

2017 2Q  
Wireless Communication Engineering

#4 Digital Modulation  
and Pulse Shaping

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# Course Schedule (1)

	Date	Text	Contents
#1	June 12	1, 7	Introduction to wireless communication systems
#2	June 15	2, 5, etc	Link budget design of wireless access
#3	June 19		Up/down conversion and equivalent baseband system
#4	June 22	3.3, 3.4	Digital modulation and pulse shaping
#5	June 26	3.5	Demodulation and detection error due to noise
#6	June 29		Collaborative exercise for better understanding 1
#7	July 3	4.4	Channel fading and diversity combining
#8	July 6	4.6	Error correction coding

# From Previous Lecture

- Equivalent baseband system

$$y_B(t) = \int h_B(\tau) s_B(t - \tau) d\tau$$

$$y_B(t) = y_A(t)e^{-j2\pi f_0 t} \quad y_A(t) = y(t) + j \text{hilb}(y(t))$$

- Power spectrum of transmit signal

$$S^s(f) = \frac{1}{4} (S_B^s(f - f_0) + S_B^s(-f - f_0))$$

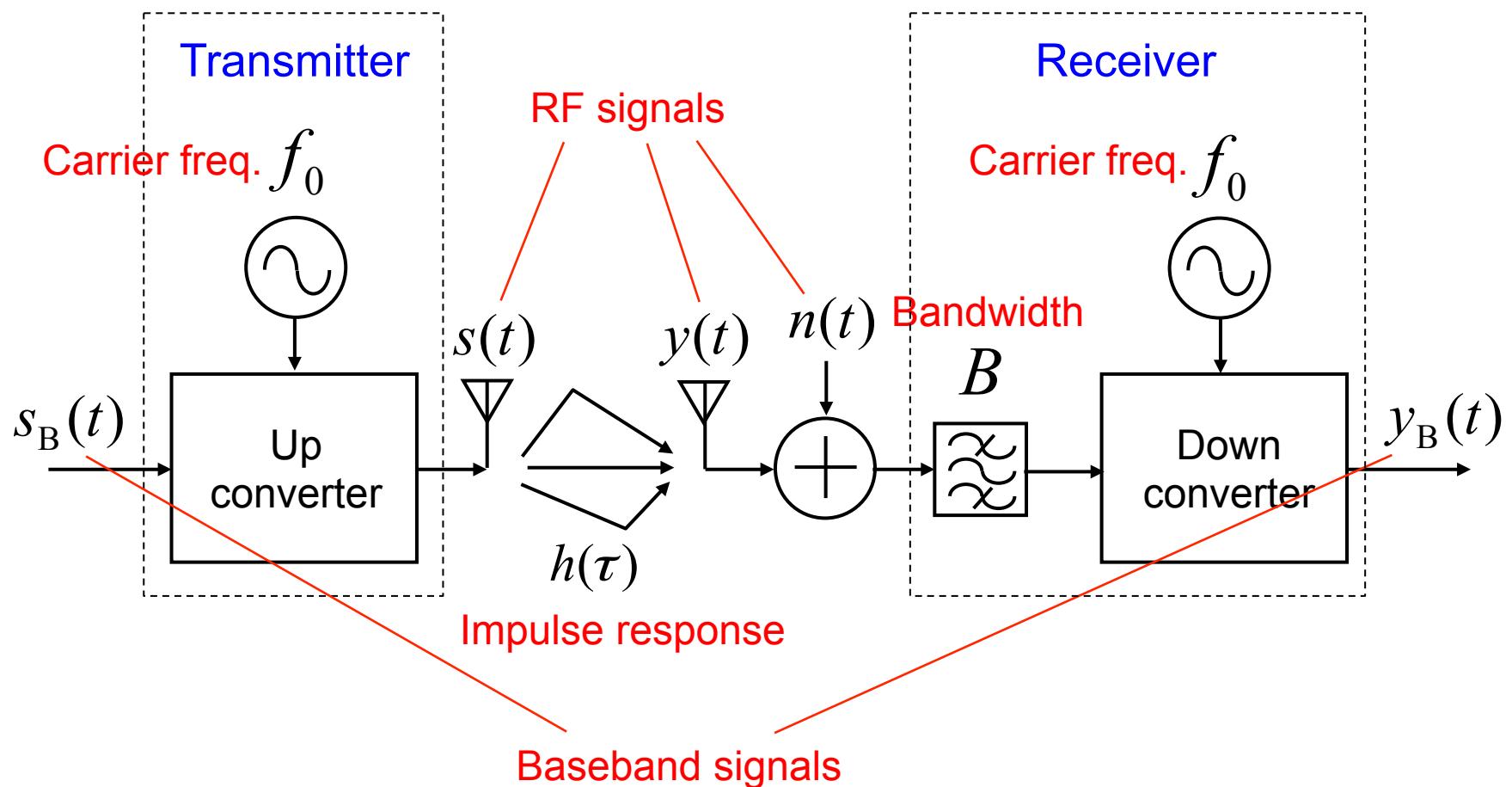
- Power spectrum of receive signal

$$S_B^y(f) = |H_B(f)|^2 S_B^s(f)$$

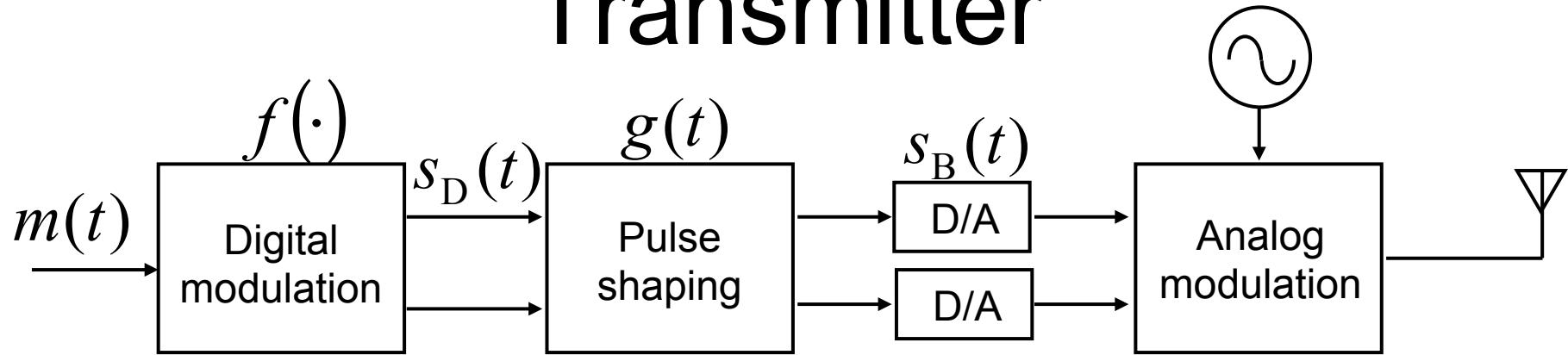
# Contents

- Structure of transmitter
- Amplitude shift keying
- Phase shift keying
- Frequency shift keying
- Pulse shaping
- Experiments

# Transceiver System



# Transmitter



Message signal

$$m(t) = \sum_n a_n \delta(t - nT_s)$$

Digital modulation

$$s_D(t) = s_{DI}(t) + j s_{DQ}(t) = f(m(t))$$

Pulse shaping

$$s_B(t) = s_{BI}(t) + j s_{BQ}(t) = \int g(\tau) s_D(t - \tau) d\tau$$

Message sequence

$$a_n = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if symbol 1} \\ 0, & \text{if symbol 0} \end{cases}$$

Mapping function

Pulse shape

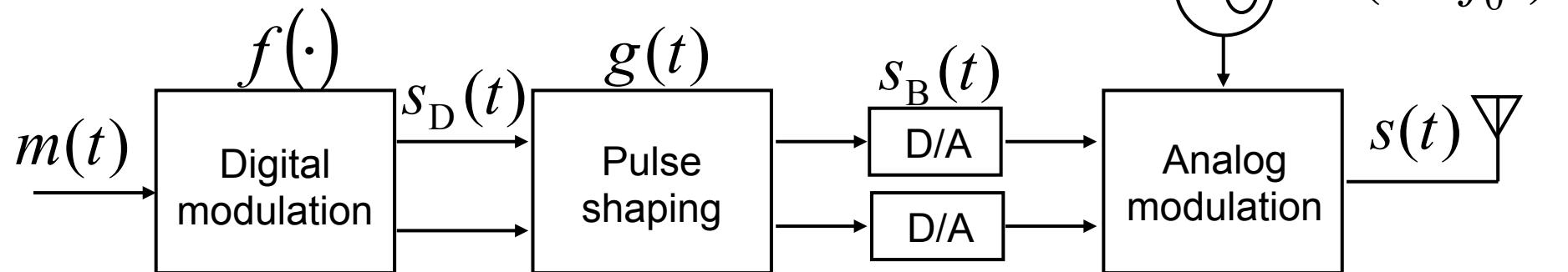
Modulation order & bit rate

$$\begin{aligned} M &= 2 \\ R &= \log_2 M = 1 \end{aligned}$$

- Amplitude
- Phase
- Frequency

- Rectangular
- Nyquist
- Gaussian

# Transmitter



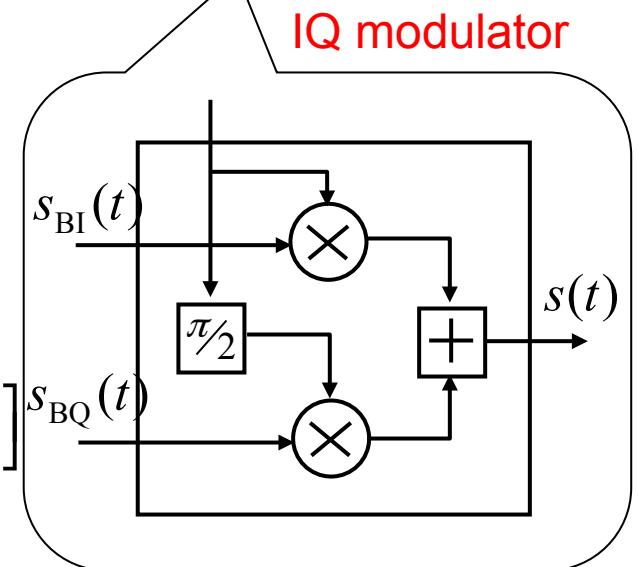
Analog modulation

Carrier freq.

$$s(t) = \underbrace{s_{BI}(t)\cos(2\pi f_0 t)}_{\text{In-phase (I)}} - \underbrace{s_{BQ}(t)\sin(2\pi f_0 t)}_{\text{Quadrature (Q)}}$$

$$= \underbrace{\text{Re}[(s_{BI}(t) + js_{BQ}(t))(\cos(2\pi f_0 t) + j\sin(2\pi f_0 t))]}_{\text{Complex baseband signal}}$$

$$= \underbrace{\text{Re}[r(t)\exp(j\theta(t))\exp(j2\pi f_0 t)]}_{\text{Amplitude}} \underbrace{\exp(j2\pi f_0 t)}_{\text{Frequency}} \underbrace{\exp(j\theta(t))}_{\text{Phase}} = r(t)\cos(2\pi f_0 t + \theta(t))$$



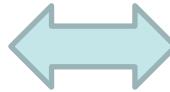
# Design of Modulation & Pulse Shaping

Carrier freq.  $f_0$



Coverage  $d_0 = \sqrt{\frac{A_t P_t}{4\pi\alpha N_0 f_0 \gamma_0}}$

Symbol period  $T_s$



Bandwidth  $B \propto \frac{1}{T_s}$

Modulation order  $M$



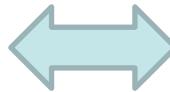
Data rate  $\frac{\log_2 M}{T_s}$

Modulation  $f(\cdot)$



Power efficiency, complexity,  
error rate  $p_e$

Pulse shape  $g(t)$



Power leakage  
 $S_B^s(t) = |g(f)|^2 S_D^s(t)$

# Amplitude Shift Keying (ASK)

Digital modulation

$$s_D(t) = s_{DI}(t) = m(t)$$

Pulse shaping (rectangular)

$$\begin{aligned} s_B(t) &= \int g_{\text{rect}}(\tau) s_D(t - \tau) d\tau \\ &= \sum_n a_n g_{\text{rect}}(t - nT_s) \end{aligned}$$

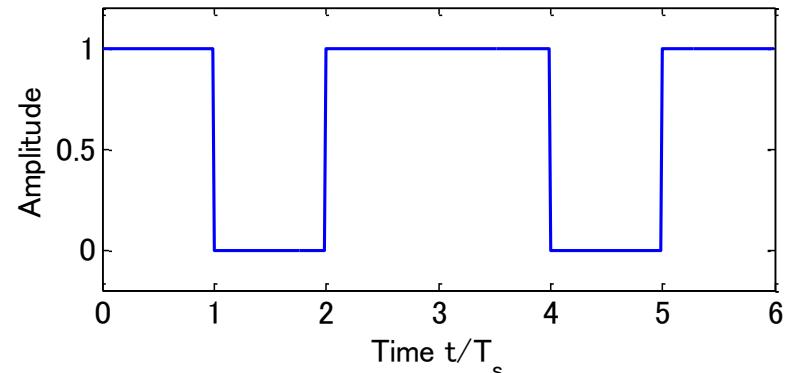
Analog modulation

$$\begin{aligned} s(t) &= s_B(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) \\ &= \begin{cases} \cos(2\pi f_0 t), & \text{if } a_n = 1 \\ 0, & \text{if } a_n = 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

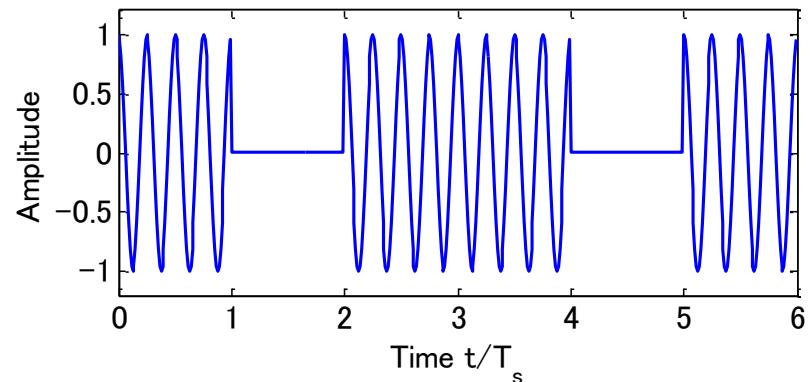
Main features

Error rate = Fair, Power efficiency = Fair, Complexity = Excellent

Message sequence



RF signal



# Binary Phase Shift Keying (BPSK)

Digital modulation

$$\begin{aligned} s_D(t) &= \exp(j\pi m(t)) \\ &= \cos(\pi m(t)) + j \sin(\pi m(t)) \\ &= \sum_n a_{2n} \delta(t - nT_s) \quad a_{2n} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } a_n = 0 \\ -1, & \text{if } a_n = 1 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

NRZ signal

Pulse shaping (rectangular)

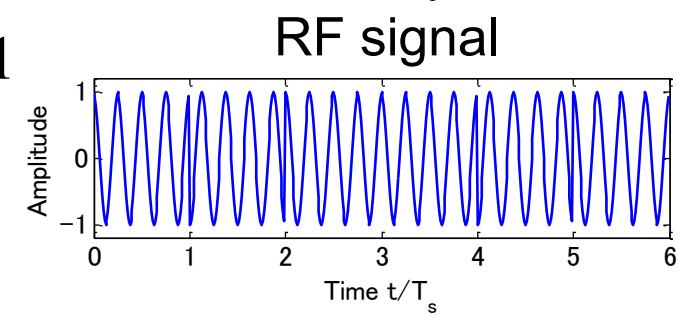
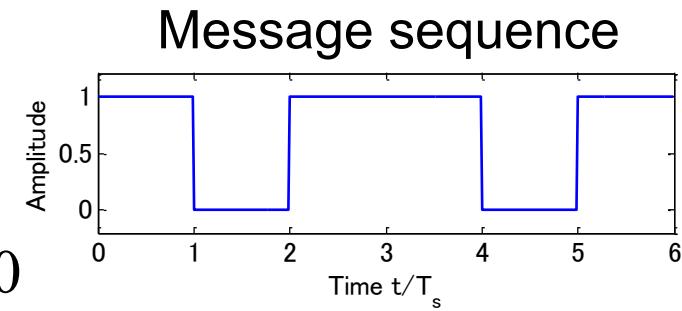
$$s_B(t) = \sum_n a_{2n} g_{\text{rect}}(t - nT_s)$$

Analog modulation

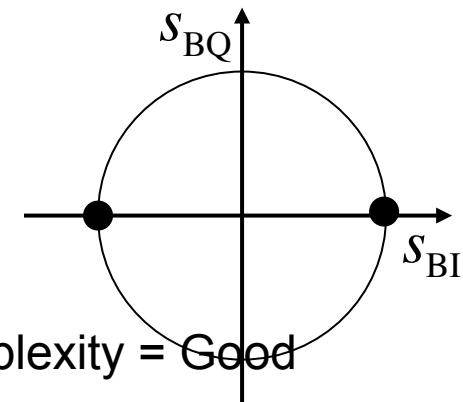
$$s(t) = s_B(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) = \begin{cases} \cos(2\pi f_0 t), & \text{if } a_n = 0 \\ -\cos(2\pi f_0 t), & \text{if } a_n = 1 \end{cases}$$

Main features

Error rate = Excellent, Power efficiency = Good, Complexity = Good



Constellation



# Quadrature Phase Shift Keying (QPSK)

## Message signal

$M = 4 \rightarrow$  Two binary sequences  $m_I(t), m_Q(t)$

## Digital modulation & pulse shaping

$$\begin{aligned} s_D(t) &= \exp(j\pi m_I(t)) + \exp(j(\pi m_Q(t) + \pi/2)) \\ &= \cos(\pi m_I(t)) + j \cos(\pi m_Q(t)) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_n a_{2In} \delta(t - nT_s) + j \sum_n a_{2Qn} \delta(t - nT_s)$$

$$s_B(t) = \sum_n a_{2In} g_{\text{rect}}(t - nT_s) + j \sum_n a_{2Qn} g_{\text{rect}}(t - nT_s)$$

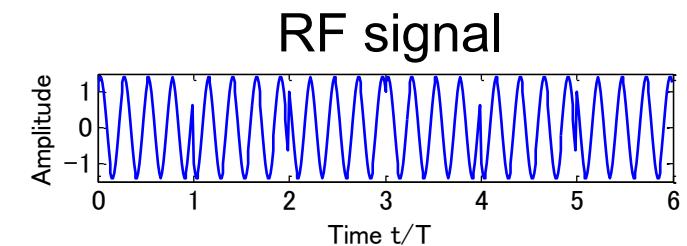
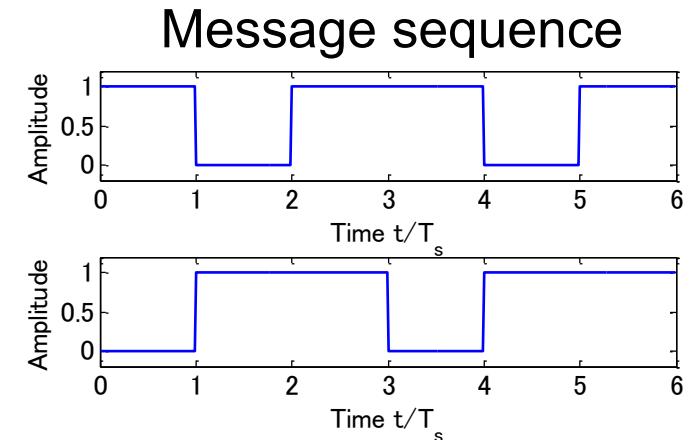
## Analog modulation

$$s(t) = s_{BI}(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) - s_{BQ}(t) \sin(2\pi f_0 t)$$

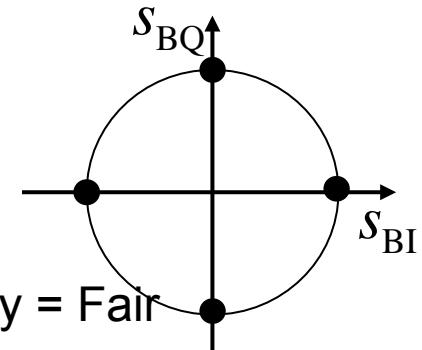
$$= \sqrt{2} \cos(2\pi f_0 t + \text{atan}(s_{BI}(t), s_{BQ}(t)))$$

## Main features

Rate = Good, Error = Excellent, Power = Good, Complexity = Fair



## Constellation



# Quadrature Amplitude Modulation (QAM)

## Message signal

$M = 16 \rightarrow$  Two 4-level sequences  $m_I(t), m_Q(t)$

## Digital modulation & pulse shaping

$$s_D(t) = s_{DI}(t) + js_{DQ}(t)$$

$$s_{DI}(t) = 2m_I(t) - \sqrt{M} + 1 = \sum_n a_{4In} \delta(t - nT_s)$$

$$s_{DQ}(t) = 2m_Q(t) - \sqrt{M} + 1 = \sum_n a_{4Qn} \delta(t - nT_s)$$

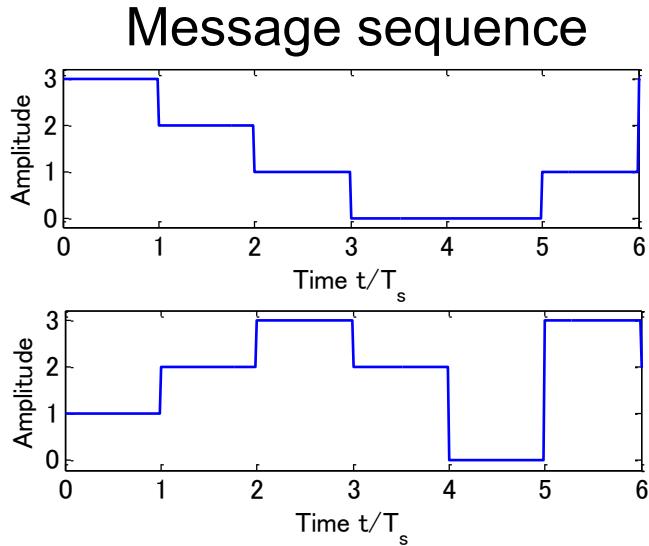
$$s_B(t) = \sum_n a_{4In} g_{\text{rect}}(t - nT_s) + j \sum_n a_{4Qn} g_{\text{rect}}(t - nT_s)$$

## Analog modulation

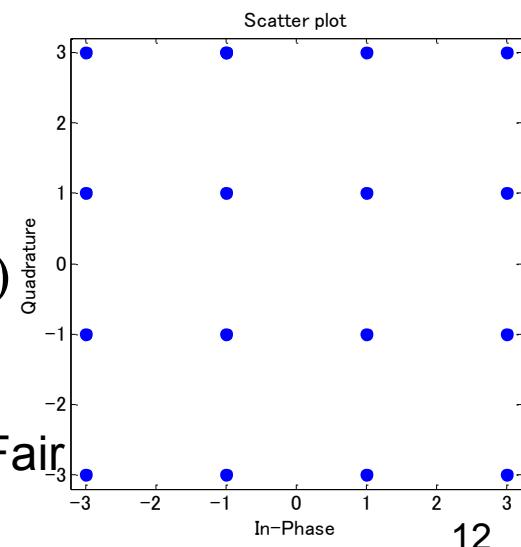
$$\begin{aligned} s(t) &= s_{BI}(t)\cos(2\pi f_0 t) - s_{BQ}(t)\sin(2\pi f_0 t) \\ &= \sqrt{s_{BI}^2(t) + s_{BQ}^2(t)} \cos(2\pi f_0 t + \text{atan}(s_{BI}(t), s_{BQ}(t))) \end{aligned}$$

## Main features

Rate = Excellent, Error = Fair, Power, Fair, Complexity = Fair



## Constellation $M = 16$



# Binary Freq. Shift Keying (BFSK)

BPSK modulation

$$\tilde{s}_D(t) = \sum_n a_{2n} g_{\text{rect}}(t - nT_s)$$

BFSK modulation

$$s_B(t) = \cos(\theta(t)) + j \sin(\theta(t))$$

$$\theta(t) = \pi \Delta f \int_{-\infty}^t \tilde{s}_D(\tau) d\tau$$

$$f_B(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{d\theta(t)}{dt} = \frac{\Delta f}{2} \tilde{s}_D(t)$$

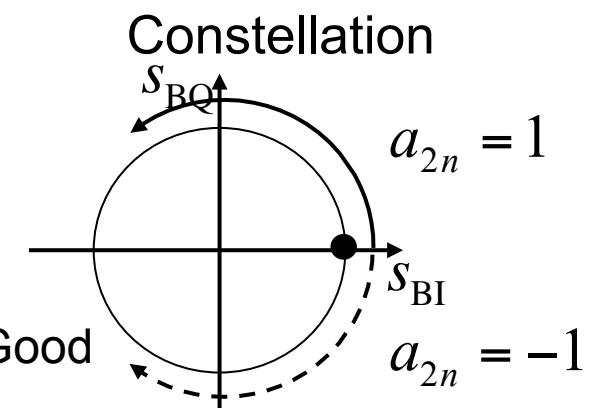
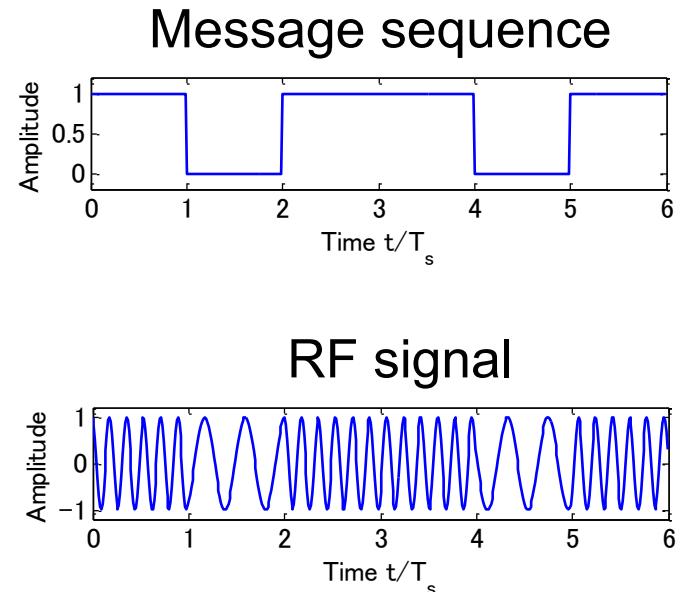
Analog modulation

$$s(t) = \cos(\theta(t)) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) - \sin(\theta(t)) \sin(2\pi f_0 t)$$

$$= \cos(2\pi f_0 t + \theta(t)) = \cos(2\pi(f_0 + \frac{\Delta f}{2} \tilde{s}_D(t))t)$$

Main features

Rate = Fair, Error = Fair, Power = Good, Complexity = Good



# Minimum Shift Keying (MSK)

Differential representation of phase

$$\begin{aligned}\theta(nT_s) &= \pi\Delta f \int_{-\infty}^{nT_s} \tilde{s}_D(\tau) d\tau \\ &= \pi\Delta f \int_{(n-1)T_s}^{nT_s} \tilde{s}_D(\tau) d\tau + \theta((n-1)T_s) \\ &= \underline{\pi\Delta f T_s a_{2n}} + \theta((n-1)T_s)\end{aligned}$$

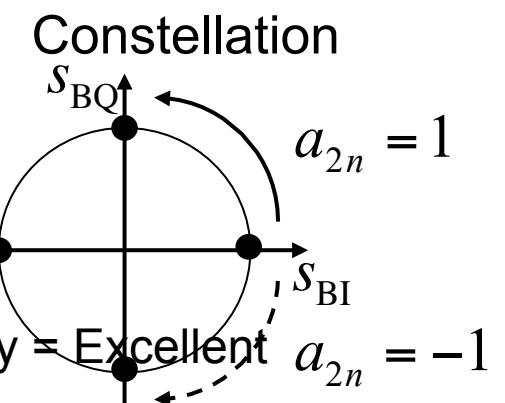
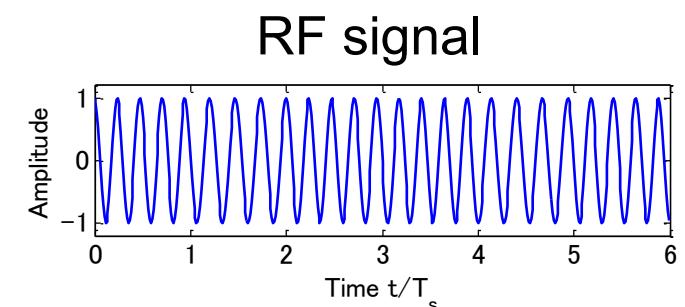
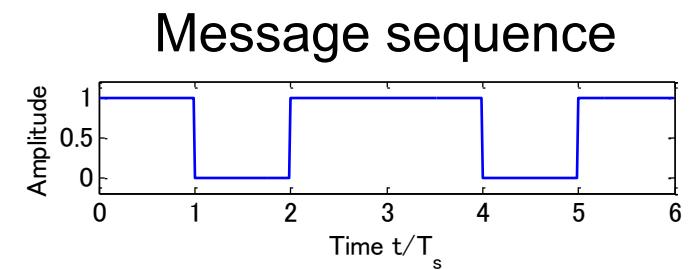
Modulation order (BT factor)

Condition on constant phase difference

$$\begin{aligned}\pi\Delta f T a_{2n} = k \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \rightarrow \quad \Delta f T = \frac{k}{2} \\ k = 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{MSK}\end{aligned}$$

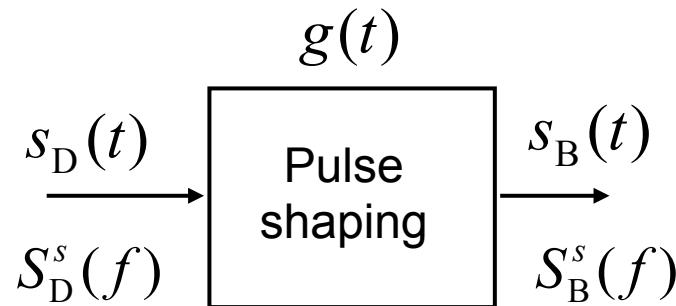
Main features

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# Pulse Shaping Filter

Pulse shaping filter



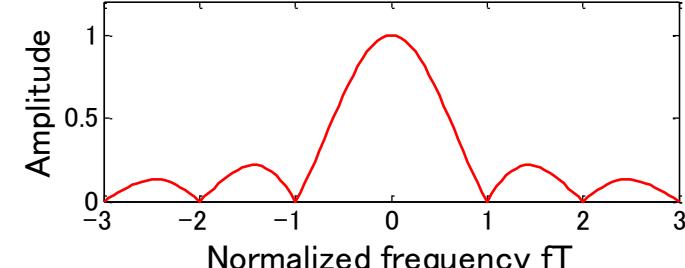
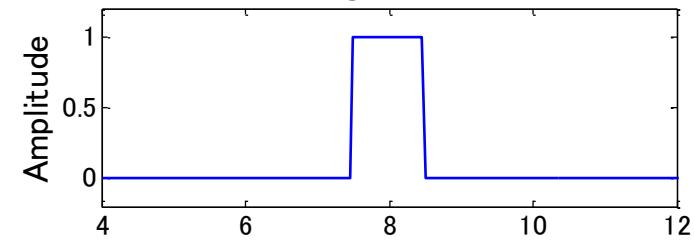
$$s_B(t) = \int g(\tau) s_D(t - \tau) d\tau$$

$$S_B^s(f) = |G(f)|^2 S_D^s(f)$$

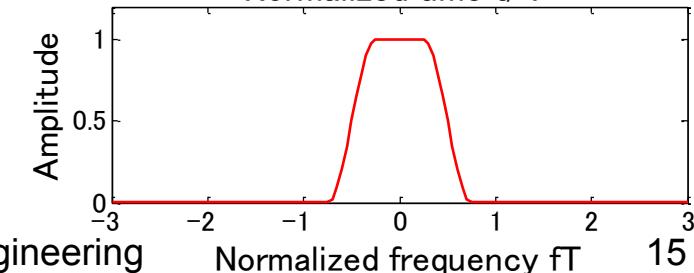
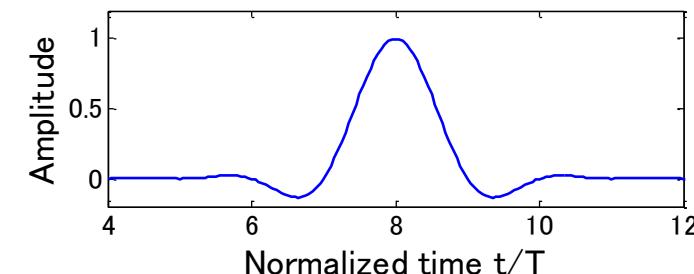


Trade-off between  
bandwidth & inter-symbol interference

Rectangular pulse



Nyquist pulse



# Nyquist Pulse

Frequency response

$$G(f) =$$

$$= \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq |fT_s| < \frac{1-\alpha}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2\alpha} (2fT_s - 1) \right) \right) & \frac{1-\alpha}{2} \leq |fT_s| < \frac{1+\alpha}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1+\alpha}{2} \leq |fT_s| \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

Role-off factor

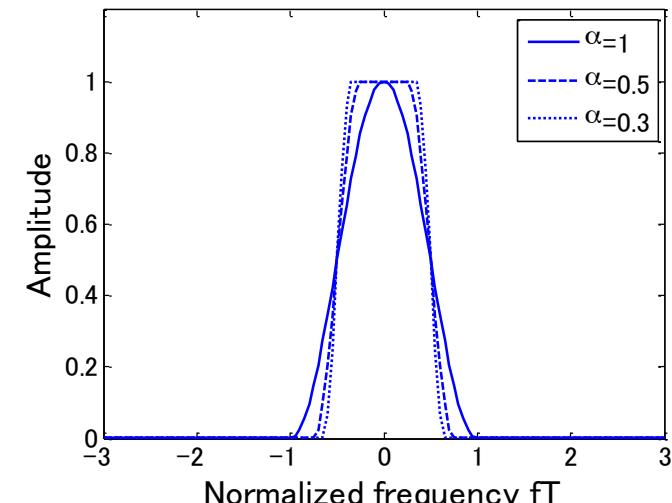
Impulse response

$$g(t) = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T_s}\right)}{\frac{\pi t}{T_s}} \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\alpha\pi t}{T_s}\right)}{1 - \left(\frac{2\alpha t}{T_s}\right)^2}$$

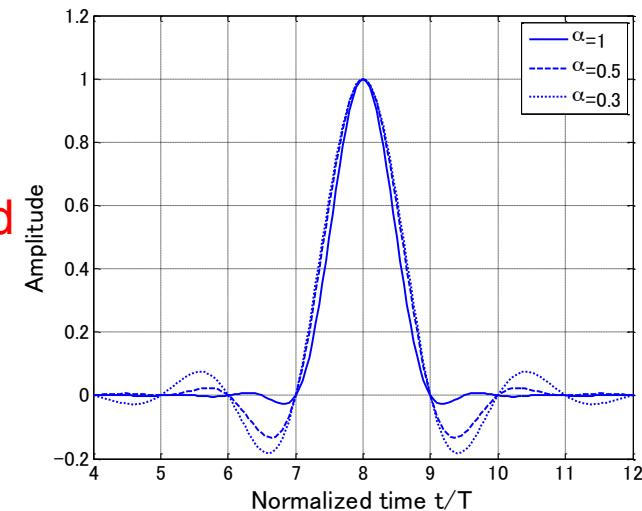
Zero cross  
every symbol period

No inter-symbol  
interference

Frequency response



Impulse response



# Gaussian Pulse

Frequency response

$$G(f) = \exp\left(-\left(\frac{f}{f_c}\right)^2\right)$$

3dB bandwidth

$$f = \frac{B}{2}, G(f) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \rightarrow f_c = \frac{B}{\sqrt{2 \ln 2}}$$

$$G(f) = \exp\left(-2 \ln 2 \left(\frac{f}{B}\right)^2\right)$$

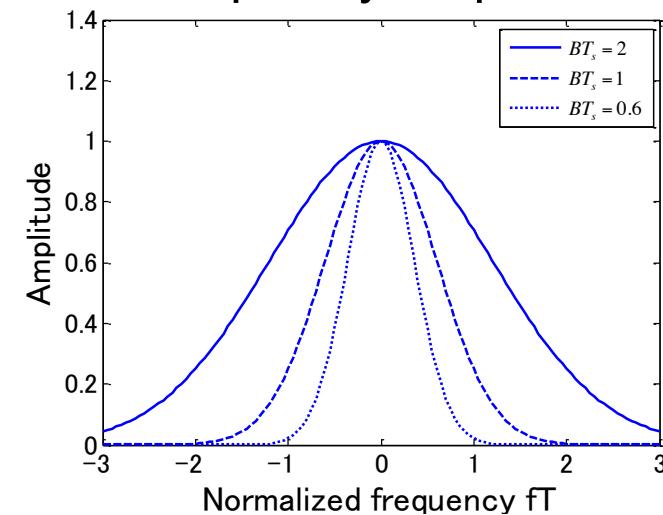
Impulse response

$$g(t) = \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2 \ln 2}} B \exp\left(-\frac{\pi^2}{2 \ln 2} (Bt)^2\right)$$

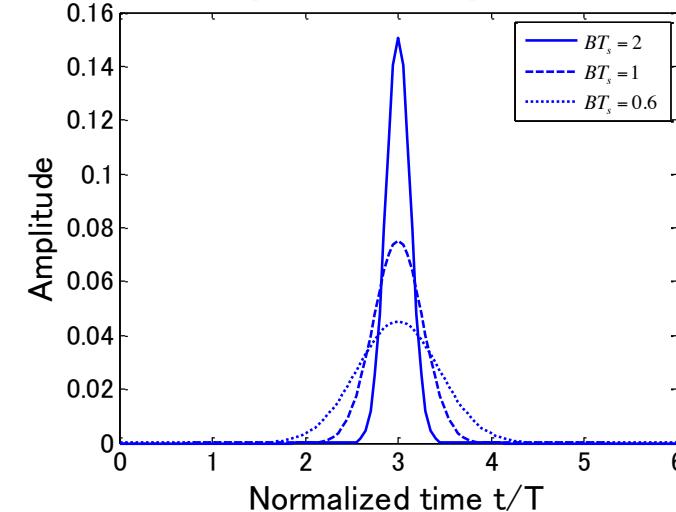


Sharpest response in both freq. & time

Frequency response



Impulse response



# Summary

## ■ Digital modulation

$$s_D(t) = s_{DI}(t) + js_{DQ}(t) = f(m(t)) \quad \begin{cases} \cdot \text{Amplitude} \\ \cdot \text{Phase} \\ \cdot \text{Frequency} \end{cases}$$


Data rate, power efficiency, complexity, error rate

## ■ Pulse shaping (band limitation)

$$s_B(t) = \int g(\tau) s_D(t - \tau) d\tau \quad \begin{cases} \cdot \text{Rectangular} \\ \cdot \text{Nyquist} \\ \cdot \text{Gaussian} \end{cases}$$


Bandwidth, error rate

## ■ IQ analog modulation

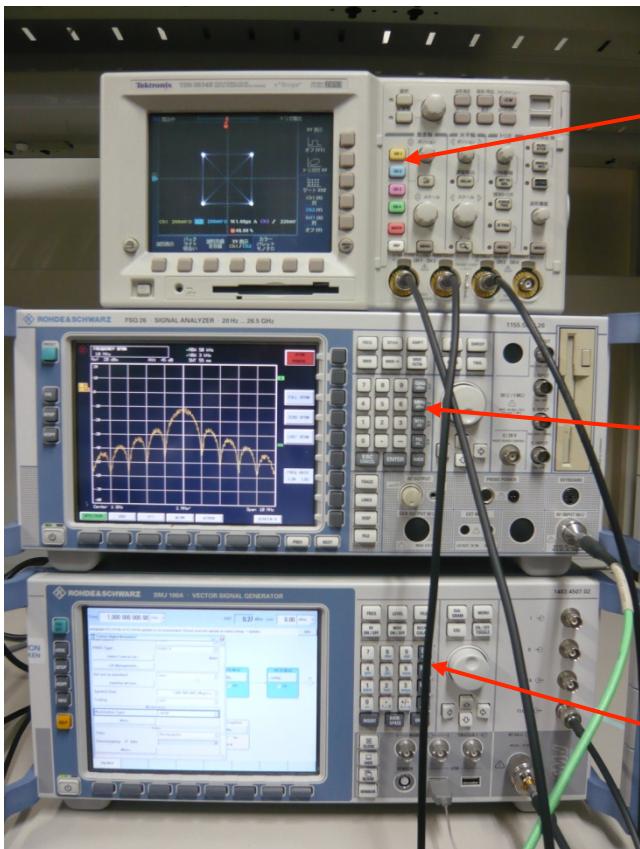
$$s(t) = s_{BI}(t)\cos(2\pi f_0 t) - s_{BQ}(t)\sin(2\pi f_0 t)$$



Carrier frequency

# Experiment

## Set up



### Osilloscope

- TDS 3034B (Tektronix)
- Time domain analysis
- Constellation (X-Y) analysis

### Spectrum analyzer

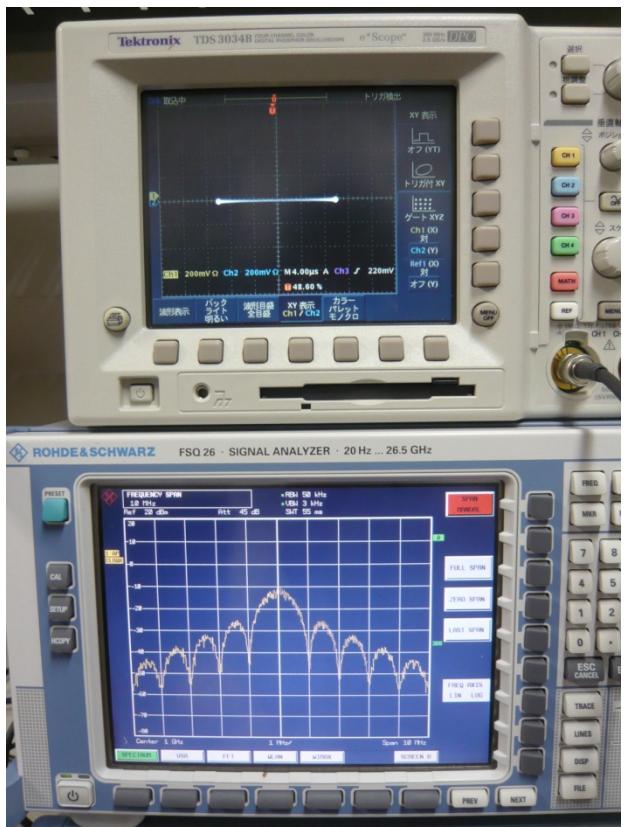
- FSQ 26 (R&S)
- Spectrum analysis

### Signal generator

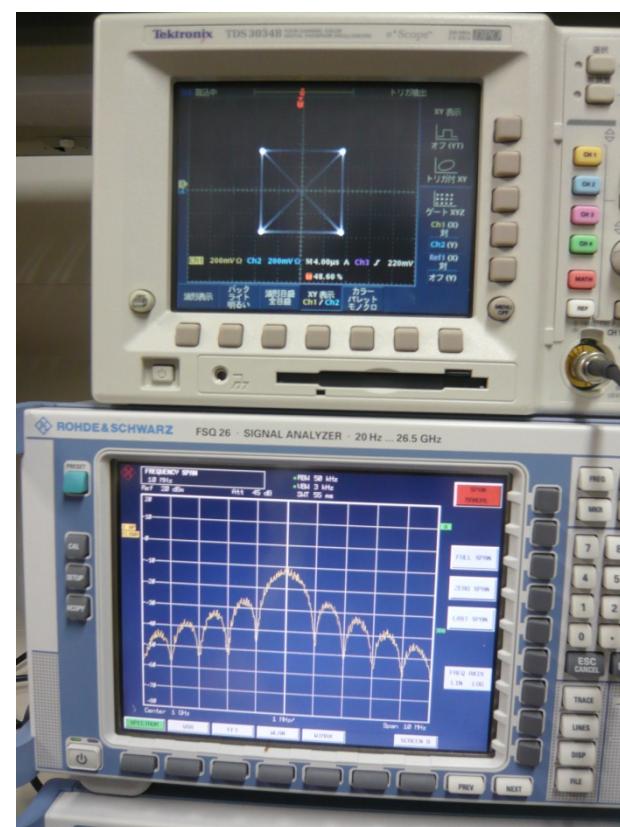
- SMJ 100A (R&S)
- Modulation, pulse shaping

# BPSK(QPSK) + Rect. Pulse

BPSK

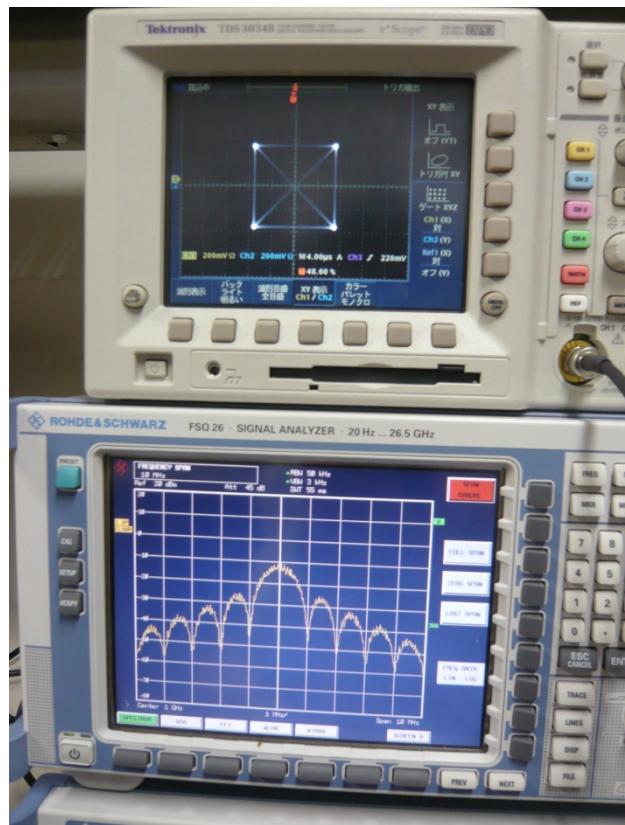


QPSK

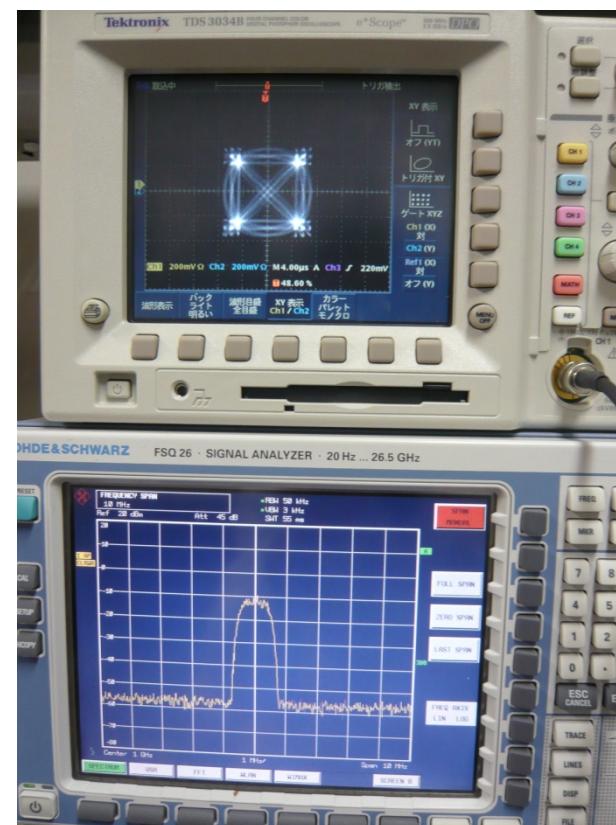


# QPSK + Nyquist Pulse

Rectangular pulse

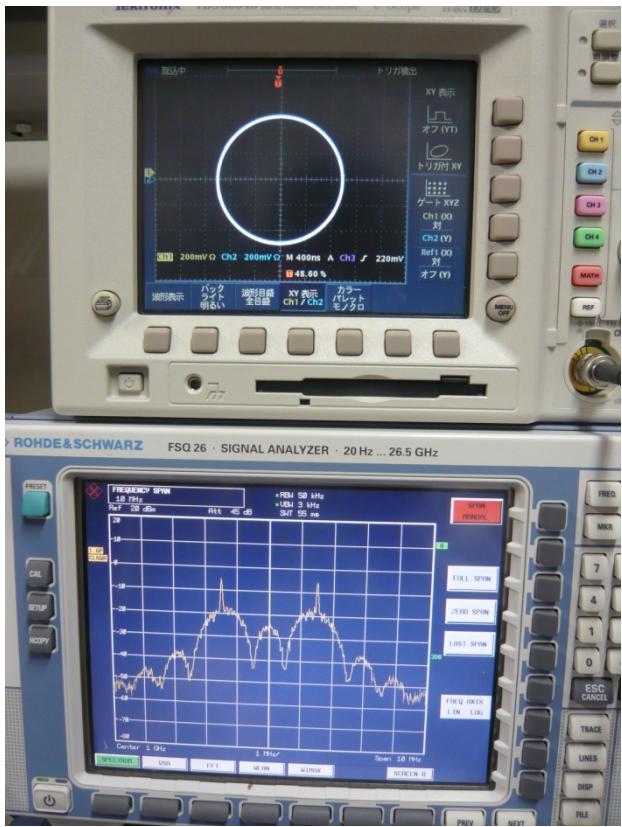


Nyquist pulse

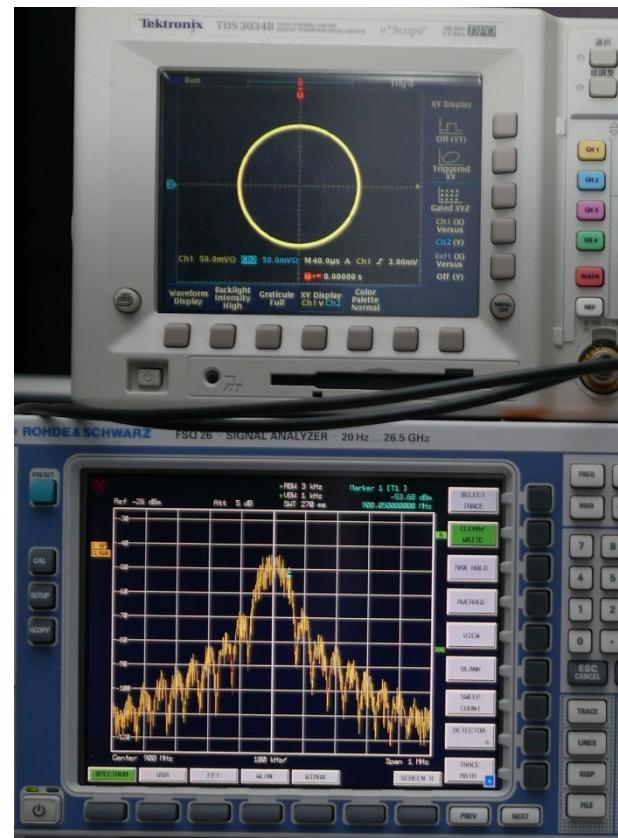


# BFSK + Rect. Pulse

BFSK



MSK



# MSK + Gaussian Pulse

Nyquist pulse, Gaussian pulse

