

# Signal Analysis & Communication ECE355

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Lecture 33

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## Ch. 8.2. Non-Ideal Demodulation

- Two commonly used methods.

### ① Synchronous Demodulation

- Assume that the transmitter & receiver are synchronized in phase  $\theta_c$  (using "Phase locked loop (PLL)")
- Method for maintaining phase synchronism
- Another method is called "costas loop".

- We have modulated signal

$$y(t) = x(t) \cos(\omega_c t + \theta_c)$$

- The demodulated signal is given as

$$w(t) = \underline{y(t)} \cos(\omega_c t + \theta_c)$$

$$= \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} x(t)}_{\downarrow} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} x(t) \cos(2\omega_c t + 2\theta_c)}_{\text{Filter out}}$$

Get back the original signal.

### NOTES

- (I).- If unsynchronized with phase, i.e., transmitter & receiver oscillator freq. are out of phase ( $\theta_c \neq \phi_c$ )
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receivers osc  
transmitter's osc

- Then the demodulated sig. is given as:

$$w(t) = x(t) \cos(\omega_c t + \theta_c) \cdot \cos(\omega_c t + \phi_c)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} X_{(t)} \cos(\theta_c - \phi_c) + \frac{1}{2} X_{(t)} \cos(2\omega_c t + \theta_c + \phi_c)$$

(using  $\cos \alpha \cos \beta = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(\alpha + \beta) + \cos(\alpha - \beta)]$ )

- The output of LPF is then given as:

$$\underline{\cos(\theta_c - \phi_c) X_{(t)}}$$

- That's fine ① If  $(\theta_c - \phi_c)$  does not change over time.  
(simple amplification)

② If  $(\theta_c - \phi_c) \neq \frac{n}{2} + k\frac{\pi}{2}$

(equality makes  $\cos(\theta_c - \phi_c) = 0$ )

II. If unsynchronized with freq., i.e., transmitter & receiver oscillator freq. are not the same ( $\omega_c \neq \omega_d$  assuming  $\theta_c = 0$ ), then.

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receivers osc freq.  
transmitter's osc freq.

$$y_{(t)} = X_{(t)} \cos \omega_c t$$

$$W_{(t)} = X_{(t)} \cos(\omega_c t) \cdot \cos(\omega_d t)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} X_{(t)} \cos \underline{(\omega_c - \omega_d)t} + \frac{1}{2} X_{(t)} \cos \underline{(\omega_c + \omega_d)t}$$

Filter out

- Output of LPF:

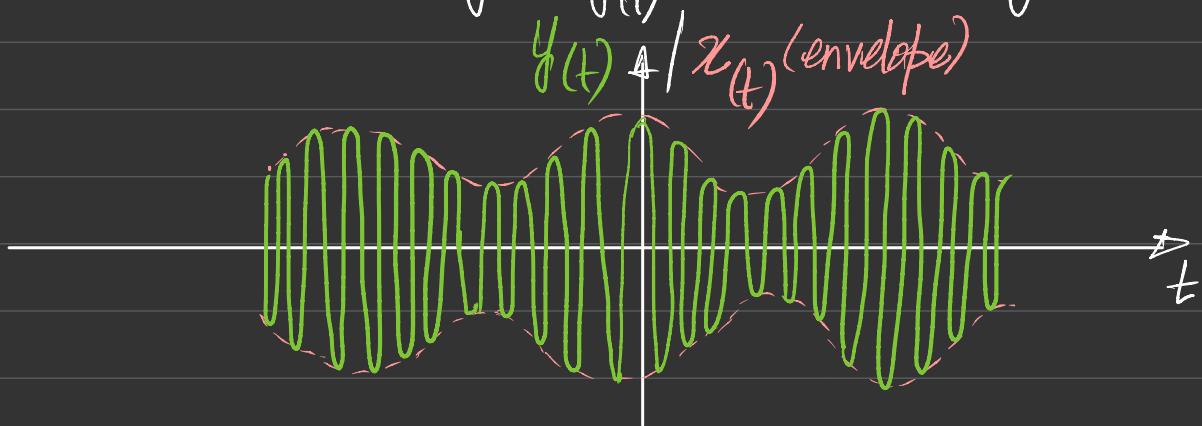
$$\underline{\cos((\omega_c - \omega_d)t) X_{(t)}}$$

① & ② implies careful synchronization is needed b/w the modulator

& demodulator oscillator, which is often difficult.

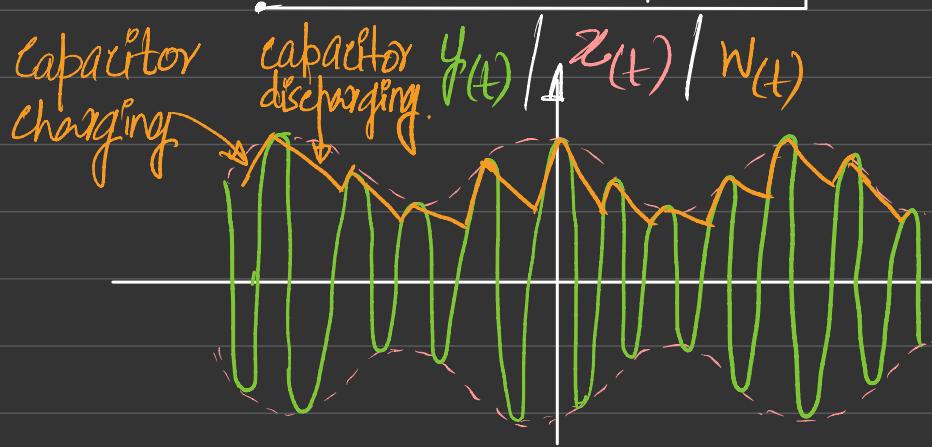
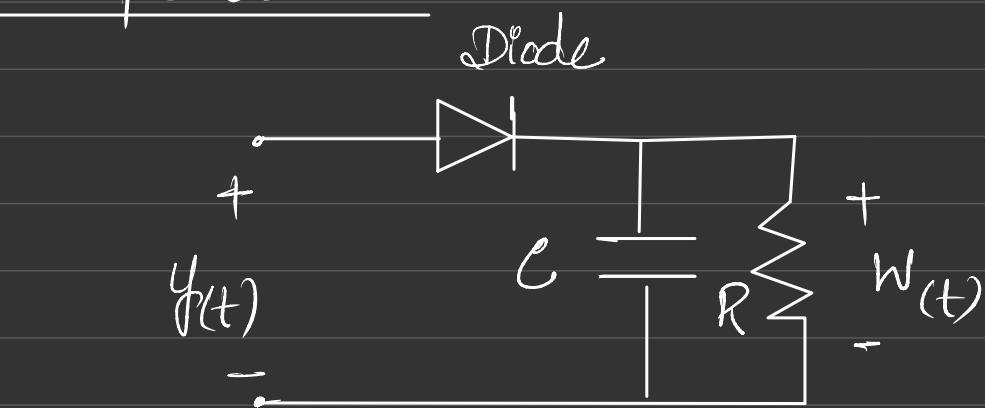
## (2) Asynchronous Demodulation:

- Avoids the need for synchronization b/w modulator & demodulator.
- In particular, suppose  $x_{(t)} \geq 0$  for all 't' &  $\omega_c \gg \omega_m$
- The modulated sig.,  $y_{(t)}$  will then be given as:



- $x_{(t)}$  could approximately recovered through the use of system that tracks these peaks to extract the envelope.

## Envelope Detector



"Half Wave  
Rectification"

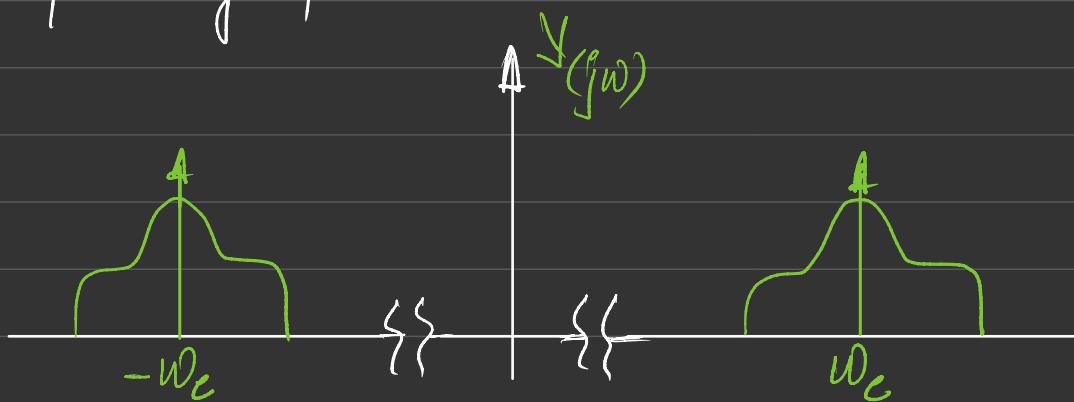
## NOTE

- ① When  $\omega_c \gg \omega_m$ ,  $\psi(t) \asymp x(t)$
- ②  $\psi(t)$  is usually sent to LPF to smoothen it more.  
(less ripples)
- ③ Non-linear System

- ④ If  $x(t)$  is not always non-negative, use  $(x(t)+A)$  such that  $(x(t)+A) \geq 0, \forall t \Rightarrow$  requires more transmit power.

$$y(t) = (x(t)+A) \cos \omega_c t$$

- Corresponding Spectra



- Here transmitted carrier (the impulses at  $\pm \omega_c$ )

"transmitted carrier mode"  
(vs. "suppressed carrier mode")

- ⑤ More transmission power in Asynchronous Demodulation vs. Complex Receiver in Synchronous Demodulation.

Eg. Cheap Radio versus Satellite Radio.

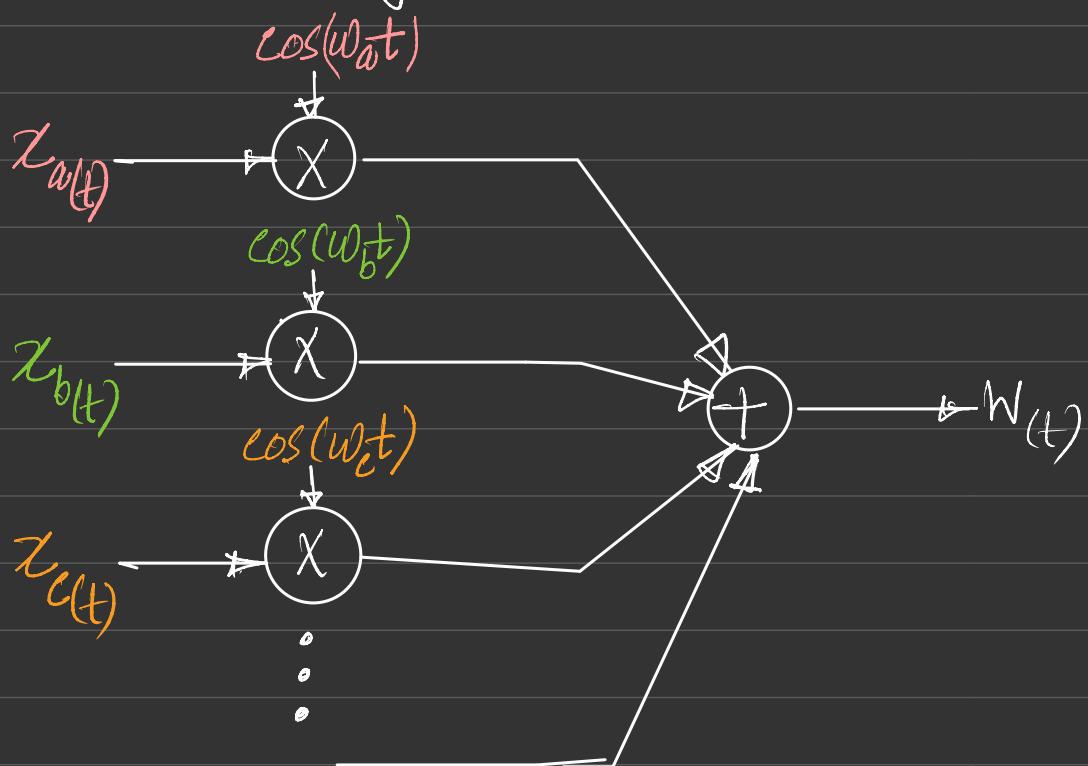
## Ch. 8.3. FREQUENCY DIVISION MULTIPLEXING (FDM)

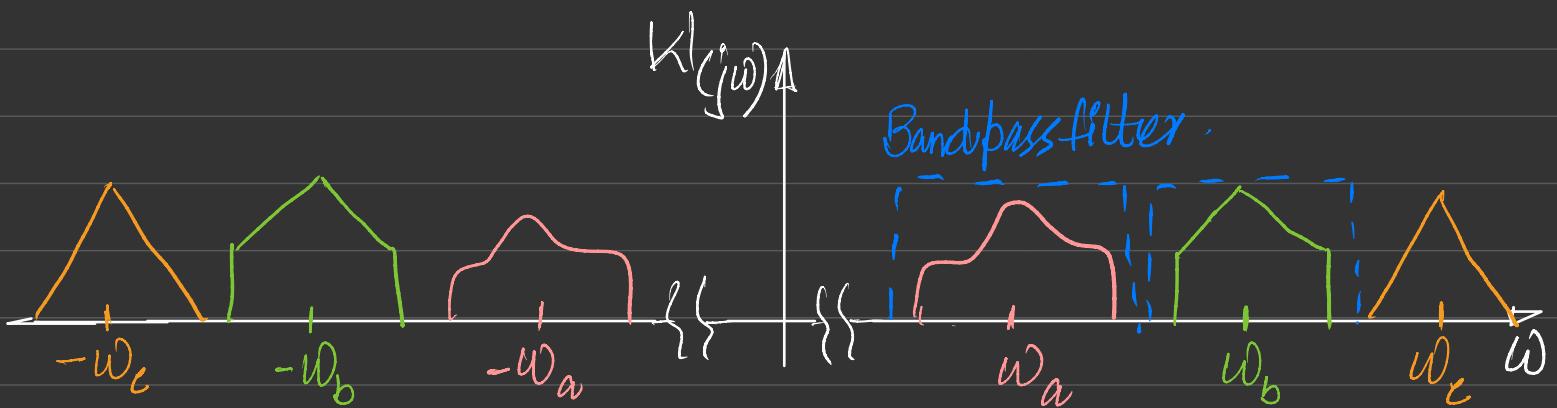
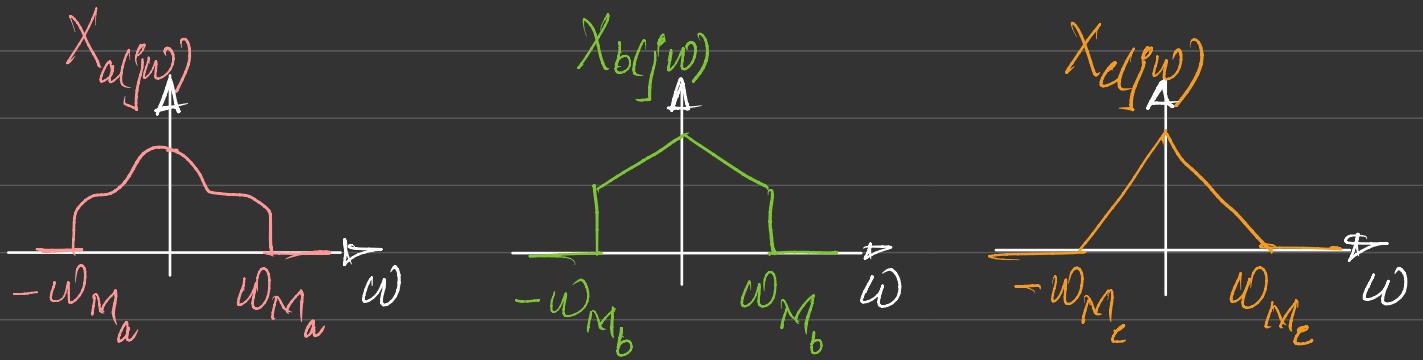
Goal: To simultaneously transmit multiple signals over a single wideband channel, for example a microwave link with a total bandwidth of several gigahertz.

(Microwave Freq. Range is 300 MHz to 300 GHz)

- If the individual voice signals, which are overlapping in freq., have their freq. content shifted by means of sinusoidal AM so that the spectra of the modulated signals no longer overlap, they can be transmitted simultaneously over a single wideband channel.

- FDM  $\rightarrow$  figure.





DEMULTIPLEXING : Bandpass Filtering

Example: Radio Channels