



EE140 Introduction to Communication Systems

Lecture 13

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Vector Space and Signal Space

Importance: Signal space (or vector) representation of signal is a very effective and useful tools in the analysis of digitally modulated signals.

- Many insights about signals depend not on time or frequency, but on the vector relationships
- Orthogonal expansions are best viewed in vector space terms
- Questions of limits and approximation are easily treated in vector space terms

$\int |u(t)|^2 dt < \infty$ $\xrightarrow{\{\phi_k(t)\}}$ orthogonal expansion $\rightarrow \left\{ \dots \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \dots \right\}$
 \vec{u}

\rightarrow Vector space \rightarrow signal space

vector space + Inner product \Rightarrow Inner product space

signal space + Inner product \Rightarrow Inner product space of \mathcal{L}_2 functions

Axioms and Basic Properties of Vector Space

Vector: An n -dimensional column vector $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)^T$

Vector space: A vector space \mathcal{V} is a set of vectors $\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{V}$, along with a set of rules for manipulating those objects and along with a set of ancillary elements $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}$.

- $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}$ is called scalar (real or complex)
- Real vector space if α is real
- Complex vector space if α is complex

Properties

- $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{u}$ Commutativity of addition
- for each scalar α, β , $\alpha(\beta\mathbf{v}) = (\alpha\beta)\mathbf{v}$ Scalar associativity
- $\alpha(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = \alpha\mathbf{u} + \alpha\mathbf{v}$
- $(\alpha + \beta)\mathbf{v} = \alpha\mathbf{v} + \beta\mathbf{v}$ } Distributive laws
- $\|\mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^2}$

Inner Product Space

Let $\mathbf{v}_1 = (v_{11}, v_{12}, \dots, v_{1n})^t$ and $\mathbf{v}_2 = (v_{21}, v_{22}, \dots, v_{2n})^t$

- Inner (dot) product:

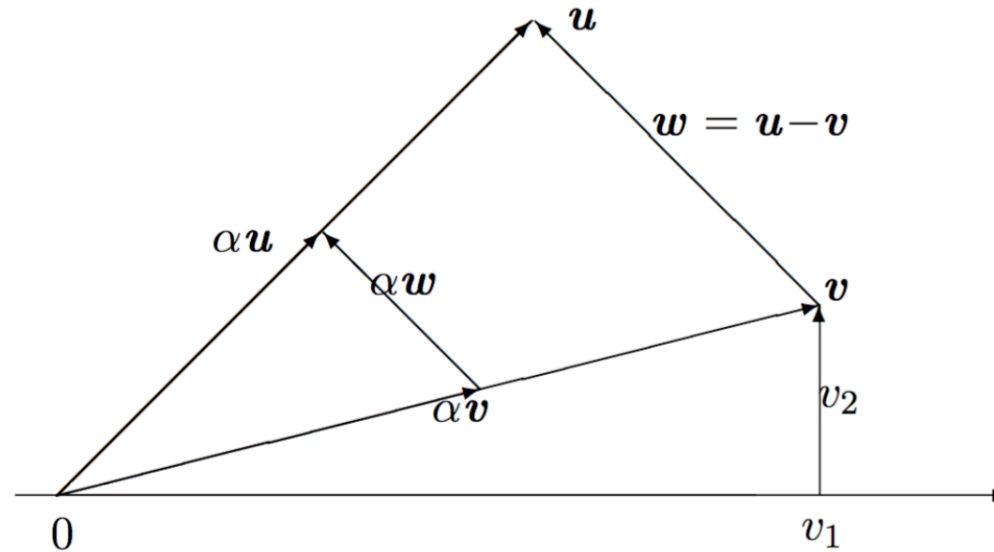
$$\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle = \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 = \sum_{i=1}^n v_{1i} v_{2i}^* = \mathbf{v}_2^H \mathbf{v}_1$$

where \mathbf{A}^H denotes the Hermitian transpose of matrix \mathbf{A}

- $\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle = \langle \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_1 \rangle^*$ — Hermitian Symmetry
- $\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle + \langle \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_1 \rangle = 2\text{Re}[\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle]$
- \mathbf{v}_1 and \mathbf{v}_2 are orthogonal if $\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle = 0$
- A set of vectors \mathbf{v}_k are **orthogonal** if $\langle \mathbf{v}_i, \mathbf{v}_j \rangle = 0$ for all $i \neq j$.
- A set of vectors are **orthonormal** if it is orthogonal and all $\|\mathbf{v}_i\| = 1$.

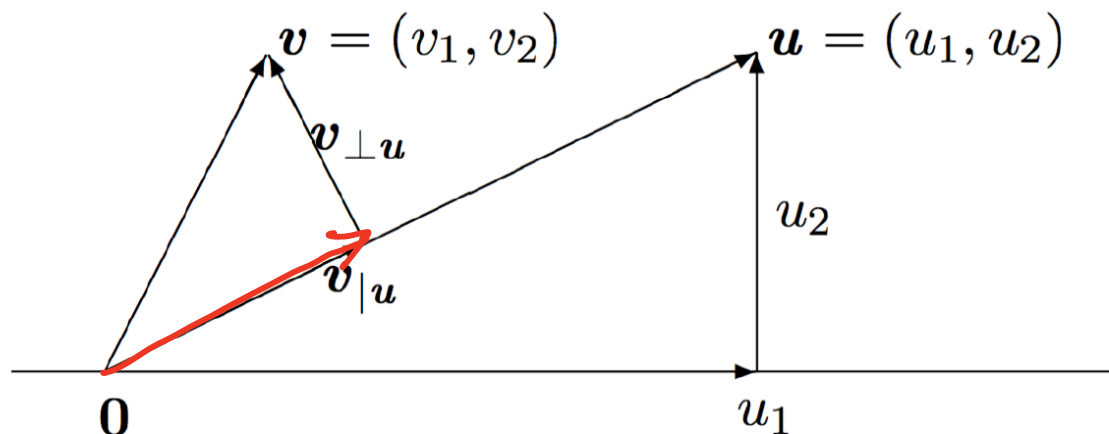
$$\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{\langle \vec{v}, \vec{v} \rangle}$$

2-Dimensional Vector Space



- $v = (v_1, v_2)$
- $v + w = u, u - w = v$
- $\cos(\angle(v, u)) = \frac{v_1 u_1 + v_2 u_2}{\sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2} \sqrt{u_1^2 + u_2^2}} = \frac{\langle v, u \rangle}{\|v\| \|u\|}$
- proof: hint $\cos A = (b^2 + c^2 - a^2)/2bc$

One-Dimensional Projection



- $\mathbf{v}_{\perp u}, \mathbf{v}|_u$: Projection of \mathbf{v} onto \mathbf{u}
- $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}_{\perp u} + \mathbf{v}|_u$ ($\mathbf{v}_{\perp u}$ and $\mathbf{v}|_u$ are independent and orthogonal)

- $\cos(\angle(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u})) = \frac{\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} \rangle}{\|\mathbf{v}\| \|\mathbf{u}\|}$ ↓

- $\|\mathbf{v}|_u\| = \|\mathbf{v}\| \cos(\angle(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u}))$; Unit vector: $\frac{\mathbf{u}}{\|\mathbf{u}\|}$

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$$\frac{\langle \vec{v}, \vec{u} \rangle}{\|\vec{v}\| \|\vec{u}\|} \cdot \frac{\vec{u}}{\|\vec{u}\|} \quad \boxed{\mathbf{v}|_u = \frac{\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} \rangle}{\|\mathbf{u}\|^2} \mathbf{u}}$$

Inner Product Spaces

Let $\mathbf{v}_1 = (v_{11}, v_{12}, \dots, v_{1n})^t$ and $\mathbf{v}_2 = (v_{21}, v_{22}, \dots, v_{2n})^t$

- Vectors $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2$ satisfy the triangle inequality:

$$\|\mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{v}_2\| \leq \|\mathbf{v}_1\| + \|\mathbf{v}_2\|$$

- The Cauchy-Schwarz inequality:

$$|\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle| \leq \|\mathbf{v}_1\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}_2\|$$

with equality if $\mathbf{v}_1 = a\mathbf{v}_2$ for some complex scalar a .

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$$\|\mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{v}_2\|^2 = \|\mathbf{v}_1\|^2 + \|\mathbf{v}_2\|^2 + 2\operatorname{Re}[\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle]$$

If \mathbf{v}_1 and \mathbf{v}_2 are orthogonal, then $\|\mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{v}_2\|^2 = \|\mathbf{v}_1\|^2 + \|\mathbf{v}_2\|^2$

Linear Independent and Dependent

A set of vectors $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n$ is

- **linearly dependent** if $\sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \mathbf{v}_j = 0$, where not all $\alpha_i = 0$. Thus, when $\alpha_k \neq 0$,

$$\mathbf{v}_k = \sum_{j \neq k} \frac{\alpha_j}{\alpha_k} \mathbf{v}_j$$

(Each \mathbf{v}_k for which $\alpha_k \neq 0$ is a linear combination of the others)

- **linearly independent** if it's Not linearly dependent, i.e., if $\sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \mathbf{v}_j = 0$, it implies that each $\alpha_j = 0$.

(No one vector can be represented as a linear combination of the remaining vectors.)

The word "linear " is often omitted.

Basis for Vector Space

- A set of vectors $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n$ **spans** a vector space \mathcal{V} if every vector $\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{V}$ is a linear combination of $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n$
- For \mathbb{R}^n , let

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{e}_1 = (1, 0, 0, \dots, 0) \\ \mathbf{e}_2 = (0, 1, 0, \dots, 0) \\ \mathbf{e}_n = (0, 0, \dots, 1) \end{cases}$$

be the n **unit vectors** for \mathbb{R}^n . The unit vectors span \mathbb{R}^n since every $\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{V}$ is

$$\mathbf{v} = (\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n) = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \mathbf{e}_j$$

- A set of vectors $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n$ is a **basis** for \mathcal{V} if the set is linearly independent and spans \mathcal{V} , e.g., $\mathbf{e}_1, \dots, \mathbf{e}_n$ form basis for \mathbb{R}^n and \mathbb{C}^n

Finite-Dimensional Projections

Given

- a vector $\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{V}$
- an orthonormal basis $\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n$ for vector space \mathcal{S}

$\mathbf{v}|_{\mathcal{S}}$: projection onto \mathcal{S} :

$$\mathbf{v}|_{\mathcal{S}} = \sum_{j=1}^n \langle \mathbf{v}, \phi_j \rangle \phi_j$$

When $n = 1$, then $\mathbf{v}|_{\mathcal{S}} = \mathbf{v}|_{\phi_1} = \langle \mathbf{v}, \phi_1 \rangle \phi_1$

Gram-Schmidt Procedure

Given an arbitrary basis $\{s_1, \dots, s_n\}$ spanning a space \mathcal{S} , generate an orthonormal basis $\{\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_n\}$ for \mathcal{S} . Let \mathcal{S}_k be the subspace spanned by $\{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k\}$

① $\phi_1 = s_1 / \|s_1\|.$

$\phi_1 \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_1$

② $(s_2)_{\perp \mathcal{S}_1} = s_2 - (s_2)_{|\mathcal{S}_1}$

③ $\phi_2 = (s_2)_{\perp \mathcal{S}_1} / \|(s_2)_{\perp \mathcal{S}_1}\|.$ ϕ_2

④ Using induction,

⑤ $(s_{k+1})_{|\mathcal{S}_k} = \sum_{j=1}^k \langle s_{k+1}, \phi_j \rangle \phi_j$

⑥ $(s_{k+1})_{\perp \mathcal{S}_k} = s_{k+1} - \sum_{j=1}^k \langle s_{k+1}, \phi_j \rangle \phi_j$

⑦

$$\underline{\underline{\phi_{k+1}}} = \frac{(s_{k+1})_{\perp \mathcal{S}_k}}{\|(s_{k+1})_{\perp \mathcal{S}_k}\|}$$

$\{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k\} \rightarrow \mathcal{S}_k$

$s_{k+1} | \underline{\underline{\mathcal{S}_k}}$

Signal Space

- Norm $|x(t)|$. Energy \mathcal{E}_x

$$\underline{\|x(t)\|} = \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt \right)^{1/2} = \sqrt{\mathcal{E}_x}$$

- Inner produce:

$$\langle x_1(t), x_2(t) \rangle = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \underline{x_1(t)x_2^*(t)dt}$$

- $x_1(t), x_2(t)$ are **orthogonal** if their inner product is 0.
- Signals are **orthonormal** if they are orthogonal and their norm are unity
- Signals are **linearly independent** if no signal can be represented as a linear combination of remaining signals
- $\|x_1(t) + x_2(t)\| \leq \|x_1(t)\| + \|x_2(t)\|$
- $\|\langle x_1(t), x_2(t) \rangle\| \leq \|x_1(t)\| \|x_2(t)\|$

Gram-Schmidt for Signals

Given an finite energy signal waveforms $\{s_m(t)\}_{m=1}^M$, generate an orthonormal waveforms $\{\phi_1(t), \phi_2(t), \dots, \phi_M(t)\}$

① $\phi_1(t) = s_1(t) / \sqrt{E_1}$.

② $c_{21} = \langle s_2(t), \phi_1(t) \rangle$

③ $\gamma_2(t) = s_2(t) - c_{21}\phi_1(t)$, and let $E_2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma_2^2(t) dt$

④ $\phi_2(t) = \gamma_2(t) / \sqrt{E_2}$

⑤ $\phi_k(t) = \gamma_k(t) / \sqrt{E_k}$

$S_{k-1} = \{\phi_1(t) \dots \phi_{k-1}(t)\}$

where

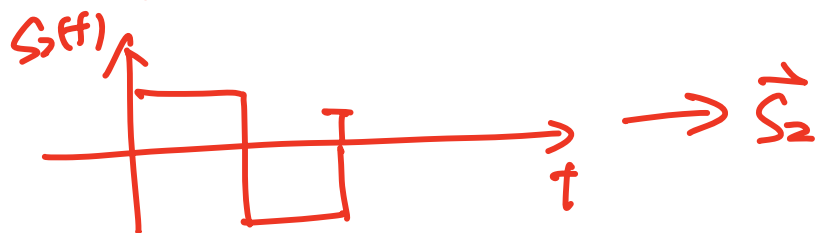
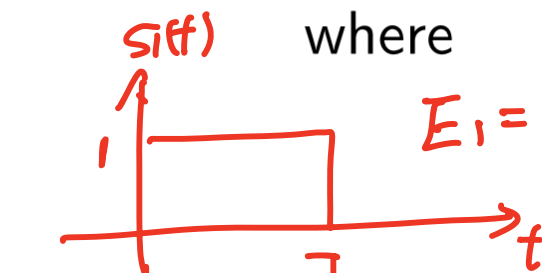
$E_1 = \int |s_1(t)|^2 dt \Rightarrow \vec{S}_1$

$\gamma_k(t) = s_k(t) - \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} c_{ki} \phi_i(t)$

$c_{ki} = \langle s_k(t), \phi_i(t) \rangle$

$E_k = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma_k^2(t) dt$

$S_k(t) |_{S_{k-1}}$



Orthonormal Expansions in \mathcal{L}_2

- Given an orthonormal basis $\{\phi_1(t), \phi_2(t), \dots\}$ of \mathcal{L}_2 , any \mathcal{L}_2 signal $x(t)$ can be represented as $x(t) = \sum_j x_j \phi_j(t)$.

- $x_j = \langle x(t), \phi_j(t) \rangle = \int x(t) \phi_j^*(t) dt$.

- $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots)$

- Equality holds in the sense of $\text{MSE}=0$.

- $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t) - \sum_j x_j \phi_j(t)|^2 dt = 0$

- $E_x = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \sum_j |x_j|^2 = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2$

- $\langle x(t), s(t) \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{s} \rangle$

- Example

- Fourier Series
- Sampling Theorem

orthonormal basis for some subspace of \mathcal{L}_2

{ Time-limited \mathcal{L}_2 functions \rightarrow

Band-limited \mathcal{L}_2 functions \rightarrow

$$x(t) \leftrightarrow \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x \end{bmatrix}$$

Orthonormal Expansions in \mathcal{L}_2

- Fourier Series

Given a function $v(t)$, with duration $[-T/2, T/2]$

- Define $\theta_k(t) = e^{2\pi i k t / T} \text{rect}(t/T)$
- $\{\theta_k(t)\}_k$ are orthogonal functions, with $\|\theta_k(t)\|^2 = T$
- Let $\phi_k(t) = \theta_k(t) / \sqrt{T}$:

$$\phi_k(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{T}} e^{2\pi i k t / T} \text{rect}(t/T)$$

- By FSE, $v(t)$ can be written as

$$v(t) = \sum_k \alpha_k \phi_k(t)$$

where $\alpha_k = \langle v(t), \phi_k(t) \rangle$.

Orthonormal Expansions in \mathcal{L}_2

- Sampling Theorem

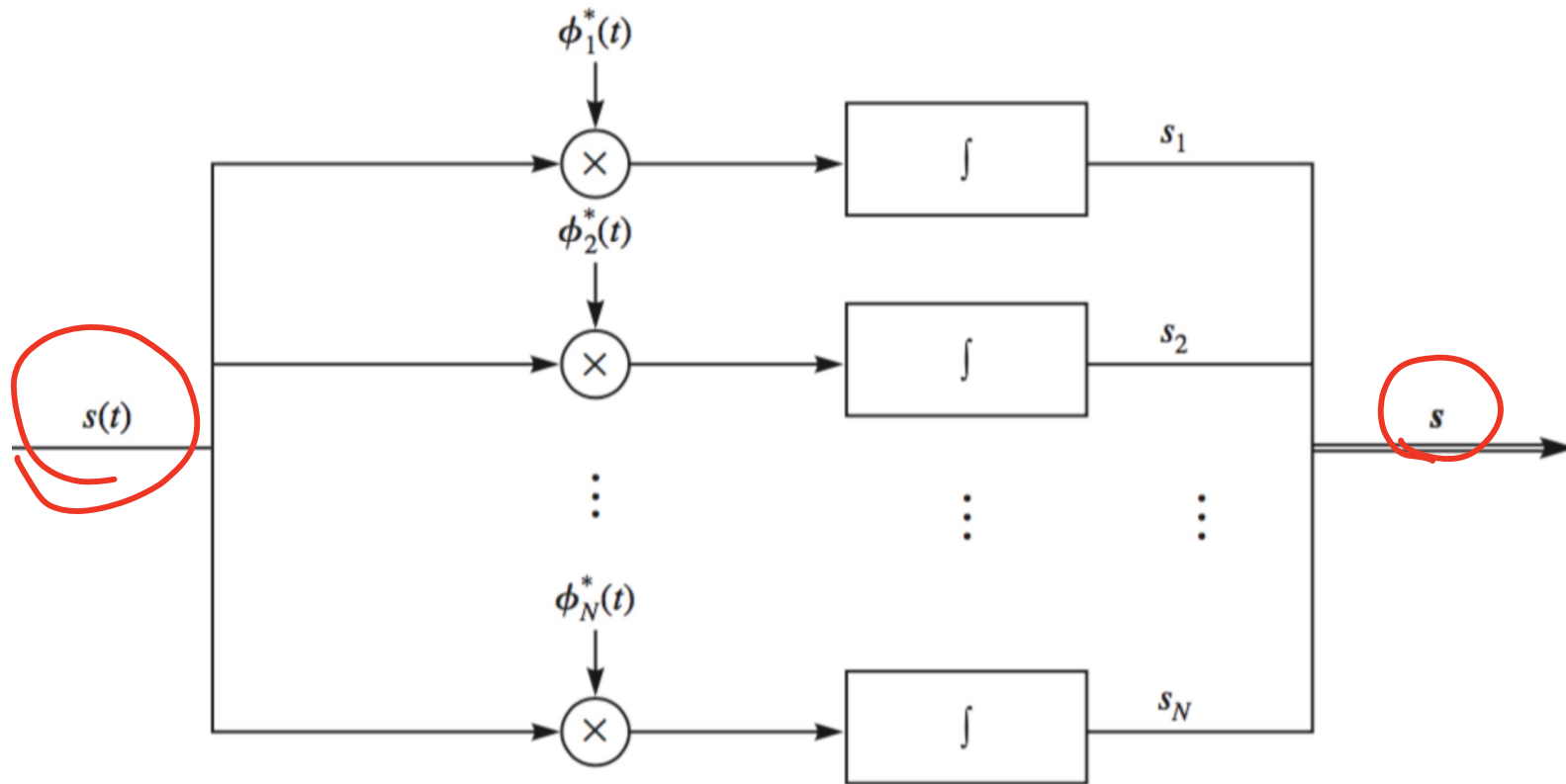
Sampling Theorem: If $x(t)$ is a band-limited in W , then

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(nT) \text{sinc} \left[\left(\frac{t}{T} - n \right) \right]$$

where $\text{sinc}(x) = \frac{\sin(\pi x)}{\pi x}$, $T = 1/2W$.

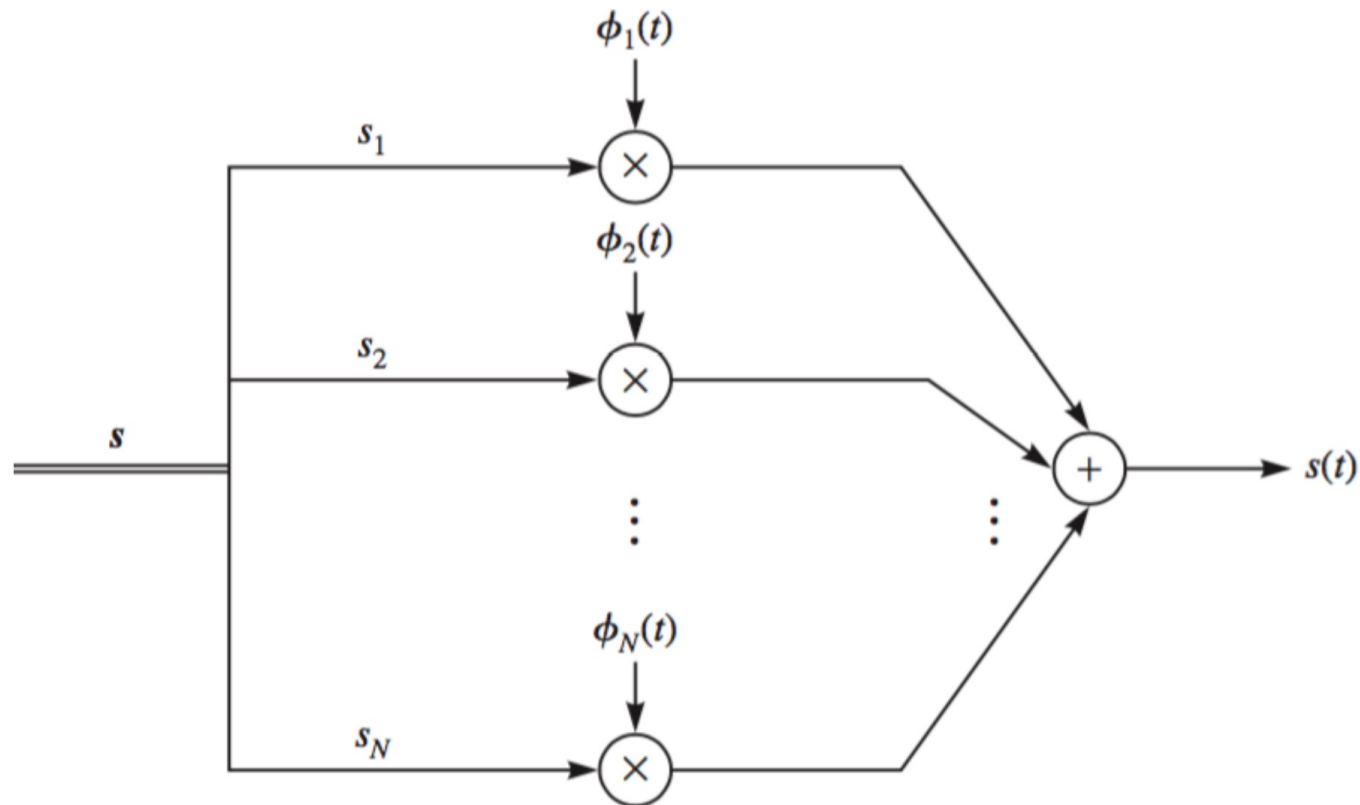
- $x(nT)$ is coefficient (x_k)
- $\{\text{sinc}[(\frac{t}{T} - n)]\}_{n=-\infty}^{\infty}$ are orthogonal function
- Equality holds in sense of $E_e = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t) - \hat{x}(t)|^2 = 0$
- View signal $x(t)$ as vectors $x(nT)$

Map Signal to Vector



$$s_k = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} s(t) \phi_k^*(t) dt = \langle s(t), \phi_k(t) \rangle$$

Map Vector to Signal



$$s(t) = \sum_{k=1}^N s_k \phi_k(t)$$



Thanks for your kind attention!

Questions?