Introduction to Telecommunications

Question 1

Let a signal sq_triangle(t) which is the square of the triangular periodic table. This signal has amplitude A = 4 V and frequency f_m in kHz which f_m is the sum of the last three digits of each student's Registration Number. If the sum exceeds 9 then the sum of the digits continues until a single digit number occurs. Figure 1 illustrates an example of a triangular periodic pulse series of amplitude A = 1 V and frequency 1 Hz.

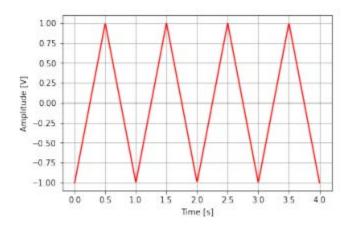


Figure 1

- a) The above signal sq triangle (t) to be sampled with two different frequencies, first with $f_{s1} = 25f_m$ and then with $f_{s2} = 60f_m$. Present the following three graphs:
 - i) Samples after sampling with frequency f_{s1}.
 - ii) Samples after sampling with frequency f_{s2}.
 - iii) The samples from questions (i) and (ii) in a common diagram.
- b) What do you notice if the signal sq_triangle(t) is sampled with $f_s = 5f_m$? How would you find the minimum theoretical f_s so that the exact signal under discussion can be accurately reconstructed? Approach it theoretically and numerically.
- c) Let be a halftone $z(t) = A\sin(2\pi f_m t)$ of width A = 1 V and frequency f_m in kHz. The frequency f_m is the sum of the last three digits of the Registration Number of each student. If the sum exceeds 9 then the sum of the digits continues until it occurs a single digit number.
 - i) Repeat questions (a) and (b) for signal z(t).
 - ii) Repeat questions (a) and (b) for signal q(t) = z(t)+Asin($2\pi(f_m+\Lambda)t$), where A = 1V and Λ =1kHz. What is the resultant signal? Explain briefly.

Note: In the diagrams the horizontal axis should express time (sec) and the samples should not be joined together. In the diagrams of queries a and c (i) to present four (4) periods while in c (ii) one (1) period.

Question 2

Consider as input to a uniform quantizer (mid riser) the signal y(t) of the 1st question after sampling frequency $f_{s1} = 45f_m$. If the frequency f_m is even (based on the Registration Number) to be quantized with 4 bits, otherwise (if it is unnecessary) to be quantized with 5 bits.

- a) Diagram the output of the quantum. The vertical axis will display the quantization levels (not as a decimal number but as a binary one, having coded Gray) and the horizontal axis the time (in sec).
- b) Calculate the standard deviation of the quantization error
 - i) for the first 10 samples
 - ii) for the first 20 samples
 - iii) Calculate the quantization SNR for cases (i) and (ii) as well as its theoretical value and explain any differences in the resulting values.
- c) After the quantization, present in a diagram for a period the corresponding transmission flow from bits (bit stream) considering a line coding of BIPOLAR RZ with a bit duration of 1 msec. The amplitude (in Volts) is numerically equal to the frequency of the signal (eg for a frequency of 1 kHz, the amplitude is 1 V).

Question 3

Considering the sine signal z(t) of the 1st question with $f_{s2} = 130 f_m$ as a carrier in AM configuration with modulation index 0.5 and information signal $m(t) = \sin(2\pi 35t)$:

- a) Present the AM signal modulated signal for four (4) periods of the information signal m(t).
- b) Implement a demodulator / ambient light and plot the signal after demodulation. The final signal at the demodulator output should coincide with the original pre-configuration information signal. It is recommended to use Python's SciPy library and more specifically the signal.firwin () and signal.lfilter () commands.