

ELE 321

Linear System Analysis

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Power and Energy Signals

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Lecture 4

Agenda

- Power
- Energy
- Harmonically related complex exponentials

Power and Energy of Periodic Signals

- Periodic signals are examples of signals with infinite total energy, but finite average power.
- Consider periodic complex exponential signal $e^{j\omega_o t}$.

Total energy and average power of the signal over one period are

$$\begin{aligned} E_{T_o} &= \int_0^{T_o} |e^{j\omega_o t}|^2 dt \\ &= \int_0^{T_o} 1 dt = T_o \end{aligned}$$

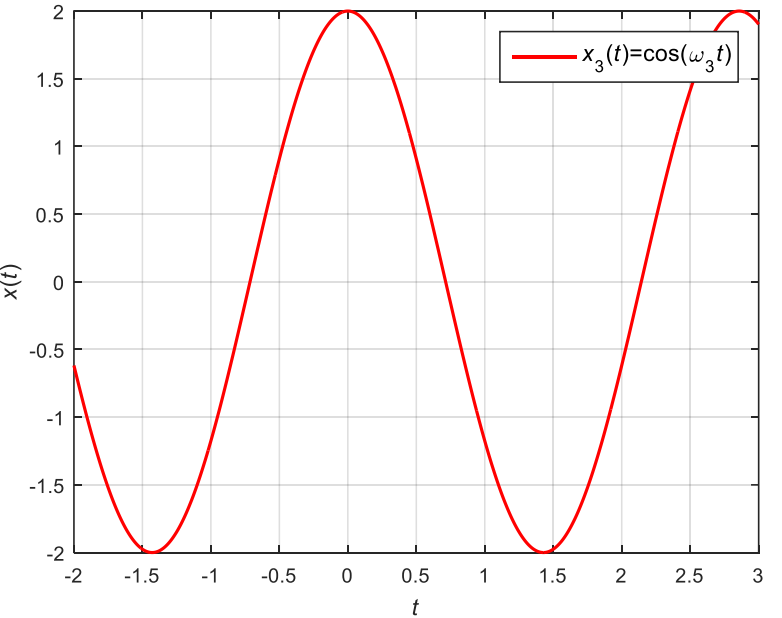
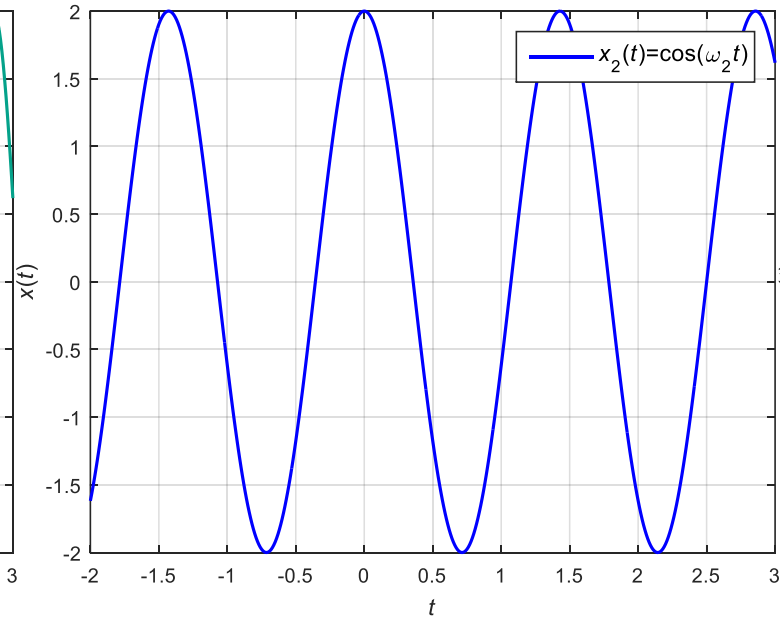
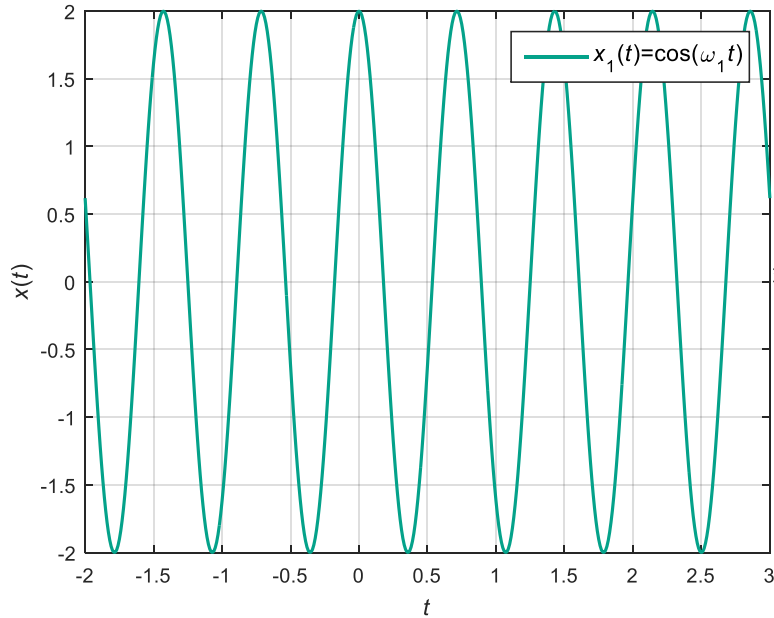
$$P_{T_o} = \frac{1}{T_o} E_{T_o} = 1$$

It is also clear that $E_\infty = \infty$

and

$$P_\infty = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |e^{j\omega_o t}|^2 dt = 1$$

- Relationship between the fundamental frequency and period for continuous-time signals



$$\omega_1 > \omega_2 > \omega_3 \Leftrightarrow T_1 < T_2 < T_3$$

Sets of harmonically related complex exponentials

$$\phi_k(t) = e^{jk\omega_o t}, k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

Since $e^{j\omega T_o} = 1$ implies that $\omega T_o = 2\pi k, k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$ (ωT_o is multiple of 2π)

$$\omega_o = \frac{2\pi}{T_o}$$

For $k=0$, $\phi_k(t)$ is a constant, while for other values of k , $\phi_k(t)$ is periodic with fundamental frequency $|k|\omega_o$ and fundamental period

$$\frac{2\pi}{|k|\omega_o} = \frac{T_o}{|k|}$$

The k^{th} harmonic $\phi_k(t)$ is still periodic with period T_o as well, as it goes through exactly $|k|$ of its fundamental periods during any time interval of length T_o .

Example *

Plotting the magnitude of the signal

$$x(t) = e^{j2t} + e^{j3t}$$

It can be rewritten as

$$x(t) = e^{j2.5t} (e^{-j0.5t} + e^{j0.5t})$$

Using Euler's relation

$$x(t) = 2e^{j2.5t} \cos(0.5t)$$

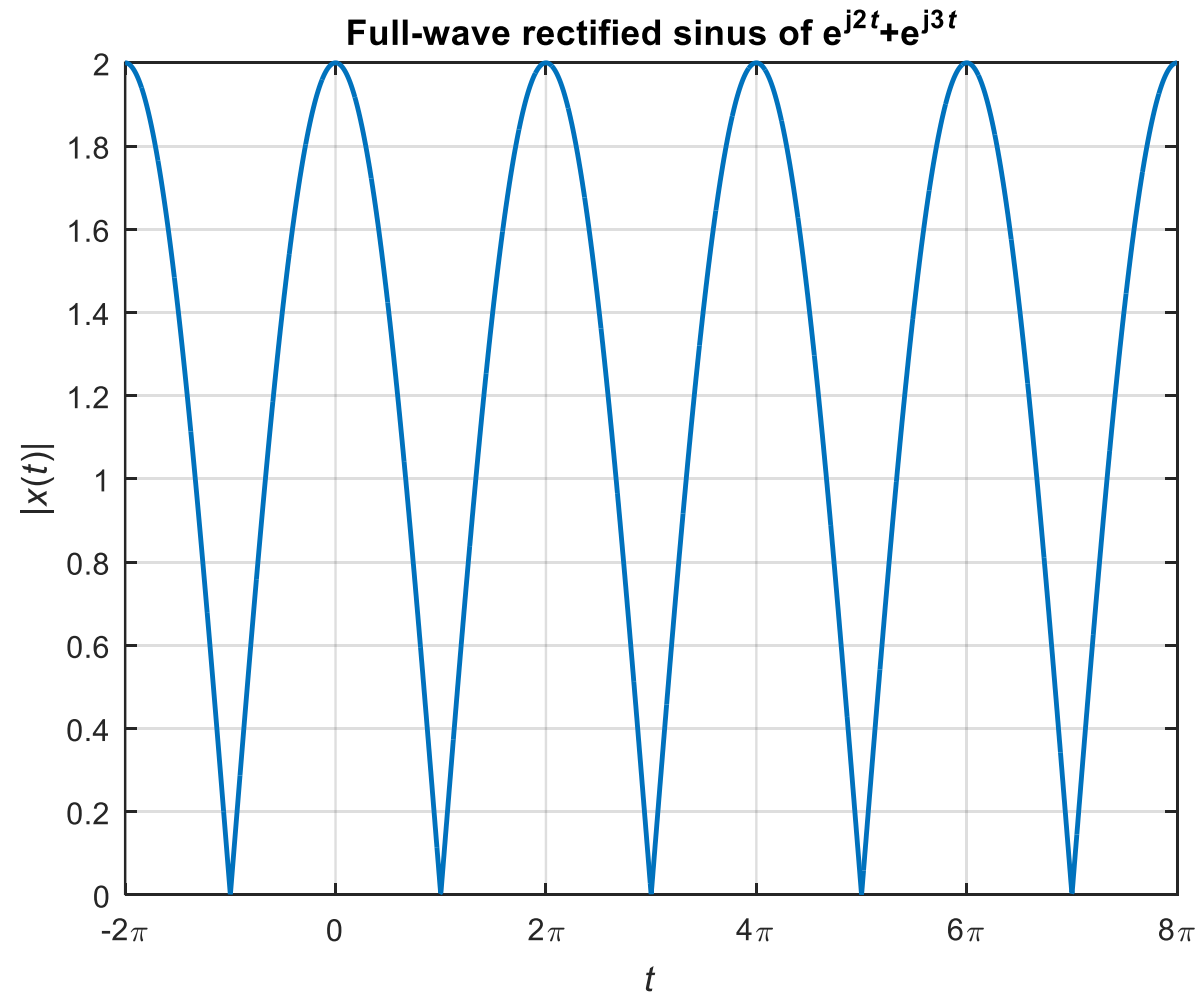
Therefore

$$|x(t)| = 2|\cos(0.5t)|$$

Note that $|e^{j2.5t}|=1$.

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Example (cont.)*



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General Complex Exponential Signals

$$x(t) = Ce^{at}$$

If C and a are expressed in polar and rectangular form, respectively

$$C = |C|e^{j\theta}$$

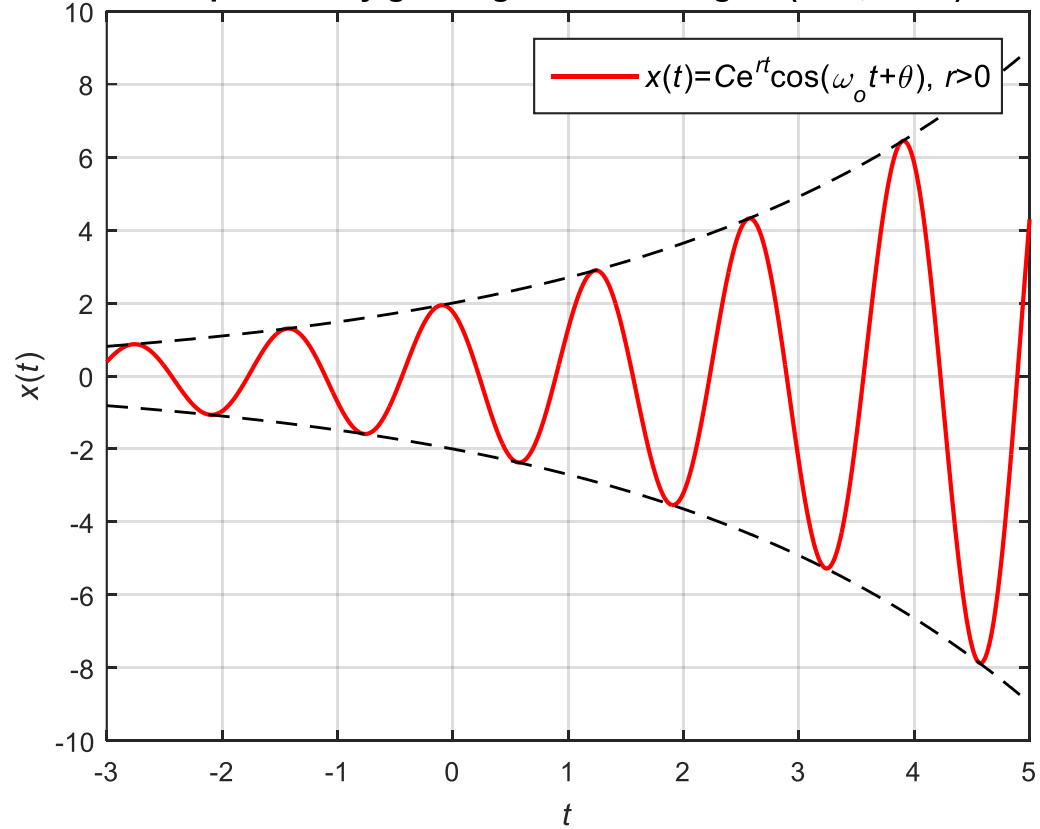
$$a = r + j\omega_0$$

$$\text{Then } Ce^{at} = |C|e^{j\theta} e^{(r+j\omega_0)t} = |C|e^{rt} e^{j(\omega_0 t + \theta)}$$

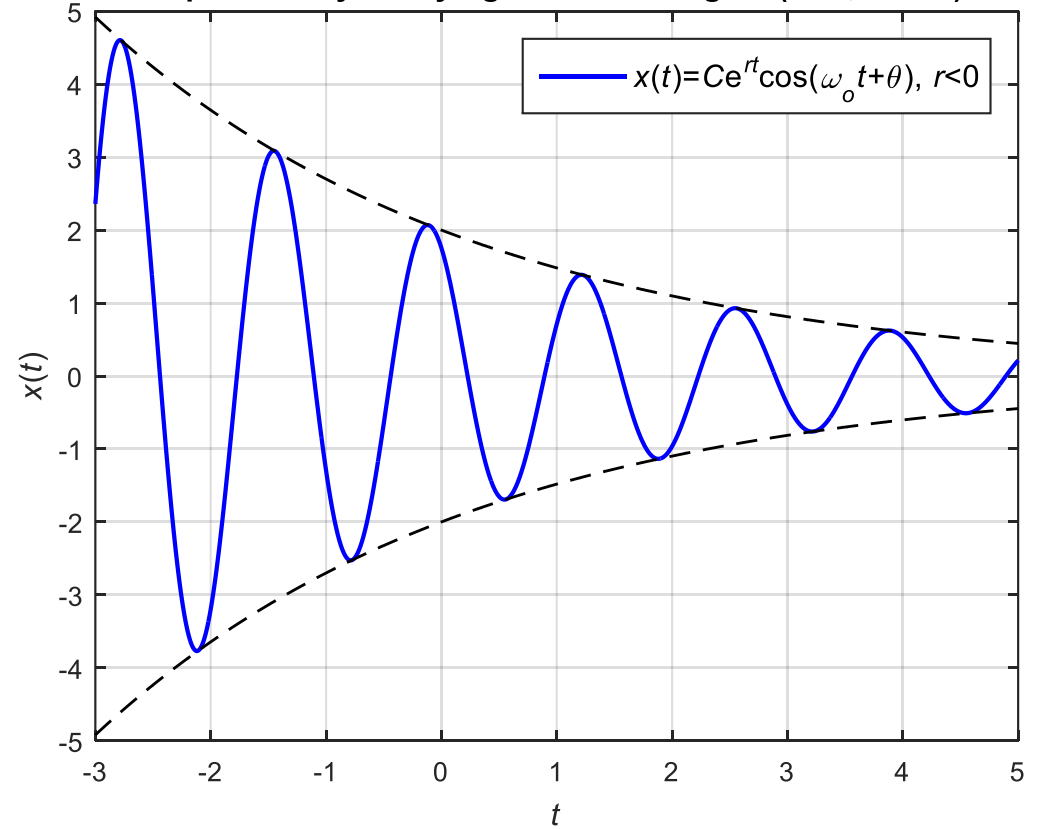
By using Euler's equation, $Ce^{at} = |C|e^{rt} \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta) + j|C|e^{rt} \sin(\omega_0 t + \theta)$

Therefore, for $r=0$, the real and imaginary parts of a complex exponential are sinusoidal. For $r>0$, the signal is sinusoidal multiplied by growing exponential. If $r<0$, the signal is sinusoidal multiplied by decaying exponential.

Exponentially growing sinusoidal signal (C=2, r=0.3)



Exponentially decaying sinusoidal signal (C=2, r=-0.3)



Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

Discrete-Time Complex Exponential Signals

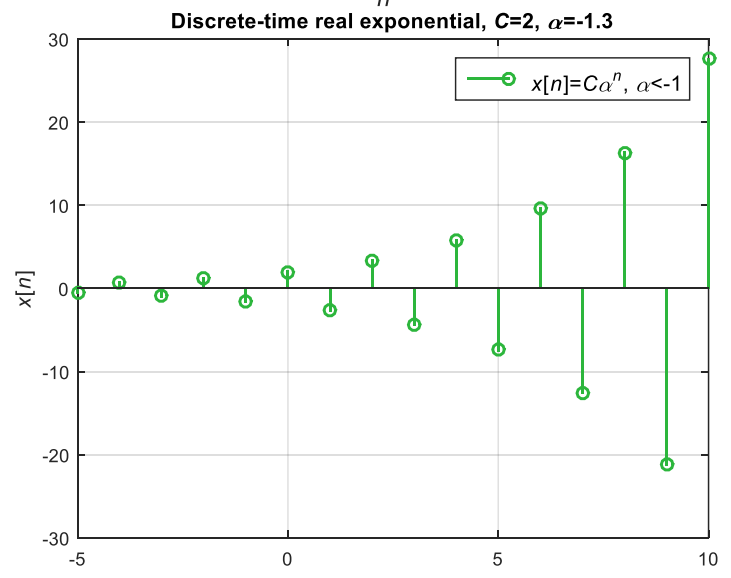
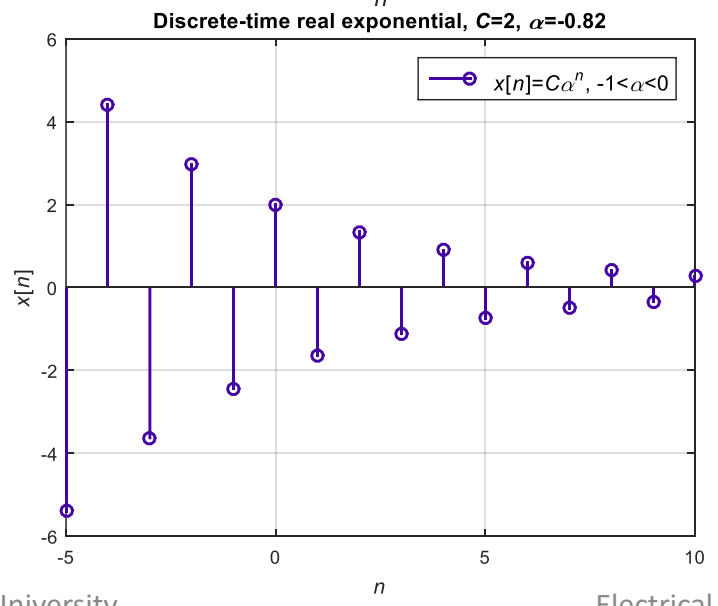
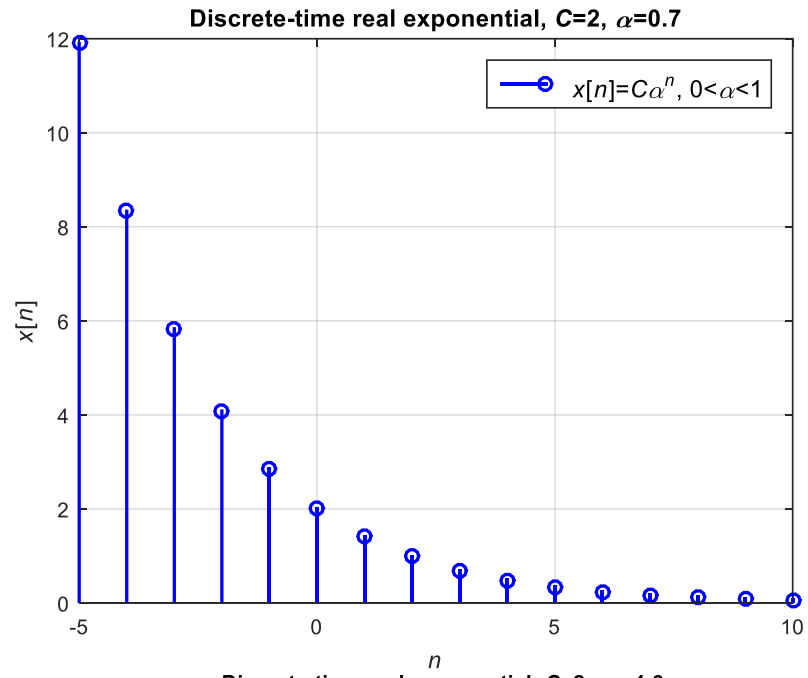
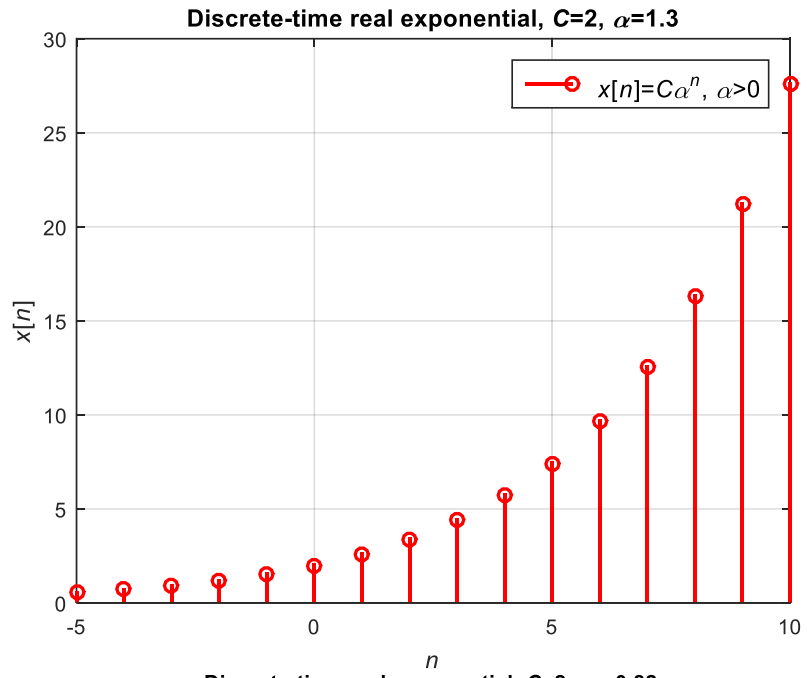
$$x[n] = C\alpha^n$$

where C and α are complex numbers in general.

If $\alpha = e^{\beta}$, then $x[n] = Ce^{\beta n}$

Real-exponential signals: If C and α are real $x[n]$ is called real exponential signal.

* If α is 1, then $x[n]$ is constant, if α is -1 then $x[n]$ alternates between $-C$ and $+C$.



- **Discrete-Time Sinusoidal Signals:**

If β is purely imaginary than $|\alpha|=1$. Specifically, consider

$$x[n] = e^{j\omega_0 n}$$

which has infinite total energy, but finite average power.

As in continuous-time case this is related to

$$x[n] = A\cos(\omega_0 n + \varphi)$$

which also has infinite total energy, but finite average power.

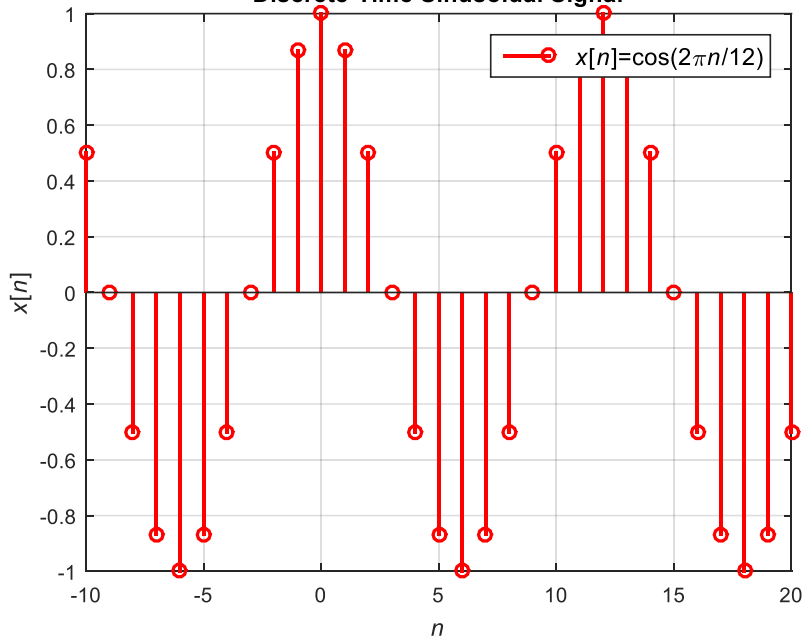
Since n is dimensionless, both ω_0 and φ will have units of radians.

Also Euler's equation is $e^{j\omega_0 n} = \cos(\omega_0 n) + j\sin(\omega_0 n)$

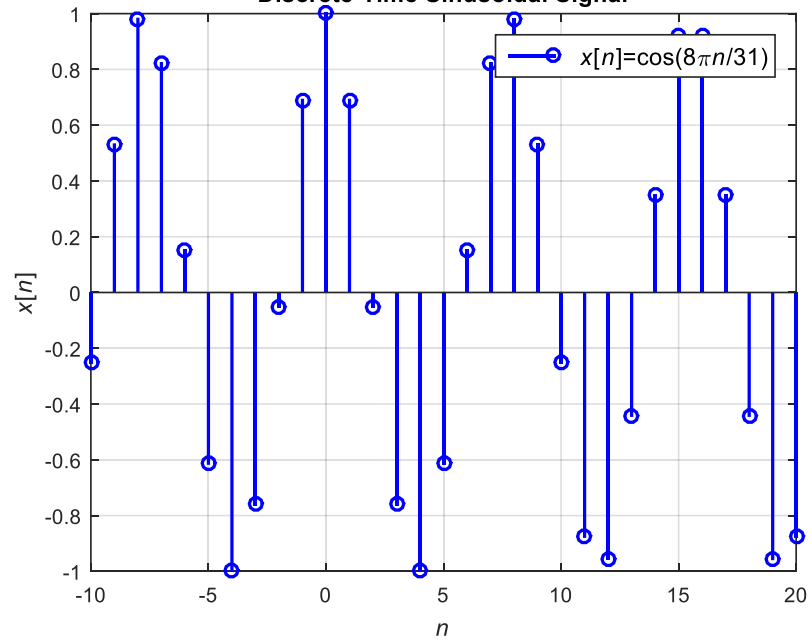
and therefore

$$A\cos(\omega_0 n + \varphi) = \frac{A}{2} e^{j\varphi} e^{j\omega_0 n} + \frac{A}{2} e^{-j\varphi} e^{-j\omega_0 n}$$

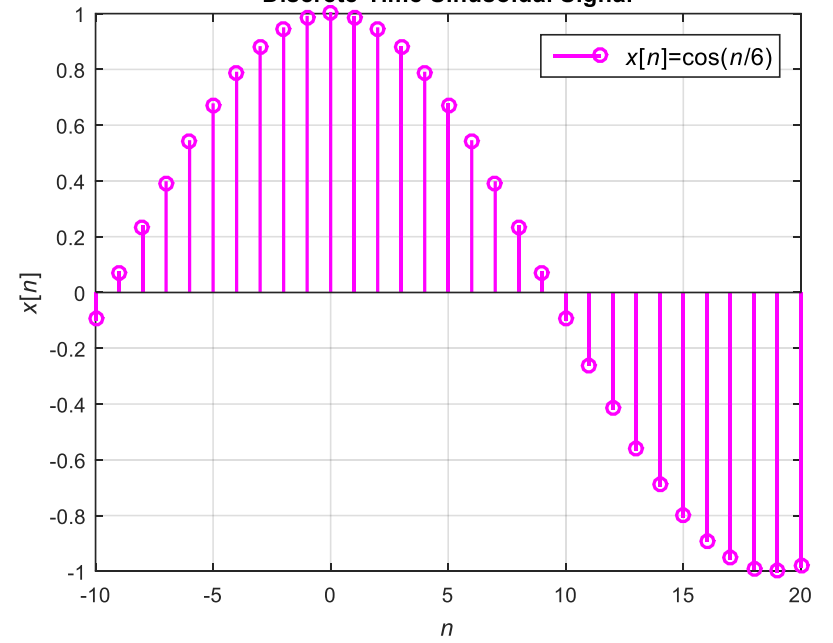
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