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Foundations of Digital Signal Processing

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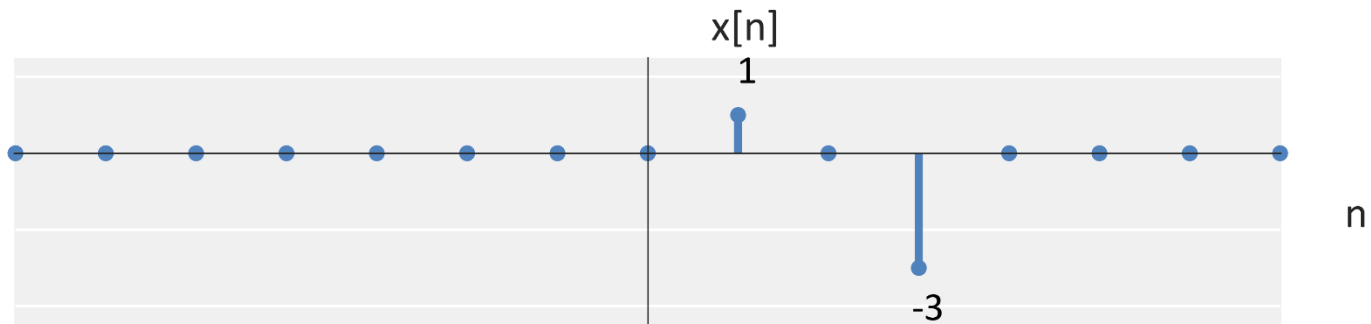
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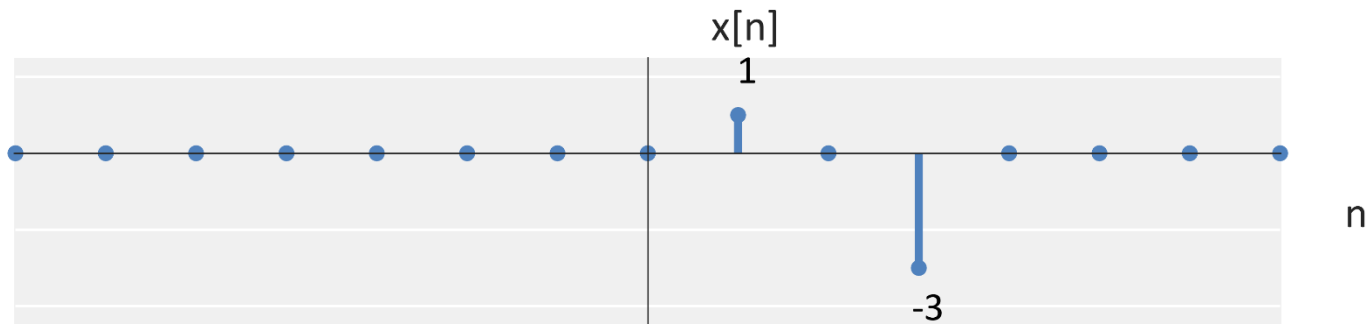


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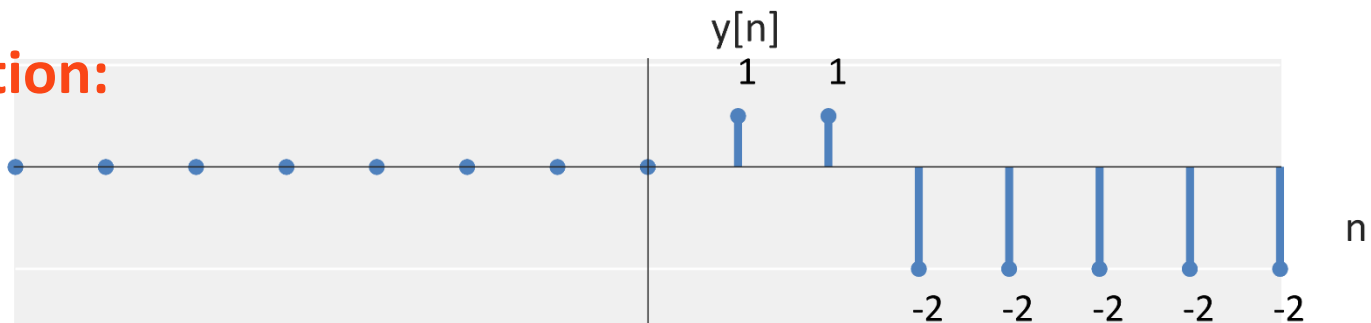
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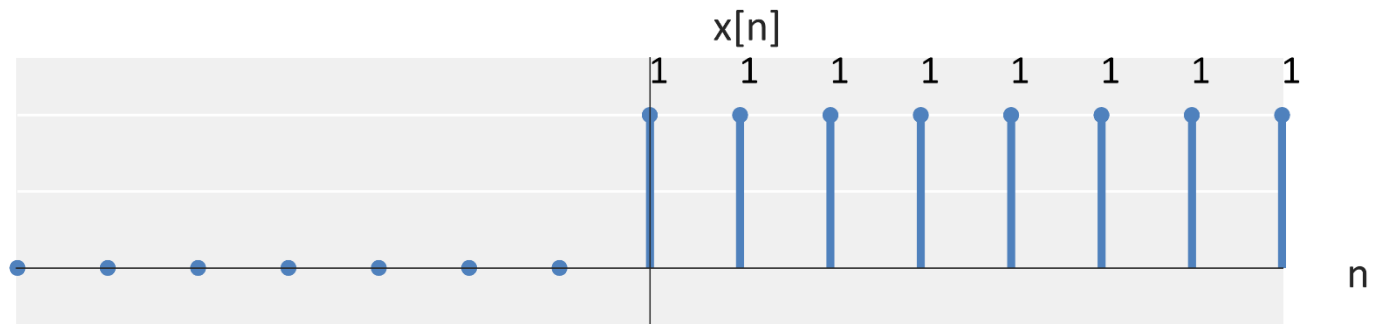


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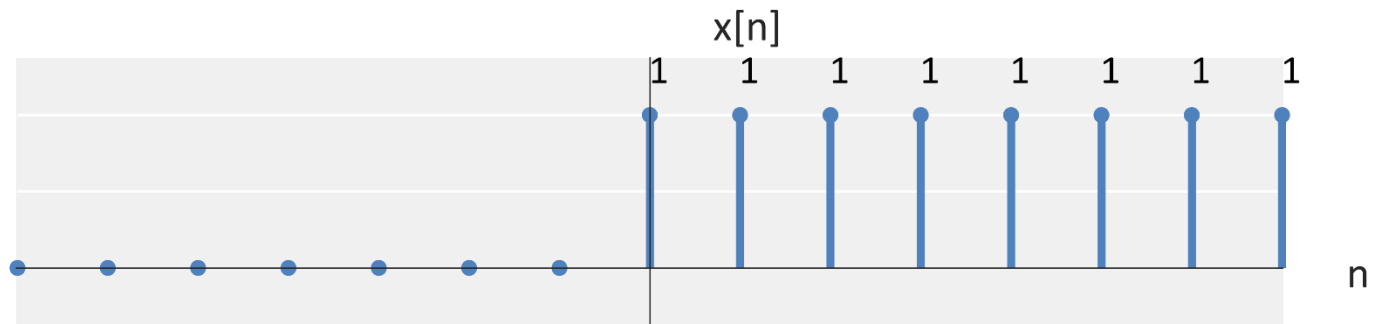


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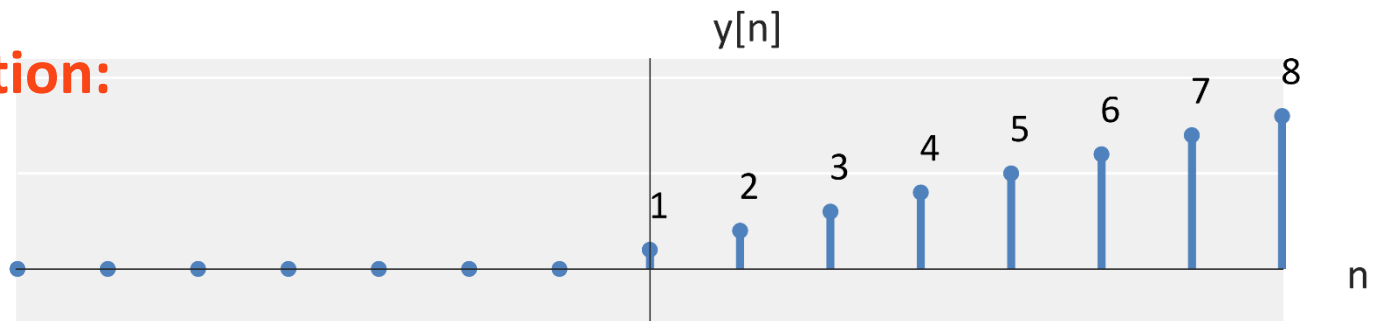
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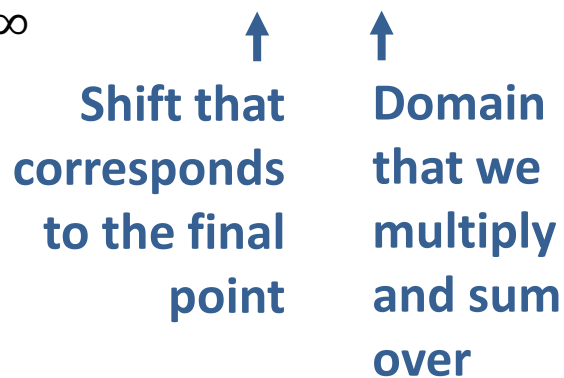
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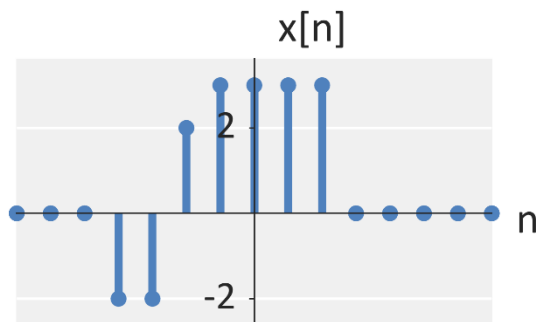
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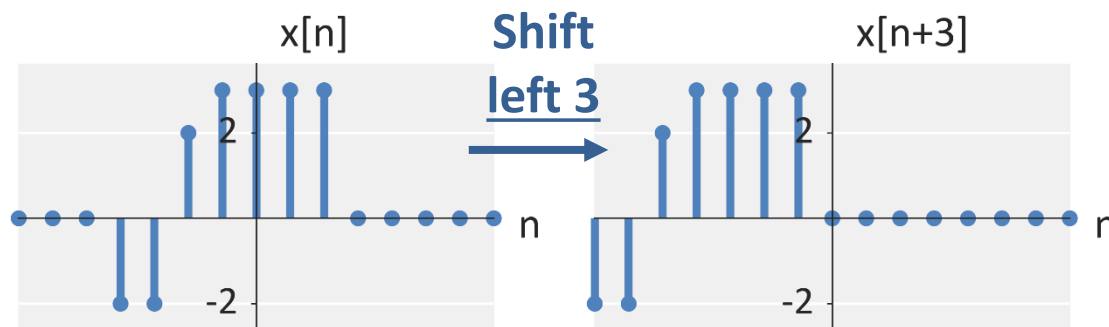
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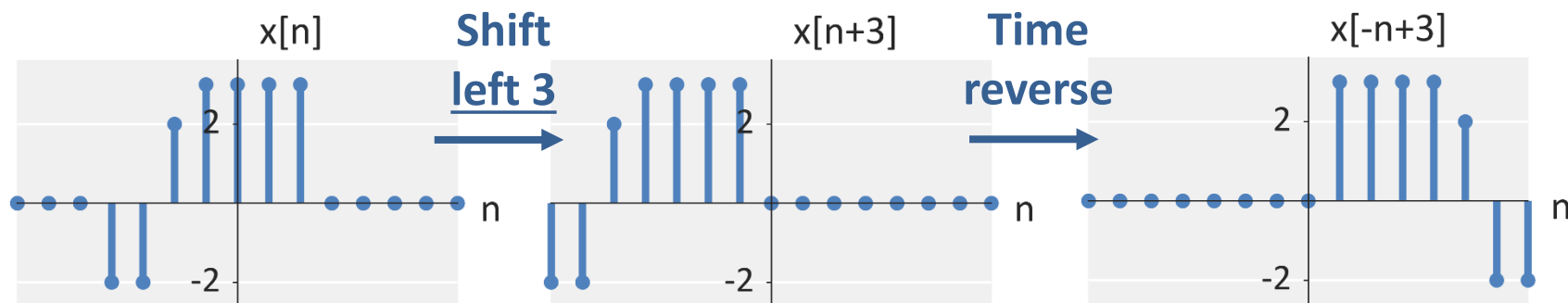


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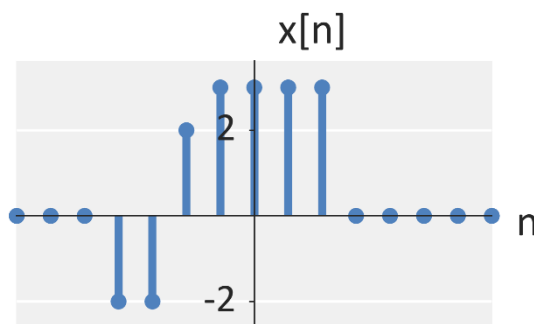
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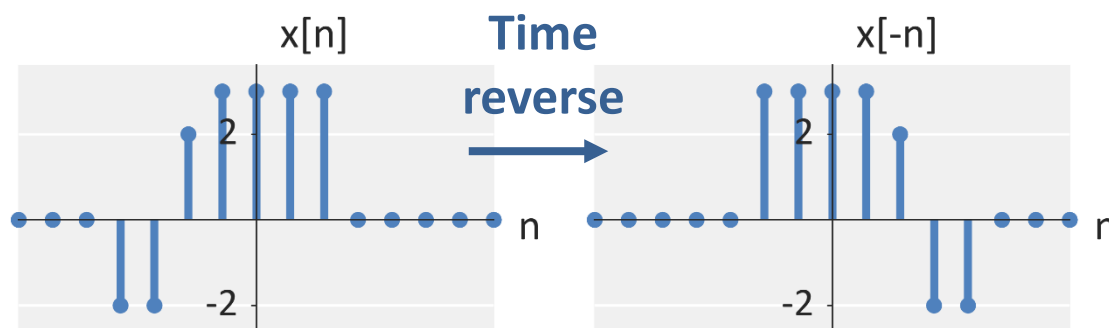
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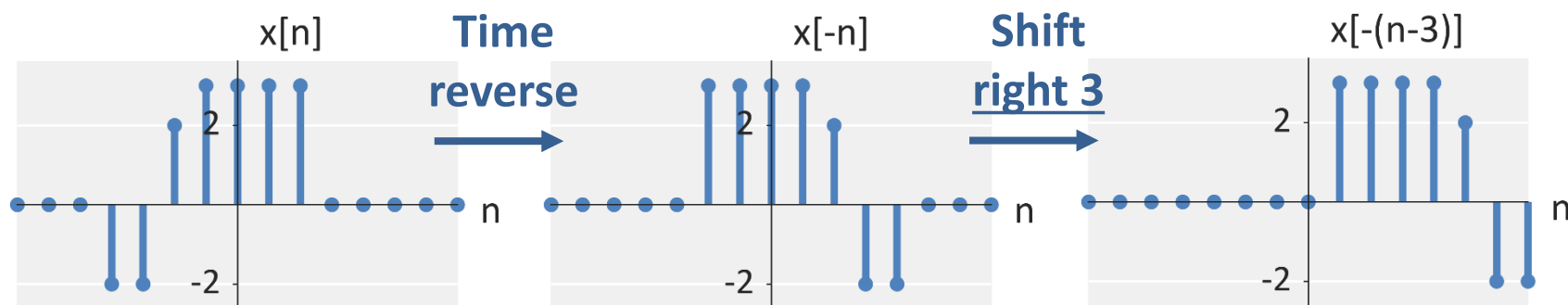
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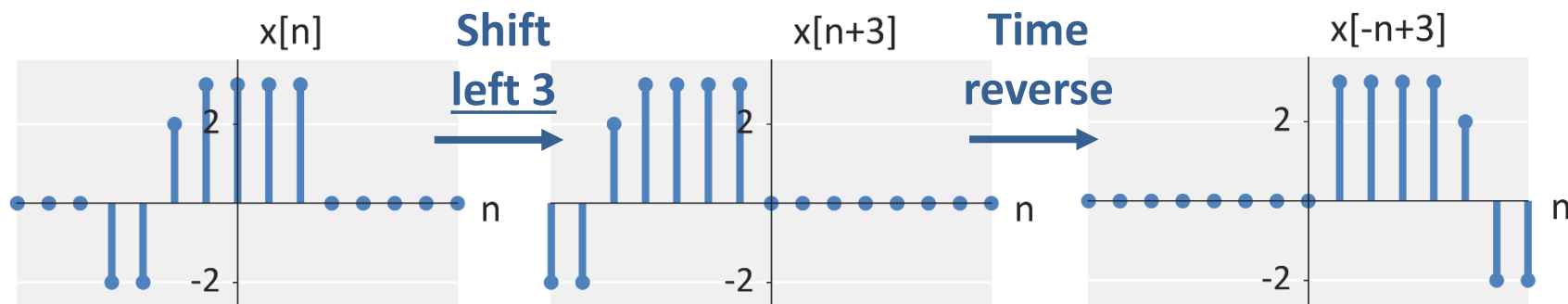
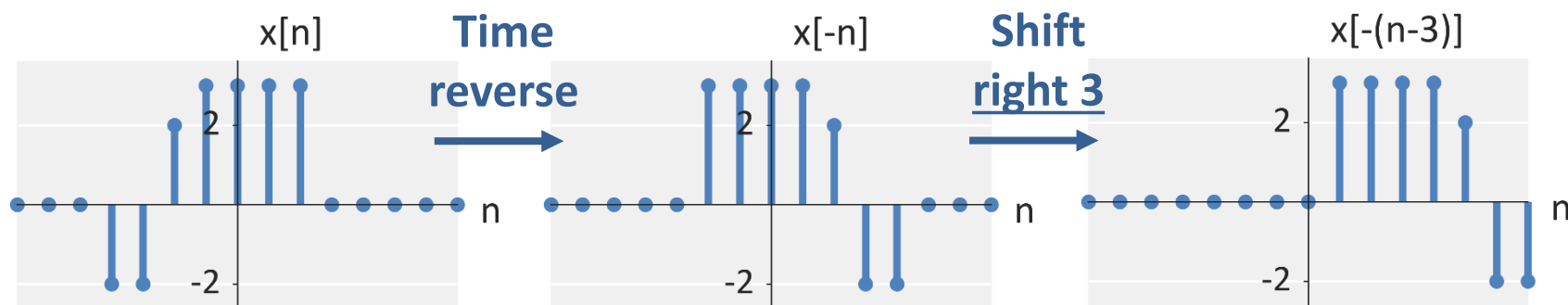
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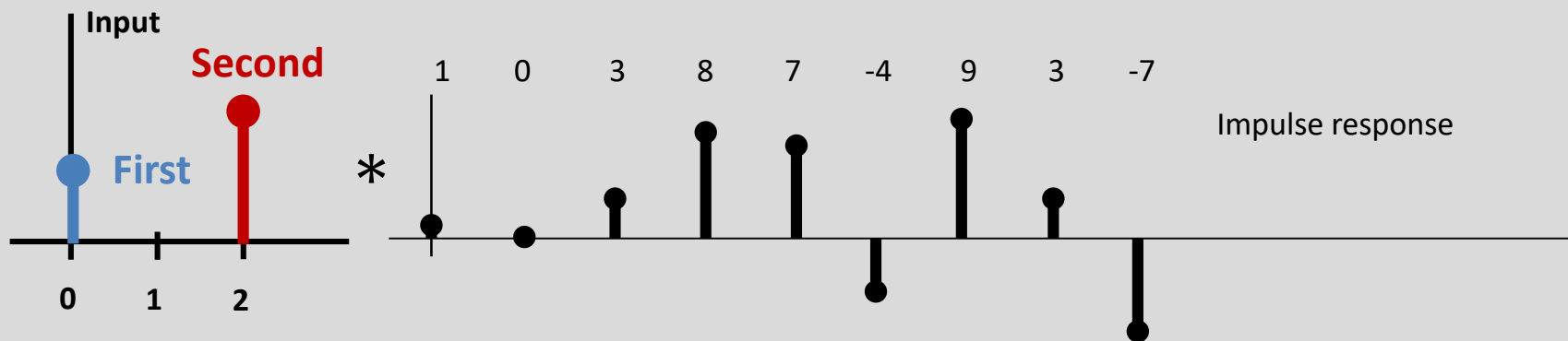
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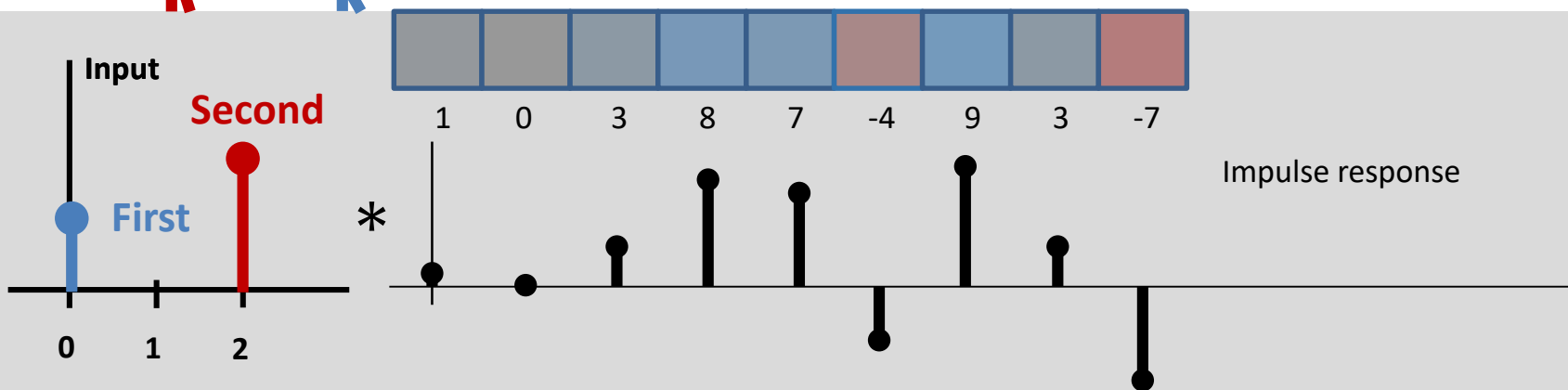
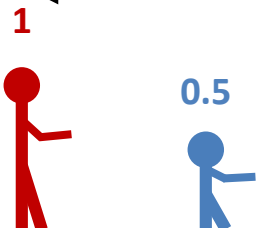
Convolution Illustration

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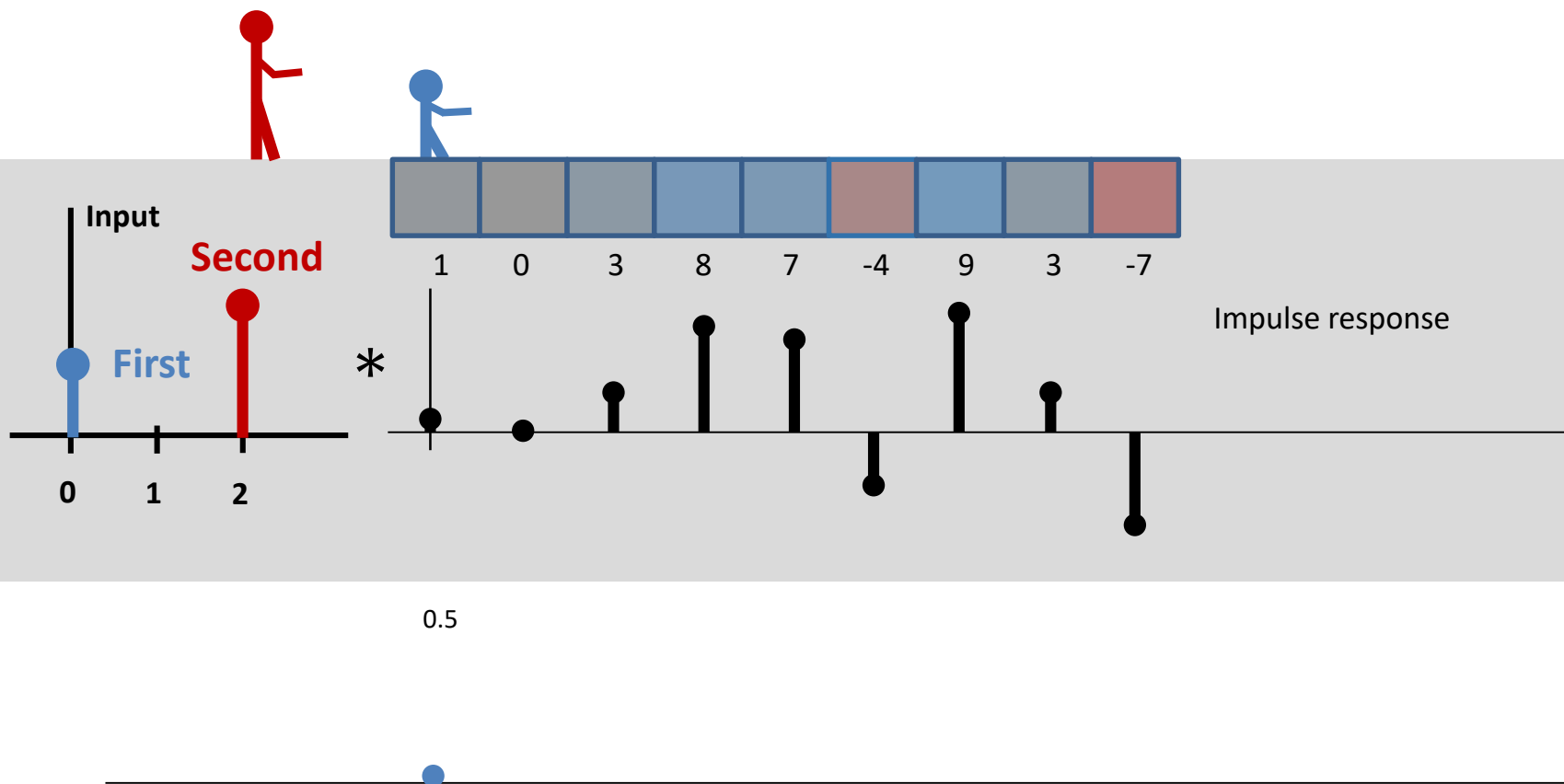


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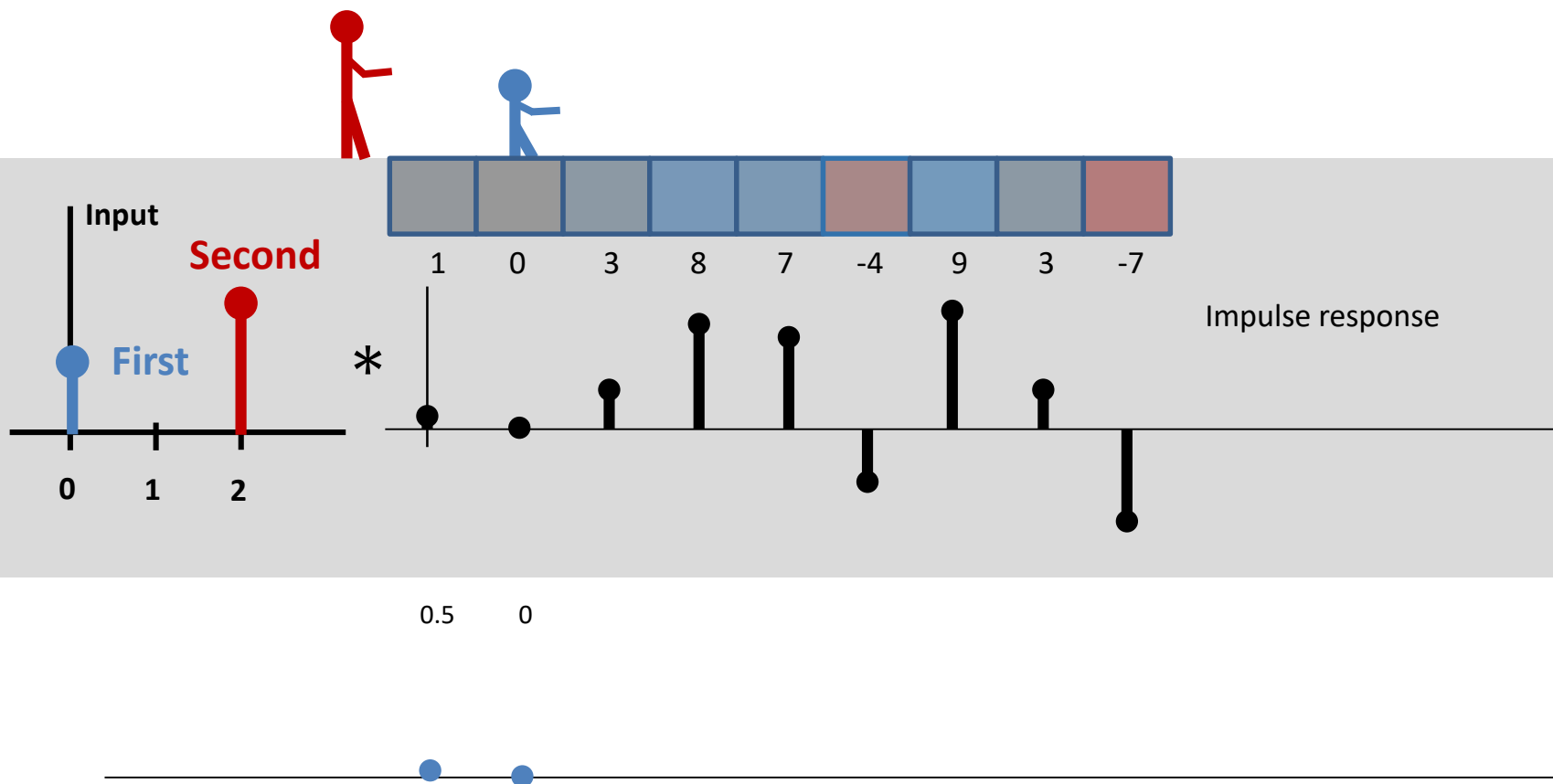
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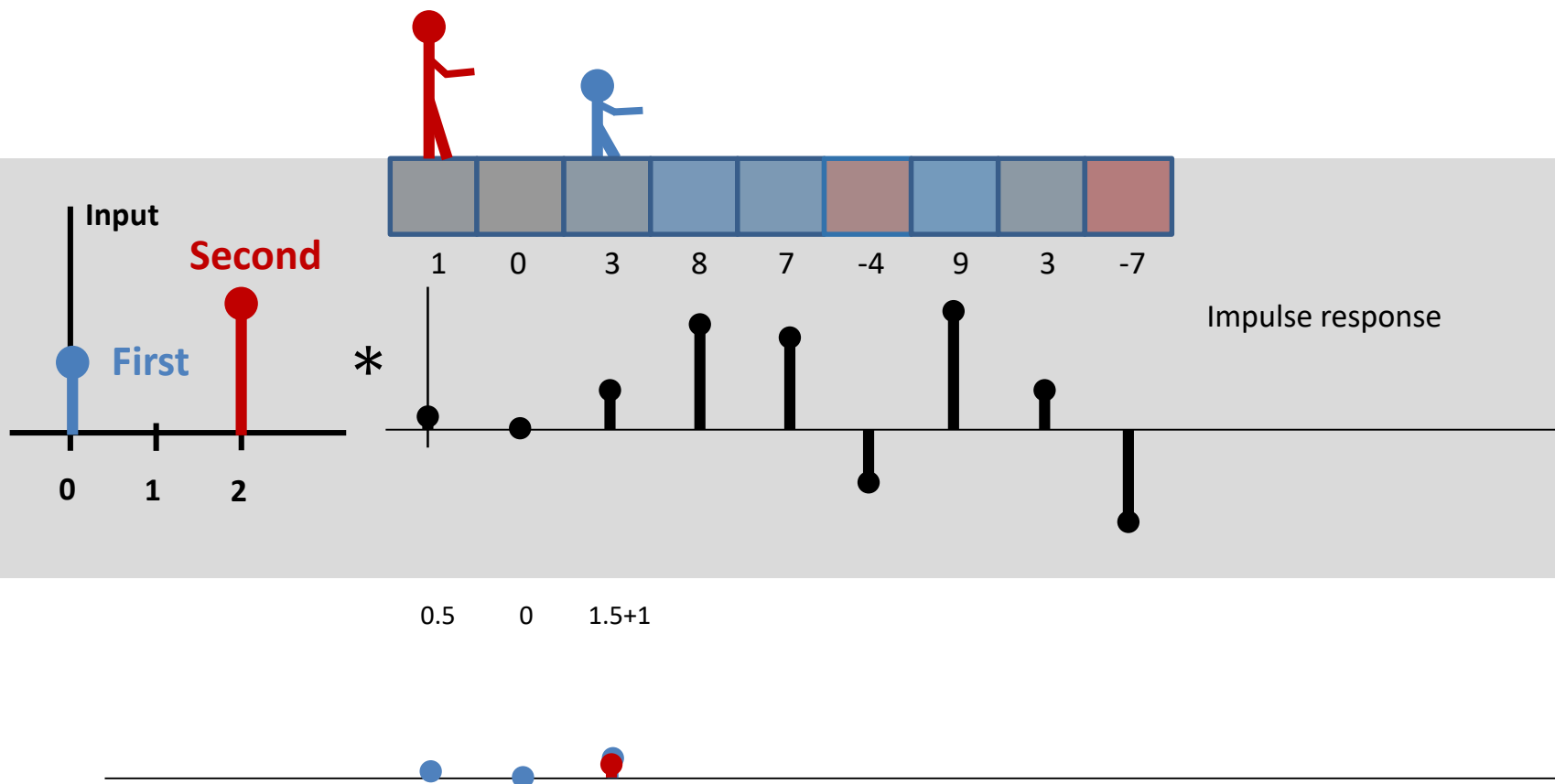
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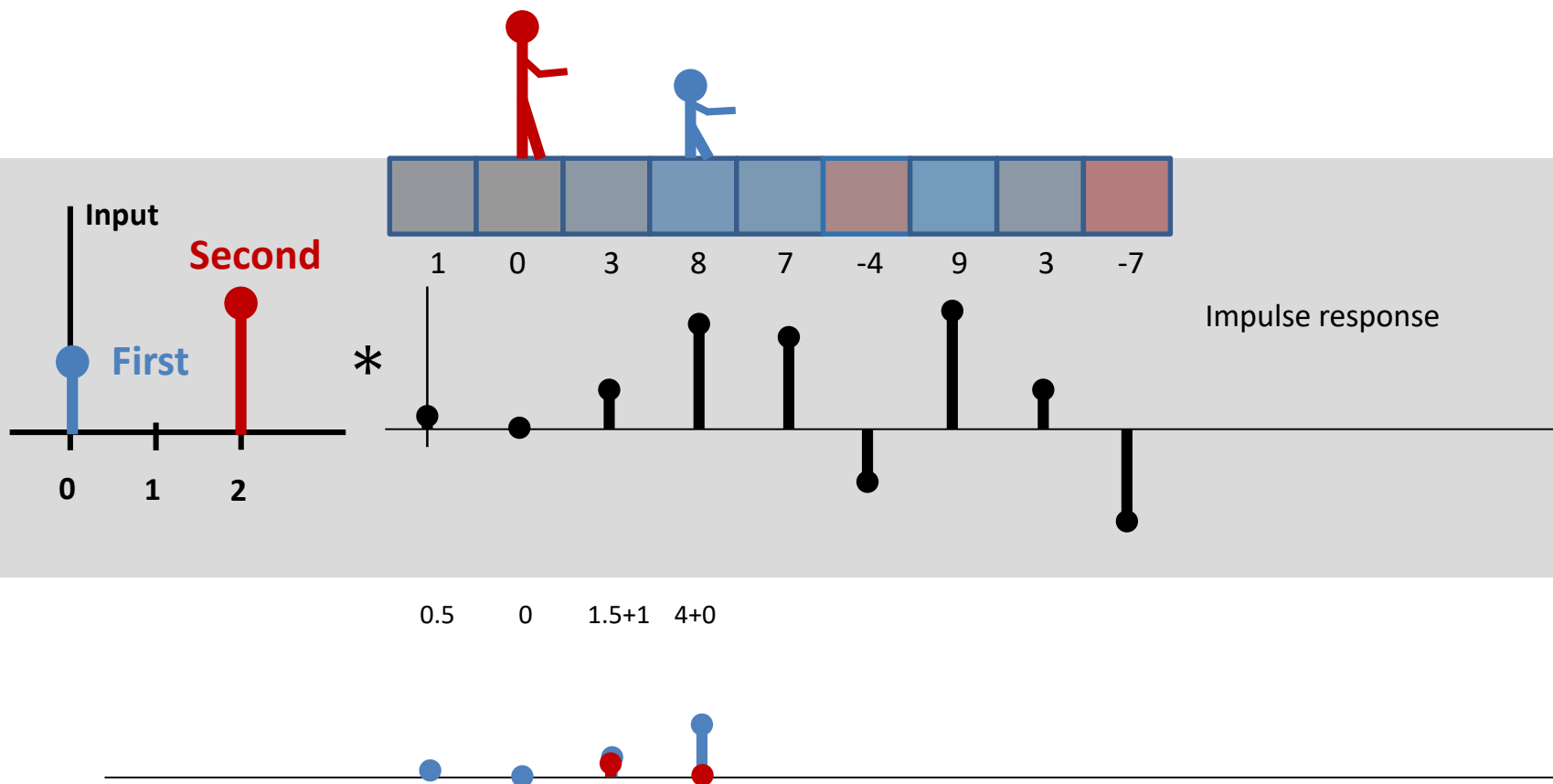
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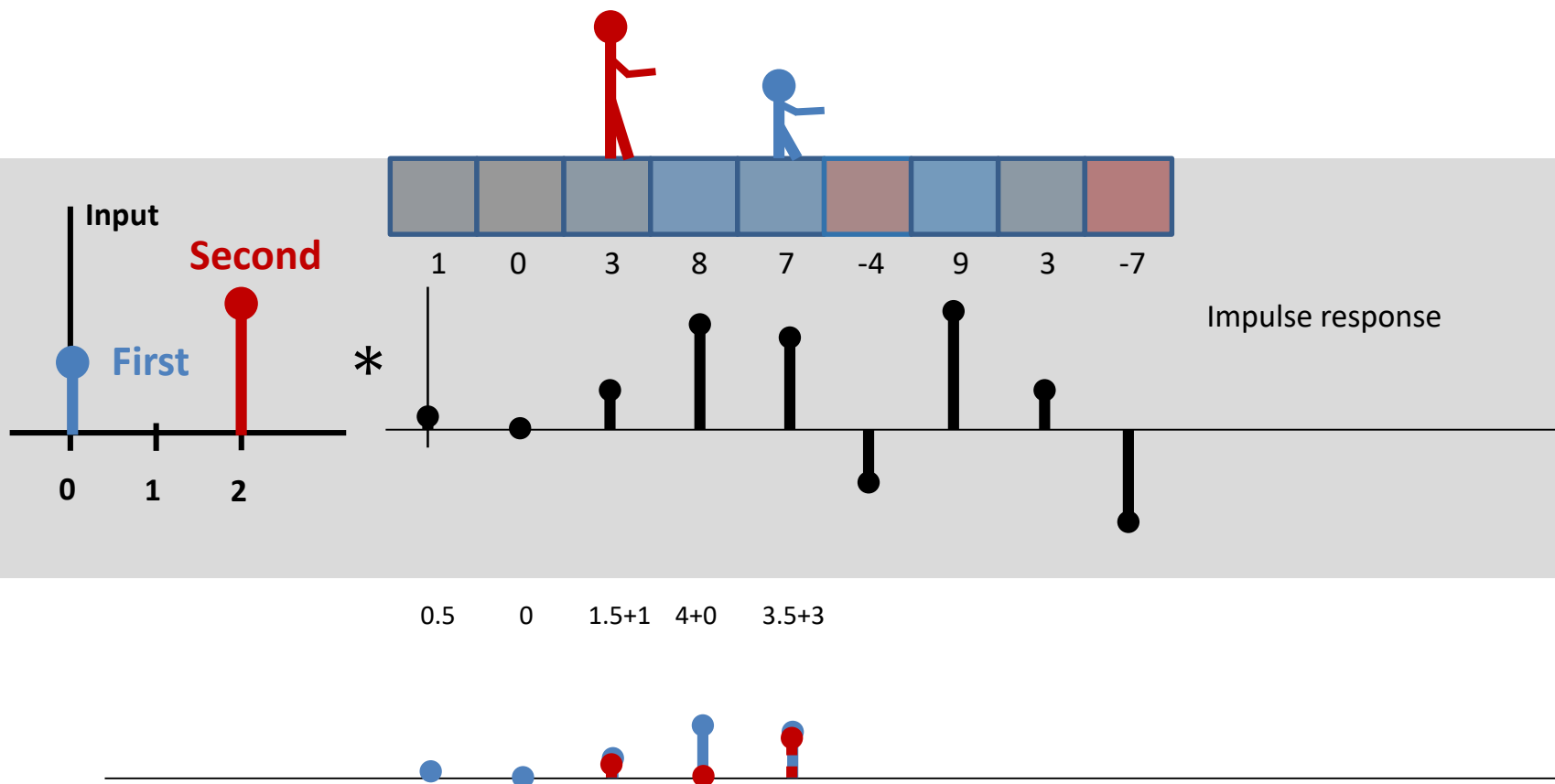
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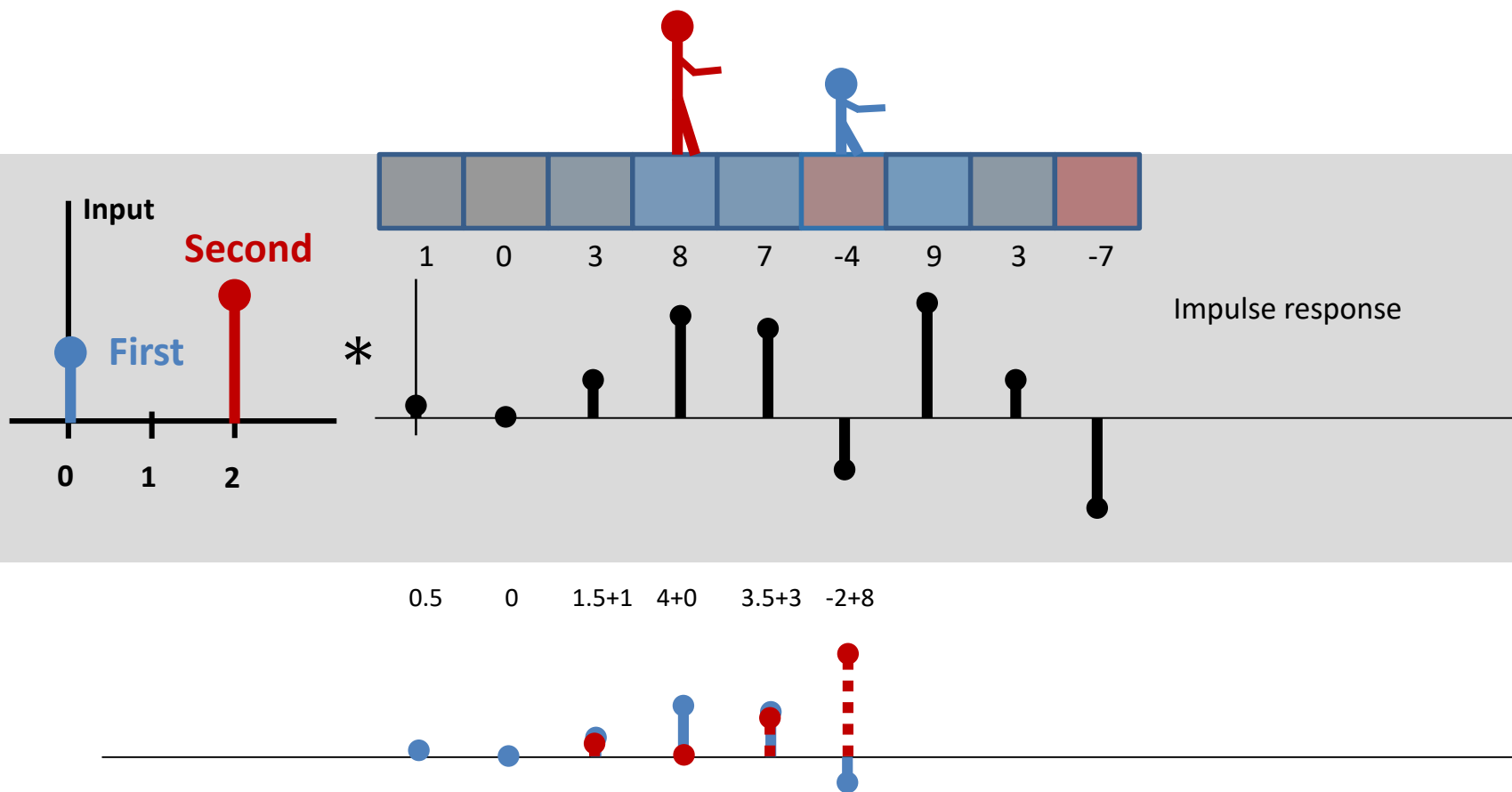
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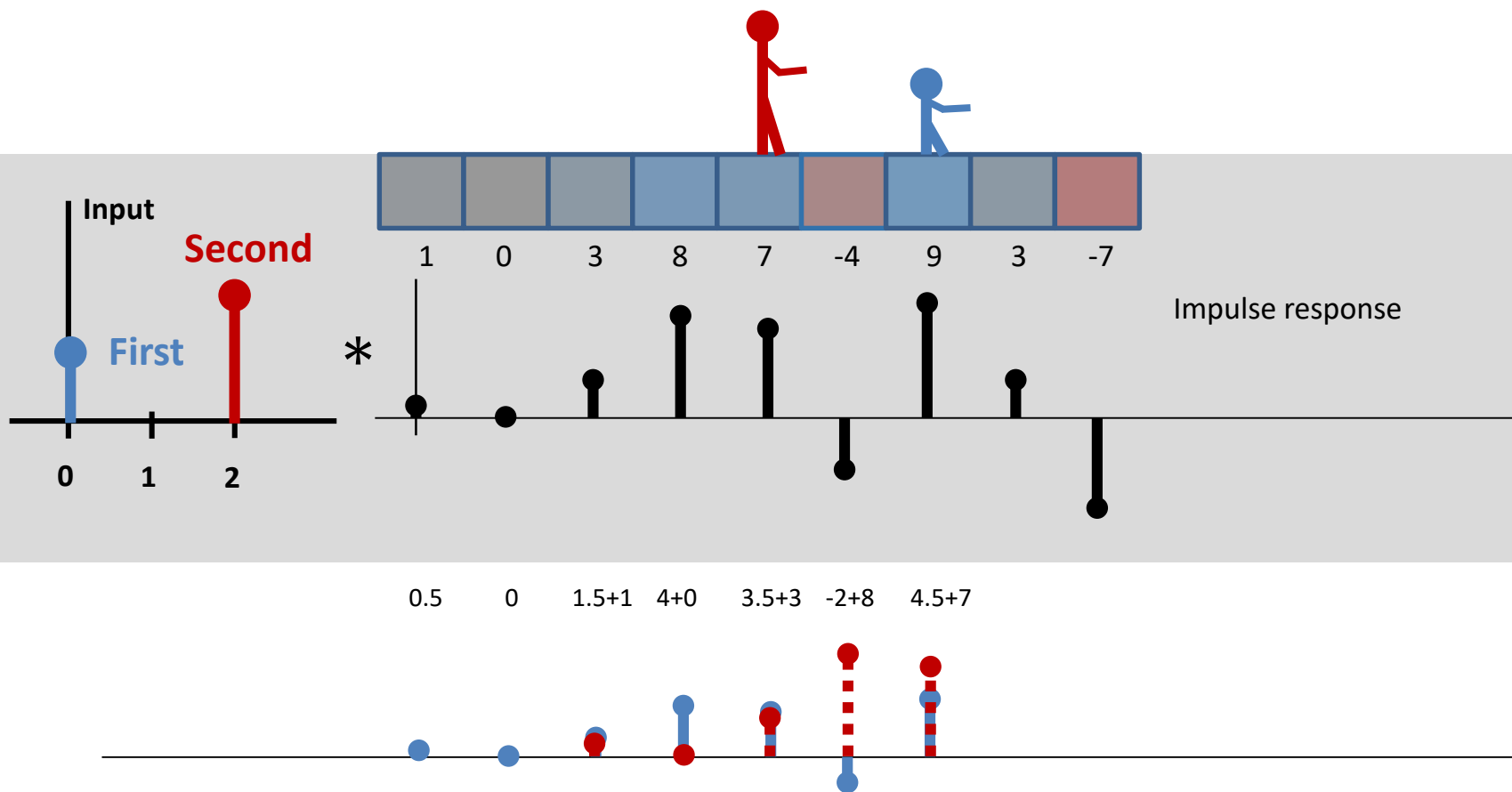
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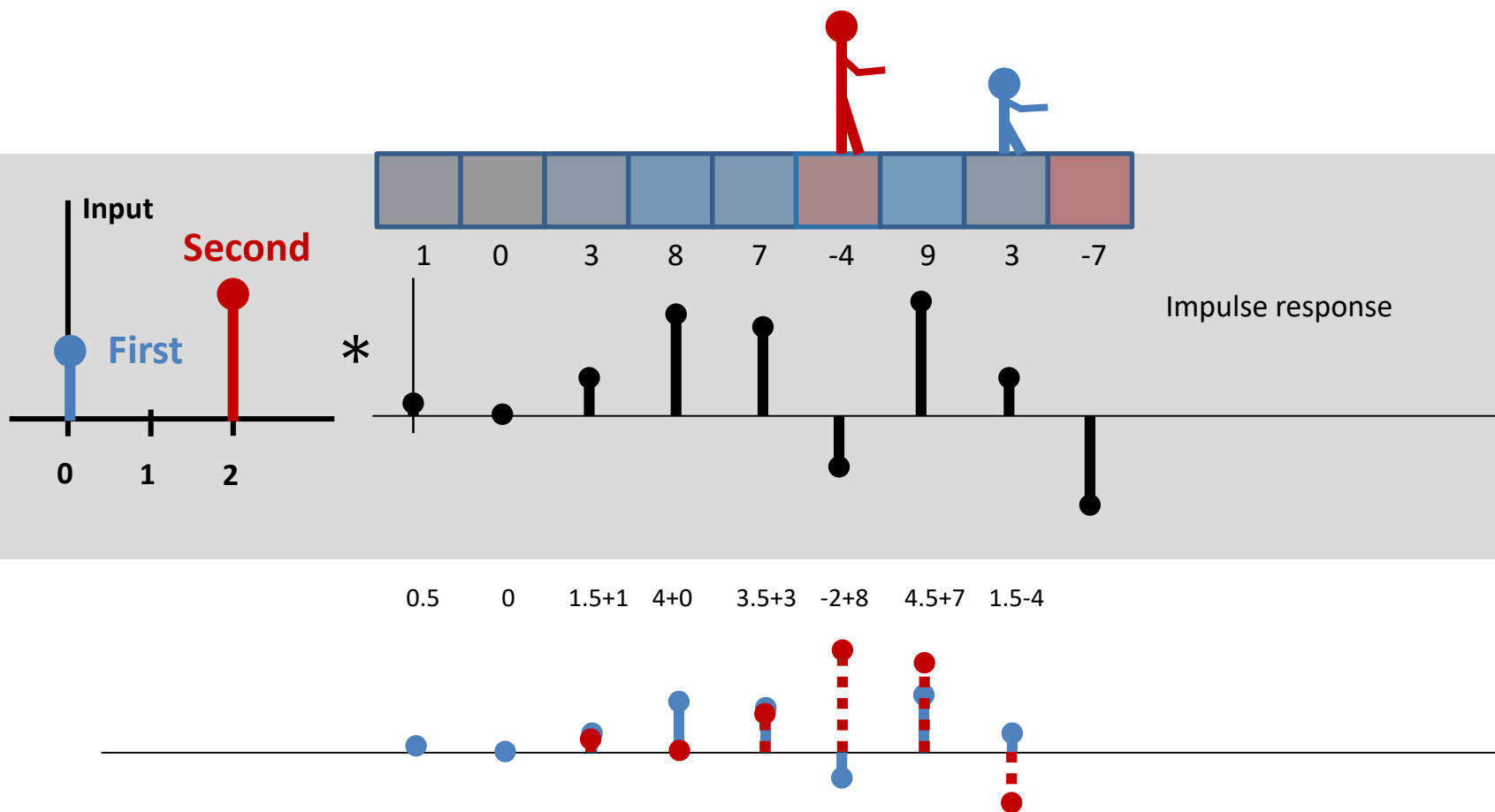
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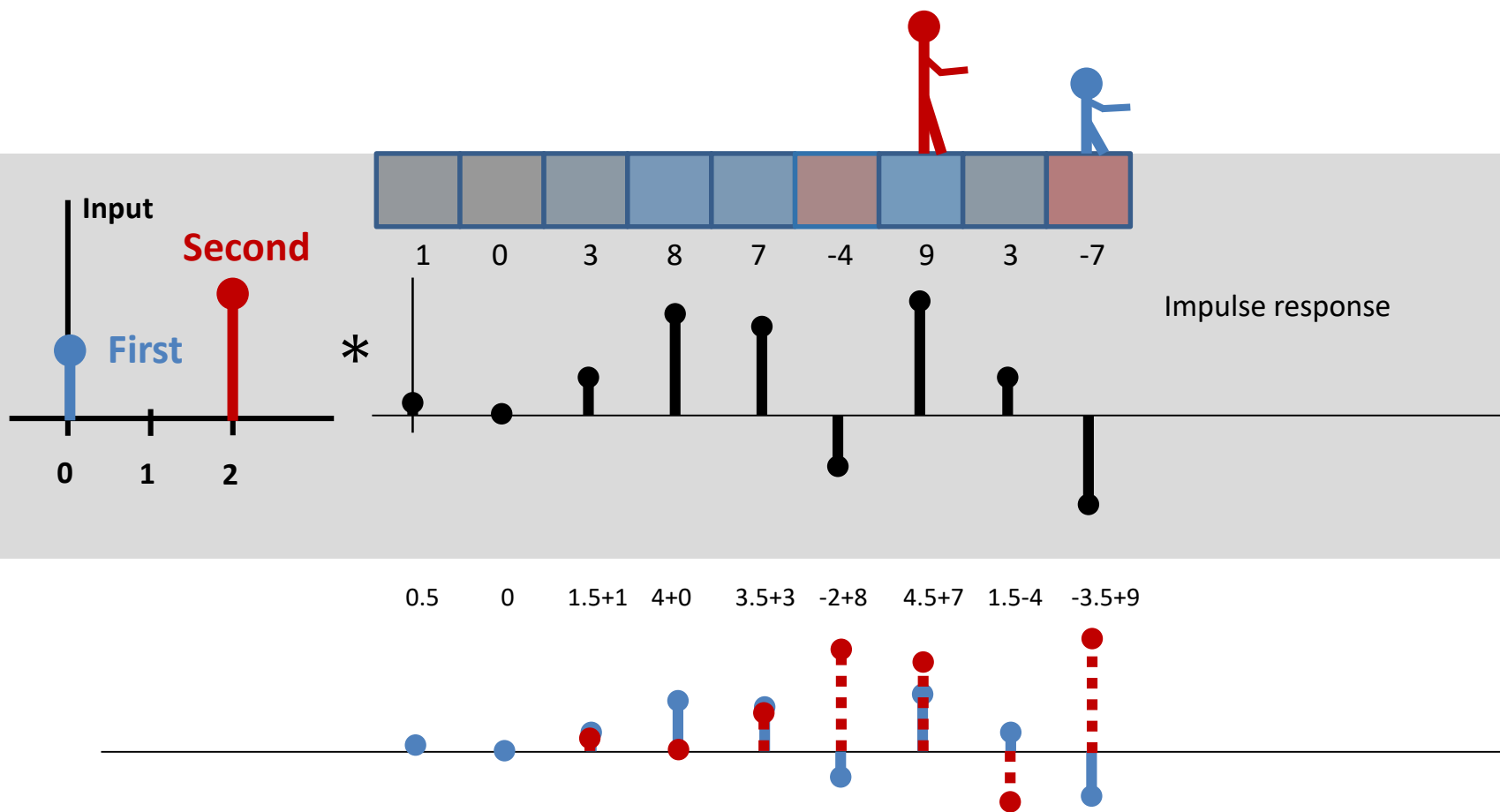
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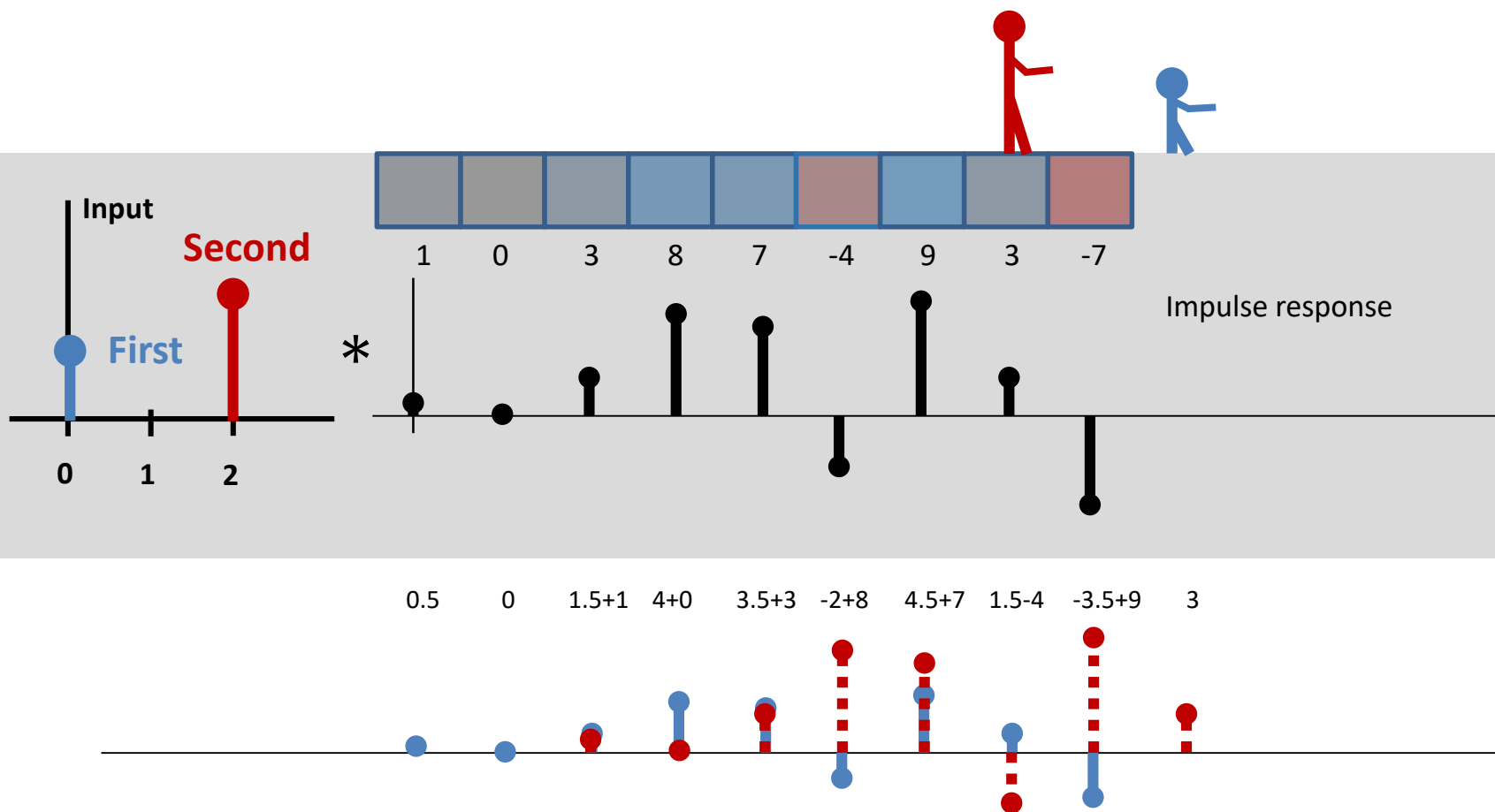
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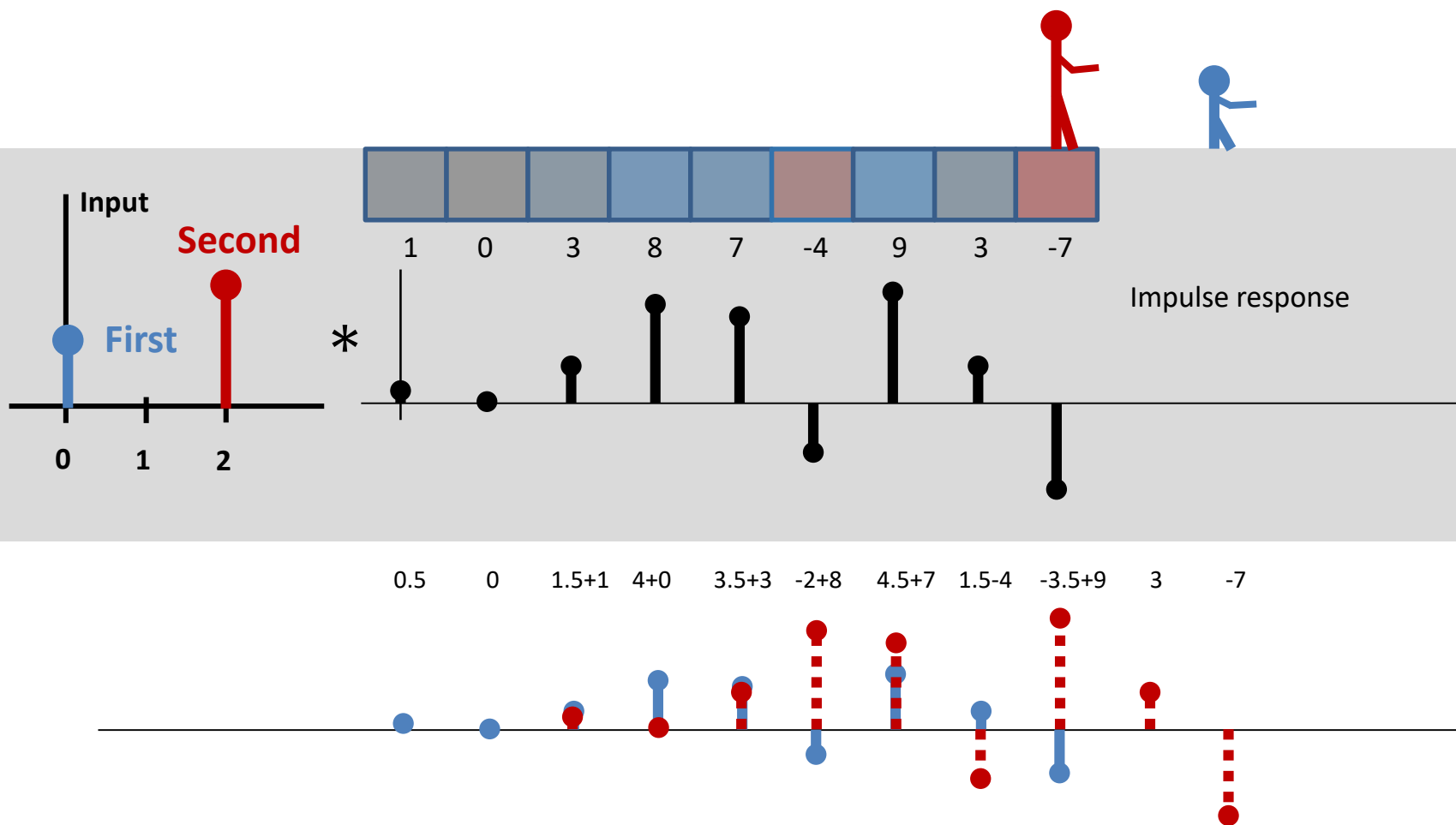
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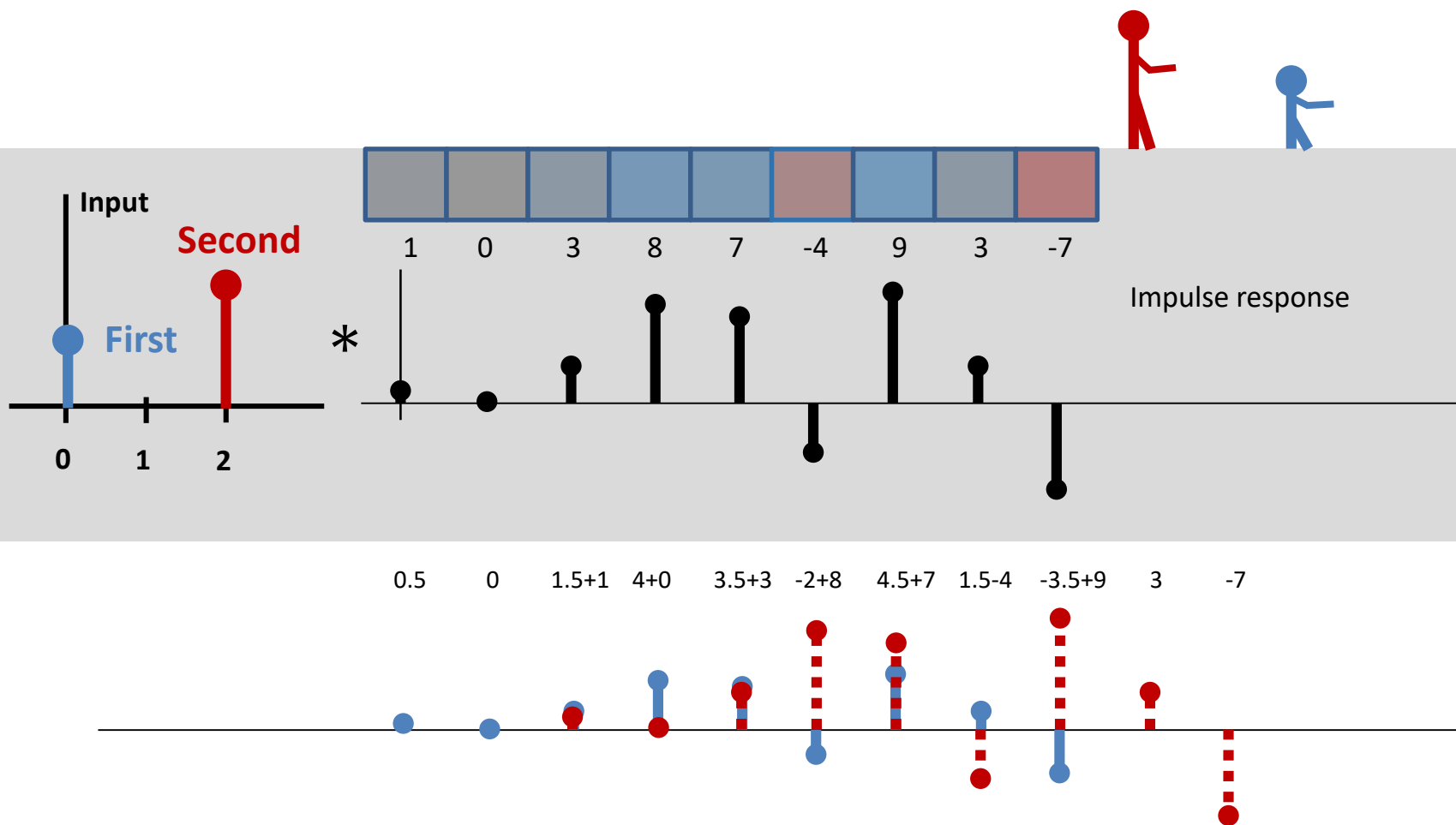
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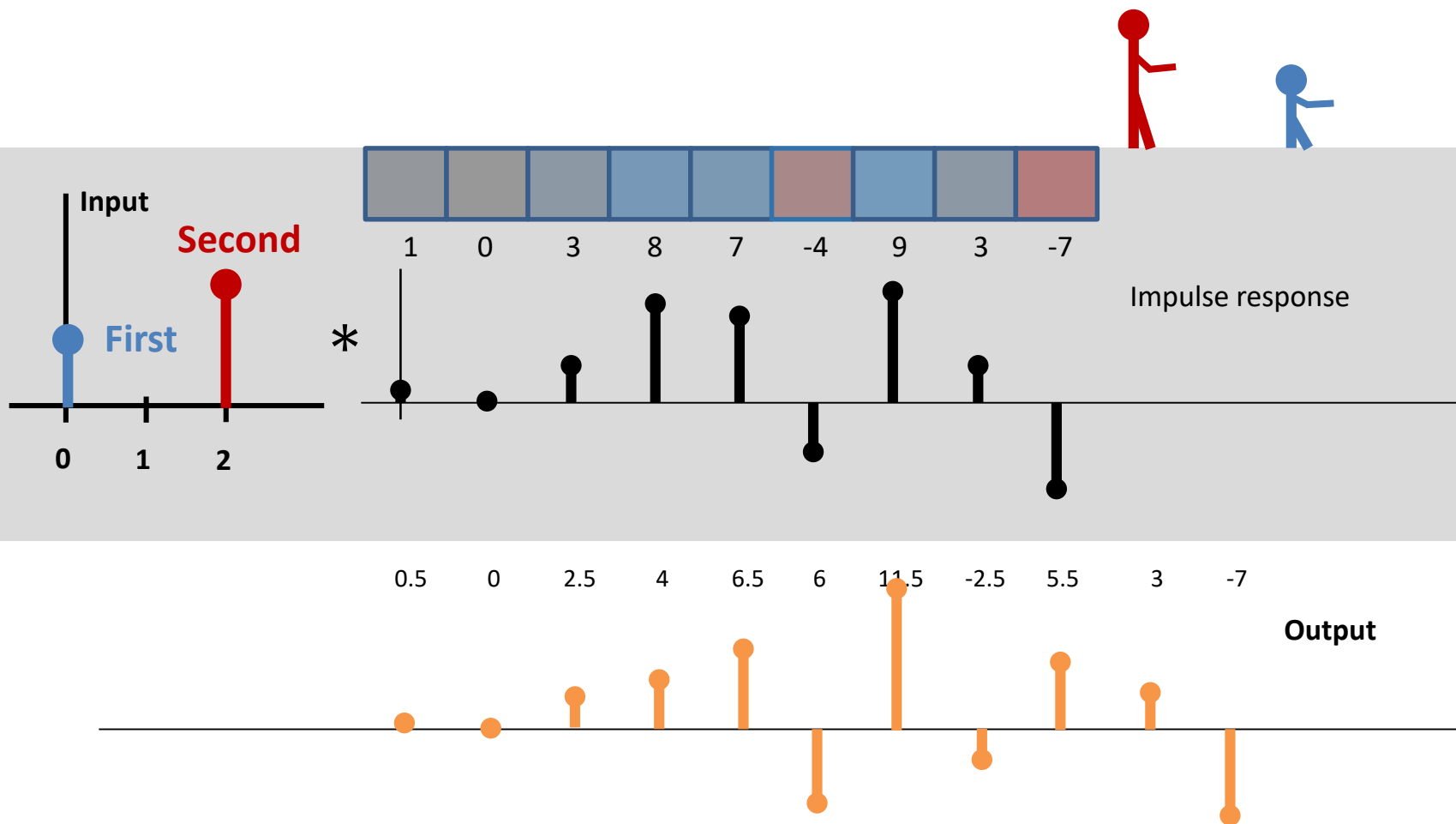
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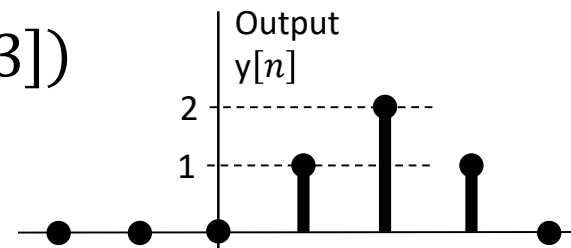
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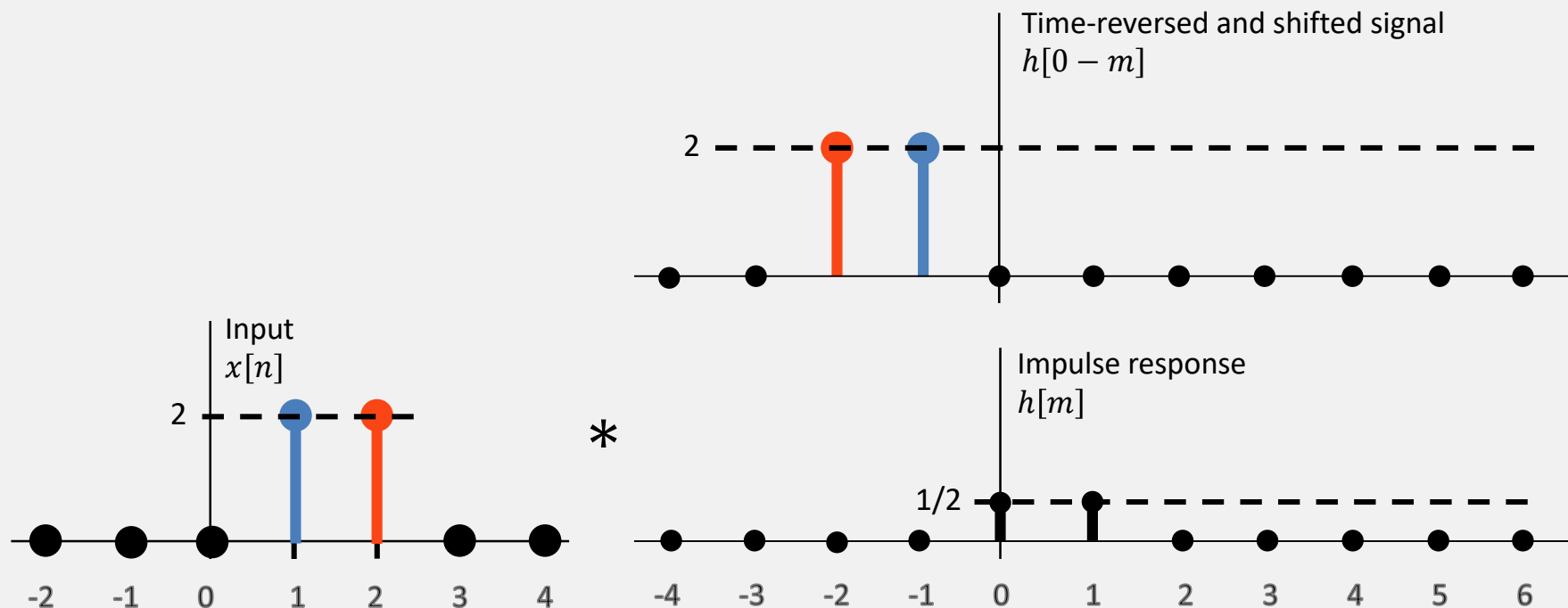
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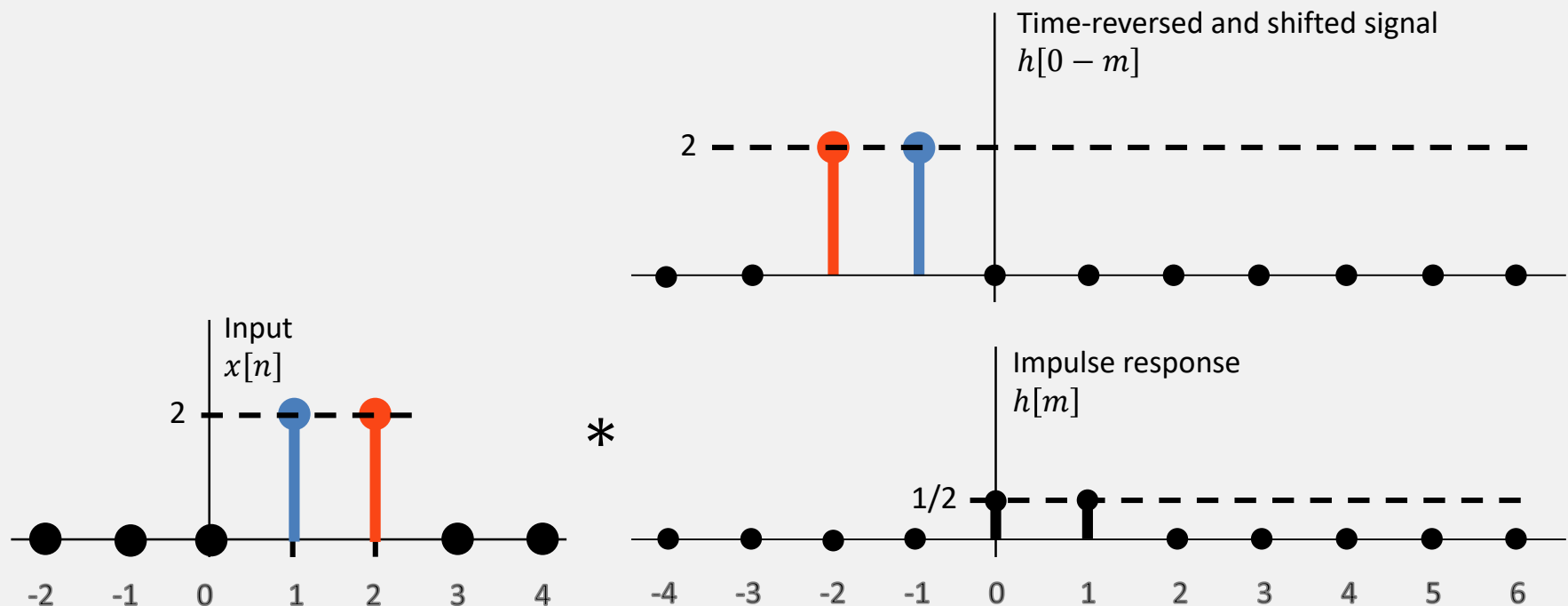
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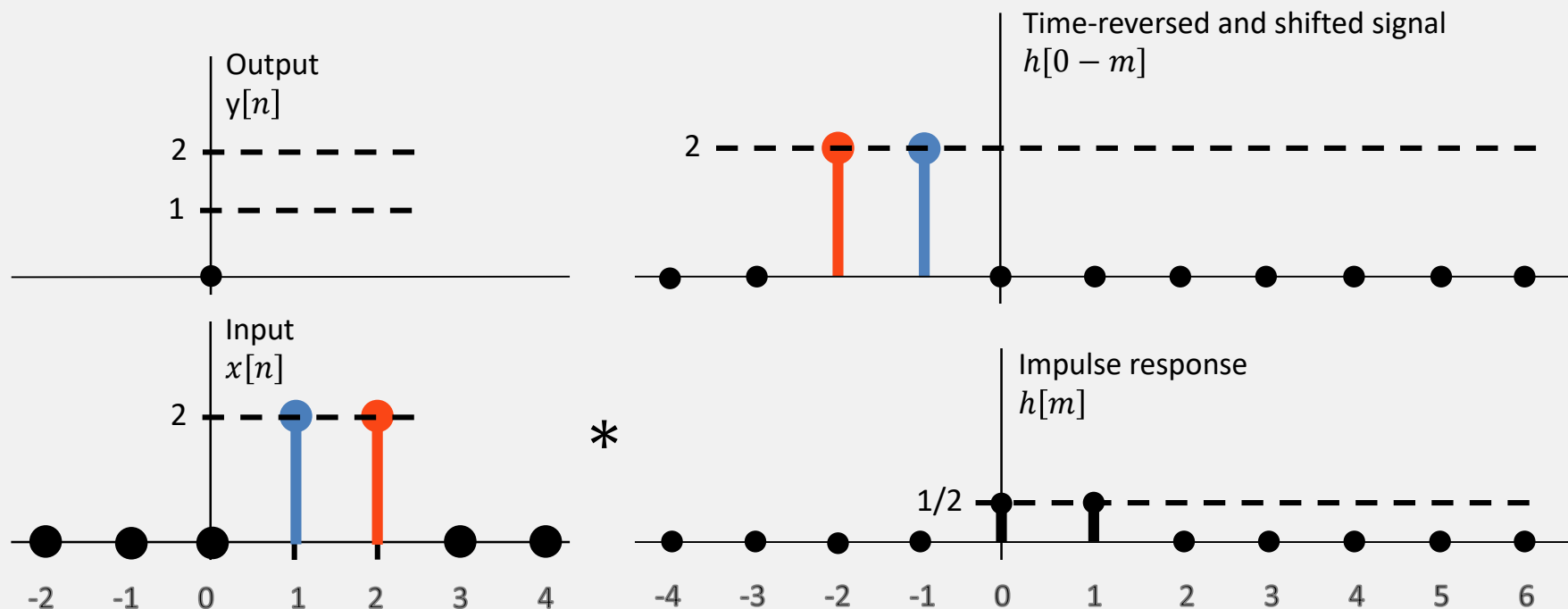
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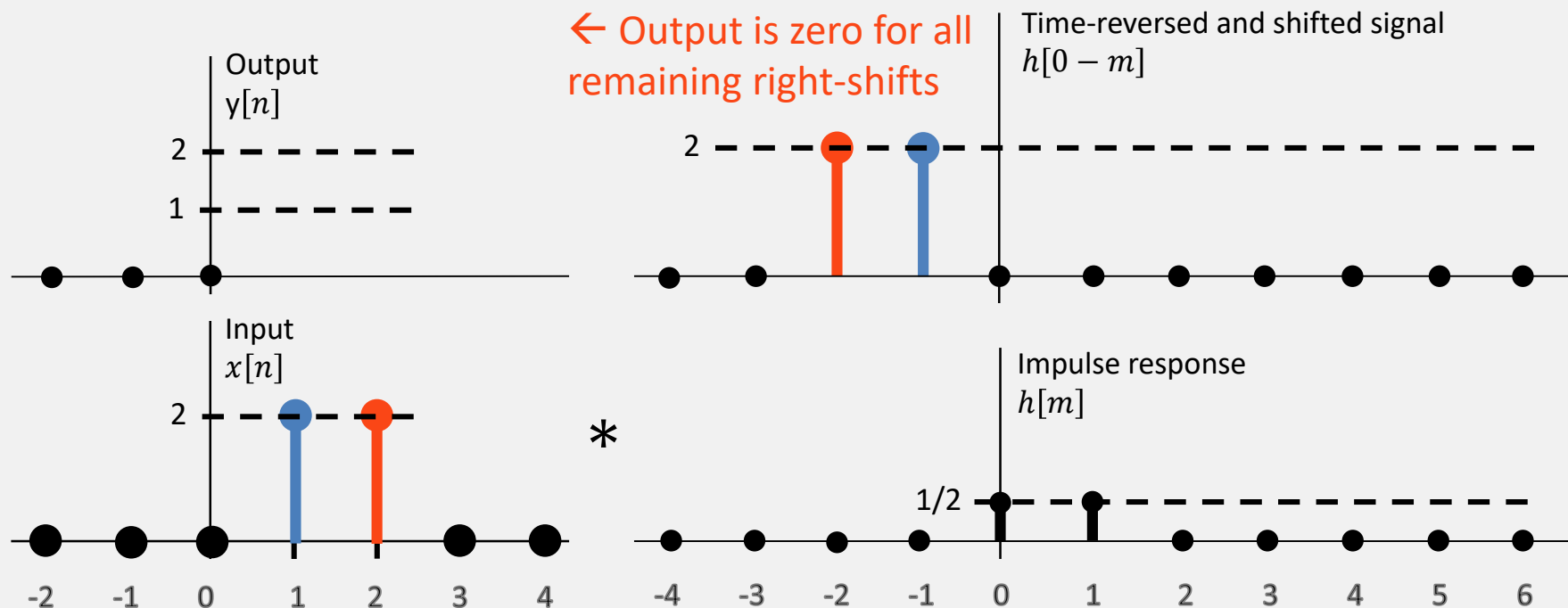
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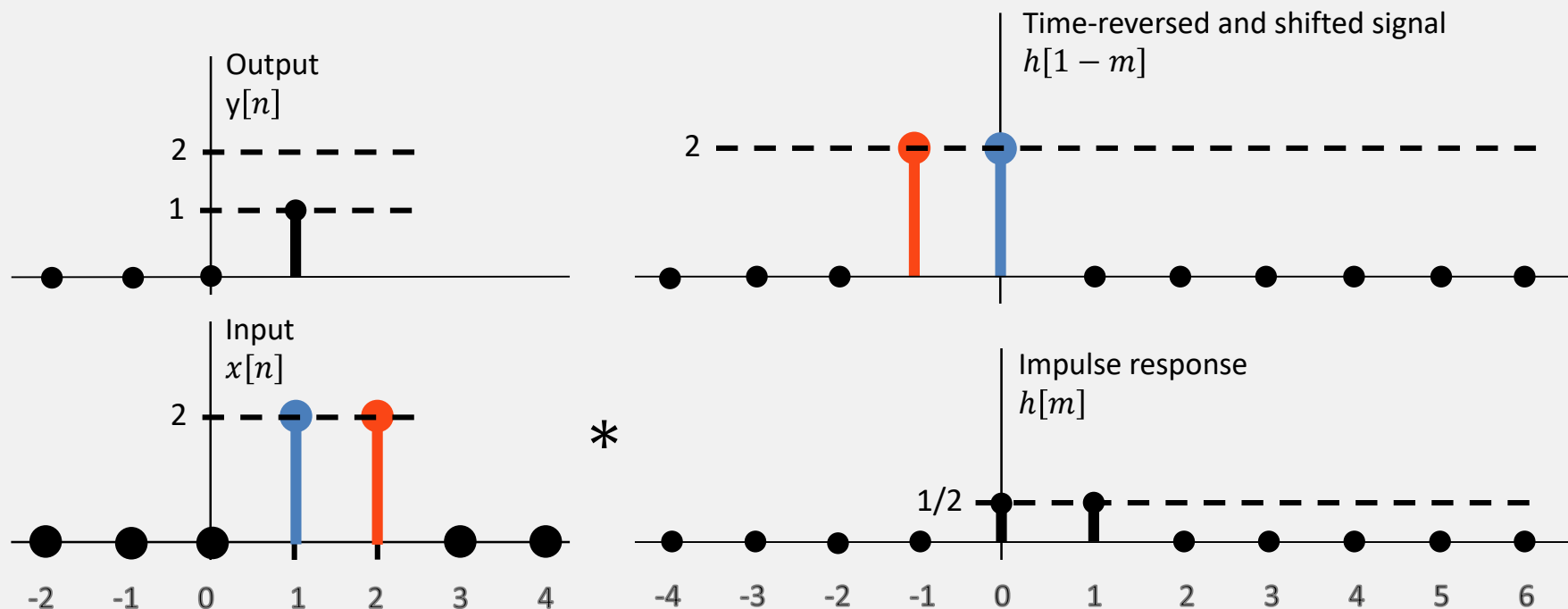
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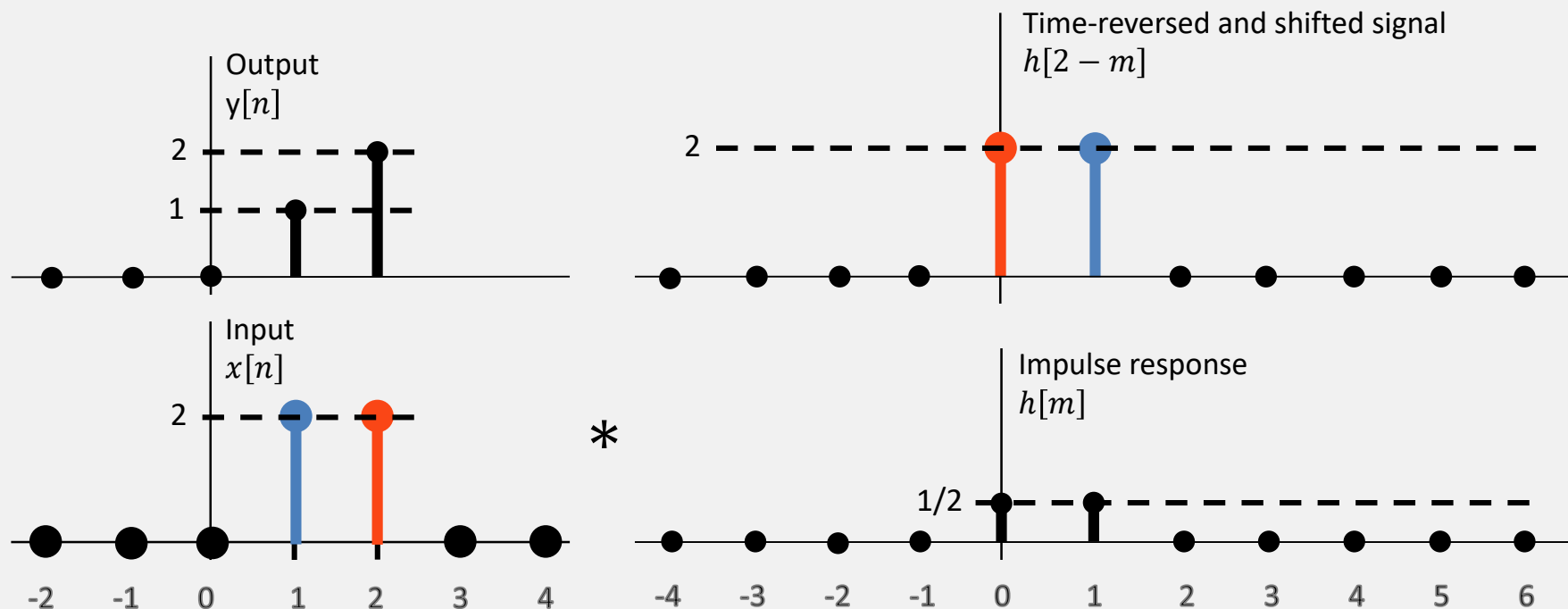
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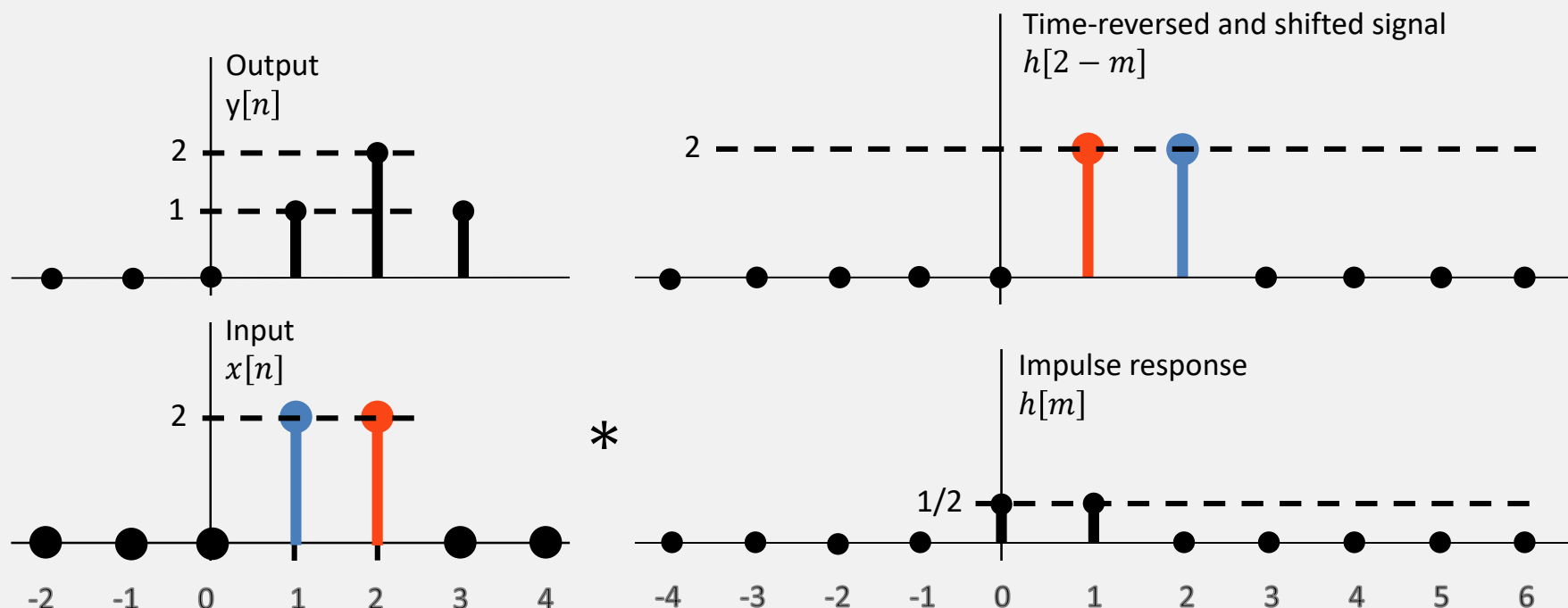
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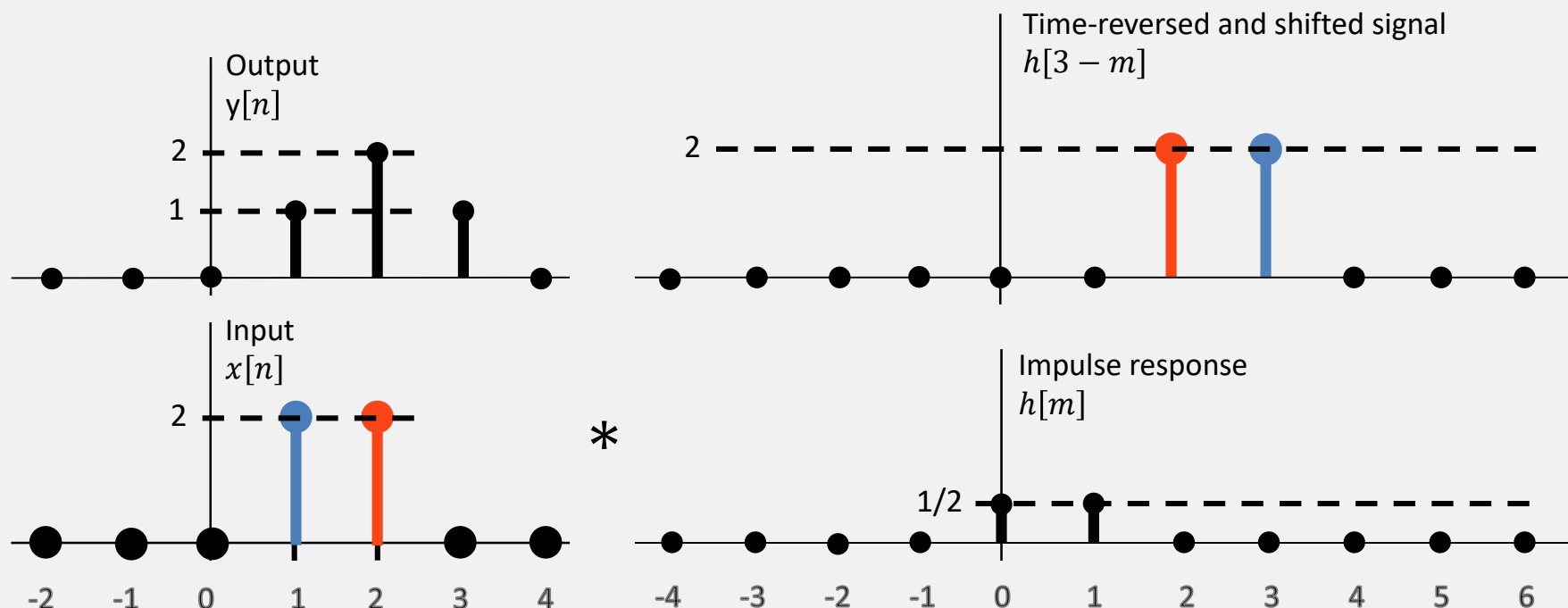
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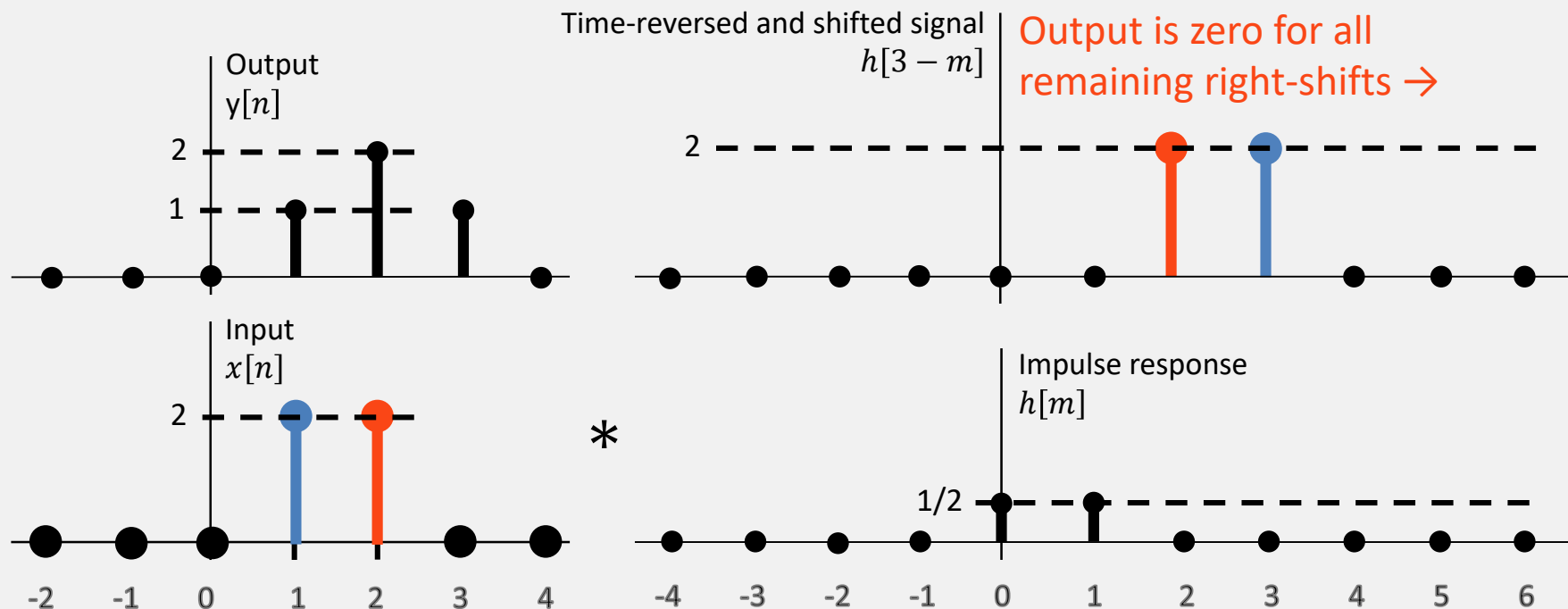
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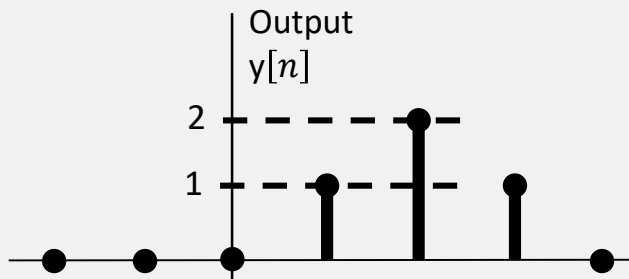
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Same as our first result!

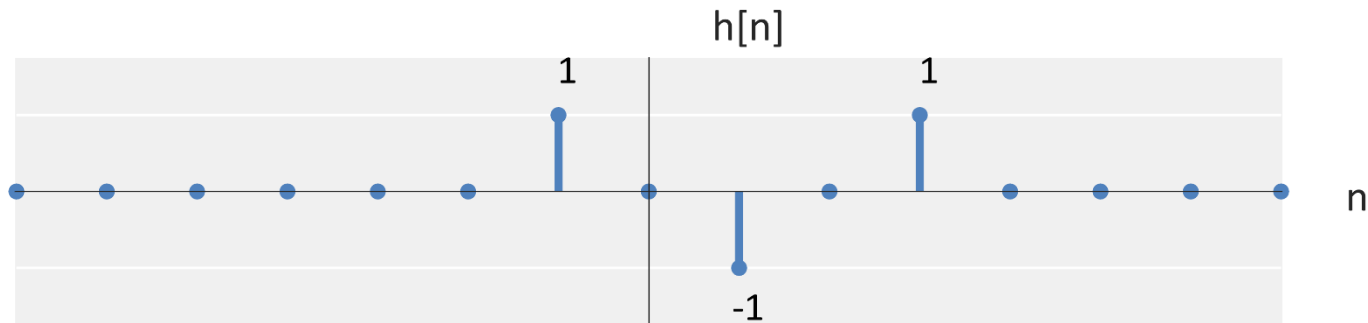
We can compute the system output via convolution!

Example Problem #2

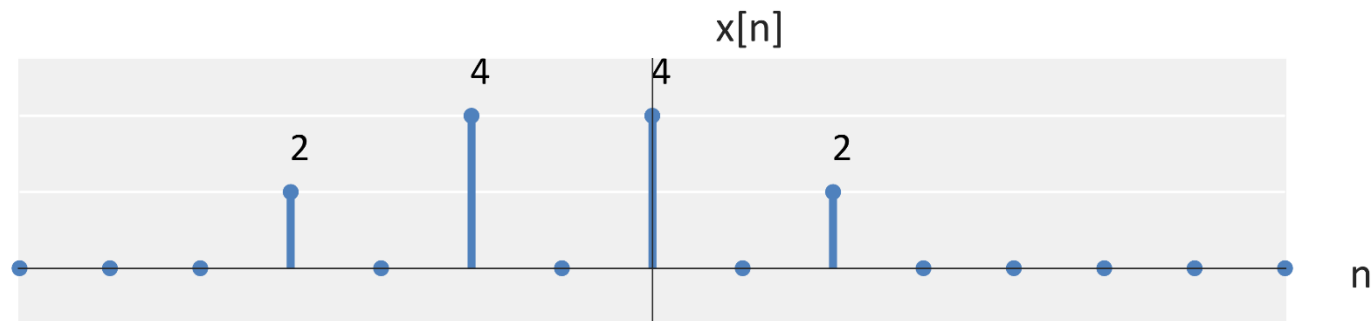
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■ Linear and Time-Invariant (LTI) System

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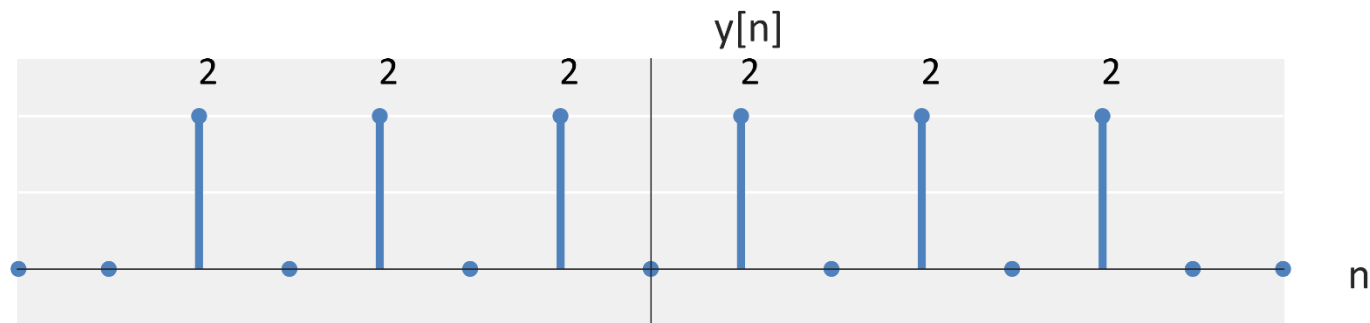
- Compute response of the system to input $x[n]$ below



Convolution

■ Linear and Time-Invariant (LTI) System

■ Solution:



Example Problem #3: Correlation

Convolution / Correlation

■ Definition of convolution

$$y[n] = x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m] h[n - m]$$

■ Definition of correlation

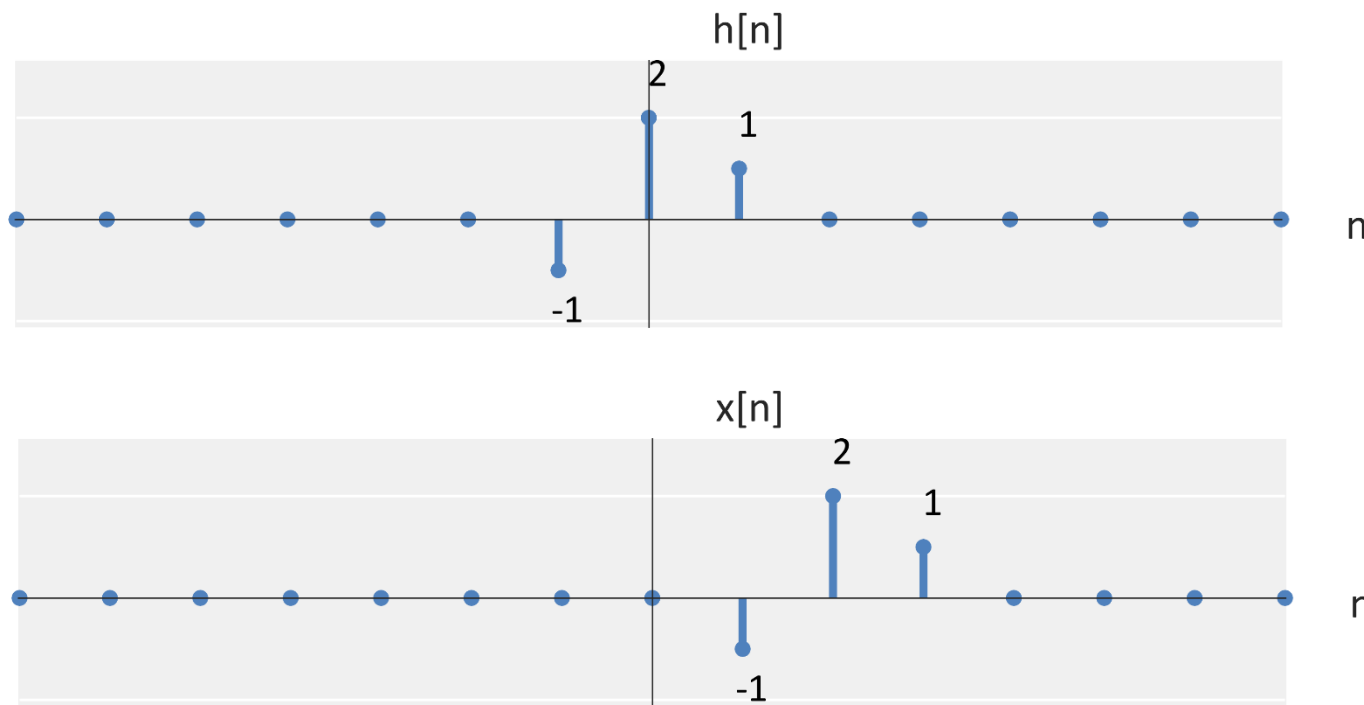
$$y[n] = x[-n] * h[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m] h[n + m]$$

Convolution / Correlation

■ Linear and Time-Invariant (LTI) System

- Consider $h[n]$ and $x[n]$ below. Compute their correlation.

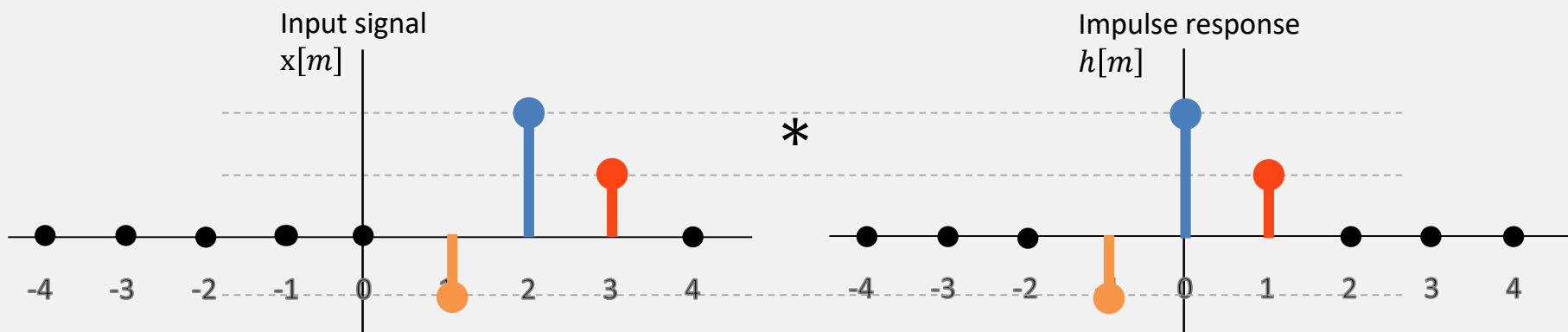
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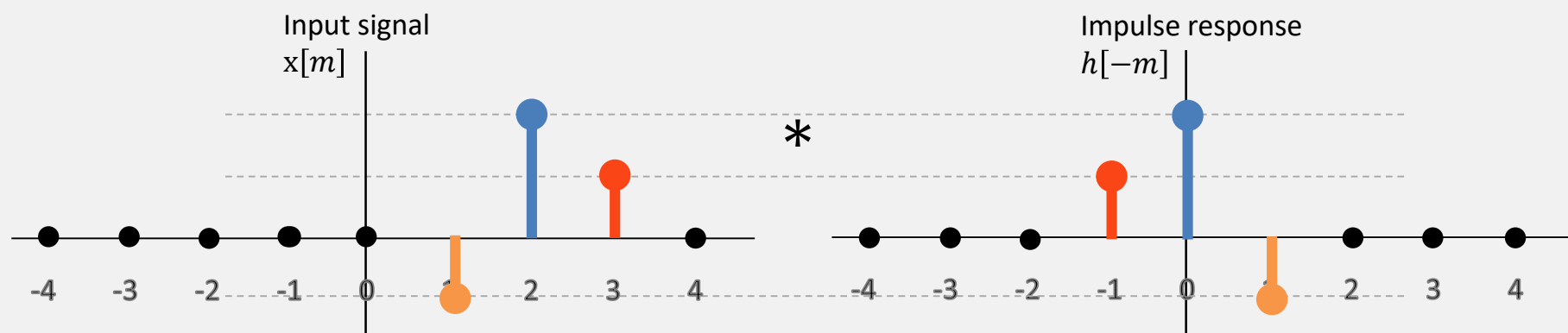
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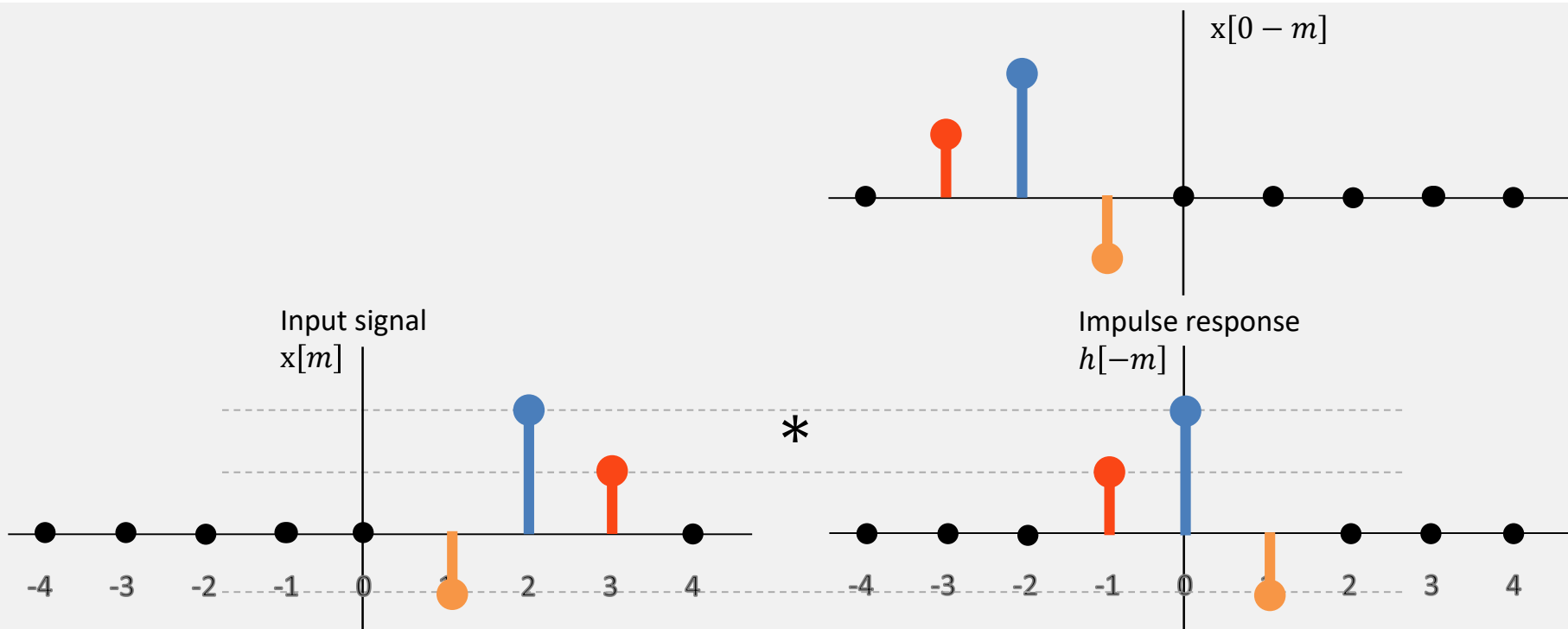


Convolution / Correlation

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Step 1: Time-reverse a signal



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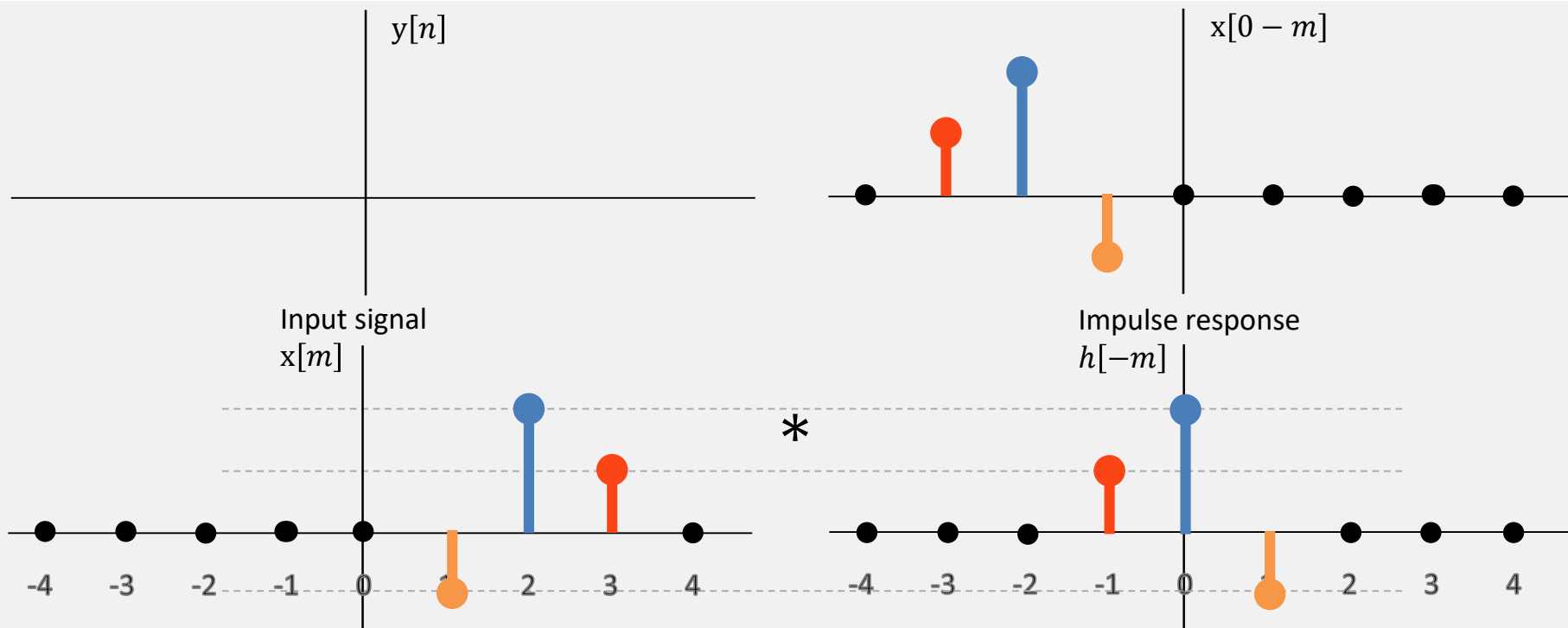
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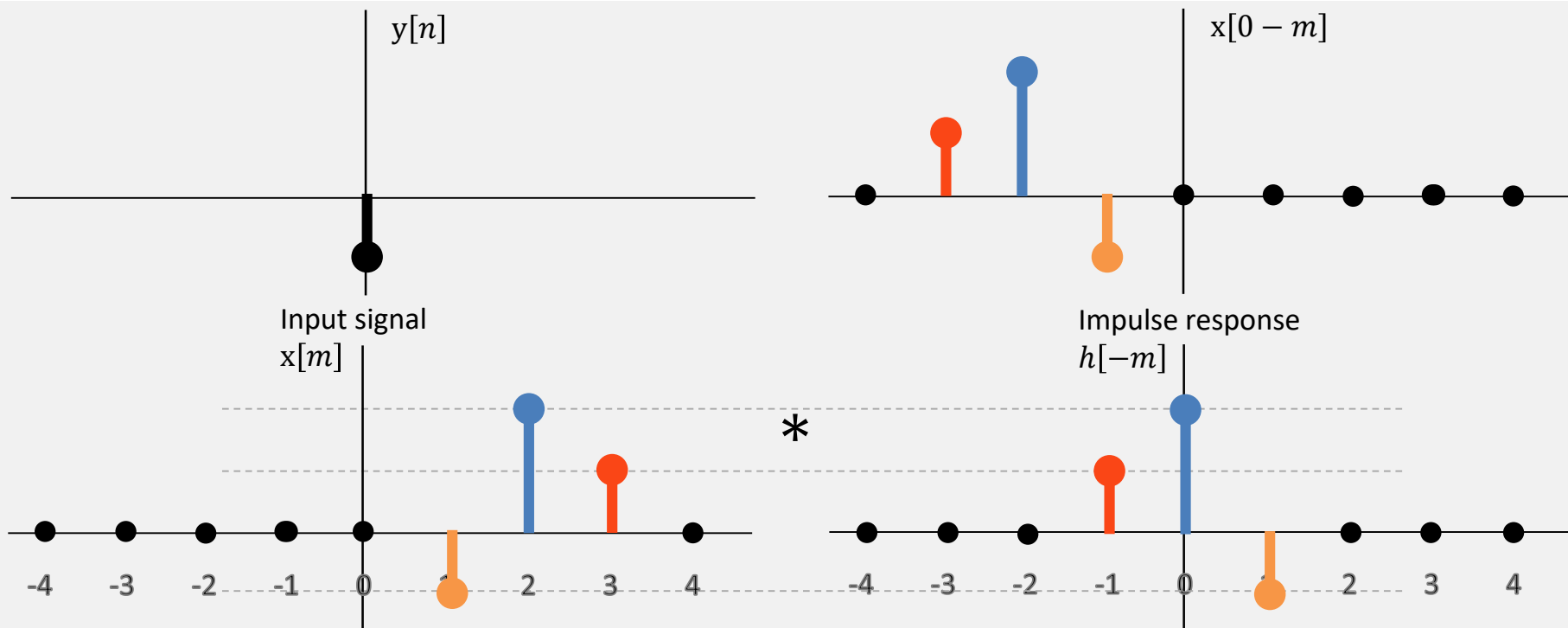
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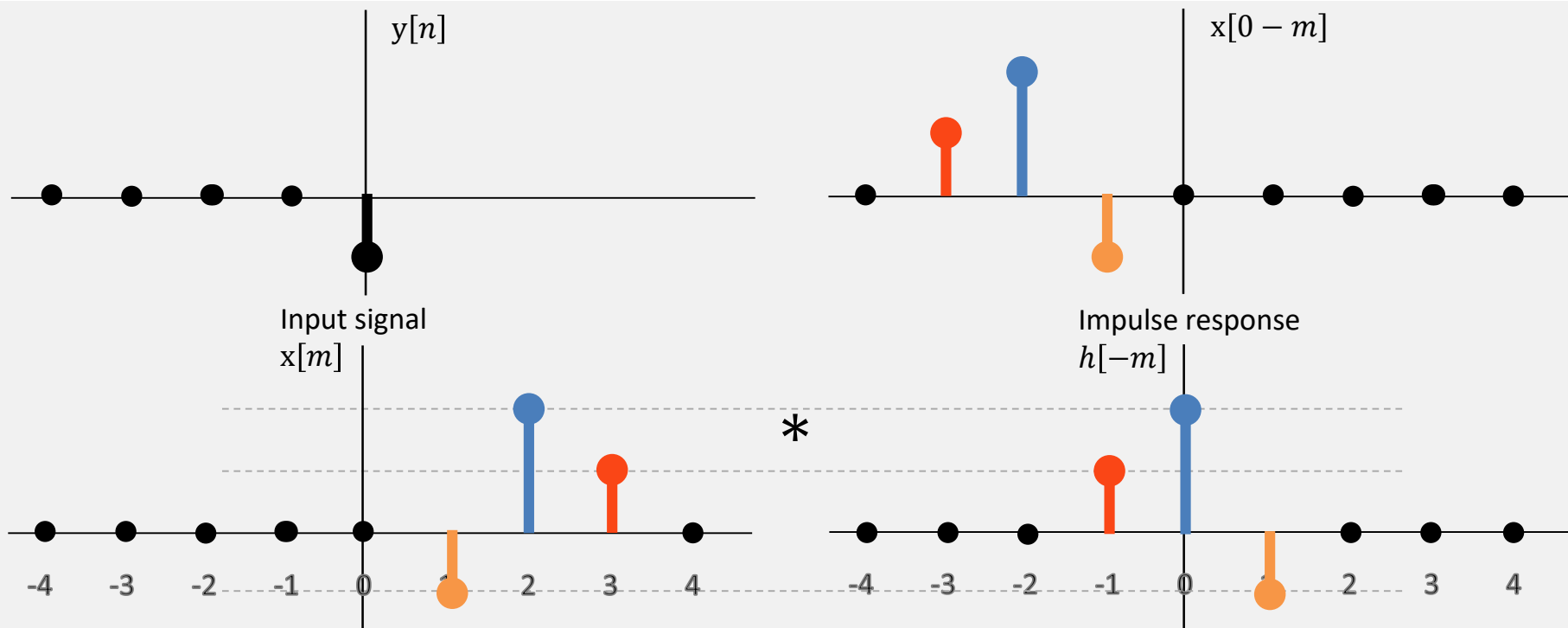
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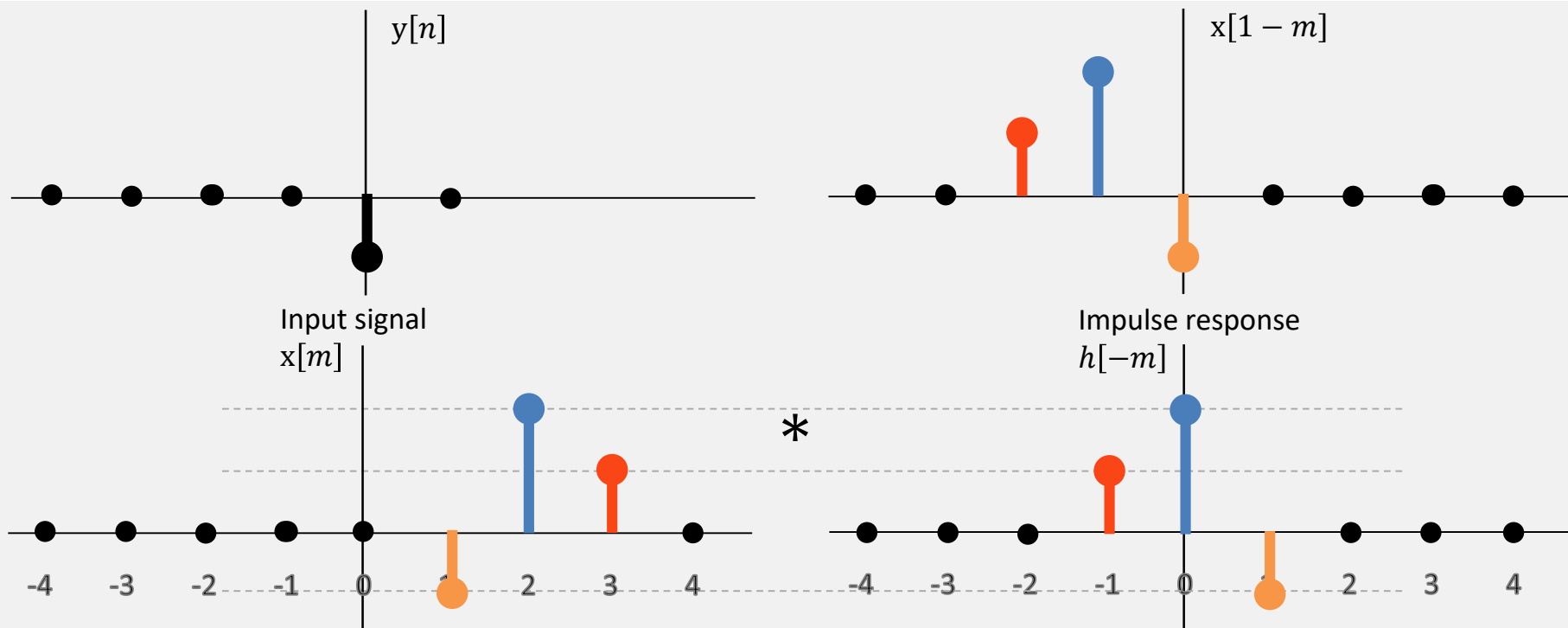
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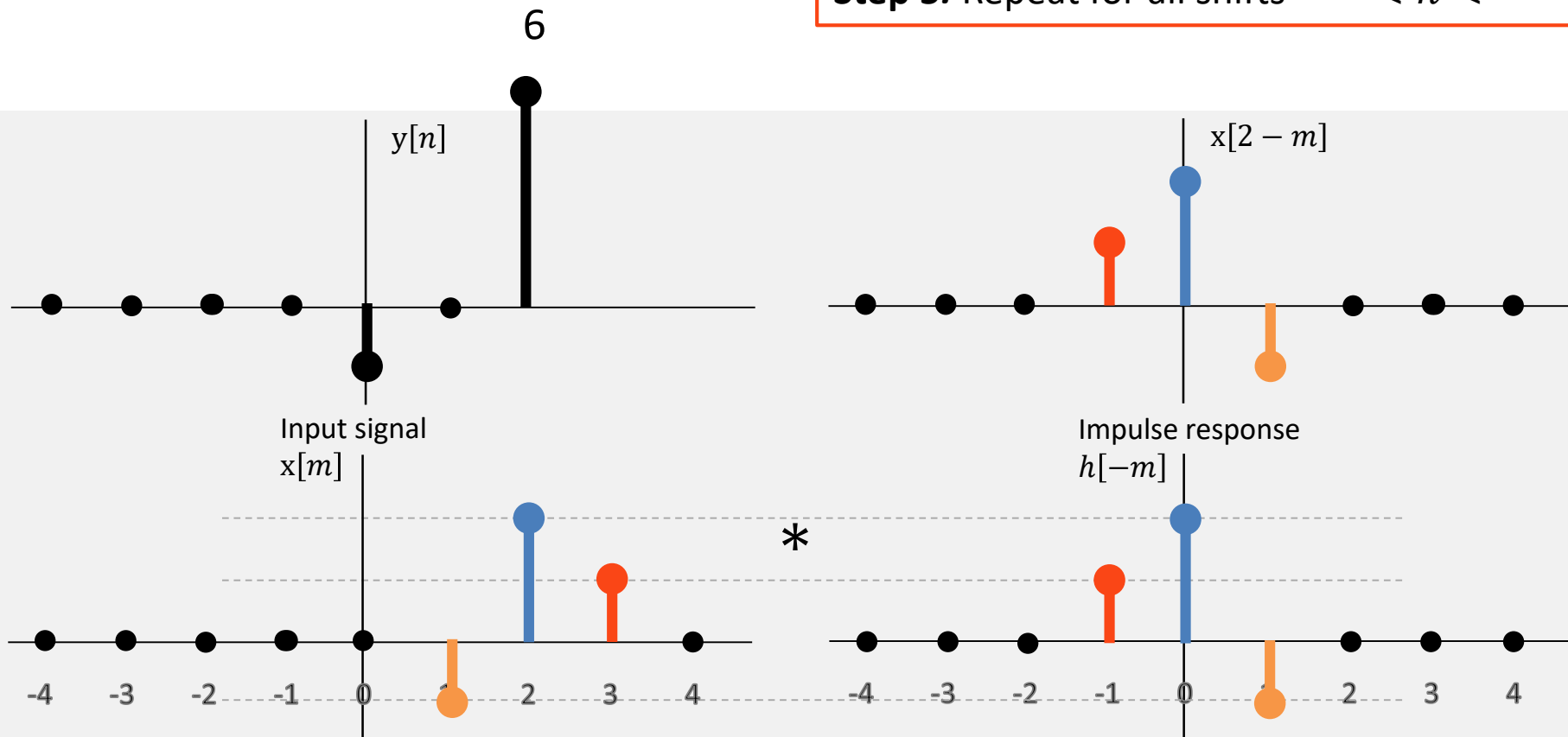
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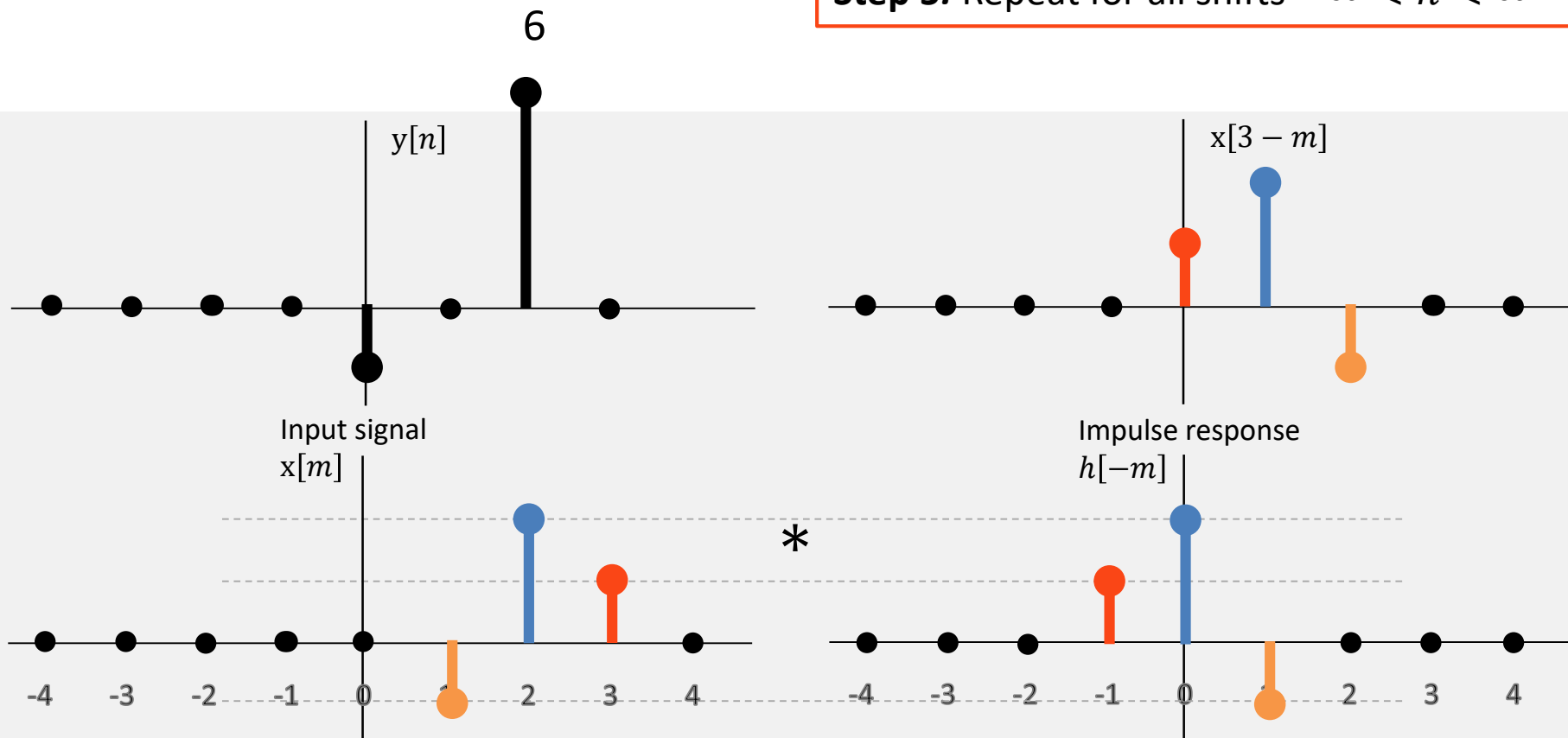
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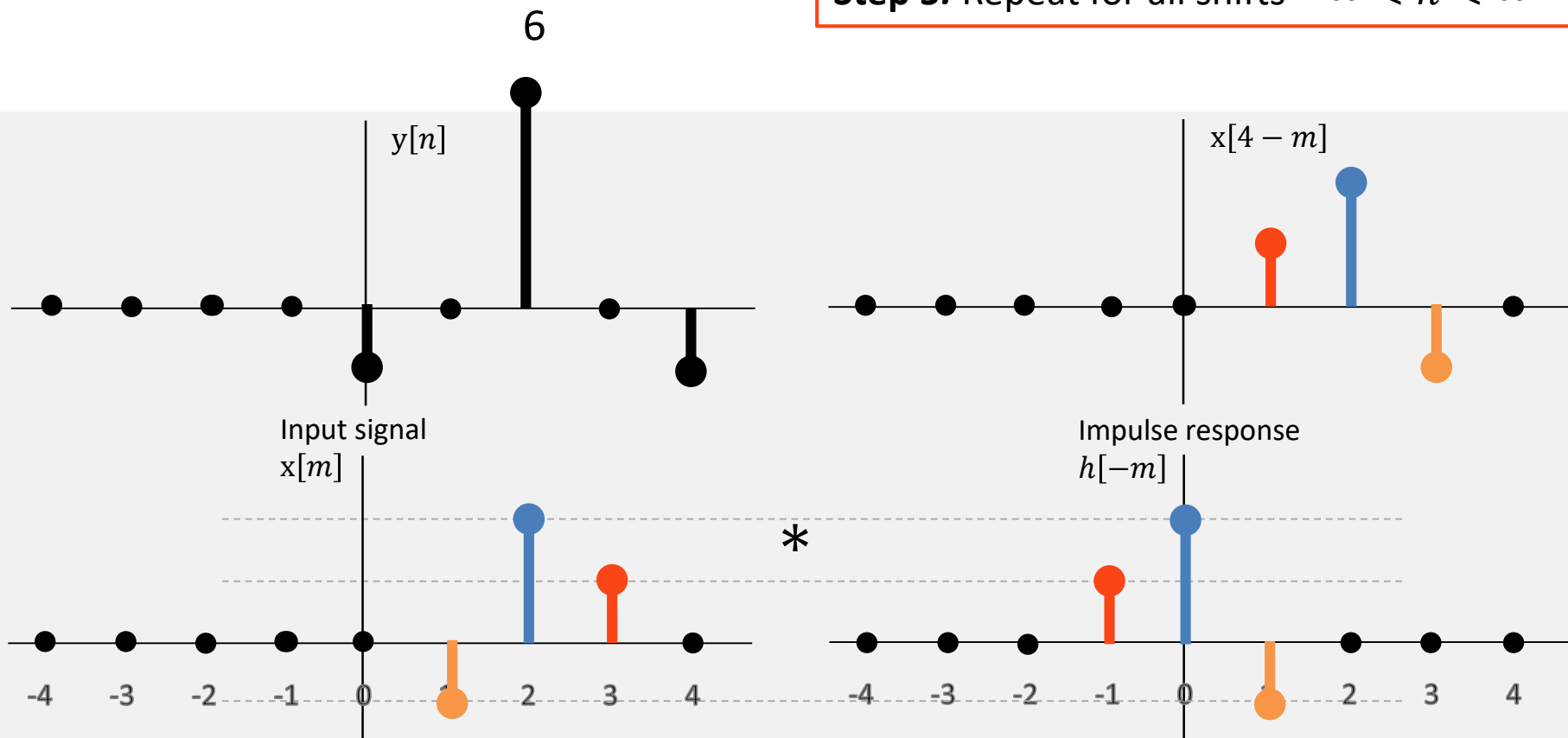
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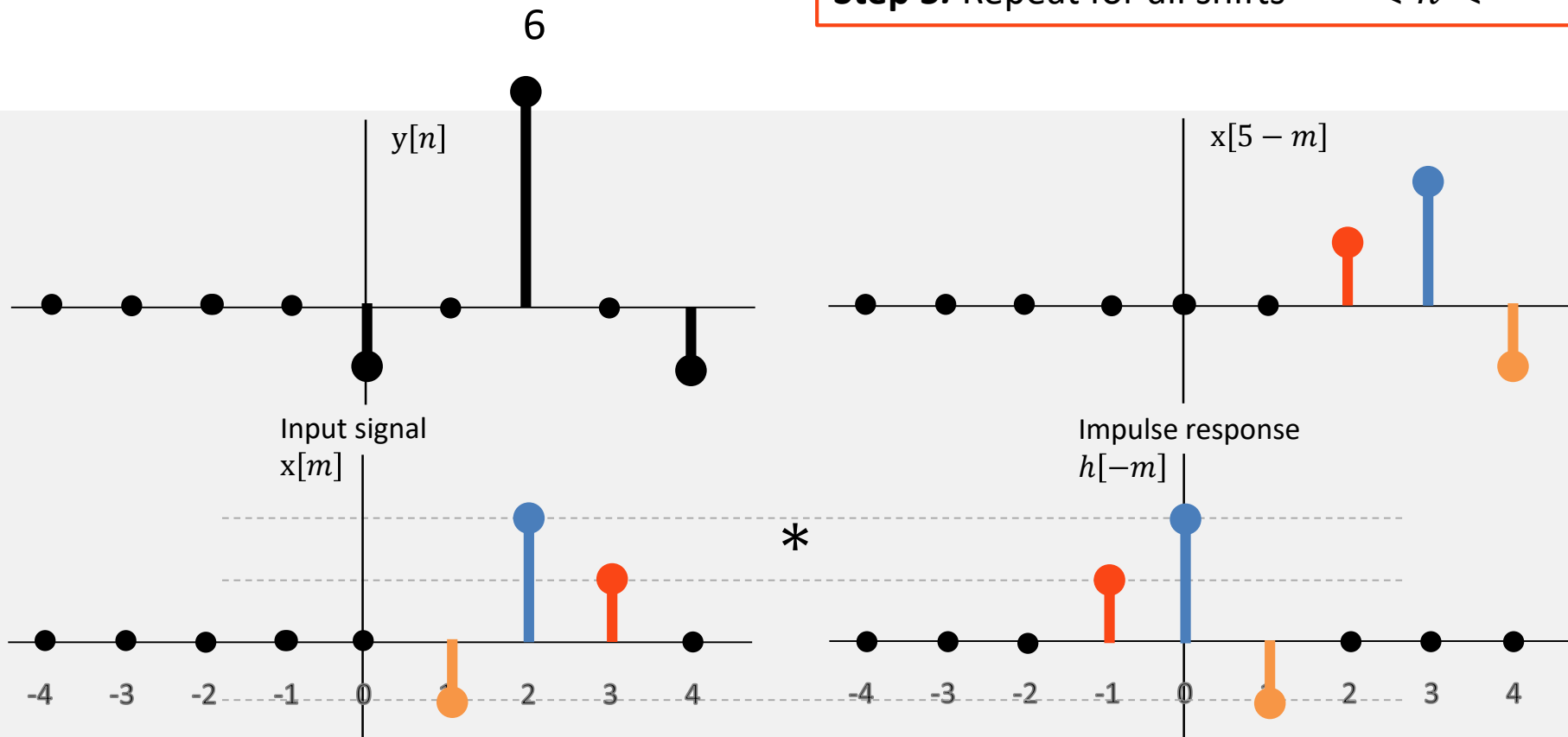
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Convolution / Correlation

■ What does this achieve?

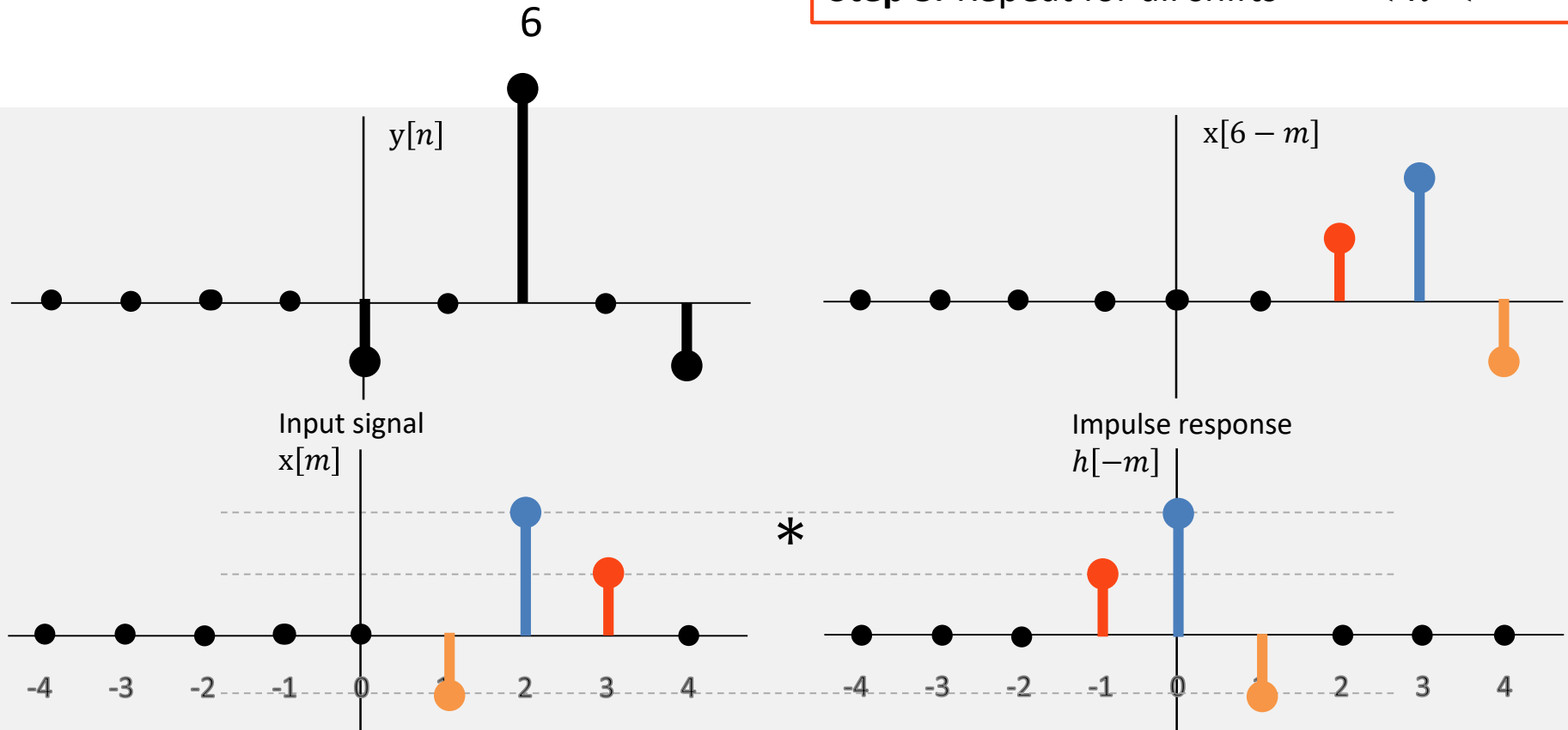
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Convolution / Correlation

■ **Question:** What are applications of correlation?

More Examples on Course Website

Convolution

- **Go to the notes on the course website!**

- <http://smartdata.ece.ufl.edu/eee5502/lecture.html?lecture=03>

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Outline

- Input-Output Representation Review
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- **Properties of Discrete-Time Convolution**
- Combining Systems
- Properties of the Impulse Response
- General Form for LTI Systems

Convolution Properties

■ Definition of convolution

$$x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m] h[n - m]$$

■ Property #1: Commutativity

$$\diamond x[n] * h[n] = h[n] * x[n]$$

■ Property #2: Associativity

$$\diamond x[n] * (h[n] * g[n]) = (x[n] * h[n]) * g[n]$$

■ Property #3: Distributivity

$$\diamond x[n] * (h[n] + g[n]) = (x[n] * h[n]) + (x[n] * g[n])$$

■ Property #4: Multiplicative identity

$$\diamond x[n] * \delta[n] = x[n]$$

Convolution Properties

■ Definition of convolution

$$x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m] h[n - m]$$

■ Property #5: Shifting property

$$\diamond x[n] * \delta[n - N] = x[n - N]$$

Convolution Properties

■ **Problem:** Let's prove property #1:

$$x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m] h[n - m]$$

■ Show that:

$$\diamond x[n] * h[n] = h[n] * x[n]$$

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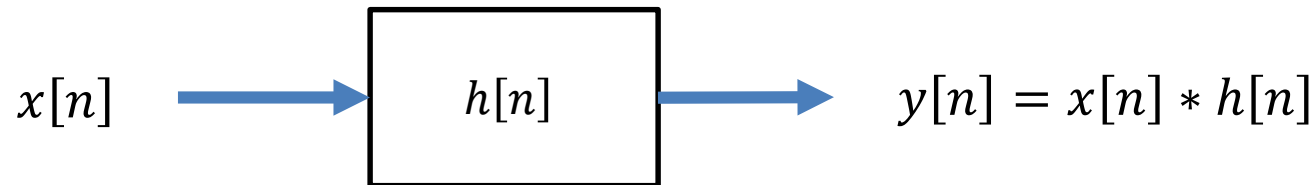
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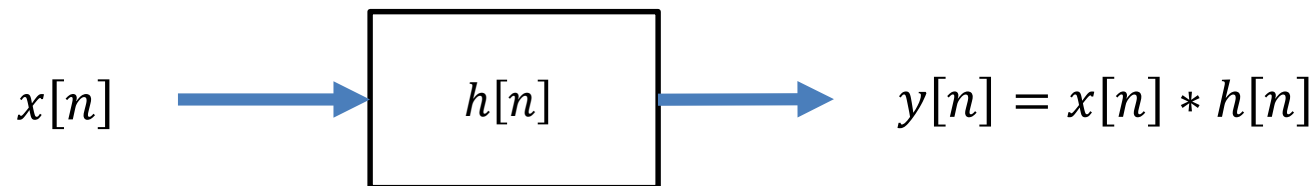
Combining Systems

■ Basic System Block Diagram

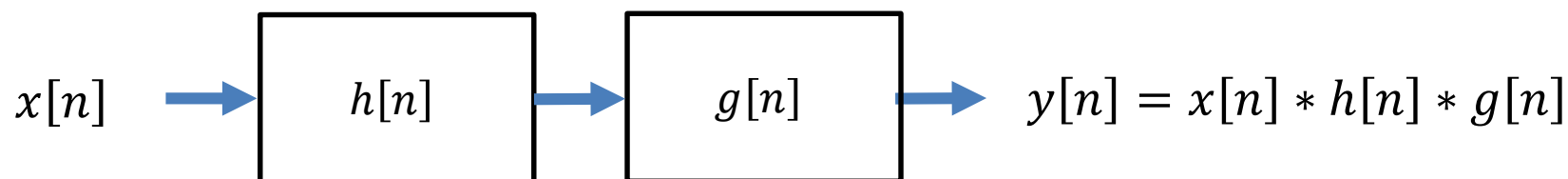


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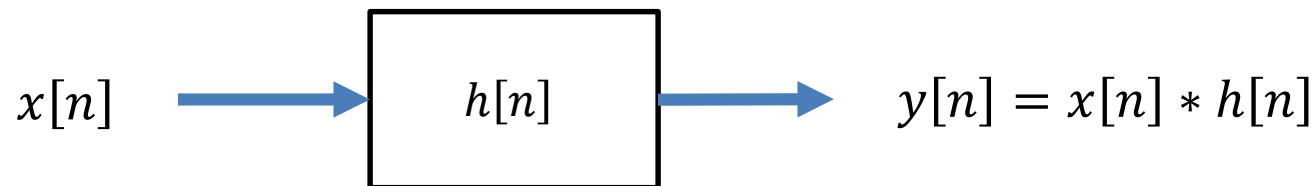


■ Cascading System (Systems in Series)

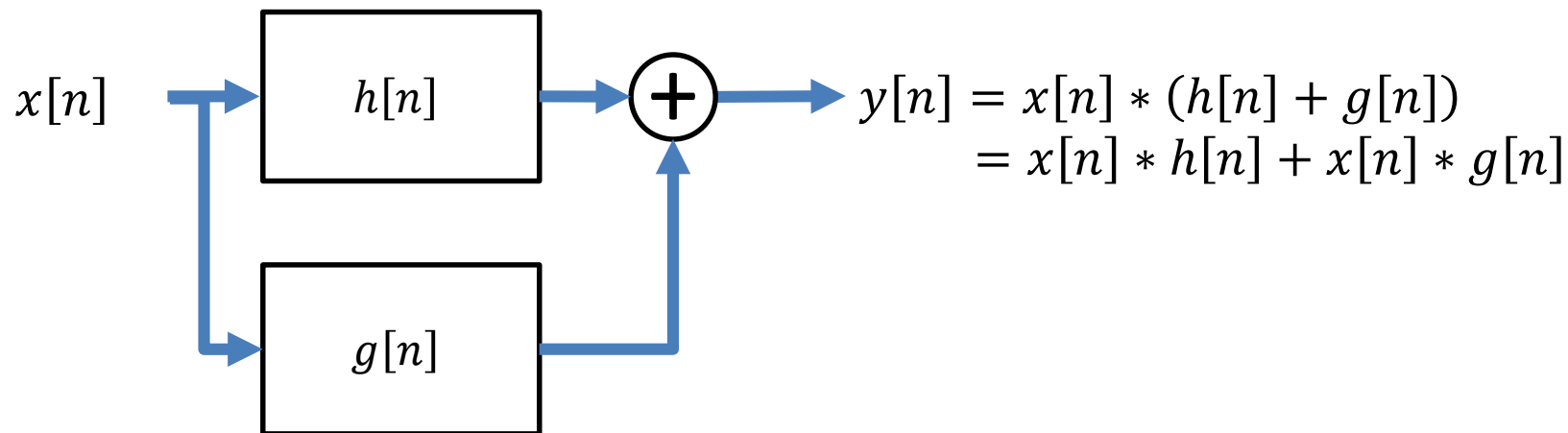


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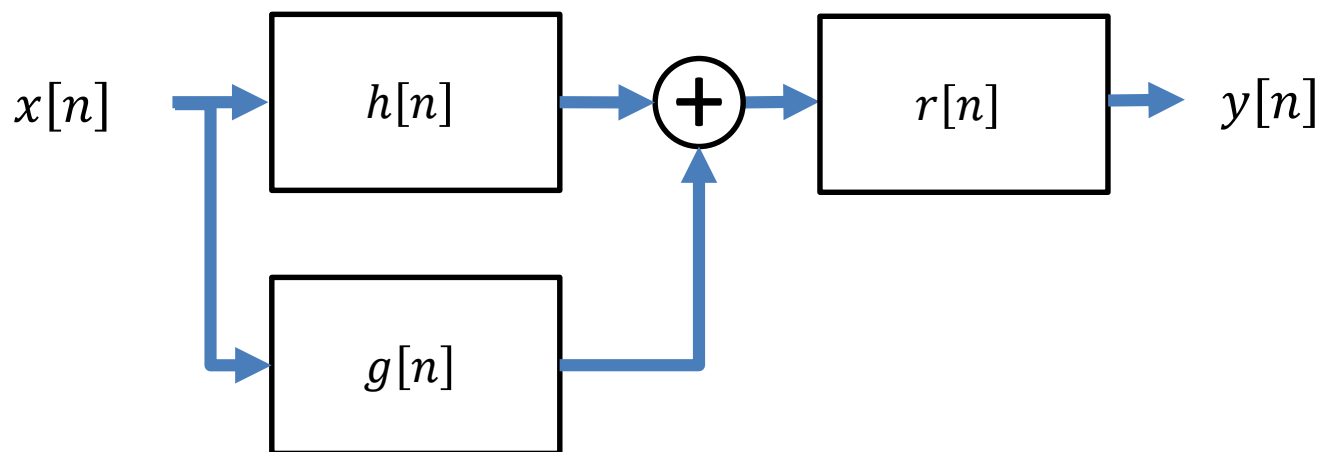


■ Systems in Parallel



Combining Systems

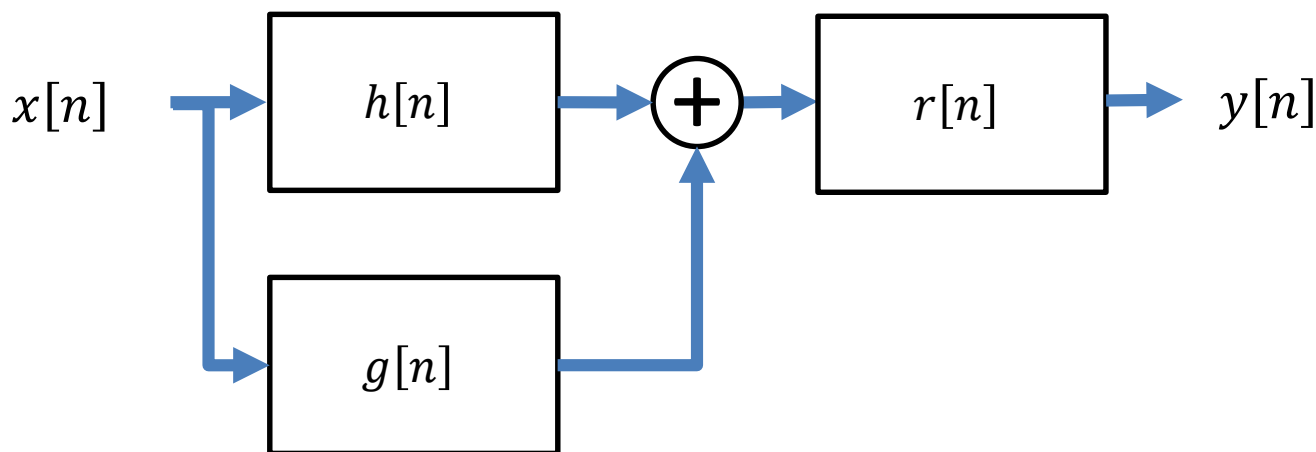
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■ **Solution**

- $y[n] = \delta[n] * (\delta[n - 2] + \delta[n - 1]) * \delta[n - 1]$
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Impulse Response Properties

- **Let an LTI system be defined by an impulse response $h[n]$**

- **Property #1:** A system is memoryless if

- ◇ $h[n] = A \delta[n]$ for some scalar A

- **Property #2:** A system is causal if

- ◇ $h[n] = 0$ for $n < 0$

- ◇ That is, $h[n]$ is causal

- **Property #3:** A system is BIBO stable is

- ◇ $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |h[n]| < \infty$

Impulse Response Properties

■ Linear and Time-Invariant (LTI) System

$$y[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m] h[n - m]$$

Convolution!

- Show that if $h[n] = A\delta[n]$, then the system is memoryless.

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■ **Solution:**

Triangle Inequality

$$|y[n]| = \left| \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m] h[n-m] \right| \leq \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[m] h[n-m]|$$

$$\leq \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[m]| |h[n-m]|$$

$$\leq \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} B_x |h[n-m]| \leq B_x B_h$$

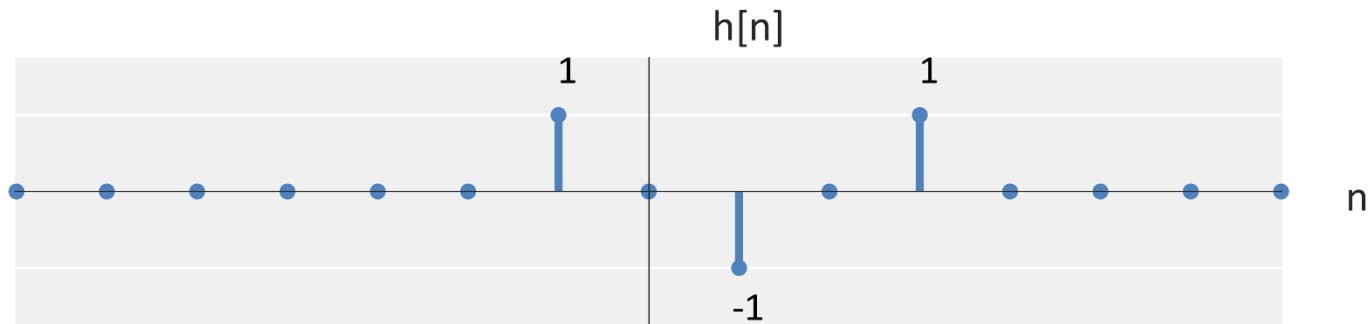
x[n] is bounded

Absolute sum of h[n] is bounded

Impulse Response Properties

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- Consider the system with impulse response $h[n]$

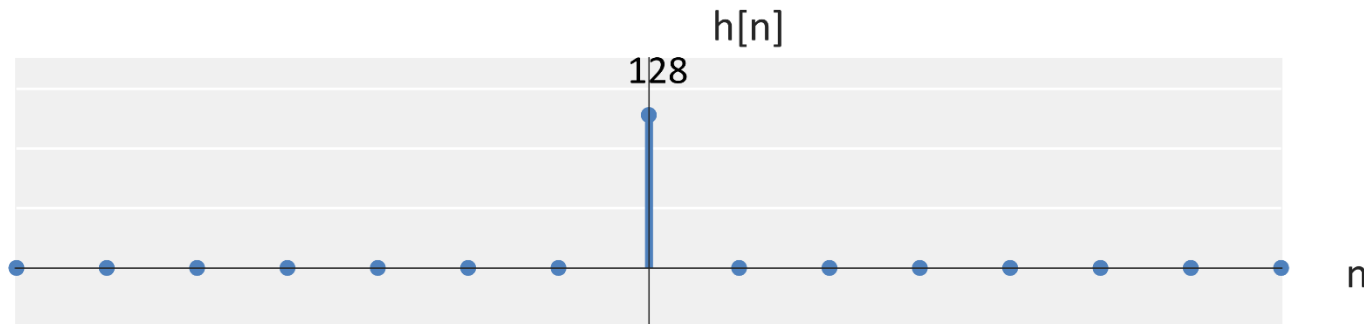


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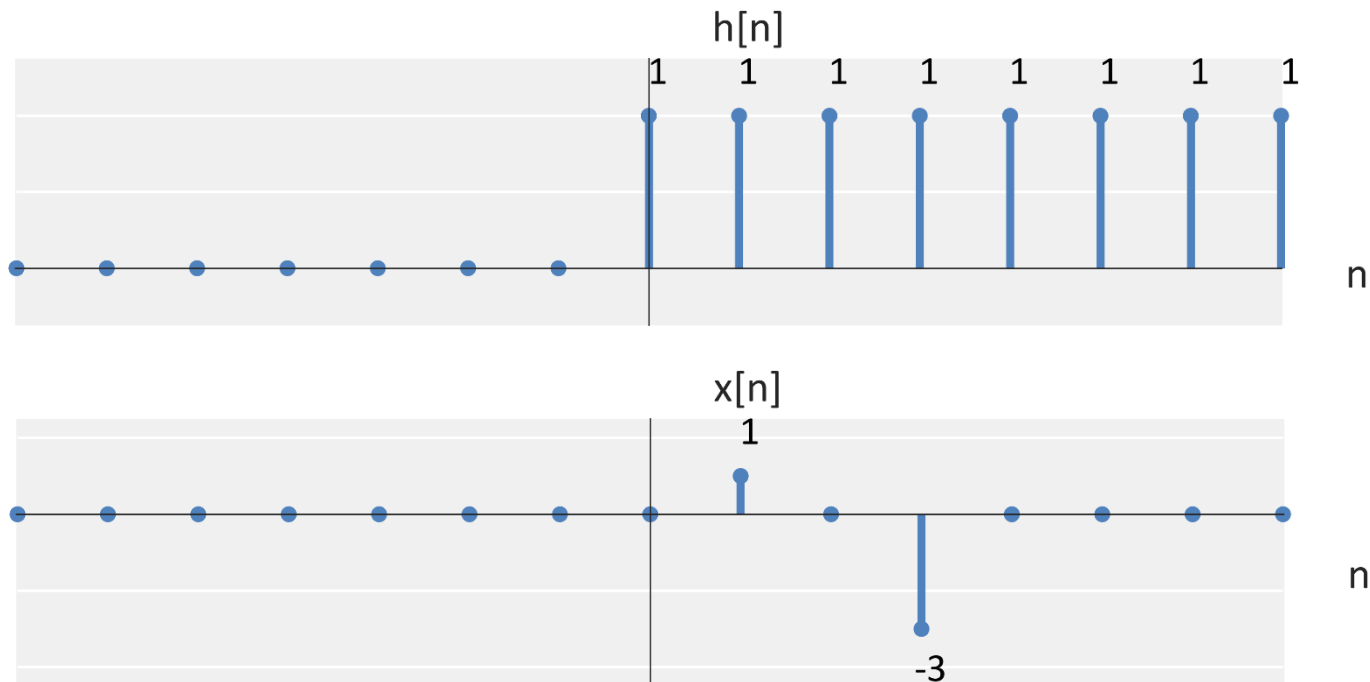
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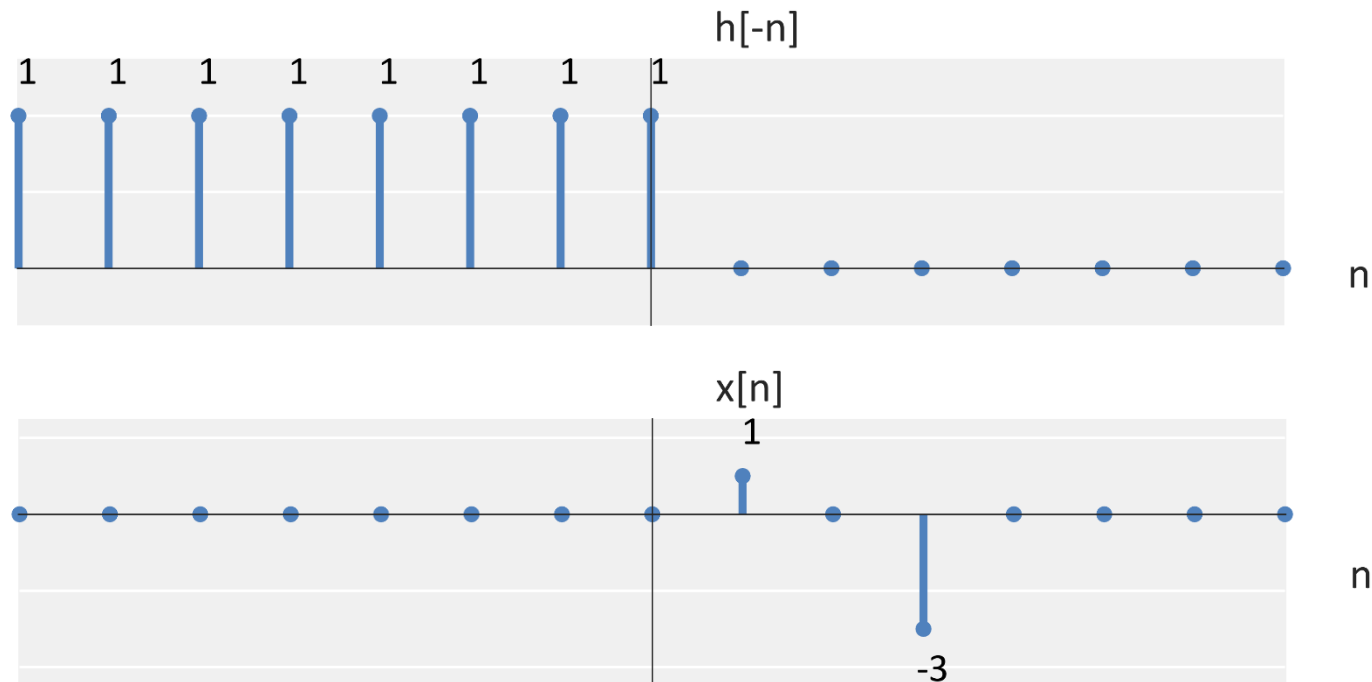
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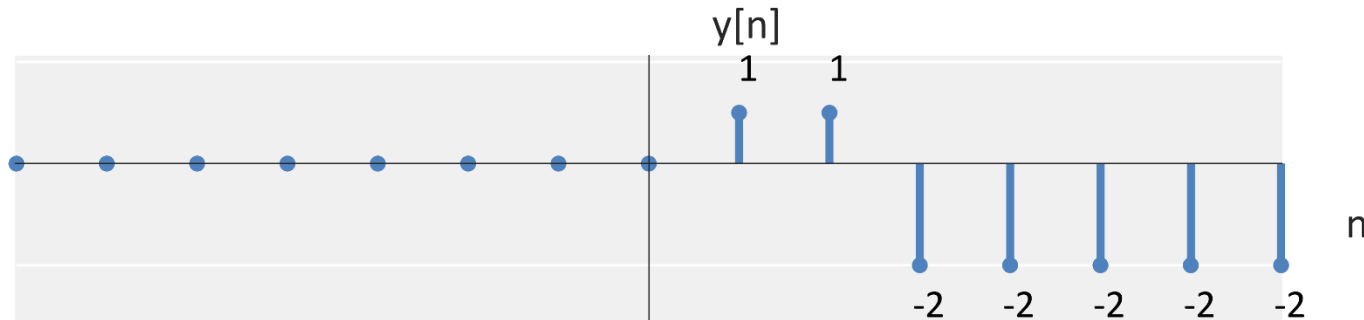
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■ Linear and Time-Invariant (LTI) System

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- Hence, a system with this impulse response is equivalent to

$$y[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^n x[m]$$

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General LTI System

- **Is there a general way to express LTI systems?**

- Yes, with difference equations.

- **General form for an LTI system is:**

$$\sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} a[m]y[n-m] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} b[m]x[n-m]$$

$$a[n] * y[n] = b[n] * x[n]$$

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