

* Note that the previous amplitude modulation is called double side band because the bandwidth required for the transmission of the modulated signal is $BW = (f_c + f_m) - (f_c - f_m) = 2f_m$ (doubled)

* Note also the carrier component which is located at f_c and $-f_c$ does not appear in the spectrum of the modulated signal, therefore we call this modulation as 'Suppressed carrier'.

∴ The first type of amplitude modulation is written mathematically by

$$\phi(t) = f(t) \cos \omega_c t$$

DSB-SC

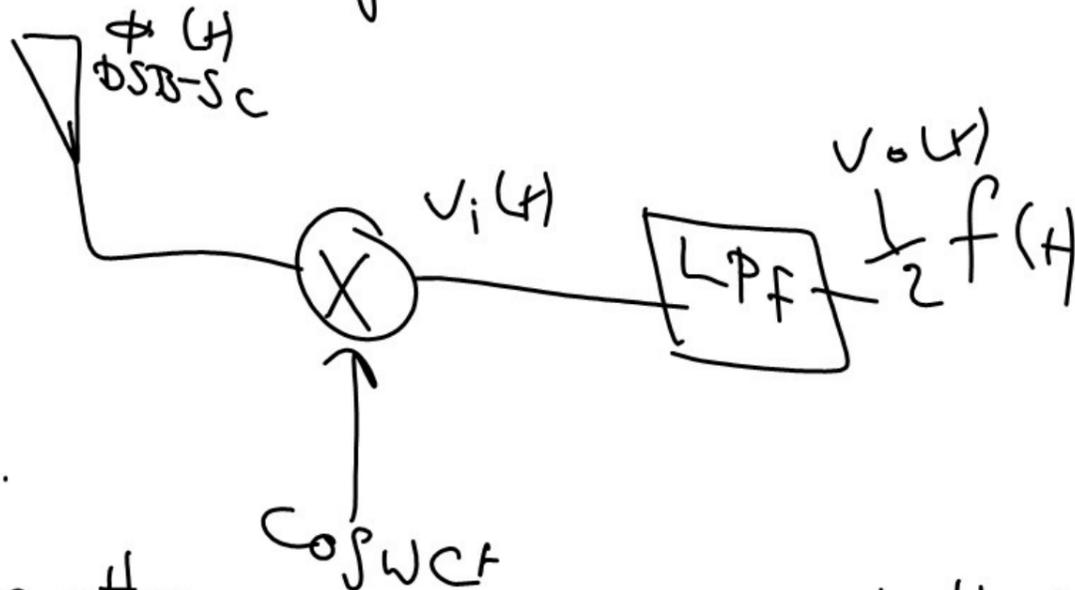
Demodulation of DSB-SC signal

In order to recover the information signal from the modulated signal

$$\phi(t) = f(t) \cos \omega_c t$$

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We simply multiply $\phi(t)$ by the carrier again as illustrated by the following block diagram



Mathematical representation of the demodulation process can be shown below

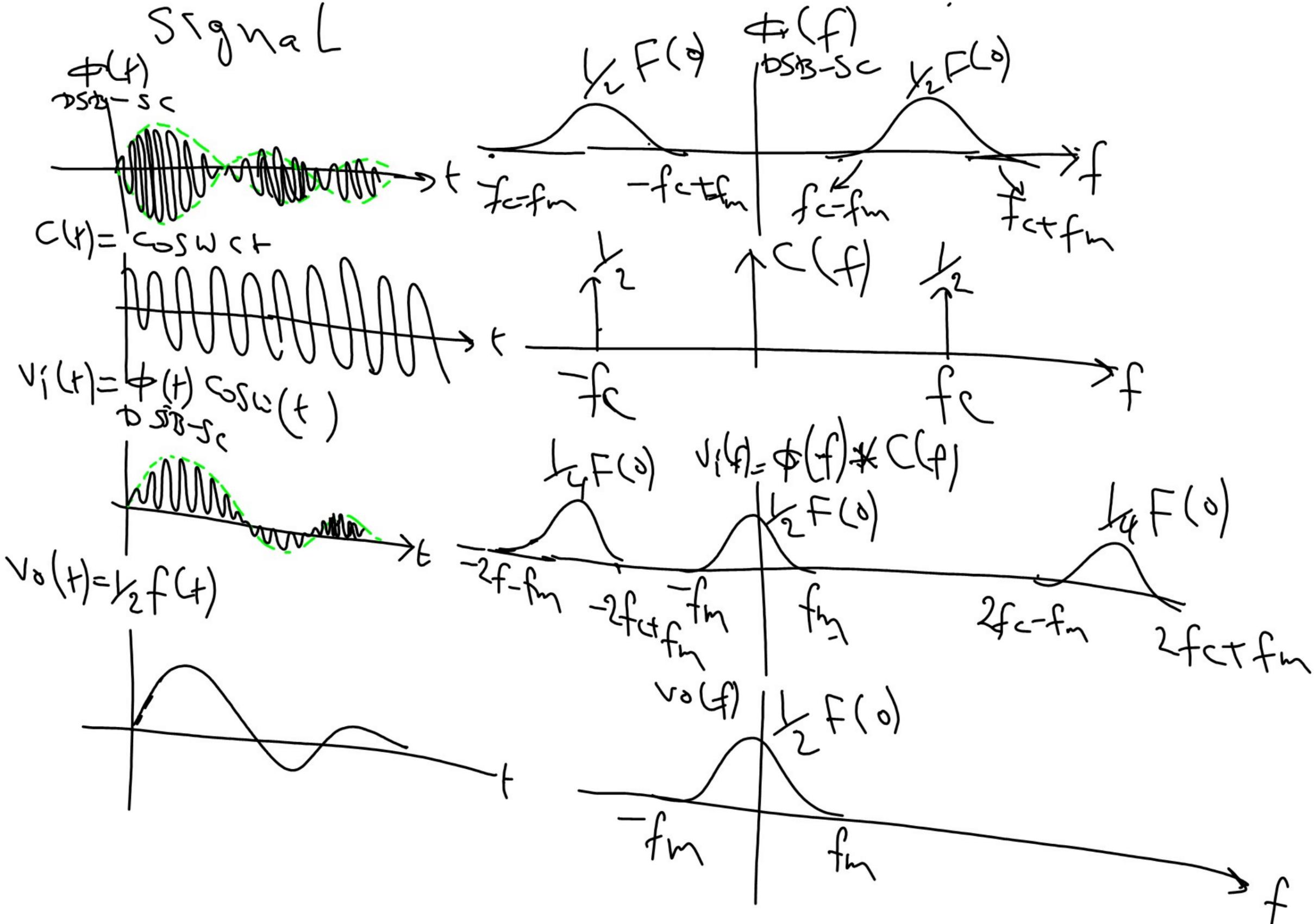
$$\begin{aligned} v_i(t) &= \phi(t) \cos \omega_c t \\ &= f(t) \cos^2 \omega_c t \\ &= f(t) \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\omega_c t \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} f(t) + \frac{1}{2} f(t) \cos 2\omega_c t \end{aligned}$$

* The signal detected at the LPF output is

$$v_o(t) = \frac{1}{2} f(t)$$

Time and frequency domain representation of the demodulated signal

Signal



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