



Rutgers University Midcourse Surveys

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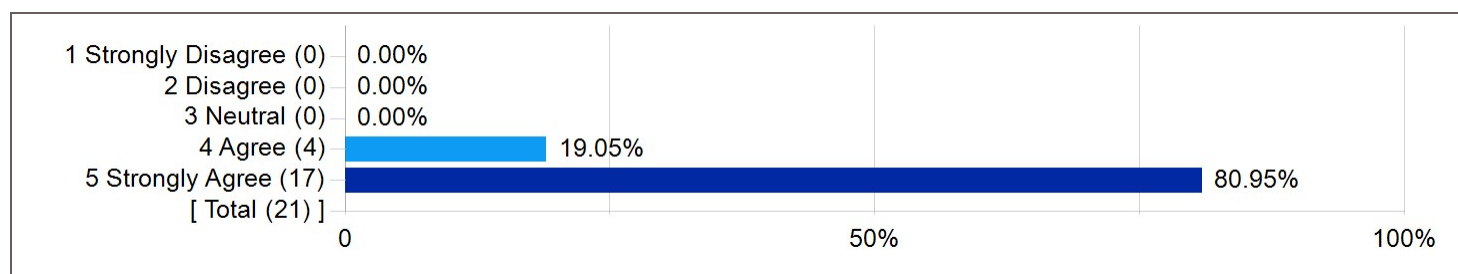
Calculus I For The Life And Social Sciences - 01:640:135:50, 51, 52

Enrollment: 55

Responses Received: 21

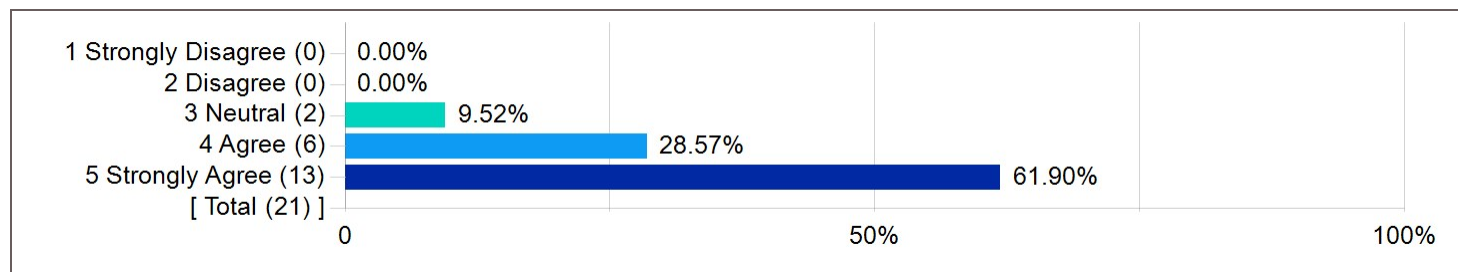
Instructor Questions

The instructor Joseph Guadagni was prepared for class and presents material in an organized manner.



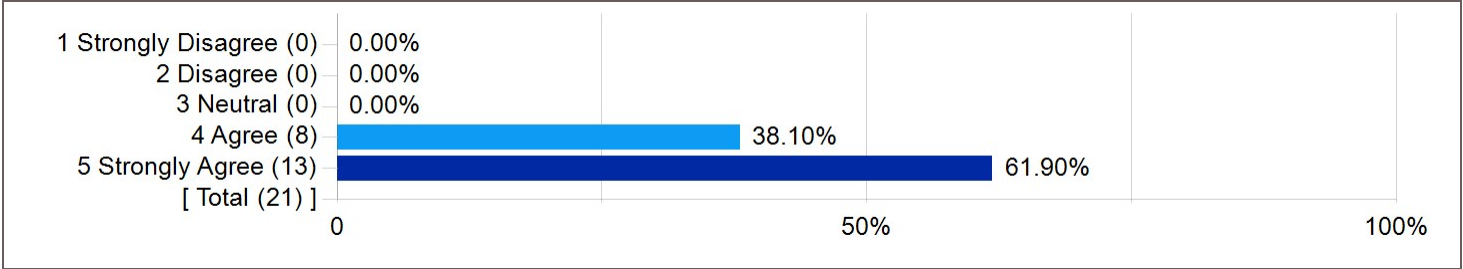
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The instructor Joseph Guadagni responds effectively to student comments and questions.



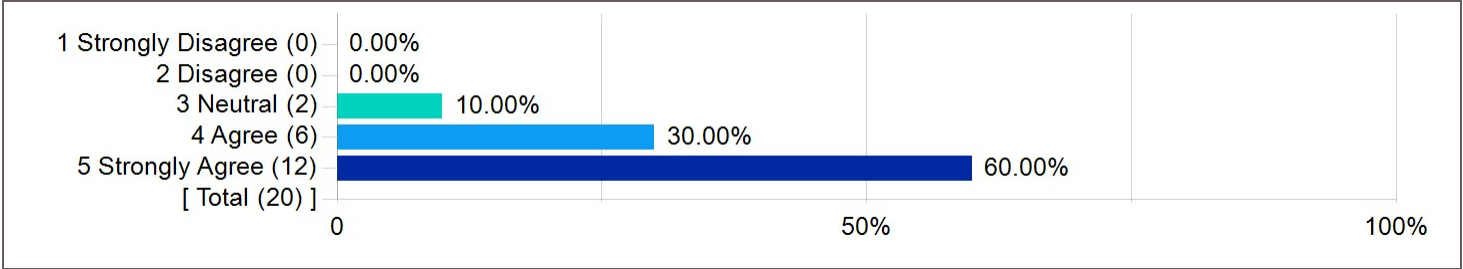
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The instructor Joseph Guadagni posted content that helped me understand the topics covered by the course.



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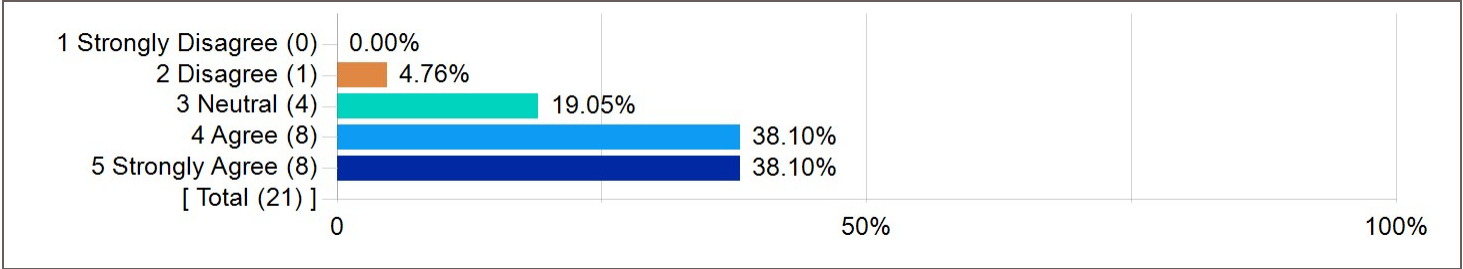
The instructor Joseph Guadagni has taught effectively in the course so far.



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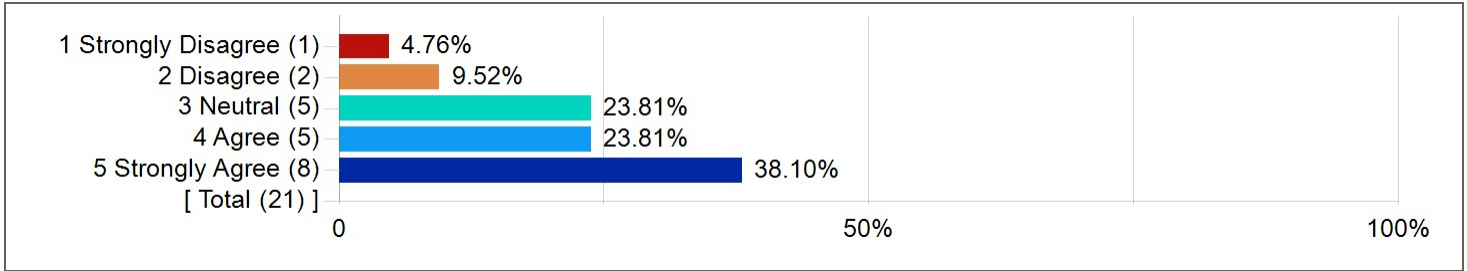
Course Questions

It was clear the lecture and workshop/recitation components of the course were well-coordinated, and each re-enforced or complemented the lessons taught in the other.



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I was glad to take this course in the format (online, hybrid, face to face) that it was offered in my section; for me it is the preferred format for this course.



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| 1 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 21 | 3.81 |

What do you like most about this course?

| Comments |
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| Dr. G is very organized and the material becomes easier to understand through his website resources. |
| nothing |
| I like how all the terms and information we need to start a lecture is clearly defined and the material is also clearly explained. I also like how we do examples on our own and then go over to see what we can work on and improve. |
| Dr.G is an amazing professor who makes math enjoyable. I failed calc the first time I took it with another professor because I was not motivated and did not put in enough effort. Dr.G has made learning a lot easier for me and especially with a subject as hard as Calculus it is important to have a professor who goes out of his way to help his students and make sure they understand the material. He is always organized as well and does a great job at introducing new concepts so that everything clicks in the long run. Sofia Vaksman is also amazing and such a kind lady who does a great job at explaining material and being there for her students. |
| How there is additional online material provided by the professor. |
| How each of the lectures were well organized and how the lectures were small enough so that I can ask my questions comfortably and clearly. |
| The teacher. |
| the teaching |
| They use past exam questions to review for current exams |
| n/a |
| How class is interactive which allows for best learning experience. |
| Nothing. |
| Dr G is one of, if not the best, math teacher I have had. |

What do you think needs improvement and how should these improvements be made?

| Comments |
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| the pace of the course is quick and the material is challenging. |
| I know it's easier for the dept to do online quizzes, but please put them back in person. |
| The course is good and easy to understand but I think the quizzes and homework don't help me rather they make me more confused. Every time I do them it makes the topic more complicated and confusing since some questions are very different from the lecture examples. |
| I have no complaints. |
| Some topics can come up as confusing and what can help is slowing down during lectures. |
| I don't think there should be any improvements as I feel way better for this course and I think Dr.G and Professor Vaksman were really teachers and helped me to progress academically and professionally! |
| Nothing. |
| preferably keep lecture notes online and recitation in person |
| n/a |
| None. |
| I think we need to spend more time on each topic because it is too past paced. |