Dynamics in neural networks composed of predictive neurons

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Understanding how the brain learns may help us to build machines with human-like intellectual capacities. Recently, we showed that the ability of a single neuron to predict its future activity may be a crucial element of the learning mechanism in the brain. We tested this predictive neuron idea in neural network simulations and in data recorded from awake animals. I will discuss how predictive neurons may be the key building element of biological intelligence, and how it may help to explain neuronal dynamics at the whole brain level [1,2].

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