

PCM NOTE:

Sampling: A train of narrow rectangular pulses are used to sample the message signal.

Sampling frequency f_s must be greater than twice the highest frequency of the message signal i.e. $f_s > 2f_m$.

Quantization: \rightarrow Quantizer \rightarrow approximation or rounding off

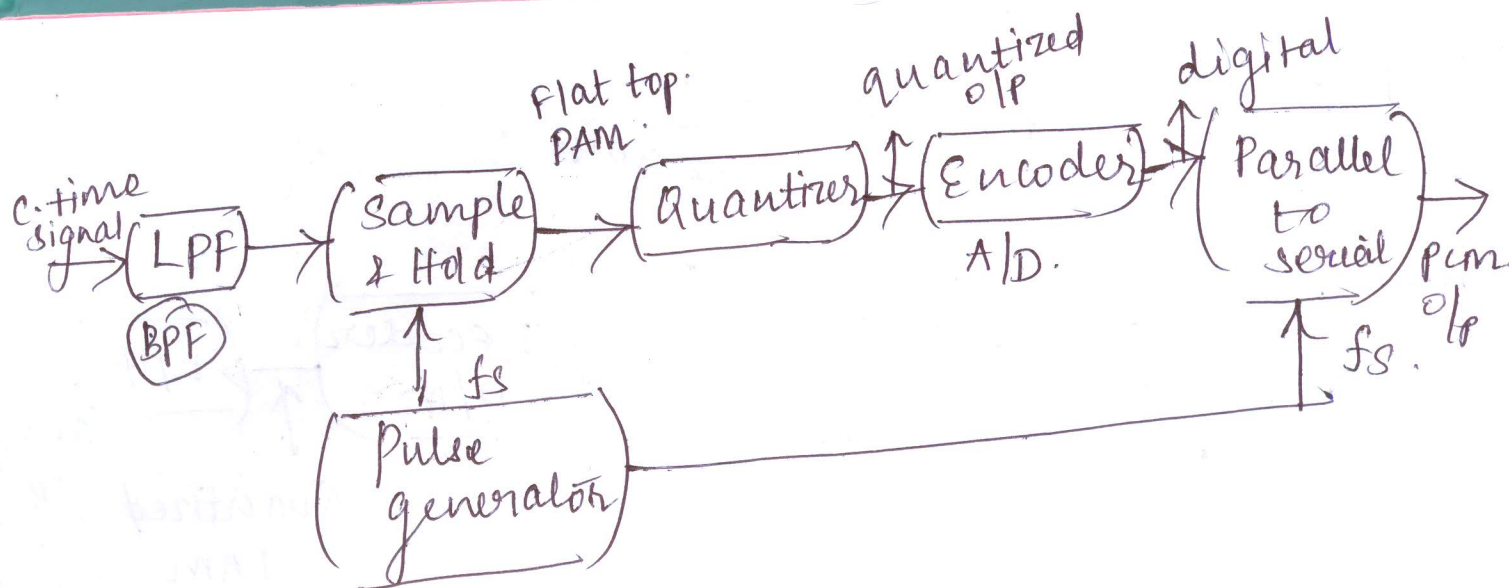
The process of making the signal discrete in amplitude by approximating the sampled signal to the nearest predefined or representation level is called quantization.

When step size between two adjacent level is same throughout the signal range is called uniform quantization.

If the step size varies depending on the \updownarrow then ~~the~~ it is known as non-uniform.

Encoding: (Encoder:)

The encoder is used to encode the discrete set of samples. The process of allocating some digital code to each level is called encoding.



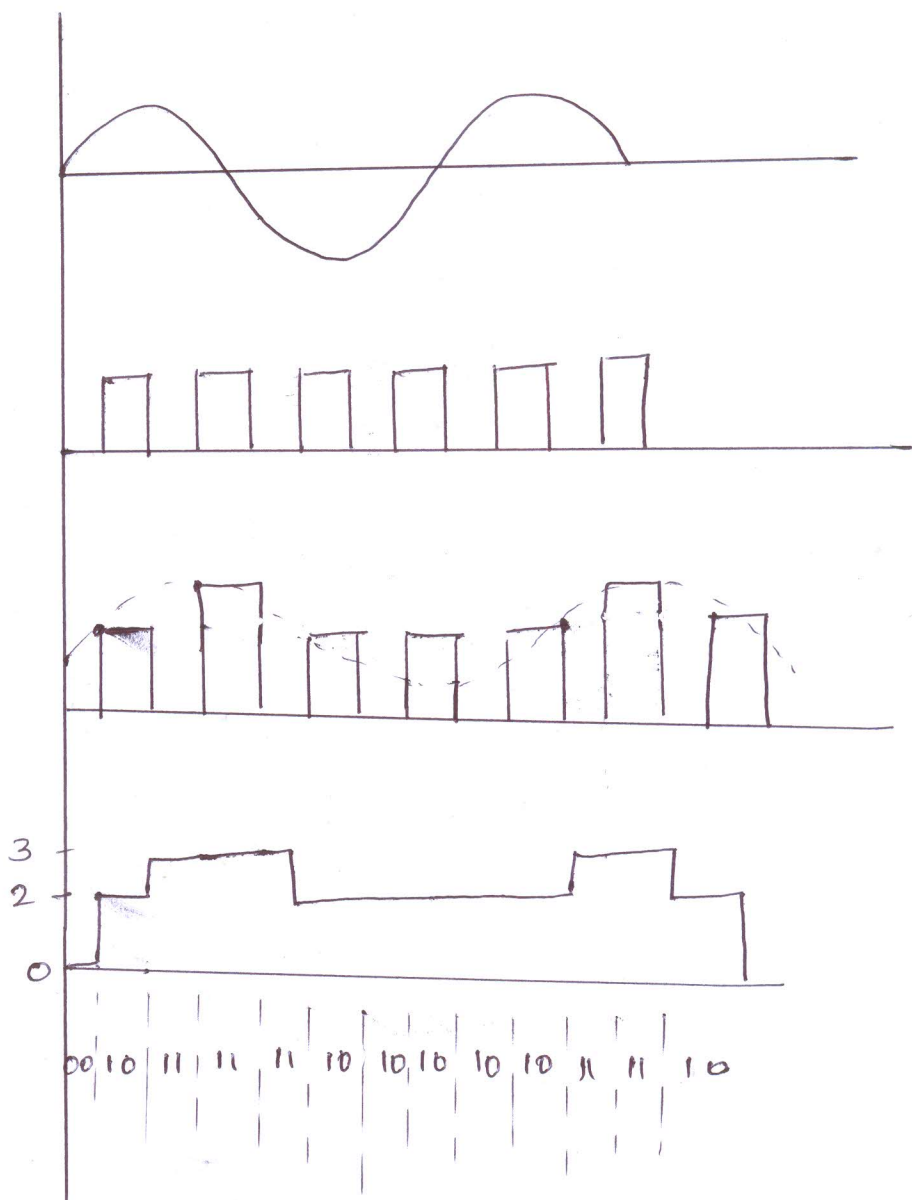
Message

carrier pulse

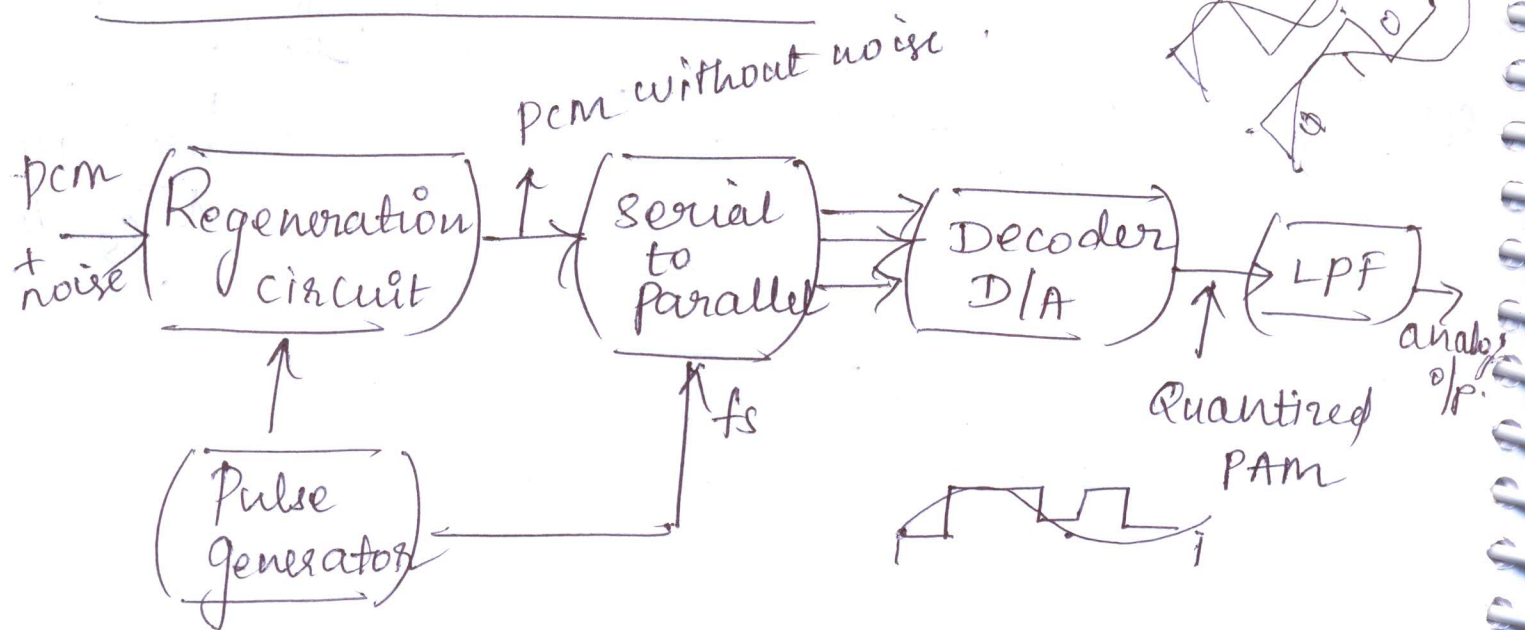
Flat top PAM

Quantized PAM o/p

PCM o/p



pcm Decoder / Receiver:



LPF is called as reconstruction filter and its cutoff frequency is equal to message bandwidth.

Signalling Rate \div

It is nothing but the number of bits per second.

$$\text{No/- of bits per sec} = \text{No/- of bits/samples} \times \text{no/- of samples/sec}$$

$$\text{Signalling Rate} = N \times f_s$$

$$\boxed{N f_s}$$

Transmission Bandwidth:

It is equal to half of the Signalling rate:

$$= \frac{1}{2} N f_s //$$