

# Lin, Yue (POLSCI 3 DIS 103 Introduction to Empirical Analysis and Quantitative Methods (EVAL FOR GSI)) - Spring 2023 (Instructor Version)

Project Title: **Spring 2023 Evaluations**

Courses Audience: **27**

Responses Received: **11**

Response Ratio: **40.74%**

## Subject Details

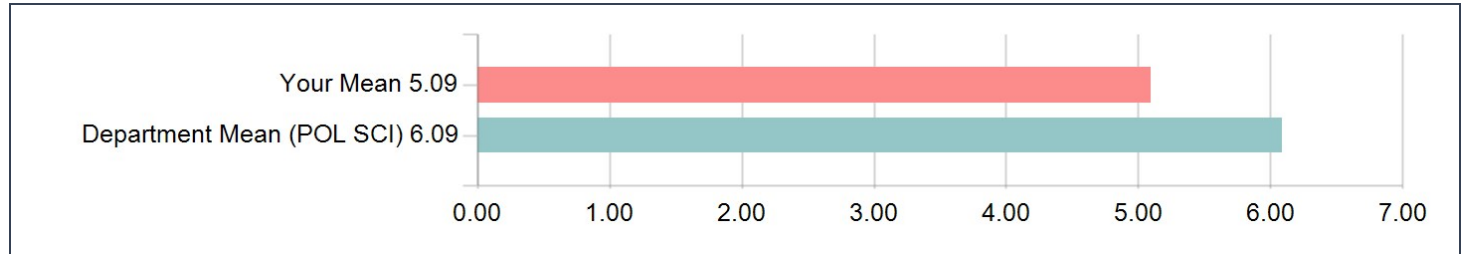
Name	POLSCI 3 DIS 103 Introduction to Empirical Analysis and Quantitative Methods (EVAL FOR GSI)
DEPT_NAME	POLSCI
DEPT_FORM	POL SCI
EVALUATION_TYPE	G
First Name	Yue
Last Name	Lin

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: Please note that "Department Mean" for each rating question is calculated using all sections in your department. This may include both Faculty and GSIs depending on whether the department has selected a question item to be used for both.

## UNIVERSITY WIDE QUESTIONS (QUANTITATIVE/RATING):

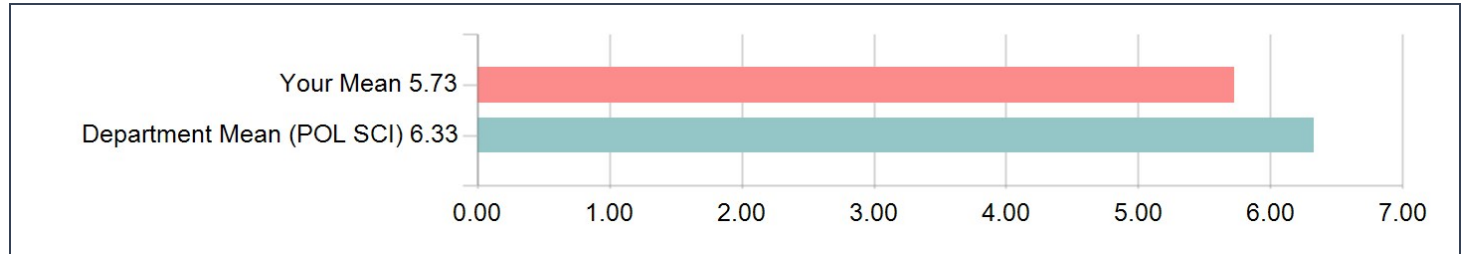
*The items in this section are asked across all courses at Berkeley.*

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3-Disagree Somewhat	2	18.18%
4-Neutral (neither agree nor disagree)	1	9.09%
5-Agree Somewhat	5	45.45%
6-Agree	0	0.00%
7-Strongly agree	3	27.27%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	11	
Mean	5.09	
Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	1.45	

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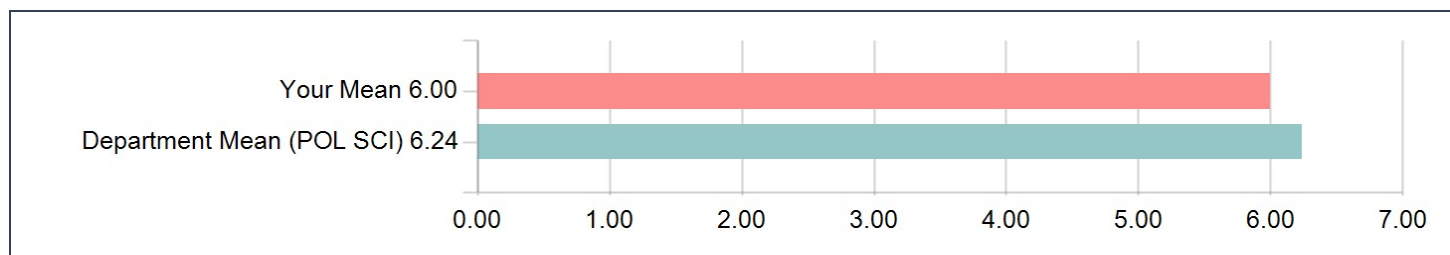
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6-Agree	3	27.27%
7-Strongly agree	4	36.36%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		11
Mean		5.73
Median		6.00
Standard Deviation		1.35

## DEPARTMENT PROVIDED INSTRUCTOR QUESTIONS:

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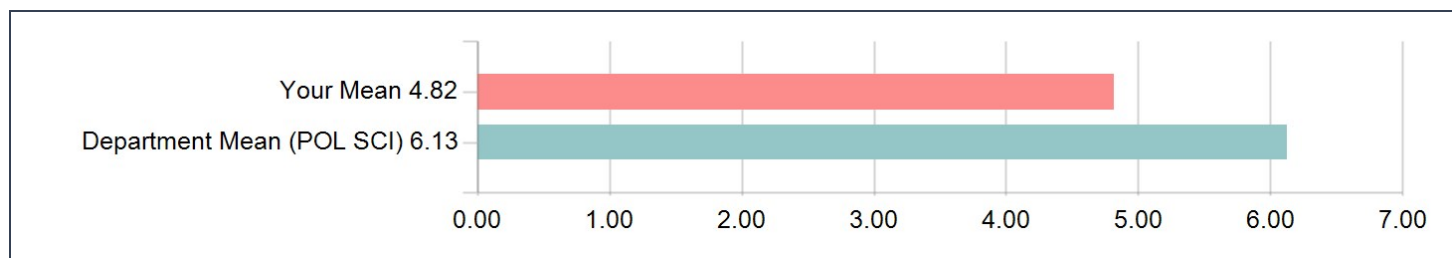
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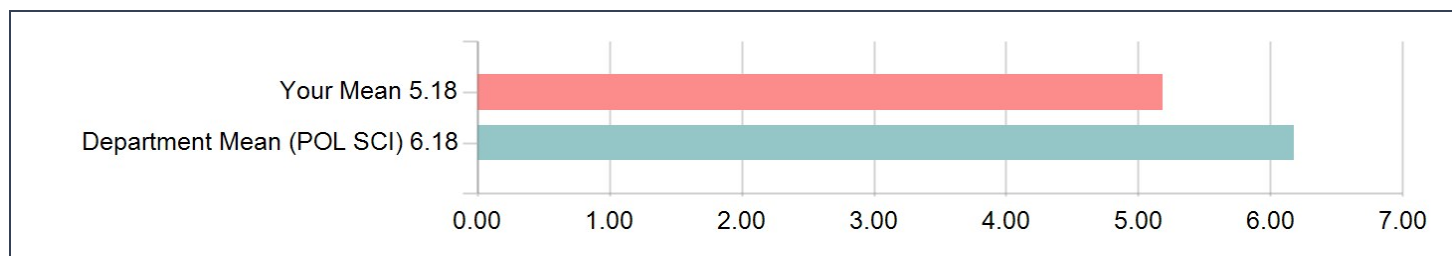
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1-Not at all	0	0.00%
2	0	0.00%
3	0	0.00%
4-Somewhat	1	9.09%
5	2	18.18%
6	4	36.36%
7-Very	4	36.36%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		11
Mean		6.00
Median		6.00
Standard Deviation		1.00

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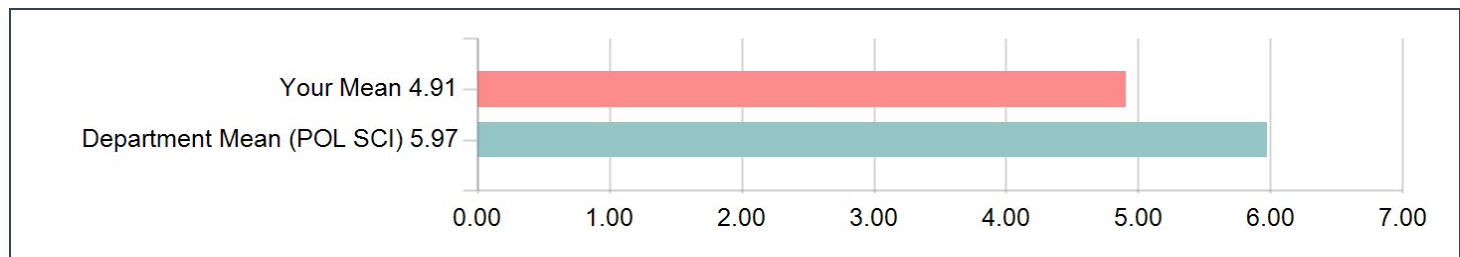
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2	0	0.00%
3	2	18.18%
4-Somewhat	3	27.27%
5	3	27.27%
6	1	9.09%
7-Very	2	18.18%
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Response Count		11
Mean		4.82
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		1.40

### The instructor was helpful when I had difficulties or questions.



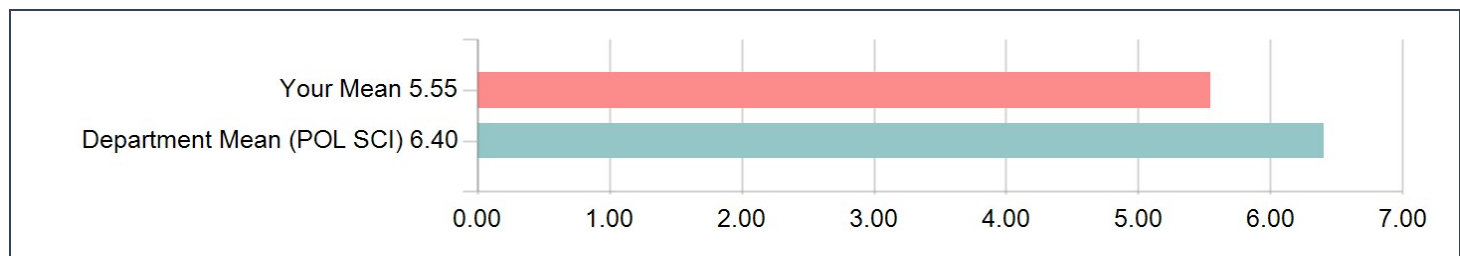
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Response Count		11
Mean		5.18
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		1.33

### The instructor provided clear constructive feedback.



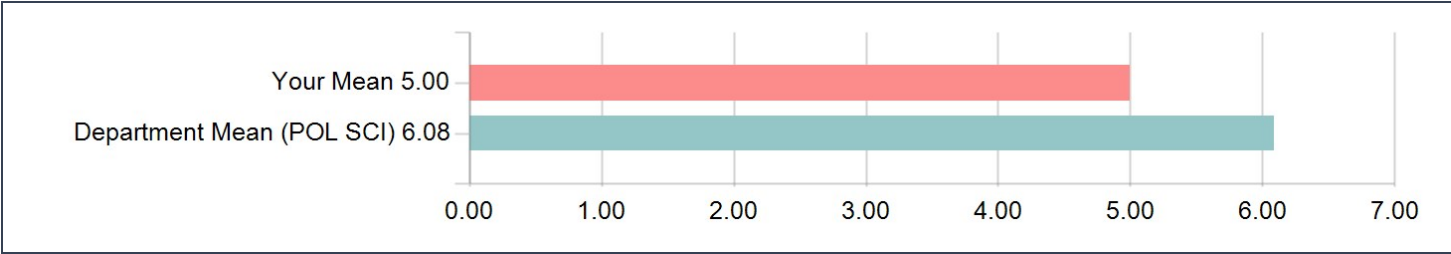
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5	2	18.18%
6	2	18.18%
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Statistics	Value	
Response Count	11	
Mean	4.91	
Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	1.45	

### The instructor encouraged student questions and participation.



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2	0	0.00%
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5	2	18.18%
6	3	27.27%
7-Very	3	27.27%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	11	
Mean	5.55	
Median	6.00	
Standard Deviation	1.21	

Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and the course, how would you rate the overall effectiveness of this graduate student instructor?



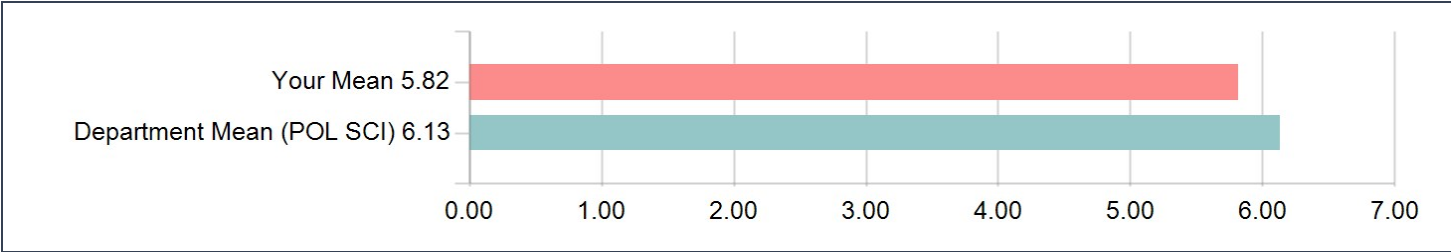
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Options	Count	Percentage
1-Not at all Effective	0	0.00%
2	0	0.00%
3	3	27.27%
4-Moderately Effective	1	9.09%
5	2	18.18%
6	3	27.27%
7-Extremely Effective	2	18.18%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	11	
Mean	5.00	
Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	1.55	

DEPARTMENT PROVIDED COURSE QUESTIONS:

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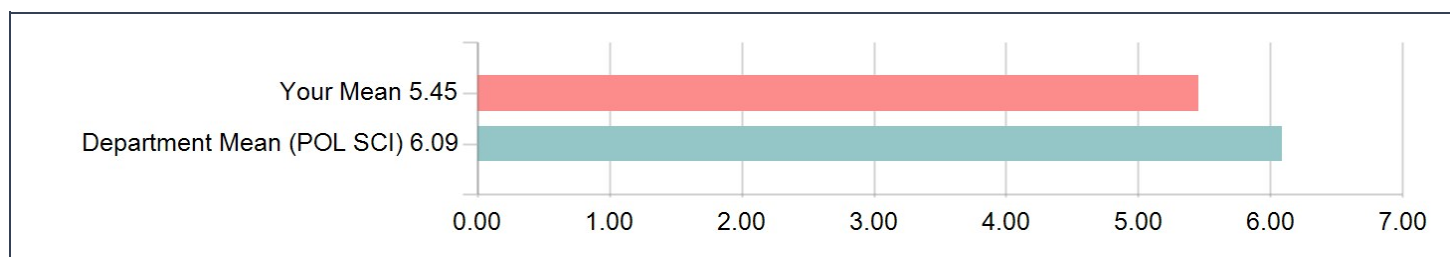
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Standard Deviation	0.98	

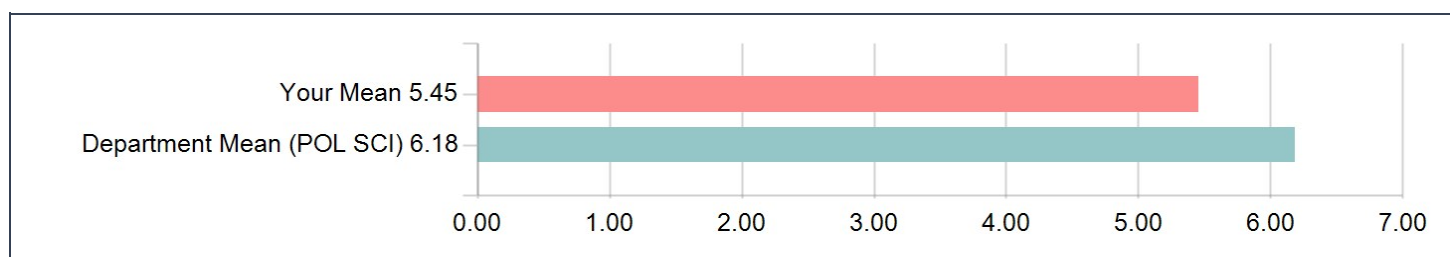
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7-Very	4	36.36%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	11	
Mean	5.45	
Median	6.00	
Standard Deviation	1.92	

### The course developed my ability to think critically about the subject.



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1-Not at all	1	9.09%
2	0	0.00%
3	1	9.09%
4-Somewhat	0	0.00%
5	1	9.09%
6	5	45.45%
7-Very	3	27.27%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		11
Mean		5.45
Median		6.00
Standard Deviation		1.86

**Please identify what you consider to be the strengths of the course (or section).**

#### Comments

The strengths of this course would be how the material was taught and how organized class was.

Sections had power points and opportunities to code in class

Great explanation and in-class exercises to learn and solidify material

I think that section was very well organized and made asking questions very easy/accessible

She was always punctual and she frequently asked if students had questions. She was always willing to try to help students.

Each section was very organized and straight to the point. Yue was really helpful and kind during office hours.

**Please identify area(s) where you think the course could be improved.**

#### Comments

This course could be more engaging. I would often lose focus because the material wasn't that interesting.

I truly did not learn anything from this course as the content moved very quickly and at times it felt as though asking a question about a code I would just be asked questions back asking me to explain concepts I did not know fully. The context while moving quick was also extremely boring and I do not see myself using any of it later on.

Great course!

I think section could be taught in a more interactive way that helps learning instead of passively going through another gsi's slides

I think that breaking down concepts learned in lecture instead of having slides/lecturing would help increase understanding

A lot of times she did not understand my question properly so she did not give an informative answer. I felt like I was asking clear questions but I was not getting clear/helpful answers. This was frustrating and deterred me from asking further questions. Also, she was not very gentle when telling students who answered a question in class that they were wrong when they were, which I imagine also deterred students from wanting to answer questions. She was blunt and didn't point out if parts of the person's answer were correct or if they were on the right track. It was pretty much just a "no, that's not correct".

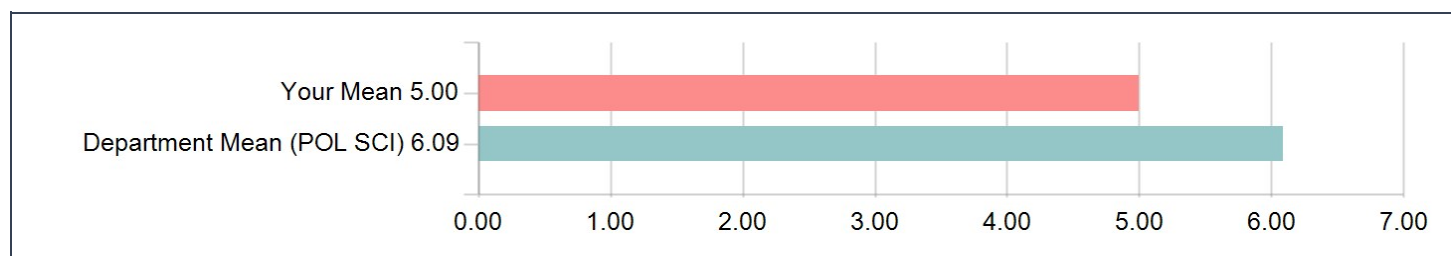
NA



## What advice would you give to another student who is considering taking this course?

Comments
I would advise them to truly ask questions when needed.
ask questions the minute you do not understand something as I wish I did that then maybe I would've gained more knowledge and been able to effectively learn.
Go to office hours! Very helpful and kind GSI.
I would advise them to ask questions when they need help as office hours are helpful
If you think you may struggle with the material, choose a different GSI.
NA

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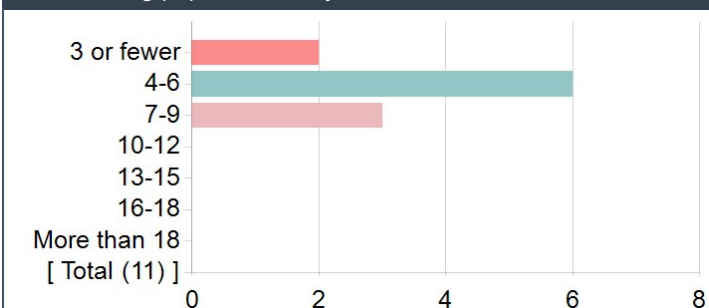
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Response Count		11
Mean		5.00
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		1.84

## DEPARTMENT PROVIDED STUDENT INFORMATION QUESTIONS

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**On average, how many hours per week have you spent on this course, including attending classes, doing readings, reviewing notes, writing papers, and any other course-related work?**

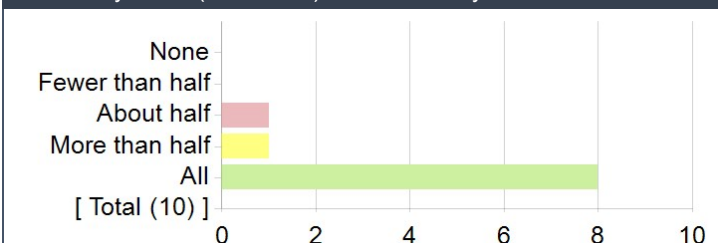
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7-9	3	27.27%
10-12	0	0.00%
13-15	0	0.00%
16-18	0	0.00%
More than 18	0	0.00%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	11	

**How many class (or section) sessions did you attend?**

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None	0	0.00%
Fewer than half	0	0.00%
About half	1	10.00%
More than half	1	10.00%
All	8	80.00%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	10	

How satisfied were you with your effort in this course (or section)?

