

Project Title: **Spring 2021 Evaluations**

Courses Audience: **997**
Responses Received: **672**
Response Ratio: **67.40%**

Subject Details

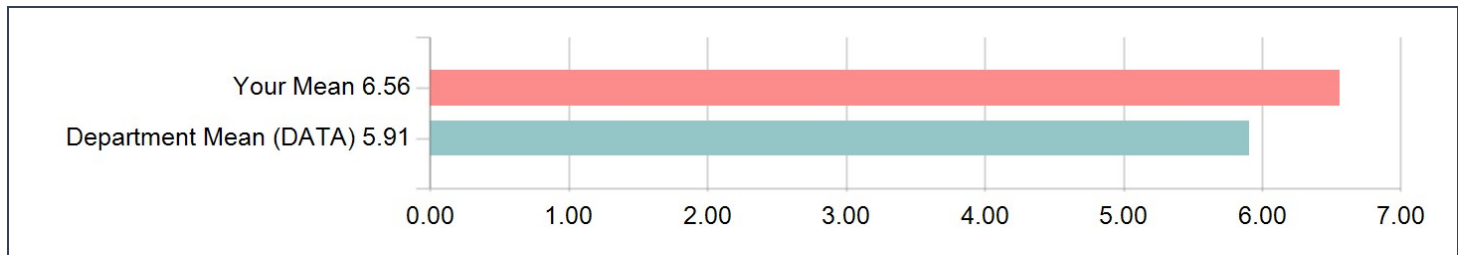
Name	DATA C100 LEC 001 PRINC&TECH DATA SCI (EVAL FOR GSI)
DEPT_NAME	DATA
DEPT_FORM	DATA
EVALUATION_TYPE	G
First Name	Isaac
Last Name	Schmidt

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.

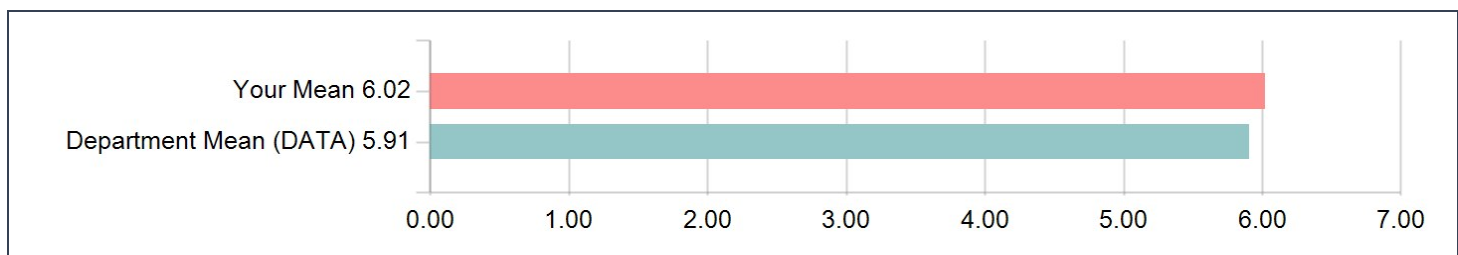
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Options	Count	Percentage
1-Not at all Effective	0	0.00%
2	2	2.04%
3	0	0.00%
4-Moderately Effective	4	4.08%
5	2	2.04%
6	17	17.35%
7-Extremely Effective	73	74.49%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	98	
Mean	6.56	
Median	7.00	
Standard Deviation	0.97	

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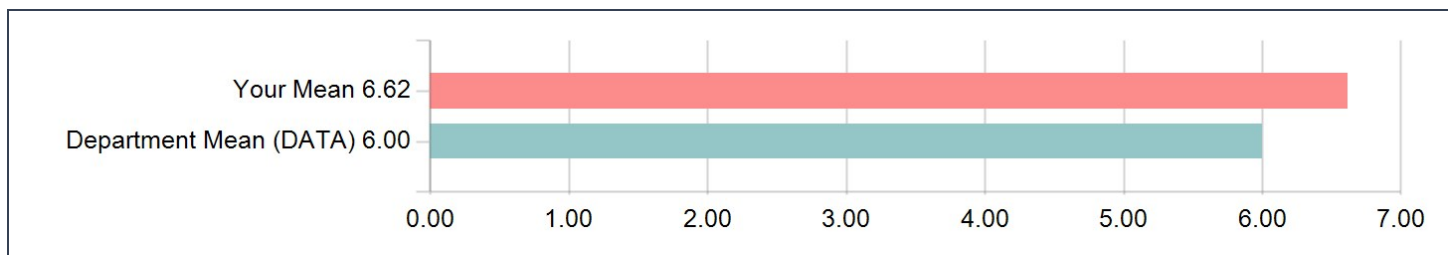
Considering both the limitations and possibilities of the subject matter and the course, how would you rate the overall effectiveness of this course?

Options	Count	Percentage
1-Not at all Effective	1	0.44%
2	2	0.88%
3	2	0.88%
4-Moderately Effective	21	9.21%
5	24	10.53%
6	88	38.60%
7-Extremely Effective	90	39.47%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	228	
Mean	6.02	
Median	6.00	
Standard Deviation	1.10	

DEPARTMENT PROVIDED INSTRUCTOR QUESTIONS:

Items in this section were selected by DATA for inclusion on this evaluation.

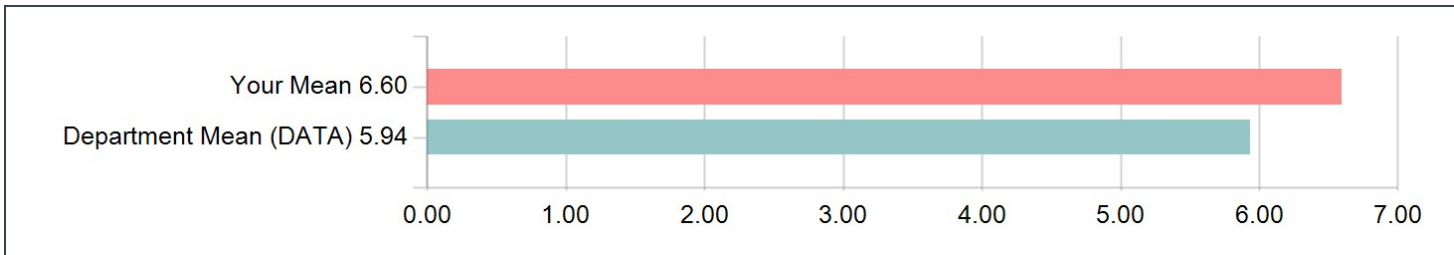
The instructor presented content in an organized manner.



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Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly disagree	0	0.00%
2	2	1.31%
3-Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
4	4	2.61%
5-Somewhat agree	5	3.27%
6	26	16.99%
7-Strongly agree	116	75.82%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	153	
Mean	6.62	
Median	7.00	
Standard Deviation	0.85	

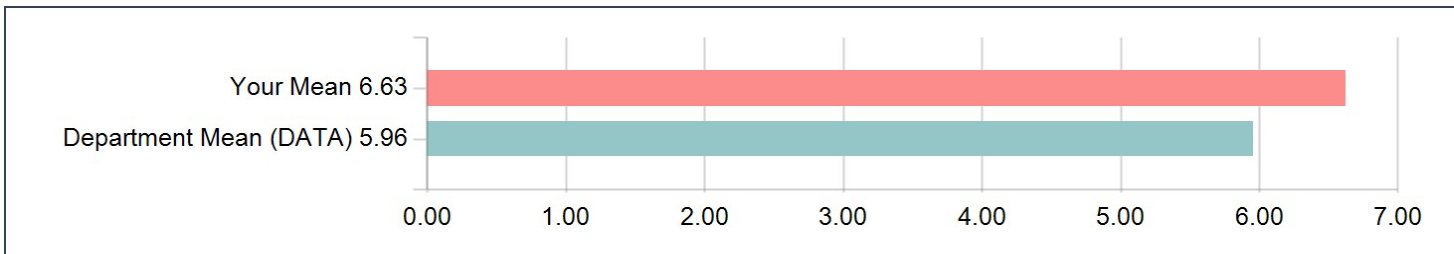
The instructor developed my abilities and skills for the subject.



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Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly disagree	0	0.00%
2	2	1.32%
3-Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
4	4	2.65%
5-Somewhat agree	6	3.97%
6	27	17.88%
7-Strongly agree	112	74.17%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	151	
Mean	6.60	
Median	7.00	
Standard Deviation	0.87	

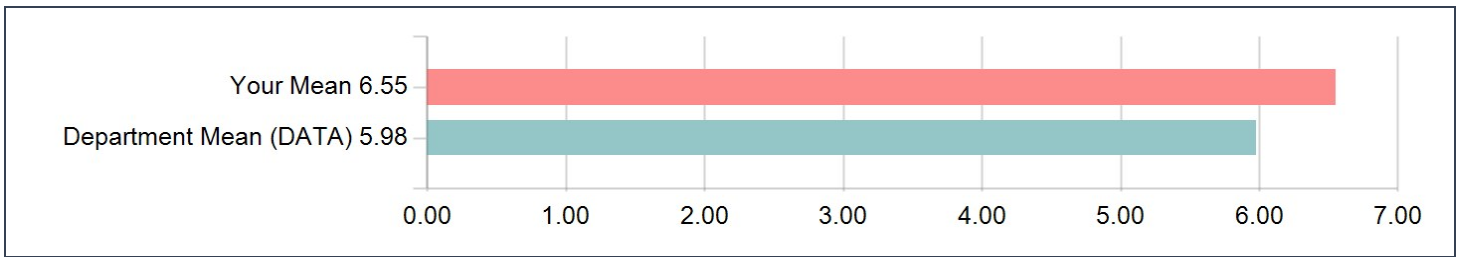
The instructor explained concepts clearly.



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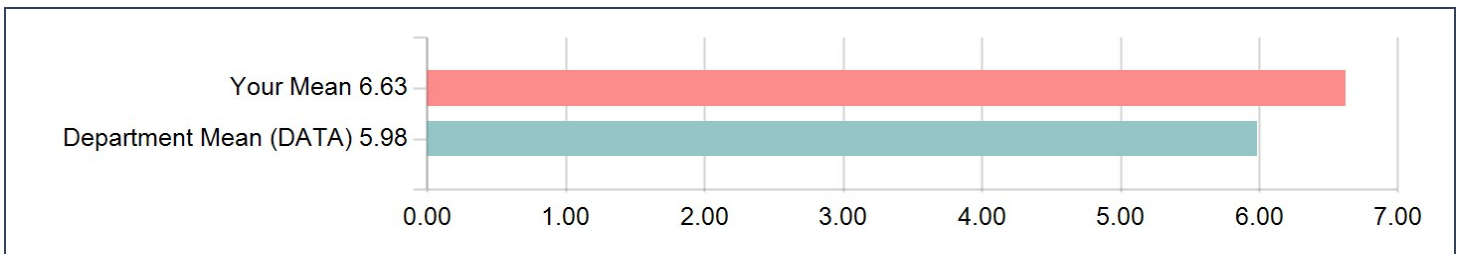
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1-Strongly disagree	0	0.00%
2	2	1.33%
3-Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
4	4	2.67%
5-Somewhat agree	5	3.33%
6	24	16.00%
7-Strongly agree	115	76.67%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	150	
Mean	6.63	
Median	7.00	
Standard Deviation	0.86	

The instructor encouraged student questions.



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1-Strongly disagree	0	0.00%
2	2	1.40%
3-Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
4	6	4.20%
5-Somewhat agree	5	3.50%
6	26	18.18%
7-Strongly agree	104	72.73%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	143	
Mean	6.55	
Median	7.00	
Standard Deviation	0.92	

I would recommend this instructor to others.



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2	2	1.33%
3-Somewhat disagree	0	0.00%
4	4	2.67%
5-Somewhat agree	5	3.33%
6	24	16.00%
7-Strongly agree	115	76.67%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	150	
Mean	6.63	
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Standard Deviation	0.86	

What do you think are the strengths of this instructor?

Comments
great job !
The walkthrough videos for lab were incredibly helpful!
Clearly answered questions and provided walkthroughs
Isaac is truly the GOAT, I watch his lab videos all the time and he makes things so clear and also concise.
Respect student's questions
Clear and informative instructions that are easy to follow. Explanations to his process of working on a problem was great.
Carried this class with labs
Even though I don't have him in either of my sections, his videos for the labs are extremely helpful and thoughtful. He really goes beyond just telling us how to fill out the question.
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Isaac was such a fantastic GSI and I wish I could have him for future classes. He is one of my favorite GSIs I have ever had and is very good at explaining material. His Lab walkthrough videos were such a great resource and really helped me take the concepts taught in lecture and use them in effective ways.
I liked his lab videos.
Very clear with reasoning, patient with students, and encouraged a good academic atmosphere in discussions/labs.
Really made learning so fun in this class! Was always great to listen to him every week during lab and made them enjoyable to watch. Explanations were really clear and learned a lot in his walkthroughs!
Thanks for all the lab walkthroughs! Really appreciated them
Sevens all around for Isaac. I did not have the opportunity to be a part of his mini or large discussion but I watched most of his lab walkthrough videos and really appreciated how he presented information in a concise, easy to understand manner with so much enthusiasm.
FUNNY and great at explaining stuff!! his lab videos were the best!!
Explaining concepts at a base level, understanding where students might go wrong. He also made mistakes but had a positive attitude toward them, which I appreciate
Presents things in a really digestible way! He also tells us what's most important to understand and what's tertiary, which has been really helpful in establishing the most important concepts and working outwards.
This instructor was very patient and great with answering questions and answered in-depth.
The lab videos were very helpful and explanations were clear and concise.
Always had an upbeat attitude, seemed very nice, approachable, but also like he knew what he was talking about and had prepared well for section. I felt that every discussion was organized and effective.
helpful piazza posts
Lab videos were awesome
Approachable and knowledgeable.
Did a great job on the lab walk through videos – they were helpful and well explained!
Isaac is good at explaining, and very caring.
He's helpful, smart, great at explaining, and humorous/chill!
Lab walkthrough videos were clutch.
Lab tutorials were extremely helpful! His humor in the videos was also appreciated and made the labs better.
Loved his lab videos. Thank you, Isaac!
Isaac is amazing. He is always willing to help, and always clarifies any difficult concept I might have trouble understanding. On Piazza, he is responsive and accurate. He is also always in a happy mood, and his lab videos are great at reinforcing the concept to me, more so than the lectures.
lab legend
BEST LAB TEACHER EVER.
Isaac helped explain all the labs in the walkthrough videos so well, which enabled me to finish the labs in a timely manner. Not only did he walk through the notebooks, but he also stopped and took the time to explain concepts from lecture again to help reinforce the material.

Comments
He made the lesson less stressful but more informative, which encouraged learning environment. Thank you, Isaac!
explains really well. Thanks for the lab videos!
Recovers well from mistakes, does a good job of showing how to find the answer if students don't know things off the tops of their heads
The lab walkthroughs were so helpful this whole semester, I really appreciate the effort Isaac put into them. He could have just walked us through the solutions but instead he went into more depth with the concepts behind the problems and how they connected to the big picture. The walkthroughs were so helpful I sometimes watched them even if I knew how to do the lab just because they helped me gain a deeper understanding of the material.
Great lab walk-throughs. Explained concepts really well.
Great at explaining thought processes behind labs.
Really good lab videos
Easy to follow, communicates well
Thank you for the lab videos!!! They were very helpful!
Great lab walkthroughs!
Isaac did a good job of being very approachable and knowledgeable about the subject matter.
Isaac's lab videos are really helpful
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -great at reinforcing concepts -encouraging and willing to answer questions -good at stirring discussion
I did not interact with this GSI
Extremely helpful lab videos!
Good (large) discussion section with focus on students' success.
The walkthrough Lab videos were extremely well done and really enjoyable. I felt like I learned a lot from them and were often helpful in completing the homeworks. Also, the prompt and thorough piazza responses from Isaac were much appreciated!
Very clear and helpful
Loved the lab walkthrough videos.
amazing youtube walk throughs! Thank you thank you thank you!
great lab vids
Would 100% recommend! The labs were a perfect format and Isaac was super relatable, clear, and knowledgeable.
Super lighthearted, intelligent, helpful instructor. One of my favorite/best instructors at Berkeley so far! He should be the professor of the class.
No basis for judgment.
Made discussion fun and interactive! loved the lab tutorials (insert hand praying emoji)
Isaac is the reason I could do the labs and homeworks in this class, his explanations are very good.
really helpful lab walkthrough videos
He was very clear in explaining lab concepts.