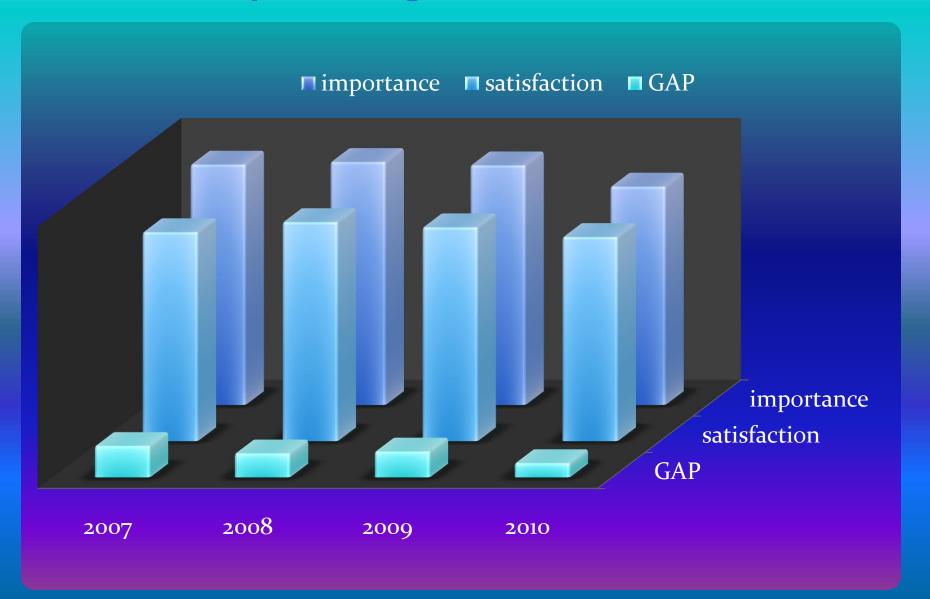
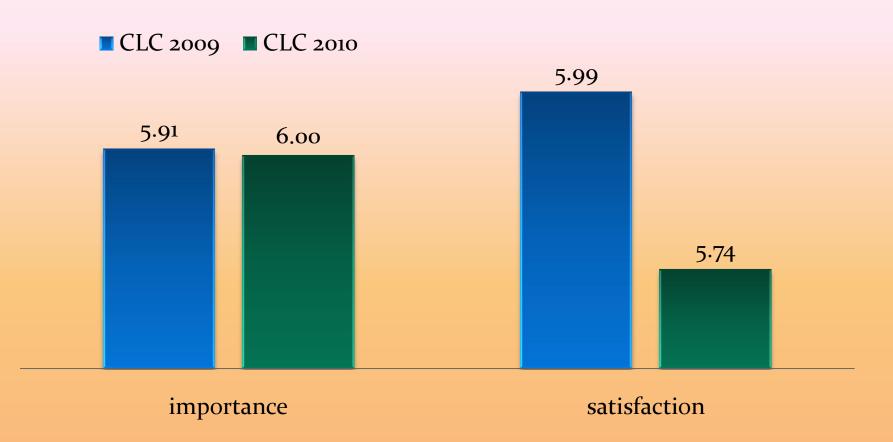
Procedure for purchasing textbooks online is convenient



Challenge: This institution has a good reputation



Challenges:

Important to students and satisfaction is low:

• The quality of online instruction is excellent. (Question #20)

Also a challenge for schools nationwide and MnSCU

CLC - Quality	2010	2009	2008
Importance	6.50	6.61	6.57
Satisfaction	5.47	5.33	5.60
Gap	1.03	1.28	.97

- Adequate financial aid is available. (Question #9)
 Also for MnSCU
- There are sufficient offerings within my program of study. (Question #12) Also for schools nationwide and MnSCU
- Tuition paid is a worthwhile investment. (Question #6)
 Also for MnSCU

New Challenge for 2010:

• Program requirements are clear and reasonable. (Question #7)

N-L Suggestions for what to do with our challenges?

- Attempt to respond on no more than 3-5 for any given academic year
- Some challenges can be grouped together under a broader umbrella
- Determine some activities that are program-wide and those that may be specific to demographic groups or departments on campus
- Consider conducting focus groups to better understand the issue from the student perspective, and to begin the problem-solving process (online chat opportunities)
- Establish next steps and timelines for initiatives
- Inform the campus of the plan
- Work the plan
- Inform the campus when changes have been made
 - "This change brought to you by the satisfaction survey"

Suggestions for approaching initiatives

- Areas that can be fixed with appropriate information
 - Example: Tuition paid is a worthwhile investment. Faculty provide timely feedback.
- Short-term/quick response items
 - Example: Information given on how to get started in an online course.
- Areas that need to be part of a long-term strategic plan
 - Example: Sufficient offerings in the program of study.