

# Course Assessment– Part B: Your Results & Analysis

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## Part B: Your Results

### Directions

1. Report the outcome achievement data gathered via the assignments, tests, etc. you identified for each outcome (question 3) of your Part A. \*

On the achievement data gathered, 100% of students achieved a grade of C or higher; 88% a grade of B or higher.

### Outcome #1

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Identify concepts and techniques from descriptive and inferential statistics and real-world applications of the same.

% of students who successfully achieved the outcome (C or above) \*

100

### Outcome #2 \*

Use concepts and techniques from descriptive and inferential statistics to describe, model, and analyze real-world problems.

% of students who successfully achieved the outcome (C or above) \*

100

### Outcome #3 \*

Critique the application of probability and statistics to real-world problems and effectively communicate these ideas in written and verbal form.

% of students who successfully achieved the outcome (C or above) \*

100

## ANALYSIS

### 3. What contributed to student success and/or lack of success? \*

Collaborative problem solving contributed to both student success and, at times, lack thereof. Overall, collaborative learning allowed students to tackle problems that might have been overwhelming to a student working alone. Group work enabled students to consider more realistic, sophisticated, and open-ended statistical questions than would have been appropriate in a non-group setting. However, in some instances, collaborative learning may have contributed to student passivity and over dependence on the work of others. Equalizing group-member participation rates will increase the effectiveness of the cooperative learning environment and represents an ongoing effort.

4. Helping students to realistically self-assess and reflect on their understanding and progress encourages students to take responsibility for their own learning. Consider comparing your students' perception of their end-of-term understanding/mastery of the three outcomes (found in student evaluations) to your assessment (above) of student achievement (above) of the three outcomes. \*

A single student evaluation was completed. This student indicated improvement in their understanding/mastery of the three course outcomes consistent with my assessment of overall student achievement on these outcomes.

5. Did student achievement of outcomes meet your expectations for successfully

Yes.

teaching to each outcome (question 4 from Part A) \*

6. Based on your analysis in the questions above, what course adjustments are warranted (curricular, pedagogical, student instruction, etc.)? \*

This course would benefit from a reduction in course content.

7. What resources would be required to implement your recommended course adjustments (materials, training, equipment, etc.)? What Budget implications result? \*

None.

8. Were your assessment methods accurate indicators of student learning? Why or why not? Any additional comments? \*

Yes. Assessment is integrated into the problem-solving format and allows for continuous appraisal of student learning.

(OPTIONAL) Reflect on any adjustments you made from the last assessment of this course and their effectiveness in student achievement of outcomes?

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