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| Difficulty of material in class | 1                                      | 8  | 33                   | 0.17    |
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Balanced overall!

Will try to make material a bit easier

Will increase length of break to 10 minutes.

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| The instructor         | 0                            | 30                              | 13             | 0.66    |
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Good overall.

Will work on making lectures more clear.

Please stop me if anything is not clear!

Also take advantage of my and TA's office hours

Comment (7): Do we have a TA?

Can TA have more office hours?

Answer:

Eric Miles, West Village H 266.

Office hours: held in the lounge outside room 208

Thursday 11 - 12:30. Email: [enmiles@ccs.neu.edu](mailto:enmiles@ccs.neu.edu)

Email Eric for extra appointment

**Comment:** Review class before quiz.

**Answer:** Will do

**Comment:** Slide files too big crash the browser

/too slow on browser

**Answer:** .odp files are < 100K

can open with OpenOffice (free)

.pdf should also work if first save the file

Please let me know if you still have problems.

**Comment:** More text, less symbols on slides  
Needs more visuals, less clutter

**Answer:**

We should have less and less symbols now,  
TM/complexity is more high-level material

Will try to make them more visual.



**Comment:** Want to use laptop in class  
to look at other slides

**Answer:**

OK to use laptop, but please sit in top half rows.

If laptops bother you, sit in bottom half and you won't see them.

**Comment:** More Jojo's cookies

**Answer:**

Will do ;-)