Frequency Response



 $u(t) = A\cos(\omega t)$ A – amplitude; ω – (angular) frequency, rad/s From Euler's formula:

$$A\cos(\omega t) = \frac{A}{2} \left(e^{j\omega t} + e^{-j\omega t} \right)$$

By linearity, the response is

$$y(t) = \frac{A}{2} \left(H(j\omega)e^{j\omega t} + H(-j\omega)e^{-j\omega t} \right)$$

where $H(j\omega) = \int_0^\infty h(\tau)e^{-j\omega\tau} d\tau$
 $H(-j\omega) = \int_0^\infty \underbrace{h(\tau)e^{j\omega\tau}}_{\substack{\text{complex}\\\text{conjugate}}} d\tau = \overline{H(-j\omega)}$

(recall that $h(\tau)$ is real-valued)