



Probability and Random Process

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PSD, QAM, White Noise



Power Spectral Density

Used to indicate frequency content of a RP

The power spectral density (PSD) of a **WSS** RP (real or complex) is the **Fourier Transform of its autocorrelation function**:

$$S_X(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} R_X(\tau) e^{-j\omega\tau} d\tau$$

$R_X(\tau)$
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the only argument

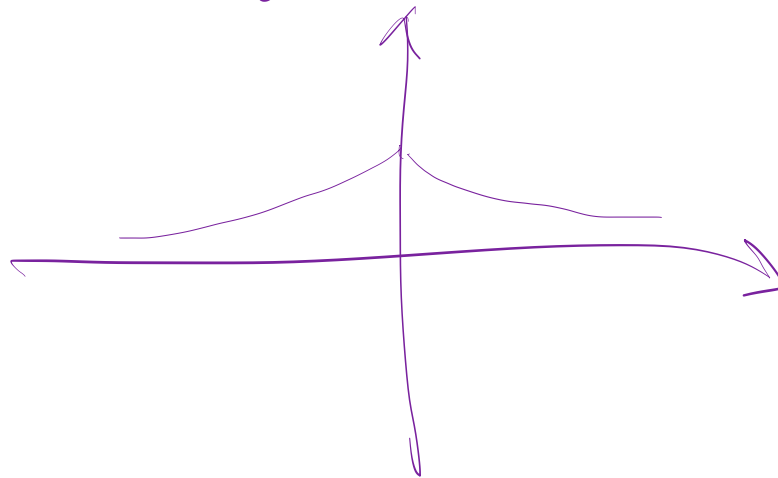
inverse Fourier function

$$R_X(\tau) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} S_X(\omega) e^{j\omega\tau} d\omega$$

If $X(t)$ is real, $R_X(\tau)$ is real and even

$S_X(\omega)$ is real and even

usually



If $X(t)$ is a WSS voltage waveform with PSD $S_X(\omega)$, then the **average power** (Watts) of $X(t)$ in the frequency band is

$$P_{avg}[\omega_a, \omega_b] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\omega_b}^{-\omega_a} S_X(\omega) d\omega + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\omega_a}^{\omega_b} S_X(\omega) d\omega$$

Total average power:

→ WSS, no matter t , $E\{x^2\}$ is the same

$$\underbrace{E\{|X(t)|^2\}}_{\substack{\text{"} \\ E[X(t) \cdot X^*(t)]}} = R_X(0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} S_X(\omega) d\omega$$

↓
important

$S_X(\omega)$ has the unit of Watts/Hz, regardless of its expression as a function of ω or f .

Recall the avg power expression:

$$P_{avg}[\omega_a, \omega_b] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\omega_b}^{-\omega_a} S_X(\omega) d\omega + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\omega_a}^{\omega_b} S_X(\omega) d\omega$$

Change variables $f = \frac{\omega}{2\pi}$ and let $S_X^{(Hz)}(f) = S_X^{(Rad)}(2\pi f)$

$$P_{avg}[\omega_a, \omega_b] = \int_{-f_b}^{-f_a} S_X(f) df + \int_{f_a}^{f_b} S_X(f) df$$

EXCEPTION: impulses: $\delta^{(Rad)}(\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \delta^{(Hz)}(f)$



Random Phase Sinusoid

this is WSS

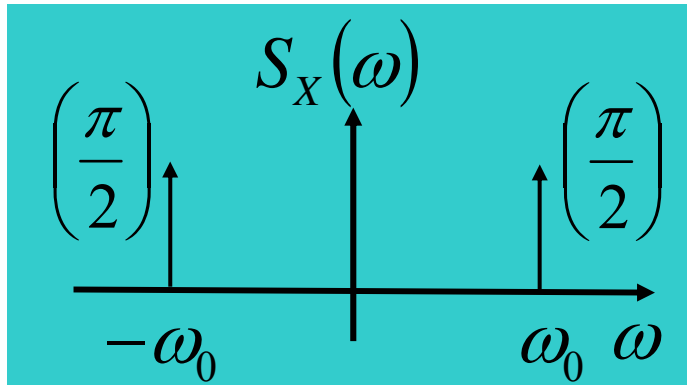
$$X(t) = \sin(\omega_0 t + \theta) \quad \theta \sim U[-\pi, \pi]$$

$$R_X(\tau) = E[X(t) X(t-\tau)]$$

① calculate this $R_X(\tau) = \frac{1}{2} \cos(\omega_0 \tau) \rightarrow$ ② $S_X(\omega) = \mathcal{F}\{R_X(\tau)\}$

$$\cos(\omega_0 \tau) \leftrightarrow \pi \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$

③ $\therefore S_X(\omega) = \frac{\pi}{2} \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \frac{\pi}{2} \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$



In Hz domain,

$$f = \frac{\omega}{2\pi}$$

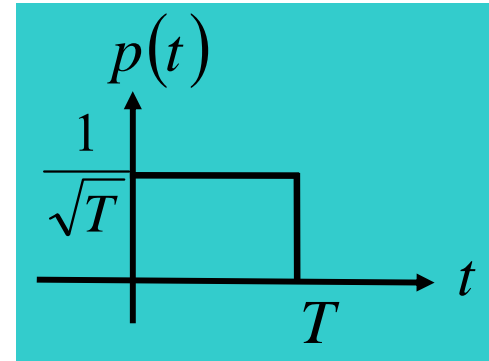
④ $S_X(f) = \frac{1}{4} \delta(f - f_0) + \frac{1}{4} \delta(f + f_0)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= E[\sin(\omega_0 t + \theta) \sin(\omega_0 (t-\tau) + \theta)] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} E[e^{j(\omega_0 t + \theta)} - e^{-j(\omega_0 t + \theta)}] [e^{j(\omega_0 (t-\tau) + \theta)} - e^{-j(\omega_0 (t-\tau) + \theta)}] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} E[e^{j(2\omega_0 t + 2\theta - \omega_0 \tau)} - e^{j(2\omega_0 t + 2\theta - \omega_0 \tau)} - e^{-j(2\omega_0 t + 2\theta - \omega_0 \tau)} + e^{-j(2\omega_0 t + 2\theta - \omega_0 \tau)}] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} E[\cos(2\omega_0 t + 2\theta - \omega_0 \tau) - \cos(2\omega_0 t + 2\theta - \omega_0 \tau)] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \cos(\omega_0 \tau) \end{aligned}$$

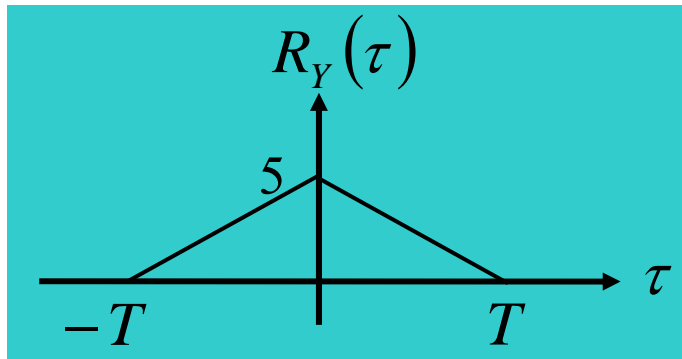
expectation w.r.t. θ

Baseband 4-level PAM Example

$$Y(t) = \sum_{i=-\infty}^{+\infty} \underbrace{A_i}_{\text{RV.}} \underbrace{p(t - iT + \theta)}_{\text{pulse}}$$



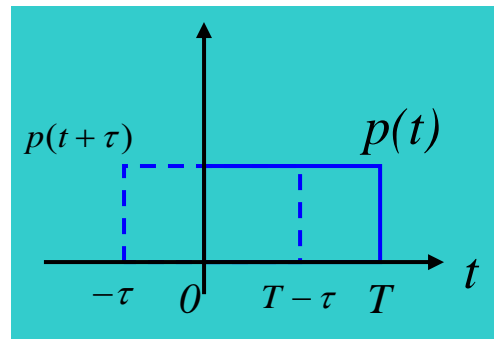
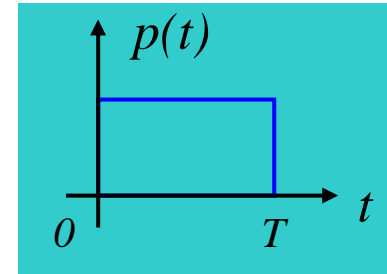
Unit energy pulse



$$R_Y(\tau) = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{T}(T - |\tau|) & |\tau| \leq T \\ 0 & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

If $p(t)$ is as shown on the right,
then only the $m=0$ term
contributes to the integral.

For $\tau > 0$



$$C_Y(\tau) = \frac{5}{T} \int_0^T p(t) p(t + \tau) dt = \frac{5}{T} (T - \tau)$$

Since $C_Y(\tau)$ is even,

$$C_Y(\tau) = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{T} (T - |\tau|) & |\tau| \leq T \\ 0 & o.w. \end{cases}$$

4-level PAM, Concluded

From F.T. table, $S_Y(\omega) = 5T \left[\frac{\sin(\omega T / 2)}{\omega T / 2} \right]^2$

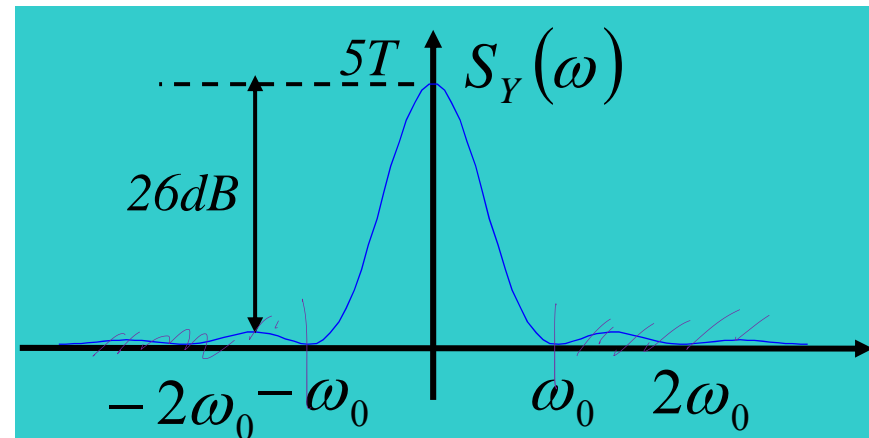
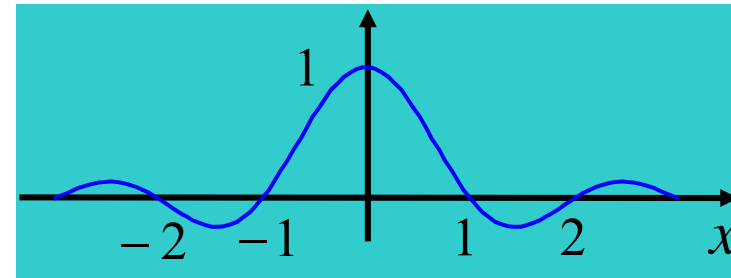
Definition of sinc function:

$$\text{sinc}(x) = \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{\pi x}$$

$$\therefore S_Y(\omega) = 5T \text{sinc}^2\left(\frac{\omega T}{2\pi}\right)$$

Let $\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T}$,

Mathematics Book Definition:
 $\text{sinc}(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$
 Engineering Book:
 $\text{sinc}(x) = \frac{\sin \pi x}{\pi x}$





Summary (1)

The PSD indicates frequency content of a RP

The PSD is the Fourier transform of the autocorrelation function of a WSS RP

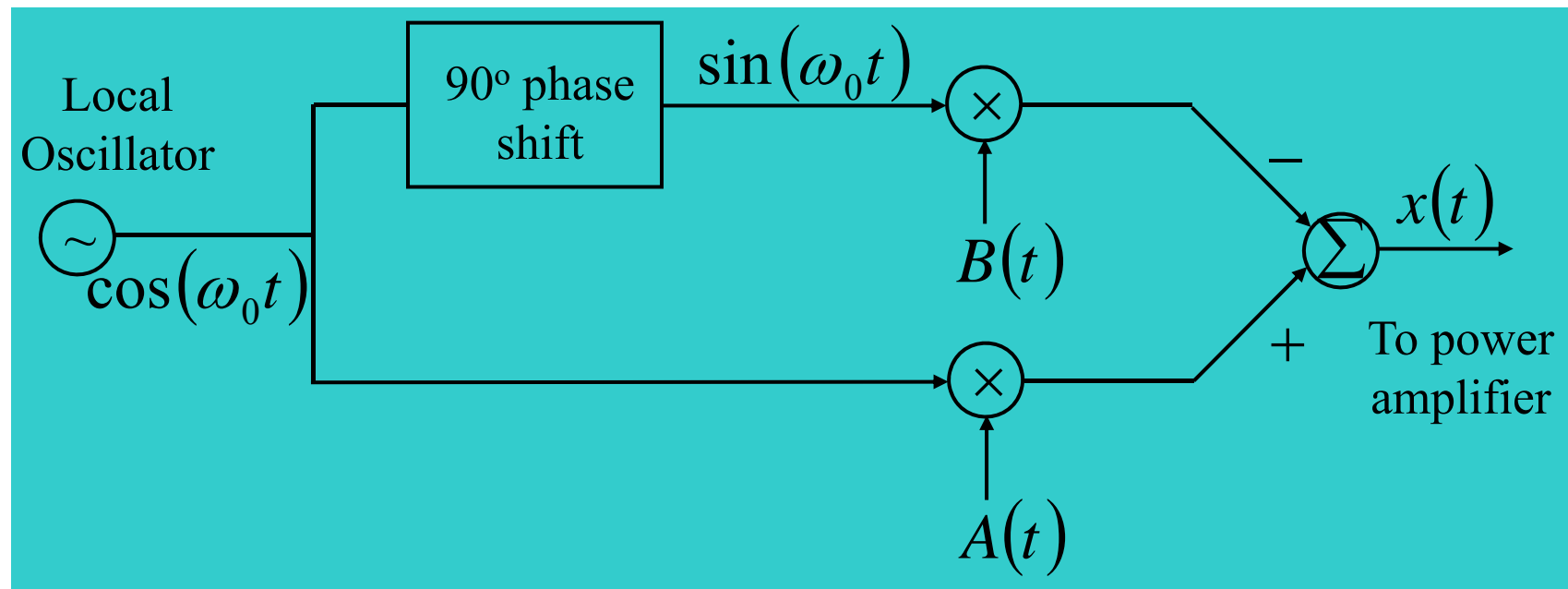
The PSD is integrated to get average power

*If cycs : Take average
then Fourier Transformation*

Quadrature Amplitude Modulation (QAM)

Extremely popular in digital communication systems because of its high bandwidth efficiency (the number of bits that can be expressed in a band-limited waveform).

QAM Modulator:



Definition

Let $A(t)$ and $B(t)$ be real, jointly WSS RPs with zero mean, and let ω_0 be the carrier frequency in radians/sec. Then the **QAM-modulated signal** $X(t)$ is defined as

$$X(t) = \underbrace{A(t)}_{RV} \cos(\omega_0 t) - \underbrace{B(t)}_{RV} \sin(\omega_0 t)$$

This RP is WSS as long as

Here assume: A, B joint WSS

$$R_A(\tau) = R_B(\tau) \quad \text{and} \quad R_{AB}(\tau) = -R_{BA}(\tau)$$

where $R_{AB}(\tau) = E\{A(t+\tau)B^*(t)\}$

Verify WSS

- Mean is constant.
- Autocorrelation is constant

$$R_X(t_1, t_2) = R_X(\tau) \quad \text{where} \quad \tau = t_1 - t_2$$



Proof that $X(t)$ is WSS

$$\begin{aligned} R_X(\tau) &= E\{X(t+\tau)X^*(t)\} \\ &= E\{[A(t+\tau)\cos(\omega_0(t+\tau)) - B(t+\tau)\sin(\omega_0(t+\tau))] \\ &\quad \cdot [A(t)\cos(\omega_0 t) - B(t)\sin(\omega_0 t)]\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= R_A(\tau)\cos(\omega_0(t+\tau))\cos(\omega_0 t) - R_{AB}(\tau)\cos(\omega_0(t+\tau))\sin(\omega_0 t) \\ &\quad - R_{BA}(\tau)\sin(\omega_0(t+\tau))\cos(\omega_0 t) + R_B(\tau)\sin(\omega_0(t+\tau))\sin(\omega_0 t) \end{aligned}$$

$$= R_A(\tau)\cos(\omega_0 \tau) + R_{AB}(\tau)\sin(\omega_0 \tau)$$

*since $R_A(\tau) = R_B(\tau)$
 $R_{AB}(\tau) = -R_{BA}(\tau)$*

$$S_X(\omega) = \mathfrak{I}\{R_A(\tau)\cos(\omega_0\tau) + R_{AB}(\tau)\sin(\omega_0\tau)\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[S_A(\omega) * [\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0)] \right. \\ \left. + S_{AB}(\omega) * \left[\frac{\pi}{j}\delta(\omega - \omega_0) - \frac{\pi}{j}\delta(\omega + \omega_0) \right] \right]$$

where $S_{AB}(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} R_{AB}(\tau) e^{-j\omega\tau} d\tau$

$$S_X(\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\underbrace{\pi S_A(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi S_A(\omega + \omega_0)}_{\text{ok, real.}} \right. \\ \left. + \frac{\pi}{j} S_{AB}(\omega - \omega_0) - \frac{\pi}{j} S_{AB}(\omega + \omega_0) \right]$$

must be real

next page.



Imaginary Part

We have terms of the form $\frac{\pi}{j} S_{AB}(\omega - \omega_0) = -j\pi S_{AB}(\omega - \omega_0)$

Recall the assumption $R_{AB}(\tau) = -R_{BA}(\tau)$

Combine this with

$$R_{AB}(\tau) = E\{A(t+\tau)B(t)\} = E\{B(t)A(t+\tau)\} = R_{BA}(-\tau)$$

to get $R_{AB}(\tau) = -R_{AB}(-\tau) \leftarrow \text{ODD SYMMETRY}$



PSD, Cont'd

The odd symmetry of $R_{AB}(\tau)$ implies that $S_{AB}(\omega)$ is purely imaginary and has odd symmetry,

so $-j\pi S_{AB}(\omega)$ is real

$$S_X(\omega) = \frac{1}{2} [S_A(\omega - \omega_0) - jS_{AB}(\omega - \omega_0)] \\ + \frac{1}{2} [S_A(\omega + \omega_0) + jS_{AB}(\omega + \omega_0)]$$

General definition:

$X(t)$ is a white-noise process such that

$$C(t_1, t_2) = q(t_1) \delta(t_1 - t_2)$$

Any two samples of a white noise are **uncorrelated**, regardless of how close they are in time.

$t_1 = t_2 \Rightarrow C \neq 0$

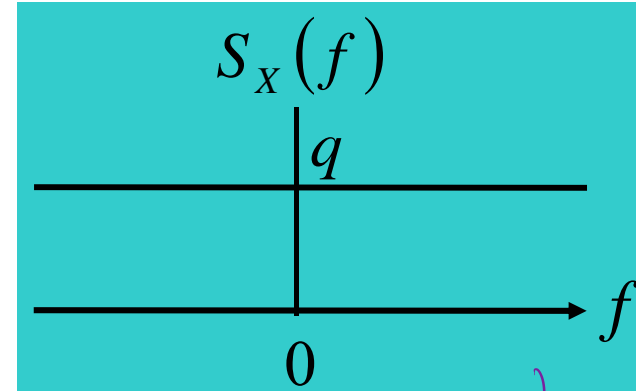
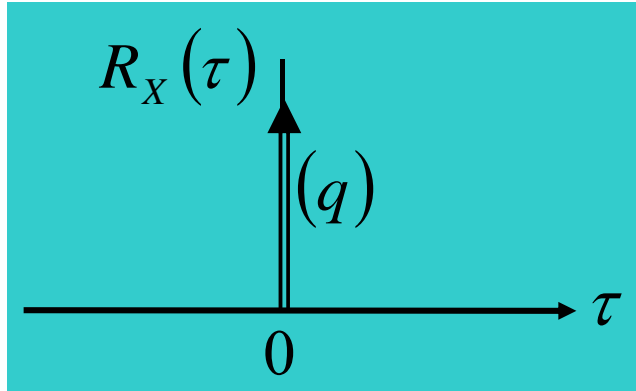
~~*~~ independent \Leftrightarrow strict white noise

Usually, white noise is assumed to have **zero mean**, so

$$R(t_1, t_2) = q(t_1) \delta(t_1 - t_2)$$

WSS white noise: $R(\tau) = q \delta(\tau)$

A white noise RP has a **flat power spectral density**
 → equal energy in all bands of the same bandwidth.
 Equivalently, its autocorrelation is a single impulse.



↓
 infinite energy
 (power = spectral density)

How Much Power?

If $X(t)$ is a WSS white noise RP, then the total average power is

$$\begin{aligned} E\{|X(t)|^2\} &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} S_X(f) df \\ &= R_X(0) \\ &= +\infty \end{aligned}$$

How can this be?

since \nearrow It's impossible.
It's an ideal model



White Noise is an Idealization

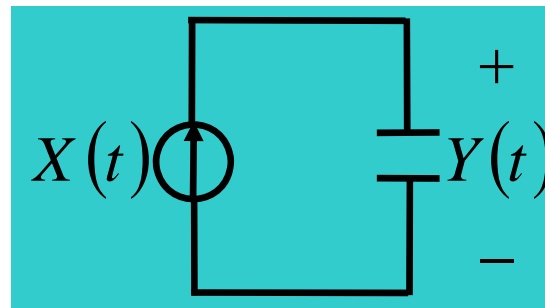
White noise doesn't exist outside of a convolution integral (similar to a delta function)

Any real system has **finite bandwidth**

As long as the actual input PSD is flat over the bandwidth of the system, it might as well be flat everywhere to simplify analysis

Let
$$Y(t) = \int_0^t X(s) ds$$

$Y(t) = X(t) * u(t)$, where $u(t)$ is the unit step.



White noise current generator

$$\begin{aligned}
 1. \quad E\{|Y(t)|^2\} &= E\left\{\int_0^t X(s)ds \int_0^t X^*(v)dv\right\} \\
 &= \int_0^t \int_0^t E\{X(s)X^*(v)\}dsdv \\
 &= \int_0^t \int_0^t q(s)\delta(s-v)dsdv = \int_0^t q(v)dv
 \end{aligned}$$

2. $Y(t)$ has uncorrelated increments.

if said sample independent.
if gaussian \rightarrow independent
if increments also independent



Gaussian White Noise

- If each sample is independent and has a normal distribution with zero mean, the signal is said to be Gaussian white noise
- Any integral of Gaussian White noise (GWN) is Gaussian.

If $X(t)$ is WSS GWN, then

$Y(t) = \int_0^t X(s)ds$ has independent increments.

$Y(t)$ is a Wiener Process

$X(t)$ is the derivative of a Wiener Process.



Derivative of Wiener Process is Gaussian White Noise

Therefore, if $Y(t)$ is a Wiener process, then

$X(t) = \frac{dY(t)}{dt}$ is white noise with

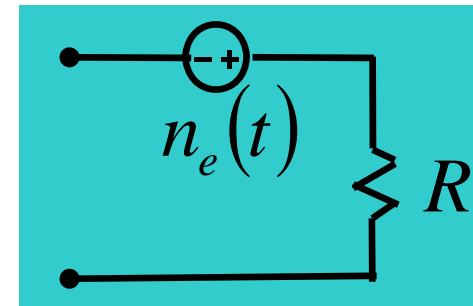
$$E[X(t)] = 0$$

$$R_{XX}(t_1, t_2) = \sigma^2 \delta(t_1 - t_2), \quad 0 < t_1, \quad 0 < t_2$$

For $0 < t_1$ and $0 < t_2$, the RP is WSS. We often assume that the process “began” in the infinite past and assume it is WSS for all time.

It can be shown that **any integral of $X(t)$ is Gaussian**, therefore we call $X(t)$ Gaussian White Noise (GWN).

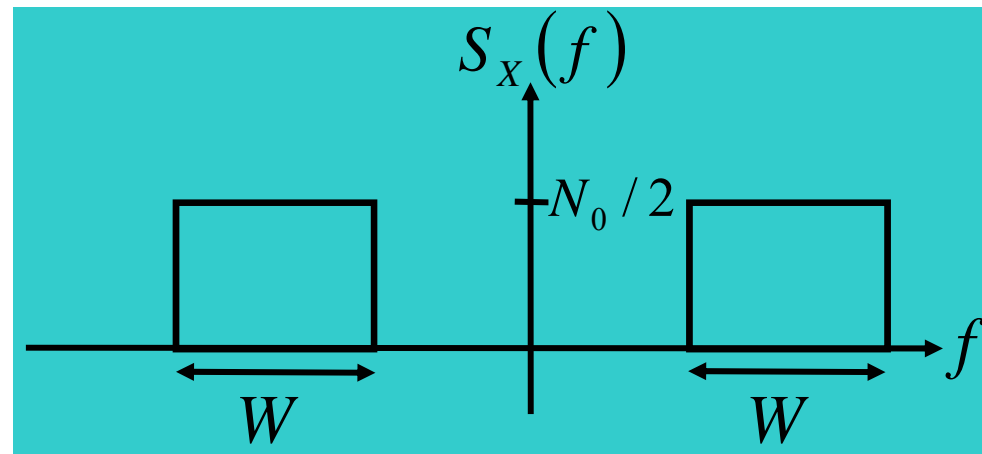
GWN is used to model thermal noise in communication receivers.



$$S_{n_e}(f) = 2kTR$$

Boltzman
Constant
Temperature
Resistance

Band-limited White Noise



$$E\{|X(t)|^2\} = N_0 W$$



Summary (2)

- QAM is WSS
- White noise is an idealized RP that is simple to analyze
- Gaussian White Noise (GWN)
 - > is the derivative of the Wiener Process
 - > models thermal noise
- WSS white noise has a flat power density spectrum



Thank You!