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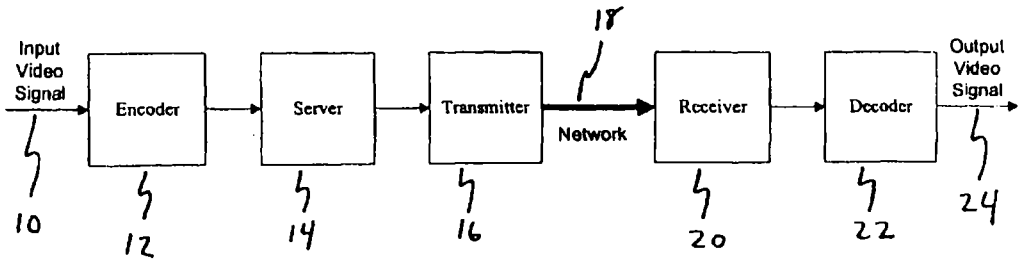
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(57) Abstract: In an encoding process, video data are represented as a bitstream of a quantisized base layer and at least two enhancement layers, with each picture in each layer identified by a start code. The base layer, plus a number of enhancement layers capable of being transmitted by the communication channel's bandwidth, are transmitted on the communication channel.

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