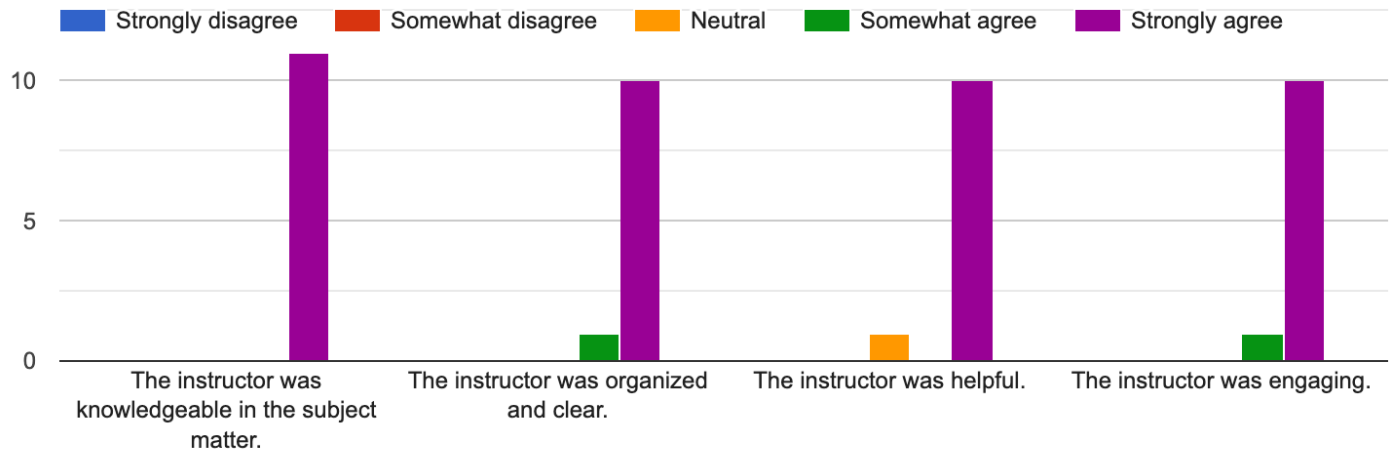
15.S60 Session 7 Feedback 2023

Instructor Feedback (Shuvo)



Any other feedback on the instructor?

- Great work, and thanks for an awesome lesson!
- super great
- Shuvo was great! He's very knowledgeable about optimization in Julia, and I thought he handled the interactive portion of the course very well.

Instructors are sometimes asked for excerpts of student evaluations as part of job and fellowship applications. If you would like to highlight anything your instructor did particularly well, please do so here.

- This lesson was run extremely well, and I very much enjoyed. The instructor tailored the lesson to the students' needs, and he was incredibly engaging and knowledgeable on all subjects involved. He provided the necessary theoretical background knowledge on many algorithms as well as some very practical implementations for our research.
- The material the instructor prepared is super interesting and useful. The instructor is also quite engaging and knowledgeable. He knows the field extremely well from history to recent literatures. The exercise in class is also quite interesting.

- The instructor is extremely knowledge on the subject of optimization. Not only is he familiar with the technical aspects, but he is also able to connect the different facets of optimization along with their historical development and relevance.
- Shuvo excels at keeping the class engaged throughout the entire lecture. His lecturing style invites students to participate and interact with the material beyond just reading off the slides.

The pace of this session was

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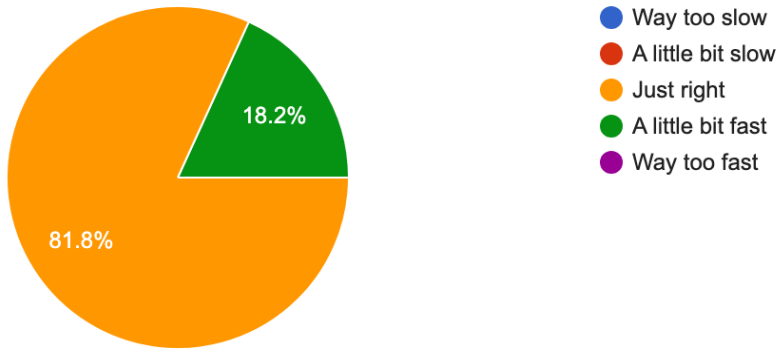

Describe a specific exercise/topic you particularly enjoyed in this class. Why did you enjoy it?

- All the different optimization paradigms
- I liked the emojis in the code. Also, i enjoyed the extensive history on programming progress
- I really enjoyed the history of optimization section in the beginning and the tailored pace of today's lesson.
- the basics, history, different models, different techniques
- Convex optimization
- I enjoyed the overview and history of optimization. Of this aspect of the topic is glanced over. In particular, it was interesting to learn about the different histories of Western and Soviet optimization.
- Showing the code that checks whether or not a set is convex (need this for my research)
- I liked learning how to do semidefinite programs in julia
- Did not know of COSMO package

- I enjoyed the discussion of when to use specific Julia packages and under what problem scenarios each is best.

- Solving an SDP in julia. I find it pretty cool.