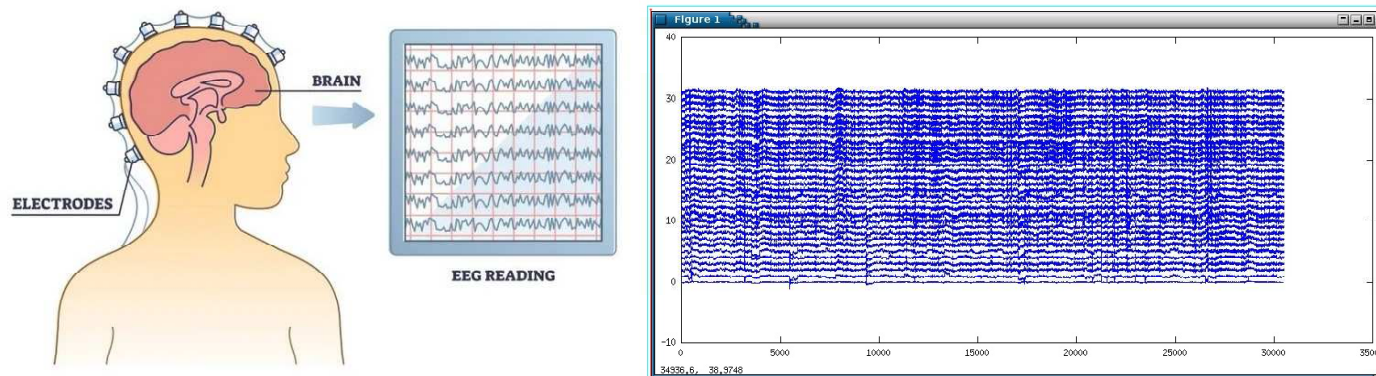




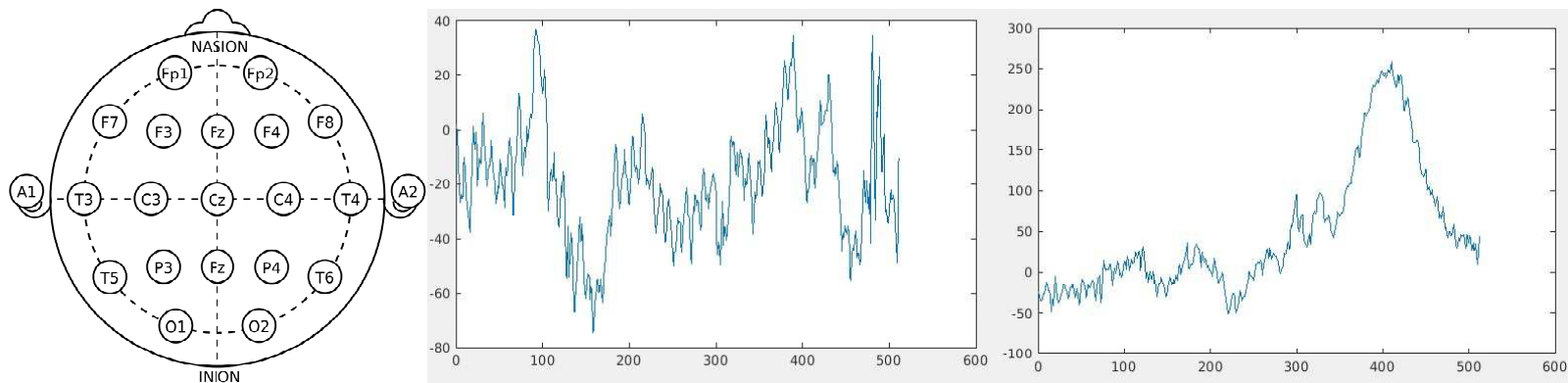
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  - Practical interpretation of fundamental matrix subspaces
  - Working with data in Octave/Matlab



**Figure 1.** Brain neurons transmit electrical signals recorded by electrodes placed on the skull

```
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>> hold on;  
    for j=1:n  
        plot(pdata(:,j));  
    end;  
    hold off;
```

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- Modeling competition (2017 NIH sponsored \$20,000 first prize)
- Realistic data set (Univ. Siena). Data from 10-20 system.



**Figure 2.** Electrode placement, normal EEG, epileptic seizure EEG (PN12-3, t=800, t=950)

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