CSCE 330 Fall 2000

Four-Minute Questionnaire: Some Results

Monday 00/9/11

1. What do you like best about this course?
   Daily quizzes
   The concepts and the methods taught by using the board unlike all the professors [who] use slides.
   Clear, readable text
   The organization of the textbook
   Very good and understandable text
   Overall, students like Sebesta's book, the daily quizzes, and the fact that lecturing is done using the whiteboard.

2. What is the worst aspect of this course?
   Sometimes it is rather [tough] to read and understand the notes on the board.
   The ways the notes are presented on the board.
   The reading gets very boring.
   The textbook seems to be very confusing.
   Overall, students complain about the writing on the board being difficult to read.

3. What should I do to make the course more interesting to you? Try to tell us what we need to know to do well, so we'll know what to focus on.
   Eliminate so much of the seemingly unnecessary book readings. More real-world examples
   Include more topics or examples from real-world situations (like the Ariane article).
   Put lecture notes on www.
   Overall, students would like more examples.

4. Is the pace of the course too fast, too slow, or just right?
   Overall, students find the pace to be right.