

# Digital Modulation Basics

# Outline

PCM

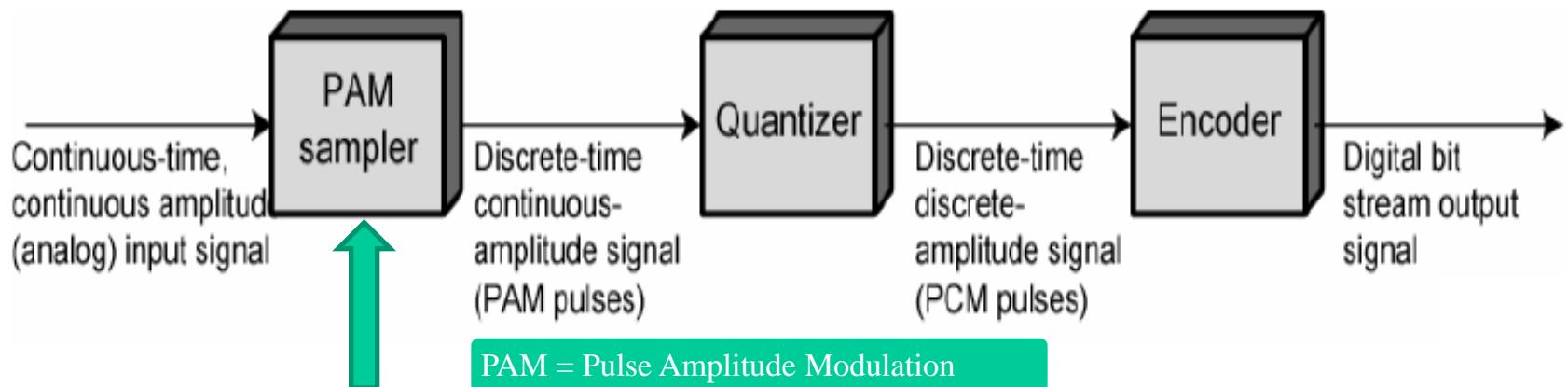
Introduction to digital modulation

Relevant modulation schemes

Geometric representations

Coherent & Non-Coherent Detection

# PCM (Pulse Coded Modulation)



Nyquist rate:

Sampling rate ( $f_s$ )  $\geq 2 f_{\max}$  sinyal analog

Atau

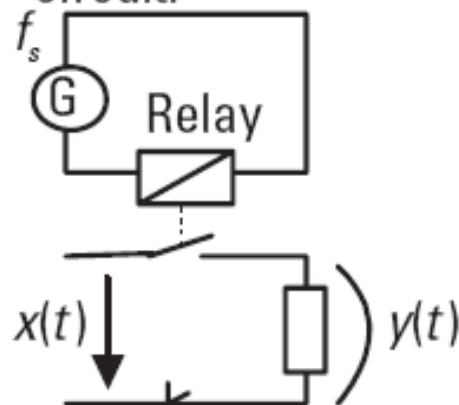
Sampling rate ( $f_s$ )  $\geq 2$  bandwidth sinyal analog

Untuk voice,  $f_s = 8$  kHz (perioda sampling = 125 $\mu$ s)

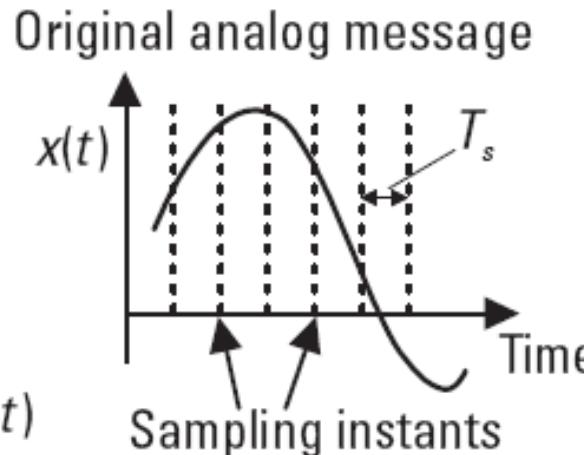
(bandwidth kanal telepon = 4 kHz)

# Sampling

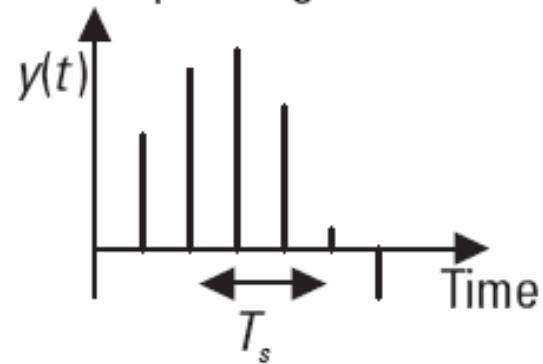
Operation principle  
of a sampling  
circuit:



Time domain:

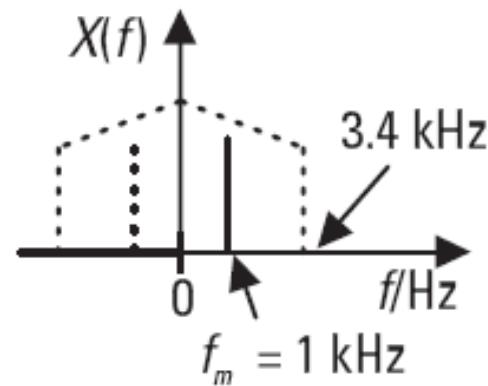


Sampled signal

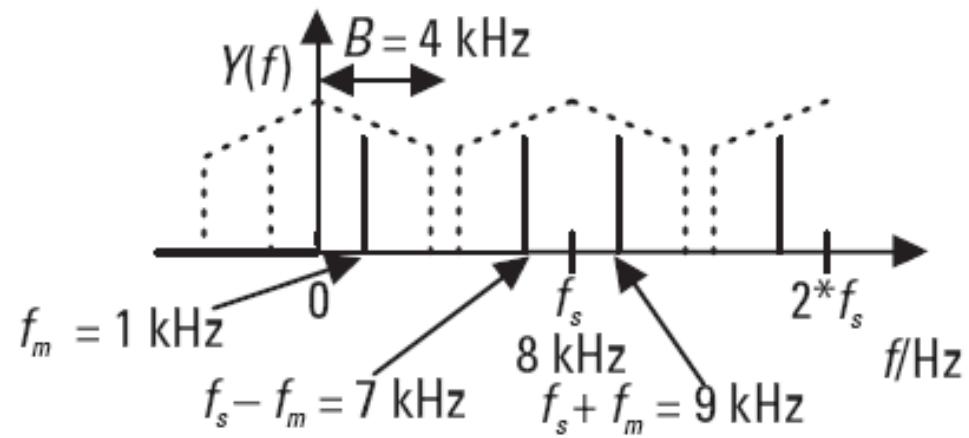


Frequency domain:

Spectrum of an analog message



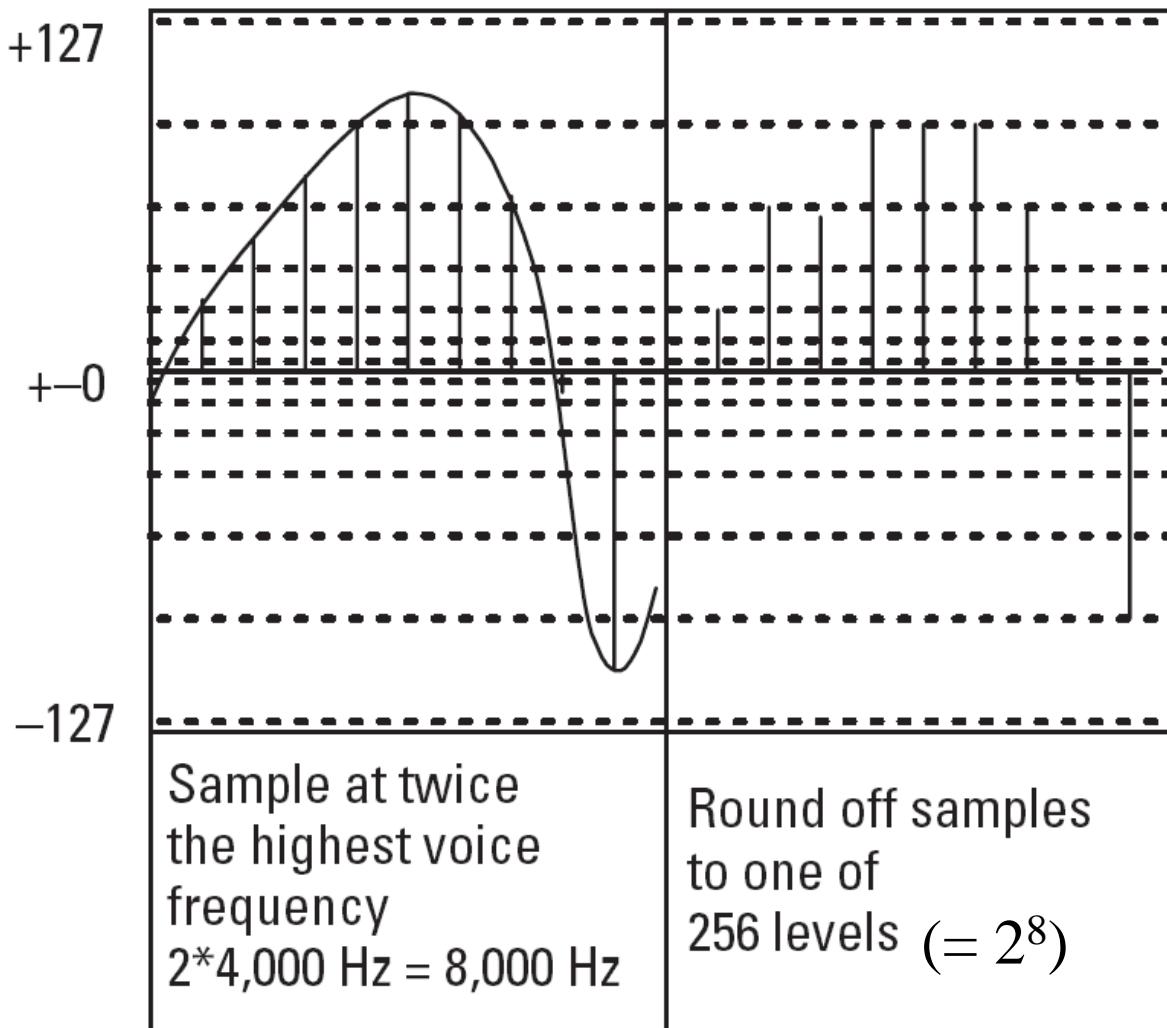
Spectrum of sampled signal



## Sampling

## Quantizing

## Encoding



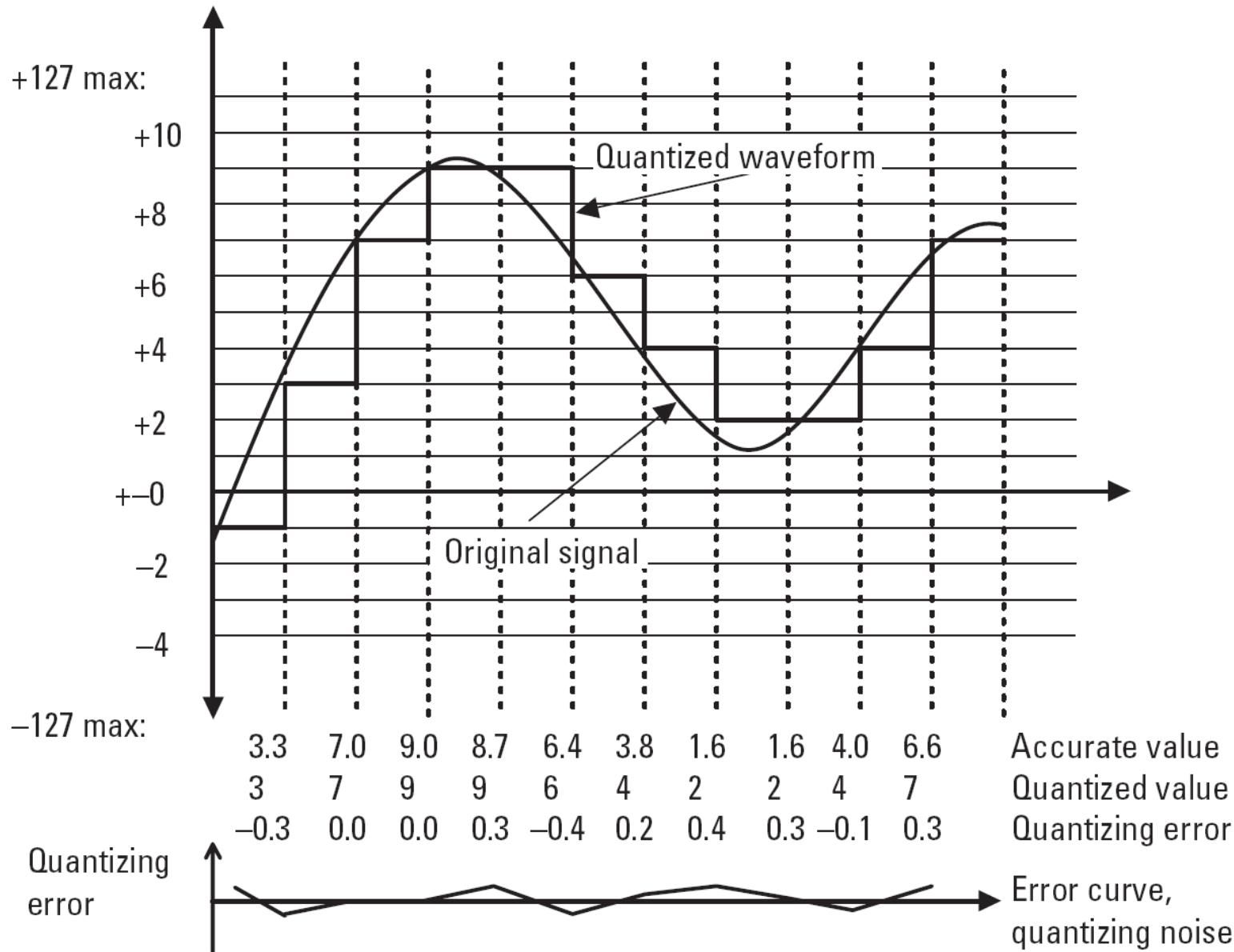
(Note: untuk CD digunakan  
16-bit binary words  
(ada  $2^{16} = 65536$  level)

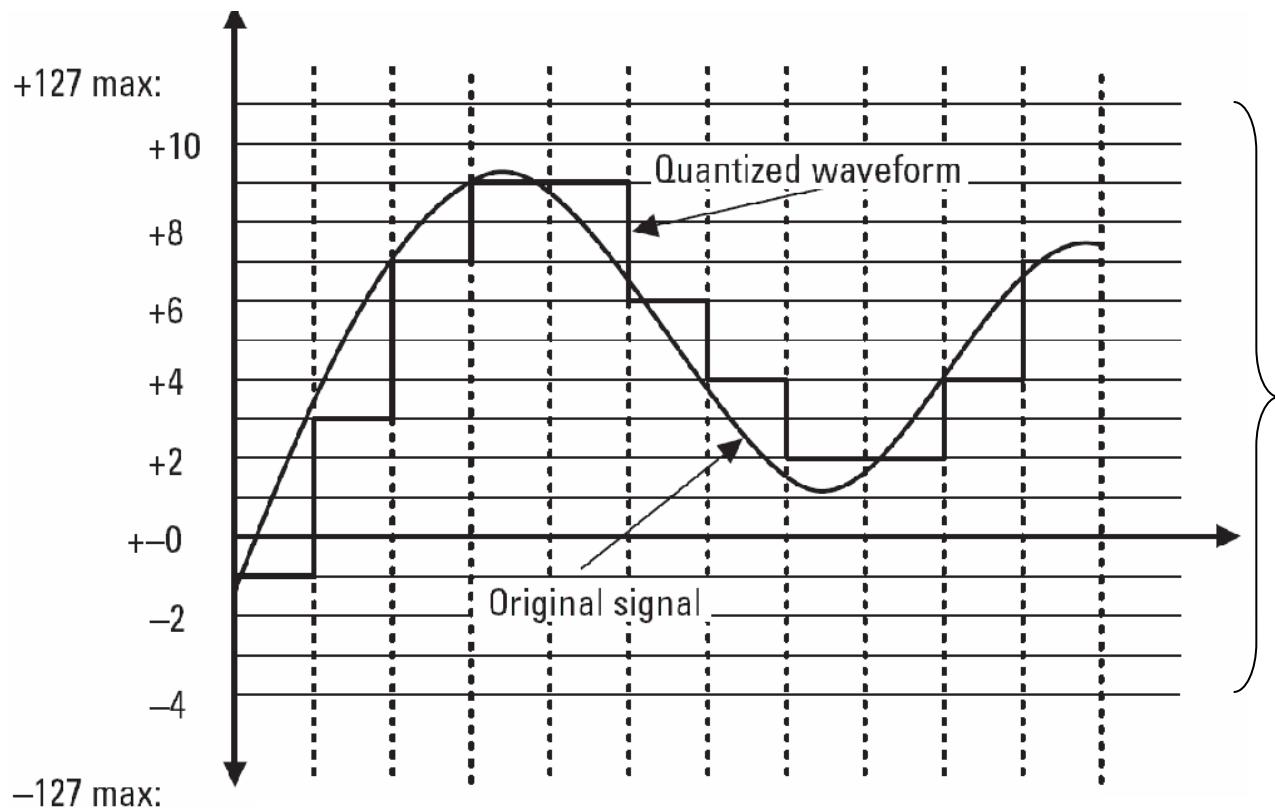
10101111...01101101

Each quantized  
sample is encoded  
into an 8-bit  
code word

$8,000 * 8 \text{ bits} =$   
64 Kbps

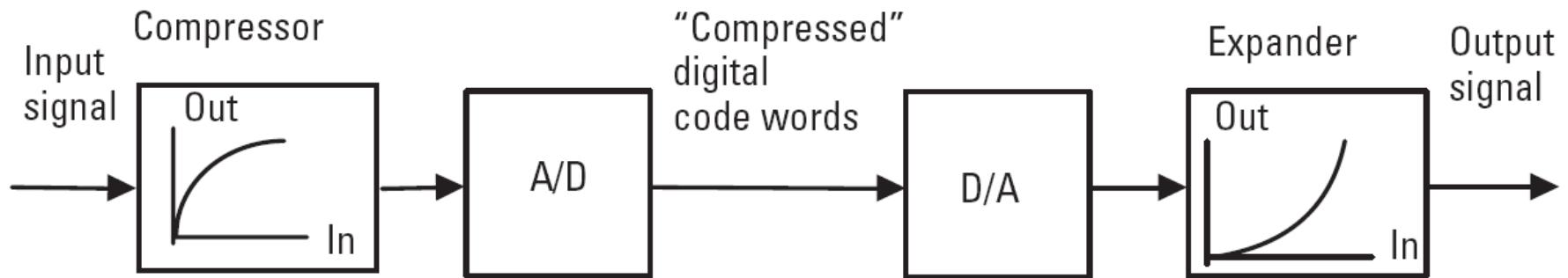
# A Closer Look to Quantization

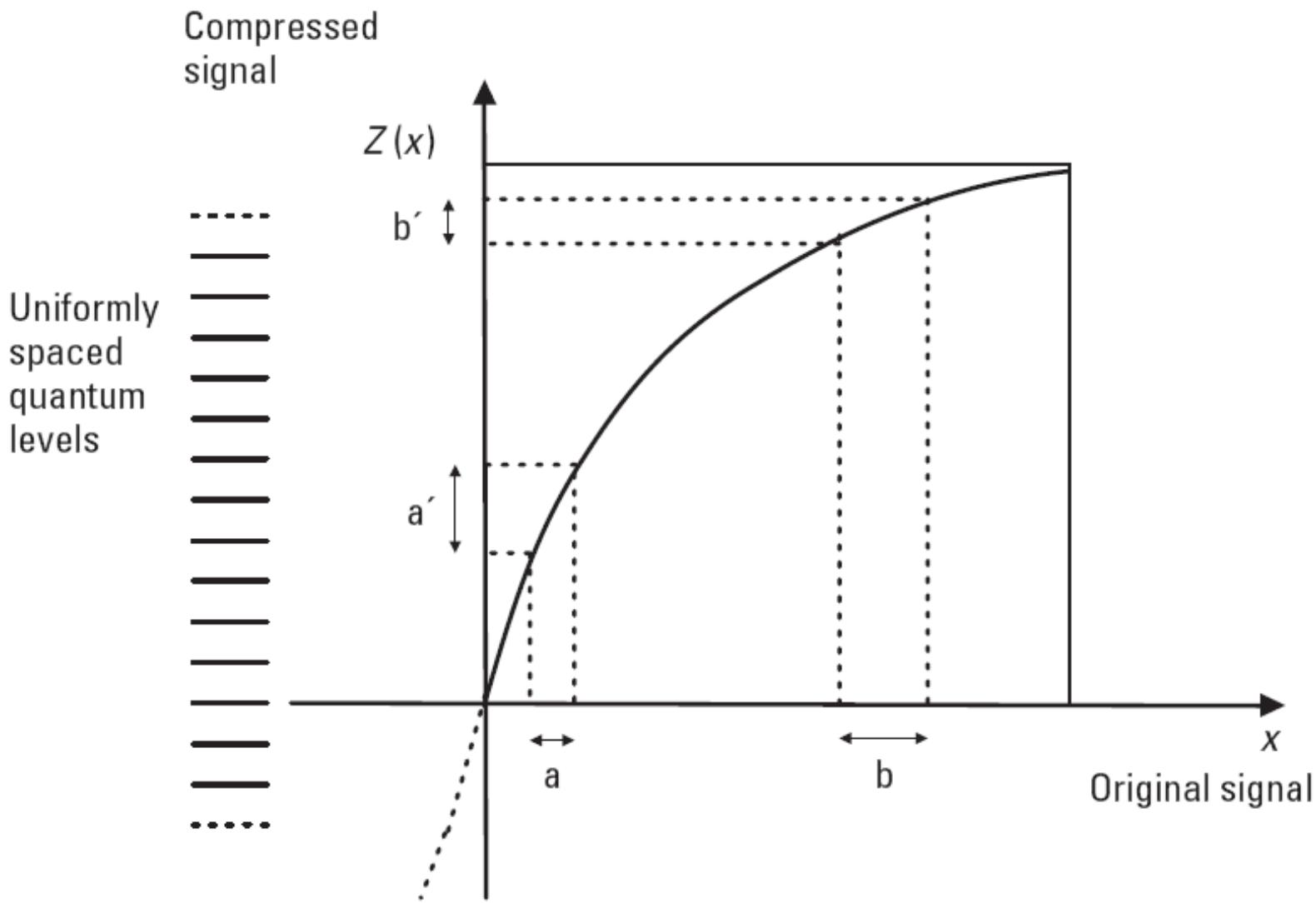




- Bila menggunakan *uniform quantizing*, noise kuantisasi akan sangat terasa pada sinyal-sinyal berlevel rendah
- Solusi untuk menanggulangi noise kuantisasi adalah dengan menambah jumlah level, tetapi akibatnya bit rate hasil pengkodean akan menjadi lebih tinggi
- Solusi elegan yang ditempuh adalah dengan tidak menambah jumlah level, melainkan dengan membedakan kerapatan level
- Level kuantisasi pada sinyal-sinyal rendah lebih rapat daripada untuk sinyal berlevel tinggi
  - Hal ini dilakukan dengan mengkompress (compressing) sinyal di sumber
    - Ditujuan dilakukan proses dekompress (expanding)
    - Proses compressing dan expanding disebut companding

# Companding





Dua kurva *companding* standard:

- A-law, digunakan di negara2 Eropa (Rec. ITU-T G.732)
- $\mu$ -law, digunakan di Amerika Utara dan Jepang (Rec. ITU-T G.733)

$$\mu\text{-Law} \longrightarrow Z(x) = \operatorname{sgn}(x) \cdot \frac{\ln(1 + \mu|x|)}{\ln(1 + \mu)}$$

$x$  : nilai sinyal

$Z(x)$  : sinyal ter-kompress

$\operatorname{sgn}(x)$  : polaritas  $x$  (+ atau -)

$\mu$  : konstanta = 255

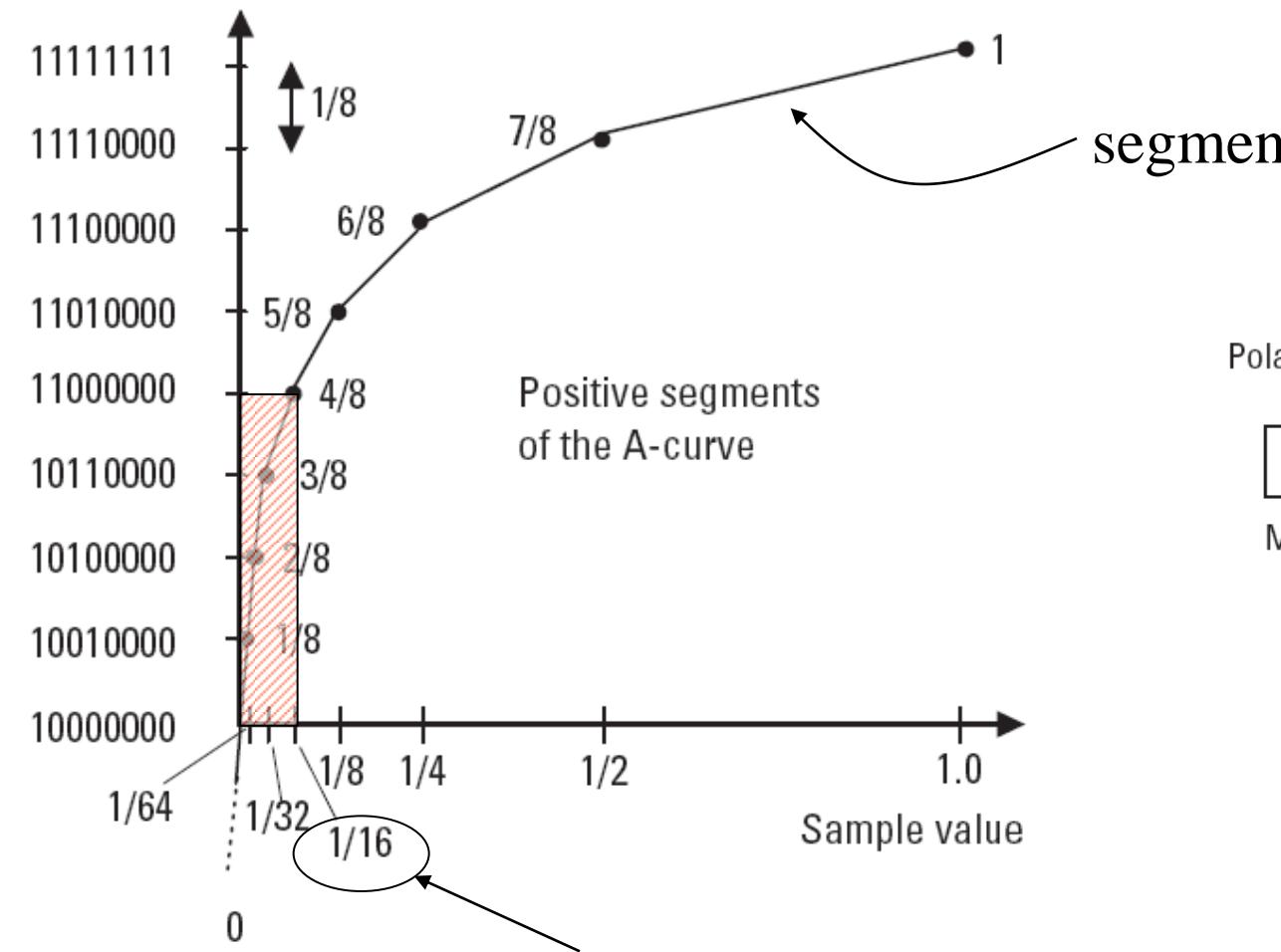
$$A\text{-Law} \rightarrow Z(x) = \begin{cases} \operatorname{sgn}(x) \cdot \frac{1 + \ln A|x|}{1 + \ln A} & \text{for } \frac{1}{A} < |x| < 1 \\ \frac{Ax}{1 + \ln A} & \text{for } \frac{-1}{A} < x < \frac{1}{A} \end{cases}$$

$A$  : konstanta = 87,6

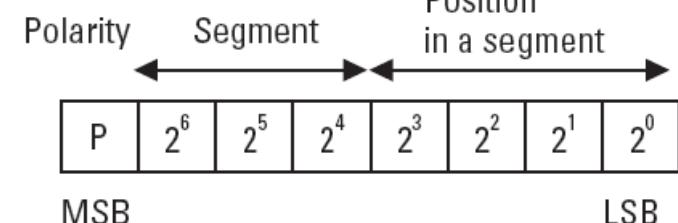
# Binary Coding

(Menentukan bit-bit biner yang merepresentasikan sinyal voice)

- Contoh untuk kurva A-law

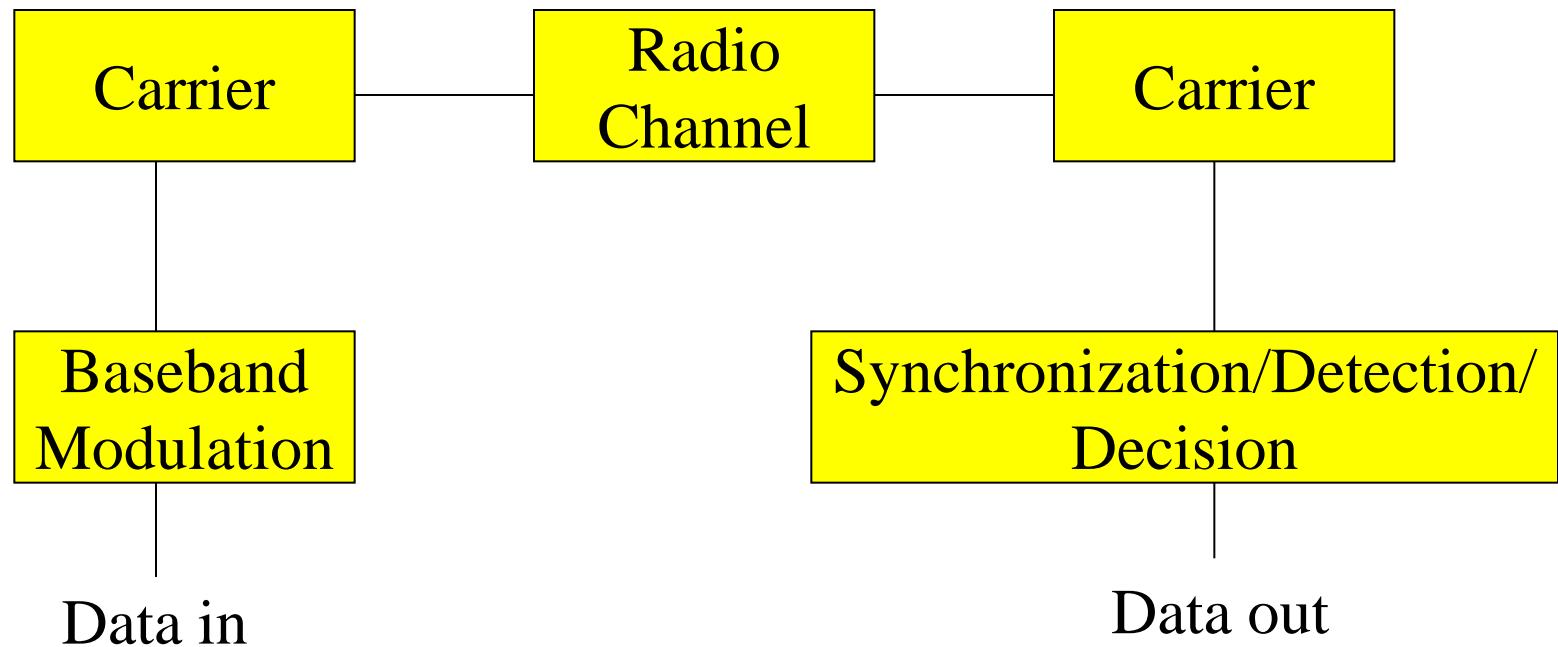


Code word representing  
the value of a sample



Setengah dari jumlah level diperuntukkan bagi  
sinyal yang levelnya lebih rendah dari 6,25% level sinyal maksimum

# Modulation & Demodulation



# Modulation

- Modulation - process (or result of the process) of translation the baseband message signal to bandpass (modulated carrier) signal at frequencies that are very high compared to the baseband frequencies.
- Demodulation is the process of extracting the baseband message back the modulated carrier.
- An information-bearing signal is non-deterministic, i.e. it changes in an unpredictable manner.

# Why Carrier?

- Effective radiation of EM waves requires antenna dimensions comparable with the wavelength:
  - Antenna for 3 kHz would be  $\sim$ 100 km long
  - Antenna for 3 GHz carrier is 10 cm long
- Sharing the access to the telecommunication channel resources

# Modulation Process

$f = f(a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots a_n, t)$  (= carrier)

$a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots a_n$  (= modulation parameters)

$t$  (= time)

- Modulation implies varying one or more characteristics (modulation parameters  $a_1, a_2, \dots a_n$ ) of a carrier  $f$  in accordance with the information-bearing (modulating) baseband signal.
- Sinusoidal waves, pulse train, square wave, etc. can be used as carriers

# Continuous Carrier

Carrier:  $A \sin[\omega t + \varphi]$

- $A = \text{const}$
- $\omega = \text{const}$
- $\varphi = \text{const}$
- Amplitude modulation (AM)
  - $A = A(t)$  – carries information
  - $\omega = \text{const}$
  - $\varphi = \text{const}$

- Frequency modulation (FM)
  - $A = \text{const}$
  - $\omega = \omega(t)$  – carries information
  - $\varphi = \text{const}$
- Phase modulation (PM)
  - $A = \text{const}$
  - $\omega = \text{const}$
  - $\varphi = \varphi(t)$  – carries information