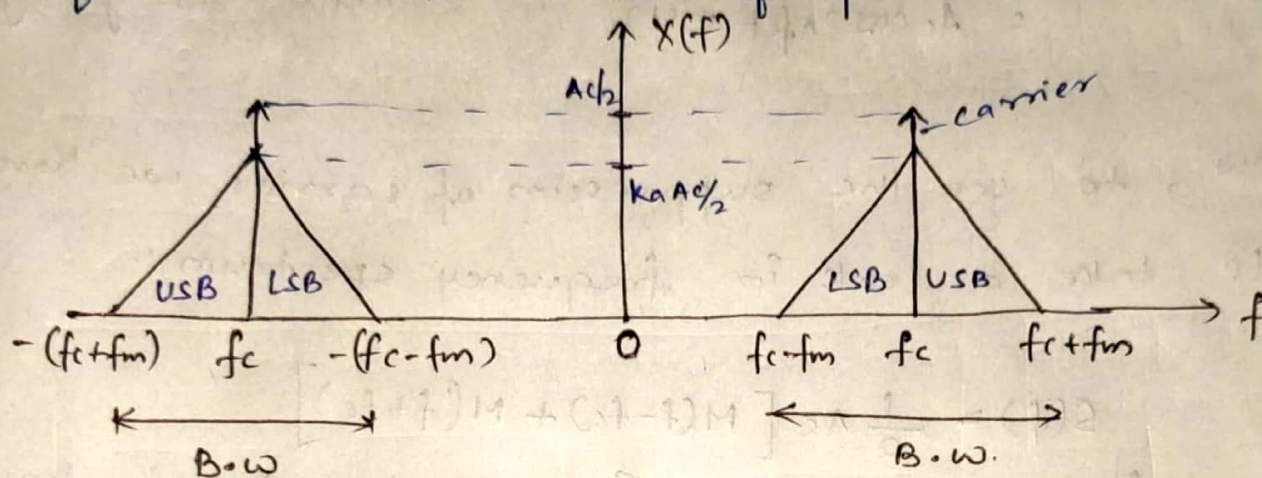


Standard amplitude modulation can also be termed as DSB-FC (Double sideband - Full Carrier)

As for standard AM we have its spectrum as:-



Here we have two sidebands & one carrier.

The main disadvantages of this technique are:

1. Power wastage take place.
2. AM needs larger bandwidth
3. AM wave gets affected due to noise.

This can be explained as:-

— The carrier signal in the DSB-FC system does not convey any information. The information is contained in two sidebands only.

→ Now, to overcome this drawback of power wastage, we may suppress the carrier component from the modulated wave, resulting in double sideband - suppressed carrier (DSB-SC) modulation.

Advantages of AM:-

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1. Primary advantage is that demodulation is simple.
2. It is used for long distance communication.
3. Since AM Receiver is simple & cheaper, it is preferred in broadcasting (point to multi-point)

DSB-SC modulation :-

For, time domain expression :-

$$S(t) = c(t) m(t)$$

where, $c(t)$ = carrier signal
 $m(t)$ = message signal

$$= A_c \cos 2\pi f_c t m(t)$$

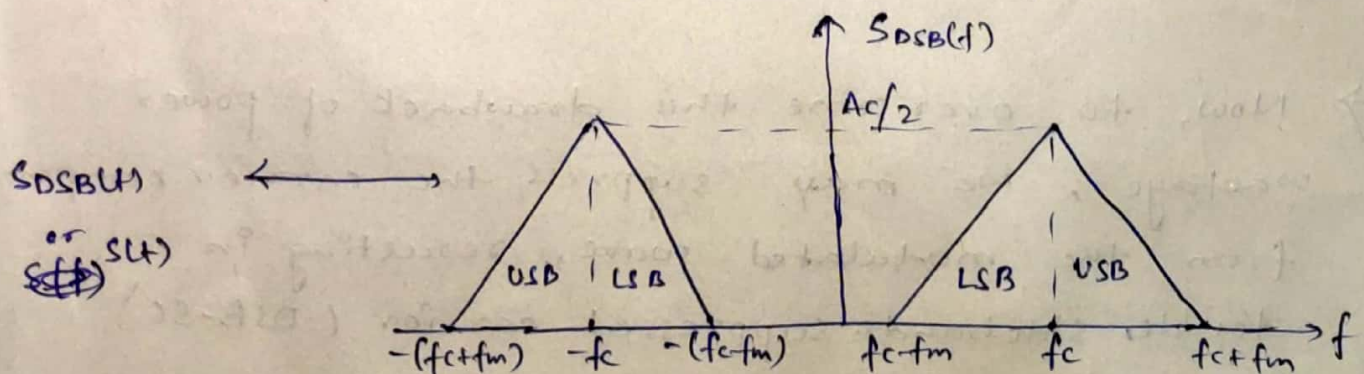
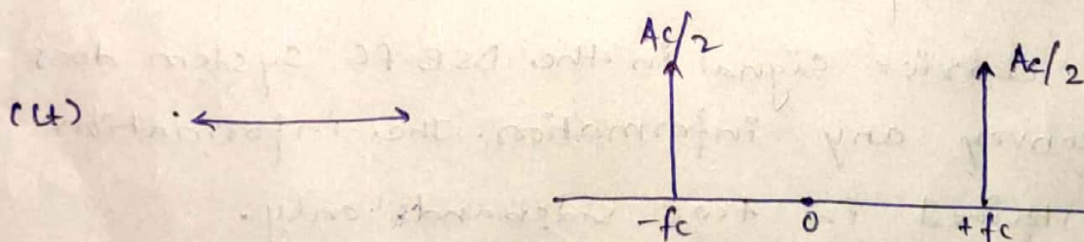
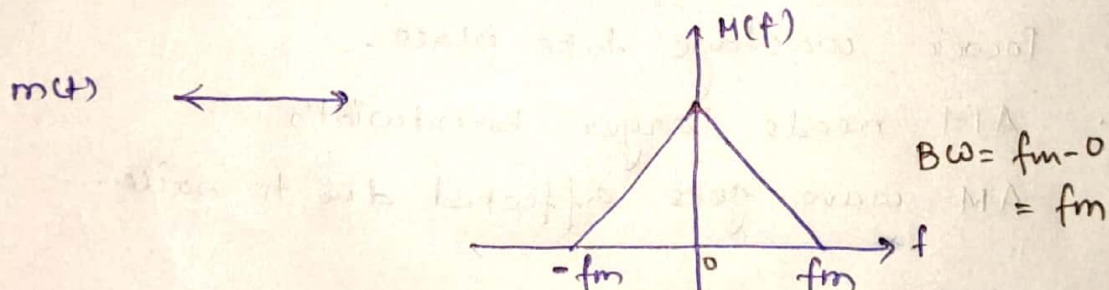
Now, to see the suppression of carrier we have to take a look in frequency spectrum :-

$$S(f) = \frac{1}{2} A_c [M(f-f_c) + M(f+f_c)]$$

or
 $S_{DSB}(f)$

[by taking Fourier transform of $S(t)$]

* Frequency Spectrum:-



$$BW = (f_c+f_m) - (f_c-f_m) = 2f_m$$

$$= 2 \times \text{message signal BW}$$

Single-tone DSB-SC:

Assume $m(t) = A_m \cos 2\pi f_m t$, $c(t) = A_c \cos 2\pi f_c t$

$$s_{\text{DSB}}(t) = A_c(t) m(t)$$

$$= A_c \cos 2\pi f_c t A_m \cos 2\pi f_m t$$

$$= \underbrace{\left(\frac{A_c A_m}{2} \right)}_{\substack{\downarrow \\ \text{peak value}}} \cos 2\pi (f_c + f_m) t + \frac{A_c A_m}{2} \cos 2\pi (f_c - f_m) t$$

↑ USB
↑ LSB

[using $\cos A \cos B = \frac{1}{2} \cos(A+B) + \frac{1}{2} \cos(A-B)$]

Total power of DSB-SC:-

$$P_t = P_{\text{LSB}} + P_{\text{USB}}$$

$$P_{\text{USB}} = \frac{A_c A_m}{2} \quad P_{\text{USB}} = \frac{(\text{peak value})^2}{R} = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}^2}{R}$$

$$\therefore P_{\text{USB}} = \left(\frac{A_c A_m}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 \times \frac{1}{R} = \frac{A_c^2 A_m^2}{8R}$$

$$P_{\text{LSB}} = \left(\frac{A_c A_m}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 \times \frac{1}{R} = \frac{A_c^2 A_m^2}{8R}$$

$$P_t = \text{Total power} = \frac{A_c^2 A_m^2}{8R} + \frac{A_c^2 A_m^2}{8R} = \frac{A_c^2 A_m^2}{4R}$$

$$\therefore P_t = \frac{A_c^2 A_m^2}{4R}$$

Modulation efficiency (η) :-

$$\eta = \frac{P_{\text{side band}}}{P_{\text{total}}}$$

$$= \frac{P_{SB}}{P_t} = \frac{P_{LSB} + P_{USB}}{P_t}$$

Here, in DSB-SC, $P_t = P_{LSB} + P_{USB}$.

$$\therefore \eta = 1 \text{ or } 100\%$$

Multitone DSB-SC :-

$$\text{let } m(t) = A_{m1} \cos 2\pi f_{m1} t + A_{m2} \cos 2\pi f_{m2} t$$

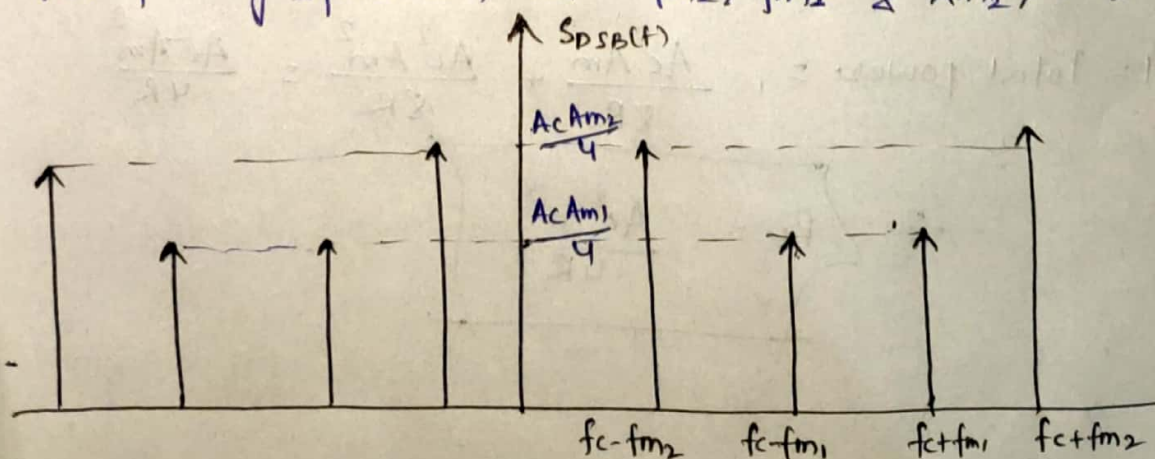
$$S_{DSB}(t) = A_c \cos 2\pi f_c t \cdot m(t)$$

$$= A_c \cos 2\pi f_c t [A_{m1} \cos 2\pi f_{m1} t + A_{m2} \cos 2\pi f_{m2} t]$$

$$= \frac{A_c A_{m1}}{2} \cos 2\pi (f_c + f_{m1}) t + \frac{A_c A_{m1}}{2} \cos 2\pi (f_c - f_{m1}) t$$

$$+ \frac{A_c A_{m2}}{2} \cos 2\pi (f_c + f_{m2}) t + \frac{A_c A_{m2}}{2} \cos 2\pi (f_c - f_{m2}) t$$

For plotting spectrum, let $f_{m2} > f_{m1}$ & $A_{m2} > A_{m1}$



BW = 2

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Total power of multitone-DSB:-

$$P_t = P_{SB} = P_{USB} + P_{LSB}$$

$$P_{LSB_1} = \left(\frac{A_c A_{m1}}{2\sqrt{2}} \right)^2 \times \frac{1}{R} = \frac{A_c^2 A_{m1}^2}{8R}$$

$$P_{USB_1} = \frac{A_c^2 A_{m1}^2}{8R}$$

Similarly, $P_{LSB_2} = P_{USB_2} = \frac{A_c^2 A_{m2}^2}{8R}$

$$\therefore P_t = P_{LSB_1} + P_{USB_1} + P_{LSB_2} + P_{USB_2}$$

$$= \frac{A_c^2 A_{m1}^2}{4R} + \frac{A_c^2 A_{m2}^2}{4R}$$

$$P_t = \frac{A_c^2}{4R} [A_{m1}^2 + A_{m2}^2]$$

Assignment :-

- ① For a DSB-SC modulated signal $s_{DSB}(t) = c(t)m(t)$ with $c(t) = 20\sqrt{2} \cos 2\pi \times 10^5 t$ and $m(t) = 2\sqrt{2} \cos 2\pi \times 10^3 t$ Calculate the total power and modulation efficiency.
- ② For the above DSB-SC modulated signal $s_{DSB}(t) = c(t)m(t)$;
Draw the frequency spectrum.
And also calculate the bandwidth of the spectrum.