

MX8022 (Geographical Information Systems with Focus on Ecosystem Services and Sustainable Community Development, VT 2025, Halmstad, V0539, X0539)

Number of possible respondents: 17

Answers: 8

Response rate: 47,06 %

Study pace: 50 %

Examiner's course analysis

Based on the course evaluation result - which are the strengths of the course?

Students were very satisfied with the course with all students evaluating the different questions with the highest options 4 or 5, resulting in an overall satisfaction of 96%. In particular, getting help and explanations from the teacher, the course structure and the field work part, as well as the importance of the software learned for future work was highlighted.

Also the additional questions about the seminar where an unknown function should be learned and taught by students to the class as well as the practical project were evaluated high (4 or 5 from all students).

Based on the course evaluation result - which are the weaknesses of the course?

Issues were raised that the practical application of the software for research question should be demonstrated as well as formulations for assignment questions could have been clearer.

Comments about the collaboration with the course ambassadors

I would like to thank two very ambitious course ambassadors for their very constructive comments, suggestions and discussion.

Conclusion and suggestions for course development or already made decisions

The issues raised will be taken care of in the next year's course by integrating examples from research of the course leader into the course as well as reformulating assignments for increasing clarity.

Other comments

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I am overall satisfied with the course.

	Number of responses	Distribution (%)	Index (%) I am overall satisfied with the course	95
0 = I definitely do not agree	0	0%		
1	0	0%		
2	0	0%		
3	0	0%		
4	2	25%		
5 = I definitely agree	6	75%		
No opinion	0	0%		
Total	8	100%		

How much time have you spent on the course in relation to the course's study pace?

	Number of responses	Distribution (%)
Less time than the course study pace	0	0%
Corresponding to the course study pace	6	75%
More time than the course study pace	2	25%
Total	8	100%

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2	0	0%		
3	0	0%		
4	1	12%		
5 = I definitely agree	7	88%		
No opinion	0	0%		
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Course satisfaction index

Satisfaction index % (summary of all statements)	96
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	3	38%
5 = I definitely agree	5	62%
No opinion	0	0%
Total	8	100%