

# Binary Source

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This block generates a sequence of binary values (1 or 0) and it can work in four different modes:

1. Random
2. PseudoRandom
3. DeterministicCyclic
4. DeterministicAppendZeros

This blocks doesn't accept any input signal. It produces any number of output signals.

## Input Parameters

- mode{PseudoRandom}  
(Random, PseudoRandom, DeterministicCyclic, DeterministicAppendZeros)
- probabilityOfZero{0.5}  
(real  $\in [0,1]$ )
- patternLength{7}  
(integer  $\in [1,32]$ )
- bitStream{"0100011101010101"}  
(string of 0's and 1's)
- numberOfBits{-1}  
(long int)
- bitPeriod{1.0/100e9}  
(double)

## Methods

```
BinarySource(vector<Signal *> &InputSig, vector<Signal *> &OutputSig) :Block(InputSig, OutputSig){};
```

```
void initialize(void);
```

```
bool runBlock(void);
```

```
void setMode(BinarySourceMode m) BinarySourceMode const getMode(void)
```

```
void setProbabilityOfZero(double pZero)
```

```
double const getProbabilityOfZero(void)
```

```
void setBitStream(string bStream)
```

```
string const getBitStream(void)
```

```
void setNumberOfBits(long int nOfBits)
```

```
long int const getNumberOfBits(void)
```

```
void setPatternLength(int pLength)
```

```
int const getPatternLength(void)
```

```
void setBitPeriod(double bPeriod)
```

```
double const getBitPeriod(void)
```

## Functional description

The *mode* parameter allows the user to select between one of the four operation modes of the binary source.

**Random Mode** Generates a 0 with probability *probabilityOfZero* and a 1 with probability  $1 - \text{probabilityOfZero}$ .

**Pseudorandom Mode** Generates a pseudorandom sequence with period  $2^{\text{patternLength}} - 1$ .

**DeterministicCyclic Mode** Generates the sequence of 0's and 1's specified by *bitStream* and then repeats it.

**DeterministicAppendZeros Mode** Generates the sequence of 0's and 1's specified by *bitStream* and then it fills the rest of the buffer space with zeros.

## Input Signals

**Number:** 0

**Type:** Binary (DiscreteTimeDiscreteAmplitude)

## Output Signals

**Number:** 1 or more

**Type:** Binary (DiscreteTimeDiscreteAmplitude)

## Examples

### Random Mode

**PseudoRandom Mode** As an example consider a pseudorandom sequence with *patternLength*=3 which contains a total of 7 ( $2^3 - 1$ ) bits. In this sequence it is possible to find every combination of 0's and 1's that compose a 3 bit long subsequence with the exception of 000. For this example the possible subsequences are 010, 110, 101, 100, 111, 001 and 100 (they appear in figure 1 numbered in this order). Some of these require wrap.

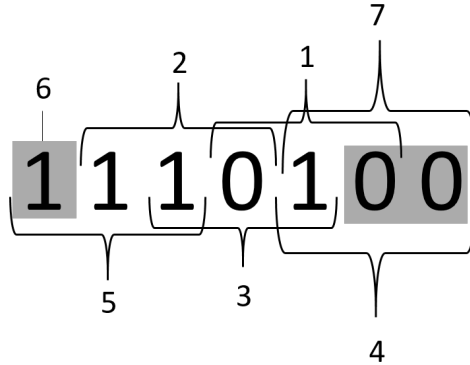


Figure 1: Example of a pseudorandom sequence with a pattern length equal to 3.

**DeterministicCyclic Mode** As an example take the *bit stream* '0100011101010101'. The generated binary signal is displayed in.

**DeterministicAppendZeros Mode** Take as an example the *bit stream* '0100011101010101'. The generated binary signal is displayed in 2.

## Suggestions for future improvement

Implement an input signal that can work as trigger.

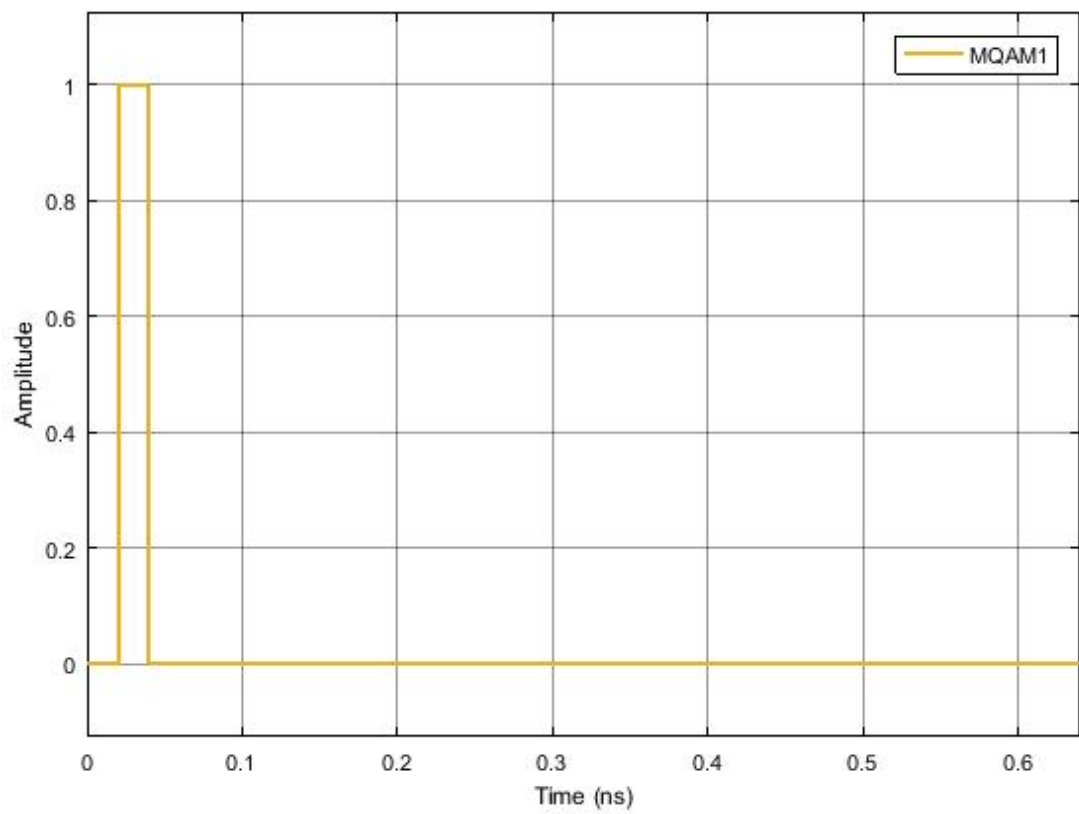


Figure 2: Binary signal generated by the block operating in the *Deterministic Append Zeros* mode with a binary sequence 01000...