Soils of the world and sustainable water and soil management MV0215, 10060.2627

15 Hp
Pace of study = 100%
Education cycle = Advanced
Course leader = Erik Karltun

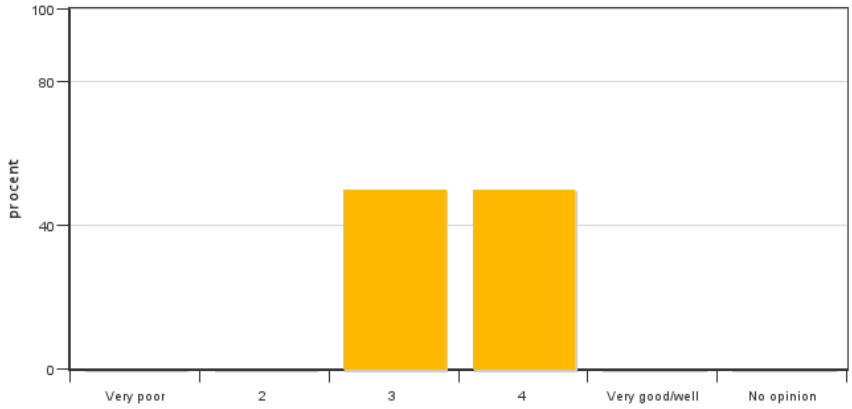
Evaluation report

Evaluation period: 2026-10-25 - 2026-11-15

Answers	4
Number of students	10
Answer frequency	40 %

Mandatory standard questions

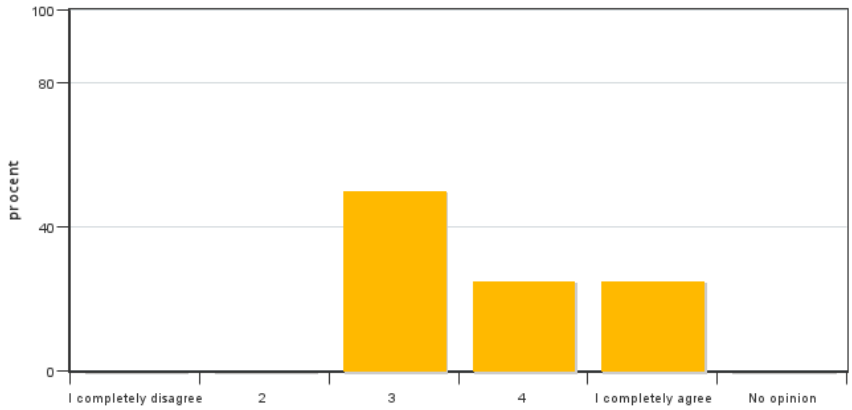
1. My overall impression of the course is:



Number of answers: 4
Average: 3,5
Median: 3

Very poor : 0
2: 0
3: 2
4: 2
Very good/well: 0
No opinion: 0

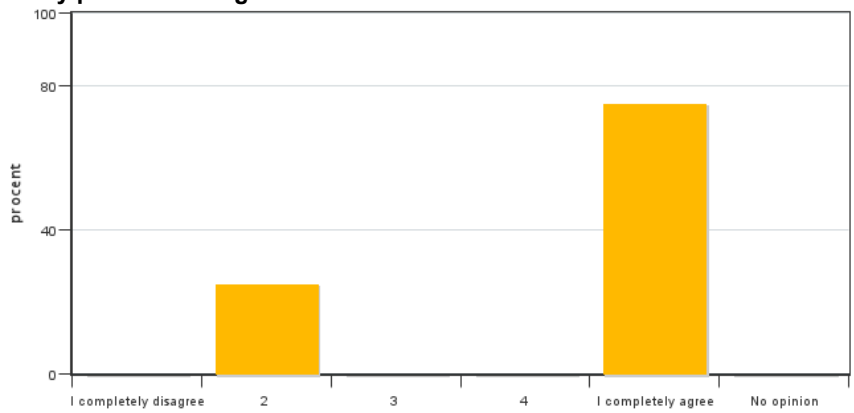
2. I found the course content to have clear links to the learning objectives of the course.



Number of answers: 4
Average: 3,8
Median: 3

I completely disagree: 0
2: 0
3: 2
4: 1
I completely agree: 1
No opinion: 0

3. My prior knowledge was sufficient for me to benefit from the course.

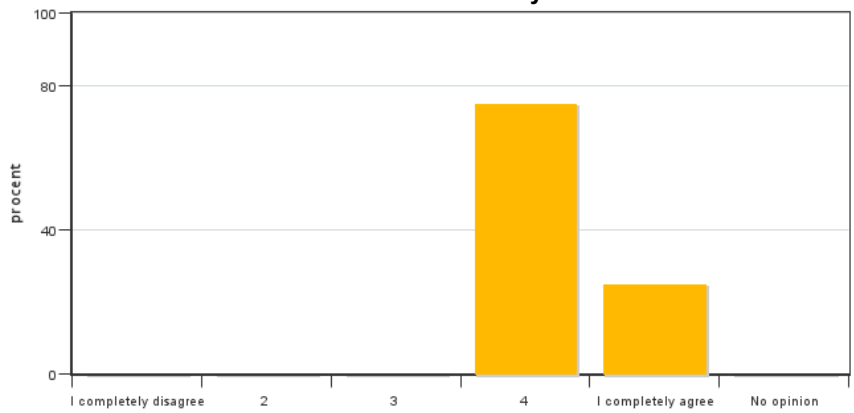


Number of answers: 4
Average: 4,3
Median: 5

I completely disagree: 0
2: 1
3: 0
4: 0
I completely agree: 3

No opinion: 0

4. The information about the course was easily accessible.

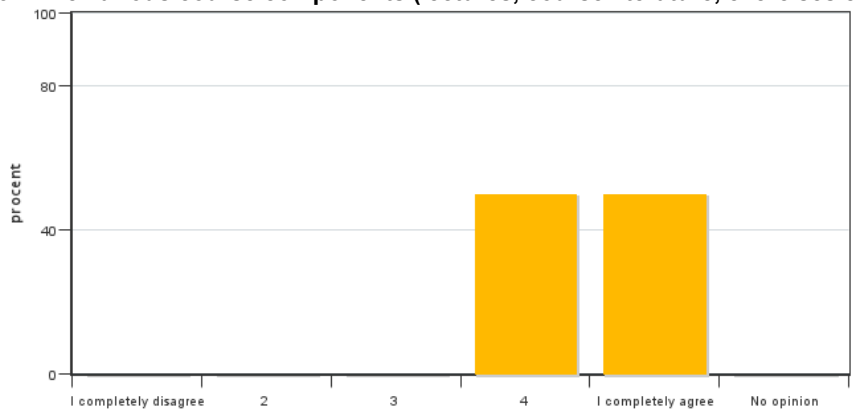


Number of answers: 4
Average: 4,3
Median: 4

I completely disagree: 0
2: 0
3: 0
4: 3
I completely agree: 1

No opinion: 0

5. The various course components (lectures, course literature, exercises etc.) have supported my learning.

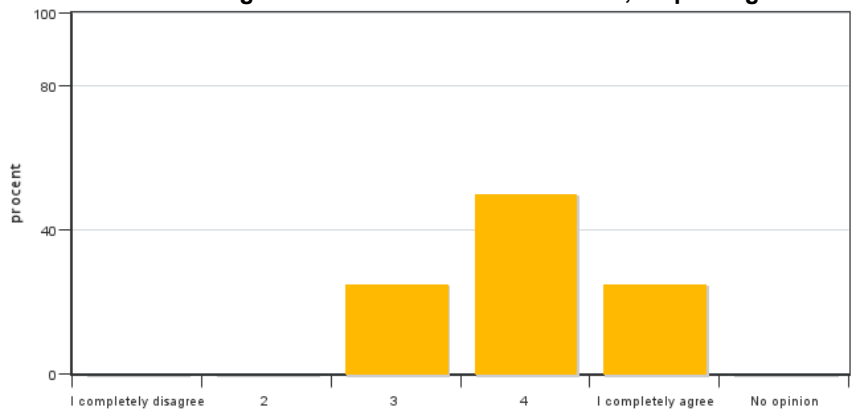


Number of answers: 4
Average: 4,5
Median: 4

I completely disagree: 0
2: 0
3: 0
4: 2
I completely agree: 2

No opinion: 0

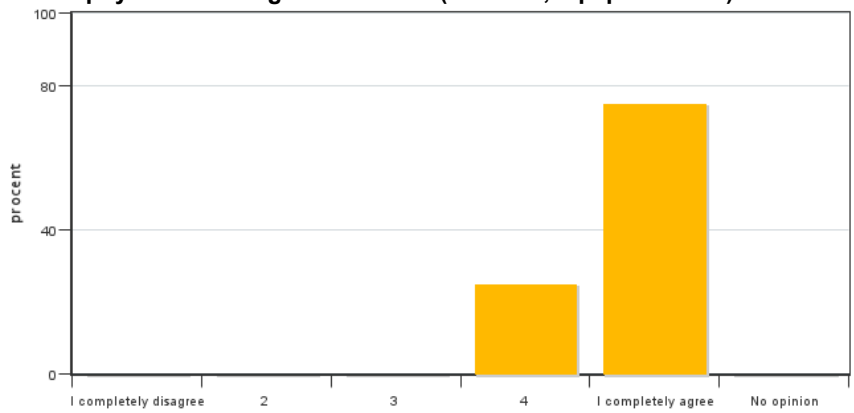
6. The social learning environment has been inclusive, respecting differences of opinion.



Number of answers: 4
Average: 4,0
Median: 4

I completely disagree: 0
2: 0
3: 1
4: 2
I completely agree: 1
No opinion: 0

7. The physical learning environment (facilities, equipment etc.) has been satisfactory.



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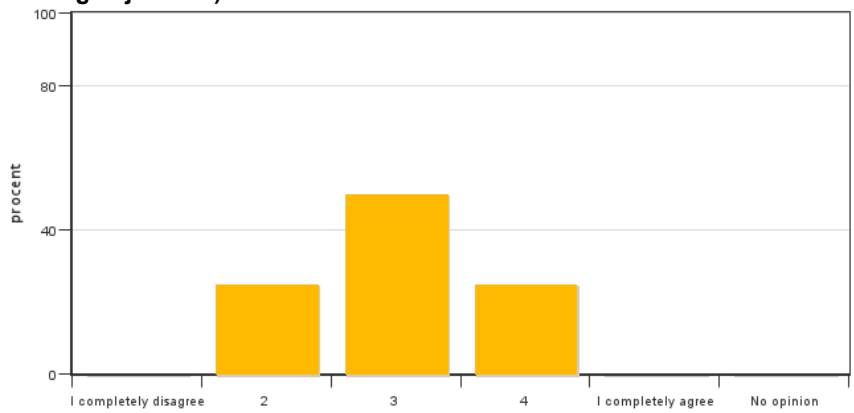
Average: 4,8
Median: 5

I completely disagree: 0
2: 0
3: 0
4: 1
I completely agree: 3
No opinion: 0

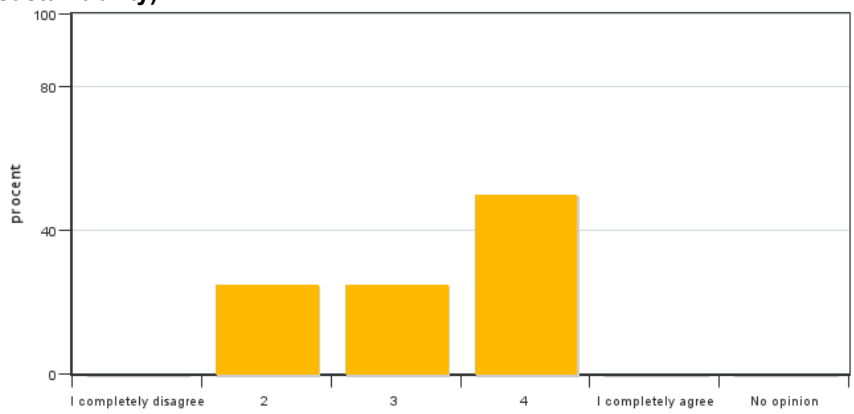
8. The examination(s) provided opportunity to demonstrate what I had learnt during the course (see the learning objectives).



Number of answers: 4
Average: 3,0
Median: 3

I completely disagree: 0
2: 1
3: 2
4: 1
I completely agree: 0
No opinion: 0

9. The course covered the sustainable development aspect (environmental, social and/or financial sustainability).



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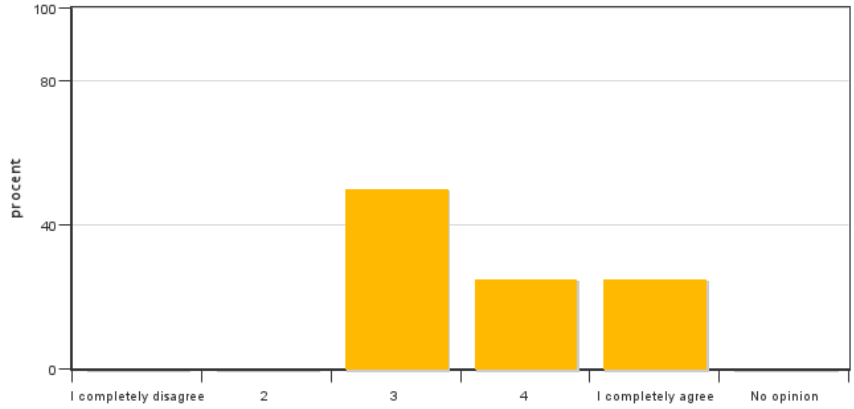
Median: 3

I completely disagree: 0
2: 1
3: 1
4: 2
I completely agree: 0

No opinion: 0

10. I believe the course has included a gender and equality aspect, regarding content as well as teaching practices (e.g. perspective on the subject, reading list, allocation of speaking time and the use of master suppression techniques).



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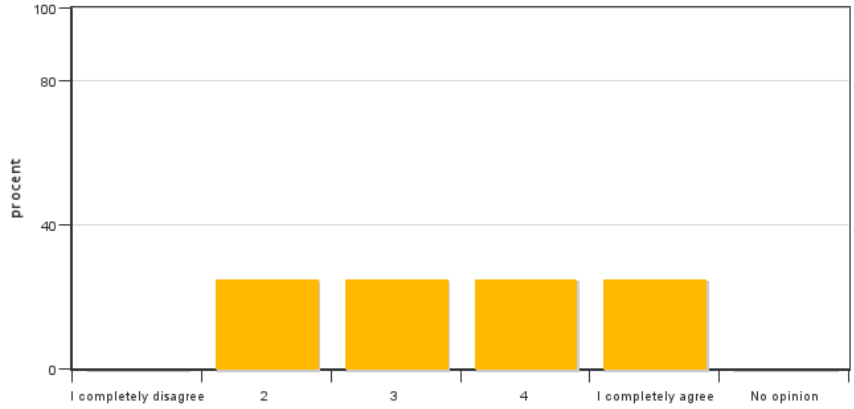
2: 0
3: 2
4: 1
I completely agree: 1

No opinion: 0

11. The course covered international perspectives.



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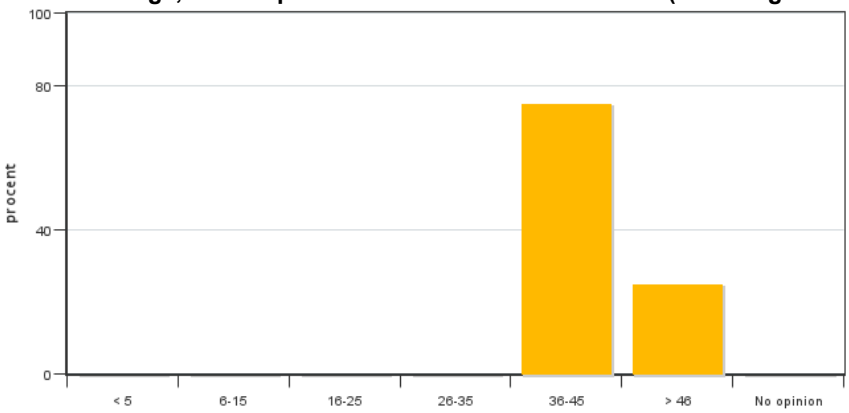
Average: 3,5
Median: 3

I completely disagree: 0
2: 1
3: 1
4: 1
I completely agree: 1

No opinion: 0

12. On average, I have spent … hours/week on the course (including timetabled hours).



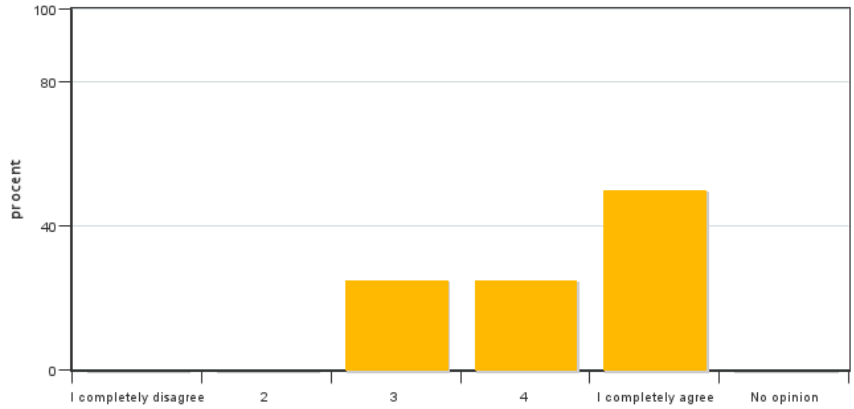
Number of answers: 4
Average: 41,5
Median: 36-45

< 5: 0
6-15: 0
16-25: 0
26-35: 0
36-45: 3
> 46: 1

No opinion: 0

Additional own questions

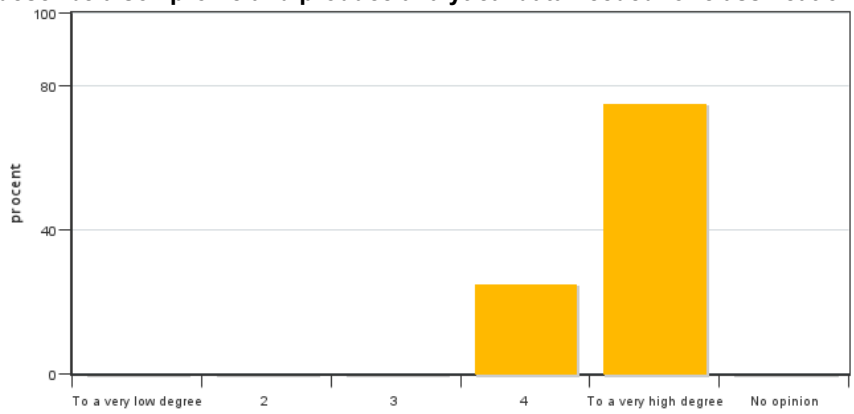
13. The content of the lectures of the Soils of World part of the course was relevant and complemented the course literature.



Number of answers: 4

I completely disagree: 0
2: 0
3: 1
4: 1
I completely agree: 2
No opinion: 0

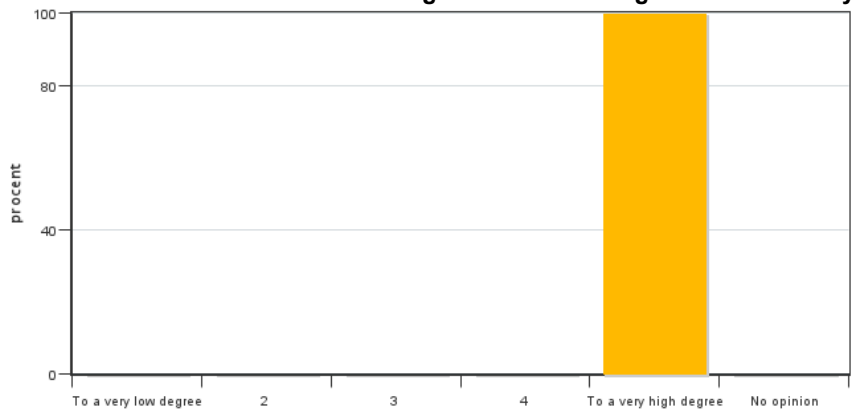
14. The soil profile description exercise and the subsequent lab analysis gave useful training in how to describe a soil profile and produce analytical data needed for classification.



Number of answers: 4

To a very low degree: 0
2: 0
3: 0
4: 1
To a very high degree: 3
No opinion: 0

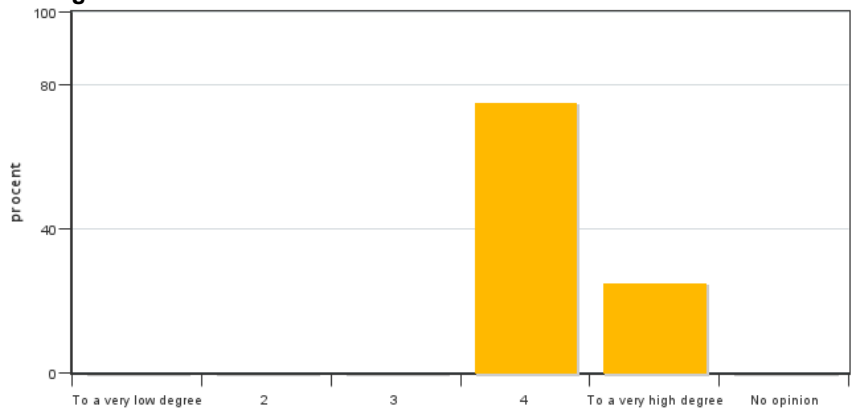
15. The soil classification exercises gave useful training in how to classify soils according to the WRB system.



Number of answers: 4

To a very low degree: 0
2: 0
3: 0
4: 0
To a very high degree: 4
No opinion: 0

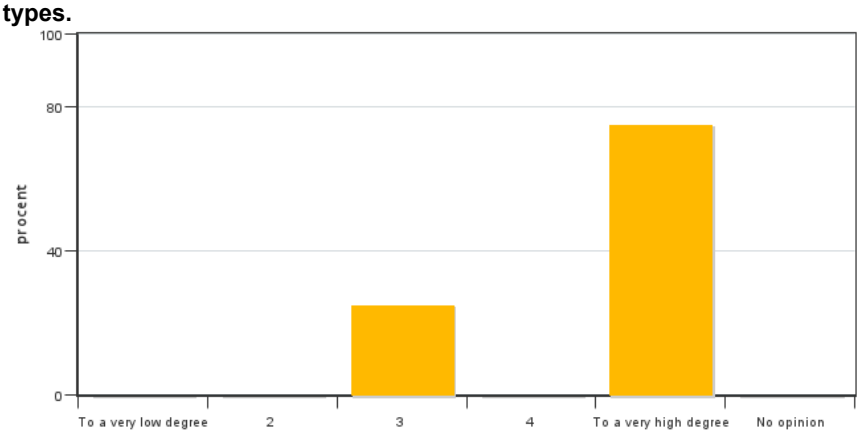
16. The two excursions (the bike excursion in the Ultuna surroundings and the bus excursion to Tärnsjö and Hässlen) gave a valuable perspective on the variability of different soil types in relation to variation in the soil forming factors.



Number of answers: 4

To a very low degree: 0
2: 0
3: 0
4: 3
To a very high degree: 1
No opinion: 0

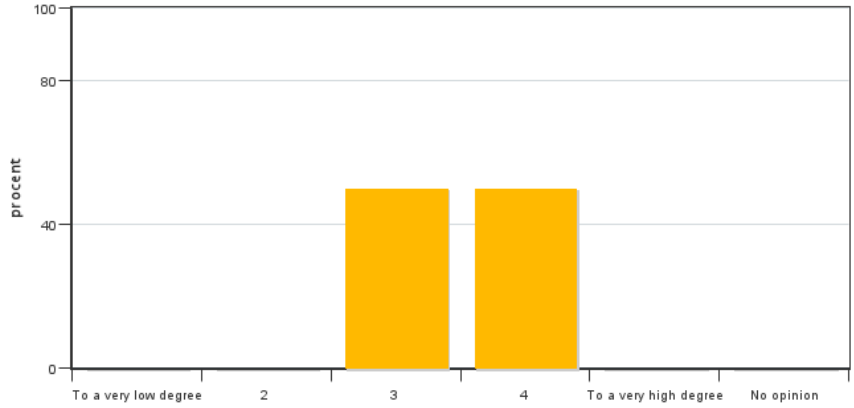
17. The Soil Map of the World exercise gave a valuable perspective on the global geography of different soil types.



Number of answers: 4

To a very low degree: 0
2: 0
3: 1
4: 0
To a very high degree: 3
No opinion: 0

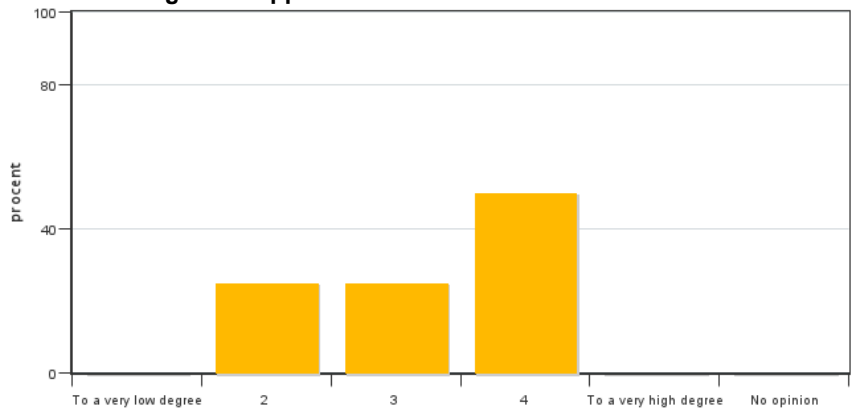
18. The content of the lectures of the Sustainable Water and Soil Management part was relevant and complemented the course literature.



Number of answers: 4

To a very low degree: 0
2: 0
3: 2
4: 2
To a very high degree: 0
No opinion: 0

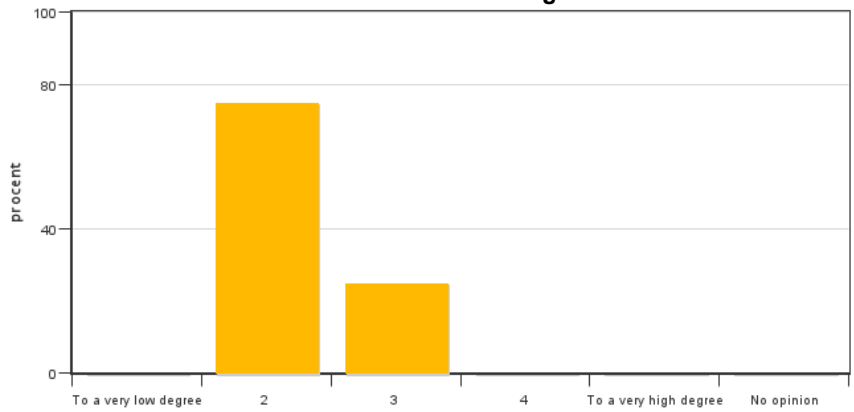
19. The assignments (1-5) gave useful hands-on experience of calculation and modelling methods in water and land management applications.



Number of answers: 4

To a very low degree: 0
2: 1
3: 1
4: 2
To a very high degree: 0
No opinion: 0

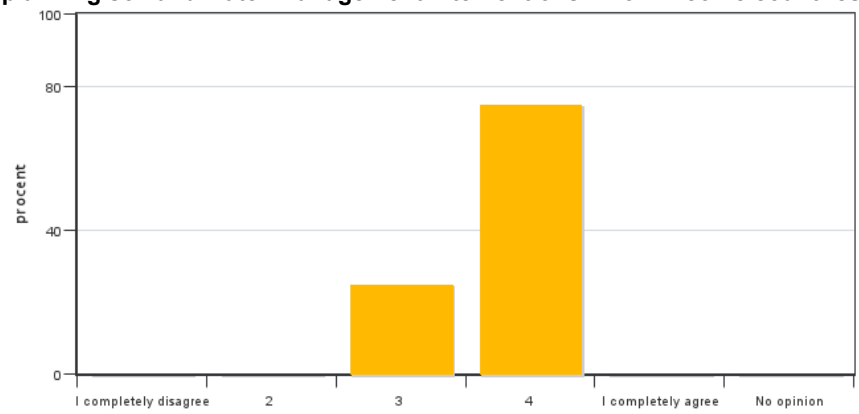
20. The aims and the tasks of the different assignments were well communicated.



Number of answers: 4

To a very low degree: 0
2: 3
3: 1
4: 0
To a very high degree: 0
No opinion: 0

21. The concluding project work gave insights in the socioeconomic and physiographic complexity of planning soil and water management interventions in low-income countries.



Number of answers: 4

I completely disagree: 0
2: 0
3: 1
4: 3
I completely agree: 0
No opinion: 0

Course leaders comments

No comments from the teacher

Student representatives comments

No comments from the student representatives