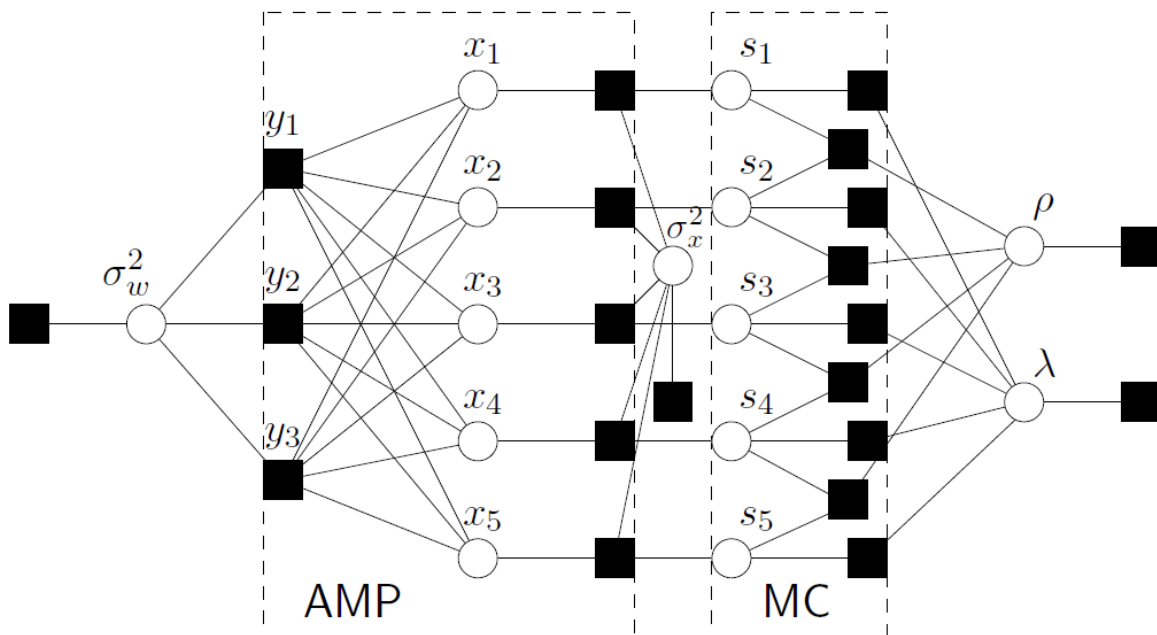


# Approximate Message Passing for Bilinear Models



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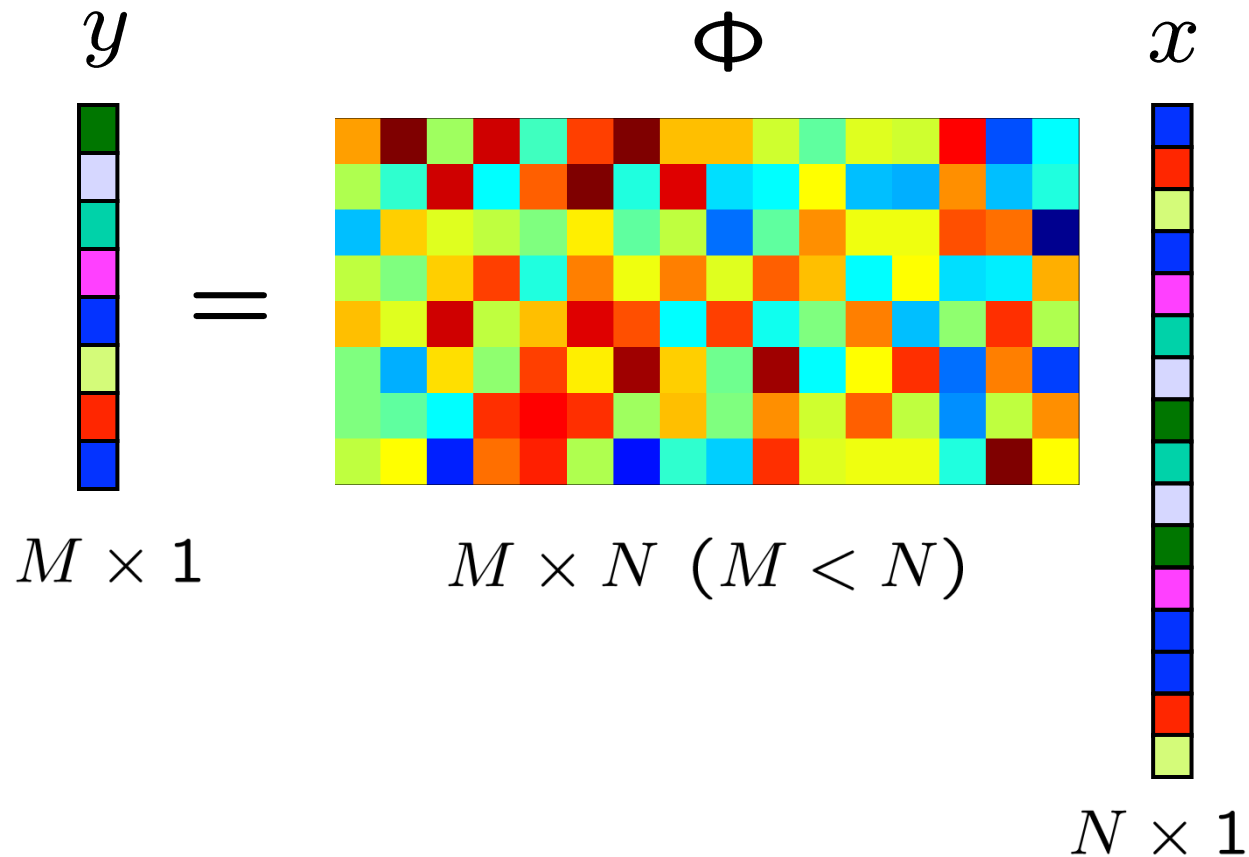
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**Information theory**

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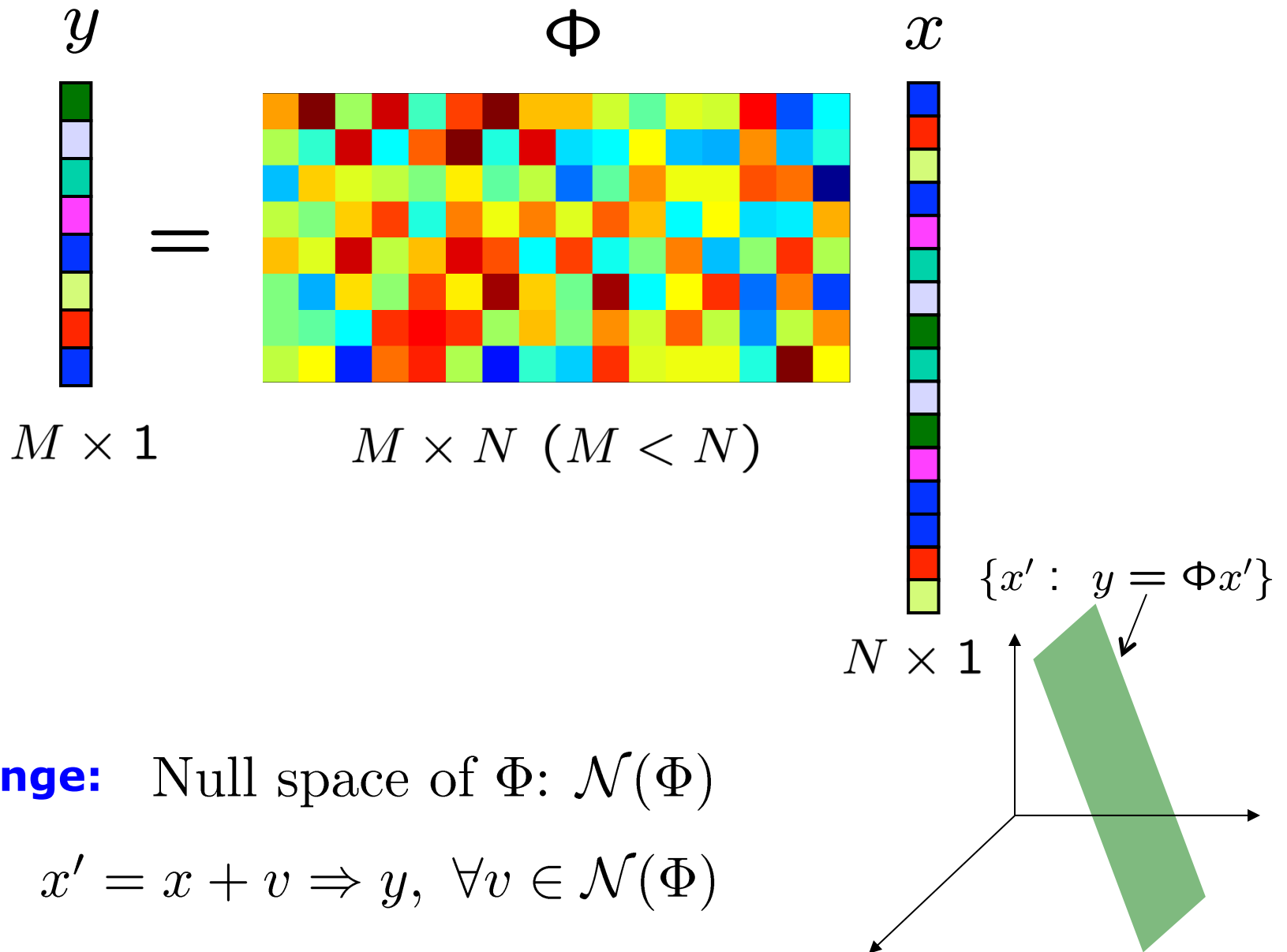
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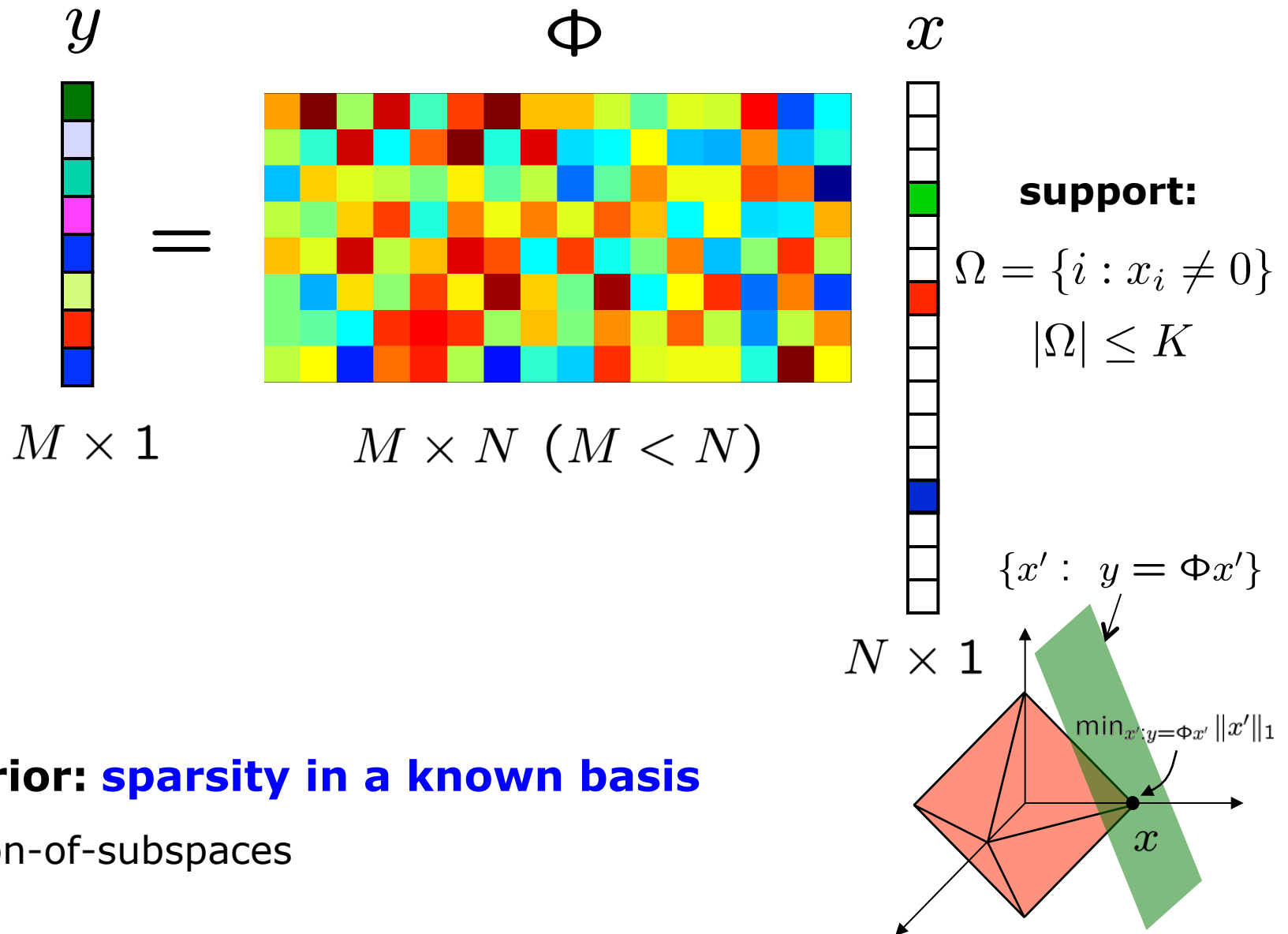
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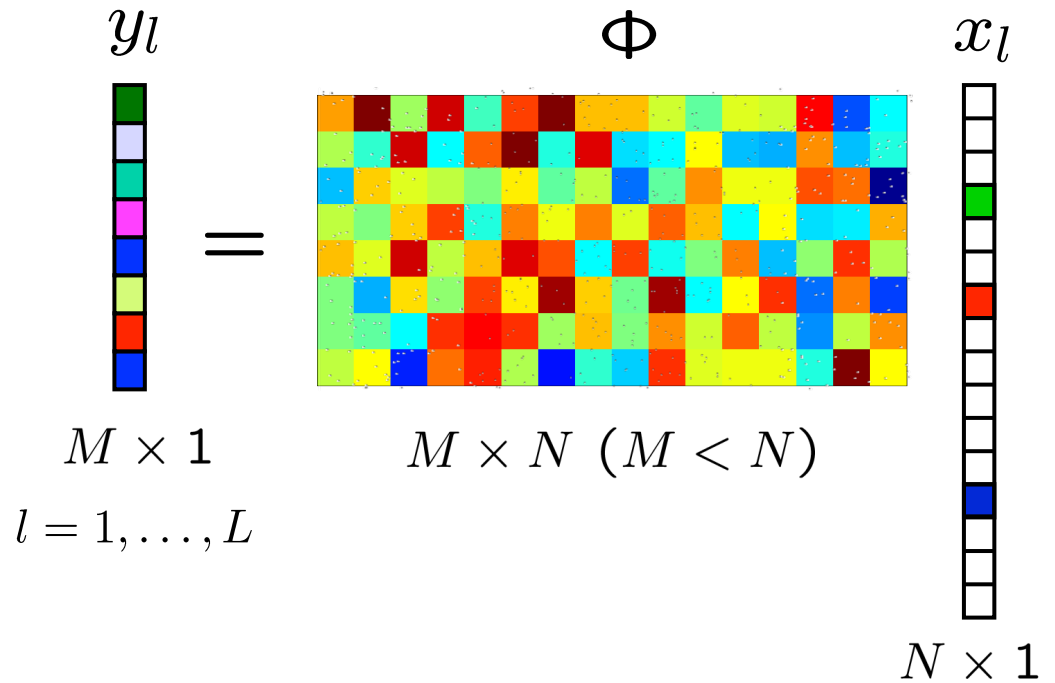
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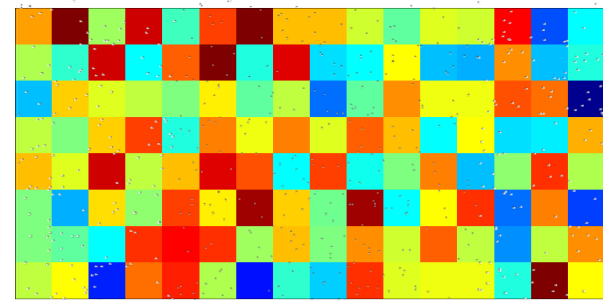
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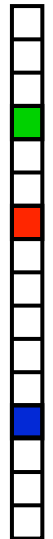
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# Example Approaches

	Geometric 	Combinatorial $\binom{N}{K}$	Probabilistic 
Idea	atomic norm / TV regularization	non-convex (sparsity) constraints	Distributions on the space of unknowns
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Algorithm based on alternating minimization	Nesterov acceleration, Augmented Lagrangian, Bregman distance, DR splitting, ...	Hard thresholding (IHT, CoSaMP, SP, ALPS, OMP) + SVD	Variational Bayes, Gibbs sampling, MCMC, Approximate message passing (AMP)
Literature	Mairal et al. 2008; Zhang & Chan 2009, ...	Aharon et al. 2006 (KSVD); Rubinstein et al. 2009, ...	Zhou et al. 2009; Donoho et al. 2009, ...

# Probabilistic View

## *An Introduction to Approximate Message Passing (AMP)*

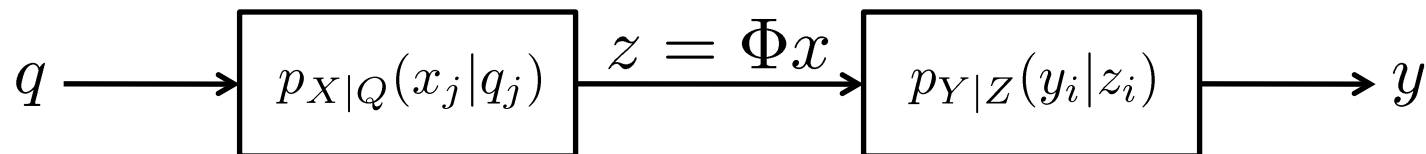




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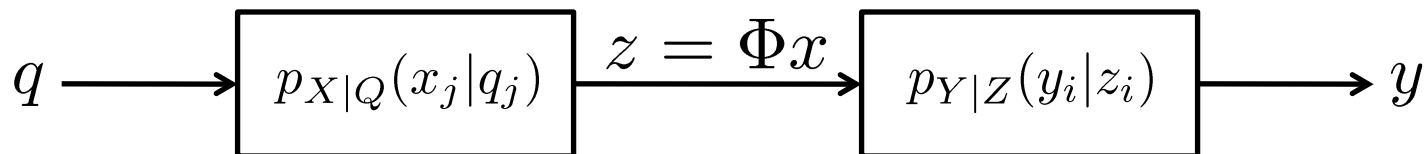
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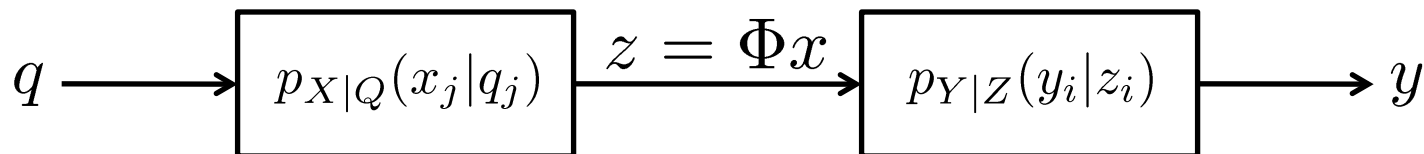
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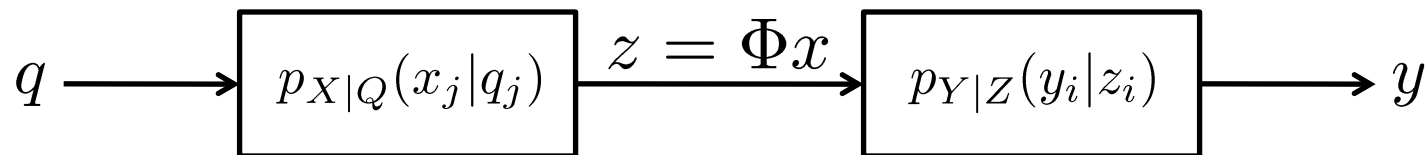
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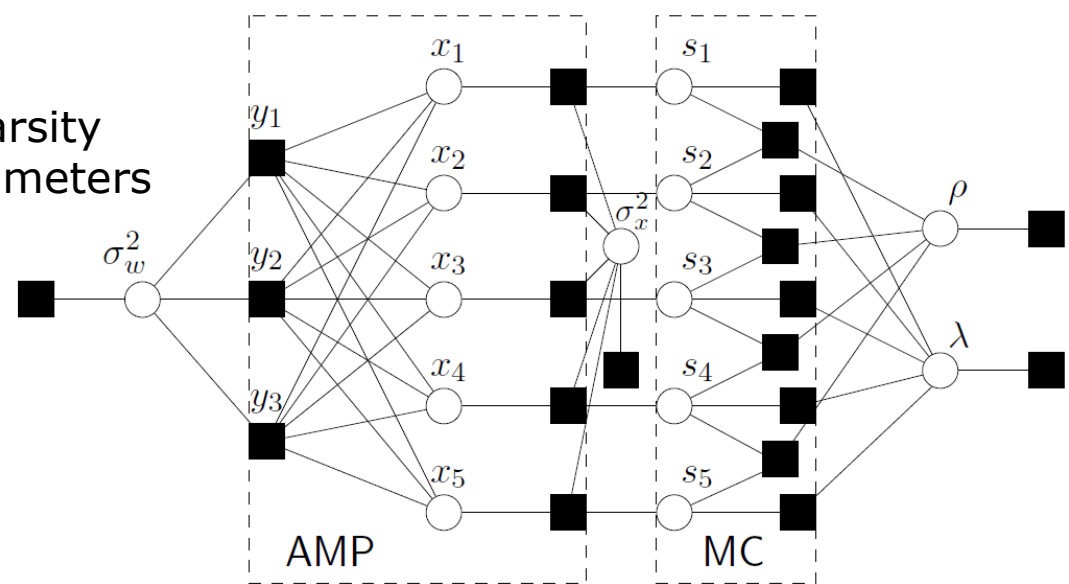
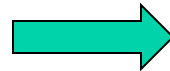
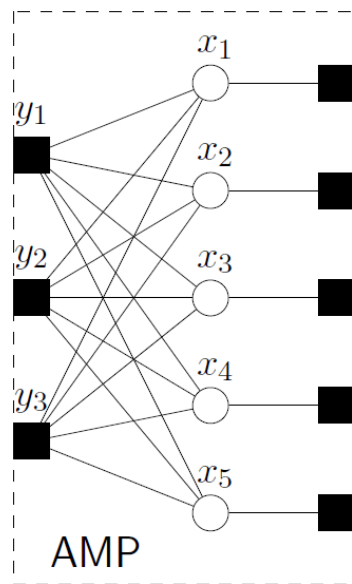
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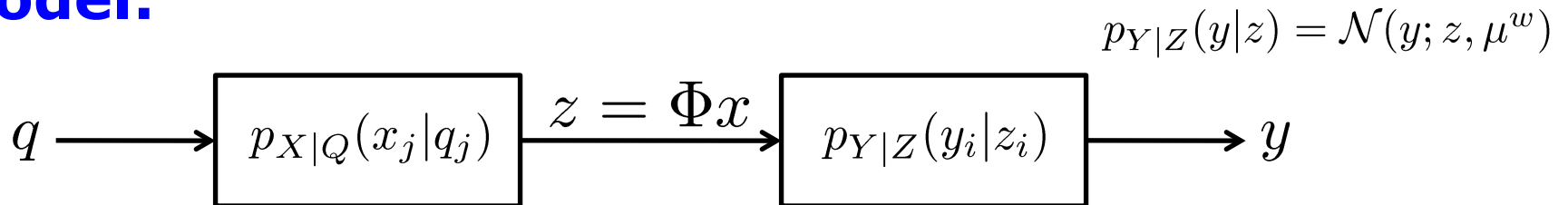
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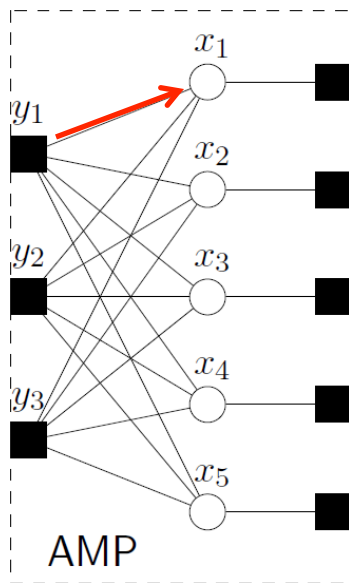
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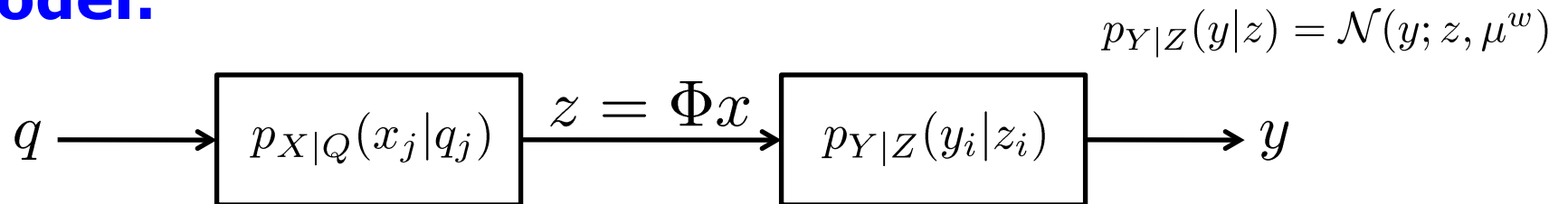
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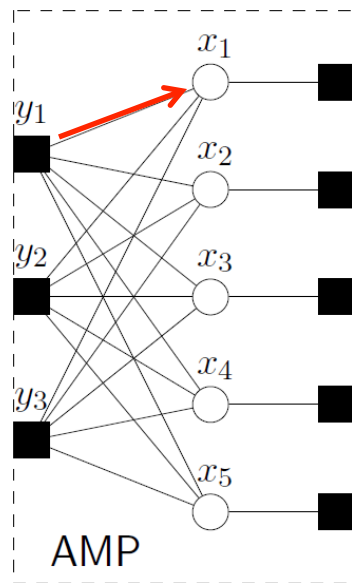
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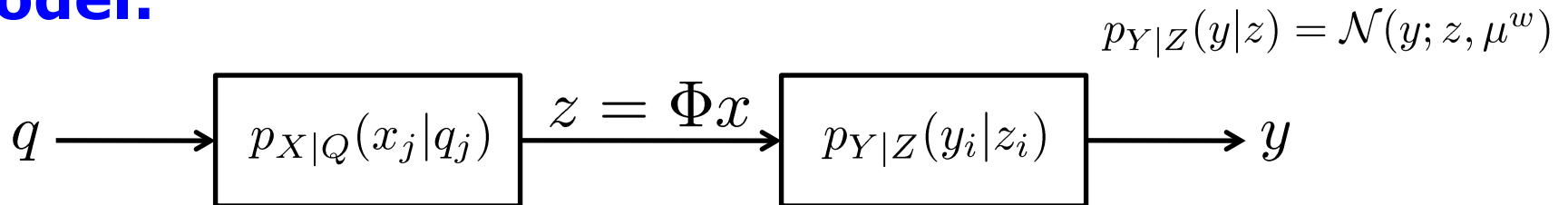
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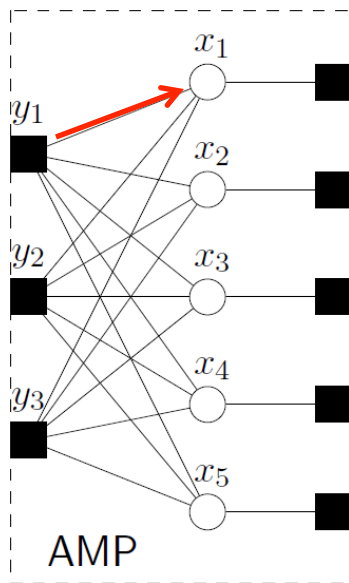
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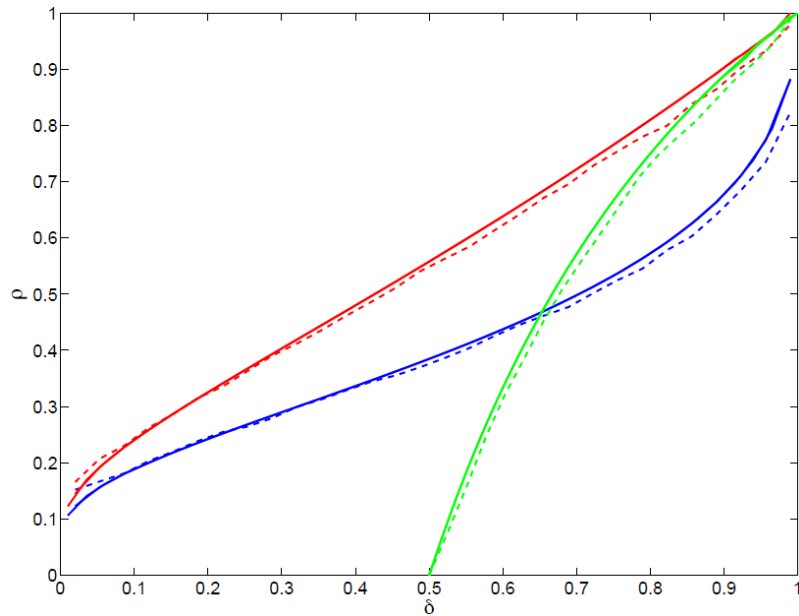
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**Taylor series approximation**

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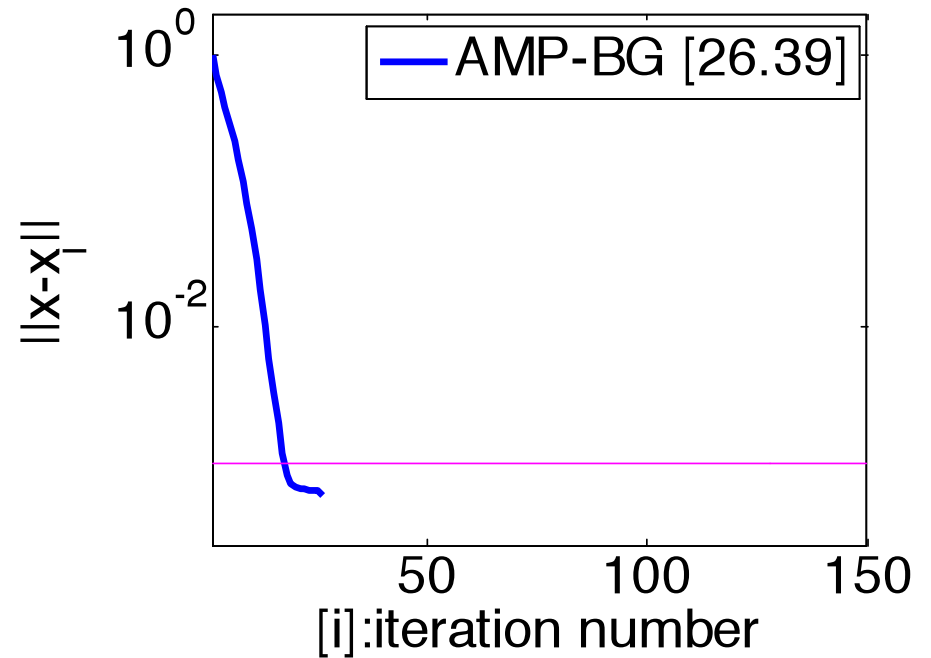


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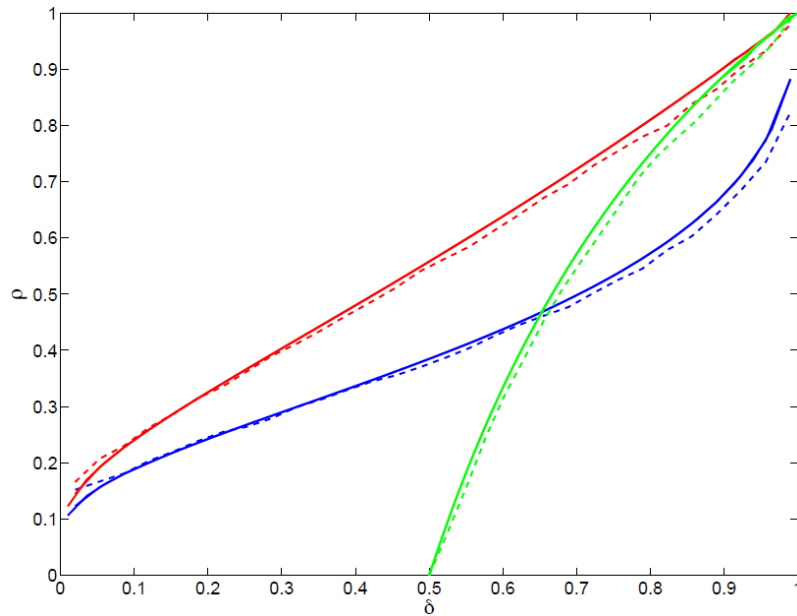
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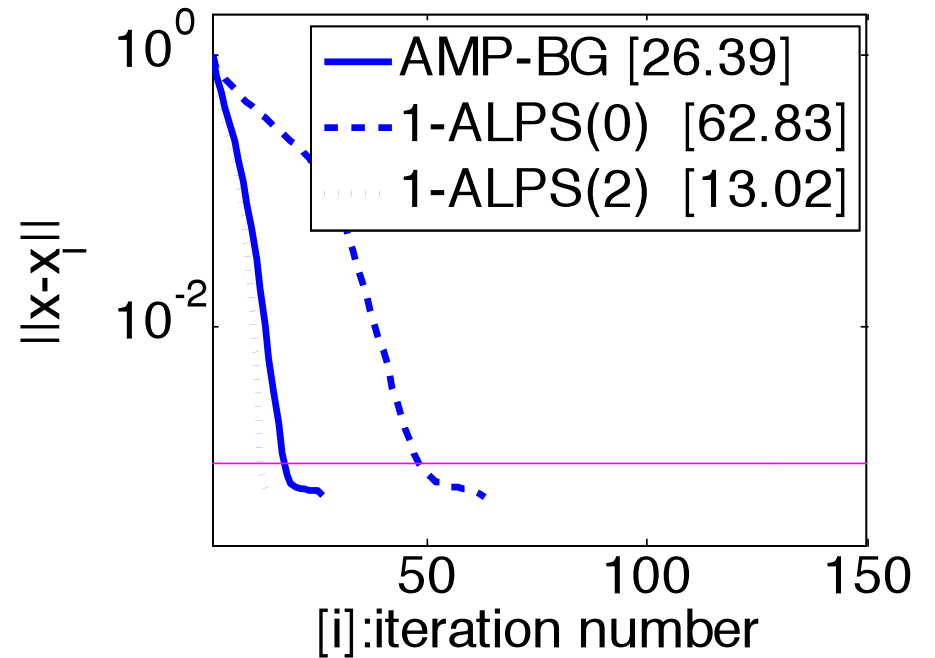


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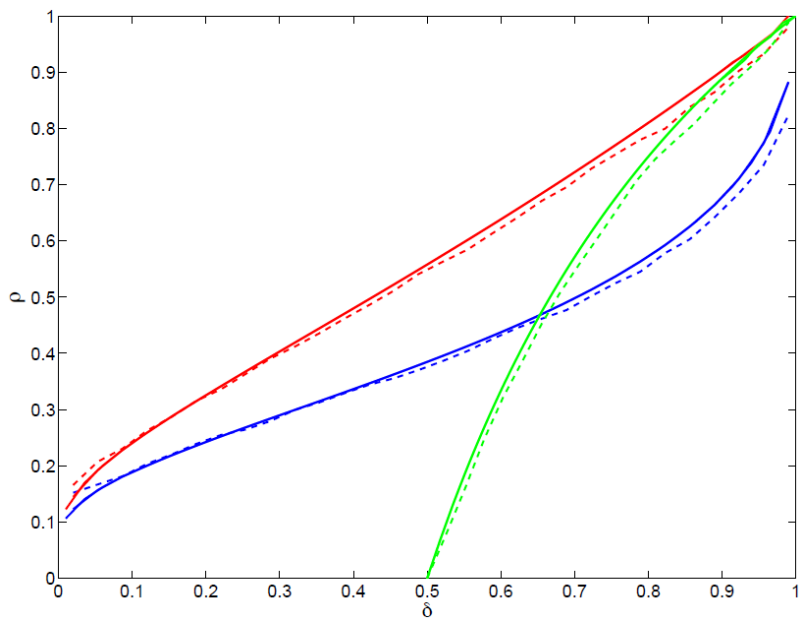
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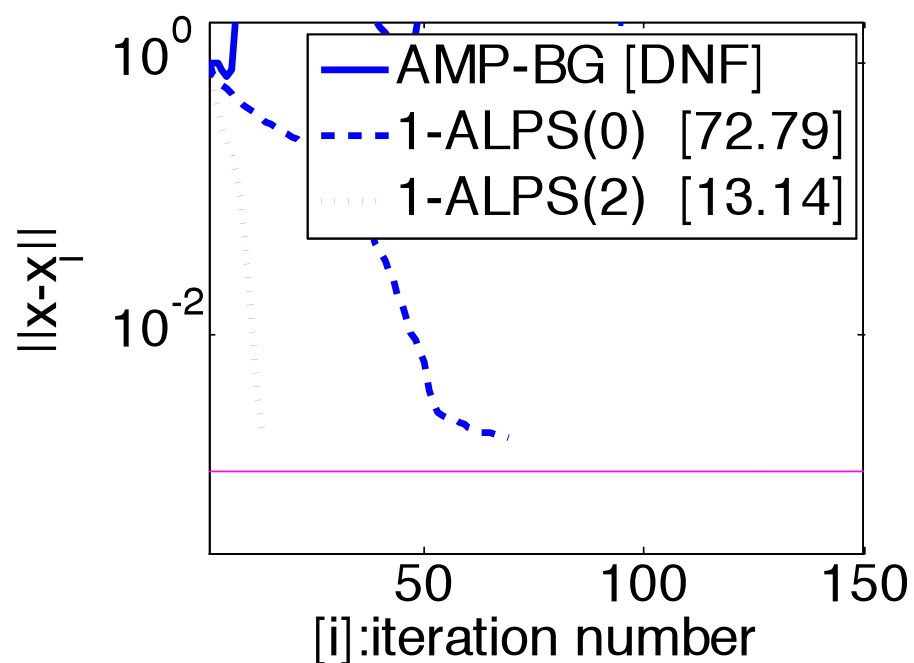
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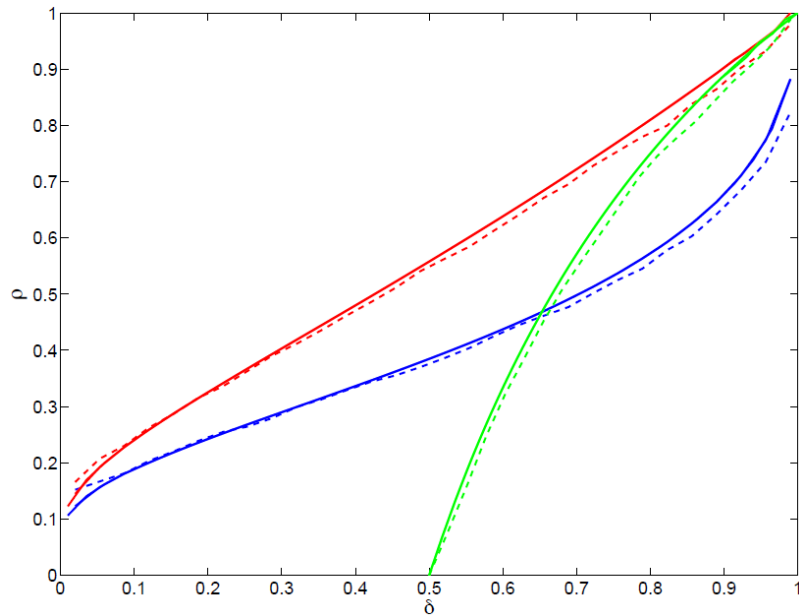
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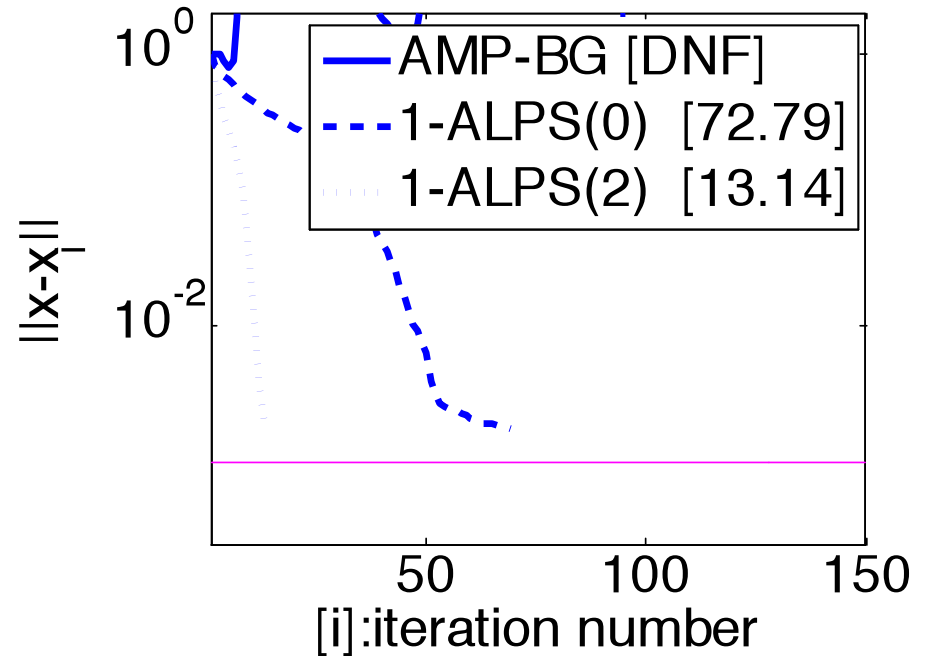
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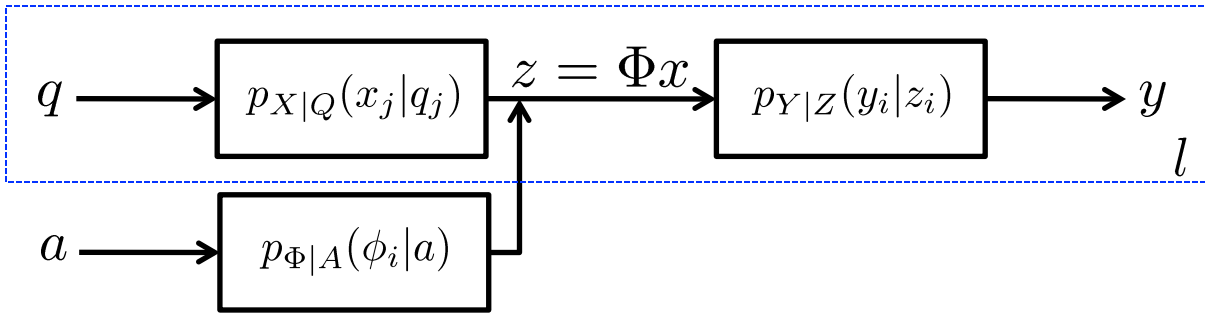
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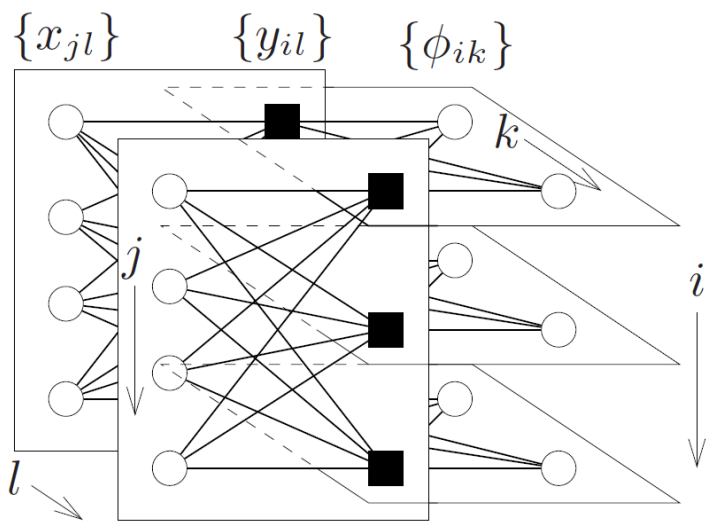
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- **Algorithm:**

graphical model



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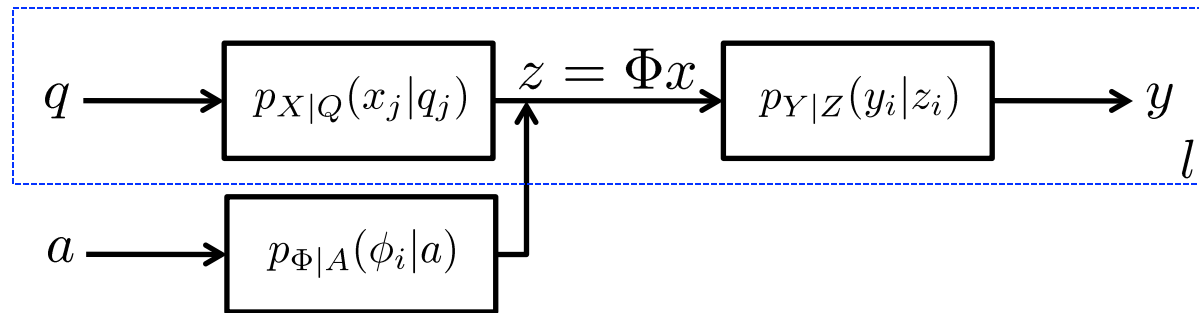
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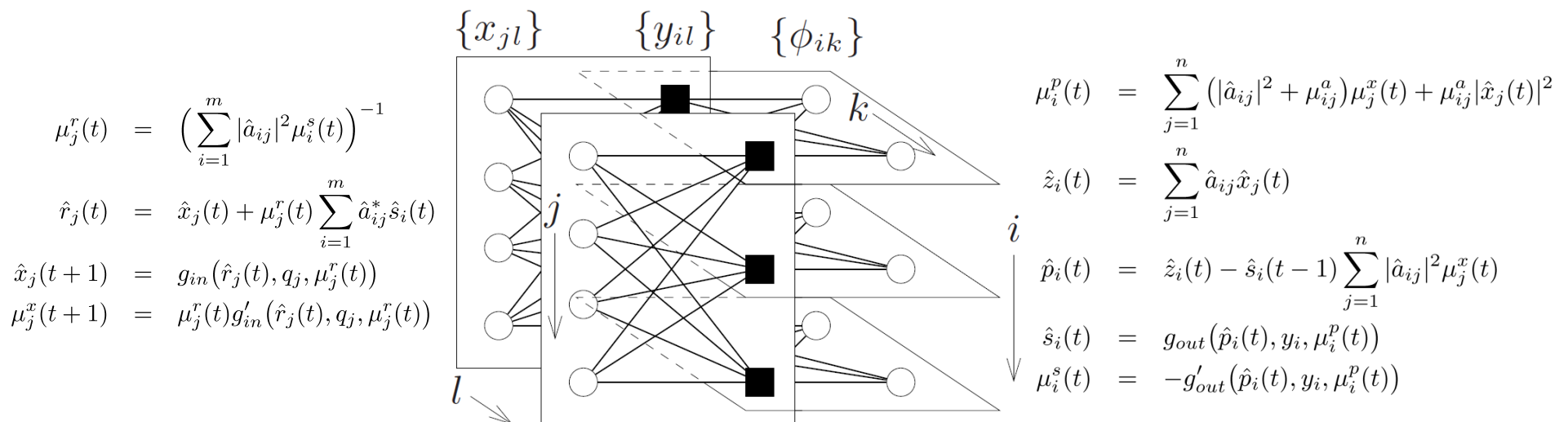
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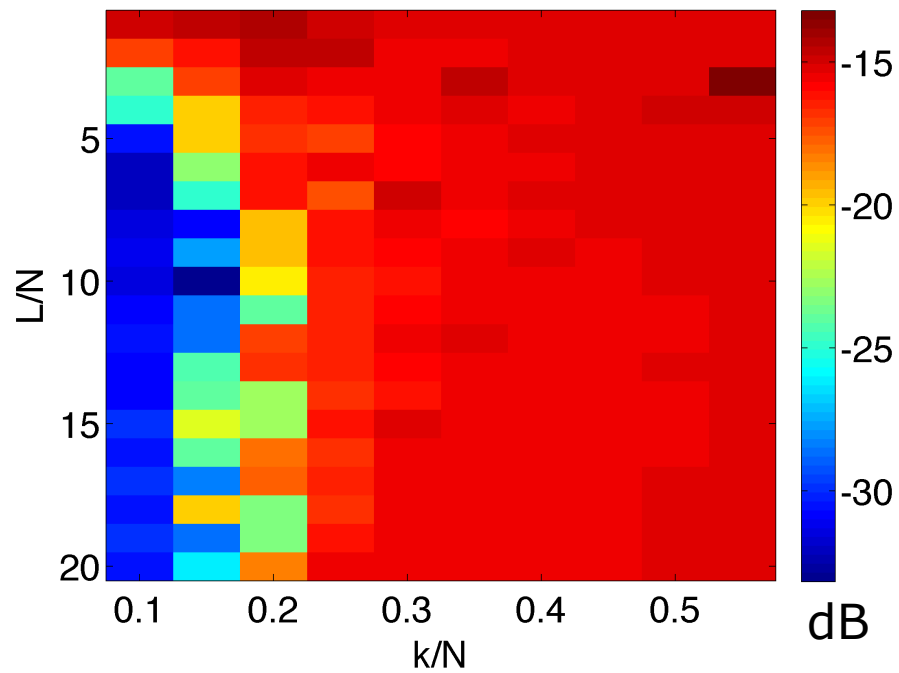
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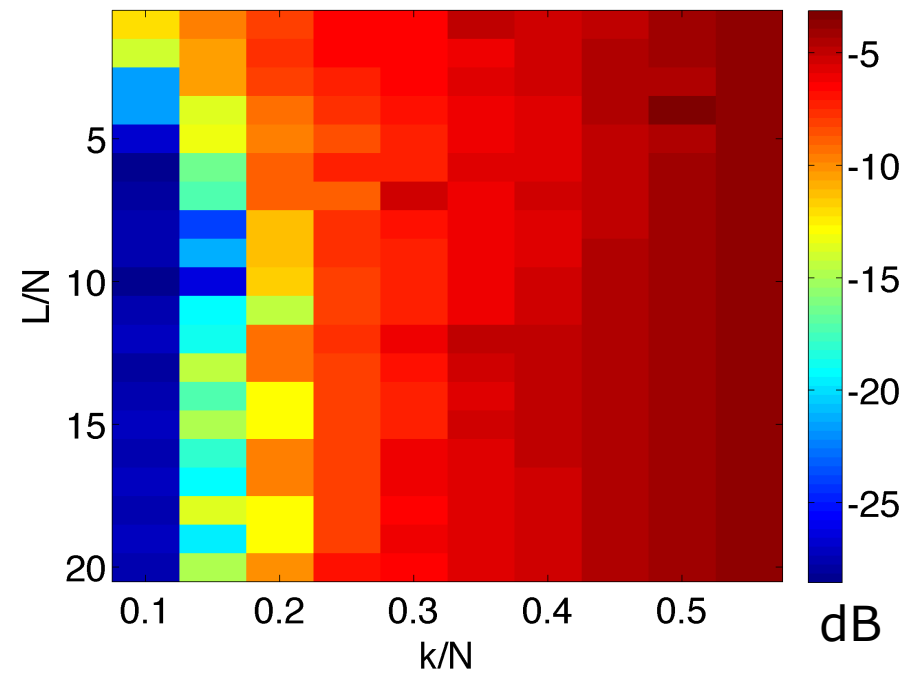


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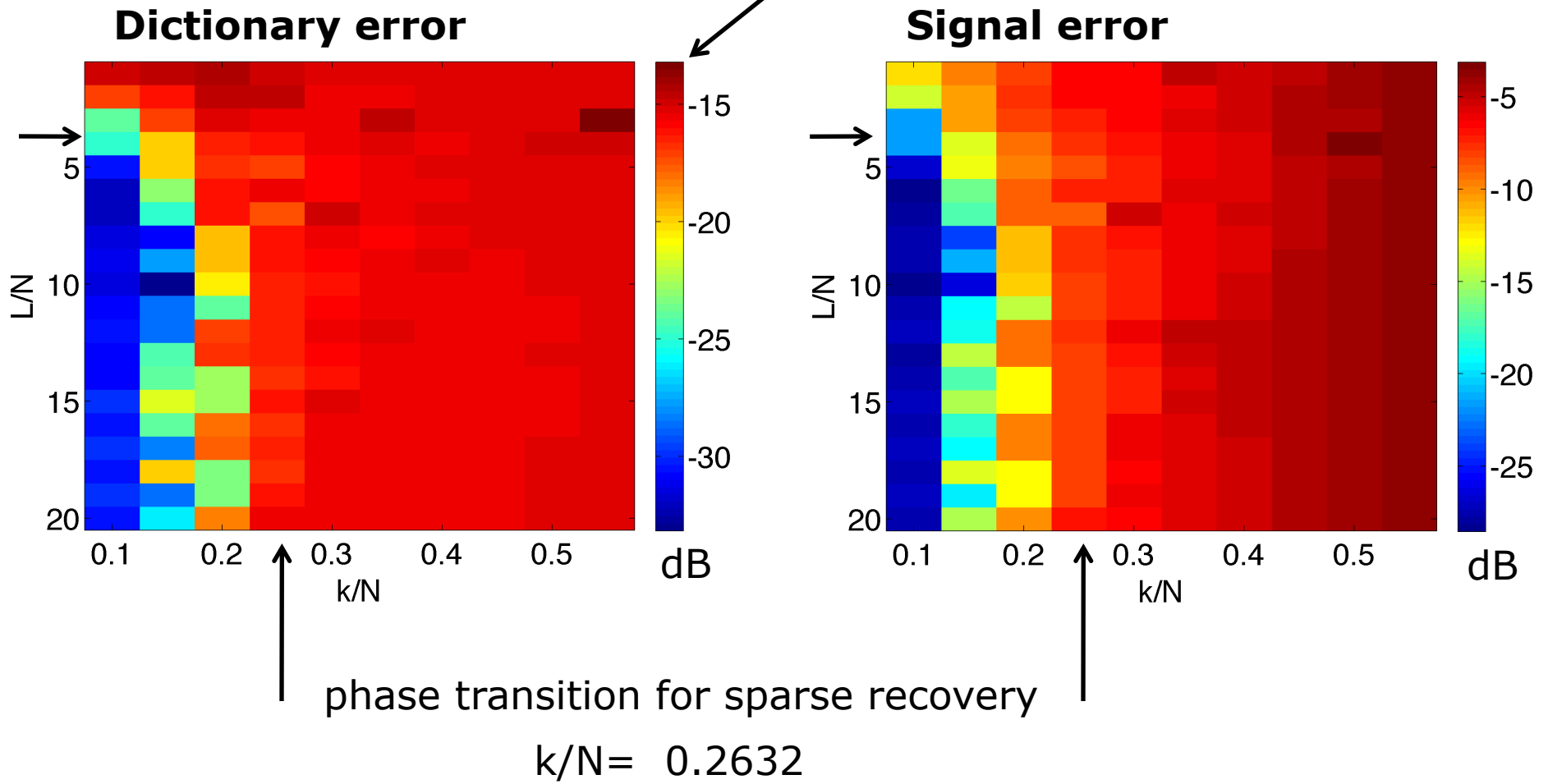


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# Synthetic Calibration Example

starting noise level -14.7dB





# Conclusions

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asymptotic analysis
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