

*** PROVISIONAL REPORT ***

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN
 Yerraballi, Ramesh BME335 14130
 B000 Basic
 SURVEYED WITH: 14135 14140 14145

COURSE-INSTRUCTOR SURVEY
 ENGR PROBABILITY & STATISTICS

Spring 2012 DEPARTMENT COPY
 Enrollment = 75
 Surveys Returned = 24

	NUMBER CHOOSING EACH RESPONSE					NO. REPLIES THIS ITEM	AVG.
	Str Disag	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Str Agree		
1 COURSE WELL-ORGANIZED	0	0	0	9	15	24	4.6
2 COMMUNICATED INFORMATION EFFECTIVELY	0	1	0	6	17	24	4.6
3 SHOWED INTEREST IN STUDENT PROGRESS	0	0	0	4	20	24	4.8
4 ASSIGNMENTS AND TESTS RETURNED PROMPTLY	0	0	3	8	13	24	4.4
5 STUDENT FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION	0	0	0	4	19	23	4.8
6 COURSE OF VALUE TO DATE	0	0	0	9	15	24	4.6
	Vry Unsat	Unsat	Satisfact	Very Good	Excellent		
7 OVERALL INSTRUCTOR RATING	0	0	1	3	20	24	4.8
8 OVERALL COURSE RATING	0	0	5	10	9	24	4.2
	Excessive	High	Average	Light	Insuffic		
9 STUDENT RATING OF COURSE WORKLOAD	0	3	17	4	0	24	
	Less 2.00	2.00-2.49	2.50-2.99	3.00-3.49	3.50-4.00		
10 OVERALL UT GRADE POINT AVERAGE	0	1	3	9	11	24	
	<u>A</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>F</u>		
11 PROBABLE COURSE GRADE	12	12	0	0	0	24	

 For the computation of averages, values were assigned on a 5-point scale so that the most favorable response was assigned a value of 5 and the least favorable response was assigned a value of 1.

COMMENTS:

Total Number of Comments: 17

1. Prof. Y. is very kind and understanding to all of his students, and he wants his classes to be as fair as possible. He goes out of his way to get to know his students so he can answer all of their questions when necessary. It's not surprising that he won the teaching award for the EE department this year!

2. Professor Yerraballi really cares about the students and he shows it every day in class. He is very approachable and it's clear that he tries very hard to accommodate all of his students. He deserves the highest order of respect and he is probably the best professor I've had at UT to date.

3. This professor showed a lot of interest in the students and I think that the grading was very fair in accordance to effort given. The only problem with this class was the textbooks.

4. Dr. Yerraballi is the best teacher I have had at UT. I have had him for 3 classes, and wish he was teaching more of them. The classes he teaches are not exactly the track I am doing, and he understands that not all the students are as able in the class as others and teaches accordingly. He is a very good instructor, always showing examples for nearly every scenario we will encounter on the tests, labs, and homeworks. He does not expect ridiculous amounts of memorization from us, which is great. He wants us to be able to know how to solve problems, and not worry about memorizing the equations needed to solve them much like real world application .

5. This was the second class that I had Professor Yerraballi in this semester. Professor Yerraballi is an amazing professor. He is always prepared for class and makes it enjoyable for the students. His quizzes and tests are very fair and returned promptly. He also makes the student unafraid to ask questions or go by his office hours to get help with a problem. Professor Yerraballi is definitely the best professor I have had to date, and I hope that he will teach more BME classes in the future.

6. Dr. Y is a very caring professor. He takes the time to make sure all the students understand the material. He goes above and beyond the effort of any professor I have had at UT to get material across to the students, even if it means spending extra time in his office hours or making more detailed ppts for us. He is awesome. UT, you need to treat him better, give the man a raise. I know who's you can cut too, i.e. Stas BME 113L .

7. Dr. Yerraballi is a fantastic professor who genuinely cares about his students and their success. The fact that he is paid merely fraction of other professors who hardly care to teach and instead focus their entire time on their research is a disgrace to the system. Dr. Yerraballi should be compensated justly for his excellent work in helping the School of Engineering maintain its status as, in fact, a school, and not a research institution.

8. Dr. Yerraballi is a great professor. He is tremendously helpful and very courteous. He really cares about how his students are doing and makes sure we understand the material before moving onto the next topic. He explains things thoroughly and keeps us engaged during lectures. He deserves a pay raise!

9. Give him a raise!

10. Yerraballi cares a lot about how the students are doing and deserves a raise. Bring him from EE to BME permanently. And have him teach more courses, like BME 343.

11. This course was great! Yerraballi is a great professor. He really cares about his students and tries to connect with them. He has a great attitude and is very helpful.

12. One of my favorite professors ever, Dr. Y you are the best! Only .. area of possible improvement is that notes are sometimes frustrating to take. You have several boards of space and can jump back and forth and erase things as you continue. We write on single sheets of paper and the notes get confusing when we try to jump back and forth and have to change update what is written to follow what is going on the board.

13. Dr. Yerraballi is a great professor overall. However, I feel that his lectures can be greatly improved. His lecturing style is quite often hard to follow jumps around from chalk board to chalk board and his handwriting can be hard to read at times. I wish he would have utilized the recording system that was offered the first week of class I think that would have been a great help when reviewing the course material. I also wish Dr. Yerraballi would have utilized the Doc Cam instead of using the chalk board. That would have enabled students past the third row to decipher the notes. I feel that the material was often over complicated and that the slides did a better job of explaining the material in a concise and clear manner.

14. I have never had a professor as instructive and genuinely interested in the progress of his students as Yerraballi. He deserves all the credit in the world. All of his students love him and love the challenge and drive he brings to the classroom.

15. Dr. Yeraballi is an excellent professor. He is a great teacher and really cares about his students. He wants to make sure everyone understands the material and sometimes will even stop class to explain a topic again if it is unclear. He is friendly, amiable, and easily approachable. He makes sure to answer questions fully and he makes his lectures interesting. I'm so glad I got to have Dr. Yeraballi as a professor.

16. He needs to get paid more!!

17. Dr. Yerraballi is one of the best professors I've had at UT. He should be paid more.
