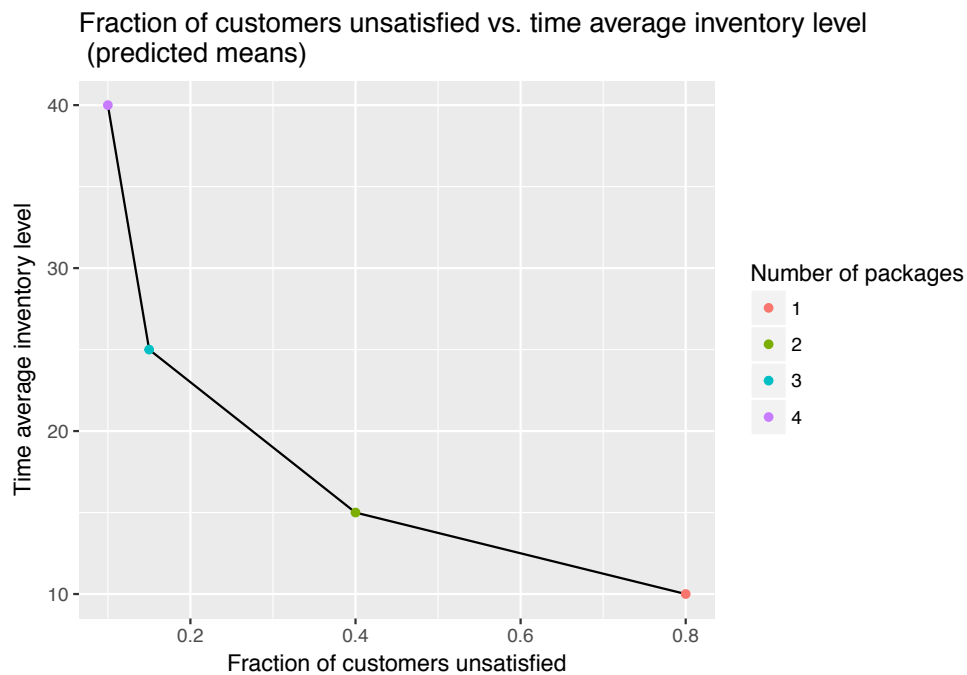# Project 2 – Feedback

0   How I graded your assignments

- Similar process to Projects 0 and 1.

- I read the PDF file you submitted. I did <u>not</u> use your code to generate a report.

- See last page for rubric.

- Remember that my comments (in particular, my marks directly on your report) are <u>not</u> comprehensive. Consider carefully how they may apply to other parts of your writing.

1   Comments to the class

- For the most part, your reports were well-written, had a professional tone, cleanly presented the results of your simulations, and made reasonable conclusions. Good job.

- When demonstrating the tradeoff between two performance measures, it can be useful to plot the performance measures against each other, like this:

Fraction of customers unsatisfied vs. time average inventory level (predicted means)

- I sent an example of how to construct this kind of graph by e-mail a few weeks ago
- I have now posted this example on the course website as well, under Lesson 12

- Before you write the report for your final project, review all of the lessons, the feedback to the class, and your individual feedback for guidance on writing your report. Incorporate all of this guidance into your report.

Grading rubric

	Exemplary (10)	Satisfactory (8)	Unsatisfactory (4)	Weight
Organization / Focus	Paper has a clear focus and is clearly organized so that the reader knows where they are in the narrative / analysis	Organization is there, but sometimes focus is unclear	Incoherent	1
Style / Tone	Appropriate for an academic journal or professional memo	Appropriate for a student paper	Too informal, too many superlatives, too wordy, imprecise	1
Grammar / Punctuation / Spelling / Formatting	No detected errors	A few minor errors	Distracting	1
Appropriate use of technical language	All technical language is used correctly	Technical language is used correctly, for the most part	Technical language is consistently incorrect or imprecise	1
Presentation of results	Results are clearly presented with any tables explained and referenced	Results are presented and described correctly, for the most part	Results are poorly presented or not presented at all	2
Interpretation of results / Conclusions	All conclusions are correct and supported by the results presented; caveats are discussed as appropriate	Key conclusions are correct and supported by the results presented	At least one key conclusion is incorrect or missing	2
Total				80 points