



IEEE-NNC welcomes IEEE Computer Society and IEEE Power Engineering Society

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This year, the Neural Networks Council was joined by two of IEEE's largest societies: the IEEE Computer Society and the IEEE Power Engineering Society. In 1991, there were a total of 340,289 IEEE members. In terms of technical activities, there are thirty-seven technical societies and councils in IEEE. Ten of the societies formed the charter membership of the IEEE Neural Networks Committee in 1987. The Committee matured into the IEEE Neural Networks Council in 1990 and was joined by the Oceanic Engineering Society and Industry Applications Society.

The sum of memberships of society members of the NNC totals 232,633. Many IEEE members join two or more societies. Conserva-

tively, though, over half of IEEE members form the constituency of the NNC.

Society Members of the IEEE NNC and Their 1991 memberships.

•Circuits and Systems	16,612
•Communications	33,583
•Control Systems	11,734
•Computer	73,231
•Engineering in Medicine and Biology	8,348
•Industrial Applications	11,276
•Industrial Electronics	6,270
•Information Theory	6,608
•Lasers and Electro-Optics	7,009
•Oceanic Engineering	2,314
•Power Engineering	25,105
•Robotics and Automation	6,817
•Signal Processing	16,909
•Systems, Man & Cybernetics	6,817