

Final Evaluation (CTEF) for Keti, Matt MATH 4 DIS 20 (44411), Spring Qtr 2013

Responses: 24/45 (53.33%)

A. Please comment on the following areas and be as specific as possible:

1. What are the instructor's teaching strengths?

- Clear, calm, and comprehensive.
- Extremely helpful and knowledgeable.
- Goes over important problems and explains concepts well.
- great TA
- He goes over the material really well.
- He is extremely good in his area of expertise, and has no trouble explaining or helping students understand concepts.
- He is one of the best math TA's I've ever had at UCI
- He is organized, thoughtful and encourages participation.
- he is patient and explains everything clearly. he is willing to take extra time for students to review.
- He provides great examples.
- He really thoroughly goes over every steps and allow us to ask questions. He is really good, perfect pace too!
- He was a perfect TA, very clear at explaining, writing, helping, etc.
- his explanations of concepts were clear.
- Matt did a good job of going over material from lectures and making sure students got a better understanding of the material. His way of teaching was very efficient because he explained everything step-by-step. He was able to go over an adequate amount of examples to prepare us for quizzes.
- very clear point
- Very smart and willing to teach what needs to be taught
- x
- 7 blank answer(s).

2. How can this instructor improve as a teacher?

- Already a perfect teacher!
- He can be a little faster when it comes to getting his point across
- He is so good! The only things is maybe teaching us only things we need to know, nothing extra.
- He was great, better than the instructor at times.
- Honestly, the best TA I ever had. Did all my evaluations because of him.
- It would have been nice if he was able to go over more examples during review sessions to prepare us for exams. He should make sure all of the problems he gives students are solvable.
- Make the review sessions more in depth.
- n/a
- None. Already exceptional as a teacher.
- nothing he can do, great TA
- x

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- 13 blank answer(s).

3. Any other comments about this course?

- He made this course a lot more understandable and simpler due to his discussions.
- His class is fun and he makes sure we understand before moving forward, love it!
- Matt was very friendly and you can tell he loves what he does
- na
- x
- 19 blank answer(s).

B. Please choose the appropriate rating on the letter grade scale A to F:

'A' indicating an excellent and 'F' indicating a wholly inadequate performance. If you have no opinion on the question asked or if it does not apply, please select NA.

4. The course instructor shows enthusiasm for and is interested in the subject.

A	A-	B+	B	B-	
20	1	1	2	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.88	4.00	0.30			

5. The course instructor stimulates your interest in the subject.

A	A-	B+	B	B-	
18	1	3	2	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.82	4.00	0.34			

6. The course instructor meets stated objectives of the course.

A	A-	B+	B	B-	
18	4	2	0	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.89	4.00	0.21			

7. The course instructor is accessible and responsive.

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A	A-	B+	B	B-	
19	3	1	1	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.89	4.00	0.25			

8. The course instructor creates an open and fair learning environment.

A	A-	B+	B	B-	
20	3	1	0	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.93	4.00	0.16			

9. The course instructor encourages students to think in this course.

A	A-	B+	B	B-	
18	3	3	0	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.88	4.00	0.24			

10. The course instructor's presentations and explanations of concepts were clear.

A	A-	B+	B	B-	
18	5	1	0	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.91	4.00	0.18			

11. Assignments and exams covered important aspects of the course.

A	A-	B+	B	B-	
18	2	4	0	0	
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7	
C+	C	C-	D	F	NA
0	0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.86	4.00	0.26			

12. What overall grade would you give this instructor?

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A	A-	B+	B	B-
19	3	1	1	0
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7
C+	C	C-	D	F
0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0
Mean	Median	Std Dev		
3.89	4.00	0.25		

13. What overall grade would you give this course?

A	A-	B+	B	B-
17	4	1	2	0
Value: 4	Value: 3.7	Value: 3.3	Value: 3	Value: 2.7
C+	C	C-	D	F
0	0	0	0	0
Value: 2.3	Value: 2	Value: 1.7	Value: 1	Value: 0
Mean	Median	Std Dev		
3.84	4.00	0.30		

C. Please answer:

14. Based on completed assignments thus far, what is your current course grade or approximate standing?

A	B	C	D	F	NA
9	9	5	0	0	1
Value: 4	Value: 3	Value: 2	Value: 1	Value: 0	No Value
Mean	Median	Std Dev			
3.17	3.00	0.76			

15. How much academic dishonesty seemed to occur in this course? If applicable, please describe the type of academic dishonesty that occurred (not the particular students involved).

1.

A lot	Some	A little	None I could discern
2	2	3	14

2. Examples:

- During lecture quizzes, some students were whispering.
- kids leaving notebooks on the floor with formulas/examples exposed, during quizzes (in section)
- x
- 21 blank answer(s).

16. How helpful were the textbooks and/or readings to your overall learning experience?

Very	Adequately	Somewhat	Not at all
2	4	13	4

17. How challenging was this course?

Very	Adequately	Somewhat	Not at all
5	11	6	1