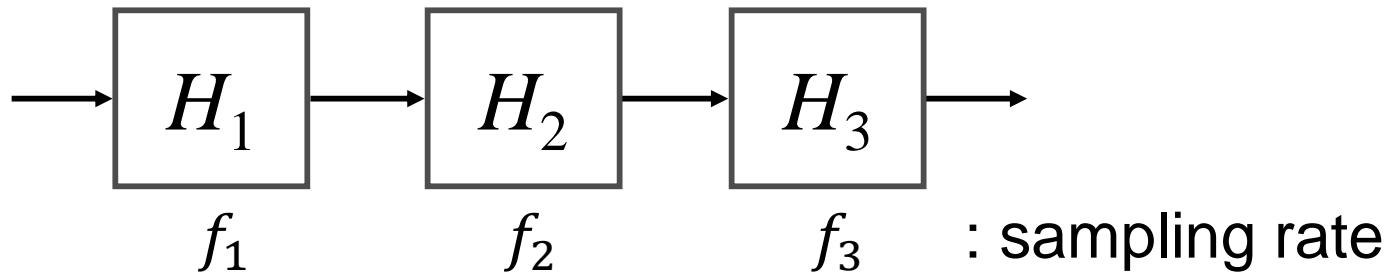


# Multirate Systems



## applications

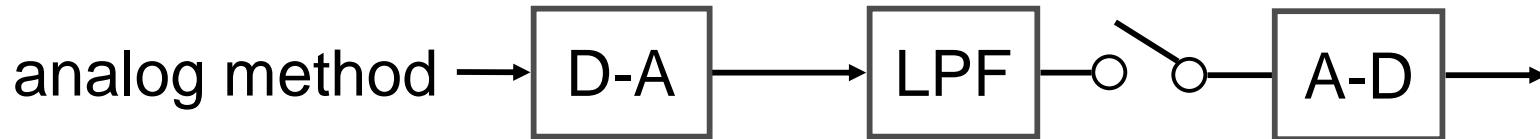
- communication systems
- speech and audio processing systems
- antenna systems
- radar systems
- etc.

e.g. digital audio systems

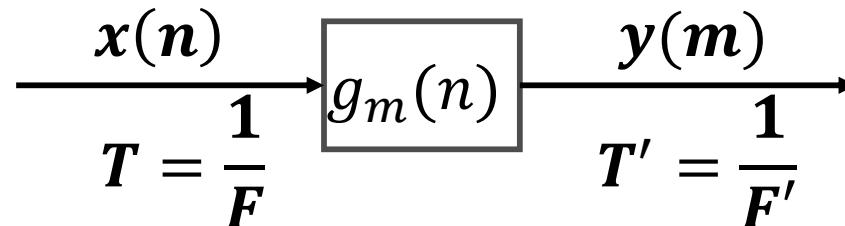
CD	44.1kHz
studio	48kHz
broadcast	32kHz
DVD audio	192kHz

conversion

# Sampling Rate Conversion



direct digital method



linear time-varying system

assume

$$\frac{T'}{T} = \frac{F}{F'} = \frac{M}{L}$$

$L, M$  : mutually prime integers

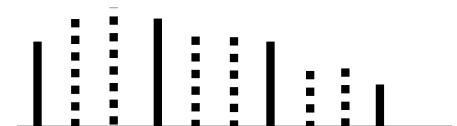
# Sampling Rate Reduction

Decimation by an Integer factor  $M$

$$\frac{T'}{T} = M$$

$$F' = \frac{F}{M}$$

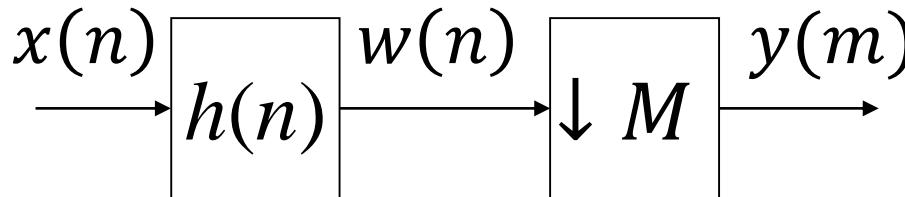
$x(n)$  : fullband (0~ $\pi$ )



to lower the sampling rate and to avoid aliasing  
**LPF** is necessary

$$h(n) \leftrightarrow H(e^{j\omega}) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| \leq \frac{2\pi F'T}{2} = \frac{\pi}{M} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

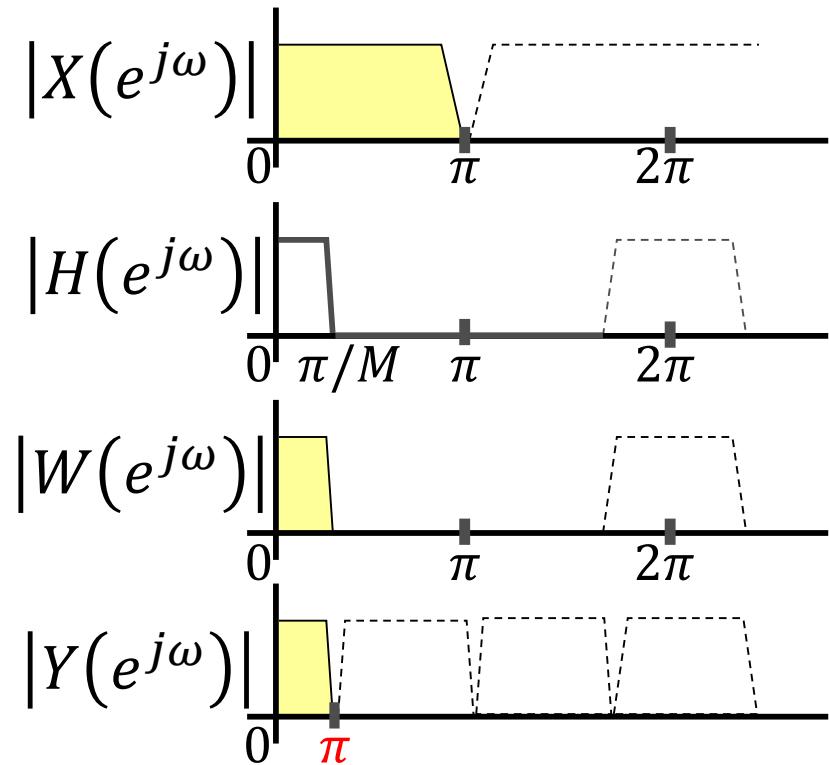
# Observation in Time and Frequency Domain



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

$$\begin{aligned} y(m) &= w(Mm) \\ &= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(k)x(Mm - k) \end{aligned}$$

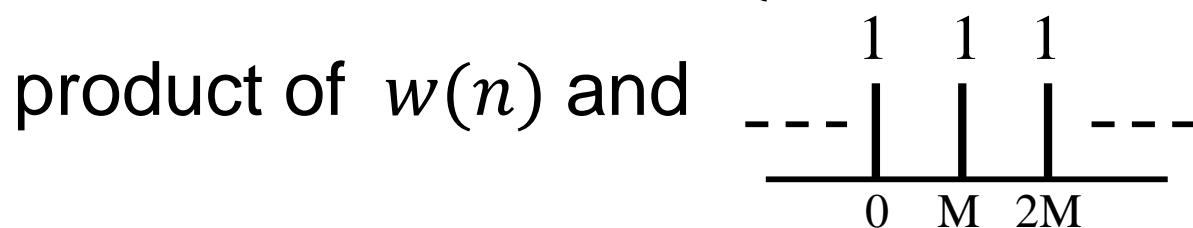
not time-invariant



consider an integer shift (not multiple of  $M$ )

# z-domain relationship

new signal  $w'(n) = \begin{cases} w(n) & n = rM \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$



Fourier series representation

$$w'(n) = w(n) \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=0}^{M-1} e^{j2\pi\ell n/M}$$

# **z-domain relationship (cont'd)**

$$y(m) = w'(Mm) = w(Mm)$$

$$Y(z) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} y(m) z^{-m} = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} w'(Mm) z^{-m}$$

$w'(m)$  is zero except at integer multiples of  $M$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} w'(m) z^{-m/M} = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} w(m) \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=0}^{M-1} e^{j2\pi\ell m/M} z^{-m/M} \\ &= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=0}^{M-1} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} w(m) e^{j2\pi\ell m/M} z^{-m/M} = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=0}^{M-1} W(e^{-j2\pi\ell/M} z^{1/M}) \end{aligned}$$

# **z-domain relationship (cont'd)**

Since  $W(z) = H(z)X(z)$

$$Y(z) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=0}^{M-1} H(e^{-j2\pi\ell/m} z^{1/M}) X(e^{-j2\pi\ell/m} z^{1/M})$$

on the unit circle  $z = e^{j\omega'} (\omega' = 2\pi f T')$

$$Y(e^{j\omega'}) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{\ell=0}^{M-1} H(e^{j(\omega' - 2\pi\ell)/M}) X(e^{j(\omega' - 2\pi\ell)/M})$$

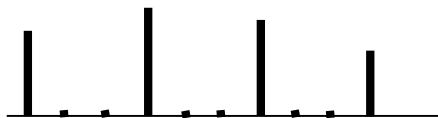
If  $H(e^{j\omega})$  can filter out the components above  $\frac{\pi}{M}$ ,

$$Y(e^{j\omega'}) \cong \frac{1}{M} X(e^{j\omega'/M}) \quad \text{for } |\omega'| < \pi$$

# Sampling Rate Increase

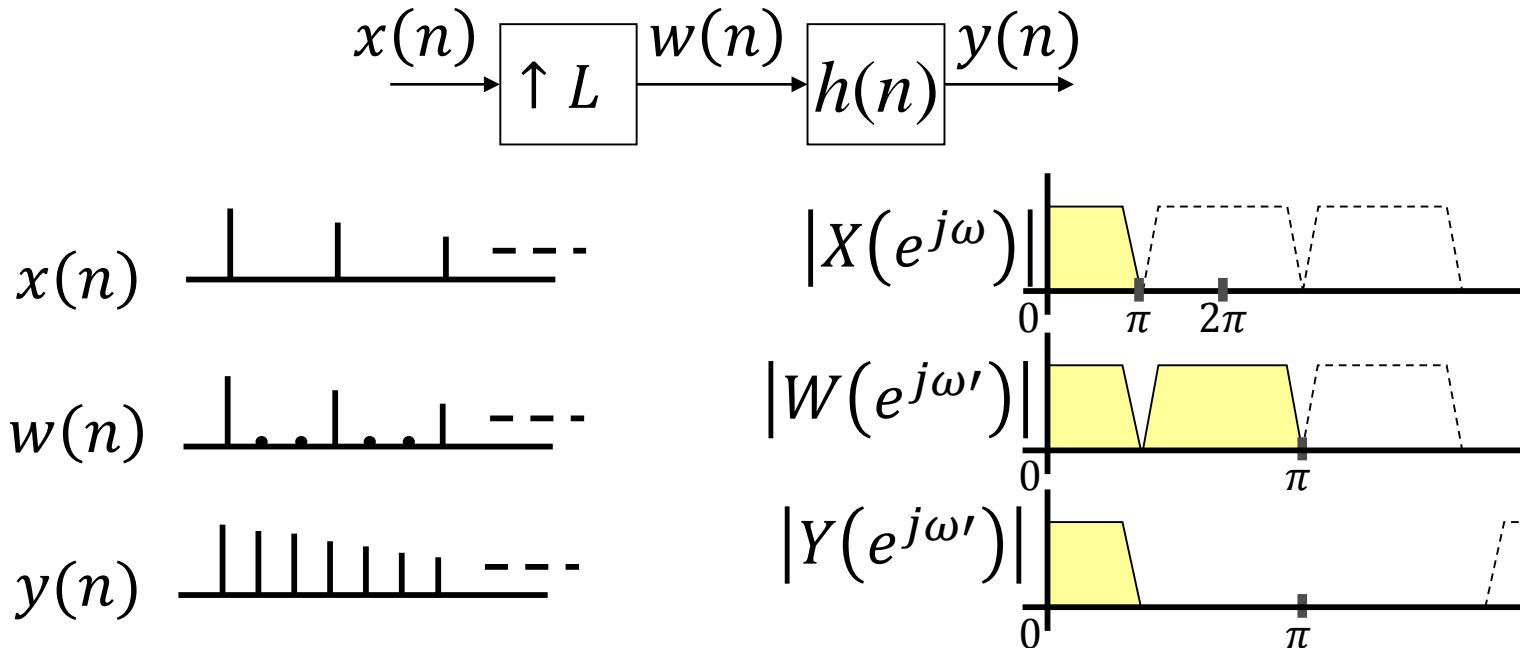
Interpolation by an Integer Factor  $L$

$$\frac{T'}{T} = \frac{1}{L} \quad F' = LF$$



interpolate  $L-1$  new zero-valued samples  
between each pair

# Observation in Time and Frequency Domain



$$w(n) = \begin{cases} x\left(\frac{m}{L}\right) & m = rL \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$W(z) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} w(m)z^{-m} = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-mL} = X(z^L)$$

$$W(e^{j\omega'}) = X(e^{j\omega L}) \quad (\omega' = 2\pi f T' \quad \omega = 2\pi f T)$$

# eliminate the unwanted spectra

$$H(e^{j\omega}) \cong \begin{cases} G & |\omega'| \leq \frac{2\pi FT'}{2} = \frac{\pi}{L} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

then

$$Y(e^{j\omega'}) = H(e^{j\omega'})X(e^{j\omega'L}) = \begin{cases} GX(e^{j\omega'L}) & |\omega'| \leq \frac{\pi}{L} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

# Why gain $G$ ?

$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{in the case of decimation,} \\ \text{If } |H(e^{j\omega})| = 1 \text{ for } |\omega| \leq \frac{\pi}{M}, \\ y(0) = w(0) = x(0) \end{array} \right]$

for interpolator ,

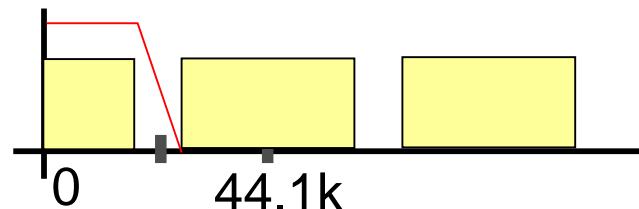
$$\begin{aligned} y(0) &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} Y(e^{j\omega'}) d\omega' = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} H(e^{j\omega'}) X(e^{j\omega'L}) d\omega' \\ &= G \int_{-\pi/L}^{\pi/L} X(e^{j\omega'L}) d\omega' = G \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\omega}) \frac{d\omega}{L} = \frac{G}{L} x(0) \end{aligned}$$

so  $G=L$  is required to match the amplitude  
of the envelopes of  $y(n)$  and  $x(n)$ .

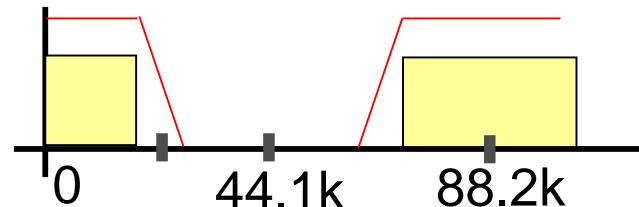
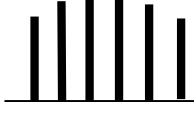
# Oversampling DF for CD Players



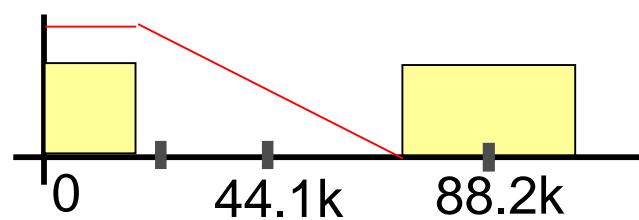
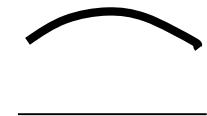
oversampling



for direct D-A conversion  
sharp CT **LPF** is needed



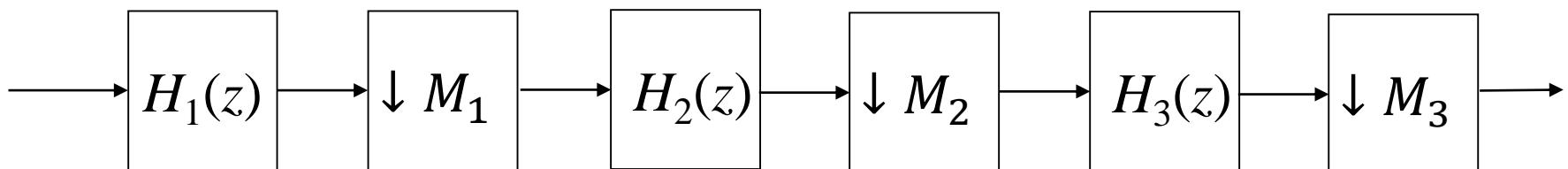
sharp digital filter  
is easier to implement



this gentle CT LPF is  
easy to implement

# Multistage Implementations

for a large integer factor of  
decimation/interpolation



more efficient in terms of  
the number of computations per unit time

# Polyphase Representation

(Bellanger 1976)

$$H(z) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(n)z^{-n} = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(2n)z^{-2n} + \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(2n+1)z^{-(2n+1)}$$

definition      {       $E_0(z) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(2n)z^{-n}$   
                         $E_1(z) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(2n+1)z^{-n}$

$$H(z) = E_0(z^2) + z^{-1}E_1(z^2)$$

# *examples*

FIR     $H(z) = 1 + 2z^{-1} + 3z^{-2} + 4z^{-3} + 5z^{-4}$   
               $= 1 + 3z^{-2} + 5z^{-4} + z^{-1}(2 + 4z^{-2})$

$$E_0(z) = 1 + 3z^{-1} + 5z^{-2} \quad E_1(z) = 2 + 4z^{-1}$$

IIR     $H(z) = \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} = \frac{1}{1 - a^2z^{-2}} + \frac{az^{-1}}{1 - a^2z^{-2}}$

$$E_0(z) = \frac{1}{1 - a^2z^{-1}} \quad E_1(z) = \frac{a}{1 - a^2z^{-1}}$$

# Generalization

$$H(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} z^{-k} E_k(z^M)$$

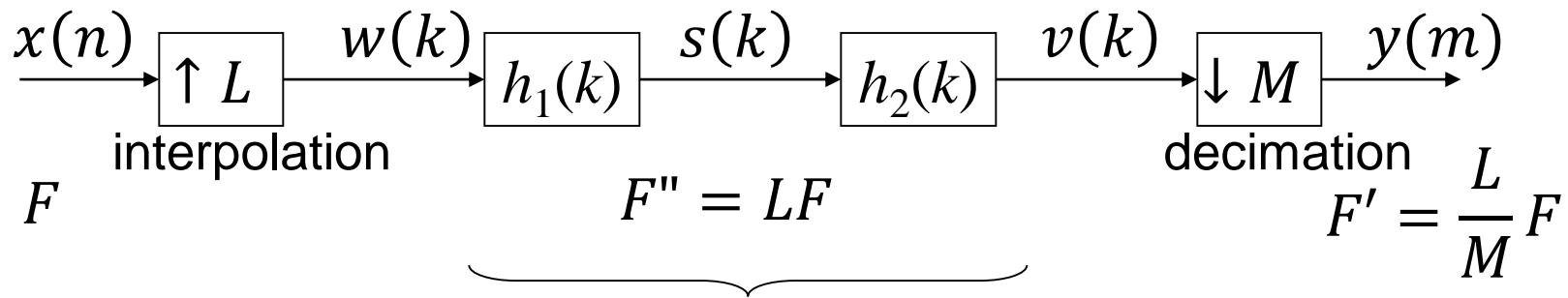
$E_k(z)$ : polyphase component

coefficient  $e_k(n) = h(nM + k)$

$M$ -fold decimated version of  $h(n+k)$

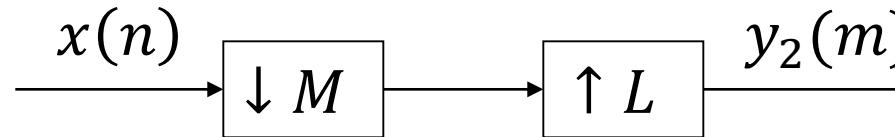
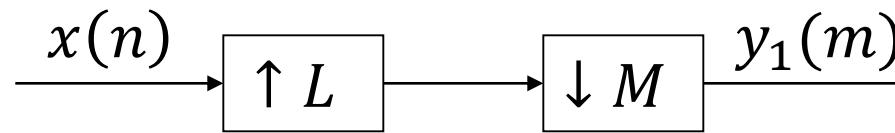
# Fractional Sampling Rate Conversion

$$\frac{T'}{T} = \frac{M}{L} \quad \text{or} \quad F' = \frac{L}{M} F$$



$$H(e^{j\omega''}) \cong \begin{cases} L & |\omega''| = \frac{2\pi FT''}{2} \leq \min\left(\frac{\pi}{L}, \frac{\pi}{M}\right) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

# Upsampler and Downampler



$$Y_1(z) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} X\left(z^{\frac{L}{M}} e^{-\frac{j2\pi k L}{M}}\right)$$

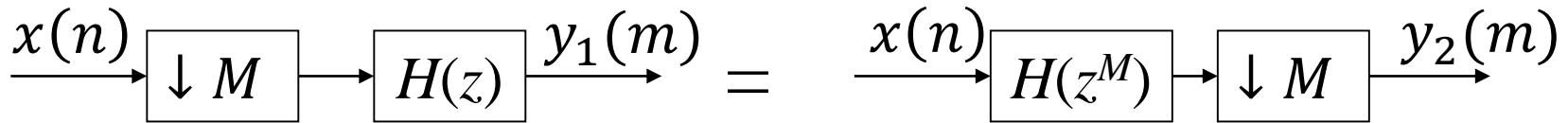
$$Y_2(z) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} X\left(z^{\frac{L}{M}} e^{-\frac{j2\pi k}{M}}\right)$$

$$\begin{cases} e^{-\frac{j2\pi k L}{M}} & k = 0, 1, \dots, M-1 \\ e^{-\frac{j2\pi k}{M}} & k = 0, 1, \dots, M-1 \end{cases}$$

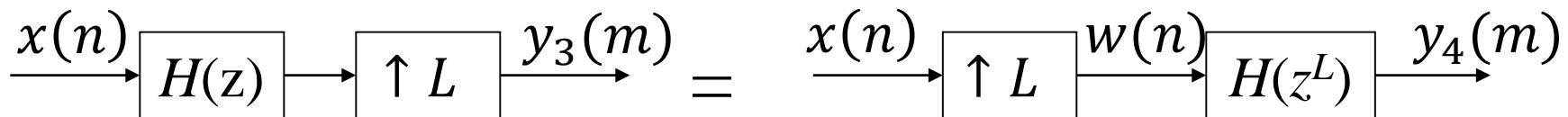
identical set if and only if  $M$  and  $L$  are relatively prime integers

# The Noble Identities

$H(z)$  : rational transfer function

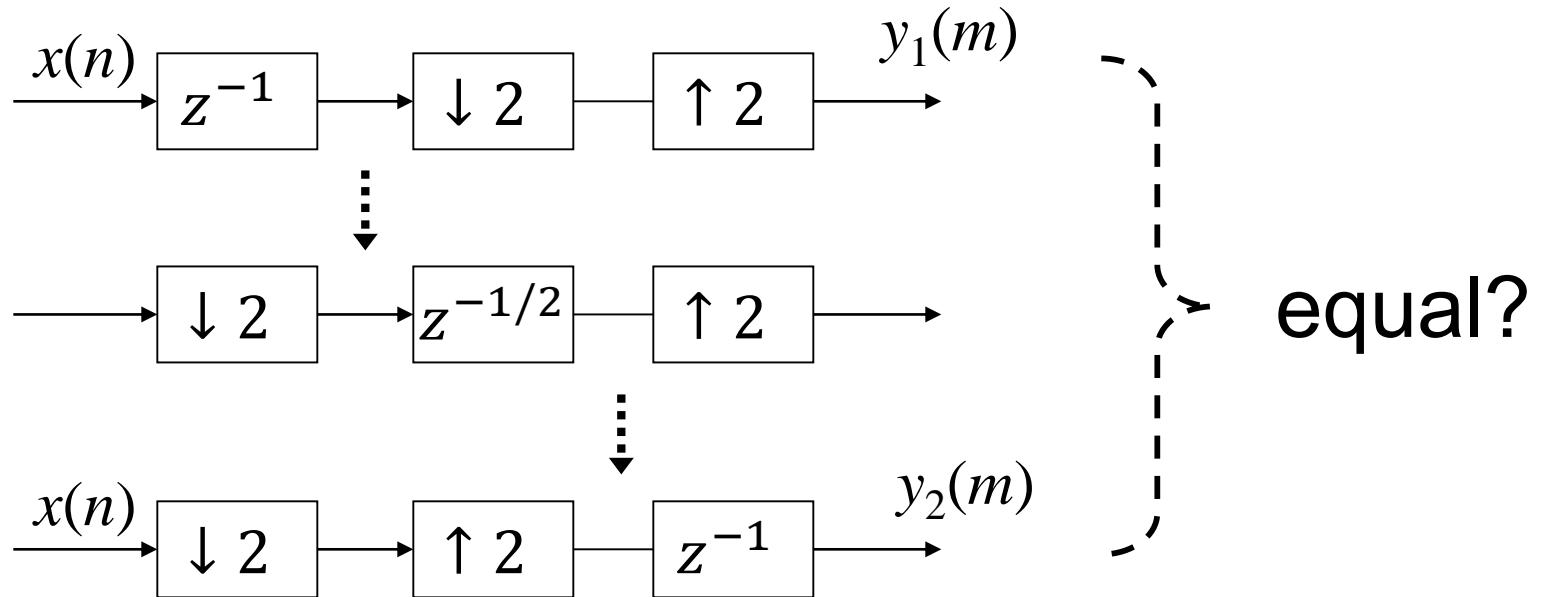


$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_2(z) &= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} X(e^{-j2\pi k/M} z^{1/M}) H\left(\left(e^{-j2\pi k/M} z^{1/M}\right)^M\right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{M} \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} X(e^{-j2\pi k/M} z^{1/M}) H(z) \\
 &= Y_1(z)
 \end{aligned}$$

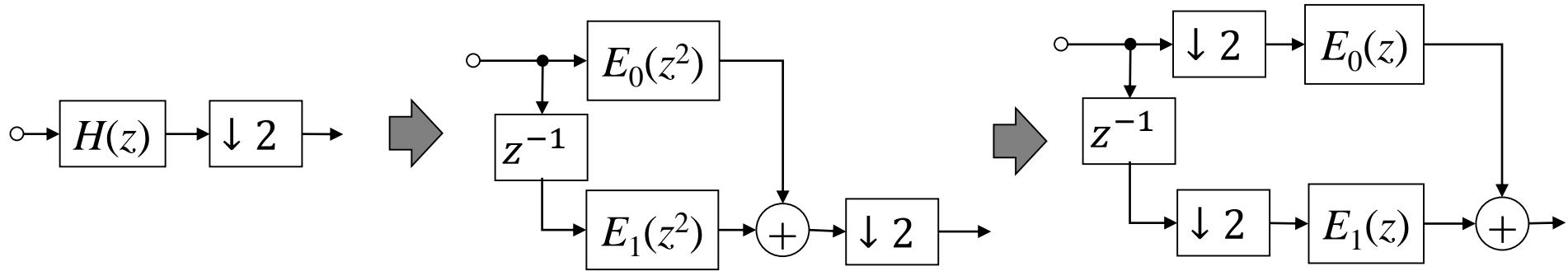


$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_4(z) &= H(z^L) W(z) \\
 &= H(z^L) X(z^L) \\
 &= Y_3(z)
 \end{aligned}$$

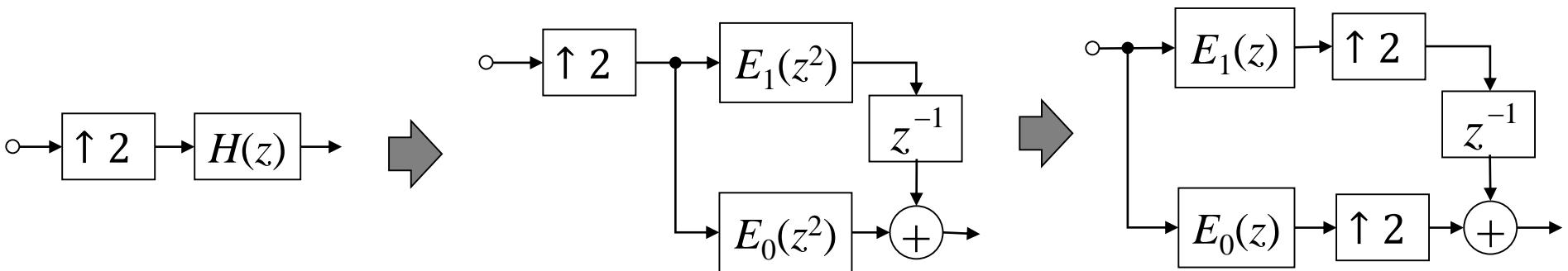
# The Noble Identity Does Not Hold when $H(z)$ is irrational



# Decimation Filters

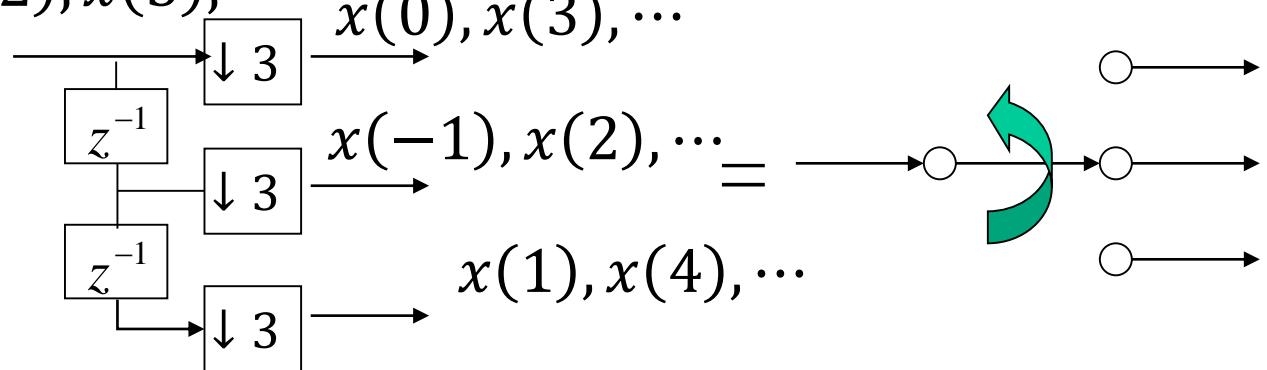


# Interpolation Filters

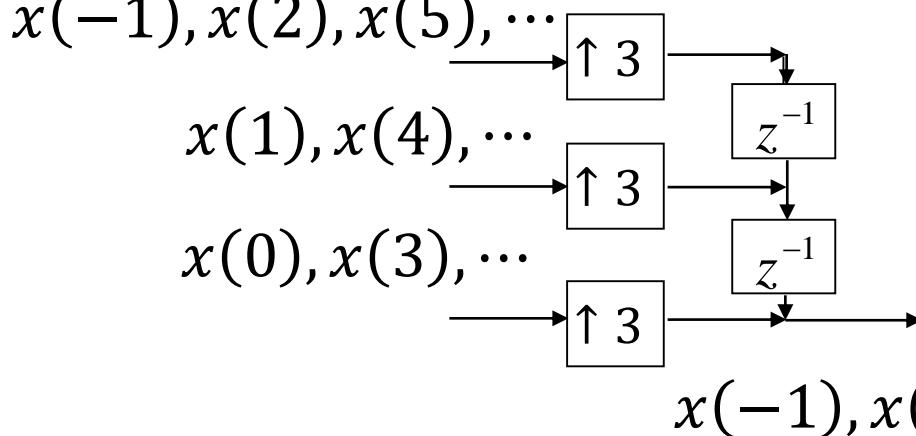


# Commutator Model

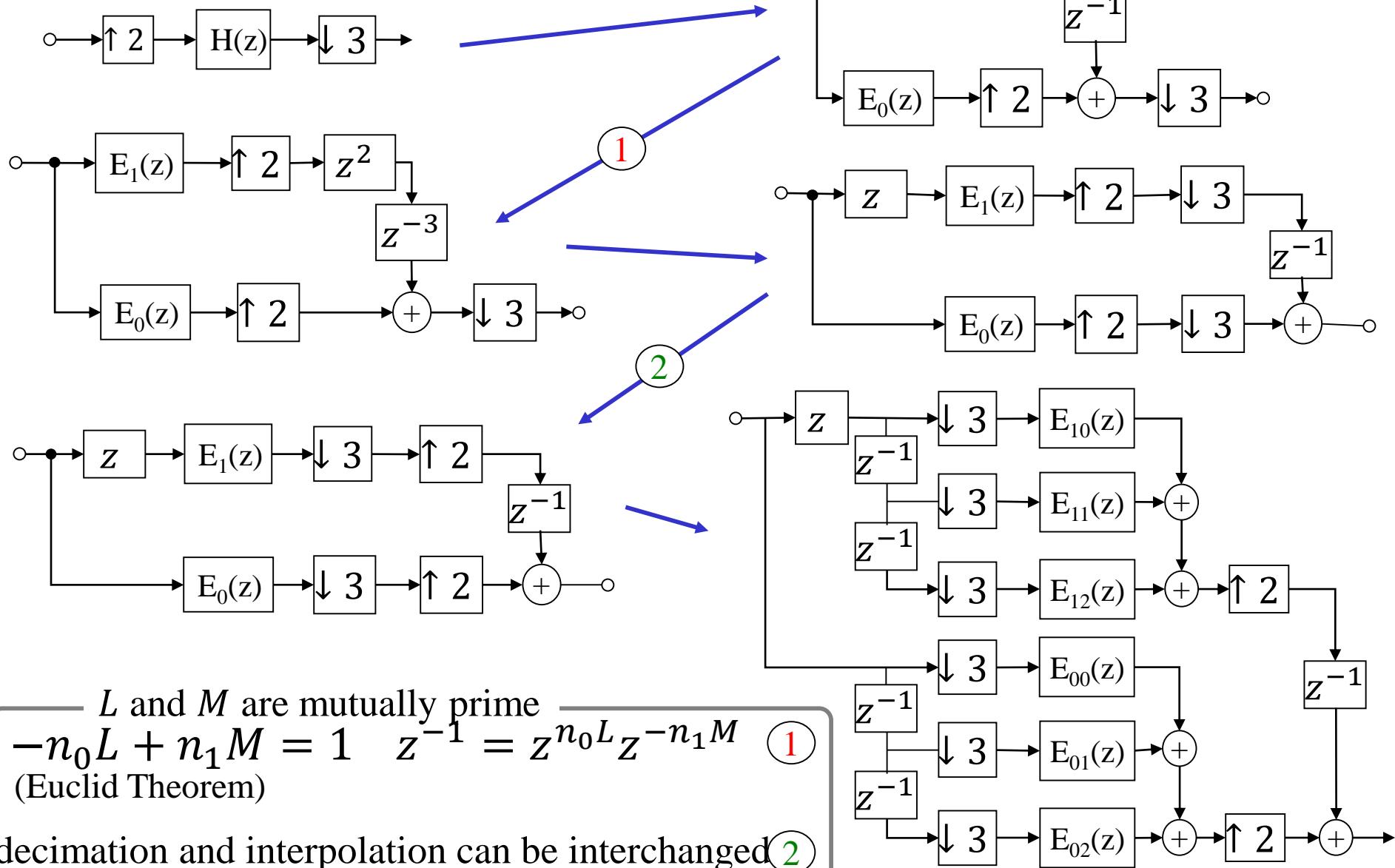
$x(-1), x(0), x(1), x(2), x(3), \dots$



$x(-1), x(2), x(5), \dots$



# Fractional Decimators



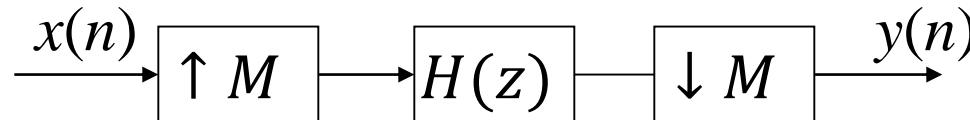
$L$  and  $M$  are mutually prime  
 $-n_0L + n_1M = 1 \quad z^{-1} = z^{n_0L}z^{-n_1M}$  (1)  
 (Euclid Theorem)

decimation and interpolation can be interchanged (2)

For length  $N$  FIR  $H(z)$ ,  $N$  multiplications at  $\frac{1}{M}$  rate

# Exercise 4

1. Show that the system shown in the figure is linear and shift-invariant. How is the overall transfer function related to  $H(z)$ ?



2. Consider the two sets of  $M$  numbers given by  $W^k$  and  $W^{kL}$ , where  $W=e^{-j2\pi/M}$  and  $k$  is an integer from 1 to  $M$ . Show that these sets are identical if and only if  $L$  and  $M$  are relatively prime.
3. Given a software (or equipment) for 1024-point  $DFT$ , we would like to compute the  $DFT$  of a 512-point sequence  $f(n)$ , for  $n$  from 0 to 511. Compare the following three methods to fill the vacancy of the input sequence.
  - a. use  $f(n)$  for  $n$  from 0 to 511 and fill 0 for  $n$  512 to 1023,
  - b. place  $f(n)$  in the middle and fill 0 before and after the sequence, or
  - c. repeat  $f(n)$  twice.
4. Read the following paper and study how an IIR filter is decomposed into polyphase components.

M. Bellanger, G. Bonnerot, M. Coudreuse, Digital filtering by polyphase network: Application to sample-rate alteration and filter banks, IEEE Trans. on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing, vol.24, 2, pp. 109- 114, Apr. 1976