

# **Campi Elettromagnetici**

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# Color legend

New formulas, important considerations,  
important formulas, important concepts

Very important for the discussion

Memo

Mathematical tools to be exploited

Mathematics

# Mathematical tools that we will exploit today

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{\mathbf{A}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}})) = 0$$

# Maxwell equations

## Time domain - Differential form

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \nabla \times \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = -\frac{\partial \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)}{\partial t} \\ \nabla \times \vec{\mathbf{h}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \frac{\partial \vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)}{\partial t} + \vec{\mathbf{j}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \\ \nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \rho(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \\ \nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = 0 \end{array} \right.$$



**James Clerk Maxwell 1831-1879**

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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \vec{j}(\vec{r},t) \\ \rho(\vec{r},t) \end{array} \right. \quad \text{Induced sources}$$

## Complex scenario



# The independence of the Maxwell equations

## Time domain - Differential form

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$$\nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = 0$$

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)) = \nabla \cdot \left( -\frac{\partial \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)}{\partial t} \right)$$



0



$$= -\frac{\partial (\nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t))}{\partial t}$$

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# The independence of the Maxwell equations

## Time domain - Differential form

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$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)) &= \nabla \cdot \left( -\frac{\partial \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)}{\partial t} \right) \\ \downarrow & \qquad \qquad \downarrow \\ 0 & \qquad \qquad = -\frac{\partial (\nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t))}{\partial t} \end{aligned}$$

$\nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{b}}$  is independent of time. If the fields are equal to zero before a given time, then  $\nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{b}} = 0$  for all times, thus recovering the last Maxwell equation



# The independence of the Maxwell equations

## Time domain - Differential form

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Number of independent scalar equations:

$$3+3+1=7$$

Let us assume knowledge of the impressed sources  $\vec{\mathbf{j}}_0(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \rho_0(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$

Number of unknown scalar quantities:

$\vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{h}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{j}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \rho(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$

$$3 \quad +3 \quad +3 \quad +3 \quad +3 \quad +1$$

$$16$$

# The independence of the Maxwell equations

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# Constitutive relationships

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The additional missing equations are provided by the **constitutive relationships**, which describe interaction of fields and matter from a macroscopic point of view

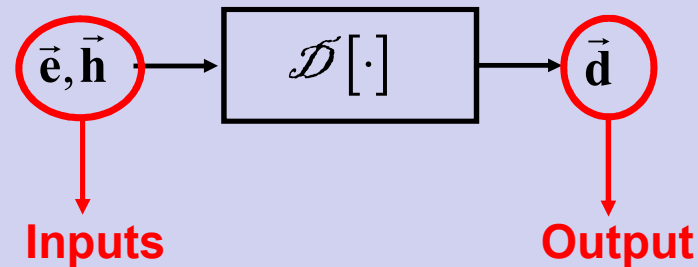
# Constitutive relationships

Inductions and currents must be represented in terms of fields

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}} = \mathcal{D}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}, \vec{\mathbf{h}}]$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{b}} = \mathcal{B}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}, \vec{\mathbf{h}}]$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{j}} = \mathcal{J}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}, \vec{\mathbf{h}}]$$



$\mathcal{D}[\cdot]$ ,  $\mathcal{B}[\cdot]$  and  $\mathcal{J}[\cdot]$  are functionals which depend upon the medium in which the electromagnetic field is considered and upon the fields themselves.

# Constitutive relationships

Linear media

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}}_1 = \mathcal{D}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}_1, \vec{\mathbf{h}}_1]$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}}_2 = \mathcal{D}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}_2, \vec{\mathbf{h}}_2]$$



$$\vec{\mathbf{d}}_1 + \vec{\mathbf{d}}_2 = \mathcal{D}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}_1 + \vec{\mathbf{e}}_2, \vec{\mathbf{h}}_1 + \vec{\mathbf{h}}_2]$$

# Constitutive relationships

In the following we will consider linear media

# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### Example 1

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) + \boldsymbol{\chi}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{h}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

where

$\vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ ;  $\vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ ;  $\vec{\mathbf{h}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : 3x1 column vectors

$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ ;  $\boldsymbol{\chi}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : 3x3 matrices

- Local (non-dispersive) media
- Bianisotropic media

# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### Example 2

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

where

$\vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{h}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : 3x1 column vectors

$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : 3x3 matrices

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# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### Example 2

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \boldsymbol{\mu}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{h}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{j}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \boldsymbol{\sigma}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

where

$\vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{b}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{j}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \vec{\mathbf{h}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : 3x1 column vectors

$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \boldsymbol{\mu}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \boldsymbol{\sigma}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : 3x3 matrices

■ Local (non-dispersive) media

■ Anisotropic media

$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : permittivity [Farad/m]

$\boldsymbol{\mu}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : permeability [Henry/m]

$\boldsymbol{\sigma}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : conductivity [Siemens/m]

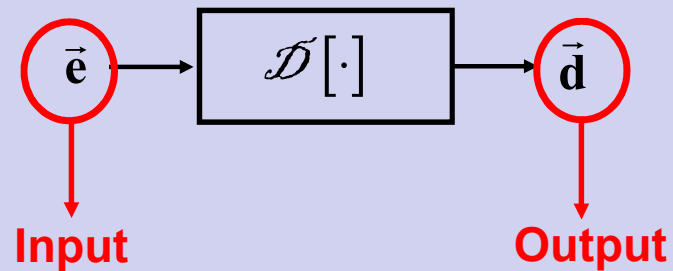
# Constitutive relationships

## Linear & Anisotropic media

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}} = \mathcal{D}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}]$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{b}} = \mathcal{B}[\vec{\mathbf{h}}]$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{j}} = \mathcal{J}[\vec{\mathbf{e}}]$$



# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

$$\vec{d}(\vec{r}, t) = \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{r}, t) \cdot \vec{e}(\vec{r}, t)$$

$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{r}, t)$ : 3x3 matrix

■ Local (non-dispersive) media

■ Anisotropic media

### Class

**Isotropic**

### Property

A **rotation** of the input implies **the same rotation** of the output

### Effect on the I-O relation

$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{r}, t)$  becomes scalar. It is not a matrix anymore!

# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### ■ Local (non-dispersive) media

### ■ Anisotropic media

$$\vec{\mathbf{d}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

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$$\vec{\mathbf{j}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \boldsymbol{\sigma}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \cdot \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \boldsymbol{\mu}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \boldsymbol{\sigma}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : 3x3 matrices

### ■ Local (non-dispersive) media

### ■ Isotropic media

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$$\vec{\mathbf{j}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) = \sigma(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t) \vec{\mathbf{e}}(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$$

$\varepsilon(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \mu(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t); \sigma(\vec{\mathbf{r}}, t)$ : scalar functions

# Constitutive relationships

Linear media

## Class

Time-dispersive

Time-nondispersive

Time-variant

Time-invariant

## Property

## Effect on the I-O relation

# Constitutive relationships

Linear media

## Class

Space-dispersive

Space-nondispersive

Space-variant

Space-invariant

## Property

## Effect on the I-O relation

# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### Class

Time-dispersive

**Time-nondispersive**

Time-variant

Time-invariant

### Property

The output **at time  $t$  depends only** on the value of the input **at the same time  $t$**

### Effect on the I-O relation

# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### Class

**Time-dispersive**

**Time-nondispersive**

**Time-variant**

**Time-invariant**

### Property

The output **at time  $t$  depends** on the values of the input **throughout a time-interval.**

### Effect on the I-O relation



# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### Class

Time-dispersive

Time-nondispersive

Time-variant

**Time-invariant**

### Property

A **time translation** of the input implies **the same translation** of the output

### Effect on the I-O relation

# Constitutive relationships

## Linear media

### Class

Time-dispersive

Time-nondispersive

**Time-variant**

Time-invariant

### Property

A **time translation** of the input **does not** imply **the same translation** of the output

### Effect on the I-O relation

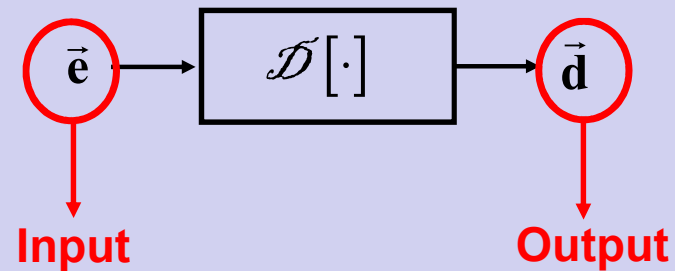
# Constitutive relationships

## Linear & Anisotropic media

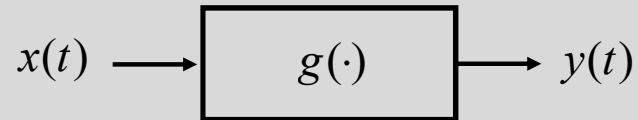
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# Memo: time-dispersive (TD) linear systems



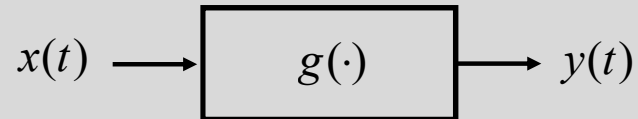
**Effect on the I-O relation**

$$y(t) = \int dt' g(t, t') x(t')$$

The output **at time  $t$  depends** on the values of the input **throughout a time-interval**.

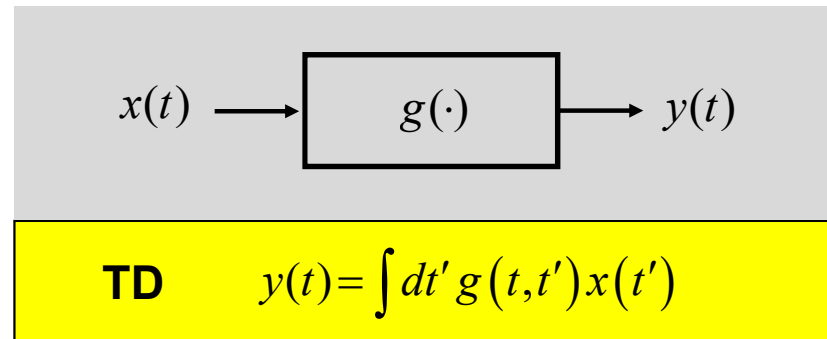
In the most general case, these systems possess an heredity: they are called **dispersive**

# Memo: Time-nondispersive (TND) linear systems



**TD**  $y(t) = \int dt' g(t, t') x(t')$

# Memo: Time-nondispersive (TND) linear systems



## Property

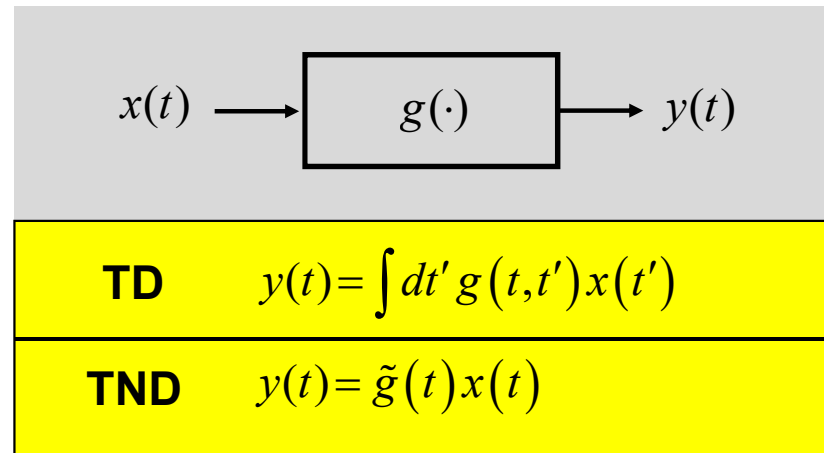
The output **at time  $t$  depends only** on the value of the input **at the same time  $t$**

## Effect on the I-O relation

$$g(t, t') \rightarrow \delta(t - t') \tilde{g}(t')$$

$$y(t) = \int dt' \delta(t - t') \tilde{g}(t') x(t') = \tilde{g}(t) x(t)$$

# Memo: Time-nondispersive (TND) linear systems



## Property

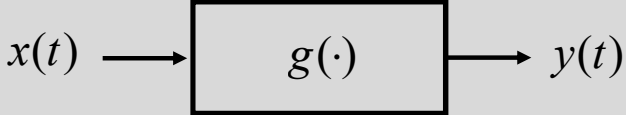
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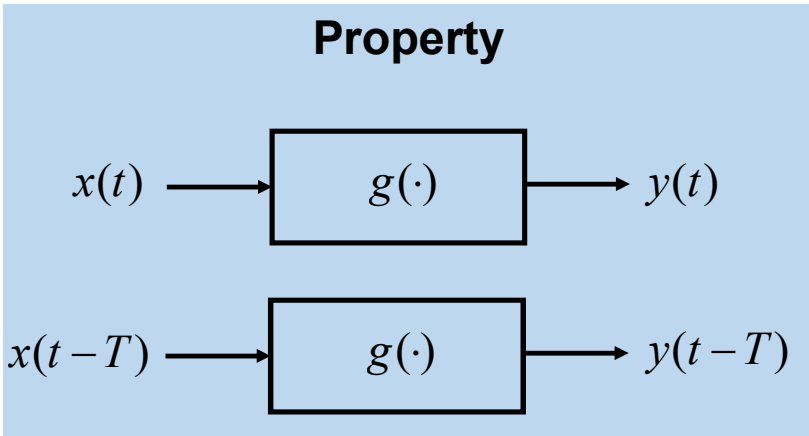
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# Memo: time-invariant (TI) linear systems

	
<b>TD</b>	$y(t) = \int dt' g(t, t') x(t')$
<b>TND</b>	$y(t) = \tilde{g}(t) x(t)$

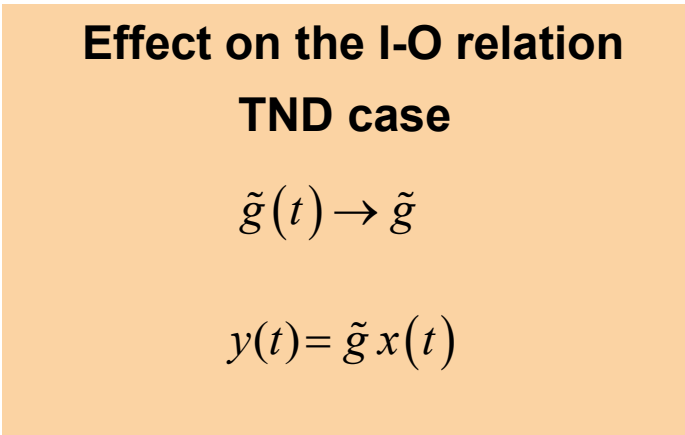
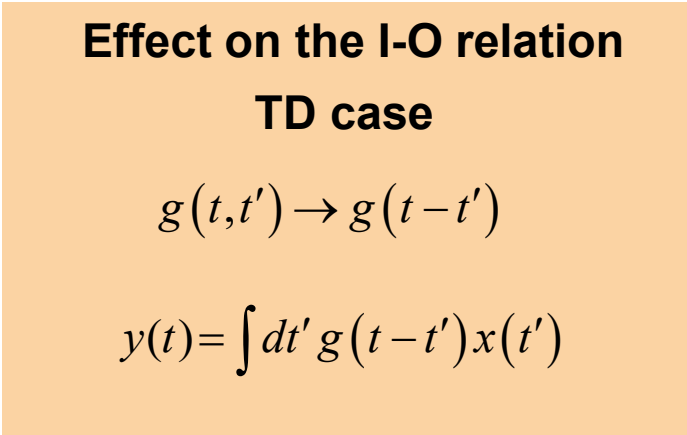
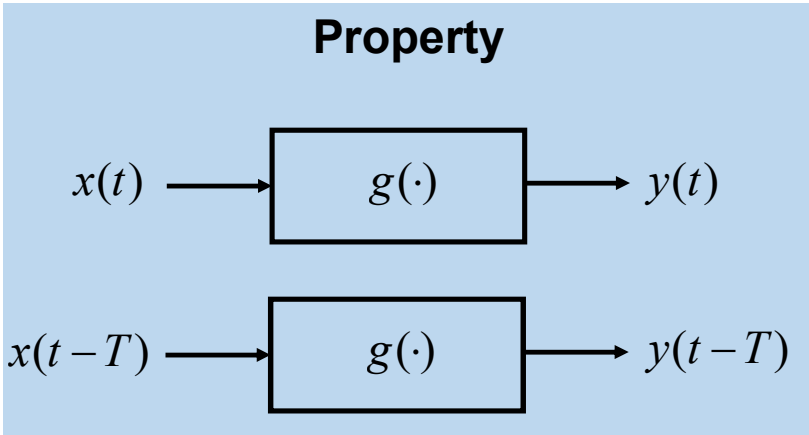
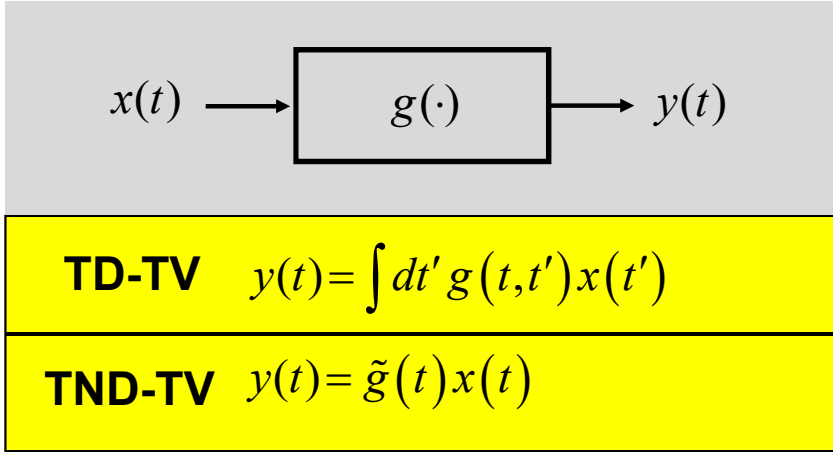


**Effect on the I-O relation**  
**TD case**

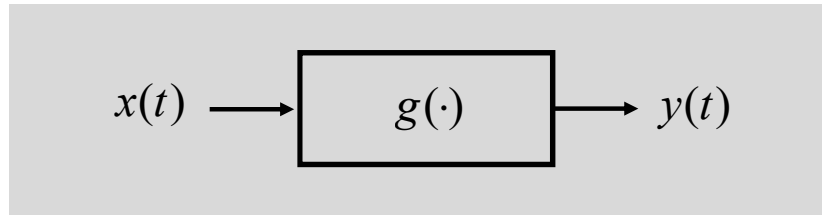
**Effect on the I-O relation**  
**TND case**



# Memo: time-invariant (TI) linear systems



# Memo: linear systems



$x(t)$  and  $y(t)$  are scalar

	Time-dispersive (TD)	Time-nondispersive (TND)
Time-variant (TV)	$y(t) = \int dt' g(t, t') x(t')$	$y(t) = \tilde{g}(t) x(t)$
Time-invariant (TI)	$y(t) = \int dt' g(t - t') x(t')$	$y(t) = \tilde{g} x(t)$