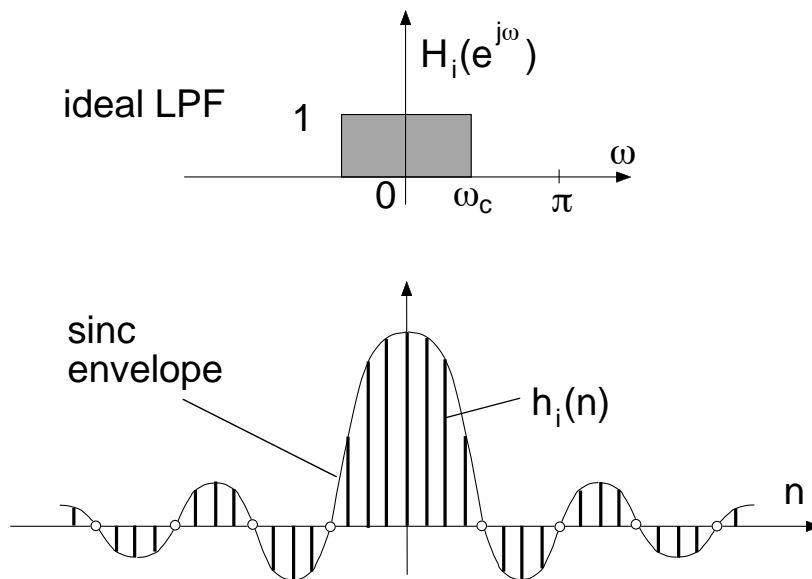


# EE112/PPV/Winter'09 Digital signal processing

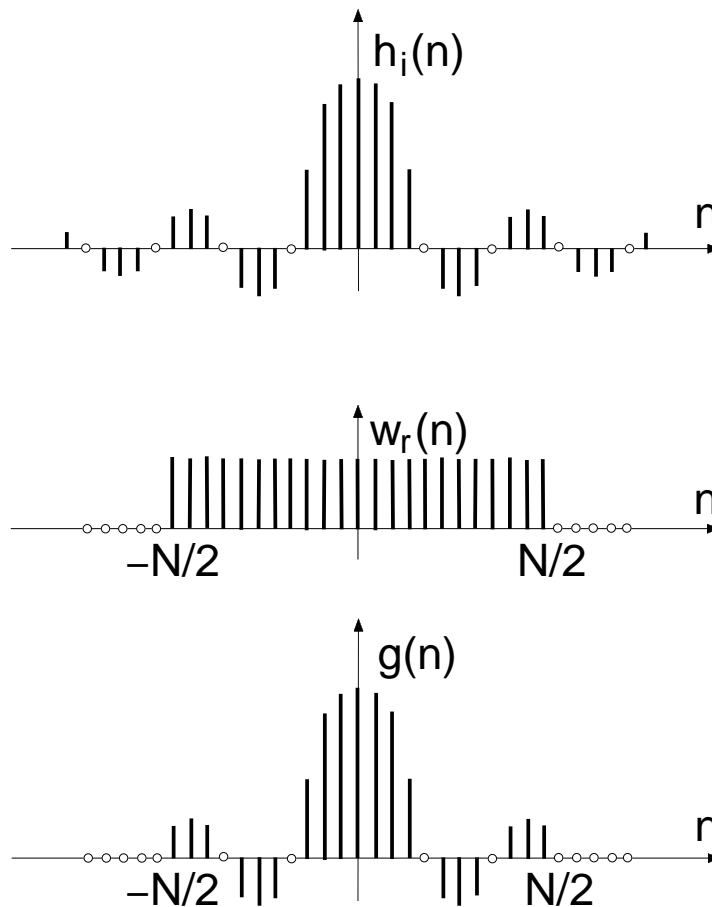
## Handout 5: Window based FIR design:

Recall that ideal lowpass filters are unstable.



$$h_i(n) = \frac{\sin \omega_c n}{\pi n}, \quad \sum_n |h_i(n)| = \infty$$

## Truncated impulse response

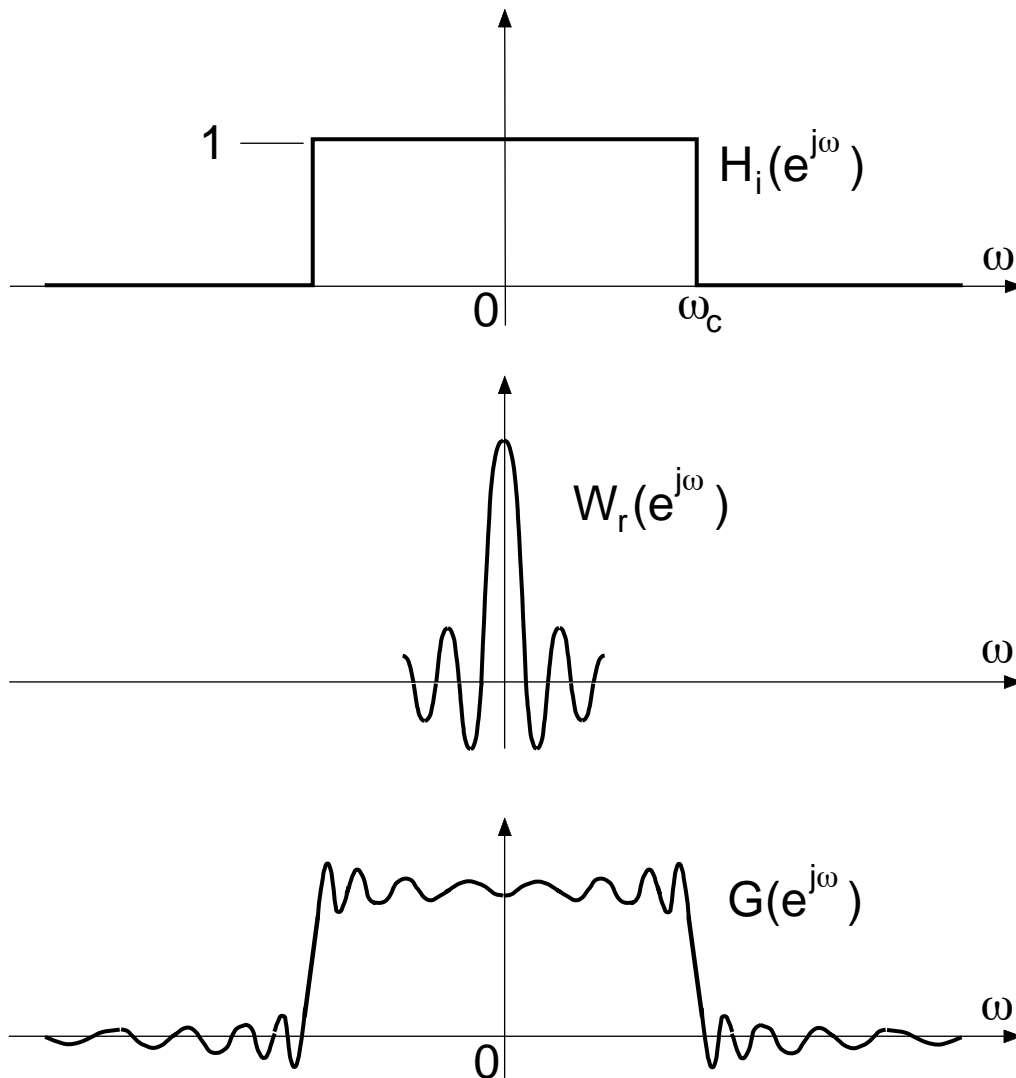


$g(n) = g(-n)$  so  $g(n)$  is linear-phase FIR.

$$g(n) = h_i(n)w_r(n)$$

*Multiplication in time implies convolution in frequency.*

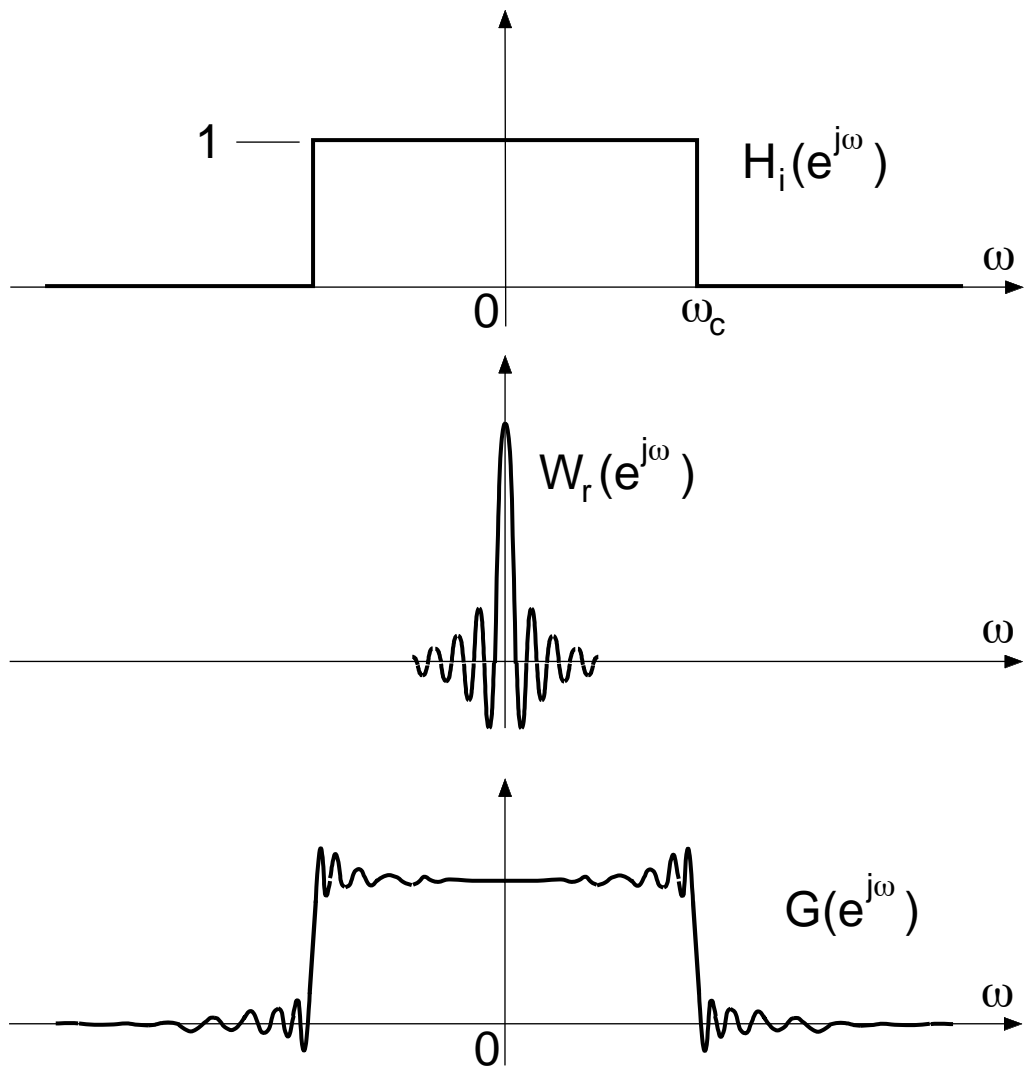
Convolution in frequency domain.



As  $N$  increases, ripples get crowded but ripple size does not decrease.

*Gibbs phenomenon*

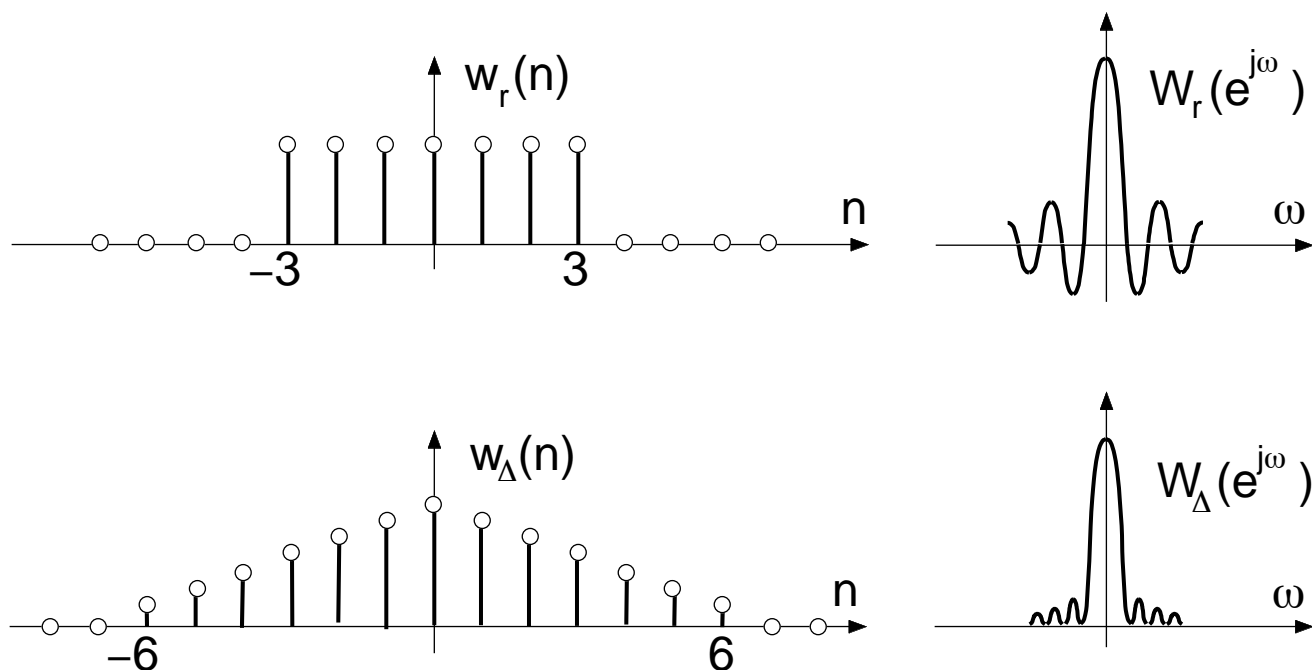
*Increasing the filter order  $N$  (window length)*



- Ripples get crowded near band edge
- Transition band gets narrower (sharper cutoff)
- But ripple size is about the same!

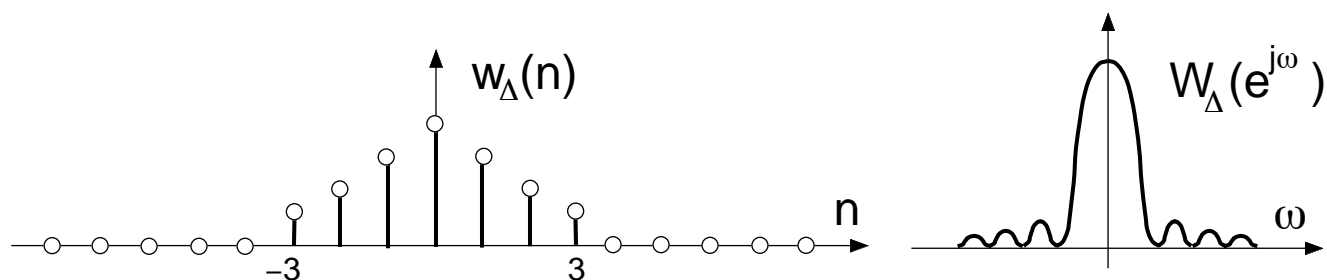
*How to reduce ripple size? Try better windows!*

*From rectangular to triangular window*

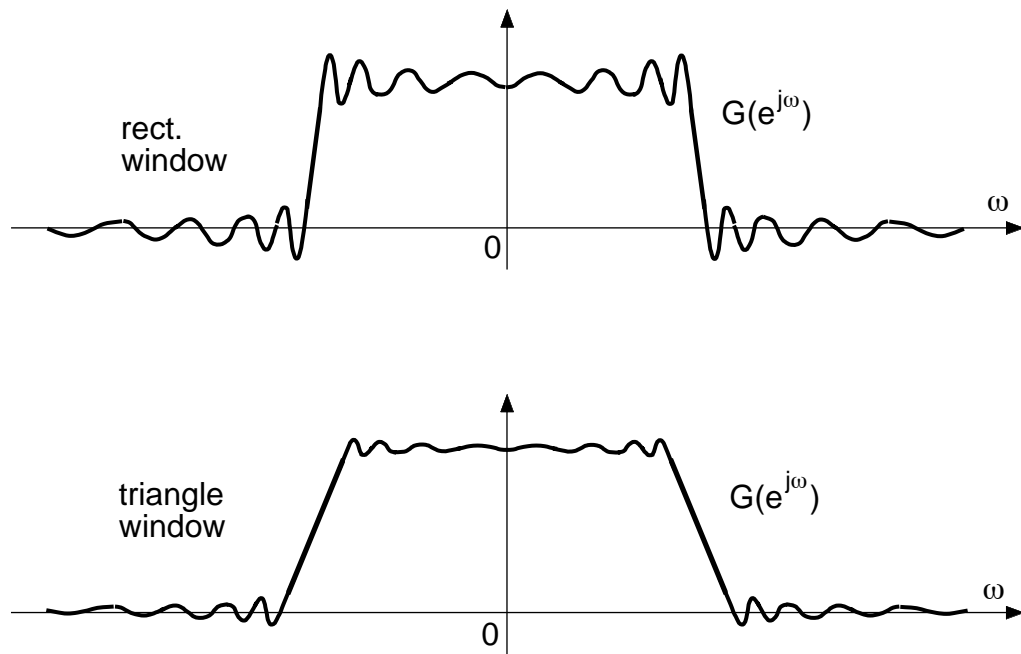


Ripples smaller but window is longer. Higher order filter.

*Tradeoff.* For fixed filter order, triangular window gives wider transition band and smaller ripple.



*Tradeoff.* For fixed filter order, triangular window gives smaller ripple at the cost of producing a wider transition band.

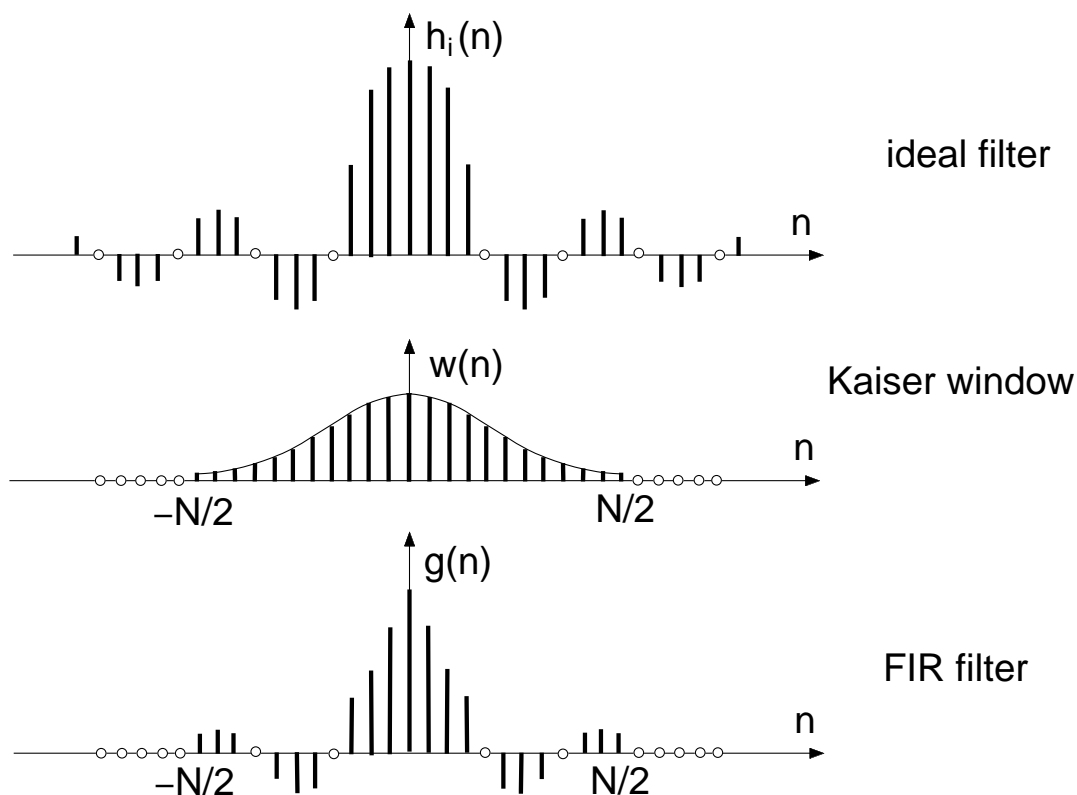


Is there a window that minimizes ripple size for a fixed transition bandwidth and fixed filter order.

Leads to the topic of:

*Optimal windows and optimal filters*

*Kaiser window: closed form approximation for an optimal window.*



$$w(n) = \begin{cases} I_0[ \beta \sqrt{1 - (n/0.5N)^2} ] / I_0(\beta) & -N/2 \leq n \leq N/2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$I_0(x)$  = modified zeroth-order Bessel function.

$$I_0(x) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} [(0.5 x)^k / k!]^2, \quad \text{positive } \forall x$$

*Kaiser window of order  $N$ :*

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*Choice of  $\beta$  depends on stopband attenuation  $A_s$ :*

$$\beta = \begin{cases} 0.1102(A_s - 8.7) & A_s > 50 \\ 0.5842(A_s - 21)^{0.4} + 0.07886(A_s - 21) & 21 < A_s < 50 \\ 0.0 & A_s < 21 \end{cases}$$

*Choice of  $N$  depends on  $A_s$  and transition BW  $\Delta f$ :*

$$N \approx \frac{A_s - 7.95}{14.36\Delta f}$$

- $N$  is proportional to  $1/\Delta f$
- $N$  is proportional to  $A_s$  for large  $A_s$ .
- $\delta_1 \approx \delta_2$ . No separate control (for any window).

Given the specifications  $\{\delta_1, \delta_2, \omega_p, \omega_s\}$ , set

$$\Delta f = (\omega_s - \omega_p)/2\pi, \quad A_s = -20 \log_{10} \delta$$

where  $\delta$  is the smaller of  $(\delta_1, \delta_2)$ .