

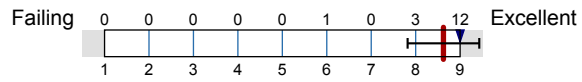


B. LIN
Evaluation of Instruction Program Report
 16S: MATH 33A DIS 2C: LINEAR ALGEBRA&APPLS
 No. of responses = 18
 Enrollment = 33
 Response Rate = 54.55%

Survey Results

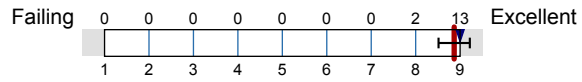
1. UCLA Department of Mathematics:

1.1) How would you rate your TA as an effective teacher?



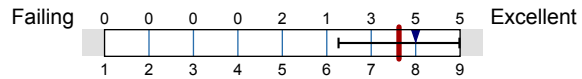
n=16
 av.=8.63
 md=9
 dev.=0.81
 ab.=2

1.2) How would you rate the availability and helpfulness of your TA outside of the classroom?



n=15
 av.=8.87
 md=9
 dev.=0.35
 ab.=3

1.3) What is your rating of this course independent of the effectiveness of the TA?



n=16
 av.=7.63
 md=8
 dev.=1.36
 ab.=2

Profile

Subunit: MATH
 Name of the instructor: B. LIN
 Name of the course: 16S: MATH 33A DIS 2C: LINEAR ALGBRA&APPLS
 (Name of the survey)

Values used in the profile line: Mean

1. UCLA Department of Mathematics:

1.1) How would you rate your TA as an effective teacher?	Failing		Excellent	n=16	av.=8.63
1.2) How would you rate the availability and helpfulness of your TA outside of the classroom?	Failing		Excellent	n=15	av.=8.87
1.3) What is your rating of this course independent of the effectiveness of the TA?	Failing		Excellent	n=16	av.=7.63

Comments Report

2. Comments:

- ^{2.1)} Please use the space provided for any comments you wish to make which are pertinent to the educational process. These may include all aspects of the course: teaching, examinations, grading, textbook, etc.
- AWESOME TA! A great sense of humor, super effective, and always willing to help. I learned more from discussion than lectures.
 - Bon Soon always brings so much energy to discussion. He is a great TA and is able to cover lots of information within the 1 hour we meet with him a week. If I ever missed a lecture, going to discussion would make up for it.
 - Bon-Soon is a phenomenal TA. He is by far the most caring TA I have had thus far in my college experience. He is very invested in student learning. He would hold office hours for as long as students needed them to be, often staying up to two hours after the typical one hour office hour ended. He also holds review sessions. His discussion sessions are extremely helpful. In fact, his discussion sessions are so helpful, it's possible for a student to only attend discussion and learn enough to do fairly well in the course. Bon-Soon invested a lot of time and energy into student learning, and I, as a student, am extremely grateful. He checks in with students in terms of course understanding as well as personal matters if a student is very stressed. Between the professor and TA's effectiveness, Linear Algebra was a great experience for me. I have struggled in Math courses thus far in college due to a variety of factors, but by having a professor and TA who invested so much time and energy into student learning, it really changed my outlook on continuing in the Math major. I feel more confident in my ability to continue. Linear Algebra is a very interesting type of Math, and the professor and TA only made Linear Algebra more enjoyable to learn.
 - Bon-soon's teaching is very enthusiastic. He often teaches his sections lessons in advance but in a more simplistic way. When we reach that lesson in lecture, we already have a brief understanding of it and it makes the concept much less confusing. He has an infectious passion for this subject and truly wants his students to learn. Overall he is a really great TA.
 - Bonsoon is an absolute god amongst men, and I'm not joking. He is so clear, so precise and so passionate. He taught a week's worth of material during each section and he did so in a way that was far superior than our professor did with 3x as much lecture time. Bonsoon needs to be a lower division lecturer of some sort. He is definitely the best math TA i've had and I would not have made it through this quarter without him.
 - Bonsoon is an excellent TA and expands on ideas that help and aide us through the Linear Algebra. His lectures are engaging and often times are more clear and concise than that of the professor's. However, sometimes I feel that more things could be covered in discussion section and that sometimes it goes kind of slowly. But besides that he is an amazing TA.
 - Bonsoon is one of the most amazing TA's. He had office hours everyday and was very helpful. Discussion was always filled with examples and helpful tips to go about problems. He explained all topics in a very clear way. Made learning fun!
 - Far and away the best TA I have ever had. He had a great energy and always made sure to fill every moment of time we had with helpful information. Excellent job expanding on the content covered in lectures.
 - Hands down the BEST TA I have ever had. Bonsoon loves math and that makes him such a wonderful TA because he enjoys teaching it! He is incredibly committed to helping his students. Holds so many office hours and I went to almost all of them because I learned so much from being there. He is very knowledgable and is great at explaining concepts as well as doing example problems to help you better

understand. He is completely dedicated in helping students succeed. Thank you so much for getting me through this class, you were such a wonderful TA to have! Thank you!!!

- I can say in all honesty that Bon-Soon is the best TA I've ever had in my two years here. He teaches much better than the professor, and the things I learned about linear algebra were learned through his discussion and office hours. I've also never had a TA open his office five days a week. Bon-Soon's helpfulness encouraged me to learn, and now I genuinely love studying math again. He truly has a natural gift for teaching!
- Lin is really funny and makes learning a joy. He extended his office hours (which he does very often for his students) and addressed my questions beyond the course with 0% annoyance and 100% enthusiasm for the subject :)
- Lin writes on the chalkboard very quickly and also speaks very quickly. This is good for covering a wide variety of topics in the narrow time frame he is given, but it can be hard to digest all of the information. It is still better than him going at a slow pace and not covering much, though.
- This TA was definitely the best I've had at my time at UCLA. He was a fantastic teacher who was very enthusiastic about what he was teaching and extremely captivating. His ability to fit so many topics into a fifty minute discussion was impressive and I would say I learned more material in his once-a-week discussion than I did in lecture.