

# EECS 16B CSM

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# 1 Differential Equations

## 2 RC Circuits

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- 3rd year majoring in EECS
- took EECS 16B Spring 2020
- Pertinent fact: was in Cory for 4 hours

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- Name
- Pronouns
- Year/Major
- Pertinent fact

# Logistics

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- 2 unexcused absences during the semester
- excused absences: email [bryanngo@berkeley.edu](mailto:bryanngo@berkeley.edu) & [cc.mentors@berkeley.edu](mailto:cc.mentors@berkeley.edu) with subject line [Request for Absence] <course>
- Slides available at <https://github.com/bdngo/16b-csm>



# Expectations

Me to You

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- Be skeptical
- Constant feedback
- Become passionate about 16B

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$$\frac{d}{dt}x(t) = f(x, t) \quad (1)$$

- Focusing on first-order ODEs
- Relates the derivative in other terms
- 3Blue1Brown video

# Exponential Differential Equation

## Homogeneous

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$$\frac{d}{dt}x(t) = \lambda x(t) \implies x(t) = x_0 e^{\lambda t} \quad (2)$$

# Exponential Differential Equation

## Non-Homogeneous

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$$\frac{d}{dt}x(t) = \alpha x(t) + \beta \quad (3)$$

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# RC Circuits

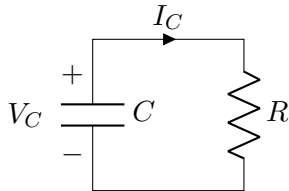
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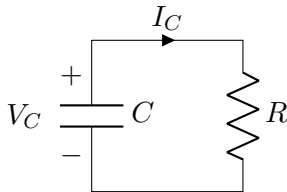
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$$C \frac{d}{dt} V_C = -\frac{V_C}{R} \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} V_C = -\underbrace{\frac{1}{RC}}_{\lambda} V_C \quad (5)$$

$$\Rightarrow V_C(t) = V_0 e^{-\frac{1}{RC}t} = V_0 e^{-\frac{1}{\tau}t} \quad (6)$$