# Digital Communications Basics

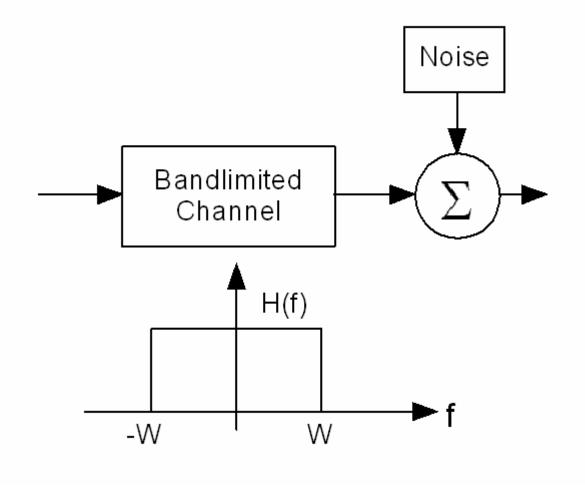
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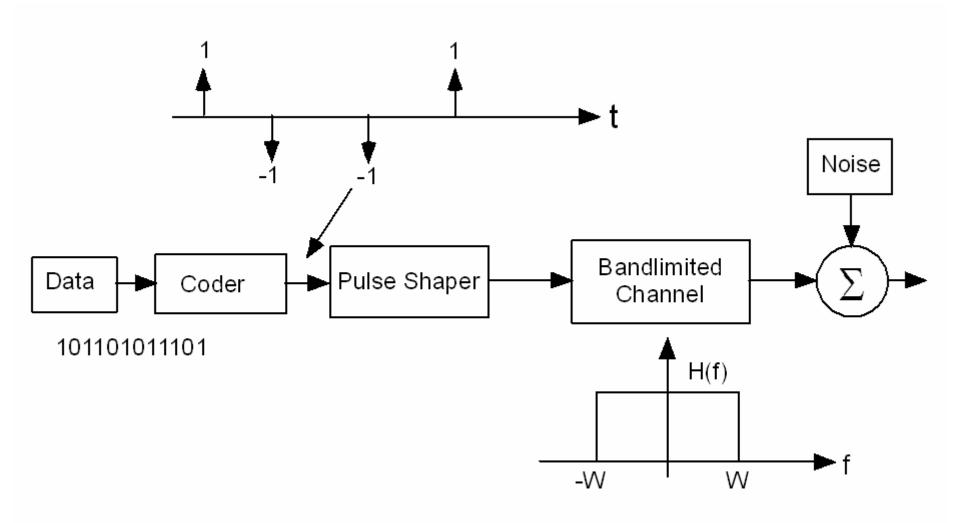


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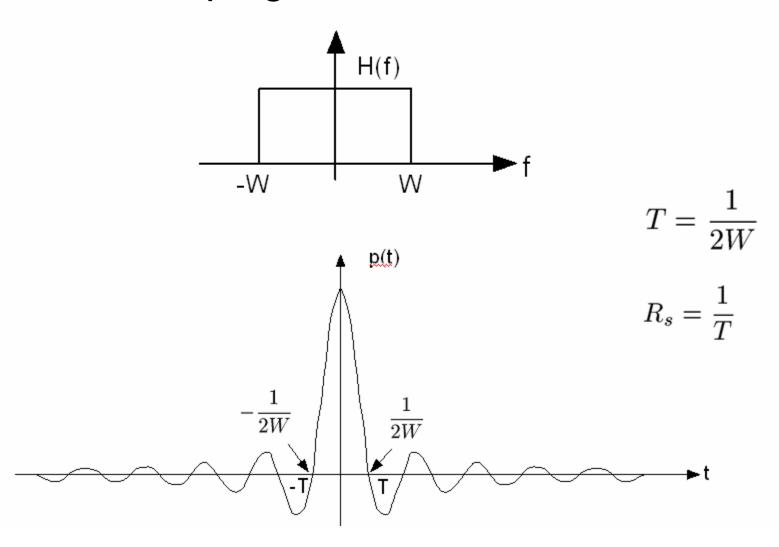
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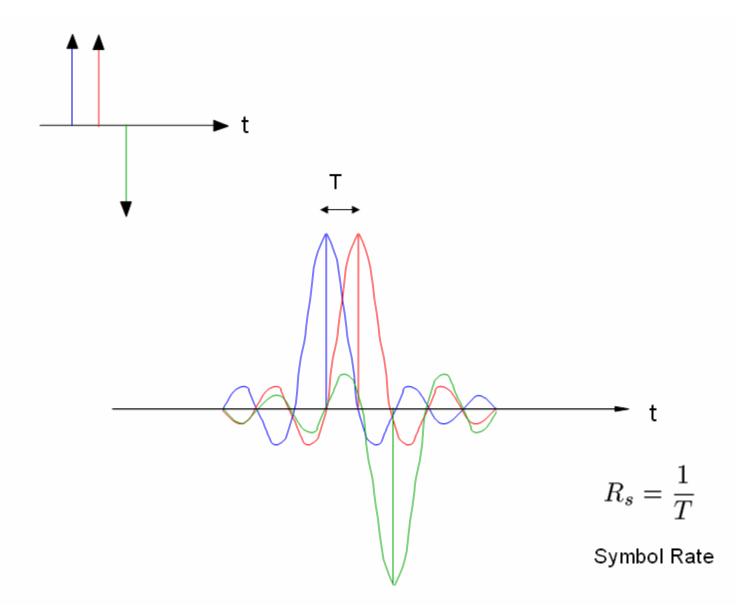
- Power
- Bandwidth
- Fading Multip
- Noise
- Jammers





## Pulse Shaping for Bandlimited Channel

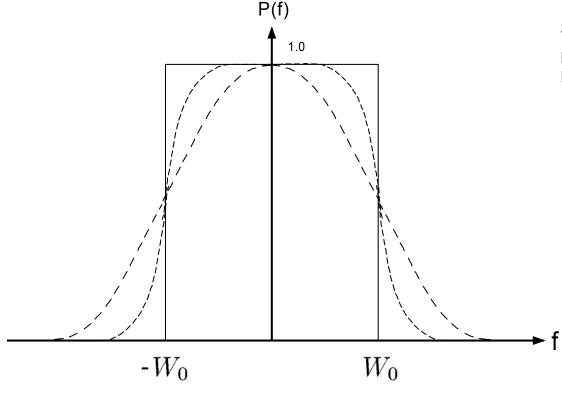




## Raised Cosine Nyquist Pulse Shaping

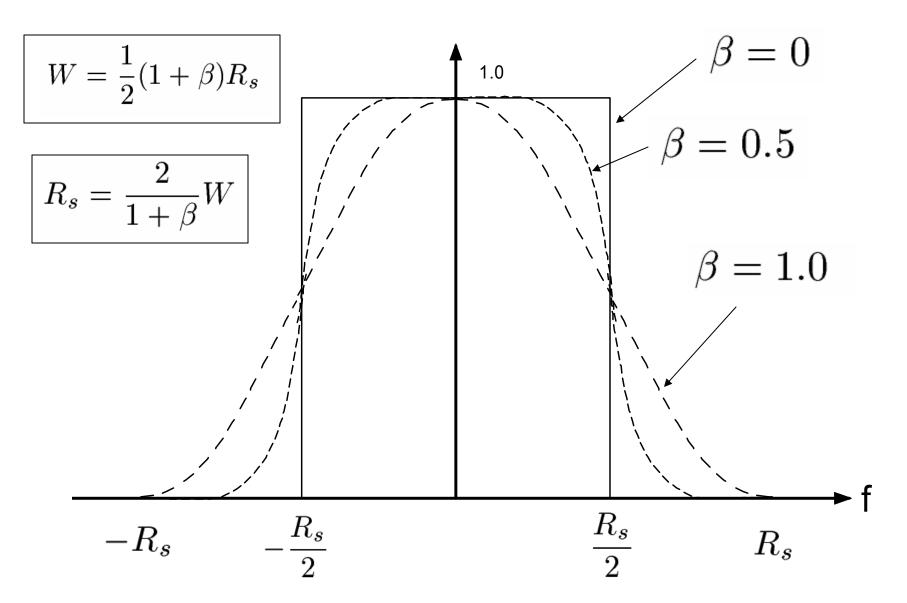
$$H(f) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } |f| < 2W_0 - W \\ \cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\frac{|f| + W - 2W_0}{W - W_0}\right) & \text{for } 2W_0 - W < |f| < W \end{cases}$$

$$0 & \text{for } |f| < W$$

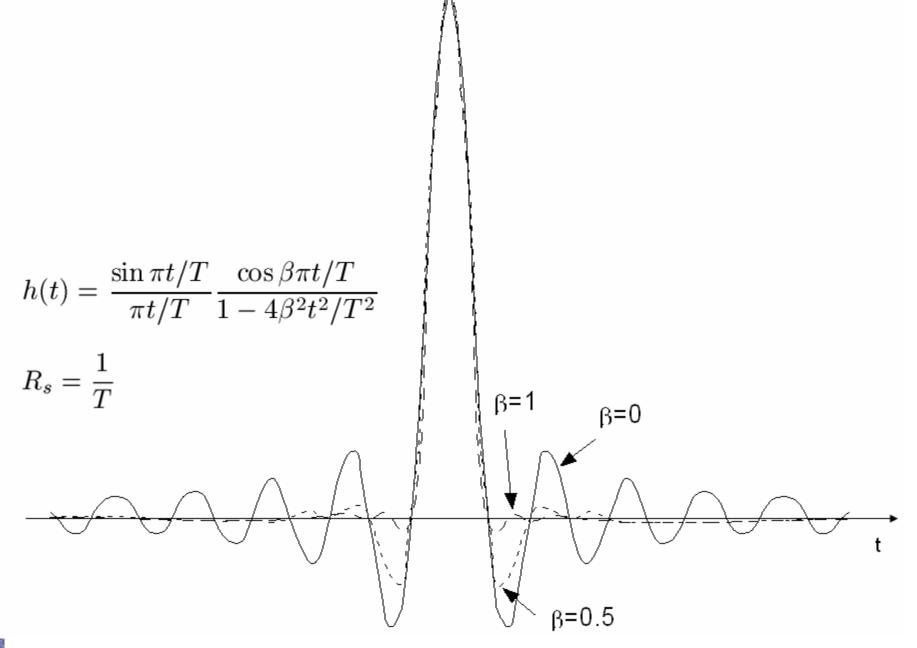


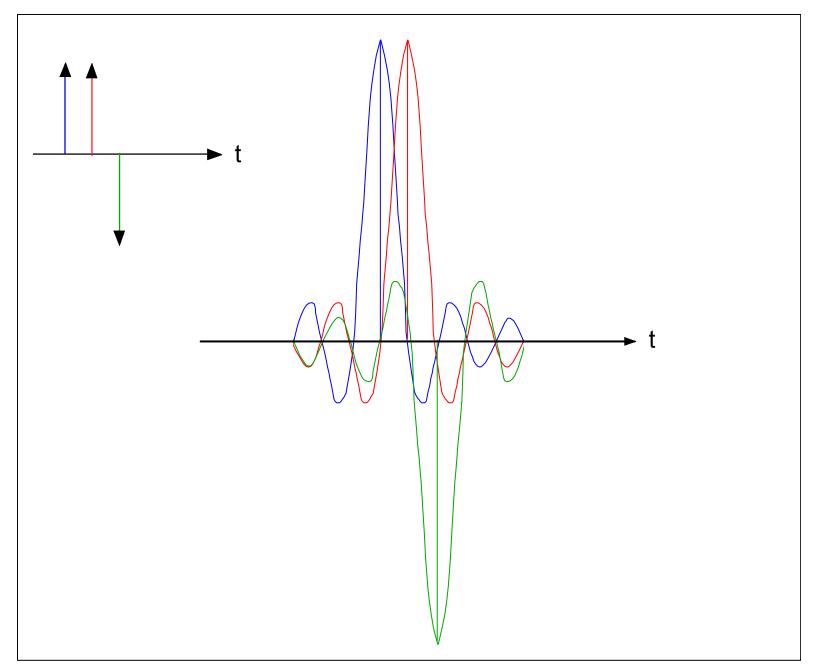
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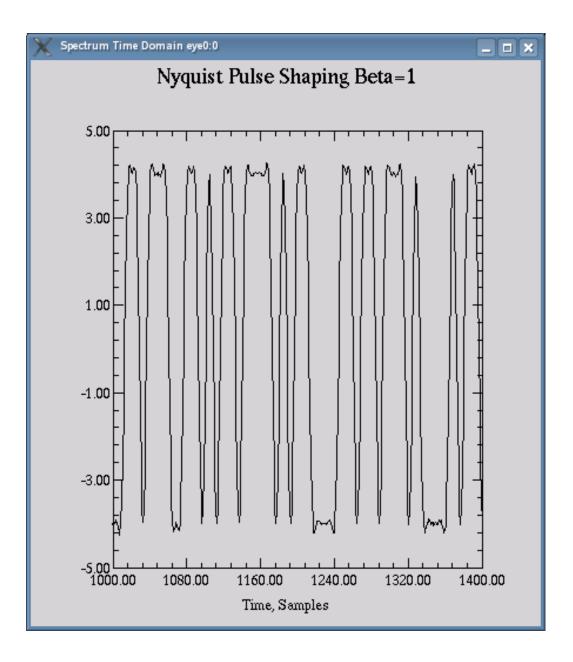
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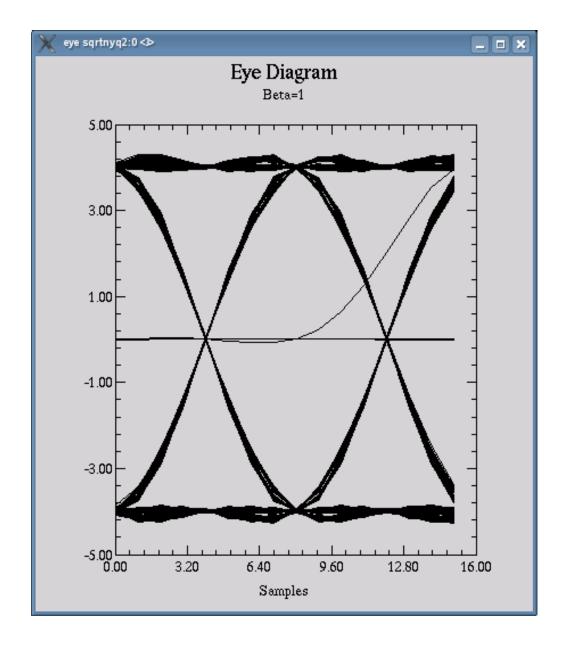


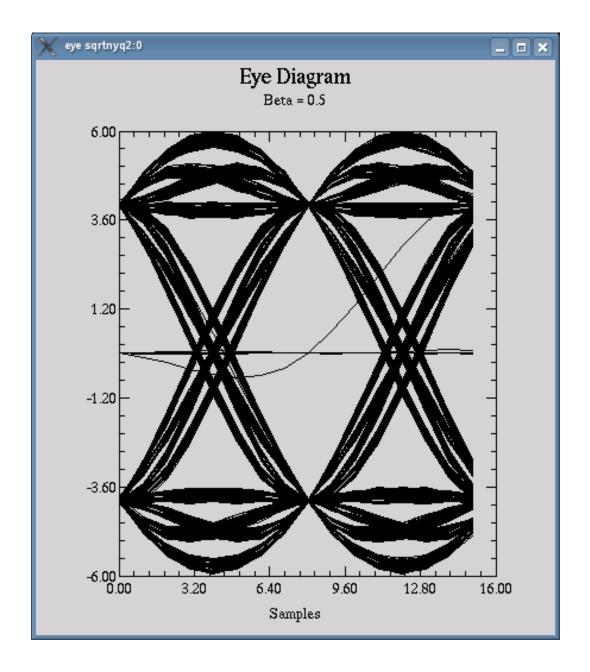






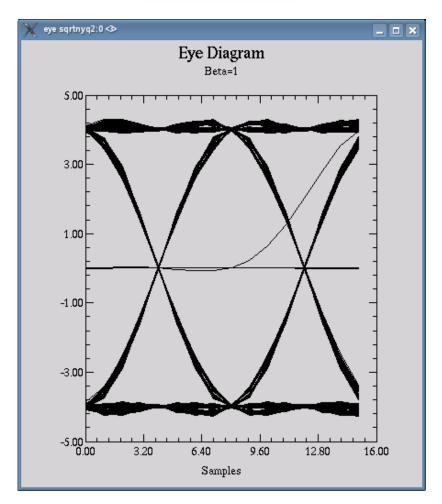


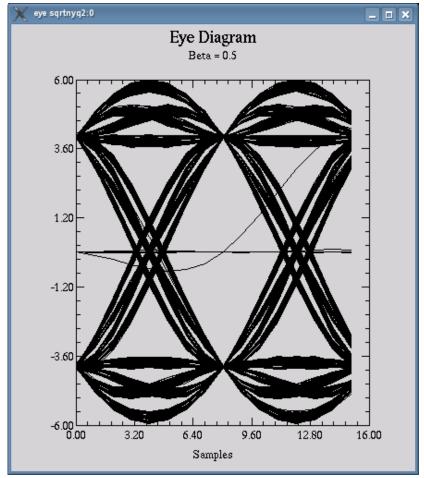




$$\beta = 1.0$$

$$\beta = 0.5$$

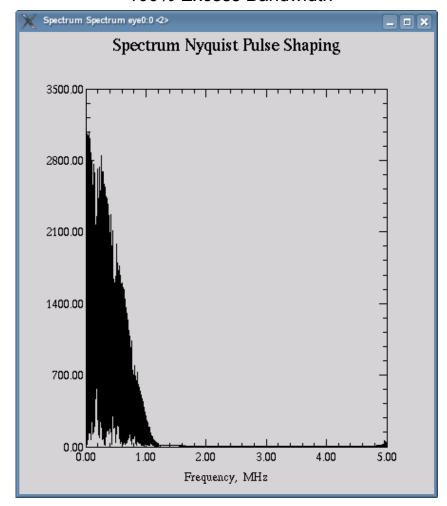


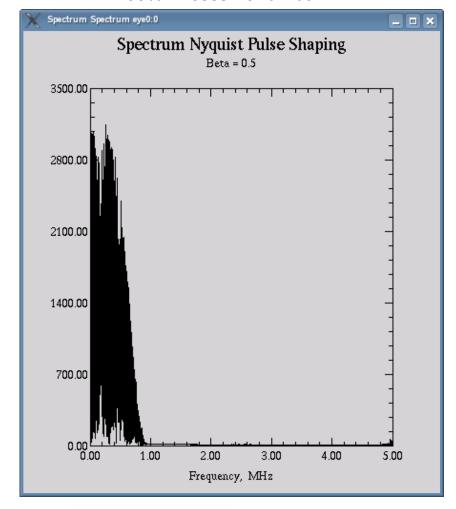




#### 100% Excess Bandwidth

#### 50% Excess Bandwidth





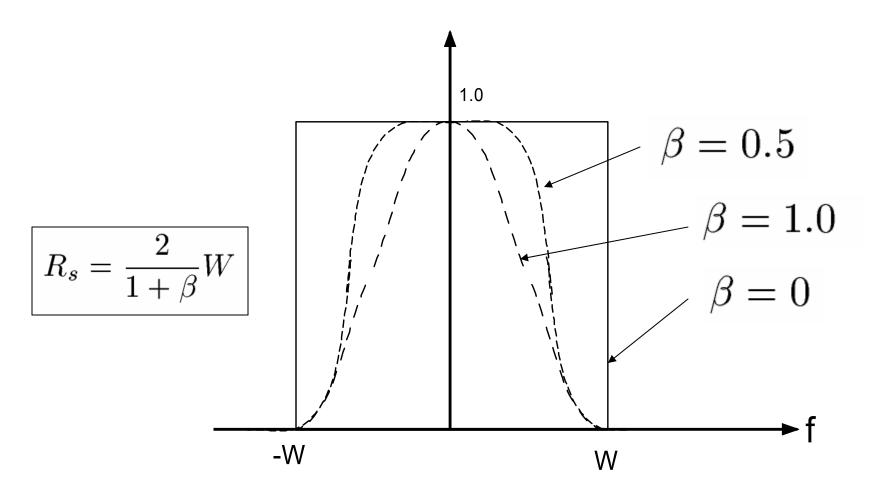
eta=0.5 W=0.9375 MHz

$$eta=1.0$$
 W=1.25 MHz  $W=rac{1}{2}(1+eta)R_s$ 

$$R_s = 1.25 \text{ MSymbols/s}$$



## Rolloff Factor and Symbol Rate



### IEEE 802.16a Single Carrier

#### 8.3.1.5 Baseband Pulse Shaping

Prior to modulation, I and Q signals shall be filtered by square-root raised cosine. A roll-off factor of  $\alpha = 0.25$  shall be supported; 0.15 and 0.18 are optional, but defined settings. The ideal square-root cosine is defined in the frequency domain by the transfer function

$$H(f) = \begin{cases} 1 & |f| < f_N(1 - \alpha) \\ \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2f_N} \left[\frac{f_N - |f|}{\alpha}\right]\right)} f_N(1 - \alpha) \le |f| \le f_N(1 + \alpha) \end{cases}$$

$$0 & |f| \ge f_N(1 + \alpha)$$

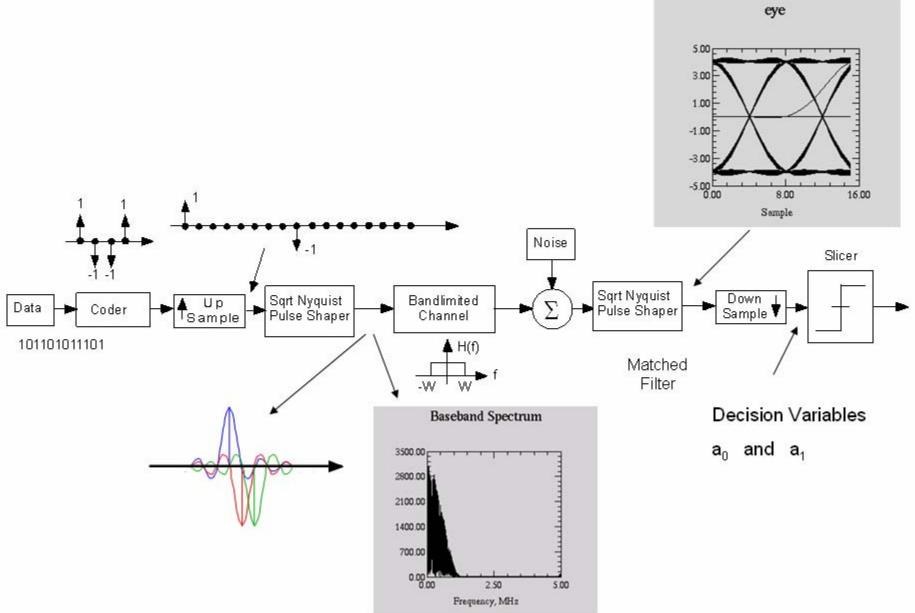
$$(17)$$

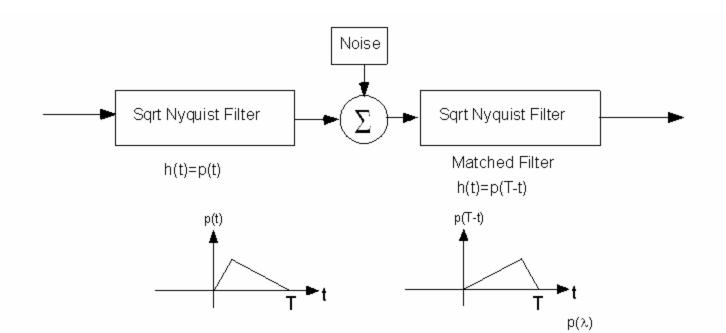
where

$$f_N = \frac{1}{2T_S} = \frac{R_S}{2} \,, \tag{18}$$

 $f_N$  is the Nyquist frequency,  $T_s$  is the modulation symbol duration, and  $R_s$  is the symbol rate.

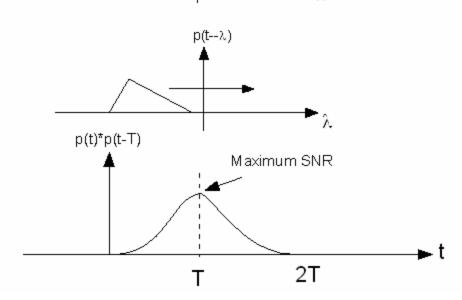
### **Baseband Digital Communication Link**

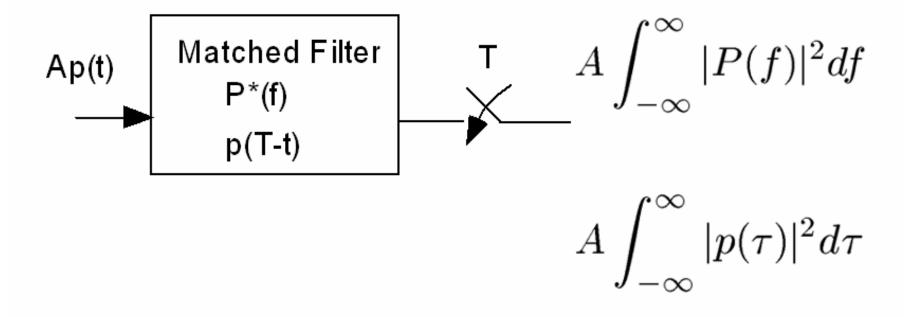




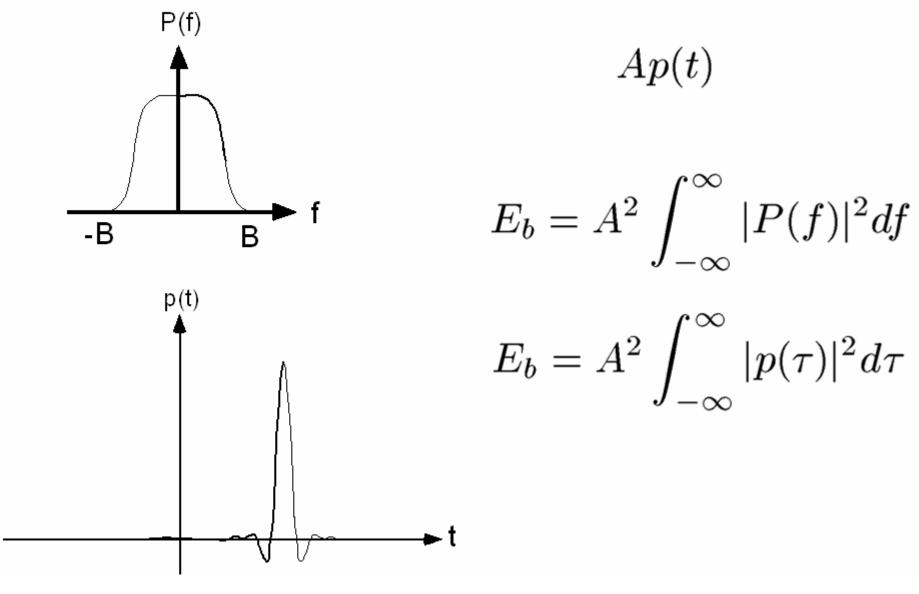
### Convolution

$$z(t) = y(t) * x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y(\lambda) x(t-\lambda) d\lambda$$

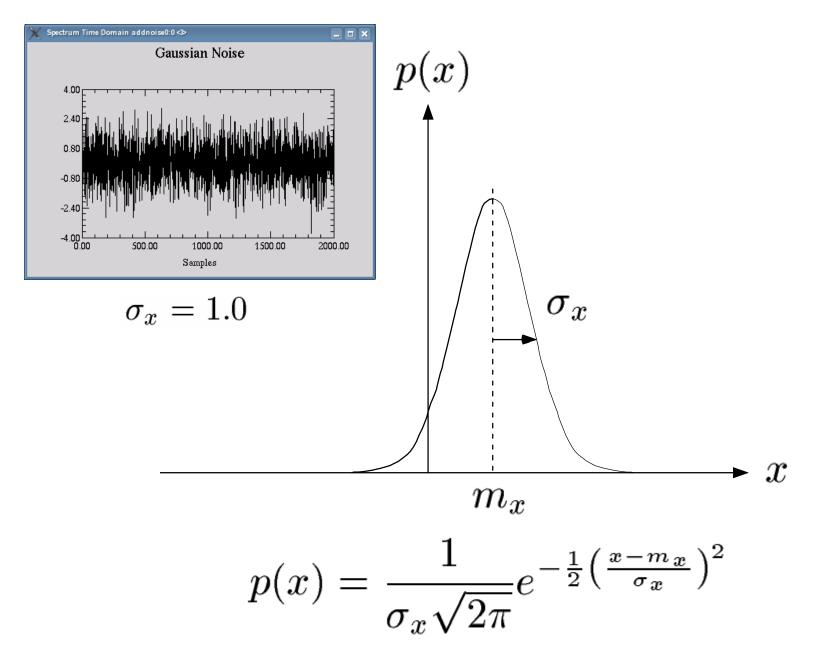




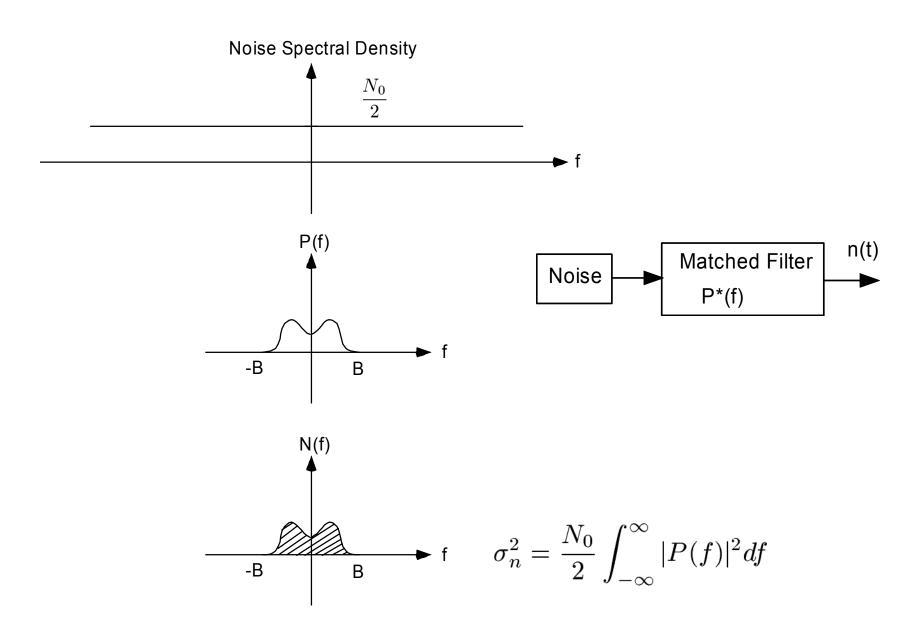
### Signal Energy

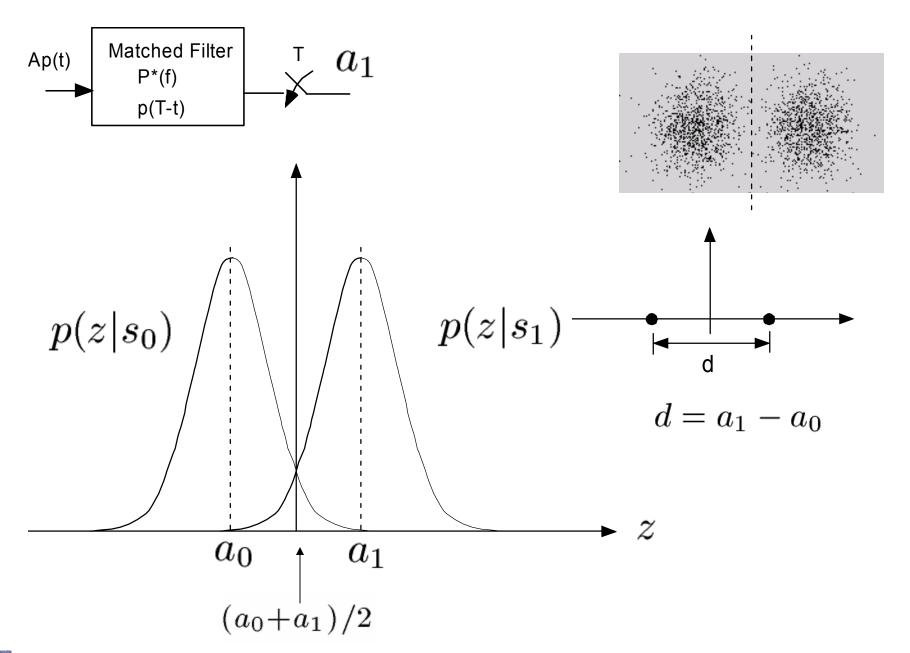


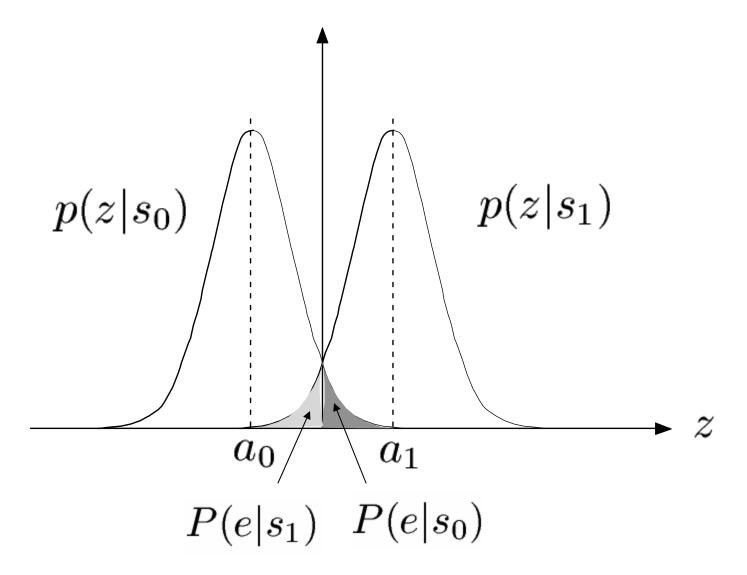












$$P_e = P(e|s_0)p(s_0) + P(e|s_1)p(s_1)$$

$$p(s_0) = p(s_1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P_e = P(e|s_0) = P(e|s_1)$$

$$p(z|s_0) = \frac{1}{\sigma_n \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{z-a_0}{\sigma_n}\right)^2}$$

$$P_e = \int_{(a_0 + a_1)/2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sigma_n \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{z - a_0}{\sigma_n}\right)^2} dz$$



$$Q(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_x^{\infty} e^{-\frac{u^2}{2}} du$$

$$d = a_1 - a_0$$

x > 3

$$Q(x) \approx \frac{1}{x\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$$

$$P_e = Q\left(\frac{a_1 - a_0}{2\sigma_n}\right)$$

$$\sigma_n^2 = \frac{N_0}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df$$

$$a_0 = -A \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df$$

Ap(t) Matched Filter P\*(f) 
$$A \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df$$
 
$$A \int_{-\infty}^{T} |p(\tau)|^2 d\tau$$

Energy

$$a_1 = A \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df$$

$$\frac{(a_1 - a_0)^2}{4\sigma_n^2} = \frac{4A^2(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df)^2}{4\frac{N_0}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df}$$

Received Signal 
$$\ Ap(t)$$

 $\frac{(a_1 - a_0)^2}{4\sigma_n^2} = \frac{2A^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df}{N_0}$ 

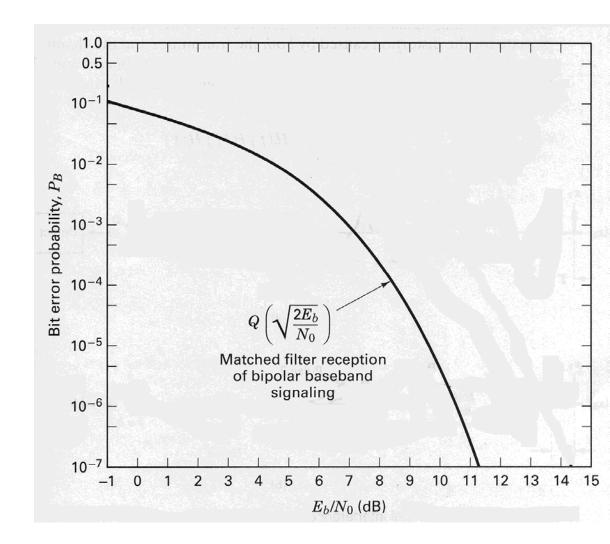
$$E_b = A^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |P(f)|^2 df$$

$$\frac{(a_1 - a_0)^2}{4\sigma_n^2} = \frac{2E_b}{N_0} \qquad \frac{(a_1 - a_0)}{2\sigma_n} = \sqrt{\frac{2E_b}{N_0}}$$

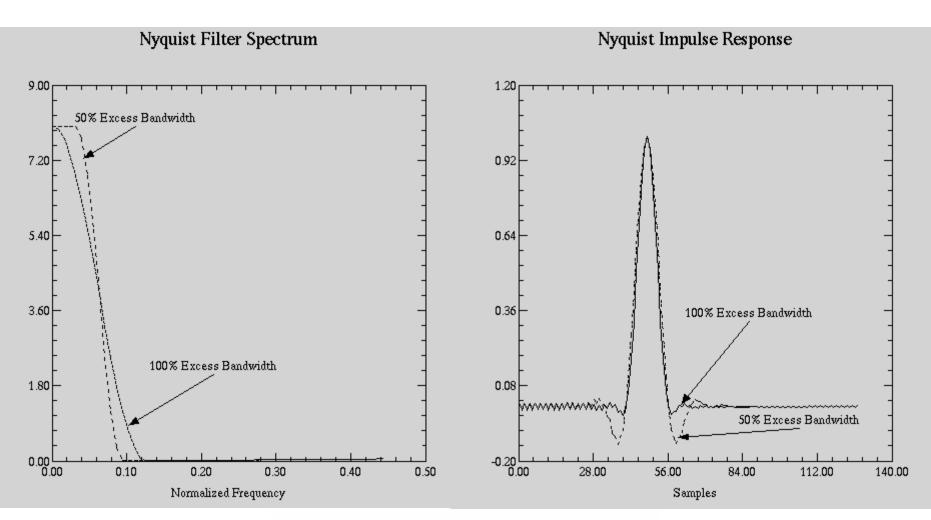
$$P_e = Q\left(\sqrt{\frac{2E_b}{N_0}}\right)$$

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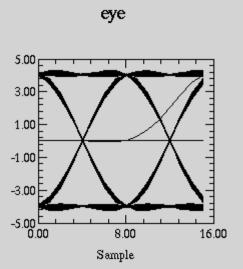


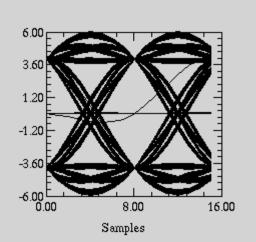
## Nyquist Pulse Shaping



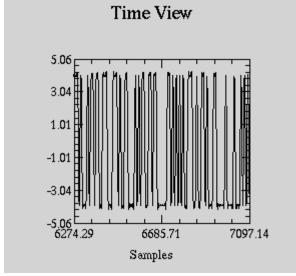
$$h(t) = \frac{\sin \pi t/T}{\pi t/T} \frac{\cos \beta \pi t/T}{1 - 4\beta^2 t^2/T^2}$$

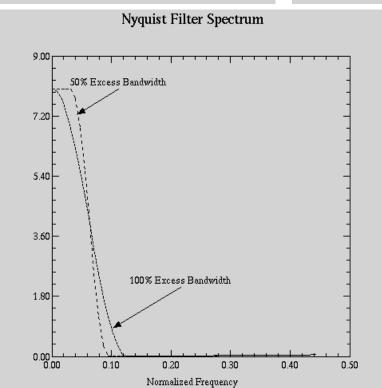


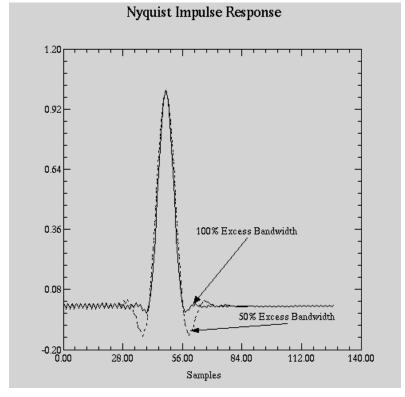




Eye 50% Excess Bandwidth



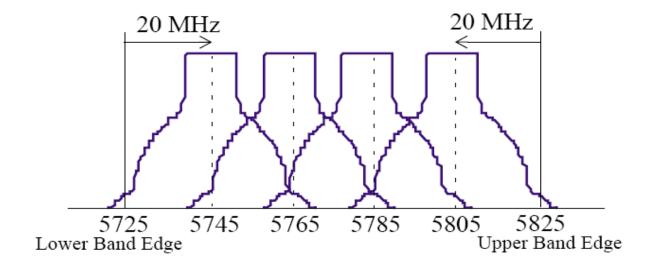






# **Bandpass Channels**





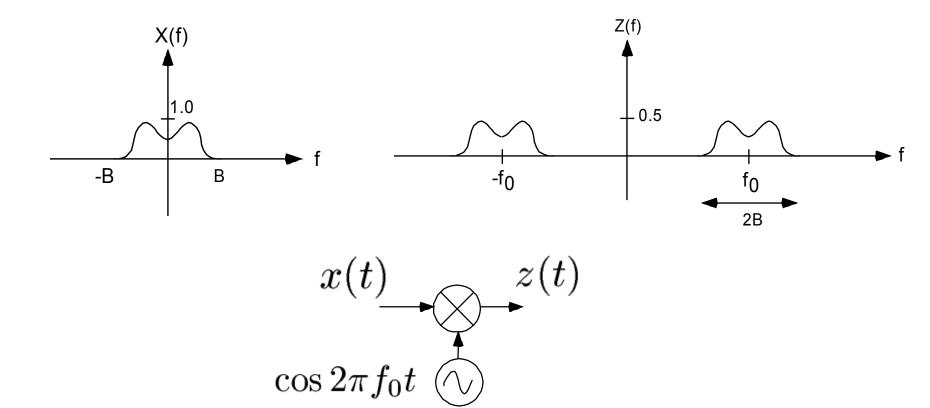
Upper U-NII Bands: 4 Carriers in 100 MHz / 20 MHz Spacing

## Modulation

$$x(t)e^{j2\pi f_0 t} \longleftrightarrow X(f-f_0)$$

$$\cos 2\pi f_0 t = \frac{1}{2} (e^{j2\pi f_0 t} + e^{-j2\pi f_0 t})$$

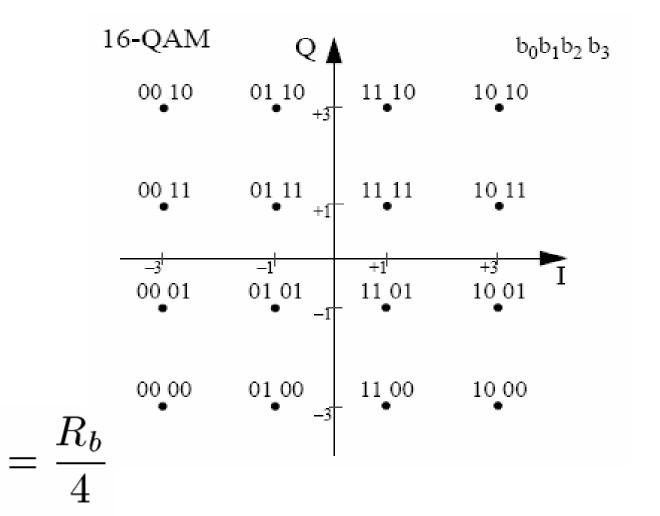
$$x(t)\cos 2\pi f_0 t \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{2} [X(f - f_0) + X(f + f_0)]$$



## **QPSK Constellation**

$$R_s = \frac{R_b}{2}$$

## **16 QAM**





For fixed bandwidth throughput limited by among others:

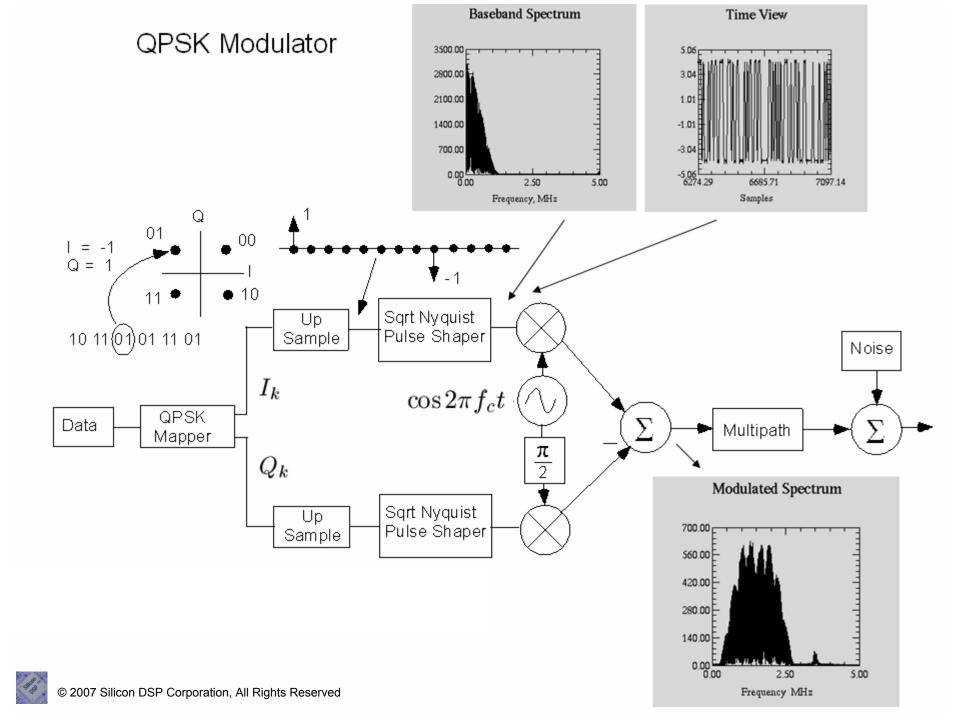
- SNR (Power Limitation)
- Nonlinearity
- Fading Multipath Channel
- PLL Phase Noise

For example to use 256 QAM (8 bits/symbol) need higher SNR (Greater Power), High linearity in PA and also RF Receive Chain.

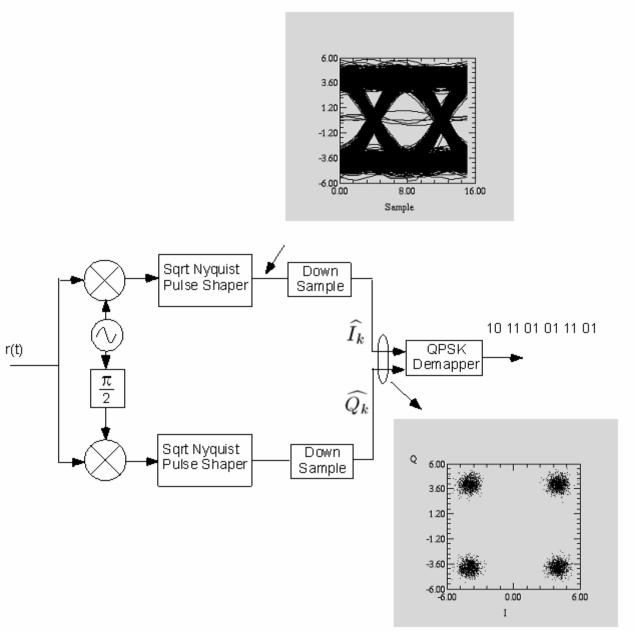
This compounded by high peak to average power ratio.

Shannon-Hartley Capacity Theorem

$$C = W \log_2(1 + \frac{S}{N}) \qquad \qquad \operatorname*{w \ in \ Hz}_{\text{c bits/s}}$$

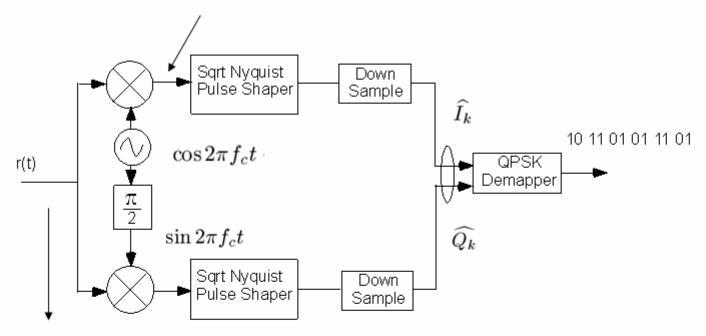


### **QPSK Demodulator**



### **Quadrature Demodulation**

 $r(t)\cos 2\pi f_c t = I_k \cos^2 2\pi f_c t - Q_k \sin 2\pi f_c t \cos 2\pi f_c t$ 



$$r(t) = I_k \cos 2\pi f_c t - Q_k \sin 2\pi f_c t$$

$$\cos^2 \alpha = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\alpha)$$

Baseband 
$$\cos\alpha\sin\beta = \frac{1}{2}\sin(\alpha-\beta) + \frac{1}{2}\sin(\alpha+\beta)$$
 Filtered Out 
$$r(t)\cos2\pi f_c t = \frac{1}{2}I_k + \frac{1}{2}I_k\cos4\pi f_c t - \frac{1}{2}Q_k\sin4\pi f_c t$$



$$r(t) = I_k \cos 2\pi f_c t - Q_k \sin 2\pi f_c t$$

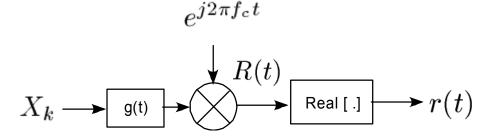
$$X_k = I_k + jQ_k$$

$$e^{j2\pi f_c t} = \cos 2\pi f_c t + j\sin 2\pi f_c t$$

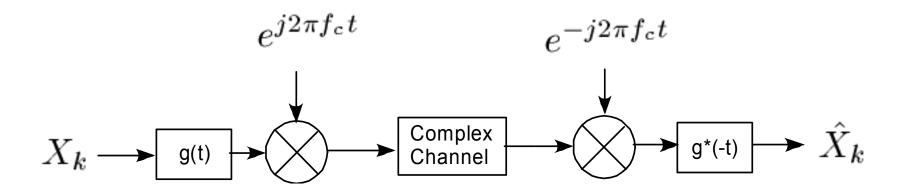
$$R(t) = X_k e^{j2\pi f_c t}$$
 Complex Envelope

$$R(t) = I_k \cos 2\pi f_c t - Q_k \sin 2\pi f_c t + j(I_k \cos 2\pi f_c t + Q_k \sin 2\pi f_c t)$$

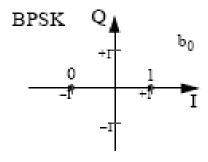
$$r(t) = Real [R(t)] = I_k \cos 2\pi f_c t - Q_k \sin 2\pi f_c t$$

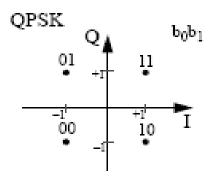


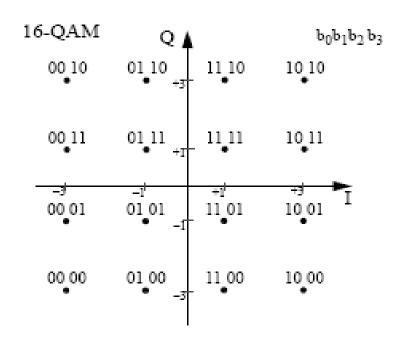




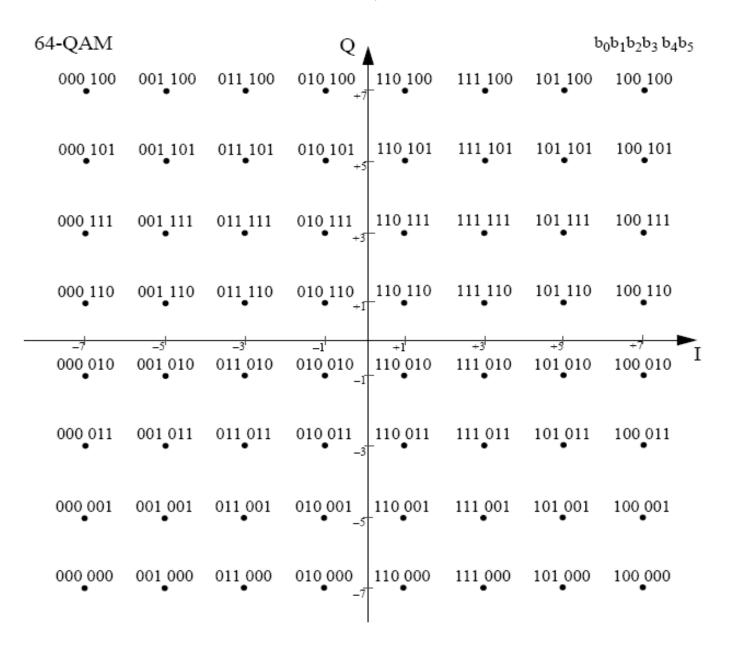
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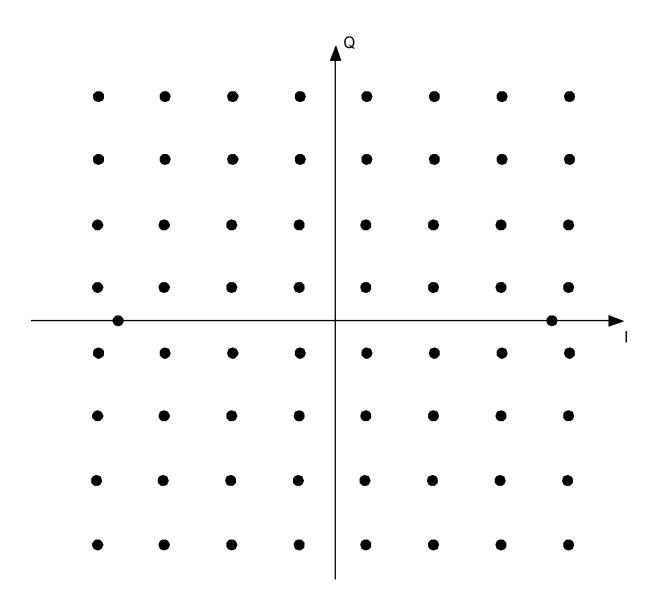




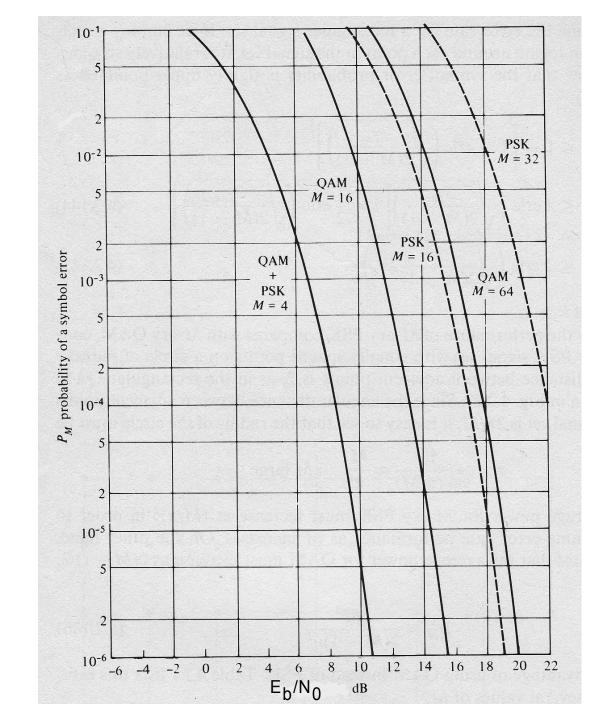


### **64 QAM**









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