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Chapter 4 Frequency-Shift Keying Modulation

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Introduction

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Orthogonal Signaling

- Orthogonal signals are defined as a set of equal energy signals $s_m(t)$, $1 \leq m \leq M$, such that

$$\langle s_m(t), s_n(t) \rangle = 0, \quad m \neq n, 1 \leq m, n \leq M$$

- The signals are **linearly independent** and hence the number of **orthonormal basis functions** is $N = M$

$$\phi_j(t) = s_j(t) / \sqrt{E}, 1 \leq j \leq N$$

– where E is the symbol energy

- The signal vectors can be represented as $\mathbf{s}_1 = [\sqrt{E}, 0, 0, \dots, 0]$
 $\mathbf{s}_2 = [0, \sqrt{E}, 0, \dots, 0]$
 \vdots
 $\mathbf{s}_M = [0, 0, 0, \dots, \sqrt{E}]$

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Orthogonal Signaling (Cont.)

- The distance between two signal vectors $s_m(t)$ and $s_n(t)$ is

$$d_{mn} = \sqrt{2E}, \quad m \neq n, 1 \leq m, n \leq M$$

- All signal points are **equally spaced**
- The distance is the **minimum distance** d_{\min}

- Because each symbol contains $\log_2 M$ bits

$$E_b = E / \log_2 M$$

- Hence,

$$d_{\min} = \sqrt{2E_b \log_2 M}$$

**Proportional to
the number of bits
in a symbol**

- The **increase** in M improves the **power efficiency**
 - However, a high-dimension signal space is required for signal representation \Rightarrow Degrades the **bandwidth efficiency**
- For M -PSK: $d_{\min} = 2\sqrt{E_b \log_2 M} \sin(\pi/M)$

Frequency-Shift Keying (FSK)

- Frequency-Shift Keying (FSK)** is a special case of the construction of orthogonal signals
- Consider the construction of **orthogonal signal waveforms** that differ in **frequency**

$$s_m(t) = \operatorname{Re} \left[\tilde{s}_m(t) e^{j2\pi f_c t} \right] = \sqrt{\frac{2E}{T}} \cos(2\pi(f_c + m\Delta f)t), \quad 0 \leq t \leq T$$

$$\tilde{s}_m(t) = \sqrt{\frac{2E}{T}} e^{j2\pi m\Delta f t}, \quad 0 \leq t \leq T$$

- The messages are transmitted by a set of signals that only differ in **frequency**

Linear and Nonlinear Modulation

- In **QAM** signaling (**ASK** and **PSK** can be considered as special cases), the **lowpass equivalent** of the signal is of the form $A_m g(t)$ where A_m is a complex number
 - The **sum** of two lowpass equivalent signals is the general form of the lowpass equivalent of a QAM signal
 - The sum of two QAM signals is **another QAM signal**
 - Hence, ASK, PSK, and QAM are sometimes called **linear modulation schemes**
- On the other hand, **FSK** signaling does not satisfy this property
 - Therefore it belongs to the class of **nonlinear modulation schemes**

Continuous-Phase Frequency-Shift Keying (CPFSK) Modulation

Continuous-Phase Binary FSK

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Continuous-Phase (CP) Binary FSK

- In **binary FSK**, symbols 1 and 0 are distinguished from each other by transmitting one of two sinusoidal waves that **differ in frequency by a fixed amount**
$$s_i(t) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(2\pi f_i t), & 0 \leq t < T_b \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}, i = 1, 2$$
 - where E_b is the signal **energy per bit** and $f_i = (n_c + i)/T_b$ is the **transmitted frequency** for some fixed integer n_c
 - Symbol 1 is represented by $s_1(t)$ and symbol 0 by $s_2(t)$
- The FSK signal described here is a **continuous-phase** signal
 - The phase continuity is always maintained, including the **inter-bit switching times**
 - Specifically, if $f_i = (n_c + i)/T_b \Rightarrow$ zero-phase at $t = 0$ and $t = T_b$
 - It is **not** essential that all symbols have the same initial phase

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Continuous-Phase Binary FSK (Cont.)

- Since $s_1(t)$ and $s_2(t)$ are orthogonal, we have the set of orthonormal basis functions described by

$$\phi_i(t) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{2/T_b} \cos(2\pi f_i t), & 0 \leq t < T_b, i = 1, 2 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

- Correspondingly, the coefficient s_{ij} for $i = 1, 2$ and $j = 1, 2$ is defined by

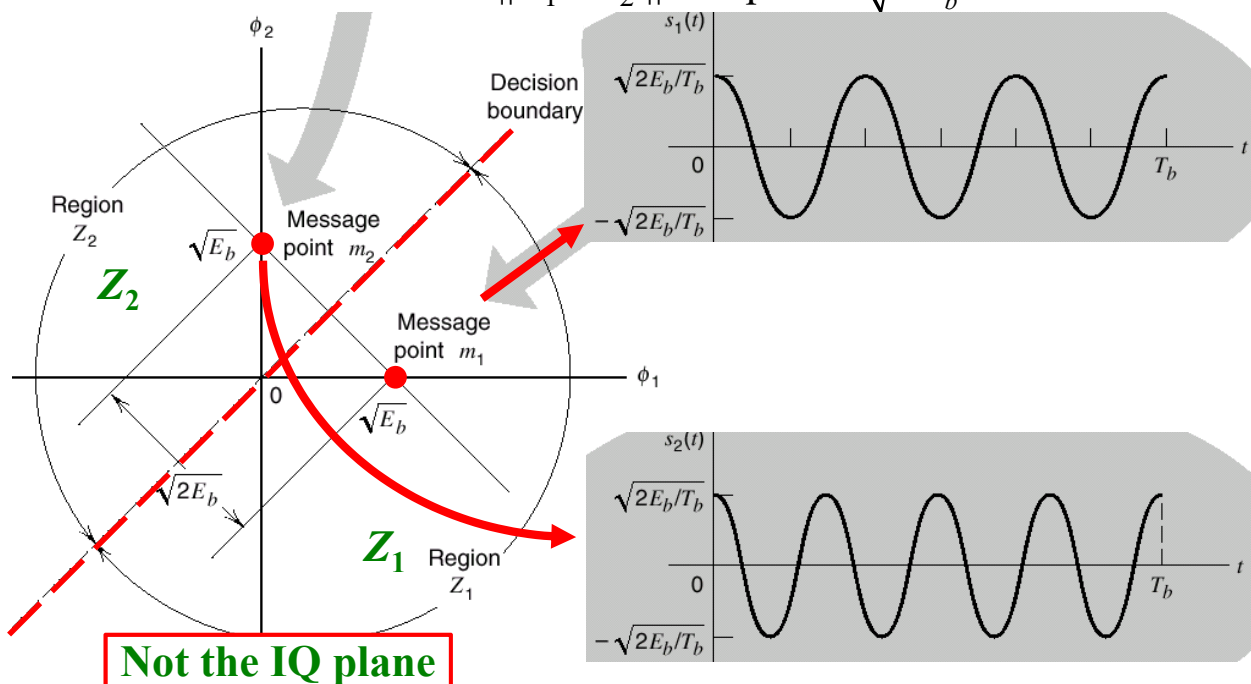
$$s_{ij} = \int_0^{T_b} s_i(t) \phi_j(t) dt = \begin{cases} \sqrt{E_b}, & i = j, i, j = 1, 2 \\ 0, & i \neq j \end{cases}$$

- The two message points are defined by the signal vectors

$$\mathbf{s}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{E_b} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; \quad \mathbf{s}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \sqrt{E_b} \end{bmatrix}$$

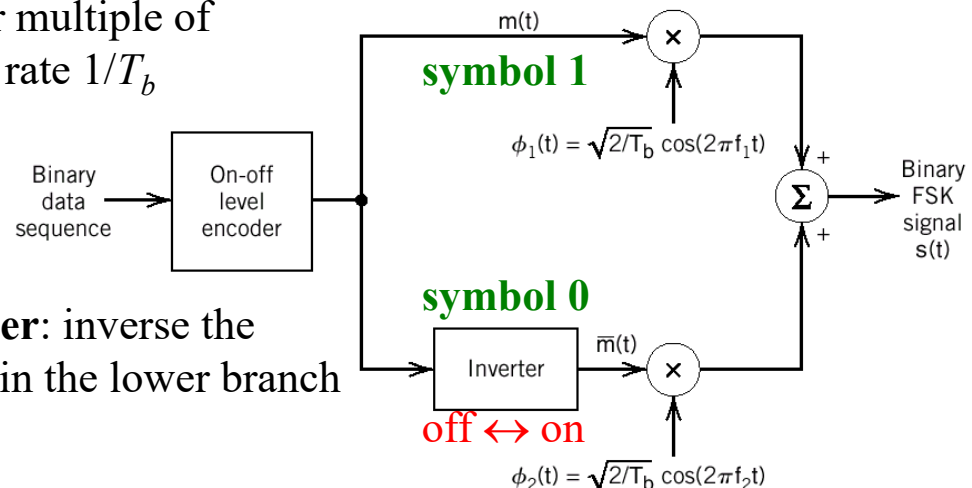
Continuous-Phase Binary FSK (Cont.)

- The Euclidean distance $\|\mathbf{s}_1 - \mathbf{s}_2\|$ is equal to $\sqrt{2E_b}$



Generation of CP Binary FSK Signals

- A binary FSK signal generator consists of three components:
 - On-off level encoder:** the output of which is a constant amplitude of $\sqrt{E_b}$ for **symbol 1** and zero for **symbol 0**
 - Pair of oscillators:** whose frequencies f_1 and f_2 differ by an integer multiple of the bit rate $1/T_b$

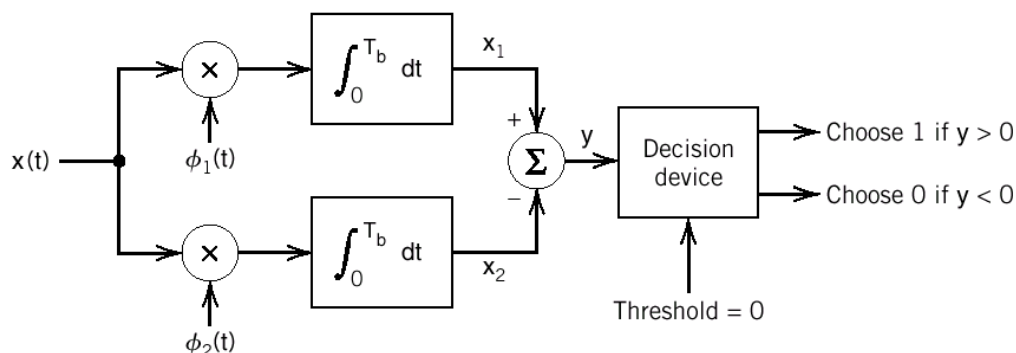


Generation of CP BFSK Signals (Cont.)

- To meet the **phase continuity** requirement
 - The two oscillators are **synchronized** with each other
- Alternatively, we may use a **voltage-controlled oscillator (VCO)**, in which case phase continuity is automatically satisfied
 - Only **one** oscillator
 - With the output frequency controlled by the input signal

Detection of CP Binary FSK Signals

- A **coherent** detector consists of two **correlators** with a common input: the noisy received signal $x(t)$
 - The local coherent reference signals: $\phi_1(t)$ and $\phi_2(t)$
- The correlator outputs are then **subtracted**, one from the other
- The resulting difference is then compared with a threshold: **zero**
 - If $y > 0$: symbol 1; if $y < 0$: symbol 0; if $y = 0$: random guess



Error Probability of CP Binary FSK

- The observation vector \mathbf{x} has two elements x_1 and x_2 that are defined by
$$x_i = \int_0^{T_b} x(t) \phi_i(t) dt, \quad i = 1, 2$$
 - where $x(t)$ is the received signal, whose form depends on which symbol was transmitted
- Given that symbol i was transmitted, $x(t) = s_i(t) + w(t)$
 - where $w(t)$ is the sample function of a **white Gaussian noise process** of zero mean and power spectral density $N_0/2$
 - If $i = 1$, $\mathbb{E}[x_1] = \sqrt{E_b}$ and $\mathbb{E}[x_2] = 0$
 - If $i = 2$, $\mathbb{E}[x_1] = 0$ and $\mathbb{E}[x_2] = \sqrt{E_b}$
- We define a new Gaussian random variable Y with $y = x_1 - x_2$
 - $\mathbb{E}[y | 1] = +\sqrt{E_b}$ and $\mathbb{E}[y | 0] = -\sqrt{E_b}$
 - $\text{Var}[Y] = \text{Var}[X_1] + \text{Var}[X_2] = N_0$

Error Probability of CP BFSK (Cont.)

- Suppose that symbol i was sent. The conditional probability density function of the random variable Y is given by

$$f_Y(y|1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi N_0}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2N_0} (y - \sqrt{E_b})^2 \right]$$

$$f_Y(y|0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi N_0}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2N_0} (y + \sqrt{E_b})^2 \right]$$

- The conditional probability of error given that symbol i was sent is

$$p_{10} = p_{01} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erfc} \left(\sqrt{E_b/2N_0} \right)$$

- Finally, the BER for binary FSK using **coherent** detection is

$$P_e = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erfc} \left(\sqrt{E_b/2N_0} \right) \quad \text{BPSK: } P_e = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erfc} \left(\sqrt{E_b/N_0} \right)$$

Power Spectra of Binary FSK Signals

- Consider the case that the two transmitted frequencies f_1 and f_2 differ by an amount **equal to the bit rate $1/T_b$**

– The arithmetic mean of f_1 and f_2 : the carrier frequency f_c

– $f_1 = f_c + 1/2T_b$ and $f_2 = f_c - 1/2T_b$

$$f_c = (f_1 + f_2)/2$$

- The signal can be express as a frequency-modulated (FM) signal

Frequency: $f_c \pm 1/2T_b$

$$s(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(2\pi f_c t \pm \pi t/T_b), \quad 0 \leq t < T_b$$

$$= \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \left[\cos(\pi t/T_b) \cos(2\pi f_c t) \mp \sin(\pi t/T_b) \sin(2\pi f_c t) \right]$$

In-phase

Quadrature

– “–”: symbol 1; “+”: symbol 0

Independent to data

Power Spectra of Binary FSK Signals (Cont.)

$$s(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} [\cos(\pi t/T_b) \cos(2\pi f_c t) \mp \sin(\pi t/T_b) \sin(2\pi f_c t)]$$

- The **in-phase component**: completely independent of the input binary wave
 - The baseband PSD consists of **two delta functions** weighted by the factor $E_b/2T_b$ and occurring at $f = \pm 1/2T_b$
- The **quadrature component**: directly related to the input binary sequence
 - $-g(t)$ for symbol 1 and $+g(t)$ for symbol 0

$$g(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \sin(\pi t/T_b), \quad 0 \leq t < T_b$$

- The baseband PSD of $g(t)$ is

$$S_g(f) = \frac{8E_b \cos^2(\pi T_b f)}{\pi^2 (4T_b^2 f^2 - 1)^2}$$

**A smoother shape
⇒ Quicker falling**

Power Spectra of Binary FSK Signals (Cont.)

- Because the in-phase and quadrature components are **independent** of each other, the overall **baseband PSD** is

$$S_B(f) = \frac{E_b}{2T_b} \left[\delta\left(f - \frac{1}{2T_b}\right) + \delta\left(f + \frac{1}{2T_b}\right) \right] + \frac{8E_b \cos^2(\pi T_b f)}{\pi^2 (4T_b^2 f^2 - 1)^2}$$

- The **passband** PSD becomes **$f = R_b/2$**

$$S_P(f) = \frac{1}{4} [S_B(f - f_c) + S_B(f + f_c)]$$

- The PSD contains two **discrete frequency components** located at f_1 and f_2 , with the sum power up to **1/2** the total signal power
 - The discrete frequency components provide a practical basis for **synchronizing** the receiver with the transmitter
 - The power is independent to data ⇒ **low power efficiency**

Power Spectra of Binary FSK Signals (Cont.)

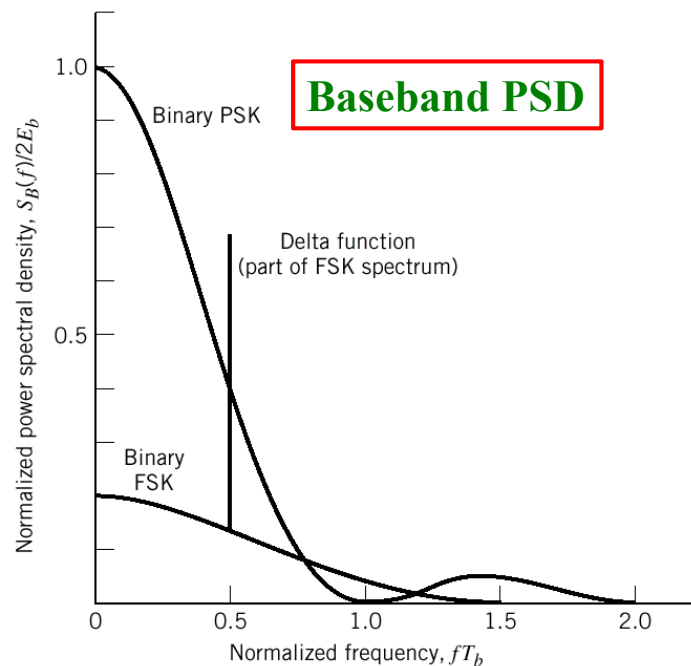
- The baseband power spectral density of a binary FSK signal with **continuous phase**

- Ultimately **falls off** as the **inverse fourth power** of frequency f^{-4}

$$S_g(f) = \frac{8E_b \cos^2(\pi T_b f)}{\pi^2 (4T_b^2 f^2 - 1)^2}$$

$$S_B(f) = \frac{2E_b \sin^2(\pi T_b f)}{(\pi T_b f)^2}$$

BPSK
 $= 2E_b \text{sinc}^2(T_b f)$



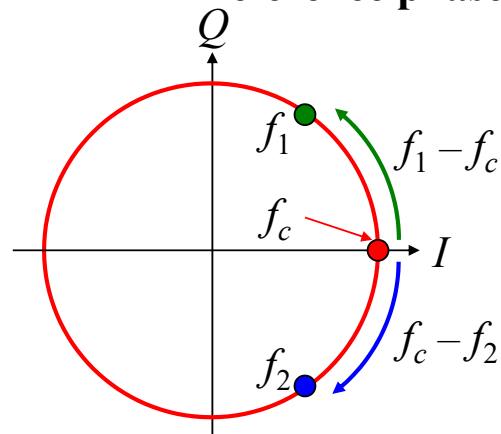
Minimum Shift Keying

Signal Phase of CP FSK

- For M -PSK, the transmitted signal is defined as
$$s_i(t) = \sqrt{2E/T} \cos(2\pi f_c t + \theta_i), \quad 0 \leq t < T; \quad \theta_i = 2(i-1)\pi/M$$
- For CP BFSK, the transmitted signal is defined as
$$s_i(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(2\pi f_i t + \theta(0)), \quad 0 \leq t < T_b$$
 - where $\theta(0)$ denotes the value of the phase **at time $t = 0$**
- Can we describe and analyze the CP BFSK signal from the viewpoint of **signal phase**?
$$s_i(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(2\pi f_c t + \theta_i(t)), \quad 0 \leq t < T_b$$
 - where the $\theta_i(t)$ is a **time-varying** phase
- Unlike M -PSK, the of **signal phase** of the CP BFSK signal is not a constant during a symbol duration

Signal Phase of CP FSK

- What is the **phasor trajectory** of a signal with a frequency **different** from the **carrier frequency**?
 - The phasor of the carrier signal is set as the **reference phase** (zero phase)
 - If the signal frequency $f_1 > f_c$
 - The phasor moves with a **positive** frequency $f_1 - f_c$
 - If the signal frequency $f_2 < f_c$
 - The phasor moves with a **negative** frequency $f_2 - f_c$
- The phase $\theta_i(t)$ of a CPFSK signal **increases** or **decreases linearly with time** during each bit duration of T_b



Continuous-Phase Frequency-Shift Keying

- In the detection of binary FSK signal, the **phase information** contained in the received signal is **not fully exploited**
- By using the **continuous-phase property** in detection, it is possible to improve the noise performance at the receiver
 - This improvement is achieved at the expense of **increased system complexity**
- Consider a continuous-phase frequency-shift keying (**CPFSK**) signal

$$s(t) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(2\pi f_1 t + \theta(0)), & \text{symbol 1} \\ \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(2\pi f_2 t + \theta(0)), & \text{symbol 0} \end{cases}$$

- where $\theta(0)$ denotes the value of the phase **at time $t = 0$**

CPFSK (Cont.)

- Another way of representing the CPFSK signal $s(t)$ is to express it as a conventional **angle-modulated signal**

$$s(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos[2\pi f_c t + \theta(t)]$$

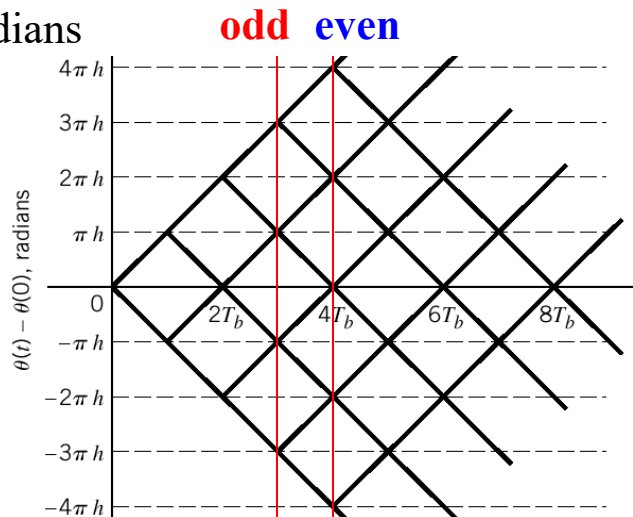
- where $\theta(t)$ is the phase of $s(t)$ at time t
- The phase $\theta(t)$ of a CPFSK signal **increases or decreases linearly with time** during each bit duration of T_b
- That is, $\theta(t) = \theta(0) \pm (\pi h/T_b)t$, $0 \leq t < T_b$
 - where “+”: symbol 1; “-”: symbol 0; and h : a dimensionless parameter referred to as the **deviation ratio**
- Because $2\pi f_c t + (\pi h/T_b)t = 2\pi f_1 t$; $2\pi f_c t - (\pi h/T_b)t = 2\pi f_2 t$
 - We deduce the relation: $h = (f_1 - f_2)T_b$
 - h is normalized with respect to $1/T_b$: if $f_1 - f_2 = 1/T_b$, $h = 1$

CPFSK – Phase Trellis

- At time $t = T_b$,

$$\theta(T_b) - \theta(0) = \begin{cases} \pi h & \text{for symbol 1} \\ -\pi h & \text{for symbol 0} \end{cases}$$

- Sending symbol 1 (symbol 0) increases (decreases) the phase of a CPFSK signal $s(t)$ by πh radians
- Phase tree:** A plot shows the transitions of phase across successive signaling intervals
- The phase of a CPFSK signal is an **odd or even** multiple of πh radians at **odd or even** multiples of T_b , respectively.

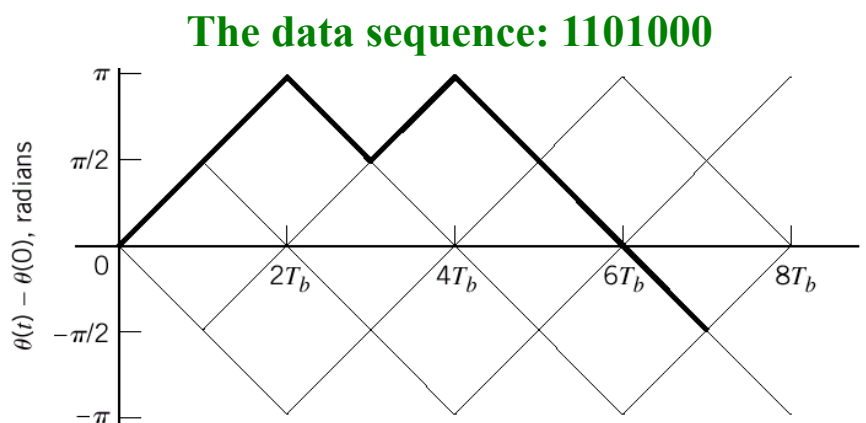


CPFSK – Phase Trellis (Cont.)

- The phase tree shows **phase continuity** of the CPFSK signal
- The CP BFSK with $f_1 - f_2 = 1/T_b$ is also a CPFSK signal
 - **With $h = 1$**
- Hence, for **CP BFSK**, the phase change **over one bit interval** is $\pm\pi$ radians
 - A change of $+\pi$ is **exactly the same** as a change of $-\pi$, modulo 2π
 - Therefore, there is **no memory** for this case
 - Knowing which particular change ($+\pi$ or $-\pi$) occurred in the **previous signaling interval** provides **no help** in the **current signaling interval**

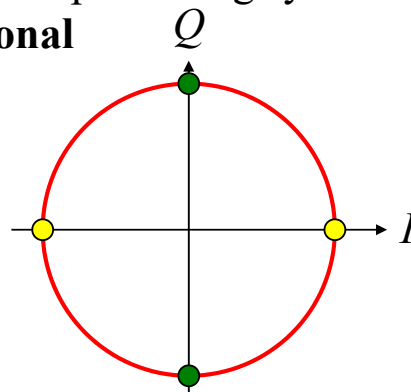
CPFSK – Phase Trellis (Cont.)

- In contrast, we have a completely different situation when the deviation ratio h is assigned the special value of $h = 1/2$
 - The phase takes on $\pm\pi/2$ at **odd** multiples of T_b , and
 - The phase takes on 0 and π at **even** multiples of T_b



Minimum Shift-Keying (MSK)

- With $h = 1/2$, symbol 1 and symbol 0 **do not interfere** with each other in the process of detection
 - The two signal points are **different**
 - The frequency deviation: $f_1 - f_2$ equals half the bit rate ($1/2T_b$)
- The frequency deviation $h = 1/2$ is the **minimum frequency spacing** that allows the two FSK signals representing symbol 1 and symbol 0 to be **coherently orthogonal**
- The CPFSK signal with $h = 1/2$ is commonly referred to as **minimum shift-keying (MSK)**



Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- We may expand the CPFSK signal $s(t)$ in terms of its in-phase and quadrature components as

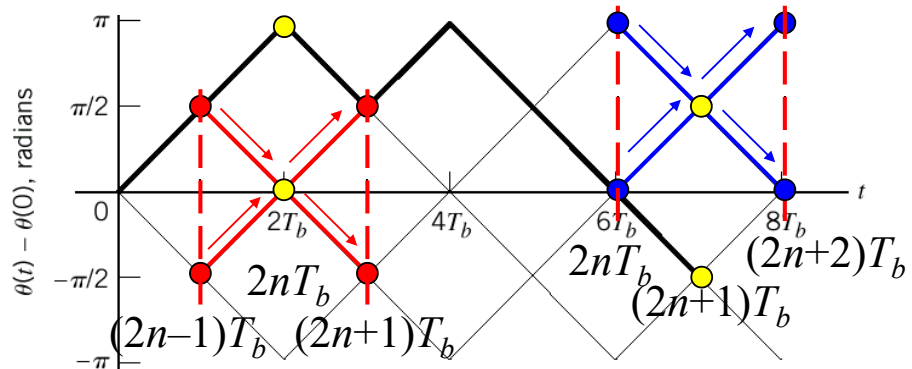
$$s(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos \theta(t) \cos(2\pi f_c t) - \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \sin \theta(t) \sin(2\pi f_c t)$$

– **In-phase:** $\cos \theta(t)$; **Quadrature:** $\sin \theta(t)$

$$\theta(t) = \begin{cases} \theta(2nT_b) \pm (\pi/2T_b)[t - 2nT_b], & (2n-1)T_b \leq t < (2n+1)T_b \\ \theta((2n+1)T_b) \pm (\pi/2T_b)[t - (2n+1)T_b], & 2nT_b \leq t < (2n+2)T_b \end{cases}$$

$h = 1/2$

Depends on
the previous
data sequence
 \Rightarrow with memory



Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

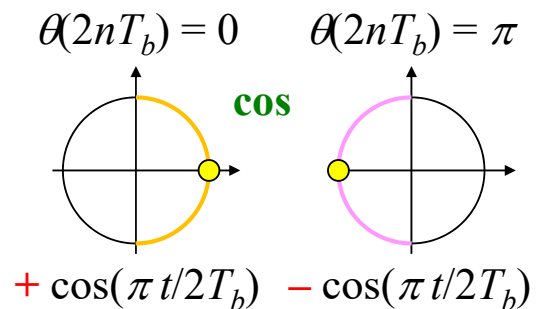
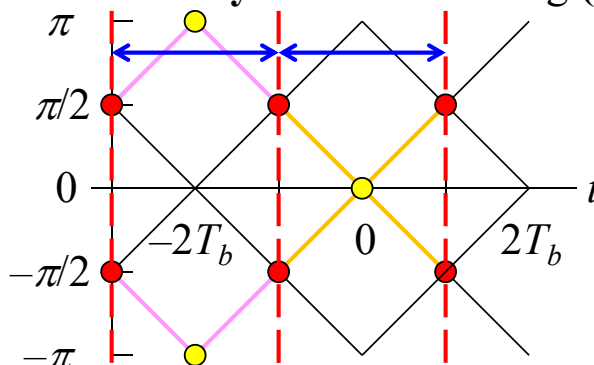
- Considering the **in-phase** component $\cos \theta(t)$

$$\theta(t) = \theta(2nT_b) \pm (\pi/2T_b)[t - 2nT_b], (2n-1)T_b \leq t < (2n+1)T_b$$

- If $\theta(2nT_b) = 0$, $\cos \theta(t) = \cos(\pm \pi t/2T_b) = + \cos(\pi t/2T_b)$
- If $\theta(2nT_b) = \pi$, $\cos \theta(t) = \cos(\pi \pm \pi t/2T_b) = - \cos(\pi t/2T_b)$

- The **in-phase** component $\cos \theta(t)$ depends only on $\theta(2nT_b)$

- A **binary** waveform during $(2n-1)T_b \leq t \leq (2n+1)T_b$

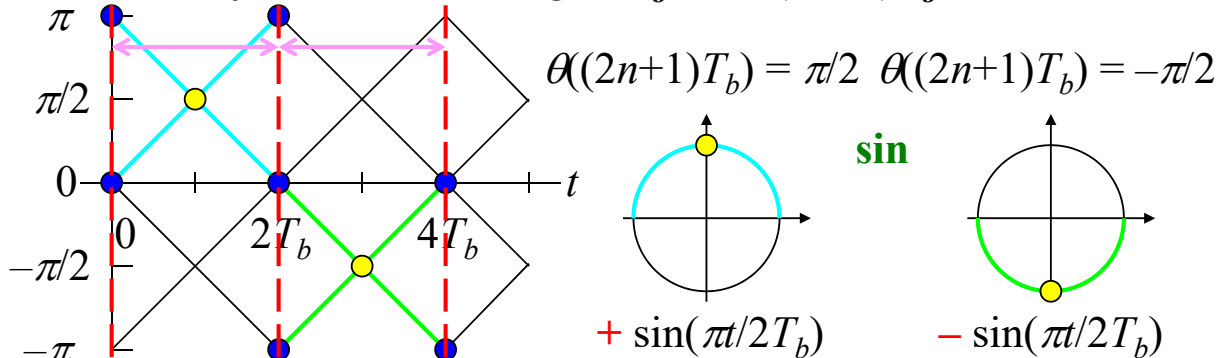


Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- Considering the **quadrature** component $\sin\theta(t)$

$$\theta(t) = \theta((2n+1)T_b) \pm (\pi/2T_b)[t - (2n+1)T_b], 2nT_b \leq t < (2n+2)T_b$$

- If $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = \pi/2$, $\sin\theta(t) = +\sin(\pi t/2T_b)$
- If $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = -\pi/2$, $\sin\theta(t) = \sin(\pi + \pi t/2T_b) = -\sin(\pi t/2T_b)$
- The **quadrature** component $\sin\theta(t)$ depends only on $\theta((2n+1)T_b)$



Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- In the interval $(2n-1)T_b \leq t \leq (2n+1)T_b$, the polarity of $\cos\theta(t)$ depends only on $\theta(2nT_b)$
- The in-phase component consists of the **half-cycle cosine pulse**:

$$\begin{aligned} s_I(t) &= \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos\theta(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos[\theta(2nT_b) \pm (\pi/2T_b)t] \\ &= \pm \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(\pi t/2T_b) \end{aligned}$$

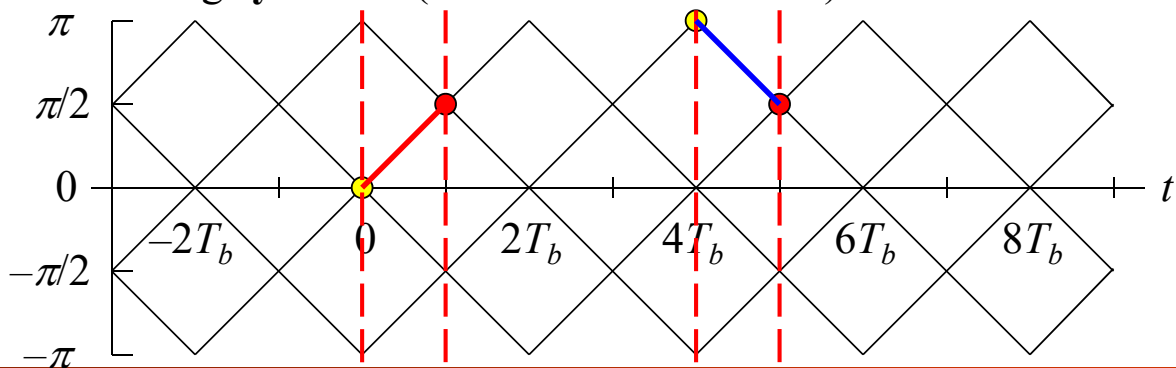
- where “+”: $\theta(2nT_b) = 0$; “-”: $\theta(2nT_b) = \pi$
- In the interval $2nT_b \leq t \leq (2n+2)T_b$, the polarity of $\sin\theta(t)$ depends only on $\theta((2n+1)T_b)$
- The quadrature component consists of the **half-cycle sine pulse**:

$$s_Q(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \sin\theta(t) = \pm \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \sin(\pi t/2T_b)$$

- where “+”: $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = \pi/2$; “-”: $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = -\pi/2$

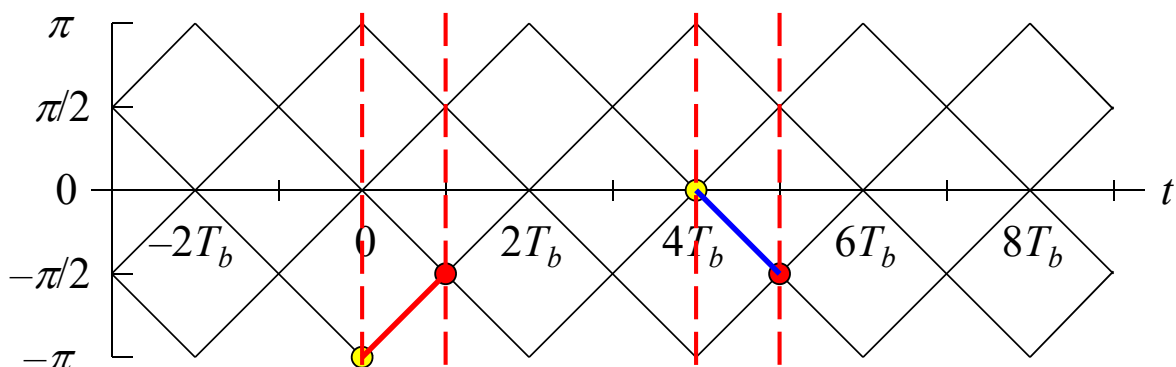
Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- Considering the symbol transmitted in $2nT_b \leq t \leq (2n+1)T_b$, the phase states $\theta(2nT_b)$ and $\theta((2n+1)T_b)$ can each assume only one of two possible values, and one of **four** possibilities can arise:
 - 1. $\theta(2nT_b) = 0$ and $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = \pi/2$, which occur when sending **symbol 1** (Phase transition: $+\pi/2$)
 - 2. $\theta(2nT_b) = \pi$ and $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = \pi/2$, which occur when sending **symbol 0** (Phase transition: $-\pi/2$)



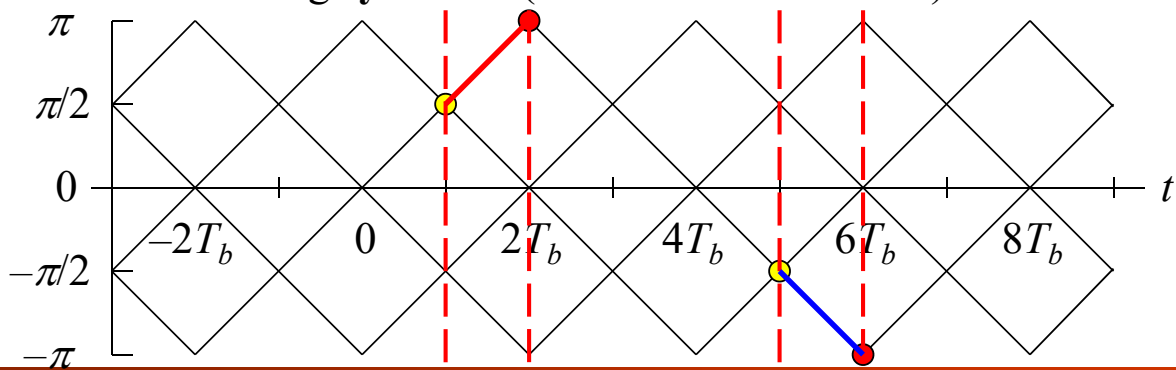
Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- 3. $\theta(2nT_b) = \pi$ and $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = -\pi/2$, which occur when sending **symbol 1** (Phase transition: $+\pi/2$)
 - 4. $\theta(2nT_b) = 0$ and $\theta((2n+1)T_b) = -\pi/2$, which occur when sending **symbol 0** (Phase transition: $-\pi/2$)
- The transmitted symbol depends on the **phase-state pair** $\theta(2nT_b)$ and $\theta((2n+1)T_b)$, or equivalently, the **phase transition**



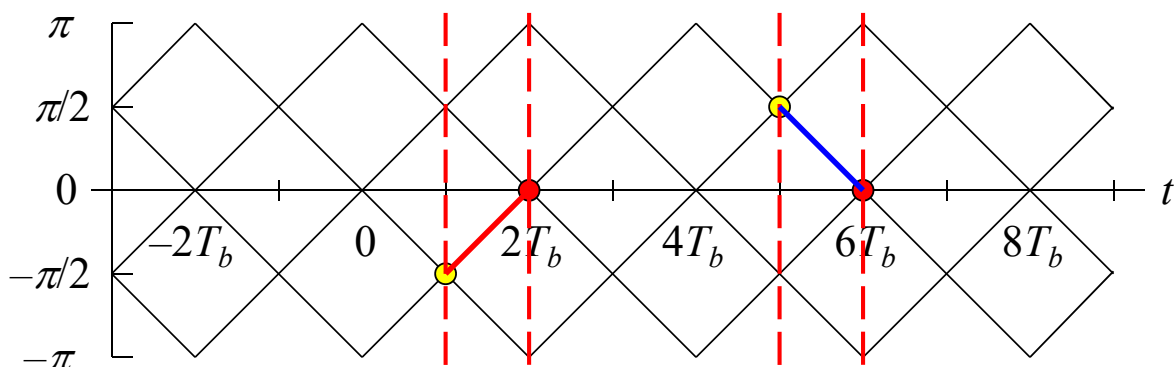
Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- Similarly, considering the symbol in $(2n+1)T_b \leq t \leq (2n+2)T_b$, the phase states $\theta(2n+1)T_b$ and $\theta(2n+2)T_b$ can each be one of two possible values, and one of **four** possibilities can arise:
 - 1. $\theta(2n+1)T_b = \pi/2$ and $\theta(2n+2)T_b = \pi$, which occur when sending **symbol 1** (Phase transition: $+\pi/2$)
 - 2. $\theta(2n+1)T_b = -\pi/2$ and $\theta(2n+2)T_b = \pi$, which occur when sending **symbol 0** (Phase transition: $-\pi/2$)



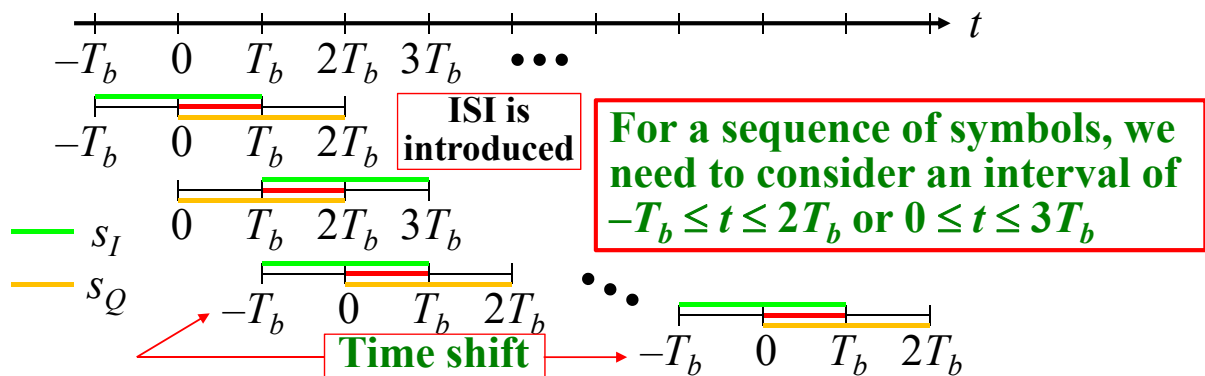
Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- 3. $\theta(2n+1)T_b = -\pi/2$ and $\theta(2n+2)T_b = 0$, which occur when sending **symbol 1** (Phase transition: $+\pi/2$)
 - 4. $\theta(2n+1)T_b = \pi/2$ and $\theta(2n+2)T_b = 0$, which occur when sending **symbol 0** (Phase transition: $-\pi/2$)
- The symbol depends on the **phase-state pair** $\theta(2n+1)T_b$ and $\theta(2n+2)T_b$, or equivalently, the **phase transition**



Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- In the detection of the symbol transmitted in $0 \leq t \leq T_b$, we only need to consider the signal within $-T_b \leq t \leq 2T_b$
 - s_I within $-T_b \leq t \leq T_b$ and s_Q within $0 \leq t \leq 2T_b$
- In the detection of the symbol transmitted in $T_b \leq t \leq 2T_b$, we only need to consider the signal within $0 \leq t \leq 3T_b$
 - s_Q within $0 \leq t \leq 2T_b$ and s_I within $T_b \leq t \leq 3T_b$



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Signal-Space Diagram of MSK

- We define two new orthonormal basis functions $\phi_1(t)$ and $\phi_2(t)$ to characterize the generation of MSK

$$\phi_1(t) = \sqrt{2/T_b} \cos(\pi t/2T_b) \cos(2\pi f_c t), \quad -T_b \leq t \leq T_b$$

$$\phi_2(t) = \sqrt{2/T_b} \sin(\pi t/2T_b) \sin(2\pi f_c t), \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2T_b$$

- The MSK signal is represented as

$$s(t) = s_1 \phi_1(t) + s_2 \phi_2(t), \quad -T_b \leq t \leq 2T_b$$

$$s(t) = \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos \theta(t) \cos(2\pi f_c t) - \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \sin \theta(t) \sin(2\pi f_c t)$$

$$\text{-- where } s_1 = \int_{-T_b}^{T_b} s(t) \phi_1(t) dt = \sqrt{E_b} \cos[\theta(0)], \quad -T_b \leq t \leq T_b$$

$$s_2 = \int_0^{2T_b} s(t) \phi_2(t) dt = -\sqrt{E_b} \sin[\theta(T_b)], \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2T_b$$

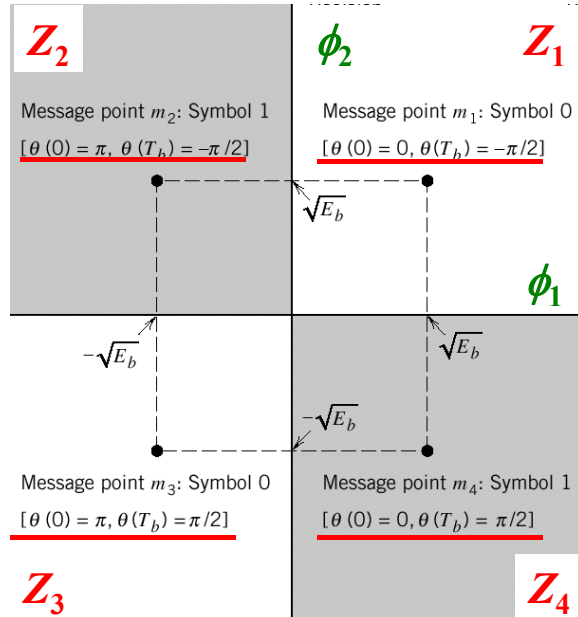
- Both integrals are evaluated for a time interval equal to $2T_b$

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Signal-Space Diagram of MSK (Cont.)

- The signal constellation for an MSK signal is **two-dimensional** (i.e., $N = 2$), with **four possible message points** (i.e., $M = 4$)
- For the symbol transmitted in $0 \leq t \leq T_b$, we have \Rightarrow
- Moving in a counterclockwise direction, the coordinates of the message points are:
 - $(+\sqrt{E_b}, +\sqrt{E_b})$: Symbol 0
 - $(-\sqrt{E_b}, +\sqrt{E_b})$: Symbol 1
 - $(-\sqrt{E_b}, -\sqrt{E_b})$: Symbol 0
 - $(+\sqrt{E_b}, -\sqrt{E_b})$: Symbol 1



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Signal-Space Diagram of MSK (Cont.)

- Each symbol corresponds to a **binary symbol** and each symbol shows up in two opposite quadrants

Different mapping

$0 \leq t \leq T_b$		Symbol	$\theta(0)$	$\theta(T_b)$	s_1 (s_I)	s_2 ($-s_Q$)
s_I : “+”	$\theta(0T_b) = 0$	0	0	$-\pi/2$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
“−”	$\theta(0T_b) = \pi$	1	π	$-\pi/2$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
s_Q : “+”	$\theta(T_b) = \pi/2$	0	π	$+\pi/2$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$
“−”	$\theta(T_b) = -\pi/2$	1	0	$+\pi/2$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$

$T_b \leq t \leq 2T_b$		Symbol	$\theta(T_b)$	$\theta(2T_b)$	s_1 (s_I)	s_2 ($-s_Q$)
s_Q : “+”	$\theta(T_b) = \pi/2$	0	$+\pi/2$	0	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$
“−”	$\theta(T_b) = -\pi/2$	1	$-\pi/2$	0	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
s_I : “+”	$\theta(2T_b) = 0$	0	$-\pi/2$	π	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
“−”	$\theta(2T_b) = \pi$	1	$+\pi/2$	π	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$

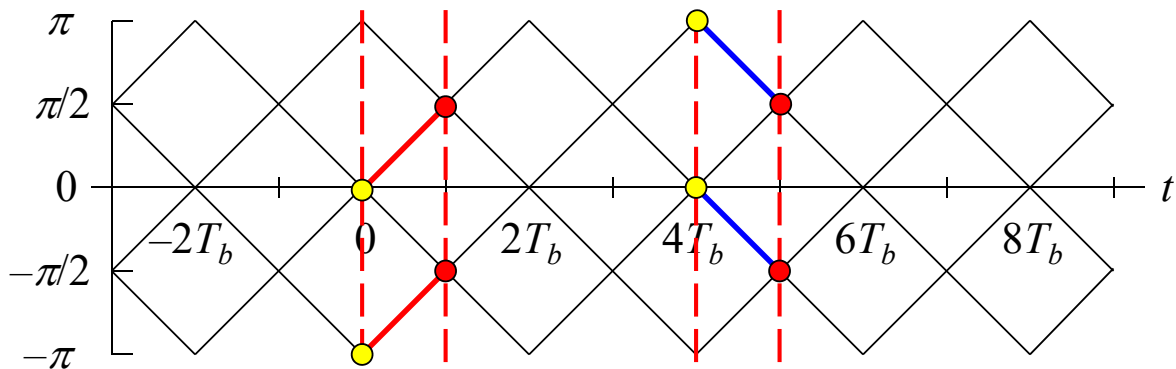
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Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

- Symbol within $0 \leq t \leq T_b$

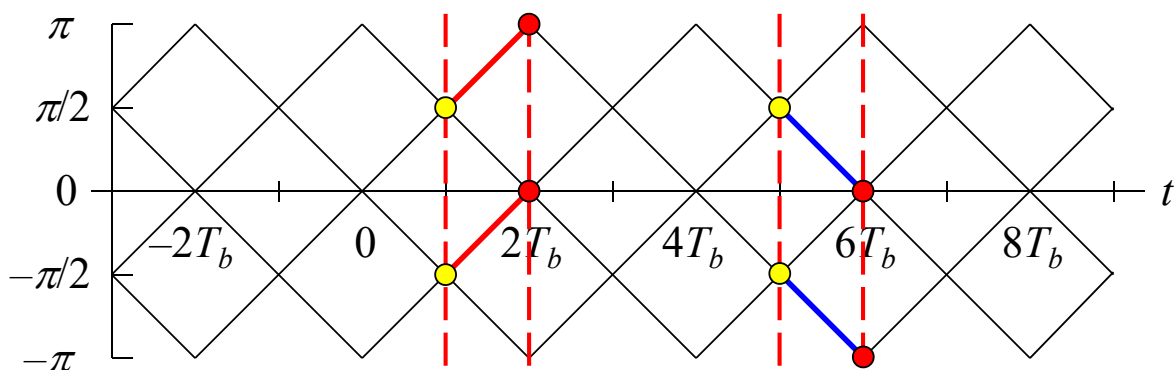
Symbol	$\theta(0)$	$\theta(T_b)$	s_1	s_2
0	0	$-\pi/2$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
1	π	$-\pi/2$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
0	π	$+\pi/2$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$
1	0	$+\pi/2$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$



Minimum Shift-Keying (Cont.)

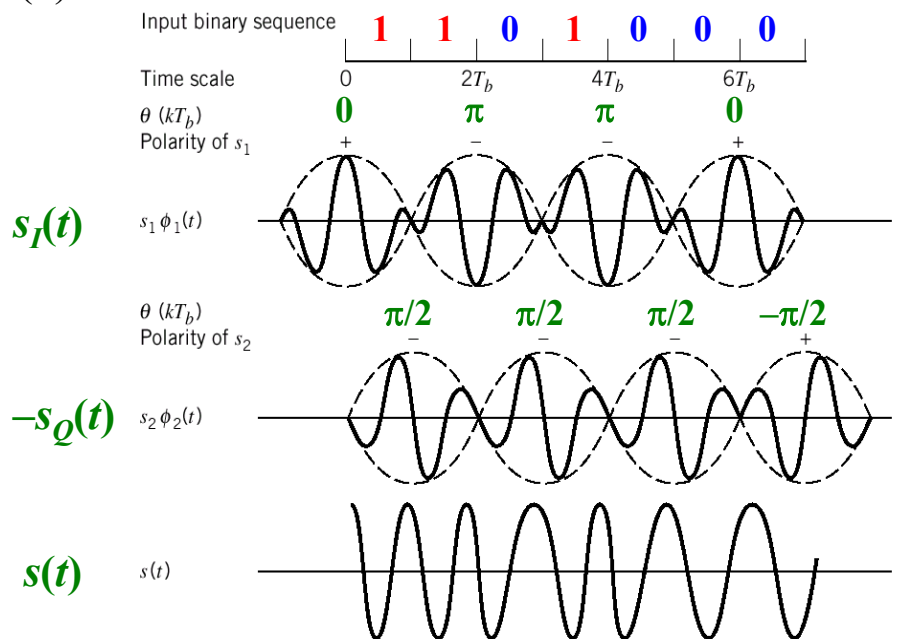
- Symbol within $T_b \leq t \leq 2T_b$

Symbol	$\theta(T_b)$	$\theta(2T_b)$	s_1	s_2
0	$+\pi/2$	0	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$
1	$-\pi/2$	0	$+\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
0	$-\pi/2$	π	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$+\sqrt{E_b}$
1	$+\pi/2$	π	$-\sqrt{E_b}$	$-\sqrt{E_b}$



MSK Waveforms

- The two modulation frequencies are $f_1 = 5/4T_b$ and $f_2 = 3/4T_b$ and $\theta(0)$ is zero at time $t = 0$



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Error Probability of MSK

- In the case of an AWGN channel, the received signal is given by $x(t) = s(t) + w(t)$
 - where $s(t)$ is the transmitted MSK signal and $w(t)$ is the white Gaussian noise with zero mean and power spectral density $N_0/2$
- To decide whether symbol 1 or symbol 0 was sent in $0 \leq t \leq T_b$, we establish a procedure for the use of $x(t)$ to detect the **phase states** $\theta(0)$ and $\theta(T_b)$

$$x_1 = \int_{-T_b}^{T_b} x(t)\phi_1(t) dt = s_1 + w_1; \quad x_2 = \int_0^{2T_b} x(t)\phi_2(t) dt = s_2 + w_2$$

$$-s_I(t): \text{ If } x_1 > 0, \hat{\theta}(0) = 0; \text{ if } x_1 < 0, \hat{\theta}(0) = \pi$$

$$-s_Q(t): \text{ If } x_2 > 0, \hat{\theta}(T_b) = -\pi/2; \text{ if } x_2 < 0, \hat{\theta}(T_b) = \pi/2$$

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Error Probability of MSK (Cont.)

- If estimates $\hat{\theta}(0) = 0$ and $\hat{\theta}(T_b) = -\pi/2$, or alternatively if $\hat{\theta}(0) = \pi$ and $\hat{\theta}(T_b) = \pi/2$, then the receiver decides in favor of **symbol 0**
- If $\hat{\theta}(0) = \pi$ and $\hat{\theta}(T_b) = -\pi/2$, or alternatively if $\hat{\theta}(0) = 0$ and $\hat{\theta}(T_b) = \pi/2$ then the receiver decides in favor of **symbol 1**
- The receiver makes an error when the I-channel assigns the wrong value to $\theta(0)$ (for symbol $T_b \leq t \leq 2T_b$) **or** the Q-channel assigns the wrong value to $\theta(T_b)$ (for symbol $0 \leq t \leq T_b$)
- It follows, therefore, that the BER for the **coherent detection** of MSK signals is given by
$$P_e = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erfc}\left(\sqrt{E_b/N_0}\right)$$
 - which is exactly the same as that for BPSK and QPSK
- This good performance is the result of **coherent detection** being performed on the basis of observations over **$2T_b$ interval**

Non-coherent Detection of MSK Signals

- The data information is not relied on the absolute signal phase
 - It relies on the **phase transition** between two successive received symbols
 - **Non-coherent** data detection of MSK signals is possible
- Similar to the detection approach for $\pi/4$ -DQPSK signals
 - The receiver need to detect the **phase states $\theta(0)$ and $\theta(T_b)$**
 - It computes the **projections** of a noisy signal $x(t)$ **onto the original basis functions $\phi_1(t)$ and $\phi_2(t)$** to extract the phase
 - Then, it applies a **differential detector** to determine the **phase transition** between two successive received symbols
- In comparison with **coherent detection**, error performance is **degraded** because of no **carrier phase** is available

Power Spectra of MSK Signals

- We assume that the input binary wave is random, with symbols 1 and 0 being equally likely and the symbols sent during adjacent time slots being **statistically independent**
- Depending on the value of phase state $\theta(0)$, the **in-phase** component equals $+g(t)$ or $-g(t)$, where the **pulse-shaping function**

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \cos(\pi t/2T_b), & -T_b \leq t \leq T_b \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- The power spectral density of the in-phase component equals

$$S_g(f) = \frac{16E_b}{\pi^2} \left[\frac{\cos(2\pi T_b f)}{16T_b^2 f^2 - 1} \right]^2$$

Power Spectra of MSK Signals (Cont.)

- Depending on the value of the phase state $\theta(T_b)$, the **quadrature** component equals $+g(t)$ or $-g(t)$, where
- $$g(t) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{2E_b/T_b} \sin(\pi t/2T_b), & 0 \leq t \leq 2T_b \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
- The PSD is the same as that of the in-phase component
 - The in-phase and quadrature components of the MSK signal are **statistically independent**

- The baseband power spectral density of $s(t)$ is given by

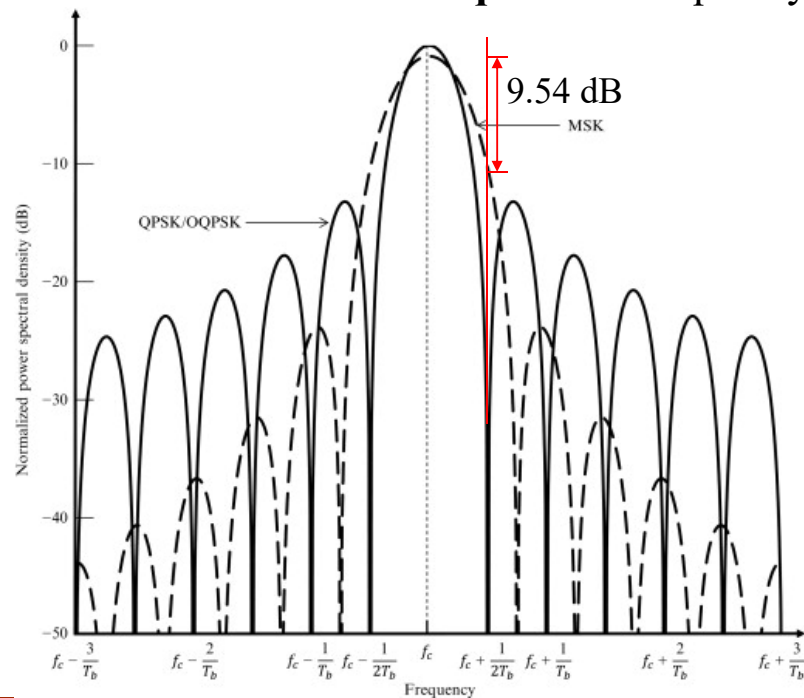
$$S_B(f) = 2S_g(f) = \frac{32E_b}{\pi^2} \left[\frac{\cos(2\pi T_b f)}{16T_b^2 f^2 - 1} \right]^2$$

$h = 1/2 \Rightarrow$ Different to CPBFSK with $h = 1$

- The baseband power spectral density of the MSK signal falls off as the **inverse fourth power** of frequency for $f \gg 0$

Power Spectra of MSK Signals (Cont.)

- The QPSK signal it falls off as the **inverse square** of frequency
- MSK **does not** produce as much interference outside the signal band of interest as QPSK does



Gaussian-Filtered MSK (GMSK)

- Some desirable properties of MSK:
 - Modulated signal with **constant envelope**
 - Relatively **narrow-bandwidth** occupancy
 - Coherent detection performance equivalent to that of **QPSK**
- However, the **out-of-band** spectral characteristics of MSK signals may not satisfy some stringent requirements
 - At $fT_b = 0.5$, the baseband PSD of the MSK signal drops by only $10 \log_{10} 9 = 9.54 \text{ dB}$ below its midband value
 - If the transmission bandwidth is set as $1/T_b$ ($f_c \pm 1/T_b$), the **adjacent channel interference** of using MSK is **not low enough** to satisfy the practical requirements of a wireless multiuser-communications environment

Gaussian-Filtered MSK (GMSK) (Cont.)

- We may **modify the power spectrum** of MSK into a more compact form while maintaining the constant-envelope property
- This modification can be achieved through the use of a **pre-modulation low-pass filter**,
 - A baseband **pulse-shaping filter**
- The pulse-shaping filter should satisfy the following conditions:
 - Frequency response with **narrow bandwidth** and **sharp cutoff** characteristics
 - Impulse response with relatively **low overshoot**
 - The carrier phase of the modulated signal assuming the two values $\pm\pi/2$ at **odd** multiples of T_b and the two values 0 and π at **even** multiples of T_b **as in MSK**

Gaussian-Filtered MSK (GMSK) (Cont.)

- These three conditions can be satisfied by using a baseband pulse-shaping filter whose **impulse response** (and, likewise, its **frequency response**) is defined by a **Gaussian function**
- The resulting method of binary FM is naturally referred to as **Gaussian-filtered minimum-shift keying (GMSK)**
- The **transfer function** $H(f)$ and **impulse response** $h(t)$ of the pulse-shaping filter

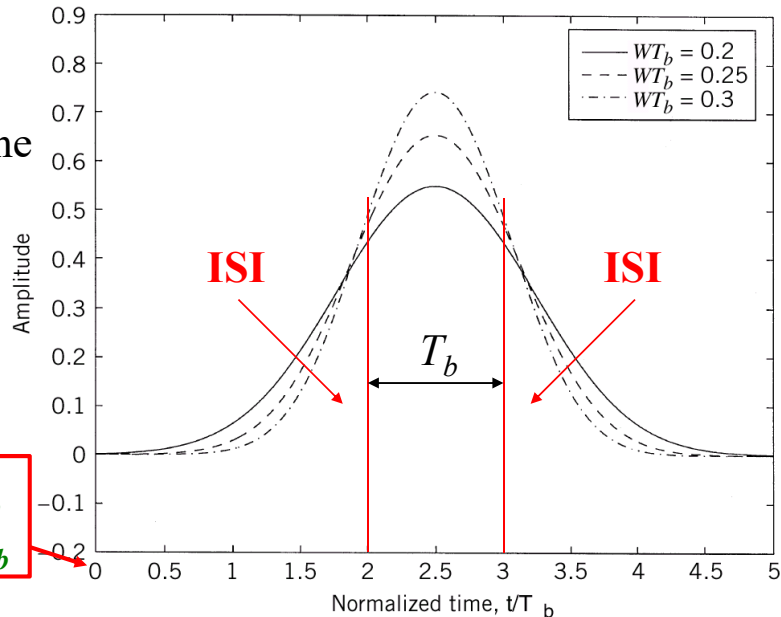
$$H(f) = \exp\left[-\frac{\ln 2}{2}\left(\frac{f}{W}\right)^2\right]; \quad h(t) = \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{\ln 2}}W \exp\left(-\frac{2\pi^2}{\ln 2}W^2t^2\right)$$

- where W is the **3 dB baseband bandwidth** of the filter
- The **response** of this Gaussian filter to a **rectangular pulse** of unit amplitude and duration T_b is $g(t) = \int_{-T_b/2}^{T_b/2} h(t-\tau) d\tau$

Gaussian-Filtered MSK (GMSK) (Cont.)

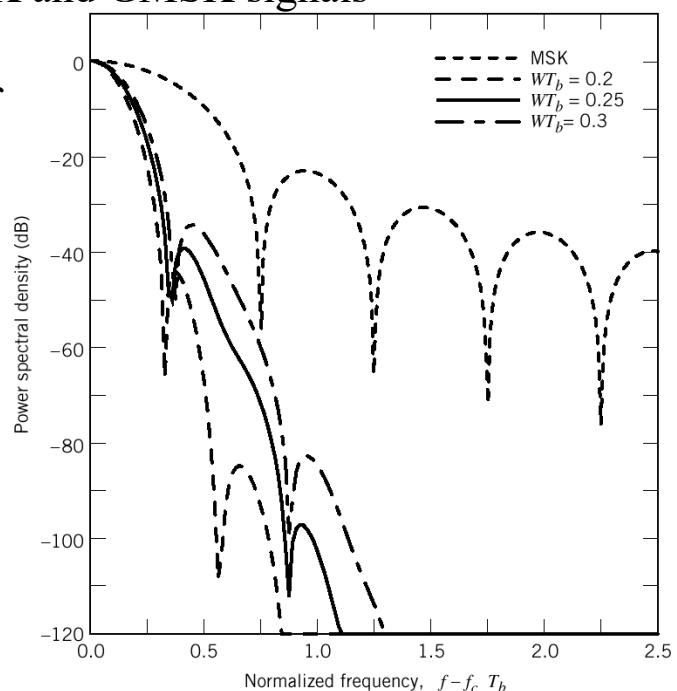
- $g(t)$ is **noncausal** and, therefore, **not physically realizable**
- For a causal response, $g(t)$ must be **truncated** and **shifted in time**
- As WT_b is **reduced**, the **time spread** of the frequency-shaping pulse is **increased**
- **Inter-symbol interference (ISI)** is introduced

**Truncated at $t = \pm 2.5T_b$
Shifted in time by $2.5T_b$**



Gaussian-Filtered MSK (GMSK) (Cont.)

- The power spectra of MSK and GMSK signals
- The condition of $WT_b = \infty$ corresponds to the case of the ordinary MSK

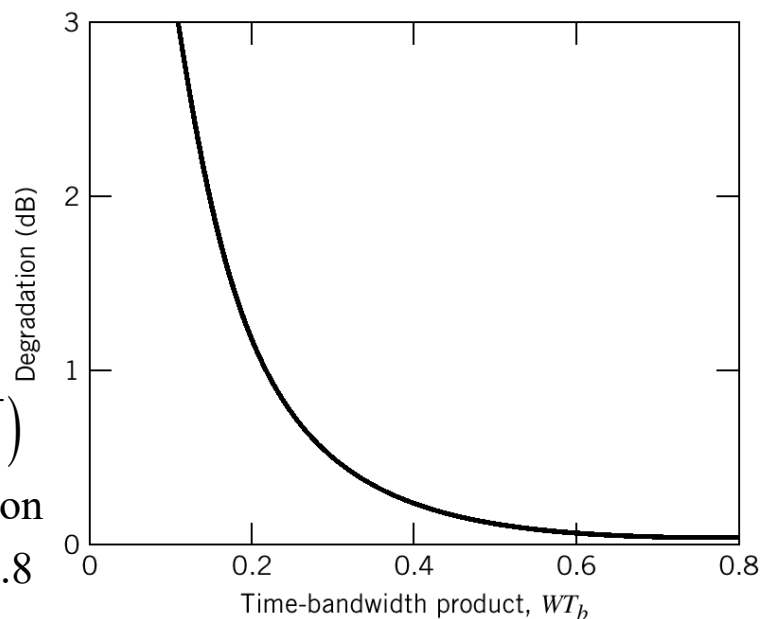


Gaussian-Filtered MSK (GMSK) (Cont.)

- The introduced **Inter-symbol interference** (ISI) degrades the symbol error performance at the receiver

- The time–bandwidth product WT_b offers a **tradeoff** between spectral compactness and performance loss

- The average symbol error rate is
$$P_e = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erfc}\left(\sqrt{\alpha E_b / 2 N_0}\right)$$
 - $\alpha = 2$: no degradation
 - $WT_b = 0.3 \Rightarrow \alpha = 1.8$



M -ary FSK

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- For M -ary FSK, the transmitted signals are defined by

$$s_i(t) = \sqrt{\frac{2E}{T}} \cos\left[\frac{\pi}{T}(n_c + i)t\right], \quad 0 \leq t \leq T$$

- where $i = 1, 2, \dots, M$; the carrier frequency: $f_c = n_c/(2T)$ for some fixed integer n_c ; the symbol duration: T ; the symbol energy E
- Since the individual signal frequencies are separated by $1/(2T)$ Hz, the M -ary FSK signals constitute an **orthogonal set**; that is,

$$\int_0^T s_i(t)s_j(t) dt = 0, \quad i \neq j$$

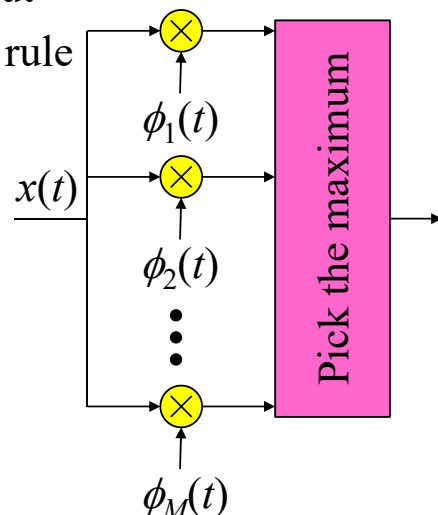
- A complete orthonormal set of **basis functions**, as shown by

$$\phi_i(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{E}} s_i(t), \quad 0 \leq t \leq T, i = 1, 2, \dots, M$$

Error Probability of M -ary FSK

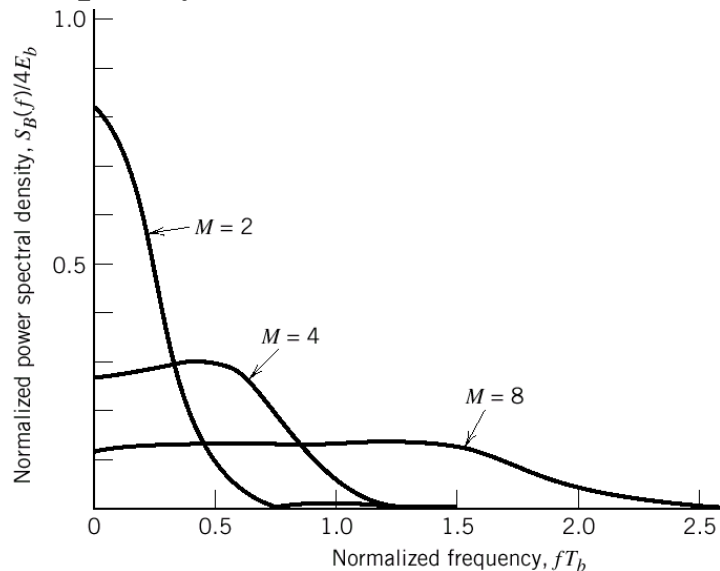
- For the coherent detection of M -ary FSK, the optimum receiver consists of a **bank of M correlators or matched filters**
- At the sampling times $t = kT$, the receiver makes decisions based on the **largest** matched filter output
 - The **maximum likelihood** decoding rule
- An exact formula for the probability of symbol error is difficult
- Since the minimum distance in M -ary FSK is $\sqrt{2E}$, an **upper bound** on the average probability of symbol error

$$P_e \leq \frac{1}{2}(M-1)\operatorname{erfc}\left(\sqrt{\frac{E}{2N_0}}\right)$$



Power Spectra of M -ary FSK Signals

- The spectral analysis of M -ary FSK signals is **complicated**
- A special case of assigning **uniformly spacing frequencies** to the multi-levels with the **frequency deviation** $h = 1/2$
 - CPFSK
 - The M signal frequencies are separated by $1/2T$, where T is the symbol duration
- The baseband power PSD of M -ary FSK signals for $M = 2, 4, 8$



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Bandwidth Efficiency of M -ary FSK

- For **coherent detection**, the adjacent signals of M -ary FSK need only be separated from each other by a difference $1/2T$
- The **channel bandwidth** required to transmit M -ary FSK signals is $B \approx M / 2T$
 - The symbol period is equal to $T = T_b \log_2 M$
 - The bit rate is equal to $R_b = 1/T_b$

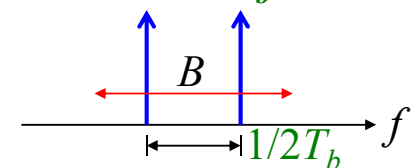
- Hence, we may redefine the channel bandwidth for M -ary FSK

$$B = R_b M / 2 \log_2 M$$

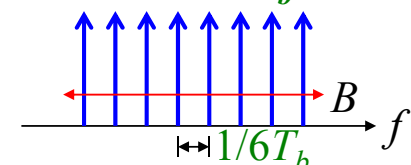
- The **bandwidth efficiency** of M -ary FSK signals is therefore

$$\rho = \frac{R_b}{B} = \frac{2 \log_2 M}{M}$$

$M = 2: T = T_b$



$M = 8: T = 3T_b$



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Bandwidth Efficiency of M -ary FSK (Cont.)

- For M -ary FSK, the **increase** in the number of levels M tends to **decrease** the bandwidth efficiency

M	2	4	8	16	32	64
ρ (bits/s/Hz)	1	1	0.75	0.5	0.3125	0.1875

- By contrast, for M -ary PSK, the **increase** in the number of levels M tends to **increase** the bandwidth efficiency

M	2	4	8	16	32	64
ρ (bits/s/Hz)	0.5	1	1.5	2	2.5	3

- In other words, M -ary PSK signals are **spectrally efficient**, whereas M -ary FSK signals are **spectrally inefficient**

Discussion of Orthogonality

Binary FSK – Orthogonality

- Considering **binary FSK**, the transmitted signals are

$$s_i(t) = A \cos(2\pi f_i t + \theta_i), \quad 0 \leq t < T_b, \quad i = 1, 2$$

– where θ_i represents the carrier phase at the initial time

- To maintain the orthogonality between $s_1(t)$ and $s_2(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle s_1(t), s_2(t) \rangle &= \int_0^{T_b} s_1(t) s_2(t) dt = A^2 \int_0^{T_b} \cos(2\pi f_1 t + \theta_1) \cos(2\pi f_2 t + \theta_2) dt \\ &= \frac{A^2}{2} \int_0^{T_b} \cos[2\pi(f_1 + f_2)t + \theta_1 + \theta_2] dt + \frac{A^2}{2} \int_0^{T_b} \cos[2\pi(f_1 - f_2)t + \theta_1 - \theta_2] dt \\ &= A^2 \left\{ \sin[2\pi(f_1 + f_2)T_b + \theta_1 + \theta_2] - \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2) \right\} / 4\pi(f_1 + f_2) \leftarrow \approx 0 \\ &+ A^2 \left\{ \sin[2\pi(f_1 - f_2)T_b + \theta_1 - \theta_2] - \sin(\theta_1 - \theta_2) \right\} / 4\pi(f_1 - f_2) \end{aligned}$$

- Assuming $f_i \gg 0$, the first term can be ignored

$$\begin{aligned} \sin x \sin y &= \frac{1}{2} [\cos(x - y) - \cos(x + y)]; \quad \cos x \cos y = \frac{1}{2} [\cos(x - y) + \cos(x + y)] \\ \sin x \cos y &= \frac{1}{2} [\sin(x + y) + \sin(x - y)]; \quad \cos x \sin y = \frac{1}{2} [\sin(x + y) - \sin(x - y)] \end{aligned}$$

Binary FSK – Orthogonality (Cont.)

- Continuous-phase** binary FSK: $\theta_1 = \theta_2 \Rightarrow \theta_1 - \theta_2 = 0$
 - Different symbol intervals may have **different** initial phases
 - Depending on the ending phase of the previous symbol

– If $f_1 - f_2 = m/2T_b$, for an integer $m > 0$

Such as MSK

$$\begin{aligned} \langle s_1(t), s_2(t) \rangle &\approx A^2 \left\{ \sin[2\pi(f_1 - f_2)T_b + \theta_1 - \theta_2] - \sin(\theta_1 - \theta_2) \right\} / 4\pi(f_1 - f_2) \\ &= A^2 T_b \left\{ \sin(m\pi) \right\} / 2m\pi \end{aligned}$$

- The minimum value that makes $\langle s_1(t), s_2(t) \rangle = 0$ is $m = 1$
- The minimum frequency spacing that maintains the orthogonality between $s_1(t)$ and $s_2(t)$ is $\Delta f = 1/2T_b$
- For continuous-phase FSK, the two sinusoidal carriers are said to be **coherently orthogonal**
 - Because $\theta_1 = \theta_2$, the minimum freq. spacing is $\Delta f = 1/2T_b$

Binary FSK – Orthogonality (Cont.)

- **Non-continuous-phase** binary FSK: $\theta_1 \neq \theta_2 \Rightarrow \theta_1 - \theta_2 = \Delta\theta \neq 0$
 - If $f_1 - f_2 = m/2T_b$, for an integer $m > 0$
- $$\langle s_1(t), s_2(t) \rangle \approx A^2 \left\{ \sin[2\pi(f_1 - f_2)T_b + \theta_1 - \theta_2] - \sin(\theta_1 - \theta_2) \right\} / 4\pi(f_1 - f_2)$$
- $$= A^2 \left\{ \sin[\underline{m\pi} + \Delta\theta] - \sin(\Delta\theta) \right\} / 4\pi(f_1 - f_2)$$
- The minimum value that makes $\langle s_1(t), s_2(t) \rangle = 0$ is $m = 2$
 - The minimum frequency spacing that maintains the orthogonality between $s_1(t)$ and $s_2(t)$ is $\Delta f = 1/T_b$
- For non-continuous-phase FSK, the two sinusoidal carriers are said to be **noncoherently orthogonal**
 - Because there is **no relationship** between the two phases
 - The minimum frequency spacing is $\Delta f = 1/T_b$
 - Which is **twice** as much as that of continuous-phase FSK

Homework

- **You must give detailed derivations or explanations, otherwise you get no points.**
- Communication Systems, Simon Haykin (4th Ed.)
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