

Analog artificial neural network

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Digital (classic) vs. Analog

- software
- algorithm
- flexible structure
- von Neuman bottleneck
- processor clock

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import sys
from pySageDecoder import PySageDecoder, PySageDecodable
import tensorflow_wrapper as tf_wp

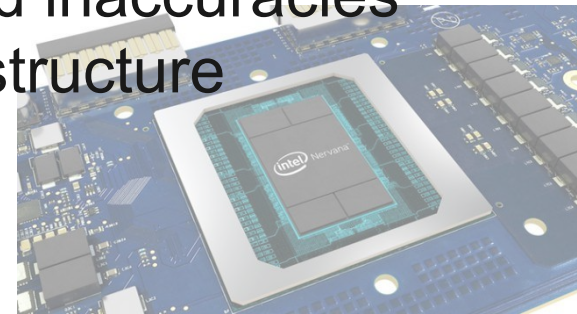
if __name__ == '__main__':
    if len(sys.argv) < 2:
        sys.exit("expected arguments: bbn-decoder-args tf_model_file")

    tf_model_file = sys.argv.pop()
    tf_model_op = tf_wp.load_model(tf_model_file)
    decoder = PySageDecoder()
    decoder.setup(sys.argv)

    while not decoder.done():
        features = decoder.get_features()
        log_posterior = tf_wp.get_log_posterior(features, tf_model_op)
        decodable = decoder.get_matrix_decodable(log_posterior)
        decoder.decode(decodable)
        decoder.next()

    decoder.finalize()
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- hardware
- electric circuit
- technology
- faster
- low-power
- noise and inaccuracies
- defined structure

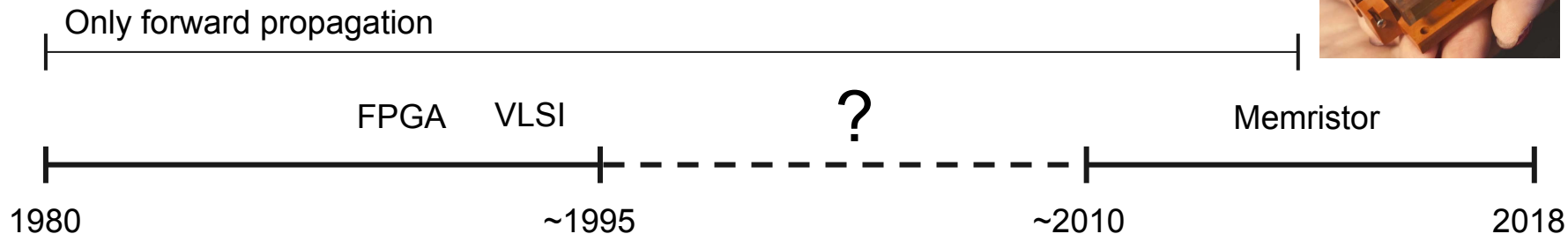
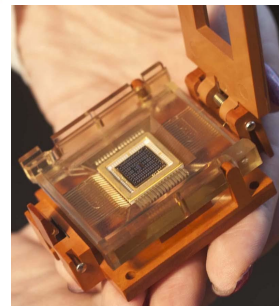


History

~1985 - 256 synapsys

~1995 - ~2017 - pause

~2014 - new start with memristor



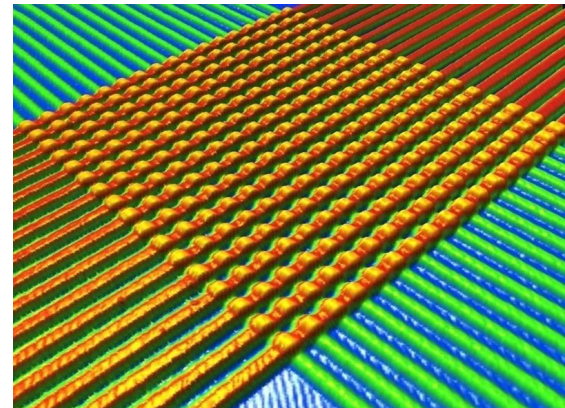
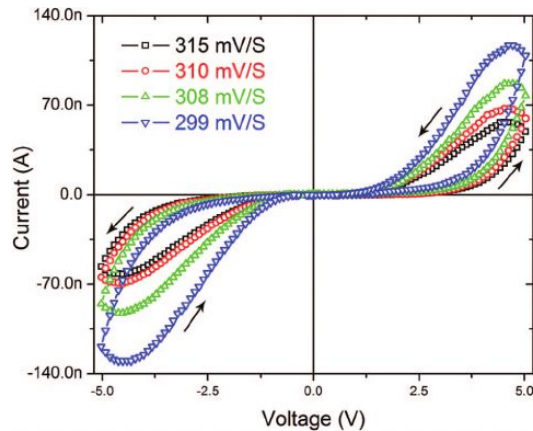
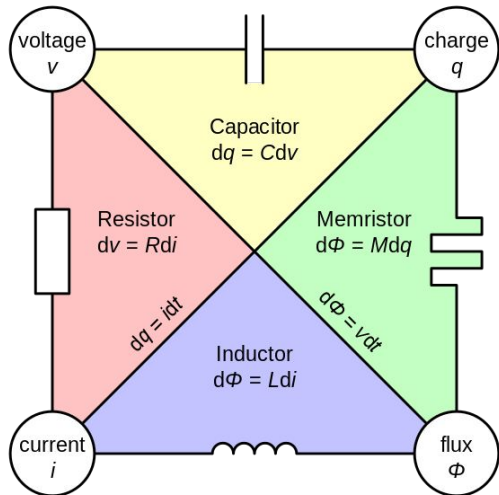
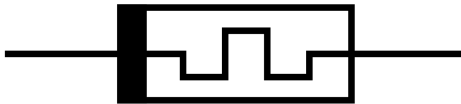
Today

- GPU
- Analog accelerator
 - forward propagation
 - as USB devices
 - mobile devices
- 2018 simulation of analog structure with supervised learning

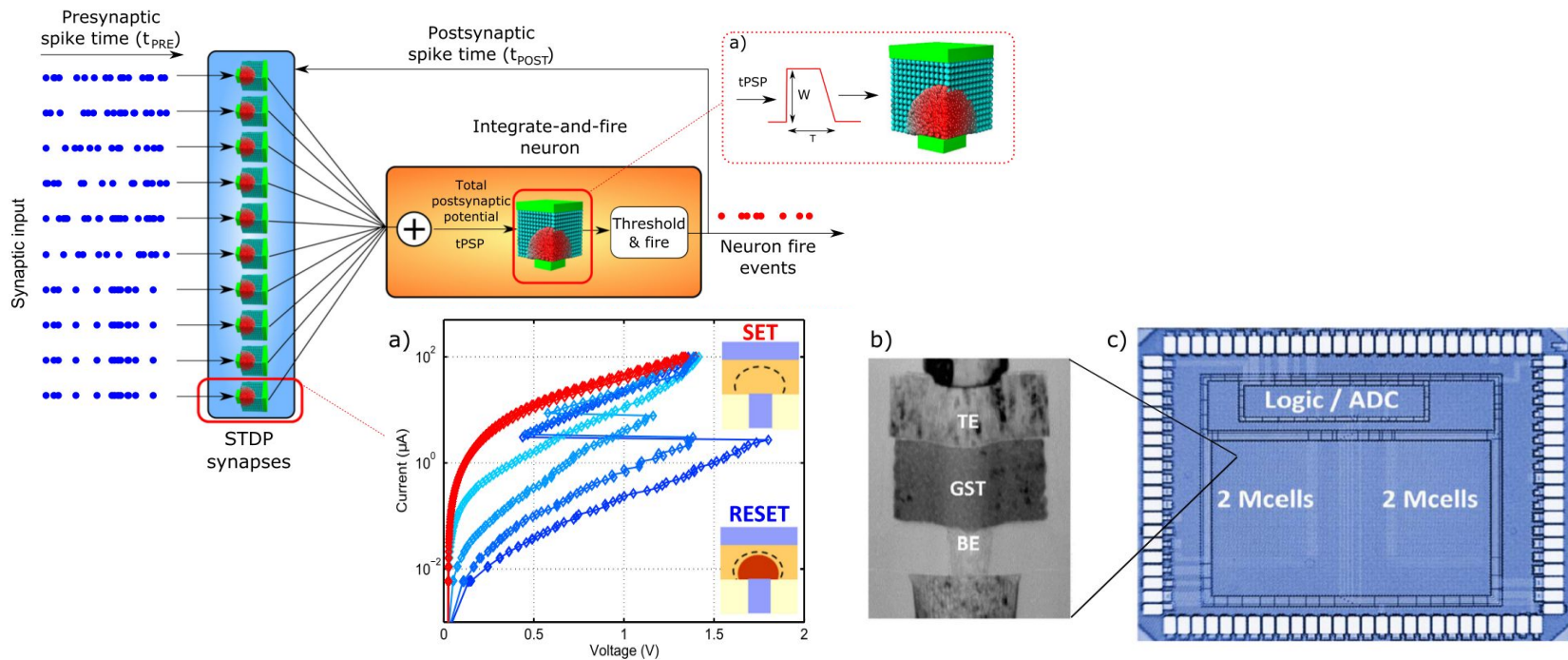


Memristor

“memory-resistor”

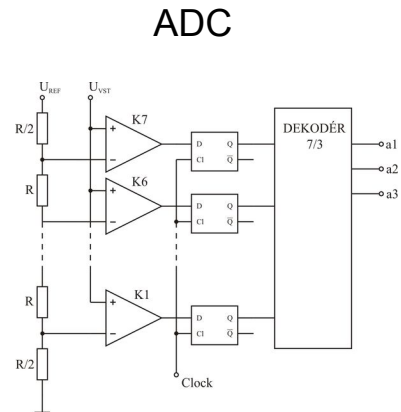
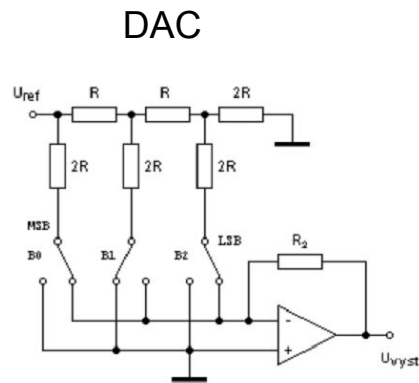
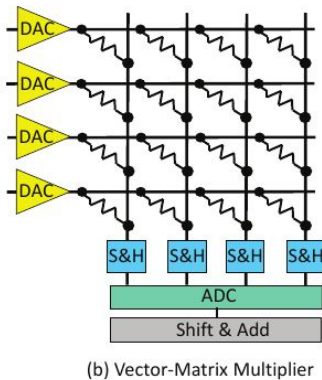
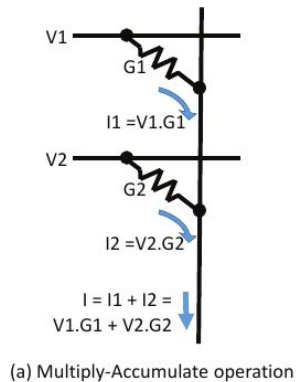


All-memristive neuromorphic computing



ISAAC: CNN accelerator

- 128 x 128 crossbar arrays
 - 450× speedup
 - 150× lower energy
- than an NVIDIA K20M GPU

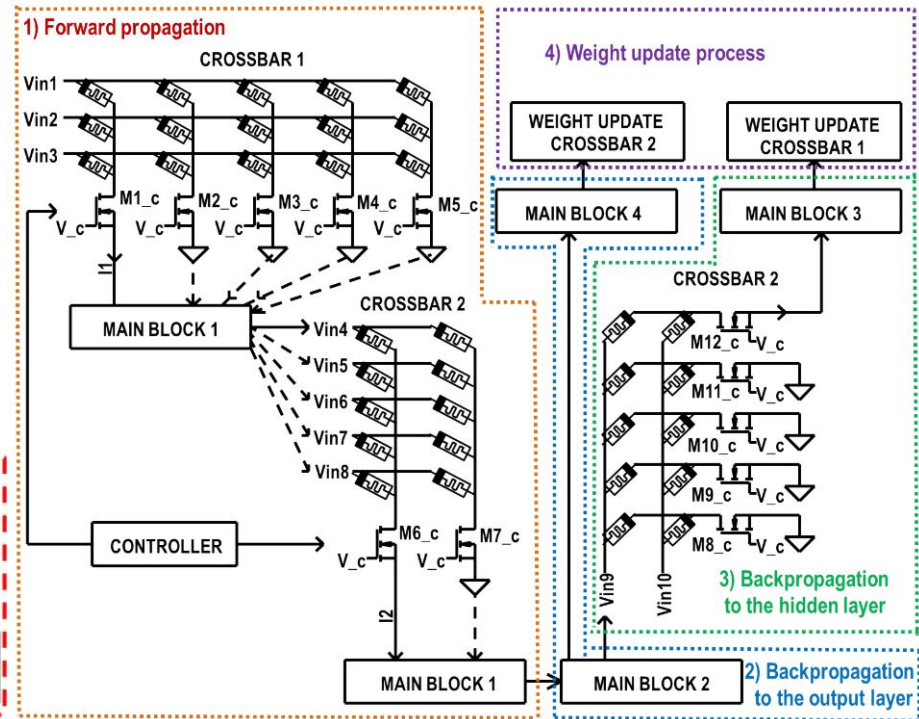
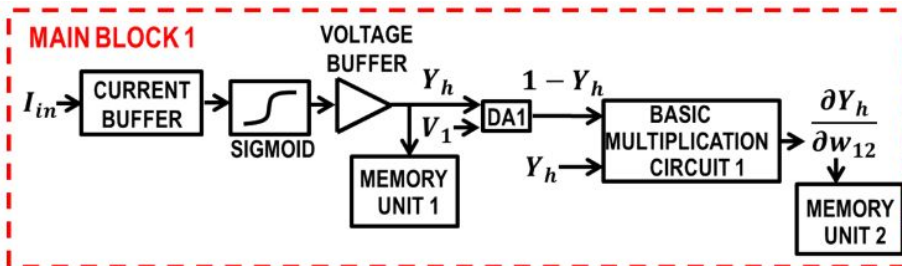


Learning

- Off-chip learning
- Chip-in-the-loop learning
- On-chip learning

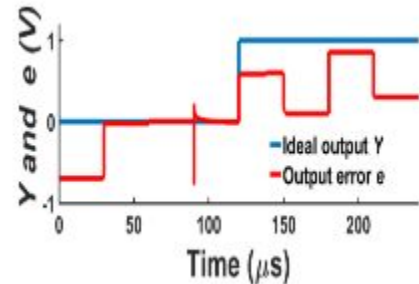
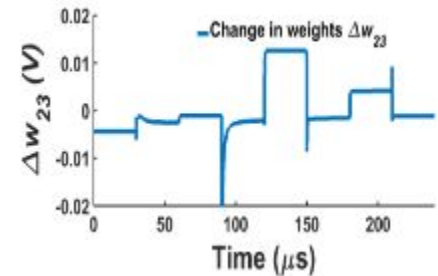
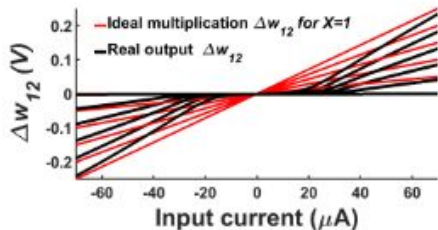
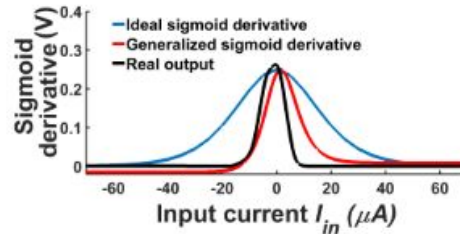
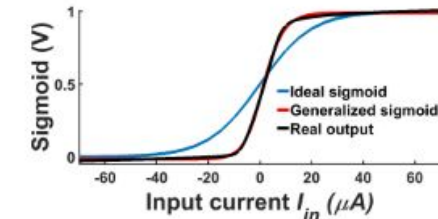
Backpropagation (2018)

- circuit design
- SPICE
- memristive crossbar
- 180nm CMOS



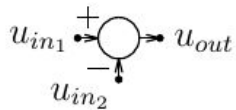
Backpropagation

- not ideal components
- hard to simulation

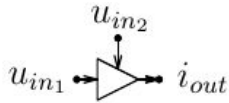


My research

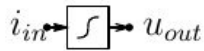
- on-chip design
- supervised learning
- all-analog



subtractor



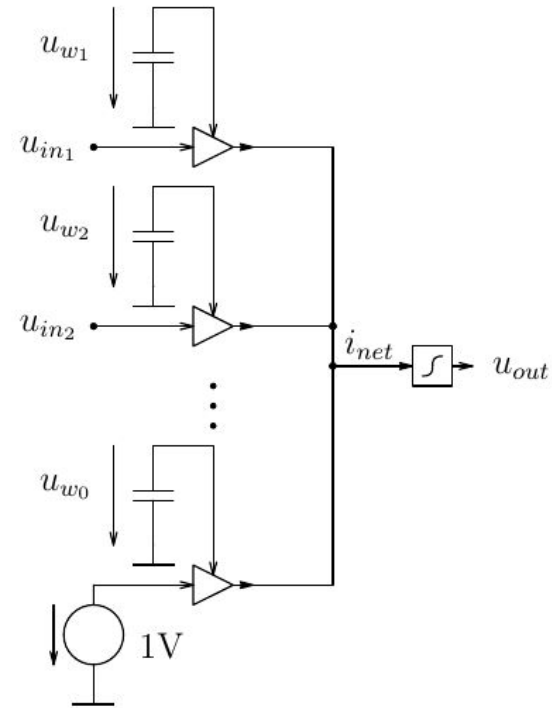
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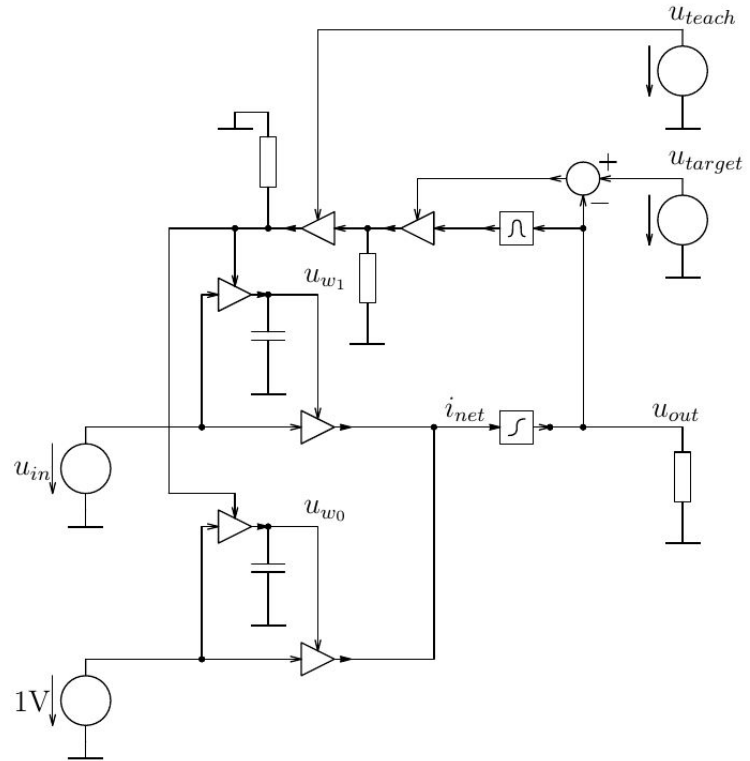


Backpropagation in perceptron

$$u_{w_{t+1}} = u_{w_t} - \eta \frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_{w_t}}$$

$$\frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_w} = \frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_{out}} \frac{\partial u_{out}}{\partial u_{net}} \frac{\partial u_{net}}{\partial u_w}$$

$$\frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_w} = (u_{out} - u_{teacher}) \frac{\partial u_{out}}{\partial u_{net}} u_{in}$$

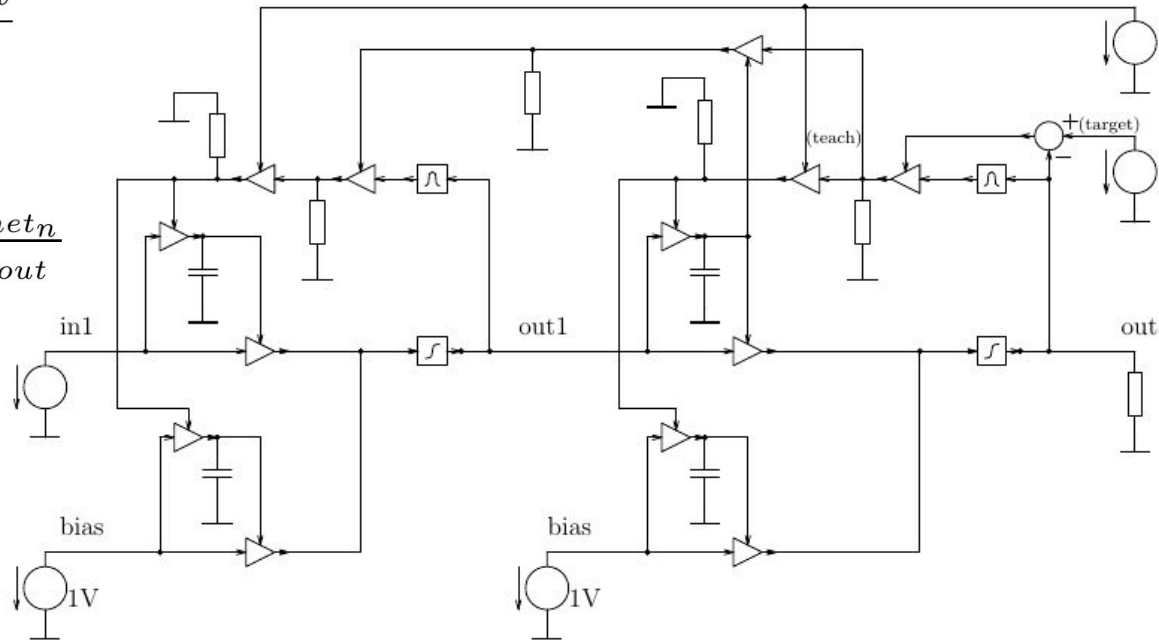


Backpropagation between layers

$$\frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_w} = \frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_{out}} \frac{\partial u_{out}}{\partial u_{net}} \frac{\partial u_{net}}{\partial u_w}$$

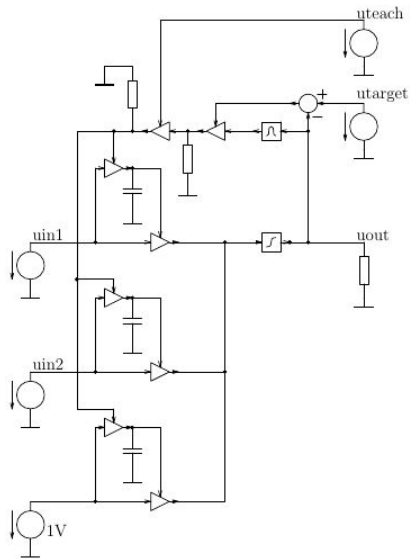
$$\frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_{out}} = \sum_n \frac{\partial E_{total}}{\partial u_{outn}} \frac{\partial u_{outn}}{\partial u_{netn}} \frac{\partial u_{netn}}{\partial u_{out}}$$

$$\frac{\partial u_{netn}}{\partial u_{out}} = u_{wn}$$



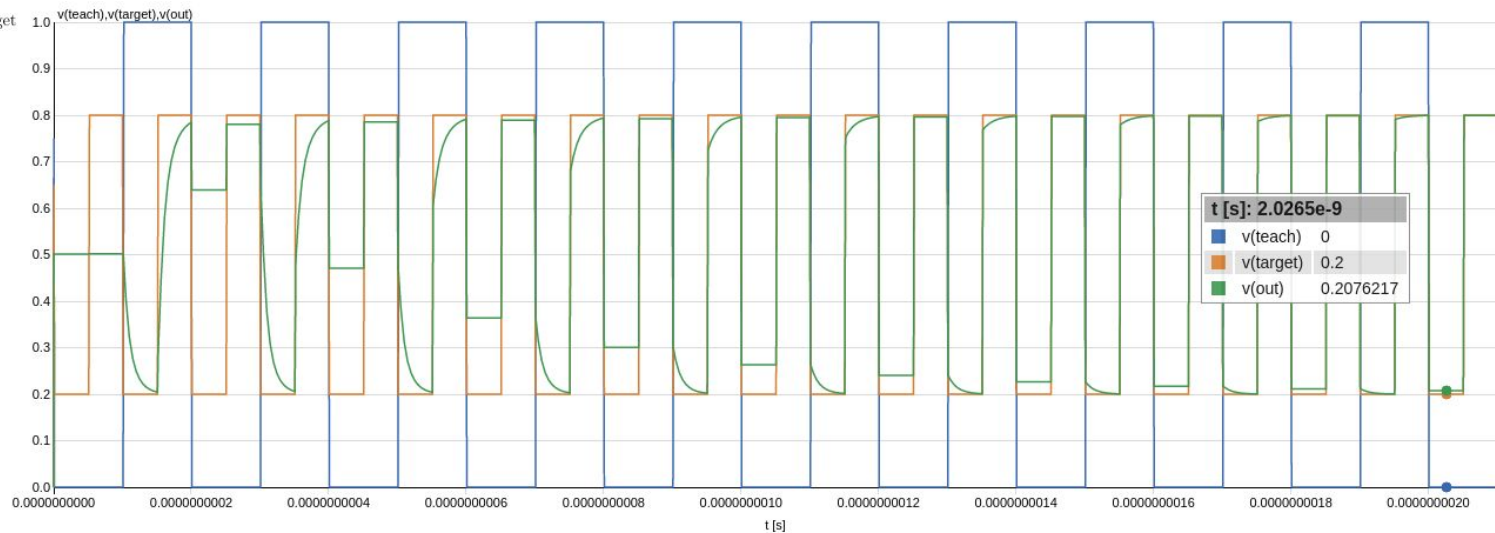
Simulation results

- SPICE



Tab. 1: Dataset č.1

u_{in1} [V]	u_{in2} [V]	u_{target} [V]
0.1	0.9	0.2
0.7	0.3	0.8



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