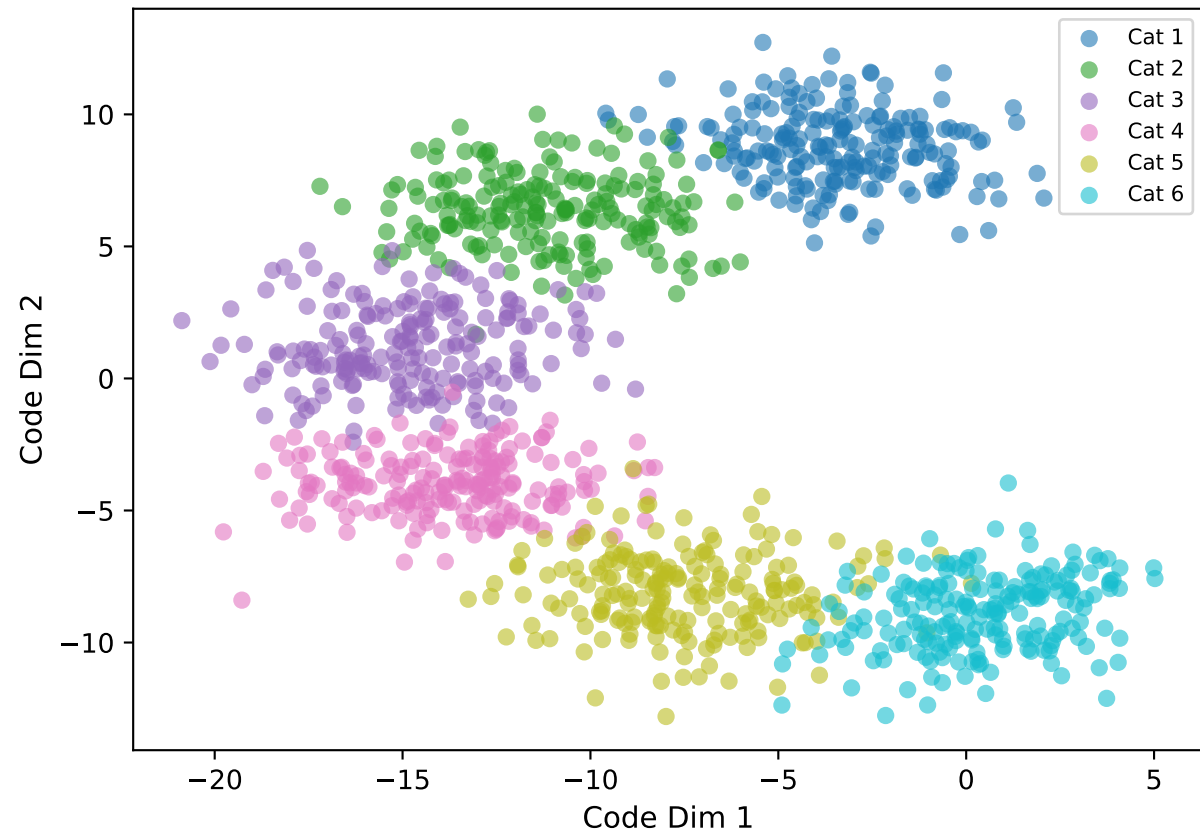


A. $k=2$: Discrete "Beads"
(Forced Discretization)



B. $k=3$: Continuous "Ring"
(Lazy Transmission)

