

**MBA Core Course Tutorial Evaluation
P1 Sep-Oct 2013, MBA 14J**

COURSE: **PRICES & MARKETS**
SECTION (*if applicable*) **E1–E2**
TUTOR: **JEEVA SOMASUNDARAM**

THE COURSE: What is your overall evaluation/assessment of:

- 01 – How effective were the tutorials in helping to understand the core course?
02 – How effective were the tutorials in helping to do the class exercises?
03 – How much did you learn?

04 - The effectiveness of the tutor teaching this course?

OVERALL MEAN Q4: 4.36**RESULTS****Distribution**

Question	Mean	# of answers
Q 1	4.50	22
Q 2	4.50	22
Q 3	4.32	22
Q 4	4.36	22

Comments

Tutor is strong in the material itself, maybe as a student. However teaching skills are weak. He lacks the ability to simplify advanced terms & concepts to those beginners attending the tutorials.

Excellent tutor! He will be a good professor

Extremely helpful, I always walked out of tutorials completely understanding the material we covered

1. **What suggestions, if any, do you have to enhance the relevance and strengthen the coherence of the tutorials?**

None on early Saturday morning please

Materials are sufficient. Good in overall

The solutions should be annotated with comments/explanations to explain what is happening at each step

Continue emphasising intuition in addition to working through mechanics of problems

The tutorials are much heavy, but the exams are more intuition based

Coordinate the sessions so that they are more aligned with the classes, i.e. same topic covered in tutorial on or immediately after topic is covered in class.

Try not to ship too many steps

More real exam questions

Recommend to extend the tutorial time

None, its well structured. Maybe minimize the number of questions covered in a tutorial to avoid not completing the questions

Explains in very dedicated manner with very strong understanding of

Sometimes he skipped/jumped over steps that were not obvious to a

beginner, which was confusing until the skipped step was explained

Make sure to write out each step of the equations – we are just learning this content and it is not intuitive for us

2. **What are the tutor's main teaching strengths?**

Always has an answer to our questions

Good knowledge

Explanation of the intuition behind economic principles

He is patient, answering all questions and making sure everyone understands

He has a very kind and gentle tem . A positive attitude

Depth of understanding of subject matter, patience in explaining difficult points

Very willing to spend one on one time to help students understand

Explains things well, tries to teach intuition

Ability to explain in simple and explicit terms, ensuring clarity, very structured

And methodical approach to teaching.

He is super nice!

Has a strong understanding of the material

Very comprehensive

Very clear explanation, adapts to need of audience

Explain all material in details and perfectly

He is very patient & will continue explaining content until the class

understands. Very dedicated & will go the extra mile to do extra tasks e;g;

making a summary sheet for us

Mathematical explanation

Patient, you can tell that he really wants us to understand the material

3. **In what respect could the tutor improve his/her teaching?**

Explain, teach, then solve questions

More structured approach. For weaker students, solving equations in a structure and way, step 1, step 2 step 3 etc.

Solving problems on the black board in a more clear way (a more ordered way, some people had problems with following what is going on there)

He can improve his ability to use simpler language to deliver the explanation

Write more clearly... algebra written is often kerfuffled. Write out, explicitly, on the blackboard,

Comments and annotations of what the inferences are in going from step to step. Currently,

He only mentions key insights verbally, which make it hard to recall for people who don't have perfect Audio memories. However, if the comments are written, they can be copied and reviewed

Then and later on when studying.

He is the best!

Use more practical applications of concepts

Needs more self-confidence in public speaking, frequently corrects himself, so th his message

Never leaving out any steps, even basic arithmetic

Slightly more structure, but in general, very effective tutorial

Learn how to command the class more, to avoid side conversations, however

I think as the semester has continued he has been gradually increasing his command of the group

Jeeva is very helpful at and explains in depth all concepts. I would recommend him to add a little bit of drive and speed up in class to make it

more dynamic

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