

Lecture 6 Sampling

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实验二 信号表示

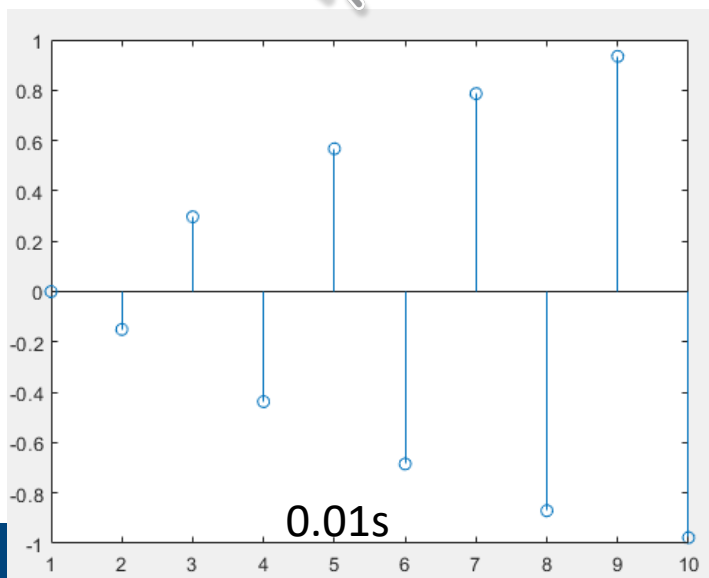
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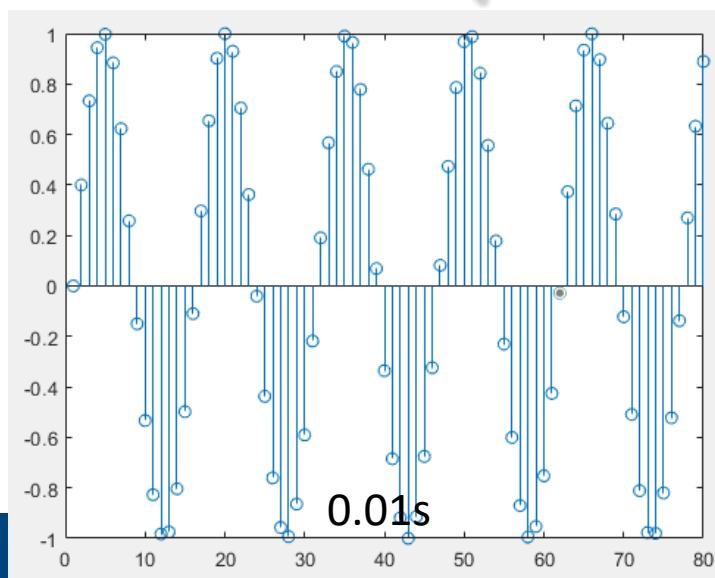
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高音C（哆）： $f=524\text{Hz}$

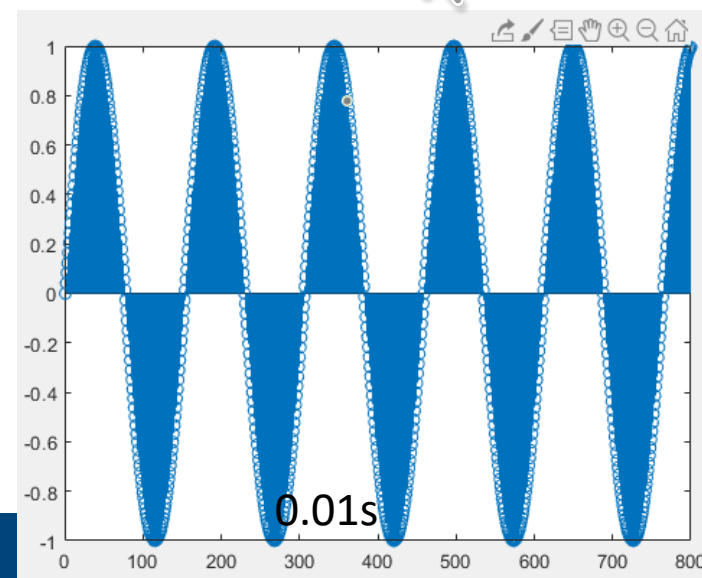
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取决于给定信号的频率 f ：

上述结果表明采样频率 F_s 对信号的影响与信号本身的频率 f 相关。实际上，根据奈奎斯特采样定理，当 $F_s > 2f$ 时，任何采集到的离散时间信号都具有原始信号的全部特征，因此不同 F_s 无任何区别（当 f 取值小于500时）； $F_s \leq 2f$ 时，采集到的离散时间信号不具有原始信号的全部特征，则会导致声音信号失真。

若 f 取值较低（低于500），三种采样频率的声音无任何区别；

若 $500 < f < 4000$ ，则 $F_s=1000$ ：音调低； $F_s=8000$ 或 $F_s=80000$ ，音调高且相同；

若 $f > 4000$ ，则 $F_s=1000$ ：音调最低； $F_s=8000$ ：音调较低； $F_s=80000$ ，音调最高。（注意， f 不要太取太大，否则声音太刺耳）

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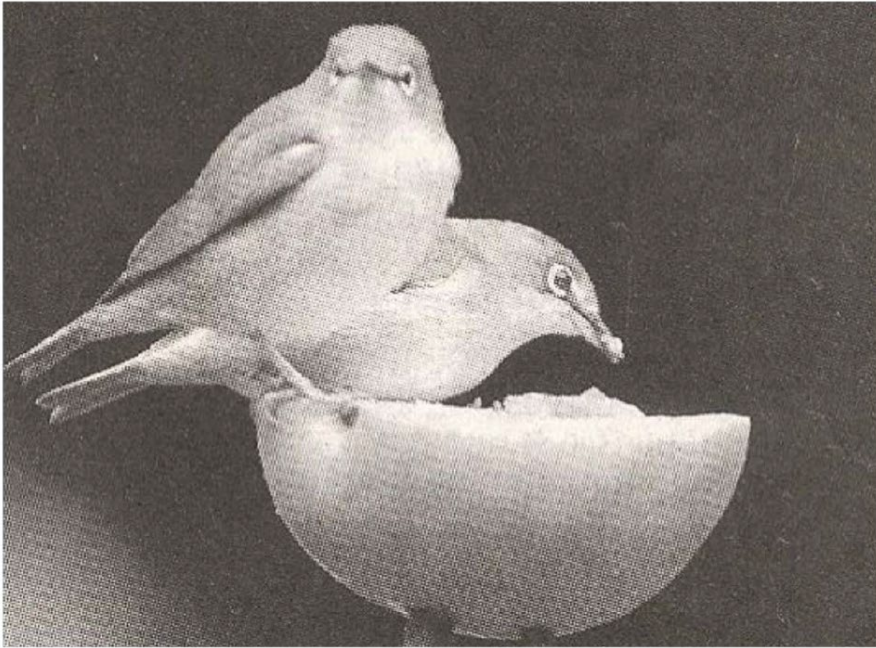
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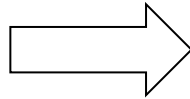
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Introduction

- Continuous-time signal is often represented by discrete-time signal:
 - Image transmission in fax machine;
 - Signals in TV display: 60Hz or beyond refresh rates;
 - Film: 12 or beyond frames per second.



Zoom in

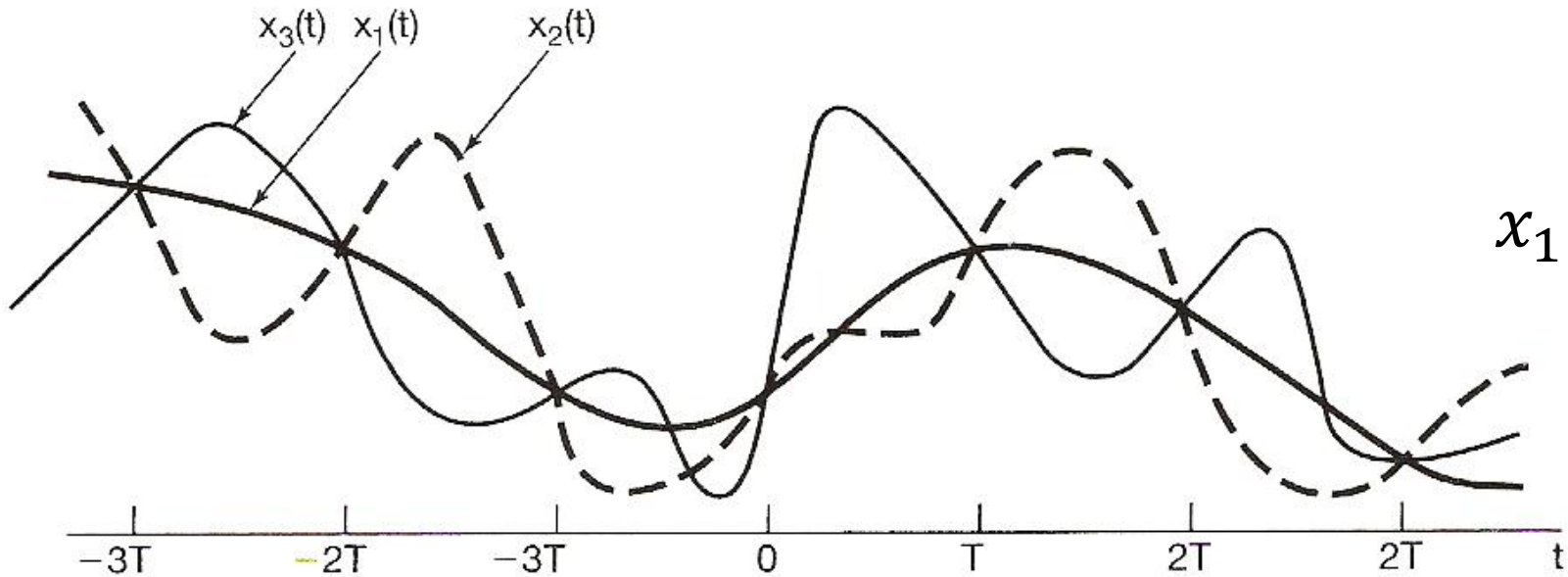


Introduction

- Motivation: a discrete-time represented continuous-time signal can be digitally handled, using computers:
 - Accurate, programmable, flexible, reproducible, powerful;
 - Compatible to digital networks and relevant technologies;
 - All signals look the same when digitized, except at different rates, and thus can be supported by the same network.
- Question: under which conditions can a continuous-time signal be uniquely specified by its discrete-time samples?

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$$x_1(kT) = x_2(kT) = x_3(kT)$$

Figure 7.1 Three continuous-time signals with identical values at integer multiples of T .

Introduction

- Question: under which conditions can a continuous-time signal be uniquely specified by its discrete-time samples?
- For a given set of samples, it might be produced by different continuous-time signals.
- But if a continuous-time signal is sampled in a relatively high frequency, can the samples be used to represent the signal? How high should the sampling frequency be?

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|| The Sampling Theorem

Impulse train sampling

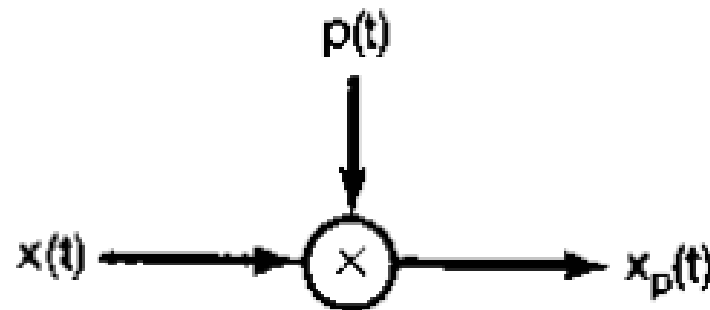
- Mathematical model:

Time domain:

$$x_p(t) = x(t)p(t)$$

Frequency domain:

$$X_p(j\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} [X(j\omega) * P(j\omega)]$$



■ The Sampling Theorem

Impulse train sampling (冲激串采样)

- Mathematical model:

Time domain:

$$x_p(t) = x(t)p(t)$$

where

$$p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT)$$

T : sampling period

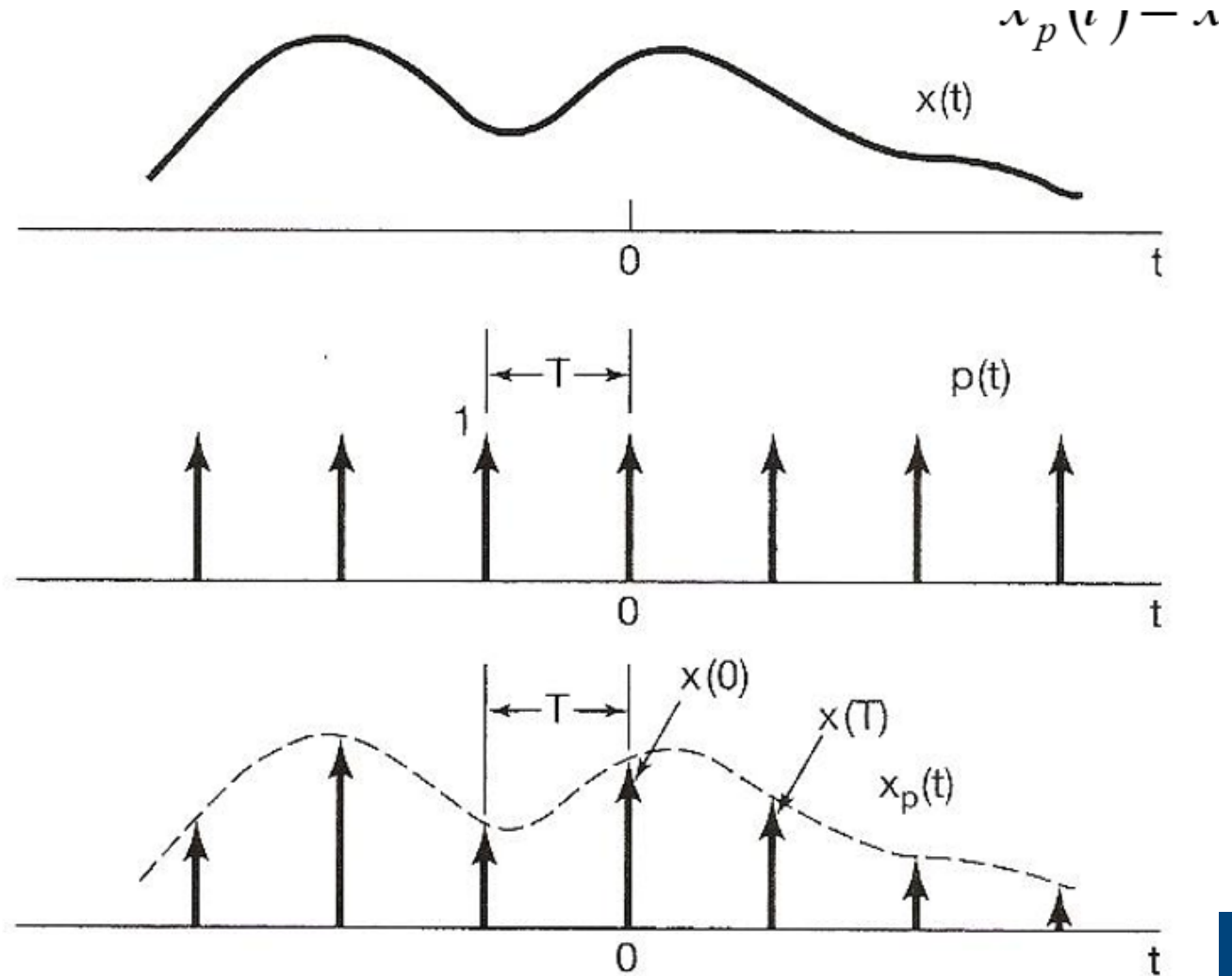
$\omega_s = \frac{2\pi}{T}$: sampling frequency

The Sampling Theorem

Impulse train sampling (冲激串采样)

Time domain:

$$x_p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(nT) \delta(t - nT)$$



|| The Sampling Theorem

Impulse train sampling

Frequency domain:

$$P(j\omega) = \frac{2\pi}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega - k\omega_s)$$

$$X_p(j\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} [X(j\omega) * P(j\omega)] = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X(j(\omega - k\omega_s))$$

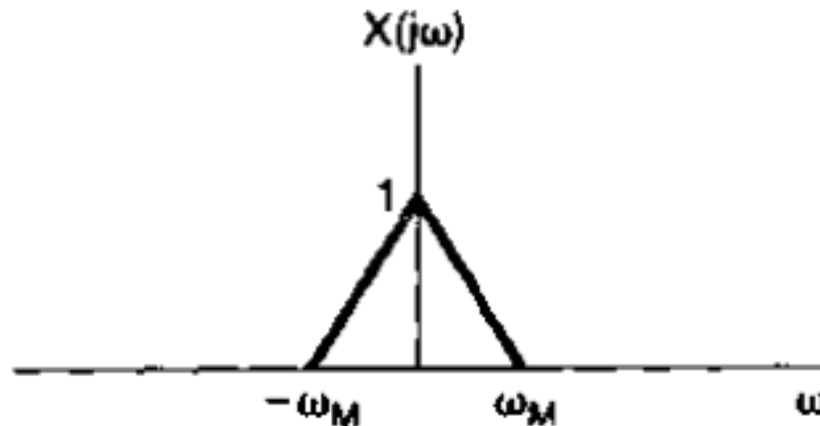
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Impulse train sampling

Frequency domain:

$$X_p(j\omega) = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X(j(\omega - k\omega_s))$$

Assume $X(j\omega)$ is a band-limited signal with its frequency in the range of $\pm\omega_M$:

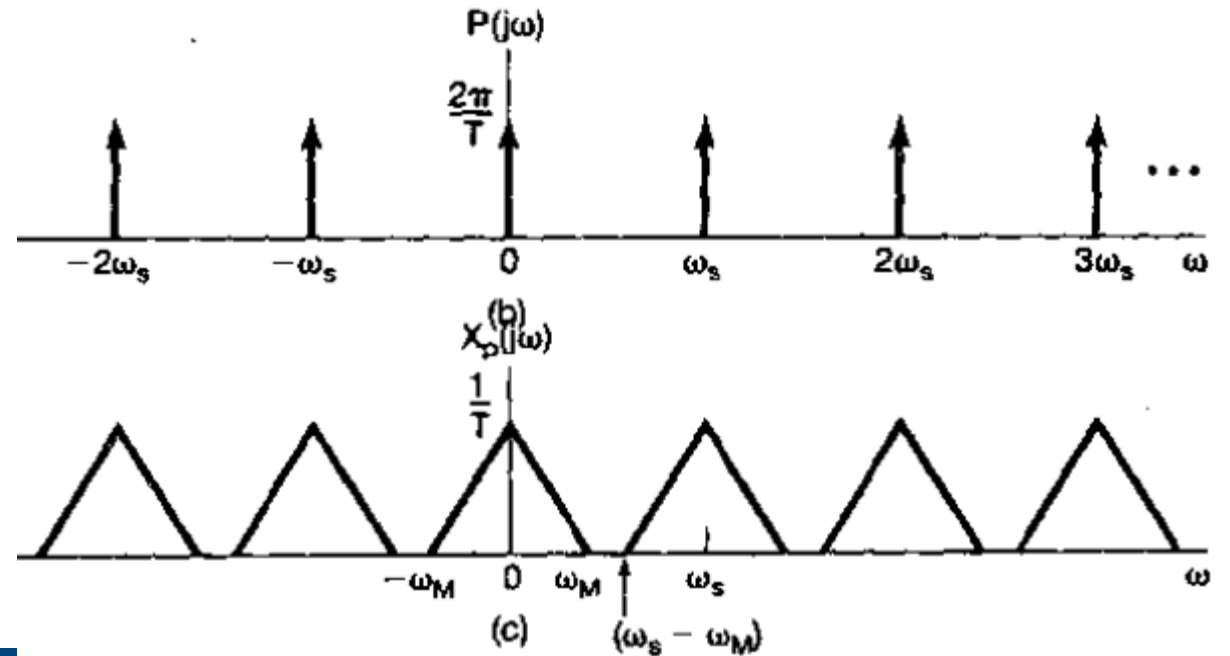
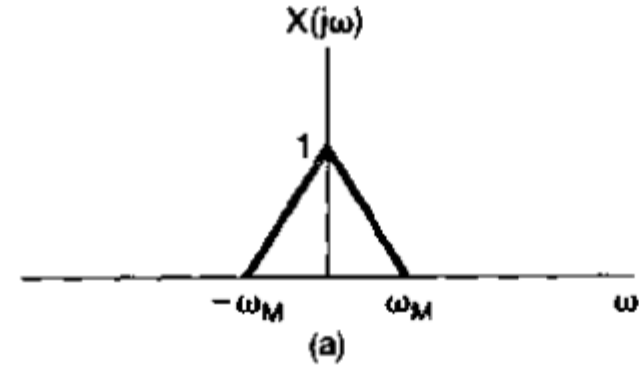


The Sampling Theorem

Impulse train sampling

$$X_p(j\omega) = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X(j(\omega - k\omega_s))$$

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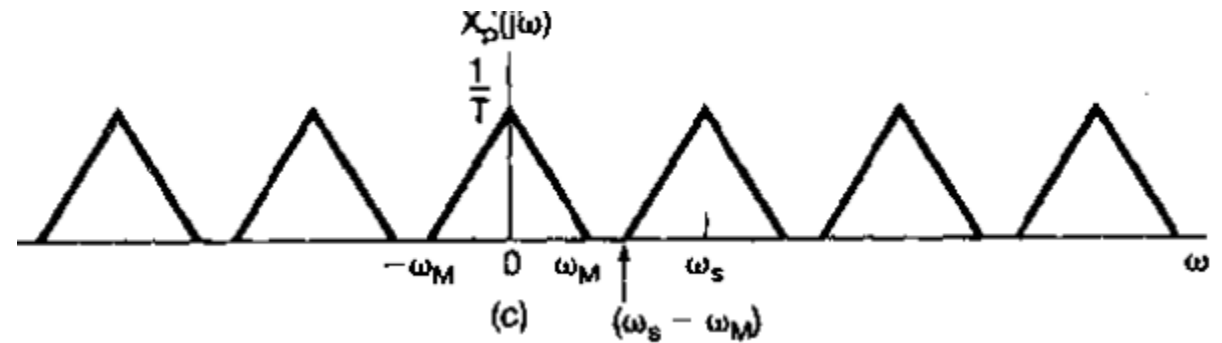
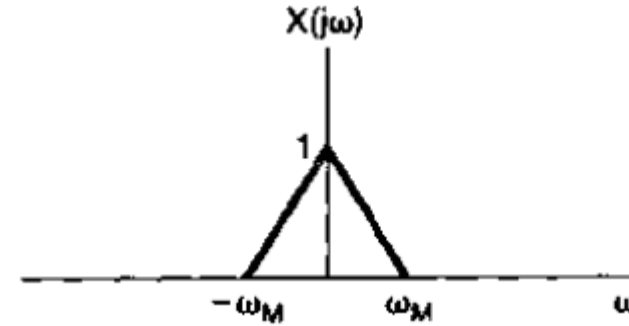


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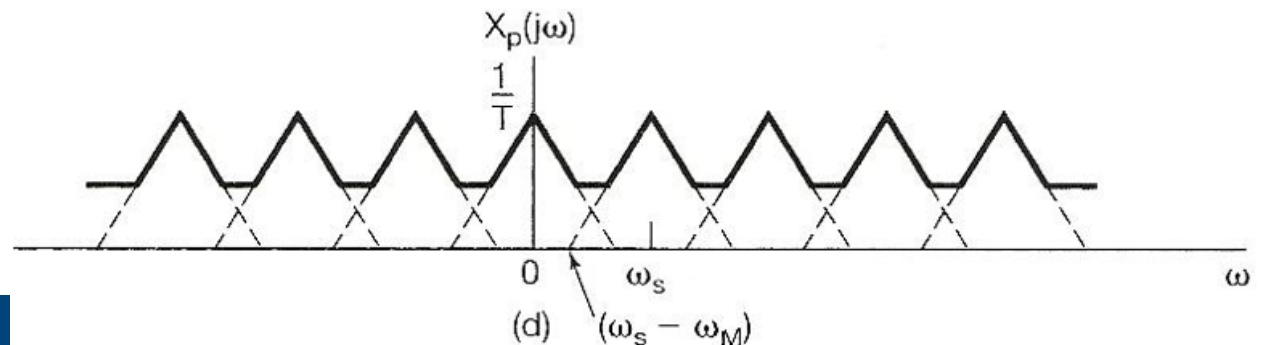
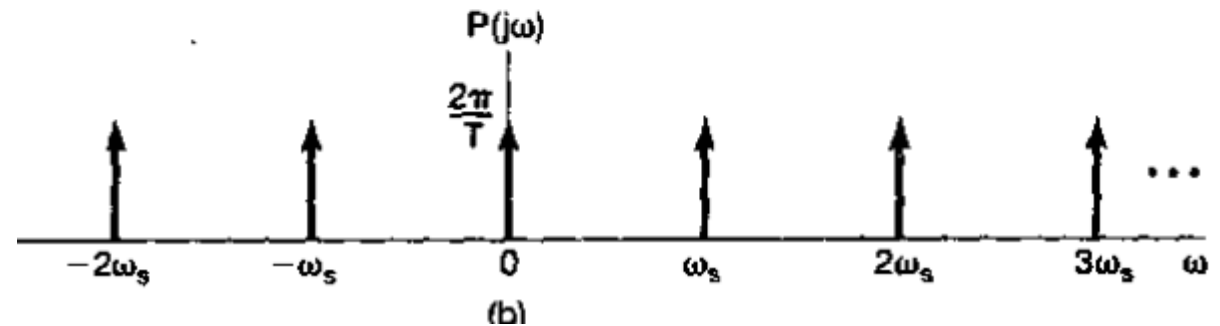
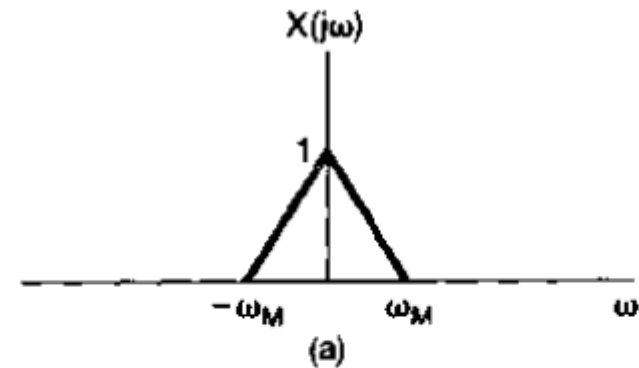
- In such a case, $x(t)$ can be precisely reconstructed by feeding $x_p(t)$ into an ideal low-pass filter with gain T and cut-off frequency $\omega_c \in (\omega_M, \omega_s - \omega_M)$

The Sampling Theorem

Impulse train sampling

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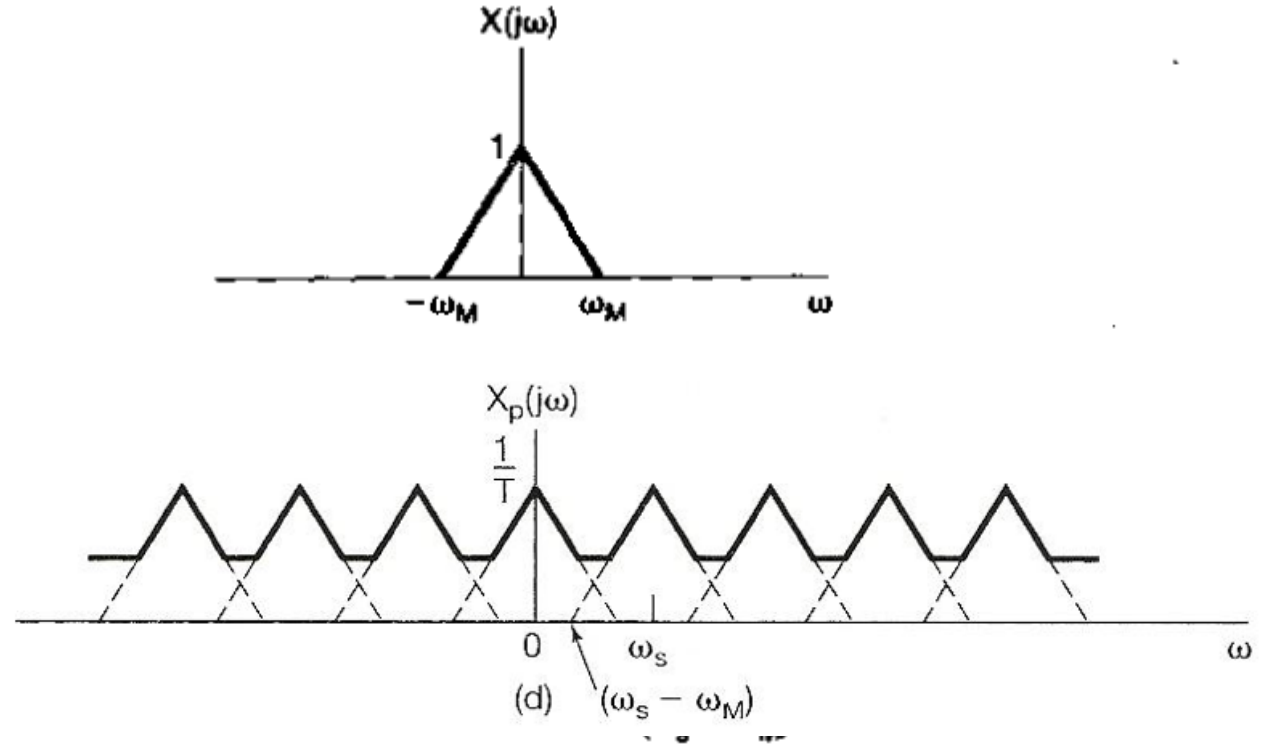


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- Spectrum overlapped, frequency components confused: aliasing effect (混叠现象)

\Rightarrow can't be reconstructed by low-pass filtering

|| The Sampling Theorem

Nyquist sampling theorem (奈奎斯特采样定理)

- A **band-limited (带限)** continuous-time signal can be sampled and perfectly reconstructed from its samples if the waveform is sampled over twice as fast as its highest frequency component.

The highest frequency of $x(t)$: ω_M

The highest sampling frequency that may cause aliasing effect (Nyquist rate奈奎斯特率):

$$\omega_s = 2\omega_M$$

|| The Sampling Theorem

Practical issues

- Application of non-ideal low-pass filters for signal reconstruction:
 - non-ideal low-pass filters need be accurate enough determined by acceptable level of distortion
- In practice, signals might not be band-limited:
 - pre-filtering

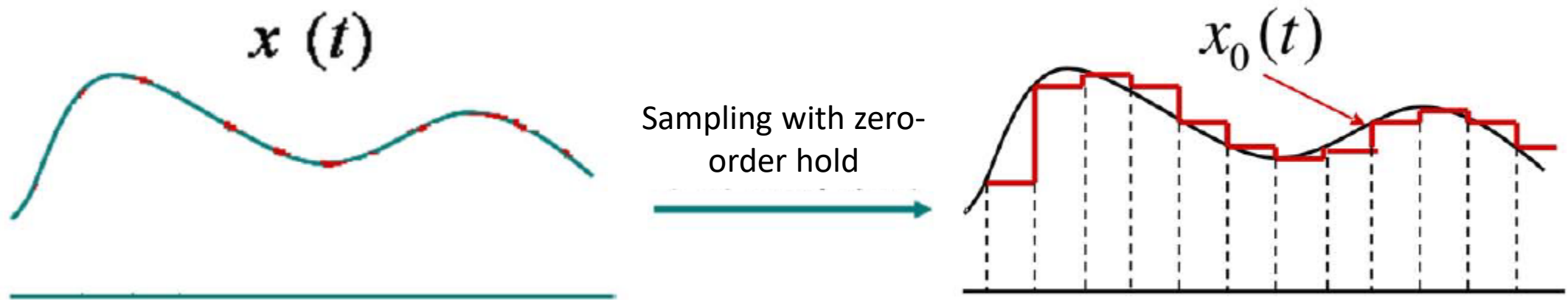
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Sampling with a zero-order hold (零阶保持采样)

- Zero-order hold: holding the sampled value until the next sample taken

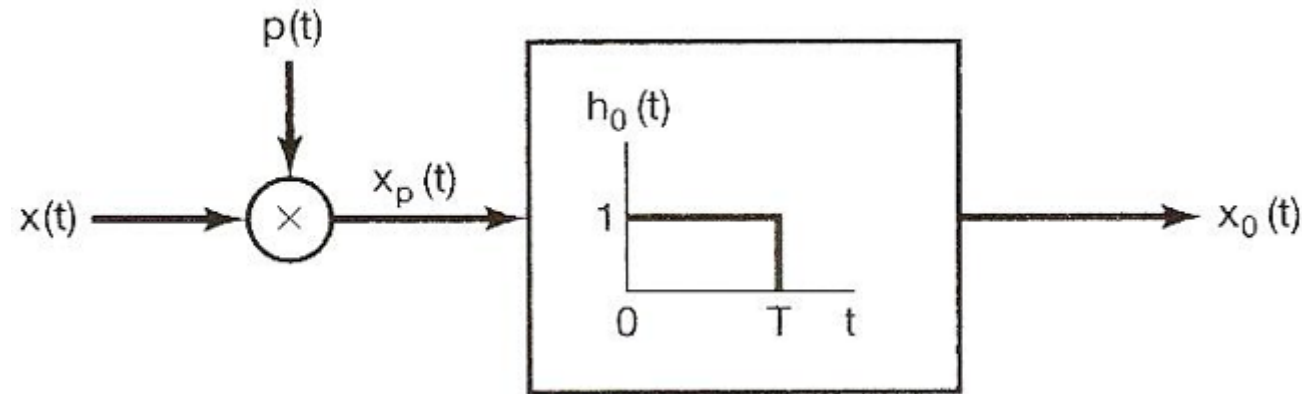


- The output signal of zero-order hold sampling, $x_0(t)$, is a staircase signal.

|| The Sampling Theorem

Sampling with a zero-order hold

- Zero-order hold: modeled by an impulse train sampler followed by a system with rectangular impulse response



$$H_0(j\omega) = e^{-j\omega T/2} \left[\frac{2\sin(\omega T/2)}{\omega} \right]$$

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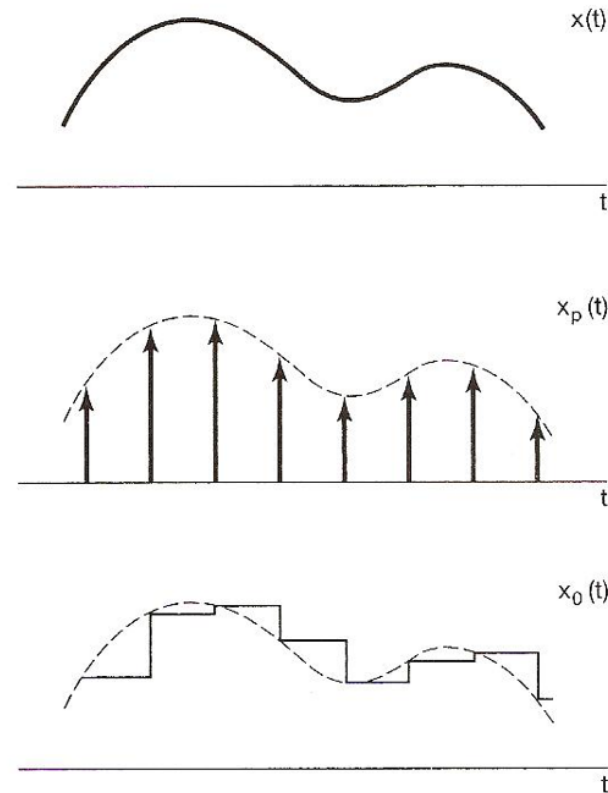
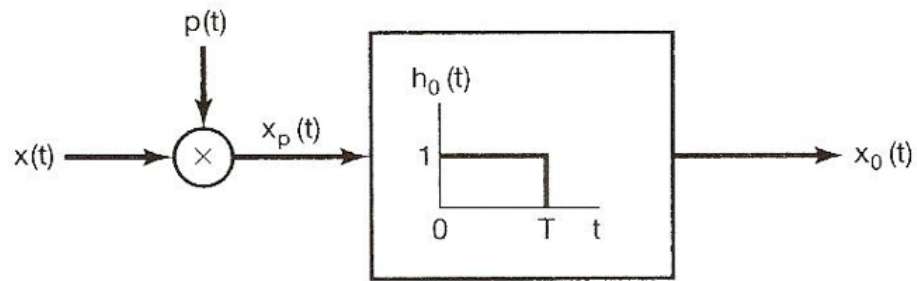
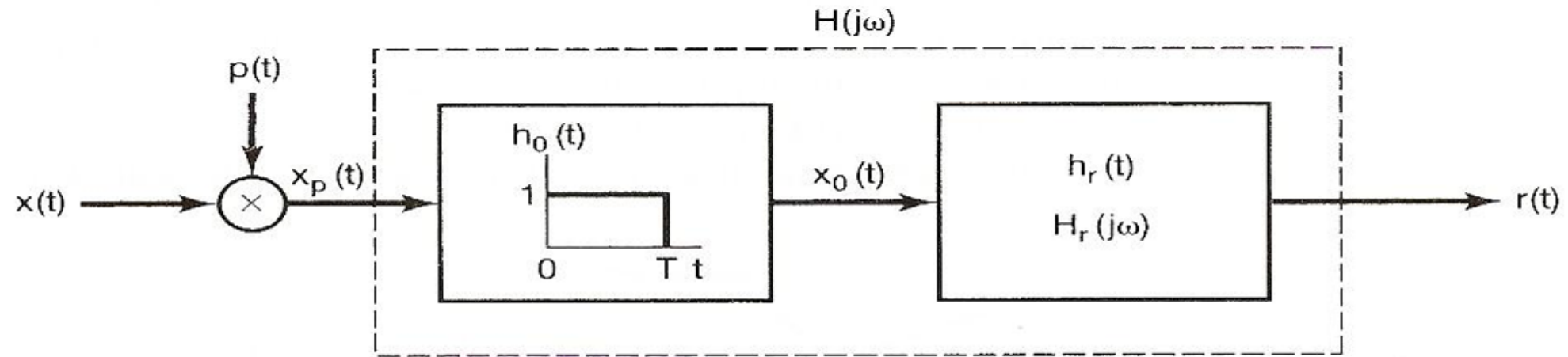


Figure 7.6 Zero-order hold as impulse-train sampling followed by an LTI system with a rectangular impulse response.

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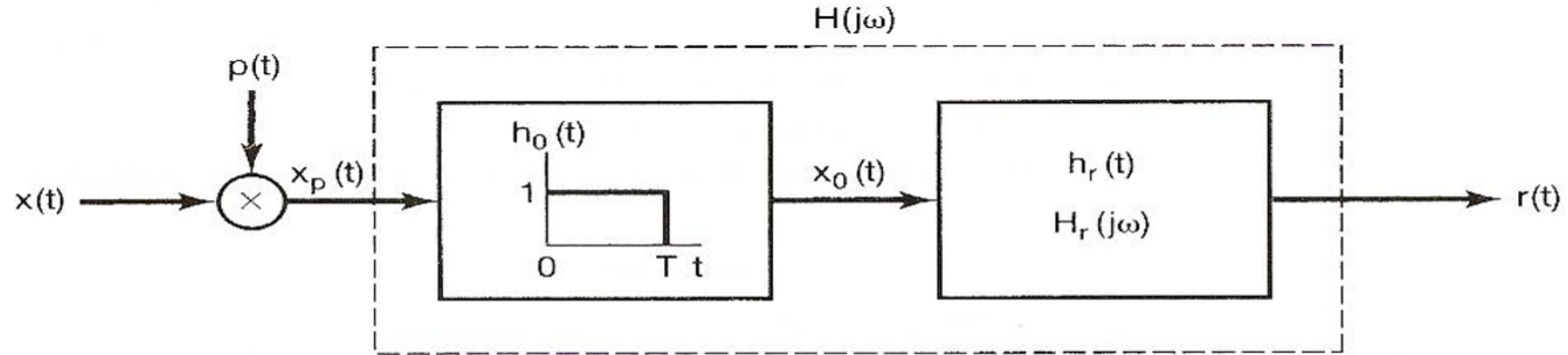
Sampling with a zero-order hold

- Cascaded systems are required to reconstruct $x(t)$ from $x_0(t)$:



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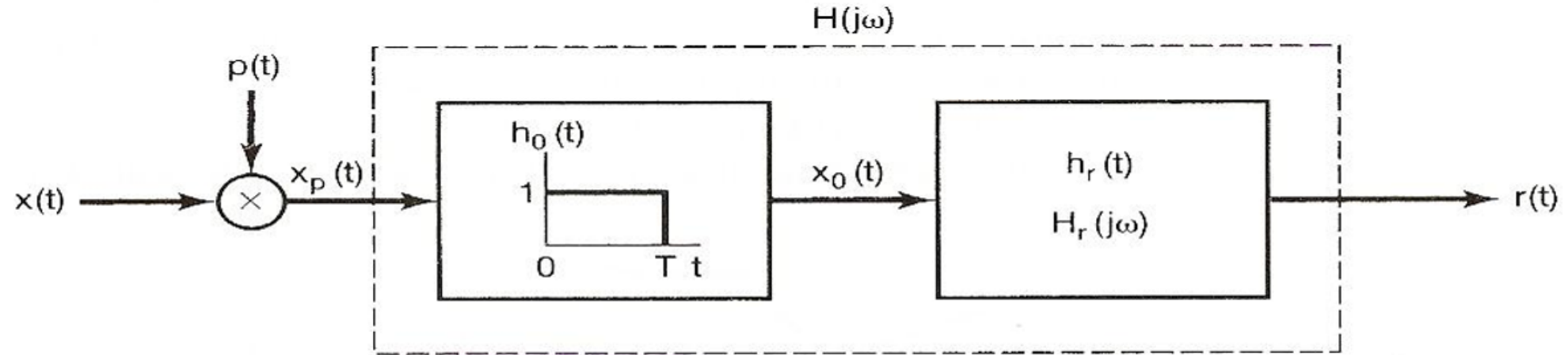
Sampling with a zero-order hold



- Remember that continuous-time signal reconstruction is realized by putting the samples into an ideal low-pass filter:
 \Rightarrow In fact, $H(j\omega)$ is the frequency response of an ideal low-pass filter

The Sampling Theorem

Sampling with a zero-order hold



$$H(j\omega) = \begin{cases} T, & |\omega| < \omega_c \\ 0, & |\omega| > \omega_c \end{cases} \quad \omega_M < \omega_c < \omega_s - \omega_M$$

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$$H_0(j\omega) = e^{-j\omega T/2} \left[\frac{2\sin(\omega T/2)}{\omega} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow H_r(j\omega) = \frac{H(j\omega)}{H_0(j\omega)} = \frac{e^{\frac{j\omega T}{2}} H(j\omega)}{\frac{2\sin(\omega T/2)}{\omega}}$$

|| The Sampling Theorem

Practical issues

- $H(j\omega)$ is an ideal low-pass filter, which is impractical, and thus the system, $H_r(j\omega)$, is impractical as well.
- In many situations, the signal sampled by a zero-order hold, $x_0(t)$, is considered as an approximated reconstruction of $x(t)$ (with a very coarse interpolation), and can be used for further signal processing.

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Interpolation (内插)

- Interpolation is the process to reconstruct a signal from its samples
- Continuous-time signal reconstruction is realized by putting the samples into an ideal low-pass filter.
- Ideal interpolation is to use the impulse response of an ideal low-pass filter as the interpolation function:

$$x_r(t) = x_p(t) * h(t)$$

where

$$h(t) = T \frac{\sin \omega_c t}{\pi t}$$

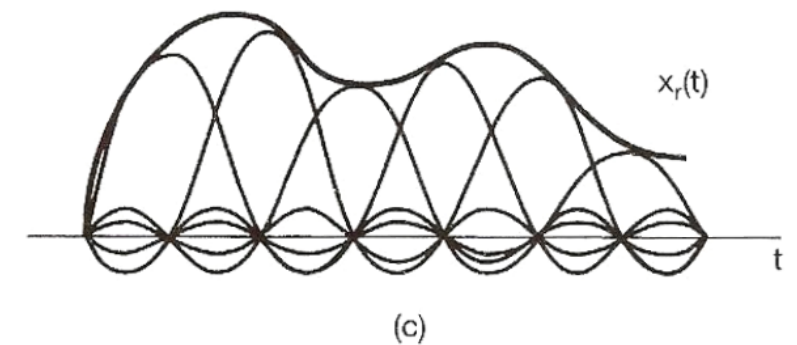
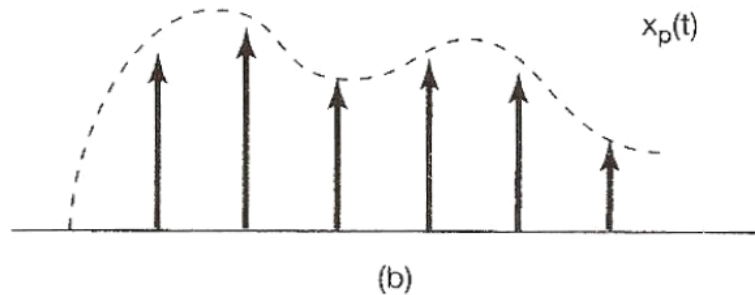
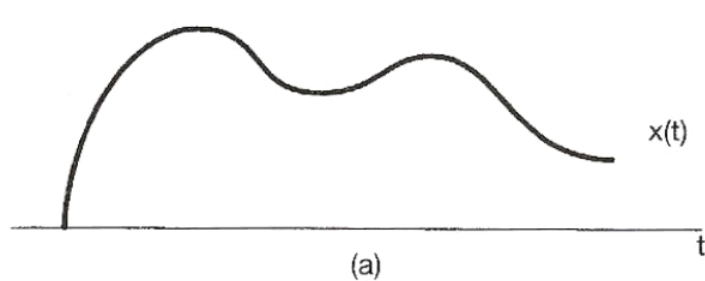
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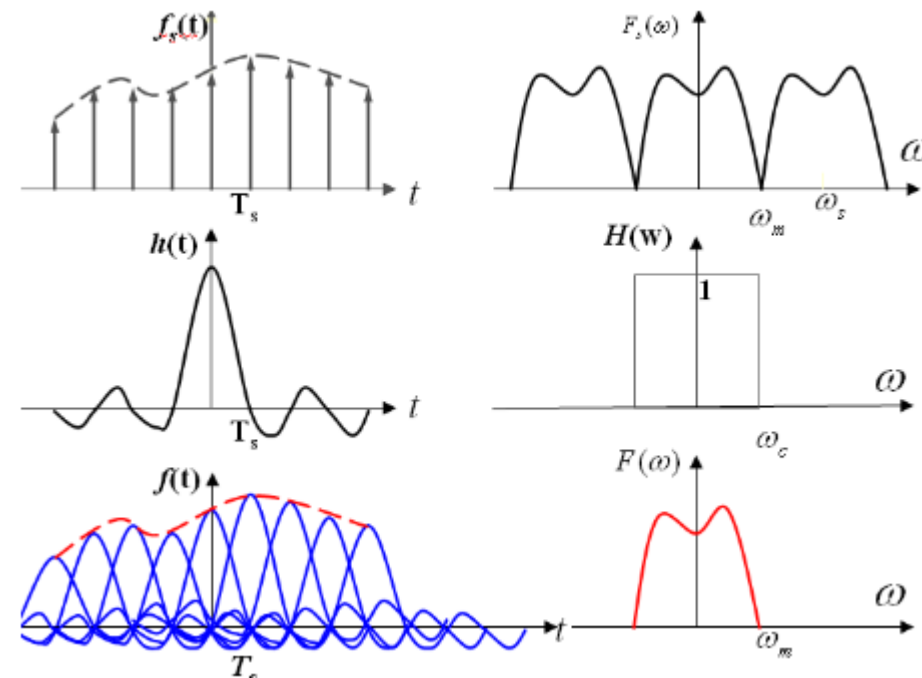
where

$$h(t) = T \frac{\sin \omega_c t}{\pi t}$$



Lecture1 - 系统的因果性 (Causality)

- **Causal:** a system is causal if the output at a time, only depends on input values up to that time. (系统的输出只取决于现在的输入及过去的输入)
- 具有因果性的系统才是物理可实现的系统
- 因果性的意义：判断所设计的系统是否是可以被实现的
- 例：理想低通滤波器不具有因果性，是不可能被实现的



Lecture3 - 系统的因果性 (Causality)

- Causality

- continuous-time

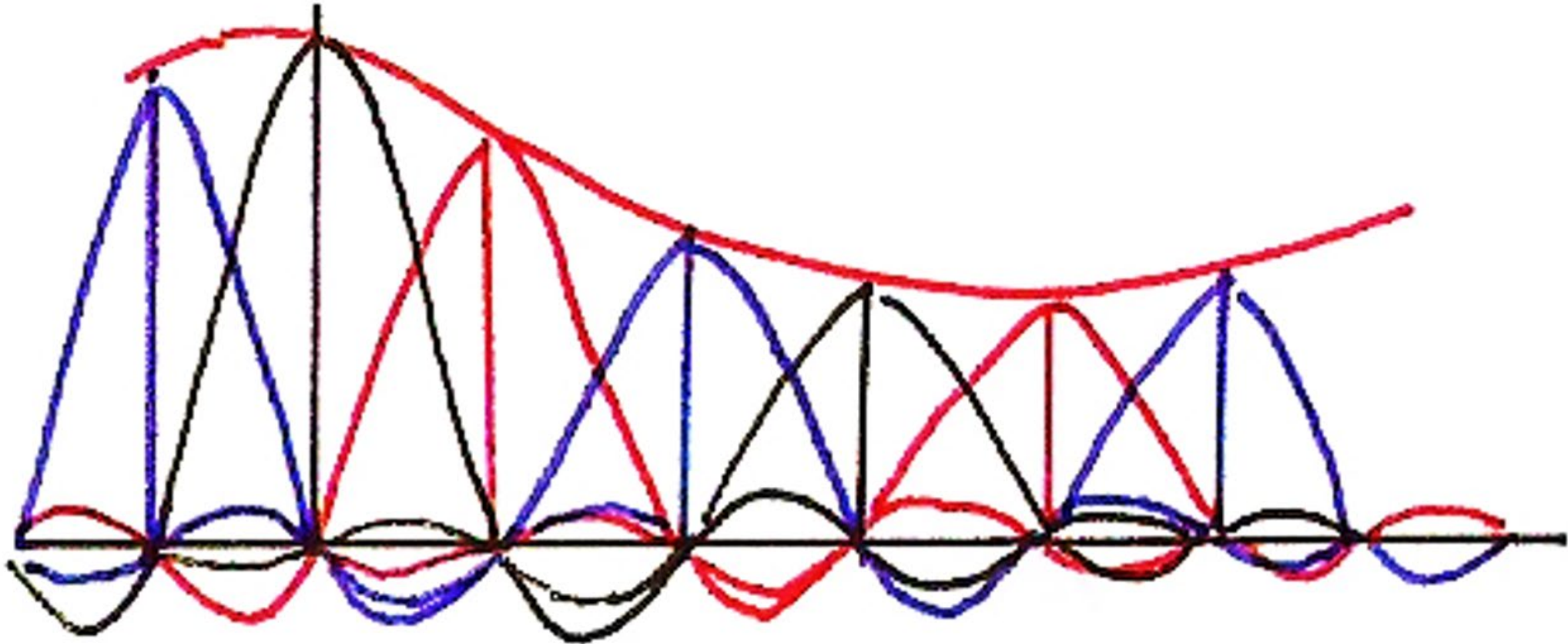
$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(t - \tau)d\tau$$

- Causal iff $h(t)=0, t<0$

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau)h(t - \tau)d\tau = \int_0^{\infty} h(\tau)x(t - \tau)d\tau$$

Interpolation

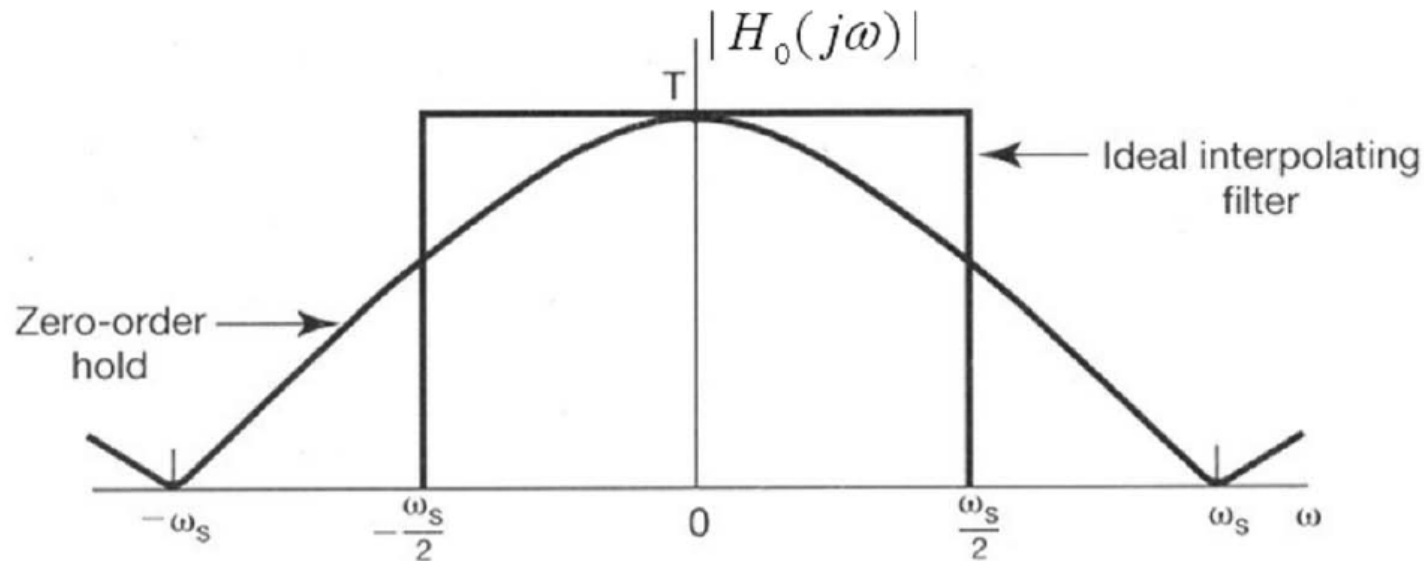
- Ideal interpolation:



Interpolation

- Zero-order hold can be considered as a “coarse” interpolation
- Transfer function of zero-order hold, $h_0(t)$, is a rough approximation of an ideal low-pass filter:

$$H_0(j\omega) = e^{-j\omega T/2} \left[\frac{2\sin(\omega T/2)}{\omega} \right]$$

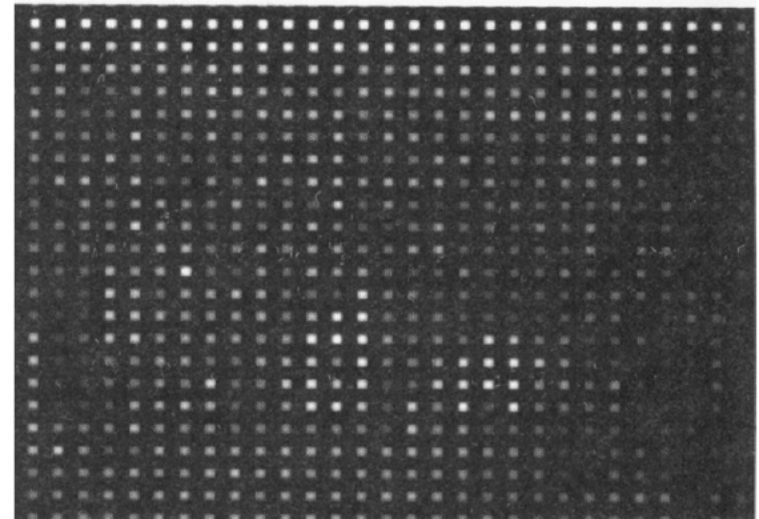
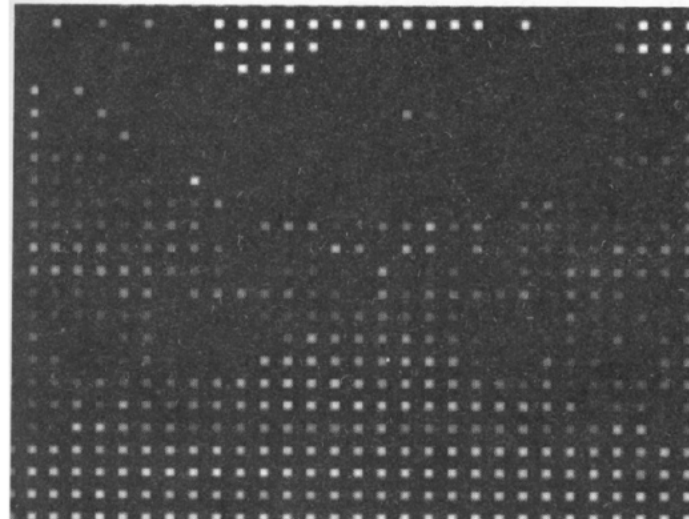


Interpolation

Original pictures:



**Impulse train
sampled pictures:**

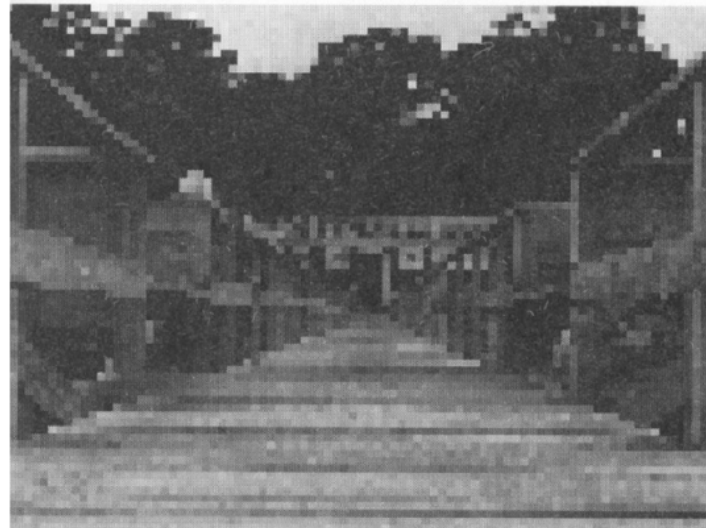


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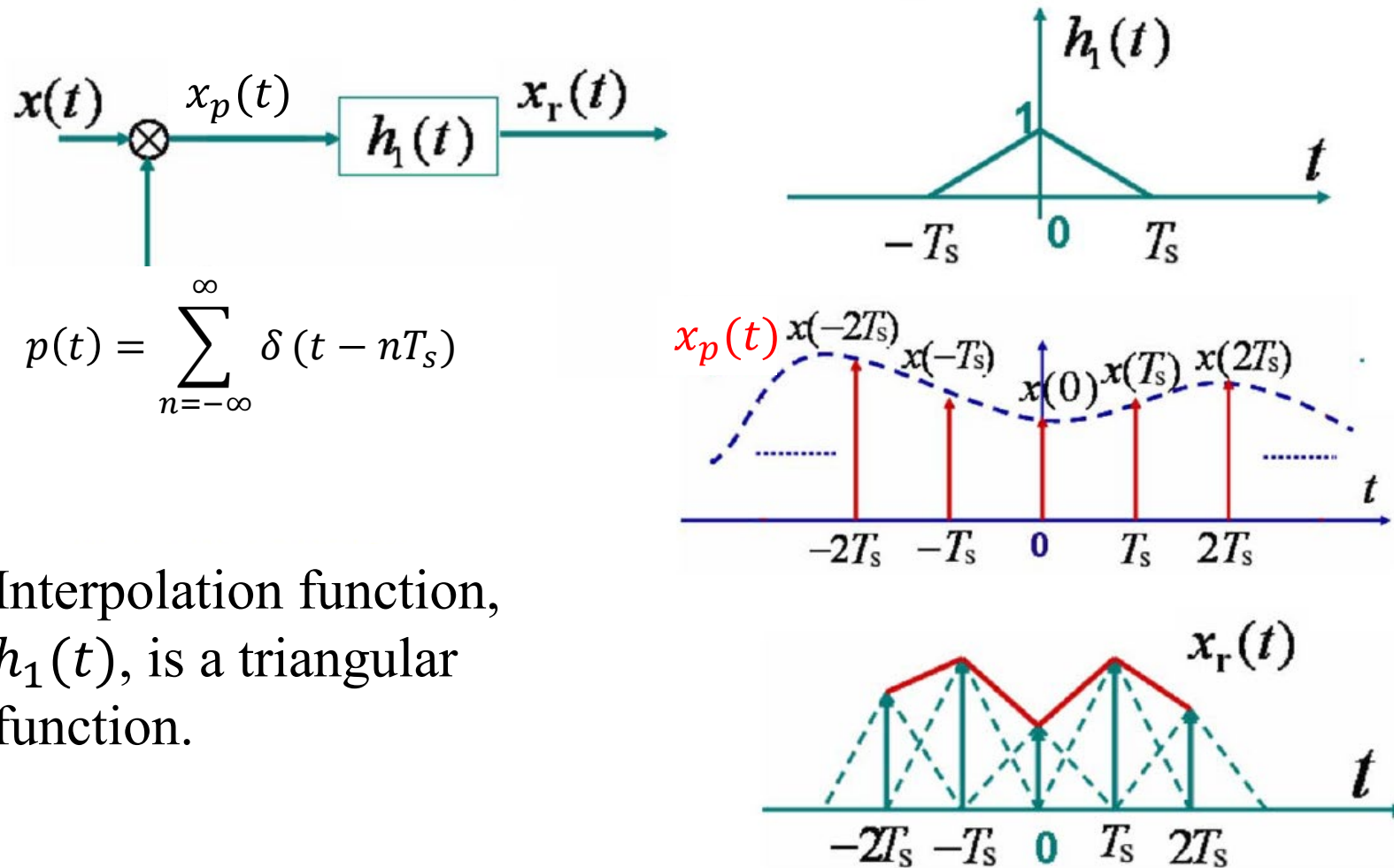


**Zero-order hold
sampled pictures:**



Interpolation

- For smoother interpolations, n th-order hold ($n \geq 1$) might be used, e.g., first-order hold:

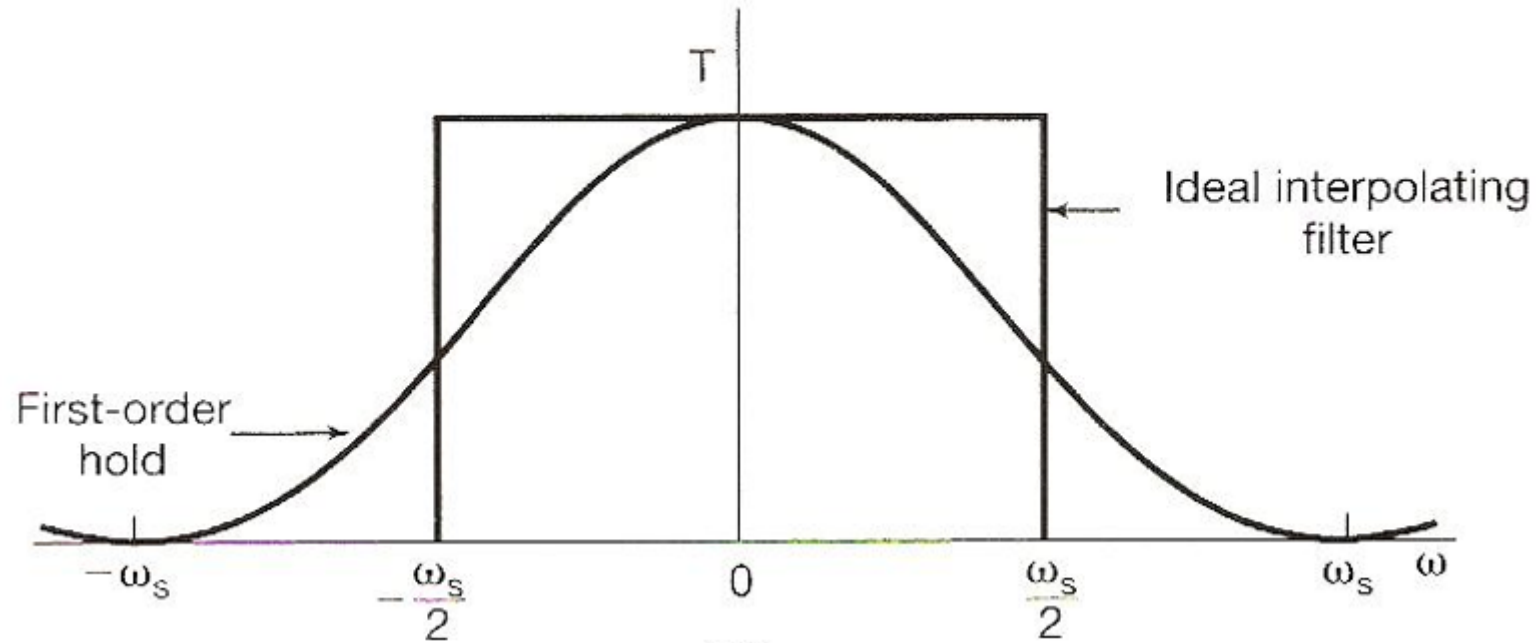


Interpolation function, $h_1(t)$, is a triangular function.

Interpolation

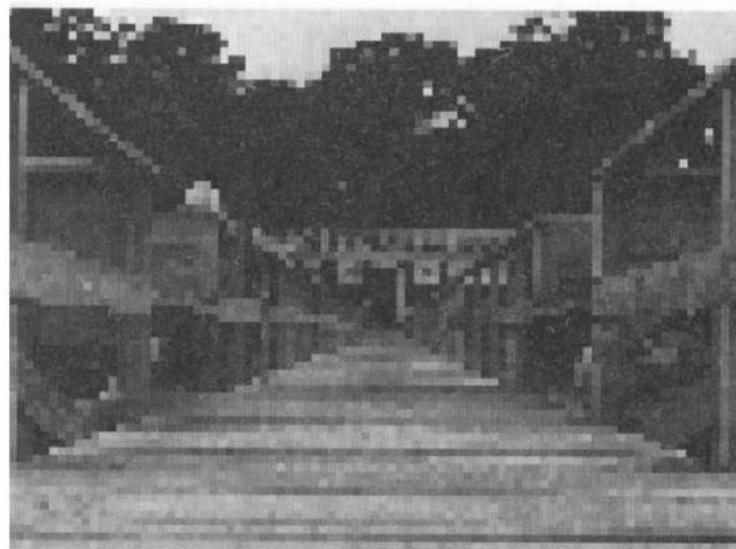
- Transfer function of first-order hold, $h_0(t)$, is a rough approximatic ideal low-pass filter:

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{T} \left[\frac{\sin(\omega T/2)}{\omega/2} \right]^2$$



Interpolation

**Zero-order hold
sampled pictures:**



**First-order hold
sampled pictures:**



一阶保持内插的结果 (采样间隔为 $T/4$)

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|| Aliasing (混叠现象)

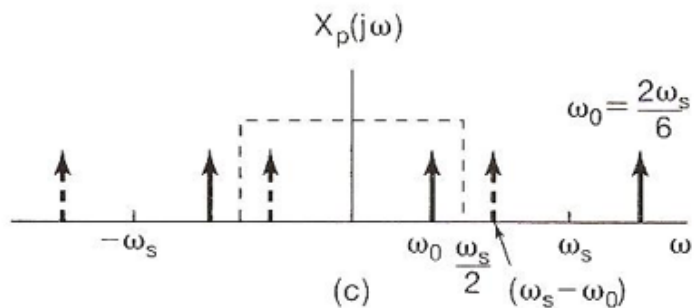
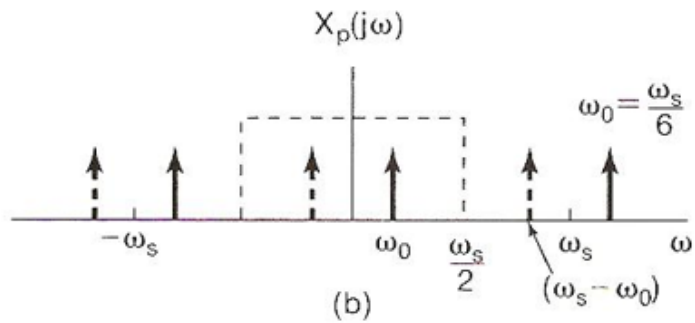
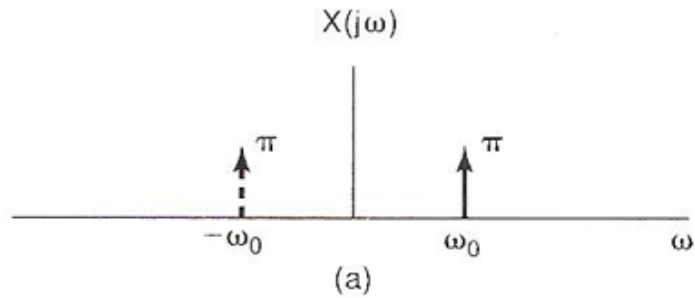
- When $\omega_s < 2\omega_M$, spectrum overlapped, frequency components confused, resulting in aliasing effect, such that the sampled signal can't be reconstructed by low-pass filtering.

|| Aliasing

- Consider a signal $x(t) = \cos\omega_0 t$:
 - sampled at sampling frequency $\omega_s = \frac{2\pi}{T}$;
 - reconstructed by an ideal low-pass filter with $\omega_c = \frac{\omega_s}{2}$;
 - reconstructed signal: $x_r(t)$
- According to Nyquist sampling theorem, $x_r(t) = x(t)$ if $\omega_s > 2\omega_0$

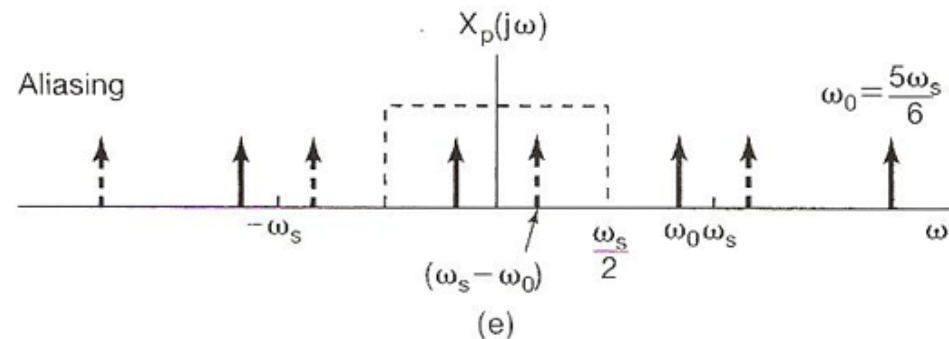
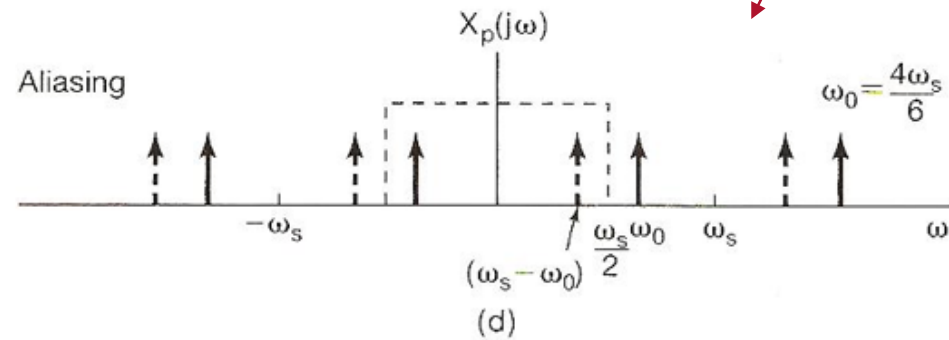
Aliasing

- Assume a fixed ω_s , and vary ω_0 :



$$x(t) = \cos \omega_0 t$$

$$x_r(t) = \cos(\omega_s - \omega_0)t$$



|| Aliasing

- Assume $x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi)$

$$x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi) = \frac{1}{2} (e^{j(\omega_0 t + \varphi)} + e^{-j(\omega_0 t + \varphi)})$$

- Using the Fourier transform:

$$\begin{aligned} e^{j\omega_0 t} &\stackrel{F}{\leftrightarrow} 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) \\ e^{-j\omega_0 t} &\stackrel{F}{\leftrightarrow} 2\pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0) \end{aligned}$$

And the time shift property: $x(t - t_0) \stackrel{F}{\leftrightarrow} e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)$

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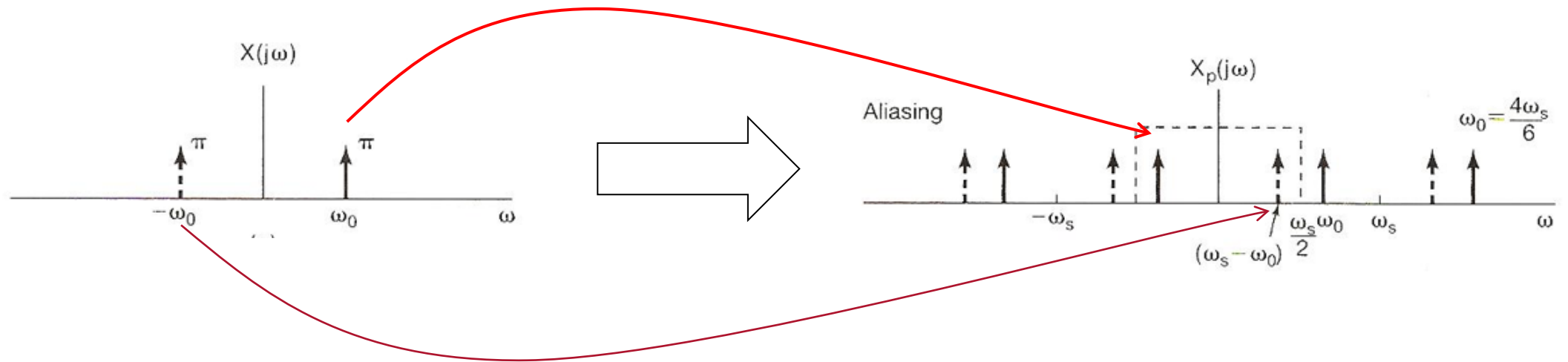
$$\begin{aligned} e^{j(\omega_0 t + \varphi)} &\stackrel{F}{\leftrightarrow} 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0)e^{j\varphi} \\ e^{-j(\omega_0 t + \varphi)} &\stackrel{F}{\leftrightarrow} 2\pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0)e^{-j\varphi} \end{aligned}$$

$$\cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi) \stackrel{F}{\leftrightarrow} \pi e^{j\varphi} \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi e^{-j\varphi} \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$

Aliasing

$$x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega) = \pi e^{j\varphi} \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi e^{-j\varphi} \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$

- After feeding the samples into low-pass filter, ω_0 and $-\omega_0$ components become $\omega_0 - \omega_s$ and $\omega_s - \omega_0$ components, respectively.



|| Aliasing

$$x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega) = \pi e^{j\varphi} \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi e^{-j\varphi} \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$

$$X_r(j\omega) = \pi e^{j\varphi} \delta(\omega - (\omega_0 - \omega_s)) + \pi e^{-j\varphi} \delta(\omega + (\omega_0 - \omega_s))$$

$$\Rightarrow x_r(t) = \cos((\omega_0 - \omega_s)t + \varphi)$$

|| Aliasing

$$x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi), \quad x_r(t) = \cos((\omega_0 - \omega_s)t + \varphi)$$

- Even if $\omega_s = 2\omega_0$, phase is changed (reversed):
$$x_r(t) = \cos(-\omega_0 t + \varphi) = \cos(\omega_0 t - \varphi)$$
- The original signal cannot be reconstructed even if the sampling frequency is exactly twice of the highest frequency of the signal.
- Nyquist sampling theorem: in order to precisely reconstruct a continuous-time signal, the sampling frequency has to be **larger than twice of the highest frequency** of the signal.

Thank you for your listening!

