

# EEE336 Signal Processing and Digital Filtering

## Revision

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# Outline

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- 1. Sampling and reconstruction
- 2. Quantization
- 3. Discrete-time signals and systems in time and frequency domain  $\Rightarrow$  DTFT
- 4. DFT (Discrete Fourier Transform)
- 5. FFT (Fast Fourier Transform)
- 6. Z-transform
- 7. Filter structures
- 8. FIR filters
- 9. IIR filters



# Lecture 3 Sampling and Reconstruction

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- 1. Sampling
  - In TD and FD
  - Derivation & Frequencies relationship ( $f$  vs  $\Omega$  vs  $\omega$ )
  - Graphical illustration
- 2. Anti-aliasing
  - What causes aliasing? – Nyquist theorem
  - Anti-aliasing filter
- 3. Reconstruction

# 3.1 Sampling



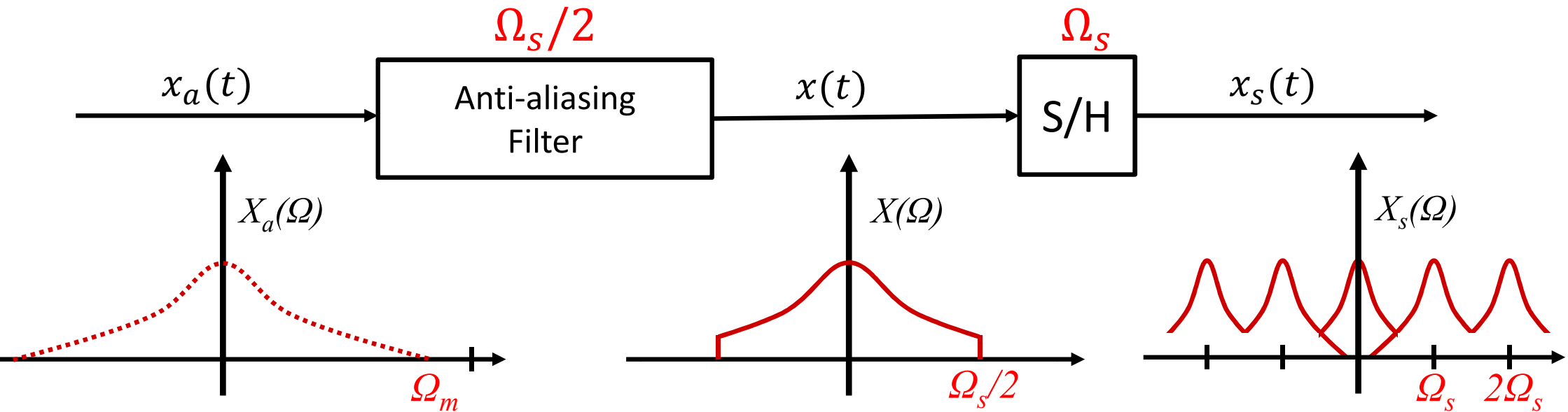
(a) Ideal data flow for the digital processing of continuous-time signals

In Time Domain

In Frequency Domain

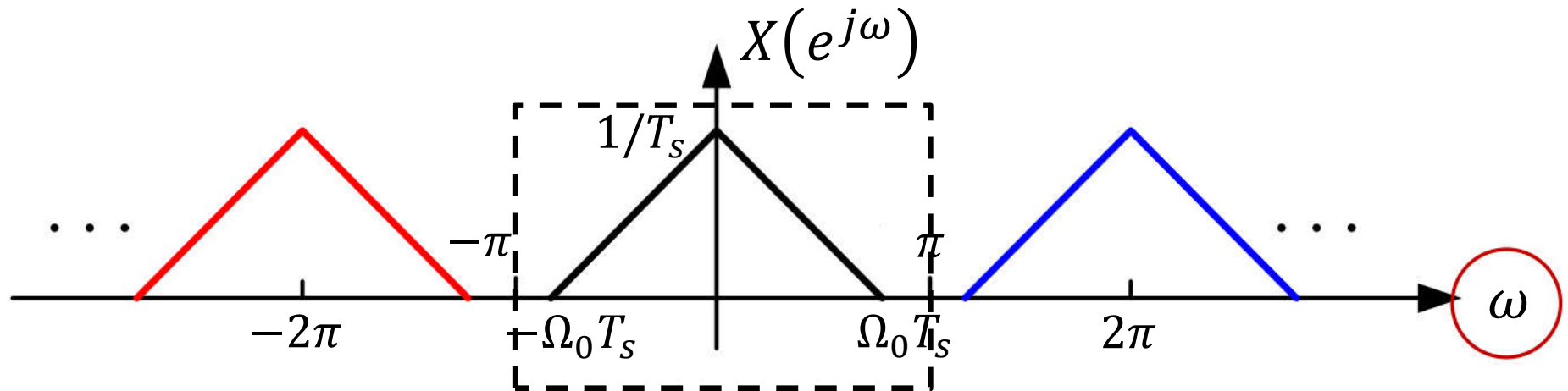


## 3.2 Anti-aliasing



- Nyquist theorem: to avoid aliasing, the sampling frequency
- Three types of sampling: over sampling, critical sampling and under sampling
- Aliasing: If Nyquist theorem was not satisfied, aliasing happens
  - To reduce the aliasing error, passing the CT signal through an “Anti-aliasing filter” before sampling it.

## 3.3 Reconstruction



- The spectrum of the sampled signal contains all the information of the original CT signal
  - So the CT signal can be recovered without any loss;
  - But a condition needs to be satisfied:

$$\Omega_0 T_s \leq \pi \iff 2\Omega_0 \leq \Omega_s$$

- The Nyquist theorem!

# Lecture 4 Quantization

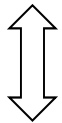
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- 1. Quantization and error evaluation
  - Relationship among the key parameters  $R$ ,  $Q$  and  $B$
  - Error  $e$  and dynamic range SNR
  - Truncation and rounding
- 2. D/A Conversion: 3 types of codes
  - Natural binary
  - Offset binary
  - 2's combined binary
- 3. A/D Conversion
  - How to perform – the example

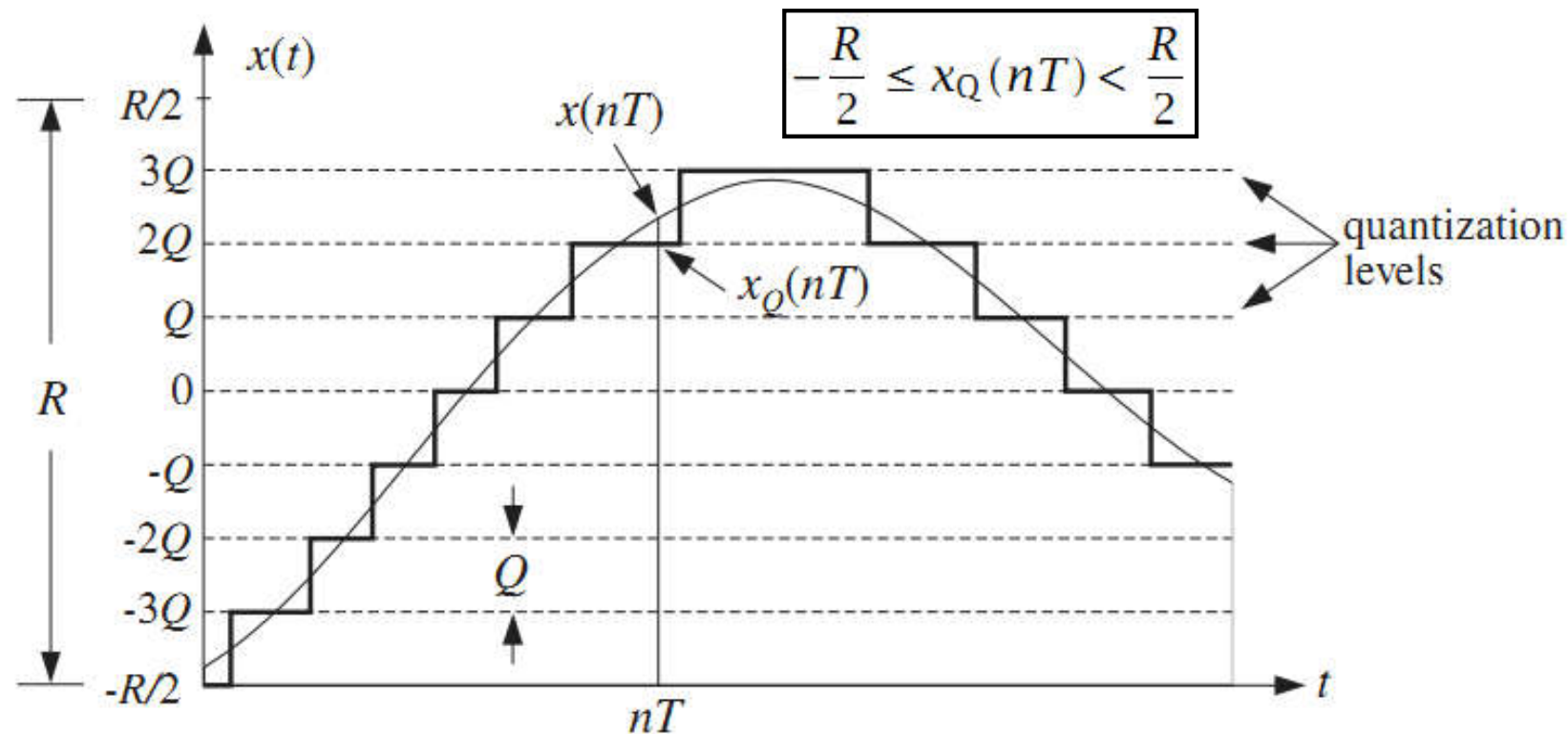
# 4.1 Quantisation Process

- $R$  is the full-scale range which is divided equally (for a uniform quantizer) into  $2^B$  quantization levels.
- The spacing between levels are called the *quantization width / quantization level* or *quantizer resolution*  $Q$

$$Q = \frac{R}{2^B}$$



$$\frac{R}{Q} = 2^B$$





## 4.1 Quantisation error

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- Root-mean-square of error  $e$ :
  - Truncation:  $e_{rms} = \sqrt{\bar{e}^2} = \frac{Q}{\sqrt{12}}$
  - Rounding:  $e_{rms} = \sqrt{\bar{e}^2} = \frac{Q}{\sqrt{3}}$
- Signal-to-noise ratio (SNR)
  - R – range of signal
  - Q – range of noise

$$SNR = 20 \log_{10} \left( \frac{R}{Q} \right) = 6B \text{ (dB)}$$

SNR is also called the *dynamic range* of the quantiser

## 4.2 D/A Converters

- Three types of converter and the coding conventions

- Natural Binary: the unipolar natural binary

$$x_Q = R(b_1 2^{-1} + b_2 2^{-2} + \cdots + b_B 2^{-B}) \iff x_Q = Qm \quad (1)$$

where  $m$  is the integer whose binary representation is  $(b_1 b_2 \cdots b_B)$

- LSB (Least Significant Bit):  $b_B$
    - MSB (Most Significant Bit):  $b_1$

- Offset Binary: the bipolar natural binary

$$x_Q = R(b_1 2^{-1} + b_2 2^{-2} + \cdots + b_B 2^{-B} - 0.5) \quad (2)$$

- 2's Complement: the two's complement

$$x_Q = R(\bar{b}_1 2^{-1} + b_2 2^{-2} + \cdots + b_B 2^{-B} - 0.5) \quad (3)$$

## 4.3 A/D Converters

- Example: Convert the analog values  $x = 3.5$  and  $x = -1.5$  volts to their offset binary representation, assuming  $B = 4$  bits and  $R = 10$  volts

test	$b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4$	$x_Q$	$C = u(x - x_Q)$
$b_1$	1 0 0 0	0.000	1
$b_2$	1 1 0 0	2.500	1
$b_3$	1 1 1 0	3.750	0
$b_4$	1 1 0 1	3.125	1
	1 1 0 1	3.125	

$x = 3.5$

test	$b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4$	$x_Q$	$C = u(x - x_Q)$
$b_1$	1 0 0 0	0.000	0
$b_2$	0 1 0 0	-2.500	1
$b_3$	0 1 1 0	-1.250	0
$b_4$	0 1 0 1	-1.875	1
	0 1 0 1	-1.875	

$x = -1.5$



# Lecture 5-8 Discrete Signals and Systems

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- 1. Convolution
  - Linear convolution
  - Multiplication VS convolution
- 2. DTFT (Discrete-Time Fourier Transform)
  - Definition and relationship to time domain
  - Calculation
  - Properties & applications

# 6.1 Convolution

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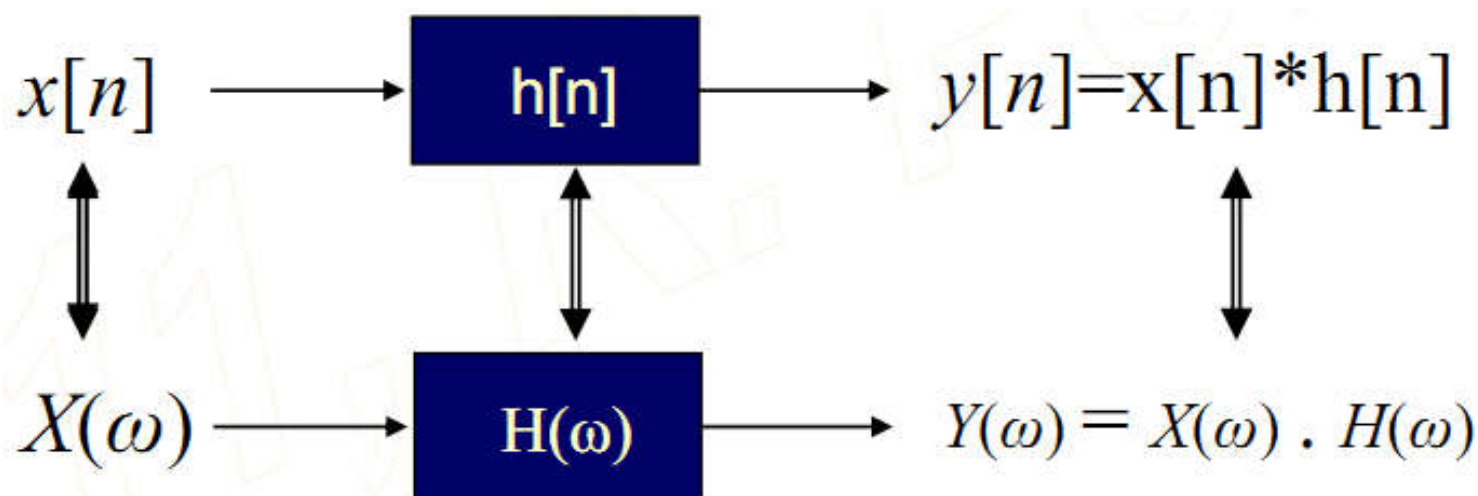
- Linear convolution:
  - Input  $x[n]$ ;
  - System impulse response  $h[n]$ ;
  - Output  $y[n]$ :

$$y[n_0] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k]h[n_0 - k]$$

- Calculation
  - Different methods ...

## 8.1 Time-Frequency Domain Relationship

- If  $x[n]$  is input to an LTI system with an impulse response of  $h[n]$ , then the DTFT of the output is the product of  $X(\omega)$  and  $H(\omega)$



## 7.1 DTFT Definition

- The discrete-time Fourier transform (DTFT)  $X(e^{j\omega})$  of a sequence  $x[n]$  is defined by:

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n]e^{-j\omega n}$$

- DTFT  $X(e^{j\omega})$  of a sequence  $x[n]$  is a continuous function of  $\omega$
- Inverse Discrete-Time Fourier Transform - the Fourier coefficients  $\{x[n]\}$  can be computed from  $X(e^{j\omega})$  using

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

## 7.2 DTFT Properties

- 1. Linearity:  $ax_1[n] + bx_2[n] \xrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} aX_1(\omega) + bX_2(\omega)$
- 2. Time-reversal:  $x[-n] \xrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} X(-\omega)$

- 3. Symmetric:

$$x^*[n] \xrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} X^*(-\omega) \quad x^*[-n] \xrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} X^*(\omega)$$

- 4. Shifting

$$x[n - M] \xrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} X(\omega)e^{-j\omega M}$$

$$e^{j\omega_0 n}x[n] \xrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} X(\omega - \omega_0)$$

- 5. Parseval Theorem:

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[n]|^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |X(\omega)|^2 d\omega$$



# Lecture 9 DFT

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- 1. Definition and calculation
  - Analysis and synthesis equations
  - Twiddle factor
  - Calculation
- 2. Relationships among CTFT, DTFT and DFT
- 3. Properties
- 4. Circular convolution

## 9.1 DFT Definition

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- The analysis equation

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{kn}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

- The synthesis equation

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] W_N^{-kn}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

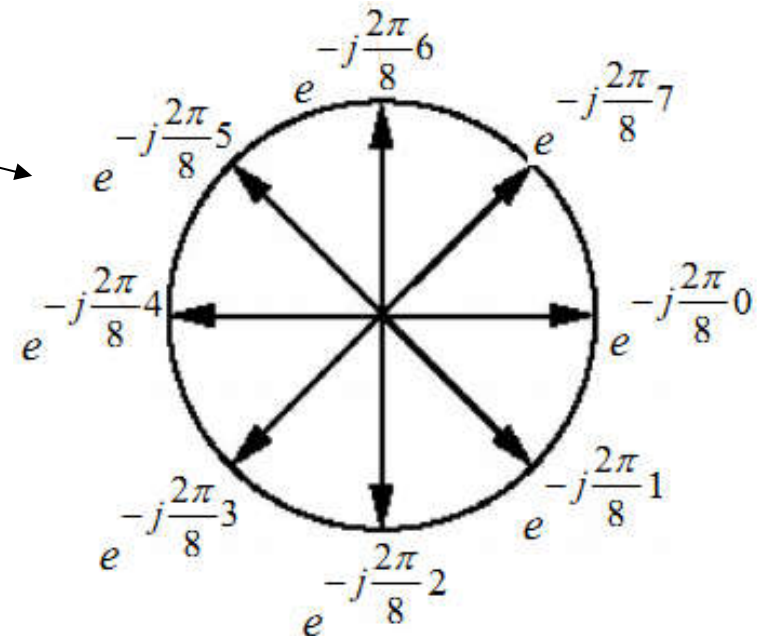
- The DFT pair is denoted as  $x[n] \leftrightarrow X[k]$

## 9.1 Computing DFT

- For any given  $k$ , the DFT is computed by multiplying each  $x[n]$  with each of the complex exponentials  $W_N^{nk} = e^{-j2\pi nk/N}$  and then adding up all these components
- If, for example, we wish to compute an 8-point DFT, the complex exponentials are 8 unit vectors placed at equal distances from each other on the unit circle

Complex exponential wheel

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{kn}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$



## 9.2 CTFT $\rightarrow$ DTFT $\rightarrow$ DFT

Time  
Domain

$x(t)$

$x[k]$

$\tilde{x}[k]$

Frequency  
Domain

$X(j\Omega)$

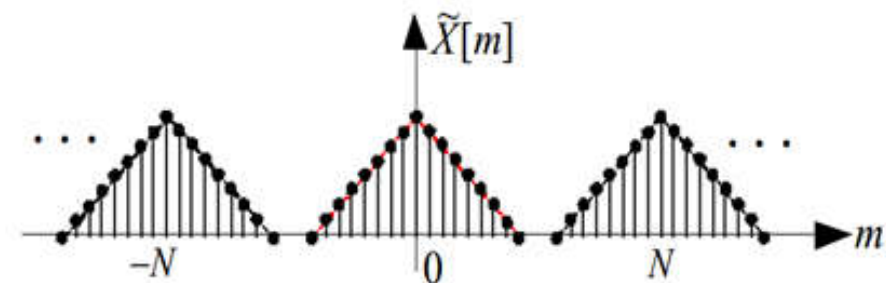
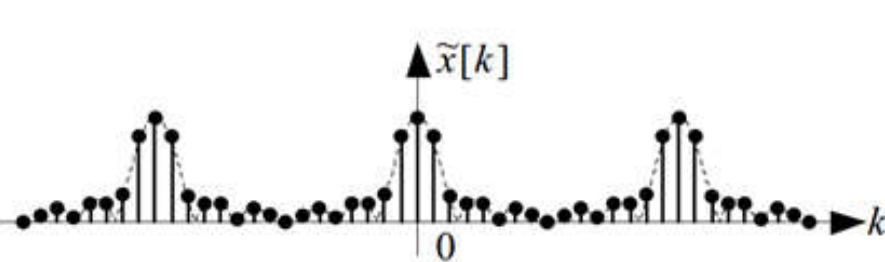
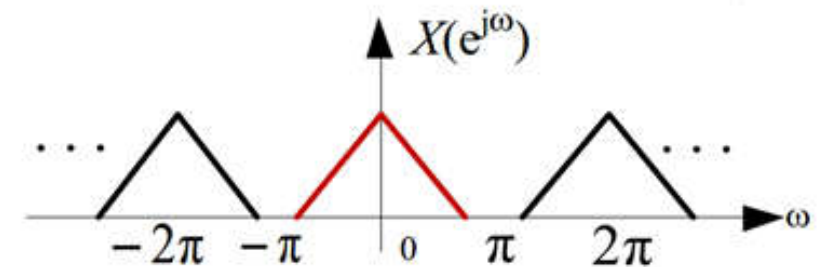
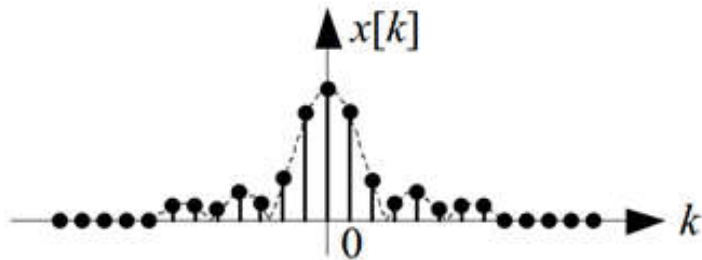
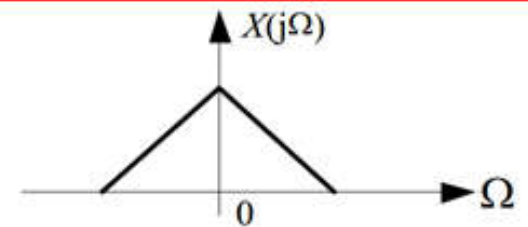
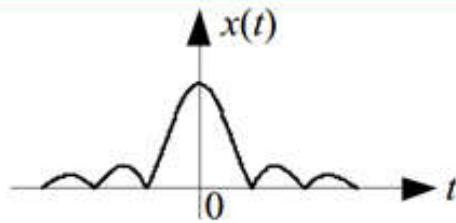
$X(e^{j\omega})$

$X[m]$

CTFT

DTFT

DFT



## 9.3 DFT Properties

- 1. Linearity:  $ax_1[n] + bx_2[n] \xrightarrow{\text{DFT}} aX_1[k] + bX_2[k]$
- 2. Shifting:  $x[\langle n - M \rangle_N] \xrightarrow{\text{DFT}} W_N^{kM} X[k]$

$$W_N^{-kM} x[n] \xrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} X[\langle n - M \rangle_N]$$

- 3. Symmetry:
  - Many different cases
  - Example: real sequence  $x[n]$ , whose  $X[k]$  is conjugate symmetric
- 4. Parseval Theorem:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} |x[n]|^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} |X[k]|^2$$

## 9.4 Linear VS circular convolution

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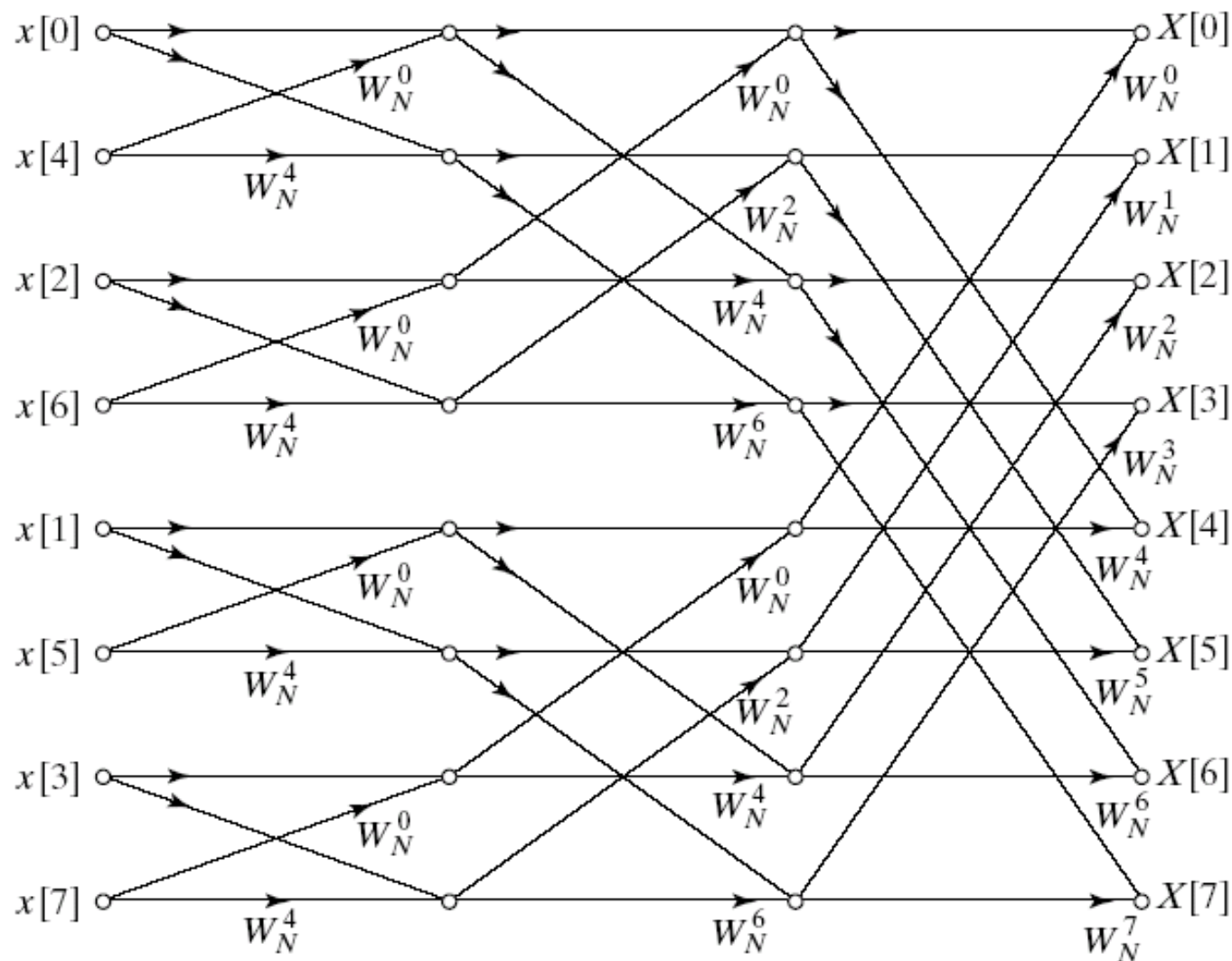
- Is there any relationship between the linear and circular convolutions? Can one be obtained from the other?
- YES!
  - FACT: If we zero pad both sequences  $x[n]$  and  $h[n]$ , so that they are both of length  $N_1+N_2-1$ , then linear convolution and circular convolution result in identical sequences
  - Furthermore: If the respective DFTs of the zero padded sequences are  $X[k]$  and  $H[k]$ , then the inverse DFT of  $X[k] \cdot H[k]$  is equal to the linear convolution of  $x[n]$  and  $h[n]$
  - Note that, normally, the inverse DFT of  $X[k] \cdot H[k]$  is the circular convolution of  $x[n]$  and  $h[n]$ . If they are zero padded, then the inverse DFT is also the linear convolution of the two.

# Lecture 10 FFT

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- 1. Computational complexity, i.e. number of additions and multiplications
  - DFT, convolution, and FFT
  - How to save?
- 2. FFT flow chart (DIT Radix-2)
  - How to draw?
  - How to calculate DFT based on the flow chart?
  - Bit reversal

# Final flow-graph of DIT-2



- Number of stages:  
 $p = \log_2 N$
- Number of butterflies per stage:  
 $N/2$
- Two computational complexity:
  - $N(p-1) = N(\log_2 N - 1)$  complex multiplications;
  - $Np = N \log_2 N$  complex additions.



# Lecture 11 Z-Transform

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- 1. Definition and ROC
- 2. Relationship between DTFT and Z-transform
- 3. Some concepts: stable, causal, right-handed, left-handed, etc.
- 4. Properties
- 5. Zeroes and poles
- Generally speaking, everything in this lecture is important!

# Lecture 12 Filters Classifications

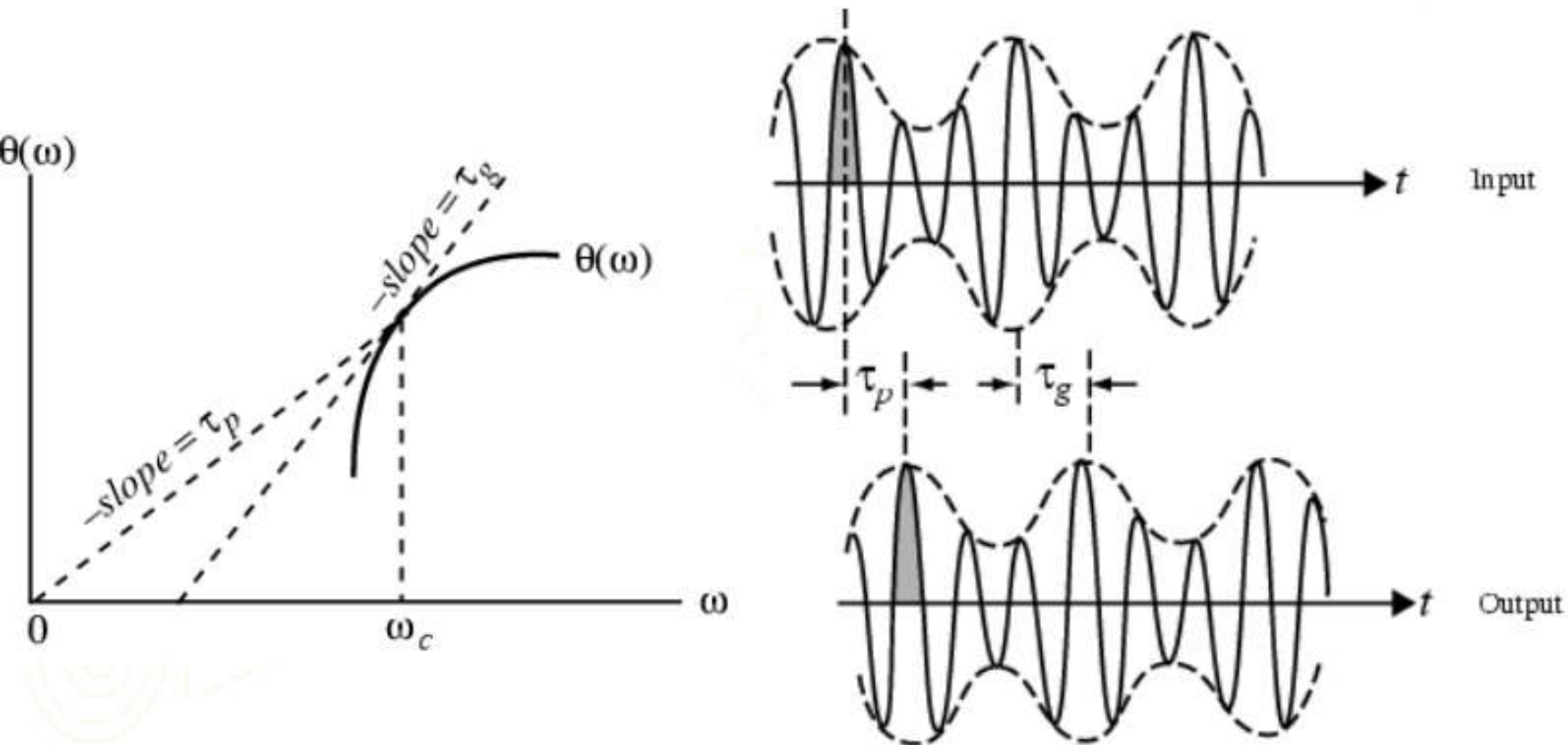
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- 1. Phase
  - Calculate phase response of a system
  - Classification according to phase response
- 2. Magnitude
  - Calculate magnitude response of a system
  - Classification according to magnitude response
- 3. Linear-phase FIR filters
  - Type I, II, III and IV
    - Zeroes locations
    - Magnitude responses

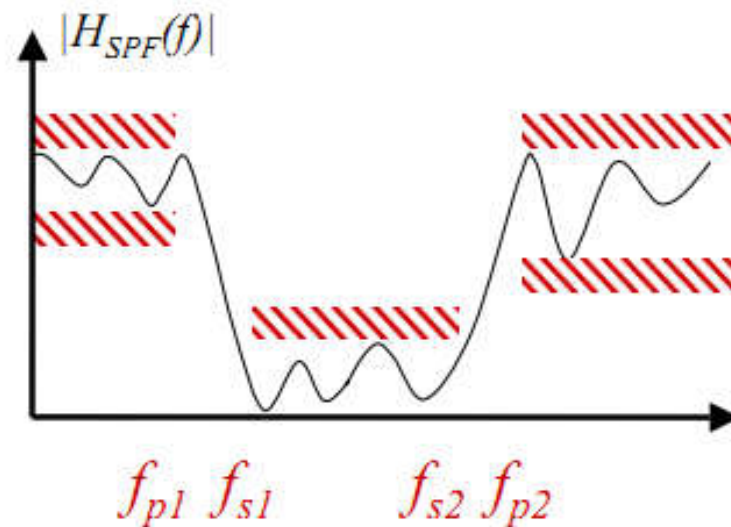
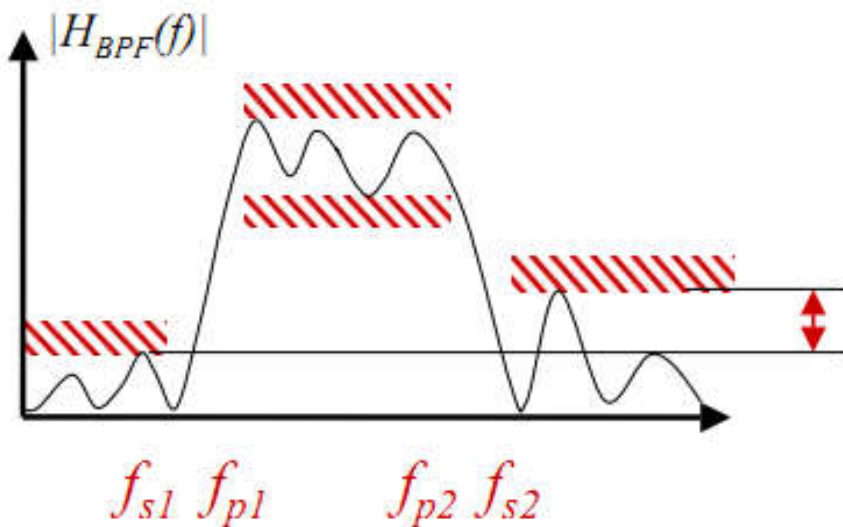
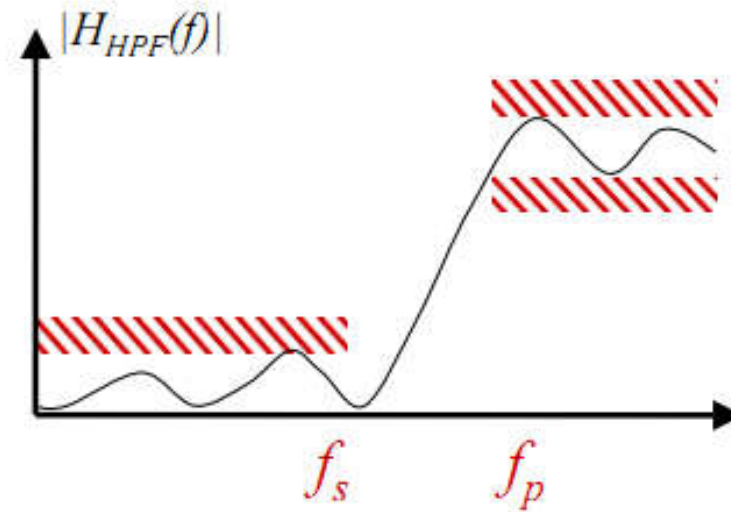
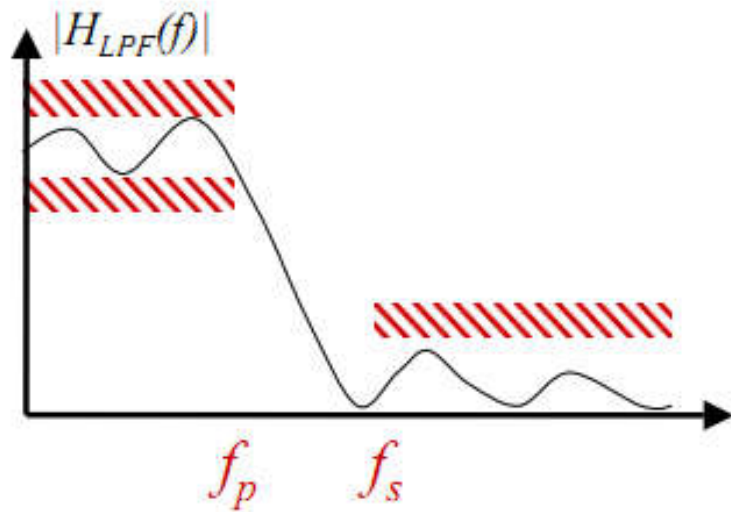


## 12.1 Phase delay and group delay

- Note that both phase delay and group delay are slopes of the phase function, just defined slightly differently

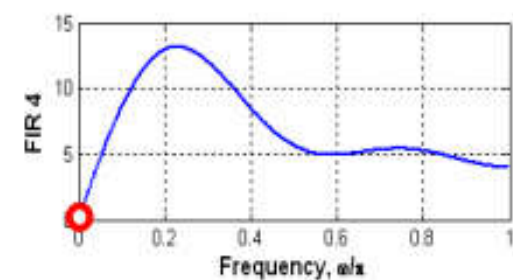
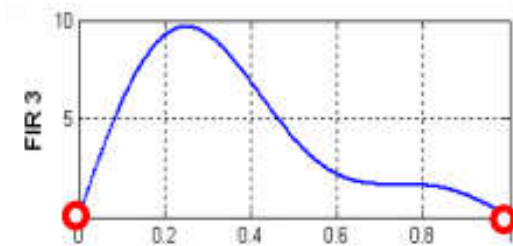
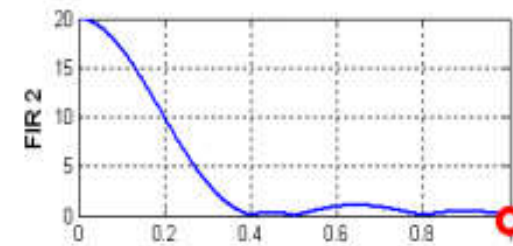
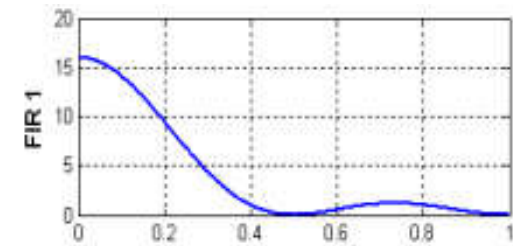


## 12.2 LPF, HPF, BPF and BSF



## 12.3 Zero locations of the linear-phase FIR filters

- The presence of zeroes at  $z = \pm 1$  leads to some limitations on the use of these linear-phase transfer functions for designing frequency-selective filters
  - A Type 2 FIR filter cannot be used to design a highpass filter since it always has a zero at  $z = -1$
  - A Type 3 FIR filter has zeroes at both  $z = 1$  and  $z = -1$ , and hence cannot be used to design either a lowpass or a highpass or a bandstop filter
  - A Type 4 FIR filter is not appropriate to design a lowpass filter due to the presence of a zero at  $z = 1$
  - Type 1 FIR filter has no such restrictions and can be used to design almost any type of filter



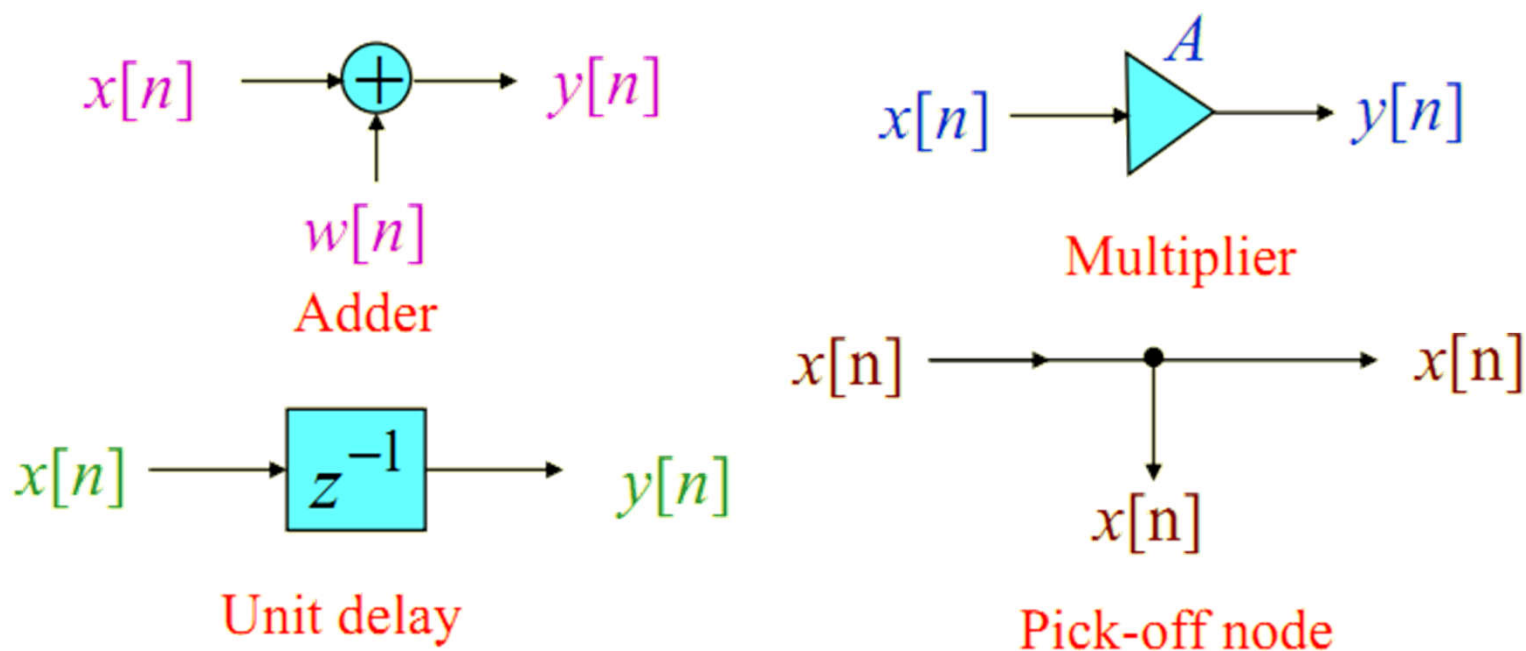
# Lecture 13 Filter Structures

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- 1. Two ways
  - Block diagram
  - Signal flow chart
- 2. From math expressions to graphs
  - From CCLDE
  - From transfer function
- 3. From graphs to math expressions

## 13.1 Basic building blocks

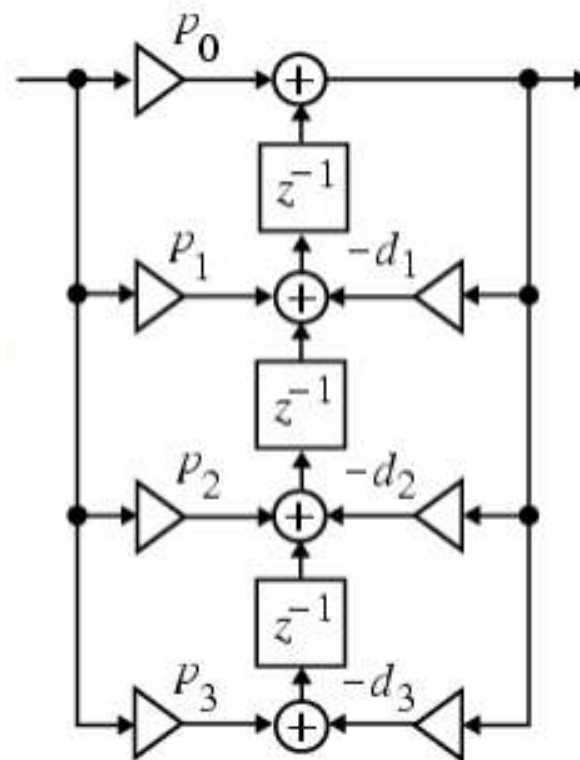
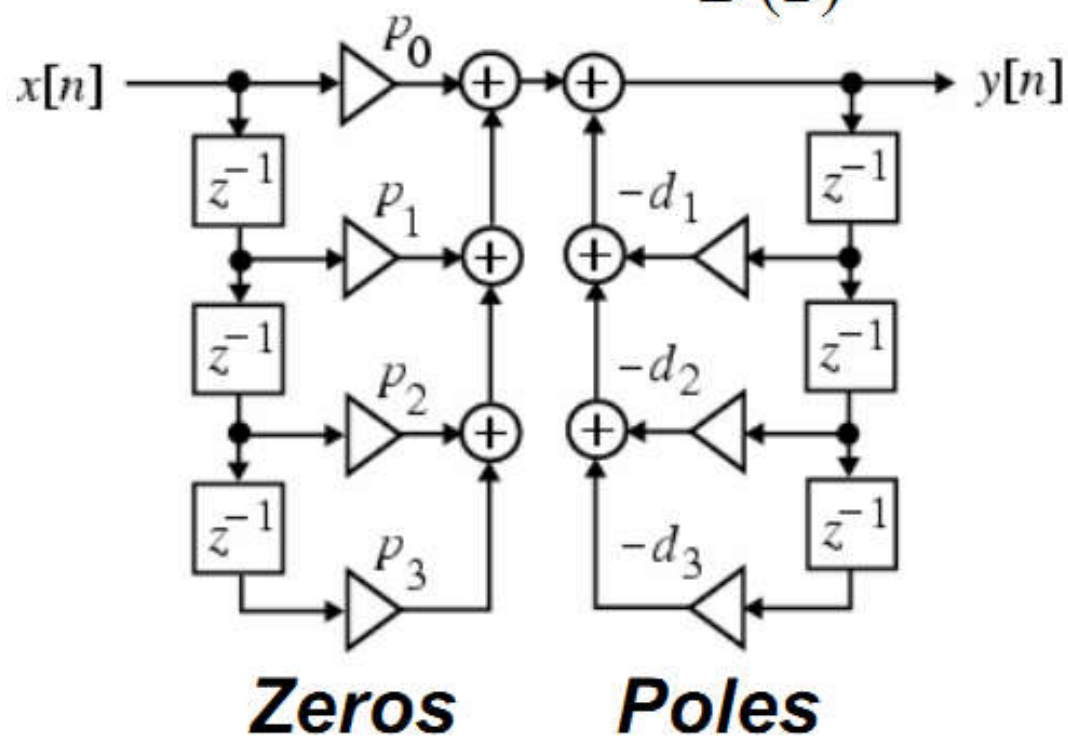
- The computational algorithm of an LTI digital filter can be conveniently represented in block diagram form using the basic building blocks:





## 13.2 Drawing

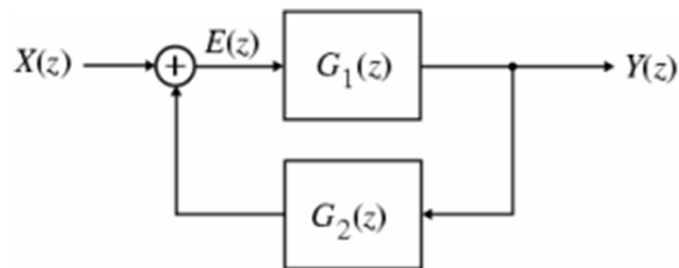
$$H(z) = P(z) \cdot \frac{1}{D(z)}$$





## 13.3 From graphs to math expressions

- Given a block diagram, the filter implemented by that diagram can be obtained by
  - writing down the input / output equations on key points of the block diagram;
  - eliminating the internal variables;
  - finally obtaining the main input / output expression.
- Example: consider the single-loop feedback structure:



# Lecture 14 FIR Filters

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- 1. Linear-phase FIR filters
  - In lecture 12
- 2. FIR filter design
  - Window method

## 14.2 FIR Filter Design

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- This is the basic, straightforward approach to FIR filter design:
  - Step 1: Start with an ideal filter that meets the design criteria, say a filter  $H_d(\omega)$
  - Step 2: Take the inverse DTFT of this  $H_d(\omega)$  to obtain  $h_d[n]$ .
    - This  $h_d[n]$  will be double infinitely long, and non-causal  $\rightarrow$  unrealizable
  - Step 3: Truncate using a window, say a rectangle, so that  $2M+1$  coefficients of  $h_d[n]$  are retained, and all the others are discarded.
    - We now have a finite length (order  $2M$ ) filter,  $h_t[n]$ , however, it is still non-causal
  - Step 4: Shift the truncated  $h_t[n]$  to the right (i.e., delay) by  $M$  samples, so that the first sample now occurs at  $n=0$ .
    - The resulting impulse response,  $h_t[n-M]$  is a causal, stable, FIR filter, which has an almost identical magnitude response and a phase factor of  $e^{-j\omega M}$  compared to the original filter, due to delay introduced.

# Lecture 15 IIR Filters

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- 1. Bilinear Transformation
  - Frequency warping
- 2. Analogue Filters
  - Butterworth filter
- 3. IIR Filter Design
  - Frequency prewar
  - Find  $H(s)$
  - $H(s) \Rightarrow H(z)$  by using bilinear transformation

# 15.1 Bilinear transformation

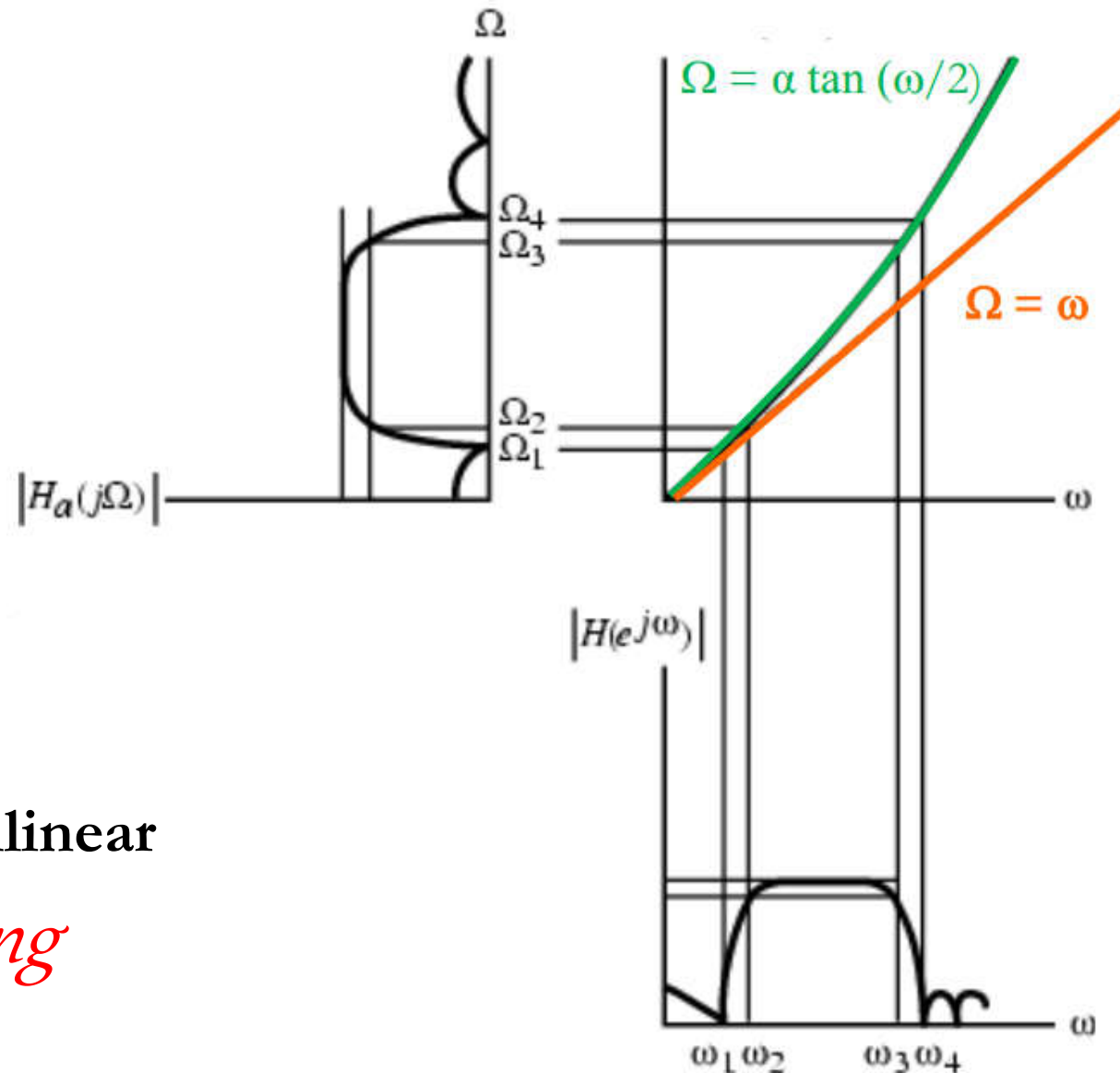
- Since, the frequency response is defined on the unit circle,

$$z = e^{j\omega} \Leftrightarrow s = j\Omega$$

$$s = \frac{2}{T_s} \left( \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{1 + z^{-1}} \right)$$

$$j\Omega = \frac{2}{T_s} \left( \frac{1 - e^{-j\omega}}{1 + e^{-j\omega}} \right)$$

$$\Omega = \frac{2}{T_s} \tan \frac{\omega}{2} \Leftrightarrow \omega = 2 \tan^{-1} \frac{\Omega T_s}{2}$$



This mapping is (highly) nonlinear

*=> Frequency warping*

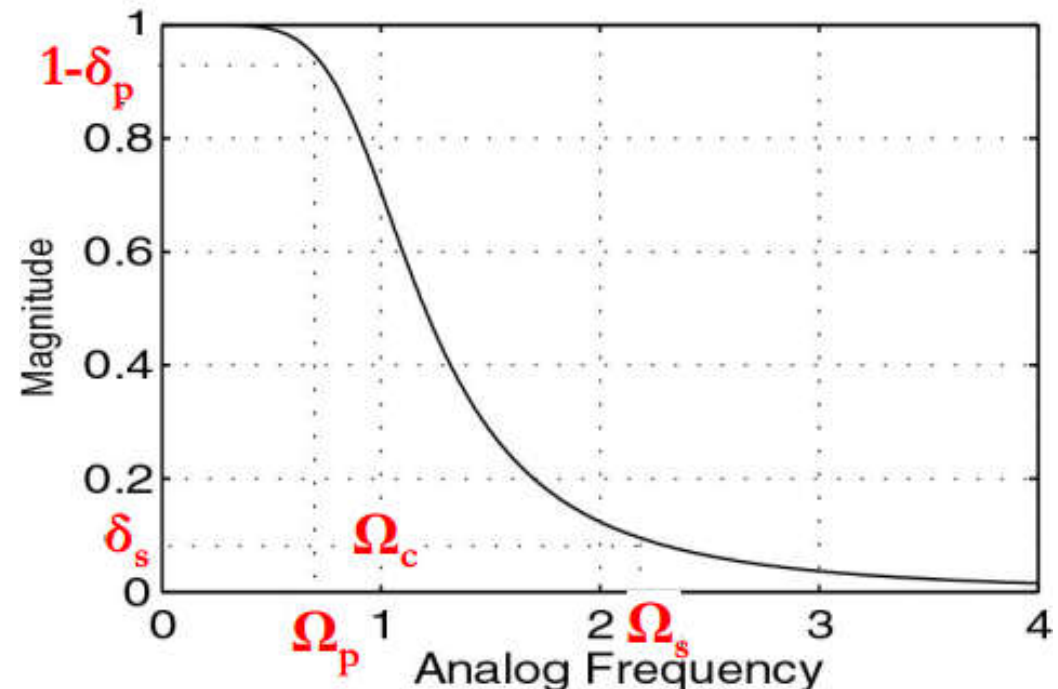


# 15.2 Butterworth Filter Design

- Two parameters completely characterizing a Butterworth lowpass filter are  $\Omega_c$  and  $N$
- To design a Butterworth filter, we thus need to find out  $\Omega_c$  and  $N$ . They are determined from the specified band edges  $\Omega_p$  and  $\Omega_s$ , and minimum passband magnitude  $1 - \delta_p$ , and maximum stopband ripple  $\delta_s$ .

$$H_a(s) = \frac{\Omega_c^N}{\prod_{l=1}^N (s - p_l)}$$

where  $p_l = \Omega_c e^{j\frac{\pi(2l+1+N)}{2N}}$



## 15.3 Designing Procedure

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- 1. Prewarp  $\omega_p$ ,  $\omega_s$  to find their analog equivalents  $\Omega_p$ ,  $\Omega_s$ ;
- 2. Design the analog filter: Determine N and  $\Omega_c$ :
  - a) From  $\delta_p$ ,  $\delta_s$ ,  $\Omega_p$  and  $\Omega_s$  obtain the order of the filter N
    - Note that the order N must be integer, so the value obtained from this expression must be rounded up to exceed the specifications
  - Use N,  $\delta_p$ , and  $\Omega_p$  to calculate the 3dB cutoff frequency  $\Omega_c$
  - Determine the corresponding  $H(s)$  and its poles
- 3. Apply bilinear transformation to obtain  $H(z)$

# Next lecture

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- Tomorrow we will give some information of the final exam
- Q/A
  - Prepare some questions if you had any