

1. Analog to Digital Conversion

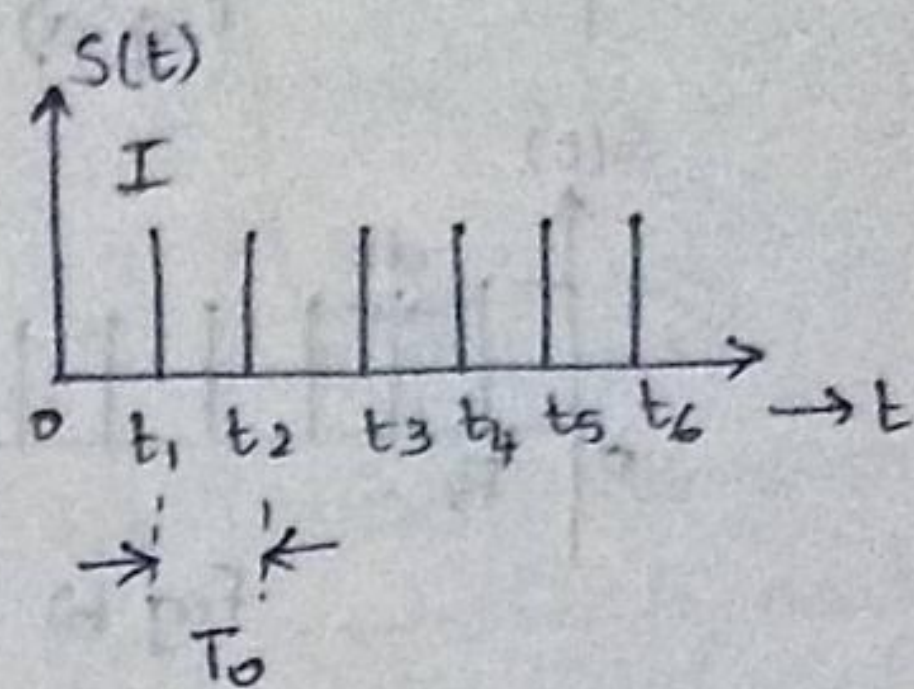
→ Sampling: Sampling of signals is the fundamental operation in signal processing by which a continuous-time s/g is first converted to discrete time s/g.

→ If the samples are in the form of impulses, the sampling is called instantaneous sampling.

→ For an impulse train with strength I & repetition time T_0 is

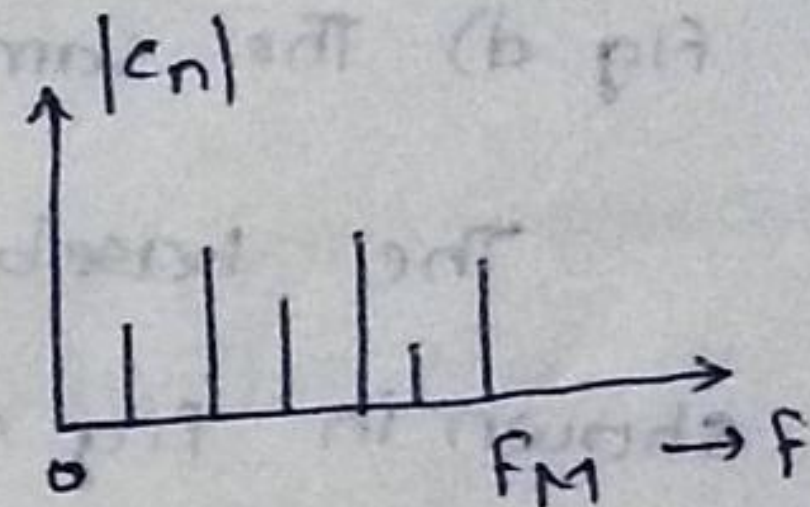
$$S(t) = I \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - kT_0)$$

$$= \frac{I}{T_0} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2I}{T_0} \cos \frac{2\pi n t}{T_0}$$



→ But if the samples are in the form of pulses, then these systems are called pulse modulation systems.

→ A s/g is said to be bandlimited to a freq f_M , if that s/g has spectral components which extend upto a highest freq f_M in the upper freq direction.



→ Sampling Theorem (or) Nyquist Sampling Theorem:

If a base band s/g $m(t)$ is band limited to freq f_M , then $2f_M$ samples/sec will completely characterize that s/g. The samples are periodic in the interval T_s sec, where the sampling time T_s is $\frac{1}{2f_M}$. The s/g can be reconstructed if the

sampling freq is $f_s \geq 2f_M$

$$\Rightarrow T_s \leq \frac{1}{2f_M}$$

Proof: { For showing how the s/g can be reconstructed from its samples }

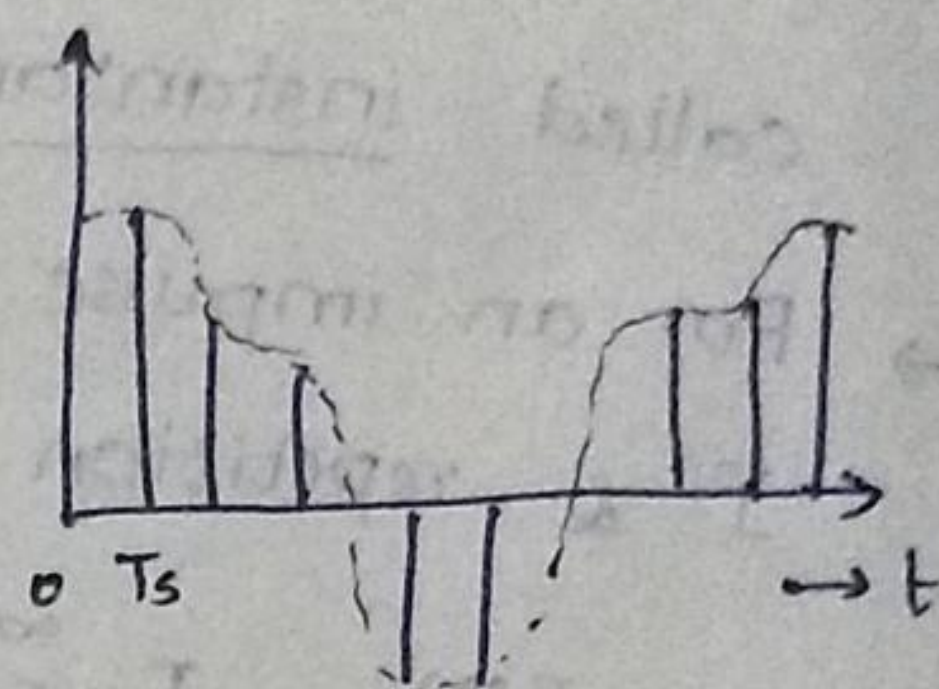
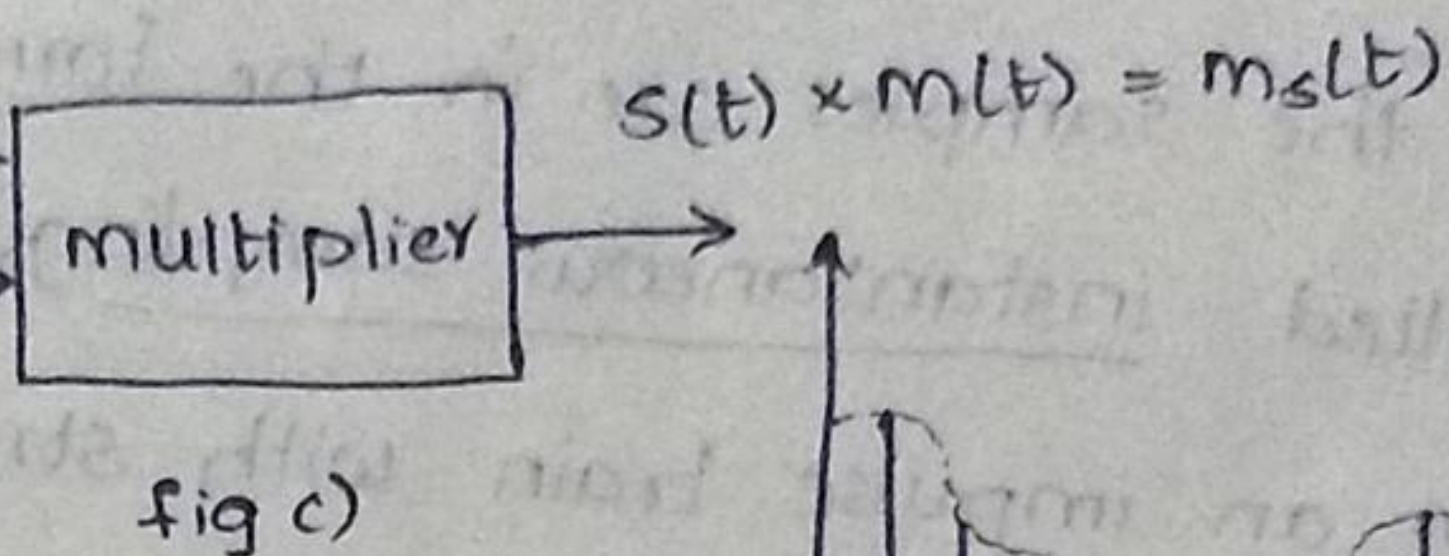
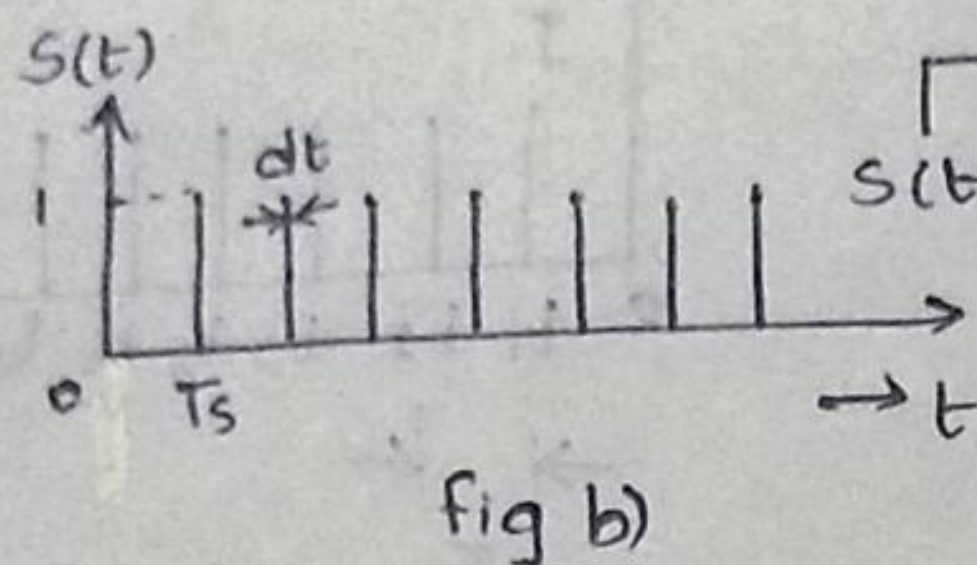
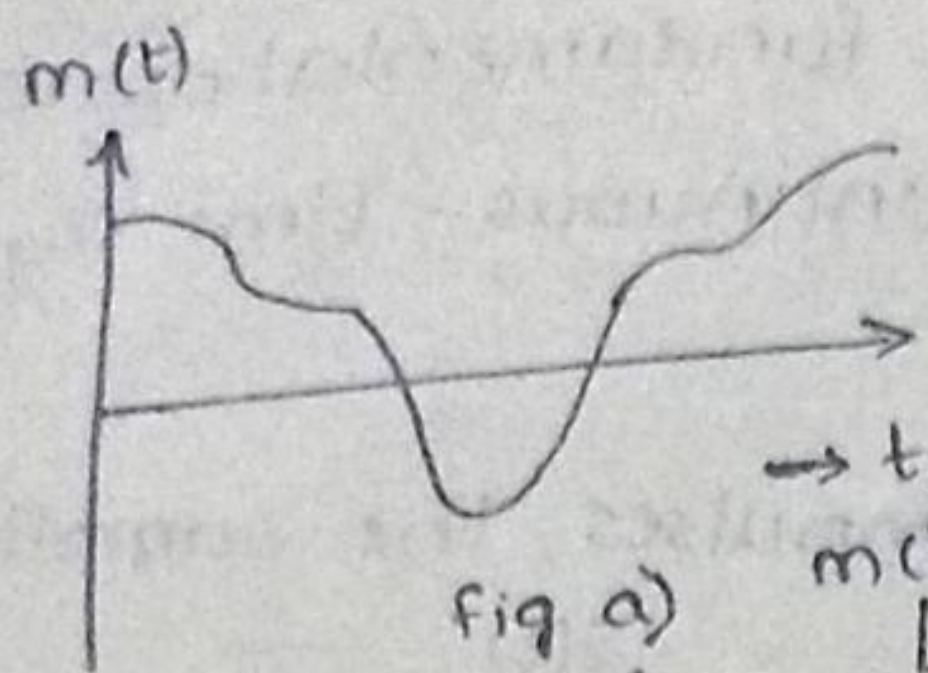


Fig a) A s/g $m(t)$ which is to be sampled

Fig b) The sampling fn $s(t)$ contains

train of very narrow unit amplitude pulses

Fig c) The sampling operation is performed in multiplier

Fig d) The samples of s/g $m(t)$

The baseband s/g $m(t)$ which is to be sampled is shown in fig a). Let us consider a periodic train of pulses $s(t)$ of unit amplitude & of period T_s as shown in fig b). The pulses are arbitrarily narrow having width dt .

The two s/gs $m(t)$ & $s(t)$ are applied to multiplier as shown in fig (c) which provides an o/p $s(t)m(t)$.

The s/g $s(t)$ is periodic with period T_s & has the fourier expansion $\left\{ \text{replace } T = dt \text{ \& } T_0 = T_s \right\}$

$$s(t) = \frac{dt}{T_s} + 2 \frac{dt}{T_s} \left[\cos \frac{2\pi t}{T_s} + \cos \frac{4\pi t}{T_s} + \dots \right]$$

Then the sampled o/p, $m_s(t) = m(t)s(t)$

$$\therefore m(t)s(t) = \underbrace{\frac{dt}{T_s} m(t)}_{\text{Base band s/g}} + \underbrace{\frac{dt}{T_s} \left[2 m(t) \cos \frac{2\pi t}{T_s} + 2 m(t) \cos \frac{4\pi t}{T_s} + \dots \right]}_{\text{DSB-SC s/g with carrier freq } (f_s = 2f_m)} + \dots$$

DSB-SC s/g with carrier freq $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 4f_m \\ = 2f_s \end{array} \right.$

Let the s/g $m(t)$ has spectral density $F[m(t)] = M(j\omega)$

only s/g $m_s(t)$ has spectral density $F[m_s(t)] = F[m(t)s(t)]$

case ① : $T_s = \frac{1}{2f_m}$

$$|F(s(t)m(t))| = |M(j\omega)s(j\omega)|$$

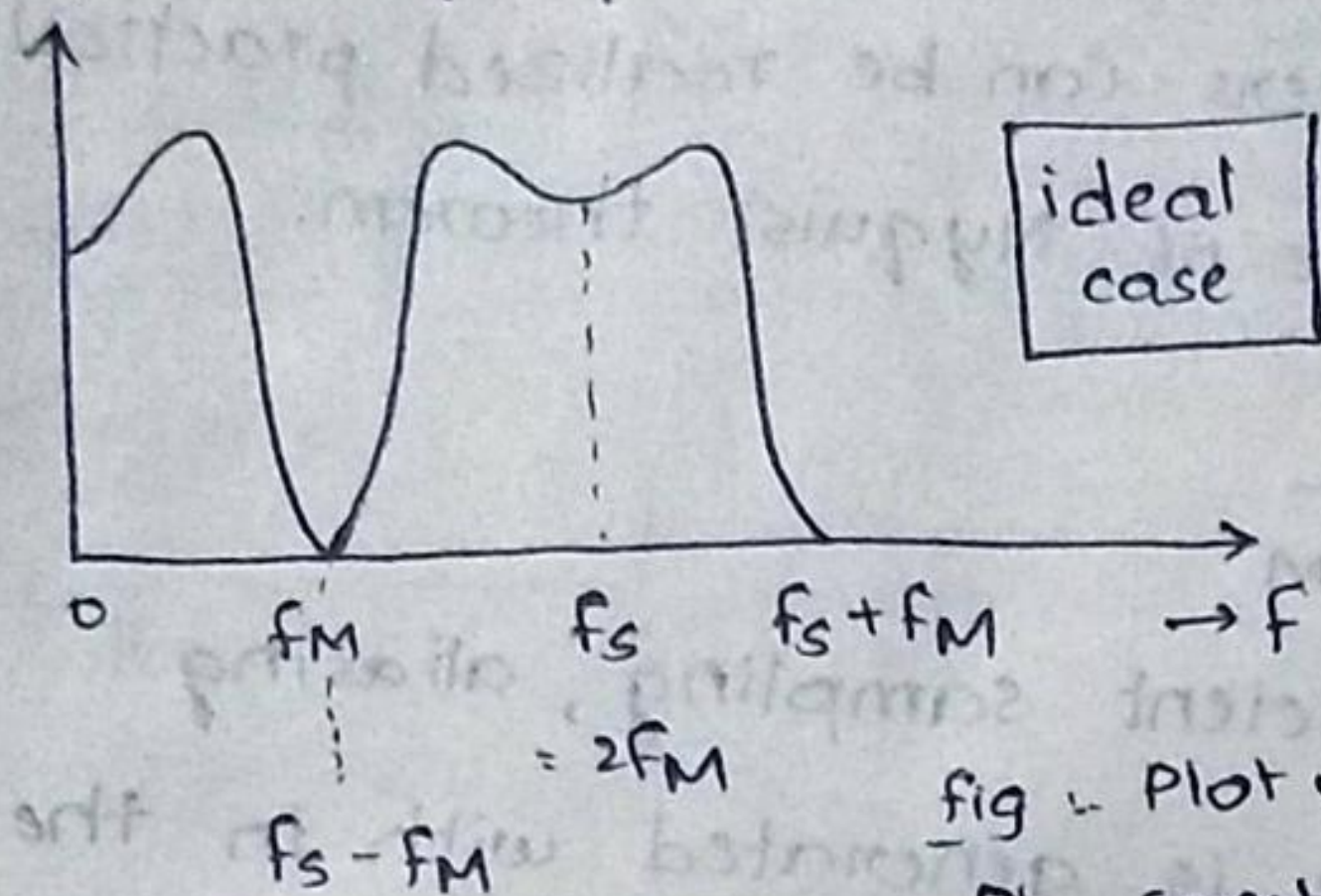


fig - Plot of amplitude or spectrum of sampled s/g.

$$|M(j\omega)s(j\omega)| = M(j\omega)s(j\omega)$$

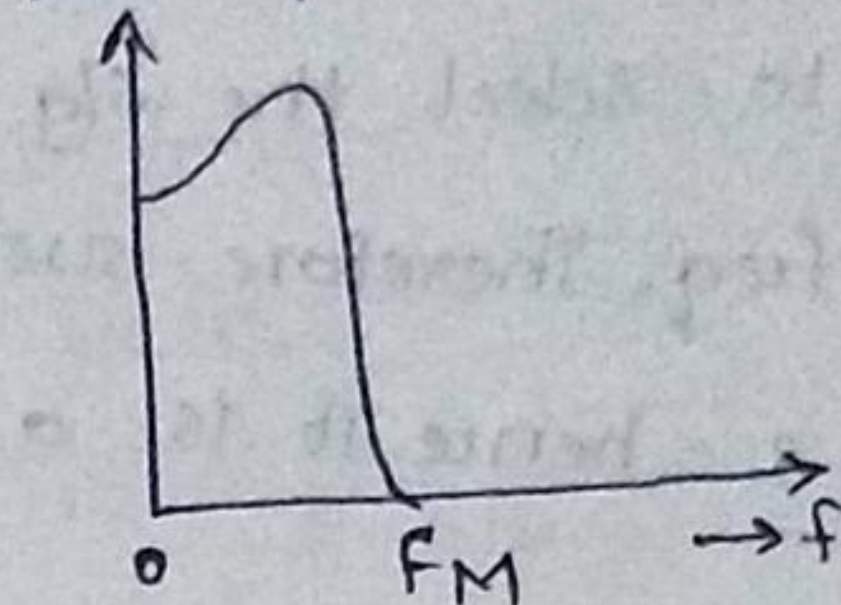
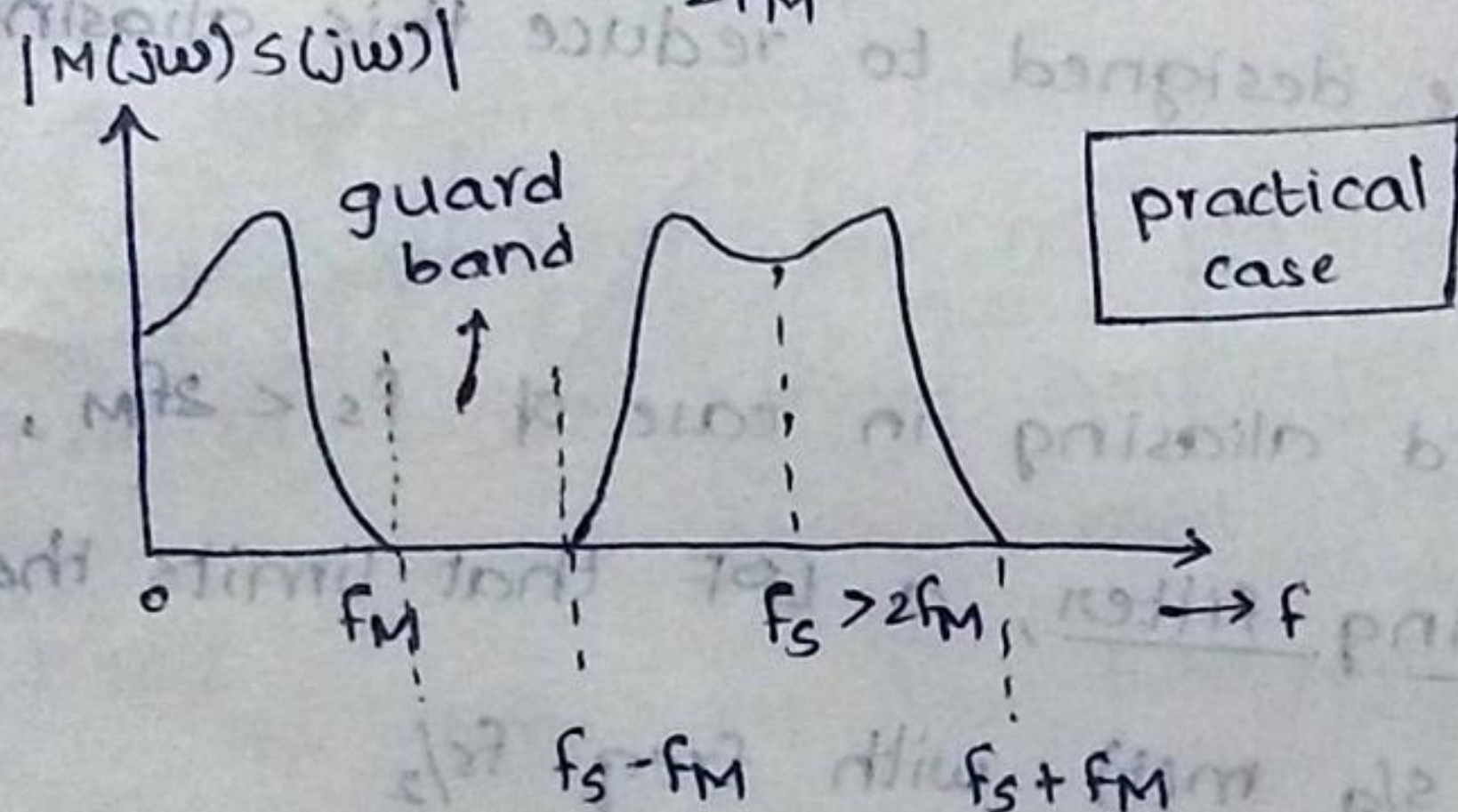


fig : magnitude plot of spectral density of s/g bandlimited to f_m .

case ② : $T_s < \frac{1}{2f_m} \Rightarrow f_s > 2f_m$



$$\text{Guard band} = (f_s - f_m) - f_m = f_s - 2f_m$$

fig : Guard band appears when $f_s > 2f_m$

case ③ : $T_s > \frac{1}{2f_m} \Rightarrow f_s < 2f_m$

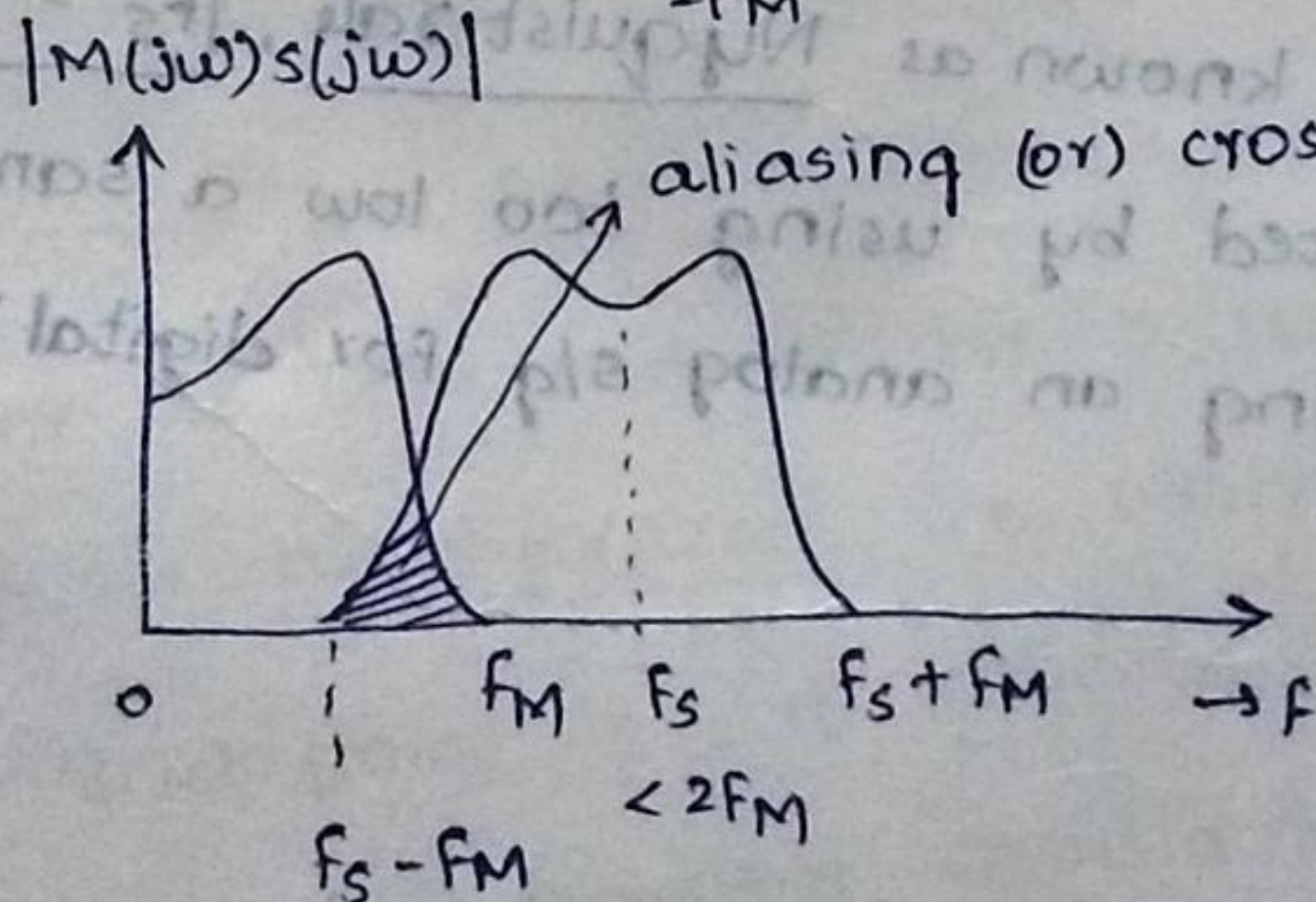


fig : Over-lapping of spectra when $f_s < 2f_m$

case ④ : $f_s = 2f_m$

From the above spectrums when $f_s = 2f_m$, the s/g can be recovered by passing the Rxed s/g through a LPF having a sharp cut off freq at f_m . But practically such type of filters cannot be realized. Hence it is an ideal case for Nyquist theorem.

② case ② :- when $f_s > 2f_m$, a guardband of $f_s - 2f_m$ $\{ (f_s - f_m) - f_m = f_s - 2f_m \}$ results as shown in fig. Hence the s/g can be recovered by using a LPF. In this case, the LPF used to select the s/g need not have infinitely sharp cut-off freq. Therefore such type of filters can be realized practically & hence it is a practical case of Nyquist theorem.

case ③ :- $f_s < 2f_m \Rightarrow T_s > \frac{1}{2f_m}$

When $f_s < 2f_m$, due to insufficient sampling, aliasing (distortion or crosstalk) noise is generated within the freq band of 0 to f_m as shown in fig.

No filter can be designed to reduce this aliasing effect.

→ When necessary, to avoid aliasing in case of $f_s < 2f_m$,
① we use an antialiasing filter, a LPF that limits the freq band of msg s/g $m(t)$ with freq $f_s/2$

② $f_s > 2f_m$

→ The min sampling rate is known as Nyquist rate, $f_s = 2f_m$

→ Aliasing :- Distortion created by using too low a sampling rate ($f_s < 2f_m$) when coding an analog s/g for digital Tx

→ Sampling rate :- f_s

→ Sampling time :- T_s

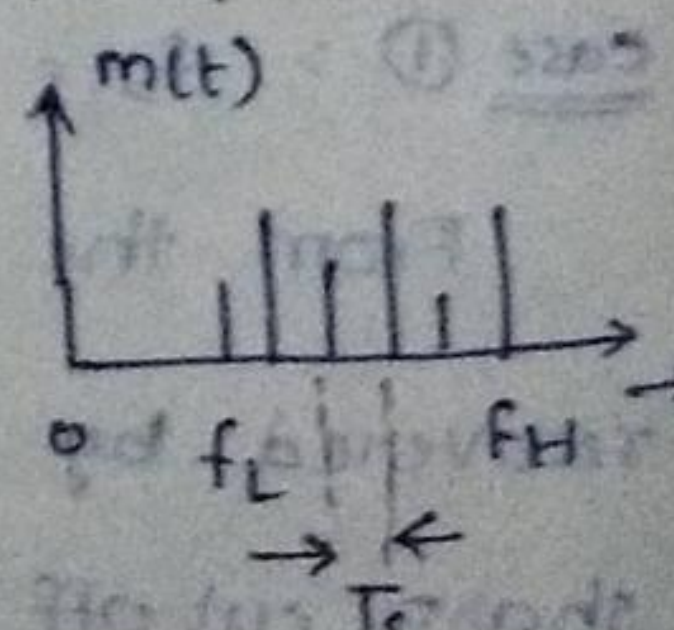
→ Nyquist sampling theorem for bandpass signals :-

$$f_s \geq 2(f_H - f_L)$$

$$T_s \leq \frac{1}{2(f_H - f_L)}$$

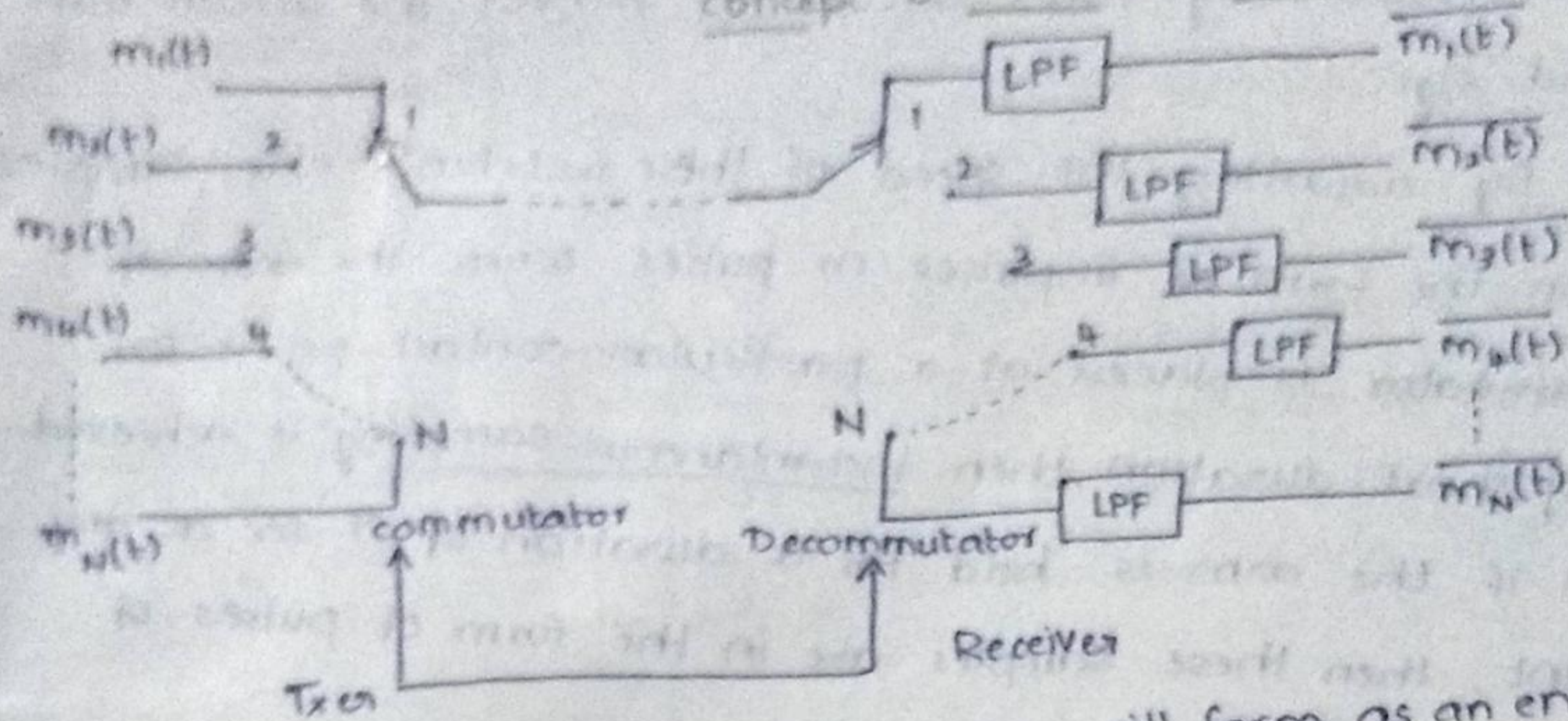
f_H → Highest spectral component

f_L → Lowest spectral component.



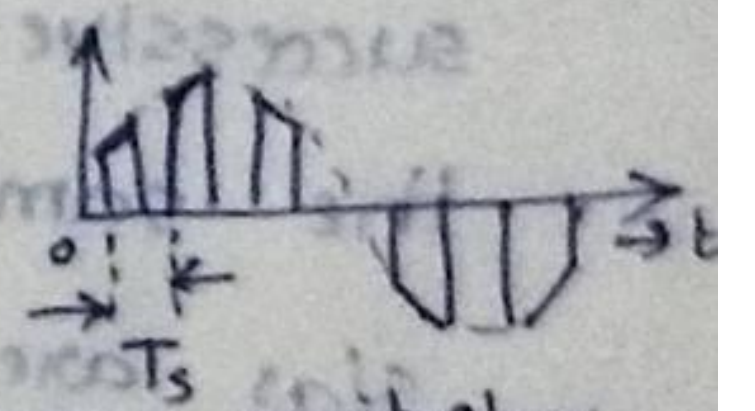
→ Problems (2) $\{0, 1, \}$

→ Time Division Multiplexing. Pulse Amplitude Modulation system (TDM-PAM system)



In AM system, a base band s/g $m(t)$ will form as an envelope if a high frequency carrier $A \cos \omega_c t$ to form a modulated carrier waveform. But in PAM, the samples are in the form of pulses whose amplitude is equal to the amplitude of base band s/g at that time instant.

The time gap b/w two successive leading edges of this PAM samples is defined as sampling time T_s .



In order to multiplex 'N' number of signals in PAM systems, consider two rotatory switches, one at Txen end & the other at Rxen end, which needs to be synchronized. i.e, when the arm of commutator is at contact point '1', it collects the samples of $m_1(t)$, then the arm of decommutator should be at contact point '1' so that samples of $m_1(t)$ are passed through LPF designed to recover $m_1(t)$ only.

The switch, at Txen is called commutator which collects the samples of all 'N' number of baseband s/gs. At the receiving end, a similar type of switching

mechanism called commutator is present, which takes three samples as i/p & separates these samples & applies them to the corresponding filter circuits to recover the actual base band s/gs.

By adjusting the speed of these switching ckt, samples are in the form of impulses or pulses. When the arm of commutator is placed at a particular contact point for very short duration, then instantaneous sampling is achieved. But if the arm is held for a duration of ' τ ' sec at any point, then these samples are in the form of pulses of duration τ sec.

→ Channel BW for PAM :-
Interlacing of samples :-

Let N no. of base band s/gs

i.e., $m_1(t), m_2(t), \dots, m_N(t)$ are to

be multiplexed then b/w two

successive samples of $m_1(t)$

the samples of remaining (N-1)

s/gs are to be fixed.

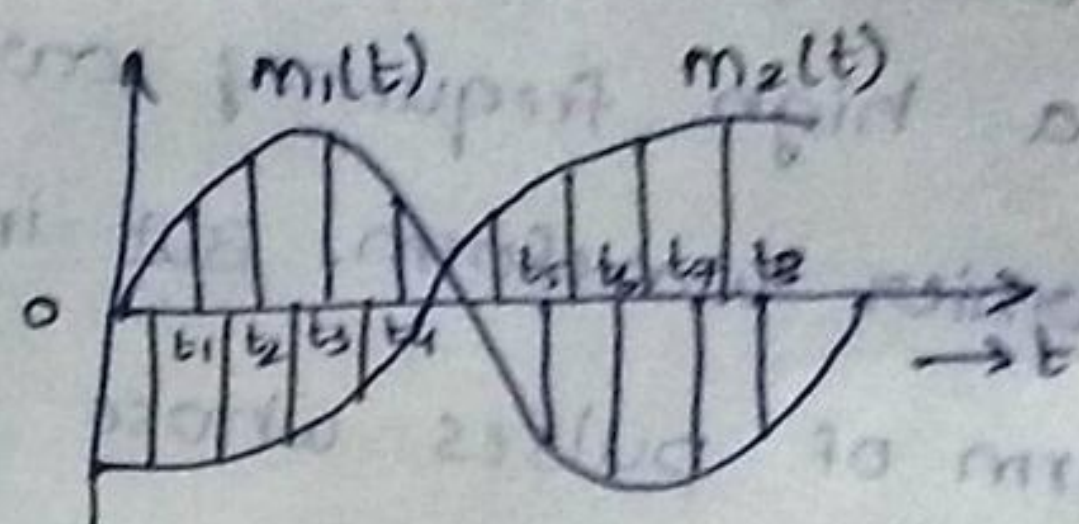


Fig :- Interlacing of samples for 2 base band s/gs.

If f_m is the bandlimited freq, then $T_s = \frac{1}{2f_m}$. Hence the interval of separation b/w two successive samples is

$$\frac{T_s}{N} = \frac{1}{2f_m N}$$

If the BW of the channel is sufficient, then all the 'N' number of s/gs can be recovered without any distortion, but insufficient BW results crosstalk (overlapping of response).

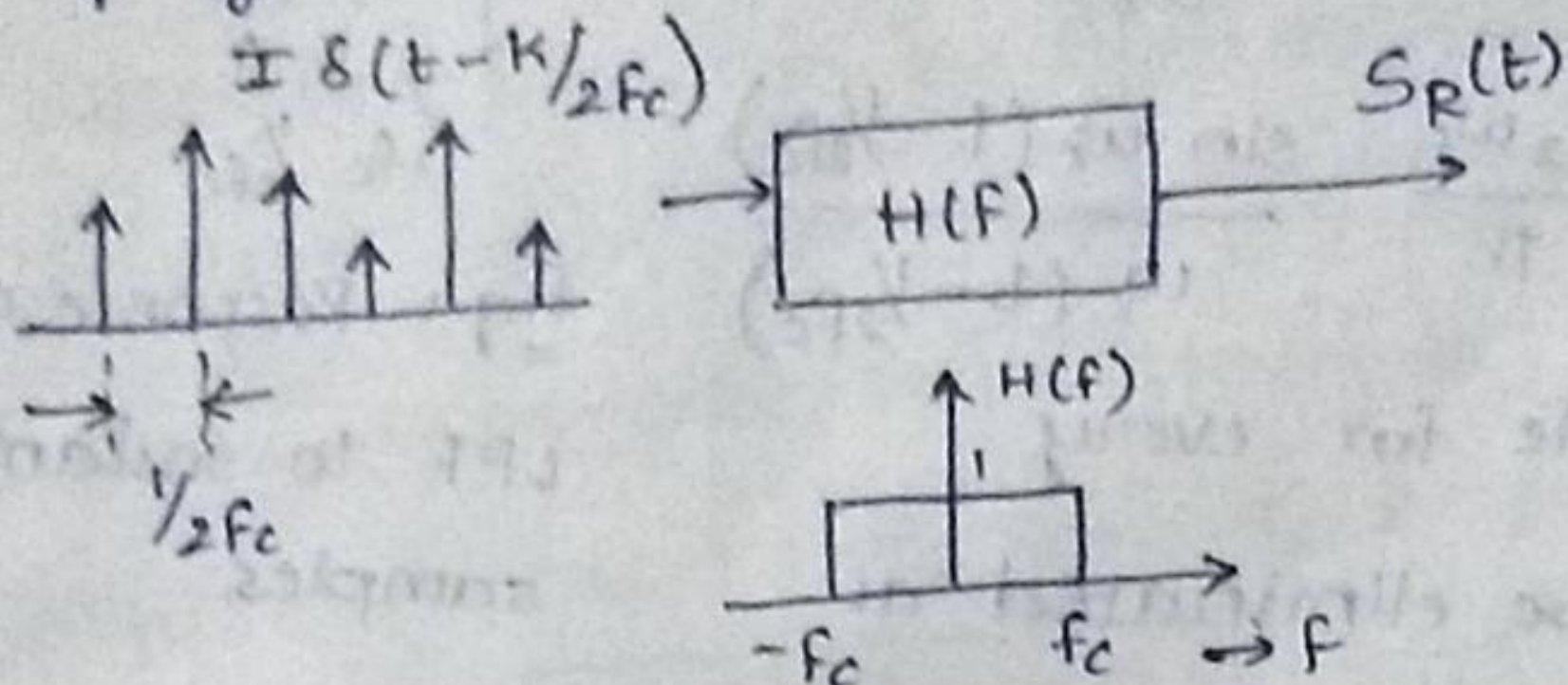
In this TDM, if the sample is a pulse of width τ sec, then max no. of s/gs that can be multiplexed is

$$N_{\max} = \frac{T_s}{\tau}$$

where T_s is sampling time, if $N_{\max} > \frac{T_s}{\tau}$ crosstalk will result.

→ Channel BW of PAM sig :

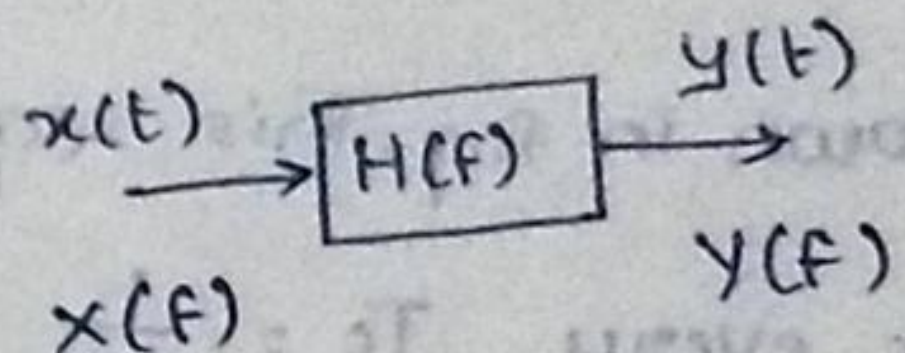
Consider the sequence of samples in the form of impulses are applied as i/p to comm. channel which has a characteristics of an ideal LPF with angular cut-off freq $\omega_c = 2\pi f_c$ having unity gain & no delay.



where $S_R(t)$ is the response fn developed by the channel at the Rxing end.

$$H(f) = 1 \quad -f_c \leq f \leq f_c$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{elsewhere}$$



$$H(f) = \frac{Y(f)}{X(f)}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(f) = H(f) X(f)$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1} [H(f) X(f)]$$

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1} S_R(t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1} \left[H(f) \mathcal{F} \left[I \delta \left(t - \frac{K}{2f_c} \right) \right] \right]$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{F} [\delta(t-t_1)] = e^{-j2\pi f t_1} \\ \mathcal{F} [v(t)] = V(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} v(t) e^{-j2\pi f t} dt \\ \mathcal{F}^{-1} [V(f)] = v(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} V(f) e^{j2\pi f t} df \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow S_R(t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1} \left[H(f) I e^{-j2\pi f K/2f_c} \right]$$

$$\left\{ \frac{e^{jx} - e^{-jx}}{2j} = \sin x \right.$$

$$= I \int_{-f_c}^{f_c} 1 \cdot e^{-j2\pi f K/2f_c} e^{j2\pi f t} df$$

$$= I \int_{-f_c}^{f_c} e^{j2\pi f (t - K/2f_c)} df = I \left[\frac{e^{j2\pi f (t - K/2f_c)}}{j2\pi (t - K/2f_c)} \right]_{-f_c}^{f_c}$$

$$\Rightarrow S_R(t) = \frac{I 2j \sin 2\pi f_c (t - K/2f_c)}{j2\pi (t - K/2f_c)}$$

$$= \frac{I \omega_c \sin \omega_c (t - K/2f_c)}{\pi \omega_c (t - K/2f_c)}$$

$$\therefore S_R(t) = \frac{I_w c}{\pi} \frac{\sin \omega_c(t - K/2f_c)}{\omega_c(t - K/2f_c)}$$

For $t=0$, $m_1(t)$ is sampled

$t = \frac{1}{2f_c}$, $m_2(t)$ is sampled

$$\text{For } K=0, S_{R_1}(t) = \frac{I_1 \omega_c}{\pi} \frac{\sin \omega_c t}{\omega_c t}$$

$$K=1, S_{R_2}(t) = \frac{I_2 \omega_c}{\pi} \frac{\sin \omega_c(t - 1/2f_c)}{\omega_c(t - 1/2f_c)}$$

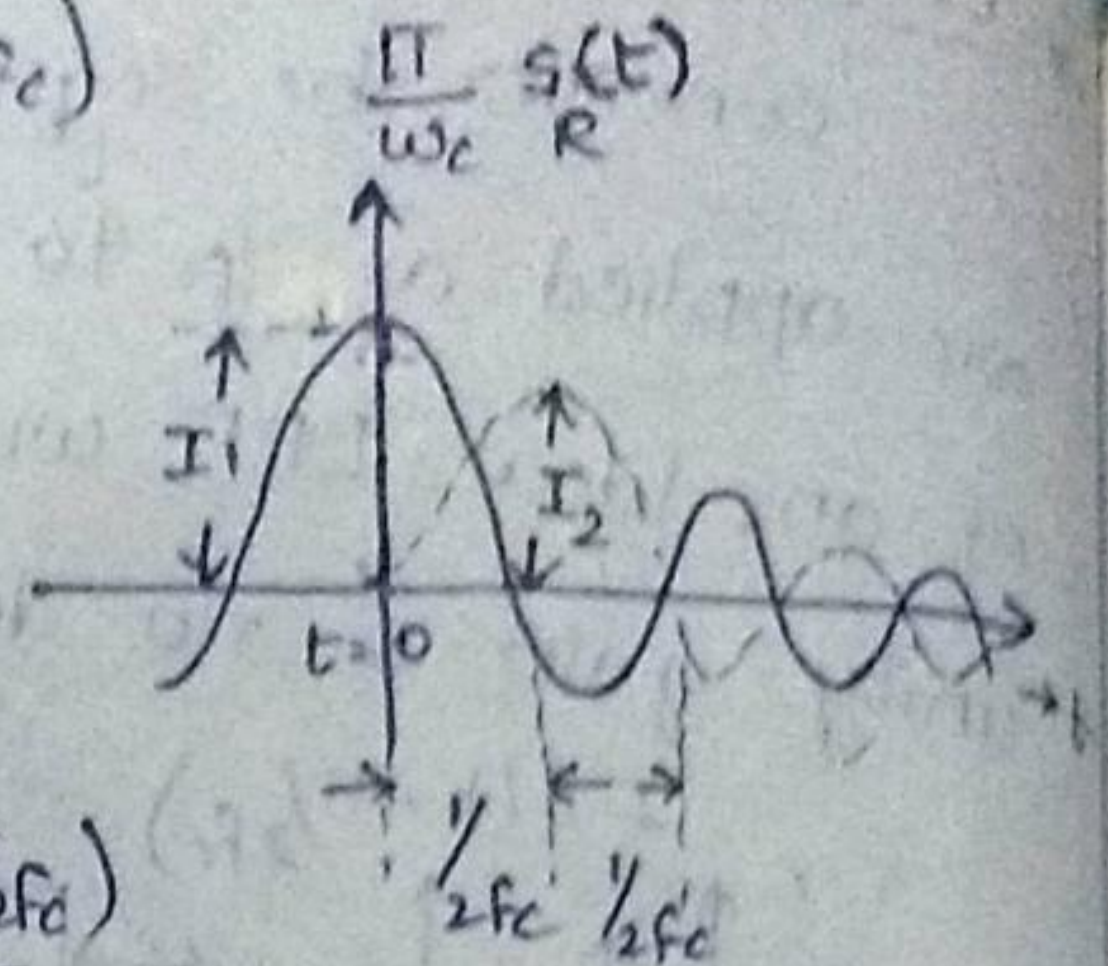


Fig: Response of ideal LPF to instantaneous samples.

By Txing, one sample for every $1/2f_c$ sec, crosstalk can be eliminated as

shown in fig. This sequence should be repeated

for every $T_s = \frac{1}{2f_m}$ sec. Hence total no. of s/gs

that can be multiplexed is

$$N = \frac{f_c}{f_m}$$

1 sample $\rightarrow 1/2f_c$ sec

$N(?) \rightarrow T_s = \frac{1}{2f_m}$ sec

$$\Rightarrow N \frac{1}{2f_c} = \frac{1}{2f_m}$$

$$\Rightarrow N = \frac{f_c}{f_m}$$

→ Sampling Techniques :-

① Instantaneous sampling :-

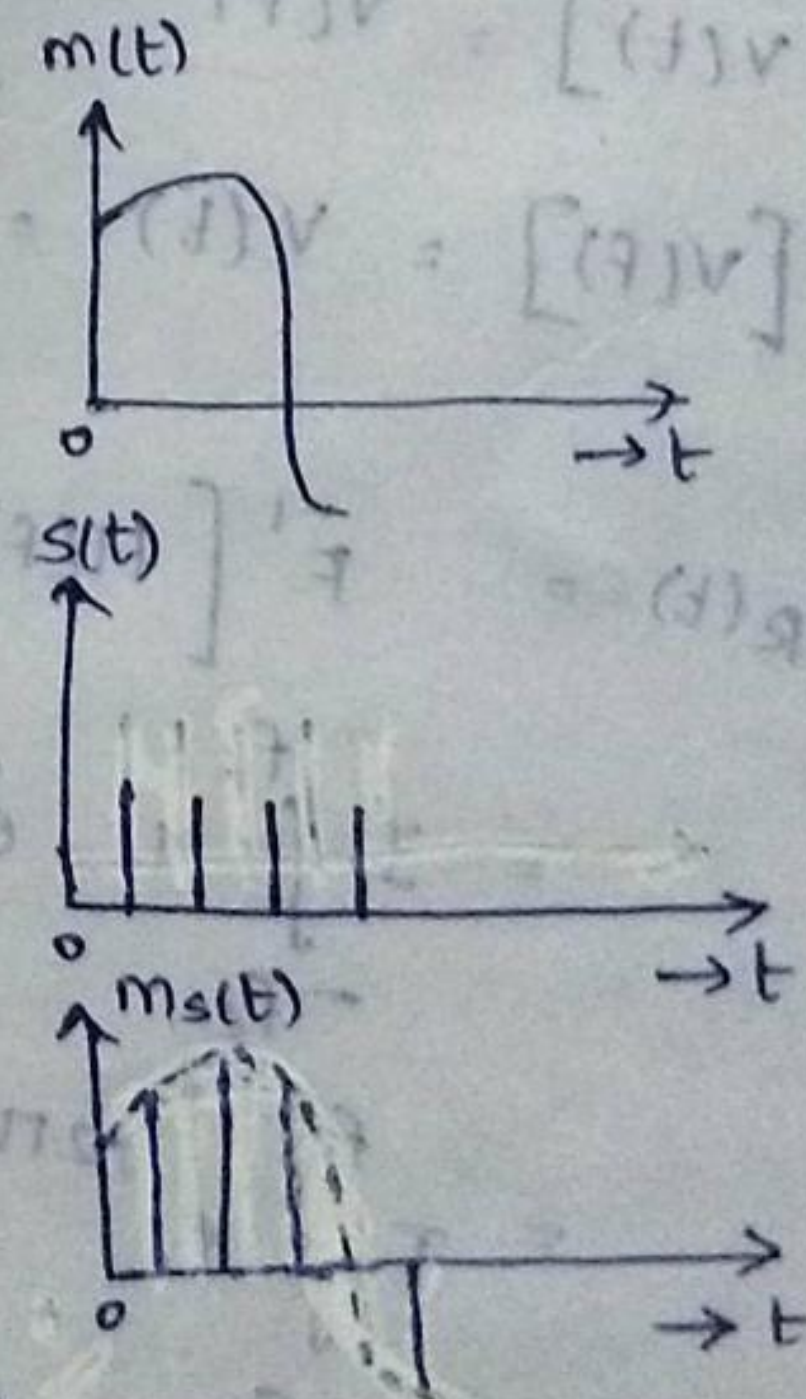
Here, the sampling s/g is impulse train

$$I \leq \delta(t - K T_s)$$

In TDM-PAM systems, instantaneous sampling is achieved, when the arm

of commutator is held at a particular

contact point for a very short duration, so that samples in the form of impulses can be obtained.

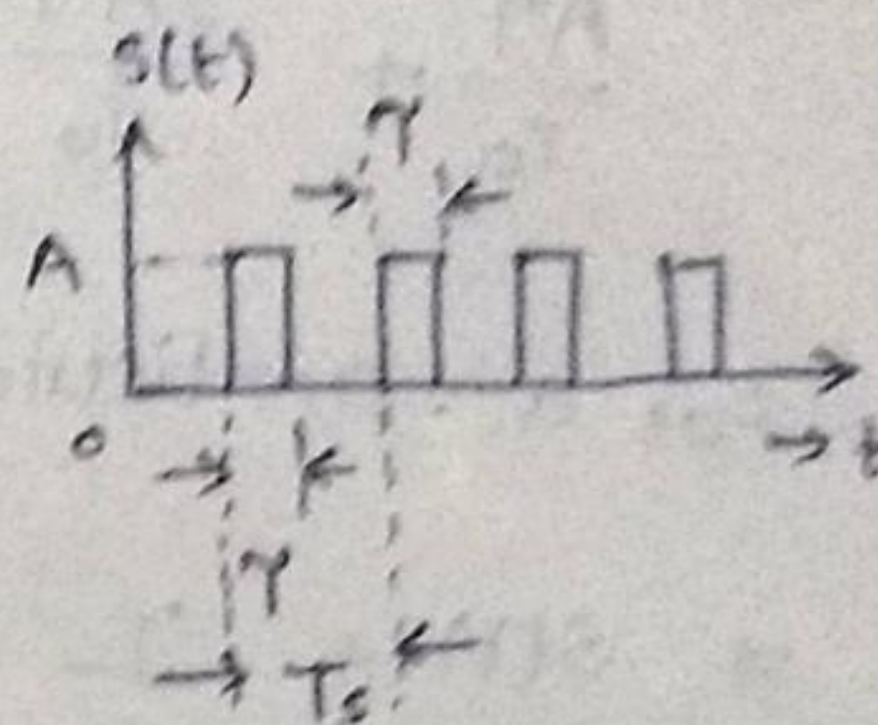


But the o/p level of these samples is very small, & there is a chance of losing the data in the background of noise. (when they are fixed over the comm. channel) Hence the baseband s/g may not be reconstructed

In all the cases, Hence alternate sampling methods are introduced.

② Pulse sampling: Pulse sampling is of 2 types

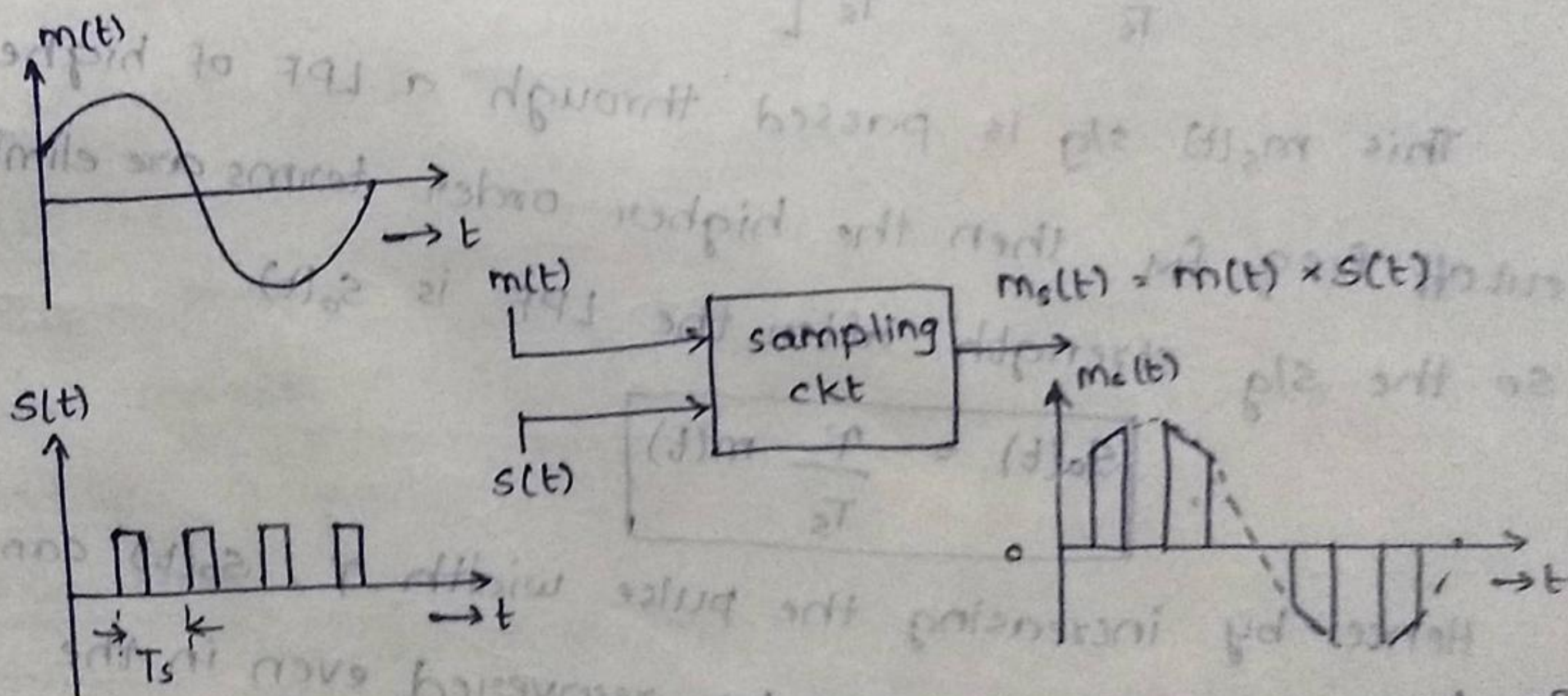
- 1) Natural sampling
- 2) Flat-Top sampling.



Pulse sampling can be used to raise the s/g level where the sampling s/g $s(t)$ represents a periodic pulse train of amplitude A , repetition time T_s & pulse width τ sec.

$$s(t) = A \sum P(t - kT_s)$$

① Natural sampling:



In natural sampling, the sampled o/p $m_s(t)$ consists of pulses of width τ sec, repeated for every T_s sec where $T_s = \frac{1}{2f_m}$.

The top portion of these sampled pulses follow the original base band s/g amplitude (i.e., retains the shape of original s/g during that pulse interval). Hence these natural samples

always represent the actual base band s/g & always convey "true information" about the base band s/g. Hence

the base band s/g can be reconstructed at the Rx end

with "minimum amount of distortion".

For a periodic pulse train of amplitude A & pulse width τ , repetition time T_0 , the fourier series expansion is given by

$$\frac{A\tau}{T_0} + \frac{2A\tau}{T_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin n\pi\tau/T_0}{n\pi\tau/T_0} \cos \frac{2n\pi t}{T_0}$$

For a particular sampling s/g, $A=1$, $T_0 = T_s$

$$\Rightarrow S(t) = \frac{\tau}{T_s} + \frac{2\tau}{T_s} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \cos \frac{2n\pi t}{T_s} \quad \text{where } C_n = \frac{\sin n\pi\tau/T_0}{n\pi\tau/T_0}$$

$$= \frac{\tau}{T_s} + \frac{2\tau}{T_s} \left[C_1 \cos \frac{2\pi t}{T_s} + C_2 \cos \frac{4\pi t}{T_s} + \dots \right]$$

$$\therefore m_s(t) = m(t) S(t)$$

$$= \frac{\tau}{T_s} m(t) + \frac{2\tau}{T_s} \left[C_1 m(t) \cos \frac{2\pi t}{T_s} + C_2 m(t) \cos \frac{4\pi t}{T_s} + \dots \right]$$

This $m_s(t)$ s/g is passed through a LPF of higher cutoff freq f_m , then the higher order terms are eliminated.

So the s/g strength after the LPF is $S_0(t)$

$$\therefore S_0(t) = \frac{\tau}{T_s} m(t)$$

Hence by increasing the pulse width τ , $S_0(t)$ can be increased so that $m(t)$ can be recovered even in the background of noise, but in a TDM system, the no. of s/g's

that can be multiplexed ($N = \frac{T_s}{\tau}$) is effected, if τ is increased, N value is reduced. But practically to reduce the effect of crosstalk, τ should be less than $\frac{T_s}{N}$ $\left\{ \tau < \frac{T_s}{N} \right\}$

Hence always choose a compromise value of τ to satisfy the required conditions for $S_0(t)$ & Number of s/g's to be multiplexed. (N)

→ Note : ① Practically $\tau + \tau_g = \frac{T_s}{N}$ where τ_g is the guard time allocated b/w 2 successive