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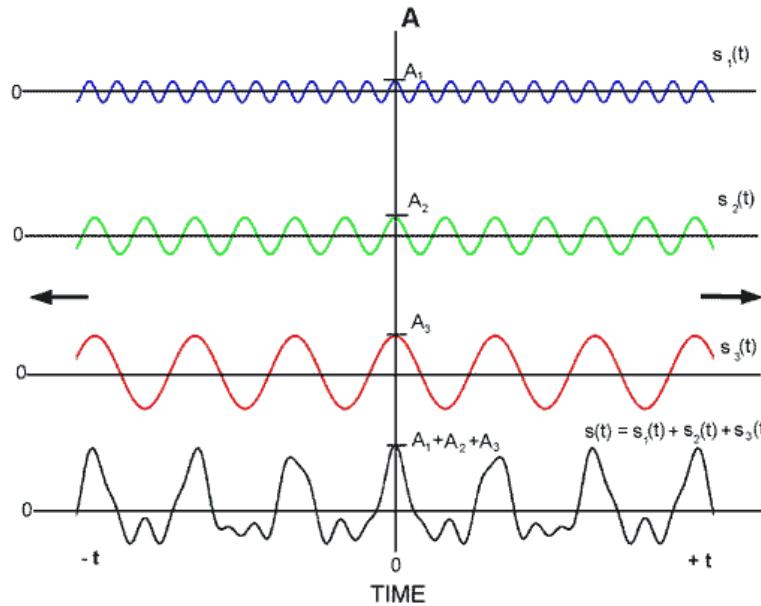
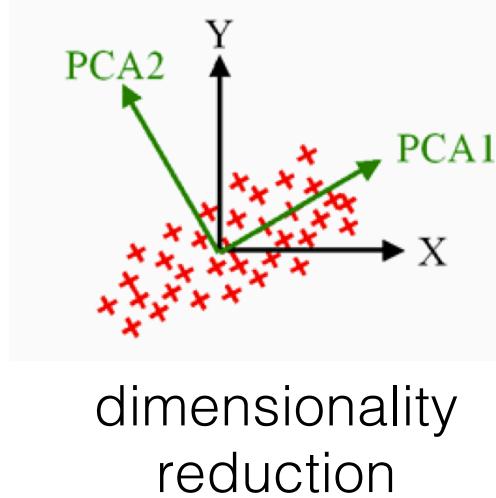
Lecture 4: Fourier Transforms, Filtering, and Convolutions

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Math Tools for Neuroscience

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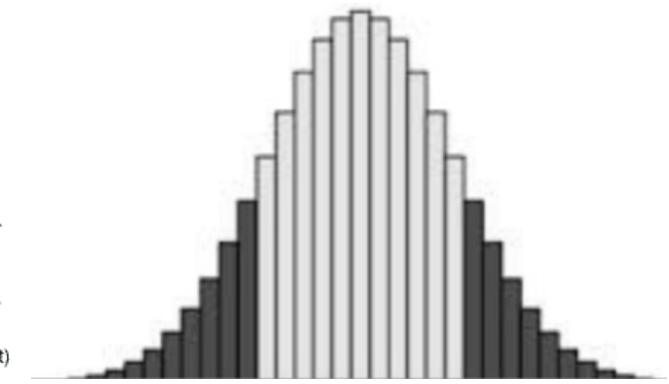


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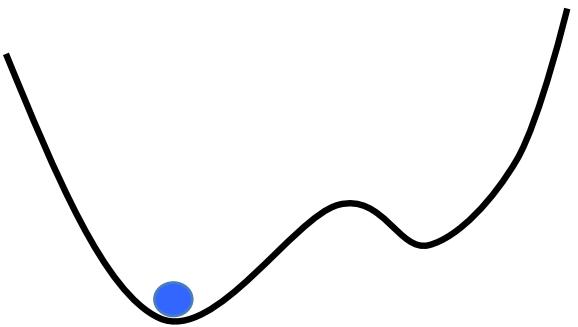
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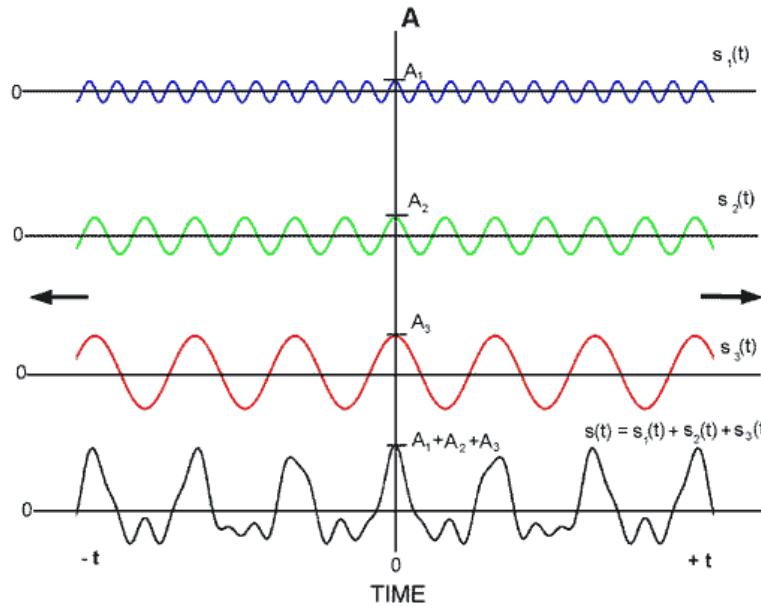
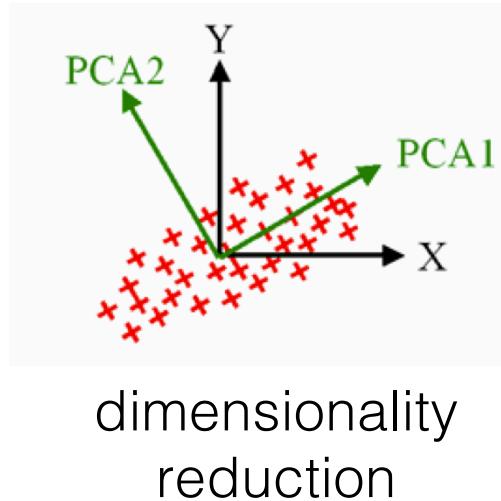


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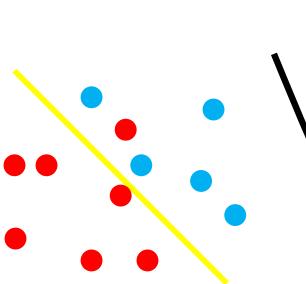


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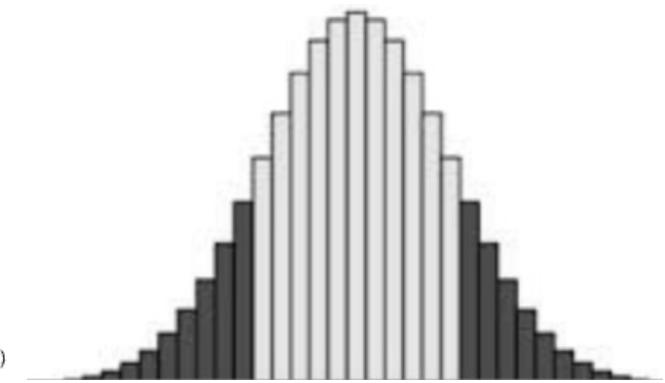
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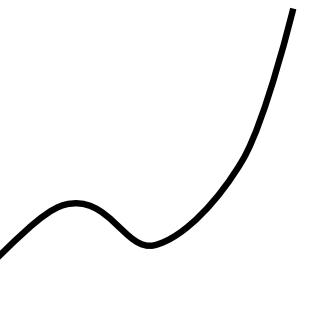
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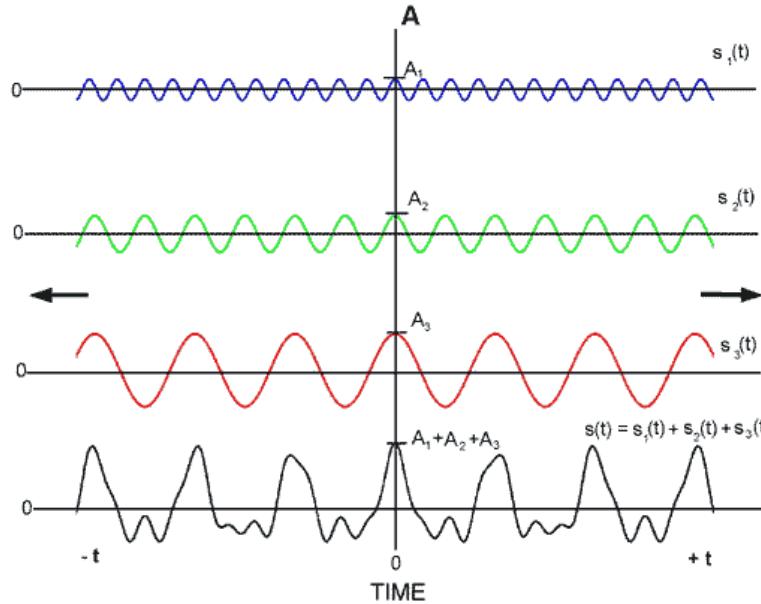
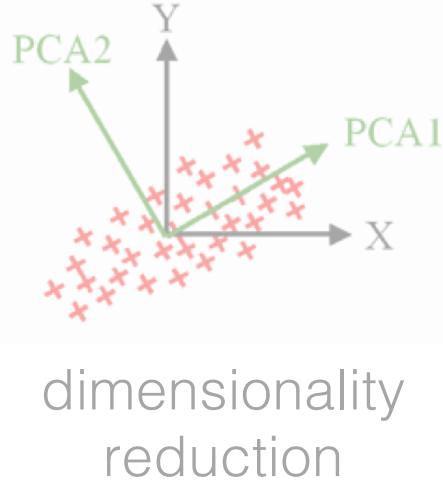


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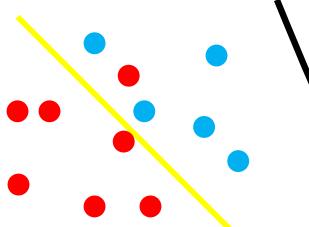


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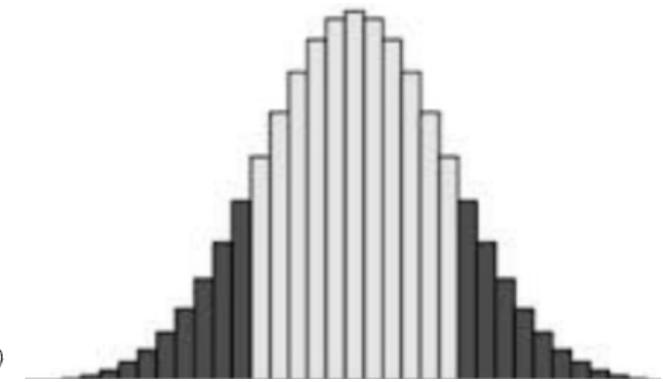
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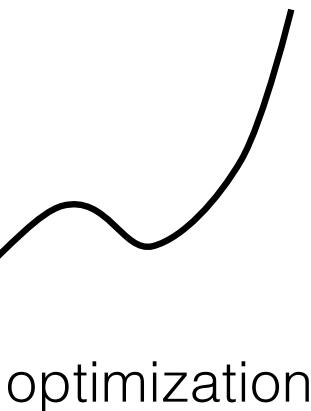
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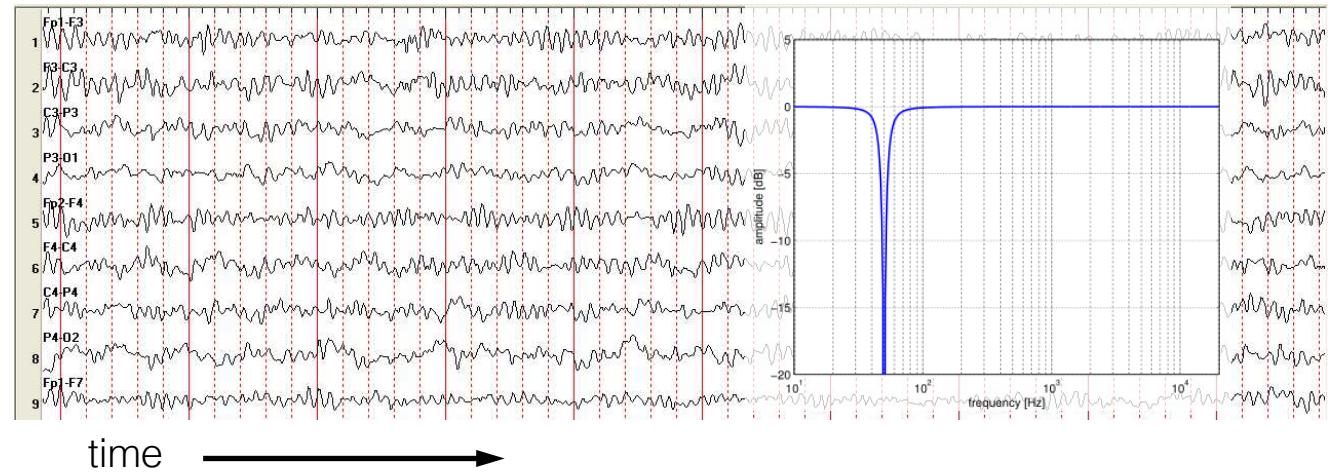


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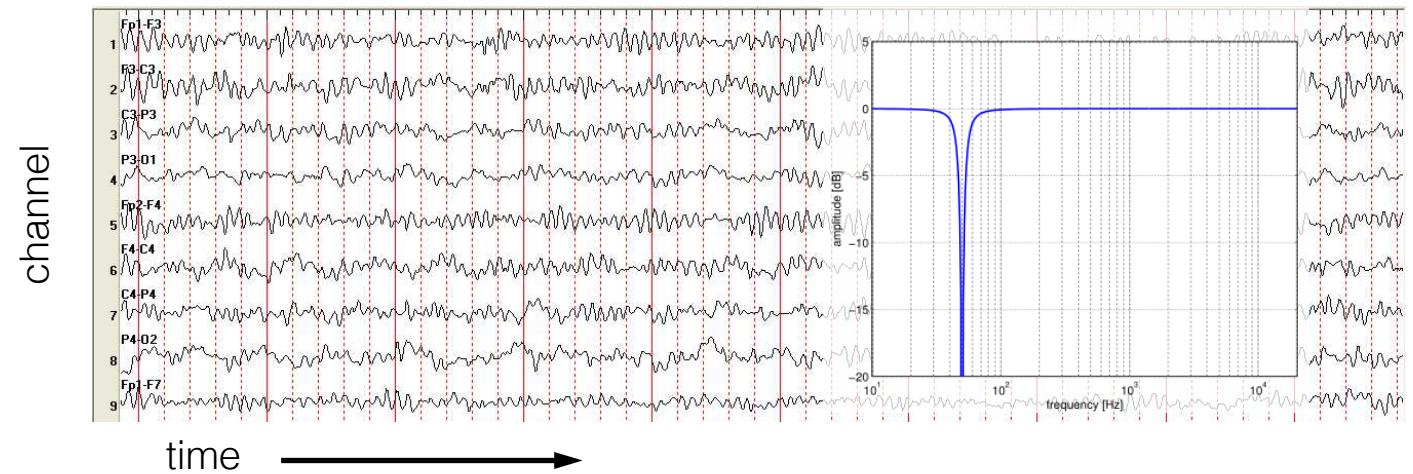


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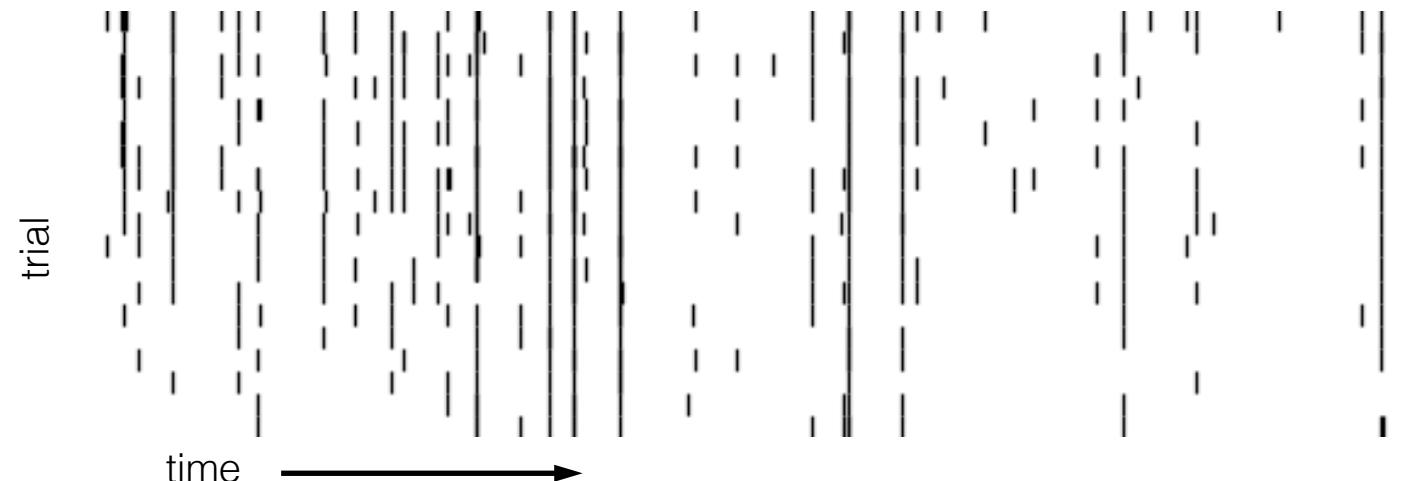
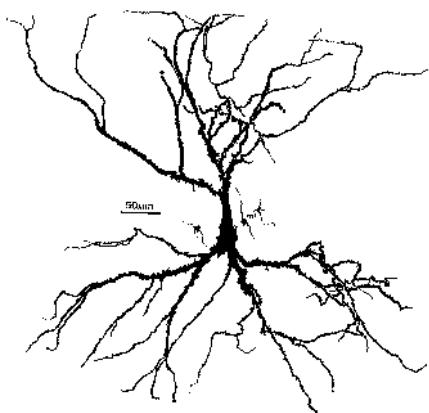


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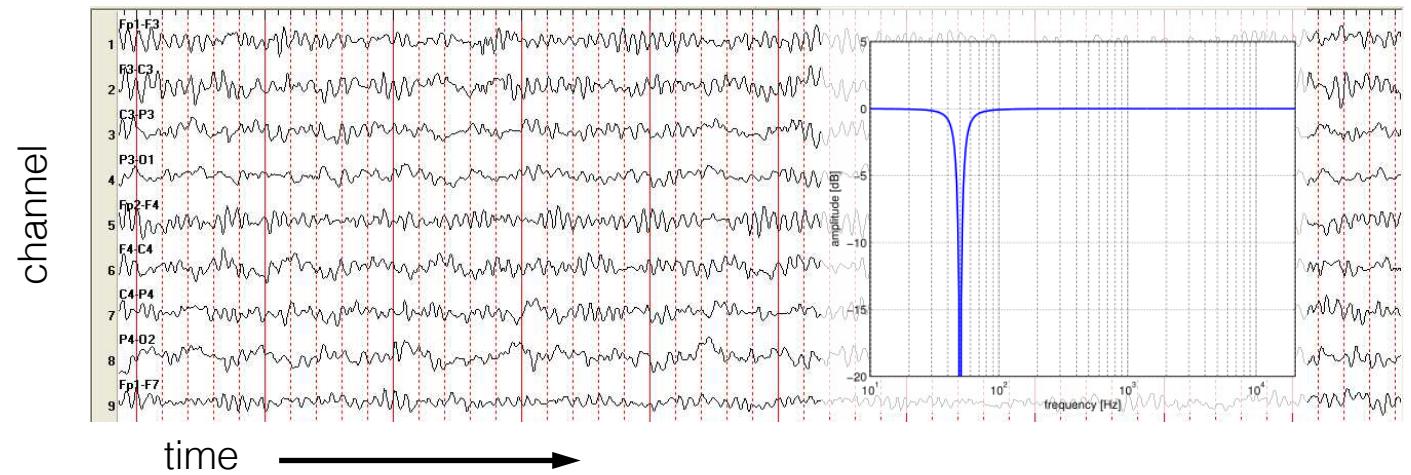


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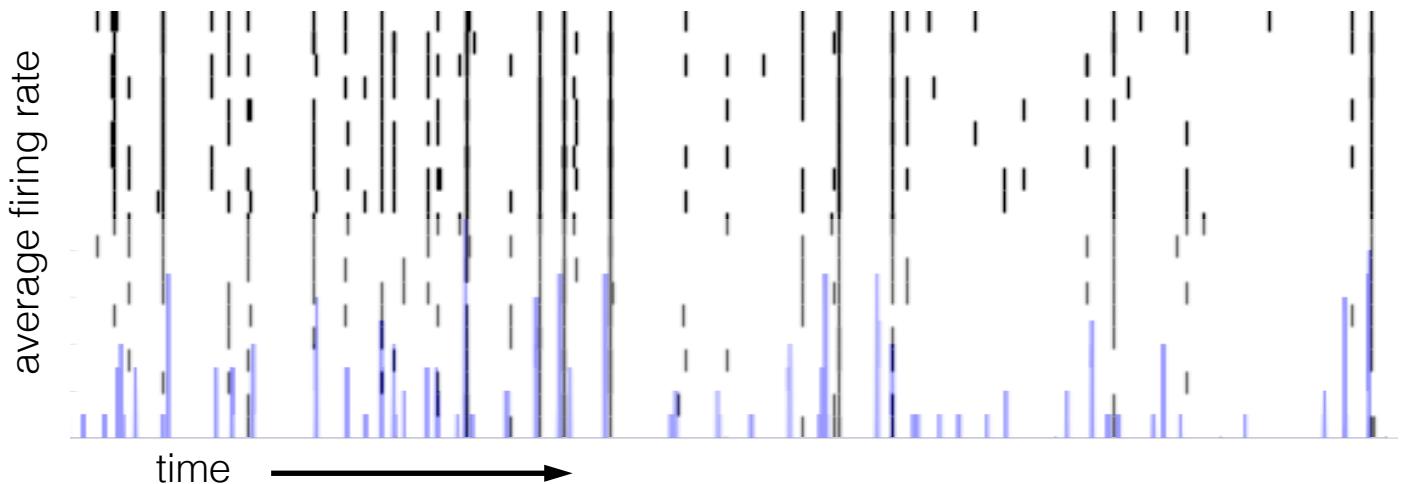
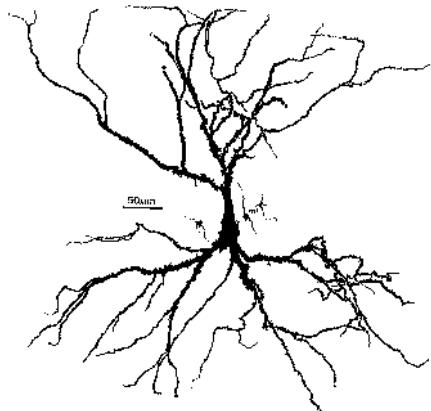


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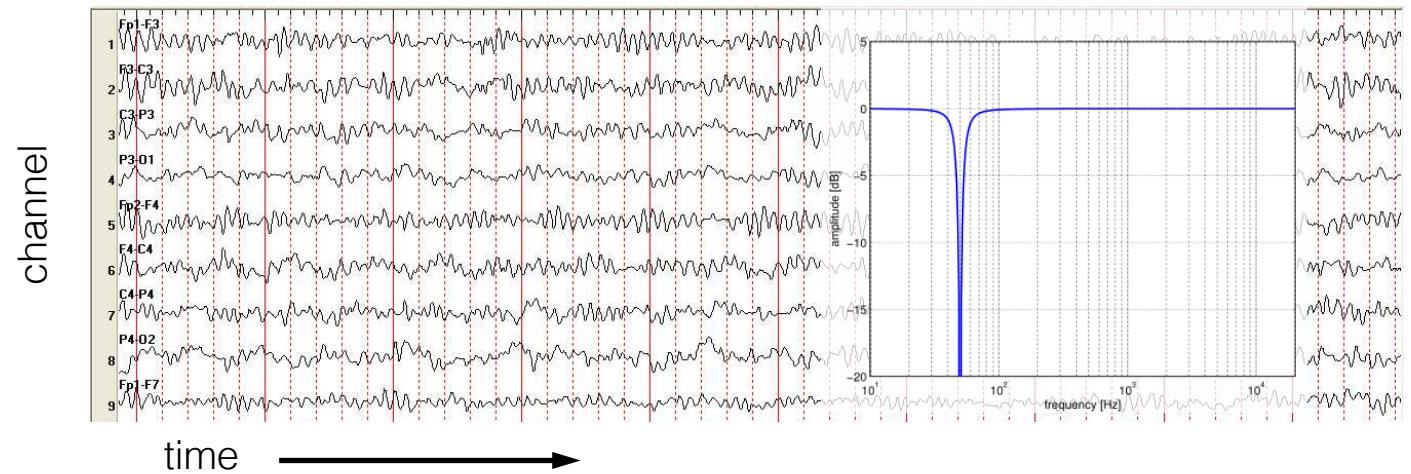


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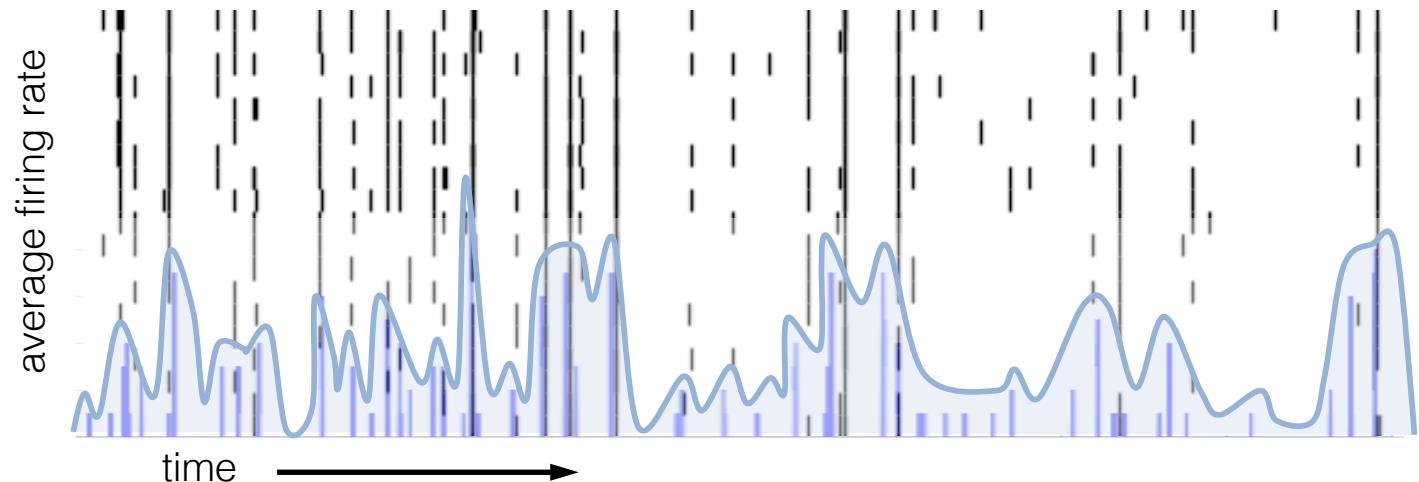
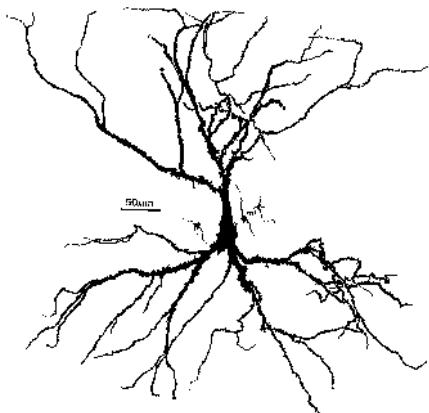


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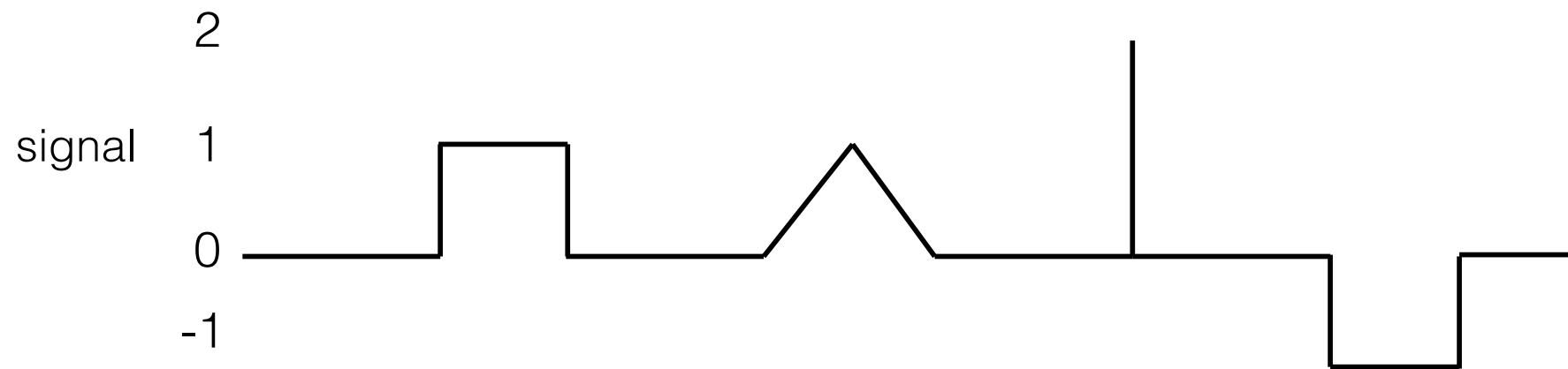
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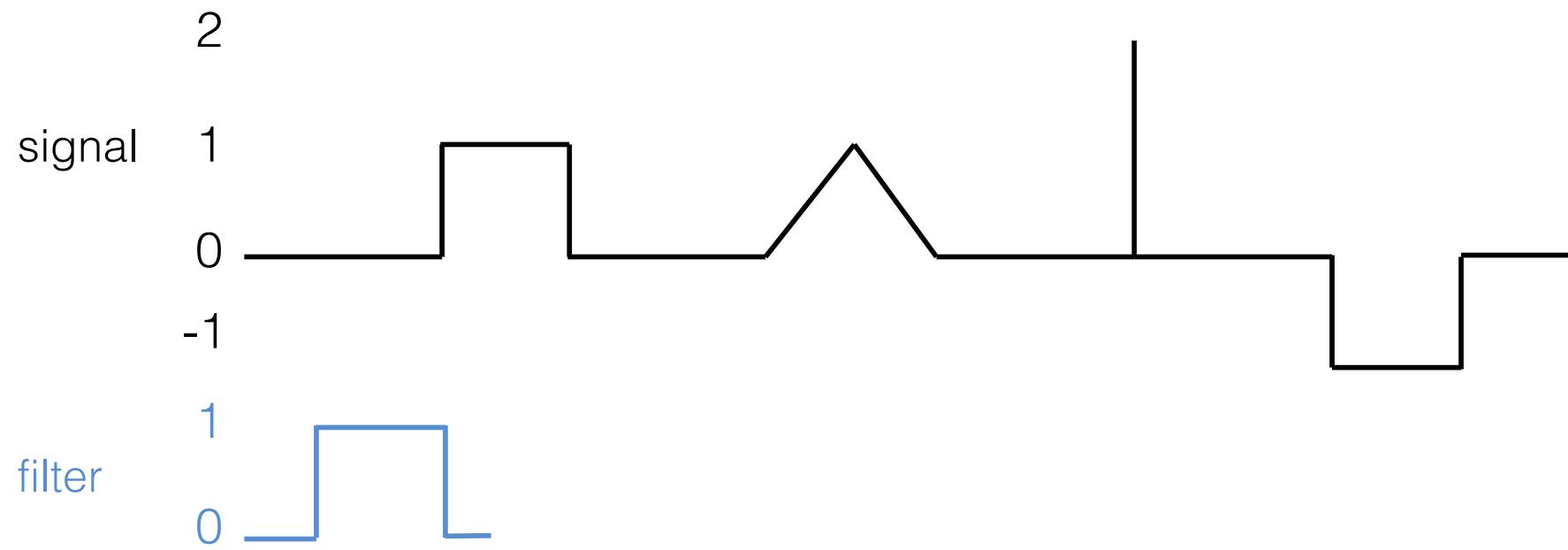
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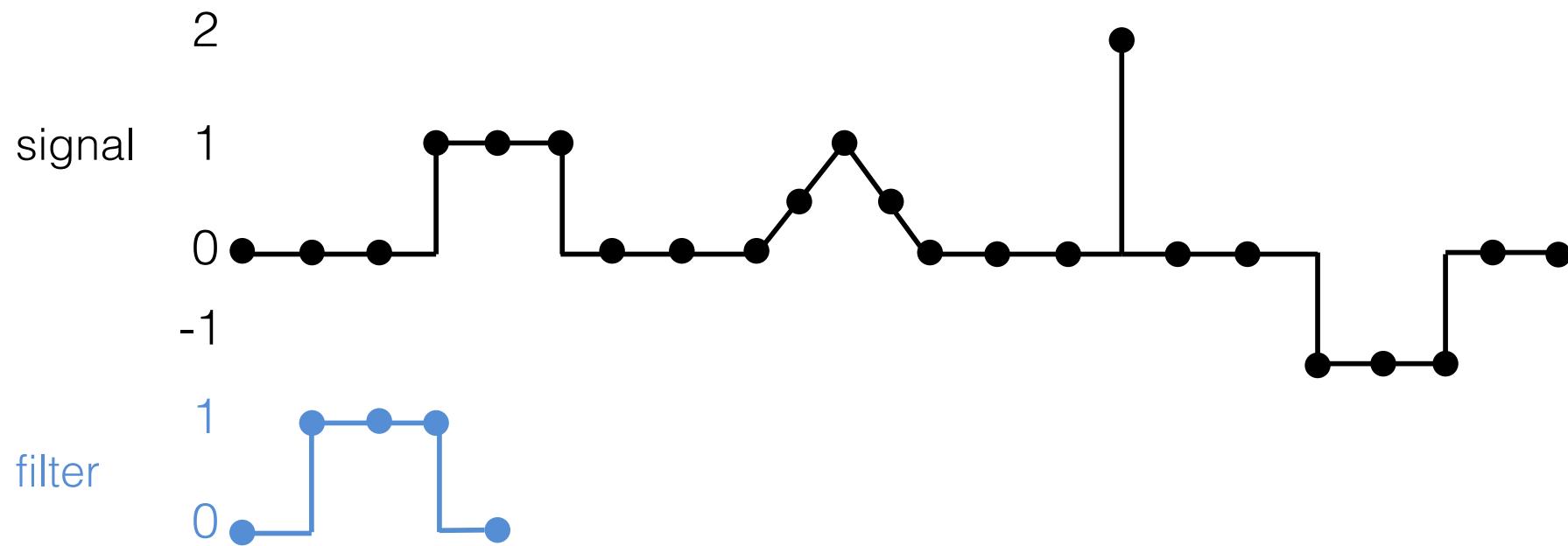
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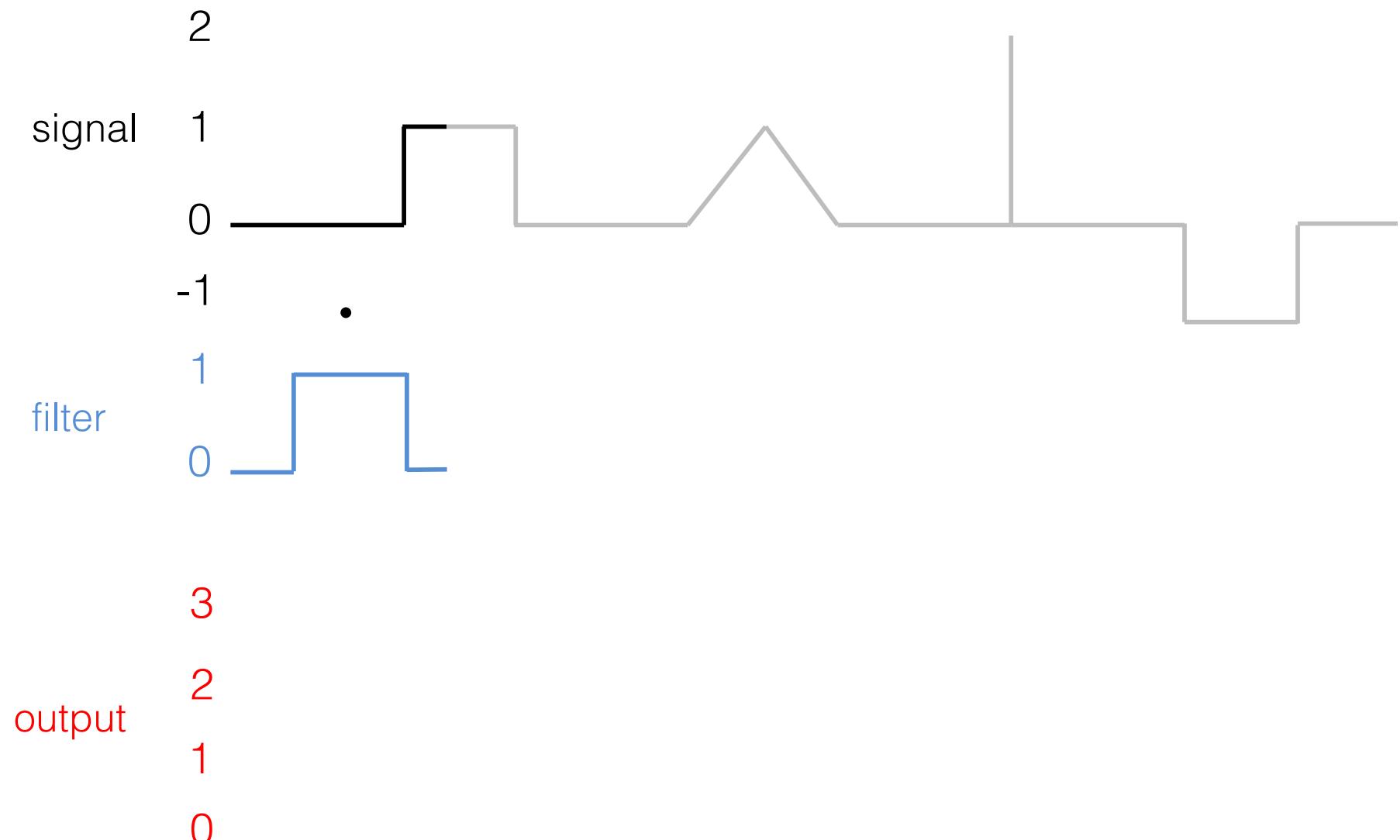
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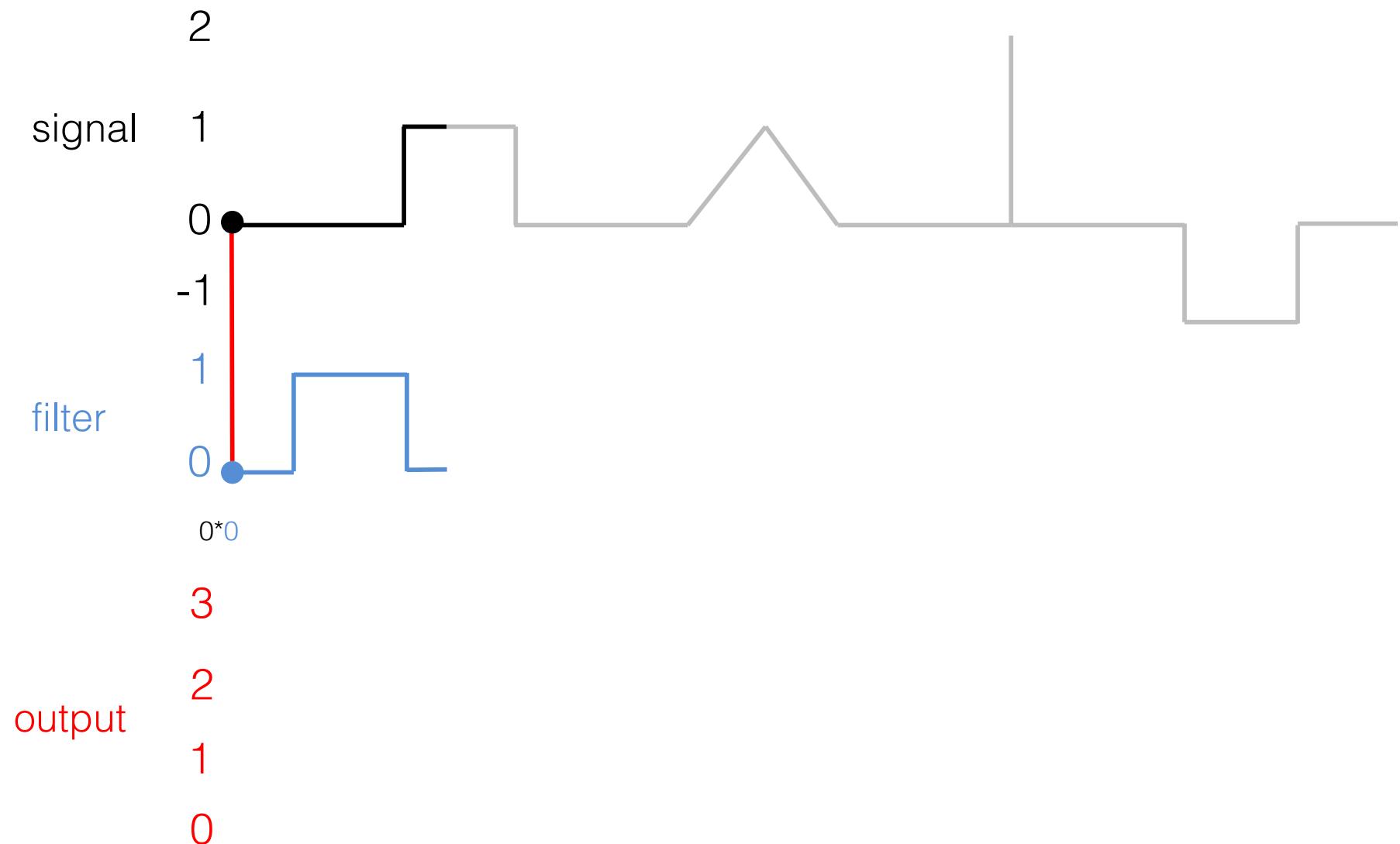


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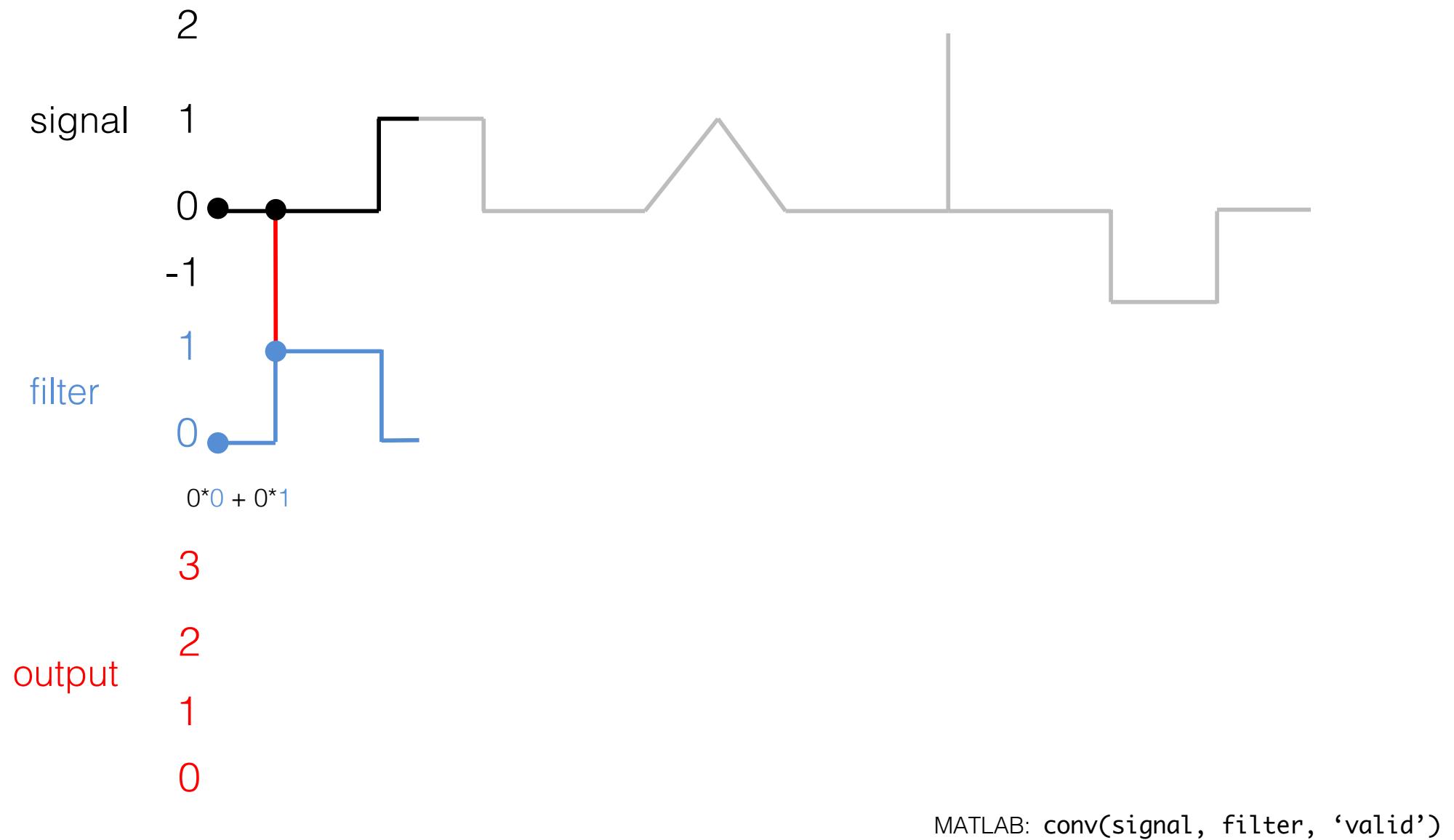
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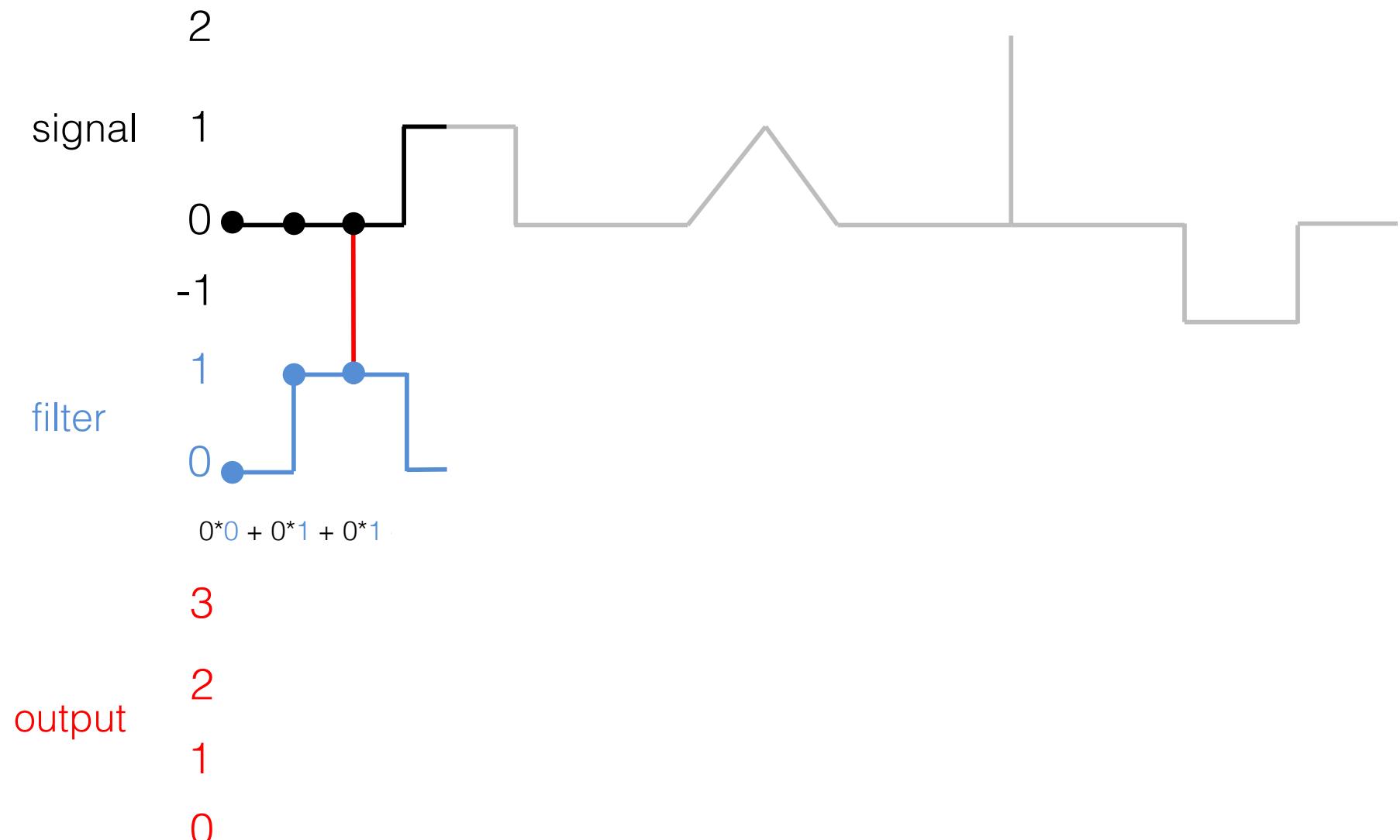


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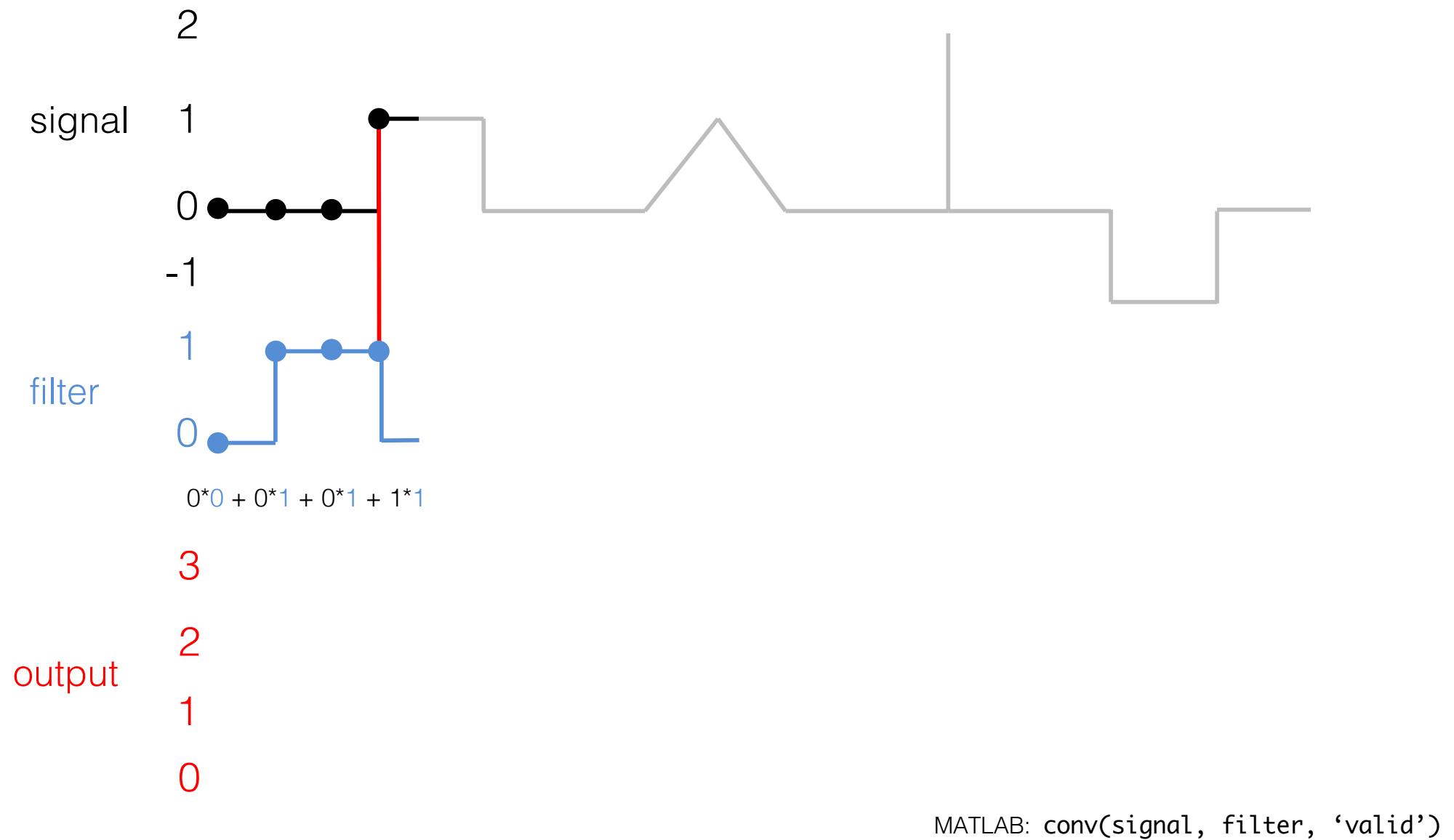


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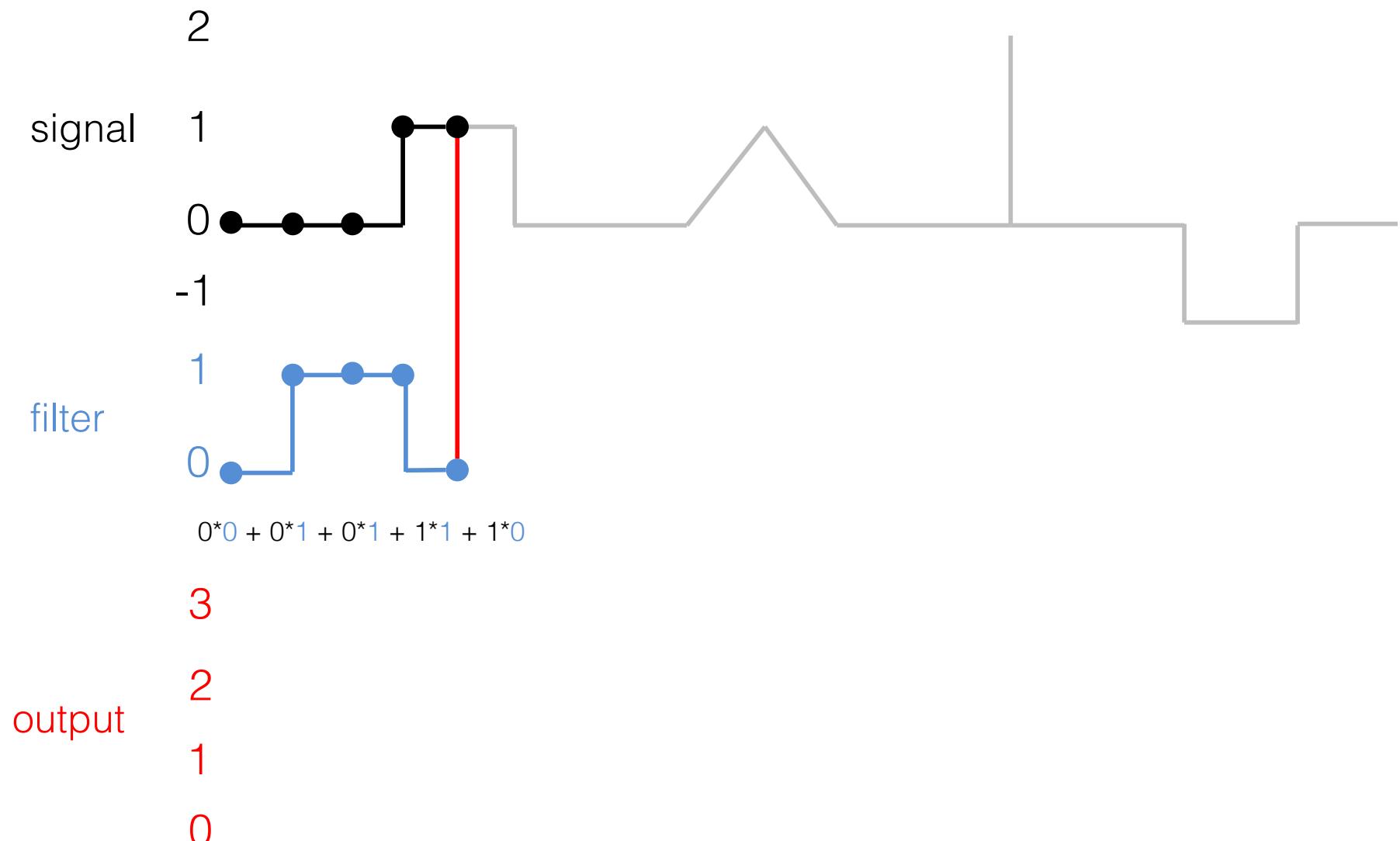


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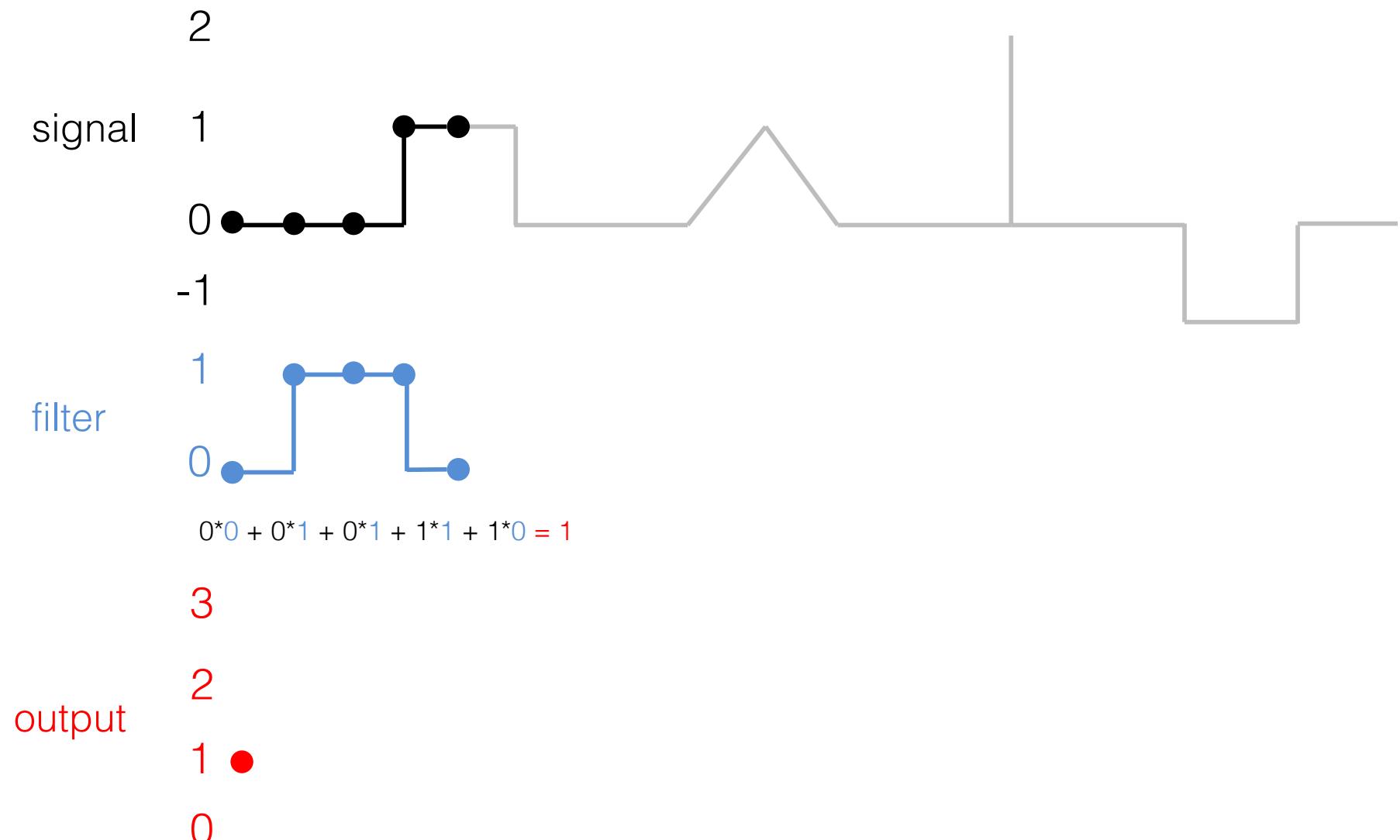


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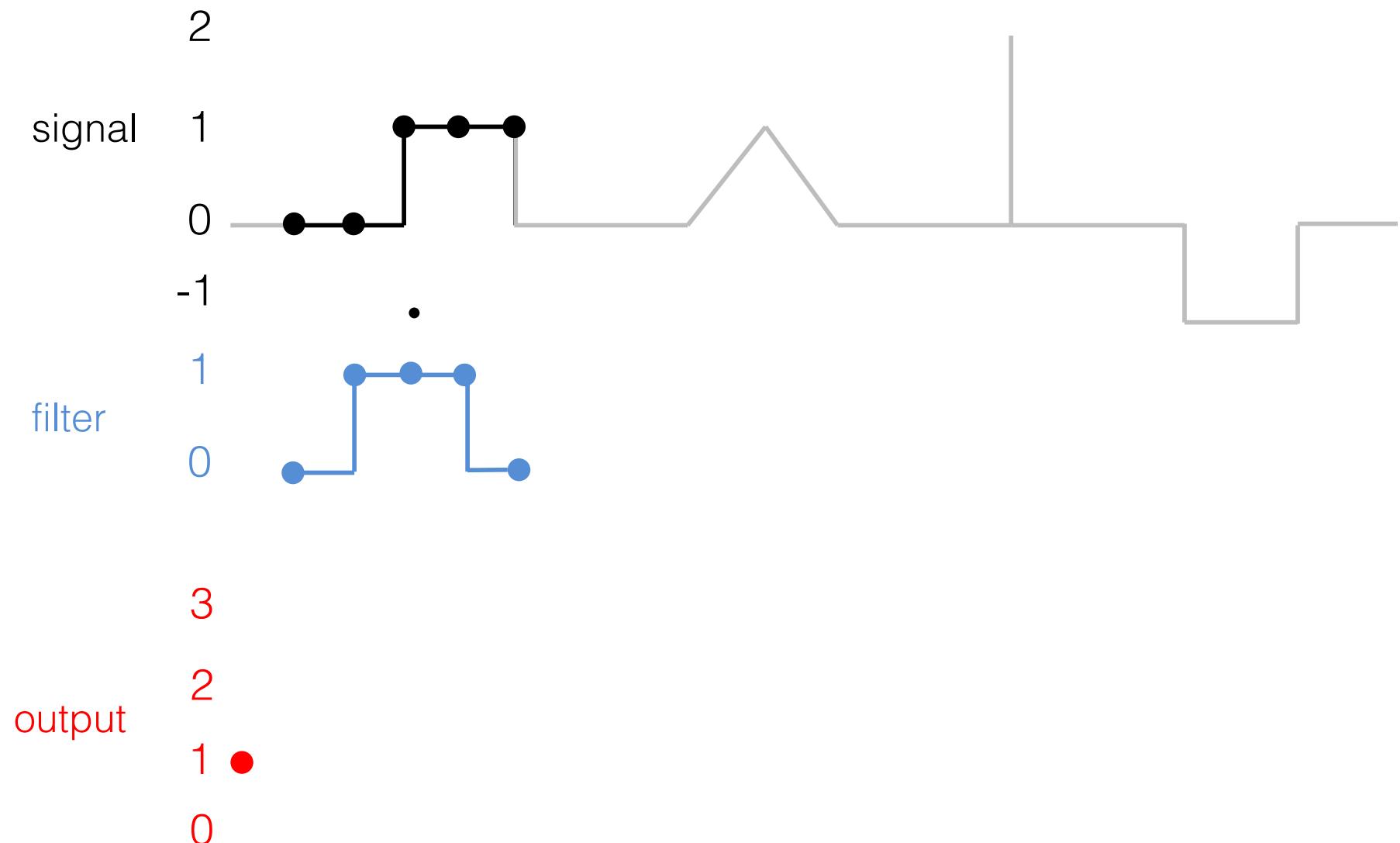
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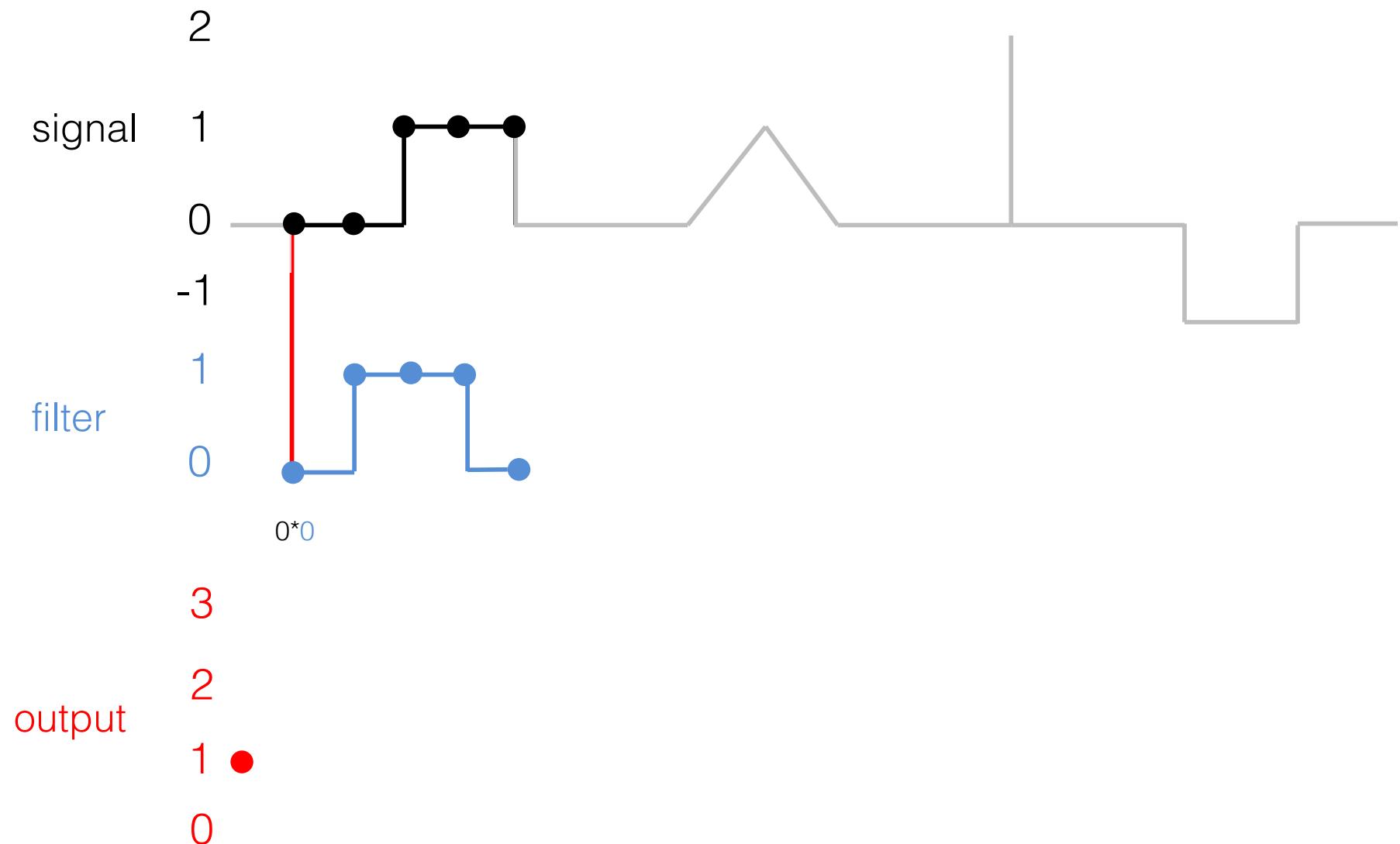
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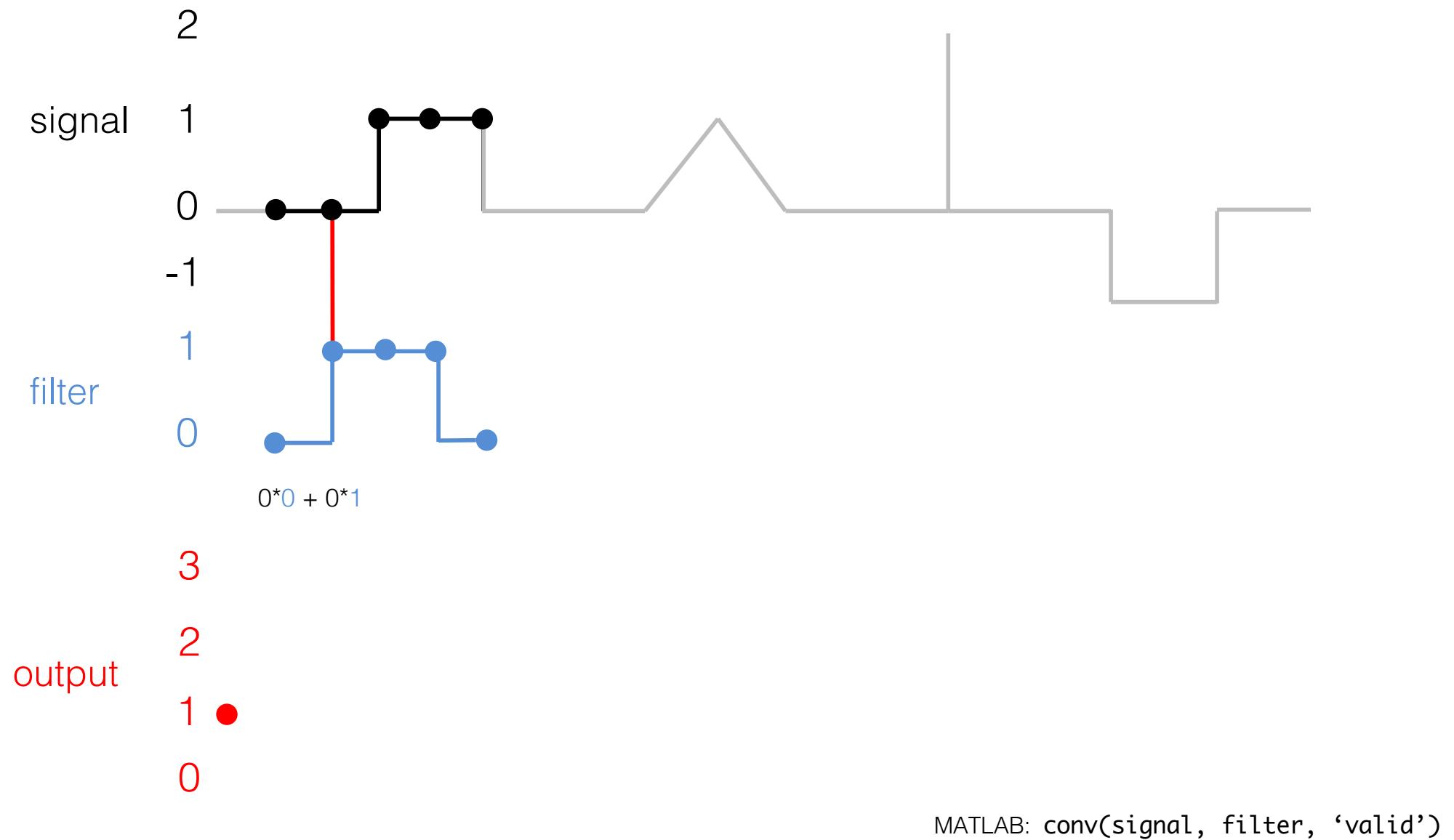


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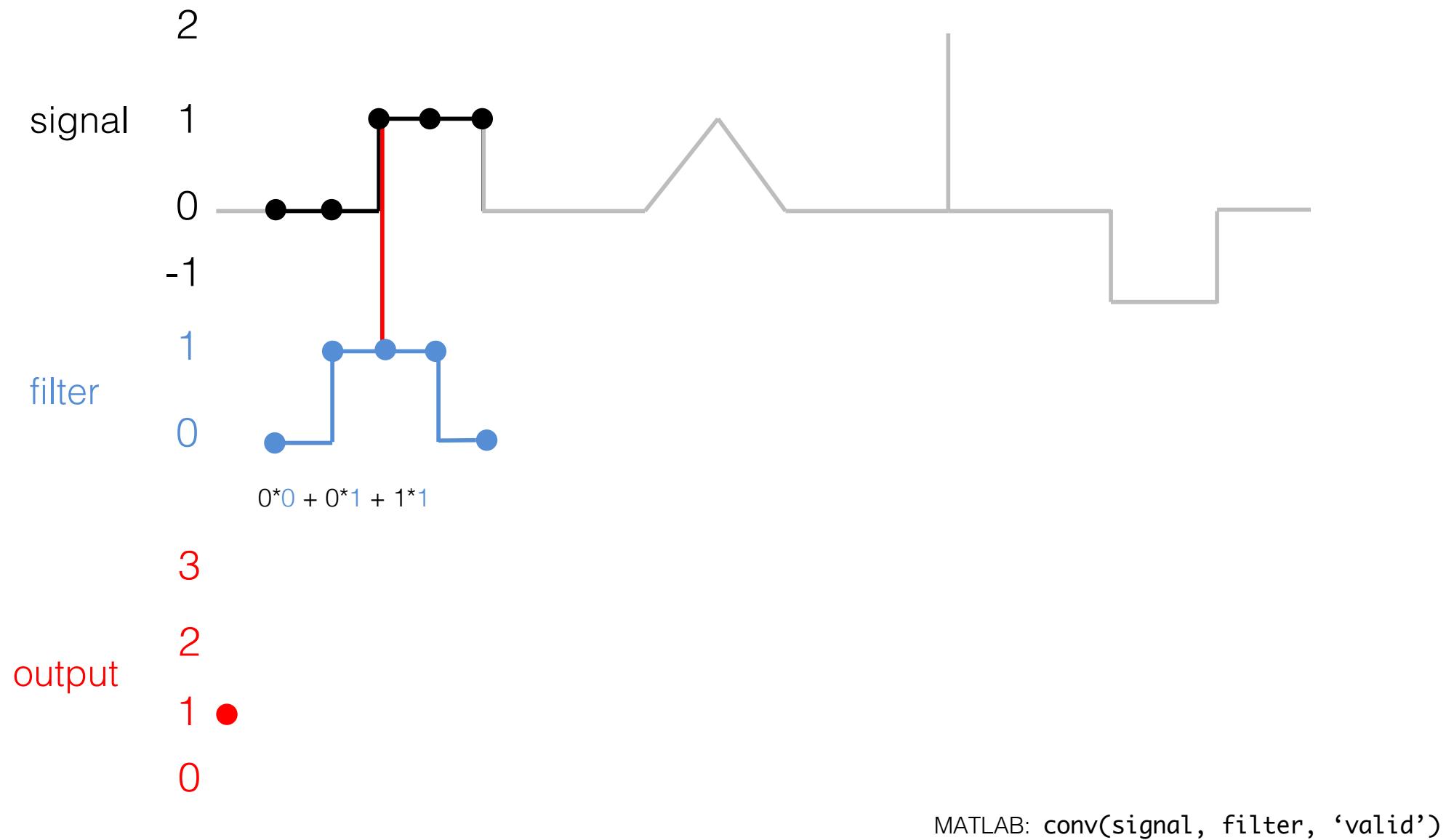
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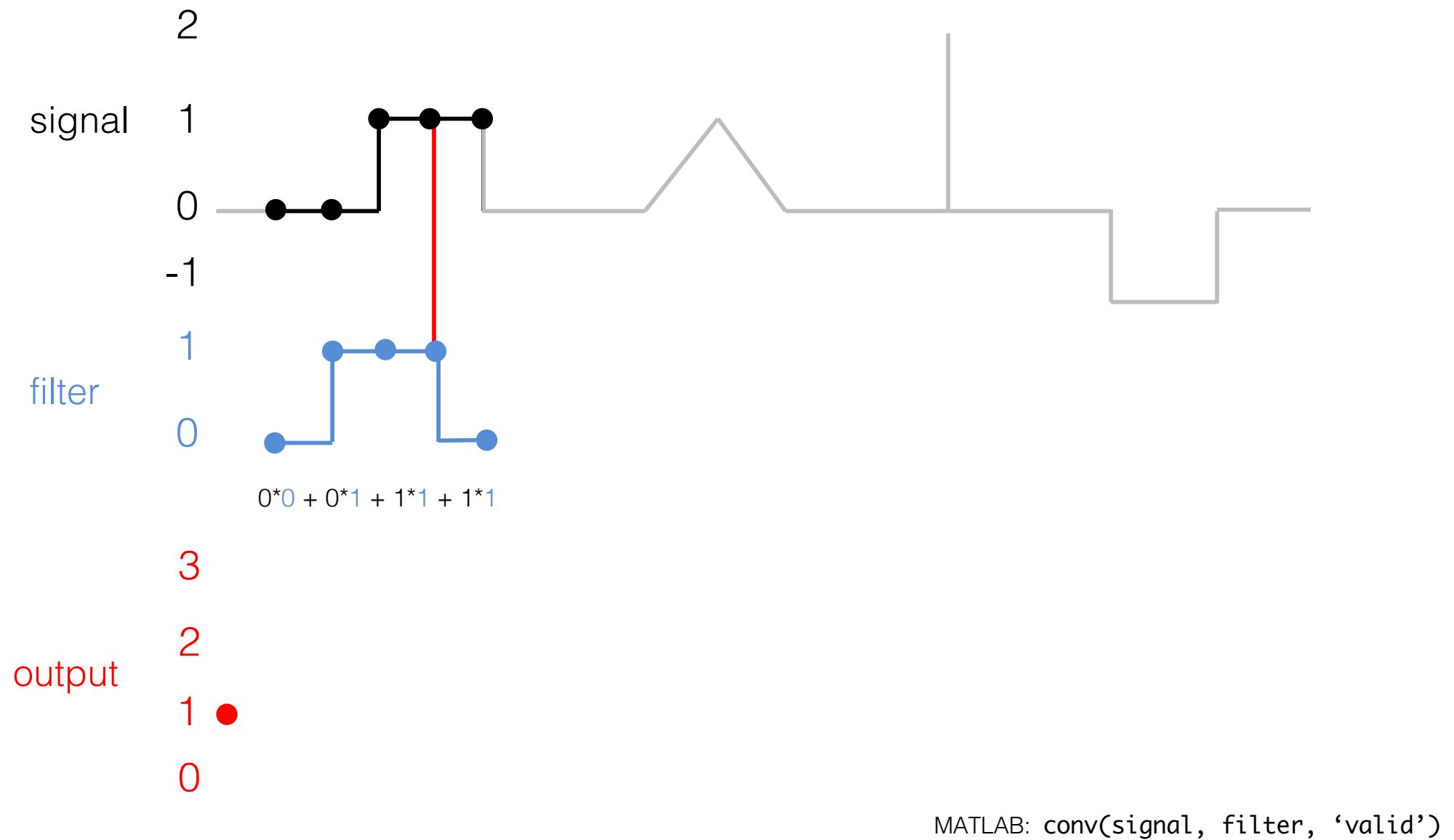
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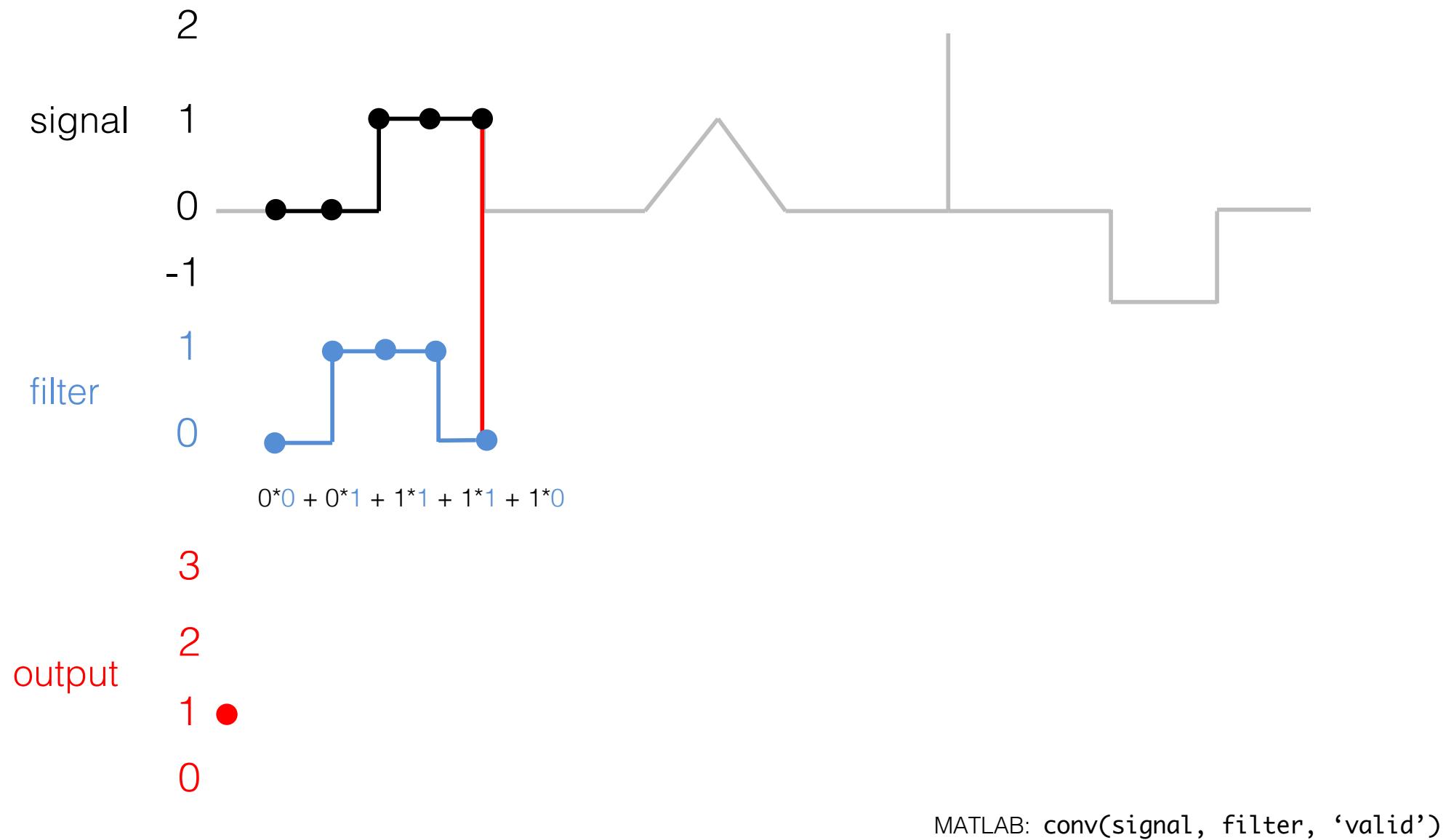
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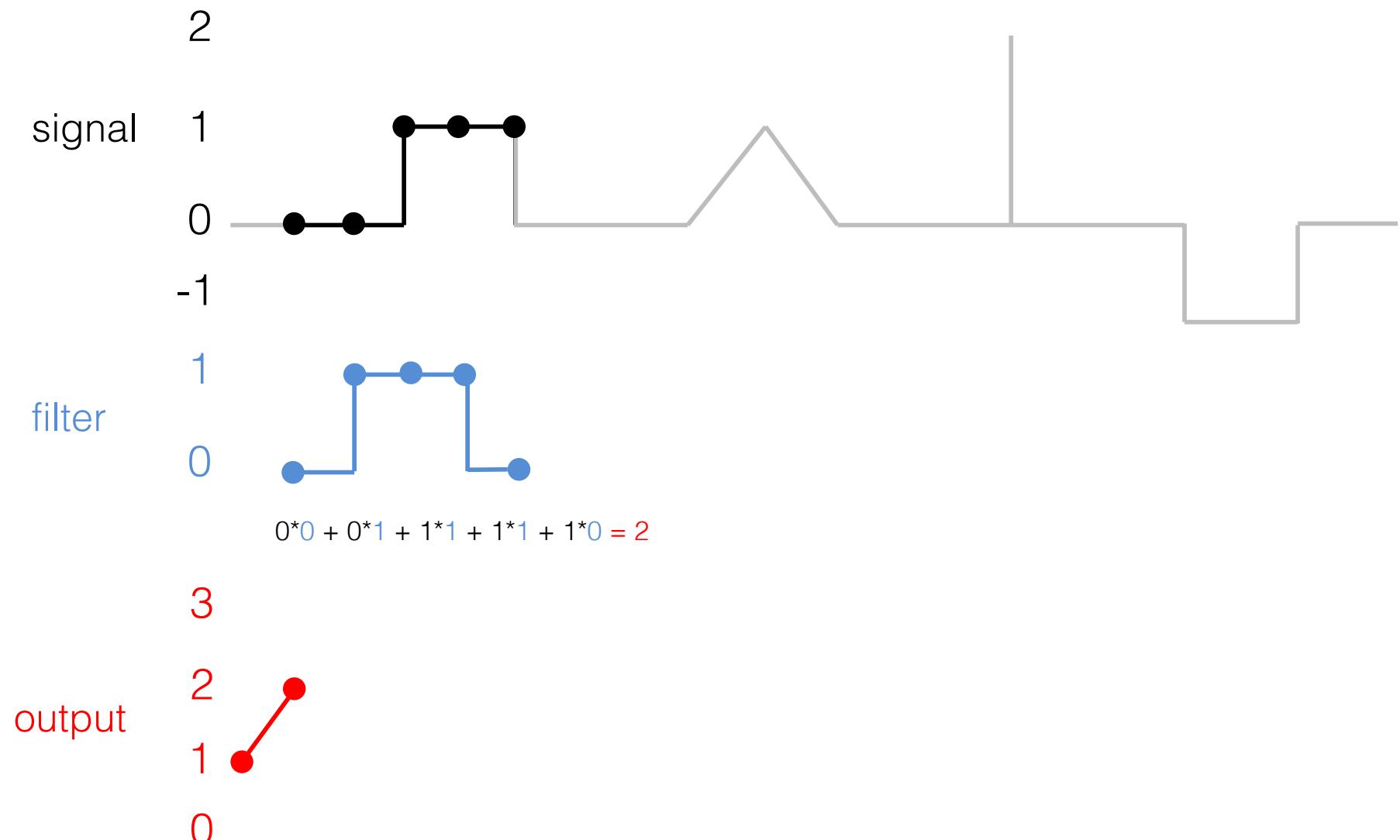
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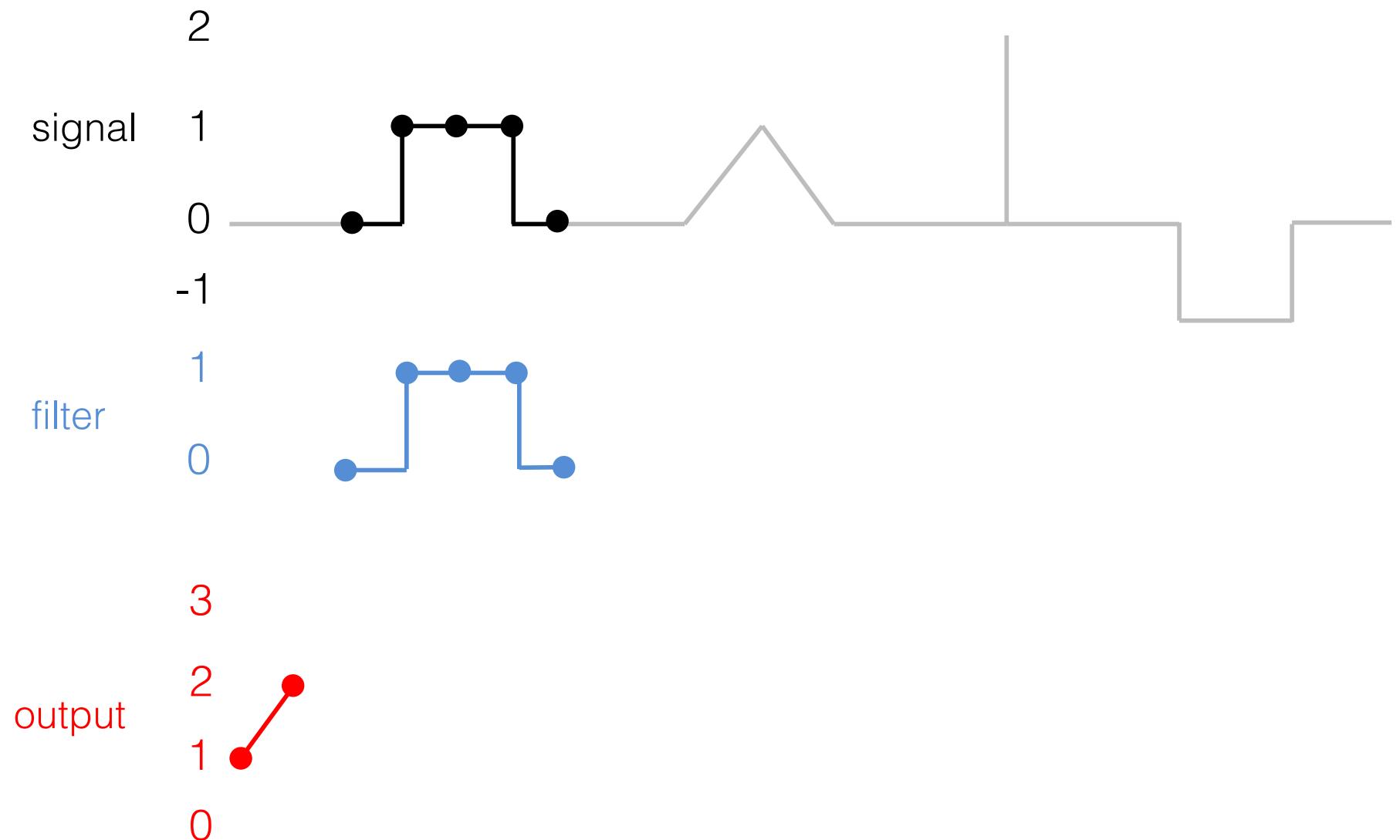
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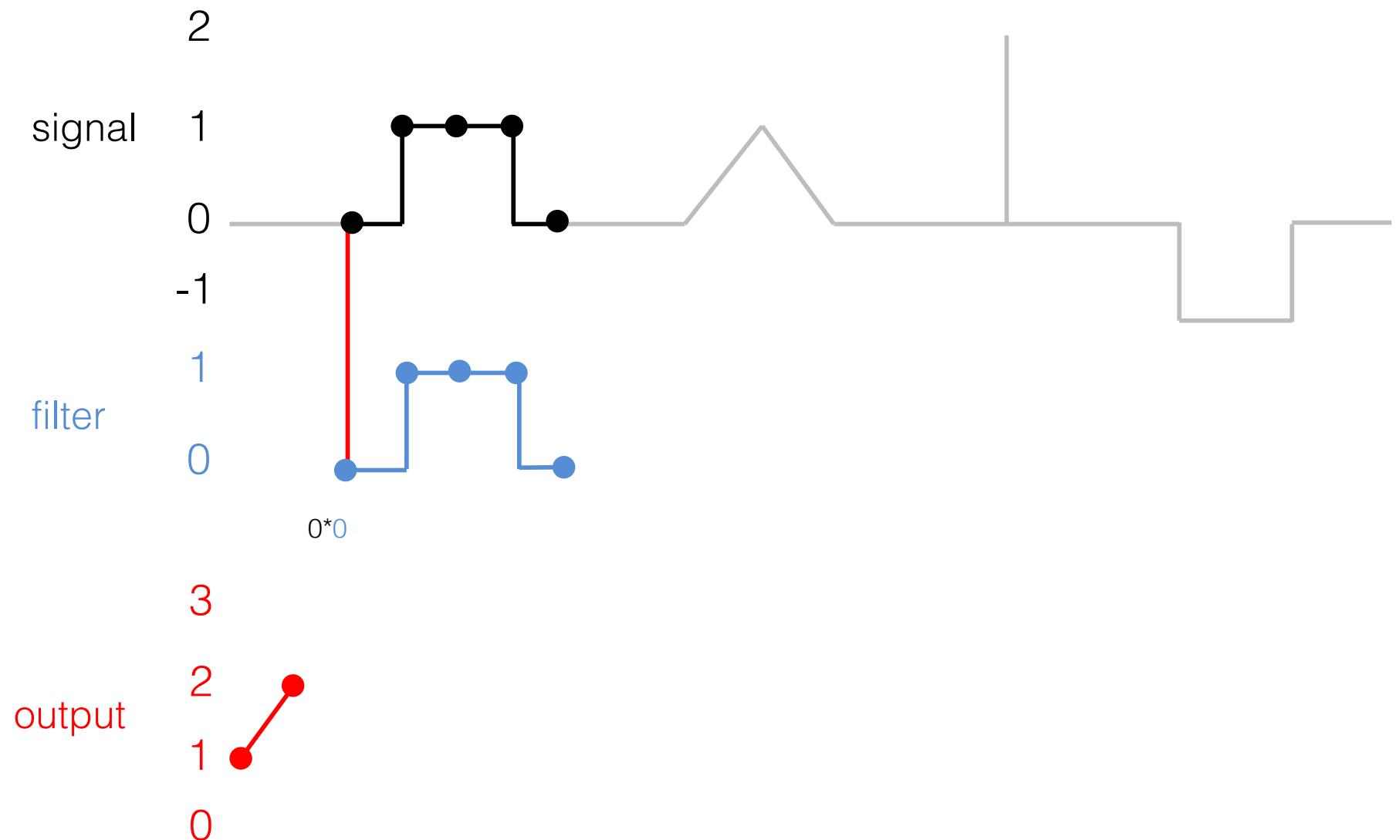


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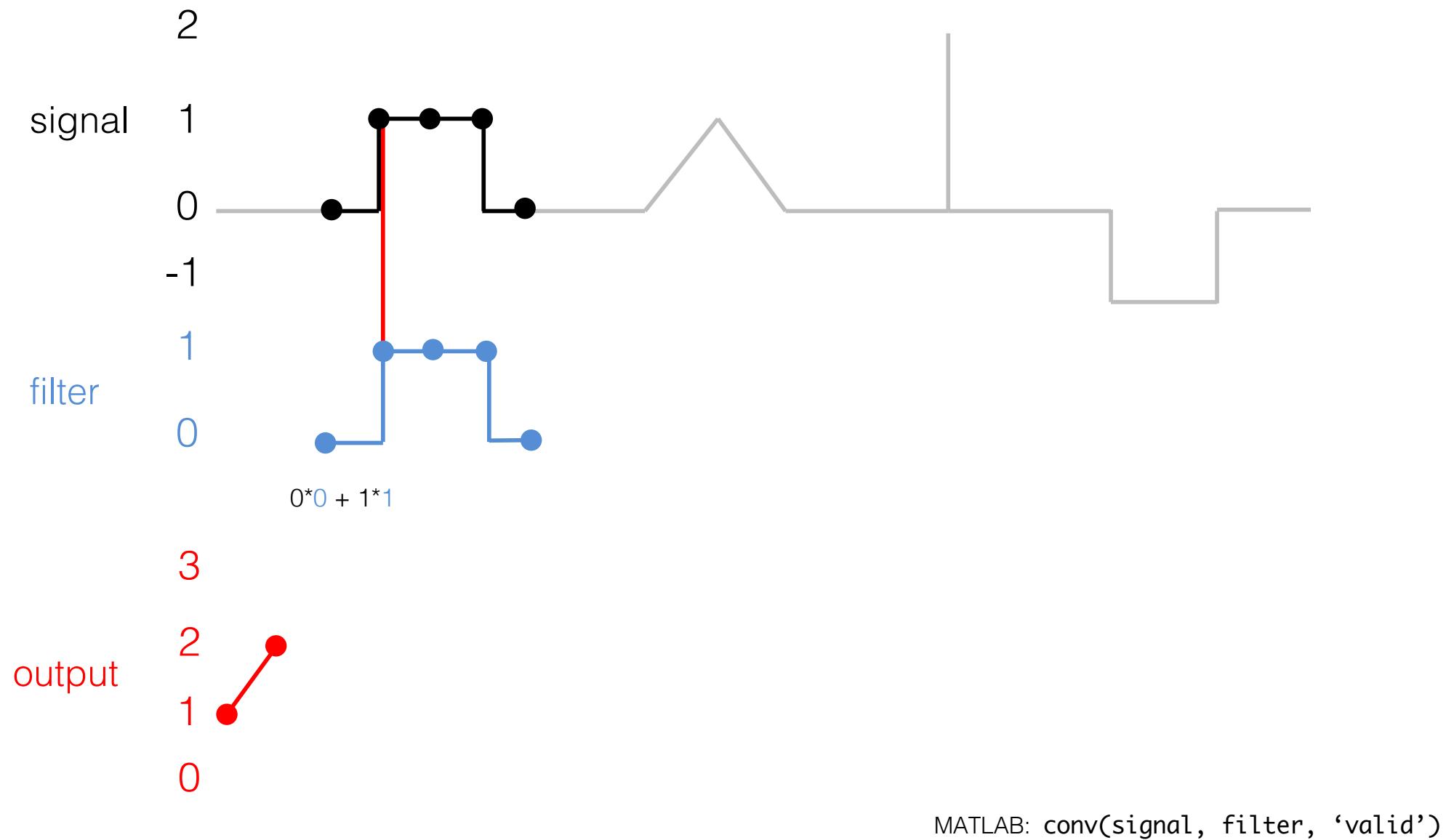
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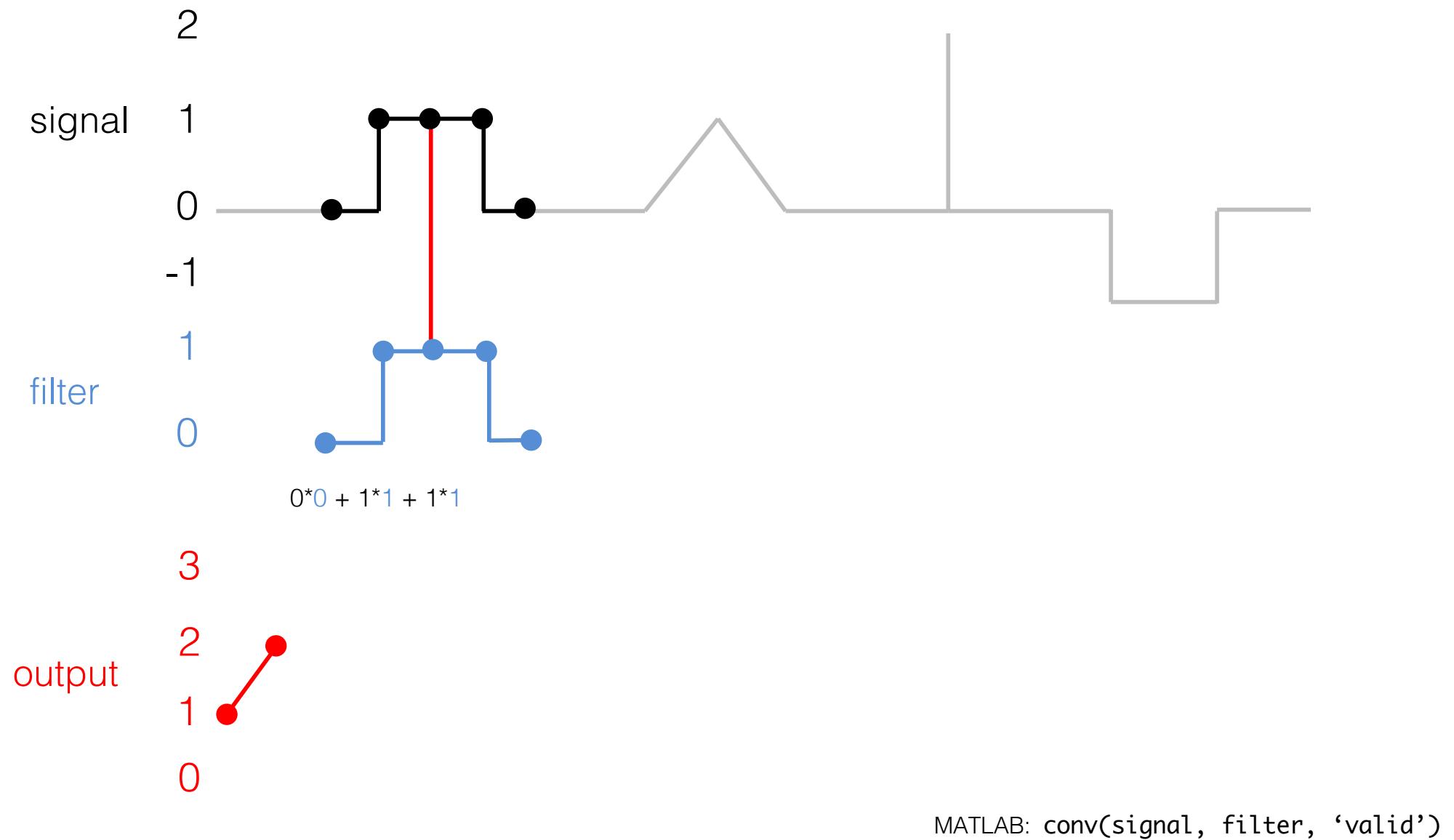


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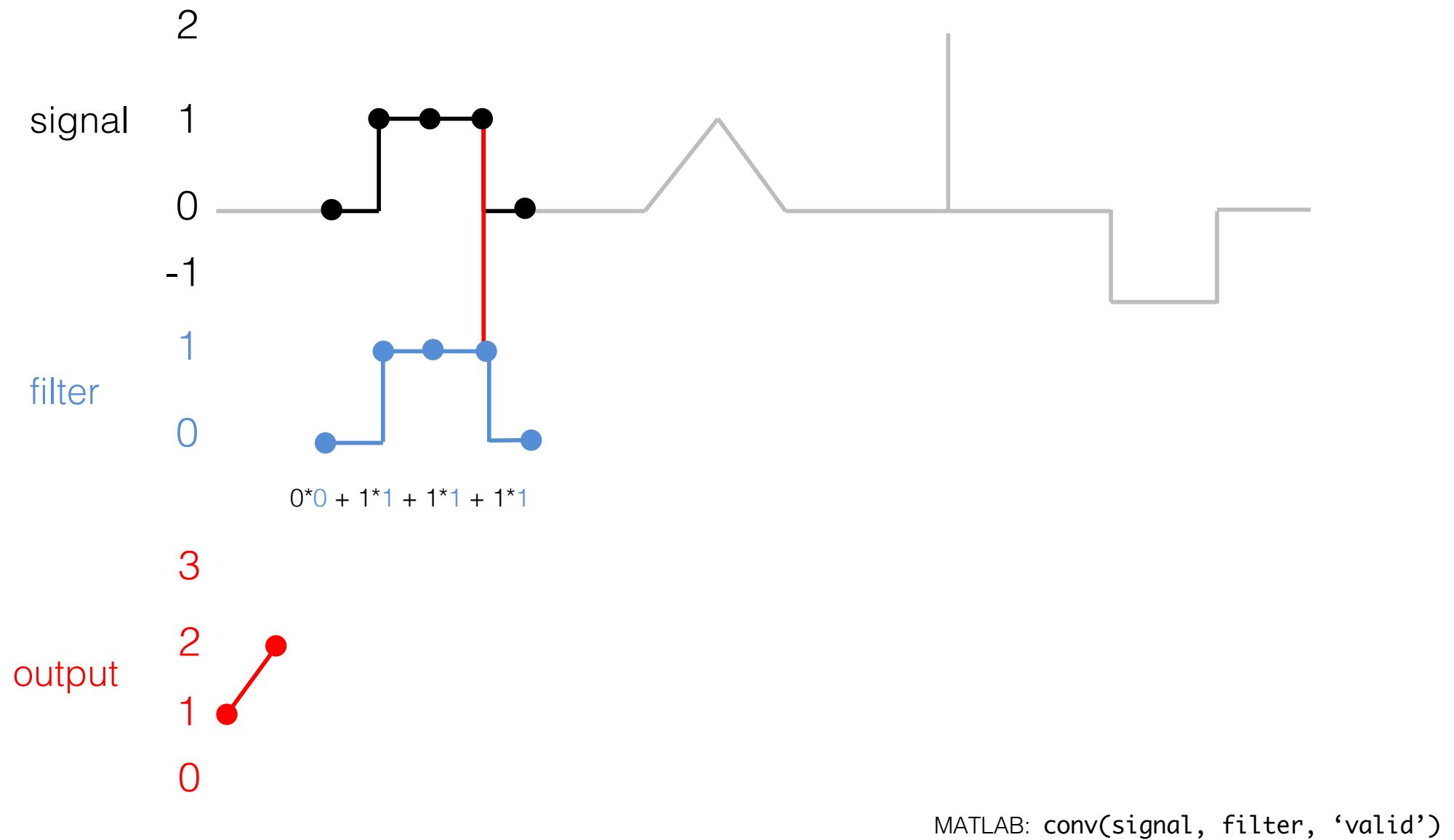
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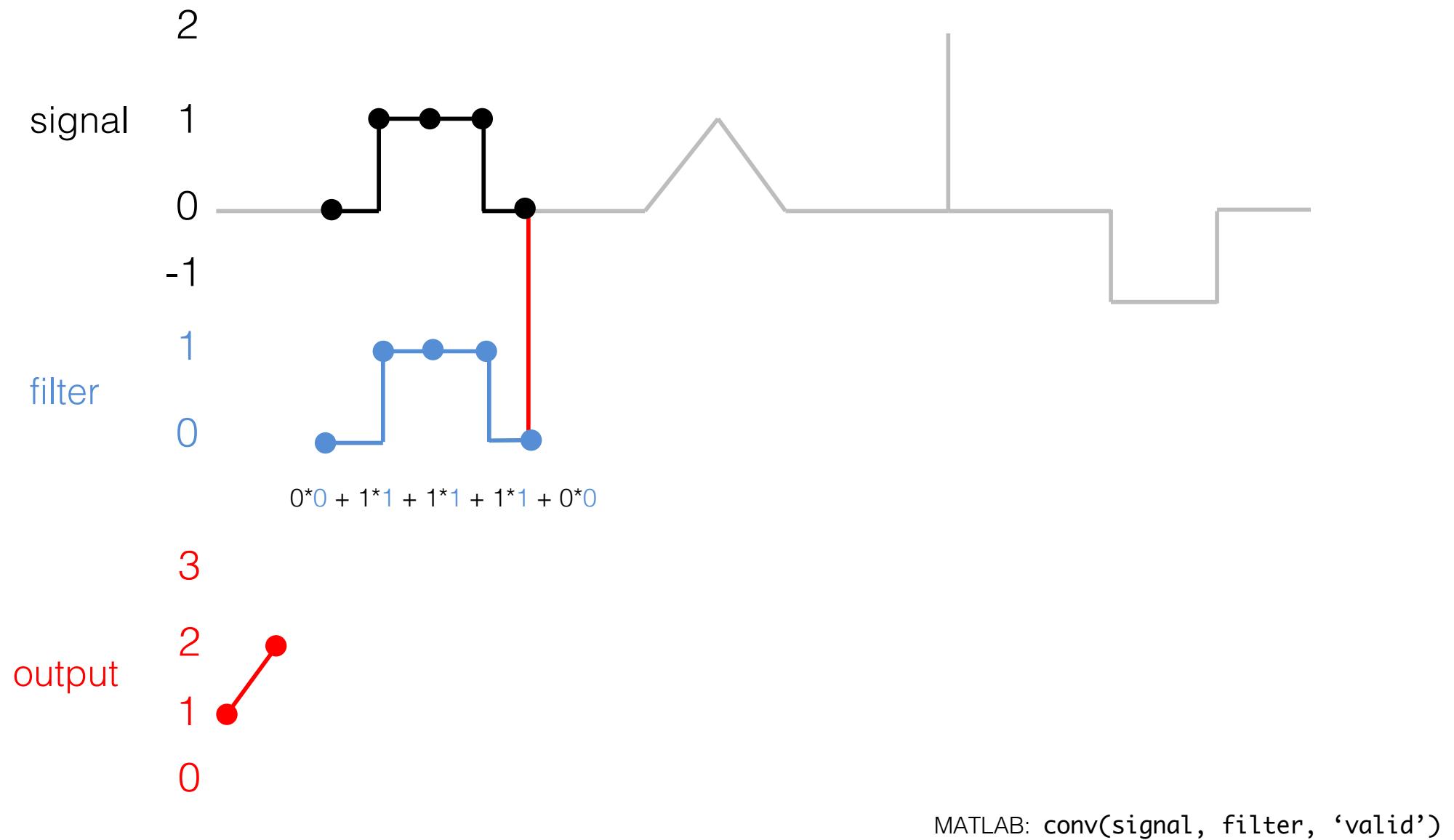
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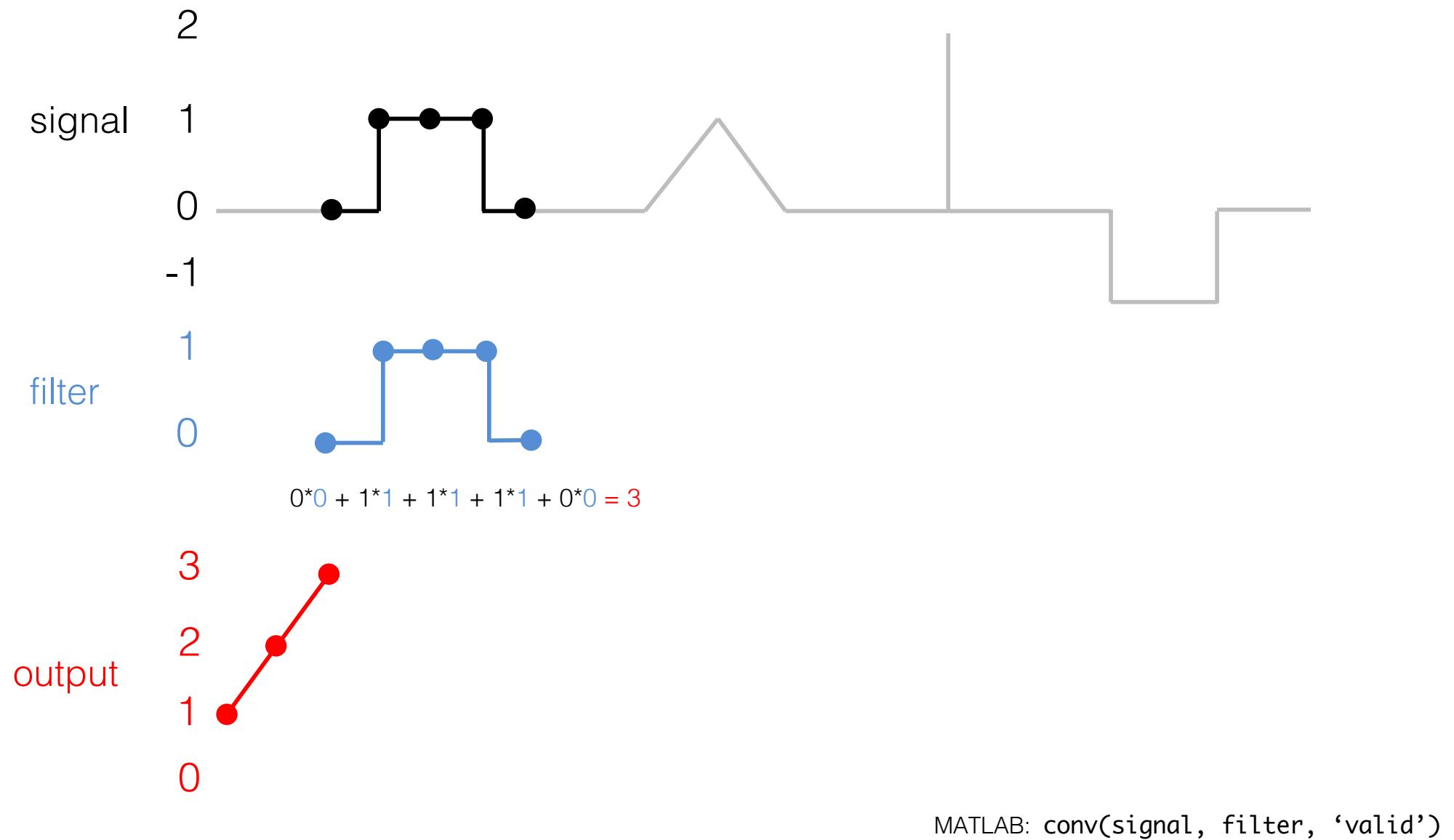
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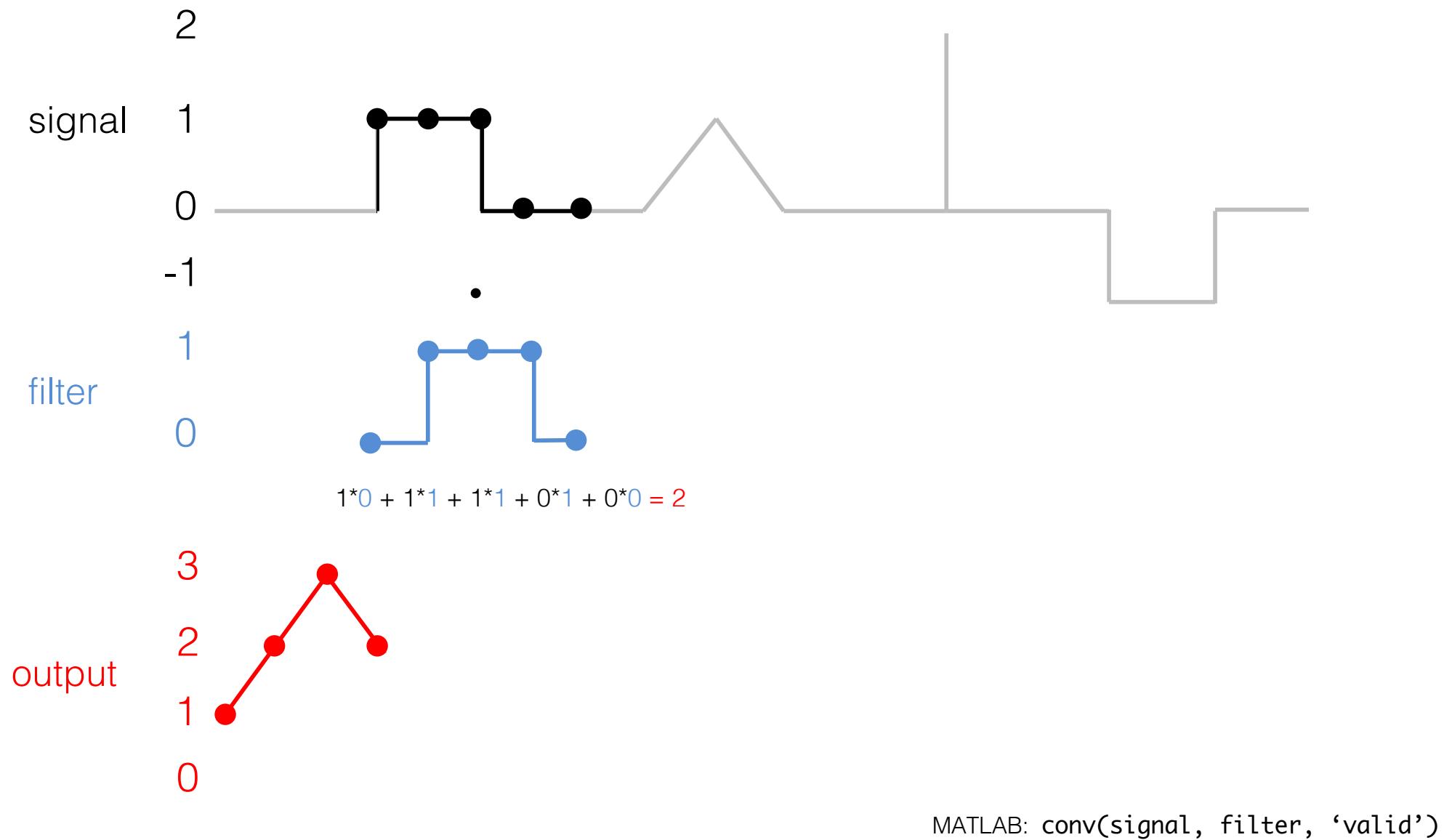
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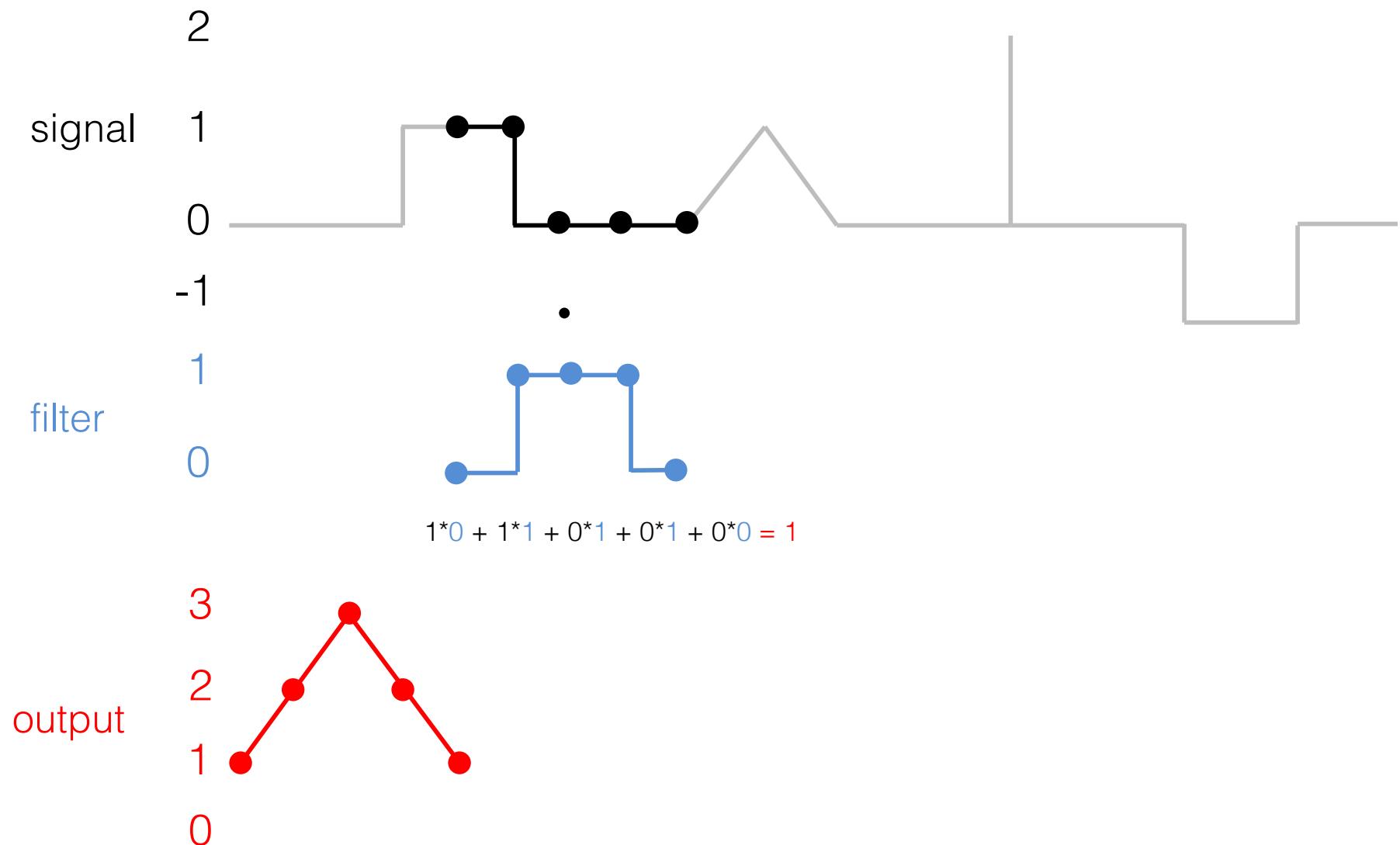
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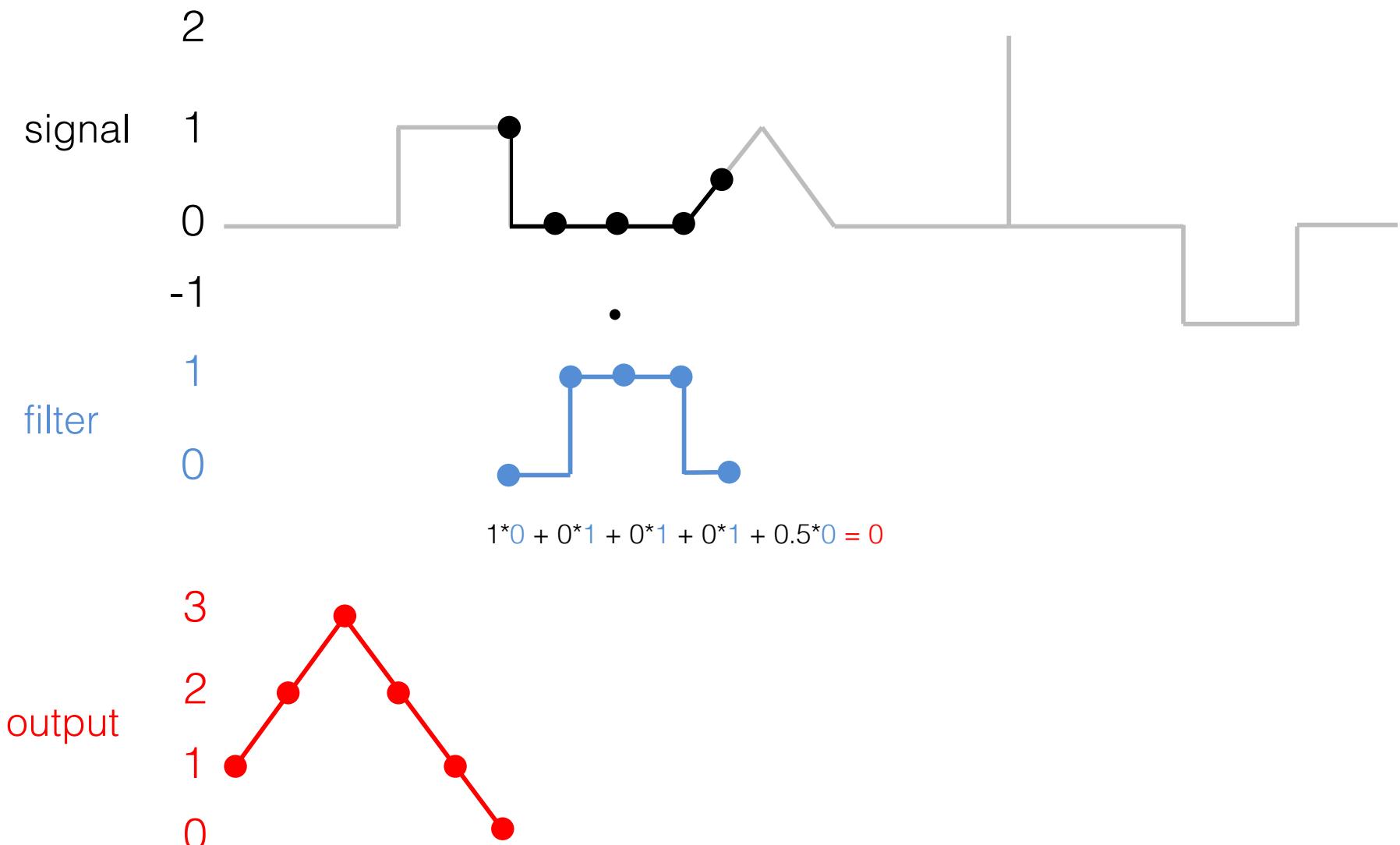


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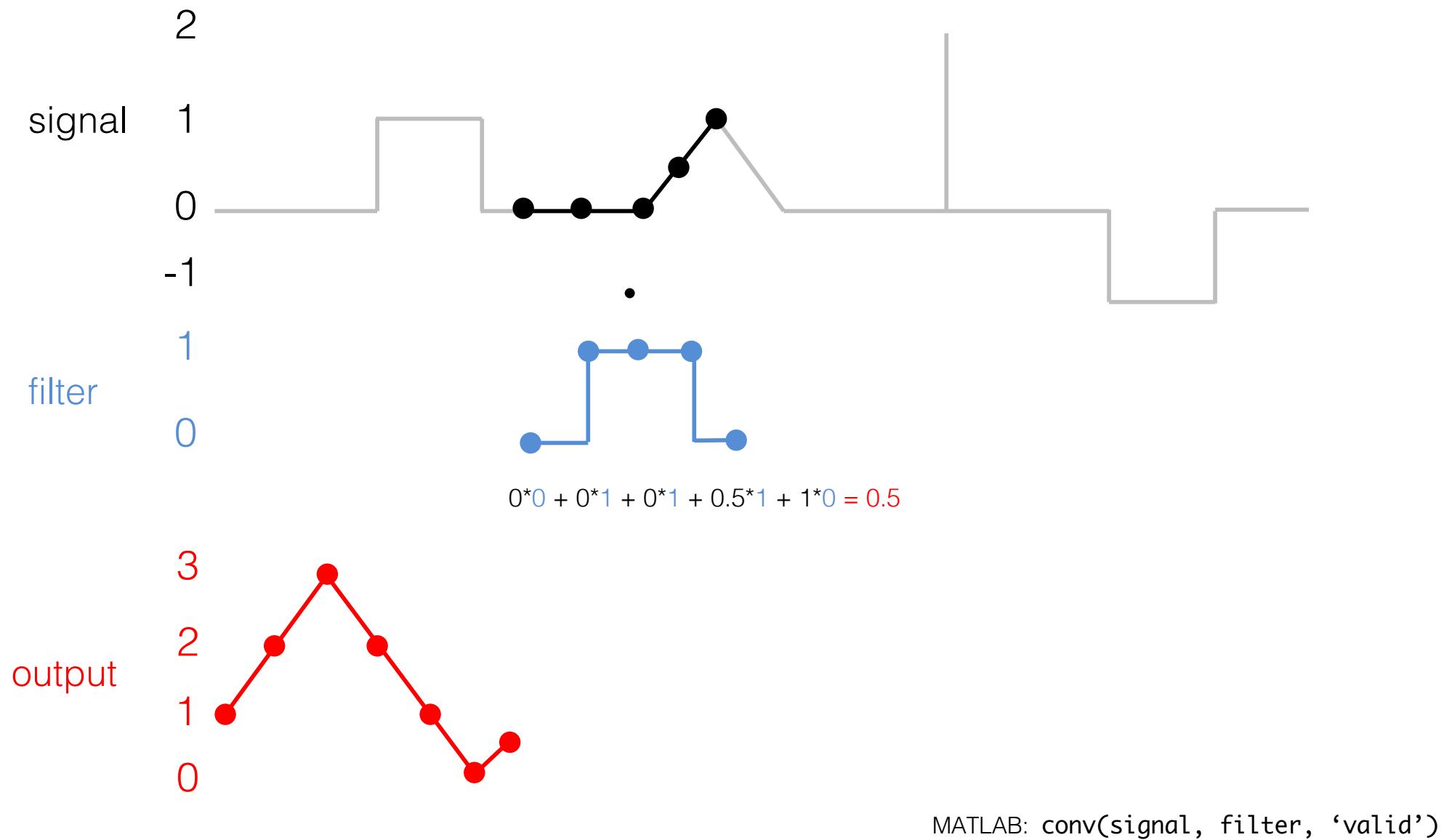
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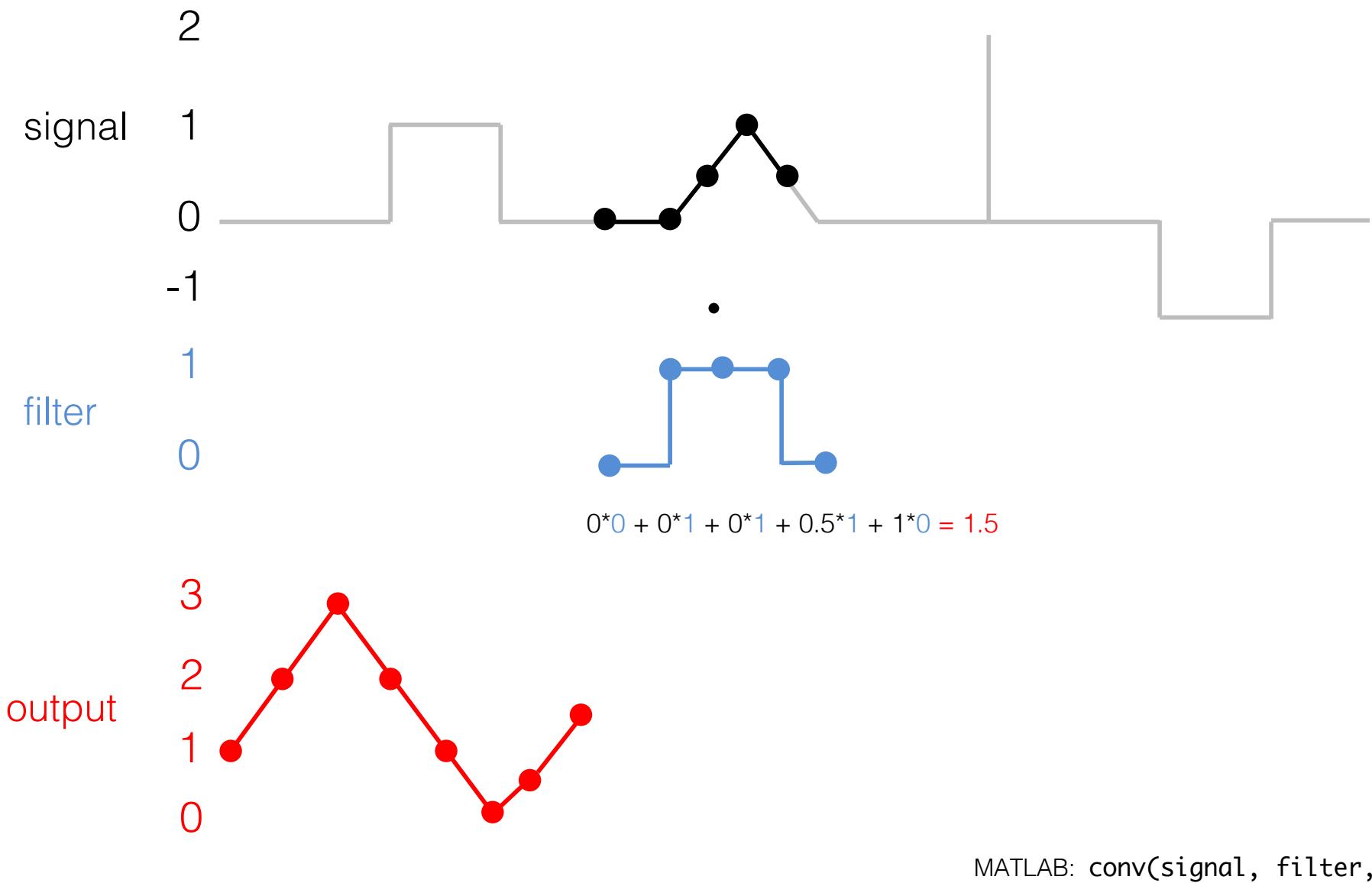


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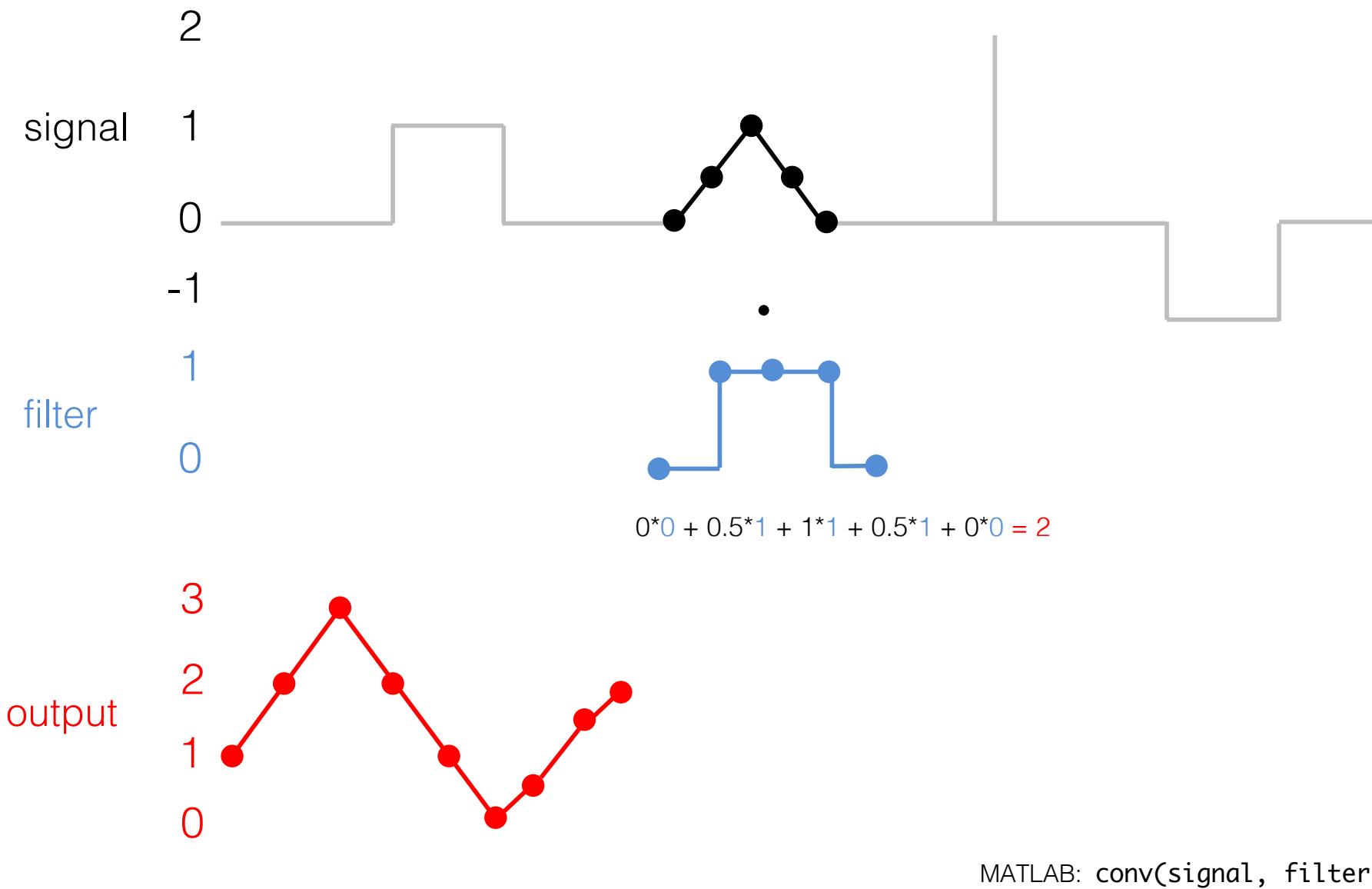
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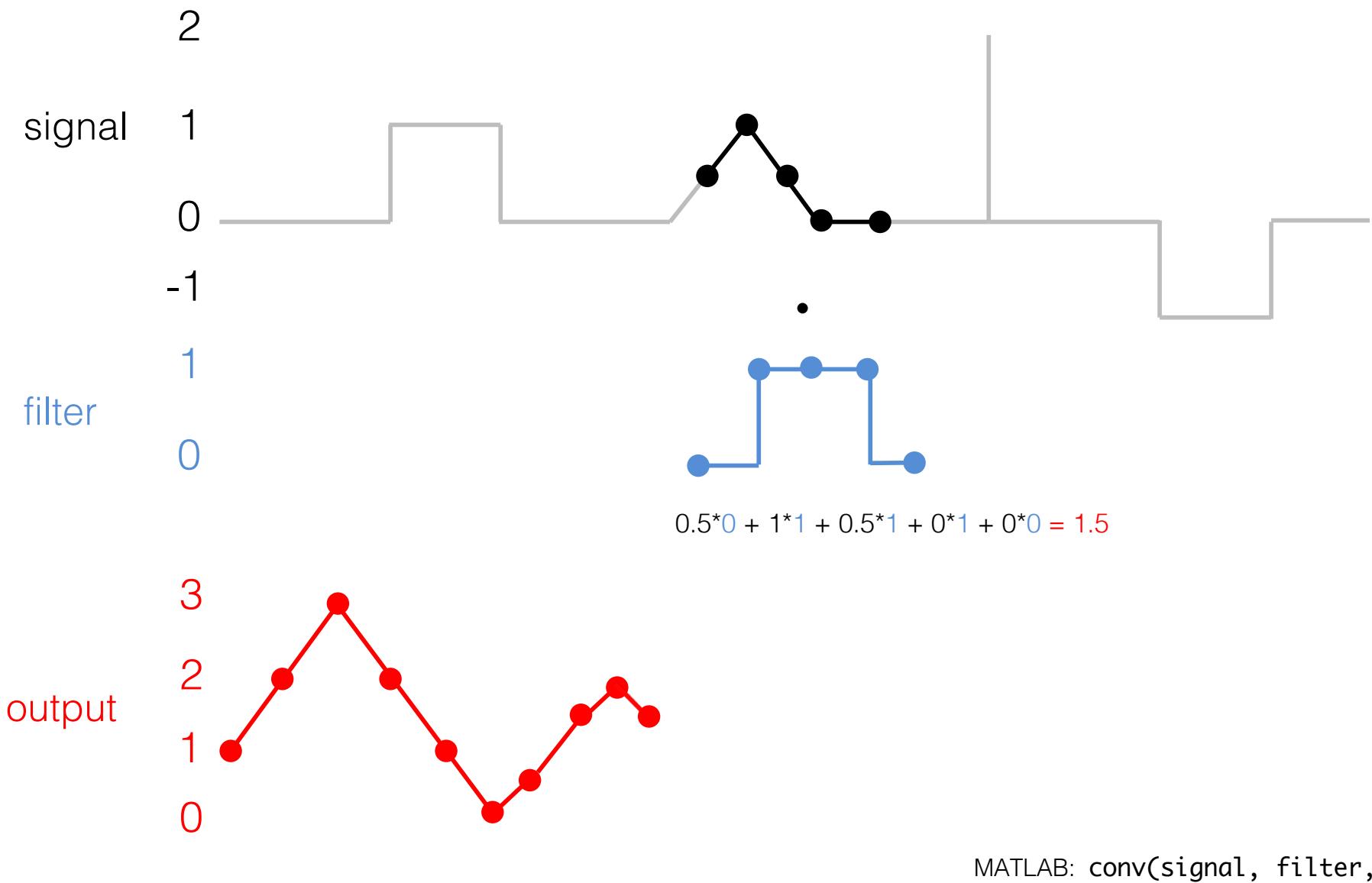
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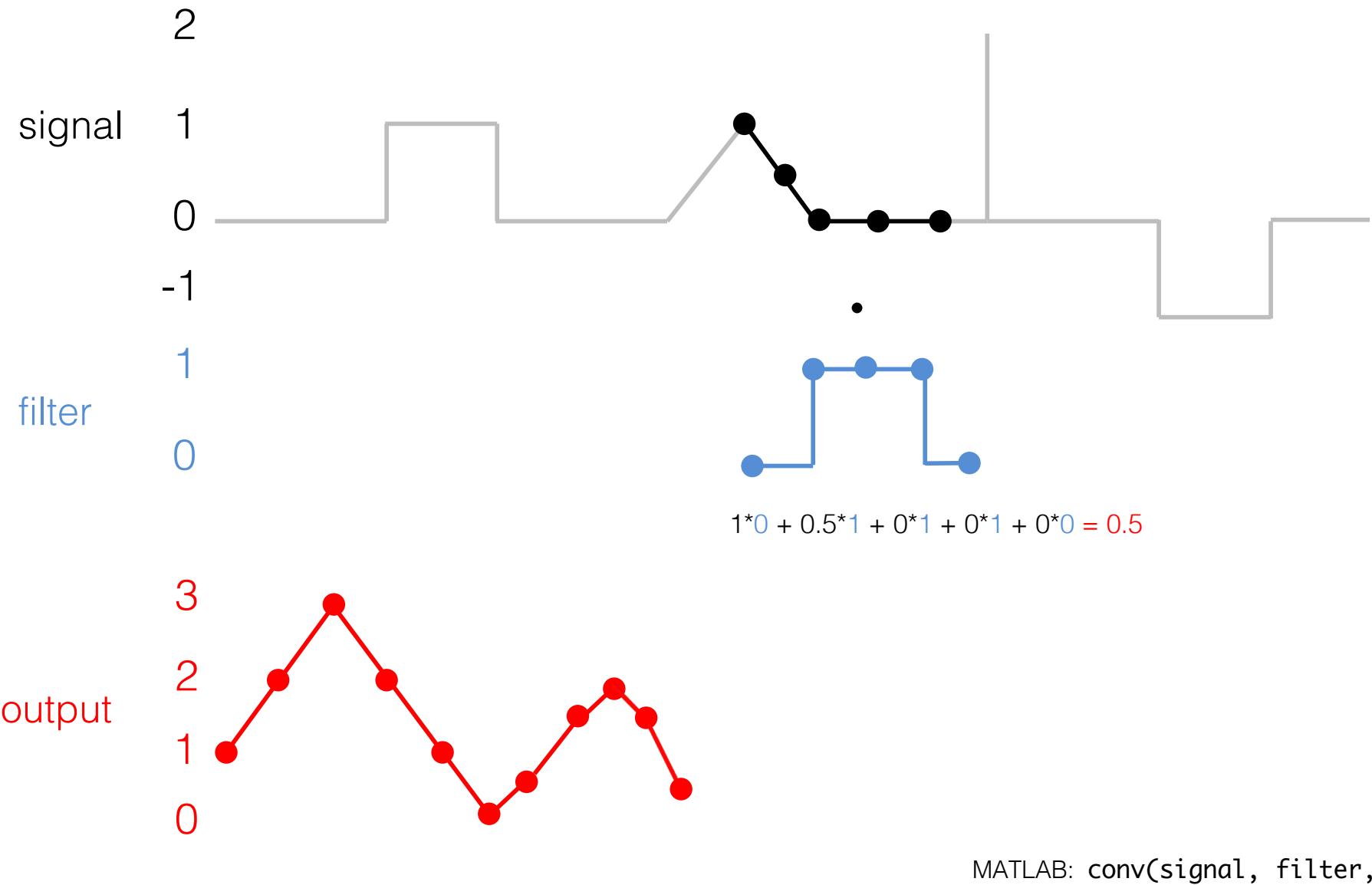
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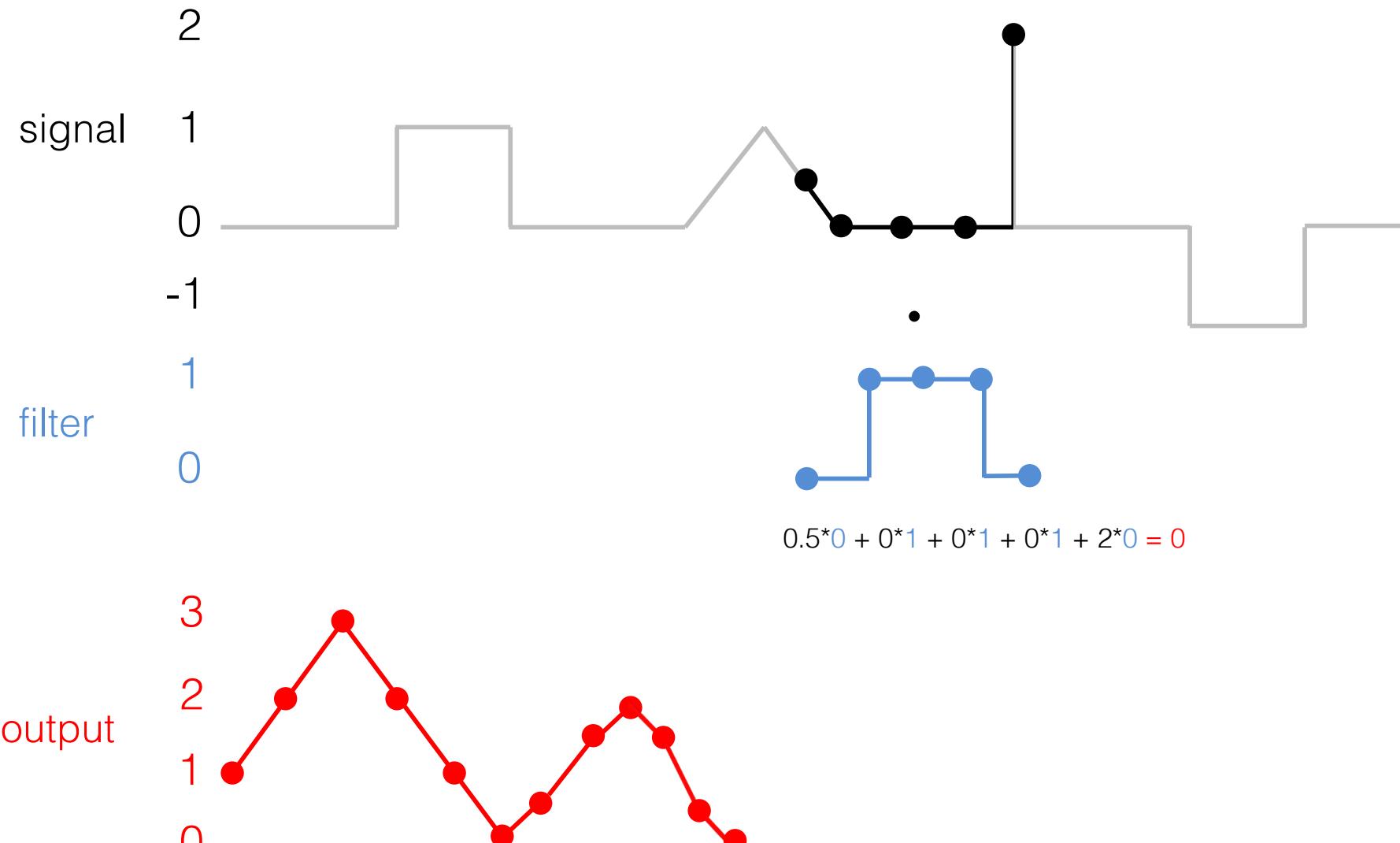
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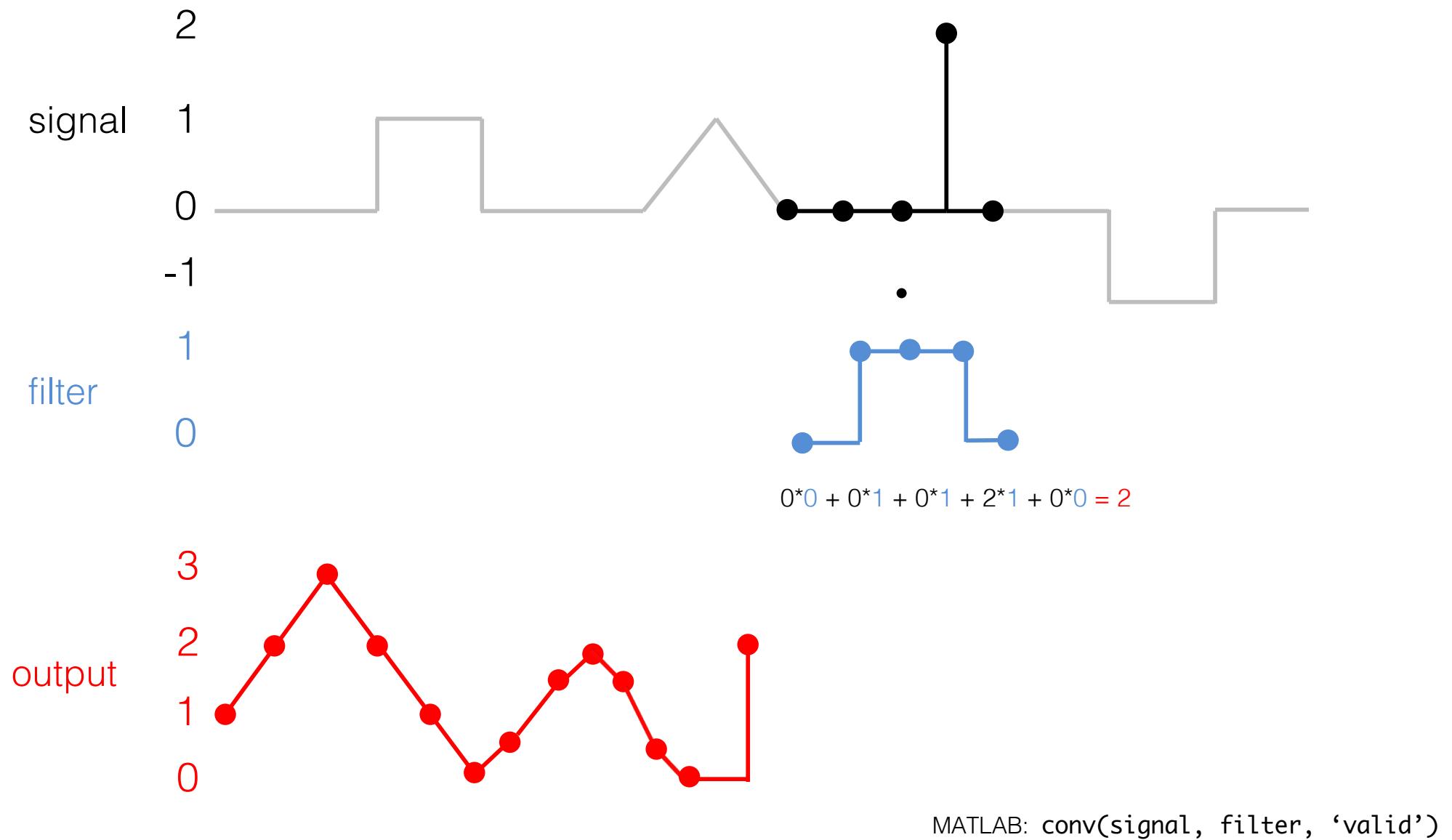


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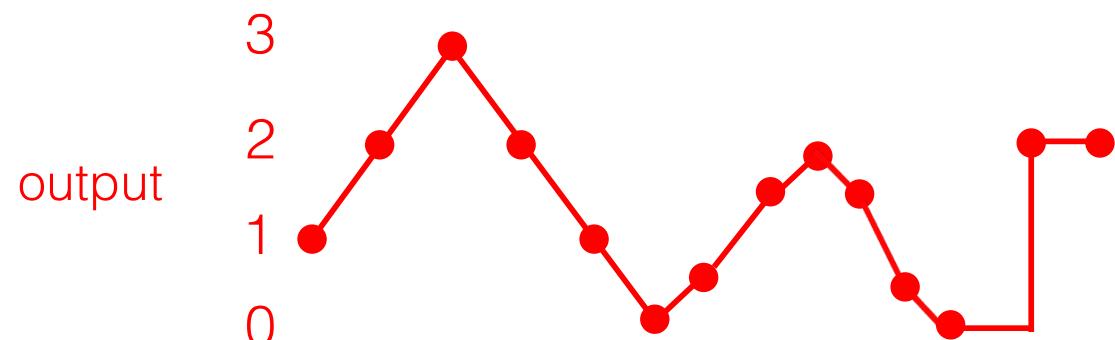
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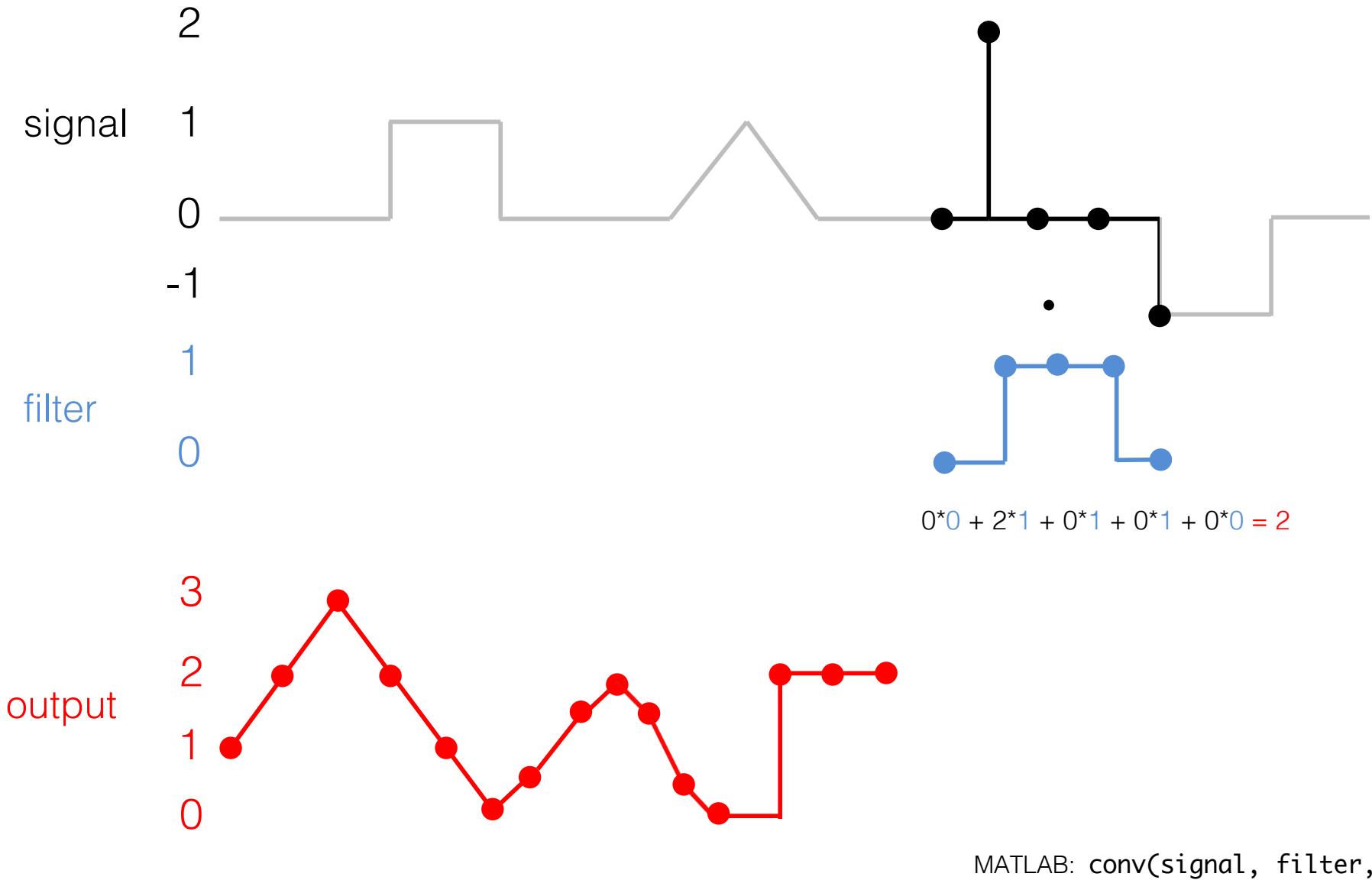


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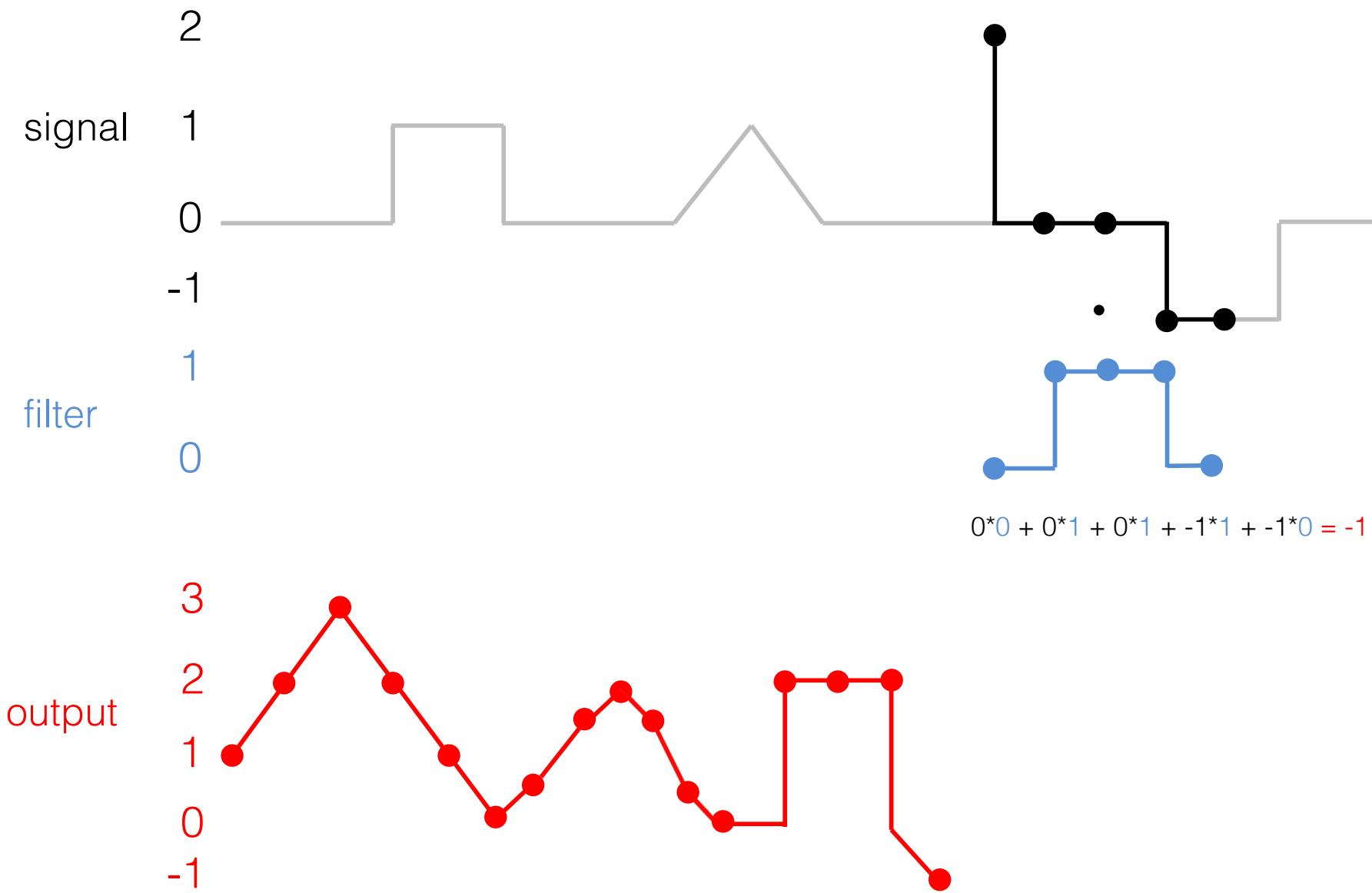


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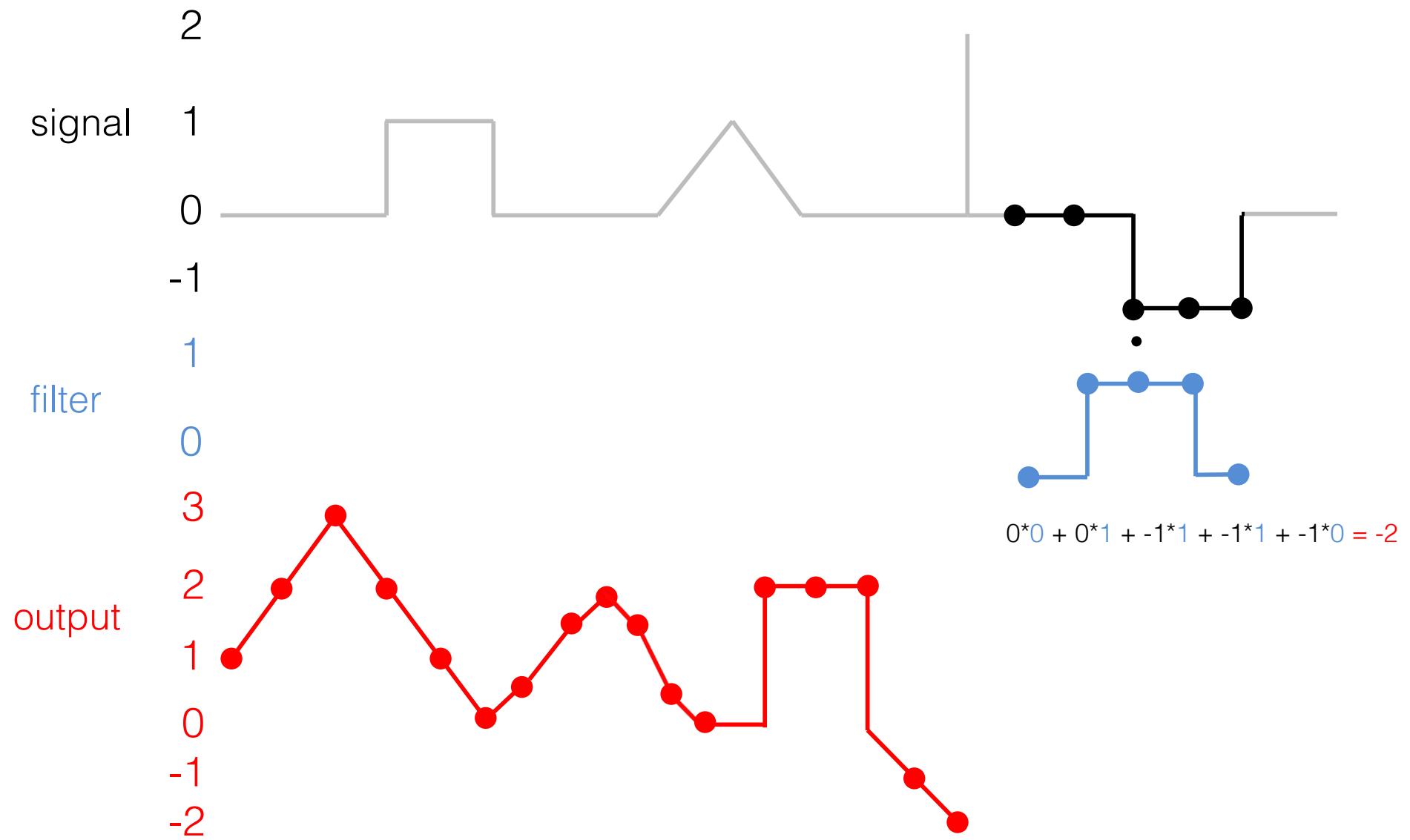
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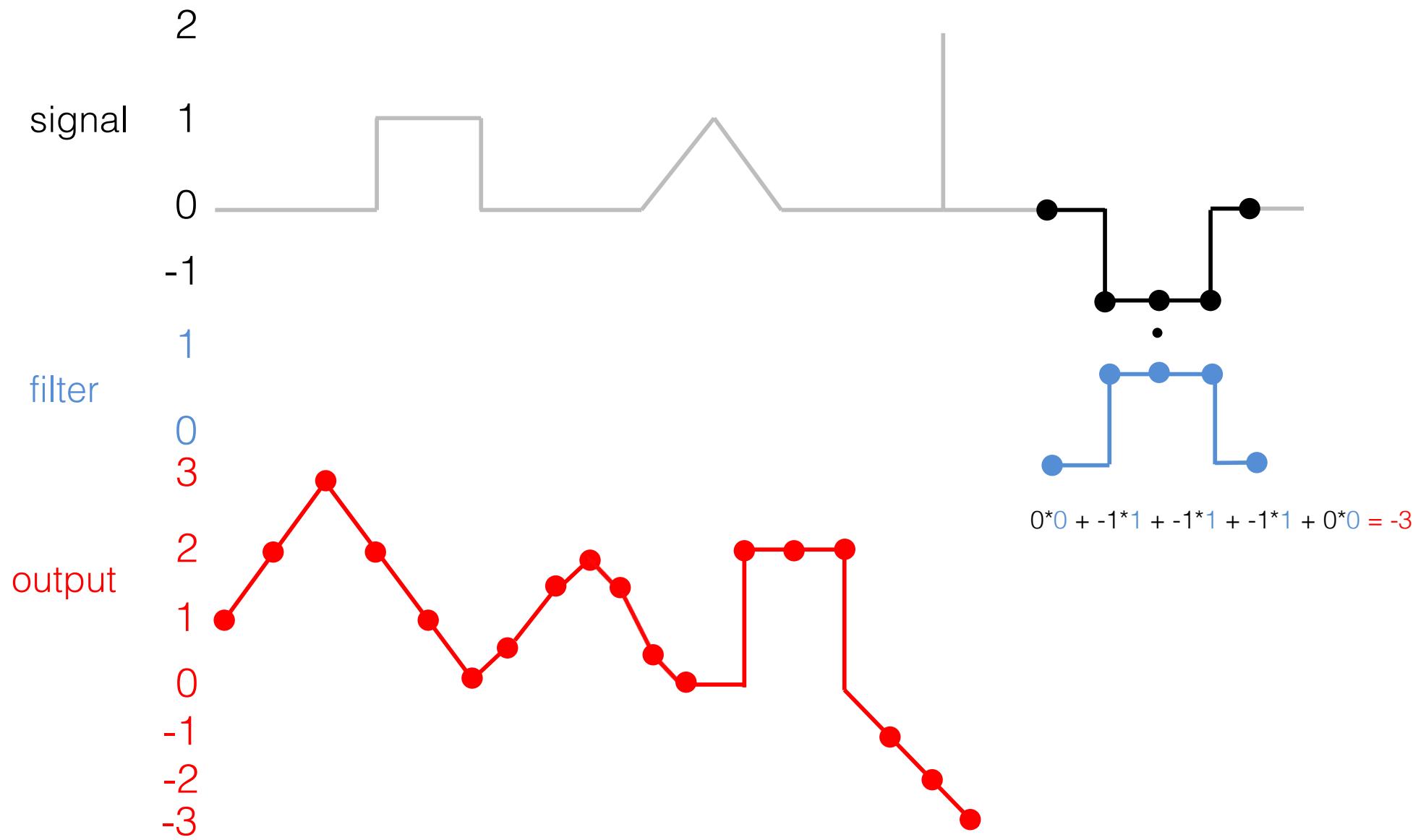
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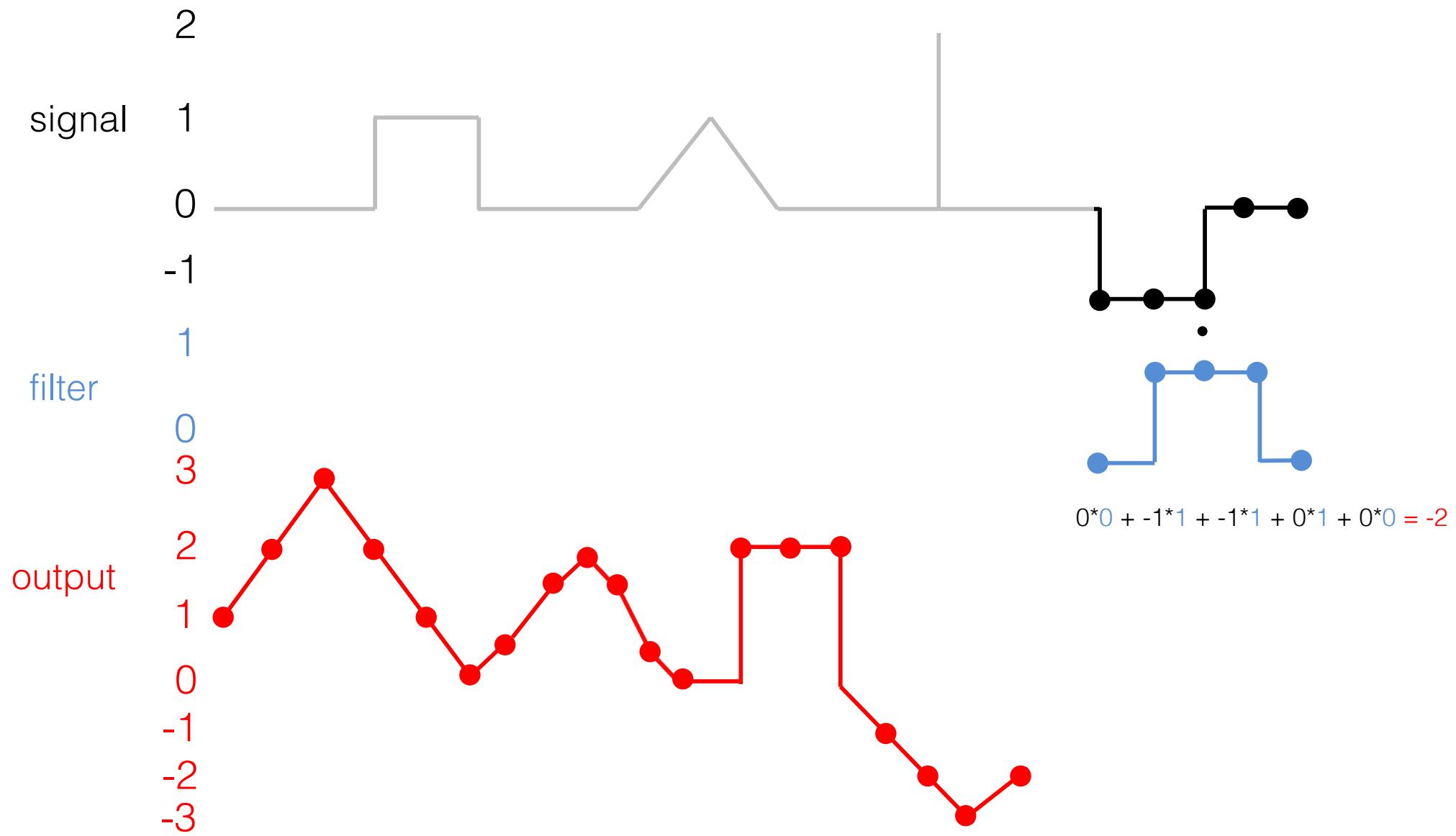


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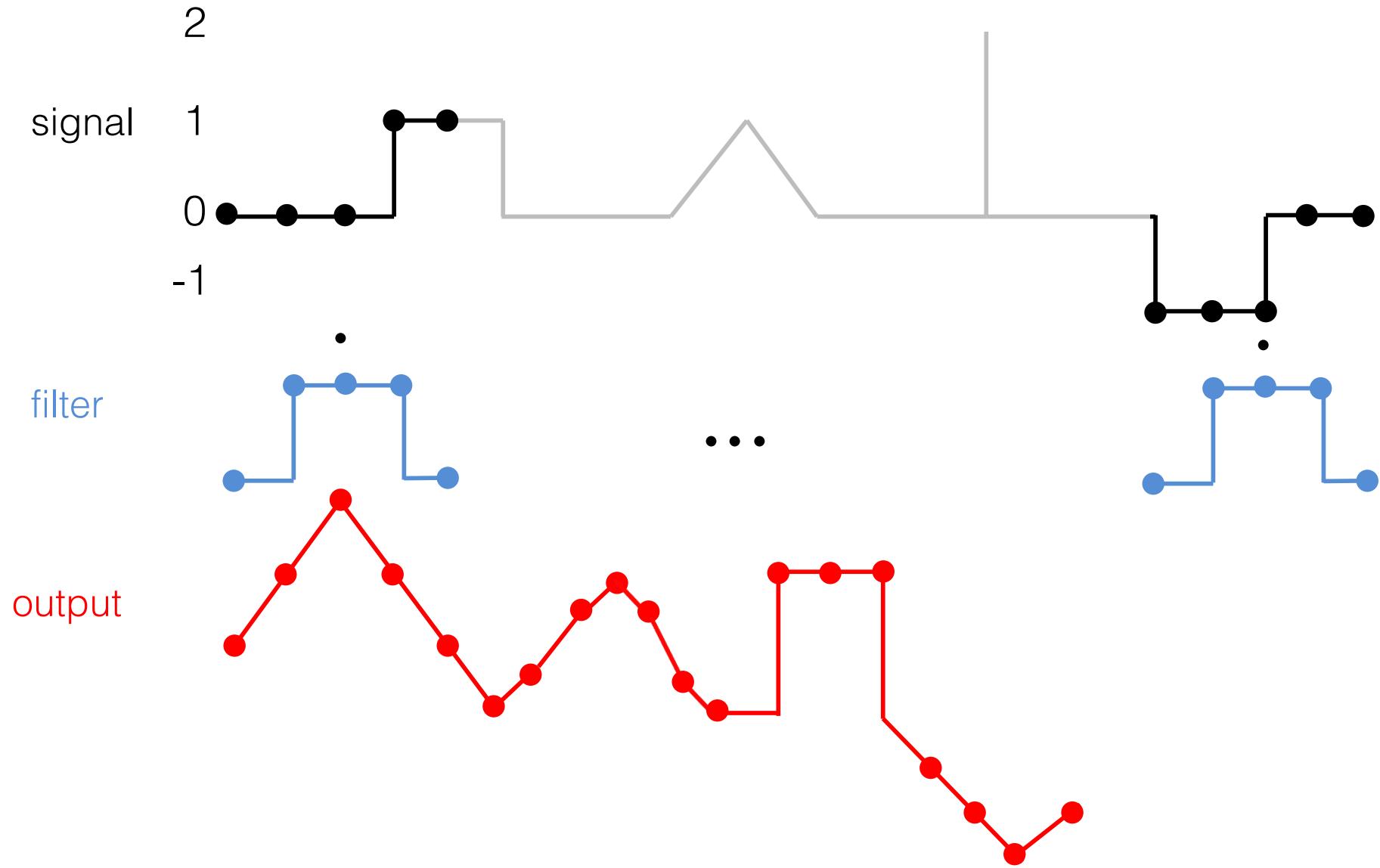
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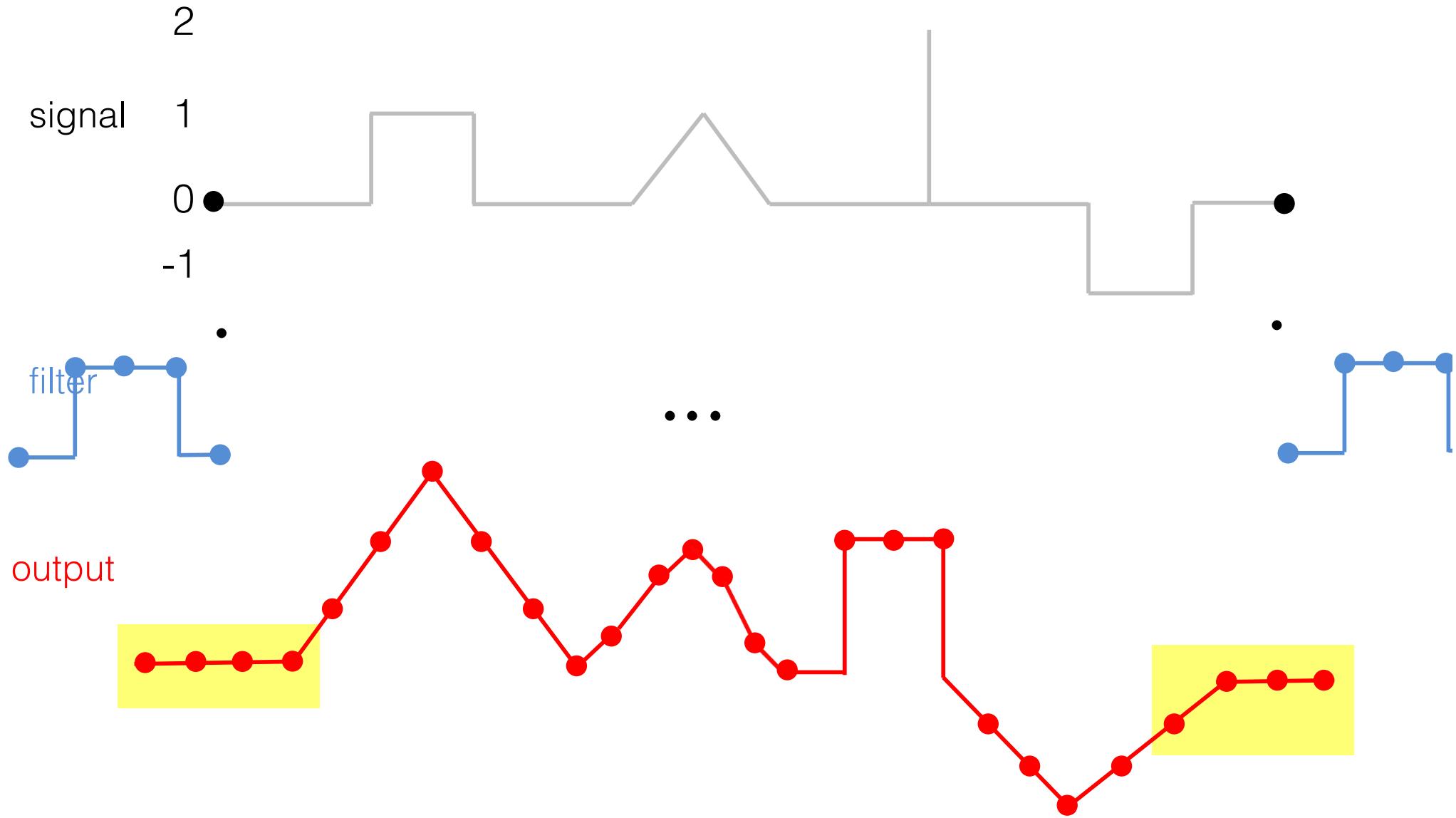
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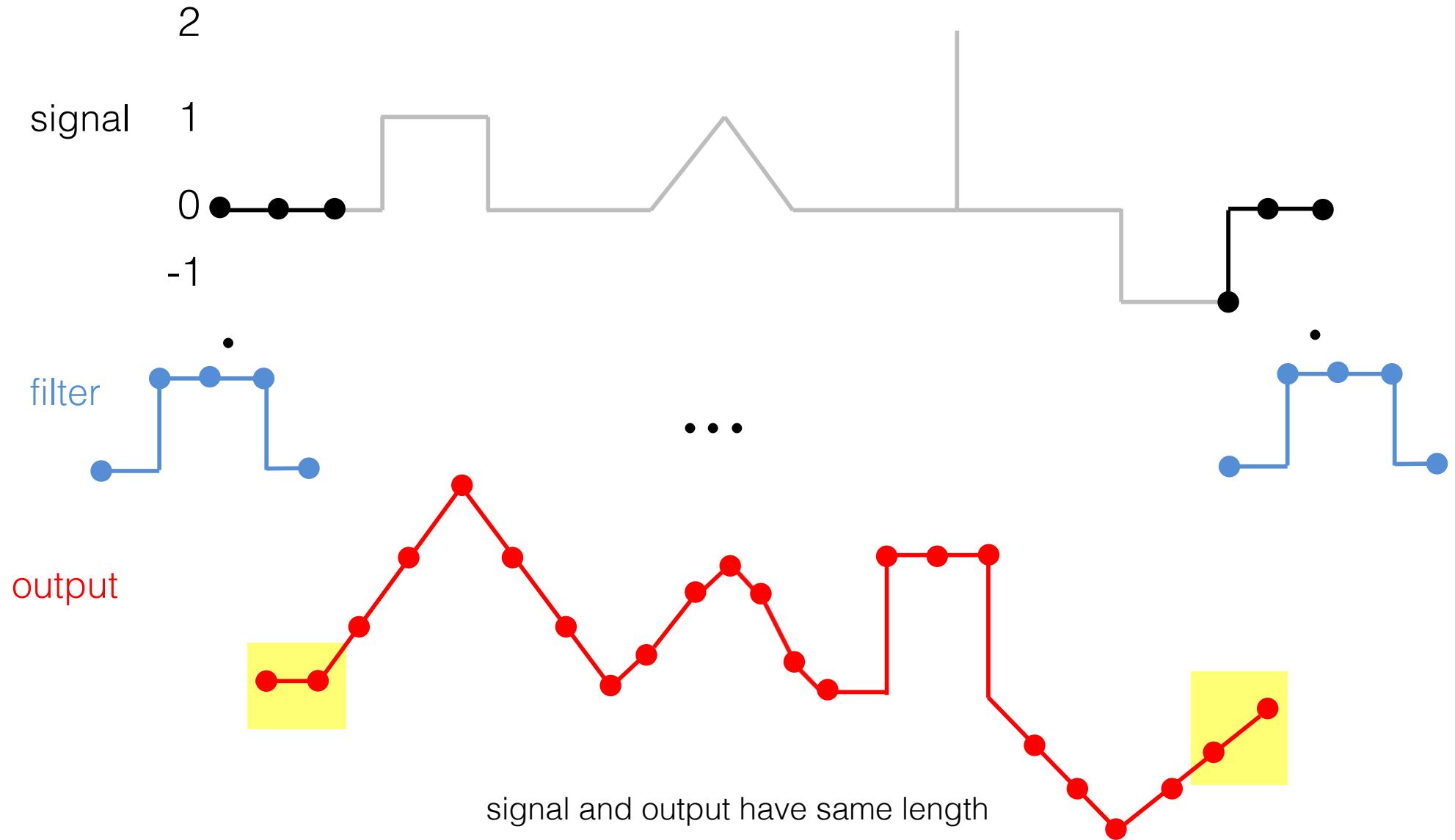
MATLAB: `conv(signal, filter, 'full')`

Convolution



MATLAB: `conv(signal, filter, 'same')`

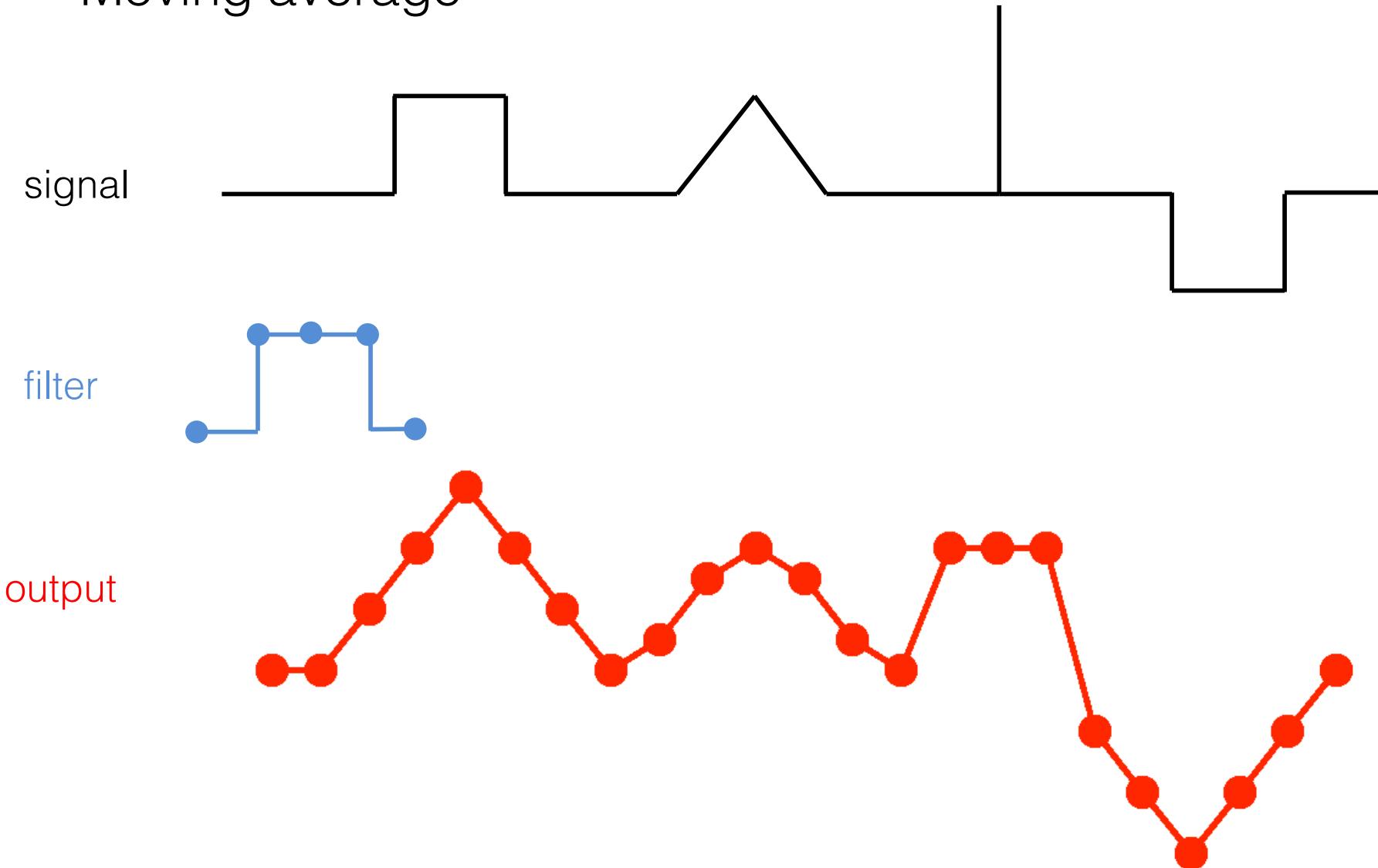
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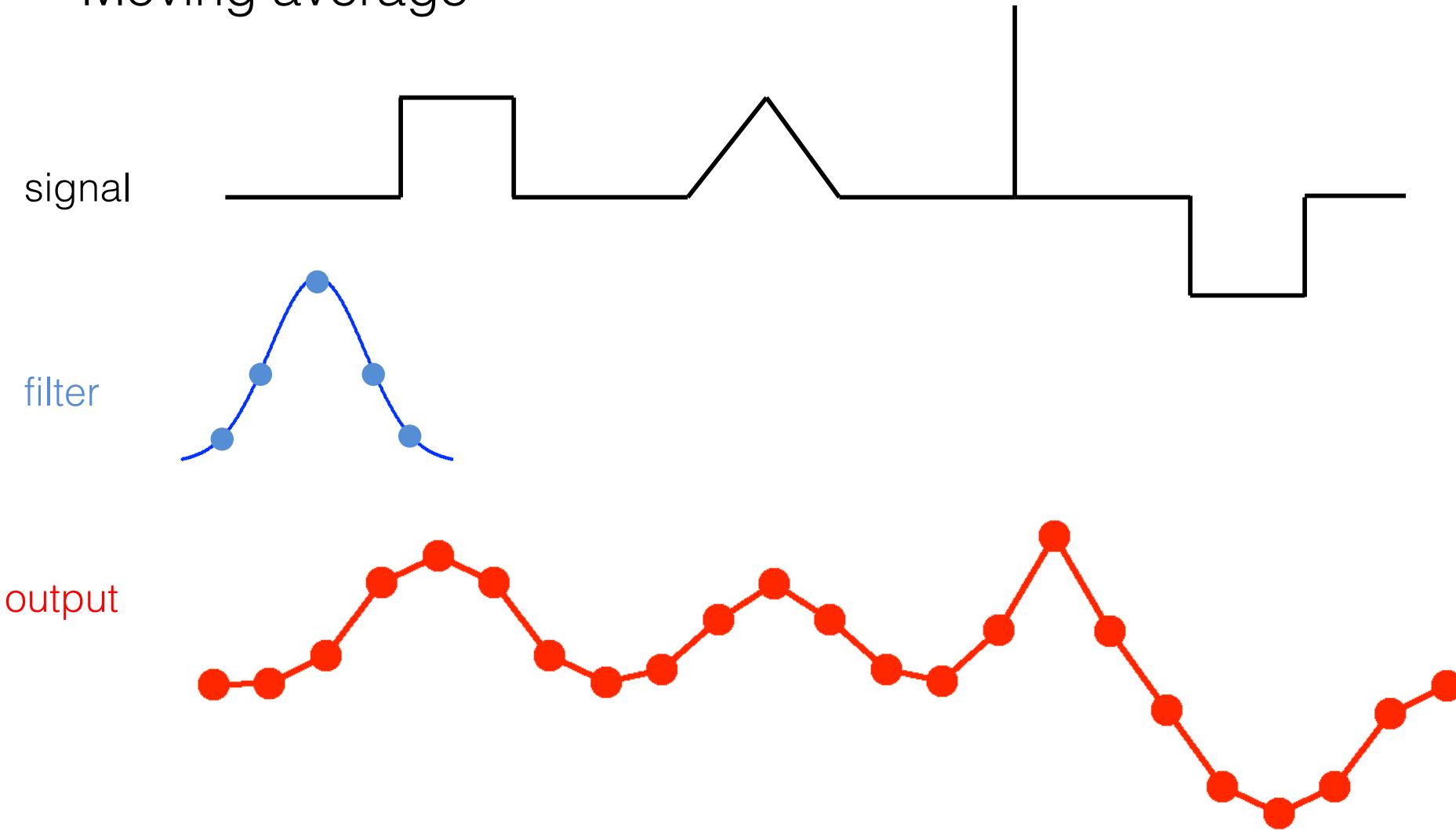
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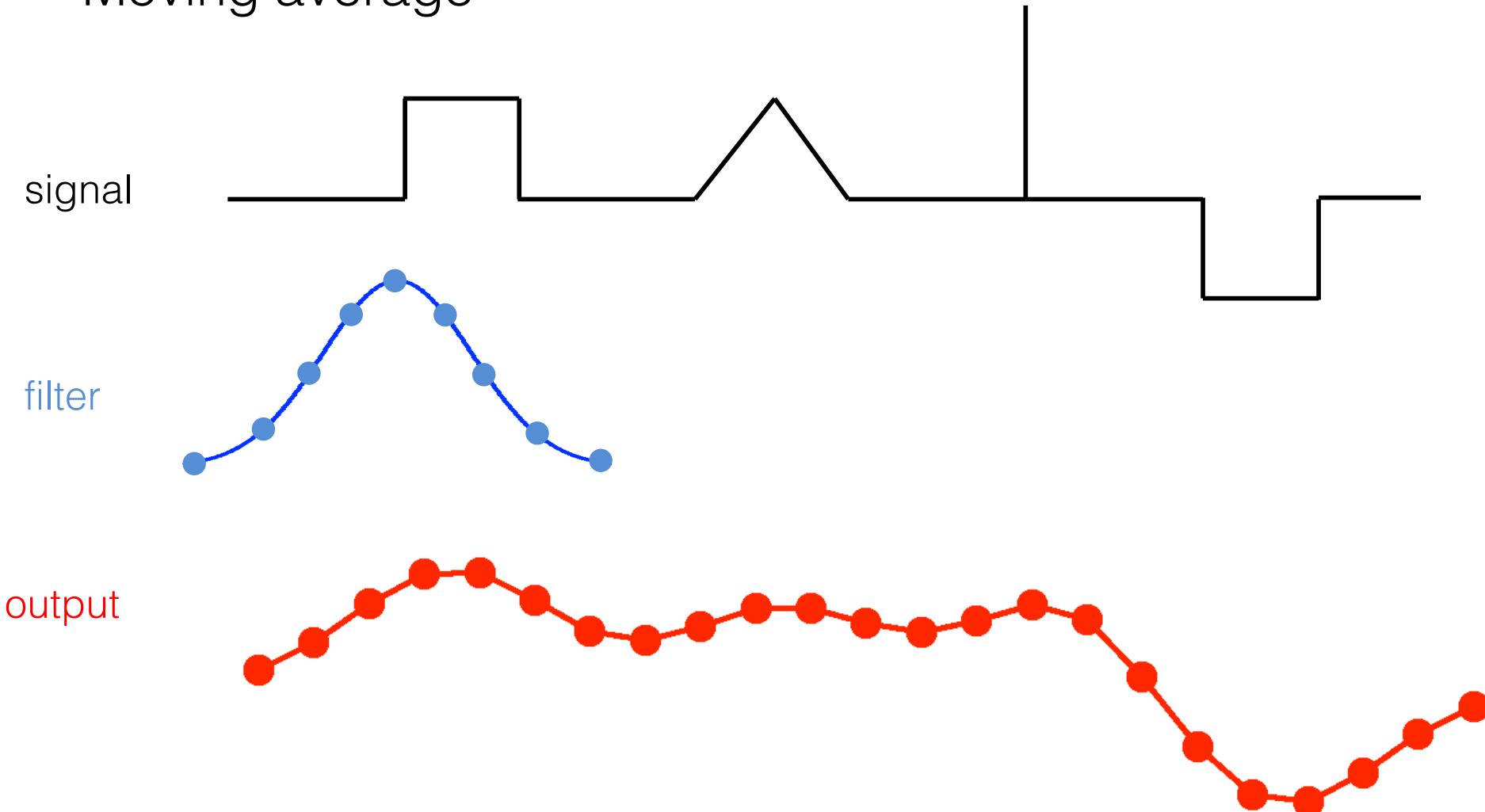
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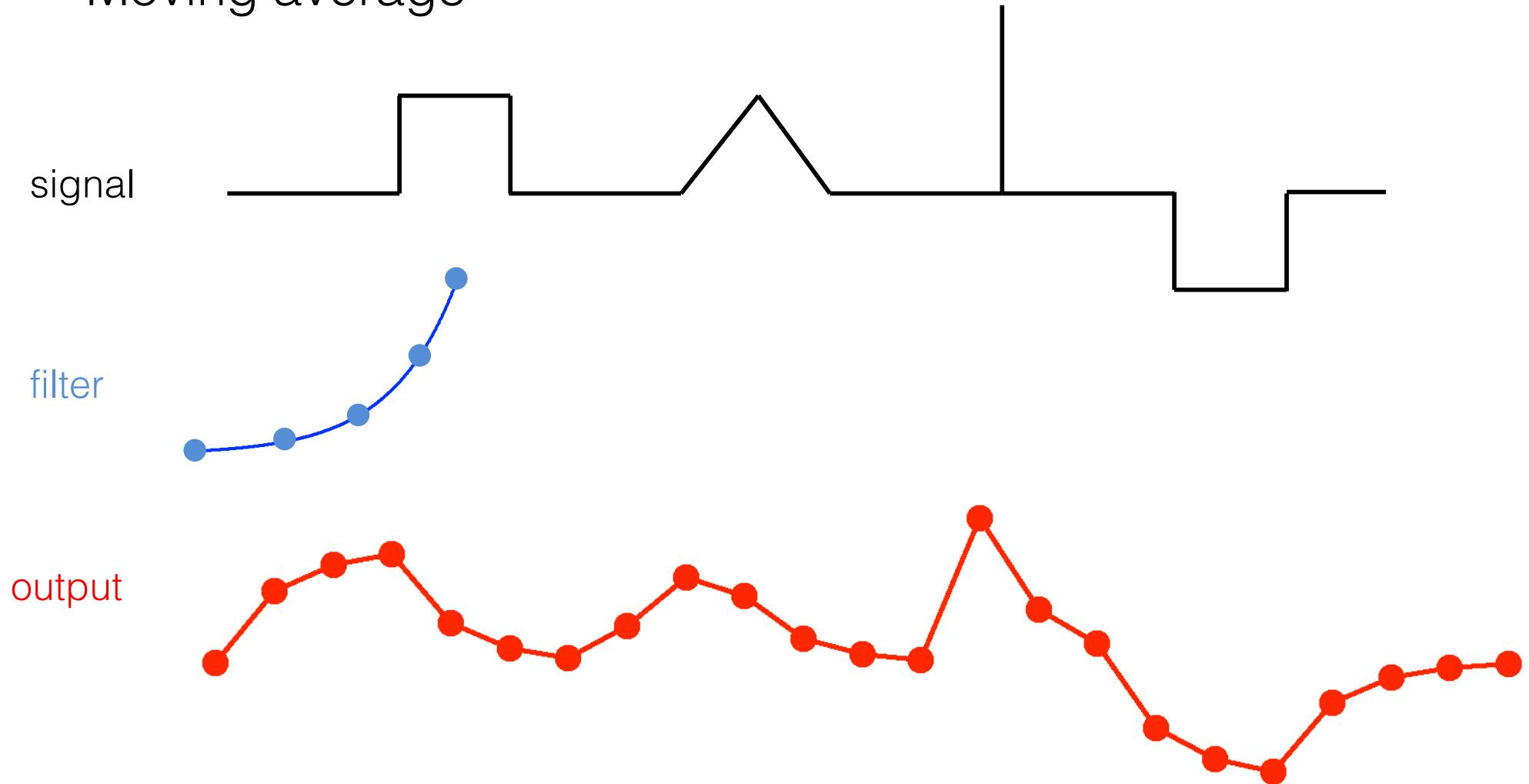
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MATLAB: `conv(signal, fliplr(filter), 'same')`

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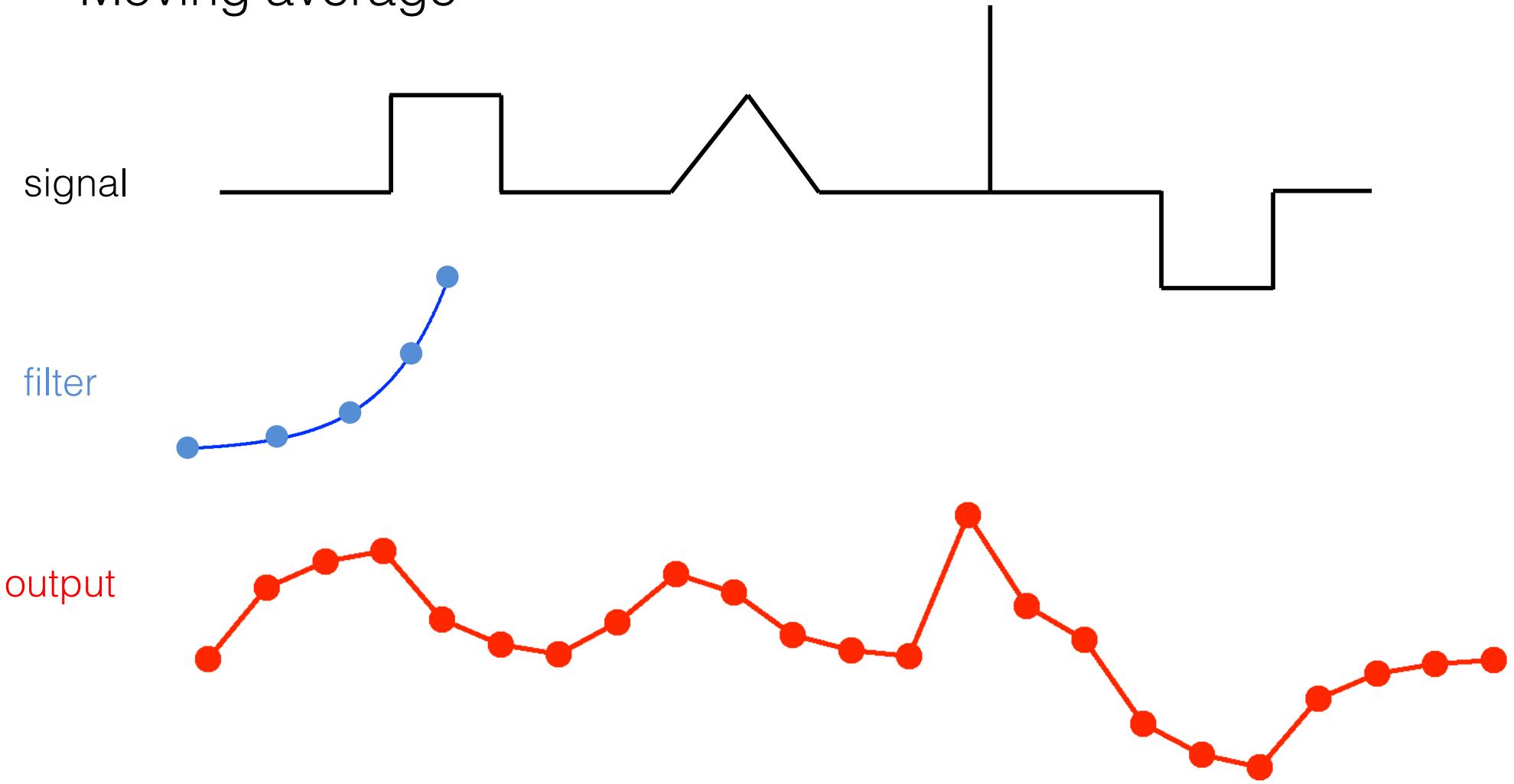
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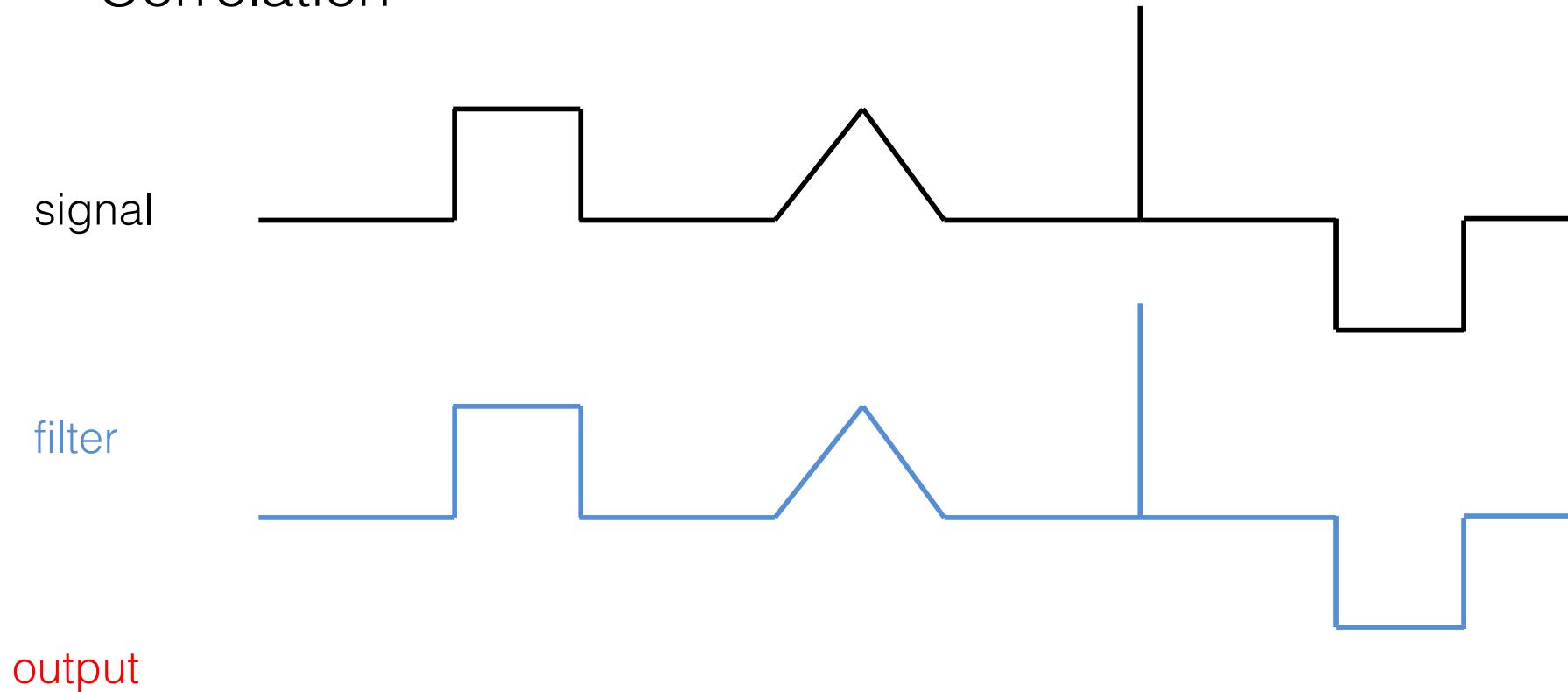


a note about using asymmetric filters in MATLAB

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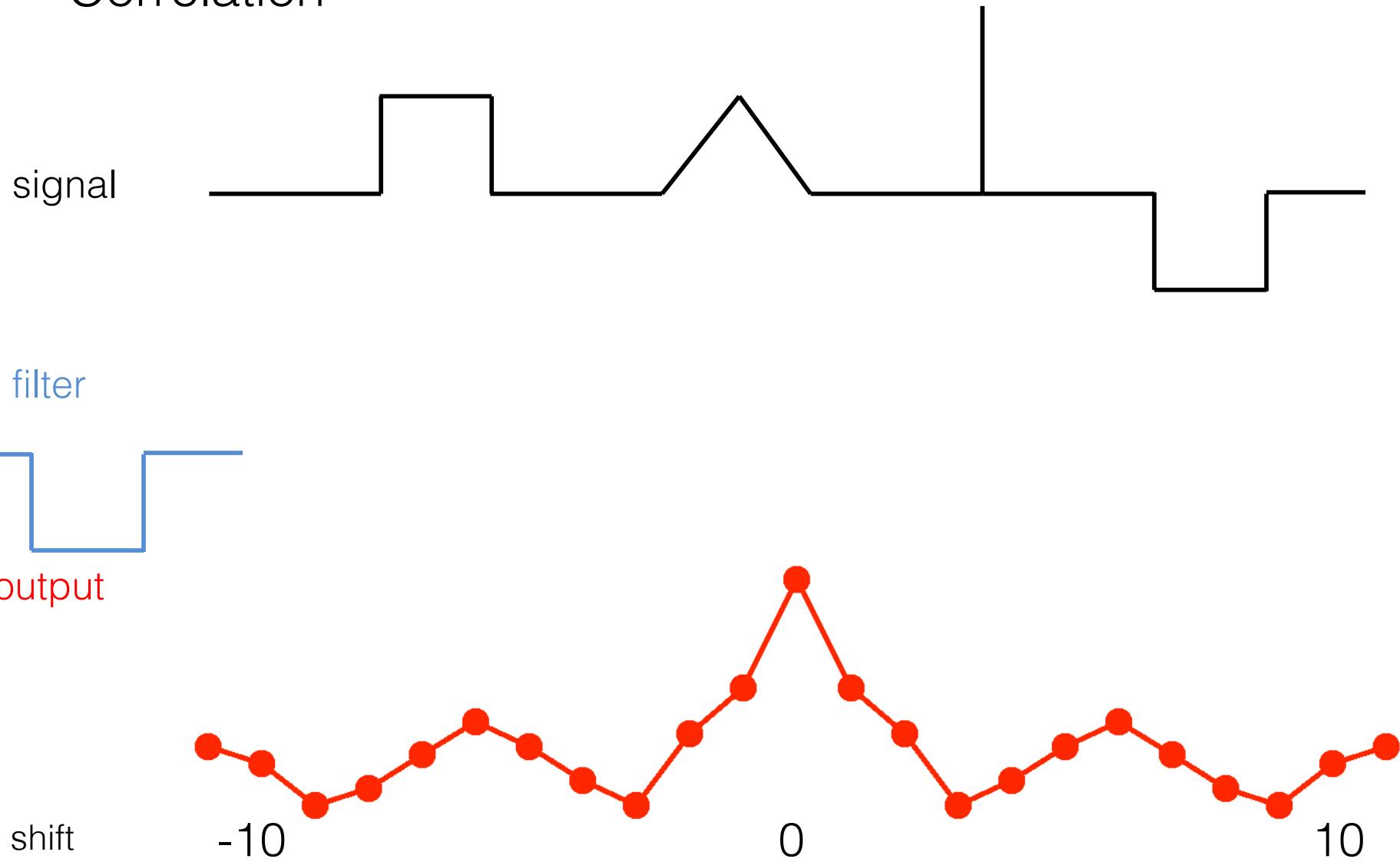
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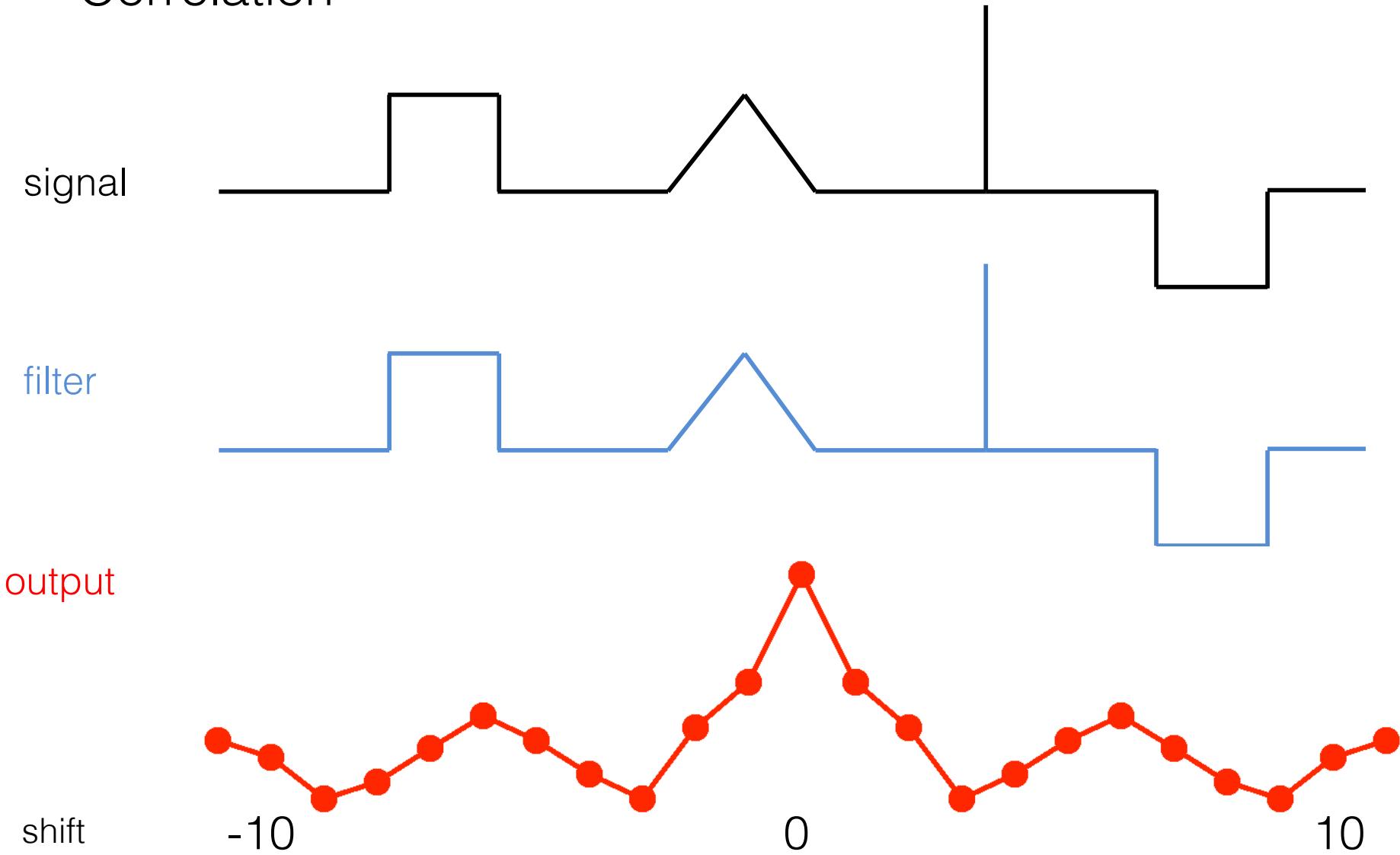
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MATLAB: `conv2(signal, filter, 'same')`

2d Convolution examples

Image processing

signal



MATLAB: `conv2(signal, filter, 'same')`

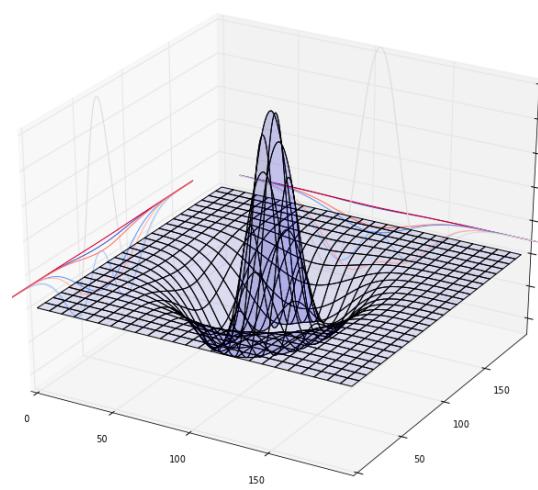
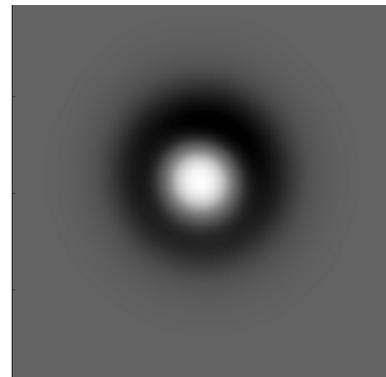
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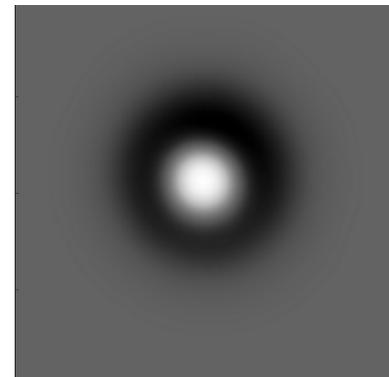
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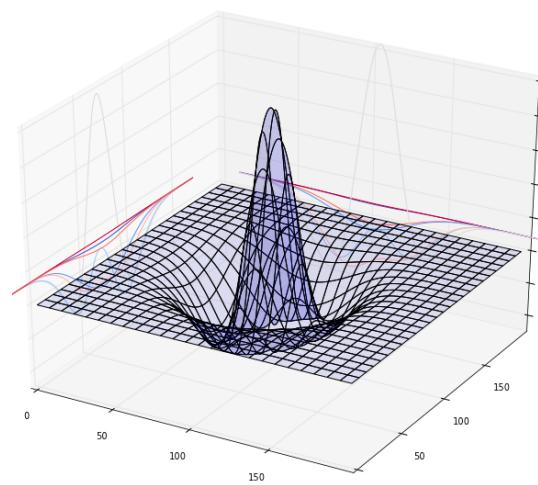
signal



filter



output



MATLAB: `conv2(signal, filter, 'same')`

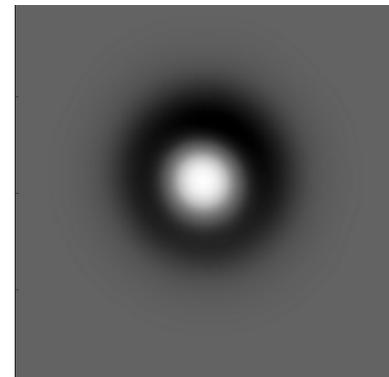
2d Convolution examples

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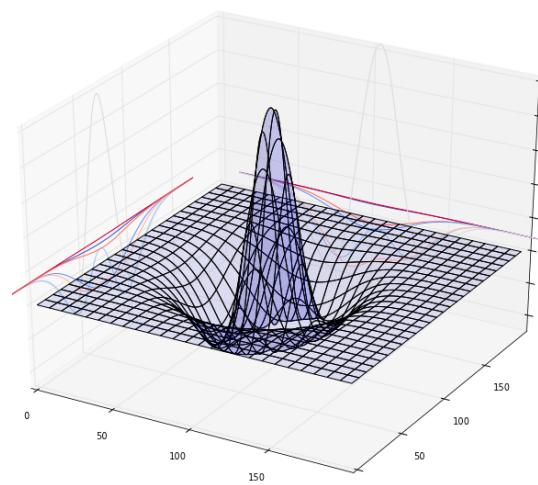
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- c) flip the copied signal and divide by the signal std
- d) find someone to help

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Today's lecture

When will this be useful?

Filtering in time or space

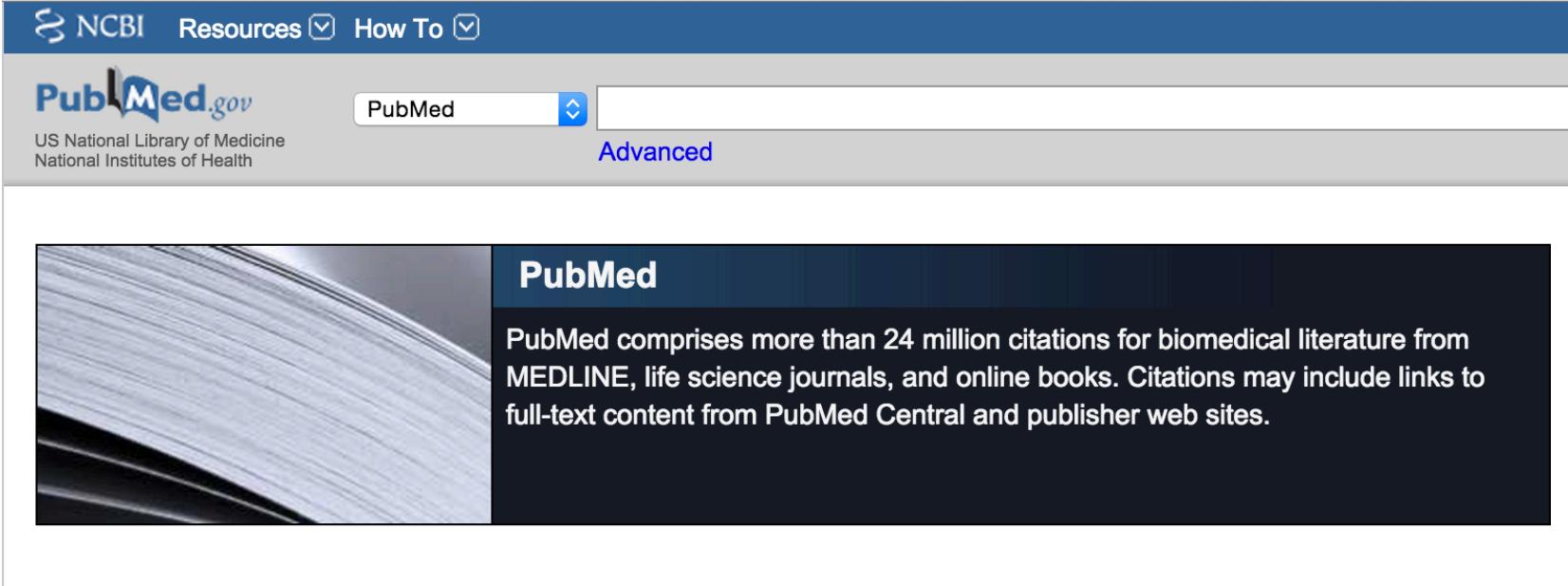
- What is convolution?
- How much should I filter?

Filtering in frequency

- Fourier series
- What is a Fourier transform?
- Designing filters in frequency domain

Fourier transform

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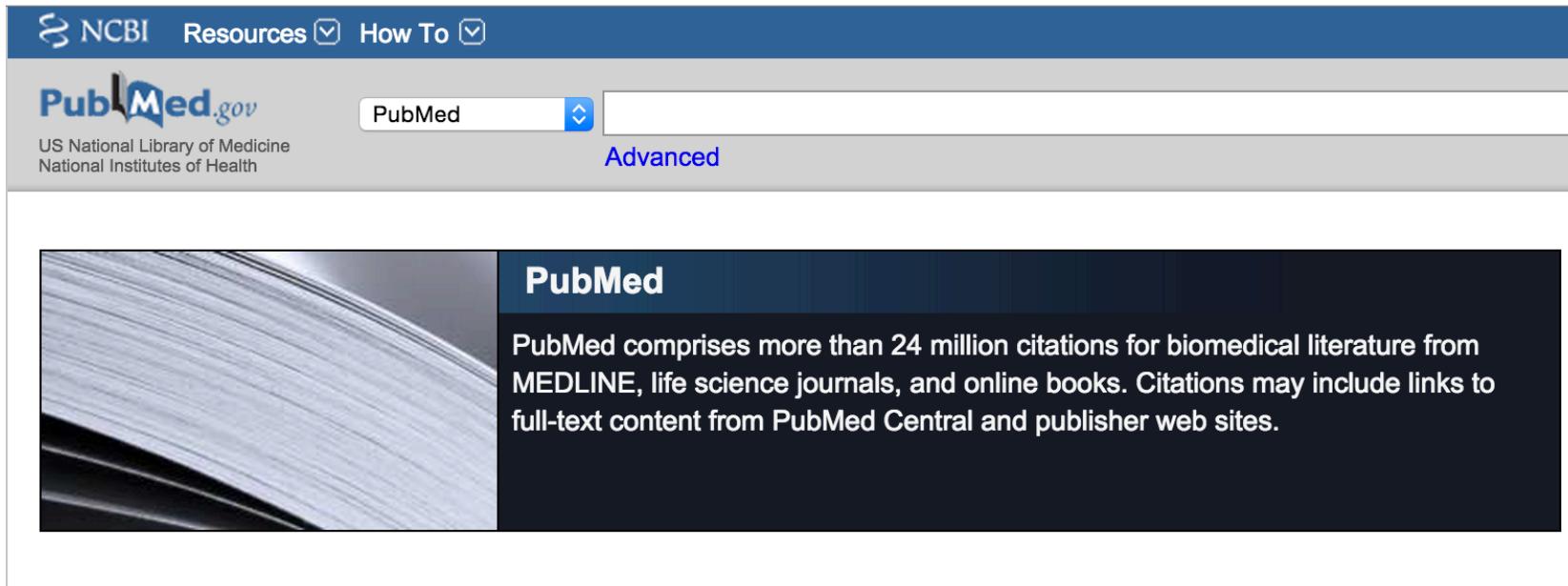
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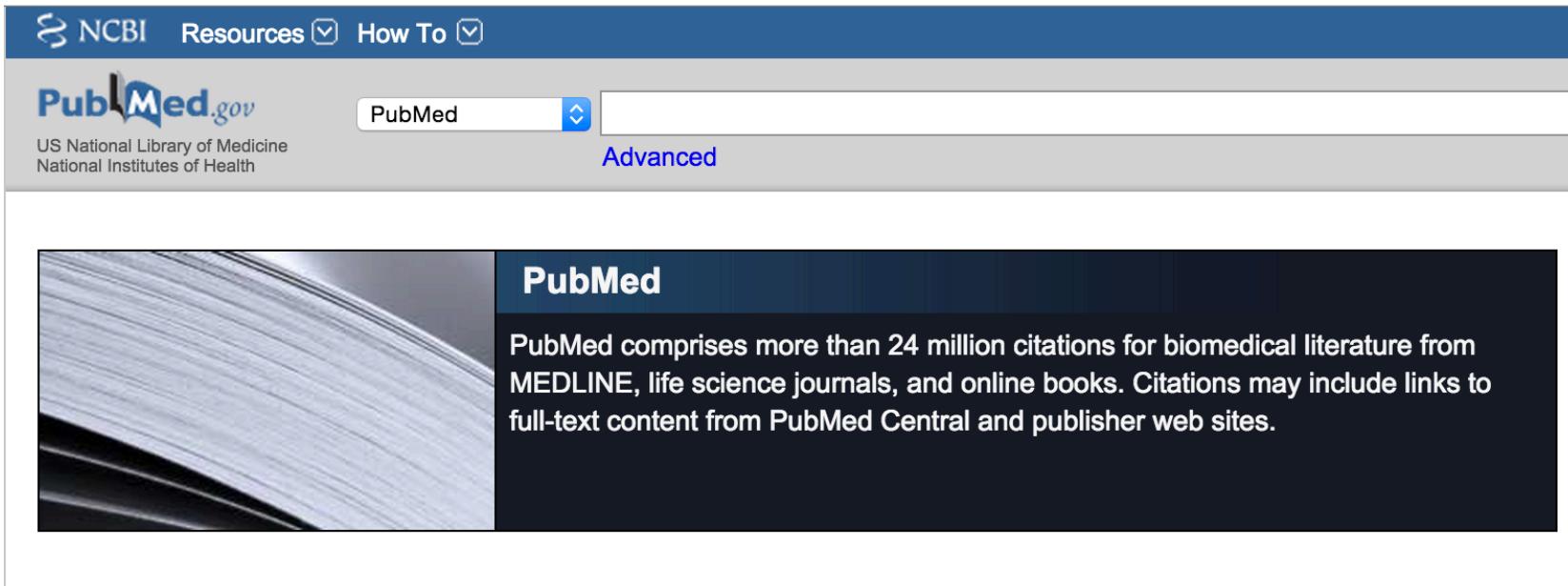
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Other reasons Fourier transform is useful

Ease of computation

Filtering (convolution) is just element-wise multiplication in the frequency domain

Designing filters to remove noise is a lot easier in the frequency domain

Describing things

The cochlea transforms time domain signal into a frequency signal

Many brain regions have oscillations of a particular frequency

Fourier series

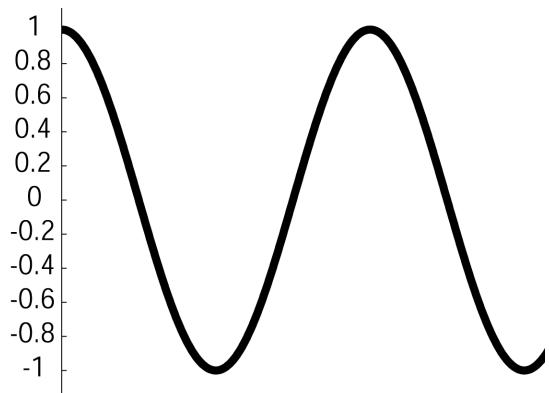
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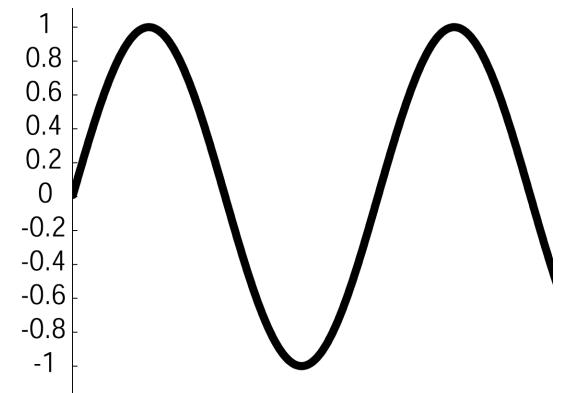
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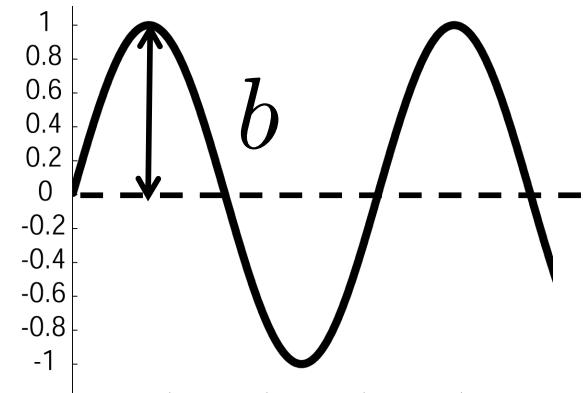
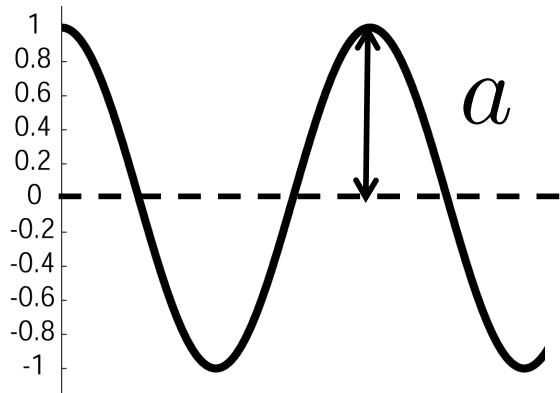


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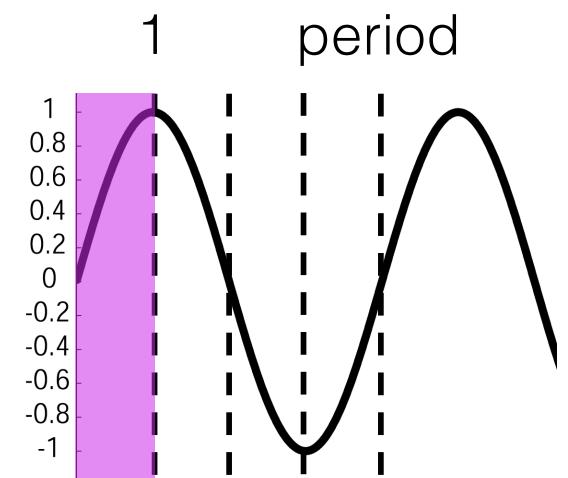
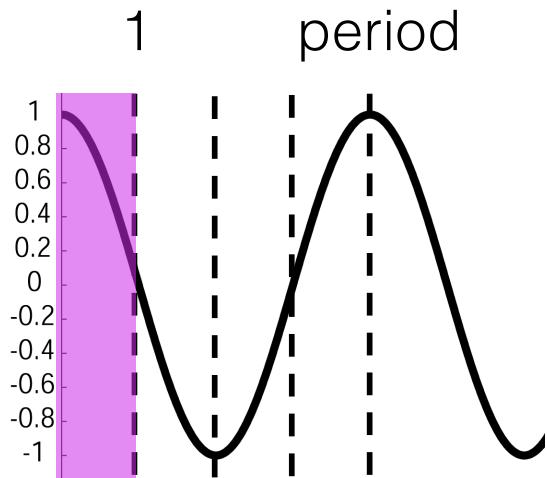
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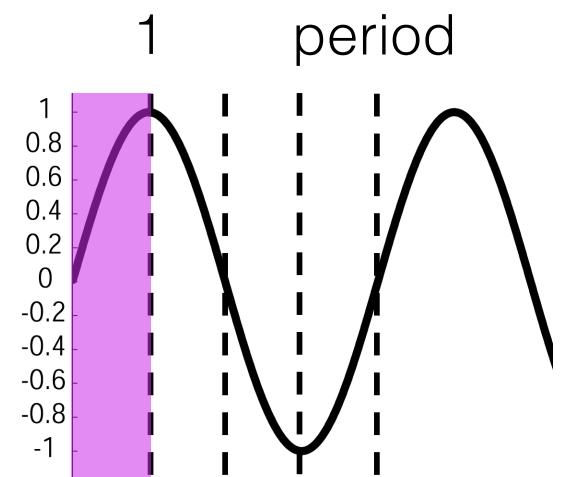
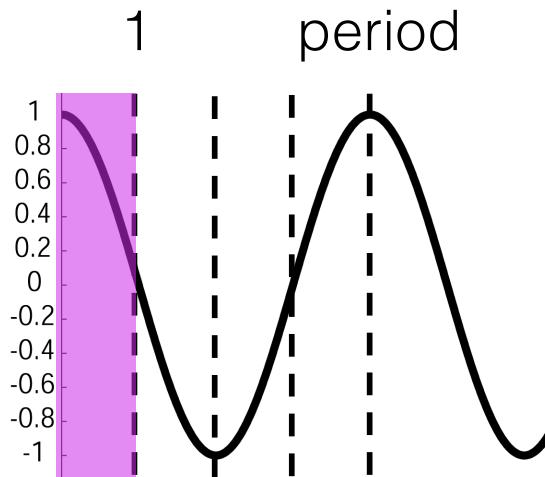
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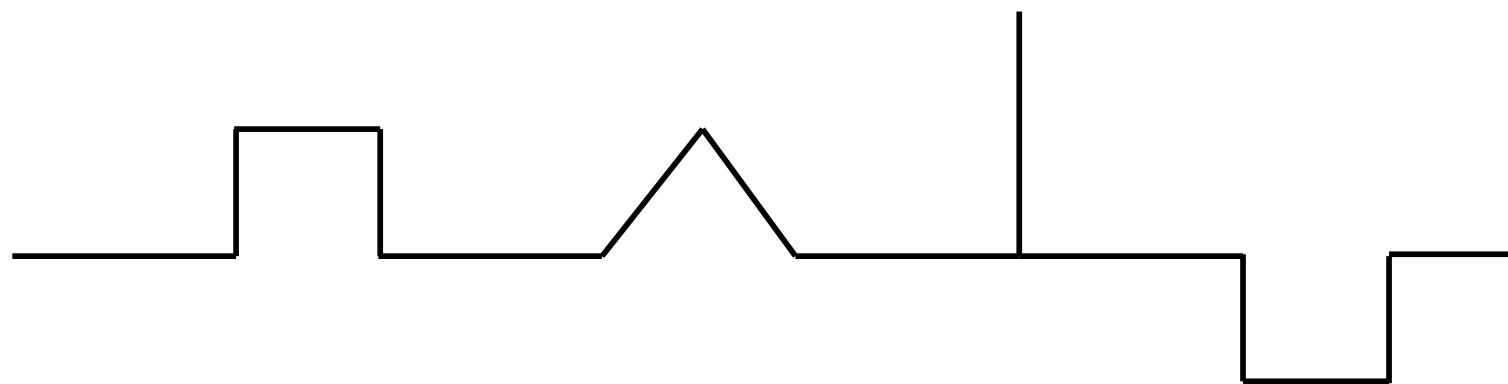
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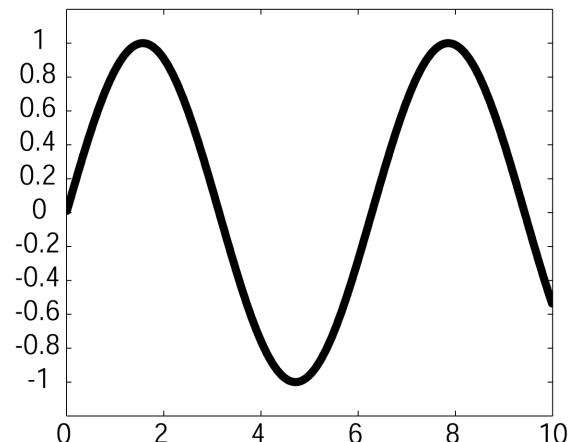


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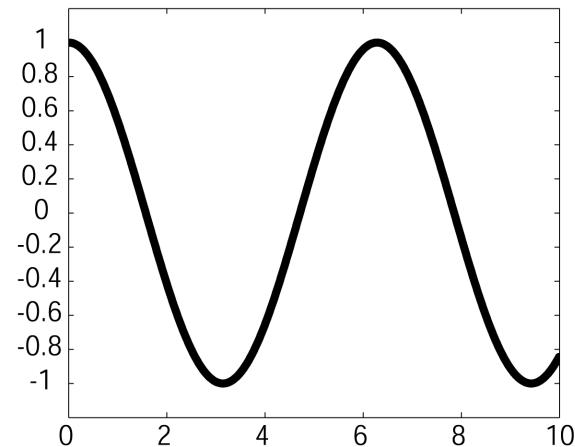
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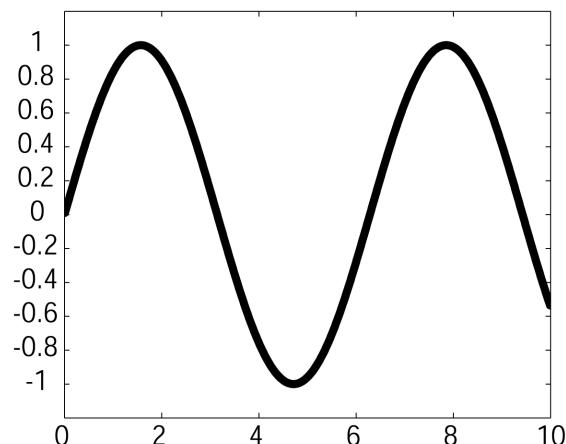


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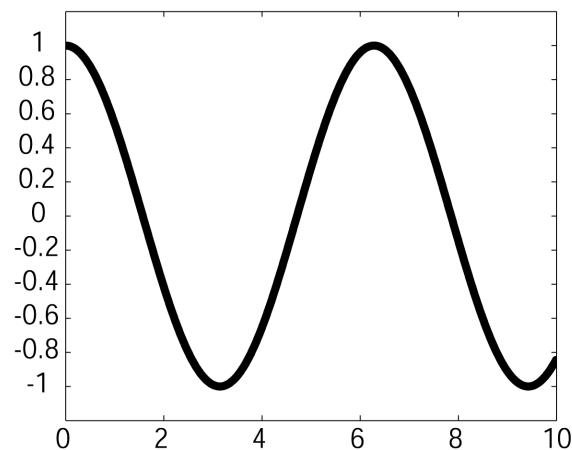
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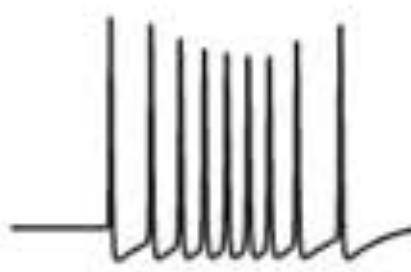


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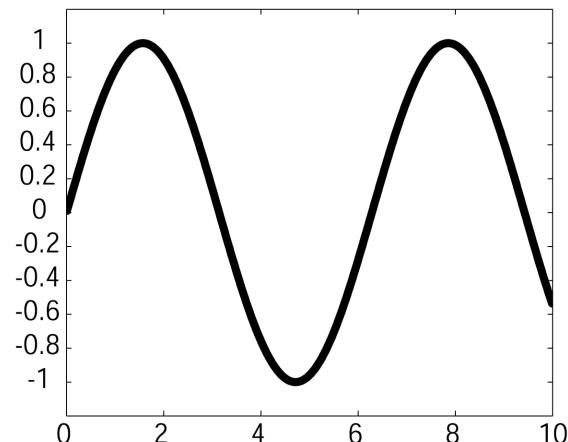


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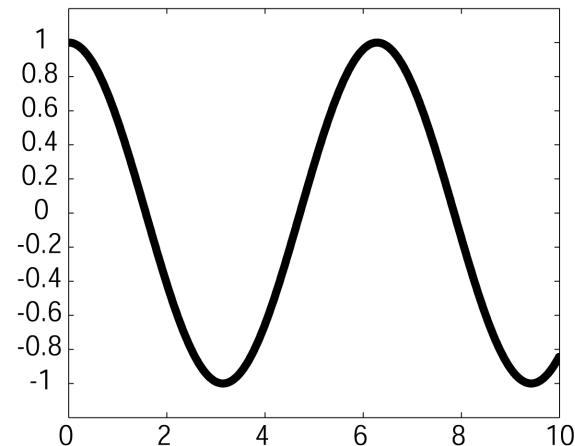
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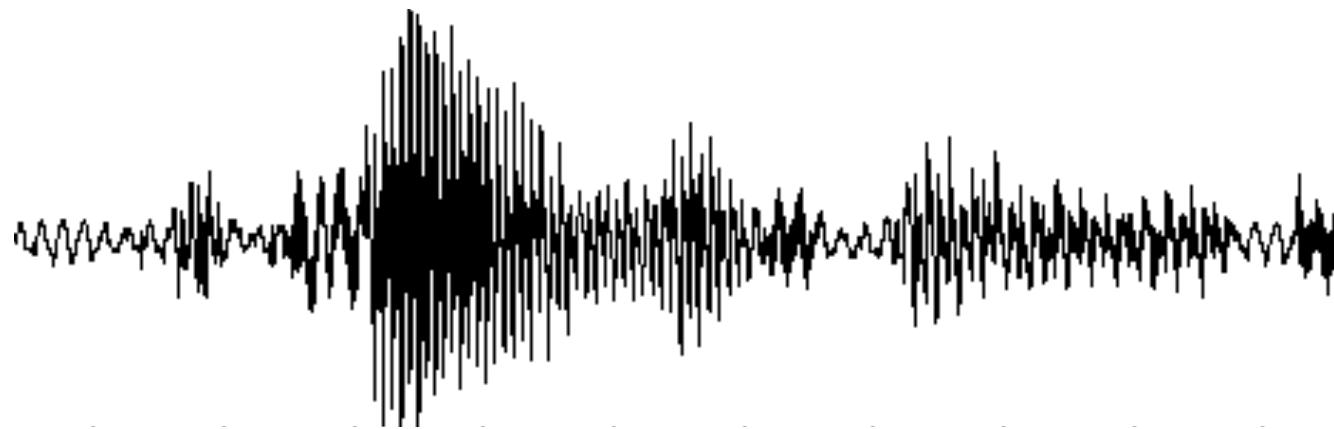


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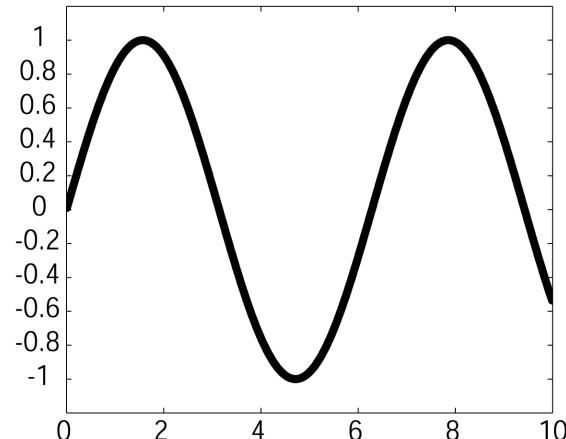


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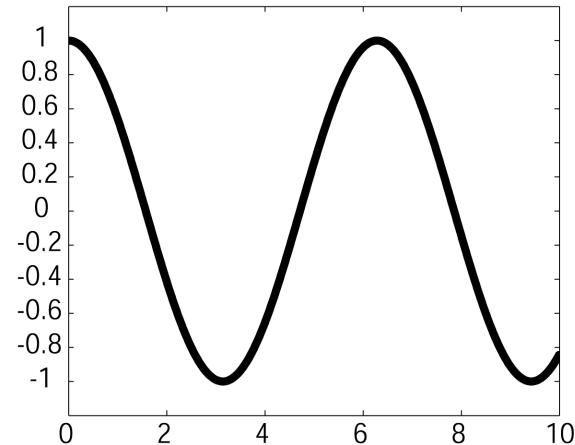
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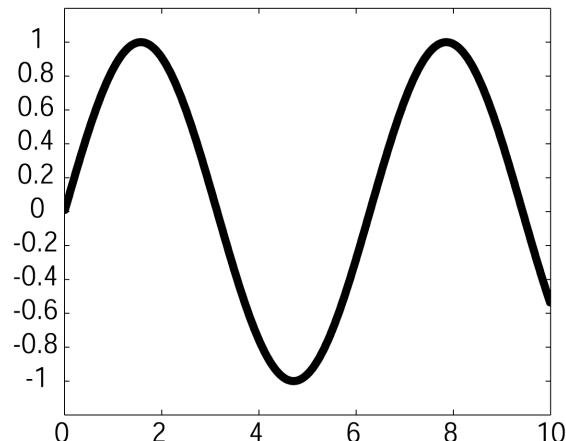
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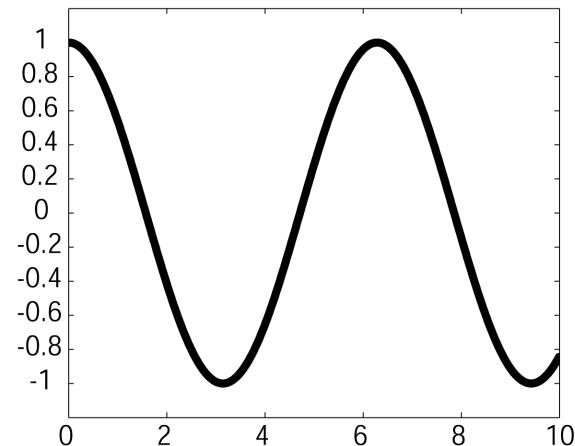
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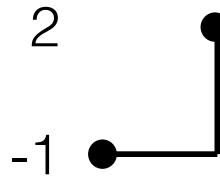


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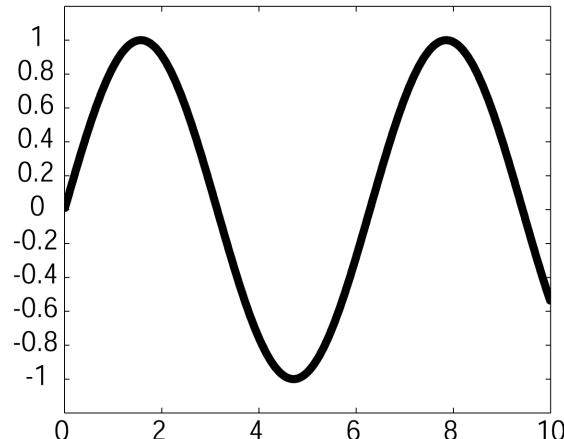


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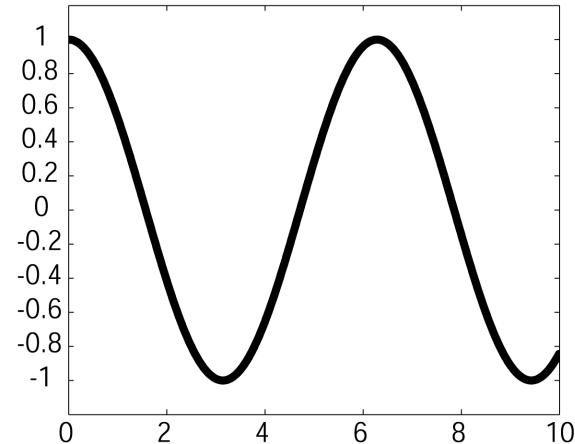
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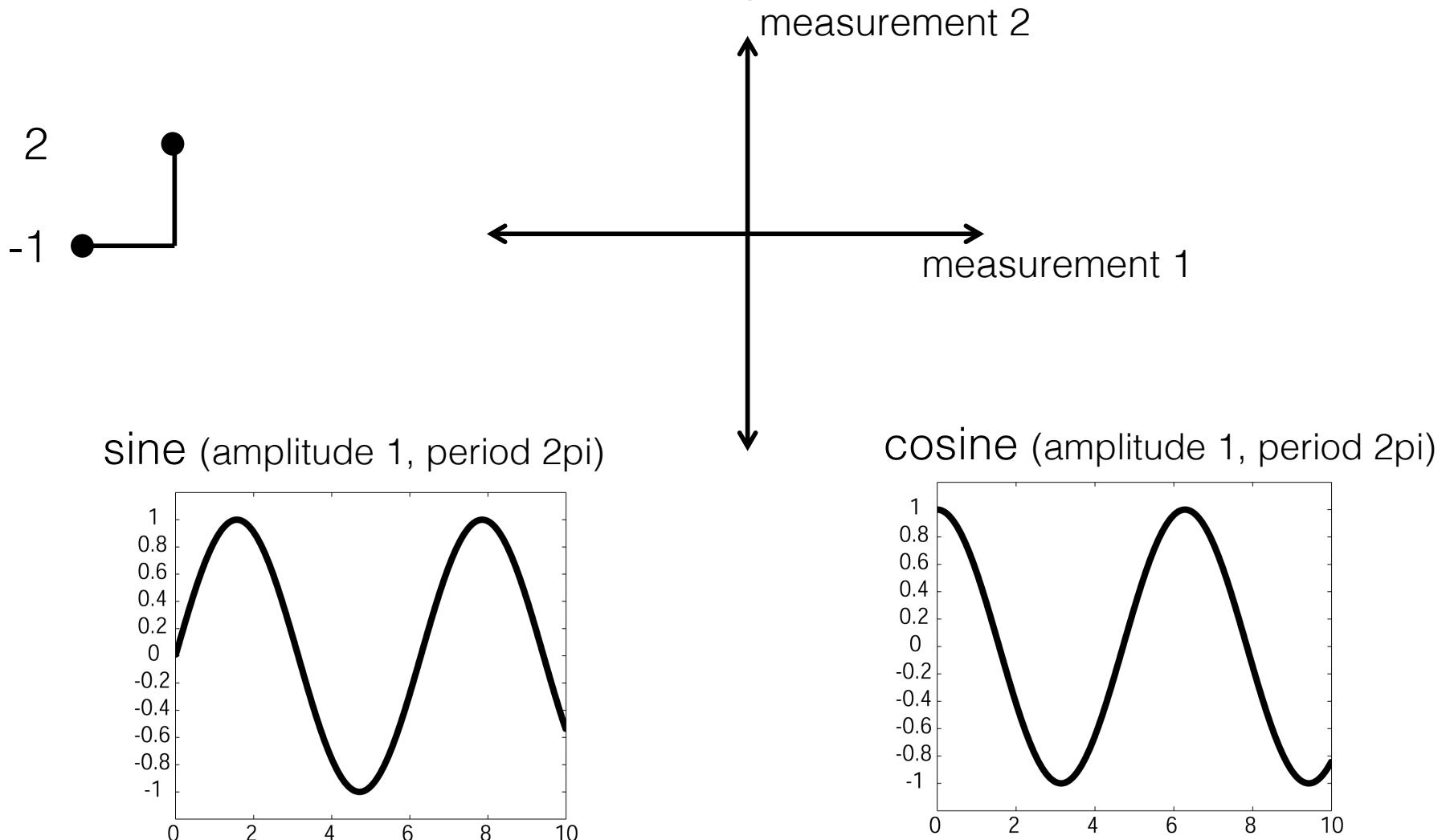


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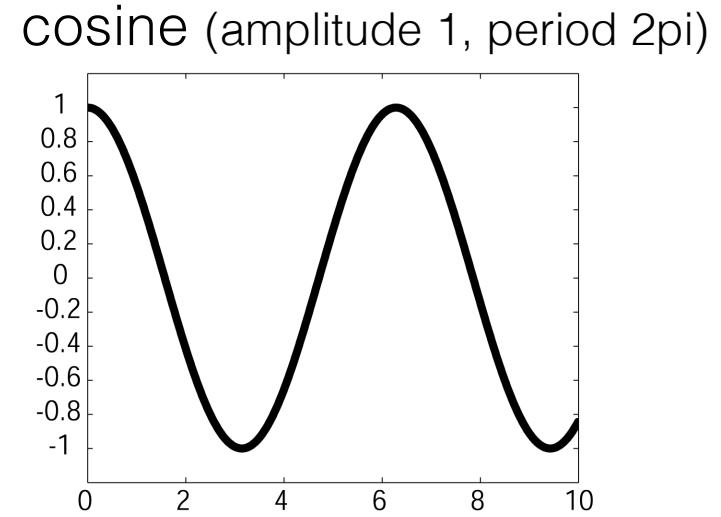
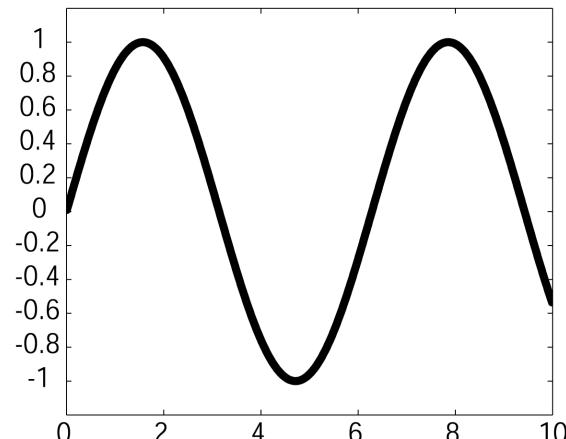
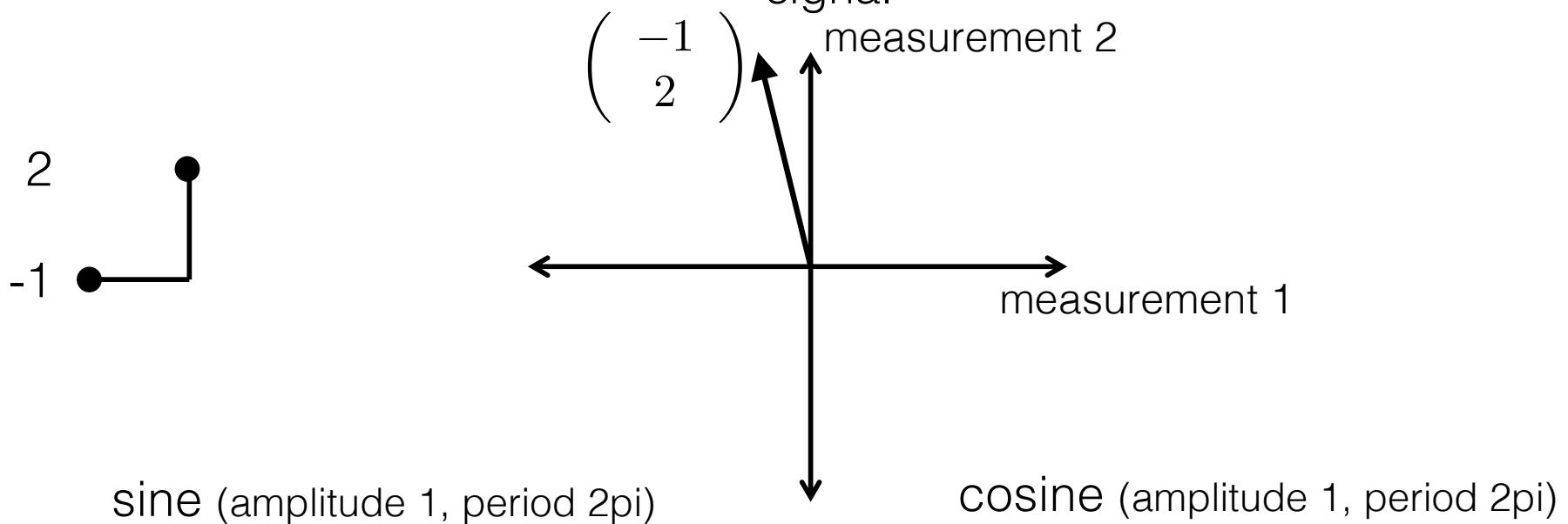
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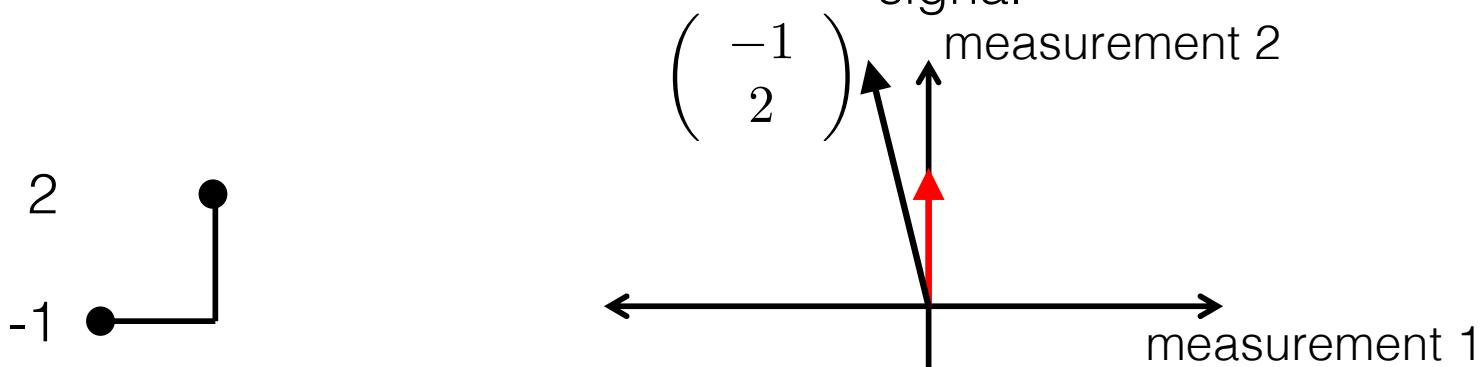
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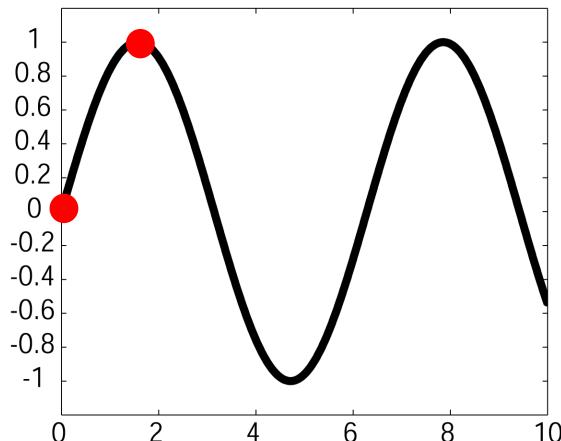
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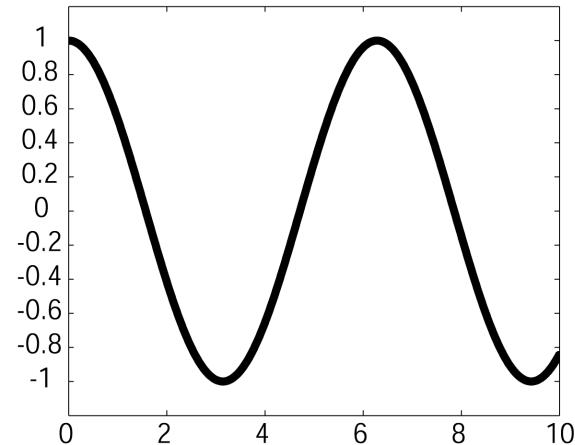


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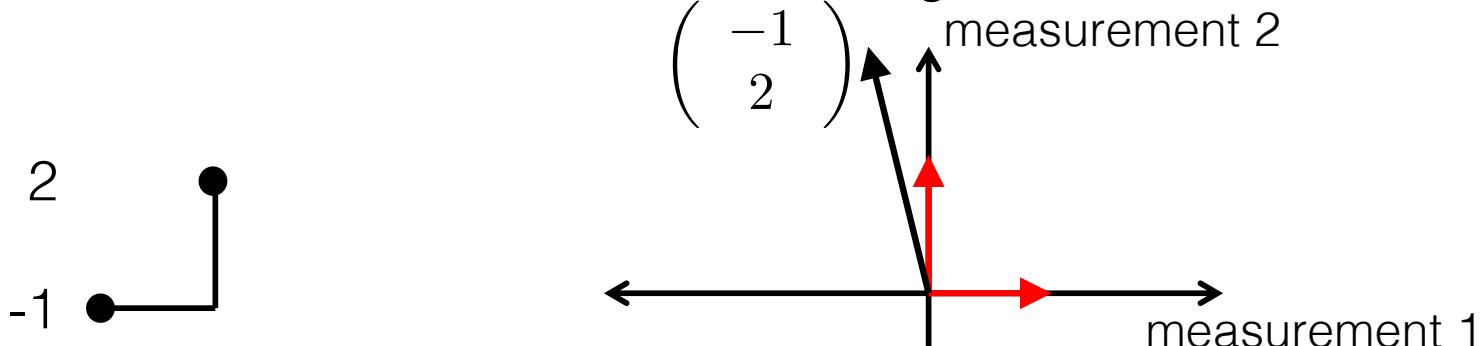


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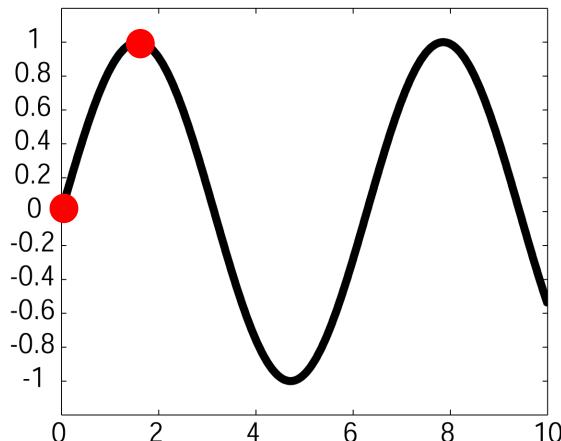
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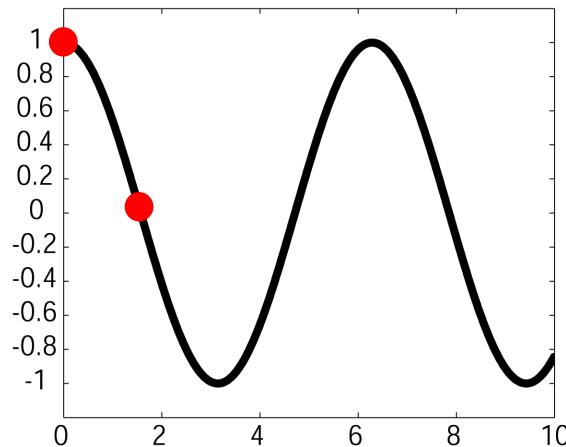
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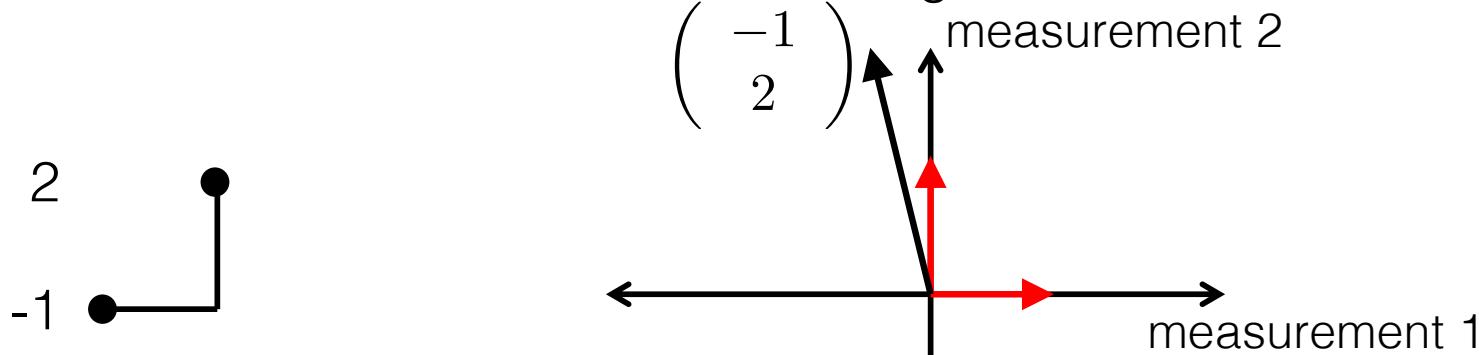
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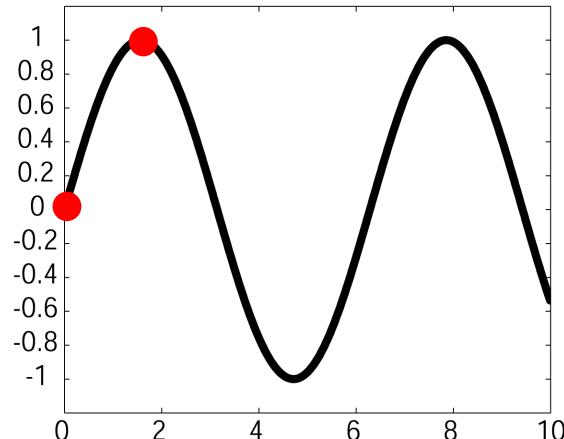
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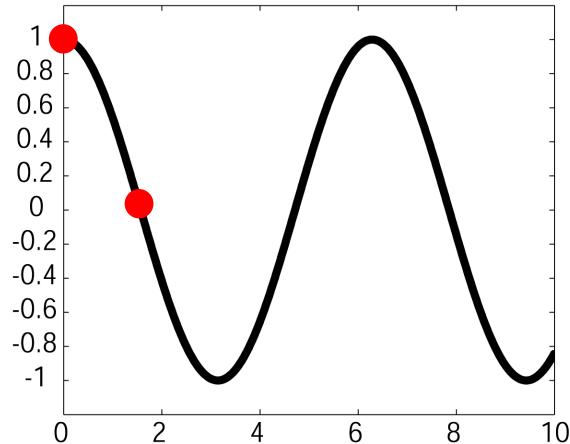
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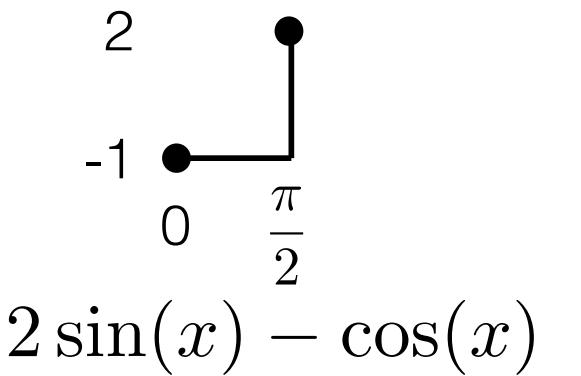
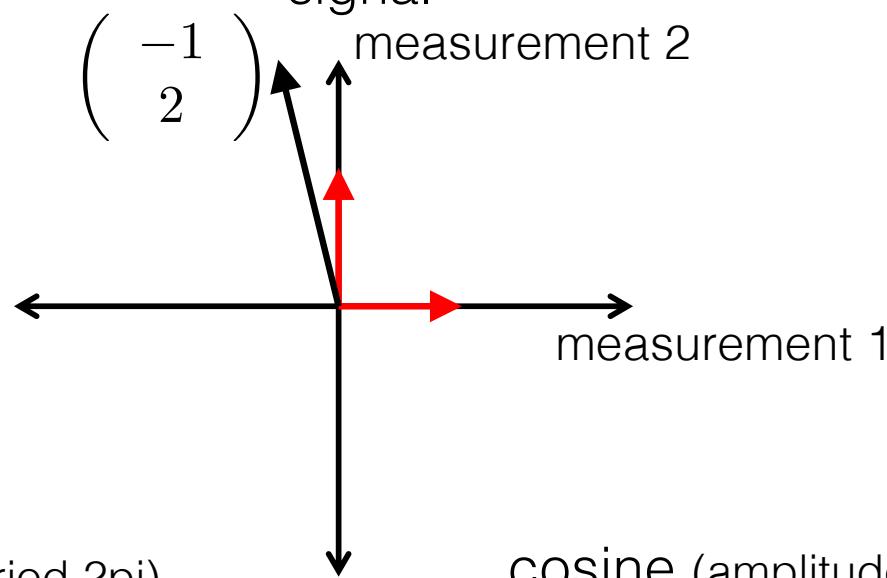
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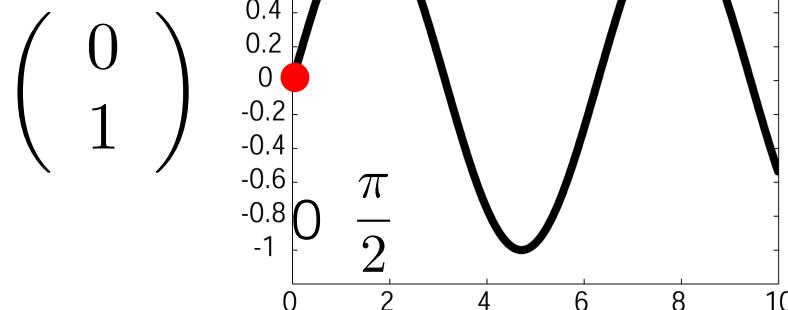
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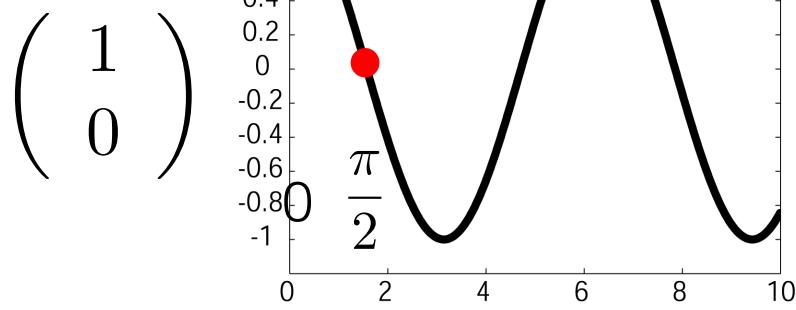


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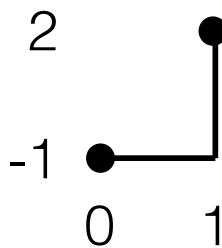
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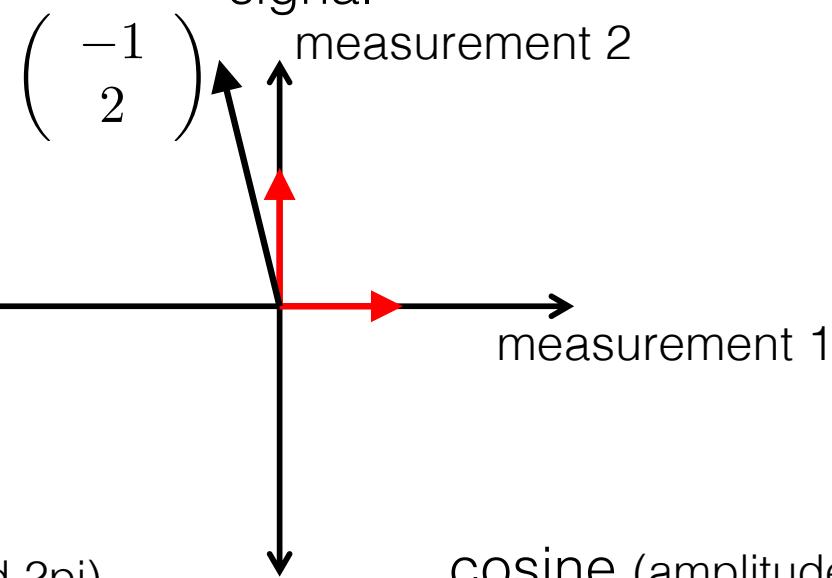
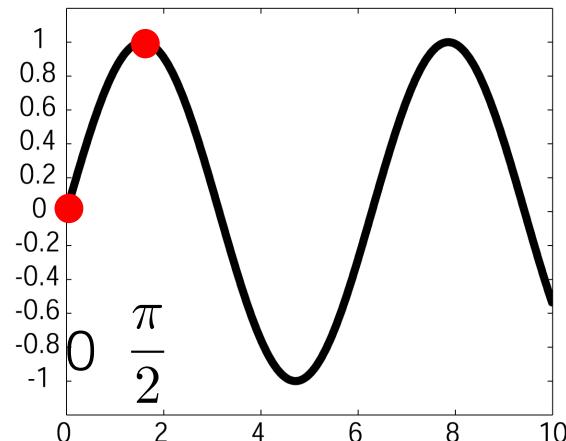
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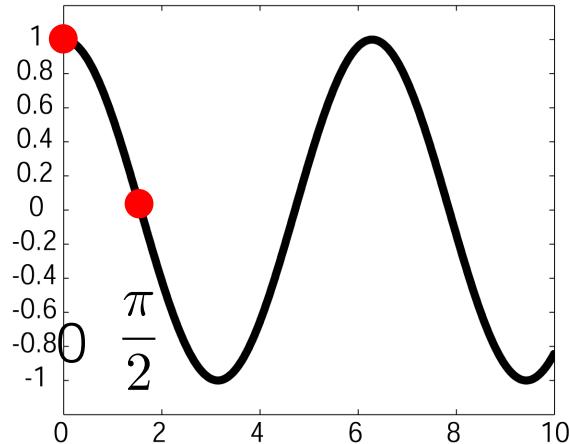
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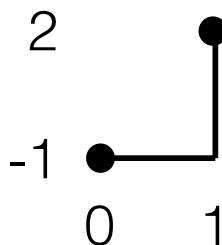
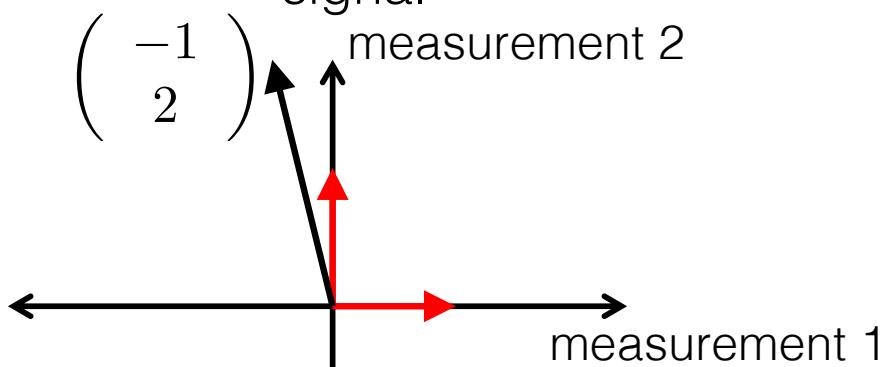
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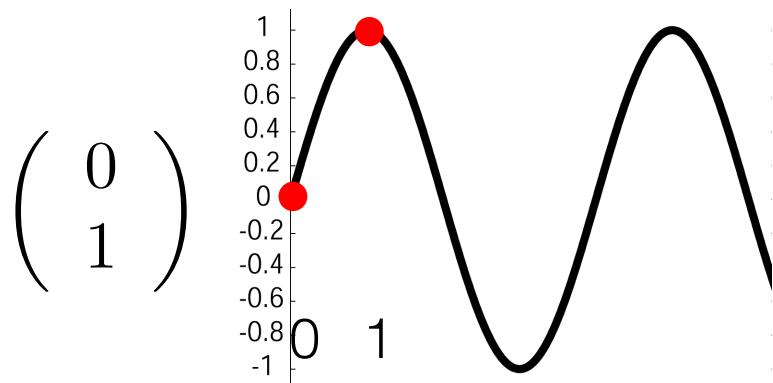
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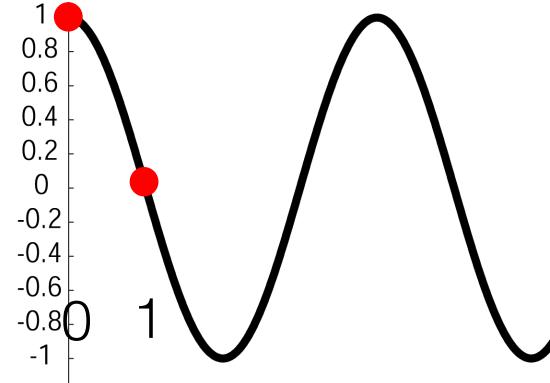
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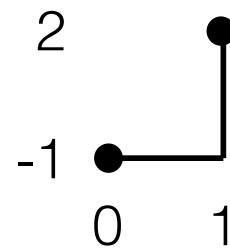
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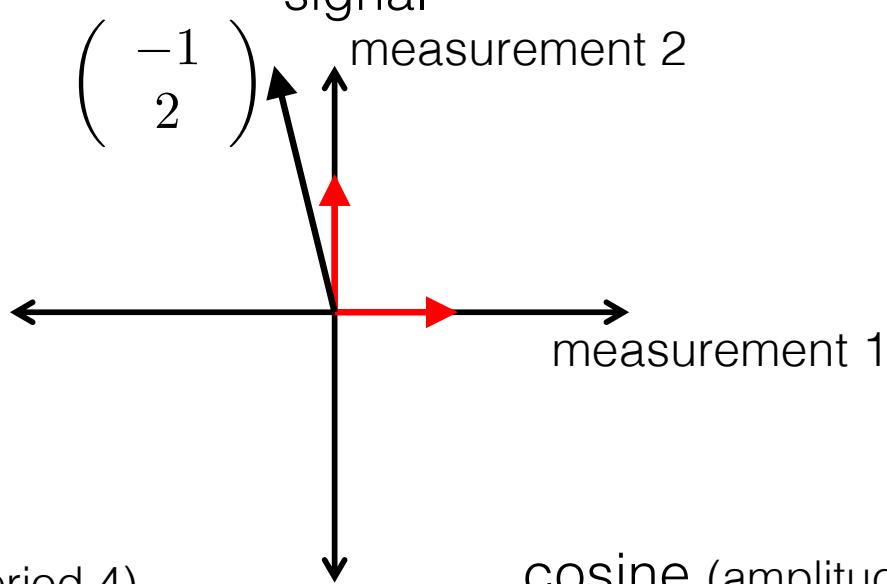
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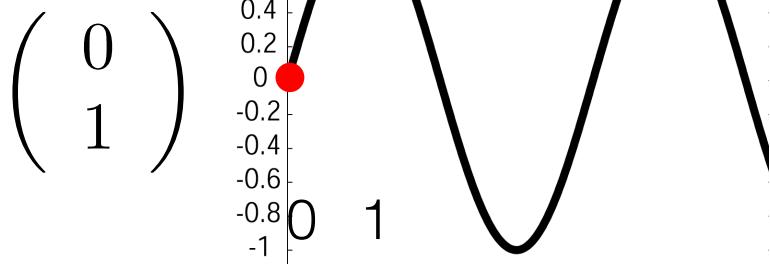


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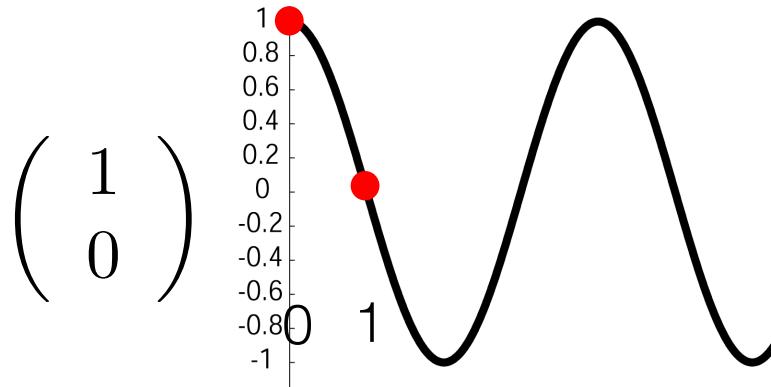
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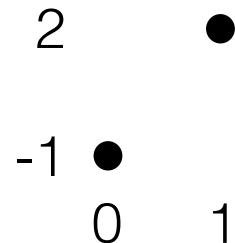
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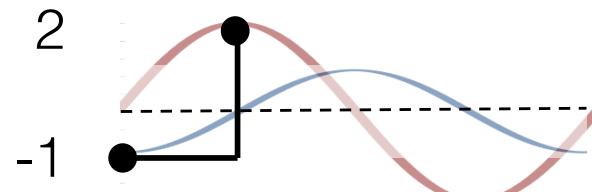
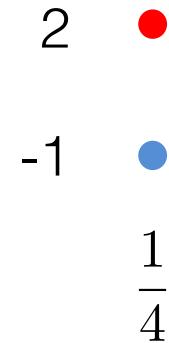
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Moving to frequency space

signal measurements
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sinusoid coefficients
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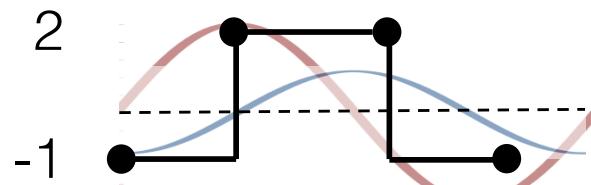
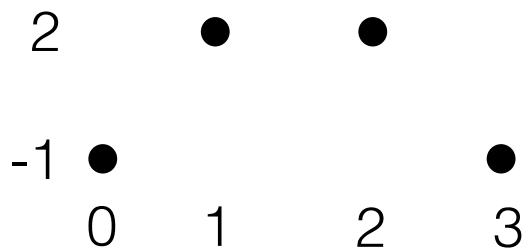


$$-1 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + 2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right)$$

Moving to frequency space

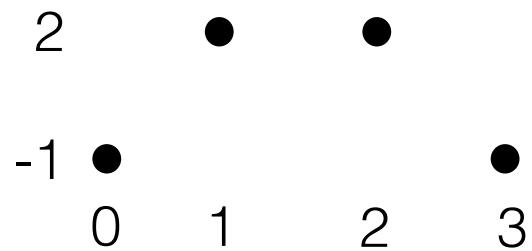
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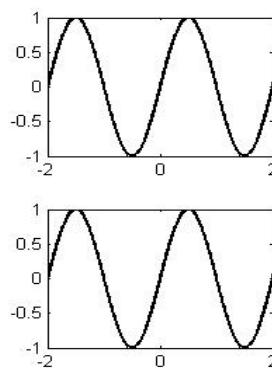
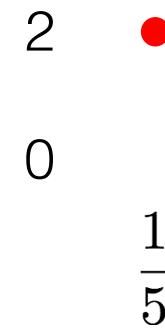


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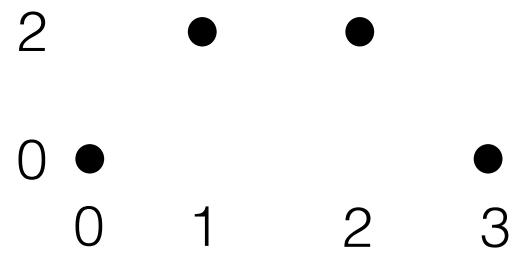


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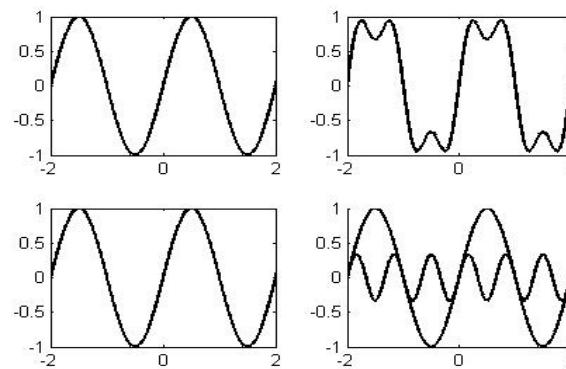
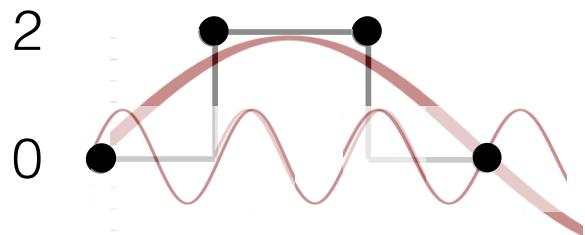
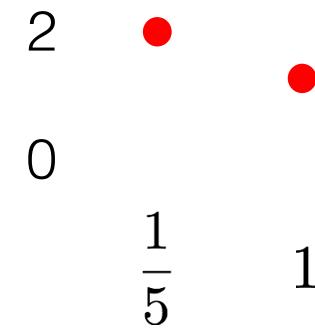


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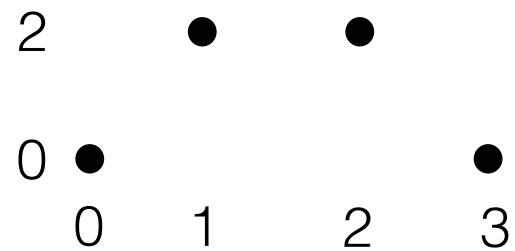


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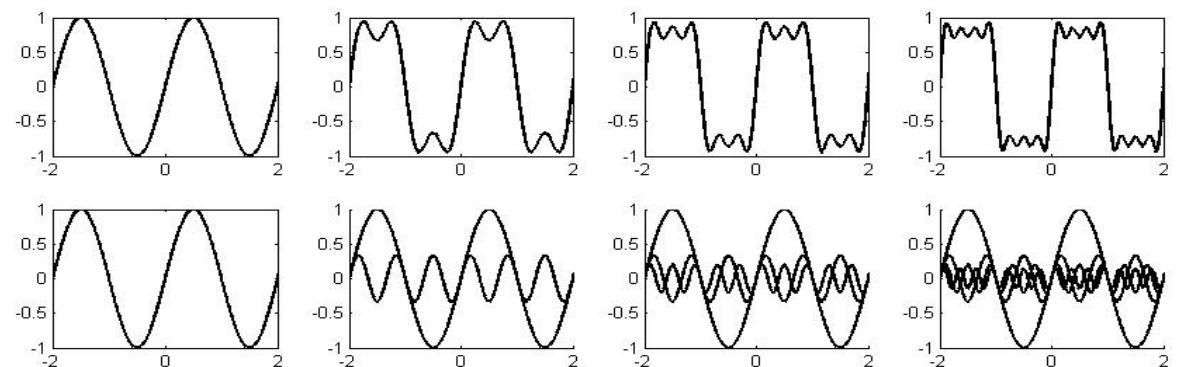
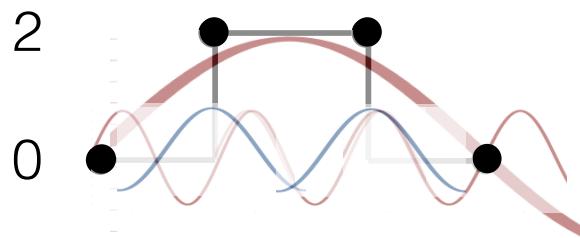
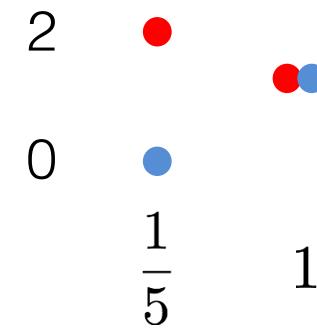


Moving to frequency space

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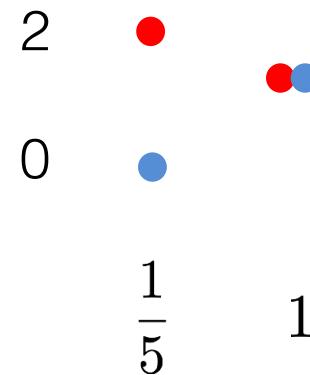


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Fourier transform

Fourier series

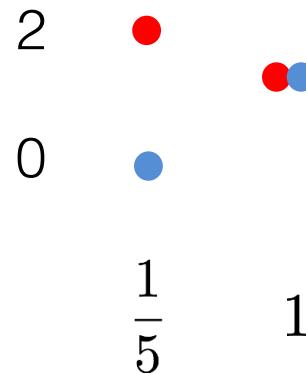


$$0 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}x\right) + 2 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}x\right)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Fourier transform

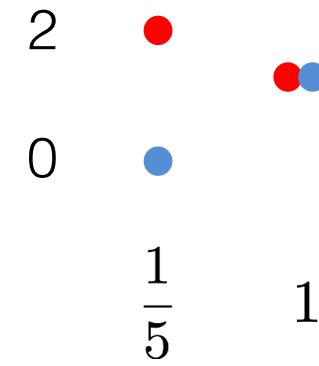
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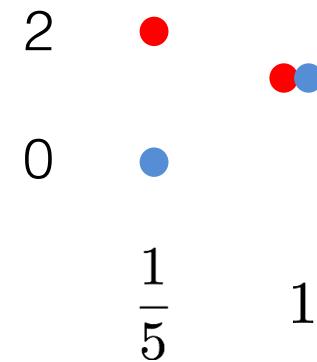
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$$0 - 2i$$

Fourier transform

$$F[\text{signal}]_f = \sum_t^{T-1} \text{signal}(t) \cdot e^{-i2\pi ft}$$

Fourier transform



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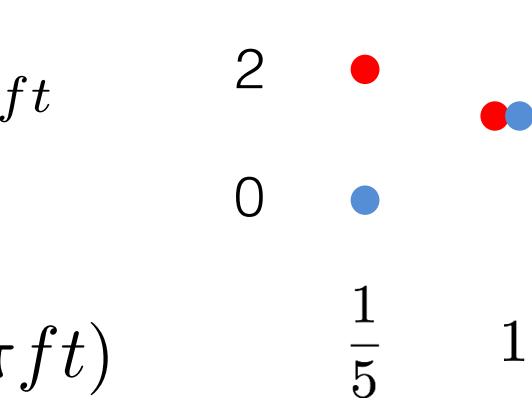
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MATLAB: `fft(signal)`

Fourier transform

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$$\color{blue}{0} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}x\right) - i \color{red}{2} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}x\right)$$

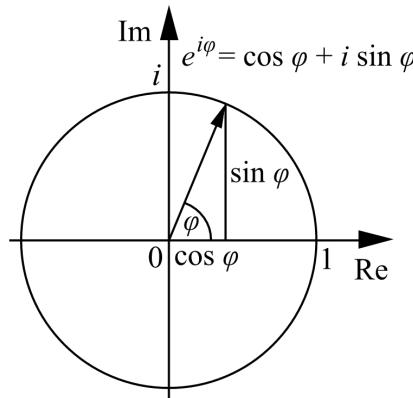
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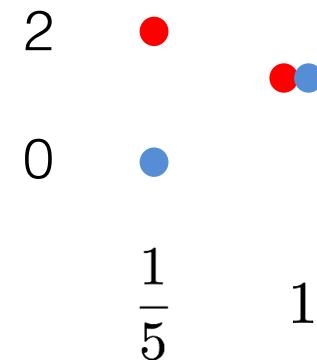
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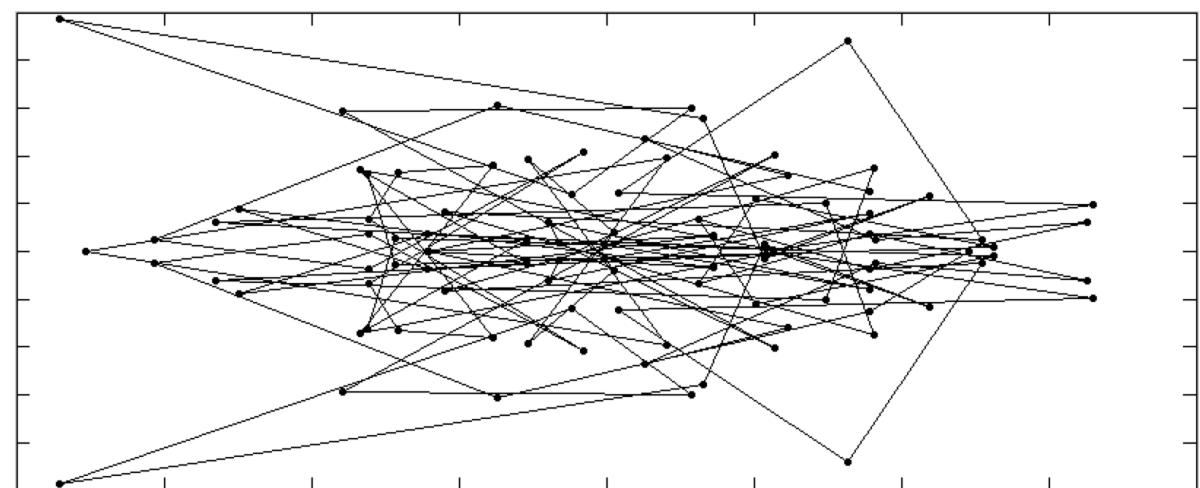
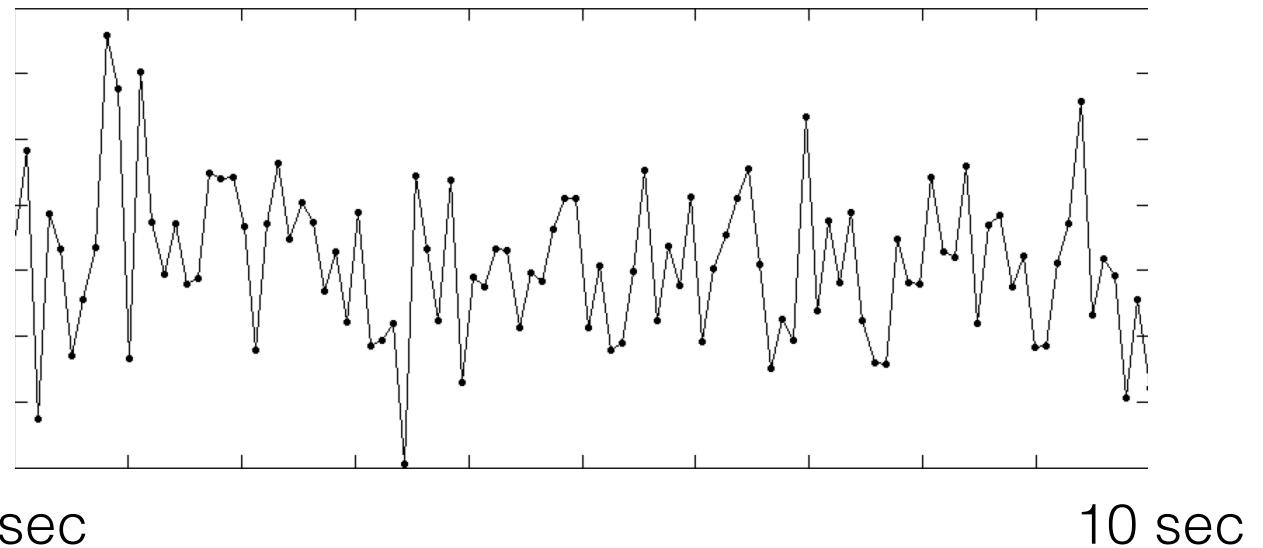
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MATLAB: `fft(signal)`

Fourier transform example

random white noise
sampled at 10 Hz

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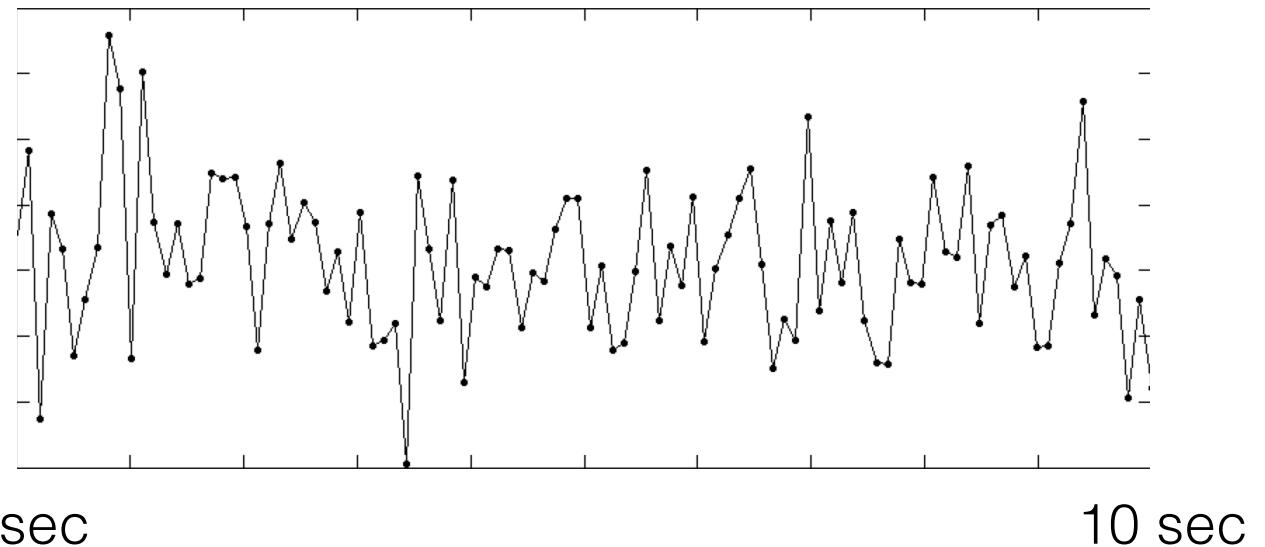


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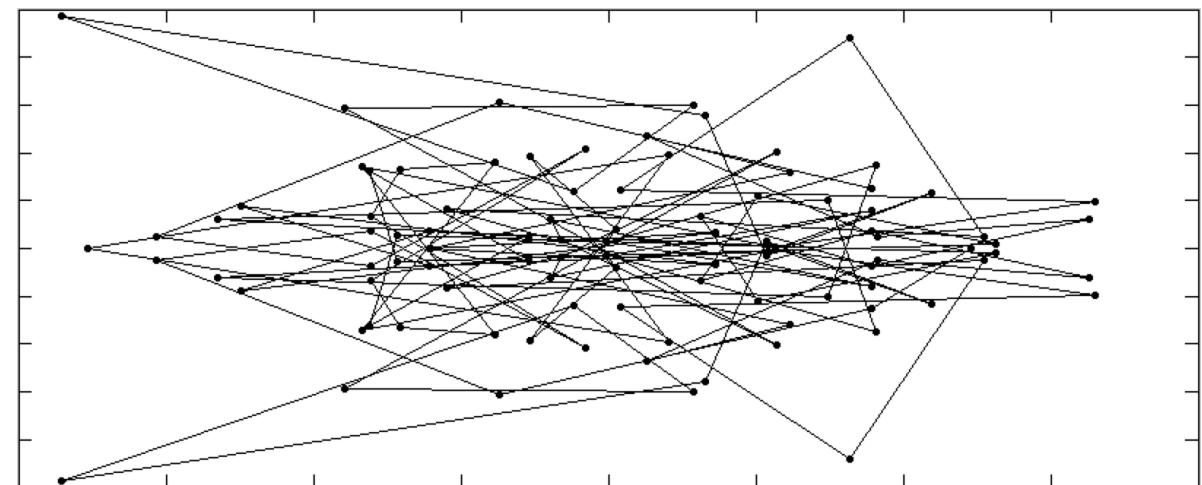
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...  
...
```

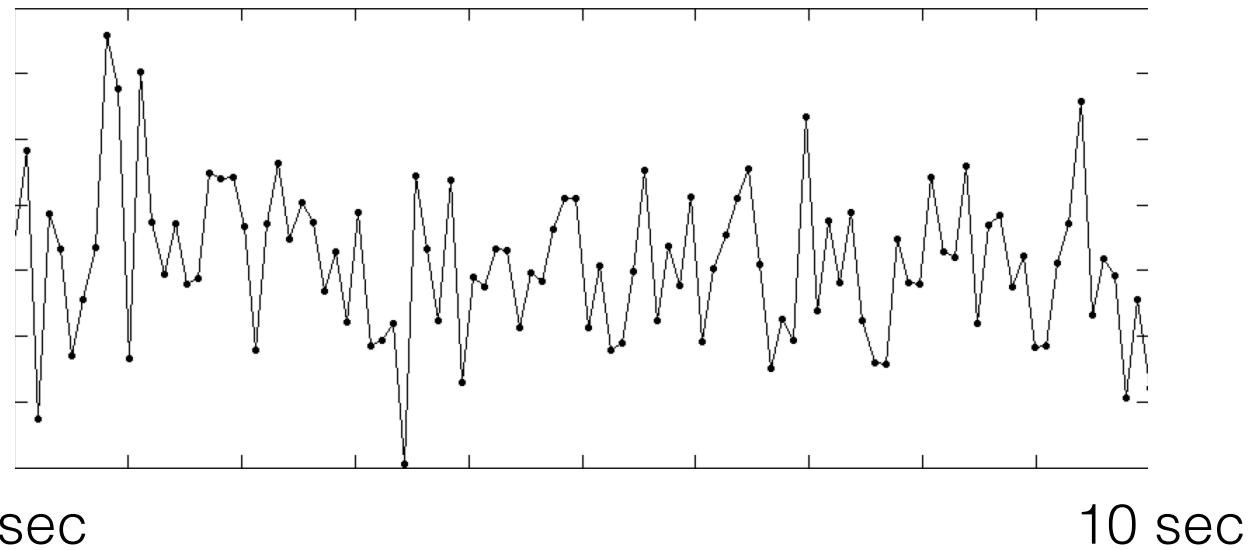


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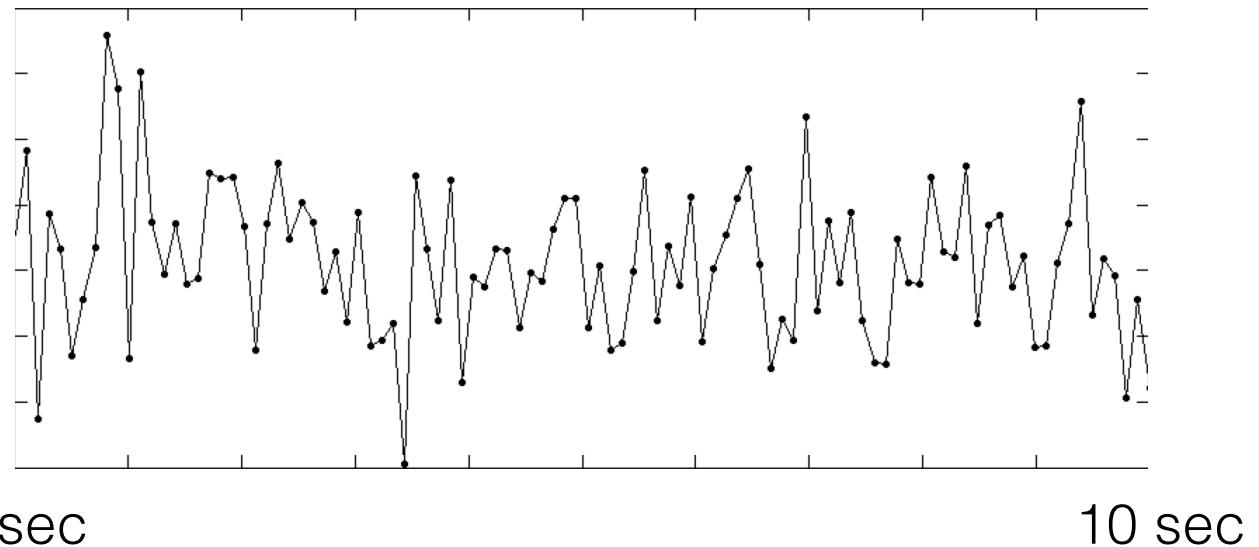
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```
...
```

typical normalization so
 $F[0 \text{ Hz}] = \text{mean}(\text{signal})$

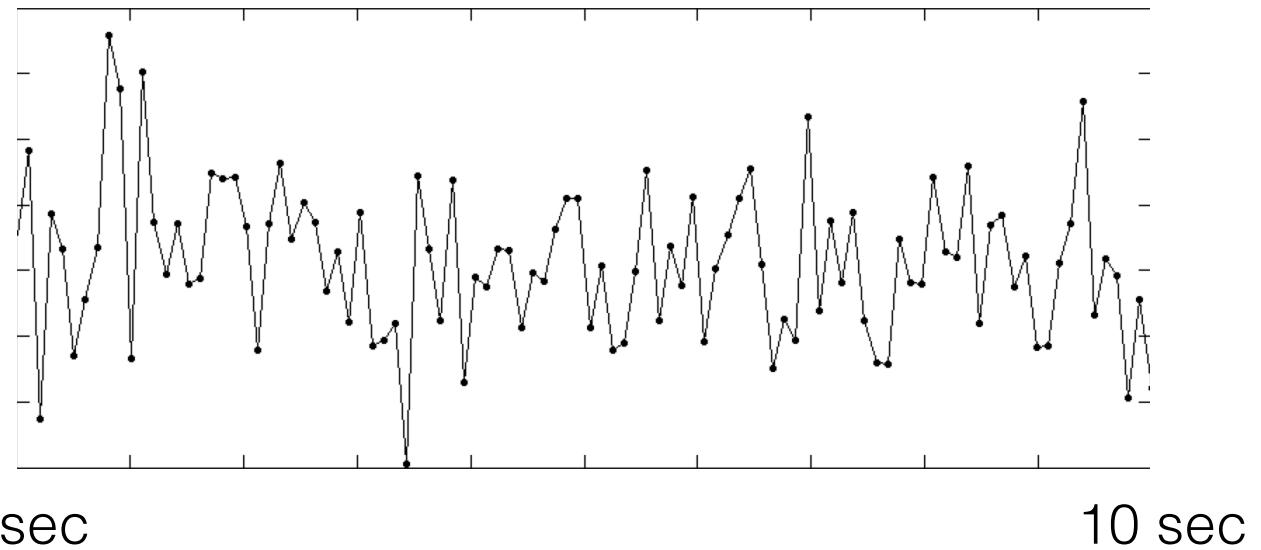
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MATLAB: $\overbrace{(1/\text{length}(\text{signal}))}^{\text{normalization}} * \text{fft}(\text{signal})$

Amplitude spectrum example

random white noise
sampled at 10 Hz

```
randn(100,1)  
linspace(0,10,100)
```



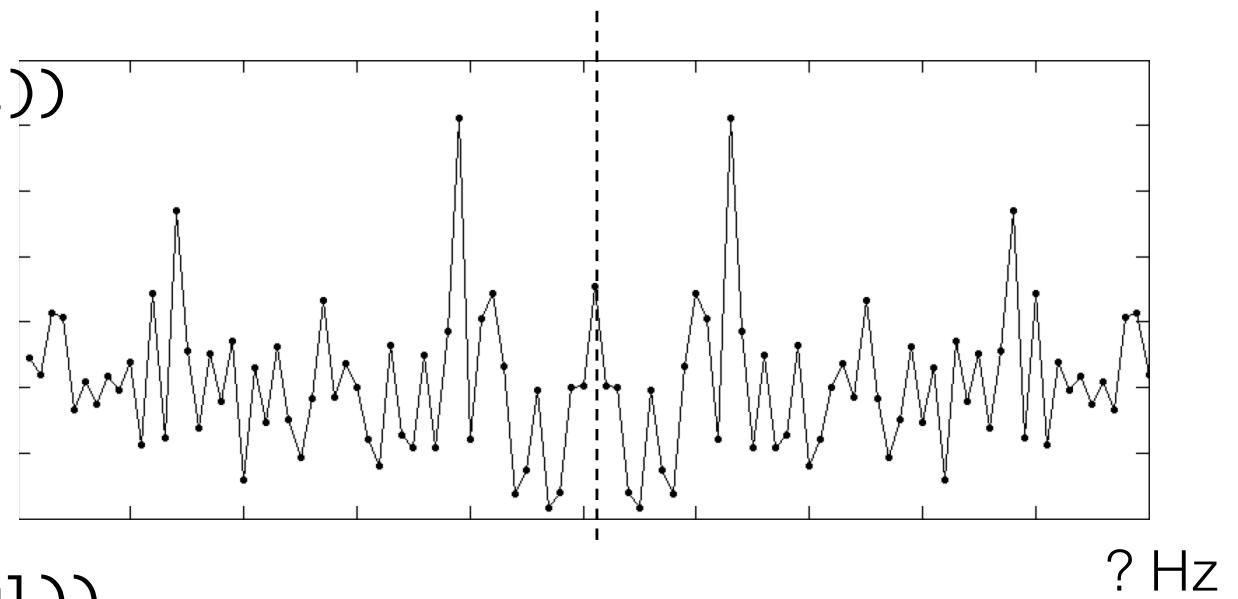
```
F = abs(fft(signal))
```

```
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```
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```

```
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```

```
...
```

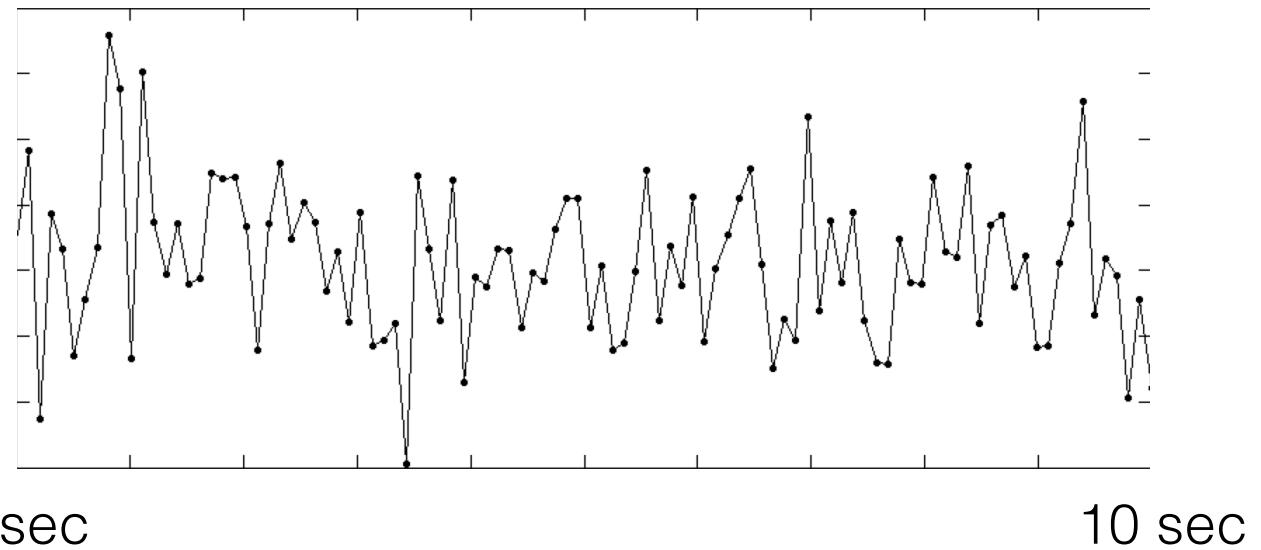


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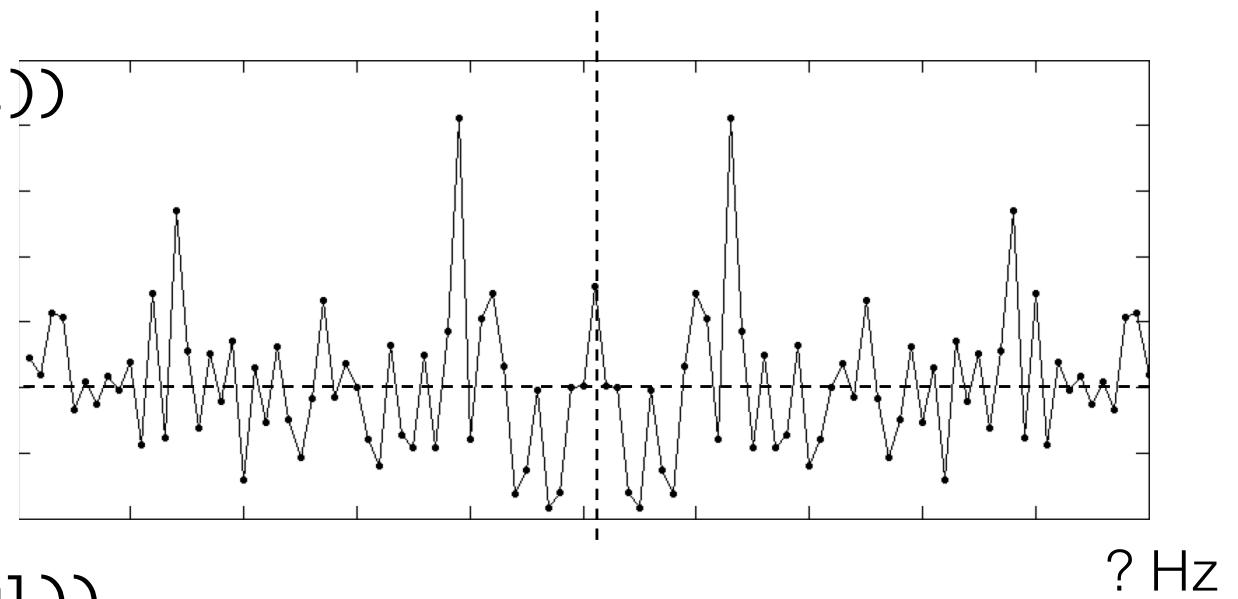
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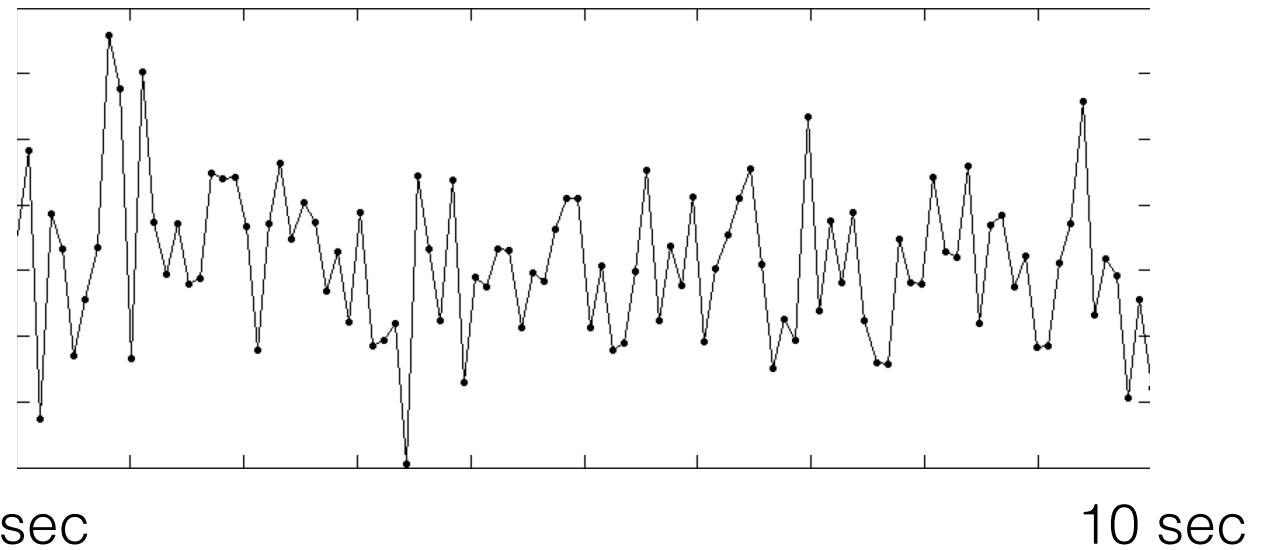


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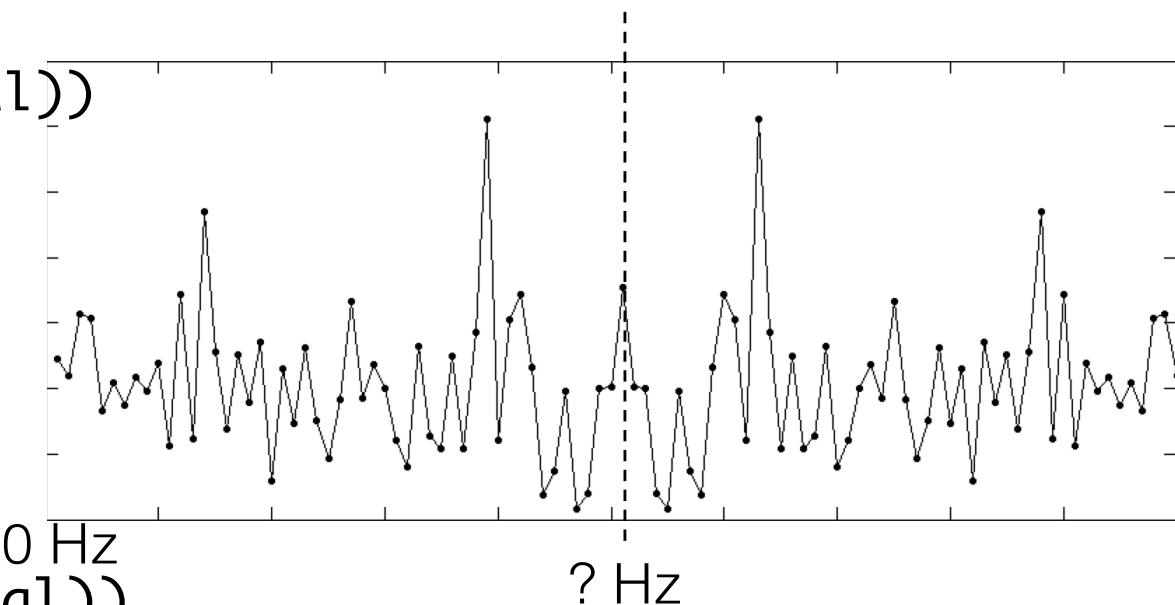
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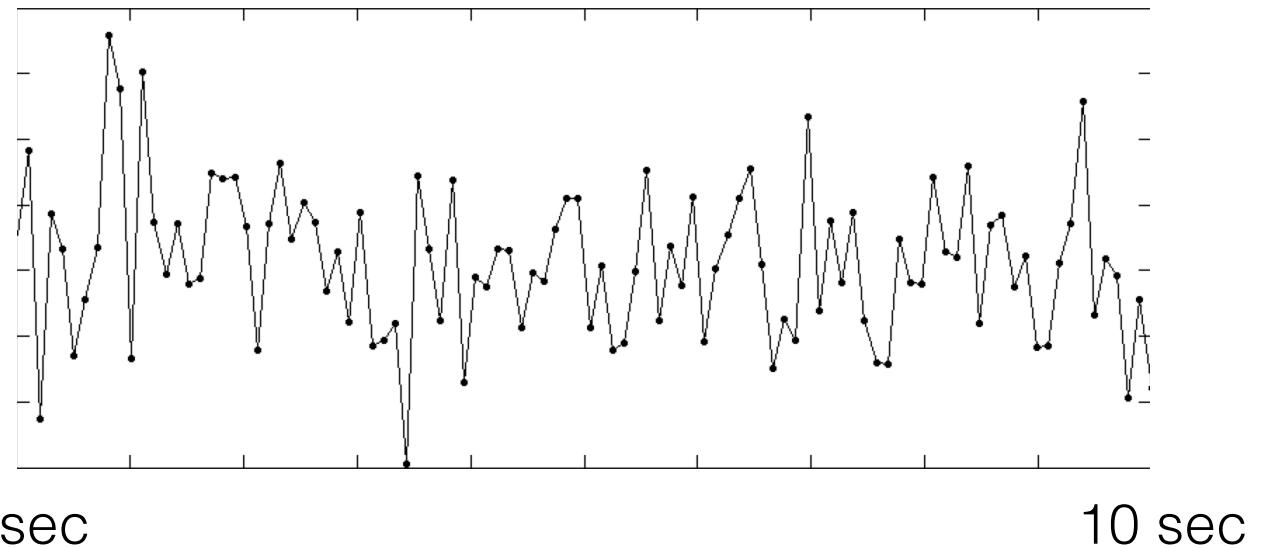
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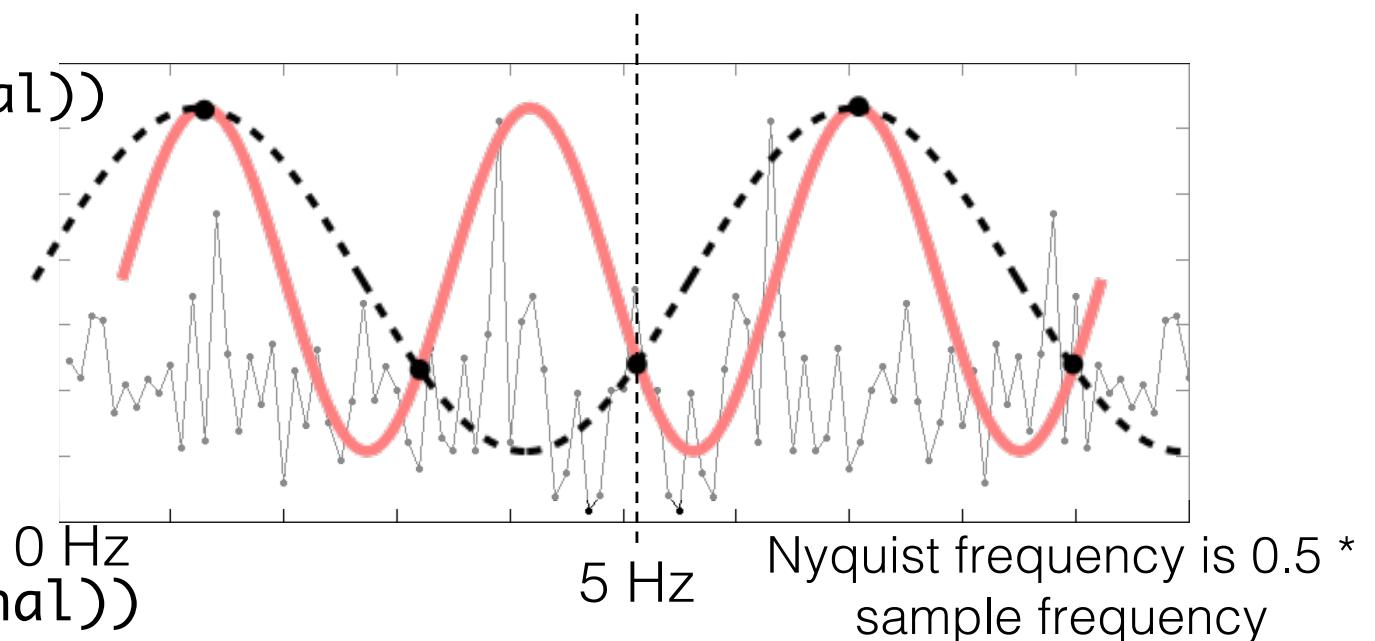
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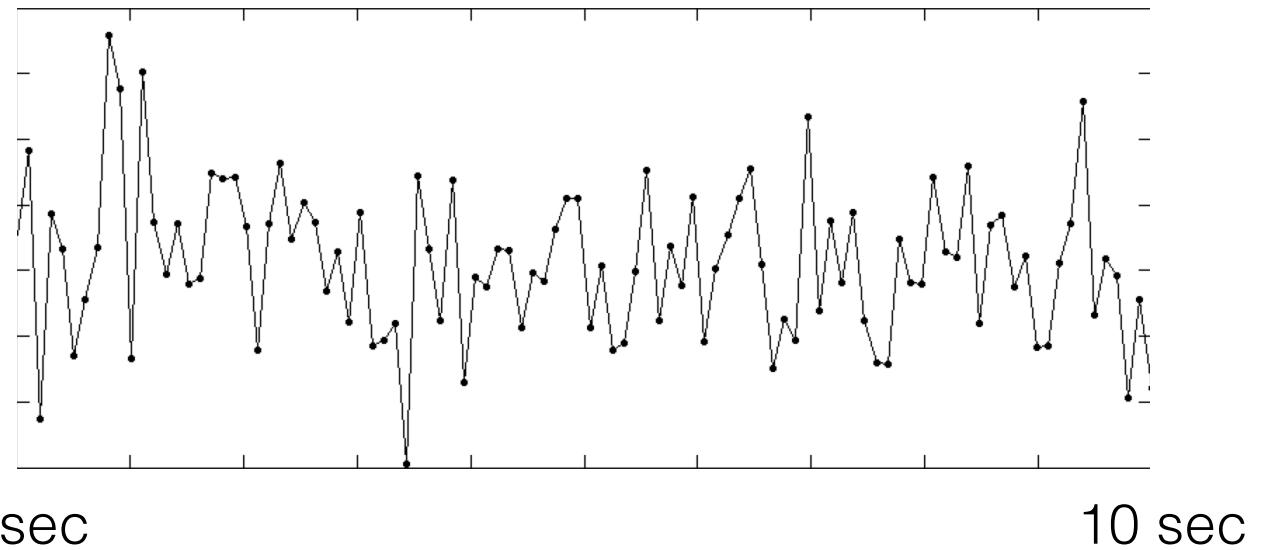


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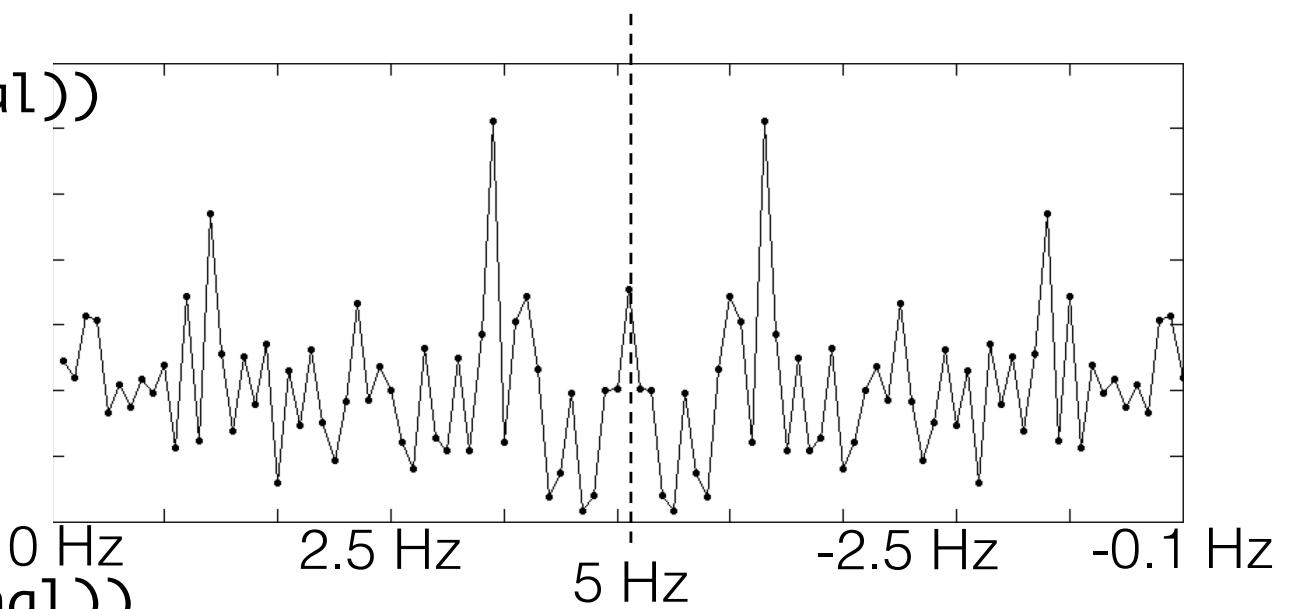
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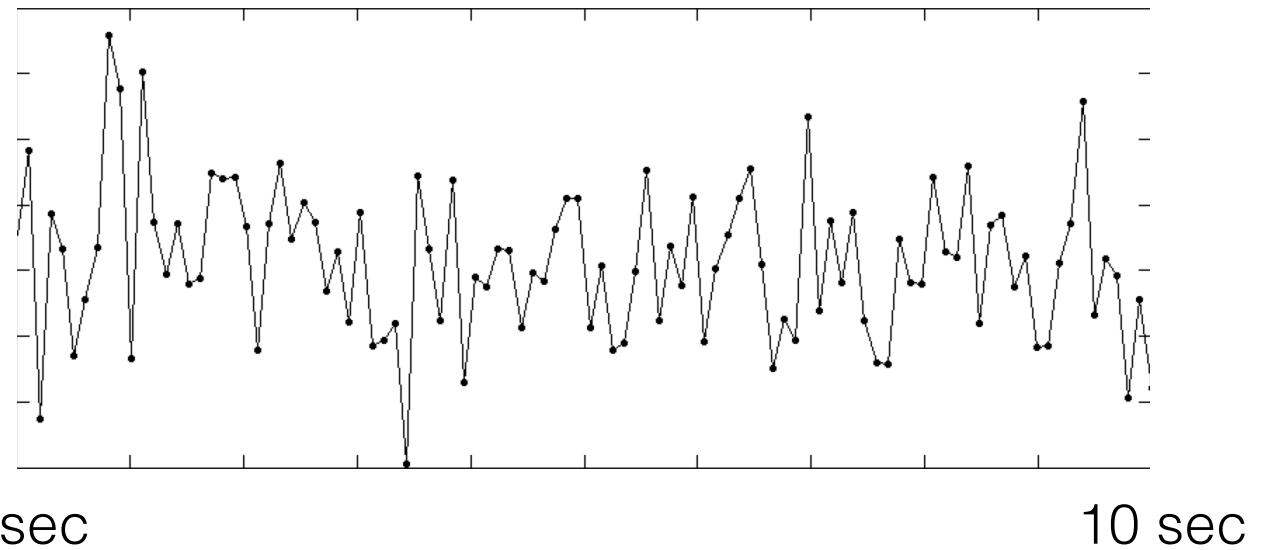


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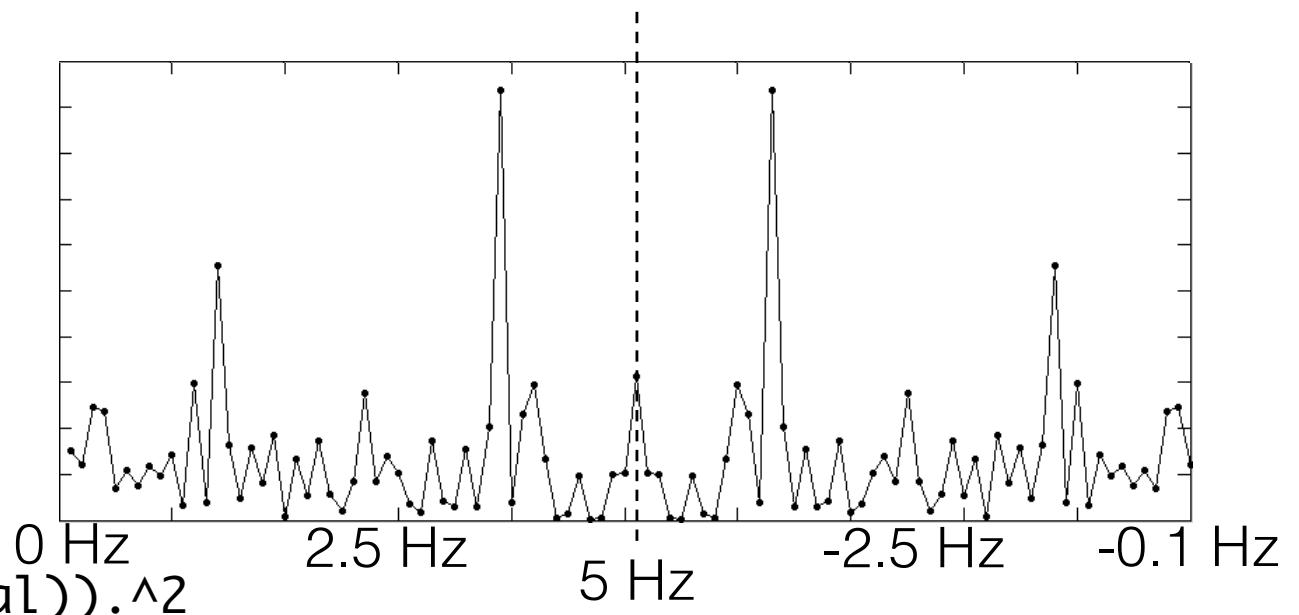
Power spectrum example

random white noise
sampled at 10 Hz

```
randn(100,1)  
linspace(0,10,100)
```



power spectrum is just
the squared amplitude
spectrum

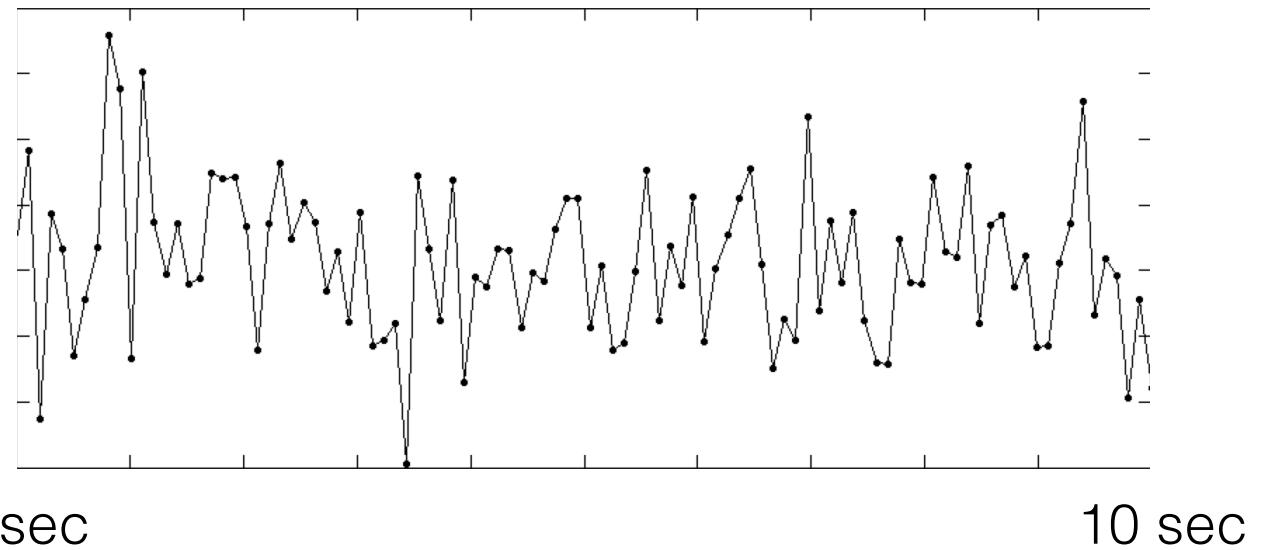


MATLAB: `abs(fft(signal)).^2`

What part do I actually care about?

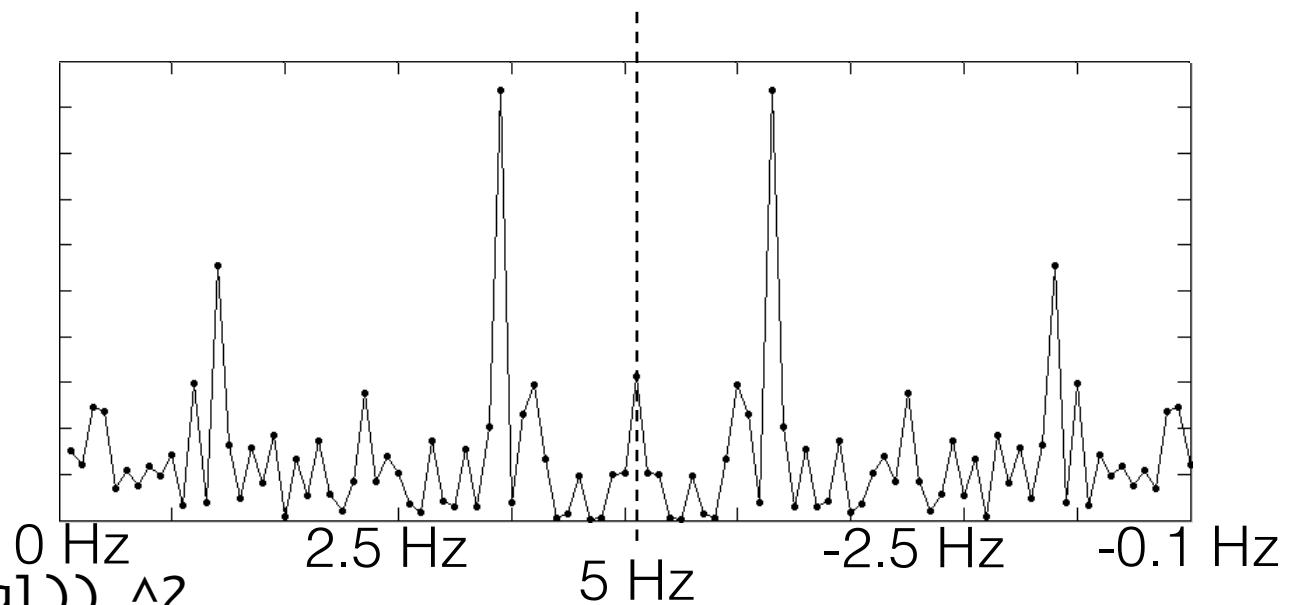
random white noise
sampled at 10 Hz

```
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linspace(0,10,100)
```



0 sec

10 sec



0 Hz

2.5 Hz

5 Hz

-2.5 Hz

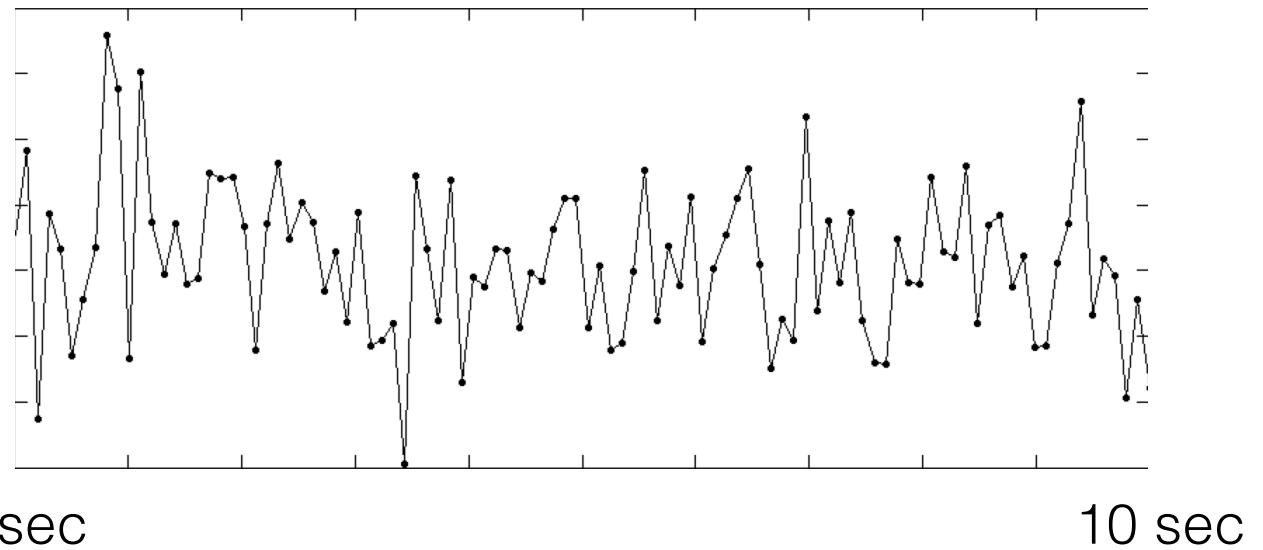
-0.1 Hz

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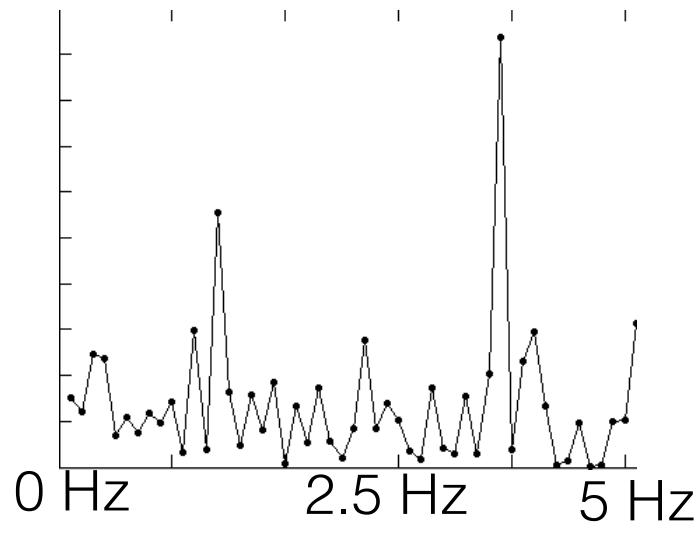
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MATLAB (even length signal):
`Ps = abs(fft(signal)).^2;`
`Ps = Ps(1:length(signal)/2+1)`

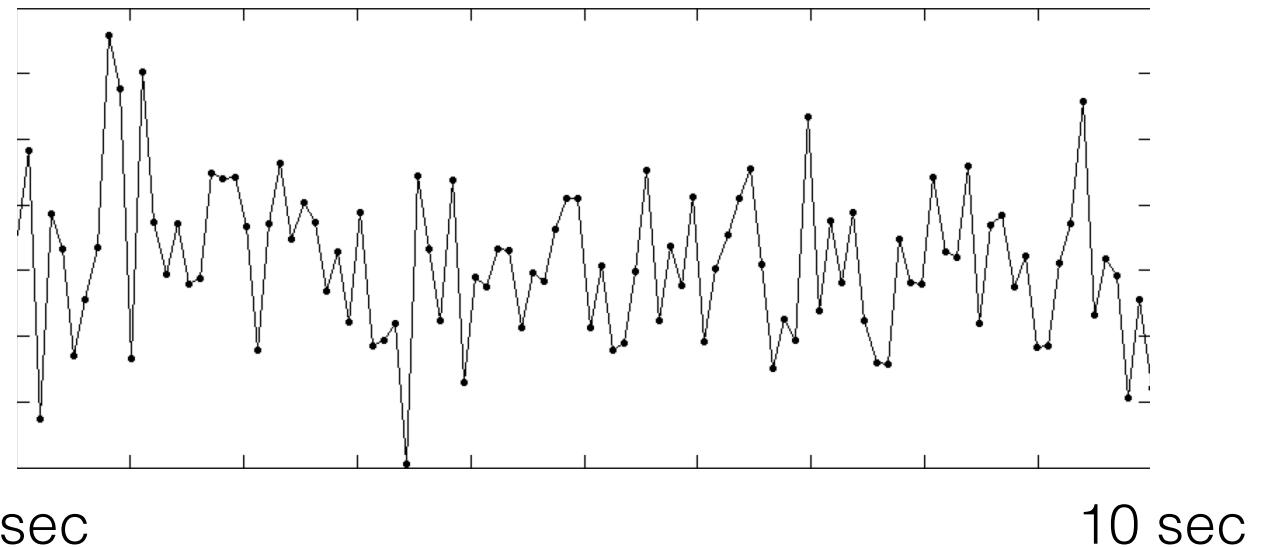


MATLAB (odd length signal):
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How to generate x-axis?

random white noise
sampled at 10 Hz

```
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```

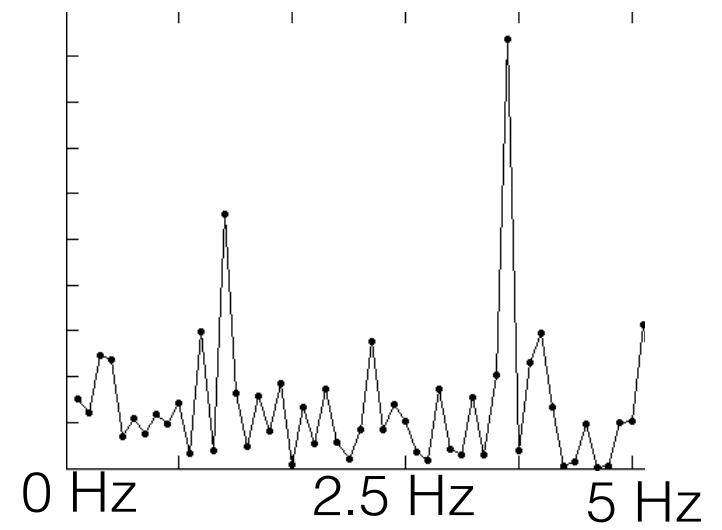


```
%% In general %%  
%% Fs is sample rate %%  
frefs = linspace(0, Fs/2, length(Ps))
```

```
%% Our example %%  
frefs = linspace(0, 5, 51)
```

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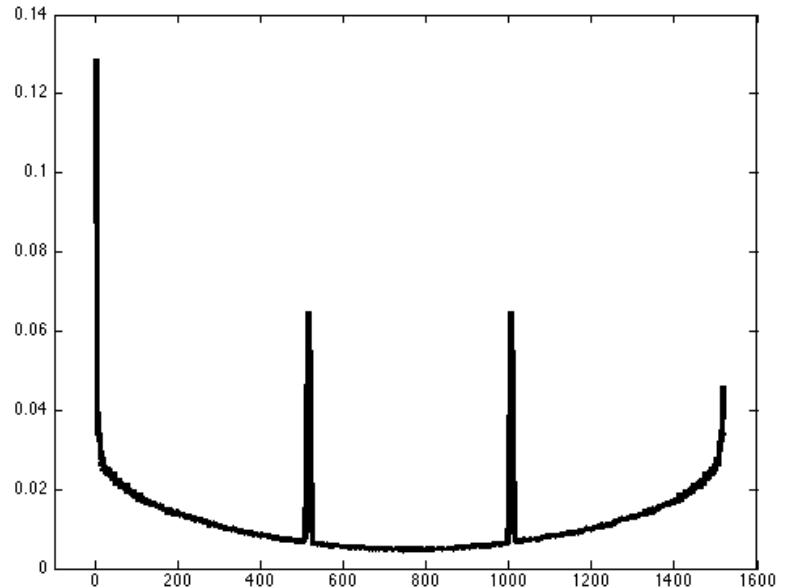
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Example: De-noising images



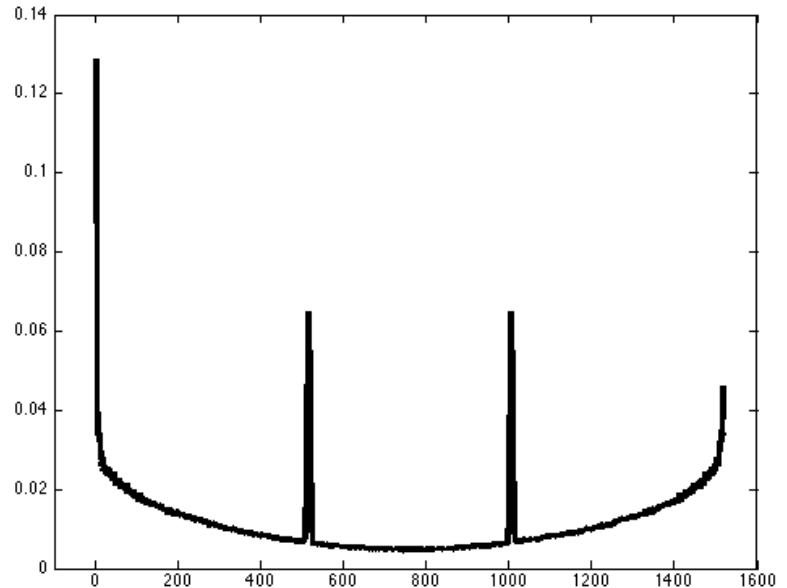
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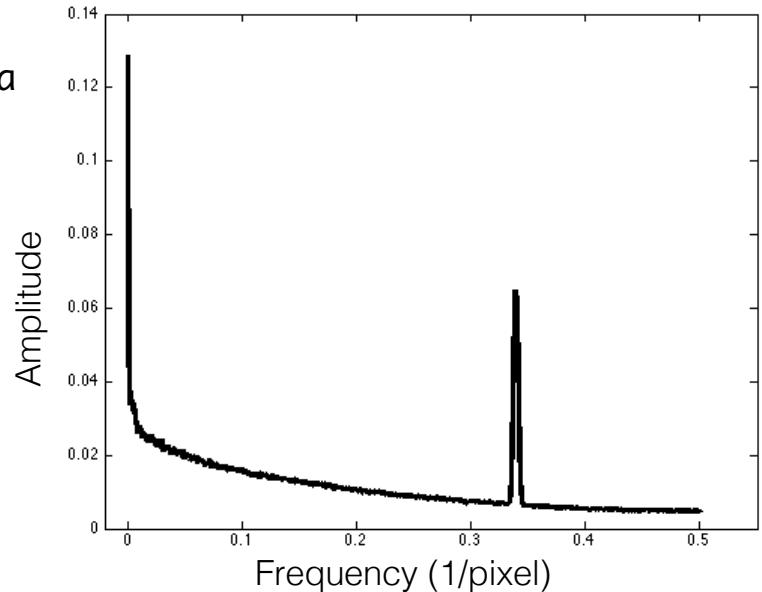
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As_2d = (1/length(image(:)))*abs(fft2(image));  
As_1d = mean(As_2d, 1); % average all horizontal spectra
```

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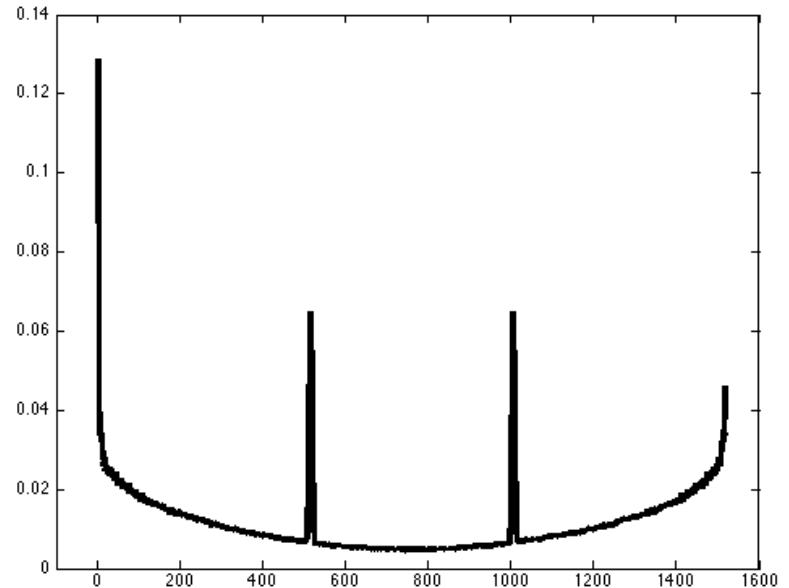


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freqs = linspace(0, 1/2, length(As))
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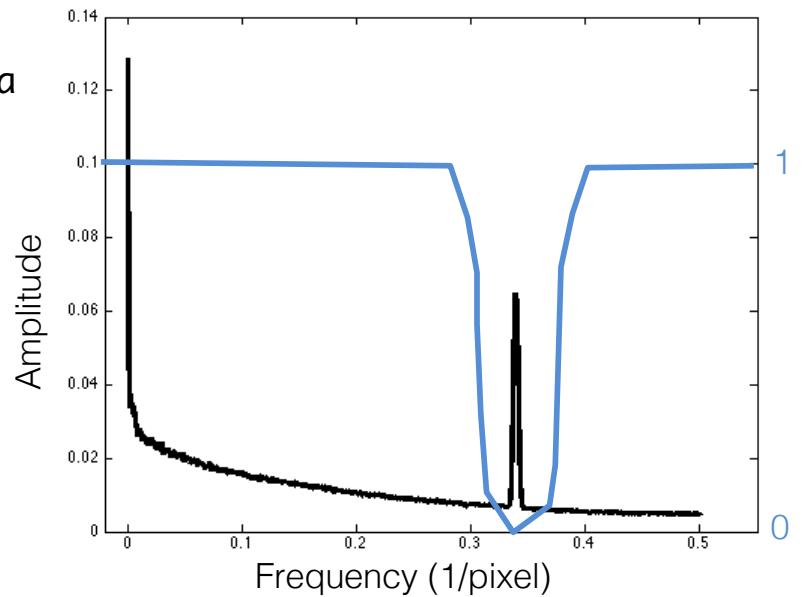


Example: notch filter

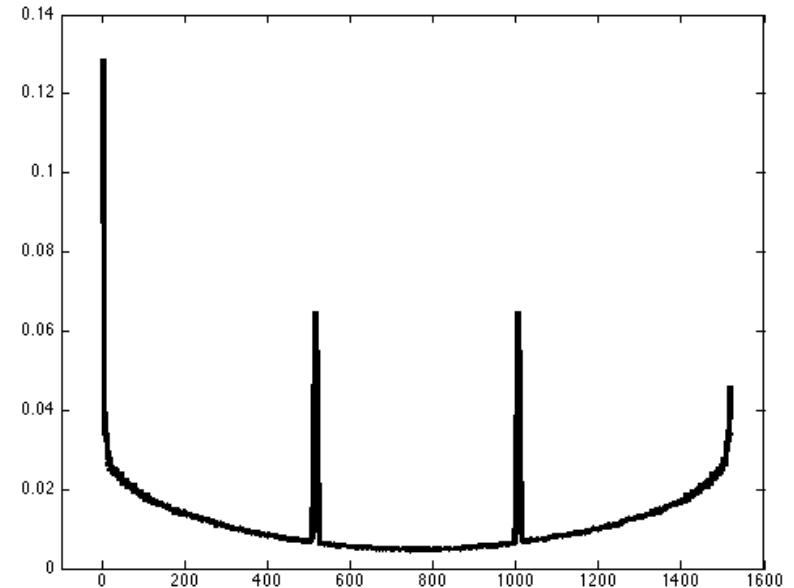


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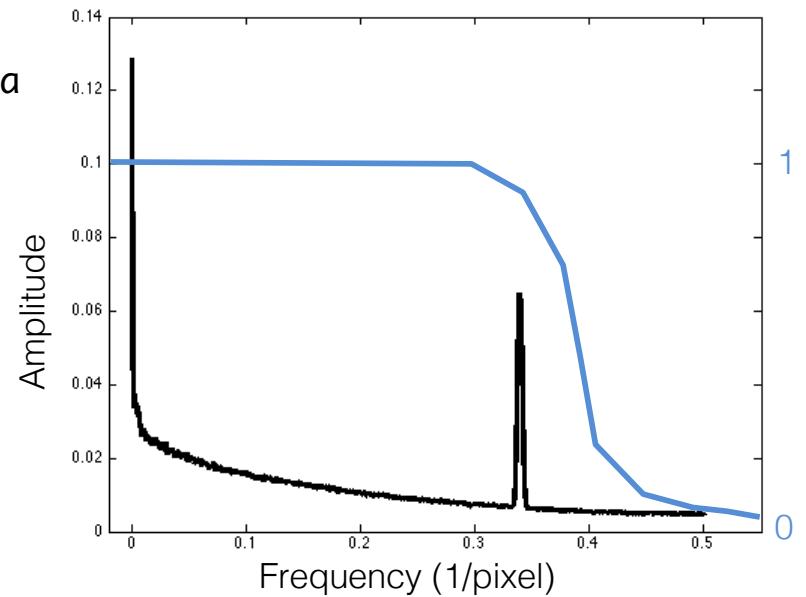


Example: low-pass filter

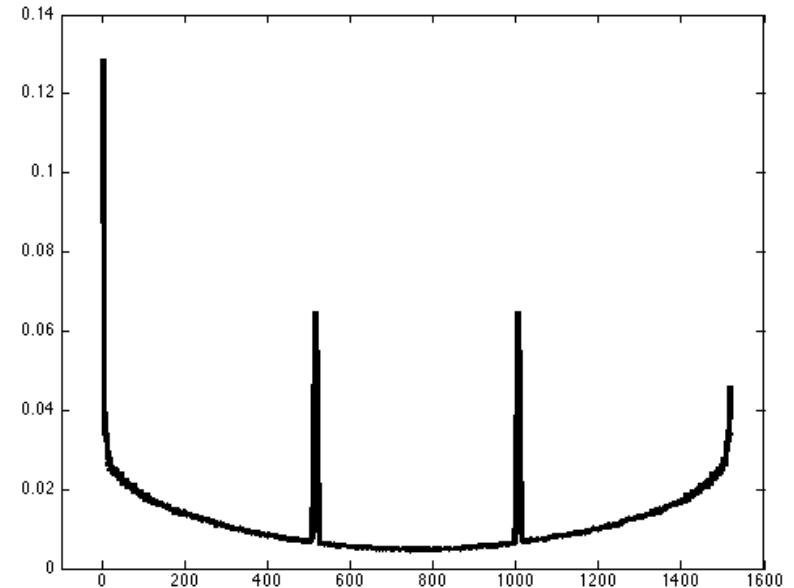


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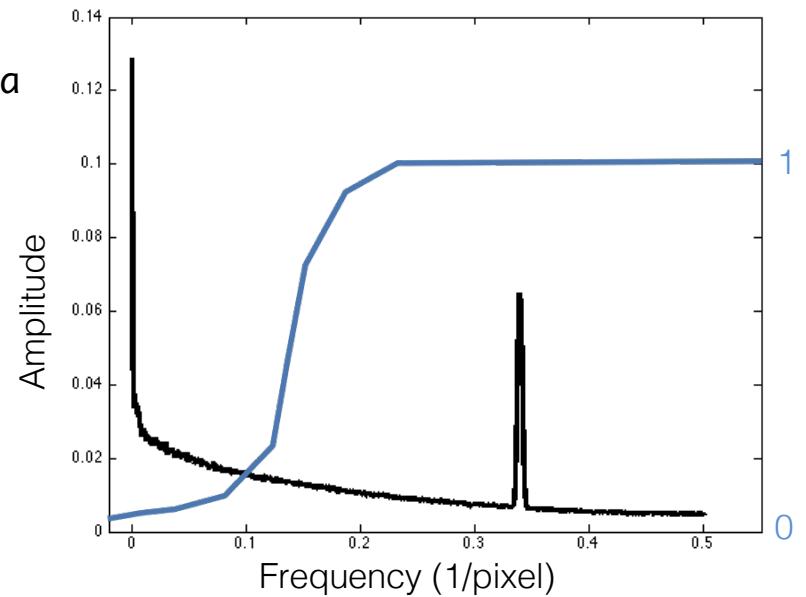


Example: high-pass filter

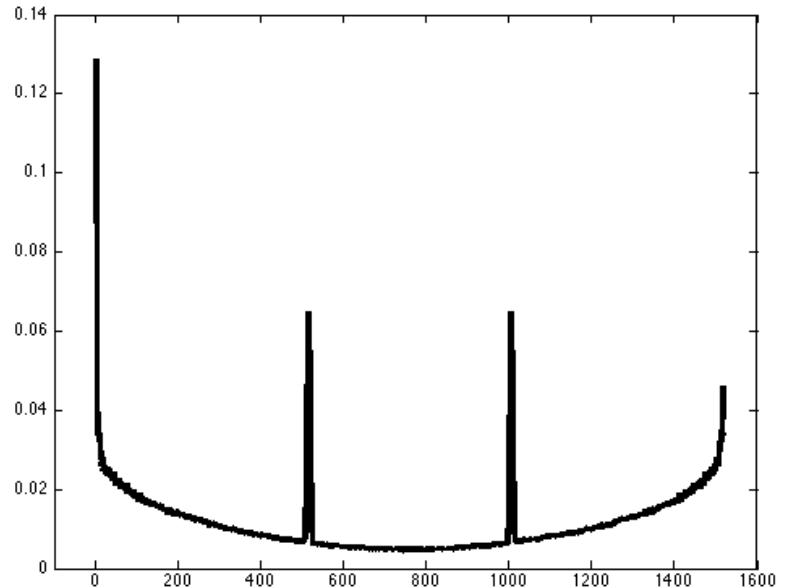


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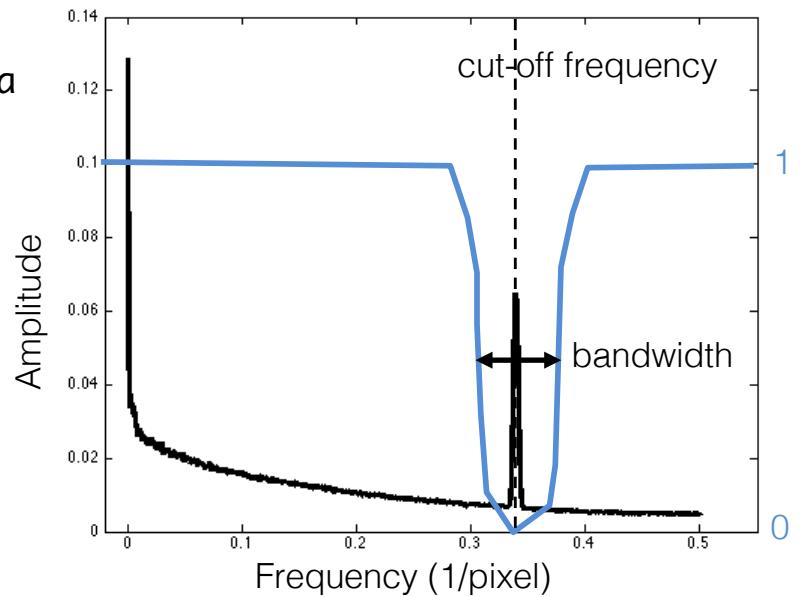


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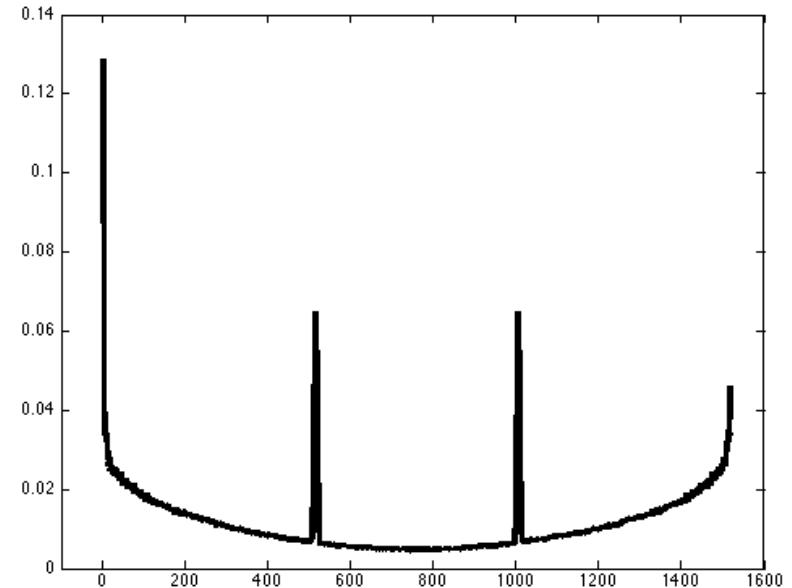


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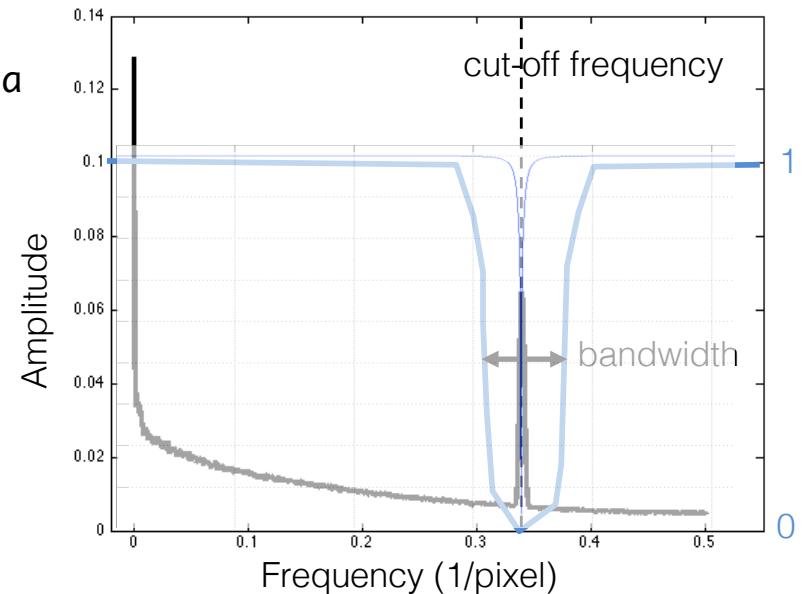


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MATLAB (notch filter design):

```
cutoff      = 0.34
bandwidth   = .05
[num, den]  = iirnotch(cutoff, bandwidth)
denoised_im = filter(num, den, image)
```





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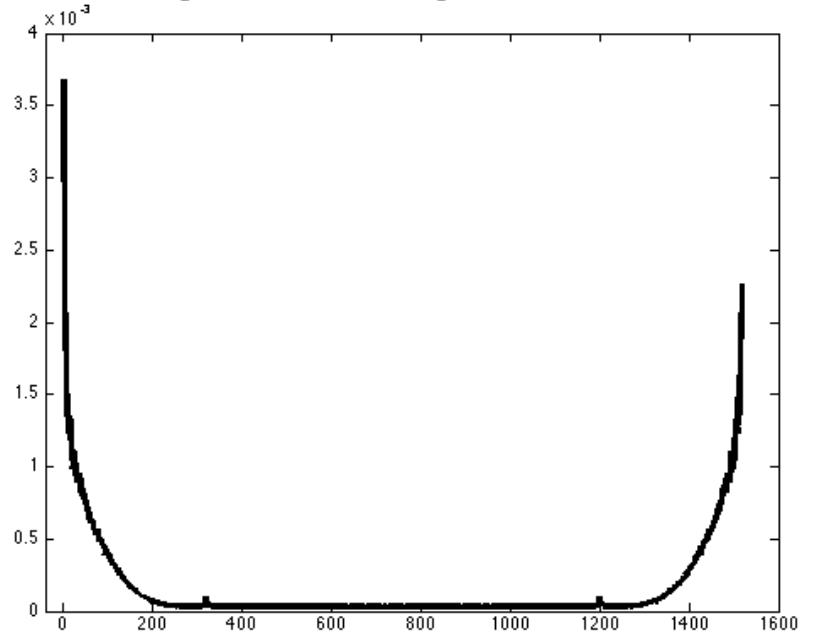
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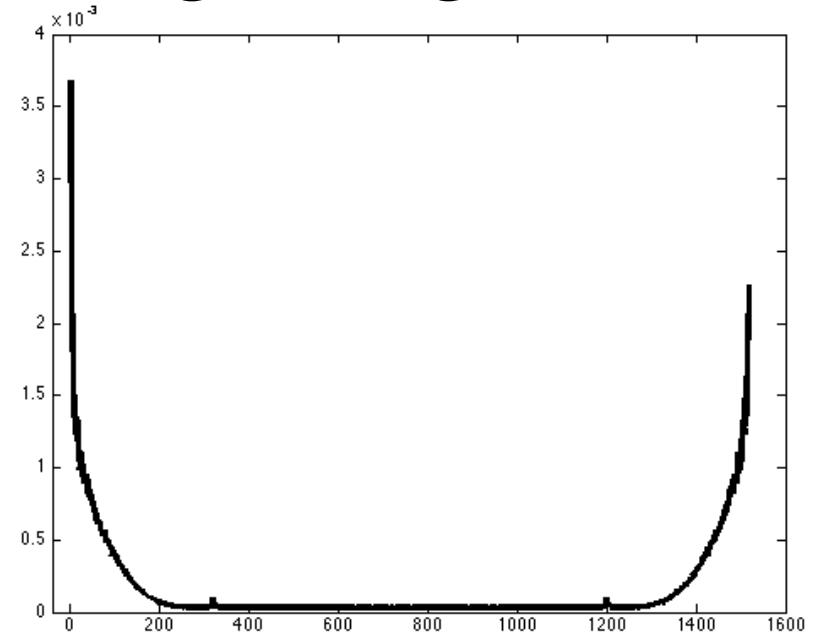
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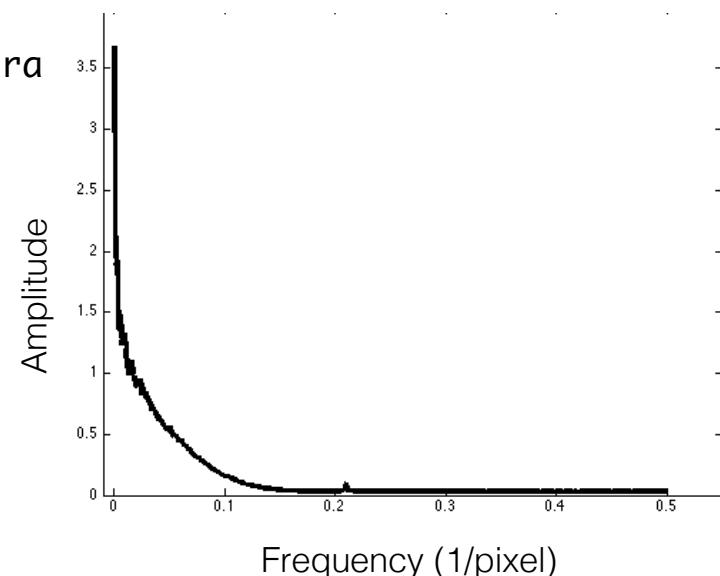
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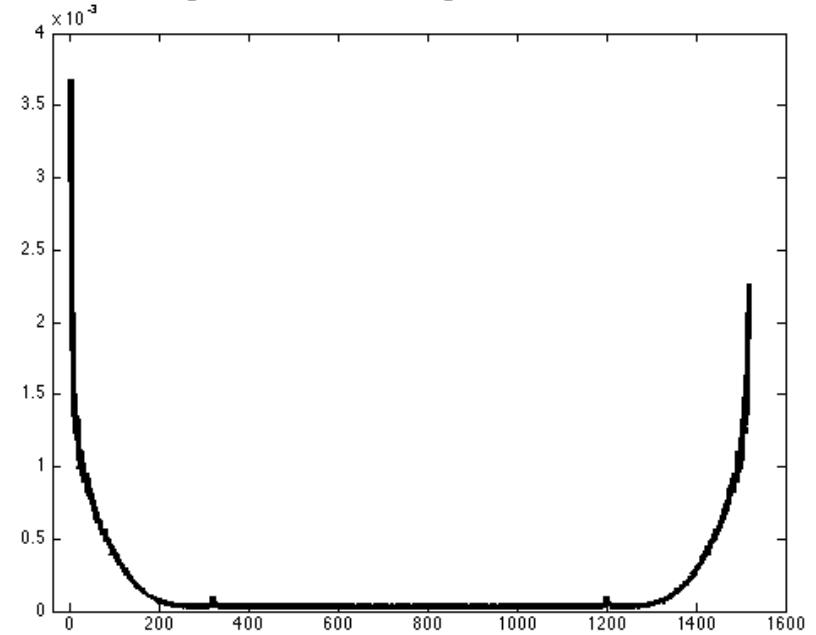


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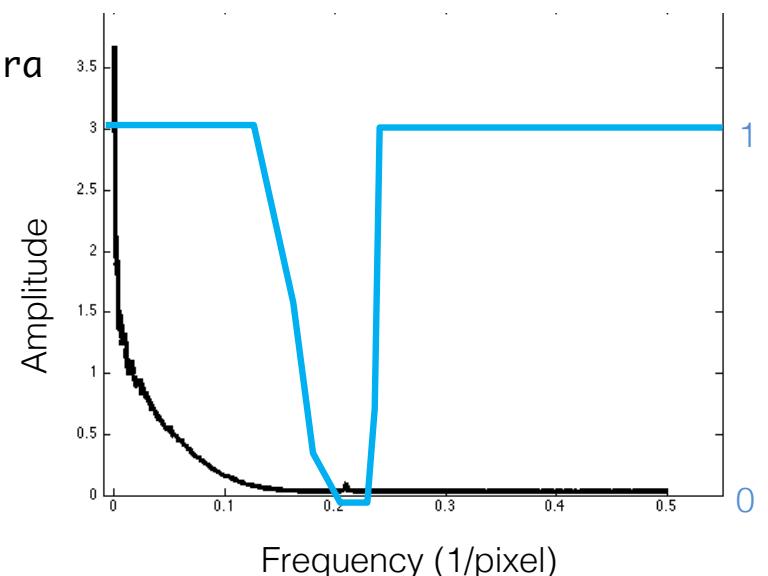


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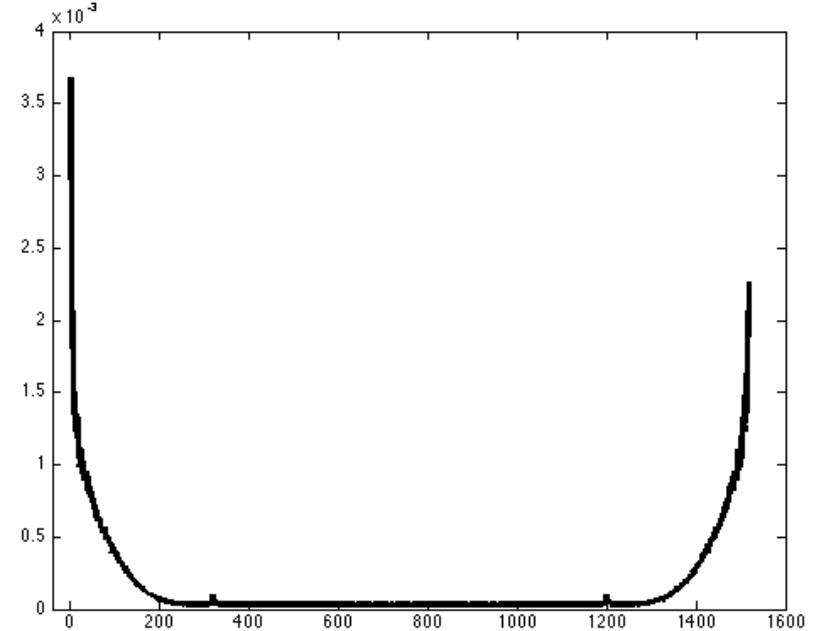


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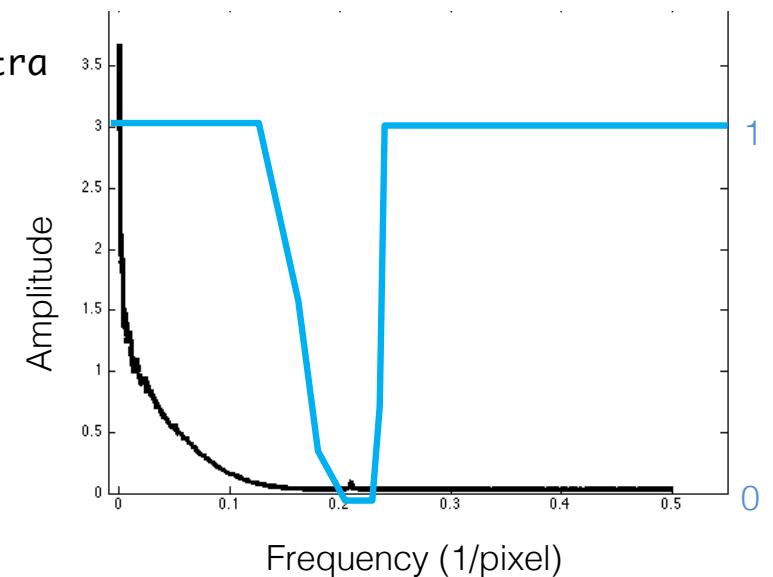


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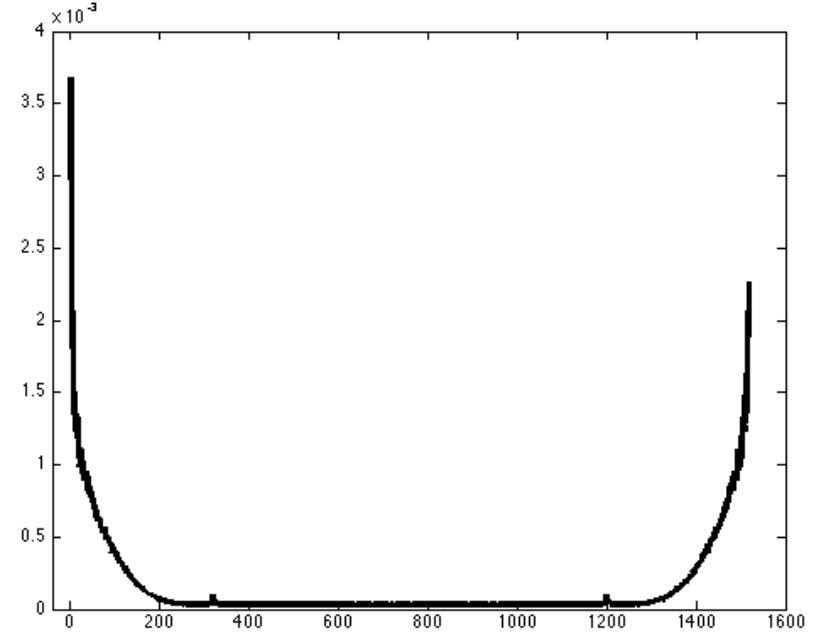
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MATLAB (notch filter design):

```
cutoff      = 0.21  
bandwidth   = .005  
[num, den]  = iirnotch(cutoff, bandwidth);  
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```



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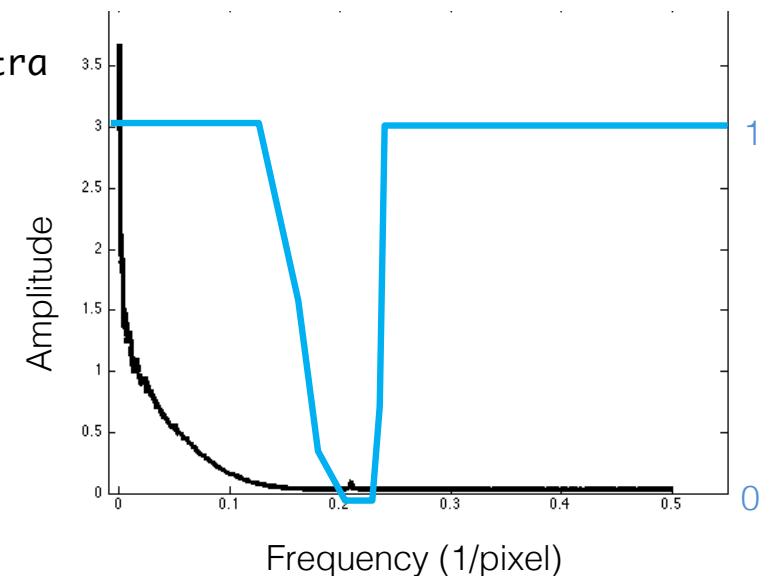


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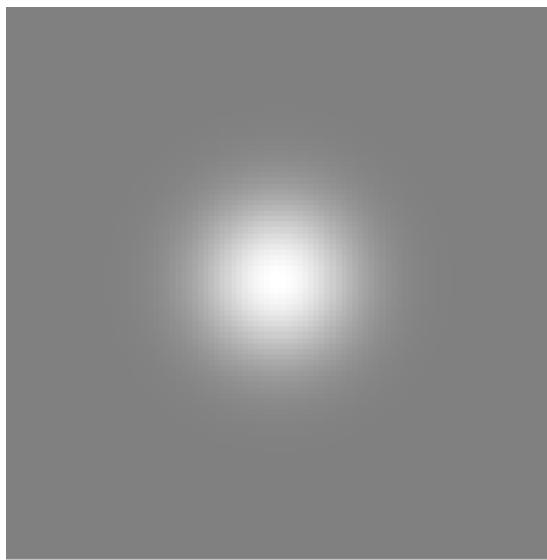
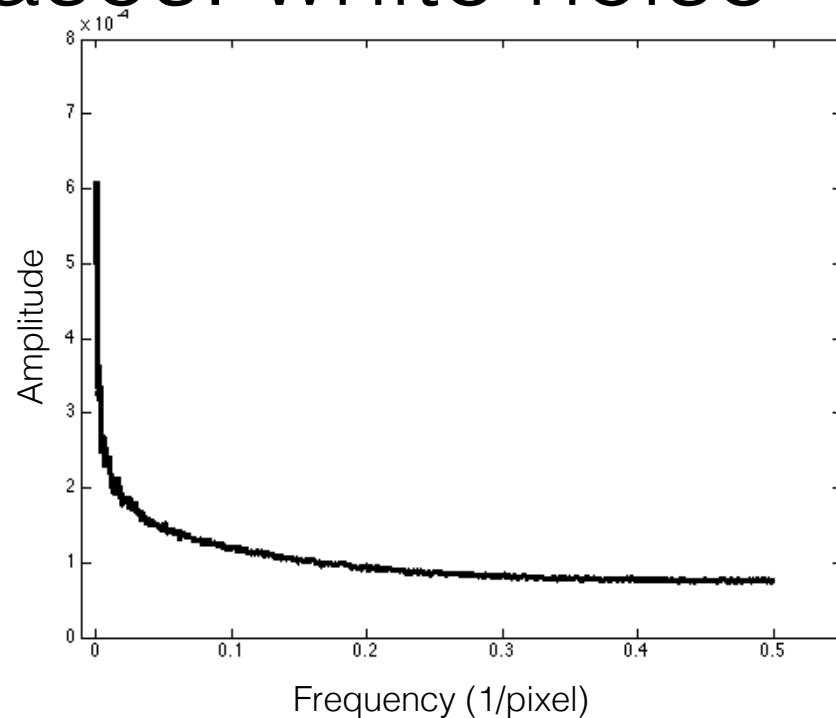
```
cutoff      = 0.15  
bandwidth   = .5  
[num, den]  = iirnotch(cutoff, bandwidth);  
denoised_im = filter(num, den, image);
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More difficult cases: white noise



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Gaussian filter

More difficult cases: white noise



More difficult cases: white noise



denoised

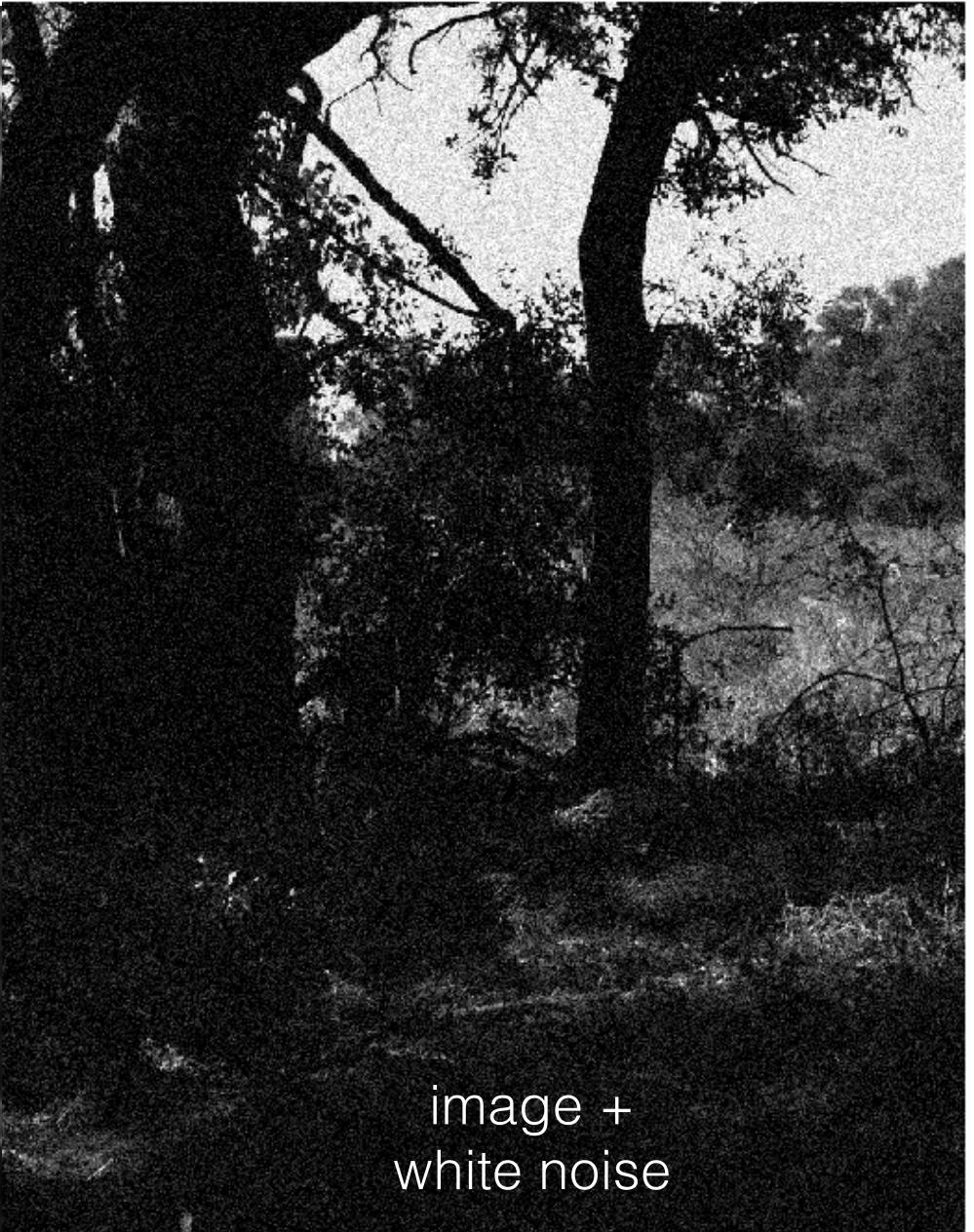
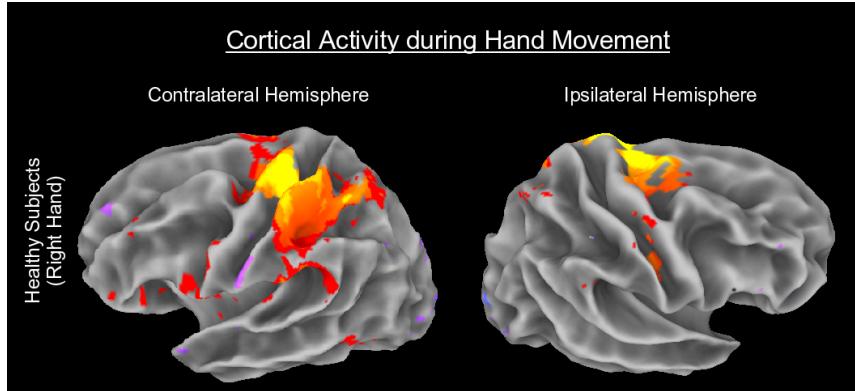
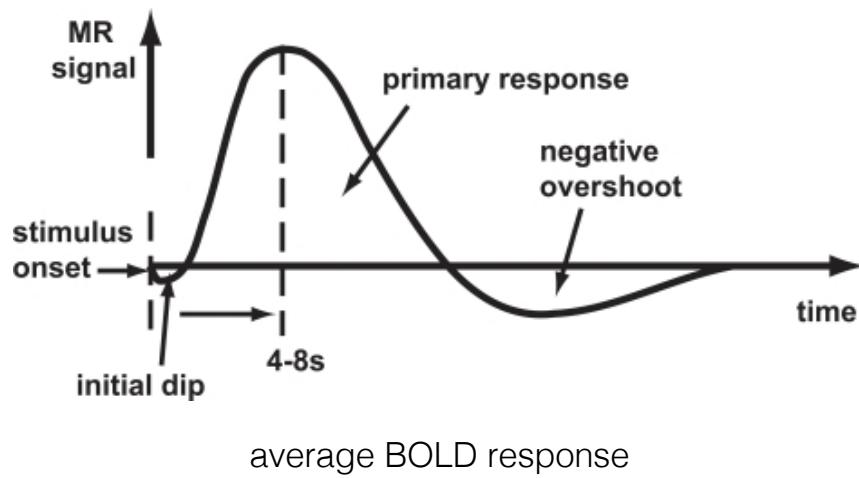
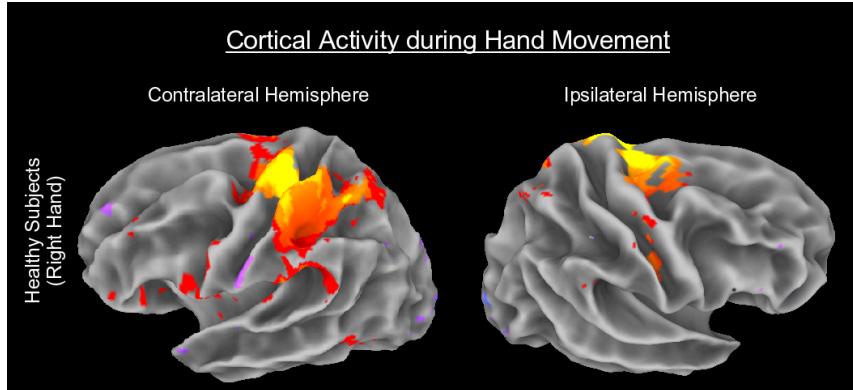


image +
white noise

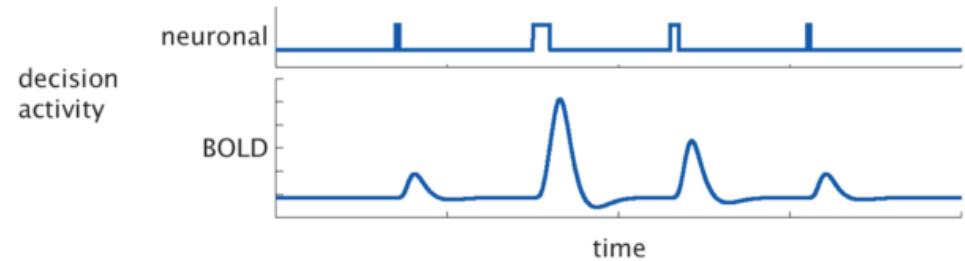
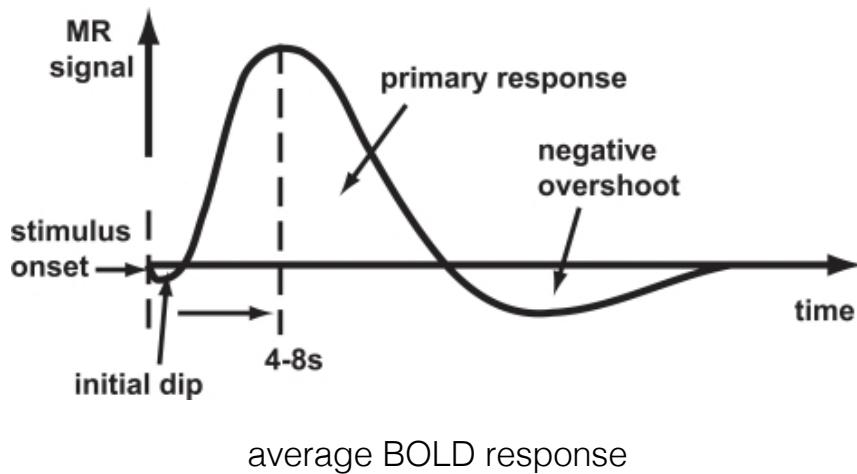
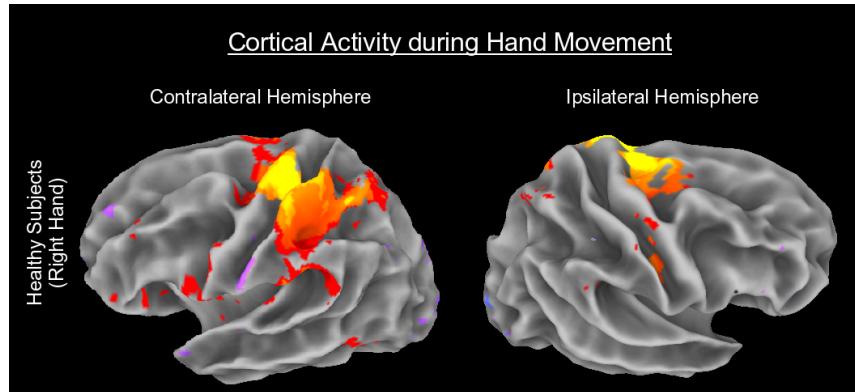
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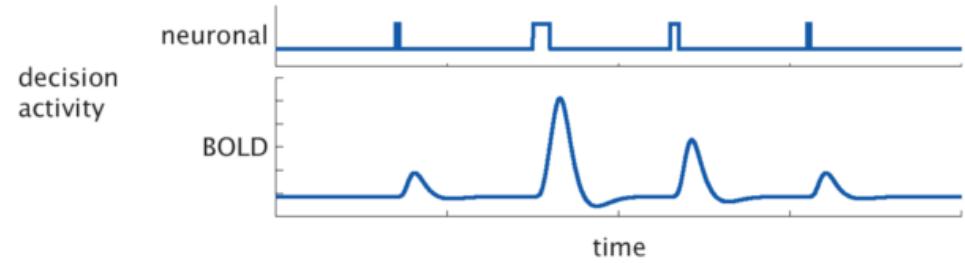
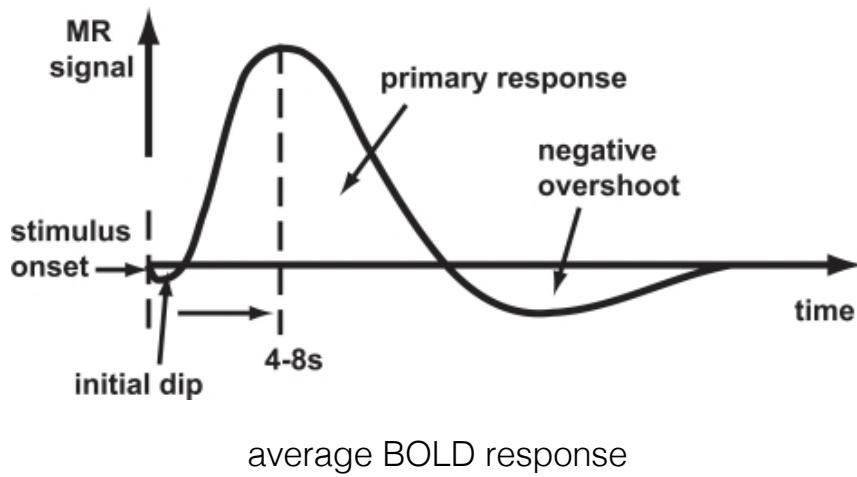
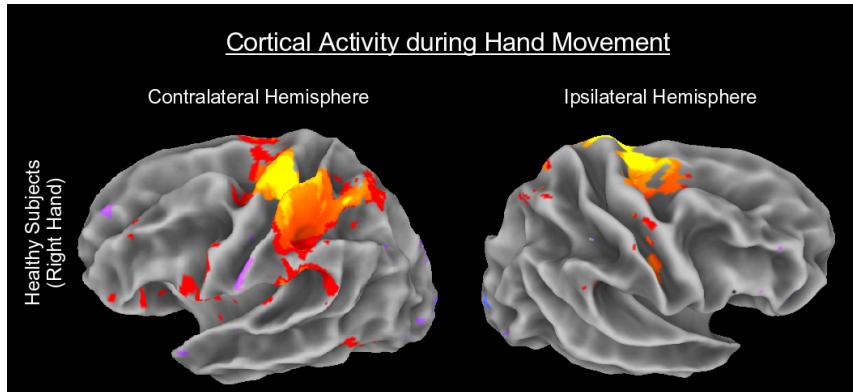
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How do we get back the original neuronal response?

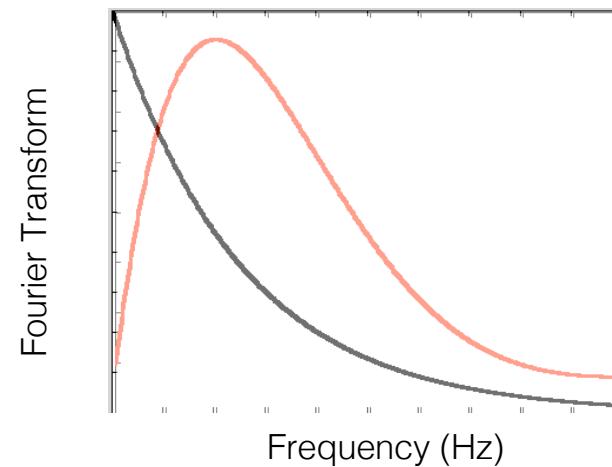
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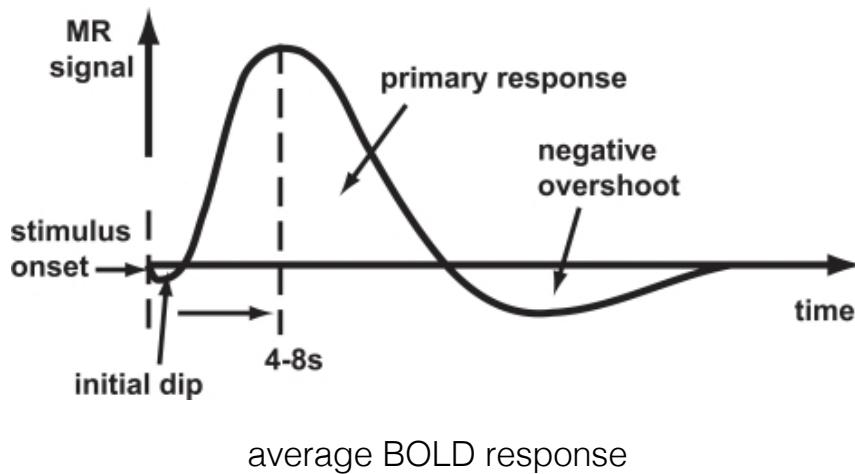
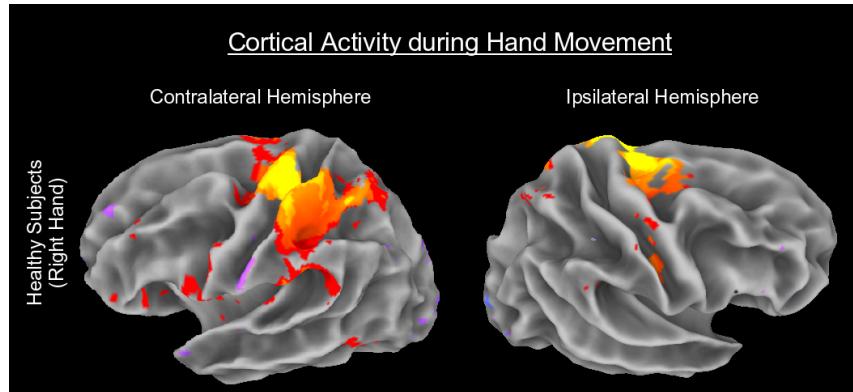
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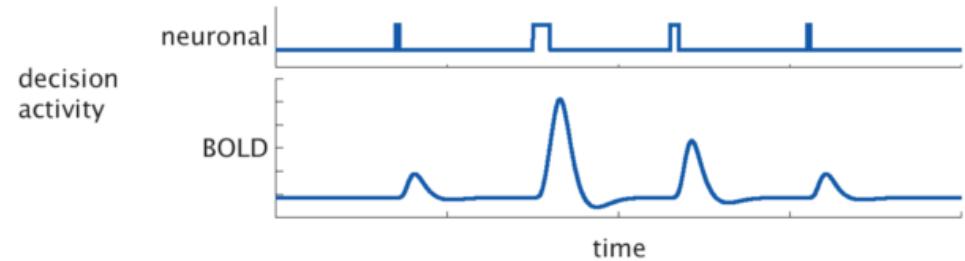


MATLAB:

```
neuronal_fft = signal_fft ./ avg_response_fft  
neuronal      = ifft(neuronal_fft)
```

% alternatively, just do this:

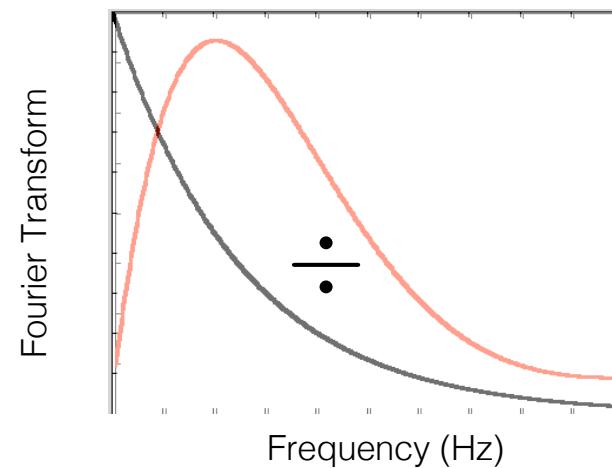
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neuronal = deconv(signal, avg_response)
```



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Further Reading

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