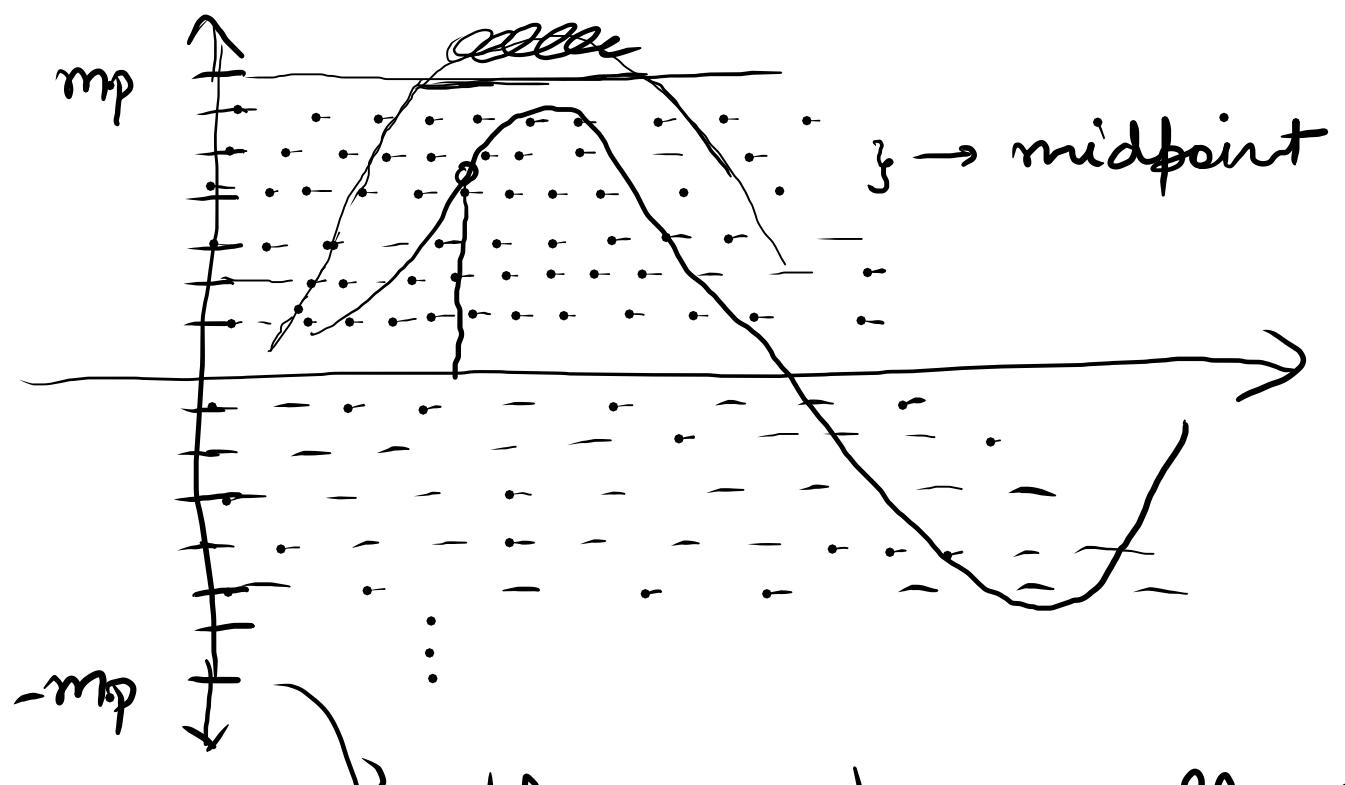


Amplitude quant' :- process of transforming the sample amplitude  $m(nT_s)$  of a mea. seg.  $m(t)$  at  $t=nT_s$  into a discrete amplitude  $v(nT_s)$  taken from a finite set of possible amplitudes.

→ process is assumed to be "memoryless & instantaneous"

Called as scalar quantizer { ↳ for sample at  $t=nT_s$ ,  
 quantizing not affected by earlier or later samples

\* Vector quantiz? is also a well-studied concept



$2^{\text{no. of bits}}$

Allowed quantization levels be  $L'$

gap b/w levels :-  $\frac{2mp}{L}$

(If uniformly spaced)

they can be equally spaced / uniformly spaced  
or non-uniformly spaced

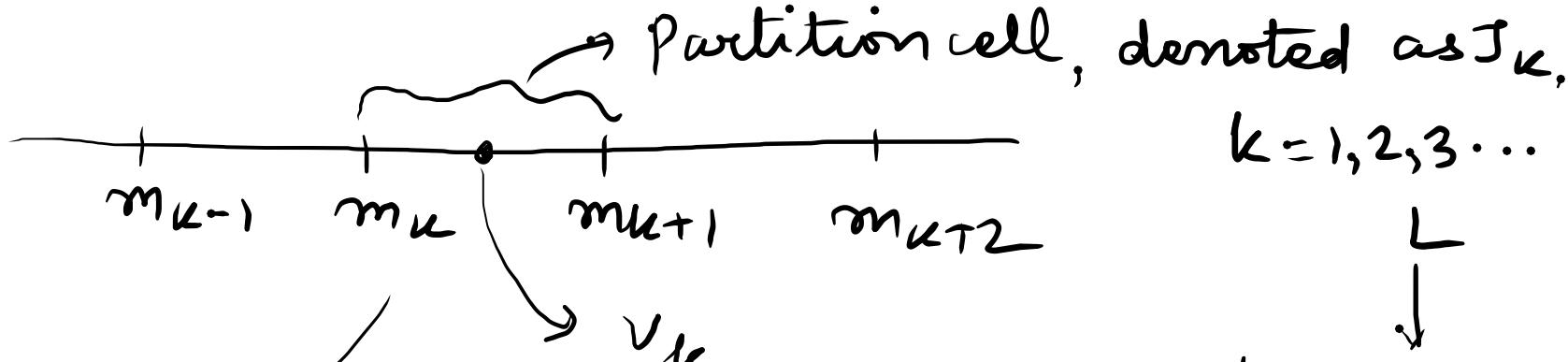
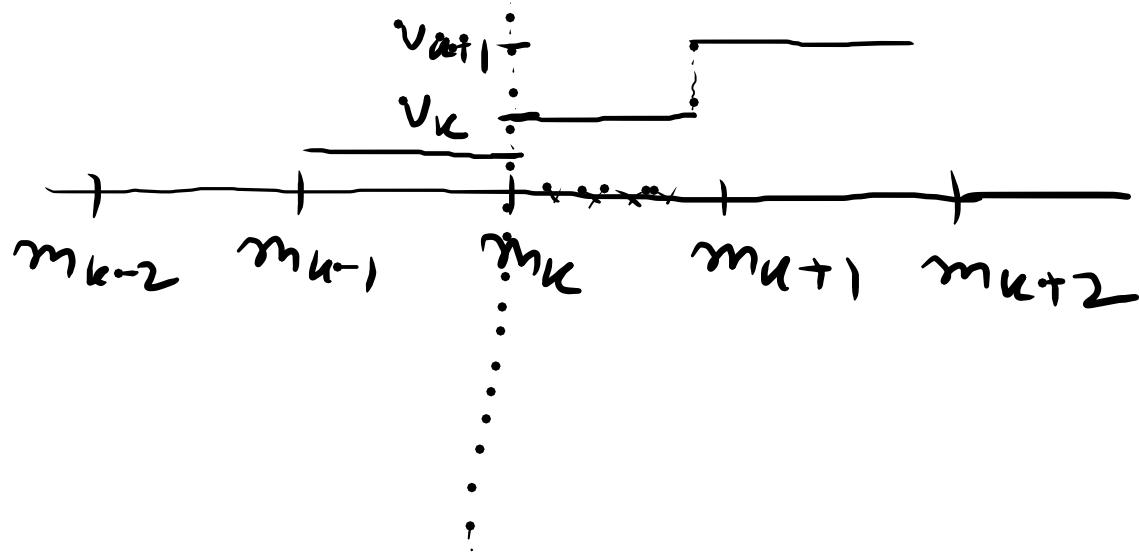
anything above  $mp$  or below  $-mp$  is chopped off.



Few terms:-

$m_k$ s :- decision levels or thresholds.

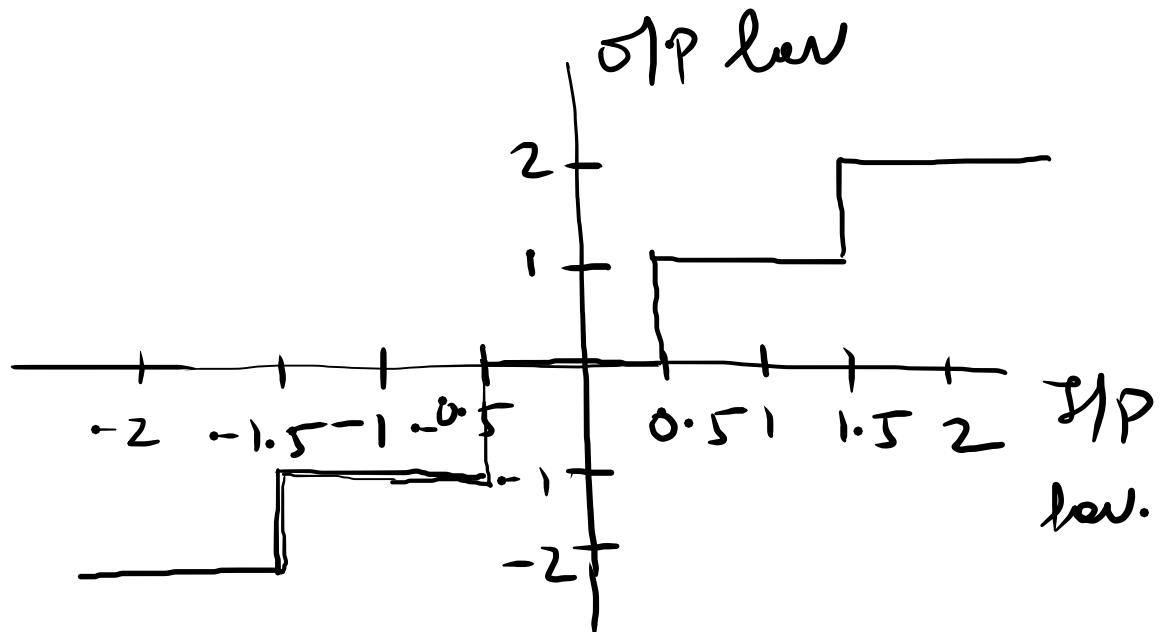
mapping  $V = g(m)$  is the quantizer characteristic, which is a staircase function by definition



all amplitudes in  $[m_k, m_{k+1})$  are represented by  $v_k$

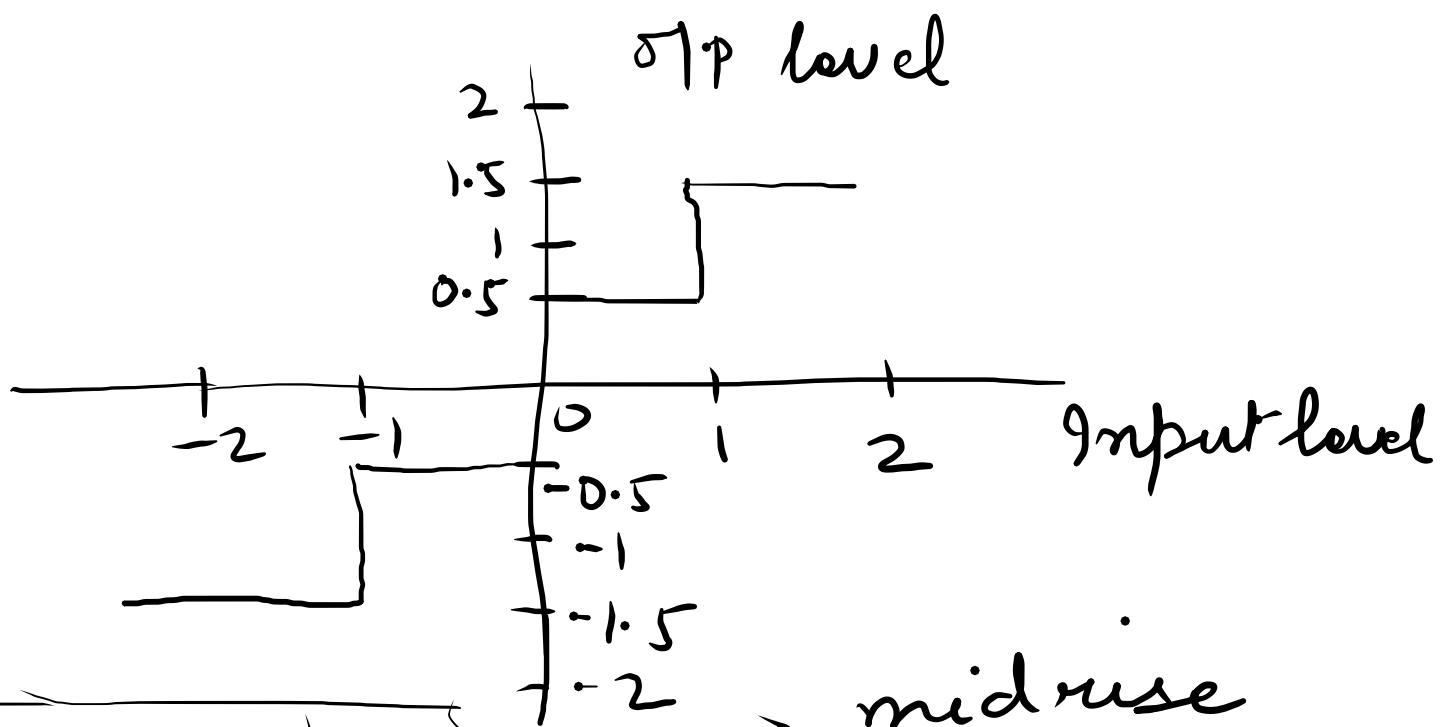
$v_k$ s :- representation levels or reconstruction levels.

midtread      } quantizer  
midrise      } charac. can be  
                of two types.



Quantizers  
↳ midtread  
↳ origin lies in the middle  
of a tread of the staircase like  
graph

↳ uniform  
non-uniform .



↳ midrise  
↳ origin lies in the  
middle of the rising  
part .  
both are symmetric  
about the origin

→ The quantized samples are coded and Tx'd as binary pulses.

At the rx, some pulse may be detected  
incorrectly.

Two sources of error

Quantize process

Pulse detect<sup>n</sup>

$$m \rightarrow g(m) \quad |m - g(m)| - \text{irreducible}$$

$$v_k \rightarrow 001 \quad L=3$$



⊕ noise



In most cases, pulse detect<sup>n</sup> error is quite small compared to quantize error. Basically, for the dev<sup>n</sup> ahead, we assume that the error in the rx'd sig. is caused exclusively by quantize.

$$m(t) = \sum_k m(kT_s) \operatorname{sinc}(2\pi Bt - k\pi) \rightarrow \text{standard interpolation}$$

↳ sample values of  $m(t)$

$$\hat{m}(t) = \sum_k \hat{m}(kT_s) \operatorname{sinc}(2\pi Bt - k\pi) \text{ formula.}$$

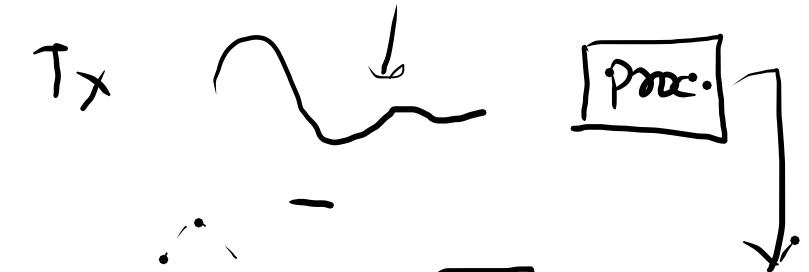
↳ quantized sample.

distortion component

$$q(t) = \sum_k [\hat{m}(kT_s) - m(kT_s)] \operatorname{sinc}(2\pi Bt - k\pi)$$

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$$\hat{m}(t) - m(t) = \sum_k q(kT_s) \operatorname{sinc}(2\pi Bt - k\pi)$$



$q(t)$  :- undesired signal called as quantization noise

↳ let us obtain its power or the mean square value.

$$\hat{m}(t) = m(t) + q(t) (?)$$

$$\overline{q^2(t)} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} q^2(t) dt \rightarrow \text{mod 1 of 588}$$

mean-square

value of  $q(t)$

$$= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} \left[ \sum_k q(kT_s) \operatorname{sinc}(2\pi Bt - k\pi) \right]^2 dt \quad \text{(1)}$$

using,  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \operatorname{sinc}(2\pi Bt - m\pi) \operatorname{sinc}(2\pi Bt - n\pi) dt$

$$= \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ 1/2B, & m = n \end{cases}$$

$$= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} \sum_k q^2(kT_s) \operatorname{sinc}^2(2\pi Bt - k\pi) dt \quad \text{(2)}$$

$$= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \sum_k q^2(kT_s) \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} \operatorname{sinc}^2(2\pi Bt - k\pi) dt$$

$$\tilde{q^2(t)} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2BT} \sum_k q^2(kT_s)$$

→ quantization levels are separated by  $\Delta V = \frac{2m_p}{L}$ . Since a sample value is approx. by the midpoint of the subinterval (of height  $\Delta V$ ) in which the sample falls, the max. quantization error is  $\pm \Delta V/2$

Thus, the quantization error lies in

the range  $\left[ -\frac{\Delta V}{2}, \frac{\Delta V}{2} \right]$  where max poss.

$$\Delta V = \frac{2m_p}{L}$$

