

**Math 852 Graph Theory, Spring 2008**

**Informal Early Feedback**

Please mark the rating on the right corresponding to your response to the statement.

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|--|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|----------------|
| 1. I had a prior interest in taking this course.   | strong          | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | none           |
| 2. This course is required for my program of study.  | yes             |   |   |   |   |   | no             |
| 3. Classroom procedures and discussions seem well-planned.   | always          | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | rarely         |
| 4. The instructor's presentations and explanations are helpful in understanding the subject matter.    | always          | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | rarely         |
| 5. The instructor's way of speaking and personal mannerisms interferes with effective teaching.        | never           | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | nearly always  |
| 6. The pace of the lectures is   | too fast        | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | too slow       |
| 7. The instructor writes enough details on the board.  | always          | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | rarely         |
| 8. During lectures, the instructor makes suitable adjustments when the class becomes lost or confused. | always          | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | never          |
| 9. The instructor seems interested in this subject and teaching it.                                    | very much       | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | not at all     |
| 10. A student could get individual help from the instructor.   | yes, definitely | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | definitely not |
| 11. The course content is  | difficult       | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | easy           |
| 12. The homework is  | difficult       | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | easy           |
| 13. The homework is useful for my learning.  | always          | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | rarely         |
| 14. Work done in class has helped me to solve course problems on my own.                               | very much       | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | not at all     |
| 15. The textbook is useful for my learning.  | always          | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | rarely         |
| 16. After studying, I felt well-prepared for the test.   | agree           | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | disagree       |
| 17. Rate the overall quality of instruction.   | poor            | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | excellent      |

*(There are also questions on the back of the sheet.)*

Please answer the following questions (there are also questions on the back of the sheet).

1. What is a major strength of the instructor?

2. What is a weakness of the instructor?

3. What one topic discussed so far has been the most difficult for you to learn?

4. What suggestions do you have for improving this course?

*Thank you for your input!*