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## Note:

This tutorial draws heavily on print published as well as electronically published work, as well as on things I and others have written that have not been published.

This was originally written as a supplement to my **Introduction to Virology** 7-lecture course to second-year Microbiology major students (MIC202S) in the [Microbiology Department](#) at the [University of Cape Town](#). It now constitutes the basis of a 7-lecture course in introductory microbiology (**MCB2016F**) and a 20-lecture course (**MCB3024S, Defence and Disease**) given to 3rd year students.

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