

Computational methods for large-scale optical control and mapping of neural circuits

Statistical Analysis of Neural Data

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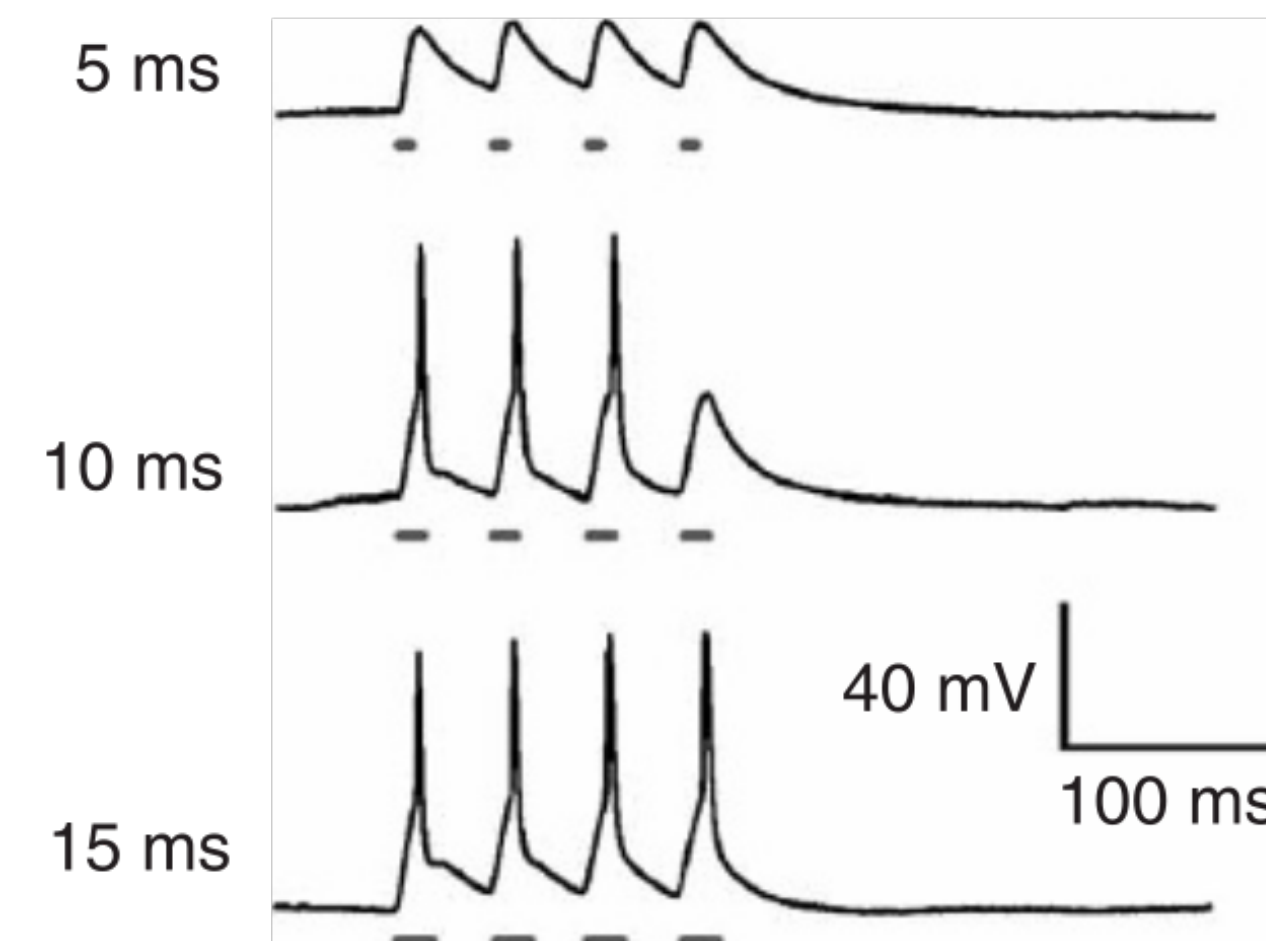
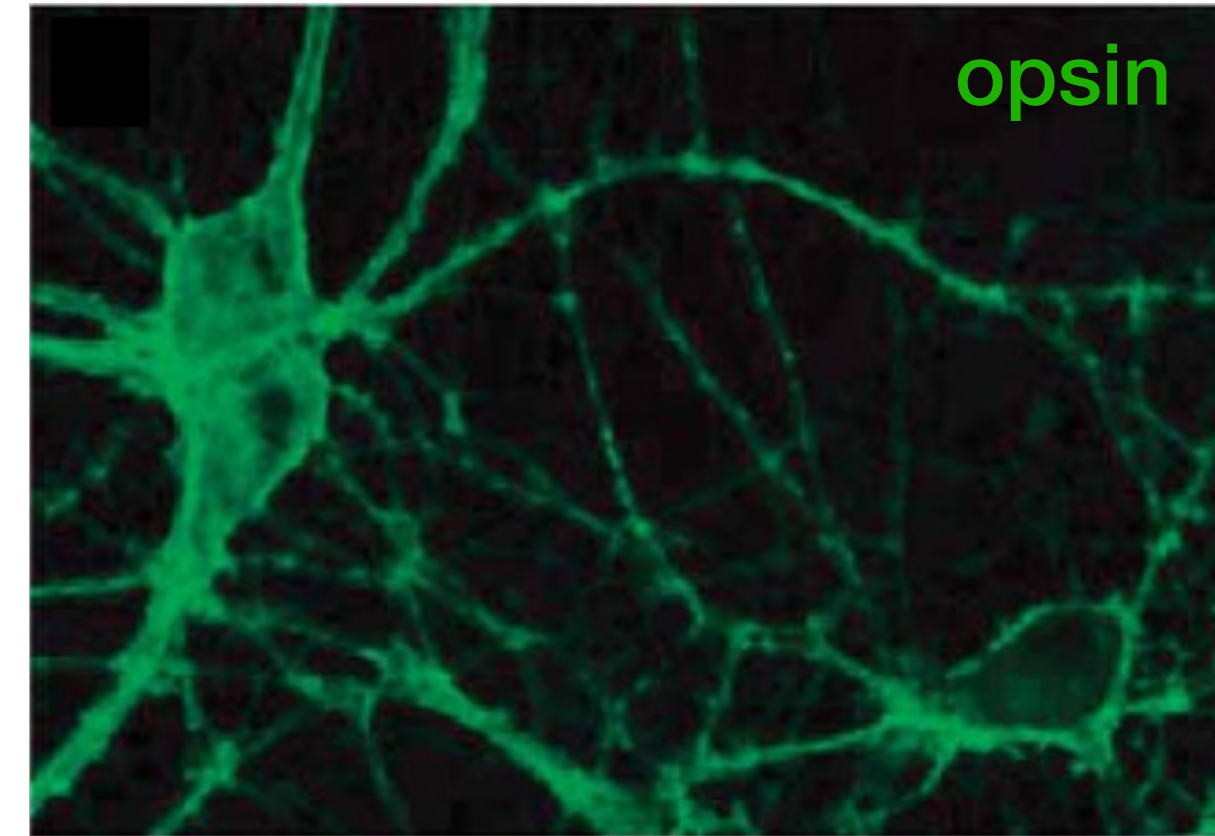


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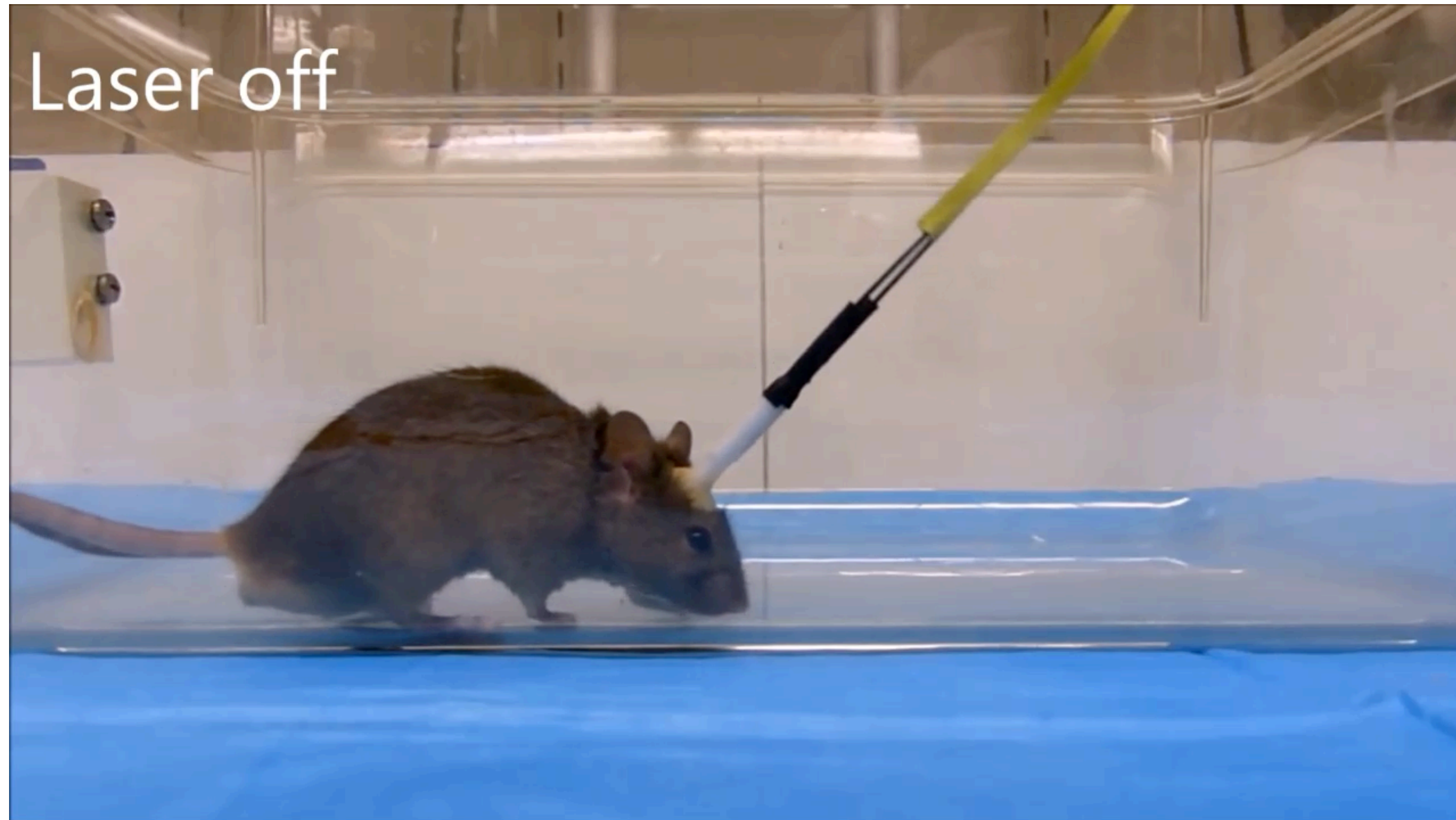
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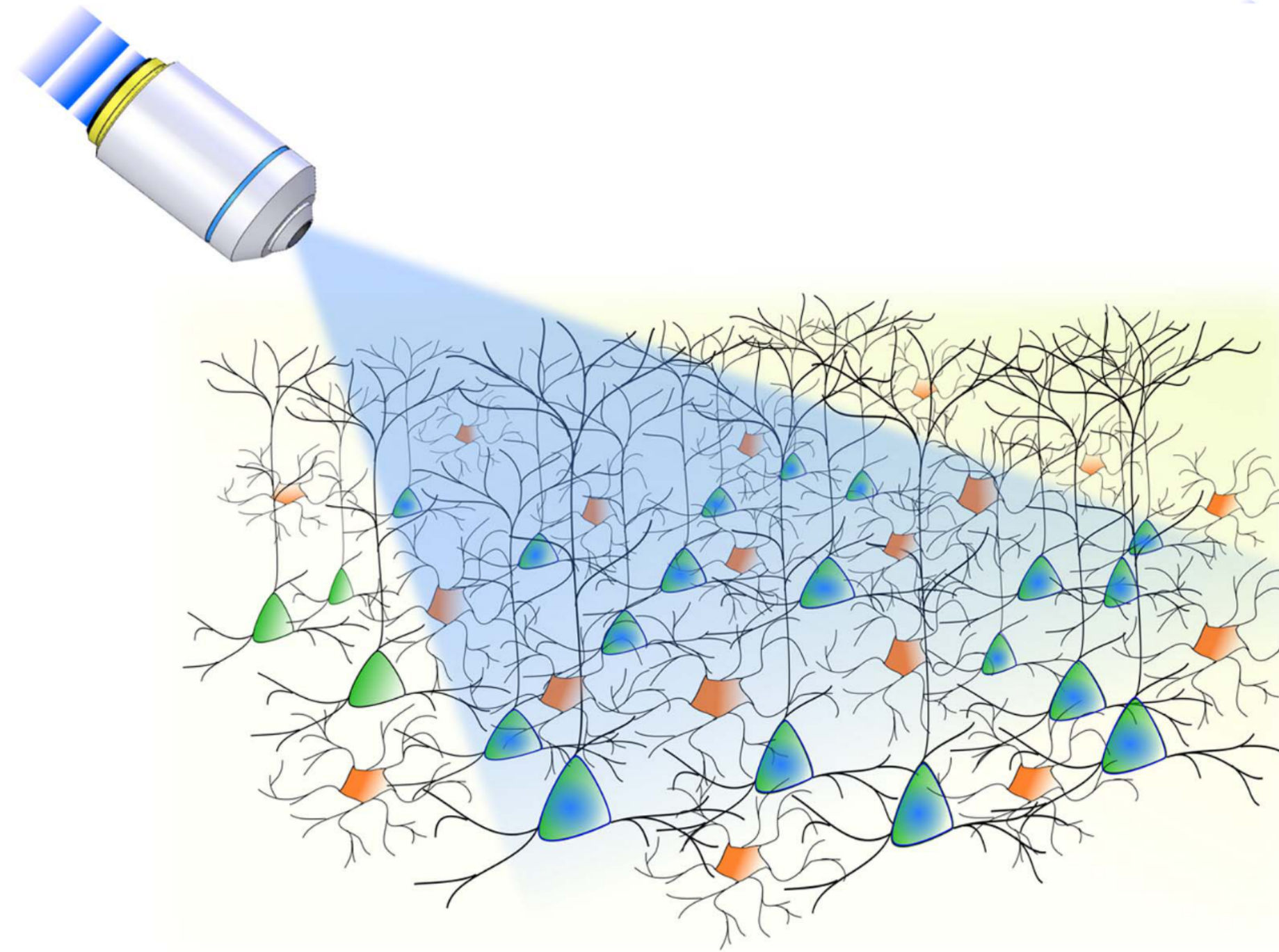
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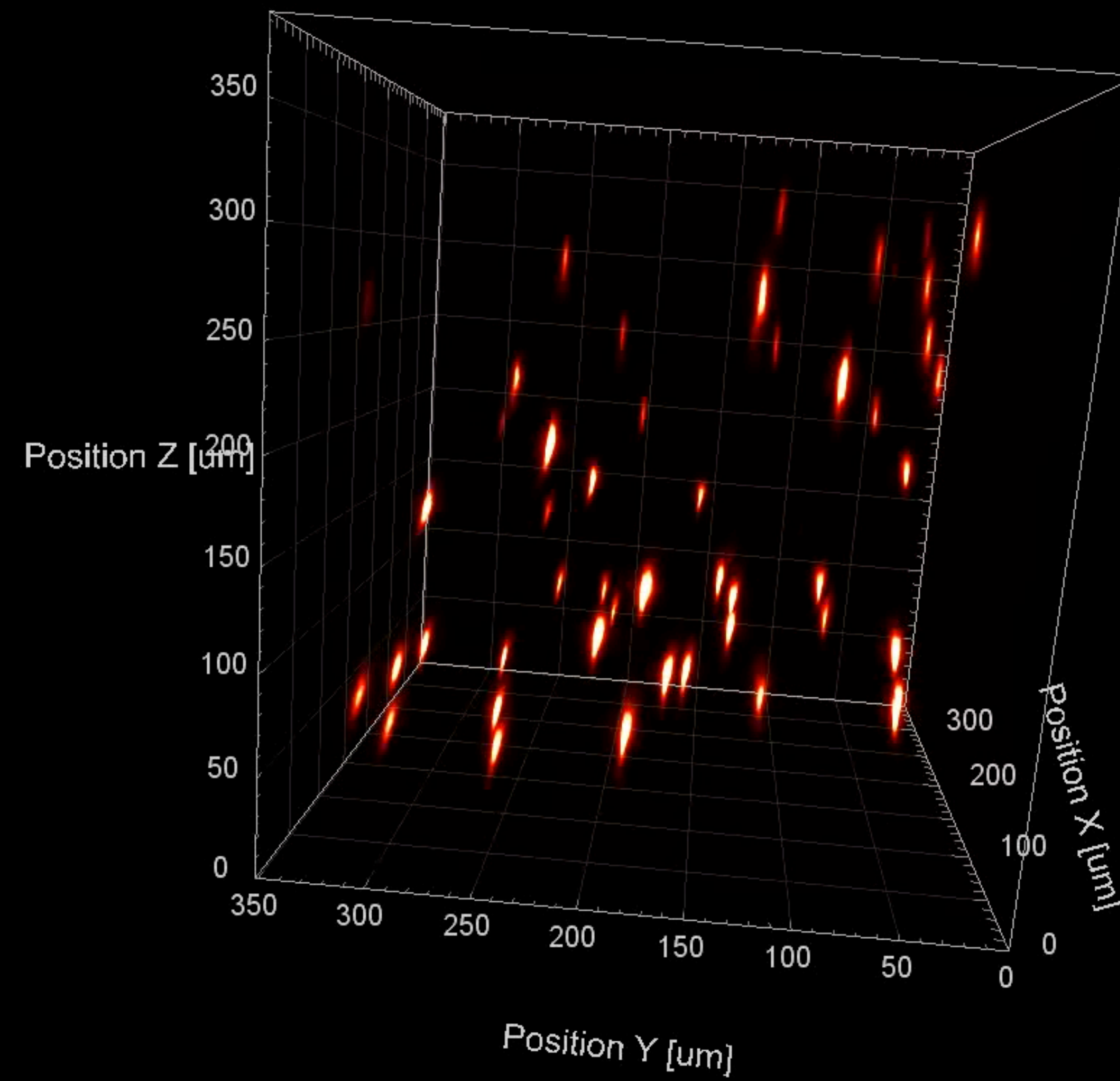


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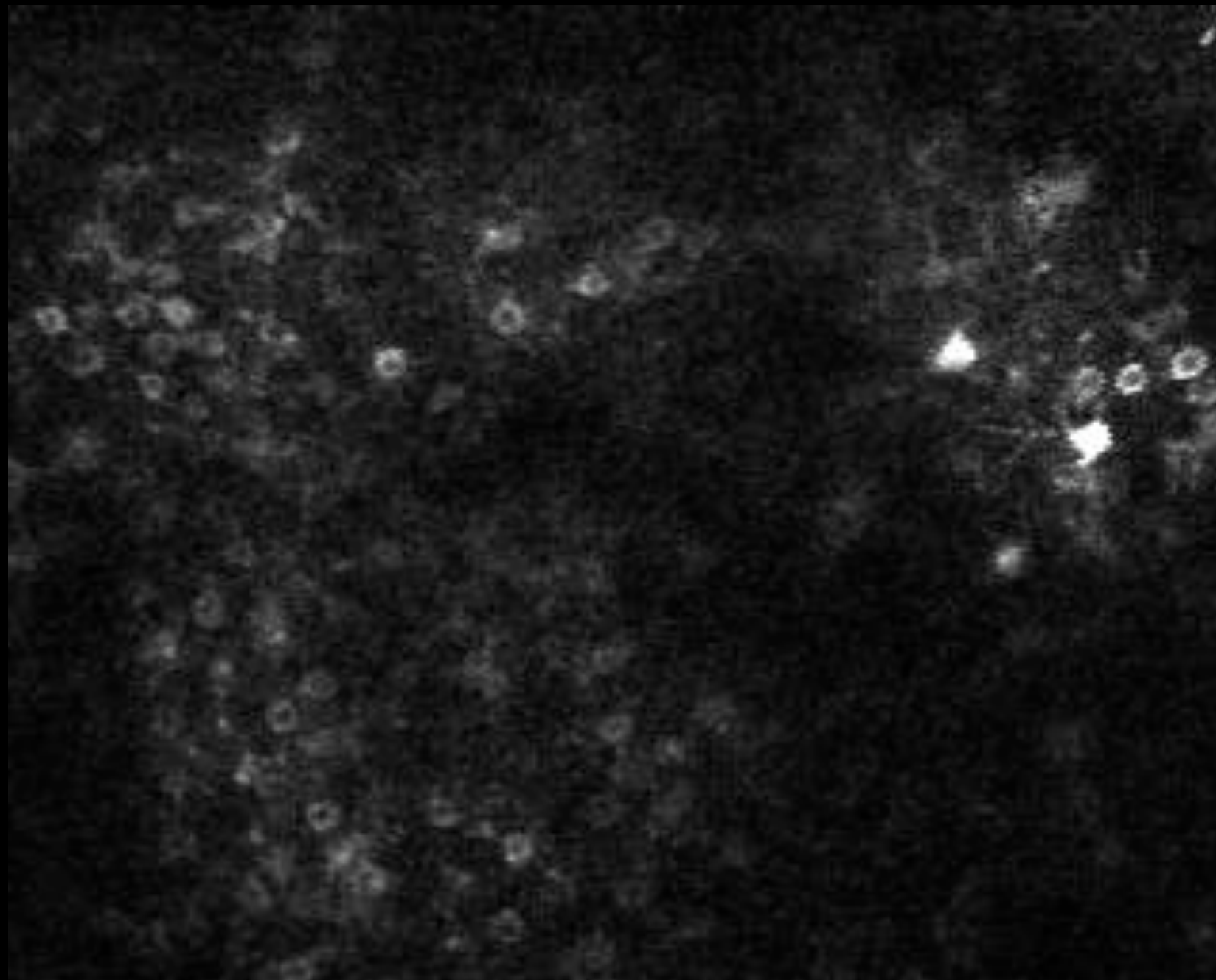


No precision beyond cell-type specificity

Two-photon holography as a potential solution



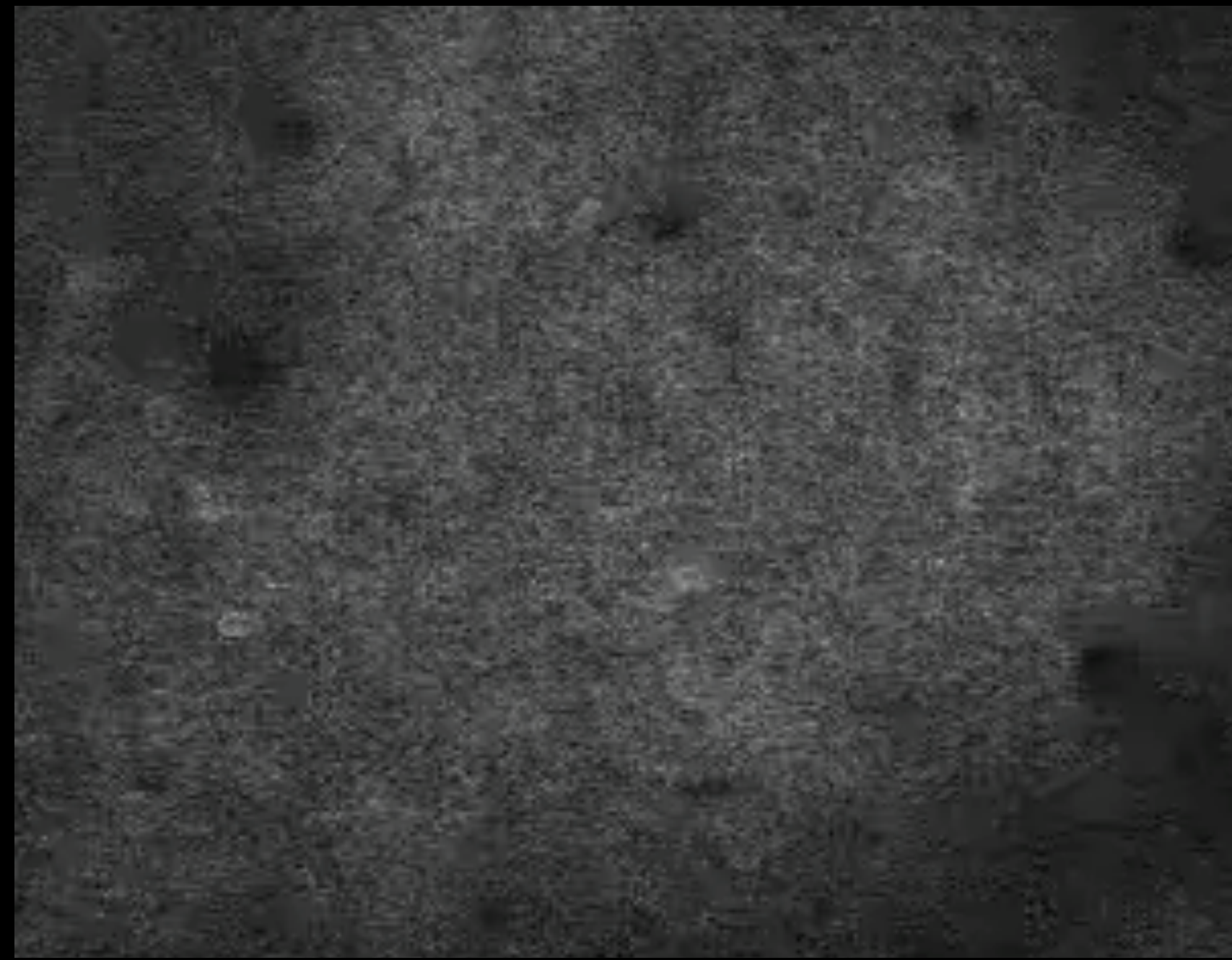
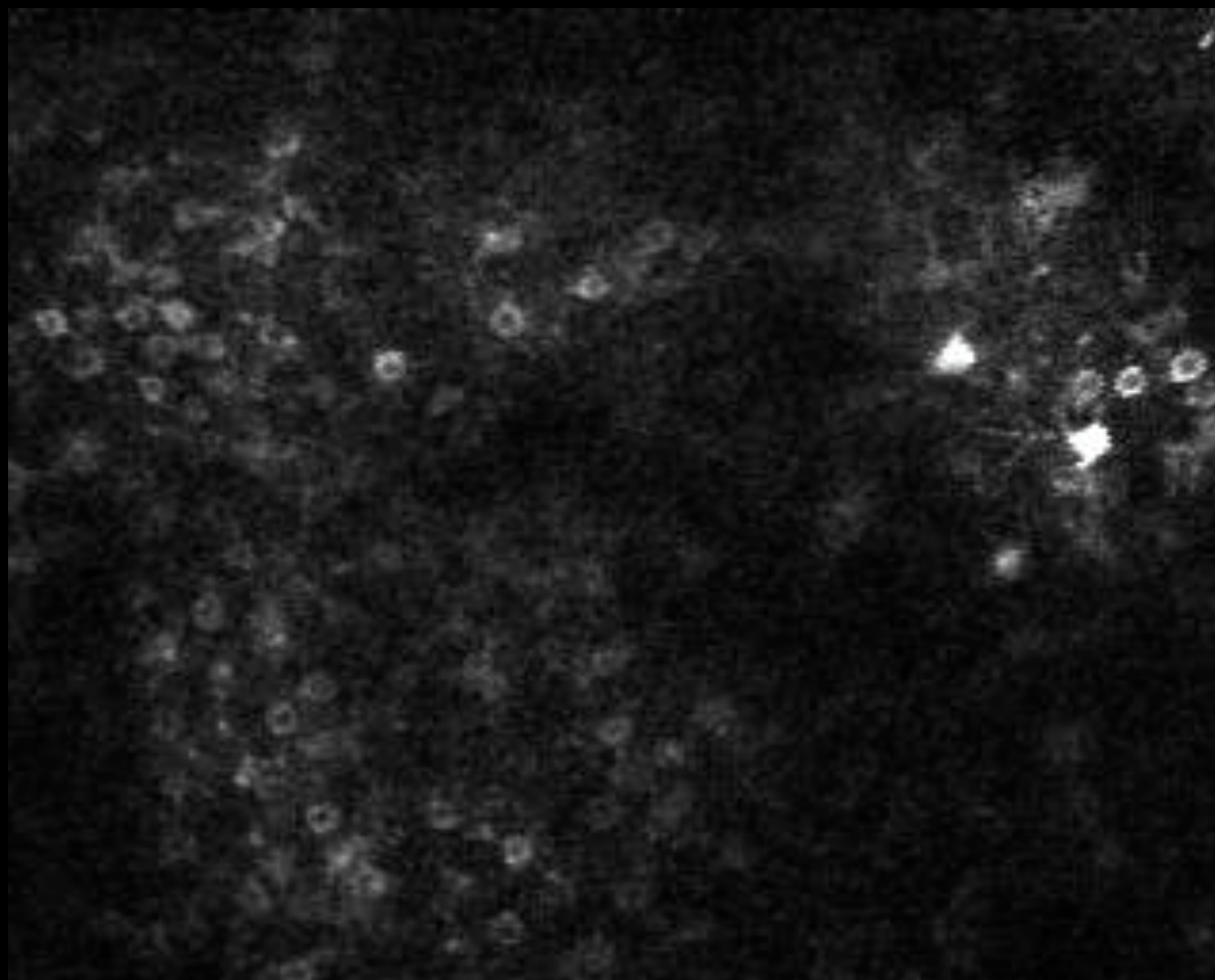
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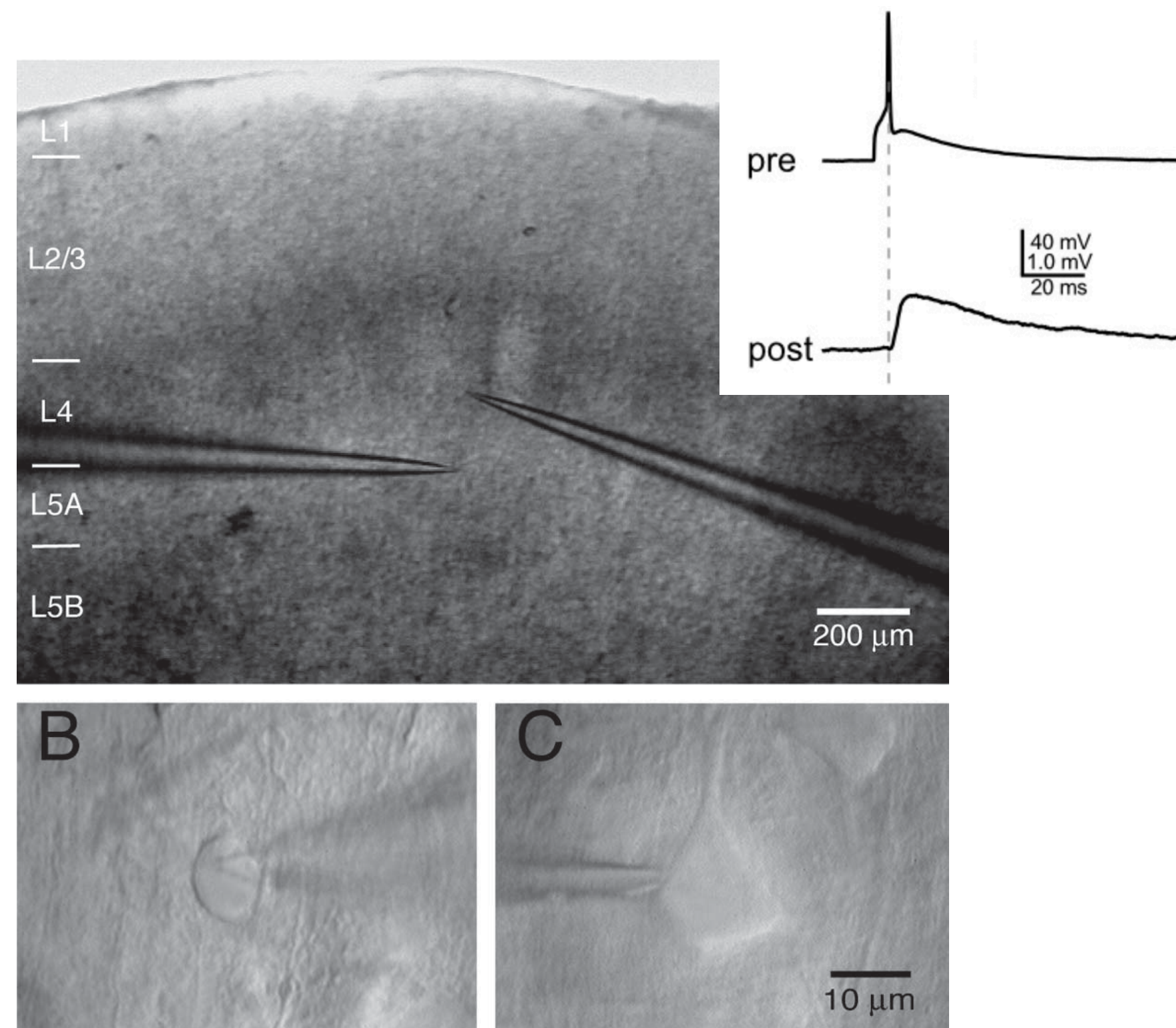
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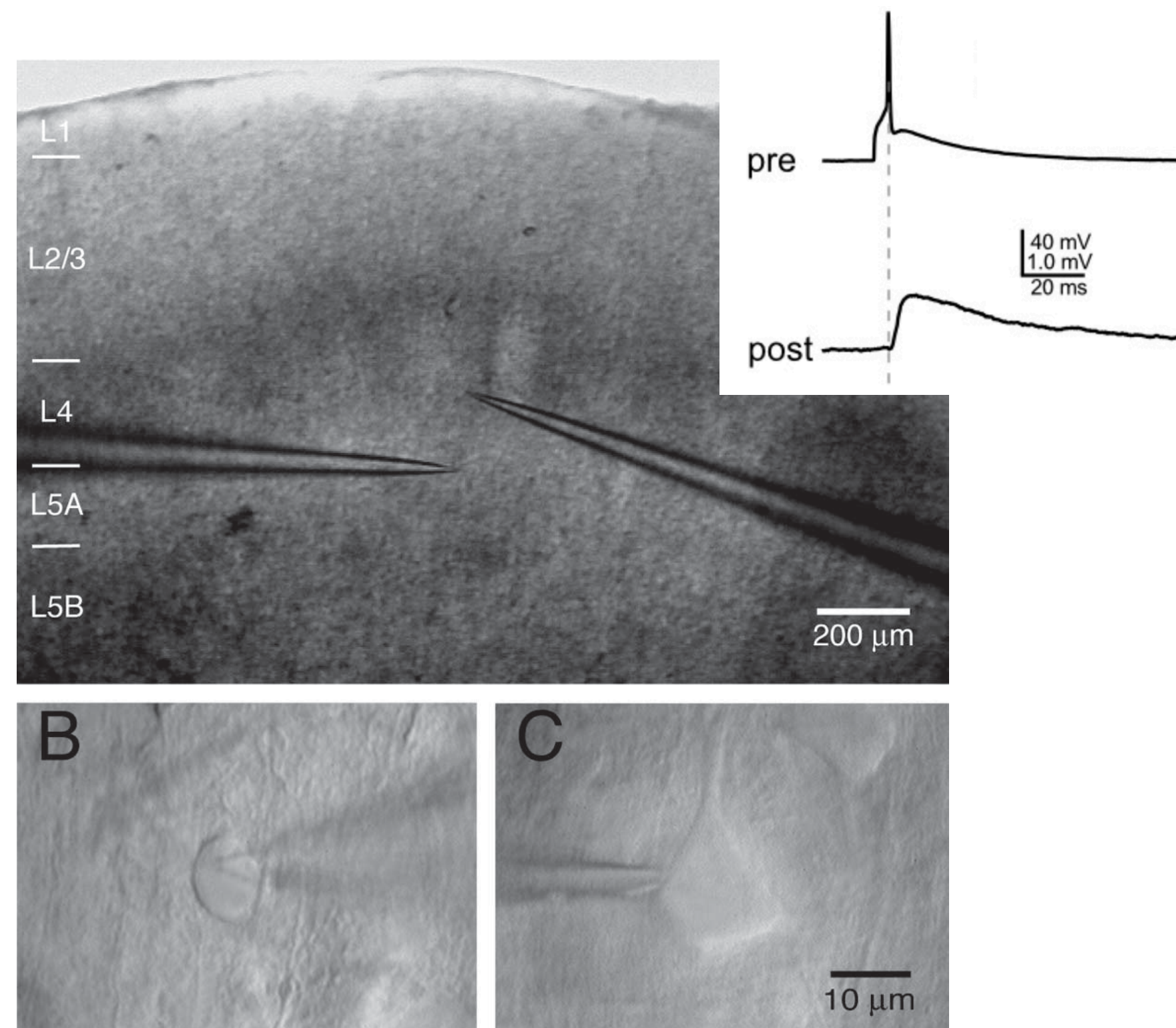
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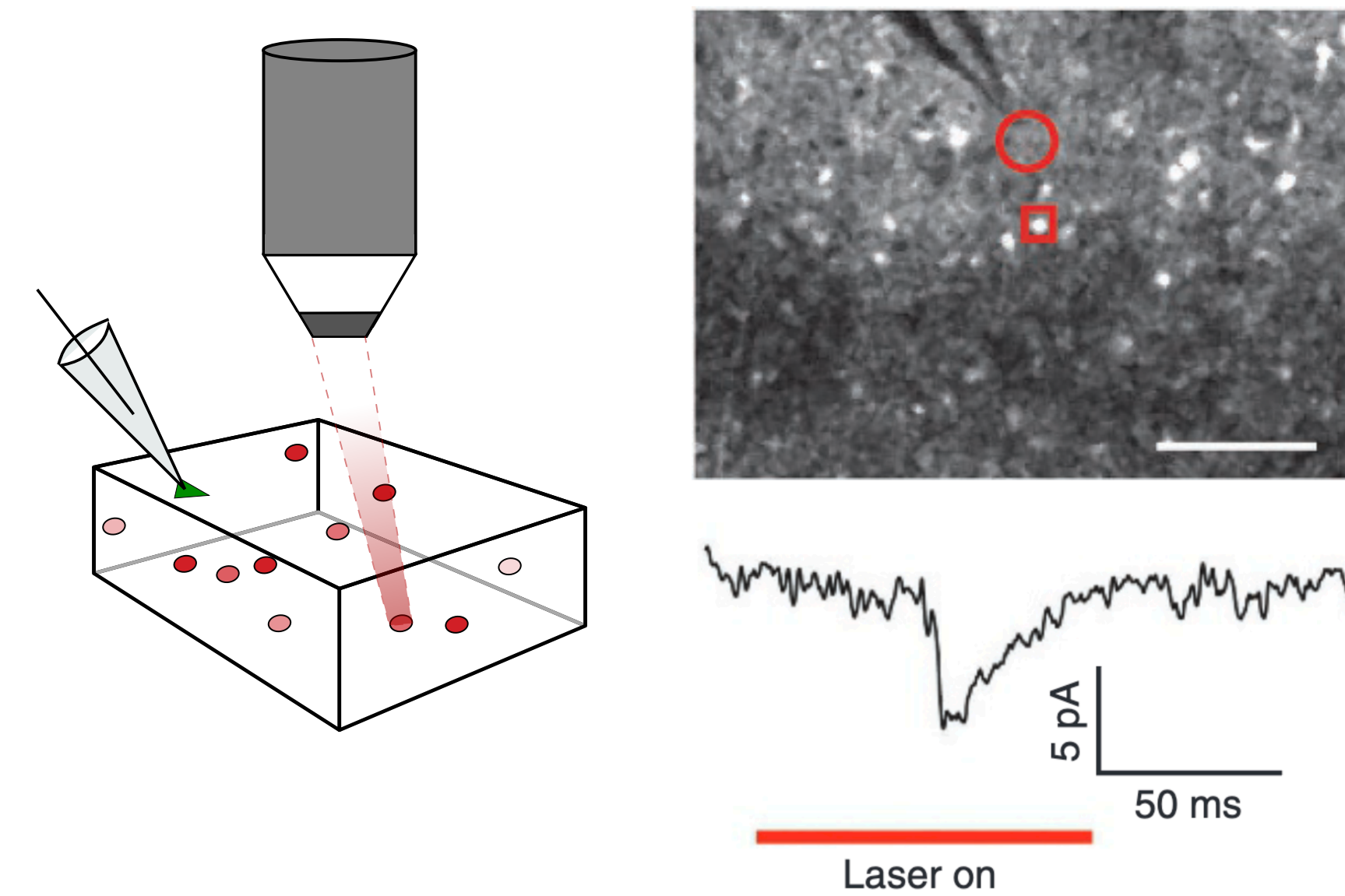


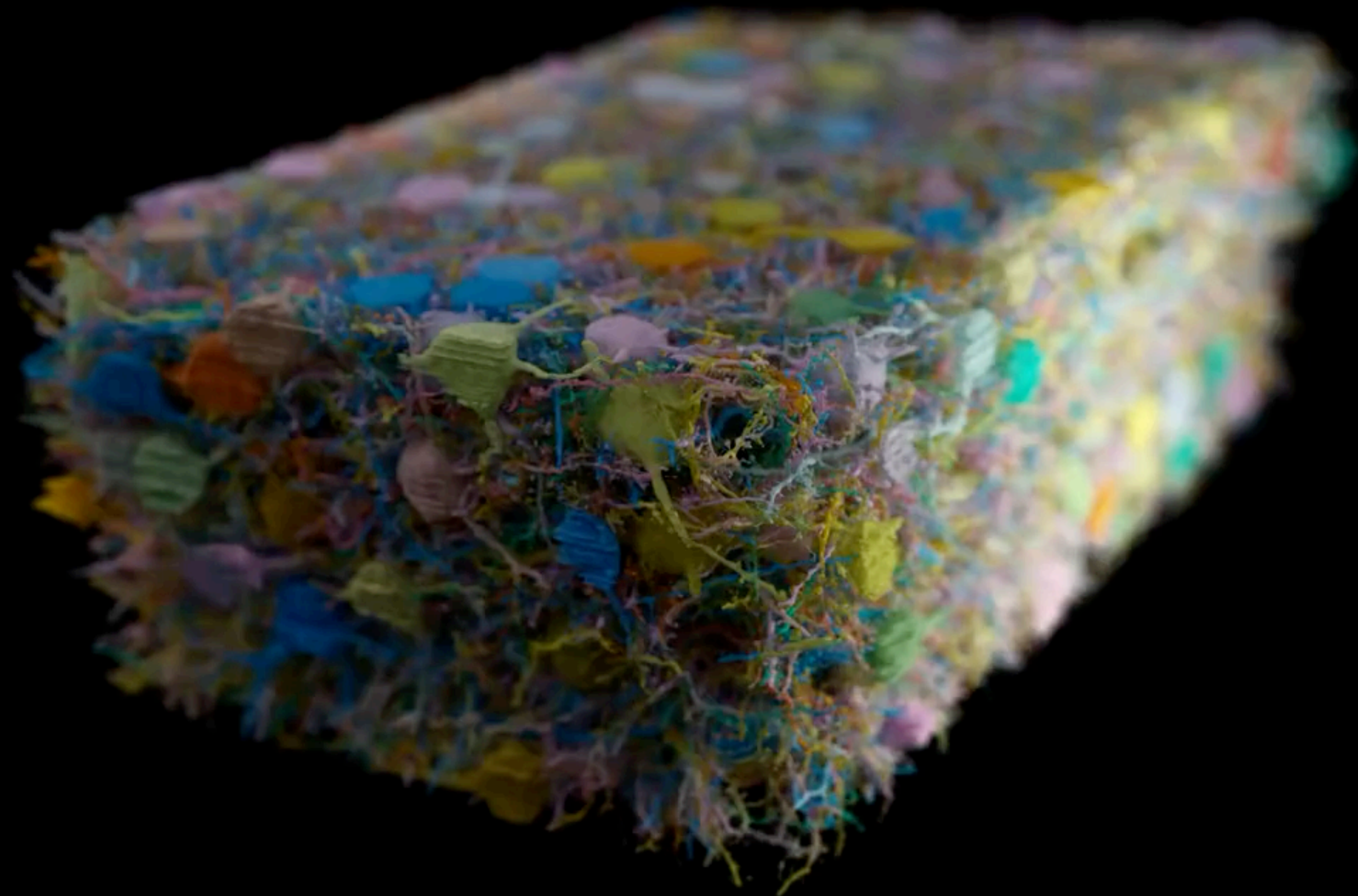
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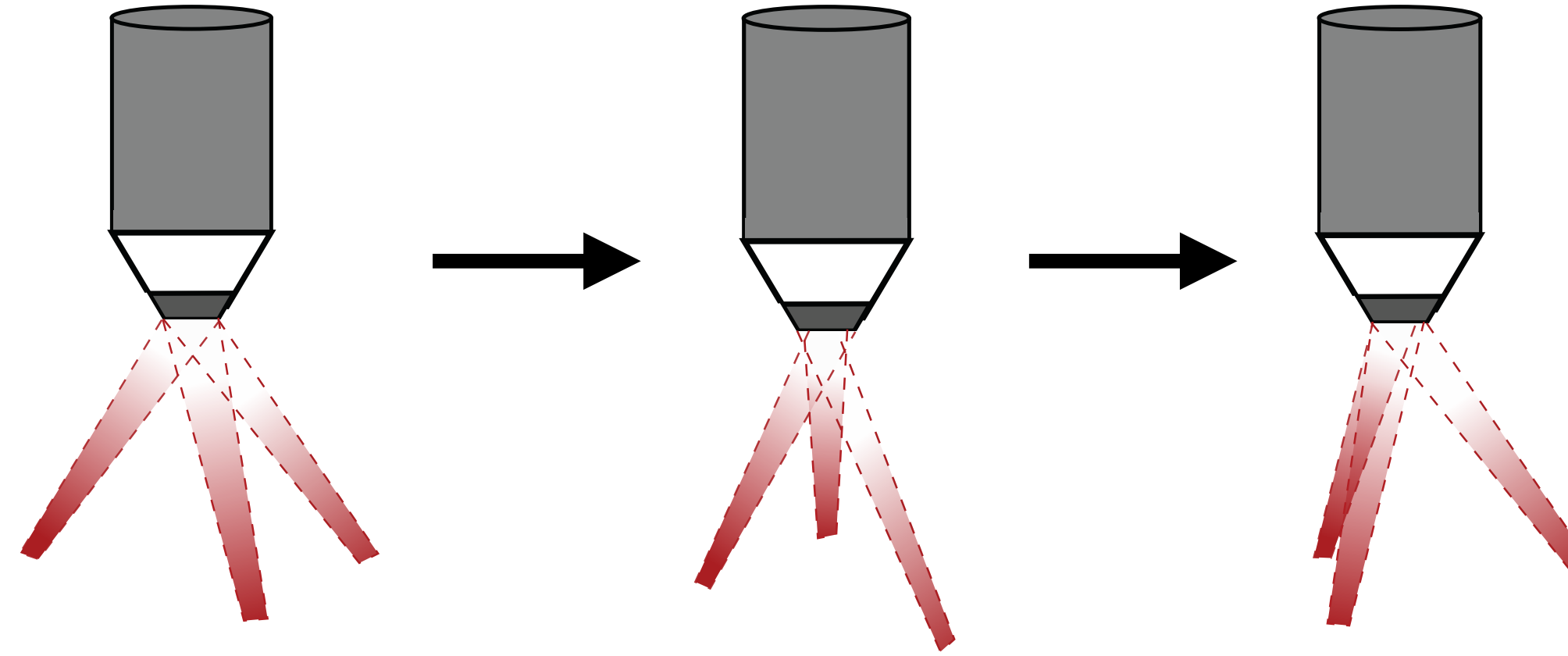


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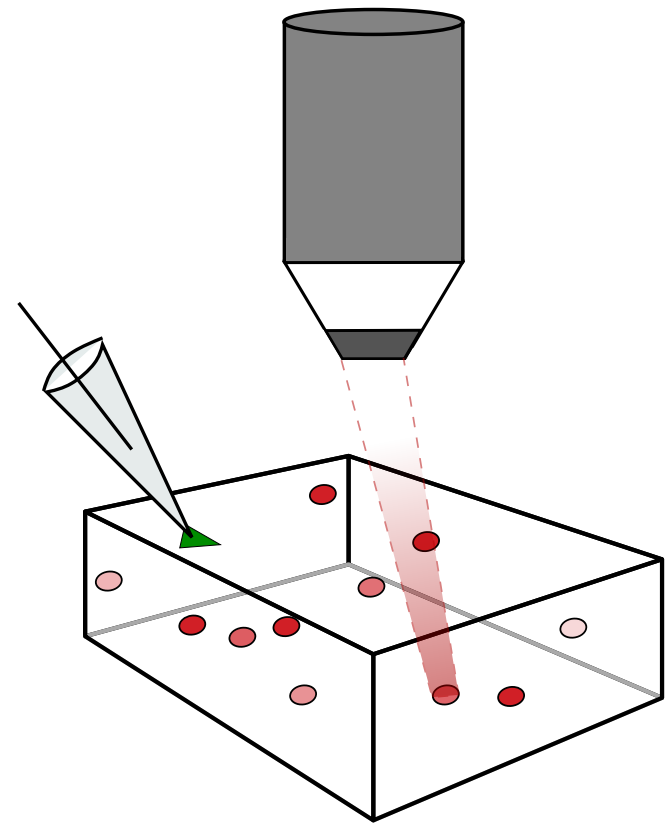
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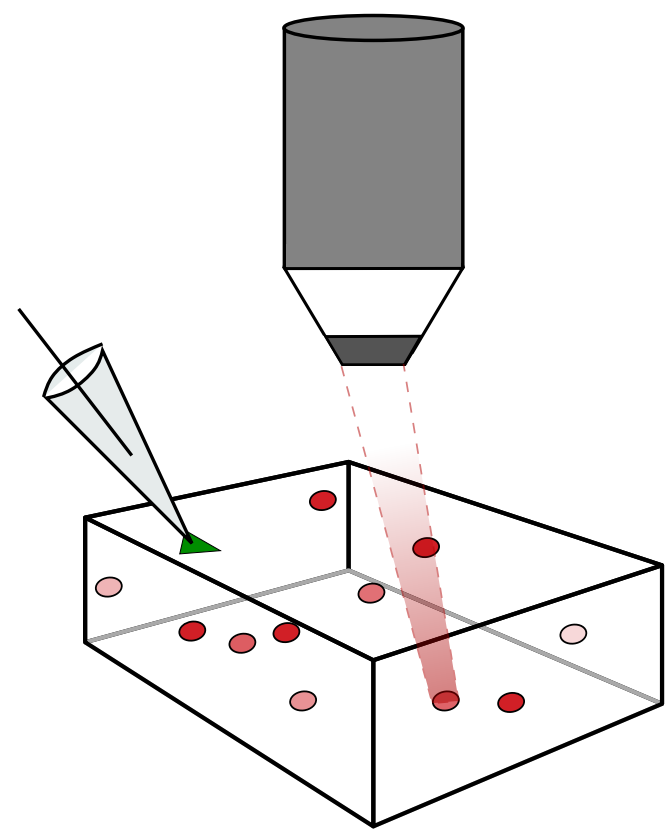
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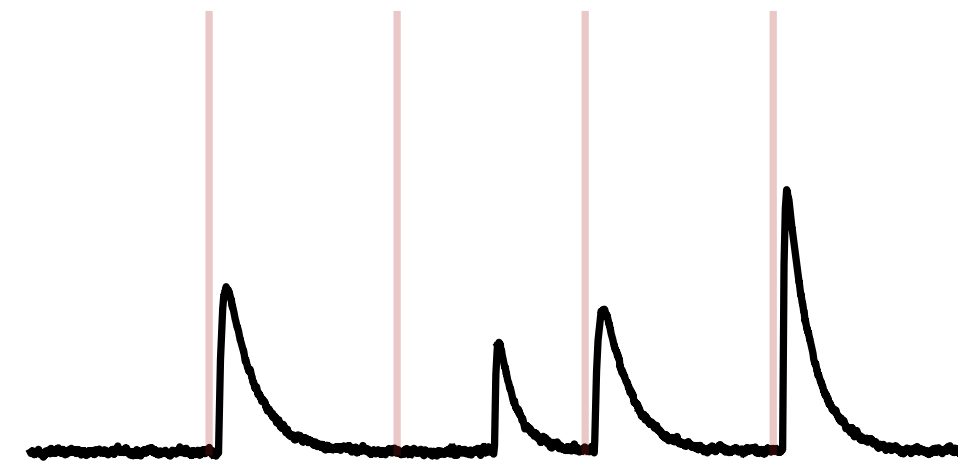
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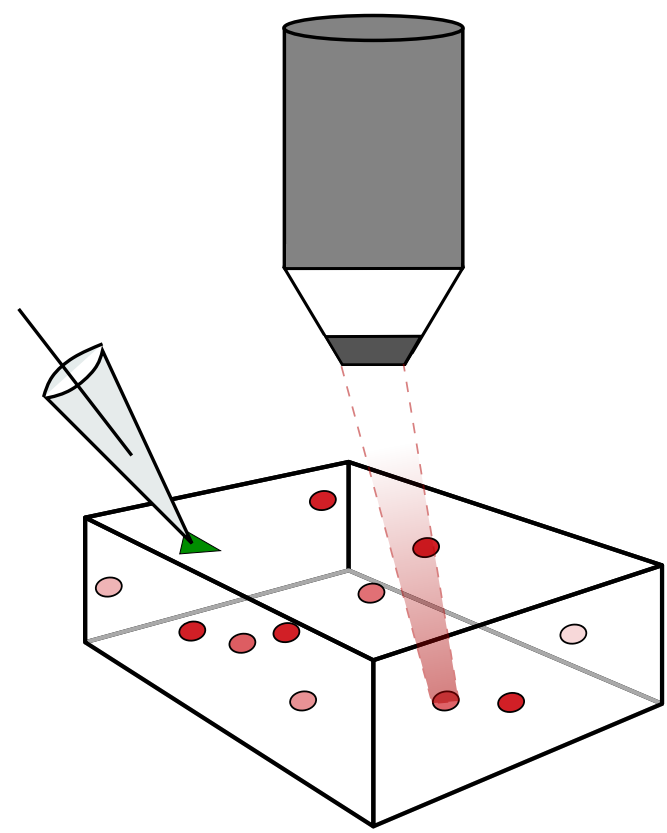
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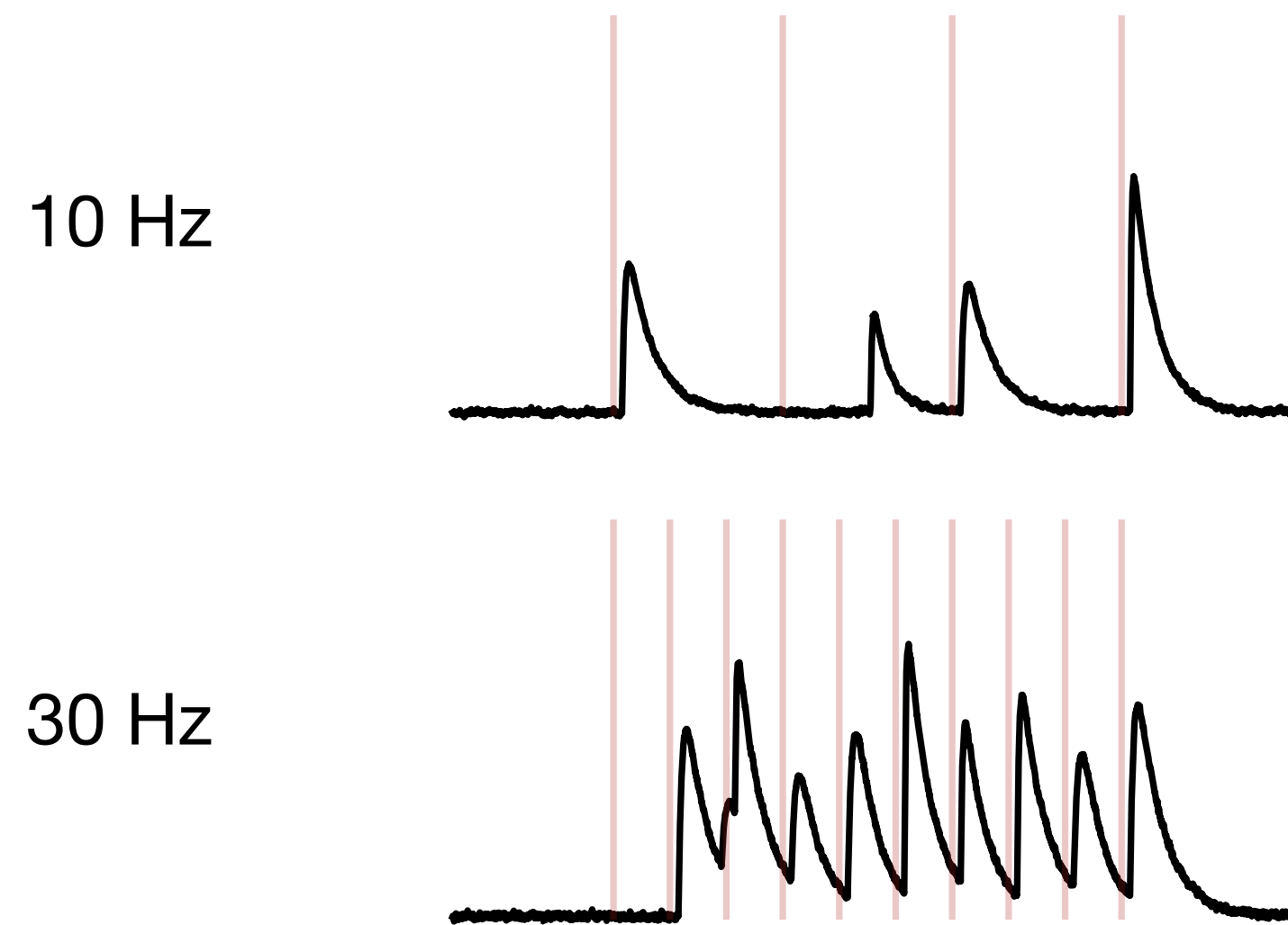
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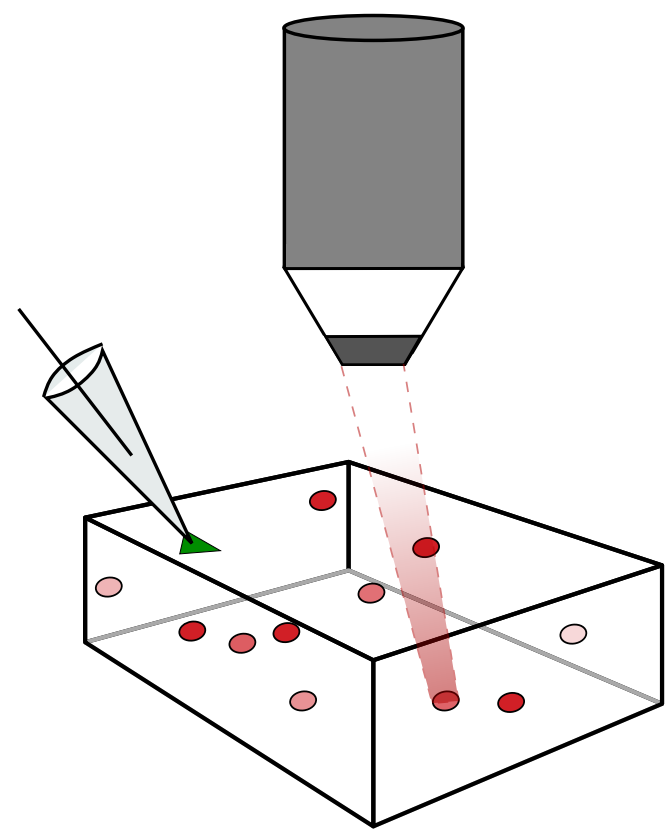
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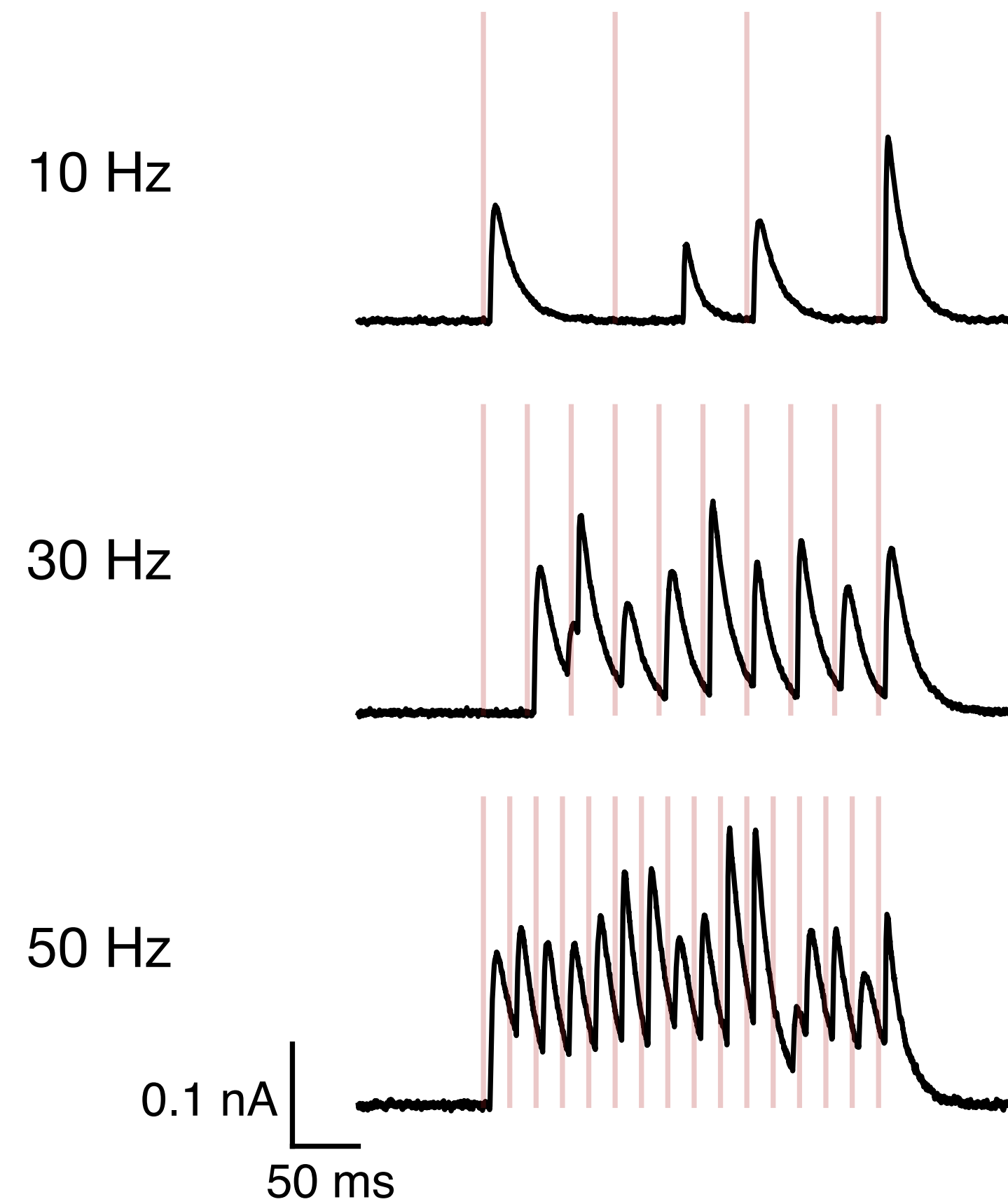
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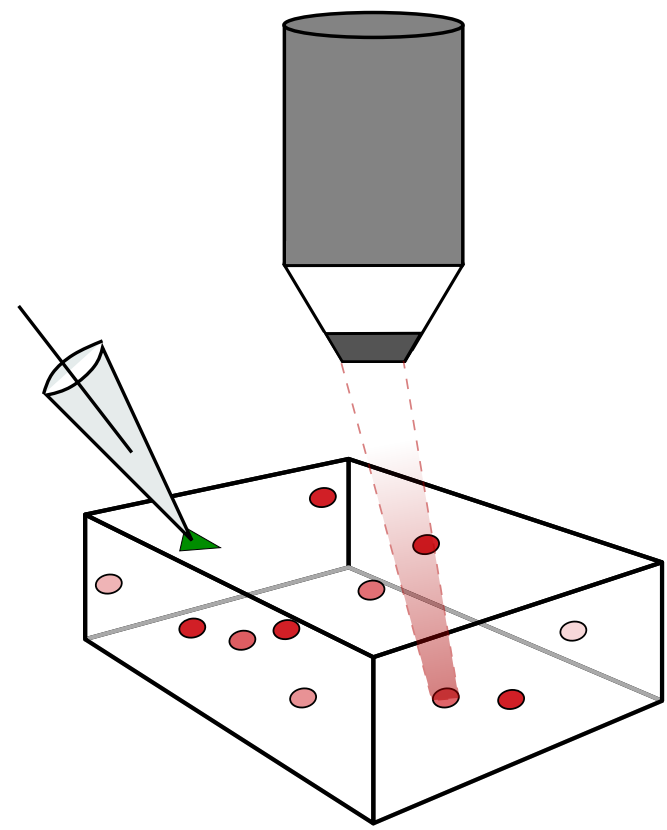


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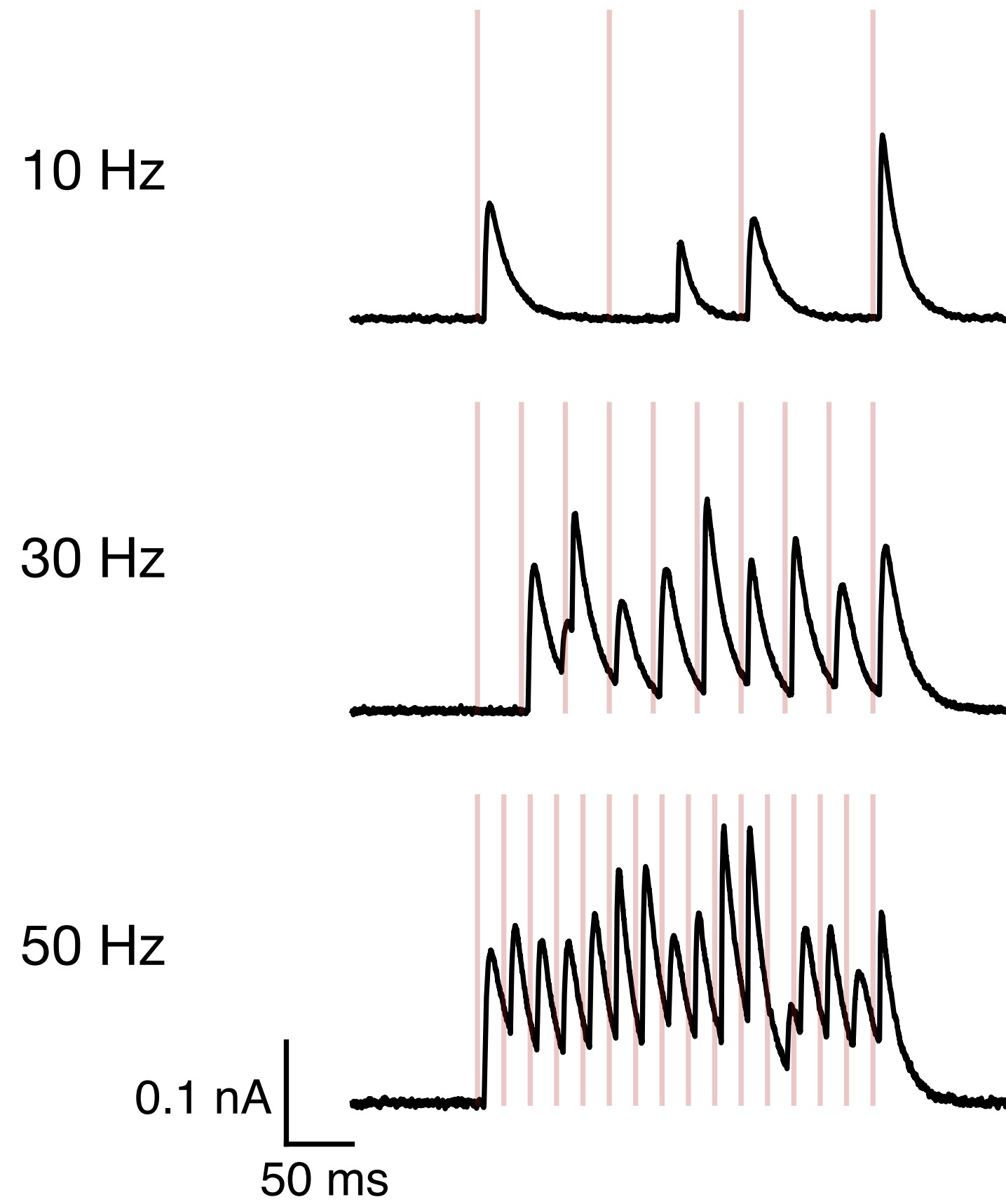


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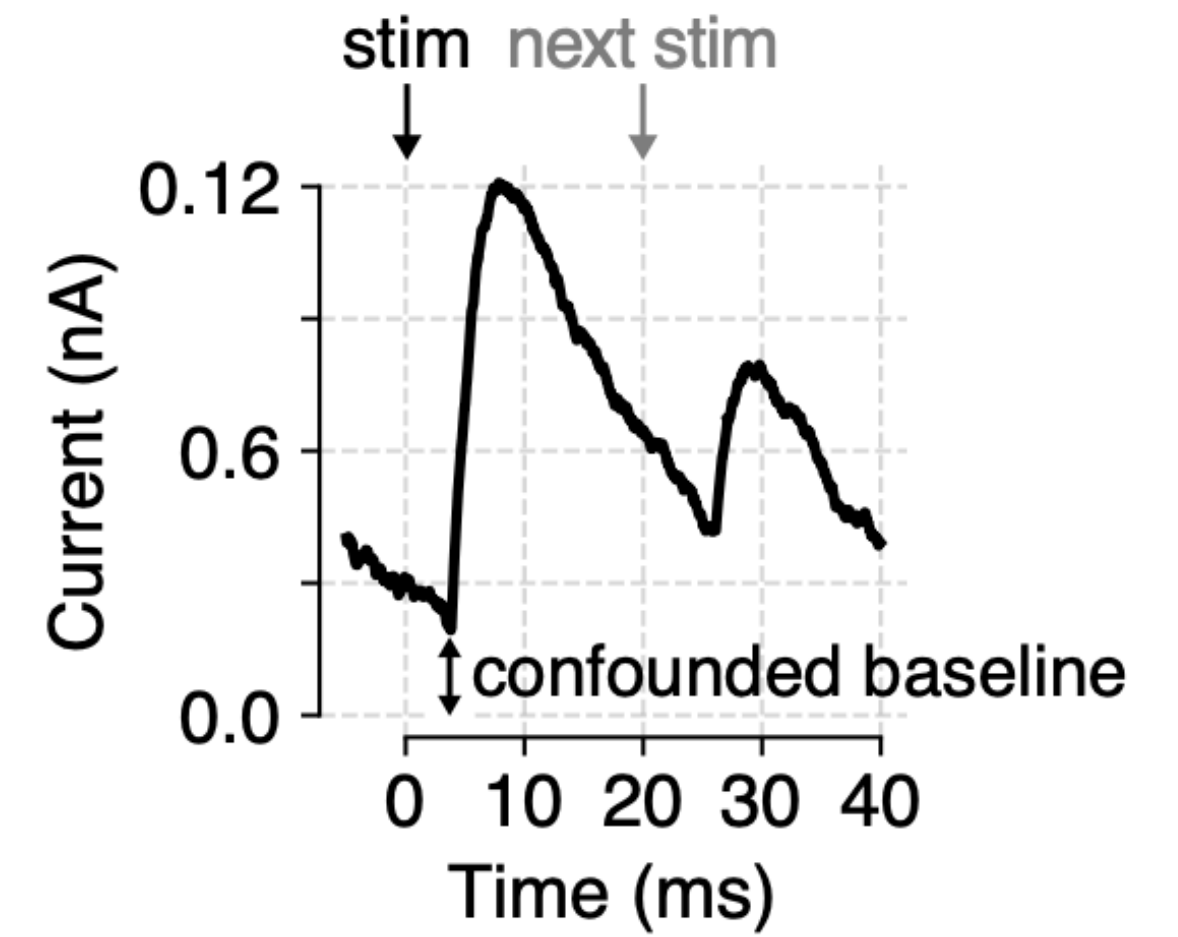
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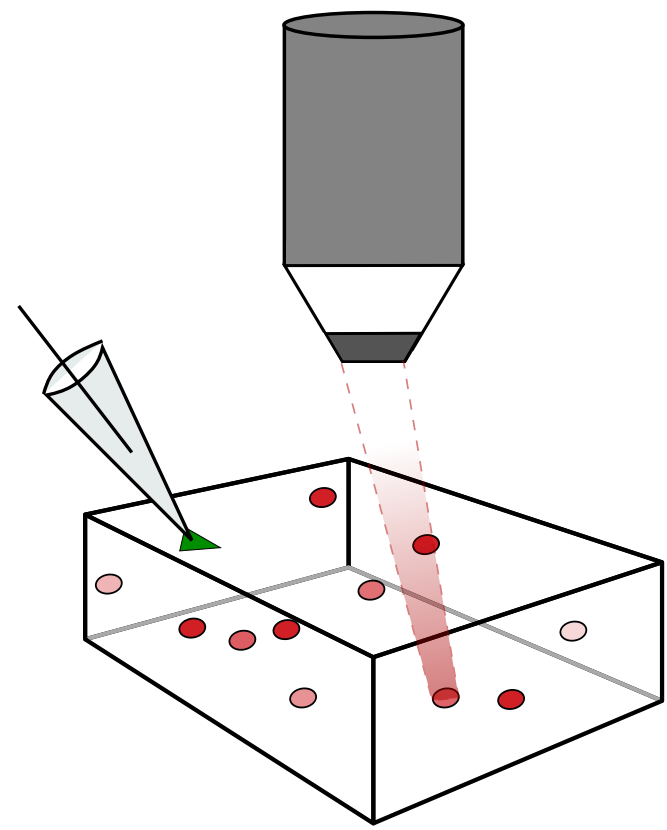
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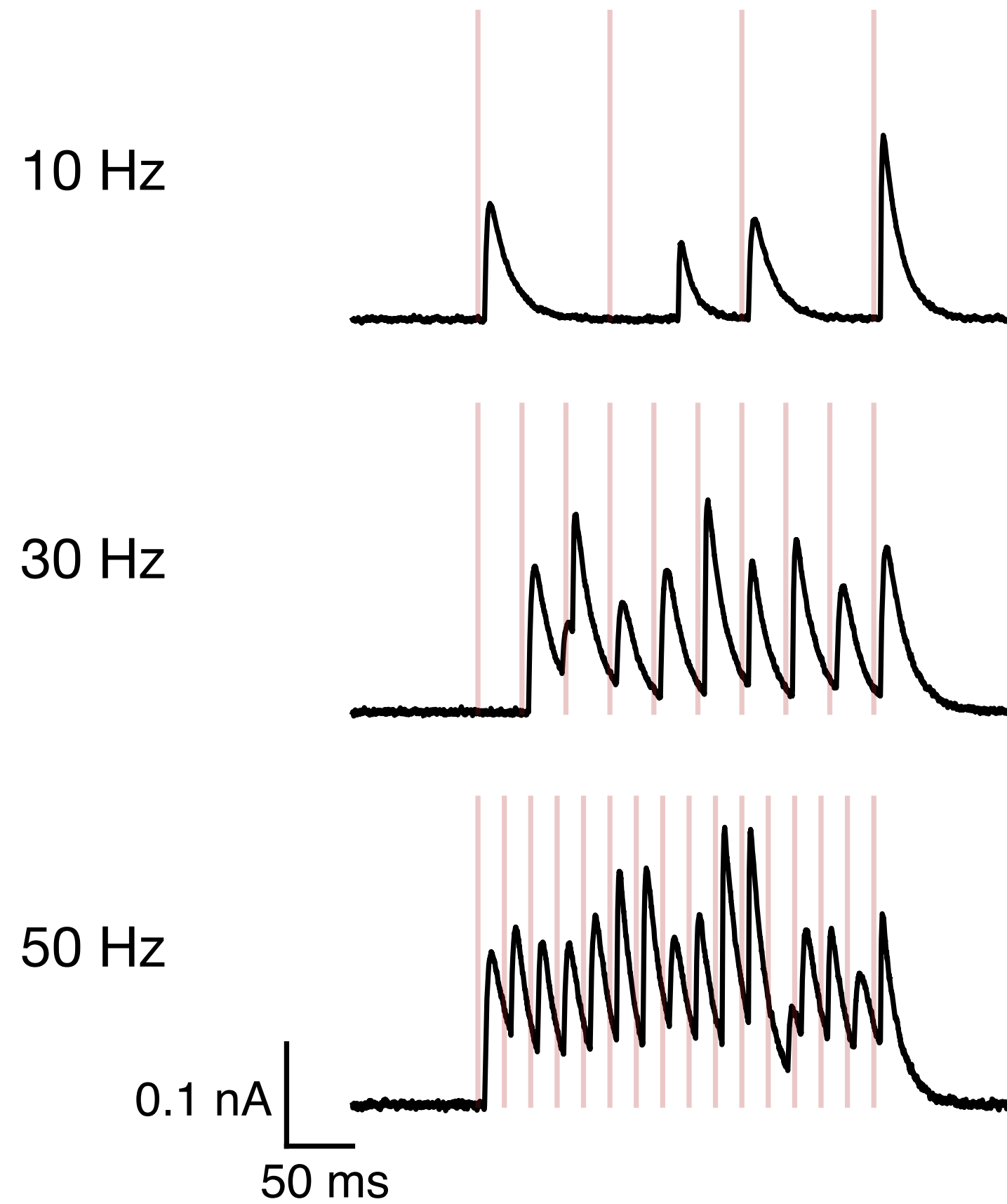
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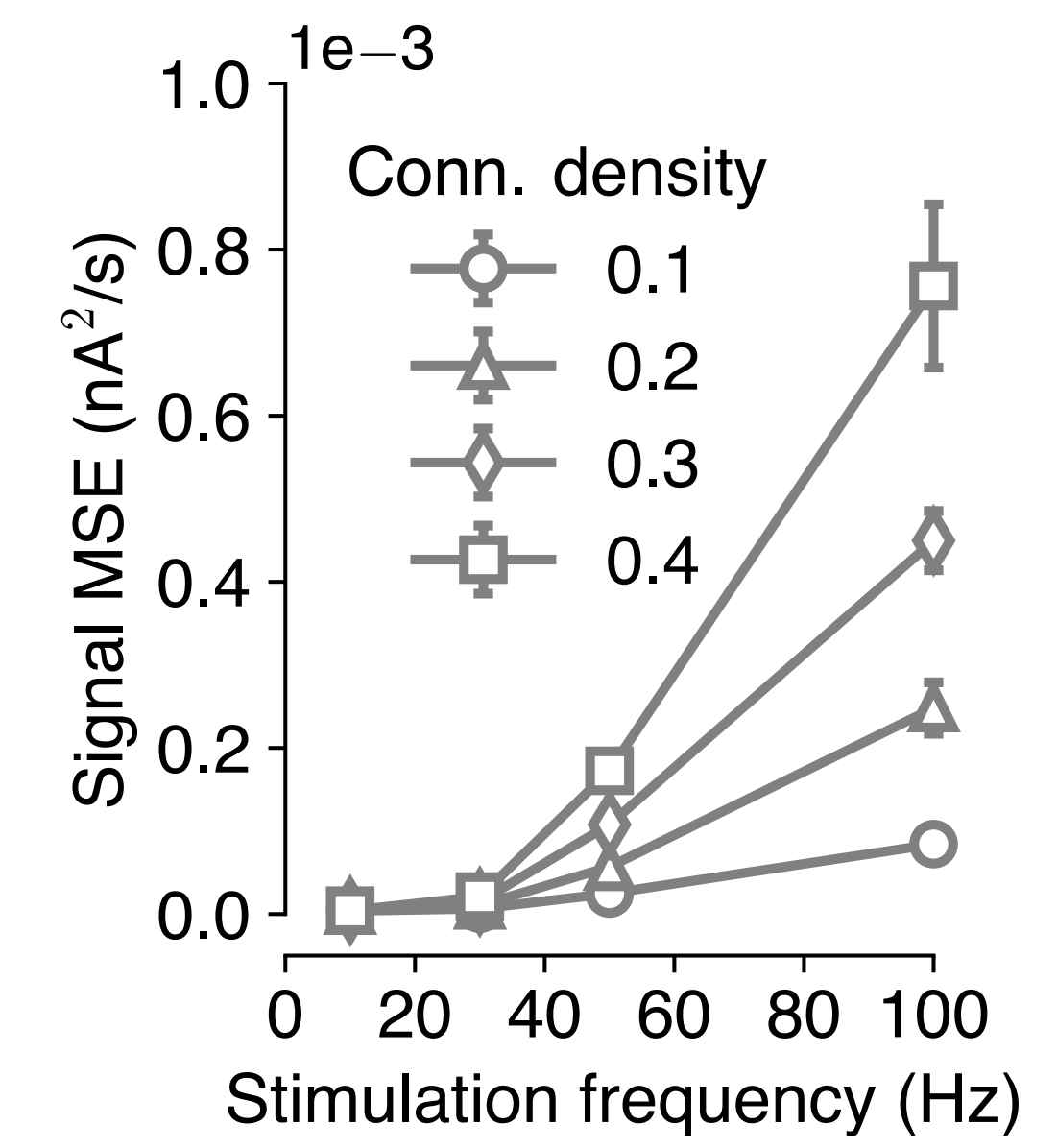
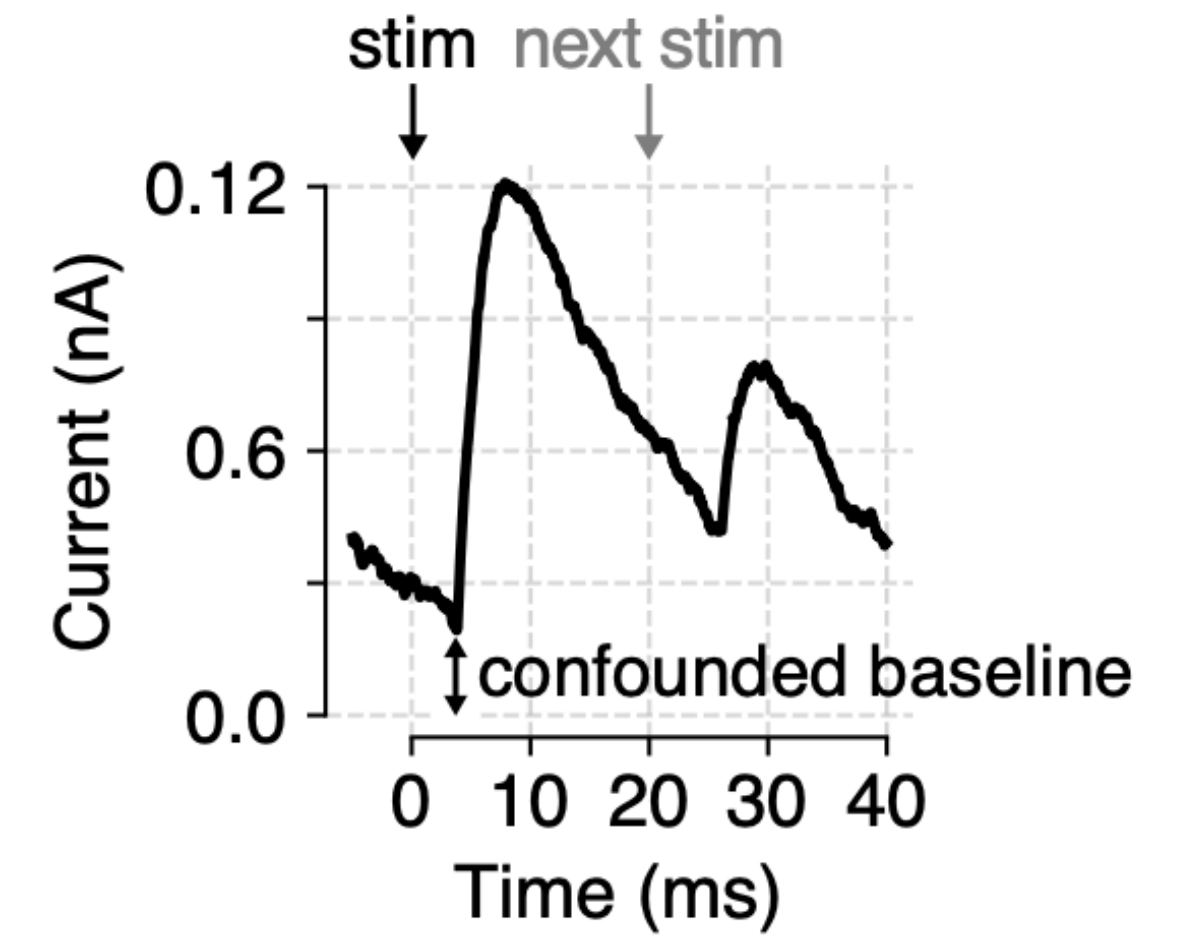
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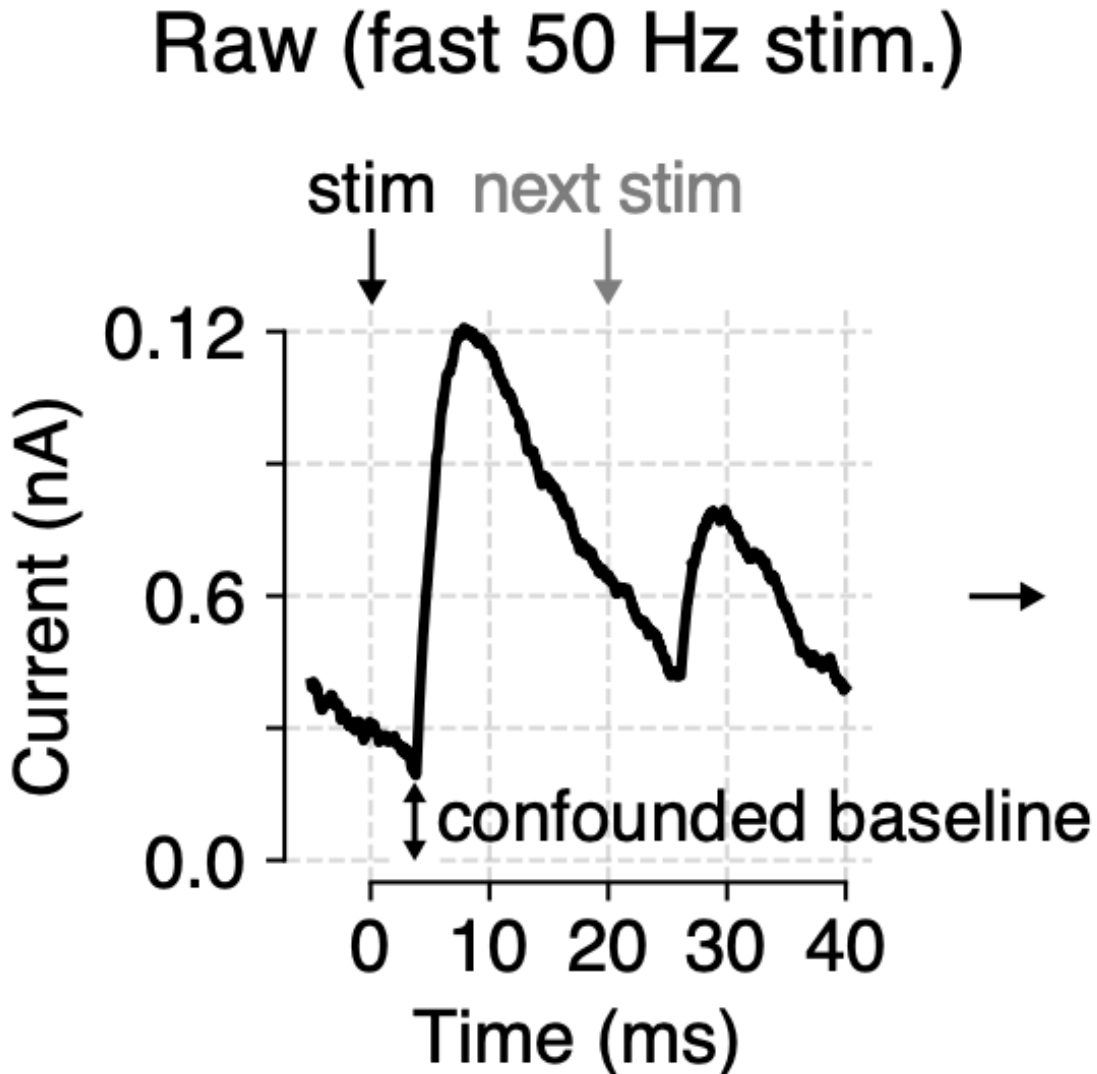
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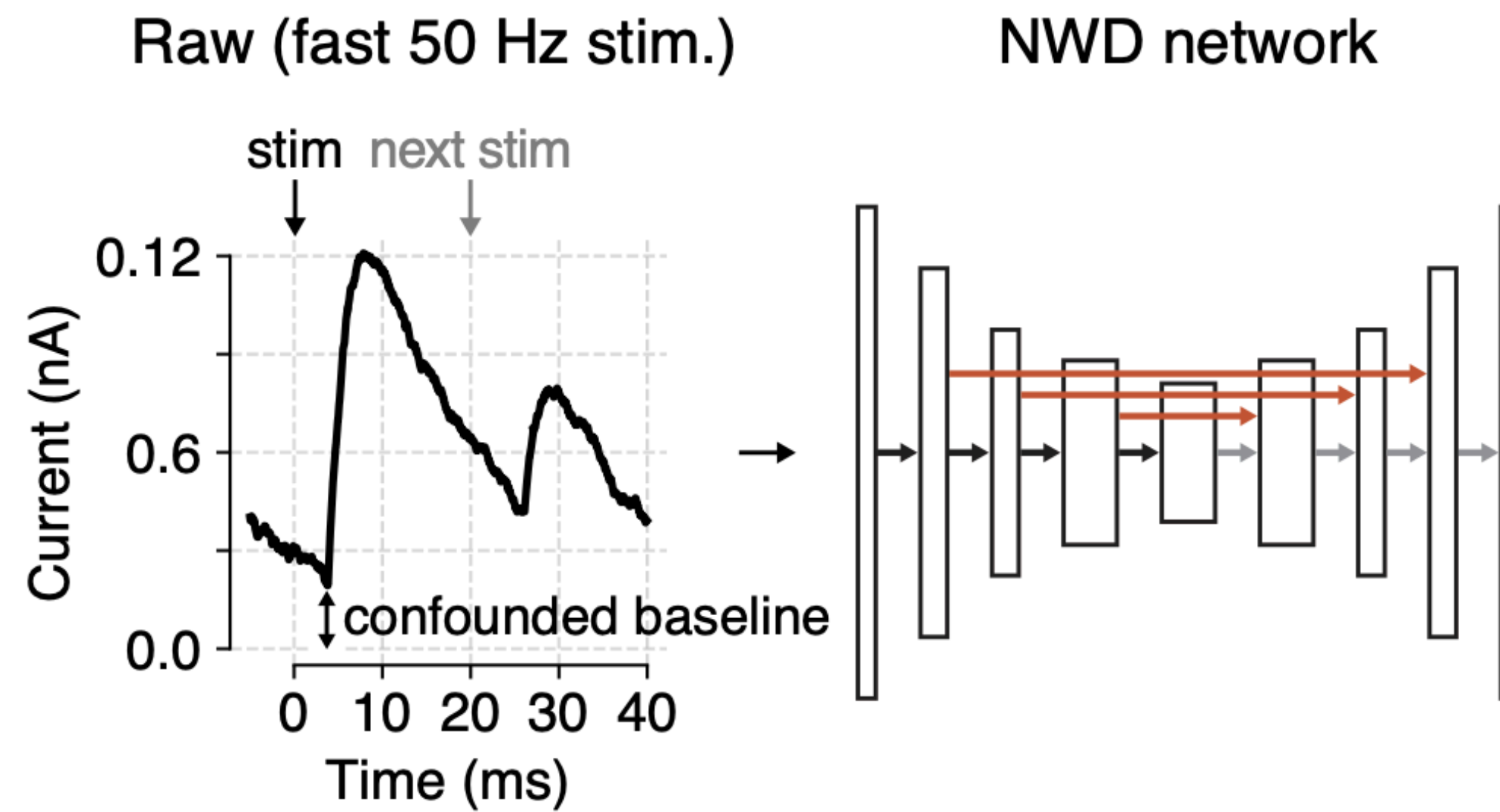
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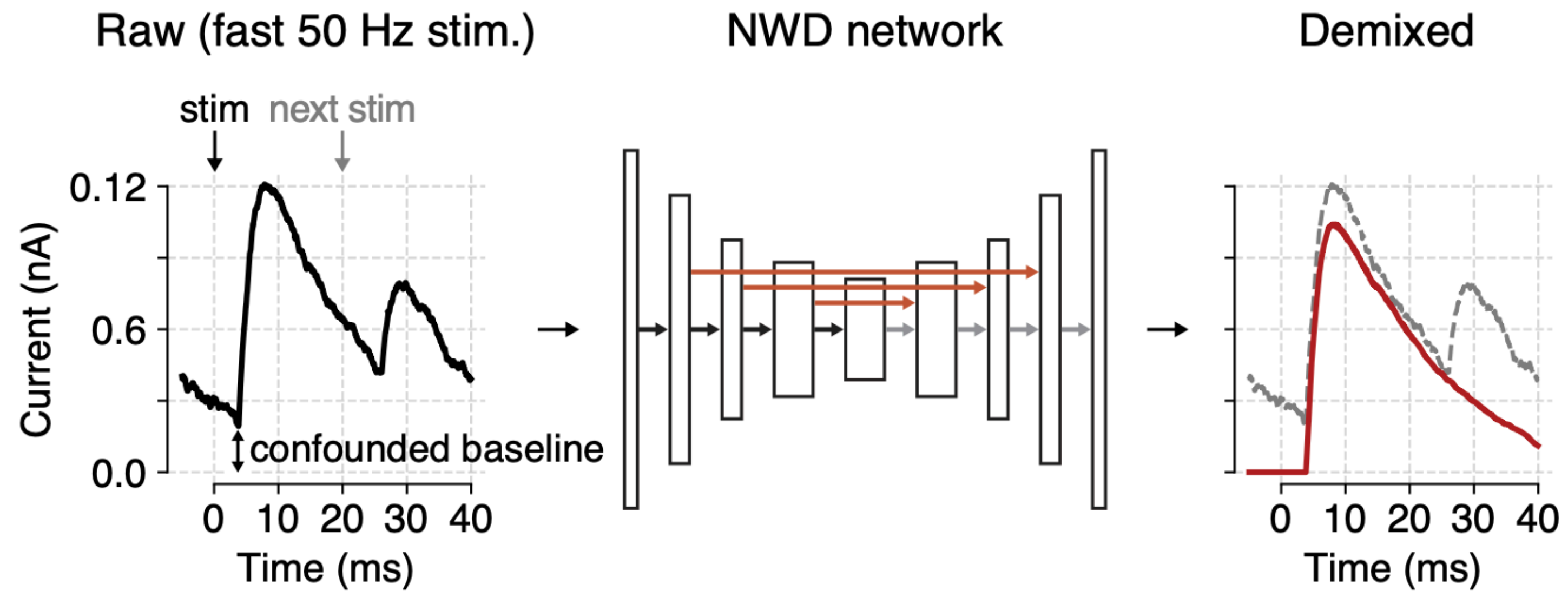
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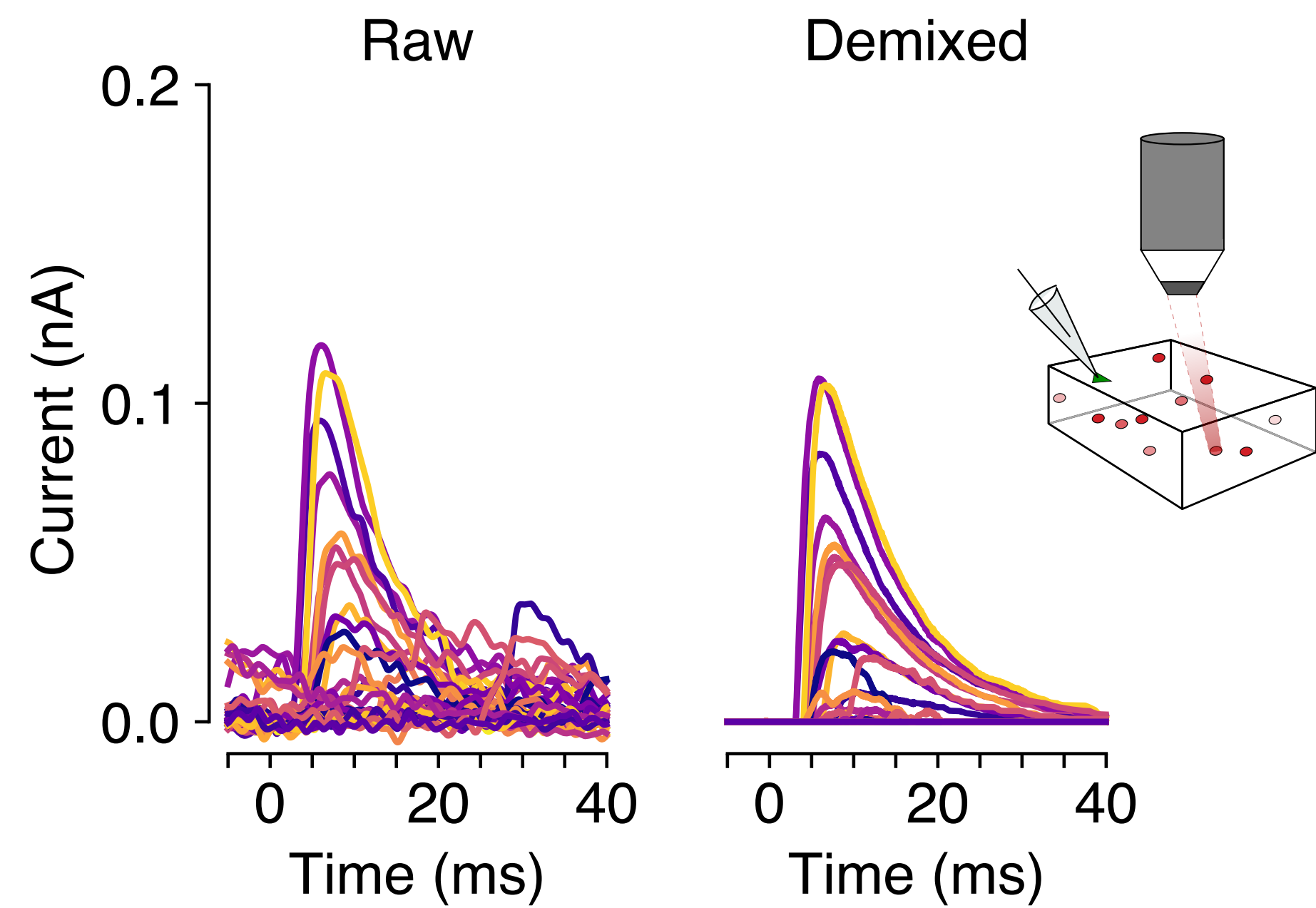
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- decimate, 1d Conv, BatchNorm, ReLU
- 1d ConvTranspose, BatchNorm, ReLU, interpolate
- skip connection

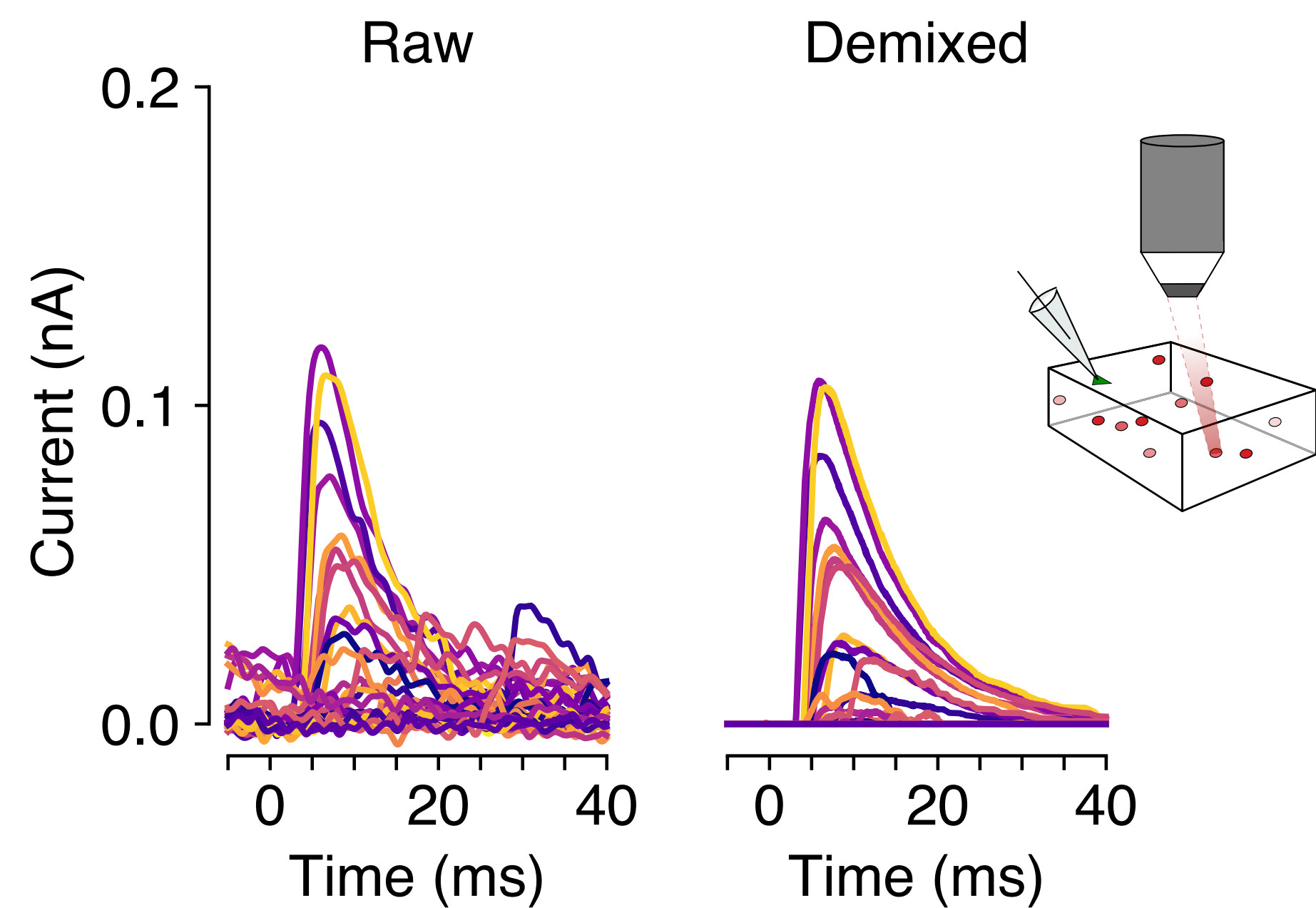
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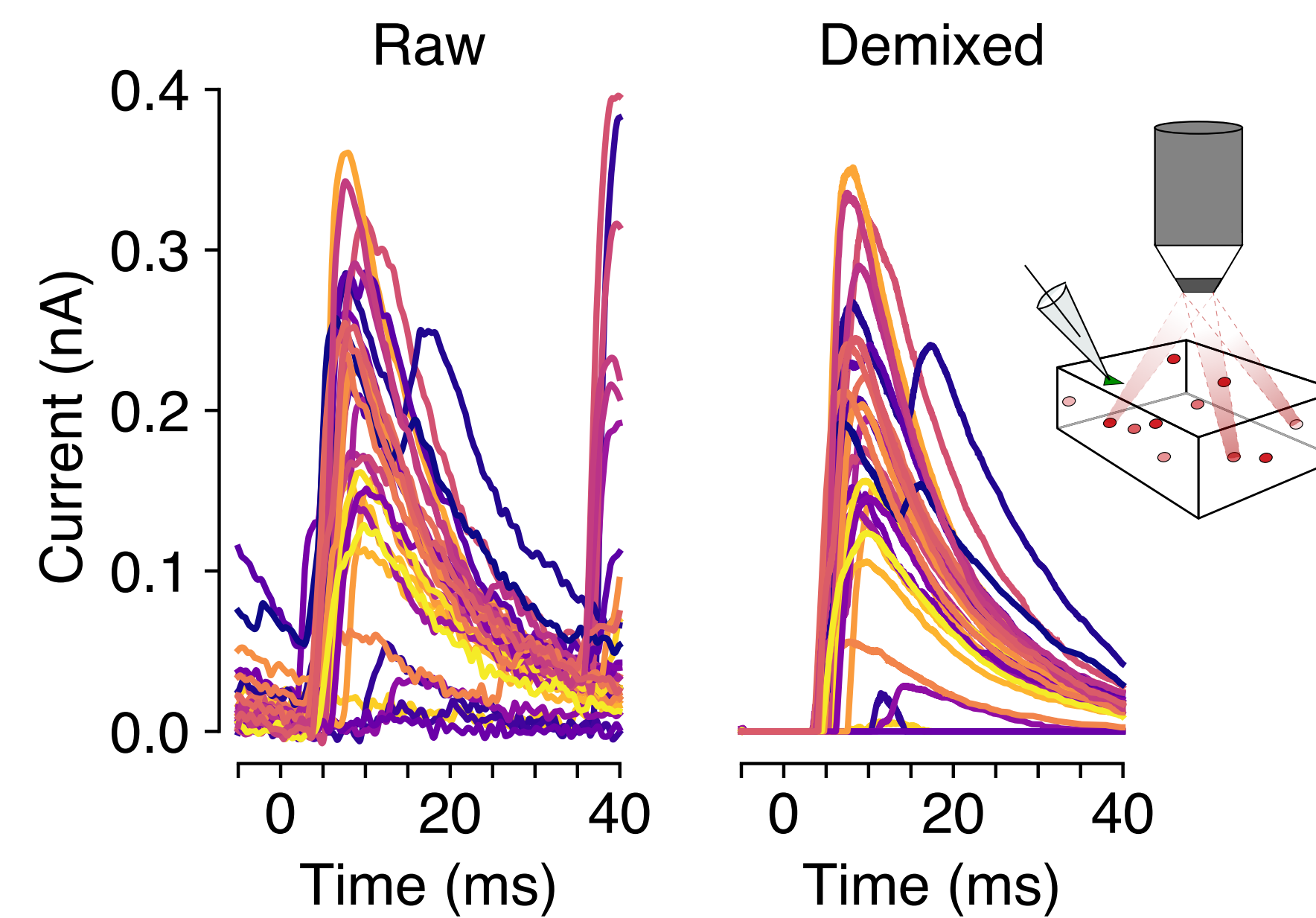


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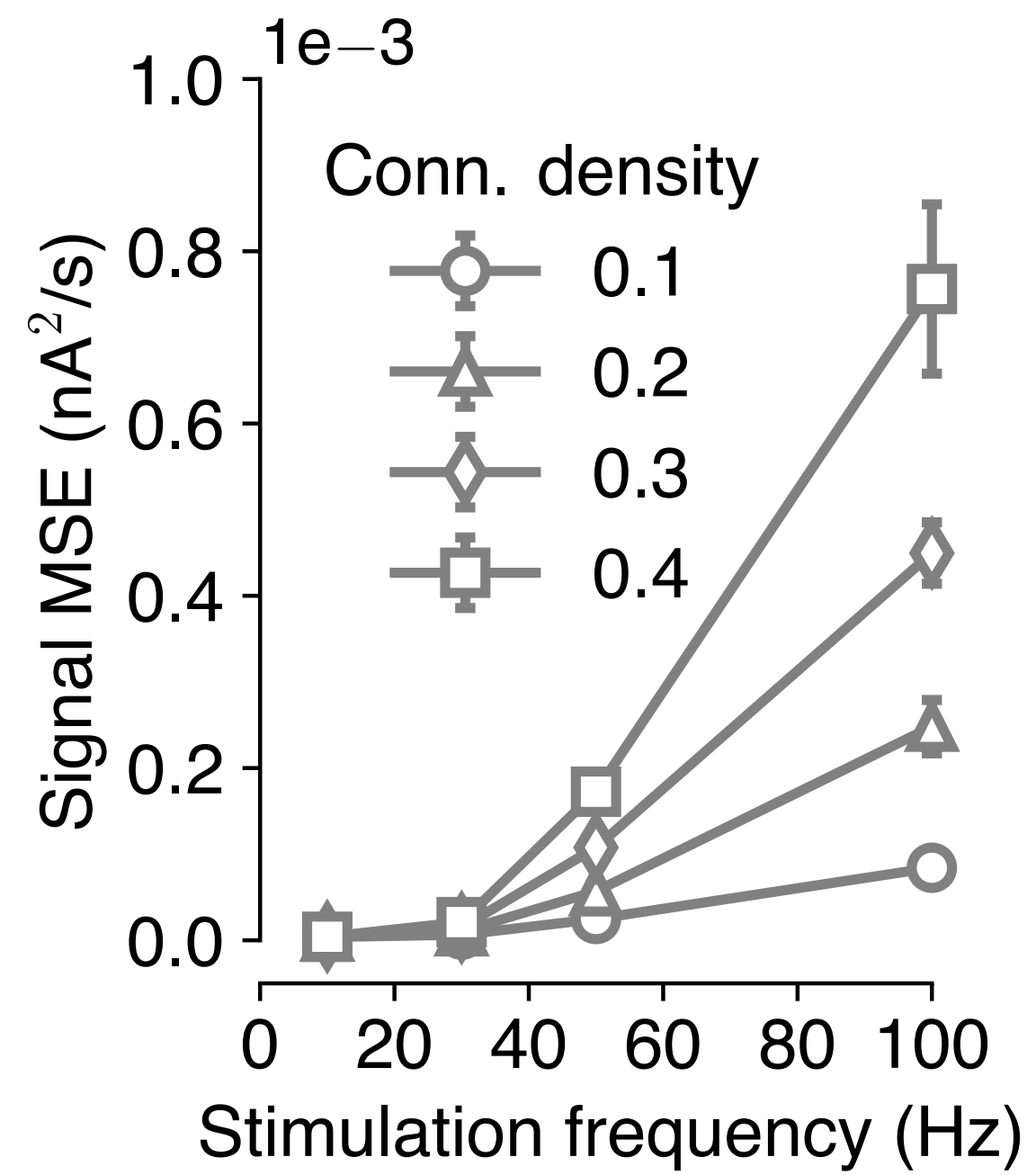
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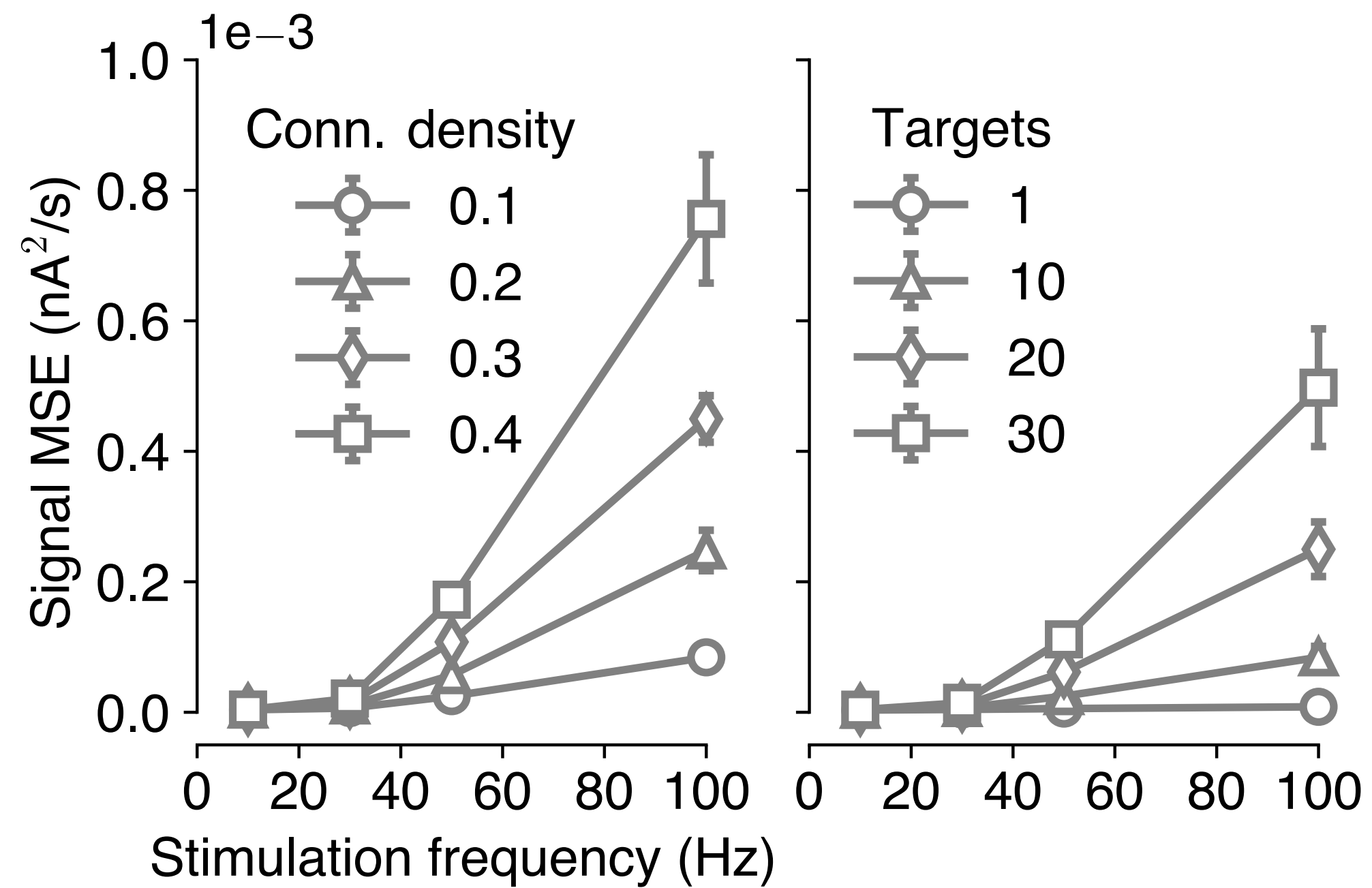
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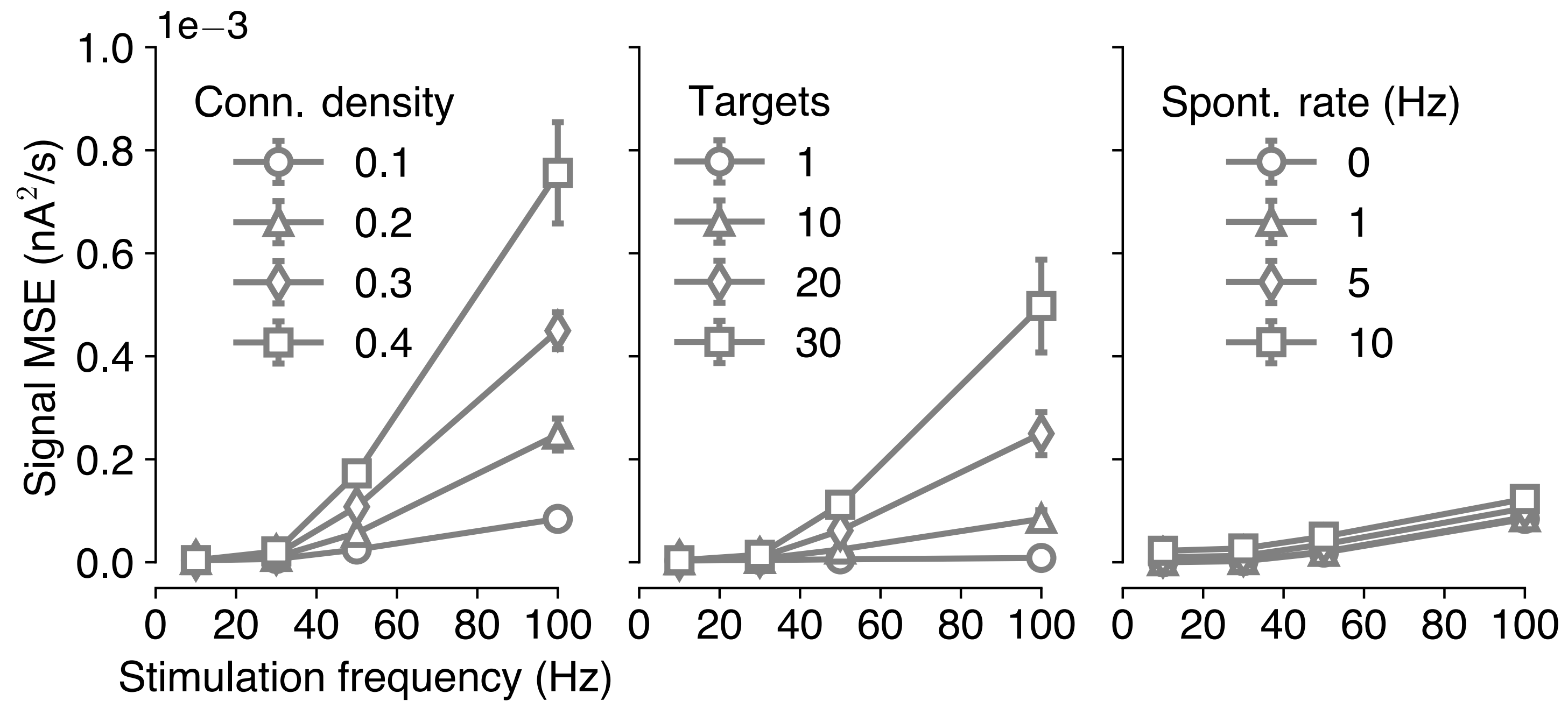
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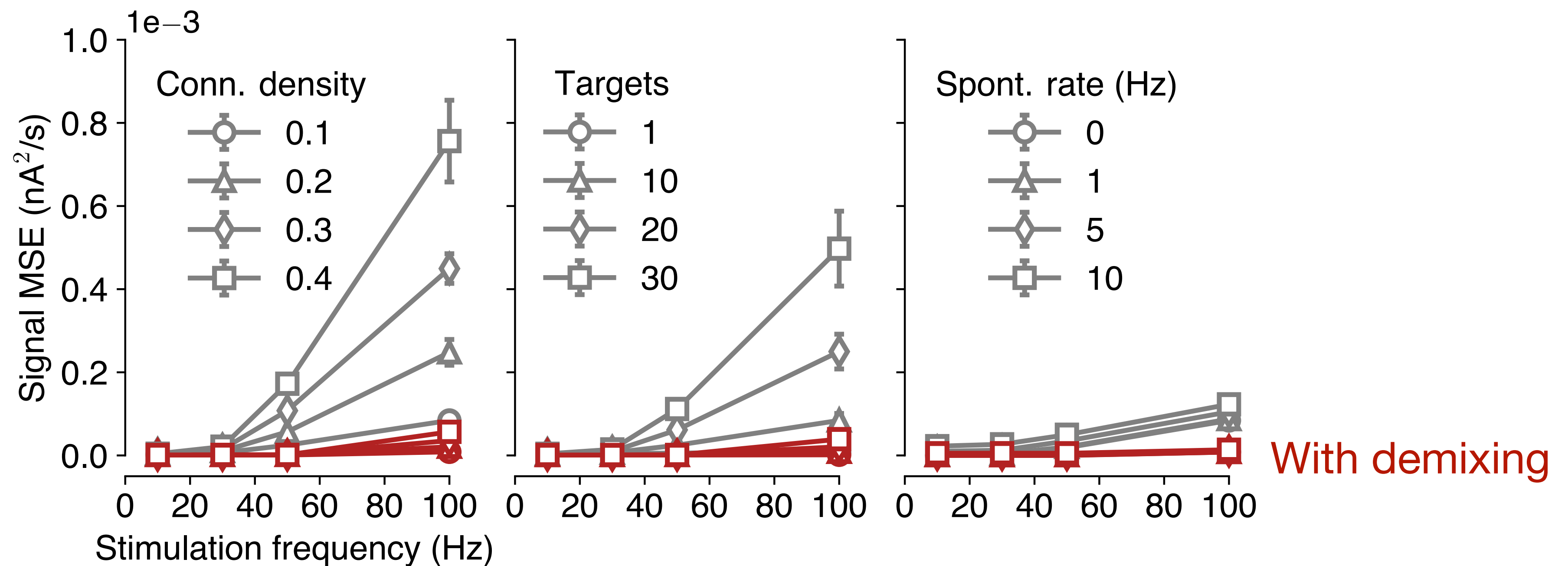
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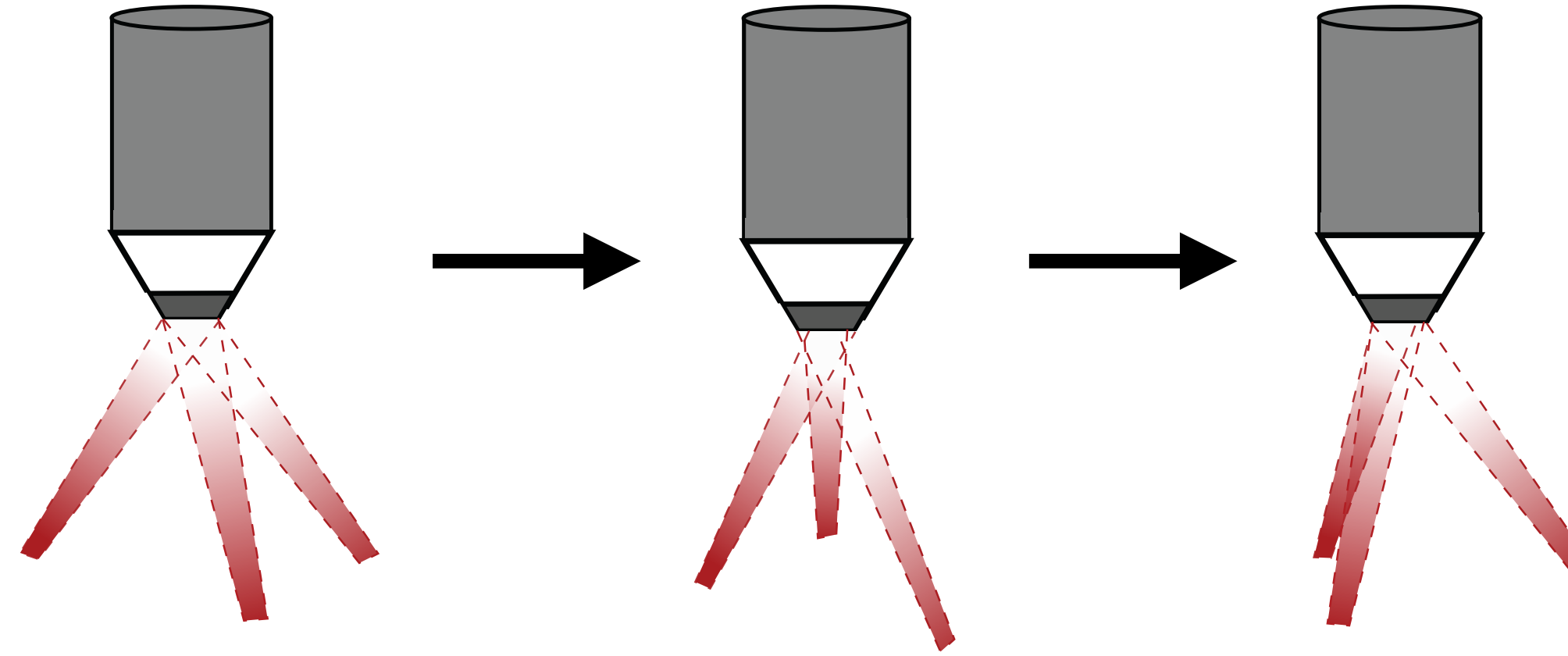
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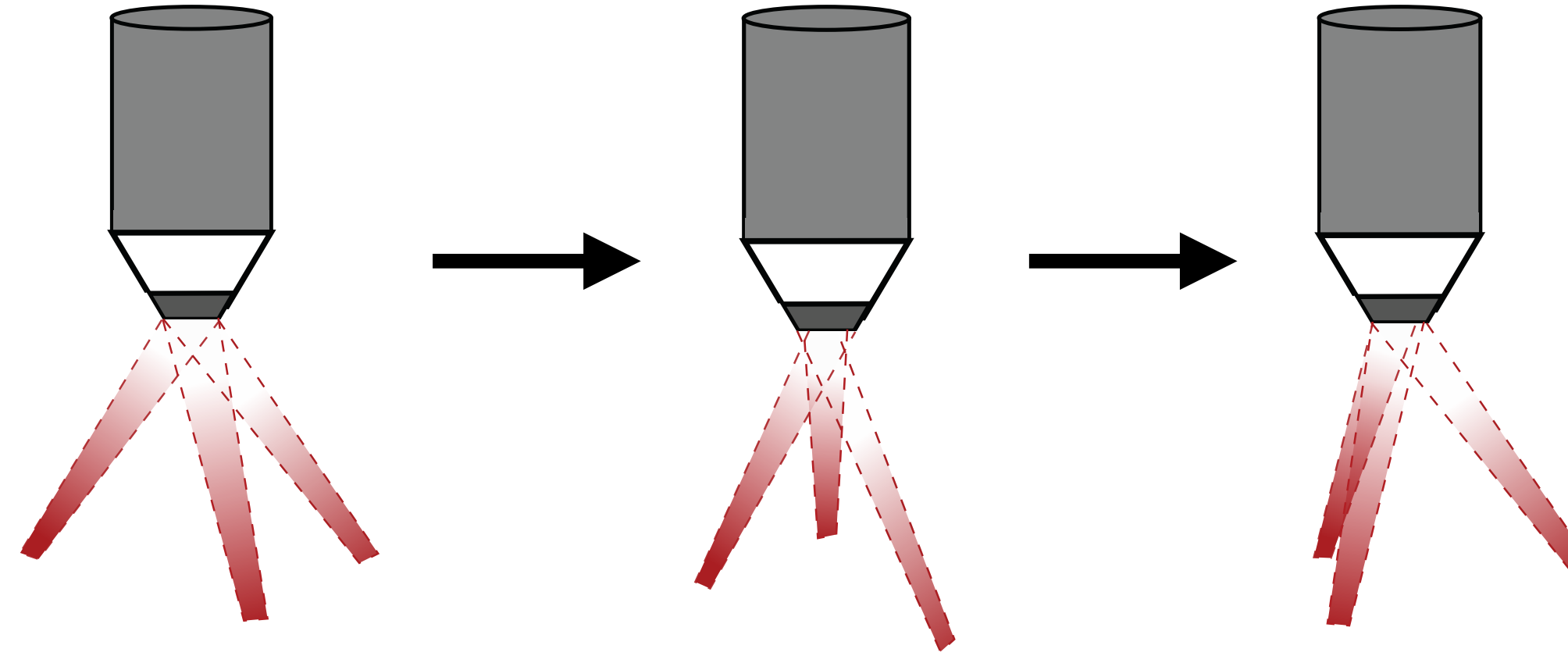
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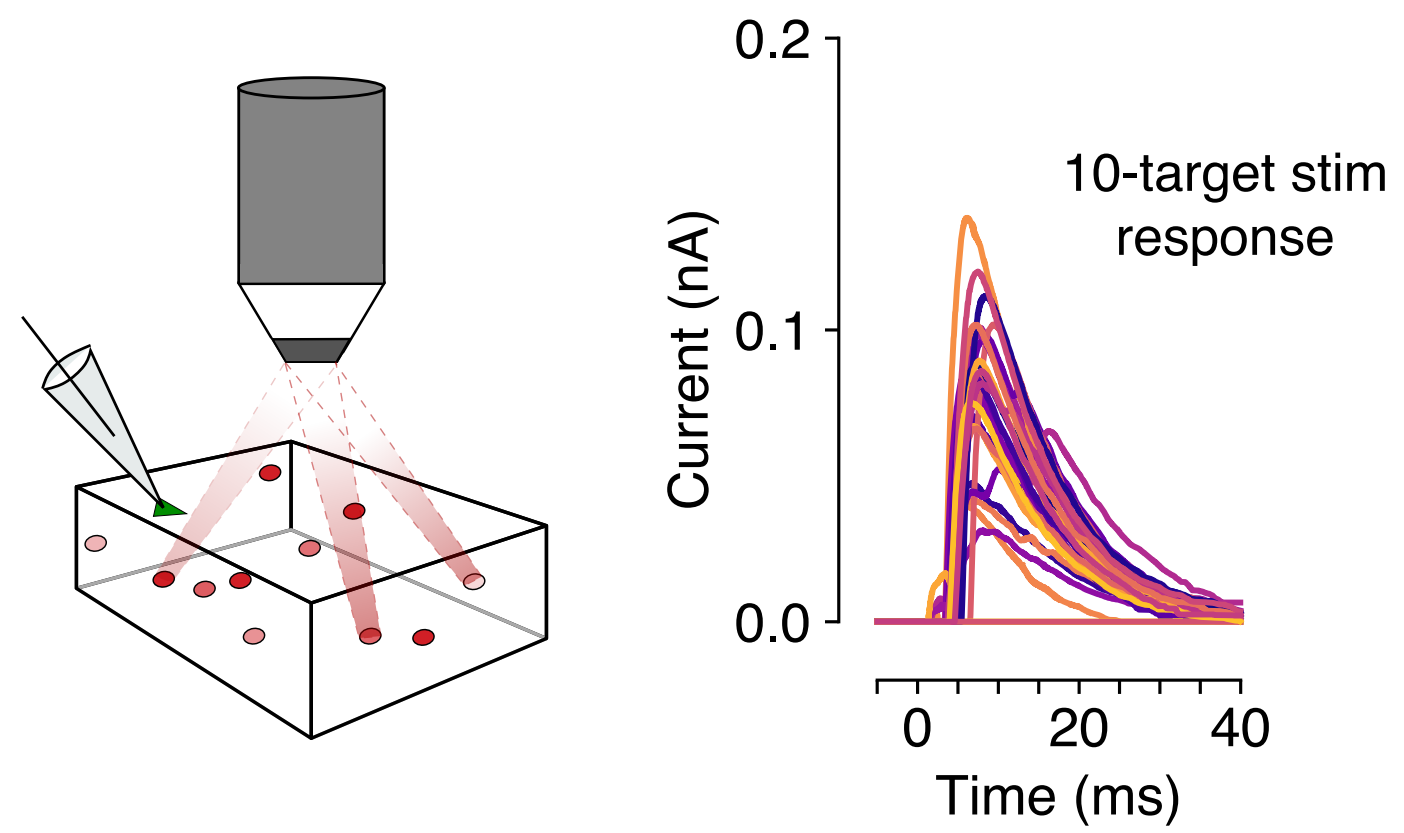
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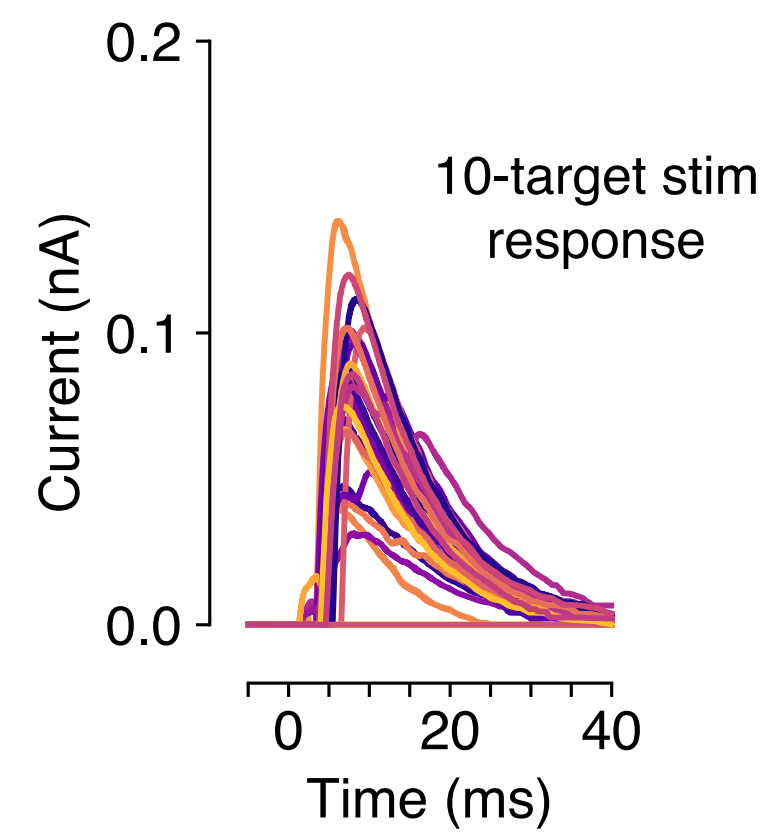
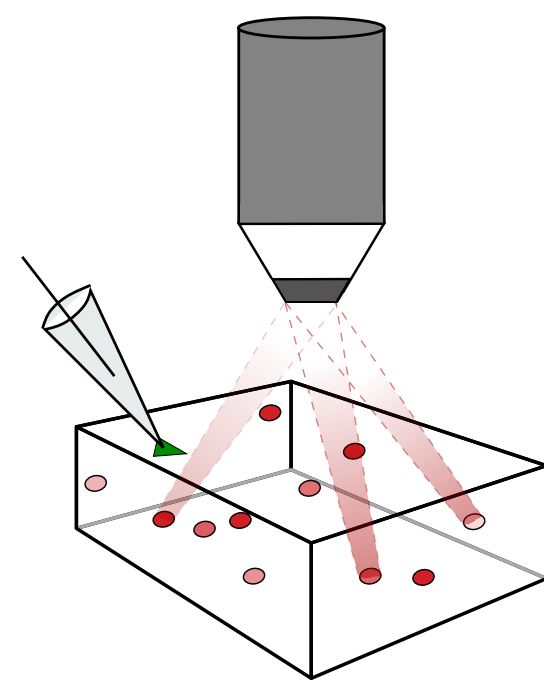
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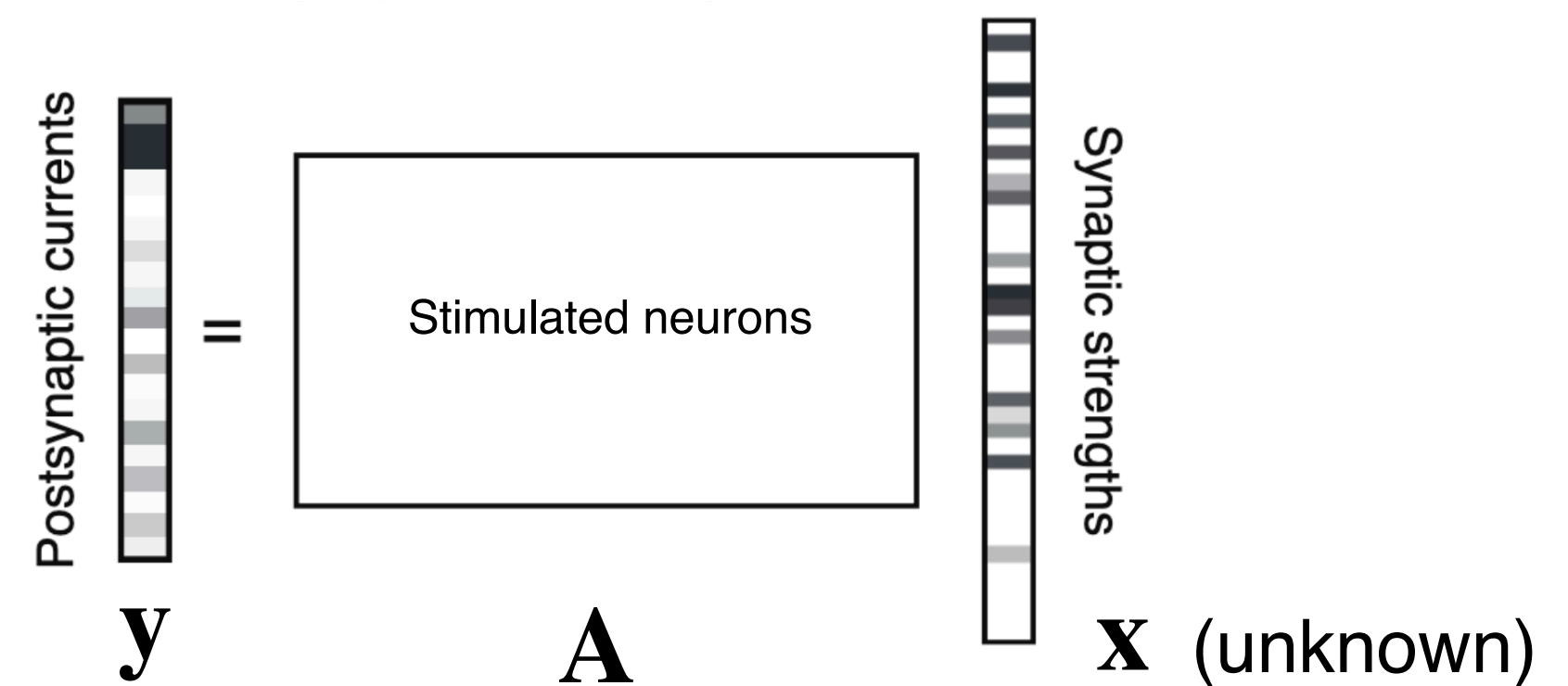


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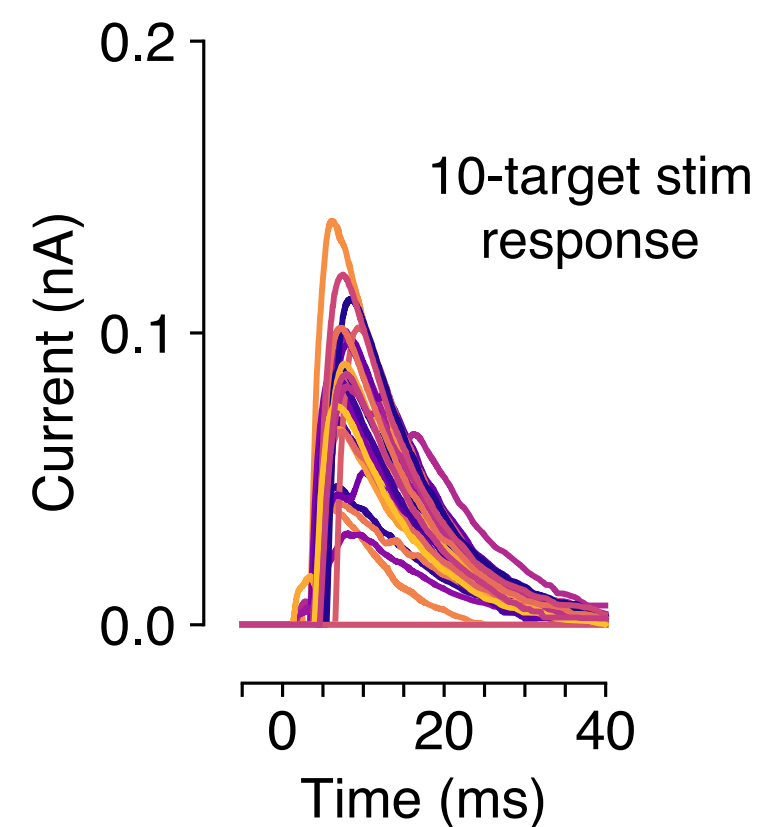
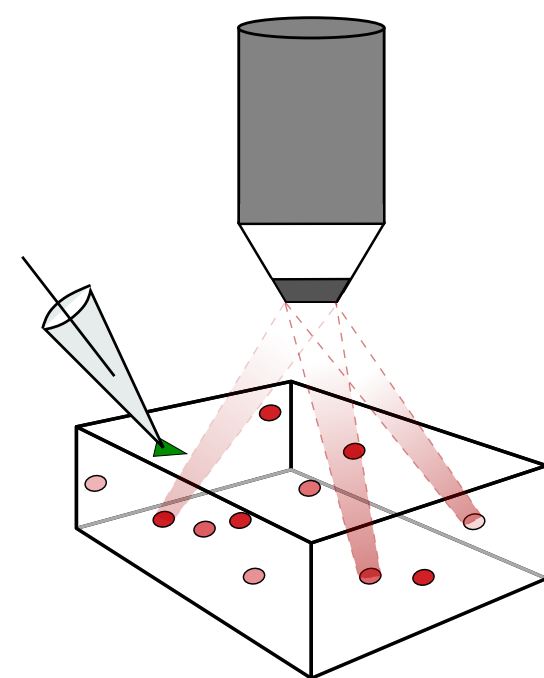
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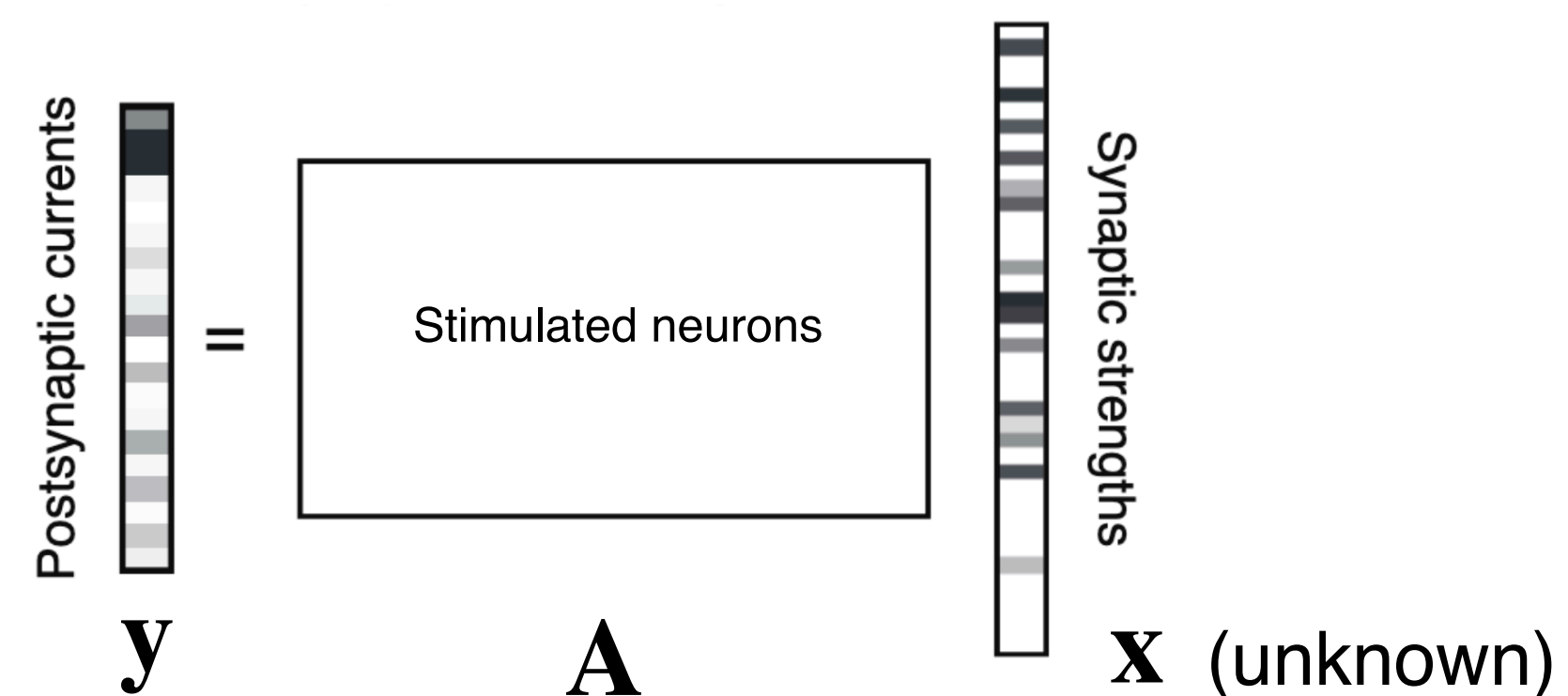
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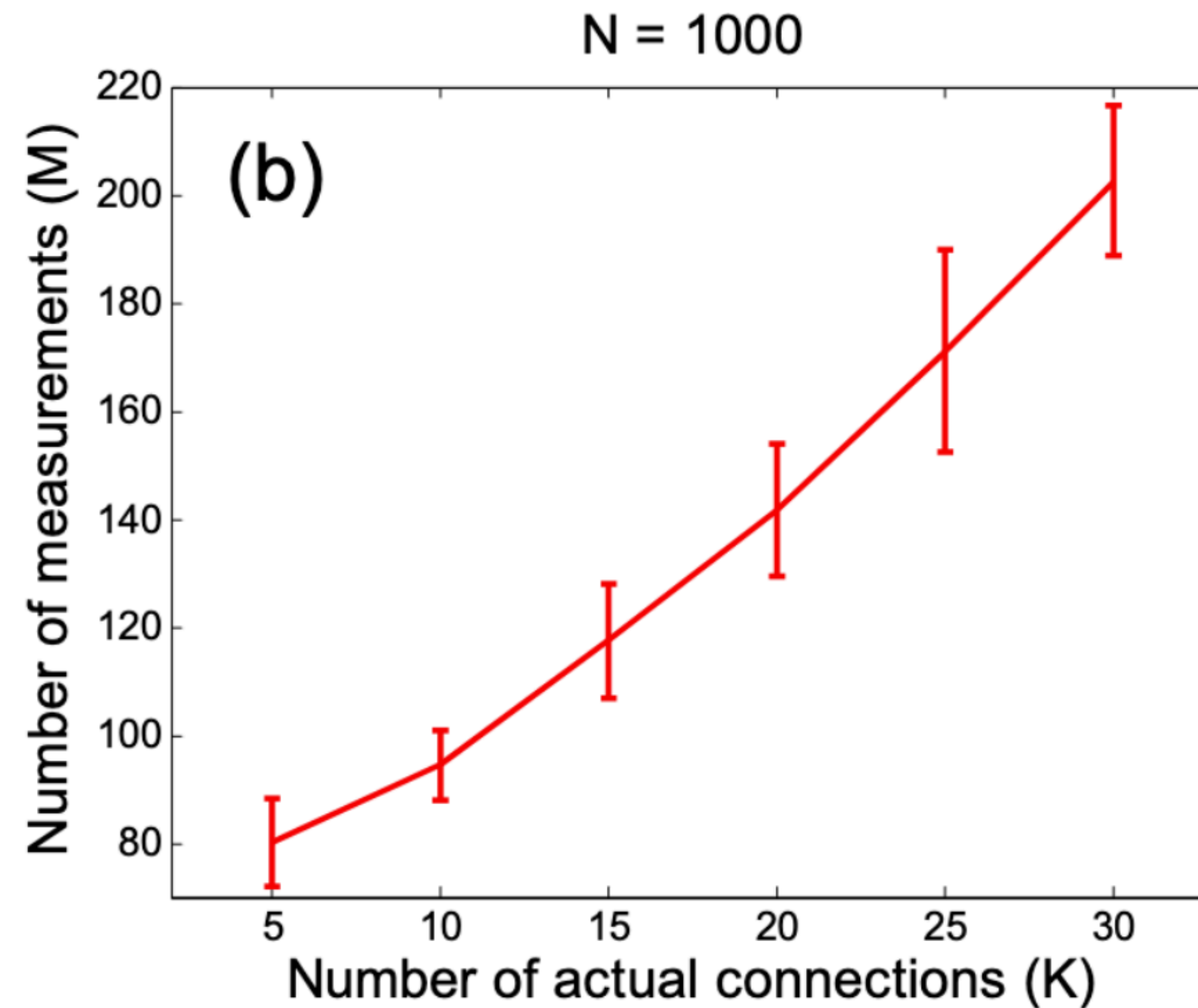


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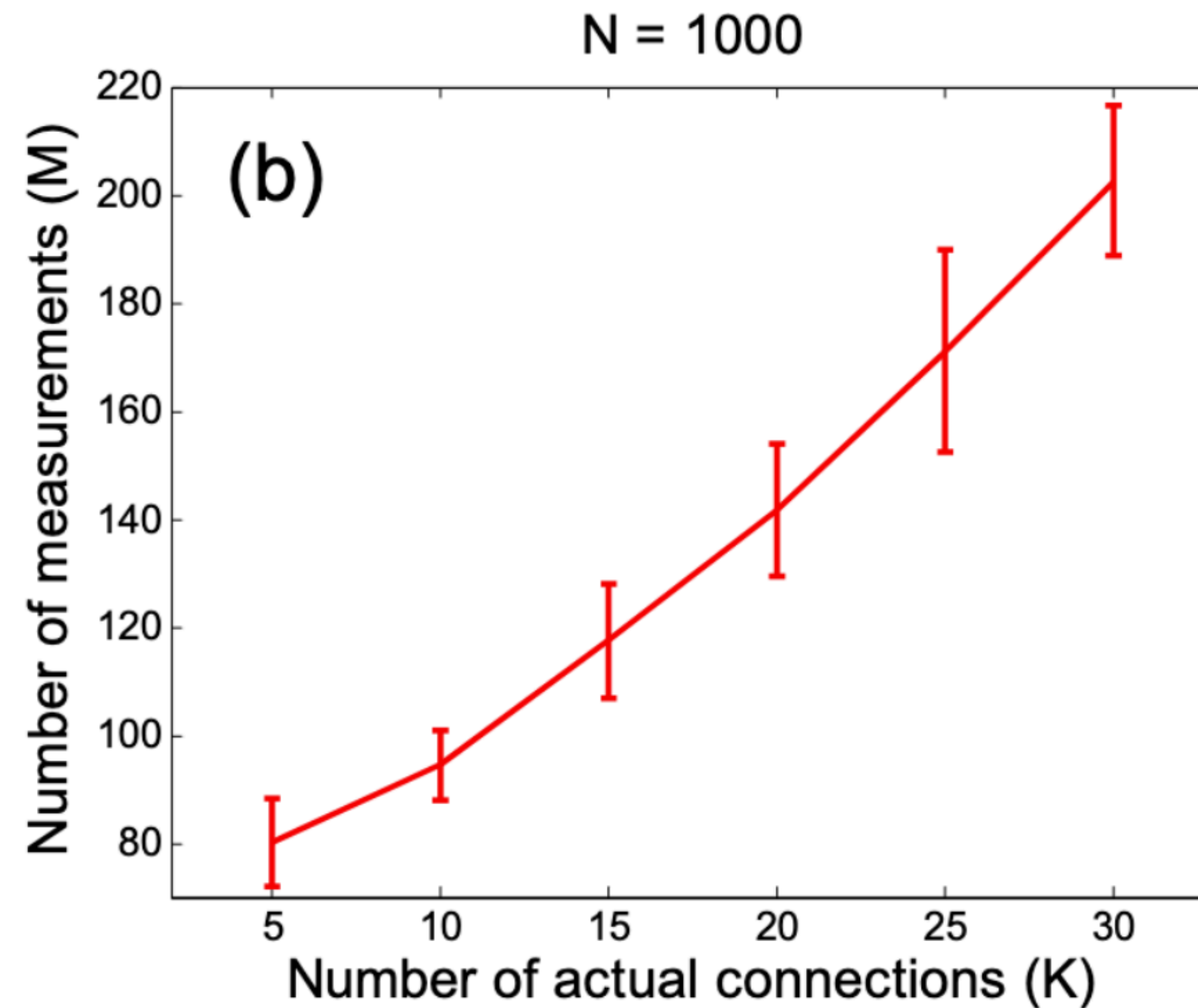


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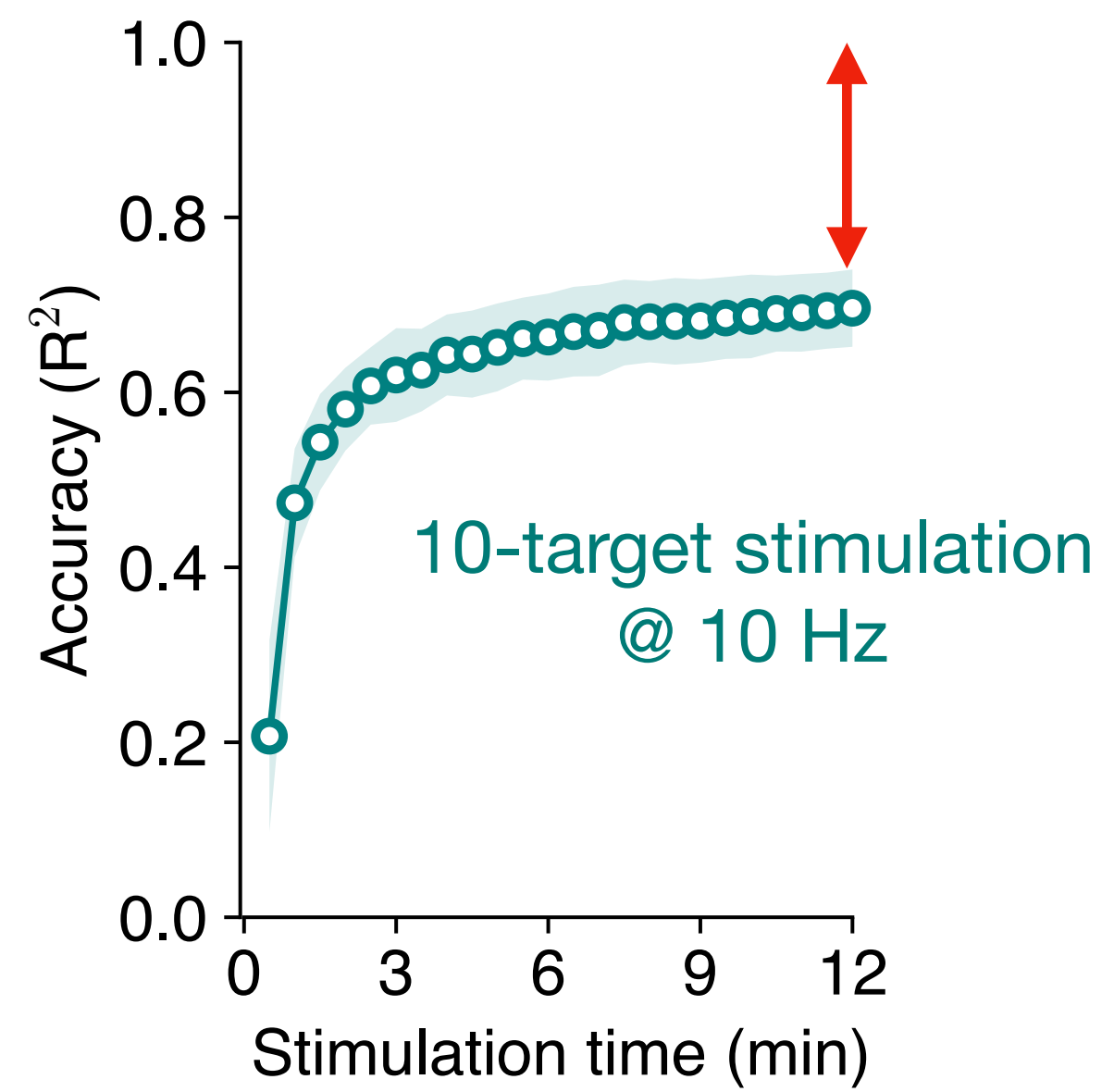
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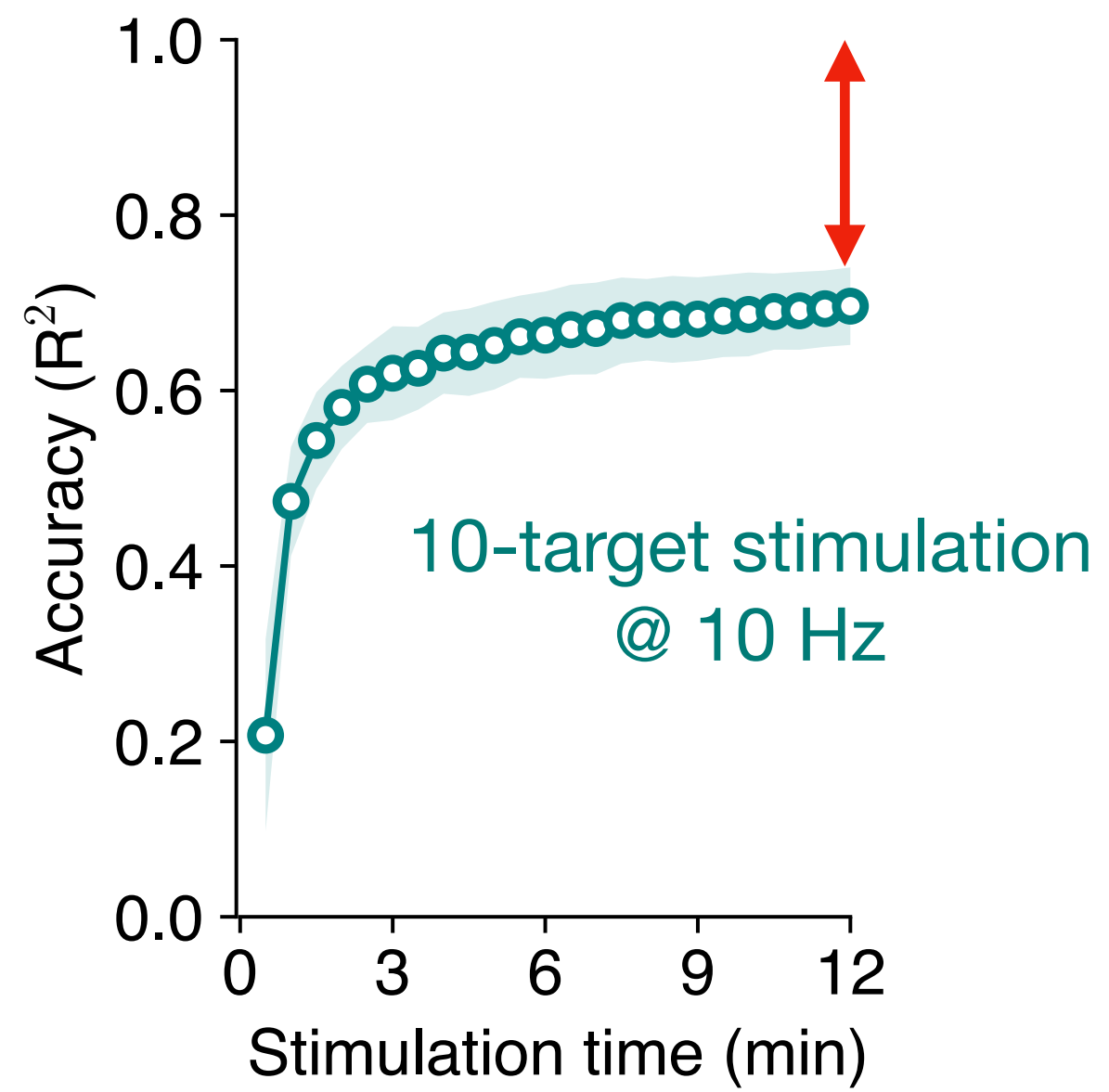
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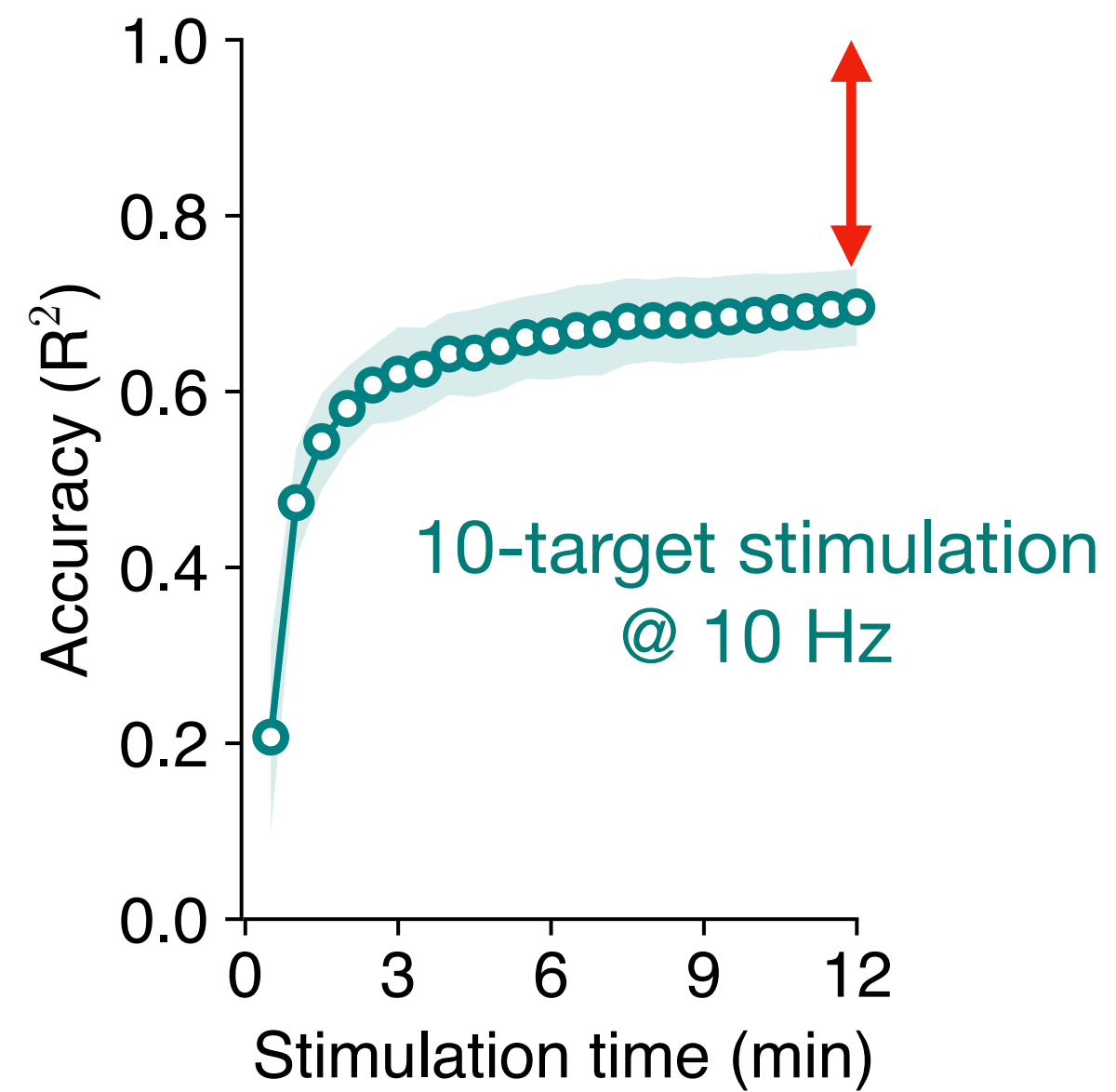


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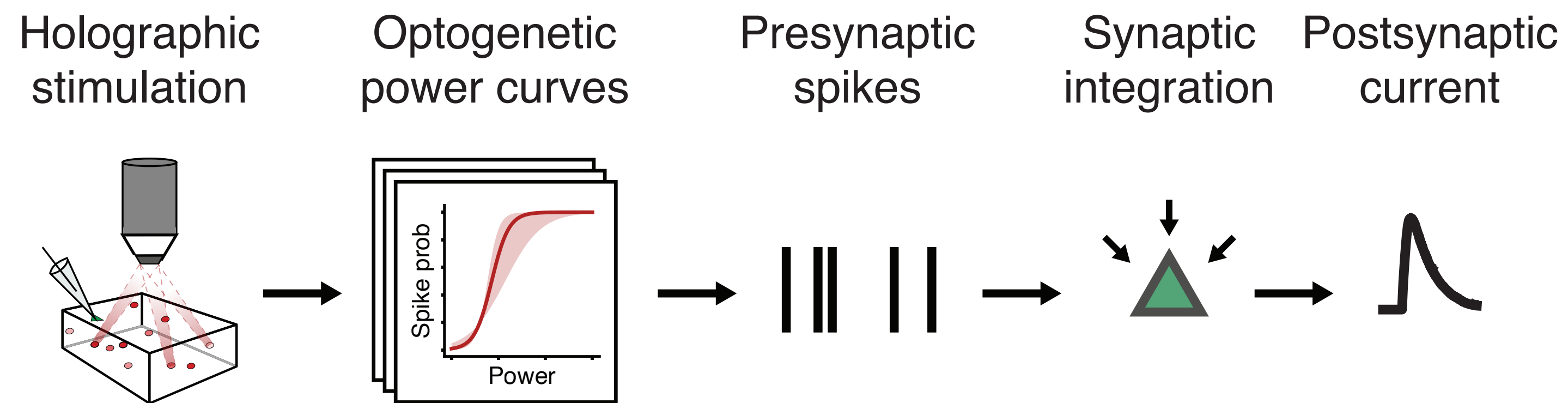
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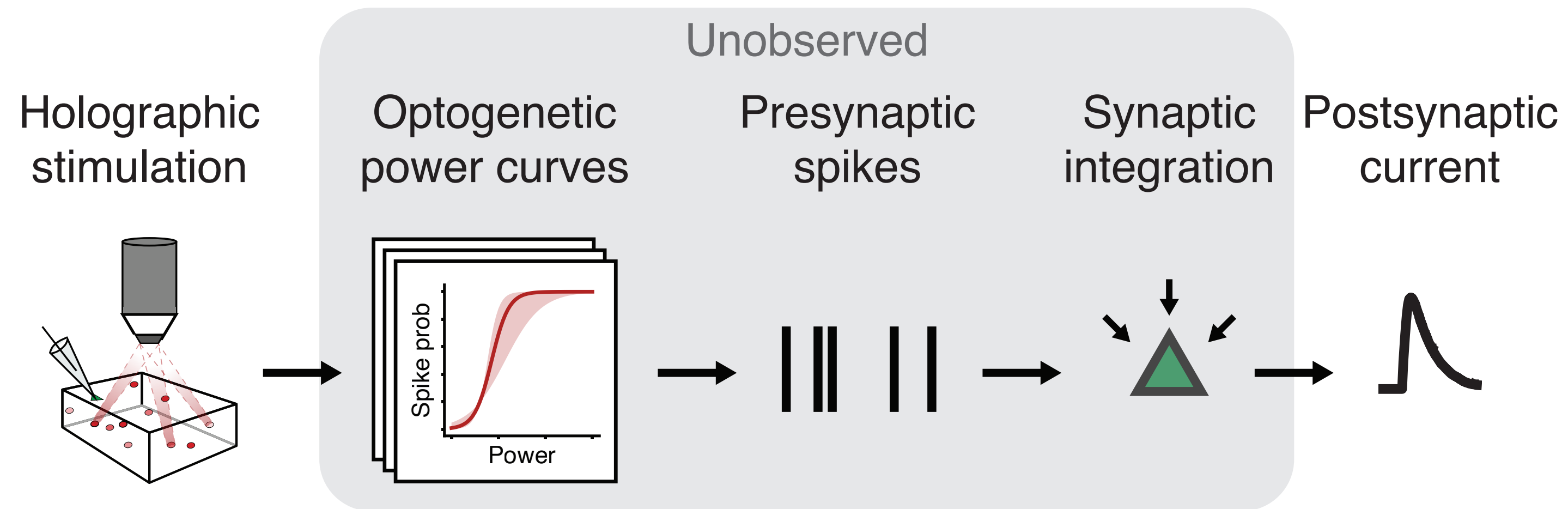
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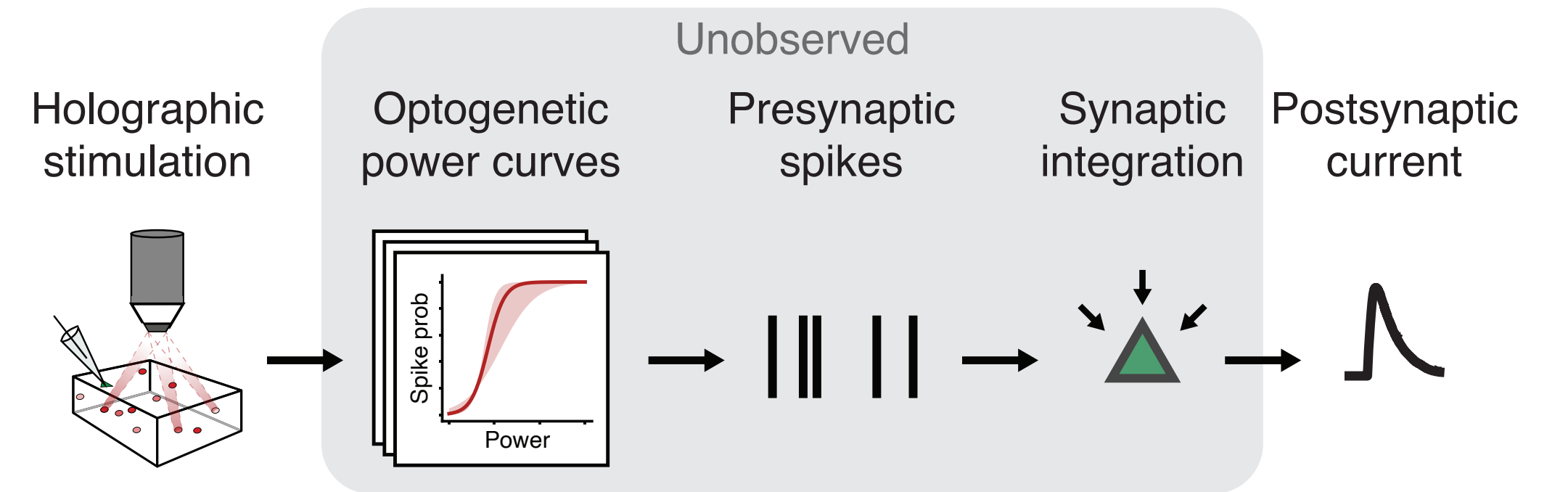


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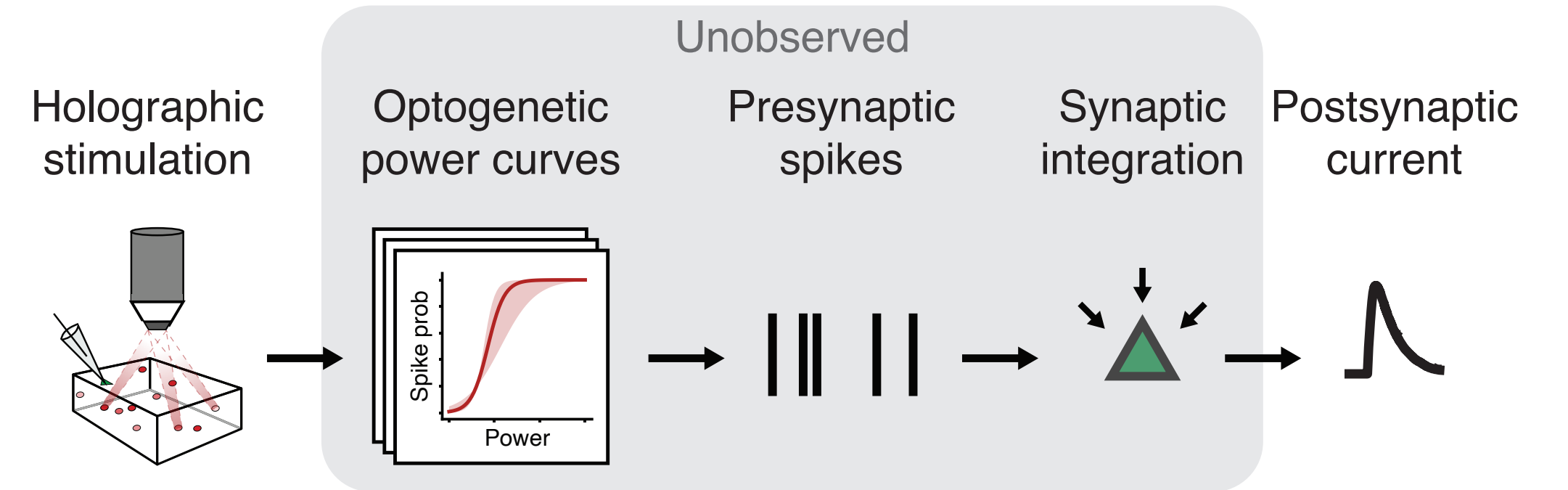


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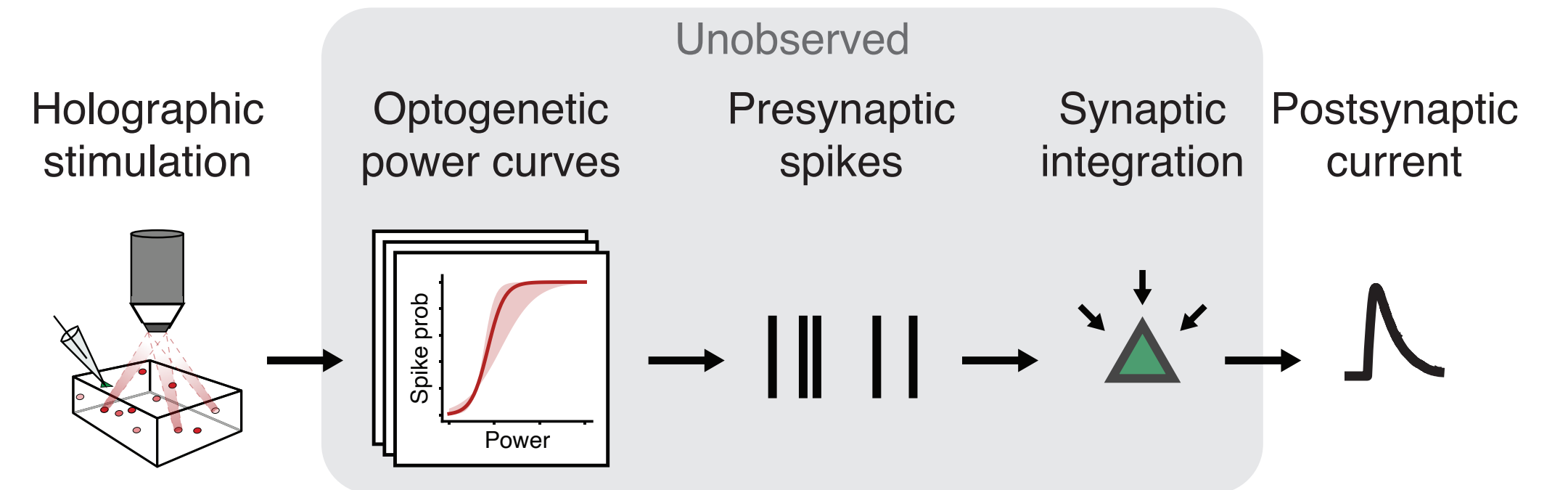
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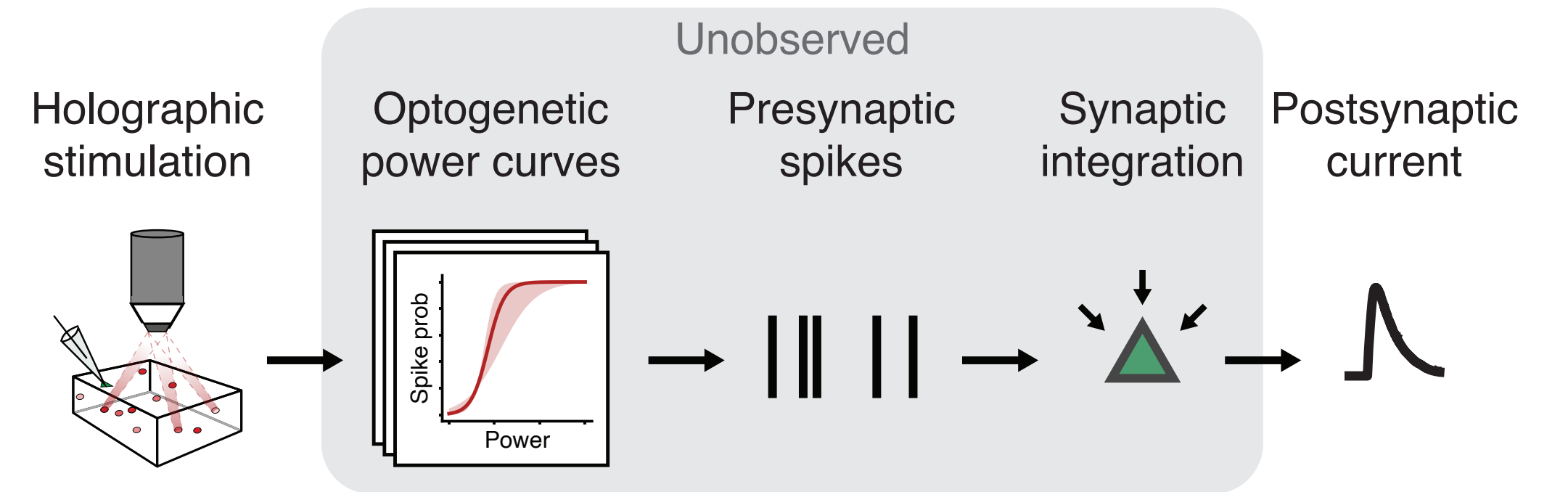
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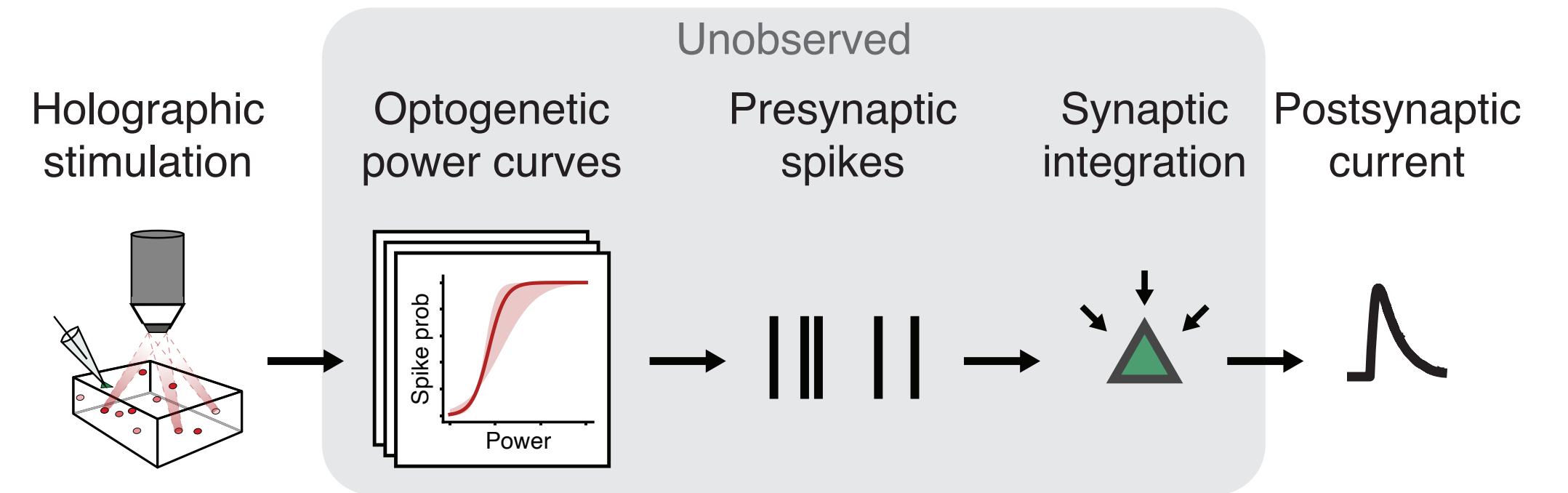
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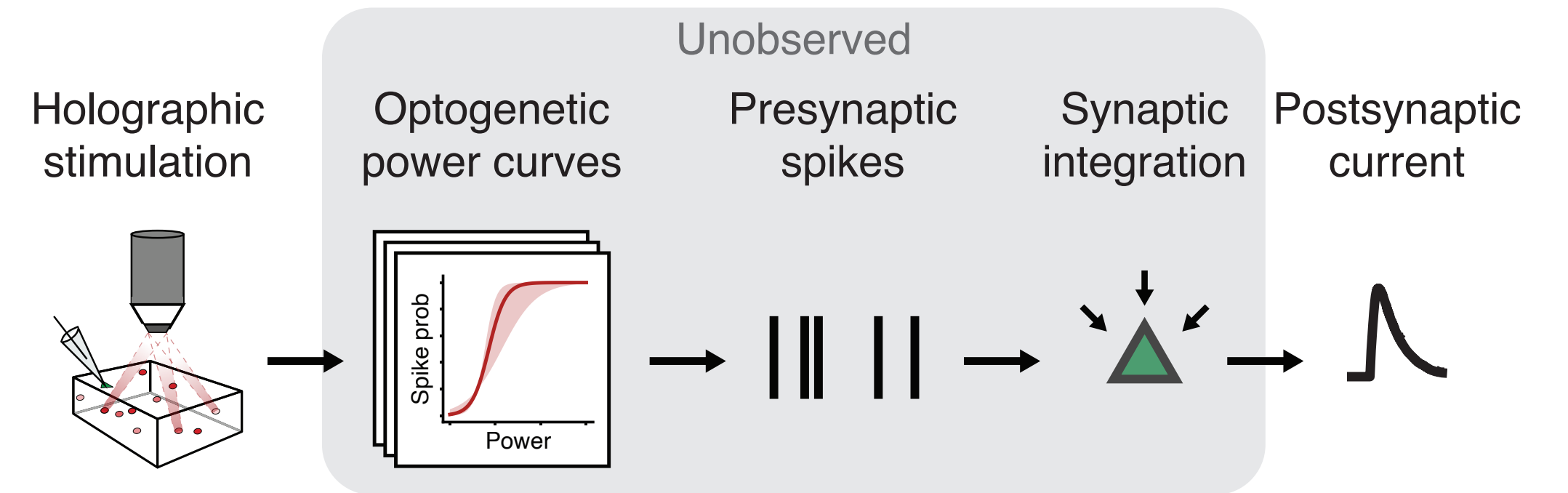
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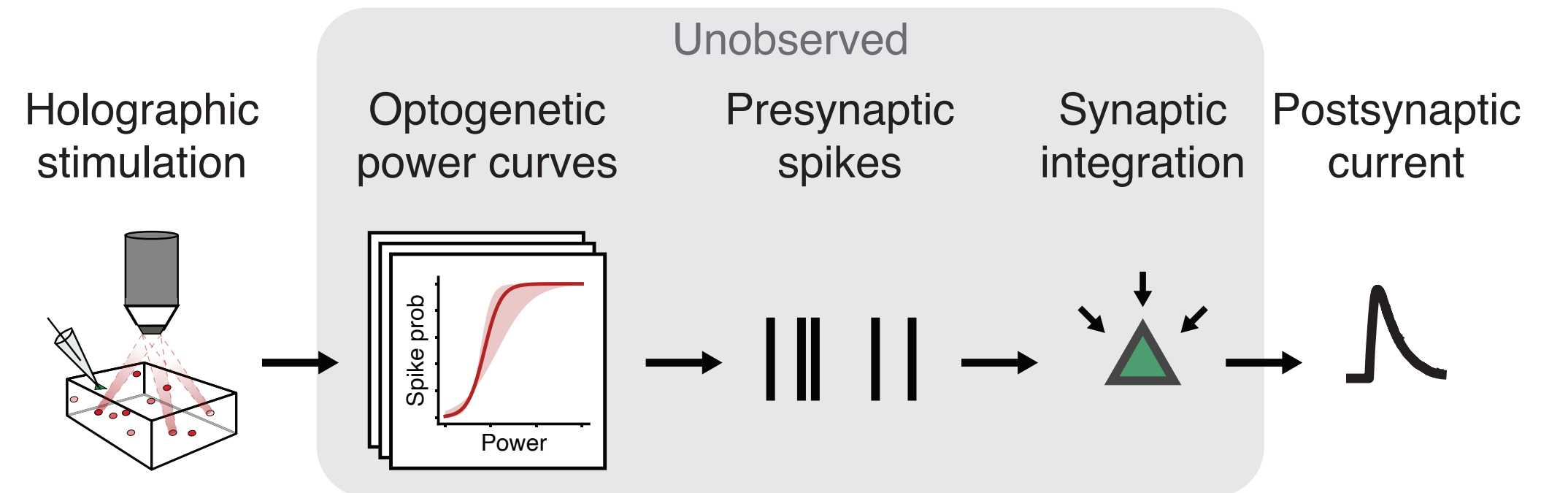
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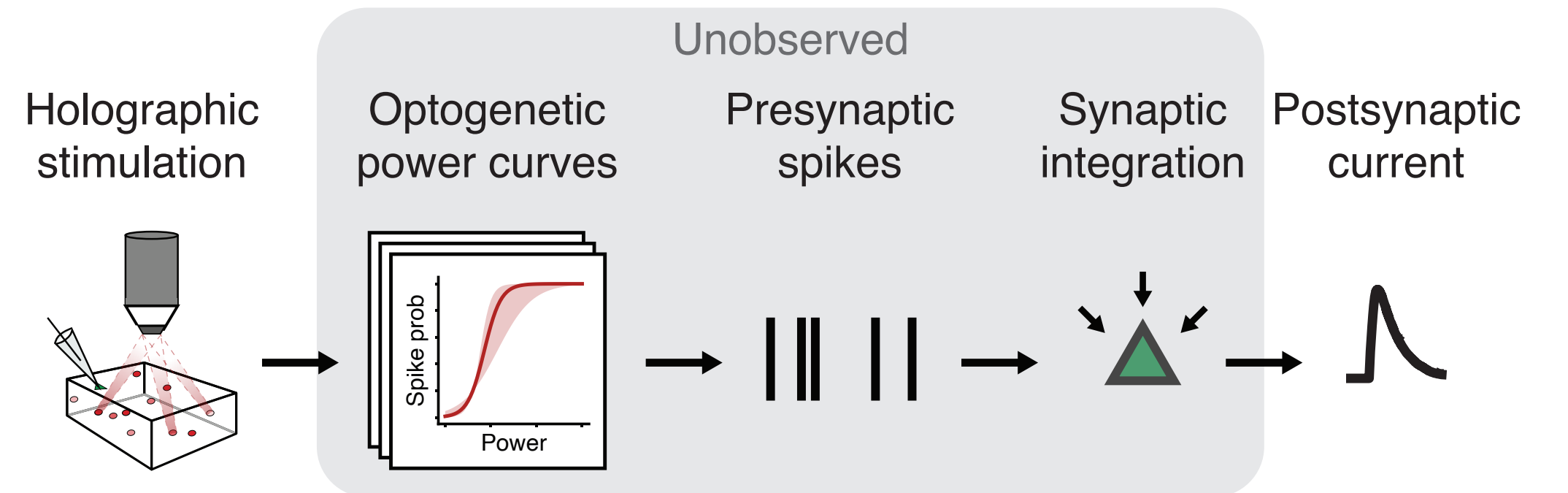
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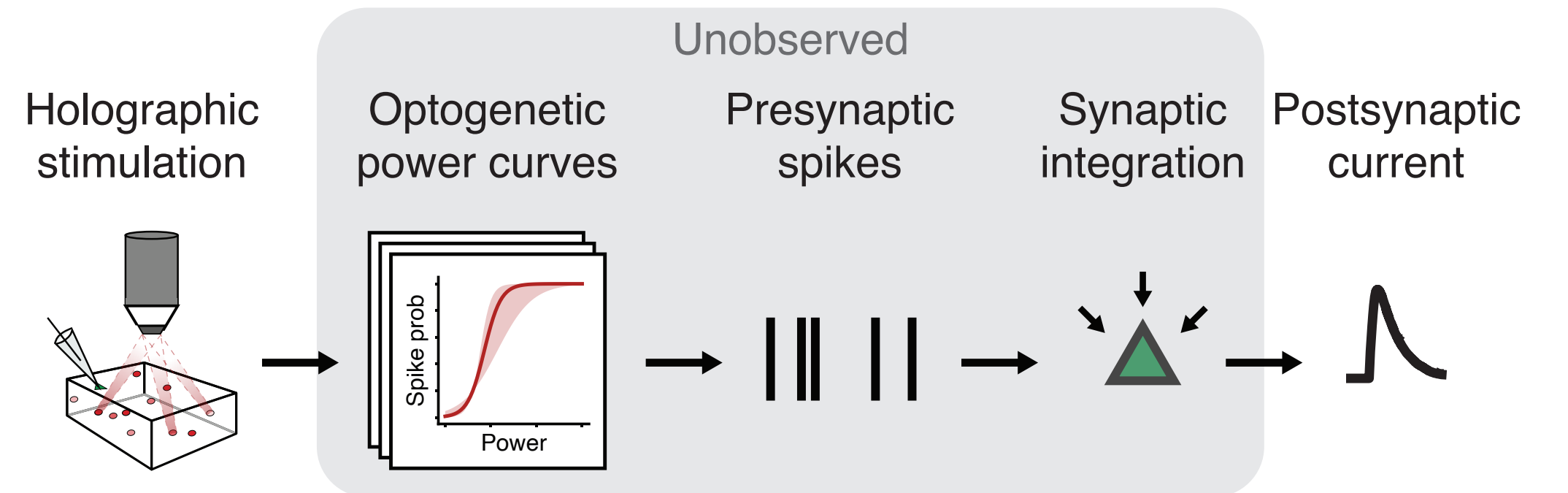
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$$p(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{s}, \phi, \sigma^2 | \mathbf{y}, \mathcal{I}) \propto p(\sigma^2) \prod_{n=1}^N p(w_n) p(\phi_n) \prod_{k=1}^K p(s_{nk} | I_{nk}, \phi_n) p(y_k | \mathbf{w}, \mathbf{s}_{:,k}, \sigma^2)$$

prior x likelihood

Variational approximation:

$$q(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{s}, \phi, \sigma^2) = q(\sigma^2 | \theta_{\text{sh}}, \theta_{\text{ra}}) q(\mathbf{w} | \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Omega}) \prod_{n=1}^N q(\phi_n | \boldsymbol{\nu}_n, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_n) \prod_{k=1}^K q(s_{nk} | \lambda_{nk})$$

> Minimize KL-divergence from q to p via block-coordinate descent

Engineering a solution

Algorithm 1: Coordinate-ascent variational inference and isotonic regularization (CAVIaR)

input: PSC traces \mathbf{c} , stimulus information \mathcal{I} , PAVA threshold θ_{PAVA} , spontaneous penalty backtracking scalar α , soft orthogonality threshold θ_{orthog} , minimal test statistic τ_{min} , number of iterations $iters$

- 1 initialise $\lambda_{nk} \leftarrow 1$ for all n, k such that $I_{nk} > 0$ and $\tau_{test}(\mathbf{c}_k) \geq \tau_{min}$
- 2 $\lambda_{spont} \leftarrow 0$ // initialize spontaneous rate to 0
- 3 $i \leftarrow 1$
- 4 **while** $i \leq iters$ **do**
 - 5 update $q(\mathbf{w} | \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Omega}) \propto \exp \mathbb{E}_{q(\mathcal{Z} \setminus \mathbf{w})} [\ln p(\mathbf{y}, \mathcal{Z} | \mathcal{I})]$ // variational solution for synaptic weights
 - 6 **for** $n = 1, \dots, N$ **do** // infer spikes via Monte Carlo ELBO solution
 - 7 sample $\phi_n[m] \sim q(\phi_n | \boldsymbol{\nu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma})$ for $m = 1, \dots, M$
 - 8 **for** $k = 1, \dots, K$ **do**
 - 9 $\lambda_{nk} \leftarrow \operatorname{argmax}_{\lambda_{nk}} \operatorname{ELBO}(\lambda_{nk} | \{\phi_n[m]\}_{m=1}^M)$
 - 10 **end**
 - 11 $\hat{F}_n \leftarrow \operatorname{PAVA}(\mathcal{I}, \boldsymbol{\lambda}_n)$ // estimate optogenetic power curve
 - 12 **if** $\hat{F}_n(\max_k I_{nk}) < \theta_{PAVA} + \lambda_{spont}$ **then** // check plausibility criterion
 - 13 $\boldsymbol{\mu}_n \leftarrow 0, \boldsymbol{\lambda}_n \leftarrow \mathbf{0}$
 - 14 **end**
 - 15 **end**
 - 16 **for** $n = 1, \dots, N$ **do** // Laplace approx of receptive field posterior
 - 17 $\boldsymbol{\nu}_n, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_n \leftarrow \operatorname{RECEPTIVEFIELDLAPLACE}(\mathbf{s}_n, \phi_n, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{L})$
 - 18 **end**
 - 19 update $q(\sigma^{-2} | \theta_{sh}, \theta_{ra}) \propto \exp \mathbb{E}_{q(\mathcal{Z} \setminus \sigma^{-2})} [\ln p(\mathbf{y}, \mathcal{Z} | \mathcal{I})]$ // variational solution for noise precision
 - 20 **while** $\|\mathbf{y} - \boldsymbol{\mu}^\top \boldsymbol{\Lambda} - \mathbf{z}\|_2^2 / \|\mathbf{y}\|_2^2 \geq \epsilon$ **do** // begin spontaneous PSC inference
 - 21 **for** $k = 1, \dots, K$ **do**
 - 22 **if** $\sum_{n=1}^N \lambda_{nk} \leq \theta_{orthog}$ **and** $\tau_{test}(\mathbf{c}_k) \geq \tau_{min}$ **then**
 - 23 $z_k \leftarrow S([y_k - \boldsymbol{\mu}^\top \boldsymbol{\lambda}_{:,k}]_+, \gamma)$ // soft-threshold residual with penalty γ
 - 24 **end**
 - 25 **end**
 - 26 $\gamma \leftarrow \alpha \gamma$ // shrink penalty
 - 27 **end**
 - 28 $\lambda_{spont} \leftarrow \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \mathbb{1}_{[z_k \neq 0]}$ // update spontaneous rate
 - 29 $i \leftarrow i + 1$
 - 30 **end**
 - 31 $\boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Omega}, \boldsymbol{\Lambda}, \boldsymbol{\phi}, \mathbf{z} \leftarrow \operatorname{FNSCAN}(\boldsymbol{\mu}, \mathbf{z})$ // scan resulting spontaneous PSCs for potential false negatives

Algorithm 2: RECEPTIVEFIELDLAPLACE

- 1 **for** $n = 1, \dots, N$ **do**
 - 2 **for** $t = 1, \dots, T_{max}$ **do**
 - 3 $\kappa \leftarrow 1$ // Newton stepsize
 - 4 $\Psi_n(\phi_n) = -\mathbb{E}_{q(\mathbf{s}_n | \lambda_n)} \left[\sum_{k=1}^K \ln p(\mathbf{s}_{nk} | \phi_n, I_{nk}) + \ln p(\phi_n | \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{L}) \right] - \frac{1}{\alpha_{barrier}} \sum_{i=0}^1 \ln(\phi_n^i)$
 - 5 $\mathbf{J} = \nabla_{\phi_n} \Psi_n, \mathbf{H} = \nabla \nabla_{\phi_n} \Psi_n$
 - 6 $\mathbf{d} = \mathbf{H}_n^{-1} \mathbf{J}_n$ // search direction
 - 7 **while** $\Psi_n(\phi_n + \kappa \mathbf{d}) > \Psi_n(\phi_n) + \alpha_{backtrack} \kappa \mathbf{J}_n^\top \mathbf{d}$ **do** // backtrack
 - 8 $\kappa \leftarrow \beta_{backtrack} \kappa$
 - 9 **end**
 - 10 $\phi_n \leftarrow \phi_n + \kappa \mathbf{d}$ // make step
 - 11 **end**
 - 12 $\boldsymbol{\nu}_n \leftarrow \phi_n$
 - 13 $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_n \leftarrow \mathbf{H}_n^{-1}$
 - 14 **end**
 - 15 $q(\phi | \boldsymbol{\nu}_n, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_n) = \operatorname{TruncNormal}(\boldsymbol{\nu}_n, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_n, 0, \infty)$ // truncate support to $(0, \infty)$

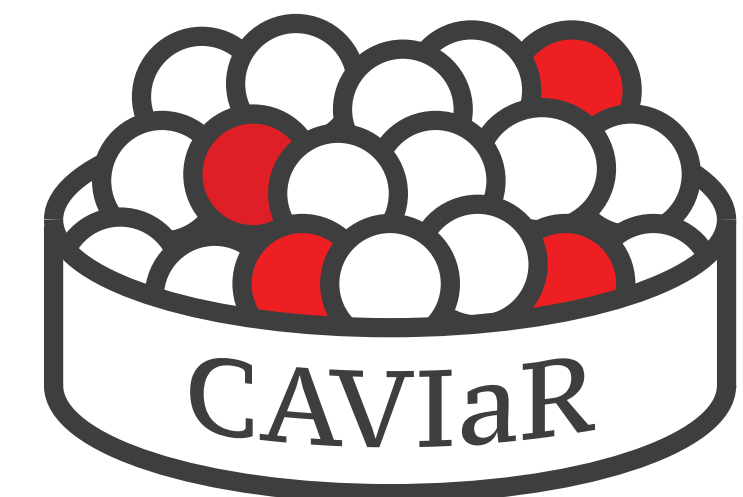
Algorithm 3: FNSCAN

input: Synaptic weights $\boldsymbol{\mu}$, spontaneous synaptic currents \mathbf{z} , stimulus information \mathcal{I} , PAVA threshold θ_{PAVA}

- 1 $S_{disc} \leftarrow \{n \in \{1, \dots, N\} : \mu_n = 0\}$ // initialize pool of candidate neurons
- 2 **while** $|S_{disc}| > 0$ **do**
 - 3 **for** $n = 1, \dots, N$ **do** // collect spontaneous PSC indices aligning with neuron stim times
 - 4 $\operatorname{spont}_n \leftarrow \{k \in \{1, \dots, K\} : z_k \neq 0 \text{ and } I_{nk} > 0\}$
 - 5 **end**
 - 6 $n^* \leftarrow \operatorname{argmax}_n |\operatorname{spont}_n|$ // select neuron with most coincidental spontaneous PSCs
 - 7 $\hat{F}_{n^*}^{\operatorname{spont}} \leftarrow \operatorname{PAVA}((I_{n^*k})_{k \in \operatorname{spont}_{n^*}}, (z_k)_{k \in \operatorname{spont}_{n^*}})$ // estimate putative power curve
 - 8 **if** $\hat{F}_{n^*}^{\operatorname{spont}}(\max_k I_{n^*k}) \geq \theta_{PAVA}$ **then**
 - 9 $\boldsymbol{\mu}_{n^*} \leftarrow \operatorname{mean}(\{z_k : k \in \operatorname{spont}_{n^*}\})$ // neuron passes PAVA criterion, declare connected
 - 10 $\beta_{n^*} \leftarrow \operatorname{s.e.m.}(\{z_k : k \in \operatorname{spont}_{n^*}\})$
 - 11 **for** $k \in \operatorname{spont}_{n^*}$ **do**
 - 12 $\lambda_{n^*k} \leftarrow 1$ // declare spontaneous PSC to be spike from neuron n^*
 - 13 $z_k \leftarrow 0$ // remove spontaneous PSC from vector \mathbf{z}
 - 14 **end**
 - 15 **end**
 - 16 $S_{disc} \leftarrow S_{disc} \setminus \{n^*\}$ // remove n^* from pool of disconnected neurons
 - 17 **end**

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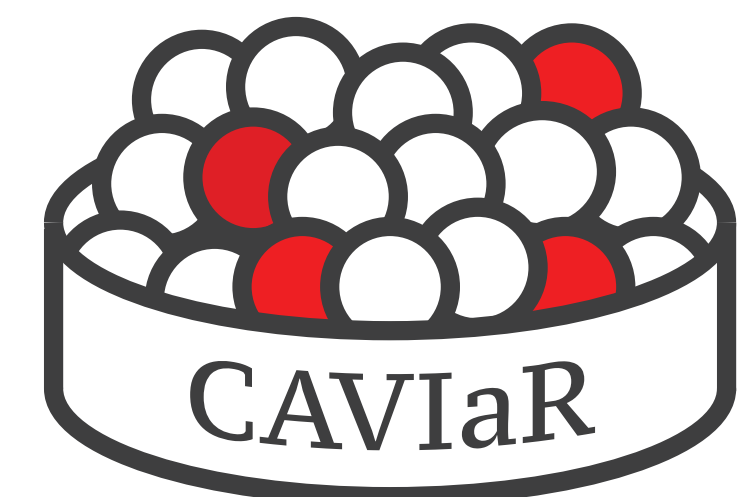
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import circuitmap as cm

# Choose your NWD network
demix = cm.NeuralDemixer(path='demixers/nwd_ie_ChroME2f.ckpt', device=device)

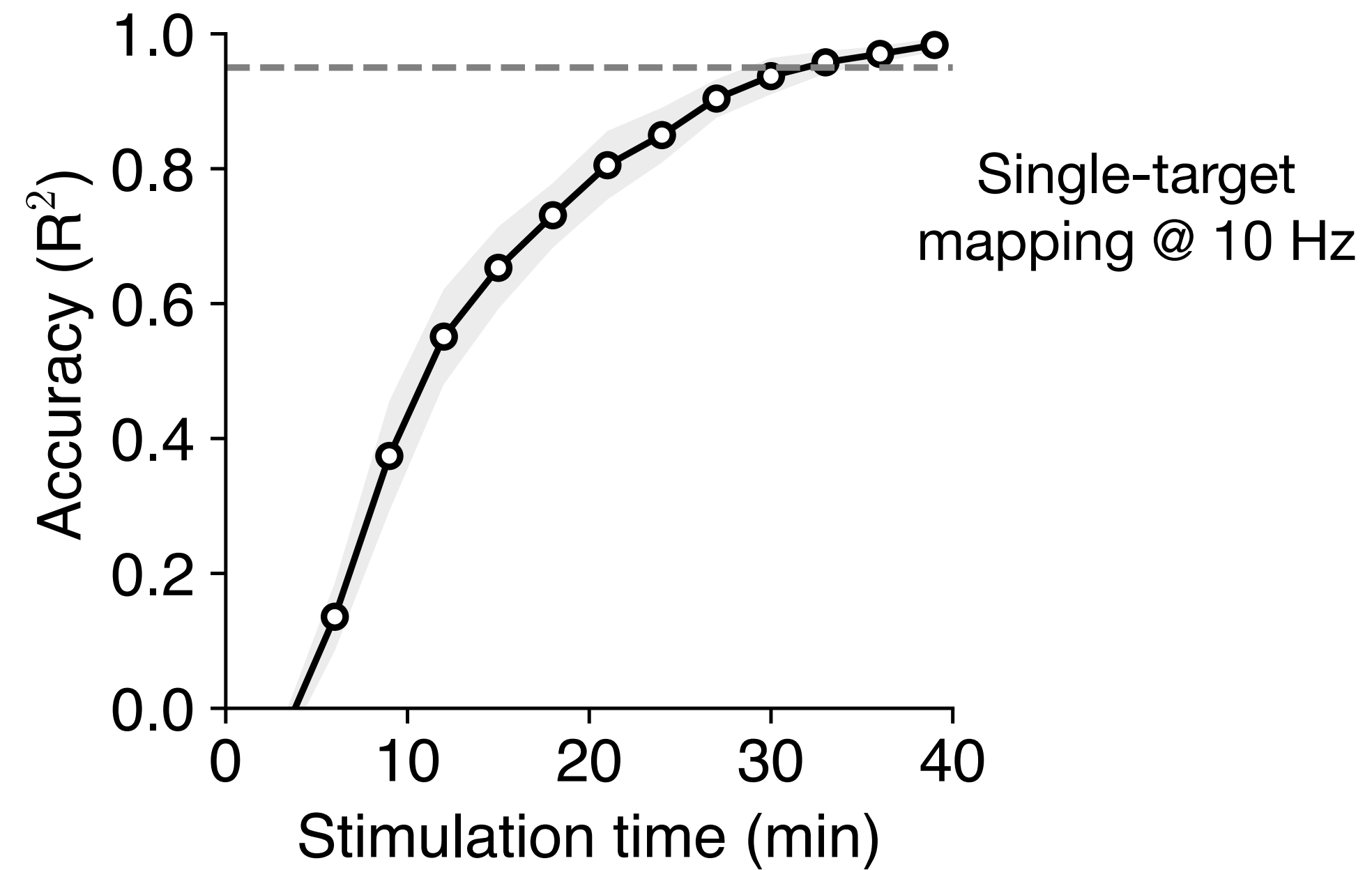
# Demix PSCs
psc_dem = demix(psc)

# Setup model
model = cm.Model(population_size, priors=priors)

# Fit model to demixed PSCs
model.fit(psc_dem, stimulus_matrix, method='caviar', fit_options=fit_options)
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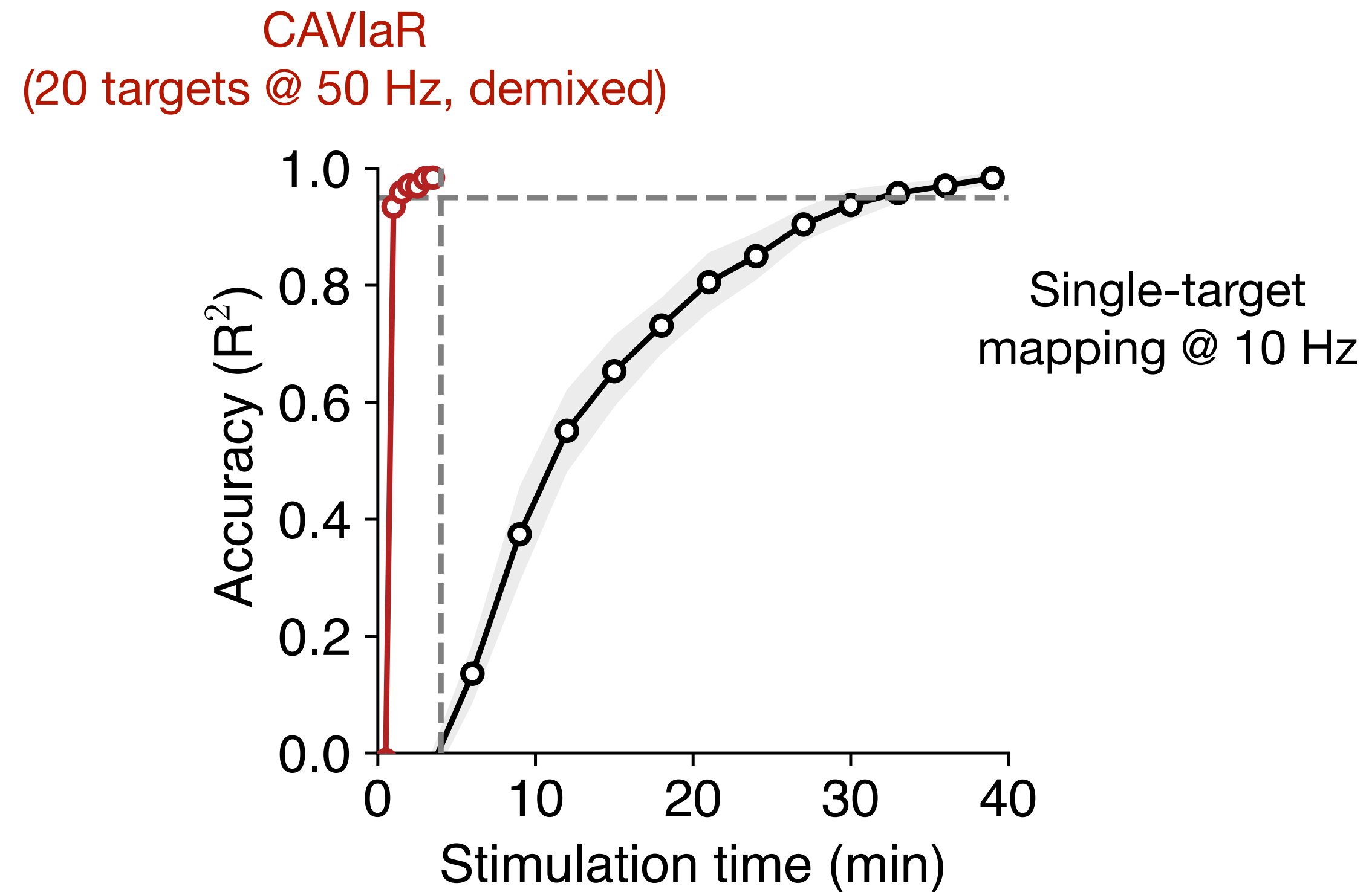


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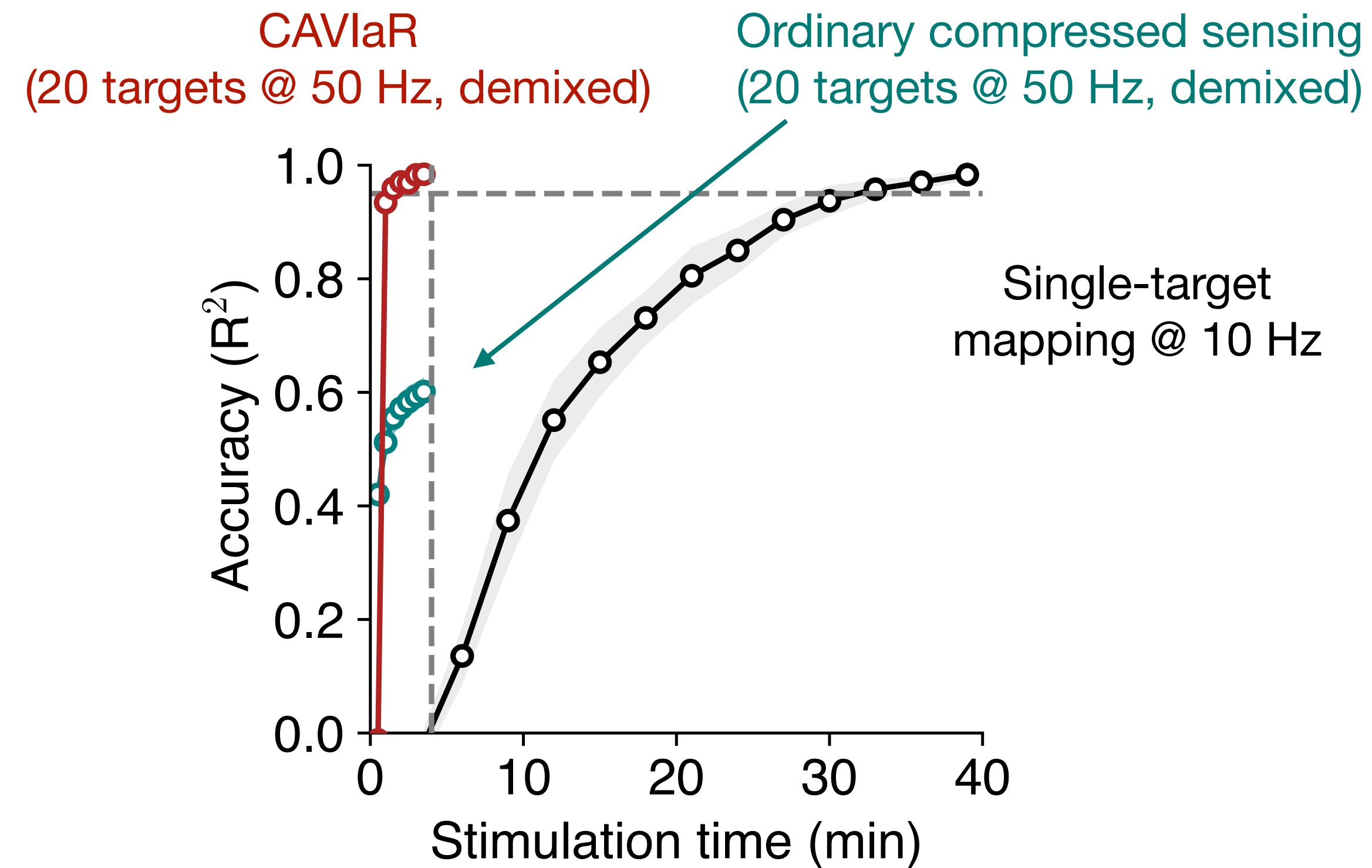
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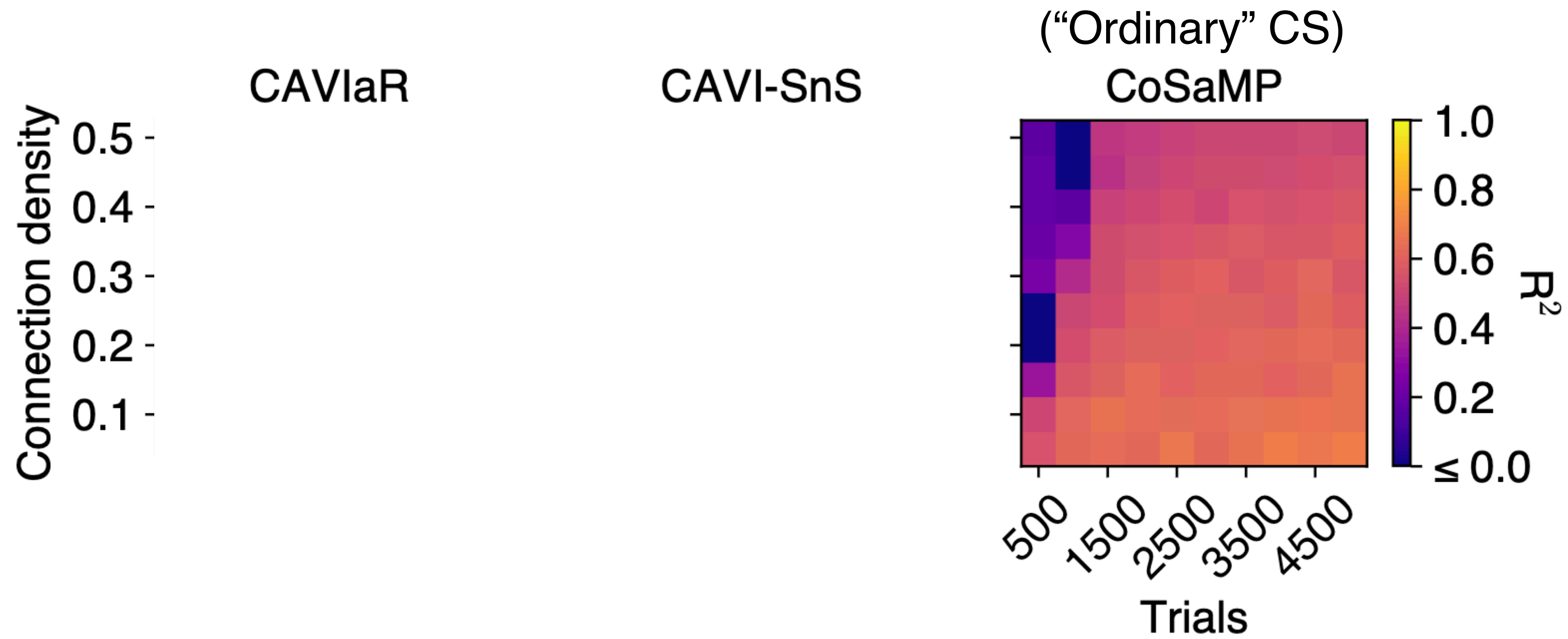
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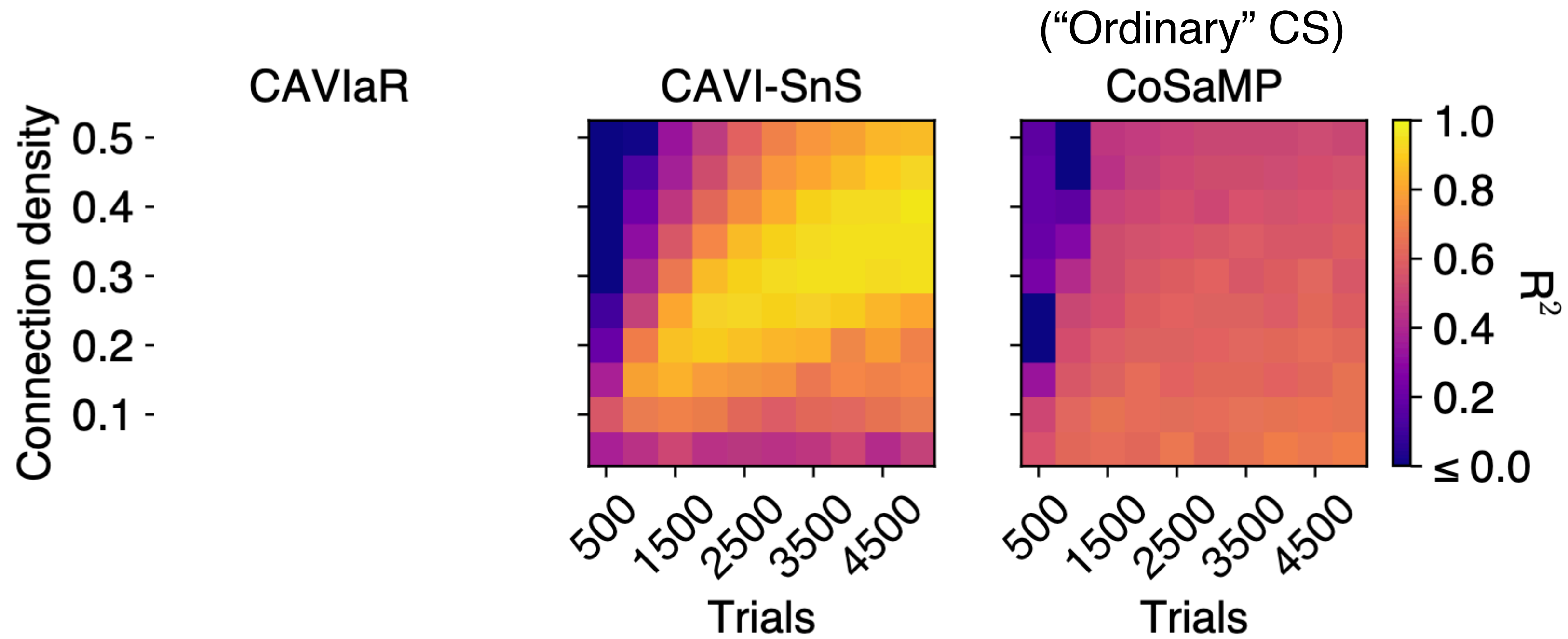


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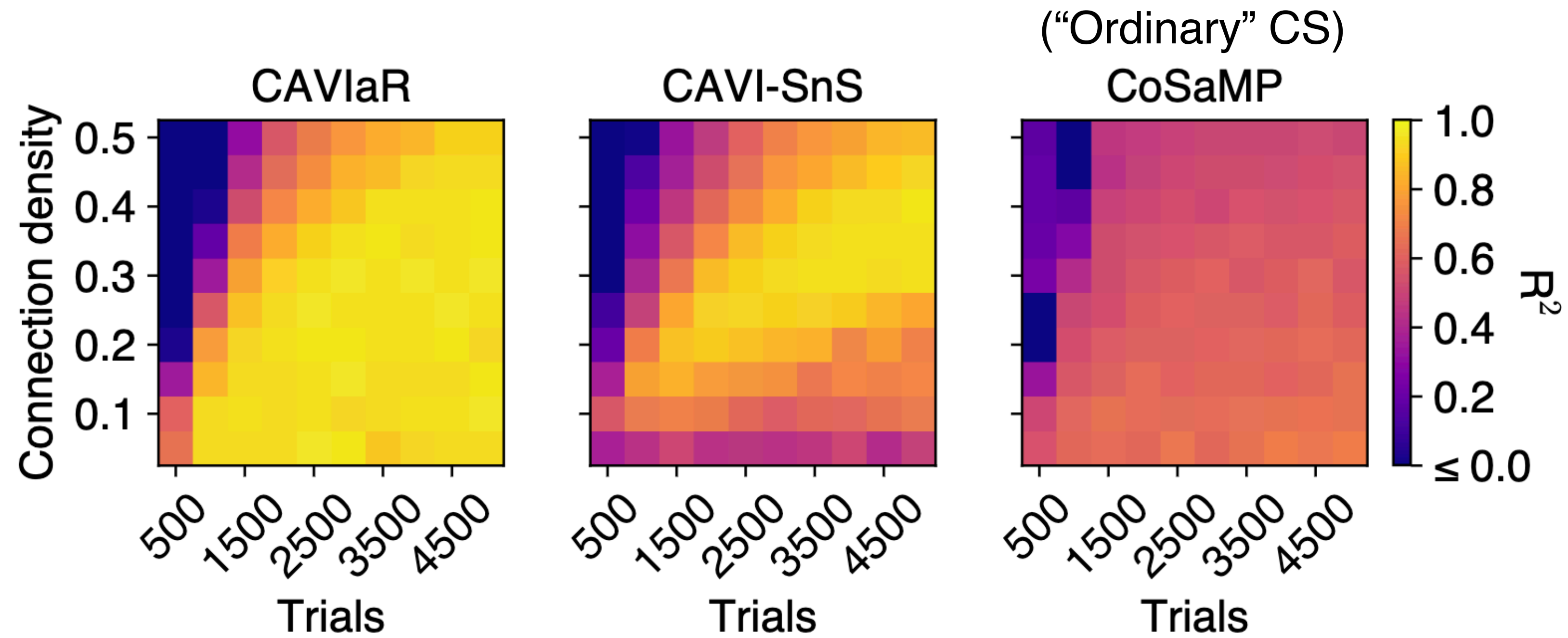
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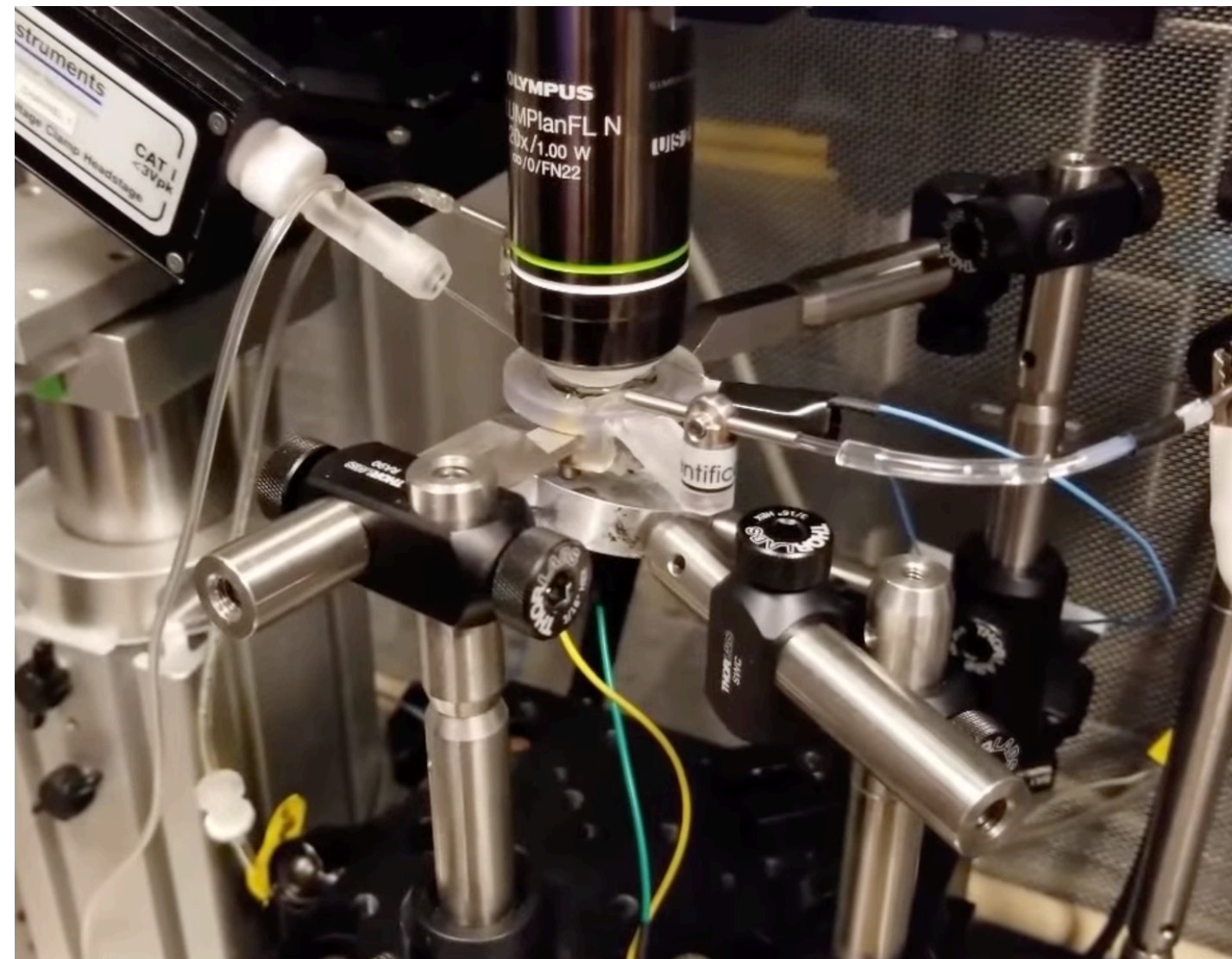


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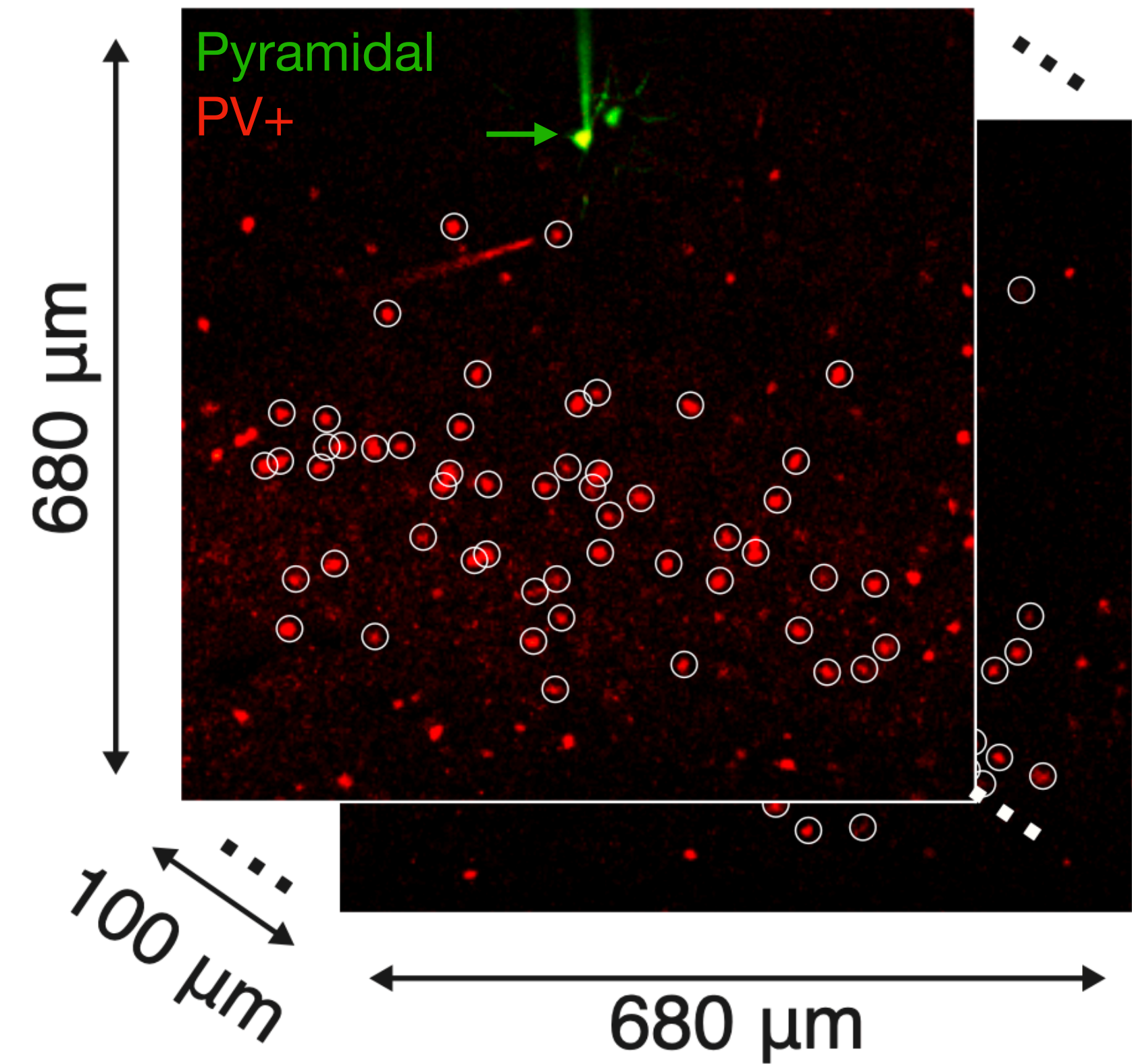
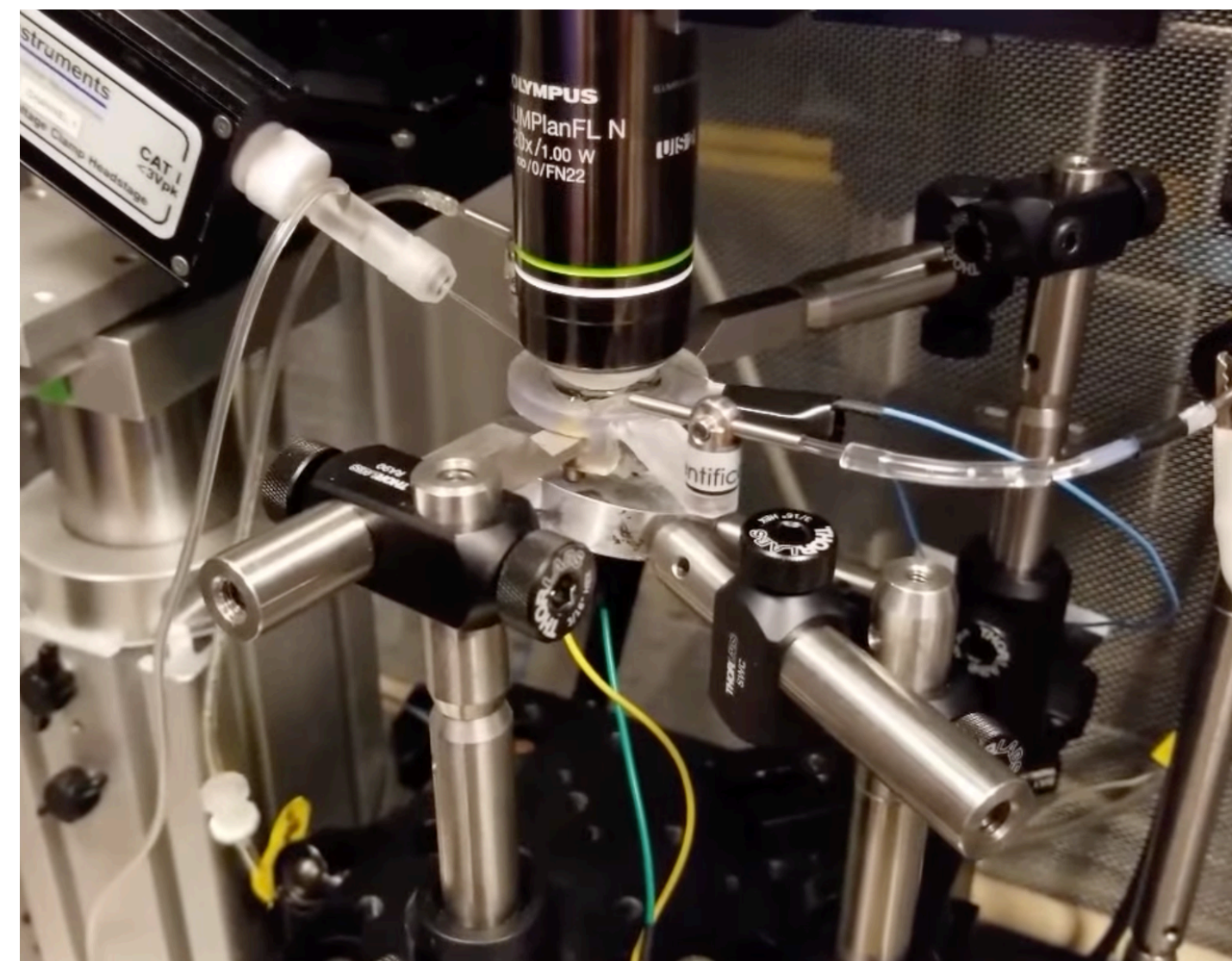


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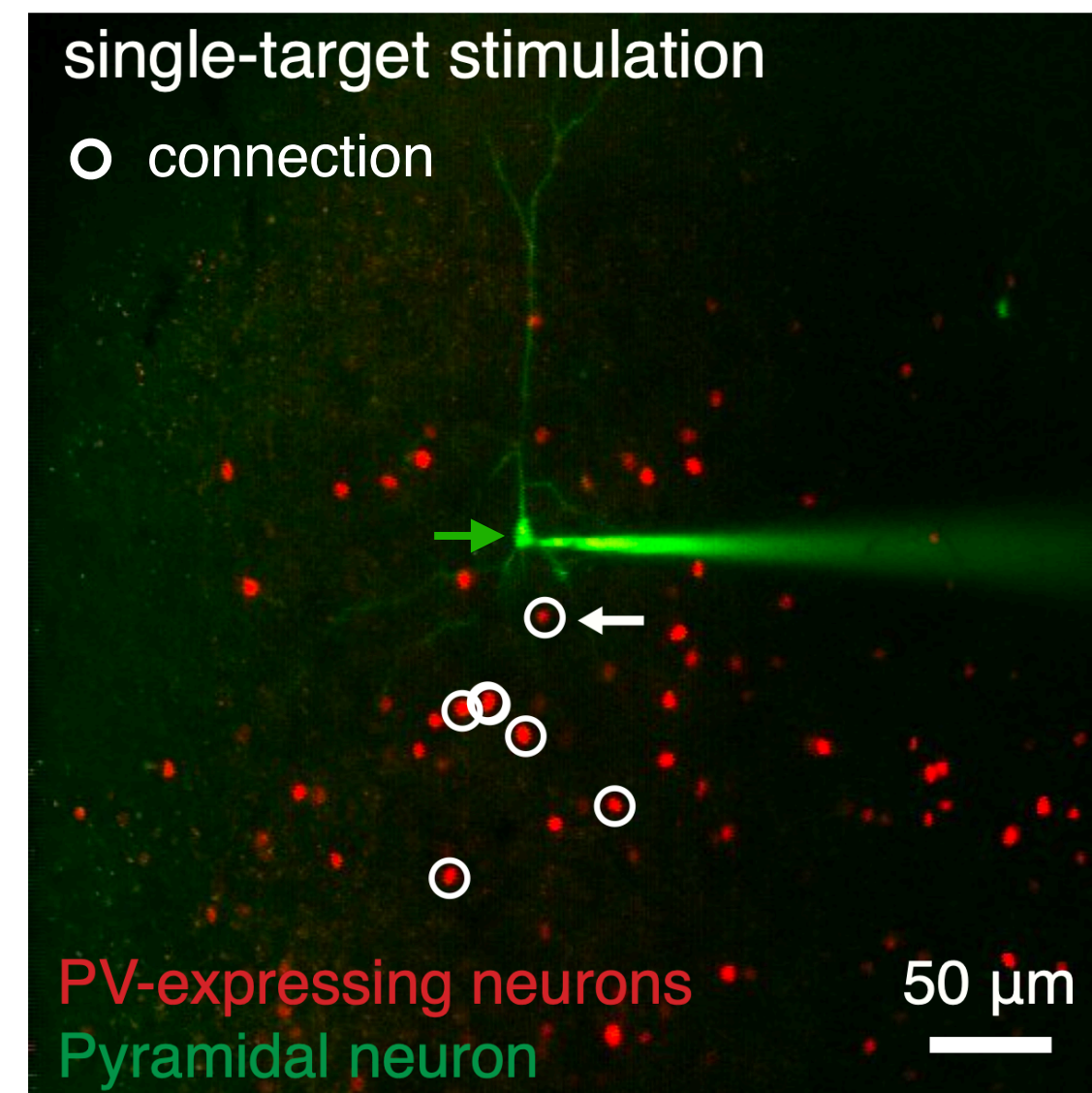
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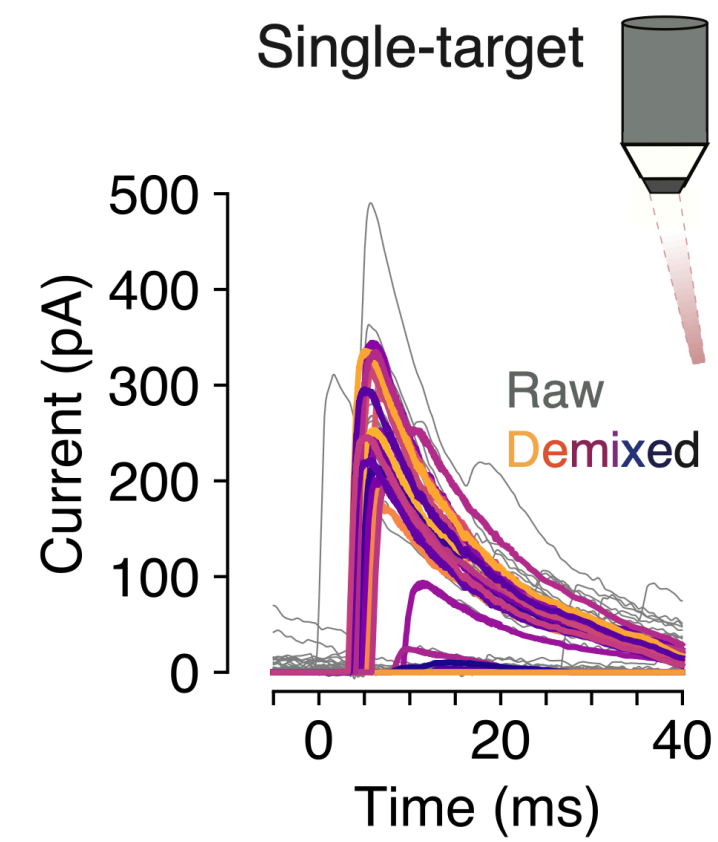
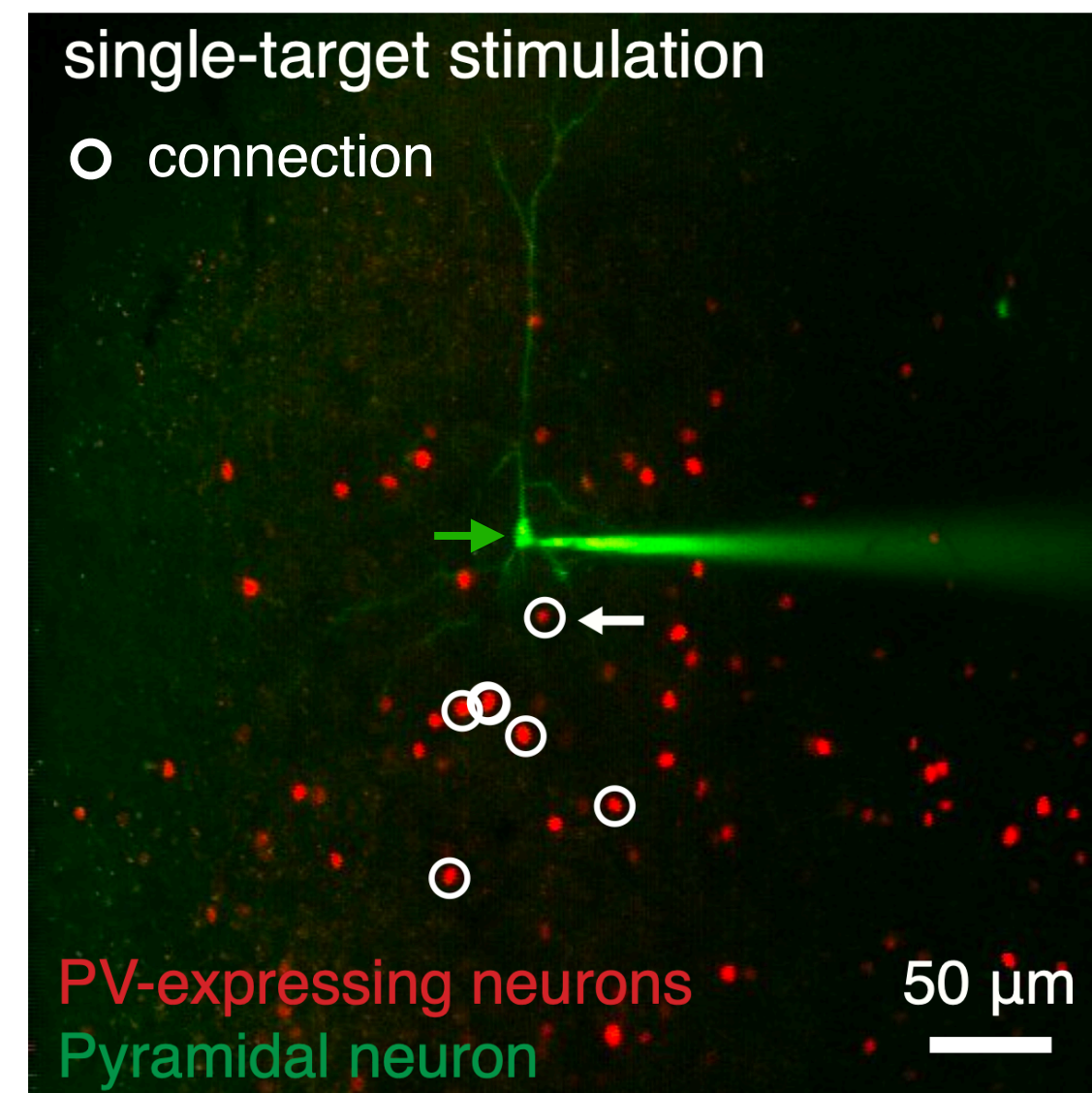
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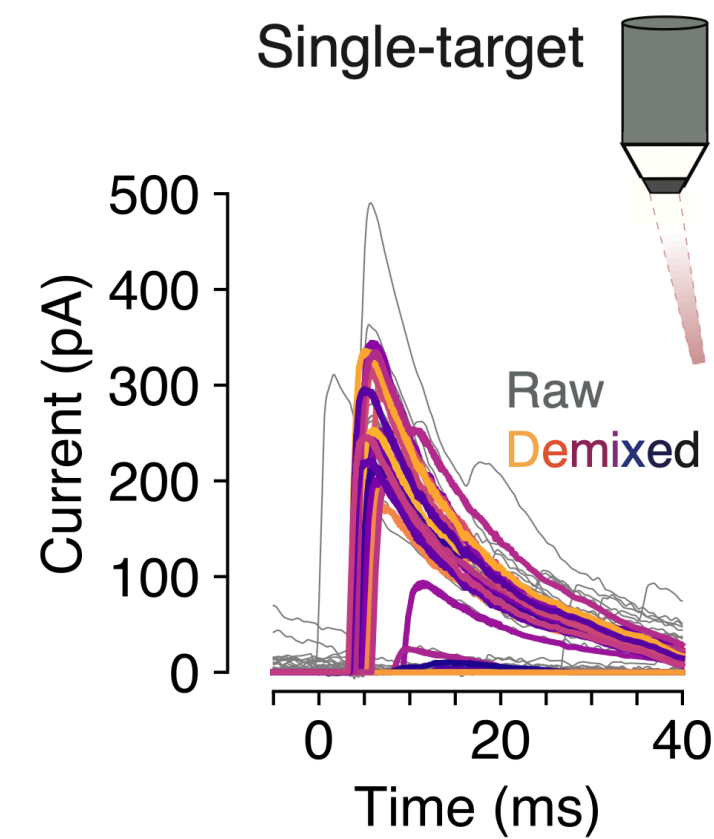
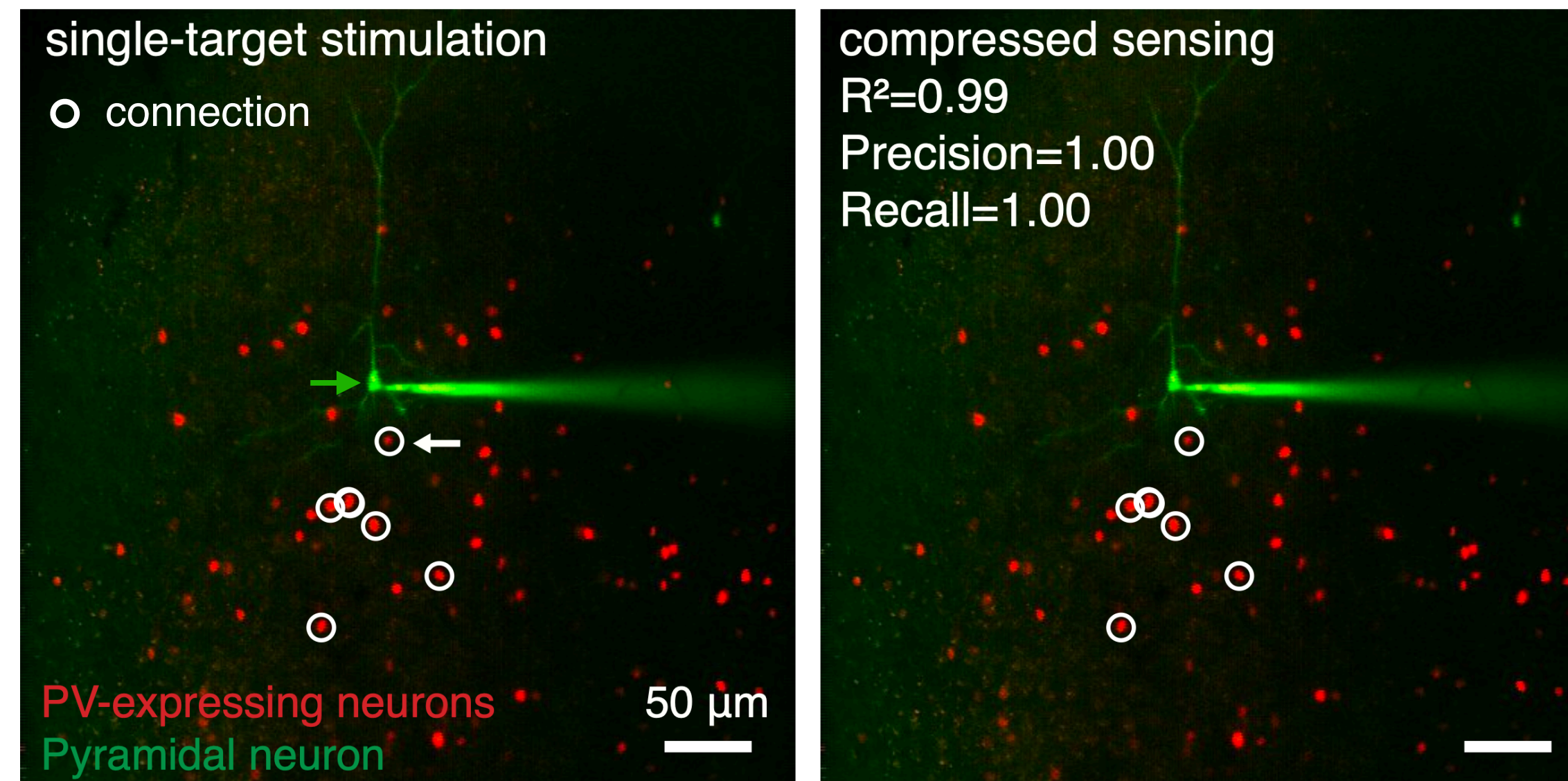
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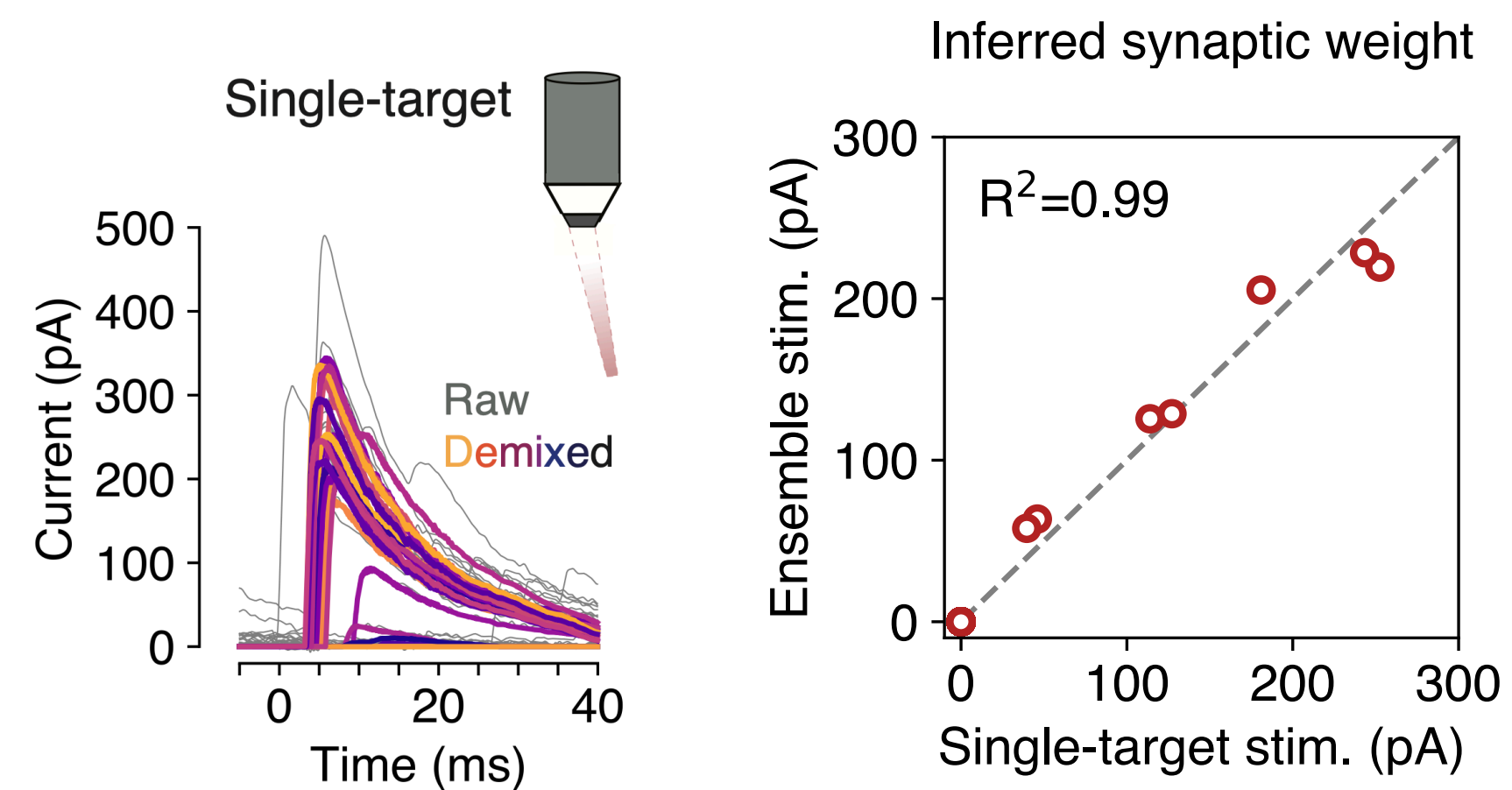
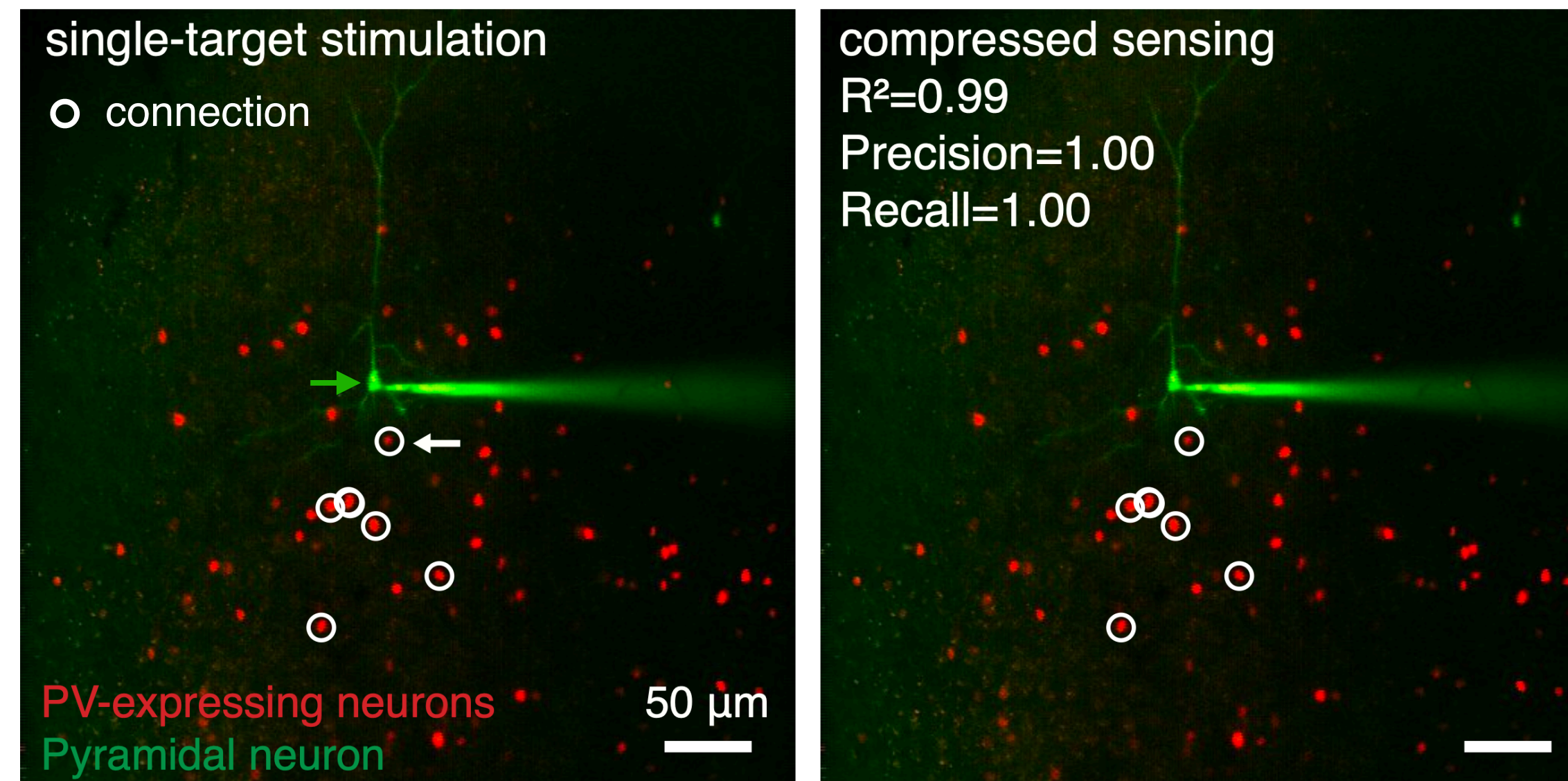
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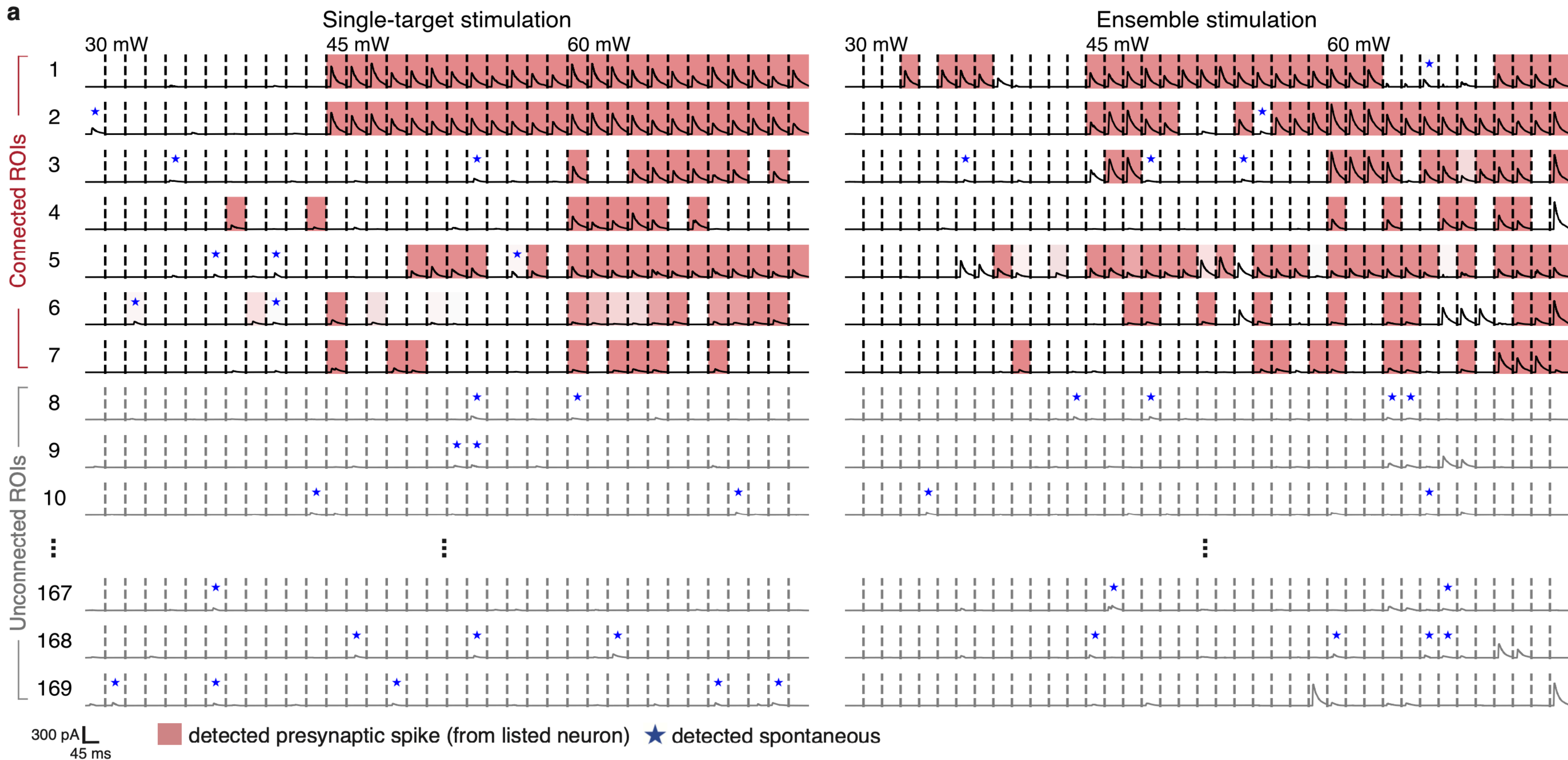
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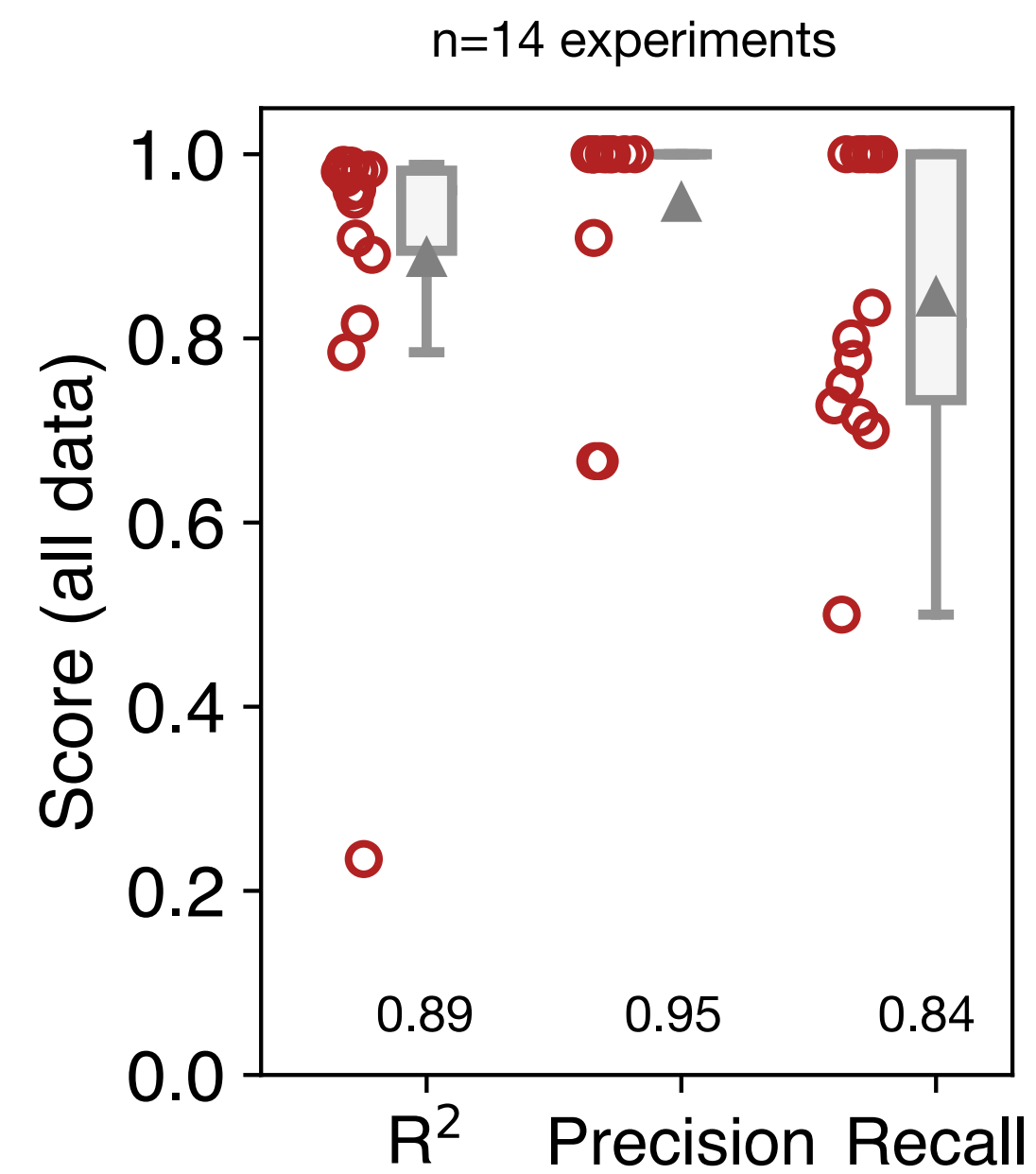
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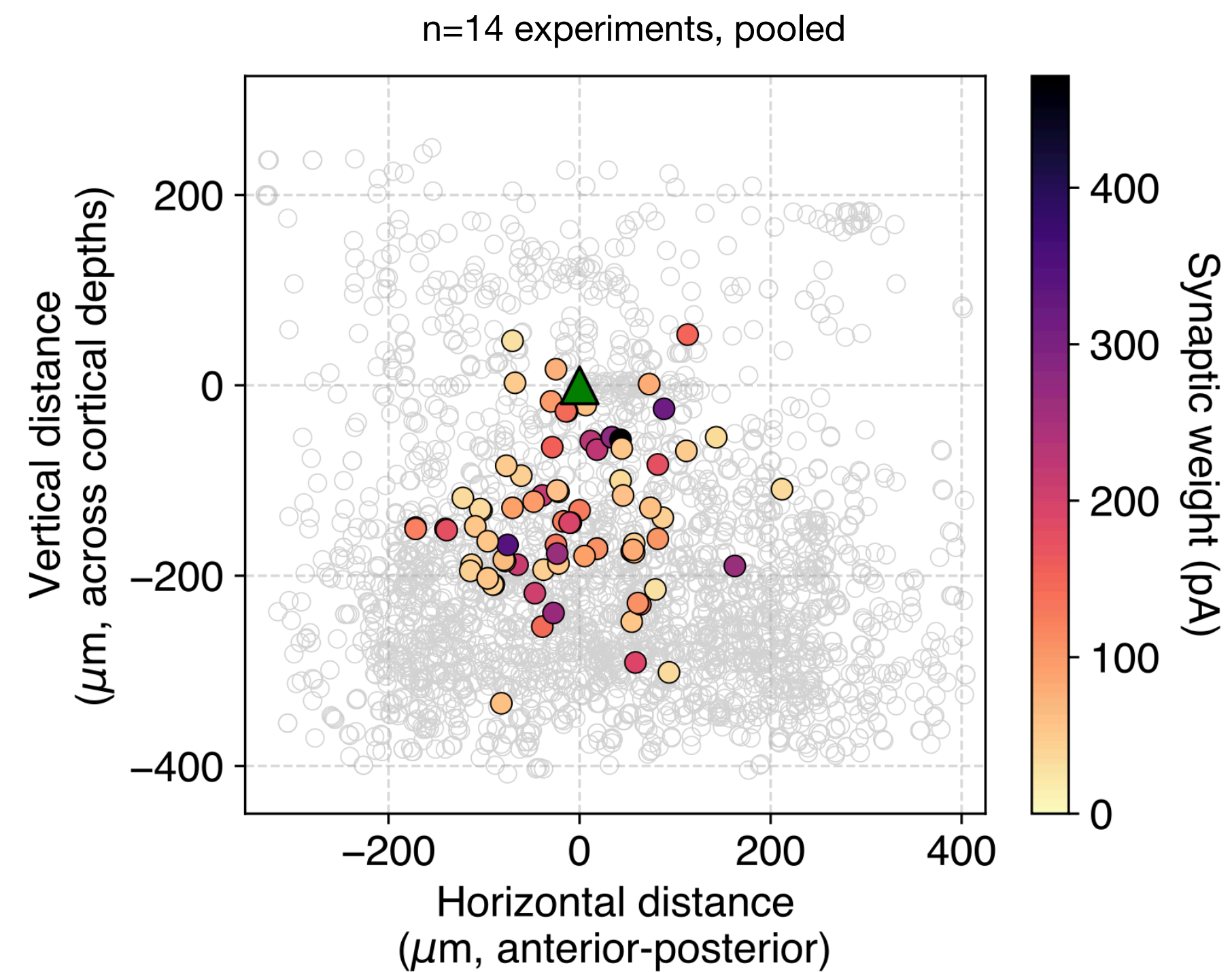
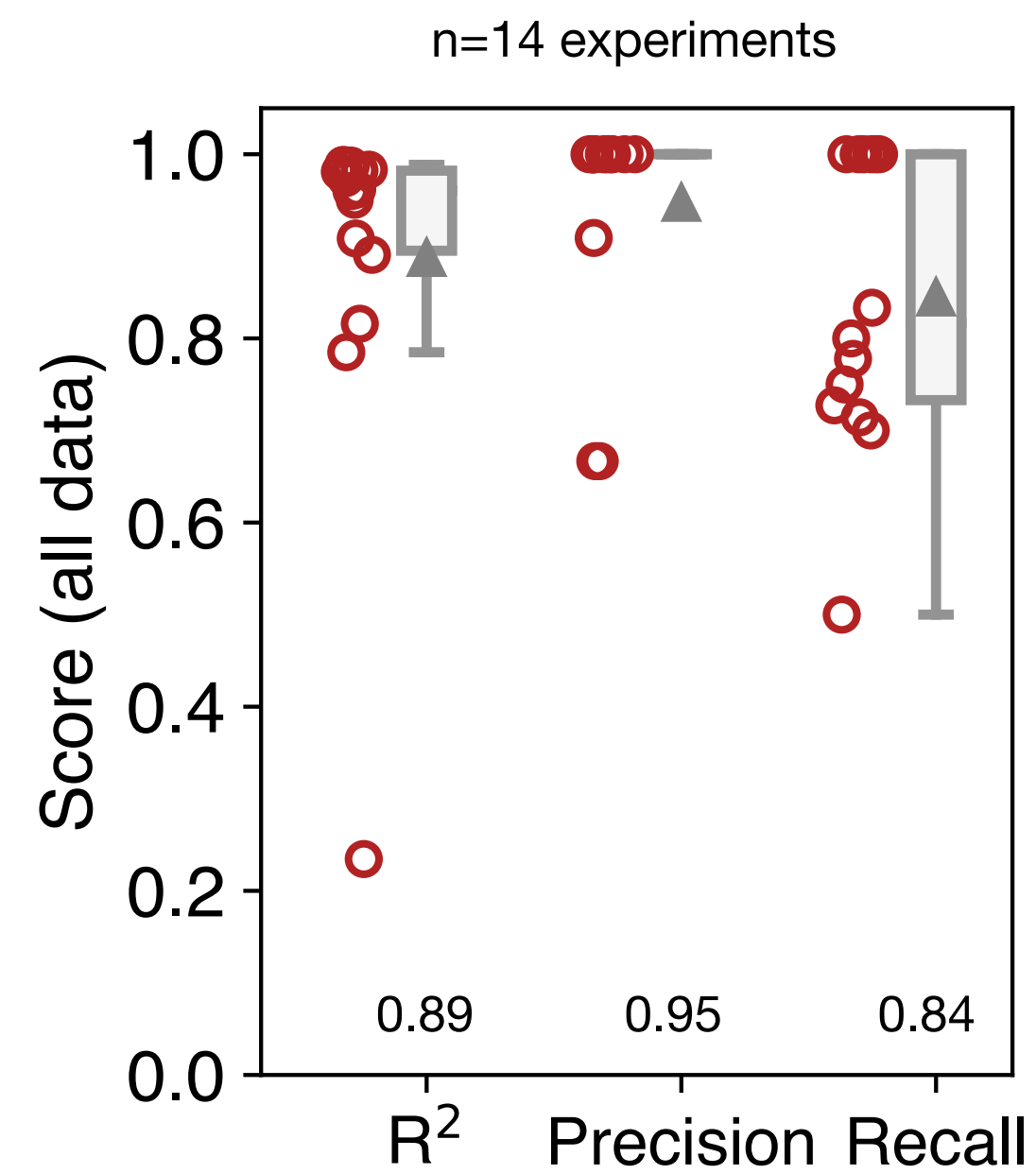
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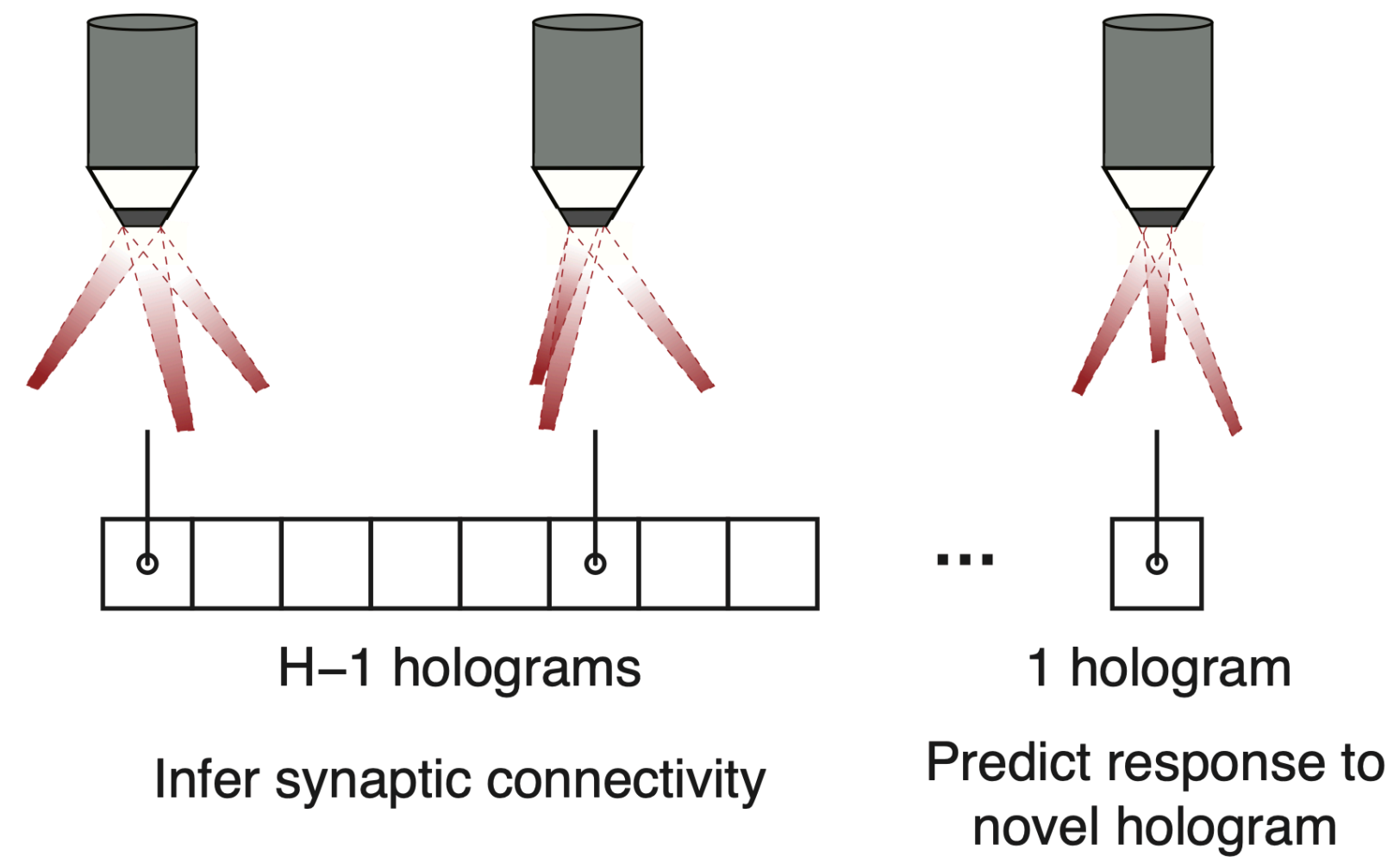
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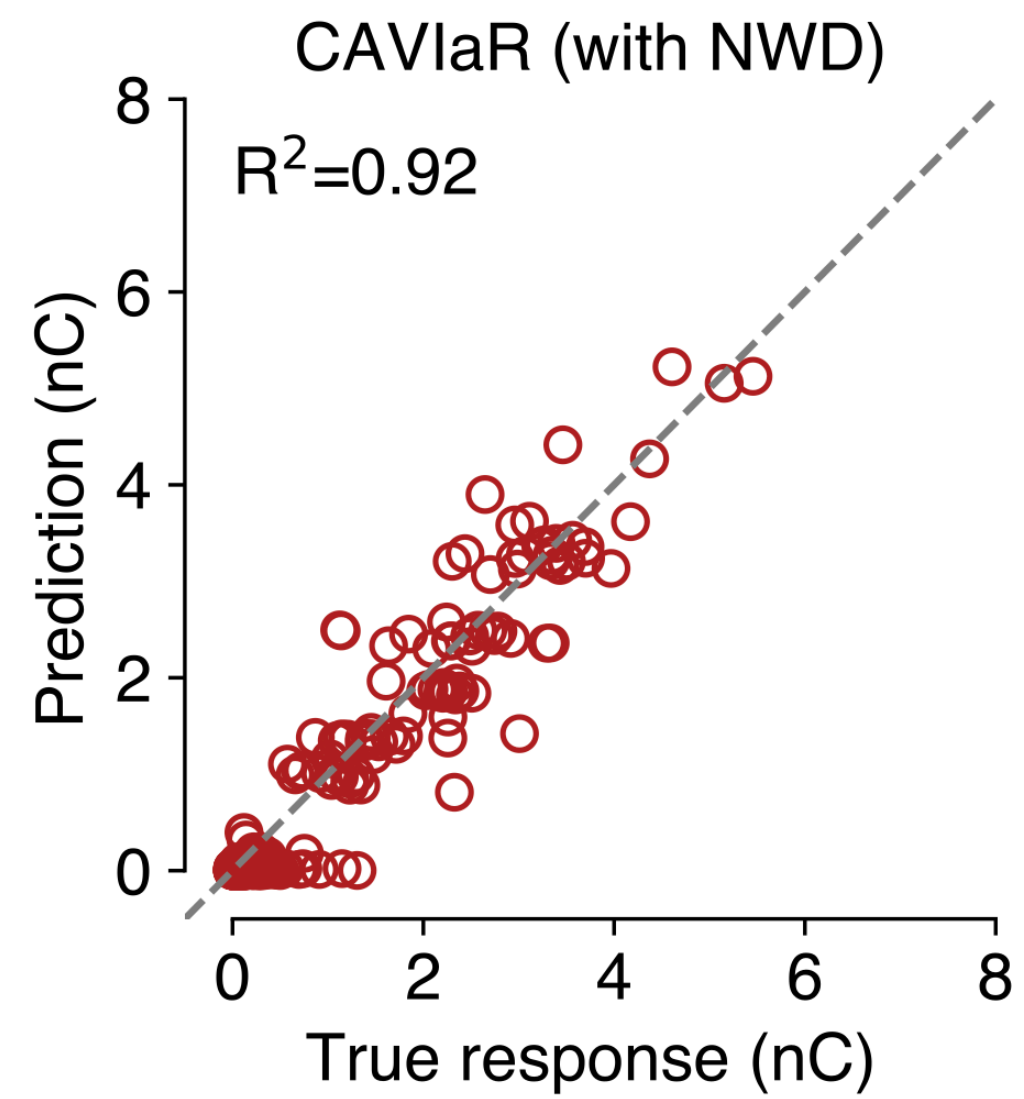
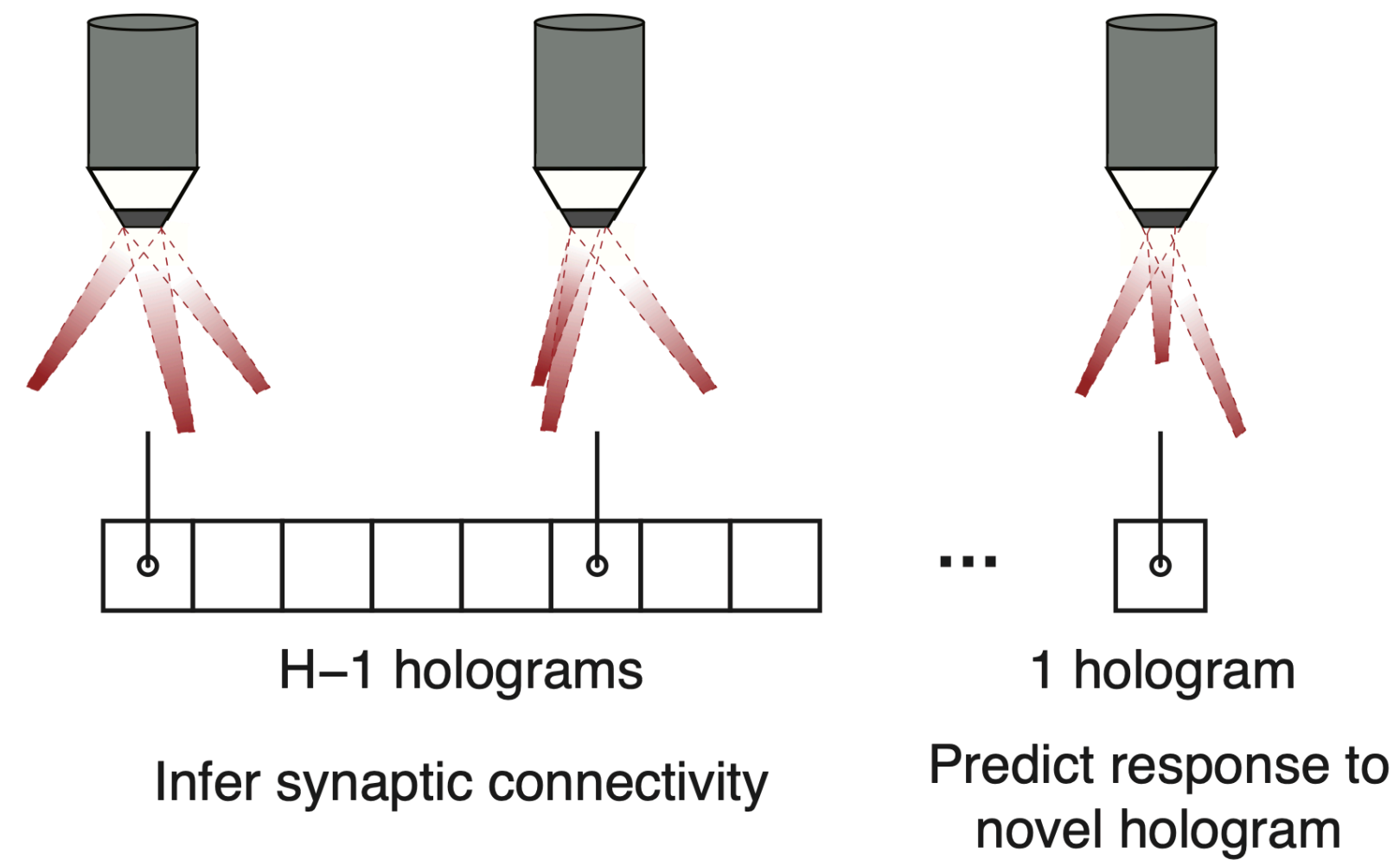
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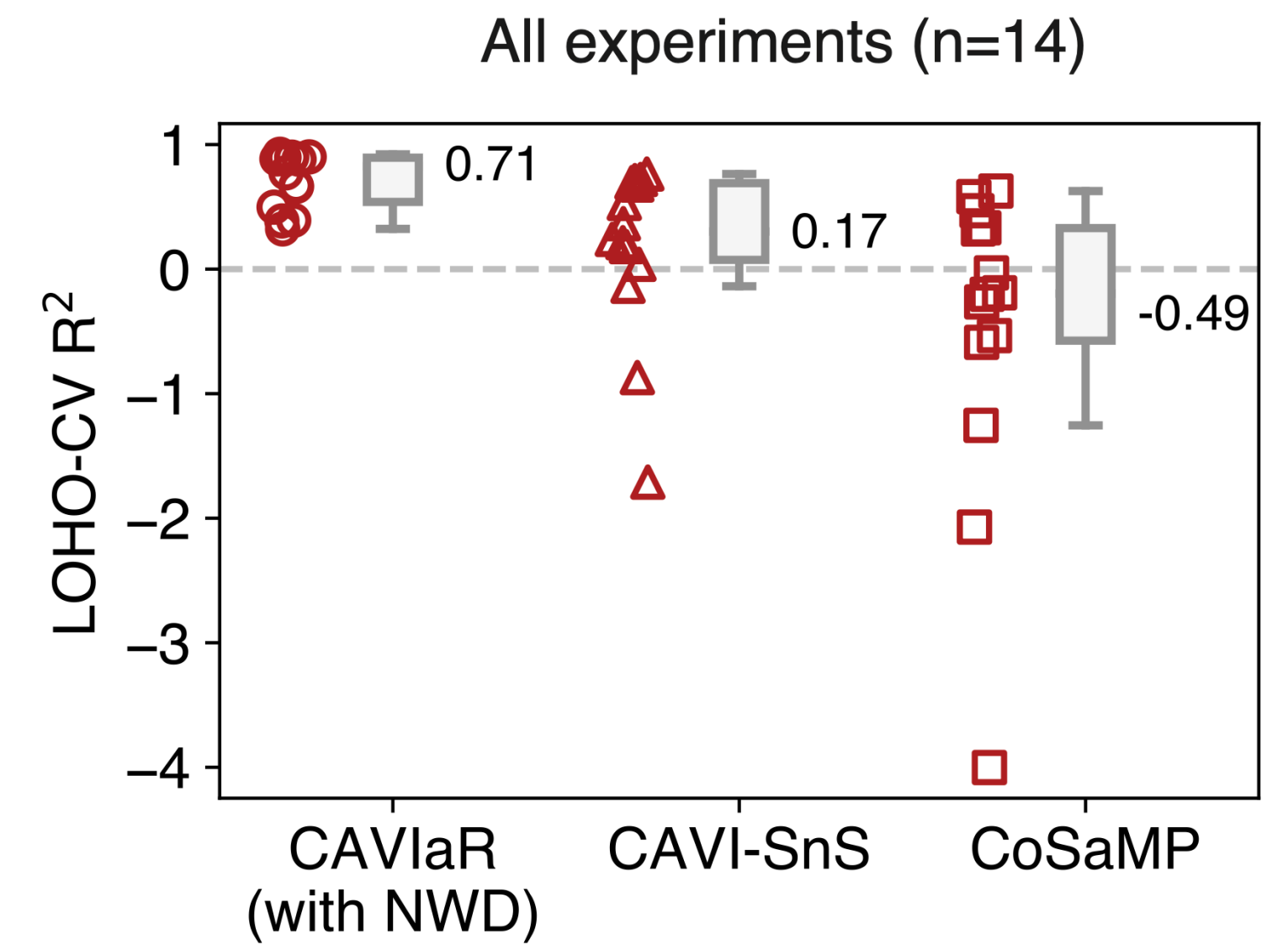
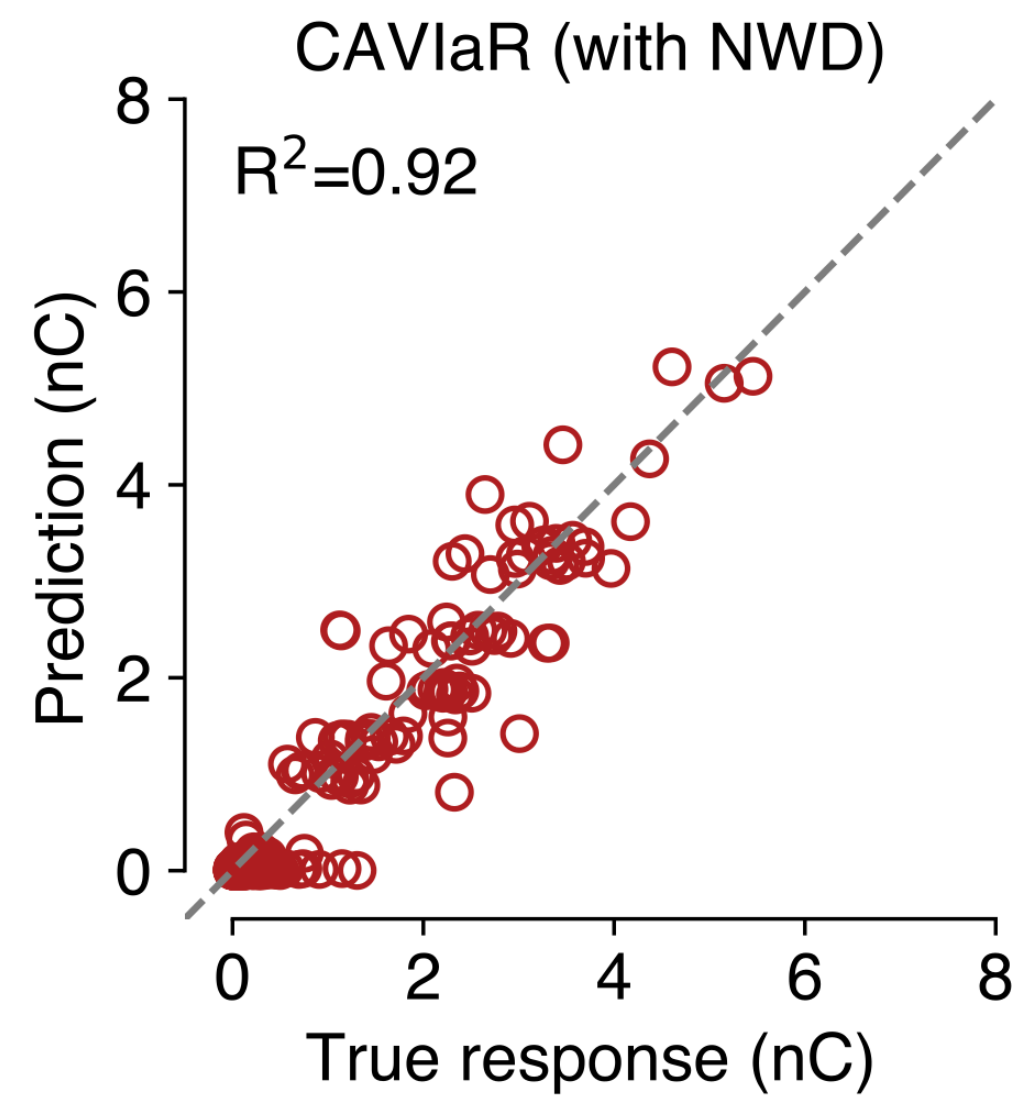
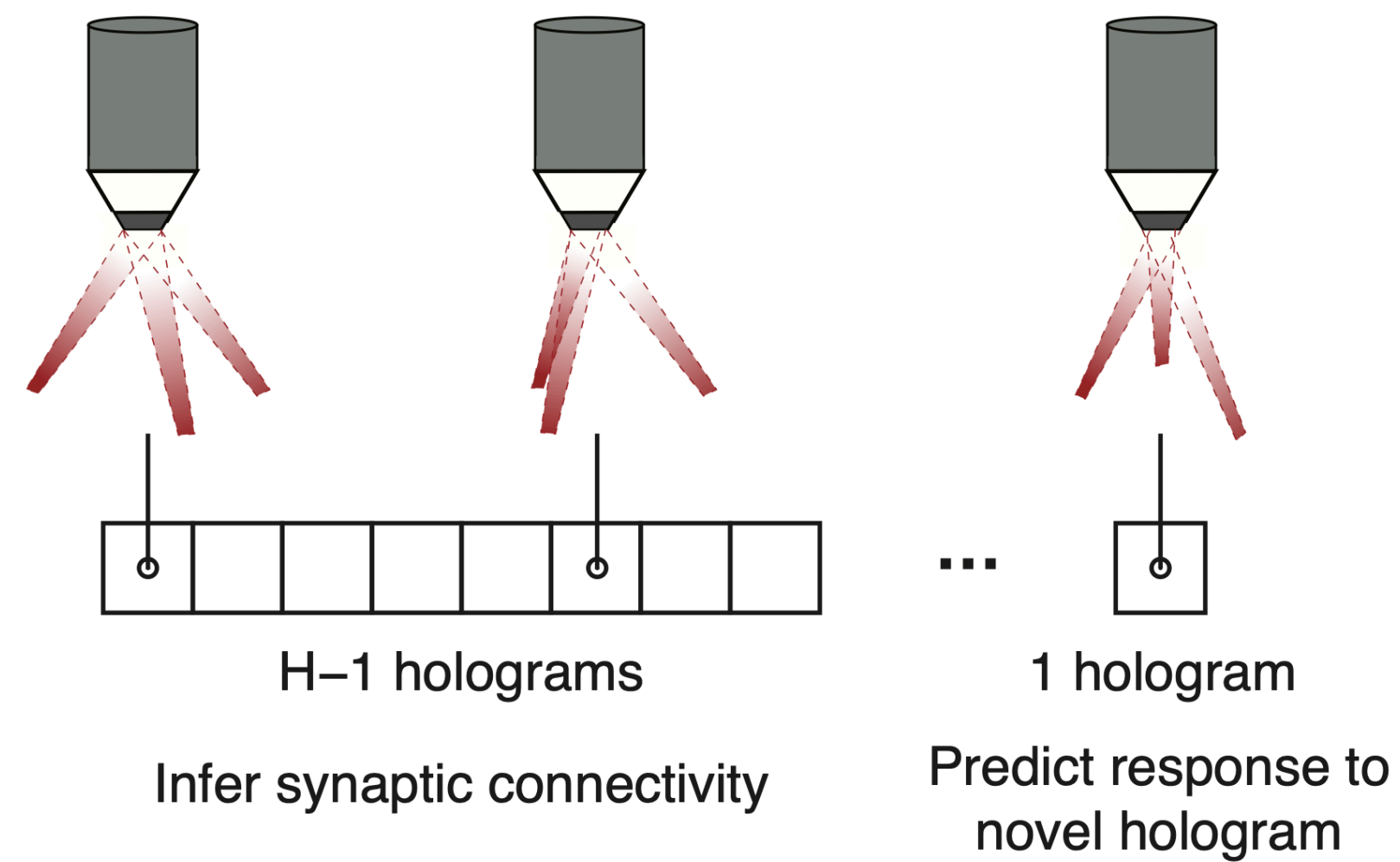
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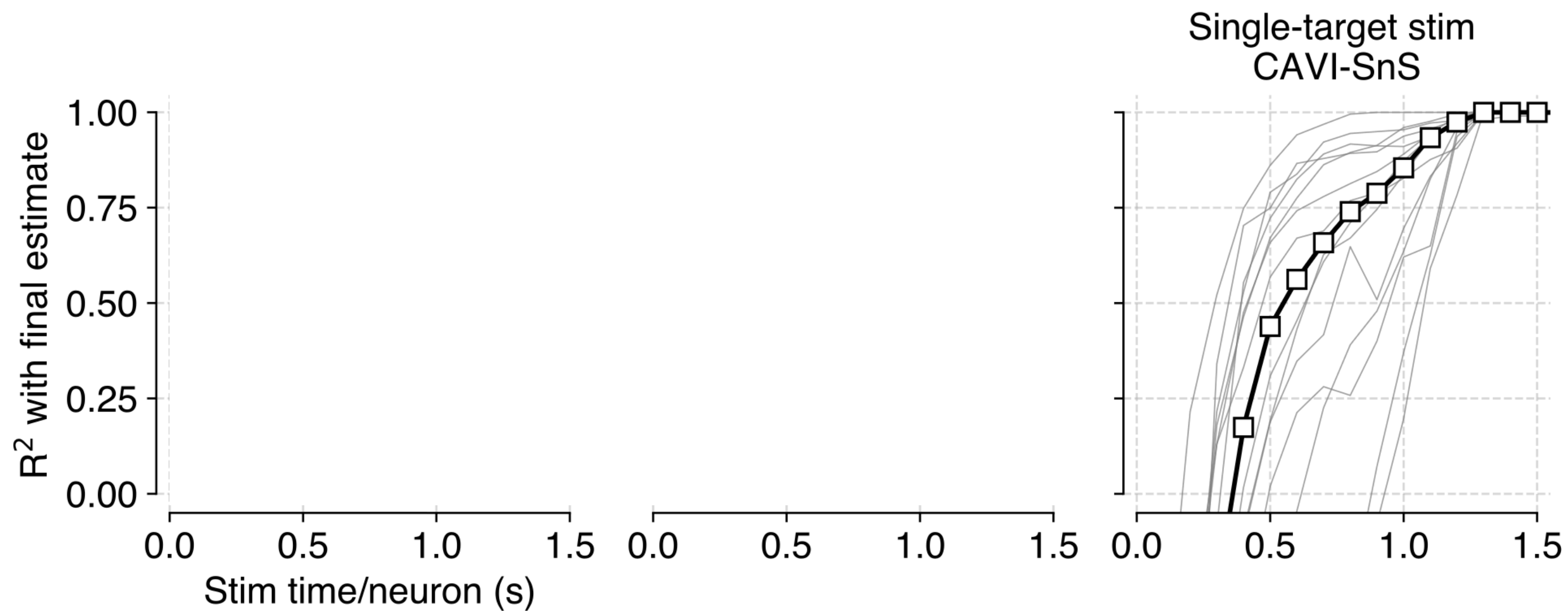
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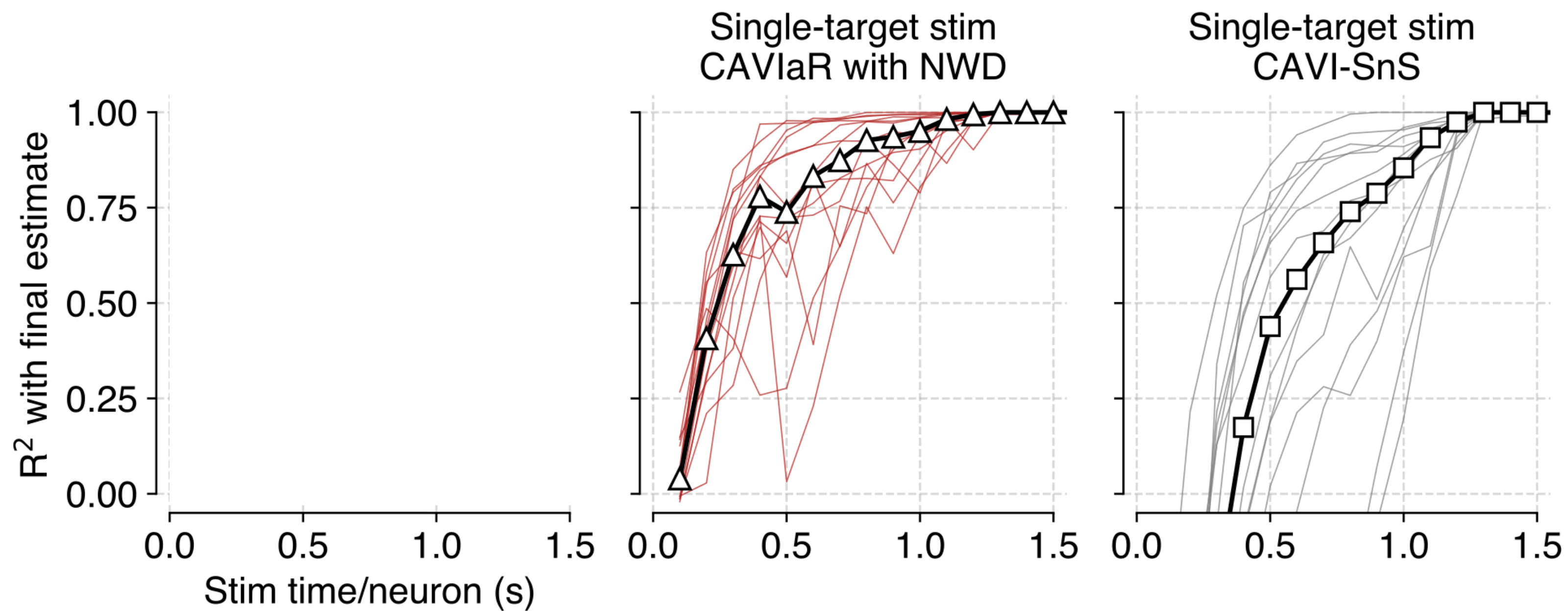
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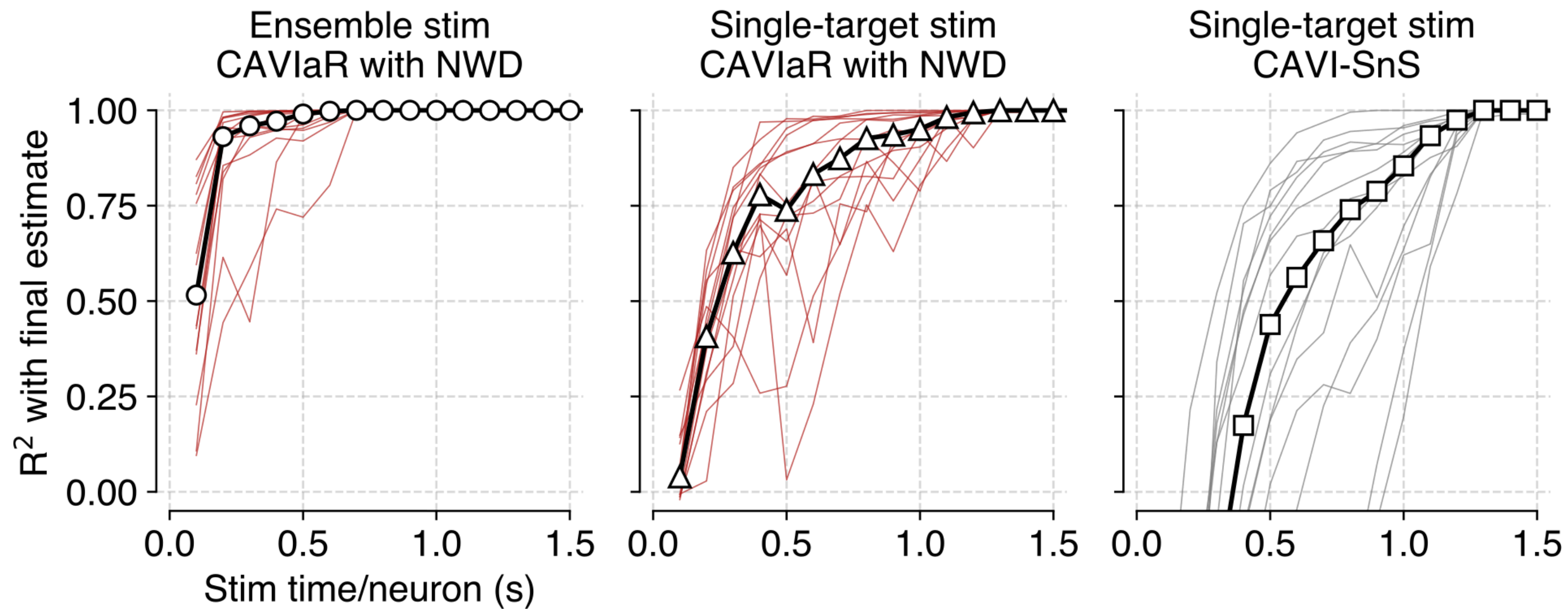


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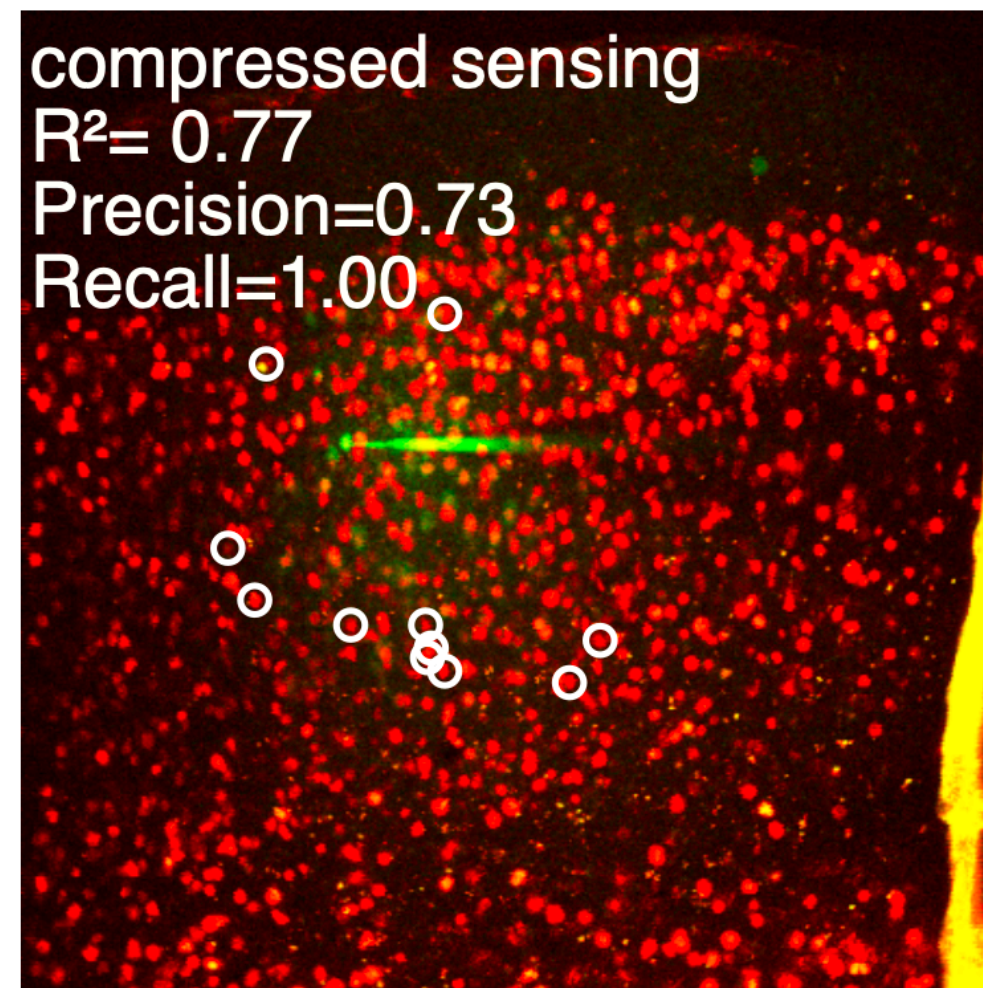
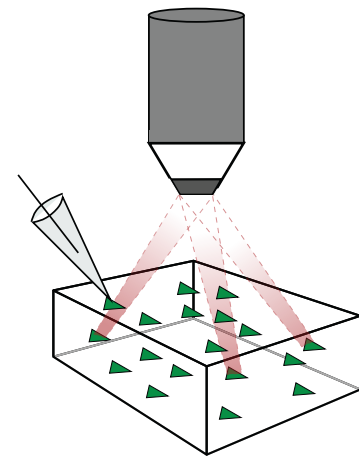
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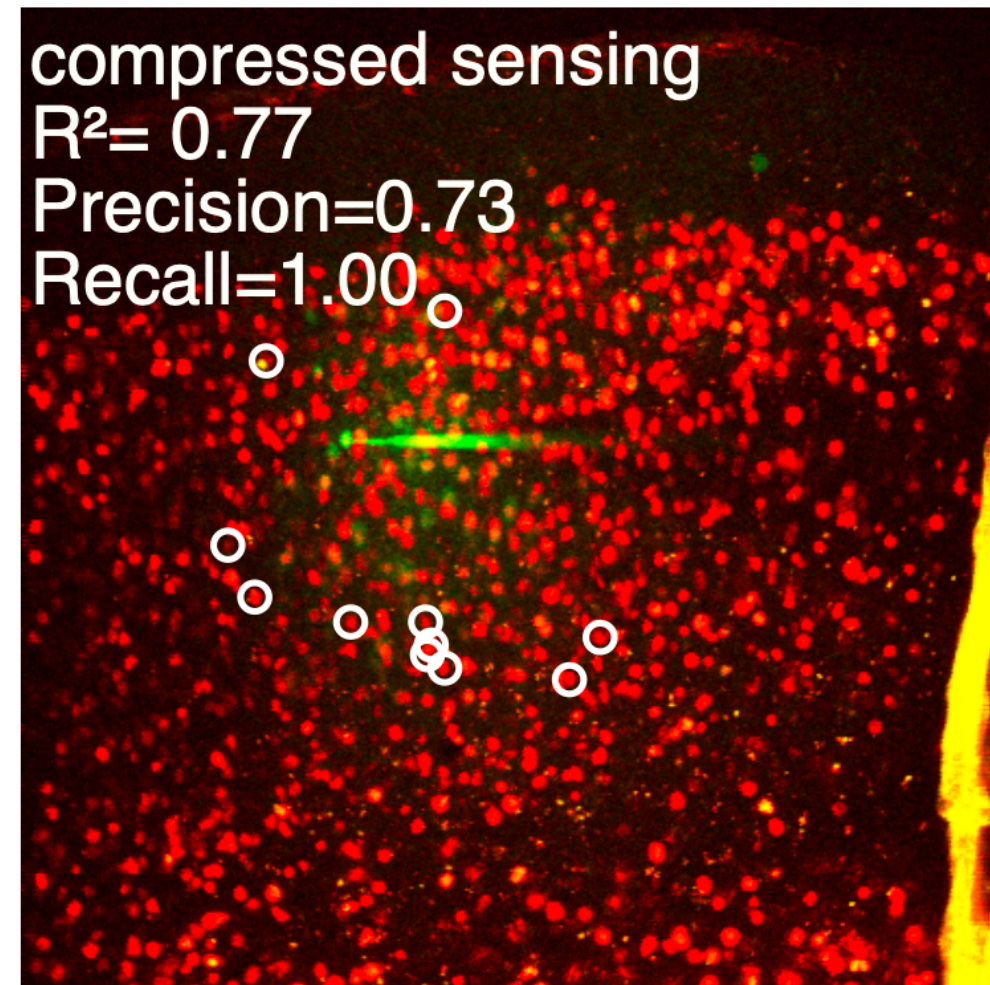
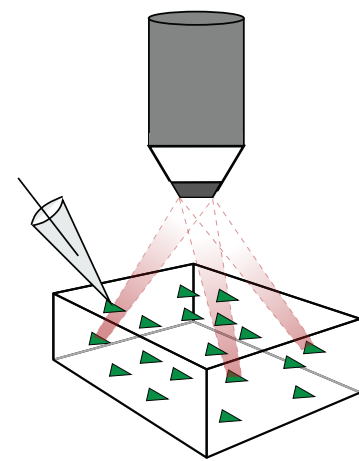
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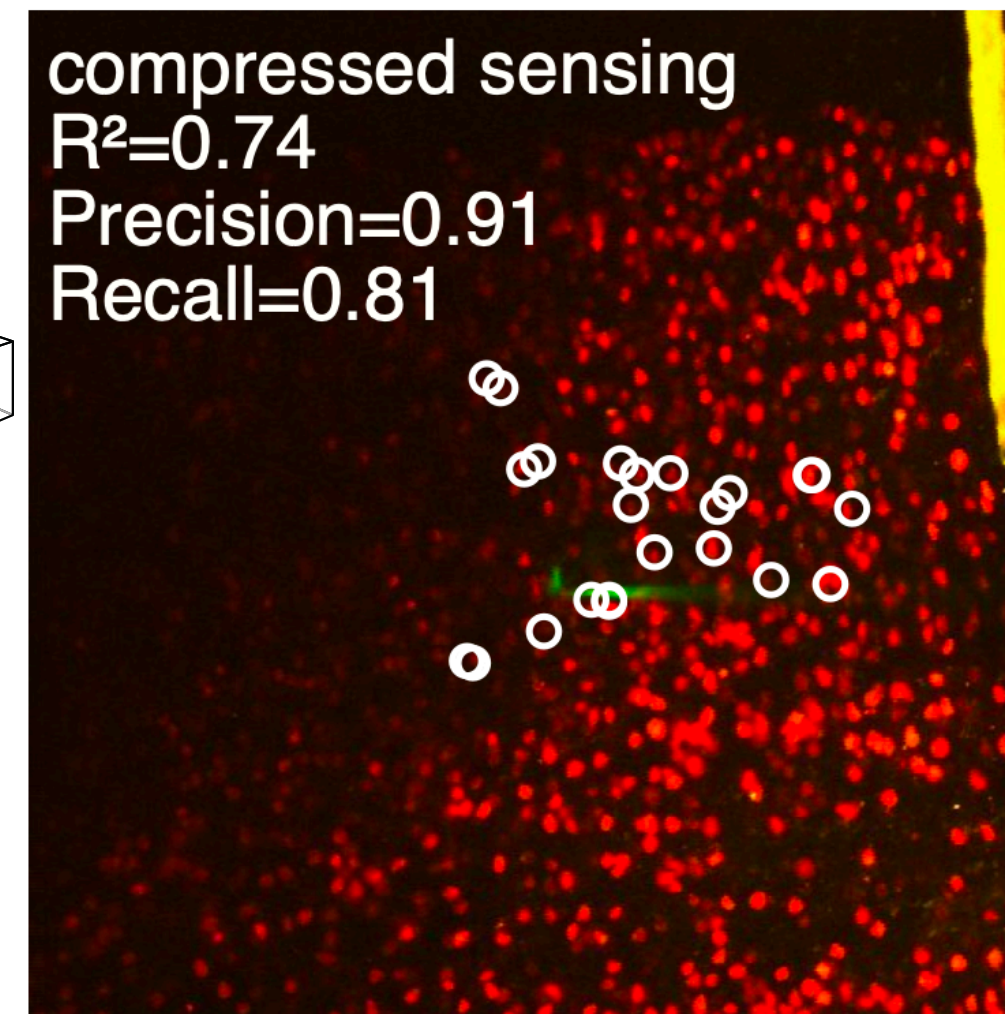
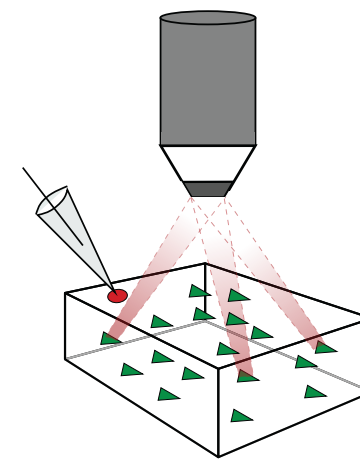


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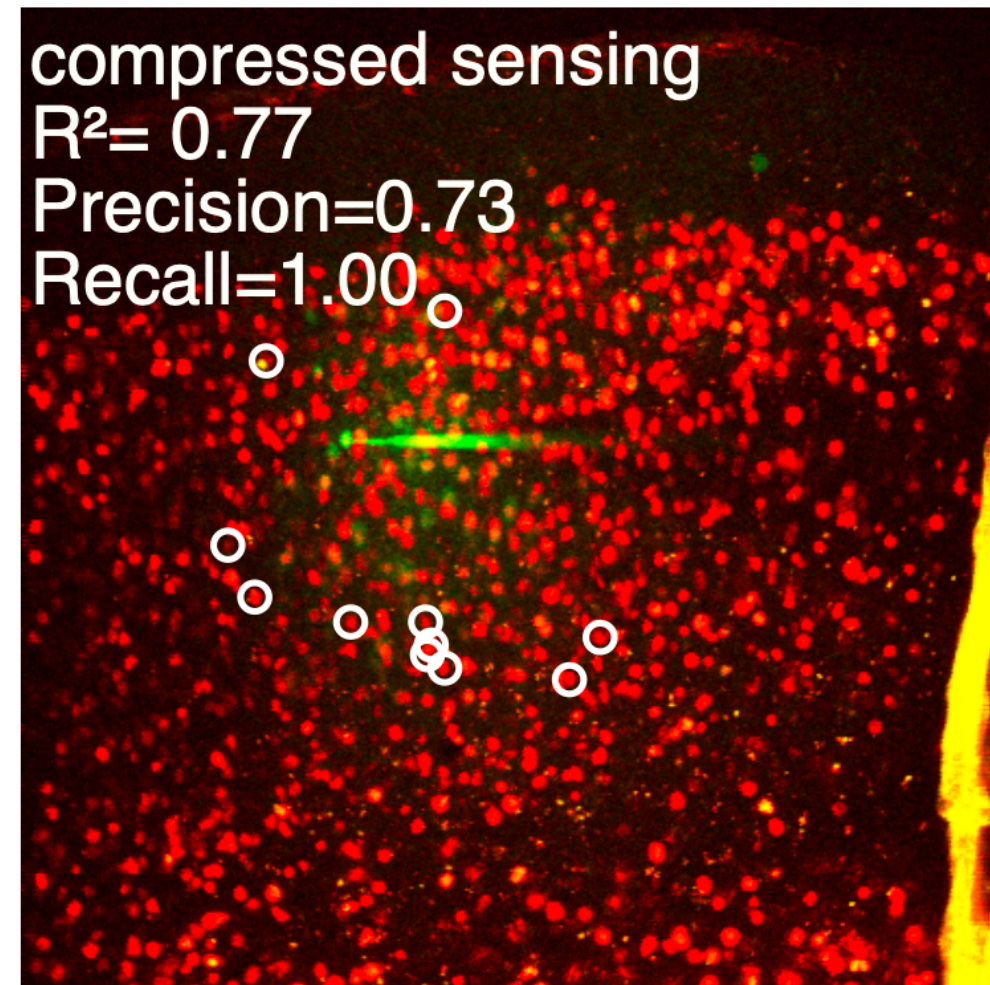
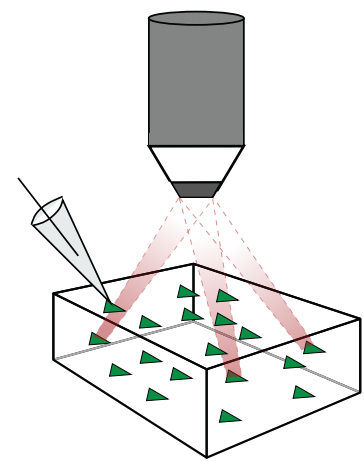


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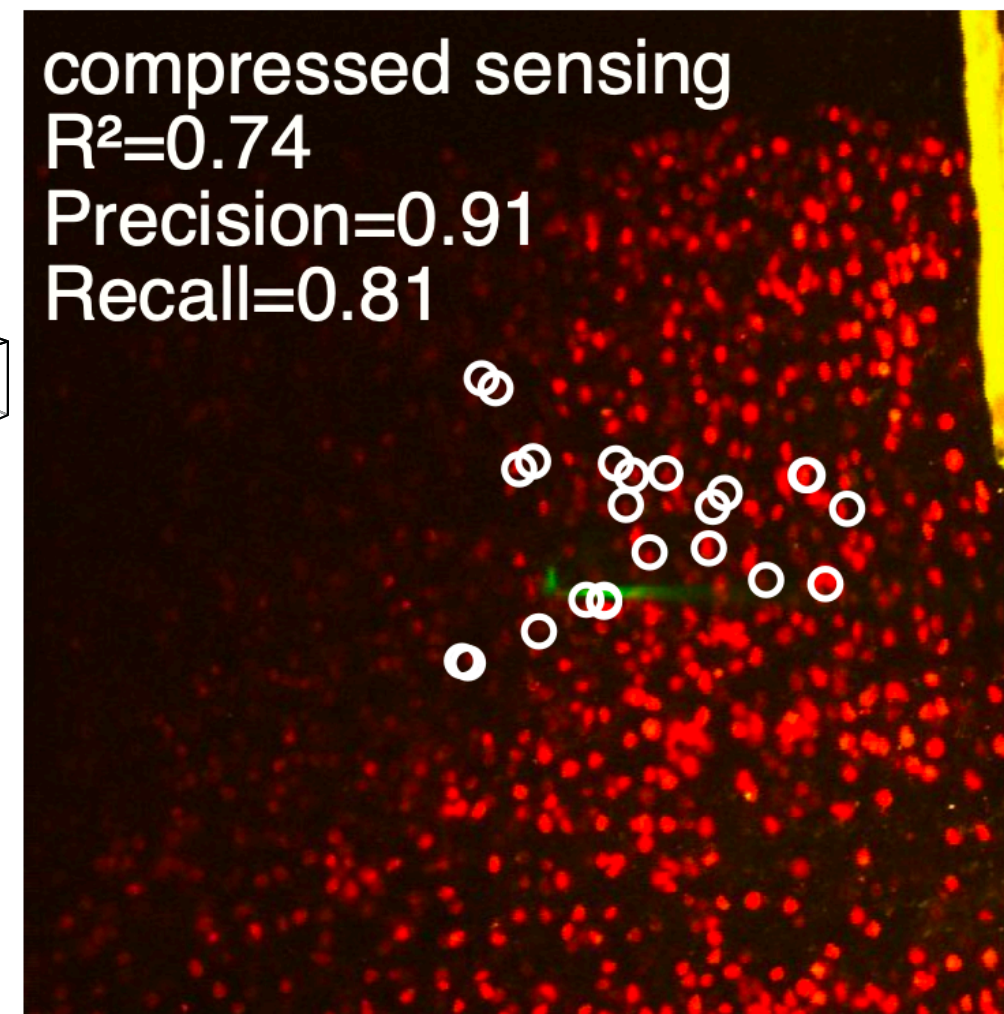
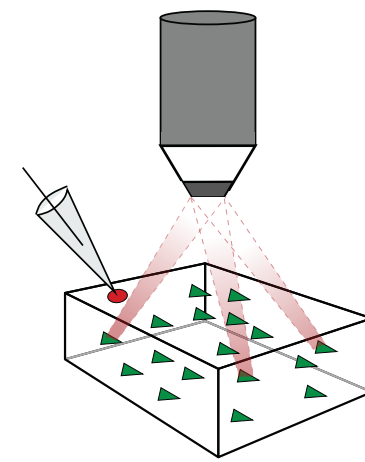


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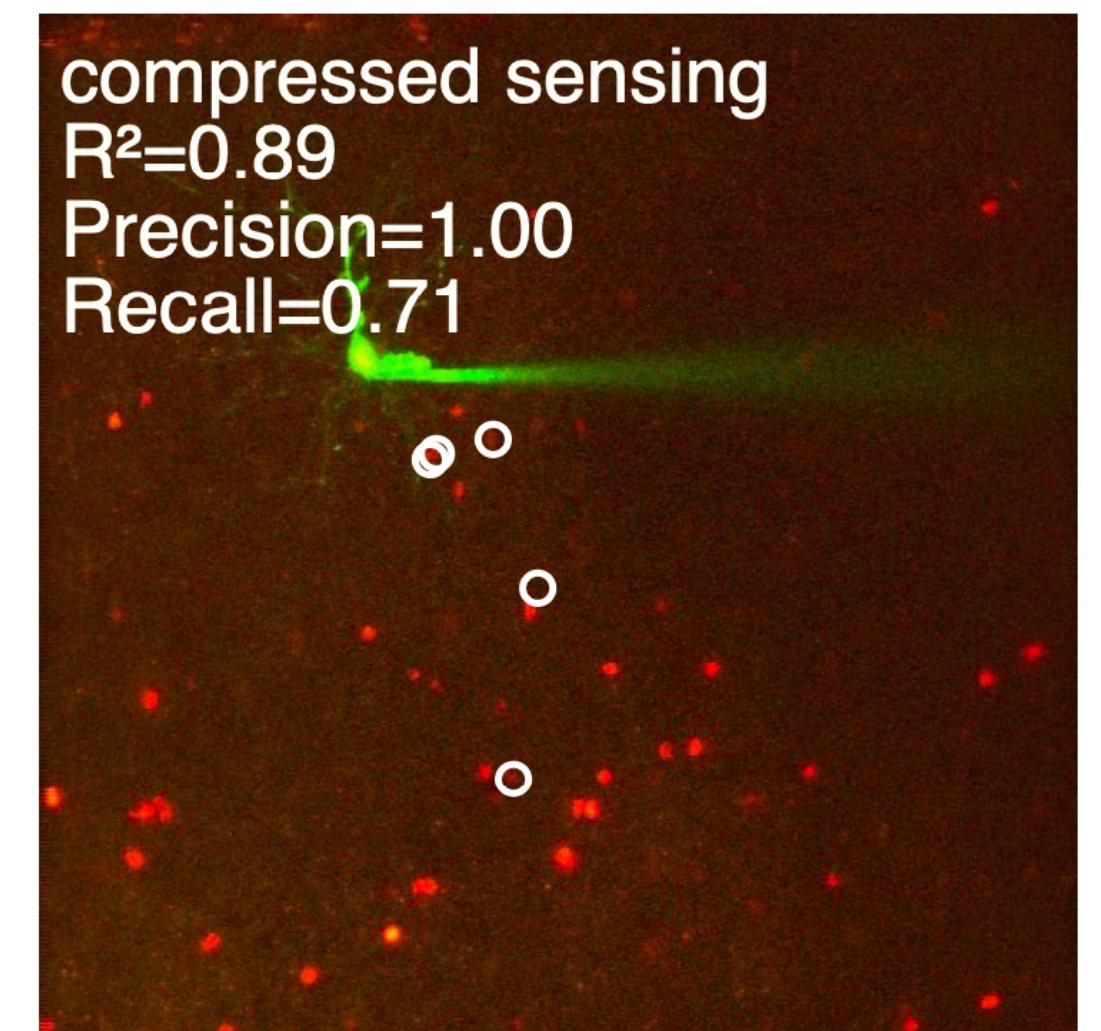
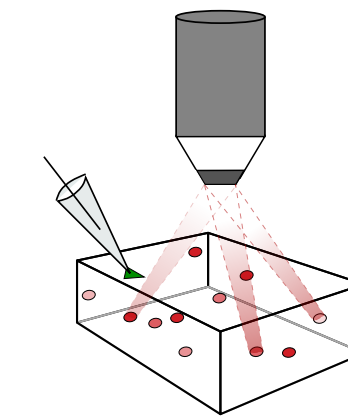
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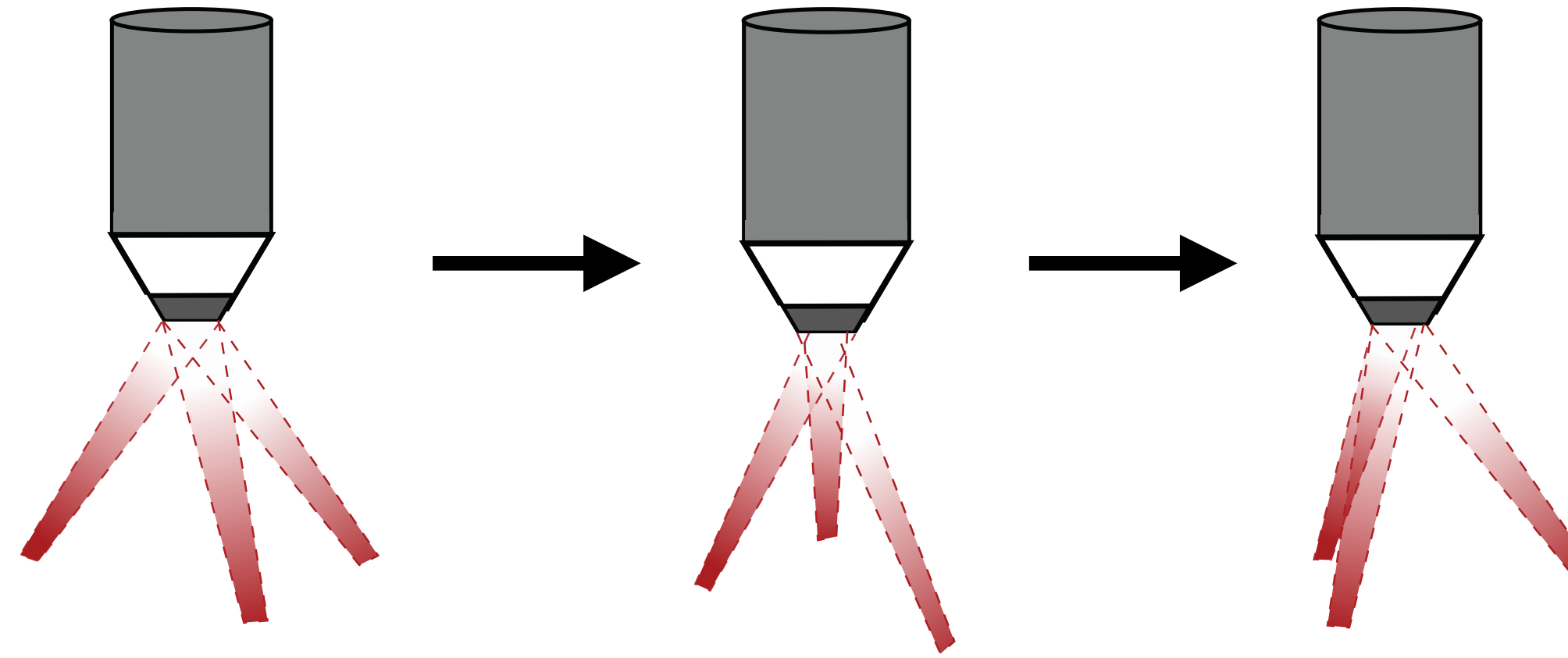
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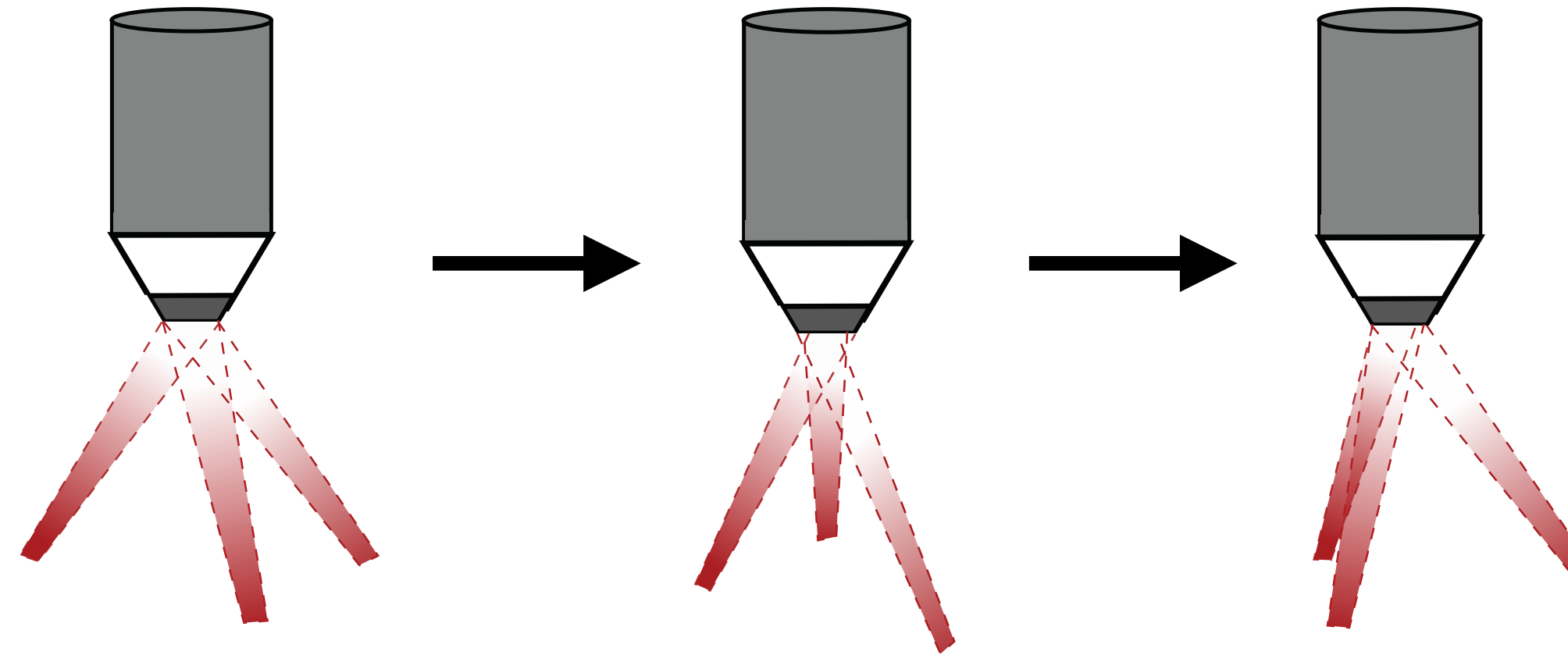
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Some future directions

- A. Inference of physiological parameters (synaptic time constants, short-term plasticity, facilitating synapses)
- B. Inference with variable presynaptic spike-counts
- C. Connectivity mapping with calcium or voltage imaging

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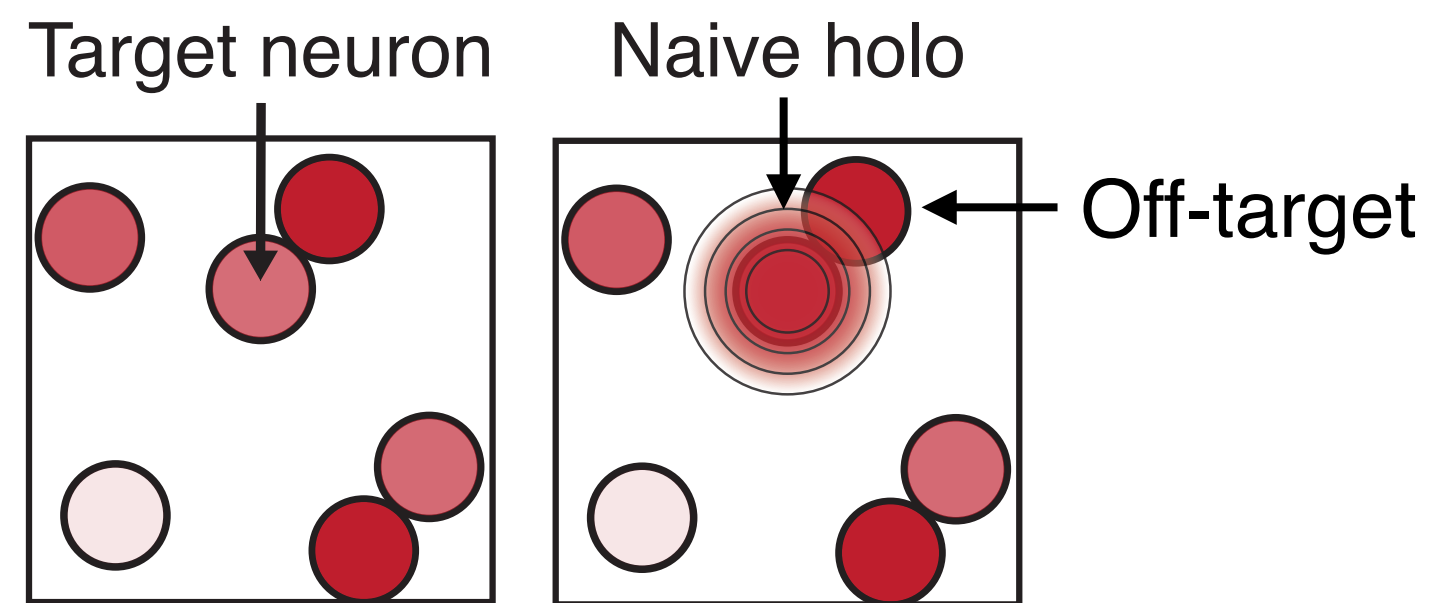
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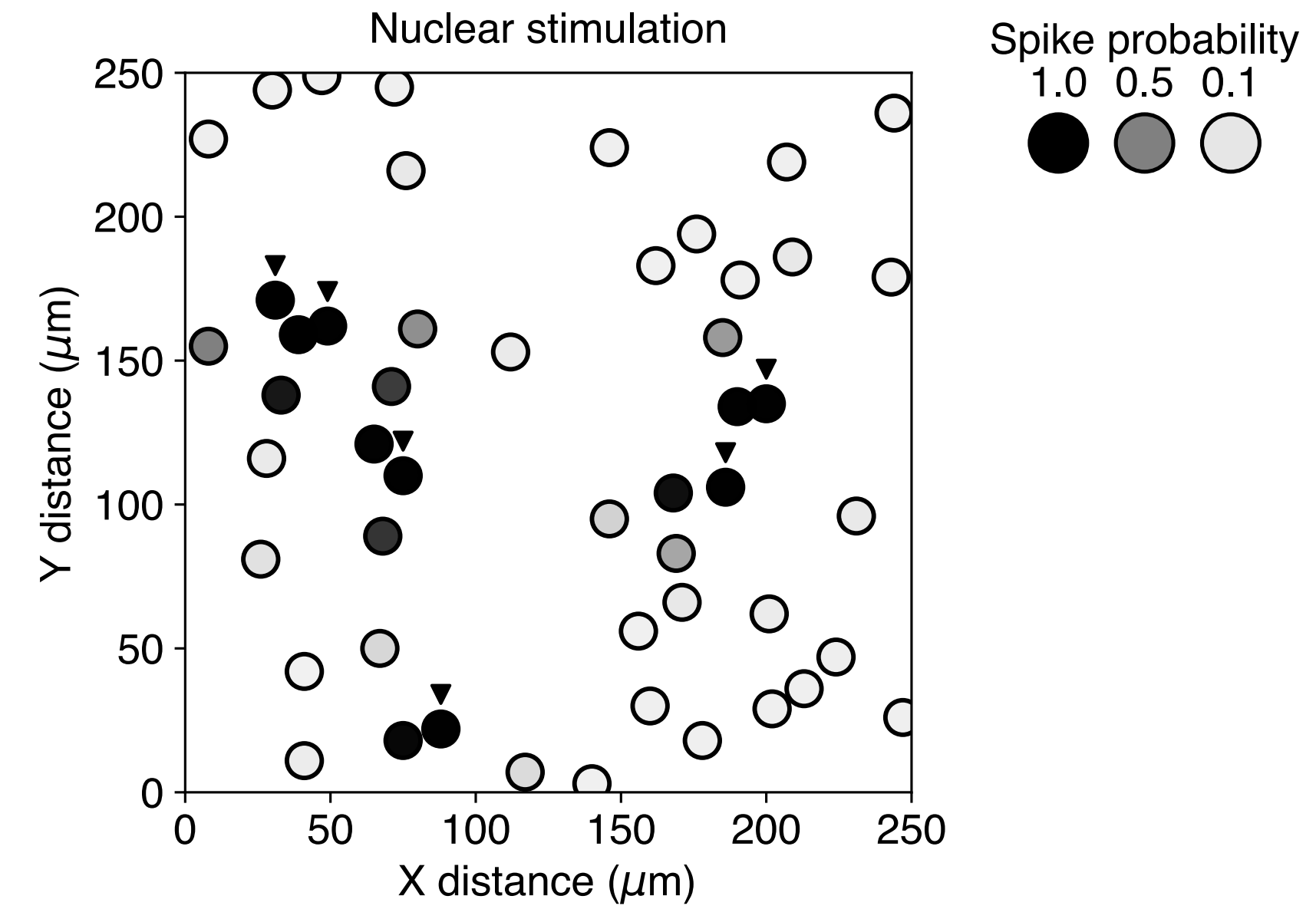
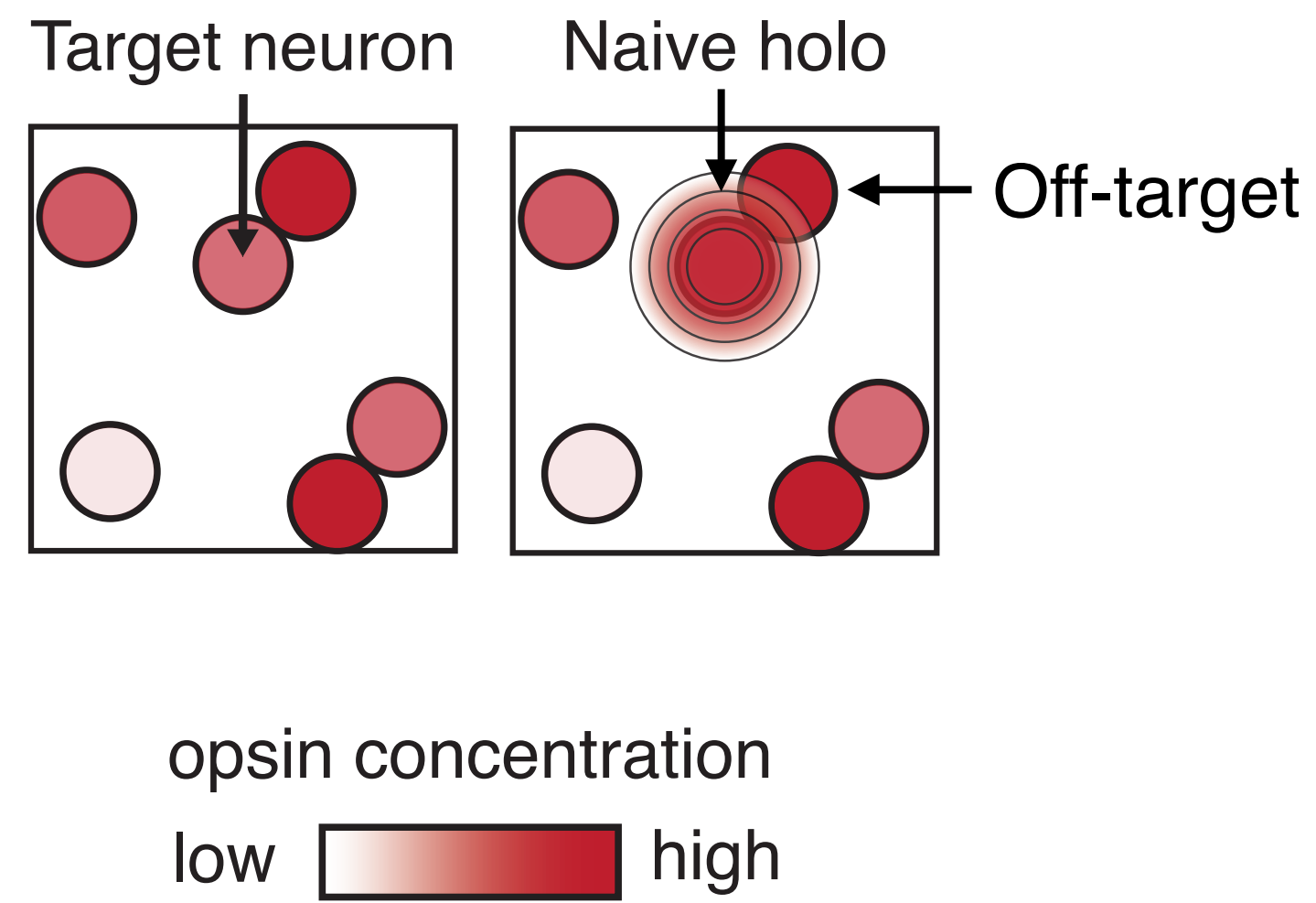
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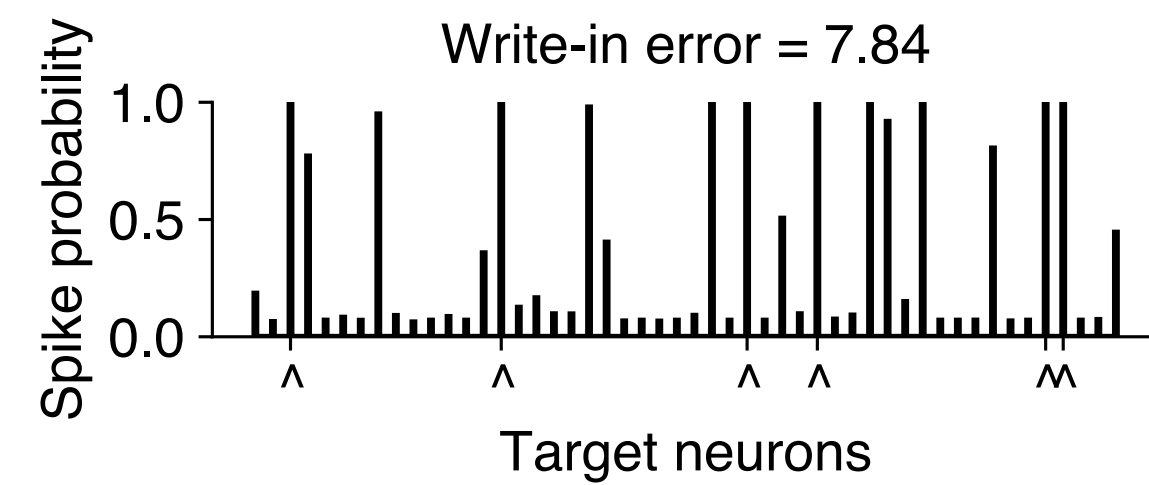
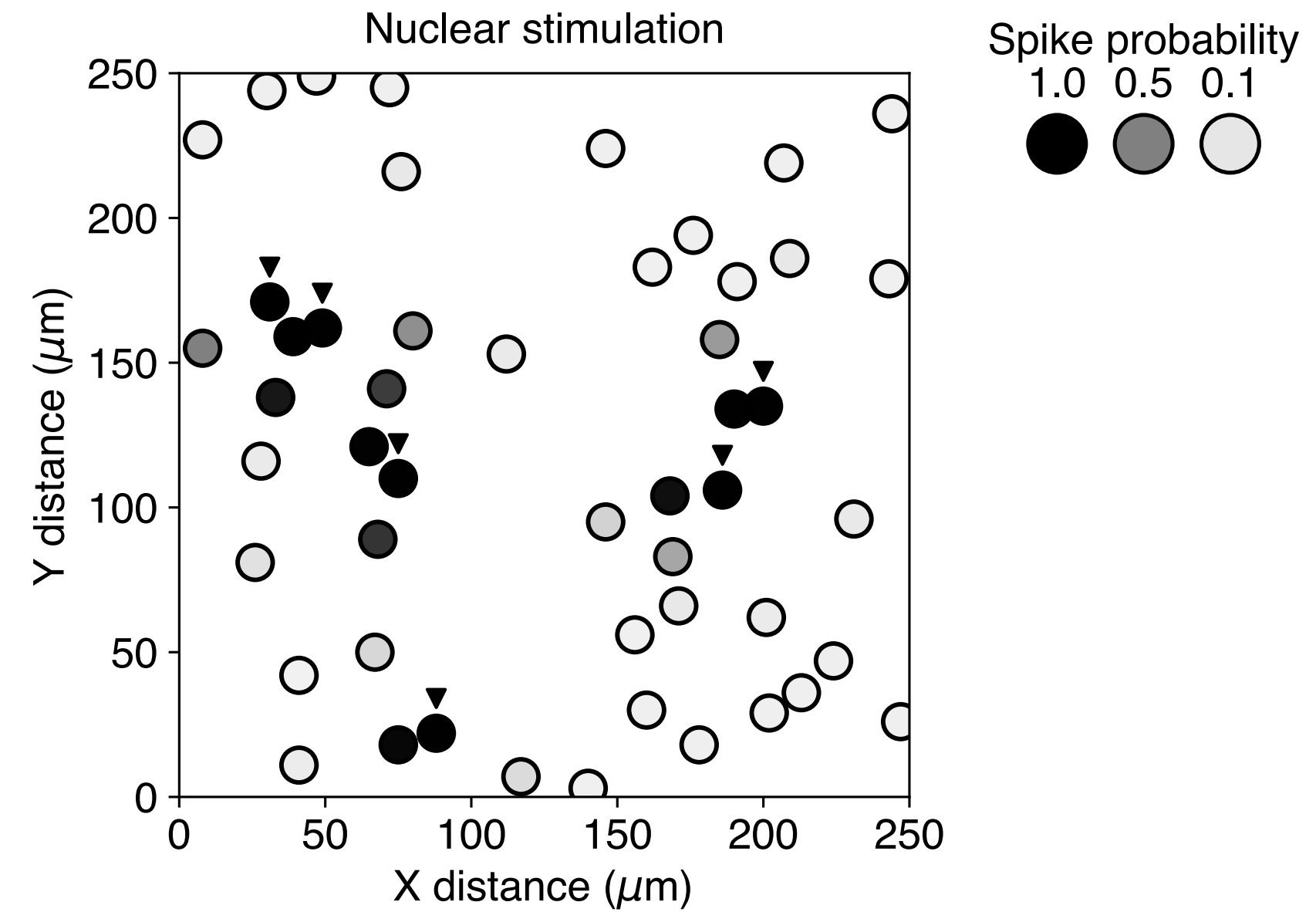
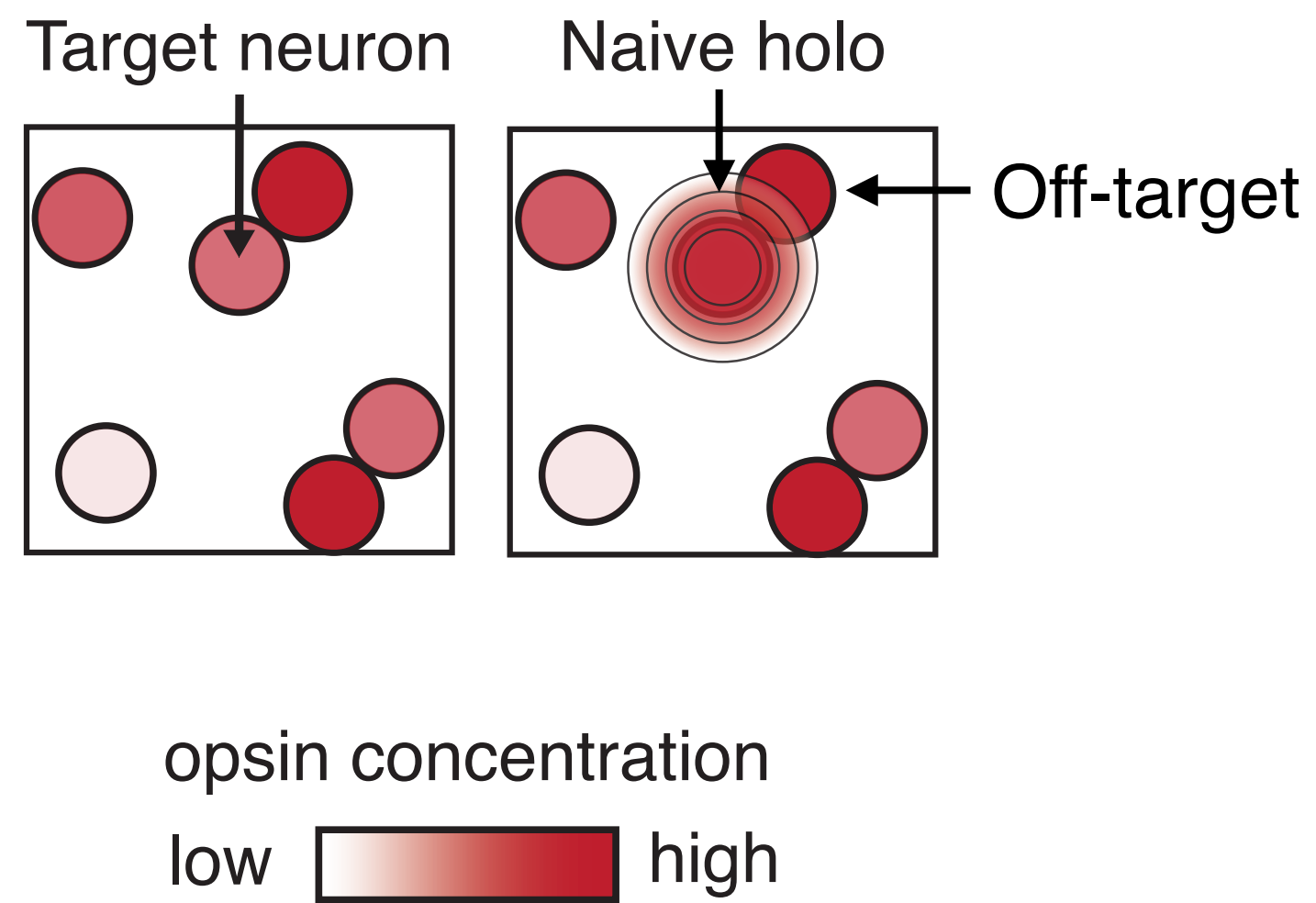


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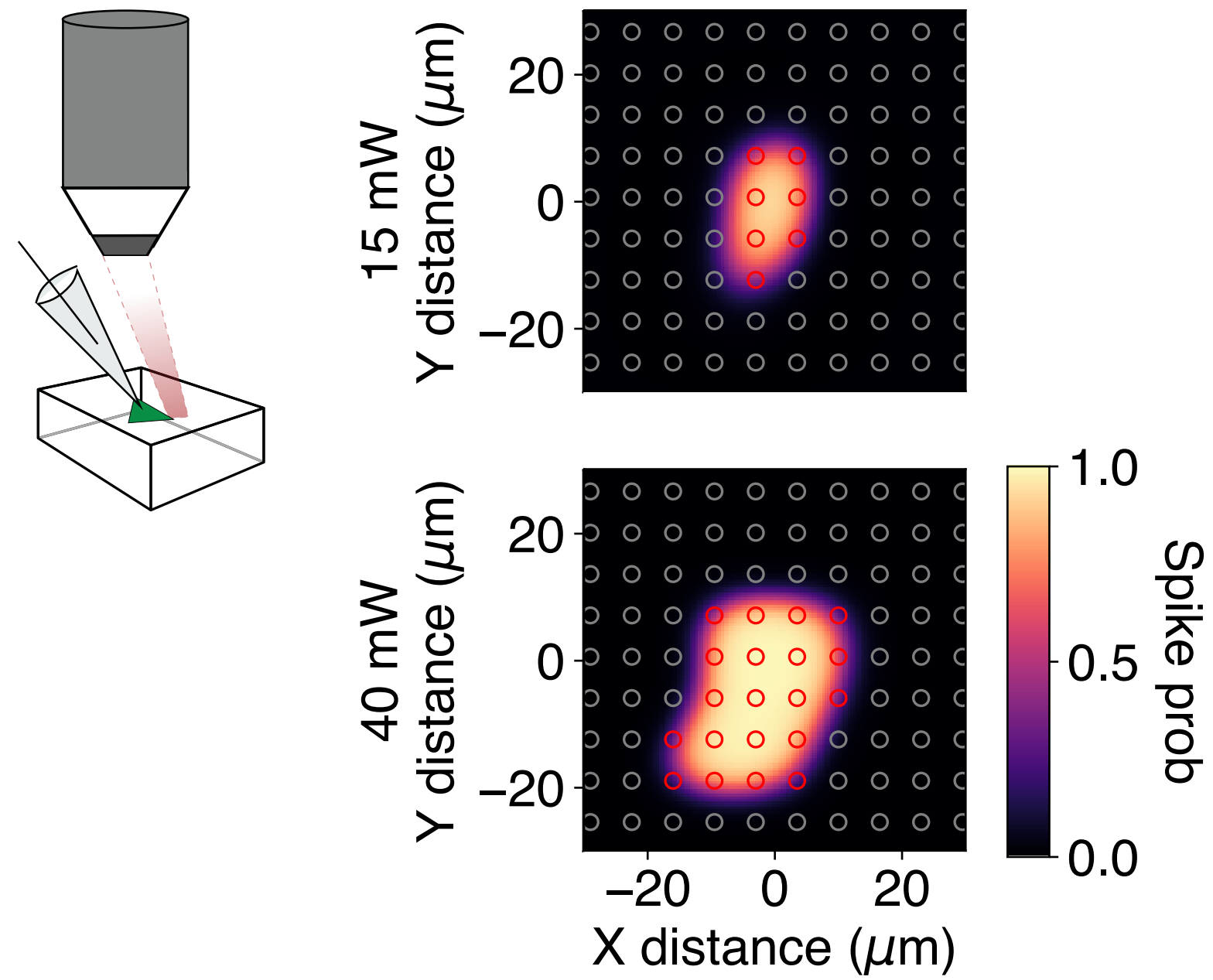
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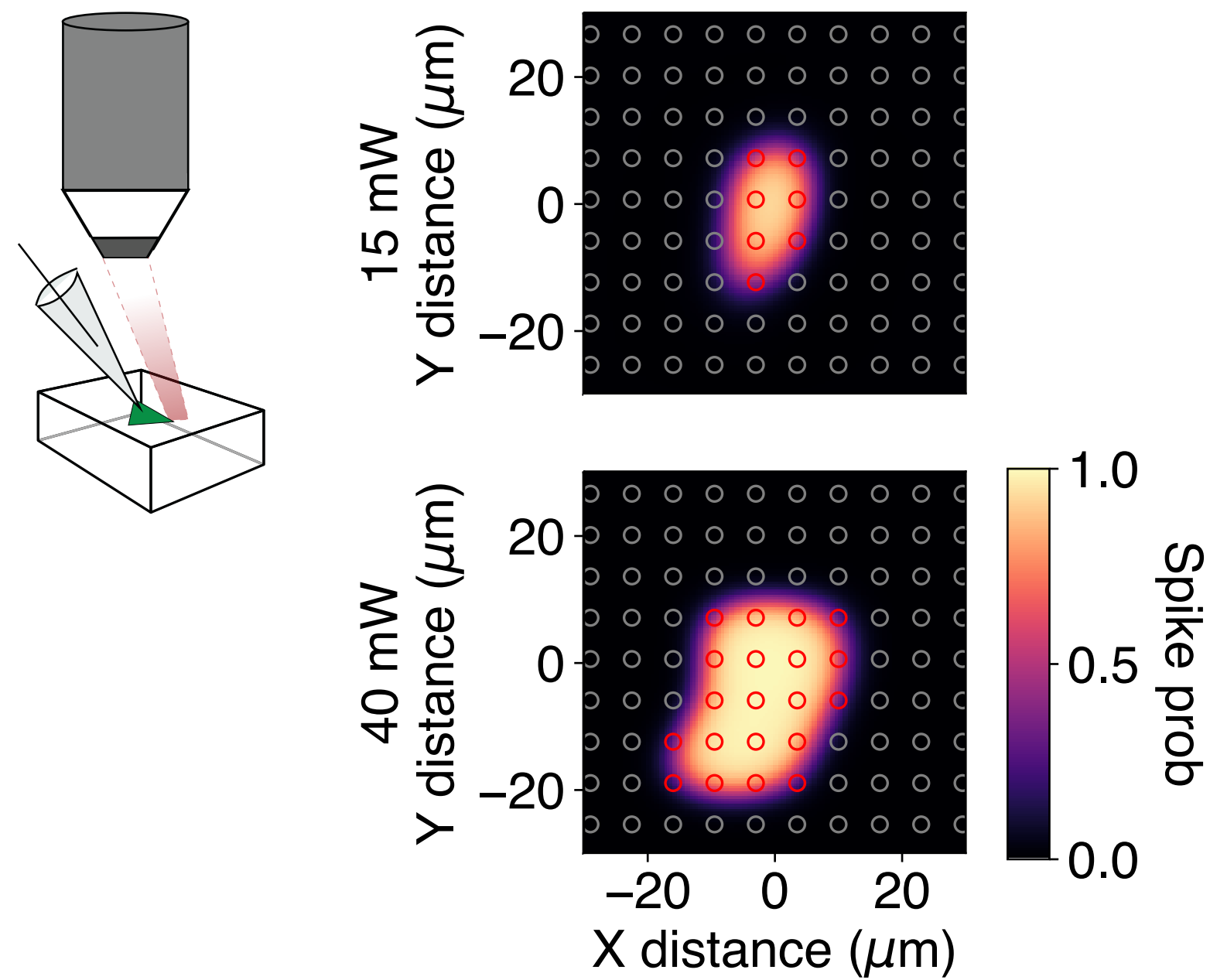


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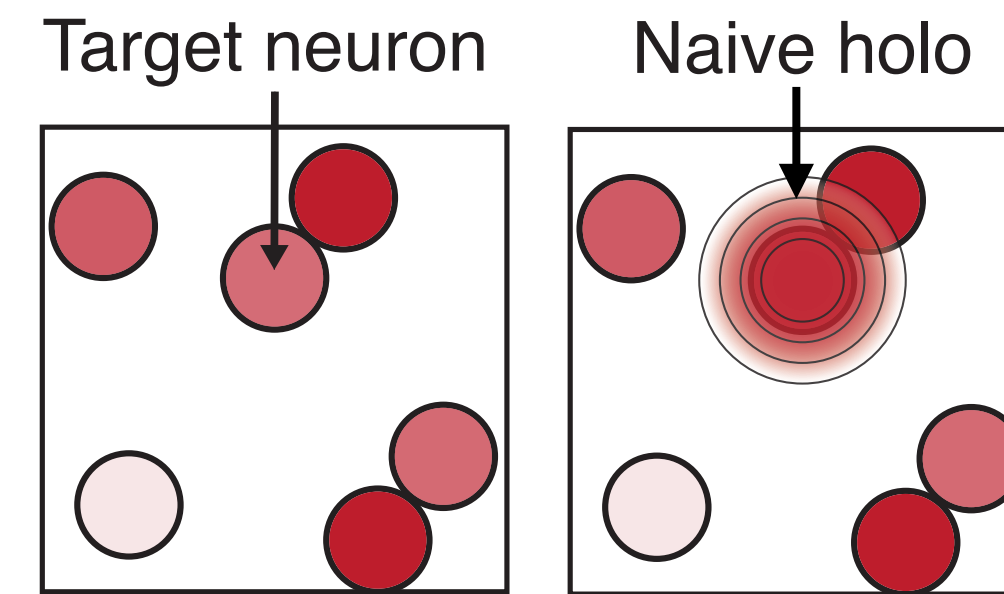


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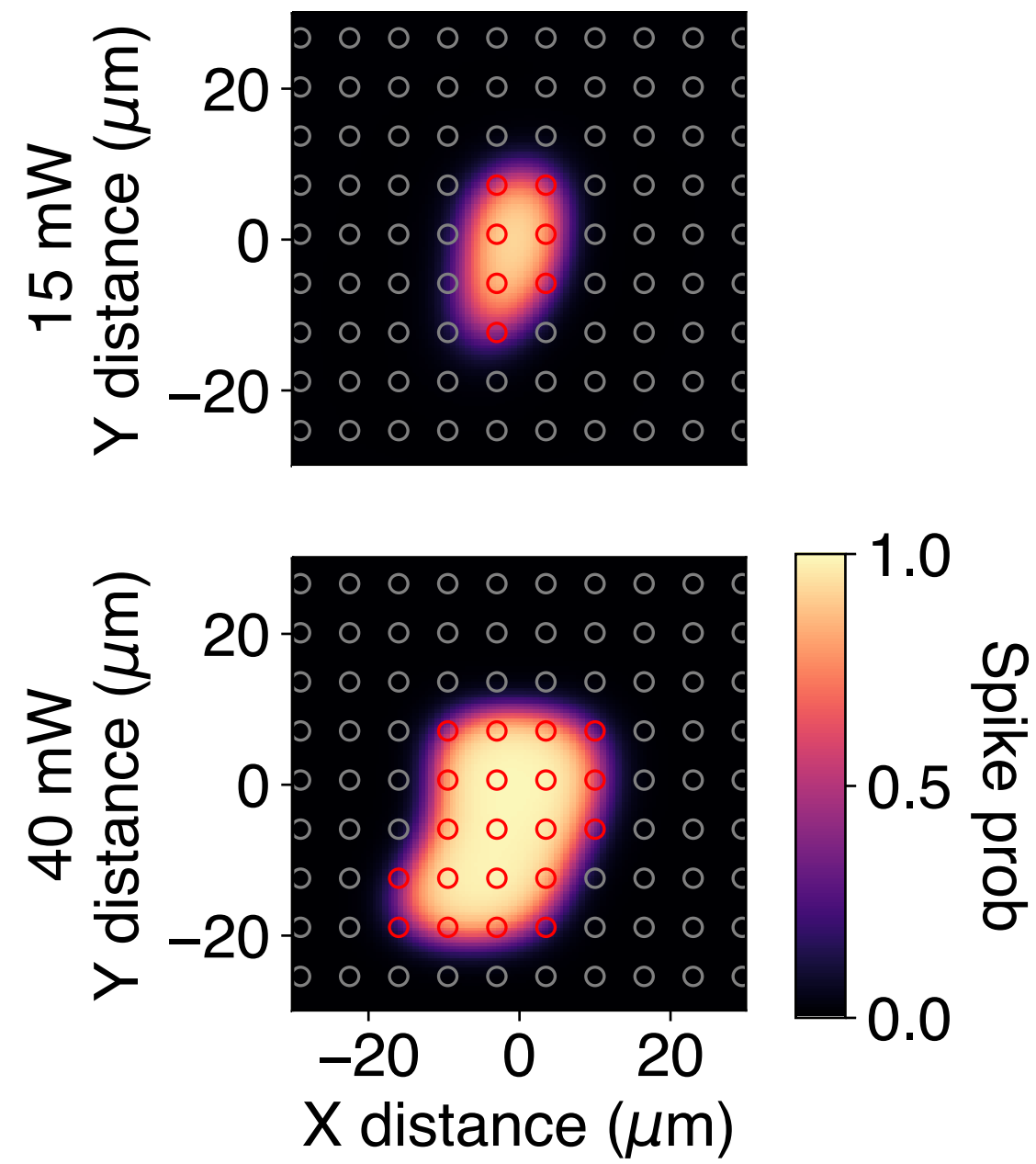
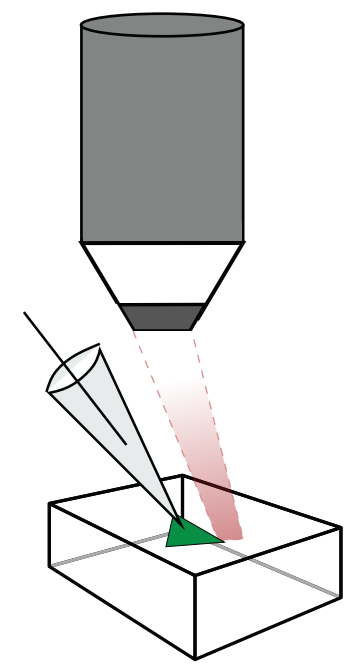


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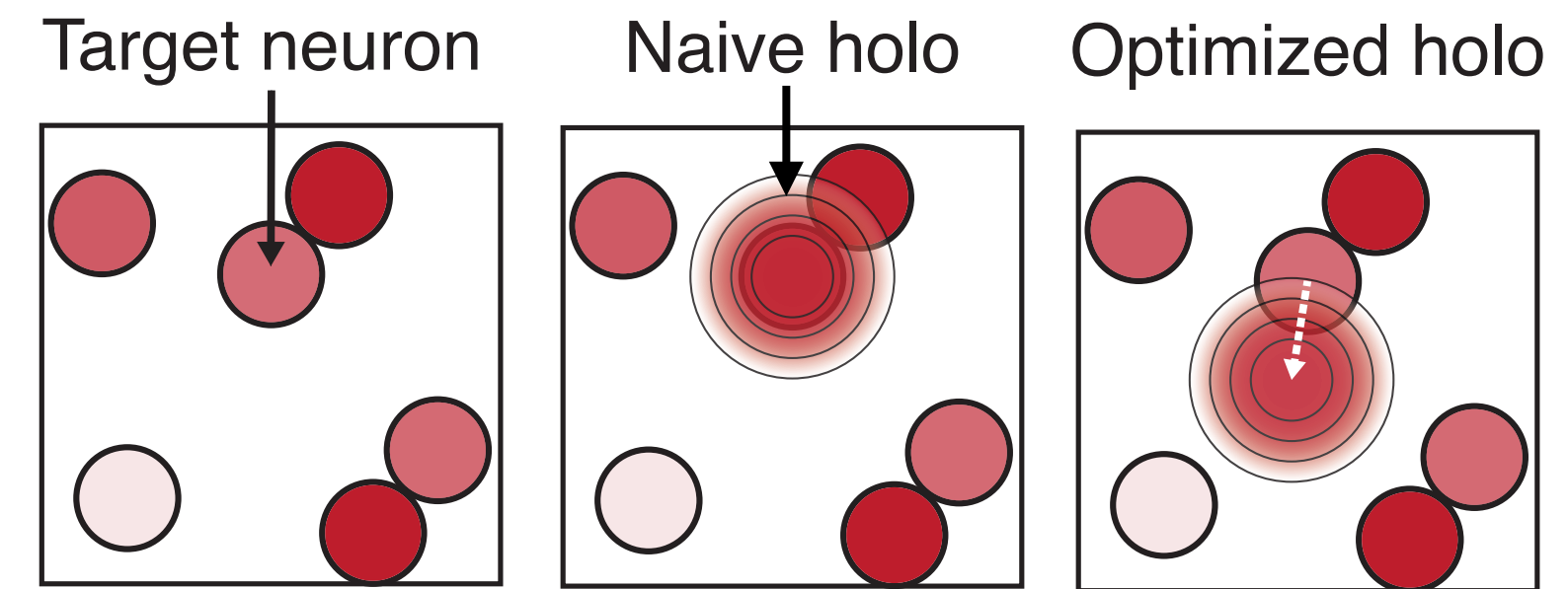


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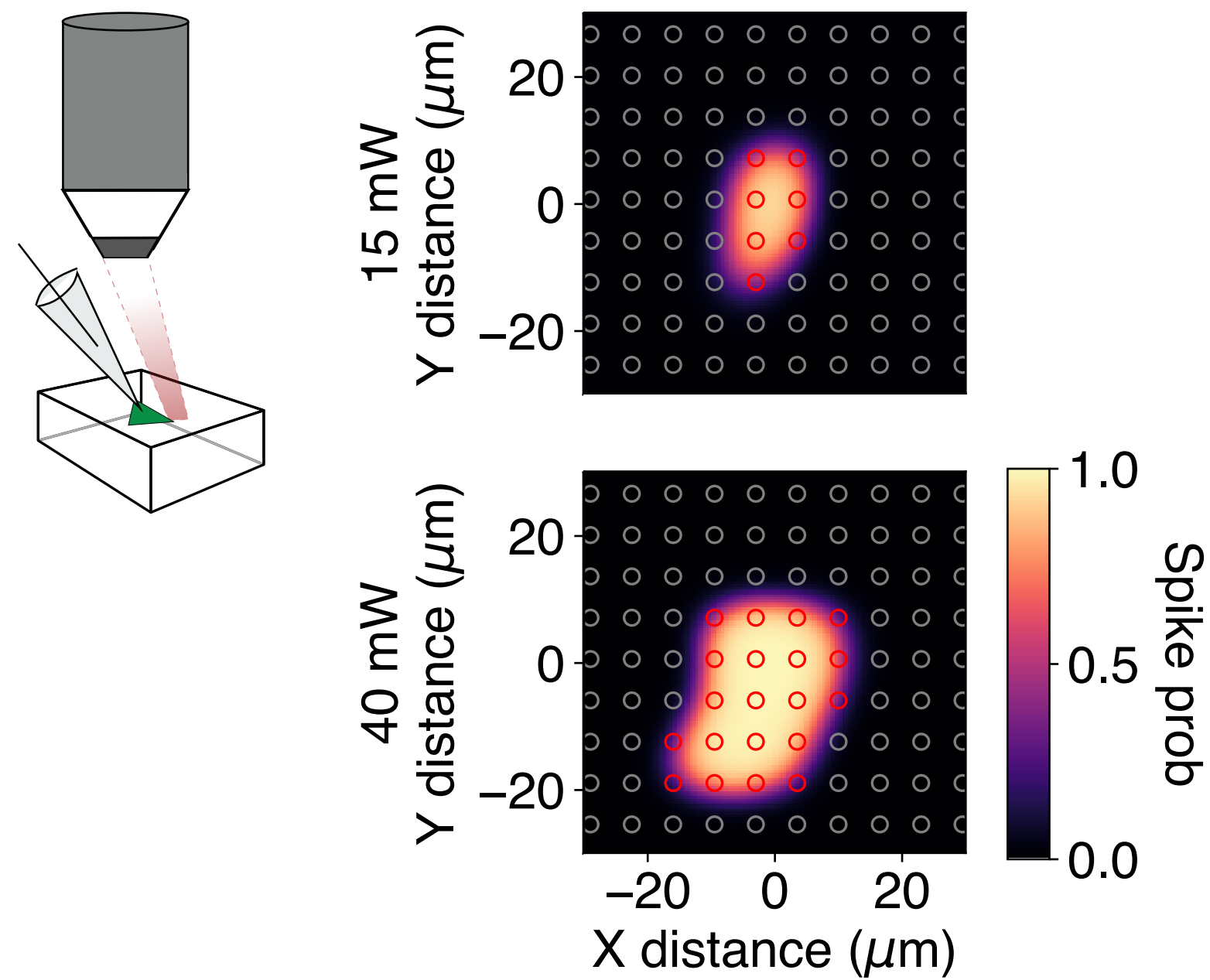


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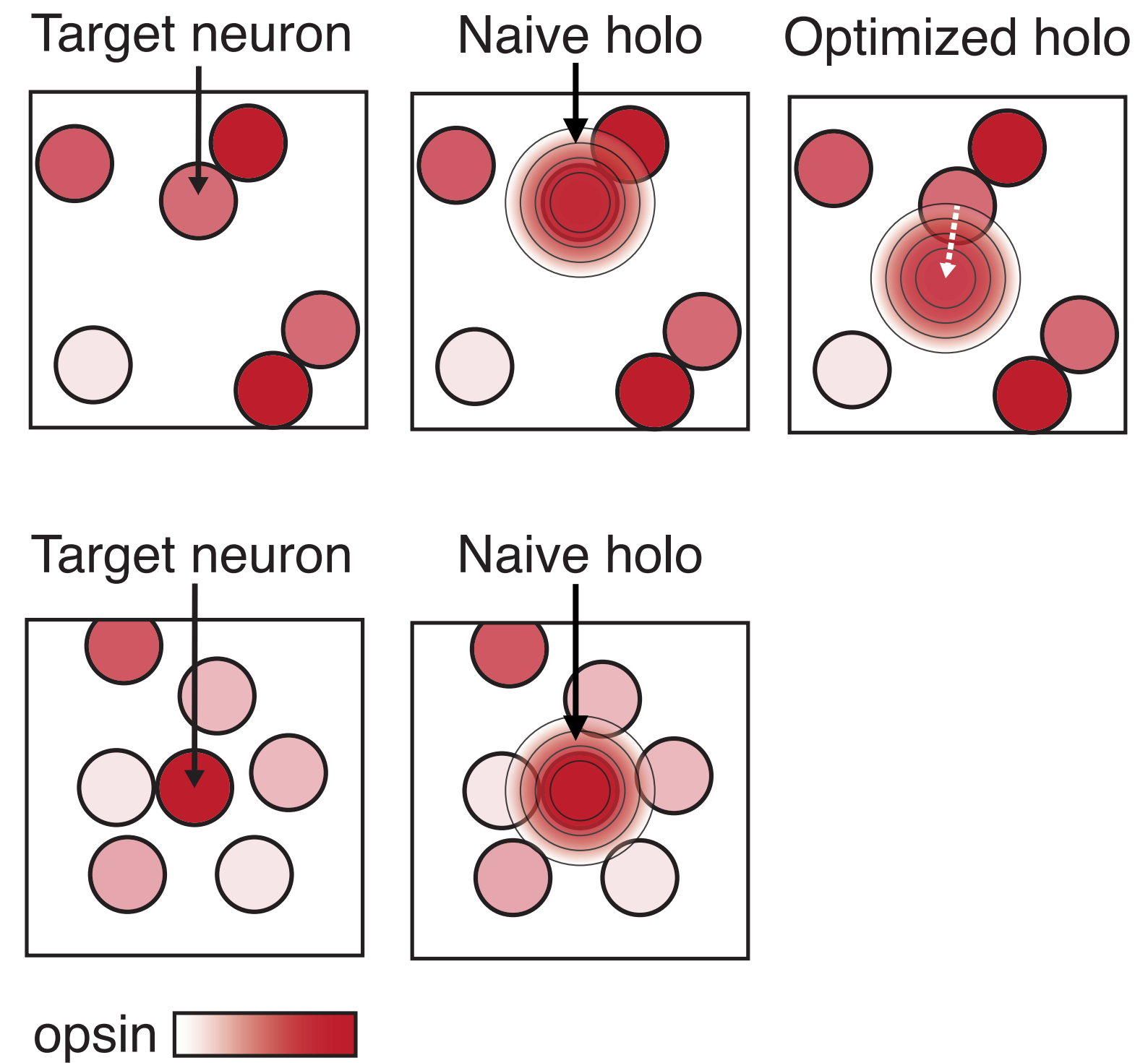


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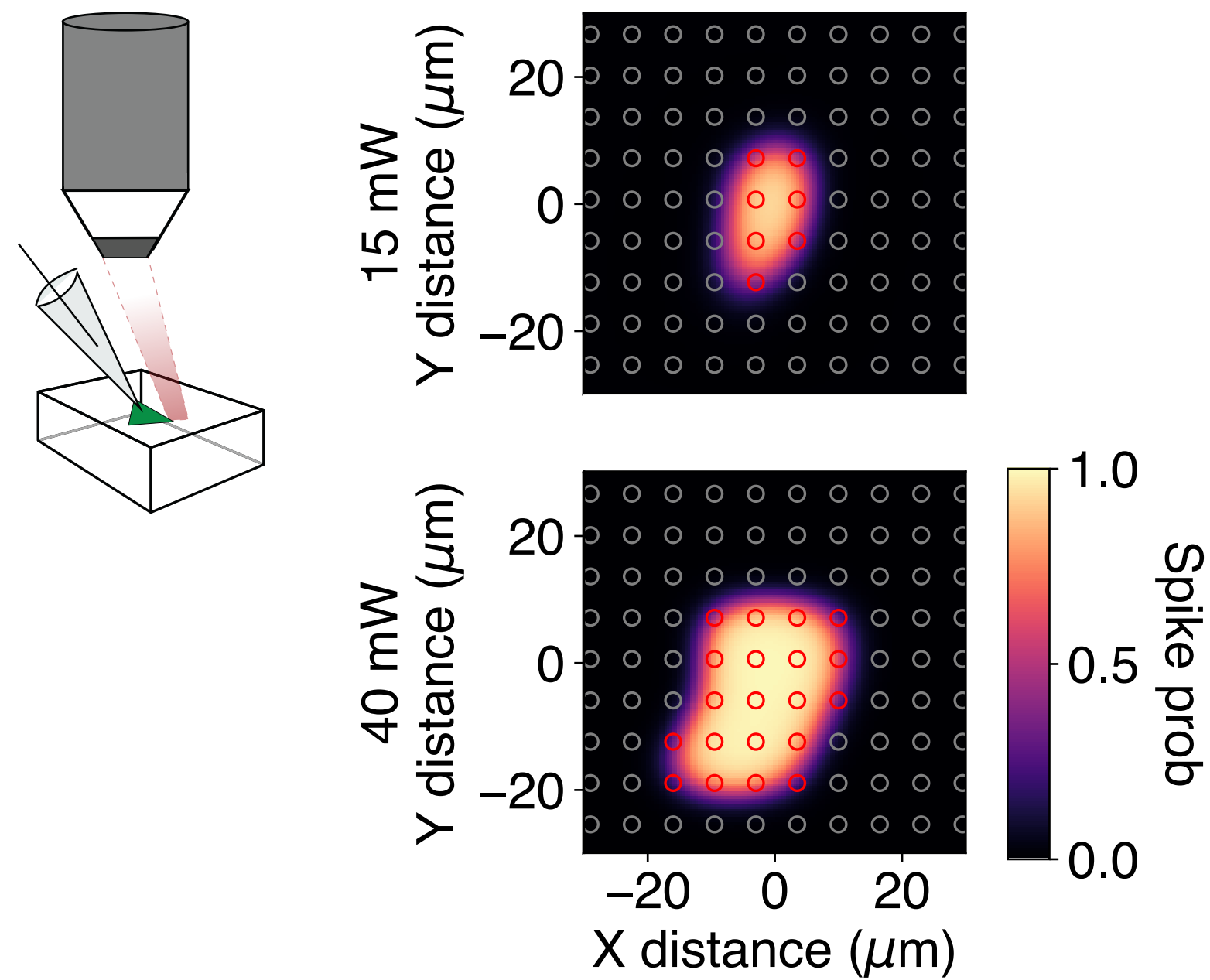
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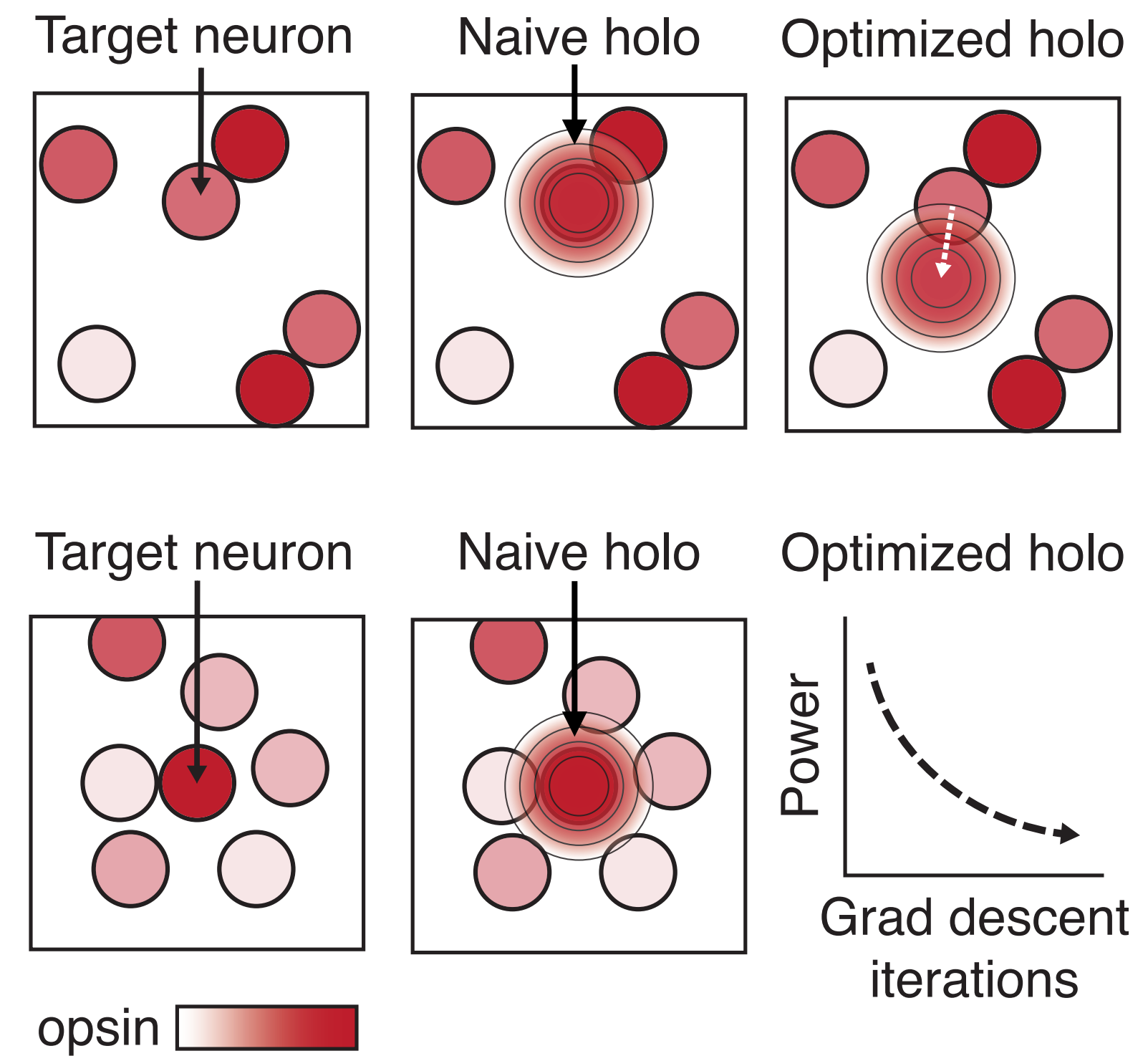
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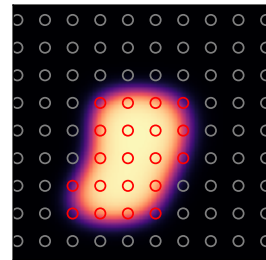
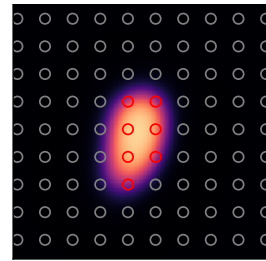
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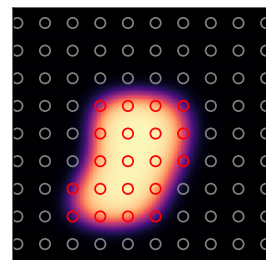
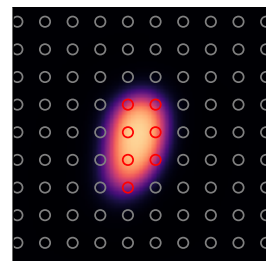
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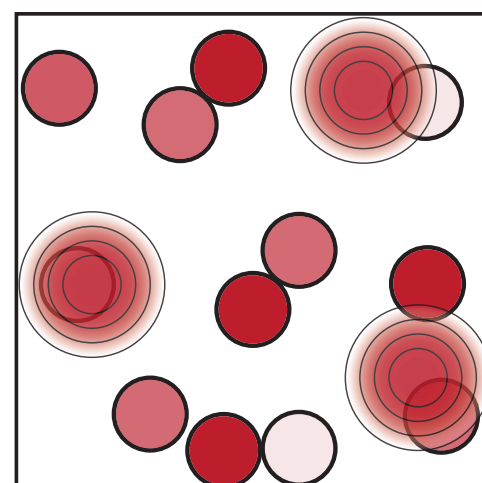


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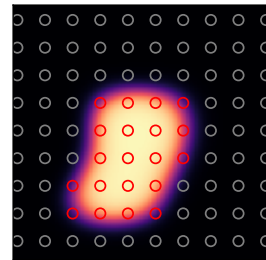
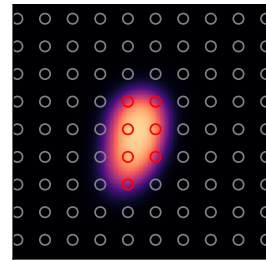
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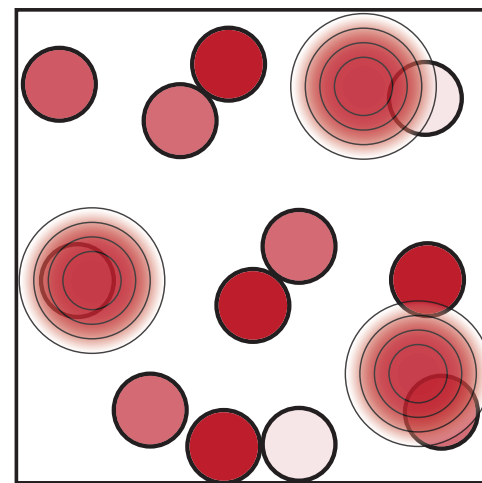


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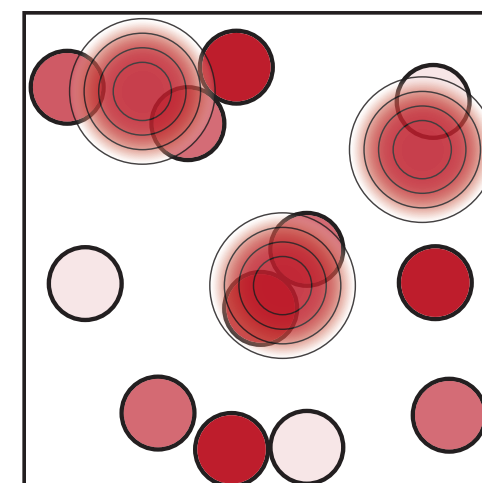
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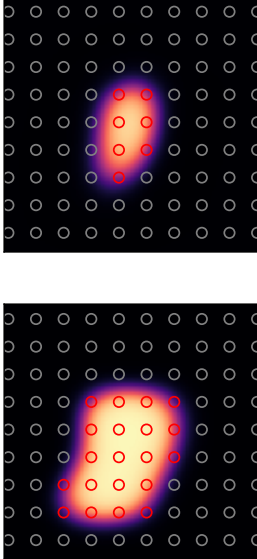
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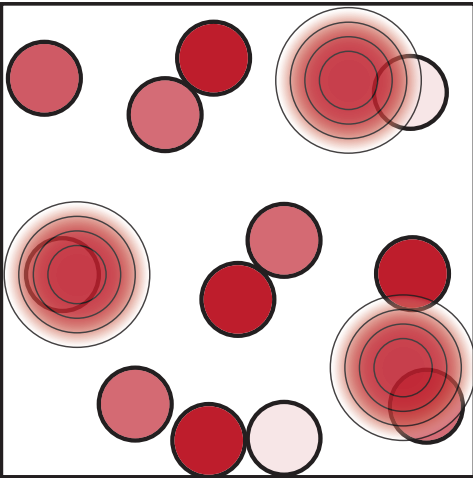
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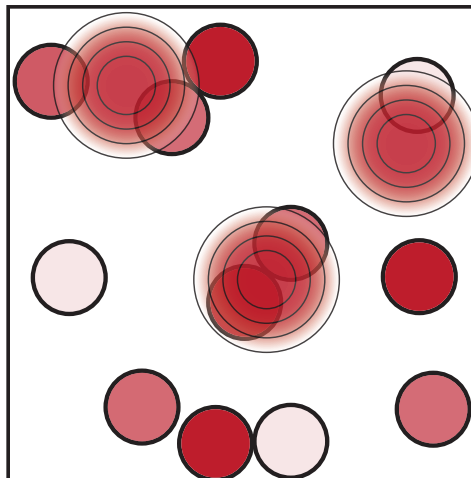


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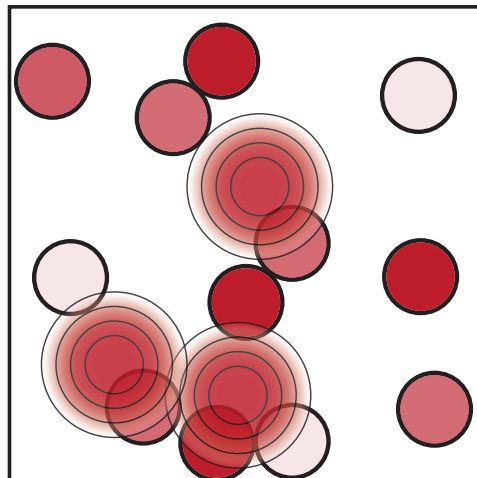
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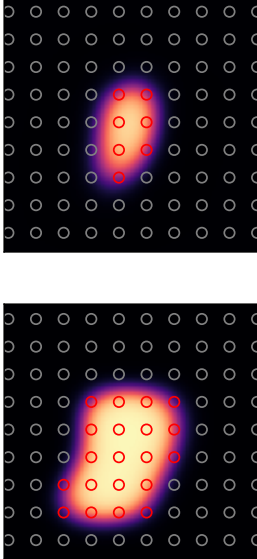
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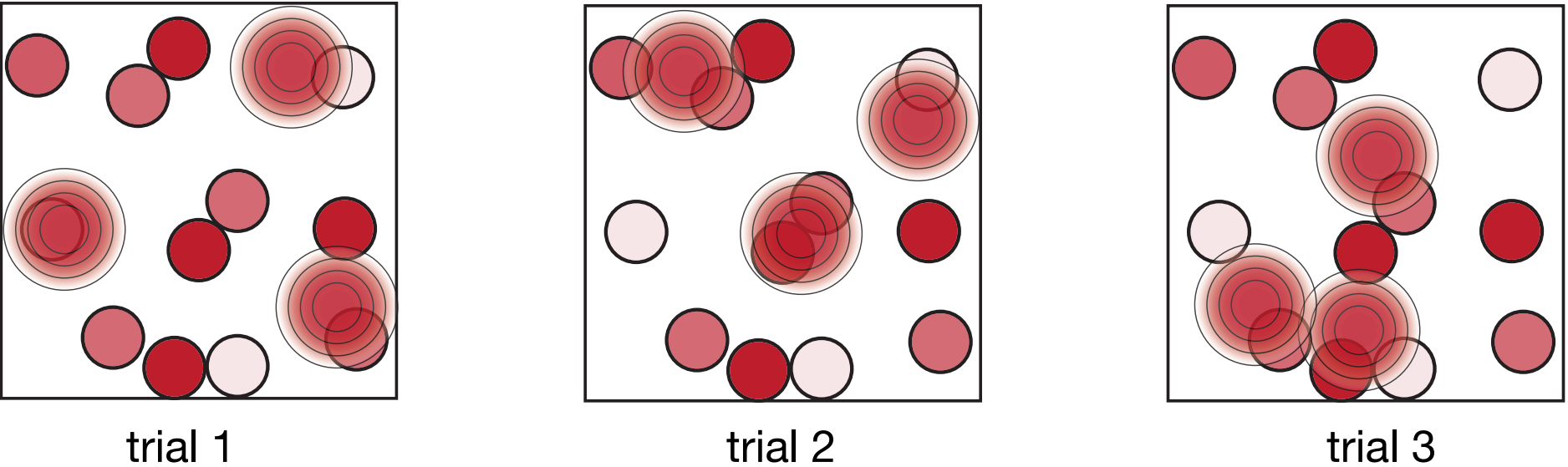
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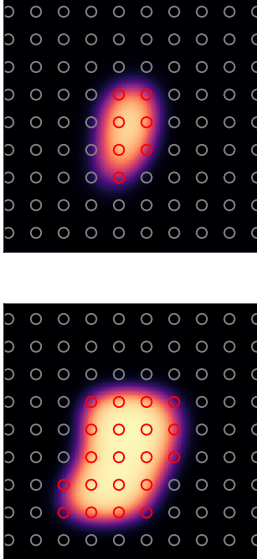
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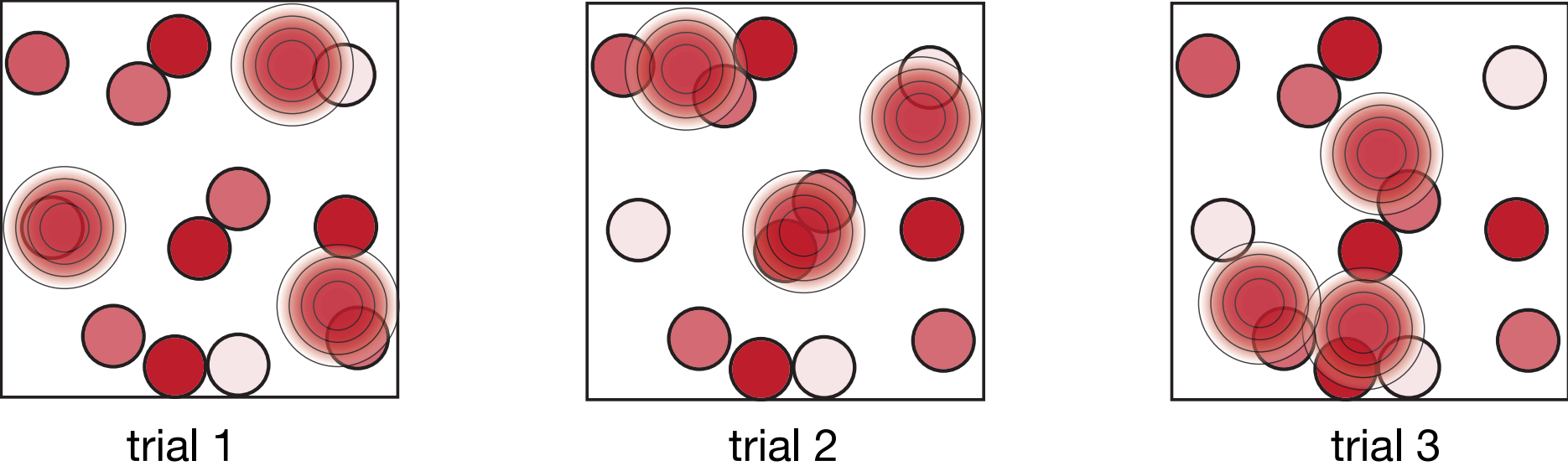
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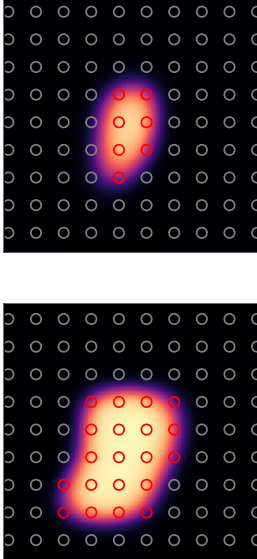
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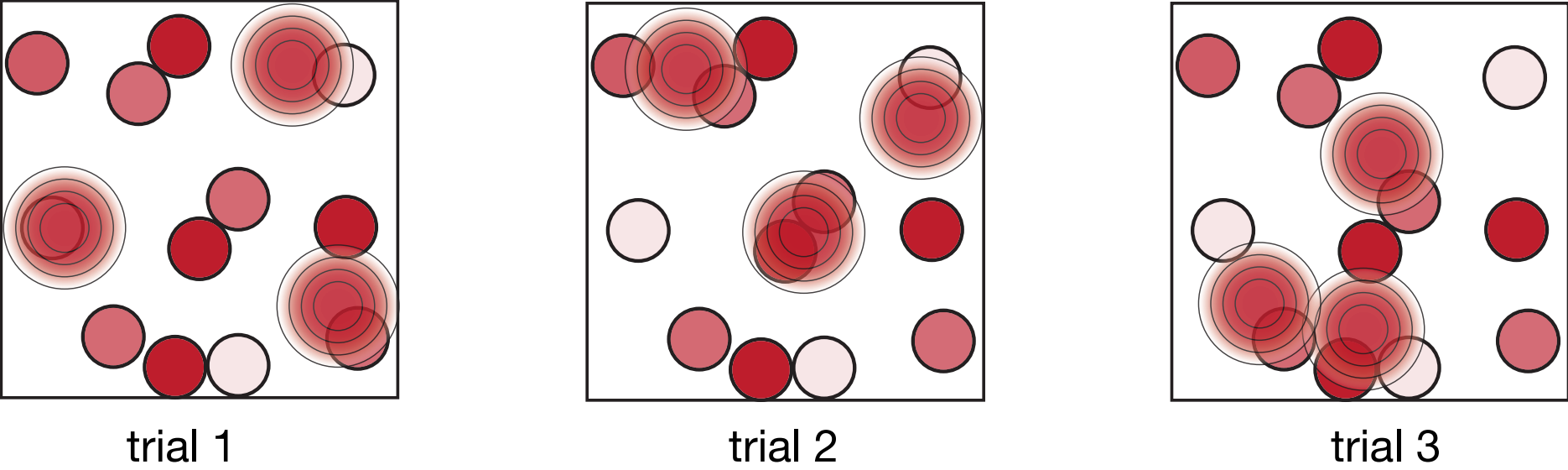
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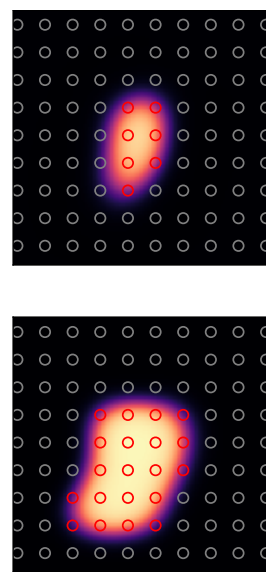
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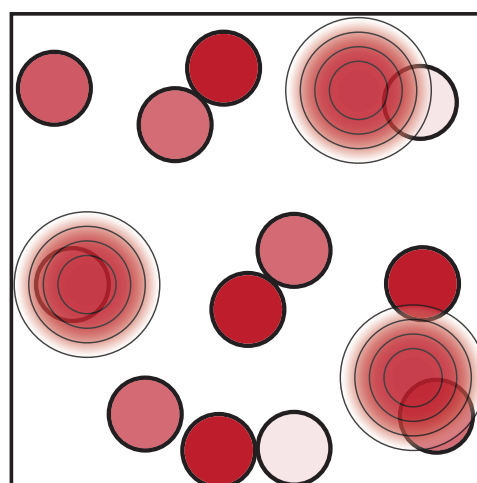
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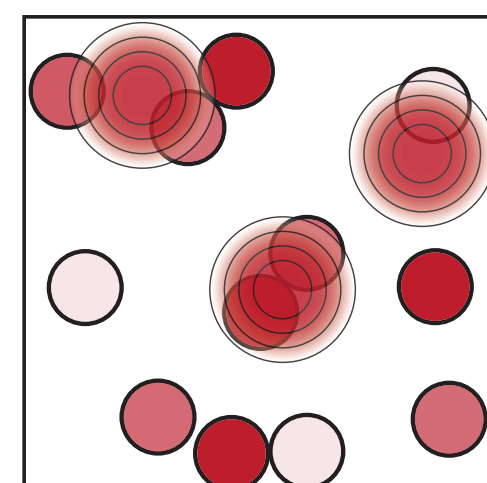
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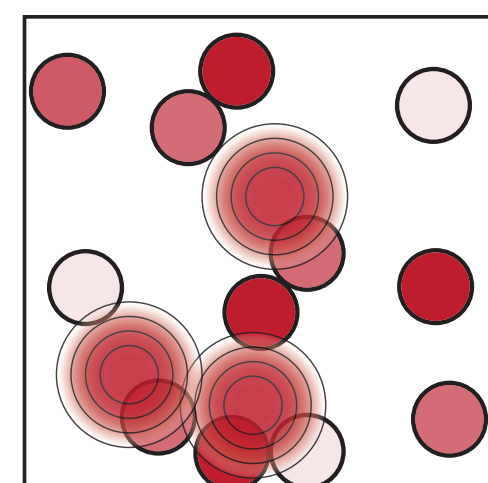
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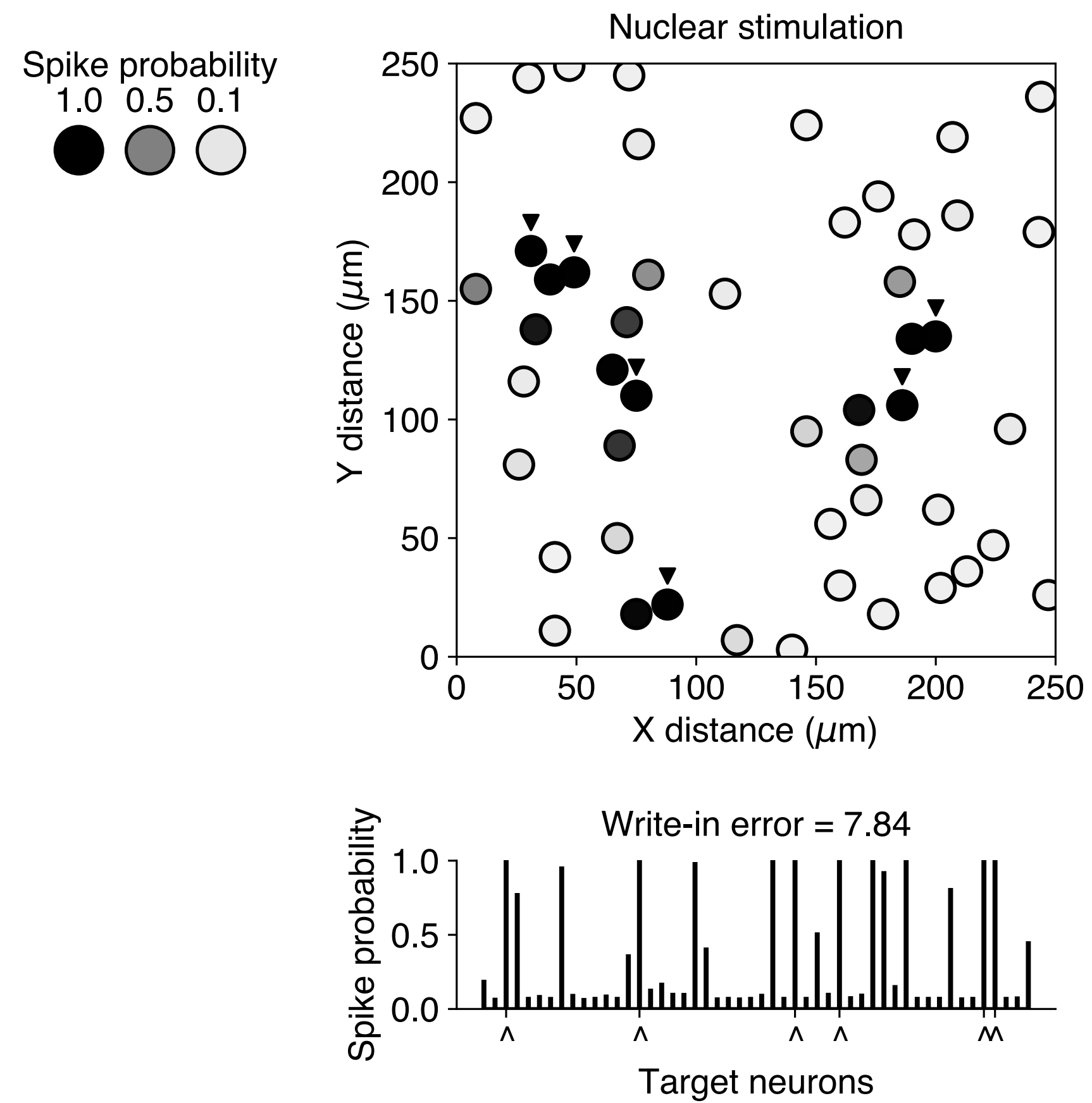
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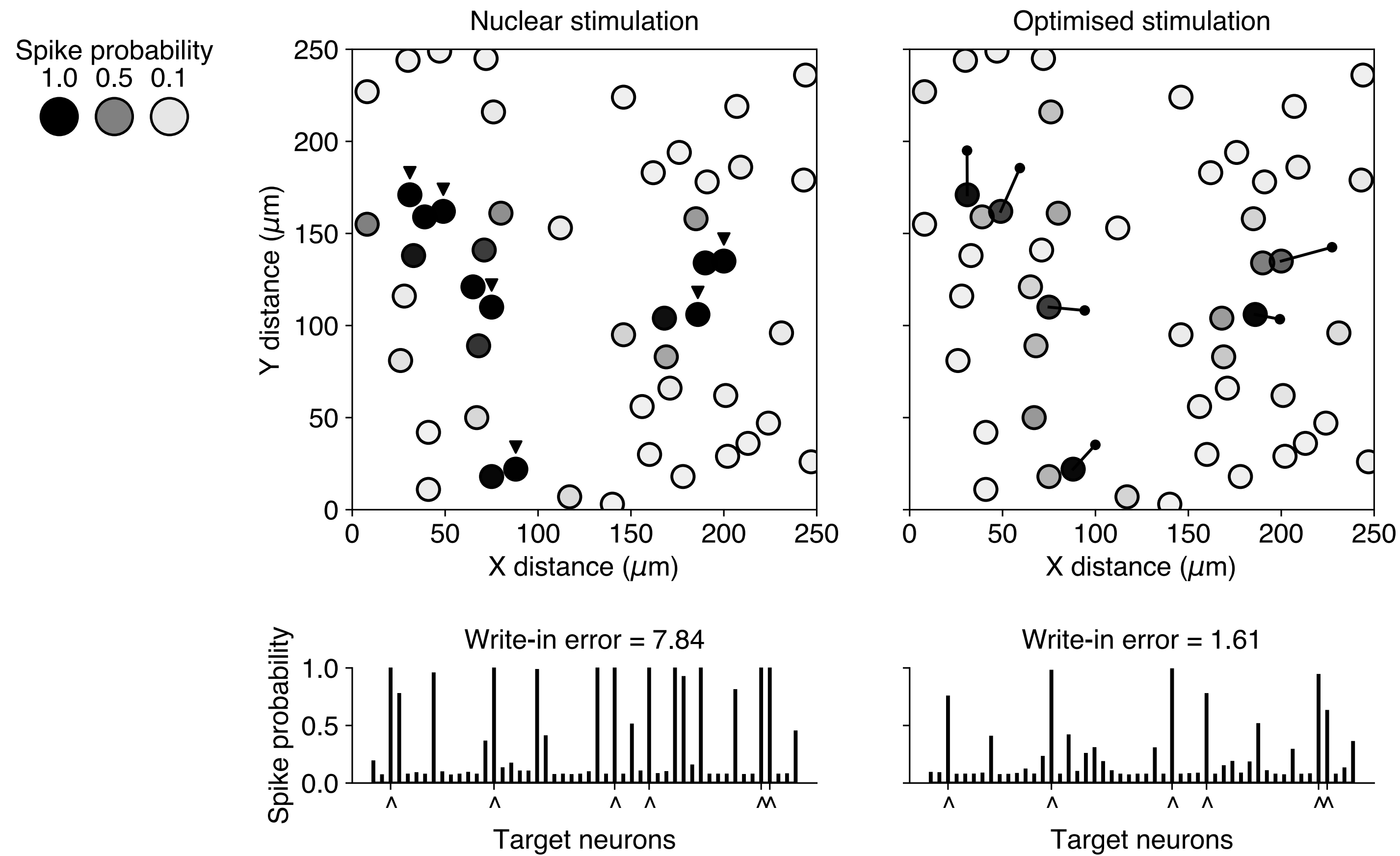
Algorithm 1: Bayesian target optimisation (Bataro).

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 - 2 Initialise targets $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{J \times 3}$ to random locations near the somas of the J target neurons and with random laser powers.
 - 3 **while** target not converged **do**
 - 4 Construct gradient vectors $\nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \hat{\gamma}_n(\mathbf{x})$ for $n = 1, \dots, N$ using inference of ORF derivatives (Equation 8).
 - 5 Set $\delta_{\mathbf{x}} = -2 \sum_{n=1}^N (\Omega_n - \sigma(\hat{\gamma}_n(\mathbf{x}) - \hat{\theta}_n)) \sigma'(\hat{\gamma}_n(\mathbf{x}) - \hat{\theta}_n) \nabla_{\mathbf{x}} \hat{\gamma}_n(\mathbf{x})$.
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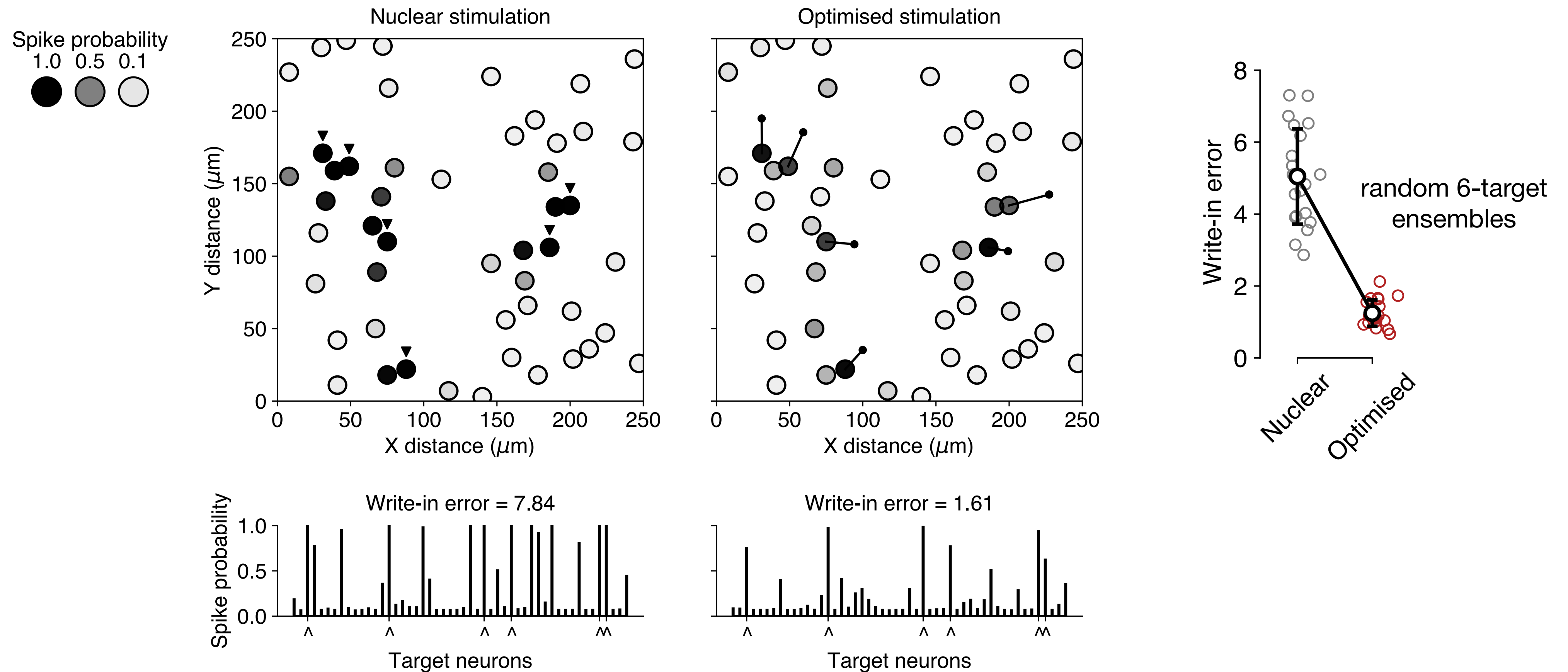
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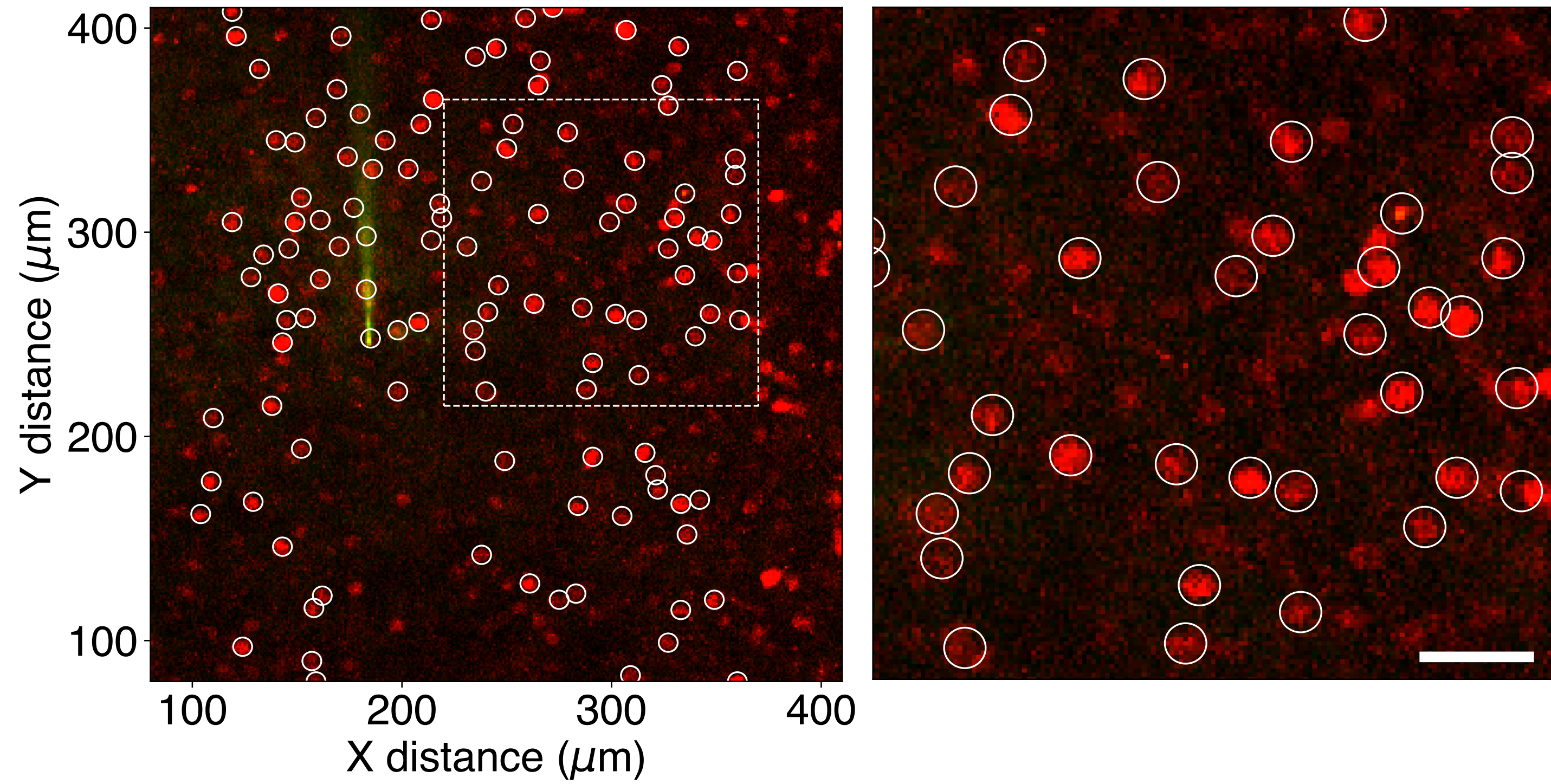
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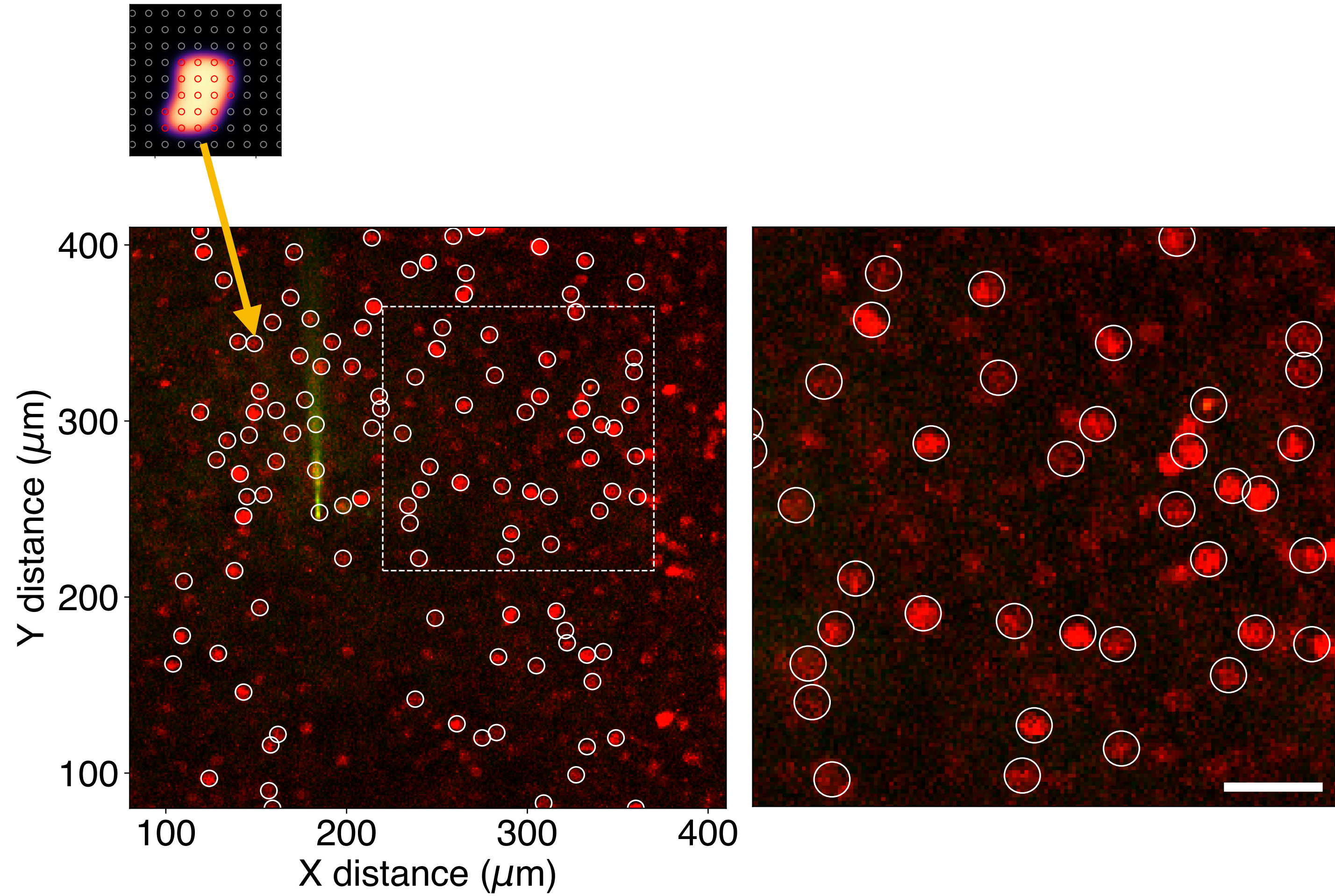
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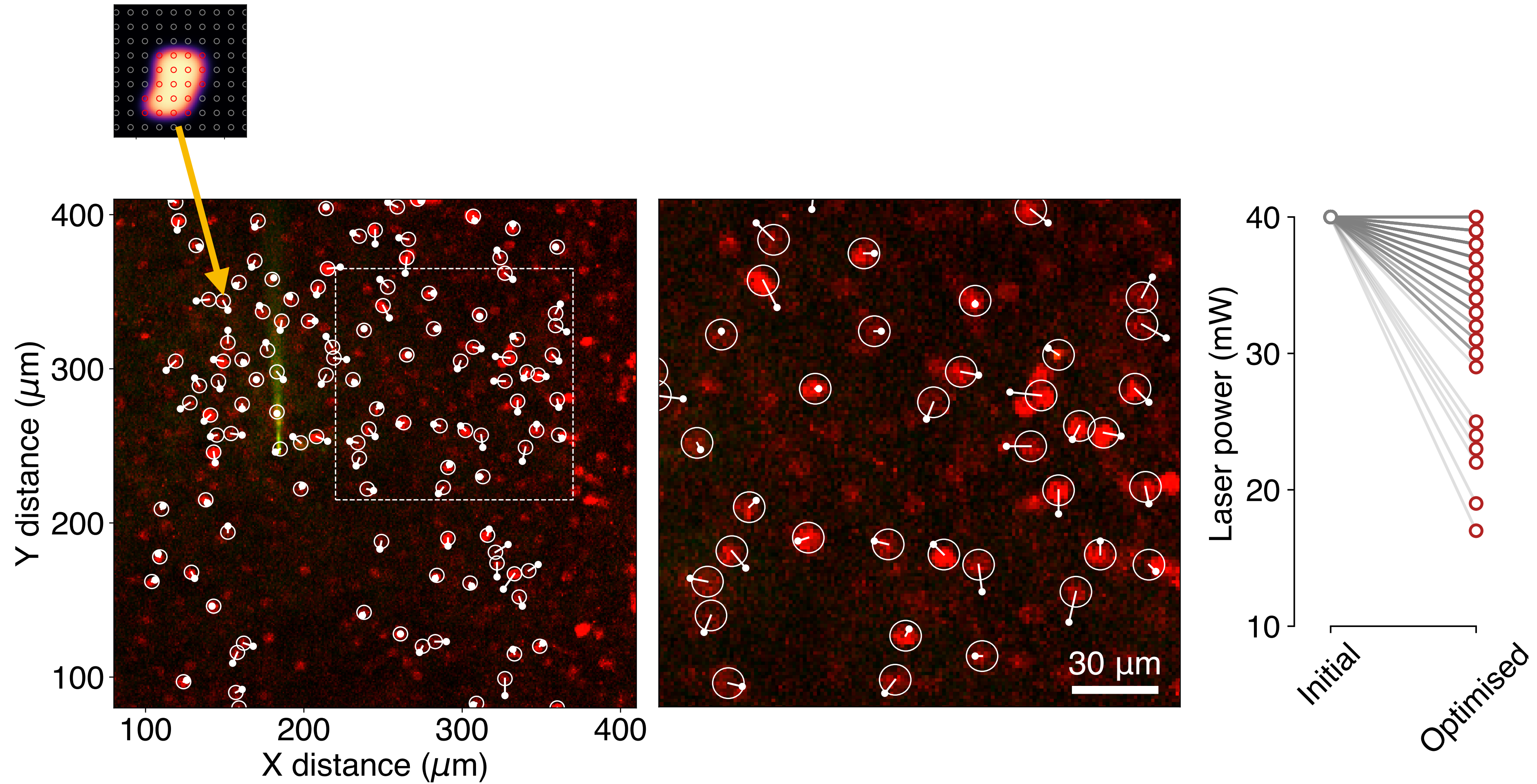
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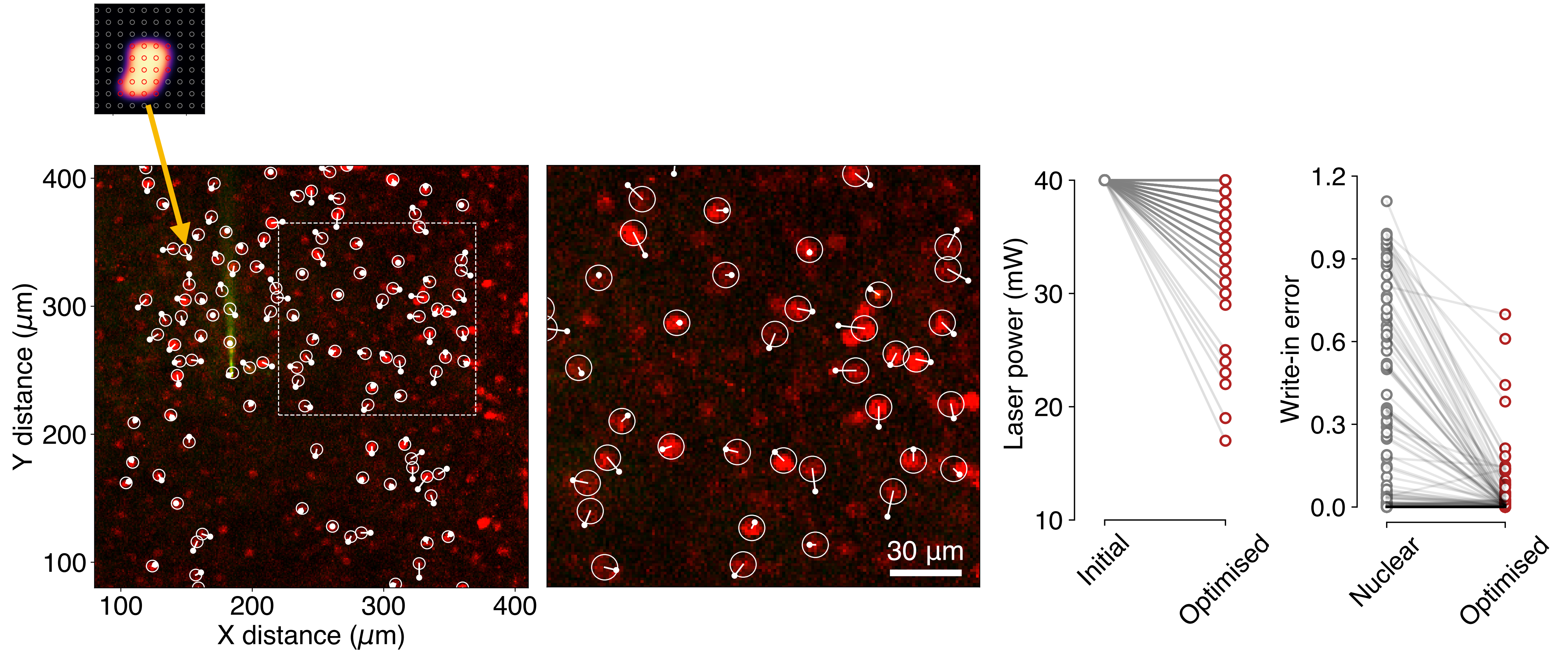
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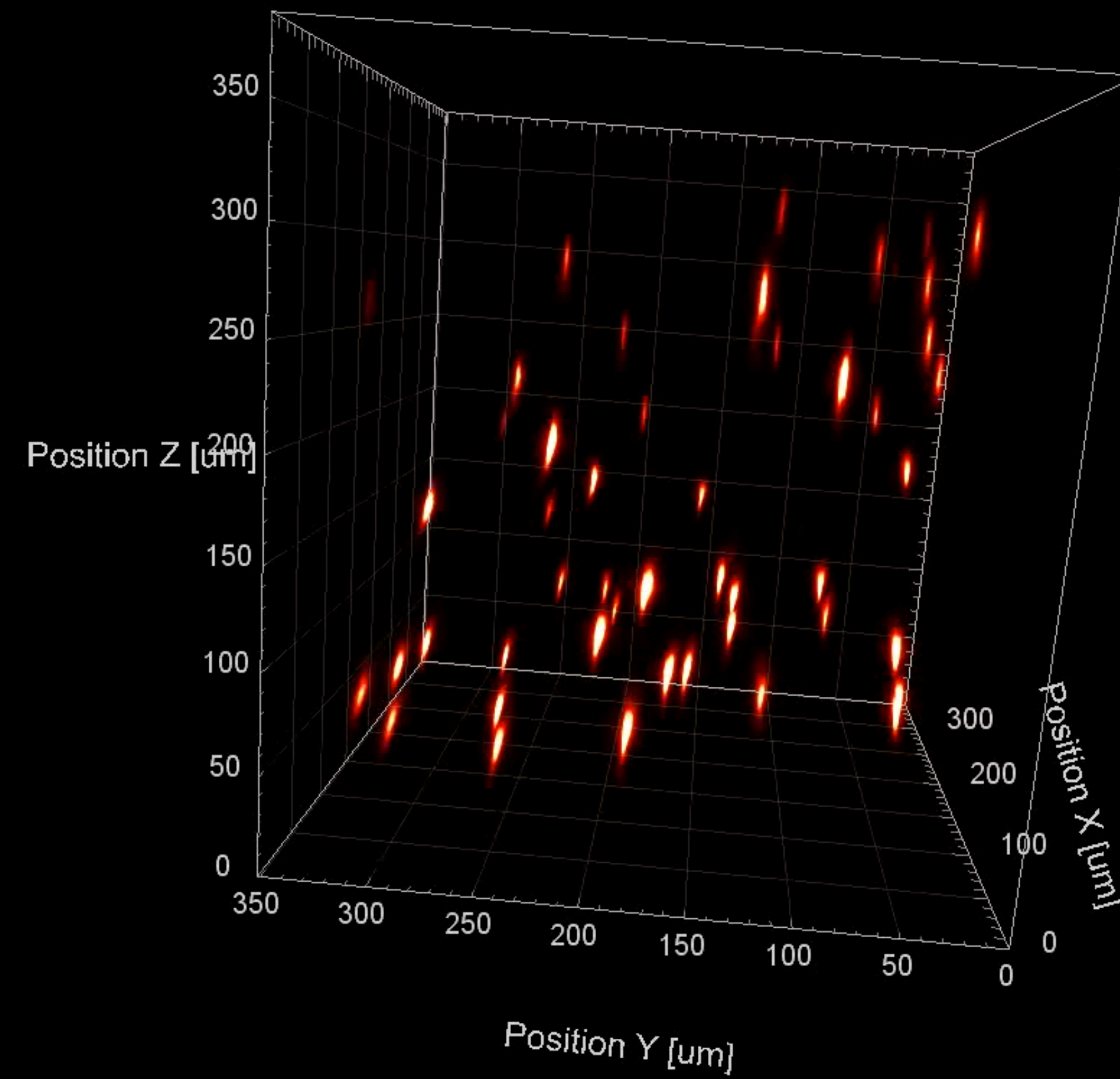
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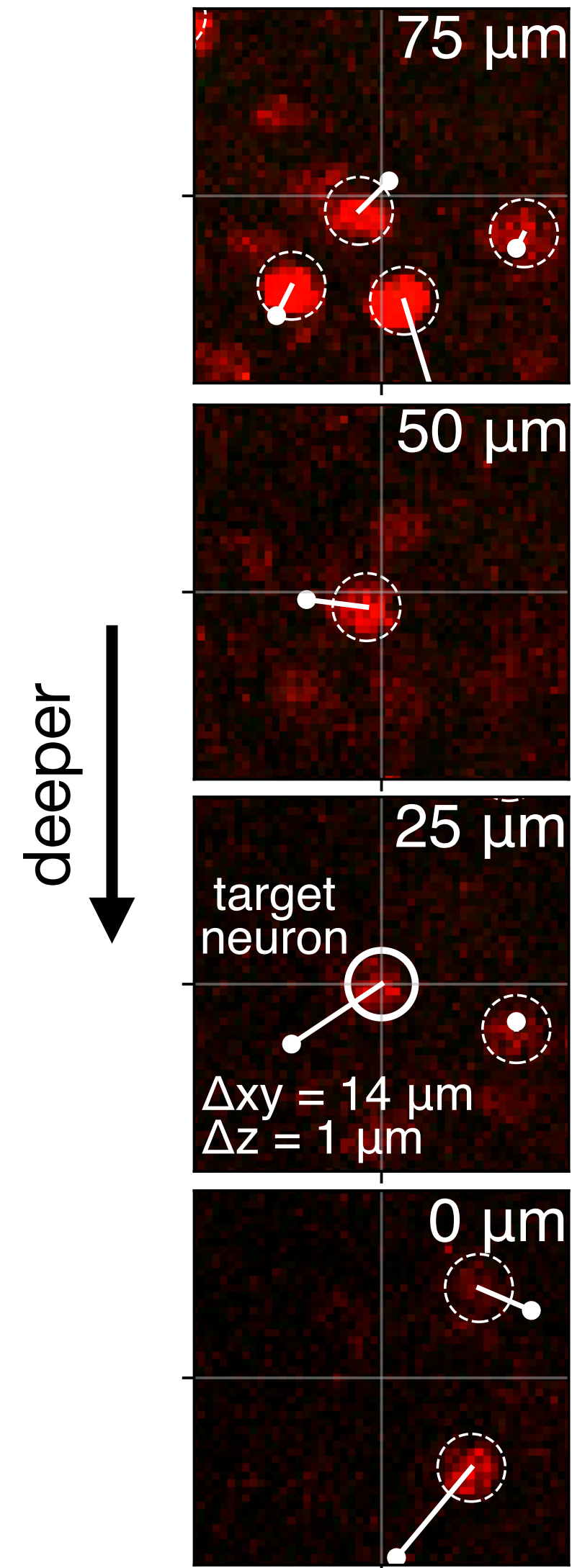
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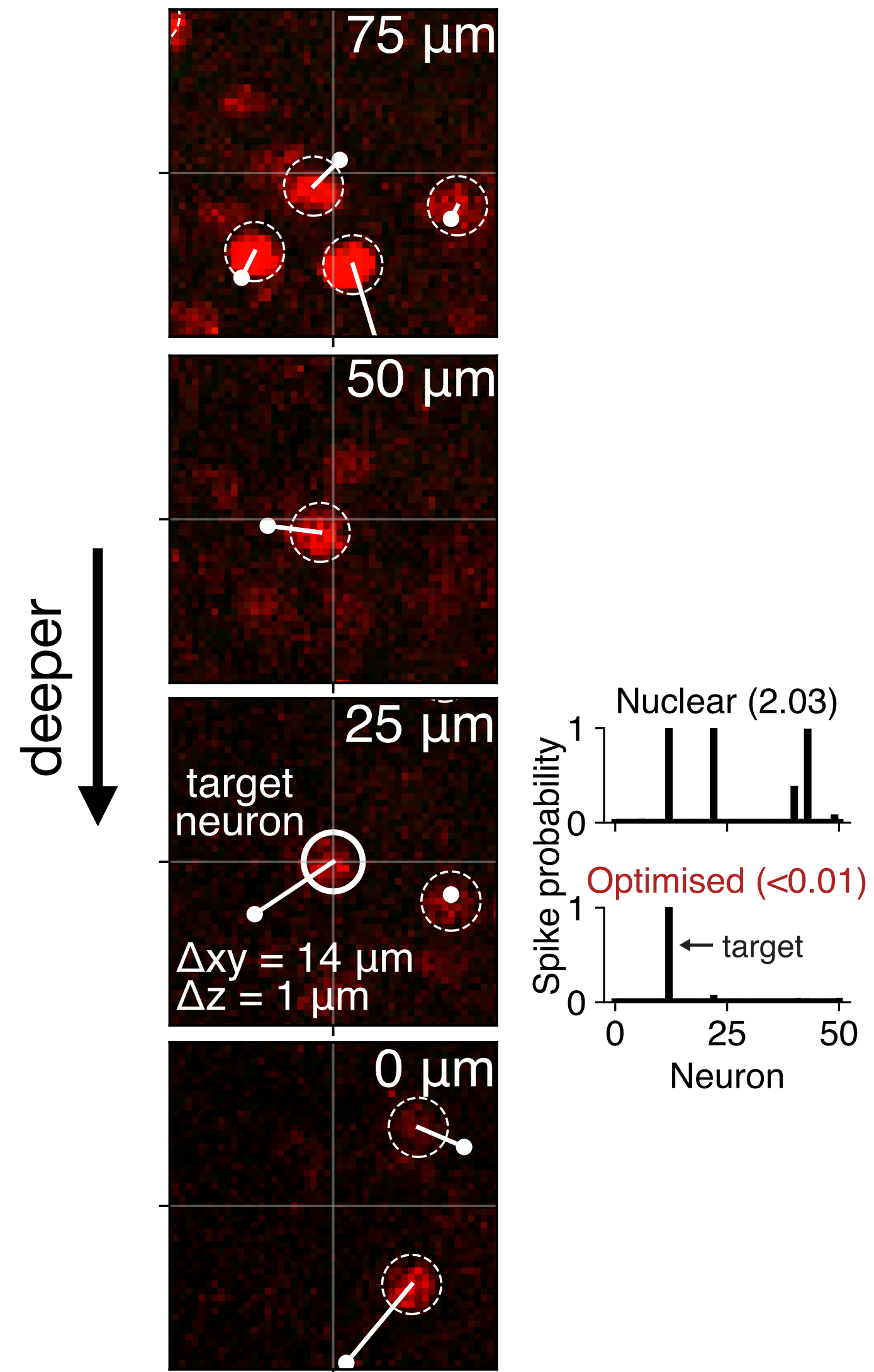
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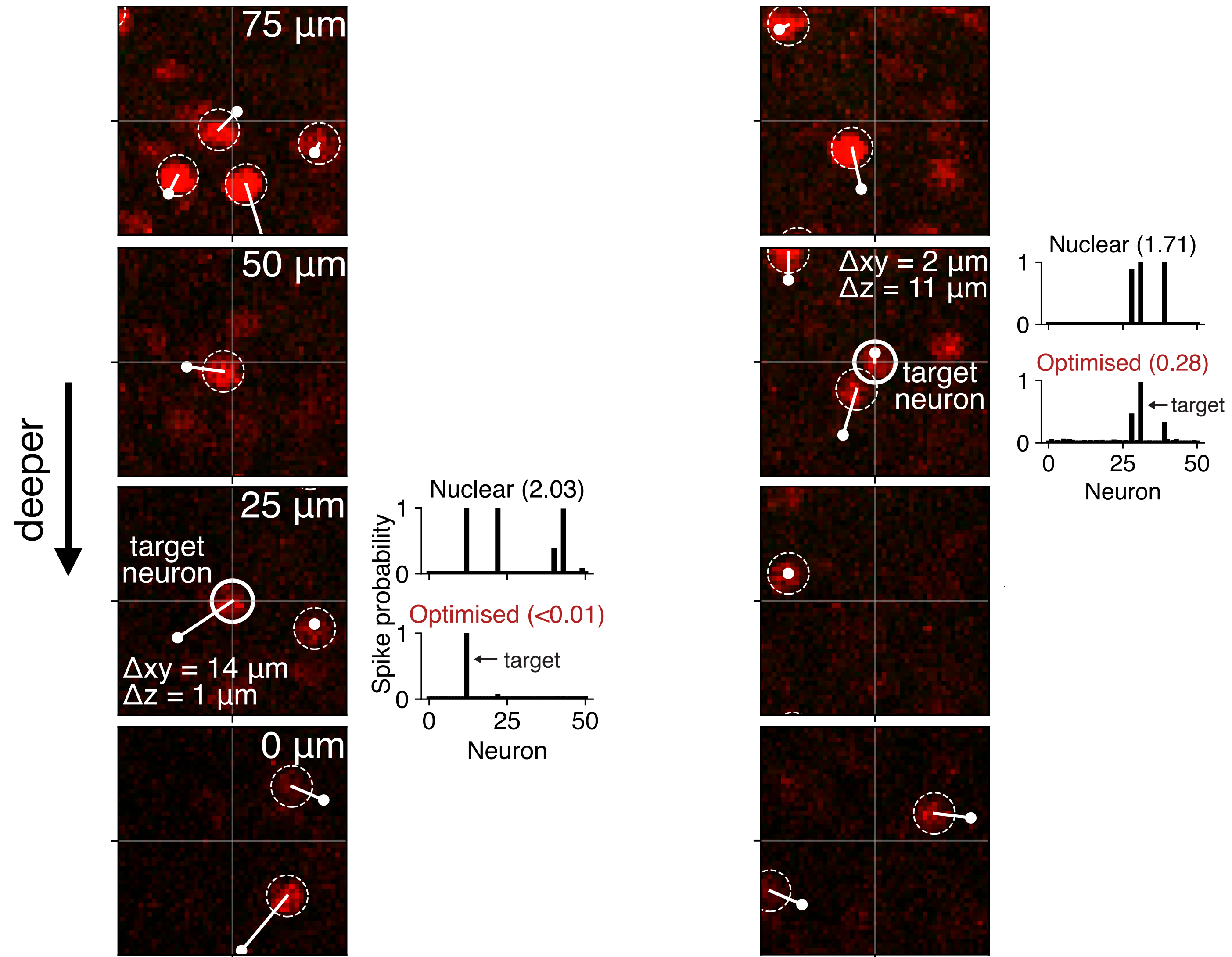
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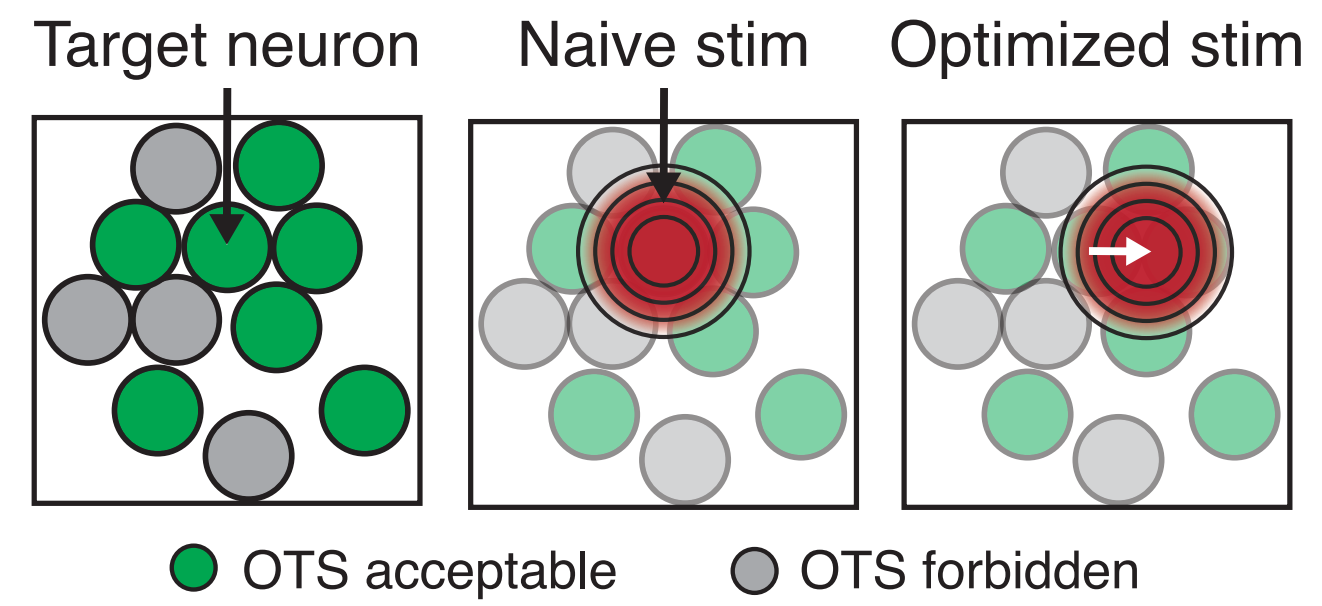
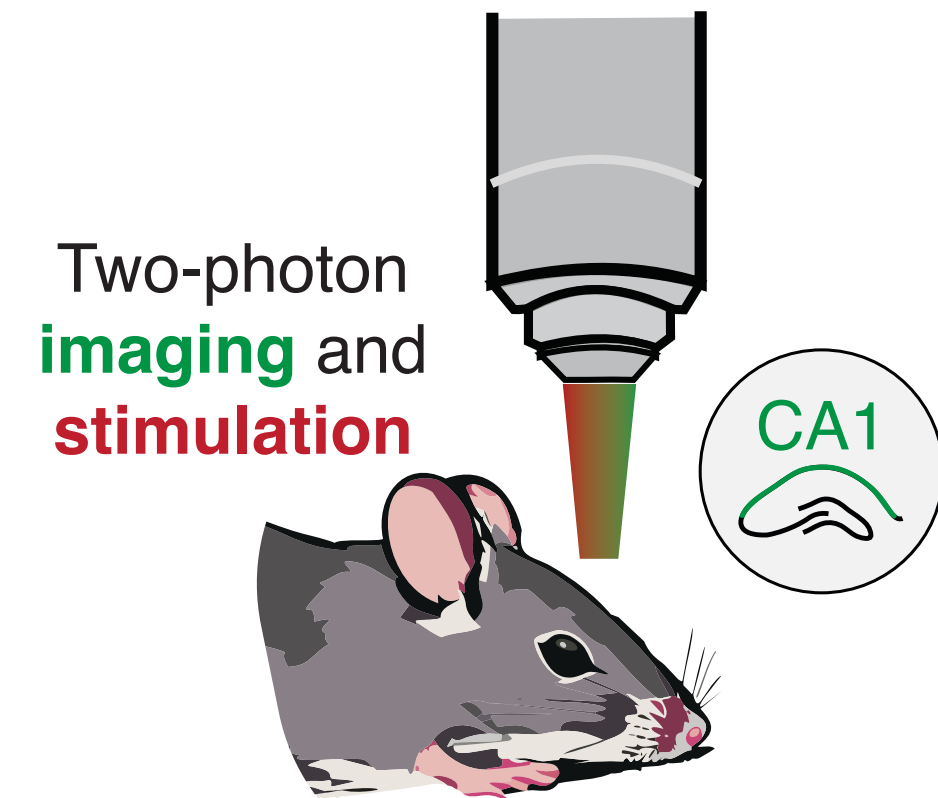
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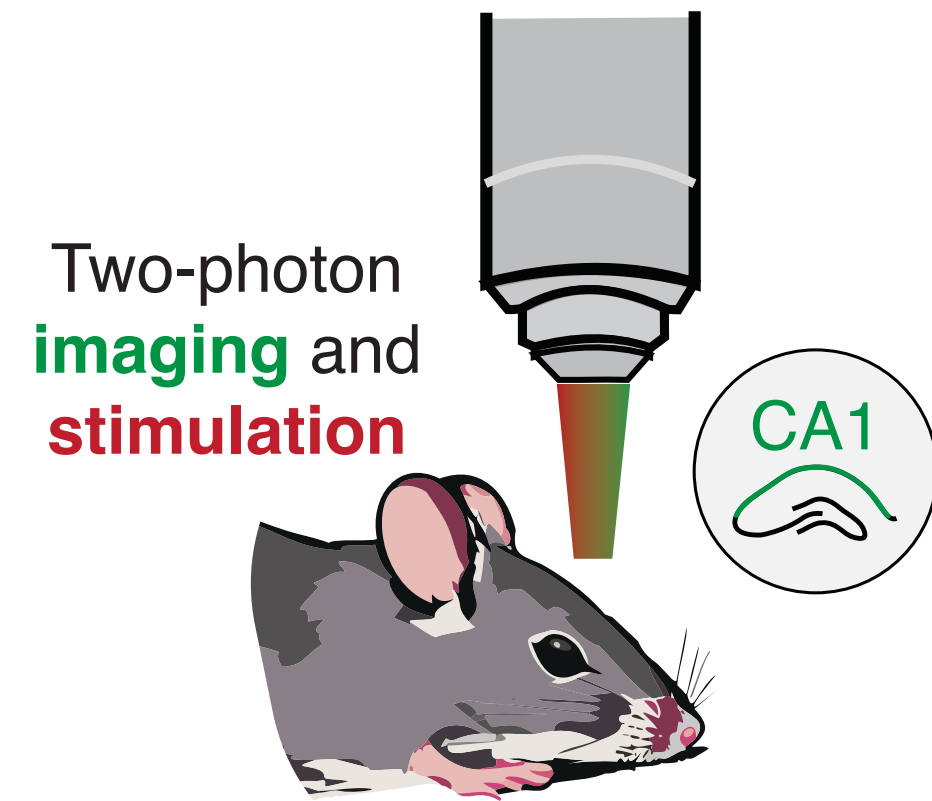
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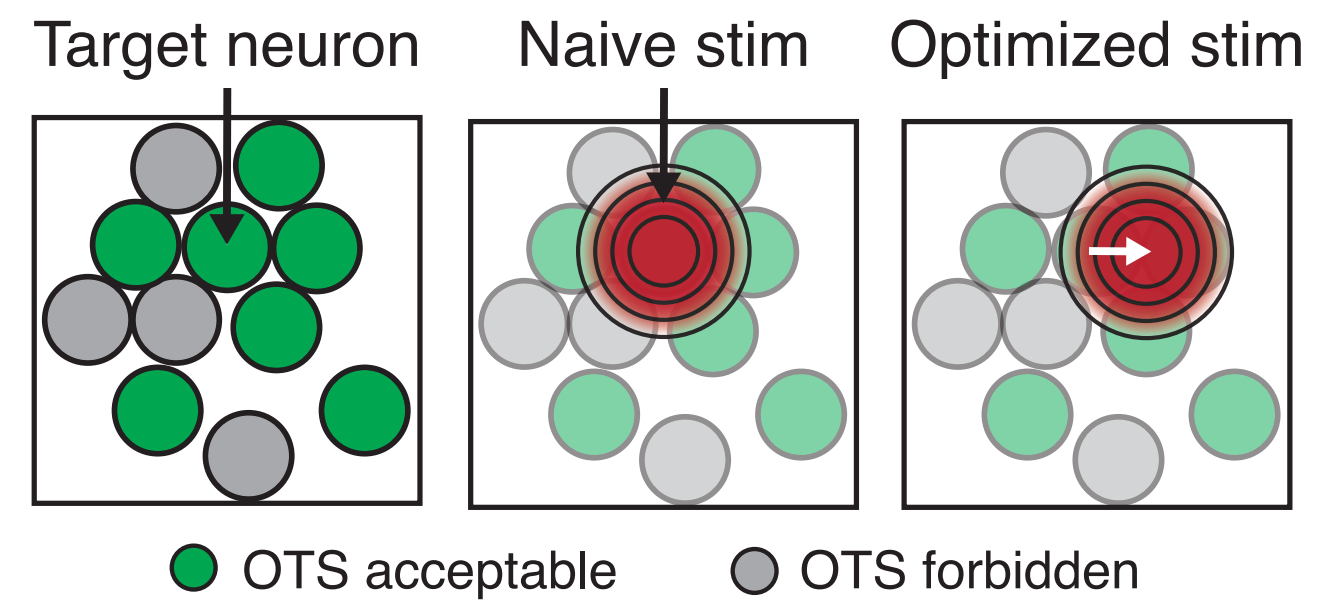
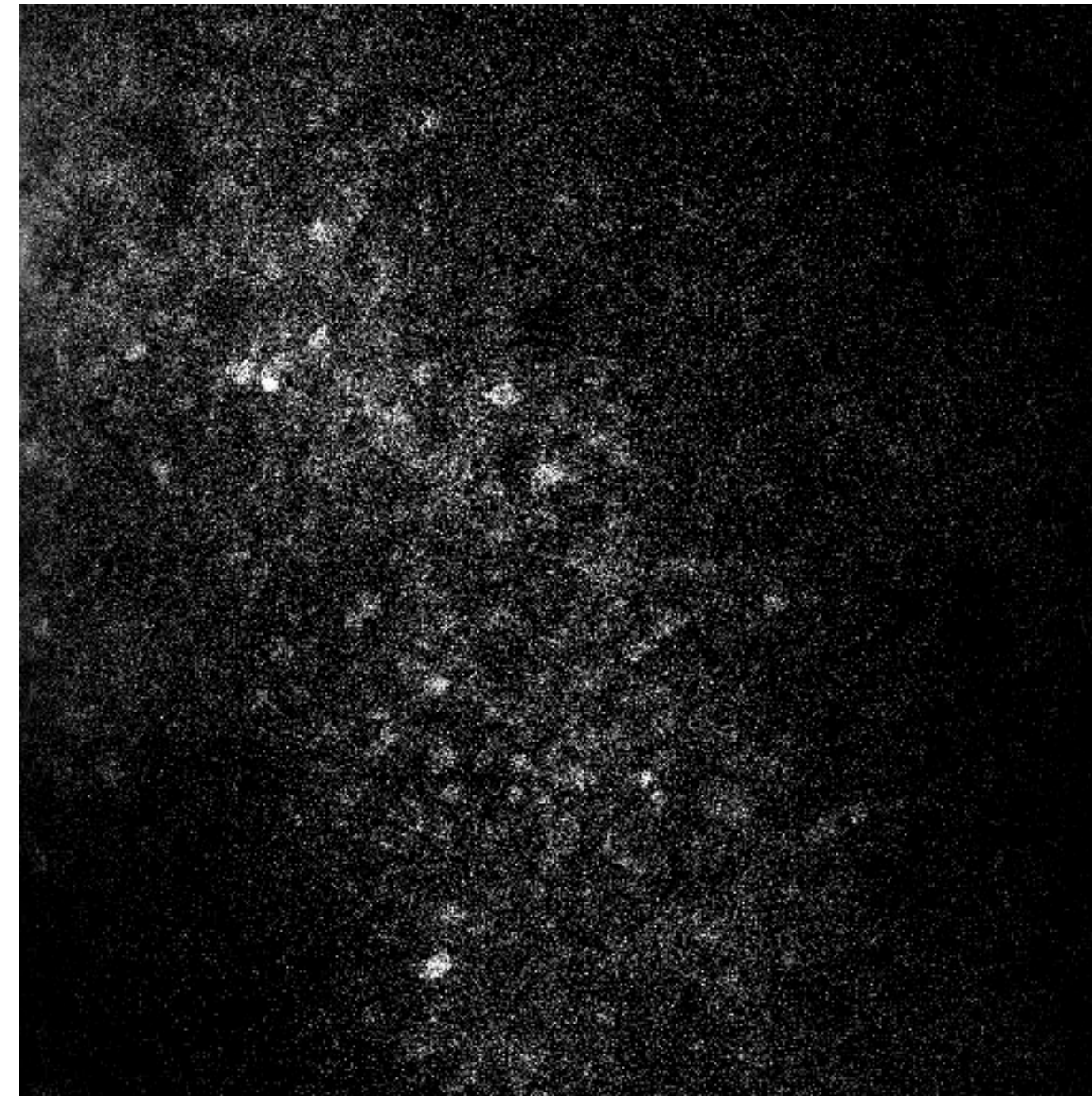
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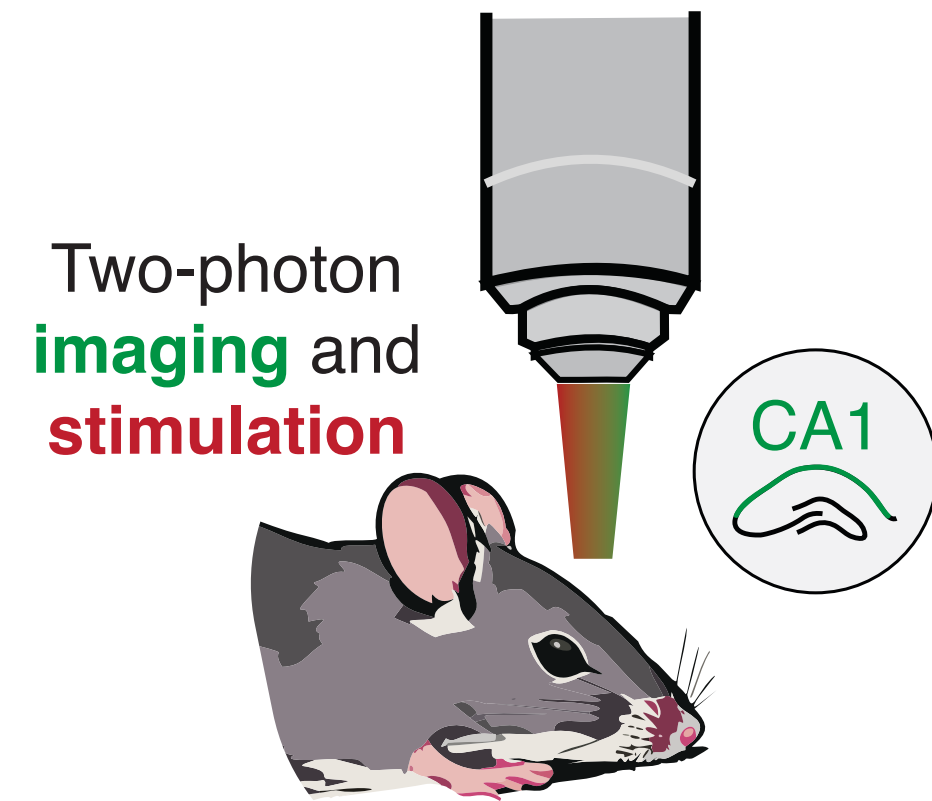
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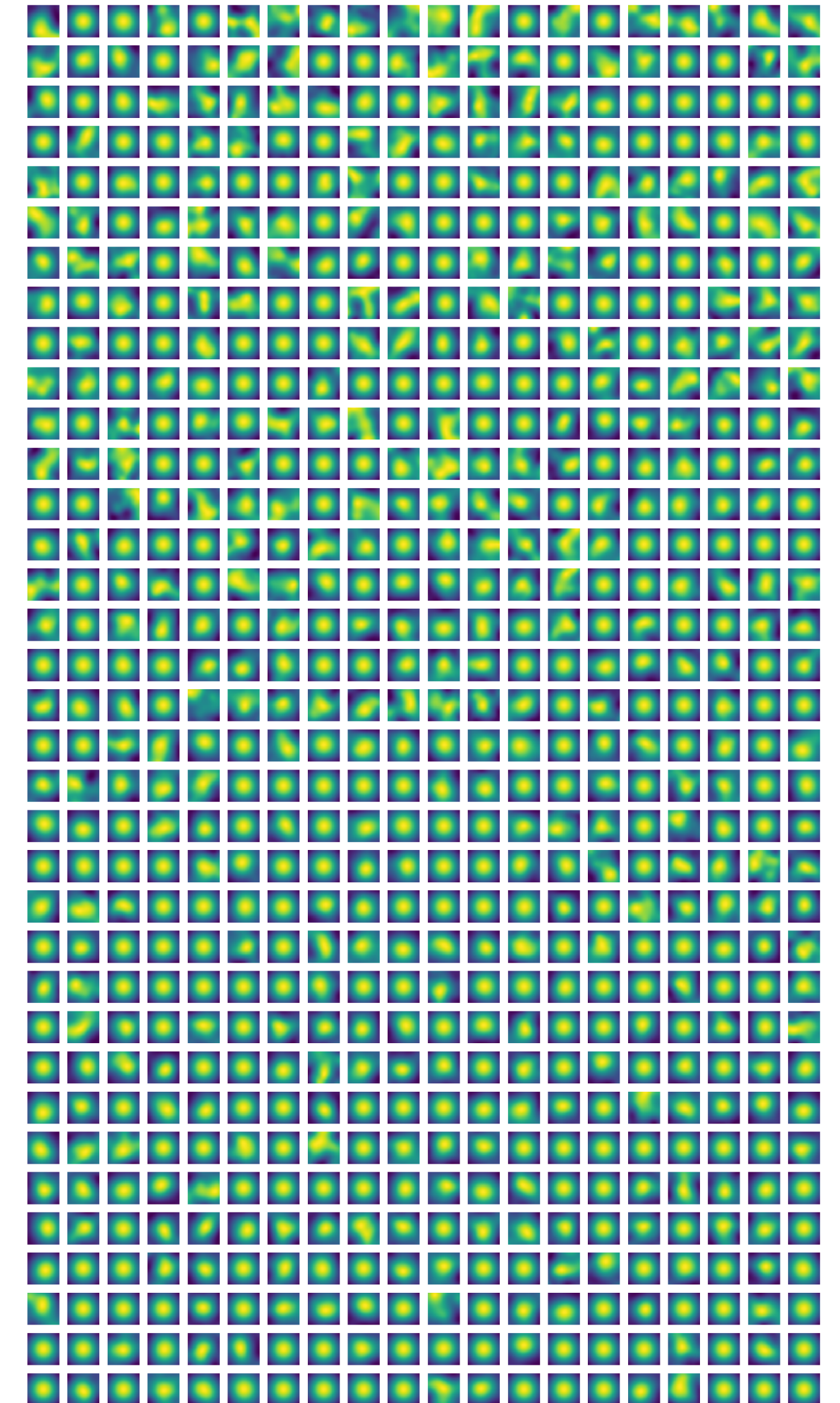
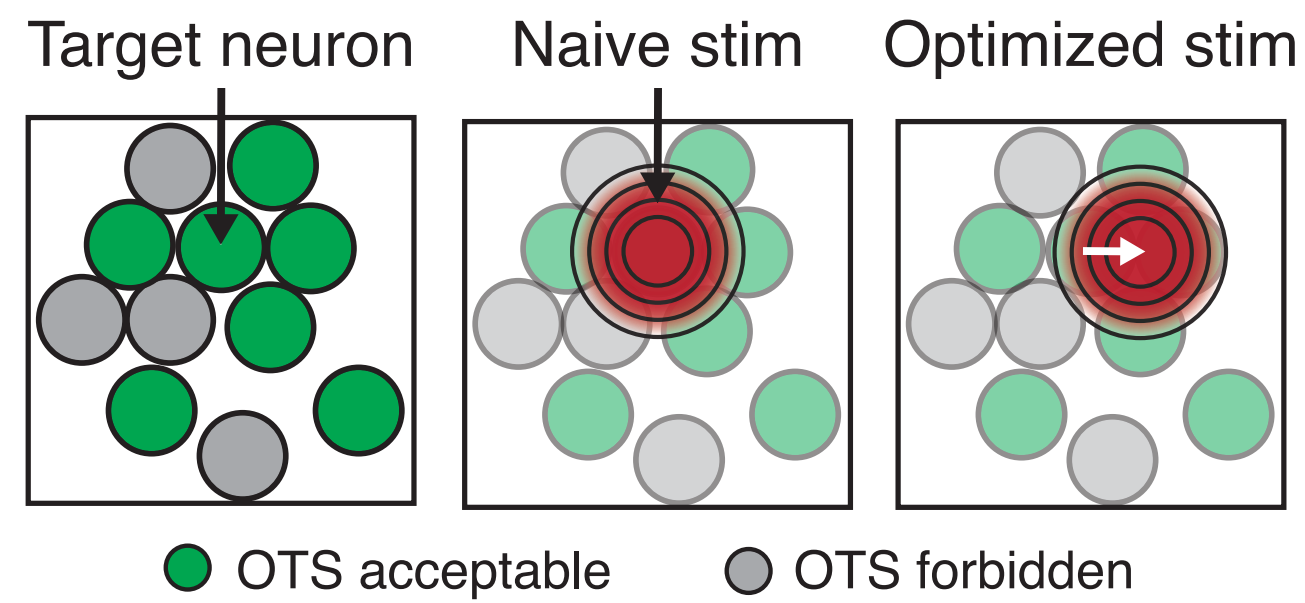
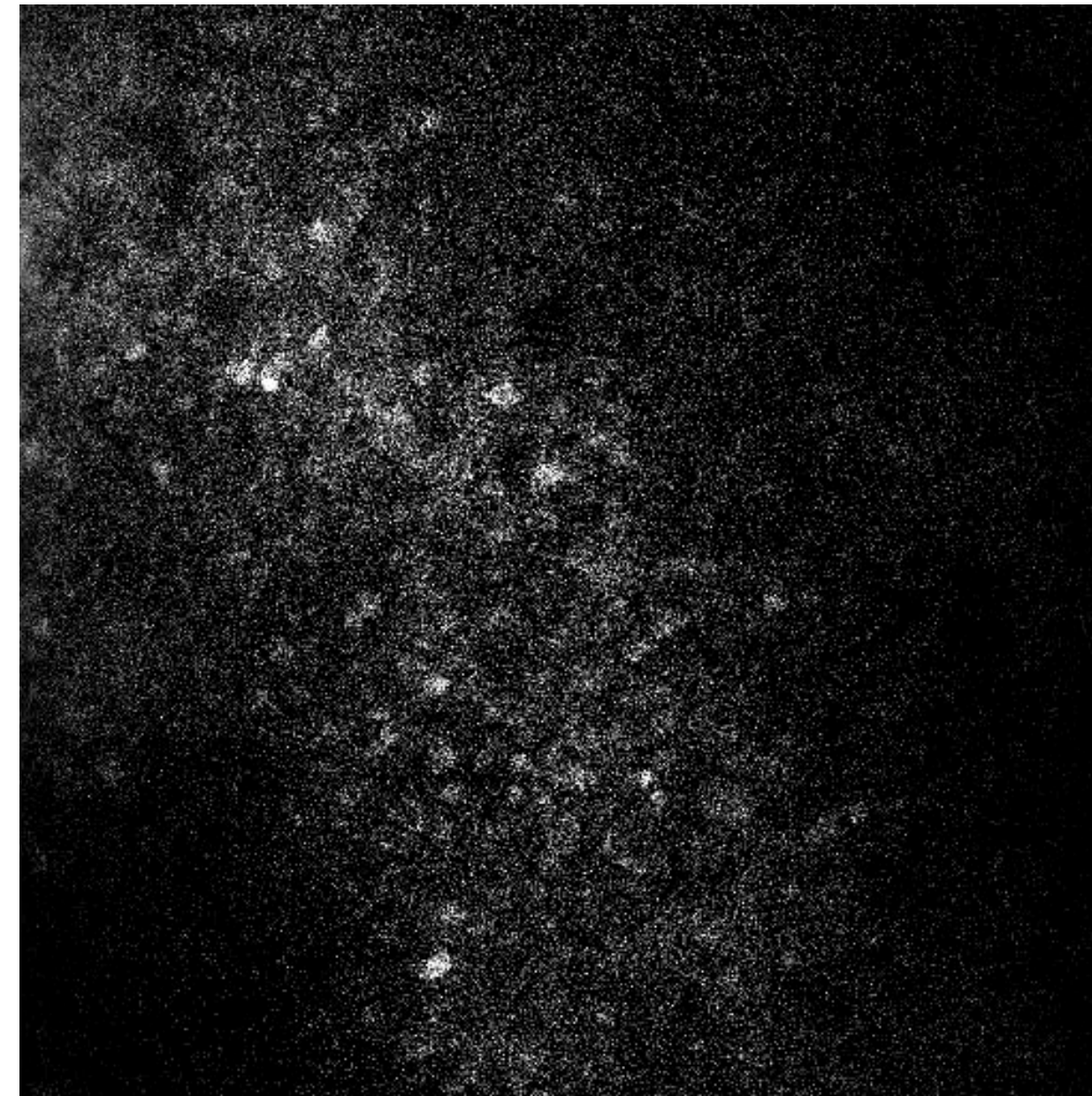
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Possible future directions

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- B. Adaptive closed-loop approaches to mapping ORFs
- C. Hologram shape optimization

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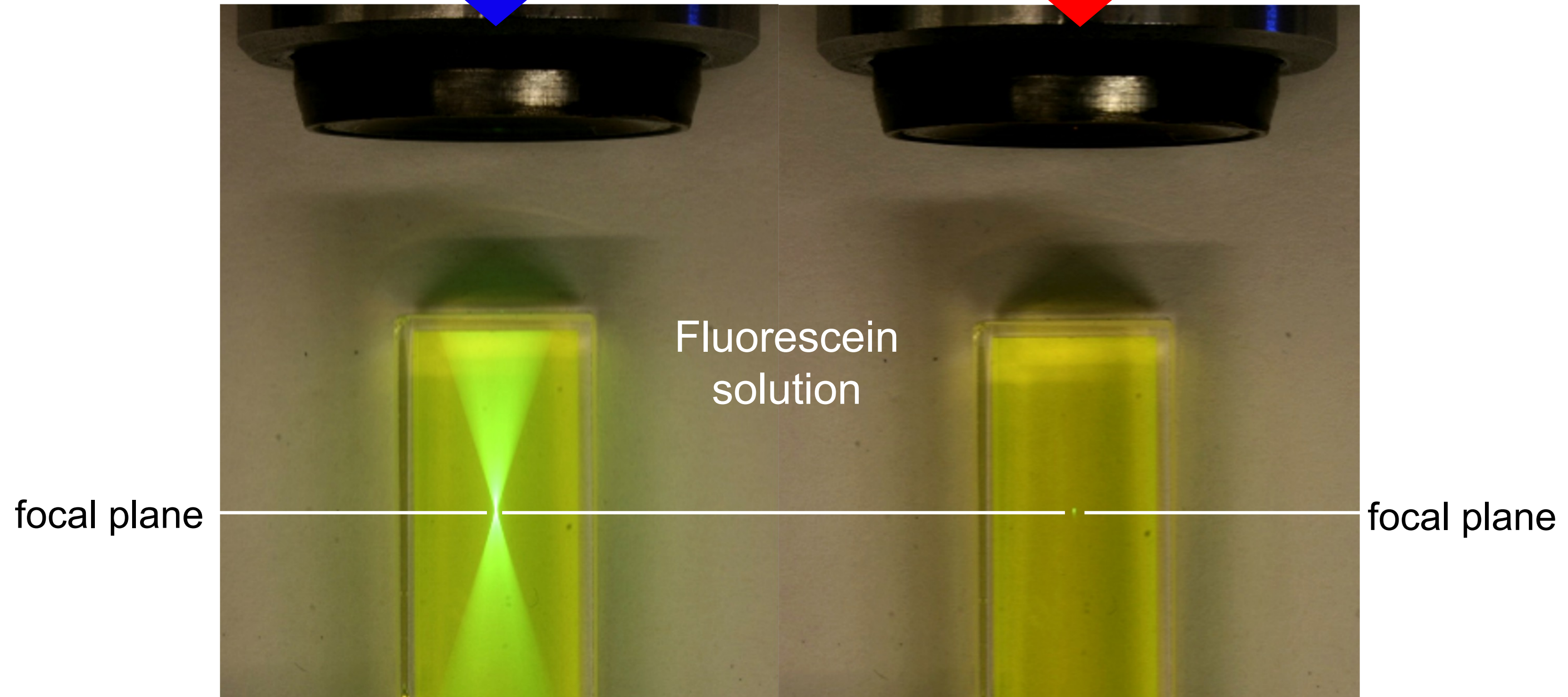
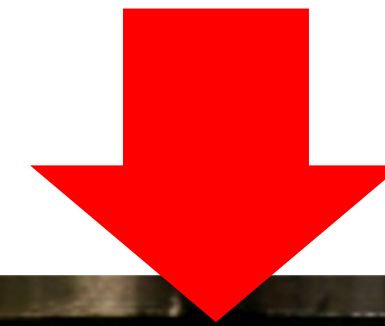
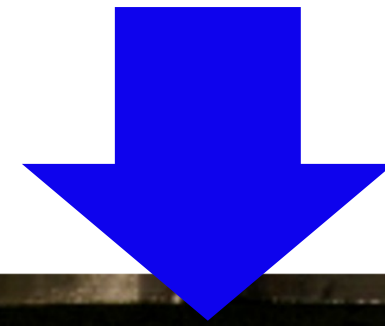
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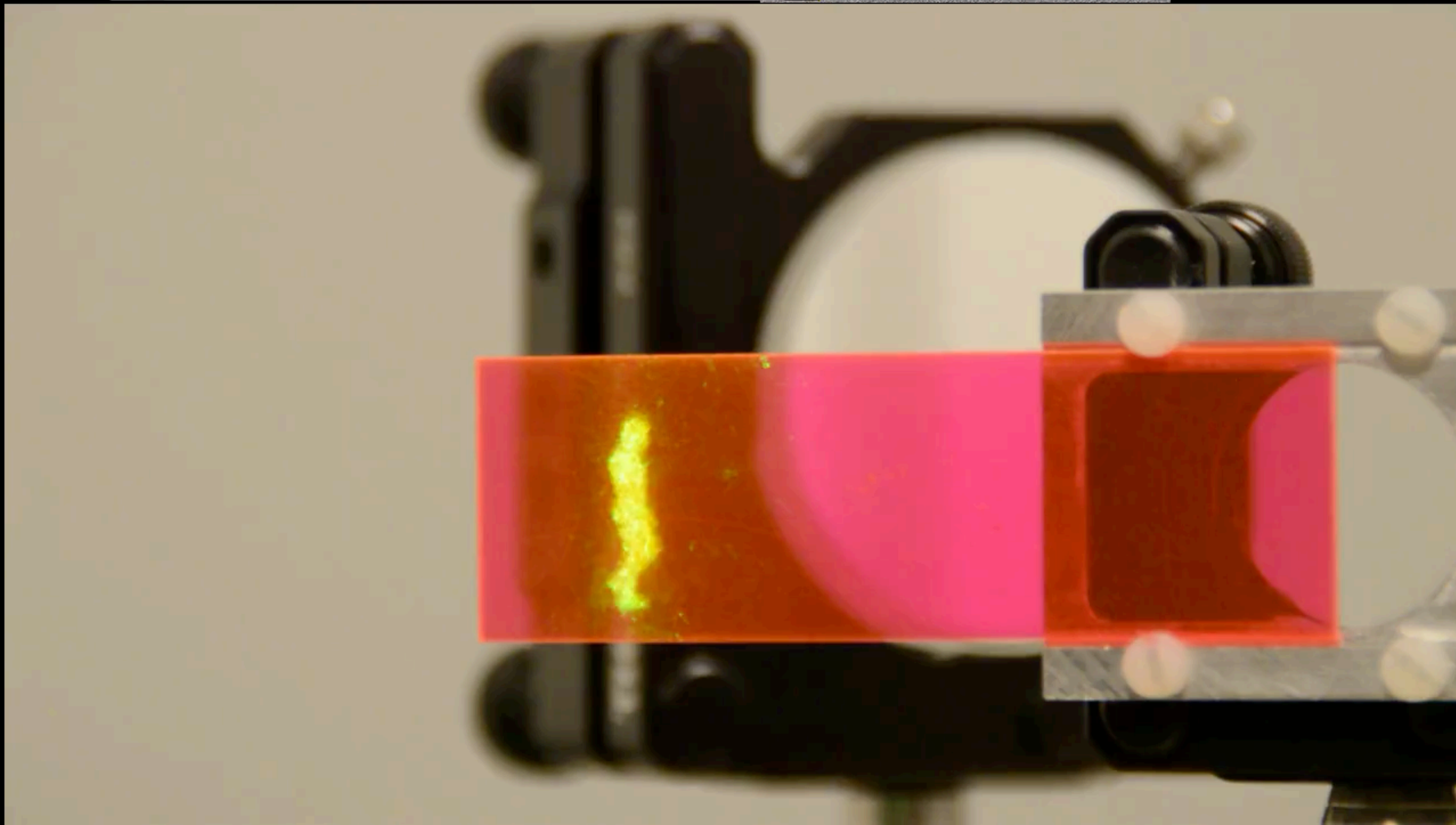
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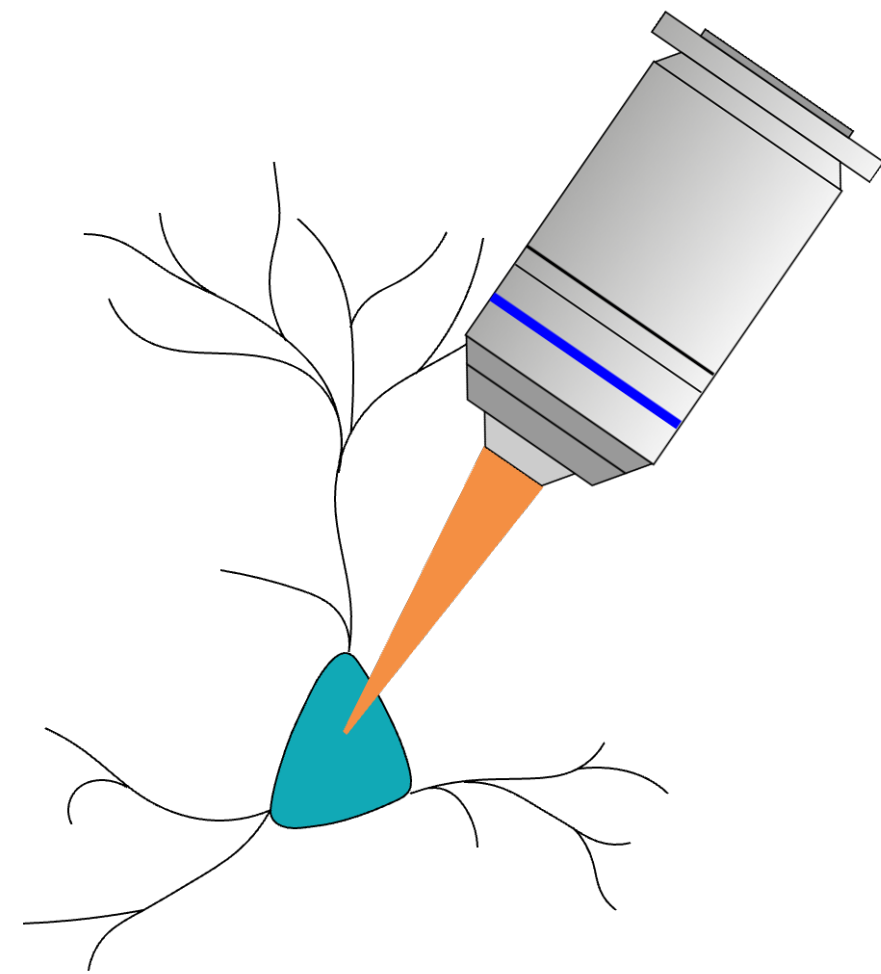
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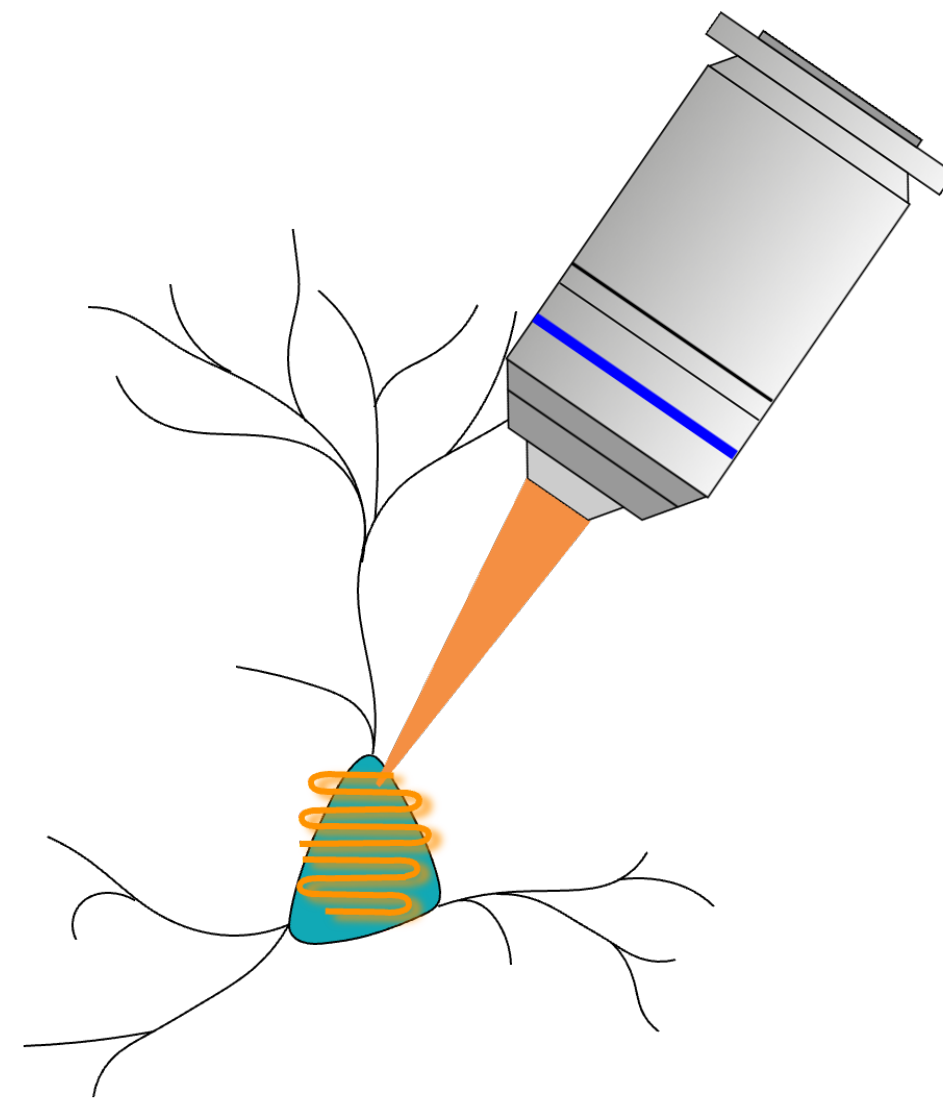
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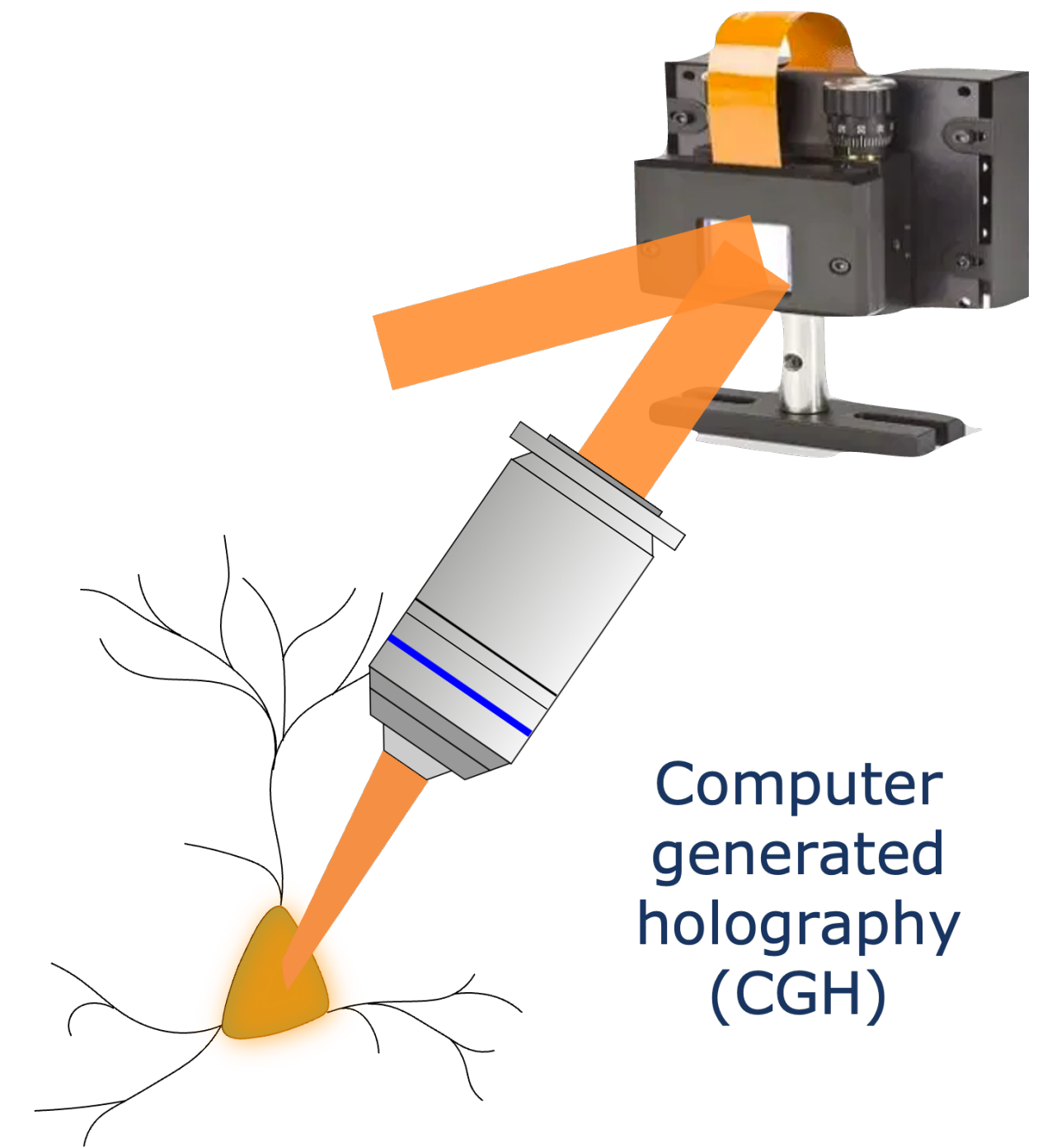


Small focal volume
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Not enough current for AP

Scanning spot



Rickgauger, Tank, PNAS, 2009

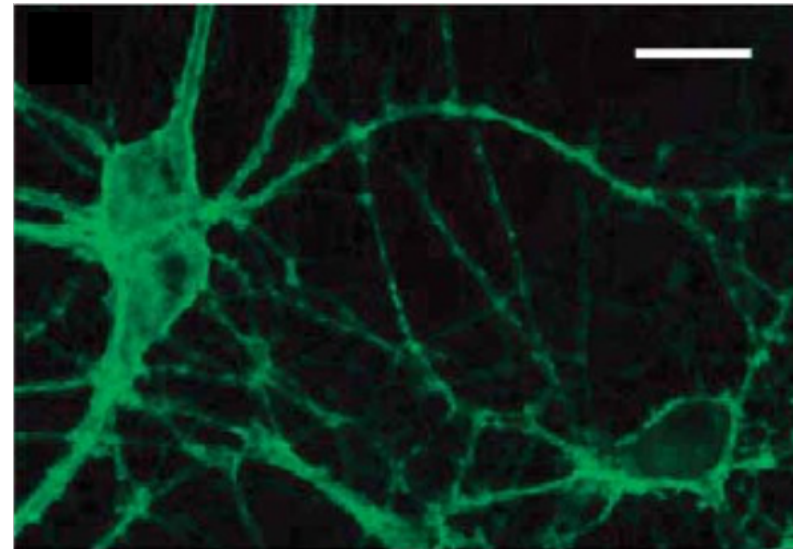


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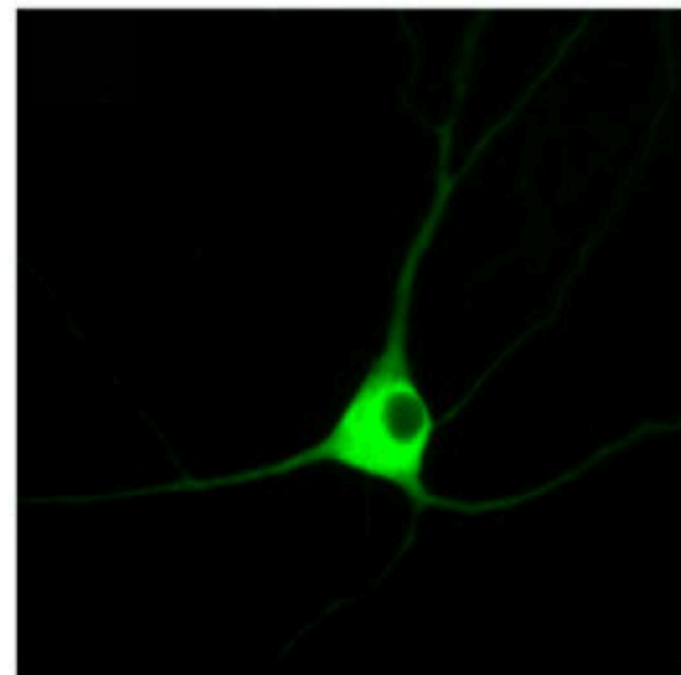
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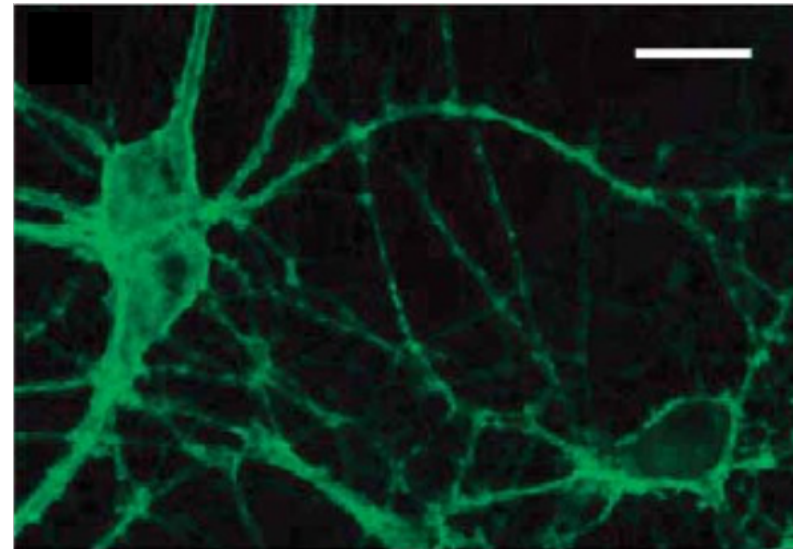


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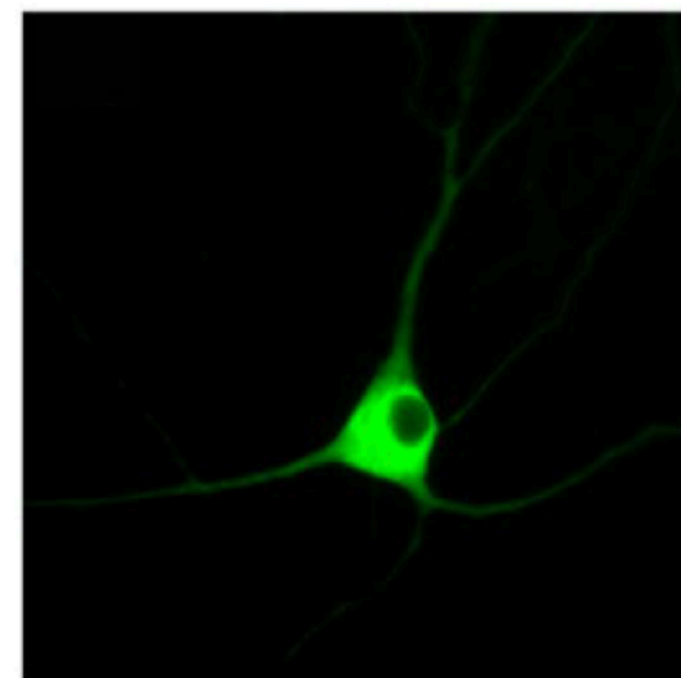


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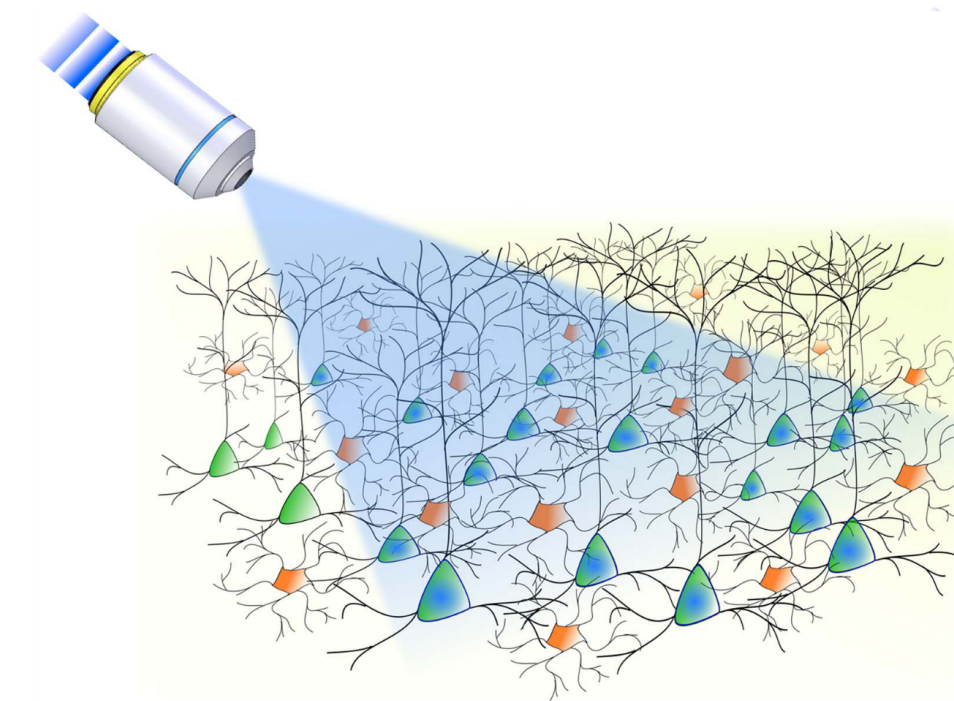
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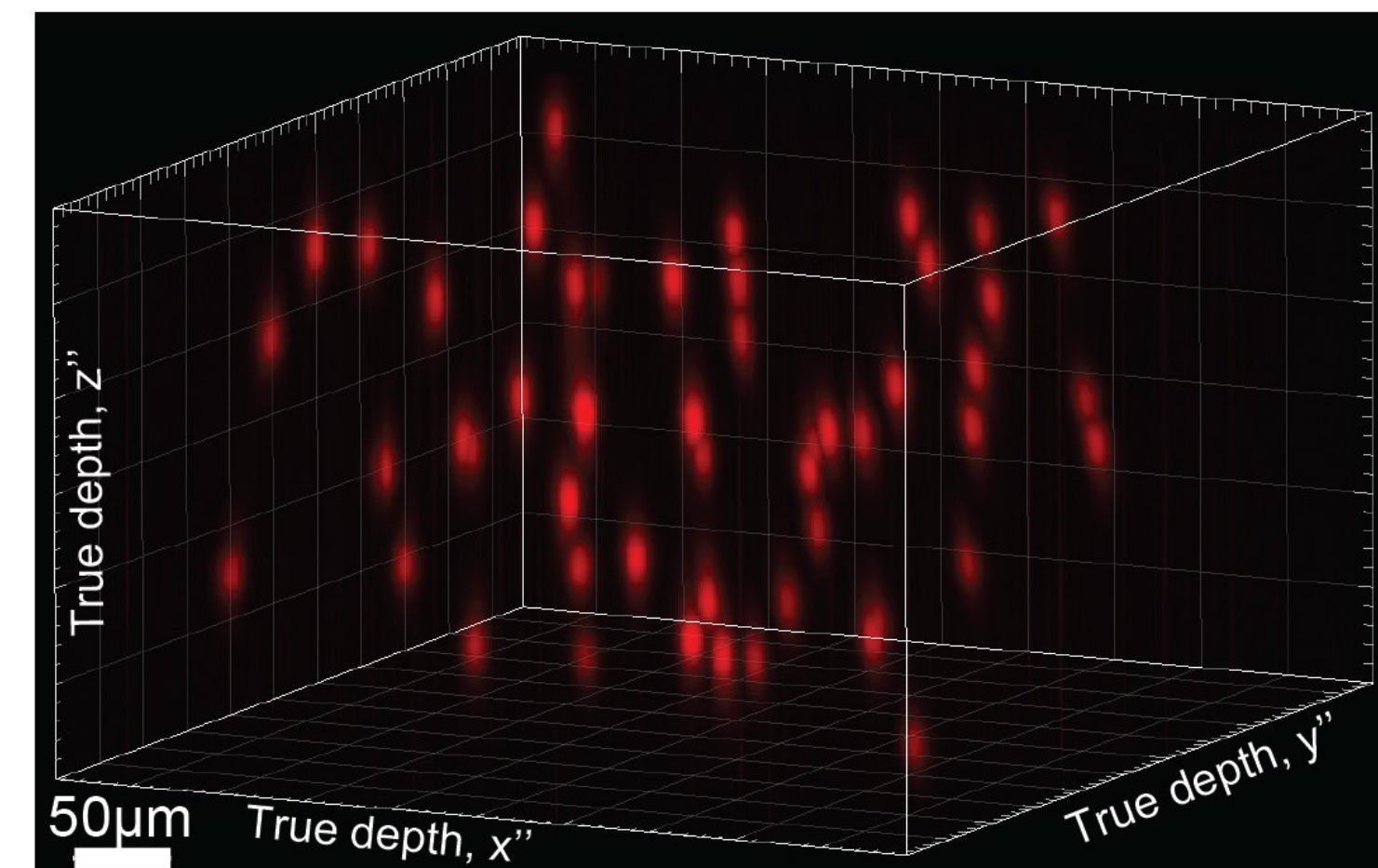
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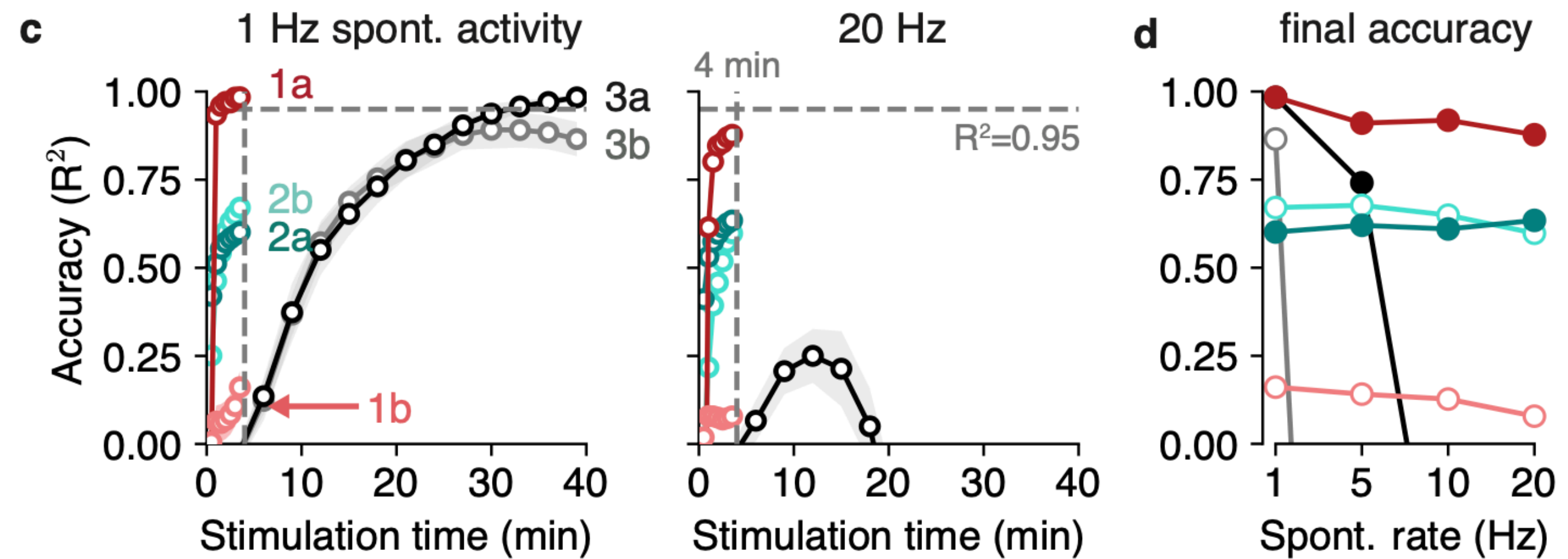
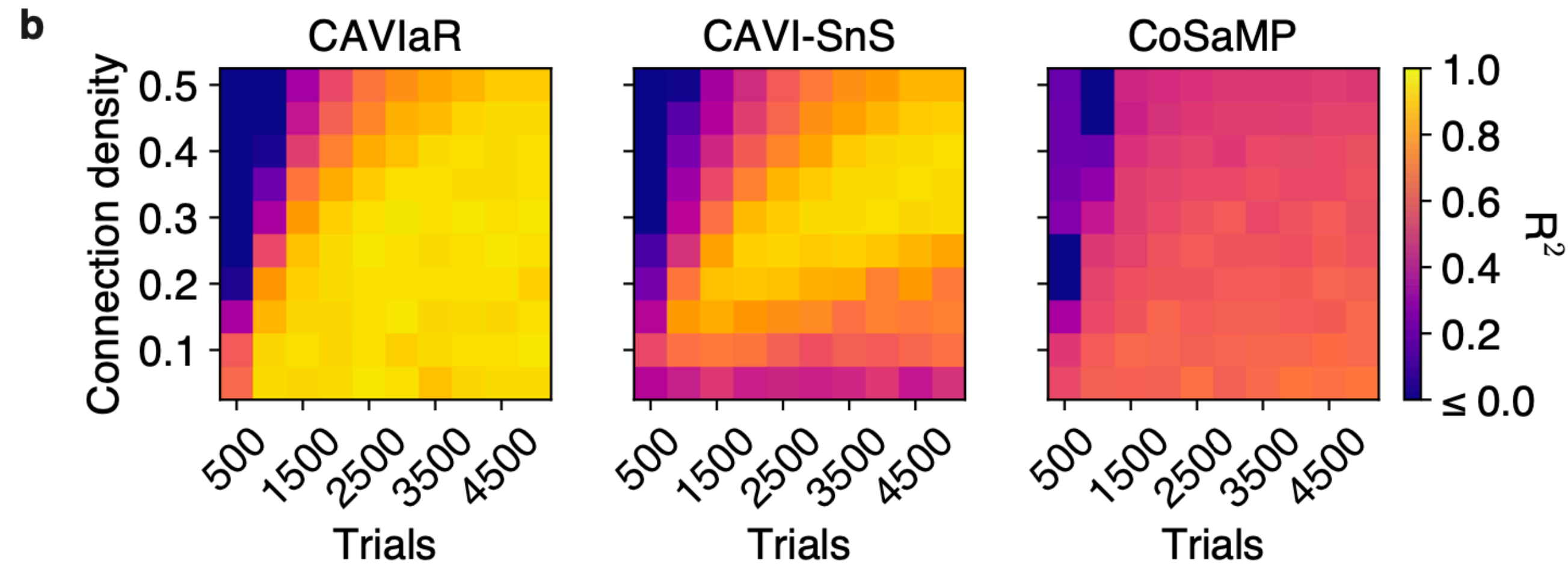
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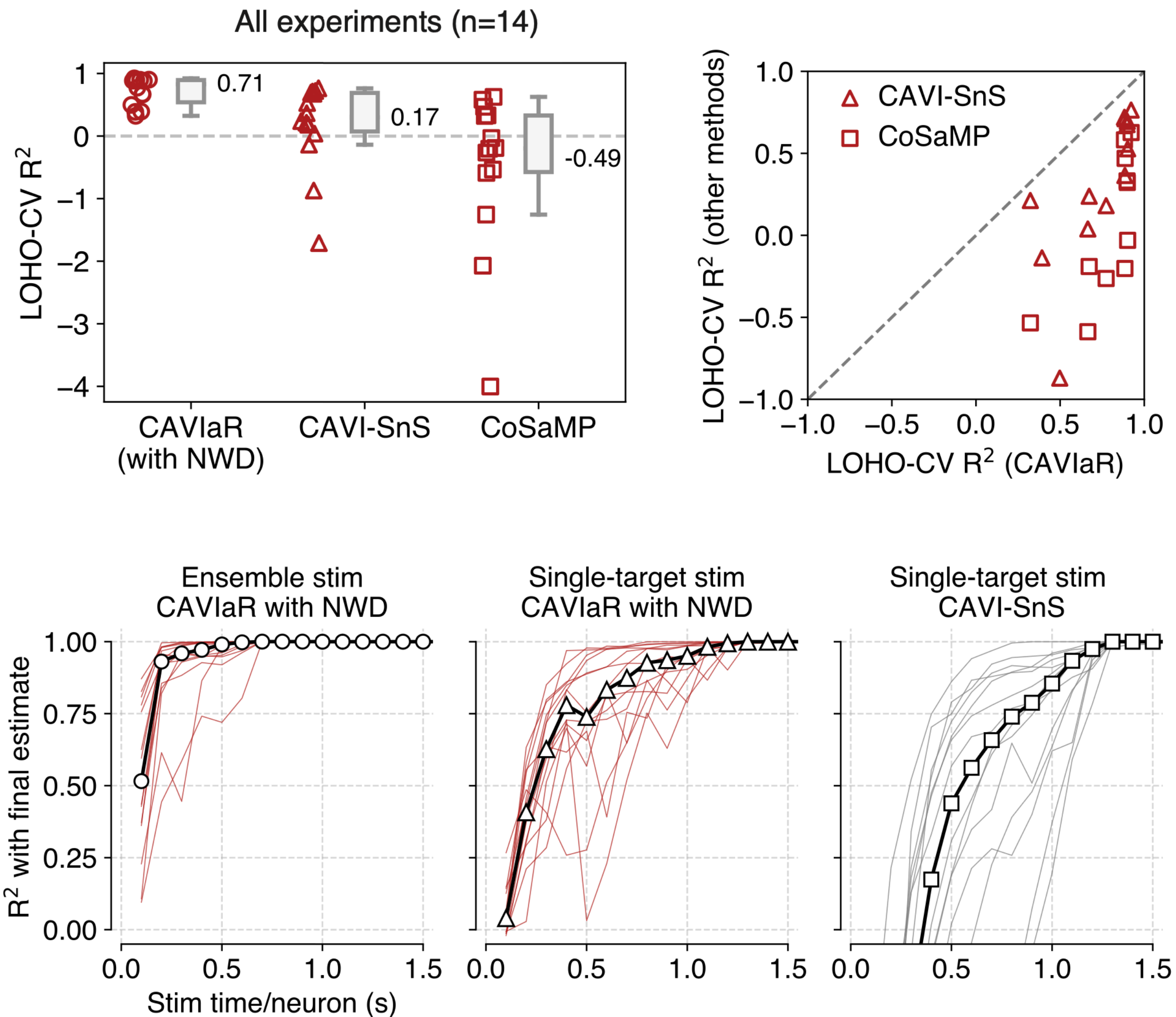


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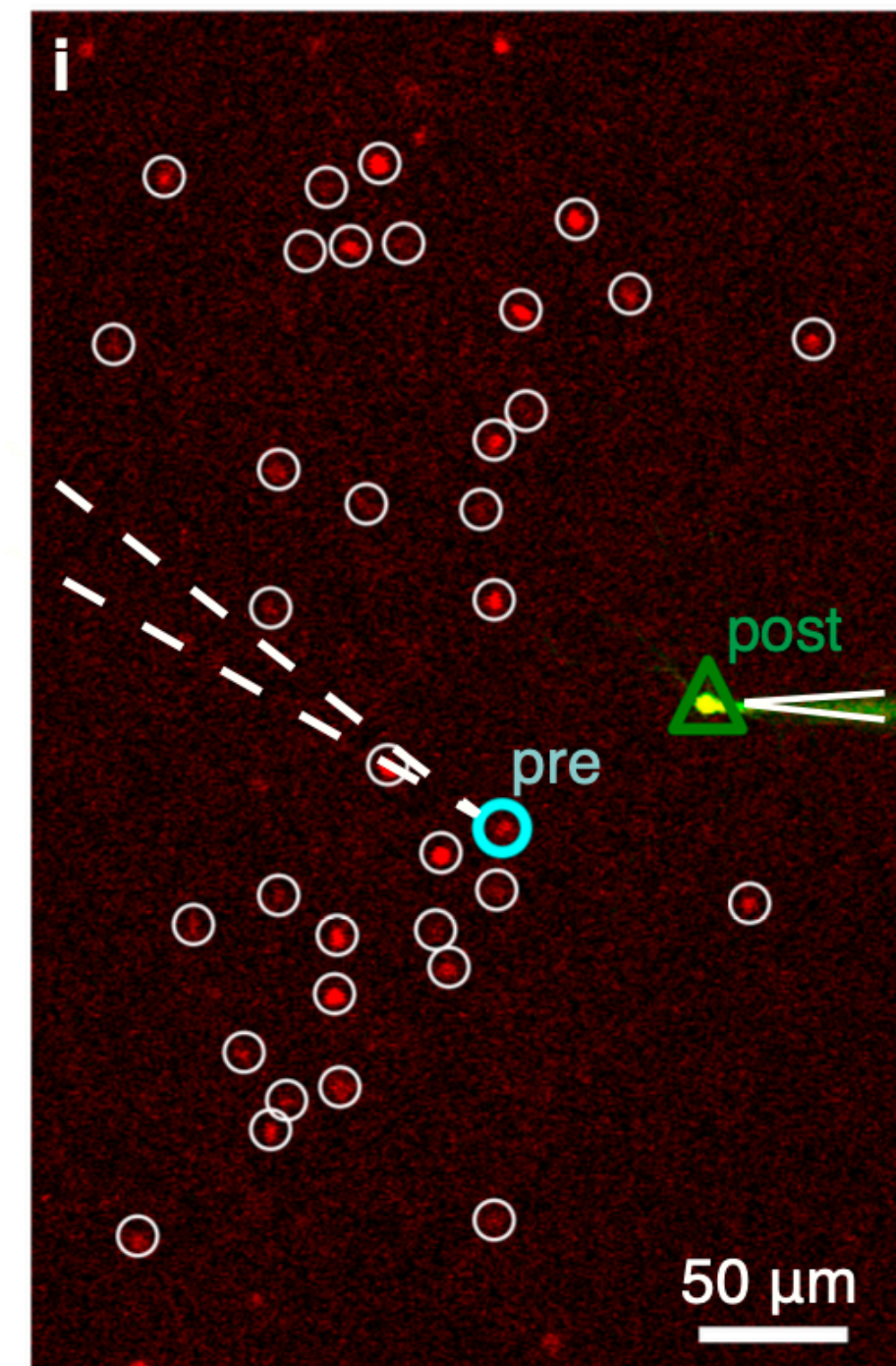
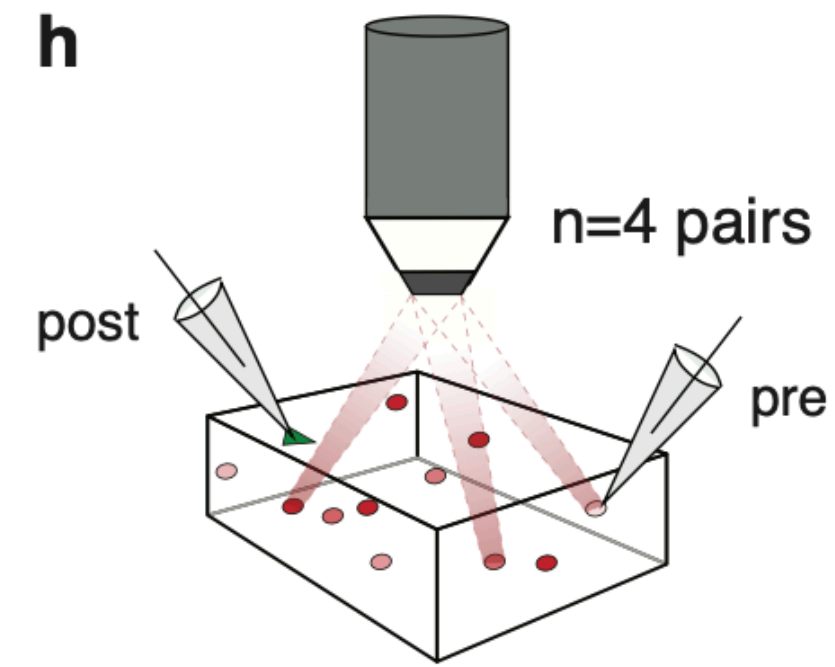


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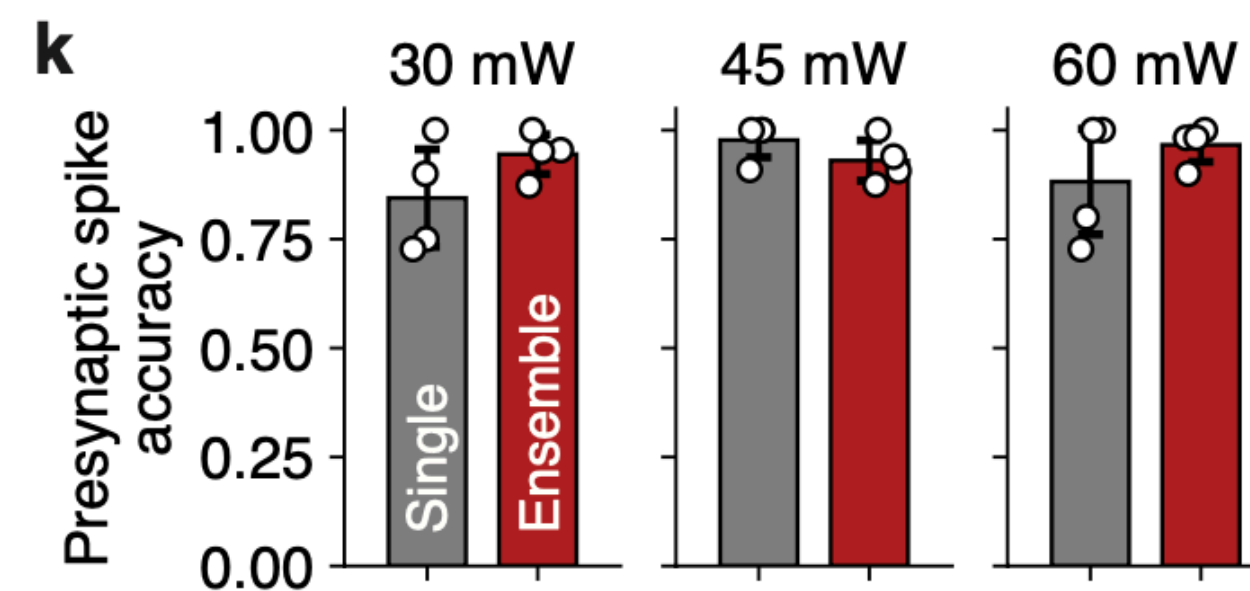
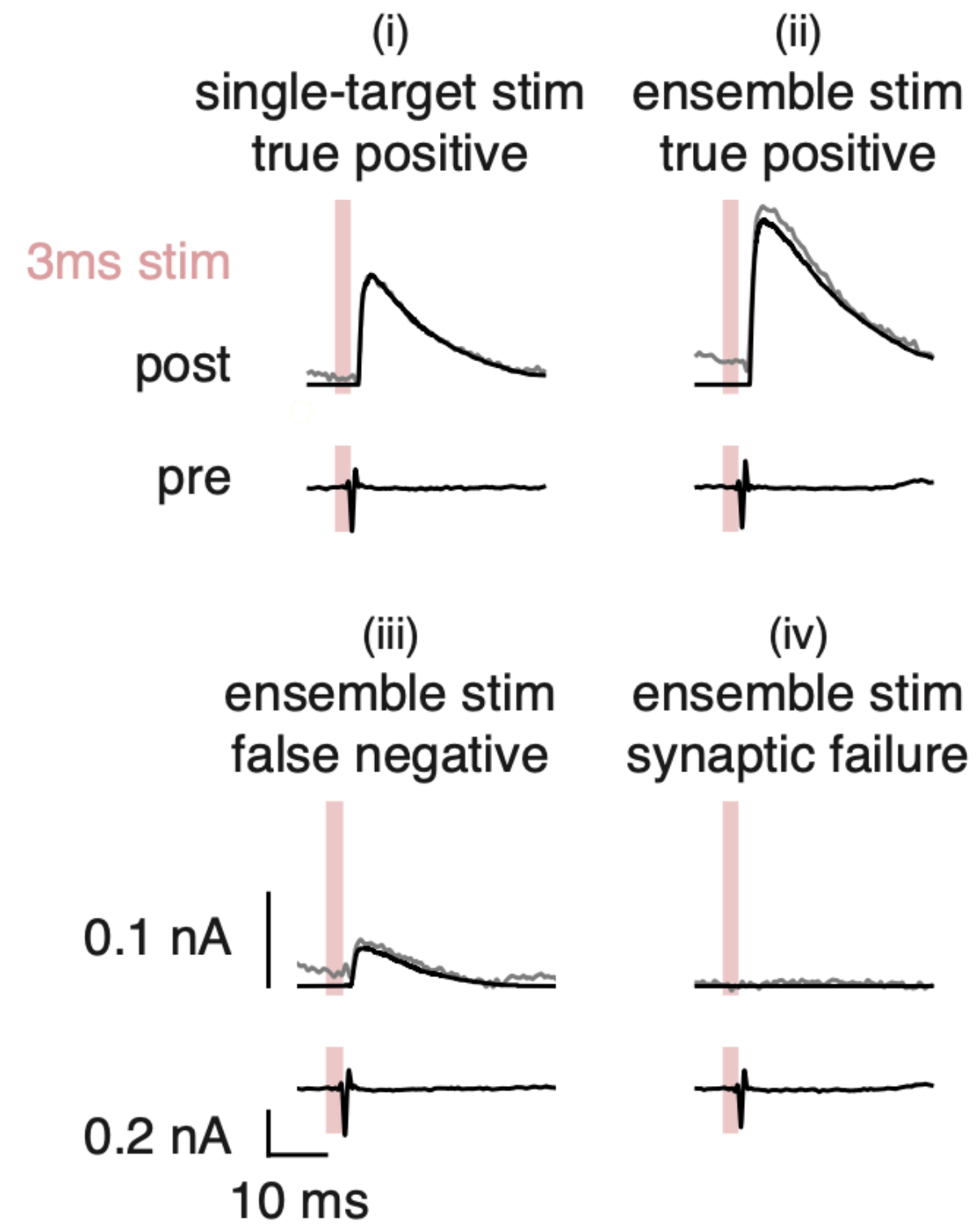
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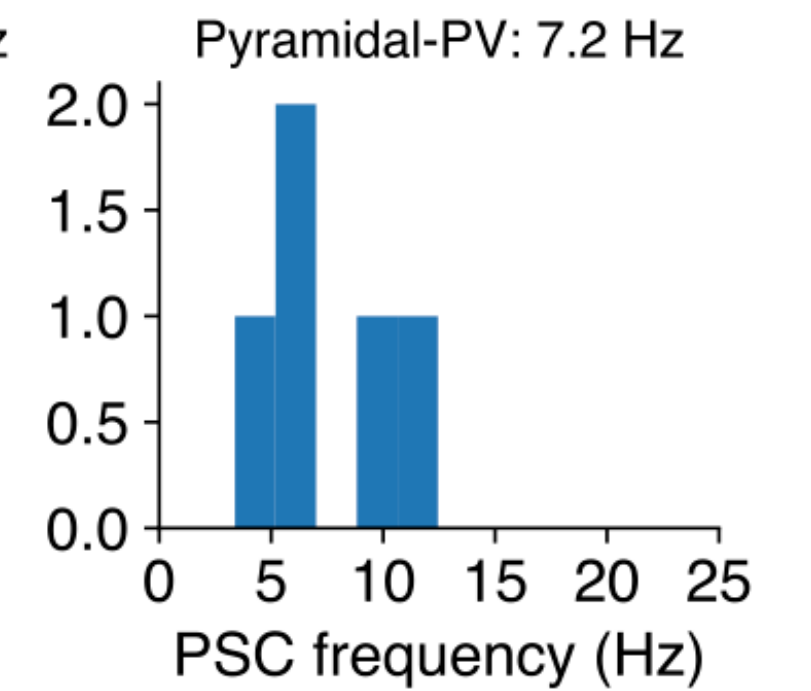
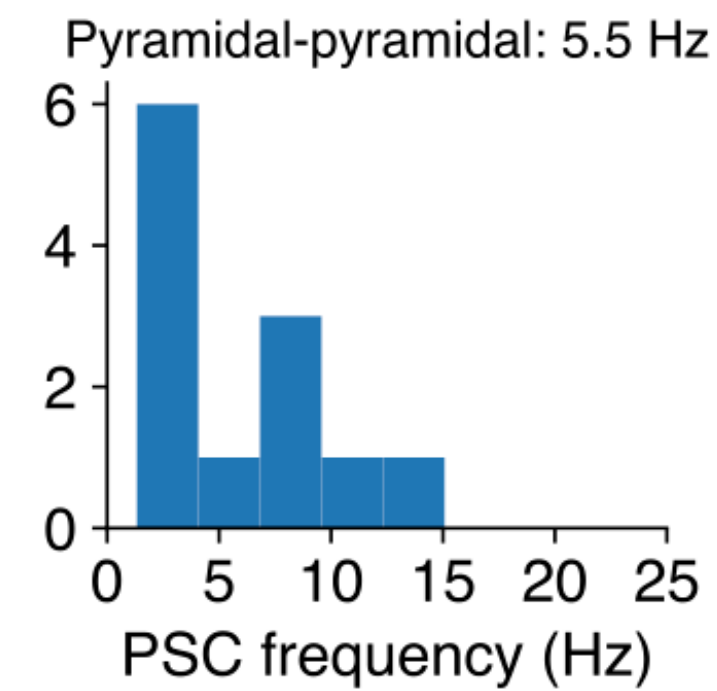
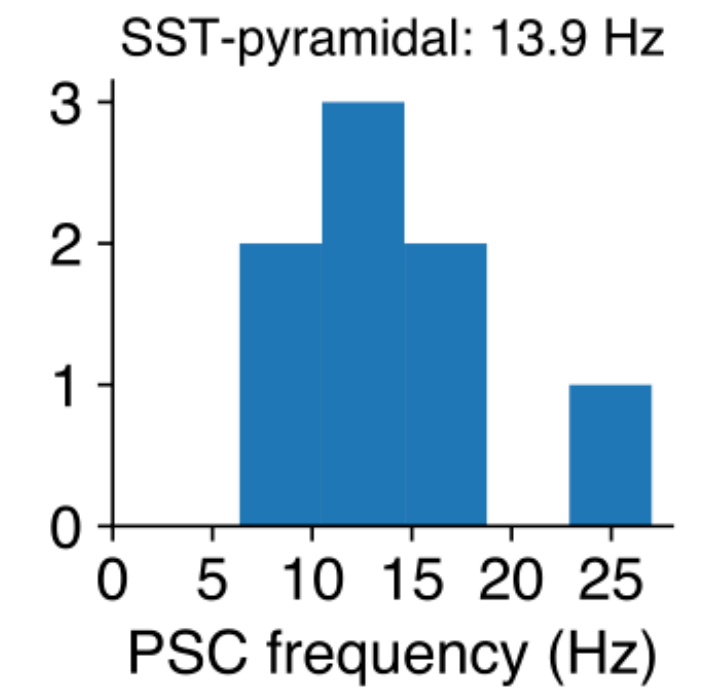
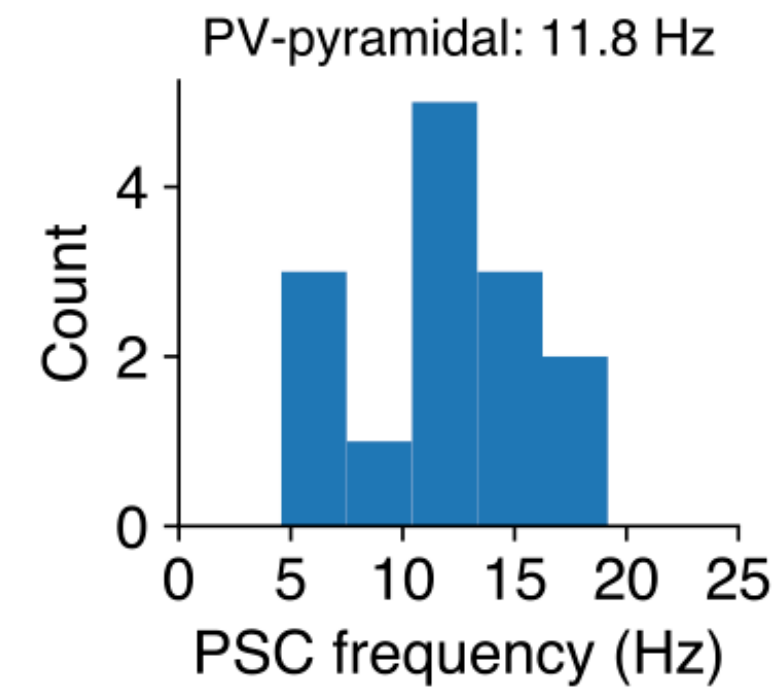
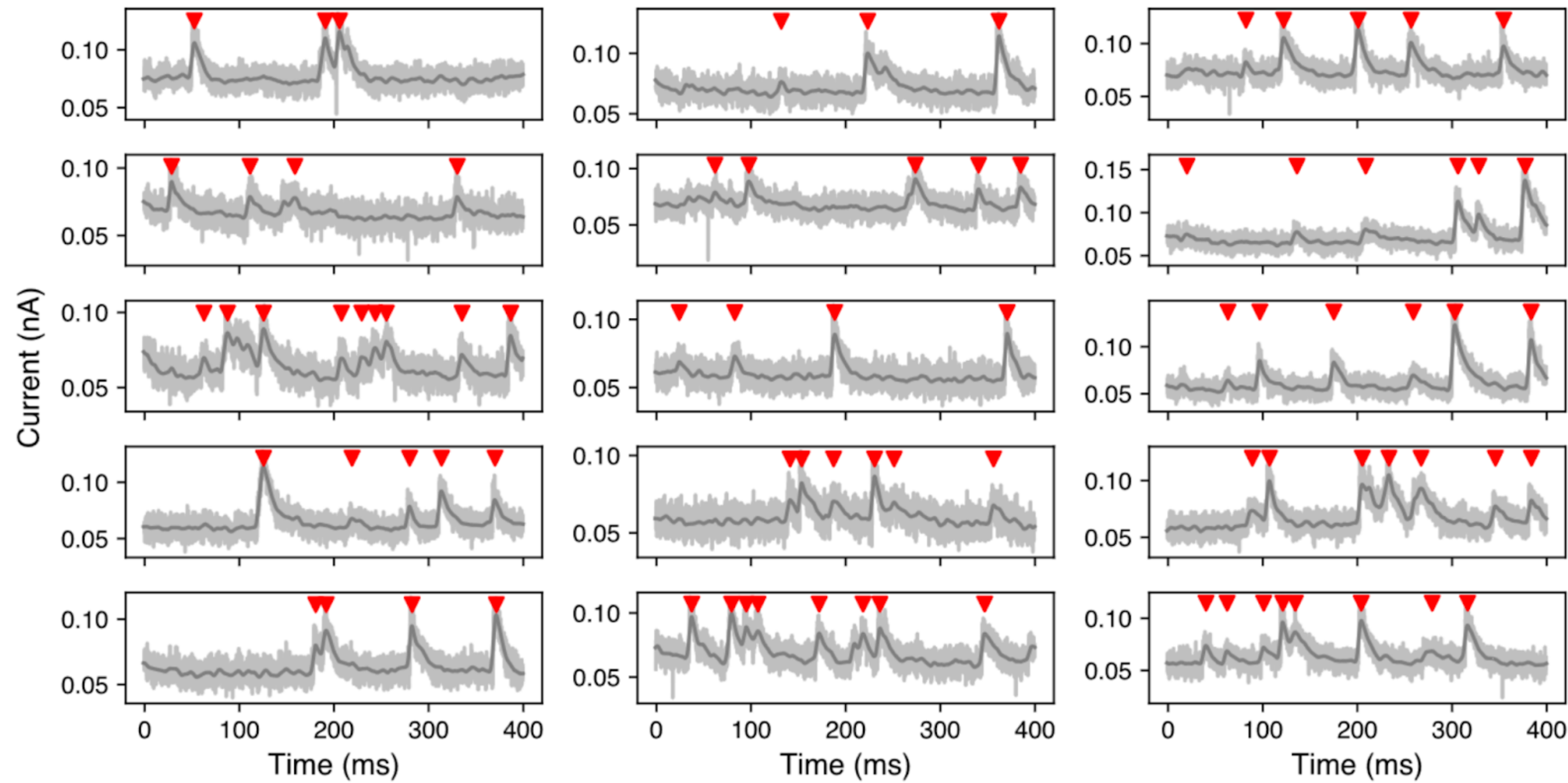
Paired-patch experiments



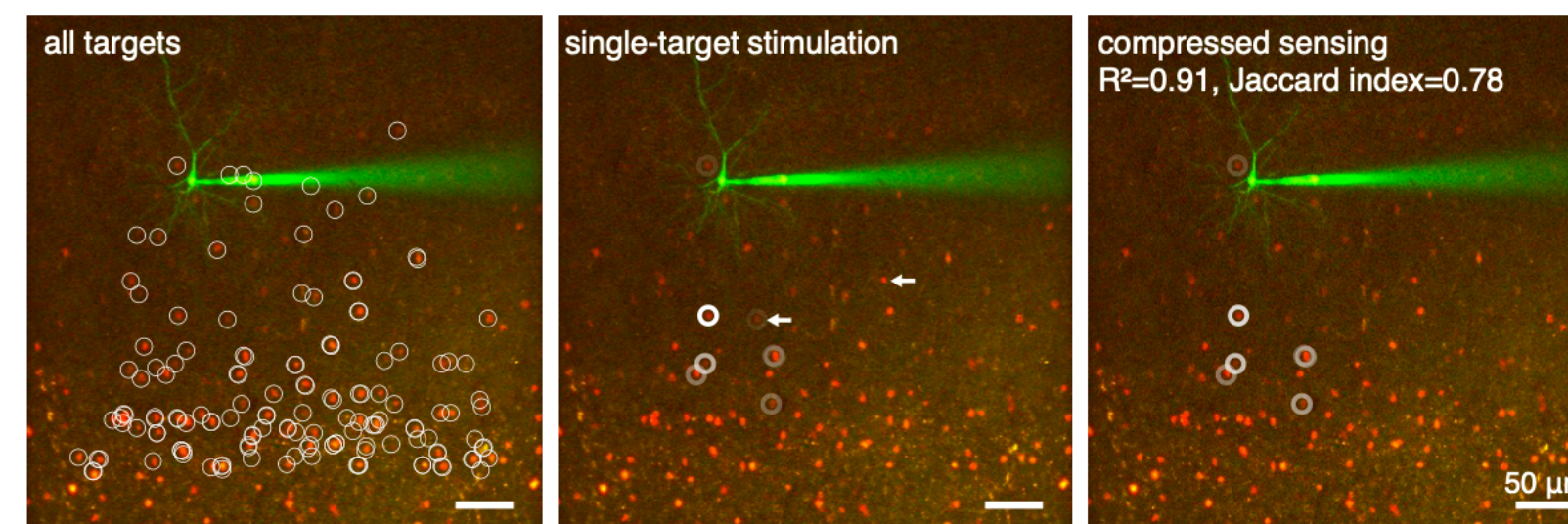
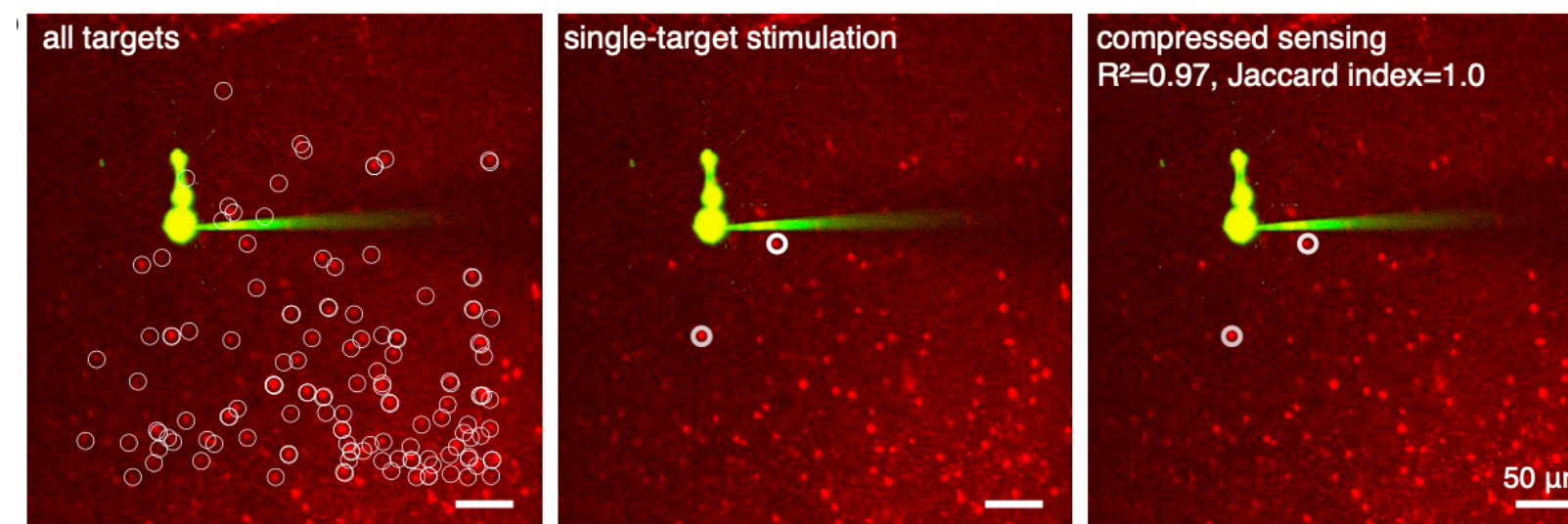
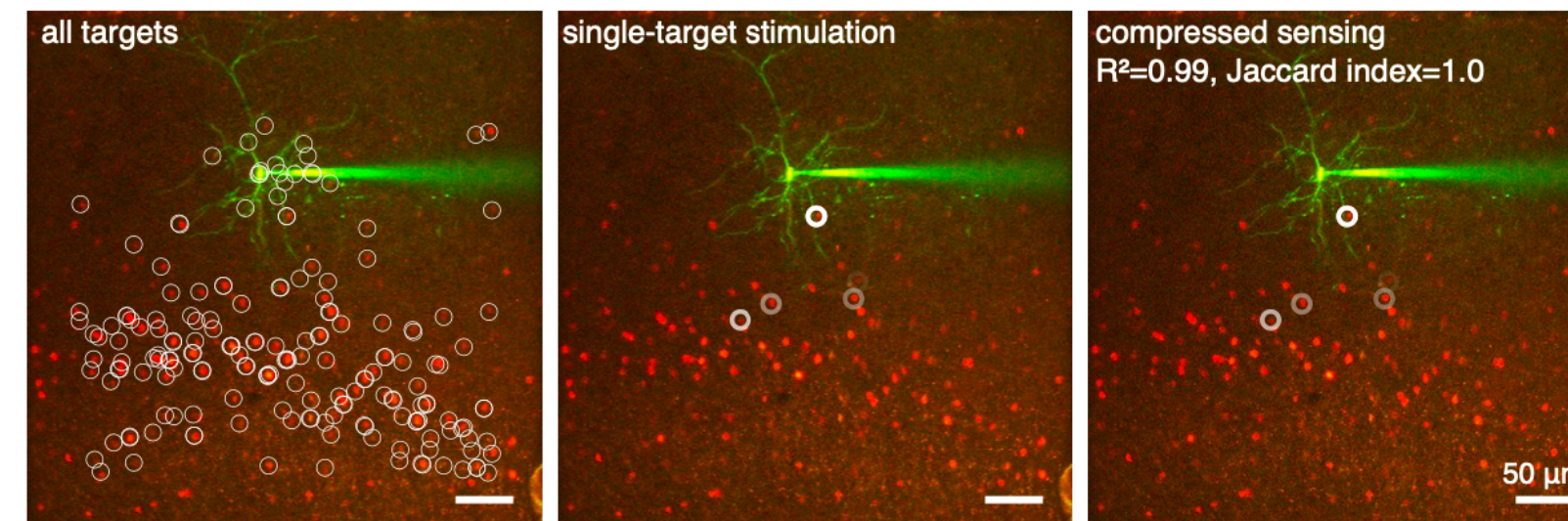
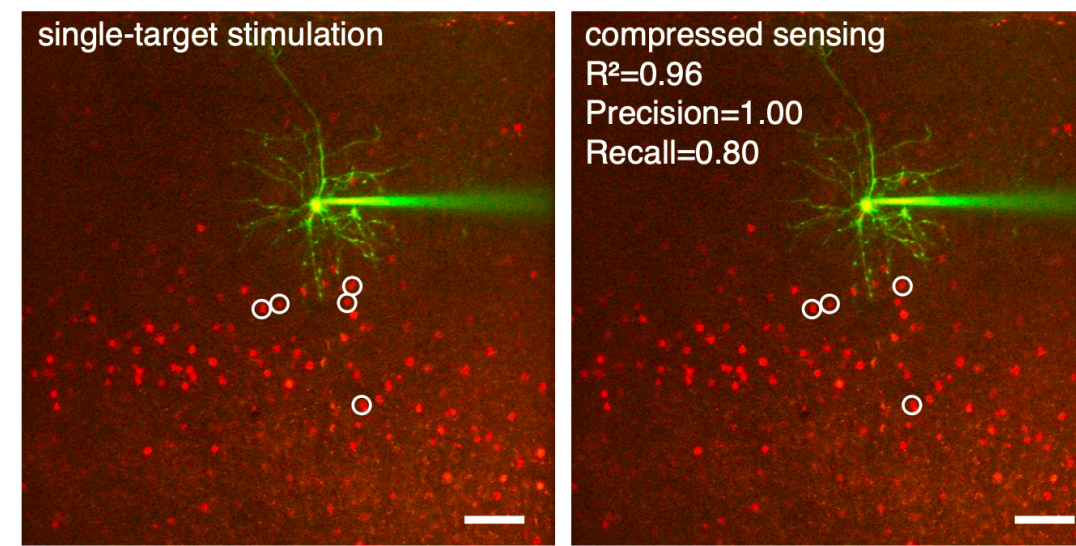
j Example ground-truth spiking scenarios



In vitro spontaneous activity rates



Additional examples



Photocurrent removal using NWD

