

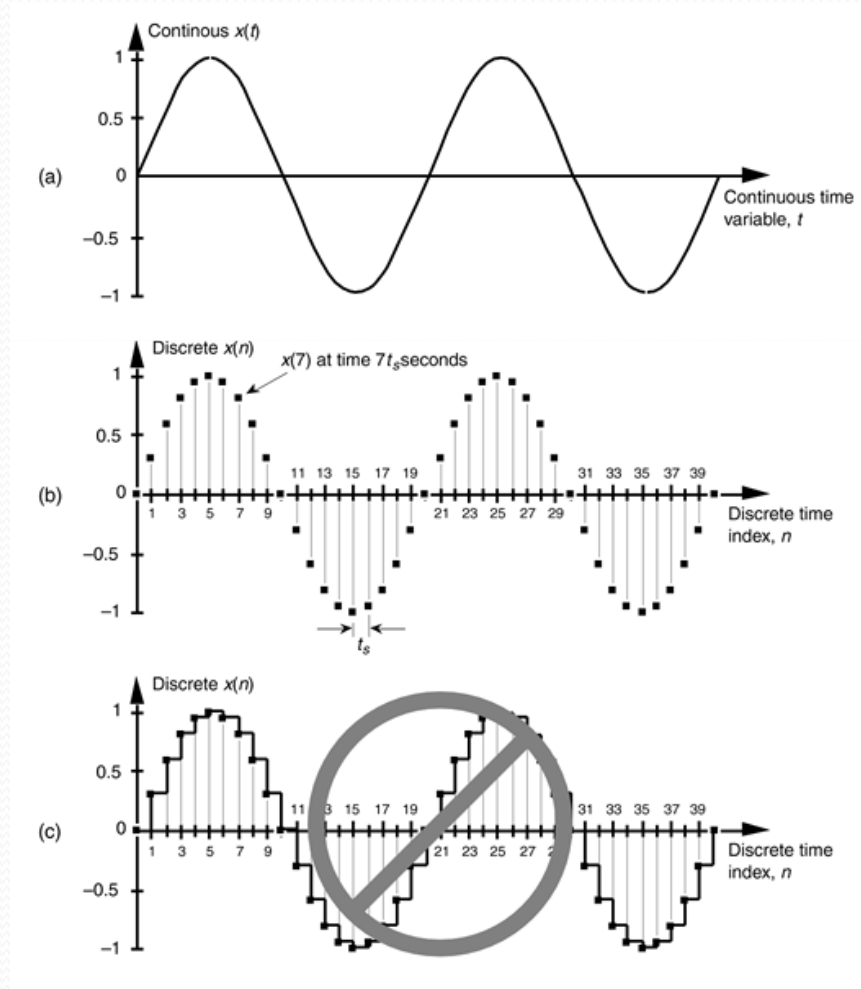
# EE327 Digital Signal Processing Statistics and Noise

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# REMINDER 1

## What is a discrete signal



Continuous Signal  $x(t) = \sin(2\pi f_0 t)$ .

Discrete Signal  $x[n] = \sin(2\pi f_0 n T_s)$

????? Signal

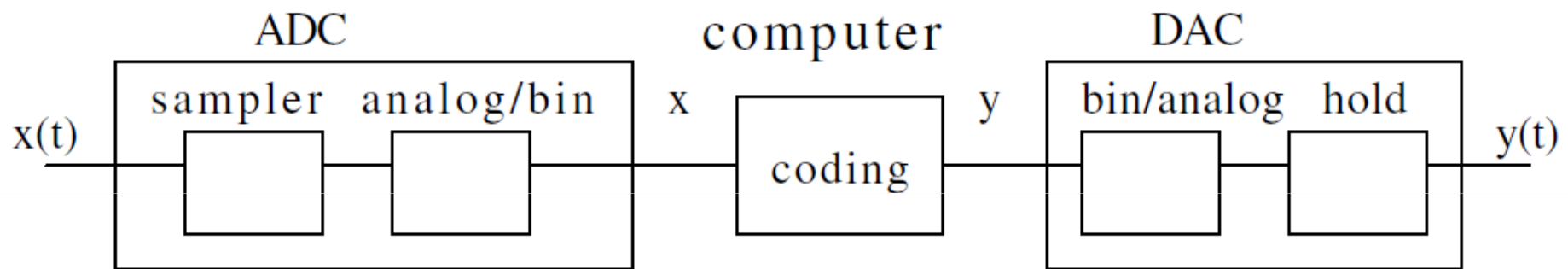
# REMINDER 2

## Types of Signals

		Independent	
		Discrete	Continuous
Dependent	Discrete	Quantized Discrete Signal (Digital Signal) $x[n]$	Quantized Signal $\bar{x}(t)$
	Continuous	Discrete or Digitized Signal $\tilde{x}[n]$	Continuous or Analog Signal $x(t)$

# REMINDER 3

## General DSP System



$$y = (b_{-1}y_{-1} + \dots + b_{-m}y_{-m}) + (ax + a_{-1}x_{-1} + \dots + a_{-n}x_{-n})$$

$$y = \sum_{i=1}^m b_{-i}y_{-i} + \sum_{j=0}^n a_{-j}x_{-j}$$

*Nearly ALL DSP that you need is contained in this equation*

# Mean and Standard Deviation

- Mean

$$\mu = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x[i] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i$$

$$\mu = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x(t) dt$$

- Variance

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (x_i - \mu)^2$$

$$\sigma^2 = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T (x(t) - \mu)^2 dt$$

- Root Mean Square (quadratic mean)

$$RMS = \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (x_i)^2}$$

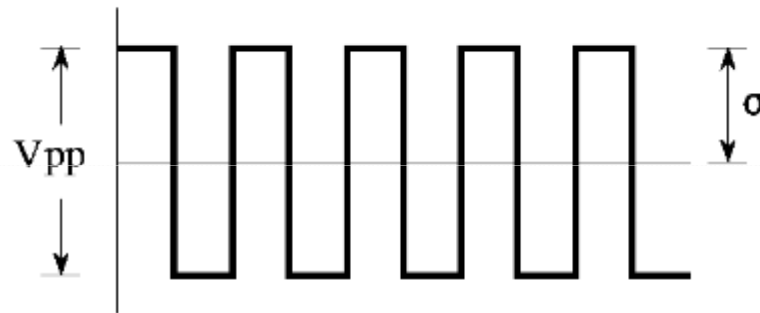
$$RMS = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x(t)^2 dt}$$

All continuous formulas assume that  $x(t)$  is zero for  $t < 0$  or  $x(-t) = x(t)$

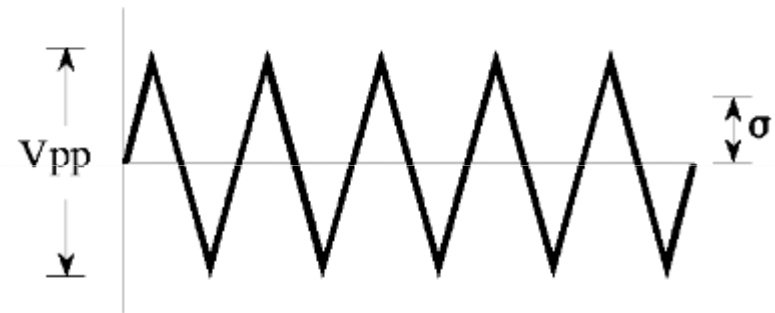
**Self test:** Find the relation between RMS and variance for signals with zero mean

# Common variance formulas

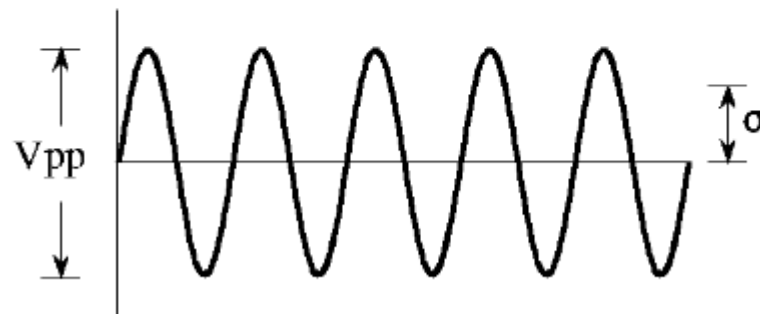
a. Square Wave,  $V_{pp} = 2\sigma$



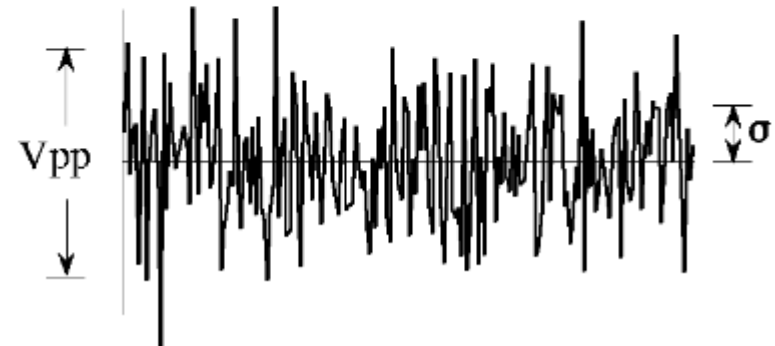
b. Triangle wave,  $V_{pp} = \sqrt{12} \sigma$



c. Sine wave,  $V_{pp} = 2\sqrt{2} \sigma$



d. Random noise,  $V_{pp} \approx 6-8 \sigma$



# Calculating the Mean and Variance

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100 CALCULATION OF THE MEAN AND STANDARD DEVIATION
110 '
120 DIM X[511]           'The signal is held in X[0] to X[511]
130 N% = 512             'N% is the number of points in the signal
140 '
150 GOSUB XXXX           'Mythical subroutine that loads the signal into X[ ]
160 '
170 MEAN = 0             'Find the mean via Eq. 2-1
180 FOR I% = 0 TO N%-1
190  MEAN = MEAN + X[I%]
200 NEXT I%
210 MEAN = MEAN/N%
220 '
230 VARIANCE = 0         'Find the standard deviation via Eq. 2-2
240 FOR I% = 0 TO N%-1
250  VARIANCE = VARIANCE + ( X[I%] - MEAN )^2
260 NEXT I%
270 VARIANCE = VARIANCE/(N%-1)
280 SD = SQR(VARIANCE)
290 '
300 PRINT MEAN SD       'Print the calculated mean and standard deviation
310 '
320 END
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# Calculating the Mean and Variance Better way (Running Statistics)

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N-1} \left[ \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i^2 - \frac{1}{N} \left( \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i \right)^2 \right]$$

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100 'MEAN AND STANDARD DEVIATION USING RUNNING STATISTICS
110 '
120 DIM X[511]                'The signal is held in X[0] to X[511]
130 '
140 GOSUB XXXX                'Mythical subroutine that loads the signal into X[ ]
150 '
160 N% = 0                    'Zero the three running parameters
170 SUM = 0
180 SUMSQUARES = 0
190 '
200 FOR I% = 0 TO 511        'Loop through each sample in the signal
210 '
220 N% = N%+1                'Update the three parameters
230 SUM = SUM + X[I%]
240 SUMSQUARES = SUMSQUARES + X[I%]^2
250 '
260 MEAN = SUM/N%            'Calculate mean and standard deviation via Eq. 2-3
270 IF N% = 1 THEN SD = 0: GOTO 300
280 SD = SQR( (SUMSQUARES - SUM^2/N%) / (N%-1) )
290 '
300 PRINT MEAN SD           'Print the running mean and standard deviation
310 '
320 NEXT I%
330 '
340 END
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## Signal to noise ratio

$$SNR = \frac{\text{power of signal}}{\text{power of noise}}$$

## Coefficient of variance

$$CV = \frac{\text{standard deviation}}{\text{mean}}$$

# SNR and CV

- **Sometimes:**

signal = mean, noise = variance

**In these cases**

$$SNR = \frac{\mu}{\sigma}$$

$$CV = \frac{\sigma}{\mu} \times 100\%$$

*We want high SNR and low CV*

# Probability and Statistics

- Statistics describe acquired signal
- Probabilities describes underlying process
- Difference is the statistical fluctuations
- Typical error is

$$\frac{\sigma}{N^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

# Variance equation again

- Variance of acquired signal:

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (x_i - \mu)^2$$

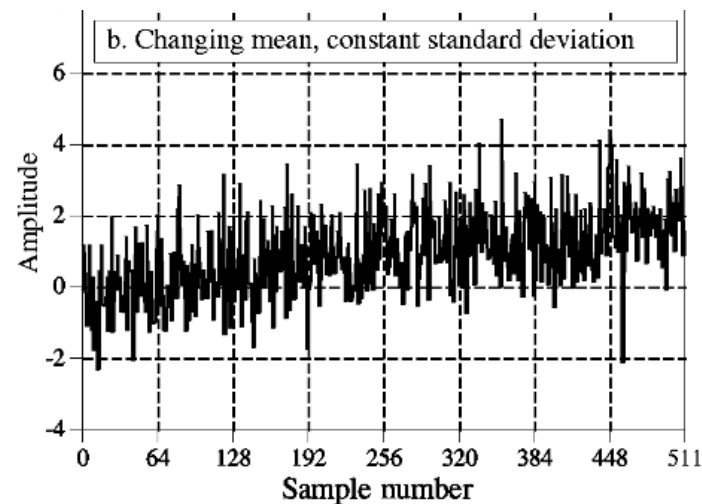
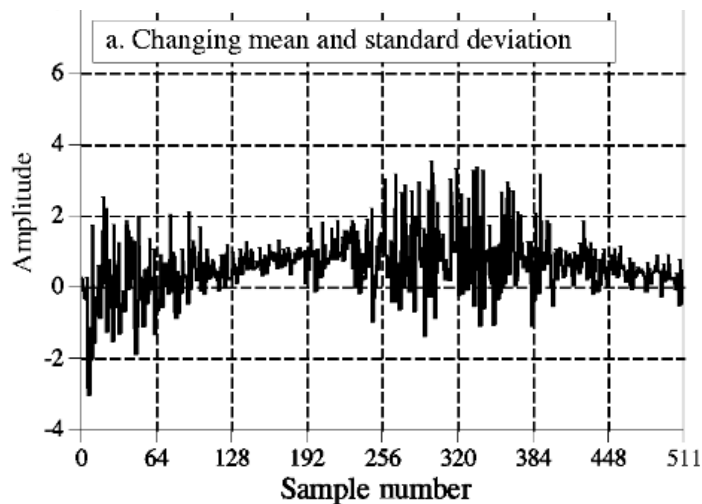
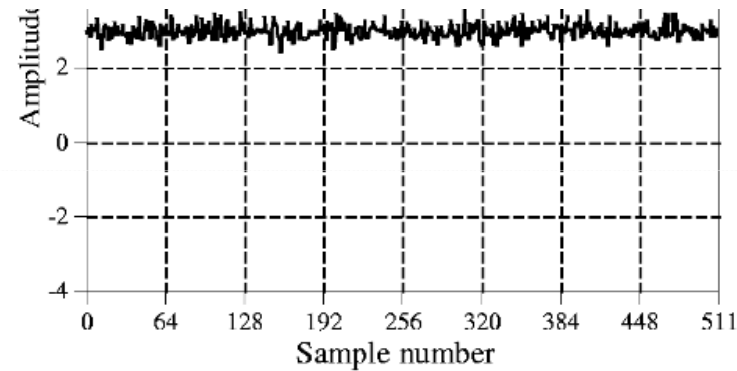
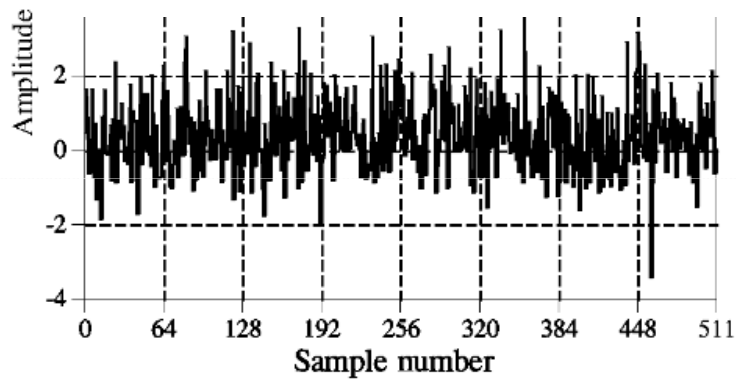
- **ESTIMATED** Variance of underlying process

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (x_i - \mu)^2$$

# Examples of mean and variance

**FAST TEST:** These signals are discrete or continuous?  
What is the domain of these signals?

Stationary



nonstationary