

Multiple Access Channel with Partial and Controlled Cribbing Encoders

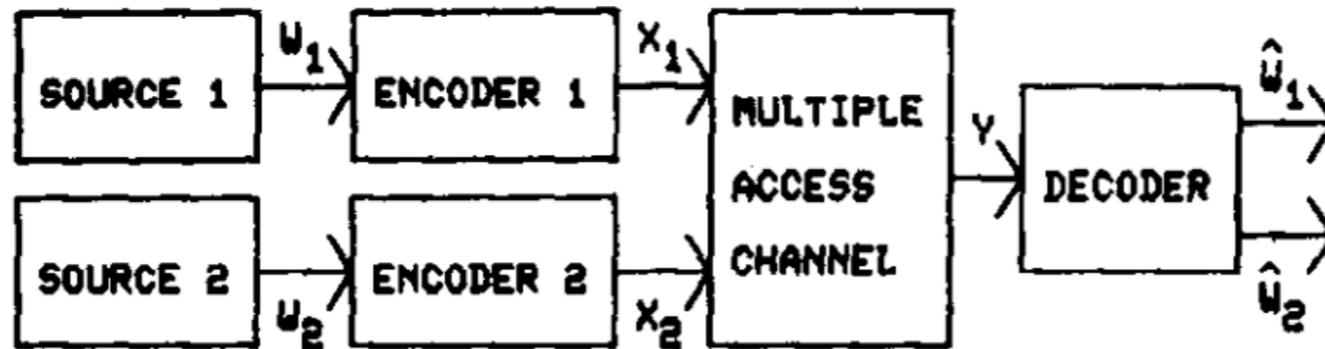
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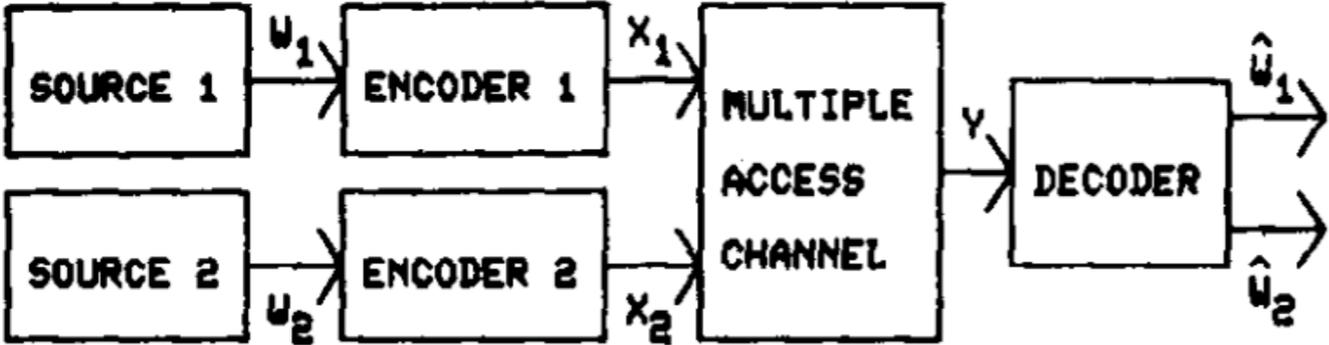
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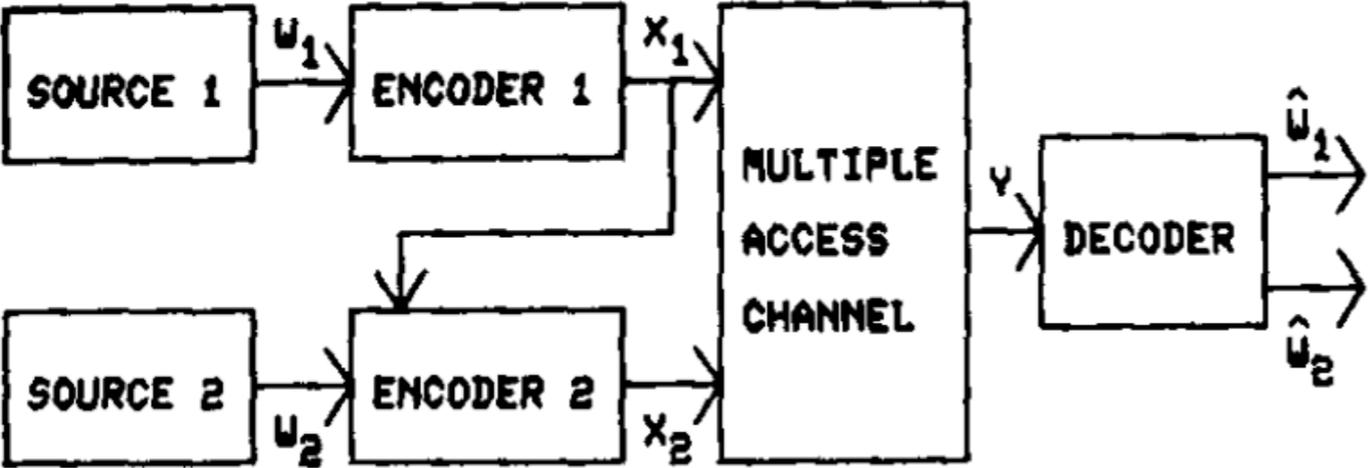
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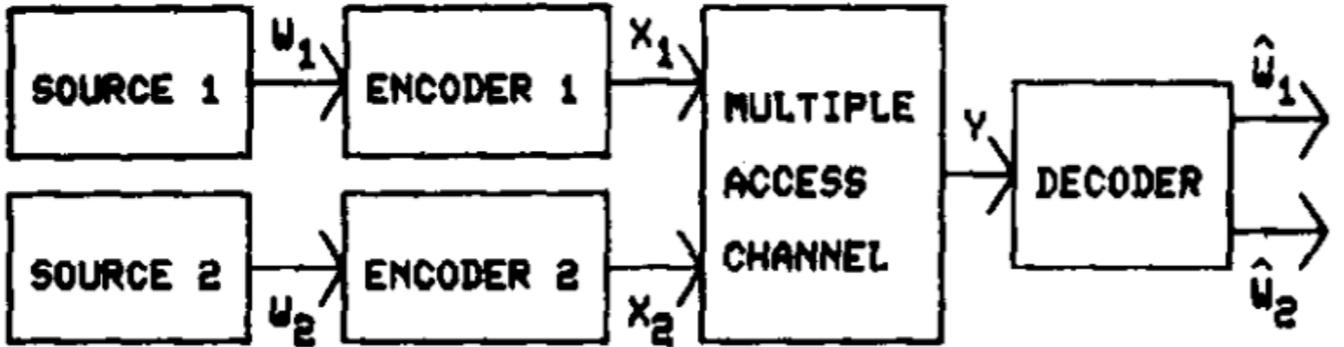
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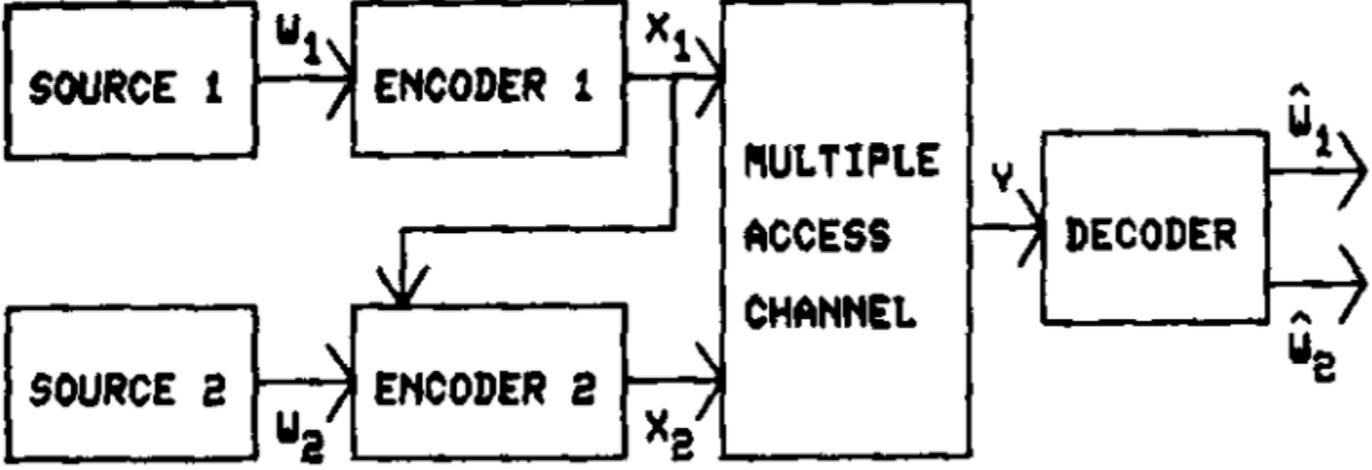
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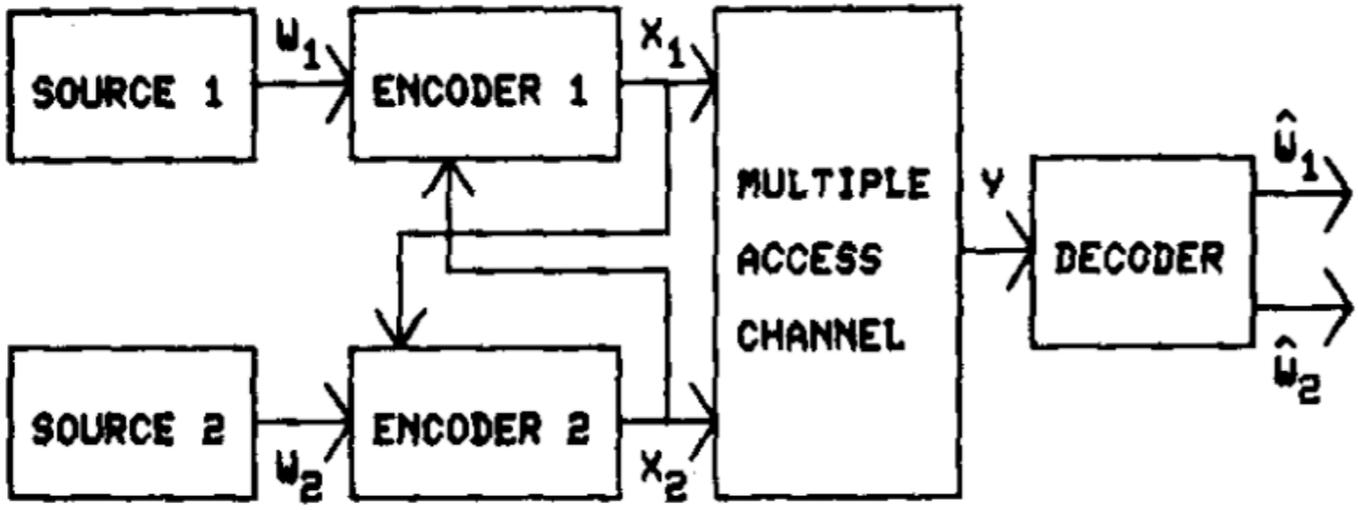
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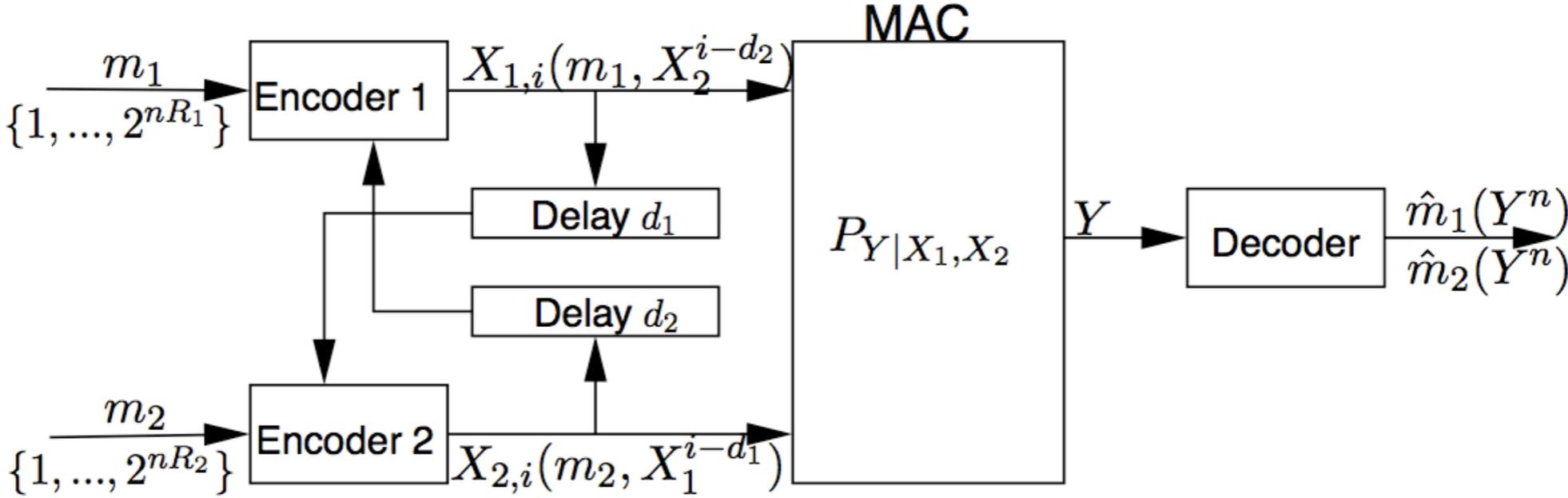
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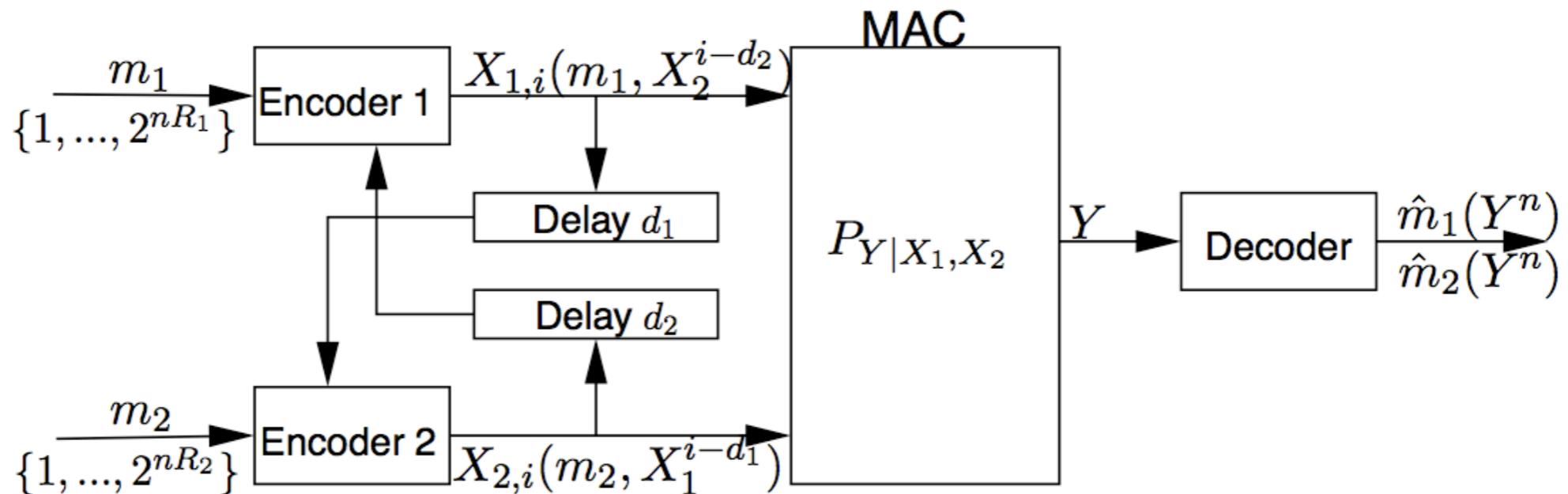
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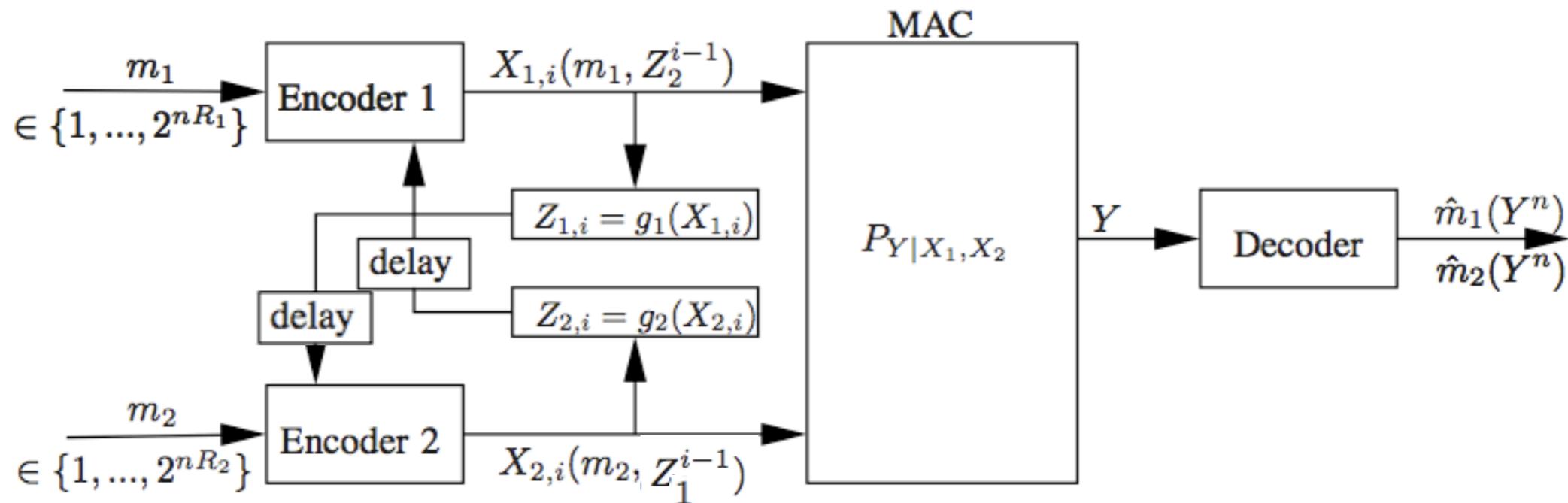
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- Motivation : Cognitive Radio, Cooperation, Relay.
- Cribbing with State [BrossLapidoth10]
- Interference Channel with Cribbing Encoder [BrossSteinbergTinguely10]
- Trivial for Gaussian [Willems05]

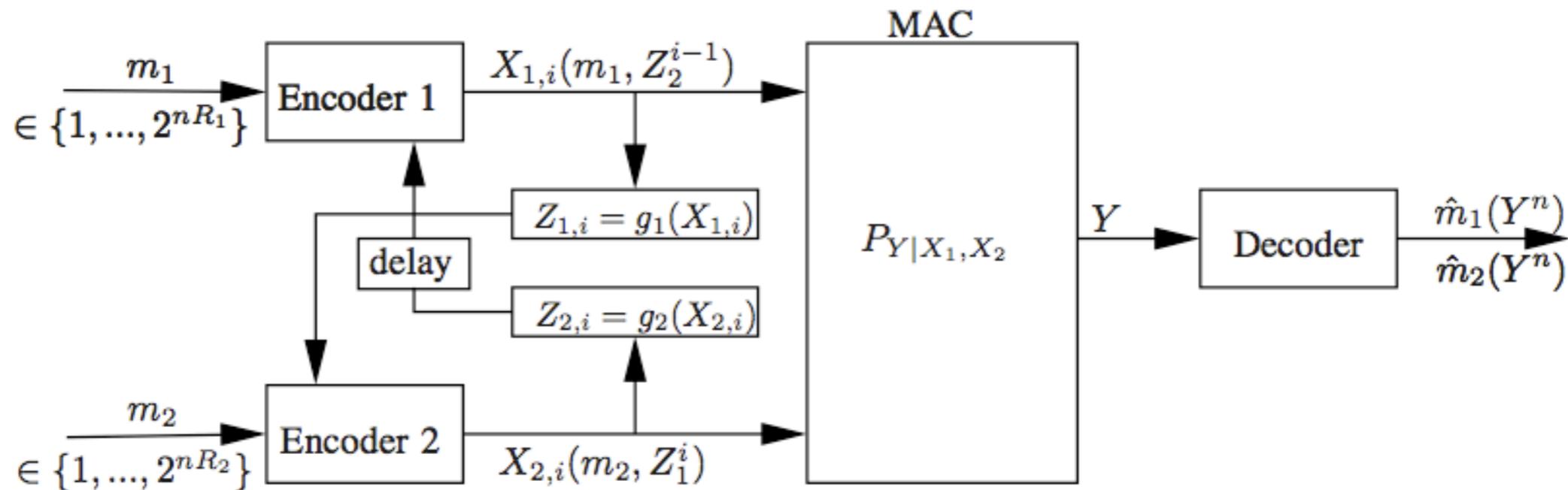
Partial (deterministic-function) Cribbing

Case A : The cribbing at both encoders is *strictly causal*.



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Case B : The cribbing at one encoder is *strictly causal* and at other encoder is *causal*.



Strictly Causal Cribbing (Case A)

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$$\mathcal{R}_A = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} R_1 \leq H(Z_1|U) + I(X_1; Y|X_2, Z_1, U), \\ R_2 \leq H(Z_2|U) + I(X_2; Y|X_1, Z_2, U), \\ R_1 + R_2 \leq I(X_1, X_2; Y|U, Z_1, Z_2) + H(Z_1, Z_2|U), \\ R_1 + R_2 \leq I(X_1, X_2; Y), \text{ for} \\ P(u)P(x_1, z_1|u)P(x_2, z_2|u)P(y|x_1, x_2). \end{array} \right.$$

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Mixed Strictly Causal and Causal Cribbing (Case B)

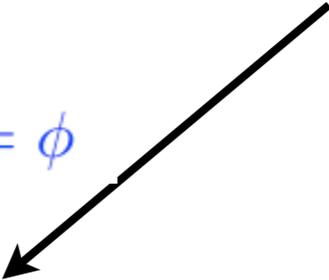
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MAC with perfect cribbing

Achievability Outline : Coding Techniques Used

- Block Markov Coding.
- Superposition Coding.
- Shannon Strategies.
- Backward Decoding.
- Rate Splitting.

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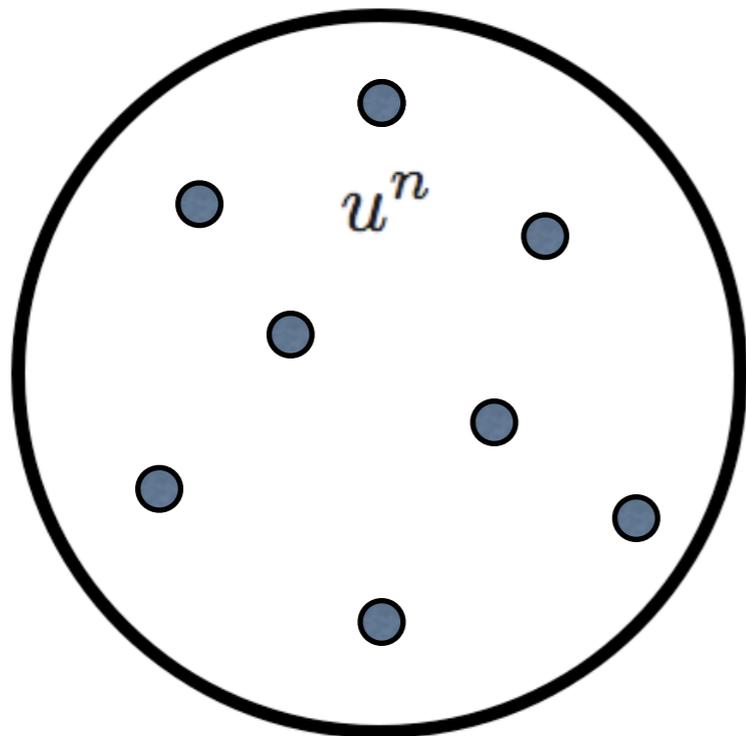
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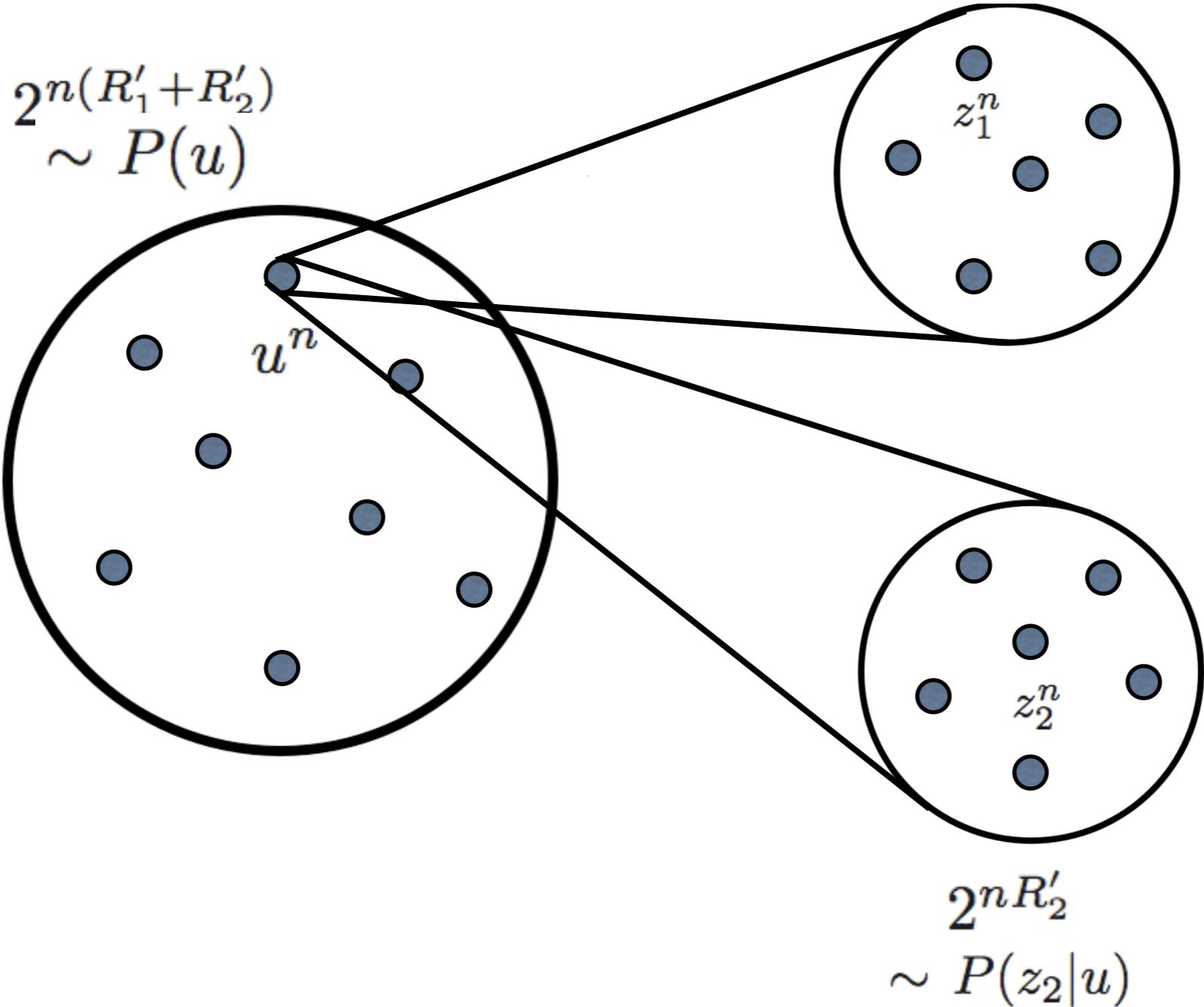


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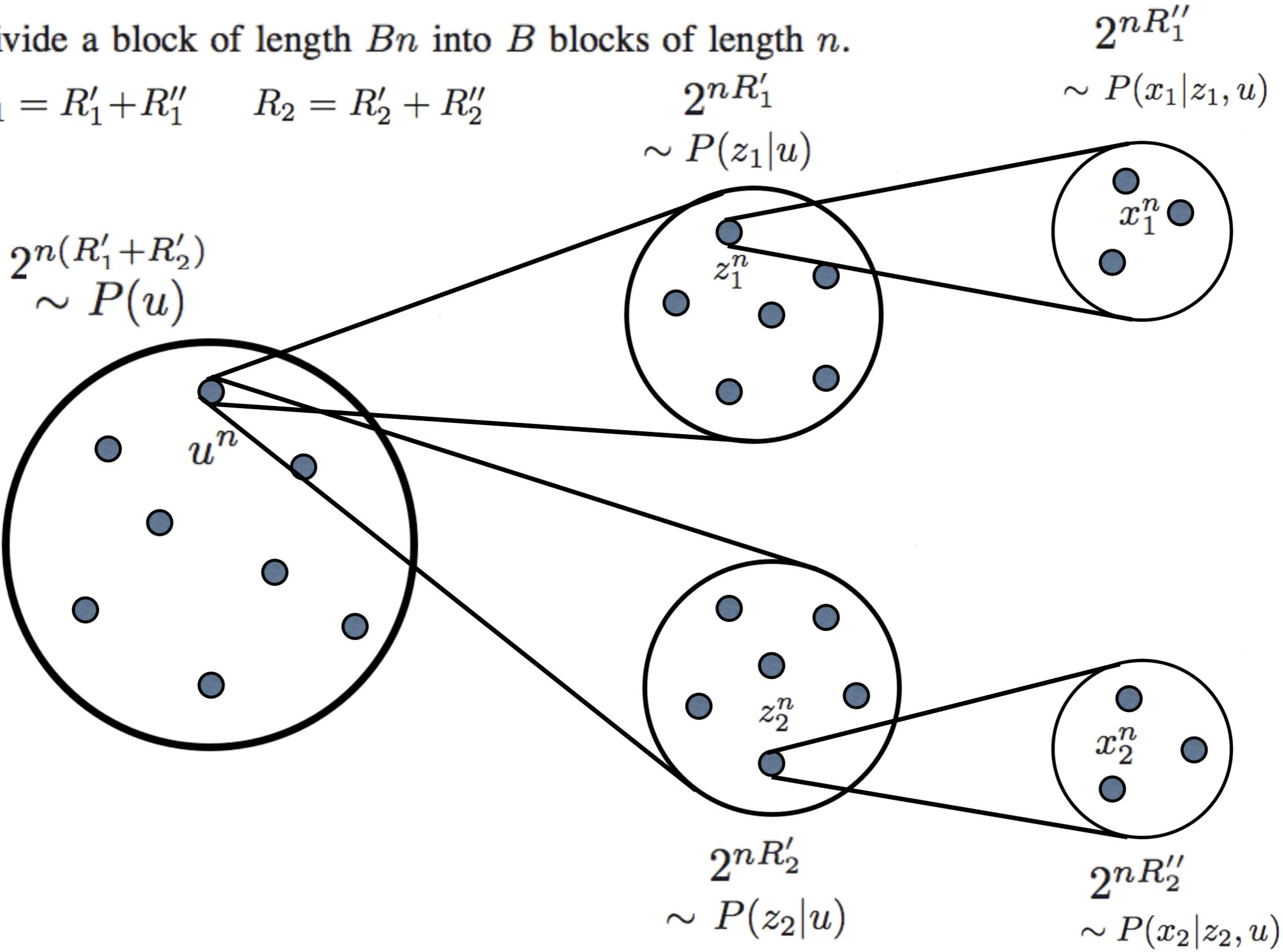
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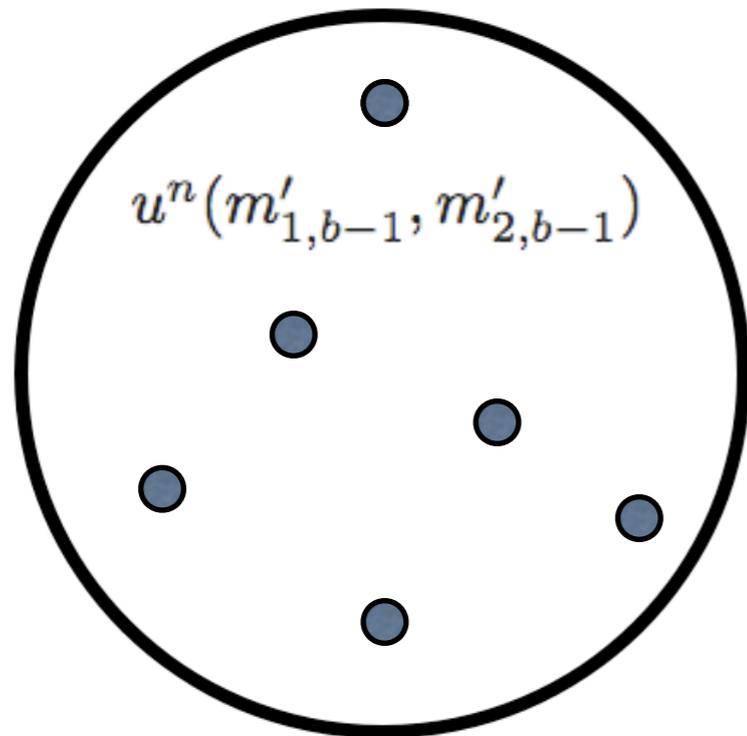


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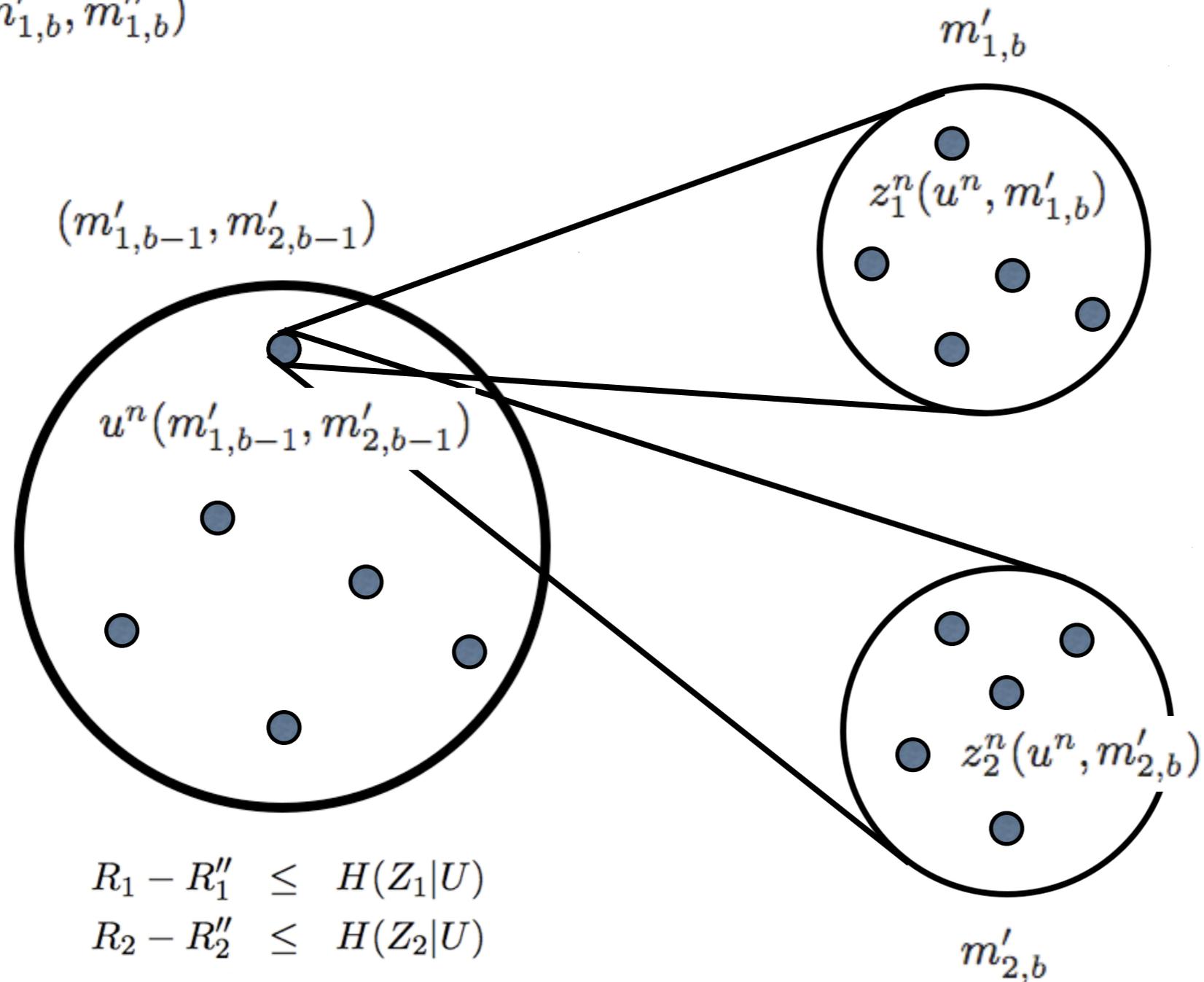
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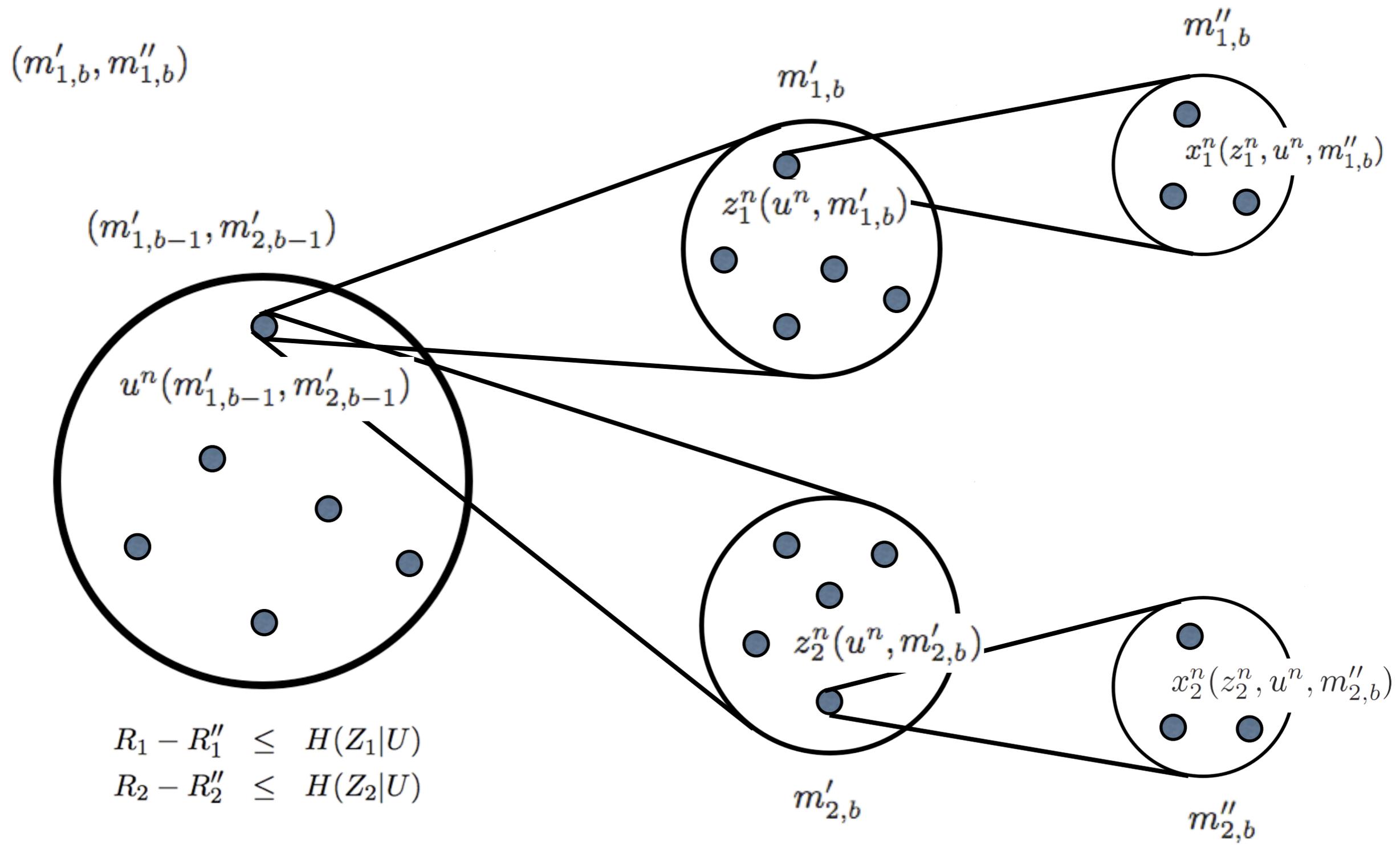


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at block b it looks for $(\hat{m}'_{1,b-1}, \hat{m}'_{2,b-1})$, $\hat{m}''_{1,b}$ and $\hat{m}''_{2,b}$ for which

$$(u^n(\hat{m}'_{1,b-1}, \hat{m}'_{2,b-1}), z_1^n(u^n, m'_{1,b}), z_2^n(u^n, m'_{2,b}), x_1^n(z_1^n, u^n, \hat{m}''_{1,b}), x_2^n(z_2^n, u^n, \hat{m}''_{2,b})) \\ \in T_\epsilon^{(n)}(U, Z_1, Z_2, X_1, X_2, Y)$$

Achievability Outline : Error Analysis (Case A)

$$R_1 - R_1'' \leq H(Z_1|U),$$

$$R_2 - R_2'' \leq H(Z_2|U),$$

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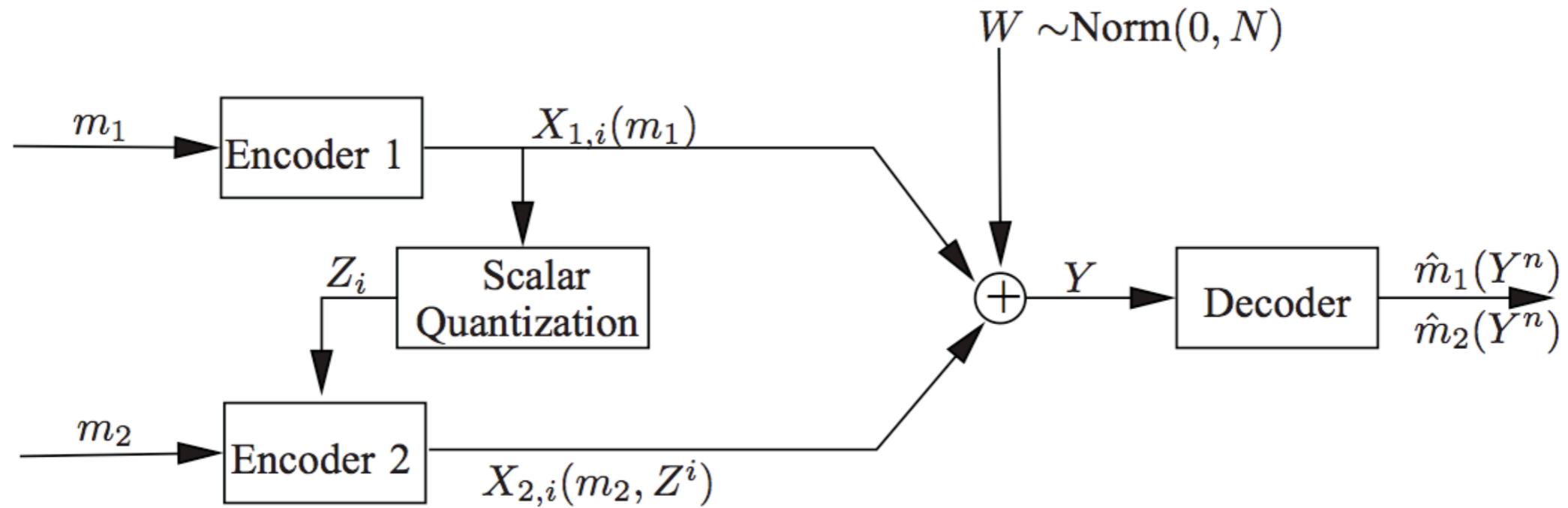
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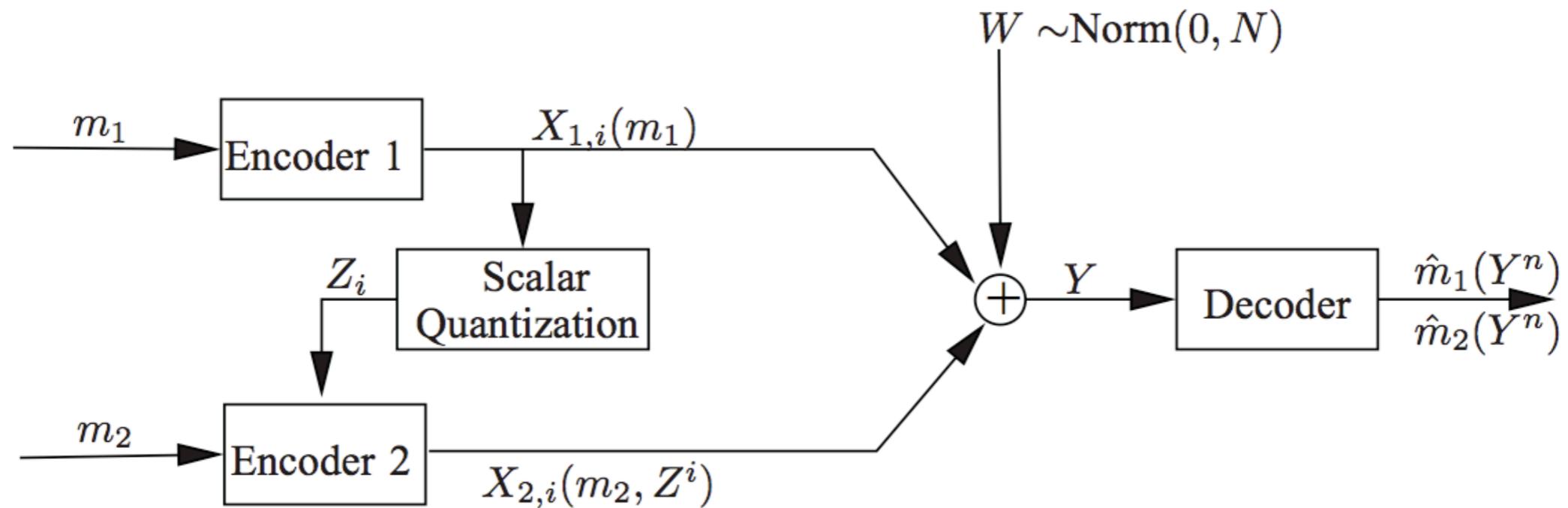
Using Fourier–Motzkin elimination

$$\begin{aligned}R_1 - H(Z_1|U) &\leq I(X_1; Y|X_2, Z_1, U), \\R_2 - H(Z_2|U) &\leq I(X_2; Y|X_1, Z_2, U), \\R_1 - H(Z_1|U) + R_2 - H(Z_2|U) &\leq I(X_1, X_2; Y|Z_1, Z_2, U), \\R_1 + R_2 &\leq I(X_2, X_1; Y),\end{aligned}$$

Additive White Gaussian MAC with Quantized Cribbing



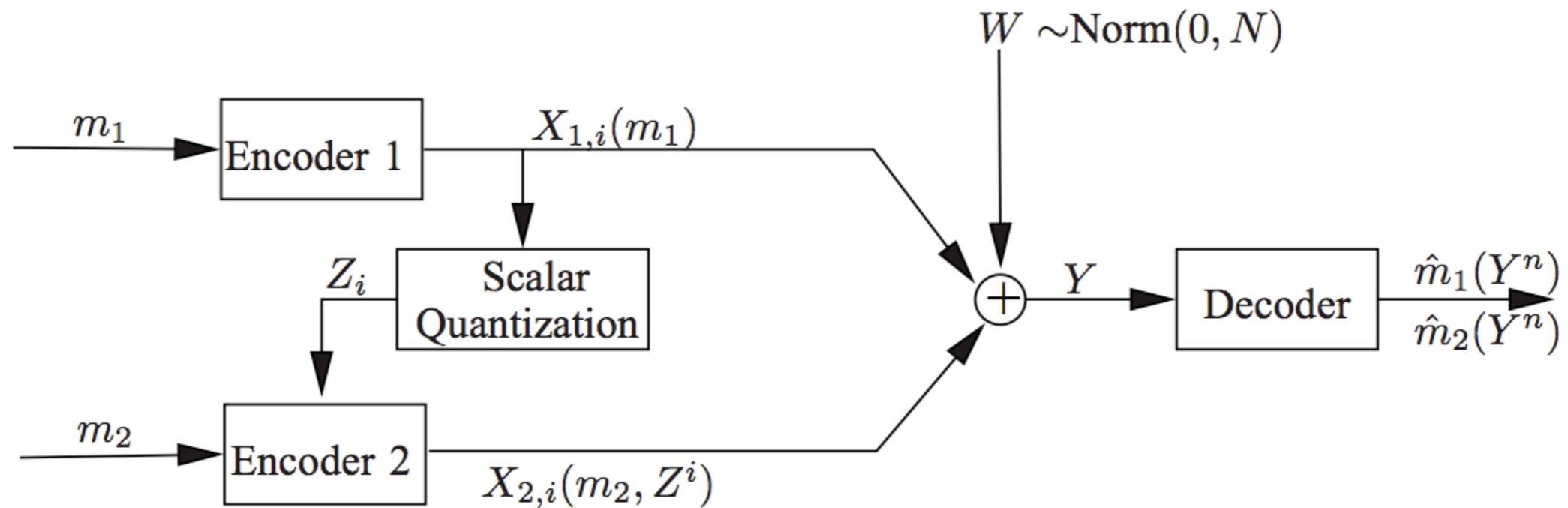
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$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E[X_{1,i}^2] \leq P_1$$

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E[X_{2,i}^2] \leq P_2$$

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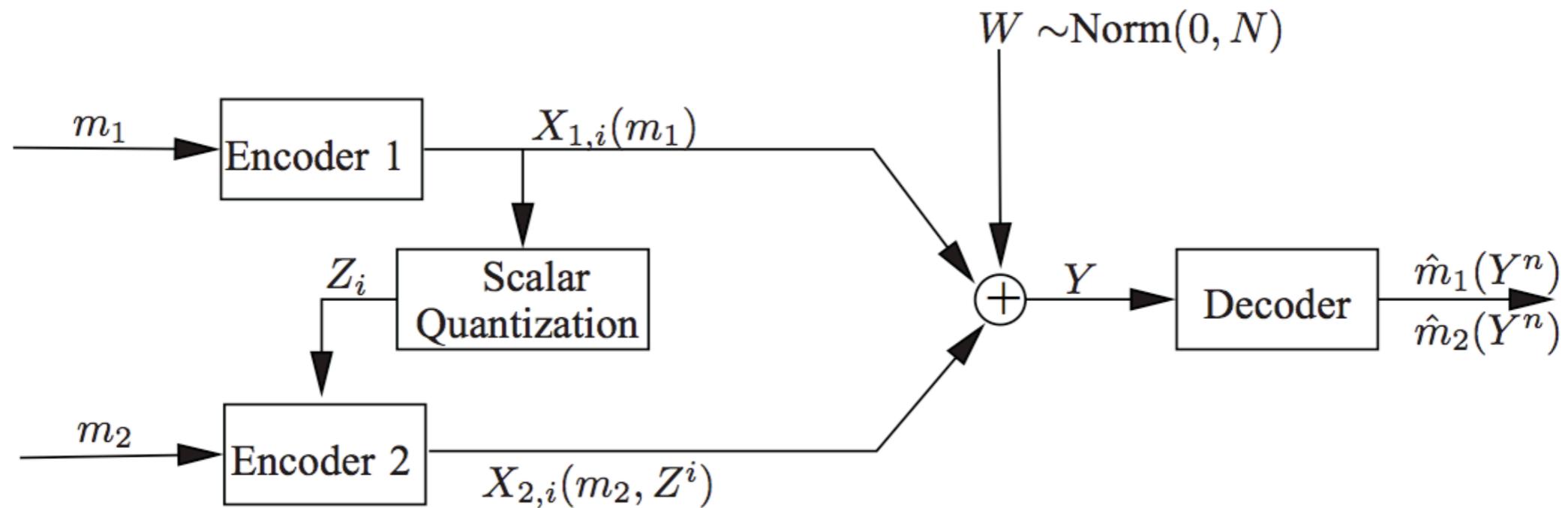
No Cooperation

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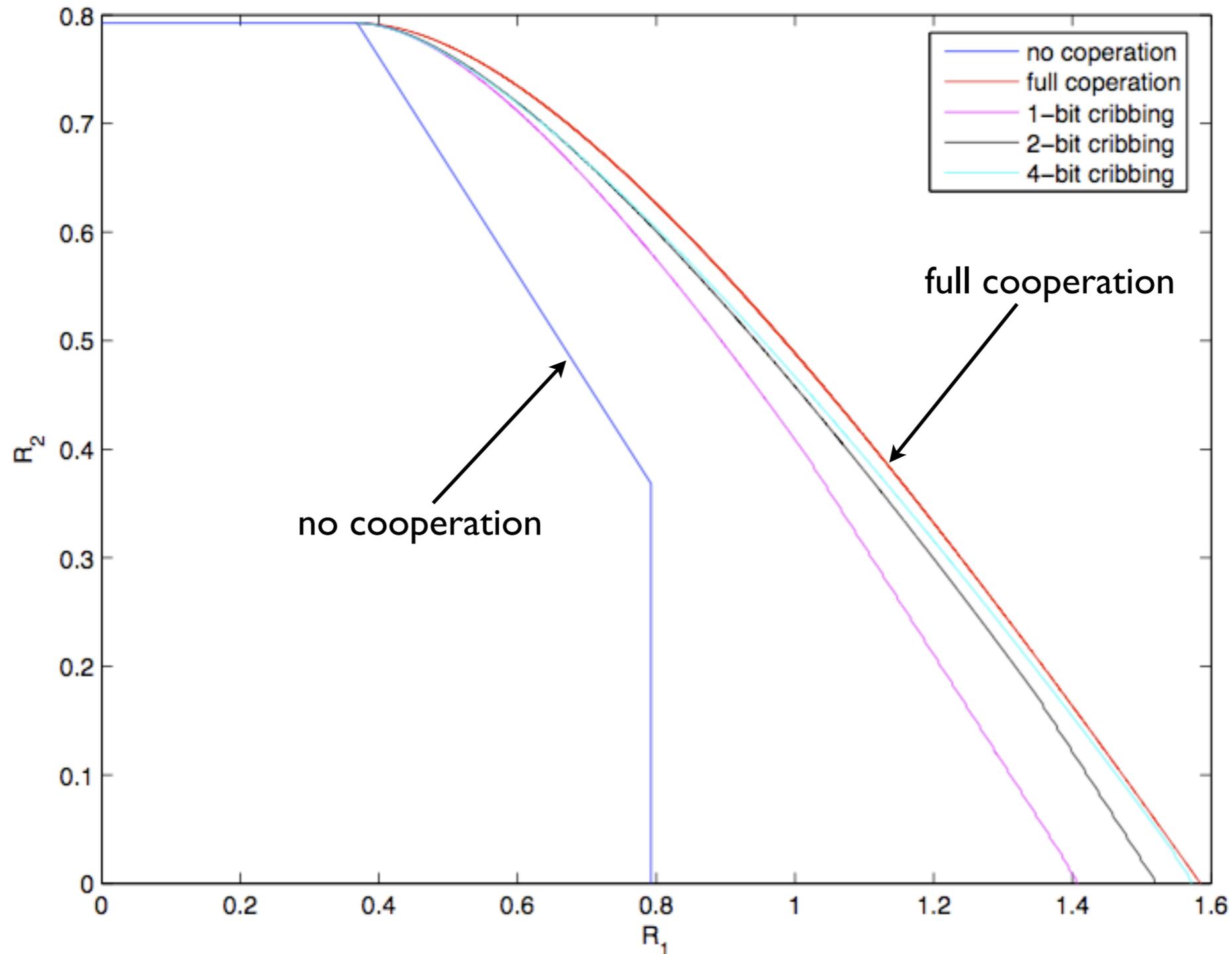
Full Cooperation

the capacity is the union over $0 \leq \rho \leq 1$ of the regions

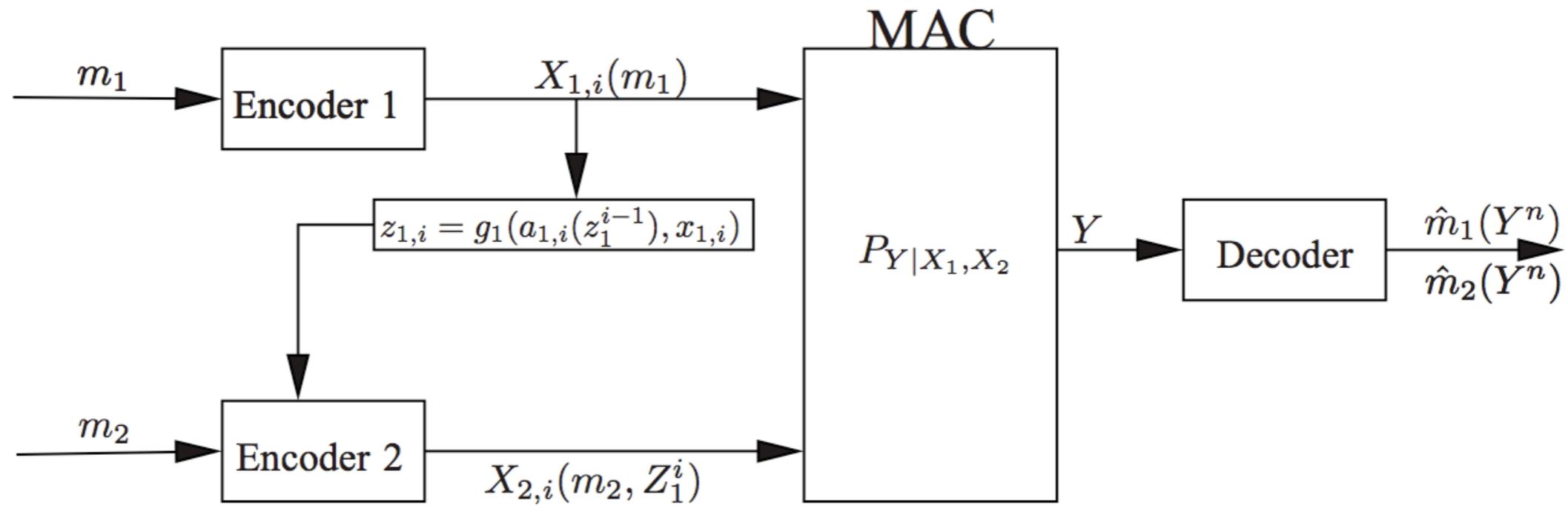
$$R_2 \leq \frac{1}{2} \log \left(1 + \frac{P_2}{N} (1 - \rho^2) \right)$$

$$R_1 + R_2 \leq \frac{1}{2} \log \left(1 + \frac{P_1 + 2\rho\sqrt{P_1P_2} + P_2}{N} \right)$$

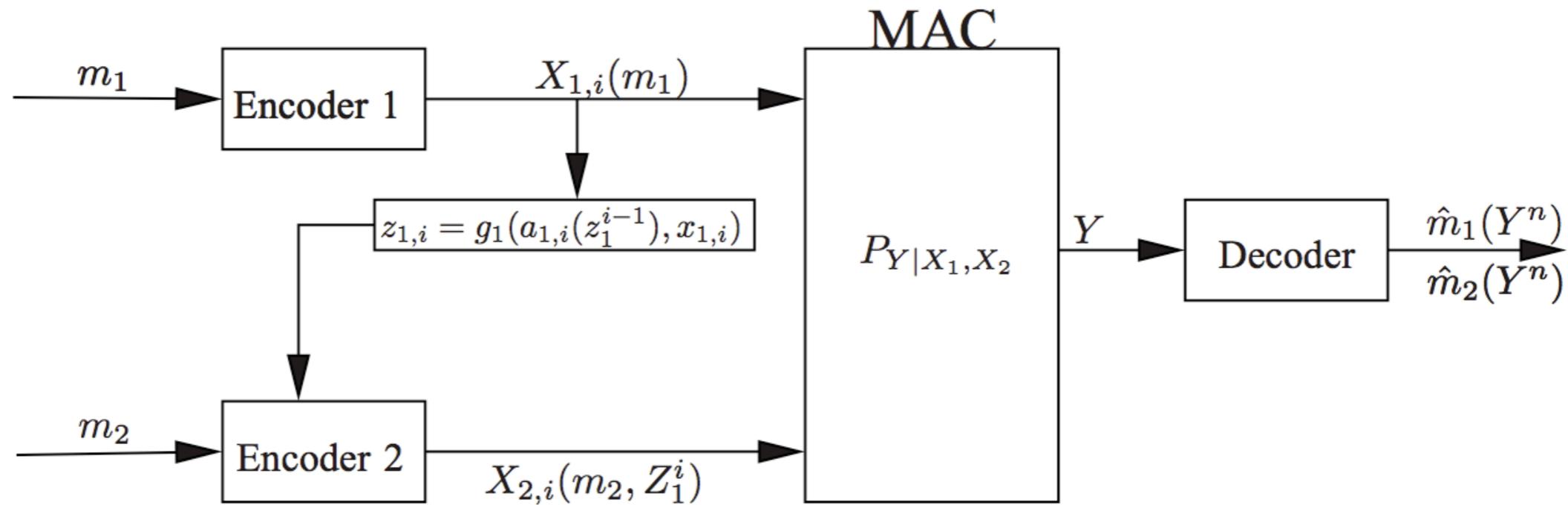
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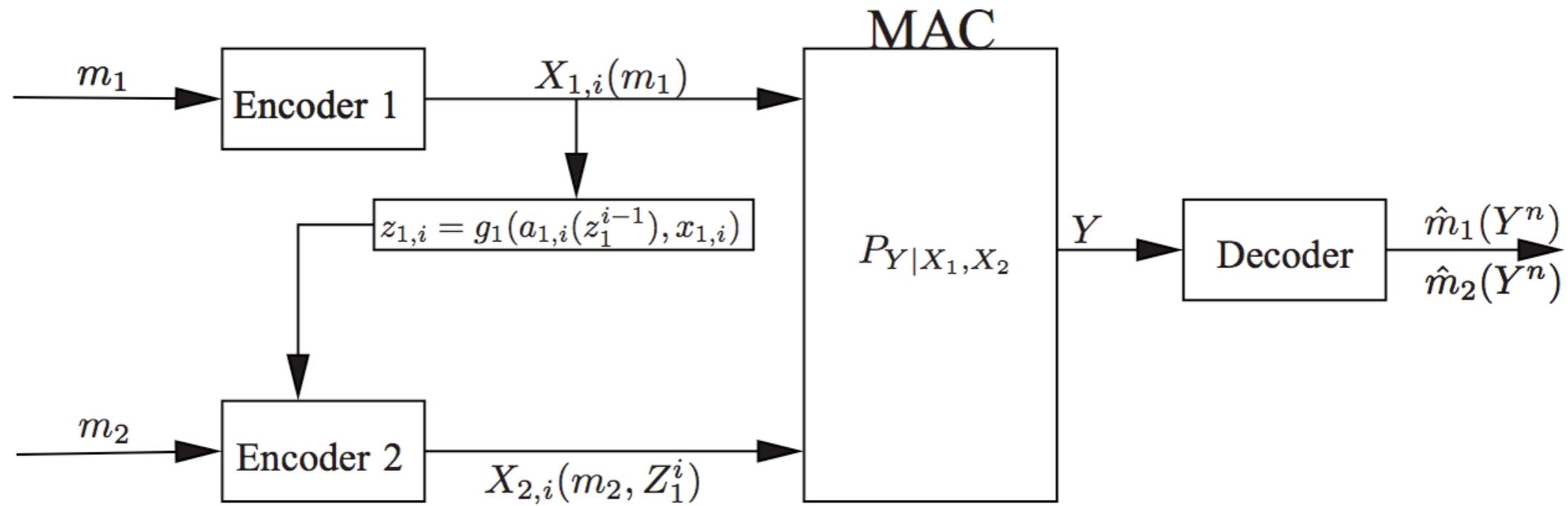
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Case A $f_{2,i} : \{1, \dots, 2^{nR_2}\} \times \mathcal{Z}_1^{i-1} \mapsto X_{2,i},$

Case B $f_{2,i} : \{1, \dots, 2^{nR_2}\} \times \mathcal{Z}_1^i \mapsto X_{2,i},$

Controlled Cribbing



$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E[\Lambda_1(A_{1,i})] \leq \Gamma_1$$

Case A : Strictly Causal Controlled Cribbing

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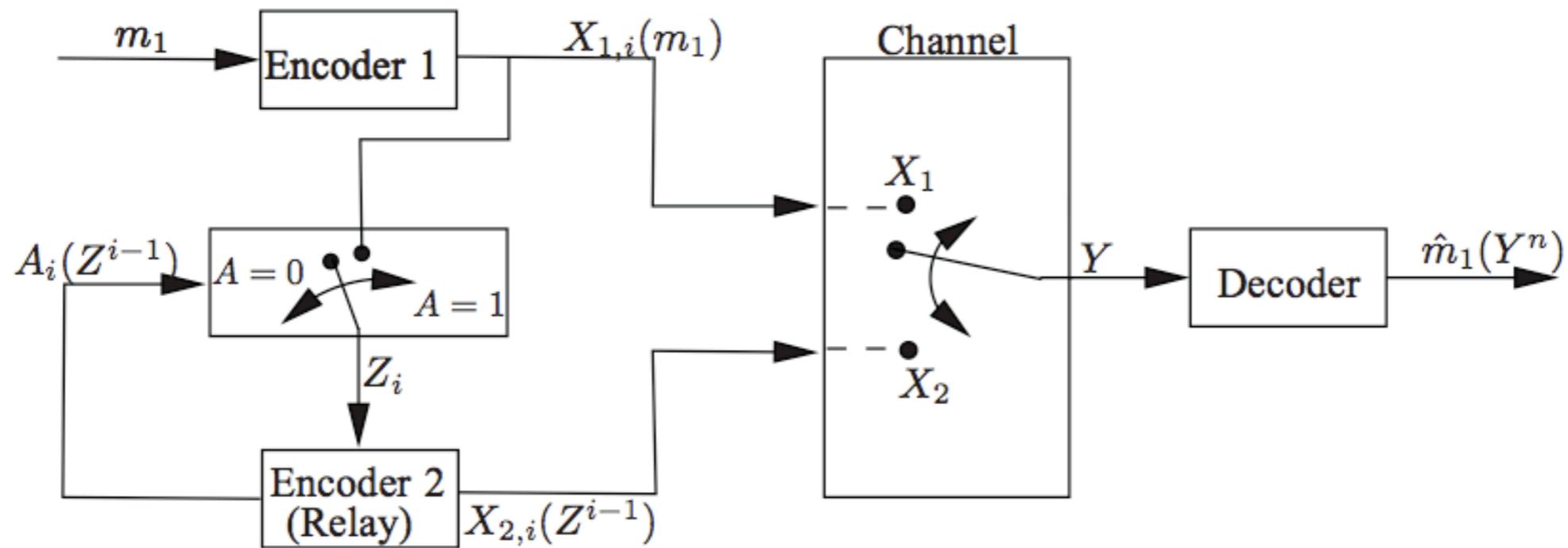
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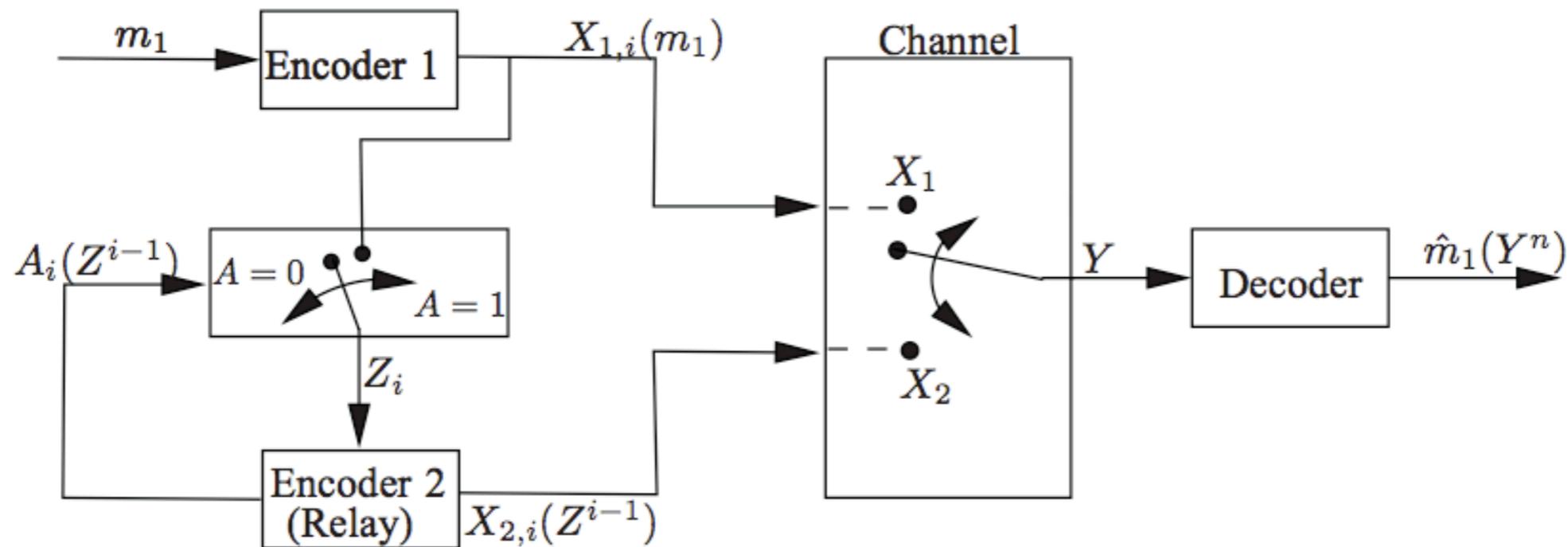
Case B : Causal Controlled Cribbing

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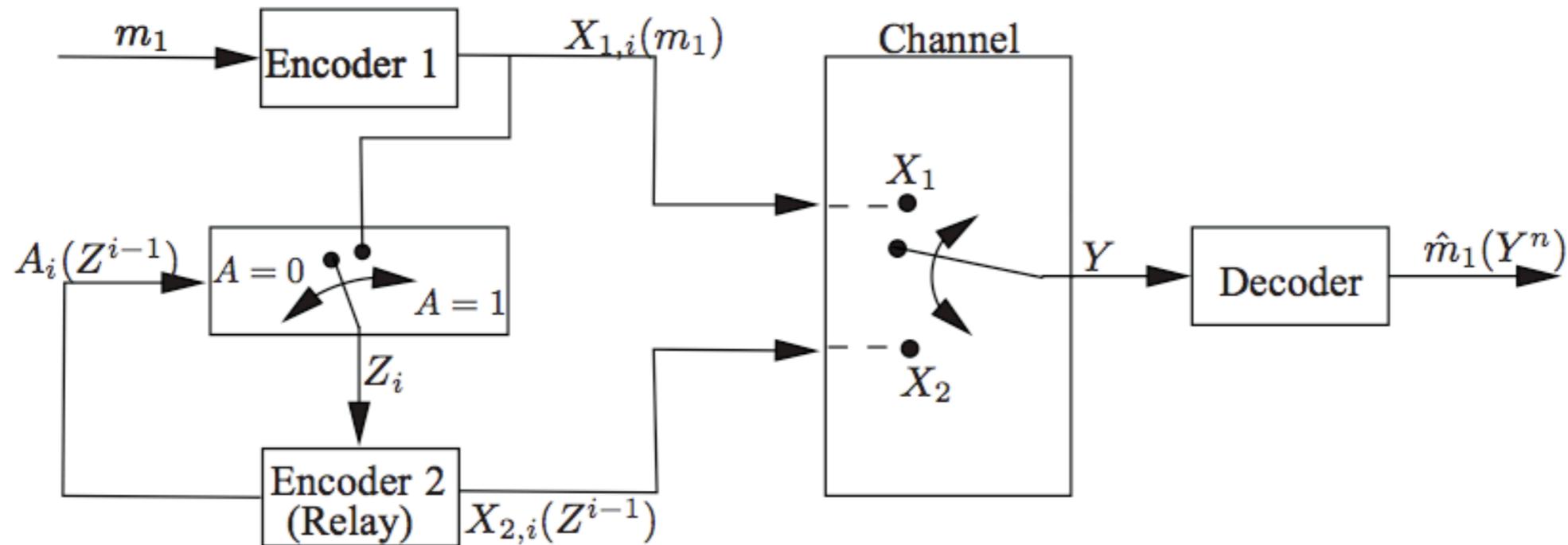
If $A_i = 1$, then $Z_i = X_i$, and otherwise Z_i is a constant.

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n E[A_i] \leq \Gamma$$

$$R_2 = 0$$

To Crib or Not to Crib

Capacity Region

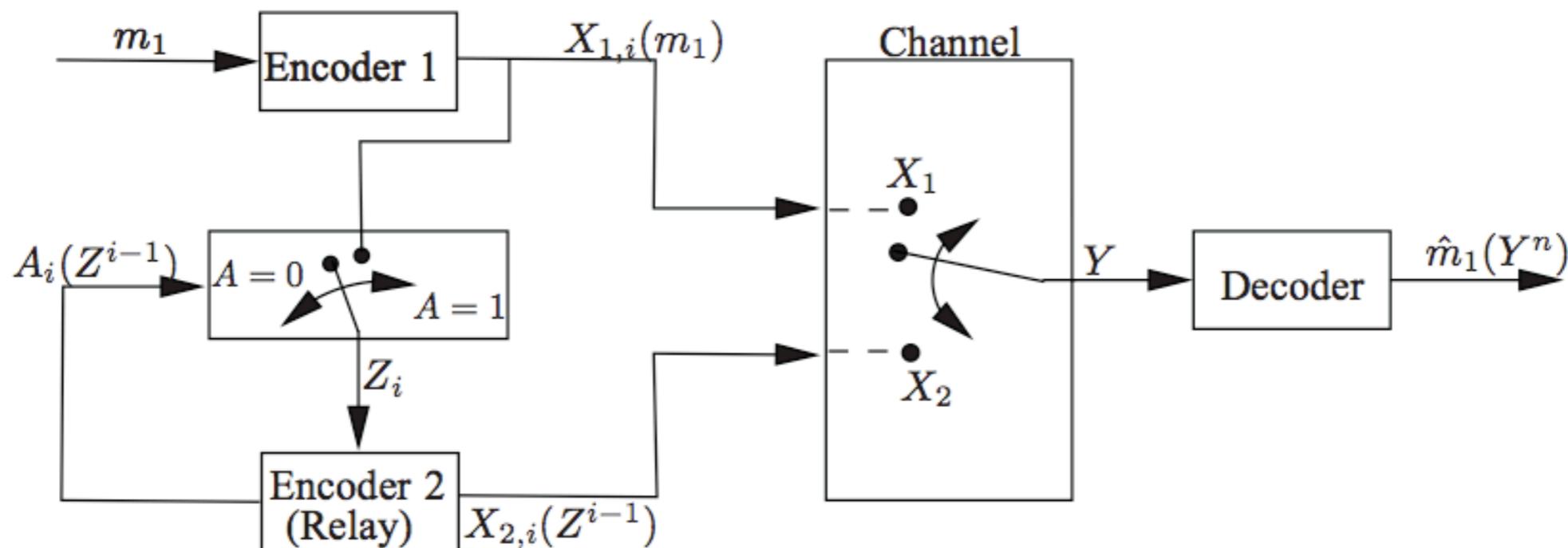


delay in the cribbing (Case A) [ElGamalAref82]

$$R_1 = \max_{P_{X_1, X_2, A}: E[c(A)] \leq \Gamma} \min\{H(Z|X_2, A) + I(X_1; Y|X_2, Z_1, A), I(Y; X_1, X_2)\}.$$

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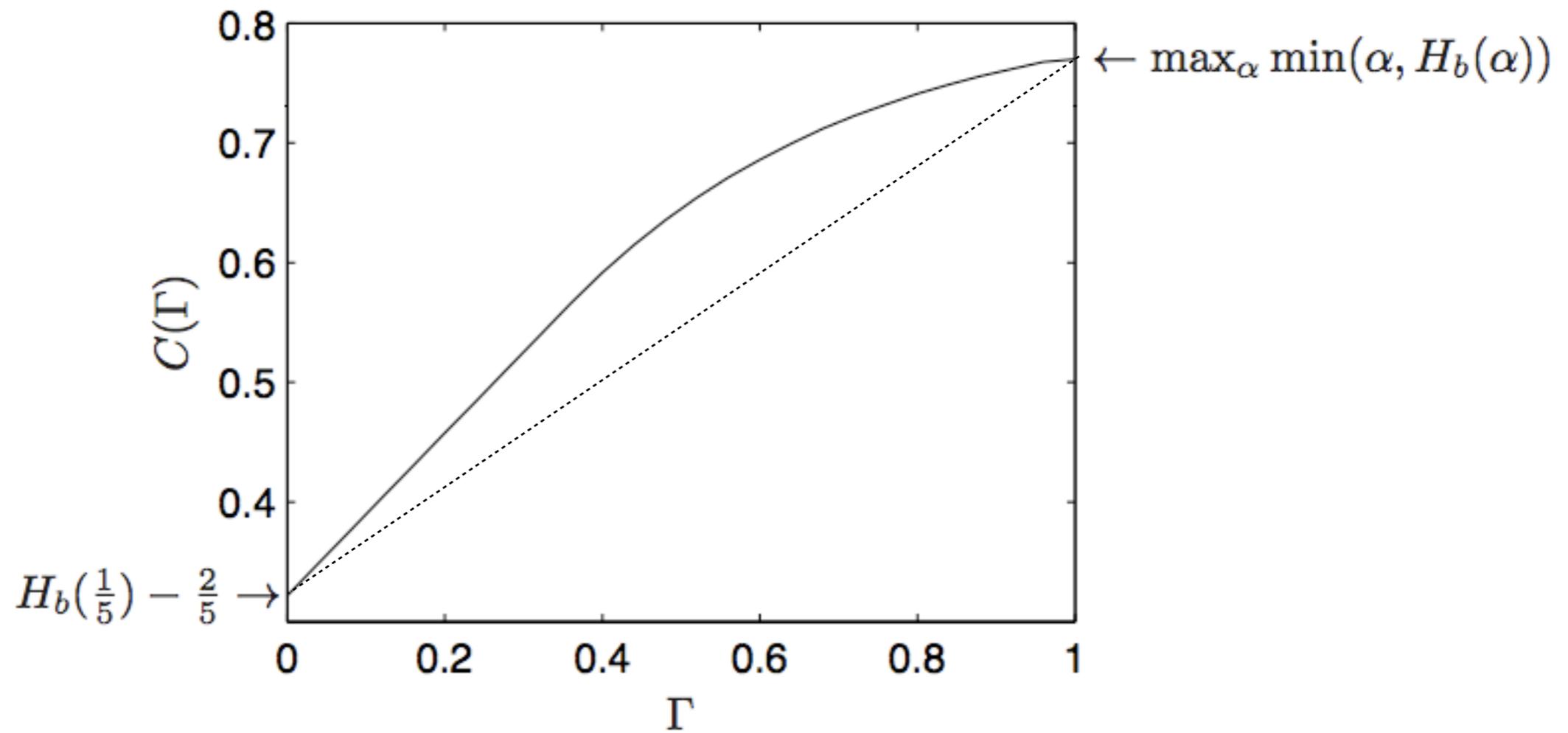
no delay in the cribbing (Case B), i.e., $X_{2,i}(Z^i)$ [\[ElGamalHassanpourMammen07\]](#)

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Case A



Summary

- Cribbing is an important concept in cognitive radios, cooperation and relaying.
- Capacity region of deterministic using : block markov codes, strategies, superposition coding, backward decoding and rate splitting
- We see that for AWGN MAC with causal quantized cribbing, few bits are enough.
- Controlled Cribbing.

Future Work

- Non-causal Partial (deterministic) cribbing.
- Controlled Cribbing with actions dependent on messages, i.e., $a_{1,i}(z_1^{i-1}, m_1)$

Thanks !!!
Questions ?