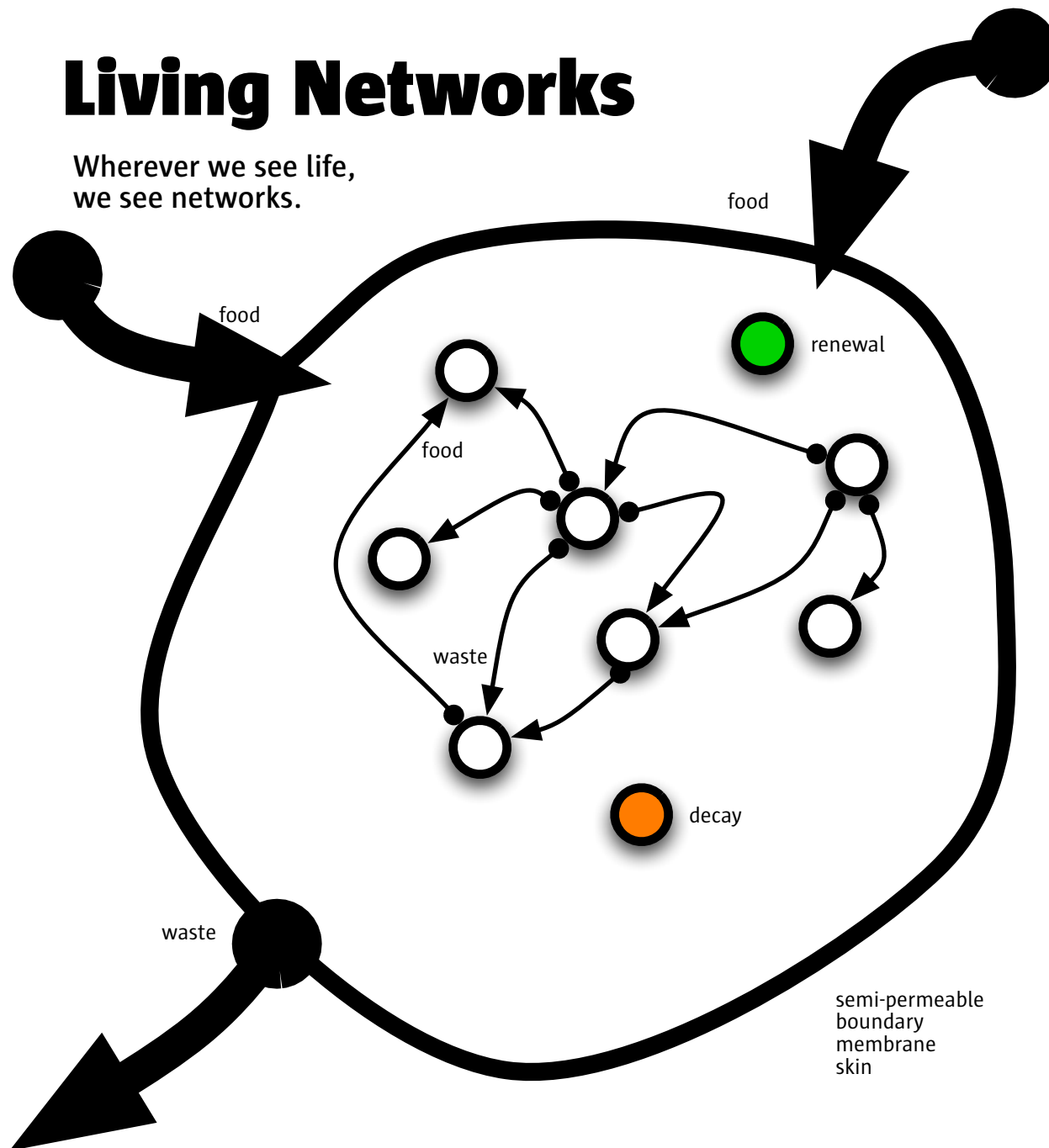


Living Networks

Wherever we see life,
we see networks.



Social networks

First and foremost communication.

Symbolic languages.

Context-dependent meaning.

Cultural boundaries.

Relationships of power.

Shared body of knowledge.

Communities of practice.

Networks of networks.

Web of life & Metabolism

Self-generating.

Boundaries of identity (not boundaries of separation).

Ceaseless flow of energy and matter.

Continuous generate, repair and perpetuate itself.

Waste of one is food for another.

Functional networks: relationships between various processes.