

Intelligent Signal Processing

Filtering

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Introduction

■ Filter

- device that **increases** or **reduces** the **energy** connected to certain regions of the **spectrum sound**
- these operations are typically performed by **equalizers**
 - bank of bandpass filters
- the **critical bands** of the auditory **membrane** are bandpass filters



Convolution

- LTI are characterized by the impulse response

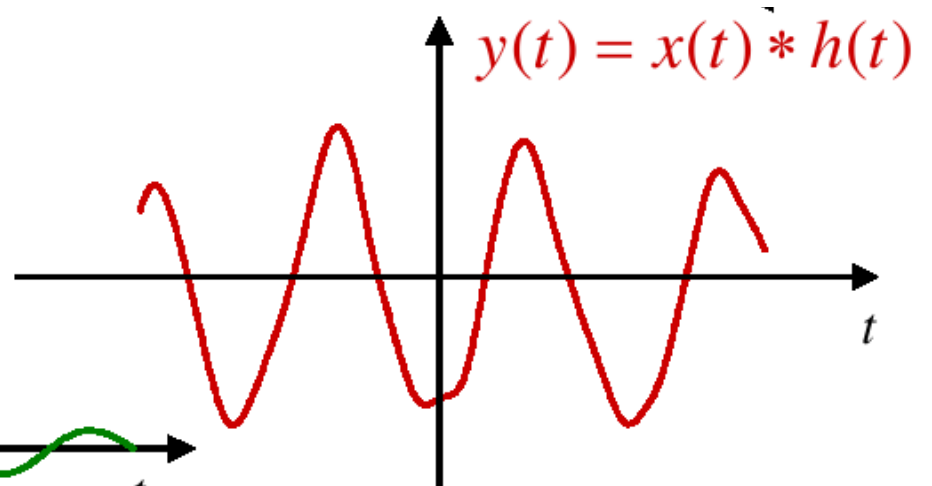
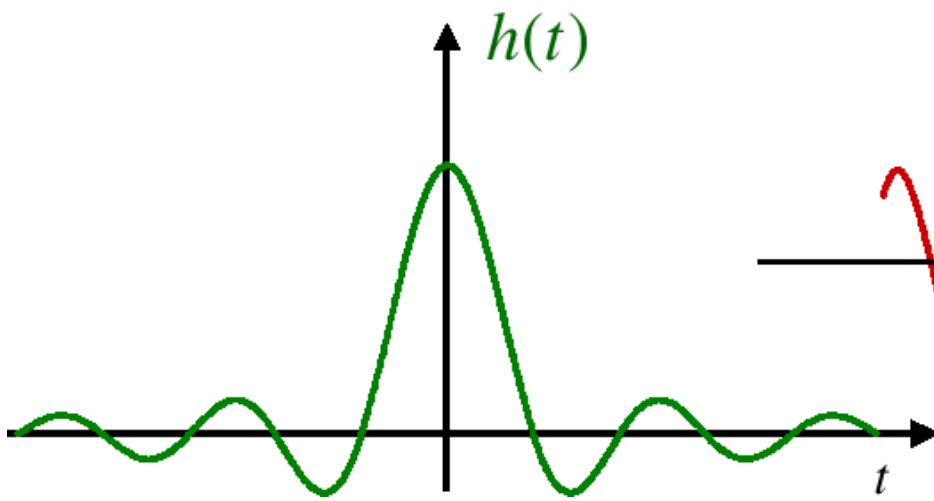
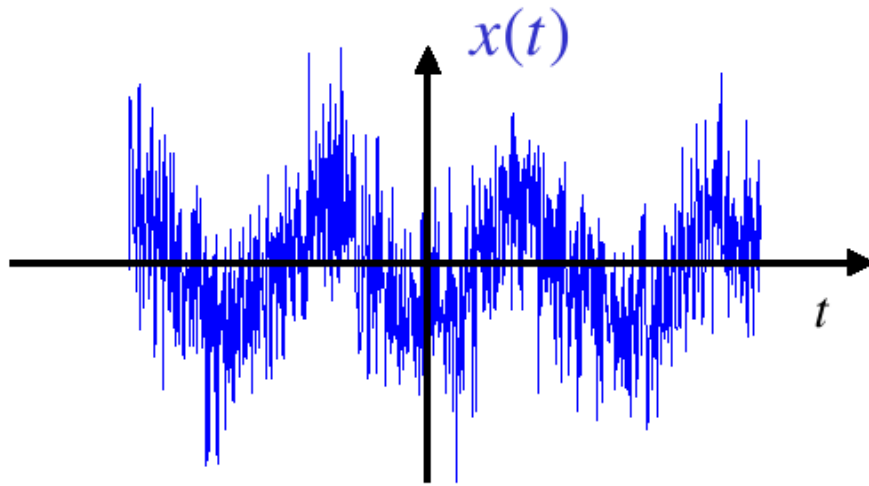
$$y(n) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(k)h(n-k)$$

convolution

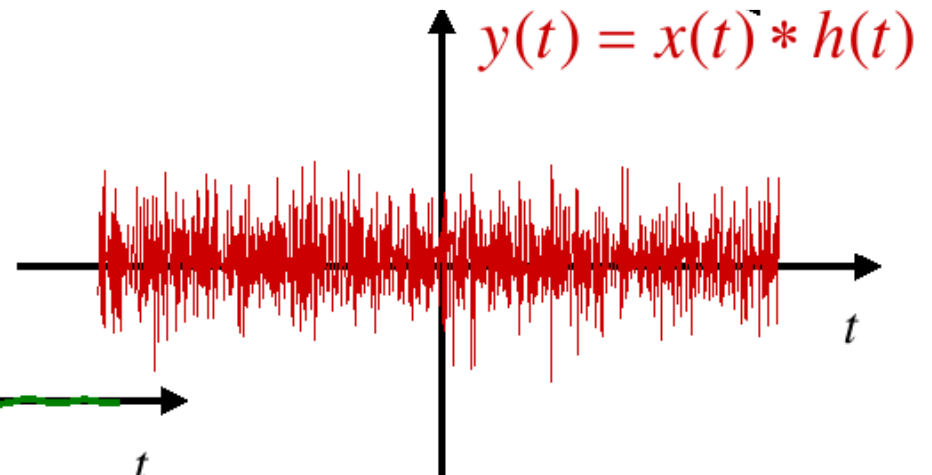
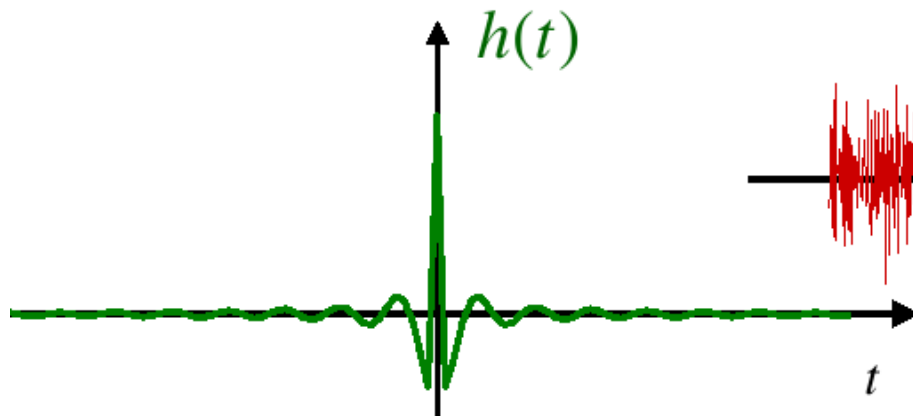
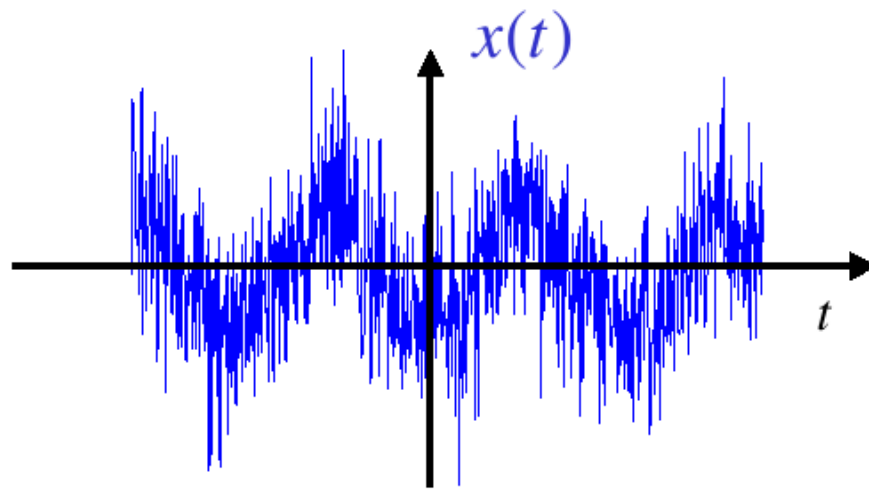
$$y(n) = x(n) * h(n)$$



Low-pass filter



High-pass filter



Transfer function

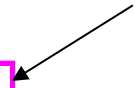
- The **Fourier Transform** of the **impulse response** corresponds to the **Frequency Response** of the system

$$y(n) = x(n) * h(n)$$



$$Y(z) = X(z)H(z)$$

Transfer function



Difference equations

■ difference equations

$$\sum_{k=0}^N a_k y(n-k) = \sum_{r=0}^M b_r x(n-r)$$

■ applying the z-transform

$$\mathfrak{S}\left[\sum_{k=0}^N a_k y(n-k)\right] = \mathfrak{S}\left[\sum_{r=0}^M b_r x(n-r)\right]$$



linearity

$$\sum_{k=0}^N a_k \mathfrak{S}[y(n-k)] = \sum_{r=0}^M b_r \mathfrak{S}[x(n-r)]$$

delay property

$$\mathfrak{S}[y(n-k)] = z^{-k} Y(z)$$

$$\mathfrak{S}[x(n-r)] = z^{-r} X(z)$$



Difference equations

■ obtaining

$$\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k} Y(z) = \sum_{r=0}^M b_r z^{-r} X(z) \quad \equiv \quad \left(\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k} \right) Y(z) = \left(\sum_{r=0}^M b_r z^{-r} \right) X(z)$$

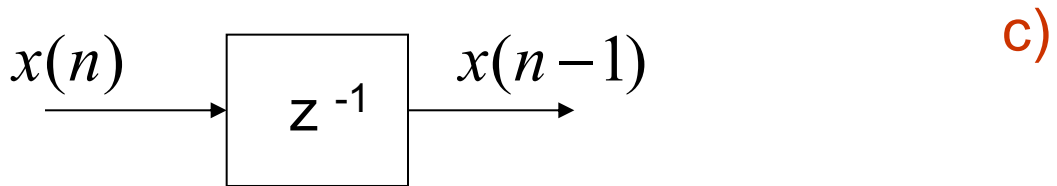
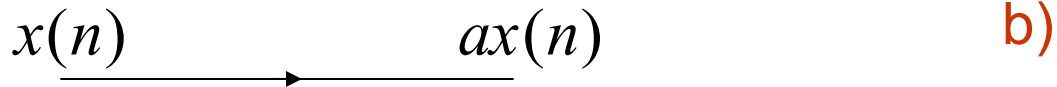
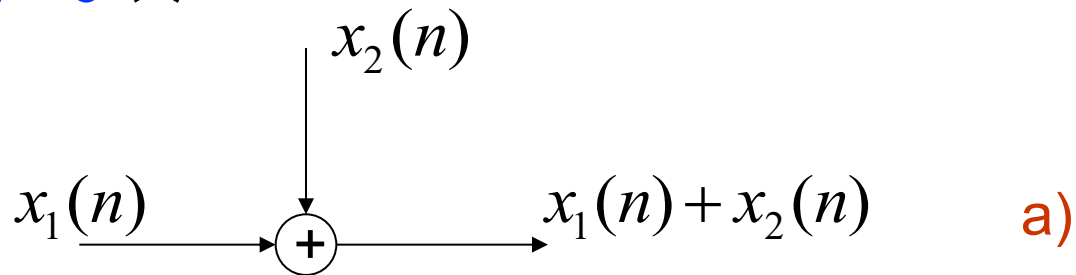


$$H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{\sum_{r=0}^M b_r z^{-r}}{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}}$$



Filter representation

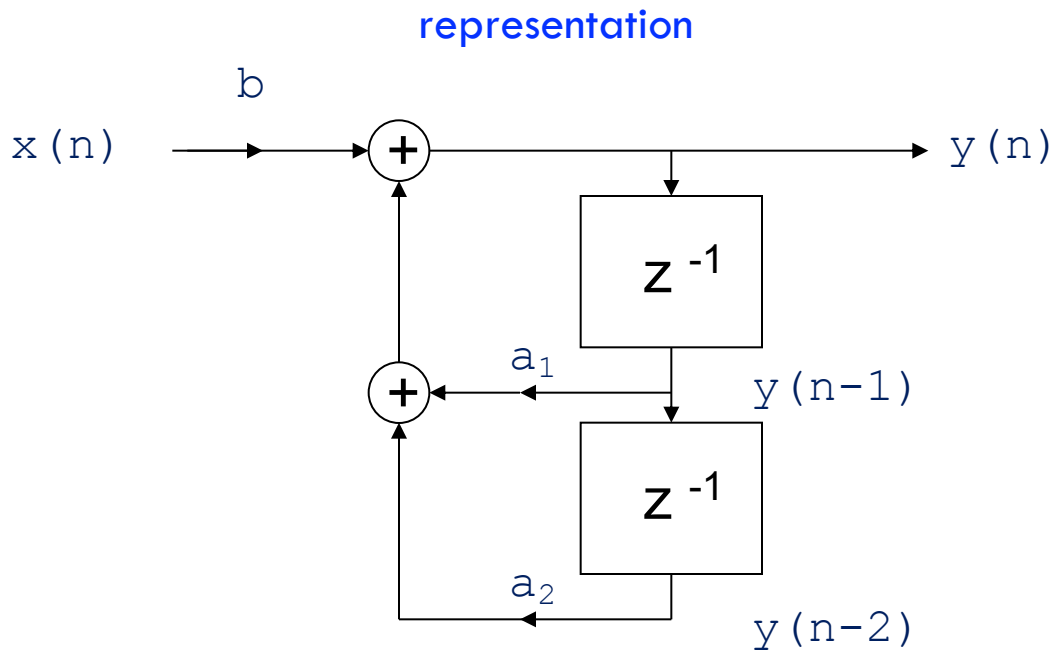
- Basic operations required to realize a digital filter
 - adder (a)
 - multiplier by a constant (b)
 - delaying (c)



Example

Equation

$$y(n] = a_1 y[n-1] + a_2 y[n-2] + bx[n]$$

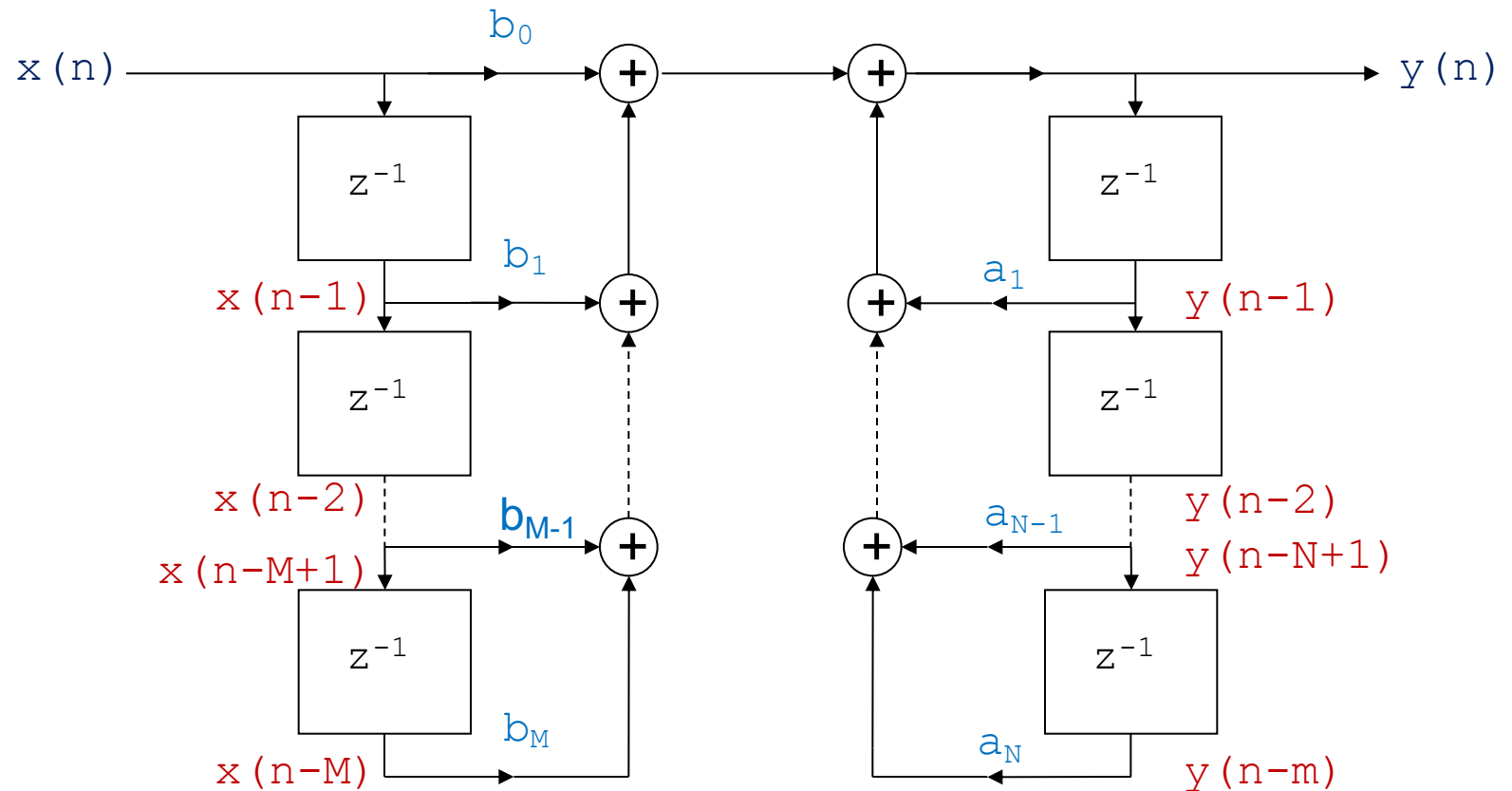


transfer function

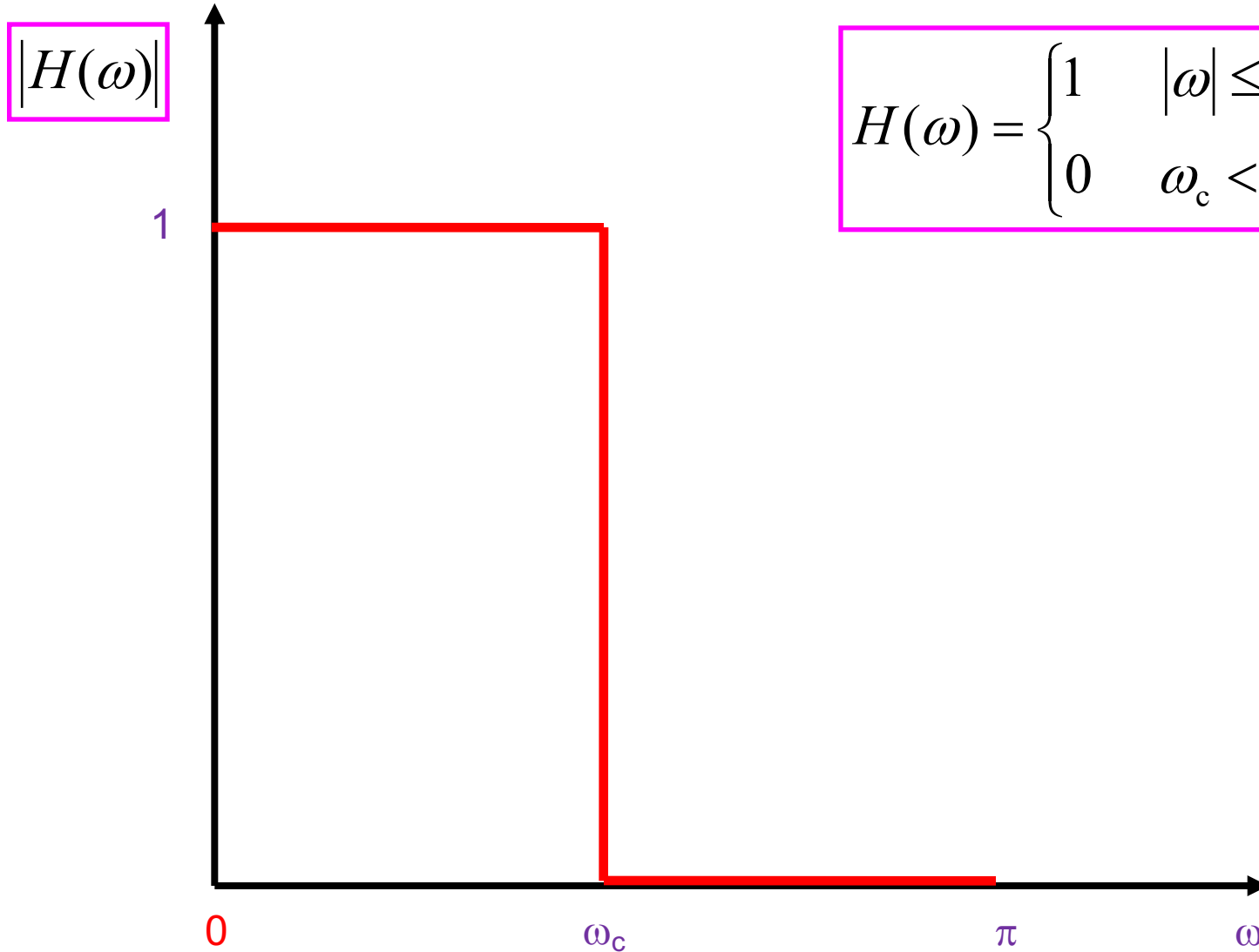
$$H(z) = \frac{b}{1 + a_1 z^{-1} + a_2 z^{-2}}$$



General representation



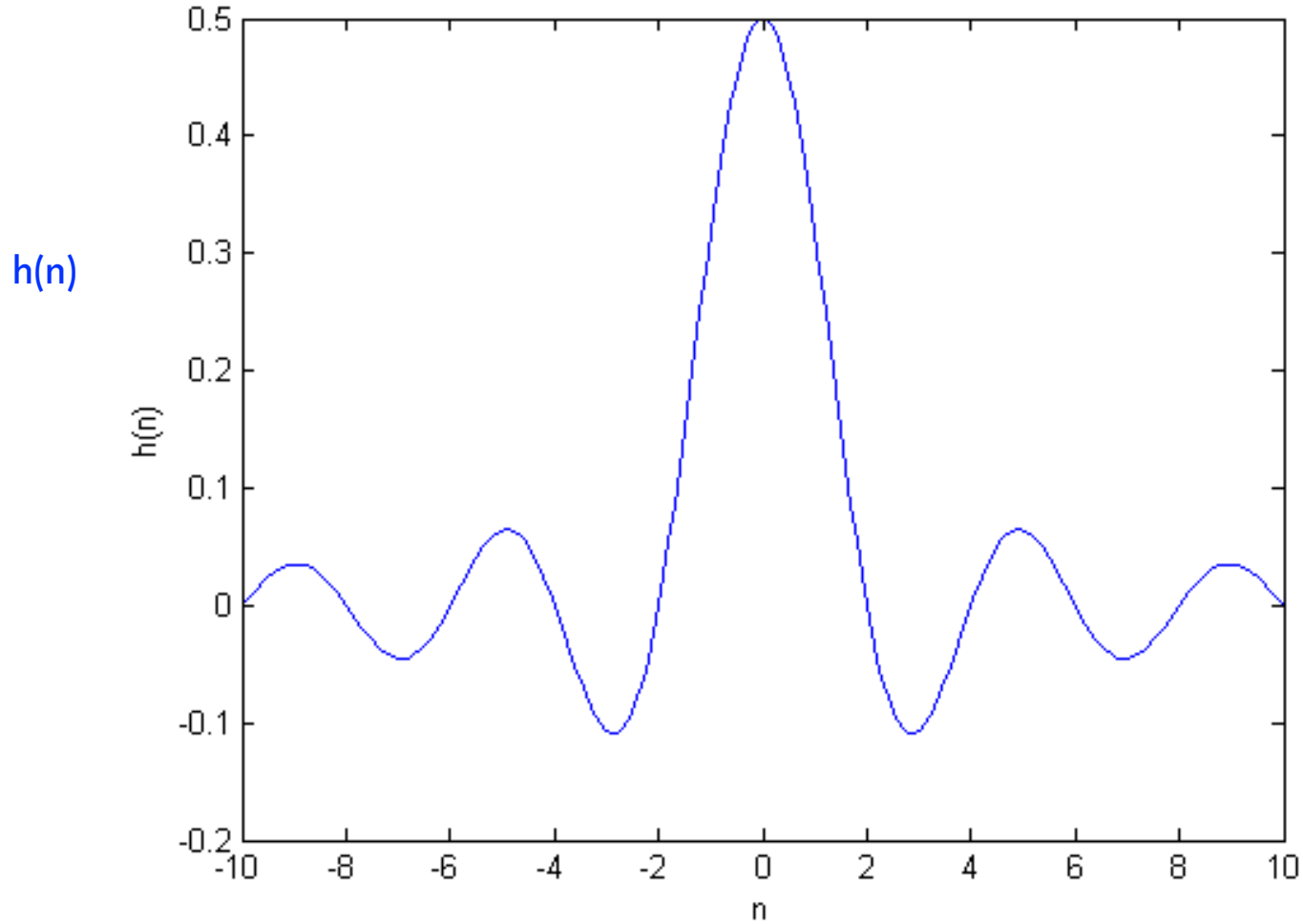
Ideal low-pass filter



$$H(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| \leq \omega_c \\ 0 & \omega_c < |\omega| < \pi \end{cases}$$



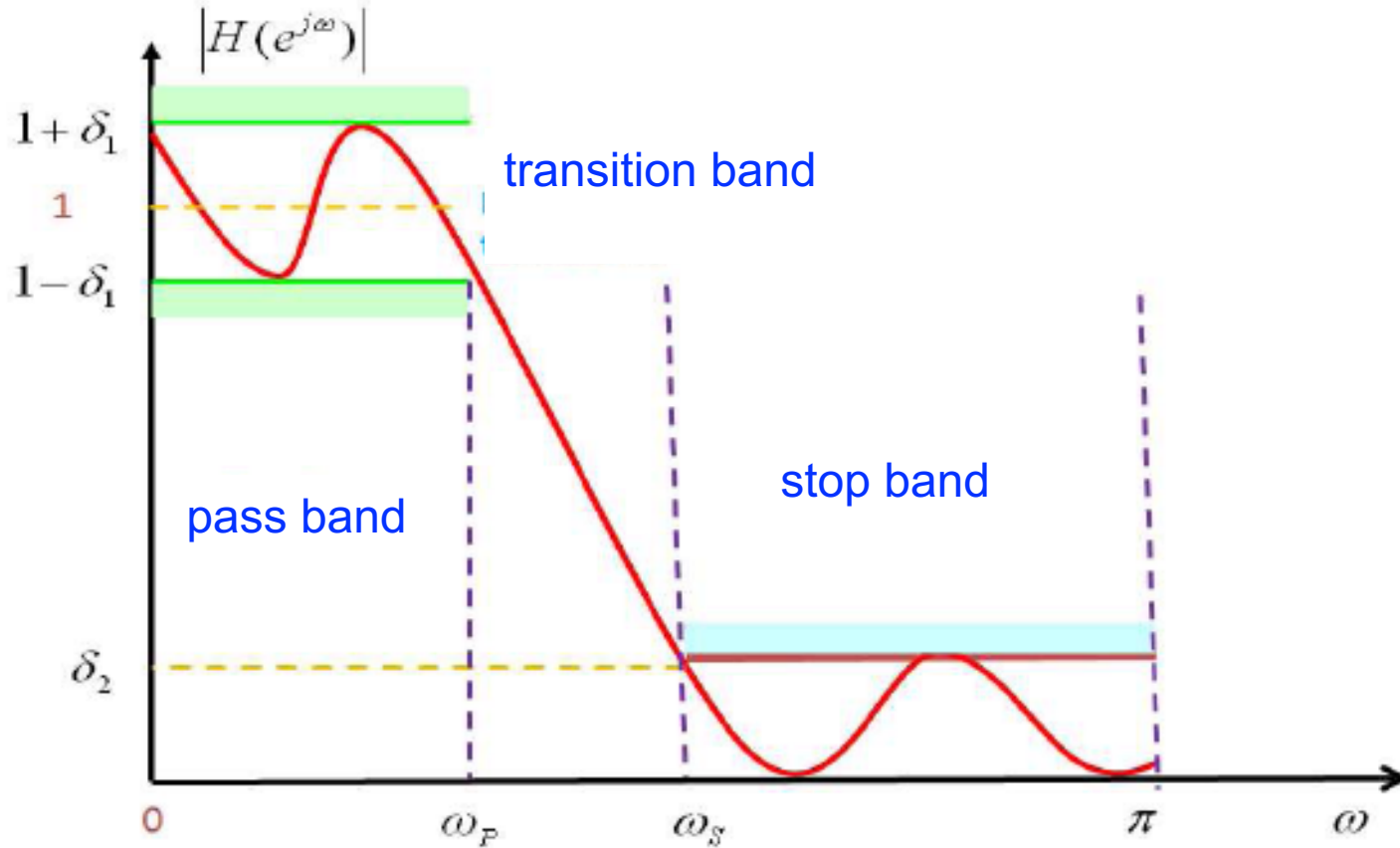
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Impulse response corresponding to low-pass filter



Real low-pass filter



$$1 - \delta_1 \leq |H(\omega)| \leq 1 + \delta_1 \quad |\omega| \leq \omega_p$$

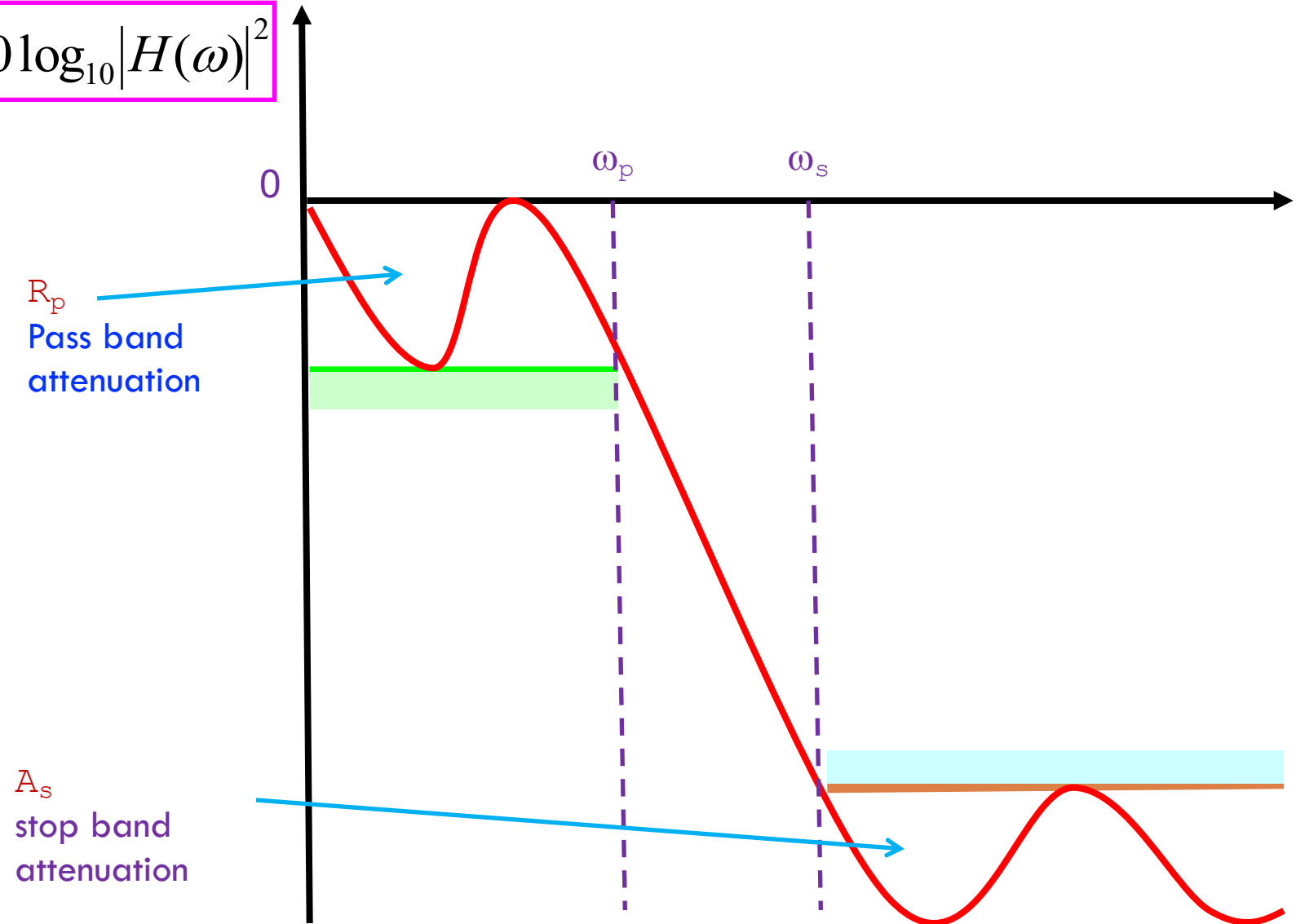
$$|H(\omega)| \leq \delta_2 \quad \omega_s \leq |\omega| \leq \pi$$

tolerance limits

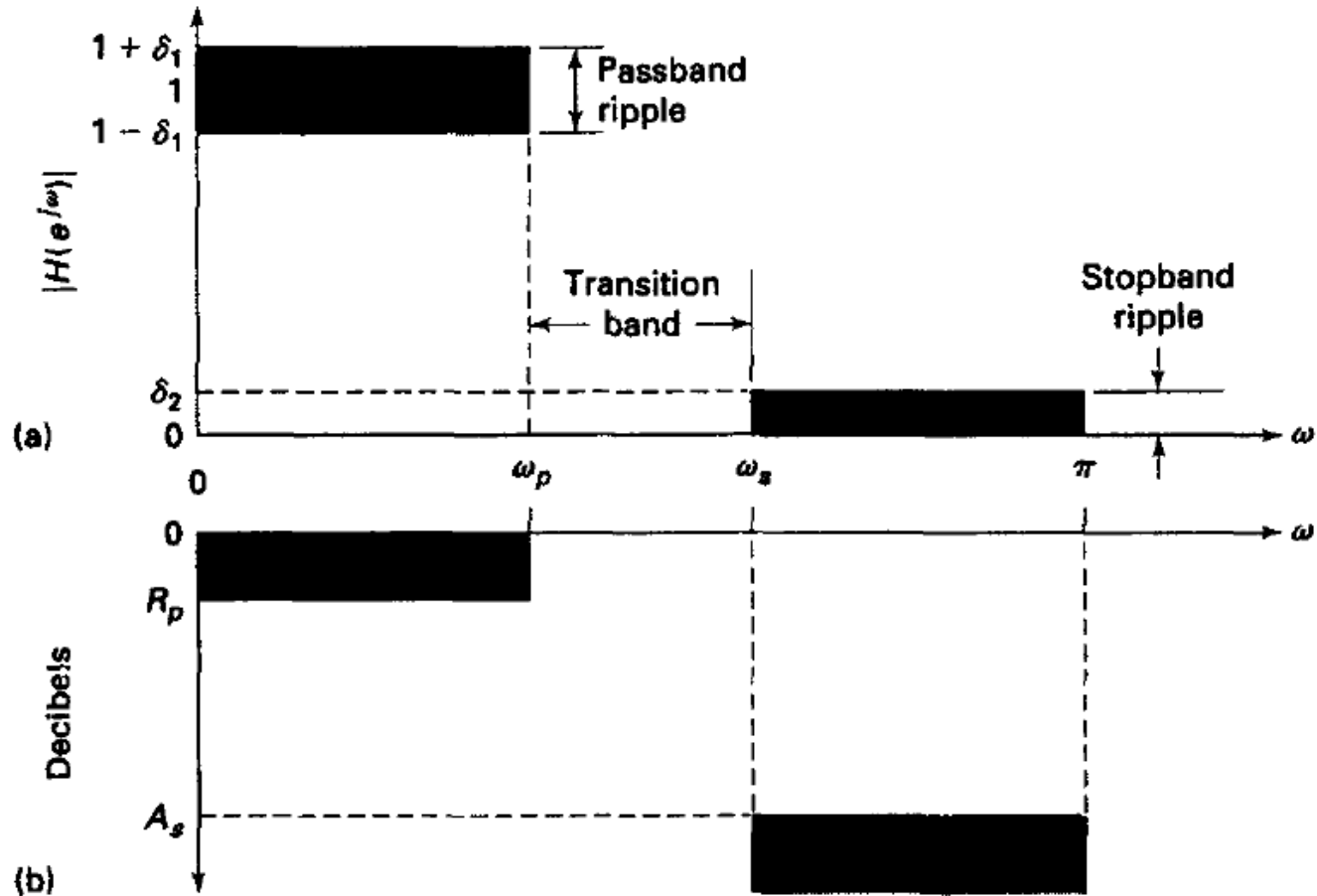


Decibel parameters

$$10 \log_{10} |H(\omega)|^2$$



Comparison



Comparison between parameters with or without decibels



IIR and FIR

- Finite Impulse Response (FIR)
 - Polynomial Transfer function
 - Stable and linear phase

- Infinite Impulse Response (IIR)
 - Rational function
 - Non-linear phase and no stable
 - Better frequency cut

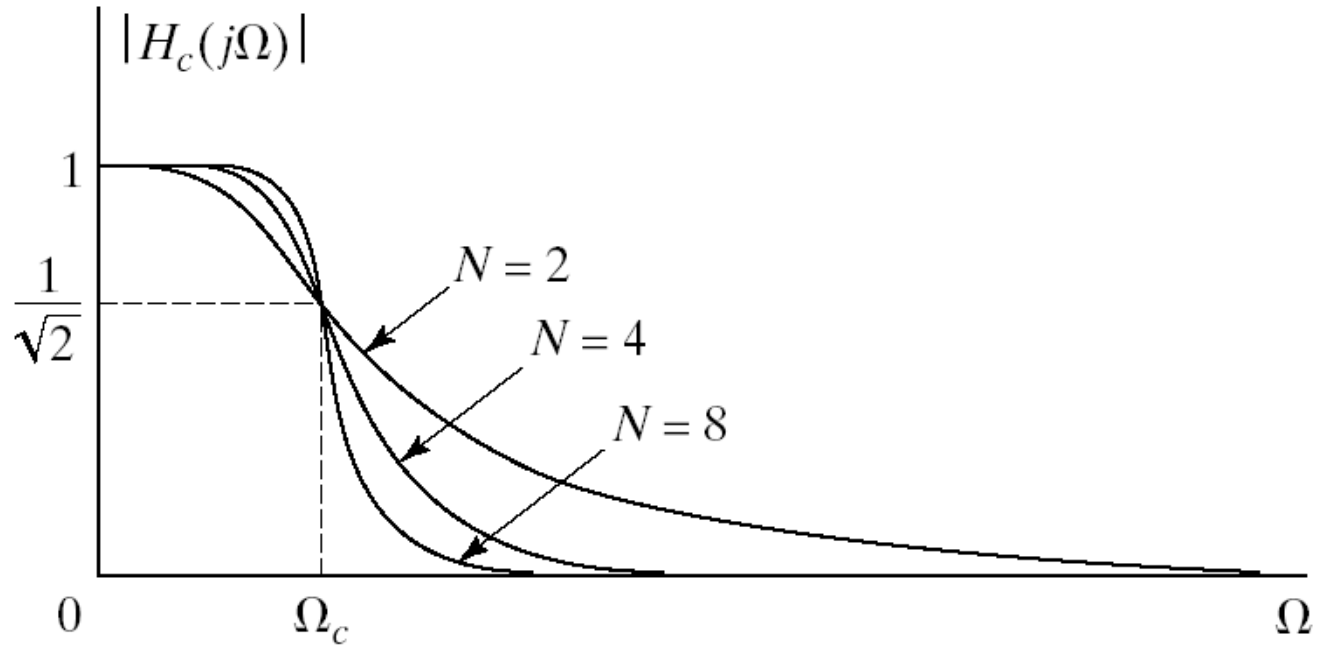


IIR

- To **develop** a numeric IIR filter
 - Transformation of an analogic filter in a **numeric filter**
- **Known analogic filters**
 - Butterworth
 - Chebyshev
 - Elliptic



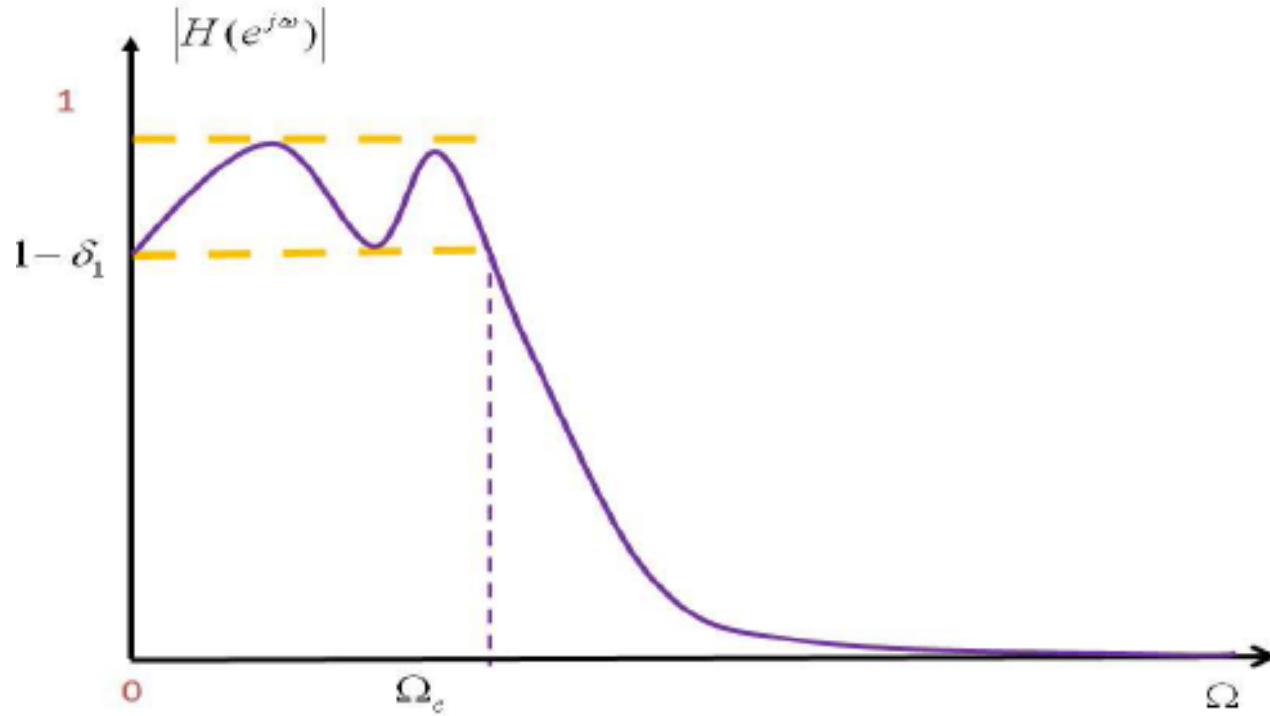
Butterworth



Butterworth analogic filter



Chebyshev



Chebyshev analogic filter



Ideal low-pass filter

$$H_d(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| \leq \omega_c \\ 0 & \omega_c < |\omega| < \pi \end{cases}$$

frequencies

$$h_d(n) = \frac{\sin \omega_c n}{\pi n}$$

time

$$h(n) = h_d(n)w(n) \quad \text{dove} \quad w(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq n \leq M-1 \\ 0 & \text{altrove} \end{cases}$$

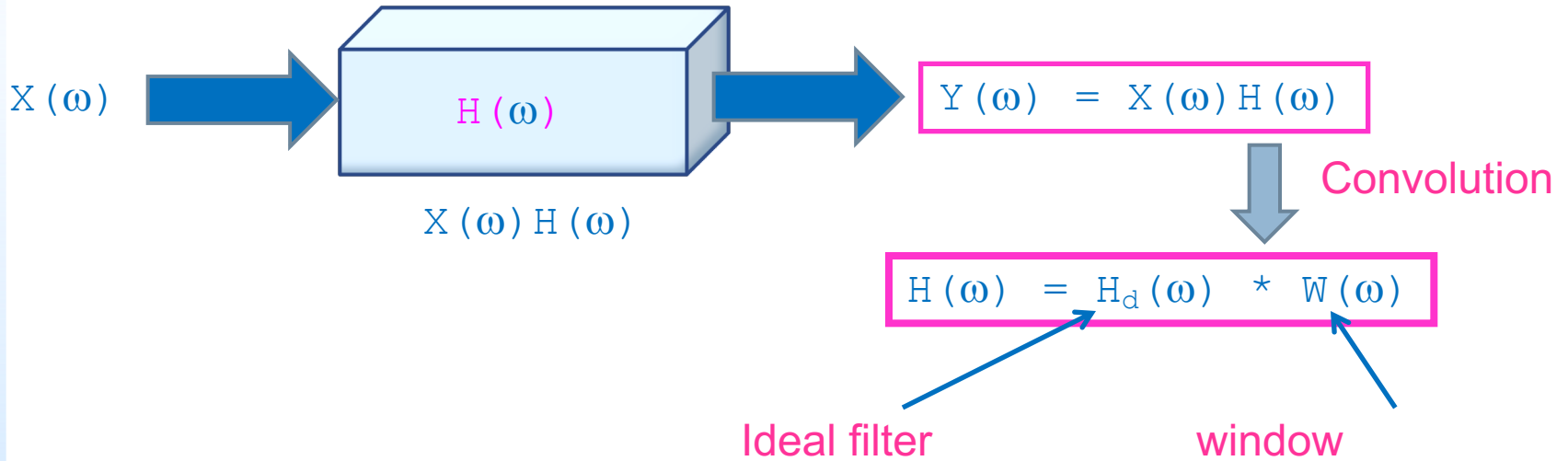
finite duration

window

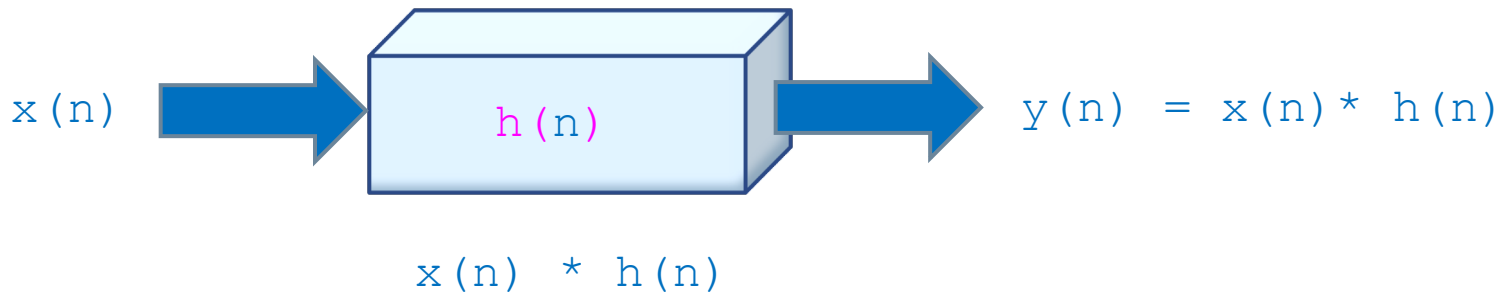


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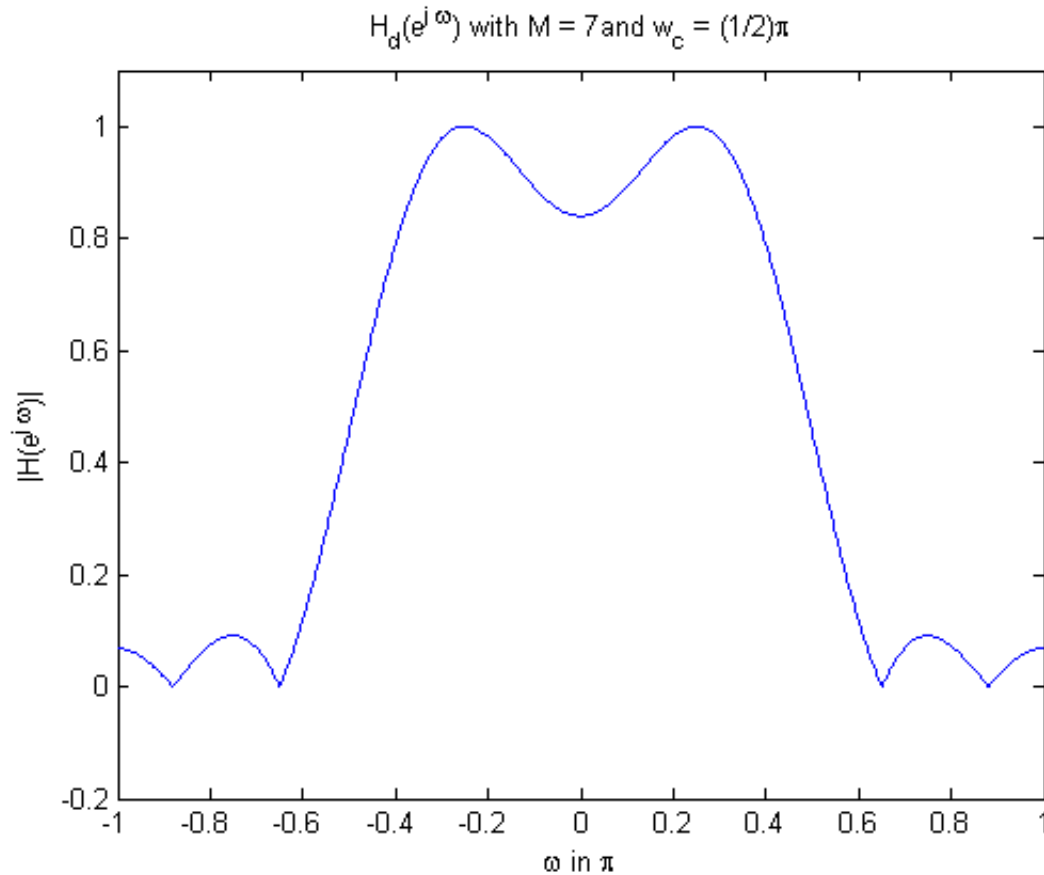
Frequencies domain



Time domain



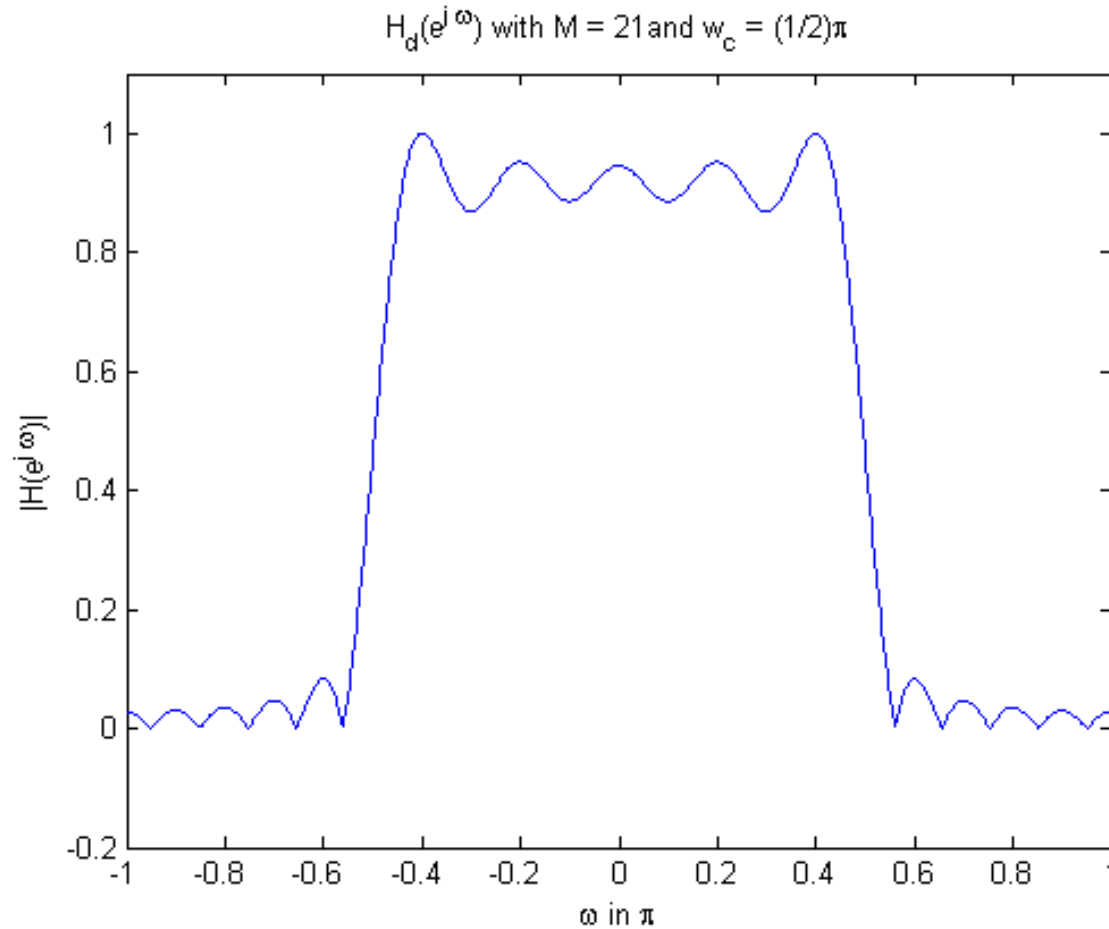
Gibbs phenomenon



Rectangular window with $M = 7$



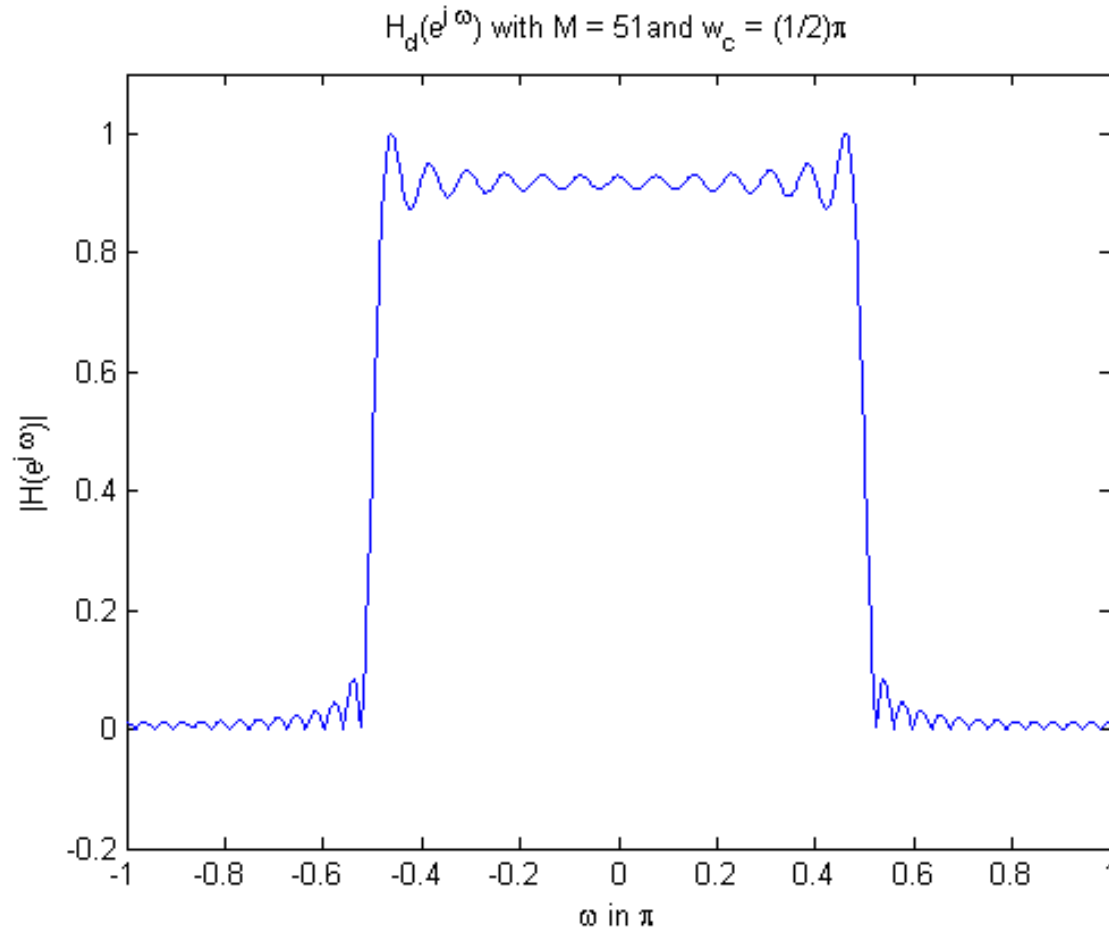
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Rectangular window with $M = 21$



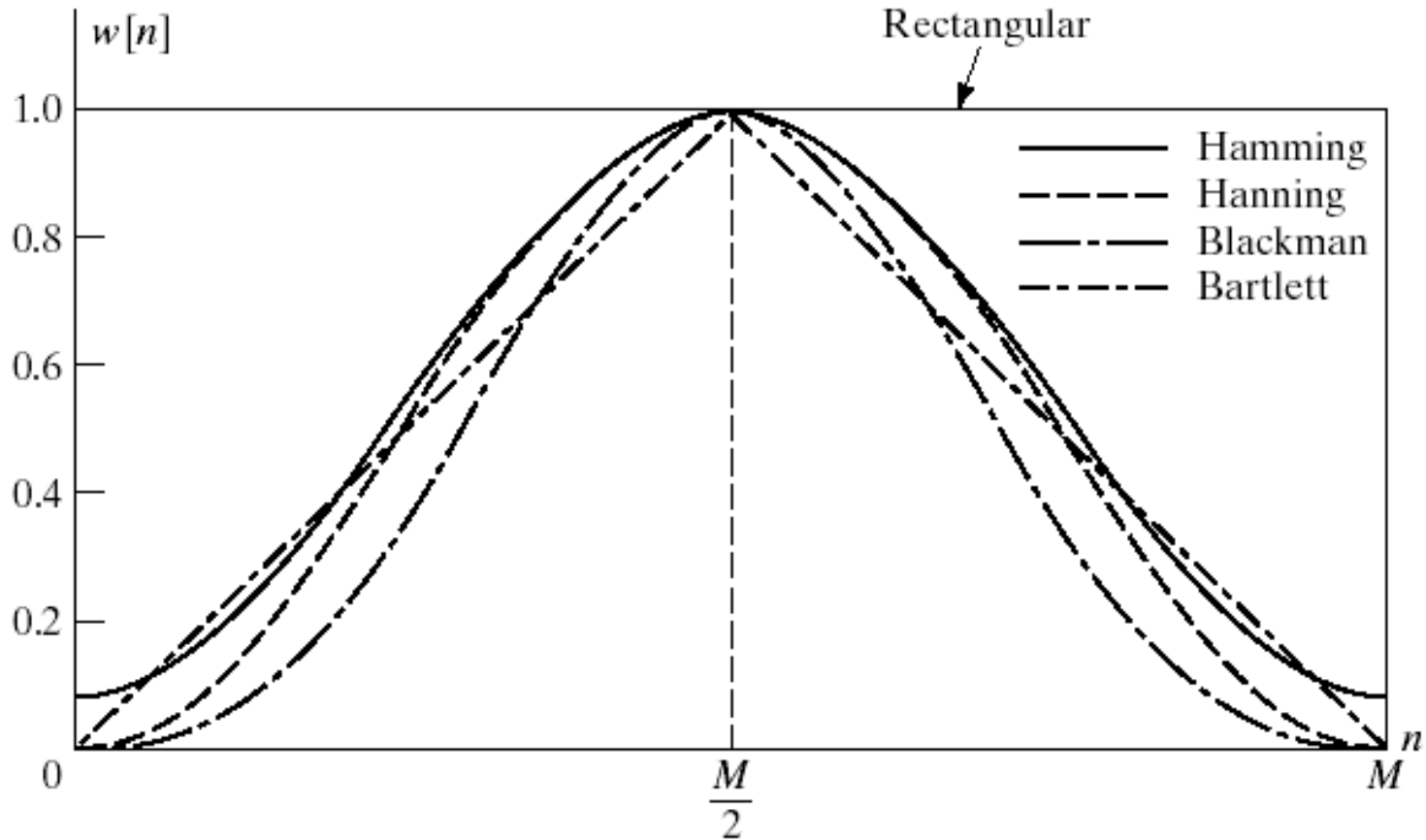
Gibbs phenomenon



Rectangular window with $M = 51$



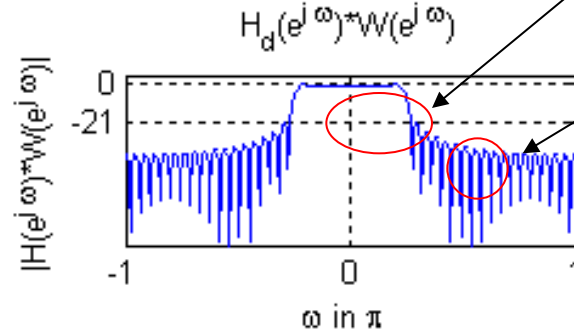
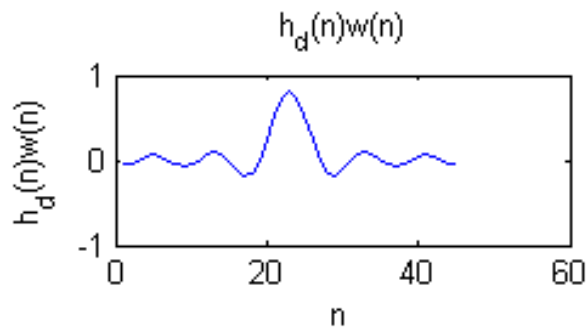
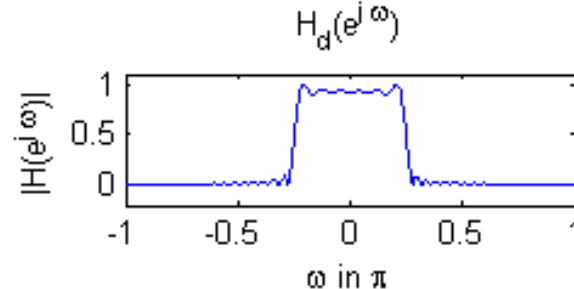
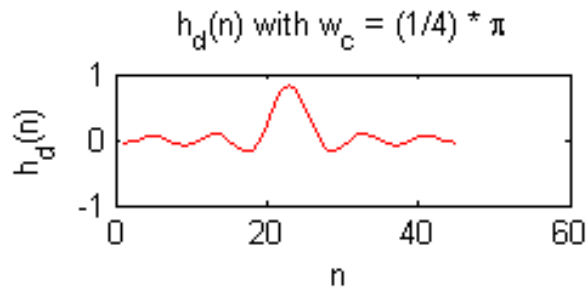
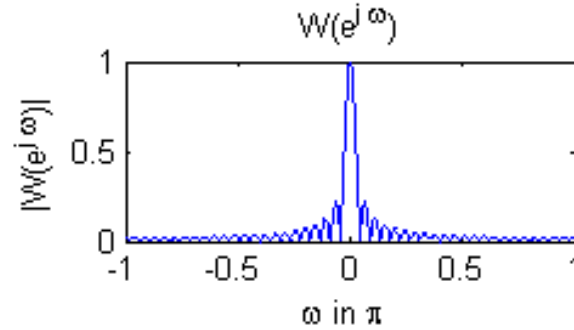
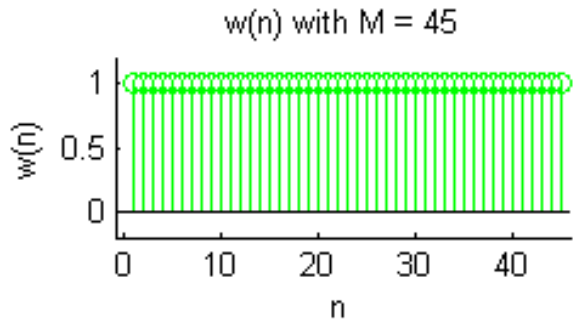
Gibbs phenomenon



To decrease the height of the side lobes different windows are used



Rectangular window



bandwidth

$$\omega_s - \omega_p = \frac{1.8\pi}{M}$$

attenuation of 21 dB

$M = 45$

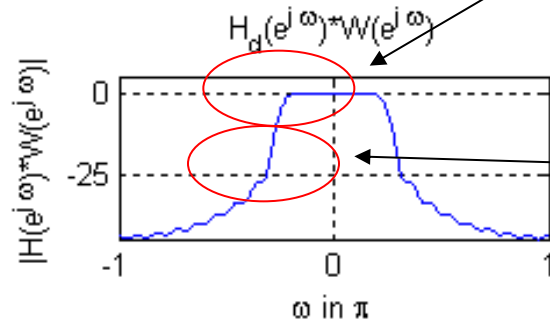
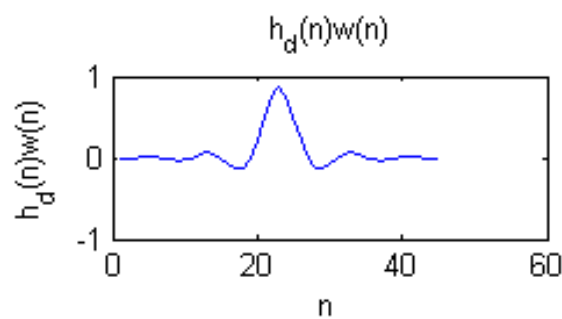
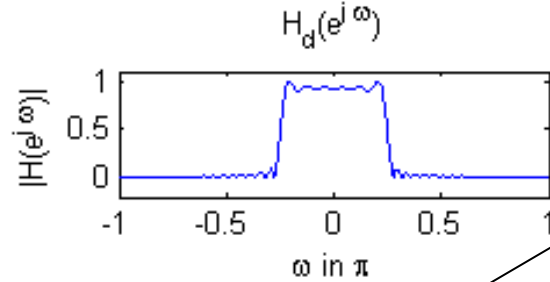
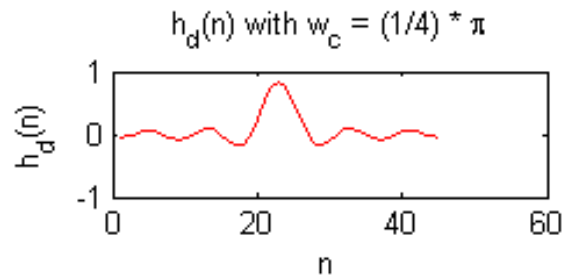
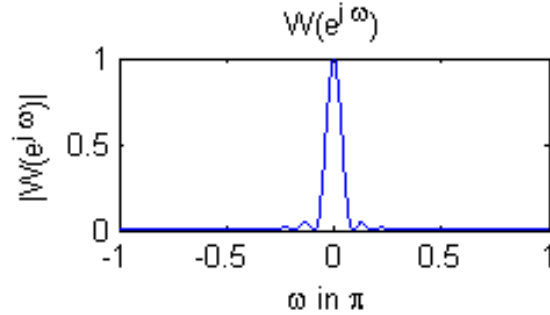
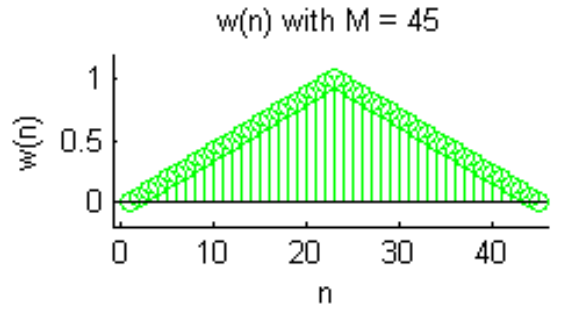


Bartlett window

$$w(n) = \begin{cases} 2n/M & 0 \leq n \leq M/2 \\ 2 - 2n/M & M/2 \leq n \leq M \\ 0 & \textit{else} \end{cases}$$



Bartlett window



bandwidth

$$\omega_s - \omega_p = \frac{6.1\pi}{M}$$

attenuation of
26 dB

$M = 45$

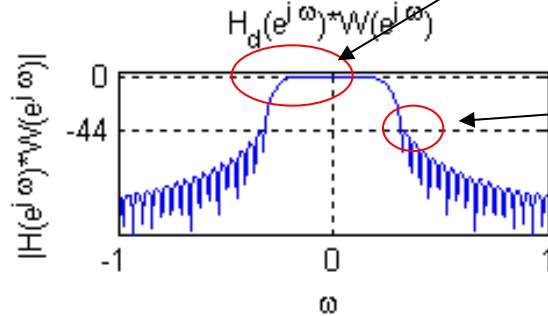
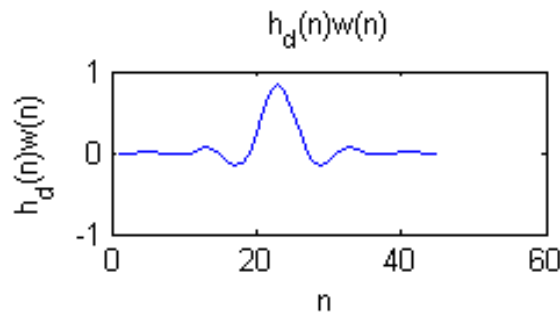
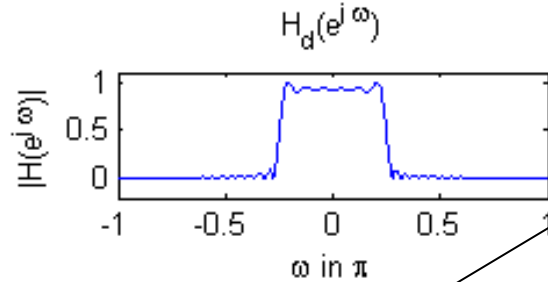
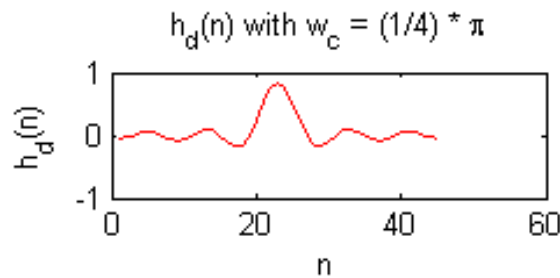
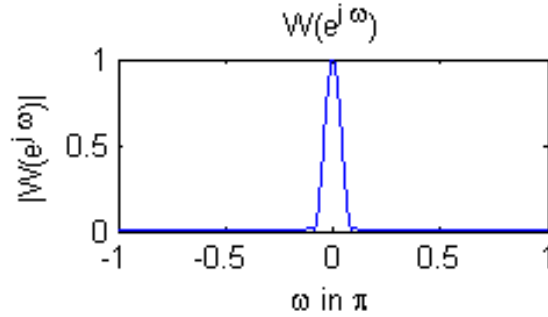
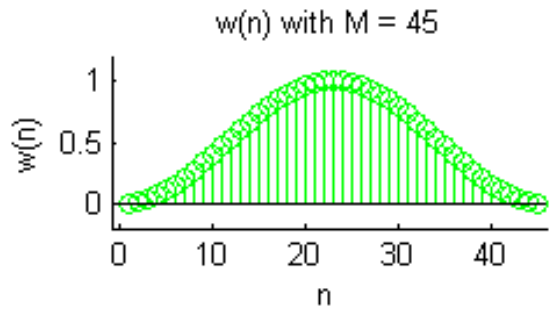


Hanning window

$$w(n) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \left[1 - \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{M}\right) \right] & 0 \leq n \leq M \\ 0 & \textit{else} \end{cases}$$



Hanning window



bandwidth

$$\omega_s - \omega_p = \frac{6.2\pi}{M}$$

attenuation of
44 dB

$M = 45$

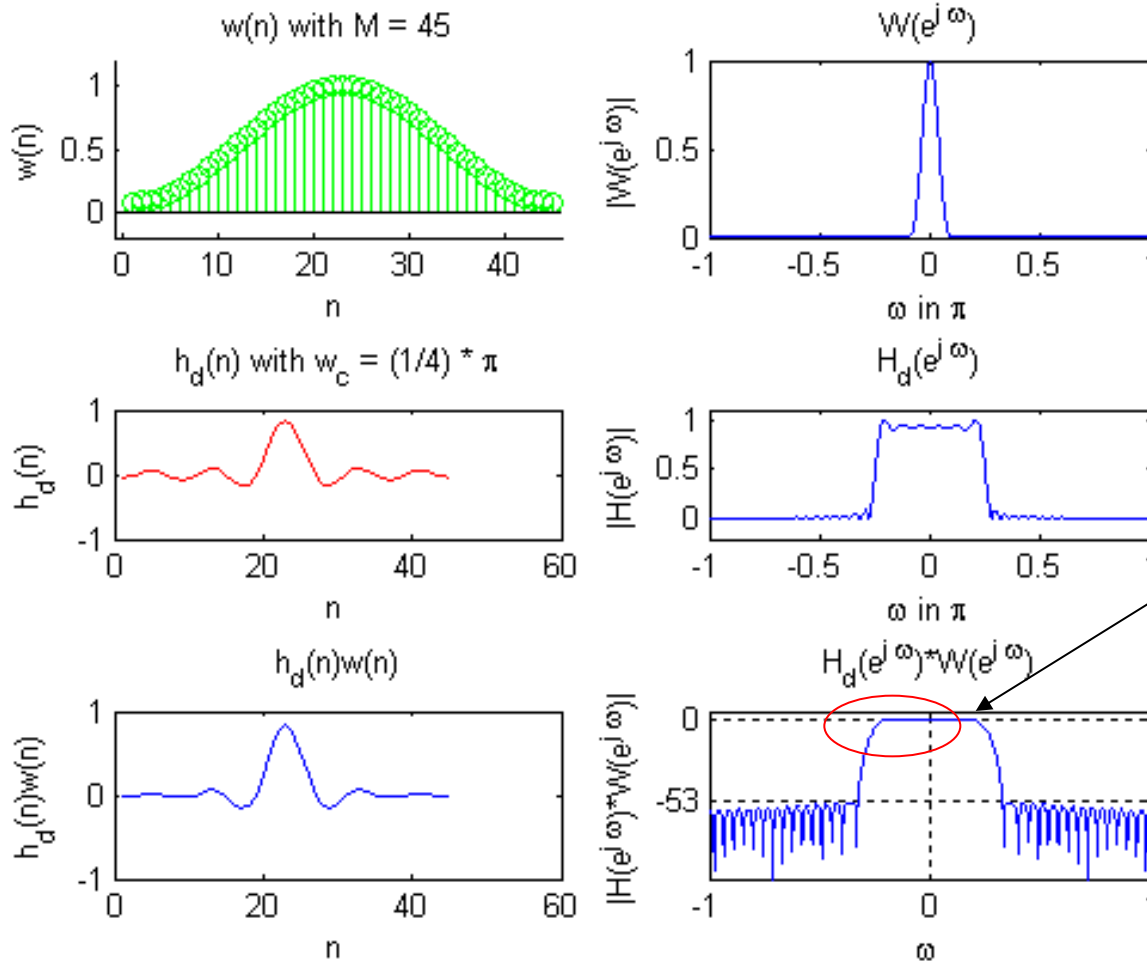


Hamming window

$$w(n) = \begin{cases} 0.54 - 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{M}\right) & 0 \leq n \leq M \\ 0 & \textit{else} \end{cases}$$



Hamming window



bandwidth

$$\omega_s - \omega_p = \frac{6.6\pi}{M}$$

attenuation of
53 dB

$M = 45$

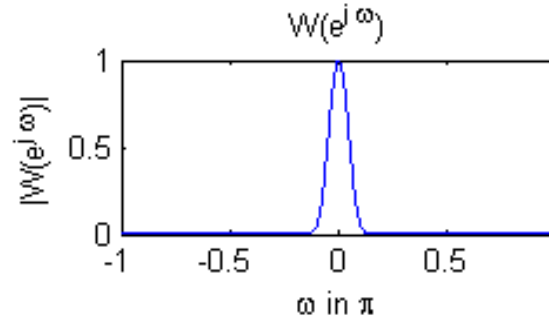
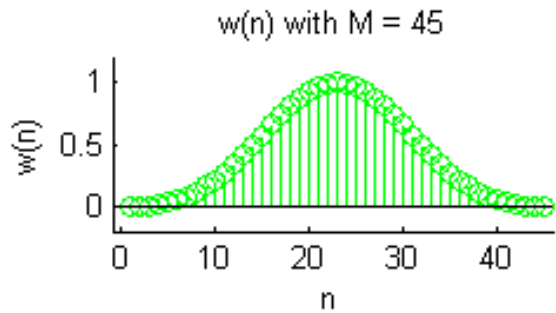


Blackman window

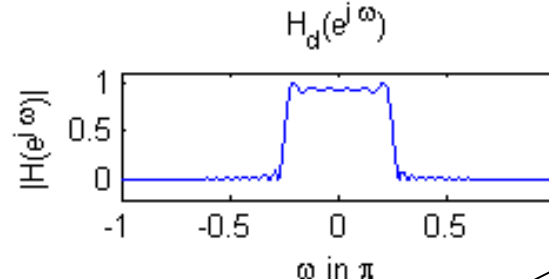
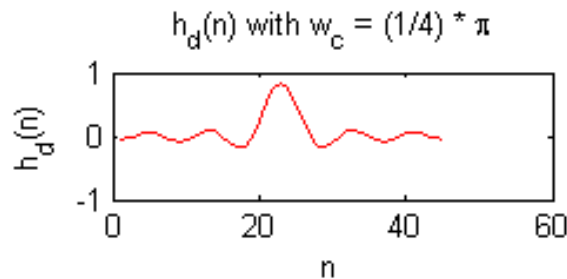
$$w(n) = \begin{cases} 0.42 - 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{M}\right) + 0.08 \cos\left(\frac{4\pi n}{M}\right) & 0 \leq n \leq M \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$



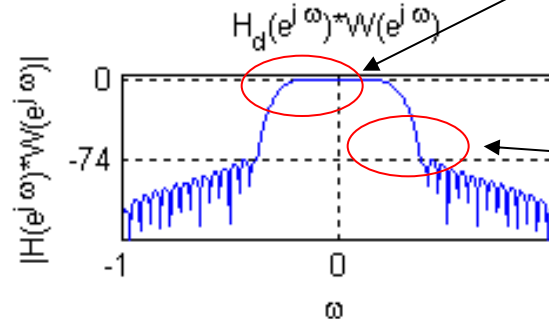
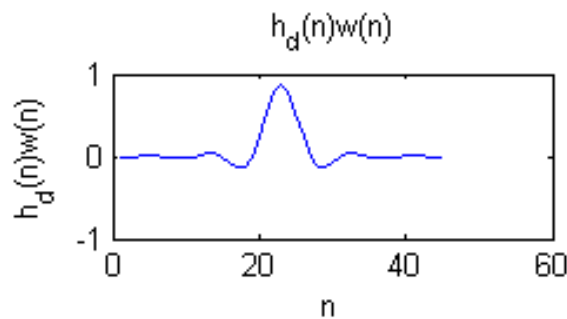
Blackman window



bandwidth



$$\omega_s - \omega_p = \frac{11\pi}{M}$$



attenuation of
74 dB

$M = 45$

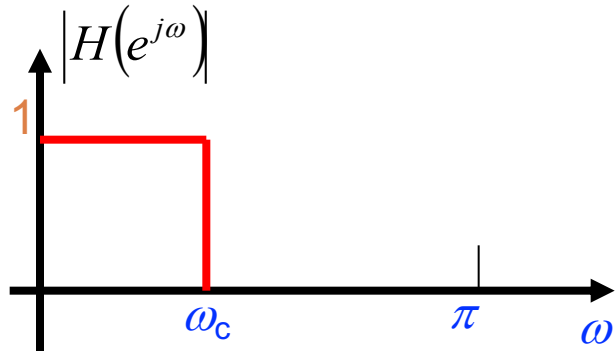


Summarazing

<i>Finestra</i>	<i>Altezza masima dei lobi laterali (dB)</i>	<i>Larghezza del lobo principale</i>	<i>Attenuazione minima in banda oscura (dB)</i>
<i>Rettangolare</i>	-13	$4\pi/N$	-21
<i>Bartlett</i>	-25	$8\pi/N$	-25
<i>Hanning</i>	-31	$8\pi/N$	-44
<i>Hamming</i>	-41	$8\pi/N$	-53
<i>Blackman</i>	-57	$12\pi/N$	-74

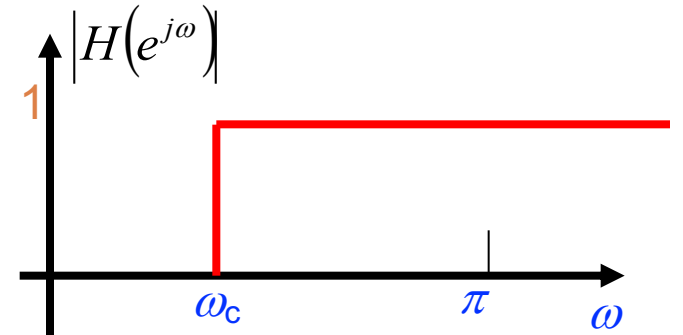


Types of filters

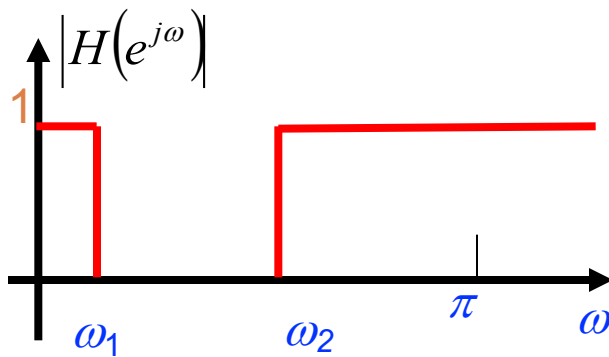


low-pass filter

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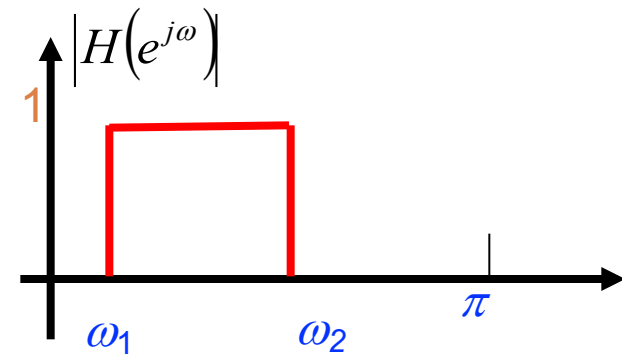


b) high-pass filter



stop-band filter

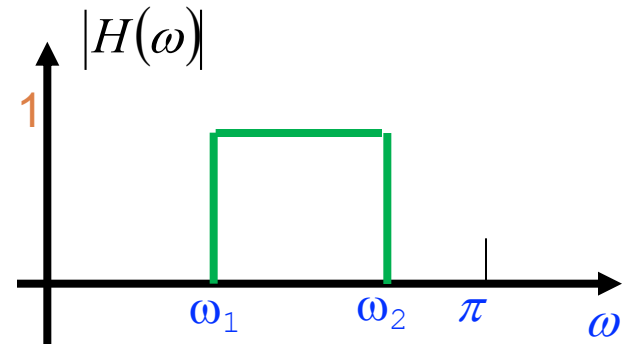
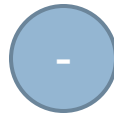
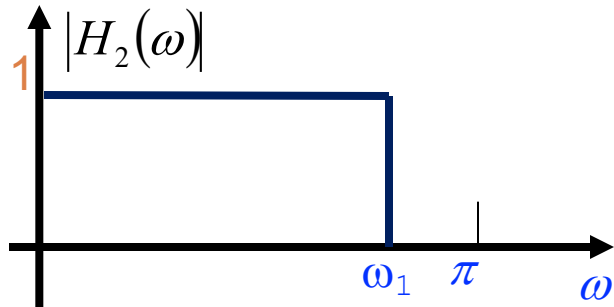
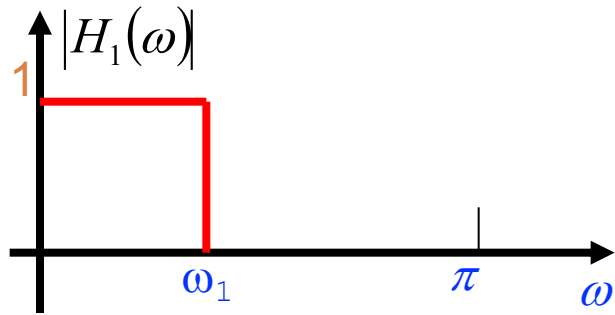
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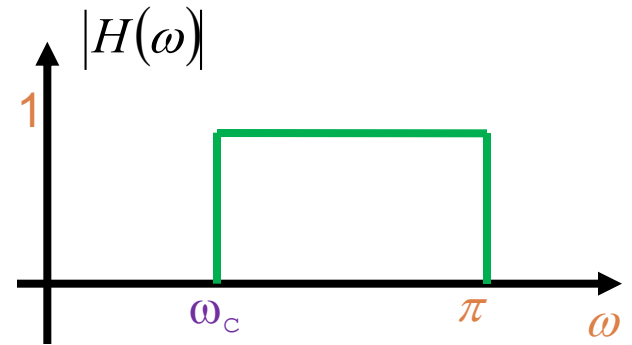
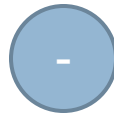
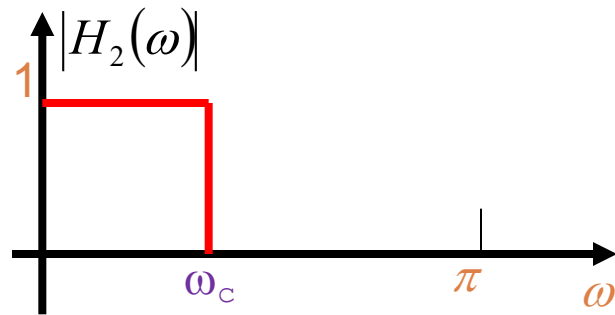
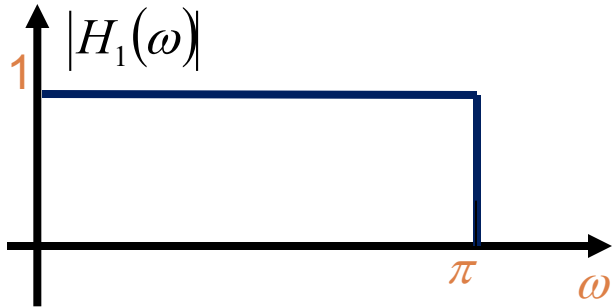
d) band-pass filter



band-pass filter



high-pass filter



band-stop filter

