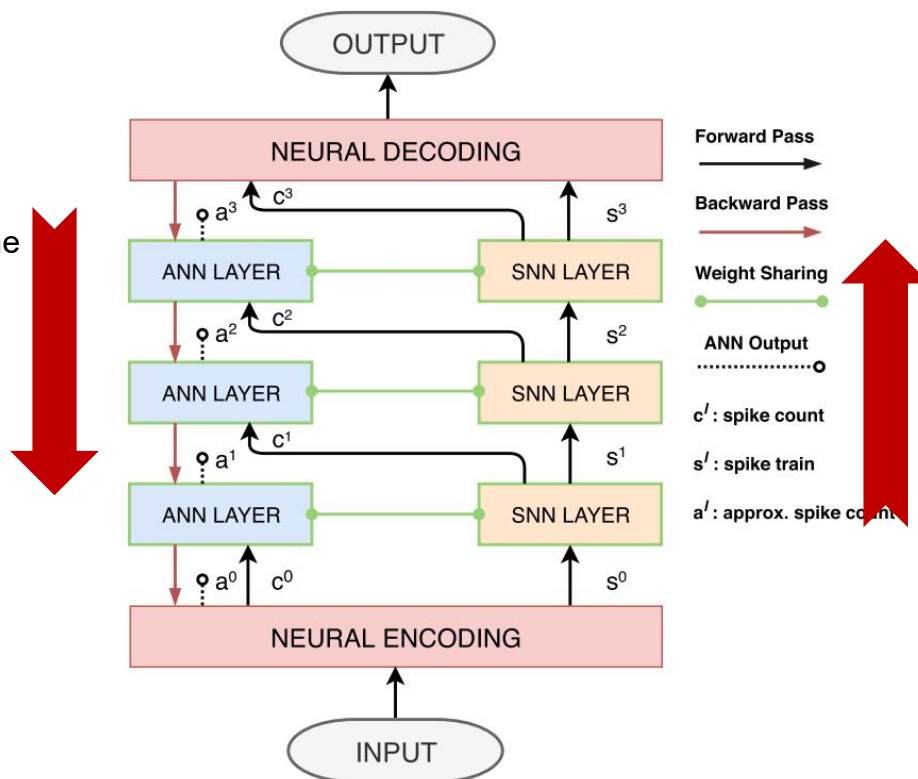
等

算法1: 基于深度脉冲神经网络的学习算法-Tandem Learning

➤ 异构融合的学习策略-Tandem Learning

Backward Pass

Approximate the gradient of the coupled SNN layers with the weight-sharing ANN.

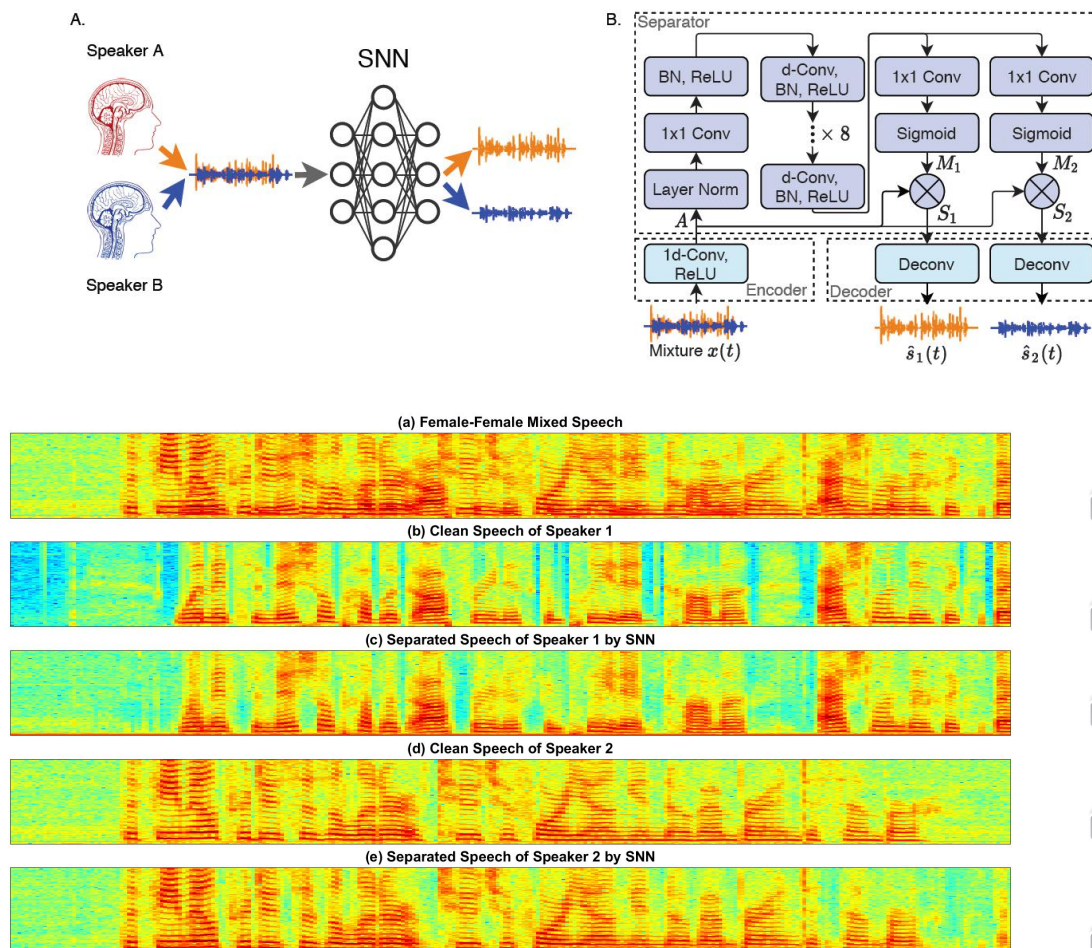


Forward Pass

Exact spike representation determined from the SNN layers

算法1: 基于深度脉冲神经网络的学习算法-Tandem Learning

➤ 实验结果。



"Progressive tandem learning for pattern recognition with deep spiking neural networks." IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (2021).

算法2: 基于脉冲时间信息的误差反传算法 STDBP

• 基于脉冲时间信息的误差反传算法 STDBP (Spike-Timing-Dependent BP)

问题分析:

以脉冲驱动的方式进行权重更新，具有更高的学习效率；适用于时间编码，能充分利用脉冲神经网络的时间信息。

- 脉冲发放函数不可微分

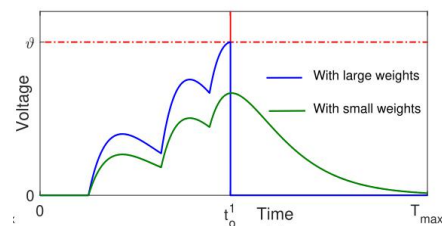
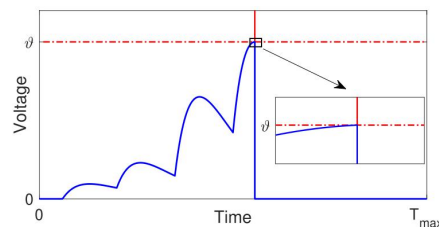
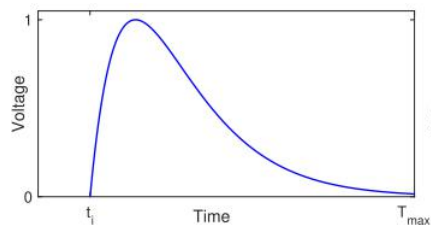
$$t_j^l = \mathcal{F}\{t | V_j^l(t) = \vartheta, t \geq 0\}$$

$$\frac{\partial t_j^l}{\partial V_j^l(t_j^l)}$$

- 梯度爆炸

$$\frac{\partial t_j^l}{\partial V_j^l(t_j^l)} = \frac{-1}{\partial V_j^l(t_j^l) / \partial t_j^l}$$

- ‘静默’神经元



算法2: 基于脉冲驱动的误差反传算法 STDBP

• 基于脉冲时间信息的误差反传算法 STDBP (Spike-Timing-Dependent BP)

问题分析:

以脉冲驱动的方式进行权重更新，具有更高的学习效率；适用于时间编码，能充分利用脉冲神经网络的时间信息。

- 脉冲发放函数不可微分

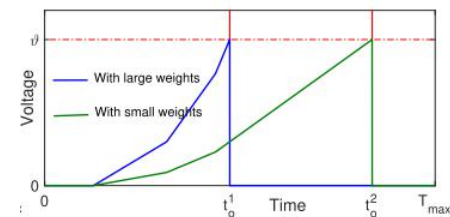
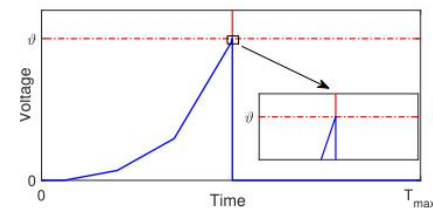
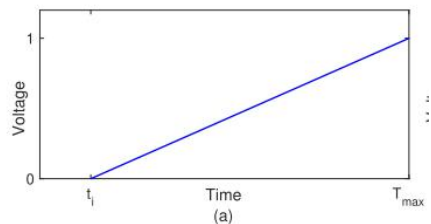
$$t_j^l = \mathcal{F}\{t | V_j^l(t) = \vartheta, t \geq 0\}$$

$$\frac{\partial t_j^l}{\partial V_j^l(t_j^l)}$$

- 梯度爆炸

$$\frac{\partial t_j^l}{\partial V_j^l(t_j^l)} = \frac{-1}{\partial V_j^l(t_j^l) / \partial t_j^l}$$

- ‘静默’神经元



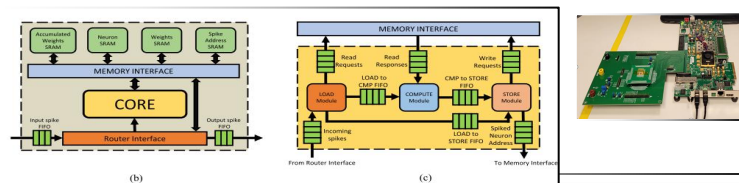
算法2: 基于脉冲时间信息的误差反传算法 STDBP

➤ 基于脉冲时间信息的误差反传算法 STDBP (Spike-Timing-Dependent BP)

• 实验结果

TABLE I
CLASSIFICATION ACCURACIES OF EXISTING SPIKE-DRIVEN LEARNING ALGORITHMS ON THE MNIST DATASET. WE USE THE FOLLOWING NOTATION TO INDICATE THE SNN ARCHITECTURE. LAYERS ARE SEPARATED BY—AND SPATIAL DIMENSIONS ARE SEPARATED BY ×. THE CONVOLUTION LAYER AND POOLING LAYER ARE REPRESENTED BY C AND P, RESPECTIVELY

Model	Coding	Network Architecture	Additional Strategy	Acc. (%)
Mostafa [36]	Temporal	784-800-10	Weight and Gradient Constraint	97.5
Tavanaei et al [67]	Rate	784-1000-10	None	96.6
Comsa et al [49]	Temporal	784-340-10	Weight and Gradient Constraint	97.9
Kheradpisheh et al [48]	Temporal	784-400-10	Weight Constraint	97.4
ANN	Rate	784-800-10	None	98.6
STDBP (This work)	Temporal	784-340-10	None	98.0
STDBP (This work)	Temporal	784-400-10	None	98.1
STDBP (This work)	Temporal	784-800-10	None	98.5
STDBP (This work)	Temporal	784-1000-10	None	98.5
CNN	Rate	28×28-16C5-P2-32C5 -P2-800-128-10	None	99.5
STDBP (This work)	Temporal	28×28-16C5-P2-32C5 -P2-800-128-10	None	99.4



Accelerator	Coding	Acc. (%)	fps	Tech	Power	uJ/frame
SNNwt [76]	Rate	91.82	-	65	-	214.700
TrueNorth-a [24]	Rate	92.70	1000	28	0.268	0.268
TrueNorth-b [24]	Rate	99.42	1000	28	108.000	108.000
Loihi-a [77]	Rate	98.79	120	14	-	-
Loihi-b [78]	Rate	99.21	150	14	99.248	660
Spinnaker [56]	Rate	95.01	77	130	300.000	3896.000
Tianji [57]	Rate	96.59	-	120	120.000	-
Shenjing [55]	Rate	96.11	40	28	1.260	38.000
STDBP+YOSO (This work)	Temp.	98.45	21	22	(0.878*) 0.751	(41.93*) 35.839

**Scaled for 28 nm process (×1.17 for half a generation)

"Rectified linear postsynaptic potential function for backpropagation in deep spiking neural networks." IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems (2021).

谢谢大家！