

$$\begin{aligned}
R_{\tilde{H}}(f_1, f_2; \Delta t) &= E \left[\tilde{H}^*(f_1; t) \tilde{H}(f_2; t + \Delta t) \right] \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} R_{\tilde{h}}(\tau_1, t; \tau_2, t + \Delta t) e^{j2\pi(f_1\tau_1 - f_2\tau_2)} d\tau_1 d\tau_2 \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} r_{\tilde{h}}(\tau_1; \Delta t) \delta(\tau_1 - \tau_2) e^{j2\pi(f_1\tau_1 - f_2\tau_2)} d\tau_1 d\tau_2 \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} r_{\tilde{h}}(\tau_1; \Delta t) e^{j2\pi(f_1 - f_2)\tau_1} d\tau_1 \quad \boxed{\Delta f = f_2 - f_1} \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} r_{\tilde{h}}(\tau_1; \Delta t) e^{-j2\pi(\Delta f)\tau_1} d\tau_1 = r_{\tilde{H}}(\Delta f; \Delta t)
\end{aligned}$$

For zero-mean, stationary, uncorrelated scattering channels, autocorrelation function of the channel transfer function only depends on **time difference** and **frequency difference**.

It is thus named **spaced-frequency spaced-time correlation function**.