

# Comment le cerveau contrôle-t-il le mouvement de notre regard ?

How do we know what we know about eye movements?



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Oil on canvas by Caravaggio: *Fortune Teller* (1594). Rome, Capitoline Museums

# Certains mouvements du regard nécessitent plus de contrôle...



# En situation expérimentale...



Yarbus (1967)

# Le contrôle des mouvements du regard



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“Retenir les objets”

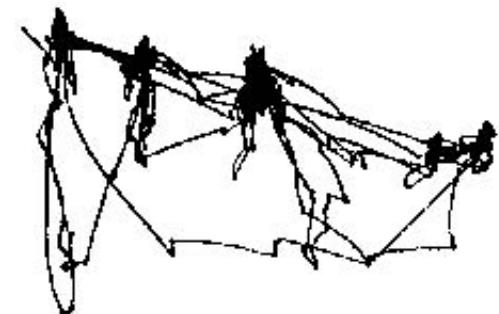
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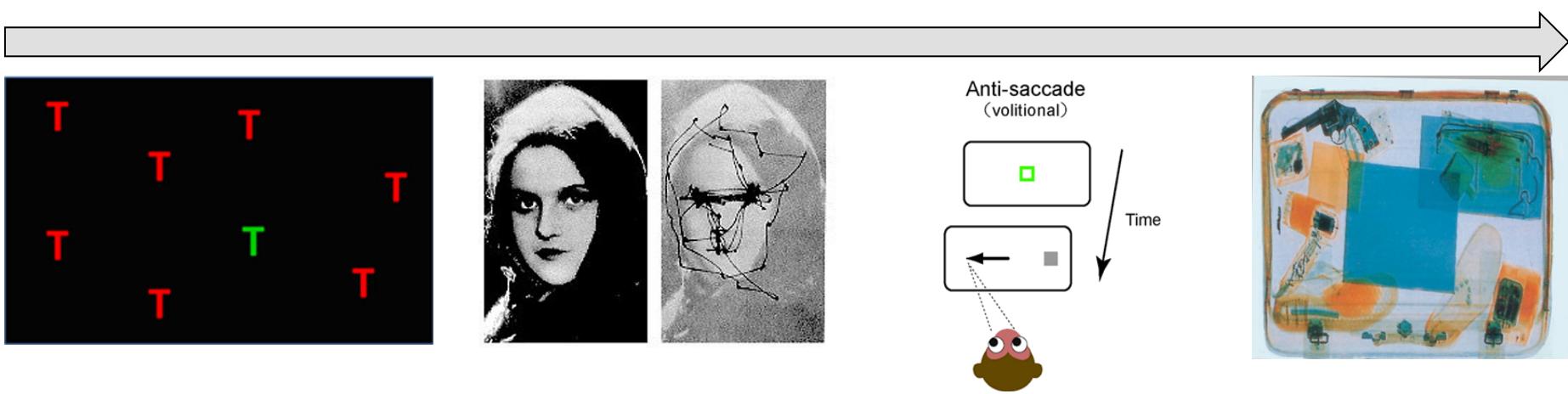
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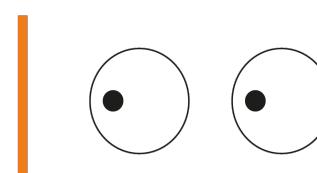
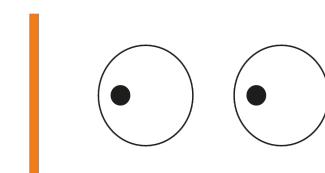
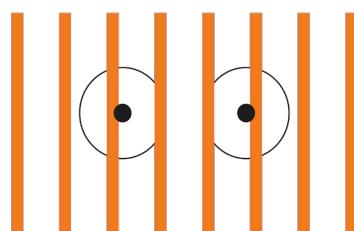
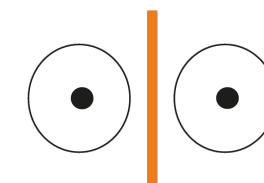
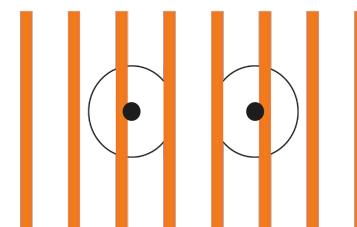
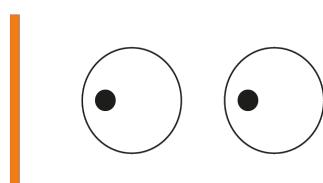
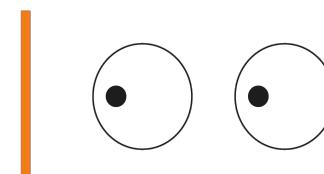
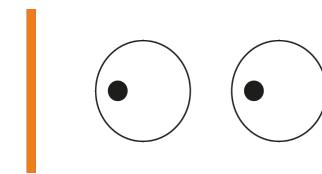
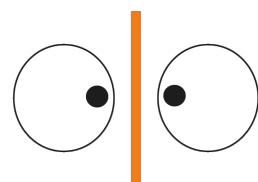
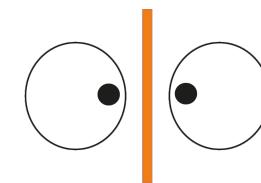
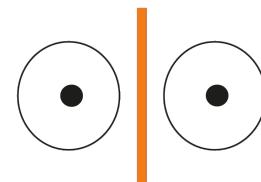
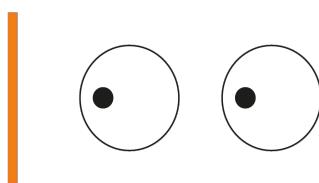
“Retenir les âges  
des personnages”

# Le contrôle des mouvements du regard

## Réflexif / Volontaire



## Différents types de mouvements oculaires.



# Plan:

- ❖ Pourquoi déplaçons-nous notre regard ? / Why do we move our eyes?
- ❖ Explorer son propre regard. Seeing the unseen
- ❖ Etudes en neurosciences
- ❖ *L'art est dans le regard...*

# Pourquoi déplaçons-nous notre regard ?

Fixer ce point



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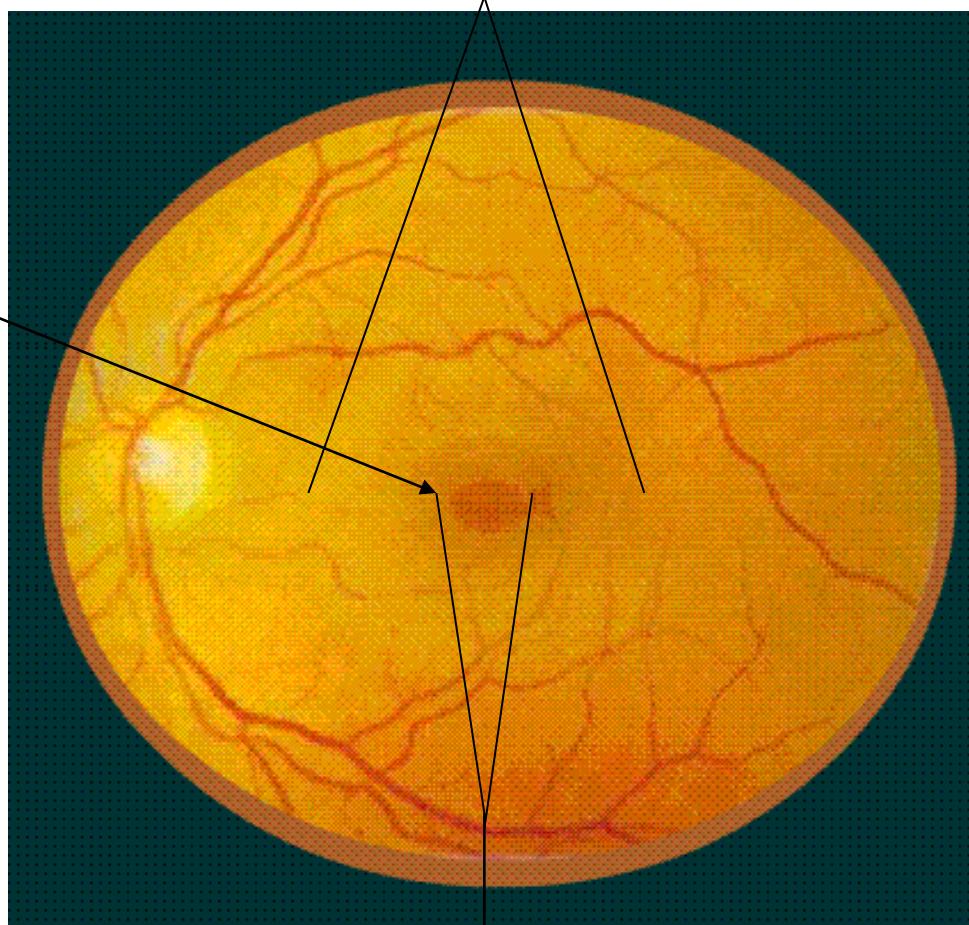
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Zone peri-foveal ( $10^\circ$ )

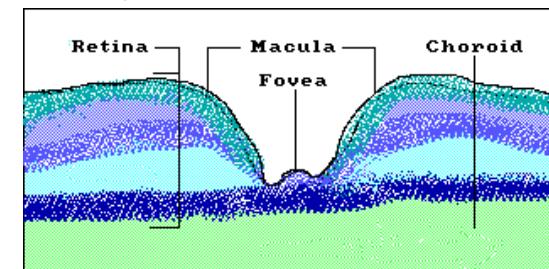
Fovea



**Nous déplaçons nos yeux pour mieux percevoir.**

We move our eyes to see better.

Eye movements place the image of the object of interest on the part of the retina (fovea) with the highest acuity.

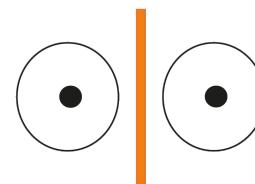
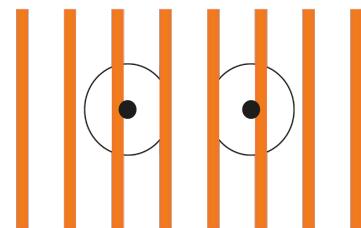


Peripheral Vision

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Nous déplaçons notre regard pour maintenir une image stable d'un objet qui se déplace mais également pour "compenser" les mouvements de notre propre corps.

Eye movements also keep the image on the eye stationary in spite of movement of the object or movements of one's head.





Lire ce petit texte devient  
très difficile lorsque celui-ci  
se déplace sur la rétine.

Reading is difficult  
when the text is moving on the retina

*Vision Res.* Vol. 2, pp. 69–80. Pergamon Press 1962. Printed in Great Britain.

## THE EVOLUTIONARY HISTORY OF EYE MOVEMENTS<sup>1</sup>

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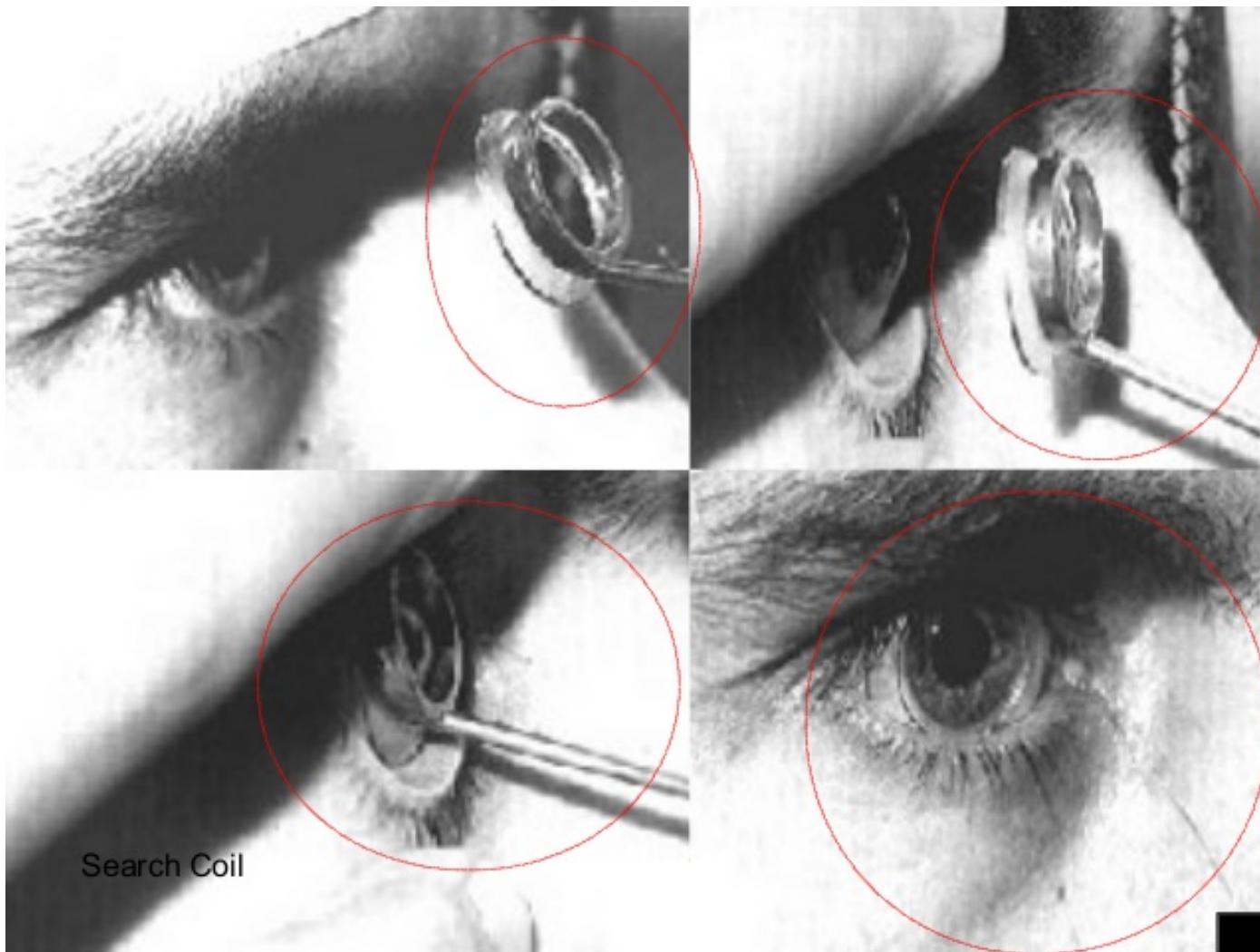
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# **Quels sont les outils de mesure des mouvements oculaires?**

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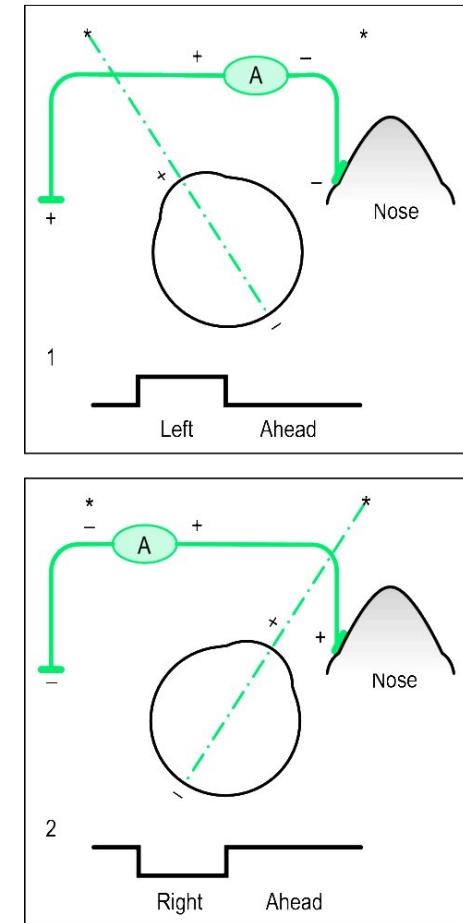
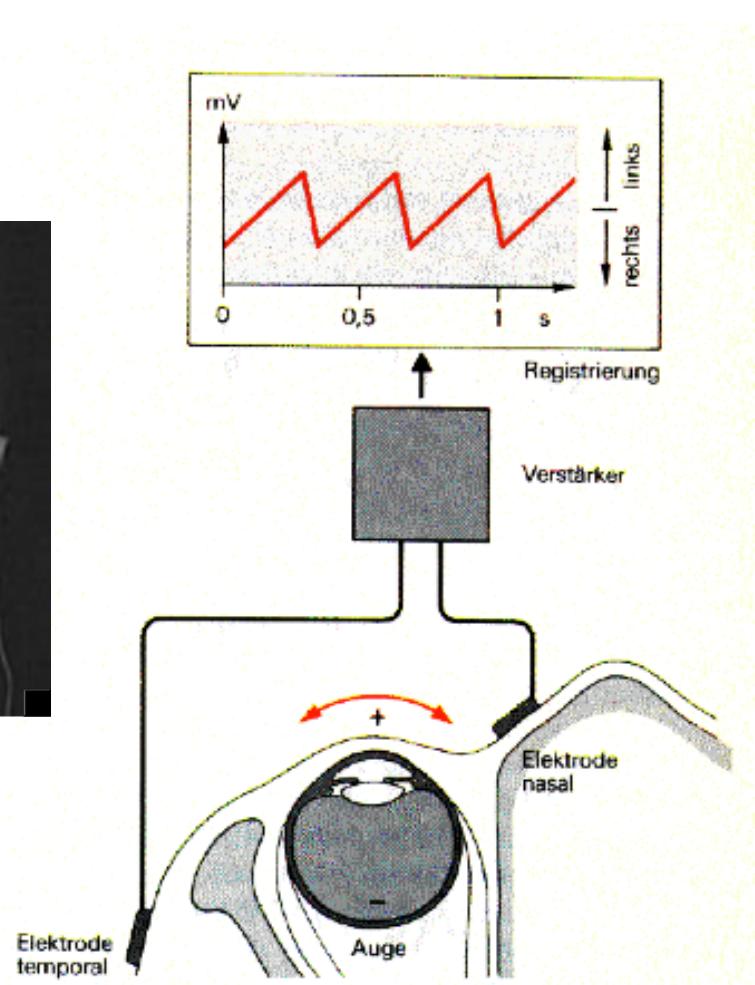
# Modulation d'un champs magnétique par une micro-bobine placée dans une lentille de contact.



# Electro-oculogram: EOG



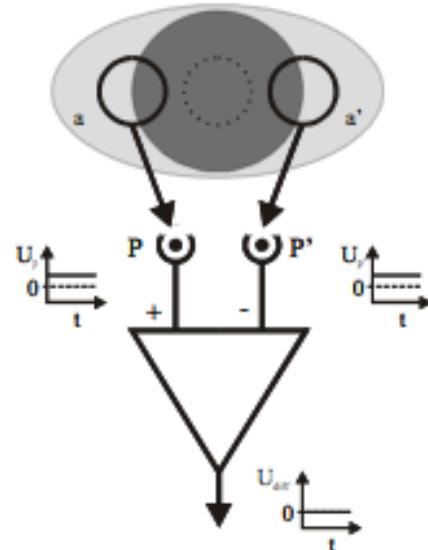
A picture wearing the EOG apparatus



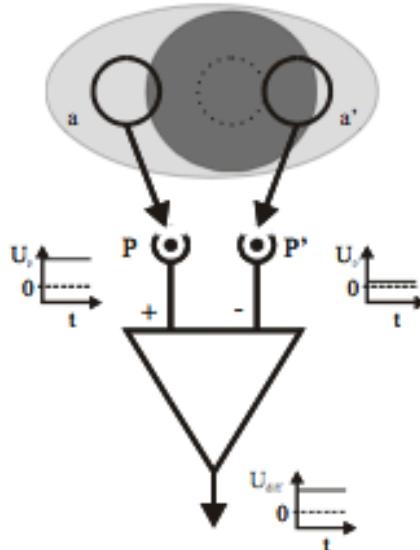
The cornea is approximately 6 \* positive with respect to the retina, which changes with differing retinal illumination.

# L'estimation du déplacement de la limbe sclérotique

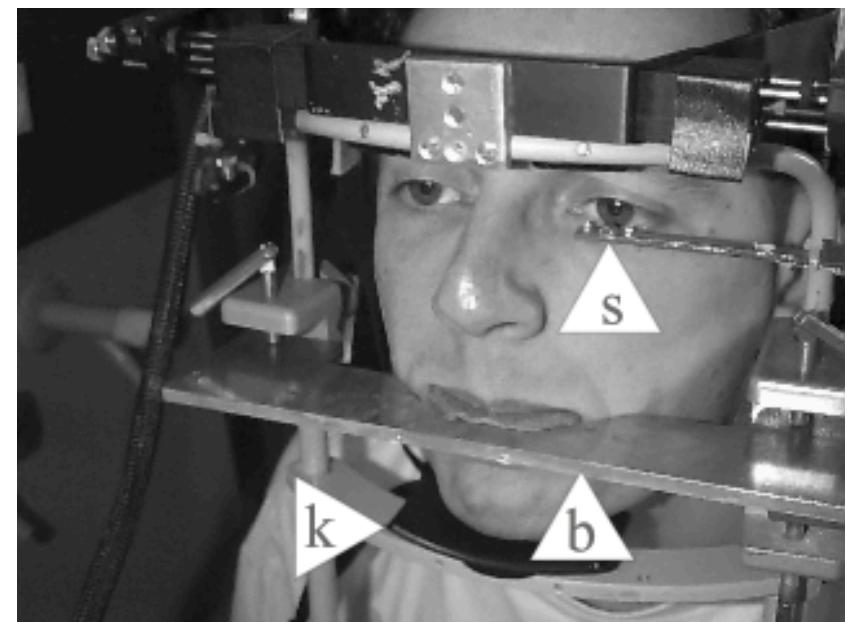
Fixation  
centrale



Déplacement à  
gauche



Output



Output

## Optical-based method:



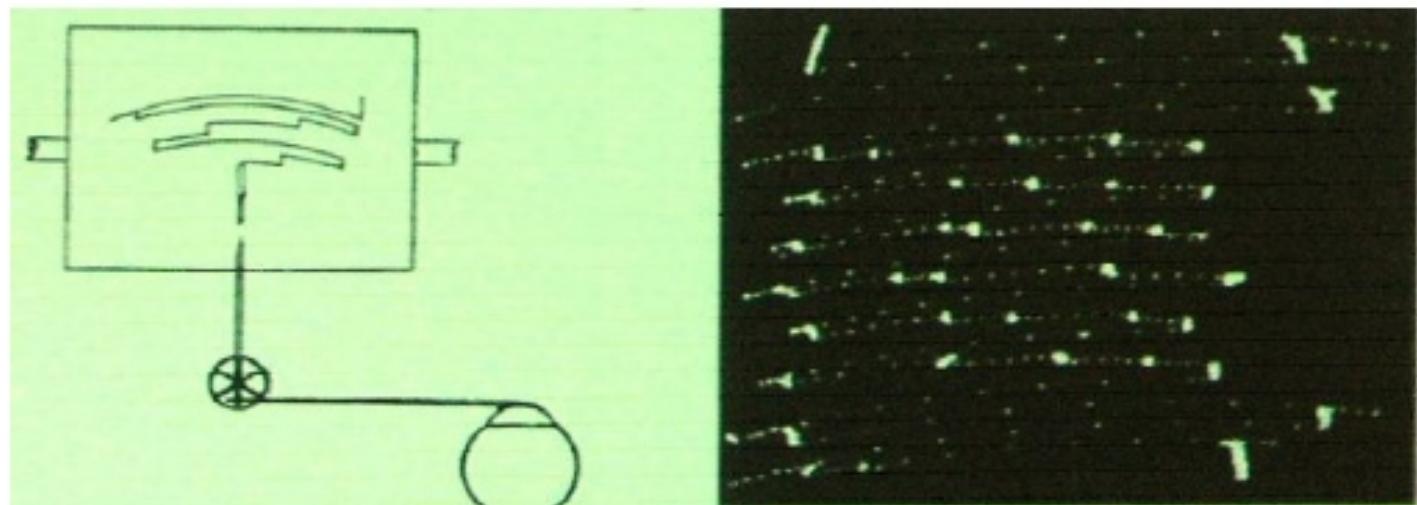
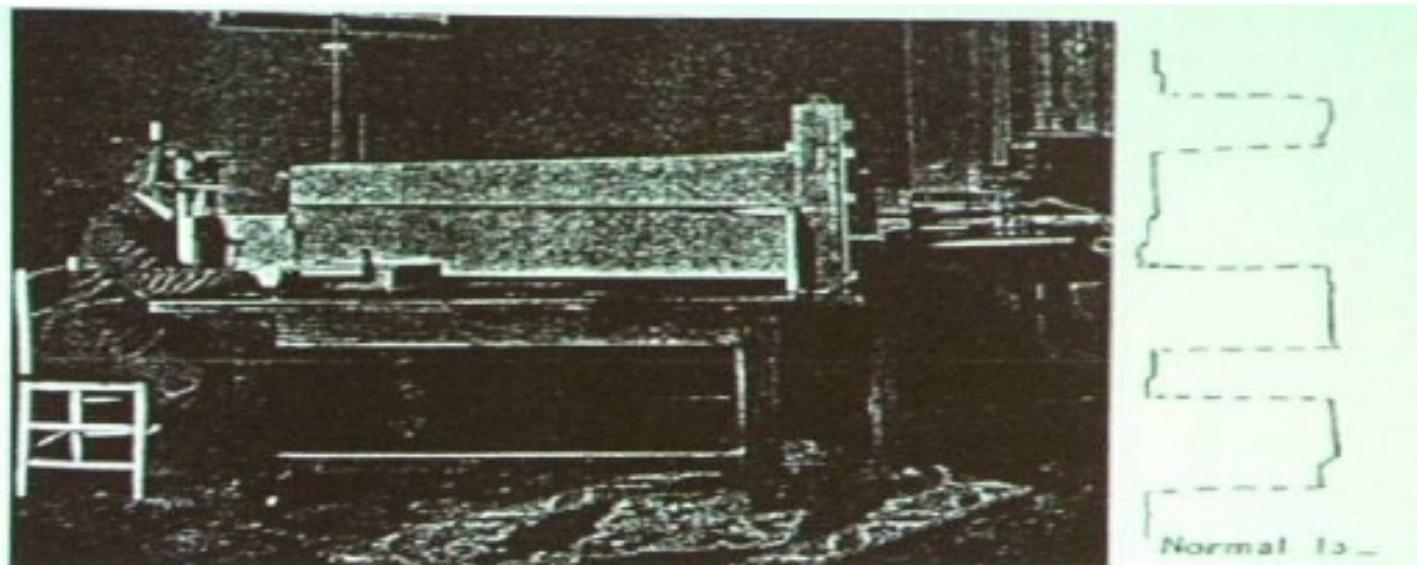
R. Dodge (1901)



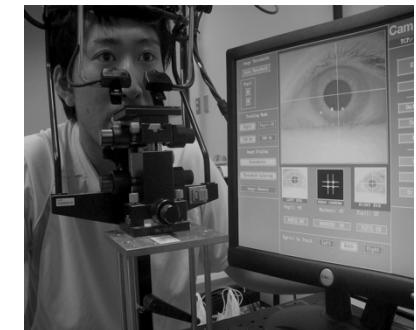
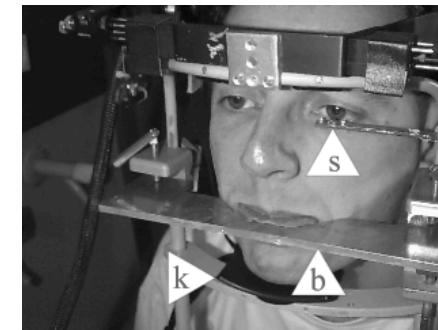
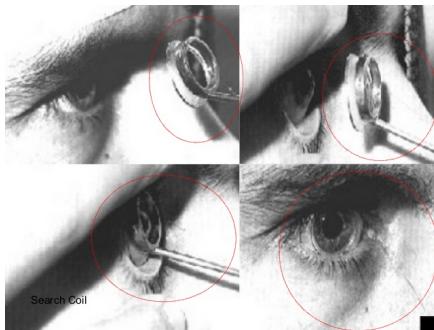
E. Delabarre (1898)



E. Huey (1898)



Pour qui n'a qu'un marteau tout ressemble à un clou.



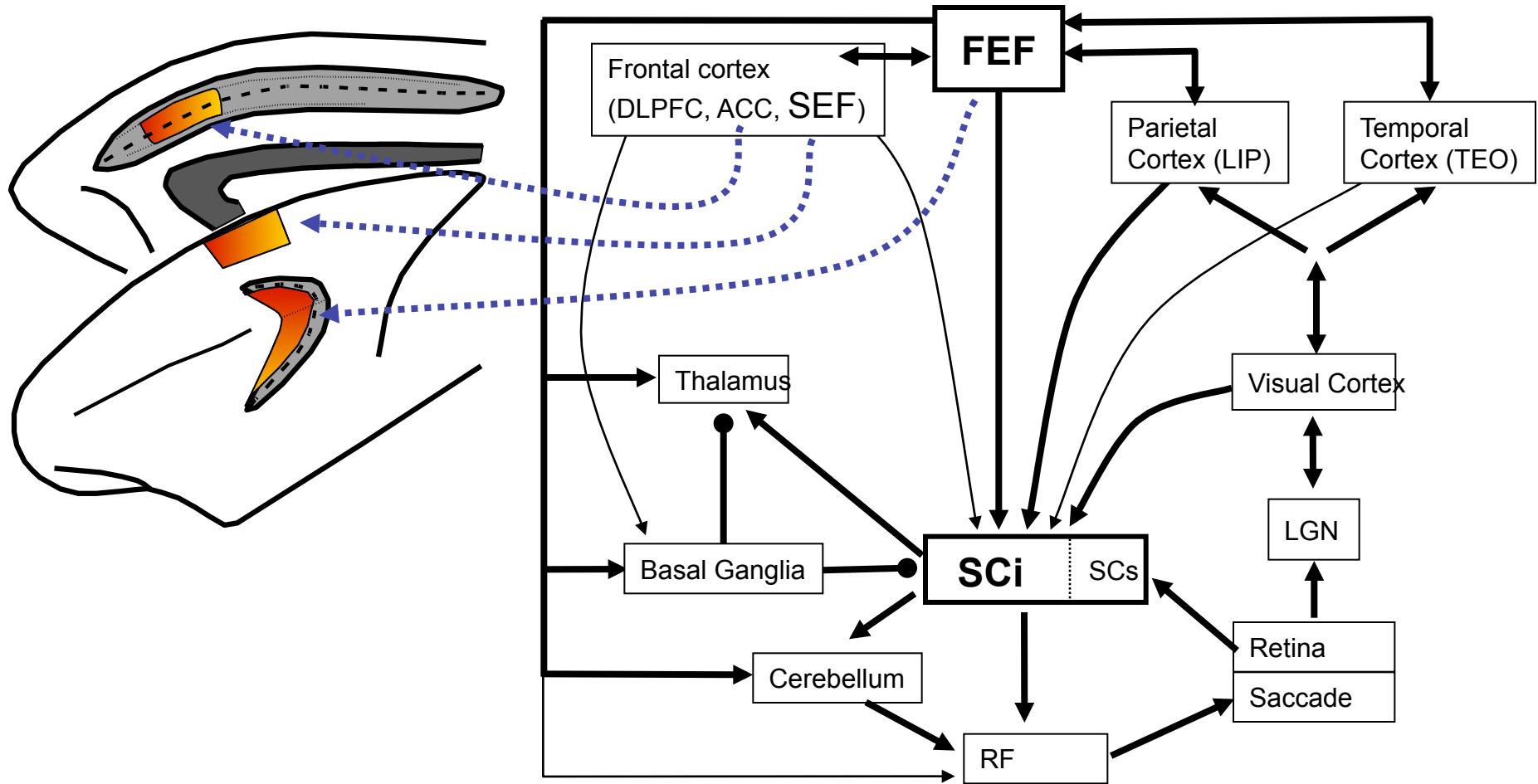


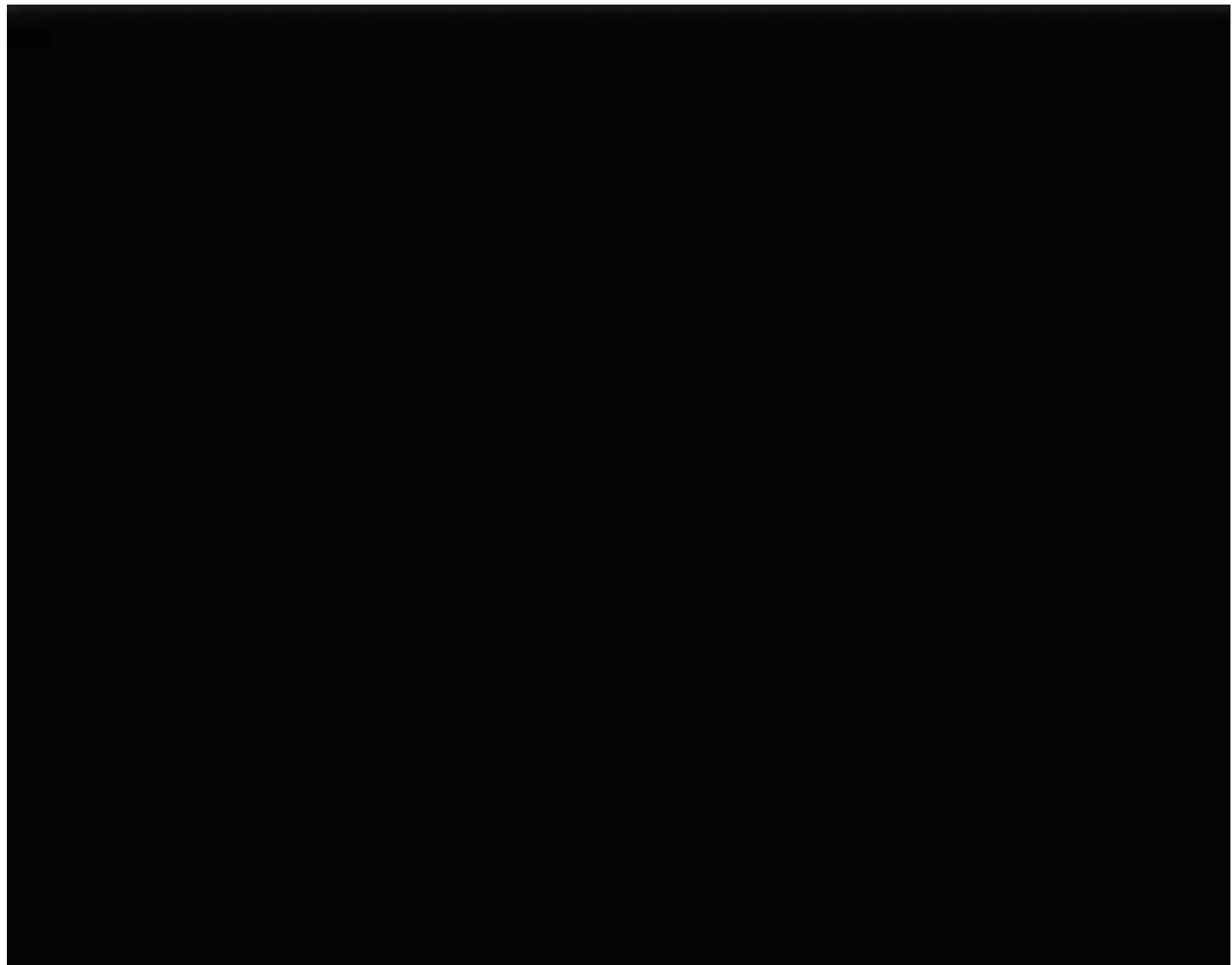
# Quelle est la fonction des mouvements oculaires?

The purposes of eye movements

- **Conserver l'objet sur la fovéa / Keep an object on the fovea**
  - Fixation
  - Poursuite lisse / Smooth pursuit
- **Conserver la fixation du regard lorsque la tête bouge / Keep the eyes still when the head moves**
  - Réflexe vestibulo-oculaire / Vestibulocular reflex
  - Réflexe optokinétique / Optokinetic reflex
- **Déplacer son regard d'un objet à un autre / Move the fovea from one object to another**
  - Saccade
  - ....Vergence

# Saccades are produced by a distributed network





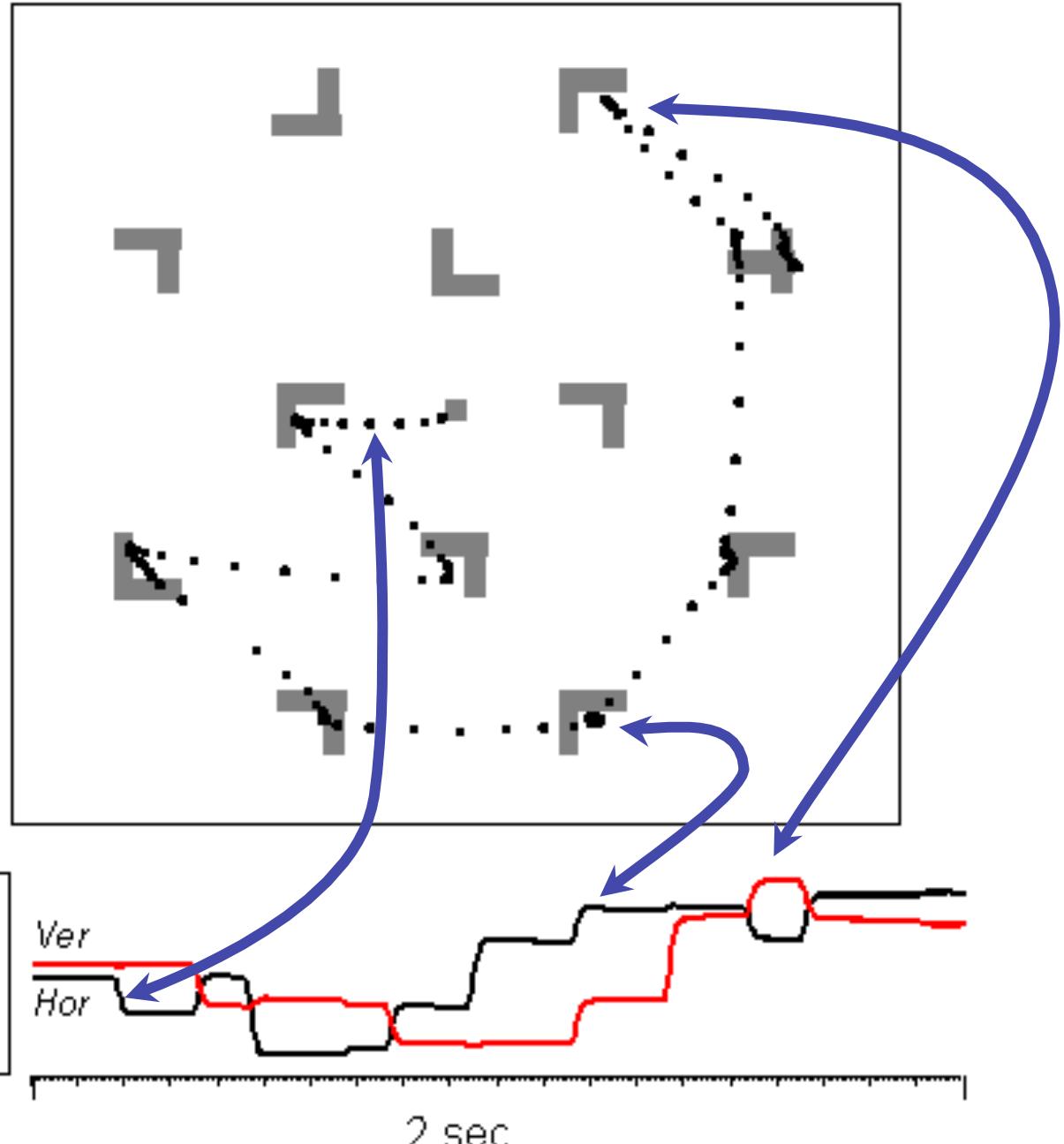
# Control of Saccades

- Superior colliculus drives the reticular formation to make contralateral saccades.
- The frontal eye fields and the parietal cortex drive the colliculus.
- The parietal cortex provides an attentional signal and the frontal eye fields a motor signal.
- The substantia nigra inhibits the colliculus unless
- It is inhibited by the caudate nucleus
- Which is, in turn, excited by the frontal eye field.

Comment le cerveau sélectionne-t-il le déplacement du regard?

Comment le cerveau sélectionne-t-il la commande motrice appropriée ?

Comment le cerveau détecte-t-il et corrige-t-il la production d'une erreur ?



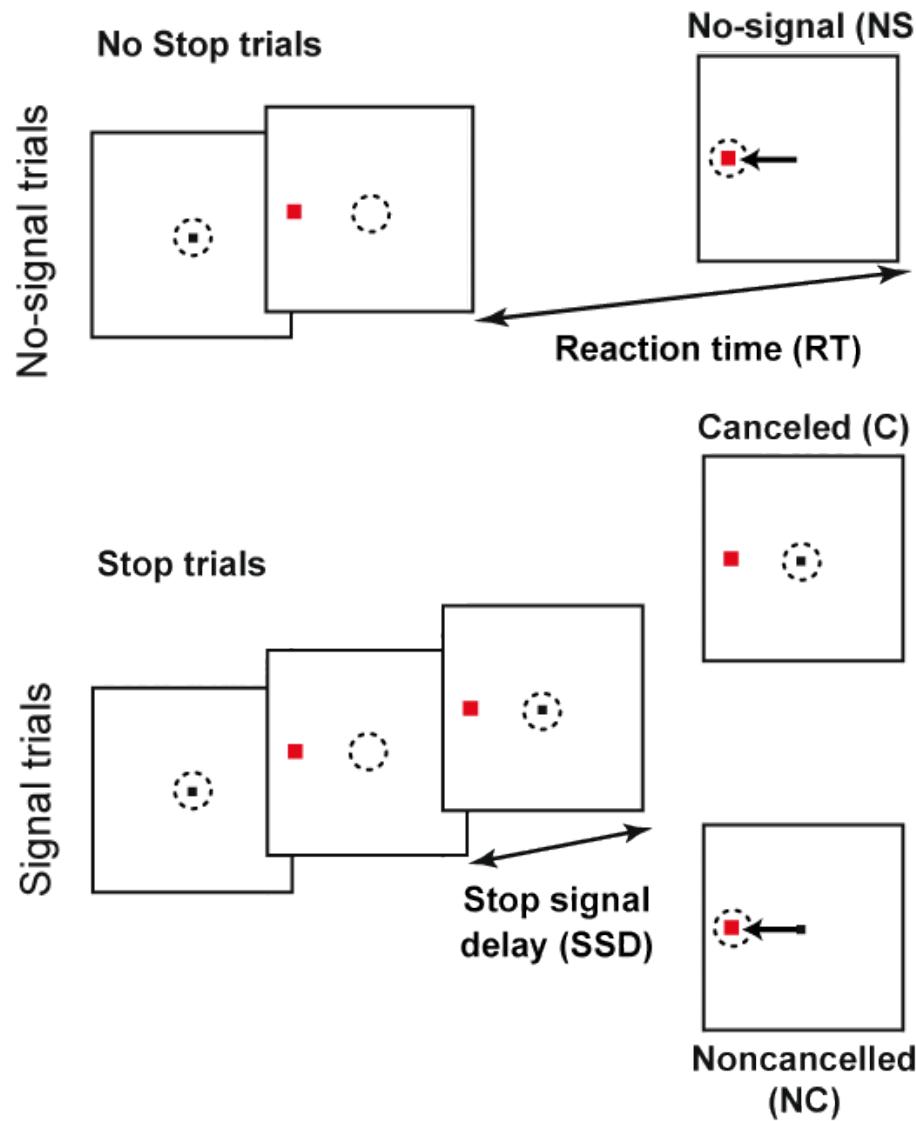
# Contrôle et inhibition du mouvement



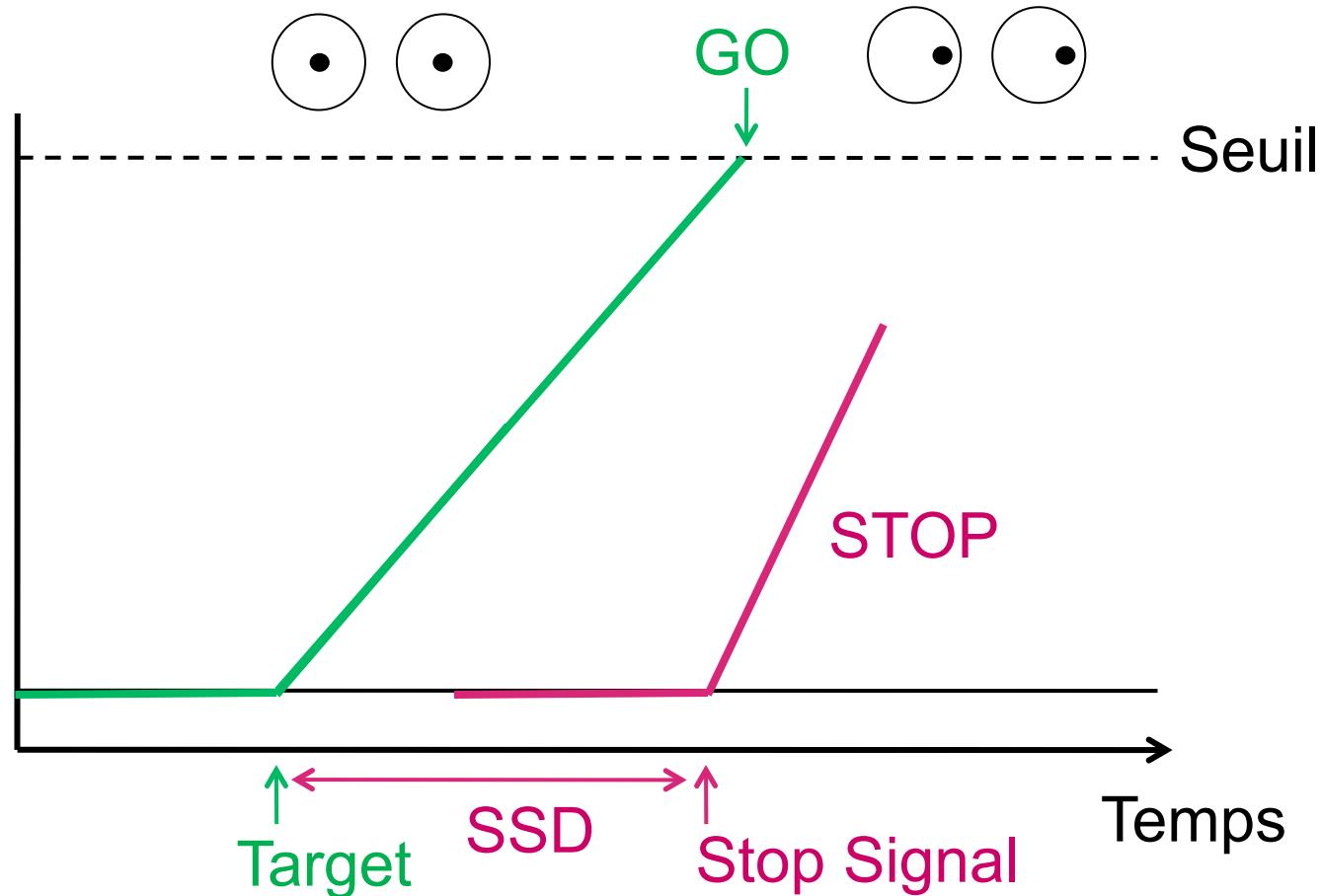
**Quel est le temps nécessaire pour inhiber un mouvement (oculaire) / How long does it take to inhibit an eye movement?**

**Comment peut-on estimer le temps d'un évènement qui ne va pas se produire? How do we give a valid time estimate of something that is *not* going to happen?**

# Tâche de contre-ordre / Countermanding Task



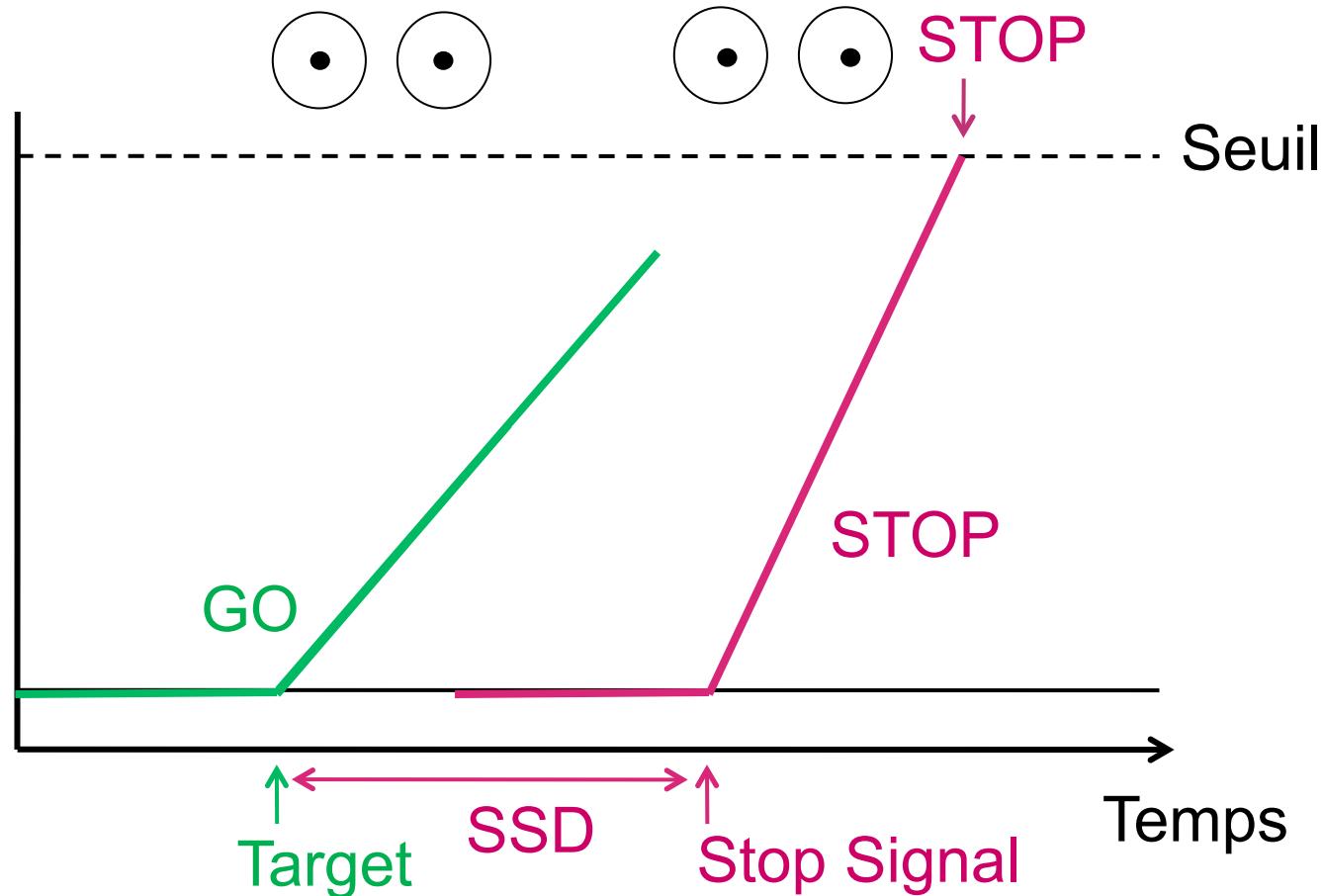
# Une course entre deux processus : GO et STOP



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(Logan & Cowan, 1984)

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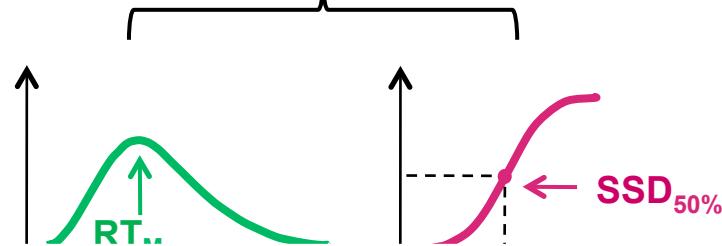


➤ La saccade est inhibée

(Logan & Cowan, 1984)

## Quel est le temps nécessaire pour inhiber un mouvement (SSRT) ?

$$\text{SSRT} = \text{RT}_M - \text{SSD}_{50\%}$$

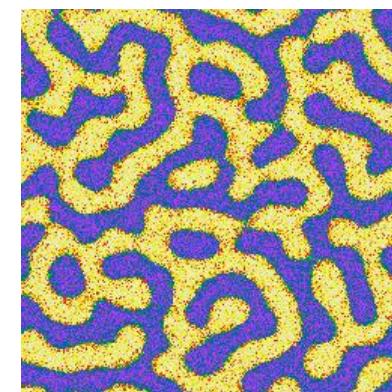


**Une METHODE pour estimer le temps d'un évènement qui ne va pas se produire?** How do we give a valid time estimate of something that is *not* going to happen?

Systèmes?



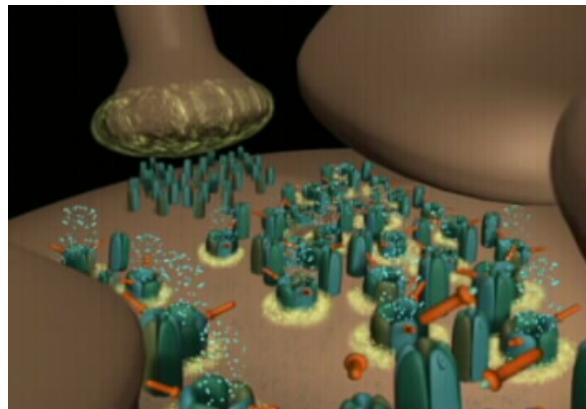
Circuits?



Cellules?



Synapses?



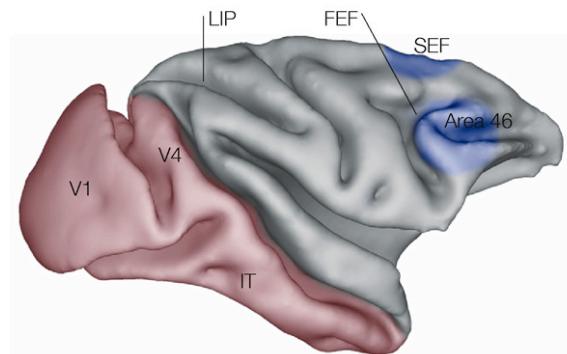


# Etude expérimentale à partir de lésions

Pourquoi et comment déplace-t-on notre regard ?



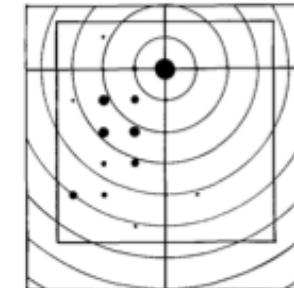
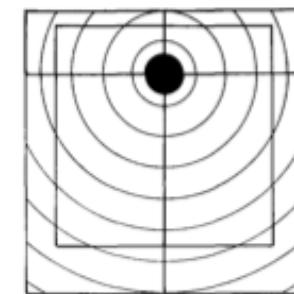
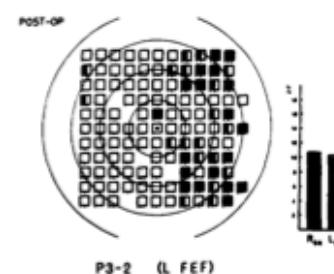
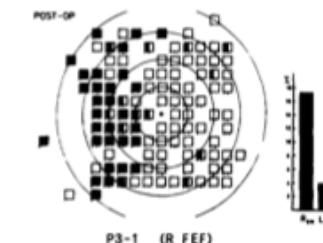
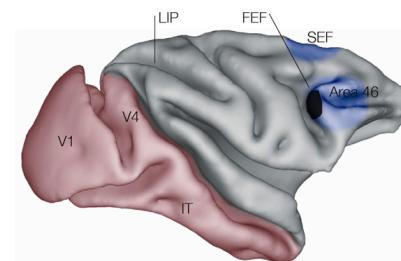
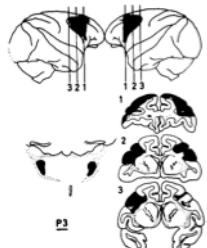
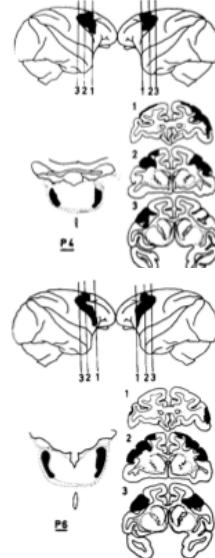
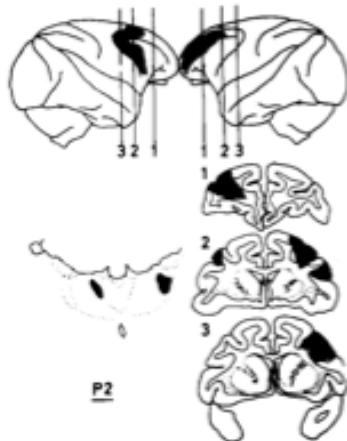
Quelle région de notre cerveau contrôle le déplacement de notre regard ?



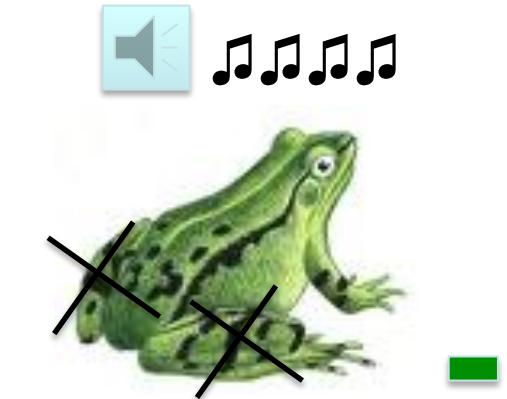
# Etude de lésions des régions du FEF chez le macaque:



Cortical lesions made by sub-pial aspiration

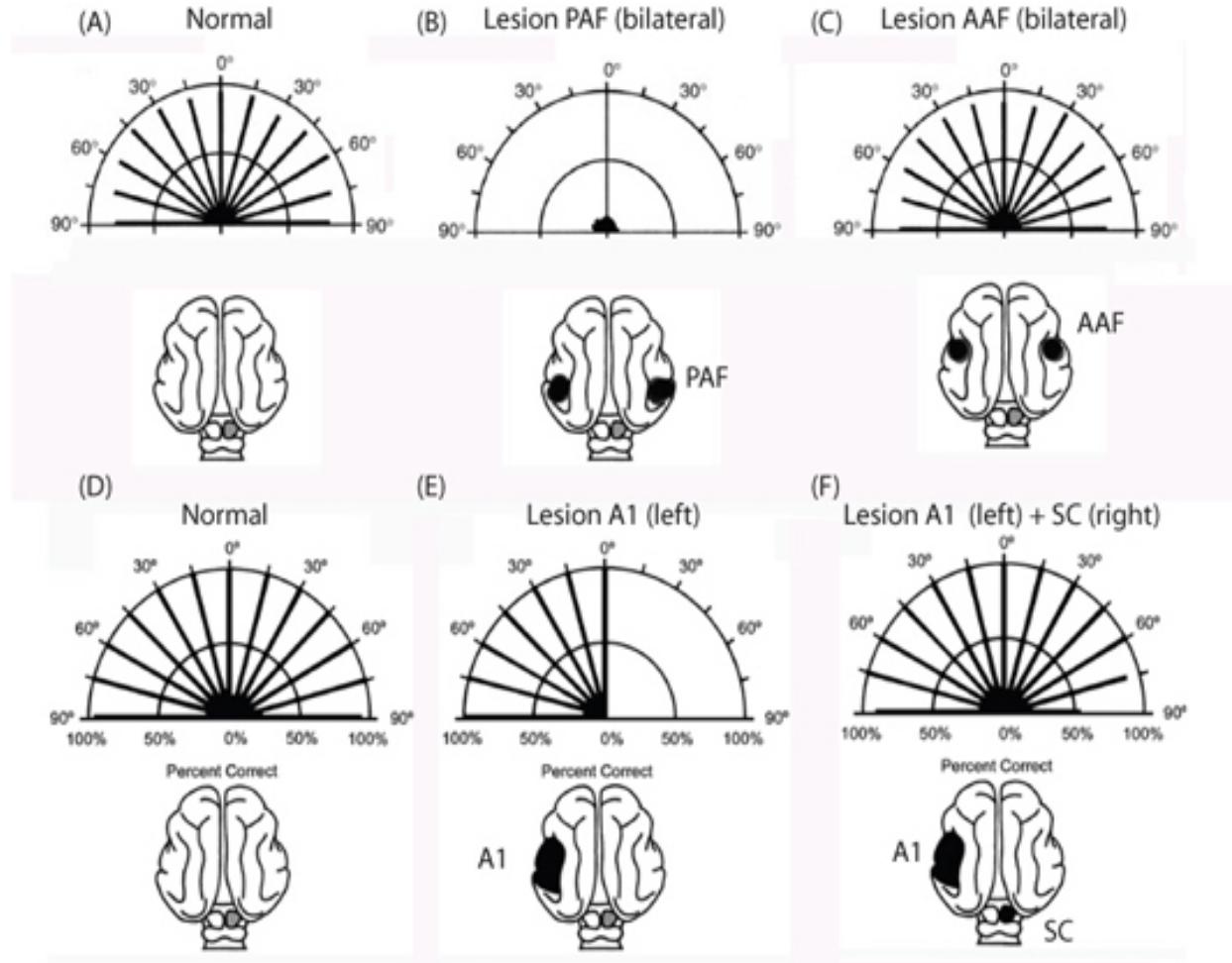


## La méthodologie lésionnelle: la question de la spécificité



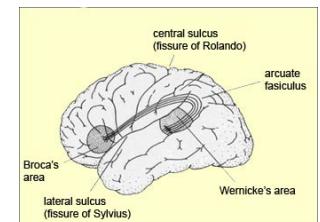
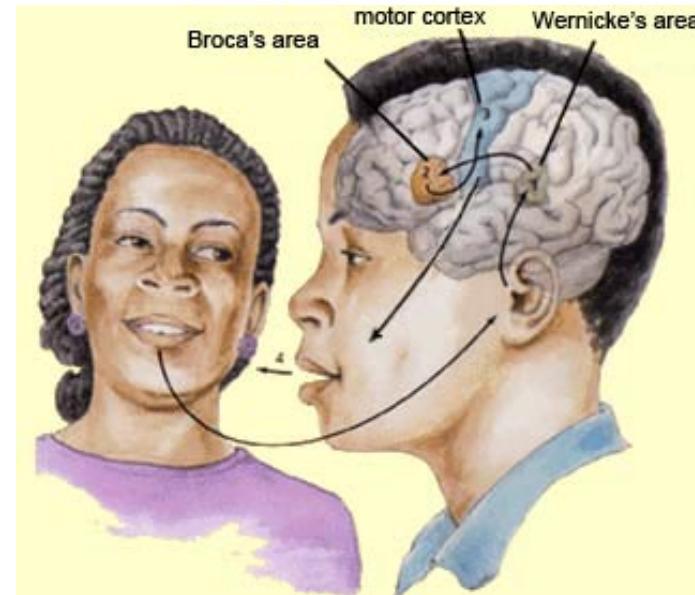
Les organes auditifs de la grenouille se trouvent dans les membres inférieurs!

# L'effet Sprague



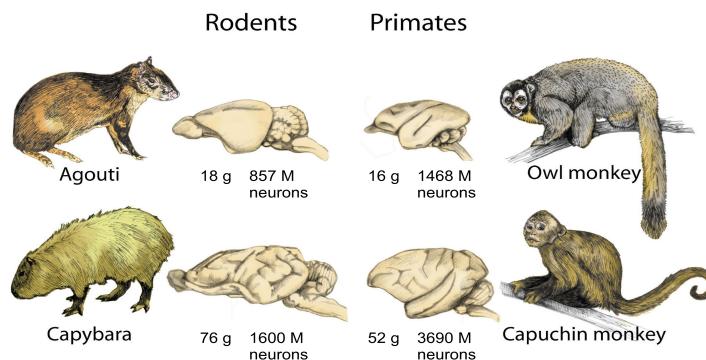
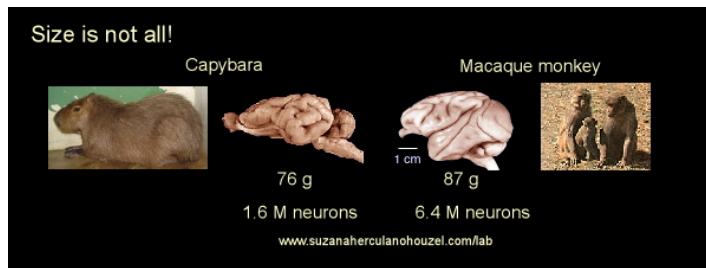
# Problème de spécificité et du rapport structure/fonction

Relation entre la manière dont « une partie » est composée (structure) et le rôle qu'elle a à remplir pour cet organisme (fonction).

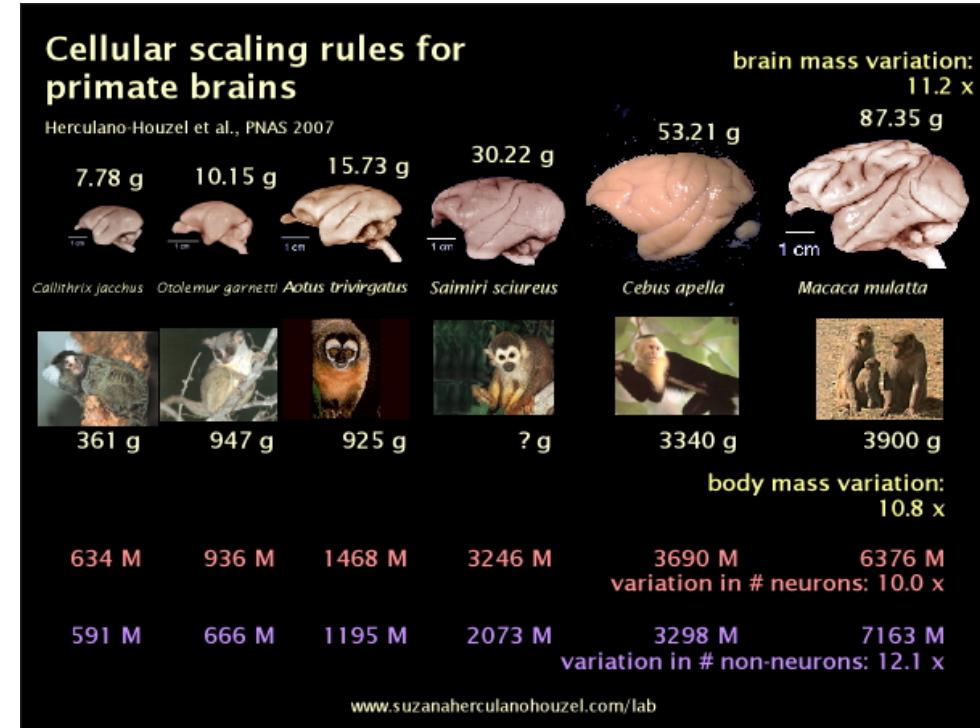


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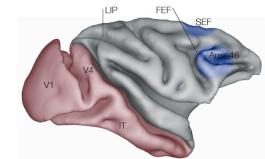
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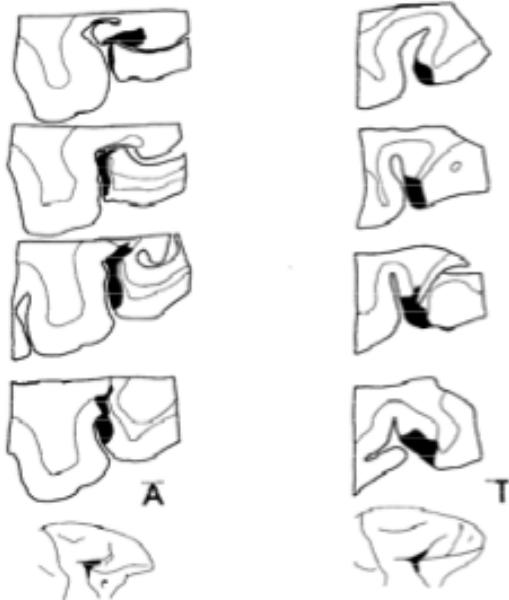
## Intra-espèce



# Inactivation pharmacologique



Muscimol binds on the GABA<sub>A</sub> receptor complex as GABA itself

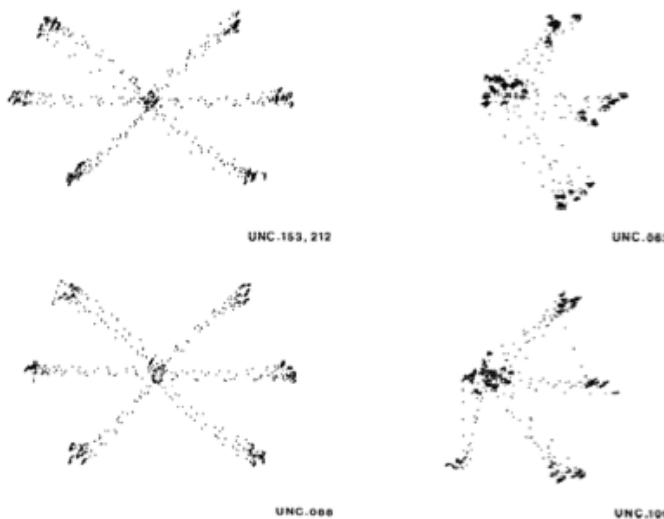


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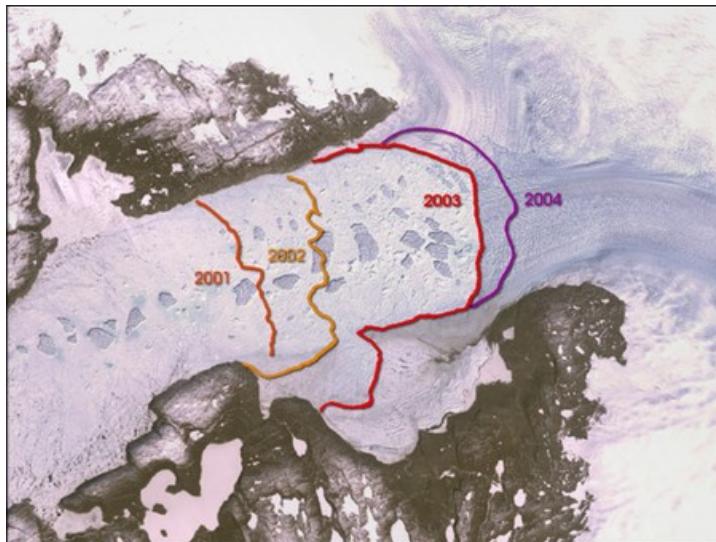


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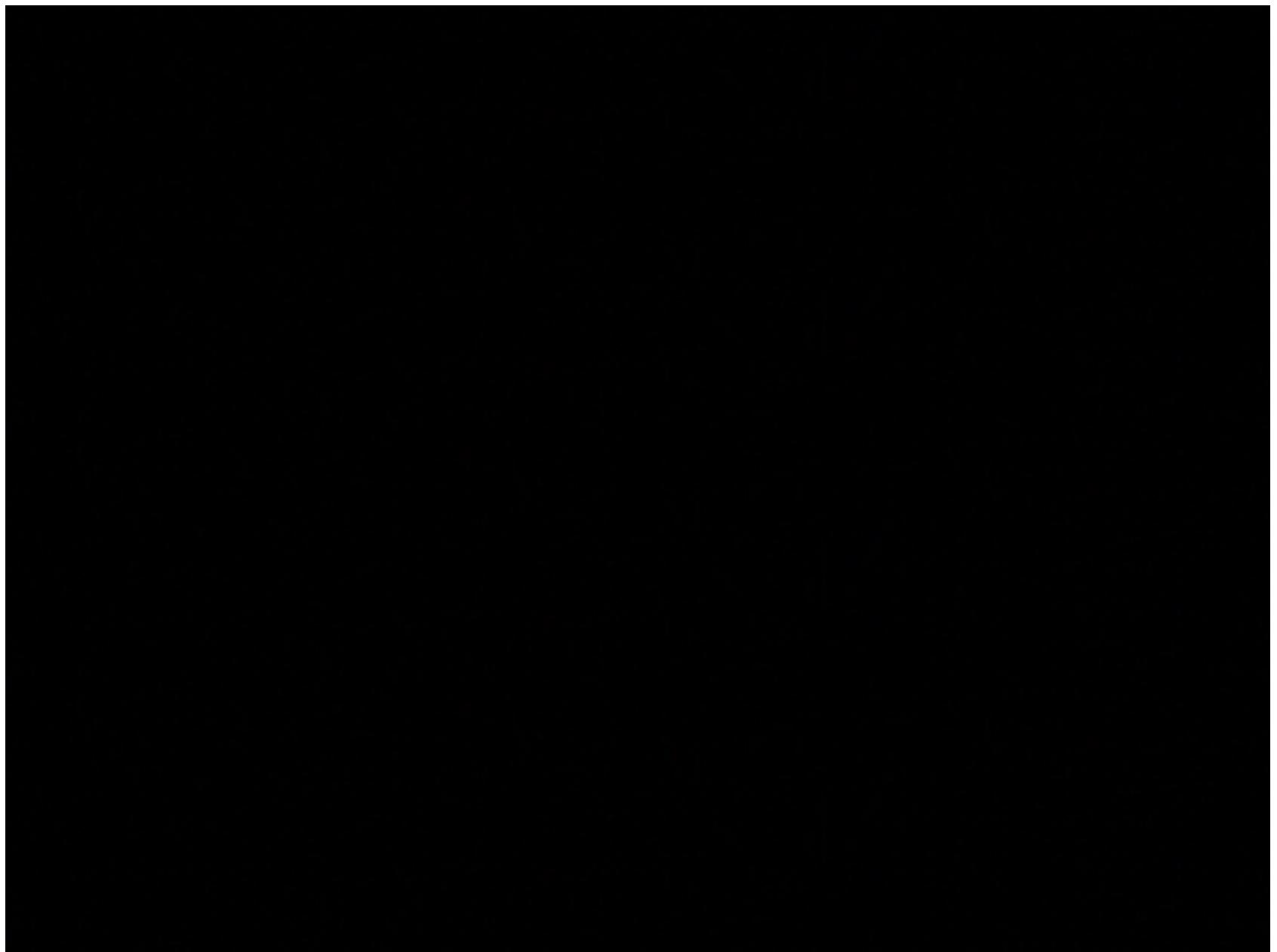


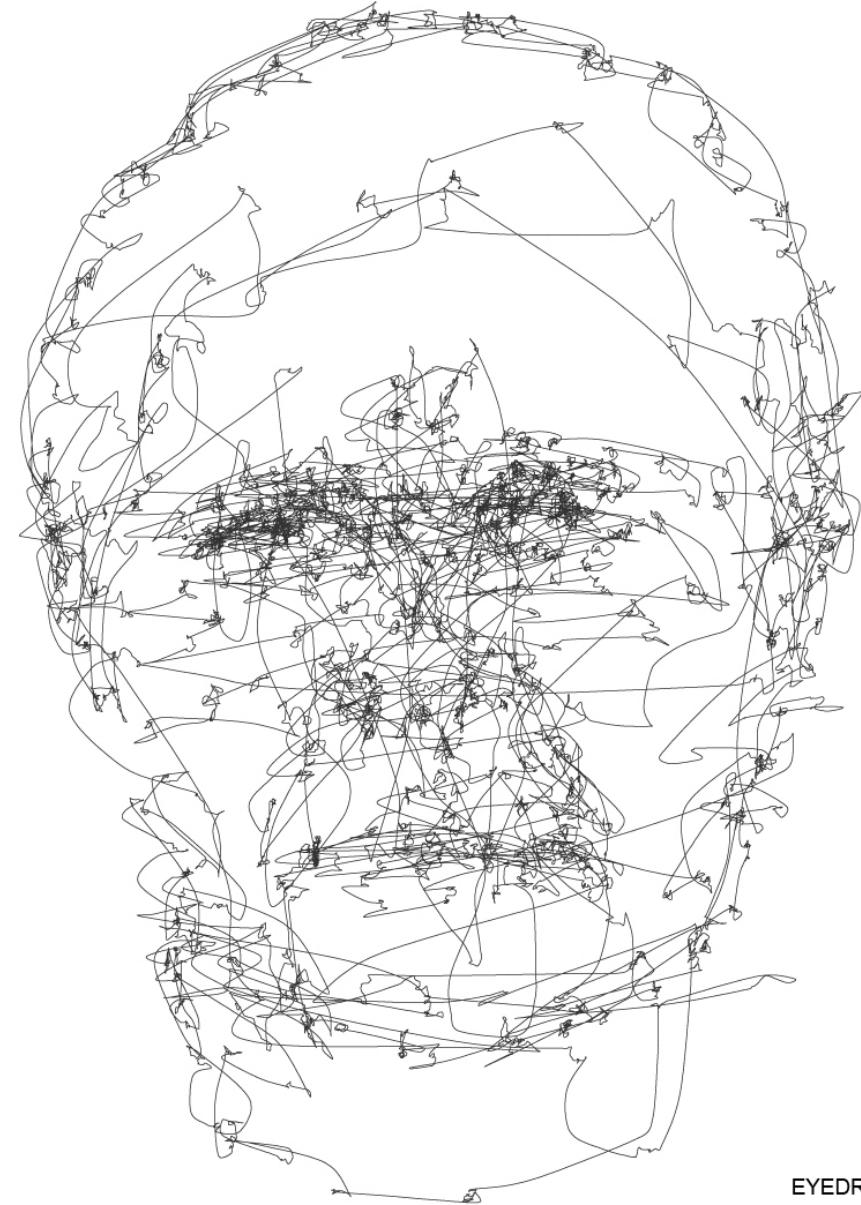
# La question de la réversibilité

L'inactivation pharmacologique est-elle réversible ?



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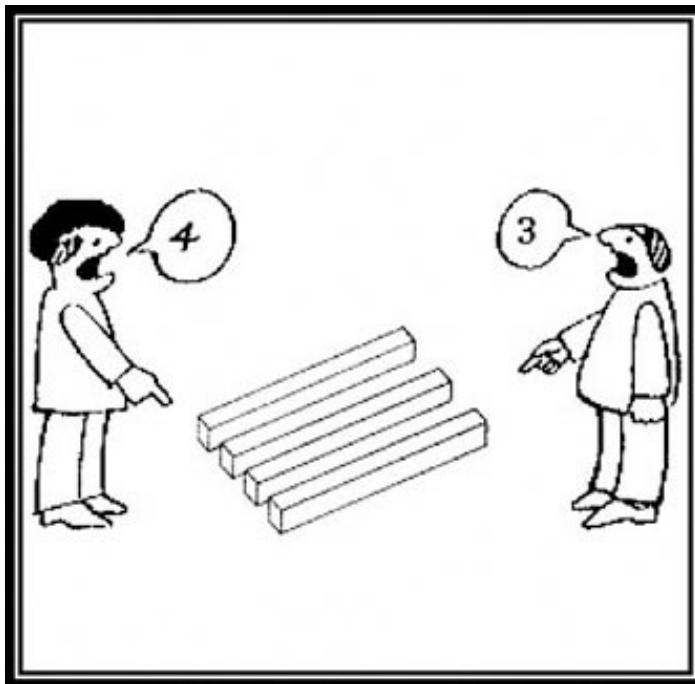




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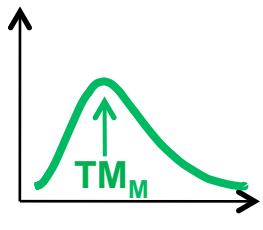
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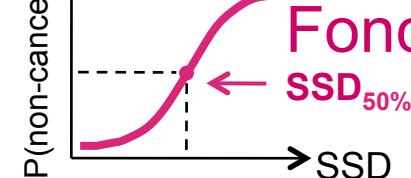
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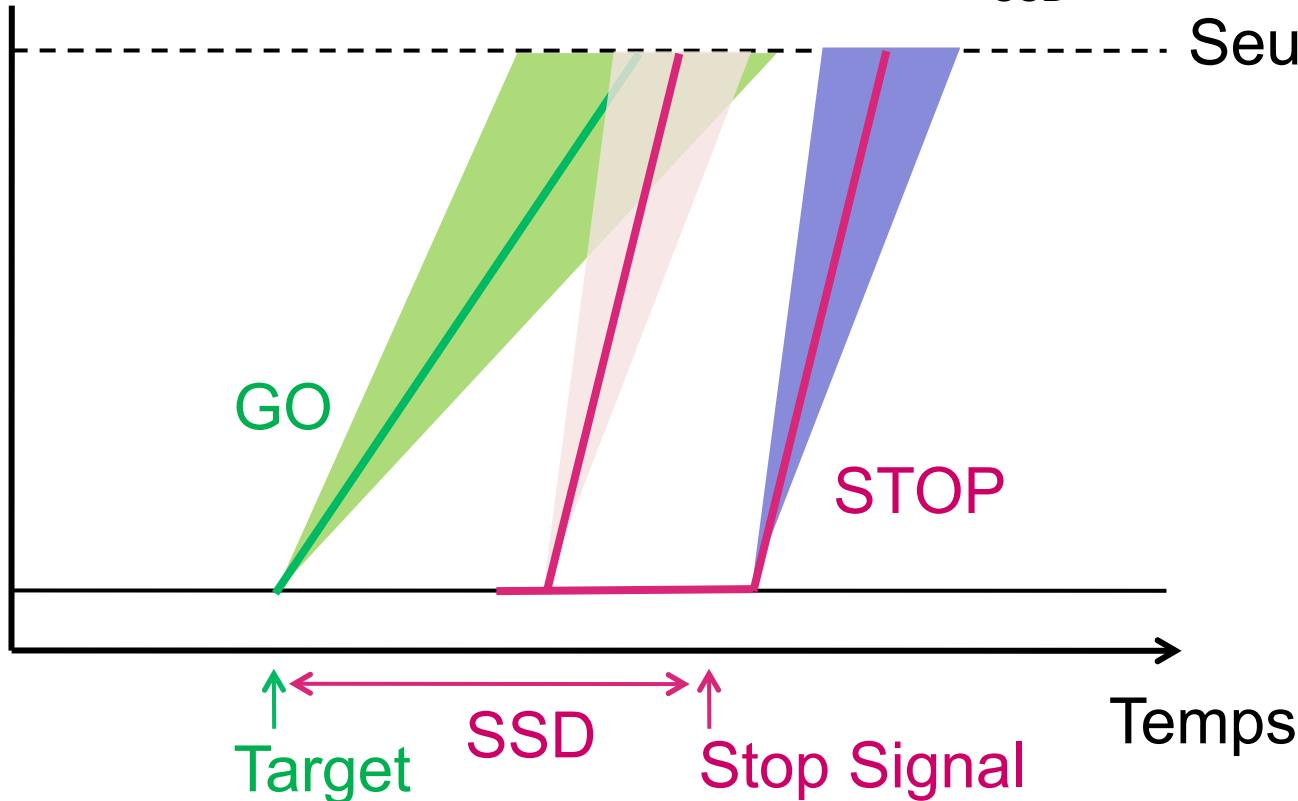
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Fonction d'inhibition



Seuil



- Essai GO : une saccade est déclenchée (TR)
- Essai STOP: la saccade est inhibée ou déclenchée