College of Arts and Sciences Survey Fall08 (2008)

American University of Sharjah College of Arts \& Sciences

| Course: | MTH221 04 - Linear Algebra-04 | Department: | MTH |
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| Responsible <br> Faculty: | Ayman Badawi | Responses / Expected: | $18 / 37$ |



| CAS <br> Course Related Questions |  | Responses |  |  |  |  | Individual |  |  |  |  | MTH |  |  | All |  |  |
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|  |  | SA | A | N | D | SD | N | Mean | Med. | Mode | Std <br> Dev | N | Mean | Pct <br> Rnk | N | Mean | Pct <br> Rnk |
| Q1 | The course was well organised | 11 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 4.2 | 5 | 5 | 1.31 | 1.1K | 4.2 | 58 | 5.5K | 4.2 | 47 |
| Q2 | The course objectives were carefully and clearly defined | 10 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 4.1 | 5 | 5 | 1.32 | 1.1K | 4.2 | 46 | 5.5K | 4.2 | 34 |
| Q3 | The course grading scheme was clearly defined | 10 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 4.2 | 5 | 5 | 1.29 | 1.1K | 4.2 | 54 | 5.5K | 4.2 | 46 |
| Q4 | The textbook(s) and supplemented material were useful to your understanding of the course content | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 17 | 2.8 | 3 | 1 | 1.66 | 1.1K | 4.0 | 1 | 5.5K | 4.0 | 1 |
| Q5 | The assignments and reading material were helpful in improving your understanding of the subject | 6 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 3.9 | 4 | 4 | 1.23 | 1.1K | 4.0 | 36 | 5.5K | 4.1 | 26 |
| Q6 | The classroom interaction helped you learn and understand the material | 9 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 17 | 3.9 | 5 | 5 | 1.47 | 1.1K | 4.0 | 47 | 5.5K | 4.1 | 30 |
| Q7 | The course made you want to learn more about the subject | 6 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 3.5 | 4 | 5 | 1.38 | 1.1K | 3.7 | 42 | 5.5K | 3.9 | 25 |
| Q8 | The course was demanding compared to other courses | 6 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 17 | 3.9 | 4 | 4,5 | 1.13 | 1.1K | 3.8 | 46 | 5.5K | 3.8 | 51 |
| Q9 | The course had high standards compared to other courses | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 17 | 3.9 | 4 | 5 | 1.16 | 1.1K | 3.9 | 59 | 5.5K | 3.8 | 54 |
| Q10 | The course objectives were accomplished | 9 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 4.1 | 5 | 5 | 1.28 | 1.1K | 4.1 | 49 | 5.5K | 4.2 | 40 |
| Q11 | Overall, this course was excellent | 9 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 4.1 | 5 | 5 | 1.30 | 1.1K | 4.0 | 56 | 5.5K | 4.0 | 45 |

Responses: [SA] Strongly Agree=5 [A] Agree=4 [N] Neutral=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1 Pct Rnk: Percentile Rank (100 is best, calculated vs. precise Mean)


|  | The instructor was <br> very effective in <br> helping you <br> understand the <br> course material |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| $\mathbf{Q 1 8}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The instructor <br> demonstrated a <br> thorough knowledge <br> of the subject | 12 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 3}$ | 5 | 5 | 1.32 | $\mathbf{1 . 1 K}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 3}$ | 47 | $\mathbf{5 . 5 K}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 3}$ | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |
| $\mathbf{Q 1 9}$ | Overall, the <br> instructor was <br> excellent | 11 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 1}$ | 5 | 5 | 1.41 | $\mathbf{1 . 1 K}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 2}$ | $\mathbf{4 6}$ | $\mathbf{5 . 5 K}$ | $\mathbf{4 . 2}$ |
| $\mathbf{3 n}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Responses: [SA] Strongly Agree $=5$ [A] Agree $=4$ [ $\mathbf{N}]$ Neutral=3 [D] Disagree=2 [SD] Strongly Disagree=1 Pct Rnk: Percentile Rank (100 is best, calculated vs. precise Mean)

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| Question: | Please enter below any comments on how the course should be improved |
| Response Rate: | No participants responded to this question. (0 of $\mathbf{1 8}$ ) |


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| Question: | Please provide your instructor with helpful suggestions for improving his/her <br> effectiveness |
| Response Rate: | $5.56 \% \quad(\mathbf{1}$ of $\mathbf{1 8})$ |

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The problem with you is your attitude ... is way too harsh .. when a student asks you a question, please answer or at least no need to imbaress the student in front of his/her classmates.

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| Question: | Please enter specific comments, if relevant, on the role that Information <br> Technology plays or could play in this course |
| Response Rate: | No participants responded to this question. (0 of $\mathbf{1 8}$ ) |


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| Question: | Other comments |
| Response Rate: | $\mathbf{5 . 5 6} \% \quad(1$ of $\mathbf{1 8})$ |

1 Great professor -- he knows linear algebra like the back of his hand. Appropriately challenging exams. Overall, the course has been great.

