## EECS 210 Section 2 – Lecture Summaries Lecture 31, Monday, March 26, 2001

- Calculating power is an inherently non-linear process
  - Superposition requires a linear system
  - Superposition cannot be used to compute power
  - Except where source signals are independent within circuit this occurs when source frequencies differ
- Ratio of output to input signals of a linear system is called the Transfer Function, H( )
  - $\succ$  H() is used to characterize performance of filters
  - Bode diagram is a convenient way to view frequency response of a filter
  - Bode diagram has two parts:
    - $\checkmark$  |H )| in dB vs log<sub>10</sub>( ), and
    - $\checkmark \qquad H( ) vs \log_{10}( )$