

Principles of communication systems

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Homework #03 (Due on Sep 21)

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Problem 1

Effect of phase shift in demodulation

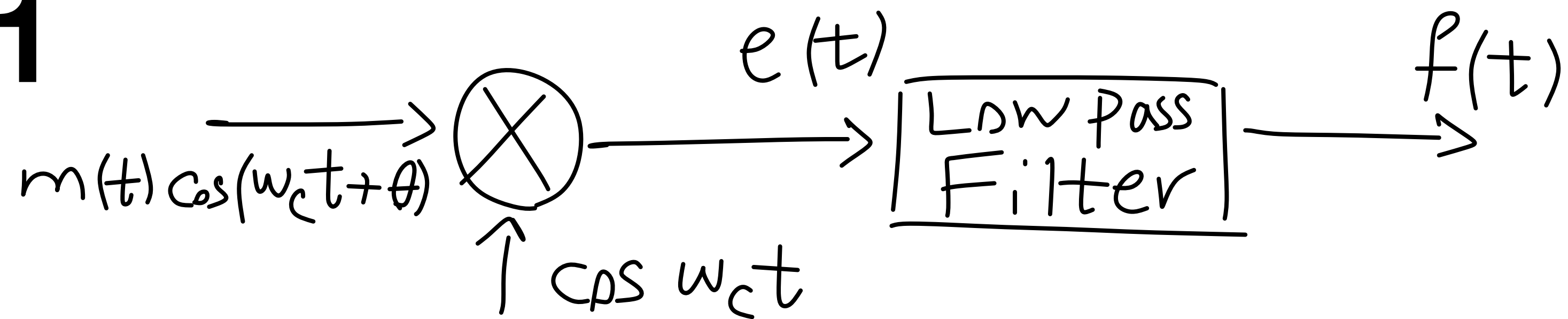
Assume we have a modulated signal that we transmit. During transmission in the channel the signal picks up a phase so when it arrives at the receiver we

have $s(t) = m(t) \cos(\omega_c t + \theta)$.

The Receiver demodulates this signal by multiplying it with a cosine wave with the same frequency as the diagram shows.

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1. Calculate $e(t)$.
2. The multiplied signal goes through a low pass filter which blocks all frequencies above ω_c . What is the final signal $f(t)$ at the output of the filter?
* your answer should be a function of θ .
3. What happens if $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$?
4. What is the effect of phase shift θ ?

Problem 2

Modulation of a multi-tone message

A multi-tone message contains more than a single frequency.

Let's assume my message is

$$m(t) = \frac{1}{4} \cos(2\pi(10^3)t) + \frac{3}{4} \cos(2\pi(2.3 \times 10^3)t)$$

It contains two tones at 1 kHz and 2.3 kHz.

1. plot the spectrum (Fourier transform) of $m(t)$.

Problem 2

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2. We modulate our message signal $m(t)$ with a carrier with frequency 10 kHz.

(a) plot the spectrum of the modulated signal.

(b) Denote the lower and upper subbands.

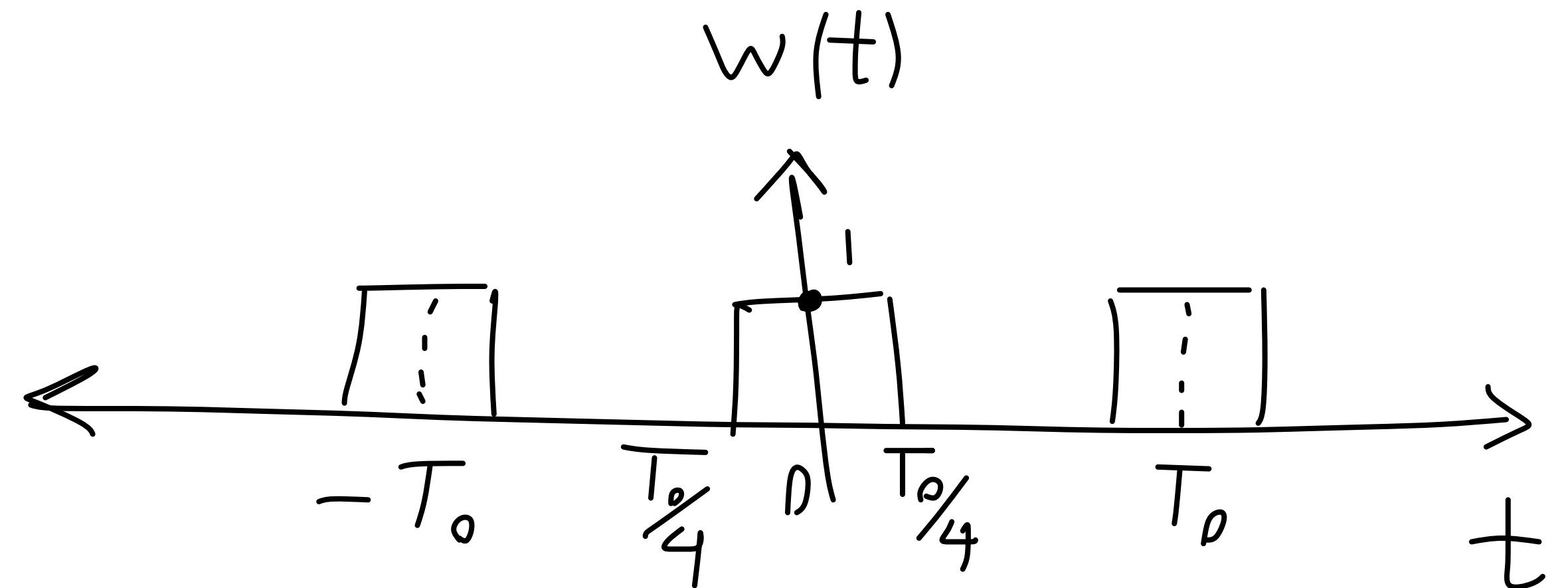
Problem 3

Fourier series of a pulse train

Any periodic signal such as $w(t)$ can be written down as a Fourier series ($f_0 = \frac{1}{T_0}$)

The coefficients are calculated as follows

$$C_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} w(t) e^{-j2\pi n f_0 t} dt$$



$$w(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} C_n e^{j2\pi f_0 t}$$

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The goal is to approximate $w(t)$ with its three lowest frequencies:

$$w(t) = C_0 + C_1 e^{j2\pi f_0 t} + C_{-1} e^{-j2\pi f_0 t} + C_2 e^{j2\pi 2f_0 t} + C_{-2} e^{-j2\pi 2f_0 t}$$

Calculate $C_0, C_1, C_{-1}, C_2, C_{-2}$

* You can calculate C_n for any n and then replace n with the proper values.