# Speech Signal Preprocessing

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#### **Speech Signal Detrend**

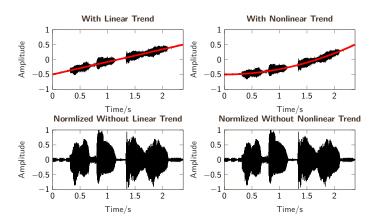
```
1  y = detrend(x);
2  % Bulit-in function in MATLAB
3  % Remove linear trend
4  % x: Signal with linear trend
5  % y: Signal without linear trend
```

```
function [y,xtrend] = detrendN(x, fs, m)
Remove linear and nonlinear trend
fs: Sample rate
fm: Highest fitting order

x = x(:);
N = length(x);
t = (0:N-1)'/fs; % Solve time sequence
a = polyfit(t, x, m); % Returns coefficients ...
for a polynomial x(t) of degree m

xtrend = polyval(a, t); % Returns polynomial ...
of coefficients a evaluated at t

y = x - xtrend;
end
```



#### **Digital Filters Parameters**

- $W_p$ : Passband cutoff frequency,  $0 < W_p < 1$
- $W_s$ : Stopband cutoff frequency,  $0 < W_s < 1$
- $R_p$ : Passband ripple factor
- R<sub>s</sub>: Stopband ripple factor

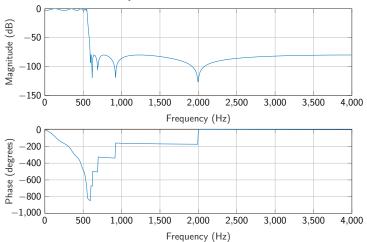
#### **Digital Filters Calculating**

- Butterworth: [n, Wn] = buttord(Wp, Ws, Rp, Rs);
   [m, Wn] = butter(n, Wn, 'ftype')
- Chebyshev Type I: [n, Wn] = cheb1ord(Wp, Ws, Rp, Rs); [n, Wn] = chebv1(n, Rp, Wn, 'ftype')
- Chebyshev Type I: [n, Wn] = cheb2ord(Wp, Ws, Rp, Rs); [n, Wn] = chebv2(n, Rp, Wn, 'ftype')
- Chebyshev Type I: [n, Wn] = ellipord(Wp, Ws, Rp, Rs); [n, Wn] = ellip(n, Rp, Wn, 'ftype')

#### MATALB Code Example

```
1 % Elliptic filter design
2 clc
3 clear all
4 fs=8000;
5 wp=550*2/fs;
6 ws=500*2/fs;
7 rp=3;
8 rs=80;
9 Nn=512; % Number of evaluation points
10 [n,wn]=ellipord(wp,ws,rp,rs);
11 [b,a]=ellip(n,rp,rs,wn);
12 freqz(b,a,Nn,fs);
```

## **MATALB Plot Example**



#### **Pre-emphasising**

Enhancing component and SNR in high frequency when transmission

$$y = filter([1,-0.95],1,x);$$

# **Pre-emphasising Removal**

```
y = filter(1,[1,-0.95],x);
```

## Pre-emphasising Example

