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	Economics students survey	Economics Network Online Student Survey	All (excluding current survey)	All (including current survey)
Number of respondents:	2021	1930	1930	3951
Number of respondents after filtering:	2021 (100.0%)	1930 (100.0%)	1930 (100.0%)	3951 (100.0%)
Expected number of respondents:	2100	3000	3000	5100
Response rate:	96.2%	64.3%	64.3%	77.5%
Launch date:	13 Feb 2008	02 Mar 2006	n/a	n/a
Close date:	30 Apr 2008	08 May 2006	n/a	n/a

Current Filter

Showing 86 questions out of a total of 87 questions

Section 1: About you

2. Please state whether you are	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Female	45.4%	917	44.5%	858	44.5%	858	44.9%	1775
Male	54.6%	1104	55.5%	1072	55.5%	1072	55.1%	2176

3. What was your age	Economics students	Economics Network	All	All

on entry to your course?	survey		Online Student Survey		(excluding current survey)		(including current survey)	
18-21	80.1%	1618	82.1%	1585	82.1%	1585	81.1%	3203
22-25	14.0%	282	11.8%	228	11.8%	228	12.9%	510
26 and over	6.0%	121	6.1%	117	6.1%	117	6.0%	238

4. Do you have A level Maths or equivalent?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	67.9%	1373	63.9%	1234	63.9%	1234	66.0%	2607
No	32.1%	648	36.1%	696	36.1%	696	34.0%	1344

5. Do you have A level Economics or equivalent?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	60.6%	1224	59.2%	1143	59.2%	1143	59.9%	2367
No	39.4%	797	40.8%	787	40.8%	787	40.1%	1584

6. Is English your first language?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	68.2%	1379	72.7%	1403	72.7%	1403	70.4%	2782
No	31.8%	642	27.3%	527	27.3%	527	29.6%	1169

6.a. If No, has this affected your learning?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very much	n/a	45					n/a	45
To some extent	n/a	213					n/a	213
Not really	n/a	375					n/a	375
Other	n/a	46					n/a	46

7. What year/level on the programme you are now	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
1 year	36.0%	727	38.0%	733	38.0%	733	37.0%	1460
2 year	23.6%	477	26.8%	517	26.8%	517	25.2%	994
3 year	25.3%	511	25.0%	483	25.0%	483	25.2%	994
4 year	6.1%	123	4.7%	90	4.7%	90	5.4%	213
postgraduate	9.1%	183	5.5%	107	5.5%	107	7.3%	290

9. When you applied for university, was this degree your first choice?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	82.6%	1670	81.2%	1531	81.2%	1531	82.0%	3201
No	17.4%	351	18.8%	354	18.8%	354	18.0%	705

11. May we contact you to invite you to participate in other	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
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parts of our study?								
Yes	56.4%	1078	59.1%	1086	59.1%	1086	57.7%	2164
No	43.6%	832	40.9%	753	40.9%	753	42.3%	1585

Section 2: About your previous learning experience

12. Before starting on this course did you study in the UK?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	73.0%	1475					73.0%	1475
No	27.0%	546					27.0%	546

13. How does studying on your current course differ from your previous learning experience?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
13.a. Teaching method -- Use number key	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
1 = Very similar	n/a	59					n/a	59
2 = Similar	n/a	243					n/a	243
3 = Some similar, some different	n/a	575					n/a	575
4 = Different	n/a	759					n/a	759
5 = Very different	n/a	409					n/a	409
13.a.ii. Teaching method	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
13.b. Assessment -- Use number key	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
1 = Very similar	n/a	152					n/a	152
2 = Similar	n/a	508					n/a	508
3 = Some similar, some different	n/a	597					n/a	597
4 = Different	n/a	536					n/a	536
5 = Very different	n/a	248					n/a	248
13.b.ii. Assessment	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
13.c. Contact with lecturers -- Use number key	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
1 = Very similar	n/a	67					n/a	67
2 = Similar	n/a	241					n/a	241
3 = Some similar, some different	n/a	395					n/a	395
4 = Different	n/a	768					n/a	768

5 = Very different	n/a	557					n/a	557
13.c.ii. Contact with lecturers	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
13.d. E-learning and use of IT -- Use number key	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
1 = Very similar	n/a	112					n/a	112
2 = Similar	n/a	410					n/a	410
3 = Some similar, some different	n/a	478					n/a	478
4 = Different	n/a	644					n/a	644
5 = Very different	n/a	407					n/a	407
13.d.ii. E-learning and use of IT	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
13.e. Student support -- Use number key	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
1 = Very similar	n/a	95					n/a	95
2 = Similar	n/a	377					n/a	377
3 = Some similar, some different	n/a	632					n/a	632
4 = Different	n/a	667					n/a	667
5 = Very different	n/a	309					n/a	309
13.e.ii. Student support	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	

14. Do you think your previous learning experience prepared you for your current study	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very well	n/a	503					n/a	503
Adequately	n/a	1351					n/a	1351
Not at all	n/a	237					n/a	237
<i>Other</i>	n/a	114					n/a	114

Section 3: About your degree course

15. Has studying this degree course met your expectations?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	28.6%	579	35.6%	688	35.6%	688	32.1%	1267
Mostly yes	46.3%	936	39.8%	769	39.8%	769	43.2%	1705
In some parts yes, in others no	19.7%	399	19.7%	380	19.7%	380	19.7%	779
Mostly no	4.0%	80	3.3%	64	3.3%	64	3.6%	144

No	1.3%	27	1.5%	29	1.5%	29	1.4%	56
16. Please indicate how useful you have found each of these in supporting your learning	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
16.a. Lectures	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	28.5%	575	25.9%	500	25.9%	500	27.2%	1075
Useful	46.2%	933	49.4%	954	49.4%	954	47.8%	1887
Of some use	18.3%	370	19.8%	383	19.8%	383	19.1%	753
Of little use	6.1%	124	3.6%	70	3.6%	70	4.9%	194
N/A - do not have this in my degree	0.5%	10	0.6%	12	0.6%	12	0.6%	22
Other	0.4%	9	0.6%	11	0.6%	11	0.5%	20
16.b. Small classes or seminars (up to 20 students)	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	45.3%	915	39.2%	756	39.2%	756	42.3%	1671
Useful	33.3%	674	36.6%	706	36.6%	706	34.9%	1380
Of some use	13.6%	274	14.6%	282	14.6%	282	14.1%	556
Of little use	4.3%	87	4.9%	94	4.9%	94	4.6%	181
N/A - do not have this in my degree	3.0%	61	4.4%	84	4.4%	84	3.7%	145
Other	0.5%	10	0.4%	8	0.4%	8	0.5%	18
16.c. Workshops or classes (over 25 students)	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	13.3%	269	8.4%	163	8.4%	163	10.9%	432
Useful	26.9%	543	25.0%	483	25.0%	483	26.0%	1026
Of some use	17.6%	356	18.7%	360	18.7%	360	18.1%	716
Of little use	7.2%	146	7.1%	137	7.1%	137	7.2%	283
N/A - do not have this in my degree	34.7%	702	40.4%	779	40.4%	779	37.5%	1481
Other	0.2%	5	0.4%	8	0.4%	8	0.3%	13
16.d. Lecturers office hours or clinics or one-to-one tutorials	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	22.1%	447	17.8%	343	17.8%	343	20.0%	790
Useful	26.0%	526	25.9%	500	25.9%	500	26.0%	1026
Of some use	22.7%	458	24.2%	467	24.2%	467	23.4%	925
Of little use	18.2%	367	19.4%	375	19.4%	375	18.8%	742
N/A - do not have this in my degree	9.2%	185	9.9%	191	9.9%	191	9.5%	376
Other	1.9%	38	2.8%	54	2.8%	54	2.3%	92

16.e. Assigned reading	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	22.3%	451	25.5%	493	25.5%	493	23.9%	944
Useful	42.7%	862	43.7%	843	43.7%	843	43.2%	1705
Of some use	24.5%	495	22.1%	427	22.1%	427	23.3%	922
Of little use	6.9%	139	5.4%	104	5.4%	104	6.2%	243
N/A - do not have this in my degree	3.4%	68	2.8%	54	2.8%	54	3.1%	122
Other	0.3%	6	0.5%	9	0.5%	9	0.4%	15
16.f. Other reading	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	10.0%	202	10.8%	208	10.8%	208	10.4%	410
Useful	31.8%	643	35.1%	677	35.1%	677	33.4%	1320
Of some use	35.6%	720	36.0%	694	36.0%	694	35.8%	1414
Of little use	16.8%	339	13.1%	253	13.1%	253	15.0%	592
N/A - do not have this in my degree	5.5%	111	4.6%	88	4.6%	88	5.0%	199
Other	0.3%	6	0.5%	10	0.5%	10	0.4%	16
16.g. Groupwork projects	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	10.1%	205	9.2%	177	9.2%	177	9.7%	382
Useful	24.1%	488	25.4%	491	25.4%	491	24.8%	979
Of some use	20.4%	412	20.3%	392	20.3%	392	20.3%	804
Of little use	16.9%	341	13.8%	266	13.8%	266	15.4%	607
N/A - do not have this in my degree	27.6%	557	30.2%	583	30.2%	583	28.9%	1140
Other	0.9%	18	1.1%	21	1.1%	21	1.0%	39
16.h. Set preparatory work for seminars (e.g. problem sets)	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	29.5%	596	28.0%	541	28.0%	541	28.8%	1137
Useful	42.2%	852	42.8%	826	42.8%	826	42.5%	1678
Of some use	16.5%	334	17.9%	346	17.9%	346	17.2%	680
Of little use	4.5%	90	4.6%	88	4.6%	88	4.5%	178
N/A - do not have this in my degree	7.3%	147	6.4%	124	6.4%	124	6.9%	271
Other	0.1%	2	0.3%	5	0.3%	5	0.2%	7
16.i. Essays	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	28.7%	581	29.7%	574	29.7%	574	29.2%	1155
Useful	44.0%	890	45.4%	877	45.4%	877	44.7%	1767
Of some use	16.4%	332	14.2%	274	14.2%	274	15.3%	606
Of little use	4.0%	80	3.6%	69	3.6%	69	3.8%	149

N/A - do not have this in my degree	6.2%	126	6.5%	125	6.5%	125	6.4%	251
<i>Other</i>	0.6%	12	0.6%	11	0.6%	11	0.6%	23
16.j. Online learning using the Web	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	22.4%	452	20.9%	404	20.9%	404	21.7%	856
Useful	33.6%	680	29.1%	561	29.1%	561	31.4%	1241
Of some use	20.1%	406	21.5%	414	21.5%	414	20.8%	820
Of little use	8.0%	161	8.0%	154	8.0%	154	8.0%	315
N/A - do not have this in my degree	15.8%	319	20.2%	389	20.2%	389	17.9%	708
<i>Other</i>	0.1%	3	0.4%	8	0.4%	8	0.3%	11
16.k. Online learning using economics software	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	12.8%	258	8.9%	172	8.9%	172	10.9%	430
Useful	22.1%	447	19.0%	367	19.0%	367	20.6%	814
Of some use	18.1%	365	19.5%	376	19.5%	376	18.8%	741
Of little use	10.0%	203	11.8%	227	11.8%	227	10.9%	430
N/A - do not have this in my degree	36.2%	732	40.2%	775	40.2%	775	38.1%	1507
<i>Other</i>	0.8%	16	0.7%	13	0.7%	13	0.7%	29
16.l. Online questions and tests (not assessed)	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	13.4%	270	10.5%	203	10.5%	203	12.0%	473
Useful	22.7%	458	21.2%	409	21.2%	409	21.9%	867
Of some use	16.7%	337	17.3%	334	17.3%	334	17.0%	671
Of little use	9.4%	189	9.0%	173	9.0%	173	9.2%	362
N/A - do not have this in my degree	37.6%	759	41.8%	807	41.8%	807	39.6%	1566
<i>Other</i>	0.4%	8	0.2%	4	0.2%	4	0.3%	12
16.m. Materials posted by lecturer on course VLE (such as Blackboard or WebCT) or website	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	43.7%	883	43.2%	833	43.2%	833	43.4%	1716
Useful	33.1%	669	34.0%	657	34.0%	657	33.6%	1326
Of some use	11.2%	227	9.2%	177	9.2%	177	10.2%	404
Of little use	3.2%	65	3.8%	74	3.8%	74	3.5%	139
N/A - do not have this in my degree	8.3%	168	9.3%	179	9.3%	179	8.8%	347
<i>Other</i>	0.4%	9	0.5%	10	0.5%	10	0.5%	19
16.n. Communication tools (e.g. discussion board) in course VLE	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	

Very useful	9.6%	195	10.0%	193	10.0%	193	9.8%	388
Useful	19.4%	392	17.5%	338	17.5%	338	18.5%	730
Of some use	20.1%	406	19.5%	376	19.5%	376	19.8%	782
Of little use	22.6%	456	19.4%	374	19.4%	374	21.0%	830
N/A - do not have this in my degree	27.8%	562	32.7%	632	32.7%	632	30.2%	1194
<i>Other</i>	0.5%	10	0.9%	17	0.9%	17	0.7%	27
16.o. Feedback on submitted work	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	28.2%	569	27.1%	523	27.1%	523	27.6%	1092
Useful	33.9%	685	33.8%	652	33.8%	652	33.8%	1337
Of some use	18.4%	371	21.5%	415	21.5%	415	19.9%	786
Of little use	13.4%	271	10.9%	210	10.9%	210	12.2%	481
N/A - do not have this in my degree	4.0%	81	4.7%	90	4.7%	90	4.3%	171
<i>Other</i>	2.1%	43	2.1%	40	2.1%	40	2.1%	83
16.p. Preparing for exams and/or tests	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	36.0%	727	37.4%	722	37.4%	722	36.7%	1449
Useful	41.8%	844	42.1%	813	42.1%	813	41.9%	1657
Of some use	14.9%	301	14.2%	275	14.2%	275	14.6%	576
Of little use	5.0%	100	4.0%	77	4.0%	77	4.5%	177
N/A - do not have this in my degree	1.8%	37	1.9%	36	1.9%	36	1.8%	73
<i>Other</i>	0.5%	11	0.4%	7	0.4%	7	0.5%	18
16.q. Working informally with other students	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very useful	28.8%	581	28.5%	551	28.5%	551	28.7%	1132
Useful	39.1%	790	37.8%	730	37.8%	730	38.5%	1520
Of some use	19.6%	396	20.9%	404	20.9%	404	20.3%	800
Of little use	7.9%	160	7.2%	138	7.2%	138	7.5%	298
N/A - do not have this in my degree	4.4%	88	5.1%	99	5.1%	99	4.7%	187
<i>Other</i>	0.2%	5	0.4%	8	0.4%	8	0.3%	13

18. Which of the following activities are used in seminars/tutorials /small classes?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
18.a. Going through pre-prepared problem sets or worksheets	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	77.3%	1562	75.0%	1447	75.0%	1447	76.2%	3009
Occasionally	17.2%	347	19.3%	373	19.3%	373	18.2%	720

Rarely or never	5.5%	111	5.7%	110	5.7%	110	5.6%	221
18.b. Working through questions given out in seminar as whole group	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	41.9%	847	38.9%	750	38.9%	750	40.4%	1597
Occasionally	34.6%	699	36.4%	702	36.4%	702	35.5%	1401
Rarely or never	23.5%	474	24.8%	478	24.8%	478	24.1%	952
18.c. Working through questions given out in seminar in small groups	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	32.0%	646	28.6%	552	28.6%	552	30.3%	1198
Occasionally	37.5%	758	38.0%	733	38.0%	733	37.7%	1491
Rarely or never	30.5%	616	33.4%	645	33.4%	645	31.9%	1261
18.d. Individual presentations of paper	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	14.1%	284	15.8%	305	15.8%	305	14.9%	589
Occasionally	37.6%	760	34.7%	669	34.7%	669	36.2%	1429
Rarely or never	48.3%	976	49.5%	956	49.5%	956	48.9%	1932
18.e. Mini-lecture by tutor	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	19.7%	397	19.2%	370	19.2%	370	19.4%	767
Occasionally	48.5%	980	45.9%	886	45.9%	886	47.2%	1866
Rarely or never	31.8%	643	34.9%	674	34.9%	674	33.3%	1317
18.f. Games, experiments, role-play	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	3.5%	71	2.2%	43	2.2%	43	2.9%	114
Occasionally	20.7%	419	15.9%	306	15.9%	306	18.4%	725
Rarely or never	75.7%	1530	81.9%	1581	81.9%	1581	78.8%	3111

20. How effective have you found the teaching of maths and stats on your course?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Very good	16.5%	334	16.1%	310	16.1%	310	16.3%	644
Mostly good	35.9%	726	35.1%	678	35.1%	678	35.5%	1404
Some good, some not so good	28.0%	566	29.4%	568	29.4%	568	28.7%	1134
Generally not very good	8.6%	174	8.5%	164	8.5%	164	8.6%	338
Poor	6.1%	123	6.3%	122	6.3%	122	6.2%	245
Other	4.8%	97	4.6%	88	4.6%	88	4.7%	185

21. How relevant to the real world do you	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current		All (including current	
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find the content of the degree?					survey)		survey)	
Largely relevant	27.8%	562	25.0%	483	25.0%	483	26.5%	1045
Relevant	41.5%	839	41.8%	806	41.8%	806	41.6%	1645
Some relevant. some not so	24.8%	500	27.1%	523	27.1%	523	25.9%	1023
Generally not very relevant	4.7%	95	5.4%	105	5.4%	105	5.1%	200
Not relevant at all	1.2%	24	0.7%	13	0.7%	13	0.9%	37

22. How do you find the workload on this degree?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Much too heavy	2.3%	46	2.8%	54	2.8%	54	2.5%	100
Too heavy	19.5%	394	17.4%	336	17.4%	336	18.5%	730
About right	64.9%	1311	66.1%	1276	66.1%	1276	65.5%	2587
Too light	7.2%	145	7.2%	138	7.2%	138	7.2%	283
Much too light	0.7%	15	0.6%	11	0.6%	11	0.7%	26
Other	5.4%	109	6.0%	115	6.0%	115	5.7%	224

23. Do you find that the assessment on your degree accurately tests the level of your knowledge and understanding of the learning outcomes	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	n/a	439	n/a	397	n/a	397	n/a	836
Mostly	n/a	954	n/a	934	n/a	934	n/a	1888
In some parts yes, in others no	n/a	582	n/a	587	n/a	587	n/a	1169
Mostly not	n/a	119	n/a	90	n/a	90	n/a	209
No	n/a	67	n/a	59	n/a	59	n/a	126
Other	n/a	40	n/a	48	n/a	48	n/a	88

23.a. Which of the following types of coursework assessment are used on your degree? (only include assessment that counts towards your overall mark for a module or unit)	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
23.a.i. Essays in your own time								
Frequently	49.5%	1000	52.1%	1006	52.1%	1006	50.8%	2006
Occasionally	29.8%	601	27.9%	539	27.9%	539	28.9%	1140
Rarely or never	19.8%	399	19.1%	369	19.1%	369	19.4%	768
Other	1.0%	20	0.8%	16	0.8%	16	0.9%	36

23.a.ii. Essays done in class	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	2.7%	55	2.0%	38	2.0%	38	2.4%	93
Occasionally	11.1%	225	10.1%	195	10.1%	195	10.6%	420
Rarely or never	85.3%	1723	87.4%	1687	87.4%	1687	86.3%	3410
<i>Other</i>	0.8%	17	0.5%	10	0.5%	10	0.7%	27
23.a.iii. Tests (as opposed to end of year/semester exam)	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	35.4%	716	30.9%	596	30.9%	596	33.2%	1312
Occasionally	36.8%	743	38.2%	738	38.2%	738	37.5%	1481
Rarely or never	26.9%	544	30.1%	581	30.1%	581	28.5%	1125
<i>Other</i>	0.8%	17	0.8%	15	0.8%	15	0.8%	32
23.a.iv. Problem sets	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	31.1%	628	29.0%	559	29.0%	559	30.1%	1187
Occasionally	28.0%	565	25.4%	491	25.4%	491	26.7%	1056
Rarely or never	40.1%	810	45.3%	875	45.3%	875	42.7%	1685
<i>Other</i>	0.8%	17	0.3%	5	0.3%	5	0.6%	22
23.a.v. Online assessment	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	9.3%	187	6.7%	130	6.7%	130	8.0%	317
Occasionally	20.5%	415	21.3%	412	21.3%	412	20.9%	827
Rarely or never	69.3%	1399	71.5%	1380	71.5%	1380	70.4%	2779
<i>Other</i>	0.9%	19	0.4%	8	0.4%	8	0.7%	27
23.a.vi. Groupwork projects	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Frequently	13.0%	262	13.3%	256	13.3%	256	13.1%	518
Occasionally	40.4%	816	38.8%	748	38.8%	748	39.6%	1564
Rarely or never	45.8%	925	47.7%	920	47.7%	920	46.7%	1845
<i>Other</i>	0.8%	17	0.3%	6	0.3%	6	0.6%	23
25. Do the modules/units on your degree course make use of a 'Virtual learning environment' (VLE), such as WebCT or Blackboard?	Economics students survey		Economics Network Online Student Survey		All (excluding current survey)		All (including current survey)	
Yes	73.7%	1488	67.0%	1294	67.0%	1294	70.4%	2782
No	22.9%	462	28.8%	556	28.8%	556	25.8%	1018
<i>Other</i>	3.5%	70	4.1%	80	4.1%	80	3.8%	150
28. Overall, are you	Economics students		Economics Network		All		All	

satisfied with the quality of this degree course?	survey		Online Student Survey		(excluding current survey)		(including current survey)	
	n/a		n/a		n/a		n/a	
Generally satisfied	n/a	763	n/a	705	n/a	705	n/a	1468
Yes, for most parts of my degree	n/a	928	n/a	883	n/a	883	n/a	1811
In some parts yes, in others no	n/a	372	n/a	418	n/a	418	n/a	790
No for most parts of my degree	n/a	80	n/a	63	n/a	63	n/a	143
Generally dissatisfied	n/a	42	n/a	38	n/a	38	n/a	80
<i>Other</i>	n/a	21	n/a	27	n/a	27	n/a	48