

Convolutional sum /
Convolutional integral

$$y[n] = \quad , \quad y(t)$$

mathematically.

They are just a
sum & an integral

Intuitively.

Compute the output
 $y(t)$ from the input
 $x(t)$ & the impulse
response $h(t)$

* Properties of convolution / LTI systems

(All properties apply both to the convolutional
sums (DT) & convolutional integral.)

We use $x * h$ as short hand.

① Commutativity

pf:

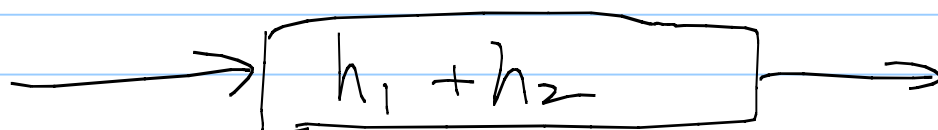
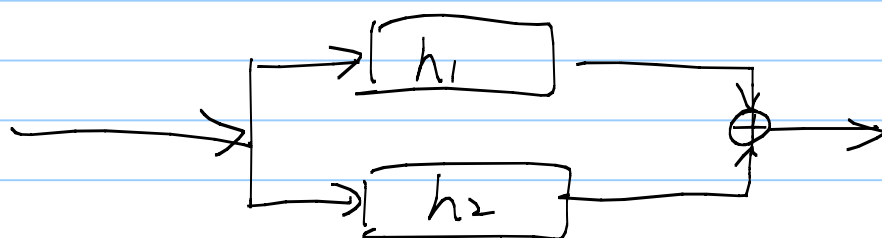
② Distributivity

pf 1:

pf 2:

Q: Are the two systems identical

Ans: Since the impulse response is the "essence" of the system, we only need to check whether their impulse responses are identical



③ Associativity (Serial concatenation)

Question for the teams

pf 1: by integration

pf 2: by system construction.

in a similar way of proving distributivity.

* The essence of an LTI system:

its impulse response $h(t)$ or $h[n]$

* We have learned

Given a system \longrightarrow decide its classification

We will now learn