

# DTFT Properties

- Example - Determine the DTFT  $Y(e^{j\omega})$  of

$$y[n] = (n + 1)\alpha^n \mu[n], \quad |\alpha| < 1$$

- Let  $x[n] = \alpha^n \mu[n], \quad |\alpha| < 1$

- We can therefore write

$$y[n] = n x[n] + x[n]$$

- From Table 3.1, the DTFT of  $x[n]$  is given by

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha e^{-j\omega}}$$

# DTFT Properties

- Using the differentiation property of the DTFT given in Table 3.2, we observe that the DTFT of  $nx[n]$  is given by

$$j \frac{dX(e^{j\omega})}{d\omega} = j \frac{d}{d\omega} \left( \frac{1}{1 - \alpha e^{-j\omega}} \right) = \frac{\alpha e^{-j\omega}}{(1 - \alpha e^{-j\omega})^2}$$

- Next using the linearity property of the DTFT given in Table 3.2 we arrive at

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{\alpha e^{-j\omega}}{(1 - \alpha e^{-j\omega})^2} + \frac{1}{1 - \alpha e^{-j\omega}} = \frac{1}{(1 - \alpha e^{-j\omega})^2}$$

# DTFT Properties

- Example - Determine the DTFT  $V(e^{j\omega})$  of the sequence  $v[n]$  defined by

$$d_0v[n] + d_1v[n-1] = p_0\delta[n] + p_1\delta[n-1]$$

- From Table 3.1, the DTFT of  $\delta[n]$  is 1
- Using the time-shifting property of the DTFT given in Table 3.2 we observe that the DTFT of  $\delta[n-1]$  is  $e^{-j\omega}$  and the DTFT of  $v[n-1]$  is  $e^{-j\omega}V(e^{j\omega})$

# DTFT Properties

- Using the linearity property of Table 3.2 we then obtain the frequency-domain representation of

$$d_0v[n] + d_1v[n-1] = p_0\delta[n] + p_1\delta[n-1]$$

as

$$d_0V(e^{j\omega}) + d_1e^{-j\omega}V(e^{j\omega}) = p_0 + p_1e^{-j\omega}$$

- Solving the above equation we get

$$V(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{p_0 + p_1e^{-j\omega}}{d_0 + d_1e^{-j\omega}}$$

# Energy Density Spectrum

- The total energy of a finite-energy sequence  $g[n]$  is given by

$$E_g = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |g[n]|^2$$

- From Parseval's relation given in Table 3.2 we observe that

$$E_g = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |g[n]|^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |G(e^{j\omega})|^2 d\omega$$

# Energy Density Spectrum

- The quantity

$$S_{gg}(\omega) = |G(e^{j\omega})|^2$$

is called the **energy density spectrum**

- The area under this curve in the range  $-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$  divided by  $2\pi$  is the energy of the sequence

# Energy Density Spectrum

- Example - Compute the energy of the sequence

$$h_{LP}[n] = \frac{\sin \omega_c n}{\pi n}, \quad -\infty < n < \infty$$

- Here

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |h_{LP}[n]|^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |H_{LP}(e^{j\omega})|^2 d\omega$$

where

$$H_{LP}(e^{j\omega}) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq |\omega| \leq \omega_c \\ 0, & \omega_c < |\omega| \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

# Energy Density Spectrum

- Therefore

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |h_{LP}[n]|^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\omega_c}^{\omega_c} d\omega = \frac{\omega_c}{\pi} < \infty$$

- Hence,  $h_{LP}[n]$  is a finite-energy sequence



# DTFT Computation Using MATLAB

- The function `freqz` can be used to compute the values of the DTFT of a sequence, described as a rational function in the form of

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{p_0 + p_1 e^{-j\omega} + \dots + p_M e^{-j\omega M}}{d_0 + d_1 e^{-j\omega} + \dots + d_N e^{-j\omega N}}$$

at a prescribed set of discrete frequency points  $\omega = \omega_\ell$

# DTFT Computation Using MATLAB

- For example, the statement

```
H = freqz(num,den,w)
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returns the frequency response values as a vector  $H$  of a DTFT defined in terms of the vectors `num` and `den` containing the coefficients  $\{p_i\}$  and  $\{d_i\}$ , respectively at a prescribed set of frequencies between 0 and  $2\pi$  given by the vector `w`

# DTFT Computation Using MATLAB

- There are several other forms of the function `freqz`
- The Program 3\_1 in the text can be used to compute the values of the DTFT of a real sequence
- It computes the real and imaginary parts, and the magnitude and phase of the DTFT

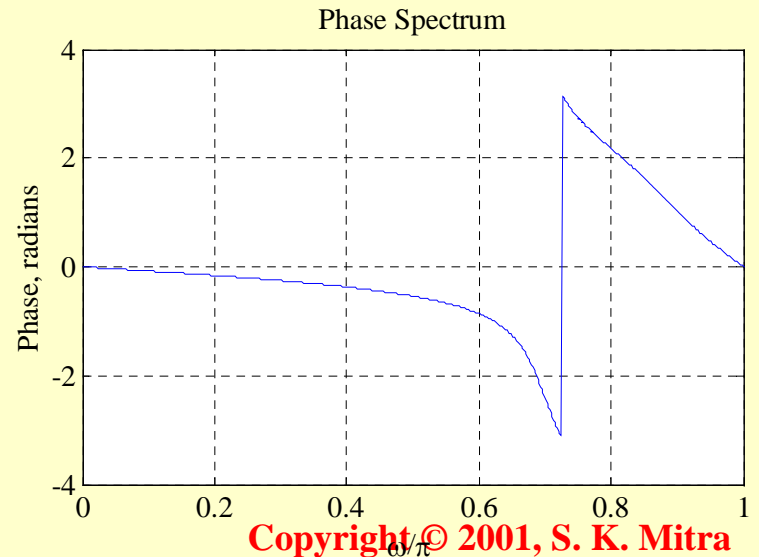
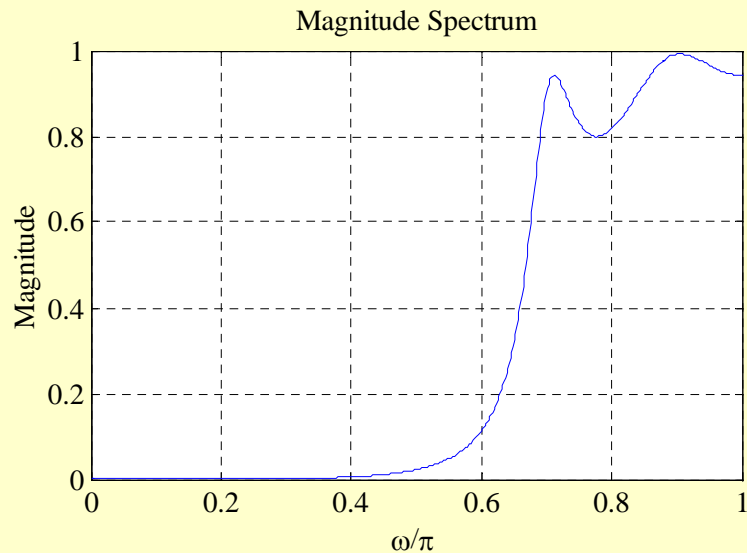
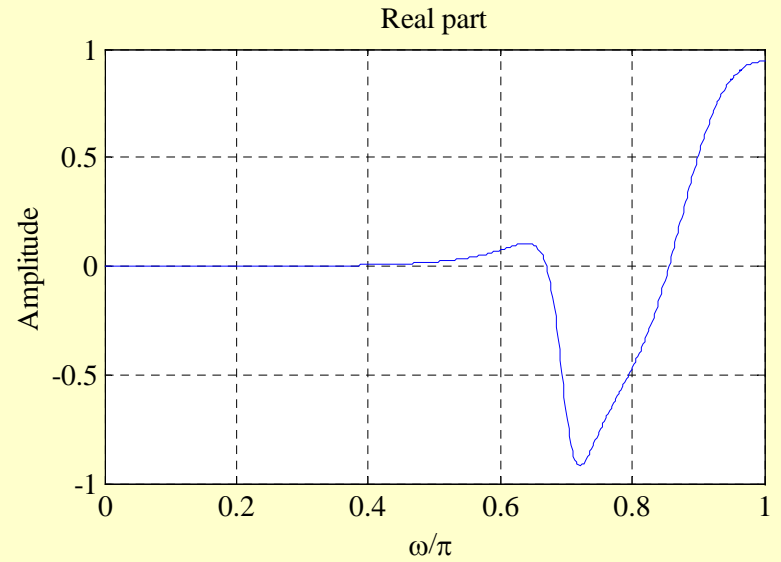
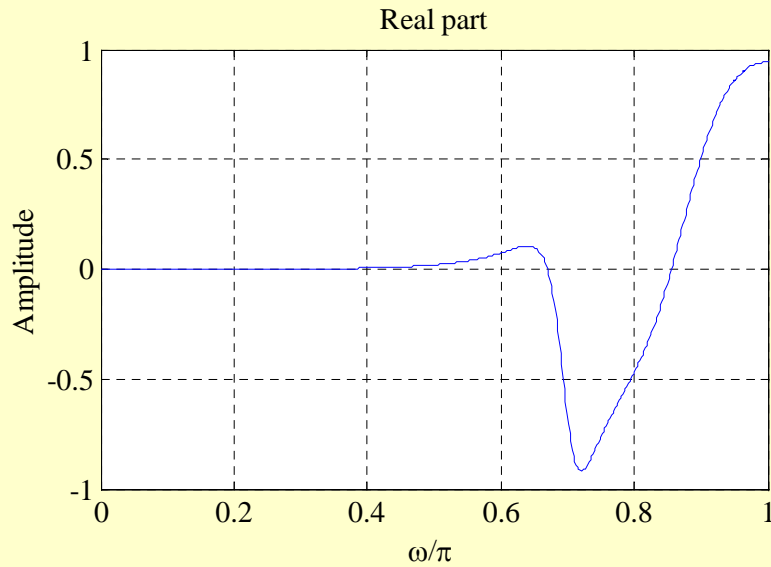
# DTFT Computation Using MATLAB

- Example - Plots of the real and imaginary parts, and the magnitude and phase of the DTFT

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{0.008 - 0.033e^{-j\omega} + 0.05e^{-j2\omega} - 0.033e^{-j3\omega} + 0.008e^{-j4\omega}}{1 + 2.37e^{-j\omega} + 2.7e^{-j2\omega} + 1.6e^{-j3\omega} + 0.41e^{-j4\omega}}$$

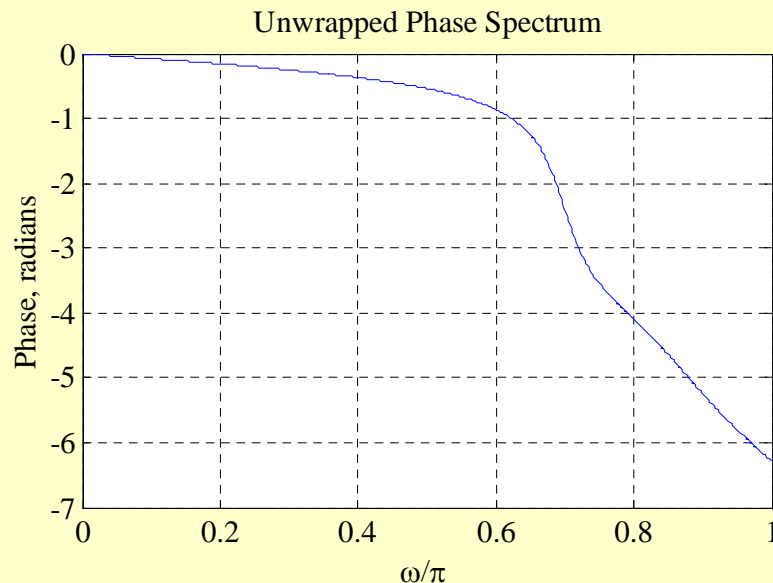
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# DTFT Computation Using MATLAB



# DTFT Computation Using MATLAB

- Note: The phase spectrum displays a discontinuity of  $2\pi$  at  $\omega = 0.72$
- This discontinuity can be removed using the function `unwrap` as indicated below



# Linear Convolution Using DTFT

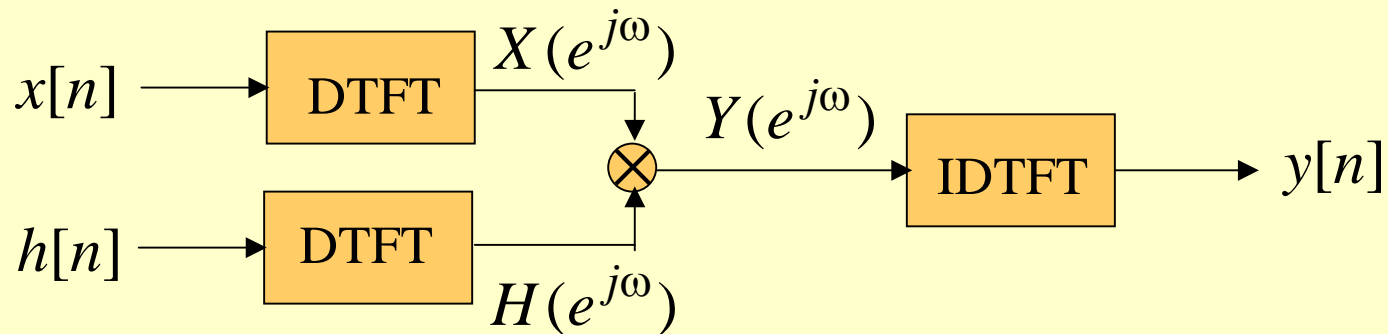
- An important property of the DTFT is given by the convolution theorem in Table 3.2
- It states that if  $y[n] = x[n] \circledast h[n]$ , then the DTFT  $Y(e^{j\omega})$  of  $y[n]$  is given by

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = X(e^{j\omega})H(e^{j\omega})$$

- An implication of this result is that the linear convolution  $y[n]$  of the sequences  $x[n]$  and  $h[n]$  can be performed as follows:

# Linear Convolution Using DTFT

- 1) Compute the DTFTs  $X(e^{j\omega})$  and  $H(e^{j\omega})$  of the sequences  $x[n]$  and  $h[n]$ , respectively
- 2) Form the DTFT  $Y(e^{j\omega}) = X(e^{j\omega})H(e^{j\omega})$
- 3) Compute the IDFT  $y[n]$  of  $Y(e^{j\omega})$





# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Definition - The simplest relation between a length- $N$  sequence  $x[n]$ , defined for  $0 \leq n \leq N - 1$ , and its DTFT  $X(e^{j\omega})$  is obtained by uniformly sampling  $X(e^{j\omega})$  on the  $\omega$ -axis between  $0 \leq \omega \leq 2\pi$  at  $\omega_k = 2\pi k / N$ ,  $0 \leq k \leq N - 1$

- From the definition of the DTFT we thus have

$$X[k] = X(e^{j\omega}) \Big|_{\omega=2\pi k/N} = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] e^{-j2\pi k/N},$$
$$0 \leq k \leq N - 1$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Note:  $X[k]$  is also a length- $N$  sequence in the frequency domain
- The sequence  $X[k]$  is called the **discrete Fourier transform (DFT)** of the sequence  $x[n]$
- Using the notation  $W_N = e^{-j2\pi/N}$  the DFT is usually expressed as:

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{kn}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq N-1$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

- **The inverse discrete Fourier transform (IDFT) is given by**

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] W_N^{-kn}, \quad 0 \leq n \leq N-1$$

- To verify the above expression we multiply both sides of the above equation by  $W_N^{\ell n}$  and sum the result from  $n = 0$  to  $n = N-1$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

resulting in

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n]W_N^{\ell n} &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \left( \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k]W_N^{-kn} \right) W_N^{\ell n} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k]W_N^{-(k-\ell)n} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} X[k]W_N^{-(k-\ell)n}\end{aligned}$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Making use of the identity

$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} W_N^{-(k-\ell)n} = \begin{cases} N, & \text{for } k - \ell = rN, \quad r \text{ an integer} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

we observe that the RHS of the last equation is equal to  $X[\ell]$

- Hence

$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{\ell n} = X[\ell]$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Example - Consider the length- $N$  sequence

$$x[n] = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 0 \\ 0, & 1 \leq n \leq N - 1 \end{cases}$$

- Its  $N$ -point DFT is given by

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n]W_N^{kn} = x[0]W_N^0 = 1$$

$$0 \leq k \leq N - 1$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Example - Consider the length- $N$  sequence

$$y[n] = \begin{cases} 1, & n = m \\ 0, & 0 \leq n \leq m-1, m+1 \leq n \leq N-1 \end{cases}$$

- Its  $N$ -point DFT is given by

$$Y[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} y[n]W_N^{kn} = y[m]W_N^{km} = W_N^{km}$$

$$0 \leq k \leq N-1$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Example - Consider the length- $N$  sequence defined for  $0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

$$g[n] = \cos(2\pi rn / N), \quad 0 \leq r \leq N - 1$$

- Using a trigonometric identity we can write

$$\begin{aligned} g[n] &= \frac{1}{2} \left( e^{j2\pi rn / N} + e^{-j2\pi rn / N} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( W_N^{-rn} + W_N^{rn} \right) \end{aligned}$$



# Discrete Fourier Transform

- The  $N$ -point DFT of  $g[n]$  is thus given by

$$G[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} g[n] W_N^{kn}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} W_N^{-(r-k)n} + \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} W_N^{(r+k)n} \right),$$

$$0 \leq k \leq N - 1$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Making use of the identity

$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} W_N^{-(k-\ell)n} = \begin{cases} N, & \text{for } k - \ell = rN, \quad r \text{ an integer} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

we get

$$G[k] = \begin{cases} N/2, & \text{for } k = r \\ N/2, & \text{for } k = N - r \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$0 \leq k \leq N - 1$$

# Matrix Relations

- The DFT samples defined by

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{kn}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq N-1$$

can be expressed in matrix form as

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{D}_N \mathbf{x}$$

where

$$\mathbf{X} = [X[0] \quad X[1] \quad \cdots \quad X[N-1]]^T$$

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# Matrix Relations

and  $\mathbf{D}_N$  is the  $N \times N$  **DFT matrix** given by

$$\mathbf{D}_N = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 \\ 1 & W_N^1 & W_N^2 & \cdots & W_N^{(N-1)} \\ 1 & W_N^2 & W_N^4 & \cdots & W_N^{2(N-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & W_N^{(N-1)} & W_N^{2(N-1)} & \cdots & W_N^{(N-1)^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix Relations

- Likewise, the IDFT relation given by

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] W_N^{-kn}, \quad 0 \leq n \leq N-1$$

can be expressed in matrix form as

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{D}_N^{-1} \mathbf{X}$$

where  $\mathbf{D}_N^{-1}$  is the  $N \times N$  **IDFT matrix**

# Matrix Relations

where

$$\mathbf{D}_N^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & W_N^{-1} & W_N^{-2} & \dots & W_N^{-(N-1)} \\ 1 & W_N^{-2} & W_N^{-4} & \dots & W_N^{-2(N-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & W_N^{-(N-1)} & W_N^{-2(N-1)} & \dots & W_N^{-(N-1)^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

• Note:

$$\mathbf{D}_N^{-1} = \frac{1}{N} \mathbf{D}_N^*$$

# DFT Computation Using MATLAB

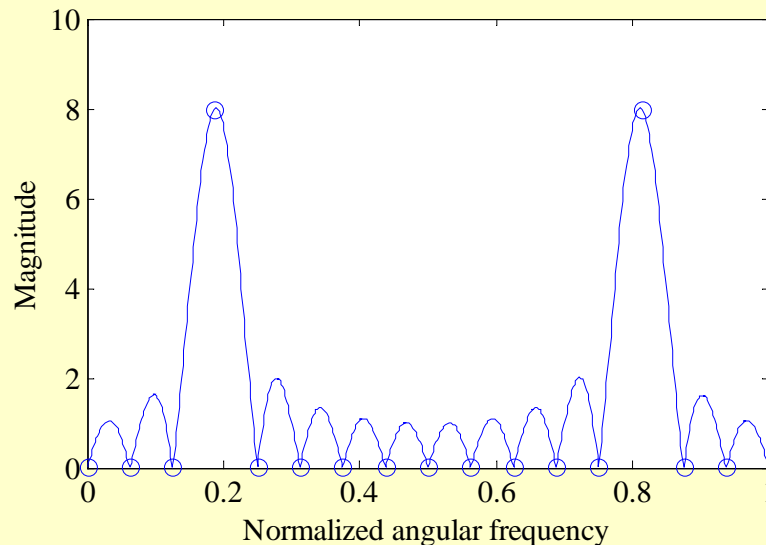
- The functions to compute the DFT and the IDFT are `fft` and `ifft`
- These functions make use of FFT algorithms which are computationally highly efficient compared to the direct computation
- Programs 3\_2 and 3\_4 illustrate the use of these functions

# DFT Computation Using MATLAB

- Example - Program 3\_4 can be used to compute the DFT and the DTFT of the sequence

$$x[n] = \cos(6\pi n/16), \quad 0 \leq n \leq 15$$

as shown below



○ indicates DFT samples



# DTFT from DFT by Interpolation

- The  $N$ -point DFT  $X[k]$  of a length- $N$  sequence  $x[n]$  is simply the frequency samples of its DTFT  $X(e^{j\omega})$  evaluated at  $N$  uniformly spaced frequency points

$$\omega = \omega_k = 2\pi k / N, \quad 0 \leq k \leq N - 1$$

- Given the  $N$ -point DFT  $X[k]$  of a length- $N$  sequence  $x[n]$ , its DTFT  $X(e^{j\omega})$  can be uniquely determined from  $X[k]$

# DTFT from DFT by Interpolation

- Thus

$$\begin{aligned} X(e^{j\omega}) &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] e^{-j\omega n} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \left[ \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] W_N^{-kn} \right] e^{-j\omega n} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] \underbrace{\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} e^{-j(\omega - 2\pi k/N)n}}_S \end{aligned}$$

# DTFT from DFT by Interpolation

- To develop a compact expression for the sum  $S$ , let

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} r^n e^{-j(\omega - 2\pi k/N)n} + r^N - 1 = S + r^N - 1$$

- Then  $S = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} r^n$

- From the above

$$\begin{aligned} rS &= \sum_{n=1}^N r^n = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} r^n + r^N - 1 \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{N-1} r^n + r^N - 1 = S + r^N - 1 \end{aligned}$$

# DTFT from DFT by Interpolation

- Or, equivalently,

$$S - rS = (1 - r)S = 1 - r^N$$

- Hence

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \frac{1 - r^N}{1 - r} = \frac{1 - e^{-j(\omega N - 2\pi k)}}{1 - e^{-j[\omega - (2\pi k / N)]}} \\ &= \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\omega N - 2\pi k}{2}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\omega N - 2\pi k}{2N}\right)} \cdot e^{-j[(\omega - 2\pi k / N)][(N-1)/2]} \end{aligned}$$

# DTFT from DFT by Interpolation

- Therefore

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\omega N - 2\pi k}{2}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{\omega N - 2\pi k}{2N}\right)} \cdot e^{-j[(\omega - 2\pi k/N)][(N-1)/2]}$$

# Sampling the DTFT

- Consider a sequence  $x[n]$  with a DTFT  $X(e^{j\omega})$
- We sample  $X(e^{j\omega})$  at  $N$  equally spaced points  $\omega_k = 2\pi k / N, 0 \leq k \leq N - 1$  developing the  $N$  frequency samples  $\{X(e^{j\omega_k})\}$
- These  $N$  frequency samples can be considered as an  $N$ -point DFT  $Y[k]$  whose  $N$ -point IDFT is a length- $N$  sequence  $y[n]$

# Sampling the DTFT

- **Now**  $X(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} x[\ell]e^{-j\omega\ell}$
- **Thus**  $Y[k] = X(e^{j\omega_k}) = X(e^{j2\pi k/N})$   
 $= \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} x[\ell]e^{-j2\pi k\ell/N} = \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} x[\ell]W_N^{k\ell}$
- **An IDFT of  $Y[k]$  yields**

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} Y[k]W_N^{-kn}$$

# Sampling the DTFT

- i.e. 
$$y[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} x[\ell] W_N^{k\ell} W_N^{-kn}$$
$$= \sum_{\ell=-\infty}^{\infty} x[\ell] \left[ \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} W_N^{-k(n-\ell)} \right]$$

- Making use of the identity

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} W_N^{-k(n-r)} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{for } r = n + mN \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



# Sampling the DTFT

we arrive at the desired relation

$$y[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n + mN], \quad 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$$

- Thus  $y[n]$  is obtained from  $x[n]$  by adding an infinite number of shifted replicas of  $x[n]$ , with each replica shifted by an integer multiple of  $N$  sampling instants, and observing the sum only for the interval  $0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

# Sampling the DTFT

- To apply

$$y[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n + mN], \quad 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$$

to finite-length sequences, we assume that the samples outside the specified range are zeros

- Thus if  $x[n]$  is a length- $M$  sequence with  $M \leq N$ , then  $y[n] = x[n]$  for  $0 \leq n \leq N - 1$



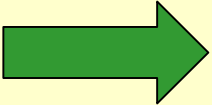
# Sampling the DTFT

$$y[n] = x[n] + x[n+4] + x[n-4], \quad 0 \leq n \leq 3$$

- i.e.

$$\{y[n]\} = \{4 \quad 6 \quad 2 \quad 3\}$$

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  $\{x[n]\}$  cannot be recovered from  $\{y[n]\}$

# Numerical Computation of the DTFT Using the DFT

- A practical approach to the numerical computation of the DTFT of a finite-length sequence
- Let  $X(e^{j\omega})$  be the DTFT of a length- $N$  sequence  $x[n]$
- We wish to evaluate  $X(e^{j\omega})$  at a dense grid of frequencies  $\omega_k = 2\pi k/M$ ,  $0 \leq k \leq M-1$ , where  $M \gg N$ :

# Numerical Computation of the DTFT Using the DFT

$$X(e^{j\omega_k}) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n]e^{-j\omega_k n} = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n]e^{-j2\pi kn/M}$$

- Define a new sequence

$$x_e[n] = \begin{cases} x[n], & 0 \leq n \leq N-1 \\ 0, & N \leq n \leq M-1 \end{cases}$$

- Then

$$X(e^{j\omega_k}) = \sum_{n=0}^{M-1} x_e[n]e^{-j2\pi kn/M}$$

# Numerical Computation of the DTFT Using the DFT

- Thus  $X(e^{j\omega_k})$  is essentially an  $M$ -point DFT  $X_e[k]$  of the length- $M$  sequence  $x_e[n]$
- The DFT  $X_e[k]$  can be computed very efficiently using the FFT algorithm if  $M$  is an integer power of 2
- The function `freqz` employs this approach to evaluate the frequency response at a prescribed set of frequencies of a DTFT expressed as a rational function in  $e^{-j\omega}$

# DFT Properties

- Like the DTFT, the DFT also satisfies a number of properties that are useful in signal processing applications
- Some of these properties are essentially identical to those of the DTFT, while some others are somewhat different
- A summary of the DFT properties are given in tables in the following slides



# Table 3.5: General Properties of DFT

Type of Property	Length- $N$ Sequence	$N$ -point DFT
	$g[n]$ $h[n]$	$G[k]$ $H[k]$
Linearity	$\alpha g[n] + \beta h[n]$	$\alpha G[k] + \beta H[k]$
Circular time-shifting	$g[\langle n - n_0 \rangle_N]$	$W_N^{kn_0} G[k]$
Circular frequency-shifting	$W_N^{-k_0 n} g[n]$	$G[\langle k - k_0 \rangle_N]$
Duality	$G[n]$	$N g[\langle -k \rangle_N]$
$N$ -point circular convolution	$\sum_{m=0}^{N-1} g[m] h[\langle n - m \rangle_N]$	$G[k] H[k]$
Modulation	$g[n] h[n]$	$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} G[m] H[\langle k - m \rangle_N]$
Parseval's relation	$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1}  x[n] ^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1}  X[k] ^2$	

# Table 3.6: DFT Properties: Symmetry Relations

Length- $N$ Sequence	$N$ -point DFT
$x[n]$	$X[k]$
$x^*[n]$	$X^*[\langle -k \rangle_N]$
$x^*[\langle -n \rangle_N]$	$X^*[k]$
$\text{Re}\{x[n]\}$	$X_{\text{pcs}}[k] = \frac{1}{2}\{X[\langle k \rangle_N] + X^*[\langle -k \rangle_N]\}$
$j \text{Im}\{x[n]\}$	$X_{\text{pca}}[k] = \frac{1}{2}\{X[\langle k \rangle_N] - X^*[\langle -k \rangle_N]\}$
$x_{\text{pcs}}[n]$	$\text{Re}\{X[k]\}$
$x_{\text{pca}}[n]$	$j \text{Im}\{X[k]\}$

Note:  $x_{\text{pcs}}[n]$  and  $x_{\text{pca}}[n]$  are the periodic conjugate-symmetric and periodic conjugate-antisymmetric parts of  $x[n]$ , respectively. Likewise,  $X_{\text{pcs}}[k]$  and  $X_{\text{pca}}[k]$  are the periodic conjugate-symmetric and periodic conjugate-antisymmetric parts of  $X[k]$ , respectively.

# Table 3.7: DFT Properties: Symmetry Relations

Length- $N$ Sequence	$N$ -point DFT
$x[n]$	$X[k] = \text{Re}\{X[k]\} + j \text{Im}\{X[k]\}$
$x_{pe}[n]$ $x_{po}[n]$	$\text{Re}\{X[k]\}$ $j \text{Im}\{X[k]\}$
Symmetry relations	$X[k] = X^*[\langle -k \rangle_N]$ $\text{Re } X[k] = \text{Re } X[\langle -k \rangle_N]$ $\text{Im } X[k] = -\text{Im } X[\langle -k \rangle_N]$ $ X[k]  =  X[\langle -k \rangle_N] $ $\arg X[k] = -\arg X[\langle -k \rangle_N]$

Note:  $x_{pe}[n]$  and  $x_{po}[n]$  are the periodic even and periodic odd parts of  $x[n]$ , respectively.

# Circular Shift of a Sequence

- This property is analogous to the time-shifting property of the DTFT as given in Table 3.2, but with a subtle difference
- Consider length- $N$  sequences defined for
$$0 \leq n \leq N - 1$$
- Sample values of such sequences are equal to zero for values of  $n < 0$  and  $n \geq N$

# Circular Shift of a Sequence

- If  $x[n]$  is such a sequence, then for any arbitrary integer  $n_o$ , the shifted sequence

$$x_1[n] = x[n - n_o]$$

is no longer defined for the range  $0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

- We thus need to define another type of a shift that will always keep the shifted sequence in the range  $0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

# Circular Shift of a Sequence

- The desired shift, called the **circular shift**, is defined using a modulo operation:

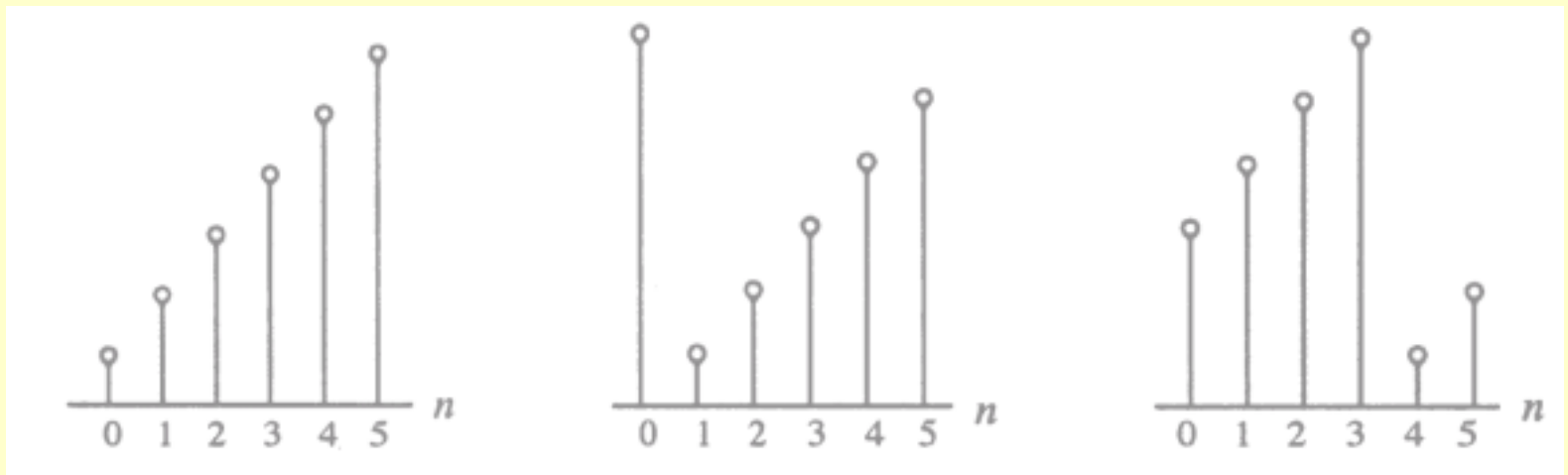
$$x_c[n] = x[\langle n - n_o \rangle_N]$$

- For  $n_o > 0$  (**right circular shift**), the above equation implies

$$x_c[n] = \begin{cases} x[n - n_o], & \text{for } n_o \leq n \leq N - 1 \\ x[N - n_o + n], & \text{for } 0 \leq n < n_o \end{cases}$$

# Circular Shift of a Sequence

- Illustration of the concept of a circular shift



$$x[n]$$

$$x[\langle n-1 \rangle_6]$$
$$= x[\langle n+5 \rangle_6]$$

$$x[\langle n-4 \rangle_6]$$
$$= x[\langle n+2 \rangle_6]$$

# Circular Shift of a Sequence

- As can be seen from the previous figure, a right circular shift by  $n_o$  is equivalent to a left circular shift by  $N - n_o$  sample periods
- A circular shift by an integer number  $n_o$  greater than  $N$  is equivalent to a circular shift by  $\langle n_o \rangle_N$



# Circular Convolution

- This operation is analogous to linear convolution, but with a subtle difference
- Consider two length- $N$  sequences,  $g[n]$  and  $h[n]$ , respectively
- Their linear convolution results in a length- $(2N - 1)$  sequence  $y_L[n]$  given by

$$y_L[n] = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} g[m]h[n-m], \quad 0 \leq n \leq 2N - 2$$

# Circular Convolution

- In computing  $y_L[n]$  we have assumed that both length- $N$  sequences have been zero-padded to extend their lengths to  $2N - 1$
- The longer form of  $y_L[n]$  results from the time-reversal of the sequence  $h[n]$  and its linear shift to the right
- The first nonzero value of  $y_L[n]$  is  $y_L[0] = g[0]h[0]$ , and the last nonzero value is  $y_L[2N - 2] = g[N - 1]h[N - 1]$

# Circular Convolution

- To develop a convolution-like operation resulting in a length- $N$  sequence  $y_C[n]$ , we need to define a circular time-reversal, and then apply a circular time-shift
- Resulting operation, called a **circular convolution**, is defined by

$$y_C[n] = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} g[m]h[\langle n - m \rangle_N], \quad 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$$

# Circular Convolution

- Since the operation defined involves two length- $N$  sequences, it is often referred to as an  $N$ -point circular convolution, denoted as

$$y[n] = g[n] \circledast h[n]$$

- The circular convolution is commutative, i.e.

$$g[n] \circledast h[n] = h[n] \circledast g[n]$$



# Circular Convolution

- The result is a length-4 sequence  $y_C[n]$  given by

$$y_C[n] = g[n] \textcircled{4} h[n] = \sum_{m=0}^3 g[m] h[\langle n - m \rangle_4],$$

$$0 \leq n \leq 3$$

- From the above we observe

$$y_C[0] = \sum_{m=0}^3 g[m] h[\langle -m \rangle_4]$$

$$= g[0]h[0] + g[1]h[3] + g[2]h[2] + g[3]h[1]$$

$$= (1 \times 2) + (2 \times 1) + (0 \times 1) + (1 \times 2) = 6$$

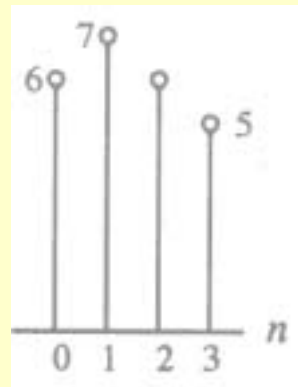
# Circular Convolution

- **Likewise** 
$$y_C[1] = \sum_{m=0}^3 g[m]h[\langle 1-m \rangle_4]$$
$$= g[0]h[1] + g[1]h[0] + g[2]h[3] + g[3]h[2]$$
$$= (1 \times 2) + (2 \times 2) + (0 \times 1) + (1 \times 1) = 7$$
- $$y_C[2] = \sum_{m=0}^3 g[m]h[\langle 2-m \rangle_4]$$
$$= g[0]h[2] + g[1]h[1] + g[2]h[0] + g[3]h[3]$$
$$= (1 \times 1) + (2 \times 2) + (0 \times 2) + (1 \times 1) = 6$$

# Circular Convolution

and

$$\begin{aligned}y_C[3] &= \sum_{m=0}^3 g[m]h[\langle 3-m \rangle_4] \\ &= g[0]h[3] + g[1]h[2] + g[2]h[1] + g[3]h[0] \\ &= (1 \times 1) + (2 \times 1) + (0 \times 2) + (1 \times 2) = 5\end{aligned}$$



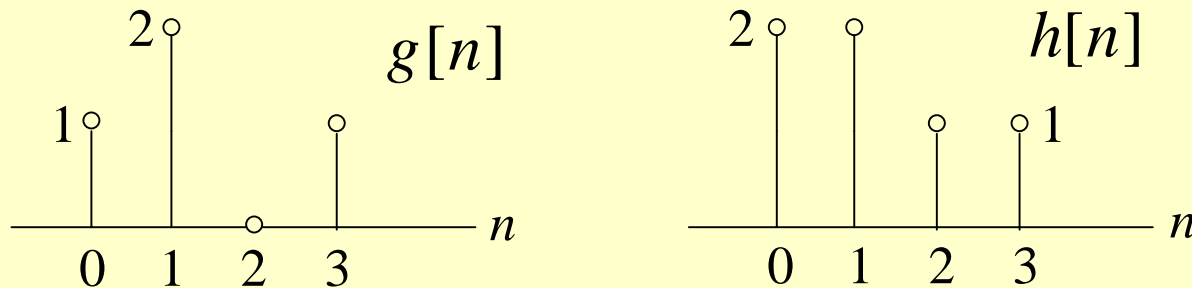
$y_C[n]$

- The circular convolution can also be computed using a DFT-based approach as indicated in Table 3.5



# Circular Convolution

- Example - Consider the two length-4 sequences repeated below for convenience:



- The 4-point DFT  $G[k]$  of  $g[n]$  is given by

$$\begin{aligned} G[k] &= g[0] + g[1]e^{-j2\pi k/4} \\ &\quad + g[2]e^{-j4\pi k/4} + g[3]e^{-j6\pi k/4} \\ &= 1 + 2e^{-j\pi k/2} + e^{-j3\pi k/2}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq 3 \end{aligned}$$

# Circular Convolution

- Therefore  $G[0] = 1 + 2 + 1 = 4,$   
 $G[1] = 1 - j2 + j = 1 - j,$   
 $G[2] = 1 - 2 - 1 = -2,$   
 $G[3] = 1 + j2 - j = 1 + j$

- Likewise,

$$\begin{aligned} H[k] &= h[0] + h[1]e^{-j2\pi k/4} \\ &\quad + h[2]e^{-j4\pi k/4} + h[3]e^{-j6\pi k/4} \\ &= 2 + 2e^{-j\pi k/2} + e^{-j\pi k} + e^{-j3\pi k/2}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq 3 \end{aligned}$$

# Circular Convolution

- Hence,  $H[0] = 2 + 2 + 1 + 1 = 6,$   
 $H[1] = 2 - j2 - 1 + j = 1 - j,$   
 $H[2] = 2 - 2 + 1 - 1 = 0,$   
 $H[3] = 2 + j2 - 1 - j = 1 + j$
- The two 4-point DFTs can also be computed using the matrix relation given earlier

# Circular Convolution

$$\begin{bmatrix} G[0] \\ G[1] \\ G[2] \\ G[3] \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{D}_4 \begin{bmatrix} g[0] \\ g[1] \\ g[2] \\ g[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1-j \\ -2 \\ 1+j \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} H[0] \\ H[1] \\ H[2] \\ H[3] \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{D}_4 \begin{bmatrix} h[0] \\ h[1] \\ h[2] \\ h[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 1-j \\ 0 \\ 1+j \end{bmatrix}$$

$\mathbf{D}_4$  is the 4-point DFT matrix

# Circular Convolution

- If  $Y_C[k]$  denotes the 4-point DFT of  $y_C[n]$  then from Table 3.5 we observe

$$Y_C[k] = G[k]H[k], \quad 0 \leq k \leq 3$$

- Thus

$$\begin{bmatrix} Y_C[0] \\ Y_C[1] \\ Y_C[2] \\ Y_C[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} G[0]H[0] \\ G[1]H[1] \\ G[2]H[2] \\ G[3]H[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 24 \\ -j2 \\ 0 \\ j2 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Circular Convolution

- A 4-point IDFT of  $Y_C[k]$  yields

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_C[0] \\ y_C[1] \\ y_C[2] \\ y_C[3] \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{D}_4^* \begin{bmatrix} Y_C[0] \\ Y_C[1] \\ Y_C[2] \\ Y_C[3] \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 24 \\ -j2 \\ 0 \\ j2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 7 \\ 6 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Circular Convolution

- Example - Now let us extended the two length-4 sequences to length 7 by appending each with three zero-valued samples, i.e.

$$g_e[n] = \begin{cases} g[n], & 0 \leq n \leq 3 \\ 0, & 4 \leq n \leq 6 \end{cases}$$

$$h_e[n] = \begin{cases} h[n], & 0 \leq n \leq 3 \\ 0, & 4 \leq n \leq 6 \end{cases}$$

# Circular Convolution

- We next determine the 7-point circular convolution of  $g_e[n]$  and  $h_e[n]$ :

$$y[n] = \sum_{m=0}^6 g_e[m]h_e[\langle n - m \rangle_7], \quad 0 \leq n \leq 6$$

- **From the above**  $y[0] = g_e[0]h_e[0] + g_e[1]h_e[6]$   
 $+ g_e[3]h_e[4] + g_e[4]h_e[3] + g_e[5]h_e[2] + g_e[6]h_e[1]$   
 $= g[0]h[0] = 1 \times 2 = 2$



# Circular Convolution

- Continuing the process we arrive at

$$y[1] = g[0]h[1] + g[1]h[0] = (1 \times 2) + (2 \times 2) = 6,$$

$$y[2] = g[0]h[2] + g[1]h[1] + g[2]h[0]$$

$$= (1 \times 1) + (2 \times 2) + (0 \times 2) = 5,$$

$$y[3] = g[0]h[3] + g[1]h[2] + g[2]h[1] + g[3]h[0]$$

$$= (1 \times 1) + (2 \times 1) + (0 \times 2) + (1 \times 2) = 5,$$

$$y[4] = g[1]h[3] + g[2]h[2] + g[3]h[1]$$

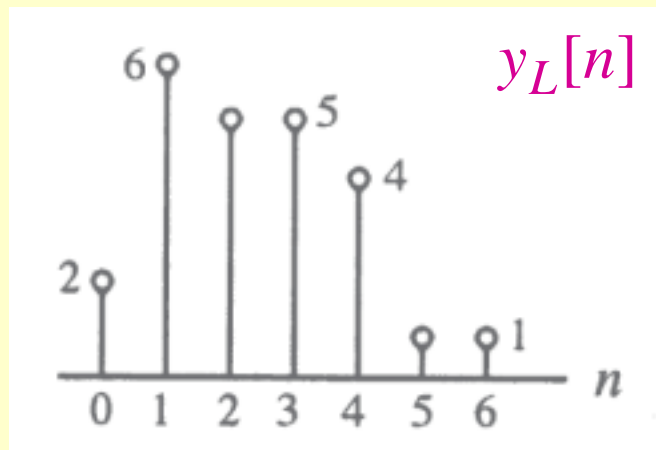
$$= (2 \times 1) + (0 \times 1) + (1 \times 2) = 4,$$

# Circular Convolution

$$y[5] = g[2]h[3] + g[3]h[2] = (0 \times 1) + (1 \times 1) = 1,$$

$$y[6] = g[3]h[3] = (1 \times 1) = 1$$

- As can be seen from the above that  $y[n]$  is precisely the sequence  $y_L[n]$  obtained by a linear convolution of  $g[n]$  and  $h[n]$



# Circular Convolution

- The  $N$ -point circular convolution can be written in matrix form as

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_C[0] \\ y_C[1] \\ y_C[2] \\ \vdots \\ y_C[N-1] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h[0] & h[N-1] & h[N-2] & \cdots & h[1] \\ h[1] & h[0] & h[N-1] & \cdots & h[2] \\ h[2] & h[1] & h[0] & \cdots & h[3] \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ h[N-1] & h[N-2] & h[N-3] & \cdots & h[0] \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} g[0] \\ g[1] \\ g[2] \\ \vdots \\ g[N-1] \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Note:** The elements of each diagonal of the  $N \times N$  matrix are equal
- Such a matrix is called a **circulant matrix**