

## PROBLEM:

Consider a system defined by 
$$y[n] = \sum_{k=5}^{10} b_k x[n - k]$$

Notice that the filter coefficients  $b_0, b_1, b_2, \dots, b_4$  are all zero.

Suppose that the input  $x[n]$  is non-zero only for  $5 \leq n \leq 20$ . Show that  $y[n]$  is non-zero at most over a finite interval of the form  $N_3 \leq n \leq N_4$ . Determine  $N_3$  and  $N_4$ .

*Hint: consult Figs. 5.5 and 5.6 in the book for the sliding window interpretation of the FIR filter.*