CS 4390: HW 3

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1 Data Rate Problem

It is desired to send a sequence of computer screen images over optical fiber. The screen is 3840×2160 pixels, each pixel being 24 bits. There are 60 screen images per second. What data rate is needed?

$$Data\ Rate = \frac{Number\ of\ bits}{Bits\ per\ second}$$

There are 24 bits \cdot (3840 \times 2160) = 199,065,600 bits per image. Transmitting 60 images per second gives a data rate of data rate is 60 \cdot 199,065,600 = $\underline{1.194 \cdot 10^{10}}$ bits per second.

2 FDM Multiplexing Problem

Ten signals, each requiring 4000 Hz, are multiplexed onto a single channel using FDM. What is the minimum bandwidth required for the multiplexed channel? Assume that the guard bands are 400 Hz wide.

 $Bandwidth = [\# of channels \cdot channel \ bandwidth] + [(\# of channels - 1) \cdot guardbandwidth]$

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