

## Operant conditioning

- Operant conditioning chamber
- Operant behavior
- Positive reinforcement



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Example: The operant conditioning chamber is an experimental apparatus that precisely measures intentional behaviors and the resulting consequences to study learning processes. In this example, the rat learns to press the lever as an operant behavior (see the tip of the rat's nose). Positive reinforcement occurs when the lever press is followed by a food reward. This reinforcement strengthens the operant behavior.

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