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Feedback of McStas Course at CSNS

(It's anonymous, but you can also write down your name and affiliation)

- 1) A question of how useful the McStas course was in general, e.g. on a 0-100% scale

100%

- 2) Was any material irrelevant to you? And in that case what percentage on a 0-100% scale

0%

Users lacking programming experience might find it a bit difficult to ~~too~~ follow.

- 3) A question of the level of material, was anything too easy, was anything too complicated? (Open feedback, text reply to allow indicating e.g. a topic)

✓

- 4) Was the learning-curve right? Did we progress too steeply or the opposite?

Fine to me.

Sometimes there is a slight speedbump, such as the "GROUP" key word being used a few times before its formal introduction.

- 5) Was the documentation sufficient? In the McStas software? In the manuals? In the components? In the exercise materials?

Yes - I was able to find the answers I needed in the PDF manual.

6) Was language an issue? Was the level of English right, too naïve or too complex?

No.

7) Were the lecturers welcoming and friendly enough?

Yes.

8) Do you think you will be able to continue your work with McStas on your own?

Extremely likely. I should be able to at least do most of the initial construction by myself.

9) Do you know which colleagues to ask for help in the future?

Yes.

10) Would you be interested in participating in yet another McStas school at CSNS?

Yes, assuming we'll cover other topics.

11) Would you be willing to present your own future McStas work in a user workshop on McStas?

Yes, if I have anything worth mentioning!

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100% useful!

- 2) Was any material irrelevant to you? And in that case what percentage on a 0-100% scale

All relevant. But for now, inelastic scattering might not be my major concern.

- 3) A question of the level of material, was anything too easy, was anything too complicated? (Open feedback, text reply to allow indicating e.g. a topic)

OK, acceptable. But it would be much more helpful if an example of how to design and optimize a beamline can be shown from beginning to end.

- 4) Was the learning-curve right? Did we progress too steeply or the opposite?

OK. But I might need more practice on guide optimization.

- 5) Was the documentation sufficient? In the McStas software? In the manuals? In the components? In the exercise materials?

Yes. It would be better if more examples can be included in the package, e.g. thin films.

6) Was language an issue? Was the level of English right, too naïve or too complex?

No, but can be louder. 😊

7) Were the lecturers welcoming and friendly enough?

Yes.

8) Do you think you will be able to continue your work with McStas on your own?

Almost. Might have to read more docs.

9) Do you know which colleagues to ask for help in the future?

Yes.

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Yes.

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110%.

- 2) Was any material irrelevant to you? And in that case what percentage on a 0-100% scale

Many different functions for using McStas, but not too much. Learn a lot from new functions for McStas.

- 3) A question of the level of material, was anything too easy, was anything too complicated? (Open feedback, text reply to allow indicating e.g. a topic)

Some material may take time to understand, but it's reasonable since we still need to think that after courses.

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It's good that we start from easy things to hard things.

- 5) Was the documentation sufficient? In the McStas software? In the manuals? In the components? In the exercise materials?

Sometimes I may not find the keyword or the meaning of function for a specific code. ~~It~~ ~~may~~ It will be better to have a Keyword lab, for just searching the functions

6) Was language an issue? Was the level of English right, too naïve or too complex?

Not an issue for me.

7) Were the lecturers welcoming and friendly enough?

of course.

8) Do you think you will be able to continue your work with McStas on your own?

Some work still will be, and for neutron Society
this is ^a really useful software.

9) Do you know which colleagues to ask for help in the future?

Yes.

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Yes.

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Answer: 100% definitely.

- 2) Was any material irrelevant to you? And in that case what percentage on a 0-100% scale

10%

- 3) A question of the level of material, was anything too easy, was anything too complicated? (Open feedback, text reply to allow indicating e.g. a topic)

I think the course is appropriate, at least for me.

- 4) Was the learning-curve right? Did we progress too steeply or the opposite?

Yes, the learning-curve is very well.

- 5) Was the documentation sufficient? In the McStas software? In the manuals? In the components? In the exercise materials?

Sure. I think the documentation is ~~good~~ good enough. However, for some parts like the algorithm, adding more text to explain it clearly maybe better for us to understand.

6) Was language an issue? Was the level of English right, too naïve or too complex?

The English is quite understandable.

7) Were the lecturers welcoming and friendly enough?

Sure, definitely.

8) Do you think you will be able to continue your work with McStas on your own?

Yes, of course.

9) Do you know which colleagues to ask for help in the future?

Yes. Actually. I've already joined the mail-list of McStas group.

10) Would you be interested in participating in yet another McStas school at CSNS?

Sure, for ~~further~~ further study.

11) Would you be willing to present your own future McStas work in a user workshop on McStas?

Maybe my work can't reach that level. However, I believe I'll use McStas ~~for~~ in my study to make a lot of work.

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Very useful, 100%

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everything is relevant to me. So this percentage is 0%

- 3) A question of the level of material, was anything too easy, was anything too complicated? (Open feedback, text reply to allow indicating e.g. a topic)

In total, the structures of the lectures are quite reasonable. From source to advanced options of ~~MC~~MCSTAS, the difficulties is reasonably increasing.

- 4) Was the learning-curve right? Did we progress too steeply or the opposite?

It is perfect.

I think it is just good enough for me to start, although for my final destination, there is still a long way to go, it is a good start.

- 5) Was the documentation sufficient? In the McStas software? In the manuals? In the components? In the exercise materials?

The documentation are sufficient.

6) Was language an issue? Was the level of English right, too naïve or too complex?

It is all right.

7) Were the lecturers welcoming and friendly enough?

Yes, they are welcoming

8) Do you think you will be able to continue your work with McStas on your own?

I guess so. although deep understanding of the parameters are needed.

9) Do you know which colleagues to ask for help in the future?

Yes. maybe I will email you. :)

10) Would you be interested in participating in yet another McStas school at CSNS?

Yes. after self-training. I think I will find more questions and another McStas school is good for me to deep understand McStas

11) Would you be willing to present your own future McStas work in a user workshop on McStas?

Sure. if I achieve something by McStas.

I am glad to share and communicate with other colleagues.