

MATHEMATICAL QUESTIONS

Question 1

A vestigial-sideband modulation system is shown in Fig. 1. The bandwidth of the message signal $m(t)$ is W , and the transfer function of the bandpass filter is shown in the figure.

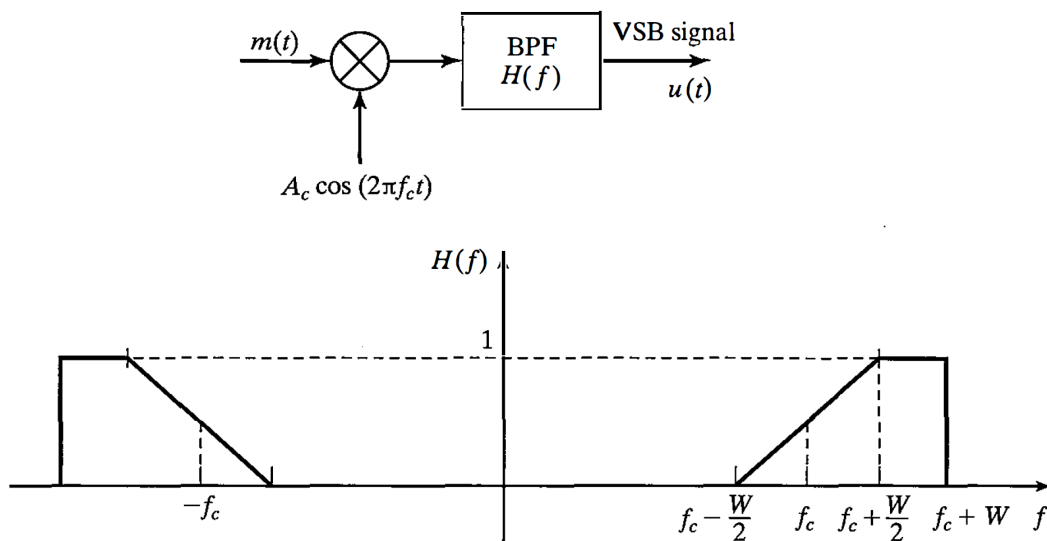


Figure 1: A VSB modulation system.

(a) Determine $h_l(t)$, which is the lowpass equivalent of $h(t)$, where $h(t)$ represents the impulse response of the bandpass filter.

(b) Derive an expression for the modulated signal $u(t)$.

Question 2

Follow the steps below to show the power of the FM signal $u(t) = A_c \cos(2\pi f_c t + \phi(t))$ is $\frac{A_c^2}{2}$.

(a) Write the power expression for the FM signal and show that the power equals $P = \frac{A_c^2}{2} + I$, where

$$I = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{A_c^2}{2T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} \cos(4\pi f_c t + 2\phi(t)) dt$$

(b) Show that

$$I_{\infty} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cos(4\pi f_c t + 2\phi(t)) dt$$

relates to the Fourier transforms $\mathcal{F}\{e^{j2\phi(t)}\}$ and $\mathcal{F}\{e^{-j2\phi(t)}\}$ at the frequencies $-2f_c$ and $2f_c$ respectively.

(c) Use Taylor series expansion to show that I_{∞} depends to the Fourier transforms $\mathcal{F}\{\phi^n(t)\}$, $n \in \mathbb{W}$ at the frequency $\pm 2f_c$.

(d) Show that if $f_c \gg W$, where W is the bandwidth of the message-related phase $\phi(t)$, $I_{\infty} \approx 0$.

(e) Show that the power is approximately equal to $\frac{A_c^2}{2}$.

Question 3

Find the spectrum of the narrowband FM signal

$$u(t) = A_c \cos(2\pi f_c t - A_c [2\pi k_f \int_{-\infty}^t m(\tau) d\tau]) \sin(2\pi f_c t)$$

in terms of the message spectrum $M(f)$.

Question 4

The signal $m(t)$, whose Fourier transform $M(f)$ is shown in Fig. 2, is to be communicated. We know that the signal is normalized, meaning that $-1 \leq m(t) \leq 1$.

(a) If USSB is employed, what is the bandwidth of the modulated signal?

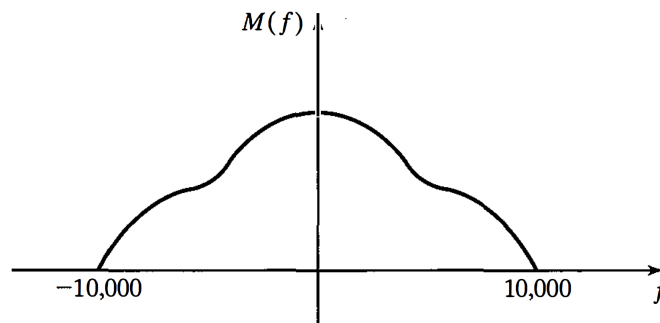


Figure 2: A sample message signal.

(b) If DSB is employed, what is the bandwidth of the modulated signal?

(c) If an AM scheme with the index $a = 0.8$ is used, what is the bandwidth of the modulated signal?

(d) If an FM scheme with the deviation $k_f = 50000$ is used, what is the bandwidth of the modulated signal?

Question 5

Determine the in-phase and quadrature components, $x_c(t)$ and $x_s(t)$, as well as the envelope and the phase, $V(t)$ and $\Theta(t)$ of an FM-modulated signal.

SOFTWARE QUESTIONS

Question 6

Develop a MATLAB mfile that returns the required number of harmonics M_c that includes $x\%$ of the total power content of a sinusoidally-modulated FM signal with the modulation index β . Use the mfile to obtain the number of required harmonics M_c for $x = 98$ and $\beta = 0.5, 1, 2, \dots, 10$.

BONUS QUESTIONS

Question 7

Return your answers by filling the \LaTeX template of the assignment.

EXTRA QUESTIONS

Question 8

Feel free to solve the following questions from the book *Fundamentals of Communication Systems* by J. Proakis and M. Salehi.

1. Chapter 3, question 7.
2. Chapter 3, question 14.
3. Chapter 3, question 18.
4. Chapter 4, question 5.
5. Chapter 4, question 8.
6. Chapter 6, question 5.