Arts and Sciences Student Course Opinion Questionnaire (Fall 2023) Completed

☐ Fall Semester 2023 / Student Course Evaluation (End of Term) / Anonymous Survey

Course Assignments: 1313 / Survey Participants: 22094

Schedule: 12/4/2023 to 12/15/2023

Results Available: 1/5/2024



This survey completed on Friday, December 15, 2023 at 11:59PM.

Institution: University of Rochester

College: School of Arts and Sciences

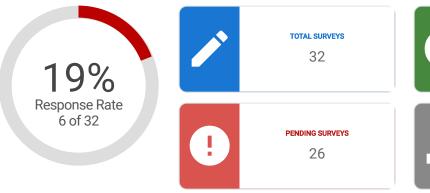
Department: Mathematics

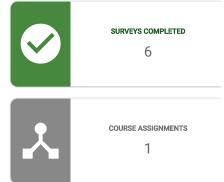
Course Section: MATH 235 01 Linear Algebra

Course Section Director: 🚨 NA

Instructor: Sergio Chaves

Il Survey Overview: Course Section Results Aggregate



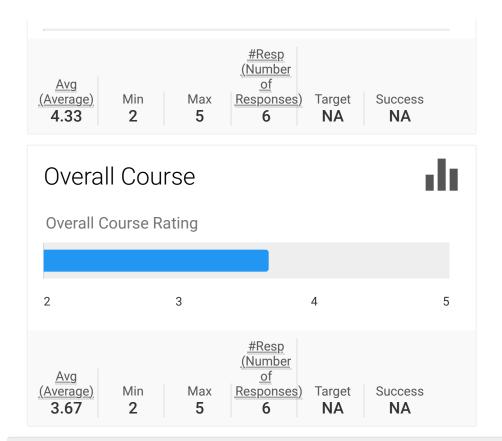


Il Survey Metrics: Course Section Results Aggregate

Overall Instructor

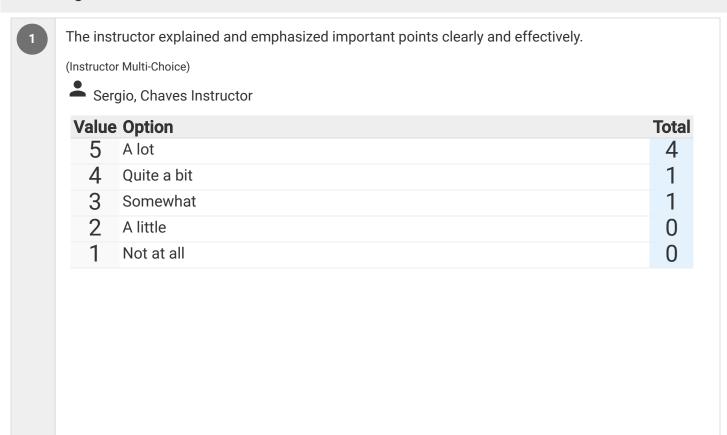
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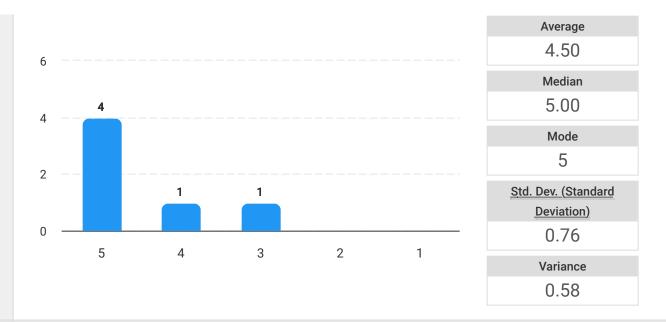
Overall Instructor Rating



Il Survey Data: Course Section Results Aggregate

Teaching Skills



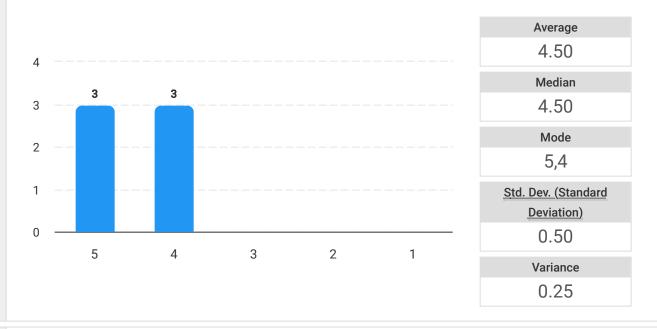


The instructor used examples that helped with understanding the material.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

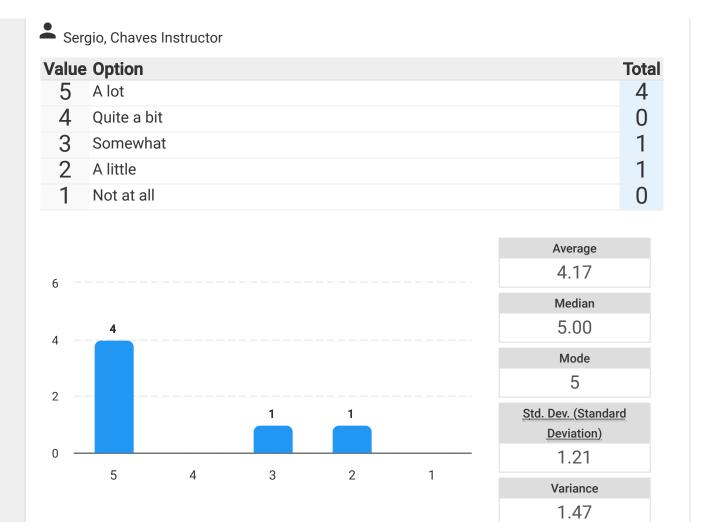
Sergio, Chaves Instructor

Value	Value Option	
5	A lot	3
4	Quite a bit	3
3	Somewhat	0
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	0



The instructor noticed when students did not understand and adjusted accordingly.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)



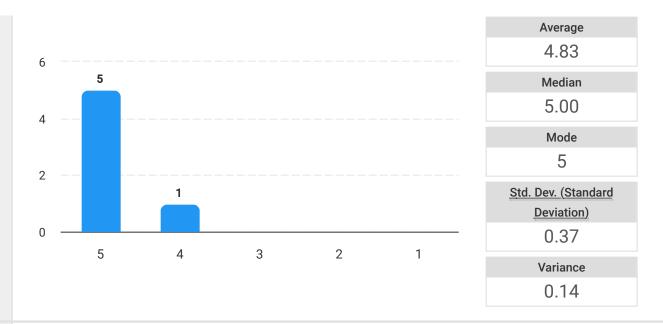
Rapport with Students

The instructor demonstrated sincere respect for students.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

Sergio, Chaves Instructor

Value	Value Option	
5	A lot	5
4	Quite a bit	1
3	Somewhat	0
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	0

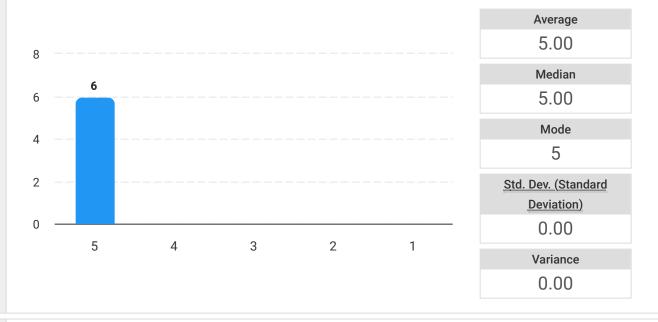


The instructor was willing to listen to student questions and/or opinions.

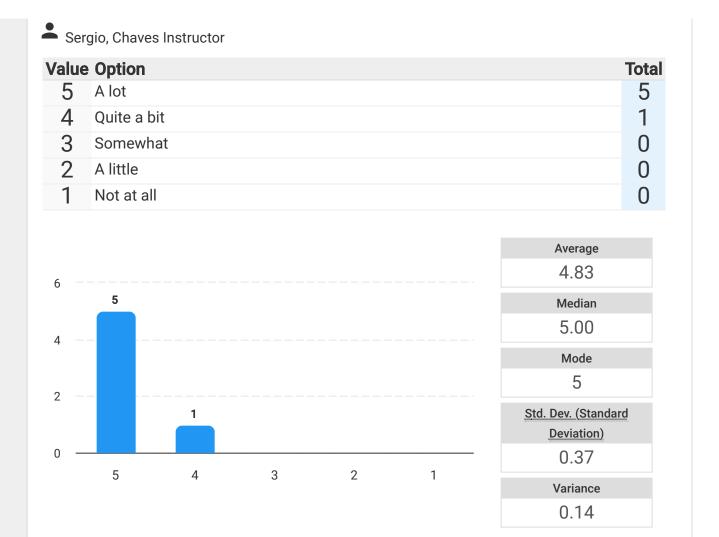
(Instructor Multi-Choice)

Sergio, Chaves Instructor

Value	Value Option	
5	A lot	6
4	Quite a bit	0
3	Somewhat	0
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	0



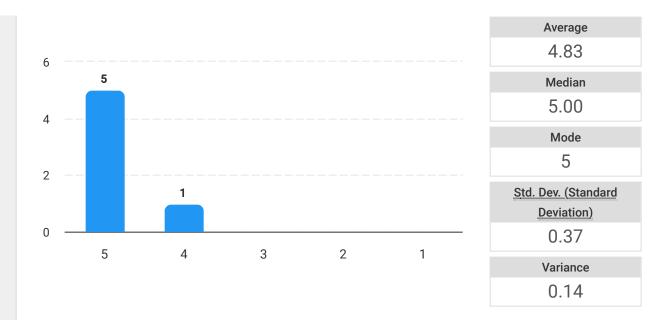
The instructor made himself/herself available for extra help. (Instructor Multi-Choice)



Quality of exams/assignments

The exams/assignments covered important aspects of the course.

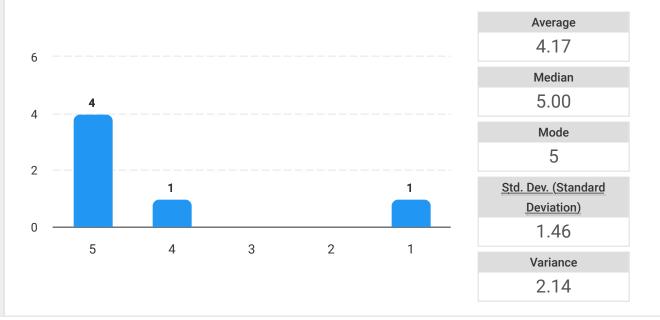
Value	Value Option	
5	A lot	5
4	Quite a bit	1
3	Somewhat	0
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	0



The assignments were helpful in understanding the material.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

Value	Value Option	
5	A lot	4
4	Quite a bit	1
3	Somewhat	0
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	1



The exams/assignments were clearly worded.

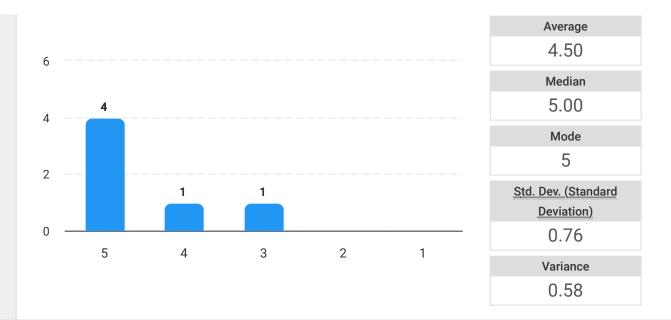
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5	A lot						4
4	Quite a b	it					1
3	Somewh	at					0
2	A little						0
1	Not at all						1
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Course Organization

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Lectures / class discussions were well organized or well managed.

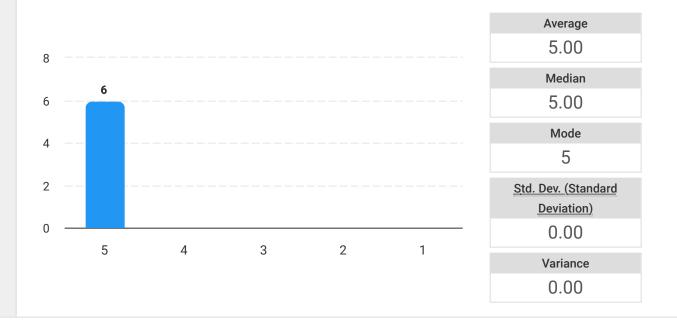
Value	Value Option	
5	A lot	4
4	Quite a bit	1
3	Somewhat	1
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	0



Classes tended to stay appropriately on topic. 11

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

Value	Value Option	
5	A lot	6
4	Quite a bit	0
3	Somewhat	0
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	0



The instructor tended to be well prepared for class.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

Sergio, Chaves Instructor

	Option						Tota
5	A lot						4
4	Quite a bi	t					2
3	Somewha	at					0
2	A little						0
1	Not at all						0
						Average	
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Academic Honesty

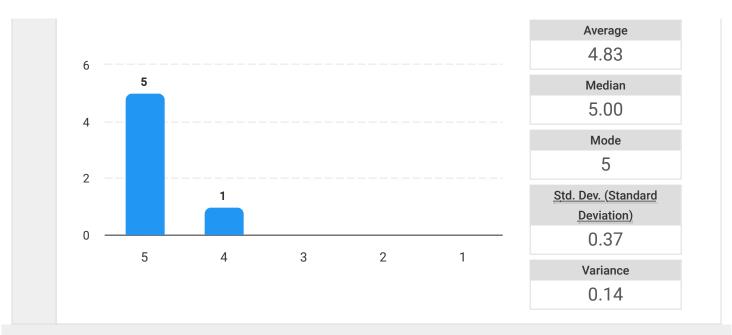
The instructor provided clear academic honesty guidelines for this course.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

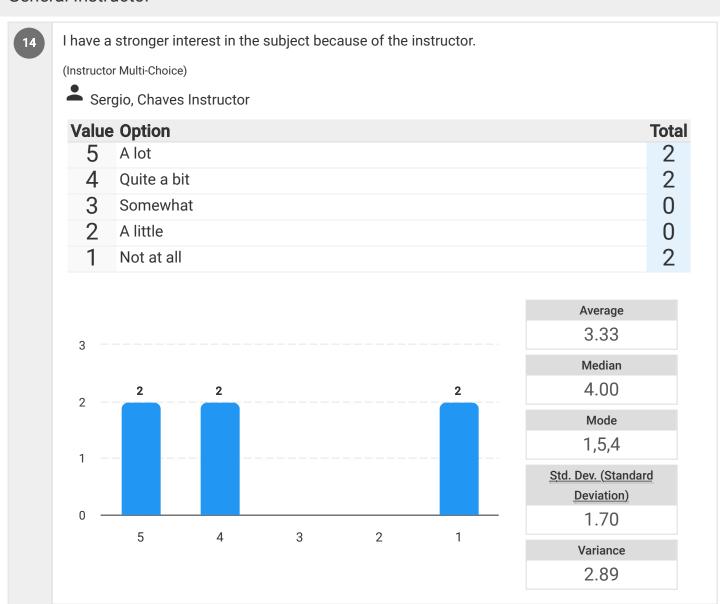


Sergio, Chaves Instructor

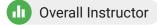
Value	Value Option	
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4	Quite a bit	1
3	Somewhat	0
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1	Not at all	0



General Instructor

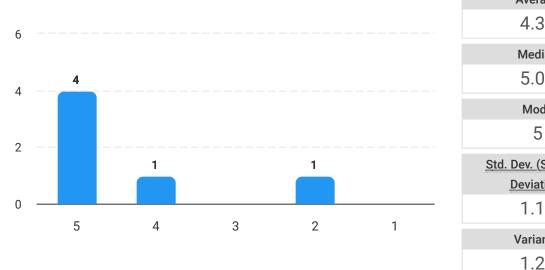


(Instructor Multi-Choice)





Value	Value Option	
5	Excellent	4
4	Very good	1
3	Average	0
2	Not very good	1
1	Very poor	0



Average 4.33 Median 5.00 Mode Std. Dev. (Standard Deviation) 1.11 Variance 1.22

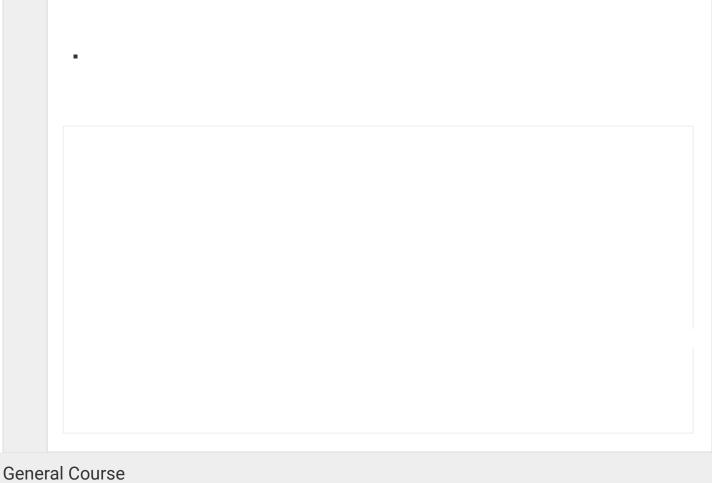
Comments on INSTRUCTOR: 16

(Instructor Text/Memo)



Sergio, Chaves Instructor

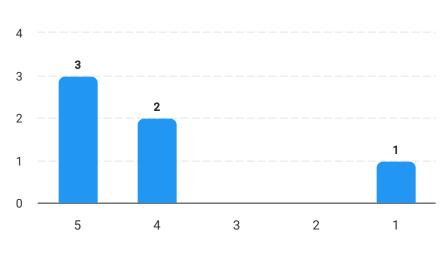
 Professor Chaves lecture are very well done. The notes he keeps are easy to follow, legible, and very useful for homework/test prep. He covers the content, asks questions to encourage class participation, and is very helpful during oce hours. My only criticism would be that, partially due to the nature of the content, some lectures can get a little bland and hard to stay focused during.





I feel this class was valuable.

Value Option		Total
5	A lot	3
4	Quite a bit	2
3	Somewhat	0
2	A little	0
1	Not at all	1



Average	
4.00	
Median	
4.50	
Mode	
5	
Std. Dev. (Standard	
Deviation)	
1.41	
Variance	
2.00	

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Comments:

(Text/Memo)

- Homework was way too hard and just the organization of the class just made me dislike it a lot. If it was well organized, and there were no mistakes on hws, we actually used more examples in class, and hw's would be 100% based on content WE LEARN IN CLASS INSTEAD OF STUDENTS TRYING TO SEARCH UP TOPICS ON THEIR OWN. It would be better.
- As a math major, I know this class was important to my future in upper level mathematics. It provided a good level of challenge compared to earlier math classes and help my work on my critical thinking/problem solving skills.



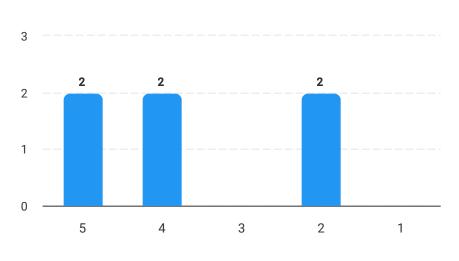
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What overall rating, would you give this course?

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

Overall Course

Value	Option	Total
5	Excellent	2
4	Very good	2
3	Average	0
2	Not very good	2
1	Very poor	0



Average
3.67
0.07
Median
4.00
Mode
5,2,4
0,2,1
Std. Dev. (Standard
<u>Deviation</u>)
1.25
1.25
Variance
1.56
1.50

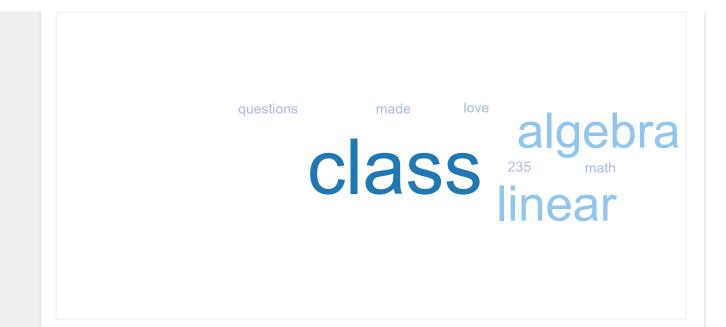
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Comments on COURSE:

(Text/Memo)

- I loved math 235 and the intro to linear algebra. I loved the topics.
- My issue with this course (along with many of the math courses) is that the exam and sometimes assignment questions are way harder than the material given. It's not fair whatsoever to give very hard questions

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Course-Specific Questions

About the Teaching Assistants

Please evaluate only the teaching assistant(s) that you worked with.

- How approachable did the T.A. make him/herself?
 - (Instructor Multi-Choice)
- How enthusiastic was the T.A. about this course?

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

23 If you had questions, could you get answers from the T.A.?

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

- What overall rating would you give the T.A.?

 (Instructor Multi-Choice)
- Comments about the Teaching Assistant/s:

(Instructor Text/Memo)