

AV312 - Lecture 5

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Review of last class

- ▶ Frequency modulation
 - ▶ Relationship between frequency and phase
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 - ▶ FM is a non-linear transformation \Rightarrow finding bandwidth of the modulated signal $s(t)$ is not straightforward
 - ▶ Frequency deviation Δf and modulation index β (phase deviation)

Today's plan

- ▶ Frequency modulation and its bandwidth
- ▶ Carson's rule
- ▶ Today's scribes are Bojja Venkata Hemambhar and Chanumuru Mallikarjuna

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- ▶ The FM signal $s(t)$ for single tone $m(t)$ is therefore

$$s(t) = A_c \cos(2\pi f_c t + \beta \sin(2\pi f_m t))$$

- ▶ Intuitively, as Δf and β should affect the bandwidth of the signal
- ▶ If $\beta < 1$, we have narrowband modulation
- ▶ If $\beta > 1$, we have wideband modulation

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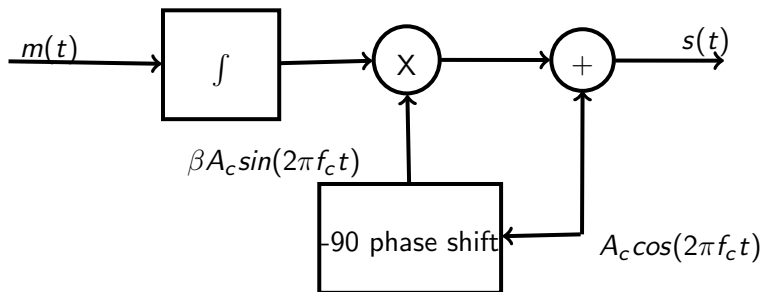
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- ▶ Multiply and divide by $A_c \sqrt{1 + \beta^2 \sin^2(2\pi f_m t)}$.
- ▶ This is a very useful mathematical tool in comm. sys. analysis

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$$c_n = f_m A_c \int_{-\frac{1}{2f_m}}^{\frac{1}{2f_m}} e^{j\beta \sin(2\pi f_m t) - j2\pi n f_m t} dt.$$

- ▶ Suppose $x = 2\pi f_m t$

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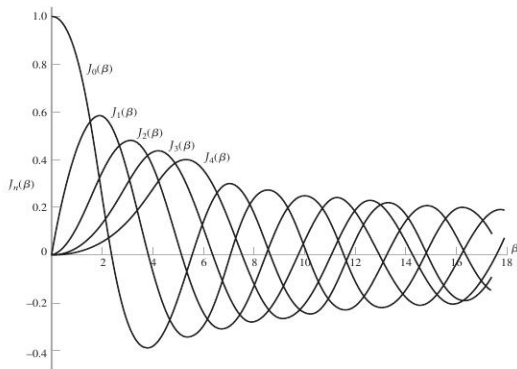
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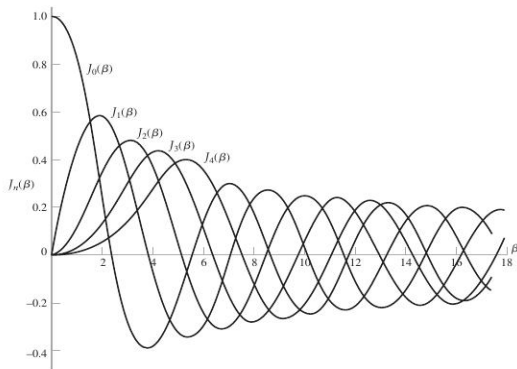
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- ▶ $S(f) = \frac{A_c}{2} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(\beta) [\delta(f - f_c - n f_m) + \delta(f + f_c + n f_m)]$

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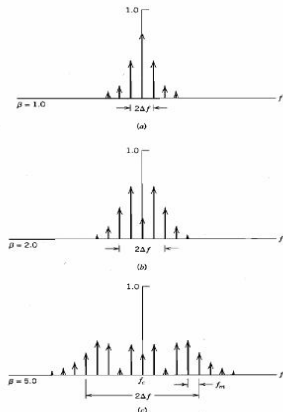


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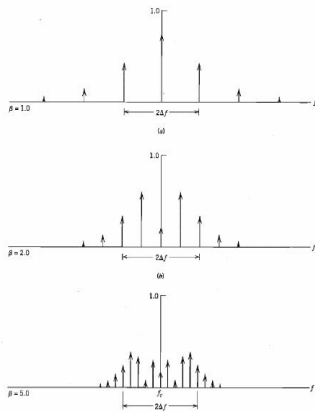
The effect of β and Δf

- Recall $\Delta f = k_f A_m$, $\beta = \frac{\Delta f}{f_m}$, and $S(f)$.

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Carson's rule

- ▶ For wideband FM, the actual bandwidth is ∞
- ▶ Empirically, the bandwidth is $2\Delta f$ for wideband FM
- ▶ For narrowband FM, the bandwidth is $2f_m$
- ▶ Carson's rule: Bandwidth is $2\Delta f + 2f_m$
- ▶ Read the textbook for an alternative method using $J_n(\beta)$

Carson's rule for general $m(t)$

- ▶ Let the maximum freq. component in $m(t)$ be W
- ▶ Let $\Delta f = k_f \max|m(t)|$
- ▶ Use Carson's rule (is an underestimate!)