

L^AT_EX: **from dummy to T_EXnician** **Document creation**

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What we will know?

Technical agreements

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I

inclass/outclass versions

- ▶ two slightly different versions for class and home
- ▶ class version is more interactive and contains less information
- ▶ this line will be shown only at home version



|| Frame for home

Agreements

II

Footnotes

- ▶ For second reading
- ▶ Contain advanced usage of the command
- ▶ Contain references to read more
 - ▶ to the exact chapter
 - ▶ (often) with the href to exact page
- ▶ Contains some comments
- ▶ Mostly for outclass version

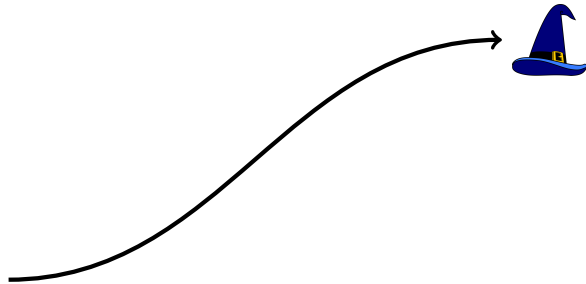


Like this

Agreements

III

Additional information – “magic”



- ▶ To have the full picture
- ▶ Not to analyze or to puzzle out in class

★ Agreements★

V

Exercises

- ▶ To work in class

Special thanks to

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How to structure & refer the document

38 Nice section

$$y = \frac{x+1}{b} \tag{3}$$

We have a nice equation (3) on page 7 inside the section 38.

How to structure & refer the document

1. add structure element. \TeX will automatically calculate it's serial number incrementing the previous one.
2. refer to the element added before or after label. Refer to specific page, to specific equation, to specific biblio record or item

} \TeX use “counters” implicitly

how all this works

1. T_EX has a counter for... lots of stuff
2. When you add an element (section, equation, etc), the command updates its counter and prints it near the element
3. To reference an element, you need to explicitly tell T_EX about it.
4. When T_EX “sees” this guideline, it saves the related counter to **external** file
5. When T_EX runs **second time** and finds the place where you need to insert the reference, it looks at the file and gets counter value from the file
6. Sometimes (e.g.: bibliography) you run external command (e.g.: bibtex) to create the mentioned file
- 7. By the way: T_EX always “reads” document from top to bottom. The only way some command to affect anything *before* the command appears is throw external
← file. The set of commands that do this is quite small

(We will look more precisely at the last lecture.)

What we will know?

Document Creation

- Structural elements

- References

- Useful commands

What document consists of?

- ▶ Title
- ▶ Authors
- ▶ Table of contents
- ▶ Table of figures
- ▶ Table of tables
- ▶ Sections, subsections, ..

Title

title

My beautiful title

November 28, 2018

```
\title{My beautiful title}  
\begin{document}  
\maketitle{}  
\end{document}
```

- ▶ `\title` before begin of the document
- ▶ `\maketitle` after begin of the document

Title

date

My beautiful title

```
\title{My beautiful title}
\date{This text supposed to be a date...\\
↪ \the\year -\the\month -\the\day. In
↪ other words, \today}
\begin{document}
\maketitle{}
\end{document}
```

This text supposed to be a date...
2024-12-24. In other words, December 24, 2024

- ▶ by default \LaTeX think you use `\date{\today}`
 - ▶ `\today` is the date of last document compilation
- ▶ you can put anything inside `\date{}` command
- ▶ use `\date{}` without arguments to remove the string

Title

authors

```
\title{My beautiful title}  
\date{This text supposed to be a date...\\  
↪ \today}  
\author{Vasia\thanks{Skoltech} \and  
↪ Mandrid\thanks{we acknowledge the  
↪ cats, our lords!}}  
\begin{document}  
\maketitle}  
\end{document}
```

My beautiful title

Vasia* Mandrid†

This text supposed to be a date...
November 28, 2018

- ▶ `\author` for put the author
- ▶ `\and` (can be) used to concatenate several authors
 - ▶ You always can use just plain text
- ▶ `\thanks` for a footnote

*Skoltech

†we acknowledge the cats, our lords!

Abstract

```
\begin{abstract}  
  Hello  
\end{abstract}
```

Abstract

Hello

Structure

```
\begin{document}
\part{'part'} text \par
% \chapter{'chapter'} text \par
\section{'section'} text \par
\subsection{'subsection'} text \par
\subsubsection{'subsubsection'} text
↪ \par
\paragraph{'paragraph'} text \par
\subparagraph{'subparagraph'} text \par
\end{document}
```

Part I
”part”

text

1 ”section”

text

1.1 ”subsection”


text

1.1.1 ”subsubsection”

text

”paragraph” text

”subparagraph” text

 [Document_Structure#Section_numbering](#), [6/Sections_and_chapters](#), [man: 6](#), [lv: IV.5](#)
You can use `\section[short name]{long name}` to put short name to table of contents and
`\renewcommand{\chaptername}{new name}` ([lv: IV.5.3](#)) to change the standard name

Structure

Tips

- ▶ Use `\<command>*` (with `*`) to omit the numbering
- ▶ The structure (and titles) is not pre-build into \LaTeX : they are defined inside class files \Rightarrow not all classes contain all commands

Table of content

```
\tableofcontents
\newpage % for new page
\part{'part'} text \par
\chapter{'chapter'} text \par
\section{'section'} text \par
\subsection{'subsection'} text \par
\subsubsection{'subsubsection'} text
↪ \par
\paragraph{'paragraph'} text \par
\subparagraph{'subparagraph'} text \par
```

`\tableofcontents` for create it, `\newpage` for new page.

Notice that not all structure elements are mentioned it ToC!

Contents

I	"part"	2
1	"chapter"	4
1.1	"section"	4
1.1.1	"subsection"	5

Table of...

- ▶ `\listoffigures` for figures
- ▶ `\listoftables` for tables

lv: IV.8.1, man: 25.1

You can use `\caption[short name]{long name}` to put short name to the lists, `\listfigurename` and `\listtablename` — the names of the Lists.

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$$y = \frac{x+1}{b} \quad (3)$$

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How good it will be if...we could write like this

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We have a nice equation (3) on page 7 inside the section 38.

How good it will be if...we could write like this

We can!

Step 1: `\label`

```
\section{Nice section \label{sec:nice}}  
\begin{equation}  
    y=\frac{x+1}{b} \label{niceeq}  
\end{equation}
```

for whole reference mechanism: [man: 7](#) [lv: 1.2.11](#) [6/Cross_referencing_sections_and_equations,](#)



Step 2: `\ref` and `\pageref`

We have a nice equation (`\ref{niceeq}`) on page `\pageref{niceeq}`
↪ inside the section `\ref{sec:nice}`.

Combined

```
\section{Nice section \label{sec:nice}}  
\begin{equation}  
    y=\frac{x+1}{b} \label{niceeq}  
\end{equation}
```

We have a nice equation (`\ref{niceeq}`) on page `\pageref{niceeq}`
↪ inside the section `\ref{sec:nice}`.

Notice prefix: id notation (sec:nice). It is rather common

Problem 1: lots of labels!

What if you have too many marks throughout the document?

Use package `showlabels`

```
\usepackage{showlabels}
\section{Nice section \label{sec:nice}}
\begin{equation}
y=\frac{x+1}{b} \label{niceeq}
\end{equation}
```

38 Nice section

{sec:nice}

$$y = \frac{x+1}{b} \quad (3) \quad \text{\{niceeq\}}$$

We have a nice equation (3) on page 7
inside the section 38.

Problem 2: Typos

```
\section{Nice section \label{sec:nice}}  
\begin{equation}  
y=\frac{x+1}{b} \label{niceEq}  
\end{equation}
```

We have a nice equation (`\ref{niceeq}`) on
↪ page `\pageref{niceeq}` inside the
↪ section `\ref{sec:nice}`.

Look at ? in the document or inside the logs

38 Nice section

$$y = \frac{x+1}{b} \quad (3)$$

We have a nice equation (??) on page ??
inside the section 38.

7

Counter domination

look at the equation numbering style

```
\usepackage{amsmath}
\numberwithin{equation}{section} % Number
↪ equations within sections
\begin{document}
  \section{Nice section}
  ↪ \label{sec:nice}}
  \begin{equation}
    y=\frac{x+1}{b} \label{niceeq}
  \end{equation}
  We have a nice equation (\ref{niceeq})
  ↪ on page \pageref{niceeq} inside
  ↪ the section \ref{sec:nice}.
\end{document}
```

38 Nice section

$$y = \frac{x+1}{b} \quad (38.1)$$

We have a nice equation (38.1) on page 7 inside the section 38.

Bibliography

How to cite

Use `\cite{label}`

As it was written in Landau

↪ `\cite{landau}`...

`\bibliographystyle{plain}`

`\bibliography{cites}`

As it was written in Landau [1]...

As it was written in Landau [1]...

References

- [1] L. D. Landau and E. M. Lifshitz. *The Classical Theory of Fields*. Butterworth-Heinemann, 4 edition, January 1980.

Bibliography

What to cite

.bib files

```
@Book{landau,  
  author = {Landau, L. D. and Lifshitz, E. M.},  
  title = {The Classical Theory of Fields},  
  journal = N,  
  volume = {1},  
  pages = {140},  
  year = 1980  
}
```

You can have multiple records in one .bib file.

Offline - compile twice!

Running \LaTeX offline, you can get **(??)** in `\ref` and **[?]** in `\cite`.

For

- ▶ References
- ▶ Bibliography
- ▶ Table of content
- ▶ Indexing
- ▶ ...

\LaTeX collect addition data in extra files. \LaTeX need more then one run to get this data.

Use `latex; bibtex; latex; latex`

Bibliography. Where can you get .bib files?

- ▶ Just google it! “article_name bibtex”
- ▶ at scholar.google.ru ask Cite -> BibTeX
- ▶ Go to your favorite journal and look at Citations -> “.bib” or “bibtex”
- ▶ Ask Mendeley, Zotero or other programs to give you the .bib file
- ▶ Create it by yourself

Bibliography. Creating .bib file

@article	Journal or magazine article
@book	Book
@conference	Article in conference proceedings
@misc	If nothing else fits.

Then fill in

author

title

journal

year

pages

volume

following the example of other entries

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\footnote

Hello. How¹ are you²?

Hello. How\footnote{And where?} are
↪ you\footnote{yes, you}?

¹And where?

²yes, you

Horizontal alignment

```
AA BB VV GG
\begin{flushright}
AA BB VV GG
\end{flushright}
{\raggedleft AA BB VV GG\par}
```

```
\begin{center}
AA BB VV GG
\end{center}
{\centering AA BB VV GG\par}
\centerline{AA BB VV GG}
```

```
\begin{flushleft}
AA BB VV GG
\end{flushleft}
{\raggedright AA BB VV GG \par}
```

AA BB VV GG

AA BB VV GG

AA BB VV GG

AA BB VV GG

AA BB VV GG

AA BB VV GG

AA BB VV GG

AA BB VV GG

Page break

`\newpage \pagebreak`

Quotes

As Vladimir Lenin said,

```
\begin{quote}
```

The main problem of quotes on the

↪ Internet is that people

↪ immediately believe in their

↪ authenticity.

```
\end{quote}
```

(1614 year)

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The main problem of quotes on the

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believe in their authenticity.

(1614 year)

Verses

```
\begin{verse}
```

```
\obeylines
```

```
There was a young fellow named Hall  
Who fell in the spring in the fall.  
'Twould have been a sad thing  
Had he died in the spring,  
But he didn't - he died in the fall.  
\end{verse}
```

There was a young fellow named
Hall

Who fell in the spring in the fall.

'Twould have been a sad thing

Had he died in the spring,

But he didn't – he died in the fall.

Marginal notes

```
\noindent Hello, guys!\par
\noindent Sometimes you need to put a node
↪ -- ``Marginal'' \marginpar{!!!} ---
↪ and \LaTeX\ has a simple way to do it
```

Hello, guys!

Sometimes you need to put
a node – “Marginal” — and !!!
L^AT_EX has a simple way to
do it

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Beamer

What is Beamer?

Beamer is a \LaTeX document class for creating slides for presentations.

It supports pdf \LaTeX , latex+dvips, lua \LaTeX and x \LaTeX .



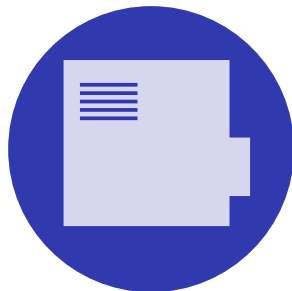
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<https://ctan.org/pkg/beamer>



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Document structure and style

Tricks: overlays, animation, notes

Simplest Beamer document

```
\documentclass{beamer}

\begin{document}
\begin{frame}{Frame title}
  Frame content.
\end{frame}

\end{document}
```

Frame title

Frame content.

Beamer document structure

like in regular document!

```
\documentclass{beamer} % [aspectratio=169] for wider slides!  
% Preamble: encoding, theme, colortheme, title, etc.  
\begin{document}  
  \frame{\titlepage}  
  % N.B.: \frame{\titlepage} is the same as  
  %   \begin{frame} \titlepage \end{frame}  
  
  \section{Section name}  
  \subsection{Subsection name}  
  \begin{frame}{Summary}  
    ...  
  \end{frame}  
  
  \appendix  
  \begin{frame}{References}  
    ...  
  \end{frame}  
\end{document}
```

Title page (Preamble)

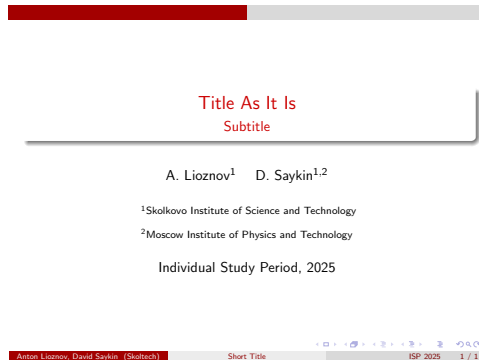
like in regular document!

```
\title[Short Title]{Title As It Is}
\subtitle{Subtitle}

\author[Anton Lioznov, David Saykin]
{A.~Lioznov\inst{1} \and
↪ D.~Saykin\inst{1,2}}

\institute[Skoltech]{
  \inst{1} Skolkovo Institute of Science
  ↪ and Technology
  \and
  \inst{2} Moscow Institute of Physics and
  ↪ Technology}

\date[ISP 2025]{Individual Study Period,
↪ 2025}
```



Built-in themes

```
\usetheme{CambridgeUS}
```

```
\usecolortheme{crane}
```

<https://hartwork.org/beamer-theme-matrix/>

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```
\usetheme{CambridgeUS}
```

```
\usecolortheme{crane}
```

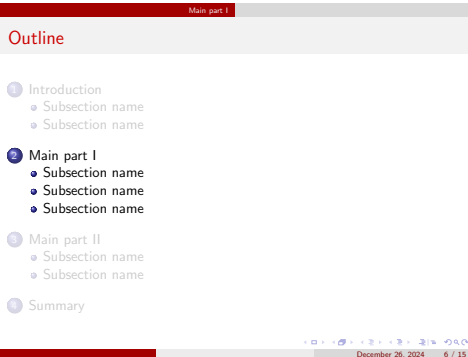
```
https://hartwork.org/beamer-theme-matrix/
```

```
\usefonttheme{structureitalicserif}
```

```
http://deic.uab.es/~iblanes/beamer\_gallery/index\_by\_font.html
```

TOC (`\AtBeginSection[]`)

```
\AtBeginSection[]{  
  \begin{frame}{Outline}  
    \tableofcontents[currentsection]  
  \end{frame}  
}
```



The screenshot shows a presentation slide with a red header bar containing the text "Main part I". Below the header, the word "Outline" is written in red. The main content area lists four items, each with a blue circular icon containing a number: 1. Introduction, 2. Main part I, 3. Main part II, and 4. Summary. Each item has one or two sub-items listed below it, each preceded by a blue dot. The sub-items for "Introduction" and "Main part II" are "Subsection name". The sub-items for "Main part I" are "Subsection name", "Subsection name", and "Subsection name". At the bottom of the slide, there is a red bar and a grey bar containing navigation icons, the date "December 26, 2024", and the page number "6 / 15".

Main part I

Outline

- 1 Introduction
 - Subsection name
 - Subsection name
- 2 Main part I
 - Subsection name
 - Subsection name
 - Subsection name
- 3 Main part II
 - Subsection name
 - Subsection name
- 4 Summary

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Frame: Columns

```
\begin{columns}[t]
  \begin{column}{0.4\textwidth}
    \lipsum[1]
  \end{column}
  \begin{column}{0.1\textwidth}
    \textit{Hello middle!}
  \end{column}
  \begin{column}{0.4\textwidth}
    \lipsum[2]
  \end{column}
\end{columns}
```

([t] for “top” align)

Two column frame

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Ut purus elit, vestibulum ut, placerat ac, adipiscing vitae, felis. Curabitur dictum gravida mauris. Nam arcu libero, nonummy eget, consectetur id, vulputate a, magna. Donec vehicula augue eu neque. Pellentesque habitant morbi tristique senectus et netus et malesuada fames ac turpis egestas. Mauris ut leo. Cras viverra metus rhoncus sem. Nulla et lectus vestibulum

Hello Nam dui ligula, fringilla a, *mid-* euismod sodales, sollicitudin *dle!* vel, wisi. Morbi auctor lorem non justo. Nam lacus libero, pretium at, lobortis vitae, ultricies et, tellus. Donec aliquet, tortor sed accumsan bibendum, erat ligula aliquet magna, vitae ornare odio metus a mi. Morbi ac orci et nisl hendrerit mollis. Suspendisse ut massa. Cras nec ante. Pellentesque a nulla. Cum sociis natoque penatibus et magnis dis parturient montes, nascetur

Colors

L^AT_EX provides several standart colors: red, blue, green,...

```
\textcolor{red}{text}
```

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```
\textcolor{red}{text}
```

There many ways to define new colors, e. g. `\definecolor{orange}{rgb}{1,.5,0}`

```
\definecolor{orange}{RGB}{255,127,0}
```

Colors

Beamer automatically loads `xcolor` package

Somehow popular way to define new colors is by the following rule

color	rgb formula	output
red!30!blue	$.3(1,0,0)+.7(0,0,1)$	example
red!30	$.3(1,0,0)+.7(1,1,1)$	example
red!30!blue!50!green	$.5(\text{red!30!blue})+.5(0,1,0)$	example

Blocks & Header customisation

```
\begin{frame}
  \begin{block}{Title}
    body
  \end{block}

  \setbeamercolor{block
    ↪ title}{bg=blue!90,fg=white}
  \setbeamercolor{block
    ↪ body}{bg=blue!40!,fg=black}

  ↪ \setbeamertemplate{blocks}[rounded][sh
  \begin{block}{Colored title}
    colored body
  \end{block}
\end{frame}
```



Title
body

Colored title
colored body

Appendix

```
\usepackage{appendixnumberbeamer}
\begin{document}
  \frame{Something}

  \appendix
  \section{\appendixname}
  \subsection{Additional materials}

  \frame{\tableofcontents}
\end{document}
```

(notice frame numbers!)

Something

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Appendix	Additional materials	

- 1 Appendix
 - Additional materials

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Bibliography (bibtex)

```
\begin{frame}[allowframebreaks]{References}  
  See \cite{landau}.
```

```
\bibliographystyle{amsalpha}  
\setbeamertemplate{bibliography  
  ↪ item}[text]  
\bibliography{cites}
```

References I

See [LL80].

[LL80] L. D. Landau and E. M. Lifshitz, *The classical theory of fields*, 4 ed., Butterworth-Heinemann, January 1980.

Bibliography (simple)

```
\begin{frame}{References}
\begin{thebibliography}{10}
\beamertemplatebookbibitems
\bibitem{Author1990}
  A.~Author.
  \newblock Handbook of Everything.
\beamertemplatearticlebibitems
\bibitem{Someone2000}
  S.~Someone.
  \newblock On this and that.
  \newblock Journal of This and
  ↪ That, 2(1):50--100, 2000.
\end{thebibliography}
```

References



A. Author.

Handbook of Everything.



S. Someone.

On this and that.

Journal of This and That, 2(1):50–100, 2000.

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Tricks: overlays, animation, notes

Stepwise viewing: `\pause`

The main command to create pauses is `\pause`

Stepwise viewing

Command `\pause`

`\onslide` command tells to show material from the first slide.

Stepwise viewing

Command `\pause` is the simplest way to create an overlay.

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$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^s}, \quad \operatorname{Re} s > 1.$$

`\onslide` command tells to show material from the first slide.

`\onslide<3->` tells to show material from the third slide on.

Stepwise viewing

Command `\pause` is the simplest way to create an overlay.

$$\zeta(s) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^s}, \quad \operatorname{Re} s > 1.$$

`\onslide` command tells to show material from the first slide.

`\onslide<3->` tells to show material from the third slide on.

`\pause` command then leads to the next slide.

Stepwise viewing

Most of the commands are self-explanatory.

`\pause<#>` — following text shown only after slide #

`\onslide<#>` — visible only slide #

`\FromSlide{#}` — equivalent to `\onslide<#->`.

`\only<#>` — visible on particular slides, otherwise absent

`\uncover<#>` — visible on particular slides, otherwise transparent

`\visble<#>` — visible on particular slides, otherwise invisible

`\invisible<#>` — opposite of `\visble<#>`.

Overlays

Overlay specifications can also be written together with some commands like `\textbf`, `\item`, `\color`, `\alert`.

Overlays

Overlay specifications can also be written together with some commands like `\textbf`, `\item`, `\color`, `\alert`.

```
\begin{enumerate}
  \item<1-> Every \alert<3>{thing}
  \item<only@3,4> that has
  \item<2-> beginning
  \item<1,4> has end.
\end{enumerate}
```


Overlays

1. Every thing

4. has end.

Overlays

1. Every thing
3. beginning

Overlays

1. Every **thing**
2. that has
3. beginning

Overlays

1. Every thing
2. that has
3. beginning
4. has end.

Overlays

- Every thing

Overlays

- ▶ Every thing
- ▶ that has

Overlays

- ▶ Every thing
- ▶ that has
- ▶ beginning

Overlays

- ▶ Every thing
- ▶ that has
- ▶ beginning
- ▶ has end.

Animation

- ▶ Every thing
- ▶ that has
- ▶ beginning
- ▶ has end.

Animation

- ▶ Every thing
- ▶ that has
- ▶ beginning
- ▶ has end.

Animation

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Animation

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- ▶ beginning
- ▶ has end.

Animation

- ▶ Every thing
- ▶ that has
- ▶ beginning
- ▶ has end.

Cool, right?

Animation

```
\animate<1-4>  
\begin{itemize}[<+-->]  
  \item Every thing  
  \item that has  
  \item beginning  
  \item has end.  
\end{itemize}
```

Animation

```
\transduration<1-4>{.5}  
\begin{itemize}[<+-->]  
  \item Every thing  
  \item that has  
  \item beginning  
  \item has end.  
\end{itemize}
```

What we have learned today?

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- Useful commands





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references I

color from the footnotes corresponds to references' color.

- ▶ **kn:** Knuth “The T_EXBook”
- ▶ **lv:** L'vovsky “Nabor i verstka v sisteme L_AT_EX”
- ▶ **lamport:** Lamport. “L_AT_EX. A Document Preparation System, User's Guide and Reference Manual”
- ▶ **man:** “L_AT_EX2e: An unofficial reference manual” also at website <https://latexref.xyz/>
- ▶ : <https://tex.stackexchange.com/questions>
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