

Sample problems for the 4th lecture (Mar. 22)

1. Let the joint distribution of  $X$  and  $Y$  be:

$P_{X,Y}(\cdot, \cdot)$	$y = 0$	$y = 1$	$y = 2$
$x = 0$	$\frac{1}{8}$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$
$x = 1$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	0
$x = 2$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$

- (a) Compute

$$H(X), H(Y), H(X|Y), H(Y|X), H(X, Y) \text{ and } I(X; Y),$$

and indicate the quantities (in bits) for each area of the Venn diagram.

- (b) Let  $Z = \begin{cases} 0, & y = 2; \\ 1, & y \in \{0, 1\} \end{cases}$ . Find  $I(X; Z)$  and compare it with  $I(X; Y)$  to verify the data processing inequality.
- (c) Let  $\hat{X} := g(Y)$  be the optimal MAP estimator of  $X$  from observing  $Y$ . Define the probability of error as

$$P_e := \Pr[\hat{X} \neq X].$$

Check whether equality holds for Fano's inequality:

$$H(X|Y) \leq h_b(P_e) + P_e \cdot \log_2(|\mathcal{X}| - 1),$$

where  $h_b(x) := -x \log_2 x - (1 - x) \log_2 (1 - x)$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 1$  is the binary entropy function.

- (d) Can we find a lousy estimator such that the resulting error probability is 1? Justify your answer.

Hint: Check whether  $H(X|Y)$  lies between  $\log_2(|\mathcal{X}| - 1)$  and  $\log_2(|\mathcal{X}|)$ .

**Solution.**

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}H(X; Y) &= \mathbb{E} \left[ \log_2 \frac{1}{P_{X,Y}(X, Y)} \right] \\&= \sum_{x=0}^2 \sum_{y=0}^2 P_{X,Y}(x, y) \cdot \log_2 \frac{1}{P_{X,Y}(x, y)} \\&= 6 \cdot \frac{1}{8} \log_2 \frac{1}{1/8} + \frac{1}{4} \log_2 \frac{1}{1/4} \\&= \frac{11}{4}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}H(X) &= \mathbb{E} \left[ \log_2 \frac{1}{P_X(X)} \right] \\&= 2 \cdot \frac{3}{8} \log_2 \frac{1}{3/8} + \frac{1}{4} \log_2 \frac{1}{1/4} \\&= \frac{11}{4} - \frac{3}{4} \log_2(3)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}H(Y) &= \mathbb{E} \left[ \log_2 \frac{1}{P_Y(Y)} \right] \\&= 2 \cdot \frac{3}{8} \log_2 \frac{1}{3/8} + \frac{1}{4} \log_2 \frac{1}{1/4} \\&= \frac{11}{4} - \frac{3}{4} \log_2(3)\end{aligned}$$

With the knowledge of  $H(X, Y)$ ,  $H(X)$  and  $H(Y)$ , we can apply the chain rule for entropy to obtain:

$$H(X|Y) = H(X, Y) - H(Y) = \frac{3}{4} \log_2(3)$$

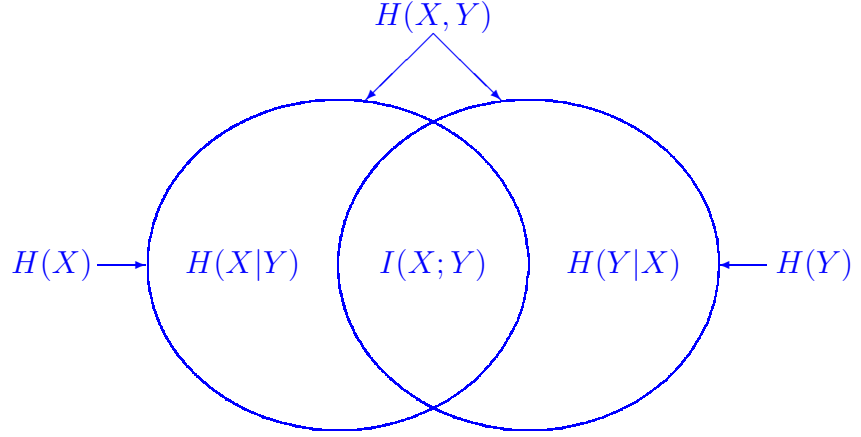
and

$$H(Y|X) = H(X, Y) - H(X) = \frac{3}{4} \log_2(3)$$

Last, by definition of mutual information, we obtain:

$$I(X; Y) = H(X) + H(Y) - H(X, Y) = \frac{11}{4} - \frac{3}{2} \log_2(3)$$

You shall indicate the quantities (in bits) for each area of the Venn diagram by yourself.



(b) With

$P_{X,Z}(\cdot, \cdot)$	$z = 0$	$z = 1$
$x = 0$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{8}$
$x = 1$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$
$x = 2$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$

we derive

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(X, Z) &= 2 \cdot \frac{1}{8} \log_2 \frac{1}{1/8} + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{4} \log_2 \frac{1}{1/4} \\
 &= \frac{9}{4}
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(Z) &= \frac{3}{8} \log_2 \frac{1}{3/8} + \frac{5}{8} \log_2 \frac{1}{5/8} \\
 &= 3 - \frac{3}{8} \log_2(3) - \frac{5}{8} \log_2(5),
 \end{aligned}$$

which implies

$$I(X; Z) = H(X) + H(Z) - H(X, Z) = 2 - \frac{3}{8} \log_2(3) + \frac{5}{8} \log_2(5).$$

Comparing  $I(X; Y)$  and  $I(X; Z)$ , we examine

$$I(X; Y) - I(X; Z) = \frac{7}{2} - \frac{9}{8} \log_2(3) - \frac{5}{8} \log_2(5) \approx 0.266 \text{ bits} > 0,$$

which confirms the validity of the data processing inequality.

(c) The MAP estimator is given by

$$g(y) = \begin{cases} 0, & y = 2; \\ \text{arbitrary in } \{1, 2\}, & y = 1; \\ \text{arbitrary in } \{0, 1, 2\}, & y = 0 \end{cases}$$

In fact, we can set  $y(y) = z$  in (b). Hence,  $P_e = \Pr[X \neq Z] = \frac{1}{2}$ . As a result, Fano's inequality becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{3}{4} \log_2(3) &\leq h_b\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2} \log_2(3-1) = \frac{3}{2} \\ \Leftrightarrow \log_2(3) &\leq 2 \Leftrightarrow 3 \leq 2^2 = 4. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, equality in Fano's inequality cannot be achieved in this case.

(d) When  $H(X|Y) = \frac{3}{4} \log_2(3)$  lies between  $\log_2(|\mathcal{X}| - 1) = 1$  and  $\log_2(|\mathcal{X}|) = \log_2(3)$ , Fano's inequality also provides an upper bound to the estimation error. Hence, no estimator can result in the lousy error performance of 1.

Note: In fact, the estimator that has the worst performance is the *minimum a posteriori* estimator, i.e.,

$$g_{\text{worst}}(y) = \begin{cases} 1, & y = 2; \\ 0, & y = 1; \\ \text{arbitrary in } \{0, 1, 2\}, & y = 0 \end{cases}$$

We can choose

$$g_{\text{worst}}(y) = \begin{cases} 1, & y = 2; \\ 0, & y \in \{0, 1\} \end{cases}$$

With

$P_{X, g_{\text{worst}}(Y)}(\cdot, \cdot)$	$g_{\text{worst}}(y) = 0$	$g_{\text{worst}}(y) = 1$
$x = 0$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$
$x = 1$	$\frac{1}{4}$	0
$x = 2$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{8}$

we obtain that the worst performance is 7/8, and Fano's inequality becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{3}{4} \log_2(3) &\leq h_b\left(\frac{7}{8}\right) + \frac{7}{8} \log_2(3-1) = \frac{31}{8} - \frac{7}{8} \log_2(7) \\ \Leftrightarrow 2 \log_2(3) + 7 \log_2(7) &\approx 22.82 \leq 31. \end{aligned}$$

Again, Fano's inequality provides a strict "overbound" in this case.

2. (a) Consider random variables  $X$  and  $Y$  with alphabets  $\mathcal{X}$  and  $\mathcal{Y}$ , respectively, where  $\mathcal{X}$  is finite and  $\mathcal{Y}$  can be countably infinite, and assume that for each  $x \in \mathcal{X}$ , we are given a *ternary partition*  $\{\mathcal{S}_x, \mathcal{T}_x, \mathcal{V}_x\}$  on the observation space  $\mathcal{Y}$ . Define

$$p := \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y), \quad q := \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y), \quad r := \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y)$$

and

$$s := \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_Y(y), \quad t := \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_Y(y), \quad v := \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_Y(y).$$

Show that

$$H(X|Y) \leq H(p, q, r) + p \log_2(s) + q \log_2(t) + r \log_2(v), \quad (1)$$

where

$$H(p, q, r) = p \log_2 \frac{1}{p} + q \log_2 \frac{1}{q} + r \log_2 \frac{1}{r}.$$

Give the necessary and sufficient condition under which equality in (1) holds.

Hint: Subtract one side from the other side and apply the fundamental inequality.

- (b) Show that Fano's inequality is a special case of (1) by specifying  $\{\mathcal{S}_x, \mathcal{T}_x, \mathcal{V}_x\}$ .

**Solution.**

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}
& H(X|Y) - H(p, q, r) - p \log_2(s) - q \log_2(t) - r \log_2(v) \\
&= \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \log_2 \frac{1}{P_{X|Y}(x|y)} + \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \log_2 \frac{1}{P_{X|Y}(x|y)} \\
&\quad + \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \log_2 \frac{1}{P_{X|Y}(x|y)} + \left[ \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \right] \log_2 \left( \frac{p}{s} \right) \\
&\quad + \left[ \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \right] \log_2 \left( \frac{q}{t} \right) + \left[ \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \right] \log_2 \left( \frac{r}{v} \right) \\
&= \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \log_2 \frac{p}{P_{X|Y}(x|y) \cdot s} + \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \log_2 \frac{q}{P_{X|Y}(x|y) \cdot t} \\
&\quad + \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \log_2 \frac{r}{P_{X|Y}(x|y) \cdot v} \\
&\leq \log_2(e) \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \left[ \frac{p}{P_{X|Y}(x|y) \cdot s} - 1 \right] \\
&\quad + \log_2(e) \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \left[ \frac{q}{P_{X|Y}(x|y) \cdot t} - 1 \right] \\
&\quad + \log_2(e) \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \left[ \frac{r}{P_{X|Y}(x|y) \cdot v} - 1 \right] \\
&= \log_2(e) \left[ \frac{p}{s} \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_Y(y) - \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \right] \\
&\quad + \log_2(e) \left[ \frac{q}{t} \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_Y(y) - \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{T}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \right] \\
&\quad + \log_2(e) \left[ \frac{r}{v} \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_Y(y) - \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{V}_x} P_{X,Y}(x, y) \right] \\
&= \log_2(e) \left[ \frac{p}{s}(s) - p \right] + \log_2(e) \left[ \frac{q}{t}(t) - q \right] + \log_2(e) \left[ \frac{r}{v}(v) - r \right] \\
&= 0,
\end{aligned}$$

where the inequality follows from the FI Lemma. Equality holds

iff

$$P_{X|Y}(x|y) = \begin{cases} \frac{p}{s}, & y \in \mathcal{S}_x \\ \frac{q}{t}, & y \in \mathcal{T}_x \\ \frac{r}{v}, & y \in \mathcal{V}_x \end{cases}$$

- (b) Let  $\mathcal{S}_x = \{y \in \mathcal{Y} : g(y) = x\}$ ,  $\mathcal{T}_x = \mathcal{S}_x^c$  and  $\mathcal{V}_x = \emptyset$ , where  $g(\cdot)$  is an estimator. Then,  $p = 1 - P_e$ ,  $q = P_e$ ,  $r = 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} s &:= \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y \in \mathcal{S}_x} P_Y(y) \\ &= \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \sum_{y: g(y)=x} P_Y(y) \\ &= \sum_{y \in \mathcal{Y}} \sum_{x: g(y)=x} P_Y(y) \\ &= \sum_{y \in \mathcal{Y}} P_Y(y) \cdot |\{x \in \mathcal{X} : g(y) = x\}| \\ &= \sum_{y \in \mathcal{Y}} P_Y(y) \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

and  $t = |\mathcal{X}| - s = |\mathcal{X}| - 1$ . Accordingly,

$$\begin{aligned} H(X|Y) &\leq H(p, q, r) + p \log_2(s) + q \log_2(t) + r \log_2(v) \\ &= h_b(P_e) + (1 - P_e) \log_2(1) + P_e \log_2(|\mathcal{X}| - 1) + 0 \log_2(0) \\ &= h_b(P_e) + P_e \log_2(|\mathcal{X}| - 1) \end{aligned}$$

with equality holding iff

$$P_{X|Y}(x|y) = \begin{cases} 1 - P_e, & g(y) = x \\ \frac{P_e}{|\mathcal{X}| - 1}, & g(y) \neq x \end{cases}$$

3. Define the *divergence typical set* as

$$\mathcal{A}_n(\delta) := \left\{ x^n \in \mathcal{X}^n : \left| \frac{1}{n} \log_2 \frac{P_{X^n}(x^n)}{P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n)} - D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) \right| < \delta \right\}.$$

- (a) Determine  $D(X \| \hat{X})$  if  $P_X(1) = \frac{1}{3} = 1 - P_X(0)$  and  $P_{\hat{X}}(1) = \frac{2}{3} = 1 - P_{\hat{X}}(0)$ .

(b) Continue from (a). List the elements in  $\mathcal{A}_2(0.5)$ .

(c) Show that for any sequence  $x^n$  in  $\mathcal{A}_n(\delta)$ ,

$$P_{X^n}(x^n)2^{-n(D(P_X\|P_{\hat{X}})-\delta)} > P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n) > P_{X^n}(x^n)2^{-n(D(P_X\|P_{\hat{X}})+\delta)}.$$

(d) Show that

$$P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{A}_n(\delta)) \leq 2^{-n(D(P_X\|P_{\hat{X}})-\delta)} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n(\delta)).$$

Hint: Use (c).

(e) Show that for any  $\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n$ ,

$$P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n) \geq 2^{-n(D(P_X\|P_{\hat{X}})+\delta)} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)).$$

Hint: Use (c).

(f) Show that as long as

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n^c(\delta)) = 0 \text{ for arbitrary } \delta > 0,$$

we obtain

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n) \right) = D(P_X\|P_{\hat{X}}).$$

Hint: Use (d) and (e).

**Solution.**

(a)

$$D(X\|\hat{X}) = \frac{1}{3} \log_2 \frac{1/3}{2/3} + \frac{2}{3} \log_2 \frac{2/3}{1/3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

(b) Since

$$\frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{P_{X^2}(x^2)}{P_{\hat{X}^2}(x^2)} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{4/9}{1/9}, & x^2 = 00 \\ \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{2/9}{2/9}, & x^2 = 01 \text{ or } 10 \\ \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \frac{1/9}{4/9}, & x^2 = 11 \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 1, & x^2 = 00 \\ 0, & x^2 = 01 \text{ or } 10 \\ -1, & x^2 = 11 \end{cases}$$

we obtain  $\mathcal{A}_2(0.1) = \{01, 10\}$ .



(c)

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \frac{1}{n} \log_2 \frac{P_{X^n}(x^n)}{P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n)} - D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) \right| < \delta \\
& \Leftrightarrow -\delta < \frac{1}{n} \log_2 \frac{P_{X^n}(x^n)}{P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n)} - D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) < \delta \\
& \Leftrightarrow D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta < \frac{1}{n} \log_2 \frac{P_{X^n}(x^n)}{P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n)} < D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta \\
& \Leftrightarrow n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta) < \log_2 \frac{P_{X^n}(x^n)}{P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n)} < n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta) \\
& \Leftrightarrow 2^{n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)} < \frac{P_{X^n}(x^n)}{P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n)} < 2^{n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta)} \\
& \Leftrightarrow 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)} > \frac{P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n)}{P_{X^n}(x^n)} > 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta)} \\
& \Leftrightarrow P_{X^n}(x^n) 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)} > P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n) > P_{X^n}(x^n) 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta)}
\end{aligned}$$

(d)

$$\begin{aligned}
P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{A}_n(\delta)) &= \sum_{x^n \in \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)} P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n) \\
&\leq \sum_{x^n \in \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)} P_{X^n}(x^n) 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)} \\
&= 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)} \sum_{x^n \in \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)} P_{X^n}(x^n) \\
&= 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n(\delta))
\end{aligned}$$

(e)

$$\begin{aligned}
P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n) &\geq P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)) \\
&= \sum_{x^n \in \mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)} P_{\hat{X}^n}(x^n) \\
&\geq \sum_{x^n \in \mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)} P_{X^n}(x^n) 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta)} \\
&= 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta)} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta)).
\end{aligned}$$

(f) As  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n^c) = 0$ , we infer that for **sufficiently large**  $n$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
& -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n) \right) \\
& \geq -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 (P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{A}_n)) \\
& \geq -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 (2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)}) \\
& = D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta,
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\underbrace{P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{A}_n(\delta)) \leq 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n(\delta))}_{(d)} \leq 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta)}.$$

On the other hand, for **every**  $n$ , we infer from (e) that

$$\begin{aligned}
& -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n) \right) \\
& \leq -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} [2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta)} P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta))] \right) \\
& = -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( 2^{-n(D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta)} \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} [P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta))] \right) \\
& = D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta - \frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} [P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n \cap \mathcal{A}_n(\delta))] \right) \\
& \leq D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta - \frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} [1 - P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) - P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n^c(\delta))] \right) \\
& = D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta - \frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( 1 - \max_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} [P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) + P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n^c(\delta))] \right) \\
& = D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta - \frac{1}{n} \log_2 (1 - \epsilon - P_{X^n}(\mathcal{A}_n^c(\delta))).
\end{aligned}$$

We then conclude

$$\begin{aligned}
D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) - \delta & \leq \liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n) \right) \\
& \leq \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{n} \log_2 \left( \min_{\mathcal{B}_n \in \mathcal{X}^n: P_{X^n}(\mathcal{B}_n^c) \leq \epsilon} P_{\hat{X}^n}(\mathcal{B}_n) \right) \\
& \leq D(P_X \| P_{\hat{X}}) + \delta.
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $\delta$  can be made arbitrarily small, the desired result holds.