

ABSTRACT

The present invention discloses a video decoding method and a video decoder. The method includes: parsing a received bitstream to obtain a to-be-entropy-decoded syntax element in a current block, where the to-be-entropy-decoded syntax element in the current block includes a syntax element 1 or a syntax element 2 in the current block; obtaining a context model corresponding to the to-be-entropy-decoded syntax element, where a context model corresponding to the syntax element 1 is determined from a preset context model set, or a context model corresponding to the syntax element 2 is determined from the context model set; performing entropy decoding on the to-be-entropy-decoded syntax element based on the context model corresponding to the to-be-entropy-decoded syntax element in the current block; performing prediction processing on the current block based on a syntax element that is in the current block and that is obtained through entropy decoding, to obtain a prediction block of the current block; and obtaining a reconstructed image of the current block based on the prediction block of the current block. According to the present invention, less storage space can be occupied by a context model.

FIGURE 10