

Cornell University  
 Course Evaluation Response Summary  
 Semester: Spring 2023 Course Owner: PHYS  
 Course: PHYS 2214 DIS 204 CID: 3988  
 Title: Phys III-Osc Waves & Quan Phys  
 Instructor: Kiely  
 8 Responses, 21 Enrolled, 38.1% Response

Please evaluate HOW THIS COURSE WAS TAUGHT. Evaluate each component of the course (lectures, Discussion classes, labs, assignments, and exams) separately. In particular, try to separate your feelings about the subject matter and exams/grading from your evaluations of lectures, recitations, labs, and assignments.  
 YOU MAY SKIP ANY QUESTION THAT DOES NOT PERTAIN TO YOUR SECTION.

Question	Mean	StDevP	Count	1	2	3	4	5
1. OVERALL rating of discussion class instructor: 1= poor; 3= satisfactory; 5= excellent	4.25	0.66	8	0	0	1	4	3
2. OVERALL rating of the DISCUSSION CLASS: 1= poor; 3= satisfactory; 5= excellent	4.00	0.70	8	0	0	2	4	2
3. Did discussion classes help you learn the course material? 1= helped very little; 3= helped somewhat; 5= helped greatly	3.88	0.59	8	0	0	2	5	1
4. Was the discussion class instructor (TA) knowledgeable about the subject matter? 1= not at all; 3= somewhat knowledgeable; 5= very knowledgeable	4.63	0.48	8	0	0	0	3	5
5. Did the discussion class instructor (TA) arrive on time and prepared for class? 1= rarely; 3= about half of the time; 5= always	4.63	0.48	8	0	0	0	3	5
6. Was the discussion class instructor willing and available to help students who had difficulty? 1= not willing and available; 3= somewhat willing and available; 5= very willing and available	4.75	0.43	8	0	0	0	2	6
7. How effectively was the discussion class instructor (TA) able to communicate? 1= not effectively at all; 3= somewhat effectively; 5= very effectively	4.43	0.49	7	0	0	0	4	3
8. Teaching skill of the discussion class instructor: 1= poor; 3= satisfactory; 5= excellent	4.63	0.48	8	0	0	0	3	5
9. Did the discussion class instructor (TA) grade and return work promptly? 1= rarely; 3= about half of the time; 5= always	4.50	0.5	8	0	0	0	4	4
10. Rate the difficulty of the section quizzes, relative to the coverage of material in class: 1= too easy; 3= about right; 5= too hard	3.75	0.82	8	0	1	1	5	1
11. How well did the cooperative learning problems help you practice applying the new material to questions? 1= not well covered; 3= somewhat covered; 5= very well covered	3.63	0.69	8	0	0	4	3	1
12. How well do you feel you and your co-op partners worked together to develop understanding of the physics concepts in the co-ops? 1= not at all; 3= fairly well; 5= very well	3.25	1.19	8	1	1	2	3	1
13. If you had an undergraduate teaching assistant (UTA) in your discussion section, please rate his or her impact on the section 1= not applicable; 2= made it worse; 3= no impact; 4= some improvement; 5= made it much better	2.50	1.5	4	2	0	0	2	0
14. If you had an undergraduate teaching assistant (UTA) in your discussion section, please rate his or her preparation and understanding of the material you worked on: 1= not applicable; 2= unprepared; 3= somewhat prepared; 4=prepared; 5= very prepared	2.75	1.78	4	2	0	0	1	1
15. If you had an undergraduate teaching assistant (UTA) in your discussion section, how supportive and encouraging was she or he? 1= not applicable; 2= not encouraging; 3= somewhat encouraging; 4= encouraging; 5= very encouraging	2.75	1.78	4	2	0	0	1	1
16. If you had an undergraduate teaching assistant (UTA) in your discussion section, how well do you feel she or he helped to facilitate your understanding of physics concepts in section's activities? 1= not applicable; 2= not at all well; 3= fairly well; 4= well; 5=very well	2.75	1.78	4	2	0	0	1	1
17. If you had an undergraduate teaching assistant (UTA) in your discussion section, please rate his or her overall teaching skill: 1= not applicable; 2= fair; 3= good; 4= very good; 5= excellent	2.75	1.78	4	2	0	0	1	1

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**1. Please write any comments about your discussion classes or your TA here.**

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