## prelab2

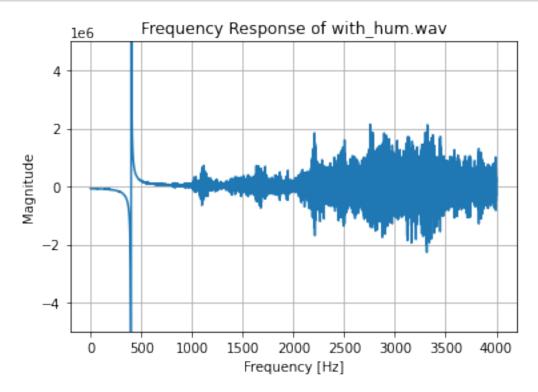
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[29]: # imports
      import os
      print(os.getcwd())
      from scipy.io.wavfile import read
      from scipy import signal
      from IPython.display import Audio
      %matplotlib inline
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      import numpy as np
     c:\Users\flaco\Documents\ClassRepos\ECE420\Lab2\prelab
[30]: # read with_hum data
      with_hum_sampling_rate, with_hum_data = read('with_hum.wav')
      print("Sampling rate of {} Hz".format(with_hum_sampling_rate))
      Audio('with_hum.wav')
     Sampling rate of 8000 Hz
[30]: <IPython.lib.display.Audio object>
[31]: # read without hum data
      without_hum_sampling_rate, without_hum_data = read('without_hum.wav')
      print("Sampling rate of {} Hz".format(without_hum_sampling_rate))
      Audio('without hum.wav')
     Sampling rate of 8000 Hz
[31]: <IPython.lib.display.Audio object>
     0.1 Part 2 - Frequency Response
[32]: # plotting with hum data in the frequency domain
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spectrum = np.fft.rfft(with\_hum\_data) # only care about the real part
freq axis = np.linspace(0, with hum sampling rate/2, len(spectrum))

plt.plot(freq\_axis, spectrum)

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plt.grid(True)
plt.title("Frequency Response of with_hum.wav")
plt.ylim(-0.5e7, 0.5e7) # to get better view of viable content
plt.xlabel("Frequency [Hz]")
plt.ylabel("Magnitude")
plt.show()
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## 0.2 Part 3 - Notch Filter Design

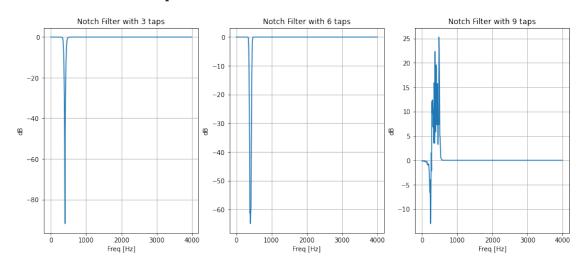
We want to filter out the 400 Hz humming interference out from the with\_hum.wav so we want to design a bandstop filter that will surpress signals around that frequency.

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[33]: #Utility function for dB scaling of magnitude spectra
def sig2db(mag_spec):
    return 20*np.log10(mag_spec)
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[34]: # other method https://swharden.com/blog/2020-09-23-signal-filtering-in-python/
# num_taps = 3 # orignal
num_taps = 9 # better but creates more coefficients
num = []
den = []
subplots = [131, 132, 133]
plt.figure(figsize=(15,6))
taps = [3, 6, 9]
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for i in range(len(taps)):
    num_taps = taps[i]
    b, a = signal.butter(num_taps, [350, 450], btype='bandstop',
    ofs=with_hum_sampling_rate)
    num.append(b)
    den.append(a)
    print("{} coefficients for {} taps".format(len(b), num_taps))
    w, h = signal.freqz(b, a, fs=with_hum_sampling_rate)
    plt.subplot(subplots[i])
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.title("Notch Filter with {} taps".format(num_taps))
    plt.xlabel("Freq [Hz]")
    plt.ylabel("dB")
    plt.plot(w, sig2db(abs(h)))
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7 coefficients for 3 taps 13 coefficients for 6 taps 19 coefficients for 9 taps



Brifely discribe your filter design. Why does your filter have the number of taps that it has? Could you achieve the same effect with less taps? What are the practical effects of using less taps? Answer: I tested out a few taps as seen above. I decided on settling with 3 for filtering in part 4. I chose 3 because it used less coeffecients and didn't appear unstable as when I chose 9 taps. Since the graphs looks similar for 3 and 6 taps, you can definitely achieve the same effect with less taps. The practical effects of using less taps is you save computational power and memory since you don't need to store as many coefficients.

## 0.3 Part 4 - Apply Filtering

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[36]: # applying the filter
      plt.figure(figsize=(15,6))
      b = num[0] # want to use filter created with most taps
      a = den[0]
      filtered = signal.lfilter(b, a, signal.lfilter(b, a, with hum data))
      freq_filtered = np.fft.rfft(filtered) # only plot the real part
      freq = np.linspace(0, with_hum_sampling_rate/2, len(freq_filtered))
      plt.subplot(121)
      plt.grid(True)
      plt.title("Filtered Audio with {} Taps".format(3))
      plt.xlabel("Freq [Hz]")
     plt.ylabel("Magnitude")
      plt.plot(freq, freq_filtered)
      b = num[1] # want to use filter created with most taps
      a = den[1]
      filtered = signal.lfilter(b, a, signal.lfilter(b, a, with hum data))
      freq_filtered = np.fft.rfft(filtered) # only plot the real part
      freq = np.linspace(0, with_hum_sampling_rate/2, len(freq_filtered))
      plt.subplot(122)
      plt.grid(True)
      plt.title("Filtered Audio with {} Taps".format(6))
      plt.xlabel("Freq [Hz]")
      plt.ylabel("Magnitude")
      plt.plot(freq, freq_filtered)
      Audio(filtered, rate=with_hum_sampling_rate) # audio with 9 taps
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## [36]: <IPython.lib.display.Audio object>

