

Introduction to Communications Engineering

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Lec 03: Digital Communication Systems

1. Basic Concepts of Digital Communication Systems

Introduction to digital communications systems

Digital communication systems transmit sequences of symbols belonging to a discrete “alphabet.”.

Examples:

- Human writing
- Morse code telegraphy
- GSM
- CD/DVD

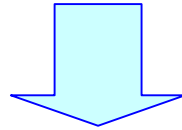
Introduction to digital communications systems

We will focus on systems characterized by two features:

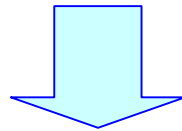
- 1. Discrete alphabet = binary alphabet $\{0,1\}$
→ binary data sequences**
- 2. Transmission channel = wired or wireless**

Introduction to digital communications systems

**If analog information needs to be transmitted
(e.g., voice, video),**



**it must go through sampling and quantization
(source coding),**



resulting in binary data sequences.

Introduction to digital communications systems

Examples of digital communication systems:

- GSM/UMTS
- Telephone Modem
- Optical Fibers
- Wired and Wireless LAN
- GPS/Galileo
- ...

Key parameters of digital communications systems

- **Bit-rate**
- **Bandwidth**
- **Power**
- **Error probability**
- **Complexity**

Bit-rate

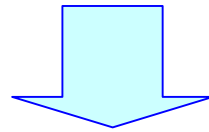
Binary data sequences are characterized by their bit-rates.

BIT-RATE R_b [bps]

= number of bits transmitted per second

Bandwidth

Binary data sequences



**in order to be transmitted through either
a wired or wireless channel, must be
converted into a waveform $s(t)$.**

Bandwidth

The waveform $s(t)$ is characterized by its power spectral density (PSD) – $G_s(f)$.

BANDWIDTH B [Hz] = frequency range containing the essential part of $G_s(f)$

Power

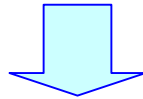
The received signal power S [W] [dBm]

depends on the transmitted signal power

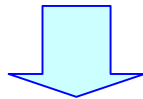
characterized by the
Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR)
at the receiver side.

Error probability

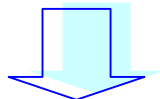
The transmitted binary data sequences $u_T = (u_T[i])$



The transmitted waveform $s(t)$



The received waveform $r(t) \neq s(t)$ (in practical, non-ideal channels)



The received binary data sequences

$$u_R = (u_R[i])$$

Error probability

The transmitted binary data sequences $u_T = (u_T[i])$

The received binary data sequences $u_R = (u_R[i])$

Bit error probability

$$P(u_R[i] \neq u_T[i])$$

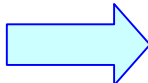
Complexity

COMPLEXITY = implementation difficulty and cost

Delay

Delay D [s]

**difference between transmission
and reception times**

Input (transmitter - TX)  **Output (receiver, RX)**

Example of System Design

- Design a digital communication system under the following conditions:
 - **BIT-RATE** $R_b = 34$ Mbps
 - **BANDWIDTH** $B = 20$ MHz, centered at $f_0 = 18$ GHz
 - Minimum **BER** $= 10^{-7}$ with received **POWER** $S = -40$ dBm
 - Maximum **DELAY** $D = 500$ ms
 - Minimum **COMPLEXITY** (cost)

2. Signal Sets, Labeling, and Transmitted Waveforms

Binary data sequences: Concept

Binary alphabet $Z_2 = \{0, 1\}$

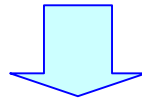
A binary data sequence:

$$\underline{u}_T = (u_T[0], u_T[1], \dots, u_T[i], \dots) \quad i \in N \quad u_T[i] \in Z_2$$

Example: $\underline{u}_T = (1101001\dots)$

$$\underline{u}_T = (u_T[0], u_T[1], \dots, u_T[i], \dots)$$

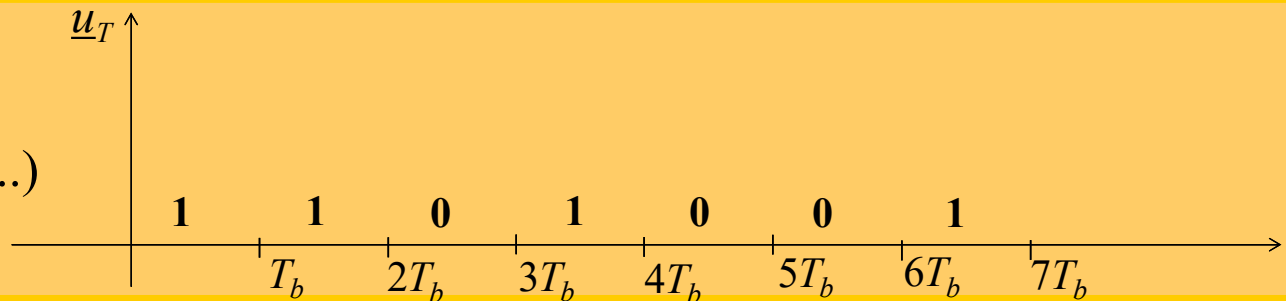
Bit rate R_b [bps]



Bit duration: $T_b = 1/R_b$ seconds. Each bit $u_T[i]$ exists in the interval $(iT_b \leq t < (i+1)T_b)$

Example:

$\underline{u}_T = (1101001\dots)$

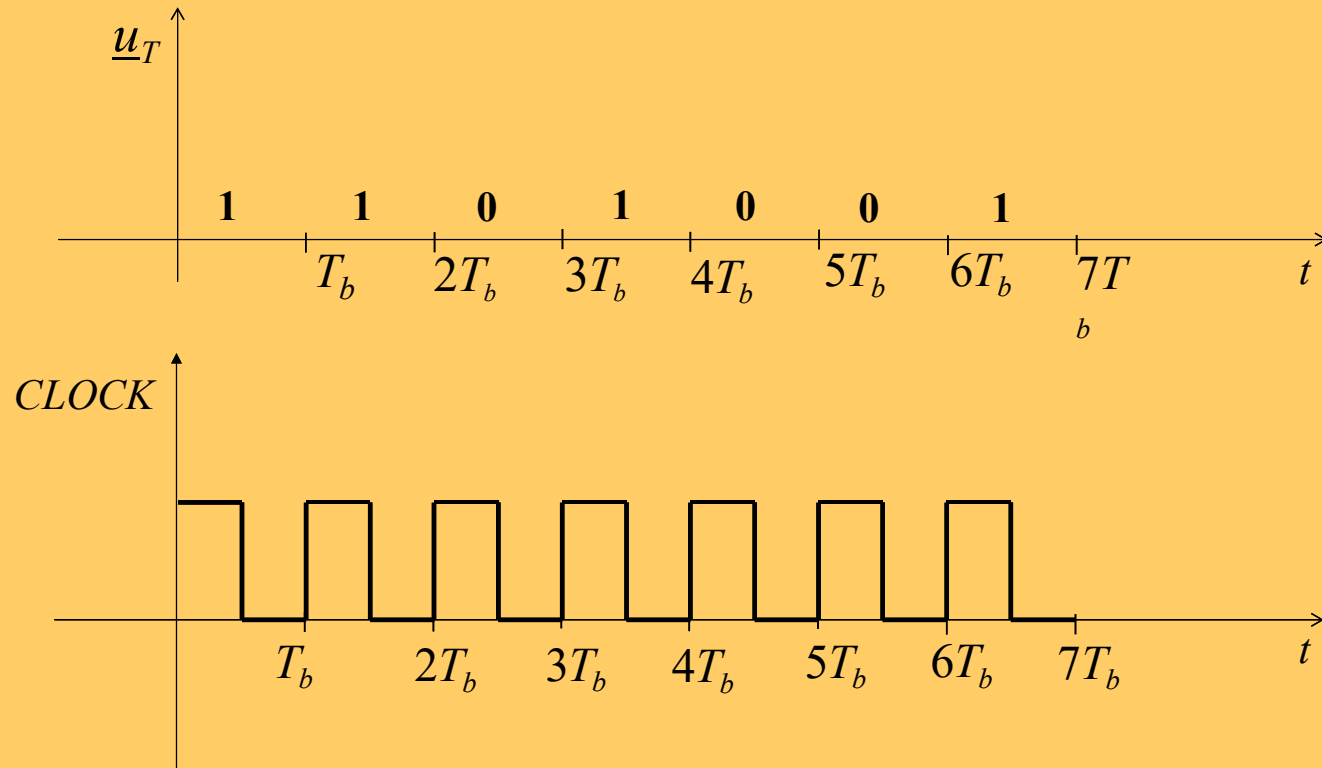


A binary data sequence \underline{u}_T is characterized as follows::

- Its data bits $u_T[i]$
- The transmission clock pulse, with frequency R_b

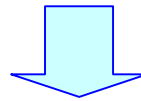
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$$\underline{u}_T = (u_T[0], u_T[1], \dots, u_T[i], \dots)$$

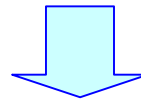
Random binary data sequences are assumed **statistically independent** with **equal probability of 0s and 1s**.



- $P(u_T[i] | (u_T[j])) = P(u_T[i])$
- $P(u_T[i] = 0) = P(u_T[i] = 1) \forall i$

Transmitted Waveforms

Binary data sequence: \underline{u}_T



The transmitted signal $s(t)$

**is a real-valued function of time derived
from the binary data sequence.**

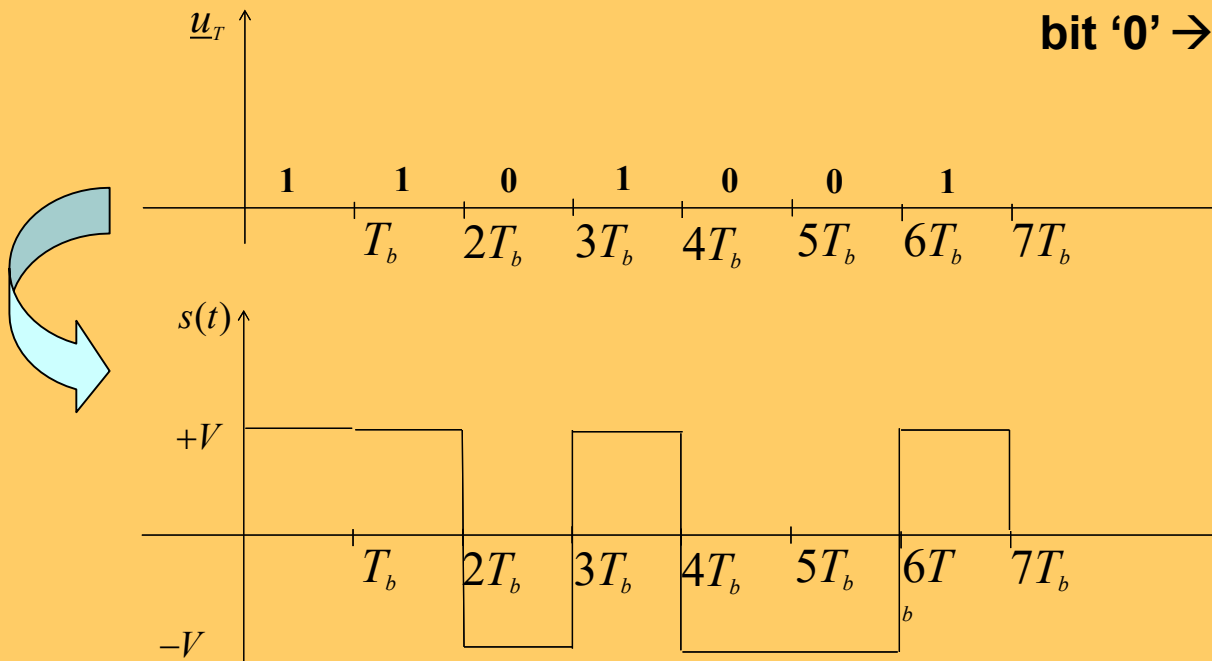
Example:

$\underline{u}_T = (1101001\dots)$

Bipolar NRZ representation

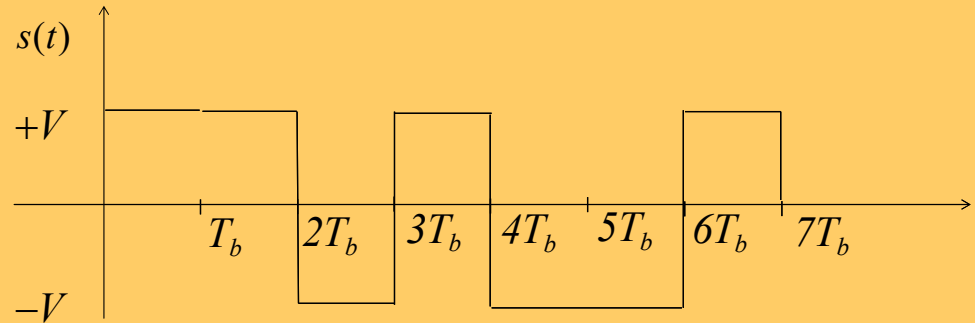
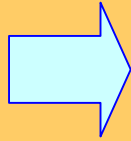
bit '1' \rightarrow signal $+V$

bit '0' \rightarrow signal $-V$

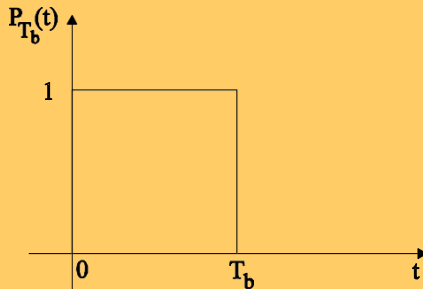


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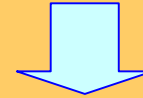
$$\underline{u}_T = (1101001\dots)$$



A rectangular pulse within the time interval T_b



Two signals exist:



$$u_T[i] = 1 \rightarrow +VP_{T_b}(t - iT_b)$$

$$u_T[i] = 0 \rightarrow -VP_{T_b}(t - iT_b)$$

Signal Sets

A signal set M

$$M = \{s_1(t), \dots, s_i(t), \dots, s_m(t)\}$$

contains: $|M| = m = 2^k$ waveforms

$$M = \{s_1(t), \dots, s_i(t), \dots, s_m(t)\}$$

Assume: Each signal $s_i(t)$ has finite duration

$$0 \leq t < T = kT_b$$

Example:

$$M = \{s_1(t) = +VP_T(t), s_2(t) = -VP_T(t)\} \quad m = 2$$

$$M = \{s_1(t) = VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t), \\ s_3(t) = -VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_4(t) = -VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t)\} \\ m = 4$$

Hamming Space

A k-bit binary vector

$$\underline{v} = (u_0, \dots, u_i, \dots, u_{k-1}) \quad u_i \in Z_2$$

Hamming Space

$$H_k = \{\underline{v} = (u_0, \dots, u_i, \dots, u_{k-1}) \quad u_i \in Z_2\}$$

contains: $|H_k| = 2^k$ vectors

Example:

$$H_1 = \{ (0) (1) \} = Z_2$$

$$H_2 = \{ (00) (01) (10) (11) \}$$

$$H_3 = \{ (000) (001) (010) (011) (100) (101) (110) (111) \}$$

Binary Labeling

A signal set M contains 2^k signals.

A Hamming space H_k contains 2^k vectors.

1-1 mapping

Binary Labeling

$$\begin{aligned} e: \quad & H_k \leftrightarrow M \\ & \underline{v} \in H_k \leftrightarrow s(t) = e(\underline{v}) \in M \end{aligned}$$

Example:

$$M = \{s_1(t) = +VP_T(t), s_2(t) = -VP_T(t)\}$$

$$m=2 \rightarrow k=1$$

$$H_1 = \{(0), (1)\}$$

$$e: H_1 \leftrightarrow M$$

$$(0) \leftrightarrow s_1(t)$$

$$(1) \leftrightarrow s_2(t)$$

Example:

$$M = \{s_1(t) = VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t), \\ s_3(t) = -VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_4(t) = -VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t)\}$$

$$m=4 \rightarrow k=2$$

$$H_2 = \{(00), (01), (11), (10)\}$$

$$e: H_2 \leftrightarrow M$$

$$(00) \leftrightarrow s_1(t)$$

$$(01) \leftrightarrow s_2(t)$$

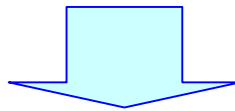
$$(10) \leftrightarrow s_3(t)$$

$$(11) \leftrightarrow s_4(t)$$

Transmitted Waveforms

Assume:

- Binary data sequence: \underline{u}_T
- Signal set: M
- Binary labeling: e




Constructing the transmitted waveform $\mathbf{s}(t)$ is a fairly straightforward task.

M contains 2^k vectors $\Rightarrow e: H_k \leftrightarrow M$

Split \underline{u}_T into k -bit vectors

$$\underline{u}_T = (u_T[0], u_T[1], \dots, u_T[i], \dots)$$


$$\underline{u}_T = (\underline{v}_T[0], \underline{v}_T[1], \dots, \underline{v}_T[n], \dots)$$

Vector [0] $\Rightarrow \underline{v}_T[0] = (u_T[0], \dots, u_T[k-1])$

Vector [n] $\Rightarrow \underline{v}_T[n] = (u_T[nk], \dots, u_T[(n+1)k-1])$

Each bit exists in T_b seconds

Each k -bit vector exists in $kT_b = T$ seconds

$$\underline{u}_T = (\underbrace{v_T[0]}_T, \underbrace{v_T[1]}_T, \dots, \underbrace{v_T[n]}_T, \dots)$$

Each signal $s_i(t) \in M$ exists in T seconds

$$0 \leq t < T = kT_b$$

Transmitted waveform

Binary labeling $e : H_k \leftrightarrow M$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{u}_T &= (\underbrace{v_T[0]}_T, \underbrace{v_T[1]}_T, \dots, \underbrace{v_T[n]}_T, \dots) \\ s(t) &= (s[0](t), s[1](t), \dots, s[n](t), \dots) \end{aligned}$$

Correct alignment: $s[n](t) = e(\underline{v}_T[n])???$

Problem: The signal set

$$M = \{ s_1(t) , \dots , s_i(t), \dots, s_m(t) \}$$

is defined in the interval

$$0 \leq t < T = kT_b$$

but only the first binary vector is represented (mapped) during this interval.

$$\underline{\mathbf{u}}_T = (\underbrace{v_T[0]}_{\substack{e \\ T}} , \underbrace{v_T[1]}_{\substack{e \\ T}} , \dots , \underbrace{v_T[n]}_{\substack{e \\ T}} , \dots)$$

$$s(t) = (\underbrace{s[0](t)}_{\substack{e \\ T}} , \underbrace{s[1](t)}_{\substack{e \\ T}} , \dots , \underbrace{s[n](t)}_{\substack{e \\ T}} , \dots)$$

Correct alignment is achieved: $s[n](t) = T_n(e(\underline{v}_T[n]))$

if

$$T_n(y(t)) = y(t - nT)$$

Binary labeling $e : H_k \leftrightarrow M$

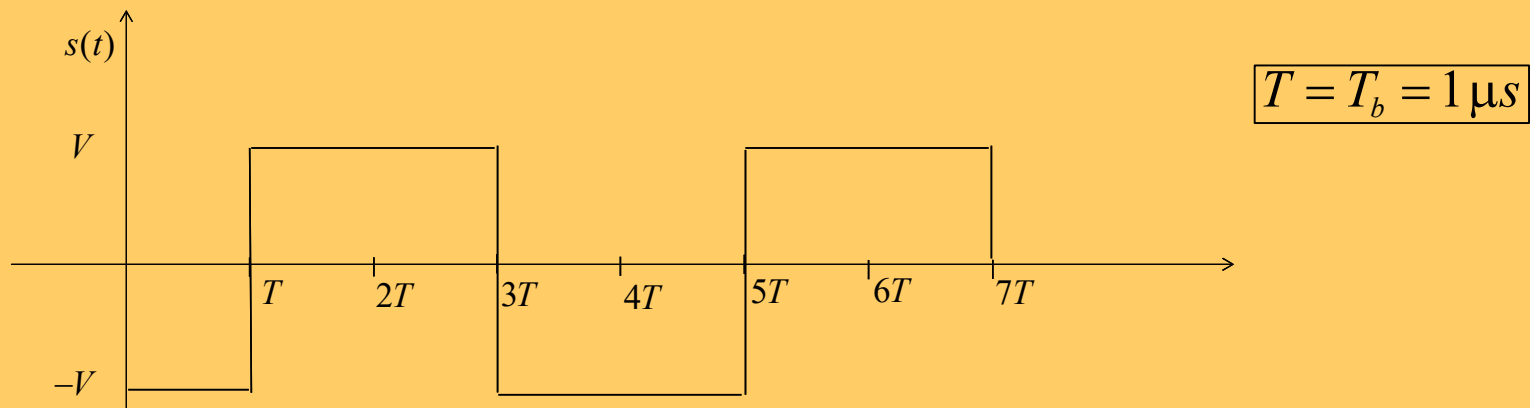
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Correct alignment: $s[n](t) = T_n(e(\underline{v}_T[n]))$

Example:

$\underline{u}_T = (0110011\dots)$ $R_b = 1 \text{ Mbps}$

$$M = \{s_1(t) = -VP_T(t), s_2(t) = +VP_T(t)\}$$



Exercise

$$\underline{u}_T = (10011100\dots) \quad R_b = 1 \text{ Mbps}$$

$$M = \{s_1(t) = VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t), \\ s_3(t) = -VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_4(t) = -VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t)\}$$

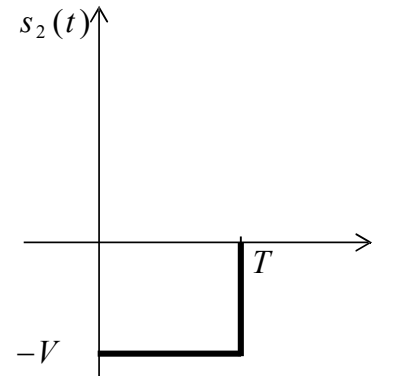
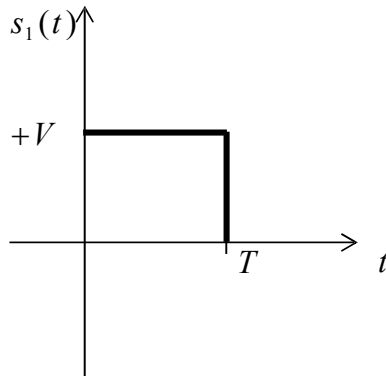
$$(f_0 = 1\text{MHz})$$

Draw the transmitted waveform $s(t)$.

Examples of signal sets in practice

Bipolar Non Return to Zero

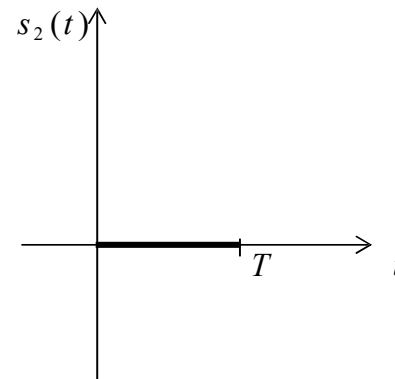
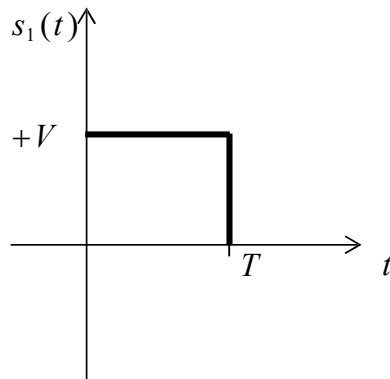
$$M = \{s_1(t) = +VP_T(t), s_2(t) = -VP_T(t)\}$$



$$m = 2 \rightarrow k = 1 \rightarrow T = T_b$$

Unipolar Non Return to Zero

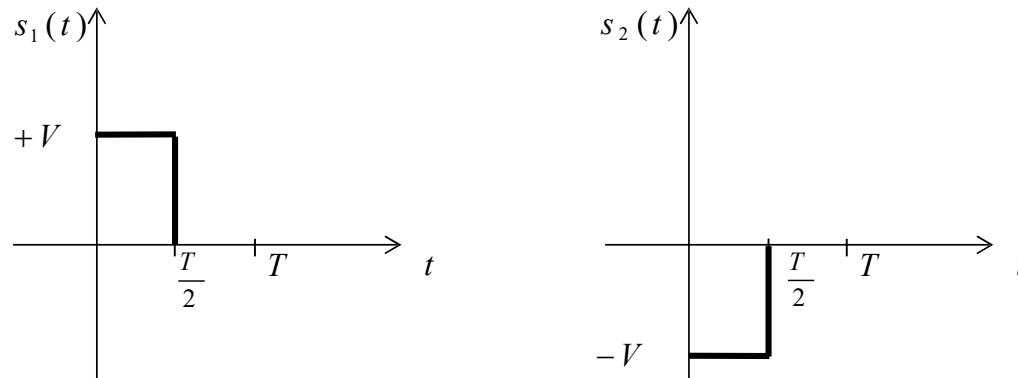
$$M = \{s_1(t) = +VP_T(t), s_2(t) = 0\}$$



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Bipolar Return to Zero

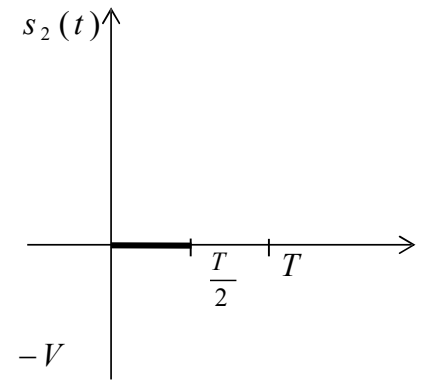
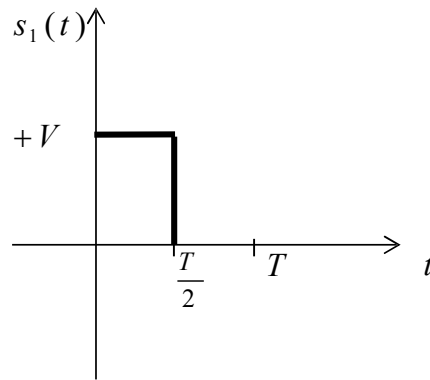
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$$m = 2 \rightarrow k = 1 \rightarrow T = T_b$$

Unipolar Return to Zero

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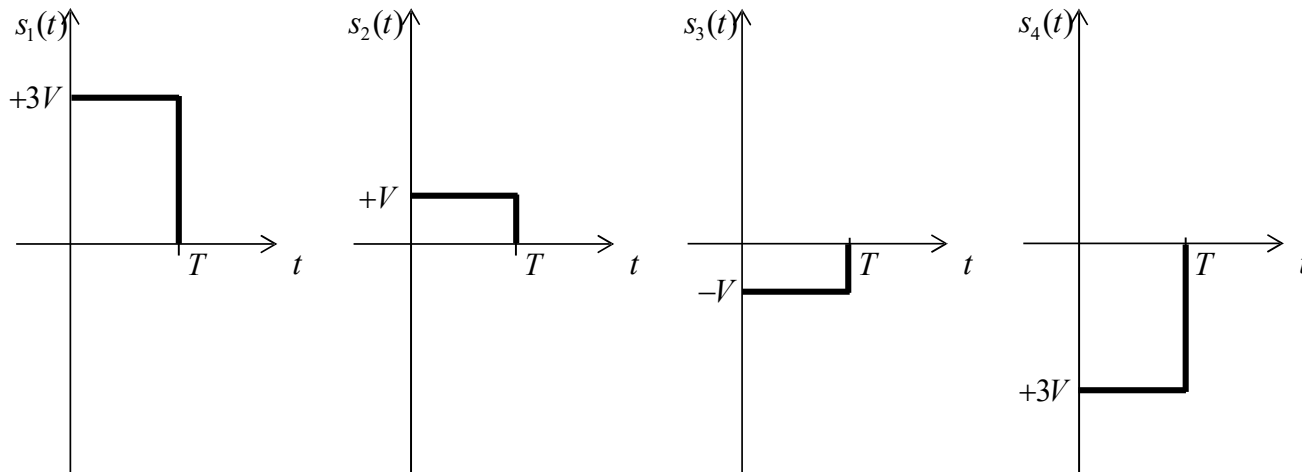


$$m = 2 \rightarrow k = 1 \rightarrow T = T_b$$

m-PAM (Pulse Amplitude Modulation)

Example: 4-PAM

$$M = \{s_1(t) = +3VP_T(t), s_2(t) = +VP_T(t), s_3(t) = -VP_T(t), s_4(t) = -3VP_T(t)\}$$



$$m = 4 \rightarrow k = 2 \rightarrow T = 2T_b$$

m-ASK (Amplitude Shift Keying)

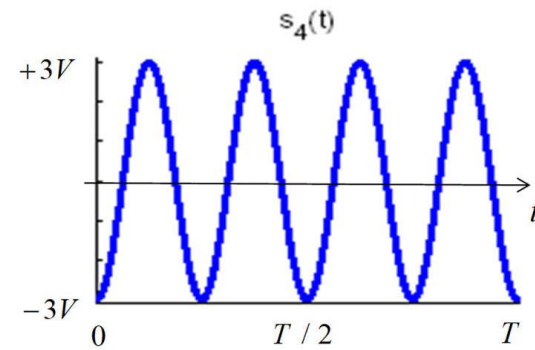
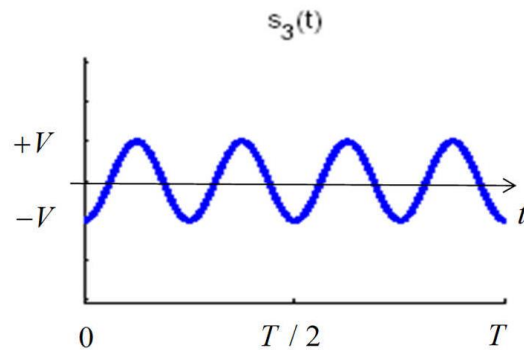
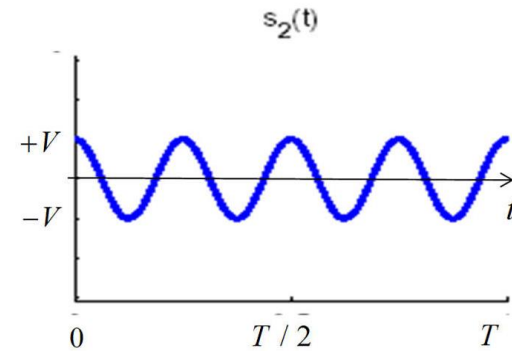
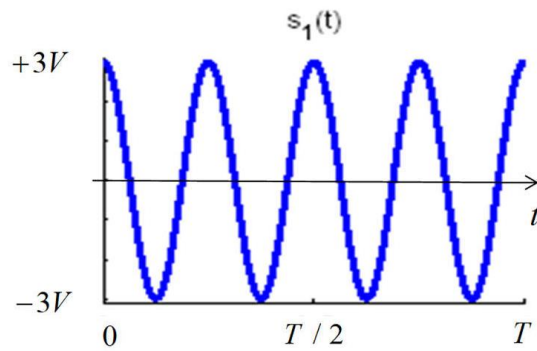
Example: 4-ASK

$$M = \left\{ s_1(t) = +3VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), \right. \\ \left. s_3(t) = -VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_4(t) = -3VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) \right\}$$

$$m = 4 \rightarrow k = 2 \rightarrow T = 2T_b$$

4-ASK

$$f_0 = 2R_b$$



m-PSK (Phase Shift Keying)

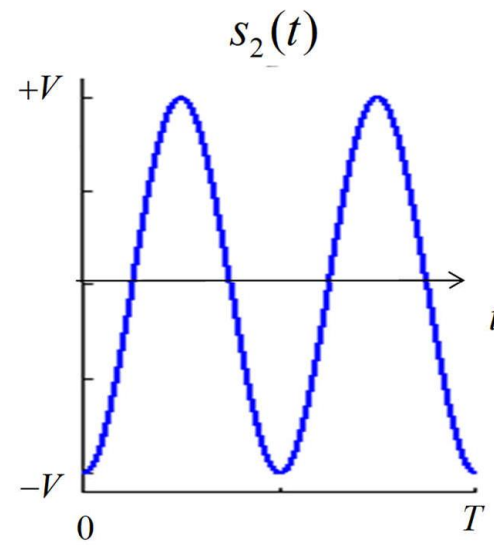
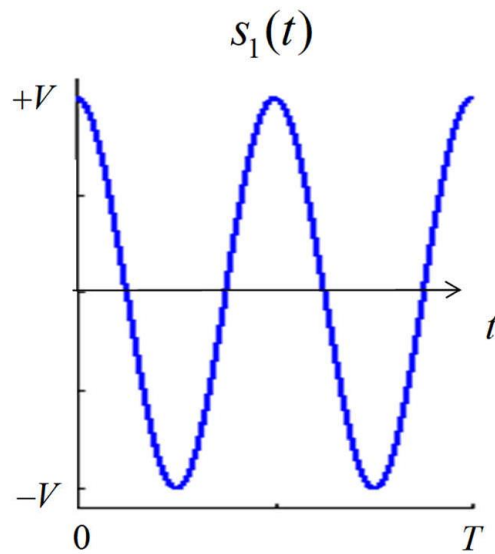
Example: 2-PSK

$$\begin{aligned} M &= \{s_1(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = -VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t)\} = \\ &= \{s_1(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t - \pi)\} \end{aligned}$$

$$m = 2 \rightarrow k = 1 \rightarrow T = T_b$$

2-PSK

$$f_0 = 2R_b$$



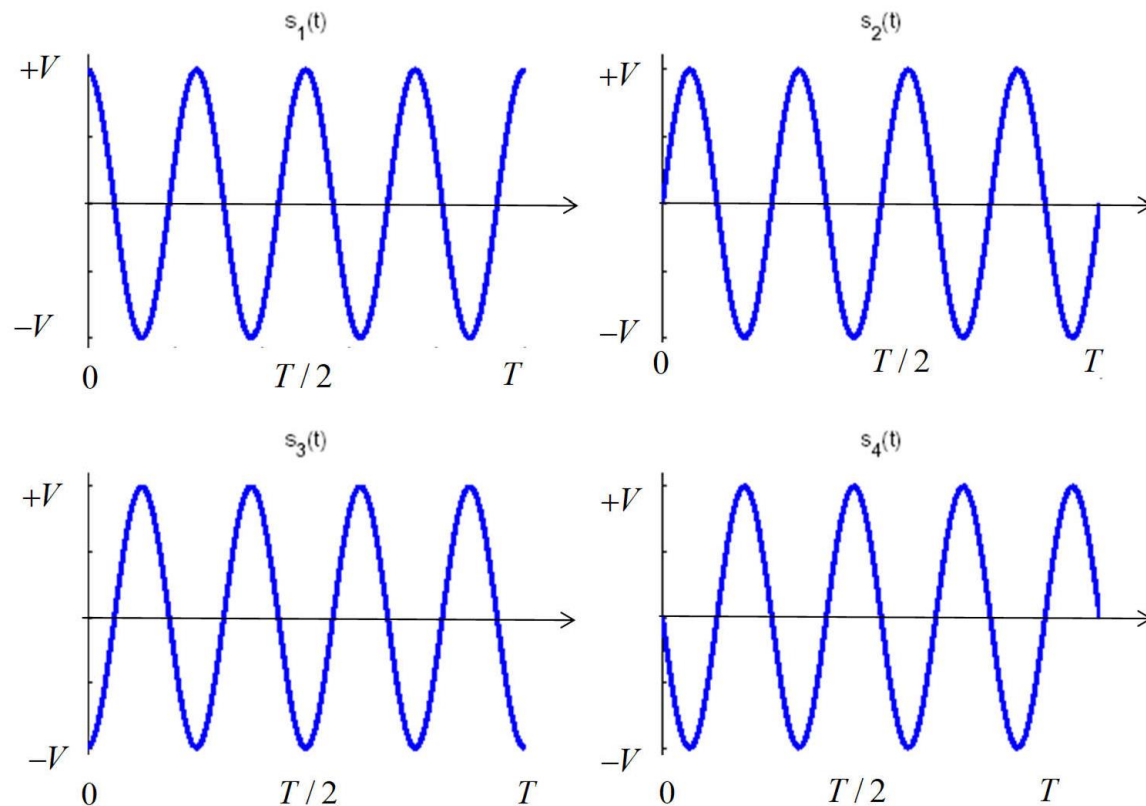
Example: 4-PSK

$$M = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} s_1(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = +VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t), \\ s_3(t) = -VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_4(t) = -VP_T(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t) \end{array} \right\} =$$
$$= \left\{ \begin{array}{l} s_1(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t), s_2(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos\left(2\pi f_0 t - \frac{\pi}{2}\right), \\ s_3(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t - \pi), s_4(t) = VP_T(t) \cos\left(2\pi f_0 t - \frac{3\pi}{2}\right) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$m = 4 \rightarrow k = 2 \rightarrow T = 2T_b$$

4-PSK

$$f_0 = 2R_b$$



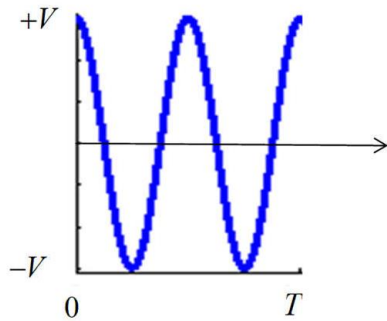
m-FSK (Frequency Shift Keying)

Example: 2-FSK

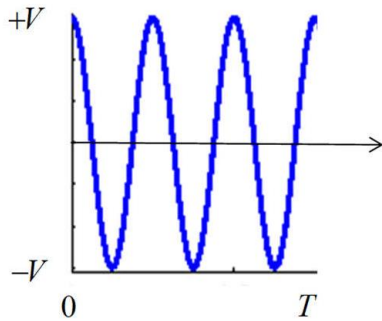
$$M = \{s_1(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_1 t), s_2(t) = +VP_T(t) \cos(2\pi f_2 t)\}$$

$$m = 2 \rightarrow k = 1 \rightarrow T = T_b$$

2-FSK



$$f_1 = 2R_b$$



$$f_2 = 3R_b$$

Exercise

$$u_T = (10011100\dots) \quad R_b = 1 \text{ Mbps}$$

Draw the waveform of all the signal sets listed above.