## **RC Circuit**

 $\tau$  = time constant, amount of time for q to reach 63.2% of  $\varepsilon C$ 

$$q_{\max} = \varepsilon C$$

$$i_{\max} = \frac{\varepsilon}{R}$$

$$\tau = RC$$

## Equations $q=Q_0e^{-t/ au}$

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$$i = \frac{\varepsilon}{R} e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$i=-\frac{Q_0}{\tau}e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$i = I_0 e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$V = V_0 e^{-t/\tau}$$

$$I = \frac{V_0}{R} e^{-t/RC}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Charging} \\ q &= \varepsilon C \big( 1 - e^{-t/\tau} \big) \end{aligned}$$

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$$q = \varepsilon C e^{-t/\tau}$$