ECE 642 - Assignment 1

1. Consider the signal $x(t) = 2\operatorname{sinc}(3t)$.

a. Classify this signal as energy vs. power, periodic vs. aperiodic, random vs. deterministic, discrete-time vs. continuous-time.

b. What is the energy of x(t)?

c. Plot the signal in MATLAB so that five zero values are included on both the positive and negative side of the plot. Make the plot with both a "bad" and a "good" choice for the sampling period T_s .

2. Consider the complex signal $z(t) = \cos(2\pi t) + j3\sin(2\pi t)$.

2.a. Using MATLAB, show the evolution of the signal on the complex plane in the interval $0 \le t \le 1$ (you can choose $T_s = 0.01$).

2.b. Calculate the magnitude $\alpha(t) = |z(t)|$.

2.c. Using MATLAB, plot $\alpha(t)$ as a function of time in the interval $0 \le t \le 1$ (you can choose $T_s = 0.01$).