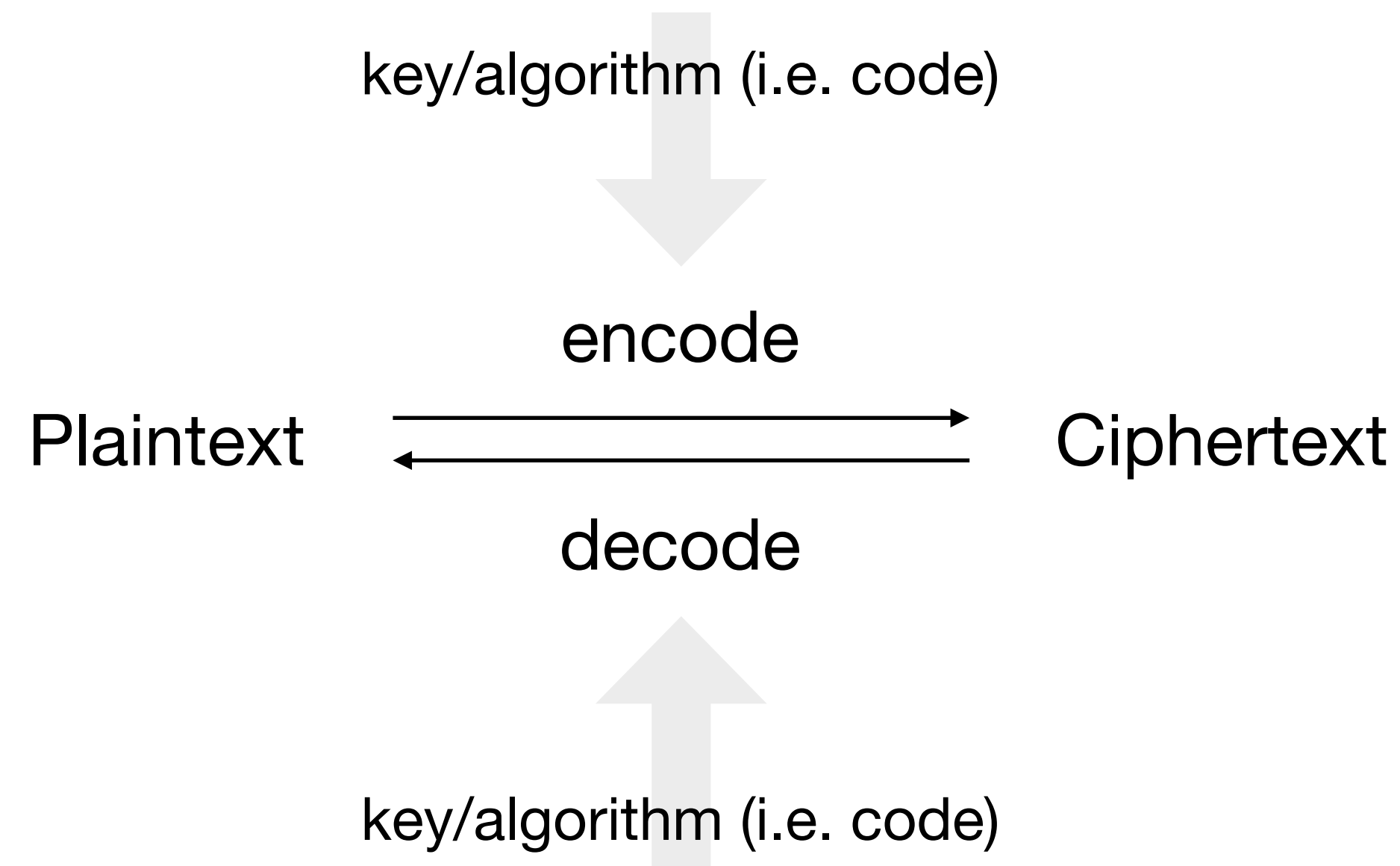
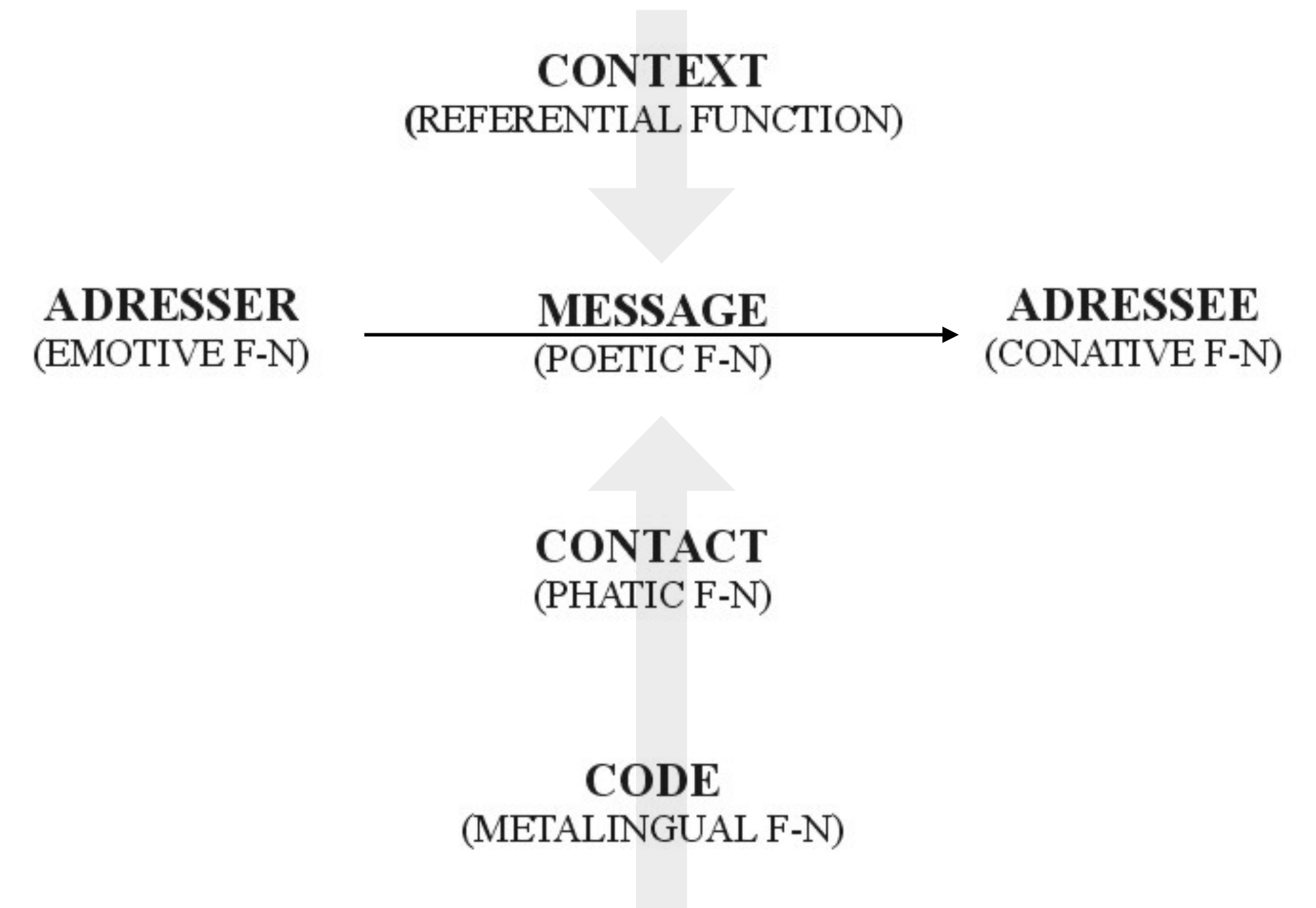


Code as Cipher (2)

- acts upon a medium rather than manifesting its own meaning
- -> meta-linguistic/reflexive rather than representative/referential
i.e. pointing to an object in the material world (at least for realists)



The General Scheme of a Cryptosystem



Jakobson's Communication Model

Computer/Program Code

- a set of instructions forming a computer program
- programmers write source code, which must be compiled to machine code before the computer executes it

Source Code

(human understandable script)

compilation

Machine Code

(machine understandable instructions)