

Chapter 4

Digital Transmission

Review of Analog and Digital Signals

- Analog Signal
 - An continuously varying electromagnetic wave that may be propagated over a variety of media (e.g., twisted pair or coaxial cable, atmosphere), depending on spectrum.
- Digital Signal
 - An sequence of voltage pulses that may be transmitted over a wire medium, e.g., a constant positive voltage level may represent binary 0 and a constant negative voltage level may represent binary 1.
- Advantages of digital signal over analog signal
 - Cheaper in price
 - Less susceptible to noise interference
- Disadvantages of digital signal over analog signal
 - Suffer more from attenuation
 - Pulses become rounded and smaller
 - Leads to loss of information

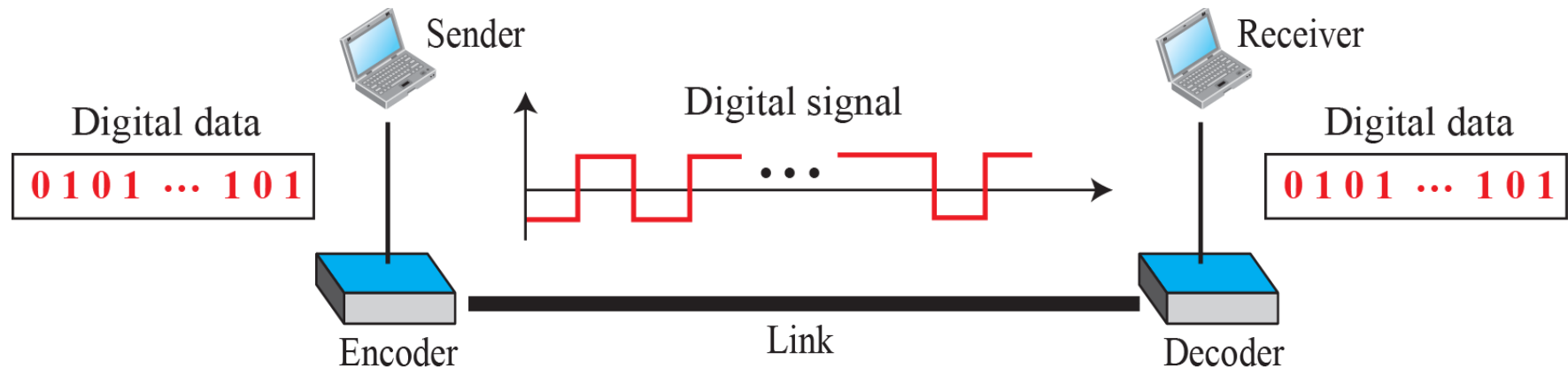
**Review Q: Why we have to convert information
to either a digital signal or an analog signal?**

Figure 4.1 Line coding

Q: Why we have to convert data to digital signal for transmission?

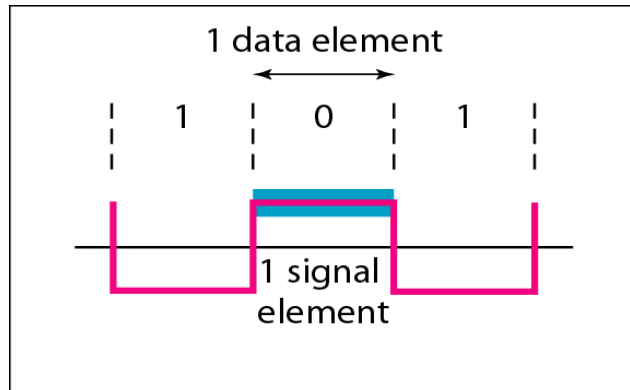
- **Line Coding?**

Line coding is the process of converting **binary data**, a sequence of bits, to a **digital signal**.

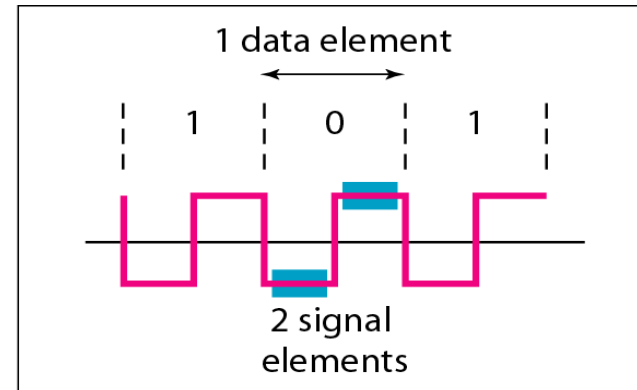


- **Considering points: signal level versus data level, dc components, self-synchronization**

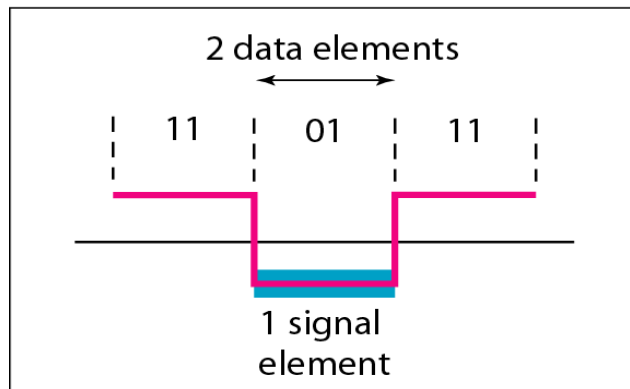
Figure 4.2 *Signal element versus data element*



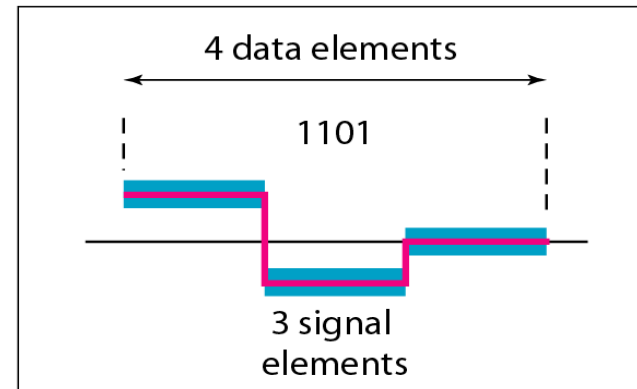
a. One data element per one signal element ($r = 1$)



b. One data element per two signal elements ($r = \frac{1}{2}$)

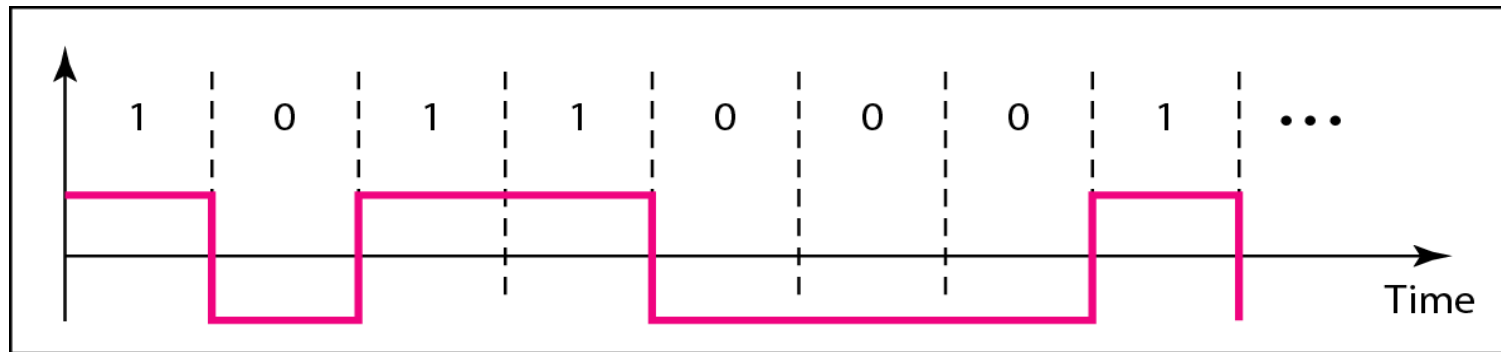


c. Two data elements per one signal element ($r = 2$)

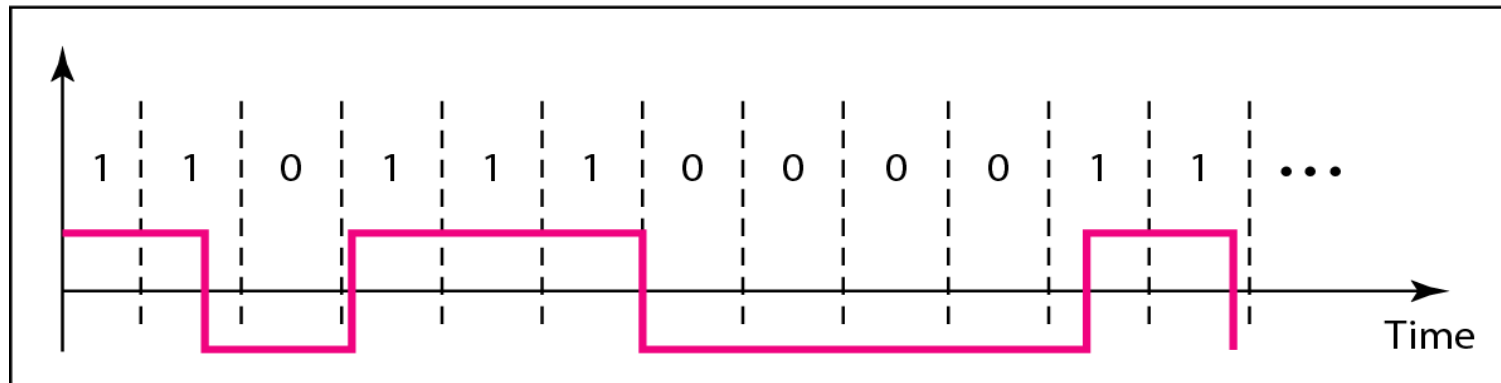


d. Four data elements per three signal elements ($r = \frac{4}{3}$)

Figure 4.3 *Effect of lack of synchronization*



a. Sent



b. Received

Figure 4.4 *Line coding schemes*

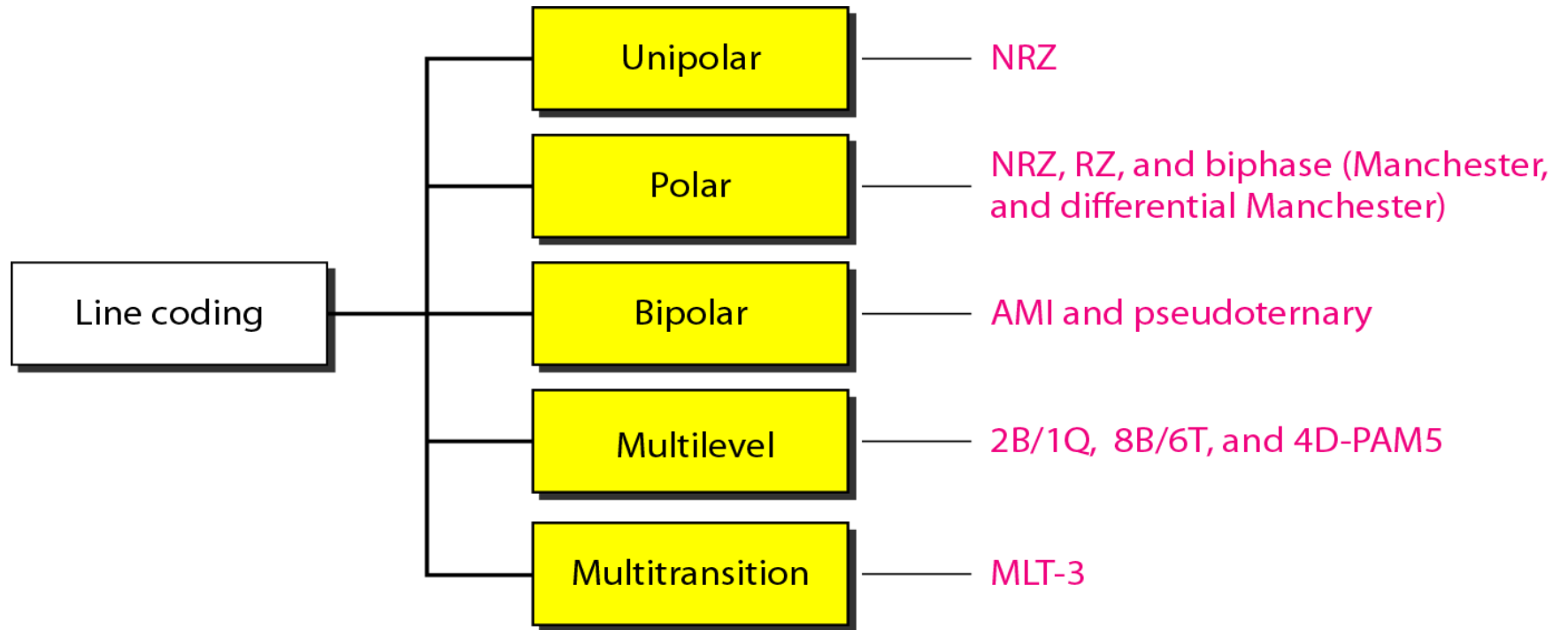
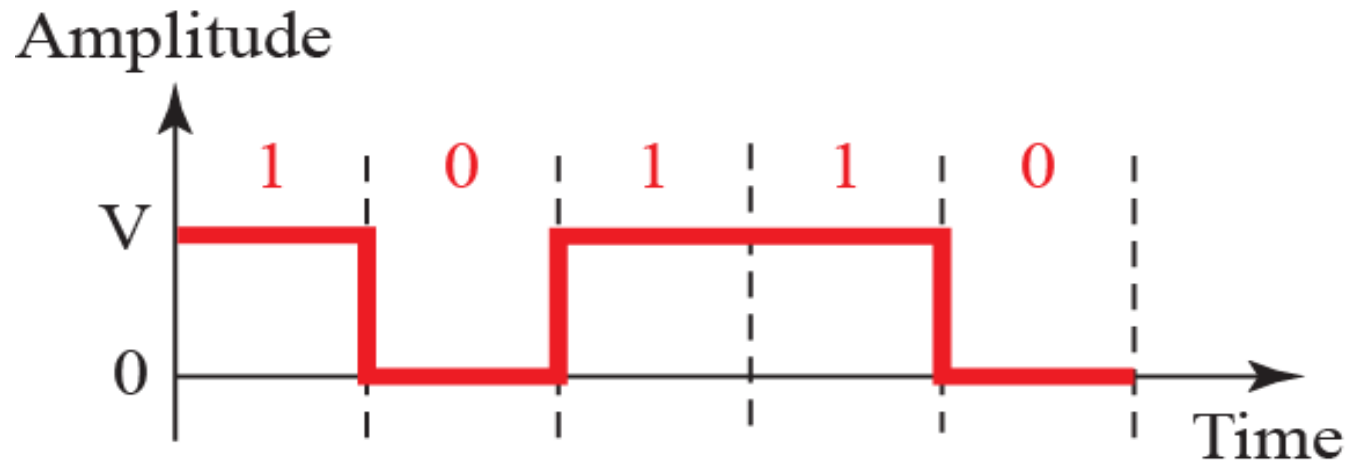


Figure 4.5: Unipolar NRZ scheme



$$V^2 + \frac{1}{2} (0)^2 = \frac{1}{2} V^2$$

Normalized power

Figure 4.6: Polar schemes (NRZ-L and NRZ-I)

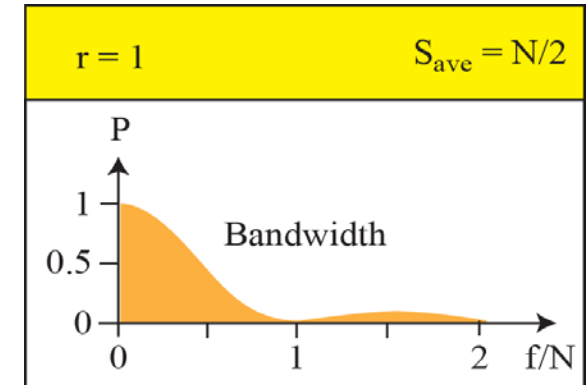
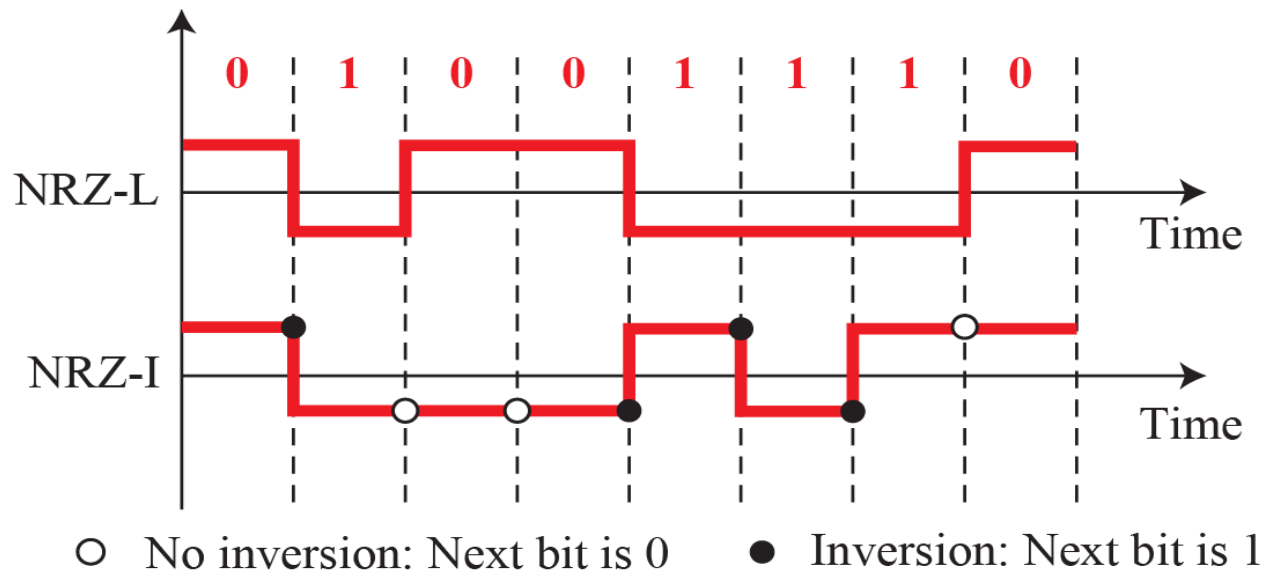


Figure 4.8 *Polar biphase: Manchester and differential Manchester schemes*

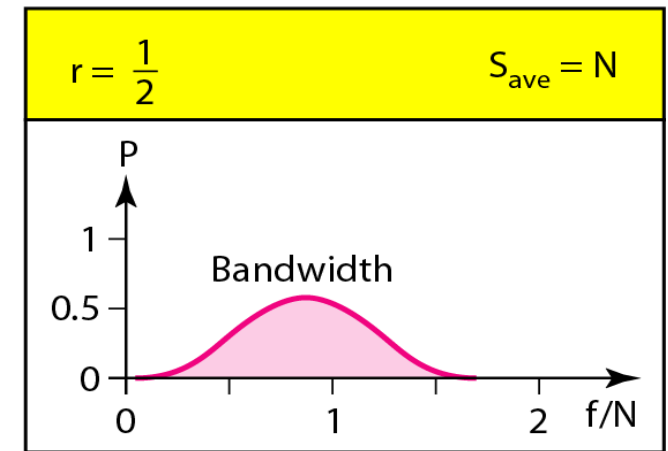
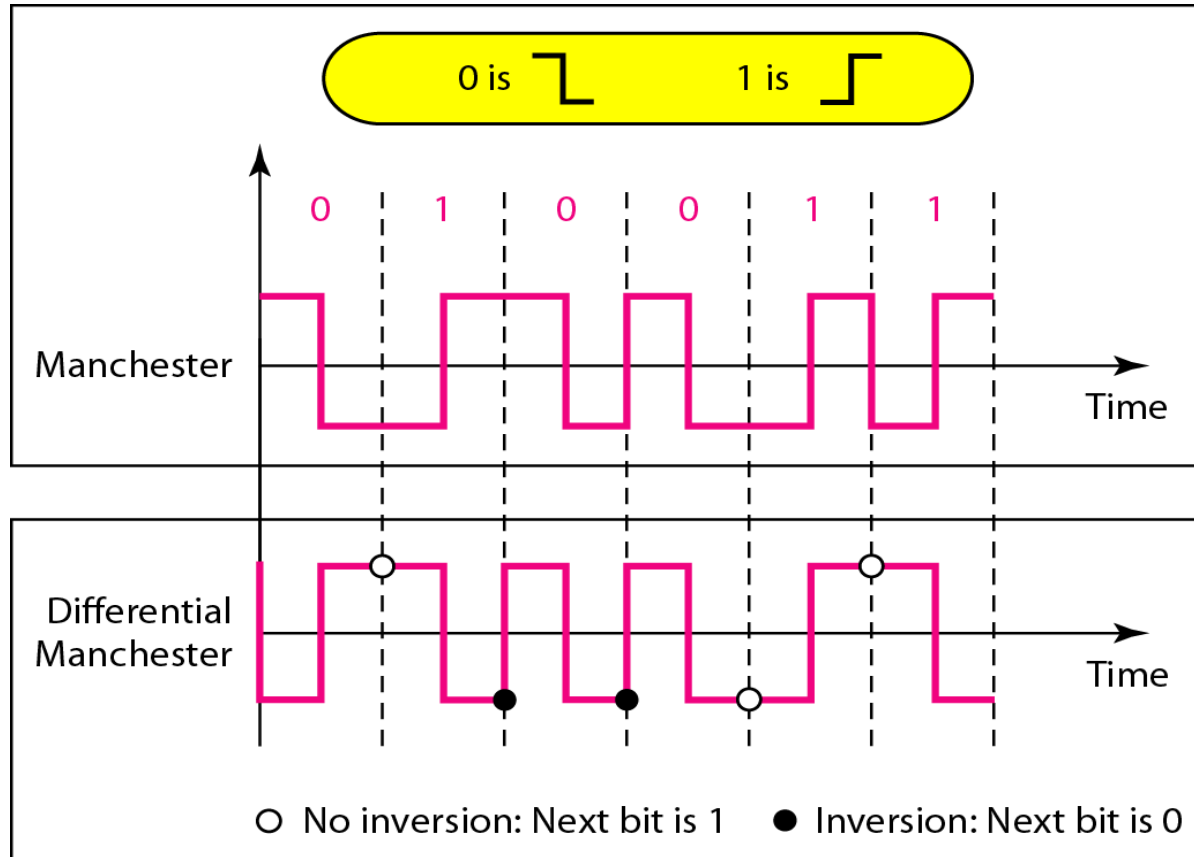


Figure 4.7: Polar schemes (RZ)

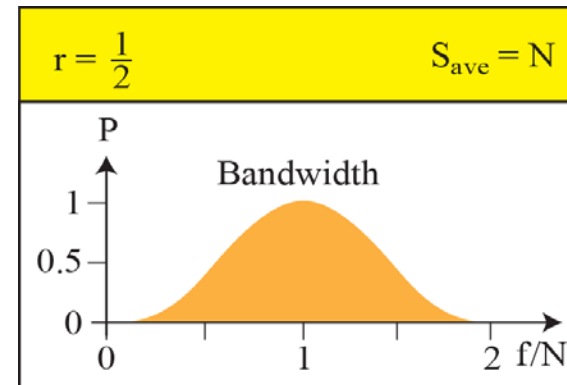
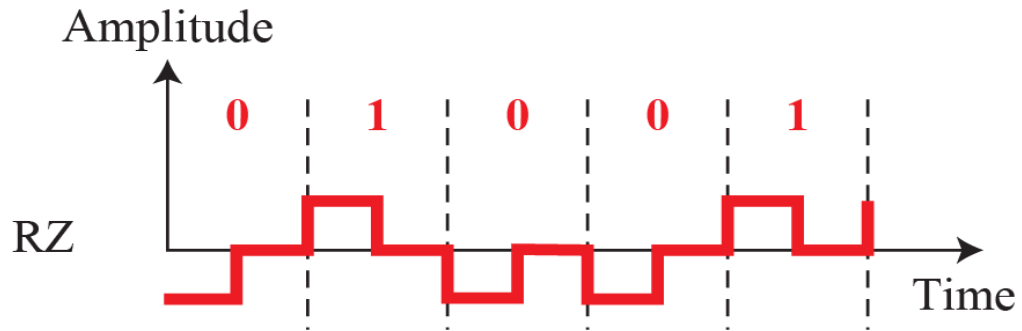
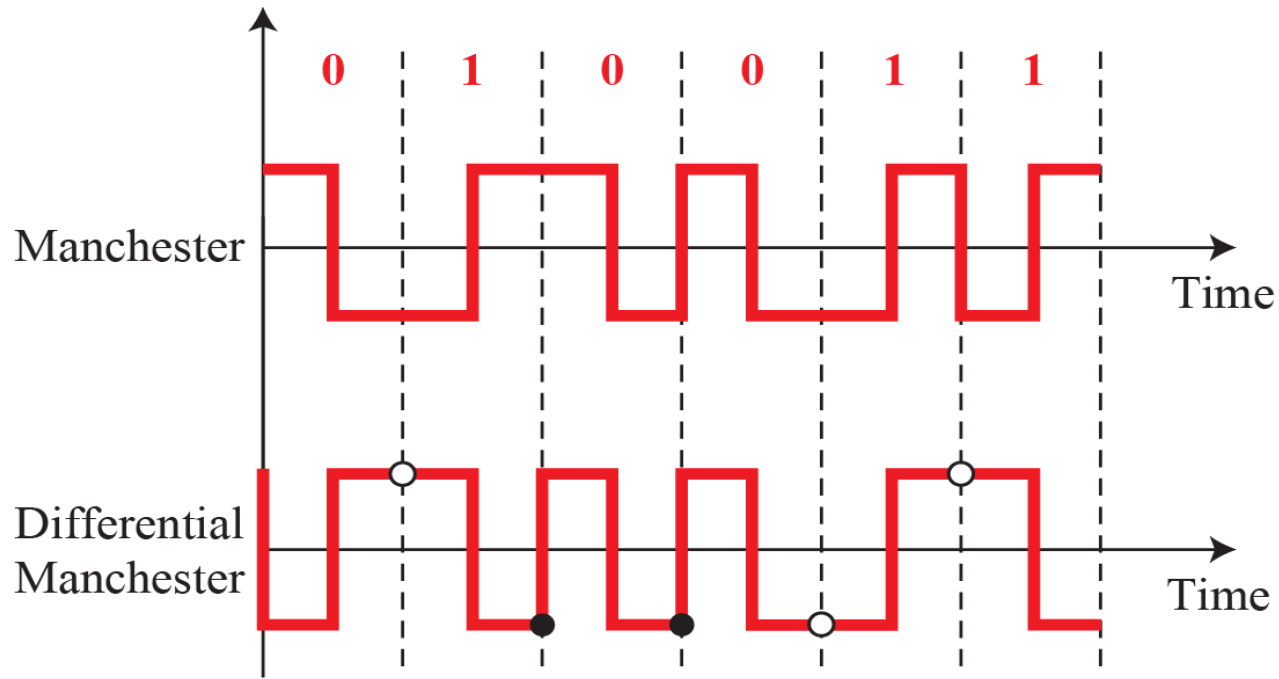


Figure 4.8: Polar biphase



○ No inversion: Next bit is 1 ● Inversion: Next bit is 0

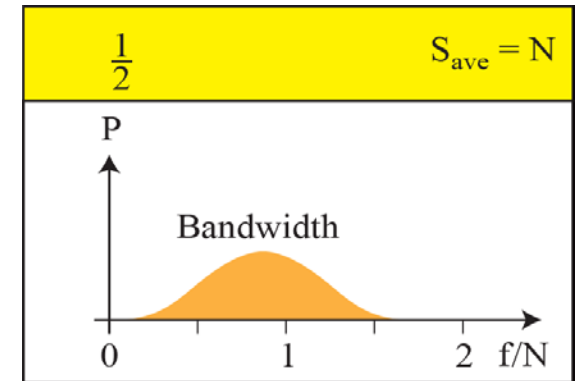


Figure 4.9: Bipolar schemes: AMI and pseudoternary

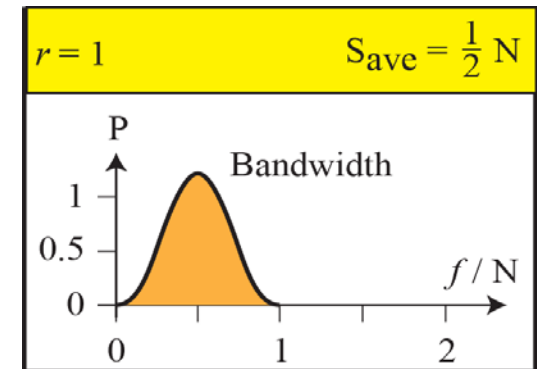
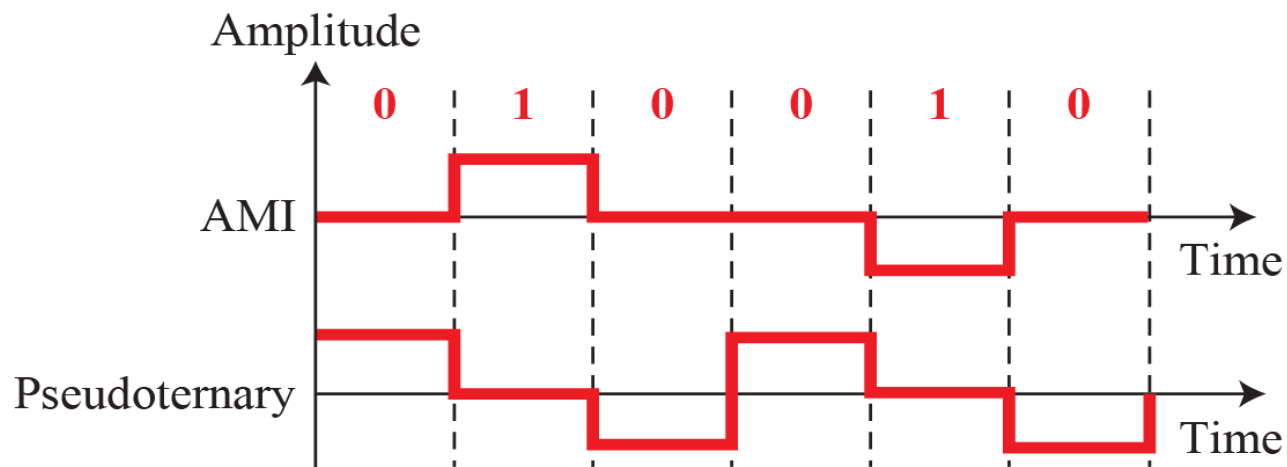


Figure 4.10: Multilevel: 2B1Q

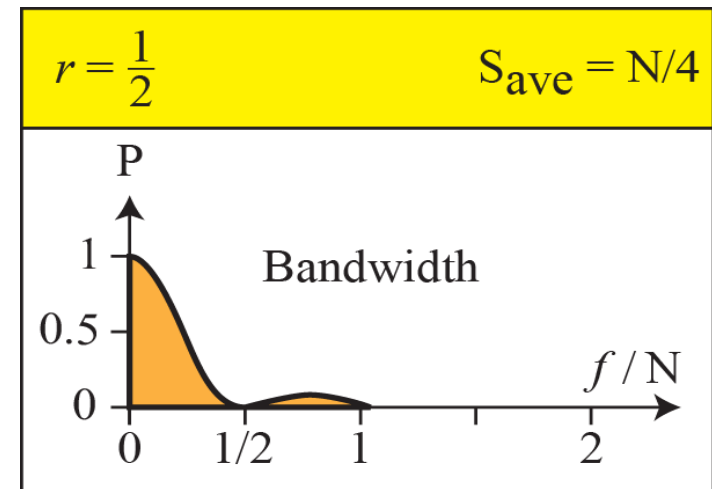
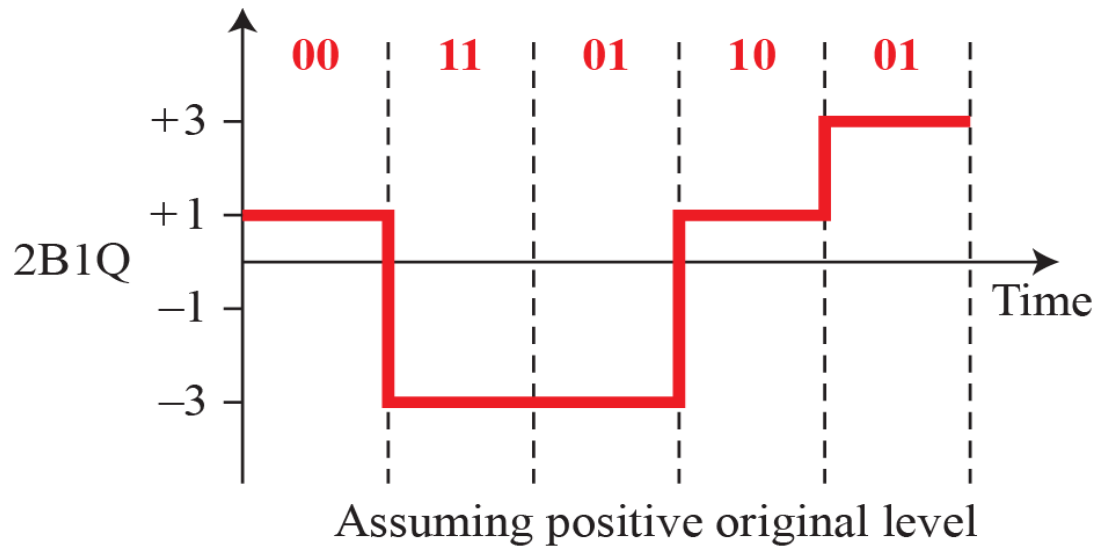


Figure 4.11: Multilevel: 8B6T

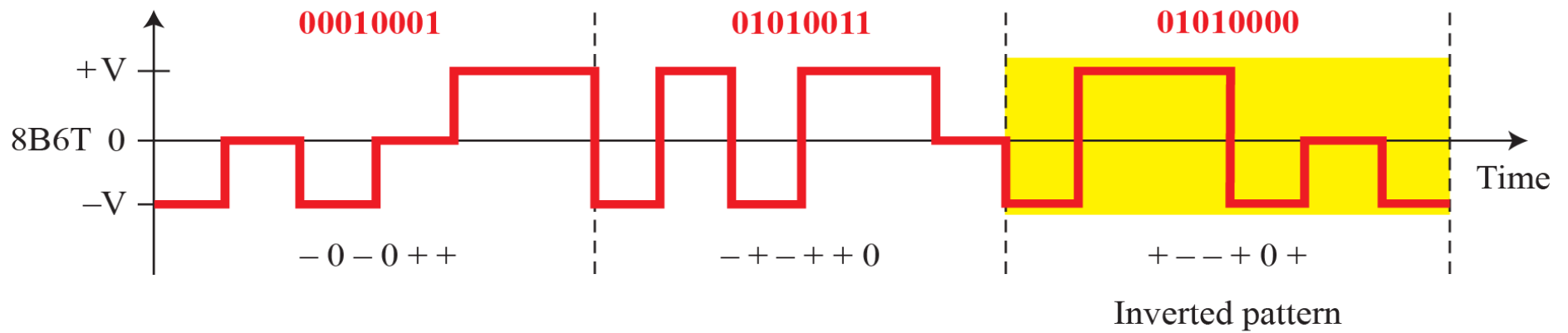


Figure 4.12: Multilevel: 4D-PAMS scheme

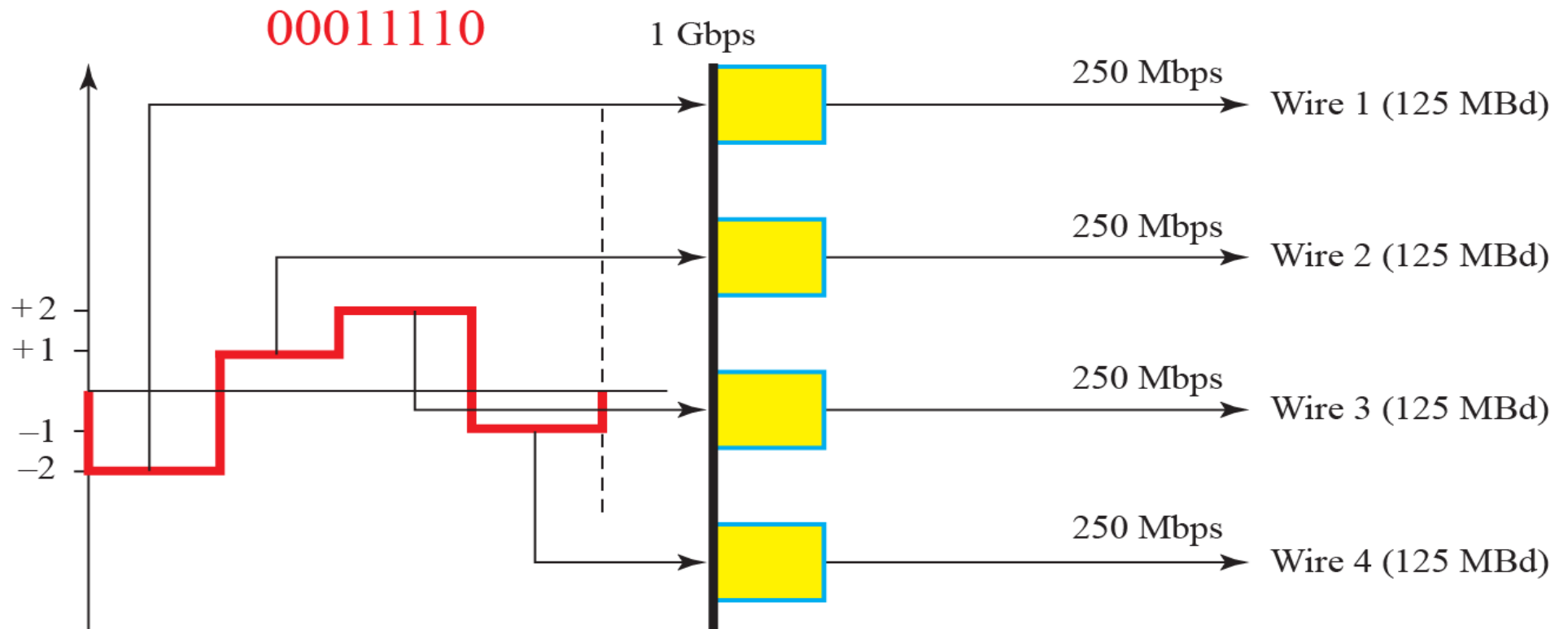
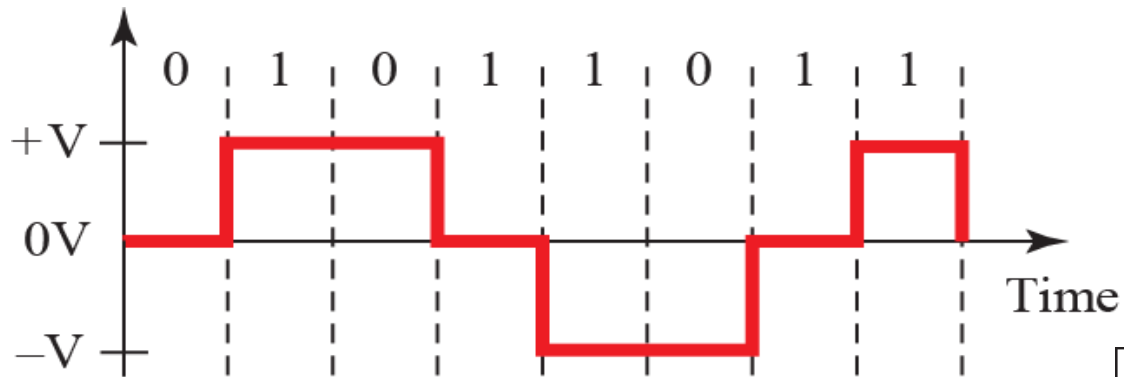
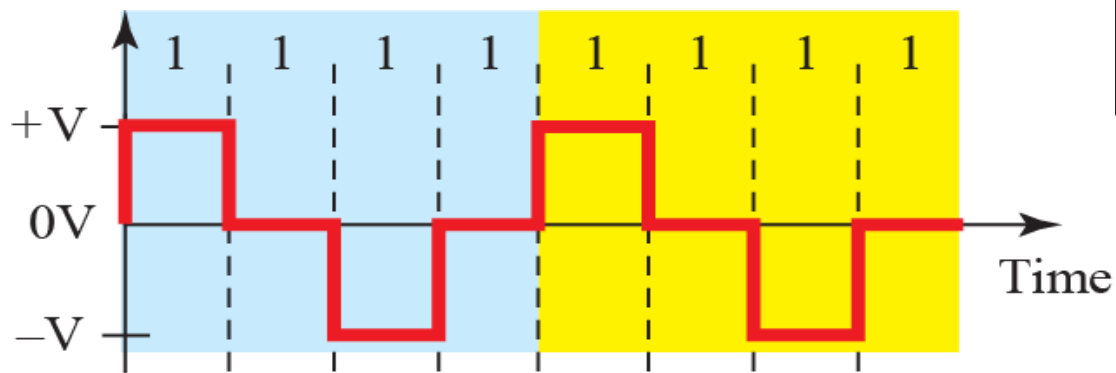


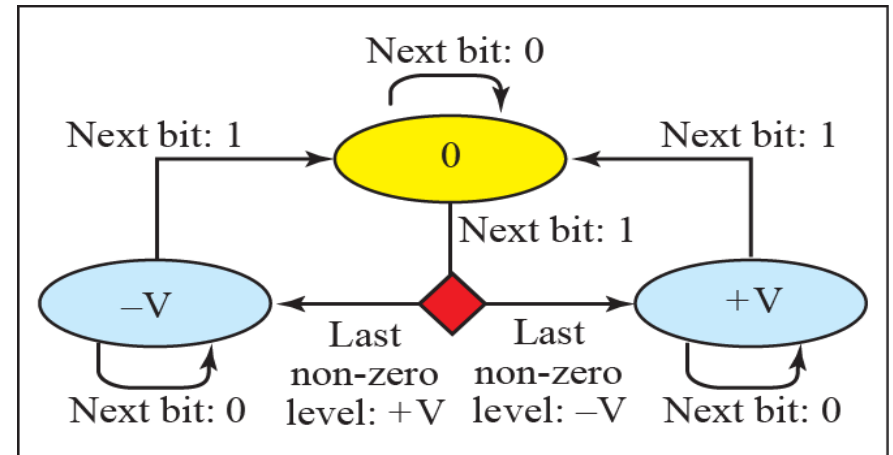
Figure 4.13: Multi-transition MLT-3 scheme



a. Typical case



b. Worst case



c. Transition states

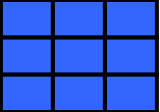
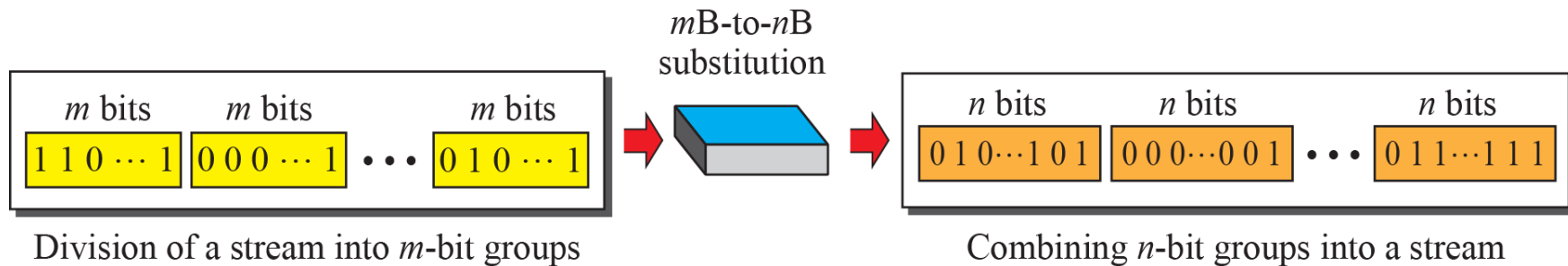


Table 4.1: Summary of line coding schemes

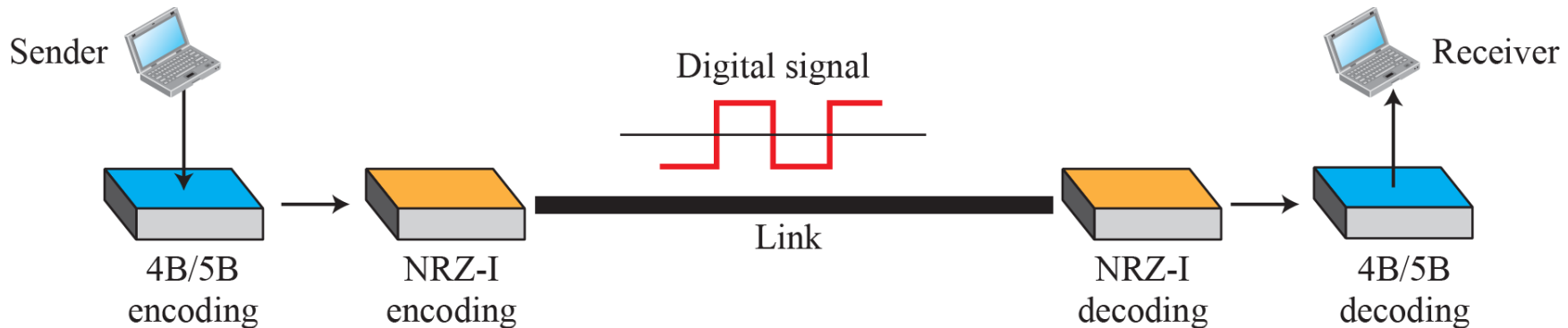
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| | 8B6T | $B = 3N/4$ | Self-synchronization, no DC |
| | 4D-PAM5 | $B = N/8$ | Self-synchronization, no DC |
| Multitransition | MLT-3 | $B = N/3$ | No self-synchronization for long 0s |

Block Coding

- Figure 4.14: Block coding concept



- Figure 4.15: Using block coding 4B/5B with NRZ-I line coding scheme



Block Coding 예

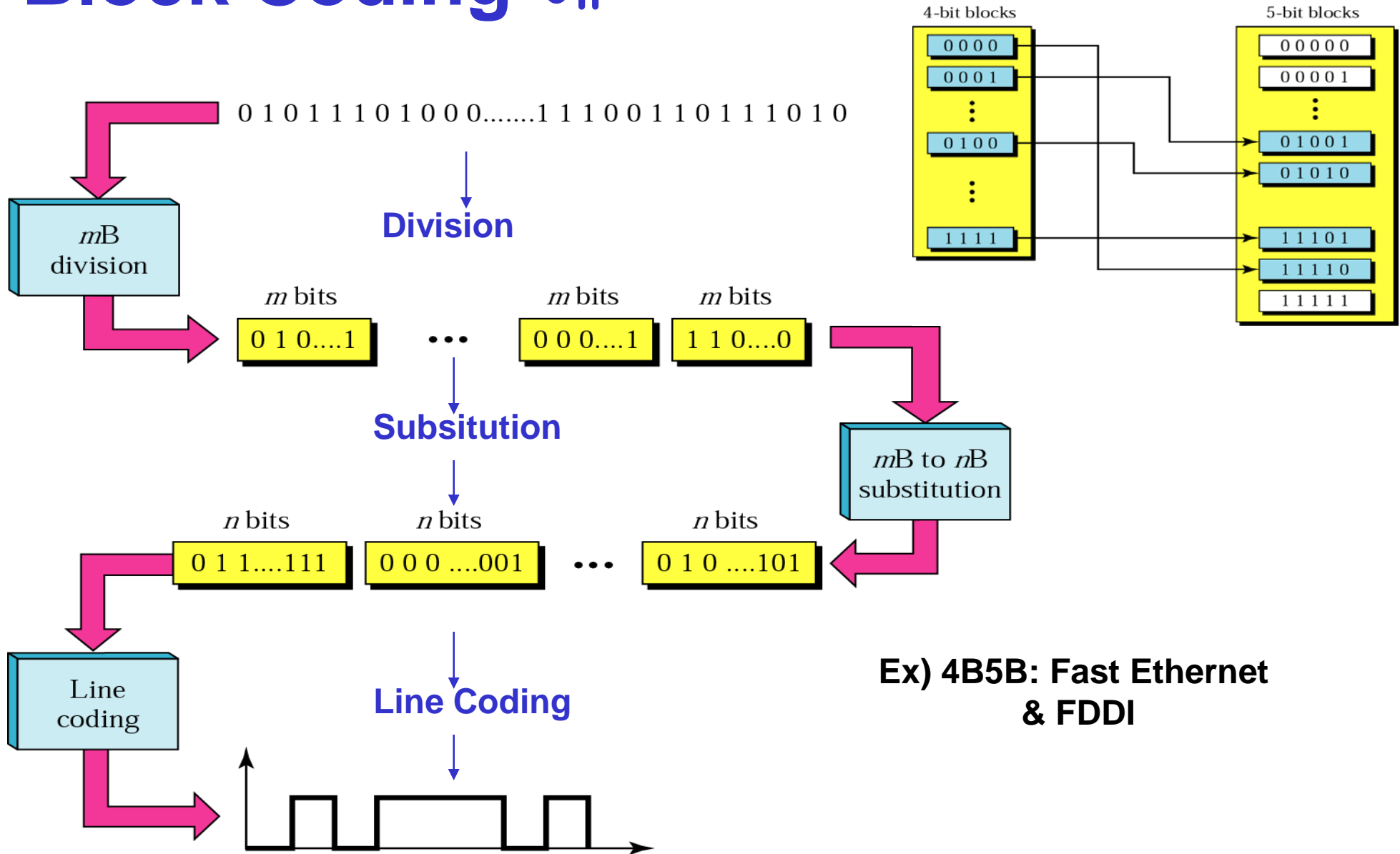


Table 4.2 4B/5B mapping codes

| | | Invalid code | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>Data Sequence</i> | <i>Encoded Sequence</i> | <i>Control Sequence</i> | <i>Encoded Sequence</i> |
| 0000 | 11110 | Q (Quiet) | 00000 |
| 0001 | 01001 | I (Idle) | 11111 |
| 0010 | 10100 | H (Halt) | 00100 |
| 0011 | 10101 | J (Start delimiter) | 11000 |
| 0100 | 01010 | K (Start delimiter) | 10001 |
| 0101 | 01011 | T (End delimiter) | 01101 |
| 0110 | 01110 | S (Set) | 11001 |
| 0111 | 01111 | R (Reset) | 00111 |
| 1000 | 10010 | Invalid code | |
| 1001 | 10011 | | |
| 1010 | 10110 | | |
| 1011 | 10111 | | |
| 1100 | 11010 | | |
| 1101 | 11011 | | |
| 1110 | 11100 | | |
| 1111 | 11101 | | |

Figure 4.16 *Substitution in 4B/5B block coding*

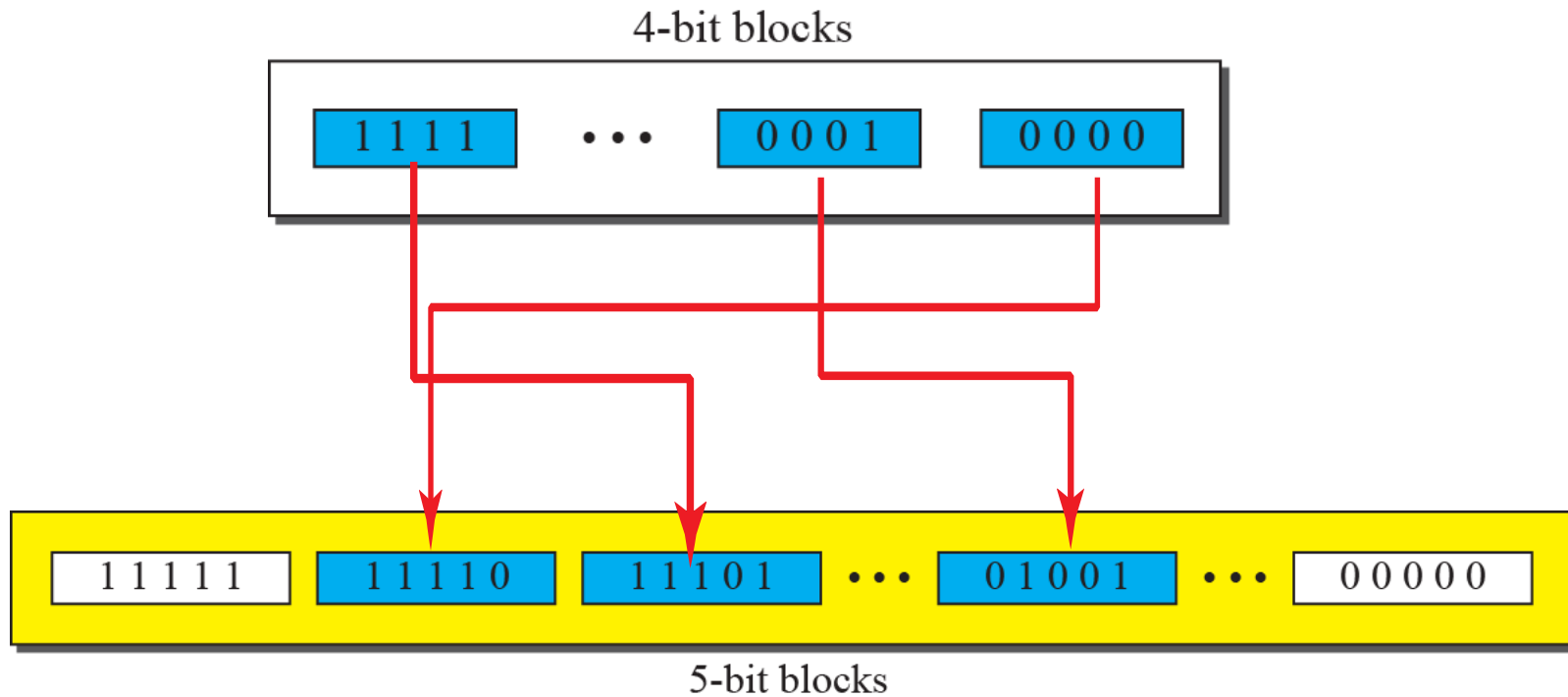


Figure 4.12 *Multilevel: 4D-PAM5 scheme*

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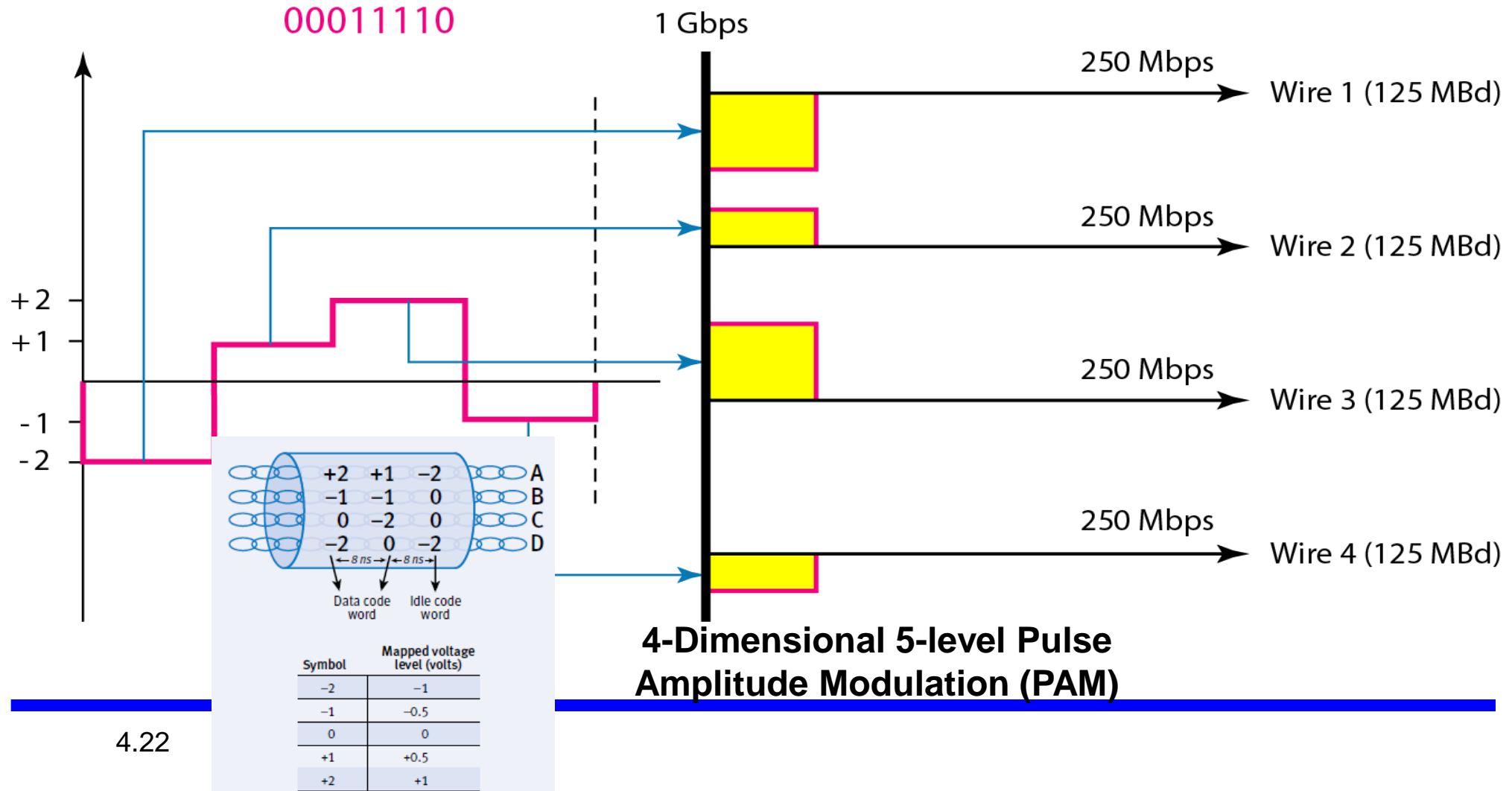
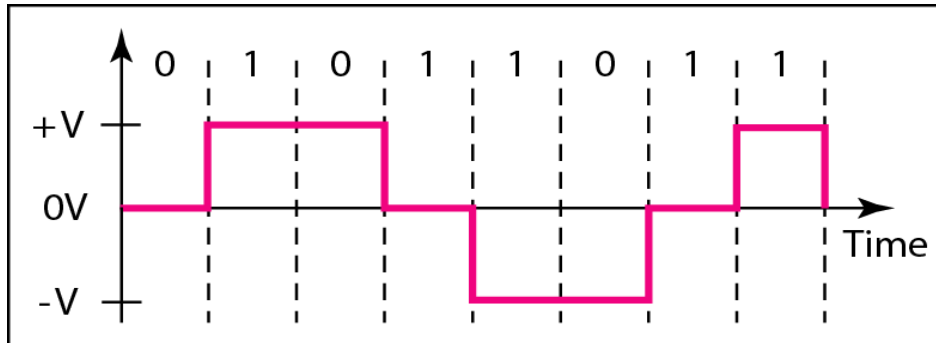
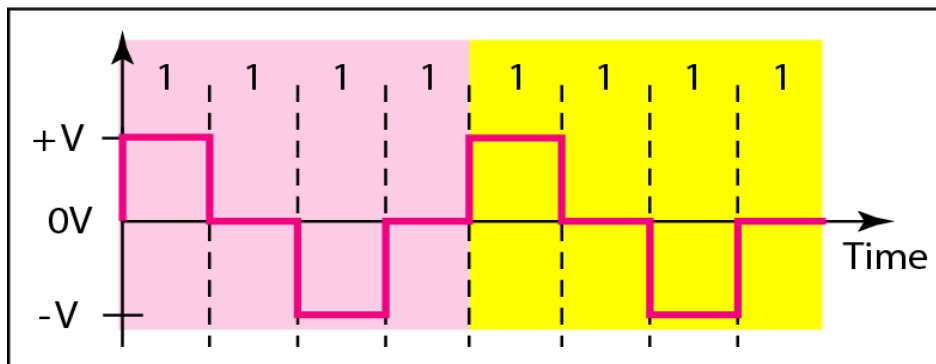


Figure 4.13 *Multitransition: MLT-3 scheme*



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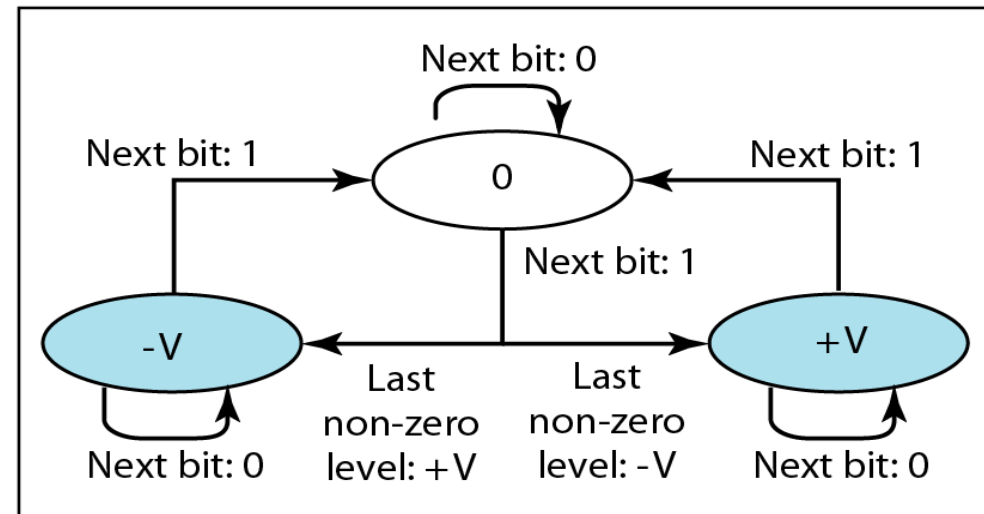
b. Worse case

3 레벨의 신호 (+, 0, -) 과 3 가지 규칙을 사용하여 부호화

다음 비트가 0 이면 레벨 변화가 없다

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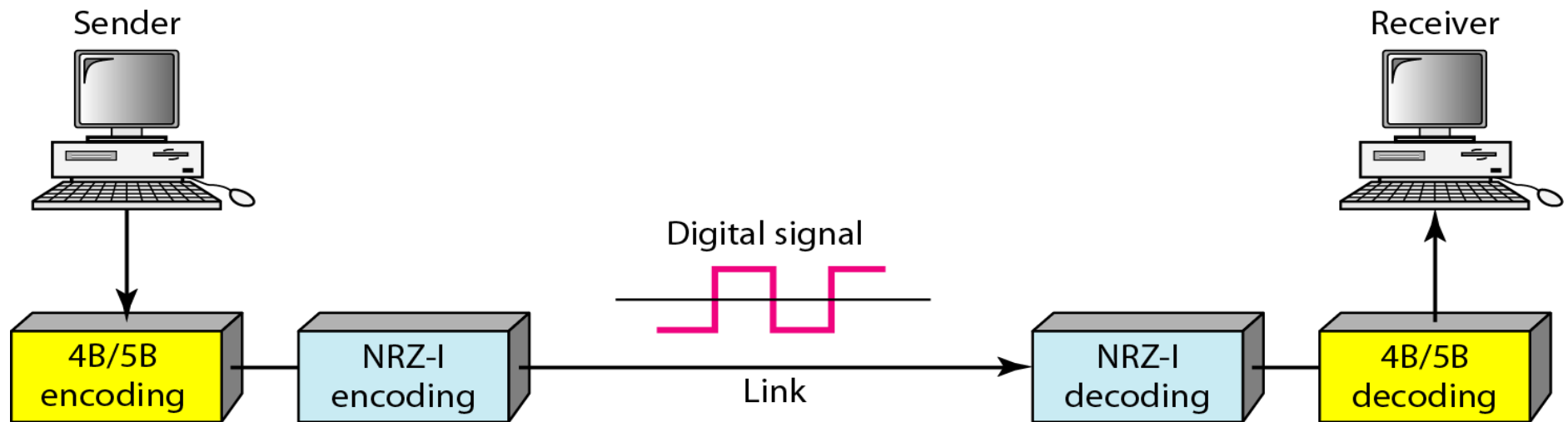


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Figure 4.15 *Using block coding 4B/5B with NRZ-I line coding scheme*



4-2 ANALOG-TO-DIGITAL CONVERSION

*We have seen in Chapter 3 that a digital signal is superior to an analog signal. The tendency today is to change an analog signal to digital data. In this section we describe two techniques, **pulse code modulation** and **delta modulation**.*

Topics discussed in this section:

Pulse Code Modulation (PCM)

Delta Modulation (DM)

Figure 4.21 *Components of PCM encoder*

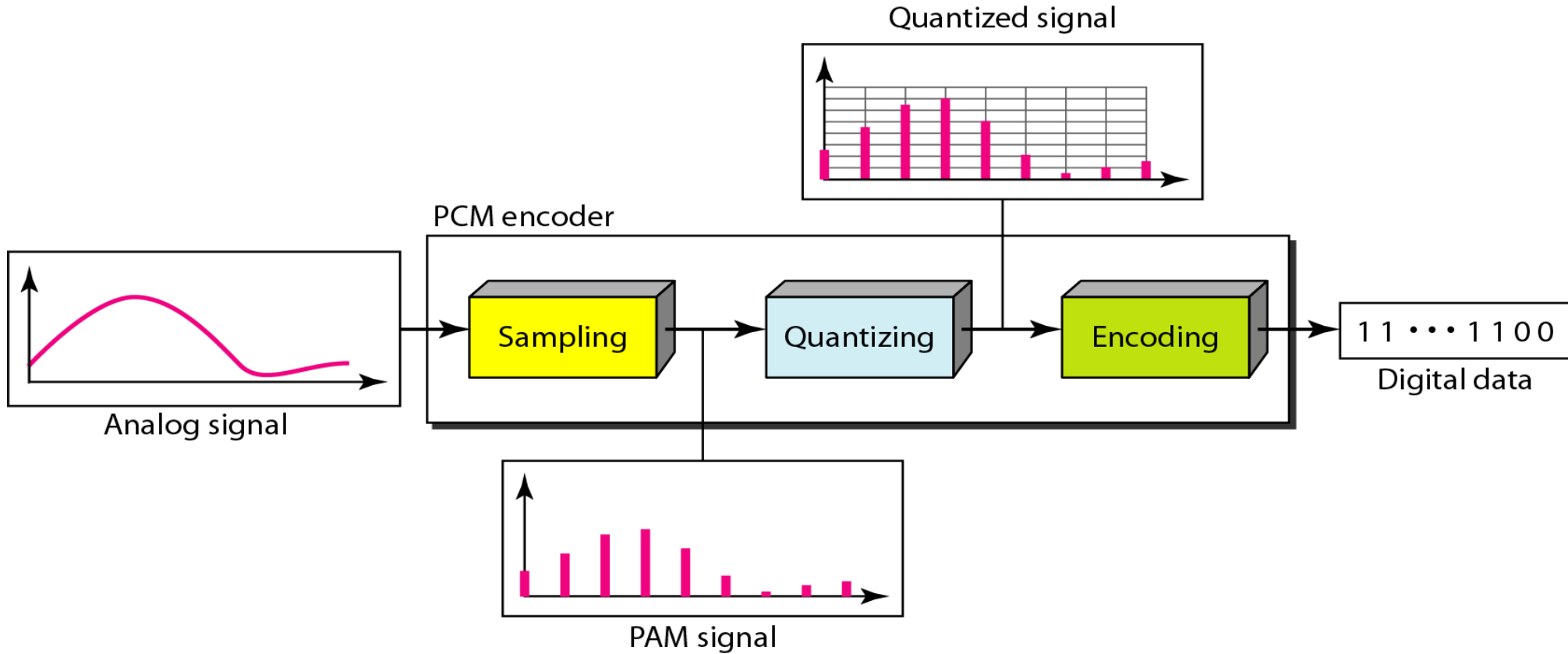


Figure 4.27: Components of a PCM decoder

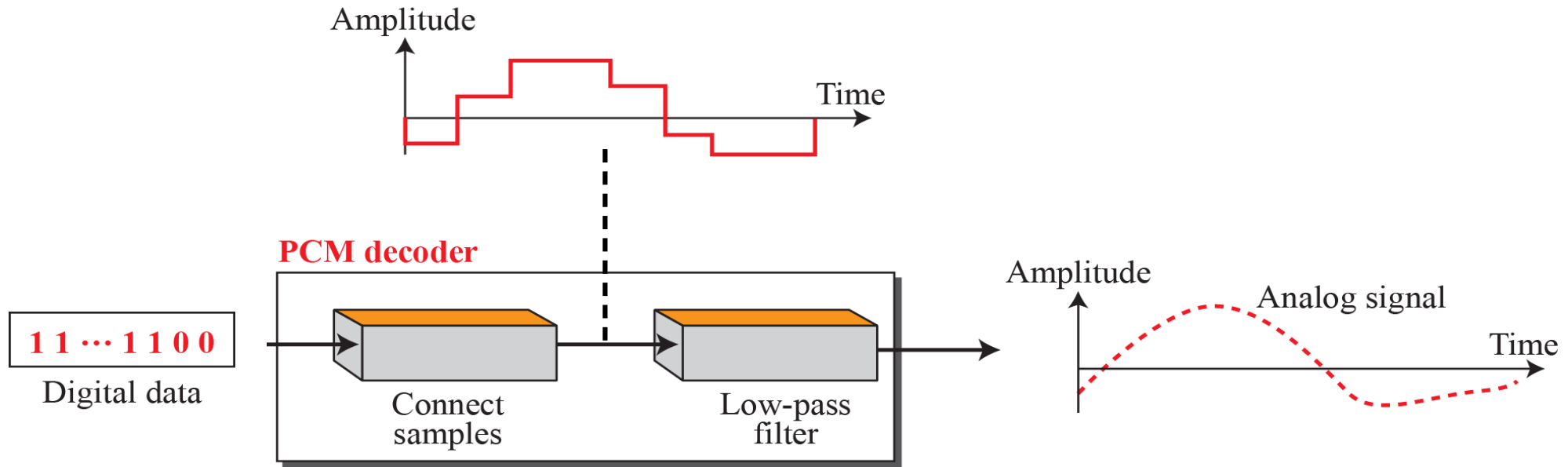
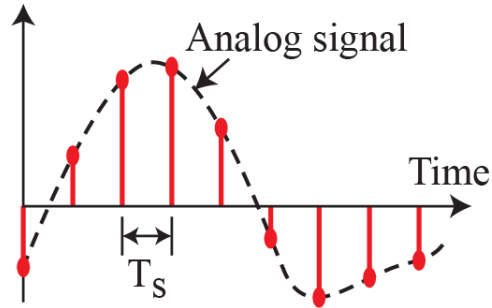


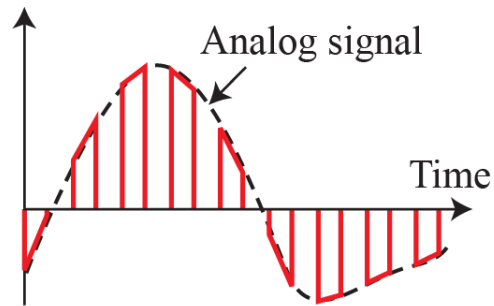
Figure 4.22 *Three different sampling methods for PCM*

Amplitude



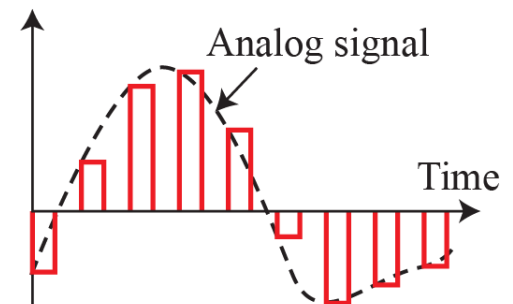
a. Ideal sampling

Amplitude



b. Natural sampling

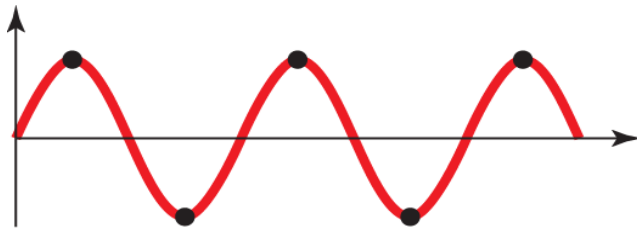
Amplitude



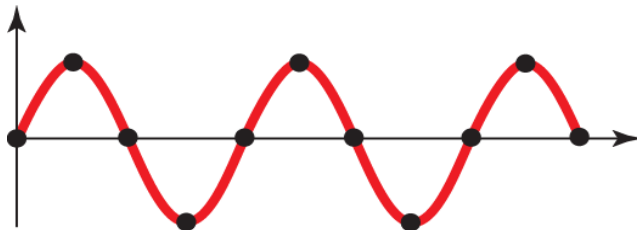
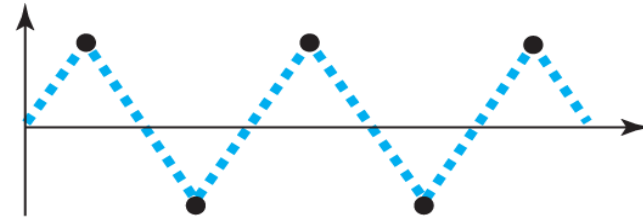
c. Flat-top sampling

the Nyquist theorem $\rightarrow f_s = 2f$ (Nyquist rate)
the sampling and the subsequent recovery of the signal

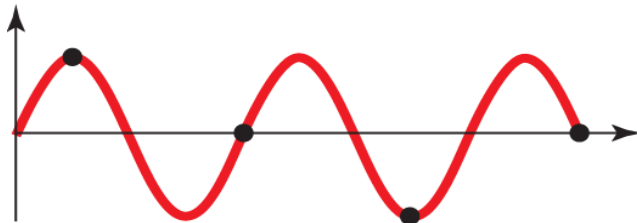
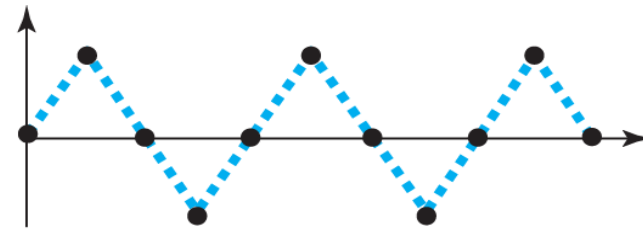
Figure 4.24: Recovery of a sine wave with different sampling rates.



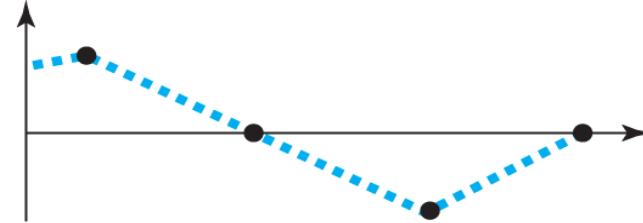
a. Nyquist rate sampling: $f_s = 2f$



b. Oversampling: $f_s = 4f$



c. Undersampling: $f_s = f$



4.3 Transmission Mode

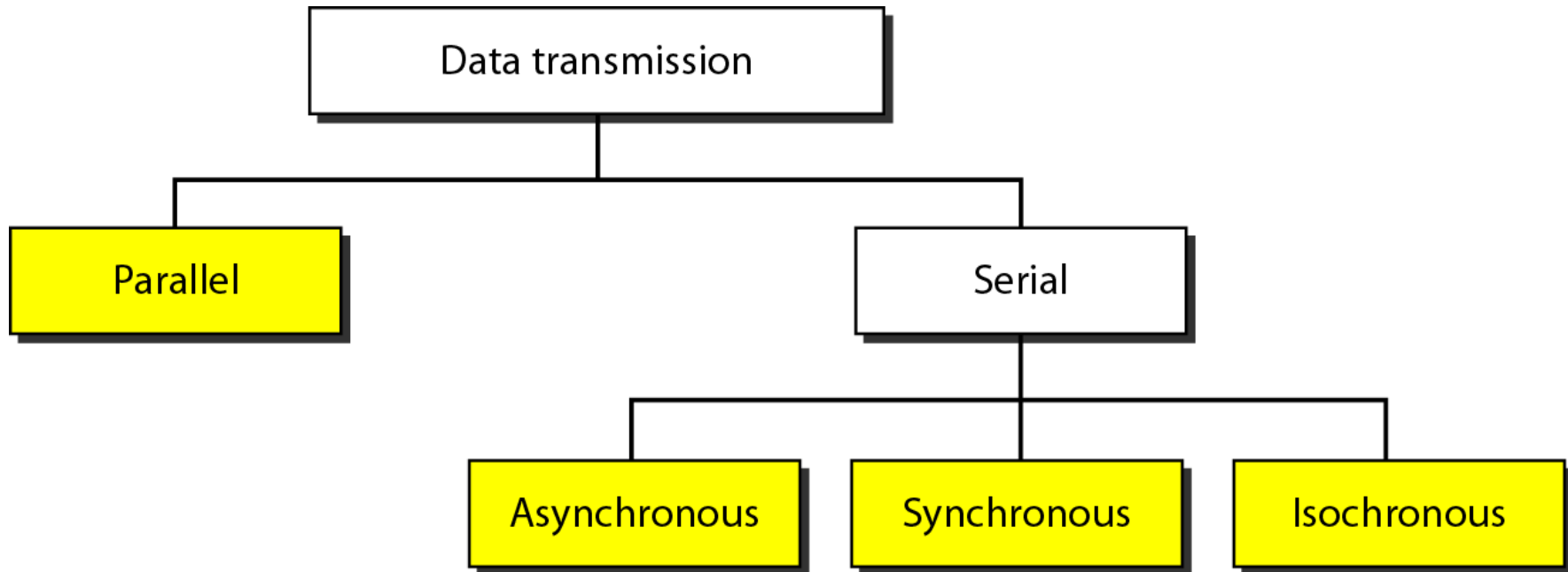


Figure 4.32-33 *Parallel and Serial Transmission*

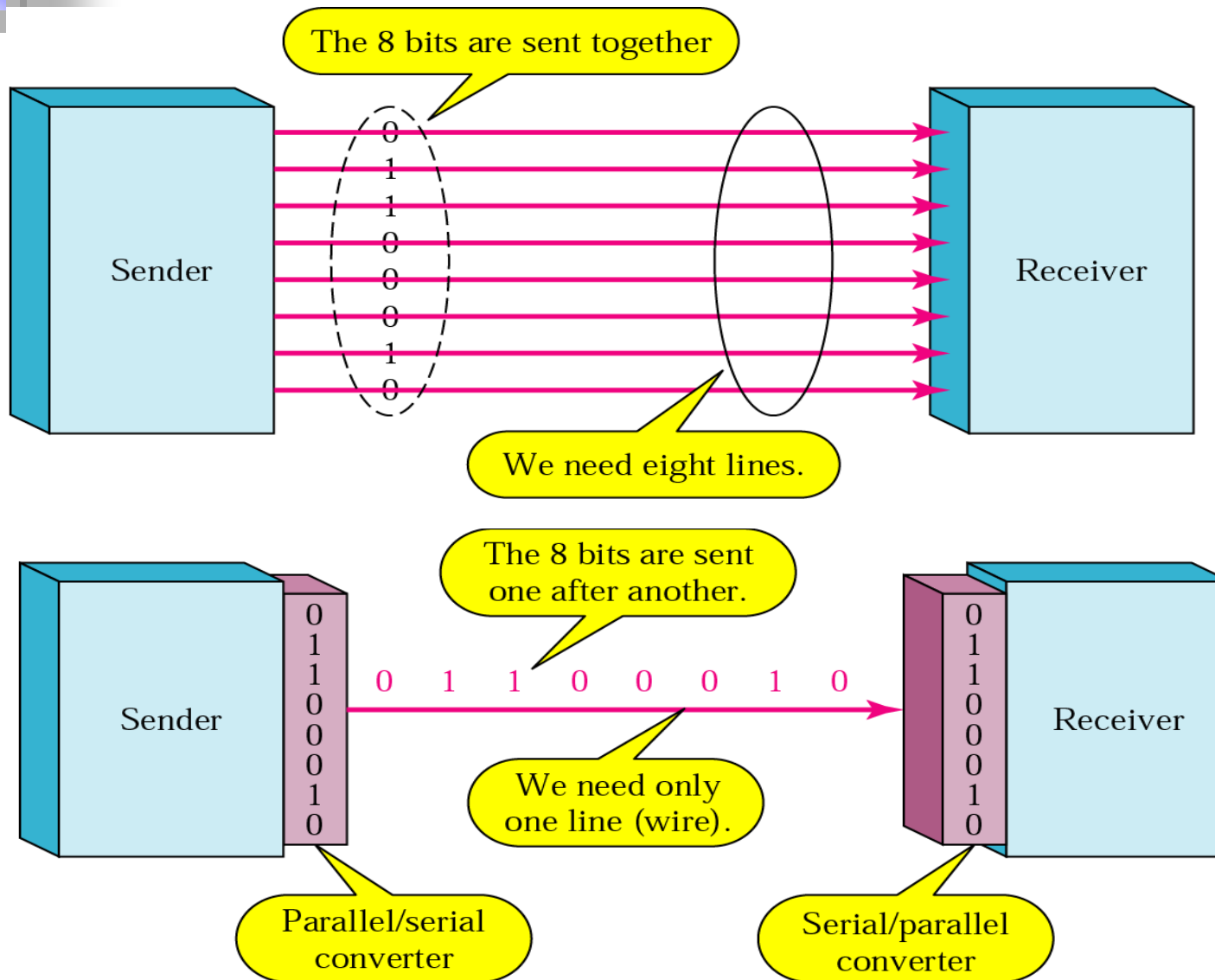
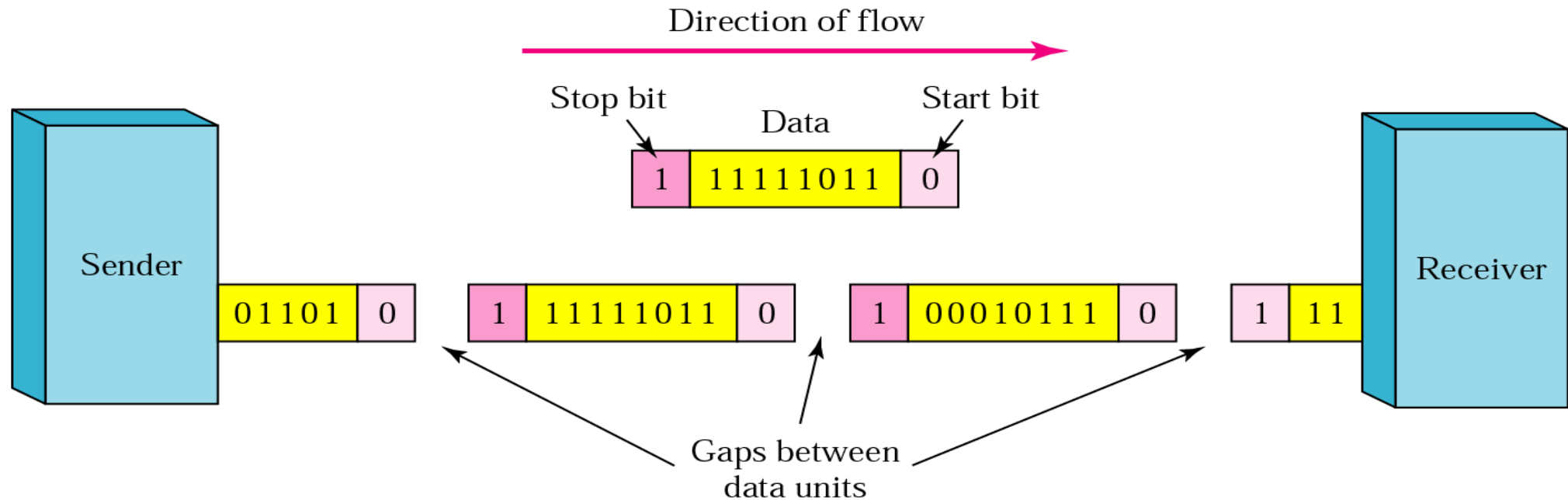
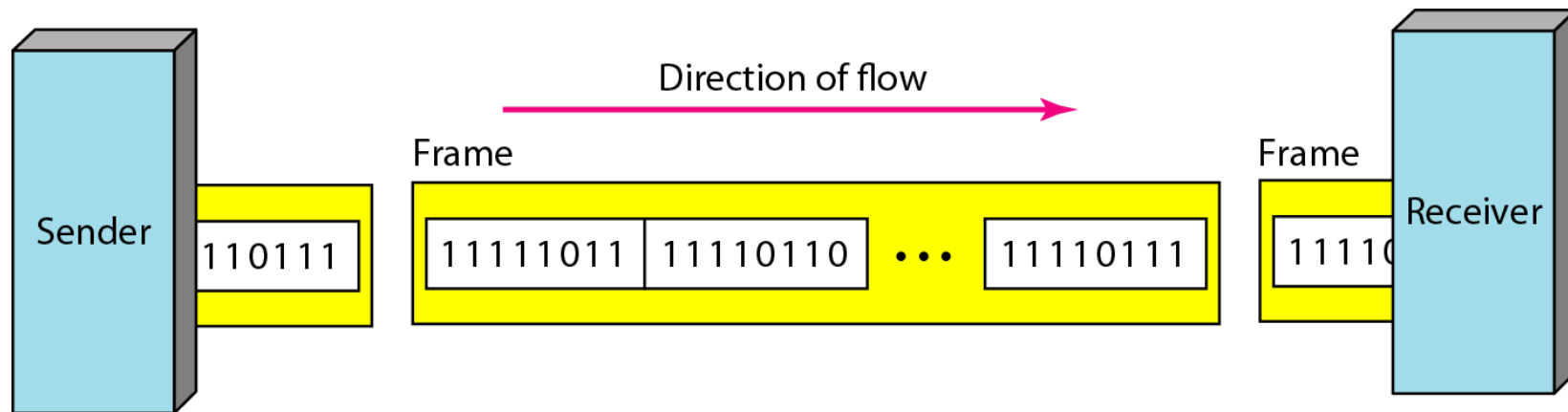


Figure 4.34 *Asynchronous transmission*



Asynchronous here means “asynchronous at the byte level,” but the bits are still synchronized; their durations are the same.

Figure 4.35 *Synchronous transmission*



In synchronous transmission, we send bits one after another without start or stop bits or gaps. It is the responsibility of the receiver to group the bits.