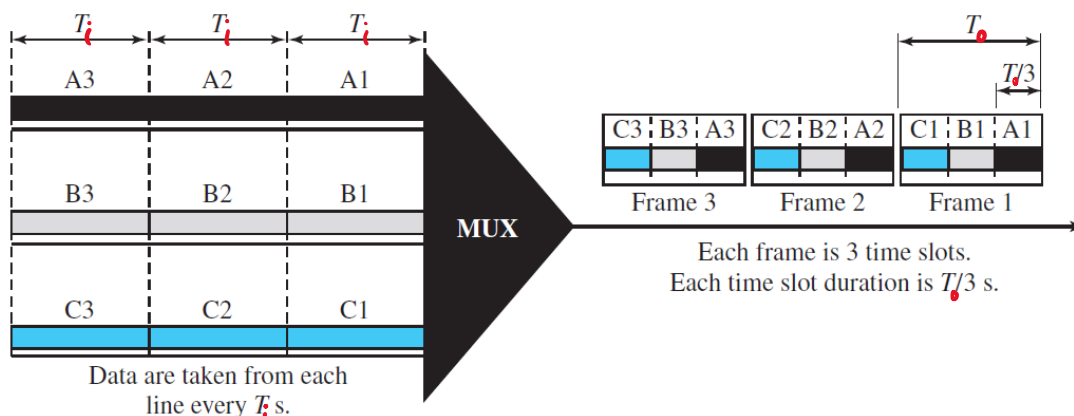


Figure 6.13 Synchronous time-division multiplexing



Legends for SYNCHRONOUS TDM

- Input Interval (time taken to prepare one MUX unit) = T_i = Output Frame Duration = T_o
- one MUX unit = one INTERLEAVED unit** = # of bits in a slot, or, # of bits taken in one input interval (T_i)
- Number of Input Channel = n = number of output **data** slots in each frame

Formula

- For any data (or bit) rate = $\frac{1}{\text{duration}}$ or vice – versa
- Input **bit** duration = $\frac{1}{\text{input channel rate}}$
- Output **Slot** duration = $\frac{T_o}{\text{total output slots}}$
- Input **slot** duration, T_i = Output Frame Duration, T_o = MUX Unit * Input bit duration
- Output **bit** duration = $\frac{\text{Output slot duration}}{\text{MUX Unit}}$
- Output **bit** duration = $\frac{1}{\text{Output data rate}}$
- Output Frame size = (MUX Unit * total slots) + SYNC bits (if any)
- Output Frame rate = $\frac{\text{input rate}}{\text{MUX unit}}$
- Output Frame rate = $\frac{1}{\text{frame duration}} = \frac{1}{T_o}$
- Output **Data Rate** formula
 - No SYNC bits = $n * \text{input data rate}$ (This CAN'T BE applied when we have extra SYNC bits)
 - SYNC bits = $\text{frame rate} * \text{frame size}$ (This formula can also be applied for No SYNC bits)

Observations

- The output data rate must \geq input Data Rate (usually it's at least n times the input data rate)
- The **output frame rate must be same even if input channels are of different rates.**
- Based on obs. (2), the MUX unit of each input channel must be adjusted. (Chapter 6 Exercise 20, Forouzan 4th ed.)

