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Spring 2013 Exiting Student Survey ()
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Survey Results

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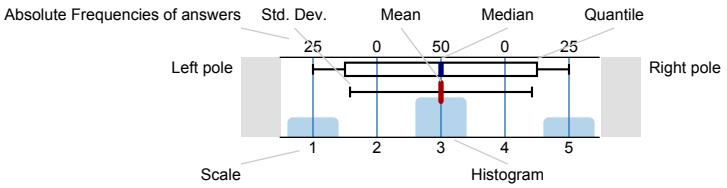
Question text



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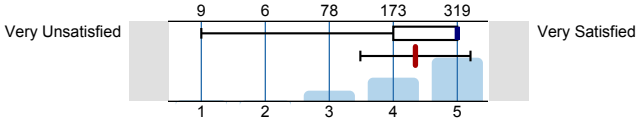
1. As you prepare to graduate, we ask that you evaluate the overall quality of your experiences while a student. Your honesty and forthrightness will assist us to improve our college and its effectiveness in service to those students who will follow you. Each section provides us with a snapshot of your experiences.

Thank you.

1.1) How satisfied are your with the overall quality of instruction?



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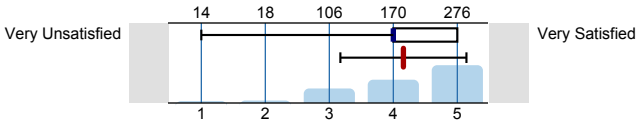
1.2) Did you find that the people at our college cared about you as a person?



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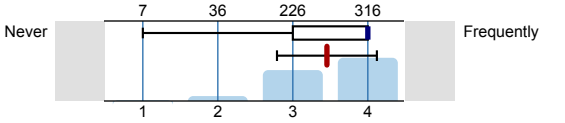
2. College Instructional Experiences

The following items help us define how well our competencies as a whole are met in the classroom. For each item, answer the question, "How often did you do the following?"

2.1) Completed a paper or project that integrated ideas from several sources.



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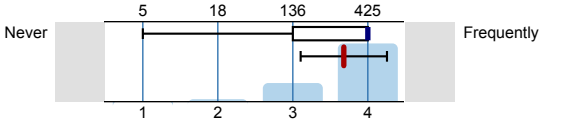
2.2) Applied a concept or technique that you learned in class.



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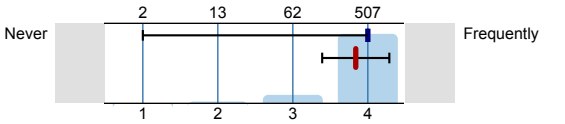
2.3) Worked on an assignment in which you used a computer.



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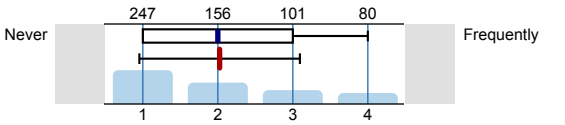
2.4) Participated in clubs or organizations.



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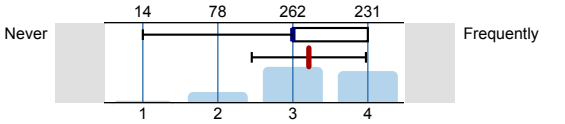
2.5) Utilized mathematical skills in projects.



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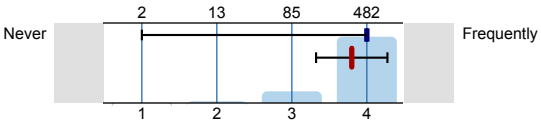
2.6) Engaged in reading.



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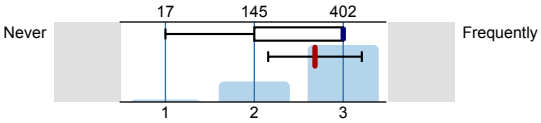
3. Evaluation of Educational Experiences

in this section, think of your overall experience at this community college. Please indicate the degree to which your education at this community college as\dded to your skill in each of the following areas.

3.1) Planning and carrying out projects.



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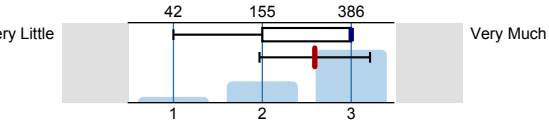
3.2) Getting along with people of different cultures a d philosophies.



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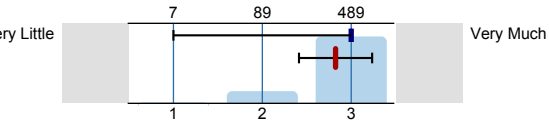
3.3) Ability to learn on your own.



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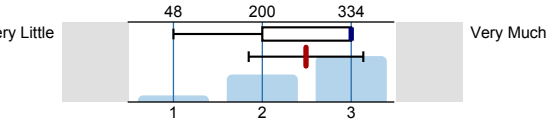
3.4) Ability to lead or guide others.



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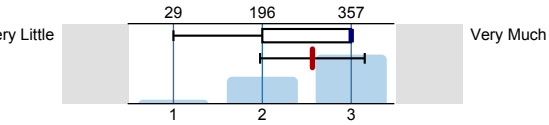
3.5) Self confidence in verbally (speaking) expressing your ideas.



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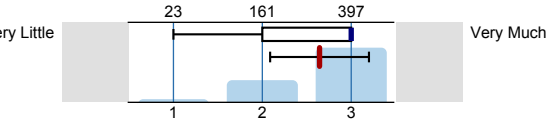
3.6) Self confidence in expressing your ideas in writing.



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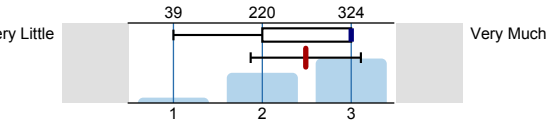
3.7) Self confidence in solving practical mathematical problems.



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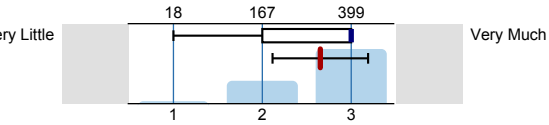
3.8) Planning and carrying out projects.



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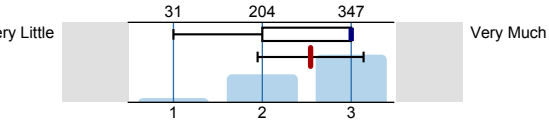
3.9) Understanding and applying scientific principles and methods.



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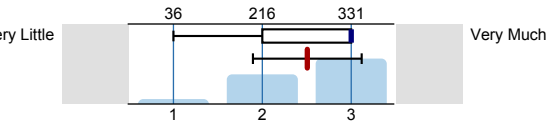
3.10) Understanding environmental concerns.



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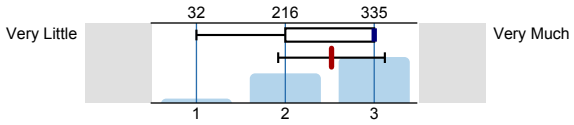
3.11) Ability to understand mathematical concepts.



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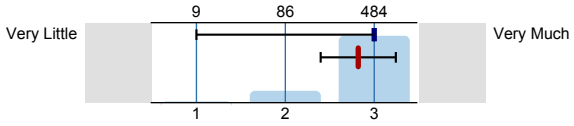
3.12) Ability to use computers in practical situations.



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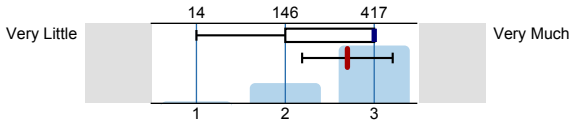
3.13) Ability to examine ethical issues and values.



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4. Academic Planning

In responding to these statements, consider your academic plan and rate the quality of each of the following items.

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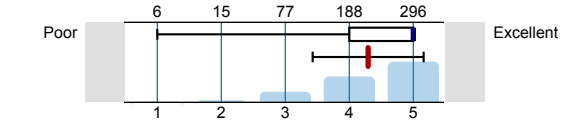

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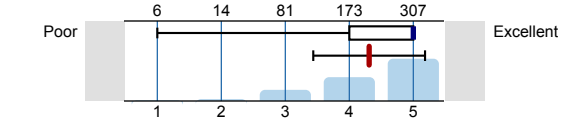
4.2) Quality of curriculum in providing job related skills and knowledge.



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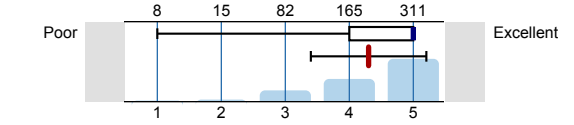
4.3) Quality of curriculum in preparing for additional education.



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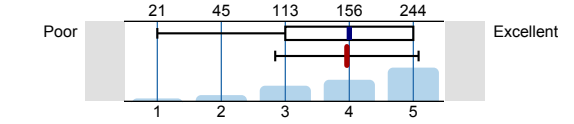
4.4) Availability of practicums, internships, and co-op experiences in the academic plan.



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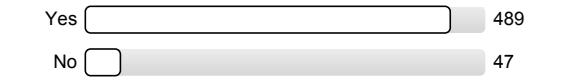
4.5) If you were to choose a field of study again, would you consider the same field?



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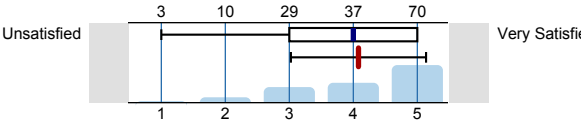
5. Evaluation of College Services

While you were attending college, most of the services in this section were available to you. Evaluate the quality of those experiences. DO NOT EVALUATE SERVICES IN WHICH YOU HAD NO CONTACT.

5.1) Career Placement Services



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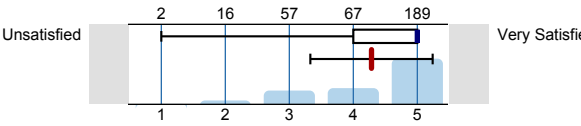
5.2) Counseling Services



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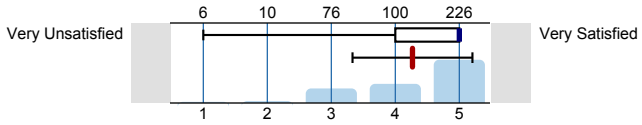
5.3) Testing Services



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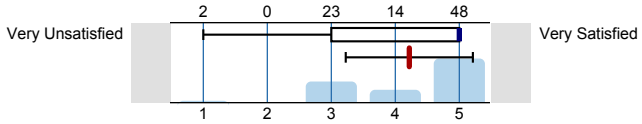

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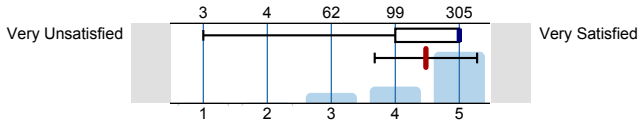
5.5) Computing resources



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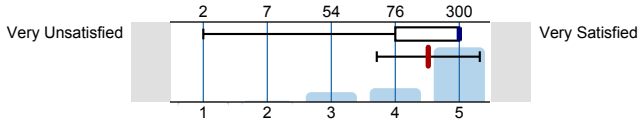

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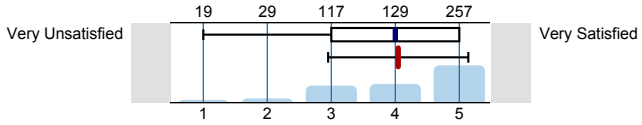

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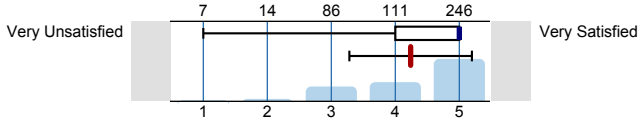
5.8) Business Office



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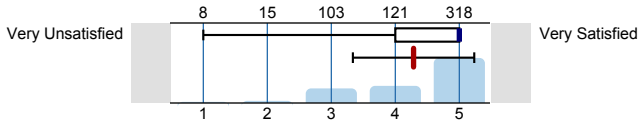

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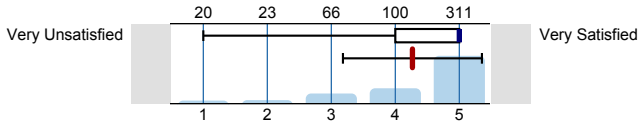

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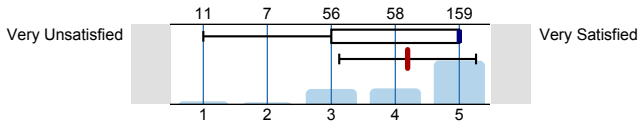

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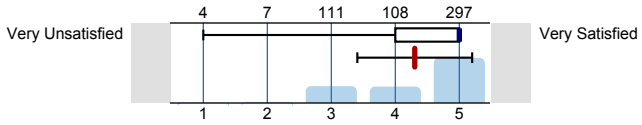
5.12) Admissions



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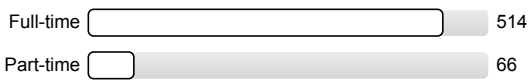
6. Background Information

The following information provides us with relevant information pertaining to your status as a student.

6.1) Would you consider yourself a full-time or a part-time student?



n=580

6.2) Did you complete your degree/diploma program as planned?

n=580

Yes	456
No	124

7. Extra Semesters for Graduation

If it did take extra semesters for you to complete your degree, please indicate any of the following reasons that apply to your situation.

7.1) Work obligations

n=577

Yes	213
No	71
Does not apply	293

7.2) Family obligations

n=577

Yes	204
No	91
Does not apply	282

7.3) Illness

n=573

Yes	72
No	169
Does not apply	332

7.4) Tuition and other costs

n=578

Yes	103
No	164
Does not apply	311

7.5) Change in program plan

n=571

Yes	168
No	127
Does not apply	276

7.6) Required course(s) not offered

n=569

Yes	33
No	198
Does not apply	338

7.7) Remedial/Developmental courses required

n=575

Yes	115
No	140
Does not apply	320

7.8) Course electives

n=569

Yes	84
No	168
Does not apply	317

7.9) Completion of program specific course for transfer.

n=569

Yes	79
No	150
Does not apply	340

8. Future Plans

8.1) Are you transferring to another educational institution?

n=581

Yes	287
No	294

8.2) Will you be seeking a second degree or technical program?

n=579

Yes	357
No	222

8.3) Did you have a job while you were working on your degree?

n=582

Yes	409
No	173

8.4) Was the job related to your degree program?

n=584

Yes	165
No	419

8.5) Do you expect to continue your employment in this position after you graduate?

n=578

Yes	233
No	345

8.6) If you were to start college again, would you enroll at this institution?

n=581

Yes	525
No	56

8.7) Would you recommend this college to another student?

n=574

Yes	556
No	18

8.8) Which degree did you earn?

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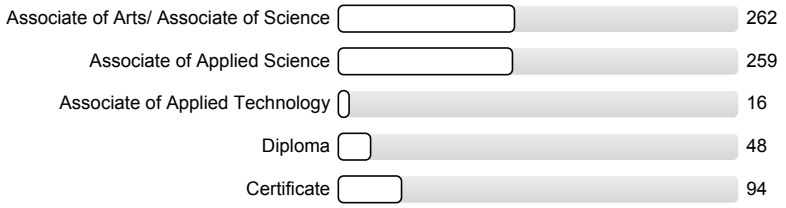

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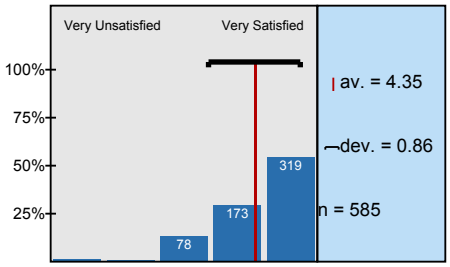
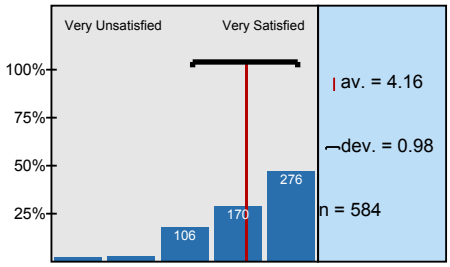


Did you find that the people at our college cared about you as a person?



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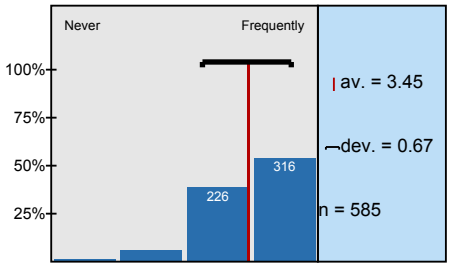
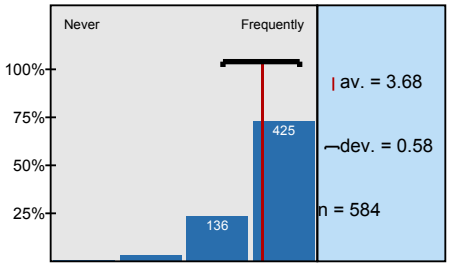


Applied a concept or technique that you learned in class.



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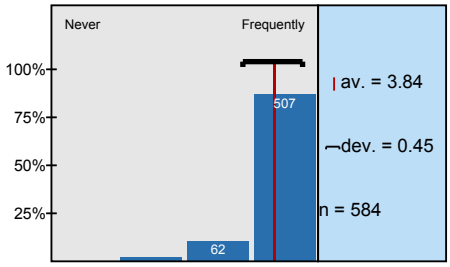

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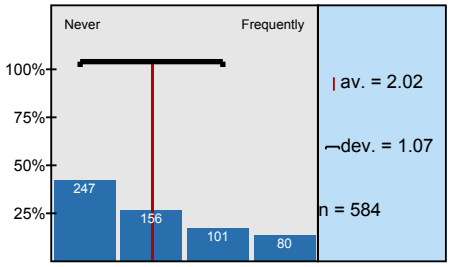
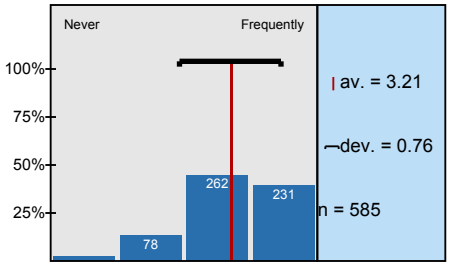


Utilized mathematical skills in projects.



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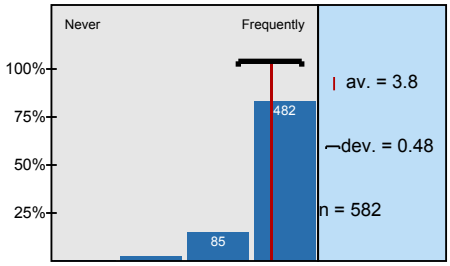

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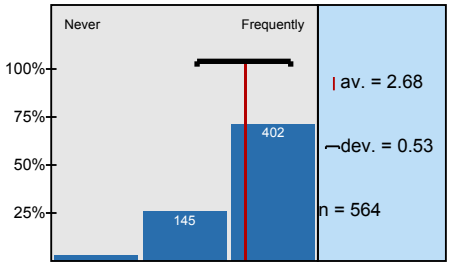

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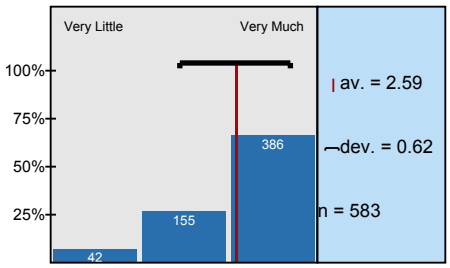
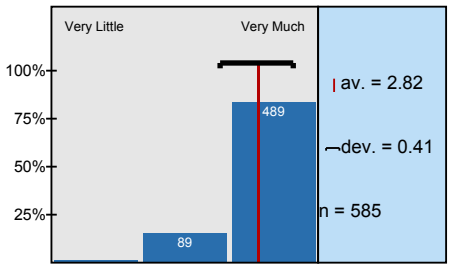


Ability to learn on your own.



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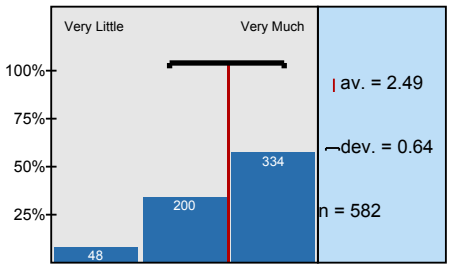

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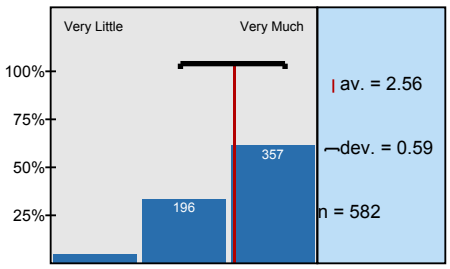

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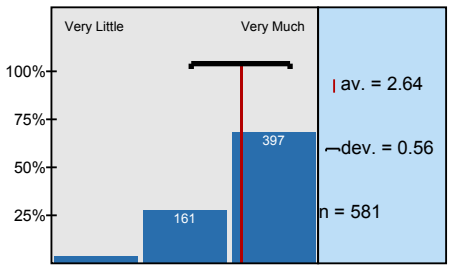

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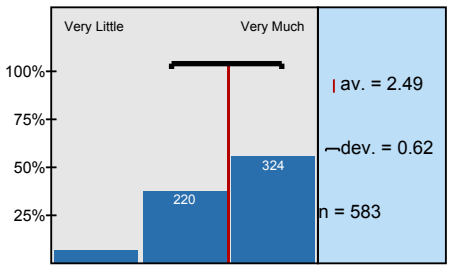

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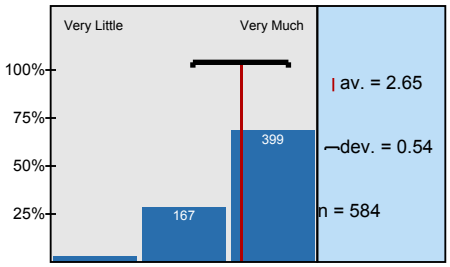
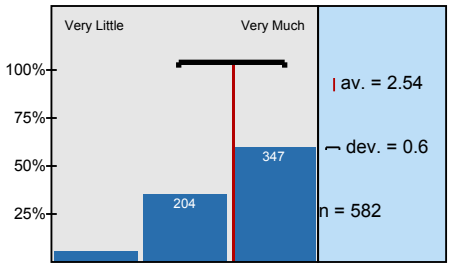


Understanding and applying scientific principles and methods.



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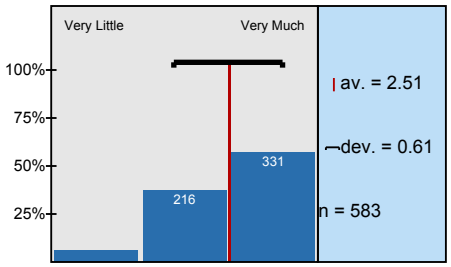
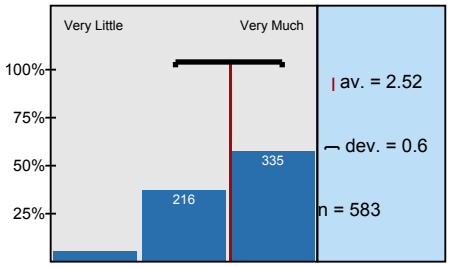
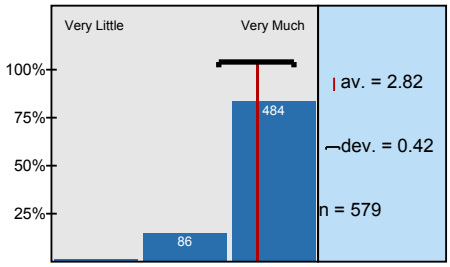


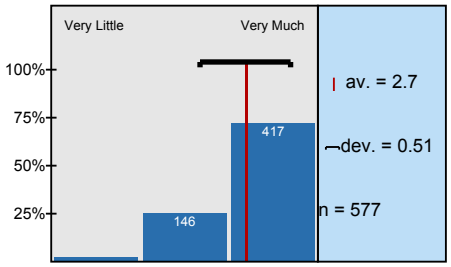
Ability to understand mathematical concepts.



Ability to use computers in practical situations.



Ability to examine ethical issues and values.



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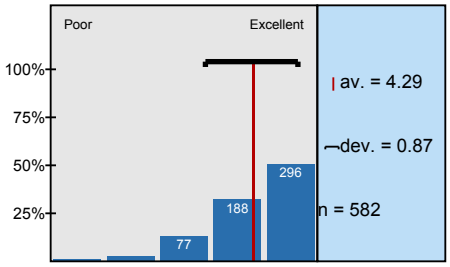

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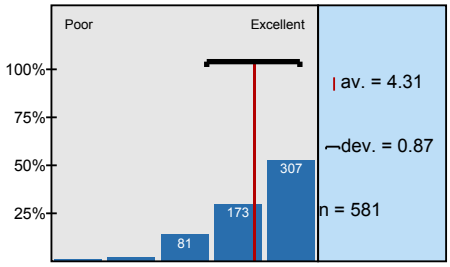

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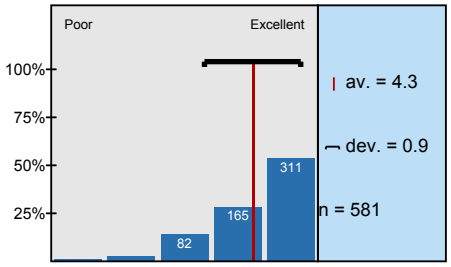

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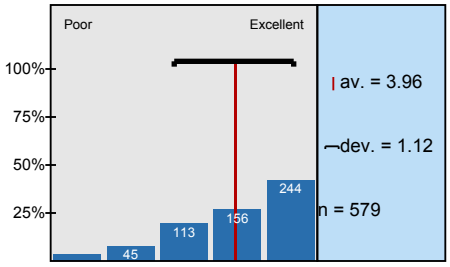

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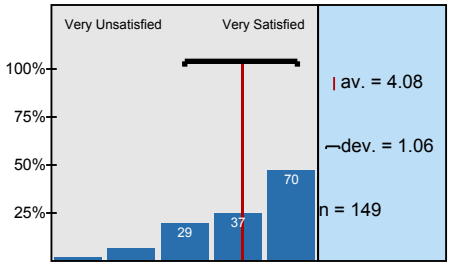

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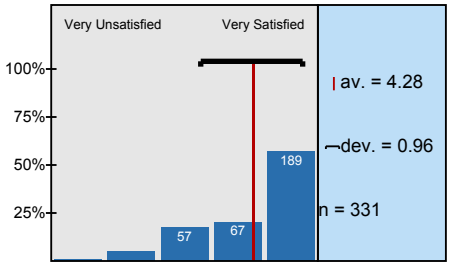

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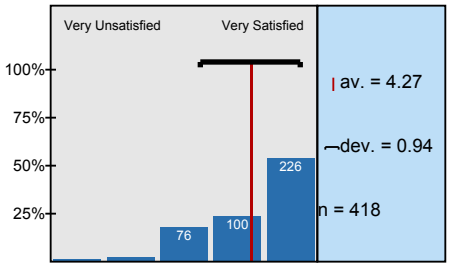

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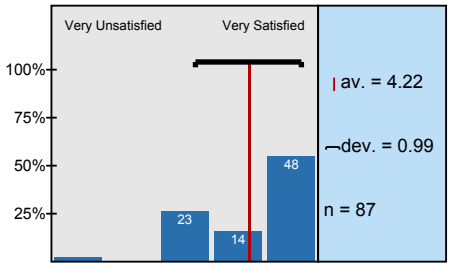

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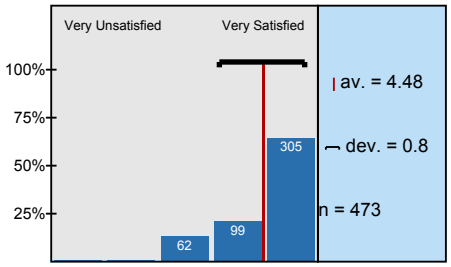

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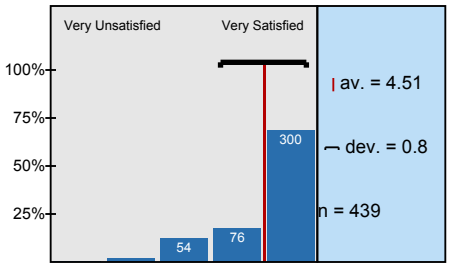

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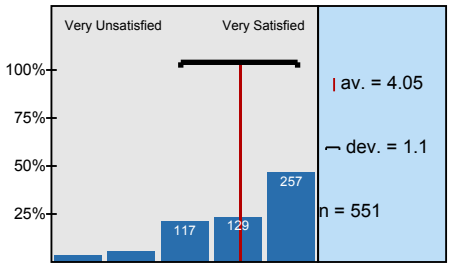

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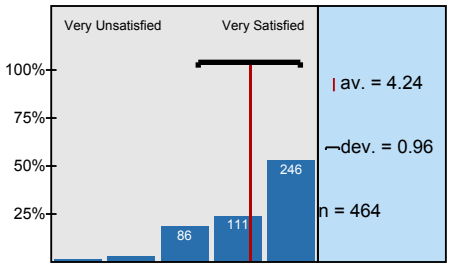

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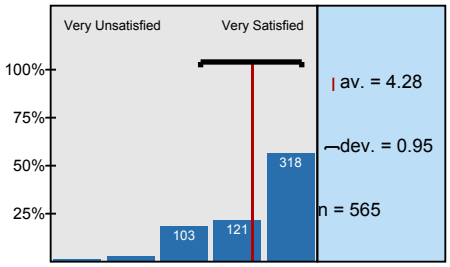

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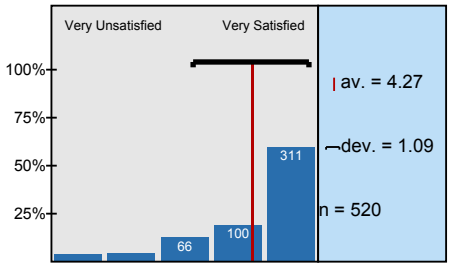

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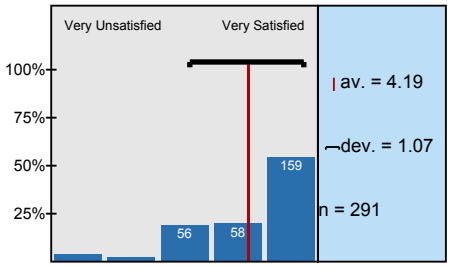

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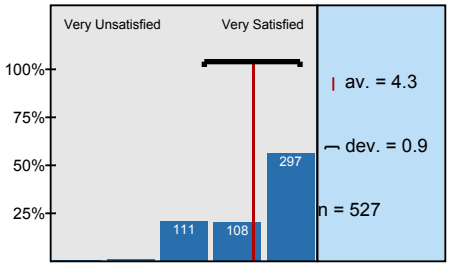

Profile

Subunit:	General Surveys
Name of the instructor:	GSAdmin
Name of the course: (Name of the survey)	Spring 2013 Exiting Student Survey

1. As you prepare to graduate, we ask that you evaluate the overall quality of your experiences while a student. Your honesty and forthrightness will assist us to improve our college and its effectiveness in service to those students who will follow you. Each section provides us with a snapshot of your experiences.

Thank you.

1.1)	How satisfied are your with the overall quality of instruction?	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=585 av.=4.35
1.2)	Did you find that the people at our college cared about you as a person?	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=584 av.=4.16

2. College Instructional Experiences

The following items help us define how well our competencies as a whole are met in the classroom. For each item, answer the question, "How often did you do the following?"

2.1)	Completed a paper or project that integrated ideas from several sources.	Never	Frequently	n=585 av.=3.45
2.2)	Applied a concept or technique that you learned in class.	Never	Frequently	n=584 av.=3.68
2.3)	Worked on an assignment in which you used a computer.	Never	Frequently	n=584 av.=3.84
2.4)	Participated in clubs or organizations.	Never	Frequently	n=584 av.=2.02
2.5)	Utilized mathematical skills in projects.	Never	Frequently	n=585 av.=3.21
2.6)	Engaged in reading.	Never	Frequently	n=582 av.=3.8

3. Evaluation of Educational Experiences

in this section, think of your overall experience at this community college. Please indicate the degree to which your education at this community college as\dded to your skill in each of the following areas.

3.1)	Planning and carrying out projects.	Never	Frequently	n=564 av.=2.68
3.2)	Getting along with people of different cultures a d philosophies.	Very Little	Very Much	n=583 av.=2.59
3.3)	Ability to learn on your own.	Very Little	Very Much	n=585 av.=2.82
3.4)	Ability to lead or guide others.	Very Little	Very Much	n=582 av.=2.49
3.5)	Self confidence in verbally (speaking) expressing your ideas.	Very Little	Very Much	n=582 av.=2.56
3.6)	Self confidence in expressing your ideas in writing.	Very Little	Very Much	n=581 av.=2.64

3.7)	Self confidence in solving practical mathematical problems.	Very Little	Very Much	n=583 av.=2.49
3.8)	Planning and carrying out projects.	Very Little	Very Much	n=584 av.=2.65
3.9)	Understanding and applying scientific principles and methods.	Very Little	Very Much	n=582 av.=2.54
3.10)	Understanding environmental concerns.	Very Little	Very Much	n=583 av.=2.51
3.11)	Ability to understand mathematical concepts.	Very Little	Very Much	n=583 av.=2.52
3.12)	Ability to use computers in practical situations.	Very Little	Very Much	n=579 av.=2.82
3.13)	Ability to examine ethical issues and values.	Very Little	Very Much	n=577 av.=2.7

4. Academic Planning

In responding to these statements, consider your academic plan and rate the quality of each of the following items.

4.1)	Clarity of program requirements.	Poor	Excellent	n=582 av.=4.29
4.2)	Quality of curriculum in providing job related skills and knowledge.	Poor	Excellent	n=581 av.=4.31
4.3)	Quality of curriculum in preparing for additional education.	Poor	Excellent	n=581 av.=4.3
4.4)	Availability of practicums, internships, and co-op experiences in the academic plan.	Poor	Excellent	n=579 av.=3.96

5. Evaluation of College Services

While you were attending college, most of the services in this section were available to you. Evaluate the quality of those experiences. DO NOT EVALUATE SERVICES IN WHICH YOU HAD NO CONTACT.

5.1)	Career Placement Services	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=149 av.=4.08
5.2)	Counseling Services	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=331 av.=4.28
5.3)	Testing Services	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=418 av.=4.27
5.4)	Services for students with disabilities.	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=87 av.=4.22
5.5)	Computing resources	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=473 av.=4.48
5.6)	Library	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=439 av.=4.51
5.7)	Campus bookstore	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=551 av.=4.05
5.8)	Business Office	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=464 av.=4.24
5.9)	Registration	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=565 av.=4.28
5.10)	Financial Aid	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=520 av.=4.27
5.11)	Campus Security	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=291 av.=4.19
5.12)	Admissions	Very Unsatisfied	Very Satisfied	n=527 av.=4.3