

## Line Coding

- What is Line coding?
- Why it is required ?
- Different forms of representing binary data

## Why line Coding

- Digital data transmitted through a bandlimited channel
- Dispersion in the channel causes overlap in time between successive symbols
- This form of distortion –Inter Symbol Interference (ISI)
- Adverse affect on the quality of reception
- Hence shaping the binary data required

## What is Line coding ?

- Method of converting binary sequence into digital signal
- Selection of line coding technique depends basically
  - to maximize the bit rate in a given channel
  - to recover synchronous information (bit timings) from the received signal ( LAN's)
  - reduced power of transmission
  - to reduce dc component

## Line Coding Techniques

- Unipolar Non-Return-to-Zero (NRZ)
- Polar NRZ
- NRZ inverted
- Bipolar encoding
- Manchester encoding
- Differential Manchester encoding

## Line Coding

- Unipolar
- Polar Ex : NRZ, RZ, Manchester, Differential Manchester
- Bipolar

## Unipolar encoding

0 → One voltage level  
1 → another voltage levels  
Polarity is either +ve or -ve



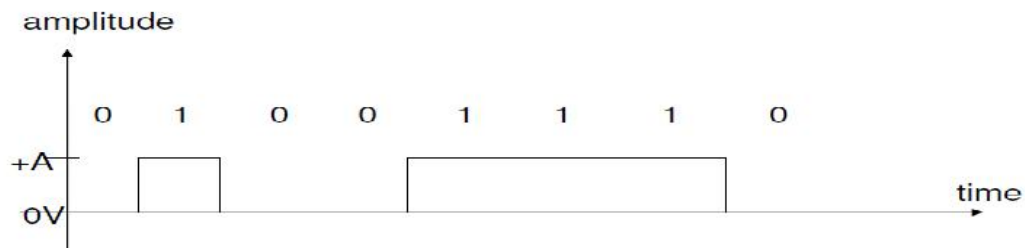
Uses only one polarity

1 → + A v

0 → 0 v

- Simplest
- Obsolete

## Unipolar Encoding



Disadvantage : dc component is not zero (average amplitude of encoded signal is not zero)

If  $p(0)=p(1)=1/2$ , the average power transmitted for unipolar line code

$$= p(0) 0V + p(1) (A)^2 = A^2/2$$

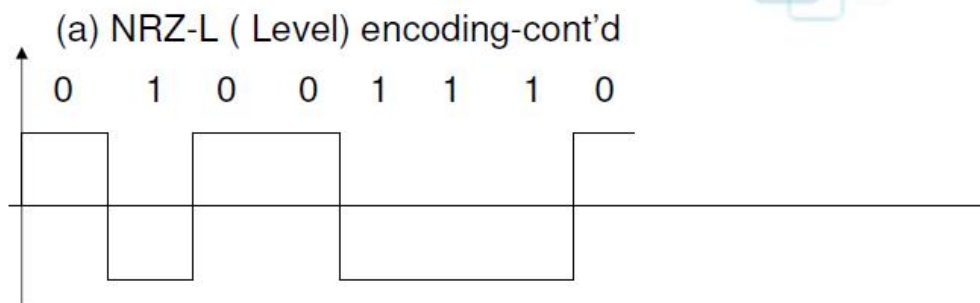
Polar encoding

- Two Voltage levels
    - One +ve voltage
    - One -ve voltage
    - Average or dc component is reduced
- Ex : NRZ, RZ, Manchester, Differential Manchester

# Non Return to Zero ( NRZ)

- Value of the signal is *always* either +ve or -ve
- Two popular forms (a) NRZ-L ( Level)  
(b) NRZ-I (Invert)
- (a) NRZ-L ( Level) encoding
  - level of the signal depends on the type of bit that it represent
  - 0 bit -- +ve voltage
  - 1 bit -- -ve voltage

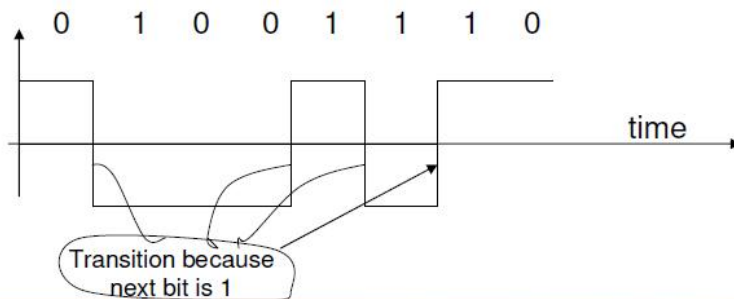
Level of the signal depends on state of the bit



- If  $p(0)=p(1)=1/2$ , the average power transmitted for unipolar line code  
$$= p(0) (+A)^2 + p(1) (-A)^2 = A^2$$
- Synchronization of clock problem arises when there is long sequence of bits

## (b) NRZ-I (Invert)

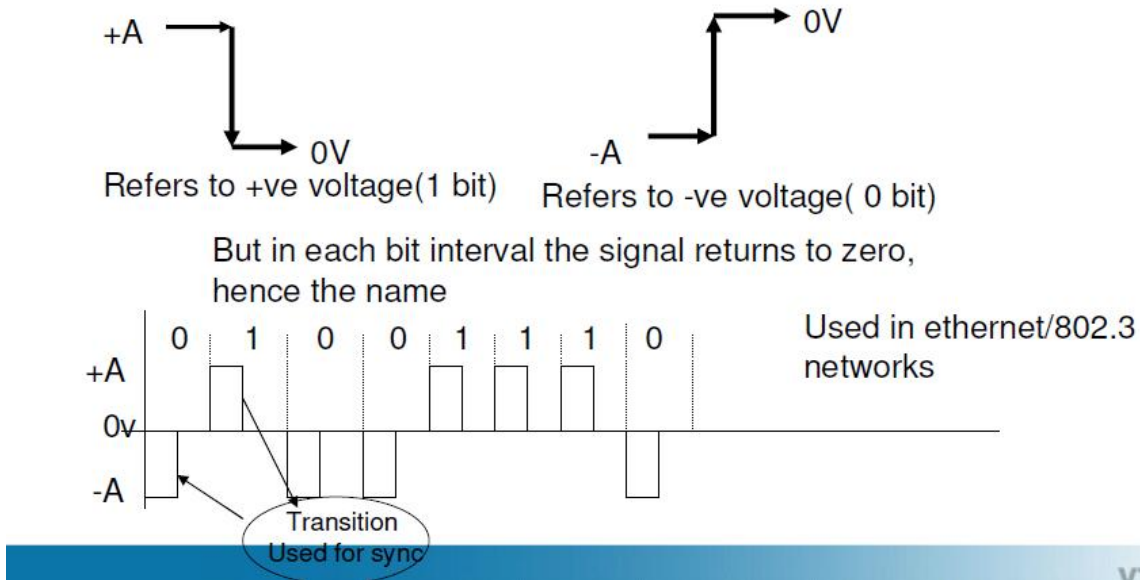
- Inversion of voltage level represents a 1 bit
  - Transition between a +ve & -ve voltage level that represent a 1 bit
  - 0 bit -- no change in voltage level
  - It is superior to NRZ -L
- synchronization is provided by the signal change each time a 1 bit is encoded
- existence of 1's in data stream makes the receiver to synchronization



Used in several  
LAN system

# Return to Zero encoding (RZ)

- Uses three values : +ve, -ve & Zero
- Signal changes *not because of bits* but during each bit



## RZ – Cont'd

### Advantage:-

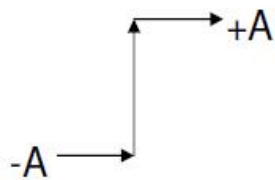
- most effective encoding

### Disadvantage:-

- Requires *two signal* changes to encode one bit
- Hence occupies more bandwidth

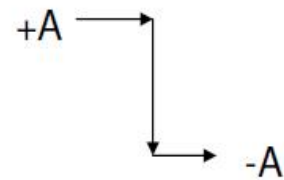
## Manchester encoding

- Instead of 'high ' equaling 1 and 'low' equaling 0 a timing interval is used to measure high or low transition
- Uses inversion at the middle of each bit interval
- provides synchronization
- bit representation



-ve to +ve transition – 1 bit

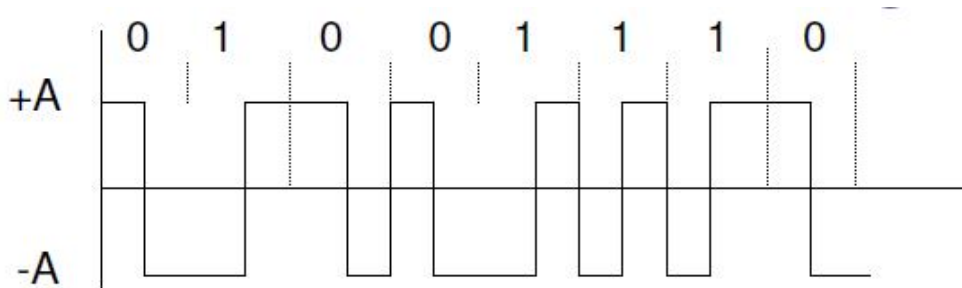
- Half time period low & half time period high



+ve to -ve transition – 0 bit

- Half time period high & half time period low

Manchester encoding-cont'd



- Achieves same level of synchronization as RZ

- Requires only two level of amplitudes

Advantages :-

- Error recovery – if part of the signal clipped or distorted still “intelligence” is available for timing recovery

- Signal is falling or raising

Differential Manchester encoding

- Similar to Manchester encoding

- - each bit period is partitioned into two intervals

- - Transitions are functions of previous bit period

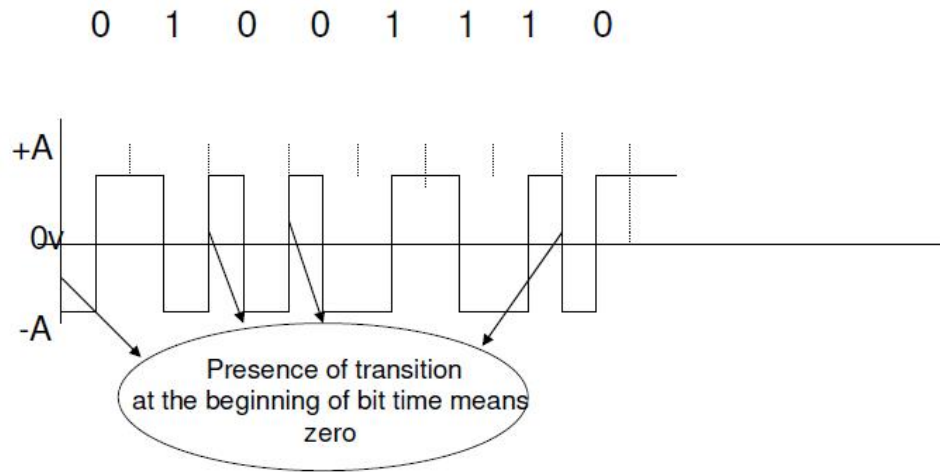
- - transitions means binary 0

- - no transitions means binary 1

- Requires two signal changes to represent ‘0’ but only one to represent ‘1’

- A low-to-high transition could be ‘0’ or ‘1’ depending on the value of previous bit period

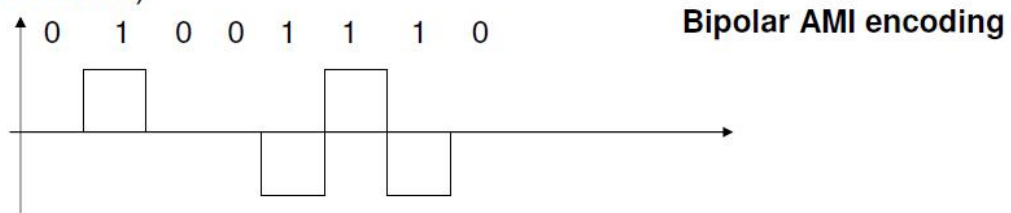
## Differential Manchester cont'd



- Used in ethernet & token ring LAN standard
- Manchester code is an example of mBnB code (  $n > m$ ) typical 4B5B
- Used in OFC standard called FDDI( Fiber Distributed Data Interface)

## Bipolar encoding

- Use three voltage levels +ve, -ve & 0V
- Here 0  $\rightarrow$  0V  
1  $\rightarrow$  alternating +ve & -ve voltage levels
- If the first 1bit is +ve amplitude next 1bit is -ve and so on
- AMI (Alternate Mark Inversion) or BnZs (Bipolar n-Zero substitution)







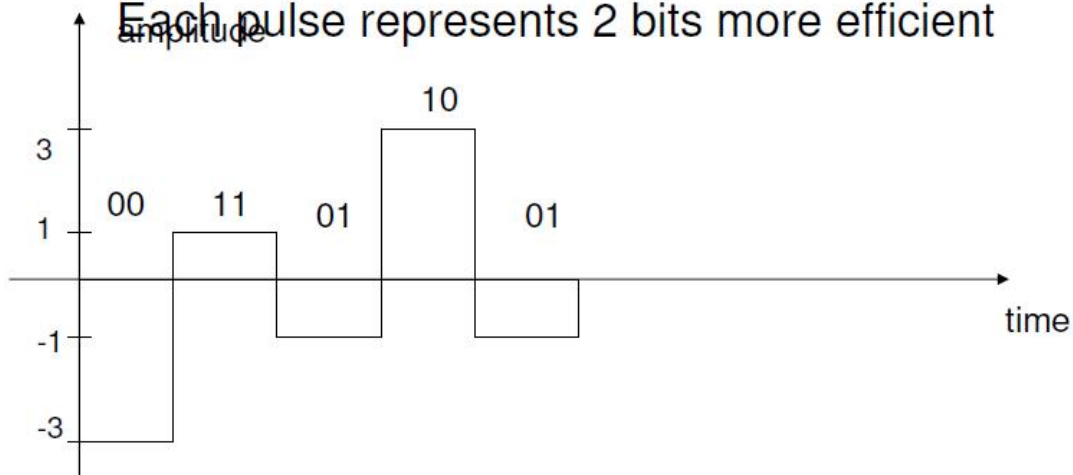
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2B1Q- (2 Binary, one quaternary)

Uses four voltage levels

Each pulse represents 2 bits more efficient

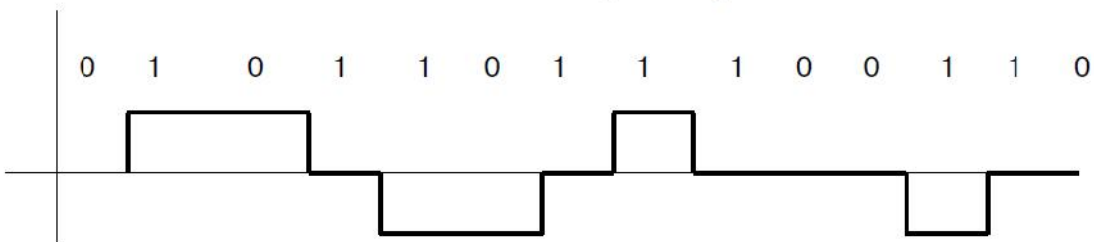


### MLT3 (Multi Line Transmission Three level)

- Similar to NRZ-I (Non return to zero, invert)

But uses 3 levels of signals (+1, 0, & -1)

- Signal transition from one level to the next at the beginning of a 1 bit
- There is no transition at the beginning of a '0' bit



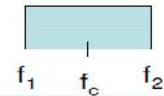


## Digital Modulations

- What is Digital Modulation ?
- What is the difference between line coding & Digital modulations ?
- Analog modulation versus Digital modulation
- Different types of digital modulation schemes

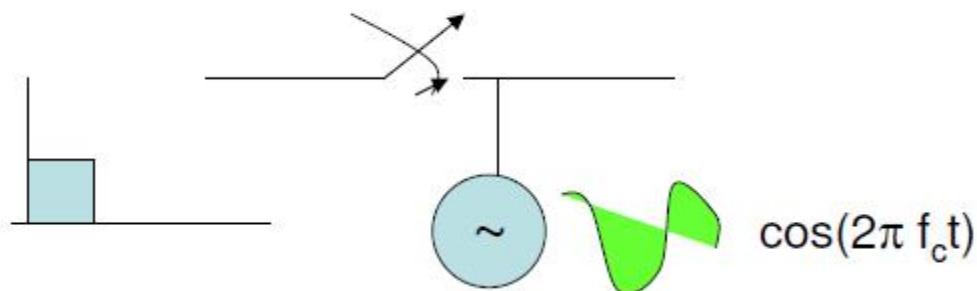
## What is Digital Modulation ? इसका

- converting binary data to analog signal is digital modulation
- Has a carrier- data signals modulates in some form- amplitude, frequency, phase
- Better spectral efficiency  
 $\eta = \text{bit rate (bps)} / \text{BW(Hz)}$
- BW restriction is much more severe
- Consider band-pass channel
- $W = f_1 - f_2, f_c = (f_1 + f_2) / 2$
- $\cos(2\pi f_c t)$  power is concentrated at  $f_c$



### What is digital modulation-cont'd

- *Modulation is the process by which some characteristic of a carrier is varied in accordance with a modulating wave* Basically is a keying operation here



- Modulation process involves switching or keying

the amplitude, frequency, or phase of the carrier  
in accordance with the in coming data

Digital Data, Analog Signal

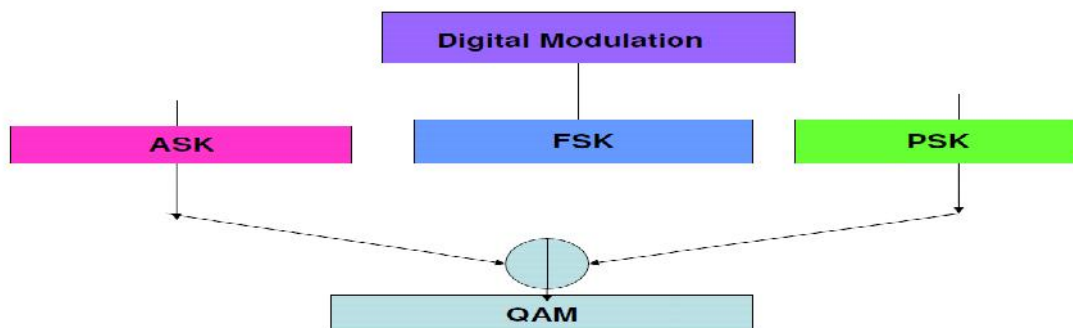


- Public telephone system
  - 300Hz to 3400Hz
  - Used in modem (modulator-demodulator)
- device that carries out operation in these frequency range
- Amplitude shift keying (ASK)
- Frequency shift keying (FSK)
- Phase shift keying (PSK)

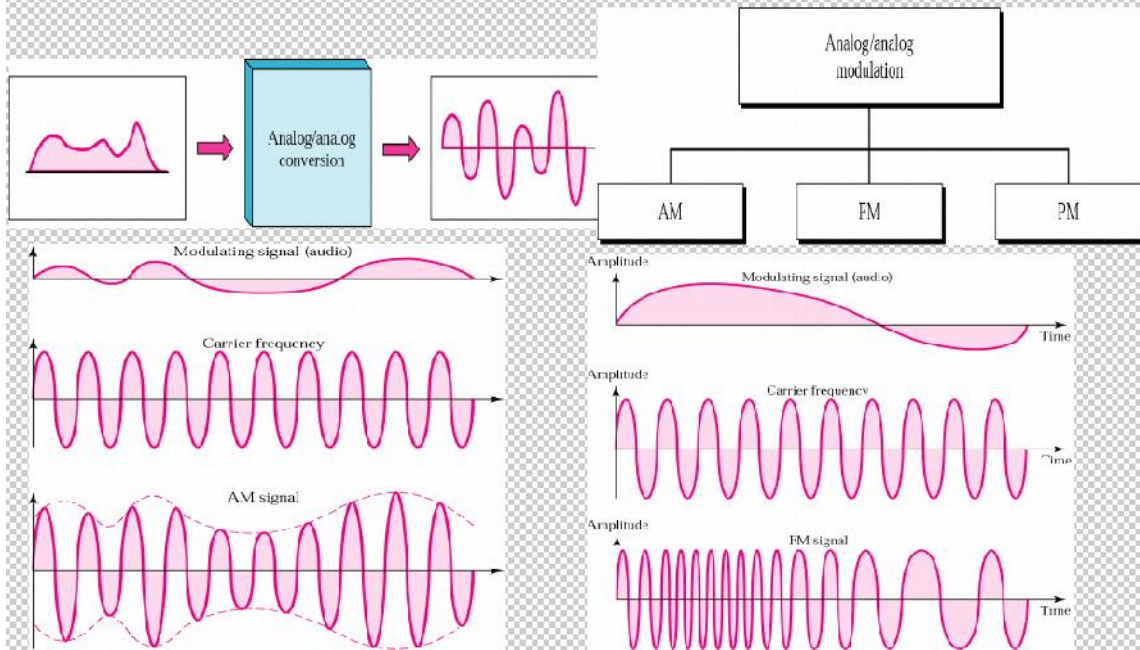
Goals of Digital modulation

- Maximum data rate
- Minimum probability of error
- Minimum transmitted power
- Minimum channel bandwidth
- Maximum resistance to interfering signals
- Minimum hardware complexity

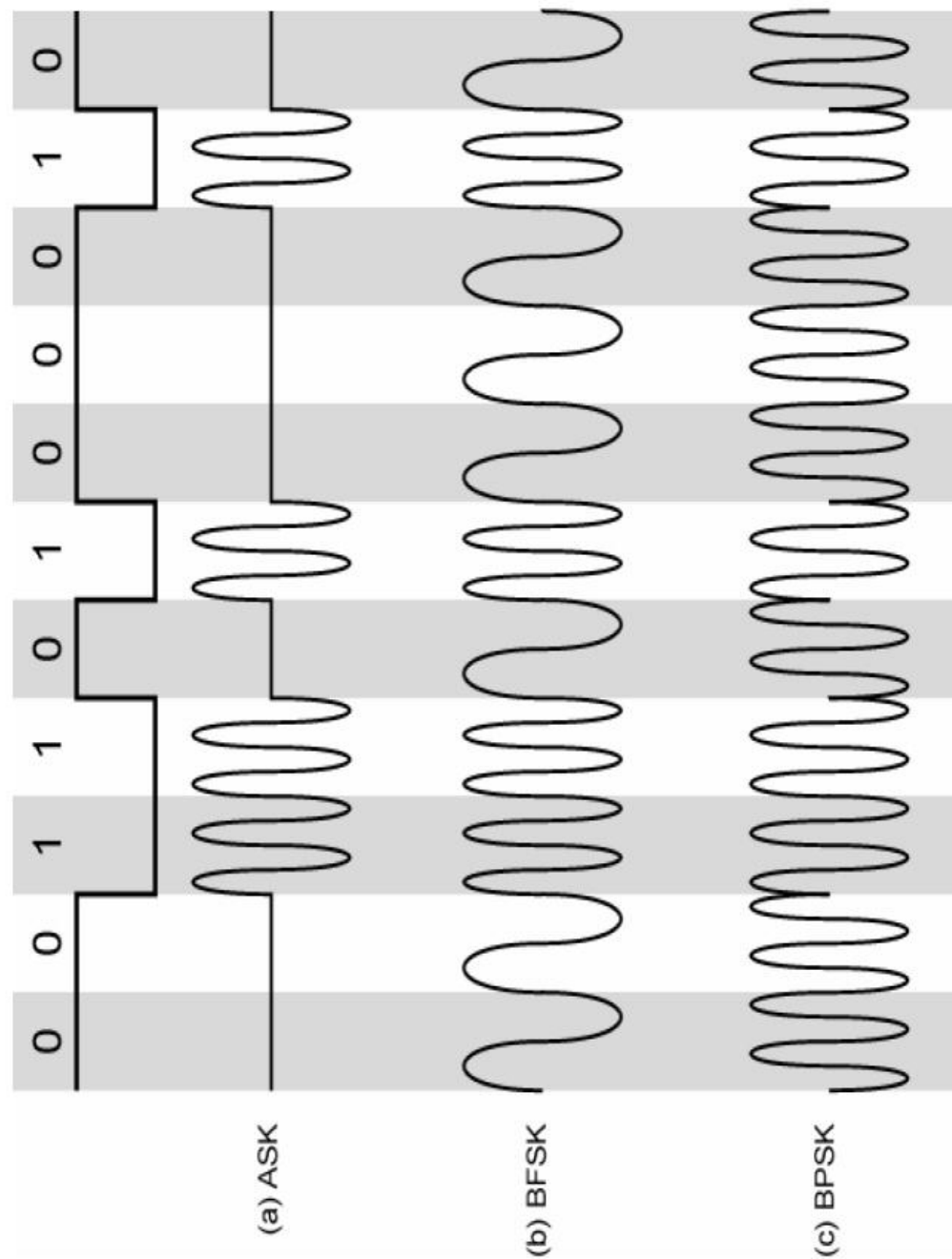
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# Analog Modulation



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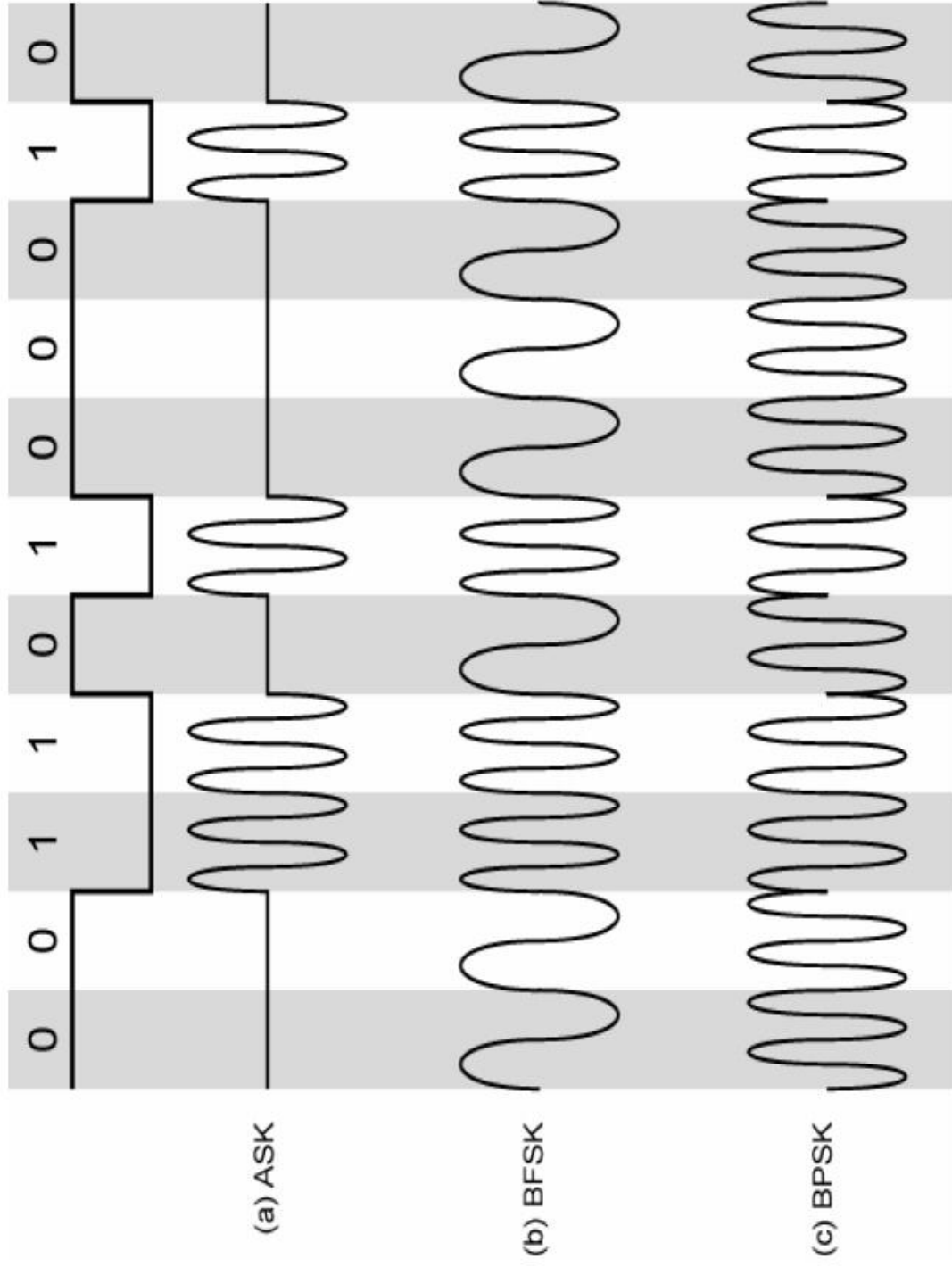
### Amplitude Shift Keying (ASK)

- Values represented by different amplitudes of carrier

- presence of a carrier – binary 1



- absence of carrier is – binary 0
- Sinusoidal signal is turned ON & OFF according input data- Modulator
- Demodulator – only to determine presence or absence of carrier



### ASK-cont'd

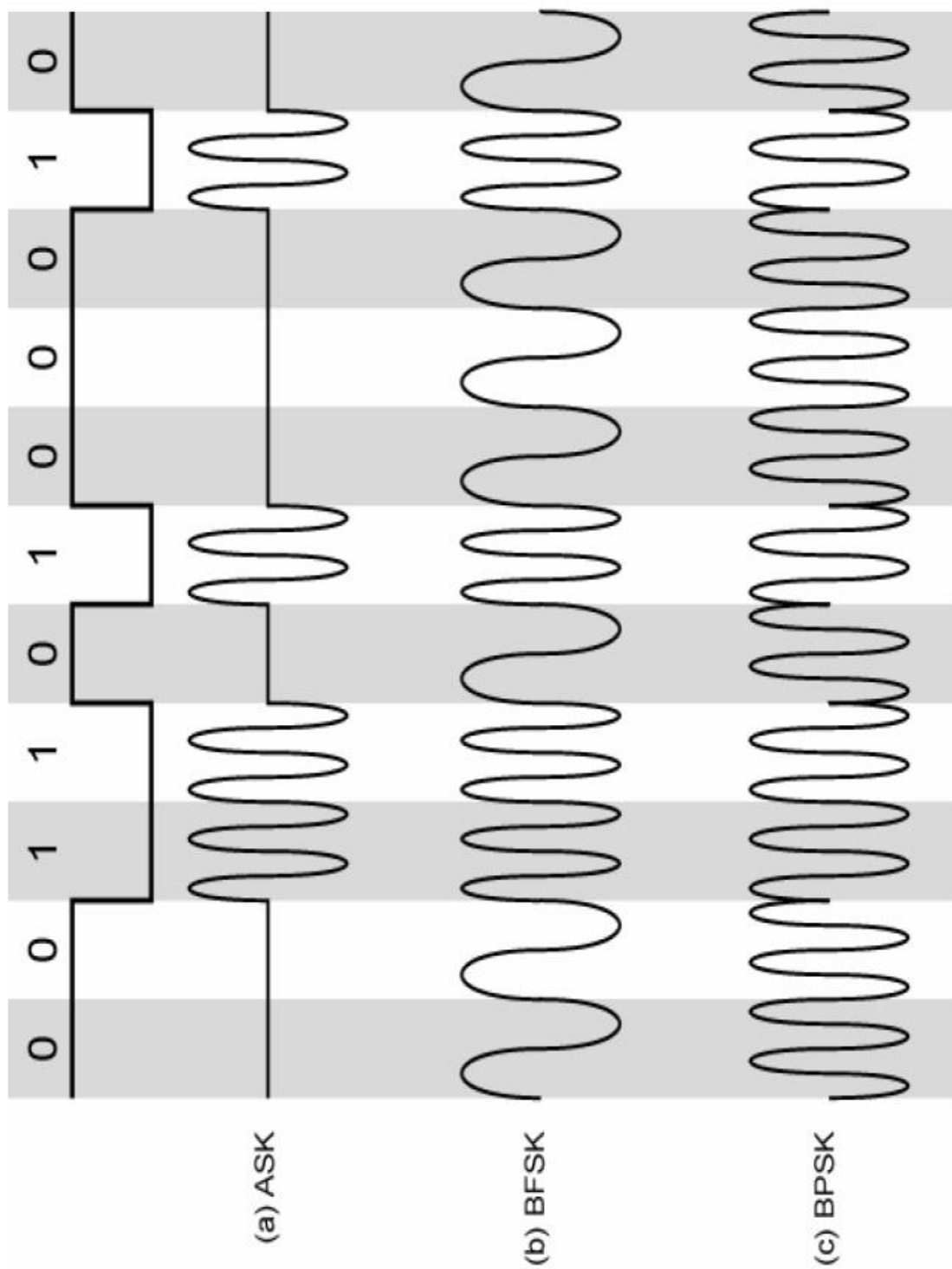
- Amplitude is susceptible to sudden changes
  - Bit rate = baud rate ( bit rate=number of bits/ sec
  - : Baud rate = number of signal units /sec )
  - BW= bit rate
  - Inefficient
  - Up to 1200bps on voice grade lines
  - Used over optical fiber
  - Example:
  - Bandwidth of 5000 Hz for an ASK signal, what are the Baud rate & bit rate?
- for ASK Baud rate=bit rate  
Bit rate =5000bps  
Baud rate = 5000

### Binary Frequency

#### Shift Keying (BFSK or FSK)

- Most common form is binary FSK (BFSK)
- Two binary values represented by two different frequencies (near carrier)
- Both amplitude & phase remains constant
- $\cos(2\pi f_1 t)$  refers to binary 1 where  $f_1 = f_c - \Delta f$
- $\cos(2\pi f_2 t)$  refers to binary 0 where  $f_2 = f_c + \Delta f$





FSK-cont'd

- $BW = \text{bit rate} + (f_1 - f_2)$
- Less susceptible to error than ASK
- Up to 1200bps on voice grade lines
- High frequency radio
- Even on LANs using co-axial cable
- Example:
- FSK signal transmitting at 2000bps transmission half duplex , carrier separation is 3000Hz Find Minimum BW ?
- $BW = \text{bit rate} + (f_1 - f_2) = 2000 + 3000 = 5000\text{Hz}$

#### Multiple FSK

- More than two frequencies used
- More bandwidth efficient
- More prone to error
- Each signalling element represents more than one bit

#### Binary Phase Shift Keying (BPSK)

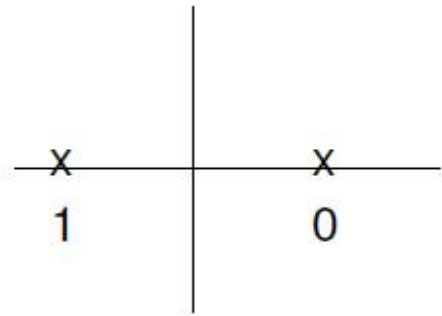
- Phase of carrier signal is shifted to represent data
- Binary PSK modulates the carrier phase depending on the information bit

$$\bullet \cos(2\pi f_c t + b(t)) = \begin{cases} 0 \\ 1 \end{cases}$$

- Binary PSK
  - Two phases represent two binary digits
- $\cos(2\pi f_c t)$  refers to binary 1
- $\cos(2\pi f_c t + \pi) = -\cos(2\pi f_c t)$  refers to binary 0

#### PSK - cont'd

- Equivalent to sinusoids by multiplying with +1 for binary 1
- Equivalent to sinusoids by multiplying with -1 for binary 0
- Demodulator to detect the phase with respect some reference phase

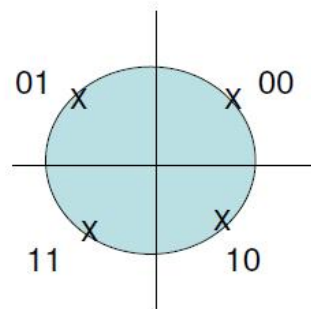
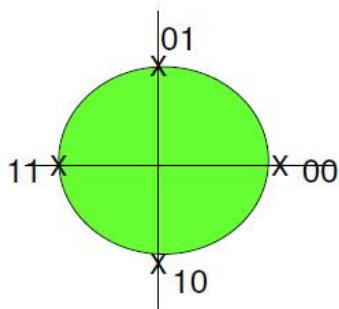


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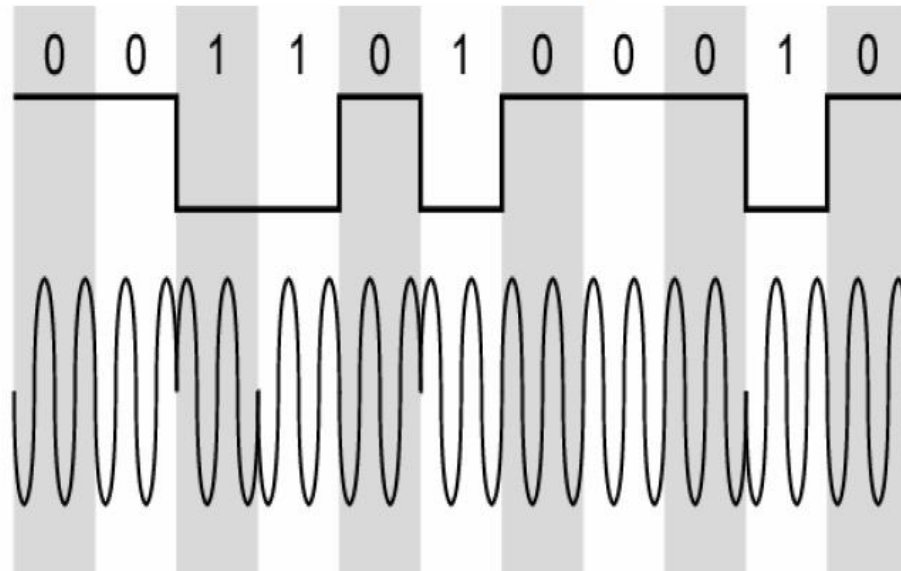
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- $\cos(2\pi f_c t + b(t) \pi)$        $b(t) = \begin{cases} 0 \\ 1 \end{cases}$
- This chooses one of two phases.
- Collects two bits & picks one of 4-phase values
- (  $0, \pi/2, \pi, 3\pi/2$  ) or (  $\pi/4, 3\pi/4, 5\pi/4, 7\pi/4$  )



# Differential PSK

Phase shifted relative to previous transmission rather than some reference signal



## Quadrature PSK

- More efficient use by each signal element representing more than one bit
  - e.g. shifts of  $\pi/2$  (90°)
  - Each element represents two bits
  - Can use 8 phase angles and have more than one amplitude
  - 9600bps modem use 12 angles, four of which have two amplitudes
- Offset QPSK (orthogonal QPSK)
  - Delay in Q stream

## Performance of Digital to Analog Modulation Schemes

- Bandwidth
  - ASK and PSK bandwidth directly related to bit rate
  - FSK bandwidth related to data rate for lower frequencies, but to offset of modulated frequency from carrier at high frequencies
  - (See Stallings for math)

- In the presence of noise, bit error rate of PSK and QPSK are about 3dB superior to ASK and FSK

#### Quadrature Amplitude

#### Modulation (QAM)

- QAM used on asymmetric digital subscriber line (ADSL) and some wireless
- Combination of ASK and PSK
- Logical extension of QPSK
- Send two different signals simultaneously on same carrier frequency
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#### QAM Levels

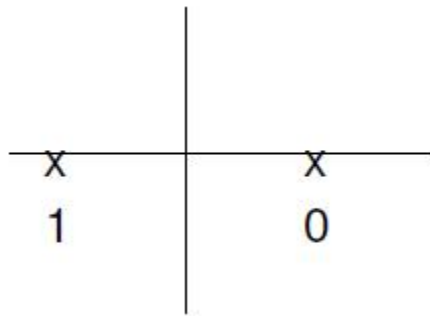
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  - Each of two streams in one of two states
  - Four state system
  - Essentially QPSK
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  - Combined stream in one of 16 states
- 64 and 256 state systems have been implemented
- Improved data rate for given bandwidth
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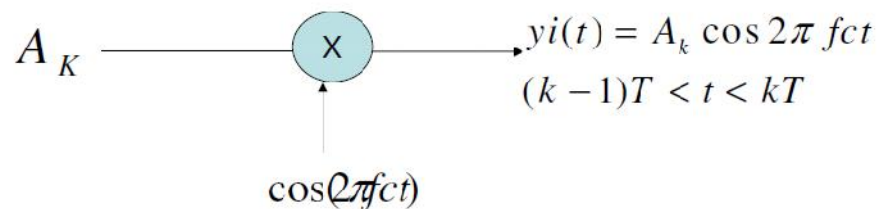
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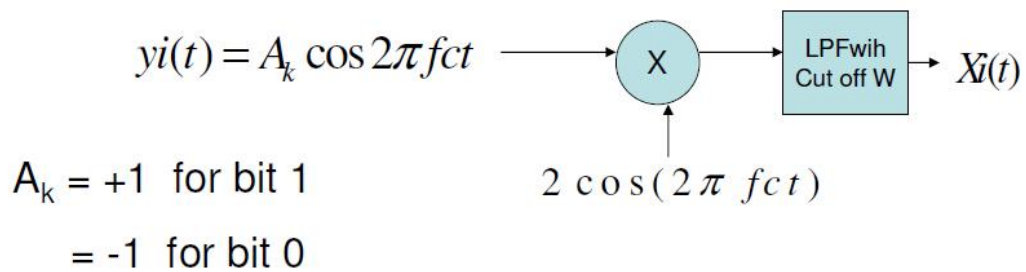
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### a) Modulator



### b) Demodulator( To recover $A_k$ )



$$y_i(t) \cos(2\pi fct) = 2A_k \cos^2(2\pi fct) = A_k (1 + \cos 4\pi fct / 2)$$

QPSK (quadrature PSK)

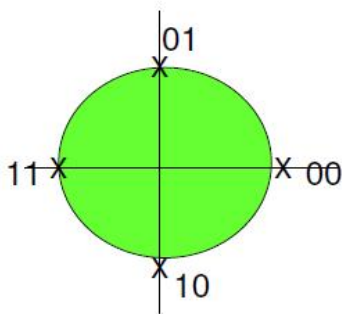
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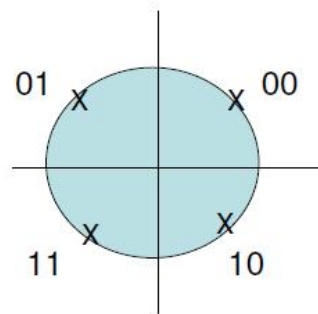
$\cos 2\pi fct \rightarrow 00$

$\cos(2\pi fct + \pi/2) \rightarrow 01 = -\sin 2\pi fct$

$\cos(2\pi fct + \pi) \rightarrow 11 = -\cos 2\pi fct$

$\cos(2\pi fct + 3\pi/2) \rightarrow 10 = +\sin 2\pi fct$

$$= \pm \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\pi fct \mp \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\pi fct$$



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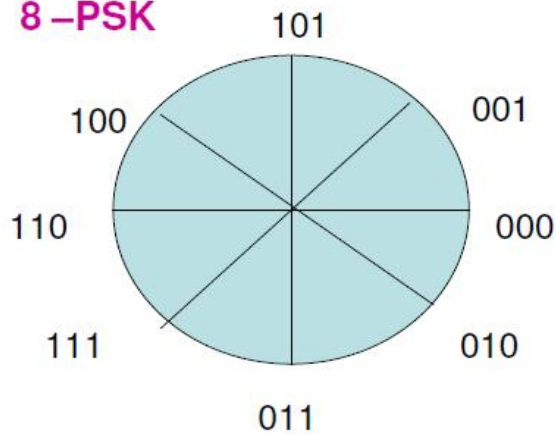
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## 8-PSK



$$Q_i = (i-1)\pi/4$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, 8$$

**Fig. Constellation Diagram**

-Signal Constellation refers to a set of possible message points

Tribit	Phase in Degree
000	0
001	45
101	90
100	135
110	180
111	225
011	270
010	315

- Minimum bandwidth is same as ASK
- Maximum rate may be much higher

### Example :

Given a bandwidth of 5KHz for an 8 PSK signal, What are baud rate & bit rate ?

For PSK      baud rate = bandwidth  
= 5000

For 8 PSK      bit rate = 3 x band rate  
= 3 X 5000  
15000 bps

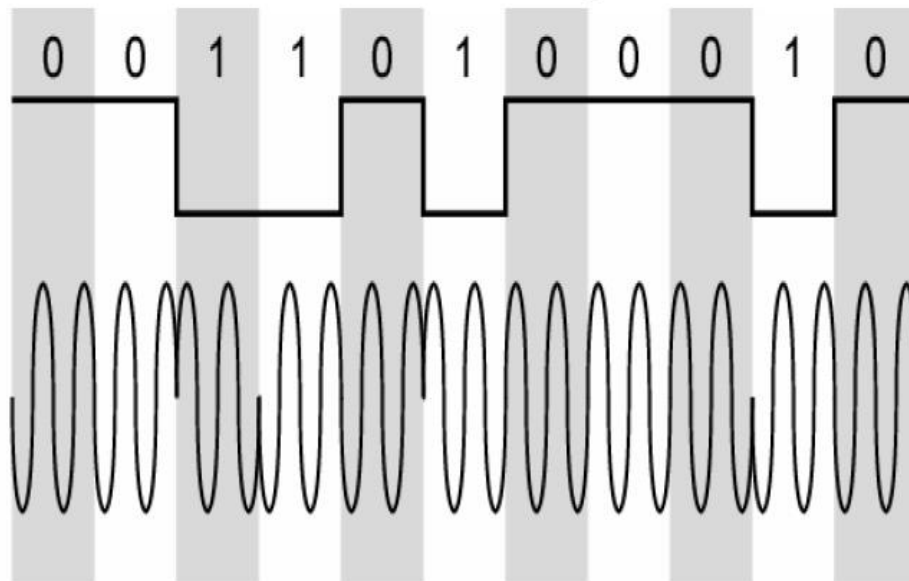
### Note :

Nyquist signaling rate – for a LP Channel of Bandwidth ' W' Hz, the maximum signaling rate is 2W pulse/sec

. For PSK we can transmit only  $W$  pulse / Sec over Band pass channel that has a Band width of  $W$  Time /bit is  $T=1/W$   
 PSK attains half the signaling rate of LP Case QAM is used to recover the factor 2'

## Differential PSK

Phase shifted relative to previous transmission rather than some reference signal



### Quadrature Amplitude Modulation(QAM)

- Combination of ASK and PSK
- Maximum Contrast between each signal unit(bit,dibit,tribit and son on) is achieved
- Simultaneous modulation of the amplitude and phase of a carrier signal
- Symbols are generated at a rate =  $W$  Symbols/Sec

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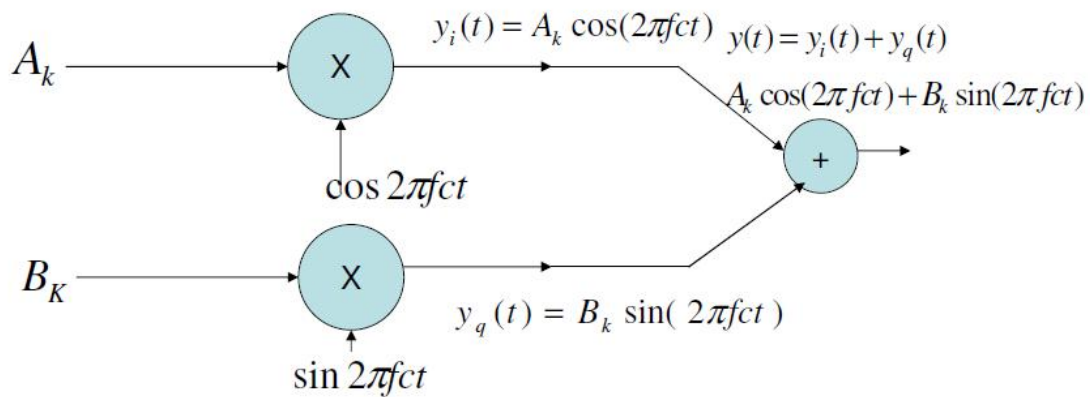
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## QAM Scheme-cont'd

- Split the original information stream into two sequences consisting of odd & even symbols  $A_k$ ,  $B_k$



## QAM - cont'd

- 2D Modulation Scheme
- $A_k$  is called *in-phase* component
- $B_k$  is called *Quadrature* phase component
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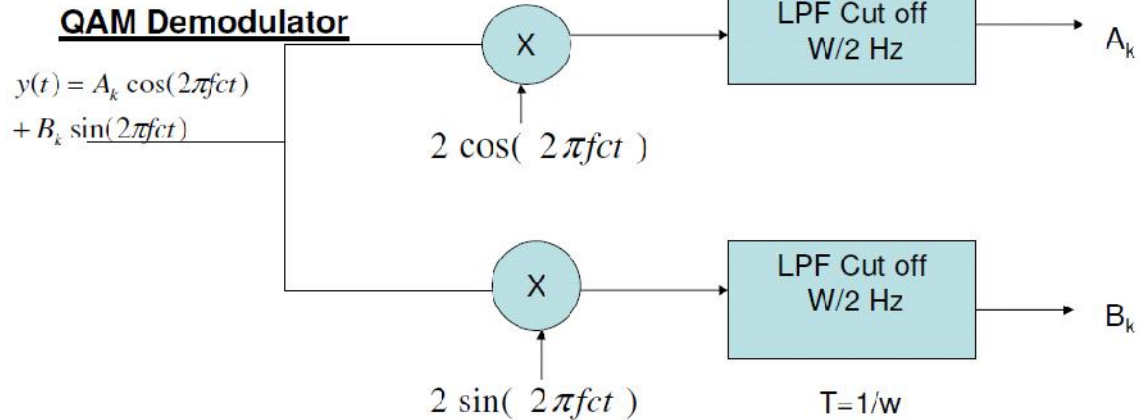
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$A_k = \{ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 1 \}$

NRZ {  $A_k$  }

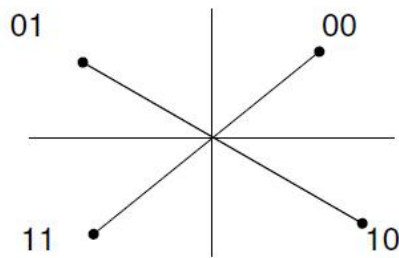
$B_k = \{ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \}$

- Sum of in phase & Quadrature modulated wave is transmitted
- Transmitted over a bandpass channel



- QAM is a 2 D system that achieves an effective signaling rate  $2W$

pulse/sec over the Band pass channel of  $W$  Hz



4-QAM

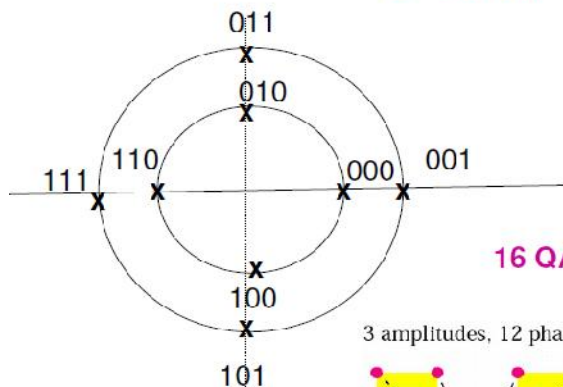
1 Amplitude, 4 phase

4 levels /pulse

2 bits/pulse

$2W$  bits/sec

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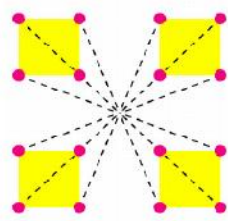
### 16 QAM Constellations

2 Amplitude, 4 phase

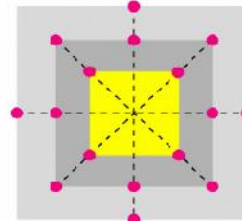
3 amplitudes, 12 phases

4 amplitudes, 8 phases

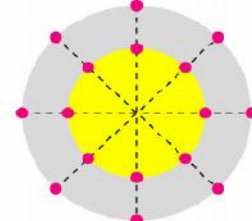
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### *Bit and baud rate comparison*

Modulation	Units	Bits/Baud	Baud rate	Bit Rate
ASK, FSK, 2-PSK	Bit	1	N	N
4-PSK, 4-QAM	Dibit	2	N	2N
8-PSK, 8-QAM	Tribit	3	N	3N
16-QAM	Quadbit	4	N	4N
32-QAM	Pentabit	5	N	5N
64-QAM	Hexabit	6	N	6N
128-QAM	Septabit	7	N	7N
256-QAM	Octabit	8	N	8N

Signalling constellations & Telephone Modem standards

- Signal Constellation diagrams used in signaling standards

- used over telephone lines

- data communication over telephone channels

$$BW = 2900 - 500 = 2400\text{Hz}$$

$$W = 2400 \text{ Hz}$$

$$\text{Signalling rate } 1/T = W = 2400 \text{ Pulse/Sec}$$

Trellis coded modulation (TCM)

- Modified version of QAM
- Incorporates extra bits for error correction
- combine error correction coding with modulation
- number of constellation points is  $2^{m+1}$



- after every  $T$  – Seconds, it accepts  $m$  bits and generates  $m+1$  bits for constellation points

•**Example :**

**Trellis - 32 system:**

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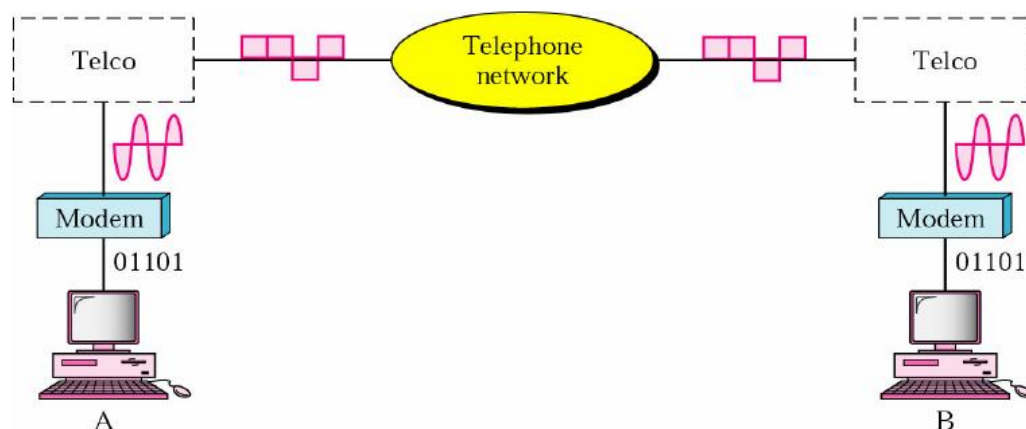


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#### Wired Media

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- Coaxial Cable
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#### Wireless media

Ex : Radio Wave,  
Infrared Light

## Properties

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D= distance

### Wireless Media

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- User to share the available frequency band
- Radio spectrum in finite has limited capacity
- Wireless system can be deployed quickly, reduced cost

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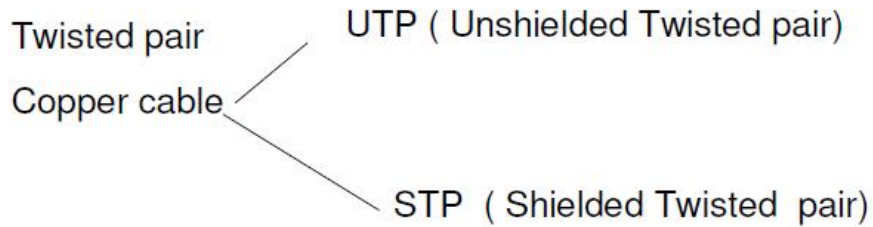
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$Q_c$

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Bit rate gigabits/Sec



### Bit and baud rate comparison

Modulation	Units	Bits/Baud	Baud rate	Bit Rate
ASK, FSK, 2-PSK	Bit	1	N	N
4-PSK, 4-QAM	Dibit	2	N	2N
8-PSK, 8-QAM	Tribit	3	N	3N
16-QAM	Quadbit	4	N	4N
32-QAM	Pentabit	5	N	5N
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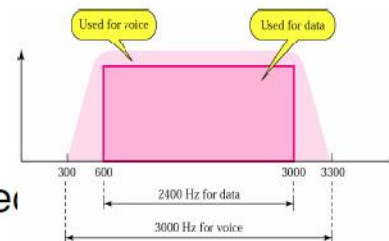
### Signalling constellations & Telephone Modem standards

- Signal Constellation diagrams used in signaling standards
- used over telephone lines
- data communication over telephone channels

$$BW = 2900 - 500 = 2400\text{Hz}$$

$$W = 2400 \text{ Hz}$$

$$\text{Signalling rate } 1/T = W = 2400 \text{ Pulse/Sec}$$



### Trellis Coded Modulation (TCM)

- Modified version of QAM
- Incorporates extra bits for error correction
- combine error correction coding with modulation

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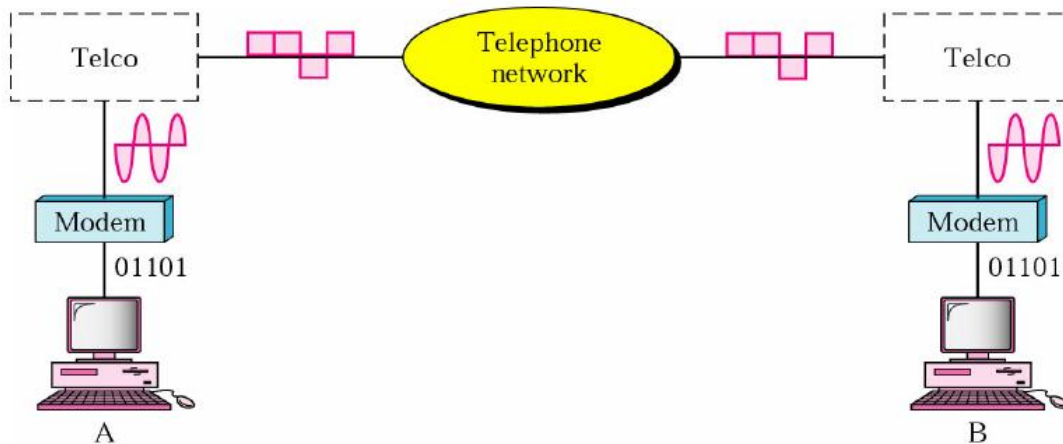
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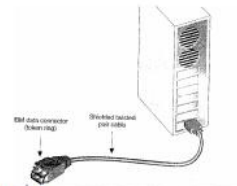
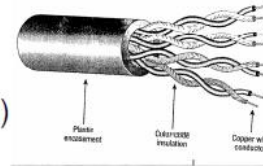
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- Passes wide range of frequencies
- $\alpha = 1$  to 4dB/mile at 1 kHz  
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- used in telephone network

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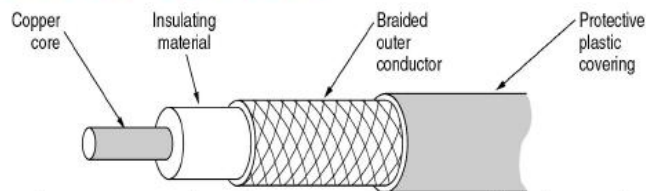
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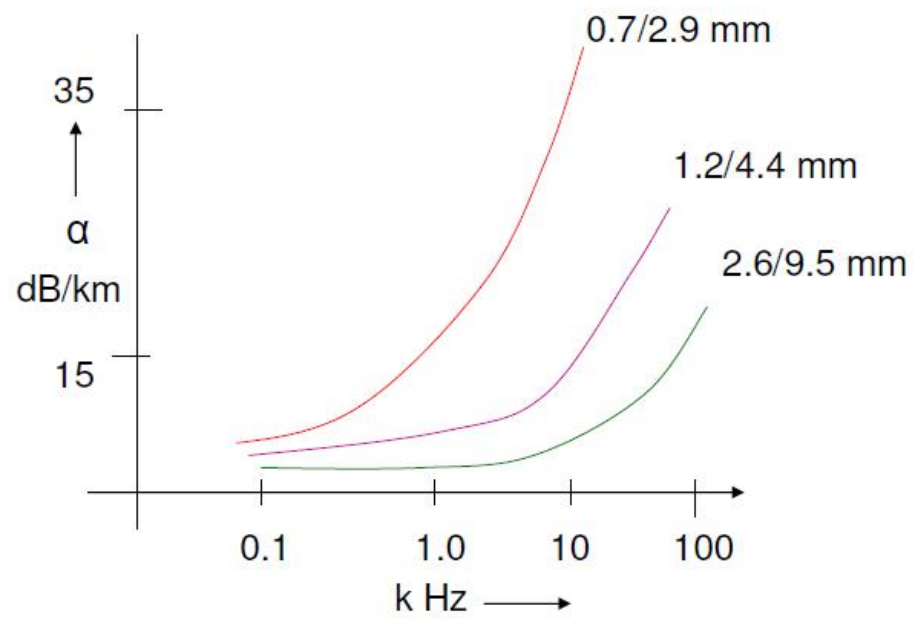
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- Reduces space requirement
- High transmission rate-single optical fiber carry higher rate than copper system
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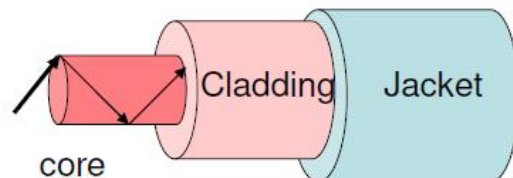
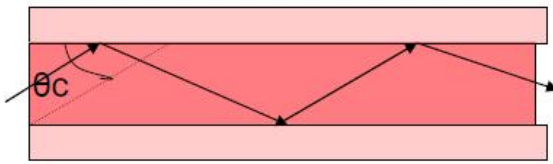


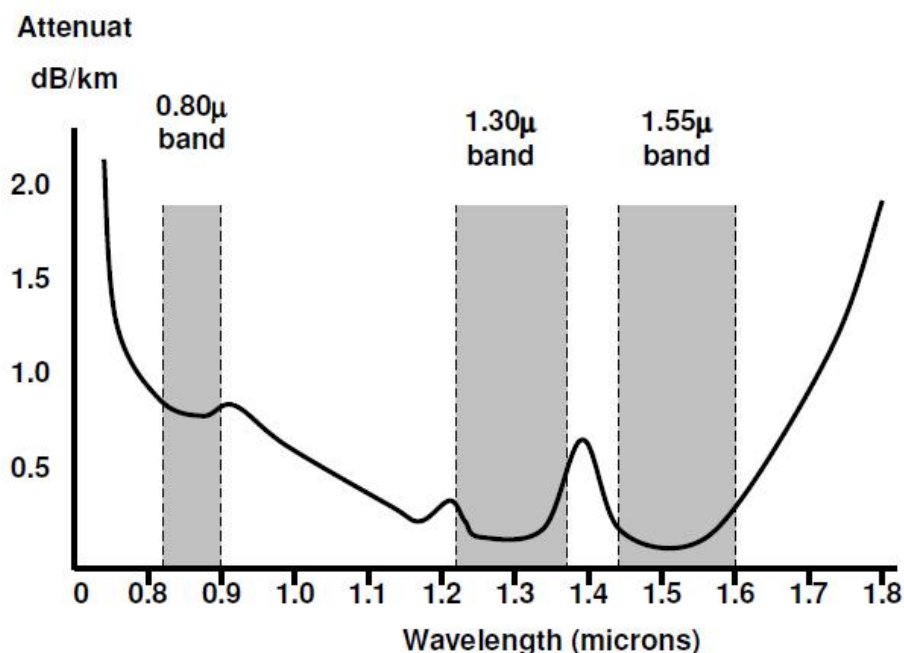
Fig. Geometry of OF cable

- Consist of very fine cylinder of glass-**core**
- Surrounded by a concentric layer of glass-**cladding**
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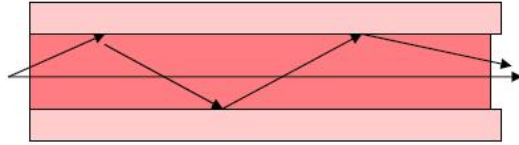


**Fig. Reflection in optical fiber**

- rays are guided within the fiber, as light from the core approaches cladding at an angle  $< \theta_c$
- Attenuation is low if impurities in glass is less
- Attenuation is 0.2dB/km
  - Wave length 850nm, 1300nm, 1550nm
  - earlier using *LEDs* operating at 850nm bit rate of several G bits achieved
  - higher bit rates using *laser* source at 1300nm & 1550nm ( BW of  $10^{12}$  Hz is possible !!!!)

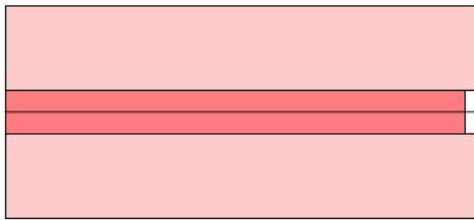


## Types of optical fiber



**Fig. Multimode fiber**

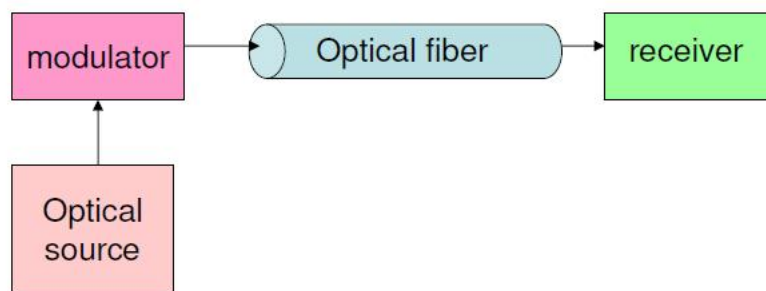
- Input ray of light reach the receiver over multiple paths
- Direct path & reflected paths
- Different in delay causes the rays to interfere each other
- Multiple paths limits the maximum bit rate



**Fig. Single mode**

- Core of the fiber is made narrower
- Restrict propagation as a single direct path
- Achieves higher G bps speed

## Optical Fiber transmission system



- Transmitter is light source modulated according to an electrical input
  - Beam of light made to propagate through fiber
  - Binary sequence is mapped into sequence of ON/OFF light pulses of some wavelength
  - Optical detector converts received optical signal to electrical signal
  - Original information is retrieved form electrical signal
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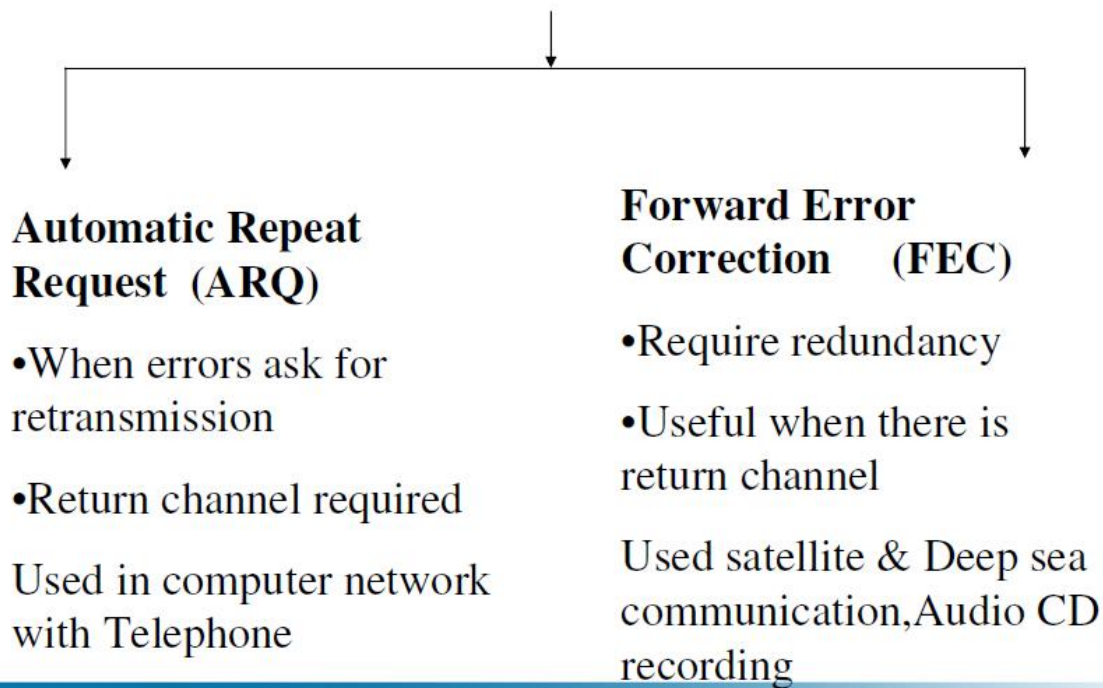
### **Error Correcting Codes**

- Parity check bit Scheme
- Forward Error Correcting Codes
- Block codes
- Convolutional codes
- Detail study of Block codes

### **Error Detection & correction**

- Data corruption due to noise in the channel
- For reliable transmission error to be detected and corrected
- Uses encoding & Decoding
- Tolerable BER  $10^{-6}$  for copper wire line  
 $10^{-9}$  for optical fiber system  
 $10^{-3}$  for wireless system

## **Error control Approaches**



# Error Detection method

- Parity Check codes
- Internet Checksum
- Polynomial codes
- Linear codes

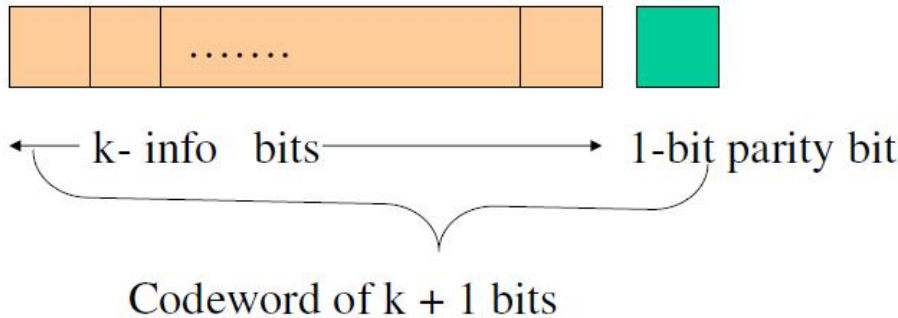


**Fig. General error-detection system**



# Parity Check codes

- normally used is even parity



0 0 0	0
0 0 1	1
0 1 0	1
0 1 1	0
1 0 1	0
1 1 0	0
1 1 1	0

ASCII uses 7 bit info & 1 bit parity

## Parity Check code-cont'd

- It is a linear code
- Calculated as modulo-2 sum of info bits

- What is Modulo-2 = EX-OR

$$0 + 0 = 0$$

$$0 + 1 = 1$$

$$1 + 0 = 1$$

$$1 + 1 = 0$$

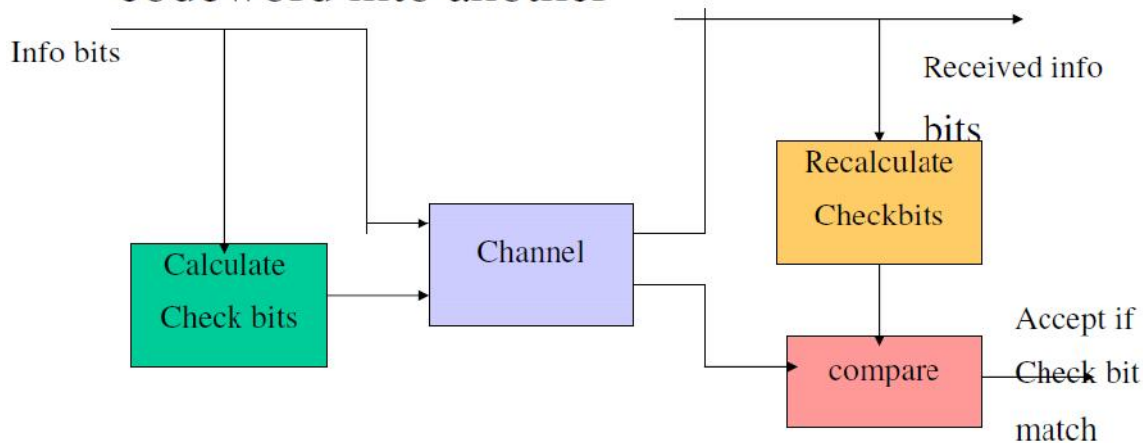
$$b_{k+1} = b_1 + b_2 + \dots + b_k \mod 2$$

- requires redundancy- adding extra bit/bits

- Detect half of all possible errors, burst errors(only if total number of errors in each data units is odd)

## Objective of error detection code

- Likelihood of channel converting one valid codeword into another



## Parity Check code-cont'd

- Failure to detect errors- valid code word detected may be in errors

### Random bit error model

- For random bit occurrence

$p$  = probability of an error in a single bit

- if  $j$  error occurs with probability  $p$ , each of  $(n - j)$  correct transmission occurs with prob  $(1 - p)$
- Prob of an error vector that has  $j$  errors

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= p^j (1 - p)^{n-j} = (1 - p)^n (p / (1 - p))^j \\
 &= \binom{n}{j} (1 - p)^n (p / (1 - p))^j
 \end{aligned}$$



## 2D Parity checks

- Better approach
- Block of bits is arranged as a matrix
- Calculate parity bit for each rows & each column
- Create a new row & new column

1100111	1011101	0111001	0101001
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1100111		1
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1011101		1
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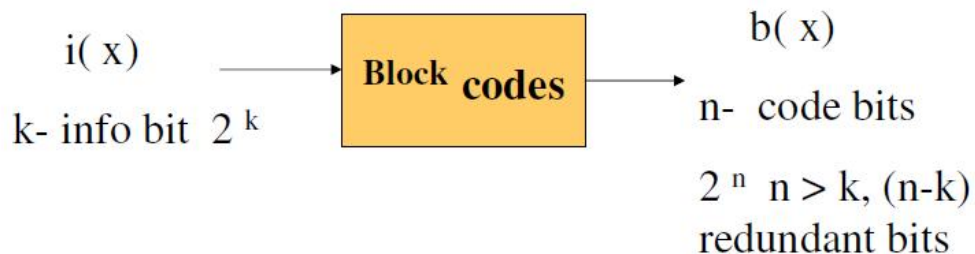
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## Polynomial Codes

- Used in error detection & correction
- Easily implemented in hardware- shift registers
- block codes
- Under this- Cyclic Redundancy code
  - Linear codes



# Cyclic Redundancy Codes(CRC)



- Cyclic shift of codeword produces another codeword
  - Called  $(n, k)$  codes
  - Info bits sequence is expressed as polynomials  
ex.,  $[1\ 0\ 1\ 1]$  then
$$i(x) = x^3 + x + 1$$
- In general  $i(x) = i_{k-1}x^{k-1} + i_{k-2}x^{k-2} + \dots + i_1x + i_0$
- uses mod-2 operation

## CRC – Cont'd

- CRC Method
  - ‘Shifting the info bits left & dividing by predetermined binary number using mod-2 arithmetic’
- Division results in a binary remainder  
 $\Rightarrow$  CRC code
- CRC code is appended to info bits  $\Rightarrow$  encoded info bits
- Predetermined binary number  $\Rightarrow$  Generator polynomial

$$g(x) = x^{n-k} + g_{n-k-1}x^{n-k-1} + \dots + g_1x + 1$$

# Computing the CRC code



- Multiply info polynomial by  $x^{n-k}$   
this is equivalent to shifting the message bits by  $x^{n-k}$  bits
- Divide  $x^{n-k} i(x)$  by  $g(x)$  to obtain the remainder  $r(x)$
- $x^{n-k} i(x) / g(x) = q(x) + r(x)$
- $r(x)$  gives the CRC
- Encoded word  $b(x) = x^{n-k} i(x) + r(x)$  ( use mod-2 operation)

- Single error in  $i^{\text{th}}$  bit in R would lead to a syndrome vector that is identical to  $i^{\text{th}}$  row of  $H^T$  and correcting  $i^{\text{th}}$  receiving bit yield correct received codeword
- How many error possible to detect & correct in linear code ?
- Define distance between codewords

$$C_1 = 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0$$

$$C_2 = 0 \ \underline{1} \ 1 \ 0 \ \underline{1} \ \underline{1} \quad d = 3$$

- minimum distance of the  $(n, k)$  code =  $d_{\min}$
- Linear code can correct upto  $t = [(d_{\min} - 1)/2]$
- Can detect up to  $(d_{\min} - 1)$  errors

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### Contents

- Digital representation of information

### Properties of Media

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- Characterization of communication channels
- Line coding

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### Contents cont'd

### Modems and digital modulation

- Error Detection & Correction



## Digital Representation of Information

- Transport of Information over Network

- Types of Information-

- text

- speech

- audio

- data

- images,

- video

## Basic Terminology

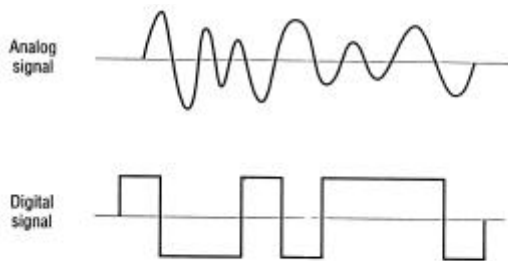
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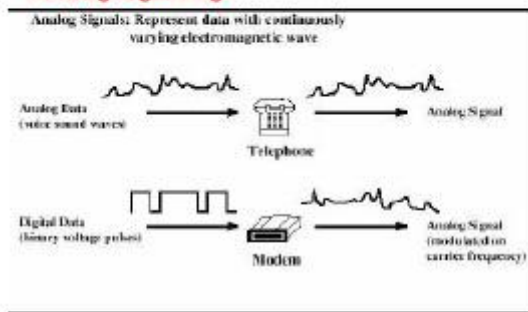
e.g. audio (human speech)

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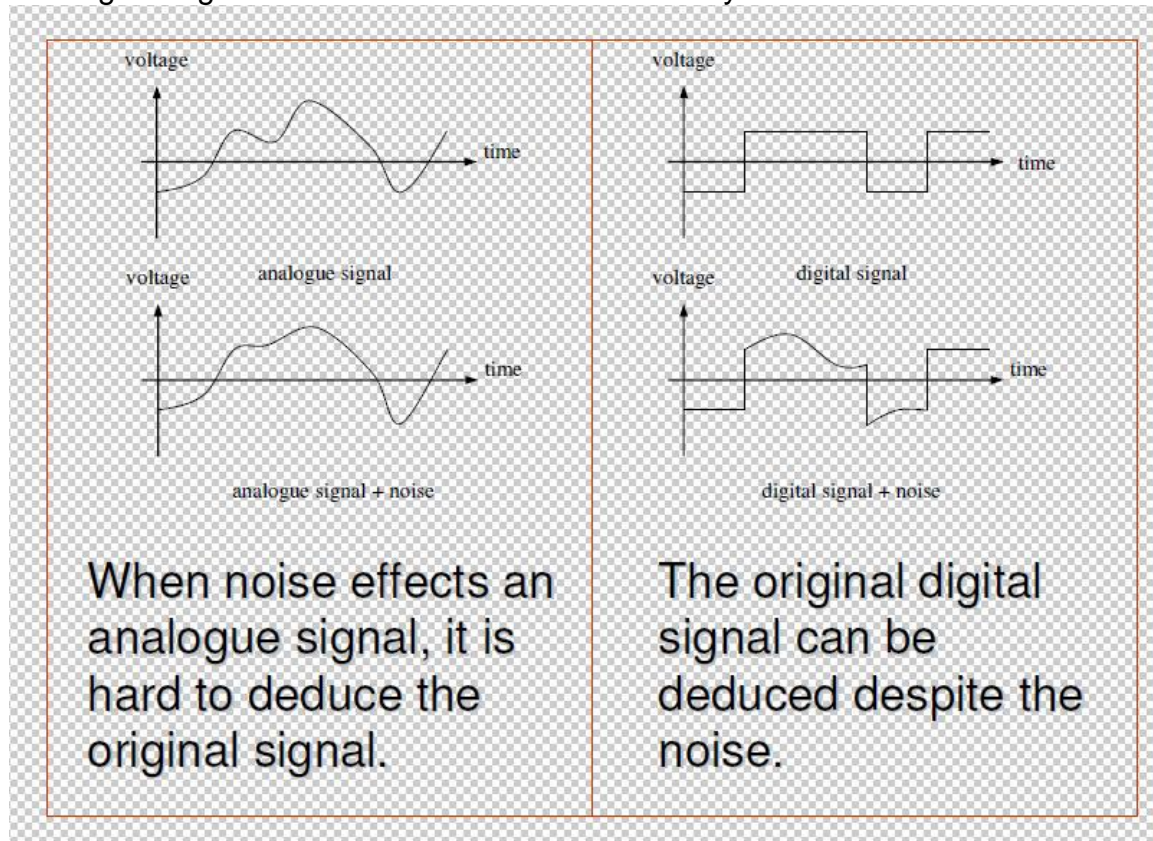


### Analog signaling



## Analog versus Digital

In digital communication, it is often possible to reconstruct the original signal even after it has been effected by noise

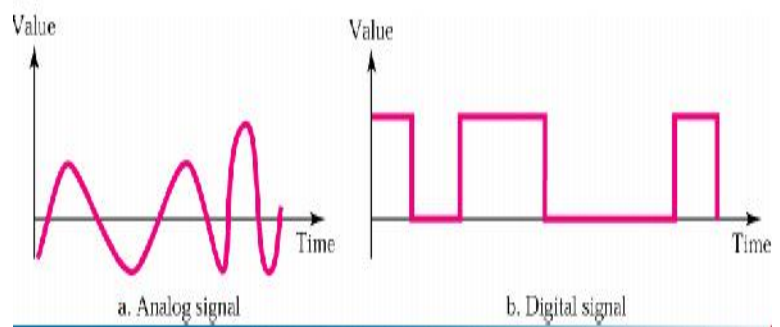


## Analog transmission

- analog waveform transmission
- Time & amplitude to be exactly reproduced
- Cost of transmission line is high as distance increases  
-eg-pair of copper wire
- Attenuation/distortion is more
- Requires repeaters

## Digital transmission

- Symbols are transmitted
- Receiver to find symbols with probability
- Cost of transmission line is less-  
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- Attenuation/distortion tolerable
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## Digital Representation of Information cont'd

- Digital transmission system

- Physical layer

- \_ Lowest Layer of OSI Model

- \_ Physical Layer on the Local Node

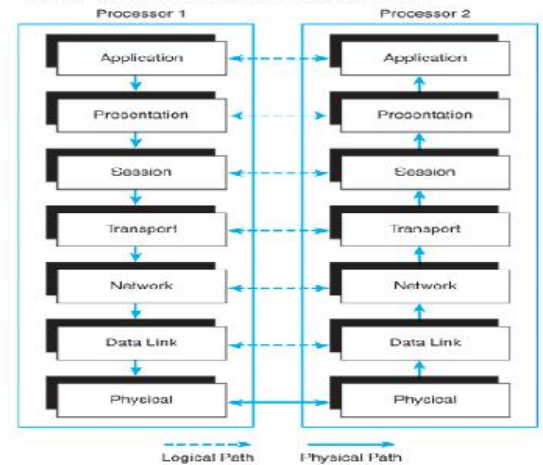
- Process Raw Data Stream

- \_ Translate Frames received from Data Link Layer into Electrical, Optical or EM Waves representing 0 or 1

- \_ Local Physical Layer Transmits Bits

- sequence through network medium
  - \_ provides pipes to carry information flow across network

Figure 1-8 OSI Peer Layer Communication





## Terminologies

- Serial Transmission
- Parallel transmission
- Simplex modes of transmission
- Duplex modes of operations
- Half duplex modes of operations

Terminology cont'd

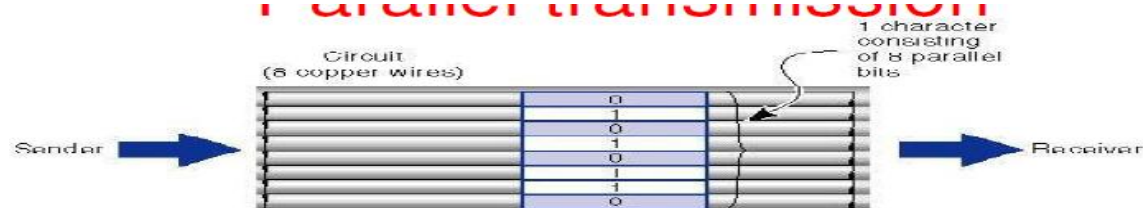
- Synchronous Transmission
- Asynchronous Transmission
- Spectrum of signal

## Serial Transmission



- Data Transmission Method
- Bit Representing a *Character* of Data Transmitted in sequence
- One Bit at a time over a single communication channel
- Speed is limited to speed of the line
- One channel transmits one bit at a time
- Its simple
- Difficult to identify beginning and end of character
- Examples
- Terminal to System communication
- Phone line to data transfer
- High speed fiber optic lines

## Parallel transmission



- Simultaneous Transmission
- Each bit on separate channel
- All the bit representing a character
- Transmits group of bits at one time
- No. of bits varies from device to device
- Transmission is quick
- Requires complex communication link (Multi wire copper cable)
- Longer Cable more degradation
- Limited in length (few meters)
- Examples

- Connecting peripheral devices

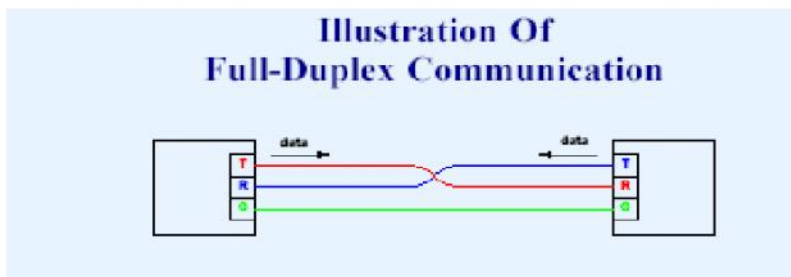
Simplex modes of transmission



- Simple method of communication
- Data flows in only one direction
- One device is sender and other receiver
- Roles may be reversed
- Example  
TV Transmission (Broadcast)

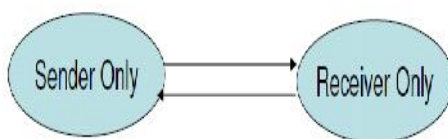
Full duplex modes of transmission

- Desirable in practice
- Requires each side to have their own transmitter and Receiver
- Transmitter on side is connected to receiver on other
- Separate wires needed to carry current in each direction
- Common ground wire
- Link allows simultaneous sending and receiving data on both direction
- DB-9, DB-15 or DB-25 connector



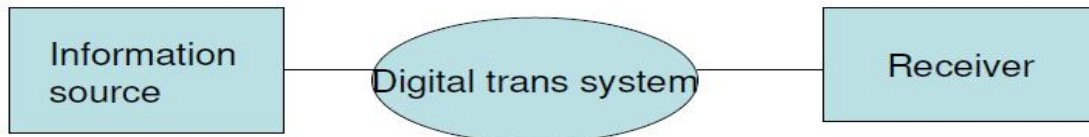
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- Data may flow either direction
- But only one device can send at any time
- Example  
Walkie Talkie
- Information categories
  - Block Information-data files-pictures containing text, numerals, graphics
  - Stream Information-voice-music-video steady information stream produced
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### Basic Transmission System



### Certain Definitions

- Baud rate
- Bit rate
- Bandwidth
- Delay
- jitter

### Baud Rate

- Baud is a unit of signaling speed or transmission speed
  - It is a number discrete changes in a single period of a signal
- Example:  
Communication channel transmitted at 300 Baud  
-Means signaling rate of the channel is changing 300



Jean Maurice Emile  
Baudot (1845-1903)

times per second

- Thus not correspond to number of bits transmitted per second
- Baud rate is different from data rate – no confusion !

### Bit Rate

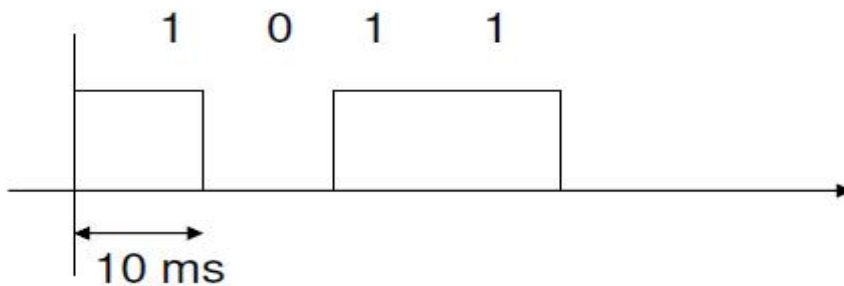
- Bit Interval-Time required to send one single bit
- Bit rate is the number of bit intervals / second
- It is number of bits sent in one second (bps)

Example 1: Bit rate 2000bps

Duration of each bit =  $1/\text{bit rate} = 1/2000 = 500\mu\text{s}$

***Bit rate is the number of bits per second. Baud rate is the number of signal units per second. Baud rate is less than or equal to the bit rate.***

Bit rate =  $1/10\text{ms} = 0.1 \text{ kbps}$



### Bit rate and Baud Rate Calculations

An analog signal carries 4 bits in each signal unit. If 1000 signal units are sent per second, find the baud rate and the bit rate

Baud rate = 1000 bauds per second (baud/Baud rate = 1000 bauds per second (baud/s))

Bit rate =  $1000 \times 4 = 4000$  bps

### Bandwidth

In Analog Communication

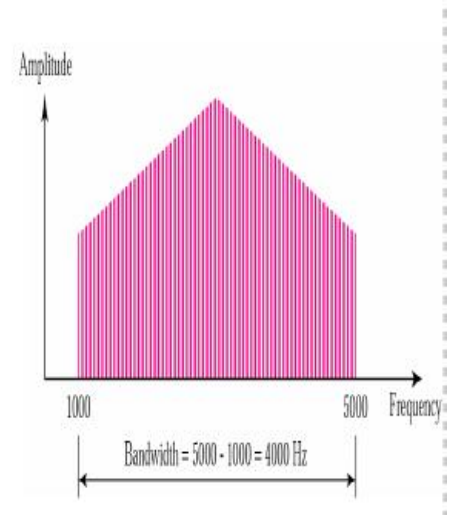
- Total capacity of communication Channel
- Range frequencies medium pass without losing one half of the power contained in signal
- Difference between highest and lowest frequencies that medium can satisfactorily pass
- Greater bandwidth most signal can be carried over given frequency range

Example:

Voice grade lines frequencies 300 Hz to 3300 Hz

BW =  $3300 - 300 = 3000$  Hz

But ITU regulation voice bandwidth 4kHz



Bandwidth- cont's

In Digital Communication

- Bandwidth refers to data rate
- Amount of data that can be transferred over communication media in a given period
- Measures in bps

Example:

LAN <100 Mbps

Dialup communication Model 300bps to 33.6Kbps or 56Kbps

WAN 1.5 Mbps to 45 Mbps

Music signals vary rapidly

Audio Compact Disk (CD) system BW 22 KHz

### Delay

**Delay =  $t_{\text{prop}} + L/R$**

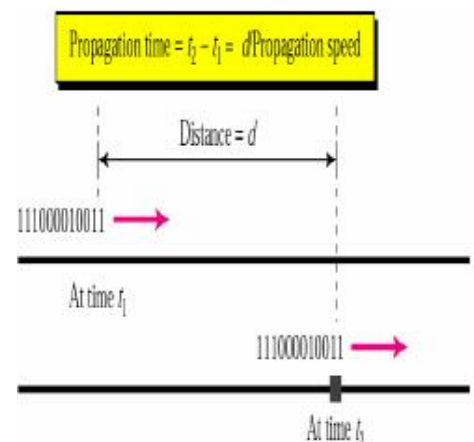
**$t_{\text{prop}} = d/c$**

**$d$ =distance  $c$ =velocity of light**

• Time to transfer a file can be reduced by increasing transmission bit rate

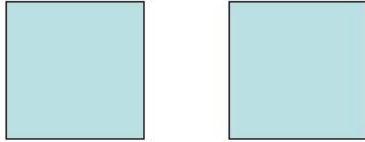
• Delay and bit rate trade off

Example :



Communication between peoples maximum delay  
250msec

Blocks(L bits)



R bps



Why Digital Communication ?

- What is Transmission system?
- What is Transmission ?
- Transmission media
  - Copper wire pairs
  - Coaxial cable
  - Optical fibers
  - Infrared
  - radio

### Why Digital ?

- Ease with which digital signals are generated compared to analog.
- Digital signals are subject to less distortion and interference than are analog signals.
- Easier to detect and correct errors in digital data
- Digital circuits are :  
more reliable  
more flexible  
cheaper

### Digital Transmission Objective

- To transmit a given symbol selected from a finite set of possibilities
- Eg., Binary digital Tx- 0 & 1 transmission



**Communication transmission system**

### Basic Properties of Digital Systems

- How binary information transmitted
- Factors affecting transmission
- Maximum rate of transmission
- Signal-to-Noise Ration (SNR)

### Characterization of Communication Channels

- Frequency Domain characterization
- Time Domain characterization
- Limitation of Digital transmission