

ECE 398-MA
Introduction to Modern Communication with
Python and SDR
ADI Pluto SDR Lab 2 – FM Transceiver

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1 Assignment 1

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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.io import wavfile
from scipy.signal import butter, filtfilt

# Load stereo audio file
path_to_file = 'stereo.wav' # Update this path
fs_audio, audio = wavfile.read(path_to_file)

# Extract Left and Right audio channels
audio_L = audio[:, 0]
audio_R = audio[:, 1]

# Time vector for original audio
t_audio = np.arange(len(audio_L)) / fs_audio

# Anti-Aliasing Low-Pass Filter (LPF) @ fs_audio (0-15 kHz)
Nfilt = 5
cutoff = 15e3
b_AAF, a_AAF = butter(Nfilt, cutoff / (fs_audio / 2), btype='low')

# Apply LPF to L and R audio signals
audio_L_filt = filtfilt(b_AAF, a_AAF, audio_L)
audio_R_filt = filtfilt(b_AAF, a_AAF, audio_R)

# Plot time-domain samples of the Left and Right channels
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
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plt.subplot(121)
plt.plot(t_audio, audio_L, label='Original_Left_Channel')
plt.plot(t_audio, audio_L_filt, label='Filtered_Left_Channel')
plt.xlabel('Time_(s)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Time-Domain_Samples_of_Left_Channel')
plt.legend()

plt.subplot(122)
plt.plot(t_audio, audio_R, label='Original_Right_Channel')
plt.plot(t_audio, audio_R_filt, label='Filtered_Right_Channel')
plt.xlabel('Time_(s)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Time-Domain_Samples_of_Right_Channel')
plt.legend()
plt.tight_layout()
plt.savefig('assignment1a.png')
plt.show()

# Plot log-scale spectrum of the original and filtered Left-channel audio
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.subplot(121)
plt.semilogy(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft(audio_L)))), label='Original_Left_Channel')
plt.xlabel('Frequency_Bin')
plt.ylabel('Magnitude')
plt.title('Log-Scale_Spectrum_of_Original_Left_Channel')
plt.legend()

plt.subplot(122)
plt.semilogy(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft(audio_L_filt)))), label='Filtered_Left_Channel')
plt.xlabel('Frequency_Bin')
plt.ylabel('Magnitude')
plt.title('Log-Scale_Spectrum_of_Filtered_Left_Channel')
plt.legend()
plt.tight_layout()
plt.savefig('assignment1b.png')
plt.show()

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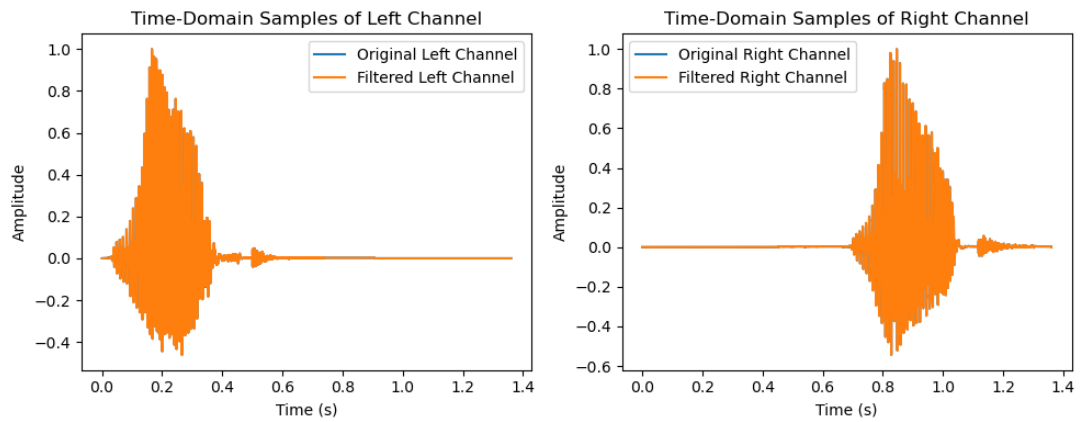


Figure 1: Time-Domain Left-Right Signals

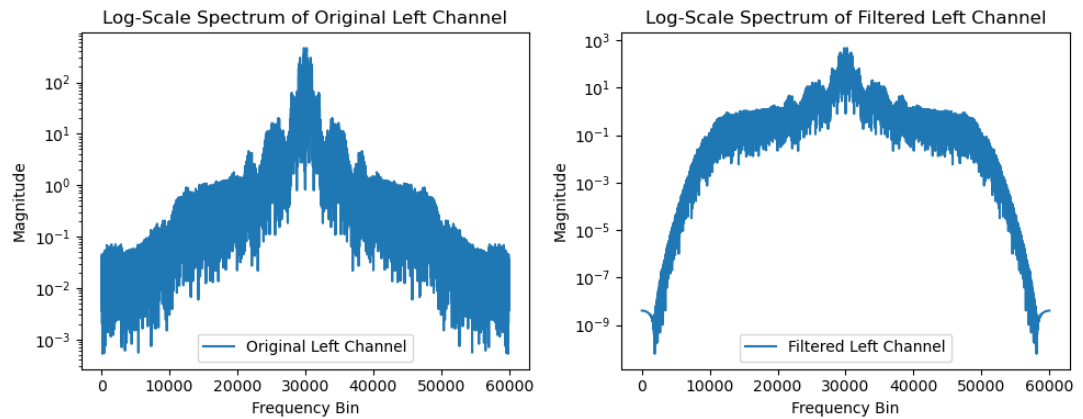


Figure 2: Log-Scale Spectrum Left-Right Signals

2 Assignment 2

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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.io import wavfile
from scipy.signal import butter, filtfilt, resample_poly

# Load stereo audio file
path_to_file = 'stereo.wav' # Update this path
fs_audio, audio = wavfile.read(path_to_file)
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# Extract Left and Right audio channels
audio_L = audio[:, 0]
audio_R = audio[:, 1]

# Time vector for original audio
t_audio = np.arange(len(audio_L)) / fs_audio

# Anti-Aliasing Low-Pass Filter (LPF) @ fs_audio (0-15 kHz)
Nfilt = 5
cutoff = 15e3
b_AAF, a_AAF = butter(Nfilt, cutoff / (fs_audio / 2), btype='low')

# Apply LPF to L and R audio signals
audio_L_filt = filtfilt(b_AAF, a_AAF, audio_L)
audio_R_filt = filtfilt(b_AAF, a_AAF, audio_R)

##### PART 2 #####

# Upsample audio to PlutoSDR sampling rate
M = 15
fs = M * fs_audio # PlutoSDR sampling rate
mL = resample_poly(audio_L_filt, M, 1)
mR = resample_poly(audio_R_filt, M, 1)

# Time vector for resampled audio
N = len(mL)
t = np.arange(N) / fs

# Pilot Signal
fp = 19e3 # Pilot frequency
ap = 0.1 # Pilot amplitude
pilot = ap * np.cos(2 * np.pi * fp * t)

# DSB-SC Modulated (L-R) Signal
DSB_carrier = np.cos(2 * np.pi * 2 * fp * t)
mLmR_dsb = (mL - mR) * DSB_carrier

# Composite Message Signal m(t)
mTx = (mL + mR) + pilot + mLmR_dsb

# Normalize message signal
mTx /= np.max(np.abs(mTx))

# Plot time-domain samples of m(t)
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.plot(t, mTx)

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plt.xlabel('Time_(s)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Time-Domain_Samples_of_Message_Signal_m(t)')
plt.savefig('assignment2a.png')
plt.show()

# Plot log-scale spectrum of m(t)
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.semilogy(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft(mTx))))
plt.xlabel('Frequency_Bin')
plt.ylabel('Magnitude')
plt.title('Log-Scale_Spectrum_of_Message_Signal_m(t)')
plt.savefig('assignment2b.png')
plt.show()

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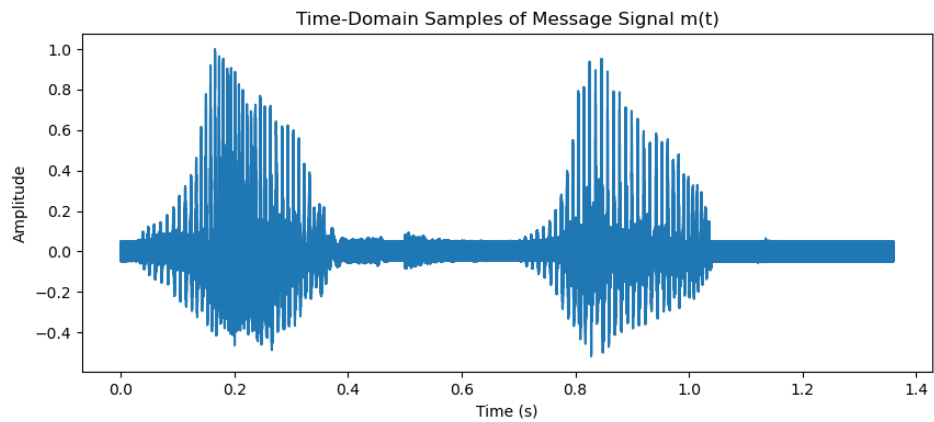


Figure 3: Time-Domain Samples of $M(t)$

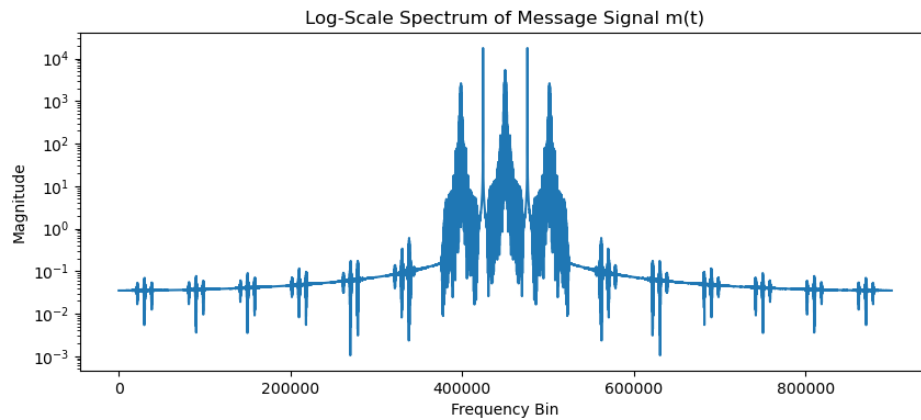


Figure 4: Log-Scale Spectrum of $M(t)$

3 Assignment 3

PART 3

REUSING ASSIGNMENT 2 CODE ABOVE

FM Modulation Parameters

fc = 100e6 # Carrier frequency

kf = 75e3 # Frequency deviation

Compute the instantaneous phase

*phase = 2 * np.pi * kf * np.cumsum(mTx) / fs*

Complex baseband signal

*x_t = np.exp(1j * phase)*

Plot the phase phi(t)

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))

plt.plot(t, phase)

plt.xlabel('Time_(s)')

plt.ylabel('Phase_(rad)')

plt.title('Phase_of_FM_Modulated_Signal')

plt.savefig('assignment3a.png')

plt.show()

Plot the log-scale spectrum of x(t)

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))

plt.semilogy(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft(x_t))))

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plt.xlabel('Frequency_Bin')
plt.ylabel('Magnitude')
plt.title('Log-Scale_Spectrum_of_Complex_Baseband_Signal')
plt.savefig('assignment3b.png')
plt.show()
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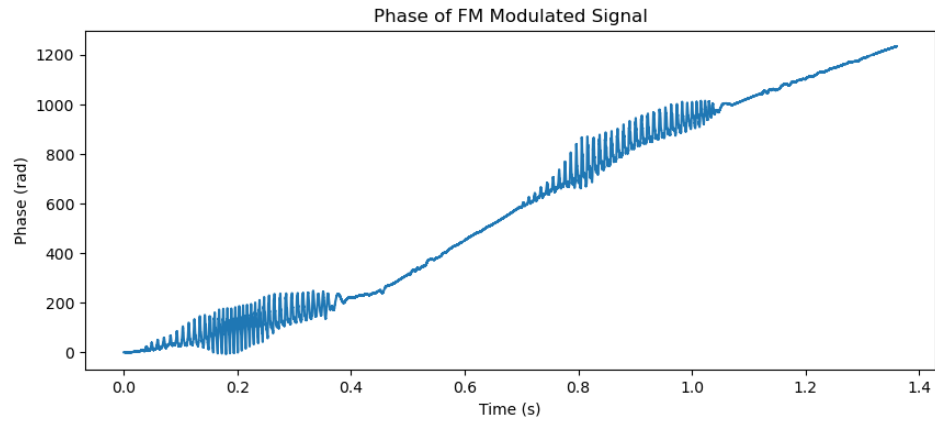


Figure 5: Time-Domain $\text{PHI}(t)$ Signal

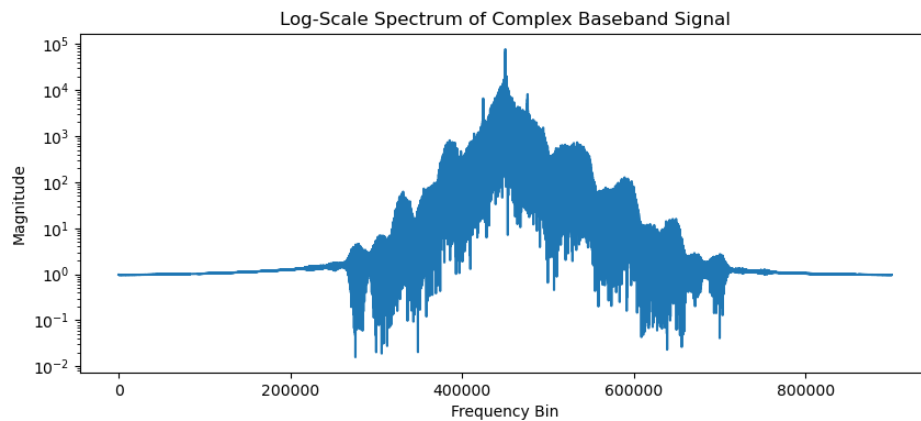


Figure 6: Log-Scale Spectrum of $X(t)$

4 Assignment 4

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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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from scipy.io import wavfile
from scipy.signal import butter, filtfilt, resample_poly, hilbert
import adi

# Load stereo audio file
path_to_file = 'stereo.wav'
fs_audio, audio = wavfile.read(path_to_file)

# Extract Left and Right audio channels
audio_L = audio[:, 0]
audio_R = audio[:, 1]

# Time vector for original audio
t_audio = np.arange(len(audio_L)) / fs_audio

# Anti-Aliasing Low-Pass Filter (LPF) @ fs_audio (0-15 kHz)
Nfilt = 5
cutoff = 15e3
b_AAF, a_AAF = butter(Nfilt, cutoff / (fs_audio / 2), btype='low')

# Apply LPF to L and R audio signals
audio_L_filt = filtfilt(b_AAF, a_AAF, audio_L)
audio_R_filt = filtfilt(b_AAF, a_AAF, audio_R)

# Upsample audio to PlutoSDR sampling rate
M = 15
fs = M * fs_audio # PlutoSDR sampling rate
mL = resample_poly(audio_L_filt, M, 1)
mR = resample_poly(audio_R_filt, M, 1)

# Time vector for resampled audio
N = len(mL)
t = np.arange(N) / fs

# Pilot Signal
fp = 19e3 # Pilot frequency
ap = 0.1 # Pilot amplitude
pilot = ap * np.cos(2 * np.pi * fp * t)

# DSB-SC Modulated (L-R) Signal
DSB_carrier = np.cos(2 * np.pi * 2 * fp * t)
mLmR_dsb = (mL - mR) * DSB_carrier

# Composite Message Signal m(t)
mTx = (mL + mR) + pilot + mLmR_dsb

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# Normalize message signal
mTx /= np.max(np.abs(mTx))

# FM Modulation Parameters
fc = 100e6 # Carrier frequency
kf = 75e3 # Frequency deviation

# Compute the instantaneous phase
phase = 2 * np.pi * kf * np.cumsum(mTx) / fs

# Complex baseband signal
x_t = np.exp(1j * phase)

##### SETUP ADI PLUTO SDR #####

# Set SDR parameters
sdr_carrier_freq = 100e6 # Carrier frequency (Hz)
sdr_tx_gain = -50.0 # Tx gain (-90 to 0 dB)
sdr_rx_gain = 50.0 # Rx gain (0 to 74.5 dB) - Adjust to avoid ADC saturation

# Create PlutoSDR object
sdr = adi.Pluto("ip:192.168.2.1")

# Configure common settings
sdr.sample_rate = int(fs)
sdr.gain_control_mode_chan0 = 'manual'

# Configure Tx
sdr.tx_rf_bandwidth = int(fs) # Set Tx filter cutoff to match sample rate
sdr.tx_lo = int(sdr_carrier_freq)
sdr.tx_hardwaregain_chan0 = sdr_tx_gain # Adjust Tx power (-90 to 0 dB)

# Configure Rx
sdr.rx_lo = int(sdr_carrier_freq)
sdr.rx_rf_bandwidth = int(fs)
sdr.rx_buffer_size = int(N) # Buffer size for Rx samples
sdr.rx_hardwaregain_chan0 = sdr_rx_gain # Adjust Rx gain (0 to 74.5 dB)

# Echo SDR configuration
print("sample_rate_(MHz):", sdr.sample_rate * 1e-6)
print("tx_lo_(MHz):", sdr.tx_lo * 1e-6)
print("tx_rf_bandwidth_(MHz):", sdr.tx_rf_bandwidth * 1e-6)
print("tx_hardwaregain_chan0_(dB):", sdr.tx_hardwaregain_chan0)
print("rx_lo_(MHz):", sdr.rx_lo * 1e-6)
print("rx_rf_bandwidth_(MHz):", sdr.rx_rf_bandwidth * 1e-6)
print("rx_buffer_size:", sdr.rx_buffer_size)

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print("rx_hardwaregain_chan0_(dB):", sdr.rx_hardwaregain_chan0)

##### TRANSMIT MODULATED FM TRANSMISSION #####

# Scale complex baseband signal to SDR expected range
tx_samples = x_t * 2**14

# Enable cyclic buffer and start transmission
sdr.tx_cyclic_buffer = True
sdr.tx(tx_samples)

##### DEMOD FM TRANSMISSION #####

# Clear buffer before capturing data
for _ in range(3):
    sdr.rx()

# Capture two consecutive frames of received data
frame1 = sdr.rx()
raw_data = 2**14 * frame1 # Scale back to (-1,1) range

# Apply 53 kHz LPF to remove out-of-band noise
Nfilt_rf = 11
cutoff_rf = 53e3
b_LPF_rf, a_LPF_rf = butter(Nfilt_rf, cutoff_rf / (fs / 2), btype='low')
filtered_data = filtfilt(b_LPF_rf, a_LPF_rf, raw_data)

# Extract phase from the complex signal
phase_rx = np.unwrap(np.angle(filtered_data))

# Compute the FM demodulated message signal
mRx = (phase_rx[1:] - phase_rx[:-1]) * fs / (2 * np.pi * kf)
mRx = np.append(mRx, mRx[-1]) # Append a zero to match the original length

# Plot the demodulated message signal m(t) in the time domain
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.plot(t, mRx)
plt.xlabel('Time_(s)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Demodulated_Message_Signal_m(t)')
plt.savefig('assignment4a.png')
plt.show()

# Plot the log-scale spectrum of m(t)
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.semilogy(np.abs(np.fft.fftshift(np.fft.fft(mRx))))

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plt.xlabel('Frequency_Bin')
plt.ylabel('Magnitude')
plt.title('Log-Scale_Spectrum_of_Demodulated_Message_Signal')
plt.savefig('assignment4b.png')
plt.show()
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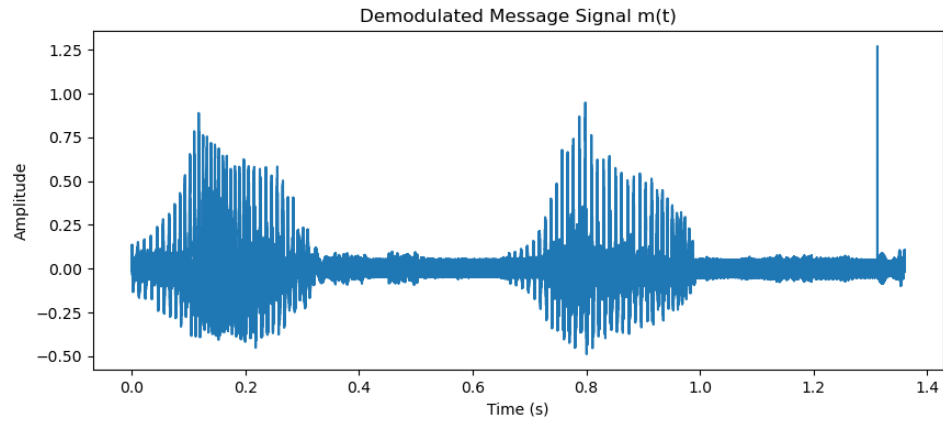


Figure 7: Demodulated FM signal $M(t)$ in Time-Domain

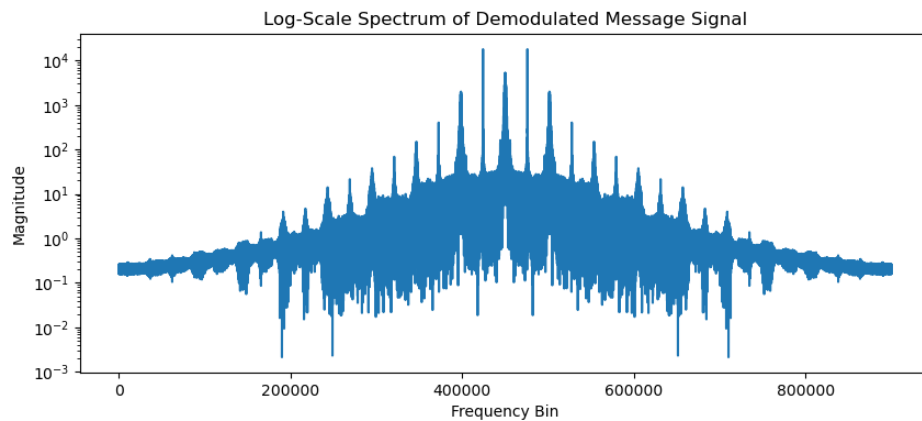


Figure 8: Log-Scale Spectrum of $M(t)$

5 Assignment 5

EXTRACT AUDIO FROM DEMOD FM TRANSMISSION

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# Extract Audio Components
# Low-pass filter for L+R audio (0-15 kHz)
Nfilt_audio = 9
cutoff_audio = 15e3
b_LPF_audio, a_LPF_audio = butter(Nfilt_audio, cutoff_audio / (fs / 2), btype='lowpass')
L_plus_R = filtfilt(b_LPF_audio, a_LPF_audio, mRx)

# Narrowband filter for pilot tone (19 kHz)
Nfilt_band = 5
cutoff_band_pilot = [18e3, 20e3]
b_narrow, a_narrow = butter(Nfilt_band, np.array(cutoff_band_pilot) / (fs / 2), btype='bandpass')
pilot_rx = filtfilt(b_narrow, a_narrow, mRx)

# Band-pass filter for DSB-SC carrier (38 kHz)
cutoff_band_dsb = [23e3, 53e3]
b_BPF, a_BPF = butter(Nfilt_band, np.array(cutoff_band_dsb) / (fs / 2), btype='bandpass')
DSB_carrier_rx = filtfilt(b_BPF, a_BPF, mRx)

# Extract phase of the recovered pilot using Hilbert transform
pilot_phase = np.unwrap(np.angle(hilbert(pilot_rx)))

# Double the phase to obtain the DSB-SC carrier
DSB_carrier_phase = 2 * pilot_phase

# Recover the difference signal (L-R)
L_minus_R = DSB_carrier_rx * np.cos(DSB_carrier_phase) * 2

# Recover Left and Right channels
L_audio = (L_plus_R + L_minus_R) / 2
R_audio = (L_plus_R - L_minus_R) / 2

# Downsample audio back to 44.1 kHz
L_audio_downsampled = resample_poly(L_audio, 1, M)
R_audio_downsampled = resample_poly(R_audio, 1, M)

# Plot the first 200 samples of the pilot signal
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.plot(pilot_rx[:200])
plt.xlabel('Sample_Index')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('First_200_Samples_of_Pilot_Signal')
plt.savefig('assignment5a.png')
plt.show()

# Plot the first 200 samples of the DSB-SC carrier signal
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))

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plt.plot(DSB_carrier_rx[:200])
plt.xlabel('Sample_Index')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('First_200_Samples_of_DSB-SC_Carrier_Signal')
plt.savefig('assignment5b.png')
plt.show()

# Plot the recovered Left and Right audio signals in the time domain
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
plt.subplot(121)
plt.plot(L_audio_downsampled)
plt.xlabel('Time_(s)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Recovered_Left_Audio')
plt.subplot(122)
plt.plot(R_audio_downsampled)
plt.xlabel('Time_(s)')
plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
plt.title('Recovered_Right_Audio')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.savefig('assignment5c.png')
plt.show()

# Save the recovered stereo audio as a WAV file
from scipy.io.wavfile import write

stereo_demod = np.column_stack((L_audio_downsampled, R_audio_downsampled))
stereo_demod_int16 = (stereo_demod * 32767).astype(np.int16)
# Convert to 16-bit PCM
write("recovered_stereo.wav", int(fs_audio), stereo_demod_int16)

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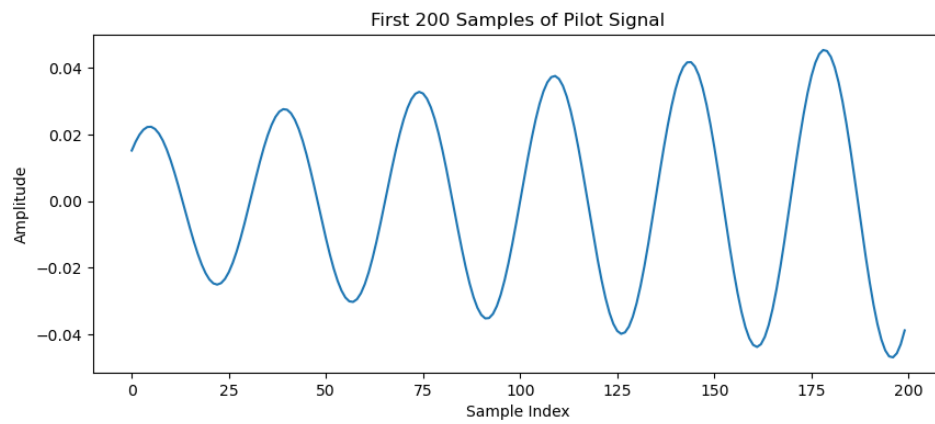


Figure 9: First 200 Samples of Pilot Signal in Time-Domain

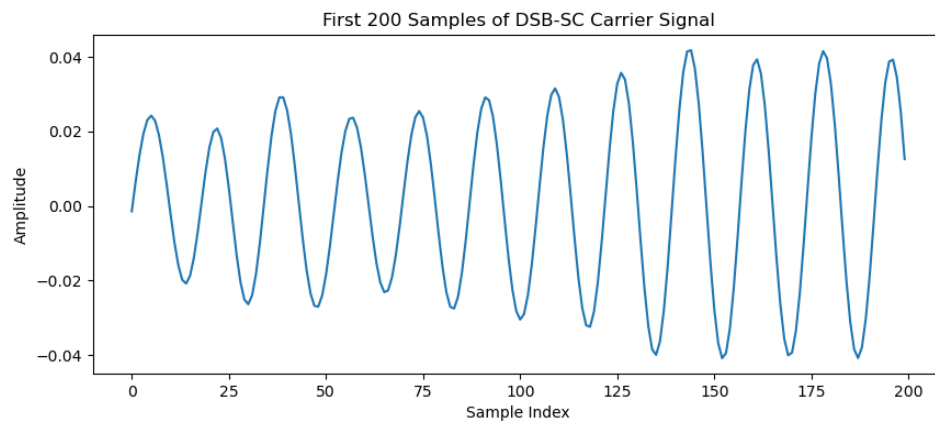


Figure 10: First 200 Samples of DSB-SC Carrier Signal in Time-Domain

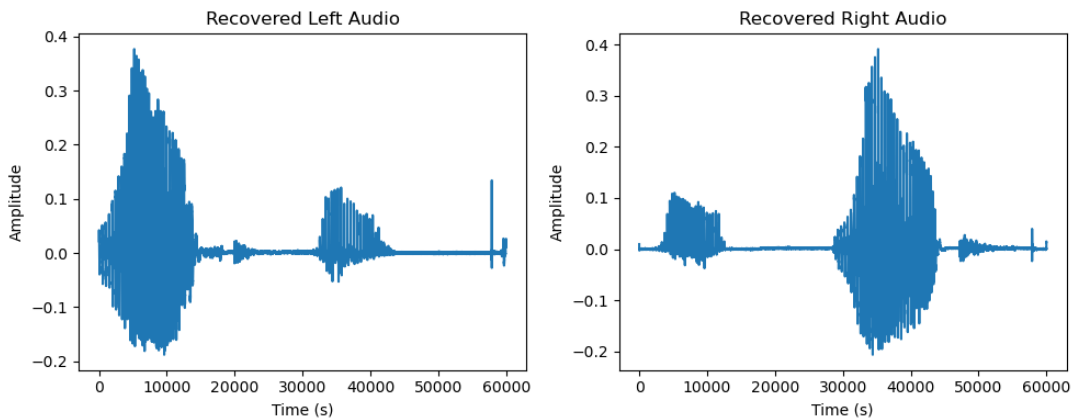


Figure 11: Recovered Left+Right Signal in Time-Domain

6 Assignment 6

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import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from scipy.io import wavfile
from scipy.signal import butter, filtfilt, resample_poly, hilbert
import adi

# Set SDR parameters
sdr_carrier_freq = 96.9e6 # Choose a local FM station frequency
sdr_rx_gain = 50.0 # Rx gain (Adjust based on signal strength)
M = 15 # Upsampling factor
fs_audio = 44100 # Audio sampling rate (Hz)
fs = M * fs_audio # PlutoSDR sampling rate (Hz)
N = 900000 # Close to maximum buffer size (1.4 sec per buffer)

# Create PlutoSDR object
sdr = adi.Pluto("ip:192.168.2.1")

# Configure common settings
sdr.sample_rate = int(fs)
sdr.gain_control_mode_chan0 = 'manual'

# Configure Rx
sdr.rx_lo = int(sdr_carrier_freq)
sdr.rx_rf_bandwidth = int(fs)
sdr.rx_buffer_size = int(N) # Buffer size for Rx samples
sdr.rx_hardwaregain_chan0 = sdr_rx_gain # Adjust Rx gain (0 to 74.5 dB)
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# Clear buffer before capturing data
for _ in range(3):
    sdr.rx()

# Capture multiple frames (about 5 sec of audio)
num_frames = 4
raw_data = []
for _ in range(num_frames):
    temp = sdr.rx()
    raw_data = np.concatenate([raw_data, temp])
raw_data = np.array(raw_data) * 2**-14 # Scale samples to (-1,1)

# Apply 53 kHz LPF to remove out-of-band noise
Nfilt_rf = 11
cutoff_rf = 53e3
b_LPF_rf, a_LPF_rf = butter(Nfilt_rf, cutoff_rf / (fs / 2), btype='low')
filtered_data = filtfilt(b_LPF_rf, a_LPF_rf, raw_data)

# Extract phase from the complex signal
phase_rx = np.unwrap(np.angle(filtered_data))

# Compute the FM demodulated message signal
mRx = (phase_rx[1:] - phase_rx[:-1]) * fs / (2 * np.pi * 75e3)
mRx = np.append(mRx, mRx[-1]) # Append a zero to match the original length

# Extract Audio Components
# Low-pass filter for L+R audio (0-15 kHz)
Nfilt_audio = 9
cutoff_audio = 15e3
b_LPF_audio, a_LPF_audio = butter(Nfilt_audio, cutoff_audio / (fs / 2), btype='low')
L_plus_R = filtfilt(b_LPF_audio, a_LPF_audio, mRx)

# Narrowband filter for pilot tone (19 kHz)
Nfilt_band = 5
cutoff_band_pilot = [18e3, 20e3]
b_narrow, a_narrow = butter(Nfilt_band, np.array(cutoff_band_pilot) / (fs / 2), btype='band')
pilot_rx = filtfilt(b_narrow, a_narrow, mRx)

# Band-pass filter for DSB-SC carrier (38 kHz)
cutoff_band_dsb = [23e3, 53e3]
b_BPF, a_BPF = butter(Nfilt_band, np.array(cutoff_band_dsb) / (fs / 2), btype='band')
DSB_carrier_rx = filtfilt(b_BPF, a_BPF, mRx)

# Extract phase of the recovered pilot using Hilbert transform
pilot_phase = np.unwrap(np.angle(hilbert(pilot_rx)))

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# Double the phase to obtain the DSB-SC carrier
DSB_carrier_phase = 2 * pilot_phase

# Recover the difference signal (L-R)
L_minus_R = DSB_carrier_rx * np.cos(DSB_carrier_phase) * 2

# Recover Left and Right channels
L_audio = (L_plus_R + L_minus_R) / 2
R_audio = (L_plus_R - L_minus_R) / 2

# Downsample audio back to 44.1 kHz
L_audio_downsampled = resample_poly(L_audio, 1, M)
R_audio_downsampled = resample_poly(R_audio, 1, M)

# Save the recovered mono and stereo audio as WAV files
from scipy.io.wavfile import write

# Mono Audio (L+R)
mono_audio = (L_audio_downsampled + R_audio_downsampled) / 2
mono_audio_int16 = (mono_audio * 32767).astype(np.int16)
# Convert to 16-bit PCM
write("fm_mono.wav", int(fs_audio), mono_audio_int16)

# Stereo Audio (L, R)
stereo_demod = np.column_stack((L_audio_downsampled, R_audio_downsampled))
stereo_demod_int16 = (stereo_demod * 32767).astype(np.int16)
# Convert to 16-bit PCM
write("fm_stereo.wav", int(fs_audio), stereo_demod_int16)

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