

Instructor: **Amjad, Tehmina**
Subject: **CS**
Catalog & Section: **5002 13**
Course ID: **39678**
Objectives:

Enrollment: **30**
Responses Incl Declines: **22**
Declines: **0**

Instructor Related Questions: Tehmina Amjad (27 comments)

Q: What were the strengths of this course and/or this instructor?

- 1 Before beginning the course I thought the math would be almost impossible for me. At the end of the semester I stand at a much better position with math. I'm satisfied with the learning and quality of content and it's applicability to my future.
- 2 I feel like Dr. Amjad did a good job of requesting and integrating feedback from students throughout the semester. She was cordial in all my interactions with her and consistently transparent about her ability to alter her teaching style according to the responses she received.
- 3 The teacher is not familiar enough with the teaching content in the classroom.
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For a professor of science and engineering, making such a mistake on stage is unbelievable. What I mean is not that the professor cannot make mistakes at all, but that the logic of explaining mathematical principles must be smooth, otherwise it is easy to mislead students.
- 4 solving problems at class and at home
- 5 Easy to follow
- 6 the instructor displayed enthusiasm
- 7 Good in class examples and challenging homework assignments.
- 8 Courses and materials are straight forward

Q: What could the instructor do to make this course better?

- 1 The professor would rush during class. Considering all the content was very new to new, the rushing made me anxious and unable to understand the content as well as I could have during the class.
- 2 I feel like Dr. Amjad could do a better job about integrating participation or examples during lectures. The in-class exercises felt like they disrupted the flow of the lecture at some points early on in the semester but to the professor's credit, they were integrated at a better rate as the weeks progressed.

Additionally, I feel like the instructor could have done a better job preparing her presentations before class. There were a few times when students had to point out that a slide contained an error in an example, which is something I honestly think should be caught before giving a lecture. I also think the solutions to homework problems and slide examples could have been made available in a better way.

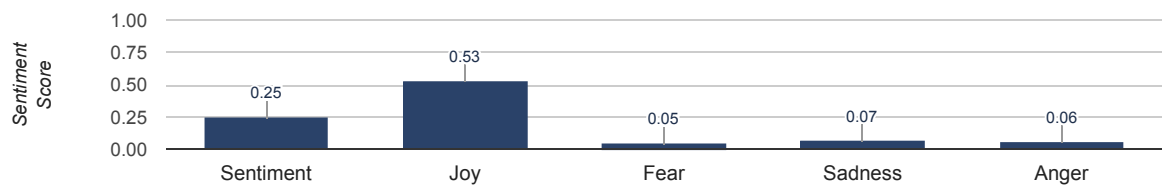
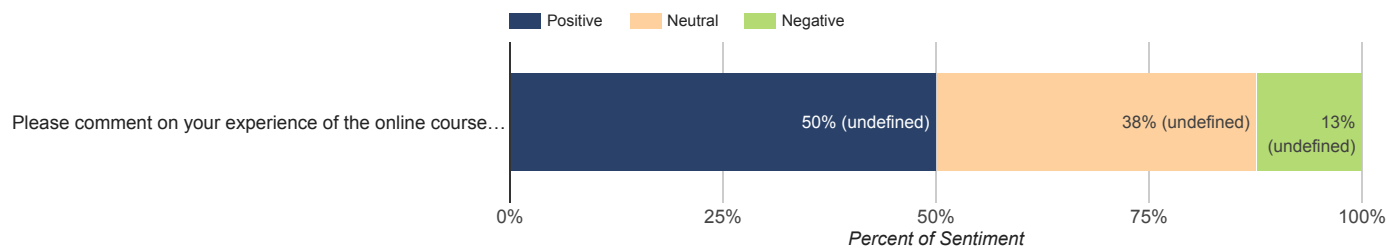
Before our first midterm, some homework solutions were not made available before the exam and there were a few times where lecture slides were uploaded without having written solutions to the examples.
- 3 Prepare lessons in advance
- 4 Think more proactively about the knowledge before she gives lectures
- 5 I acknowledge that it is impossible to know everything, but I would appreciate instruct could answer questions about problems that we were given in class and assignments
- 6 So good so far
- 7 1. slow down the pace
2. come to the class more prepared to answer the student's question instead of saying "i have to look the book"
- 8 Give more example and give us time to execute the problem in class. Also show us the solution and guide us through it.
- 9 make fewer mistakes during class instruction; dismiss the class on time (not early or late); be more organized and prepared for every class content; publish slides and assignments earlier; be more consistent and objective for rubrics.
- 10 I hope instructor can calcute with us instead of just copy from her prepared notes in class
- 11 Unsure. The professor made some positive changes mid-semester.
- 12 Be more prepared with in class materials. Make sure there isn't any mistakes instead of having students correct you. PLEASE POST SOLUTION TO IN CLASS WORK! Doesn't make sense to not share them because you want students to attend classes, and having students to correct in class materials. DO NOT SKIP EXAM REVIEWS WHEN YOU'VE PROMISED JUST BECAUSE YOU WERE "BUSY" AND DIDN'T FEEL LIKE IT! Be more familiar with the material you're teaching. Please review the material you post, I am sick and tired of reaching out multiple times in order for you to post the corrected/complete materials. Get your act together

Q: Please expand on the instructor's strengths and/or areas for improvement in facilitating inclusive learning.

- 1 The professor is very kind and passionate. I think the there are two areas I can suggest improvement in - taking time during lecture and be more generous in sharing helpful materials such as slides with notes and solved questions.
- 2 I feel like Dr. Amjad did a good job making students feel comfortable during the semester in terms of asking questions and suggesting improvements for the course. Although I feel like her preparation could have been better at times and solutions to learning materials could have been made available more promptly. I got the impression that she was always willing to take feedback and get better from it.
- 3 Prepare lessons in advance
- 4 Strength: she was open to changes, taking students feedback into account. And I really appreciate that we were given Mock Exam, it facilitated preparation process. But at the same time, I believe if a student is brave enough to ask a question. It is better if professor answers it, instead of recommending to read a book or document one more time (it creates a feeling that a student is asking stupid questions)
- 5 Instructor is nice
- 6 Unsure.
- 7 Non

Questions to Assess Students' Online Experience (8 comments)

Q: Please comment on your experience of the online course environment in the open-ended text box.



- 1 it was fine, but when an instructor in video takes a while to write something (a set for example), then turns digital page and starts writing it from scratch again, it was driving me crazy. Utilization of copy paste for digital notes could make many videos 2-3 times shorter. ★★★★★
- 2 I can learned a lot from it ★★★★★
- 3 no online session provided ★★★★★
- 4 Professor is extremely nice, however it is really hard to follow her class, and when i ask question it seems that i am bothering her. ★☆☆☆☆
- 5 N/A ★★★★★
- 6 online part is good, instructor preapred a lot of useful materials for us ★★★★★
- 7 N/A ★★★★★
- 8 Good ★★★★★

Student Self-Assessment of their Effort to Achieve Course Outcomes (7 comments)

Q: What I could have done to make this course better for myself.

- 1 Be more thorough in my course readings. I feel like the homework and exam questions aligned pretty fairly with the textbook material.
- 2 register to a different professor, but it wasn't possible
- 3 Do more pratices
- 4 Solve more exercise together.
- 5 finish more exercises on the book instead of only finishing the homework
- 6 Spent 1-2 more hours a week.
- 7 Taking another lecturer given the chance