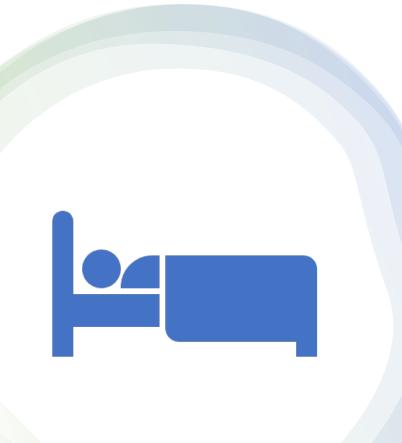
# Mice Sleep Staging from EEG and EMG signals

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# Introduction: Background and Motivation

#### **Sleep Staging and Its Importance**

- Sleep, a fundamental behavior with vast biological implications, is typically classified into stages: Wakefulness, REM, and non-REM.
- Understanding sleep stages is critical for both preclinical and clinical research, providing insights into sleep architecture and related disorders for mice.

## Introduction: Background and Motivation

Challenges in Sleep Staging

- Traditional methods are labor-intensive and require expertise, making automated solutions a necessity.
- However, current automated methods face challenges, such as larger resolution (4 sec -10 sec) and a lack of unified models that can handle various input sources.

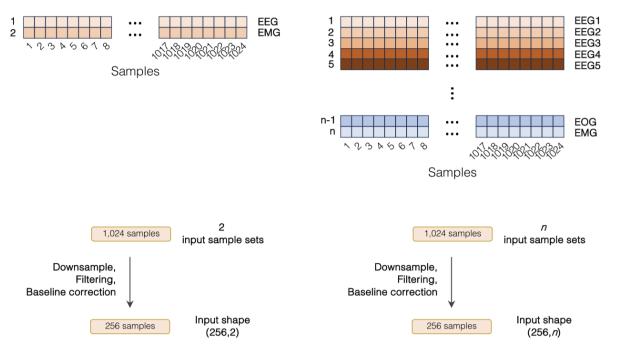
# Literture review

The research paper by Justus T. C. Schwabedal et al. focuses on sleep stage classification and EEG artifact detection in mice using a deep neural network model artifact-free data VS artifact data

Research by Akara Suprata et al. introduces a deep learning model that utilizes Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) to extract time-invariant features from raw single-channel EEG data



Human



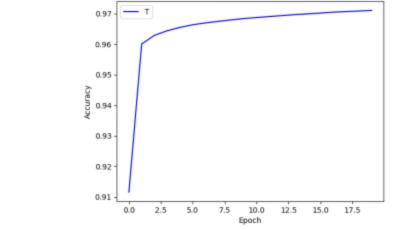
Connection between mice and human

# Baseline and Implement A novel approach- SlumberNet

Implementation of the SlumberNet

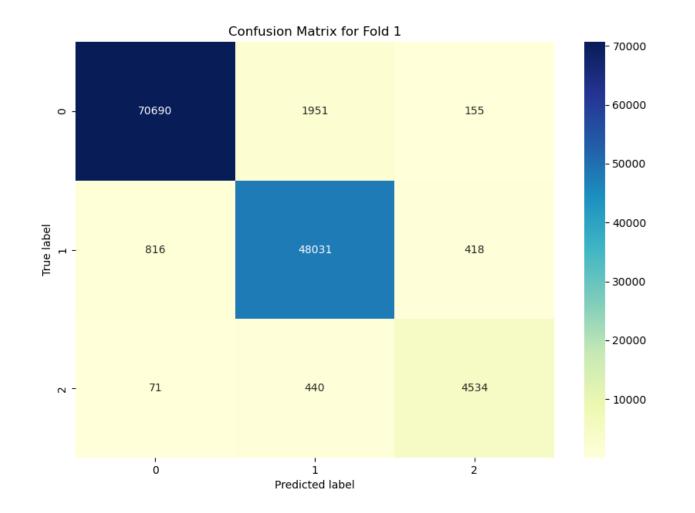
**Residual Neural Network** 

### Data preprocess



Model accuracy





### Dataset

#### **Data Collection**

- The dataset comprises electrophysiological time-series data, specifically EEG and EMG signals collected during sleep studies on mice.
- Expert annotations provide second-bysecond sleep stage labels corresponding to Wake, SWS (slow-wave sleep), or REM (rapid eye movement) states.

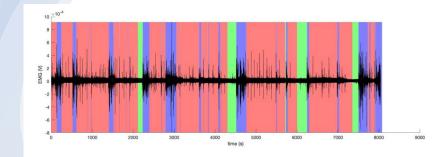
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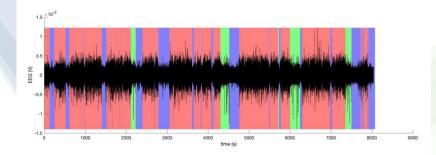
### ARTICLES

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### Memory-enhancing properties of sleep depend on the oscillatory amplitude of norepinephrine

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### Dataset

#### **Dataset Statistics**

- Subjects: Data from 8 mouse subjects, both male and female.
- Sampling Rate: EEG and EMG signals sampled at 512 Hz.
- Duration: Approximately 4 hours per subject, leading to millions of data points.
- Labels: Expert-scored stages for rigorous evaluation.

#### **Data Preprocessing**

- Irregularity Removal: Periods with uncertain stage classification are excluded to ensure data consistency.
- Notch filtering
- Bandpass filtering EEG (.5 to 70 Hz), EMG (1 to 250 Hz)
- Subject-wise Normalization: Signal normalization accounts for individual variability in electrophysiological signal features.
- Temporal Slicing: Signals are segmented into one-second epochs to match the temporal resolution of sleep stage labels.

# **CNN-based model**

#### **Design Approach**

Utilize 1D convolutional layers to extract temporal features from raw time-series data. Apply ReLU activation for non-linearity and Batch Normalization to stabilize training. Implement Dropout for regularization and to prevent overfitting.

#### **Architecture Components:**

#### Raw Signal Pathways (EEG & EMG):

- 1. Capture features from raw EEG and EMG signals.
- 2. Sequential layers of 1D convolutions with progressive downsampling.
- 3. Adaptive Average Pooling to convert feature maps into a flat vector.

#### Fourier Transformed Signal Pathways (FFT-EEG & FFT-EMG)

- 1. Process FFT-transformed signals to exploit frequency domain information.
- 2. Similar layer structure as raw signal pathways for feature extraction.

#### **Output Layer**

- 1. Concatenates outputs from all pathways.
- 2. Final classification performed with fully connected layers.

```
conv 1d(ni, nf, kernel size, stride, padding, drop=None):
   return nn.Sequential(
       nn.Conv1d(ni, nf, kernel size=kernel size, stride=stride, padding=padding),
       nn.PReLU().
       nn.BatchNorm1d(nf),
       nn.Dropout(drop) if drop else nn.Identity()
# Modify the Classifier class for regular 1<u>D convolutions</u>
class Classifier(nn.Module):
   def init (self, raw ni EEG, fft ni EEG, raw ni EMG, fft ni EMG, no, drop=.5):
        super().__init__()
        self.raw_EEG = nn.Sequential(
            conv 1d(raw ni EEG, 32, 8, 1, 3, drop=drop),
            conv 1d(32, 64, 3, 1, 1, drop=drop),
           conv 1d(64, 128, 8, 2, 2, drop=drop),
            conv 1d(128, 128, 3, 1, 1, drop=drop),
           conv 1d(128, 256, 8, 2, 2),
            conv 1d(256, 256, 3, 1, 1),
            nn.AdaptiveAvgPool1d(1),
            nn.Flatten(),
            nn.Dropout(drop).
            nn.Linear(256, 64),
            nn.PReLU(),
            nn.BatchNorm1d(64)
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# Result for CNN-based Approach

Class Name	Precision	1-Precision	Recall	1-Recall	f1-score
Awake	0.8414	0.1586	0.9321	0.0679	0.8844
NREM	0.9177	0.0823	0.8518	0.1482	0.8835
REM	0.4629	0.5371	0.5413	0.4587	0.4990

Training Set								
TARGET OUTPUT	Awake	NREM	REM	SUM				
32895 Awake 29.57%		6073 5.46%	127 0.11%	39095 84.14% 15.86%				
NREM	2258 2.03%	58863 52.91%	3019 2.71%	64140 91.77% 8.23%				
REM	138 0.12%	4169 3.75%	3712 3.34%	8019 46.29% 53.71%				
SUM	35291 93.21% 6.79%	69105 85.18% 14.82%	6858 54.13% 45.87%	95470 / 111254 85.81% 14.19%				

### Awake:NREM:RE M(4:8:1)

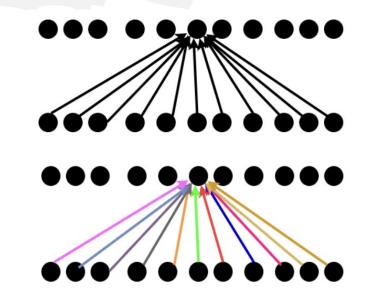
Mice	CNN-Based model
1	90.92
2	82.3
3	87.97
4	83.23
5	89.83
6	91.2
7	71.73
8	84.79
Avg	85.5

# Adding Attention mechanisms

- Using self-attention for contextual learning
  - le past/future stages affect probabilities of current stage

Architecture:

- Placed after 1D convolutional layers for more global context
- Tuned number of embeddings and heads for different datasets



Adaloglou, N., & Karagiannakos, S. (2020). https://theaisummer.com/attention/

## Adding Attention mechanisms

### **Results:**

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- Slight decrease in average accuracy:
  - 85.5% -> 84.65%
  - Limitation in dataset size

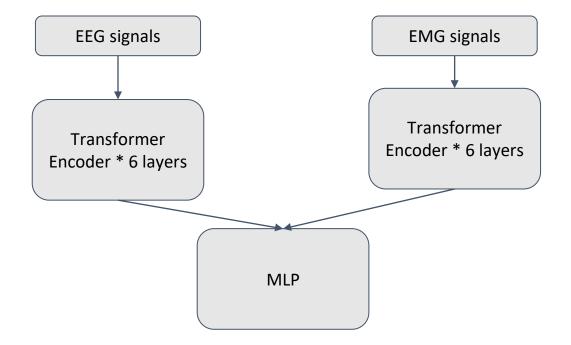
### - REM precision decreased

Class Name	Precision	1-Precision	Recall	1-Recall	f1-score				
Awake	0.7725	0.2275	0.8558	0.1442	0.8120				
NREM	0.9064	0.0936	0.8087	0.1913	0.8548				
REM	0.2667	0.7333	0.4084	0.5916	0.3227				

### Confusion matrix:

	Training Set								
TARGET OUTPUT	Awake	NREM	REM	SUM					
Awake	30202 27.14%	7219 6.49%	1674 1.50%	39095 77.25% 22.75%					
NREM	3389 3.05%	55895 50.24%	2383 2.14%	61667 90.64% <mark>9.36%</mark>					
REM	1700 1.53%	6001 5.39%	2801 2.52%	10502 26.67% 73.33%					
SUM	35291 85.58% 14.42%	69115 80.87% <mark>19.13%</mark>	6858 40.84% <mark>59.16%</mark>	88898 / 111264 79.90% 20.10%					

# Transformer-based model - Model architecture



## Transformer-based model - Results

Index	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Averag e
ACC (%)	77.88	85.20	62.25	51.42	80.37	84.29	82.27	84.76	76.05

Matrix	Avg-acc	Avg- precision	Avg-recall	avg- specificity	Avg-F1
Result	76.05%	0.5382	0.5307	0.8285	0.4997

### **Transformer-based model - discussion**

Result discussion:

Transformer-based models tend to underperform compared to traditional CNN-based models when data is limited, as transformers require larger datasets to achieve optimal results.

# Limitations

- Amount of data
  - Only 8 mice
  - Impacts attention and transformer performance
- Quality of data
  - Class imbalance
  - Impacts REM performance

# Future work

- Investigating different species of mice
  - General model
- Detecting changes in sleep stage
- Combine transformer and CNN models
- Generating synthetic data to overcome class imbalance
  - REM sleep data is limited

### Questions?