



Digital Signal  
Processing- Lecture 20

# Topics to be covered:

- Up sampling & Down sampling

# Multirate Digital Signal Processing

## *Basic Sampling Rate Alteration Devices*

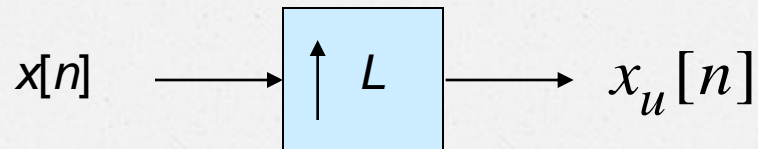
- *Up-sampler* - Used to increase the sampling rate by an integer factor
- *Down-sampler* - Used to decrease the sampling rate by an integer factor



# Up-Sampler

## *Time-Domain Characterization*

- o An up-sampler with an *up-sampling factor*  $L$ , where  $L$  is a positive integer, develops an output sequence with a sampling rate that is  $L$  times larger than that of the input sequence  $x_u[n]$
- o Block-diagram representation



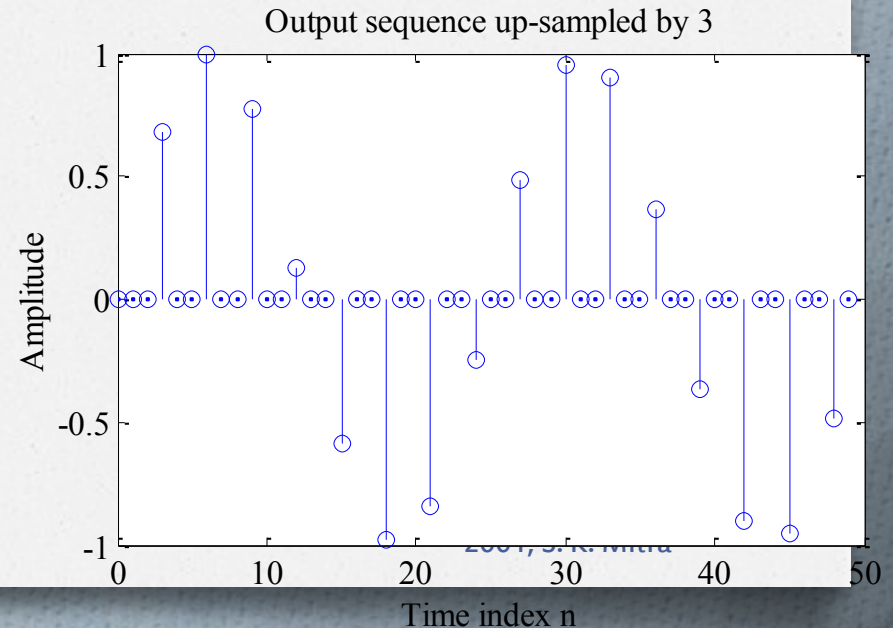
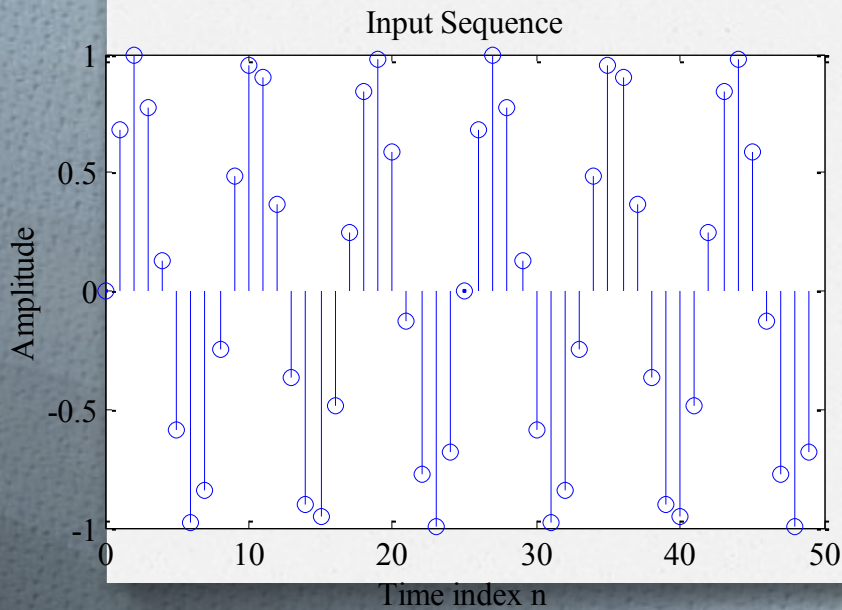
# Up-Sampler

- o Up-sampling operation is implemented by inserting  $L - 1$  equidistant zero-valued samples between two consecutive samples of  $x[n]$
- o Input-output relation

$$x_u[n] = \begin{cases} x[n/L], & n = 0, \pm L, \pm 2L, \dots \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

# Up-Sampler

- o Figure below shows the up-sampling by a factor of 3 of a sinusoidal sequence with a frequency of 0.12 Hz obtained using Program 10\_1





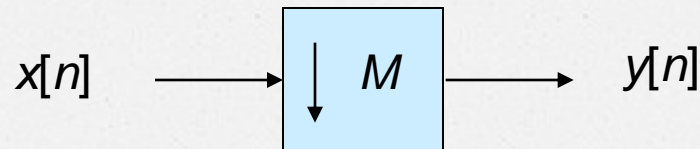
# Up-Sampler

- In practice, the zero-valued samples inserted by the up-sampler are replaced with appropriate nonzero values using some type of filtering process
- Process is called *interpolation* and will be discussed later

# Down-Sampler

## Time-Domain Characterization

- o An down-sampler with a *down-sampling factor*  $M$ , where  $M$  is a positive integer, develops an output sequence  $y[n]$  with a sampling rate that is  $(1/M)$ -th of that of the input sequence  $x[n]$
- o Block-diagram representation





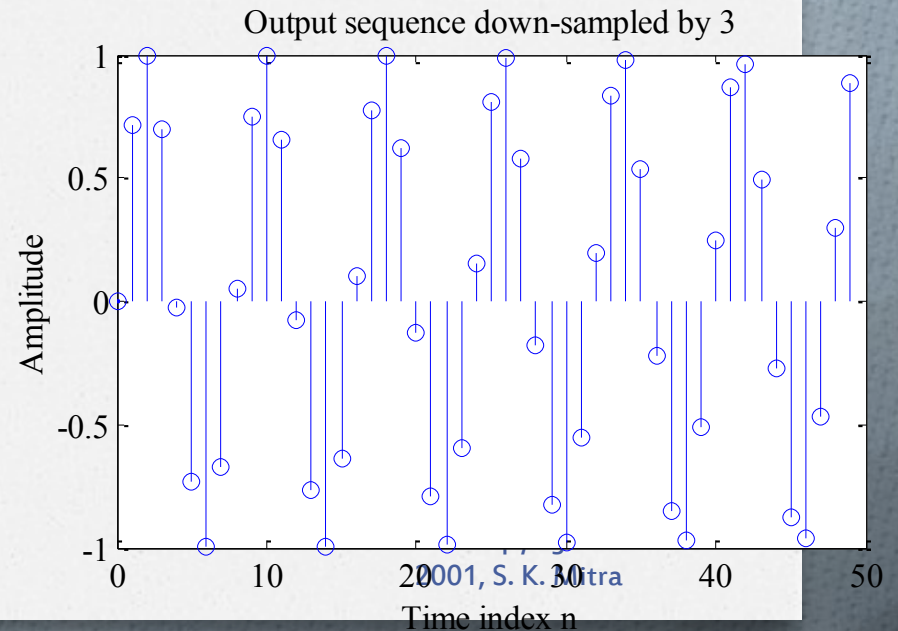
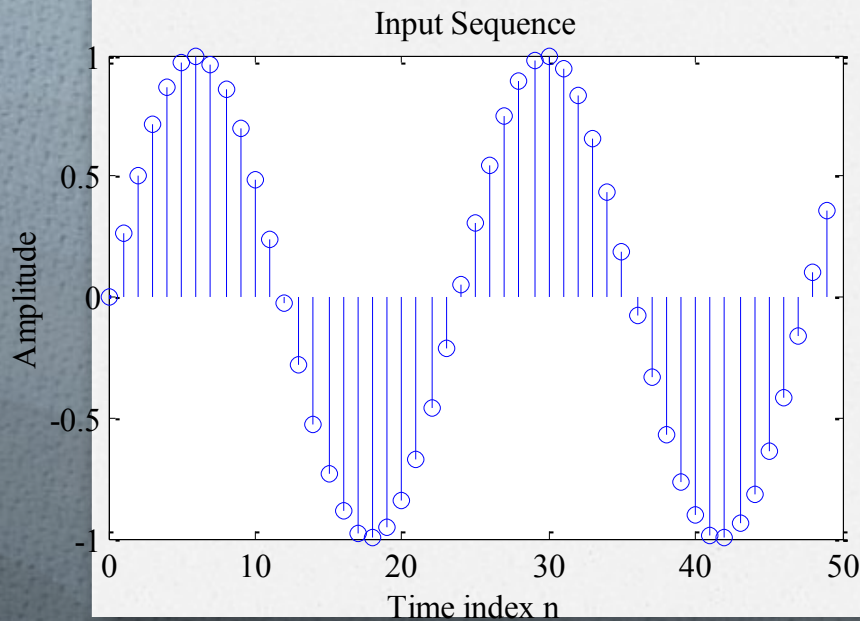
# Down-Sampler

- o Down-sampling operation is implemented by keeping every  $M$ -th sample of  $x[n]$  and removing  $M-1$  in-between samples to generate  $y[n]$
- o Input-output relation

$$y[n] = x[nM]$$

# Down-Sampler

- o Figure below shows the down-sampling by a factor of 3 of a sinusoidal sequence of frequency 0.042 Hz obtained using Program 10\_2



# Basic Sampling Rate Alteration Devices

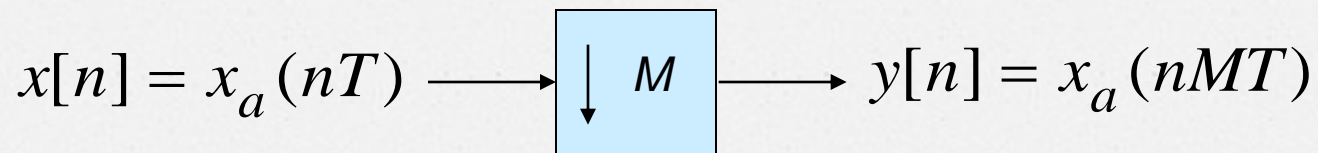
- Sampling periods have not been explicitly shown in the block-diagram representations of the up-sampler and the down-sampler
- This is for simplicity and the fact that the *mathematical theory of multirate systems* can be understood without bringing the sampling period  $T$  or the sampling frequency  $F_T$  into the picture

$$F_T$$



# Down-Sampler

- Figure below shows explicitly the time-dimensions for the down-sampler



Input sampling frequency

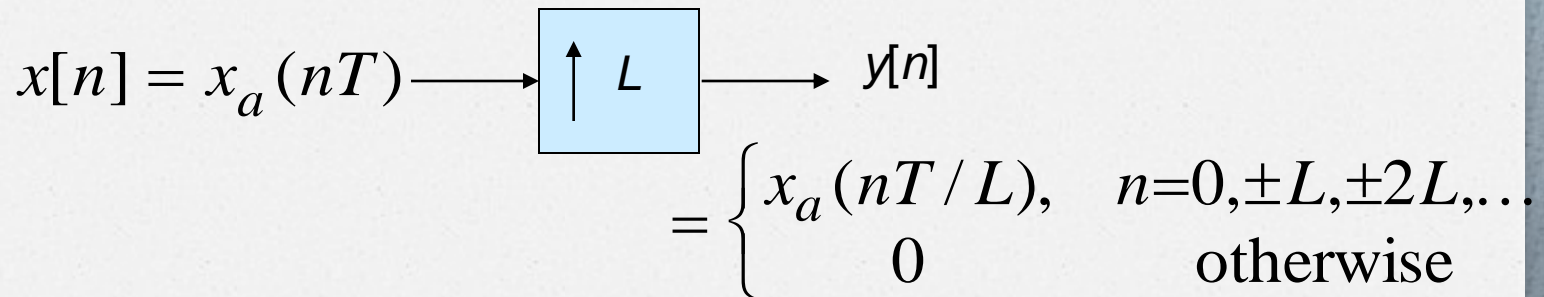
$$F_T = \frac{1}{T}$$

Output sampling frequency

$$F_T' = \frac{F_T}{M} = \frac{1}{T'}$$

# Up-Sampler

- o Figure below shows explicitly the time-dimensions for the up-sampler



Input sampling frequency

$$F_T = \frac{1}{T}$$

Output sampling frequency

$$F_T' = LF_T = \frac{1}{T'}$$

# Basic Sampling Rate Alteration Devices

- o The *up-sampler* and the *down-sampler* are *linear* but *time-varying discrete-time systems*
- o We illustrate the time-varying property of a down-sampler
- o The time-varying property of an up-sampler can be proved in a similar manner



# Basic Sampling Rate Alteration Devices

o Consider a factor-of- $M$  down-sampler defined by

o Its output  $y_1[n]$  for an input  $x_1[n]$  is then

given by

$$y_1[n] = x_1[nM] \quad x_1[n] = x[n - n_0]$$

o From the input-output relation of the down-sampler we obtain

$$y_1[n] = x_1[Mn] = x[Mn - n_0]$$

$$y_1[n - n_0] = x[M(n - n_0)]$$

$$= x[Mn - Mn_0] \neq y_1[n]$$