



# Preliminary plan (analog filters)

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    - o **How sensitive is a given circuit to component variations?**
    - o **Used as a tool to evaluate filter circuits**
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## Lecture 2: Recap

Chebyshev lowpass filter:

$$|H(j\omega)|^2 = \frac{1}{1 + \varepsilon^2 C_n^2(\omega)}$$

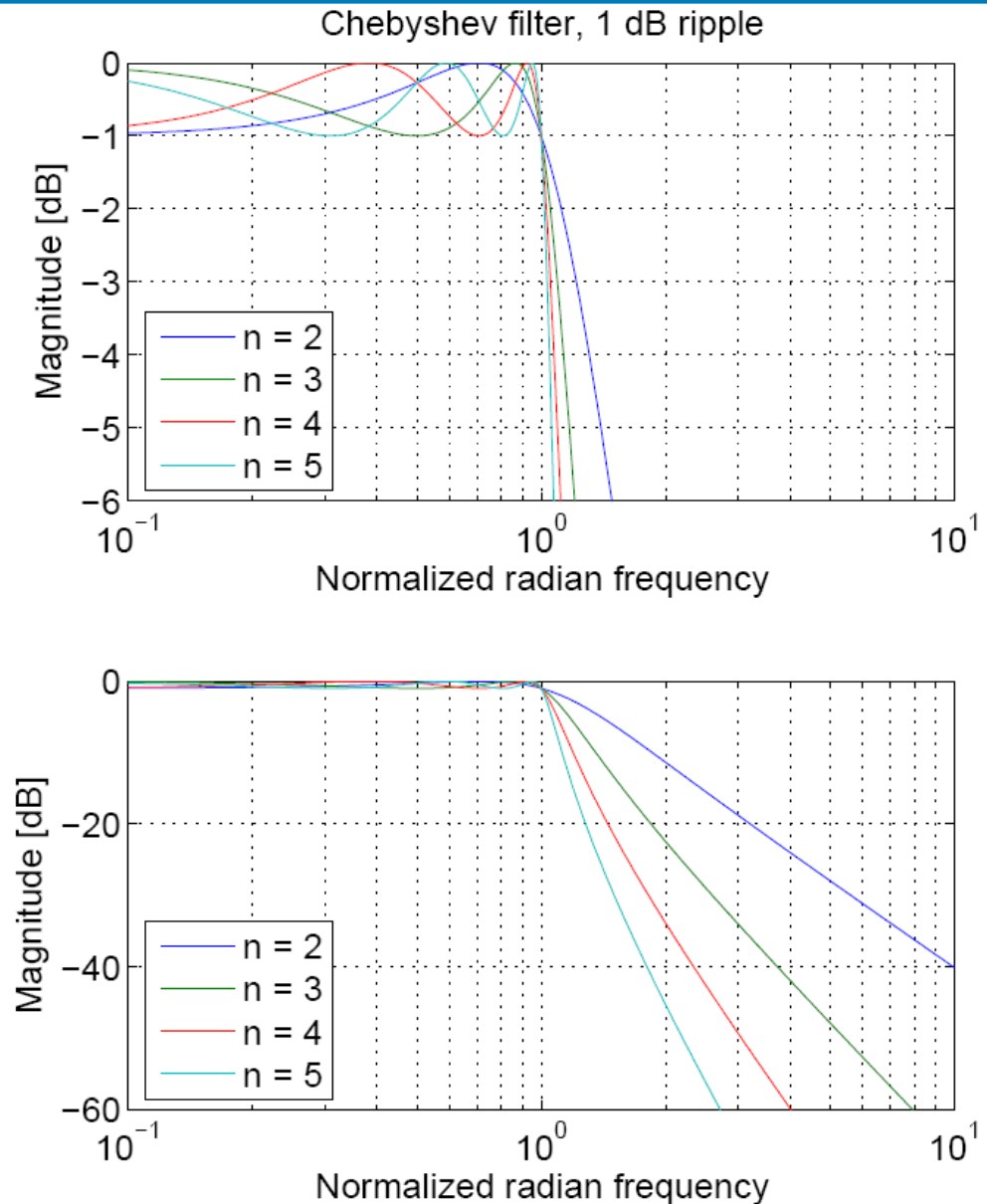
$$C_n(\omega) = \begin{cases} \cos(n \cdot \cos^{-1} \omega) & |\omega| \leq 1 \\ \cosh(n \cdot \cosh^{-1} \omega) & |\omega| \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$Ripple_{dB} = 10 \log(1 + \varepsilon^2)$$

$$\varepsilon = \sqrt{10^{Ripple_{dB}/10} - 1}$$

Compared to Butterworth:

- o Higher stopband attenuation
- o Ripple in the passband
- o Higher phase nonlinearity
- o Longer impulse response

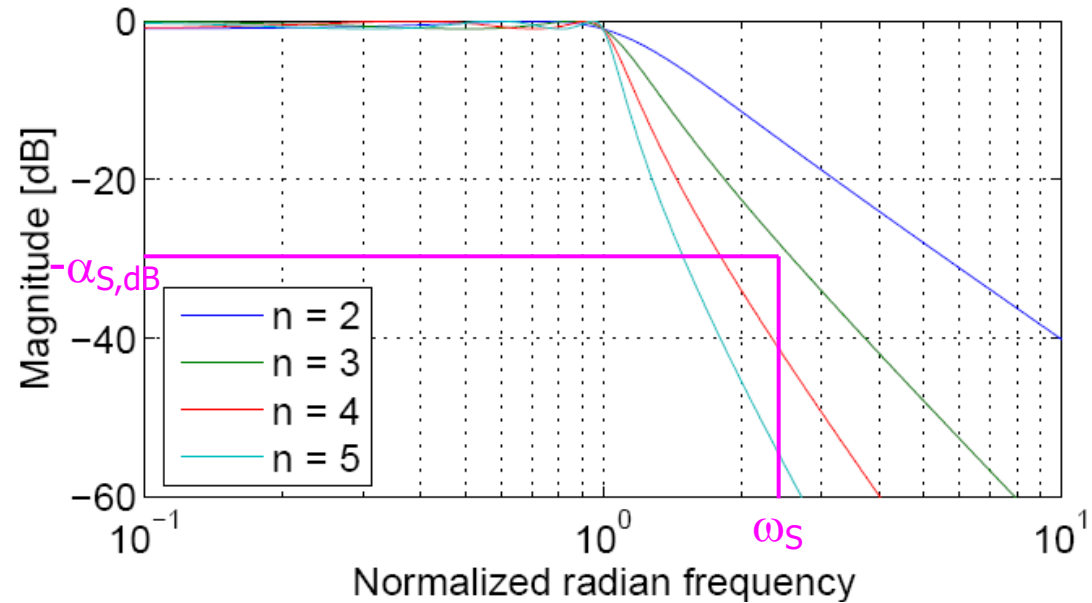




## Lecture 2: Recap

If the filter requirements are:

- o Passband ripple (dB)
- o Stopband attenuation  
(=  $-H(j\omega)_{dB}$ ) at the normalized stopband radian frequency  $\omega_S$ .



Then the necessary filter order is found from:

$$n \geq \frac{1}{\cosh^{-1} \omega_S} \cosh^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{10^{\alpha_{S,dB}/10} - 1}{10^{\text{Ripple}_{dB}/10} - 1}}$$

-rounded up to the nearest integer. Note the sign definition:  $\alpha_{S,dB} > 0$ ,  $\text{Ripple}_{dB} > 0$

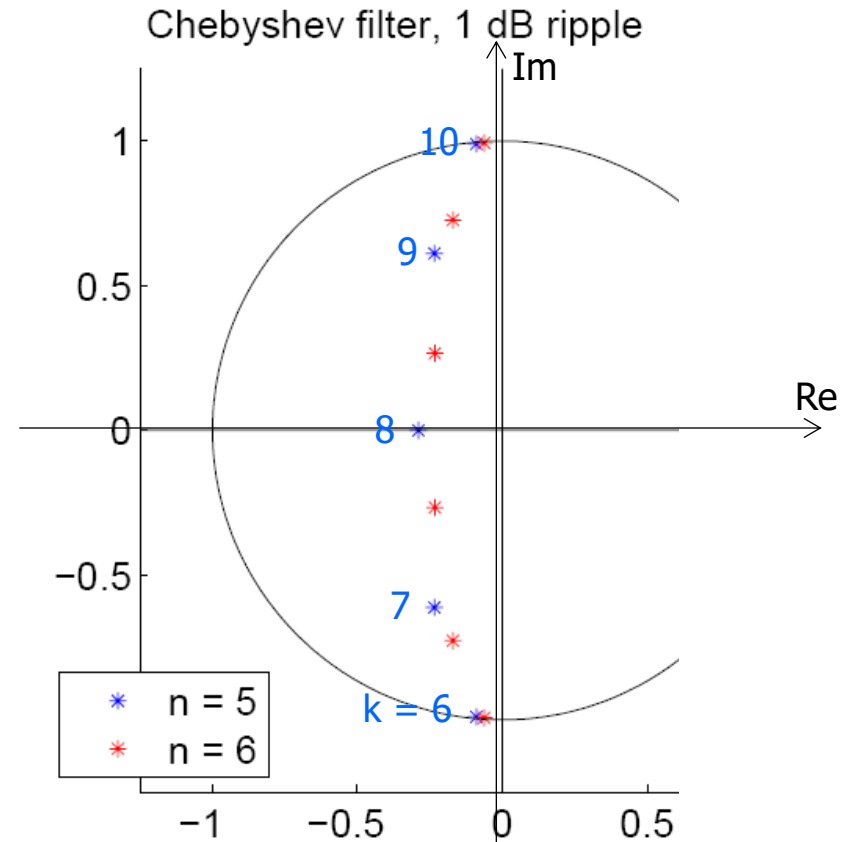
$\omega_S$  is the stopband frequency for the normalized low-pass-filter:  $\omega_S = \omega_{S,scaled}/k_f$



## Lecture 2: Recap

Chebyshev poles on an ellipse:  
(Butterworth poles on the unit circle)

No zeros



$$p_k = \sin \frac{(2k-1)\pi}{2n} \cdot \sinh \left( \frac{1}{n} \sinh^{-1} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \right) + j \cos \frac{(2k-1)\pi}{2n} \cdot \cosh \left( \frac{1}{n} \sinh^{-1} \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \right)$$

$$k = n+1, n+2, \dots, 2n$$



## Exercise

The requirements for a Chebyshev low-pass filter are:

- Passband ripple: 1 dB
- Ripple bandwidth: 30 kHz
- The attenuation at 120 kHz shall be at least 61 dB

- a. Make a sketch of the magnitude of the filter
- b. Calculate  $\varepsilon$
- c. Calculate the necessary order

Hint:

$$|H(j\omega)|^2 = \frac{1}{1 + \varepsilon^2 C_n^2(\omega)}$$

$$Ripple_{dB} = 10 \log(1 + \varepsilon^2)$$

$$\varepsilon = \sqrt{10^{Ripple_{dB}/10} - 1}$$

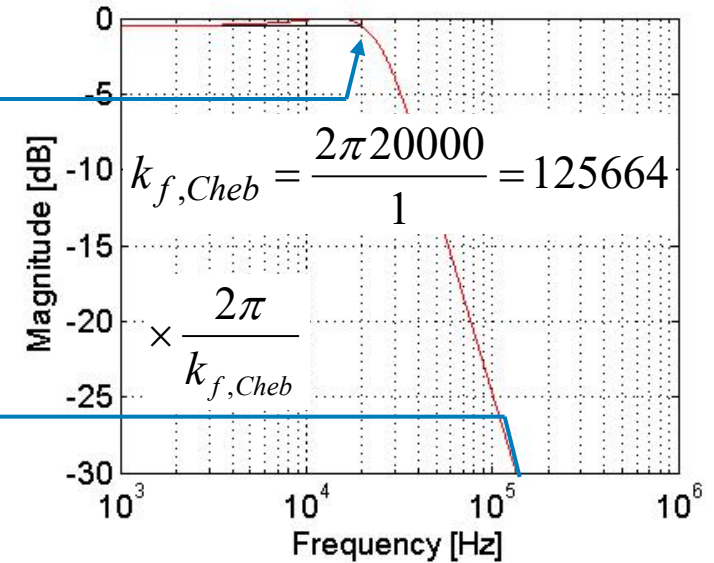
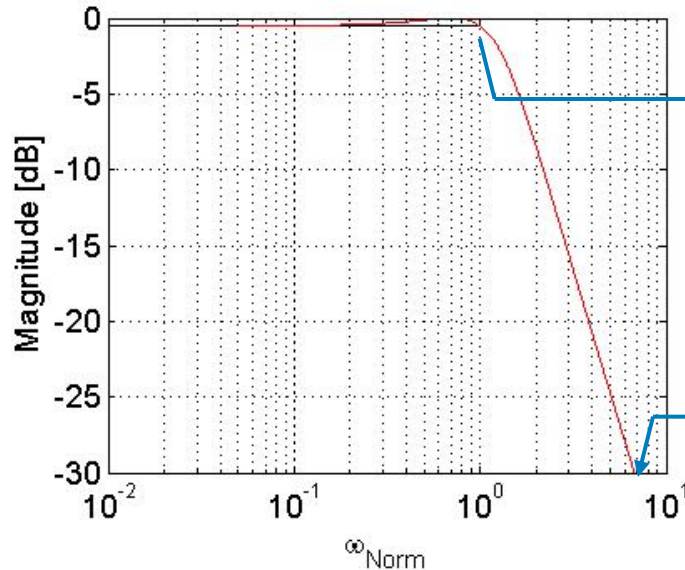
$$n \geq \frac{1}{\cosh^{-1} \omega_s} \cosh^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{10^{\alpha_{S,dB}/10} - 1}{10^{Ripple_{dB}/10} - 1}}$$



# Frequency scaling, exercise 2.2 & 1.2 (2<sup>nd</sup> order filters)

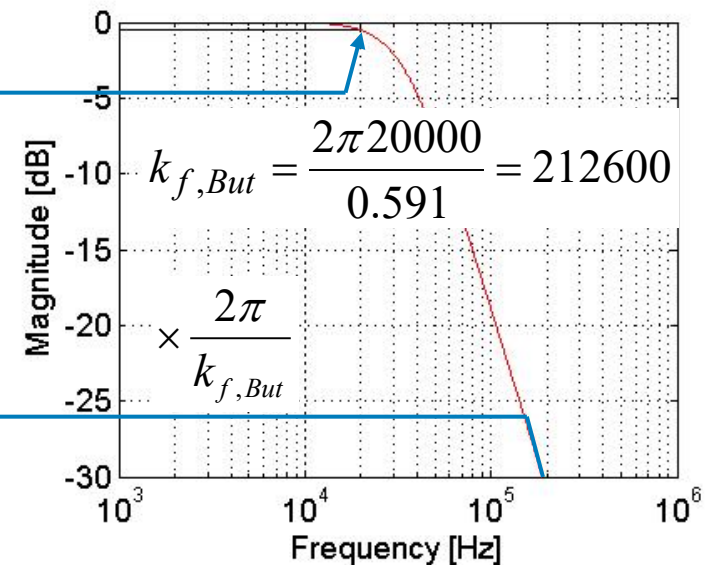
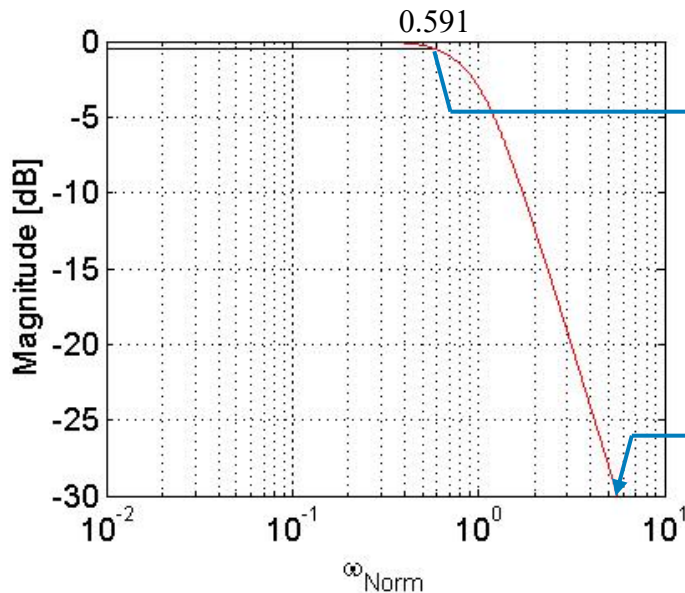
$$|H_{Scaled}(j\omega)| =$$

$$\left| H_{Norm} \left( \frac{j\omega}{k_{f,Cheb}} \right) \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \varepsilon^2 C_2^2 \left( \frac{\omega}{k_{f,Cheb}} \right)^2}}$$



$$|H_{Scaled}(j\omega)| =$$

$$\left| H_{Norm} \left( \frac{j\omega}{k_{f,Butt}} \right) \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{\omega}{k_{f,Butt}} \right)^4}}$$





# Inverse Chebyshev filter

$$|H_{InvCheb}(j\omega)|^2 = 1 - |H_b(j\omega)|^2$$

$$= \frac{\varepsilon^2 C_n^2\left(\frac{1}{\omega}\right)}{1 + \varepsilon^2 C_n^2\left(\frac{1}{\omega}\right)}$$

$$\frac{\varepsilon^2}{1 + \varepsilon^2}$$

$$-\alpha_{SdB} = 10 \cdot \log \frac{\varepsilon^2}{1 + \varepsilon^2}$$

$$\frac{1 + \varepsilon^2}{\varepsilon^2} = 10^{\alpha_{SdB} / 10}$$

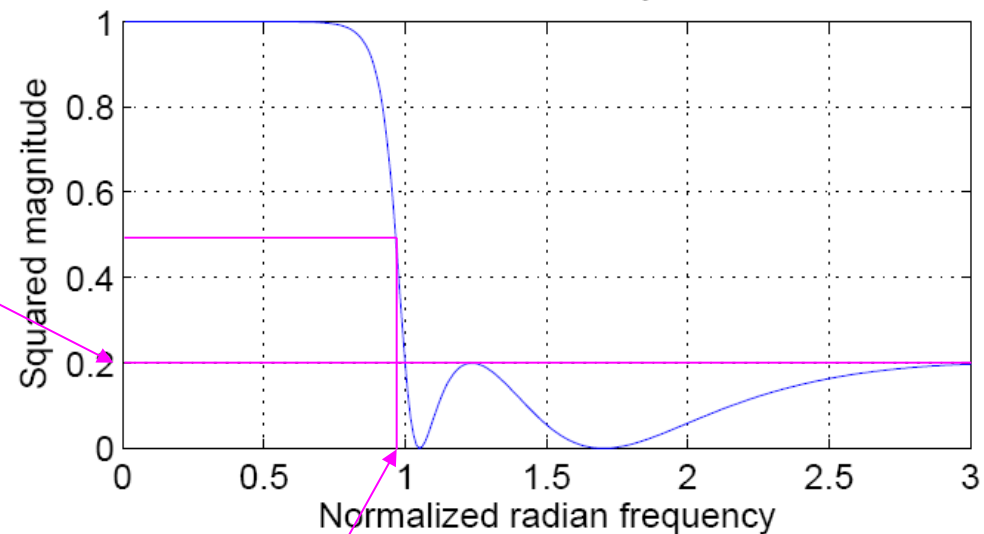
$$1 + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^2} = 10^{\alpha_{SdB} / 10}$$

$$\varepsilon = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10^{\alpha_{SdB} / 10} - 1}} \quad (\alpha_{SdB} > 0)$$

The 3-dB bandwidth is determined from:

"It is easily seen that":

5<sup>th</sup> order inverse Chebyshev filter



$$1 - \frac{1}{1 + \varepsilon^2 C_n^2\left(\frac{1}{\omega_{-3dB}}\right)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\omega_{-3dB} = \frac{1}{\cosh\left(\frac{1}{n} \cosh^{-1} \frac{1}{\varepsilon}\right)}$$



## Exercise

$$|H_{InvCheb}(j\omega)|^2 = 1 - |H_b(j\omega)|^2$$

$$= \frac{\varepsilon^2 C_n^2\left(\frac{1}{\omega}\right)}{1 + \varepsilon^2 C_n^2\left(\frac{1}{\omega}\right)} \quad \frac{\varepsilon^2}{1 + \varepsilon^2}$$

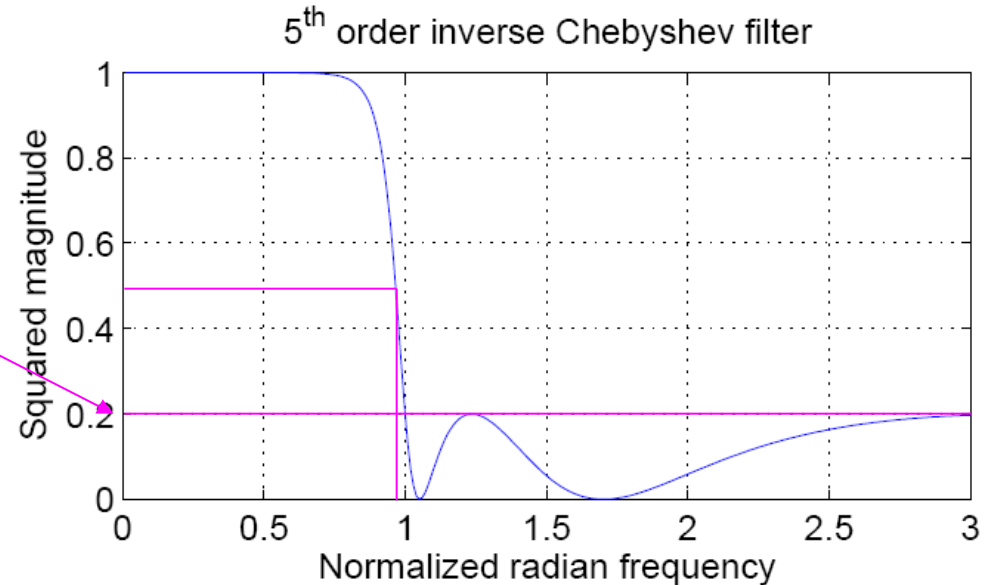
$$\varepsilon = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10^{\alpha_{SdB}/10} - 1}} \quad (\alpha_{SdB} > 0)$$

Inverse Chebyshev filter with requirements:

- Min. 40 dB attenuation in stop band

Calculate:

- Epsilon
- Magnitude at 1 rad/s







## Other filter types

### Elliptic function filters:

- o Ripple in both passband and stopband ☹️
- o Very sharp cut-off 😊
- o High group delay distortion ☹️
- o Matlab: "ellip"

### Bessel/Thomson filters:

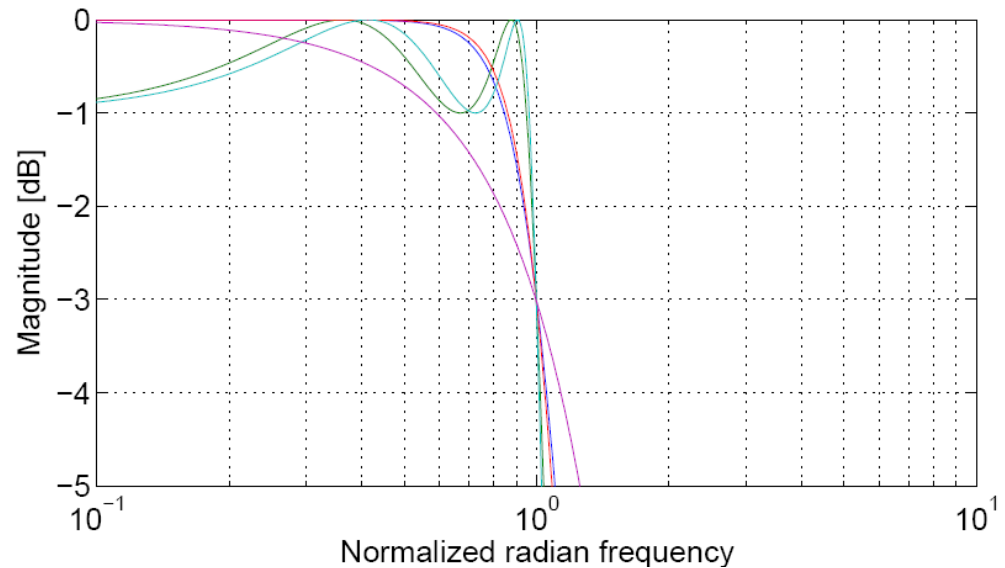
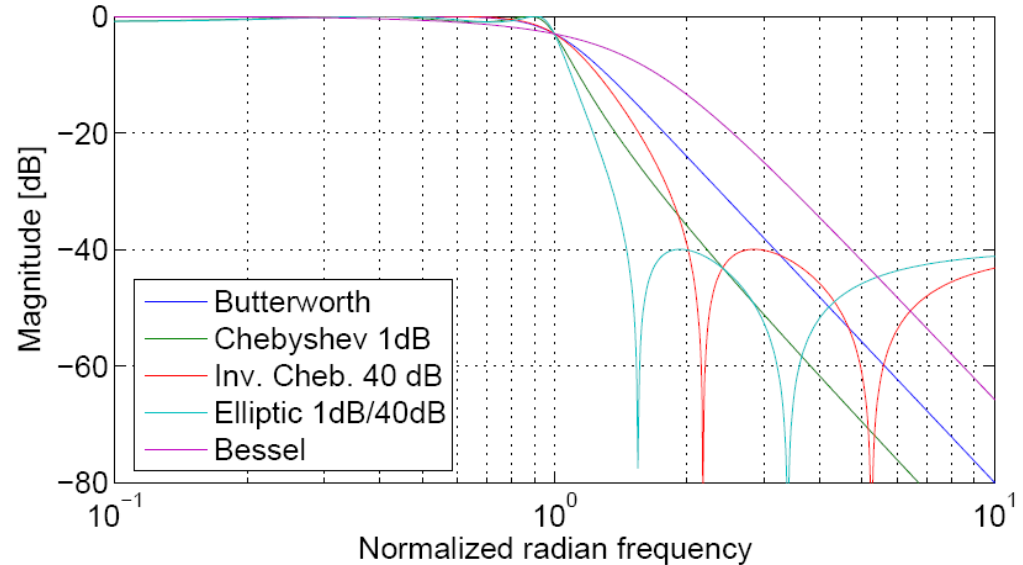
- o Maximally flat group delay 😊
- o "Soft" magnitude cut-off ☹️
- o Matlab: "besself"

### Gaussian filters:

- o No ripple in the impulse response 😊
- o "Very soft" magnitude cut-off ☹️

### Plots:

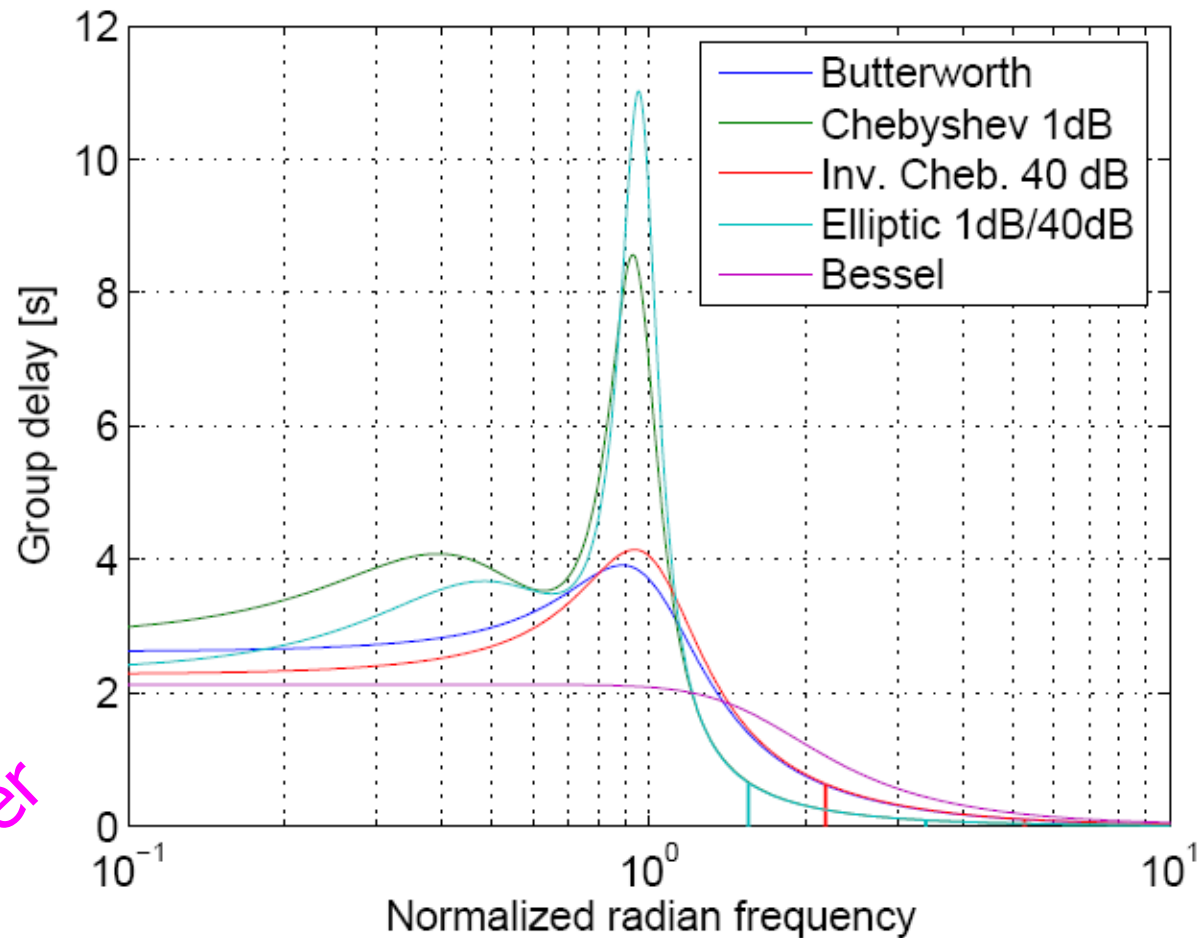
- o All filters scaled to have a 3-dB bandwidth of 1 rad/s
- o The comparison depends on choice of parameters (1 dB, 40 dB,  $n = 4$ )





## Other filter types

Group delay:

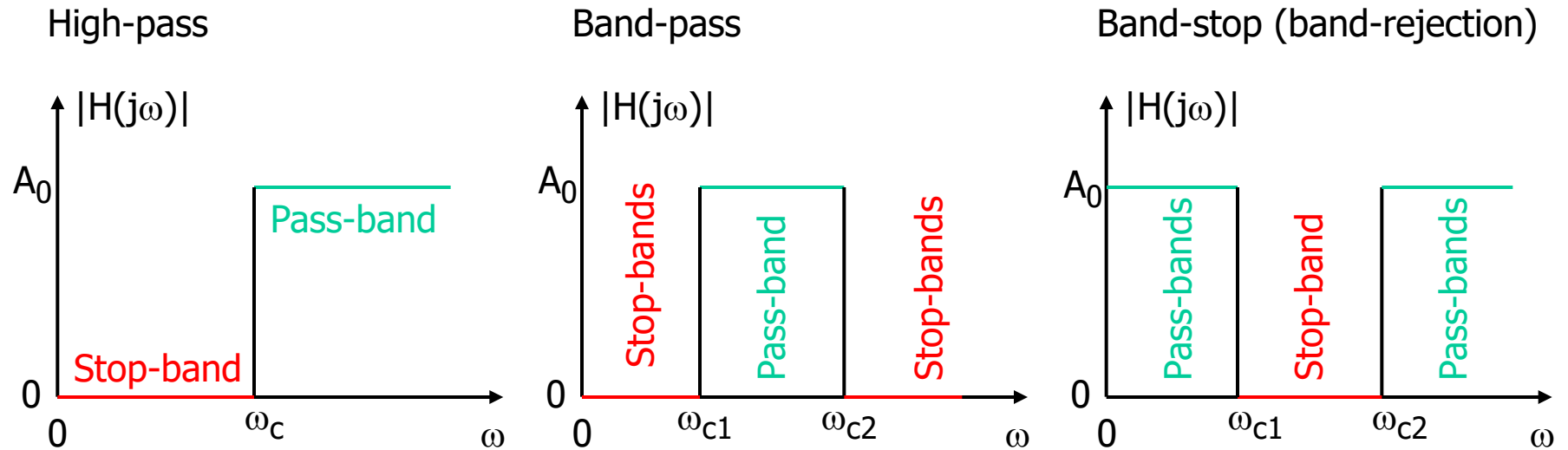


5 min. break  
Break over



# Frequency transformations

Lowpass filter prototypes can also be used for the design of:

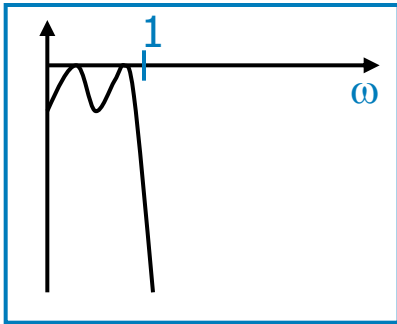




# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ HP

Low-pass prototype (normalized)  $s = \sigma + j\omega$

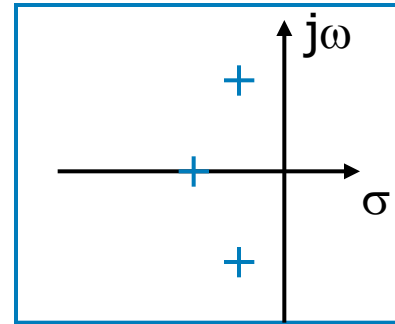
Frequency response



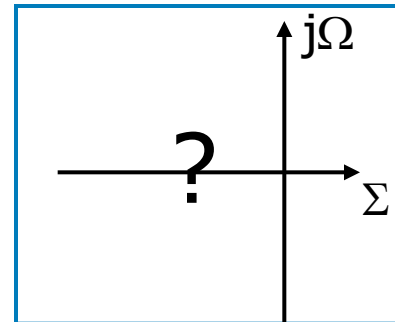
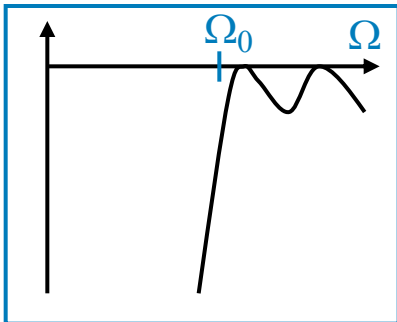
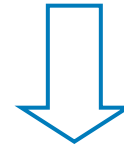
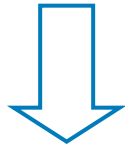
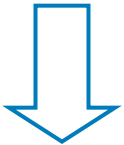
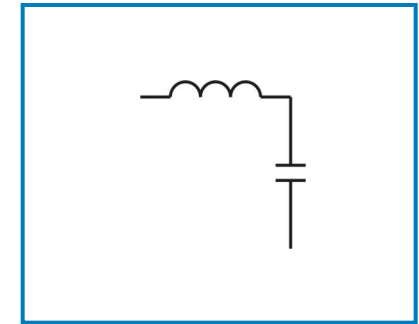
Transfer function

$$\frac{K(s - \text{ })}{(s - p)(s - \text{ })}$$

Poles / zeros



Circuit



High-pass

$S = \Sigma + j\Omega$



# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ HP

**LP  $\rightarrow$  HP**

**frequency transformation:**

$$s = \frac{\Omega_0}{S}$$

On the imaginary axis:  
(setting  $s = j\omega$   
and  $S = j\Omega$ )

$$\omega = \frac{-\Omega_0}{\Omega}$$

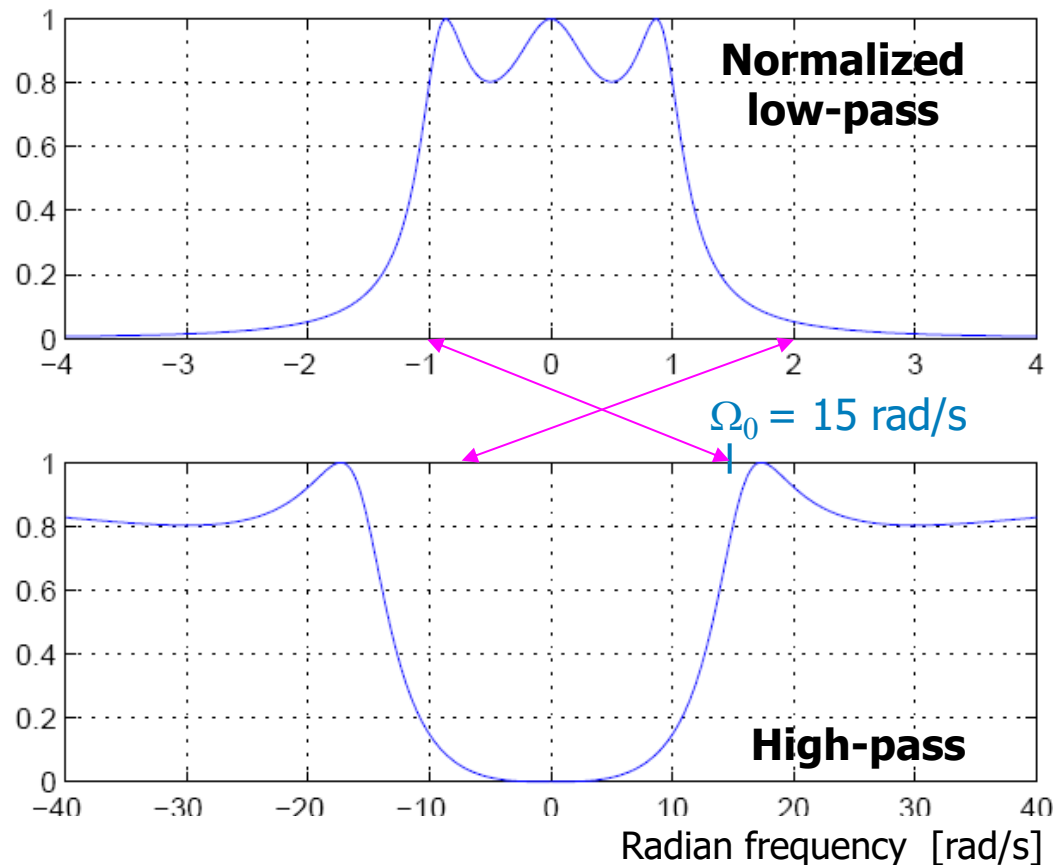
$$|\omega| = \left| \frac{\Omega_0}{\Omega} \right|$$

Transfer functions are linked:

$$H_{HP}(S) = H_{LPP}\left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)$$

$$H_{HP}(j\Omega) = H_{LPP}\left(j\frac{-\Omega_0}{\Omega}\right)$$

The negative sign only reverses  
the angle – no effect on the magnitude





# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ HP

$$s = \frac{\Omega_0}{S} \qquad H_{HP}(S) = H_{LPP}\left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)$$

"All-pole" lowpass filter (Butterworth, Chebyshev, Bessel etc.) transfer function:

$$H_{LPP}(s) = \frac{K}{a_1 s^n + a_2 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} s^2 + a_n s + a_{n+1}}$$

$$H_{HP}(S) = \frac{K}{a_1 \left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)^n + a_2 \left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} \left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)^2 + a_n \left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right) + a_{n+1}}$$

$$H_{HP}(S) = \frac{K \cdot S^n}{a_1 \Omega_0^n + a_2 \Omega_0^{n-1} S + \dots + a_{n-1} \Omega_0^2 S^{n-2} + a_n \Omega_0 S^{n-1} + a_{n+1} S^n}$$

- o n-fold zero at  $S = 0$
- o  $n^{\text{th}}$  order denominator polynomial  $\rightarrow$  n poles
- o If  $p_k$  is a pole in the LP function, then the **HP-poles** are found from:
- o (This rule also applies to zeros, if any)

$$P_k = \frac{\Omega_0}{p_k}$$



# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ HP

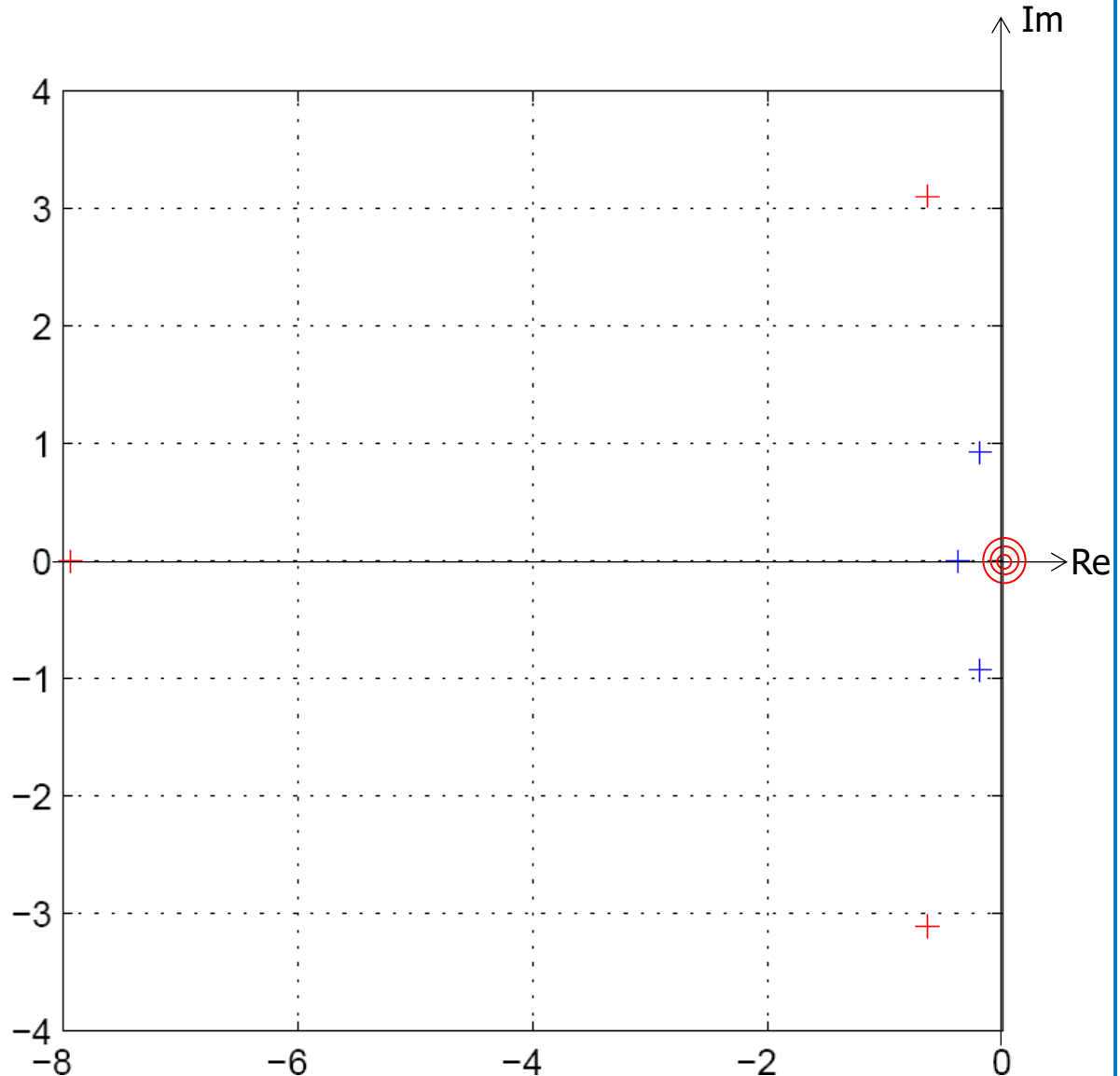
## HP poles and zeros:

Low-pass prototype poles (+)

$$\boxed{P_k} = \frac{\Omega_0}{\boxed{p_k}}$$

High-pass filter poles and zeros, (+, o)

- o 3<sup>rd</sup> order Chebyshev
- o  $\Omega_0 = 3$  rad/s





# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ HP

## HP circuit components

Inductor impedance:

$$Z_{Li} = sL_i$$

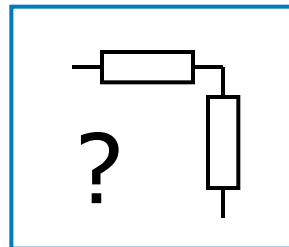
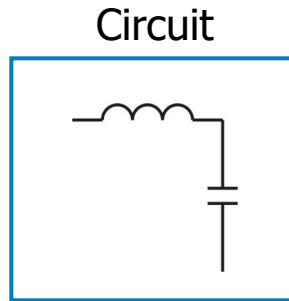
The HP-component must have the impedance:

$$Z_{New}(S) = Z_{Li}\left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)$$

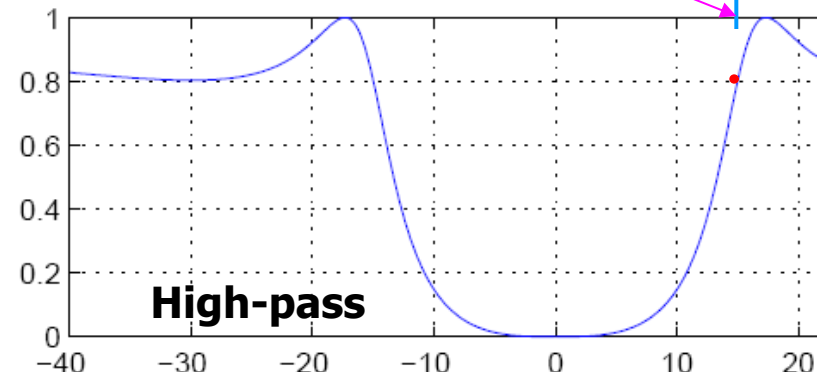
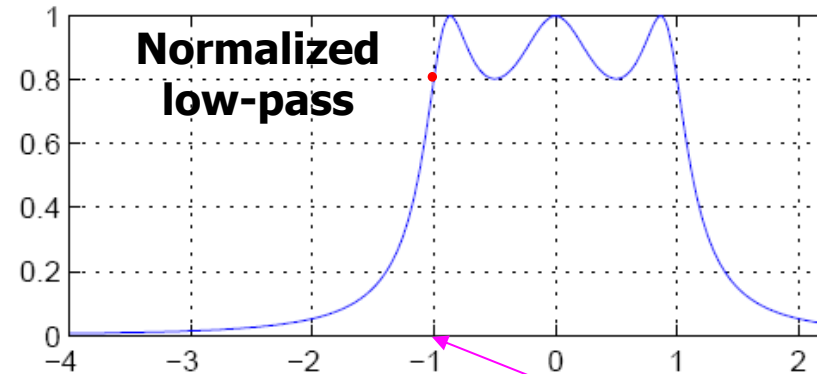
$$= \frac{\Omega_0 L_i}{S} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\Omega_0 L_i} S}$$

Corresponding to a capacitor:

$$C_{HPi} = \frac{1}{\Omega_0 L_i}$$



$$s = \frac{\Omega_0}{S}$$



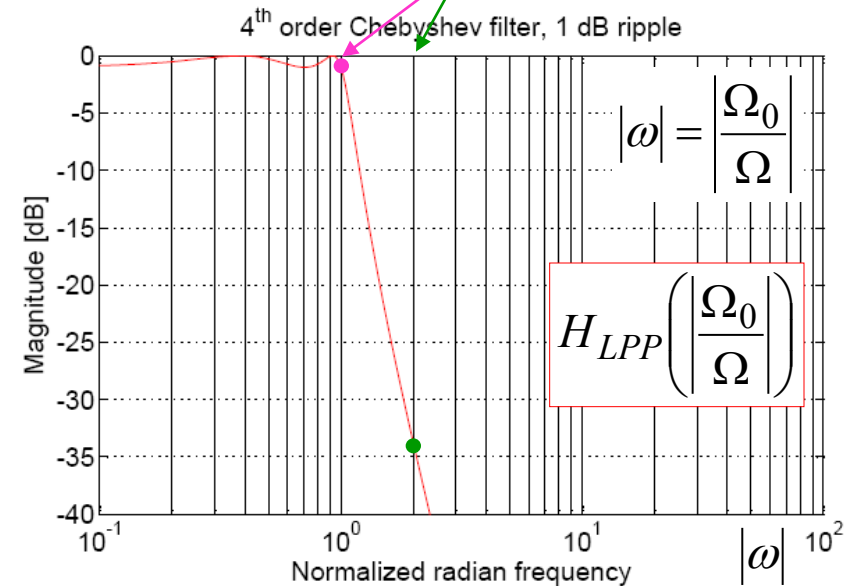
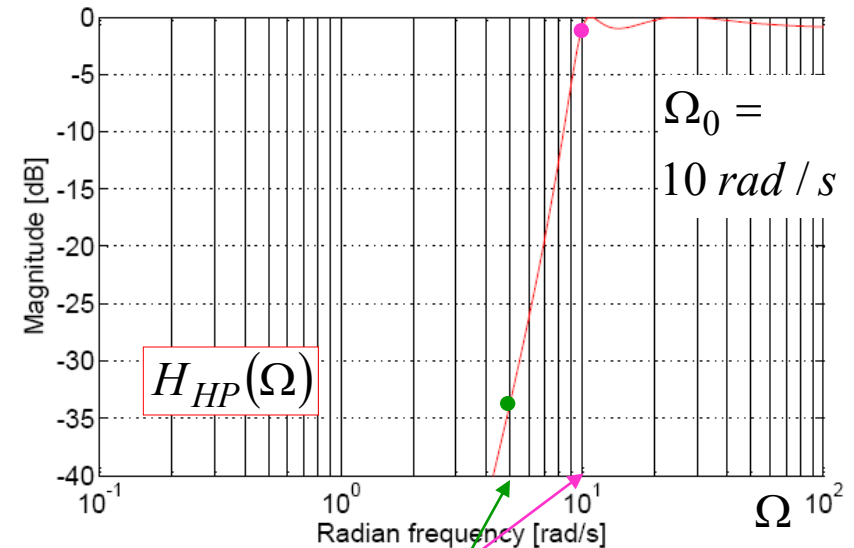
Radian frequency [rad/s]









# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ HP

Low-pass	High-pass
$L_i$	$\frac{1}{\Omega_0 L_i}$
$C_i$	$\frac{1}{\Omega_0 C_i}$
	$s = \frac{\Omega_0}{S}$ $H_{LPP}\left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)$

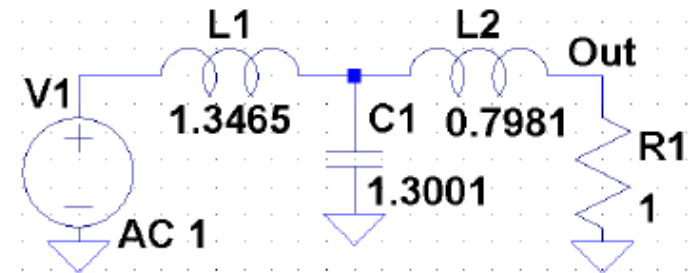




## Exercise

Low-pass	High-pass
 $L_i$	 $\frac{1}{\Omega_0 L_i}$
 $C_i$	 $\frac{1}{\Omega_0 C_i}$
<p>Break over</p>	$s = \frac{\Omega_0}{S}$ $H_{LPP}\left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)$

A normalized 3rd order Chebyshev LP-filter can be made using the circuit



Find the component values in a 10 kHz HP-filter.



# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ BP

**LP  $\rightarrow$  BP transformation:**

$$s = \frac{s^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot s}$$

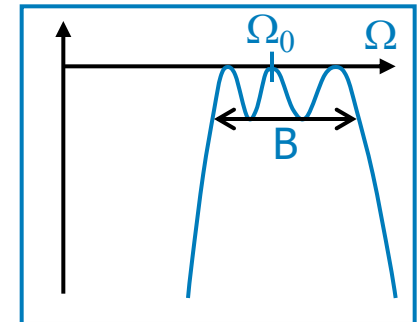
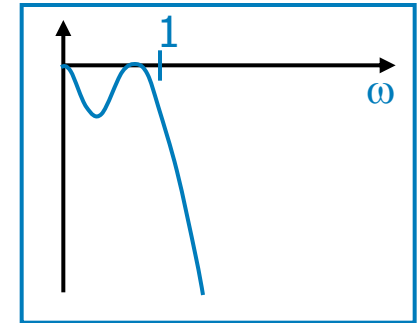
On the imaginary axis:

$$j\omega = \frac{-\Omega^2 + \Omega_0^2}{j\Omega \cdot B} = j \frac{\Omega^2 - \Omega_0^2}{\Omega \cdot B} \quad |\omega| = \left| \frac{\Omega_0^2 - \Omega^2}{\Omega \cdot B} \right|$$

Transfer functions are linked:

$$H_{BP}(s) = H_{LPP} \left( \frac{s^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot s} \right)$$

$$H_{BP}(j\Omega) = H_{LPP} \left( j \frac{\Omega^2 - \Omega_0^2}{\Omega \cdot B} \right)$$





# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ BP

Low-pass to band-pass

$$H_{BP}(j\Omega) = H_{LPP}\left(j \frac{\Omega^2 - \Omega_0^2}{\Omega \cdot B}\right)$$

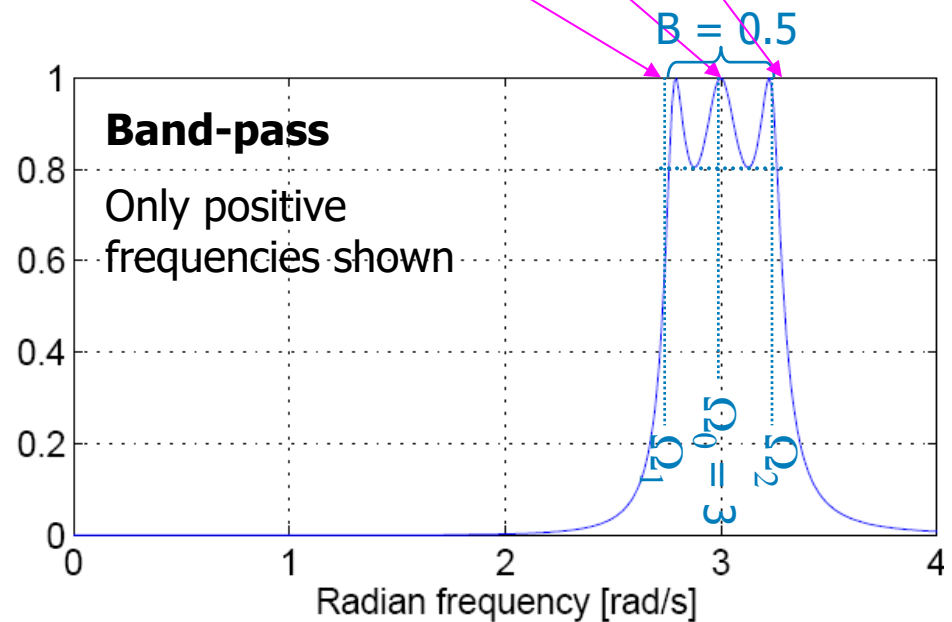
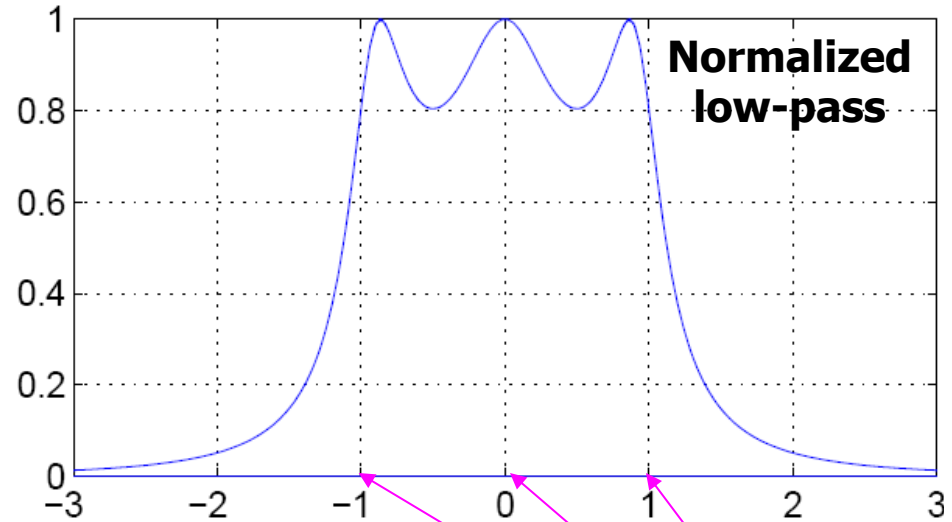
Band-edge frequencies:

$$\pm j = j \frac{\Omega_{edge}^2 - \Omega_0^2}{\Omega_{edge} \cdot B}$$

$$\Omega_{edge}^2 \mp \Omega_{edge} \cdot B - \Omega_0^2 = 0$$

$$\Omega_{edge} = \pm \frac{B}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2}$$

$$\left. \begin{matrix} \Omega_1 \\ \Omega_2 \end{matrix} \right\} = \mp \frac{B}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2}$$





## BP frequency relations:

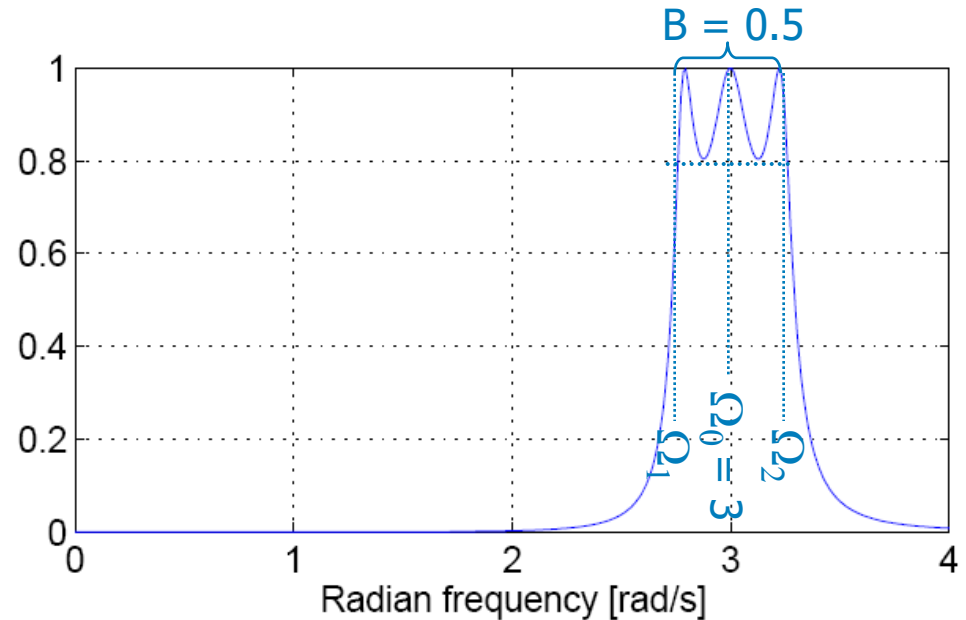
$$\left. \begin{matrix} \Omega_1 \\ \Omega_2 \end{matrix} \right\} = \mp \frac{B}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2}$$

$$B = \Omega_2 - \Omega_1$$

$$\Omega_0 = \sqrt{\Omega_1 \Omega_2}$$

$$\Omega_0 \neq \frac{\Omega_1 + \Omega_2}{2}$$

$$\frac{\Omega_0}{\Omega_1} = \frac{\Omega_2}{\Omega_0}$$



Check:

$$\Omega_2 \Omega_1 = \left[ \frac{B}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2} \right] \left[ -\frac{B}{2} + \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2} \right] = -\frac{B^2}{4} - \frac{B}{2} \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2} + \frac{B}{2} \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2} + \sqrt{\frac{B^2}{4} + \Omega_0^2}^2 = \Omega_0^2$$



# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ BP

## BP poles and zeros

$$H_{LPP}(s) = \frac{K}{a_1 s^n + a_2 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} s^2 + a_n s + a_{n+1}} \quad s = \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S}$$

$$H_{BP}(S) = \frac{K}{a_1 \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S} \right)^n + a_2 \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S} \right)^{n-1} + \dots + a_n \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S} \right) + a_{n+1}}$$

$$H_{BP}(S) = \frac{K \cdot S^n}{a_1 \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B} \right)^n + a_2 \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B} \right)^{n-1} S + \dots + a_n \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B} \right) S^{n-1} + a_{n+1} S^n}$$

### o **n-fold zero at $S = 0$**

Let  $p_k$  be a pole in the LP function. Then the BP-poles are found from:

$$p_k = \frac{P^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot P} \Leftrightarrow P^2 - B \cdot P p_k + \Omega_0^2 = 0 \quad P_{kBP} = \frac{1}{2} B p_k \pm j \sqrt{\Omega_0^2 - \left( \frac{B p_k}{2} \right)^2}$$

resulting in 2 poles, so **the number of poles is doubled**.



# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ BP

## BP poles and zeros:

Low-pass prototype poles (+)



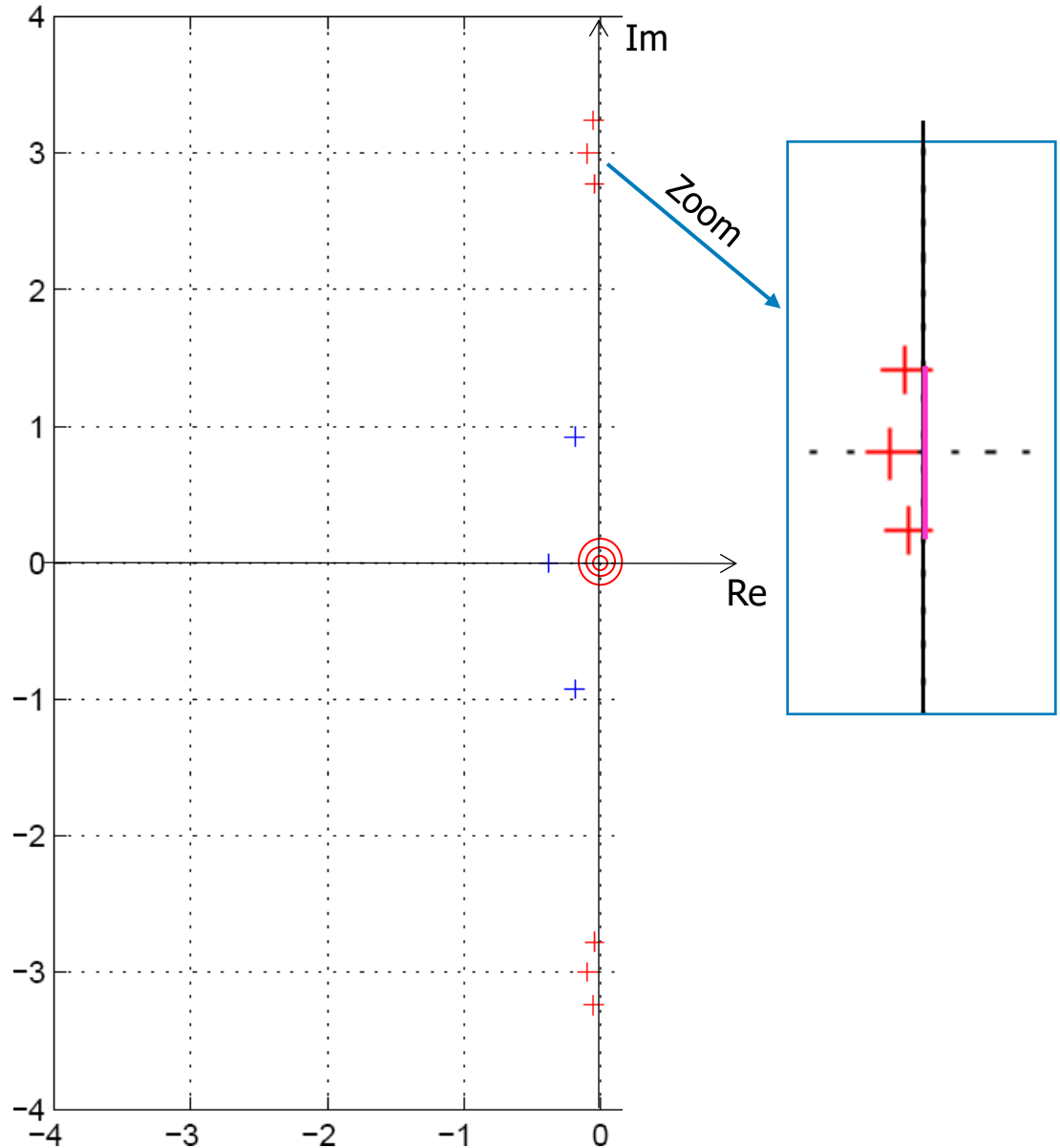
$$P_{kBP} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} B p_k \pm j \sqrt{\Omega_0^2 - \left( \frac{B p_k}{2} \right)^2}$$



Band-pass filter poles and zeros, (+, o)

- o 3<sup>rd</sup> order Chebyshev
- o  $\Omega_0 = 3$  rad/s
- o  $B = 0.5$  rad/s





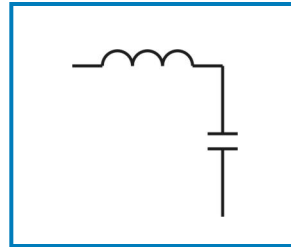
# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ BP

## BP components:

LP-inductor impedance:

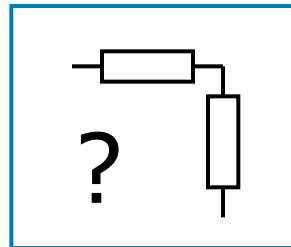
$$Z_{Li} = sL_i$$

LP circuit



$$H_{BP}(S) = H_{LPP} \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S} \right)$$

The BP-component must have the impedance:



$$Z_{New}(S) = Z_{Li} \left( \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S} \right) = \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S} L_i = \frac{S}{B} L_i + \frac{\Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S} L_i$$

$$Z_{New}(S) = \frac{L_i}{B} S + \frac{1}{\frac{B}{\Omega_0^2 L_i} \cdot S}$$









Corresponds to:







# Frequency transformations

Low-pass	High-pass	Band-pass	Band-stop
 $L_i$	 $\frac{1}{\Omega_0 L_i}$	 $\frac{L_i}{B} \quad \frac{B}{\Omega_0^2 L_i}$	 $\frac{BL_{iR}}{\Omega_0^2} \quad \frac{1}{BL_{iR}}$
 $C_i$	 $\frac{1}{\Omega_0 C_i}$	 $\frac{B}{\Omega_0^2 C_i} \quad \frac{C_i}{B}$	 $\frac{1}{BC_{iR}} \quad \frac{BC_{iR}}{\Omega_0^2}$
<p>5 min. break</p> <p>Break over</p>	$s = \frac{\Omega_0}{S}$ $H_{LPP}\left(\frac{\Omega_0}{S}\right)$	$s = \frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S}$ $H_{LPP}\left(\frac{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}{B \cdot S}\right)$	$s = \frac{B \cdot S}{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}$ $H_{LPR}\left(\frac{B \cdot S}{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}\right)$



# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ BS

**First re-normalize the LP-filter** to have  $\omega_{\text{stop}} = 1$  rad/s:

**Next:**

Frequency transformation:

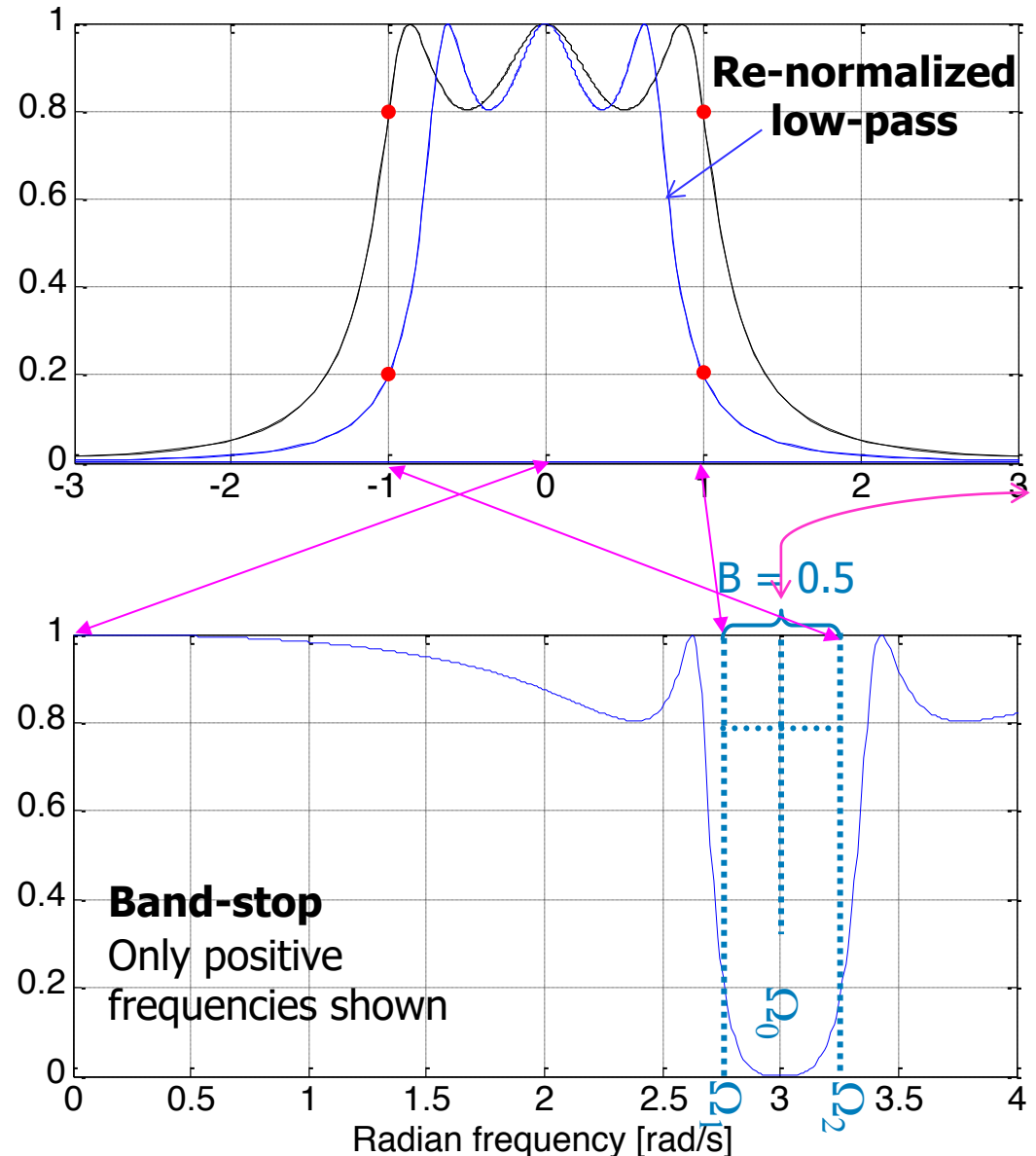
$$s = \frac{B \cdot S}{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}$$

$$j\omega = \frac{j\Omega B}{-\Omega^2 + \Omega_0^2}$$

Transfer function:

$$H_{BS}(S) = H_{LPR}\left(\frac{B \cdot S}{S^2 + \Omega_0^2}\right)$$

$\Omega_1$  and  $\Omega_2$  expressions  
as for BP





# Frequency transformations, LP $\rightarrow$ BS

## BS poles and zeros

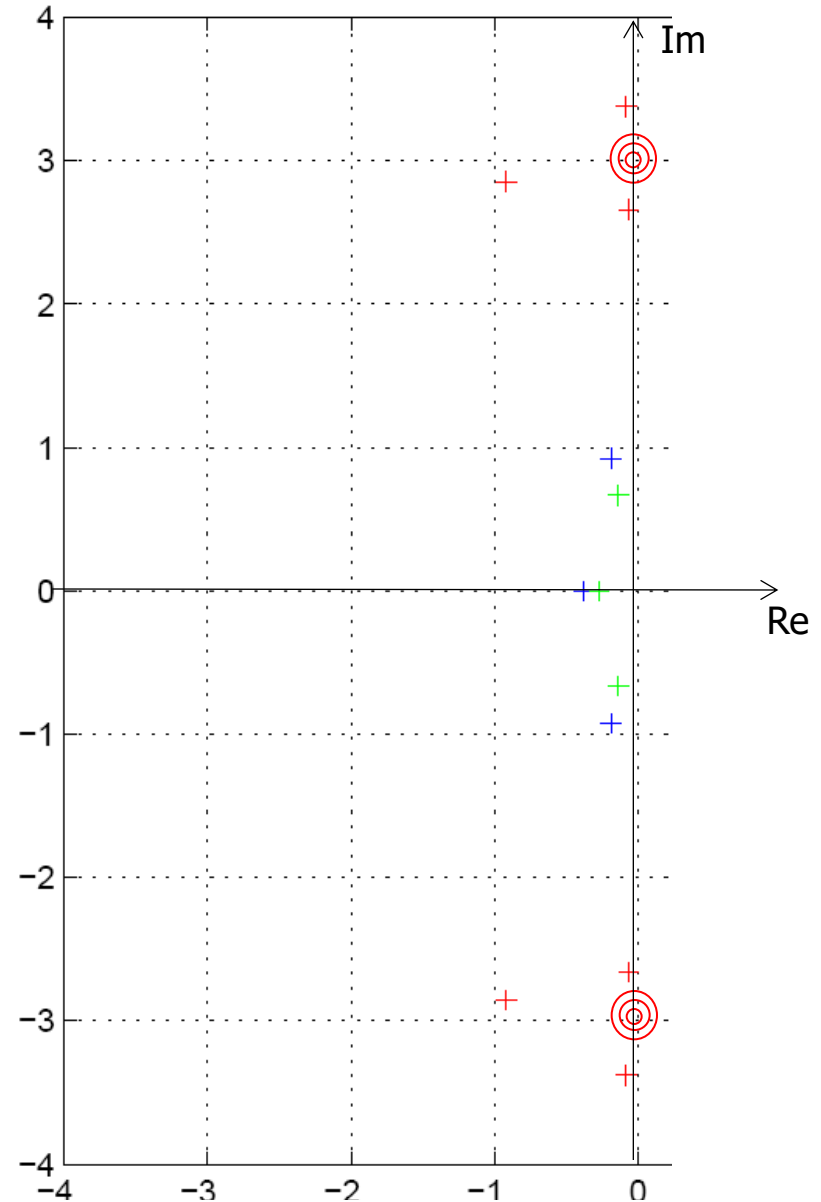
Low-pass normalized poles (+)

Low-pass re-normalized poles (+)

$$p_R = \frac{B \cdot P}{P^2 + \Omega_0^2}$$

Solve to find band-stop filter poles and zeros, (+, o)

- o 3<sup>rd</sup> order Chebyshev
- o  $\Omega_0 = 3$  rad/s
- o  $B = 0.5$  rad/s
- o (Note n-fold zeros at  $\pm j\Omega_0$ )





# BP, HP and BS in Matlab

## Useful Matlab functions:

Direct HP, BP and BS:

`[B,A] = CHEBY1(N,R,Wn,'s')`

If Wn is a two-element vector, Wn = [W1 W2], CHEBY1 returns an order 2N bandpass filter with passband  $W1 < W < W2$  or:

`[B,A] = CHEBY1(N,R,Wn,'bandpass','s')` is a bandpass filter if Wn = [W1 W2]

`[B,A] = CHEBY1(N,R,Wn,'high','s')` designs a highpass filter.

`[B,A] = CHEBY1(N,R,Wn,'low','s')` designs a lowpass filter.

`[B,A] = CHEBY1(N,R,Wn,'stop','s')` is a bandstop filter if Wn = [W1 W2]

$$H(s) = \frac{b_1 s^n + b_2 s^{n-1} + \dots + b_{n-1} s^2 + b_n s + b_{n+1}}{a_1 s^n + a_2 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} s^2 + a_n s + a_{n+1}}$$

lp2bp

lp2bs

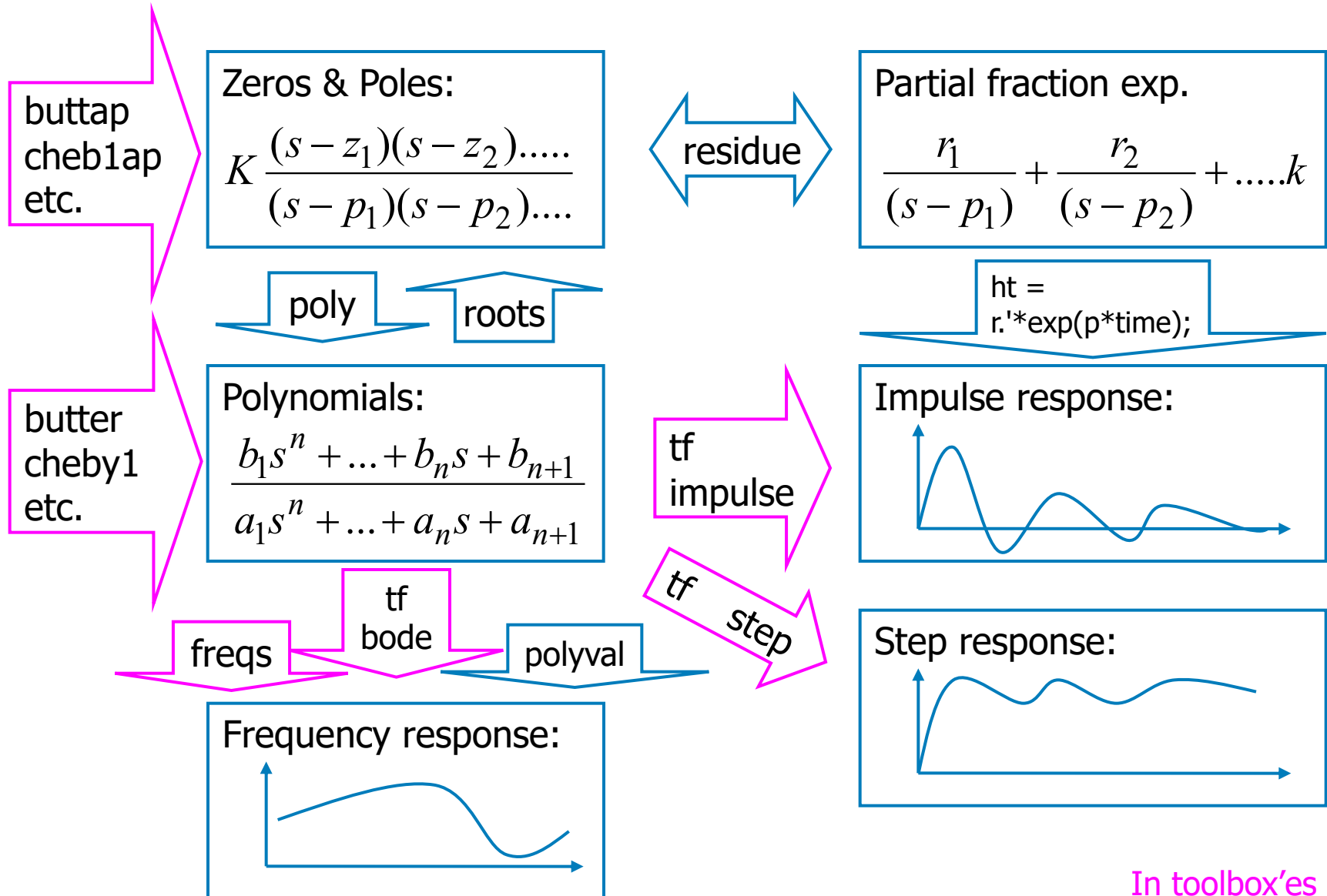
lp2hp

`[bt,at] = lp2bp(b,a,Wo,Bw)` transforms an analog lowpass filter prototype given by polynomial coefficients into a bandpass filter with center frequency Wo and bandwidth Bw.

Row vectors b and a specify the coefficients of the numerator and denominator of the prototype in descending powers of s.



# Matlab roadmap



In toolbox'es



# Sensitivity analysis

- o A filter will perform as specified when component values are as calculated
- o The parameters of components are not exact due to:
  - o Fabrication tolerances, e.g.:  $\pm 0.1\%$  .  $\pm 1\%$  ....  $\pm 20\%$  .
  - o Roundoff to standard values: 8.1244 nF  $\rightarrow$  8.2 nF
  - o Temperature drift
  - o Ageing
- o How sensitive is a filter to parameter variations?
- o Are passive and active realisations equally sensitive?
- o Are all active realisations equally sensitive?

Sensitivity analysis is a tool to investigate this



# How is sensitivity defined?

$$C + \Delta C$$

$$L + \Delta L$$

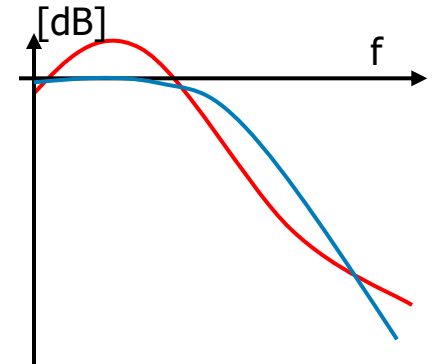
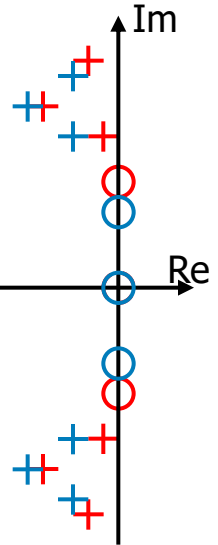
$$R + \Delta R$$

$$A + \Delta A$$

Filter

$$H(s) = K \frac{\prod_i (s - z_i)}{\prod_j (s - p_j)}$$

$$|H_{But,n}(j\omega)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \omega^{2n}}}$$

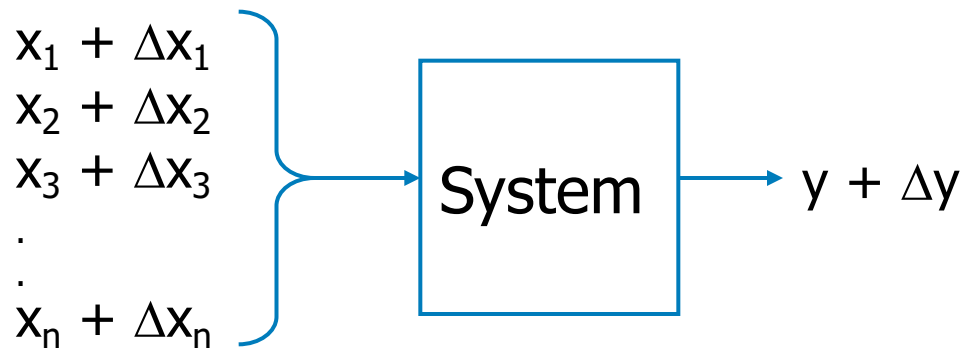


The outputs in sensitivity analysis of a system can be defined in a lot of different ways

The outputs are usually not the output signals of the filter



## Sensitivity – multiple input system



Using a Taylor expansion:

$$y + \Delta y \approx y + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_1} \Delta x_1 + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_2} \Delta x_2 + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_3} \Delta x_3 + \dots \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_n} \Delta x_n$$

+ higher order terms:  $\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x_i^2}$  + cross-terms

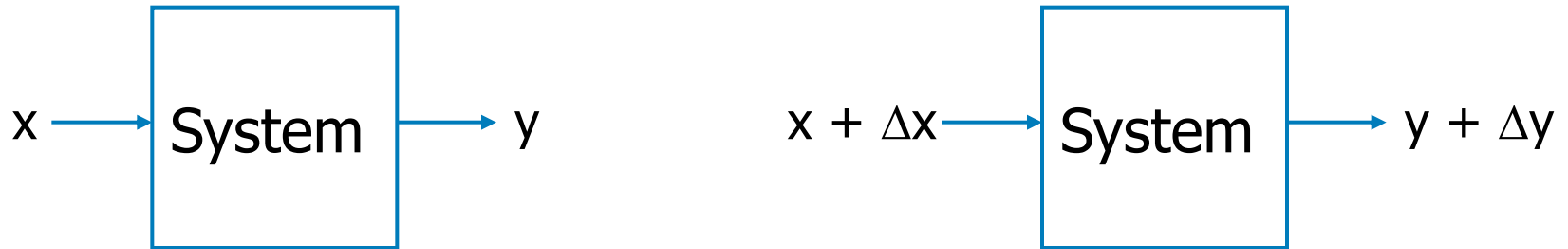
Neglecting higher order terms and "cross-terms": When each perturbation is small the combined effect is found as a sum of the effects from each perturbation

$$\Delta y \approx \sum_i \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_i} \Delta x_i \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta y}{y} \approx \sum_i \frac{1}{y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_i} \Delta x_i$$





## How is sensitivity defined?



Mathematical definition of sensitivity:

$$S_x^y = \frac{x}{y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} \approx \frac{x}{y} \cdot \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{\Delta y / y}{\Delta x / x}$$

The **relative** change of output divided by the **relative** change of input

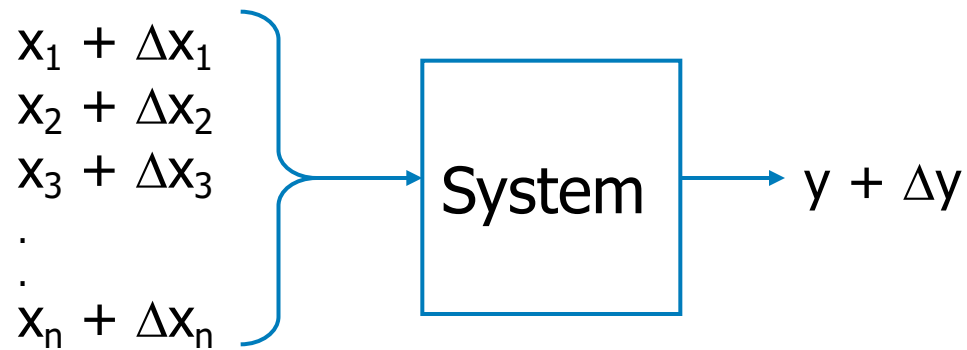
E.g.: If  $S_x^y = 2$ , then a 1% change of  $x$  will give a 2% change of  $y$

Multiple input system:

$$S_{x_i}^y = \frac{x_i}{y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_i}$$



## Sensitivity – multiple input system



$$\frac{\Delta y}{y} \approx \sum_i \frac{1}{y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_i} \Delta x_i = \sum_i \frac{x_i}{y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_i} \cdot \frac{\Delta x_i}{x_i}$$

$$S_{x_i}^y = \frac{x_i}{y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial x_i}$$

$$\frac{\Delta y}{y} \approx \sum_i S_{x_i}^y \frac{\Delta x_i}{x_i}$$



# Sensitivity, example

Inverting amplifier:

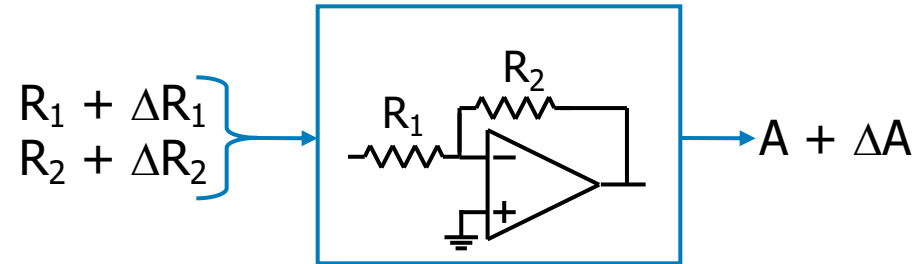
Input: Variations on  $R_1$  and  $R_2$

Output: Amplification,  $A = -R_2/R_1$

$$\frac{\Delta A}{A} \approx \sum_{i=1}^2 S_{R_i}^A \frac{\Delta R_i}{R_i}$$

$$\frac{\Delta A}{A} \approx S_{R_1}^A \frac{\Delta R_1}{R_1} + S_{R_2}^A \frac{\Delta R_2}{R_2}$$

$$S_{R_2}^A = \frac{R_2}{A} \cdot \frac{\partial A}{\partial R_2} = \frac{R_2}{A} \cdot \frac{-1}{R_1} = 1$$



$$S_{R_1}^A = \frac{R_1}{A} \cdot \frac{\partial A}{\partial R_1} = \frac{R_1}{A} \cdot \frac{R_2}{R_1^2} = -1$$

$$\frac{\Delta A}{A} \approx -\frac{\Delta R_1}{R_1} + \frac{\Delta R_2}{R_2}$$



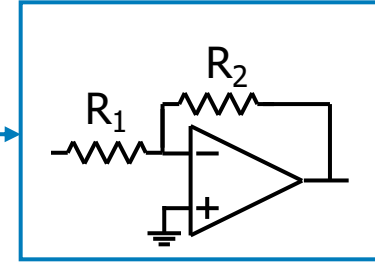
## Exercise

Inverting amplifier:

Input: Variations on  $R_1$  and  $R_2$

Output: Amplification,  $A = -R_2/R_1$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} R_1 + \Delta R_1 \\ R_2 + \Delta R_2 \end{array} \right\}$$



$$A + \Delta A$$

**Prove that the gain of the inverting amplifier  $A = -R_2/R_1$**

5 min. break  
Break over

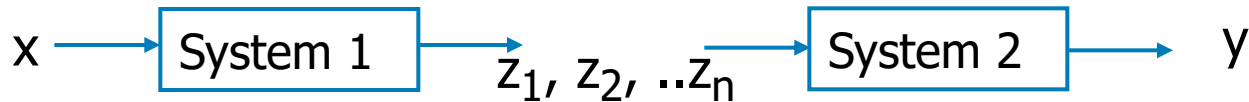


## Sensitivity - math



Scaling  $y$  with a constant,  $k$ ,  
does not affect the sensitivity

$$S_x^{ky} = \frac{x}{ky} \cdot \frac{\partial(ky)}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = S_x^y$$



$$\frac{\Delta y}{y} = \sum_{i=1}^n S_{z_i}^y \frac{\Delta z_i}{z_i} = \sum_{i=1}^n S_{z_i}^y S_x^{z_i} \frac{\Delta x}{x}$$

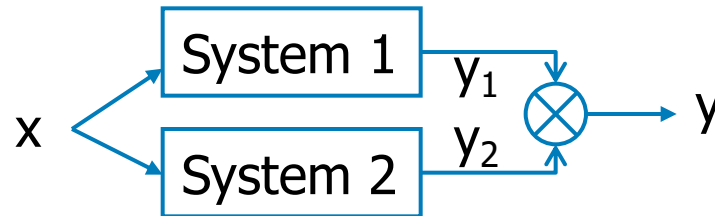
$$S_x^y = \frac{x}{y} \cdot \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \sum_{i=1}^n S_{z_i}^y S_x^{z_i}$$

$$S_x^{y(z_1, z_2 \dots z_n)} = \sum_{i=1}^n S_{z_i}^y S_x^{z_i}$$



## Sensitivity - math

The sensitivity of the product of 2 parameters wrt.  $x$  is the sum of the two individual sensitivities wrt.  $x$



$$S_x^{y_1 \cdot y_2} = \frac{x}{y_1 y_2} \cdot \frac{\partial(y_1 y_2)}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{y_1 y_2} \left( y_2 \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x} + y_1 \frac{\partial y_2}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\underline{S_x^{y_1 \cdot y_2} = \frac{x}{y_1} \cdot \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x} + \frac{x}{y_2} \cdot \frac{\partial y_2}{\partial x} = \underline{S_x^{y_1} + S_x^{y_2}}}$$

Extensions:

$$S_x^{\prod y_i} = \sum_i S_x^{y_i}$$

$$S_x^{y^n} = n \cdot S_x^y$$

The sensitivity of the ratio between 2 parameters wrt.  $x$  is the difference between the two individual sensitivities wrt.  $x$

$$S_x^{y_1 / y_2} = \frac{x}{y_1 / y_2} \cdot \frac{\partial(y_1 / y_2)}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{y_1 / y_2} \left( \frac{1}{y_2} \cdot \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x} - \frac{y_1}{y_2^2} \cdot \frac{\partial y_2}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\underline{S_x^{y_1 / y_2} = \frac{x}{y_1} \cdot \frac{\partial y_1}{\partial x} - \frac{x}{y_2} \cdot \frac{\partial y_2}{\partial x} = \underline{S_x^{y_1} - S_x^{y_2}}}$$



# Sensitivity – transfer functions

$$S_x^{y_1/y_2} = S_x^{y_1} - S_x^{y_2} \quad S_x^{y_1 \cdot y_2} = S_x^{y_1} + S_x^{y_2}$$

Transfer function as a ratio of the numerator and denominator polynomials:

$$H(s) = \frac{P(s)}{Q(s)} \quad S_x^{H(s)} = S_x^{P(s)} - S_x^{Q(s)}$$

Transfer function as magnitude and phase:

$$H(s)|_{s=j\omega} = |H(j\omega)|e^{j\varphi(\omega)}$$

$$S_x^{H(j\omega)} = S_x^{|H(j\omega)|} + S_x^{e^{j\varphi(\omega)}} \quad (S_z^{e^y} = \frac{z}{e^y} \cdot \frac{\partial e^y}{\partial z} = z \frac{\partial y}{\partial z} = y \frac{z}{y} \cdot \frac{\partial y}{\partial z} = y S_z^y)$$

$$S_x^{H(j\omega)} = S_x^{|H(j\omega)|} + j\varphi(\omega) S_x^{\varphi(\omega)} \quad (S_x^\varphi = S_x^{j\varphi})$$

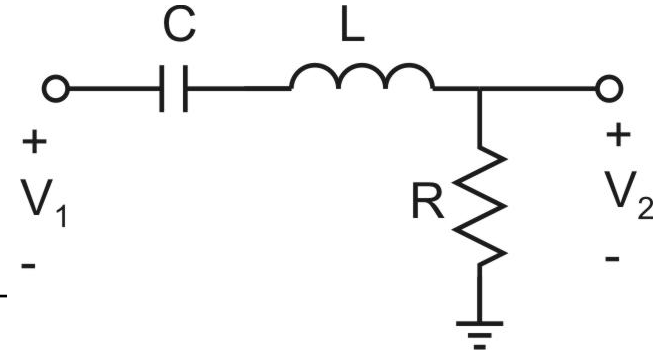
Sensitivity of magnitude and phase:

$$S_x^{|H(j\omega)|} = \operatorname{Re}(S_x^{H(j\omega)}) \quad S_x^{\varphi(\omega)} = \frac{1}{\varphi(\omega)} \operatorname{Im}(S_x^{H(j\omega)})$$

## Sensitivity example: 2<sup>nd</sup> order BP: Passive LCR

The transfer function is found by voltage division:

$$H(s) = \frac{V_2(s)}{V_1(s)} = \frac{R}{\frac{1}{sC} + sL + R} = \frac{sCR}{s^2 LC + sCR + 1}$$



This may be written in the standard form:

$$\underline{H(s)} = \frac{s \frac{R}{L}}{s^2 + s \frac{R}{L} + \frac{1}{LC}} = \frac{s \frac{\omega_0}{Q}}{s^2 + s \frac{\omega_0}{Q} + \omega_0^2} = \frac{s 2\zeta \omega_0}{s^2 + s 2\zeta \omega_0 + \omega_0^2}$$

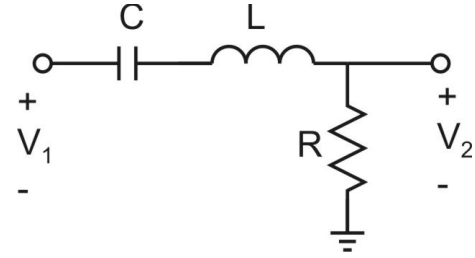
Where:

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \quad Q = \frac{\omega_0 L}{R} = \frac{1}{\omega_0 CR} \quad \zeta = \frac{1}{2Q}$$

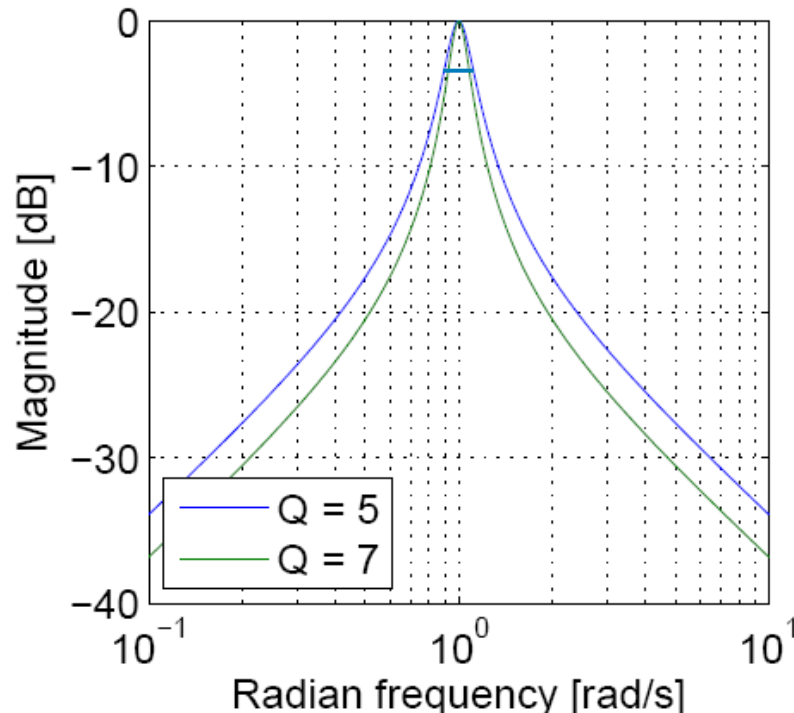


# Sensitivity example: 2<sup>nd</sup> order BP: Passive LCR

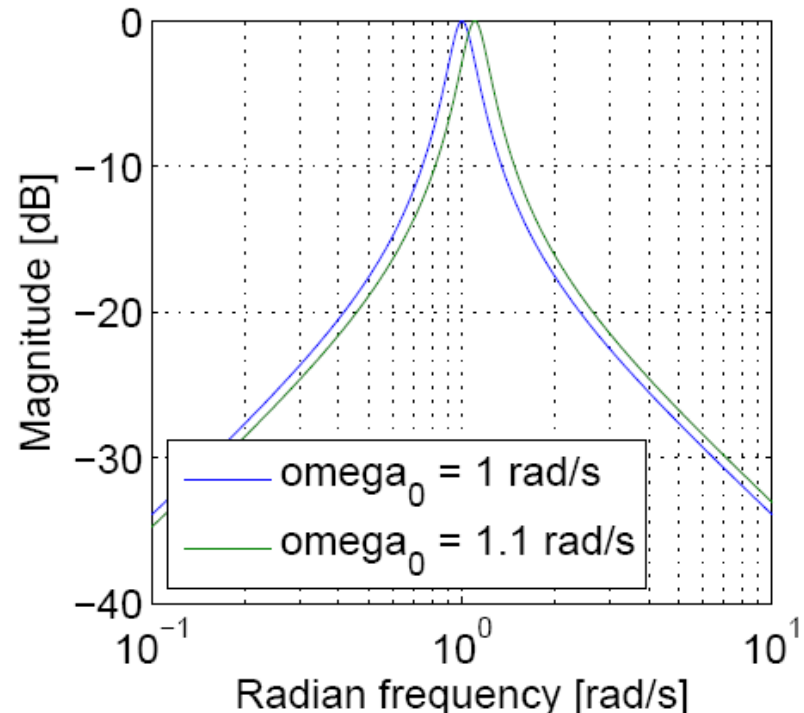
$$H(s) = \frac{s \frac{\omega_0}{Q}}{s^2 + s \frac{\omega_0}{Q} + \omega_0^2} \quad \omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \quad Q = \frac{\omega_0 L}{R} = \frac{1}{\omega_0 CR}$$



$\omega_0 = 1 \text{ rad/s}$



$Q = 5$



$Q = \text{Quality factor}$

$$Q = \omega_0 / \Delta\omega_{3\text{dB}}$$



## Sensitivity example: 2<sup>nd</sup> order BP

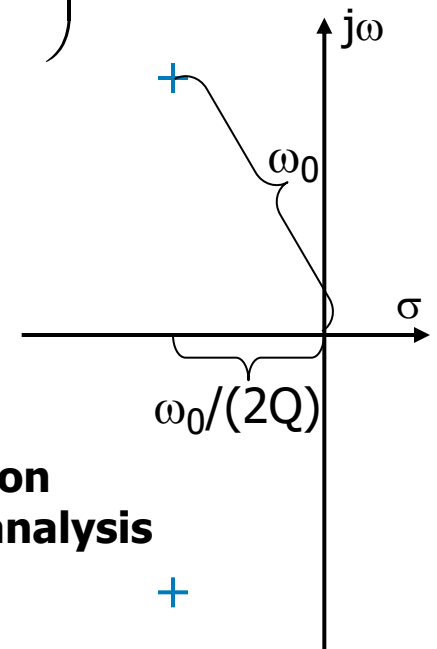
$$H(s) = \frac{s \frac{\omega_0}{Q}}{s^2 + s \frac{\omega_0}{Q} + \omega_0^2}$$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} \quad Q = \frac{\omega_0 L}{R} = \frac{1}{\omega_0 CR}$$

Poles:

$$p_k = -\frac{\omega_0}{2Q} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{\omega_0}{Q}\right)^2 - 4\omega_0^2} = \omega_0 \left( \frac{-1}{2Q} \pm j \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2Q}\right)^2} \right)$$

A high Q-value means that the poles are close to the imaginary axis



Since  $\omega_0$  and  $Q$  are important parameters for the transfer function they are often chosen as **output parameters** for the sensitivity analysis



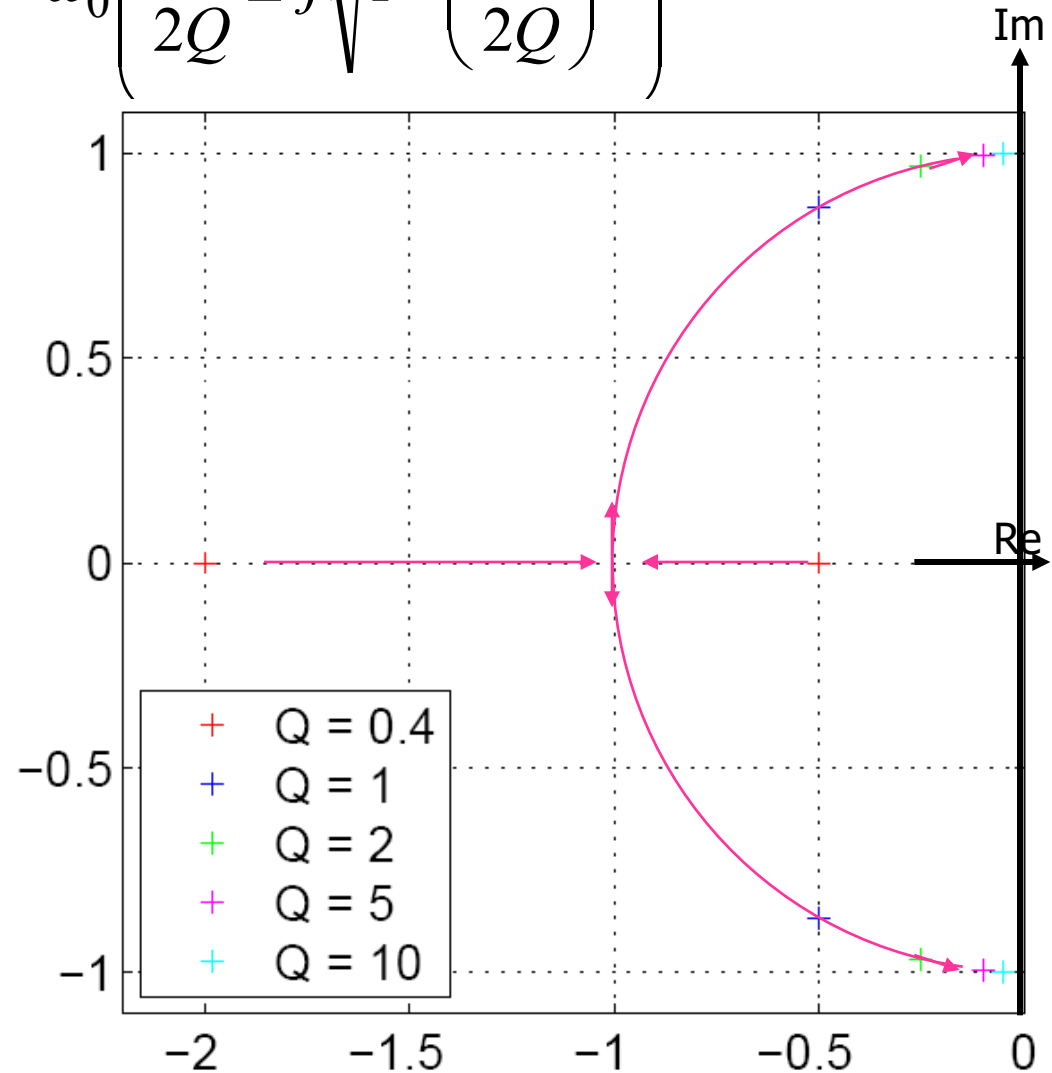
## Sensitivity example: 2<sup>nd</sup> order BP

$$p_k = -\frac{\omega_0}{2Q} \pm \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(\frac{\omega_0}{Q}\right)^2 - 4\omega_0^2} = \omega_0 \left( \frac{-1}{2Q} \pm j \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2Q}\right)^2} \right)$$

Pole positions as a function of Q:  
 $\omega_0 = 1$  rad/s

Increasing Q

The pole sensitivity,  $S_x^{p_k}$ , can be a complex number

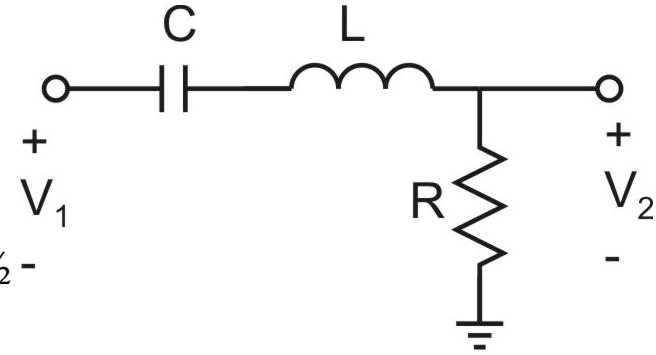




## Sensitivity example: 2<sup>nd</sup> order BP

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} = L^{-1/2} C^{-1/2}$$

$$Q = \frac{\omega_0 L}{R} = \frac{1}{\omega_0 C R} = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} = R^{-1} L^{1/2} C^{-1/2}$$



Sensitivities:

$$S_L^{\omega_0} = \frac{L}{\omega_0} \cdot \frac{\partial \omega_0}{\partial L} = \frac{L}{L^{-1/2} C^{-1/2}} \cdot \frac{\partial (L^{-1/2} C^{-1/2})}{\partial L} = -1/2$$

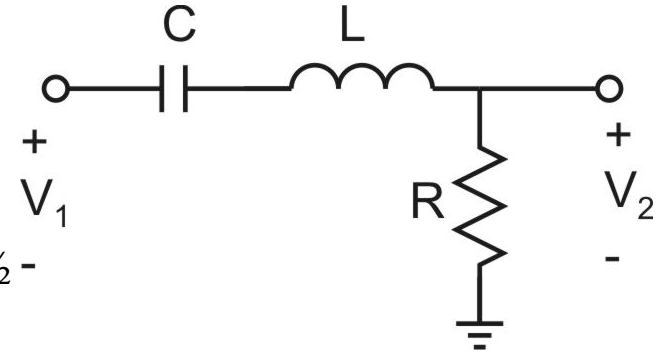
A 2 % increase of L will cause 1 % decrease in  $\omega_0$ .



## Sensitivity example: 2<sup>nd</sup> order BP – small exercise (5 min.)

$$\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}} = L^{-1/2} C^{-1/2}$$

$$Q = \frac{\omega_0 L}{R} = \frac{1}{\omega_0 C R} = \frac{1}{R} \sqrt{\frac{L}{C}} = R^{-1} L^{1/2} C^{-1/2}$$



**Prove that:**

$$S_C^{\omega_0} = -1/2 \quad S_R^{\omega_0} = 0$$

$$S_R^Q = -1 \quad S_L^Q = 1/2 \quad S_C^Q = -1/2$$