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## Foreword

For as long as there have been societies, people have had to work with others. As the world becomes even more interconnected, it will need more people who know how to collaborate. Do today's students have the skills it takes to work with others? Do they know how to listen to other people, how to act as part of a team to achieve a goal?

There have been few attempts to assess how well students collaborate with one another. The PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is the first large-scale test of its kind. The assessment finds that, as expected, students who do well in the core academic subjects of science, reading and mathematics, also tend to do well in collaborative problem solving; and girls outperform boys in every participating country and economy. But there are large differences between countries in their students' mastery of the specific skills needed for successful collaboration; and, on average across OECD countries, not even one in ten students can handle problem-solving tasks that require them to maintain awareness of group dynamics, take the initiative to overcome obstacles, and resolve disagreements and conflicts.

As workplaces around the globe are demanding – and paying higher wages for – people with well-honed social skills, schools need to do more to help their students develop these skills. They can do so through regular course work, through organised physical education activities, and by creating learning environments where diversity is celebrated, where students' relationships with both their peers and their teachers are strengthened, and where students are encouraged to share their ideas and participate in class.

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## Editorial

Successes and failures in the classroom will increasingly shape the fortunes of countries. And yet, more of the same education will only produce more of the same strengths and weaknesses. Today's students are growing up into a world hyperconnected by digitalisation; tomorrow, they'll be working in a labour market that is already being hollowed-out by automation. For those with the right knowledge and skills, these changes are liberating and exciting. But for those who are insufficiently prepared, they can mean a future of vulnerable and insecure work, and a life lived on the margins.

Schools need to prepare students for change that is more rapid than ever before, for jobs that have not yet been created, for societal challenges that we can't yet imagine, and for technologies that have not yet been invented. In today's schools, students typically learn individually, and at the end of the school year, we certify their individual achievements. But the more interdependent the world becomes, the more it needs great collaborators and orchestrators. Innovation is now rarely the product of individuals working in isolation; instead, it is an outcome of how we mobilise, share and integrate knowledge. These days, schools also need to become better at preparing students to live and work in a world in which most people will need to collaborate with people from different cultures, and appreciate a range of ideas and perspectives; a world in which people need to trust and collaborate with others despite those differences, often bridging space and time through technology; and a world in which individual lives will be affected by issues that transcend national boundaries.

We are born with what political scientist Robert Putnam calls "bonding social capital", a sense of belonging to our family or other people with shared experiences, cultural norms, common purposes or pursuits. But it requires deliberate and continuous effort to expand our radius of trust to strangers and institutions, to create the kind of bridging social capital through which we can share experiences, ideas and innovation, and build a shared understanding among groups with diverse backgrounds and interests. Societies that nurture bridging social capital and pluralism have always been more creative, as they can draw on and bring to bear the best talent from anywhere, build on multiple perspectives, and nurture creativity and innovation.

PISA has a long history of assessing students' problem-solving skills. A first assessment of cross-curricular problem-solving skills was undertaken in 2003; in 2012, PISA assessed creative problem-solving skills. The evolution of digital assessment technologies has now allowed PISA to carry out the world's first international assessment of collaborative problem-solving skills, defined as the capacity of students to solve problems by pooling their knowledge, skills and efforts with others.

As one would expect, students who have stronger science, reading or mathematics skills also tend to be better at collaborative problem solving because managing and interpreting information, and the ability to reason are always required to solve problems. The same holds across countries: top-performing countries in PISA, like Japan, Korea and Singapore in Asia, Estonia and Finland in Europe, and Canada in North America, also come out on top in the PISA assessment of collaborative problem solving.

But individual cognitive skills explain less than two-thirds of the variation in student performance on the PISA collaborative problem-solving scale, and a roughly similar share of the performance differences among countries on this measure is explained by the relative standing of countries on the 2012 PISA assessment of individual, creative problem-solving skills.



There are countries where students do much better in collaborative problem solving than what one would predict from their performance in the PISA science, reading and mathematics assessments. For example, Japanese students do very well in those subjects, but they do even better in collaborative problem solving. The same holds for students in Australia, Korea and New Zealand. Students in the United States also do much better in collaborative problem solving than one would expect from their average performance in reading and science, and their below-average performance in mathematics. By contrast, students in the four Chinese provinces that took part in PISA (Beijing, Shanghai, Jiangsu and Guangdong) do well in mathematics and science, but come out just average in collaborative problem solving. Likewise, in Lithuania, Montenegro, the Russian Federation, Tunisia, Turkey and the United Arab Emirates, students punch below their weight in collaborative problem solving. In a nutshell, while the absence of science, reading and mathematics skills does not imply the presence of social and emotional skills, social skills are not an automatic by-product of the development of academic skills either.

The results show that some countries do much better than others in developing students' collaborative problem-solving skills, but all countries need to make headway in preparing students for a much more demanding world. An average of only 8% of students can handle problem-solving tasks with fairly high collaboration complexity that require them to maintain awareness of group dynamics, take the initiative to overcome obstacles, and resolve disagreements and conflicts. Even in top-performer Singapore, just one in five students attains this level. Still, three-quarters of students show that they can contribute to a collaborative effort to solve a problem of medium difficulty and that they can consider different perspectives in their interactions.

Similarly, all countries need to make headway in reducing gender disparities. When PISA assessed individual problem-solving skills in 2012, boys scored higher in most countries. By contrast, in the 2015 assessment of collaborative problem solving, girls outperform boys in every country, both before and after considering their performance in science, reading and mathematics. The relative size of the gender gap in collaborative problem-solving performance is even larger than it is in reading.

These results are mirrored in students' attitudes towards collaboration. Girls reported more positive attitudes towards relationships, meaning that they tend to be more interested in others' opinions and want others to succeed. Boys, on the other hand, are more likely to see the instrumental benefits of teamwork and how collaboration can help them work more effectively and efficiently. As positive attitudes towards collaboration are linked with the collaboration-related component of performance in the PISA assessment, this opens up one avenue for intervention: even if the causal nature of the relationship is unclear, if schools foster boys' appreciation of others and their interpersonal friendships and relationships, then they might also see better outcomes among boys in collaborative problem solving. It is all very well for boys to understand that teamwork can bring benefits, but in order to work effectively in a team and achieve something in a collaborative fashion, boys must be able to listen to others and take their viewpoints into account. Only in this manner can teams make full use of the range of perspectives and experiences that team members offer.

Those attitudes do not just vary between the genders; they vary across countries too. Students in Portugal value relationships more so than students in other countries, and the picture is also positive in Costa Rica, Singapore and the United Arab Emirates. Students in these countries are especially likely to agree that they are good listeners, that they enjoy seeing their classmates be successful, that they take into account what others are interested in, and that they enjoy considering different perspectives. To some extent, that variation in attitudes might be shaped by cultural factors well beyond school walls; but policy makers should note that they are not written in stone.

There also seem to be factors in the classroom environment that relate to those attitudes. PISA asked students how often they engage in communication-intensive activities, such as explaining their ideas in science class; spending time in the laboratory doing practical experiments; arguing about science questions; and taking part in class debates about investigations. The results show a clear relationship between these activities and positive attitudes towards collaboration. On average, the valuing of relationships and teamwork is more prevalent among students who reported that they participate in these activities more often. For example, even after considering gender as well as students' and schools' socio-economic profile, students who reported that they explain their ideas in most or all science lessons were more likely to agree that they are "a good listener" (in 46 of 56 education systems) and students also agreed that they "enjoy considering different perspectives" (in 37 of 56 education systems). So there is much that teachers can do to facilitate a climate that is conducive to collaboration.

Many schools can also do better in fostering a learning climate where students develop a sense of belonging, and where they are free of fear. Students who reported more positive student-student interactions score higher in collaborative problem solving, even after considering the socio-economic profile of students and schools. Students who don't feel



threatened by other students also score higher in collaborative problem solving. In contrast, students who reported that their teachers say something insulting to them in front of others at least a few times per year score 23 points lower in collaborative problem solving than students who reported that this didn't happen to them during the previous year.

It is interesting that disadvantaged students see the value of teamwork often more clearly than their advantaged peers. They tend to report more often that teamwork improves their own efficiency, that they prefer working as part of a team to working alone, and that they think teams make better decisions than individuals. Schools that succeed in building on those attitudes by designing collaborative learning environments might be able to engage disadvantaged students in new ways.

The inter-relationships between social background, attitudes towards collaboration and performance in collaborative problem solving are even more interesting. The data show that exposure to diversity in the classroom tends to be associated with better collaboration skills. For example, in some countries students without an immigrant background perform better in the collaboration-specific aspects of the assessment when they attend schools with a larger proportion of immigrant students. So diversity and students' contact with those who are different from them and who may hold different points of view may aid in developing collaboration skills.

Finally, education does not end at the school gate when it comes to helping students develop their social skills. It is striking that only a quarter of the performance variation in collaborative problem-solving skills lies between schools, much less than is the case in the academic disciplines. For a start, parents need to play their part. For example, students score much higher in the collaborative problem-solving assessment when they reported that they had talked to their parents after school on the day prior to the PISA test, and also when their parents agreed that they are interested in their child's school activities or encourage them to be confident.

PISA also asked students what kinds of activities they pursue both before and after school. Some of these activities – using the Internet/chat/social networks; playing video games; meeting friends or talking to friends on the phone; and working in the household or taking care of family members – might have a social, or perhaps antisocial, component to them. The results show that students who play video games score much lower, on average, than students who do not play video games, and that gap remains significant even after considering social and economic factors as well as performance in science, reading and mathematics. At the same time, accessing the Internet, chatting or using social networks tend to be associated with better collaborative problem-solving performance, on average across OECD countries, all other things being equal.

In sum, in a world that places a growing premium on social skills, a lot more needs to be done to foster those skills far more systematically across the school curriculum. Strong academic skills will not automatically also lead to strong social skills. Part of the answer might lie in giving students more ownership over the time, place, path, pace and interactions of their learning. Another part of the answer can lie in fostering more positive relationships at school and designing learning environments that benefit students' collaborative problem-solving skills and their attitudes towards collaboration. Schools can identify those students who are socially isolated, organise social activities to foster constructive relationships and school attachment, provide teacher training on classroom management, and adopt a whole-of-school approach to prevent and address bullying. But part of the answer lies with parents and society at large. It takes collaboration across a community to develop better skills for better lives.

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# Executive summary

Today's workplaces demand people who can solve problems in concert with others. But collaboration poses potential challenges to team members. Labour might not be divided equitably or efficiently, with team members perhaps working on tasks they are unsuited for or dislike. Conflict may arise among team members, hindering the development of creative solutions. Thus, collaboration is a skill in itself.

There have been few attempts to assess how well students collaborate with one another. With its first ever assessment of collaborative problem solving, PISA 2015 addresses the lack of internationally comparable data in this field, allowing countries and economies to see where their students stand in relation to students in other education systems. Some 52 countries and economies participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment (32 OECD countries and 20 partner countries and economies).

## WHAT THE DATA TELL US

### Student performance in collaborative problem solving

- Students in Singapore score higher in collaborative problem solving than students in all other participating countries and economies, followed by students in Japan.
- On average across OECD countries, 28% of students are able to solve only straightforward collaborative problems, if any at all. By contrast, fewer than one in six students in Estonia, Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea, Macao (China) and Singapore is a low achiever in collaborative problem solving.
- Across OECD countries, 8% of students are top performers in collaborative problem solving, meaning that they can maintain an awareness of group dynamics, ensure team members act in accordance with their agreed-upon roles, and resolve disagreements and conflicts while identifying efficient pathways and monitoring progress towards a solution.
- Collaborative problem-solving performance is positively related to performance in the core PISA subjects (science, reading and mathematics), but the relationship is weaker than that observed among those other domains.
- Students in Australia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand and the United States perform much better in collaborative problem solving than would be expected based on their scores in science, reading and mathematics.

### Student demographics and collaborative problem solving

- Girls perform significantly better than boys in collaborative problem solving in every country and economy that participated in the assessment. On average across OECD countries, girls score 29 points higher than boys. The largest gaps – of over 40 points – are observed in Australia, Finland, Latvia, New Zealand and Sweden; the smallest gaps – of less than 10 points – are observed in Colombia, Costa Rica and Peru. This contrasts with the PISA 2012 assessment of individual problem solving, where boys generally performed better than girls.
- Performance in collaborative problem solving is positively related to students' and schools' socio-economic profile, although this relationship is weaker than the relationship between socio-economic profile and performance in the three core PISA subjects.



There are no significant performance differences between advantaged and disadvantaged students, or between immigrant and non-immigrant students, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. But girls still score 25 points higher than boys after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects.

### Students' attitudes towards collaboration

- Students in every country and economy have generally positive attitudes towards collaboration. Over 85% of students, on average across OECD countries, agree with the statements “I am a good listener”, “I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful”, “I take into account what others are interested in”, “I enjoy considering different perspectives”, and “I enjoy co-operating with peers”.
- Girls in almost every country and economy tend to value relationships more than boys, meaning that girls agree more often than boys that they are good listeners, enjoy seeing their classmates be successful, take into account what others are interested in and enjoy considering different perspectives.
- Boys in the majority of countries and economies tend to value teamwork more than girls, meaning that boys agree more often than girls that they prefer working as part of a team to working alone, find that teams make better decisions than individuals, find that teamwork raises their own efficiency and enjoy co-operating with peers.
- Advantaged students in almost every country and economy tend to value relationships more than disadvantaged students, while disadvantaged students in most countries and economies tend to value teamwork more than advantaged students.
- After accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and socio-economic status, the more students value relationships, the better they perform in collaborative problem solving. A similar relationship is observed the more that students value teamwork.

### Student activities, school policies and collaboration

- Attitudes towards collaboration are generally more positive as students engage in more physical activity or attend more physical education classes per week.
- Students who play video games outside of school score slightly lower in collaborative problem solving than students who do not play video games, on average across OECD countries, after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. But students who access the Internet, chat or social networks outside of school score slightly higher than other students.
- Students who work in the household or take care of other family members value both teamwork and relationships more than other students, as do students who meet friends or talk to friends on the phone outside of school.

### Collaborative schools

- On average across OECD countries, students who reported not being threatened by other students score 18 points higher in collaborative problem solving than students who reported being threatened at least a few times per year. Students also score 11 points higher for every 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported that they are not threatened by other students.
- Students score higher in collaborative problem solving when they or their schoolmates reported that teachers treat students fairly, even after accounting for their performance in science, reading and mathematics.

### What PISA results imply for policy

Education systems could help students develop their collaboration skills. Physical education, for example, provides many natural opportunities to embed collaborative activities and to develop social skills and attitudes towards collaboration. Results also show that exposure to diversity in the classroom is associated with better collaboration skills.

This report also shows that fostering positive relationships at school can benefit students' collaborative problem-solving skills and their attitudes towards collaboration, especially when these relationships involve students directly. Schools can organise social activities to foster constructive relationships and school attachment, provide teacher training on classroom management, and adopt a whole-school approach to prevent and address school bullying. Parents can also make a difference, as collaboration begins at home.



# Reader's guide

## **Data underlying the figures**

The data referred to in this volume are presented in Annex B and, in greater detail, including some additional tables, on the PISA website ([www.oecd.org/pisa](http://www.oecd.org/pisa)).

Three symbols are used to denote missing data:

- c There are too few observations or no observation to provide reliable estimates (i.e. there are fewer than 30 students or fewer than 5 schools with valid data).
- m Data are not available. These data were not submitted by the country or were collected but subsequently removed from the publication for technical reasons.
- w Data have been withdrawn or have not been collected at the request of the country concerned.

## **Country coverage**

The PISA publications (PISA 2015 Results) feature data on 72 countries and economies, including all 35 OECD countries and 37 partner countries and economies (see Map of PISA countries and economies in “What is PISA?”).

This volume in particular contains data on 57 countries and economies (including all 35 OECD countries and 22 partner countries and economies) that participated in the computer-based assessment, of which 52 participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment (including 32 OECD countries and 20 partner countries and economies).

The statistical data for Israel are supplied by and under the responsibility of the relevant Israeli authorities. The use of such data by the OECD is without prejudice to the status of the Golan Heights, East Jerusalem and Israeli settlements in the West Bank under the terms of international law.

Two notes were added to the statistical data related to Cyprus:

**Note by Turkey:** The information in this document with reference to “Cyprus” relates to the southern part of the Island. There is no single authority representing both Turkish and Greek Cypriot people on the Island. Turkey recognises the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC). Until a lasting and equitable solution is found within the context of the United Nations, Turkey shall preserve its position concerning the “Cyprus issue”.

**Note by all the European Union Member States of the OECD and the European Union:** The Republic of Cyprus is recognised by all members of the United Nations with the exception of Turkey. The information in this document relates to the area under the effective control of the Government of the Republic of Cyprus.

B-S-J-G (China) refers to the four PISA-participating Chinese provinces of Beijing, Shanghai, Jiangsu and Guangdong.

For Malaysia, results based on students’ or school principals’ responses are reported in a selection of figures (see Annex A4).

## **International averages**

The OECD average corresponds to the arithmetic mean of the respective country estimates. It was calculated for most indicators presented in this report.

In this publication, the OECD average is generally used when the focus is on comparing characteristics of education systems. In the case of some countries, data may not be available for specific indicators, or specific categories may not apply. Readers should, therefore, keep in mind that the term “OECD average” refers to the OECD countries included in the respective comparisons. In cases where data are not available or do not apply for all sub-categories of a given population or indicator, the “OECD average” may be consistent within each column of a table but not necessarily across all columns of a table.



In tables showing two OECD averages, a number label is used to indicate the number of countries included in the average:

**OECD average-35:** Arithmetic mean across all OECD countries.

**OECD average-32:** Arithmetic mean across OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment.

**OECD average-31:** Arithmetic mean across OECD countries that participated in the ICT questionnaire.

**OECD average-28:** Arithmetic mean across OECD countries that participated in the ICT questionnaire and the collaborative problem-solving assessment.

**OECD average-12:** Arithmetic mean across OECD countries that participated in the parent questionnaire.

**OECD average-11:** Arithmetic mean across OECD countries that participated in the parent questionnaire and the collaborative problem-solving assessment.

### **Rounding figures**

Because of rounding, some figures in tables may not add up exactly to the totals. Totals, differences and averages are always calculated on the basis of exact numbers and are rounded only after calculation.

All standard errors in this publication have been rounded to one or two decimal places. Where the value 0.0 or 0.00 is shown, this does not imply that the standard error is zero, but that it is smaller than 0.05 or 0.005, respectively.

### **Reporting student data**

The report uses “15-year-olds” as shorthand for the PISA target population. PISA covers students who are aged between 15 years 3 months and 16 years 2 months at the time of assessment and who are enrolled in school and have completed at least 6 years of formal schooling, regardless of the type of institution in which they are enrolled, whether they are in full-time or part-time education, whether they attend academic or vocational programmes, and whether they attend public or private schools or foreign schools within the country.

### **Reporting school data**

The principals of the schools in which students were assessed provided information on their schools’ characteristics by completing a school questionnaire. Where responses from school principals are presented in this publication, they are weighted so that they are proportionate to the number of 15-year-olds enrolled in the school.

### **Focusing on statistically significant differences**

This volume discusses only statistically significant differences or changes. These are denoted in darker colours in figures and in bold font in tables. See Annex A3 for further information.

### **Changes in the PISA methodology**

Several changes were made to the PISA methodology in 2015:

- **Changes in scaling procedures include:**
  - Change from a one-parameter model to a hybrid model that applies both a one- and two-parameter model, as appropriate. The one-parameter (Rasch) model is retained for all items where the model is statistically appropriate; a more general 2-parameter model is used instead if the fit of the one-parameter model could not be established. This approach improves the fit of the model to the observed student responses and reduces model and measurement errors.
  - Change in the treatment of non-reached items to ensure that the treatment is consistent between the estimation of item parameters and the estimation of the population model to generate proficiency estimates in the form of plausible values. This avoids introducing systematic errors when generating performance estimates.
  - Change from cycle-specific scaling to multiple-cycle scaling in order to combine data, and retain and aggregate information about trend items used in previous cycles. This change results in consistent item parameters across cycles, which strengthen and support the inferences made about proficiencies on each scale.



- Change from including only a subsample for item calibration to including the total sample with weights, in order to fully use the available data and reduce the error in item-parameter estimates by increasing the sample size. This reduces the variability of item-parameter estimation due to the random selection of small calibration samples.
- Change from assigning internationally fixed item parameters and dropping a few suspect items per country, to assigning a few nationally unique item parameters for those items that show significant deviation from the international parameters. This retains a maximum set of internationally equivalent items without dropping data and, as a result, reduces overall measurement errors.

The overall impact of these changes on trend comparisons is quantified by the link errors. As in previous cycles, a major part of the linking error is due to re-estimated item parameters. While the magnitude of link errors is comparable to those estimated in previous rounds, the changes in scaling procedures will result in reduced link errors in future assessment rounds. For more information on the calculation of this quantity and how to use it in analyses, see Annex A5 from Volume I and the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017).

- **Changes in population coverage and response rates.** Even though PISA has consistently used the same standardised methods to collect comparable and representative samples, and population coverage and response rates were carefully reviewed during the adjudication process, slight changes in population coverage and response rates can affect point estimates of proficiency. The uncertainty around the point estimates due to sampling is quantified in sampling errors, which are the major part of standard errors reported for country mean estimates. For more information, see Annexes A2 and A4.
- **Change in test design** from 13 booklets in the paper-based design to 396 booklet instances. Despite the significant increase in the number of booklet types and instances from previous cycles, it is important to bear in mind that all items belonging to the same domain were delivered in consecutive clusters. No student had more than one hour of test questions related to one domain only. This is an improvement over the existing design, which was made possible by computer delivery. It strengthens the overall measurement of each domain and each respondent's proficiency.
- **Changes in test administration.** As in PISA 2000 (but different from other cycles up to 2012), students in 2015 had to take their break before starting to work on test clusters 3 and 4, and could not work for more than one hour on clusters 1 and 2. This reduces cluster position effects. Another change in test administration is that students who took the test on computers had to solve test questions in a fixed, sequential order, and could not go back to previous questions and revise their answers after reaching the end of the test booklets. This change prepares the ground for introducing adaptive testing in future rounds of PISA.

In sum, changes to the assessment design, the mode of delivery, the framework and the set of science items were carefully examined in order to ensure that the 2015 results can be presented as trend measures at the international level. The data show no consistent association between students' familiarity with ICT and with performance shifts between 2012 and 2015 across countries. Changes in scaling procedures are part of the link error, as they were in the past, where the link error quantified the changes introduced by re-estimating item parameters on a subset of countries and students who participated in each cycle. Changes due to sampling variability are quantified in the sampling error. The remaining changes (changes in test design and administration) are not fully reflected in estimates of the uncertainty of trend comparisons. These changes are a common feature of past PISA rounds as well, and are most likely of secondary importance when analysing trends.

The factors below are examples of potential effects that are relevant for the changes seen from one PISA round to the next. While these can be quantified and related to, for example, census data if available, these are outside of the control of the assessment programme:

- **Change in coverage of PISA target population.** PISA's target population is 15-year-old students enrolled in grade 7 or above. Some education systems saw a rapid expansion of 15-year-olds' access to school because of a reduction in dropout rates or in grade repetition. This is explained in detail, and countries' performance adjusted for this change is presented in Chapters 2, 4 and 5 in Volume I.



- **Change in demographic characteristics.** In some countries, there might be changes in the composition of the population of 15-year-old students. For example, there might be more students with an immigrant background.
- **Change in student competency.** The average proficiency of 15-year-old students in 2015 might be higher or lower than that in 2012 or earlier rounds.

**Abbreviations used in this report**

|        |  |            |                        |
|--------|--|------------|------------------------|
| % dif. | Percentage-point difference                        | Index dif. | Index difference       |
| Dif.   | Difference   | S.D.       | Standard deviation     |
| ESCS   | PISA index of economic, social and cultural status | S.E.       | Standard error         |
| ICT    | Information and communications technology          | Score dif. | Score-point difference |
| ISCED  | International Standard Classification of Education |            |                        |

**Definition of immigrant students in PISA**

PISA classifies students into several categories according to their immigrant background and that of their parents:

**Non-immigrant students** are students whose mother or father (or both) was/were born in the country or economy where they sat the PISA test, regardless of whether the student himself or herself was born in that country or economy. In this chapter, these students are also referred to as “**students without an immigrant background**”.

**Immigrant students** are students whose mother and father were both born in a country/economy other than that where the student sat the PISA test. In this chapter, they are also referred to as “**students with an immigrant background**”. Among immigrant students, a distinction is made between those born in the country/economy of assessment and those born abroad:

- **First-generation immigrant students** are foreign-born students whose parents are also both foreign-born.
- **Second-generation immigrant students** are students born in the country/economy where they sat the PISA test and whose parents were both foreign-born.

In some analyses, these two groups of immigrant students are, for the purpose of comparison, considered along with non-immigrant students. In other cases, the outcomes of first- and second-generation immigrant students are examined separately. PISA also provides information on other factors related to students’ immigrant background, including the main language spoken at home (i.e. whether students usually speak, at home, the language in which they were assessed in PISA or another language, which could also be an official language of the host country/economy) or, for first-generation immigrant students, the number of years since the student arrived in the country where he or she sat the PISA test.

**Further documentation**

For further information on the PISA assessment instruments and the methods used in PISA, see the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017).

This report uses the OECD StatLinks service. Below each table and chart is a URL leading to a corresponding Excel™ workbook containing the underlying data. These URLs are stable and will remain unchanged over time. In addition, readers of the e-books will be able to click directly on these links and the workbook will open in a separate window, if their internet browser is open and running.



# What is PISA?

“What is important for citizens to know and be able to do?” In response to that question and to the need for internationally comparable evidence on student performance, the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) launched the triennial survey of 15-year-old students around the world known as the Programme for International Student Assessment, or PISA. PISA assesses the extent to which 15-year-old students, near the end of their compulsory education, have acquired the key knowledge and skills that are essential for full participation in modern societies. The assessment focuses on the core school subjects of science, reading and mathematics. Students’ proficiency in an innovative domain is also assessed (in 2015, this domain is collaborative problem solving). The assessment does not just ascertain whether students can reproduce knowledge; it also examines how well students can extrapolate from what they have learned and can apply that knowledge in unfamiliar settings, both in and outside of school. This approach reflects the fact that modern economies reward individuals not for what they know, but for what they can do with what they know.

PISA is an ongoing programme that offers insights for education policy and practice, and that helps monitor trends in students’ acquisition of knowledge and skills across countries and in different demographic subgroups within each country. PISA results reveal what is possible in education by showing what students in the highest-performing and most rapidly improving education systems can do. The findings allow policy makers around the world to gauge the knowledge and skills of students in their own countries in comparison to those in other countries, set policy targets against measurable goals achieved by other education systems, and learn from policies and practices applied elsewhere. While PISA cannot identify cause-and-effect relationships between policies/practices and student outcomes, it can show educators, policy makers and the interested public how education systems are similar and different – and what that means for students.

## WHAT IS UNIQUE ABOUT PISA?

PISA is different from other international assessments in its:

- **policy orientation**, which links data on student learning outcomes with data on students’ backgrounds and attitudes towards learning, and on key factors that shape their learning, in and outside of school, in order to highlight differences in performance and identify the characteristics of students, schools and education systems that perform well
- **innovative concept of “literacy”**, which refers to students’ capacity to apply knowledge and skills in key subjects, and to analyse, reason and communicate effectively as they identify, interpret and solve problems in a variety of situations
- **relevance to lifelong learning**, as PISA asks students to report on their motivation to learn, their beliefs about themselves, and their learning strategies
- **regularity**, which enables countries to monitor their progress in meeting key learning objectives
- **breadth of coverage**, which, in PISA 2015, encompasses all 35 OECD countries and 37 partner countries and economies.



### Box A. PISA's contributions to the Sustainable Development Goals

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) were adopted by the United Nations in September 2015. Goal 4 of the SDGs seeks to ensure “inclusive and equitable quality education and [to] promote lifelong learning opportunities for all”. More specific targets and indicators spell out what countries need to deliver by 2030. Goal 4 differs from the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) on education, which were in place between 2000 and 2015, in the following two ways:

- Goal 4 is truly global. The SDGs establish a universal agenda; they do not differentiate between rich and poor countries. Every single country is challenged to achieve the SDGs.
- Goal 4 puts the quality of education and learning outcomes front and centre. Access, participation and enrolment, which were the main focus of the MDG agenda, are still important, and the world is still far from providing equitable access to high-quality education for all. But participation in education is not an end in itself; what matters for people and economies are the skills acquired through education. It is the competence and character qualities that are developed through schooling, rather than the qualifications and credentials gained, that make people successful and resilient in their professional and personal lives. They are also key in determining individual well-being and the prosperity of societies.

In sum, Goal 4 requires education systems to monitor the actual learning outcomes of their young people. PISA, which already provides measurement tools to this end, is committed to improving, expanding and enriching its assessment tools. For example, PISA 2015 assesses the performance in science, reading and mathematics of 15-year-old students in more than 70 high- and middle-income countries. PISA offers a comparable and robust measure of progress so that all countries, regardless of their starting point, can clearly see where they are on the path towards the internationally agreed targets of quality and equity in education.

Through participation in PISA, countries can also build their capacity to develop relevant data. While most countries that have participated in PISA already have adequate systems in place, that isn't true for many low-income countries. To this end, the OECD PISA for Development initiative not only aims to expand the coverage of the international assessment to include more middle- and low-income countries, but it also offers these countries assistance in building their national assessment and data-collection systems. PISA is also expanding its assessment domains to include other skills relevant to Goal 4. In 2015, for example, PISA assesses 15-year-old students' ability to solve problems collaboratively.

Other OECD data, such as those derived from the Survey of Adult Skills (a product of the OECD Programme for the International Assessment of Adult Competencies [PIAAC]) and the OECD Teaching and Learning International Survey (TALIS), provide a solid evidence base for monitoring education systems. OECD analyses promote peer learning as countries can compare their experiences in implementing policies. Together, OECD indicators, statistics and analyses can be seen as a model of how progress towards the SDG education goal can be measured and reported.

**Source:** OECD (2016), *Education at a Glance 2016: OECD Indicators*, OECD Publishing, Paris, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/eag-2016-en>.

## WHICH COUNTRIES AND ECONOMIES PARTICIPATE IN PISA?

PISA is now used as an assessment tool in many regions around the world. It was implemented in 43 countries and economies in the first assessment (32 in 2000 and 11 in 2002), 41 in the second assessment (2003), 57 in the third assessment (2006), 75 in the fourth assessment (65 in 2009 and 10 in 2010), and 65 in the fifth assessment. A total of 72 countries and economies participated in PISA 2015.

In addition to all OECD countries, the 2015 survey was conducted in:

- **East, South and Southeast Asia:** Beijing, Shanghai, Jiangsu and Guangdong (China), Hong Kong (China), Indonesia, Macao (China), Malaysia, Singapore, Chinese Taipei, Thailand and Viet Nam
- **Central, Mediterranean and Eastern Europe, and Central Asia:** Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kosovo, Lebanon, Lithuania, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Malta, Moldova, Montenegro, Romania and the Russian Federation



- **The Middle East:** Jordan, Qatar and the United Arab Emirates
- **Central and South America:** Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Peru, Puerto Rico, Trinidad and Tobago, Uruguay
- **Africa:** Algeria and Tunisia.

**Map of PISA countries and economies**



■ **OECD countries**

|                |                 |
|----------------|-----------------|
| Australia      | Korea           |
| Austria        | Latvia          |
| Belgium        | Luxembourg      |
| Canada         | Mexico          |
| Chile          | The Netherlands |
| Czech Republic | New Zealand     |
| Denmark        | Norway          |
| Estonia        | Poland          |
| Finland        | Portugal        |
| France         | Slovak Republic |
| Germany        | Slovenia        |
| Greece         | Spain           |
| Hungary        | Sweden          |
| Iceland        | Switzerland     |
| Ireland        | Turkey          |
| Israel         | United Kingdom  |
| Italy          | United States   |
| Japan          |                 |

■ **Partner countries and economies in PISA 2015**

|                                       |                      |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Albania                               | Lithuania            |
| Algeria                               | Macao (China)        |
| Argentina                             | Malaysia             |
| Brazil                                | Malta                |
| B-S-J-G (China)*                      | Moldova              |
| Bulgaria                              | Montenegro           |
| Colombia                              | Peru                 |
| Costa Rica                            | Qatar                |
| Croatia                               | Romania              |
| Cyprus <sup>1</sup>                   | Russian Federation   |
| Dominican Republic                    | Singapore            |
| Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia | Chinese Taipei       |
| Georgia                               | Thailand             |
| Hong Kong (China)                     | Trinidad and Tobago  |
| Indonesia                             | Tunisia              |
| Jordan                                | United Arab Emirates |
| Kazakhstan                            | Uruguay              |
| Kosovo                                | Viet Nam             |
| Lebanon                               |                      |

■ **Partner countries and economies in previous cycles**

|                        |
|------------------------|
| Azerbaijan             |
| Himachal Pradesh-India |
| Kyrgyzstan             |
| Liechtenstein          |
| Mauritius              |
| Miranda-Venezuela      |
| Panama                 |
| Serbia                 |
| Tamil Nadu-India       |

\* B-S-J-G (China) refers to the four PISA participating Chinese provinces: Beijing, Shanghai, Jiangsu, Guangdong.

1. Note by Turkey: The information in this document with reference to « Cyprus » relates to the southern part of the Island. There is no single authority representing both Turkish and Greek Cypriot people on the Island. Turkey recognises the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC). Until a lasting and equitable solution is found within the context of the United Nations, Turkey shall preserve its position concerning the “Cyprus issue”.

Note by all the European Union Member States of the OECD and the European Union: The Republic of Cyprus is recognised by all members of the United Nations with the exception of Turkey. The information in this document relates to the area under the effective control of the Government of the Republic of Cyprus.

## WHAT DOES THE TEST MEASURE?

In each round of PISA, one of the core domains is tested in detail, taking up nearly two-thirds of the total testing time. The major domain in 2015 was science, as it was in 2006. Reading was the major domain in 2000 and 2009, and mathematics was the major domain in 2003 and 2012. With this alternating schedule of major domains, a thorough analysis of achievement in each of the three core areas is presented every nine years; an analysis of trends is offered every three years.



The *PISA 2015 Assessment and Analytical Framework* (OECD, 2017a) presents definitions and more detailed descriptions of the domains assessed in PISA 2015:

- **Science literacy** is defined as the ability to engage with science-related issues, and with the ideas of science, as a reflective citizen. A scientifically literate person is willing to engage in reasoned discourse about science and technology, which requires the competencies to explain phenomena scientifically, evaluate and design scientific enquiry, and interpret data and evidence scientifically.
- **Reading literacy** is defined as students' ability to understand, use, reflect on and engage with written texts in order to achieve one's goals, develop one's knowledge and potential, and participate in society.
- **Mathematical literacy** is defined as students' capacity to formulate, employ and interpret mathematics in a variety of contexts. It includes reasoning mathematically and using mathematical concepts, procedures, facts and tools to describe, explain and predict phenomena. It assists individuals in recognising the role that mathematics plays in the world and to make the well-founded judgements and decisions needed by constructive, engaged and reflective citizens.
- **Financial literacy** is defined as the knowledge and understanding of financial concepts and risks, and the skills, motivation and confidence to apply such knowledge and understanding in order to make effective decisions across a range of financial contexts, to improve the financial well-being of individuals and society, and to enable participation in economic life.
- **Collaborative problem-solving literacy** is defined as the capacity of an individual to effectively engage in a process whereby two or more agents attempt to solve a problem by sharing the understanding and effort required to come to a solution and pooling their knowledge, skills and efforts to reach that solution.

#### Box B. Key features of PISA 2015

##### The content

- The PISA 2015 survey focused on science, with reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving as minor areas of assessment. PISA 2015 also included an assessment of young people's financial literacy, which was optional for countries and economies.

##### The students

- Approximately 540 000 students completed the assessment in 2015, representing about 29 million 15-year-olds in the schools of the 72 participating countries and economies.

##### The assessment

- Computer-based tests were used, with assessments lasting a total of two hours for each student.
- Test items were a mixture of multiple-choice questions and questions requiring students to construct their own responses. The items were organised in groups based on a passage setting out a real-life situation. About 810 minutes of test items for science, reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving were created, with different students taking different combinations of test items.
- Students also answered a background questionnaire, which took 35 minutes to complete. The questionnaire sought information about the students themselves, their homes, and their school and learning experiences. School principals completed a questionnaire that covered the school system and the learning environment. For additional information, some countries/economies decided to distribute a questionnaire to teachers. It was the first time that this optional teacher questionnaire was offered to PISA-participating countries/economies. In some countries/economies, optional questionnaires were distributed to parents, who were asked to provide information on their perceptions of and involvement in their child's school, their support for learning in the home, and their child's career expectations, particularly in science. Countries could choose two other optional questionnaires for students: one asked students about their familiarity with and use of information and communication technologies (ICT); and the second sought information about students' education to date, including any interruptions in their schooling, and whether and how they are preparing for a future career.

## HOW IS THE ASSESSMENT CONDUCTED?

For the first time, PISA 2015 delivered the assessment of all subjects via computer. Paper-based assessments were provided



for countries that chose not to test their students by computer, but the paper-based assessment was limited to questions that could measure trends in science, reading and mathematics performance.<sup>1</sup> New questions were developed for the computer-based assessment only. A field trial was used to study the effect of the change in how the assessment was delivered. Data were collected and analysed to establish equivalence between the computer- and paper-based assessments.

The 2015 computer-based assessment was designed as a two-hour test. Each test form allocated to students comprised four 30-minute clusters of test material. This test design included six clusters from each of the domains of science, reading and mathematics to measure trends. For the major subject of science, an additional six clusters of items were developed to reflect the new features of the 2015 framework. In addition, three clusters of collaborative problem-solving items were developed for the countries that decided to participate in that assessment.<sup>2</sup> There were 66 different test forms. Students spent one hour on the science assessment (one cluster each of trends and new science items) plus one hour on one or two other subjects – reading, mathematics or collaborative problem solving. For the countries/economies that chose not to participate in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, 36 test forms were prepared.

Countries that chose paper-based delivery for the main survey measured student performance with 30 pencil-and-paper forms containing trend items from two of the three core PISA domains.

Each test form was completed by a sufficient number of students, allowing for estimations of proficiency on all items by students in each country/economy and in relevant subgroups within a country/economy (such as boys and girls, and students from different social and economic backgrounds).

The assessment of financial literacy was offered as an option in PISA 2015 based on the same framework as the one developed for PISA 2012.<sup>3</sup> The financial literacy assessment lasted one hour and comprised two clusters distributed to a subsample of students in combination with the science, reading and mathematics assessments.

To gather contextual information, PISA 2015 asked students and the principal of their school to respond to questionnaires. The student questionnaire took about 35 minutes to complete; the questionnaire for principals took about 45 minutes to complete. The responses to the questionnaires were analysed with the assessment results to provide both a broader and more nuanced picture of student, school and system performance. The *PISA 2015 Assessment and Analytical Framework* (OECD, 2017a) presents the questionnaire framework in detail. The questionnaires from all assessments since PISA's inception are available on the PISA website: [www.oecd.org/pisa/](http://www.oecd.org/pisa/).

The questionnaires seek information about:

- students and their family backgrounds, including their economic, social and cultural capital
- aspects of students' lives, such as their attitudes towards learning, their habits and life in and outside of school, and their family environment
- aspects of schools, such as the quality of their human and material resources, public and private management and funding, decision-making processes, staffing practices, and the school's curricular emphasis and extracurricular activities offered
- context of instruction, including institutional structures and types, class size, classroom and school climate, and science activities in class
- aspects of learning, including students' interest, motivation and engagement.

Four additional questionnaires were offered as options:

- **a computer familiarity questionnaire**, focusing on the availability and use of information and communications technology (ICT) and on students' ability to carry out computer tasks and their attitudes towards computer use
- **an educational career questionnaire**, which collects additional information on interruptions in schooling, on preparation for students' future careers, and on support for language learning
- **a parent questionnaire**, focusing on parents' perceptions of and involvement in their child's school, their support for learning at home, school choice, their child's career expectations, and their background (immigrant/non-immigrant)
- **a teacher questionnaire**, new to PISA in 2015, that will help establish the context for students' test results. Additionally, a parallel questionnaire in this cycle asked science teachers to describe their teaching practices, focusing on teacher-directed teaching and learning activities in science lessons, and on a selected set of enquiry-based activities. The teacher questionnaire given to science teachers also asked about the content of the school's science curriculum and how it is communicated to parents.



The contextual information collected through the student, school and optional questionnaires is complemented by system-level data. Indicators describing the general structure of education systems, such as expenditure on education, stratification, assessments and examinations, appraisals of teachers and school leaders, instruction time, teachers' salaries, actual teaching time and teacher training are routinely developed and produced by the OECD (e.g. in the annual OECD publication, *Education at a Glance*). These data are extracted from *Education at a Glance 2016* (OECD, 2016), *Education at a Glance 2015* (OECD, 2015) and *Education at a Glance 2014* (OECD, 2014) for the countries that participate in the annual OECD data collection that is administered through the INES Network. For other countries and economies, a special system-level data collection was conducted in collaboration with PISA Governing Board members and National Project Managers.

### WHO ARE THE PISA STUDENTS?

Differences between countries in the nature and extent of pre-primary education and care, in the age of entry into formal schooling, in the structure of the education system, and in the prevalence of grade repetition mean that school grade levels are often not good indicators of where students are in their cognitive development. To better compare student performance internationally, PISA targets students of a specific age. PISA students are aged between 15 years 3 months and 16 years 2 months at the time of the assessment, and have completed at least 6 years of formal schooling. They can be enrolled in any type of institution, participate in full-time or part-time education, in academic or vocational programmes, and attend public or private schools or foreign schools within the country. (For an operational definition of this target population, see Annex A2.) Using this age across countries and over time allows PISA to compare consistently the knowledge and skills of individuals born in the same year who are still in school at age 15, despite the diversity of their education histories in and outside of school.

The population of PISA-participating students is defined by strict technical standards, as are the students who are excluded from participating (see Annex A2). The overall exclusion rate within a country was required to be below 5% to ensure that, under reasonable assumptions, any distortions in national mean scores would remain within plus or minus 5 score points, i.e. typically within the order of magnitude of 2 standard errors of sampling. Exclusion could take place either through the schools that participated or the students who participated within schools (see Annex A2, Tables A2.1 and A2.2).

There are several reasons why a school or a student could be excluded from PISA. Schools might be excluded because they are situated in remote regions and are inaccessible, because they are very small, or because of organisational or operational factors that precluded participation. Students might be excluded because of intellectual disability or limited proficiency in the language of the assessment.

In 30 out of the 72 countries and economies that participated in PISA 2015, the percentage of school-level exclusions amounted to less than 1%; it was 4.1% or less in all countries and economies. When the exclusion of students who met the internationally established exclusion criteria is also taken into account, the exclusion rates increase slightly. However, the overall exclusion rate remains below 2% in 29 participating countries and economies, below 5% in 60 participating countries, and below 7% in all countries except the United Kingdom, Luxembourg (both 8.2%) and Canada (7.5%). In 13 out of the 35 OECD countries, the percentage of school-level exclusions amounted to less than 1% and was less than 3% in 30 OECD countries. When student exclusions within schools are also taken into account, there were 7 OECD countries below 2% and 25 OECD countries below 5%. For more detailed information about school and student exclusion from PISA 2015, see Annex A2.

### WHAT KINDS OF RESULTS DOES PISA PROVIDE?

Combined with the information gathered through the tests and the various questionnaires, the PISA assessment provides three main types of outcomes:

- basic indicators that provide a baseline profile of the knowledge and skills of students
- indicators derived from the questionnaires that show how such skills relate to various demographic, social, economic and education variables
- indicators on trends that show changes in outcomes and distributions, and in relationships between student-level, school-level, and system-level background variables and outcomes over time.



## WHERE CAN YOU FIND THE RESULTS?

This is the last of five volumes that present the results from PISA 2015. It describes and contextualises the results of the 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment. The volume begins by explaining how PISA assessed collaborative problem solving. It then provides an international comparison of student performance in collaborative problem solving and examines how various demographic factors are related to performance. Attitudes towards collaboration are then covered, followed by an analysis of student activities and school practices that are related to performance in and attitudes towards collaboration. The volume concludes with a discussion of whether collaborative environments at school, at home, and within the community are related to skills in and attitudes towards collaboration.

The other four volumes cover the following issues:

- *Volume I: Excellence and Equity in Education* provides a detailed examination of student performance in science and describes how performance has changed over previous PISA assessments. It also explores students' engagement with and attitudes towards science, including their expectations of working in a science-related career later on. An overview of student performance in reading and mathematics in 2015 is also provided, along with a description of how performance in those subjects has evolved over previous PISA assessments. The volume defines and discusses equity in education, focusing particularly on how socio-economic status and an immigrant background are related to students' performance in PISA and to their attitudes towards science.
- *Volume II: Policies and Practices for Successful Schools* examines how student performance is associated with various characteristics of individual schools and concerned school systems. The volume first focuses on science, describing the school resources devoted to science and how science is taught in schools. It discusses how both of these are related to student performance in science, students' epistemic beliefs, and students' expectations of pursuing a career in science. Then, the volume analyses schools and school systems and their relationship with education outcomes more generally, covering the learning environment in school, school governance, the selection and grouping of students, and the human, financial, educational and time resources allocated to education. Trends in these indicators between 2006 and 2015 are examined when comparable data are available.
- *Volume III: Students' Well-Being* describes how well adolescent students are learning and living. This volume analyses a broad set of indicators that, collectively, paint a picture of 15-year-old students' home and school environments, the way students communicate with family and friends, how and how often they use the Internet, their physical activities and eating habits, their aspirations for future education, their motivation for school work, and their overall satisfaction with life.
- *Volume IV: Students' Financial Literacy* examines 15-year-old students' understanding about money matters in the 15 countries and economies that participated in this optional assessment. The volume explores how the financial literacy of 15-year-old students is associated with their competencies in science, reading and mathematics, with their socio-economic status, and with their previous experiences with money. The volume also offers an overview of financial education in schools in the participating countries and economies, and provides case studies.

Volumes I and II were published in December 2016. Volume III was published in April 2017 and Volume IV was published in May 2017.

The frameworks for assessing science, reading, mathematics, financial literacy and collaborative problem solving in 2015 are described in the *PISA 2015 Assessment and Analytical Framework* (OECD, 2017a).

Technical annexes at the end of this volume describe how questionnaire indices were constructed, and discuss sampling issues, quality-assurance procedures, the reliability of coding, and the process followed for developing the assessment instruments. Many of the issues covered in the technical annexes are elaborated in greater detail in the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017b).

A selection of data tables referred to in the analyses is included at the end of the respective volume in Annex B1, and a set of additional data tables is available on line ([www.oecd.org/pisa/](http://www.oecd.org/pisa/)). A Reader's Guide is also provided in each volume to aid in interpreting the tables and figures that accompany the report. Data from regions within the participating countries are included in Annex B2.



## Notes

1. The paper-based form was used in 15 countries/economies including Albania, Algeria, Argentina, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Georgia, Indonesia, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kosovo, Lebanon, Malta, Moldova, Romania, Trinidad and Tobago, and Viet Nam, as well as in Puerto Rico, an unincorporated territory of the United States.
2. The collaborative problem-solving assessment was not conducted in the countries/economies that delivered the PISA 2015 assessment on paper, nor was it conducted in the Dominican Republic, Ireland, Poland, Qatar and Switzerland.
3. The financial literacy assessment was conducted in Australia, Belgium (Flemish Community only), Beijing, Shanghai, Jiangsu, Guangdong (China), Brazil, seven Canadian provinces, Chile, Italy, Lithuania, the Netherlands, Peru, Poland, the Russian Federation, the Slovak Republic, Spain and the United States.

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# Overview: Collaborative problem solving



Today's workplaces demand people who can solve problems in concert with others. The increase in jobs requiring a high level of social skills has been accompanied by an increase in the wages for such jobs, suggesting that there is higher demand from employers for such skills instead of simply a surplus of workers who hold such skills. For example, wages have risen by over 20% for jobs that require high social skills but low mathematics skills, suggesting that social skills are increasingly of value to employers.

The importance of collaboration extends beyond the workplace. Many human activities involve groups of people, from a variety of physical and artistic endeavours to living in harmony with one's neighbours. Almost everyone relies on interactions with other individuals to do what he or she cannot do alone. Collaboration skills are essential to facilitating such interactions.

Collaborative problem solving has several advantages over individual problem solving: labour can be divided among team members; a variety of knowledge, perspectives and experiences can be applied to solve the problem; and team members can stimulate each other, leading to enhanced creativity and a higher quality of the solution. But collaboration also poses potential challenges to team members. Labour might not be divided equitably or efficiently, with team members perhaps working on tasks they are unsuited for or dislike. Conflict may also arise among team members, hindering the development of creative solutions. Collaboration is thus a skill in itself.

Yet in most countries and economies, collaboration is not explicitly taught in schools; rather, it is acquired through the teaching of other subjects. For example, students are often asked to perform group work in traditional academic subjects, and are also given chances to interact with one another in a variety of other contexts in other activities and classes, such as physical education class, music class, or extracurricular sports teams.

There have been few attempts to assess how well students collaborate with one another. Hence, PISA 2015 decided to assess 15-year-old students' ability to collaborate in order to solve problems. By doing so, PISA aims to address the lack of internationally comparable data in this field, allowing countries and economies to see, for the first time, where their students stand in relation to students in other education systems. Some 52 countries and economies participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment (32 OECD countries and 20 partner countries and economies). The data were adjudicated in and results are presented for 51 of these countries and economies.

PISA 2015 defines collaborative problem-solving competency as the capacity of an individual to effectively engage in a process whereby two or more agents attempt to solve a problem by sharing the understanding and effort required to come to a solution and pooling their knowledge, skills and efforts to reach that solution. In the PISA assessment, one agent is the student whose performance is being evaluated; all other agents are computerised simulations. This allows the assessment to control the behaviour of the other agents in order to isolate the collaborative problem-solving ability of the student being evaluated. Had the student been in a group with other students, his or her performance would have depended on the ability of the other students and the pre-existing relationships between them.

All questions in the assessment were either multiple choice or involved moving icons into the appropriate slot; there were no free-response questions. Since it was an interactive assessment, students were required to respond to each question before moving onto the next and could not skip or omit questions. Collaboration was assessed through students' responses in their interactions with computer-based agents.

PISA summarises 15-year-olds' performance in collaborative problem solving on a single performance scale. Since collaborative problem solving was a new domain in PISA 2015, the OECD average performance was set at 500 score points and the standard deviation across OECD countries at 100 score points. This established the benchmark against which each country's collaborative problem-solving performance was compared.

### ***Singapore outperforms all other participating countries in collaborative problem solving.***

Singapore is the highest-performing country in collaborative problem solving, with a mean score of 561 points. The second highest-performing country is Japan, with a mean score of 552 points. Both of these countries score over half of a standard deviation, on average, above the OECD average score. Singapore scores significantly higher than every other country/economy, and Japan scores significantly higher than every other country/economy except Singapore.

Thirteen other OECD countries – Korea (538 points), Canada (535 points), Estonia (535 points), Finland (534 points), New Zealand (533 points), Australia (531 points), Germany (525 points), the United States (520 points), Denmark (520 points), the United Kingdom (519 points), the Netherlands (518 points), Sweden (510 points) and Austria (509 points) – and three East Asian partner countries and economies – Hong Kong (China) (541 points), Macao (China) (534 points) and Chinese Taipei (527 points) – score above the OECD average on the PISA collaborative problem-solving scale.



A gap of 129 score points separates the highest-scoring OECD country, Japan (552 score points), and the lowest-scoring OECD country, Turkey (422 score points), a difference of well over one standard deviation. Likewise, 180 score points separate the mean scores of the highest- and lowest-performing countries and economies in the collaborative problem-solving assessment – Singapore (561 score points) and Tunisia (382 score points). This gap corresponds to almost two standard deviations or two proficiency levels (Figure V.3.3 and Table V.3.2).

***Across OECD countries, 8% of students are top performers in collaborative problem solving, but 6% of students do not even attain Level 1 proficiency.***

To help interpret what students' scores mean in substantive terms, the scale is divided into five proficiency levels. Four of these (Levels 1 to 4, with Level 1 as the lowest level and Level 4 as the highest) are described based on the skills needed to successfully complete the items that are located within them; the last (below Level 1) is defined based on the absence of these skills.

Students proficient at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale can successfully carry out complicated problem-solving tasks with high collaboration complexity. They maintain an awareness of group dynamics and ensure that team members act in accordance with their agreed-upon roles, while simultaneously monitoring progress towards a solution of the given problem. They take initiative and perform actions or make requests to overcome obstacles and to resolve disagreements and conflicts. Students who perform at Level 4 are also referred to as "top performers" in the rest of this report.

Across OECD countries, 8% of students perform at this level. More than one in five students in Singapore (21%) and between 15% and 16% of students in Australia, Canada and New Zealand perform at this level. These four countries are also among the top-performing countries and economies in collaborative problem solving. By contrast, in two OECD countries and in seven partner countries, fewer than one in 100 students performs at Level 4; and in Tunisia, fewer than one in 1 000 students performs at this level (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

Students proficient at Level 3 on the collaborative problem-solving scale can complete tasks with either complex problem-solving requirements or complex collaboration demands. They can recognise the information needed to solve a problem, request it from the appropriate team member, and identify when the provided information is incorrect. These students can perform multi-step tasks that require integrating multiple pieces of information.

Across OECD countries, 36% of students are proficient at Level 3 or higher. Level 3 was the most common proficiency level in 10 of the 51 countries/economies with adjudicated data from the collaborative problem-solving assessment (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

Students proficient at Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale can contribute to a collaborative effort to solve a problem of medium difficulty. They can communicate with team members about the actions to be performed and they can volunteer information not specifically requested by another team member.

Across OECD countries, 72% of students perform at Level 2 or higher. This is the most common proficiency level in 28 of the 51 countries and economies with comparable data. However, in two OECD countries and eight partner countries, a majority of students cannot complete Level 2 items successfully (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

Students proficient at Level 1 can complete tasks with low problem difficulty and limited collaboration complexity. They tend to focus on their individual role within the group, but with support from team members, these students can help find a solution to a simple problem.

Across OECD countries, 94% of students reach this level of collaborative problem-solving proficiency. However, in Tunisia, almost one in four students (25%) fails to reach this level of proficiency. More than one in five students in Brazil (21%) and more than one in six students in Montenegro and Peru (both 18%) are likewise not proficient at Level 1. Level 1 is the most common proficiency level in 13 of the 51 countries/economies with available data (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

The PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment was not designed to assess either elementary collaboration skills or elementary problem-solving skills. Hence, there were insufficient items to fully describe performance that fell below Level 1 on the collaborative problem-solving scale. Across OECD countries, 6% of students score below Level 1 on the proficiency scale (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).



***Performance in collaborative problem solving is strongly related to performance in the core PISA subjects of science, reading and mathematics.***

A comparison of the mean scores in collaborative problem solving, science, reading and mathematics shows that the same countries/economies – Canada, Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea and Singapore – are found at the top of each set of rankings. Indeed, scores in the four domains are highly correlated. On average across OECD countries, student performance in collaborative problem solving shows a correlation of 0.77 with performance in science, 0.74 with performance in reading, and 0.70 with performance in mathematics. These numbers are lower – and thus the correlations are slightly weaker – than the pairwise correlations between scores in the core PISA subjects, which range from 0.80 to 0.88 (Figure V.3.7). The link between student scores in collaborative problem solving, science, reading and mathematics is strongest in Bulgaria, the United Arab Emirates and the United States and weakest in Costa Rica, the Russian Federation (hereafter “Russia”) and Tunisia. In these latter three countries, however, correlations between performance in collaborative problem solving and performance in each of the three core PISA subjects still exceed 0.55 (Table V.3.4).

***Top/low performers in the core PISA subjects also tend to be top/low performers in collaborative problem solving.***

Another way to see the relationship is by looking at the extent to which top or low performance in the three core PISA domains predicts performance in collaborative problem solving. In science, reading and mathematics, top performers are defined as those students who perform at Level 5 or 6, while low performers are those students who perform below the baseline proficiency level, Level 2. In collaborative problem solving, top performers are defined as those students who perform at Level 4, while low performers are those students who perform below Level 2.

Some 44% of top performers in science, 39% of top performers in reading, and 34% of top performers in mathematics are also top performers in collaborative problem solving, on average across OECD countries (Table V.3.3a). Some 55% of students who are top performers in all three core PISA subjects (all-round top performers) are also top performers in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.3.8). This proportion is particularly large in Australia, Canada, New Zealand, Singapore, the United Kingdom and the United States, where over 69% of students who are all-round top performers are also top performers in collaborative problem solving. It may be that the development of collaborative problem-solving skills in these countries is more strongly linked to the development of science, reading and mathematics literacy; in other words, the development of cognitive and social skills in these countries takes place simultaneously.

By contrast, in Brazil and Chile, fewer than one in three all-round top performers score at the highest level in collaborative problem solving. This may imply that collaborative problem-solving skills in these countries are developed independently of skills and literacy in the three core PISA subjects. However, the share of top performers in these countries is very small: 0.6% in Brazil and 1.2% in Chile.

Similar relationships are observed among low performers. On average across OECD countries, 74% of low performers in science, 74% of low performers in reading, and 67% of low performers in mathematics are also low performers in collaborative problem solving. Some 83% of low performers in all three core subjects (all-round low performers) are also low performers in collaborative problem solving. Hence, it may be that a certain level of functional literacy in the three core domains is a pre-requisite for performance in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.3.8).

In Bulgaria, Montenegro, Tunisia, Turkey and the United Arab Emirates, over 93% of students who are all-round low performers are also low performers in collaborative problem solving. By contrast, in Germany, Japan and Korea, less than 75% of all-round low performers are low performers in collaborative problem solving. This is likely due to the particularly low scores of low performers in the former group of countries: the average student who is an all-round low performer in Tunisia scores lower in these domains than the average student who is an all-round low performer in Japan. Another interpretation is that that collaborative problem-solving skills might be more “fundamental”, that is, developed in all students, regardless of ability, in the latter three countries, while they might be more dependent on basic literacy skills in the former five countries.

***Most of the variation in student performance is observed within schools.***

There is considerable variation in collaborative problem-solving performance within each country/economy, most of which is observed within schools. On average across OECD countries, the variation in student performance that is observed within schools amounts to 75% of the OECD average variation in student performance. The remaining variation (24%) is due to differences in student performance between schools (Table V.4.1a).



The variation in collaborative problem-solving performance between schools can be partly attributed to differences in the composition of schools and in the school policies and practices that may develop or foster student performance in collaborative problem solving.

Collaborative problem-solving performance is closely correlated to performance in the three core PISA subjects. Many school and neighbourhood factors foster the development of collaboration and problem-solving skills, just as they create the conditions for any type of learning. Differences in student performance in science, reading and mathematics accounted for 62% of the variation in student performance in collaborative problem solving, on average across OECD countries. In other words, on average, 38% of the differences in how students perform in the collaborative problem-solving assessment is unique to collaborative problem solving (Table V.4.1b).

At the same time, a larger fraction of the within-school differences in collaborative problem-solving performance (46% on average across OECD countries) cannot be accounted for by differences in performance in the core PISA subjects (Table V.4.1b). This suggests that differences in the experiences, personalities and opportunities among students attending the same school are the most likely explanations for the remaining differences in performance in collaborative problem solving, after performance in science, reading and mathematics has been accounted for.

### ***Girls significantly outperform boys in every country and economy that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment.***

Girls outperform boys in collaborative problem solving by 29 score points (515 points compared with 486 points, on average across OECD countries). Indeed, in every country/economy that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, girls significantly outperform boys. The differences are greatest in Australia, Finland, Latvia, New Zealand and Sweden, where girls score over 40 points higher than boys, on average. Girls outperform boys by less than 10 points in Colombia, Costa Rica and Peru, but these differences are still statistically significant (Figure V.4.3).

On average across OECD countries, girls are 1.6 times more likely than boys to be top performers (Level 4) in collaborative problem solving, while boys are 1.6 times more likely than girls to be low achievers (below Level 2). The difference is even starker when examining students who score below Level 1: boys are 2.2 times more likely to score at this level than girls. In no country or economy are boys more likely than girls to be top performers, and in every country or economy are boys more likely than girls to be low performers (Table V.4.2).

After accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, girls still outperform boys in collaborative problem solving by 25 score points, on average across OECD countries, and this performance gap is significant and in favour of girls in every country and economy that participated in the assessment (Table V.4.3b).

These findings contrast with the gender differences observed in individual problem solving as discussed in *PISA 2012 Results: Creative Problem Solving* (OECD, 2014). In that assessment, boys scored 7 points higher than girls in individual problem solving, on average across OECD countries, and were 1.5 times more likely than girls to be top performers. Although different groups of students were measured in 2012 and 2015 and the assessments are not directly comparable to one another, the results suggest that it is the collaborative component of the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment that favours girls.

### ***The relationship between socio-economic status and performance is weaker in collaborative problem solving than in the three core PISA subjects.***

Unsurprisingly, socio-economic status – as measured in PISA by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS) – relates positively to performance in problem solving, as it does to performance in all domains assessed in PISA. But the relationship between socio-economic status and performance differs across domains.

In general, the percentage of the variation in performance explained by socio-economic disparities at both the student and school levels is similar for science (the average across the OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment is 23%), reading (22%) and mathematics (23%). But this relationship is weaker in collaborative problem solving than in the three other domains (Figure V.4.7). Still, even in collaborative problem solving, about 15% of the variation in performance can be explained by differences in socio-economic status. A higher position on the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status might be associated with greater academic enrichment opportunities, leading to disparities in performance in the cognitive domains. But opportunities to collaborate and co-operate arise in all social and economic contexts, which could reduce the extent to which socio-economic status is related to performance in collaborative problem solving.



The relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and socio-economic status is positive in almost every country/economy that participated in the assessment; but the score-point improvement associated with a one-point increase in the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status is smaller in collaborative problem solving than in science, reading and mathematics. A one-point increase in students' socio-economic status is associated with a 13-point improvement in collaborative problem-solving performance, compared to between 17 and 19 points in the three core PISA subjects. A one-point increase in schools' socio-economic profile is associated with a 59-point improvement in collaborative problem-solving performance compared to an improvement of between 66 and 73 points in the three core PISA subjects (Table V.4.13e and Figure V.4.8).

***Immigrant students tend to score lower in collaborative problem solving than students without an immigrant background.***

In many countries and economies, children of immigrants are more at risk of low performance in academic subjects than the children of parents who were born in the country or economy. A gap in collaborative problem-solving performance between immigrant and non-immigrant students is also observed: on average across OECD countries, the children of immigrants score 36 points lower than non-immigrant students. However, in Macao (China), Singapore and the United Arab Emirates, immigrant students score better than non-immigrant students in collaborative problem solving (Table V.4.14a). The largest gaps in performance among countries where at least 6.25% of students are immigrants are observed in Denmark, where immigrant students score more than 60 points lower than students without an immigrant background, and in Austria, Belgium, France and Sweden, where immigrant students score between 50 and 60 points lower.

Performance differences related to immigrant background are no longer observed after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects.

***A majority of 15-year-olds in almost all PISA-participating countries and economies reported positive attitudes towards co-operating with others.***

The PISA 2015 student questionnaire asked students whether they strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with eight statements related to their attitudes towards collaboration:

- I prefer working as part of a team to working alone.
- I am a good listener.
- I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful.
- I take into account what others are interested in.
- I find that teams make better decisions than individuals.
- I enjoy considering different perspectives.
- I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency.
- I enjoy co-operating with peers.

In almost all OECD and partner countries and economies, the majority of students reported that they either agree or strongly agree with these statements. In fact, there are only two exceptions: only 48% of students in Turkey and 44% of students in Montenegro reported that they agree or strongly agree with the statement "I prefer working as part of a team to working alone".

Responses to these eight statements are combined into two indices of co-operation that reflect the valuing of relationships and teamwork (Figure V.5.3). Each index is standardised to have a mean of 0 and a standard deviation of 1 across OECD countries.

Students in Portugal have the highest index of valuing relationships (0.37) among all OECD and partner countries and economies, followed by Costa Rica, the United Arab Emirates and Singapore, all three of which have average indices of valuing relationships greater than 0.30 (Figure V.5.4). Students in these countries are especially likely to agree that they are good listeners, that they enjoy seeing their classmates be successful, that they take into account what others are interested in and that they enjoy considering different perspectives.

Students in Portugal also have the highest index of valuing teamwork (0.32) among OECD countries; however, the average student in the Dominican Republic has an index of valuing teamwork of 0.51 – over half a standard deviation above



the average student in OECD countries. These students are those who most prefer working as part of a team to working alone, who find that teams make better decisions than individuals, who find that teamwork raises their own efficiency and who enjoy co-operating with peers.

On average across OECD countries, the correlation between the indices of valuing relationships and teamwork is 0.41 (Table V.5.12). Countries with a high mean value on one index also tend to have a high mean value of the other index.

### ***Girls and boys differ in what they value when it comes to collaborating with others.***

Girls were significantly more likely than boys to agree or strongly agree with the four statements that comprise the index of valuing relationships. For example, on average across OECD countries, girls were 5.3 percentage points more likely than boys to report that they agree or strongly agree that “[they] are a good listener” (Figure V.5.5). Moreover, this difference is significant and in favour of girls in 54 of 56 countries; in the two other countries, the difference is not significant. Gender differences are most pronounced in Italy and Latvia, where there is a 10 percentage-point gap (Table V.5.4a).

By contrast, boys were significantly more likely than girls to report that they agree or strongly agree with the four statements that comprise the index of valuing teamwork (Figure V.5.5). The difference is most pronounced for the statement “I prefer working as part of a team to working alone”, with which boys were 5.1 percentage points more likely than girls to agree or strongly agree. This difference is significant and in favour of boys in 38 of 56 countries; it is significant and in favour of girls in only one country: Beijing-Shanghai-Jiangsu-Guangdong (China) (hereafter “B-S-J-G [China]”) (a 4.1 percentage-point gap). The gender gap is widest in Canada, Iceland and Sweden, where it exceeds 10 percentage points (Table V.5.4b).

### ***Socio-economic status is associated with differences in students’ attitudes towards collaboration.***

There are significant differences related to socio-economic status in the propensity to agree or strongly agree with each statement. Advantaged students were 6.1 percentage points more likely than disadvantaged students to report that they agree or strongly agree with the statement “I take into account what others are interested in”; 5.7 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I enjoy considering different perspectives”; 4.8 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I am a good listener”; and 1.4 percentage points more likely to agree with the statement “I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful” (Figure V.5.6). These four statements comprise the index of valuing relationships.

By contrast, disadvantaged students were 7.5 percentage points more likely than advantaged students to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency”; 5.5 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I prefer working as part of a team to working alone”; 5.2 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I find that teams make better decisions than individuals”; and 1.0 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I enjoy co-operating with peers”. These four statements comprise the index of valuing teamwork.

The data indicate that advantaged students were more likely to report that they agree or strongly agree that they engage in co-operative activities that do not directly involve personal gain, while disadvantaged students were more likely to report that they agree or strongly agree that teamwork brings benefits. A similar dichotomy is observed between girls and boys.

### ***The relationships between students’ attitudes towards collaboration and their performance in collaborative problem solving are remarkably consistent across countries.***

Are students who have more positive attitudes towards collaboration also better able to solve problems collaboratively? Within-country differences in student performance related to self-reported attitudes towards collaboration are remarkably consistent across countries and economies (Figure V.5.8 and Tables V.5.2a to V.5.2h). On average across OECD countries, students who reported that they agree or strongly agree with the statements that comprise the index of valuing relationships score better than those who reported that they disagree or strongly disagree with those statements. The performance gap varies from 38 points for the statement “I take into account what others are interested in” to 26 points for “I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful.”

By contrast, students who reported that they agree or strongly agree with the statements comprising the index of valuing teamwork score below students who reported that they disagree or strongly disagree with those statements, on average across OECD countries. For example, the performance gap related to the statement “I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency” is 22 points, while the gap related to the statement “I prefer working as part of a team to working alone” is 17 points.



But other patterns are observed after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects (science, reading and mathematics). There is a positive association between agreeing or strongly agreeing with any of the items related to attitudes towards collaboration – both the items that comprise the index of valuing relationships and those that comprise the index of valuing teamwork – and relative performance in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.5.8).<sup>1</sup> These positive associations persist after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. On average across OECD countries, students who agree or strongly agree with the statements in the index of valuing relationships perform between five and eight points higher in collaborative problem solving after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, while they perform between two and five points higher if they agree or strongly agree with the statements in the index of valuing teamwork.

Hence, it appears that positive attitudes towards collaboration – whether for altruistic reasons or for the benefit of one's own success in a collaborative project – are associated with the distinctively collaborative aspects of solving problems collaboratively. Students who perform at lower levels of proficiency are more likely to recognise the effectiveness of collaboration. However, a positive disposition towards collaboration, even if it is for the benefits to oneself that collaboration can bring, is still associated with better performance in collaborative problem solving when comparing students with similar performance in science, reading and mathematics.

### ***Participation in physical activities has a limited relationship with students' ability to collaborate with others.***

Many studies have tried to discover a link between participation in sports and academic performance, with inconclusive results. PISA 2015 asked students to report the number of days during which they engaged in moderate physical activity (such as walking, climbing stairs or riding a bike to school) for at least 60 minutes per day, or vigorous physical activity (such as running, cycling, aerobics, soccer and skating) for at least 20 minutes per day during the week before the PISA assessment. PISA also asked students how often, on average, they attend physical education classes each week during the school year.

Students who engage in moderate physical activity two or more days per week score higher in the collaborative problem-solving assessment than students who engage in such activity fewer than two days per week (Figure V.6.1 and Table V.6.1a). Students who attend one or two days of physical education class per week score highest in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.6.2, Tables V.6.1c and V.6.2c). These students score around 20 points higher than students who do not attend any physical education class, on average across OECD countries. However, students who participate in four days of physical education class per week score at least 31 points lower in collaborative problem solving than those who take part in one or two classes per week, and 10 points lower than those who do not take part in any physical education class.

After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics, there are few significant differences in performance on the collaborative problem-solving assessment related to the number of days in an average week during which a student engages in moderate physical activity (Table V.6.3a). However, additional days of vigorous physical activity beyond two days per week are associated with successively lower relative performance scores in collaborative problem solving (after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects) (Table V.6.3b).

Most differences in relative performance associated with the number of days that a student attends physical education class per week are not significant across OECD countries. The greatest differences are found among students who attend four or five days of physical education class per week, who score over five points lower in collaborative problem solving than students who attend fewer days of physical education class per week, but who have similar scores in science, reading and mathematics (Table V.6.3c). In other words, students' collaboration-specific skills are observed to decrease above a certain threshold of vigorous physical activity or attendance in physical education classes.

### ***How students spend their time before and after school can be related to their performance in collaborative problem solving.***

PISA 2015 asked students whether they participated in a variety of activities both before and after school on the most recent school day prior to sitting the PISA assessment. Several of these activities might have a social – or perhaps antisocial – component to them: using the Internet/chat/social networks; playing video games; meeting friends or talking to friends on the phone; and working in the household or taking care of family members.

Students who play video games score, on average, 32 points lower than students who do not play video games; and students who talk to their friends on the phone or meet their friends score 23 points below students who do not.



In no country or economy do students who played video games, or who met their friends or talked to them on the phone on the last school day prior to the PISA assessment score significantly better than those who did not engage in those activities (Figure V.6.5, Tables V.6.7b and V.6.7c).

This gap remains significant after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. The relative score of students who play video games outside of school is 15 points below that of students who do not play video games, on average across OECD countries; after also accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, the gap is still significant but only 4 score points wide (Figure V.6.5, Table V.6.7b).

By contrast, accessing the Internet, chat or a social network was associated with a seven score-point improvement in collaborative problem-solving performance, on average across OECD countries (Figure V.6.5). This relationship in favour of students who accessed these forms of communication was observed in 23 out of 51 countries/economies. This performance gap exceeds 35 score points in Brazil, Colombia and Norway (Table V.6.7a).

After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, a significant gap of six score points in collaborative problem-solving performance is still observed across OECD countries in favour of students who had accessed the Internet, chat, or social networks outside of school (Figure V.6.5). This gap is significant and in favour of students who had accessed such media in 13 of 51 participating countries and economies, and is over 15 points wide in the Czech Republic and Germany. By contrast, the performance gap is significant and in favour of students who had not accessed such media only in the United States, where it is 10 score points wide (Table V.6.7a).

Students interacted with computer agents in a virtual interface in this assessment, a process that is more akin to using electronic forms of communication than talking to friends on the telephone or seeing them outside of school. Students who use the Internet, chat or social media outside of school might therefore have an advantage in the assessment.

***Student truancy appears more related to students' attitudes towards being and working with others, in general, than to their collaboration-specific skills.***

On average across OECD countries, students who had skipped a whole day of school in the two weeks prior to the PISA test score 39 points below those who had not skipped a whole day of school in collaborative problem solving (Table V.6.9a). The difference is particularly stark in B-S-J-G (China), Japan, Korea, Slovenia and Chinese Taipei, where it exceeds 65 score points. In no country/economy do students who had skipped a whole day of school during that period perform better on the collaborative problem-solving assessment than students who had not.

The significant relationships related to truancy and lateness vanish after accounting for student performance in science, reading and mathematics, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile: there is no longer any difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between students who had and those who had not skipped a whole day of school, skipped some classes or arrived late for school. It therefore appears that there is no association between student truancy and lateness, and the distinctively collaborative aspects of collaborative problem solving. This may lend support to the hypothesis that students choose to play truant from school because of factors related to their academic performance and how they view school itself, as opposed to their ability to collaborate with classmates.

Students who play truant or arrive late for school are also less likely to have positive attitudes towards collaboration. On average across OECD countries, students who had skipped at least one day of school or had skipped some classes in the two weeks prior to sitting the PISA assessment have significantly lower values on both the index of valuing relationships and the index of valuing teamwork. Students who had arrived late for school have a lower index of valuing relationships, but there is no difference observed in the index of valuing teamwork. After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, students who play truant or arrive late for school have lower indices of both valuing relationships and valuing teamwork (Figure V.6.7).

The largest gaps in attitudes towards collaboration are seen when considering the statements that are included in the index of valuing relationships, which are closely related to valuing others' opinions and success. It thus appears that there is a particularly strong relationship between the decision to play truant and the extent to which a student values friendships and interpersonal relationships.

Students who had not played truant or who had not arrived late for school had lower indices of valuing relationships and teamwork when they attended schools where more of their classmates were truant or late for school, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile (Tables V.6.11a-c).



### *Attendance at pre-primary school is associated with more positive attitudes towards collaboration later on.*

Some 95% of 15-year-old students, on average across OECD countries, had attended some form of pre-primary school. Results from the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment and student questionnaire show that students who had attended pre-primary school score 29 points higher than students who had not attended pre-primary school. A significant difference is observed in 21 of the 47 countries for which data are available (Table V.6.12a). In no country or economy is the gap significant in favour of students who had not attended pre-primary school.

On average across OECD countries, there is no significant relationship between attendance at pre-primary school and the distinctive aspects of collaborative problem solving, indicating that the performance gap described above reflects the relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and performance in science, reading and mathematics. Attendance at pre-primary school has no discernible effect on the unique aspects of collaborative problem solving (or what one would attribute to collaboration skills as opposed to general academic proficiency) ten years later. In fact, after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, a significant advantage in collaborative problem-solving performance among students who had attended pre-primary school is observed only in Norway (11 score points) and Russia (12 score points), while a significant disadvantage among students who had attended pre-primary school is found in the United States (11 score points) (Figure V.6.8).

On average across OECD countries and after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, students who had attended pre-primary school have significantly higher values on the indices of enjoying and valuing co-operation and were more likely to agree or strongly agree with all of the items that comprise these two indices. Students who had attended pre-primary school were between two and five percentage points more likely than those who had not attended to agree or strongly agree with each of the statements that are related to attitudes towards collaboration, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. For instance, they were 4.7 percentage points more likely to agree that they "prefer working as part of a team to working alone", a gap that widens to over 15 percentage points in the Czech Republic and France. They were also 4.0 percentage points more likely to agree that they "take into account what others are interested in", a gap that grows to over 10 percentage points in the Czech Republic, Germany and Luxembourg (Table V.6.13).

Thus, attendance at pre-primary school is positively correlated with positive attitudes towards collaboration, and while attendance at pre-primary school is also positively correlated with performance in collaborative problem solving, this relationship disappears once performance in science, reading and mathematics is accounted for. These results provide some support to the idea that pre-primary schools develop socialisation skills and positive attitudes towards co-operating with others that can have a lasting impact.

### *Students who are regularly asked to discuss their work in class tend to have more positive attitudes towards collaboration.*

The PISA 2015 student questionnaire asked students about how often certain activities occur during science class. Four of these activities were identified as being communication-intensive: explaining one's ideas in science class; spending time in the laboratory doing practical experiments; arguing about science questions; and taking part in class debates about investigations.

Significant relationships between these activities and attitudes towards collaboration are observed both on average across OECD countries and in many other countries and economies. On average across OECD countries, the indices of valuing relationships and teamwork are higher among students who reported that they participate in these activities in most or all lessons than among those who reported that they participate in these activities in only some lessons or never/hardly ever.

Students who are given opportunities to explain their ideas in most or all lessons were two to six percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with each of the statements regarding attitudes towards collaboration. This difference is observed in most countries and economies. For example, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, in 46 of the 56 countries and economies that administered the student questionnaire on computer, students who reported that they explain their ideas in most or all science lessons were more likely to agree that they are "a good listener"; in 37 out of 56 countries and economies, these students also agreed that they "enjoy considering different perspectives" (Tables V.6.15a-d).



Figure V.1.1 ■ Snapshot of performance in collaborative problem solving and attitudes towards collaboration

|                      | Collaborative problem solving |                                   |            |            |                                  | Index of valuing relationships<br>Mean index | Index of valuing teamwork<br>Mean index |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|----------------------------------|--|---|
|                      | All students                  | Relative performance <sup>1</sup> | Boys       | Girls      | Gender difference (boys - girls) |  |   |
|                      | Mean score                    | Score dif.                        | Mean score | Mean score | Score dif.                       |  |   |
| OECD average-32      | 500                           | 3                                 | 486        | 515        | -29                              | 0.01   | 0.00                                    |
| Singapore            | 561                           | 16                                | 552        | 572        | -20                              | 0.32   | 0.27                                    |
| Japan                | 552                           | 23                                | 539        | 565        | -26                              | -0.22  | -0.03                                   |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 541                           | 15                                | 523        | 559        | -36                              | -0.04  | 0.05                                    |
| Korea                | 538                           | 20                                | 522        | 556        | -33                              | -0.02  | 0.14                                    |
| Canada               | 535                           | 10                                | 516        | 555        | -39                              | 0.11   | 0.00                                    |
| Estonia              | 535                           | 8                                 | 522        | 549        | -27                              | 0.03   | -0.10                                   |
| Finland              | 534                           | 7                                 | 511        | 559        | -48                              | -0.08  | -0.22                                   |
| Macao (China)        | 534                           | 11                                | 515        | 553        | -38                              | -0.15  | 0.01                                    |
| New Zealand          | 533                           | 20                                | 513        | 553        | -41                              | 0.01   | 0.07                                    |
| Australia            | 531                           | 23                                | 511        | 552        | -41                              | 0.09   | 0.01                                    |
| Chinese Taipei       | 527                           | 5                                 | 513        | 541        | -28                              | 0.22   | 0.37                                    |
| Germany              | 525                           | 14                                | 510        | 540        | -30                              | 0.15   | 0.14                                    |
| United States        | 520                           | 22                                | 507        | 533        | -26                              | 0.13   | 0.06                                    |
| Denmark              | 520                           | 14                                | 509        | 530        | -21                              | 0.01   | -0.12                                   |
| United Kingdom       | 519                           | 12                                | 503        | 536        | -34                              | -0.04  | -0.04                                   |
| Netherlands          | 518                           | 8                                 | 504        | 531        | -27                              | -0.18  | -0.26                                   |
| Sweden               | 510                           | 9                                 | 489        | 531        | -42                              | 0.05   | -0.19                                   |
| Austria              | 509                           | 13                                | 498        | 521        | -24                              | 0.24   | 0.19                                    |
| Norway               | 502                           | -5                                | 487        | 518        | -30                              | 0.11   | -0.23                                   |
| Slovenia             | 502                           | -10                               | 484        | 521        | -36                              | -0.04  | 0.02                                    |
| Belgium              | 501                           | -4                                | 489        | 514        | -25                              | -0.06  | -0.11                                   |
| Iceland              | 499                           | 15                                | 485        | 512        | -27                              | -0.09  | -0.20                                   |
| Czech Republic       | 499                           | 3                                 | 486        | 512        | -26                              | -0.20  | 0.00                                    |
| Portugal             | 498                           | -5                                | 489        | 507        | -19                              | 0.37   | 0.32                                    |
| Spain                | 496                           | -1                                | 485        | 508        | -22                              | 0.19   | 0.15                                    |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 496                           | -17                               | 486        | 508        | -22                              | 0.01   | 0.39                                    |
| France               | 494                           | -7                                | 480        | 508        | -29                              | -0.07  | 0.11                                    |
| Luxembourg           | 491                           | 2                                 | 478        | 504        | -25                              | 0.03   | 0.00                                    |
| Latvia               | 485                           | -9                                | 465        | 505        | -40                              | -0.30  | -0.14                                   |
| Italy                | 478                           | -11                               | 466        | 489        | -23                              | -0.14  | 0.02                                    |
| Russia               | 473                           | -22                               | 460        | 486        | -25                              | -0.25  | -0.18                                   |
| Croatia              | 473                           | -12                               | 459        | 486        | -27                              | 0.01   | 0.21                                    |
| Hungary              | 472                           | -10                               | 459        | 485        | -26                              | -0.03  | -0.02                                   |
| Israel               | 469                           | -11                               | 459        | 481        | -22                              | 0.24   | -0.03                                   |
| Lithuania            | 467                           | -15                               | 453        | 482        | -29                              | 0.16   | 0.33                                    |
| Slovak Republic      | 463                           | -7                                | 448        | 478        | -30                              | -0.34  | -0.12                                   |
| Greece               | 459                           | -10                               | 444        | 475        | -31                              | 0.03   | 0.18                                    |
| Chile                | 457                           | -3                                | 450        | 464        | -14                              | 0.08   | 0.21                                    |
| Cyprus <sup>2</sup>  | 444                           | -6                                | 424        | 464        | -40                              | 0.07   | 0.10                                    |
| Bulgaria             | 444                           | -10                               | 429        | 461        | -31                              | -0.03  | -0.07                                   |
| Uruguay              | 443                           | -6                                | 434        | 451        | -17                              | 0.11   | 0.20                                    |
| Costa Rica           | 441                           | 4                                 | 437        | 445        | -7                               | 0.35   | 0.34                                    |
| Thailand             | 436                           | 2                                 | 416        | 451        | -35                              | 0.10   | 0.37                                    |
| United Arab Emirates | 435                           | -14                               | 416        | 454        | -38                              | 0.32   | 0.45                                    |
| Mexico               | 433                           | -1                                | 426        | 440        | -14                              | 0.16   | 0.23                                    |
| Colombia             | 429                           | -4                                | 425        | 433        | -8                               | 0.05   | 0.23                                    |
| Turkey               | 422                           | -19                               | 411        | 434        | -23                              | 0.00   | -0.04                                   |
| Peru                 | 418                           | 2                                 | 414        | 421        | -7                               | -0.08  | 0.09                                    |
| Montenegro           | 416                           | -18                               | 403        | 429        | -26                              | -0.05  | -0.09                                   |
| Brazil               | 412                           | -9                                | 402        | 421        | -18                              | -0.04  | 0.20                                    |
| Tunisia              | 382                           | -18                               | 375        | 387        | -12                              | 0.12   | 0.43                                    |
| Ireland              | m                             | m                                 | m          | m          | m                                | 0.03   | 0.04                                    |
| Poland               | m                             | m                                 | m          | m          | m                                | -0.21  | -0.06                                   |
| Switzerland          | m                             | m                                 | m          | m          | m                                | 0.19   | 0.22                                    |
| Dominican Republic   | m                             | m                                 | m          | m          | m                                | 0.27   | 0.51                                    |
| Qatar                | m                             | m                                 | m          | m          | m                                | 0.12   | 0.23                                    |

1. Relative scores are the residuals obtained from a pooled linear regression, across all participating countries/economies, of the performance in collaborative problem solving over performance in science, reading and mathematics.

2. Note by Turkey: The information in this document with reference to Cyprus relates to the southern part of the Island. There is no single authority representing both Turkish and Greek Cypriot people on the Island. Turkey recognises the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC). Until a lasting and equitable solution is found within the context of the United Nations, Turkey shall preserve its position concerning the "Cyprus issue".

Note by all the European Union Member States of the OECD and the European Union: The Republic of Cyprus is recognised by all members of the United Nations with the exception of Turkey. The information in this document relates to the area under the effective control of the Government of the Republic of Cyprus.

Note: At the country/economy level, differences that are statistically significant are marked in bold (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the mean collaborative problem-solving score.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.3.2, V.3.9a, V.4.3a and V.5.1.

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### ***Students who reported more positive relationships with other students score higher in collaborative problem solving.***

The relationships that students establish with their schoolmates should be particularly relevant for the type of interpersonal skills evaluated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment. PISA asked students about their sense of belonging at school and about their experiences with bullying, and asked principals about the phenomena that hinder student learning. Students feel mostly positive about their relationships with their schoolmates. On average across OECD countries, about four in five students agreed that they seemed to be liked by other students and make friends easily at school; a slightly larger proportion disagreed that they feel lonely at school (Figure V.7.2). An even greater majority reported that they are never, or almost never, threatened or hit or pushed by other students.

Overall, students who reported more positive student-student interactions score higher in collaborative problem solving (Table V.7.3). On average across OECD countries, students who agreed that other students seem to like them score 9 points higher in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile. Students also score considerably higher in collaborative problem solving when they reported that they are never, or almost never, threatened (18 points) or hit or pushed (14 points) by other students. In fact, in almost every school system, students who are not threatened by other students score higher in collaborative problem solving.

More positive student-student interactions at the school-level are always associated with better student performance, even those negatively related to collaborative problem solving performance at the student level. For instance, on average across OECD countries, for every 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported that they are never, or almost never, hit or pushed by other students, student performance in collaborative problem solving increases by 11 score points.

After accounting for student performance in science, reading and mathematics – that is, among students who perform similarly in these core PISA subjects – students score higher in collaborative problem solving when they, or more of their schoolmates, reported that they are never, or almost never, threatened, hit or pushed by other students (Table V.7.4). Students also score higher when more of their schoolmates agreed that other students seem to like them, disagreed that they felt lonely at school, or reported that other students never, or almost never, make fun of them.

### ***Parents' engagement with school, and students' relationships with their parents and teachers are all associated with performance in collaborative problem solving.***

On average across the OECD countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, students score higher in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for the socio-economic profile of students and schools, when their parents socialise more with their children's school friends and their parents, and also when they feel comfortable talking to more school staff (Table V.7.13). In addition, students who reported that their teachers say something insulting to them in front of others at least a few times per year score 23 points lower in collaborative problem solving than students who reported that this never, or almost never, happened to them during the previous 12 months (Table V.7.18).

Most associations between the quality of student-teacher relationships and collaborative problem-solving scores disappear once scores in science, reading and mathematics are accounted for (Table V.7.19). This suggests that the quality of student-teacher relationships is as important for learning how to solve problems collaboratively as for acquiring knowledge and skills in science, reading and mathematics. However, when students, or their schoolmates, believe they have been treated unfairly, their relative performance in collaborative problem solving is significantly lower. For instance, in 25 out of 47 education systems, students who reported that their teachers never, or almost never, discipline them more harshly than other students score higher in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for their performance in the core PISA subjects, than students who reported they are disciplined more harshly at least a few times per year (Figure V.7.8).

On average across OECD countries, students score higher in collaborative problem solving when they, their parents, their schoolmates or their schoolmates' parents reported more positive student-parent relationships, after accounting for the socio-economic profile of students and schools (Table V.7.23). For instance, students score 19 points higher in the collaborative problem-solving assessment when they reported that they had talked to their parents after school on the day prior to the PISA test; and on average across the OECD countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, students score five points higher in collaborative problem solving when their parents strongly agreed that they are interested in their child's school activities or encourage them to be confident (Figure V.7.10 and Table V.7.23).



## WHAT THE RESULTS MEAN FOR POLICY

Results from the PISA collaborative problem-solving assessment show that a very small proportion (9%) of the differences in students' performance, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics, is observed between schools. This would seem to indicate that no matter which school parents send their children to, their children have the opportunity to develop strong collaboration skills. However, PISA data cannot discern whether this is because schools are more equitable in providing learning opportunities for collaborative skills, or whether collaboration skills are mainly developed outside schools.

Education systems can foster collaboration skills and attitudes in existing subjects or courses, or through new programmes, as Singapore did with its *Project Work* programme. The OECD is collecting information on how collaboration and co-operation are incorporated into school curricula through its *Education 2030* project.

Physical education, for example, is one subject that naturally provides many opportunities to embed collaboration activities and to develop social skills and attitudes towards collaboration. Collaboration is vital to many activities in physical education class, most obviously team sports.

Results also show that exposure to diversity in the classroom is associated with better collaboration skills. Students without an immigrant background perform better in the collaboration-specific aspects of the assessment when they attend schools with a larger proportion of immigrant students. Education systems could investigate whether, in their own context, diversity and students' contact with those who are different from them and who may hold different points of view can aid in developing collaboration skills.

This report also shows that fostering positive relationships at school can benefit students' collaborative problem-solving skills and their attitudes towards collaboration, especially when these relationships involve students directly. Students who establish more positive relationships with peers, teachers and parents tend to score higher in collaborative problem solving, and so do other students in the school. The good news is that most students, teachers and principals report a positive learning environment in their schools. However, too many students report that they feel isolated at school, are bullied repeatedly or are treated unfairly by teachers. Schools can identify those students who are socially isolated, organise social activities to foster constructive relationships and school attachment, provide teacher training on classroom management, and adopt a whole-school approach to prevent and address school bullying. Parents can also make a difference, as collaboration begins at home.

### Note

1. Relative collaborative problem-solving performance is calculated by an ordinary least squares regression of collaborative problem-solving performance over performance in science, reading and mathematics. In Chapter 3, the regression is performed at the international level in order to rank countries and economies. In Chapters 4, 5, 6 and 7, the regression is performed at the individual country or economy level, as the focus is on factors related to differences in performance within each country/economy. This results in an average residual of 0 for each country/economy.

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# What is collaborative problem solving?

This chapter introduces the PISA 2015 assessment of collaborative problem solving. It provides the rationale for assessing collaborative problem-solving competence in PISA and introduces the innovative features of the 2015 assessment, particularly in contrast to the individual problem-solving assessment of PISA 2012. The framework for the assessment is discussed and sample items are presented.



*In the long history of humankind (and animal kind, too) those who learned to collaborate and improvise most effectively have prevailed.*

Charles Darwin

Today's workplaces demand people who can solve non-routine problems – that was the rationale for assessing individual problem solving in PISA 2012. However, today's workplaces also demand people who can solve problems in concert and collaboration with others by combining their ideas and efforts. Collaborative problem solving has several advantages over individual problem solving: labour can be divided among team members; a variety of knowledge, perspectives and experiences can be applied to try to solve the problem; and team members can stimulate each other, leading to enhanced creativity and a higher quality of the solution.

However, collaboration also poses potential challenges to team members. Labour might not be divided equitably or efficiently, with team members perhaps working on tasks for which they are unsuited or that they dislike. Some group members may not contribute their fair share to the team, while others may prioritise their own goals over the team's goals. Conflict may arise between team members, hindering the development of creative solutions. Finally, team members might not effectively co-ordinate tasks, resulting in a loss of time and reduced productivity. The potential is rife for poor communication, unhappy and resentful team members, and an inefficient use of resources. Successful collaboration, therefore, requires a concerted and constructive effort from all parties and is a skill in itself.

There is an ever-increasing demand for collaboration skills in modern workplaces. In the 20<sup>th</sup> century, there was a high and increasing wage premium related to educational attainment: those with university degrees were paid more than those with only a high school diploma, and the difference in wages between these two groups increased over the latter half of the century (Autor, Levy and Murnane, 2003; Murnane, Willett and Levy, 1995). This was attributed to an increase in employer demand for those in service, sales-related, professional and managerial/administrator positions. The skills needed to succeed in these fields were, for much of the twentieth century, the cognitive skills associated with those one obtained through a university degree.

However, Autor, Levy and Murnane (2003) and Deming (2015) further found that the skills for which there was the greatest increase in demand in the last decades of the 20<sup>th</sup> century were non-routine analytical skills (i.e. those involved in problem solving) and, to an even larger extent, non-cognitive (or social) skills, including collaboration skills. By contrast, those skills for which demand decreased were routine manual and cognitive skills. Increasing automation is expected to further reduce the demand for such routine skills while simultaneously raising the demand for those complex skills that cannot be automated.

Deming (2015) also found that, in the United States, jobs requiring a high level of both mathematics and non-cognitive skills grew by 7.2 percentage points (as a share of the US labour force) between 1990 and 2012. Jobs requiring a low level of mathematics skills but a high level of social skills grew by 4.6 percentage points over the same period. However, jobs requiring a high level of mathematics skills but a low level of social skills – including many jobs in the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (or STEM fields) – fell by 3.3 percentage points between 1990 and 2012.

The increase in the number of jobs requiring a high level of social skills has been accompanied by an increase in the wages for such jobs, suggesting that there is higher demand from employers for such skills instead of simply a surplus of workers who hold such skills. While hourly wages for jobs that require high mathematics proficiency but low social skills have increased by 5.9% between 1980 and 2012, they have increased by 26% for jobs that require both high mathematics proficiency *and* high social skills (Deming, 2015). Moreover, wages have risen by over 20% for jobs that require high social skills but low mathematics skills, suggesting that social skills are increasingly of value to employers.<sup>1</sup>

The importance of collaboration extends beyond the workplace. A great number of human activities take place in groups, from a variety of physical and artistic endeavours to living in harmony with one's neighbours. More generally, as John Donne said, "No man is an island": almost every human relies on interactions with other individuals to do what he or she cannot do for him or herself or do alone. These activities range from essential tasks like obtaining food, clothing or shelter, to organising large celebrations, to simply agreeing with one's friends and family as to where to go and what to do while on vacation. Collaboration skills are essential to facilitating such interactions.

Co-operation and collaboration are also important beyond the individual level. A variety of actors must collaborate to propose, pass and implement the laws that govern a country, and groups of interested people must work together to advocate for their ideas on a scale greater than what could be achieved by any individual in the group. For instance,



trade unions have relied on collaboration between its members to achieve higher pay, obtain better working conditions, and ensure more stringent health and safety standards. Likewise, restorative justice requires victims, offenders and society at large to collaborate and compromise in order to determine how an offender can best atone for his or her offense.

Many contemporary issues, such as trade, migration, climate change, intellectual property protection and the fight against tax avoidance and profit shifting, go beyond the local or national level and require co-operation between countries at the international level. For example, 196 countries signed the Paris Agreement regarding greenhouse gas emissions in 2015 as part of a concerted global effort to limit global warming, while the European Union gives its individual member countries a greater united voice in world affairs. Organisations including the OECD (which produces PISA), the G20, and the United Nations provide a space for countries to discuss and attempt to resolve global problems. Although it is ostensibly countries that collaborate in these situations, it is humans who negotiate each of these agreements and deals. “No man is an island” is also figuratively, if not literally, true for countries and other groups of humans.

## TEACHING AND ASSESSING COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING SKILLS

Some education systems across the world are beginning to adapt their curricula and instruction to equip their students with collaboration skills (Griffin and Care, 2015; Hesse et al., 2015). One concrete example of such a pedagogical programme is Project Work, introduced for grade 11 students in Singapore in 2000 to “provide students with the opportunity to synthesise knowledge from various areas of learning, and critically and creatively apply it to real-life situations” (MOE, 2017).<sup>2</sup> Four learning outcomes were identified: knowledge application, communication, independent learning and collaboration. For the latter learning outcome, students “acquire collaborative skills through working in a team to achieve common goals”.

However, in most countries and economies, collaboration is not a skill that is explicitly taught in schools but is rather acquired through the teaching of other subjects. For example, students are often asked to perform group work in traditional academic subjects (such as the three core PISA domains), and are also given chances to interact with one another in a variety of other contexts in other activities and classes, such as physical education class, music class, or extracurricular sports teams.

There have been few attempts to assess how well students collaborate with one another. This may be partly due to the lack of an obvious measure for how well one has collaborated. For example, in Singapore’s Project Work, students are assessed in the learning outcomes of knowledge application (generating, developing and evaluating ideas and information in order to execute project tasks) and communication (presenting ideas clearly and coherently in both written and oral form). Collaboration and independent learning, which are skills developed and used on the way to completing their project tasks, are not assessed (MOE, 2017).

Hence, PISA 2015 decided to assess 15-year-old students’ ability to collaborate in order to solve problems. By doing so, PISA aims to address the lack of internationally comparable data in this field, allowing countries and economies to see, for the first time, where their students stand in relation to students in other education systems in these skills. Within-country analyses will give policy makers the information they need to enable them to develop programmes to improve their students’ collaboration and interpersonal skills. PISA thus seeks to address the lack of knowledge about which factors, policies and practices are related to the development of collaboration skills.

## HOW PISA 2015 DEFINES COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING

PISA 2015 defines collaborative problem-solving competency as:

*the capacity of an individual to effectively engage in a process whereby two or more agents attempt to solve a problem by sharing the understanding and effort required to come to a solution and pooling their knowledge, skills and efforts to reach that solution.*

The PISA 2015 framework publication (OECD, 2017a) discusses the definition in full. Some of the key elements are discussed immediately below; other elements will be described in the following section on the more detailed framework of the assessment.

### ... the capacity of an individual ...

Collaboration necessarily requires the presence of at least two agents – after all, one cannot collaborate on his or her own. The success of the collaborative process can be evaluated at the collective level: How well did the group solve the problem? How well did group members work together? How well did the group manage conflict? Indeed, one of the advantages of collaboration is that the end result often exceeds the sum of each group member’s individual contribution (Blaney et al., 1977; Laughlin et al., 2006; Schwartz, 1995), and such synergies can only be evaluated at the group level.



However, PISA measures individual competency and, in the context of collaborative problem solving, measures the ability of individuals to work in collaborative settings. Although the performance of an individual in collaborative problem solving depends on the group in which he/she finds himself/herself, he/she also has a certain baseline ability to collaborate with others. By varying, in a controlled manner, the characteristics of the group members with whom an individual collaborates, an overall assessment of the individual's collaborative problem-solving competency can be made.

### ... whereby two or more agents ...

As mentioned above, collaboration always involves the interaction of two or more agents working together. These agents must be theoretically capable of performing all of the actions involved in collaborative problem solving, such as communicating, reacting to others' actions and statements, advancing the task at hand, and managing group organisation.

The agents may be humans or computerised simulations of humans. In the PISA assessment, one agent is the student whose performance is being evaluated; all other agents are computerised simulations. This allows the assessment to control the behaviour of the other agents in order to isolate the collaborative problem-solving ability of the student being evaluated (Graesser et al., 2018; Kreijns, Kirschner and Jochems, 2003; Rosen and Rimor, 2009). Had the student been in a group with other students, his or her performance would have depended on the ability of the other students and the pre-existing relationships between the students. The use of computer agents also broadens the range of groups and situations that can be created, hence ensuring that all components of the framework (discussed below) are examined. Logistically, computer agents also allow for rapid scoring of students' results and avoid the need to co-ordinate communication between students in a time-limited situation. As a result, the PISA collaborative problem-solving framework favoured the use of computer-simulated agents. Box V.2.1 discusses the concerns in using computer agents instead of human agents when measuring collaborative problem-solving competence.

#### Box V.2.1. **The use of computer agents instead of human agents when measuring collaborative problem-solving competence**

In the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment, the student test-taker interacts with computer agents instead of other human agents. The use of other human agents is impractical: student performance depends on the agents with whom the student interacts, and as human agents are unpredictable, students would need to interact with a large variety of other humans to be certain to place the students in a variety of collaborative environments. The other students would also need to be comparable across schools and countries.

Computer agents allow the assessment to precisely control and vary the characteristics of the other agents with whom students interact. The assessment can thus test a variety of aspects of students' collaborative problem-solving competency within 30-minute clusters.

However, in the workplace and in society at large, students are generally required to interact with other humans. The question therefore arises: Does the PISA 2015 assessment accurately measure students' ability to collaborate with other humans? Do the computer agents faithfully proxy for humans?

A study investigating these questions was carried out by the University of Luxembourg in classrooms in Germany and in cognitive laboratories at the University of Luxembourg (Herborn, Mustafic and Greiff, forthcoming; Herborn et al., forthcoming). In the classroom studies, four PISA collaborative problem-solving units were re-formatted by replacing one of the computer agents with a human agent partner who could select his or her response from a set of prepared responses, similar to what the human test-taker would see. Only the human test-taker was scored. Prior to starting the unit, students were informed whether they were interacting with a human or a computer agent. A statistically significant yet small difference in scores was observed between students who interacted with a computer agent and students who interacted with a human agent; this difference was deemed too small to be relevant from a practical standpoint.

In the cognitive laboratories, students were instructed to think aloud as they completed one of the original units used in the PISA 2015 assessment (with computer agents) and one re-formatted unit (with a human agent). Each student completed these units individually, i.e. in his or her own space, without direct contact with other humans/human agents. It was found that teachers' opinions of their students' collaboration skills were significantly and moderately well correlated with students' performance in the original and re-formatted collaborative problem-solving units.

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The re-formatted units included at least two other agents: one human agent and at least one computer agent. Anecdotal evidence from students indicates that they were unable to distinguish which of the agents was the human agent, likely because their responses were all prepared.

Hence, although students collaborated with computer agents instead of real human agents in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment, any differences between the two types of agents were difficult to discern. There are no pertinent differences between the use of human and computer agents in the context of electronic collaboration where students cannot write their own individual responses.

With improvements in technology, more and more collaboration takes place in virtual settings: people find themselves increasingly working with others located on different floors, in different companies and organisations, and in other cities and countries. The PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is thus particularly pertinent to the changing face of how humans collaborate in the twenty-first century.

Students also performed a collaborative problem-solving unit face-to-face with another human agent in the cognitive laboratories, where they could freely formulate their responses. This unit was evaluated by independent observers. It was found that students' performance in the original and re-formatted units, both of which took place in a virtual, computer-based setting, was a moderately good predictor of their performance in the face-to-face collaboration units with another human. Hence, the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is informative about students' performance in real-life collaboration scenarios, where they directly collaborate with other humans.

### ... attempt to solve a problem ...

A student's collaborative problem-solving ability is, as the name implies, assessed in scenarios where he or she must solve a problem. In this context, a problem is not necessarily a cognitive task, such as setting up a sustainable fish farm, planning the construction of a bridge, or writing a persuasive letter. Instead, it may be communicating with other agents, delegating roles to other agents, ensuring that the group remains focussed on the task at hand, or evaluating whether other agents have performed their assigned tasks, among other examples. All of these actions are directed towards the ultimate goal. In the case of the released unit described at the end of this chapter, *Xandar*, the goal is to answer questions in a simulated contest, and the problem-solving process incorporates all of the steps towards the final goal.

Collaborative problem-solving ability is not measured solely by whether the problem was successfully solved; for example, in the case of *Xandar*, it is not measured solely by how well students perform in the contest. Instead, assessment is continuous throughout the unit and incorporates all of the student's interactions with and responses to the computerised agents. Each response is indicative of how the student has chosen to interact and collaborate with the other agents in that particular situation.

## THE PISA 2015 FRAMEWORK FOR ASSESSING COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING COMPETENCE

The PISA 2015 framework for assessing collaborative problem-solving competence guided the development of the assessment and sets the parameters for reporting results. The framework identifies two major components to collaborative problem solving: the cognitive and general problem-solving aspects common to individual problem solving (as examined in PISA 2012) and the collaborative aspects unique to collaborative problem solving.

As in PISA 2012, four processes in individual problem solving were identified:

- **exploring and understanding:** exploring the problem situation by observing it, interacting with it, searching for information and finding limitations or obstacles; and demonstrating understanding of the information given and the information discovered while interacting with the problem situation
- **representing and formulating:** using tables, graphs, symbols or words to represent aspects of the problem situation; and formulating hypotheses about the relevant factors in a problem and the relationships between them to build a coherent mental representation of the problem situation
- **planning and executing:** devising a plan or strategy to solve the problem; executing the strategy; and perhaps clarifying the overall goal and setting subgoals
- **monitoring and reflecting:** monitoring progress; reacting to feedback; and reflecting on the solution, the information provided with the problem or the strategy adopted.



Unique to PISA 2015 are three collaborative problem-solving competencies:

- **establishing and maintaining shared understanding:** identifying the knowledge and perspectives that other group members hold and establishing a shared vision of the problem states<sup>3</sup> and activities
- **taking appropriate action to solve the problem:** identifying the type of collaborative problem solving-related activities that are needed to solve the problem and carrying out these activities to achieve the solution
- **establishing and maintaining team organisation:** understanding one's own role and the roles of other agents, following the rules of engagement for one's role, monitoring group organisation, and facilitating the changes required to optimise performance or to handle a breakdown in communication or other obstacles to solving the problem.

These three collaborative problem-solving competencies are crossed with the four individual problem-solving processes to form a matrix of twelve specific skills, as illustrated in Figure V.2.1 below.<sup>4</sup> Each item within the collaborative problem-solving evaluation assesses one (or sometimes more than one) of these specific skills. The assessment as a whole is developed to measure all 12 specific skills over the various tasks.

Figure V.2.1 ■ Skills evaluated in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment

|                           |                                  | Collaborative problem-solving competencies   |   |   |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--|---|---|
|                           |                                  | (1) Establishing and maintaining shared understanding  | (2) Taking appropriate action to solve the problem  | (3) Establishing and maintaining team organisation  |
| Problem-solving processes | (A) Exploring and understanding  | (A1) Discovering perspectives and abilities of team members                                      | (A2) Discovering the type of collaborative interaction to solve the problem, along with goals | (A3) Understanding roles to solve the problem   |
|                           | (B) Representing and formulating | (B1) Building a shared representation and negotiating the meaning of the problem (common ground) | (B2) Identifying and describing tasks to be completed   | (B3) Describing roles and team organisation (communication protocol/rules of engagement)      |
|                           | (C) Planning and executing       | (C1) Communicating with team members about the actions to be/being performed                     | (C2) Enacting plans   | (C3) Following rules of engagement (e.g. prompting other team members to perform their tasks) |
|                           | (D) Monitoring and reflecting    | (D1) Monitoring and repairing the shared understanding   | (D2) Monitoring results of actions and evaluating success in solving the problem              | (D3) Monitoring, providing feedback and adapting the team organisation and roles              |

No assumption is made that the processes and competencies involved in solving a particular problem are sequential or that all of the processes and competencies listed are involved in solving a particular problem. As individuals confront, represent and solve problems in a collaborative group setting, they may move to a solution in a way that transcends the boundaries of a linear, step-by-step model. Nevertheless, each item in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is intended to have one of these processes and one of these competencies as its main focus.

Although reasoning skills were not explicitly used to organise the domain, each of the individual problem-solving processes and collaborative problem-solving competencies draws upon one or more of them. In understanding a problem situation, the solvers may need to distinguish between facts and opinion; in formulating a solution, they may need to identify relationships between variables; in selecting a strategy, they may need to consider cause and effect; and, in reflecting on results, they may need to critically evaluate assumptions and alternative solutions.

Likewise, in establishing and maintaining shared understanding, students may need to determine which group member possesses each piece of information and what remains unknown; in taking appropriate action to solve the problem, they may need to analyse various possible ways to proceed towards the solution and determine how best to do so; and in establishing and maintaining team organisation, students may need to evaluate group dynamics and judge whether each group member is correctly following his or her assigned role and tasks. However, the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment does not explicitly set out to assess cognitive reasoning skills. Thus, the level of cognitive demand is intended to be lower than that in the three core subjects of science, reading and mathematics.



Similarly, while each item targets one or more of the four individual problem-solving processes, these processes are not the focus of the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment. Items were designed so that they required a low or intermediate level of proficiency in individual problem solving, so as to more explicitly measure proficiency in collaborative problem solving.

There are two key dimensions common to both individual and collaborative problems: the problem context and the nature of the problem situation. These two dimensions are described in Box V.2.2.

#### Box V.2.2. **Dimensions common to both individual and collaborative problems**

The PISA 2012 individual problem-solving assessment defined a problem in part by both the problem context, or how familiar a student is likely to be with the problem, and the problem situation, or the extent of the information to which a student has access at any given moment while solving the problem (OECD, 2013). These concepts are used again in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment (OECD, 2017a).

In the framework developed for the 2012 assessment, the problem context is composed of both its setting and its content (OECD, 2013). The setting of a problem may be either technology-based (e.g. controlling or troubleshooting a technological device) or not technology based (e.g. route planning, scheduling or decision making); private (relating directly to the student and his/her immediate circle, such as planning a party) or public (relating to the student's community or to society at large, such as choosing the best location to build a school); and school or non-school. The content of a problem refers to the topics covered in the problem. These may be one of the other PISA domains (science, reading, mathematics or financial literacy) or other subjects, such as civics, politics or sports.

One aspect of the problem situation is whether all of the information is present at the outset, in what are termed static problems, or whether students must delve into the problem to obtain additional information necessary for solving the problem, in what are known as dynamic or interactive problems. The other aspect of the problem situation is how clearly defined the problem is. Problems where the goals, possible actions, and problem states are clearly specified are known as well-defined problems. By contrast, ill-defined problems may have multiple goals and underspecified problem states and actions.

Problems that are solved collaboratively are, by nature, more likely to be interactive rather than static: team members rely on and learn from other team members during the course of solving the problem. Problems that require collaboration to solve are also more likely to be ill-defined (from the point of view of participants), as team members can neither control nor predict what other team members will do.

The collaborative aspect of the assessment adds several new dimensions to each problem. Perhaps the most obvious change between the individual and collaborative problem-solving assessments is that in 2015, students work in teams, and hence team composition is a new dimension to be considered. The group might be composed of just the student being evaluated and one collaborative agent, or it might be a larger group that includes the student being evaluated and multiple other agents. Team members might have the same or different roles and actions available to them.<sup>5</sup>

A new aspect of the problem situation is the type of collaboration required. PISA uses several different types of collaborative problem-solving tasks, including:

- **jigsaw or hidden-profile tasks**, where each group member is given different information or skills. Groups need to pool each member's information and skills together in order to solve the problem and hence collaboration among group members is required. Moreover, group members are dependent on one another to arrive at the solution; no single member can achieve the solution on his or her own, and a group member who chooses not to participate can jeopardise the achievement of the group's goal
- **consensus-building tasks**, where a group must agree on a decision after considering the views, opinions and arguments of all group members. A successful solution will involve all group members contributing their ideas and the careful yet efficient consideration of all such ideas. However, some group members may dominate the conversation and not allow for all ideas to be aired, while other group members may not be willing to disagree with what has already been said, potentially leading to "group think"
- **negotiation tasks**, where not all group members share the same individual goals. They must negotiate in order to achieve, in the best-case scenario, a win-win situation that satisfies both their individual goals and the goals of the group.



Jigsaw/hidden-profile tasks are primarily group co-ordination tasks, while consensus-building and negotiation problems are both primarily group decision-making tasks. A final type of collaborative problem is group production tasks, where the group must create a deliverable, such as a design for a new product or a written report. However, as the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment was completely automated, it did not include any production tasks with open-ended products.

The type of collaboration might change over the course of a unit. For example, a unit may begin as a jigsaw task as team members try to work out what other team members know and can perform. Once this has been established, the unit may become a consensus-building task or a negotiation task as team members work to make some sort of final decision. It is also common for the problem situation (see Box V.2.2) to change over the course of the unit, particularly with jigsaw tasks. Problems may start out as dynamic as team members discover what other members know and may then become static once all of the information has been shared.

## THE DESIGN AND DELIVERY OF THE PISA 2015 COMPUTER-BASED ASSESSMENT OF COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING

While there has been much research on how to assess individual problem-solving competency and tools have been developed for conducting such assessments, PISA 2015 is the first large-scale, international assessment that tries to evaluate competency in collaborative problem solving.

Science is the major domain of the PISA 2015 assessment, meaning that each student received two 30-minute clusters (also known as booklets) of science tasks. Students also received two more 30-minute clusters chosen from among the other three domains: reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving. These two additional clusters may have been chosen from the same domain or from different domains. Three collaborative problem-solving clusters were designed for the study.

Each collaborative problem-solving cluster comprises several units, which are interactive scenarios that students must work through while interacting with programmed computer agents. Units in the collaborative problem-solving assessment typically require between 5 and 20 minutes to complete and were time-limited. Each unit may be composed of multiple parts, or large, coherent subdivisions of the unit, and each part includes several items, which are the individual actions taken by students that change the state of the problem.<sup>6</sup> Most actions in this assessment require the student to select one response out of four possible options while in a conversation with the computer agents; some require students to provide a solution to a problem using information gathered with the other agents, generally by clicking on a region in the visual display area. Each unit consisted of between 10 and 30 individual items.

Each item can be classified as targeting one of the 12 specific skills in the collaborative problem-solving matrix (Table V.2.1), and thus as targeting one of the 3 collaborative problem-solving competencies and one (or more) of the 4 individual problem-solving processes. However, small sample sizes in each country did not allow for the creation of subscales in each of the competencies and processes. Annex A of the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017b) identifies the skills, competencies, and processes targeted by each item.

As noted earlier, student performance in collaborative problem solving depends on the other members in the collaborating group. A complete assessment of performance in this domain therefore requires that students interact with different types of agents in different types of group situations. For example, certain units and tasks may require students to supervise the work of other agents, while other units and tasks may require students to follow the direction set by a computer agent. Likewise, some groups may be more collaborative than other groups. The degree to which the other team members collaborate can be precisely controlled as they are computerised agents.

One potential pitfall of an interactive testing environment is that students who select different options may end up in different problem states. For example, students with high collaborative problem-solving proficiency may quickly incorporate information from and the perspectives of other team members, while students with low collaborative problem-solving skills may never obtain the required input from other team members and set off on a tangent that does not lead to a solution. This presents problems when trying to be consistent in measuring students' collaborative problem-solving abilities.

To overcome such problems, a "rescue agent" can intervene when students choose actions that do not represent a step towards solving the problem. The rescue agent, who is one of the computerised agents, can bring the problem back to the desired state by, for example, giving the student another chance to request the missing information, asking for the missing information himself/herself, or providing the missing information himself/herself. In this way, students always end up at the same problem state no matter what actions they take, and thus they are always faced with the same items. This is illustrated in the next section, which presents the released unit, *Xandar*.



## SAMPLE COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING ITEMS

One full unit included in the PISA 2015 main survey is described below. A screenshot of the stimulus information is provided, together with a brief description of the context of the unit. This is followed by a screenshot and description of each item from that unit. The unit described below is also available for viewing on line at [www.oecd.org/pisa/test/](http://www.oecd.org/pisa/test/). The interactive nature of the unit *Xandar* can best be appreciated by trying to solve the items oneself.

### Sample unit: XANDAR

In the unit *Xandar*, a three-person team consisting of the student test-taker and two computer agents takes part in a contest where it must answer questions about the fictional country of Xandar. The questions are evenly divided between Xandar's geography, people and economy. This unit involves decision-making and coordination tasks, requires consensus-building collaboration, and has an in-school, private, and non-technology-based context.

Figure V.2.2 ■ XANDAR: Introduction

|  |   |
|--|---|
|  | Four questions will be on its geography.<br>Sample Question: What is Xandar's largest rainforest? |
|  | Four questions will be on its people.<br>Sample Question: What is the average age in Xandar?      |
|  | Four questions will be on its economy.<br>Sample Question: What is the employment rate in Xandar? |

The unit consists of four independent parts; all parts and all items within each part are independent of one another. No matter which response a student selects for a particular item, the computer agents respond in a way so that the unit converges. All students are hence faced with an identical version of the next item.

#### ***Xandar: Part 1 – Agreeing on a Strategy***

In Part 1 of *Xandar*, the student is familiarised with how the contest will proceed and in particular, the chat interface and the task space (buttons that students can click and the scorecard that monitors team progress). The teacher has asked teams to put off searching for questions and answers until the contest begins and instead to discuss how to approach the contest. The student has been assigned to work in a team with agents named Alice and Zach.

The first item of Part 1 requires students to click “Join the Chat” instead of clicking any of the buttons in the task space (“Geography”, “People” or “Economy”). This item is classified as (C3) *following the rules of engagement*, requiring students to display the (C) *planning and executing* individual problem-solving process and the (3) *establishing and maintaining team organisation* collaborative problem-solving competency.



Figure V.2.3 ■ XANDAR: Part 1, Item 1

PISA 2015

Xandar - Introduction

Part 1 - Directions

You and your teammates, Alice and Zach, can use the following features:

- **chat** to communicate with one another
- **buttons** labeled by subject to see the contest questions and find the answers on a map of Xandar
- a **scorecard** to track your team's progress. The scorecard will show the number of correct answers your team has found.

The teacher has asked teams not to search for questions and answers until the contest starts. Instead she suggests taking a little time to chat about how best to approach the task. Your teammates Alice and Zach have begun the chat.

To join the chat, click on the button below.

Join the Chat

Scorecard

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy

Figure V.2.4 ■ XANDAR: Part 1, Item 2

PISA 2018

Xandar - Introduction

Part 1 - Directions

Who's in the Chat

YOU Alice Zach

Alice: Hi, I'm not sure about the best way to do this.

Zach: Let's just get going.

You are continuing the chat. Click on a choice below. Then click on Send.

You:

I wonder if some of the other teams have started yet.

I hope the questions are easy.

Maybe we should talk about strategy first.

Alice, you can see what to do once we get started.

Send

Scorecard

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy



The second item in this part requires students to continue the conversation in a chat with Alice and Zach regarding how to proceed. Zach indicates that he wants to go ahead and start answering questions without a strategy, and the credited response from the student states his or her preference for developing a strategy. The skill evaluated in this item is (C1) *communicating with team members about the actions to be/being performed*, which synthesises the (C) *planning and executing* individual problem-solving process and the (1) *establishing and maintaining shared understanding* collaborative problem-solving competency.

Regardless of the student's response to Part 1, Item 2, Alice mentions her desire for a strategy, followed by Zach reminding the team of how the winning team is determined without describing a strategy *per se*. The student must once again choose between four response options. The credited response to this item, Part 1, Item 3, advances the problem-solving situation by focusing the discussion on the development of a strategy. This item requires (B1) *building a shared representation and negotiation the meaning of the problem* skills, involving the (B) *representing and formulating* individual problem-solving process and the (1) *establishing and maintaining shared understanding* collaborative problem-solving competency.

Alice, regardless of the student's response to Part 1, Item 3, continues to press for a collaborative strategy. Zach reiterates an individual strategy for winning the contest that does not take account of the collaborative nature of the contest. The student's credited response to this item, Part 1, Item 4, proposes this collaborative strategy. This is also a (B1) *building a shared representation and negotiation the meaning of the problem* item, which requires the (B) *representing and formulating* individual problem-solving process and the (1) *establishing and maintaining shared understanding* collaborative problem-solving competency.

Figure V.2.5 ■ XANDAR: Part 1, Item 3

The screenshot displays the XANDAR interface for PISA 2015. The top navigation bar includes 'PISA 2015', a progress indicator, a clock, and a help icon. The main content area is divided into two sections. On the left, the 'Who's in the Chat' window shows a list of participants (YOU, Alice, Zach) and a chat log with messages from Alice, Zach, and YOU. Below the chat log, the 'You:' section contains four response options and a 'Send' button. On the right, the 'Scorecard' section features a table with columns for 'Geography', 'People', and 'Economy' and several empty rows. Below the table are three buttons labeled 'Geography', 'People', and 'Economy'.

Regardless of how the student responded to Part 1, Item 4, Alice states that it would be self-defeating if they were to look for answers to the same questions at the same time. The credited response to the next item, Part 1, Item 5, identifies the concrete strategy the team should use: each team member will be responsible for one of the subjects. This item is classified as (B3) *describe roles and team organisation (communication protocol/rules of engagement)*, and involves the (B) *representing and formulating* individual problem-solving process and the (3) *establishing and maintaining team organisation* collaborative problem-solving competency. Part 1 ends here.



Figure V.2.6 ■ XANDAR: Part 1, Item 4

PISA 2015

Xandar - Introduction

Part 1 - Directions

Who's in the Chat

YOU Alice Zach

YOU: Maybe we should talk about strategy first.

Alice: I'd really like to have a plan before we start.

Zach: We're supposed to answer the questions as fast as we can.

YOU: True, but what's a good way to do that?

Alice: Guys, we still need to figure out how to work well as a team.

Zach: Each of us has to work at top speed. What's so complicated?

You:

The rules of the contest seem pretty simple. Let's just do our best.

We can each work our fastest, but some of us will still be faster than others.

It doesn't matter whether one of us answers more questions than the others, so long as we win.

We can answer more questions if we divide them among us.

Send

Scorecard

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy

Figure V.2.7 ■ XANDAR: Part 1, Item 5

PISA 2015

Xandar - Introduction

Part 1 - Directions

Who's in the Chat

YOU Alice Zach

Alice: Guys, we still need to figure out how to work well as a team.

Zach: Each of us has to work at top speed. What's so complicated?

YOU: We can answer more questions if we divide them among us.

Alice: You know, we'll just slow ourselves down if we're all looking for the same answers at once.

Zach: Oh yeah ... I finally get it.

You:

We could each take one of the subjects.

If there's a prize for winning, let's divide it equally.

The contest lets us come up with our own team strategy.

OK, then we're ready to begin.

Send

Scorecard

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy



### ***Xandar: Part 2 – Reaching a Consensus Regarding Preferences***

At the beginning of Part 2, students are informed that each group member will be responsible for the questions in one subject area, regardless of how they responded to Part 1, Item 5. In Part 2, the team members will apportion the subject areas among themselves.

Figure V.2.8 ■ **XANDAR: Part 2**

The screenshot shows the XANDAR interface for Part 2. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with 'Xandar - Introduction' and 'Part 2 - Directions'. The 'Part 2 - Directions' section contains the following text:

Your team has agreed that each member will be responsible for answering the questions in one of the subject areas. Alice and Zach have begun a new chat.

To join the chat, click on the button below.

At the bottom of this section is a 'Join the Chat' button.

The right panel features a 'Scorecard' table with three columns: Geography (with a globe icon), People (with a group of people icon), and Economy (with a dollar sign icon). Below the table are three buttons labeled 'Geography', 'People', and 'Economy'.

Figure V.2.9 ■ **XANDAR: Part 2, Item 1**

This screenshot shows the XANDAR interface for Part 2, Item 1. The left sidebar now shows 'Who's in the Chat' with 'YOU', 'Alice', and 'Zach' listed. The chat window contains the following messages:

Alice: I'd like to take People.

Zach: Hey, I wanted that one.

Below the chat is a 'You:' section with four text input boxes containing the following prompts:

- Nobody asked me what subject I want. Why should you guys choose first?
- Can each of you explain why you want that subject?
- Why are we wasting time arguing about this?
- Alice and Zach, are you going to answer questions faster than you choose subjects?

A 'Send' button is located at the bottom of the 'You:' section.

The right panel remains the same as in Figure V.2.8, showing the 'Scorecard' table and subject selection buttons.



At the beginning of Part 2, both Alice and Zach show their preference for taking the subject “People”. The credited response to the first item of this part, Part 2, Item 1, has the student, although not in the role of team leader, helping to resolve this disagreement. This response displays the (A1) *discovering perspectives and abilities of team members* skill, which involves the (A) *exploring and understanding* individual problem-solving process and the (1) *establishing and maintaining shared understanding* collaborative problem-solving competency.

Figure V.2.10 ■ XANDAR: Part 2, Item 2

**PISA 2018**

Xandar - Introduction  
Part 2 - Directions

Who's in the Chat  
YOU Alice Zach

Alice: I'd like to take People.  
Zach: Hey, I wanted that one.  
YOU: Can each of you explain why you want that subject?  
Zach: I just thought the questions on People would be easiest.  
Alice: I'm really interested in the people and lifestyles of different countries. That's mostly what I read about.

You:  
It sounds as though People should be Alice's subject. Zach, are you OK with that?  
Alice, maybe you could study abroad in a visiting students program.  
Yes, it's good to know what your interests are.  
People in Xandar probably aren't very different from people anywhere else.

Send

**Scorecard**

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy

Figure V.2.11 ■ XANDAR: Part 2, Item 3

**PISA 2015**

Xandar - Introduction  
Part 2 - Directions

Who's in the Chat  
YOU Alice Zach

YOU: Can each of you explain why you want that subject?  
Zach: I just thought the questions on People would be easiest.  
Alice: I'm really interested in the people and lifestyles of different countries. That's mostly what I read about.  
YOU: It sounds as though People should be Alice's subject. Zach, are you OK with that?  
Zach: I guess Economy would be all right. I like money.

You:  
Well, everyone likes money.  
Liking money doesn't mean you understand economy.  
We need to stop debating and make a decision.  
I'll take Geography.

Send

**Scorecard**

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy



Alice and Zach give reasons as to why they both want to answer questions on “People”, regardless of whether the student explicitly asked for them or not in Part 2, Item 1. The student, continuing to resolve the disagreement, is credited with a correct response to the next item, Part 2, Item 2, if he or she advances the problem and uses the information provided by Alice and Zach to assign the subject “People”. This item is classified as (B3) *describe roles and team organisation (communication protocols/rules of engagement)*, combining the (B) *representing and formulating* individual problem-solving process and the (3) *establishing and maintaining team organisation* collaborative problem-solving competency.

Alice has been assigned a subject area and Zach has now claimed a second subject area. The collaborative response to Part 2, Item 3 requires the student to claim the last subject area for him or herself. Although this might not, at first glance, appear to be collaborative, claiming the last subject area implicitly confirms that the other two subject areas have already been assigned to Alice and Zach. This item tests (B3) *describe roles and team organisation (communication protocol/rules of engagement)* skills, which involve the (B) *representing and formulating* individual problem-solving process and the (3) *establishing and maintaining team organisation* collaborative problem-solving competency. Part 2 ends here.

### **Xandar: Part 3 – Playing the Game Effectively**

At the beginning of Part 3, students know that their assigned subject area is “Geography”, regardless of whether they claimed it for themselves in Part 2, Item 3. In Part 3, they must enter the contest and answer questions regarding Xandar’s geography.

Figure V.2.12 ■ **XANDAR: Part 3, Item 1**

The screenshot shows the PISA 2015 Xandar interface. On the left, under 'Part 3 - Directions', it states: 'Your team has reached the following agreement.' Below this, three items are listed: 'Geography will be your subject.', 'People will be Alice's subject.', and 'Economy will be Zach's subject.'. A message at the bottom says: 'The contest has started! Please click on a subject button to begin.' On the right, there is a 'Scorecard' table with three columns: 'Geography', 'People', and 'Economy'. Each column has a corresponding icon (globe, people, and money bag). Below the table are three buttons labeled 'Geography', 'People', and 'Economy'.

The student is requested to start the contest, with a reminder in the chat interface that he or she has been assigned to answer questions about geography. To begin, the student must click on one of the buttons in the task space; the student is credited with a correct response for Part 3, Item 1 if he or she clicks on the button that says “Geography”. In this item, students can exhibit the (C3) *following rules of engagement* skill, which combines the (C) *planning and executing* individual problem-solving process and the (3) *establishing and maintaining team organisation* collaborative problem-solving competency.

Regardless of which button the student clicked, he or she is next presented with a screen that instructs students how to proceed with the contest: he or she must click on icons in the task space to obtain answers to questions about Xandar’s geography.



Figure V.2.13 ■ XANDAR: Part 3, Item 2, Screen 1

PISA 2015

Xandar - Introduction

Part 3 - Directions

Your team has reached the following agreement.

- Geography will be your subject.
- People will be Alice's subject.
- Economy will be Zach's subject.

Click on the symbols on the map to learn about Xandar and find the answers to the questions on the right.

When you find the answer to a question, click on the answer space next to the question and the answer will display.

When a question is answered correctly, a checkmark will be added to the scorecard.

To continue, click the button below.

[Click Here to Continue](#)

| Scorecard |        |         |
|-----------|--------|---------|
| Geography | People | Economy |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy

What is Xandar's longest river?

What is Xandar's tallest mountain?

What is Xandar's rainy season?

What proportion of Xandar is desert?

Figure V.2.14 ■ XANDAR: Part 3, Item 2, Screen 2

PISA 2015

Xandar - Introduction

Part 3 - Directions

Who's in the Chat

YOU Alice Zach

Alice: We got one – let's keep going!

You:

The clock is ticking—let's not waste time on chat messages.

Whoever answered a Geography question, nice work!

Since somebody answered a Geography question, I'm going to switch subjects.

I should answer the Geography questions. Let's work on the subjects we chose.

[Send](#)

| Scorecard |        |         |
|-----------|--------|---------|
| Geography | People | Economy |
| ✓         |        |         |
|           |        |         |
|           |        |         |

Geography People Economy

What is Xandar's longest river?

What is Xandar's tallest mountain?

What is Xandar's rainy season?

What proportion of Xandar is desert?



After clicking the “Click Here to Continue” button but before the student has a chance to click on one of the icons on the map of Xandar, a checkmark is placed on the scoreboard to indicate that one of the questions on Xandar’s geography has been answered. Alice makes a remark to this effect in the chat interface. In Part 3, Item 2, students must then come up with an appropriate response. While one might be tempted to celebrate the progress made in the contest, the item actually tests to see whether the student has observed that the previously-agreed rules of engagement – that the student himself or herself should be the team member to answer the questions related to geography – are not being followed. This item therefore assesses the (D1) *monitoring and repairing the shared understanding* skill, which combines the (D) *monitoring and reflecting* individual problem-solving process and the (1) *establishing and maintaining shared understanding* collaborative problem-solving competency.

The student, regardless of how he or she responded to Part 3, Item 2, now continues with the contest by clicking on icons in the task space. No matter which icon is clicked, the statement “10 percent of Xandar is desert” pops up; students must then click on the blank space next to the question “What proportion of Xandar is desert?” in order for “10 percent” to show up and a checkmark to be recorded on the scoreboard. Students are not required to manually enter in their answers to questions regarding Xandar.

Figure V.2.15 ■ **XANDAR: Part 3**

The screenshot displays the PISA 2015 Xandar interface. At the top, it says "PISA 2015" and "Xandar - Introduction" and "Part 3 - Directions". On the left, a "Who's in the Chat" window shows "YOU", "Alice", and "Zach". The chat history shows Alice saying "We got one -- let's keep going!" and YOU replying "I should answer the Geography questions. Let's work on the subjects we chose." Below the chat is a prompt: "Continue answering the questions about Xandar by clicking on the symbols of the map and then clicking on the appropriate answer space next to the question." In the center-right, a "Scorecard" table shows a checkmark in the "Geography" column. Below the scorecard are buttons for "Geography", "People", and "Economy". At the bottom, a list of questions is shown: "What is Xandar's longest river?" (Korfu River), "What is Xandar's tallest mountain?", "What is Xandar's rainy season?", and "What proportion of Xandar is desert?". Below the questions is a map of Xandar with several globe icons placed on the landmass.

After answering this item, students are interrupted and informed that they have made progress in some, but not in all, subjects, and that Alice has sent another message. This is the end of Part 3.

#### **Xandar: Part 4 – Assessing Progress**

Part 4 picks up from Part 3 and requires students to evaluate their progress and fix any problems that have resulted.

Alice asks the team about its progress. In the credited response to Part 4, Item 1, the student provides, as accurately as possible, a response to Alice’s question. This item is classified as (D2) *monitoring the results of actions and evaluating success in solving the problem*, which requires students to display the (D) *monitoring and reflecting* individual problem-solving process and the (2) *taking appropriate action to solve the problem* collaborative problem-solving competency.



Figure V.2.16 ■ XANDAR: Part 4, Item 1

PISA 2015

Xandar - Introduction

Who's in the Chat  
YOU Alice Zach

Alice: Is my scorecard right? How are we doing?

You:

I think your scorecard is working--mine is.

Great, we're half way there.

We look fine, except for Economy.

I'm not sure since I don't know the other teams' scores.

Send

Scorecard

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
| ✓         | ✓      |         |
| ✓         | ✓      |         |
| ✓         | ✓      |         |

Geography People Economy

What is Xandar's longest river? Korfu River

What is Xandar's tallest mountain? Mount Mojo

What is Xandar's rainy season? Summer

What proportion of Xandar is desert?

Figure V.2.17 ■ XANDAR: Part 4, Item 2

PISA 2015

Xandar - Introduction

Who's in the Chat  
YOU Alice Zach

Alice: Is my scorecard right? How are we doing?

YOU: We look fine, except for Economy.

Zach: Economy is hard. I'm having trouble.

You:

Keep trying. When Alice and I are done we'll help you--right Alice?

Zach, aren't you the one who said we all had to work fast?

Do you expect us to stop what we're doing and help you instead?

Are you behind because you were working on my Geography questions?

Send

Scorecard

| Geography | People | Economy |
|-----------|--------|---------|
| ✓         | ✓      |         |
| ✓         | ✓      |         |
| ✓         | ✓      |         |

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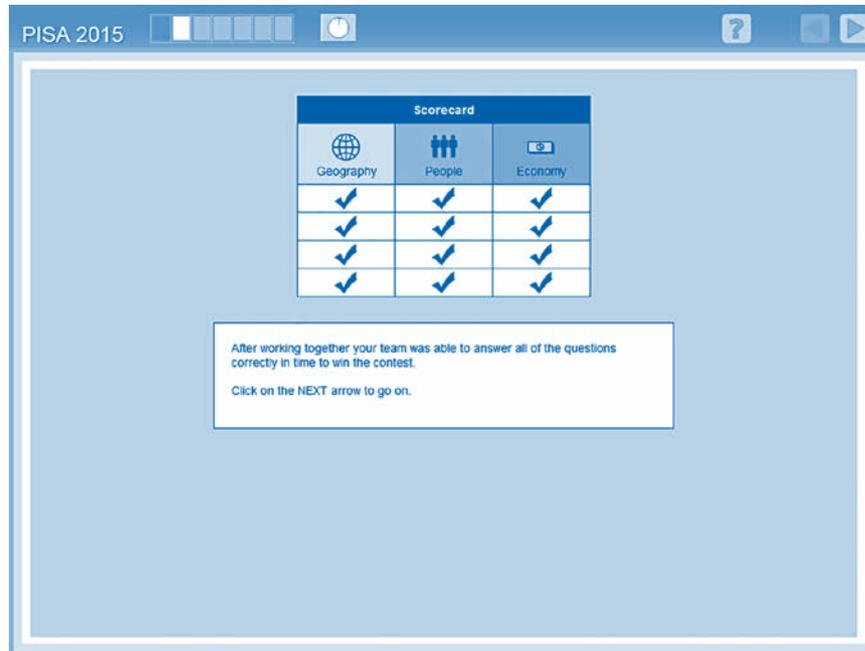
What is Xandar's rainy season? Summer

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Regardless of the student's answer, Zach responds that he is having trouble with the questions in his assigned subject area, economy. In Part 4, Item 2, the student must choose the best response among the four possible options, which is the only one that encourages Zach and proposes how the student and Alice might help him. It also maintains team organisation by ensuring that the roles previously agreed – that each team member works on his or her assigned subject area first – are still followed. (D3) *Monitoring, providing feedback and adapting the team organisation and roles* skills are evaluated by this item, which thus also evaluates the (D) *monitoring and reflecting* individual problem-solving process and the (3) *establishing and maintaining team organisation* collaborative problem-solving competency.

Figure V.2.18 ■ **XANDAR: Conclusion**



Finally, regardless of how the student responded to Part 4, Item 2, he or she is informed that his or her team won the contest by answering all of the questions correctly. The unit ends here.

## Notes

1. This is not to say that social skills are more valued than mathematics and other cognitive skills. Indeed, the median salary of those who rank in the top 10 percent of cognitive skills in the United States was \$67 000, while that of those who rank in the top 10 percent of non-cognitive skills was \$52 000. These numbers are an average of salaries in 2000, 2002 and 2004 for a sample who were first collected in 1981 and tested between the ages of 35 and 48 (Schanzenbach et al., 2016).
2. Most students in Singapore who sit the PISA assessment will have attended only grades 7 through 10, where project work is infused into the rest of the curriculum.
3. The problem state at any given point during the problem-solving process includes all of the conversation and actions that have already taken place, all of the information and perspectives accumulated up to that point, and all of the possible actions that may be taken in the future.
4. The twelve specific skill cells have been labelled with a letter-number combination referring to the rows (individual problem-solving processes, represented by a letter) and columns (collaborative problem-solving competencies, represented by a number) for ease of cross-referencing later in this report and in related materials.
5. Team members, while sharing the same goals, may have different status levels, which is another new dimension to collaborative problem solving not observed in individual problem solving. However, the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment did not include any units where team members had different status levels.
6. In some cases, responses from multiple actions were combined into one unit for statistical reasons, such as high correlation between the actions.



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### 3

## Performance in collaborative problem solving

This chapter explains how PISA measures students' collaborative problem-solving skills. It defines the five proficiency levels on the collaborative problem-solving scale and describes what students who attain those levels can do. The chapter also examines the relationship between student performance in collaborative problem solving and performance in the three core PISA subjects – science, reading and mathematics – and the links between collaborative problem solving and individual problem solving. It concludes with a discussion of the extent to which students' experiences with ICT are related to their performance in this computer-based assessment.

#### **A note regarding Israel**

The statistical data for Israel are supplied by and under the responsibility of the relevant Israeli authorities. The use of such data by the OECD is without prejudice to the status of the Golan Heights, East Jerusalem and Israeli settlements in the West Bank under the terms of international law.



How well do 15-year-old students work in groups to solve problems and achieve pre-set goals? The PISA 2015 computer-based assessment of collaborative problem solving uses scenarios with which 15-year-olds are likely to be familiar in order to measure their ability to collaborate with others. Test problems included items requiring only simple or moderate problem-solving ability. As such, the assessment focused as much as possible on students' collaboration skills, as opposed to their problem-solving skills, which were evaluated in PISA 2012. Some 52 countries and economies participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment (32 OECD countries and 20 partner countries and economies).

### What the data tell us

- Students in Singapore score higher in collaborative problem solving than students in all other participating countries and economies, followed by students in Japan.
- On average across OECD countries, 28% of students are able to solve only straightforward collaborative problems, if any at all. By contrast, fewer than one in six students in Estonia, Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea, Macao (China) and Singapore is a low achiever in collaborative problem solving.
- Across OECD countries, 8% of students are top performers in collaborative problem solving, meaning that they can maintain an awareness of group dynamics, ensure team members act in accordance with their agreed-upon roles, and resolve disagreements and conflicts while identifying efficient pathways and monitoring progress towards a solution.
- Collaborative problem-solving performance is positively related to performance in the other assessed domains, but the relationship is weaker than that observed among performance in those other domains.
- Students in Australia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand and the United States perform among the best in collaborative problem solving, on average, compared to students in other countries who show similar performance in science, reading and mathematics.

## HOW THE PISA 2015 COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING RESULTS ARE REPORTED

The previous chapter introduces the concept of collaborative problem-solving competence that underlies this assessment. This section discusses how an overall measure of collaborative problem-solving competence was derived from students' answers to questions that measure different types of collaborative problem-solving skills. It then describes how 15-year-olds were classified into five proficiency levels, one of which comprises those students who score below the lowest described level and whose proficiencies could not be identified.

### How the assessment was analysed and scaled

Six units were developed and used for the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment. Each unit involved a scenario with multiple individual items that students had to work through, all of which led to the resolution of the scenario. In the case of the released unit, *Xandar*, students had to work together to answer as many questions as possible in a simulation of an in-class contest. Units were presented in their entirety to students and were organised into three separate clusters, each of which required 30 minutes to complete. All students who participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment completed two clusters of science and either one or two additional clusters of collaborative problem solving.

There were no free-response items in the collaborative problem-solving assessment. All items required students to make a multiple-choice selection among various ways to respond to their team members, or to move icons into the appropriate slot or click an option in the visual display area. Since it is an interactive assessment, students were required to respond to each item before moving onto the next item and could not skip or omit items.<sup>1</sup> Collaboration was assessed through student responses in their interactions with one or more computer-based agents. Data from a total of 117 items from these six units were used to analyse and scale performance in collaborative problem solving.

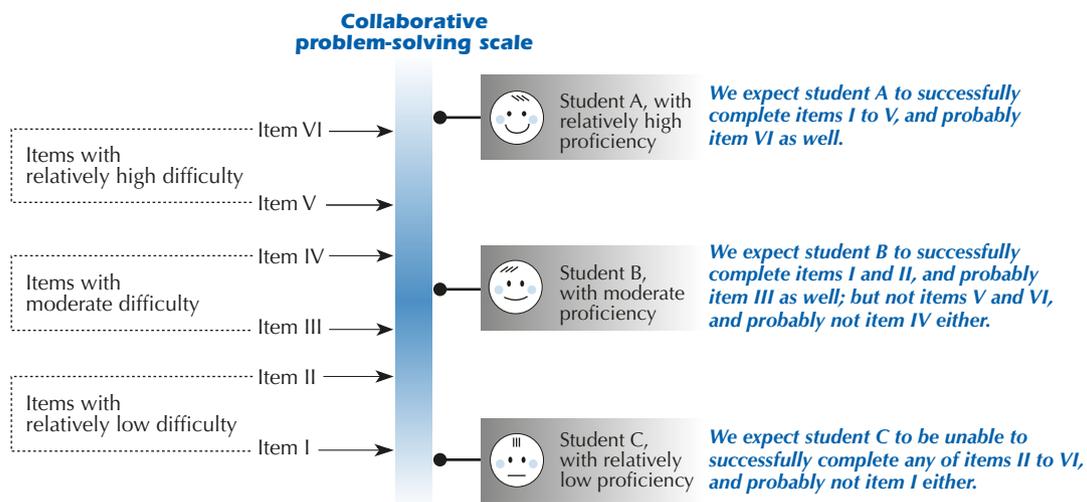
The relative difficulty of each item included in the assessment can be estimated by the proportion of students who answered each question correctly, with smaller proportions of correct answers indicating greater difficulty. Items were then arranged in increasing order of difficulty along a single dimension. The 117 problem-solving items included in the PISA 2015 assessment thus spanned a wide range of difficulty.



Conversely, a student's proficiency relative to the assessment can be estimated from the test questions that he or she answered correctly, taking into account the difficulty of these questions. His or her proficiency in the domain can then be reported on the same scale that measures the questions' difficulty.

Estimates of student proficiency reflect the items students would be expected to successfully complete. Students are likely to be able to complete items that are at or below the difficulty level associated with their own position on the scale.<sup>2</sup> Conversely, they are unlikely to be able to complete questions above the difficulty level associated with their position on the scale. Figure V.3.1 illustrates how this probabilistic model works.

Figure V.3.1 ■ Relationship between questions and student performance on a scale



The further a student's performance is located above a given question on the proficiency scale, the more likely he or she will be able to successfully complete the question. Similarly, the further a student's performance is below a given question, the lower the probability that the student will be able to successfully complete the question.

The location of student proficiency on this scale is set relative to the particular group of questions included in the PISA collaborative problem-solving assessment. However, just as the sample of students who participated in PISA in 2015 was drawn to represent all 15-year-old students in the participating countries and economies, the individual questions used in the assessment were selected to provide a comprehensive representation of the PISA 2015 definition of collaborative problem-solving competence.

### A profile of PISA collaborative problem-solving questions

*Xandar*, one of the six units from the PISA 2015 assessment of collaborative problem solving, was released to the public in order to illustrate the skills examined by the PISA collaborative problem-solving framework and to show how performance was measured. This unit, with several individual items, is presented at the end of Chapter 2 (Figures V.2.2 to V.2.18).

Figure V.3.2 shows where these items are located on the described proficiency scale. Items included in the same unit can span a range of difficulty; the released unit, *Xandar*, contains items in each difficulty level. All units covered a broad section of the PISA problem-solving scale.

A few items included in the test were associated with difficulty levels below Level 1. Among the released items, one asked students to simply click a box saying "Join the Chat" in order to continue with the assessment. The number of items that fall below Level 1 is not sufficient to adequately describe the skills that students who perform below Level 1 possess. However, including such items, which most students in even the lowest-performing countries and economies can complete, is one way to ensure that all countries and economies can learn from the assessment results. PISA 2015 thus not only measures proficiency in collaborative problem solving at different levels, but can also capture some of the basic components of collaborative problem-solving skills.

Figure V.3.2 ■ **Map of selected collaborative problem-solving questions from the released unit *Xandar***

| Level         | Lower score limit | Part | Item | Question difficulty (in PISA score points) |
|---------------|-------------------|------|------|--|
| 4             | 640               | 3    | 2    | 992  |
|               |                   | 4    | 1    | 730  |
| 3             | 540               | 2    | 1    | 598  |
|               |                   | 4    | 2    | 593  |
| 2             | 440               | 2    | 3    | 537  |
|               |                   | 1    | 4    | 524  |
|               |                   |      | 2    | 502  |
| 1             | 340               | 1    | 3    | 471  |
|               |                   |      | 5    | 434  |
|               |                   |      | 2    | 381  |
| Below Level 1 | N/A               | 1    | 1    | 357  |
|               |                   |      | 1    | 314  |

Box V.3.1 presents the major differences between easy and difficult items and links them to students' progress in collaborative problem solving.

#### Box V.3.1. **How students progress in collaborative problem solving**

As students acquire proficiency in collaborative problem solving, they learn to handle increasingly complex demands. What these demands are and what it means for students to become better at collaborative problem solving can be inferred by comparing the easier tasks at the bottom of Figure V.3.2 to the harder tasks shown above them.

The PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment was based on a framework (OECD, 2017a) described in Chapter 2 of this report, which defined the domain and how competency in the domain could be evaluated. In order to measure students across a range of competency levels, the items used in the assessment must also span these competency levels.

Philpot et al. (2017) identify a variety of characteristics that affected the difficulty of the items in the PISA 2012 individual problem-solving assessment, including the distance from the goal and the reasoning skills required; the amount of information and how it is represented; the number of constraints and conditions; and the unfamiliarity and complexity of the system. Additional determinants of item difficulty were identified in the framework for the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment, related to the three collaborative problem-solving processes (OECD, 2017a):

(1) Establishing and maintaining shared understanding. In the easiest tasks, students work in small teams to solve a well-defined problem that has a clear goal. Much of the information required is already explicitly stated, and the other agents in the problem will prompt the student to provide information or to perform actions. As the item becomes more difficult, students are faced with increasingly ill-defined problems that have vague goals. Navigating this uncertainty in order to understand and then attain the problem goal becomes part of the problem-solving activity. Groups become larger and more information is hidden or not explicitly stated at the beginning, thus requiring students to initiate communication with the other agents to obtain the required knowledge.

(2) Taking appropriate action to solve the problem. The easiest tasks have a clear, well-defined goal and are cast in a familiar, concrete setting. Students start from a point that is one or two steps away from the eventual goal, which can be attained with only minimal input from the other agents. They also have a limited number of possible actions and do not come across any unexpected complications. Other agents' actions are explicitly identified. Tasks that are harder to solve take place in more abstract settings or refer to unfamiliar objects. The goal is less easily identified and students must perform a large number of actions in order to attain this goal. The student's actions become increasingly interdependent on the actions of other group members, which are less and less explicit.

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(3) Establishing and maintaining team organisation. In tasks at the bottom of the difficulty scale, students interact with co-operative group members who volunteer information about their own actions and motivations. In more difficult problems, students must ask for or else ascertain the actions and motivations of the other group members, who may be less forthcoming or lack the desire to work collaboratively towards the goal. Students must also monitor the group dynamic, keep agents on track, and manage conflict between them.

Initially, students may be able only to solve problems cast in familiar settings with few possible actions and that are not dependent on other agents, as in Part 1, Item 1 and Part 3, Item 1 of *Xandar*, where they need only to click on a button to start the rest of the unit. As students develop their collaborative problem-solving proficiency, the complexity of the problems that they can solve grows. In an item of moderate difficulty, such as in Part 1, Items 2, 3 and 4 of *Xandar*, students must advance the problem in a collaborative manner by engaging the other agents and responding to their comments and inputs. Finally, the most difficult items, such as Part 3, Item 2 and Part 4, Item 1 of *Xandar*, require students to synthesise information not explicitly mentioned – for example, the status of the students' progress in the contest as shown in the scorecard – and to then adjust the group's problem-solving strategy in order to get back on track towards attaining the goal (see Chapter 2 for a more detailed description of items).

## WHAT STUDENTS CAN DO IN COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING

PISA summarises student performance in collaborative problem solving on a single scale that provides an overall assessment of 15-year-old students' collaborative problem-solving competence. Results for this overall performance measure are presented below, covering both the average level of performance in problem solving in each country/economy and the distribution of collaborative problem-solving proficiency. The remainder of the report will analyse factors that relate to the observed performance.

### Average level of proficiency in collaborative problem solving

This section uses students' average scores to summarise the performance of countries and economies in collaborative problem solving, both relative to each other and to the OECD mean. Since collaborative problem solving was a new domain in PISA 2015, the OECD average performance was set at 500 score points and the standard deviation across OECD countries at 100 score points. This established the benchmark against which each country's collaborative problem-solving performance in PISA 2015 was compared.<sup>3,4</sup>

Figure V.3.3 shows each country's/economy's mean score and allows readers to see for which pairs of countries/economies the differences in the means shown are not statistically significant. The data on which Figure V.3.3 is based are presented in Annex B. In each row, the countries/economies listed in the column on the right are those whose mean scores are not sufficiently different to be distinguished with confidence from the mean score of the country/economy in the middle column. When interpreting mean performance, only those differences among countries and economies that are statistically significant should be considered (Box V.3.2). For all other cases, Country A scores higher than Country B if Country A is above Country B in the list in the middle column; Country A scores lower than Country B if Country A is below Country B in the middle column. For example, while the Netherlands clearly ranks above Austria, the performance of Sweden cannot be distinguished with confidence from that of either Austria or the Netherlands.

#### Box V.3.2. What is a statistically significant difference?

A difference is called statistically significant if it is highly unlikely that such a difference could be observed in the estimates based on samples, if it were the case that no true difference existed between the populations.

The results of the PISA assessments for countries and economies are estimates because they are obtained from samples of students, rather than a census of all students, and because they are obtained using a limited set of assessment tasks, not the universe of all possible assessment tasks. When the sampling of students and assessment tasks is done with scientific rigour, it is possible to determine the magnitude of the uncertainty associated with the estimate. This uncertainty needs to be taken into account when making comparisons so that differences that could reasonably arise simply due to the sampling of students and tasks are not interpreted as differences that actually hold for the populations.

Figure V.3.3 ■ Comparing countries' and economies' collaborative problem-solving performance

| Mean score | Comparison country/economy  | Countries and economies whose mean score is NOT statistically significantly different from the comparison country's/economy's score |
|------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 561        | <b>Singapore</b>            |   |
| 552        | <b>Japan</b>                |   |
| 541        | <b>Hong Kong (China)</b>    | Korea, Canada, Estonia, Finland   |
| 538        | <b>Korea</b>                | Hong Kong (China), Canada, Estonia, Finland, Macao (China), New Zealand   |
| 535        | <b>Canada</b>               | Hong Kong (China), Korea, Estonia, Finland, Macao (China), New Zealand, Australia   |
| 535        | <b>Estonia</b>              | Hong Kong (China), Korea, Canada, Finland, Macao (China), New Zealand, Australia  |
| 534        | <b>Finland</b>              | Hong Kong (China), Korea, Canada, Estonia, Macao (China), New Zealand, Australia  |
| 534        | <b>Macao (China)</b>        | Korea, Canada, Estonia, Finland, New Zealand, Australia   |
| 533        | <b>New Zealand</b>          | Korea, Canada, Estonia, Finland, Macao (China), Australia, Chinese Taipei   |
| 531        | <b>Australia</b>            | Canada, Estonia, Finland, Macao (China), New Zealand, Chinese Taipei, Germany   |
| 527        | <b>Chinese Taipei</b>       | New Zealand, Australia, Germany, United States, Denmark   |
| 525        | <b>Germany</b>              | Australia, Chinese Taipei, United States, Denmark, United Kingdom, Netherlands  |
| 520        | <b>United States</b>        | Chinese Taipei, Germany, Denmark, United Kingdom, Netherlands   |
| 520        | <b>Denmark</b>              | Chinese Taipei, Germany, United States, United Kingdom, Netherlands   |
| 519        | <b>United Kingdom</b>       | Germany, United States, Denmark, Netherlands  |
| 518        | <b>Netherlands</b>          | Germany, United States, Denmark, United Kingdom, Sweden   |
| 510        | <b>Sweden</b>               | Netherlands, Austria, Norway  |
| 509        | <b>Austria</b>              | Sweden  |
| 502        | <b>Norway</b>               | Sweden, Slovenia, Belgium, Iceland, Czech Republic, Portugal, Spain, B-S-J-G (China)  |
| 502        | <b>Slovenia</b>             | Norway, Belgium, Iceland, Czech Republic, Portugal, B-S-J-G (China)   |
| 501        | <b>Belgium</b>              | Norway, Slovenia, Iceland, Czech Republic, Portugal, Spain, B-S-J-G (China)   |
| 499        | <b>Iceland</b>              | Norway, Slovenia, Belgium, Czech Republic, Portugal, Spain, B-S-J-G (China), France   |
| 499        | <b>Czech Republic</b>       | Norway, Slovenia, Belgium, Iceland, Portugal, Spain, B-S-J-G (China), France  |
| 498        | <b>Portugal</b>             | Norway, Slovenia, Belgium, Iceland, Czech Republic, Spain, B-S-J-G (China), France  |
| 496        | <b>Spain</b>                | Norway, Belgium, Iceland, Czech Republic, Portugal, B-S-J-G (China), France   |
| 496        | <b>B-S-J-G (China)</b>      | Norway, Slovenia, Belgium, Iceland, Czech Republic, Portugal, Spain, France, Luxembourg   |
| 494        | <b>France</b>               | Iceland, Czech Republic, Portugal, Spain, B-S-J-G (China), Luxembourg   |
| 491        | <b>Luxembourg</b>           | B-S-J-G (China), France   |
| 485        | <b>Latvia</b>               |   |
| 478        | <b>Italy</b>                | Russia, Croatia, Hungary, Israel  |
| 473        | <b>Russia</b>               | Italy, Croatia, Hungary, Israel, Lithuania  |
| 473        | <b>Croatia</b>              | Italy, Russia, Hungary, Israel, Lithuania   |
| 472        | <b>Hungary</b>              | Italy, Russia, Croatia, Israel, Lithuania   |
| 469        | <b>Israel</b>               | Italy, Russia, Croatia, Hungary, Lithuania, Slovak Republic   |
| 467        | <b>Lithuania</b>            | Russia, Croatia, Hungary, Israel, Slovak Republic   |
| 463        | <b>Slovak Republic</b>      | Israel, Lithuania, Greece, Chile  |
| 459        | <b>Greece</b>               | Slovak Republic, Chile  |
| 457        | <b>Chile</b>                | Slovak Republic, Greece   |
| 444        | <b>Cyprus<sup>1</sup></b>   | Bulgaria, Uruguay, Costa Rica   |
| 444        | <b>Bulgaria</b>             | Cyprus, <sup>1</sup> Uruguay, Costa Rica, Thailand, United Arab Emirates  |
| 443        | <b>Uruguay</b>              | Cyprus, <sup>1</sup> Bulgaria, Costa Rica, Thailand   |
| 441        | <b>Costa Rica</b>           | Cyprus, <sup>1</sup> Bulgaria, Uruguay, Thailand, United Arab Emirates  |
| 436        | <b>Thailand</b>             | Bulgaria, Uruguay, Costa Rica, United Arab Emirates, Mexico, Colombia   |
| 435        | <b>United Arab Emirates</b> | Bulgaria, Costa Rica, Thailand, Mexico, Colombia  |
| 433        | <b>Mexico</b>               | Thailand, United Arab Emirates, Colombia  |
| 429        | <b>Colombia</b>             | Thailand, United Arab Emirates, Mexico, Turkey  |
| 422        | <b>Turkey</b>               | Colombia, Peru, Montenegro  |
| 418        | <b>Peru</b>                 | Turkey, Montenegro, Brazil  |
| 416        | <b>Montenegro</b>           | Turkey, Peru, Brazil  |
| 412        | <b>Brazil</b>               | Peru, Montenegro  |
| 382        | <b>Tunisia</b>              |   |

1. Note by Turkey: The information in this document with reference to "Cyprus" relates to the southern part of the Island. There is no single authority representing both Turkish and Greek Cypriot people on the Island. Turkey recognises the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC). Until a lasting and equitable solution is found within the context of the United Nations, Turkey shall preserve its position concerning the "Cyprus issue".

Note by all the European Union Member States of the OECD and the European Union: The Republic of Cyprus is recognised by all members of the United Nations with the exception of Turkey. The information in this document relates to the area under the effective control of the Government of the Republic of Cyprus.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of mean collaborative problem-solving performance.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.3.2.

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Figure V.3.4 [Part 1/2] ■ Collaborative problem-solving performance among participating countries/economies

|   | Collaborative problem-solving scale |                         |                |            |                         |            |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
|   | Mean score                          | 95% confidence interval | Range of ranks |            |                         |            |
|   |                                     |                         | OECD countries |            | All countries/economies |            |
|   |                                     |                         | Upper rank     | Lower rank | Upper rank              | Lower rank |
| <b>Singapore</b>                          | 561                                 | 559 - 564               |                |            | 1                       | 1          |
| <i>British Columbia (Canada)</i>          | 561                                 | 550 - 573               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Japan</b>                              | 552                                 | 546 - 557               | 1              | 1          | 2                       | 2          |
| <i>Massachusetts (United States)</i>      | 549                                 | 537 - 561               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Alberta (Canada)</i>                   | 543                                 | 531 - 554               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Hong Kong (China)</b>                  | 541                                 | 535 - 547               |                |            | 3                       | 5          |
| <b>Korea</b>                              | 538                                 | 533 - 543               | 2              | 5          | 3                       | 7          |
| <b>Canada</b>                             | 535                                 | 531 - 540               | 2              | 6          | 4                       | 10         |
| <b>Estonia</b>                            | 535                                 | 530 - 540               | 2              | 6          | 4                       | 10         |
| <b>Finland</b>                            | 534                                 | 529 - 539               | 2              | 7          | 4                       | 10         |
| <b>Macao (China)</b>                      | 534                                 | 531 - 536               |                |            | 5                       | 10         |
| <i>Quebec (Canada)</i> <sup>1</sup>       | 534                                 | 525 - 543               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Nova Scotia (Canada)</i>               | 533                                 | 524 - 542               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>New Zealand</b>                        | 533                                 | 528 - 538               | 3              | 7          | 5                       | 11         |
| <i>Ontario (Canada)</i>                   | 532                                 | 523 - 541               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Australia</b>                          | 531                                 | 528 - 535               | 4              | 7          | 7                       | 11         |
| <i>Prince Edward Island (Canada)</i>      | 529                                 | 517 - 541               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Chinese Taipei</b>                     | 527                                 | 522 - 531               |                |            | 10                      | 13         |
| <i>North Carolina (United States)</i>     | 525                                 | 514 - 535               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Germany</b>                            | 525                                 | 519 - 530               | 7              | 10         | 10                      | 14         |
| <i>Newfoundland and Labrador (Canada)</i> | 521                                 | 513 - 530               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>England (United Kingdom)</i>           | 521                                 | 515 - 527               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>United States</b>                      | 520                                 | 513 - 527               | 8              | 12         | 11                      | 16         |
| <b>Denmark</b>                            | 520                                 | 515 - 525               | 8              | 12         | 12                      | 16         |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>                     | 519                                 | 514 - 524               | 8              | 12         | 12                      | 16         |
| <i>Flemish community (Belgium)</i>        | 519                                 | 513 - 524               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Madrid (Spain)</i>                     | 519                                 | 512 - 526               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Manitoba (Canada)</i>                  | 519                                 | 508 - 529               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Netherlands</b>                        | 518                                 | 513 - 522               | 9              | 12         | 13                      | 16         |
| <i>New Brunswick (Canada)</i>             | 517                                 | 507 - 528               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Castile and Leon (Spain)</i>           | 517                                 | 509 - 525               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Northern Ireland (United Kingdom)</i>  | 514                                 | 507 - 521               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Scotland (United Kingdom)</i>          | 513                                 | 508 - 518               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Bolzano (Italy)</i>                    | 512                                 | 498 - 527               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Sweden</b>                             | 510                                 | 503 - 516               | 12             | 15         | 16                      | 19         |
| <b>Austria</b>                            | 509                                 | 504 - 514               | 13             | 15         | 17                      | 19         |
| <i>Saskatchewan (Canada)</i>              | 508                                 | 501 - 515               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Navarre (Spain)</i>                    | 505                                 | 492 - 518               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Catalonia (Spain)</i>                  | 505                                 | 496 - 514               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Norway</b>                             | 502                                 | 497 - 507               | 14             | 19         | 18                      | 24         |
| <b>Slovenia</b>                           | 502                                 | 499 - 505               | 15             | 19         | 19                      | 23         |
| <b>Belgium</b>                            | 501                                 | 496 - 506               | 15             | 20         | 19                      | 25         |
| <i>Trento (Italy)</i>                     | 500                                 | 494 - 505               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Iceland</b>                            | 499                                 | 495 - 504               | 15             | 21         | 19                      | 26         |
| <i>Aragon (Spain)</i>                     | 499                                 | 487 - 511               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Czech Republic</b>                     | 499                                 | 494 - 503               | 16             | 22         | 19                      | 26         |
| <b>Portugal</b>                           | 498                                 | 493 - 503               | 16             | 22         | 20                      | 27         |
| <i>Lombardia (Italy)</i>                  | 498                                 | 487 - 509               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Castile-La Mancha (Spain)</i>          | 497                                 | 489 - 505               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Spain</b>                              | 496                                 | 492 - 501               | 17             | 22         | 22                      | 27         |
| <i>Wales (United Kingdom)</i>             | 496                                 | 489 - 503               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>B-S-J-G (China)</b>                    | 496                                 | 488 - 504               |                |            | 20                      | 28         |

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Figure V.3.4 [Part 2/2] ■ Collaborative problem-solving performance among participating countries/economies

|  | Collaborative problem-solving scale |                         |                |            |                         |            |
|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
|  | Mean score                          | 95% confidence interval | Range of ranks |            |                         |            |
|  |                                     |                         | OECD countries |            | All countries/economies |            |
|  |                                     |                         | Upper rank     | Lower rank | Upper rank              | Lower rank |
| <i>Asturias (Spain)</i>                      | 496                                 | 475 - 517               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>La Rioja (Spain)</i>                      | 495                                 | 477 - 513               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Galicia (Spain)</i>                       | 494                                 | 483 - 505               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>France</b>                                | 494                                 | 489 - 499               | 19             | 23         | 24                      | 28         |
| <i>German-speaking community (Belgium)</i>   | 493                                 | 480 - 505               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Comunidad Valenciana (Spain)</i>          | 492                                 | 485 - 500               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Luxembourg</b>                            | 491                                 | 488 - 494               | 22             | 23         | 27                      | 28         |
| <i>Balearic Islands (Spain)</i>              | 488                                 | 477 - 499               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Murcia (Spain)</i>                        | 486                                 | 476 - 496               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Latvia</b>                                | 485                                 | 480 - 489               | 24             | 24         | 29                      | 29         |
| <i>Cantabria (Spain)</i>                     | 485                                 | 469 - 501               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Canary Islands (Spain)</i>                | 484                                 | 474 - 494               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Basque Country (Spain)</i>                | 484                                 | 474 - 493               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Andalusia (Spain)</i>                     | 483                                 | 474 - 491               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>French community (Belgium)</i>            | 479                                 | 471 - 487               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Italy</b>                                 | 478                                 | 473 - 483               | 25             | 26         | 30                      | 32         |
| <i>Dubai (UAE)</i>                           | 477                                 | 473 - 481               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Extremadura (Spain)</i>                   | 474                                 | 465 - 483               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Bogotá (Colombia)</i>                     | 474                                 | 464 - 483               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Russia</b>                                | 473                                 | 467 - 480               |                |            | 30                      | 34         |
| <b>Croatia</b>                               | 473                                 | 468 - 478               |                |            | 30                      | 34         |
| <b>Hungary</b>                               | 472                                 | 468 - 477               | 26             | 27         | 31                      | 35         |
| <b>Israel</b>                                | 469                                 | 462 - 476               | 26             | 28         | 31                      | 36         |
| <b>Lithuania</b>                             | 467                                 | 463 - 472               |                |            | 33                      | 36         |
| <i>Região Autónoma dos Açores (Portugal)</i> | 467                                 | 461 - 473               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Slovak Republic</b>                       | 463                                 | 458 - 467               | 27             | 29         | 35                      | 37         |
| <b>Greece</b>                                | 459                                 | 452 - 466               | 28             | 30         | 36                      | 38         |
| <b>Chile</b>                                 | 457                                 | 452 - 462               | 29             | 30         | 37                      | 38         |
| <i>Medellín (Colombia)</i>                   | 453                                 | 444 - 462               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Manizales (Colombia)</i>                  | 451                                 | 444 - 459               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Cyprus*</b>                               | 444                                 | 441 - 448               |                |            | 39                      | 42         |
| <b>Bulgaria</b>                              | 444                                 | 437 - 452               |                |            | 39                      | 43         |
| <i>Campania (Italy)</i>                      | 443                                 | 432 - 453               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Uruguay</b>                               | 443                                 | 438 - 447               |                |            | 39                      | 42         |
| <b>Costa Rica</b>                            | 441                                 | 436 - 446               |                |            | 39                      | 43         |
| <i>Cali (Colombia)</i>                       | 440                                 | 432 - 449               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Thailand</b>                              | 436                                 | 429 - 442               |                |            | 42                      | 46         |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b>                  | 435                                 | 430 - 440               |                |            | 42                      | 45         |
| <b>Mexico</b>                                | 433                                 | 428 - 438               | 31             | 31         | 43                      | 46         |
| <b>Colombia</b>                              | 429                                 | 425 - 434               |                |            | 45                      | 47         |
| <i>Sharjah (UAE)</i>                         | 429                                 | 411 - 448               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Turkey</b>                                | 422                                 | 416 - 429               | 32             | 32         | 46                      | 48         |
| <i>Abu Dhabi (UAE)</i>                       | 422                                 | 413 - 430               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Peru</b>                                  | 418                                 | 413 - 423               |                |            | 47                      | 49         |
| <b>Montenegro</b>                            | 416                                 | 413 - 418               |                |            | 48                      | 50         |
| <b>Brazil</b>                                | 412                                 | 407 - 416               |                |            | 49                      | 50         |
| <i>Ajman (UAE)</i>                           | 412                                 | 401 - 423               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Fujairah (UAE)</i>                        | 402                                 | 388 - 416               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Ras Al Khaimah (UAE)</i>                  | 400                                 | 382 - 417               |                |            |                         |            |
| <i>Umm Al Quwain (UAE)</i>                   | 394                                 | 382 - 406               |                |            |                         |            |
| <b>Tunisia</b>                               | 382                                 | 378 - 385               |                |            | 51                      | 51         |

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Figure V.3.3 lists each participating country and economy in descending order of its mean collaborative problem-solving score (left column). The values range from a high of 561 points for partner country Singapore to a low of 382 points for partner country Tunisia. Countries and economies are also divided into three broad groups: those whose mean scores are statistically around the OECD mean (highlighted in dark blue), those whose mean scores are above the OECD mean (highlighted in pale blue), and those whose mean scores are below the OECD mean (highlighted in medium blue).

Because the figures are derived from samples, it is not possible to determine a country's precise rank among the participating countries and economies. However, it is possible to determine, with confidence, a range of ranks in which the country's performance lies (Figure V.3.4).

Singapore is the highest-performing country in collaborative problem solving, with a mean score of 561 points. The second highest-performing country is Japan, with a mean score of 552 points. Both of these countries score over half of a standard deviation, on average, above the average level of students in other OECD countries. Singapore scores significantly higher than every other country/economy, and Japan scores significantly higher than every other country/economy except Singapore.

Thirteen other OECD countries – Korea (538 points), Canada (535 points), Estonia (535 points), Finland (534 points), New Zealand (533 points), Australia (531 points), Germany (525 points), the United States (520 points), Denmark (520 points), the United Kingdom (519 points), the Netherlands (518 points), Sweden (510 points) and Austria (509 points) – and three East Asian partner countries and economies – Hong Kong (China) (541 points), Macao (China) (534 points) and Chinese Taipei (527 points) – score above the OECD average on the PISA collaborative problem-solving scale.

Eight countries – Beijing-Shanghai-Jiangsu-Guangdong (China) (hereafter “B-S-J-G [China]”), Belgium, the Czech Republic, Iceland, Norway, Portugal, Slovenia and Spain – score around the OECD mean of 500 points.

There is a gap of 129 score points between the highest-scoring OECD country, Japan (552 score points), and the lowest-scoring OECD country, Turkey (422 score points), a difference of well over one standard deviation. Less than 10% of students in Japan perform below the mean score in Turkey while only roughly 5% of students in Turkey perform at or above the mean score in Japan (Table V.3.2).

Likewise, 180 score points separate the mean scores of the highest- and lowest-performing countries and economies in the collaborative problem-solving assessment – Singapore (561 score points) and Tunisia (382 score points). This gap corresponds to almost two standard deviations or two proficiency levels. Fewer than one in 20 students in Estonia, Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea and Singapore performs at or below the mean of the lowest-performing country (Table V.3.2).

### **How collaborative problem-solving proficiency levels are defined in PISA 2015**

PISA 2015 provides one overall collaborative problem-solving proficiency scale, drawing on all the questions in the collaborative problem-solving assessment. The collaborative problem-solving scale was constructed to have a mean score of 500 among OECD countries, with about two-thirds of students across OECD countries scoring between 400 and 600.<sup>5</sup> To help interpret what students' scores mean in substantive terms, the scale is divided into five proficiency levels. Four of these (Levels 1 to 4) are described based on the skills needed to successfully complete the items that are located within them; the last (below Level 1) is defined based on the absence of these skills.

Level 1 is the lowest described level and corresponds to an elementary level of collaborative problem-solving skills; Level 4 corresponds to the highest level of collaborative problem-solving skills. As explained above, students with a score within the range of Level 1 are expected to complete most Level 1 items successfully but are unlikely to be able to successfully complete items at higher levels. By contrast, students with scores in the Level 4 range are likely to be able to successfully complete any item included in the PISA assessment of collaborative problem solving.

### **Students at the different levels of proficiency in collaborative problem solving**

Figure V.3.5 expounds on what students at four of the levels of proficiency in collaborative problem solving can typically do. These summary descriptions are based on the detailed analysis of task demands within each level; Chapter 2 provides such an analysis for the released unit, *Xandar*. The distribution of student performance across proficiency levels in each country/economy is shown in Figure V.3.6.



Figure V.3.5 ■ Summary descriptions of the four levels of proficiency in collaborative problem solving

| Level | Score range                              | What students can typically do  |
|-------|--|---|
| 4     | Equal to or higher than 640 score points | At Level 4, students can successfully carry out complicated problem-solving tasks with high collaboration complexity. They can solve complex problems with multiple constraints, keeping relevant background information in mind. These students maintain an awareness of group dynamics and take actions to ensure that team members act in accordance with their agreed-upon roles. At the same time, they can monitor progress towards a solution and identify obstacles to overcome or gaps to be bridged. Level 4 students take initiative and perform actions or make requests to overcome obstacles and to resolve disagreements and conflicts. They can balance the collaboration and problem-solving aspects of a presented task, identify efficient pathways to a solution, and take actions to solve the given problem.                          |
| 3     | 540 to less than 640 score points        | At Level 3, students can complete tasks with either complex problem-solving requirements or complex collaboration demands. These students can perform multi-step tasks that require integrating multiple pieces of information, often in complex and dynamic problems. They orchestrate roles within the team and identify information needed by particular team members to solve the problem. Level 3 students can recognise the information needed to solve a problem, request it from the appropriate team member, and identify when the provided information is incorrect. When conflicts arise, they can help team members negotiate a solution.   |
| 2     | 440 to less than 540 score points        | At Level 2, students can contribute to a collaborative effort to solve a problem of medium difficulty. They can help solve a problem by communicating with team members about the actions to be performed. They can volunteer information not specifically requested by another team member. Level 2 students understand that not all team members have the same information and can consider differing perspectives in their interactions. They can help the team establish a shared understanding of the steps required to solve a problem. These students can request additional information required to solve a problem and solicit agreement or confirmation from team members about the approach to be taken. Students near the top of Level 2 can take the initiative to suggest a logical next step, or propose a new approach, to solve a problem. |
| 1     | 340 to less than 440 score points        | At Level 1, students can complete tasks with low problem complexity and limited collaboration complexity. They can provide requested information and take actions to enact plans when prompted. Level 1 students can confirm actions or proposals made by others. They tend to focus on their individual role within the group. With support from team members, and when working on a simple problem, these students can help find a solution to the given problem.   |

### Proficiency at Level 4

Students proficient at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale can successfully carry out complicated problem-solving tasks with high collaboration complexity. They maintain an awareness of group dynamics and ensure that team members act in accordance with their agreed-upon roles, while simultaneously monitoring progress towards a solution of the given problem. They take initiative and perform actions or make requests to overcome obstacles and to resolve disagreements and conflicts. Students who perform at Level 4 are also referred to as “top performers” in the rest of this report.<sup>6</sup>

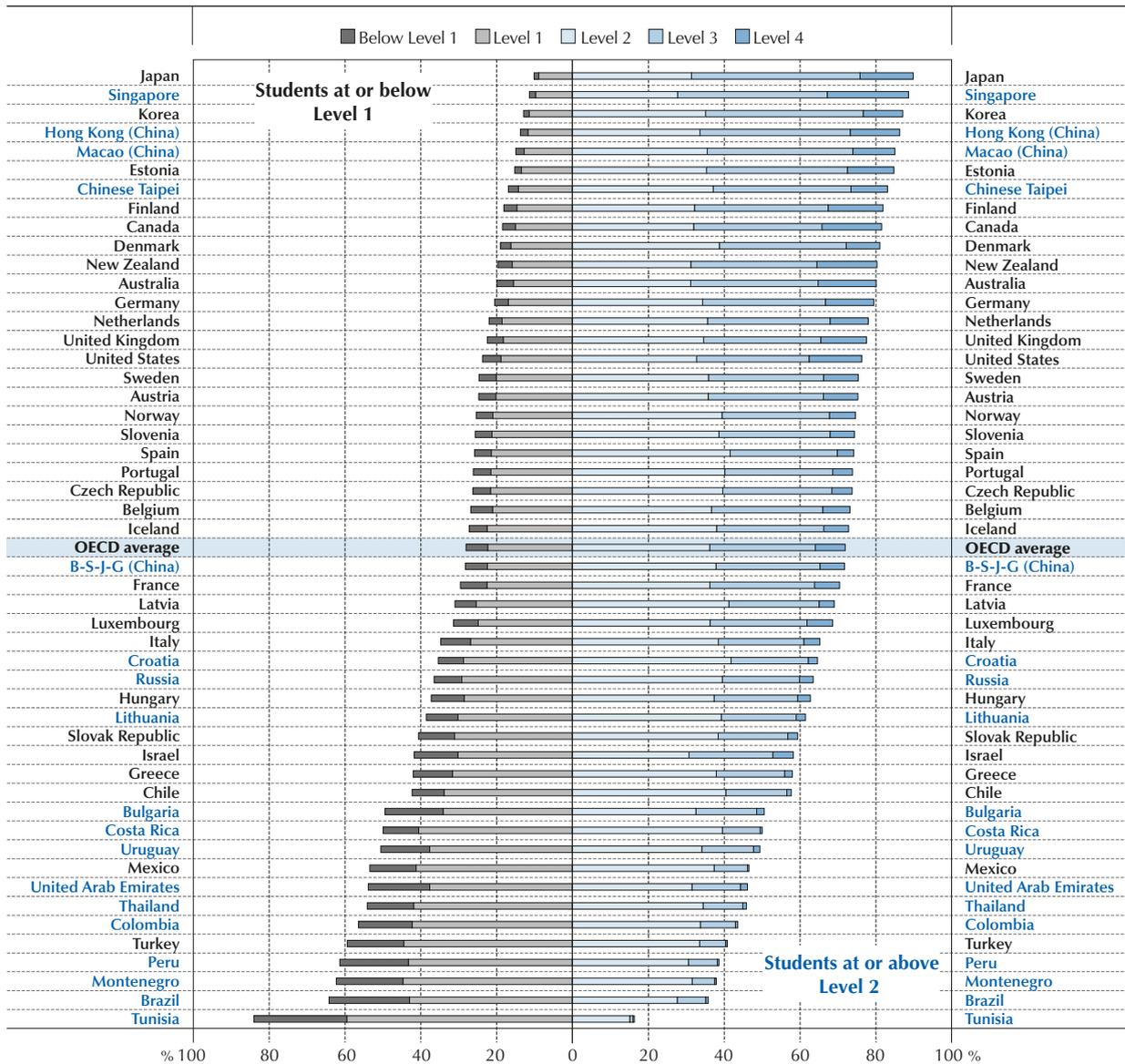
Part 3, Item 2 of *Xandar* is an example of a Level 4 item. It requires students first to recognise that one of the other team members has answered a question that he or she was supposed to answer. Students must then remind their team members that they should act in accordance with the roles hitherto agreed upon, instead of complimenting the student who correctly answered the wrong question. While the latter response develops a collaborative dynamic among team members, the credited response does so while also advancing towards a solution to the problem.

Across OECD countries, 8% of students perform at this level, although student proficiency varies among countries. More than one in five students in Singapore (21%) and between 15% and 16% of students in Australia, Canada and New Zealand perform at this level. These four countries are also among the top-performing countries and economies in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.3.4). Indeed, every country whose mean performance in collaborative problem solving is above the OECD average also has a larger-than-average proportion of students who perform at Level 4.<sup>7</sup>

In contrast, in two OECD countries and in seven partner countries, fewer than 1 in 100 students performs at Level 4; and in Tunisia, fewer than 1 in 1 000 students performs at this level (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).



Figure V.3.6 ■ Proficiency in collaborative problem solving  
Percentage of students at the different levels of collaborative problem-solving proficiency



Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students at Level 2, 3 or 4 in collaborative problem solving.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.3.1.

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### Proficiency at Level 3

Students proficient at Level 3 on the collaborative problem-solving scale can complete tasks with either complex problem-solving requirements or complex collaboration demands. They can recognise information needed to solve a problem, request it from the appropriate team member, and identify when the provided information is incorrect. These students can perform multi-step tasks that require integrating multiple pieces of information.

Part 4, Item 2 of *Xandar* is an example of a Level 3 task. Students must recognise that Zach, one of the team members, needs help and then come up with a suggestion as to how to help him while simultaneously attending to their own tasks.

As students proficient at Level 4 can also complete Level 3 items, the following discussion uses “proficient at Level 3 or higher” synonymously with “can successfully complete a Level 3 item”. The same terminology will be used below to refer to the cumulative proportions at lower levels.



Across OECD countries, 36% of students are proficient at Level 3 or higher. In Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea and Singapore, more than one in two students are capable of completing Level 3 items, and just under one in two students (over 45%) in Australia, Canada, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Macao (China), New Zealand and Chinese Taipei performs at Level 3 or higher. In every country that performs significantly above the OECD mean, the proportion of students proficient at Level 3 or higher is also above the OECD mean (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

Level 3 was the most common proficiency level in 10 of the 51 countries/economies with adjudicated data from the collaborative problem-solving assessment.<sup>8</sup> By contrast, in two OECD countries and five partner countries, fewer than one in ten students performs at Level 3 or higher. In Tunisia, fewer than one in 100 students can successfully complete a Level 3 item (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

### **Proficiency at Level 2**

Students proficient at Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale can contribute to a collaborative effort to solve a problem of medium difficulty. They can communicate with team members about the actions to be performed and they can volunteer information not specifically requested by another team member.

Part 2, Item 3 of *Xandar* is one example of a Level 2 task. Alice and Zach, the other two team members, have already chosen their subject areas. The student must process this information and signal that they have done so by stating that they will choose the remaining subject area.

Across OECD countries, 72% of students perform at Level 2 or higher. In Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea, Macao (China) and Singapore, over 85% of 15-year-olds are proficient at Level 2 or higher; in a further seven countries/economies – Australia, Canada, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, New Zealand and Chinese Taipei – over 80% of 15-year-olds achieve this level of competence. This is the most common proficiency level in 28 of the 51 countries and economies with comparable data. However, in two OECD countries and eight partner countries, a majority of students cannot complete Level 2 items successfully (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

### **Proficiency at Level 1**

Students proficient at Level 1 can complete tasks with low problem difficulty and limited collaboration complexity. They tend to focus on their individual role within the group, but with support from team members. When working on a simple problem, these students can help find a solution to the problem.

Part 3, Item 1 of *Xandar* is an example of a Level 1 problem. Students are told or reminded (depending on how they finished Part 2) that their subject area is geography, and that the other team members have been assigned the other two subjects. Focusing on their own role in the group, they must then click the correct button – the “Geography” button – to get started.

Across OECD countries, 94% of students reach this level of collaborative problem-solving proficiency. However, in Tunisia, almost one in four students (25%) fails to reach this level of proficiency. More than one in five students in Brazil (21%) and more than one in six students in Montenegro and Peru (both 18%) are likewise not proficient at Level 1. Level 1 is the most common proficiency level in 13 of the 51 countries/economies with available data (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

### **Proficiency below Level 1**

The PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment was not designed to assess either elementary collaboration skills or elementary problem-solving skills. Hence, there were insufficient items to fully describe performance that fell below Level 1 on the collaborative problem-solving scale.

Across OECD countries, 6% of students score below Level 1 on the proficiency scale. Between one in 50 students and one in 100 students in Estonia, Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea and Singapore score below Level 1 (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1).

## **HOW COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING PERFORMANCE RELATES TO PERFORMANCE IN SCIENCE, READING AND MATHEMATICS**

A comparison of the mean scores in collaborative problem solving, science, reading and mathematics shows that the same countries/economies – Canada, Korea, Hong Kong (China), Japan and Singapore – are found at or near the top of each set of rankings. Thus, one may wonder to what extent the collaborative problem-solving assessment measures collaboration skills as opposed to general cognitive skills.



Scores in the four domains are indeed highly correlated, as shown in Figure V.3.7. On average across OECD countries, student performance in collaborative problem solving shows a correlation of 0.77 with performance in science, 0.74 with performance in reading, and 0.70 with performance in mathematics. These numbers are lower than the pairwise correlations between scores in the core PISA subjects, which range from 0.80 to 0.88. Collaborative problem-solving outcomes, while still closely related to outcomes in science, reading and mathematics, appear to be slightly less strongly related to these core subject outcomes than these core subject outcomes are related to each other.

Figure V.3.7 ■ **Correlations among performance in collaborative problem solving and in core PISA subjects**

OECD average

| Correlation between: |         |         |                               |
|----------------------|---------|---------|-------------------------------|
| Mathematics          | Reading | Science | ...and...                     |
| 0.70                 | 0.74    | 0.77    | Collaborative problem solving |
|                      | 0.80    | 0.88    | Mathematics                   |
|                      |         | 0.87    | Reading                       |

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.3.4.

The link between student scores in collaborative problem solving, science, reading and mathematics is strongest in Bulgaria, the United Arab Emirates and the United States and weakest in Costa Rica, the Russian Federation (hereafter “Russia”) and Tunisia. In these latter three countries, however, correlations between performance in collaborative problem solving and performance in each of the three core PISA subjects still exceed 0.55 (Table V.3.4).

Another way to see the relationship is by looking at the extent to which top or low performance in the three core PISA domains predicts performance in collaborative problem solving. In science, reading and mathematics, top performers are defined as those students who perform at Levels 5 or 6, while low performers are those students who perform below the baseline proficiency level, Level 2. In collaborative problem solving, top performers are defined as those students who perform at Level 4, while low performers are those students who perform below Level 2.<sup>9</sup>

Some 44% of top performers in science, 39% of top performers in reading, and 34% of top performers in mathematics are also top performers in collaborative problem solving, on average across OECD countries (Table V.3.3a). Some 55% of students who are top performers in all three core PISA subjects (all-round top performers) are also top performers in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.3.8). This proportion is particularly large in Australia, Canada, New Zealand, Singapore, the United Kingdom and the United States where over 69% of students who are all-round top performers are also top performers in collaborative problem solving.

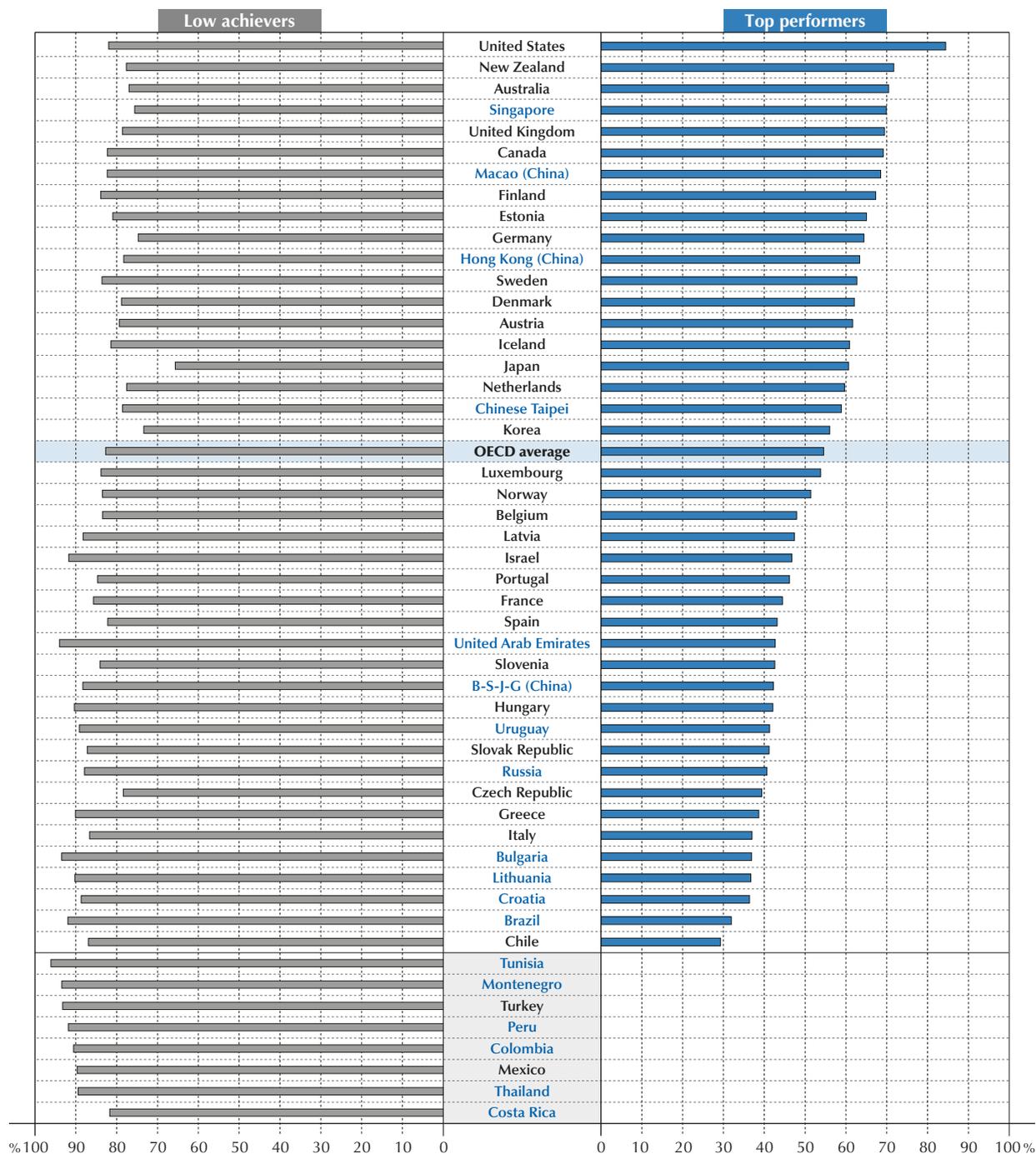
By contrast, in Brazil and Chile, fewer than one in three all-round top performers score at the highest level in collaborative problem solving. This may imply that collaborative problem-solving skills in these countries are developed independently of skills and literacy in the three core PISA subjects. However, the share of top performers in these countries is very small: 0.6% in Brazil and 1.2% in Chile.

Similar relationships are observed among low performers, although there is greater observed overlap. On average across OECD countries, 74% of low performers in science, 74% of low performers in reading, and 67% of low performers in mathematics are also low performers in collaborative problem solving. Some 83% of low performers in all three core subjects (all-round low performers) are also low performers in collaborative problem solving. Hence, it may be that a certain level of functional literacy in the three core domains is a pre-requisite for performance in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.3.8).

In Bulgaria, Montenegro, Tunisia, Turkey and the United Arab Emirates, over 93% of students who are all-round low performers are also low performers in collaborative problem solving. By contrast, in Germany, Japan and Korea, less than 75% of all-round low performers are low performers in collaborative problem solving. This is likely due to the particularly low scores of low performers in the former group of countries: the average student who is an all-round low performer in Tunisia scores lower in these domains than the average student who is an all-round low performer in Japan. Another interpretation is that collaborative problem-solving skills might be more “fundamental”, that is, developed in all students, regardless of ability, in the latter three countries, while they might be more dependent on basic literacy skills in the former five countries.



Figure V.3.8 ■ **Top performers and low achievers in four PISA subjects**  
 Percentage of top performers/low achievers in collaborative problem solving among all-round top performers/low achievers in the three core PISA subjects



**Notes:** Top performers in collaborative problem solving are students who score at Level 4. All-round top performers score at Level 5 or 6 in science, reading and mathematics.

Low achievers in collaborative problem solving score below Level 2. All-round low achievers score below Level 2 in science, reading and mathematics.

Due to sample size limitations, the proportion of top performers for the eight countries at the bottom of the figure could not be accurately determined.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the proportion of top performers in collaborative problem solving among all-round top performers in the three core PISA subjects.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.3.3a and V.3.3b.

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Mean performance across countries is more closely correlated than individual student performance. Across OECD countries, the correlations between mean country collaborative problem-solving scores and mean country scores in the three core domains are between 0.87 and 0.96, while the correlations between mean country scores within the three core domains are between 0.95 and 0.98. Education systems that are strong in one domain thus appear also to be strong in other domains, although individual students may have strengths and weaknesses in particular areas.

### Relative performance in collaborative problem solving

As discussed above, performance in collaborative problem solving is closely linked to performance in the three core PISA domains of science, reading and mathematics. In order to isolate the distinctive aspects of collaborative problem-solving ability, scores in collaborative problem solving were regressed over scores in the three core domains. Each student's relative performance – his or her performance in collaborative problem solving after accounting for proficiency in science, reading and mathematics – was then calculated.<sup>10</sup> This calculation pooled data from all PISA-participating countries and economies and thus allowed for the ranking of countries and economies by their average relative performance.<sup>11</sup>

Although the average relative performance across all students pooled over all countries/economies is, by definition, equal to zero, the average relative performance in OECD countries is slightly positive at three score points, indicating that students in OECD countries have, on average, higher collaborative problem-solving skills than students in participating partner countries/economies who perform similarly in the three core domains.

Figure V.3.9 shows each participating country and economy in order of its mean relative collaborative problem-solving performance. The values range from a high of 23 points for OECD country Japan to a low of -22 points for partner country Russia. Countries and economies are also divided into three broad groups: those whose mean relative scores are statistically around the OECD mean (pale blue bars), those whose mean relative scores are above the OECD mean (medium blue bars), and those whose mean relative scores are below the OECD mean (dark grey bars). The range and variation of relative scores are noticeably smaller than that of raw performance scores. One way to interpret such scores is to say that, on average, students in Japan perform 0.23 standard deviations better than expected given their scores in science, reading and mathematics. Another interpretation is that based on their collaborative problem-solving performance, students in Japan score below expected in science, reading and mathematics.

Australia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand and the United States are among the highest-performing countries in terms of relative performance in collaborative problem solving. Students in these countries score between 20 and 23 points higher in collaborative problem solving, on average, than would be expected given their science, reading and mathematics scores (Figure V.3.9).

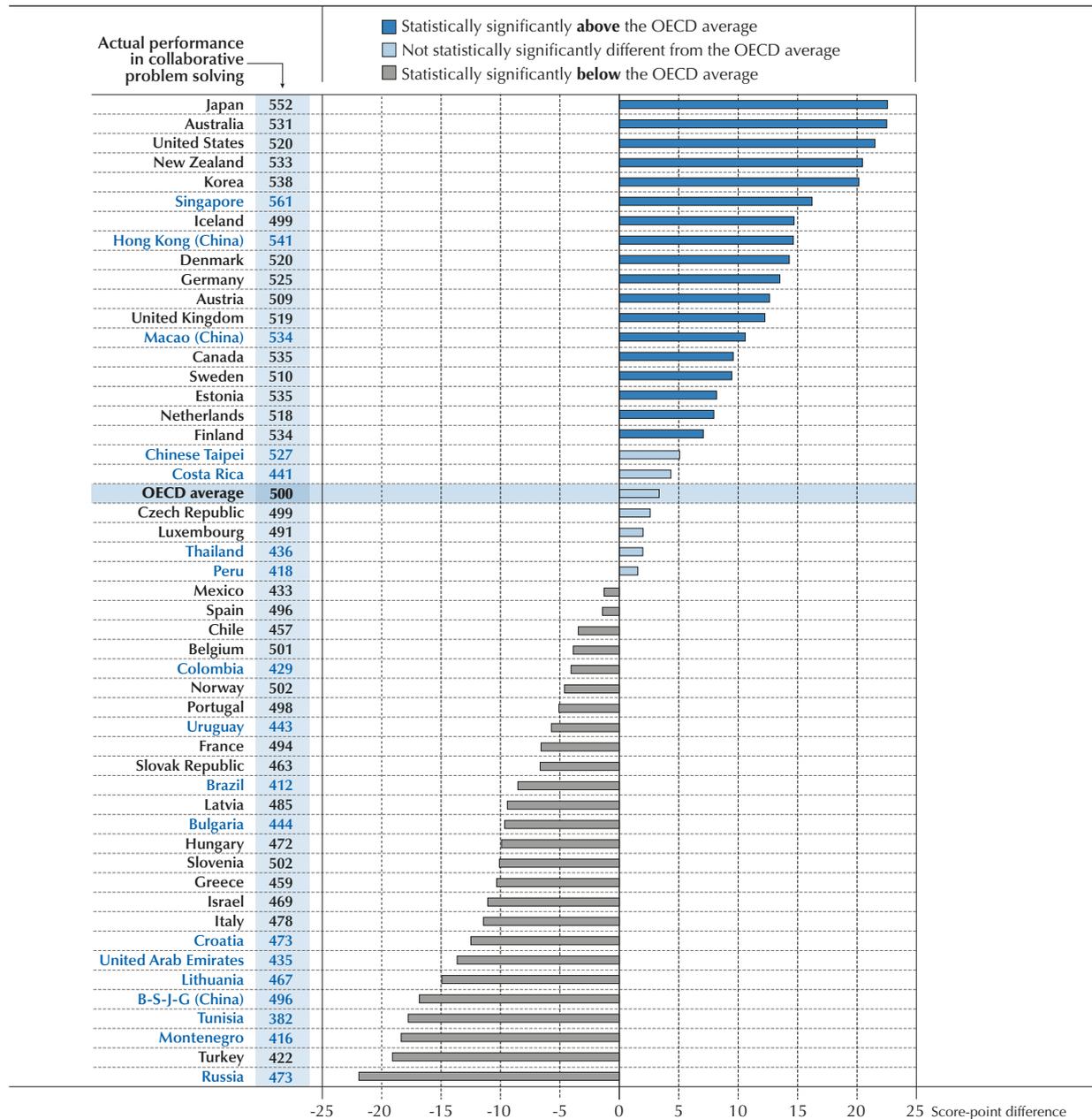
Ten other OECD countries – Iceland (15 points), Denmark (14 points), Germany (14 points), Austria (13 points), the United Kingdom (12 points), Canada (10 points), Sweden (9 points), Estonia (8 points), the Netherlands (8 points) and Finland (7 points) – and three partner countries/economies – Singapore (16 points), Hong Kong (China) (15 points) and Macao (China) (11 points) – score above the OECD average in relative performance in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.3.9).

Six countries – Costa Rica, the Czech Republic, Luxembourg, Peru, Chinese Taipei and Thailand – score around the OECD average of three points in relative performance in collaborative problem solving.

There is a gap of 42 score points between the relative performance of the highest-scoring OECD country, Japan (23 score points) and the lowest-scoring OECD country, Turkey (-19 score points), a difference of 42% of a standard deviation in raw performance. Some 66% of students in Japan perform better in collaborative problem solving than would be expected given their science, reading and mathematics scores, while only 35% of students in Turkey do so (Table V.3.9a). Similar results are observed in the poorest-performing country, the partner country Russia, where only 36% of students perform better in collaborative problem solving than would be expected given their performance in the three core PISA domains.

There are notable differences between country comparisons of raw and relative scores in collaborative problem solving. For instance, while Chinese Taipei ranks above the OECD average in raw performance scores, it does not differ significantly from the OECD average in relative performance. Students in Belgium, B-S-J-G (China), Norway, Portugal, Slovenia and Spain, while at the OECD average in raw collaborative problem-solving scores, score below the average once accounting for their science, reading and mathematics performance. These differences may be explained by students in these countries being weaker in the uniquely collaborative aspects of the assessment than students in countries that perform similarly in science, reading and mathematics. Explained another way, students in these countries perform particularly strongly in science, reading and mathematics without a correspondingly higher performance in collaborative problem solving.

Figure V.3.9 ■ **Countries' and economies' relative performance in collaborative problem solving**  
Score-point difference between actual and expected performance in collaborative problem solving



Note: A student's relative performance in collaborative problem solving is defined as the residual obtained upon an ordinary least-squares regression of the student's performance in collaborative problem solving over his or her performance in science, reading and mathematics. The regression is performed at an international level, pooling data from all countries and economies that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the relative performance in collaborative problem solving.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.3.2 and V.3.9a.

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By contrast, some countries/economies perform better when considering their relative performance. In Iceland, students ranked at the OECD average in raw performance, but were above the OECD average when considering relative performance. Moreover, in Costa Rica, Luxembourg, Peru and Thailand, students performed below the OECD average in their raw collaborative problem-solving scores but at the OECD average once accounting for scores in the other three domains. In these countries, students have stronger skills in the uniquely collaborative aspects of the assessment than would have been expected given their science, reading and mathematics performance. Conversely, they perform worse in science, reading and mathematics than their collaborative problem-solving scores would have suggested.

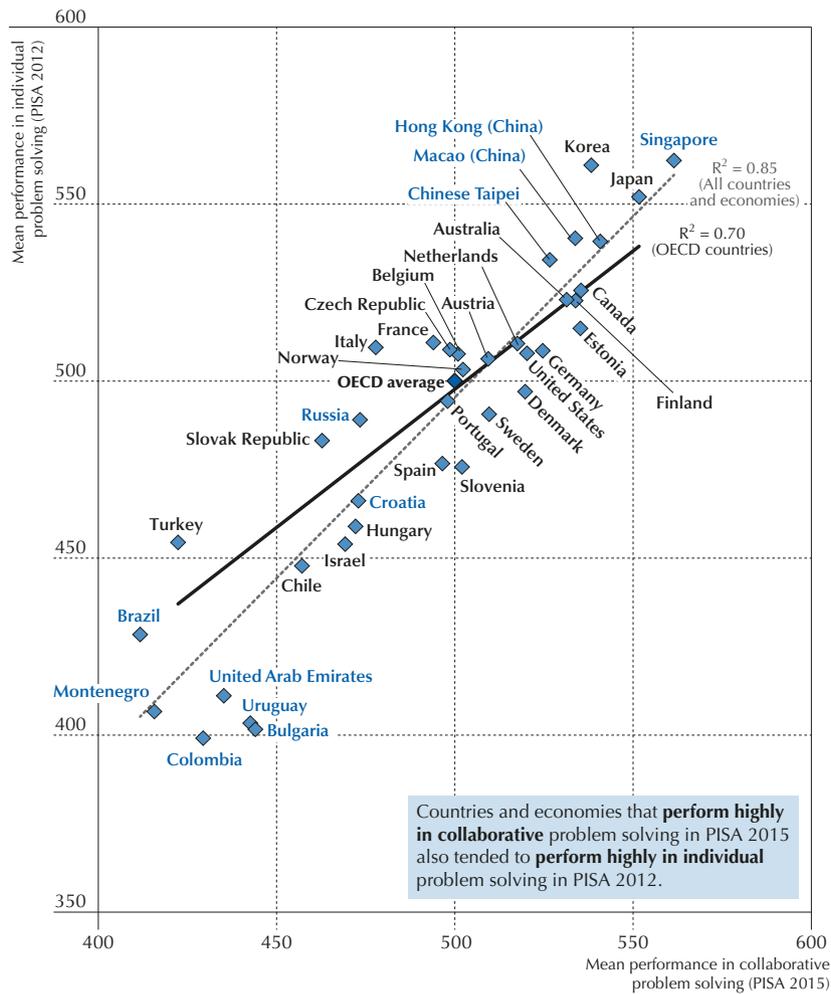


## THE LINKS BETWEEN COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING AND INDIVIDUAL PROBLEM SOLVING

PISA 2015 measured collaborative problem solving, which, as described in Chapter 2, is modelled on three competencies related to collaboration and four processes related to problem solving. As a result, a student’s performance in collaborative problem solving is not purely a measure of his or her collaboration skills but also reflects his or her ability to use collaboration to resolve a problem or work towards a goal.

Individual problem solving was measured in the innovative domain in PISA 2012. Figure V.3.10 plots the raw performance scores of countries/economies that participated in both the individual problem-solving assessment in 2012 and the collaborative problem-solving assessment in 2015. There is a strong positive correlation (as measured by an  $r^2$  of 0.85 among all countries and economies, and 0.70 among OECD countries) between the mean scores in the two assessments. Countries that performed well in individual problem solving in PISA 2012 also tend to perform well in collaborative problem solving in 2015. This might be expected, due to the cognitive skills and the problem-solving processes common to both assessments.

Figure V.3.10 ■ Performance in individual problem solving (PISA 2012) and in collaborative problem solving (PISA 2015)



**Note:** Only those countries and economies with available data or valid results for the PISA 2012 assessment of individual problem solving and the PISA 2015 assessment of collaborative problem solving are shown.

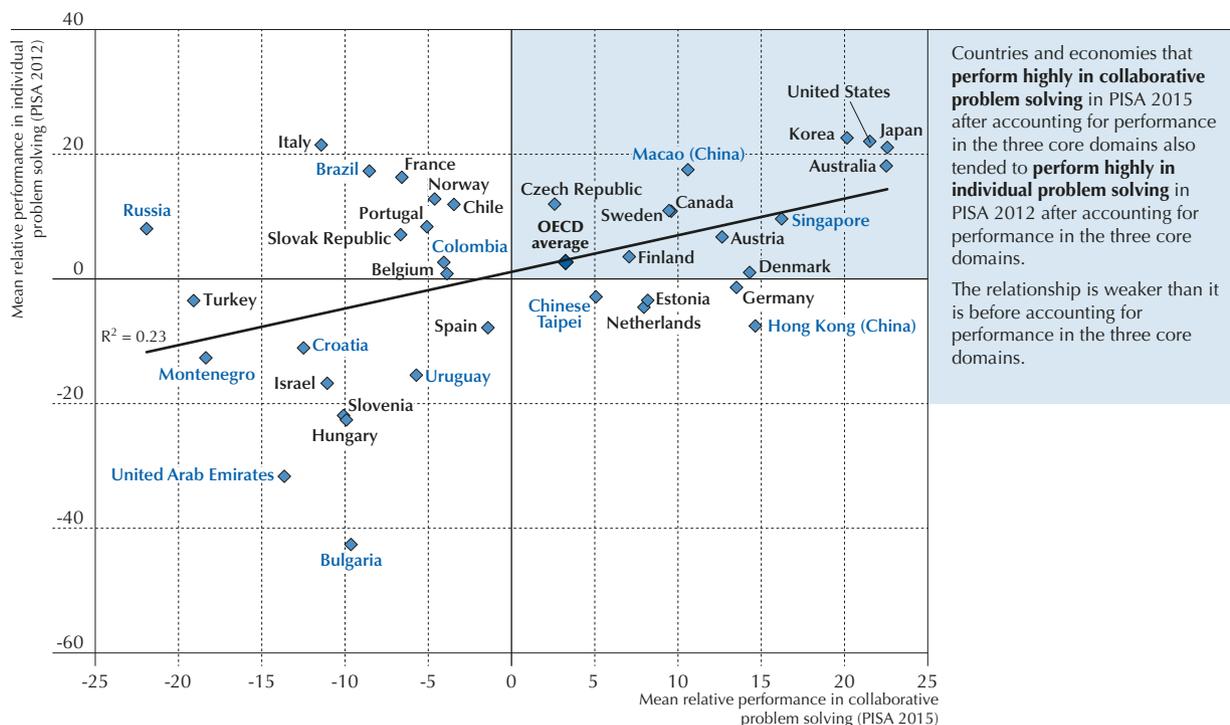
**Source:** OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.3.2, and PISA 2012 Database, Table V.3.2, from *PISA 2012 Results: Creative Problem Solving (Volume V)*.

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As described above and in *PISA 2012 Results: Creative Problem Solving (Volume V)* (OECD, 2014), students' general level of ability, as reflected in their performance in science, reading and mathematics, is also highly correlated with their performance in both individual and collaborative problem solving. Relative scores for problem solving, calculated (as for collaborative problem solving) from the residuals on a regression of performance in creative problem solving against performance in the three core PISA subjects, were calculated using data from PISA 2012. Countries/economies' mean relative scores in individual problem solving and collaborative problem solving are plotted against each other in Figure V.3.11.

Relative scores in collaborative problem solving are weakly and positively correlated with relative scores in individual problem solving (Figure V.3.11), with an  $r^2$  of 0.23. This drop in the correlation coefficient after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics indicates that much of the relationship between scores in the two types of problem solving was due to their common relationship with the cognitive elements also displayed in the science, reading and mathematics assessments.

Figure V.3.11 ■ **Relative performance in individual problem solving (PISA 2012) and in collaborative problem solving (PISA 2015)**



**Note:** Only those countries and economies with available data or valid results for the PISA 2012 assessment of creative problem solving and the PISA 2015 assessment of collaborative problem solving are shown.

**Source:** OECD, PISA 2012 and PISA 2015 Databases, Tables V.3.9a and V.3.9b.

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The remaining correlation between the relative scores includes the problem-solving elements that are common to both assessments. Its weaker magnitude also indicates, however, that relative scores in collaborative problem solving measure something distinct from relative scores in individual problem solving. This supports the idea that the three collaborative problem-solving competencies described in Chapter 2 exist and can be measured, and that collaborative problem solving is a skill in its own right, distinct from individual problem solving.

It is important to remember that the general trends mentioned above compare different students: 15-year-olds in 2012 versus 15-year-olds in 2015. The cognitive skills and (individual) problem-solving capabilities of students in 2015 may be different from those of students in 2012. Indeed, PISA measures trends in the three core domains, and many countries/economies show noticeable performance changes in these domains even over a three-year period.



However, on the assumption that three-year trends in most countries are small, these correlations are indicative of a likely relationship between individual (pure) problem solving and collaborative problem solving, the latter of which combines aspects of both pure problem-solving and collaboration skills.

## THE INFLUENCE OF COMPUTER DELIVERY ON PERFORMANCE IN COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING

The PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is interactive and hence could only be delivered in a computer-based format. It was assumed that almost all 15-year-old students in 2015 were familiar with computers and other information and communications technology (ICT), especially in countries that chose to conduct the assessment on computer. However, the extent to which students use and are comfortable with computers and ICT equipment might have affected their performance in the collaborative problem-solving assessment compared to their performance on a similar test conducted in a different medium.

In an optional questionnaire on ICT familiarity administered in 43 out of the 52 countries/economies that assessed students' performance in collaborative problem solving, students were asked to report on the extent to which they use ICT at school and their self-perceived comfort with ICT. Their responses are summarised in Box V.3.3.

### Box V.3.3. Indices related to students' use of and familiarity with ICT

The ICT questionnaire in PISA 2015 was administered in 46 of the 57 OECD and partner countries/economies that participated in the computer-based assessment; in addition, the questionnaire was administered in schools in the United Kingdom outside of Scotland.<sup>12</sup> It asks students about the availability of, their use of, and attitudes towards computers and other forms of ICT.

Since students completed the collaborative problem-solving assessment on the computer, their performance may be related to their use and familiarity with computers and ICT. Two ICT indices in particular were thought to be relevant to performance in the assessment:

- The index of the use of ICT at school. Students were asked how often they used digital devices for the following activities while at school: online chatting; using e-mail; browsing the Internet; downloading, uploading or browsing material from the school's website or Intranet; posting work onto the school's website; playing simulations; practicing and drilling, such as for learning foreign languages or mathematics; doing homework; and doing group work and communicating with other students.
- The index of students' self-reported ICT competence. Students were asked to what extent they agreed or disagreed that: they feel comfortable using digital devices that they are less familiar with; they can give advice if friends or relatives want to buy new digital devices or applications; they feel comfortable using digital devices at home; they think they can solve problems they come across with digital devices; and they can help friends or relatives who have a problem with digital devices.

Indices were normalised to an average of 0 and a standard deviation of 1 across OECD countries. As these are self-reported indices, there is cultural bias in how students respond, with students in some countries/economies being more likely to respond positively even if the underlying trait, such as the level of ICT use in school, is the same.

Students in Australia, Denmark, Sweden, and Thailand reported the highest use of ICT at school, with average indices over 0.50 (or over half a standard deviation above the OECD average); students in the East Asian countries of B-S-J-G (China), Japan and Korea reported the lowest use of ICT at school, with average indices below -0.50 (Table V.3.10a).

Self-reported ICT competence is found to be particularly high in Australia, Denmark, France, Ireland, New Zealand, Portugal, Sweden and the United Kingdom (excluding Scotland), where the index was between 0.20 and 0.40. This index was particularly low in the three East Asian countries of B-S-J-G (China), Japan and Korea, where it was between -0.49 and -1.00 (Table V.3.10b).



On average across OECD countries, students who rank between the 25th and 75th percentiles in the index of ICT use at school (i.e. those in the second and third quarters in their country/economy) perform better than students who use ICT at school the most (those in the top quarter) or the least (those in the bottom quarter). Moreover, students who use ICT the most in their school score 29 points lower in collaborative problem solving, on average, than students who use ICT the least. In Bulgaria, Greece, Israel, Latvia, Lithuania and Portugal, this gap is over 50 score points. Only in Australia and Japan, both of which are among the top countries/economies in collaborative problem solving, do students who report that they use ICT the most in school perform better than students who say they use ICT the least (Figure V.3.12, Table V.3.11a).

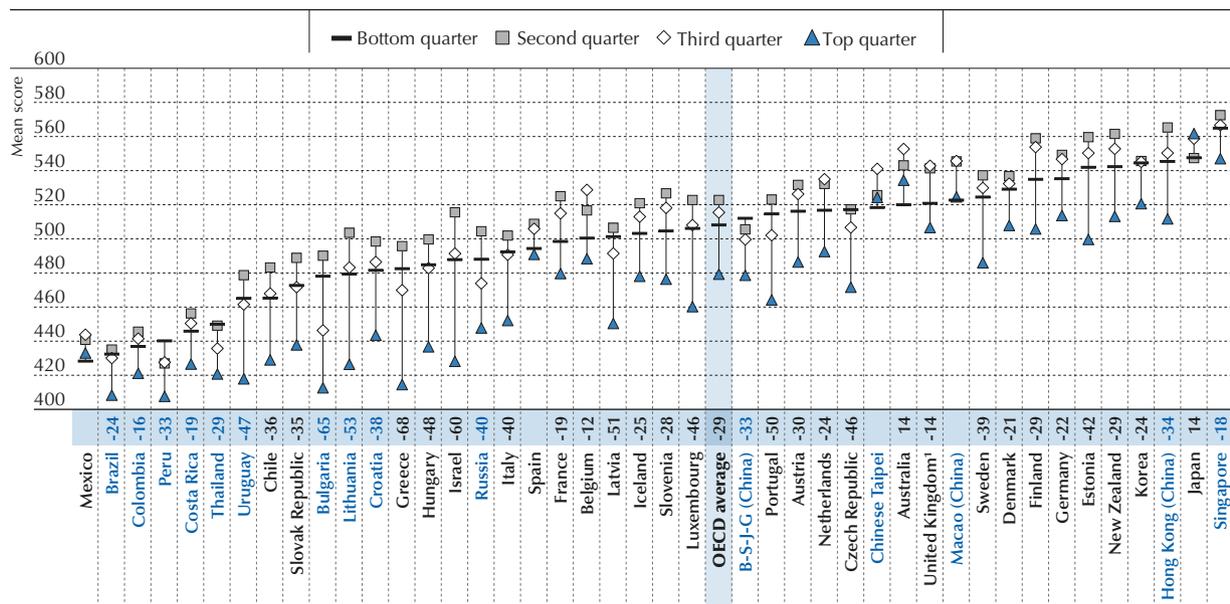
Students who reported that they use ICT the most frequently (those in the top quartile of ICT use at school in their country/economy) are only 60% as likely as other students to be top performers in collaborative problem solving. In Bulgaria, Greece and Lithuania, these students are less than 20% as likely as other students to be top performers in collaborative problem solving (Table V.3.11a).

Greater dependence on ICT may reduce the time students spend interacting and co-operating with each other, and thus may reduce their opportunities to learn how to collaborate, how to interpret the nuances of human communication, or how to compromise and consider others' opinions. Students might spend much of their time in a one-on-one "interaction" with education software, perhaps being distracted by it, thereby disengaging from the group (Heflin, Shewmaker and Nguyen, 2017).

Particularly infrequent use of ICT at school is often found in socio-economically disadvantaged schools. As is discussed in the next chapter, this is associated with lower performance in collaborative problem solving. Because of the cross-sectional and non-experimental nature of the variation in ICT use, the relationship between ICT use and performance in collaborative problem solving is not necessarily one of cause and effect.

By contrast, students' self-reported ICT competence is found to be positively related to performance in collaborative problem solving. Students who rank in their country's top quarter of self-reported ICT competence score 11 points higher in collaborative problem solving than students who rank in their country's bottom quarter, on average across OECD countries. The difference is especially large (more than 40 score points) in Bulgaria, Colombia and Lithuania. Only in Belgium do students who reported being highly competent in ICT score worse in collaborative problem solving (Table V.3.11b).

Figure V.3.12 ■ Index of ICT use at school and performance in collaborative problem solving



1. Only the United Kingdom subnational entities of England, Northern Ireland and Wales participated in the ICT questionnaire.

Notes: Statistically significant score-point differences in collaborative problem-solving performance between students in the top and bottom quarters of the index of ICT use at school are shown next to the country/economy name (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of the performance in collaborative problem solving among students in the bottom quarter of the index of ICT use at school.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.3.11a.

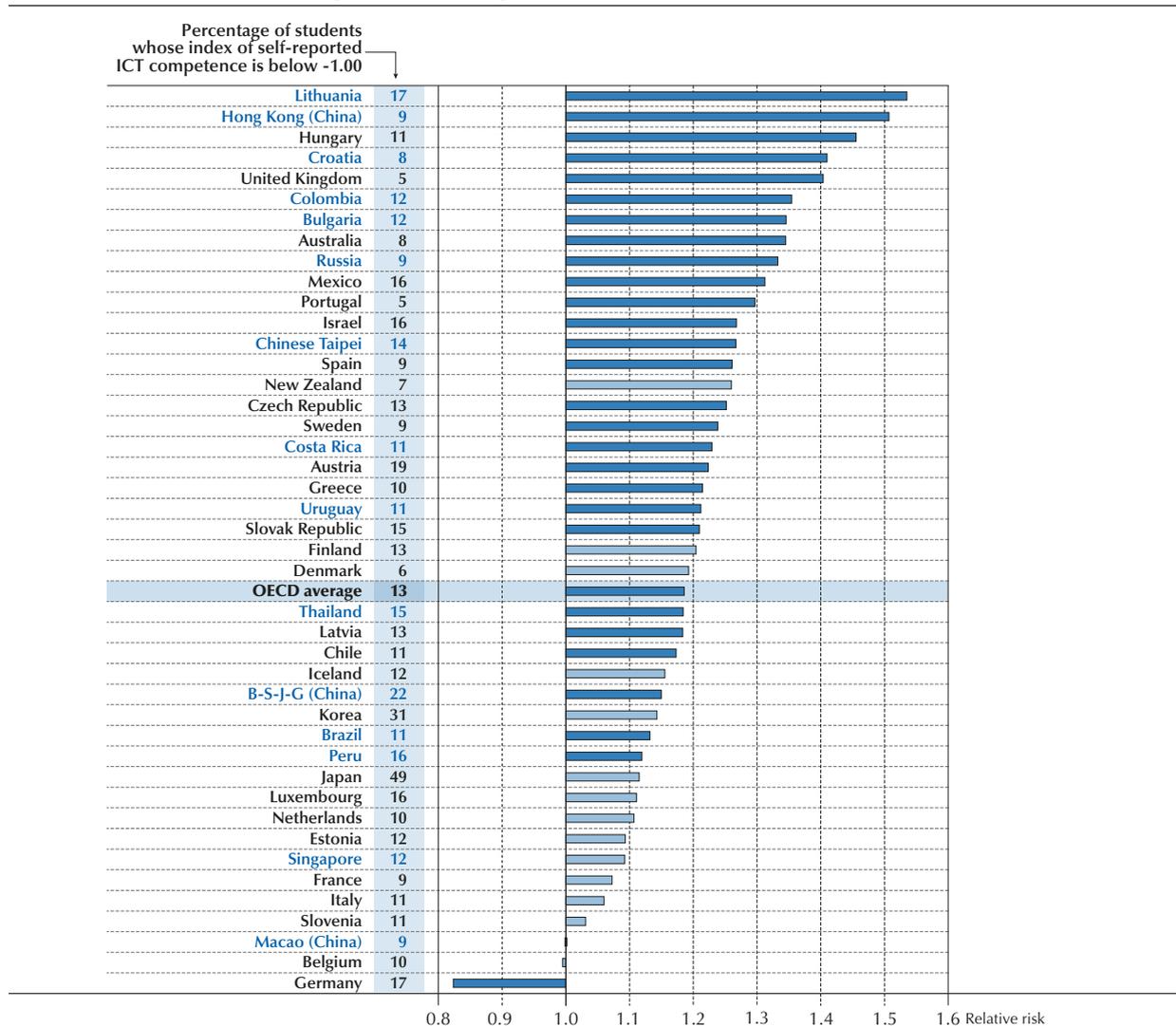
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The index of self-reported ICT competence was normalised to have an average of 0 and a standard deviation of 1 across OECD countries. On average across all OECD countries that distributed the ICT questionnaire, 13% of 15-year-old students have an index of self-reported ICT competence that is below -1.00. Fewer than 7% of students in Denmark, Ireland, Portugal and the United Kingdom (excluding Scotland) reported such low ICT competence, while students in B-S-J-G (China), Japan and Korea were the most likely to report low ICT competence, with more than 20% of students in these countries so reporting (Figure V.3.13 and Table V.3.12).<sup>13</sup>

On average, students whose index of self-reported ICT competence was below -1.00 were 19% more likely to be low performers and scored, on average, 18 points below students with a higher index of self-reported ICT competence. Students with low self-reported ICT competence in Croatia, Hong Kong (China), Hungary, Lithuania and the United Kingdom (excluding Scotland) had a notably higher likelihood (over 40%) of being low performers. Only in Germany were students with an index of self-reported ICT competence below -1.00 less likely to be low performers than students with a higher index (Figure V.3.13 and Table V.3.12).

Figure V.3.13 ■ **Low performance in collaborative problem solving and self-reported ICT competence**  
*Increased likelihood that students whose index of self-reported ICT competence is below -1.00 are low performers compared to those whose index is above -1.00*



**Note:** Statistically significant relative risk is shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).  
 Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the increased likelihood that students whose index of self-reported ICT competence is below -1.00 are low performers in collaborative problem solving compared to students whose index is above -1.00.  
**Source:** OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.3.12.

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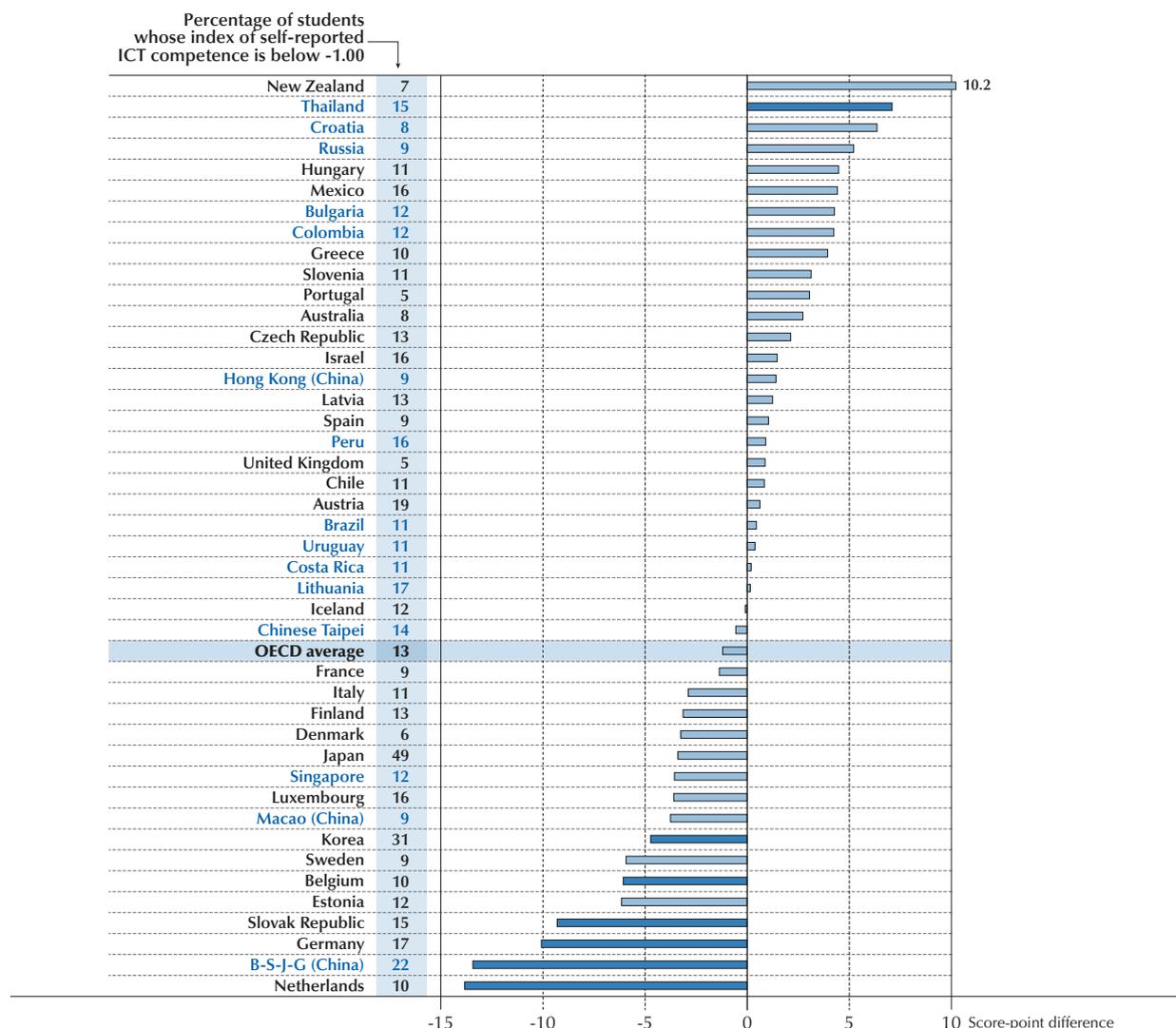


Hence, low self-reported competence in ICT is associated with poor performance in collaborative problem solving. It may be that low ICT competence hinders performance, or that there is a threshold in ICT competence below which certain levels of performance in collaborative problem solving are less likely to be observed. However, the direction of the association cannot be ascertained from this analysis. Moreover, the correlation between ICT competence and performance is low: ICT competence explains only 0.6% of the variation in collaborative problem-solving performance.

If low self-reported ICT competence hinders performance in the computer-based collaborative problem-solving assessment, it should also hinder performance in the science, reading and mathematics assessments as those assessments are also delivered via computer. To analyse whether ICT competence is related to performance in the distinctly collaborative aspects of the collaborative problem-solving assessment, Figure V.3.14 shows the relationship between self-reported ICT competence and relative performance, defined as the residual in a regression of performance in the collaborative problem-solving domain over performance in the science, reading and mathematics domains.

Figure V.3.14 ■ **Students' self-reported ICT competence and relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

Score-point difference between students whose index of self-reported ICT competence is above -1.00 and those whose index is below -1.00



Note: Statistically significant score-point differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference in the relative performance in collaborative problem solving between students whose self-reported ICT competence is above -1.00 and those whose index is below -1.00.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.3.12.

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On average across OECD countries, there is no significant difference in relative performance between students whose index of self-reported ICT competence is above -1.00 and those whose index is below -1.00. A significant difference at the country level was observed only in Thailand, where students with a higher index had higher relative scores; and in Belgium, B-S-J-G (China), Germany, Korea, the Netherlands and the Slovak Republic, where students with a higher index had lower relative scores. In general, therefore, students' ICT competency did not have a strong relationship with their performance in the distinctly collaborative aspects of the assessment; any relationship could be accounted for through the cognitive skills shown in their science, reading and mathematics assessments (Table V.3.12).

Collaboration today increasingly takes place in a virtual environment, using technology that gives people sitting on different continents the ability to interact in real time. The PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment mirrors how 15-year-old students will have to collaborate in the near future. While education systems should still aim to improve their students' ICT skills, the collaborative aspects of this assessment show little relationship to students' comfort with ICT.

### Notes

1. In certain situations, after a pause of 60 or 90 seconds, students who had not selected a response were moved onto the next step in the simulation; such inactivity was recorded as an incorrect response.
2. In particular, a student has a probability of 0.62 of correctly answering an item at the same point on the scale as his or her own ability level. The width of each proficiency level (to be described below in the main text) is set so that, for a test composed entirely of questions spread uniformly across a level, all students whose scores fall within that level would be expected to answer at least half of the questions correctly. In particular, students who are at the lower score limit for a level are expected to respond correctly to 52% of the questions at this level, while students who are at the upper score limit for a level are expected to respond correctly to 70% of the questions at this level.
3. PISA scores are represented on a scale whose units do not have a substantive meaning (unlike physical units, such as metres or grams) but are set in relation to the variation in results observed across all test participants. There is theoretically no maximum or minimum score in PISA; rather, the results are scaled to have approximately normal distributions, with means around 500 and standard deviations around 100. In statistical jargon, a one-point difference on the PISA scale therefore corresponds to an effect size of 1%, and a 10-point difference to an effect size of 10%.



4. Numerous studies have attempted to identify the score-point difference equivalent to a progression of one grade level in school, or the increase in score as a student moves from, for instance, grade 9 to grade 10. This cannot be ascertained from a single PISA cycle, as 15-year-old students enrolled in grade 9 are not equivalent to 15-year-old students enrolled in grade 10 due to selection effects. Instead, two types of studies can provide a better measure of the grade-equivalence of PISA scores: longitudinal follow-up studies, where the same students who sat the PISA test are re-assessed later in their education, and cross-sectional designs, where representative samples of students are compared across adjacent age groups and grades. Unfortunately, neither of these studies was available for the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment.

5. Technically, the mean score in collaborative problem solving across OECD countries was set at 500 points and the standard deviation at 100 points, with the data weighted so that each OECD country contributed equally. The average standard deviation of the problem-solving scale across OECD countries, as reported in the Appendix tables, is less than 100 score points because it is computed as the arithmetic average of the within-country standard deviations. This reported measure does not include the performance variation between countries. The standard deviation of 100 used for standardising scores, on the other hand, is a measure of overall variation within and between OECD countries.

6. Top performers in science, reading and mathematics are defined as those students who achieve at Level 5 or 6 in those domains. As only four levels of proficiency were defined in collaborative problem solving, top performers in collaborative problem solving were defined as those students who achieve the top level of performance, Level 4.

7. This statement and similar statements in the following sections do not consider potential error margins in the percentage of students who perform at each level. In other words, the percentage of students who perform at Level 4 in these countries is not necessarily significantly higher than the percentage of students who perform at Level 4 on average in OECD countries.

8. This statement does not consider potential error margins in the percentage of students who perform at each level. In other words, the percentage of students who perform at Level 3 in these 10 countries is not necessarily significantly higher than the percentage of students who perform at Level 2 on average in OECD countries.

9. Top performance and low achievement are defined independently and represent a different set of skills for each subject. Moreover, while Levels 5 and 6 represent top performance in the core subjects, only four proficiency levels were defined for collaborative problem solving, and only Level 4 represents top performance in that subject. Hence, top performance and low achievement are not equivalent across different subjects.

10. A linear ordinary least squares regression of performance in collaborative problem solving over performance in science, reading and mathematics was performed. Thus, a student's predicted performance in collaborative problem solving was ascertained from his or her performance in science, reading and mathematics. The student's relative performance was then defined as his or her actual performance in collaborative problem solving minus his or her predicted performance in collaborative problem solving, or in other words, the residual of the regression. One of the properties of the regression, to ensure that the predictions are not biased, is that the average residual (or relative performance) is equal to 0. Student weights were adjusted so that all countries and economies contributed equally to the regression.

11. By contrast, other analyses conducted in this report and in other PISA reports typically analyse data for each country/economy separately. This would have resulted in an average residual for each country/economy of 0 and made impossible the ranking of countries/economies on the basis of their relative collaborative problem-solving score. However, in the rest of this report (Chapters 4, 5, 6 and 7), where the focus is on differences between individuals within the same country, relative scores are calculated at the country level and then regressed over other potential explanatory variables, such as demographic characteristics or school practices, as it is the change in relative score that is of interest, not the absolute value of the relative score.

12. Five countries that administered PISA 2015 on the computer did not participate in the collaborative problem-solving assessment. Among these five countries, four (the Dominican Republic, Ireland, Poland and Switzerland) administered the ICT questionnaire.

13. Self-reported indices from students in Japan and Korea are amongst the lowest across PISA-participating countries and economies, likely attributable to cultural factors. Please see *PISA 2015 Results: Students' Well-Being* (OECD, 2017b) for further information.

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## 4

# Student demographics and performance in collaborative problem solving

This chapter examines performance differences within countries and economies that can be related to the demographic and social characteristics of students and schools. The factors considered include students' gender, socio-economic status and immigrant background. The impact of student diversity on performance in collaborative problem solving is also discussed.



How does performance in collaborative problem solving relate to gender, socio-economic status and immigrant background? How do these differences compare to those observed in the three core PISA domains of science, reading and mathematics? This chapter aims to identify some of the factors that can explain the variation in performance in collaborative problem solving, both before and after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects.

### What the data tell us

- Some 38% of the variation in students' collaborative problem-solving performance can be attributed to factors unique to collaboration; the remaining 62% is shared with factors common to performance in science, reading and mathematics.
- Girls perform significantly higher than boys in collaborative problem solving in every country and economy that participated in the assessment. On average across OECD countries, girls scored 29 points higher than boys; the largest gaps of over 40 points were observed in Australia, Finland, Latvia, New Zealand and Sweden, while the smallest gaps of fewer than 10 points were observed in Colombia, Costa Rica and Peru.
- Performance in collaborative problem solving improves as students' and schools' socio-economic profile improves, although this relationship is weaker than the relationship between socio-economic profile and performance in the three core PISA subjects.
- Non-immigrant students score 36 points higher in collaborative problem solving than immigrant students, on average across OECD countries.
- No significant performance difference remains between advantaged and disadvantaged students, or between immigrant and non-immigrant students, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. However, girls still perform 25 points higher than boys after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects.

## VARIATION IN STUDENT PERFORMANCE IN COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING

### Variation in student performance within countries/economies

As discussed in Chapter 3 (Figure V.3.6 and Table V.3.1), there is considerable variation in collaborative problem-solving performance within each country/economy.<sup>1</sup>

The standard deviation summarises the distribution of performance among 15-year-olds within each country/economy in a single number (Table V.3.2). By this measure, the smallest variation in problem-solving proficiency is found in Tunisia, with a standard deviation of 59 score points, and Costa Rica, Mexico, Montenegro and Turkey, with standard deviations of under 80 score points. Among top-performing countries, both Japan and Korea have narrow spreads of performance (standard deviations of 84 and 85 score points, respectively).

At the other end of the spectrum, Australia, Canada, Finland, France, Germany, Israel, New Zealand, the United Kingdom and the United States have the largest variations in collaborative problem-solving proficiency, with standard deviations of over 100 score points. The differences in performance in these countries are therefore wider than would be expected in a diverse population of students across all 32 OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment.

### Variations in student performance within and between schools

The variation in performance within countries can be divided into a measure of performance differences between students in the same school, and a measure of performance differences between groups of students from different schools. Figure V.4.1 shows the total variance in performance within each country/economy divided into its between-school and within-school components.<sup>2</sup>

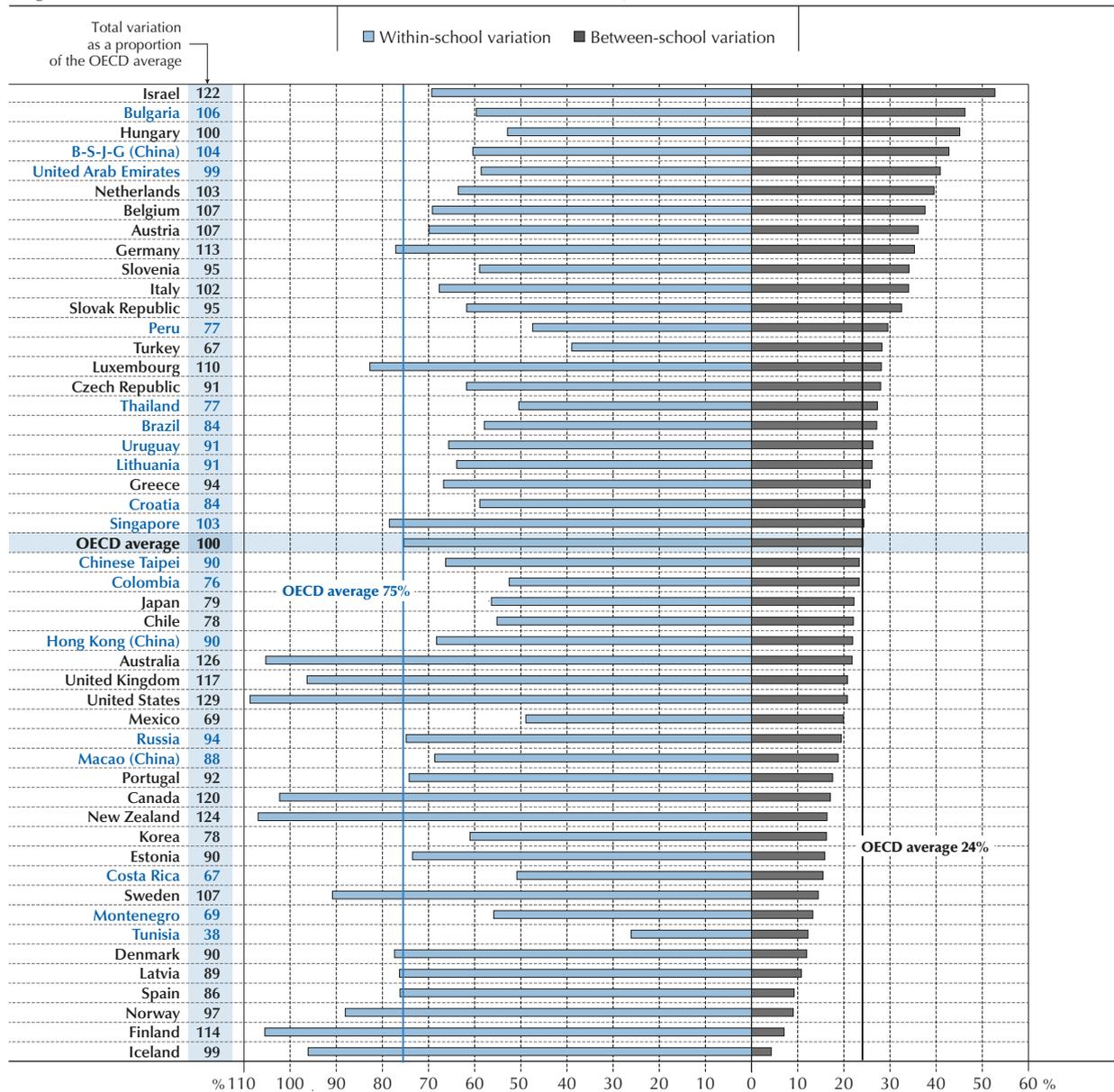
The data show that there is substantial variation in collaborative problem-solving results both within and between schools. On average across OECD countries, the variation in student performance that is observed within schools amounts to 75% of the OECD average variation in student performance. The remaining variation (24%) is due to differences in student performance between schools (Table V.4.1a).<sup>3</sup>



The variation in collaborative problem-solving performance between schools is a measure of how large “school effects” are. These school effects can be partly attributed to differences in the composition of schools and in the policies and practices that may develop or foster student performance in collaborative problem solving. The variation related to school demographics is discussed in this chapter; the variation related to policies and practices is discussed in Chapter 6.

As noted in the previous chapter, collaborative problem-solving performance is closely correlated to performance in the three core PISA subjects. Many school and neighbourhood factors foster the development of collaboration and problem-solving skills, just as they create the conditions for any type of learning. The importance of these common influences can be quantified and accounted for by separating the variation in problem-solving performance across students into a component that is shared with science, reading and mathematics performance, from a residual component, called the variation in relative performance, that measures the variation among students of similar performance in reading, mathematics and science.<sup>4</sup>

Figure V.4.1 ■ **Variation in collaborative problem-solving performance between and within schools**



Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the between-school variation in collaborative problem-solving performance, as a percentage of the total variation in performance across OECD countries.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.1a.

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Differences in student performance in science, reading and mathematics accounted for 62% of the variation in student performance in collaborative problem solving, on average across OECD countries. In other words, on average, 38% of the differences in how students performed in the collaborative problem-solving assessment were not related to common cognitive factors that also dictated performance in the science, reading and mathematics assessments. This 38% of the variation is therefore unique to collaborative problem solving. In Bulgaria, less than 30% of the performance variation in collaborative problem solving is unique to collaborative problem solving (and not shared with the three core domains), while this figure was over 50% in Costa Rica and Tunisia (Table V.4.1b).

This reduction in the total variation in collaborative problem-solving performance was largely due to the between-school component of the variation, which decreased by 86%, on average across OECD countries, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. The decrease was particularly pronounced – more than 95% – in Bulgaria, Hungary, Luxembourg and Macao (China). In these countries, students in schools with high average scores in science, reading and mathematics also perform well in collaborative problem solving. This may be because schools in these countries develop their students' collaborative problem-solving skills simultaneously with the cognitive and disciplinary skills tested in the science, reading and mathematics assessments. It might also be due to demographic factors across schools that influence performance in collaborative problem solving and in the three core domains in the same way. Once performance in the three core subjects is accounted for, the between-school variation in relative student performance accounts for only 9% of the total variation in relative student performance (compared to the 25% of total variation before performance in the three core subjects is accounted for) (Tables V.4.1a and V.4.1b).

At the same time, a significant but smaller fraction of the within-school differences in collaborative problem-solving performance (46% on average across OECD countries) cannot be accounted for by differences in performance in the core PISA subjects. This fraction exceeds 60% in Slovenia, Tunisia and Turkey. Within-school variation accounts for 91% of the total between- and within-school variation in relative performance (Table V.4.1b). This suggests that differences in the experiences, personalities and opportunities among students attending the same school are the most likely explanations for the remaining differences in performance in collaborative problem solving, after performance in science, reading and mathematics has been accounted for.

### **Differences in the variation in performance in collaborative problem solving and in science**

Figure V.4.2 compares the variation in student performance between schools in science and collaborative problem solving. To do so, it plots the intra-class correlation, defined as the proportion of between-school variation as a percentage of the overall within- and between-school variation. A higher intra-class correlation implies greater between-school variation, where schools have more of an impact on the performance of individual students.

On average across OECD countries, 25% of the overall within- and between-school variation in collaborative problem-solving performance is observed between schools.<sup>5</sup> This is smaller than the 30% of overall variation in science performance observed between schools (Figure V.4.2 and Table I.6.9 from PISA Volume I). In other words, there is relatively less between-school variation in collaborative problem-solving performance than in science performance. This means that the school a student attends is less predictive of his or her performance in the collaborative problem-solving assessment than of his or her performance in the science assessment.

The intra-class correlation for collaborative problem-solving performance is particularly low in the Nordic countries of Finland, Iceland and Norway, where less than 10% of the total variation in collaborative problem-solving performance can be explained by differences between schools (Figure V.4.2). All three of these countries perform at or above the OECD average, with Finland ranked between second and seventh among all OECD countries (see Figures V.3.3 and V.3.4 in Chapter 3).

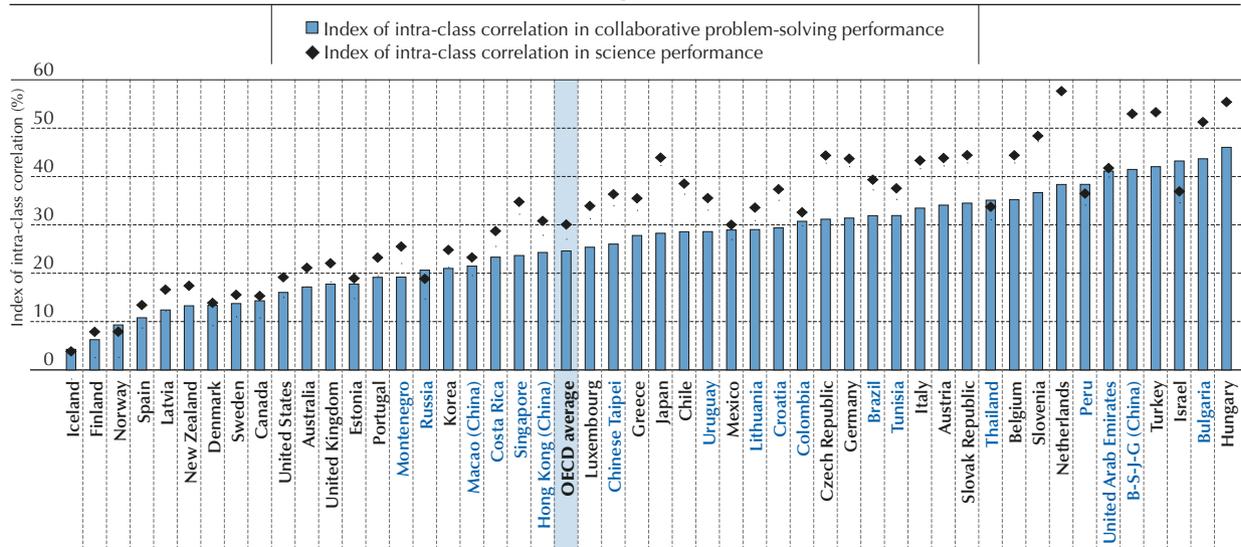
By contrast, the intra-class correlation for collaborative problem-solving performance is above 40% in Beijing-Shanghai-Jiangsu-Guangdong (China) (hereafter “B-S-J-G [China]”), Bulgaria, Hungary, Israel, Turkey and the United Arab Emirates (Figure V.4.2). With the exception of B-S-J-G (China), all of these countries perform below the OECD average in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.3.3).

In most OECD and partner countries and economies, the intra-class correlation for collaborative problem-solving performance is less than that for science performance, indicating that at the level of the individual country or economy, the school that a student attends is more predictive of his or her performance in science than of his or her performance



in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.4.2).<sup>6</sup> However, this is not the case in Israel (37% vs 43%), and to a lesser extent in Iceland, Norway, Peru, the Russian Federation (hereafter “Russia”) and Thailand. In these countries, school effects are larger in collaborative problem solving than in science.

Figure V.4.2 ■ **Index of intra-class correlation in collaborative problem-solving and science performance**



Notes: The intra-class correlation is the variation in student performance between schools, divided by the sum of the variation in student performance between schools and the variation in student performance within schools, and multiplied by 100.

Only countries and economies with available data for collaborative problem-solving and science performance are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of the index of intra-class correlation in collaborative problem-solving performance.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables I.6.9 and V.4.1a.

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## DIFFERENCES IN COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING RELATED TO GENDER

*PISA 2015 Results (Volume I)* (OECD, 2016) examines gender differences in science, reading and mathematics performance. Unlike the assessments of the core PISA subjects, the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is not a measure of individual differences in academic aptitude; rather, it aims to quantify interpersonal skills. Given that boys and girls are raised differently and face different societal expectations, the genders are likely to develop different collaboration skills by the age of 15.

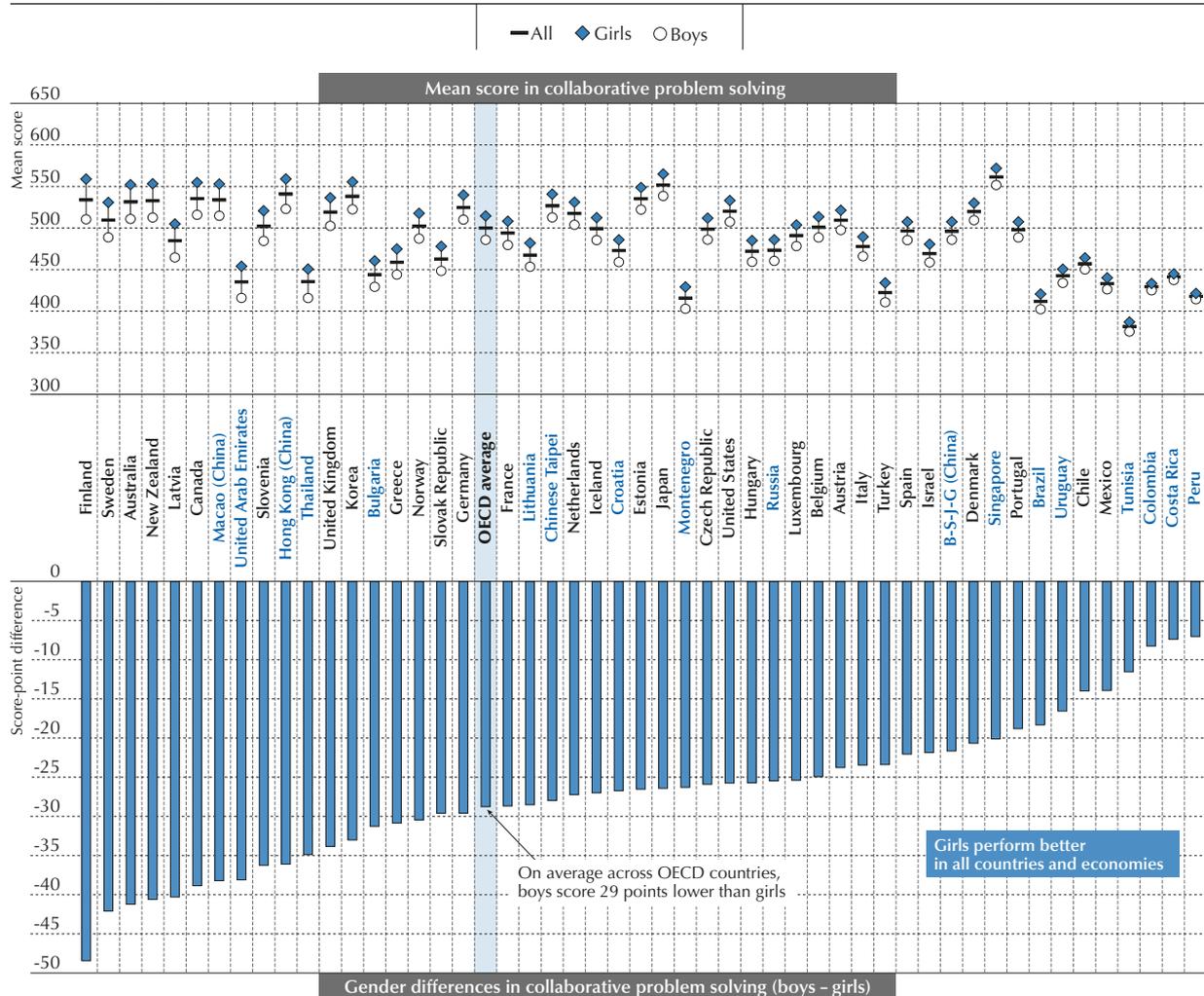
Schmitt et al. (2008) found gender differences in the Big Five personality traits (openness to experience, conscientiousness, extraversion, agreeableness and neuroticism) across a variety of cultures. Co-operative and collaborative behaviour is often explained through agreeableness and conscientiousness.<sup>7</sup> Students who are agreeable are willing to compromise, while students who are conscientious take the perspectives of other group members into consideration and display responsibility towards others and towards solving the problem.

Women were significantly more agreeable and more conscientious than men in most countries. Among the 55 countries the researchers examined, women were more agreeable than men in 34 countries; only in Korea were men found to be significantly more agreeable than women. Likewise, women were more conscientious than men in 23 countries, while men were more conscientious than women only in India and Botswana (Schmitt et al., 2008). In most countries, the sample was comprised of college students, although some countries also included subjects from the general community.

Figure V.4.3 plots the mean performance of boys and girls in collaborative problem solving and shows the difference in their performance. Girls outperform boys in collaborative problem solving by 29 score points (515 points compared with 486 points, on average across OECD countries). Furthermore, in every country/economy that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, girls significantly outperform boys. The differences are greatest in Australia, Finland, Latvia, New Zealand and Sweden, where girls score over 40 points higher than boys, on average. Girls outperform boys by less than 10 points in Colombia, Costa Rica and Peru, but these differences are still statistically significant.

The standard deviation in collaborative problem-solving performance among boys is also greater (96 score points) than that among girls (91 score points) (Table V.4.3a), similar to what is observed in all subjects tested in PISA. This difference is significant and positive in 24 out of the 51 countries and economies that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment. It is greatest in Macao (China), where the standard deviation among boys was 11 points greater than the standard deviation among girls. In no country did girls' performance show a higher standard deviation than boys' performance.

Figure V.4.3 ■ Gender differences in collaborative problem-solving performance



Note: All gender differences in collaborative problem-solving performance are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between boys and girls.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.4.1a and V.4.3a.

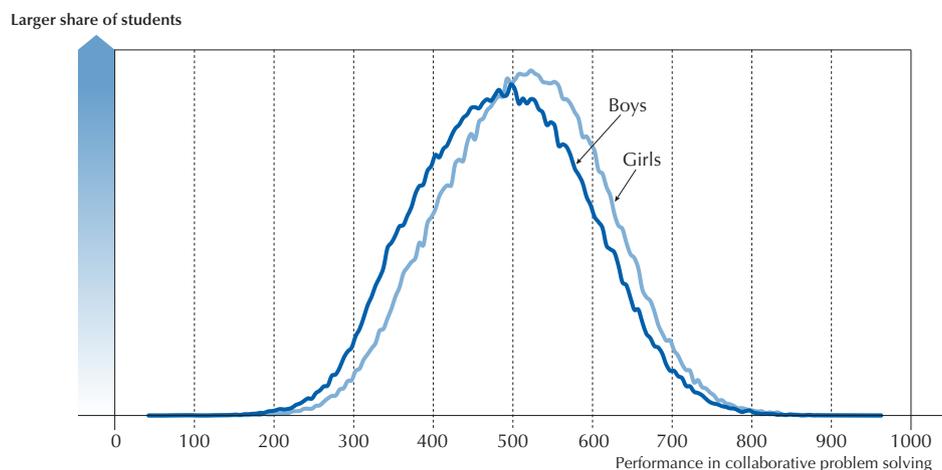
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A greater standard deviation and lower mean performance among boys strongly implies that more boys than girls are found at the bottom range of the performance scale, both across OECD countries and in most countries/economies. This can be seen in Figure V.4.4, which plots the distribution of the scores of boys and girls in OECD countries. Boys have a greater density than girls at lower scores, while the opposite is observed at higher scores. On average across OECD countries, girls are 1.6 times more likely than boys to be top performers (Level 4) in collaborative problem solving, while boys are 1.6 times more likely than girls to be low achievers (below Level 2). The difference is even starker when examining students who score below Level 1: boys are 2.2 times more likely to score at this level than girls. In no country or economy are boys more likely than girls to be top performers, and in every country or economy, boys are more likely than girls to be low performers (Table V.4.2).



These findings contrast with the gender differences observed in individual problem solving as discussed in *PISA 2012 Results: Creative Problem Solving (Volume V)* (OECD, 2014). In that assessment, boys scored 7 points higher than girls in individual problem solving, on average across OECD countries, and were 1.5 times more likely than girls to be top performers. Although different groups of students were measured in 2012 and 2015 and the assessments are not directly comparable to one another, the results suggest that it is the collaborative component of the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment that favours girls.

Figure V.4.4 ■ **Distribution of proficiency in collaborative problem solving, by gender**  
OECD average



**Note:** This figure is a histogram of performance using an interval size of five score points.

**Source:** OECD, PISA 2015 Database.

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### How gender differences in collaborative problem-solving performance compare to gender differences in science, reading and mathematics performance

The larger variation in performance among boys, compared to the variation observed among girls, is not unique to collaborative problem solving; it is observed across all PISA assessments. The performance variation observed among boys is between 6 and 9 points wider than that among girls in the three core domains (Table V.4.3a and Tables I.2.7, I.4.7 and I.5.7 from PISA Volume I).

Given that the variation in scores differs both across countries and across subjects, absolute differences in performance related to gender may not be directly comparable across countries. For example, although girls might outperform boys by 20 score points in two different countries, this gap is more substantial when the standard deviation in the entire population of students is only 40 score points than when it is 100 score points, as gender differences explain a larger proportion of the overall variation in performance in the former country.

The gender effect size in each country/economy is thus calculated as the gap between the mean performance of boys and girls divided by the standard deviation in performance among all students in the country/economy. Gender effects will therefore be stronger in countries with low standard deviations in performance.<sup>8</sup> In the example above, the country with a 40 score-point standard deviation in performance will have a larger gender effect size than the country with a 100 score-point standard deviation.

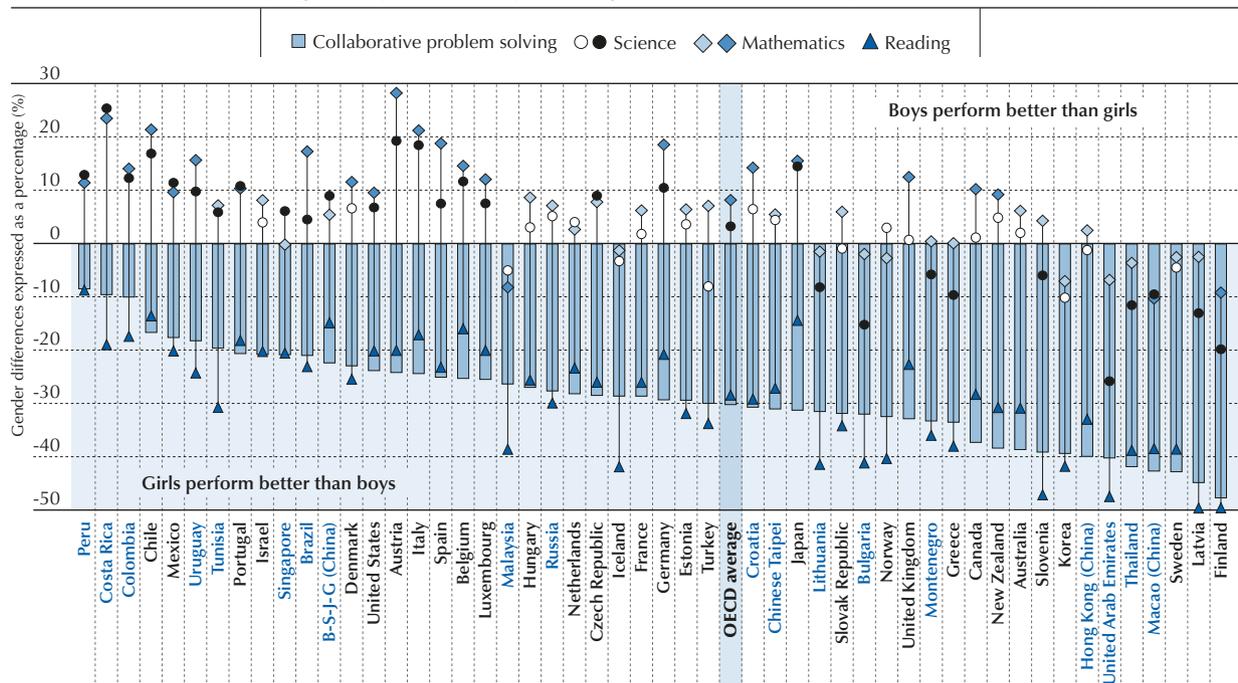
By this measure, the average gender effect size across OECD countries is -0.30; in other words, girls outperform boys by an average of 30% of a within-country standard deviation (Figure V.4.5). As is the case with absolute (score-point) gender gaps in performance, these gender effects are significant and in favour of girls in every country and economy that participated in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment. Gender effects are particularly large in Finland, where girls outperform boys by 48% of a standard deviation. In Latvia, Macao (China), Sweden, Thailand and the United Arab Emirates, girls also outperform boys by over 40% of a standard deviation. By contrast, girls outperform boys by less than 10% of a standard deviation in the Latin American countries of Colombia, Costa Rica and Peru (Table V.4.5).

Across the core subjects assessed by PISA, gender differences in mean performance vary greatly. Girls outperform boys in reading but boys outperform girls in mathematics and science. The advantage of girls in reading is 28% of the standard deviation in performance, on average across OECD countries, while the advantage of boys in science is 4% and in mathematics 9% of the standard deviation (Table V.4.5 and Figure V.4.5).<sup>9</sup> The gender effect between boys and girls is also significantly more pronounced in favour of girls in collaborative problem solving than in reading.

Given the high correlations between performance in the three core PISA subjects and performance in collaborative problem solving, and the far larger magnitude of the gender effect in reading than in either science or mathematics, it might be tempting to view gender differences in collaborative problem-solving performance as related to gender differences in reading. But the gender gaps are still large and significant in favour of girls after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics (Table V.4.3b). In other words, girls' advantage in reading literacy does not fully explain their advantage in collaborative problem solving.

Figure V.4.5 ■ **Gender differences in collaborative problem-solving, science, reading and mathematics performance**

Gender differences (boys-girls) expressed as a percentage of the within-country standard deviation in performance



Notes: Statistically significant gender differences are shown in a darker tone. All gender differences in collaborative problem-solving and reading performance are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

The figure reports negative percentages when girls perform better than boys.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the difference between boys and girls in collaborative problem-solving performance.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.5.

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After accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, girls still outperform boys in collaborative problem solving by 25 score points, on average across OECD countries, and this performance gap is significant and in favour of girls in every country and economy that participated in the assessment (Table V.4.3b). The difference is largest in Australia, Austria, Canada, Germany, Italy and New Zealand, where girls outperform boys by over 30 score points after accounting for performance in the three core domains. However, in, Bulgaria, Costa Rica, Iceland, Malaysia, Peru, Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates, the difference is only between 10 and 15 score points.

Related gender differences have been observed across a variety of cultures. For example, Guiller and Durdell (2006) found that female university students in Scotland are more likely than their male counterparts to make positive statements, attenuated statements (i.e. statements with qualifiers or statements posed as questions), and to agree with their group partners when taking part in online discussion groups, while male students are more likely to use authoritative and

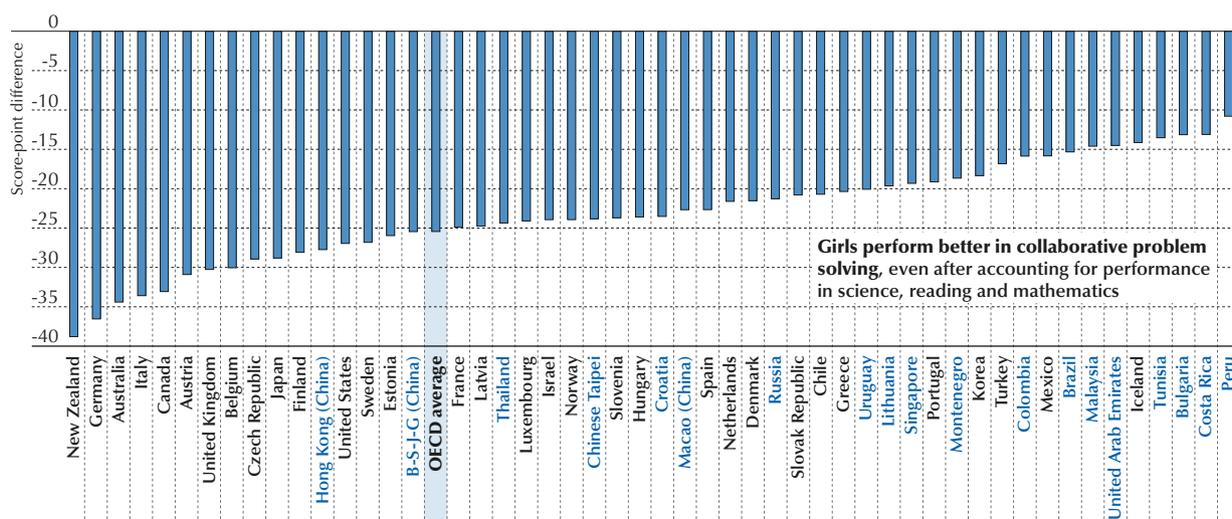


negative language. Strong performance in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is not synonymous with agreement and using hedging or apologetic language, as some of the released items in the unit *Xandar* required students to monitor and correct group members' actions. However, the credited responses in the released units generally did involve the use of non-aggressive language to advance the situation.

Other studies have examined boys and girls working in same-sex pairs and groups and found that although boys might have been more efficient in completing tasks and emphasised finding the necessary information as quickly as possible, girls exhibited more co-operative behaviour, talked to each other more, and often showed more enthusiasm about the task (Burdick, 1996, with American high school students; Large, Beheshti and Rahman, 2002, with Canadian 11-year-olds; Leong and Al-Hawamdeh, 1999, with Singaporean 11-year-olds).

Gender differences might be even more pronounced in face-to-face instances of collaborative problem solving, where students must decode the facial and emotional responses of their group members. Girls have been found to be more receptive to and better at interpreting nonverbal cues than boys (Hall and Matsumoto, 2004; Klein and Hodges, 2001; Rosip and Hall, 2004), which might give them an advantage when interacting with people.

Figure V.4.6 ■ **Gender differences in relative performance in collaborative problem solving**  
*Differences in collaborative problem-solving performance (boys–girls) after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics*



Note: All gender differences are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of the score-point difference in relative collaborative problem-solving performance between boys and girls.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.3b.

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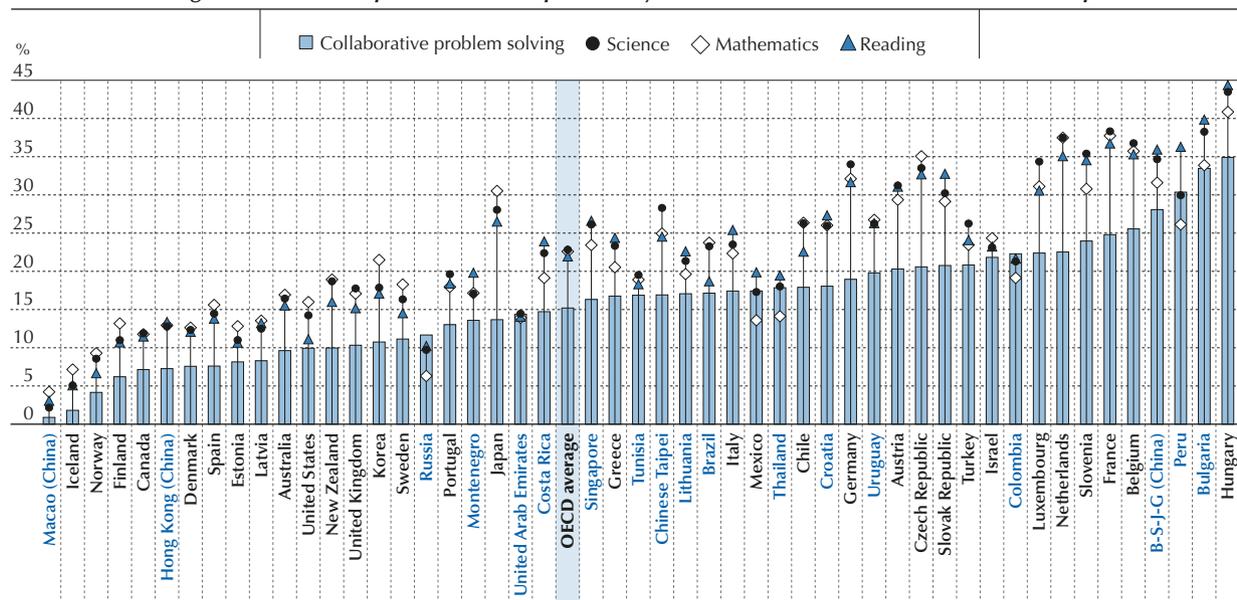
Most research on the interplay between gender and collaboration has focussed on same-gender or mixed-gender groups of students who interact in person. However, in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment, a student interacted with two or more computer agents who, while having been assigned names that reflect a certain gender, are not physically identifiable as boys or girls. This raises questions about the extent to which the gender of one's group members matters when collaborating in an online and somewhat anonymous environment. Unfortunately, this is beyond the scope of the data available from the PISA 2015 assessment, as the computer agents always included at least one boy and one girl, eliminating any variation in group composition.

## THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PERFORMANCE IN COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC STATUS

Unsurprisingly, socio-economic status – as measured in PISA by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS)<sup>10</sup> – relates positively to performance in problem solving, as it does to performance in all domains assessed in PISA. But does the relationship between socio-economic status and performance differ across domains?

In general, the percentage of the variation in performance explained by socio-economic disparities at both the student and school levels is similar for science (the average across OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment is 23%), reading (22%) and mathematics (23%).<sup>11</sup> Figure V.4.7 shows that this relationship is weaker in collaborative problem solving than in the three other domains. Still, even in collaborative problem solving, about 15% of the variation in performance can be explained by differences in socio-economic status. A higher position on the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status might be associated with greater academic enrichment opportunities, leading to disparities in performance in the cognitive domains. However, opportunities to collaborate and co-operate arise in all social and economic contexts, which could lead to a reduction in the extent to which socio-economic status is related to performance in collaborative problem solving.

Figure V.4.7 ■ **How well socio-economic status predicts performance in four PISA subjects**  
Percentage of variation in performance explained by students' and schools' socio-economic profile



Note: The socio-economic status is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of how well socio-economic status predicts performance in collaborative problem solving.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.13f.

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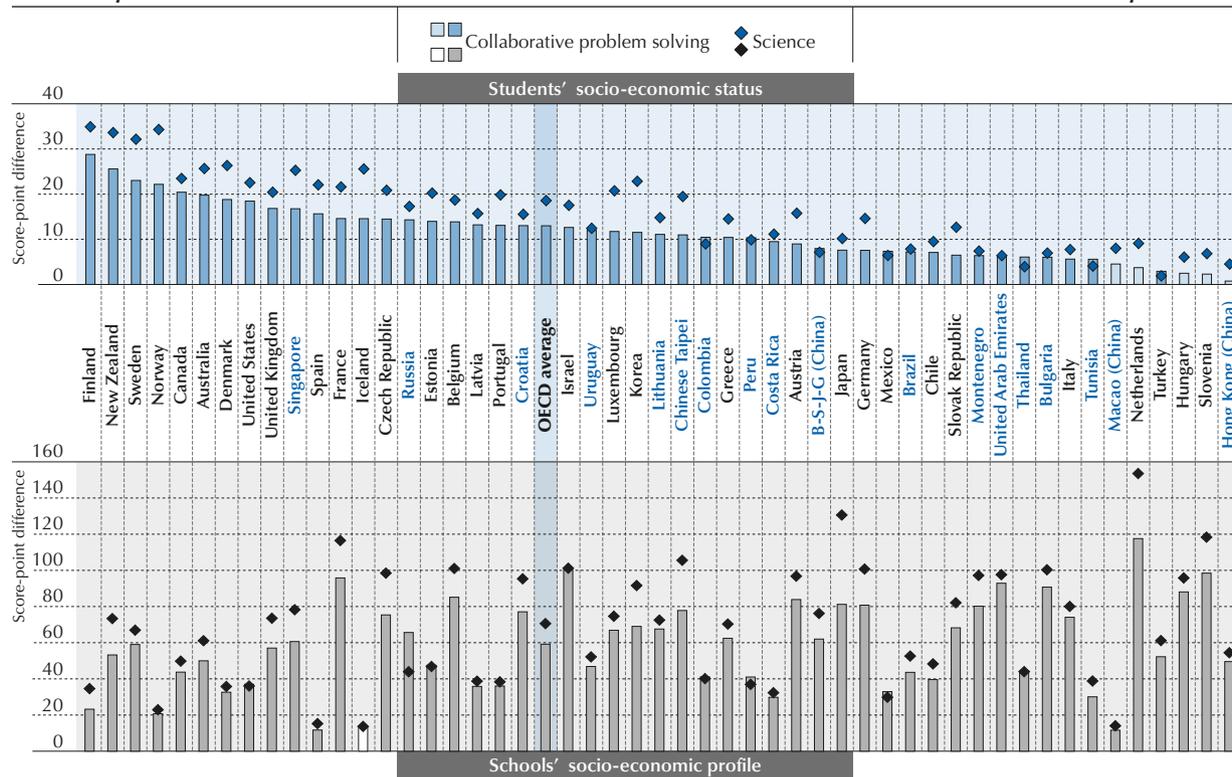
The relationship between socio-economic status and science performance is stronger than that between socio-economic status and collaborative problem-solving performance in 43 out of 51 countries/economies for which data are available. In the remaining countries, the difference in the strengths of the relationships is not statistically significant (Table V.4.13f).

On average across OECD countries, a one-unit increase in a student's socio-economic status – while holding the school socio-economic profile constant – is associated with an increase in his or her collaborative problem-solving score of 13 points, while a one-unit increase in the average socio-economic profile of the student's school is associated with a 59 score-point increase in his or her score (Figure V.4.8 and Table V.4.13e). In other words, within the same school, students score 13 score points higher, on average, when their socio-economic status is one unit higher. However, for two students with the same socio-economic status, there is a 59 score-point increase in collaborative problem-solving performance if the school socio-economic profile is also one unit higher.<sup>12</sup>

The relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and socio-economic status is positive in almost every country/economy that participated in the assessment. In Hong Kong (China), Hungary, Macao (China), the Netherlands and Slovenia, the relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and student socio-economic status is insignificant when simultaneously accounting for school socio-economic profile. In other words, in these countries and economies, there is no significant relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and student socio-economic status within schools, but there are differences between schools with different socio-economic profiles.

Figure V.4.8 ■ **Impact of socio-economic status on performance in collaborative problem solving and in science**

Score-point difference associated with a one-unit increase in students' and schools' socio-economic profile<sup>1</sup>



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

**Notes:** Statistically significant score-point differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

All score-point differences in science performance are statistically significant.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem-solving performance associated with students' socio-economic status.

**Source:** OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.13e.

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By contrast, in Iceland, the relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and school socio-economic profile, when simultaneously accounting for student socio-economic status, is insignificant. In other words, in Iceland, there are no significant between-school differences in collaborative problem-solving performance related to socio-economic status. All such differences can be attributed to disparities between students in the same school.

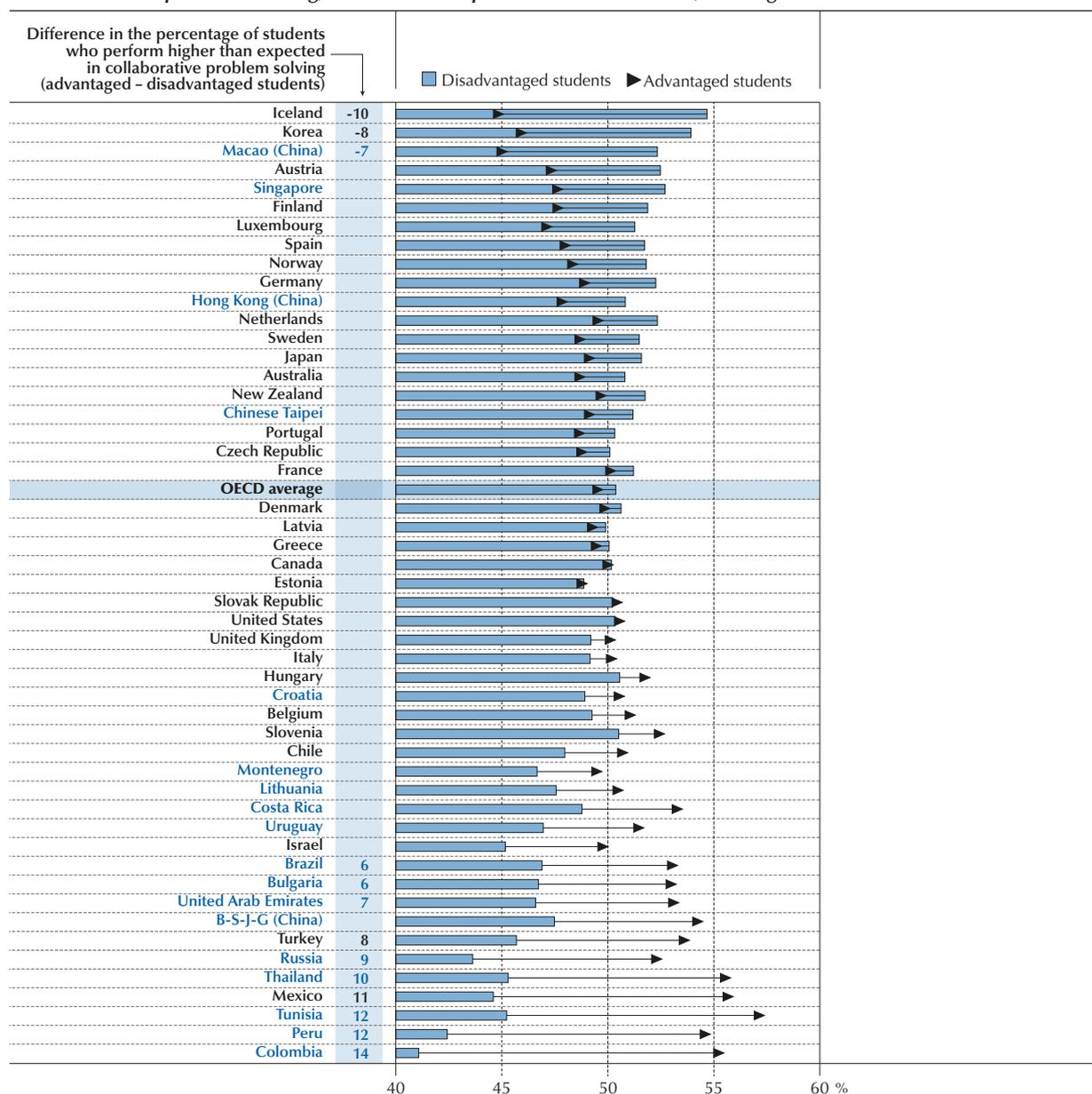
The score-point improvements associated with a one-point increase in the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status are smaller in collaborative problem solving than in science, reading and mathematics. On average across OECD countries (that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment), a one-point increase in students' socio-economic status is associated with a 13-point improvement in collaborative problem-solving performance, compared to between 17 and 19 points in the three core PISA subjects. A one-point increase in schools' socio-economic profile is associated with a 59-point improvement in collaborative problem-solving performance compared to between 66 and 73 points in the three core PISA subjects (Table V.4.13e and Figure V.4.8).

The weaker magnitude of the relationship is also reflected in the socio-economic effect size, which scales the score-point difference associated with differences in socio-economic status by the variation in performance observed in each country. In other words, socio-economic status is associated with a smaller increase in performance in collaborative problem solving, relative to the performance of other students in the same country or economy, than in the three core PISA subjects. The one exception is in Russia, where the school socio-economic effect size in collaborative problem solving is significantly larger than that in science and mathematics. There, a one-unit increase in school socio-economic profile results in a relatively larger improvement in collaborative problem-solving performance than in science and mathematics performance (Table V.4.13e).

It is not immediately obvious whether differences in collaborative problem-solving performance related to socio-economic status are unique to the domain or whether they are common across the three core PISA domains. The relationships between the distinctive aspects of collaborative problem solving and socio-economic status can be elucidated using the relative scores in collaborative problem solving after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics.

On average across OECD countries, there is no significant difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between advantaged and disadvantaged students – defined as those students who are in the top and bottom quarter of socio-economic status within a country – once performance in science, reading and mathematics has been accounted for (Figure V.4.9).

Figure V.4.9 ■ **Relative performance in collaborative problem solving, by socio-economic status**  
Percentage of advantaged<sup>1</sup> and disadvantaged<sup>2</sup> students who score higher than expected in collaborative problem solving, based on their performance in science, reading and mathematics



1. Advantaged students are those who rank in the top quarter nationally of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Disadvantaged students are those who rank in the bottom quarter nationally of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of the difference between advantaged and disadvantaged students who score higher than expected in collaborative problem solving (advantaged - disadvantaged), based on their scores in science, reading and mathematics.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.10.

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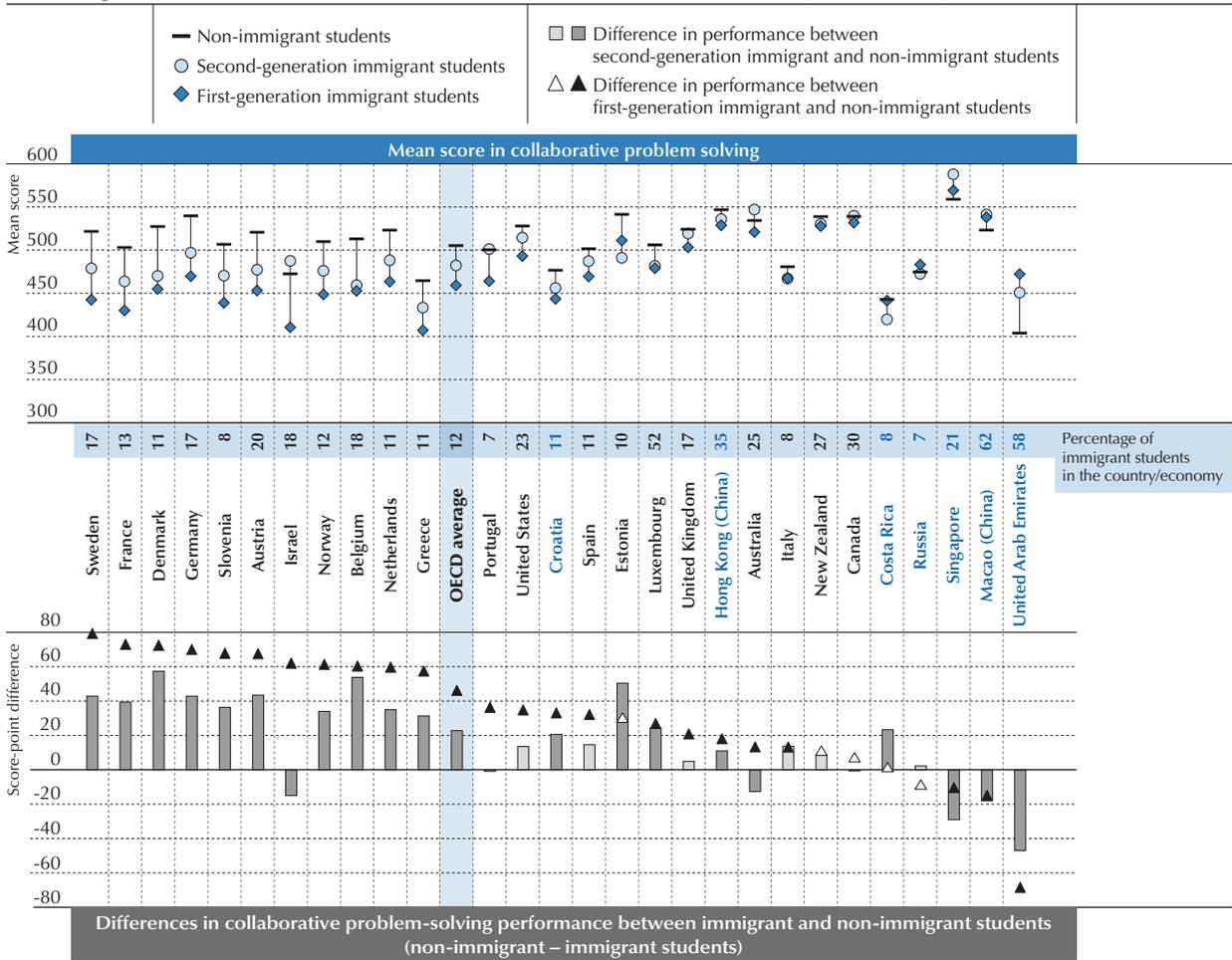


Some 50% of both advantaged and disadvantaged students perform better in collaborative problem solving than would have been expected on the basis of their science, reading and mathematics scores. Significant differences are observed in Iceland, Korea and Macao (China), where disadvantaged students are between 7 and 10 percentage points more likely than advantaged students to perform above expectations; and in Brazil, Bulgaria, Colombia, Mexico, Peru, Russia, Thailand, Tunisia, Turkey and the United Arab Emirates, where advantaged students are between 6 and 15 percentage points more likely than disadvantaged students to perform above expectations.

**IMMIGRANT BACKGROUND AND COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING PERFORMANCE**

In many countries and economies, children of immigrants are more at risk of low performance in academic subjects than the children of parents who were born in the country or economy. A gap in collaborative problem-solving performance between immigrant and non-immigrant students is also observed: on average across OECD countries, the children of immigrants score 36 points lower than non-immigrant students. However, in Macao (China), Singapore and the United Arab Emirates, immigrant students score better than non-immigrant students in collaborative problem solving (Table V.4.14a). The largest gaps in performance are observed in Denmark, where immigrant students score more than 60 points lower than non-immigrant students, and in Austria, Belgium, France and Sweden, where immigrant students score between 50 and 60 points lower than non-immigrant students.<sup>13</sup>

Figure V.4.10 ■ Performance in collaborative problem solving, by immigrant background



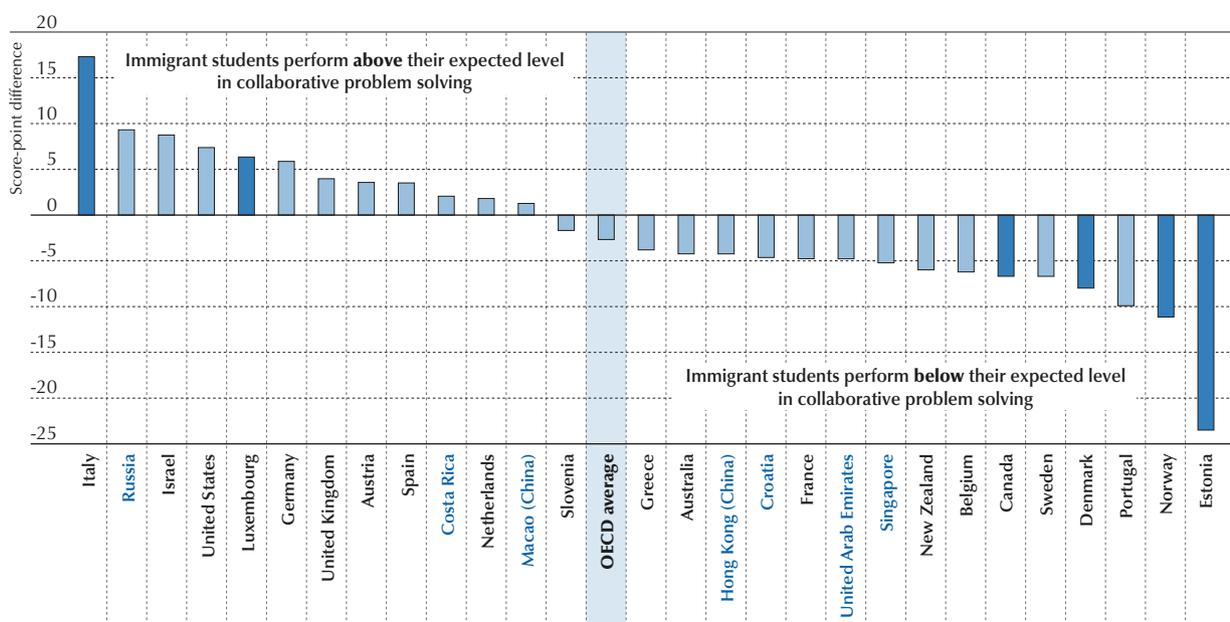
**Notes:** Only countries and economies where the percentage of immigrant students is higher than 6.25% in 2015 are shown. Statistically significant differences between first- and second-generation immigrant students and non-immigrant students are shown in darker tones (see Annex A3).  
 Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem solving between first-generation immigrant students and non-immigrant students.  
 Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.14a.  
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Performance differences are particularly large between non-immigrant and first-generation immigrant students, where the average gap across OECD countries is 46 score points. In comparison, non-immigrant students score 23 points higher in collaborative problem solving than second-generation immigrant students (Figure V.4.10).

Performance differences related to immigrant background are observed even after accounting for gender and socio-economic status. After accounting for these two factors, immigrant students still score 26 points below non-immigrant students, on average across OECD countries. A 14-point performance gap remains after further accounting for the language spoken at home.

However, accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics produces inconclusive results. On average across OECD countries, there is no significant difference between immigrant and non-immigrant students after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects. Immigrants in Canada, Denmark, Estonia and Norway still perform worse than non-immigrant students, while in Italy and Luxembourg, they perform better than non-immigrant students. The significant performance gap in favour of immigrant students in Macao (China), Singapore and the United Arab Emirates disappears as immigrant students in these countries also perform better in science, reading and mathematics (Figure V.4.11). These results imply that in many participating countries and economies, a large part of the difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between immigrant and non-immigrant students can be attributed to factors related to differences in performance in science, reading and mathematics and not to factors unique to collaborative problem solving.

Figure V.4.11 ■ **Relative performance in collaborative problem solving, by immigrant background**  
Score-point difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between immigrant and non-immigrant students who perform similarly in science, reading and mathematics



Notes: Only countries and economies where the percentage of immigrant students is higher than 6.25% in 2015 are shown.

Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between immigrant and non-immigrant students who perform similarly in science, reading and mathematics.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.14b.

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The immigrant effect, as calculated by dividing the performance gap between immigrant and non-immigrant students by the standard deviation in performance in each country and for each subject, is 0.38 standard deviation, on average across OECD countries, for collaborative problem solving. This is below the immigrant effect size observed in science (0.47 standard deviation), reading (0.42 standard deviation) and mathematics (0.42 standard deviation).<sup>14</sup> In other words, the relative difference in performance between immigrants and non-immigrants is significantly larger in science, reading and mathematics performance than in collaborative problem-solving performance (Table V.4.17a).



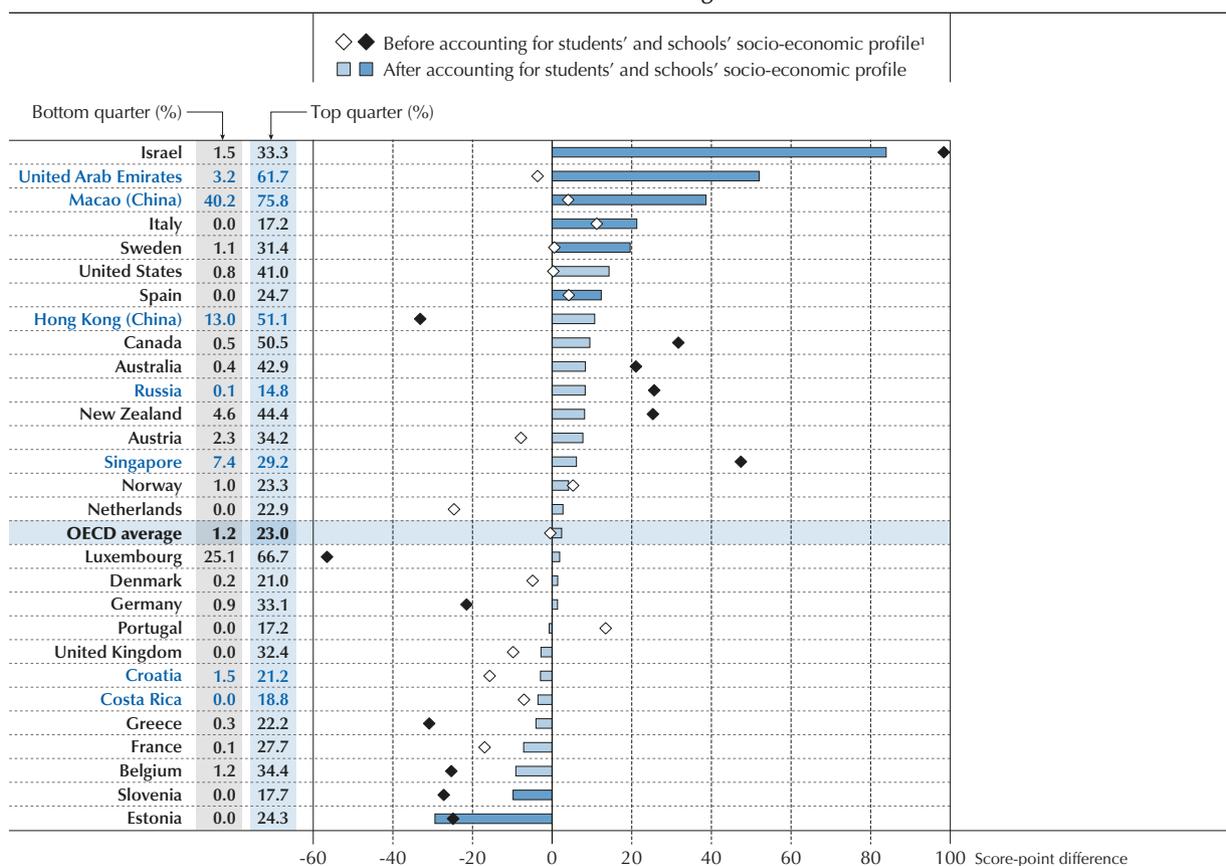
## DIVERSITY WITHIN SCHOOLS AND PERFORMANCE IN COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING

A student's performance in collaborative problem solving is not necessarily only related to his or her own characteristics. Collaboration and co-operation are practical skills that students develop through interactions with other students. It is possible that students who are exposed to a variety of backgrounds unlike their own might develop a greater range of interpersonal skills and perform better in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment. Such diversity in backgrounds might include both socio-economic and immigrant diversity.

On average across OECD countries, the average non-immigrant student attends a school where 10%<sup>15</sup> of 15-year-old students are immigrant students (Table V.4.22). This proportion varies from over 40% of students in Luxembourg and Macao (China) and over 30% in Hong Kong (China) and Qatar to less than 0.5% of students in B-S-J-G (China), Japan, Korea, Peru, Poland and Chinese Taipei. In addition, immigrant students are not distributed uniformly across schools in a system. In schools that are in the top quarter in their country in the concentration of immigrant students, a non-immigrant student attends a school where an average of 23% of the students are immigrants; but in schools that are in the bottom quarter in this measure, only 1.5%<sup>16</sup> of the students are immigrants.

Figure V.4.12 ■ Performance in collaborative problem solving, by concentration of immigrants in school

Difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between the top and the bottom quarters of the concentration of immigrant students



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Notes: The school-level proportion of immigrant students is the proportion of students in each school who have an immigrant background. The percentages of students in the top and the bottom quarters of the concentration of immigrant students are shown next to the country/economy name. Only countries and economies where the percentage of immigrant students is higher than 6.25% are shown. Statistically significant score-point differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the difference in collaborative problem-solving performance, after accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.4.22.

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On average across OECD countries, there is no difference in the performance of non-immigrant students between those in schools with large numbers of immigrant students and those in schools with low numbers of immigrant students (Figure V.4.12). However, this difference becomes significant after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics: non-immigrant students in a more diverse environment score higher than their non-immigrant peers with similar performance in science, reading and mathematics but in a less diverse environment. At the country level, the difference after accounting for performance in the three core subjects is significant only in Israel and Russia, both of which have sizeable immigrant populations (Table V.4.22).

Perhaps surprisingly, given the paucity of significant results regarding immigrant concentration in schools, non-immigrant students who speak the language of assessment at home perform worse in collaborative problem solving if they attend schools with large numbers of students who do not speak the test language at home (Table V.4.23). On average across OECD countries, there is a 15-point gap in favour of students exposed to less linguistic diversity, before accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. The gap is particularly large in Belgium, Bulgaria, Italy and Singapore, where it exceeds 50 points. However, the gap is reduced to only 3 points after accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, indicating that it is not linguistic diversity itself but rather the tendency that such diversity is correlated to a lower socio-economic profile that accounts for much of this performance discrepancy. In Canada, Sweden and the United Arab Emirates, greater linguistic diversity at school is associated with higher collaborative problem-solving performance among non-immigrant students who speak the test language at home, after accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile.

Similar results are seen when diversity is measured as the school-level variation in socio-economic status, or the proportion of advantaged or disadvantaged students, or students with special needs in individual schools (Tables V.4.20, V.4.21a, V.4.21b and V.4.24). There appears to be no significant relationship between diversity and the uniquely collaborative aspects of the collaborative problem-solving assessment, after the relationship between diversity and socio-economic profile has been accounted for.<sup>17</sup>



## Notes

1. Scores in collaborative problem solving were scaled so as to set the mean across all OECD countries at 500 score points and the standard deviation across all OECD countries at 100 score points. This standard deviation combines the within-country variation in performance with the between-country variation in mean performance. As OECD countries differ in mean collaborative problem-solving performance, the within-country variation in performance is therefore expected to be, for most countries, below 100 score points.
2. The standard deviation in performance within a country/economy is the square root of the variation (also called the variance) of performance in the country/economy.
3. Due to the unbalanced and clustered nature of the data, the sum of the between- and within-school components of variation in performance, as an estimate from a sample, does not necessarily add up to the total variation in performance.
4. Relative collaborative problem-solving performance is calculated by an ordinary least squares regression of collaborative problem-solving performance over performance in science, reading and mathematics. In Chapter 3, the regression is performed at the international level in order to rank countries and economies. In Chapters 4, 5, 6 and 7, the regression is performed at the individual country or economy level, as the focus is on factors related to differential performance within each country/economy. This results in an average residual of 0 for each country/economy.
5. The 25% in this paragraph refers to the ratio of the between-school variation and the sum of the within-school and between-school variation. The 24% referenced earlier is the ratio of the between-school variation and the total variation. Due to the unbalanced and clustered nature of the data, the total variation does not equal the sum of the within- and between-school variations.
6. The significance of the difference in the intra-class correlations in collaborative problem-solving and science performance has not been formally tested.
7. “Collaboration” and “co-operation” are used synonymously throughout this report.
8. This may also make for a fairer comparison between countries at different ends of the performance scale. In particular, countries with low mean performance might have lower standard deviations as they will have few high-achieving students, while countries with higher mean performance will have higher standard deviations because in addition to having large numbers of top performers, they will often have significant numbers of lower performers. As a result, countries with low mean performance will typically have smaller gaps between different groups of students. This is normalised by dividing by the standard deviation.
9. On average across the OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, boys out-performed girls by 3% of the standard deviation in science and 8% of the standard deviation in mathematics.
10. The PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS) is derived from several variables related to students’ family background: parents’ education, parents’ occupations, a number of home possessions that proxy for material wealth, and the number of books and other educational resources available in the home.
11. On average across all OECD countries, disparities in students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile explain 22% of the variation in science, reading and mathematics performance.
12. The score-point increase associated with school socio-economic profile is noticeably larger than that associated with student socio-economic status. However, a one-point increase in school socio-economic profile is equivalent to a one-point increase in each student’s socio-economic status, entailing a more wide-reaching change in demographics.
13. PISA only presents data for countries where at least 1 in every 16 students (or 6.25% of students) have an immigrant background.
14. On average across all OECD countries, the immigrant effect size related to performance in science was 44% of a standard deviation in performance. The immigrant effect sizes related to performance in reading and mathematics were 40% and 39% of a standard deviation, respectively.
15. On average across the OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, non-immigrant students attend schools in which 9% of students are immigrants.
16. On average across the OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, students in schools that are in the bottom quarter of the concentration of immigrant students attend schools in which 1.2% of students are immigrants.
17. The correlation between school-level diversity in students’ socio-economic status and school-level socio-economic status is -0.32, on average across OECD countries. In other words, schools that have greater levels of socio-economic diversity also tend to be worse off. The negative correlation is particularly strong in Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires (Argentina), Israel, Luxembourg, Qatar and Singapore, where it is stronger than -0.70. Hence, accounting for students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile will already remove much of the variation in school-level socio-economic diversity.



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## 5

# Students' attitudes towards collaboration

This chapter describes responses to the student questionnaire, in which students were asked about eight facets of their attitudes towards collaboration. The chapter then looks at differences in these attitudes between different groups of students, and the relationship between attitudes towards collaboration and other attitudes towards learning and school discussed in *PISA 2015 Results (Volume III): Students' Well-Being* (OECD, 2017). It concludes by examining the relationship between attitudes towards collaboration and performance in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment.



Do students enjoy working with other students? Do they listen well to others? If students will be increasingly required to collaborate and co-operate with others in order to achieve goals in their professional and personal lives, then schools can help students develop not just the interpersonal skills needed to work together, but also positive attitudes towards collaboration.

### What the data tell us

- Students in every country and economy have generally positive attitudes towards collaboration. Over 85% of students, on average across OECD countries, agree with the statements “I am a good listener”, “I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful”, “I take into account what others are interested in”, “I enjoy considering different perspectives”, and “I enjoy co-operating with peers”.
- Girls in almost every country and economy tend to value relationships more than boys, while boys in a majority of countries and economies tend to value teamwork more than girls.
- Advantaged students in almost every country and economy tend to value relationships more than disadvantaged students, while disadvantaged students in most countries and economies tend to value teamwork more than advantaged students.
- Attitudes towards collaborative problem solving are generally positively but weakly correlated with indices of well-being.
- Students who value relationships tend to perform higher in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, while students who value teamwork tend to perform worse. However, once performance in the science, reading and mathematics assessments, gender, and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile is accounted for, both students who value relationships and students who value teamwork tend to perform better in collaborative problem solving.

## ATTITUDES TOWARDS COLLABORATION

The PISA 2015 student questionnaire asks students whether they strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with eight statements related to their attitudes towards collaboration:

- I prefer working as part of a team to working alone.
- I am a good listener.
- I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful.
- I take into account what others are interested in.
- I find that teams make better decisions than individuals.
- I enjoy considering different perspectives.
- I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency.
- I enjoy co-operating with peers.

On average across OECD countries, the percentage of students who reported that they agree or strongly agree with these statements ranges from 67% for “I prefer working as part of a team to working alone” and 70% for “I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency” to 87% for “I am a good listener,” “I enjoy considering different perspectives”, and “I enjoy co-operating with peers”, and 88% for “I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful” (Figure V.5.1). It is not possible to determine the extent to which these responses reflect whether students actually hold these attitudes towards collaboration or whether they act accordingly in real life.

In almost all OECD and partner countries and economies, the majority of students reported that they either agree or strongly agree with these statements. In fact, there are only two exceptions: only 48% of students in Turkey and 44% of students in Montenegro reported that they agree or strongly agree with the statement “I prefer working as part of a team to working alone”. However, in Korea, 95% of students reported that they agree or strongly agree that “[they are] a good listener”; in Portugal, Thailand and Uruguay, over 95% of students agreed or strongly agreed that “[they] enjoy seeing [their] classmates be successful”; in Singapore, 95% of students agreed or strongly agreed that “[they] enjoy considering different perspectives”; and in Thailand, 96% of students agreed or strongly agreed that “[they] enjoy co-operating with peers”.



Figure V.5.1 ■ Attitudes towards collaboration

|                |                      | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |
|----------------|----------------------|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|---------------------------------|
|                |                      | Items comprising the index of valuing relationships                             |  |   |  | Items comprising the index of valuing teamwork      |  |   |                                 |
|                |                      | I am a good listener  | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful | I take into account what others are interested in | I enjoy considering different perspectives | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency | I enjoy co-operating with peers |
| OECD           | Australia            | 88  | 92   | 91  | 91   | 66  | 74   | 72  | 89                              |
|                | Austria              | 89  | 83   | 88  | 81   | 69  | 75   | 67  | 87                              |
|                | Belgium              | 85  | 91   | 86  | 89   | 66  | 71   | 63  | 85                              |
|                | Canada               | 89  | 90   | 89  | 90   | 67  | 72   | 70  | 87                              |
|                | Chile                | 87  | 90   | 80  | 90   | 72  | 75   | 81  | 93                              |
|                | Czech Republic       | 92  | 78   | 86  | 86   | 72  | 76   | 67  | 89                              |
|                | Denmark              | 91  | 91   | 86  | 89   | 65  | 67   | 61  | 90                              |
|                | Estonia              | 88  | 89   | 92  | 87   | 62  | 72   | 71  | 81                              |
|                | Finland              | 91  | 86   | 92  | 79   | 63  | 72   | 60  | 83                              |
|                | France               | 86  | 87   | 83  | 88   | 71  | 72   | 76  | 85                              |
|                | Germany              | 90  | 82   | 89  | 81   | 66  | 72   | 65  | 92                              |
|                | Greece               | 85  | 90   | 87  | 91   | 72  | 83   | 76  | 89                              |
|                | Hungary              | 84  | 87   | 85  | 88   | 74  | 77   | 67  | 86                              |
|                | Iceland              | 82  | 87   | 79  | 89   | 58  | 63   | 65  | 87                              |
|                | Ireland              | 85  | 93   | 89  | 89   | 68  | 74   | 72  | 88                              |
|                | Israel               | 92  | 91   | 88  | 83   | 64  | 73   | 64  | 88                              |
|                | Italy                | 85  | 85   | 78  | 91   | 71  | 74   | 71  | 88                              |
|                | Japan                | 77  | 86   | 78  | 67   | 66  | 80   | 54  | 89                              |
|                | Korea                | 95  | 82   | 89  | 91   | 76  | 83   | 84  | 87                              |
|                | Latvia               | 81  | 84   | 81  | 82   | 69  | 71   | 66  | 82                              |
|                | Luxembourg           | 86  | 84   | 84  | 83   | 68  | 71   | 67  | 85                              |
|                | Mexico               | 89  | 93   | 84  | 93   | 70  | 82   | 83  | 90                              |
|                | Netherlands          | 89  | 91   | 94  | 81   | 64  | 63   | 68  | 84                              |
|                | New Zealand          | 83  | 91   | 89  | 90   | 70  | 76   | 73  | 90                              |
|                | Norway               | 88  | 88   | 92  | 89   | 60  | 66   | 56  | 84                              |
|                | Poland               | 88  | 83   | 79  | 88   | 74  | 71   | 69  | 85                              |
|                | Portugal             | 93  | 96   | 93  | 94   | 72  | 83   | 81  | 95                              |
|                | Slovak Republic      | 78  | 78   | 84  | 83   | 72  | 74   | 70  | 81                              |
|                | Slovenia             | 82  | 92   | 90  | 84   | 69  | 75   | 71  | 89                              |
|                | Spain                | 93  | 90   | 85  | 92   | 67  | 75   | 72  | 93                              |
|                | Sweden               | 87  | 87   | 90  | 86   | 58  | 63   | 67  | 83                              |
|                | Switzerland          | 87  | 88   | 88  | 86   | 73  | 76   | 72  | 91                              |
|                | Turkey               | 86  | 83   | 76  | 88   | 48  | 71   | 79  | 81                              |
| United Kingdom | 87                   | 89  | 88   | 87  | 68   | 74  | 72   | 86  |                                 |
| United States  | 90                   | 93  | 86   | 91  | 69   | 75  | 74   | 87  |                                 |
|                | <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>87</b>   | <b>88</b>                                  | <b>86</b>   | <b>87</b>                                  | <b>67</b>   | <b>73</b>  | <b>70</b>                                     | <b>87</b>                       |
| Partners       | Brazil               | 84  | 94   | 84  | 87   | 71  | 80   | 83  | 94                              |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | 87  | 89   | 89  | 91   | 87  | 86   | 89  | 93                              |
|                | Bulgaria             | 88  | 87   | 80  | 89   | 67  | 73   | 74  | 82                              |
|                | Colombia             | 90  | 93   | 79  | 84   | 68  | 83   | 77  | 94                              |
|                | Costa Rica           | 89  | 95   | 84  | 94   | 71  | 82   | 78  | 93                              |
|                | Croatia              | 93  | 92   | 77  | 87   | 76  | 81   | 79  | 90                              |
|                | Dominican Republic   | 88  | 90   | 84  | 83   | 74  | 82   | 82  | 94                              |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | 90  | 85   | 90  | 92   | 71  | 80   | 77  | 84                              |
|                | Lithuania            | 86  | 85   | 77  | 88   | 73  | 79   | 80  | 86                              |
|                | Macao (China)        | 84  | 85   | 86  | 89   | 69  | 74   | 80  | 84                              |
|                | Montenegro           | 83  | 95   | 81  | 84   | 44  | 76   | 74  | 90                              |
|                | Peru                 | 90  | 85   | 78  | 91   | 68  | 79   | 77  | 91                              |
|                | Qatar                | 85  | 92   | 75  | 87   | 62  | 80   | 83  | 88                              |
|                | Russia               | 91  | 78   | 84  | 82   | 72  | 68   | 70  | 80                              |
|                | Singapore            | 92  | 91   | 92  | 95   | 73  | 82   | 80  | 92                              |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | 92  | 91   | 92  | 93   | 85  | 84   | 85  | 91                              |
|                | Thailand             | 90  | 98   | 93  | 89   | 83  | 91   | 87  | 96                              |
|                | Tunisia              | 89  | 94   | 74  | 87   | 78  | 84   | 86  | 92                              |
|                | United Arab Emirates | 88  | 93   | 86  | 91   | 69  | 87   | 86  | 91                              |
| Uruguay        | 84                   | 96  | 82   | 90  | 70   | 80  | 75   | 93  |                                 |

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.5.1.

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Students' responses to these eight statements are positively correlated to one another (Figure V.5.2). The highest correlations are observed between the statement "I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency" and the following three statements: "I prefer working as part of a team to working alone" (0.43 across OECD countries), "I find that teams make better decisions than individuals" (0.39 across OECD countries), and "I enjoy co-operating with peers" (0.39 across OECD countries).

Figure V.5.2 ■ **Correlations among attitudes towards collaboration**  
OECD average

| Correlation between: |  |   |  |  |   |                                 |  |
|----------------------|--|---|--|--|---|---------------------------------|--|
| I am a good listener | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful | I take into account what others are interested in | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals | I enjoy considering different perspectives | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency | I enjoy co-operating with peers | ...and...  |
| 0.04                 | 0.11                                       | 0.09  | 0.33   | 0.09                                       | 0.43  | 0.38                            | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone      |
|                      | 0.20                                       | 0.20  | 0.07   | 0.19                                       | 0.09  | 0.12                            | I am a good listener                                     |
|                      |  | 0.31  | 0.16   | 0.21                                       | 0.16  | 0.23                            | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful               |
|                      |  |   | 0.16   | 0.25                                       | 0.14  | 0.19                            | I take into account what others are interested in        |
|                      |  |   |  | 0.16                                       | 0.39  | 0.31                            | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals |
|                      |  |   |  |  | 0.18  | 0.19                            | I enjoy considering different perspectives               |
|                      |  |   |  |  |   | 0.39                            | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency            |

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.5.11.

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Responses to these eight statements are combined into two indices of co-operation, as shown in Figure V.5.3, that reflect the valuing of relationships and teamwork.<sup>1</sup> The four statements that comprise the index of valuing relationships are related to altruistic interactions, when the student engages in collaborative activities not for his or her own benefit: "I am a good listener"; "I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful"; "I take into account what others are interested in"; and "I enjoy considering different perspectives". By contrast, three of the four statements that comprise the index of valuing teamwork are related to what teamwork, as opposed to working alone, can produce: "I prefer working as part of a team to working alone"; "I find that teams make better decisions than individuals"; and "I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency" (Figure V.5.3).

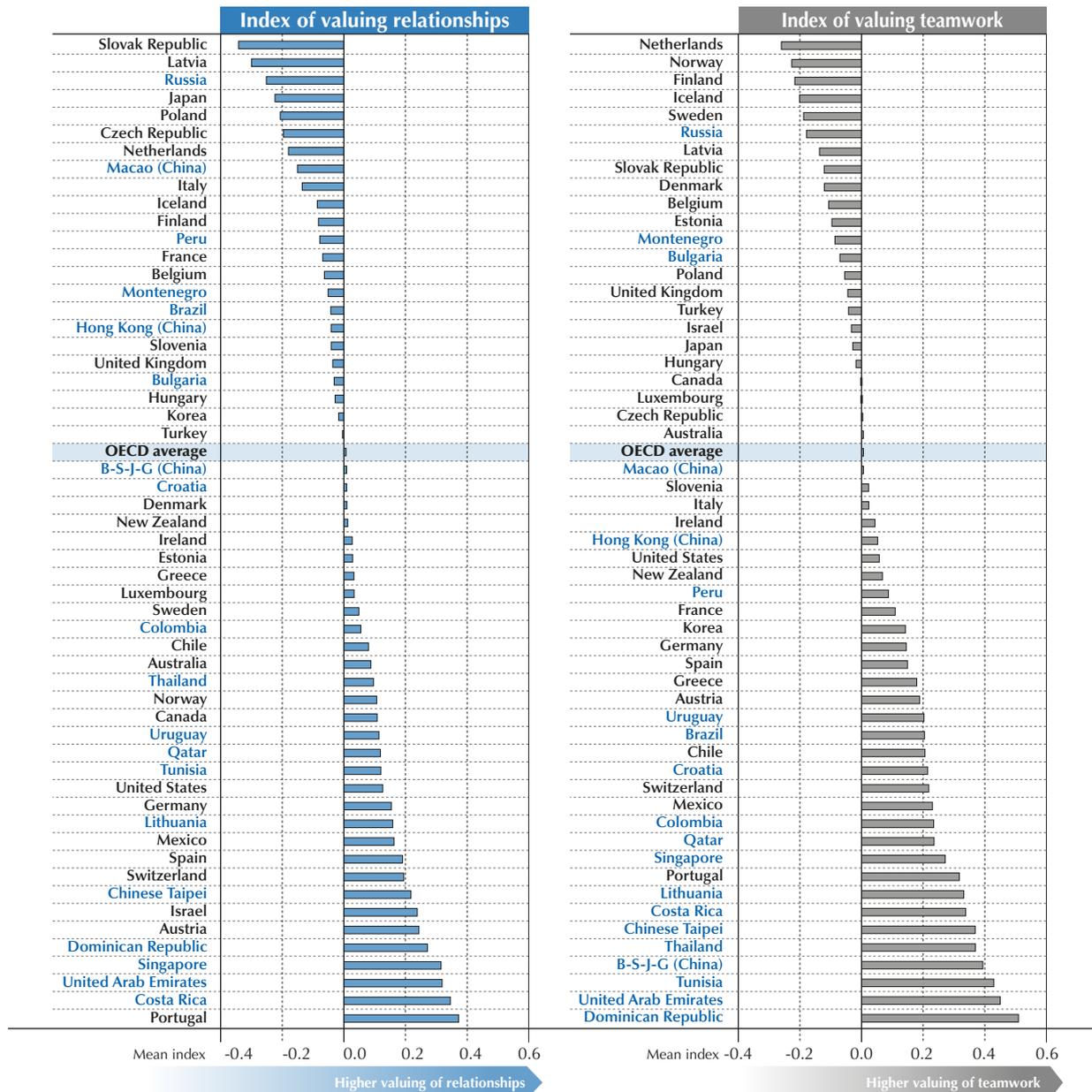
Each index is standardised to have a mean of 0 and a standard deviation of 1 across OECD countries. Students in Portugal have the highest index of valuing relationships (0.37) among all OECD and partner countries and economies, followed by Costa Rica, the United Arab Emirates and Singapore, all three of which have average indices of valuing relationships greater than 0.30 (Figure V.5.4). Students in Portugal also have the highest index of valuing teamwork (0.32) among OECD countries; however, the average student in the Dominican Republic has an index of valuing teamwork of 0.51 – over half a standard deviation above the average student in OECD countries. On average across OECD countries, the correlation between the indices of valuing relationships and teamwork is 0.41 (Table V.5.12). The correlation between the mean indices of valuing relationships and teamwork at the country level among OECD countries is 0.58: countries with a high mean value on one index also tend to have a high mean value of the other index.

Figure V.5.3 ■ **Indices of co-operation**

| Index of valuing relationships                    | Index of valuing teamwork                                |
|---|--|
| I am a good listener                              | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone      |
| I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful        | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals |
| I take into account what others are interested in | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency            |
| I enjoy considering different perspectives        | I enjoy co-operating with peers                          |



Figure V.5.4 ■ Indices of valuing relationships and valuing teamwork



Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of each index.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.5.1.

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## WITHIN-COUNTRY DIFFERENCES IN ATTITUDES TOWARDS COLLABORATION

Table V.5.3 shows a breakdown of the variation in attitudes towards collaboration in the countries and economies that participated in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment. Some 97% and 98%, respectively, of the variation in the indices of valuing relationships and valuing teamwork lie within schools. In other words, differences across schools account for only 3% of the differences in the index of valuing relationships and only 2% of the differences in the index of valuing teamwork. Student-level variation, not school-level variation, thus explains most of the observed differences in attitudes towards collaboration. This may reflect that students' frame of reference in reporting their attitudes lies within the familiar environment of their schools. Variation related to student demographics is examined next, while variation related to student behaviours and activities, and school policies and practices, is explored in Chapter 6.



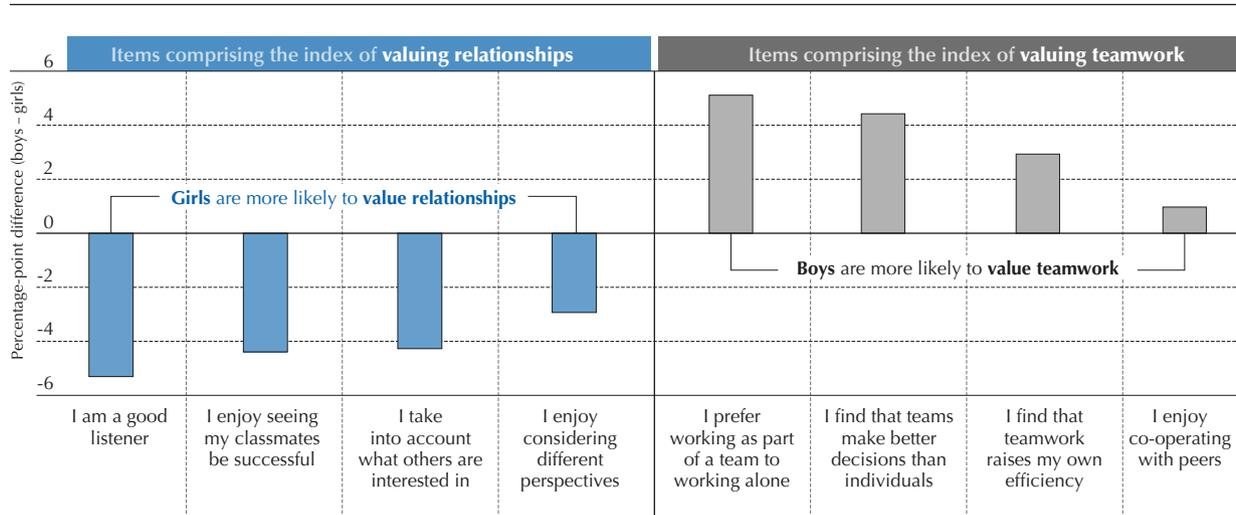
## Gender differences in attitudes towards collaboration

Cross-country comparisons of attitudes towards collaboration are difficult to interpret given the cultural differences between countries and economies. Such cultural differences are, to a certain extent, eliminated when examining differences in students' attitudes within countries.<sup>2,3</sup>

One such within-country comparison is between boys and girls. Girls were significantly more likely than boys to agree or strongly agree with the four statements that comprise the index of valuing relationships. For example, on average across OECD countries, girls were 5.3 percentage points more likely than boys to report that they agree or strongly agree that "[they] are a good listener" (Figure V.5.5). Moreover, this difference is significant and in favour of girls in 54 of the 56<sup>4</sup> countries that conducted the collaborative problem-solving assessment; in the two other countries, the difference is not significant. Gender differences are most pronounced in Italy and Latvia, where there is a 10 percentage-point gap (Table V.5.4a).

By contrast, boys were significantly more likely than girls to report that they agree or strongly agree with the four statements that comprise the index of valuing teamwork (Figure V.5.5).<sup>5</sup> The difference is most pronounced for the statement "I prefer working as part of a team to working alone", with which boys were 5.1 percentage points more likely than girls to agree or strongly agree. This difference is significant and in favour of boys in 38 of 56 countries; it is significant and in favour of girls in only one country: Beijing-Shanghai-Jiangsu-Guangdong (China) (a 4.1 percentage-point gap). The gender gap is widest in Canada, Iceland and Sweden, where it exceeds 10 percentage points (Table V.5.4b).

Figure V.5.5 ■ **Gender differences in attitudes towards collaboration**  
Difference in the percentage of boys and girls who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements about collaboration, OECD average



Note: All differences are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.5.4a and V.5.4b.

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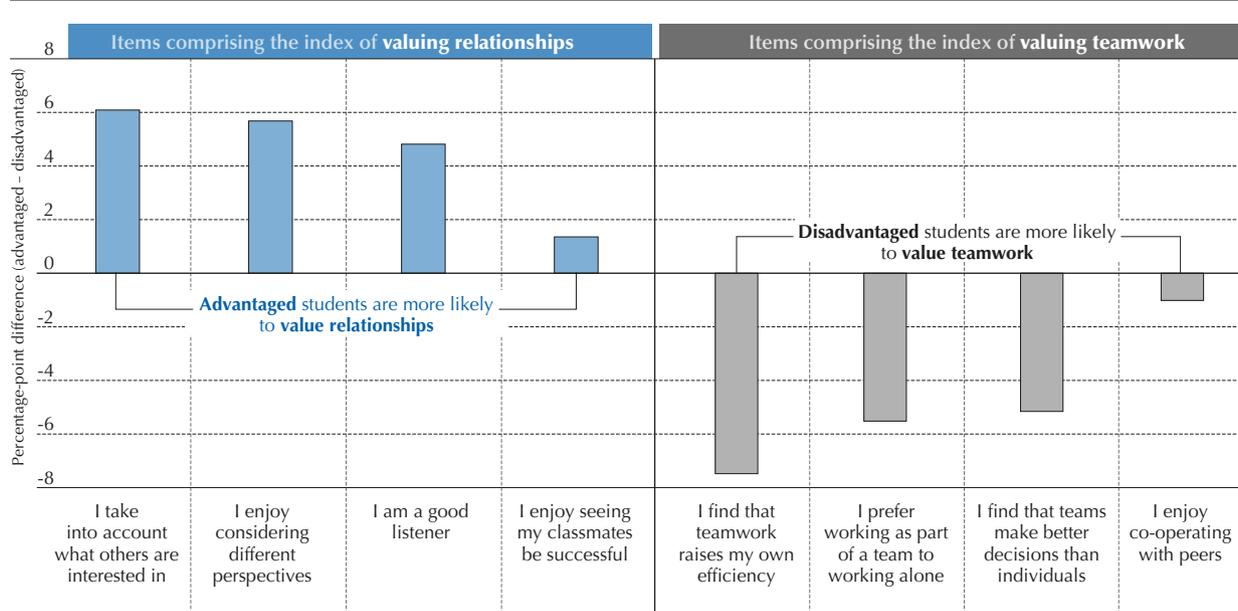
The consistent cross-country gender differences observed in responses to these eight statements differ from Wang et al. (2009), who find no significant gender differences in teamwork (whether reported by students themselves, by teachers, or through responses to hypothetical situations) in a United States high school.

## Differences in attitudes towards collaboration, by socio-economic status

Figure V.5.6 shows differences in attitudes towards collaboration related to socio-economic status across OECD countries. The figure plots the difference in the percentage of students in the top national quarter of socio-economic status, as measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status, and the percentage of students in the bottom national quarter of socio-economic status who reported that they either agree or strongly agree with each statement. Students in the top quarter of socio-economic status are referred to as advantaged students, while students in the bottom quarter are referred to as disadvantaged students.



Figure V.5.6 ■ **Socio-economic differences in attitudes towards collaboration**  
 Difference in the percentage of advantaged and disadvantaged students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements about collaboration, OECD average



Notes: All differences are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

A socio-economically disadvantaged (advantaged) student is a student in the bottom (top) quarter of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS) in their country/economy.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.5.6a.

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Significant differences related to socio-economic status in the propensity to agree or strongly agree with each statement are observed. Across all OECD countries, advantaged students were 6.1 percentage points more likely than disadvantaged students to report that they agree or strongly agree with the statement “I take into account what others are interested in”; 5.7 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I enjoy considering different perspectives”; 4.8 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I am a good listener”; and 1.4 percentage points more likely to agree with the statement “I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful” (Figure V.5.6 and Table V.5.6a). These four statements comprise the index of valuing relationships.

These results are consistent with some recent literature, which shows that those of higher socio-economic status tend to self-report higher levels of empathy (Varnum et al., 2015), which might be related to valuing relationships with others, and a variety of other positive traits, including honesty, sense of humour and friendliness (Varnum, 2015). However, most of the literature seems to suggest that it is students of lower socio-economic status who more commonly exhibit behaviour consistent with co-operation and consideration of others (Pitt and Robinson, 2017). For example, in the United States, university students who were the first in their family to attend university were more likely to be other-focused (as opposed to self-oriented) than university students whose parents had also attended university. These first-generation university students performed worse academically when universities were portrayed as an independent environment where everyone had to make his or her own way, but performed as well as other students when universities were portrayed as an interdependent environment or a community (Stephens et al., 2012). Intriguingly, brain scans show that those of higher socio-economic status actually display reduced neural responses of empathy (Varnum et al., 2015). It appears that those of higher socio-economic status might overstate the degree to which they display certain positive attributes, with the same outcome as if they displayed higher levels of social desirability.

By contrast, disadvantaged students were 7.5 percentage points more likely than advantaged students to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency”; 5.5 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I prefer working as part of a team to working alone”; 5.2 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I find that teams make better decisions than individuals”; and 1.0 percentage point more likely to agree or strongly agree with the statement “I enjoy co-operating with peers” (Figure V.5.6 and Table V.5.6a). These four statements comprise the index of valuing teamwork.



The data indicate that advantaged students were more likely to report that they agree or strongly agree that they engage in co-operative activities that do not directly involve personal gain, while disadvantaged students were more likely to report that they agree or strongly agree that teamwork brings benefits.<sup>6</sup> A similar dichotomy is observed between girls and boys.

### THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ATTITUDES TOWARDS COLLABORATION AND OTHER ATTITUDES

*PISA 2015 Results (Volume III): Students' Well-Being* (OECD, 2017) analyses a variety of well-being indicators based on data from the student questionnaire. What is the relationship between such well-being indicators and attitudes towards collaboration? Are students who have a greater sense of well-being also predisposed to co-operating and collaborating with others?

There is a weak but positive correlation between the indices of valuing relationships and valuing teamwork with the self-reported degree of life satisfaction and the index of achievement motivation (Table V.5.12). These latter two measures of well-being are both positive measures: a higher value in each index is associated with a greater sense of well-being.

In particular, 15-year-old students across OECD countries were significantly more likely to report that they agree or strongly agree with almost all of the statements regarding collaboration described above if they also agreed or strongly agreed with the statements regarding their motivation to achieve. For instance, students in every country and economy were more likely to report that they agree with each of the statements that comprise the index of valuing relationships if they reported that they agree or strongly agree that they “want to be able to select from among the best opportunities available when [they] graduate”<sup>7</sup> (Table V.5.13b). On average across OECD countries, there is a gap of over 13 percentage points in responses to each of the items that comprise the index of valuing relationships between students who agreed or strongly agreed with and students who disagreed or strongly disagreed with the statement “I want to be able to select from among the best opportunities available when I graduate”.

The only exception observed is that students were at least one percentage point less likely to report that they agree or strongly agree that they “prefer working as part of a team to working alone” if they agree or strongly agree that they “want to be one of the best students in [their] class” (Table V.5.13b).

Likewise, both indices are weakly but positively correlated with the index of sense of belonging at school and weakly but negatively correlated with the index of exposure to bullying. The former is another positive measure of well-being, while the latter is a negative measure of well-being, where a higher value is considered to be a weaker sense of well-being (Table V.5.12). Hence it appears that a greater disposition towards collaboration goes hand-in-hand with indicators of social well-being.

However, both indices are weakly but positively correlated with the index of schoolwork-related anxiety, which is another negative measure (Table V.5.12). This might be related to the positive correlation between, for example, achievement motivation and anxiety, as discussed in *PISA 2015 Results (Volume III): Students' Well-Being* (OECD, 2017). Hewitt and Flett (1991) define self-oriented perfectionists as those who set high standards for themselves and frequently evaluate their own behaviour and performance. Such self-oriented perfectionists have been found to score higher in some measures of anxiety, such as worry, but lower in other measures of anxiety, such as lack of confidence or being distracted and preoccupied by other thoughts (Stoeber, Feast and Hayward, 2009). They have also been found to show high levels of social connection, as measured through trust and empathy, and low levels of hostility towards others (Stoeber et al., 2017). These self-oriented perfectionists might therefore tend to have more positive attitudes towards co-operation yet at the same time higher levels of anxiety.

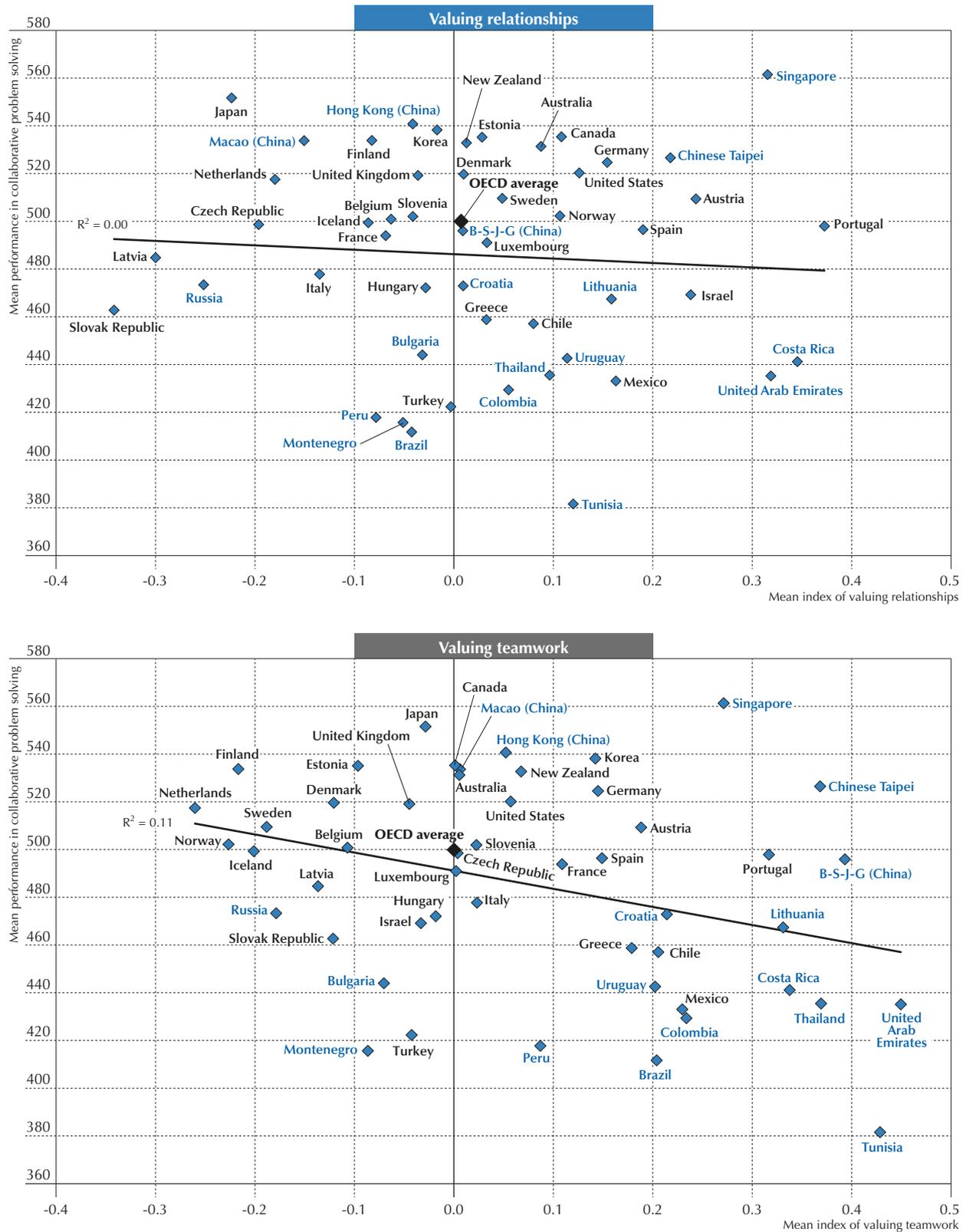
### THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ATTITUDES TOWARDS COLLABORATION AND COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM-SOLVING PERFORMANCE

Previous chapters present student performance in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment, while this chapter presents student-reported attitudes towards collaboration. Is there a relationship between the two? Are students who have more positive attitudes towards collaboration also better able to solve problems collaboratively?

Figure V.5.7 plots a country or economy's mean score in collaborative problem solving against its mean index of valuing relationships or valuing teamwork. No correlation was observed between performance and the index of valuing relationships ( $r^2 = 0.00$ ). However, a slight negative correlation (with  $r^2 = 0.11$ ) was observed between performance and the index of valuing teamwork. Due to cross-cultural differences in how students report their attitudes towards collaboration, it is difficult to interpret the relationship between indices of collaboration and collaborative problem-solving performance at the mean country/economy level.



Figure V.5.7 ■ Performance in collaborative problem solving and the indices of valuing relationships and valuing teamwork



Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.3.2 and V.5.1.

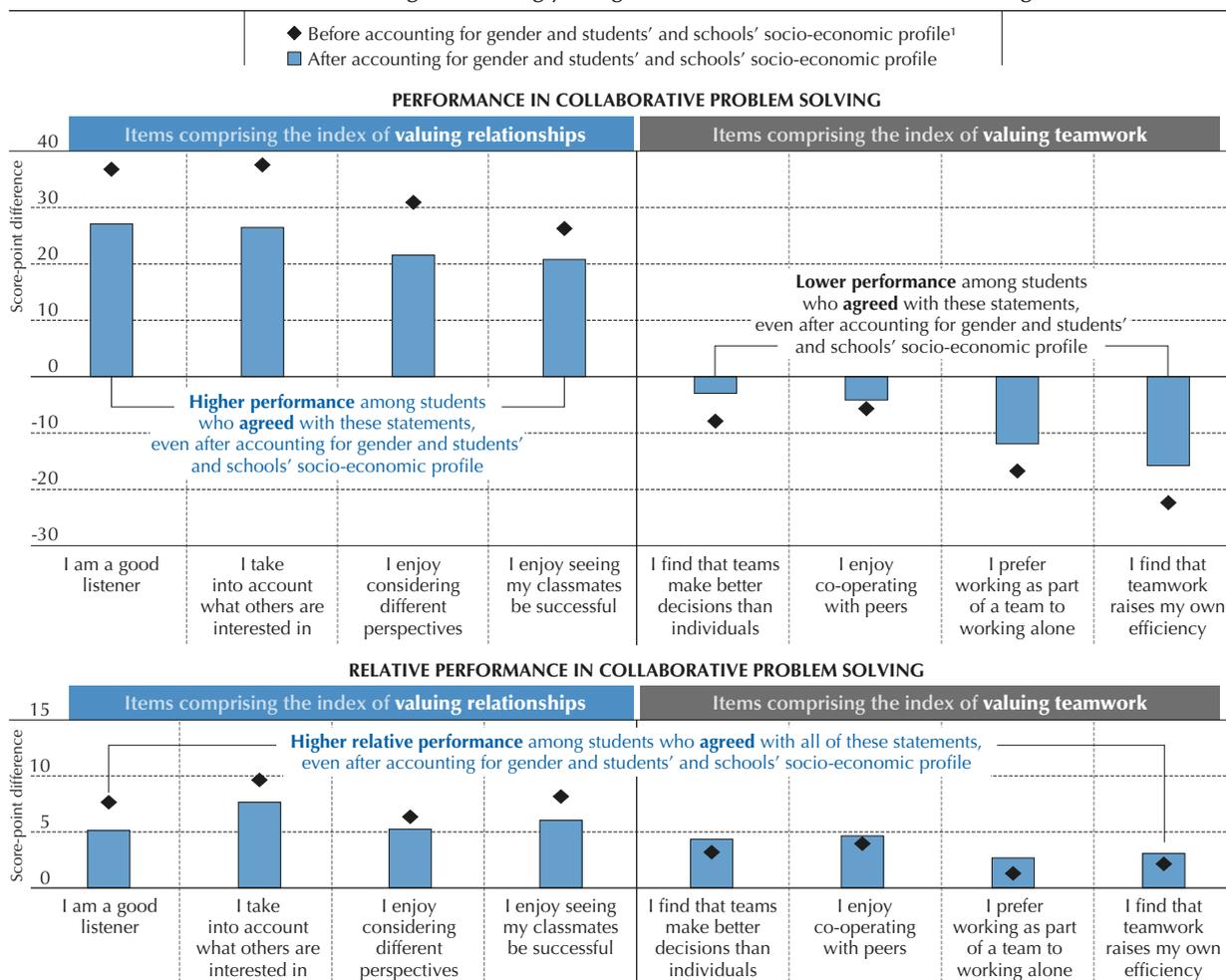
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On the other hand, significant relationships can be found when examining within-country differences in student performance related to self-reported attitudes towards collaboration. On average across OECD countries, students who reported that they agree or strongly agree with the statements that comprise the index of valuing relationships score better than those who reported that they disagree or strongly disagree with those statements. The performance gap varies from 38 points for the statement "I take into account what others are interested in" to 26 points for "I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful" (Figure V.5.8).

By contrast, students who reported that they agree or strongly agree with the statements that comprise the index of valuing teamwork score below students who reported that they disagree or strongly disagree with those statements, on average across OECD countries. For example, the performance gap related to the statement "I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency" is 22 points, while the gap related to the statement "I prefer working as part of a team to working alone" is 17 points (Figure V.5.8). The direction of the performance gaps related to each statement is also remarkably consistent across countries and economies (Tables V.5.2a to V.5.2h).

Figure V.5.8 ■ **Attitudes towards collaboration and performance in collaborative problem solving**  
Score-point difference in performance between those who agreed/strongly agreed with each statement and those who disagreed/strongly disagreed with the statement, OECD average



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

**Notes:** All differences are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students internationally.

Statements about attitudes towards collaboration are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem solving between students who agreed/strongly agreed with and those who disagreed/strongly disagreed with the above statements.

**Source:** OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.5.2a-h.

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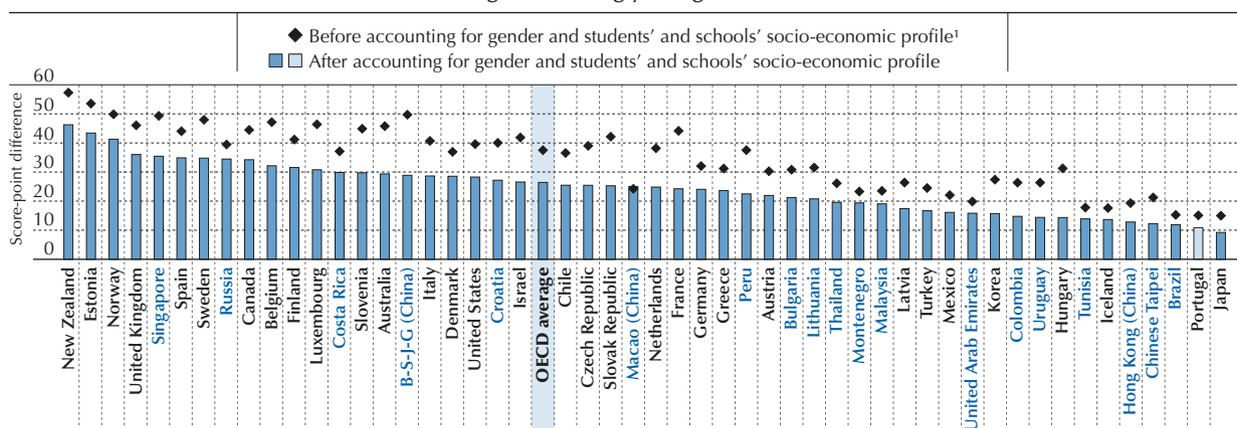
Accounting for gender and both students' and schools' socio-economic profile tends to reduce the performance gap for all statements, although it does not change the direction of the gap: students who agreed or strongly agreed with the statements in the index of valuing relationships, and students who disagreed or strongly disagreed with the statements in the index of valuing teamwork still perform better in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.5.8). The reduction in the performance gap is somewhat to be expected, given the relationships in performance, attitudes, and gender and socio-economic profile. For example, girls tend to perform better than boys in the collaborative problem-solving assessment and tended to agree or strongly agree more often to the statements comprising the index of valuing relationships. Since students who agreed or strongly agreed with these statements also perform better in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, accounting for gender should reduce the score-point difference associated with agreeing to these statements.

But other patterns are observed after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects (science, reading and mathematics). There is a positive association between agreeing or strongly agreeing with any of the items related to attitudes towards collaboration – both the items that comprise the index of valuing relationships and those that comprise the index of valuing teamwork – and relative performance in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.5.8).<sup>8</sup> These positive associations persist after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. On average across OECD countries, students who agree or strongly agree with the statements in the index of valuing relationships perform between five and eight points higher in collaborative problem solving after accounting for performance in the three core PSIA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, while they perform between two and five points higher if they agree or strongly agree with the statements in the index of valuing teamwork.

The direction of the performance gaps between students who responded that they agree or strongly agree and students who responded that they disagree or strongly disagree with each statement was fairly consistent across countries and economies. For example, the strongest positive association is observed with the statement "I take into account what others are interested in" (Figure V.5.8). After accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, students who reported that they agree or strongly agree with this statement score eight points higher than those who reported that they disagree or strongly disagree with the statement. This difference is significant and in favour of students who reported that they agree or strongly agree in 20 of the 52 countries that participated in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment, and is over 20 points<sup>9</sup> in Estonia and New Zealand. Only in Colombia is the difference significant and in favour of students who reported that they disagree or strongly disagree with the statement "I take into account what others are interested in" (Figure V.5.9 and Table V.5.2d). Similar results are seen for the other items in the index of valuing relationships.

Figure V.5.9 ■ **Taking into account others' interests and performance in collaborative problem solving**

*Difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between students who agreed/strongly agreed with the statement "I take into account what others are interested in" and those who disagreed/strongly disagreed with that statement*



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Note: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone. All differences before accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference between students who agreed/strongly agreed with the statement above and students who disagreed/strongly disagreed, after accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.5.2d.

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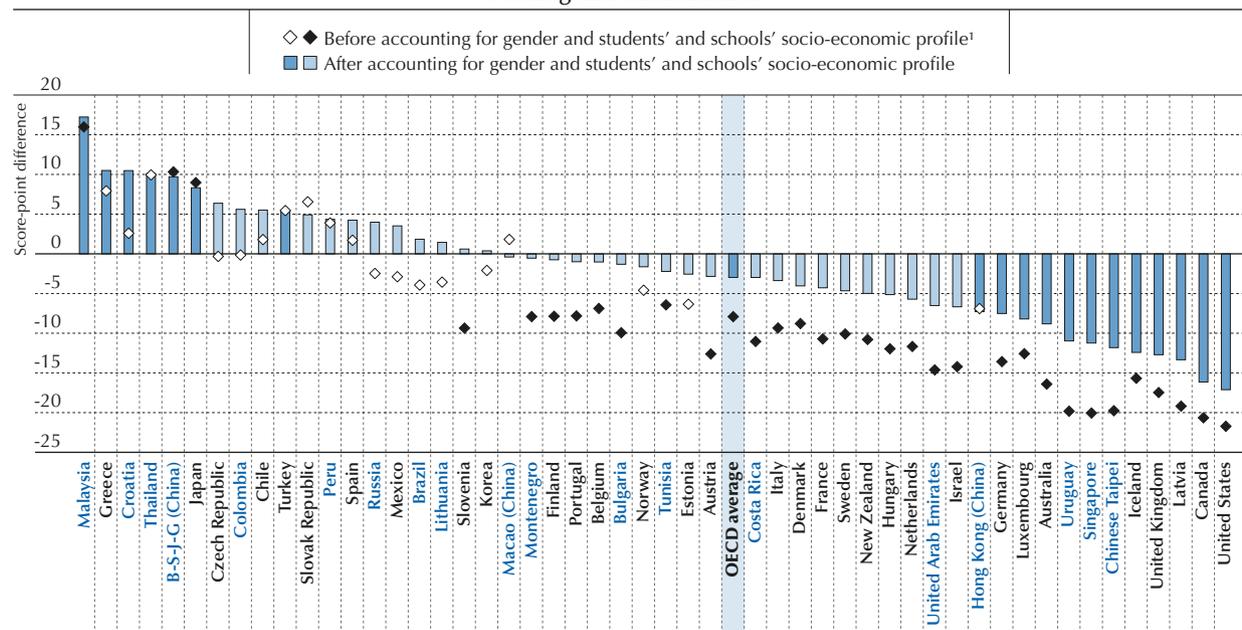


Performance gaps related to items in the index of valuing teamwork are also fairly consistent across countries. As one example, students in 20 out of 52 countries who reported that they agree or strongly agree that “[they] find that teams make better decisions than individuals” perform better in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile. The gap is 4 score points, on average across OECD countries, and more than 10 score points in Croatia and Portugal. Only in Tunisia is this difference significant and in favour of students who reported that they disagree or strongly disagree with this statement (Figure V.5.10 and Table V.5.2e).

Hence, it appears that positive attitudes towards collaboration – whether for altruistic reasons or for the benefit of one’s own success in a collaborative project – are associated with the distinctive aspects of solving problems collaboratively. Students who perform at lower levels of proficiency are more likely to recognise the effectiveness of collaboration. However, a positive disposition towards collaboration, even if it is for the benefits to oneself that collaboration can bring, is still associated with better performance in collaborative problem solving when comparing students with similar performance in science, reading and mathematics.

Figure V.5.10 ■ **Finding that teams make better decisions and performance in collaborative problem solving**

*Difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between students who agreed/strongly agreed with the statement “I find that teams make better decisions than individuals” and those who disagreed/strongly disagreed with that statement, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics*



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Note: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference between students who agreed/strongly agreed with the statement above and students who disagreed/strongly disagreed, after accounting for gender and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.5.2e.

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## Notes

1. The four highly-correlated items described in the previous paragraph are indeed the constituent components of the index of valuing teamwork.
2. Examining differences within countries/economies allows for the elimination of country/economy-specific response patterns common across all subgroups in the country/economy. For example, if all students in Country A with a certain latent trait (e.g. a certain actual “level” of valuing relationships) *report* a higher index of valuing relationships than students in Country B with the same latent trait, comparisons of the reported trait are biased. However, within-country differences between subgroups in Country A and Country B may still be meaningful.  
  
However, subgroups in each country/economy may also respond differently. For example, boys and girls may be socialised differently, leading to boys systematically reporting a higher or lower index than girls when their latent traits are actually identical. There is no way to determine the extent of such systematic differences from PISA data. If the systematic differences are common across countries, though, international comparisons can still be made.
3. Cross-country comparisons of attitudes are difficult due to cultural differences. As these cultural differences may still exist between non-immigrant and immigrant students who reside in the same country or economy, this chapter will not discuss immigrant-related differences in attitudes. Data on these differences are available in Tables V.5.8a to V.5.8d.
4. Although 57 countries and economies participated in the computer-based assessment in 2015, the coverage of data from Malaysia on attitudes was too small to ensure comparability.
5. Although girls are significantly likelier to agree or strongly agree with the statements that comprise the index of valuing relationships, and boys are significantly likelier to agree or strongly agree with the statements that comprise the index of valuing teamwork, it is still possible for responses to all eight statements to be positively correlated. Both boys and girls who value relationships are more likely to value teamwork; the difference lies in their average proclivity to agree to each statement.
6. Separate analyses, not presented in the text, show that the relationship between various measures of school-level diversity in socio-economic status and attitudes towards collaboration is generally not significant, both on average across the OECD and in individual countries/economies.
7. There are two exceptions: in Korea and Portugal, students who agree or strongly agree that they “want to be able to select from among the best opportunities available when they graduate” and those who disagree or strongly disagree to this statement are statistically as likely to agree or strongly agree that they “enjoy seeing [their] classmates be successful”.
8. Relative collaborative problem-solving performance is calculated by an ordinary least squares regression of collaborative problem-solving performance over performance in science, reading and mathematics. In Chapter 3, the regression is performed at the international level in order to rank countries and economies. In Chapters 4, 5, 6 and 7, the regression is performed at the individual country or economy level, as the focus is on factors related to differences in performance within each country/economy. This results in an average residual of 0 for each country/economy.
9. Differences in relative performance in collaborative problem solving are typically smaller than differences in raw (actual) performance in collaborative problem solving as much of the variation in the former set of scores is eliminated after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects.

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## 6

# Student activities, school practices and collaboration

This chapter considers various student activities that might be related to students' attitudes towards collaboration and their ability to solve problems collaboratively. These factors include students' participation in physical activity and attendance in physical education classes, their out-of-school activities, whether they play truant or arrive late for school, and their attendance at pre-primary school.

### **A note regarding Israel**

The statistical data for Israel are supplied by and under the responsibility of the relevant Israeli authorities. The use of such data by the OECD is without prejudice to the status of the Golan Heights, East Jerusalem and Israeli settlements in the West Bank under the terms of international law.



The previous chapters examine how demographic factors are related to attitudes towards collaboration and performance in collaborative problem solving. Many of these factors are beyond the direct control of students, teachers or school systems. For example, schools often must accept any student who lives within designated boundaries and they cannot change the gender balance or immigrant population in their student body.

What can be done, then, to improve attitudes towards collaboration and performance in collaborative problem solving? This chapter examines the relationship between both of these outcomes and various student activities and behaviours and school policies and practices, including many of the factors discussed in *PISA 2015 Results (Volume II): Policies and Practices for Successful Schools* (OECD, 2016). As much of the variation in collaborative problem solving performance and in attitudes is found within schools and not between schools (Table V.5.3), the focus will primarily be on student activities and behaviours as most school-level policies and practices are expected to have only a limited relationship with collaboration.

Most of the student demographic factors analysed in Chapter 4 were found not to be unique to performance in collaborative problem solving; they were also observed in student performance in science, reading and mathematics. This chapter thus also attempts to identify those elusive factors that are related to skills specific to collaboration.

### What the data tell us

- Attitudes towards collaboration are generally more positive as students engage in more physical activity or attend more physical education classes per week.
- Students who play video games outside of school score slightly lower in collaborative problem solving than students who do not play video games, on average across OECD countries, after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. On the other hand, students who access the Internet, chat or social networks outside of school score slightly higher than other students.
- Students who work in the household or take care of other family members value both teamwork and relationships more than other students, as do students who meet friends or talk to friends on the phone.
- Students who had attended pre-primary school show more positive attitudes towards collaboration, after accounting for gender and socio-economic status.

## PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Many studies have tried to discover a link between participation in sports and academic performance, with inconclusive results. For instance, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (2010) analysed 50 studies showing that physical activity might have a positive, and at least does not have a negative, impact on academic performance. No comprehensive and quantitative studies were found that investigated the relationship between participation in sports and collaborative and co-operative behaviour. However, Pascarella and Smart (1991) found that participation in intercollegiate athletics among men at American colleges was related to both improved leadership skills and social development. There is also some evidence of a relationship between participation in sport and lower antisocial behaviour in adolescents (Mahoney, 2000; Mahoney and Stattin, 2000), increased social functioning in adolescents (Snyder et al., 2010), and increased co-operation among shy children (Findlay and Coplan, 2008).

PISA 2015 asked students to report the number of days during which they engaged in moderate physical activity<sup>1</sup> or vigorous physical activity<sup>2</sup> during the week before the PISA assessment. PISA also asked students how often, on average, they attend physical education class each week during the school year.<sup>3</sup>

On average across OECD countries, students engage in just under five days of moderate physical activity and just under four days of vigorous physical activity in a typical week (Tables V.6.1a and V.6.1b). There is some variation between countries, although students in all countries are, on average, physically active. The average student in Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates engages in moderate physical activity 3.5 times in a typical week (i.e. one out of every two days), while the average student in Denmark, Germany, the Netherlands, Norway and Poland engages in moderate physical activity over 5.5 times in a typical week. Similarly, the average student in Macao (China) engages in vigorous physical activity three times in a typical week, while his or her counterpart in Iceland engages in vigorous physical activity five times a week.



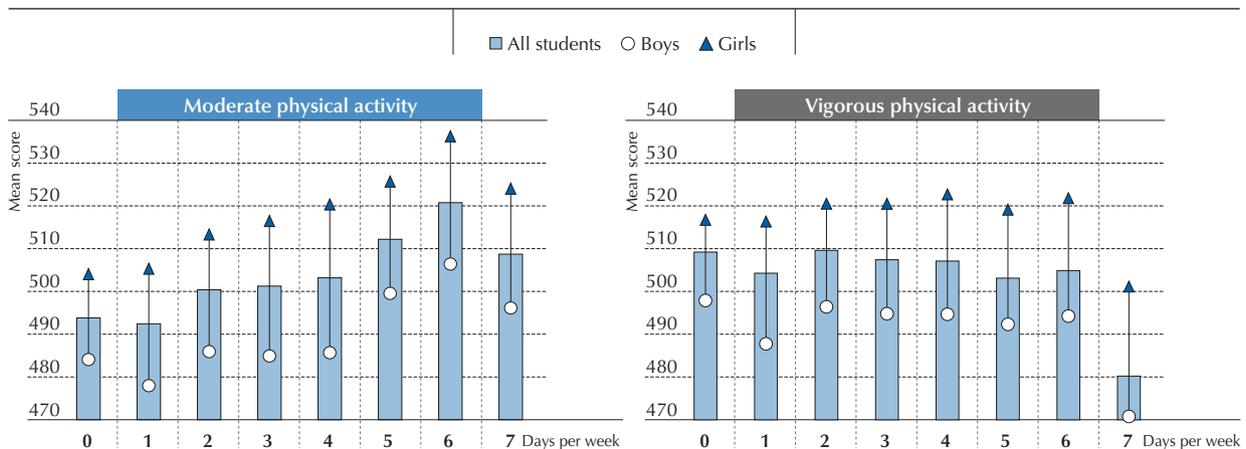
Students attend physical education class twice a week, on average across OECD countries (Table V.6.1c). In Costa Rica, Hong Kong (China) and Ireland, the average student attends physical education class around once a week, while in Hungary and Poland, the average student attends more than three physical education classes per week.

### Performance in collaborative problem solving

There is, on the whole, a positive relationship between the number of days per week that students engage in moderate physical activity during the week prior to the PISA assessment and performance in collaborative problem solving. Students who engage in moderate physical activity two or more days per week score higher in the collaborative problem-solving assessment than students who engage in such activity fewer than two days per week (Figure V.6.1, Table V.6.1a). These trends differ slightly between boys and girls. The better performance among boys is seen only after attaining a threshold of five days of moderate physical activity. The improved performance among girls is observed after attaining a threshold of two days of moderate physical activity and continues to increase with the number of days of physical activity until it peaks at six days per week.

By contrast, students score by and large similarly in collaborative problem solving regardless of the number of days during which they engage in vigorous physical activity, except for those students who engage in these activities every day of the week. On average across OECD countries, these students score 29 points below students who did not engage in any vigorous physical activity during the week prior to the PISA test (among girls, 16 score points separate the two groups; among boys, the gap is 27 points wide) (Figure V.6.1, Tables V.6.1b and V.6.2b).<sup>4</sup>

Figure V.6.1 ■ **Physical exercise and performance in collaborative problem solving, by gender**  
Collaborative problem-solving performance, OECD average



Notes: Moderate physical activities include walking, climbing stairs or riding a bicycle to school for at least 60 minutes per day.

Vigorous physical activities are those that make the student sweat and breathe hard, such as running, cycling, aerobics, soccer or skating, for at least 20 minutes per day.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.6.1a and V.6.1b.

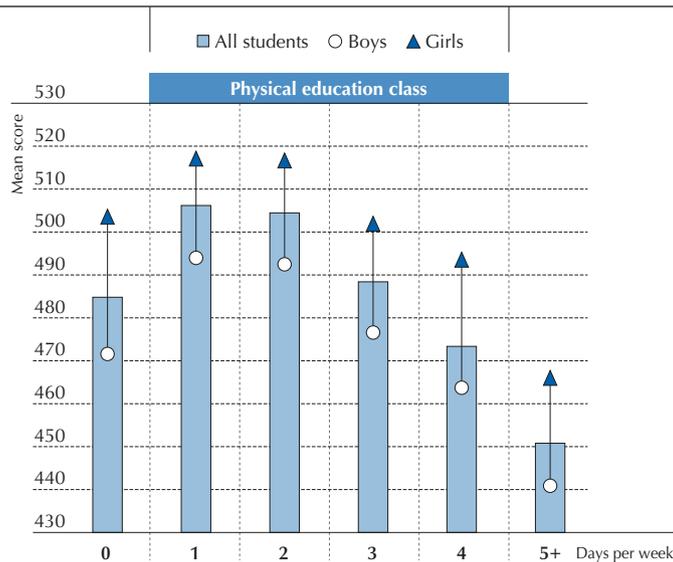
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Students who attend one or two days of physical education class per week score highest in collaborative problem solving (Figure V.6.2, Tables V.6.1c and V.6.2c). These students score around 20 score points higher than students who do not attend any physical education class, on average across OECD countries. However, students who participate in four days of physical education class per week score at least 31 points lower in collaborative problem solving than those who take part in one or two classes per week, and 10 points lower than those who do not take part in any physical education classes. Students who participate in five days of physical education class per week score around 55 points lower than those who take part in one or two classes per week, and 33 points below those who do not take part in any physical education classes. Similar trends are observed among boys and girls.

However, performance in the three core PISA subjects of science, reading and mathematics follows similar patterns with respect to the frequency of physical activity and attendance at physical education classes. To what extent are these performance differences attributable to general cognitive performance, and to what extent are they representative of true differences in collaboration and interpersonal skills?



Figure V.6.2 ■ **Physical education class and performance in collaborative problem solving, by gender**  
*Collaborative problem-solving performance, OECD average*



Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.6.1c.

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After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics, there are few significant differences in performance on the collaborative problem-solving assessment related to the number of days in an average week during which a student engages in moderate physical activity (Table V.6.3a). Any significant differences observed on average across OECD countries are not consistently observed across individual countries and economies. However, additional days of vigorous physical activity beyond two days per week are associated with successively lower relative performance scores in collaborative problem solving (after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects) (Table V.6.3b).

Most differences in relative performance associated with the number of days that a student attends physical education class per week are not significant across OECD countries. The greatest differences are found among students who attend four or five days of physical education class per week, who score over five points lower in collaborative problem solving than students who attend fewer days of physical education class per week, but who have similar scores in science, reading and mathematics (Table V.6.3c). In other words, students' collaboration-specific skills are observed to decrease above a certain threshold of vigorous physical activity or attendance in physical education classes.

### Attitudes towards collaboration

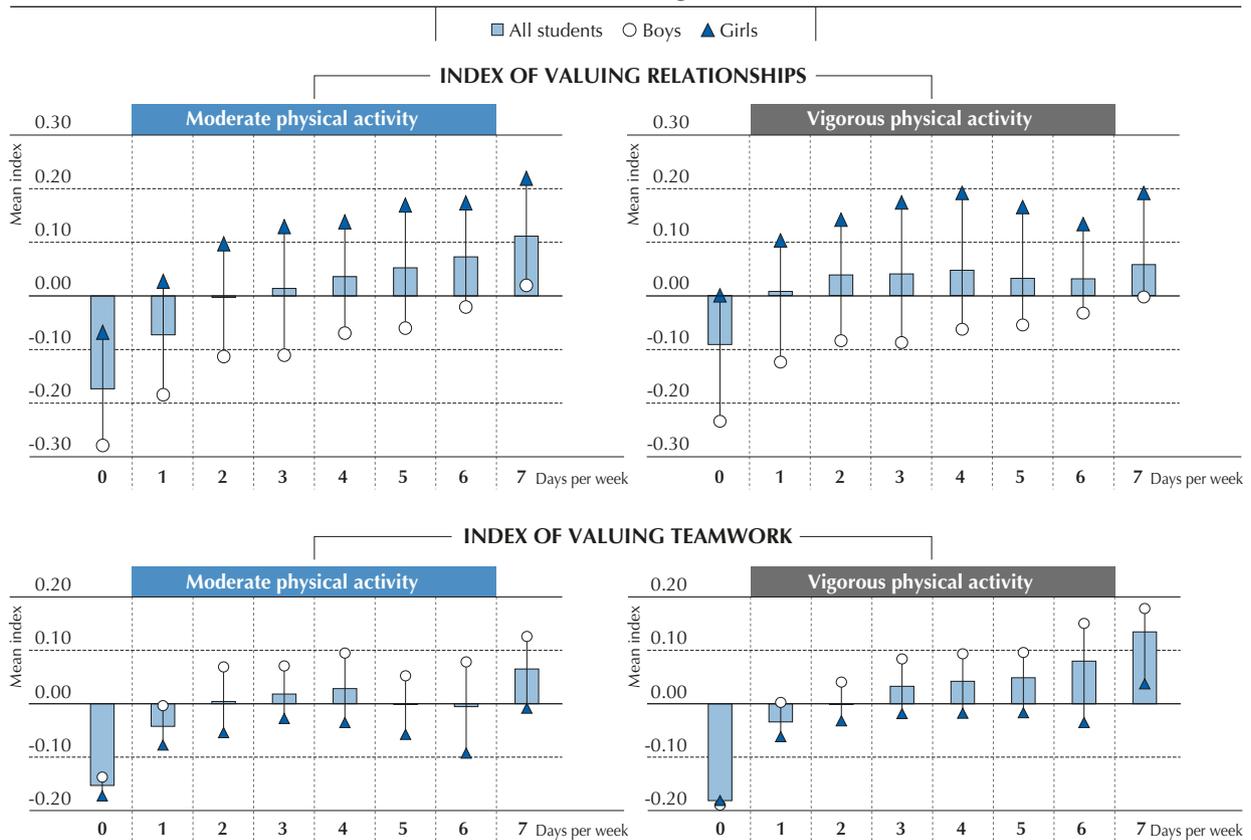
Students who participate in moderate or vigorous physical activity more often during the week tend to have more positive attitudes towards collaboration, as shown in Figures V.6.3 and V.6.4. The index of valuing relationships seems to increase progressively as students engage in more days of moderate physical activity. It increases up to a threshold of two days per week of vigorous physical activity, after which it remains relatively constant.<sup>5</sup>

There is also a continuous increase in the index of valuing teamwork with the number of days that students engage in vigorous physical activity. Students who do not engage in any vigorous physical activity during an average week are almost one-third of a standard deviation lower on that index than students who engage in vigorous physical activity every day of the week (Table V.6.4b). The relationship with moderate physical activity is less clear-cut. There appears to be a general increase in the index of valuing teamwork as students engage more frequently in moderate physical activity, although the trend is not monotonic.

The index of valuing teamwork increases progressively with the number of days of physical education class that students attend. On average across OECD countries, students who attend physical education class every day of the school week have an index of valuing teamwork 0.23 unit higher than students who do not attend any physical education class (Figure V.6.4). The index of valuing relationships, however, is highest among those students who participate in physical education class one or two days per week.



Figure V.6.3 ■ Physical exercise and attitudes towards co-operation, by gender  
OECD average

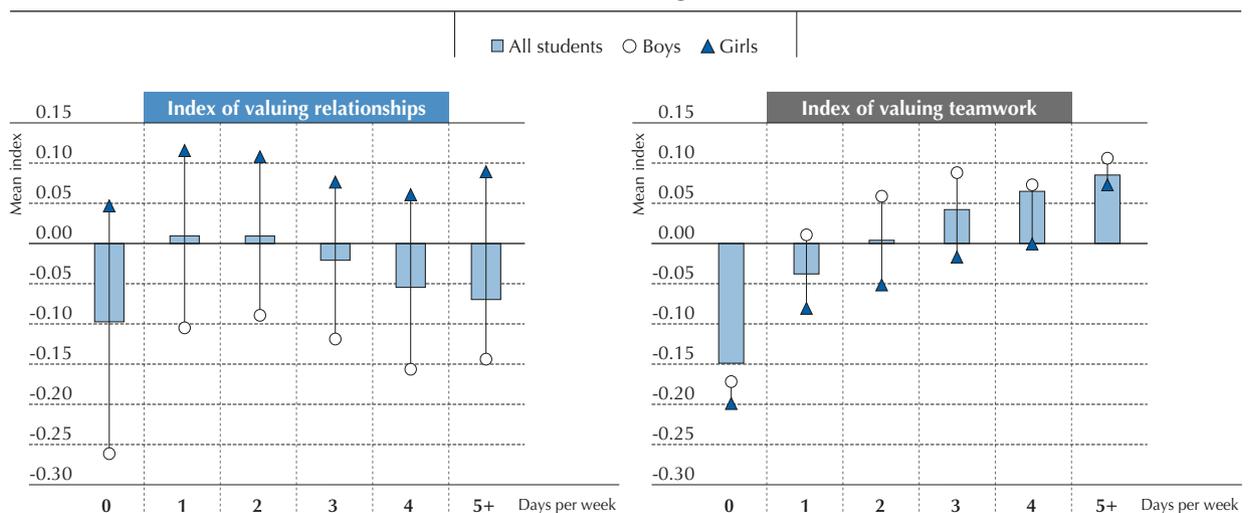


Notes: Moderate physical activities include walking, climbing stairs or riding a bicycle to school for at least 60 minutes per day. Vigorous physical activities are those that make the student sweat and breathe hard, such as running, cycling, aerobics, soccer or skating, for at least 20 minutes per day.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.6.4a and V.6.4b.

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Figure V.6.4 ■ Physical education class and attitudes towards co-operation, by gender  
OECD average



Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.6.4c.

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Students were not asked whether they participate in individual or team sports, a factor that affects the interpretation of these results. Caution is also advised when comparing results that involve different measures of physical activity and exercise. Physical education class in school might be voluntary or obligatory. PISA did not ask students how long their physical education classes lasted, so some students might have had fewer days of longer physical education classes, while other students might have had more days of shorter physical education classes. Moderate or vigorous physical activity includes exercise and sport in which students participate both during and outside of school hours. Hence, the various measures of physical activity are neither necessarily interchangeable nor comparable.

## STUDENT ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

PISA 2015 asked students whether they participated in a variety of activities before or after school on the most recent school day prior to sitting the PISA assessment. Several of these activities might have a social – or perhaps antisocial – component to them: using the Internet/chat/social networks; playing video games; meeting friends or talking to friends on the phone; and working in the household or taking care of family members.

These questions measure what occurs on only one particular school day and may not accurately describe a student's general level of participation in any of these activities. However, the four activities described above generally require minimal dedicated effort – they can be performed at home, without having to go to a special location – and hence are likely to be performed on a regular, almost daily basis by those who partake in them. Hence, asking students whether they participated in these activities on the most recent school day is likely to elicit responses that show whether they participate in these activities on most school days.<sup>6</sup>

## Performance in collaborative problem solving

### *Playing video games*

On average across OECD countries, a negative association is observed between performance in collaborative problem solving and playing video games. Students who play video games score 32 points lower, on average, than students who do not play video games (Figure V.6.5). This gap is also significant and in favour of those who do not play video games in 50 out of the 51 participating countries and economies; it is largest in Israel and the United Arab Emirates, where students who play video games score 58 points in collaborative problem solving below students who do not play video games. Only in Costa Rica is there a non-significant gap between these two groups of students (Table V.6.7b).

This gap remains significant after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. The relative score of students who play video games outside of school is 15 points below that of students who do not play video games, on average across OECD countries; after also accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, the gap is still significant but only 4 score points wide (Figure V.6.5, Table V.6.7b). The fall in collaborative problem-solving performance associated with playing video games is particularly large in Israel, Thailand and the United States, where it is over 10 score points (after also accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile).

The reduction of the performance gap in collaborative problem-solving between students who play and those who do not play video games, after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, can be largely attributed to cognitive aspects common to all four assessments. Likewise, boys play video games more often than girls and boys perform worse in collaborative problem solving; accounting for gender thus narrows the performance gap. However, the gap still remains significant after accounting for all of these variables, which indicates that there are still unexplained factors that might be behind this relationship.

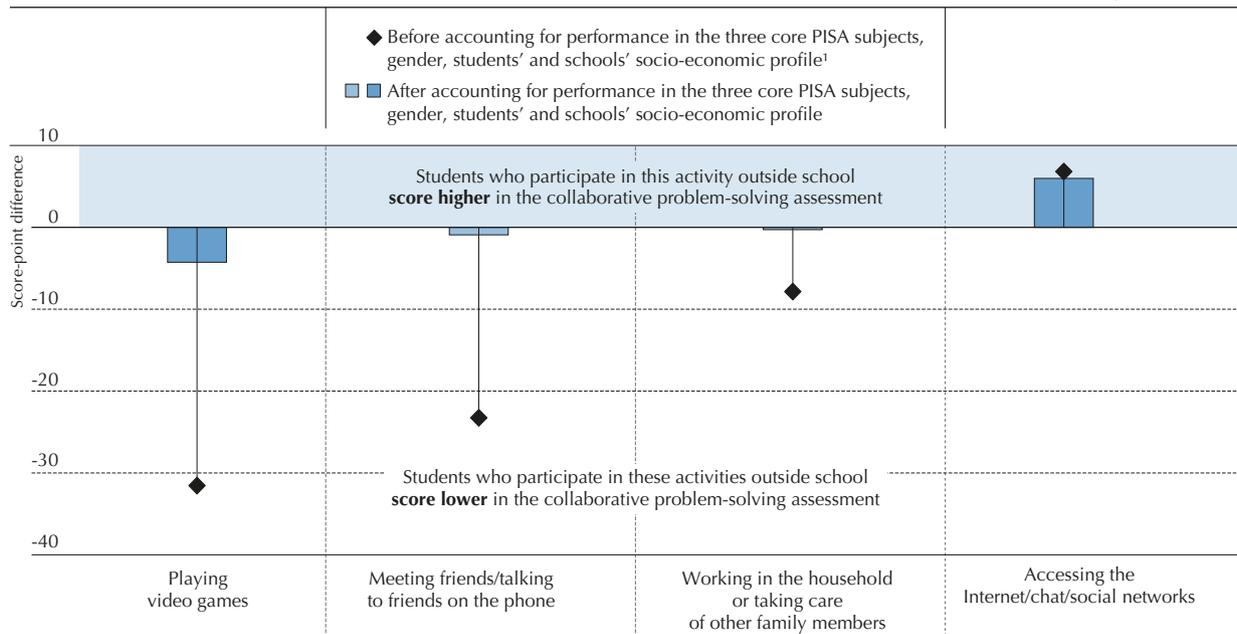
### *Accessing the Internet, chat or social networks*

By contrast, accessing the Internet, chat, or social networks outside of school is associated with higher performance in collaborative problem solving. On average across OECD countries, students who access such online communication media score seven points above students who did not in the collaborative problem-solving assessment (Figure V.6.5). At the country level, the gap is significant and in favour of students who accessed such media in 23 of the 51 countries and economies, and is over 35 score points wide in Brazil, Colombia and Norway. In six countries and economies, the gap is significant but in favour of students who did not access such media, with the widest such gap – 35 score points – observed in the United States (Table V.6.7a).

After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic status, a significant gap of six score points in collaborative problem-solving performance is still observed across OECD countries in favour of students who had accessed the Internet, chat, or social networks outside of school (Figure V.6.5).



Figure V.6.5 ■ **Activities outside of school and performance in collaborative problem solving**  
*Difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between students who reported that they had engaged in these activities before or after school and those who reported that they had not, OECD average*



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

**Notes:** Score-point differences that are statistically significant are shown in a darker tone. All differences before accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Students were asked whether they had engaged in these activities before or after school on the most recent school day prior to the PISA assessment.

Activities are ranked in ascending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for performance in the core PISA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.6.7a-d.

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This gap is significant and in favour of students who had accessed such media in 13 of the 51 participating countries and economies, and is over 15 points wide in the Czech Republic and Germany. By contrast, the performance gap is significant and in favour of students who had not accessed such media only in the United States, where it is 10 score points wide (Table V.6.7a).

These forms of media are all accessed via the computer or another form of information and communications technology (ICT), much in the same way that the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment was conducted. Hence, students who participate in these activities outside of school might already be more familiar with the idea of and have more experience in interacting with others in a virtual environment. Accessing these forms of media may also be relevant to how students might collaborate virtually after they leave school.

### Other out-of-school activities

Students who met friends or talked to friends on the phone performed below students who did neither in the collaborative problem-solving assessment. Likewise, students who worked in the household or took care of family members performed worse in collaborative problem solving than students who did not do so. However, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic status, no significant difference in performance between the groups of students remained (Figure V.6.5).

## Attitudes towards collaboration

### Meeting friends or talking to friends on the phone, and accessing the Internet, chat or social networks

Participation in each of the activities described above is associated with a significant change in students' attitudes towards collaboration. First, students who met friends or talked to friends on the phone outside of school are located higher on the index of valuing relationships (by 0.07 unit after accounting for gender and socio-economic status, on average across OECD countries) and much higher on the index of valuing teamwork (by 0.29 unit after accounting for gender and socio-economic status, on average across OECD countries) than students who did not do so (Table V.6.8a).



Indeed, the index of valuing teamwork was higher among students who met friends or talked to friends outside of school in 54 out of the 57 countries that administered the PISA assessment on the computer.

Students who met friends or talked to friends on the phone outside of school were particularly more likely to report that they prefer working as part of a team to working alone (11 percentage-point difference, after accounting for gender and socio-economic status); that they find that teamwork raises their own efficiency (11 percentage-point difference); and that they enjoy co-operating with peers (9 percentage-point difference). The largest gaps are found in the Russian Federation (hereafter “Russia”), where students who met friends or talked to friends on the phone outside of school were 22 percentage points more likely to report that they prefer working as part of a team; 19 percentage points more likely to report that they find that teamwork improves their own efficiency; and 19 percentage points more likely to report that they enjoy co-operating with peers (Table V.6.8a).

Similar results are observed for students who access the Internet, chat or social networks outside of school. After accounting for gender and socio-economic status, these students have an index of valuing teamwork 0.19 unit higher than students who do not access such communications media, on average across OECD countries, although their index of valuing relationships is a relatively small 0.02 unit below that of students who do not access such communications media (Table V.6.8b).

As with meeting friends or talking to friends on the phone, students who access the Internet, chat or social networks outside of school are also significantly more likely to say that they prefer working as part of a team to working alone (by 8 percentage points); that they enjoy co-operating with peers (by 8 percentage points); and that they find that teamwork raises their own efficiency (by 7 percentage points) (Table V.6.8b).

Meeting friends, talking to friends on the phone, and using the Internet, chat or social networks are all ways to develop and nurture relationships with others. It might therefore seem surprising that these activities are associated with a greater difference in how students value teamwork compared to how they value relationships. However, the relationships are not causal and an explanation for these relationships cannot be ascertained from data from PISA.

### ***Working in the household and taking care of family members***

Students who work in the household or who take care of family members value both relationships and teamwork more than students who do not engage in these activities. On average across OECD countries, these students are 0.19 unit higher on the index of valuing relationships and 0.16 unit higher on the index of valuing teamwork than other students, after accounting for gender and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile. Moreover, a significant difference is observed in almost every country and economy that administered the PISA 2015 assessment on the computer. Students in Latvia, Lithuania and New Zealand were particularly more likely to value both relationships and teamwork if they work in the household or take care of family members (Table V.6.8d).

As mentioned earlier, it is impossible to determine causality, if a causal relationship between the variables exists. Students who value relationships and teamwork might be more likely to help out around the house. However, it might also be that students who, out of necessity, help out around the house develop an appreciation of the interpersonal relationships and teamwork required to make a family work successfully.

### ***Playing video games***

Playing video games is also associated with students’ attitudes towards teamwork. On average across OECD countries, and after accounting for gender and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile, students who play video games outside of school have a higher index of valuing teamwork than students who do not play video games (a 0.04-unit gap), with students in Bulgaria, Hungary, Italy, Portugal and the United Arab Emirates particularly more likely to value teamwork (a gap of over 0.10 unit). Many video games, especially multiplayer games where players in different physical locations connect to a network, require players to work together on the same team towards the same goal. This may develop or require positive dispositions towards teamwork.

However, students who play video games have a lower index of valuing relationships (a 0.05-unit gap), on average, than other students. Students in Greece, Iceland, Lithuania, Montenegro, Norway, Peru, Spain, Switzerland and Turkey were particularly less likely to value relationships (a gap of over 0.10 in the index). Meaningful relationships with others are not necessarily fostered in video games, where players often interact through virtual avatars and not face-to-face with others (Table V.6.8c).



## STUDENT TRUANCY

Students may play truant from school or be late for school for a variety of reasons, including a lack of motivation, interest or desire to be in school (Allen-Meares, Washington and Walsh, 2000; Read, 1983), poor enforcement of disciplinary penalties for truancy (Epstein and Sheldon, 2002), poor academic performance (Henry, 2007; Strickland, 1998) or because they do not enjoy spending time with their classmates or in the school environment (Buist, 1980; Croft and Grygier, 1956; Nielsen and Gerber, 1979). Truancy and lateness may be manifestations of the rejection of this stable environment, where students learn subject matter, develop cognitive skills, and nurture friendships and relationships with others.

In particular, Reid (1984) found that Welsh students who often played truant from school displayed neurotic and antisocial behaviour to a larger extent than students who did not skip school. A similar study in Canada showed lower levels of social competence and higher levels of antisocial behaviour among truant students (Corville-Smith et al., 1998). Are similar results observed across many schools and across countries and economies in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment?

### Performance in collaborative problem solving

On average across OECD countries, students who had skipped a whole day of school in the two weeks prior to the PISA test score 39 points below those who had not skipped a whole day of school in collaborative problem solving (Table V.6.9a). The difference is particularly stark in Beijing-Shanghai-Jiangsu-Guangdong (China) (hereafter “B-S-J-G [China]”), Japan, Korea, Slovenia and Chinese Taipei, where it exceeds 65 score points. In four of these countries and economies, fewer than one in 30 students had skipped a whole day of school at least once in the two weeks prior to the PISA assessment. In no country/economy do students who had skipped a whole day of school during that period perform better on the collaborative problem-solving assessment than students who had not.

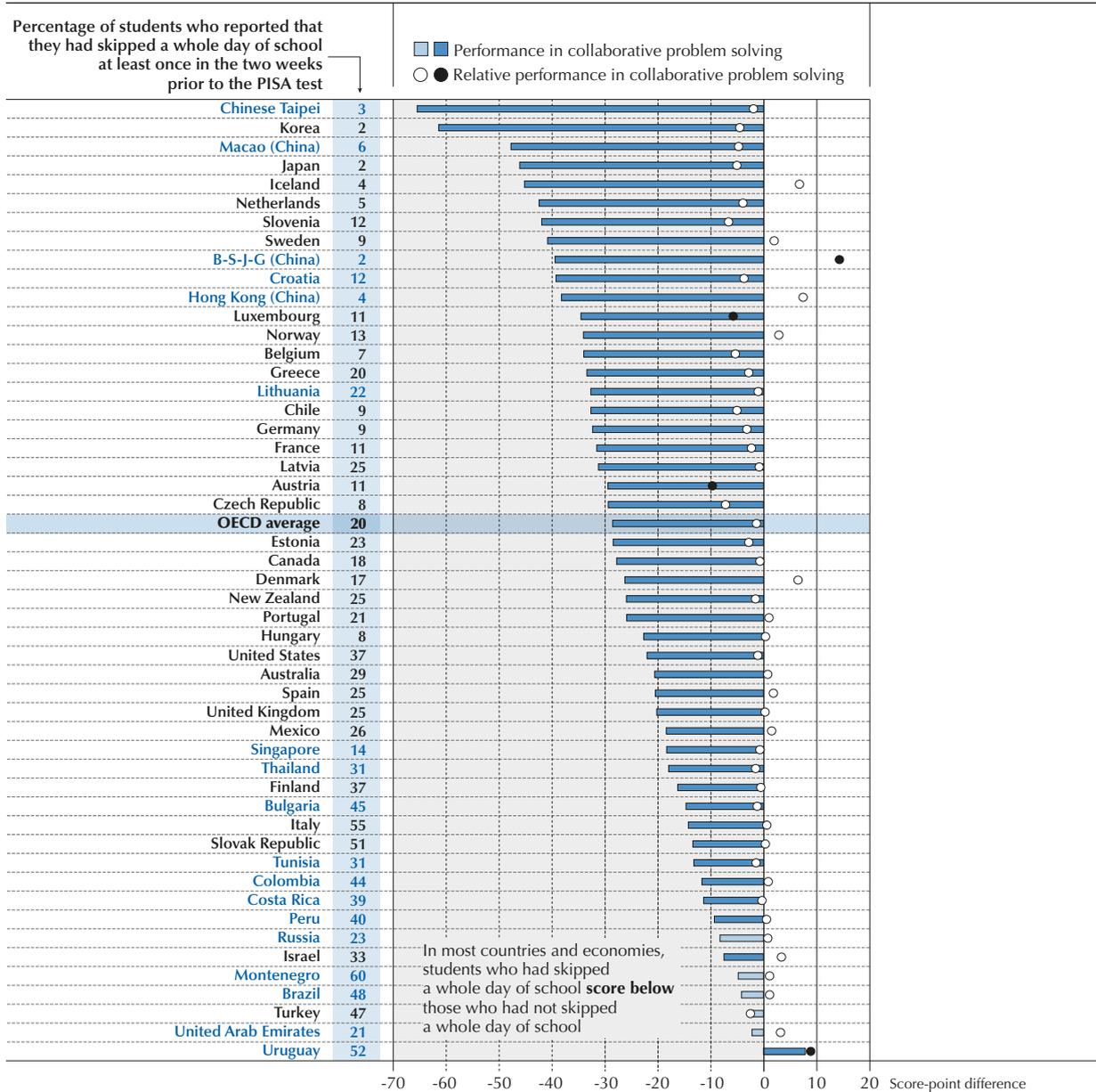
The performance gap remains after accounting for gender, and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile. Students who had skipped a whole day of school score 29 points below students who had not after accounting for these factors (Figure V.6.6), on average across OECD countries. Similar differences are observed among students who had skipped at least one class in those two weeks (a gap of 29 score points before accounting for gender, and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile; a 24 score-point gap after accounting for those factors) and among students who had arrived late for school (a 24 score-point gap before accounting for those factors; an 18 score-point gap after accounting for them) (Table V.6.9b and Table V.6.9c).

However, *PISA 2015 Results (Volume II): Policies and Practices for Successful Schools* (OECD, 2016) notes that students who had played truant from school also score lower in the science assessment. Given the relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and performance in the three core PISA domains, is there any relationship between student truancy and lateness, and the distinctive aspects of collaborative problem solving?

The significant relationships described are not observed after accounting for student performance in science, reading and mathematics, gender, and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile: there is no longer any difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between students who had and those who had not skipped a whole day of school, skipped some classes or arrived late for school when these two groups of students perform at similar levels in science, reading and mathematics (Tables V.6.9a, V.6.9b and V.6.9c). Only in Austria and Luxembourg do students who had skipped a whole day of school in the two weeks prior to the PISA assessment perform worse in collaborative problem solving (by 6 and 10 score points, respectively), after accounting for their performance in the three core PISA domains, gender, and students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile. By contrast, in Uruguay, students who had skipped a whole day of school score 9 points higher, and in B-S-J-G (China), they score 14 points higher than those students who had not.

It therefore appears that there is no association between student truancy and lateness, and the distinctive aspects of collaborative problem solving. This may lend support to the hypothesis that students choose to play truant from school because of factors related to their academic performance and how they view school itself, as opposed to their ability to collaborate with classmates.<sup>7</sup> It could also be that the antisocial behaviour and poor social competence observed by Read (1984) and Corville-Smith et al. (1998) are consequences of other factors that also lead to increased truancy.

Figure V.6.6 ■ **Skipping a whole day of school and performance in collaborative problem solving**  
 Difference in performance between students who had skipped a whole day of school in the two weeks prior to the PISA test and those who had not, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile<sup>1</sup>



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Notes: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students nationally.

Countries and economies are ranked in ascending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem-solving performance, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.6.9a.

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## Attitudes towards collaboration

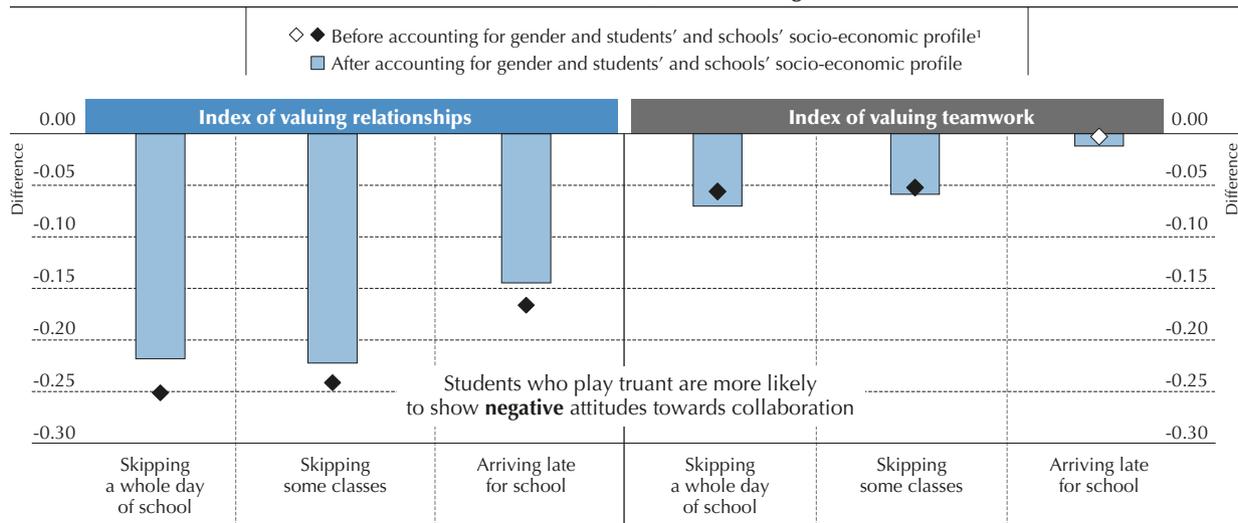
Students who play truant or arrive late for school are also less likely to have positive attitudes towards collaboration. On average across OECD countries, students who had skipped at least one day of school or had skipped some classes in the two weeks prior to sitting the PISA assessment have significantly lower values on both the index of valuing relationships and the index of valuing teamwork. Students who had arrived late for school have a lower index of valuing relationships,



but there is no difference observed in the index of valuing teamwork. After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, students who play truant or arrive late for school have lower indices of both valuing relationships and valuing teamwork (Figure V.6.7).

For example, in 53 of 56 countries and economies, students who had skipped at least one full day of school are located significantly lower on the index of valuing relationships than students who had not done so (Table V.6.10a). Differences between these two groups of students are especially large in Croatia, Iceland and Switzerland. After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, differences are still significant in 51 out of 56 countries and economies.

Figure V.6.7 ■ **Skipping a whole day of school and attitudes towards collaboration**  
Change in the index when students reported the following having taken place during the two weeks prior to the PISA assessment, OECD average



1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Note: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone. All differences for after accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Tables V.6.10a-c.

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The largest gaps in attitudes are observed for the statements "I am a good listener", "I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful", and "I take into account what others are interested in". On average across OECD countries, students who had skipped at least one whole day of school in the two weeks prior to the PISA assessment were over six percentage points less likely to agree or strongly agree with each of these items than students who had not done so, after accounting for gender and socio-economic profile. The gaps are particularly striking in Iceland, the Netherlands and Sweden, where they are over 9 percentage points for all three of these statements after accounting for gender and socio-economic profile (Table V.6.10a).

The largest gaps in attitudes towards collaboration are seen when considering the statements that are included in the index of valuing relationships, which are closely related to valuing others' opinions and success. It thus appears that there is a particularly strong relationship between the decision to play truant and the extent to which a student values friendships and other interpersonal relationships. This is not necessarily surprising, given that students who play truant have less time to develop such relationships and might not be as integrated into the school environment as other students.

Is there a relationship between the behaviour of a truant student and the attitudes of his or her non-truant classmates? Tables V.6.11a, V.6.11b, and V.6.11c show that, on average across OECD countries, students who had not played truant or who had not arrived late for school had lower indices of enjoying and valuing co-operation when they attended schools where more of their classmates were truant or late for school, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. This negative association is also observed for almost all of the individual statements.<sup>8</sup>



In particular, the attitudes towards collaboration of students in Belgium, Lithuania and Qatar who had not played truant – they had not skipped a day of school, skipped any classes, nor had arrived late for school in the two weeks prior to the PISA assessment – were more negative when the students attend schools where more of their classmates had been truant after accounting for gender and students' and schools' socio-economic profile.

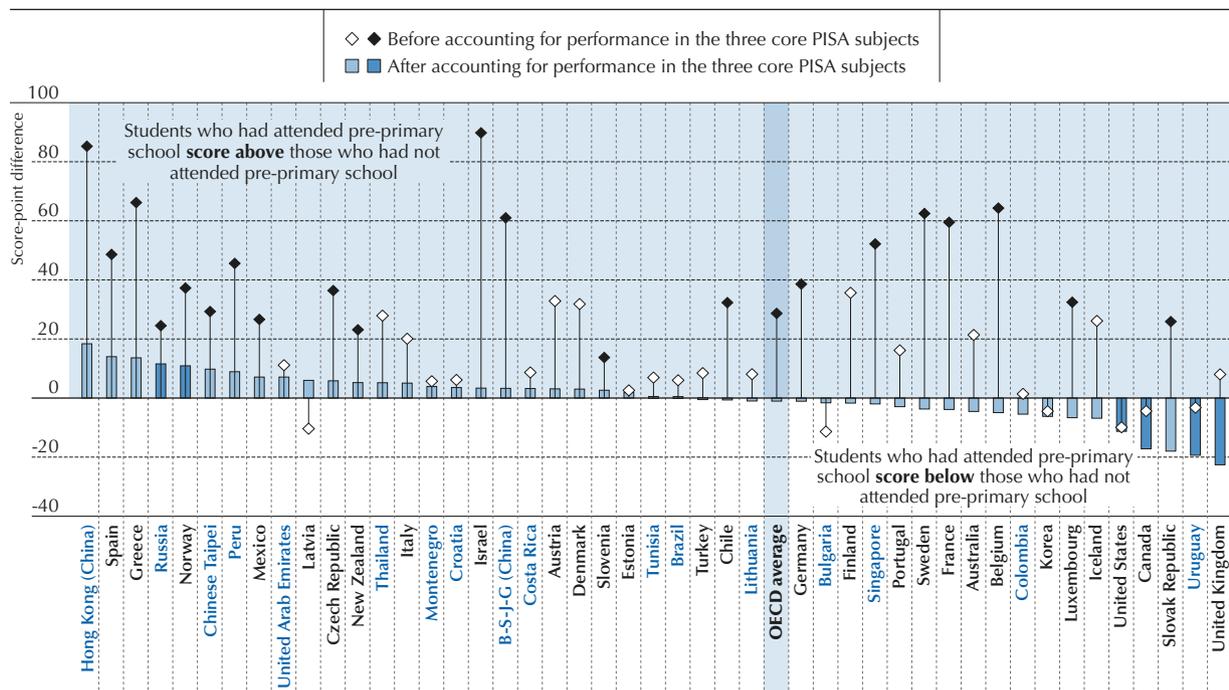
## ATTENDANCE AT PRE-PRIMARY SCHOOL

### Performance in collaborative problem solving

Parents often enrol their children in pre-primary school so that they can go back to work, so that their children can develop cognitive skills, and most relevant to collaboration, so that their children can begin the socialisation process before primary school. For example, parents expect their children to learn how to behave with others outside of the family, communicate, share, express themselves and observe social rules governing interpersonal interaction (Currie and Almond, 2011; Sollars, 2017; Williams, Sheridan and Sandberg, 2014). Indeed, many pre-primary schools focus on developing both empathy (Jalongo, 2013) and social skills (Ostrosky and Meadan, 2010). Does pre-primary school prepare children to collaborate and co-operate? Is the difference between those who had attended pre-primary school and those who had not still apparent ten years later, when students are 15 years old and at the age when they sit the PISA assessment?

Some 95% of 15-year-old students, on average across OECD countries, had attended some form of pre-primary school.<sup>9</sup> Results from the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment and student questionnaire show that students who had attended pre-primary school score 29 points higher than students who had not attended pre-primary school. A significant difference is observed in 21 of the 47 countries for which data are available (Table V.6.12a). In four countries where at least 5% of 15-year-olds had not attended pre-primary school<sup>10</sup> – B-S-J-G (China), Norway, Russia and Slovenia – students who had attended pre-primary school score significantly higher in collaborative problem solving than those students who had not (Figure V.6.8). In no country or economy is the gap significant in favour of students who had not attended pre-primary school.

Figure V.6.8 ■ **Pre-primary school and performance in collaborative problem solving**  
Difference in collaborative problem-solving performance between students who had attended pre-primary school and those who had not



Note: Statistically significant score-point differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference in collaborative problem-solving performance, after accounting for the three core PISA subjects.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.6.12a.

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However, this difference vanishes after accounting for student performance in science, reading and mathematics (Figure V.6.8), whether or not gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile are also accounted for. On average across OECD countries, there is no significant relationship between attendance at pre-primary school and the distinctive aspects of collaborative problem solving, indicating that the performance gap described above reflects the relationship between collaborative problem-solving performance and performance in science, reading and mathematics. Attendance at pre-primary school has no discernible effect on the unique aspects of collaborative problem solving (or what one would attribute to collaboration skills as opposed to general academic proficiency) ten years later.

In fact, after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, a significant advantage in collaborative problem-solving performance among students who had attended pre-primary school is observed only in Norway (11 score points) and Russia (12 score points), while a significant disadvantage among students who had attended pre-primary school is found, among countries where at least 5% of 15-year-olds had not attended pre-primary school, in the United States (11 score points) (Figure V.6.8).

Different students might also gain different skills and advantages from attending pre-primary school. While advantaged families might be able to provide their children with similar learning and socialisation opportunities even if they do not attend pre-primary school, disadvantaged families might have a harder time preparing their children in the first few years of life without the help, support and structure of some form of a pre-primary school arrangement. In other words, the difference in outcomes associated with pre-primary school might differ between advantaged and disadvantaged families (Crampton and Hall, 2017; Havnes and Mogstad, 2011; Leseman, 2002; OECD, 2011; Sylva et al., 2010).<sup>11</sup>

On average across OECD countries, some 93% of disadvantaged<sup>12</sup> students and 97% of advantaged<sup>13</sup> students had attended some form of pre-primary education. However, on average across OECD countries, students from advantaged families appear to gain more from attendance at pre-primary school (a gap of 14 score points) than students from disadvantaged families (a gap of 9 score points) when it comes to performance in collaborative problem solving (Table V.6.12b). This gap becomes insignificant for both types of families after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. Once again, this indicates that attendance at pre-primary school has no relationship with the distinctly collaborative aspects of problem solving when assessed ten years later – among both advantaged and disadvantaged students.

### Attitudes towards collaboration

On average across OECD countries and after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, students who had attended pre-primary school have significantly higher values on the indices of valuing relationships and teamwork and were more likely to agree or strongly agree with all of the items that comprise these two indices (Table V.6.13). However, on average across OECD countries, less than 5% of students reported that they had not attended pre-primary school (Table V.6.12a). As a result, in most countries and economies, the standard errors of effects related to pre-primary school are large and these effects are not significant.

For example, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, only in Chile and Finland do students who had attended pre-primary school have a higher mean index of valuing relationships, while in Australia, Lithuania, Qatar, Slovenia and Turkey, these students have a lower mean index of valuing relationships. Likewise, in only 17 of the 55 countries that took part in the student questionnaire and for which data are available do students who had attended pre-primary school have a higher mean index of valuing teamwork (Table V.6.13).

Students who had attended pre-primary school were between two and five percentage points more likely than those who had not attended to agree or strongly agree with each of the statements that are related to attitudes towards collaboration, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile. For instance, they were 4.7 percentage points more likely to agree that they "prefer working as part of a team to working alone", a gap that widens to over 15 percentage points in the Czech Republic and France. They were also 4.0 percentage points more likely to agree that they "take into account what others are interested in", a gap that grows to over 12 percentage points in the Czech Republic, Germany and Luxembourg. However, in 19 of the 52 countries that took part in the computer-based assessment and for which data are available, there is no significant difference between students who had and those who had not attended pre-primary school in their responses to all of the individual items regarding attitudes towards collaboration.

Thus, attendance at pre-primary school is positively correlated with positive attitudes towards collaboration, and while attendance at pre-primary school is also positively correlated with performance in collaborative problem solving,



this relationship disappears once performance in science, reading and mathematics is accounted for. These results provide some support to the idea that pre-primary schools develop socialisation skills (through the development of cognitive skills) and positive attitudes towards co-operating with others that can have a lasting impact.

## STUDENT INTERACTION IN SCIENCE CLASS

### Performance in collaborative problem solving

The PISA 2015 student questionnaire asked students about how often certain activities occur during science class. Four of these activities were identified as being communication-intensive: explaining one's ideas in science class; spending time in the laboratory doing practical experiments; arguing about science questions; and taking part in class debates about investigations.

A significant negative relationship is observed between performance in the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment and three of these activities in science class. Students who spend time in the laboratory doing practical experiments or who debate about investigations in most or all lessons score 31 points lower in collaborative problem solving than students who did so in some lessons, hardly ever or never. Similarly, they scored 23 points lower if they argue about science questions in most or all lessons (Tables V.6.14b-d). These relationships are still significant after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic status, although the gap shrinks to between three and four score points.

In Brazil, B-S-J-G (China), Colombia, Israel, Japan, Luxembourg, Mexico, Montenegro, Singapore, Tunisia and Uruguay, student performance in collaborative problem is lower whenever students participated in any one of these three activities in most or all science lessons, even after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic status (Tables V.6.14b-d).

As in all the correlations examined in this chapter, no causal relationship is claimed. Students' performance in collaborative problem solving might be influenced by the pedagogical strategies used by their teachers; but teachers might also choose certain teaching methods over others based on their students' behaviour and capabilities.

No significant relationship is observed between performance in collaborative problem solving and the fourth communication-intensive activity in science class – explaining one's ideas – after accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, gender, and socio-economic status (Table V.6.14a).

### Attitudes towards collaboration

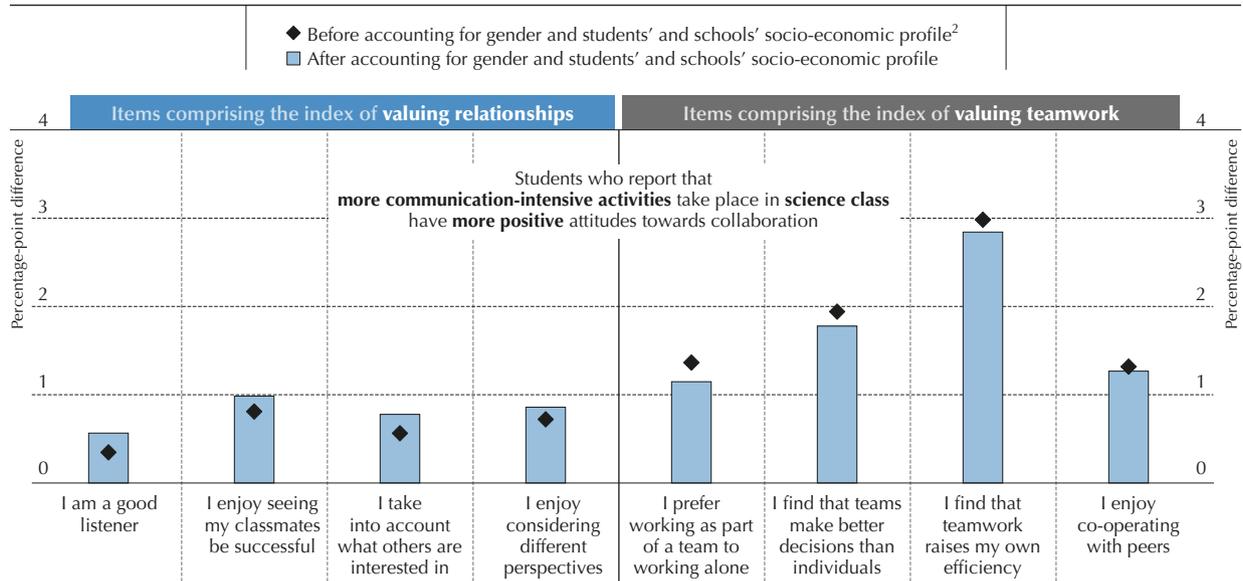
Significant relationships between these activities and attitudes towards collaboration are observed both on average across OECD countries and in many countries and economies. On average across OECD countries, the indices of valuing relationships and teamwork are higher among students who reported that they participate in these activities in most or all lessons than among those who reported that they participate in these activities in only some lessons or never/hardly ever (Tables V.6.15a-d).

Students who are given opportunities to explain their ideas in most or all lessons were two to six percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with each of the statements regarding attitudes towards collaboration. This difference is observed in most countries and economies. For example, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile, in 46 of the 56 countries and economies that administered the student questionnaire on computer, students who reported that they explain their ideas in most or all science lessons were more likely to agree that they are "a good listener"; in 37 out of 56 countries and economies, these students also agreed that they "enjoy considering different perspectives". Only in Brazil were students who reported that they explain their ideas in most or all lessons less likely to agree or strongly agree that they "enjoy considering different perspectives".

The index of student interaction in science class was created by combining student responses to how often the four communication-intensive activities described above take place. It is equal to the number of statements describing activities in which students reported that they participate during most or all lessons. Students are more likely to agree or strongly agree with each of the statements related to collaboration as they interact more in science class. The largest effects are observed for the statement "I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency". On average across OECD countries, students are 2.8 percentage points more likely to agree or strongly agree with this statement than students who do not participate in these activities for every additional communication-intensive activity in which they participate in science class, after accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile (Figure V.6.9).



Figure V.6.9 ■ **Student interaction in science class and attitudes towards collaboration**  
*Change in the percentage of students who agree/strongly agree with the following statements per one-unit increase in the index of student interaction in science class<sup>1</sup>, OECD average*



1. The index of student interaction in science class is the sum of students' responses to questions about whether their science teachers use the following teaching practices in all lessons or in most lessons: students are given opportunities to explain their ideas; students spend time in the laboratory carrying out practical experiments; students are required to argue about science questions; there is a class debate about investigations. The index ranges from 0 to 4, with all responses weighted equally.

2. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Note: All differences are statistically significant (see Annex A3).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.6.15e.

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As with performance in collaborative problem solving, attitudes towards collaboration might be influenced by pedagogical methods, but teachers might also choose certain pedagogical methods based on their students' attitudes towards collaboration. While no causal relationship can be claimed from these results, the results indicate that there is a positive and significant relationship between pedagogical methods emphasising student interaction and student attitudes towards collaboration.

The questions used in the questionnaire were specific only to science class. The interpretation of the observed relationship depends on whether the pedagogical methods used in science class are representative of the ethos prevalent throughout the school. However, Table V.6.16 shows that, on average across OECD countries, 95% of the variation in the index of student interaction in science class is observed across students in the same school, while only 5% is seen between schools. Hence, students in the same school perceive a great variety of teaching methods in their science classes, which likely also extends to other subjects. As a result, there is limited evidence to support the notion that there is a school-wide ethos of such communication-intensive pedagogy.



## Notes

1. Examples of moderate physical activity are walking, climbing stairs and riding a bike to school. Students were asked whether they engage in moderate physical activity for at least 60 minutes a day.
2. Examples of vigorous physical activity are running, cycling, aerobics, soccer and skating. Students were asked whether they engage in vigorous physical activity that made them sweat and breathe hard for at least 20 minutes a day.
3. The number of days that students attended physical education class per week was top-coded down to at most five days per week.
4. The average difference across both genders is greater than the difference for either gender because of weighting: different proportions of boys and girls participated in zero and seven days of vigorous physical activity in the week prior to the PISA assessment.
5. The plateau in the index of valuing relationships after two days of vigorous physical activity per week seems to be due to boys. There is a progressive but not necessarily always significant increase in girls' attitudes towards valuing relationships with the number of days that they engage in vigorous physical activity, up to all seven days per week.
6. This distinguishes these activities from two other student activities that may have a social component to them: exercising or practicing sports outside of school, and working for pay. There is a greater barrier to taking part in these activities, as they most often occur outside the home, and students are more likely to take part in these activities on some but not all days of the week. As a result, a student's participation in these activities on the most recent school day is less likely to be representative of the average frequency of the student's participation in these activities.
7. It is not clear whether students play truant individually or in a group; truancy in a group may actually be a collaborative activity.
8. The exceptions are between students who did not skip a whole day of school and the statement "I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency"; students who did not skip any classes and the statement "I am a good listener"; and students who were never late and the statement "I am a good listener". Among students who did not display these truant behaviours, there was no significant relationship between the percentage of these students who agreed or strongly agreed to these statements and the proportion of students in their schools who did display these truant behaviours.
9. In this volume, students were deemed to have attended pre-primary school if they specified the age at which they started pre-primary school (ISCED 0). Results may differ from those in *PISA 2015 Results (Volume II): Policies and Practices for Successful Schools* (OECD, 2016), where students were deemed to have attended pre-primary school if they specified both the age at which they started pre-primary school (ISCED 0) and primary school (ISCED 1).
10. The uncertainty in the performance gap between students who did and did not attend a form of pre-primary education is large in many countries due to the relative lack of students who did not attend pre-primary school. Significant differences in these countries are therefore more difficult to ascertain. As a result, we only discuss countries where at least 5% of students (or at least one in 20 students) have not attended pre-primary school.
11. At the same time, it is noted that in some countries, notably those that do not provide this service for free, disadvantaged families may have more difficulty in affording pre-primary education.
12. Students from disadvantaged families are defined as those in the bottom quarter of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status in their country/economy.
13. Students from advantaged families are defined as those in the top quarter of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status in their country/economy.

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## 7

# Collaborative schools, collaborative students

This chapter examines the impact of positive relationships among and between students, teachers, principals, parents and the wider community on students' proficiency in collaborative problem solving and attitudes towards collaboration. It tries to answer the question: if all school stakeholders get along well and work together to achieve common goals, does that help students develop their own collaborative problem-solving skills?

### **A note regarding Israel**

The statistical data for Israel are supplied by and under the responsibility of the relevant Israeli authorities. The use of such data by the OECD is without prejudice to the status of the Golan Heights, East Jerusalem and Israeli settlements in the West Bank under the terms of international law.



### *Man is by nature a social animal – Aristotle, Politics*

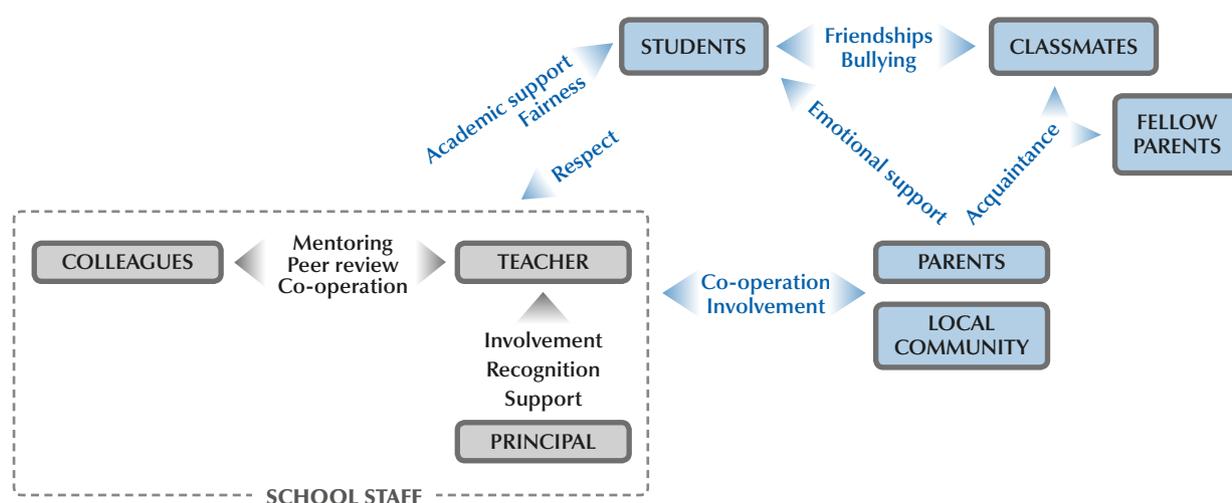
Collaboration and co-operation are the best, if not the only, ways in which complex organisations can address complex challenges (Gajda and Koliba, 2007) and become learning organisations (Kools and Stoll, 2016). The benefits of collaborative and co-operative behaviours have been broadly documented in various social contexts, including neighbourhoods, hospitals, companies (Coleman, 1988; Gittell et al., 2000; Sampson and Groves, 1989), and also in education. When students, teachers, parents and the school principal know and trust each other, work together, and share information, ideas and goals, students – particularly disadvantaged students – benefit (Crosnoe, Johnson and Elder, 2004; Hughes and Kwok, 2007; Jennings and Greenberg, 2009). The gains in problem-solving performance specifically could be even larger. For instance, several studies found that students who collaborate towards a common goal develop their problem-solving skills, especially when they are paired with a child of higher ability (Moshman and Geil, 1998; Samaha and De Lisi, 2000).

This chapter examines the density and quality of the relationships that students, teachers, principals, parents and the wider community build in and around secondary schools, and how they shape students' performance in collaborative problem solving and students' attitudes towards collaboration. The premise is that a socially connected school, in which all stakeholders know and respect each other and work collaboratively to achieve common goals, can help students develop their collaborative problem-solving skills and improve their attitudes towards collaboration.

#### What the data tell us

- Of all the relationships analysed, the strongest predictors of performance in collaborative problem solving are those involving students directly, including relationships they establish with parents, teachers and other students.
- On average across OECD countries, students who reported not being threatened by other students score 18 points higher in collaborative problem solving than students who reported being threatened at least a few times per year. Students also score 11 points higher for every 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported that they are not threatened by other students.
- Across the OECD countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, parents reported knowing an average of five of their child's school friends, and four of the parents of their child's friends. The students whose parents reported knowing more of their school friends are more likely to be enrolled in socio-economically advantaged schools and score higher in collaborative problem solving.
- Students score higher in collaborative problem solving when they or their schoolmates reported that teachers treat students fairly, even after accounting for their performance in science, reading and mathematics.

Figure V.7.1 ■ **Number and quality of relationships at school, as measured in PISA 2015**





The relationships examined in this chapter are summarised in Figure V.7.1. They are classified according to the actors involved (e.g. student-student, parent-teacher, school-community) and the source of information (students, school principal, teachers and parents). Most questions measure the nature/quality of the interactions (e.g. “the principal treats teaching staff as professionals”) but a few quantify the number of relationships (e.g. “How many friends of your child at school do you know by name?”). The few questions that are phrased negatively (e.g. “I was threatened by other students”) have been recoded so that higher values are always interpreted as better or more relationships throughout the chapter.

## STUDENT-STUDENT RELATIONSHIPS

Constructive peer relationships are essential for a healthy and productive school (Johnson, 1981). Students who feel safe and are liked by their peers can more easily concentrate on learning. These students perform better academically and are more motivated in school (Cohen et al., 2009; Sánchez, Colón and Esparza, 2005). Strong and rewarding peer relationships are particularly important for teenagers, since they spend relatively more time with friends and less time with parents than younger students do (McElhaney, Antonishak and Allen, 2008). The relationships that students establish with their schoolmates should be particularly relevant for the type of interpersonal skills evaluated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment. Lonely and bullied students may therefore be at a particular disadvantage since they have fewer opportunities to develop these collaborative skills.<sup>1</sup> Questions about friendships, loneliness and bullying, covering both the quantity and quality of student-student interactions, are examined in this section.

PISA asked students about their sense of belonging at school and about their experiences with bullying, and asked principals about the phenomena that hinder student learning (see also OECD, 2017). Some of these questions were retained to measure the number – “I make friends easily at school”; “I feel lonely at school” – and quality – “Other students seem to like me”; “Other students made fun of me”; “I was threatened by other students”; “I got hit or pushed around by other students”; “Student learning is hindered by students intimidating or bullying other students” – of student-student interactions.

Students feel mostly positive about their relationships with their schoolmates. On average across OECD countries, about four in five students agreed that they seemed to be liked by other students and make friends easily at school; a slightly larger proportion disagreed that they feel lonely at school (Figure V.7.2). An even greater majority reported that they are never or almost never threatened, or hit or pushed by other students. However, a smaller majority – only 70% – of students reported that other students never or almost never make fun of them.

For many students, the picture is less rosy than what is described above. For example, in Beijing-Shanghai-Jiangsu-Guangdong (China) (hereafter “B-S-J-G [China]”), Lithuania and Thailand, only six in ten students agreed that other students seem to like them and in Hong Kong (China), Latvia, Macao (China), New Zealand and Singapore, more than four out of ten students reported that other students make fun of them at least a few times per year (Figure V.7.2).

Generally, students who reported more positive student-student interactions score higher in collaborative problem solving (Table V.7.3). On average across OECD countries, students who reported that they are never or almost never threatened score 18 points higher in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for students’ and schools’ socio-economic profile (Figure V.7.3). Likewise, students score 14 points higher in collaborative problem solving when they reported that they are never or almost never hit or pushed by other students. These relationships are also seen in almost every school system.

At the school level, more positive student-student interactions among the student population are always associated with better student performance, even when considering those student-student interactions that are negatively related to collaborative problem-solving performance at the student level. For instance, on average across OECD countries, student performance in collaborative problem solving improves by 11 score points for every 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported that they are never or almost never threatened, or never or almost never hit or pushed by other students (Figure V.7.3 and Table V.7.3).

After accounting for student performance in science, reading and mathematics – that is, among students who perform similarly in these core PISA subjects – students score higher in collaborative problem solving when they, or more of their schoolmates, reported that they are never or almost never threatened, or never or almost never hit or pushed by other students (Table V.7.4).<sup>2</sup> In the Czech Republic and Spain, for instance, students who reported that they are not threatened by other students score more than 14 points higher in collaborative problem solving than would be expected given their performance in other subjects. Students also score higher when more of their schoolmates agreed that other students seem to like them, disagreed that they felt lonely at school, or reported that other students never, or almost never, make fun of them.

Figure V.7.2 ■ Student-student relationships

|                      | Percentage of students who reported the following:               |   |  |   |   |  |
|----------------------|--|---|--|---|---|--|
|                      | “Agree” or “strongly agree” that I make friends easily at school | “Agree” or “strongly agree” that other students seem to like me | “Disagree” or “strongly disagree” that I feel lonely at school | Other students “never or almost never” make fun of me | I am “never or almost never” threatened by other students | I “never or almost never” get hit or pushed around by other students |
| Netherlands          | 85   | 92  | 92   | 81  | 95  | 94   |
| Korea                | 79   | 82  | 92   | 81  | 97  | 98   |
| Chinese Taipei       | 85   | 72  | 88   | 83  | 96  | 98   |
| France               | 86   | 90  | 91   | 69  | 92  | 91   |
| Spain                | 83   | 86  | 91   | 74  | 92  | 90   |
| Portugal             | 78   | 88  | 89   | 80  | 88  | 93   |
| Montenegro           | 83   | 80  | 86   | 83  | 87  | 93   |
| Greece               | 80   | 87  | 88   | 72  | 93  | 90   |
| Ireland              | 81   | 91  | 88   | 71  | 89  | 90   |
| Belgium              | 82   | 88  | 90   | 66  | 91  | 90   |
| Hungary              | 81   | 83  | 85   | 75  | 92  | 91   |
| Croatia              | 84   | 82  | 88   | 76  | 89  | 89   |
| Switzerland          | 81   | 87  | 90   | 63  | 92  | 91   |
| Iceland              | 76   | 83  | 84   | 78  | 90  | 92   |
| Germany              | 73   | 85  | 87   | 67  | 94  | 94   |
| Norway               | 80   | 83  | 86   | 75  | 89  | 87   |
| Denmark              | 79   | 85  | 87   | 67  | 93  | 87   |
| Luxembourg           | 76   | 81  | 85   | 73  | 91  | 91   |
| Peru                 | 76   | 77  | 83   | 78  | 93  | 89   |
| Finland              | 80   | 82  | 88   | 69  | 89  | 86   |
| Slovenia             | 77   | 78  | 85   | 73  | 92  | 87   |
| United States        | 79   | 89  | 82   | 69  | 85  | 89   |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>78</b>  | <b>82</b>   | <b>85</b>  | <b>70</b>   | <b>89</b>   | <b>88</b>  |
| Austria              | 78   | 84  | 85   | 65  | 92  | 89   |
| Brazil               | 74   | 81  | 80   | 75  | 89  | 92   |
| Uruguay              | 73   | 86  | 79   | 72  | 90  | 90   |
| Chile                | 73   | 76  | 83   | 71  | 90  | 90   |
| Slovak Republic      | 77   | 77  | 81   | 72  | 88  | 88   |
| United Kingdom       | 79   | 88  | 86   | 62  | 82  | 85   |
| Czech Republic       | 75   | 81  | 82   | 71  | 90  | 81   |
| Canada               | 78   | 87  | 82   | 63  | 85  | 85   |
| Sweden               | 75   | 78  | 81   | 71  | 88  | 83   |
| Estonia              | 76   | 76  | 85   | 62  | 90  | 86   |
| Australia            | 79   | 88  | 84   | 61  | 80  | 84   |
| Poland               | 73   | 73  | 80   | 68  | 90  | 90   |
| Japan                | 69   | 74  | 88   | 67  | 94  | 82   |
| Singapore            | 80   | 81  | 82   | 57  | 87  | 85   |
| Costa Rica           | 72   | 72  | 77   | 70  | 86  | 91   |
| New Zealand          | 79   | 88  | 83   | 58  | 78  | 82   |
| Russia               | 73   | 64  | 79   | 72  | 87  | 93   |
| United Arab Emirates | 80   | 79  | 83   | 63  | 81  | 81   |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 78   | 60  | 79   | 69  | 90  | 89   |
| Mexico               | 73   | 72  | 79   | 66  | 89  | 85   |
| Qatar                | 78   | 83  | 80   | 64  | 80  | 79   |
| Tunisia              | 83   | 80  | 85   | 66  | 73  | 76   |
| Colombia             | 70   | 69  | 75   | 68  | 91  | 87   |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 81   | 78  | 81   | 53  | 85  | 80   |
| Thailand             | 83   | 62  | 82   | 62  | 81  | 85   |
| Bulgaria             | 75   | 72  | 75   | 69  | 84  | 77   |
| Macao (China)        | 76   | 66  | 80   | 55  | 83  | 88   |
| Turkey               | 62   | 64  | 65   | 80  | 87  | 90   |
| Dominican Republic   | 66   | 66  | 69   | 71  | 82  | 91   |
| Lithuania            | 64   | 63  | 69   | 74  | 86  | 87   |
| Latvia               | 76   | 68  | 83   | 59  | 81  | 74   |

Note: Only countries and economies with available data for all six statements are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students (average of six statements).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.1.

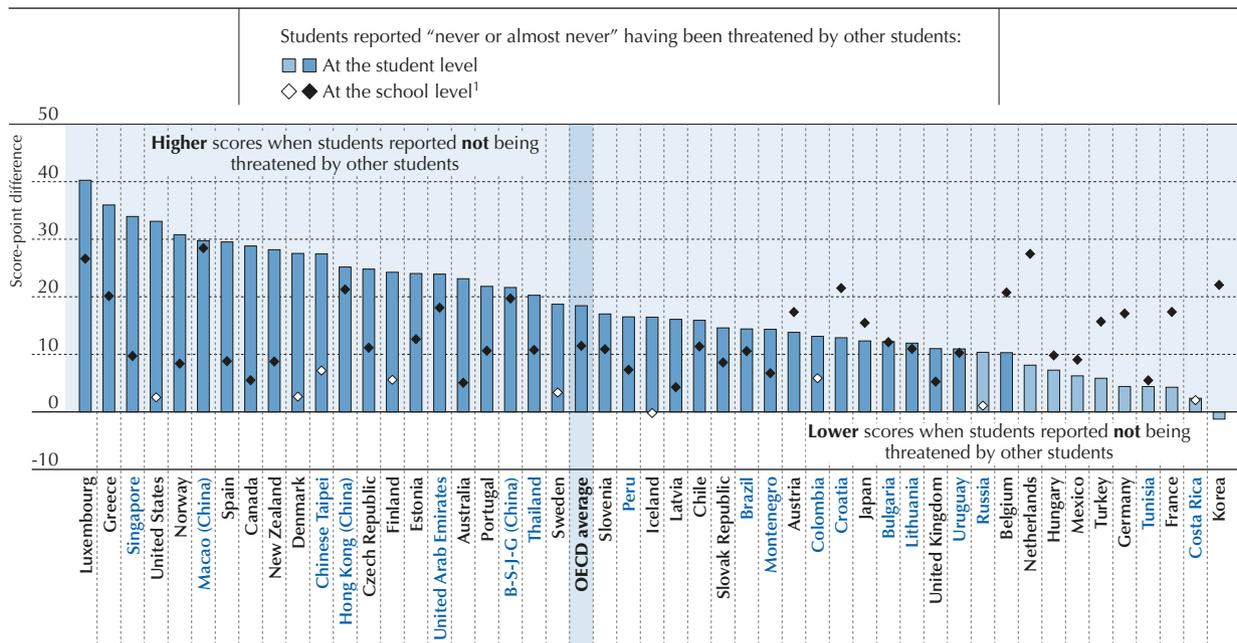
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Across OECD countries, students value relationships and teamwork more whenever they reported more positive student-student interactions; they value relationships, but not necessarily teamwork, more when their schoolmates also reported more positive student-student-interactions. This positive relationship is also observed in many other countries and economies. For instance, in Japan, students who agreed or strongly agreed that other students seem to like them have an index of valuing relationships 0.43 unit higher than students who disagreed or strongly disagreed with this statement. Students in Japan who reported that they make friends easily at school have an index of valuing teamwork 0.55 unit higher than those who reported otherwise (Table V.7.5).

Figure V.7.3 ■ **Students being threatened by other students and performance in collaborative problem solving**

*Change in score after accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile*



1. Refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above. Notes: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the change in the collaborative problem-solving score when students reported that they have “never or almost never” been threatened by other students.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.3.

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## TEACHER-TEACHER RELATIONSHIPS

Teachers form a professional learning community when they engage in reflective dialogue, provide one another with feedback on teaching practices and activities, and work together to improve the school learning environment and student outcomes (Gajda and Koliba, 2007; Lomos, Hofman and Bosker, 2011). Traditionally, teachers have worked in isolation (Goddard, Goddard and Tschannen-Moran, 2007); and yet several studies suggest that teacher effectiveness and student achievement can improve when teachers co-operate with a focus on school improvement (Goddard, Goddard and Tschannen-Moran, 2007; Lomos, Hofman and Bosker, 2011; Pil and Leana, 2009; Wahlstrom and Louis, 2008), and when they teach collaboratively (Ronfeldt et al., 2015). It is worth considering whether students’ collaborative skills might benefit from teachers co-operating with each other more frequently.

PISA 2015 asked teachers in the 19 school systems that distributed the teacher questionnaire how often (“never”, “once a year or less”, “2-4 times a year”, “5-10 times a year”, “1-3 times a month” or “once a week or more”) they engage in the following activities: “teach jointly as a team in the same class”; “observe other teachers’ classes and provide feedback”; “exchange teaching materials with colleagues”; “engage in discussions about the learning development of specific students”; “work with other teachers in [my] school to ensure common standards in evaluations for assessing



student progress”; and “take part in collaborative professional learning”. PISA also asked school principals if teacher mentoring exists in the school, if teacher peer review is used to monitor the practices of teachers, and if teachers in the school co-operate by exchanging ideas or material when teaching specific units or series of lessons.

According to school leaders, teacher mentoring and teacher peer review exist as a quality-assurance arrangement in most PISA-participating schools (Table V.7.6). Only in four countries, namely Germany, Iceland, Italy and Spain, does more than one in two students attend a school whose principal reported that teacher mentoring does not exist in the school. In only eight countries (Bulgaria, Finland, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Luxembourg and Spain) does more than one in two students attend a school where teacher peer review is not used to monitor the practices of teachers. The exchange of ideas or material among teachers is even more common. On average across OECD countries, 96% of students are enrolled in schools where the principal reported that such exchange takes place.

Figure V.7.4 ■ **Teacher-teacher relationships**

|                      | Percentage of students whose school teachers reported the following: |  |   |   |  |  |
|----------------------|--|--|---|---|--|--|
|                      | At least once a year, teach jointly as a team in the same class      | At least once a year, observe other teachers' classes and provide feedback | At least five times a year, exchange teaching materials with colleagues | At least five times a year, engage in discussions about the learning development of specific students | At least five times a year, work with other teachers in my school to ensure common standards in evaluations for assessing student progress | At least five times a year, take part in collaborative professional learning |
| Australia            | 70   | 81   | 90  | 92  | 80   | 70   |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 95   | 98   | 79  | 75  | 69   | 66   |
| United Arab Emirates | 68   | 91   | 77  | 79  | 73   | 65   |
| United States        | 45   | 64   | 75  | 82  | 69   | 65   |
| Czech Republic       | 98   | 72   | 62  | 84  | 60   | 24   |
| Dominican Republic   | 38   | 48   | 61  | 92  | 78   | 61   |
| Germany              | 62   | 56   | 81  | 90  | 55   | 15   |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 73   | 95   | 59  | 58  | 49   | 23   |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>61</b>  | <b>55</b>  | <b>66</b>   | <b>76</b>   | <b>58</b>  | <b>38</b>  |
| Portugal             | 54   | 32   | 76  | 82  | 70   | 36   |
| Brazil               | 62   | 36   | 57  | 75  | 60   | 52   |
| Spain                | 40   | 24   | 64  | 94  | 71   | 45   |
| Macao (China)        | 56   | 95   | 69  | 35  | 50   | 32   |
| Peru                 | 39   | 47   | 49  | 74  | 46   | 57   |
| Chinese Taipei       | 59   | 94   | 37  | 40  | 37   | 34   |
| Chile                | 58   | 35   | 55  | 59  | 49   | 41   |
| Italy                | 60   | 35   | 54  | 75  | 49   | 24   |
| Colombia             | 44   | 36   | 52  | 62  | 49   | 50   |
| Korea                | 64   | 95   | 41  | 24  | 25   | 23   |

Note: Only countries and economies that distributed the general teacher questionnaire are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students (average of six statements).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.6.

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According to teachers themselves, teacher co-operation varies markedly between different types of activities and across school systems (Figure V.7.4). For instance, while almost half of students attend a school where teachers reported that they never observe other teachers' classes and provide feedback, two thirds of students attend a school where teachers exchange teaching materials and three quarters attend schools where teachers engage in discussions about the development of specific students at least five times per year. Among the countries and economies that distributed the teacher questionnaire, Australia and B-S-J-G (China) are those where teachers reported co-operating the most frequently; teachers in Colombia and Korea reported co-operating the least frequently.



Most of the questions on teacher co-operation analysed in this chapter are not related to student performance in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for the socio-economic profile of students and schools (Table V.7.8). None of the measures of teacher co-operation is associated with collaborative problem-solving performance after accounting for student performance in the core PISA subjects, on average across OECD countries (Table V.7.9). This suggests that there is no specific association between teacher co-operation, as reported by principals and teachers themselves, and students' development of collaborative skills.

Similarly, most of the questions on teacher co-operation do not show a significant relationship with students' attitudes towards collaboration, on average across OECD countries (Table V.7.10). Any significant relationships observed are tempered by the fact that the direction of these relationships differs across individual countries.

## PARENTS' ACQUAINTANCES

The relationships that parents establish with students, school staff and other parents are an essential element of a collaborative school. Even when parents socialise in the school context to advance their child's academic career, they might also be contributing indirectly to the common good of the school – by reinforcing the norms of behaviour at school, spreading important information, generating trust and/or connecting the school with the wider community. Building solid parent-teacher relationships is certainly important for student behaviour (Avvisati et al., 2014), but the relationships that parents build with their child's friends and their parents can be even more important. When parents know each other – a state often referred to as intergenerational closure (Coleman, 1988) – they can develop consistent norms and guide the behaviour of their children more easily.

PISA asked parents from the 16 countries and economies that chose to distribute the parent questionnaire how many of their child's school friends they know by name, how many parents of their child's school friends they know, and how many of the school staff they would feel comfortable talking to if they had a question about their child. On average across the OECD education systems that distributed the parent questionnaire, parents reported that they would feel comfortable talking to about three of their child's teachers, and know approximately five of their child's school friends and four of the parents of their child's school friends (Figure V.7.5). There are stark variations across countries and economies. Parents in Ireland, Spain and Scotland (United Kingdom) appear to socialise the most, while parents in France, Hong Kong (China), Korea and Macao (China) socialise the least.

Figure V.7.5 ■ Parents' acquaintances

|                     | Number of acquaintances reported by parents <sup>1</sup>             |   |  |
|---------------------|--|---|--|
|                     | How many parents of your child's friends at this school do you know? | How many friends of your child at school do you know by name? | How many of the school staff would you feel comfortable talking to if you had a question about your child? |
| Spain               | 5.6  | 6.2   | 4.3  |
| Ireland             | 5.1  | 6.0   | 4.6  |
| Scotland (UK)       | 4.8  | 6.0   | 4.4  |
| Dominican Republic  | 4.8  | 5.0   | 4.2  |
| Germany             | 4.8  | 5.7   | 3.4  |
| Italy               | 3.7  | 5.1   | 4.5  |
| <b>OECD average</b> | <b>4.0</b>   | <b>5.2</b>  | <b>3.3</b>   |
| Chile               | 4.2  | 4.7   | 3.4  |
| Portugal            | 4.5  | 5.3   | 2.3  |
| Mexico              | 4.0  | 4.4   | 3.0  |
| Croatia             | 3.6  | 4.9   | 3.0  |
| Belgium (Fl.)       | 3.0  | 5.0   | 3.0  |
| Luxembourg          | 3.1  | 4.7   | 3.0  |
| France              | 2.8  | 4.5   | 2.5  |
| Korea               | 3.1  | 4.5   | 1.1  |
| Hong Kong (China)   | 1.9  | 3.4   | 2.2  |
| Macao (China)       | 2.2  | 3.3   | 1.7  |

1. Parents who answered "6 or more" were assigned a value of "7".

Note: Only countries and economies that distributed the parent questionnaire are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the number of acquaintances (average of three questions).

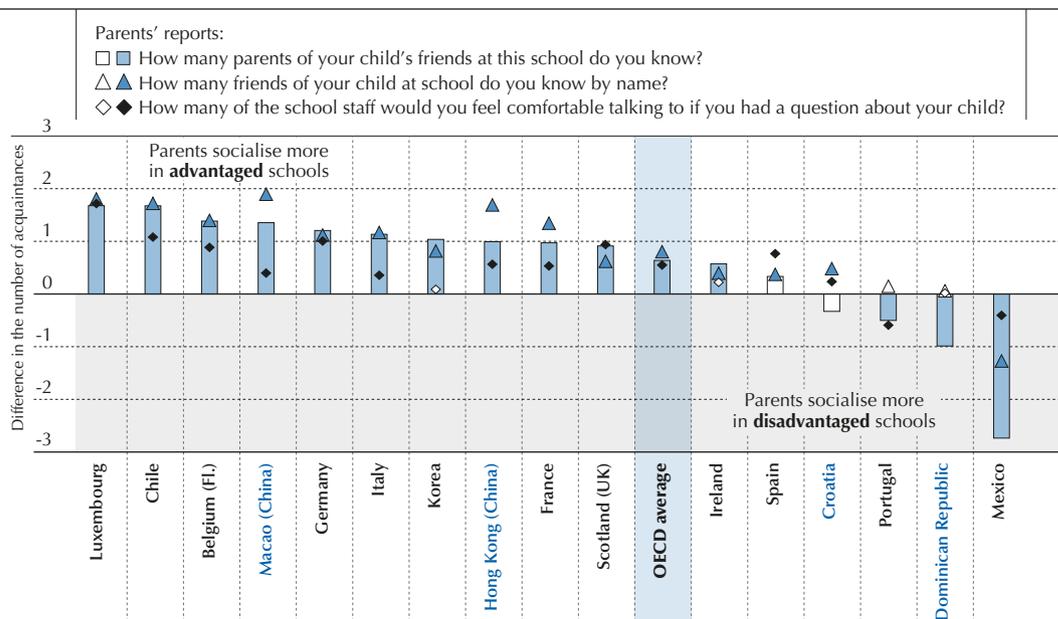
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In most countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, parents of children attending socio-economically advantaged schools socialise more than parents of children in disadvantaged schools (Figure V.7.6). For instance, in Chile, the Flemish Community (Belgium), Germany, Italy, Korea, Luxembourg and Macao (China), parents of students in advantaged schools know at least one more parent of their child's school friends than parents in disadvantaged schools do, on average. In Chile, Germany and Luxembourg, an average parent of a student in an advantaged school reported that they would be comfortable talking to at least one more teacher than a parent of a student in a disadvantaged school. However, parents of students in advantaged schools in Mexico and, to a lesser extent those in the Dominican Republic and Portugal, socialise less than parents of children who attend disadvantaged schools.

Figure V.7.6 ■ **Differences in parents' number of acquaintances, by schools' socio-economic profile**  
Difference between schools in the top and bottom quartiles of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status



Notes: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Only countries and economies that distributed the parent questionnaire are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the difference in the number of parents of their child's school friends they know.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.12.

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On average across the OECD countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, students score higher in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for the socio-economic profile of students and schools, when their parents socialise more with their child's school friends and their school friends' parents, and also when they feel comfortable talking to more school staff (Table V.7.13). In Portugal, for instance, students score four points higher for every additional parent of their friends their parents interact with and five points higher for every additional school friend their parents know by name. Knowing more of their child's school friends may not only benefit their children, but their schoolmates too. On average across OECD countries, students score six points higher in collaborative problem solving when their classmates' parents each know another one of their school friends. Even after accounting for student performance in science, reading and mathematics, the number of school friends that parents know by name remains positively associated with student performance in the collaborative problem-solving assessment (Table V.7.14).

Students whose parents socialise more value relationships and teamwork more than students who parents socialise less. However, when their classmates' parents socialise, students seem to value relationships more but value teamwork less (Table V.7.15). All such differences in the indices are small in magnitude.

## STUDENT-TEACHER RELATIONSHIPS

Since students spend a great deal of time with teachers, positive and constructive student-teacher relationships are essential for their academic achievement, sense of belonging and well-being (Anderman, 2003; Chiu et al., 2016; Hattie, 2008; OECD, 2017). When teachers care about students and provide them with the help they need, students



feel safer, more competent, engaged and connected to the school (Ricard and Pelletier, 2016; Skinner, Pitzer and Steele, 2016), and these students will make greater academic gains (Furrer and Skinner, 2003). However, student-teacher relationships characterised by distrust, unfairness and disrespect are the precursor to disengagement, unco-operative behaviour and failure at school (Hamre and Pianta, 2006; OECD, 2017). Since teachers can compensate for bad experiences in other parts of students' lives, constructive student-teacher relationships are particularly important for at-risk students (Battistich et al., 1997; Crosnoe, Johnson and Elder, 2004; Gamoran, 1993; Mitchell-Copeland, Denham and DeMulder, 1997).

PISA 2015 asked students to report whether their science teacher provides support to their classmates who struggle with schoolwork or continue teaching until students understand (perceptions of teacher support); whether their teachers discipline them more harshly than others or tell them something insulting in front of others (perceptions of teacher unfairness); and whether students listen to what the teacher says and whether teachers wait a long time for students to quiet down (perceptions of disciplinary climate). In addition, principals were asked whether they believe that learning in their school is hindered by students lacking respect for teachers or teachers being too strict with students.

Students in Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, Japan, Korea and Mexico generally reported the most positive relationships with their teachers (Figure V.7.7). For instance, in the Dominican Republic, about six in ten students reported that, in every lesson, their teachers give extra help if students need it or continue teaching until the students understand, compared to about four in ten students who so reported on average across OECD countries. In Japan, 83% of students reported that the teacher never or almost never disciplines them more harshly than other students (compared with the OECD average of 69%), and 64% reported that the teacher never or hardly ever has to wait a long time for students to quiet down, compared with the OECD average of 27%.

At the other end of the spectrum, students in many European countries, including the Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia and the Netherlands, reported the least positive relationships with their teachers. In these five countries, students perceived less teacher support, greater teacher unfairness, and a less positive disciplinary climate than did students in other OECD countries.

According to school principals in Peru, Qatar and the United Arab Emirates, students' lacking respect for teachers is not a particularly serious concern. In these countries, at least four in ten students attend schools whose principal reported that learning is not hindered at all by students lacking respect for teachers (Table V.7.16). By contrast, in the European countries of Belgium, Croatia, Finland, Luxembourg, the Netherlands and Norway, less than 10% of students are enrolled in schools whose principal reported that students' lack of respect does not hinder learning at all. Principals in Bulgaria, Poland and Sweden reported that teachers being too strict with students does not impede student learning, whereas in Belgium, Costa Rica, Japan, Mexico and the Netherlands, more than seven in eight students are enrolled in a school whose principal expressed at least some concern about this behaviour.

In high-performing education systems in East Asia, including those in B-S-J-G (China), Japan, Korea, Chinese Taipei and Singapore, and also in Australia and Denmark, students in advantaged schools were more likely than students in disadvantaged schools to report that their teachers give extra help when students need it. The largest difference between advantaged and disadvantaged schools is observed in principals' perceptions about the extent to which learning is hindered by students' lack of respect for teachers. This appears to be more of a problem in disadvantaged schools than in advantaged schools, particularly so in Chile and Uruguay (Table V.7.17).

Regardless of what they actually denote, students' perceptions of teachers' unfairness are among the best predictors of students' collaborative and problem-solving skills as assessed in PISA 2015. For instance, on average across OECD countries, students who reported that their teachers say something insulting to them in front of others at least a few times per year score 23 points lower in collaborative problem solving than students who reported that this never, or almost never, happened to them during the previous 12 months. Likewise, students who reported that their teachers discipline them more harshly than other students score 25 points lower in collaborative problem solving (Table V.7.18).

Students not only score higher when they reported being treated fairly by their teachers, but also when their schoolmates reported so. For instance, students score seven points higher in collaborative problem solving for every ten percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported that teachers never, or almost never, say something insulting to them in front of others, and six points higher for every ten percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported that teachers never, or almost never, discipline them more harshly than other students.

Figure V.7.7 ■ Student-teacher relationships

|                      | Percentage of students who reported the following:                    |   |   |   |   |   |
|----------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|                      | In "every lesson", the teacher gives extra help when students need it | In "every lesson", the teacher continues teaching until the students understand | Teachers "never or almost never" discipline me more harshly than other students | Teachers "never or almost never" say something insulting to me in front of others | Students "never or hardly ever" don't listen to what the teacher says | The teacher "never or hardly ever" has to wait a long time for students to quiet down |
| Japan                | 35  | 31  | 83  | 89  | 49  | 64  |
| Dominican Republic   | 58  | 63  | 84  | 77  | 22  | 34  |
| Mexico               | 55  | 54  | 83  | 88  | 16  | 36  |
| Costa Rica           | 53  | 55  | 65  | 91  | 22  | 36  |
| Korea                | 29  | 29  | 81  | 86  | 48  | 47  |
| United States        | 55  | 48  | 74  | 74  | 27  | 37  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 46  | 36  | 67  | 87  | 25  | 39  |
| Thailand             | 49  | 51  | 68  | 70  | 29  | 32  |
| Iceland              | 46  | 52  | 75  | 79  | 24  | 23  |
| Russia               | 46  | 44  | 71  | 73  | 24  | 38  |
| Peru                 | 47  | 47  | 56  | 89  | 18  | 39  |
| Portugal             | 55  | 57  | 55  | 82  | 19  | 27  |
| Uruguay              | 43  | 49  | 78  | 91  | 16  | 18  |
| Colombia             | 43  | 48  | 74  | 75  | 18  | 32  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 41  | 32  | 83  | 91  | 19  | 26  |
| Montenegro           | 41  | 40  | 76  | 81  | 15  | 36  |
| Brazil               | 47  | 55  | 70  | 79  | 16  | 21  |
| Chile                | 47  | 48  | 67  | 90  | 15  | 18  |
| Sweden               | 40  | 42  | 75  | 79  | 20  | 26  |
| Singapore            | 48  | 44  | 69  | 72  | 23  | 25  |
| United Arab Emirates | 49  | 54  | 60  | 63  | 24  | 28  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 30  | 29  | 70  | 79  | 25  | 39  |
| Norway               | 36  | 39  | 68  | 73  | 27  | 29  |
| Ireland              | 42  | 44  | 63  | 69  | 17  | 33  |
| Denmark              | 37  | 39  | 71  | 70  | 17  | 33  |
| Spain                | 38  | 42  | 74  | 80  | 14  | 21  |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>40</b>   | <b>38</b>   | <b>69</b>   | <b>75</b>   | <b>18</b>   | <b>27</b>   |
| Switzerland          | 37  | 34  | 63  | 79  | 22  | 31  |
| Qatar                | 49  | 50  | 60  | 62  | 19  | 23  |
| Turkey               | 41  | 44  | 68  | 71  | 18  | 22  |
| Greece               | 40  | 38  | 77  | 75  | 10  | 23  |
| Austria              | 31  | 30  | 58  | 77  | 33  | 33  |
| Lithuania            | 44  | 41  | 61  | 68  | 17  | 29  |
| New Zealand          | 50  | 43  | 62  | 64  | 17  | 23  |
| Australia            | 49  | 44  | 64  | 68  | 14  | 21  |
| Bulgaria             | 39  | 46  | 67  | 70  | 12  | 24  |
| United Kingdom       | 50  | 44  | 59  | 63  | 17  | 22  |
| Tunisia              | 37  | 43  | 69  | 68  | 14  | 24  |
| France               | 35  | 36  | 72  | 77  | 12  | 21  |
| Finland              | 48  | 36  | 64  | 74  | 12  | 20  |
| Belgium              | 37  | 35  | 66  | 74  | 17  | 22  |
| Luxembourg           | 33  | 34  | 63  | 76  | 17  | 27  |
| Germany              | 33  | 30  | 59  | 84  | 15  | 24  |
| Slovak Republic      | 33  | 28  | 73  | 75  | 11  | 24  |
| Macao (China)        | 30  | 29  | 65  | 77  | 11  | 31  |
| Slovenia             | 30  | 22  | 74  | 76  | 13  | 27  |
| Poland               | 34  | 33  | 66  | 74  | 11  | 23  |
| Croatia              | 31  | 25  | 73  | 78  | 8   | 25  |
| Netherlands          | 27  | 23  | 71  | 84  | 18  | 14  |
| Estonia              | 41  | 32  | 69  | 62  | 10  | 24  |
| Czech Republic       | 41  | 24  | 77  | 65  | 9   | 21  |
| Latvia               | 39  | 33  | 68  | 60  | 9   | 19  |
| Hungary              | 32  | 28  | 63  | 66  | 13  | 21  |

Note: Only countries and economies with available data for all six statements are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students (average of six statements).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.16.

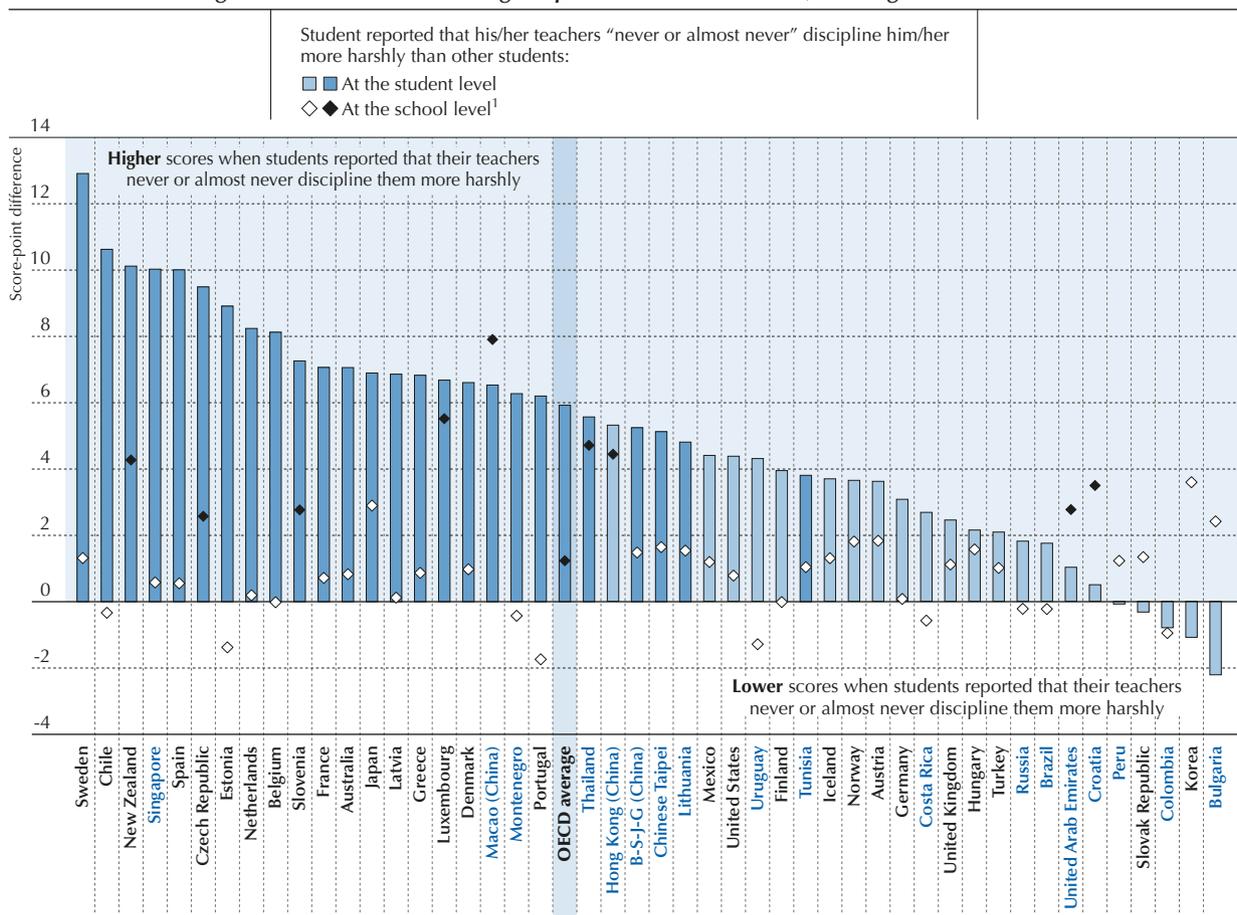
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When students, or their schoolmates, believe they have been treated unfairly, their relative performance in collaborative problem solving is significantly lower. For instance, in 25 out of 47 education systems, students who reported that their teachers never, or almost never, discipline them more harshly than other students score higher in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for their performance in core PISA subjects, than students who reported they are disciplined more harshly than other students at least a few times per year (Figure V.7.8). Students also score lower in collaborative problem solving, after accounting for performance in core PISA subjects, when more of their schoolmates reported that their classmates do not listen to the teacher or take a long time to quiet down.

Most other associations between the quality of student-teacher relationships (i.e. of teacher support and the disciplinary climate) and collaborative problem-solving scores disappear once scores in science, reading and mathematics are accounted for (Table V.7.19). This suggests that the quality of student-teacher relationships is as important for learning how to solve problems collaboratively as for acquiring knowledge and skills in science, reading and mathematics.

Figure V.7.8 ■ **Teacher discipline and relative performance in collaborative problem solving**  
Change in score after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics



1. Refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above. Note: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3). Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference associated with students reporting that their teachers “never or almost never” discipline them more harshly than other students. Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.19.

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Students’ perceptions of teacher support, teacher unfairness and the disciplinary climate are all good predictors of whether students value relationships. For example, students in every country/economy who reported that teachers give extra help when students need it or that teachers continue teaching until students understand value relationships more than other students (Table V.7.20). There are weaker but generally positive relationships between student-teacher relationships and the index of valuing teamwork.<sup>3</sup>



## STUDENT-PARENT RELATIONSHIPS

Parents can make a major difference in their child's social and academic progress (Hattie, 2008). Several studies indicate that students do better at school when their parents get more involved in their social, emotional and academic life (Epstein, 2001; Hill and Tyson, 2009), but they also caution that the benefits depend largely on the quality of these student-parent relationships (Borgonovi and Montt, 2012; Desforges and Abouchaar, 2003; Ho and Willms, 1996). Parents can support students in their learning, develop their ability to plan and monitor the learning process, guide them on how to navigate the education system, and build their self-confidence and intrinsic motivation to learn (Fan and Williams, 2010; Pomerantz, Moorman and Litwack, 2007). However, parents can also hinder their child's social and academic progress when they hold and share negative beliefs about their child's potential to succeed (Pomerantz, Moorman and Litwack, 2007).

PISA 2015 asked students and parents about the strength and the quality of their interactions. Students were asked if they talked to their parents before and after school on the most recent day, and parents were asked if they spend time just talking with their children or eat the main meal with them. Both students and parents were also asked if they agree with the following statements about parents' emotional support: "My parents are/I am interested in my (child's) school activities"; "My parents support my/I am supportive of my child's educational efforts and achievements"; "My parents support me when I am/I support my child when he/she is facing difficulties at school"; and "My parents encourage me/I encourage my child to be confident".

In every PISA-participating country and economy except Chinese Taipei, at least seven out of ten students reported that they had talked to their parents both before and after school. In Chinese Taipei, nearly one in two students reported that they had not talked to their parents before going to school (Figure V.7.9). In the OECD countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, 83% of parents reported that, every day or almost every day, they eat the main meal with their child; 73% reported that they spend time just talking with their child (Table V.7.21).<sup>4</sup> In Chile, the Dominican Republic, Korea and Scotland (United Kingdom), only about seven in ten parents eat the main meal with their child, while in Chile, Macao (China) and Mexico, fewer than one in two parents spends time just talking with their child.

On average across OECD countries, about one in two students and three in four parents strongly agreed with each of the four statements related to the emotional support that parents provide to their child. In Austria, Costa Rica, Ireland and Switzerland, at least six in ten students strongly agreed with all four statements on parents' emotional support. Overall, the school systems where students reported the most positive student-parent relationships are Austria, Costa Rica, Iceland, Portugal and Switzerland. In B-S-J-G (China), Hong Kong (China), Macao (China), Poland and Chinese Taipei, students reported the least positive relationships (Figure V.7.9).

In a majority of PISA-participating education systems, the student-parent relationships among students in socio-economically advantaged schools are more positive than those among students in disadvantaged schools, according to both students and parents (Table V.7.22). For example, the proportion of students who strongly agreed that their parents are interested in their school activities is 11 percentage points larger among students in advantaged schools than among students in disadvantaged schools. Differences in how students perceive the quality of student-parent relationships between these two groups of schools – in favour of advantaged schools – are particularly large in Hungary, Korea, Singapore, the Slovak Republic and Turkey. By contrast, these differences are particularly small in Colombia, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, the Russian Federation (hereafter "Russia"), Sweden and Switzerland.

On average across OECD countries, students score higher in collaborative problem solving when they, their parents, their schoolmates or their schoolmates' parents reported more positive student-parent relationships, after accounting for the socio-economic profile of students and schools (Table V.7.23). For instance, students score 19 points higher in the collaborative problem-solving assessment when they reported that they had talked to their parents after school on the day prior to the PISA test, and 3 points higher after accounting for their performance in science, reading and mathematics (Figure V.7.10 and Table V.7.24).

Students who reported stronger relationships with and emotional support from their parents value both relationships and teamwork more than other students. Valuing relationships, although not necessarily valuing teamwork, is also observed when students' classmates reported stronger relationships with their parents. These positive associations are also observed, although they are weaker, when these students' parents reported stronger relationships with and emotional support for their children (Table V.7.25). For example, on average across OECD countries, students who strongly agreed that their parents encourage them to be confident have an index of valuing relationships that is 0.41 unit higher than other students – and 0.70 unit higher in the Dominican Republic.



Figure V.7.9 ■ Student-parent relationships

|                      | Percentage of students who reported the following:              |   |   |  |   |   |
|----------------------|---|---|---|--|---|---|
|                      | Talked to parents before going to school on the most recent day | Talked to parents after leaving school on the most recent day | “Strongly agree” that my parents are interested in my school activities | “Strongly agree” that my parents support my educational efforts and achievements | “Strongly agree” that my parents support me when I am facing difficulties at school | “Strongly agree” that my parents encourage me to be confident |
| Costa Rica           | 84  | 87  | 70  | 71   | 73  | 65  |
| Austria              | 84  | 92  | 74  | 61   | 70  | 65  |
| Portugal             | 92  | 96  | 70  | 64   | 58  | 64  |
| Iceland              | 90  | 97  | 54  | 70   | 62  | 66  |
| Switzerland          | 83  | 94  | 69  | 68   | 62  | 63  |
| Ireland              | 92  | 97  | 62  | 64   | 60  | 61  |
| Germany              | 87  | 94  | 68  | 61   | 64  | 58  |
| Lithuania            | 90  | 93  | 64  | 62   | 56  | 63  |
| United States        | 88  | 94  | 51  | 70   | 54  | 62  |
| Luxembourg           | 82  | 92  | 68  | 62   | 57  | 56  |
| Australia            | 90  | 96  | 52  | 65   | 51  | 57  |
| Sweden               | 87  | 95  | 50  | 61   | 58  | 59  |
| Croatia              | 86  | 94  | 56  | 60   | 57  | 55  |
| Canada               | 88  | 95  | 49  | 67   | 51  | 58  |
| Spain                | 84  | 92  | 61  | 57   | 55  | 59  |
| United Kingdom       | 89  | 95  | 51  | 64   | 53  | 56  |
| Denmark              | 87  | 94  | 52  | 60   | 61  | 50  |
| Norway               | 88  | 96  | 51  | 56   | 54  | 57  |
| New Zealand          | 89  | 95  | 50  | 64   | 48  | 55  |
| Hungary              | 89  | 94  | 54  | 57   | 53  | 54  |
| Uruguay              | 81  | 88  | 59  | 61   | 55  | 56  |
| Qatar                | 89  | 91  | 41  | 60   | 53  | 65  |
| Dominican Republic   | 87  | 90  | 61  | 62   | 43  | 55  |
| Netherlands          | 89  | 97  | 51  | 52   | 55  | 50  |
| United Arab Emirates | 91  | 93  | 32  | 59   | 53  | 66  |
| Greece               | 88  | 92  | 51  | 51   | 49  | 58  |
| Chile                | 81  | 86  | 54  | 60   | 54  | 55  |
| France               | 81  | 91  | 54  | 62   | 47  | 53  |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>86</b>   | <b>92</b>   | <b>52</b>   | <b>56</b>  | <b>51</b>   | <b>52</b>   |
| Mexico               | 80  | 84  | 60  | 58   | 51  | 55  |
| Bulgaria             | 84  | 91  | 52  | 51   | 51  | 58  |
| Belgium              | 85  | 93  | 50  | 56   | 51  | 49  |
| Colombia             | 83  | 85  | 55  | 57   | 47  | 54  |
| Tunisia              | 91  | 90  | 37  | 56   | 42  | 62  |
| Slovenia             | 80  | 83  | 49  | 63   | 48  | 52  |
| Finland              | 83  | 94  | 55  | 48   | 47  | 48  |
| Brazil               | 85  | 89  | 50  | 53   | 43  | 52  |
| Italy                | 89  | 94  | 50  | 44   | 43  | 52  |
| Montenegro           | 80  | 87  | 40  | 51   | 49  | 59  |
| Turkey               | 80  | 84  | 28  | 58   | 47  | 46  |
| Latvia               | 89  | 94  | 45  | 41   | 35  | 33  |
| Peru                 | 82  | 84  | 44  | 44   | 34  | 49  |
| Korea                | 79  | 86  | 46  | 43   | 39  | 40  |
| Singapore            | 77  | 90  | 31  | 53   | 37  | 45  |
| Thailand             | 93  | 95  | 21  | 48   | 33  | 42  |
| Estonia              | 88  | 89  | 38  | 42   | 38  | 37  |
| Slovak Republic      | 82  | 89  | 40  | 47   | 37  | 36  |
| Russia               | 93  | 93  | 41  | 40   | 40  | 24  |
| Czech Republic       | 86  | 93  | 38  | 46   | 38  | 27  |
| Japan                | 90  | 94  | 30  | 42   | 37  | 30  |
| Poland               | 83  | 90  | 40  | 32   | 34  | 37  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 72  | 75  | 18  | 51   | 39  | 47  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 56  | 81  | 18  | 38   | 37  | 34  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 77  | 89  | 9   | 31   | 24  | 27  |
| Macao (China)        | 72  | 83  | 11  | 31   | 21  | 27  |

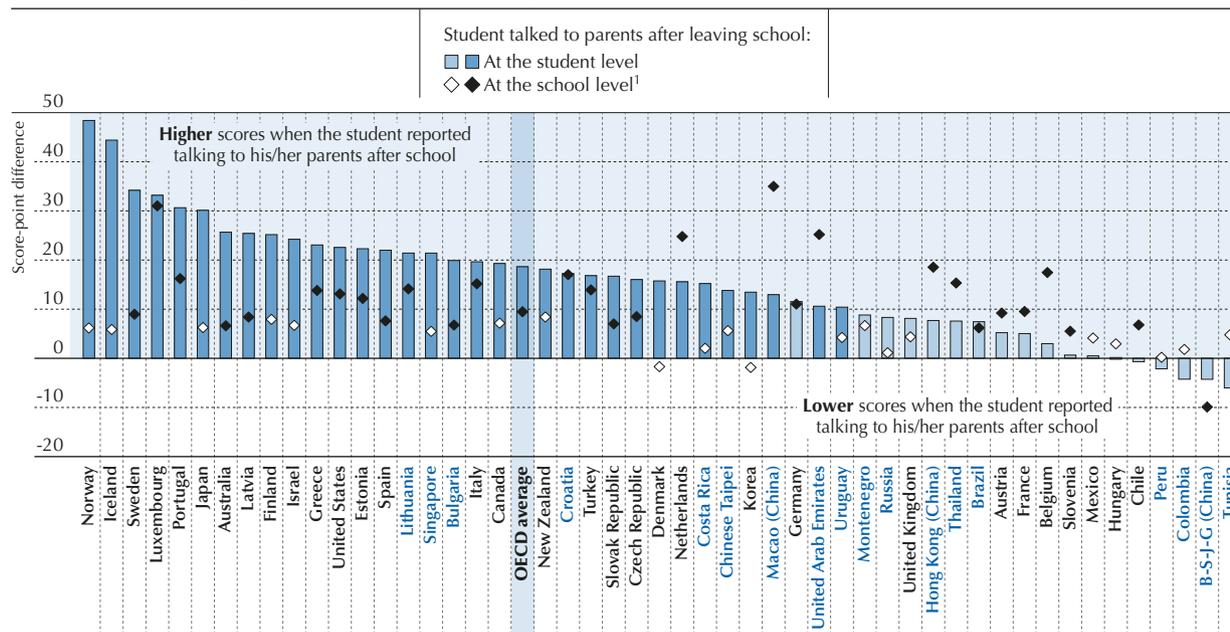
Note: Only countries and economies with available data for all six statements are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students (average of six statements).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.21.

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Figure V.7.10 ■ **Talking to parents after school and performance in collaborative problem solving**  
Change in score after accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile



1. Refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

Notes: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the score-point difference associated with students reporting talking to parents after leaving school on the most recent day.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.23.

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## TEACHER-PRINCIPAL RELATIONSHIPS

School leaders not only manage administrative tasks, such as budgeting, staffing and planning the maintenance of school buildings, but also play a key role in education by actively shaping the school culture (Barber, Whelan and Clark, 2010; Hallinger and Heck, 1998; Leithwood and Jantzi, 2006; Pont, Nusche and Moorman, 2008). Building constructive relationships with teachers is key for making a school a learning organisation and creating a positive learning environment (Barnett and McCormick, 2004). For principals, this means communicating and building consensus around the school's education goals, treating teaching staff as professionals, involving them in decision making, and planning professional development activities (Bennis and Nanus, 1985; Conger and Kanungo, 1988; Grissom, Loeb and Master, 2013; Heck, Larsen and Marcoulides, 1990; Kools and Stoll, 2016). Co-operative relationships between principals and teachers may influence students' collaborative problem-solving skills and their attitudes towards collaboration only indirectly, for instance, by creating a positive and innovative school culture.

PISA 2015 asked school principals to report how frequently a series of actions and behaviours related to school management occurred during the previous academic year. The following were retained as measures of the quality of principal-teacher relationships: "providing staff with opportunities to participate in decision-making"; "engaging teachers to help build a school culture of continuous improvement"; "asking teachers to participate in reviewing management practices"; and "discussing the school's academic goals with teachers at faculty meetings". Teachers from the 19 countries and economies that distributed the teacher questionnaire were asked to respond to the following statements related to their interactions with principals: "The principal tries to achieve consensus with all staff when defining priorities and goals in school"; "The principal is aware of my needs"; "The principal treats teaching staff as professionals"; and "The principal ensures our involvement in decision making".

On average across OECD countries, about three out of four students are enrolled in schools whose principal reported that, at least once per month, he or she involves teachers in the decision-making process and engages them in the construction of a school culture of continuous improvement (Table V.7.26). About one in two students attends a school whose principal discusses the school's academic goals with teachers at faculty meetings at least once per month. Asking teachers to



review management practices is the least frequently used leadership action: only roughly one in three students is enrolled in a school whose principal reported that this happens at least once per month. These four leadership actions are most frequently practiced in the Dominican Republic, Portugal, Thailand, the United States and Uruguay, and the least frequently practiced in B-S-J-G (China), France, Luxembourg, Macao (China), Poland, Switzerland and Tunisia.

In all the education systems that distributed the teacher questionnaire, at least one in two students attends schools where the teachers agree that the principal is aware of their needs, treats them as professionals, tries to achieve consensus when defining the goals of the school, and involves them in the decision-making process (Figure V.7.11). On average across OECD countries, most students (86%) are enrolled in schools where the teachers agree that they are treated as professionals, while fewer students – but still a majority of students – attend schools where the teachers agree that the principal is aware of their needs (73%) and involve them in the decision-making process (68%). Teachers in Brazil, the Czech Republic, the Dominican Republic, Spain, the United States are particularly positive about their interactions with the school principal, while teachers in Chile, Hong Kong (China), Italy, Macao (China) and Chinese Taipei are the least positive.

Principals of disadvantaged schools reported closer and more positive relations with their teachers than principals of advantaged schools did (Table V.7.27). Principals of disadvantaged schools were more likely to report that they provide teachers with opportunities to participate in the decision-making process, review management practices and discuss the school's academic goals. Teachers in advantaged and disadvantaged schools responded similarly to statements about their principals' willingness to include them in school management and whether their principal recognises them as professionals.

On average across OECD countries, there is no significant relationship between any of the teacher-principal interactions considered and students' performance in collaborative problem solving, both before and after accounting for students' scores in science, reading and mathematics (Tables V.7.28 and V.7.29). There is also no significant relationship between any of those teacher-principal interactions and students' attitudes towards collaboration (Table V.7.30).

Figure V.7.11 ■ **Teacher-principal relationships**

| Percentage of students whose school teachers reported the following: |   |   |   |   |
|--|---|---|---|---|
|  | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "the principal tries to achieve consensus with all staff when defining priorities and goals in school" | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "the principal is aware of my needs" | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "the principal treats teaching staff as professionals" | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "the principal ensures our involvement in decision making" |
| Dominican Republic   | 89  | 90  | 92  | 86  |
| Brazil   | 85  | 86  | 91  | 79  |
| United States  | 80  | 81  | 89  | 74  |
| Czech Republic   | 82  | 79  | 89  | 72  |
| Spain  | 76  | 79  | 91  | 74  |
| United Arab Emirates   | 79  | 80  | 87  | 74  |
| Colombia   | 79  | 77  | 86  | 74  |
| Portugal   | 80  | 73  | 92  | 72  |
| Peru   | 84  | 67  | 87  | 77  |
| Germany  | 79  | 74  | 89  | 72  |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>76</b>   | <b>73</b>   | <b>86</b>   | <b>68</b>   |
| B-S-J-G (China)  | 82  | 68  | 86  | 65  |
| Australia  | 72  | 68  | 86  | 64  |
| Korea  | 71  | 69  | 79  | 62  |
| Italy  | 77  | 67  | 75  | 61  |
| Chile  | 68  | 66  | 81  | 58  |
| Hong Kong (China)  | 71  | 58  | 81  | 59  |
| Chinese Taipei   | 70  | 60  | 83  | 55  |
| Macao (China)  | 70  | 57  | 86  | 51  |

Note: Only countries and economies that distributed the general teacher questionnaire are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students (average of four statements).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.26.

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## PARENT-TEACHER RELATIONSHIPS

Beyond the relationships that students form with peers, teachers and parents, few relationships are as vital for the future of students as those established between parents and teachers. When parents and teachers respect each other, communicate regularly about the child's progress, and agree on common goals, norms and planning, students benefit academically, socially and emotionally (Epstein and Salinas, 1992; Miretzky, 2004; Vosler-Hunter, 1989), especially at-risk students (Letarte, Normandeau and Allard, 2010; Spann, Kohler and Soenksen, 2003). Conversely, misunderstandings and unco-operative behaviours might have negative effects on students' well-being and life prospects. Despite the potential benefits of greater communication and co-operation among parents and teachers, many teachers receive little, if any, preparation and training on how to work effectively with families, and therefore lack the necessary communication skills for effective parent-teacher co-operation (Ferrara and Ferrar, 2005; Westergard, 2013).

Evaluating the impact of the interactions between parents and teachers on student outcomes in cross-sectional studies, including PISA, is always a challenge since problems of reverse causality may be at play. For instance, if parents participate more where they are needed more, the intensity of parent-teacher interactions could be negatively associated with student achievement, as observed in previous analyses of PISA results (OECD, 2016, 2012)".

PISA 2015 asked principals about the proportion of parents who discussed their child's progress with their teachers on the initiative of the teacher and on their own initiative during the previous academic year. It asked teachers whether parent-teacher co-operation was included as a topic in their teacher training or other professional qualification programme. PISA 2015 also asked parents whether, during the previous academic year, they discussed their child's progress with their teachers, talked with teachers about ways to support learning at home, and exchanged ideas with teachers on parenting, family support and child development.

On average across OECD countries, according to school principals, about 40% of parents had discussed their child's progress with a teacher on their own initiative (Figure V.7.12). In 11 countries and economies, including B-S-J-G (China), Greece and Italy, more than half of parents had discussed their child's progress on their own initiative, while in Japan and Tunisia, less than 25% had done so. According to principals, parents had discussed their child's progress more frequently on the initiative of their teacher. On average across OECD countries, some 57% of parents had discussed their child's progress on the teacher's initiative; in Denmark, Japan, Macao (China), Norway and Sweden, more than 75% of parents had done so.

According to parents themselves, about one in two reported that they had spoken with teachers about their child's progress and how to support learning at home, and just over one in three reported exchanging ideas on parenting, family support and child development (Table V.7.31).

PISA 2015 data show that, on average across the OECD countries that distributed the teacher questionnaire, some 40% of teachers reported that teacher-parent co-operation was included as a topic in their teacher training or other professional qualification programme. However, in some countries and economies, such as B-S-J-G (China), the Dominican Republic and the United States, more than 60% of teachers reported receiving some training on teacher-parent co-operation, whereas in Italy and Portugal, less than 30% of teachers reported so.

There are significant differences, on average across OECD countries, between socio-economically advantaged and disadvantaged schools in the nature of parent-teacher interactions (Table V.7.32). For instance, principals of advantaged schools reported more frequently than principals of disadvantaged schools that parents discuss their child's progress on their own initiative (Figure V.7.13). Conversely, when parents responded to the same question, it is the parents of students in disadvantaged schools who were more likely to report that they discuss their child's progress on their own (or on the teacher's) initiative. In these schools, parents were also more likely to report that they talk to teachers about parenting, family support and home learning than were parents of students in advantaged schools. As parents are directly involved in these relationships, their reports are likely to be more accurate than principals' estimates.

In almost all education systems that distributed the parent questionnaire, students score considerably lower in collaborative problem solving when their parents reported that, during the previous academic year, they had spoken with their child's teachers about their child's progress, home learning and homework, or parenting, family support or child development more generally (Table V.7.33). On average across OECD countries, these negative associations remain even after accounting for student performance in science, reading and mathematics (Table V.7.34).



Figure V.7.12 ■ Parent-teacher relationships

|                      | Percentage of parents who discussed their child's progress with a teacher: <sup>1</sup> |                             |
|----------------------|---|-----------------------------|
|                      | On their own initiative   | On the teachers' initiative |
|                      |   |                             |
| Sweden               | 40  | 87                          |
| Spain                | 57  | 69                          |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 59  | 62                          |
| Denmark              | 36  | 83                          |
| Russia               | 57  | 61                          |
| Norway               | 28  | 86                          |
| Portugal             | 50  | 63                          |
| Singapore            | 39  | 73                          |
| Macao (China)        | 33  | 79                          |
| United Arab Emirates | 53  | 59                          |
| Italy                | 59  | 51                          |
| Colombia             | 45  | 65                          |
| Qatar                | 52  | 58                          |
| Israel               | 43  | 66                          |
| Thailand             | 49  | 59                          |
| Greece               | 65  | 44                          |
| Finland              | 44  | 65                          |
| Iceland              | 35  | 73                          |
| Dominican Republic   | 47  | 60                          |
| Poland               | 45  | 62                          |
| United Kingdom       | 41  | 65                          |
| Canada               | 49  | 54                          |
| Lithuania            | 47  | 55                          |
| Montenegro           | 56  | 46                          |
| Chile                | 40  | 62                          |
| Bulgaria             | 43  | 59                          |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 36  | 63                          |
| Croatia              | 55  | 43                          |
| Japan                | 18  | 80                          |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>40</b>   | <b>57</b>                   |
| France               | 43  | 53                          |
| Peru                 | 42  | 54                          |
| Netherlands          | 39  | 56                          |
| Korea                | 41  | 53                          |
| New Zealand          | 36  | 57                          |
| Germany              | 42  | 50                          |
| United States        | 41  | 51                          |
| Australia            | 39  | 52                          |
| Estonia              | 41  | 50                          |
| Latvia               | 42  | 49                          |
| Switzerland          | 30  | 61                          |
| Slovenia             | 53  | 37                          |
| Costa Rica           | 38  | 51                          |
| Czech Republic       | 38  | 52                          |
| Belgium              | 34  | 54                          |
| Chinese Taipei       | 46  | 41                          |
| Luxembourg           | 30  | 56                          |
| Turkey               | 42  | 43                          |
| Mexico               | 33  | 51                          |
| Brazil               | 33  | 46                          |
| Austria              | 36  | 41                          |
| Slovak Republic      | 38  | 39                          |
| Ireland              | 34  | 42                          |
| Uruguay              | 29  | 39                          |
| Hungary              | 34  | 31                          |
| Tunisia              | 23  | 32                          |

1. Based on school principals' reports.

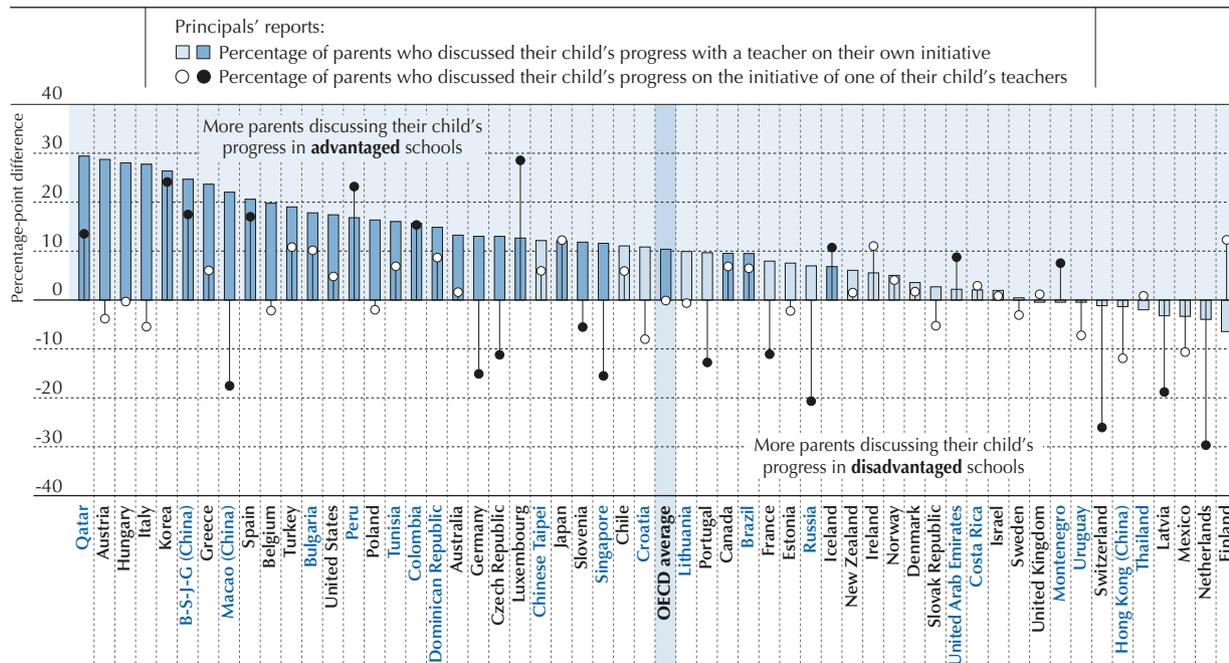
Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of parents who discussed their child's progress (average of two statements).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.31.

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Figure V.7.13 ■ **Percentage of parents who discuss their child's progress with teachers, by schools' socio-economic profile**

*Difference between schools in the top and bottom quartiles of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status*



Note: Statistically significant differences are shown in a darker tone (see Annex A3).

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage-point difference of parents who discussed their child's progress on their own initiative.

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.32.

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Students whose parents or whose classmates' parents reported that they discuss their child's progress with the child's teacher on the teacher's initiative appear to value relationships less than other students. However, the relationship is reversed for the index of valuing teamwork, which is higher among students whose parents reported that they interact with their child's teacher, on either their own or the teacher's initiative (Table V.7.35). These results might reflect the likelihood that, according to parents' reports, such interactions take place in disadvantaged schools, and as discussed in Chapter 5, disadvantaged students have higher indices of valuing teamwork but lower indices of valuing relationships (Figure V.5.6, Tables V.5.5a and V.5.5b).

However, these results do not necessarily imply that strengthening teacher-parent communications is counterproductive. More frequent interactions between parents and teachers may be the consequence, rather than the cause, of students' poor academic performance and lack of collaborative skills (i.e. reverse causality). In fact, some studies suggest that talking with teachers may be the best way to identify and solve serious behavioural problems at school (Avvisati et al., 2014; Hill and Tyson, 2009; Sirvani, 2007).

## SCHOOL RELATIONSHIPS WITH PARENTS AND THE LOCAL COMMUNITY

Even if the relationships that schools establish with parents and the community influence only indirectly what happens inside the classroom, getting parents involved in school activities and decision making can improve school functioning and the academic achievement and well-being of students. It can also contribute to building healthy and socially connected communities, and allows parents to learn about and shape the school learning environment (Benson et al., 1996; Epstein et al., 2002; Henderson and Mapp, 2002; Sanders, 2003).

PISA 2015 asked principals about school efforts to involve and communicate with parents, and about the participation of parents in school activities and decision making. It also asked parents whether they agreed that the school involves parents in decision making, and whether they participate in the governance of the school, extracurricular activities or scheduled meetings and conferences. In every school system except Tunisia, a majority of students are in schools whose principal agreed that there are effective forms of school-to-home and home-to-school communications (Figure V.7.14). In all but seven countries and economies, at least one in two students is in a school that include parents in school decisions.



Figure V.7.14 ■ School relationships with parents and the community

|                      | Percentage of students in schools whose principal reported the following:              |   |  | Percentage of parents who: <sup>1</sup> |   |
|----------------------|--|---|--|---|---|
|                      | Our school designs effective forms of school-to-home and home-to-school communications | Our school includes parents in school decisions | Our school identifies and integrates resources and services from the community to strengthen school programmes, family practices, and student learning and development | Participated in local school government | Volunteered in physical or extracurricular activities |
| Dominican Republic   | 98   | 96  | 88   | 68                                      | 33  |
| Thailand             | 95   | 95  | 95   | 52                                      | 45  |
| Russia               | 99   | 98  | 86   | 29                                      | 48  |
| Colombia             | 97   | 93  | 74   | 62                                      | 24  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 96   | 84  | 95   | 39                                      | 27  |
| Korea                | 95   | 97  | 91   | 33                                      | 19  |
| Qatar                | 99   | 69  | 93   | 43                                      | 31  |
| United Arab Emirates | 97   | 82  | 88   | 38                                      | 27  |
| Poland               | 96   | 98  | 83   | 26                                      | 24  |
| Peru                 | 89   | 74  | 79   | 52                                      | 30  |
| Turkey               | 89   | 91  | 91   | 35                                      | 16  |
| Estonia              | 99   | 96  | 80   | 19                                      | 24  |
| Slovak Republic      | 98   | 88  | 75   | 39                                      | 15  |
| Montenegro           | 94   | 91  | 88   | 28                                      | 10  |
| Portugal             | 98   | 93  | 88   | 20                                      | 11  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 97   | 84  | 95   | 16                                      | 14  |
| United States        | 93   | 81  | 91   | 16                                      | 23  |
| Mexico               | 91   | 75  | 72   | 44                                      | 21  |
| Latvia               | 89   | 95  | 86   | 18                                      | 14  |
| Croatia              | 92   | 94  | 70   | 33                                      | 8   |
| Ireland              | 99   | 99  | 80   | 11                                      | 9   |
| Brazil               | 98   | 87  | 66   | 32                                      | 13  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 92   | 53  | 88   | 33                                      | 30  |
| Chile                | 93   | 59  | 80   | 43                                      | 20  |
| New Zealand          | 98   | 86  | 86   | 7                                       | 15  |
| Iceland              | 100  | 87  | 85   | 6                                       | 13  |
| Germany              | 97   | 97  | 76   | 11                                      | 12  |
| Slovenia             | 98   | 92  | 67   | 27                                      | 6   |
| Spain                | 95   | 78  | 73   | 25                                      | 14  |
| Canada               | 93   | 83  | 89   | 8                                       | 12  |
| Australia            | 96   | 80  | 88   | 7                                       | 13  |
| Bulgaria             | 89   | 76  | 73   | 26                                      | 17  |
| Costa Rica           | 94   | 65  | 69   | 29                                      | 23  |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>92</b>  | <b>77</b>                                       | <b>72</b>  | <b>18</b>                               | <b>13</b>   |
| Italy                | 96   | 78  | 58   | 32                                      | 9   |
| Norway               | 98   | 76  | 73   | 10                                      | 15  |
| Lithuania            | 78   | 97  | 60   | 16                                      | 16  |
| United Kingdom       | 97   | 75  | 83   | 4                                       | 6   |
| Singapore            | 97   | 47  | 98   | 10                                      | 12  |
| Sweden               | 88   | 86  | 65   | 12                                      | 12  |
| Hungary              | 88   | 87  | 62   | 14                                      | 12  |
| Finland              | 93   | 68  | 83   | 8                                       | 9   |
| Greece               | 100  | 44  | 68   | 31                                      | 16  |
| Macao (China)        | 97   | 34  | 74   | 33                                      | 20  |
| Denmark              | 91   | 68  | 58   | 13                                      | 16  |
| Israel               | 76   | 56  | 73   | 22                                      | 18  |
| Austria              | 86   | 77  | 49   | 16                                      | 11  |
| Uruguay              | 92   | 34  | 74   | 12                                      | 8   |
| Czech Republic       | 99   | 64  | 37   | 13                                      | 7   |
| Netherlands          | 92   | 82  | 24   | 6                                       | 6   |
| Japan                | 87   | 11  | 63   | 24                                      | 25  |
| Luxembourg           | 66   | 66  | 63   | 8                                       | 5   |
| Belgium              | 82   | 60  | 53   | 6                                       | 5   |
| Switzerland          | 86   | 37  | 47   | 7                                       | 7   |
| Tunisia              | 34   | 25  | 22   | 10                                      | 5   |

1. Based on school principals' reports.

Note: Only countries and economies with available data for all five statements are shown.

Countries and economies are ranked in descending order of the percentage of students (average of five statements).

Source: OECD, PISA 2015 Database, Table V.7.36.

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However, despite efforts to include parents, on average across OECD countries, only 18% of parents participated in school government during the previous academic year, according to principals (16% according to parents) (Table V.7.36). Moreover, just 13% of parents participated in extracurricular activities, according to school principals (12% according to parents), and 76% of parents participated in a scheduled meeting or conference for parents, according to parents.<sup>5</sup> About seven in ten school principals and parents agreed that the school co-operates with the community to strengthen school programmes and student development.

Across OECD countries, socio-economically advantaged schools are more likely than disadvantaged schools to design effective communications with parents; but disadvantaged schools are more likely than advantaged schools to involve parents in school decisions, and co-operate with the community to strengthen school programmes and student development (Table V.7.37). On average across the OECD countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, attending scheduled meetings and conferences for parents is more common among parents of students in advantaged schools than among parents of students in disadvantaged schools.

In the OECD countries that distributed the parent questionnaire, students score lower in collaborative problem solving when parents participate in the school government, both before and after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics (Tables V.7.38 and V.7.39). The children of parents who reported stronger relationships between themselves and their child's school, or between their child's school and the community, also tend to place higher on the indices of both valuing relationships and valuing teamwork (Table V.7.40).



## Notes

1. Bullying is a systematic abuse of power, and can be identified by three key traits: repetition, intention to harm, and an unequal power between the bully and the victim (Woods and Wolke, 2004; Olweus, 1994). See *PISA 2015 Results (Volume III): Students' Well-Being* (OECD, 2017) for a detailed discussion on bullying.
2. Relative collaborative problem-solving performance is calculated by an ordinary least squares regression of collaborative problem-solving performance over performance in science, reading and mathematics. In Chapter 3, the regression is performed at the international level in order to rank countries and economies. In Chapters 4, 5, 6 and 7, the regression is performed at the individual country or economy level, as the focus is on factors related to differential performance within each country/economy. This results in an average residual of 0 for each country/economy.
3. Students who report that teachers never, or almost never, discipline them more harshly than they do other students actually report a lower index of valuing teamwork, on average across OECD countries. However, there is substantial variation between countries: in 12 countries/economies, students who report that teachers never, or almost never, discipline them more harshly than they do other students report a lower index of valuing teamwork, while in 11 countries/economies, they report a higher index of valuing teamwork.
4. On average across the OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, 84% of students had parents who reported that they eat the main meal with their child every day or almost every day, and 72% of students had parents who reported that they spend time just talking to their child every day or almost every day.
5. On average across the OECD countries that participated in the collaborative problem-solving assessment, 75% of parents reported that they attended a scheduled meeting or conference aimed at parents in the previous academic year.

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## 8

# What the PISA 2015 results on collaborative problem solving imply for policy

Most people will have to work together with others throughout their life, in both professional and personal capacities. Addressing this need, PISA has developed an assessment that measures students' ability to solve problems collaboratively. Based on this assessment, this chapter presents some policy recommendations that might lead to improved skills in and attitudes towards collaboration.



For over 15 years, PISA has assessed 15-year-old students' literacy in science, reading and mathematics. Proficiency in these subjects is vital for tomorrow's adults. They will need to draw logical conclusions from a wide range of evidence, as scientists do; they will have to understand a variety of written material and express themselves in a clear and coherent way; and they will need to be able to find and interpret patterns and relationships in data.

But more is needed. A variety of "21st-century skills" have been identified as being crucial for the youth of today to succeed in tomorrow's world, a world that is more interconnected, digital and unpredictable than it has ever been. Although there is no commonly accepted consensus as to what these "21st-century skills" are, the list generally includes the capacity to solve problems; to think creatively and critically; and to interact productively with others.

Most people will have to work together with others frequently throughout their life, whether as members of the same team, working for supervisors, supervising others, or in their personal relationships with family and friends. The willingness and ability to understand others' points of view, to negotiate between different and perhaps conflicting objectives, and to maintain and monitor team cohesion and morale will facilitate the productivity and effectiveness of collaborative efforts and also lead to stronger interpersonal relationships.

To address this, PISA developed an assessment to measure students' ability to solve problems collaboratively, building on the assessment of individual problem-solving abilities in 2012. As an internationally-comparable assessment, PISA allows education systems to benchmark themselves and see how their students fare as collaborative team players in an increasingly interconnected world. Data from PISA can also be used to identify common attributes among students with the strongest collaboration skills, and to target at-risk populations who might need to improve their collaboration skills. This chapter presents some of the policy implications that can be gleaned from results of the PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment.

### **COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING IS NOT SCIENCE, READING OR MATHEMATICS**

At first glance, the results from the collaborative problem-solving assessment look broadly similar to results from the PISA assessments in the three core subjects of science, reading and mathematics. The same education systems – Canada, Estonia, Finland, Hong Kong (China), Japan, Korea, Macao (China), New Zealand and Singapore – perform at or near the top in all four assessments.

However, the results show that the PISA collaborative problem-solving assessment is clearly distinct from the assessments of the three core subjects. A student's performance in science, reading and mathematics explains less than two thirds of his or her performance in collaborative problem solving, meaning that there is still more than one third of a student's performance in collaborative problem solving that is unique to this domain. The relationship between collaborative problem-solving skills and science, reading and mathematics performance is also much weaker than the relationship between science, reading and mathematics performance themselves. In particular, in countries such as Costa Rica, Iceland, Luxembourg and the United States, students can solve problems in a collaborative fashion better than would be expected given their performance in the three core PISA subjects.

Students in many all-around top-performing countries and economies, such as Australia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand and Singapore, are even better at collaborating than expected. However, other education systems, including Beijing-Shanghai-Jiangsu-Guangdong (China) (hereafter "B-S-J-G [China]"), Croatia, Lithuania and the Russian Federation (hereafter "Russia"), perform below what would be expected given their performance in science, reading and mathematics.

PISA 2015 also asked students about their attitudes towards collaboration, particularly their thoughts about their relationships with others and about working in teams. More positive attitudes towards collaboration are found to be positively associated with students' collaboration-specific skills.

Collaborative problem solving is also distinct from individual problem solving. The correlation between education systems' performance in the 2012 individual problem-solving and 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessments is weak, as only 23% of variation in countries' and economies' performance in the 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment is accounted for by variations in their 2012 individual problem-solving scores. Furthermore, no correlation is observed between performance in individual and collaborative problem solving after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. While the 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment was developed by building upon the framework of the 2012 individual problem-solving assessment, the skills related to individual problem solving in the more recent assessment were intentionally kept at a low or medium level, thereby further isolating skills related purely to collaboration.



## BUILD INSTRUCTIONAL PRACTICE FOR COLLABORATIVE PROBLEM SOLVING

While each school has its share of stronger and weaker students, PISA assessments in science, reading and mathematics have consistently shown that education systems also have stronger and weaker schools. Similar results are observed for the collaborative problem-solving assessment. However, there is less inter-school variation in collaborative problem solving. Between-school differences account for less than 25% of total performance differences in collaborative problem solving, while they account for 30% of total performance differences in science.

Between-school differences in collaborative problem solving are further reduced – by 86% – when cognitive skills, as measured by science, reading and mathematics performance, are accounted for. Only 9% of the differences between students’ “purely” collaborative problem-solving skills are observed between schools, while the remainder is observed between students who attend the same school. Whether this means that schools are more equitable in developing students’ collaborative skills, or whether collaborative skills are mainly developed outside schools, cannot be discerned from PISA data.

Education systems can foster collaboration skills and attitudes in existing subjects or courses, or through new programmes, as Singapore did with its *Project Work* programme. The OECD is collecting information on how collaboration and co-operation are incorporated into school curricula through its *Education 2030* project.

## MANY SCHOOL SUBJECTS PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES TO CULTIVATE SKILLS IN AND ATTITUDES TOWARDS COLLABORATION

Collaboration skills can be taught and practiced in cognitive subjects, such as science, reading and mathematics: students can work and present in groups and can help each other learn the subject. However, much of the effort to master the material taught is typically made individually by the student. In contrast, collaboration is vital to many activities in physical education class, most obviously team sports, which require individuals to work together in groups to achieve a common goal.

However, there is variation across countries in what is emphasised in physical education class. Some countries, including Finland and Japan, emphasise collaboration instead of competition in physical education class (European Commission/EACEA/Eurydice, 2013; Nakai and Metzler, 2005). Other countries, such as Germany, Hungary, Latvia and the United Kingdom, place greater emphasis on competition and attaining one’s personal best (European Commission/EACEA/Eurydice, 2013). For example, in Germany, the *Bundesjugendspiele* or Federal Youth Games are an annual individual sports competition in athletics, gymnastics, and swimming that is obligatory for all students between Years 1 and 10 (BMFSF-J, 2017).

Unfortunately, cross-sectional data from PISA cannot indicate which approach is more effective at developing collaboration skills.

What the data do show, though, is that students who attend physical education class once or twice per week score highest in collaborative problem solving. After accounting for performance in the three core PISA subjects, students who attend between zero and three days of physical education class per week score similarly, and score above students who attend four or more days per week.

## ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO MINGLE WITH OTHERS FROM DIFFERENT BACKGROUNDS

Previous PISA volumes have consistently documented that socio-economically advantaged students perform better in science, reading and mathematics than disadvantaged students. This is also true for performance in collaborative problem solving.

However, this relationship with socio-economic status is not consistently observed across education systems when looking solely at the collaborative aspect of students’ collaborative problem-solving scores (i.e. once performance in science, reading and mathematics is accounted for). If anything, students of lower socio-economic status often do better than students of higher socio-economic status relative to their performance in the three core PISA subjects – although this relationship is highly variable across education systems.

In other words, students who are materially disadvantaged seem less disadvantaged when it comes to being able to work productively with others. Disadvantaged students are more likely to value teamwork, perhaps because they value more the extra boost that teamwork can bring to their own performance. Likewise, there are no large differences between the collaborative skills of immigrant and non-immigrant students.



One of the demographic factors related to the collaborative aspect of performance in this assessment is the concentration of immigrant students in a student's school. Non-immigrant students tend to perform better in the collaboration-specific aspects of the assessment when they attend schools with a larger proportion of immigrant students. This result cannot be generalised to socio-economic diversity within schools, however. Education systems should investigate whether, in their own context, diversity and students' contact with those who are different from them and who may hold different points of view can aid in developing collaboration skills.

### **BOYS NEED HELP IN DEVELOPING STRONGER COLLABORATION SKILLS, BUT DON'T FORGET GIRLS**

Girls outperform boys in collaborative problem solving in every education system, both before and after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics. The relative size of the gender gap in collaborative problem-solving performance is even larger than it is in reading, where girls also outperform boys in every education system. This gender gap contrasts with that in the PISA 2012 individual problem-solving assessment, where boys outperform girls.

Hence, boys need particular support in enhancing their ability to solve problems collaboratively. This might come through developing boys' attitudes towards collaboration. Girls are found to hold more positive attitudes towards relationships, meaning that they tend to be interested in others' opinions and want others to succeed. Boys, on the other hand, are found to hold more positive attitudes towards teamwork: they see the instrumental benefits of teamwork and how collaboration can help them work more effectively and efficiently.

As positive attitudes towards collaboration – whether towards relationships or towards teamwork – are positively correlated with the collaboration-related component of performance in this assessment, education systems should look into fostering boys' appreciation of others, and their interpersonal friendships and relationships. In order to work effectively in a team and solve problems or achieve something in a collaborative fashion, boys must be able to listen to others and take their viewpoints into account. Only in this manner can teams make full use of the range of perspectives and experiences that team members offer.

However, although girls outperform boys, on average, there is a large overlap in their score distribution, with many girls also attaining only low levels of proficiency in collaborative problem solving. Schools should support both boys and girls who have trouble in forming healthy, positive and mutually supportive relationships with others.

### **HOW CAN STUDENTS DEVELOP STRONG RELATIONSHIPS? ON LINE, AT HOME, BUT NOT THROUGH VIDEO GAMES**

One way in which children develop relationships is on line, through Internet chat rooms or social media. In the past, students would meet friends face-to-face during the lunch break or after school, or would call them and talk on the phone from home. Today, students use Facebook, WeChat, WhatsApp, Twitter, Instagram, Tumblr, and other applications to get in immediate touch with their friends. If their friends are not on line, they can leave messages that their friends can read whenever they log on again.

This might seem like a superficial method of developing relationships, one that goes against the received wisdom that it is the time spent together that forges friendships. However, in an increasingly virtual world, perhaps today's children are inadvertently training themselves to become better collaborative problem solvers simply by going on line.

Another way through which students can develop stronger relationships without leaving their own home is to develop better relationships with those at home. Many students do chores or take care of a family member. These tasks might allow them to develop a greater sense of responsibility towards others, as their family members count on them to contribute to the household. Spending time with the family members that one is caring for also gives students an opportunity to develop relationships with others – much like the concept of “opportunity to learn” in the core PISA subjects.

It is difficult to see how students develop stronger relationships when playing video games. While video games use the same virtual method of interaction as the Internet, chat rooms and social networks, students who play video games often do so under assumed names and characters, not as their true personalities. These relationships might therefore be less consequential; students have less of an incentive to maintain these relationships. If one of these relationships breaks down, there are always other avatars in this online world with whom to interact.



Of course, the type of video game that students play might be particularly important. First-person shooter games (such as *Counter-Strike*) have a goal, or perhaps a problem that players must solve, but do not give players the time to develop deeper relationships with each other. Social simulation games (such as *The Sims* series) often do not have a goal, but focus on the relationships between players' avatars.

In any case, the evidence from PISA show that students who play video games perform worse in the collaborative elements of the assessment than students who do not, something that is seen in almost every participating education system. In contrast, students who use the Internet, chat or social networks outside of school are better (or at least just as good) collaborators than students who do not. This is observed repeatedly across education systems, except in the United States. Finally, while students who use the Internet, chat or social networks, play video games, or work in the household or take care of family members all value teamwork more than students who do not, students who use these online forms of communication or who help out at home are also more likely to value relationships, while students who play video games are less likely to value relationships.

Participation in these activities is typically beyond the reach of the school curriculum. Each of these activities also comes with consequences not necessarily related to collaboration. For example, the proliferation of online networks means that students can continue to be bullied while at home, while in the past, bullying mostly ended once students left school grounds. Policy makers should consider the benefits and drawbacks of each of these activities (using the Internet, chat rooms and social networks; working in the household and taking care of family members; playing video games) and what they mean for children's collaboration skills and their ability to use these skills to solve problems.

### PROMOTE POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS AT SCHOOL

Previous OECD reports indicate that a socially connected school, in which all stakeholders know and respect each other, can be beneficial to the academic performance and well-being of students (OECD, 2017; OECD, 2016). Similarly, this report shows that fostering positive relationships at school can benefit students' collaborative problem-solving skills and their attitudes towards collaboration, especially when these relationships involve students directly. Students who establish more positive relationships with peers, teachers and parents tend to score higher in collaborative problem solving, and so do other students in the school. Even after accounting for their academic performance in reading, mathematics and science, students still perform higher in collaborative problem solving when more of their peers agreed that other students seem to like them, disagreed that they feel lonely at school, and reported that they never, or almost never, had been threatened or attacked by other students or insulted by teachers.

The good news is that most students, teachers and principals report a positive learning environment in their schools. However, too many students report that they feel isolated at school, are bullied repeatedly or are treated unfairly by teachers. While ensuring that all students are happy, safe and socially integrated at school is easier said than done, schools can start by identifying students who are socially isolated, organising activities to foster constructive relationships and school attachment, providing teacher training on classroom management, and adopting a whole-school approach to prevent and address school bullying (Borba, 2016). For their part, parents should provide academic and emotional support to their children, and talk regularly with them.



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# Annex A

## PISA 2015 TECHNICAL BACKGROUND

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**Annex A1:** Construction of indices and missing observations

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### Note regarding B-S-J-G (China)

B-S-J-G (China) refers to the four PISA participating Chinese provinces of Beijing, Shanghai, Jiangsu, Guangdong.

### Note regarding CABA (Argentina)

CABA (Argentina) refers to the Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

### Note regarding FYROM

FYROM refers to the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

### Notes regarding Cyprus

**Note by Turkey:** The information in this document with reference to “Cyprus” relates to the southern part of the Island. There is no single authority representing both Turkish and Greek Cypriot people on the Island. Turkey recognises the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC). Until a lasting and equitable solution is found within the context of the United Nations, Turkey shall preserve its position concerning the “Cyprus issue”.

**Note by all the European Union Member States of the OECD and the European Union:** The Republic of Cyprus is recognised by all members of the United Nations with the exception of Turkey. The information in this document relates to the area under the effective control of the Government of the Republic of Cyprus.

### A note regarding Israel

The statistical data for Israel are supplied by and under the responsibility of the relevant Israeli authorities. The use of such data by the OECD is without prejudice to the status of the Golan Heights, East Jerusalem and Israeli settlements in the West Bank under the terms of international law.



## ANNEX A1

### CONSTRUCTION OF INDICES AND MISSING OBSERVATIONS

#### Explanation of the indices

This section explains the indices derived from the PISA 2015 student, school, and information and communications technology (ICT) questionnaires used in this volume.

Several PISA measures reflect indices that summarise responses from students, their parents, teachers or school representatives (typically principals) to a series of related questions. The questions were selected from a larger pool of questions on the basis of theoretical considerations and previous research. The *PISA 2015 Assessment and Analytical Framework* (OECD, 2017a) provides an in-depth description of this conceptual framework. Structural equation modelling was used to confirm the theoretically expected behaviour of most indices and to validate their comparability across countries. For this purpose, a model was estimated separately for each country and collectively for all OECD countries. For a detailed description of other PISA indices and details on the methods, see the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017b).

There are two types of indices used in this volume: simple indices and scale indices.

**Simple indices** are variables that are constructed through the arithmetic transformation or recoding of one or more items, in exactly the same way across assessments. Here, item responses are used to calculate meaningful variables, such as the recoding of the four-digit ISCO-08 codes into “Highest parents’ socio-economic index (HISEI)” or, teacher-student ratio based on information from the school questionnaire.

**Scale indices** are variables constructed through the scaling of multiple items. Unless otherwise indicated, the index was scaled using a two-parameter item response model (a generalised partial credit model was used in the case of items with more than two categories) and values of the index correspond to Warm likelihood estimates (WLE) (Warm, 1985). For details on how each scale index was constructed, see the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017b). In general, the scaling was done in three stages:

1. The item parameters were estimated from equally-weighted samples of students from all countries and economies; only cases with a minimum number of three valid responses to items that are part of the index were included.
2. The estimates were computed for all students and all schools by anchoring the item parameters obtained in the preceding step.
3. The Warm likelihood estimates were then standardised so that the mean of the index value for the OECD student population was zero and the standard deviation was one, countries being given equal weight in the standardisation process.

Sequential codes were assigned to the different response categories of the questions in the sequence in which the latter appeared in the student, school or parent questionnaires. Where indicated in this section, these codes were inverted for the purpose of constructing indices or scales. Negative values for an index do not necessarily imply that students responded negatively to the underlying questions. A negative value merely indicates that the respondents answered less positively than all respondents did, on average across OECD countries. Likewise, a positive value on an index indicates that the respondents answered more favourably, or more positively, than respondents did, on average in OECD countries. Terms enclosed in brackets < > in the following descriptions were replaced in the national versions of the student, school and parent questionnaires by the appropriate national equivalent. For example, the term <qualification at ISCED level 5A> was translated in the United States into “Bachelor’s degree, post-graduate certificate program, Master’s degree program or first professional degree program”. Similarly the term <classes in the language of assessment> in Luxembourg was translated into “German classes” or “French classes” depending on whether students received the German or French version of the assessment instruments.

In addition to the simple and scaled indices described in this annex, there are a number of variables from the questionnaires that were used in this volume and correspond to single items not used to construct indices. These non-recoded variables have prefix of “ST” for items in the student questionnaire, “SC” for items in the school questionnaire, “PA” for items from the parent questionnaire, “IC” for items from the ICT questionnaire, and “TC” for items from the teacher questionnaire. All the context questionnaires as well as the PISA international database, including all variables, are available through [www.oecd.org/pisa](http://www.oecd.org/pisa).

#### Student-level simple indices

##### **Student age**

The age of a student (AGE) was calculated as the difference between the year and month of testing and the year and month of a student’s birth. Data on students’ age were obtained from both the questionnaire (ST003) and student tracking forms. If the month of testing was not known for a particular student, the median month for that country was used in the calculation.



### **Immigration background**

The PISA database contains three country-specific variables relating to the country of birth of the student, their mother and their father (COBN\_S, COBN\_M, and COBN\_F). The items ST019Q01TA, ST019Q01TB and ST019Q01TC were recoded into the following categories: (1) country of birth is the same as country of assessment and (2) other. The index of immigrant background (IMMIG) was calculated from these variables with the following categories: (0) non-immigrant students (those students who had at least one parent born in the country), and (1) first- and second-generation immigrant students (those born outside the country of assessment and whose parent(s) were also born in another country, and those born in the country of assessment but whose parent(s) were born in another country). Students with missing responses for either the student or for both parents were assigned missing values for this variable.

### **Language spoken at home**

Students indicated what language they usually speak at home (ST022), and the database includes a derived variable (LANGN) containing a country-specific code for each language. In addition, an internationally comparable variable was derived from this information with the following categories: (1) language at home is the same as the language of assessment for that student and (2) language at home is another language.

### **Attendance at pre-primary school**

Students indicated the age at which they began pre-primary school (ISCED 0) in the student questionnaire (ST125). Students who did not remember whether they attended pre-primary school were not considered in analyses comparing students who attended and who did not attend pre-primary school. This definition differs slightly from the definition of the years of pre-primary school attendance used in *PISA 2015 Results (Volume II): Policies and Practices for Successful Schools* (OECD, 2016), which defined pre-primary school attendance through a derived variable that also relied on the age at which students began primary school (ISCED 1) (ST126).

### **Learning time**

Learning time in total (TMINS) was computed using information about the average minutes in a <class period> (ST061) and information about the number of class periods per week attended in total (ST060). For convenience purposes, the information on learning time has been transformed into hours.

### **Index of student interaction in science class**

The index of student interaction in science class was constructed from students' responses to question (ST098) on how often various communication-intensive activities take place in science class: "Students are given opportunities to explain their ideas"; "Students spend time in the laboratory doing practical experiments"; "Students are required to argue about science questions"; and "There is a class debate about investigations". Students can respond that these events take place "in all lessons", "in most lessons", "in some lessons", or "never or hardly ever". The index of student interaction in science class is calculated as the number of these activities that students say take place "in all lessons" or "in most lessons", and can vary from 0 to 4. Higher values indicate that students take part in communication- and interaction-intensive activities more often in science class.

## **Student-level scale indices**

### **Sense of belonging**

The index of sense of belonging (BELONG) was constructed from students' responses to a trend question about their sense of belonging at school. Students reported, on a four-point Likert scale with the response categories "strongly agree", "agree", "disagree", and "strongly disagree", their agreement with the following statements (ST034): "I feel like an outsider (or left out of things) at school"; "I make friends easily at school"; "I feel like I belong at school"; "I feel awkward and out of place in my school"; "Other students seem to like me"; and "I feel lonely at school". The answers to three items were reversed-coded so that higher values in the index indicate a greater sense of belonging.

### **Life satisfaction**

Students' life satisfaction (ST016) level was based on their response to the question "Overall, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole these days". Their responses were limited to integers ranging from 0 (not at all satisfied) to 10 (completely satisfied). Students taking the computer-based questionnaire were asked to move the slider to the appropriate number (closer to 0 or to 10) and thus students could not respond below 0 or above 10.

### **Achievement motivation**

The index of achievement motivation (MOTIVAT) was constructed from students' responses to a new question developed for PISA 2015 (ST119). Students reported, on a four-point Likert scale with the answering categories "strongly disagree", "disagree", "agree", and "strongly agree", their agreement with the following statements: "I want top grades in most or all of my courses"; "I want to be able to select from among the best opportunities available when I graduate"; "I want to be the best, whatever I do"; "I see myself as an ambitious person"; and "I want to be one of the best students in my class". Higher values indicate that students have greater achievement motivation.

### **Schoolwork-related anxiety**

The index of schoolwork-related anxiety (ANXTEST) was constructed from student responses to question (ST118) over the extent to which they strongly agreed, agreed, disagreed or strongly disagreed with the following statements when asked to think about him or herself: "I often worry that it will be difficult for me taking a test"; "I worry that I will get poor <grades> at school";

“Even if I am well prepared for a test I feel very anxious”; “I get very tense when I study”; and “I get nervous when I don’t know how to solve a task at school”. Higher values indicate that students have more schoolwork-related anxiety.

### **Exposure to bullying**

The index of bullying (BEINGBULLIED) was constructed from students’ reports on how often (“never or almost never”; “a few times a year”; “a few times a month”; “once a week or more”) the following happened (ST038): “Other students left me out of things on purpose”; “Other students made fun of me”; “I was threatened by other students”; “Other students took away or destroyed things that belonged to me”; “I got hit or pushed around by other students”; and “Other students spread nasty rumours about me”. Higher values indicate that students are exposed to bullying more often.

### **Index of valuing relationships**

The index of valuing relationships (COOPERATE) was constructed from students’ responses to question (ST082) over the extent to which they strongly agreed, agreed, disagreed or strongly disagreed with the following statements: “I am a good listener”; “I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful”; “I take into account what others are interested in”; and “I enjoy considering different perspectives”. Higher values indicate that students responded more affirmatively to these statements.

### **Index of valuing teamwork**

The index of valuing teamwork (CPSVALUE) was constructed from students’ responses to question (ST082) over the extent to which they strongly agreed, agreed, disagreed or strongly disagreed with the following statements: “I prefer working as part of a team to working alone”; “I find that teams make better decisions than individuals”; “I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency”; and “I enjoy co-operating with peers”. Higher values indicate that students responded more affirmatively to these statements.

### **Index of ICT use at school**

The index of ICT (information and communications technology) use at school (USESCH) was constructed using students’ responses to question (IC011) regarding how often they use digital devices for the following activities: “<chatting online> at school”; “using email at school”; “browsing the Internet for schoolwork”; “downloading, uploading or browsing material from the school’s website (e.g. <Intranet>)”; “posting [their] work on the school’s website”; “playing simulations at school”; “practicing and drilling, such as for foreign language learning or mathematics”; “doing homework on a school computer”; and “using school computers for group work and communication with other students”. Students could respond that they performed these activities “never or hardly ever”, “once or twice a month”, “once or twice a week”, “almost every day” or “every day”. Higher values indicate that students use ICT more often at school.

### **Index of students’ perceived ICT competence**

The index of students’ perceived ICT competence (COMPACT) was constructed using students’ responses to question (IC014) regarding their comfort with various digital devices. They were asked to state whether they “strongly agree”, “agree”, “disagree”, or “strongly disagree” with the following statements: “I feel comfortable using digital devices that I am less familiar with”; “If my friends and relatives want to buy new digital devices or applications, I can give them advice”; “I feel comfortable using my digital devices at home”; “When I come across problems with digital devices, I think I can solve them”; “If my friends and relatives have a problem with digital devices, I can help them”. Higher values indicate that students feel more comfortable and competent with digital devices and ICT.

## **Scaling of indices related to the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status**

The PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS) was derived, as in previous cycles, from three variables related to family background: highest parental education (PARED), highest parental occupation (HISEI), and home possessions (HOMEPOS) including books in the home. PARED and HISEI are simple indices, described above. HOMEPOS is a proxy measure for family wealth.

### **Household possessions**

In PISA 2015, students reported the availability of 16 household items at home (ST011) including three country-specific household items that were seen as appropriate measures of family wealth within the country’s context. In addition, students reported the amount of possessions and books at home (ST012, ST013).

HOMEPOS is a summary index of all household items and possessions (ST011, ST012 and ST013). The home possessions scale for PISA 2015 was computed differently than in the previous cycles, to align the IRT model to the one used for all cognitive and non-cognitive scales. Categories for the number of books in the home are unchanged in PISA 2015. The items in ST011 (1 = “yes”, 2 = “no”) were reverse-coded so that a higher level indicates the presence of the indicator.

### **Computation of ESCS**

For the purpose of computing the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS), values for students with missing PARED, HISEI or HOMEPOS were imputed with predicted values plus a random component based on a regression on the other two variables. If there were missing data on more than one of the three variables, ESCS was not computed and a missing value was assigned for ESCS.

The PISA index of economic, social and cultural status was derived from a principal component analysis of standardised variables (each variable has an OECD mean of zero and a standard deviation of one), taking the factor scores for the first



principal component as measures of the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status. All countries and economies (both OECD and partner countries/economies) contributed equally to the principal component analysis, while in previous cycles, the principal component analysis was based on OECD countries only. However, for the purpose of reporting, the ESCS scale has been transformed with zero being the score of an average OECD student and one being the standard deviation across equally weighted OECD countries.

Principal component analysis was also performed for each participating country or economy separately, to determine to what extent the components of the index operate in similar ways across countries and economies.

## School-level simple indices

### **School type**

Schools are classified as either public or private according to whether a private entity or a public agency has the ultimate power for decision making concerning its affairs (SC013). As in previous PISA surveys, the index on school type (SCHLTYPE) has three categories, based on two questions: SC013 which asks if the school is a public or a private school, and SC016 which asks about the sources of funding. This index was calculated in 2015 and in all previous cycles.

### **Class size and student-teacher ratio**

The average class size (CLSIZE) is derived from one of nine possible categories in question SC003, ranging from “15 students or fewer” to “more than 50 students”.

The student-teacher ratio (STRATIO) was obtained by dividing the number of enrolled students (SC002) by the total number of teachers (TOTAT).

### **Group-based extracurricular activities at school**

School principals were asked to report what extracurricular activities their schools offered to 15-year old students (SC053). The index of group-based extracurricular activities at school was computed as the total number of the following activities that occurred at school: band, orchestra or choir; a school play or school musical; a school yearbook, newspaper or magazine; volunteering or service activities; and sports teams/activities. The index varied from 0 to 5, with each activity weighted equally.

### **Proportion of missing observations for variables used in this volume**

Unless otherwise indicated, no adjustment is made for non-response to questionnaires in analyses included in this volume. The reported percentages and estimates based on indices refer to the proportion of the sample with valid responses to the corresponding questionnaire items. Table A1.1, available on line, reports the proportion of the sample covered by analyses based on the additional background questionnaire variables used in this volume. Similar tables are available in Annex A1 of PISA Volumes I and III for variables already used in analyses in earlier volumes. Where this proportion shows large variation across countries/economies or across time, caution is required when comparing results on these dimensions.

## Tables available online

Table A1.1 Weighted share of responding students covered by analyses of collaborative problem-solving performance based on PISA questionnaires (<http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/888933623761>)

See also Table A1.3 from PISA Volume I for data on the weighted share of responding students covered by analyses based on the student, school and parent questionnaires: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/888933433112>.

In addition, see the following tables from PISA Volume III for data on the weighted share of responding students covered by additional analyses based on the student, educational career and parent questionnaires:

- Table A1.8a Weighted share of responding students covered by analyses based on the student and educational career questionnaires: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1787/888933473606>
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## ANNEX A2

### THE PISA TARGET POPULATION, THE PISA SAMPLES AND THE DEFINITION OF SCHOOLS

#### Definition of the PISA target population

PISA 2015 provides an assessment of the cumulative outcomes of education and learning at a point at which most young adults are still enrolled in initial education.

A major challenge for an international survey is to ensure that international comparability of national target populations is guaranteed.

Differences between countries in the nature and extent of pre-primary education and care, the age of entry into formal schooling and the institutional structure of education systems do not allow for a definition of internationally comparable grade levels. Consequently, international comparisons of performance in education typically define their populations with reference to a target age group. Some previous international assessments have defined their target population on the basis of the grade level that provides maximum coverage of a particular age cohort. A disadvantage of this approach is that slight variations in the age distribution of students across grade levels often lead to the selection of different target grades in different countries, or between education systems within countries, raising serious questions about the comparability of results across, and at times within, countries. In addition, because not all students of the desired age are usually represented in grade-based samples, there may be a more serious potential bias in the results if the unrepresented students are typically enrolled in the next higher grade in some countries and the next lower grade in others. This would exclude students with potentially higher levels of performance in the former countries and students with potentially lower levels of performance in the latter.

In order to address this problem, PISA uses an age-based definition for its target population, i.e. a definition that is not tied to the institutional structures of national education systems. PISA assesses students who were aged between 15 years and 3 (complete) months and 16 years and 2 (complete) months at the beginning of the assessment period, plus or minus a 1-month allowable variation, and who were enrolled in an educational institution with grade 7 or higher, regardless of the grade level or type of institution in which they were enrolled, and regardless of whether they were in full-time or part-time education. Educational institutions are generally referred to as schools in this publication, although some educational institutions (in particular, some types of vocational education establishments) may not be termed schools in certain countries. As expected from this definition, the average age of students across OECD countries was 15 years and 9 months. The range in country means was 2 months and 18 days (0.20 years), from the minimum country mean of 15 years and 8 months to the maximum country mean of 15 years and 10 months.

Given this definition of population, PISA makes statements about the knowledge and skills of a group of individuals who were born within a comparable reference period, but who may have undergone different educational experiences both in and outside school. In PISA, these knowledge and skills are referred to as the outcomes of education at an age that is common across countries. Depending on countries' policies on school entry, selection and promotion, these students may be distributed over a narrower or a wider range of grades across different education systems, tracks or streams. It is important to consider these differences when comparing PISA results across countries, as observed differences between students at age 15 may no longer appear later on as/if students' educational experiences converge over time.

If a country's scores in science, reading or mathematics are significantly higher than those in another country, it cannot automatically be inferred that the schools or particular parts of the education system in the first country are more effective than those in the second. However, one can legitimately conclude that the cumulative impact of learning experiences in the first country, starting in early childhood and up to the age of 15, and encompassing experiences in school, home and beyond, have resulted in higher outcomes in the literacy in the domains that PISA measures.

The PISA target population does not include residents attending schools in a foreign country. It does, however, include foreign nationals attending schools in the country of assessment.

To accommodate countries that requested grade-based results for the purpose of national analyses, PISA 2015 provided a sampling option to supplement age-based sampling with grade-based sampling.

#### Population coverage

All countries and economies attempted to maximise the coverage of 15-year-olds enrolled in education in their national samples, including students enrolled in special-education institutions. As a result, PISA 2015 reached standards of population coverage that are unprecedented in international surveys of this kind.

The sampling standards used in PISA permitted countries to exclude up to a total of 5% of the relevant population either by excluding schools or by excluding students within schools. All but 12 countries – the United Kingdom (8.22%), Luxembourg (8.16%), Canada (7.49%), Norway (6.75%), New Zealand (6.54%), Sweden (5.71%), Estonia (5.52%), Australia (5.31%),



Montenegro (5.17%), Lithuania (5.12%), Latvia (5.07%), and Denmark (5.04%) – achieved this standard, and in 29 countries and economies, the overall exclusion rate was less than 2%. When language exclusions were accounted for (i.e. removed from the overall exclusion rate), Denmark, Latvia, New Zealand and Sweden no longer had an exclusion rate greater than 5%. For details, see [www.oecd.org/pisa](http://www.oecd.org/pisa).

Exclusions within the above limits include:

- At the school level: schools that were geographically inaccessible or where the administration of the PISA assessment was not considered feasible; and schools that provided teaching only for students in the categories defined under “within-school exclusions”, such as schools for the blind. The percentage of 15-year-olds enrolled in such schools had to be less than 2.5% of the nationally desired target population (0.5% maximum for the former group and 2% maximum for the latter group). The magnitude, nature and justification of school-level exclusions are documented in the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017).
- At the student level: students with an intellectual disability; students with a functional disability; students with limited assessment language proficiency; other (a category defined by the national centres and approved by the international centre); and students taught in a language of instruction for the main domain for which no materials were available. Students could not be excluded solely because of low proficiency or common disciplinary problems. The percentage of 15-year-olds excluded within schools had to be less than 2.5% of the nationally desired target population.

Table A2.1 describes the target population of the countries participating in PISA 2015. Further information on the target population and the implementation of PISA sampling standards can be found in the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017).

- **Column 1** shows the total number of 15-year-olds according to the most recent available information, which in most countries means the year 2014 as the year before the assessment.
- **Column 2** shows the number of 15-year-olds enrolled in schools in grade 7 or above (as defined above), which is referred to as the “eligible population”.
- **Column 3** shows the national desired target population. Countries were allowed to exclude up to 0.5% of students a priori from the eligible population, essentially for practical reasons. The following a priori exclusions exceed this limit but were agreed with the PISA Consortium: Belgium excluded 0.21% of its population for a particular type of student educated while working; Canada excluded 1.22% of its population from Territories and Aboriginal reserves; Chile excluded 0.04% of its students who live in Easter Island, Juan Fernandez Archipelago and Antarctica; and the United Arab Emirates excluded 0.04% of its students who had no information available. The adjudicated region of Massachusetts in the United States excluded 13.11% of its students, and North Carolina excluded 5.64% of its students. For these two regions, the desired target populations cover 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only. The students excluded from the desired population are private school students.
- **Column 4** shows the number of students enrolled in schools that were excluded from the national desired target population, either from the sampling frame or later in the field during data collection.
- **Column 5** shows the size of the national desired target population after subtracting the students enrolled in excluded schools. This is obtained by subtracting Column 4 from Column 3.
- **Column 6** shows the percentage of students enrolled in excluded schools. This is obtained by dividing Column 4 by Column 3 and multiplying by 100.
- **Column 7** shows the number of students participating in PISA 2015. Note that in some cases this number does not account for 15-year-olds assessed as part of additional national options.
- **Column 8** shows the weighted number of participating students, i.e. the number of students in the nationally defined target population that the PISA sample represents.
- Each country attempted to maximise the coverage of PISA’s target population within the sampled schools. In the case of each sampled school, all eligible students, namely those 15 years of age, regardless of grade, were first listed. Sampled students who were to be excluded had still to be included in the sampling documentation, and a list drawn up stating the reason for their exclusion. Column 9 indicates the total number of excluded students, which is further described and classified into specific categories in Table A2.2.
- **Column 10** indicates the weighted number of excluded students, i.e. the overall number of students in the nationally defined target population represented by the number of students excluded from the sample, which is also described and classified by exclusion categories in Table A2.2. Excluded students were excluded based on five categories: students with an intellectual disability (the student has a mental or emotional disability and is cognitively delayed such that he/she cannot perform in the PISA testing situation); students with a functional disability (the student has a moderate to severe permanent physical disability such that he/she cannot perform in the PISA testing situation); students with limited proficiency in the assessment language (the student is unable to read or speak any of the languages of the assessment in the country and would be unable to overcome the language barrier in the testing situation – typically a student who has received less than one year of instruction in the languages of assessment may be excluded); other (a category defined by the national centres and approved by the international centre); and students taught in a language of instruction for the main domain for which no materials were available.

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Table A2.1 PISA target populations and samples

|                    | Population and sample information |   |   |                               |   |                                 |                                  |   |                             |                                      |                                  | Coverage indices           |   |  |  |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|---|--|--|
|                    | Total population of 15-year-olds  | Total enrolled population of 15-year-olds at grade 7 or above | Total in national desired target population | Total school-level exclusions | Total in national desired target population after all school exclusions and before within-school exclusions | School-level exclusion rate (%) | Number of participating students | Weighted number of participating students | Number of excluded students | Weighted number of excluded students | Within-school exclusion rate (%) | Overall exclusion rate (%) | Coverage Index 1: Coverage of national desired population | Coverage Index 2: Coverage of national enrolled population | Coverage Index 3: Coverage of 15-year-old population |
|                    | (1)                               | (2)   | (3)   | (4)                           | (5)   | (6)                             | (7)                              | (8)                                       | (9)                         | (10)                                 | (11)                             | (12)                       | (13)  | (14)   | (15)   |
| <b>OECD</b>        |                                   |   |   |                               |   |                                 |                                  |   |                             |                                      |                                  |                            |   |  |  |
| Australia          | 282 888                           | 282 547   | 282 547                                     | 6 940                         | 275 607   | 2.46                            | 14 530                           | 256 329                                   | 681                         | 7 736                                | 2.93                             | 5.31                       | 0.947   | 0.947  | 0.906  |
| Austria            | 88 013                            | 82 683  | 82 683                                      | 790                           | 81 893  | 0.96                            | 7 007                            | 73 379                                    | 84                          | 866                                  | 1.17                             | 2.11                       | 0.979   | 0.979  | 0.834  |
| Belgium            | 123 630                           | 121 954   | 121 694                                     | 1 597                         | 120 097   | 1.31                            | 9 651                            | 114 902                                   | 39                          | 410                                  | 0.36                             | 1.66                       | 0.983   | 0.981  | 0.929  |
| Canada             | 396 966                           | 381 660   | 376 994                                     | 1 590                         | 375 404   | 0.42                            | 20 058                           | 331 546                                   | 1 830                       | 25 340                               | 7.10                             | 7.49                       | 0.925   | 0.914  | 0.835  |
| Chile              | 255 440                           | 245 947   | 245 852                                     | 2 641                         | 243 211   | 1.07                            | 7 053                            | 203 782                                   | 37                          | 1 393                                | 0.68                             | 1.75                       | 0.983   | 0.982  | 0.798  |
| Czech Republic     | 90 391                            | 90 076  | 90 076                                      | 1 814                         | 88 262  | 2.01                            | 6 894                            | 84 519                                    | 25                          | 368                                  | 0.43                             | 2.44                       | 0.976   | 0.976  | 0.935  |
| Denmark            | 68 174                            | 67 466  | 67 466                                      | 605                           | 66 861  | 0.90                            | 7 161                            | 60 655                                    | 514                         | 2 644                                | 4.18                             | 5.04                       | 0.950   | 0.950  | 0.890  |
| Estonia            | 11 676                            | 11 491  | 11 491                                      | 416                           | 11 075  | 3.62                            | 5 587                            | 10 834                                    | 116                         | 218                                  | 1.97                             | 5.52                       | 0.945   | 0.945  | 0.928  |
| Finland            | 58 526                            | 58 955  | 58 955                                      | 472                           | 58 483  | 0.80                            | 5 882                            | 56 934                                    | 124                         | 1 157                                | 1.99                             | 2.78                       | 0.972   | 0.972  | 0.973  |
| France             | 807 867                           | 778 679   | 778 679                                     | 28 742                        | 749 937   | 3.69                            | 6 108                            | 734 944                                   | 35                          | 3 620                                | 0.49                             | 4.16                       | 0.958   | 0.958  | 0.910  |
| Germany            | 774 149                           | 774 149   | 774 149                                     | 11 150                        | 762 999   | 1.44                            | 6 522                            | 743 969                                   | 54                          | 5 342                                | 0.71                             | 2.14                       | 0.979   | 0.979  | 0.961  |
| Greece             | 105 530                           | 105 253   | 105 253                                     | 953                           | 104 300   | 0.91                            | 5 532                            | 96 157                                    | 58                          | 965                                  | 0.99                             | 1.89                       | 0.981   | 0.981  | 0.911  |
| Hungary            | 94 515                            | 90 065  | 90 065                                      | 1 945                         | 88 120  | 2.16                            | 5 658                            | 84 644                                    | 55                          | 1 009                                | 1.18                             | 3.31                       | 0.967   | 0.967  | 0.896  |
| Iceland            | 4 250                             | 4 195   | 4 195                                       | 17                            | 4 178   | 0.41                            | 3 374                            | 3 966                                     | 131                         | 132                                  | 3.23                             | 3.62                       | 0.964   | 0.964  | 0.933  |
| Ireland            | 61 234                            | 59 811  | 59 811                                      | 72                            | 59 739  | 0.12                            | 5 741                            | 59 082                                    | 197                         | 1 825                                | 3.00                             | 3.11                       | 0.969   | 0.969  | 0.965  |
| Israel             | 124 852                           | 118 997   | 118 997                                     | 2 310                         | 116 687   | 1.94                            | 6 598                            | 117 031                                   | 115                         | 1 803                                | 1.52                             | 3.43                       | 0.966   | 0.966  | 0.937  |
| Italy              | 616 761                           | 567 268   | 567 268                                     | 11 190                        | 556 078   | 1.97                            | 11 583                           | 495 093                                   | 246                         | 9 395                                | 1.86                             | 3.80                       | 0.962   | 0.962  | 0.803  |
| Japan              | 1 201 615                         | 1 175 907   | 1 175 907                                   | 27 323                        | 1 148 584   | 2.32                            | 6 647                            | 1 138 349                                 | 2                           | 318                                  | 0.03                             | 2.35                       | 0.976   | 0.976  | 0.947  |
| Korea              | 620 687                           | 619 950   | 619 950                                     | 3 555                         | 616 395   | 0.57                            | 5 581                            | 569 106                                   | 20                          | 1 806                                | 0.32                             | 0.89                       | 0.991   | 0.991  | 0.917  |
| Latvia             | 17 255                            | 16 955  | 16 955                                      | 677                           | 16 278  | 3.99                            | 4 869                            | 15 320                                    | 70                          | 174                                  | 1.12                             | 5.07                       | 0.949   | 0.949  | 0.888  |
| Luxembourg         | 6 327                             | 6 053   | 6 053                                       | 162                           | 5 891   | 2.68                            | 5 299                            | 5 540                                     | 331                         | 331                                  | 5.64                             | 8.16                       | 0.918   | 0.918  | 0.876  |
| Mexico             | 2 257 399                         | 1 401 247   | 1 401 247                                   | 5 905                         | 1 395 342   | 0.42                            | 7 568                            | 1 392 995                                 | 30                          | 6 810                                | 0.49                             | 0.91                       | 0.991   | 0.991  | 0.617  |
| Netherlands        | 201 670                           | 200 976   | 200 976                                     | 6 866                         | 194 110   | 3.42                            | 5 385                            | 191 817                                   | 14                          | 502                                  | 0.26                             | 3.67                       | 0.963   | 0.963  | 0.951  |
| New Zealand        | 60 162                            | 57 448  | 57 448                                      | 681                           | 56 767  | 1.19                            | 4 520                            | 54 274                                    | 333                         | 3 112                                | 5.42                             | 6.54                       | 0.935   | 0.935  | 0.902  |
| Norway             | 63 642                            | 63 491  | 63 491                                      | 854                           | 62 637  | 1.35                            | 5 456                            | 58 083                                    | 345                         | 3 366                                | 5.48                             | 6.75                       | 0.933   | 0.933  | 0.913  |
| Poland             | 380 366                           | 361 600   | 361 600                                     | 6 122                         | 355 478   | 1.69                            | 4 478                            | 345 709                                   | 34                          | 2 418                                | 0.69                             | 2.38                       | 0.976   | 0.976  | 0.909  |
| Portugal           | 110 939                           | 101 107   | 101 107                                     | 424                           | 100 683   | 0.42                            | 7 325                            | 97 214                                    | 105                         | 860                                  | 0.88                             | 1.29                       | 0.987   | 0.987  | 0.876  |
| Slovak Republic    | 55 674                            | 55 203  | 55 203                                      | 1 376                         | 53 827  | 2.49                            | 6 350                            | 49 654                                    | 114                         | 912                                  | 1.80                             | 4.25                       | 0.957   | 0.957  | 0.892  |
| Slovenia           | 18 078                            | 17 689  | 17 689                                      | 290                           | 17 399  | 1.64                            | 6 406                            | 16 773                                    | 114                         | 247                                  | 1.45                             | 3.07                       | 0.969   | 0.969  | 0.928  |
| Spain              | 440 084                           | 414 276   | 414 276                                     | 2 175                         | 412 101   | 0.53                            | 6 736                            | 399 935                                   | 200                         | 10 893                               | 2.65                             | 3.16                       | 0.968   | 0.968  | 0.909  |
| Sweden             | 97 749                            | 97 210  | 97 210                                      | 1 214                         | 95 996  | 1.25                            | 5 458                            | 91 491                                    | 275                         | 4 324                                | 4.51                             | 7.71                       | 0.943   | 0.943  | 0.936  |
| Switzerland        | 85 495                            | 83 655  | 83 655                                      | 2 320                         | 81 335  | 2.77                            | 5 860                            | 82 223                                    | 107                         | 1 357                                | 1.62                             | 4.35                       | 0.956   | 0.956  | 0.962  |
| Turkey             | 1 324 089                         | 1 100 074   | 1 100 074                                   | 5 746                         | 1 094 328   | 0.52                            | 5 895                            | 925 366                                   | 31                          | 5 359                                | 0.58                             | 1.10                       | 0.989   | 0.989  | 0.699  |
| United Kingdom     | 747 593                           | 746 328   | 746 328                                     | 23 412                        | 722 916   | 3.14                            | 14 157                           | 627 703                                   | 870                         | 34 747                               | 5.25                             | 8.22                       | 0.918   | 0.918  | 0.840  |
| United States      | 4 220 325                         | 3 992 053   | 3 992 053                                   | 12 001                        | 3 980 052   | 0.30                            | 5 712                            | 3 524 497                                 | 193                         | 109 580                              | 3.02                             | 3.31                       | 0.967   | 0.967  | 0.835  |
| <b>Partners</b>    |                                   |   |   |                               |   |                                 |                                  |   |                             |                                      |                                  |                            |   |  |  |
| Albania            | 48 610                            | 45 163  | 45 163                                      | 10                            | 45 153  | 0.02                            | 5 215                            | 40 896                                    | 0                           | 0                                    | 0.00                             | 0.02                       | 1.000   | 1.000  | 0.841  |
| Algeria            | 389 315                           | 354 936   | 354 936                                     | 0                             | 354 936   | 0.00                            | 5 519                            | 306 647                                   | 0                           | 0                                    | 0.00                             | 0.00                       | 1.000   | 1.000  | 0.788  |
| Argentina          | 718 635                           | 578 308   | 578 308                                     | 2 617                         | 575 691   | 0.45                            | 6 349                            | 394 917                                   | 21                          | 1 367                                | 0.34                             | 0.80                       | 0.992   | 0.992  | 0.550  |
| Brazil             | 3 803 681                         | 2 853 388   | 2 853 388                                   | 64 392                        | 2 788 996   | 2.26                            | 23 141                           | 2 425 961                                 | 119                         | 13 543                               | 0.56                             | 2.80                       | 0.972   | 0.972  | 0.638  |
| B-S-J-G (China)    | 2 084 958                         | 1 507 518   | 1 507 518                                   | 58 639                        | 1 448 879   | 3.89                            | 9 841                            | 1 331 794                                 | 33                          | 3 609                                | 0.27                             | 4.15                       | 0.959   | 0.959  | 0.639  |
| Bulgaria           | 66 601                            | 59 397  | 59 397                                      | 1 124                         | 58 273  | 1.89                            | 5 928                            | 53 685                                    | 49                          | 433                                  | 0.80                             | 2.68                       | 0.973   | 0.973  | 0.806  |
| Colombia           | 760 919                           | 674 079   | 674 079                                     | 37                            | 674 042   | 0.01                            | 11 795                           | 567 848                                   | 9                           | 507                                  | 0.09                             | 0.99                       | 0.999   | 0.999  | 0.746  |
| Costa Rica         | 81 773                            | 66 524  | 66 524                                      | 0                             | 66 524  | 0.00                            | 6 866                            | 51 897                                    | 13                          | 98                                   | 0.19                             | 0.19                       | 0.998   | 0.998  | 0.635  |
| Croatia            | 45 031                            | 35 920  | 35 920                                      | 805                           | 35 115  | 2.24                            | 5 809                            | 40 899                                    | 86                          | 589                                  | 1.42                             | 3.63                       | 0.964   | 0.964  | 0.908  |
| Cyprus*            | 9 255                             | 9 255   | 9 255                                       | 109                           | 9 146   | 1.18                            | 5 571                            | 8 785                                     | 228                         | 292                                  | 3.22                             | 4.36                       | 0.956   | 0.956  | 0.949  |
| Dominican Republic | 193 153                           | 139 555   | 139 555                                     | 2 382                         | 137 173   | 1.71                            | 4 740                            | 132 300                                   | 4                           | 106                                  | 0.08                             | 1.79                       | 0.982   | 0.982  | 0.685  |
| FYROM              | 16 719                            | 16 717  | 16 717                                      | 259                           | 16 458  | 1.55                            | 5 324                            | 15 847                                    | 8                           | 19                                   | 0.12                             | 1.67                       | 0.983   | 0.983  | 0.948  |
| Georgia            | 48 695                            | 43 197  | 43 197                                      | 1 675                         | 41 522  | 3.88                            | 5 316                            | 38 334                                    | 35                          | 230                                  | 0.60                             | 4.45                       | 0.955   | 0.955  | 0.787  |
| Hong Kong (China)  | 65 100                            | 61 630  | 61 630                                      | 708                           | 60 922  | 1.15                            | 5 359                            | 57 662                                    | 36                          | 374                                  | 0.65                             | 1.79                       | 0.982   | 0.982  | 0.886  |
| Indonesia          | 4 534 216                         | 3 182 816   | 3 182 816                                   | 4 046                         | 3 178 770   | 0.13                            | 6 513                            | 3 092 773                                 | 0                           | 0                                    | 0.00                             | 0.13                       | 0.999   | 0.999  | 0.682  |
| Jordan             | 126 399                           | 121 729   | 121 729                                     | 71                            | 121 658   | 0.06                            | 7 267                            | 108 669                                   | 70                          | 1 006                                | 0.92                             | 0.97                       | 0.990   | 0.990  | 0.860  |
| Kazakhstan         | 211 407                           | 209 555   | 209 555                                     | 7 475                         | 202 080   | 3.57                            | 7 841                            | 192 909                                   | 0                           | 0                                    | 0.00                             | 3.57                       | 0.964   | 0.964  | 0.912  |
| Kosovo             | 31 546                            | 28 229  | 28 229                                      | 1 156                         | 27 073  | 4.10                            | 4 826                            | 22 333                                    | 50                          | 174                                  | 0.77                             | 4.84                       | 0.952   | 0.952  | 0.708  |
| Lebanon            | 64 044                            | 62 281  | 62 281                                      | 1 300                         | 60 981  | 2.09                            | 4 546                            | 42 331                                    | 0                           | 0                                    | 0.00                             | 2.09                       | 0.979   | 0.979  | 0.661  |
| Lithuania          | 33 163                            | 32 097  | 32 097                                      | 573                           | 31 524  | 1.79                            | 6 525                            | 29 915                                    | 227                         | 1 050                                | 3.39                             | 5.12                       | 0.949   | 0.949  | 0.902  |
| Macao (China)      | 5 100                             | 4 417   | 4 417                                       | 3                             | 4 414   | 0.07                            | 4 476                            | 4 507                                     | 0                           | 0                                    | 0.00                             | 0.07                       | 0.999   | 0.999  | 0.884  |
| Malaysia           | 540 000                           | 448 838   | 448 838                                     | 2 418                         | 446 420   | 0.54                            | 8 861                            | 412 524                                   | 41                          | 2 344                                | 0.56                             | 1.10                       | 0.989   | 0.989  | 0.764  |
| Malta              | 4 397                             | 4 406   | 4 406                                       | 63                            | 4 343   | 1.43                            | 3 634                            | 4 296                                     | 41                          | 41                                   | 0.95                             | 2.36                       | 0.976   | 0.976  | 0.977  |
| Moldova            | 31 576                            | 30 601  | 30 601                                      | 182                           | 30 419  | 0.59                            | 5 325                            | 29 341                                    | 21                          | 118                                  | 0.40                             | 0.99                       | 0.990   | 0.990  | 0.929  |
| Montenegro         | 7 524                             | 7 506   | 7 506                                       | 40                            | 7 466   | 0.53                            | 5 665                            | 6 777                                     | 300                         | 332                                  | 4.66                             | 5.17                       | 0.948   | 0.948  | 0.901  |
| Peru               | 580 371                           | 478 229   | 478 229                                     | 6 355                         | 471 874   | 1.33                            | 6 971                            | 431 738                                   | 13                          | 745                                  | 0.17                             | 1.50                       | 0.985   | 0.985  | 0.744  |
| Qatar              | 13 871                            | 13 850  | 13 850                                      | 380                           | 13 470  | 2.74                            | 12 083                           | 12 951                                    | 193                         | 193                                  | 1.47                             | 4.17                       | 0.958   | 0.958  | 0.934  |
| Romania            | 176 334                           | 176 334   | 176 334                                     | 1 823                         | 174 511   | 1.03                            | 4 876                            | 164 216                                   | 3                           | 120                                  | 0.07                             | 1.11                       | 0.989   | 0.989  | 0.931  |
| Russia             | 1 176 473                         | 1 172 943   | 1 172 943                                   | 24 217                        | 1 148 726   | 2.06                            | 6 036                            | 1 120 932                                 | 13                          | 2 469                                | 0.22                             | 2.28                       | 0.977   | 0.977  | 0.953  |
| Singapore          | 48 218                            | 47 050  | 47 050                                      | 445                           | 46 605  | 0.95                            | 6 115                            | 46 224                                    | 25</                        |                                      |                                  |                            |   |  |  |



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**Table A2.2 Exclusions**

|                      | Student exclusions (unweighted)                                 |   |  |  |   |                                 |
|----------------------|---|---|--|--|---|---------------------------------|
|                      | Number of excluded students with functional disability (Code 1) | Number of excluded students with intellectual disability (Code 2) | Number of excluded students because of language (Code 3) | Number of excluded students for other reasons (Code 4) | Number of excluded students because of no materials available in the language of instruction (Code 5) | School-level exclusion rate (%) |
|                      | (1)   | (2)   | (3)  | (4)  | (5)   | (6)                             |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |   |  |  |   |                                 |
| Australia            | 85  | 528   | 68   | 0  | 0   | 681                             |
| Austria              | 8   | 15  | 61   | 0  | 0   | 84                              |
| Belgium              | 4   | 18  | 17   | 0  | 0   | 39                              |
| Canada               | 156   | 1 308   | 366  | 0  | 0   | 1 830                           |
| Chile                | 6   | 30  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 37                              |
| Czech Republic       | 2   | 9   | 14   | 0  | 0   | 25                              |
| Denmark              | 18  | 269   | 156  | 70   | 1   | 514                             |
| Estonia              | 17  | 93  | 6  | 0  | 0   | 116                             |
| Finland              | 2   | 90  | 17   | 8  | 7   | 124                             |
| France               | 5   | 21  | 9  | 0  | 0   | 35                              |
| Germany              | 4   | 25  | 25   | 0  | 0   | 54                              |
| Greece               | 3   | 44  | 11   | 0  | 0   | 58                              |
| Hungary              | 3   | 13  | 9  | 30   | 0   | 55                              |
| Iceland              | 9   | 66  | 47   | 9  | 0   | 131                             |
| Ireland              | 25  | 57  | 55   | 60   | 0   | 197                             |
| Israel               | 22  | 68  | 25   | 0  | 0   | 115                             |
| Italy                | 78  | 147   | 21   | 0  | 0   | 246                             |
| Japan                | 0   | 2   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 2                               |
| Korea                | 3   | 17  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 20                              |
| Latvia               | 7   | 47  | 16   | 0  | 0   | 70                              |
| Luxembourg           | 4   | 254   | 73   | 0  | 0   | 331                             |
| Mexico               | 4   | 23  | 3  | 0  | 0   | 30                              |
| Netherlands          | 1   | 13  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 14                              |
| New Zealand          | 23  | 140   | 167  | 0  | 3   | 333                             |
| Norway               | 11  | 253   | 81   | 0  | 0   | 345                             |
| Poland               | 11  | 20  | 0  | 3  | 0   | 34                              |
| Portugal             | 4   | 99  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 105                             |
| Slovak Republic      | 7   | 71  | 2  | 34   | 0   | 114                             |
| Slovenia             | 33  | 36  | 45   | 0  | 0   | 114                             |
| Spain                | 9   | 144   | 47   | 0  | 0   | 200                             |
| Sweden               | 154   | 0   | 121  | 0  | 0   | 275                             |
| Switzerland          | 8   | 42  | 57   | 0  | 0   | 107                             |
| Turkey               | 1   | 23  | 7  | 0  | 0   | 31                              |
| United Kingdom       | 77  | 690   | 102  | 0  | 1   | 870                             |
| United States        | 16  | 120   | 44   | 13   | 0   | 193                             |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |   |  |  |   |                                 |
| Albania              | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |
| Algeria              | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |
| Argentina            | 10  | 10  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 21                              |
| Brazil               | 20  | 99  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 119                             |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 6   | 25  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 33                              |
| Bulgaria             | 39  | 6   | 4  | 0  | 0   | 49                              |
| Colombia             | 3   | 4   | 2  | 0  | 0   | 9                               |
| Costa Rica           | 3   | 1   | 0  | 9  | 0   | 13                              |
| Croatia              | 2   | 75  | 9  | 0  | 0   | 86                              |
| Cyprus*              | 12  | 164   | 52   | 0  | 0   | 228                             |
| Dominican Republic   | 1   | 3   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 4                               |
| FYROM                | 7   | 1   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 8                               |
| Georgia              | 3   | 25  | 7  | 0  | 0   | 35                              |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 0   | 35  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 36                              |
| Indonesia            | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |
| Jordan               | 43  | 17  | 10   | 0  | 0   | 70                              |
| Kazakhstan           | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |
| Kosovo               | 9   | 13  | 27   | 0  | 0   | 50                              |
| Lebanon              | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |
| Lithuania            | 12  | 213   | 2  | 0  | 0   | 227                             |
| Macao (China)        | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |
| Malaysia             | 10  | 22  | 9  | 0  | 0   | 41                              |
| Malta                | 8   | 27  | 6  | 0  | 0   | 41                              |
| Moldova              | 12  | 8   | 1  | 0  | 0   | 21                              |
| Montenegro           | 14  | 23  | 5  | 0  | 258   | 300                             |
| Peru                 | 4   | 9   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 13                              |
| Qatar                | 76  | 110   | 7  | 0  | 0   | 193                             |
| Romania              | 1   | 1   | 1  | 0  | 0   | 3                               |
| Russia               | 3   | 10  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 13                              |
| Singapore            | 3   | 15  | 7  | 0  | 0   | 25                              |
| Chinese Taipei       | 3   | 19  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 22                              |
| Thailand             | 1   | 19  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 22                              |
| Trinidad and Tobago  | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |
| Tunisia              | 0   | 0   | 3  | 0  | 0   | 3                               |
| United Arab Emirates | 16  | 24  | 23   | 0  | 0   | 63                              |
| Uruguay              | 2   | 4   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 6                               |
| Viet Nam             | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0                               |

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Table A2.2 Exclusions

|                      | Student exclusion (weighted)                                    |   |  |  |   |  |
|----------------------|---|---|--|--|---|--|
|                      | Weighted number of excluded students with functional disability | Weighted number of excluded students with intellectual disability | Weighted number of excluded students because of language | Weighted number of excluded students for other reasons | Weighted number of excluded students because of no materials available in the language of instruction | Total weighted number of excluded students |
|                      | (Code 1)<br>(7)   | (Code 2)<br>(8)   | (Code 3)<br>(9)  | (Code 4)<br>(10)                                       | (Code 5)<br>(11)  | (12)                                       |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |   |  |  |   |  |
| Australia            | 932   | 6 011   | 793  | 0  | 0   | 7 736                                      |
| Austria              | 74  | 117   | 675  | 0  | 0   | 866  |
| Belgium              | 33  | 192   | 185  | 0  | 0   | 410  |
| Canada               | 1 901   | 18 018  | 5 421  | 0  | 0   | 25 340                                     |
| Chile                | 194   | 1 190   | 9  | 0  | 0   | 1 393                                      |
| Czech Republic       | 40  | 140   | 188  | 0  | 0   | 368  |
| Denmark              | 122   | 1 539   | 551  | 421  | 11  | 2 644                                      |
| Estonia              | 29  | 176   | 13   | 0  | 0   | 218  |
| Finland              | 18  | 858   | 156  | 67   | 58  | 1 157                                      |
| France               | 562   | 2 144   | 914  | 0  | 0   | 3 620                                      |
| Germany              | 423   | 2 562   | 2 357  | 0  | 0   | 5 342                                      |
| Greece               | 43  | 729   | 193  | 0  | 0   | 965  |
| Hungary              | 57  | 284   | 114  | 554  | 0   | 1 009                                      |
| Iceland              | 9   | 67  | 47   | 9  | 0   | 132  |
| Ireland              | 213   | 526   | 516  | 570  | 0   | 1 825                                      |
| Israel               | 349   | 1 070   | 384  | 0  | 0   | 1 803                                      |
| Italy                | 3 316   | 5 199   | 880  | 0  | 0   | 9 395                                      |
| Japan                | 0   | 318   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 318  |
| Korea                | 291   | 1 515   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 1 806                                      |
| Latvia               | 21  | 115   | 38   | 0  | 0   | 174  |
| Luxembourg           | 4   | 254   | 73   | 0  | 0   | 331  |
| Mexico               | 842   | 4 802   | 1 165  | 0  | 0   | 6 810                                      |
| Netherlands          | 33  | 469   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 502  |
| New Zealand          | 233   | 1 287   | 1 568  | 0  | 24  | 3 112                                      |
| Norway               | 105   | 2 471   | 790  | 0  | 0   | 3 366                                      |
| Poland               | 876   | 1 339   | 0  | 203  | 0   | 2 418                                      |
| Portugal             | 29  | 818   | 13   | 0  | 0   | 860  |
| Slovak Republic      | 44  | 567   | 12   | 288  | 0   | 912  |
| Slovenia             | 84  | 71  | 92   | 0  | 0   | 247  |
| Spain                | 511   | 7 662   | 2 720  | 0  | 0   | 10 893                                     |
| Sweden               | 2 380   | 0   | 1 944  | 0  | 0   | 4 324                                      |
| Switzerland          | 91  | 540   | 726  | 0  | 0   | 1 357                                      |
| Turkey               | 43  | 4 094   | 1 222  | 0  | 0   | 5 359                                      |
| United Kingdom       | 2 724   | 27 808  | 4 001  | 0  | 214   | 34 747                                     |
| United States        | 7 873   | 67 816  | 26 525   | 7 366  | 0   | 109 580                                    |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |   |  |  |   |  |
| Albania              | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Algeria              | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Argentina            | 579   | 770   | 18   | 0  | 0   | 1 367                                      |
| Brazil               | 1 743   | 11 800  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 13 543                                     |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 438   | 2 970   | 201  | 0  | 0   | 3 609                                      |
| Bulgaria             | 347   | 51  | 35   | 0  | 0   | 433  |
| Colombia             | 181   | 309   | 17   | 0  | 0   | 507  |
| Costa Rica           | 22  | 5   | 0  | 71   | 0   | 98   |
| Croatia              | 13  | 501   | 75   | 0  | 0   | 589  |
| Cyprus*              | 16  | 212   | 65   | 0  | 0   | 292  |
| Dominican Republic   | 24  | 82  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 106  |
| FYROM                | 15  | 4   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 19   |
| Georgia              | 19  | 170   | 41   | 0  | 0   | 230  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 0   | 363   | 11   | 0  | 0   | 374  |
| Indonesia            | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Jordan               | 656   | 227   | 122  | 0  | 0   | 1 006                                      |
| Kazakhstan           | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Kosovo               | 28  | 37  | 104  | 0  | 0   | 174  |
| Lebanon              | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Lithuania            | 40  | 1 000   | 10   | 0  | 0   | 1 050                                      |
| Macao (China)        | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Malaysia             | 663   | 1 100   | 580  | 0  | 0   | 2 344                                      |
| Malta                | 8   | 27  | 6  | 0  | 0   | 41   |
| Moldova              | 66  | 51  | 1  | 0  | 0   | 118  |
| Montenegro           | 27  | 38  | 6  | 0  | 261   | 332  |
| Peru                 | 224   | 520   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 745  |
| Qatar                | 76  | 110   | 7  | 0  | 0   | 193  |
| Romania              | 31  | 63  | 26   | 0  | 0   | 120  |
| Russia               | 425   | 2 044   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 2 469                                      |
| Singapore            | 22  | 115   | 43   | 0  | 0   | 179  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 78  | 568   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 647  |
| Thailand             | 114   | 1 830   | 163  | 0  | 0   | 2 107                                      |
| Trinidad and Tobago  | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |
| Tunisia              | 0   | 0   | 61   | 0  | 0   | 61   |
| United Arab Emirates | 30  | 75  | 47   | 0  | 0   | 152  |
| Uruguay              | 10  | 22  | 0  | 0  | 0   | 32   |
| Viet Nam             | 0   | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0   | 0  |

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- **Column 11** shows the percentage of students excluded within schools. This is calculated as the weighted number of excluded students (Column 10), divided by the weighted number of excluded and participating students (Column 8 plus Column 10), then multiplied by 100.
- **Column 12** shows the overall exclusion rate, which represents the weighted percentage of the national desired target population excluded from PISA either through school-level exclusions or through the exclusion of students within schools. It is calculated as the school-level exclusion rate (Column 6 divided by 100) plus within-school exclusion rate (Column 11 divided by 100) multiplied by 1 minus the school-level exclusion rate (Column 6 divided by 100). This result is then multiplied by 100.
- **Column 13** presents an index of the extent to which the national desired target population is covered by the PISA sample. Australia, Canada, Denmark, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Montenegro, New Zealand, Norway, Sweden and the United Kingdom were the only countries where the coverage is below 95%.
- **Column 14** presents an index of the extent to which 15-year-olds enrolled in schools are covered by the PISA sample. The index measures the overall proportion of the national enrolled population that is covered by the non-excluded portion of the student sample. The index takes into account both school-level and student-level exclusions. Values close to 100 indicate that the PISA sample represents the entire education system as defined for PISA 2015. The index is the weighted number of participating students (Column 8) divided by the weighted number of participating and excluded students (Column 8 plus Column 10), times the nationally defined target population (Column 5) divided by the eligible population (Column 2) (times 100).
- **Column 15** presents an index of the coverage of the 15-year-old population. This index is the weighted number of participating students (Column 8) divided by the total population of 15-year-old students (Column 1).

This high level of coverage contributes to the comparability of the assessment results. For example, even assuming that the excluded students would have systematically scored worse than those who participated, and that this relationship is moderately strong, an exclusion rate on the order of 5% would likely lead to an overestimation of national mean scores of less than 5 score points (on a scale with an international mean of 500 score points and a standard deviation of 100 score points). This assessment is based on the following calculations: if the correlation between the propensity of exclusions and student performance is 0.3, resulting mean scores would likely be overestimated by 1 score point if the exclusion rate is 1%, by 3 score points if the exclusion rate is 5%, and by 6 score points if the exclusion rate is 10%. If the correlation between the propensity of exclusions and student performance is 0.5, resulting mean scores would be overestimated by 1 score point if the exclusion rate is 1%, by 5 score points if the exclusion rate is 5%, and by 10 score points if the exclusion rate is 10%. For this calculation, a model was used that assumes a bivariate normal distribution for performance and the propensity to participate. For details, see the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017).

### Sampling procedures and response rates

The accuracy of any survey results depends on the quality of the information on which national samples are based as well as on the sampling procedures. Quality standards, procedures, instruments and verification mechanisms were developed for PISA that ensured that national samples yielded comparable data and that the results could be compared with confidence.

Most PISA samples were designed as two-stage stratified samples (where countries applied different sampling designs, these are documented in the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* [OECD, 2017]). The first stage consisted of sampling individual schools in which 15-year-old students could be enrolled. Schools were sampled systematically with probabilities proportional to size, the measure of size being a function of the estimated number of eligible (15-year-old) students enrolled. At least 150 schools were selected in each country (where this number existed), although the requirements for national analyses often required a somewhat larger sample. As the schools were sampled, replacement schools were simultaneously identified, in case a sampled school chose not to participate in PISA 2015.

In the case of Iceland, Luxembourg, Macao (China), Malta and Qatar, all schools and all eligible students within schools were included in the sample.

Experts from the PISA Consortium performed the sample selection process for most participating countries and monitored it closely in those countries that selected their own samples. The second stage of the selection process sampled students within sampled schools. Once schools were selected, a list of each sampled school's 15-year-old students was prepared. From this list, 42 students were then selected with equal probability (all 15-year-old students were selected if fewer than 42 were enrolled). The number of students to be sampled per school could deviate from 42, but could not be less than 20.

Data-quality standards in PISA required minimum participation rates for schools as well as for students. These standards were established to minimise the potential for response biases. In the case of countries meeting these standards, it was likely that any bias resulting from non-response would be negligible, i.e. typically smaller than the sampling error.

A minimum response rate of 85% was required for the schools initially selected. Where the initial response rate of schools was between 65% and 85%, however, an acceptable school-response rate could still be achieved through the use of replacement schools.



This procedure brought with it a risk of increased response bias. Participating countries were, therefore, encouraged to persuade as many of the schools in the original sample as possible to participate. Schools with a student participation rate between 25% and 50% were not regarded as participating schools, but data from these schools were included in the database and contributed to the various estimations. Data from schools with a student participation rate of less than 25% were excluded from the database.

PISA 2015 also required a minimum participation rate of 80% of students within participating schools. This minimum participation rate had to be met at the national level, not necessarily by each participating school. Follow-up sessions were required in schools in which too few students had participated in the original assessment sessions. Student participation rates were calculated over all original schools, and also over all schools, whether original sample or replacement schools, and from the participation of students in both the original assessment and any follow-up sessions. A student who participated in the original or follow-up cognitive sessions was regarded as a participant. Those who attended only the questionnaire session were included in the international database and contributed to the statistics presented in this publication if they provided at least a description of their father's or mother's occupation.

Table A2.3 shows the response rates for students and schools, before and after replacement.

- **Column 1** shows the weighted participation rate of schools before replacement. This is obtained by dividing Column 2 by Column 3.
- **Column 2** shows the weighted number of responding schools before school replacement (weighted by student enrolment).
- **Column 3** shows the weighted number of sampled schools before school replacement (including both responding and non-responding schools, weighted by student enrolment).
- **Column 4** shows the unweighted number of responding schools before school replacement.
- **Column 5** shows the unweighted number of responding and non-responding schools before school replacement.
- **Column 6** shows the weighted participation rate of schools after replacement. This is obtained by dividing Column 7 by Column 8.
- **Column 7** shows the weighted number of responding schools after school replacement (weighted by student enrolment).
- **Column 8** shows the weighted number of schools sampled after school replacement (including both responding and non-responding schools, weighted by student enrolment).
- **Column 9** shows the unweighted number of responding schools after school replacement.
- **Column 10** shows the unweighted number of responding and non-responding schools after school replacement.
- **Column 11** shows the weighted student participation rate after replacement. This is obtained by dividing Column 12 by Column 13.
- **Column 12** shows the weighted number of students assessed.
- **Column 13** shows the weighted number of students sampled (including both students who were assessed and students who were absent on the day of the assessment).
- **Column 14** shows the unweighted number of students assessed. Note that any students in schools with student-response rates of less than 50% were not included in these rates (both weighted and unweighted).
- **Column 15** shows the unweighted number of students sampled (including both students that were assessed and students who were absent on the day of the assessment). Note that any students in schools where fewer than half of the eligible students were assessed were not included in these rates (neither weighted nor unweighted).

## Definition of schools

In some countries, subunits within schools were sampled instead of schools, and this may affect the estimation of the between-school variance components. In Austria, the Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Romania and Slovenia, schools with more than one study programme were split into the units delivering these programmes. In the Netherlands, for schools with both lower and upper secondary programmes, schools were split into units delivering each programme level. In the Flemish community of Belgium, in the case of multi-campus schools, implantations (campuses) were sampled, whereas in the French community, in the case of multi-campus schools, the larger administrative units were sampled. In Australia, for schools with more than one campus, the individual campuses were listed for sampling. In Argentina and Croatia, schools that had more than one campus had the locations listed for sampling. In Spain, the schools in the Basque region with multi-linguistic models were split into linguistic models for sampling. In Luxembourg, a school on the border with Germany was split according to the country in which the students resided. In addition, the International schools in Luxembourg were split into the students who were instructed in any of the three official languages, and those in the part of the schools that was excluded because no materials were available in the languages of instruction. The United Arab Emirates had schools split by curricula, and sometimes by gender, with other schools remaining whole. Because of reorganisation, some of Sweden's schools were split into parts, with each part having one principal. In Portugal, schools were reorganised into clusters, with teachers and the principal shared by all units in the school cluster.



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**Table A2.3** Response rates

|                    | Initial sample – before school replacement                |  |   |  |   | Final sample – after school replacement                  |  |   |   |  | Final sample – students within schools after school replacement |  |   |  |   |
|--------------------|---|--|---|--|---|--|--|---|---|--|---|--|---|--|---|
|                    | Weighted school participation rate before replacement (%) | Weighted number of responding schools (weighted also by enrolment) | Weighted number of schools sampled (responding and non-responding) (weighted also by enrolment) | Number of responding and non-responding schools (unweighted) | Total in national desired target population after all school exclusions and before within-school exclusions | Weighted school participation rate after replacement (%) | Weighted number of responding schools (weighted also by enrolment) | Weighted number of schools sampled (responding and non-responding) (weighted also by enrolment) | Number of responding schools (unweighted) | Number of responding and non-responding schools (unweighted) | Weighted student participation rate after replacement (%)       | Number of students assessed (weighted) | Number of students sampled (assessed and absent) (weighted) | Number of students assessed (unweighted) | Number of students sampled (assessed and absent) (unweighted) |
|                    | (1)   | (2)  | (3)   | (4)  | (5)   | (6)  | (7)  | (8)   | (9)                                       | (10)   | (11)  | (12)                                   | (13)  | (14)                                     | (15)  |
| <b>OECD</b>        |   |  |   |  |   |  |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |
| Australia          | 94  | 260 657  | 276 072   | 720  | 788   | 95   | 262 130  | 276 072   | 723                                       | 788  | 84  | 204 763                                | 243 789   | 14 089                                   | 17 477  |
| Austria            | 100   | 81 690   | 81 730  | 269  | 273   | 100  | 81 690   | 81 730  | 269                                       | 273  | 87  | 63 660                                 | 73 521  | 7 007                                    | 9 868   |
| Belgium            | 83  | 98 786   | 118 915   | 244  | 301   | 95   | 113 435  | 118 936   | 286                                       | 301  | 91  | 99 760                                 | 110 075   | 9 635                                    | 10 602  |
| Canada             | 74  | 283 853  | 381 133   | 703  | 1 008   | 79   | 299 512  | 381 189   | 726                                       | 1 008  | 81  | 210 476                                | 260 487   | 19 604                                   | 24 129  |
| Chile              | 92  | 215 139  | 232 756   | 207  | 232   | 99   | 230 749  | 232 757   | 226                                       | 232  | 93  | 189 206                                | 202 774   | 7 039                                    | 7 515   |
| Czech Republic     | 98  | 86 354   | 87 999  | 339  | 344   | 98   | 86 354   | 87 999  | 339                                       | 344  | 89  | 73 386                                 | 82 672  | 6 835                                    | 7 693   |
| Denmark            | 90  | 57 803   | 63 897  | 327  | 371   | 92   | 58 837   | 63 931  | 331                                       | 371  | 89  | 49 732                                 | 55 830  | 7 149                                    | 8 184   |
| Estonia            | 100   | 11 142   | 11 154  | 206  | 207   | 100  | 11 142   | 11 154  | 206                                       | 207  | 93  | 10 088                                 | 10 822  | 5 587                                    | 5 994   |
| Finland            | 100   | 58 653   | 58 782  | 167  | 168   | 100  | 58 800   | 58 800  | 168                                       | 168  | 93  | 53 198                                 | 56 934  | 5 882                                    | 6 294   |
| France             | 91  | 679 984  | 749 284   | 232  | 255   | 94   | 706 838  | 749 284   | 241                                       | 255  | 88  | 611 563                                | 693 336   | 5 980                                    | 6 783   |
| Germany            | 96  | 764 423  | 794 206   | 245  | 256   | 99   | 785 813  | 794 206   | 253                                       | 256  | 93  | 685 972                                | 735 487   | 6 476                                    | 6 944   |
| Greece             | 92  | 95 030   | 103 031   | 190  | 212   | 98   | 101 653  | 103 218   | 209                                       | 212  | 94  | 89 588                                 | 94 986  | 5 511                                    | 5 838   |
| Hungary            | 93  | 83 897   | 89 808  | 231  | 251   | 99   | 88 751   | 89 825  | 244                                       | 251  | 92  | 77 212                                 | 83 657  | 5 643                                    | 6 101   |
| Iceland            | 99  | 4 114  | 4 163   | 122  | 129   | 99   | 4 114  | 4 163   | 122                                       | 129  | 86  | 3 365                                  | 3 908   | 3 365                                    | 3 908   |
| Ireland            | 99  | 61 023   | 61 461  | 167  | 169   | 99   | 61 023   | 61 461  | 167                                       | 169  | 89  | 51 947                                 | 58 630  | 5 741                                    | 6 478   |
| Israel             | 91  | 105 192  | 115 717   | 169  | 190   | 93   | 107 570  | 115 717   | 173                                       | 190  | 90  | 98 572                                 | 108 940   | 6 598                                    | 7 294   |
| Italy              | 74  | 383 933  | 516 113   | 414  | 532   | 88   | 451 098  | 515 515   | 464                                       | 532  | 88  | 377 011                                | 430 041   | 11 477                                   | 12 841  |
| Japan              | 94  | 1 087 414  | 1 151 305   | 189  | 200   | 99   | 1 139 734  | 1 151 305   | 198                                       | 200  | 97  | 1 096 193                              | 1 127 265   | 6 647                                    | 6 838   |
| Korea              | 100   | 612 937  | 615 107   | 168  | 169   | 100  | 612 937  | 615 107   | 168                                       | 169  | 99  | 559 121                                | 567 284   | 5 581                                    | 5 664   |
| Latvia             | 86  | 14 122   | 16 334  | 231  | 269   | 93   | 15 103   | 16 324  | 248                                       | 269  | 90  | 12 799                                 | 14 155  | 4 845                                    | 5 368   |
| Luxembourg         | 100   | 5 891  | 5 891   | 44   | 44  | 100  | 5 891  | 5 891   | 44  | 44   | 96  | 5 299                                  | 5 540   | 5 299                                    | 5 540   |
| Mexico             | 95  | 1 311 608  | 1 373 919   | 269  | 284   | 98   | 1 339 901  | 1 373 919   | 275                                       | 284  | 95  | 1 290 435                              | 1 352 237   | 7 568                                    | 7 938   |
| Netherlands        | 63  | 121 527  | 191 966   | 125  | 201   | 93   | 178 929  | 191 966   | 184                                       | 201  | 85  | 152 346                                | 178 985   | 5 345                                    | 6 269   |
| New Zealand        | 71  | 40 623   | 56 875  | 145  | 210   | 85   | 48 094   | 56 913  | 176                                       | 210  | 80  | 36 860                                 | 45 897  | 4 453                                    | 5 547   |
| Norway             | 95  | 58 824   | 61 809  | 229  | 241   | 95   | 58 824   | 61 809  | 229                                       | 241  | 91  | 50 163                                 | 55 277  | 5 456                                    | 6 016   |
| Poland             | 88  | 314 288  | 355 158   | 151  | 170   | 99   | 352 754  | 355 158   | 168                                       | 170  | 88  | 300 617                                | 343 405   | 4 466                                    | 5 108   |
| Portugal           | 86  | 87 756   | 102 193   | 213  | 254   | 95   | 97 516   | 102 537   | 238                                       | 254  | 82  | 75 391                                 | 91 916  | 7 180                                    | 8 732   |
| Slovak Republic    | 93  | 50 513   | 54 499  | 272  | 295   | 99   | 53 908   | 54 562  | 288                                       | 295  | 92  | 45 357                                 | 49 103  | 6 342                                    | 6 900   |
| Slovenia           | 98  | 16 886   | 17 286  | 332  | 349   | 98   | 16 896   | 17 286  | 333                                       | 349  | 92  | 15 072                                 | 16 424  | 6 406                                    | 7 009   |
| Spain              | 99  | 404 640  | 409 246   | 199  | 201   | 100  | 409 246  | 409 246   | 201                                       | 201  | 89  | 356 509                                | 399 935   | 6 736                                    | 7 540   |
| Sweden             | 100   | 93 819   | 94 097  | 202  | 205   | 100  | 93 819   | 94 097  | 202                                       | 205  | 91  | 82 582                                 | 91 081  | 5 458                                    | 6 013   |
| Switzerland        | 93  | 75 482   | 81 026  | 212  | 232   | 98   | 79 481   | 81 375  | 225                                       | 232  | 92  | 74 465                                 | 80 544  | 5 838                                    | 6 305   |
| Turkey             | 97  | 1 057 318  | 1 091 317   | 175  | 195   | 99   | 1 081 935  | 1 091 528   | 187                                       | 195  | 95  | 874 609                                | 918 816   | 5 895                                    | 6 211   |
| United Kingdom     | 84  | 591 757  | 707 415   | 506  | 598   | 93   | 654 992  | 707 415   | 547                                       | 598  | 89  | 517 426                                | 581 252   | 14 120                                   | 16 123  |
| United States      | 67  | 2 601 386  | 3 902 089   | 142  | 213   | 83   | 3 244 399  | 3 893 828   | 177                                       | 213  | 90  | 2 629 707                              | 2 929 771   | 5 172                                    | 6 376   |
| <b>Partners</b>    |   |  |   |  |   |  |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |
| Albania            | 100   | 43 809   | 43 919  | 229  | 230   | 100  | 43 809   | 43 919  | 229                                       | 230  | 94  | 38 174                                 | 40 814  | 5 213                                    | 5 555   |
| Algeria            | 96  | 341 463  | 355 216   | 159  | 166   | 96   | 341 463  | 355 216   | 159                                       | 166  | 92  | 274 121                                | 296 434   | 5 494                                    | 5 934   |
| Argentina          | 89  | 508 448  | 572 941   | 212  | 238   | 97   | 556 478  | 572 941   | 231                                       | 238  | 90  | 345 508                                | 382 352   | 6 311                                    | 7 016   |
| Brazil             | 93  | 2 509 198  | 2 692 686   | 806  | 889   | 94   | 2 533 711  | 2 693 137   | 815                                       | 889  | 87  | 1 996 574                              | 2 286 505   | 22 791                                   | 26 586  |
| B-S-J-C (China)    | 88  | 1 259 845  | 1 437 201   | 248  | 268   | 100  | 1 437 652  | 1 437 652   | 268                                       | 268  | 97  | 1 287 710                              | 1 331 794   | 9 841                                    | 10 097  |
| Bulgaria           | 100   | 56 265   | 56 483  | 179  | 180   | 100  | 56 600   | 56 600  | 180                                       | 180  | 95  | 50 931                                 | 53 685  | 5 928                                    | 6 240   |
| Colombia           | 99  | 664 664  | 673 817   | 364  | 375   | 100  | 672 526  | 673 835   | 371                                       | 375  | 95  | 535 682                                | 566 734   | 11 777                                   | 12 611  |
| Costa Rica         | 99  | 66 485   | 67 073  | 204  | 206   | 99   | 66 485   | 67 073  | 204                                       | 206  | 92  | 47 494                                 | 51 369  | 6 846                                    | 7 411   |
| Croatia            | 100   | 34 575   | 34 652  | 160  | 162   | 100  | 34 575   | 34 652  | 160                                       | 162  | 91  | 37 275                                 | 40 803  | 5 809                                    | 6 354   |
| Cyprus*            | 97  | 8 830  | 9 126   | 122  | 132   | 97   | 8 830  | 9 126   | 122                                       | 132  | 94  | 8 016                                  | 8 526   | 5 561                                    | 5 957   |
| Dominican Republic | 99  | 136 669  | 138 187   | 193  | 195   | 99   | 136 669  | 138 187   | 193                                       | 195  | 94  | 122 620                                | 130 700   | 4 731                                    | 5 026   |
| FYROM              | 100   | 16 426   | 16 472  | 106  | 107   | 100  | 16 426   | 16 472  | 106                                       | 107  | 95  | 14 999                                 | 15 802  | 5 324                                    | 5 617   |
| Georgia            | 97  | 40 552   | 41 595  | 256  | 267   | 99   | 41 081   | 41 566  | 262                                       | 267  | 94  | 35 567                                 | 37 873  | 5 316                                    | 5 689   |
| Hong Kong (China)  | 75  | 45 603   | 60 716  | 115  | 153   | 90   | 54 795   | 60 715  | 138                                       | 153  | 93  | 48 222                                 | 51 806  | 5 359                                    | 5 747   |
| Indonesia          | 98  | 3 126 468  | 3 176 076   | 232  | 236   | 100  | 3 176 076  | 3 176 076   | 236                                       | 236  | 98  | 3 015 844                              | 3 092 773   | 6 513                                    | 6 694   |
| Jordan             | 100   | 119 024  | 119 024   | 250  | 250   | 100  | 119 024  | 119 024   | 250                                       | 250  | 97  | 105 868                                | 108 669   | 7 267                                    | 7 462   |
| Kazakhstan         | 100   | 202 701  | 202 701   | 232  | 232   | 100  | 202 701  | 202 701   | 232                                       | 232  | 97  | 187 683                                | 192 921   | 7 841                                    | 8 059   |
| Kosovo             | 100   | 26 924   | 26 924  | 224  | 224   | 100  | 26 924   | 26 924  | 224                                       | 224  | 99  | 22 016                                 | 22 333  | 4 826                                    | 4 896   |
| Lebanon            | 67  | 40 542   | 60 882  | 208  | 308   | 87   | 53 091   | 60 797  | 270                                       | 308  | 95  | 36 052                                 | 38 143  | 4 546                                    | 4 788   |
| Lithuania          | 99  | 31 386   | 31 588  | 309  | 311   | 100  | 31 543   | 31 588  | 310                                       | 311  | 91  | 27 070                                 | 29 889  | 6 523                                    | 7 202   |
| Macao (China)      | 100   | 4 414  | 4 414   | 45   | 45  | 100  | 4 414  | 4 414   | 45  | 45   | 99  | 4 476                                  | 4 507   | 4 476                                    | 4 507   |
| Malaysia           | 51  | 229 340  | 446 237   | 147  | 230   | 98   | 437 424  | 446 100   | 224                                       | 230  | 97  | 393 785                                | 407 396   | 8 843                                    | 9 097   |
| Malta              | 100   | 4 341  | 4 343   | 59   | 61  | 100  | 4 341  | 4 343   | 59  | 61   | 85  | 3 634                                  | 4 294   | 3 634                                    | 4 294   |
| Moldova            | 100   | 30 145   | 30 145  | 229  | 229   | 100  | 30 145   | 30 145  | 229                                       | 229  | 98  | 28 754                                 | 29 341  | 5 325                                    | 5 436   |
| Montenegro         | 100   | 7 301  | 7 312   | 64   | 65  | 100  | 7 301  | 7 312   | 64  | 65   | 94  | 6 346                                  | 6 766   | 5 665                                    | 6 043   |
| Peru               | 100   | 468 406  | 470 651   | 280  | 282   | 100  | 469 662  | 470 651   | 281                                       | 282  | 99  | 426 205                                | 430 959   | 6 971                                    | 7 054   |
| Qatar              | 99  | 13 333   | 13 470  | 166  | 168   | 99   | 13 333   | 13 470  | 166                                       | 168  | 94  | 12 061                                 | 12 819  | 12 061                                   | 12 819  |
| Romania            | 99  | 171 553  | 172 652   | 181  | 182   | 100  | 172 495  | 172 495   | 182                                       | 182  | 99  | 162 918                                | 164 216   | 4 876                                    | 4 910   |
| Russia             | 99  | 1 181 937  | 1 189 441   | 209  | 210   | 99   | 1 181 937  | 1 189 441   | 209                                       | 210  | 97  | 1 072 914                              | 1 108 068   | 6 021                                    | 6 215   |
| Singapore          | 97  | 45 299   | 46 620  | 175  | 179   | 98   | 45 553   | 46 620  | 176                                       | 179  | 93  | 42 241                                 | 45 259  | 6 105                                    | 6 555   |
| Chinese Taipei     | 100   | 286 778  | 286 778   | 214  | 214   | 100  | 286 778  | 286 778   | 214                                       | 214  | 98  | 246 408                                | 251 424   | 7 708                                    | 7 871   |
| Thailand           | 99  | 739 772  | 751 010   | 269  | 273   |  |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |  |   |

## Grade levels

Students assessed in PISA 2015 are at various grade levels. The percentage of students at each grade level is presented by country in Table A2.4a and by gender within each country in Table A2.4b.

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**Table A2.4a Percentage of students at each grade level**

|                      | All students |       |           |       |           |       |            |       |            |       |                      |       |
|----------------------|--------------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|------------|-------|------------|-------|----------------------|-------|
|                      | 7th grade    |       | 8th grade |       | 9th grade |       | 10th grade |       | 11th grade |       | 12th grade and above |       |
|                      | %            | S.E.  | %         | S.E.  | %         | S.E.  | %          | S.E.  | %          | S.E.  | %                    | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |              |       |           |       |           |       |            |       |            |       |                      |       |
| Australia            | 0.0          | (0.0) | 0.1       | (0.0) | 11.2      | (0.3) | 74.6       | (0.4) | 14.0       | (0.4) | 0.1                  | (0.0) |
| Austria              | 0.0          | (0.0) | 2.0       | (0.6) | 20.8      | (0.9) | 71.2       | (1.0) | 5.9        | (0.3) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Belgium              | 0.6          | (0.1) | 6.4       | (0.5) | 30.7      | (0.7) | 61.0       | (0.9) | 1.3        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Canada               | 0.1          | (0.0) | 0.7       | (0.1) | 10.8      | (0.5) | 87.6       | (0.6) | 0.8        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Chile                | 1.7          | (0.3) | 4.1       | (0.6) | 24.0      | (0.7) | 68.1       | (1.0) | 2.1        | (0.2) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Czech Republic       | 0.5          | (0.1) | 3.9       | (0.3) | 49.4      | (1.2) | 46.2       | (1.2) | 0.0        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Denmark              | 0.2          | (0.1) | 16.4      | (0.6) | 81.9      | (0.7) | 1.4        | (0.5) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Estonia              | 0.8          | (0.2) | 21.3      | (0.6) | 76.6      | (0.6) | 1.3        | (0.3) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Finland              | 0.5          | (0.1) | 13.6      | (0.4) | 85.7      | (0.4) | 0.0        | (0.0) | 0.2        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| France               | 0.0          | (0.0) | 1.0       | (0.2) | 23.1      | (0.6) | 72.5       | (0.7) | 3.2        | (0.2) | 0.1                  | (0.1) |
| Germany              | 0.5          | (0.1) | 7.7       | (0.4) | 47.3      | (0.8) | 43.1       | (0.8) | 1.5        | (0.5) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Greece               | 0.2          | (0.1) | 0.7       | (0.2) | 3.8       | (0.8) | 95.3       | (0.9) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Hungary              | 1.7          | (0.3) | 8.5       | (0.5) | 75.8      | (0.7) | 14.0       | (0.5) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Iceland              | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 0.0       | c     | 100.0      | c     | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Ireland              | 0.0          | (0.0) | 1.8       | (0.2) | 60.6      | (0.7) | 26.5       | (1.1) | 11.1       | (0.9) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Israel               | 0.0          | c     | 0.1       | (0.0) | 16.4      | (0.9) | 82.7       | (0.9) | 0.9        | (0.3) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Italy                | 0.1          | (0.0) | 1.0       | (0.2) | 15.2      | (0.6) | 77.2       | (0.7) | 6.6        | (0.3) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Japan                | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 0.0       | c     | 100.0      | (0.0) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Korea                | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 9.1       | (0.8) | 90.4       | (0.8) | 0.5        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Latvia               | 0.9          | (0.2) | 11.7      | (0.5) | 84.4      | (0.6) | 2.9        | (0.3) | 0.0        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Luxembourg           | 0.3          | (0.1) | 7.9       | (0.1) | 50.9      | (0.1) | 40.3       | (0.1) | 0.6        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Mexico               | 2.3          | (0.3) | 4.8       | (0.4) | 31.9      | (1.4) | 60.3       | (1.6) | 0.5        | (0.1) | 0.2                  | (0.0) |
| Netherlands          | 0.1          | (0.0) | 2.8       | (0.3) | 41.6      | (0.6) | 54.8       | (0.6) | 0.8        | (0.2) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| New Zealand          | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 0.0       | (0.0) | 6.2        | (0.3) | 88.8       | (0.5) | 5.0                  | (0.5) |
| Norway               | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 0.6       | (0.1) | 99.3       | (0.2) | 0.1        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Poland               | 0.6          | (0.1) | 4.9       | (0.3) | 93.8      | (0.4) | 0.6        | (0.2) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Portugal             | 3.2          | (0.3) | 8.4       | (0.5) | 22.9      | (0.9) | 65.1       | (1.2) | 0.4        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Slovak Republic      | 2.2          | (0.4) | 4.6       | (0.4) | 42.6      | (1.3) | 50.6       | (1.2) | 0.1        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Slovenia             | 0.0          | c     | 0.3       | (0.1) | 4.8       | (0.3) | 94.6       | (0.4) | 0.3        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Spain                | 0.1          | (0.0) | 8.6       | (0.5) | 23.4      | (0.6) | 67.9       | (0.9) | 0.1        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Sweden               | 0.1          | (0.1) | 3.1       | (0.4) | 94.9      | (0.8) | 1.8        | (0.7) | 0.1        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Switzerland          | 0.5          | (0.1) | 11.8      | (0.7) | 61.3      | (1.2) | 25.9       | (1.3) | 0.5        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Turkey               | 0.6          | (0.1) | 2.6       | (0.4) | 20.7      | (1.0) | 72.9       | (1.2) | 3.0        | (0.3) | 0.1                  | (0.0) |
| United Kingdom       | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 0.0       | c     | 1.6        | (0.3) | 97.4       | (0.4) | 1.0                  | (0.3) |
| United States        | 0.0          | (0.0) | 0.5       | (0.3) | 9.6       | (0.7) | 72.4       | (0.9) | 17.3       | (0.6) | 0.1                  | (0.0) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |              |       |           |       |           |       |            |       |            |       |                      |       |
| Albania              | 0.2          | (0.1) | 1.0       | (0.2) | 35.8      | (2.3) | 61.7       | (2.3) | 1.2        | (0.7) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Algeria              | 18.8         | (1.0) | 23.5      | (1.1) | 35.1      | (1.5) | 19.4       | (2.1) | 3.2        | (0.7) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Brazil               | 3.5          | (0.2) | 6.4       | (0.4) | 12.5      | (0.5) | 35.9       | (0.9) | 39.2       | (0.8) | 2.5                  | (0.2) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 1.1          | (0.2) | 9.2       | (0.7) | 52.7      | (1.7) | 34.6       | (2.0) | 2.2        | (0.5) | 0.1                  | (0.0) |
| Bulgaria             | 0.5          | (0.2) | 3.0       | (0.6) | 92.2      | (0.8) | 4.3        | (0.4) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Colombia             | 5.3          | (0.4) | 12.3      | (0.6) | 22.7      | (0.6) | 40.2       | (0.7) | 19.5       | (0.6) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Costa Rica           | 6.2          | (0.7) | 14.0      | (0.7) | 33.0      | (1.2) | 46.5       | (1.6) | 0.2        | (0.1) | 0.1                  | (0.1) |
| Croatia              | 0.0          | c     | 0.2       | (0.2) | 79.2      | (0.5) | 20.6       | (0.4) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Cyprus*              | 0.0          | c     | 0.3       | (0.0) | 5.8       | (0.1) | 93.1       | (0.1) | 0.7        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Dominican Republic   | 7.1          | (0.8) | 13.8      | (1.2) | 20.6      | (0.8) | 41.9       | (1.1) | 14.2       | (0.7) | 2.4                  | (0.3) |
| FYROM                | 0.1          | (0.1) | 0.1       | (0.1) | 70.2      | (0.2) | 29.7       | (0.2) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Georgia              | 0.1          | (0.0) | 0.8       | (0.2) | 22.0      | (0.8) | 76.0       | (0.9) | 1.1        | (0.3) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 1.1          | (0.1) | 5.6       | (0.4) | 26.0      | (0.7) | 66.7       | (0.7) | 0.6        | (0.5) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Indonesia            | 2.1          | (0.3) | 8.1       | (0.7) | 42.1      | (1.5) | 45.5       | (1.6) | 2.3        | (0.4) | 0.0                  | (0.0) |
| Jordan               | 0.2          | (0.1) | 0.6       | (0.1) | 6.6       | (0.4) | 92.6       | (0.4) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Kosovo               | 0.0          | (0.1) | 0.6       | (0.1) | 24.9      | (0.8) | 72.4       | (0.9) | 2.1        | (0.2) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Lebanon              | 3.7          | (0.5) | 8.3       | (0.8) | 16.6      | (1.1) | 62.3       | (1.4) | 9.0        | (0.8) | 0.1                  | (0.1) |
| Lithuania            | 0.1          | (0.0) | 2.6       | (0.2) | 86.3      | (0.4) | 11.0       | (0.4) | 0.0        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Macao (China)        | 2.9          | (0.1) | 12.2      | (0.2) | 29.7      | (0.2) | 54.5       | (0.1) | 0.6        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Malta                | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 0.3       | (0.1) | 6.1        | (0.2) | 93.6       | (0.1) | 0.1                  | (0.0) |
| Moldova              | 0.2          | (0.1) | 7.6       | (0.5) | 84.5      | (0.8) | 7.5        | (0.8) | 0.0        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Montenegro           | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 83.7      | (0.1) | 16.3       | (0.1) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Peru                 | 2.5          | (0.3) | 6.6       | (0.4) | 15.9      | (0.5) | 50.2       | (0.8) | 24.8       | (0.8) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Qatar                | 0.9          | (0.1) | 3.5       | (0.1) | 16.3      | (0.1) | 60.7       | (0.1) | 18.0       | (0.1) | 0.6                  | (0.0) |
| Romania              | 1.4          | (0.3) | 8.9       | (0.5) | 74.8      | (0.9) | 14.9       | (0.7) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Russia               | 0.2          | (0.1) | 6.6       | (0.3) | 79.7      | (1.5) | 13.4       | (1.5) | 0.1        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Singapore            | 0.0          | (0.0) | 1.9       | (0.3) | 7.9       | (0.8) | 90.0       | (1.0) | 0.1        | (0.0) | 0.1                  | (0.0) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 35.4      | (0.7) | 64.6       | (0.7) | 0.0        | c     | 0.0                  | c     |
| Thailand             | 0.2          | (0.1) | 0.6       | (0.2) | 23.8      | (1.0) | 72.9       | (1.0) | 2.4        | (0.4) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Trinidad and Tobago  | 3.3          | (0.2) | 10.8      | (0.3) | 27.3      | (0.3) | 56.5       | (0.3) | 2.2        | (0.2) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Tunisia              | 4.3          | (0.3) | 10.6      | (0.8) | 19.6      | (1.3) | 60.9       | (1.7) | 4.6        | (0.4) | 0.0                  | c     |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.6          | (0.1) | 2.5       | (0.3) | 10.6      | (0.7) | 53.4       | (0.8) | 31.4       | (0.8) | 1.5                  | (0.1) |
| Uruguay              | 7.5          | (0.6) | 9.7       | (0.5) | 20.7      | (0.7) | 61.3       | (1.2) | 0.8        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Viet Nam             | 0.3          | (0.1) | 1.7       | (0.4) | 7.7       | (1.8) | 90.4       | (2.2) | 0.0        | (0.0) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Argentina**          | 1.6          | (0.4) | 9.7       | (0.8) | 27.4      | (1.2) | 58.5       | (1.6) | 2.8        | (0.3) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Kazakhstan**         | 0.1          | (0.1) | 2.7       | (0.3) | 60.4      | (1.7) | 36.2       | (1.8) | 0.6        | (0.1) | 0.0                  | c     |
| Malaysia**           | 0.0          | c     | 0.0       | c     | 3.2       | (0.6) | 96.4       | (0.7) | 0.4        | (0.3) | 0.0                  | c     |

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\* Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table A2.4b Percentage of students at each grade level**

|                      | Boys       |            |            |            |            |                      | Girls      |            |            |            |            |                      |
|----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------------|
|                      | 7th grade  | 8th grade  | 9th grade  | 10th grade | 11th grade | 12th grade and above | 7th grade  | 8th grade  | 9th grade  | 10th grade | 11th grade | 12th grade and above |
|                      | % S.E.               | % S.E.     | % S.E.     | % S.E.     | % S.E.     | % S.E.     | % S.E.               |
| <b>OECD</b>          |            |            |            |            |            |                      |            |            |            |            |            |                      |
| Australia            | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.2 (0.1)  | 13.2 (0.4) | 73.5 (0.5) | 13.1 (0.5) | 0.0 (0.0)            | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.1 (0.0)  | 9.2 (0.3)  | 75.7 (0.5) | 14.9 (0.6) | 0.1 (0.1)            |
| Austria              | 0.1 (0.1)  | 2.0 (0.4)  | 21.6 (1.2) | 71.1 (1.2) | 5.2 (0.4)  | 0.0 (0.0)            | 0.0 c      | 2.0 (0.9)  | 20.0 (1.0) | 71.4 (1.3) | 6.6 (0.4)  | 0.0 (0.0)            |
| Belgium              | 0.7 (0.1)  | 6.7 (0.5)  | 33.6 (1.0) | 57.9 (1.1) | 1.2 (0.2)  | 0.0 c                | 0.6 (0.1)  | 6.2 (0.5)  | 27.7 (0.8) | 64.2 (1.1) | 1.3 (0.1)  | 0.0 (0.0)            |
| Canada               | 0.1 (0.1)  | 1.0 (0.2)  | 11.7 (0.6) | 86.5 (0.6) | 0.7 (0.1)  | 0.0 (0.0)            | 0.1 (0.0)  | 0.4 (0.1)  | 9.9 (0.6)  | 88.8 (0.6) | 0.8 (0.1)  | 0.0 (0.0)            |
| Chile                | 2.2 (0.5)  | 4.8 (0.8)  | 26.4 (0.9) | 64.8 (1.3) | 1.8 (0.2)  | 0.1 (0.1)            | 1.2 (0.4)  | 3.5 (0.7)  | 21.5 (0.8) | 71.4 (1.1) | 2.4 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                |
| Czech Republic       | 0.6 (0.2)  | 5.5 (0.5)  | 52.3 (1.5) | 41.5 (1.6) | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.0 c                | 0.4 (0.2)  | 2.2 (0.3)  | 46.2 (1.5) | 51.2 (1.6) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Denmark              | 0.3 (0.1)  | 21.9 (0.9) | 76.6 (1.0) | 1.2 (0.5)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.1)  | 10.8 (0.5) | 87.3 (0.7) | 1.7 (0.6)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Estonia              | 1.3 (0.3)  | 23.7 (0.9) | 74.2 (0.8) | 0.8 (0.3)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 (0.0)            | 0.2 (0.1)  | 18.8 (0.8) | 79.1 (0.8) | 1.9 (0.4)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Finland              | 0.4 (0.1)  | 15.5 (0.6) | 83.9 (0.6) | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.2 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.5 (0.1)  | 11.5 (0.5) | 87.7 (0.5) | 0.0 c      | 0.3 (0.2)  | 0.0 c                |
| France               | 0.0 c      | 1.0 (0.2)  | 26.1 (0.9) | 69.6 (1.0) | 3.1 (0.3)  | 0.2 (0.1)            | 0.1 (0.1)  | 1.0 (0.2)  | 20.1 (0.6) | 75.4 (0.8) | 3.3 (0.3)  | 0.1 (0.0)            |
| Germany              | 0.7 (0.2)  | 9.0 (0.5)  | 50.1 (1.0) | 38.8 (1.0) | 1.4 (0.4)  | 0.0 (0.0)            | 0.3 (0.1)  | 6.3 (0.6)  | 44.3 (0.9) | 47.5 (1.0) | 1.6 (0.6)  | 0.0 c                |
| Greece               | 0.4 (0.2)  | 1.1 (0.3)  | 4.7 (1.0)  | 93.8 (1.2) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.2 (0.1)  | 2.8 (0.8)  | 96.9 (0.8) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Hungary              | 1.8 (0.4)  | 10.1 (0.6) | 75.6 (0.9) | 12.5 (0.6) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 1.6 (0.4)  | 6.9 (0.8)  | 76.0 (0.9) | 15.5 (0.7) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Iceland              | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 100.0 c    | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 100.0 c    | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Ireland              | 0.0 c      | 2.2 (0.3)  | 62.8 (0.9) | 24.1 (1.2) | 10.9 (1.0) | 0.0 c                | 0.0 (0.0)  | 1.4 (0.2)  | 58.2 (0.9) | 29.0 (1.4) | 11.3 (1.1) | 0.0 c                |
| Israel               | 0.0 c      | 0.1 (0.1)  | 18.0 (1.2) | 80.9 (1.3) | 1.1 (0.6)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.1 (0.0)  | 14.9 (0.8) | 84.4 (0.8) | 0.7 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Italy                | 0.2 (0.1)  | 1.3 (0.3)  | 18.1 (0.8) | 75.0 (0.9) | 5.4 (0.4)  | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.0)  | 0.7 (0.2)  | 12.2 (0.8) | 79.3 (1.0) | 7.7 (0.5)  | 0.0 c                |
| Japan                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 100.0 c    | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 100.0 c    | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Korea                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 10.1 (1.4) | 89.4 (1.4) | 0.5 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 8.0 (0.8)  | 91.5 (0.8) | 0.5 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Latvia               | 1.5 (0.4)  | 14.7 (0.8) | 81.8 (0.9) | 1.9 (0.3)  | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.0 c                | 0.4 (0.2)  | 8.7 (0.7)  | 87.0 (0.7) | 3.9 (0.4)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Luxembourg           | 0.2 (0.1)  | 9.4 (0.2)  | 52.4 (0.3) | 37.3 (0.2) | 0.7 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.3 (0.1)  | 6.4 (0.2)  | 49.4 (0.2) | 43.3 (0.2) | 0.6 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Mexico               | 3.1 (0.5)  | 5.9 (0.6)  | 32.2 (1.5) | 58.0 (1.6) | 0.6 (0.2)  | 0.2 (0.0)            | 1.5 (0.3)  | 3.7 (0.4)  | 31.6 (1.7) | 62.5 (1.7) | 0.4 (0.1)  | 0.2 (0.1)            |
| Netherlands          | 0.0 (0.0)  | 3.8 (0.4)  | 45.3 (0.8) | 50.2 (0.8) | 0.8 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.0)  | 1.9 (0.3)  | 38.0 (0.7) | 59.3 (0.7) | 0.7 (0.2)  | 0.0 (0.0)            |
| New Zealand          | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 6.9 (0.5)  | 88.6 (0.8) | 4.5 (0.5)            | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 (0.0)  | 5.4 (0.4)  | 89.1 (0.6) | 5.5 (0.6)            |
| Norway               | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.8 (0.2)  | 99.1 (0.2) | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.3 (0.1)  | 99.6 (0.1) | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Poland               | 0.9 (0.2)  | 6.8 (0.5)  | 92.1 (0.6) | 0.2 (0.2)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.4 (0.1)  | 3.0 (0.3)  | 95.6 (0.5) | 1.1 (0.3)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Portugal             | 4.2 (0.4)  | 10.5 (0.7) | 25.4 (1.0) | 59.6 (1.4) | 0.3 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 2.1 (0.4)  | 6.4 (0.5)  | 20.5 (0.9) | 70.5 (1.2) | 0.5 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Slovak Republic      | 2.4 (0.4)  | 4.8 (0.5)  | 43.5 (1.6) | 49.4 (1.8) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 1.9 (0.5)  | 4.3 (0.6)  | 41.7 (1.8) | 51.9 (1.8) | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Slovenia             | 0.0 c      | 0.5 (0.2)  | 5.4 (0.7)  | 93.9 (0.7) | 0.2 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.2 (0.1)  | 4.1 (0.6)  | 95.3 (0.6) | 0.4 (0.2)  | 0.0 c                |
| Spain                | 0.1 (0.1)  | 10.7 (0.7) | 25.4 (0.8) | 63.7 (1.1) | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 6.5 (0.5)  | 21.3 (0.8) | 72.1 (1.0) | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Sweden               | 0.1 (0.1)  | 3.5 (0.5)  | 95.0 (0.9) | 1.4 (0.7)  | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.2 (0.1)  | 2.6 (0.4)  | 94.9 (1.0) | 2.3 (0.9)  | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Switzerland          | 0.7 (0.2)  | 13.4 (0.8) | 60.7 (1.1) | 24.7 (1.2) | 0.5 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.3 (0.1)  | 10.1 (0.8) | 62.0 (1.7) | 27.2 (1.9) | 0.5 (0.2)  | 0.0 (0.0)            |
| Turkey               | 0.8 (0.3)  | 3.1 (0.6)  | 25.4 (1.2) | 68.4 (1.6) | 2.2 (0.4)  | 0.1 (0.1)            | 0.4 (0.2)  | 2.1 (0.4)  | 16.1 (1.1) | 77.5 (1.3) | 3.8 (0.4)  | 0.1 (0.0)            |
| United Kingdom       | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 1.9 (0.5)  | 97.3 (0.6) | 0.9 (0.3)            | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 1.4 (0.2)  | 97.5 (0.3) | 1.1 (0.3)            |
| United States        | 0.0 c      | 0.5 (0.4)  | 11.6 (0.8) | 72.4 (1.0) | 15.3 (0.7) | 0.2 (0.1)            | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.5 (0.2)  | 7.6 (0.6)  | 72.4 (0.9) | 19.4 (0.7) | 0.1 (0.0)            |
| <b>Partners</b>      |            |            |            |            |            |                      |            |            |            |            |            |                      |
| Albania              | 0.2 (0.2)  | 0.9 (0.2)  | 41.2 (2.7) | 56.3 (2.6) | 1.3 (0.9)  | 0.0 (0.0)            | 0.1 (0.1)  | 1.1 (0.3)  | 30.4 (2.1) | 67.1 (2.2) | 1.2 (0.5)  | 0.1 (0.0)            |
| Algeria              | 24.4 (1.3) | 25.7 (1.2) | 32.6 (1.5) | 14.7 (1.9) | 2.6 (0.7)  | 0.0 c                | 12.6 (1.1) | 21.0 (1.2) | 37.9 (2.0) | 24.6 (2.5) | 3.9 (0.8)  | 0.0 c                |
| Brazil               | 4.6 (0.3)  | 7.8 (0.6)  | 13.9 (0.6) | 36.5 (1.0) | 35.3 (0.9) | 1.8 (0.2)            | 2.4 (0.2)  | 5.0 (0.4)  | 11.1 (0.6) | 35.3 (0.9) | 43.0 (0.9) | 3.1 (0.2)            |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 1.2 (0.2)  | 9.9 (0.7)  | 55.4 (1.7) | 31.6 (1.9) | 1.9 (0.5)  | 0.1 (0.0)            | 1.1 (0.2)  | 8.4 (0.8)  | 49.6 (1.8) | 38.1 (2.2) | 2.6 (0.5)  | 0.1 (0.1)            |
| Bulgaria             | 0.6 (0.2)  | 4.1 (0.8)  | 91.8 (1.0) | 3.5 (0.4)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.4 (0.2)  | 1.8 (0.4)  | 92.7 (0.7) | 5.2 (0.4)  | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Colombia             | 7.2 (0.6)  | 14.3 (0.8) | 25.2 (0.8) | 37.1 (0.9) | 16.2 (0.8) | 0.0 c                | 3.6 (0.4)  | 10.5 (0.7) | 20.5 (0.9) | 42.9 (1.0) | 22.5 (0.8) | 0.0 c                |
| Costa Rica           | 7.8 (0.8)  | 16.7 (0.8) | 34.3 (1.2) | 41.2 (1.5) | 0.1 (0.0)  | 0.0 c                | 4.7 (0.7)  | 11.4 (0.7) | 31.8 (1.4) | 51.6 (1.8) | 0.3 (0.1)  | 0.2 (0.1)            |
| Croatia              | 0.0 c      | 0.2 (0.1)  | 80.5 (0.5) | 19.4 (0.5) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.3 (0.2)  | 78.0 (0.7) | 21.7 (0.7) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Cyprus*              | 0.0 c      | 0.3 (0.1)  | 6.6 (0.2)  | 92.4 (0.2) | 0.6 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.3 (0.1)  | 5.1 (0.2)  | 93.8 (0.2) | 0.8 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Dominican Republic   | 10.3 (1.1) | 16.4 (1.5) | 23.3 (1.2) | 37.2 (1.4) | 11.1 (0.8) | 1.7 (0.3)            | 4.0 (0.6)  | 11.2 (1.1) | 18.1 (0.8) | 46.5 (1.1) | 17.2 (0.8) | 3.0 (0.3)            |
| FYROM                | 0.2 (0.2)  | 0.2 (0.2)  | 70.9 (0.3) | 28.8 (0.2) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 69.4 (0.3) | 30.6 (0.3) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Georgia              | 0.1 (0.0)  | 0.9 (0.2)  | 23.0 (1.0) | 75.2 (1.0) | 0.8 (0.2)  | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.7 (0.2)  | 20.9 (0.9) | 76.8 (1.0) | 1.5 (0.4)  | 0.0 c                |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 1.3 (0.2)  | 6.4 (0.5)  | 28.5 (0.8) | 63.3 (0.9) | 0.5 (0.4)  | 0.0 c                | 1.0 (0.2)  | 4.7 (0.4)  | 23.5 (0.8) | 70.2 (0.9) | 0.6 (0.6)  | 0.0 c                |
| Indonesia            | 2.5 (0.4)  | 8.9 (0.9)  | 44.3 (1.9) | 42.1 (2.0) | 2.1 (0.4)  | 0.0 (0.0)            | 1.7 (0.3)  | 7.2 (1.0)  | 39.8 (1.9) | 48.9 (2.1) | 2.4 (0.4)  | 0.0 c                |
| Jordan               | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.5 (0.1)  | 6.6 (0.7)  | 92.9 (0.7) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.2 (0.1)  | 0.7 (0.1)  | 6.6 (0.6)  | 92.4 (0.6) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Kosovo               | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.5 (0.1)  | 26.4 (0.9) | 71.5 (1.0) | 1.6 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.7 (0.2)  | 23.5 (1.0) | 73.3 (1.0) | 2.5 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                |
| Lebanon              | 4.0 (0.6)  | 8.2 (0.9)  | 17.2 (1.4) | 63.5 (1.7) | 6.9 (0.7)  | 0.2 (0.1)            | 3.4 (0.6)  | 8.3 (1.0)  | 16.1 (1.2) | 61.2 (1.8) | 10.8 (1.2) | 0.1 (0.1)            |
| Lithuania            | 0.2 (0.1)  | 3.5 (0.3)  | 87.4 (0.6) | 8.8 (0.5)  | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 (0.0)  | 1.7 (0.2)  | 85.1 (0.7) | 13.1 (0.6) | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.0 c                |
| Macao (China)        | 4.3 (0.2)  | 16.4 (0.3) | 30.8 (0.2) | 48.2 (0.2) | 0.4 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 1.6 (0.2)  | 8.0 (0.2)  | 28.7 (0.3) | 60.8 (0.3) | 0.9 (0.2)  | 0.0 c                |
| Malta                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.5 (0.1)  | 6.8 (0.3)  | 92.7 (0.2) | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 0.1 (0.0)  | 5.4 (0.2)  | 94.4 (0.2) | 0.1 (0.1)            |
| Moldova              | 0.3 (0.1)  | 8.2 (0.7)  | 86.3 (0.9) | 5.0 (0.9)  | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.2 (0.1)  | 7.0 (0.6)  | 82.8 (1.2) | 10.1 (1.2) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Montenegro           | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 85.2 (0.2) | 14.8 (0.2) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 82.2 (0.2) | 17.8 (0.2) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Peru                 | 3.0 (0.5)  | 7.5 (0.5)  | 17.9 (0.7) | 48.7 (0.9) | 22.9 (1.0) | 0.0 c                | 1.9 (0.3)  | 5.6 (0.5)  | 14.0 (0.6) | 51.7 (1.0) | 26.8 (0.9) | 0.0 c                |
| Qatar                | 0.8 (0.1)  | 3.6 (0.1)  | 18.0 (0.2) | 59.3 (0.2) | 17.6 (0.2) | 0.6 (0.1)            | 1.0 (0.1)  | 3.4 (0.1)  | 14.5 (0.1) | 62.1 (0.2) | 18.4 (0.2) | 0.6 (0.1)            |
| Romania              | 1.7 (0.4)  | 10.7 (0.8) | 74.3 (1.0) | 13.3 (0.7) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 1.1 (0.4)  | 7.2 (0.8)  | 75.3 (1.1) | 16.4 (0.8) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Russia               | 0.2 (0.1)  | 7.2 (0.5)  | 80.1 (1.7) | 12.4 (1.7) | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.1)  | 6.0 (0.4)  | 79.3 (1.5) | 14.4 (1.6) | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Singapore            | 0.1 (0.0)  | 1.8 (0.3)  | 8.9 (0.9)  | 89.1 (1.1) | 0.1 (0.1)  | 0.0 (0.0)            | 0.0 (0.0)  | 2.0 (0.4)  | 6.9 (0.8)  | 90.8 (1.1) | 0.2 (0.1)  | 0.1 (0.0)            |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 36.5 (1.3) | 63.5 (1.3) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 34.3 (1.3) | 65.7 (1.3) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                |
| Thailand             | 0.2 (0.1)  | 0.8 (0.3)  | 25.4 (1.2) | 71.4 (1.2) | 2.3 (0.4)  | 0.0 c                | 0.3 (0.1)  | 0.5 (0.2)  | 22.5 (1.3) | 74.1 (1.3) | 2.6 (0.4)  | 0.0 c                |
| Trinidad and Tobago  | 3.7 (0.3)  | 14.2 (0.5) | 30.8 (0.5) | 48.9 (0.5) | 2.4 (0.2)  | 0.0 c                | 2.8 (0.2)  | 7.5 (0.4)  | 23.8 (0.4) | 63.9 (0.5) | 2.0 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                |
| Tunisia              | 5.9 (0.5)  | 13.8 (1.0) | 22.0 (1.4) | 54.0 (1.9) | 4.3 (0.5)  | 0.0 c                | 3.0 (0.3)  | 7.8 (0.7)  | 17.5 (1.4) | 67.0 (1.8) | 4.8 (0.5)  | 0.0 c                |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.7 (0.1)  | 2.9 (0.4)  | 11.4 (1.1) | 54.0 (1.3) | 29.6 (1.0) | 1.4 (0.2)            | 0.4 (0.1)  | 2.2 (0.5)  | 9.9 (0.9)  | 52.8 (0.9) | 33.1 (1.1) | 1.6 (0.2)            |
| Uruguay              | 9.2 (0.8)  | 11.2 (0.7) | 22.5 (0.9) | 56.5 (1.5) | 0.5 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 6.0 (0.7)  | 8.3 (0.6)  | 19.0 (0.8) | 65.6 (1.1) | 1.1 (0.2)  | 0.0 c                |
| Viet Nam             | 0.5 (0.2)  | 2.3 (0.6)  | 11.1 (2.6) | 86.1 (3.2) | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.0)  | 1.1 (0.4)  | 4.6 (1.2)  | 94.2 (1.4) | 0.0 (0.0)  | 0.0 c                |
| Argentina**          | 2.3 (0.6)  | 11.5 (0.9) | 27.8 (1.3) | 56.0 (1.8) | 2.4 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                | 1.0 (0.3)  | 8.1 (0.9)  | 26.9 (1.4) | 60.8 (1.7) | 3.2 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                |
| Kazakhstan**         | 0.1 (0.1)  | 3.1 (0.4)  | 62.8 (2.3) | 33.5 (2.4) | 0.5 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                | 0.1 (0.1)  | 2.3 (0.3)  | 57.8 (1.7) | 39.0 (1.8) | 0.7 (0.1)  | 0.0 c                |
| Malaysia**           | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 4.2 (0.8)  | 95.4 (0.9) | 0.4 (0.3)  | 0.0 c                | 0.0 c      | 0.0 c      | 2.3 (0.5)  | 97.2 (0.6) | 0.4 (0.4)  | 0.0 c                |

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\* Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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## ANNEX A3

## TECHNICAL NOTES ON ANALYSES IN THIS VOLUME

## Methods and definitions

**Relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

Relative performance in collaborative problem solving is defined as the difference between a student's actual performance in collaborative problem solving and his or her expected performance, based on performance in other domains:

$$RP_i^{cps} = y_i^{cps} - E(y_i^{cps} | y_i^{stm})$$

where  $y_i^{cps}$  represents student  $i$ 's performance in collaborative problem solving, and  $y_i^{stm}$  is a vector of student  $i$ 's performance in other domains (such as science, reading and mathematics).

A student's (conditionally) expected performance is estimated using regression models; relative performance is therefore based on residuals from regression models. All analyses of relative performance in this volume derive residuals from linear parametric regression models. However, different regression methods can be used, including ones that allow for curvilinear relationships and non-parametric regression models.

In some analyses, the regression model is calibrated on an international sample of students, in order to compare students' performance across countries. In others, when differences between different groups of students within the same country or economy (for example, within-country gender differences or the relationship between performance and the certain out-of-school student activities), the regression model is calibrated on national samples. In all cases, ten distinct regression models are estimated to compute ten plausible values of relative performance.

**Relative risk**

The relative risk is a measure of the association between an antecedent factor and an outcome factor. The relative risk is simply the ratio of two risks, i.e. the risk of observing the outcome when the antecedent is present and the risk of observing the outcome when the antecedent is not present. Figure A3.1 presents the notation that is used in the following.

Figure A3.1 ■ Labels used in a two-way table

|          |          |          |
|----------|----------|----------|
| $P_{11}$ | $P_{12}$ | $P_{1.}$ |
| $P_{21}$ | $P_{22}$ | $P_{2.}$ |
| $P_{.1}$ | $P_{.2}$ | $P_{..}$ |

$P_{ij}$  represents the probabilities for each cell and is equal to the number of observations in a particular cell divided by the total number of observations.  $P_{i.}$ ,  $P_{.j}$ , respectively represent the marginal probabilities for each row and for each column. The marginal probabilities are equal to the marginal frequencies divided by the total number of students.

Assuming that rows represent the antecedent factor, with the first row for "having the antecedent" and the second row for "not having the antecedent", and that the columns represent the outcome: the first column for "having the outcome" and the second column for "not having the outcome", the relative risk is then equal to:

$$RR = \frac{(P_{11}/P_{1.})}{(P_{21}/P_{2.})}$$

**Odds ratio**

The same notation can be used to define the odds ratio, another measure of the relative likelihood of a particular outcome across two groups. The odds ratio for observing the outcome when an antecedent is present is simply

$$OR = \frac{(P_{11}/P_{12})}{(P_{21}/P_{22})}$$

where  $P_{11}/P_{12}$  represents the "odds" of observing the outcome when the antecedent is present, and  $P_{21}/P_{22}$  represents the "odds" of observing the outcome when the antecedent is not present.

A logistic regression can be used to estimate the odds ratio: the exponentiated logit coefficient for a binary variable is equivalent to the odds ratio. A "generalised" odds ratio, after accounting for other differences across groups, can be estimated by introducing control variables in the logistic regression.



### Statistics based on multilevel models

Statistics based on multilevel models include variance components (between- and within-school variance), the index of intra-class correlation derived from these components, and regression coefficients where this has been indicated. Multilevel models are generally specified as two-level regression models (the student and school levels), with normally distributed residuals, and estimated with maximum likelihood estimation. Where the dependent variable is science, reading, mathematics or collaborative problem-solving performance, the estimation uses ten plausible values for each student's performance on the performance scale. Models were estimated using the Stata® (version 14.1) "mixed" module.

In multilevel models, weights are used at both the student and school levels. The purpose of these weights is to account for differences in the probabilities of students being selected in the sample. Since PISA applies a two-stage sampling procedure, these differences are due to factors at both the school and the student levels. For the multilevel models, student final weights (W\_FSTUWT) were used. Students' within-school weights correspond to student final weights, rescaled to amount to the sample size within each school. School weights correspond to the sum of final student weights (W\_FSTUWT) within each school. This definition of school weights is the same used in the PISA 2012 Initial Report.

The index of intra-class correlation is defined and estimated as:

$$100 * \frac{\sigma_w^2}{\sigma_w^2 + \sigma_b^2}$$

where  $\sigma_w^2$  and  $\sigma_b^2$ , respectively, represent the within- and between-variance estimates.

The results in multilevel models, and the between-school variance estimate in particular, depend on how schools are defined and organised within countries and by the units that were chosen for sampling purposes. For example, in some countries, some of the schools in the PISA sample were defined as administrative units (even if they spanned several geographically separate institutions, as in Italy); in others they were defined as those parts of larger educational institutions that serve 15-year-olds; in still others they were defined as physical school buildings; and in others they were defined from a management perspective (e.g. entities having a principal). The *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017) and Annex A2 provide an overview of how schools are defined. In Slovenia, for example, the primary sampling unit is defined as a group of students who follow the same study programme within a school (an education track within a school). So in this case, the between-school variation is actually the within-school, between-track difference. The use of stratification variables in the selection of schools may also affect the estimate of the between-school variation, particularly if stratification variables are associated with between-school differences.

Because of the manner in which students were sampled, the within-school variation includes variation between classes as well as between students.

### Effect sizes

Sometimes it is useful to compare differences in an index between groups, such as boys and girls, across countries. A problem that may occur in such instances is that the distribution of the index varies across groups or countries. One way to resolve this is to calculate an effect size that accounts for differences in the distributions. An effect size measures the difference between, say, the collaborative problem-solving performance of male and female students in a given country, relative to the average variation in collaborative problem-solving performance among all students in the country.

The effect size between two subgroups is calculated as:

$$\frac{m_1 - m_2}{\sqrt{\sigma^2}}$$

where  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ , respectively, represent the mean values for the subgroups 1 and 2 and  $\sigma^2$  represents the overall (between and within-group) variance.

### Concentration of immigrant students

The concentration of immigrant students in schools is equal to the share of students in a school who are immigrants. It is defined as:

$$C_i = \frac{N_i^{immig}}{N_i^{immig} + N_i^{non-immig}}$$

with  $N_i^{immig}$  equal to the number of immigrant students in school  $i$  and  $N_i^{non-immig}$  equal to the number of non-immigrant students in school  $i$ .

Similar concentration indices were defined for advantaged students (those students in the top quarter of the PISA index for economic, social and cultural status [ESCS] in their country or economy), disadvantaged students (those students in the bottom quarter of ESCS in their country or economy) and students who speak a different language at home. The proportion of students with special needs in a school was reported by school principals.



## Standard errors and significance tests

The statistics in this report represent estimates of national performance based on samples of students, rather than values that could be calculated if every student in every country had answered every question. Consequently, it is important to measure the degree of uncertainty of the estimates. In PISA, each estimate has an associated degree of uncertainty, which is expressed through a standard error. The use of confidence intervals provides a way to make inferences about the population means and proportions in a manner that reflects the uncertainty associated with the sample estimates. From an observed sample statistic and assuming a normal distribution, it can be inferred that the corresponding population result would lie within the confidence interval in 95 out of 100 replications of the measurement on different samples drawn from the same population.

In many cases, readers are primarily interested in whether a given value in a particular country is different from a second value in the same or another country, e.g. whether girls in a country perform better than boys in the same country. In the tables and charts used in this report, differences are labelled as statistically significant when a difference of that magnitude or larger would be observed less than 5% of the time, if there were actually no difference in corresponding population values. Similarly, the risk of reporting a correlation as significant if there is, in fact, no correlation between two measures, is contained at 5%.

Throughout the report, significance tests were undertaken to assess the statistical significance of the comparisons made.

### **Gender differences and differences between subgroup means**

Gender differences in student performance or other indices were tested for statistical significance. Positive differences indicate higher scores for boys while negative differences indicate higher scores for girls. Generally, differences marked in bold in the tables in this volume are statistically significant at the 95% confidence level.

Similarly, differences between other groups of students (e.g. non-immigrant students and students with an immigrant background) or categories of schools (e.g. advantaged and disadvantaged schools) were tested for statistical significance. The definitions of the subgroups can, in general, be found in the tables and the text accompanying the analysis. Socio-economically (dis) advantaged school are defined as schools in the (bottom) top quarter of the distribution of the average PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS) across schools within each country/economy. All differences marked in bold in the tables presented in Annex B of this report are statistically significant at the 95% level.

### **Differences between subgroup means, after accounting for other variables**

For many tables, subgroup comparisons were performed both on the observed difference (“before accounting for other variables”) and after accounting for other variables, such as the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status of students, gender, and performance in the three core PISA domains of science, reading and mathematics. The adjusted differences were estimated using linear regression and tested for significance at the 95% confidence level. Significant differences are marked in bold.

### **Performance differences between the top and bottom quartiles of PISA indices and scales**

Differences in average performance between the top and bottom quarters of the PISA indices and scales were tested for statistical significance. Figures marked in bold indicate that performance between the top and bottom quarters of students on the respective index is statistically significantly different at the 95% confidence level.

### **Change in the performance per unit of the index**

For many tables, the difference in student performance per unit on the index shown was calculated. Figures in bold indicate that the differences are statistically significantly different from zero at the 95% confidence level.

### **Relative risk and odds ratio**

Figures in bold in the data tables presented in Annex B of this report indicate that the relative risk/odds ratio is statistically significantly different from 1 at the 95% confidence level. To compute statistical significance around the value of 1 (the null hypothesis), the relative-risk/odds-ratio statistic is assumed to follow a log-normal distribution, rather than a normal distribution, under the null hypothesis.

For many tables, “generalised” odds ratios (after accounting for other variables) are also presented. These odds ratios were estimated using logistic regression and tested for significance against the null hypothesis of an odds ratio equal to 1 (i.e. equal likelihoods, after accounting for other variables).

### **Range of ranks**

To calculate the range of ranks for countries, data are simulated using the mean and standard error of the mean for each relevant country to generate a distribution of possible values. Some 10 000 simulations are implemented and, based on these values, 10 000 possible rankings for each country are produced. For each country, the counts for each rank are aggregated from largest to smallest until they equal 9 500 or more. Then the range of ranks per country is reported, including all the ranks that have been aggregated. This means that there is at least 95% confidence about the range of ranks, and it is safe to assume unimodality in this distribution of ranks. This method has been used in all cycles of PISA since 2003, including PISA 2015.



The main difference between the range of ranks (e.g. Figure V.3.4) and the comparison of countries' mean performance (e.g. Figure V.3.3) is that the former takes account of the multiple comparisons involved in ranking countries/economies, while the latter does not. Therefore, sometimes there is a slight difference between the range of ranks and counting the number of countries above a given country, based on pairwise comparisons of the selected countries' performance. For instance, Canada and Finland have similar mean performance and the same set of countries whose mean score is not statistically different from theirs, based on Figure V.3.3; but the rank for Canada can be restricted to be, with 95% confidence, between 2nd and 6th among OECD countries, while the range of ranks for Finland is wider (between 2nd and 7th) (Figure V.3.4). Since it is safe to assume that the distribution of rank estimates for each country has a single mode (unimodality), the results of range of ranks for countries should be used when examining countries' rankings.

### ***Standard errors in statistics estimated from multilevel models***

For statistics based on multilevel models (such as the estimates of variance components and regression coefficients from two-level regression models) the standard errors are not estimated with the usual replication method, which accounts for stratification and sampling rates from finite populations. Instead, standard errors are "model-based": their computation assumes that schools, and students within schools, are sampled at random (with sampling probabilities reflected in school and student weights) from a theoretical, infinite population of schools and students which complies with the model's parametric assumptions.

The standard error for the estimated index of intra-class correlation is calculated by deriving an approximate distribution for it from the (model-based) standard errors for the variance components, using the delta-method.

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## ANNEX A4

### QUALITY ASSURANCE

Quality assurance procedures were implemented in all parts of PISA 2015, as was done for all previous PISA surveys. The PISA 2015 Technical Standards ([www.oecd.org/pisa](http://www.oecd.org/pisa)) specify the way in which PISA must be implemented in each country, economy and adjudicated region. International contractors monitor the implementation in each of these and adjudicate on their adherence to the standards.

The consistent quality and linguistic equivalence of the PISA 2015 assessment instruments were facilitated by assessing the ease with which the original English version could be translated. Two source versions of the assessment instruments, in English and French were prepared (except for the financial literacy assessment and the operational manuals, which were provided only in English) in order for countries to conduct a double translation design, i.e. two independent translations from the source language(s), and reconciliation by a third person. Detailed instructions for the localisation (adaptation, translation and validation) of the instruments for the field trial and for their review for the main survey, and translation/adaptation guidelines were supplied. An independent team of expert verifiers, appointed and trained by the PISA Consortium, verified each national version against the English and/or French source versions. These translators' mother tongue was the language of instruction in the country concerned, and the translators were knowledgeable about education systems. For further information on PISA translation procedures, see the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017).

The survey was implemented through standardised procedures. The PISA Consortium provided comprehensive manuals that explained the implementation of the survey, including precise instructions for the work of school co-ordinators and scripts for test administrators to use during the assessment sessions. Proposed adaptations to survey procedures, or proposed modifications to the assessment session script, were submitted to the PISA Consortium for approval prior to verification. The PISA Consortium then verified the national translation and adaptation of these manuals.

To establish the credibility of PISA as valid and unbiased and to encourage uniformity in administering the assessment sessions, test administrators in participating countries were selected using the following criteria: it was required that the test administrator not be the science, reading or mathematics instructor of any students in the sessions he or she would conduct for PISA; and it was considered preferable that the test administrator not be a member of the staff of any school in the PISA sample. Participating countries organised an in-person training session for test administrators.

Participating countries and economies were required to ensure that test administrators worked with the school co-ordinator to prepare the assessment session, including reviewing and updating the Student Tracking Form; completing the Session Attendance Form, which is designed to record students' attendance and instruments allocation; completing the Session Report Form, which is designed to summarise session times, any disturbance to the session, etc.; ensuring that the number of test booklets and questionnaires collected from students tallied with the number sent to the school (paper-based assessment countries) or ensuring that the number of USB sticks used for the assessment were accounted for (computer-based assessment countries); and sending the school questionnaire, student questionnaires, parent and teacher questionnaires (if applicable), and all test materials (both completed and not completed) to the national centre after the testing.

The PISA Consortium responsible for overseeing survey operations implemented all phases of the PISA Quality Monitor (PQM) process: interviewing and hiring PQM candidates in each of the countries, organising their training, selecting the schools to visit, and collecting information from the PQM visits. PQMs are independent contractors located in participating countries who are hired by the international survey operations contractor. They visit a sample of schools to observe test administration and to record the implementation of the documented field-operations procedures in the main survey.

Typically, two or three PQMs were hired for each country, and they visited an average of 15 schools in each country. If there were adjudicated regions in a country, it was usually necessary to hire additional PQMs, as a minimum of five schools were observed in adjudicated regions.

All quality-assurance data collected throughout the PISA 2015 assessment were entered and collated in a central data-adjudication database on the quality of field operations, printing, translation, school and student sampling, and coding. Comprehensive reports were then generated for the PISA Adjudication Group. This group was formed by the Technical Advisory Group and the Sampling Referee. Its role is to review the adjudication database and reports to recommend adequate treatment to preserve the quality of PISA data. For further information, see the *PISA 2015 Technical Report* (OECD, 2017).

The results of adjudication and subsequent further examinations showed that the PISA Technical Standards were met in all countries and economies that participated in PISA 2015 collaborative problem-solving assessment except for Malaysia where the PISA assessment was conducted in accordance with the operational standards and guidelines of the OECD. However, the weighted response rate among the initially sampled Malaysian schools (51%) falls well short of the standard PISA response rate of 85%. Therefore, the results may not be comparable to those of other countries or to results for Malaysia from previous years.

#### Reference

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# Annex B

## PISA 2015 DATA

All tables in Annex B are available [on line](#)

**Annex B1:** Results for countries and economies

**Annex B2:** Results for regions within countries

### **Note regarding B-S-J-G (China)**

B-S-J-G (China) refers to the four PISA participating Chinese provinces of Beijing, Shanghai, Jiangsu, Guangdong.

### **Note regarding CABA (Argentina)**

CABA (Argentina) refers to the Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

### **Note regarding FYROM**

FYROM refers to the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

### **Notes regarding Cyprus**

**Note by Turkey:** The information in this document with reference to “Cyprus” relates to the southern part of the Island. There is no single authority representing both Turkish and Greek Cypriot people on the Island. Turkey recognises the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC). Until a lasting and equitable solution is found within the context of the United Nations, Turkey shall preserve its position concerning the “Cyprus issue”.

**Note by all the European Union Member States of the OECD and the European Union:** The Republic of Cyprus is recognised by all members of the United Nations with the exception of Turkey. The information in this document relates to the area under the effective control of the Government of the Republic of Cyprus.

### **A note regarding Israel**

The statistical data for Israel are supplied by and under the responsibility of the relevant Israeli authorities. The use of such data by the OECD is without prejudice to the status of the Golan Heights, East Jerusalem and Israeli settlements in the West Bank under the terms of international law.

## ANNEX B1

### RESULTS FOR COUNTRIES AND ECONOMIES

[Part 1/1]

**Table V.3.1 Percentage of students at each proficiency level of collaborative problem solving**

|                      | All students                              |              |  |              |  |              |  |              |   |              |
|----------------------|---|--------------|--|--------------|--|--------------|--|--------------|---|--------------|
|                      | Below Level 1<br>(below 340 score points) |              | Level 1<br>(from 340 to less than<br>440 score points) |              | Level 2<br>(from 440 to less than<br>540 score points) |              | Level 3<br>(from 540 to less than<br>640 score points) |              | Level 4<br>(at or above 640 score points) |              |
|                      | %   | S.E.         | %  | S.E.         | %  | S.E.         | %  | S.E.         | %   | S.E.         |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |              |  |              |  |              |  |              |   |              |
| Australia            | 4.3                                       | (0.3)        | 15.6   | (0.6)        | 31.2   | (0.6)        | 33.6   | (0.8)        | 15.3                                      | (0.7)        |
| Austria              | 4.5                                       | (0.4)        | 20.2   | (0.9)        | 35.8   | (1.0)        | 30.4   | (1.0)        | 9.1                                       | (0.7)        |
| Belgium              | 5.7                                       | (0.5)        | 21.1   | (0.8)        | 36.7   | (0.7)        | 29.3   | (0.8)        | 7.1                                       | (0.6)        |
| Canada               | 3.4                                       | (0.3)        | 15.0   | (0.7)        | 32.0   | (0.8)        | 33.8   | (0.9)        | 15.7                                      | (0.7)        |
| Chile                | 8.4                                       | (0.7)        | 33.9   | (1.2)        | 40.5   | (1.0)        | 16.0   | (1.0)        | 1.2                                       | (0.2)        |
| Czech Republic       | 4.6                                       | (0.5)        | 21.6   | (0.8)        | 39.6   | (1.0)        | 28.8   | (1.0)        | 5.4                                       | (0.4)        |
| Denmark              | 2.7                                       | (0.3)        | 16.3   | (0.8)        | 38.8   | (0.9)        | 33.4   | (0.9)        | 8.9                                       | (0.7)        |
| Estonia              | 1.8                                       | (0.3)        | 13.5   | (0.7)        | 35.4   | (1.1)        | 37.2   | (1.0)        | 12.2                                      | (0.8)        |
| Finland              | 3.4                                       | (0.4)        | 14.7   | (0.8)        | 32.2   | (1.0)        | 35.2   | (1.0)        | 14.4                                      | (0.8)        |
| France               | 7.0                                       | (0.5)        | 22.6   | (0.7)        | 36.2   | (0.9)        | 27.6   | (1.0)        | 6.6                                       | (0.5)        |
| Germany              | 3.6                                       | (0.4)        | 16.9   | (0.8)        | 34.3   | (0.9)        | 32.4   | (0.8)        | 12.7                                      | (0.7)        |
| Greece               | 10.4                                      | (1.0)        | 31.6   | (1.2)        | 37.9   | (1.1)        | 18.1   | (1.0)        | 2.0                                       | (0.3)        |
| Hungary              | 8.7                                       | (0.6)        | 28.6   | (1.0)        | 37.4   | (0.9)        | 22.0   | (0.9)        | 3.3                                       | (0.4)        |
| Iceland              | 4.6                                       | (0.5)        | 22.5   | (1.0)        | 38.1   | (1.2)        | 28.2   | (1.0)        | 6.5                                       | (0.6)        |
| Ireland              | m   | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m   | m            |
| Israel               | 11.5                                      | (0.9)        | 30.2   | (1.1)        | 30.7   | (1.2)        | 22.1   | (1.0)        | 5.4                                       | (0.5)        |
| Italy                | 7.8                                       | (0.6)        | 26.9   | (1.0)        | 38.5   | (1.0)        | 22.6   | (0.9)        | 4.2                                       | (0.5)        |
| Japan                | 1.2                                       | (0.2)        | 8.9  | (0.7)        | 31.4   | (1.0)        | 44.4   | (1.1)        | 14.0                                      | (0.8)        |
| Korea                | 1.5                                       | (0.3)        | 11.4   | (0.7)        | 35.1   | (0.9)        | 41.6   | (1.0)        | 10.4                                      | (0.8)        |
| Latvia               | 5.6                                       | (0.5)        | 25.4   | (0.9)        | 41.3   | (0.9)        | 23.8   | (1.0)        | 3.9                                       | (0.5)        |
| Luxembourg           | 6.5                                       | (0.5)        | 24.8   | (0.7)        | 36.3   | (0.7)        | 25.5   | (0.7)        | 6.8                                       | (0.4)        |
| Mexico               | 12.2                                      | (0.9)        | 41.2   | (1.4)        | 37.4   | (1.2)        | 8.8  | (0.6)        | 0.4                                       | (0.1)        |
| Netherlands          | 3.4                                       | (0.4)        | 18.6   | (0.9)        | 35.7   | (0.9)        | 32.3   | (1.0)        | 10.0                                      | (0.7)        |
| New Zealand          | 3.8                                       | (0.4)        | 15.9   | (0.7)        | 31.3   | (0.9)        | 33.2   | (1.0)        | 15.8                                      | (0.9)        |
| Norway               | 4.4                                       | (0.5)        | 21.0   | (0.8)        | 39.5   | (1.1)        | 28.3   | (1.0)        | 6.8                                       | (0.6)        |
| Poland               | m   | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m   | m            |
| Portugal             | 4.6                                       | (0.4)        | 21.5   | (0.9)        | 40.2   | (0.8)        | 28.4   | (1.0)        | 5.2                                       | (0.5)        |
| Slovak Republic      | 9.5                                       | (0.7)        | 31.1   | (1.0)        | 38.4   | (1.1)        | 18.4   | (0.9)        | 2.6                                       | (0.4)        |
| Slovenia             | 4.4                                       | (0.4)        | 21.2   | (0.8)        | 38.6   | (1.2)        | 29.3   | (0.9)        | 6.4                                       | (0.7)        |
| Spain                | 4.4                                       | (0.4)        | 21.4   | (0.9)        | 41.6   | (0.8)        | 28.3   | (0.8)        | 4.3                                       | (0.4)        |
| Sweden               | 4.5                                       | (0.5)        | 20.1   | (1.0)        | 35.9   | (1.1)        | 30.3   | (1.1)        | 9.1                                       | (0.9)        |
| Switzerland          | m   | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m   | m            |
| Turkey               | 14.9                                      | (1.1)        | 44.5   | (1.4)        | 33.6   | (1.5)        | 6.9  | (0.8)        | 0.2                                       | (0.1)        |
| United Kingdom       | 4.2                                       | (0.4)        | 18.3   | (0.8)        | 34.6   | (0.8)        | 30.9   | (0.9)        | 12.0                                      | (0.7)        |
| United States        | 4.9                                       | (0.5)        | 18.9   | (1.0)        | 32.7   | (0.8)        | 29.7   | (1.0)        | 13.8                                      | (1.0)        |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | <b>5.7</b>                                | <b>(0.1)</b> | <b>22.4</b>  | <b>(0.2)</b> | <b>36.2</b>  | <b>(0.2)</b> | <b>27.8</b>  | <b>(0.2)</b> | <b>7.9</b>                                | <b>(0.1)</b> |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |              |  |              |  |              |  |              |   |              |
| Brazil               | 21.2                                      | (0.8)        | 43.0   | (0.7)        | 27.7   | (0.7)        | 7.5  | (0.5)        | 0.6                                       | (0.1)        |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 5.8                                       | (0.7)        | 22.4   | (1.1)        | 37.9   | (1.2)        | 27.4   | (1.3)        | 6.4                                       | (0.9)        |
| Bulgaria             | 15.3                                      | (1.1)        | 34.1   | (1.2)        | 32.6   | (1.2)        | 16.0   | (1.0)        | 2.0                                       | (0.3)        |
| Colombia             | 14.1                                      | (0.9)        | 42.3   | (1.0)        | 33.8   | (1.0)        | 9.2  | (0.6)        | 0.6                                       | (0.2)        |
| Costa Rica           | 9.4                                       | (0.6)        | 40.6   | (1.1)        | 39.6   | (1.1)        | 9.9  | (0.7)        | 0.5                                       | (0.2)        |
| Croatia              | 6.6                                       | (0.6)        | 28.7   | (1.0)        | 41.8   | (1.0)        | 20.4   | (0.9)        | 2.4                                       | (0.3)        |
| Cyprus*              | 13.0                                      | (0.6)        | 36.0   | (1.1)        | 35.5   | (1.0)        | 14.0   | (0.7)        | 1.5                                       | (0.2)        |
| Dominican Republic   | m   | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m   | m            |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 1.9                                       | (0.3)        | 11.7   | (0.8)        | 33.6   | (1.1)        | 39.7   | (1.1)        | 13.0                                      | (0.8)        |
| Lithuania            | 8.3                                       | (0.6)        | 30.2   | (0.9)        | 39.3   | (1.0)        | 19.7   | (0.9)        | 2.5                                       | (0.3)        |
| Macao (China)        | 2.2                                       | (0.3)        | 12.7   | (0.5)        | 35.6   | (0.9)        | 38.4   | (0.9)        | 11.1                                      | (0.6)        |
| Montenegro           | 17.6                                      | (0.6)        | 44.7   | (0.9)        | 31.6   | (0.8)        | 5.9  | (0.5)        | 0.2                                       | (0.1)        |
| Peru                 | 18.1                                      | (1.0)        | 43.3   | (1.1)        | 30.6   | (1.1)        | 7.6  | (0.7)        | 0.4                                       | (0.1)        |
| Qatar                | m   | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m  | m            | m   | m            |
| Russia               | 7.3                                       | (0.7)        | 29.2   | (1.3)        | 39.6   | (1.2)        | 20.3   | (1.2)        | 3.6                                       | (0.5)        |
| Singapore            | 1.6                                       | (0.2)        | 9.7  | (0.5)        | 27.8   | (0.6)        | 39.5   | (0.7)        | 21.4                                      | (0.6)        |
| Chinese Taipei       | 2.7                                       | (0.3)        | 14.2   | (0.7)        | 37.2   | (1.0)        | 36.3   | (1.0)        | 9.6                                       | (0.8)        |
| Thailand             | 12.2                                      | (1.0)        | 41.9   | (1.2)        | 34.5   | (1.2)        | 10.4   | (0.9)        | 0.9                                       | (0.3)        |
| Tunisia              | 24.5                                      | (1.3)        | 59.5   | (1.5)        | 15.2   | (1.1)        | 0.8  | (0.2)        | 0.0                                       | (0.0)        |
| United Arab Emirates | 16.2                                      | (0.8)        | 37.7   | (0.9)        | 31.6   | (1.0)        | 12.8   | (0.6)        | 1.8                                       | (0.2)        |
| Uruguay              | 12.9                                      | (0.7)        | 37.7   | (0.9)        | 34.2   | (0.9)        | 13.6   | (0.7)        | 1.7                                       | (0.3)        |
| <b>Malaysia**</b>    | <b>10.7</b>                               | <b>(0.9)</b> | <b>39.1</b>  | <b>(1.4)</b> | <b>39.6</b>  | <b>(1.3)</b> | <b>10.1</b>  | <b>(1.0)</b> | <b>0.4</b>                                | <b>(0.2)</b> |

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Table V.3.3a Top performers in four PISA subjects

|                |                      | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:    |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |
|----------------|----------------------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|
|                |                      | Not top performers in any of the four subjects |       | Top performers <sup>1</sup> in only one of science, reading or mathematics |       | Top performers in only two of science, reading and mathematics |       | Top performers in science, reading and mathematics |       | Top performers in only collaborative problem solving |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving and science |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving and reading |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving and mathematics |       |
|                |                      | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |
| OECD           | Australia            | 75.3   | (0.7) | 5.4  | (0.4) | 2.5  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 6.3  | (0.4) | 0.8   | (0.1) | 1.3   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
|                | Austria              | 80.7   | (1.1) | 6.5  | (0.6) | 2.5  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 3.2  | (0.4) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.6   | (0.1) | 1.0   | (0.2) |
|                | Belgium              | 78.4   | (0.8) | 8.4  | (0.4) | 3.8  | (0.3) | 2.4  | (0.2) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.9   | (0.1) |
|                | Canada               | 72.0   | (0.9) | 7.2  | (0.4) | 3.1  | (0.3) | 2.0  | (0.2) | 5.4  | (0.3) | 0.6   | (0.1) | 1.5   | (0.2) | 1.0   | (0.2) |
|                | Chile                | 96.0   | (0.4) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                | Czech Republic       | 84.1   | (0.8) | 5.5  | (0.5) | 2.7  | (0.3) | 2.4  | (0.3) | 1.9  | (0.2) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.4   | (0.1) |
|                | Denmark              | 81.6   | (0.9) | 6.0  | (0.5) | 2.4  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.3) | 3.5  | (0.4) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 1.0   | (0.2) |
|                | Estonia              | 76.2   | (1.0) | 6.2  | (0.6) | 3.3  | (0.5) | 2.1  | (0.3) | 3.4  | (0.4) | 0.7   | (0.2) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
|                | Finland              | 74.1   | (0.9) | 6.4  | (0.5) | 3.1  | (0.3) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 4.5  | (0.4) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 0.6   | (0.1) |
|                | France               | 79.6   | (0.8) | 8.0  | (0.6) | 3.4  | (0.3) | 2.5  | (0.3) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.1) |
|                | Germany              | 76.5   | (1.0) | 6.1  | (0.5) | 2.8  | (0.3) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 4.3  | (0.4) | 0.5   | (0.1) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.2) |
|                | Greece               | 92.4   | (0.7) | 3.9  | (0.4) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.1   | (0.0) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.2   | (0.1) |
|                | Hungary              | 88.6   | (0.7) | 5.0  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) |
|                | Iceland              | 84.5   | (0.8) | 6.2  | (0.7) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 2.3  | (0.4) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.2) |
|                | Ireland              | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
|                | Israel               | 83.5   | (1.2) | 6.5  | (0.6) | 2.7  | (0.4) | 1.9  | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.1) |
|                | Italy                | 84.8   | (0.9) | 7.5  | (0.6) | 2.3  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 1.7  | (0.4) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.6   | (0.2) |
|                | Japan                | 69.9   | (1.3) | 8.8  | (0.6) | 4.7  | (0.4) | 2.6  | (0.4) | 4.3  | (0.4) | 0.7   | (0.2) | 0.6   | (0.1) | 1.5   | (0.3) |
|                | Korea                | 72.0   | (1.4) | 10.6   | (0.8) | 4.5  | (0.5) | 2.6  | (0.4) | 2.4  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 1.5   | (0.3) |
|                | Latvia               | 89.9   | (0.6) | 4.0  | (0.3) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.1) |
|                | Luxembourg           | 83.7   | (0.5) | 5.5  | (0.4) | 2.4  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.3) | 2.2  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 0.6   | (0.1) |
|                | Mexico               | 99.1   | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                | Netherlands          | 77.5   | (0.9) | 6.6  | (0.5) | 3.4  | (0.3) | 2.5  | (0.3) | 2.5  | (0.4) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.3) |
|                | New Zealand          | 74.0   | (0.9) | 5.9  | (0.5) | 2.5  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.3) | 5.5  | (0.6) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 1.6   | (0.3) | 0.6   | (0.2) |
|                | Norway               | 80.4   | (0.9) | 7.5  | (0.6) | 3.1  | (0.4) | 2.2  | (0.3) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.2) |
|                | Poland               | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
|                | Portugal             | 82.9   | (0.8) | 7.0  | (0.5) | 3.2  | (0.3) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.4   | (0.1) |
|                | Slovak Republic      | 89.3   | (0.6) | 5.4  | (0.5) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) |
|                | Slovenia             | 80.1   | (0.8) | 6.9  | (0.7) | 3.9  | (0.4) | 2.8  | (0.4) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.5   | (0.2) |
|                | Spain                | 87.3   | (0.7) | 5.1  | (0.5) | 2.2  | (0.3) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 1.8  | (0.2) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) |
|                | Sweden               | 80.6   | (1.2) | 6.3  | (0.6) | 2.6  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 2.7  | (0.4) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
|                | Switzerland          | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
| Turkey         | 98.3                 | (0.4)  | 1.2   | (0.4)  | 0.2   | (0.1)  | 0.1   | (0.1)  | 0.1   | (0.1)  | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.0   | (0.0)   |       |
| United Kingdom | 78.6                 | (0.9)  | 5.4   | (0.4)  | 2.6   | (0.3)  | 1.3   | (0.2)  | 4.4   | (0.4)  | 0.8   | (0.2)   | 0.7   | (0.2)   | 0.7   | (0.2)   |       |
| United States  | 81.1                 | (1.1)  | 3.3   | (0.4)  | 1.2   | (0.2)  | 0.5   | (0.2)  | 5.7   | (0.6)  | 0.9   | (0.2)   | 1.3   | (0.2)   | 0.4   | (0.2)   |       |
| OECD average   | 82.3                 | (0.2)  | 5.8   | (0.1)  | 2.5   | (0.1)  | 1.5   | (0.0)  | 2.6   | (0.1)  | 0.4   | (0.0)   | 0.6   | (0.0)   | 0.6   | (0.0)   |       |
| Partners       | Brazil               | 97.5   | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.1   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | 71.5   | (1.9) | 11.9   | (0.9) | 5.8  | (0.5) | 4.4  | (0.6) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.8   | (0.2) |
|                | Bulgaria             | 92.4   | (0.8) | 3.6  | (0.5) | 1.3  | (0.3) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                | Colombia             | 98.4   | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.1   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                | Costa Rica           | 98.7   | (0.3) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                | Croatia              | 89.9   | (0.7) | 4.6  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                | Cyprus*              | 93.7   | (0.4) | 3.5  | (0.4) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.7  | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.0) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | 67.0   | (1.2) | 14.5   | (0.9) | 3.8  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 3.7  | (0.4) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 2.6   | (0.3) |
|                | Lithuania            | 89.8   | (0.8) | 4.8  | (0.5) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) |
|                | Macao (China)        | 72.8   | (0.7) | 11.7   | (0.6) | 3.1  | (0.3) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 3.3  | (0.4) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 2.1   | (0.3) |
|                | Montenegro           | 97.4   | (0.3) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                | Peru                 | 99.1   | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                | Qatar                | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
|                | Russia               | 85.7   | (1.0) | 7.6  | (0.7) | 2.1  | (0.3) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.3) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.1) |
|                | Singapore            | 57.3   | (0.7) | 11.1   | (0.5) | 6.0  | (0.5) | 4.1  | (0.4) | 3.5  | (0.4) | 0.6   | (0.1) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 2.3   | (0.3) |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | 68.4   | (1.2) | 13.2   | (0.6) | 6.5  | (0.6) | 2.3  | (0.4) | 1.7  | (0.2) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 1.5   | (0.3) |
|                | Thailand             | 97.7   | (0.5) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                | Tunisia              | 99.4   | (0.2) | 0.5  | (0.2) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0   | c     | 0.0   | c     | 0.0   | c     |
|                | United Arab Emirates | 93.6   | (0.4) | 2.9  | (0.3) | 1.1  | (0.1) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.0) | 0.1   | (0.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                | Uruguay              | 95.5   | (0.5) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 0.5  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1   | (0.0) |
| Malaysia**     | 97.6                 | (0.5)  | 1.6   | (0.3)  | 0.3   | (0.1)  | 0.1   | (0.1)  | 0.2   | (0.1)  | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   |       |

1. Top performers in collaborative problem solving are students who score at Level 4. Top performers in science, reading or mathematics score at Level 5 or 6 in the subject.

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**Table V.3.3a Top performers in four PISA subjects**

|                      | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:                                       |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       | Percentage of top performers in collaborative problem solving among top performers in... |        |         |        |             |        |                                  |        |  |
|----------------------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|--|--------|---------|--------|-------------|--------|----------------------------------|--------|--|
|                      | Top performers <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving, science and reading |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving, science and mathematics |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving, reading and mathematics |       | Top performers in all four subjects |       | Science  |        | Reading |        | Mathematics |        | Science, reading and mathematics |        |  |
|                      | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %                                   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.   | %       | S.E.   | %           | S.E.   | %                                | S.E.   |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |        |                                  |        |  |
| Australia            | 1.0   | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 3.6                                 | (0.3) | 58.5   | (2.1)  | 56.8    | (2.4)  | 51.9        | (2.4)  | 70.5                             | (3.3)  |  |
| Austria              | 0.4   | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 2.1                                 | (0.3) | 50.5   | (3.8)  | 48.5    | (4.1)  | 37.2        | (2.9)  | 61.7                             | (5.6)  |  |
| Belgium              | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.8  | (0.1) | 0.5  | (0.1) | 2.2                                 | (0.2) | 38.1   | (2.9)  | 35.7    | (2.7)  | 27.5        | (2.0)  | 47.9                             | (3.6)  |  |
| Canada               | 1.2   | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 4.4                                 | (0.3) | 58.7   | (2.2)  | 55.1    | (2.2)  | 47.1        | (1.7)  | 69.2                             | (2.7)  |  |
| Chile                | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.1                                 | (0.0) | 22.8   | (5.5)  | 18.0    | (3.7)  | 16.5        | (4.7)  | 29.3                             | (9.2)  |  |
| Czech Republic       | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.5  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 1.5                                 | (0.2) | 33.7   | (3.3)  | 29.7    | (2.9)  | 26.0        | (2.7)  | 39.4                             | (4.4)  |  |
| Denmark              | 0.3   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 1.9                                 | (0.3) | 51.1   | (4.1)  | 47.3    | (4.2)  | 36.2        | (2.7)  | 62.1                             | (6.1)  |  |
| Estonia              | 0.9   | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 4.0                                 | (0.4) | 53.5   | (3.1)  | 51.8    | (3.5)  | 46.2        | (3.2)  | 65.0                             | (4.0)  |  |
| Finland              | 1.5   | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 4.1                                 | (0.4) | 55.3   | (2.9)  | 51.5    | (3.2)  | 52.8        | (3.5)  | 67.3                             | (4.5)  |  |
| France               | 0.5   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 2.0                                 | (0.3) | 38.1   | (3.1)  | 28.5    | (3.1)  | 27.2        | (2.5)  | 44.5                             | (5.1)  |  |
| Germany              | 0.7   | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 0.5  | (0.2) | 3.5                                 | (0.3) | 56.2   | (2.9)  | 49.2    | (3.1)  | 47.4        | (2.9)  | 64.4                             | (3.9)  |  |
| Greece               | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.4                                 | (0.1) | 31.7   | (6.8)  | 19.6    | (3.2)  | 19.7        | (3.9)  | 38.7                             | (9.3)  |  |
| Hungary              | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.9                                 | (0.2) | 35.1   | (5.0)  | 30.6    | (4.4)  | 21.5        | (3.0)  | 42.1                             | (6.9)  |  |
| Iceland              | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 1.3                                 | (0.3) | 49.8   | (8.7)  | 43.4    | (5.7)  | 33.8        | (4.1)  | 60.9                             | (11.0) |  |
| Ireland              | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                   | m     | m  | m      | m       | m      | m           | m      | m                                | m      |  |
| Israel               | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 1.7                                 | (0.3) | 39.7   | (3.5)  | 30.3    | (2.4)  | 28.5        | (3.0)  | 46.7                             | (4.2)  |  |
| Italy                | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.7                                 | (0.2) | 32.5   | (4.7)  | 24.0    | (3.3)  | 18.4        | (2.5)  | 37.0                             | (6.4)  |  |
| Japan                | 0.6   | (0.1) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 0.5  | (0.2) | 3.9                                 | (0.4) | 46.0   | (2.5)  | 52.7    | (3.0)  | 38.3        | (2.3)  | 60.7                             | (3.6)  |  |
| Korea                | 0.3   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 3.3                                 | (0.4) | 45.1   | (4.0)  | 42.5    | (3.9)  | 32.3        | (2.8)  | 56.0                             | (4.8)  |  |
| Latvia               | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.7                                 | (0.1) | 39.0   | (4.9)  | 31.2    | (5.4)  | 27.1        | (3.6)  | 47.4                             | (7.3)  |  |
| Luxembourg           | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.5  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 2.0                                 | (0.2) | 44.2   | (4.1)  | 40.2    | (3.8)  | 33.7        | (3.4)  | 53.8                             | (5.9)  |  |
| Mexico               | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0                                 | (0.0) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c      | c                                | c      |  |
| Netherlands          | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 3.6                                 | (0.4) | 46.9   | (3.4)  | 49.2    | (3.1)  | 39.9        | (2.5)  | 59.7                             | (4.2)  |  |
| New Zealand          | 1.5   | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.3) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 4.3                                 | (0.4) | 60.9   | (3.3)  | 56.3    | (3.1)  | 55.5        | (3.3)  | 71.7                             | (3.9)  |  |
| Norway               | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 2.3                                 | (0.3) | 41.1   | (3.8)  | 32.2    | (3.0)  | 32.2        | (3.4)  | 51.4                             | (5.4)  |  |
| Poland               | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                   | m     | m  | m      | m       | m      | m           | m      | m                                | m      |  |
| Portugal             | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 1.5                                 | (0.2) | 35.2   | (3.5)  | 31.7    | (3.2)  | 24.7        | (2.4)  | 46.2                             | (5.2)  |  |
| Slovak Republic      | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.6                                 | (0.1) | 27.8   | (3.9)  | 28.3    | (5.0)  | 16.1        | (2.2)  | 41.2                             | (7.6)  |  |
| Slovenia             | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 2.0                                 | (0.3) | 32.3   | (3.2)  | 33.3    | (3.4)  | 26.5        | (3.0)  | 42.6                             | (5.3)  |  |
| Spain                | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.8                                 | (0.2) | 33.5   | (4.3)  | 28.4    | (4.2)  | 23.8        | (2.6)  | 43.2                             | (6.0)  |  |
| Sweden               | 0.6   | (0.2) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 2.5                                 | (0.4) | 49.8   | (3.4)  | 45.2    | (3.3)  | 41.9        | (3.4)  | 62.7                             | (4.5)  |  |
| Switzerland          | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                   | m     | m  | m      | m       | m      | m           | m      | m                                | m      |  |
| Turkey               | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | c     | 0.0                                 | (0.0) | c  | c      | 3.7     | (4.4)  | 2.3         | (2.7)  | c                                | c      |  |
| United Kingdom       | 1.0   | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 3.1                                 | (0.3) | 54.4   | (3.0)  | 55.5    | (3.5)  | 47.3        | (3.6)  | 69.4                             | (4.3)  |  |
| United States        | 1.7   | (0.3) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 2.9                                 | (0.4) | 72.5   | (3.6)  | 64.5    | (3.1)  | 71.6        | (5.3)  | 84.4                             | (4.9)  |  |
| OECD average         | 0.5   | (0.0) | 0.7  | (0.0) | 0.3  | (0.0) | 2.1                                 | (0.1) | 44.5   | (0.7)  | 39.2    | (0.6)  | 33.9        | (0.6)  | 54.6                             | (1.0)  |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |        |                                  |        |  |
| Brazil               | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.1                                 | (0.0) | 25.7   | (5.4)  | 15.2    | (3.5)  | 16.6        | (4.6)  | 31.9                             | (17.1) |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.1   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 3.2                                 | (0.7) | 32.2   | (3.6)  | 33.9    | (4.3)  | 21.0        | (2.5)  | 42.2                             | (4.6)  |  |
| Bulgaria             | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.4                                 | (0.1) | 29.3   | (4.0)  | 22.6    | (4.9)  | 18.4        | (3.1)  | 36.9                             | (7.9)  |  |
| Colombia             | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.1                                 | (0.0) | 35.7   | (15.8) | 18.3    | (7.5)  | 32.2        | (16.3) | c                                | c      |  |
| Costa Rica           | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0                                 | (0.0) | c  | c      | 19.9    | (7.2)  | c           | c      | c                                | c      |  |
| Croatia              | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.7                                 | (0.2) | 26.5   | (4.3)  | 21.7    | (3.3)  | 20.0        | (3.1)  | 36.4                             | (7.3)  |  |
| Cyprus*              | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.2                                 | (0.1) | 31.3   | (9.3)  | 17.7    | (4.4)  | 15.5        | (4.5)  | c                                | c      |  |
| Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                   | m     | m  | m      | m       | m      | m           | m      | m                                | m      |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 0.1   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.3) | 3.1                                 | (0.4) | 57.4   | (3.6)  | 48.3    | (3.1)  | 31.4        | (2.1)  | 63.4                             | (4.8)  |  |
| Lithuania            | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.7                                 | (0.2) | 30.8   | (4.0)  | 21.1    | (3.6)  | 20.3        | (2.9)  | 36.7                             | (7.8)  |  |
| Macao (China)        | 0.2   | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 2.9                                 | (0.3) | 53.6   | (3.3)  | 58.2    | (3.5)  | 31.9        | (2.0)  | 68.5                             | (4.2)  |  |
| Montenegro           | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0                                 | (0.0) | c  | c      | 5.2     | (3.8)  | 3.8         | (2.6)  | c                                | c      |  |
| Peru                 | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0                                 | (0.0) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c      | c                                | c      |  |
| Qatar                | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                   | m     | m  | m      | m       | m      | m           | m      | m                                | m      |  |
| Russia               | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.7                                 | (0.2) | 33.0   | (5.7)  | 25.3    | (3.9)  | 16.3        | (2.5)  | 40.7                             | (7.4)  |  |
| Singapore            | 0.6   | (0.1) | 3.5  | (0.3) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 9.6                                 | (0.4) | 59.0   | (1.6)  | 62.3    | (2.4)  | 46.5        | (1.5)  | 69.9                             | (2.2)  |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.1   | (0.0) | 2.5  | (0.3) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 3.3                                 | (0.5) | 40.1   | (3.1)  | 53.3    | (4.0)  | 26.5        | (2.0)  | 58.9                             | (4.2)  |  |
| Thailand             | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.1                                 | (0.1) | 43.1   | (11.7) | 35.9    | (14.2) | 19.7        | (6.5)  | c                                | c      |  |
| Tunisia              | 0.0   | c     | 0.0  | c     | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0                                 | c     | c  | c      | c       | c      | 0.5         | (2.0)  | c                                | c      |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.0) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.5                                 | (0.1) | 31.7   | (3.9)  | 28.0    | (3.2)  | 22.3        | (3.7)  | 42.7                             | (7.5)  |  |
| Uruguay              | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.2                                 | (0.1) | 37.3   | (7.6)  | 22.3    | (5.3)  | 24.1        | (5.8)  | 41.3                             | (13.7) |  |
| Malaysia**           | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.1                                 | (0.0) | 22.5   | (9.8)  | 22.4    | (11.1) | 11.1        | (4.3)  | c                                | c      |  |

1. Top performers in collaborative problem solving are students who score at Level 4. Top performers in science, reading or mathematics score at Level 5 or 6 in the subject.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.3.3b Low achievers in four PISA subjects

|               |                      | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|---------------|----------------------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|
|               |                      | Not low achievers in any of the four subjects |       | Low achievers <sup>1</sup> in only one of science, reading or mathematics |       | Low achievers in only two of science, reading and mathematics |       | Low achievers in science, reading and mathematics |       | Low achievers in only collaborative problem solving |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving and science |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving and reading |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving and mathematics |       |
|               |                      | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |
| OECD          | Australia            | 67.1  | (0.7) | 7.0   | (0.4) | 3.5   | (0.3) | 2.5   | (0.2) | 4.6   | (0.4) | 0.5  | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.2) |
|               | Austria              | 63.5  | (1.2) | 5.9   | (0.4) | 3.1   | (0.3) | 2.8   | (0.4) | 5.9   | (0.5) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 1.0  | (0.2) |
|               | Belgium              | 64.8  | (1.1) | 4.1   | (0.4) | 2.2   | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.2) | 7.9   | (0.4) | 1.1  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.2) |
|               | Canada               | 73.8  | (0.9) | 4.8   | (0.4) | 1.9   | (0.2) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 7.0   | (0.5) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 1.2  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.2) |
|               | Chile                | 40.3  | (1.3) | 10.0  | (0.6) | 4.3   | (0.4) | 3.0   | (0.4) | 6.6   | (0.5) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 5.3  | (0.6) |
|               | Czech Republic       | 62.7  | (1.1) | 5.4   | (0.5) | 2.8   | (0.4) | 2.9   | (0.4) | 7.3   | (0.5) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 1.7  | (0.3) | 1.3  | (0.2) |
|               | Denmark              | 71.3  | (1.1) | 5.4   | (0.5) | 2.8   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.3) | 5.9   | (0.5) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.2) |
|               | Estonia              | 77.6  | (0.9) | 4.7   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 5.5   | (0.5) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.3) | 1.3  | (0.3) |
|               | Finland              | 75.0  | (1.0) | 4.3   | (0.4) | 1.7   | (0.3) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 6.4   | (0.5) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.2) |
|               | France               | 61.4  | (0.9) | 4.5   | (0.3) | 2.4   | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 8.3   | (0.6) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.2) |
|               | Germany              | 69.2  | (1.2) | 5.1   | (0.5) | 2.7   | (0.3) | 2.5   | (0.4) | 6.3   | (0.5) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.2) |
|               | Greece               | 47.6  | (1.7) | 5.3   | (0.5) | 3.1   | (0.4) | 2.0   | (0.3) | 9.1   | (0.6) | 1.7  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 3.3  | (0.4) |
|               | Hungary              | 54.7  | (1.2) | 4.4   | (0.4) | 1.9   | (0.3) | 1.8   | (0.3) | 9.1   | (0.6) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 2.2  | (0.4) | 1.9  | (0.3) |
|               | Iceland              | 59.2  | (1.1) | 7.1   | (0.6) | 4.0   | (0.5) | 2.4   | (0.4) | 6.0   | (0.6) | 1.7  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.3) | 1.3  | (0.3) |
|               | Ireland              | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |
|               | Israel               | 50.1  | (1.6) | 4.2   | (0.4) | 2.3   | (0.2) | 1.7   | (0.3) | 9.7   | (0.6) | 1.6  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.3) | 2.8  | (0.3) |
|               | Italy                | 55.2  | (1.2) | 5.6   | (0.6) | 2.8   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.3) | 11.4  | (0.7) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 2.2  | (0.3) |
|               | Japan                | 79.8  | (1.1) | 5.7   | (0.5) | 2.5   | (0.3) | 1.9   | (0.3) | 2.7   | (0.3) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) |
|               | Korea                | 75.5  | (1.2) | 6.3   | (0.4) | 3.3   | (0.3) | 2.0   | (0.3) | 2.4   | (0.3) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.2) |
|               | Latvia               | 60.4  | (1.0) | 5.4   | (0.5) | 2.0   | (0.3) | 1.2   | (0.2) | 11.2  | (0.6) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 2.6  | (0.4) |
|               | Luxembourg           | 57.7  | (0.6) | 5.1   | (0.5) | 3.1   | (0.4) | 2.7   | (0.3) | 7.4   | (0.5) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.3) |
|               | Mexico               | 29.5  | (1.3) | 9.0   | (0.5) | 4.6   | (0.4) | 3.4   | (0.4) | 6.4   | (0.5) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 4.0  | (0.4) |
|               | Netherlands          | 68.7  | (1.1) | 4.4   | (0.5) | 2.5   | (0.4) | 2.4   | (0.3) | 6.2   | (0.5) | 1.0  | (0.3) | 1.6  | (0.3) | 0.8  | (0.2) |
|               | New Zealand          | 67.6  | (1.1) | 7.1   | (0.5) | 3.3   | (0.4) | 2.4   | (0.3) | 4.4   | (0.4) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.2) |
|               | Norway               | 65.7  | (1.1) | 4.8   | (0.4) | 2.6   | (0.3) | 1.5   | (0.2) | 8.9   | (0.7) | 1.6  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.2) |
|               | Poland               | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |
|               | Portugal             | 63.5  | (1.2) | 6.0   | (0.5) | 2.7   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.2) | 7.3   | (0.6) | 0.8  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.2) | 2.4  | (0.3) |
|               | Slovak Republic      | 48.9  | (1.2) | 5.1   | (0.5) | 2.8   | (0.3) | 2.5   | (0.4) | 10.2  | (0.6) | 1.7  | (0.2) | 3.2  | (0.4) | 1.2  | (0.2) |
|               | Slovenia             | 67.0  | (0.8) | 4.2   | (0.3) | 1.9   | (0.3) | 1.3   | (0.2) | 9.8   | (0.5) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.8  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.3) |
|               | Spain                | 63.6  | (1.1) | 5.9   | (0.5) | 2.8   | (0.4) | 1.8   | (0.3) | 8.1   | (0.6) | 0.8  | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 2.1  | (0.2) |
|               | Sweden               | 64.2  | (1.5) | 5.9   | (0.5) | 3.5   | (0.4) | 1.8   | (0.3) | 6.1   | (0.6) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 1.7  | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.2) |
|               | Switzerland          | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |
|               | Turkey               | 30.1  | (2.0) | 5.7   | (0.5) | 2.7   | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 10.5  | (0.7) | 1.6  | (0.3) | 1.9  | (0.4) | 4.7  | (0.4) |
|               | United Kingdom       | 65.1  | (1.0) | 7.0   | (0.5) | 3.3   | (0.4) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 5.9   | (0.6) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.2) |
| United States | 62.1                 | (1.5)   | 8.4   | (0.8)   | 3.4   | (0.4)   | 2.4   | (0.3)   | 4.3   | (0.4)   | 0.6   | (0.1)  | 0.7   | (0.2)  | 2.3   | (0.4)  |       |
| OECD average  | 61.3                 | (0.2)   | 5.7   | (0.1)   | 2.8   | (0.1)   | 2.0   | (0.1)   | 7.2   | (0.1)   | 1.0   | (0.0)  | 1.5   | (0.0)  | 1.8   | (0.0)  |       |
| Partners      | Brazil               | 19.7  | (0.9) | 8.3   | (0.4) | 4.3   | (0.3) | 3.5   | (0.3) | 5.5   | (0.5) | 0.8  | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.1) | 5.6  | (0.4) |
|               | B-S-J-G (China)      | 64.7  | (1.7) | 4.2   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.2) | 1.3   | (0.3) | 9.2   | (0.6) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 3.2  | (0.5) | 1.0  | (0.2) |
|               | Bulgaria             | 40.4  | (1.8) | 5.8   | (0.4) | 2.4   | (0.3) | 1.9   | (0.2) | 7.6   | (0.6) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 3.0  | (0.4) | 2.5  | (0.4) |
|               | Colombia             | 26.6  | (1.0) | 9.6   | (0.6) | 3.9   | (0.3) | 3.5   | (0.4) | 4.9   | (0.4) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.5  | (0.1) | 6.6  | (0.5) |
|               | Costa Rica           | 26.5  | (1.2) | 11.4  | (0.7) | 6.2   | (0.5) | 6.0   | (0.6) | 6.1   | (0.5) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 5.4  | (0.4) |
|               | Croatia              | 53.1  | (1.4) | 6.8   | (0.5) | 3.2   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.3) | 9.5   | (0.5) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 3.7  | (0.4) |
|               | Cyprus*              | 36.9  | (0.8) | 7.1   | (0.5) | 4.2   | (0.4) | 2.8   | (0.4) | 9.0   | (0.8) | 2.3  | (0.3) | 2.0  | (0.4) | 2.6  | (0.3) |
|               | Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |
|               | Hong Kong (China)    | 80.2  | (1.1) | 3.4   | (0.3) | 1.7   | (0.3) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 5.4   | (0.6) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 0.6  | (0.1) |
|               | Lithuania            | 53.1  | (1.2) | 4.7   | (0.5) | 2.2   | (0.3) | 1.5   | (0.2) | 11.5  | (0.7) | 1.4  | (0.3) | 2.6  | (0.4) | 2.1  | (0.3) |
|               | Macao (China)        | 79.4  | (0.6) | 3.8   | (0.4) | 1.3   | (0.3) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 5.6   | (0.4) | 0.5  | (0.1) | 2.4  | (0.3) | 0.5  | (0.2) |
|               | Montenegro           | 26.6  | (0.7) | 5.7   | (0.4) | 3.3   | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 10.4  | (0.7) | 3.1  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.2) | 3.6  | (0.5) |
|               | Peru                 | 23.2  | (1.3) | 7.4   | (0.6) | 4.3   | (0.3) | 3.7   | (0.3) | 4.4   | (0.5) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.2) | 3.5  | (0.3) |
|               | Qatar                | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |
|               | Russia               | 54.9  | (1.7) | 5.6   | (0.5) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 15.9  | (0.9) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 2.7  | (0.5) | 2.5  | (0.4) |
|               | Singapore            | 82.2  | (0.6) | 3.6   | (0.3) | 1.7   | (0.2) | 1.2   | (0.2) | 3.3   | (0.3) | 0.5  | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) |
|               | Chinese Taipei       | 74.5  | (0.9) | 4.7   | (0.4) | 2.1   | (0.2) | 1.8   | (0.2) | 4.7   | (0.4) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 2.0  | (0.2) | 0.5  | (0.1) |
|               | Thailand             | 29.0  | (1.5) | 8.7   | (0.5) | 4.5   | (0.5) | 3.7   | (0.4) | 5.9   | (0.6) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 2.8  | (0.4) | 2.9  | (0.3) |
|               | Tunisia              | 8.4   | (0.8) | 3.4   | (0.4) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.4) | 7.8   | (0.8) | 0.8  | (0.3) | 3.3  | (0.4) | 5.1  | (0.5) |
|               | United Arab Emirates | 35.5  | (1.1) | 6.2   | (0.4) | 2.7   | (0.3) | 1.8   | (0.2) | 8.0   | (0.5) | 1.3  | (0.2) | 2.0  | (0.2) | 4.1  | (0.4) |
| Uruguay       | 34.7                 | (1.1)   | 7.8   | (0.5)   | 3.7   | (0.4)   | 3.3   | (0.3)   | 7.2   | (0.5)   | 0.8   | (0.2)  | 1.4   | (0.2)  | 4.8   | (0.4)  |       |
| Malaysia**    | 40.5                 | (1.8)   | 5.4   | (0.6)   | 2.3   | (0.3)   | 1.8   | (0.3)   | 11.3  | (0.7)   | 1.1   | (0.2)  | 3.0   | (0.4)  | 3.2   | (0.4)  |       |

1. Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, science, reading or mathematics score below Level 2 in the subject.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.3.3b Low achievers in four PISA subjects**

|                      | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:                                      |       |   |       |   |       |                                    | Percentage of low achievers in collaborative problem solving among low achievers in ... |      |         |      |             |      |                                  |      |       |
|----------------------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|------------------------------------|---|------|---------|------|-------------|------|----------------------------------|------|-------|
|                      | Low achievers <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving, science and reading |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, science and mathematics |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, reading and mathematics |       | Low achievers in all four subjects | Science   |      | Reading |      | Mathematics |      | Science, reading and mathematics |      |       |
|                      | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %                                  | S.E.  | %    | S.E.    | %    | S.E.        | %    | S.E.                             | %    | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |   |       |   |       |                                    |   |      |         |      |             |      |                                  |      |       |
| Australia            | 1.3  | (0.2) | 1.4   | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.1) | 8.6                                | (0.4)   | 66.9 | (1.5)   | 66.6 | (1.3)       | 55.9 | (1.6)                            | 77.1 | (1.6) |
| Austria              | 2.0  | (0.4) | 1.4   | (0.2) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 10.7                               | (0.7)   | 71.1 | (1.8)   | 69.7 | (2.0)       | 65.2 | (2.5)                            | 79.5 | (2.3) |
| Belgium              | 1.9  | (0.3) | 1.7   | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 10.6                               | (0.7)   | 76.9 | (1.4)   | 75.7 | (1.6)       | 72.8 | (1.7)                            | 83.6 | (1.6) |
| Canada               | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.5   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.1) | 4.9                                | (0.4)   | 72.9 | (2.2)   | 72.6 | (2.1)       | 60.2 | (2.0)                            | 82.4 | (1.8) |
| Chile                | 0.8  | (0.2) | 6.2   | (0.6) | 1.6   | (0.3) | 20.3                               | (1.0)   | 80.5 | (1.7)   | 82.6 | (1.4)       | 67.6 | (1.6)                            | 87.1 | (1.5) |
| Czech Republic       | 1.9  | (0.3) | 1.4   | (0.3) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 10.7                               | (0.7)   | 72.2 | (2.1)   | 69.4 | (2.3)       | 66.6 | (2.2)                            | 78.5 | (2.2) |
| Denmark              | 2.1  | (0.3) | 1.4   | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 5.9                                | (0.5)   | 67.0 | (2.2)   | 64.6 | (2.4)       | 62.2 | (2.8)                            | 79.0 | (3.2) |
| Estonia              | 1.1  | (0.2) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 3.8                                | (0.4)   | 73.9 | (3.0)   | 64.5 | (3.1)       | 60.1 | (2.7)                            | 81.1 | (3.9) |
| Finland              | 1.2  | (0.2) | 1.4   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.2) | 5.3                                | (0.5)   | 75.2 | (3.0)   | 72.9 | (3.3)       | 64.6 | (2.9)                            | 84.1 | (3.1) |
| France               | 1.8  | (0.2) | 2.0   | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 12.7                               | (0.8)   | 79.5 | (1.6)   | 78.5 | (1.7)       | 72.3 | (1.8)                            | 85.8 | (1.6) |
| Germany              | 1.5  | (0.3) | 1.5   | (0.2) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 7.4                                | (0.6)   | 67.1 | (2.7)   | 65.6 | (2.8)       | 60.9 | (2.6)                            | 74.9 | (3.2) |
| Greece               | 2.1  | (0.3) | 4.7   | (0.5) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 18.7                               | (1.6)   | 83.3 | (1.8)   | 84.9 | (1.5)       | 77.8 | (1.9)                            | 90.3 | (1.2) |
| Hungary              | 2.6  | (0.3) | 2.3   | (0.3) | 1.5   | (0.2) | 16.8                               | (0.9)   | 86.8 | (1.3)   | 83.7 | (1.3)       | 80.3 | (1.4)                            | 90.5 | (1.3) |
| Iceland              | 2.4  | (0.5) | 2.6   | (0.5) | 0.9   | (0.3) | 10.7                               | (0.6)   | 68.8 | (2.3)   | 70.6 | (2.4)       | 65.8 | (3.2)                            | 81.5 | (2.7) |
| Ireland              | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m                                  | m   | m    | m       | m    | m           | m    | m                                | m    | m     |
| Israel               | 2.2  | (0.3) | 3.5   | (0.4) | 1.3   | (0.3) | 19.2                               | (1.1)   | 85.0 | (1.5)   | 87.7 | (1.3)       | 82.5 | (1.7)                            | 91.9 | (1.2) |
| Italy                | 2.6  | (0.3) | 3.2   | (0.4) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 10.6                               | (0.7)   | 78.3 | (1.9)   | 77.2 | (2.1)       | 73.1 | (2.3)                            | 86.8 | (2.1) |
| Japan                | 1.0  | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 3.7                                | (0.5)   | 55.4 | (3.3)   | 49.6 | (2.9)       | 46.9 | (3.8)                            | 65.8 | (4.3) |
| Korea                | 1.0  | (0.2) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 5.6                                | (0.6)   | 58.2 | (2.6)   | 58.9 | (3.3)       | 52.6 | (2.7)                            | 73.5 | (3.7) |
| Latvia               | 1.7  | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 1.2   | (0.3) | 9.2                                | (0.6)   | 81.4 | (2.0)   | 80.0 | (2.0)       | 70.6 | (2.4)                            | 88.4 | (2.0) |
| Luxembourg           | 2.5  | (0.3) | 2.0   | (0.3) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 14.3                               | (0.5)   | 76.0 | (1.4)   | 76.3 | (1.7)       | 72.6 | (1.8)                            | 84.0 | (1.5) |
| Mexico               | 2.0  | (0.3) | 6.0   | (0.5) | 2.0   | (0.3) | 30.3                               | (1.2)   | 83.3 | (1.2)   | 85.1 | (1.3)       | 74.7 | (1.5)                            | 89.8 | (1.1) |
| Netherlands          | 1.9  | (0.3) | 1.2   | (0.2) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 8.5                                | (0.7)   | 68.2 | (2.6)   | 70.6 | (2.7)       | 67.4 | (2.9)                            | 77.7 | (2.5) |
| New Zealand          | 1.2  | (0.2) | 1.8   | (0.3) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 8.2                                | (0.6)   | 68.3 | (2.5)   | 66.6 | (2.5)       | 56.4 | (2.5)                            | 77.8 | (2.8) |
| Norway               | 1.8  | (0.2) | 2.5   | (0.3) | 0.5   | (0.1) | 7.5                                | (0.5)   | 71.6 | (2.0)   | 74.9 | (2.0)       | 68.5 | (2.4)                            | 83.6 | (2.1) |
| Poland               | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m                                  | m   | m    | m       | m    | m           | m    | m                                | m    | m     |
| Portugal             | 1.1  | (0.2) | 2.5   | (0.3) | 1.5   | (0.3) | 9.1                                | (0.6)   | 77.4 | (2.3)   | 75.8 | (2.4)       | 65.4 | (2.6)                            | 84.8 | (2.1) |
| Slovak Republic      | 3.6  | (0.4) | 1.7   | (0.3) | 1.3   | (0.2) | 17.6                               | (0.9)   | 80.3 | (1.3)   | 80.0 | (1.5)       | 78.8 | (1.5)                            | 87.4 | (1.6) |
| Slovenia             | 1.8  | (0.2) | 2.0   | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 6.9                                | (0.4)   | 77.5 | (2.2)   | 75.4 | (2.0)       | 70.2 | (2.2)                            | 84.2 | (1.9) |
| Spain                | 1.4  | (0.2) | 2.8   | (0.4) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 8.5                                | (0.6)   | 73.9 | (2.2)   | 74.1 | (1.9)       | 63.8 | (2.3)                            | 82.3 | (2.1) |
| Sweden               | 1.9  | (0.3) | 2.4   | (0.3) | 0.6   | (0.2) | 9.5                                | (0.7)   | 69.9 | (2.3)   | 74.8 | (1.9)       | 65.4 | (2.0)                            | 83.7 | (1.9) |
| Switzerland          | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m                                  | m   | m    | m       | m    | m           | m    | m                                | m    | m     |
| Turkey               | 2.4  | (0.3) | 6.8   | (0.6) | 2.3   | (0.4) | 29.1                               | (1.8)   | 89.8 | (0.9)   | 89.4 | (1.0)       | 83.5 | (1.3)                            | 93.4 | (0.9) |
| United Kingdom       | 1.5  | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.3) | 1.2   | (0.2) | 7.9                                | (0.6)   | 69.8 | (1.9)   | 67.3 | (2.2)       | 59.1 | (2.2)                            | 78.7 | (2.4) |
| United States        | 0.8  | (0.2) | 2.5   | (0.3) | 1.3   | (0.3) | 11.1                               | (0.8)   | 74.3 | (2.4)   | 73.5 | (2.2)       | 58.8 | (2.5)                            | 82.1 | (2.3) |
| OECD average         | 1.7  | (0.1) | 2.4   | (0.1) | 1.0   | (0.0) | 11.4                               | (0.1)   | 74.4 | (0.4)   | 73.7 | (0.4)       | 67.0 | (0.4)                            | 82.9 | (0.4) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |   |       |   |       |                                    |   |      |         |      |             |      |                                  |      |       |
| Brazil               | 1.3  | (0.2) | 6.8   | (0.5) | 2.5   | (0.2) | 40.6                               | (1.1)   | 87.4 | (0.8)   | 89.1 | (0.9)       | 79.1 | (0.9)                            | 92.1 | (0.7) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 2.4  | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 1.2   | (0.2) | 9.6                                | (0.9)   | 83.8 | (1.8)   | 75.1 | (1.8)       | 81.0 | (1.9)                            | 88.5 | (2.0) |
| Bulgaria             | 3.1  | (0.3) | 2.5   | (0.3) | 2.2   | (0.3) | 27.7                               | (1.7)   | 90.3 | (0.9)   | 86.9 | (1.0)       | 82.8 | (1.3)                            | 93.6 | (0.7) |
| Colombia             | 0.4  | (0.1) | 7.2   | (0.5) | 1.8   | (0.3) | 34.7                               | (1.4)   | 87.0 | (0.9)   | 87.2 | (0.9)       | 75.7 | (1.1)                            | 90.7 | (0.9) |
| Costa Rica           | 1.1  | (0.2) | 6.1   | (0.5) | 2.3   | (0.4) | 27.0                               | (1.1)   | 75.6 | (1.4)   | 78.0 | (1.5)       | 65.5 | (1.6)                            | 81.8 | (1.6) |
| Croatia              | 1.2  | (0.2) | 4.3   | (0.4) | 1.4   | (0.3) | 12.9                               | (0.9)   | 79.6 | (1.9)   | 83.6 | (2.0)       | 69.8 | (1.9)                            | 88.9 | (1.7) |
| Cyprus*              | 3.2  | (0.4) | 5.4   | (0.4) | 1.2   | (0.2) | 23.3                               | (0.6)   | 81.1 | (1.5)   | 83.4 | (1.5)       | 76.2 | (1.3)                            | 89.2 | (1.4) |
| Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m                                  | m   | m    | m       | m    | m           | m    | m                                | m    | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 1.3  | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 3.6                                | (0.4)   | 67.8 | (3.4)   | 66.4 | (3.4)       | 60.2 | (3.5)                            | 78.4 | (3.7) |
| Lithuania            | 2.7  | (0.3) | 3.0   | (0.4) | 1.3   | (0.2) | 13.9                               | (0.8)   | 85.1 | (1.5)   | 81.5 | (1.5)       | 79.8 | (1.4)                            | 90.4 | (1.4) |
| Macao (China)        | 2.3  | (0.4) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 2.9                                | (0.4)   | 75.3 | (3.9)   | 68.2 | (2.7)       | 63.4 | (4.6)                            | 82.5 | (5.0) |
| Montenegro           | 3.4  | (0.4) | 7.5   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.2) | 30.9                               | (0.7)   | 88.1 | (0.9)   | 89.7 | (1.0)       | 84.1 | (1.2)                            | 93.6 | (0.9) |
| Peru                 | 1.6  | (0.2) | 4.9   | (0.6) | 2.0   | (0.3) | 43.0                               | (1.3)   | 86.4 | (0.9)   | 88.2 | (0.8)       | 80.6 | (1.0)                            | 92.0 | (0.7) |
| Qatar                | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m                                  | m   | m    | m       | m    | m           | m    | m                                | m    | m     |
| Russia               | 2.7  | (0.4) | 3.0   | (0.4) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 6.8                                | (0.6)   | 79.8 | (2.2)   | 80.8 | (2.4)       | 69.6 | (2.6)                            | 88.1 | (2.9) |
| Singapore            | 1.7  | (0.2) | 0.5   | (0.1) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 3.6                                | (0.3)   | 65.9 | (2.4)   | 60.5 | (2.5)       | 62.6 | (3.3)                            | 75.7 | (3.6) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 1.6  | (0.2) | 0.5   | (0.1) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 6.6                                | (0.5)   | 71.9 | (2.1)   | 63.1 | (2.5)       | 65.1 | (2.0)                            | 78.7 | (2.3) |
| Thailand             | 3.6  | (0.4) | 3.0   | (0.4) | 2.8   | (0.3) | 32.0                               | (1.4)   | 85.1 | (1.2)   | 82.5 | (1.5)       | 75.6 | (1.4)                            | 89.6 | (1.0) |
| Tunisia              | 2.9  | (0.4) | 3.8   | (0.4) | 5.2   | (0.6) | 55.1                               | (1.4)   | 95.0 | (0.8)   | 92.9 | (0.8)       | 92.6 | (0.8)                            | 96.3 | (0.6) |
| United Arab Emirates | 2.5  | (0.4) | 4.3   | (0.4) | 2.4   | (0.3) | 29.4                               | (1.0)   | 89.7 | (0.8)   | 89.8 | (1.0)       | 82.4 | (1.2)                            | 94.2 | (0.6) |
| Uruguay              | 1.3  | (0.2) | 5.0   | (0.4) | 2.5   | (0.3) | 27.5                               | (1.0)   | 84.9 | (1.0)   | 84.0 | (1.2)       | 76.0 | (1.1)                            | 89.3 | (1.1) |
| Malaysia**           | 3.2  | (0.5) | 2.8   | (0.3) | 2.2   | (0.4) | 23.1                               | (1.3)   | 89.4 | (1.1)   | 84.6 | (1.6)       | 83.2 | (1.5)                            | 92.6 | (1.2) |

1. Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, science, reading or mathematics score below Level 2 in the subject.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

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**Table V.3.9a** Relative performance in collaborative problem solving

Based on residual scores after accounting for performance in the core PISA subjects in regressions involving all OECD and partner countries/economies

|                      | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving based on performance in... |       |  |       |                        |       |   |       |                        |       |   |       |                                  |       |   |       |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|-------|------------------------|-------|---|-------|------------------------|-------|---|-------|----------------------------------|-------|---|-------|
|                      | Science  |       |  |       | Reading                |       |   |       | Mathematics            |       |   |       | Science, reading and mathematics |       |   |       |
|                      | Average relative score <sup>1</sup>  |       | Percentage of students who score higher than expected <sup>2,3</sup> |       | Average relative score |       | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |       | Average relative score |       | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |       | Average relative score           |       | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |       |
|                      | Score dif.   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | Score dif.             | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.             | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.                       | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          | <b>21</b>  | (1.6) | <b>62.2</b>  | (1.0) | <b>26</b>              | (1.5) | <b>64.7</b>   | (0.9) | <b>33</b>              | (1.9) | <b>66.7</b>   | (1.1) | <b>23</b>                        | (1.5) | <b>63.4</b>   | (1.0) |
| Australia            | 21   | (1.6) | 62.2   | (1.0) | 26                     | (1.5) | 64.7  | (0.9) | 33                     | (1.9) | 66.7  | (1.1) | 23                               | (1.5) | 63.4  | (1.0) |
| Austria              | 11   | (1.8) | 57.6   | (1.2) | 18                     | (2.1) | 61.5  | (1.4) | 9                      | (2.1) | 55.3  | (1.4) | 13                               | (1.8) | 58.6  | (1.3) |
| Belgium              | -3   | (1.5) | 48.6   | (1.0) | -1                     | (1.5) | 49.6  | (1.0) | -7                     | (1.6) | 45.7  | (0.9) | -4                               | (1.4) | 47.5  | (0.9) |
| Canada               | 11   | (1.6) | 56.8   | (1.0) | 12                     | (1.9) | 57.1  | (1.1) | 21                     | (1.9) | 60.5  | (1.1) | 10                               | (1.6) | 56.1  | (1.1) |
| Chile                | -2   | (2.0) | 48.7   | (1.5) | -14                    | (2.0) | 39.9  | (1.5) | 11                     | (2.1) | 57.9  | (1.7) | -3                               | (1.9) | 47.6  | (1.5) |
| Czech Republic       | 2  | (1.8) | 51.7   | (1.3) | 5                      | (1.9) | 53.1  | (1.2) | 1                      | (1.7) | 50.7  | (1.1) | 3                                | (1.7) | 51.8  | (1.2) |
| Denmark              | 16   | (1.6) | 61.5   | (1.2) | 17                     | (1.9) | 61.0  | (1.3) | 8                      | (2.0) | 55.4  | (1.3) | 14                               | (1.7) | 60.3  | (1.1) |
| Estonia              | 6  | (1.7) | 54.7   | (1.5) | 18                     | (2.0) | 61.9  | (1.6) | 18                     | (1.8) | 61.6  | (1.2) | 8                                | (1.7) | 56.6  | (1.4) |
| Finland              | 7  | (1.8) | 54.9   | (1.3) | 11                     | (1.9) | 56.7  | (1.2) | 22                     | (2.1) | 63.0  | (1.3) | 7                                | (1.7) | 54.9  | (1.3) |
| France               | -4   | (2.0) | 47.8   | (1.3) | -8                     | (1.7) | 45.2  | (1.3) | -4                     | (2.2) | 48.1  | (1.5) | -7                               | (1.9) | 46.0  | (1.3) |
| Germany              | 15   | (1.9) | 59.3   | (1.2) | 15                     | (2.0) | 58.4  | (1.2) | 17                     | (2.2) | 59.5  | (1.2) | 14                               | (1.8) | 58.3  | (1.3) |
| Greece               | -7   | (1.7) | 45.3   | (1.3) | -19                    | (1.8) | 37.6  | (1.2) | -10                    | (2.0) | 44.5  | (1.4) | -10                              | (1.6) | 42.6  | (1.3) |
| Hungary              | -11  | (1.3) | 42.0   | (1.1) | -8                     | (1.6) | 45.1  | (1.2) | -14                    | (1.7) | 41.6  | (1.2) | -10                              | (1.3) | 42.9  | (1.1) |
| Iceland              | 19   | (1.7) | 62.2   | (1.3) | 11                     | (1.7) | 56.7  | (1.2) | 5                      | (2.0) | 53.2  | (1.3) | 15                               | (1.6) | 59.9  | (1.3) |
| Ireland              | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                                | m     | m   | m     |
| Israel               | -7   | (1.7) | 44.3   | (1.2) | -17                    | (1.8) | 39.0  | (1.2) | -12                    | (2.2) | 42.6  | (1.4) | -11                              | (1.6) | 42.2  | (1.2) |
| Italy                | -8   | (1.9) | 44.6   | (1.3) | -14                    | (2.1) | 42.3  | (1.3) | -18                    | (2.4) | 40.2  | (1.3) | -11                              | (1.8) | 42.8  | (1.3) |
| Japan                | 19   | (1.8) | 62.9   | (1.2) | 37                     | (1.7) | 74.1  | (1.1) | 24                     | (2.0) | 65.7  | (1.2) | 23                               | (1.6) | 65.9  | (1.2) |
| Korea                | 24   | (1.8) | 66.6   | (1.3) | 22                     | (1.9) | 65.8  | (1.4) | 17                     | (2.1) | 61.7  | (1.5) | 20                               | (1.8) | 65.4  | (1.4) |
| Latvia               | -9   | (1.7) | 44.2   | (1.3) | -9                     | (1.9) | 44.0  | (1.5) | -5                     | (1.6) | 47.3  | (1.3) | -9                               | (1.7) | 43.8  | (1.4) |
| Luxembourg           | 3  | (1.5) | 52.2   | (1.2) | 2                      | (1.4) | 51.6  | (1.1) | -2                     | (1.7) | 49.2  | (1.1) | 2                                | (1.4) | 51.4  | (1.3) |
| Mexico               | -1   | (1.7) | 49.4   | (1.2) | -11                    | (1.6) | 41.6  | (1.1) | -2                     | (1.8) | 49.0  | (1.2) | -1                               | (1.6) | 49.1  | (1.2) |
| Netherlands          | 9  | (1.6) | 55.6   | (1.3) | 12                     | (1.8) | 58.2  | (1.4) | 5                      | (1.9) | 53.6  | (1.4) | 8                                | (1.5) | 55.5  | (1.3) |
| New Zealand          | 20   | (1.8) | 62.4   | (1.1) | 23                     | (2.1) | 62.9  | (1.3) | 33                     | (1.9) | 67.3  | (1.1) | 20                               | (1.8) | 62.8  | (1.1) |
| Norway               | 2  | (1.9) | 50.9   | (1.3) | -11                    | (2.3) | 43.5  | (1.5) | -2                     | (2.1) | 49.0  | (1.2) | -5                               | (2.0) | 46.9  | (1.5) |
| Poland               | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                                | m     | m   | m     |
| Portugal             | -5   | (2.0) | 47.0   | (1.5) | -4                     | (2.3) | 47.7  | (1.6) | 1                      | (2.0) | 51.0  | (1.3) | -5                               | (2.0) | 46.8  | (1.6) |
| Slovak Republic      | -8   | (1.7) | 45.2   | (1.2) | -4                     | (1.8) | 47.0  | (1.2) | -22                    | (1.9) | 37.4  | (1.2) | -7                               | (1.6) | 45.4  | (1.2) |
| Slovenia             | -10  | (1.7) | 43.9   | (1.1) | -5                     | (1.6) | 47.1  | (1.1) | -9                     | (1.7) | 45.4  | (1.0) | -10                              | (1.6) | 43.8  | (1.1) |
| Spain                | 0  | (1.5) | 50.6   | (1.3) | -3                     | (1.6) | 48.2  | (1.1) | 4                      | (1.8) | 52.7  | (1.4) | -1                               | (1.5) | 49.2  | (1.3) |
| Sweden               | 13   | (2.0) | 58.4   | (1.3) | 7                      | (2.1) | 54.5  | (1.5) | 11                     | (2.0) | 56.9  | (1.4) | 9                                | (1.9) | 56.7  | (1.3) |
| Switzerland          | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                                | m     | m   | m     |
| Turkey               | -20  | (1.5) | 34.9   | (1.2) | -26                    | (1.8) | 31.9  | (1.3) | -22                    | (1.8) | 35.4  | (1.3) | -19                              | (1.5) | 34.9  | (1.3) |
| United Kingdom       | 10   | (1.9) | 56.1   | (1.3) | 18                     | (2.4) | 60.3  | (1.6) | 22                     | (2.2) | 61.8  | (1.4) | 12                               | (2.0) | 57.8  | (1.3) |
| United States        | 21   | (2.2) | 63.6   | (1.5) | 20                     | (2.4) | 61.6  | (1.6) | 40                     | (2.6) | 71.0  | (1.4) | 22                               | (2.1) | 63.9  | (1.4) |
| OECD average         | 4  | (0.3) | 52.7   | (0.2) | 4                      | (0.3) | 52.2  | (0.2) | 5                      | (0.4) | 53.2  | (0.2) | 3                                | (0.3) | 52.2  | (0.2) |
| <b>Partners</b>      | <b>-10</b>   | (1.5) | <b>42.7</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-21</b>             | (1.9) | <b>36.5</b>   | (1.2) | 0                      | (2.0) | 49.5  | (1.4) | <b>-9</b>                        | (1.5) | <b>43.8</b>   | (1.2) |
| Brazil               | -10  | (1.5) | 42.7   | (1.2) | -21                    | (1.9) | 36.5  | (1.2) | 0                      | (2.0) | 49.5  | (1.4) | -9                               | (1.5) | 43.8  | (1.2) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | -20  | (1.8) | 36.4   | (1.2) | -2                     | (2.0) | 48.6  | (1.5) | -30                    | (2.0) | 31.7  | (1.3) | -17                              | (1.8) | 38.3  | (1.3) |
| Bulgaria             | -14  | (1.5) | 39.5   | (1.2) | -7                     | (1.5) | 45.5  | (1.2) | -15                    | (2.0) | 40.5  | (1.3) | -10                              | (1.4) | 42.9  | (1.2) |
| Colombia             | -5   | (1.3) | 46.1   | (1.3) | -16                    | (1.5) | 38.3  | (1.2) | 8                      | (1.4) | 55.6  | (1.1) | -4                               | (1.2) | 46.6  | (1.2) |
| Costa Rica           | 4  | (1.9) | 52.6   | (1.6) | -6                     | (2.0) | 45.4  | (1.4) | 12                     | (2.3) | 57.5  | (1.6) | 4                                | (1.9) | 53.2  | (1.5) |
| Croatia              | -9   | (1.4) | 44.0   | (1.0) | -20                    | (1.7) | 36.6  | (1.3) | -4                     | (1.7) | 47.9  | (1.2) | -12                              | (1.4) | 41.2  | (1.0) |
| Cyprus*              | -4   | (1.6) | 47.7   | (1.1) | -15                    | (1.6) | 40.5  | (1.1) | -12                    | (1.8) | 43.1  | (1.2) | -6                               | (1.5) | 46.0  | (1.2) |
| Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                                | m     | m   | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 20   | (2.0) | 63.7   | (1.4) | 17                     | (1.8) | 61.8  | (1.3) | 2                      | (2.0) | 52.0  | (1.3) | 15                               | (1.8) | 60.6  | (1.4) |
| Lithuania            | -15  | (1.5) | 39.4   | (1.2) | -14                    | (1.5) | 40.5  | (1.0) | -20                    | (1.6) | 37.9  | (1.2) | -15                              | (1.4) | 39.1  | (1.1) |
| Macao (China)        | 9  | (1.1) | 56.9   | (0.9) | 24                     | (1.0) | 67.1  | (0.9) | -2                     | (1.4) | 50.1  | (1.0) | 11                               | (1.0) | 58.3  | (0.9) |
| Montenegro           | -15  | (1.2) | 39.2   | (1.2) | -32                    | (1.5) | 29.5  | (1.1) | -26                    | (1.3) | 33.1  | (1.0) | -18                              | (1.2) | 36.4  | (1.1) |
| Peru                 | -1   | (1.6) | 49.0   | (1.4) | -7                     | (1.7) | 44.5  | (1.4) | -1                     | (1.8) | 49.0  | (1.3) | 2                                | (1.5) | 51.1  | (1.5) |
| Qatar                | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                      | m     | m   | m     | m                                | m     | m   | m     |
| Russia               | -18  | (2.3) | 39.1   | (1.5) | -25                    | (2.1) | 35.4  | (1.4) | -25                    | (2.8) | 37.2  | (1.6) | -22                              | (2.1) | 36.5  | (1.5) |
| Singapore            | 15   | (1.0) | 60.3   | (0.9) | 32                     | (1.1) | 70.4  | (1.0) | 11                     | (1.2) | 57.0  | (1.0) | 16                               | (0.9) | 61.4  | (0.9) |
| Chinese Taipei       | -1   | (2.0) | 49.1   | (1.5) | 26                     | (2.0) | 67.8  | (1.3) | -8                     | (2.1) | 45.1  | (1.3) | 5                                | (1.9) | 53.7  | (1.5) |
| Thailand             | -3   | (2.0) | 47.8   | (1.6) | 2                      | (2.0) | 51.3  | (1.6) | -5                     | (2.6) | 47.1  | (1.6) | 2                                | (1.9) | 51.6  | (1.5) |
| Tunisia              | -29  | (1.6) | 26.7   | (1.2) | -15                    | (2.2) | 38.4  | (1.6) | -23                    | (2.0) | 33.7  | (1.3) | -18                              | (1.7) | 35.3  | (1.5) |
| United Arab Emirates | -16  | (1.4) | 38.5   | (1.1) | -17                    | (1.8) | 38.1  | (1.4) | -14                    | (1.8) | 40.8  | (1.2) | -14                              | (1.5) | 39.6  | (1.3) |
| Uruguay              | -7   | (1.4) | 44.6   | (1.2) | -12                    | (1.8) | 42.2  | (1.3) | 0                      | (1.9) | 50.0  | (1.3) | -6                               | (1.5) | 45.7  | (1.2) |
| Malaysia**           | -16  | (1.8) | 36.9   | (1.5) | -10                    | (2.0) | 42.4  | (1.5) | -23                    | (2.3) | 33.6  | (1.7) | -13                              | (1.7) | 39.6  | (1.5) |

1. Relative scores are the residuals obtained from a pooled linear regression, across all participating countries/economies, of performance in collaborative problem solving over performance in science, reading and/or mathematics.

2. Students who score higher than expected are those with positive relative scores.

3. The percentage of students who score higher than expected is bolded when it differs significantly from 50%.

4. Top performers in science, reading or mathematics are those who attain Level 5 or above in those subjects.

5. Low achievers in science, reading or mathematics are those who attain below Level 2 in those subjects.

Notes: Students in PISA 2015 completed four clusters of test material: two in science and two distributed among reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving. Hence, no student completed all four of science, reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving. Scores were imputed in the domains in which students were not tested.

Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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**Table V.3.9a Relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

Based on residual scores after accounting for performance in the core PISA subjects in regressions involving all OECD and partner countries/economies

|                 | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving based on performance among top performers <sup>4</sup> in... |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |                   |   |                   | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving based on performance among low achievers <sup>5</sup> in... |                   |   |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |            |
|-----------------|--|-------------------|--|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------|---|-------------------|---|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------|------------|
|                 | Science  |                   |  |                   | Reading                |                   |   |                   | Mathematics            |                   |   |                   | Science   |                   |   |                   | Reading                |                   |   |                   | Mathematics            |                   |   |                   |            |
|                 | Average relative score <sup>1</sup>  |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected <sup>2,3</sup> |                   | Average relative score |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |                   | Average relative score |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |                   | Average relative score  |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |                   | Average relative score |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |                   | Average relative score |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |                   |            |
|                 | Score dif.   | S.E.              | %  | S.E.              | Score dif.             | S.E.              | %   | S.E.              | Score dif.             | S.E.              | %   | S.E.              | Score dif.  | S.E.              | %   | S.E.              | Score dif.             | S.E.              | %   | S.E.              | Score dif.             | S.E.              | %   | S.E.              |            |
| <b>OECD</b>     | <b>11</b> (3.3)  | <b>56.7</b> (2.3) | <b>22</b> (3.3)  | <b>62.8</b> (2.1) | <b>30</b> (3.8)        | <b>66.4</b> (2.1) | <b>19</b> (2.8)                                       | <b>59.5</b> (2.0) | <b>20</b> (2.4)        | <b>60.0</b> (1.6) | <b>22</b> (2.9)                                       | <b>60.3</b> (1.8) | <b>11</b> (3.1)   | <b>58.0</b> (2.2) | <b>20</b> (3.2)                                       | <b>62.8</b> (2.3) | <b>8</b> (3.7)         | <b>54.0</b> (2.1) | <b>11</b> (3.1)                                       | <b>58.0</b> (2.2) | <b>20</b> (3.2)        | <b>62.8</b> (2.3) | <b>8</b> (3.7)  | <b>54.0</b> (2.1) |            |
| Australia       | 2 (3.8)  | 52.1 (3.3)        | 13 (4.8)   | 58.2 (4.0)        | 4 (4.4)                | 52.5 (3.0)        | 11 (3.1)  | 58.0 (2.2)        | 20 (3.2)               | 62.8 (2.3)        | 8 (3.7)   | 54.0 (2.1)        | 1 (2.5)   | 51.0 (1.9)        | 1 (3.0)   | 50.8 (1.8)        | -10 (2.9)              | 44.2 (2.0)        | 1 (2.5)   | 51.0 (1.9)        | 1 (3.0)                | 50.8 (1.8)        | -10 (2.9)   | 44.2 (2.0)        |            |
| Austria         | 15 (3.6)   | 58.6 (2.4)        | 20 (3.1)   | 61.7 (2.0)        | 21 (3.7)               | 61.3 (1.9)        | 2 (3.1)   | 50.8 (2.3)        | 0 (3.8)                | 49.4 (2.3)        | 9 (2.8)   | 53.7 (1.9)        | -26 (7.2)   | 30.3 (6.4)        | -28 (5.4)   | 30.0 (4.9)        | -15 (8.4)              | 38.4 (7.5)        | 2 (2.6)   | 51.2 (2.2)        | -8 (2.4)               | 43.5 (2.1)        | 14 (2.4)  | 59.3 (2.0)        |            |
| Belgium         | -15 (3.2)  | 39.8 (2.5)        | -7 (3.5)   | 45.6 (2.8)        | -12 (3.2)              | 42.8 (2.1)        | 1 (2.5)   | 51.0 (1.9)        | 1 (3.0)                | 50.8 (1.8)        | -10 (2.9)   | 44.2 (2.0)        | 10 (3.1)  | 56.5 (2.9)        | 18 (3.7)  | 60.3 (2.6)        | 4 (3.6)                | 51.4 (2.4)        | 10 (3.1)  | 56.5 (2.9)        | 18 (3.7)               | 60.3 (2.6)        | 4 (3.6)   | 51.4 (2.4)        |            |
| Canada          | 3 (4.3)  | 53.1 (3.3)        | 12 (6.3)   | 58.8 (4.2)        | 8 (3.6)                | 56.3 (2.8)        | 18 (2.8)  | 62.5 (2.6)        | 19 (3.1)               | 62.2 (2.4)        | 4 (4.0)   | 52.5 (2.8)        | 3 (3.2)   | 53.1 (2.9)        | 15 (4.1)  | 61.0 (3.1)        | 21 (4.3)               | 64.0 (3.7)        | 4 (4.4)   | 53.7 (3.7)        | 17 (4.0)               | 62.3 (3.0)        | 8 (4.0)   | 54.6 (2.9)        |            |
| Chile           | 7 (3.4)  | 54.0 (2.8)        | 16 (4.7)   | 59.7 (3.3)        | 35 (4.9)               | 70.6 (3.6)        | -1 (4.2)  | 49.3 (3.2)        | 4 (4.9)                | 52.5 (3.2)        | -1 (4.4)  | 49.5 (3.3)        | -16 (4.5)   | 40.1 (3.0)        | -28 (5.0)   | 33.9 (2.8)        | -12 (4.3)              | 43.1 (2.5)        | -1 (3.2)  | 49.7 (2.5)        | 5 (3.3)                | 52.8 (2.3)        | -7 (3.1)  | 45.2 (2.0)        |            |
| Czech Republic  | -24 (4.6)  | 34.0 (3.8)        | -20 (4.3)  | 37.9 (3.2)        | -13 (4.3)              | 42.2 (3.1)        | 10 (3.1)  | 56.5 (2.9)        | 18 (3.7)               | 60.3 (2.6)        | 4 (3.6)   | 51.4 (2.4)        | 3 (4.3)   | 53.1 (3.3)        | 12 (6.3)  | 58.8 (4.2)        | 8 (3.6)                | 56.3 (2.8)        | 18 (2.8)  | 62.5 (2.6)        | 19 (3.1)               | 62.2 (2.4)        | 4 (4.0)   | 52.5 (2.8)        |            |
| Denmark         | 3 (3.2)  | 53.1 (2.9)        | 15 (4.1)   | 61.0 (3.1)        | 21 (4.3)               | 64.0 (3.7)        | 4 (4.4)   | 53.7 (3.7)        | 17 (4.0)               | 62.3 (3.0)        | 8 (4.0)   | 54.6 (2.9)        | 7 (3.4)   | 54.0 (2.8)        | 16 (4.7)  | 59.7 (3.3)        | 35 (4.9)               | 70.6 (3.6)        | -1 (4.2)  | 49.3 (3.2)        | 4 (4.9)                | 52.5 (3.2)        | -1 (4.4)  | 49.5 (3.3)        |            |
| Estonia         | -16 (4.5)  | 40.1 (3.0)        | -28 (5.0)  | 33.9 (2.8)        | -12 (4.3)              | 43.1 (2.5)        | -1 (3.2)  | 49.7 (2.5)        | 5 (3.3)                | 52.8 (2.3)        | -7 (3.1)  | 45.2 (2.0)        | 8 (3.6)   | 54.9 (2.4)        | 9 (3.9)   | 55.2 (3.0)        | 22 (3.8)               | 63.4 (2.6)        | 19 (3.6)  | 60.5 (2.6)        | 21 (4.3)               | 60.6 (2.5)        | 11 (4.0)  | 54.8 (2.6)        |            |
| Finland         | -18 (7.9)  | 36.5 (6.2)        | -31 (4.5)  | 29.2 (4.5)        | -15 (6.2)              | 40.3 (5.5)        | -6 (3.5)  | 45.9 (2.6)        | -11 (3.8)              | 42.3 (2.7)        | -12 (3.7)   | 43.1 (2.3)        | -15 (5.1)   | 39.4 (4.9)        | -12 (5.7)   | 41.8 (4.6)        | -18 (4.7)              | 38.2 (3.7)        | -13 (3.0)   | 40.6 (2.4)        | -9 (3.6)               | 43.9 (2.5)        | -17 (3.0)   | 38.9 (1.7)        |            |
| France          | 6 (9.9)  | 54.1 (8.7)        | 3 (6.8)  | 52.0 (5.2)        | 0 (6.2)                | 50.0 (5.6)        | 20 (3.4)  | 62.3 (2.4)        | 20 (3.6)               | 61.7 (2.7)        | 8 (4.6)   | 54.2 (3.0)        | m   | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m          |
| Germany         | m  | m                 | m  | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m   | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m          |
| Greece          | -16 (4.4)  | 39.3 (3.2)        | -24 (4.4)  | 35.0 (3.2)        | -13 (5.4)              | 42.9 (3.4)        | -4 (3.4)  | 44.5 (2.6)        | -8 (3.3)               | 42.6 (2.2)        | -14 (3.4)   | 39.0 (2.2)        | -19 (5.8)   | 38.2 (4.7)        | -29 (5.2)   | 33.0 (4.2)        | -34 (4.0)              | 30.9 (2.5)        | -4 (4.2)  | 47.3 (2.8)        | -5 (4.2)               | 47.6 (2.5)        | -11 (4.6)   | 43.8 (3.0)        |            |
| Hungary         | 6 (9.9)  | 54.1 (8.7)        | 3 (6.8)  | 52.0 (5.2)        | 0 (6.2)                | 50.0 (5.6)        | 20 (3.4)  | 62.3 (2.4)        | 20 (3.6)               | 61.7 (2.7)        | 8 (4.6)   | 54.2 (3.0)        | -8 (3.6)  | 43.6 (2.9)        | 18 (4.2)  | 63.3 (3.0)        | 7 (3.4)                | 55.2 (2.7)        | 36 (5.1)  | 72.8 (2.9)        | 48 (4.1)               | 77.9 (2.5)        | 35 (5.6)  | 70.1 (3.2)        |            |
| Iceland         | -5 (4.1)   | 45.2 (3.6)        | 2 (3.6)  | 51.6 (3.6)        | -6 (3.6)               | 47.1 (2.7)        | 36 (3.7)  | 73.4 (2.3)        | 35 (3.4)               | 73.5 (2.5)        | 33 (3.8)  | 70.1 (2.4)        | -12 (6.2)   | 41.3 (5.3)        | -11 (7.7)   | 43.2 (7.1)        | -5 (5.8)               | 46.8 (4.6)        | -13 (3.5)   | 41.0 (3.0)        | -10 (3.9)              | 43.0 (3.1)        | -9 (4.6)  | 44.1 (3.8)        |            |
| Ireland         | -16 (4.4)  | 39.3 (3.2)        | -24 (4.4)  | 35.0 (3.2)        | -13 (5.4)              | 42.9 (3.4)        | -4 (3.4)  | 44.5 (2.6)        | -8 (3.3)               | 42.6 (2.2)        | -14 (3.4)   | 39.0 (2.2)        | -8 (5.9)  | 44.5 (4.1)        | -2 (6.6)  | 47.8 (4.6)        | 1 (5.5)                | 49.5 (4.0)        | 5 (2.5)   | 53.0 (1.8)        | -8 (2.7)               | 55.1 (1.7)        | -8 (3.1)  | 44.8 (2.2)        |            |
| Israel          | -19 (5.8)  | 38.2 (4.7)        | -29 (5.2)  | 33.0 (4.2)        | -34 (4.0)              | 30.9 (2.5)        | -4 (4.2)  | 47.3 (2.8)        | -5 (4.2)               | 47.6 (2.5)        | -11 (4.6)   | 43.8 (3.0)        | -8 (3.6)  | 43.6 (2.9)        | 18 (4.2)  | 63.3 (3.0)        | 7 (3.4)                | 55.2 (2.7)        | 36 (5.1)  | 72.8 (2.9)        | 48 (4.1)               | 77.9 (2.5)        | 35 (5.6)  | 70.1 (3.2)        |            |
| Italy           | -8 (3.6)   | 43.6 (2.9)        | 18 (4.2)   | 63.3 (3.0)        | 7 (3.4)                | 55.2 (2.7)        | 36 (5.1)  | 72.8 (2.9)        | 48 (4.1)               | 77.9 (2.5)        | 35 (5.6)  | 70.1 (3.2)        | -5 (4.2)  | 45.2 (3.6)        | 2 (3.6)   | 51.6 (3.6)        | -6 (3.6)               | 47.1 (2.7)        | 36 (3.7)  | 73.4 (2.3)        | 35 (3.4)               | 73.5 (2.5)        | 33 (3.8)  | 70.1 (2.4)        |            |
| Japan           | -5 (4.1)   | 45.2 (3.6)        | 2 (3.6)  | 51.6 (3.6)        | -6 (3.6)               | 47.1 (2.7)        | 36 (3.7)  | 73.4 (2.3)        | 35 (3.4)               | 73.5 (2.5)        | 33 (3.8)  | 70.1 (2.4)        | -12 (6.2)   | 41.3 (5.3)        | -11 (7.7)   | 43.2 (7.1)        | -5 (5.8)               | 46.8 (4.6)        | -13 (3.5)   | 41.0 (3.0)        | -10 (3.9)              | 43.0 (3.1)        | -9 (4.6)  | 44.1 (3.8)        |            |
| Korea           | -12 (6.2)  | 41.3 (5.3)        | -11 (7.7)  | 43.2 (7.1)        | -5 (5.8)               | 46.8 (4.6)        | -13 (3.5)   | 41.0 (3.0)        | -10 (3.9)              | 43.0 (3.1)        | -9 (4.6)  | 44.1 (3.8)        | -8 (5.9)  | 44.5 (4.1)        | -2 (6.6)  | 47.8 (4.6)        | 1 (5.5)                | 49.5 (4.0)        | 5 (2.5)   | 53.0 (1.8)        | -8 (2.7)               | 55.1 (1.7)        | -8 (3.1)  | 44.8 (2.2)        |            |
| Latvia          | -8 (5.9)   | 44.5 (4.1)        | -2 (6.6)   | 47.8 (4.6)        | 1 (5.5)                | 49.5 (4.0)        | 5 (2.5)   | 53.0 (1.8)        | -8 (2.7)               | 55.1 (1.7)        | -8 (3.1)  | 44.8 (2.2)        | -26 (15.2)  | 26.7 (19.1)       | -18 (14.6)  | 34.4 (14.2)       | -19 (14.6)             | 39.0 (14.5)       | -4 (2.2)  | 46.4 (1.6)        | -11 (2.6)              | 41.8 (1.7)        | -1 (2.3)  | 49.4 (1.6)        |            |
| Luxembourg      | -6 (4.5)   | 46.3 (3.5)        | 12 (4.1)   | 57.7 (3.2)        | 12 (3.7)               | 58.7 (2.7)        | 18 (3.7)  | 60.5 (2.4)        | 16 (3.3)               | 58.9 (2.5)        | 2 (4.4)   | 50.6 (3.1)        | 11 (4.0)  | 57.4 (2.8)        | 19 (4.7)  | 61.1 (3.3)        | 35 (4.2)               | 69.5 (2.8)        | 17 (4.2)  | 59.5 (2.5)        | 21 (4.2)               | 61.6 (2.7)        | 22 (4.0)  | 60.4 (2.4)        |            |
| Mexico          | -15 (5.2)  | 39.7 (3.8)        | -22 (4.0)  | 36.8 (3.0)        | -2 (4.7)               | 49.0 (3.4)        | 12 (3.5)  | 56.9 (2.7)        | 3 (4.3)                | 51.1 (2.8)        | -5 (3.5)  | 47.0 (2.3)        | -17 (4.5)   | 37.2 (3.6)        | -11 (4.5)   | 42.5 (3.6)        | -16 (3.7)              | 40.2 (2.9)        | -3 (3.7)  | 48.1 (2.7)        | -1 (3.7)               | 48.3 (2.4)        | 8 (3.3)   | 55.1 (2.5)        |            |
| Netherlands     | m  | m                 | m  | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m   | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m          |
| Norway          | -17 (4.5)  | 37.2 (3.6)        | -11 (4.5)  | 42.5 (3.6)        | -16 (3.7)              | 40.2 (2.9)        | -3 (3.7)  | 48.1 (2.7)        | -1 (3.7)               | 48.3 (2.4)        | 8 (3.3)   | 55.1 (2.5)        | -33 (6.6)   | 31.2 (4.3)        | -18 (6.9)   | 38.1 (5.8)        | -37 (4.1)              | 29.4 (2.8)        | 4 (2.7)   | 52.4 (2.1)        | 8 (2.7)                | 53.7 (1.6)        | -14 (2.9)   | 41.4 (1.9)        |            |
| New Zealand     | -31 (5.0)  | 30.8 (3.4)        | -11 (4.1)  | 42.8 (3.8)        | -16 (4.8)              | 40.9 (4.1)        | -2 (3.3)  | 48.5 (2.8)        | 0 (3.2)                | 48.9 (2.4)        | -8 (3.4)  | 44.8 (2.4)        | -17 (5.5)   | 38.5 (4.4)        | -16 (6.1)   | 40.6 (5.9)        | -11 (4.3)              | 44.1 (4.1)        | 6 (3.0)   | 53.9 (2.2)        | 2 (3.0)                | 50.5 (2.3)        | 7 (3.3)   | 54.2 (2.4)        |            |
| Norway          | -3 (4.5)   | 46.3 (3.5)        | 12 (4.1)   | 57.7 (3.2)        | 12 (3.7)               | 58.7 (2.7)        | 18 (3.7)  | 60.5 (2.4)        | 16 (3.3)               | 58.9 (2.5)        | 2 (4.4)   | 50.6 (3.1)        | -3 (4.5)  | 48.4 (4.0)        | 5 (4.1)   | 53.2 (2.9)        | 14 (5.5)               | 59.6 (4.2)        | 20 (3.5)  | 61.7 (2.3)        | 9 (3.8)                | 55.1 (2.6)        | 6 (3.1)   | 52.4 (2.0)        |            |
| Poland          | -45 (18.0)   | 18.0 (14.0)       | -52 (13.1)   | 14.8 (11.4)       | -55 (10.4)             | 14.4 (7.3)        | -17 (2.2)   | 37.2 (2.0)        | -19 (2.9)              | 35.8 (2.2)        | -17 (2.5)   | 38.2 (1.9)        | 6 (3.6)   | 43.6 (2.9)        | 18 (4.2)  | 63.3 (3.0)        | 7 (3.4)                | 55.2 (2.7)        | 36 (5.1)  | 72.8 (2.9)        | 48 (4.1)               | 77.9 (2.5)        | 35 (5.6)  | 70.1 (3.2)        |            |
| Portugal        | 6 (3.6)  | 53.5 (2.7)        | 20 (5.5)   | 62.2 (3.9)        | 22 (5.1)               | 63.2 (2.9)        | 12 (3.2)  | 56.2 (2.5)        | 15 (3.8)               | 58.2 (2.5)        | 19 (3.4)  | 60.1 (2.2)        | -17 (4.5)   | 37.2 (3.6)        | -11 (4.5)   | 42.5 (3.6)        | -16 (3.7)              | 40.2 (2.9)        | -3 (3.7)  | 48.1 (2.7)        | -1 (3.7)               | 48.3 (2.4)        | 8 (3.3)   | 55.1 (2.5)        |            |
| Slovak Republic | -31 (5.0)  | 30.8 (3.4)        | -11 (4.1)  | 42.8 (3.8)        | -16 (4.8)              | 40.9 (4.1)        | -2 (3.3)  | 48.5 (2.8)        | 0 (3.2)                | 48.9 (2.4)        | -8 (3.4)  | 44.8 (2.4)        | -3 (4.5)  | 48.4 (4.0)        | 5 (4.1)   | 53.2 (2.9)        | 14 (5.5)               | 59.6 (4.2)        | 20 (3.5)  | 61.7 (2.3)        | 9 (3.8)                | 55.1 (2.6)        | 6 (3.1)   | 52.4 (2.0)        |            |
| Slovenia        | -17 (5.5)  | 38.5 (4.4)        | -16 (6.1)  | 40.6 (5.9)        | -11 (4.3)              | 44.1 (4.1)        | 6 (3.0)   | 53.9 (2.2)        | 2 (3.0)                | 50.5 (2.3)        | 7 (3.3)   | 54.2 (2.4)        | -45 (18.0)  | 18.0 (14.0)       | -52 (13.1)  | 14.8 (11.4)       | -55 (10.4)             | 14.4 (7.3)        | -17 (2.2)   | 37.2 (2.0)        | -19 (2.9)              | 35.8 (2.2)        | -17 (2.5)   | 38.2 (1.9)        |            |
| Spain           | -3 (4.5)   | 46.3 (3.5)        | 12 (4.1)   | 57.7 (3.2)        | 12 (3.7)               | 58.7 (2.7)        | 18 (3.7)  | 60.5 (2.4)        | 16 (3.3)               | 58.9 (2.5)        | 2 (4.4)   | 50.6 (3.1)        | 6 (9.9)   | 54.1 (8.7)        | 3 (6.8)   | 52.0 (5.2)        | 0 (6.2)                | 50.0 (5.6)        | 20 (3.4)  | 62.3 (2.4)        | 20 (3.6)               | 61.7 (2.7)        | 8 (4.6)   | 54.2 (3.0)        |            |
| Sweden          | m  | m                 | m  | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m   | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m                      | m                 | m   | m                 | m          |
| Switzerland     | -45 (18.0)   | 18.0 (14.0)       | -52 (13.1)   | 14.8 (11.4)       | -55 (10.4)             | 14.4 (7.3)        | -17 (2.2)   | 37.2 (2.0)        | -19 (2.9)              | 35.8 (2.2)        | -17 (2.5)   | 38.2 (1.9)        | 6 (3.6)   | 43.6 (2.9)        | 18 (4.2)  | 63.3 (3.0)        | 7 (3.4)                | 55.2 (2.7)        | 36 (5.1)  | 72.8 (2.9)        | 48 (4.1)               | 77.9 (2.5)        | 35 (5.6)  | 70.1 (3.2)        |            |
| Turkey          | 6 (3.6)  | 53.5 (2.7)        | 20 (5.5)   | 62.2 (3.9)        | 22 (5.1)               | 63.2 (2.9)        | 12 (3.2)  | 56.2 (2.5)        | 15 (3.8)               | 58.2 (2.5)        | 19 (3.4)  | 60.1 (2.2)        | 6 (3.6)   | 43.6 (2.9)        | 18 (4.2)  | 63.3 (3.0)        | 7 (3.4)                | 55.2 (2.7)        | 36 (5.1)  | 72.8 (2.9)        | 48 (4.1)               | 77.9 (2.5)        | 35 (5.6)  | 70.1 (3.2)        |            |
| United Kingdom  | 36 (4.9)   | 73.7 (3.7)        | 37 (4.3)   | 72.3 (2.8)        | 70 (8.4)               | 86.5 (3.6)        | 6 (3.4)   | 52.7 (2.4)        | 7 (3.2)                | 53.5 (2.6)        | 20 (3.6)  | 60.2 (2.2)        | OECD average  | -8 (1.1)          | 44.1 (1.0)  | -4 (1.0)          | 47.4 (0.9)             | 0 (1.0)           | 49.9 (0.8)  | 7 (0.6)           | 53.7 (0.4)             | 7 (0.6)           | 53.8 (0.4)  | 3 (0.6)           | 51.3 (0.4) |
| United States   | -8 (1.1)   | 44.1 (1.0)        | -4 (1.0)   | 47.4 (0.9)        | 0 (1.0)                | 49.9 (0.8)        | 7 (0.6)   | 53.7 (0.4)        | 7 (0.6)                | 53.8 (0.4)        | 3 (0.6)   | 51.3 (0.4)        |   |                   |   |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |            |
| <b>Partners</b> | <b>-31</b> (8.3)   | <b>29.7</b> (5.9) | <b>-47</b> (7.3)   | <b>22.7</b> (5.1) | <b>-28</b> (11.4)      | <b>33.8</b> (7.5) | <b>-6</b> (1.4)                                       | <b>44.8</b> (1.2) | <b>-11</b> (2.0)       | <b>41.6</b>       |   |                   |   |                   |   |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |            |

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**Table V.3.10a Index of ICT use at school**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Index of ICT use at school | Percentage of students who use digital devices for the following activities at school at least once or twice a week: |        |                        |       |                                      |       |   |       |                                      |       |                               |       |   |       |                                     |       |   |       |       |       |   |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|--|--------|------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|-------|---|-------|--------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------|---|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|---|-------|-------|-------|---|
|                             |                            | Chatting on line at school   |        | Using e-mail at school |       | Browsing the Internet for schoolwork |       | Downloading, uploading or browsing material from the school's website (e.g. Intranet) |       | Posting work on the school's website |       | Playing simulations at school |       | Practicing and drilling, such as for foreign language learning or mathematics |       | Doing homework on a school computer |       | Using school computers for group work and communication with other students |       |       |       |   |
|                             |                            | Mean index   | S.E.   | %                      | S.E.  | %                                    | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %                                    | S.E.  | %                             | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %                                   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |       |       |   |
| OECD                        | Australia                  | 0.56   | (0.01) | 36.1                   | (0.6) | 60.8                                 | (0.8) | 79.7  | (0.5) | 44.3                                 | (0.9) | 21.9                          | (0.7) | 16.4  | (0.4) | 31.8                                | (0.6) | 56.4  | (0.8) | 45.7  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Austria                    | 0.11   | (0.02) | 55.0                   | (0.8) | 29.6                                 | (1.1) | 54.9  | (1.0) | 25.7                                 | (1.0) | 17.5                          | (0.9) | 14.7  | (0.8) | 28.4                                | (0.7) | 20.8  | (0.9) | 22.3  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Belgium                    | -0.20  | (0.02) | 29.2                   | (0.9) | 19.7                                 | (0.8) | 33.1  | (0.8) | 22.3                                 | (0.6) | 20.3                          | (0.6) | 10.7  | (0.5) | 19.2                                | (0.5) | 16.2  | (0.6) | 17.9  | (0.6) |   |
|                             | Canada                     | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     | m     | m |
|                             | Chile                      | 0.14   | (0.02) | 47.1                   | (1.0) | 23.2                                 | (1.0) | 50.5  | (1.0) | 23.4                                 | (0.7) | 13.2                          | (0.7) | 12.1  | (0.6) | 26.7                                | (0.7) | 35.8  | (1.5) | 32.3  | (1.3) |   |
|                             | Czech Republic             | 0.27   | (0.02) | 63.7                   | (1.0) | 39.1                                 | (1.0) | 54.3  | (0.9) | 36.5                                 | (0.9) | 15.7                          | (0.7) | 17.6  | (0.8) | 33.4                                | (0.8) | 21.5  | (0.7) | 36.4  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Denmark                    | 0.74   | (0.01) | 75.9                   | (0.7) | 33.7                                 | (1.0) | 86.7  | (0.6) | 52.6                                 | (1.1) | 34.4                          | (1.1) | 20.7  | (0.7) | 50.2                                | (0.9) | 65.2  | (1.1) | 40.3  | (1.1) |   |
|                             | Estonia                    | -0.11  | (0.02) | 26.1                   | (0.7) | 31.1                                 | (0.7) | 44.0  | (0.8) | 23.2                                 | (0.7) | 11.1                          | (0.5) | 13.2  | (0.5) | 19.4                                | (0.6) | 14.5  | (0.6) | 16.3  | (0.6) |   |
|                             | Finland                    | 0.11   | (0.01) | 76.3                   | (0.7) | 35.4                                 | (0.7) | 47.7  | (1.0) | 18.2                                 | (0.8) | 13.1                          | (0.7) | 13.1  | (0.7) | 14.8                                | (0.8) | 9.5   | (0.7) | 16.6  | (0.7) |   |
|                             | France                     | 0.02   | (0.02) | 28.3                   | (0.8) | 20.4                                 | (0.9) | 40.5  | (1.0) | 22.6                                 | (0.7) | 16.2                          | (0.7) | 17.9  | (0.7) | 24.3                                | (0.8) | 19.6  | (0.7) | 24.1  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Germany                    | -0.42  | (0.02) | 21.1                   | (0.7) | 8.1                                  | (0.4) | 31.6  | (0.8) | 8.6                                  | (0.5) | 5.7                           | (0.4) | 6.7   | (0.4) | 13.9                                | (0.8) | 7.0   | (0.5) | 12.3  | (0.7) |   |
|                             | Greece                     | 0.02   | (0.03) | 38.1                   | (1.1) | 25.5                                 | (0.9) | 39.1  | (0.8) | 24.7                                 | (1.0) | 20.5                          | (1.0) | 21.2  | (1.0) | 25.0                                | (1.0) | 31.5  | (0.9) | 32.7  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Hungary                    | -0.04  | (0.02) | 51.4                   | (1.1) | 21.1                                 | (0.9) | 40.0  | (0.8) | 24.6                                 | (0.9) | 18.8                          | (0.8) | 18.6  | (0.8) | 27.4                                | (0.8) | 18.6  | (0.8) | 24.1  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Iceland                    | 0.15   | (0.02) | 55.8                   | (0.8) | 23.9                                 | (0.8) | 58.0  | (0.8) | 22.6                                 | (0.7) | 9.9                           | (0.5) | 11.8  | (0.6) | 35.0                                | (0.9) | 24.6  | (0.7) | 27.3  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Ireland                    | -0.38  | (0.03) | 28.4                   | (1.0) | 20.1                                 | (1.2) | 29.2  | (1.0) | 8.7                                  | (0.5) | 4.7                           | (0.5) | 5.4   | (0.4) | 15.6                                | (0.7) | 12.7  | (0.8) | 16.5  | (0.6) |   |
|                             | Israel                     | -0.10  | (0.03) | 20.5                   | (0.9) | 21.1                                 | (0.9) | 37.3  | (1.3) | 23.8                                 | (0.9) | 17.7                          | (0.8) | 17.5  | (0.8) | 29.2                                | (1.0) | 21.9  | (0.8) | 21.2  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Italy                      | 0.00   | (0.02) | 46.6                   | (0.9) | 18.0                                 | (0.8) | 45.6  | (1.1) | 25.3                                 | (0.9) | 17.0                          | (0.8) | 19.8  | (0.8) | 31.5                                | (0.9) | 19.6  | (0.8) | 23.4  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Japan                      | -1.05  | (0.02) | 17.5                   | (1.2) | 6.4                                  | (0.5) | 13.3  | (0.7) | 3.0                                  | (0.3) | 2.5                           | (0.3) | 6.7   | (0.4) | 5.9                                 | (0.4) | 2.6   | (0.4) | 3.7   | (0.3) |   |
|                             | Korea                      | -0.95  | (0.03) | 13.8                   | (0.8) | 7.9                                  | (0.7) | 16.6  | (1.1) | 8.5                                  | (0.9) | 5.5                           | (0.6) | 5.4   | (0.4) | 9.4                                 | (0.6) | 8.8   | (0.9) | 8.0   | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Latvia                     | 0.16   | (0.02) | 57.9                   | (1.0) | 32.4                                 | (0.8) | 49.1  | (0.9) | 31.5                                 | (0.8) | 15.9                          | (0.7) | 23.2  | (0.7) | 34.8                                | (0.9) | 17.4  | (0.7) | 23.7  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Luxembourg                 | -0.04  | (0.01) | 37.0                   | (0.7) | 25.7                                 | (0.6) | 39.5  | (0.7) | 19.7                                 | (0.5) | 17.1                          | (0.5) | 16.0  | (0.5) | 23.7                                | (0.5) | 22.9  | (0.6) | 25.2  | (0.6) |   |
|                             | Mexico                     | -0.16  | (0.03) | 25.1                   | (0.9) | 17.2                                 | (0.8) | 38.1  | (1.2) | 22.4                                 | (1.0) | 13.9                          | (0.8) | 14.1  | (0.8) | 24.6                                | (0.8) | 29.7  | (1.1) | 24.7  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Netherlands                | 0.44   | (0.02) | 60.0                   | (1.3) | 34.7                                 | (1.0) | 74.5  | (1.2) | 44.4                                 | (1.1) | 20.2                          | (0.7) | 15.8  | (0.5) | 45.8                                | (1.0) | 36.5  | (1.2) | 35.6  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | New Zealand                | 0.42   | (0.02) | 49.3                   | (1.2) | 56.8                                 | (1.5) | 71.9  | (1.1) | 36.2                                 | (1.2) | 18.4                          | (1.1) | 15.8  | (0.9) | 25.7                                | (1.0) | 43.4  | (1.1) | 36.2  | (1.2) |   |
|                             | Norway                     | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     | m     |   |
|                             | Poland                     | -0.21  | (0.03) | 28.0                   | (0.9) | 17.2                                 | (0.7) | 44.5  | (1.1) | 22.9                                 | (0.8) | 11.8                          | (0.7) | 12.4  | (0.6) | 29.1                                | (0.9) | 14.5  | (0.7) | 17.8  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Portugal                   | 0.08   | (0.02) | 49.5                   | (1.0) | 37.9                                 | (0.8) | 40.6  | (1.1) | 28.4                                 | (0.8) | 15.0                          | (0.7) | 18.2  | (0.7) | 27.8                                | (0.8) | 20.3  | (0.8) | 27.6  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Slovak Republic            | 0.22   | (0.02) | 51.9                   | (1.0) | 31.6                                 | (0.8) | 46.2  | (0.8) | 29.5                                 | (0.8) | 23.9                          | (0.8) | 22.1  | (0.8) | 35.0                                | (0.9) | 22.7  | (0.8) | 27.0  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Slovenia                   | 0.02   | (0.01) | 47.4                   | (0.8) | 34.5                                 | (0.8) | 42.4  | (0.8) | 26.3                                 | (0.7) | 17.0                          | (0.6) | 18.5  | (0.6) | 22.1                                | (0.7) | 18.0  | (0.6) | 22.5  | (0.7) |   |
|                             | Spain                      | -0.04  | (0.02) | 26.8                   | (1.0) | 25.5                                 | (1.0) | 44.2  | (1.2) | 22.3                                 | (1.0) | 14.9                          | (1.0) | 12.2  | (0.6) | 25.1                                | (0.9) | 20.7  | (1.1) | 26.8  | (1.0) |   |
|                             | Sweden                     | 0.52   | (0.02) | 50.6                   | (1.1) | 47.8                                 | (1.3) | 81.6  | (1.1) | 38.5                                 | (1.4) | 27.0                          | (1.2) | 17.9  | (0.9) | 42.2                                | (1.4) | 34.1  | (1.5) | 37.2  | (1.3) |   |
| Switzerland                 | -0.12                      | (0.02)   | 33.1   | (1.2)                  | 25.3  | (1.0)                                | 37.0  | (0.8)   | 17.4  | (0.9)                                | 12.3  | (0.8)                         | 10.5  | (0.7)   | 23.2  | (0.9)                               | 13.9  | (0.7)   | 18.2  | (0.7) |       |   |
| Turkey                      | m                          | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     |       |   |
| United Kingdom <sup>1</sup> | 0.29                       | (0.02)   | 30.2   | (1.2)                  | 47.3  | (1.9)                                | 69.0  | (0.9)   | 29.3  | (1.2)                                | 11.1  | (0.8)                         | 10.3  | (0.6)   | 27.8  | (1.1)                               | 44.2  | (1.3)   | 28.0  | (1.0) |       |   |
| United States               | m                          | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     |       |   |
| OECD average                | 0.01                       | (0.00)   | 41.2   | (0.2)                  | 28.4  | (0.2)                                | 47.8  | (0.2)   | 25.4  | (0.2)                                | 15.6  | (0.1)                         | 14.7  | (0.1)   | 26.7  | (0.1)                               | 24.0  | (0.2)   | 24.9  | (0.2) |       |   |
| Partners                    | Brazil                     | -0.14  | (0.02) | 29.4                   | (0.8) | 19.5                                 | (0.6) | 39.9  | (0.8) | 24.3                                 | (0.8) | 15.3                          | (0.5) | 18.1  | (0.5) | 29.0                                | (0.7) | 18.9  | (0.6) | 22.4  | (0.6) |   |
|                             | B-S-J-G (China)            | -0.65  | (0.02) | 26.8                   | (1.1) | 7.0                                  | (0.4) | 17.0  | (0.6) | 11.5                                 | (0.6) | 6.0                           | (0.5) | 10.4  | (0.6) | 24.8                                | (0.8) | 7.9   | (0.5) | 12.6  | (0.6) |   |
|                             | Bulgaria                   | 0.39   | (0.03) | 60.9                   | (0.8) | 34.4                                 | (0.9) | 52.2  | (0.9) | 33.8                                 | (1.1) | 28.8                          | (1.0) | 27.7  | (1.0) | 45.6                                | (0.9) | 31.4  | (1.1) | 38.1  | (1.0) |   |
|                             | Colombia                   | 0.18   | (0.02) | 36.5                   | (1.1) | 32.9                                 | (0.9) | 51.8  | (1.1) | 31.1                                 | (0.9) | 23.5                          | (0.8) | 22.0  | (0.7) | 36.5                                | (0.8) | 30.4  | (0.8) | 32.7  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Costa Rica                 | 0.11   | (0.02) | 51.9                   | (1.0) | 26.8                                 | (1.0) | 55.3  | (1.0) | 27.0                                 | (0.8) | 15.6                          | (0.8) | 12.9  | (0.6) | 37.7                                | (0.9) | 27.8  | (0.9) | 28.0  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Croatia                    | -0.16  | (0.02) | 49.7                   | (0.9) | 20.7                                 | (0.8) | 37.8  | (0.9) | 20.6                                 | (0.8) | 13.4                          | (0.7) | 14.9  | (0.7) | 24.5                                | (0.7) | 16.0  | (0.8) | 21.1  | (0.7) |   |
|                             | Cyprus*                    | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     | m     |   |
|                             | Dominican Republic         | -0.12  | (0.03) | 16.2                   | (0.8) | 12.9                                 | (0.8) | 38.7  | (1.1) | 23.2                                 | (0.9) | 18.4                          | (0.8) | 21.4  | (0.9) | 34.2                                | (1.0) | 26.8  | (1.0) | 25.6  | (1.0) |   |
|                             | Hong Kong (China)          | -0.20  | (0.03) | 23.0                   | (0.8) | 21.0                                 | (0.8) | 32.5  | (1.0) | 25.7                                 | (1.1) | 11.6                          | (0.7) | 19.8  | (0.9) | 19.3                                | (0.8) | 20.8  | (1.0) | 17.8  | (1.0) |   |
|                             | Lithuania                  | -0.02  | (0.02) | 19.2                   | (0.7) | 31.4                                 | (0.8) | 40.7  | (0.8) | 25.2                                 | (0.8) | 18.0                          | (0.7) | 20.2  | (0.7) | 34.7                                | (0.8) | 20.2  | (0.7) | 23.2  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Macao (China)              | -0.09  | (0.01) | 21.5                   | (0.5) | 12.3                                 | (0.5) | 30.1  | (0.7) | 24.0                                 | (0.6) | 32.0                          | (0.6) | 10.7  | (0.4) | 19.1                                | (0.5) | 22.2  | (0.6) | 18.7  | (0.5) |   |
|                             | Montenegro                 | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     | m     |   |
|                             | Peru                       | -0.26  | (0.02) | 16.1                   | (0.8) | 10.9                                 | (0.7) | 34.0  | (1.0) | 16.3                                 | (0.7) | 9.6                           | (0.6) | 14.7  | (0.5) | 24.2                                | (0.8) | 19.6  | (0.8) | 17.2  | (0.8) |   |
|                             | Qatar                      | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     | m     |   |
|                             | Russia                     | 0.12   | (0.03) | 35.2                   | (1.1) | 29.1                                 | (1.0) | 44.5  | (1.1) | 31.8                                 | (1.2) | 25.7                          | (1.1) | 26.5  | (1.1) | 38.7                                | (1.1) | 31.0  | (1.1) | 33.6  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Singapore                  | 0.01   | (0.03) | 45.3                   | (0.8) | 29.7                                 | (1.4) | 45.9  | (1.2) | 24.2                                 | (0.9) | 14.1                          | (0.9) | 12.8  | (0.5) | 24.0                                | (0.9) | 21.5  | (0.8) | 22.4  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Chinese Taipei             | -0.39  | (0.02) | 35.1                   | (1.1) | 12.9                                 | (0.6) | 26.0  | (0.9) | 17.7                                 | (0.8) | 4.4                           | (0.3) | 10.9  | (0.5) | 13.9                                | (0.6) | 17.1  | (0.8) | 12.9  | (0.7) |   |
|                             | Thailand                   | 0.62   | (0.02) | 58.3                   | (1.1) | 44.7                                 | (1.2) | 67.5  | (0.9) | 54.1                                 | (0.9) | 46.7                          | (1.2) | 37.5  | (0.9) | 50.1                                | (0.9) | 46.7  | (0.9) | 50.3  | (0.9) |   |
|                             | Tunisia                    | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     | m     |   |
|                             | United Arab Emirates       | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     | m     |   |
| Uruguay                     | 0.16                       | (0.02)   | 42.7   | (0.9)                  | 23.8  | (1.2)                                | 53.6  | (0.8)   | 36.0  | (0.8)                                | 23.9  | (0.9)                         | 22.8  | (0.8)   | 33.1  | (0.7)                               | 29.2  | (0.9)   | 29.8  | (0.9) |       |   |
| Malaysia**                  | m                          | m  | m      | m                      | m     | m                                    | m     | m   | m     | m                                    | m     | m                             | m     | m   | m     | m                                   | m     | m   | m     | m     |       |   |

1. Only the United Kingdom subnational entities of England, Northern Ireland and Wales participated in the ICT questionnaire.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.3.10b** Index of students' self-reported ICT competence

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Index of students' self-reported ICT competence |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
|-----------------------------|---|--------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|--|
|                             |   |        | I feel comfortable using digital devices that I am less familiar with            |       | If my friends and relatives want to buy new digital devices or applications, I can give them advice |       | I feel comfortable using my digital devices at home |       | When I come across problems with digital devices, I can solve them |       | If my friends and relatives have a problem with digital devices, I can help them |       |  |  |
|                             |   |        | Mean index   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |   |        |  |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Australia                   | 0.21  | (0.01) | 72.0   | (0.5) | 78.1  | (0.5) | 96.0  | (0.2) | 82.6   | (0.4) | 79.7   | (0.4) |  |  |
| Austria                     | -0.08   | (0.02) | 44.7   | (0.9) | 61.0  | (0.8) | 86.2  | (0.6) | 71.5   | (0.7) | 68.0   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Belgium                     | 0.05  | (0.01) | 71.0   | (0.6) | 74.3  | (0.5) | 93.6  | (0.3) | 75.5   | (0.5) | 75.0   | (0.5) |  |  |
| Canada                      | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Chile                       | 0.09  | (0.01) | 71.4   | (0.6) | 73.9  | (0.7) | 91.1  | (0.4) | 77.9   | (0.7) | 77.3   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Czech Republic              | -0.10   | (0.01) | 74.1   | (0.7) | 69.9  | (0.6) | 91.2  | (0.4) | 69.5   | (0.7) | 67.8   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Denmark                     | 0.25  | (0.02) | 81.5   | (0.6) | 79.9  | (0.6) | 96.7  | (0.3) | 83.0   | (0.5) | 79.1   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Estonia                     | -0.05   | (0.01) | 66.8   | (0.7) | 69.9  | (0.6) | 92.0  | (0.5) | 76.5   | (0.7) | 68.1   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Finland                     | -0.08   | (0.01) | 47.2   | (0.8) | 77.4  | (0.5) | 93.0  | (0.4) | 76.0   | (0.6) | 74.9   | (0.5) |  |  |
| France                      | 0.23  | (0.01) | 78.0   | (0.7) | 78.5  | (0.6) | 94.0  | (0.4) | 76.3   | (0.6) | 77.5   | (0.5) |  |  |
| Germany                     | -0.05   | (0.01) | 65.6   | (0.6) | 65.6  | (0.6) | 86.2  | (0.6) | 71.1   | (0.6) | 67.2   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Greece                      | 0.05  | (0.01) | 66.2   | (0.8) | 78.0  | (0.8) | 90.2  | (0.6) | 74.3   | (0.7) | 76.9   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Hungary                     | 0.07  | (0.02) | 77.8   | (0.7) | 69.6  | (0.9) | 89.9  | (0.5) | 79.0   | (0.6) | 75.6   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Iceland                     | -0.01   | (0.02) | 47.2   | (1.0) | 76.3  | (0.8) | 91.8  | (0.5) | 80.2   | (0.6) | 78.0   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Ireland                     | 0.21  | (0.01) | 71.1   | (0.8) | 80.7  | (0.6) | 97.3  | (0.2) | 83.1   | (0.6) | 79.3   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Israel                      | -0.02   | (0.02) | 64.5   | (0.8) | 69.4  | (1.2) | 86.4  | (0.6) | 74.3   | (1.0) | 73.6   | (1.1) |  |  |
| Italy                       | -0.02   | (0.01) | 62.8   | (0.6) | 76.1  | (0.6) | 89.7  | (0.5) | 76.2   | (0.6) | 74.0   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Japan                       | -0.94   | (0.02) | 48.3   | (0.8) | 40.8  | (0.6) | 57.2  | (0.7) | 29.8   | (0.7) | 29.8   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Korea                       | -0.57   | (0.02) | 51.6   | (0.7) | 51.6  | (0.9) | 87.8  | (0.5) | 52.5   | (0.9) | 46.5   | (0.9) |  |  |
| Latvia                      | -0.13   | (0.01) | 53.0   | (0.8) | 73.7  | (0.7) | 86.1  | (0.6) | 75.5   | (0.7) | 69.1   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Luxembourg                  | 0.01  | (0.02) | 61.6   | (0.7) | 65.8  | (0.8) | 87.2  | (0.5) | 74.3   | (0.7) | 71.8   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Mexico                      | -0.09   | (0.02) | 71.1   | (0.8) | 69.2  | (0.6) | 77.3  | (0.8) | 71.1   | (0.7) | 72.6   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Netherlands                 | -0.04   | (0.01) | 63.7   | (0.7) | 72.8  | (0.6) | 93.5  | (0.4) | 78.1   | (0.6) | 77.0   | (0.6) |  |  |
| New Zealand                 | 0.21  | (0.02) | 76.1   | (0.7) | 79.2  | (0.8) | 96.0  | (0.4) | 83.6   | (0.7) | 80.1   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Norway                      | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Poland                      | 0.02  | (0.01) | 74.8   | (0.7) | 69.7  | (0.7) | 91.9  | (0.5) | 81.2   | (0.7) | 74.2   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Portugal                    | 0.39  | (0.01) | 83.5   | (0.5) | 86.6  | (0.5) | 96.6  | (0.3) | 87.3   | (0.5) | 85.7   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Slovak Republic             | -0.13   | (0.02) | 68.6   | (0.8) | 67.7  | (0.7) | 86.6  | (0.5) | 72.1   | (0.6) | 69.8   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Slovenia                    | 0.06  | (0.02) | 75.8   | (0.7) | 69.7  | (0.8) | 93.1  | (0.4) | 79.2   | (0.6) | 74.5   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Spain                       | 0.15  | (0.01) | 72.0   | (0.7) | 77.4  | (0.5) | 93.8  | (0.5) | 77.6   | (0.7) | 78.1   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Sweden                      | 0.27  | (0.02) | 76.5   | (0.8) | 78.5  | (0.7) | 94.3  | (0.4) | 82.8   | (0.6) | 76.8   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Switzerland                 | 0.05  | (0.02) | 61.5   | (1.0) | 67.4  | (0.9) | 90.2  | (0.6) | 75.1   | (0.8) | 70.8   | (1.0) |  |  |
| Turkey                      | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| United Kingdom <sup>1</sup> | 0.34  | (0.02) | 77.1   | (0.7) | 84.4  | (0.6) | 96.9  | (0.4) | 85.8   | (0.6) | 84.1   | (0.6) |  |  |
| United States               | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| OECD average                | 0.01  | (0.00) | 67.0   | (0.1) | 72.0  | (0.1) | 90.1  | (0.1) | 75.3   | (0.1) | 72.7   | (0.1) |  |  |
| <b>Partners</b>             |   |        |  |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Brazil                      | -0.01   | (0.02) | 68.3   | (0.6) | 78.4  | (0.6) | 89.0  | (0.5) | 73.3   | (0.7) | 75.4   | (0.6) |  |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)             | -0.50   | (0.01) | 32.6   | (0.8) | 65.9  | (0.8) | 80.7  | (0.8) | 56.1   | (0.8) | 54.5   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Bulgaria                    | -0.01   | (0.02) | 64.4   | (0.8) | 75.8  | (0.8) | 86.2  | (0.8) | 75.0   | (0.8) | 76.5   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Colombia                    | -0.02   | (0.01) | 69.7   | (0.7) | 71.7  | (0.6) | 84.1  | (0.6) | 81.1   | (0.7) | 77.6   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Costa Rica                  | 0.06  | (0.02) | 74.1   | (0.5) | 76.1  | (0.7) | 89.5  | (0.5) | 72.1   | (0.6) | 78.4   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Croatia                     | 0.17  | (0.01) | 81.8   | (0.6) | 75.8  | (0.6) | 94.1  | (0.4) | 81.0   | (0.5) | 74.7   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Cyprus*                     | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Dominican Republic          | -0.05   | (0.02) | 58.5   | (0.9) | 72.5  | (0.9) | 82.4  | (1.0) | 70.5   | (0.8) | 75.8   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Hong Kong (China)           | -0.07   | (0.01) | 71.3   | (0.8) | 70.1  | (0.6) | 91.8  | (0.5) | 83.0   | (0.6) | 76.4   | (0.5) |  |  |
| Lithuania                   | 0.01  | (0.02) | 57.0   | (0.8) | 70.4  | (0.7) | 75.2  | (0.7) | 73.9   | (0.7) | 73.7   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Macao (China)               | -0.16   | (0.01) | 68.4   | (0.7) | 71.7  | (0.8) | 92.6  | (0.4) | 74.8   | (0.7) | 66.8   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Montenegro                  | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Peru                        | -0.27   | (0.01) | 67.9   | (0.6) | 66.6  | (0.7) | 82.8  | (0.7) | 62.2   | (0.8) | 65.0   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Qatar                       | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Russia                      | -0.04   | (0.01) | 70.7   | (0.7) | 78.8  | (0.6) | 90.1  | (0.6) | 77.6   | (0.6) | 76.2   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Singapore                   | -0.01   | (0.01) | 61.5   | (0.7) | 67.7  | (0.7) | 95.9  | (0.3) | 78.4   | (0.7) | 72.6   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Chinese Taipei              | -0.16   | (0.01) | 62.4   | (0.6) | 67.0  | (0.6) | 89.4  | (0.4) | 72.4   | (0.6) | 68.7   | (0.6) |  |  |
| Thailand                    | -0.25   | (0.02) | 67.5   | (0.7) | 73.5  | (0.6) | 76.7  | (0.8) | 69.5   | (0.8) | 72.0   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Tunisia                     | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| United Arab Emirates        | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Uruguay                     | 0.07  | (0.02) | 68.8   | (0.7) | 77.2  | (0.6) | 86.7  | (0.5) | 77.1   | (0.7) | 79.9   | (0.7) |  |  |
| Malaysia**                  | m   | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |

1. Only the United Kingdom subnational entities of England, Northern Ireland and Wales participated in the ICT questionnaire.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.3.11a Index of ICT use at school and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Index of ICT use at school |      |                          |      |                |      |                |      |               |      |             |      | Performance in collaborative problem solving, by national quarter of the index of ICT use at school |      |                |      |               |      |             |      |                      |      |  |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------|--------------------------|------|----------------|------|----------------|------|---------------|------|-------------|------|---|------|----------------|------|---------------|------|-------------|------|----------------------|------|--|
|                             | All students               |      | Variability of the index |      | Bottom quarter |      | Second quarter |      | Third quarter |      | Top quarter |      | Bottom quarter  |      | Second quarter |      | Third quarter |      | Top quarter |      | Top – bottom quarter |      |  |
|                             | Mean index                 | S.E. | S.D.                     | S.E. | Mean index     | S.E. | Mean index     | S.E. | Mean index    | S.E. | Mean index  | S.E. | Mean score  | S.E. | Mean score     | S.E. | Mean score    | S.E. | Mean score  | S.E. | Score dif.           | S.E. |  |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |                            |      |                          |      |                |      |                |      |               |      |             |      |   |      |                |      |               |      |             |      |                      |      |  |
| Australia                   | 0.56 (0.01)                |      | 0.77 (0.01)              |      | -0.35 (0.02)   |      | 0.42 (0.01)    |      | 0.78 (0.01)   |      | 1.40 (0.02) |      | 520 (3.1)   |      | 543 (3.5)      |      | 553 (2.7)     |      | 534 (3.7)   |      | 14 (4.5)             |      |  |
| Austria                     | 0.11 (0.02)                |      | 0.88 (0.02)              |      | -0.95 (0.02)   |      | -0.09 (0.02)   |      | 0.35 (0.02)   |      | 1.14 (0.04) |      | 516 (3.7)   |      | 532 (3.2)      |      | 526 (3.8)     |      | 486 (5.9)   |      | -30 (6.8)            |      |  |
| Belgium                     | -0.20 (0.02)               |      | 1.03 (0.01)              |      | -1.54 (0.02)   |      | -0.46 (0.03)   |      | 0.17 (0.02)   |      | 1.04 (0.02) |      | 500 (3.3)   |      | 517 (3.5)      |      | 529 (3.9)     |      | 488 (3.9)   |      | -12 (4.4)            |      |  |
| Canada                      | m                          | m    | m                        | m    | m              | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Chile                       | 0.14 (0.02)                |      | 0.85 (0.02)              |      | -0.93 (0.04)   |      | 0.00 (0.02)    |      | 0.39 (0.01)   |      | 1.10 (0.03) |      | 465 (3.7)   |      | 483 (3.8)      |      | 468 (3.4)     |      | 429 (4.0)   |      | -36 (4.8)            |      |  |
| Czech Republic              | 0.27 (0.02)                |      | 1.03 (0.02)              |      | -1.01 (0.04)   |      | 0.09 (0.02)    |      | 0.56 (0.01)   |      | 1.46 (0.04) |      | 517 (3.0)   |      | 517 (3.2)      |      | 507 (3.2)     |      | 472 (4.6)   |      | -46 (5.3)            |      |  |
| Denmark                     | 0.74 (0.01)                |      | 0.64 (0.02)              |      | 0.06 (0.02)    |      | 0.58 (0.01)    |      | 0.86 (0.01)   |      | 1.45 (0.02) |      | 529 (3.7)   |      | 537 (4.1)      |      | 532 (4.0)     |      | 508 (4.1)   |      | -21 (5.5)            |      |  |
| Estonia                     | -0.11 (0.02)               |      | 0.98 (0.02)              |      | -1.37 (0.02)   |      | -0.31 (0.02)   |      | 0.19 (0.02)   |      | 1.04 (0.03) |      | 542 (4.3)   |      | 560 (3.6)      |      | 550 (4.3)     |      | 500 (4.1)   |      | -42 (6.1)            |      |  |
| Finland                     | 0.11 (0.01)                |      | 0.74 (0.02)              |      | -0.70 (0.02)   |      | -0.07 (0.01)   |      | 0.25 (0.01)   |      | 0.97 (0.04) |      | 535 (4.2)   |      | 559 (3.9)      |      | 554 (4.2)     |      | 506 (4.1)   |      | -29 (5.1)            |      |  |
| France                      | 0.02 (0.02)                |      | 0.94 (0.01)              |      | -1.17 (0.03)   |      | -0.15 (0.02)   |      | 0.29 (0.02)   |      | 1.10 (0.03) |      | 499 (4.6)   |      | 525 (3.4)      |      | 515 (4.1)     |      | 480 (3.7)   |      | -19 (5.8)            |      |  |
| Germany                     | -0.42 (0.02)               |      | 0.77 (0.01)              |      | -1.40 (0.02)   |      | -0.59 (0.02)   |      | -0.17 (0.01)  |      | 0.50 (0.03) |      | 535 (3.7)   |      | 549 (3.5)      |      | 547 (4.1)     |      | 514 (5.1)   |      | -22 (5.4)            |      |  |
| Greece                      | 0.02 (0.03)                |      | 1.17 (0.02)              |      | -1.46 (0.03)   |      | -0.28 (0.03)   |      | 0.35 (0.03)   |      | 1.46 (0.05) |      | 483 (3.7)   |      | 496 (3.5)      |      | 470 (6.0)     |      | 415 (4.4)   |      | -68 (4.5)            |      |  |
| Hungary                     | -0.04 (0.02)               |      | 1.05 (0.02)              |      | -1.35 (0.02)   |      | -0.31 (0.03)   |      | 0.26 (0.02)   |      | 1.26 (0.04) |      | 485 (3.7)   |      | 500 (3.7)      |      | 483 (4.3)     |      | 437 (3.9)   |      | -48 (5.0)            |      |  |
| Iceland                     | 0.15 (0.02)                |      | 0.83 (0.02)              |      | -0.85 (0.03)   |      | 0.00 (0.01)    |      | 0.37 (0.01)   |      | 1.09 (0.03) |      | 503 (3.8)   |      | 521 (4.1)      |      | 513 (4.4)     |      | 478 (4.9)   |      | -25 (6.0)            |      |  |
| Ireland                     | -0.38 (0.03)               |      | 0.89 (0.01)              |      | -1.54 (0.03)   |      | -0.62 (0.03)   |      | -0.05 (0.03)  |      | 0.68 (0.03) |      | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Israel                      | -0.10 (0.03)               |      | 1.12 (0.02)              |      | -1.52 (0.03)   |      | -0.39 (0.05)   |      | 0.25 (0.03)   |      | 1.27 (0.04) |      | 488 (5.9)   |      | 516 (5.0)      |      | 491 (5.5)     |      | 428 (4.6)   |      | -60 (7.0)            |      |  |
| Italy                       | 0.00 (0.02)                |      | 0.97 (0.02)              |      | -1.23 (0.03)   |      | -0.21 (0.02)   |      | 0.28 (0.02)   |      | 1.17 (0.03) |      | 492 (3.8)   |      | 502 (4.3)      |      | 491 (3.4)     |      | 452 (4.5)   |      | -40 (4.7)            |      |  |
| Japan                       | -1.05 (0.02)               |      | 0.78 (0.02)              |      | -1.67 (0.00)   |      | -1.67 (0.00)   |      | -0.92 (0.06)  |      | 0.04 (0.03) |      | 548 (3.8)   |      | 547 (3.5)      |      | 559 (3.6)     |      | 562 (4.4)   |      | 14 (5.4)             |      |  |
| Korea                       | -0.95 (0.03)               |      | 0.93 (0.02)              |      | -1.67 (0.00)   |      | -1.67 (0.00)   |      | -0.89 (0.07)  |      | 0.41 (0.05) |      | 545 (3.4)   |      | 546 (3.2)      |      | 545 (3.3)     |      | 521 (4.6)   |      | -24 (5.2)            |      |  |
| Latvia                      | 0.16 (0.02)                |      | 0.96 (0.02)              |      | -1.04 (0.03)   |      | -0.02 (0.02)   |      | 0.43 (0.01)   |      | 1.26 (0.03) |      | 501 (3.8)   |      | 507 (3.6)      |      | 491 (3.8)     |      | 450 (4.4)   |      | -51 (5.0)            |      |  |
| Luxembourg                  | -0.04 (0.01)               |      | 1.02 (0.01)              |      | -1.32 (0.02)   |      | -0.28 (0.01)   |      | 0.25 (0.01)   |      | 1.19 (0.03) |      | 506 (3.4)   |      | 523 (4.2)      |      | 508 (3.2)     |      | 460 (3.7)   |      | -46 (5.5)            |      |  |
| Mexico                      | -0.16 (0.03)               |      | 1.00 (0.01)              |      | -1.51 (0.03)   |      | -0.39 (0.03)   |      | 0.22 (0.02)   |      | 1.04 (0.04) |      | 428 (3.4)   |      | 441 (3.6)      |      | 444 (3.3)     |      | 433 (4.1)   |      | 5 (5.0)              |      |  |
| Netherlands                 | 0.44 (0.02)                |      | 0.72 (0.02)              |      | -0.42 (0.03)   |      | 0.32 (0.02)    |      | 0.63 (0.01)   |      | 1.24 (0.02) |      | 517 (4.6)   |      | 532 (3.4)      |      | 535 (3.3)     |      | 493 (4.8)   |      | -24 (6.4)            |      |  |
| New Zealand                 | 0.42 (0.02)                |      | 0.82 (0.02)              |      | -0.52 (0.04)   |      | 0.25 (0.02)    |      | 0.61 (0.02)   |      | 1.35 (0.04) |      | 542 (4.7)   |      | 562 (4.3)      |      | 553 (4.3)     |      | 513 (5.2)   |      | -29 (7.1)            |      |  |
| Norway                      | m                          | m    | m                        | m    | m              | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Poland                      | -0.21 (0.03)               |      | 1.03 (0.02)              |      | -1.54 (0.03)   |      | -0.47 (0.03)   |      | 0.12 (0.02)   |      | 1.05 (0.04) |      | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Portugal                    | 0.08 (0.02)                |      | 0.99 (0.01)              |      | -1.17 (0.03)   |      | -0.14 (0.02)   |      | 0.37 (0.02)   |      | 1.25 (0.03) |      | 515 (3.8)   |      | 523 (3.4)      |      | 502 (3.6)     |      | 464 (4.0)   |      | -50 (4.8)            |      |  |
| Slovak Republic             | 0.22 (0.02)                |      | 1.01 (0.02)              |      | -0.99 (0.03)   |      | -0.01 (0.02)   |      | 0.46 (0.02)   |      | 1.43 (0.04) |      | 473 (4.0)   |      | 489 (3.5)      |      | 472 (4.0)     |      | 438 (3.5)   |      | -35 (5.3)            |      |  |
| Slovenia                    | 0.02 (0.01)                |      | 0.97 (0.01)              |      | -1.22 (0.02)   |      | -0.20 (0.02)   |      | 0.32 (0.01)   |      | 1.17 (0.03) |      | 505 (4.0)   |      | 527 (3.3)      |      | 518 (3.8)     |      | 476 (3.3)   |      | -28 (5.4)            |      |  |
| Spain                       | -0.04 (0.02)               |      | 0.88 (0.02)              |      | -1.20 (0.04)   |      | -0.20 (0.02)   |      | 0.27 (0.02)   |      | 0.98 (0.03) |      | 494 (3.3)   |      | 509 (3.0)      |      | 506 (3.4)     |      | 491 (3.9)   |      | -3 (4.9)             |      |  |
| Sweden                      | 0.52 (0.02)                |      | 0.84 (0.02)              |      | -0.41 (0.04)   |      | 0.31 (0.02)    |      | 0.68 (0.02)   |      | 1.51 (0.04) |      | 525 (4.9)   |      | 537 (4.3)      |      | 530 (4.7)     |      | 486 (4.7)   |      | -39 (5.5)            |      |  |
| Switzerland                 | -0.12 (0.02)               |      | 0.89 (0.02)              |      | -1.25 (0.04)   |      | -0.29 (0.02)   |      | 0.16 (0.02)   |      | 0.92 (0.04) |      | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Turkey                      | m                          | m    | m                        | m    | m              | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| United Kingdom <sup>2</sup> | 0.29 (0.02)                |      | 0.75 (0.02)              |      | -0.59 (0.04)   |      | 0.16 (0.02)    |      | 0.48 (0.02)   |      | 1.11 (0.04) |      | 521 (4.3)   |      | 541 (4.3)      |      | 543 (4.4)     |      | 507 (4.9)   |      | -14 (6.1)            |      |  |
| United States               | m                          | m    | m                        | m    | m              | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| OECD average-28             | 0.04 (0.00)                |      | 0.91 (0.00)              |      | -1.05 (0.01)   |      | -0.19 (0.00)   |      | 0.29 (0.00)   |      | 1.12 (0.01) |      | 508 (0.7)   |      | 523 (0.7)      |      | 516 (0.8)     |      | 479 (0.8)   |      | -29 (1.0)            |      |  |
| OECD average-31             | 0.01 (0.00)                |      | 0.91 (0.00)              |      | -1.09 (0.01)   |      | -0.22 (0.00)   |      | 0.27 (0.00)   |      | 1.10 (0.01) |      | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| <b>Partners</b>             |                            |      |                          |      |                |      |                |      |               |      |             |      |   |      |                |      |               |      |             |      |                      |      |  |
| Brazil                      | -0.14 (0.02)               |      | 1.15 (0.02)              |      | -1.62 (0.02)   |      | -0.47 (0.03)   |      | 0.23 (0.02)   |      | 1.28 (0.03) |      | 432 (4.3)   |      | 435 (4.0)      |      | 430 (4.1)     |      | 408 (4.5)   |      | -24 (5.1)            |      |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)             | -0.65 (0.02)               |      | 0.94 (0.01)              |      | -1.67 (0.00)   |      | -1.20 (0.04)   |      | -0.30 (0.02)  |      | 0.58 (0.03) |      | 512 (4.2)   |      | 506 (5.1)      |      | 500 (4.6)     |      | 479 (6.3)   |      | -33 (5.9)            |      |  |
| Bulgaria                    | 0.39 (0.03)                |      | 1.20 (0.02)              |      | -1.03 (0.03)   |      | 0.07 (0.02)    |      | 0.63 (0.03)   |      | 1.87 (0.05) |      | 478 (4.4)   |      | 490 (4.8)      |      | 446 (6.4)     |      | 413 (4.5)   |      | -65 (5.5)            |      |  |
| Colombia                    | 0.18 (0.02)                |      | 1.01 (0.01)              |      | -1.14 (0.03)   |      | 0.01 (0.02)    |      | 0.51 (0.02)   |      | 1.35 (0.03) |      | 437 (3.9)   |      | 446 (3.3)      |      | 441 (3.2)     |      | 421 (3.5)   |      | -16 (4.5)            |      |  |
| Costa Rica                  | 0.11 (0.02)                |      | 0.98 (0.02)              |      | -1.13 (0.04)   |      | -0.09 (0.02)   |      | 0.39 (0.02)   |      | 1.26 (0.03) |      | 446 (3.9)   |      | 456 (3.2)      |      | 450 (3.3)     |      | 427 (4.4)   |      | -19 (5.2)            |      |  |
| Croatia                     | -0.16 (0.02)               |      | 1.04 (0.02)              |      | -1.46 (0.02)   |      | -0.44 (0.03)   |      | 0.15 (0.02)   |      | 1.12 (0.04) |      | 482 (3.7)   |      | 498 (3.1)      |      | 486 (4.5)     |      | 443 (4.0)   |      | -38 (4.9)            |      |  |
| Cyprus*                     | m                          | m    | m                        | m    | m              | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Dominican Republic          | -0.12 (0.03)               |      | 1.12 (0.02)              |      | -1.62 (0.03)   |      | -0.41 (0.04)   |      | 0.29 (0.03)   |      | 1.26 (0.04) |      | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Hong Kong (China)           | -0.20 (0.03)               |      | 1.08 (0.02)              |      | -1.64 (0.03)   |      | -0.45 (0.04)   |      | 0.22 (0.02)   |      | 1.08 (0.04) |      | 545 (4.0)   |      | 565 (4.3)      |      | 550 (4.2)     |      | 512 (4.5)   |      | -34 (5.2)            |      |  |
| Lithuania                   | -0.02 (0.02)               |      | 1.08 (0.02)              |      | -1.38 (0.02)   |      | -0.27 (0.02)   |      | 0.30 (0.02)   |      | 1.30 (0.04) |      | 479 (3.7)   |      | 504 (3.6)      |      | 483 (3.5)     |      | 426 (4.0)   |      | -53 (4.9)            |      |  |
| Macao (China)               | -0.09 (0.01)               |      | 0.88 (0.01)              |      | -1.31 (0.02)   |      | -0.19 (0.01)   |      | 0.26 (0.01)   |      | 0.89 (0.02) |      | 523 (3.1)   |      | 545 (3.0)      |      | 546 (2.8)     |      | 525 (3.5)   |      | 2 (5.2)              |      |  |
| Montenegro                  | m                          | m    | m                        | m    | m              | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Peru                        | -0.26 (0.02)               |      | 0.88 (0.01)              |      | -1.48 (0.03)   |      | -0.43 (0.03)   |      | 0.10 (0.02)   |      | 0.78 (0.02) |      | 440 (4.5)   |      | 427 (3.7)      |      | 428 (3.1)     |      | 408 (3.8)   |      | -33 (5.3)            |      |  |
| Qatar                       | m                          | m    | m                        | m    | m              | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m   | m    | m              | m    | m             | m    | m           | m    | m                    | m    |  |
| Russia                      | 0.12 (0.03)                |      | 1.21 (0.02)              |      | -1.47 (0.03)   |      | -0.17 (0.03)   |      | 0.51 (0.03)   |      | 1.59 (0.04) |      | 488 (4.7)   |      | 504 (4.6)      |      | 474 (4.6)     |      | 448 (4.7)   |      | -40 (5.9)            |      |  |
| Singapore                   | 0.01 (0.03)                |      | 0.94 (0.01)              |      | -1.23 (0.04)   |      | -0.16 (0.03)   |      | 0.35 (0.02)   |      | 1.09 (0.04) |      | 565 (3.4)   |      | 573 (2.9)      |      | 567 (3.2)     |      | 547 (3.5)   |      | -18 (5.2)            |      |  |
| Chinese Taipei              | -0.39 (0.02)               |      | 0.91 (0.01)              |      | -1.65 (0.02)   |      | -0.61 (0.04)   |      | 0.03 (0.02)   |      | 0.68 (0.02) |      | 518 (3.6)   |      | 526 (3.4)      |      | 541 (3.7)     |      | 524 (4.2)   |      | 6 (5.5)              |      |  |
| Thailand                    | 0.62 (0.02)                |      | 0.91 (0.02)              |      | -0.50 (0.04)   |      | 0.48 (0.02)    |      | 0.89 (0.01)   |      | 1.61 (0.03) |      | 450 (4.4)   |      | 449 (4.7)      |      | 436           |      |             |      |                      |      |  |



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**Table V.3.11a Index of ICT use at school and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per one-unit change on the index of ICT use at school |       |  |       | Increased likelihood of students in the bottom quarter of the index of ICT use at school scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) |        | Increased likelihood of students in the top quarter of the index of ICT use at school scoring at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (at or above 640 score points) |        |
|-----------------------------|---|-------|--|-------|--|--------|--|--------|
|                             | Before accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>                          |       | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       | Relative risk  | S.E.   | Relative risk  | S.E.   |
|                             | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  |  |        |  |        |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |   |       |  |       |  |        |  |        |
| Australia                   | 7   | (2.2) | -5   | (2.1) | <b>1.36</b>  | (0.08) | 1.14   | (0.11) |
| Austria                     | -14   | (2.4) | -10  | (2.1) | 0.96   | (0.09) | <b>0.57</b>  | (0.10) |
| Belgium                     | -6  | (1.4) | -5   | (1.2) | 1.10   | (0.09) | <b>0.69</b>  | (0.10) |
| Canada                      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Chile                       | -16   | (1.9) | -14  | (1.6) | 0.93   | (0.06) | 0.39   | (0.20) |
| Czech Republic              | -17   | (1.8) | -15  | (1.8) | <b>0.71</b>  | (0.06) | <b>0.37</b>  | (0.10) |
| Denmark                     | -14   | (2.5) | -15  | (2.4) | 0.91   | (0.10) | <b>0.70</b>  | (0.12) |
| Estonia                     | -17   | (2.0) | -17  | (2.0) | 0.91   | (0.11) | <b>0.43</b>  | (0.08) |
| Finland                     | -15   | (2.6) | -18  | (2.5) | 1.02   | (0.09) | <b>0.56</b>  | (0.07) |
| France                      | -7  | (2.0) | -7   | (1.9) | 1.11   | (0.09) | <b>0.53</b>  | (0.11) |
| Germany                     | -13   | (2.7) | -8   | (2.6) | 0.95   | (0.10) | <b>0.73</b>  | (0.08) |
| Greece                      | -21   | (1.2) | -18  | (1.1) | <b>0.74</b>  | (0.04) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.12) |
| Hungary                     | -19   | (1.8) | -13  | (1.7) | <b>0.85</b>  | (0.05) | <b>0.29</b>  | (0.12) |
| Iceland                     | -12   | (2.4) | -13  | (2.4) | 0.98   | (0.08) | <b>0.60</b>  | (0.15) |
| Ireland                     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Israel                      | -21   | (2.1) | -18  | (1.9) | 0.87   | (0.07) | <b>0.30</b>  | (0.09) |
| Italy                       | -15   | (1.8) | -12  | (1.6) | <b>0.87</b>  | (0.06) | <b>0.47</b>  | (0.12) |
| Japan                       | 2   | (3.1) | 2  | (2.6) | 1.21   | (0.15) | <b>1.43</b>  | (0.15) |
| Korea                       | -13   | (2.6) | -14  | (1.8) | <b>0.72</b>  | (0.07) | <b>0.71</b>  | (0.12) |
| Latvia                      | -18   | (1.9) | -17  | (1.8) | <b>0.74</b>  | (0.06) | <b>0.36</b>  | (0.15) |
| Luxembourg                  | -18   | (1.8) | -14  | (1.6) | <b>0.86</b>  | (0.06) | <b>0.50</b>  | (0.10) |
| Mexico                      | 1   | (1.8) | -5   | (1.4) | <b>1.10</b>  | (0.05) | 1.51   | (1.01) |
| Netherlands                 | -10   | (3.0) | -10  | (2.4) | 1.06   | (0.09) | <b>0.67</b>  | (0.12) |
| New Zealand                 | -13   | (2.9) | -16  | (2.6) | 0.89   | (0.10) | <b>0.69</b>  | (0.10) |
| Norway                      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Poland                      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Portugal                    | -19   | (1.7) | -14  | (1.5) | <b>0.72</b>  | (0.06) | <b>0.29</b>  | (0.09) |
| Slovak Republic             | -11   | (1.9) | -9   | (1.7) | 0.92   | (0.05) | <b>0.21</b>  | (0.12) |
| Slovenia                    | -12   | (2.0) | -9   | (1.9) | 0.96   | (0.09) | <b>0.36</b>  | (0.11) |
| Spain                       | -3  | (1.9) | -4   | (1.8) | 1.15   | (0.08) | 0.78   | (0.18) |
| Sweden                      | -17   | (2.4) | -20  | (2.2) | 0.85   | (0.08) | <b>0.56</b>  | (0.11) |
| Switzerland                 | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Turkey                      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| United Kingdom <sup>2</sup> | -8  | (2.9) | -10  | (2.8) | 1.16   | (0.11) | <b>0.71</b>  | (0.09) |
| United States               | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| OECD average-28             | -12   | (0.4) | -12  | (0.4) | <b>0.95</b>  | (0.02) | <b>0.60</b>  | (0.04) |
| OECD average-31             | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| <b>Partners</b>             |   |       |  |       |  |        |  |        |
| Brazil                      | -8  | (1.6) | -11  | (1.4) | 0.93   | (0.04) | 0.66   | (0.35) |
| B-S-J-G (China)             | -16   | (2.1) | -15  | (1.6) | <b>0.72</b>  | (0.05) | 0.77   | (0.19) |
| Bulgaria                    | -18   | (1.7) | -12  | (1.7) | <b>0.72</b>  | (0.05) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.08) |
| Colombia                    | -5  | (1.5) | -10  | (1.3) | 1.01   | (0.04) | 0.69   | (0.41) |
| Costa Rica                  | -8  | (1.8) | -10  | (1.4) | 0.99   | (0.05) | 0.36   | (0.32) |
| Croatia                     | -15   | (1.7) | -11  | (1.6) | 0.94   | (0.06) | <b>0.27</b>  | (0.13) |
| Cyprus*                     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Dominican Republic          | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Hong Kong (China)           | -14   | (1.7) | -14  | (1.7) | 0.87   | (0.10) | <b>0.46</b>  | (0.07) |
| Lithuania                   | -18   | (1.5) | -16  | (1.5) | <b>0.86</b>  | (0.05) | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.10) |
| Macao (China)               | -1  | (2.2) | -2   | (2.2) | <b>1.37</b>  | (0.16) | 0.86   | (0.11) |
| Montenegro                  | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Peru                        | -14   | (2.1) | -12  | (1.7) | <b>0.82</b>  | (0.04) | 0.56   | (0.38) |
| Qatar                       | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Russia                      | -12   | (1.6) | -12  | (1.5) | 0.87   | (0.07) | <b>0.38</b>  | (0.11) |
| Singapore                   | -8  | (1.8) | -15  | (2.2) | 0.83   | (0.11) | 0.89   | (0.07) |
| Chinese Taipei              | 2   | (2.1) | 0  | (1.6) | <b>1.23</b>  | (0.11) | 1.06   | (0.15) |
| Thailand                    | -9  | (1.9) | -10  | (1.7) | <b>0.85</b>  | (0.04) | 0.44   | (0.20) |
| Tunisia                     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| United Arab Emirates        | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Uruguay                     | -14   | (1.8) | -14  | (1.6) | <b>0.86</b>  | (0.04) | <b>0.29</b>  | (0.16) |
| Malaysia**                  | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status.

2. Only the United Kingdom subnational entities of England, Northern Ireland and Wales participated in the ICT questionnaire.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.3.11b Index of students' self-reported ICT competence and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Index of students' self-reported ICT competence |        |                          |        |                |        |                |        |               |        | Performance in collaborative problem solving, by national quarter of the index of students' self-reported ICT competence |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                      |       |  |
|-----------------------------|---|--------|--------------------------|--------|----------------|--------|----------------|--------|---------------|--------|--|--------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|---------------|-------|-------------|-------|----------------------|-------|--|
|                             | All students                                    |        | Variability of the index |        | Bottom quarter |        | Second quarter |        | Third quarter |        | Top quarter  |        | Bottom quarter |       | Second quarter |       | Third quarter |       | Top quarter |       | Top – bottom quarter |       |  |
|                             | Mean index                                      | S.E.   | S.D.                     | S.E.   | Mean index     | S.E.   | Mean index     | S.E.   | Mean index    | S.E.   | Mean index   | S.E.   | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score    | S.E.  | Mean score  | S.E.  | Score dif.           | S.E.  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |   |        |                          |        |                |        |                |        |               |        |  |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                      |       |  |
| Australia                   | 0.21  | (0.01) | 0.94                     | (0.01) | -0.92          | (0.01) | -0.09          | (0.01) | 0.33          | (0.01) | 1.51   | (0.02) | 535            | (3.3) | 523            | (3.3) | 548           | (3.2) | 547         | (3.7) | <b>12</b>            | (5.2) |  |
| Austria                     | -0.08   | (0.02) | 1.07                     | (0.01) | -1.37          | (0.02) | -0.51          | (0.02) | 0.21          | (0.03) | 1.36   | (0.02) | 504            | (4.0) | 520            | (4.3) | 519           | (4.2) | 520         | (3.8) | <b>16</b>            | (5.3) |  |
| Belgium                     | 0.05  | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.07          | (0.02) | -0.26          | (0.01) | 0.14          | (0.01) | 1.39   | (0.03) | 518            | (3.3) | 510            | (3.5) | 509           | (3.2) | 501         | (3.5) | <b>-17</b>           | (4.0) |  |
| Canada                      | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Chile                       | 0.09  | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.06          | (0.02) | -0.22          | (0.01) | 0.23          | (0.02) | 1.39   | (0.02) | 451            | (3.9) | 464            | (3.9) | 463           | (4.0) | 474         | (3.9) | <b>23</b>            | (5.2) |  |
| Czech Republic              | -0.10   | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.22          | (0.02) | -0.45          | (0.02) | 0.07          | (0.01) | 1.19   | (0.02) | 498            | (3.4) | 503            | (3.3) | 504           | (3.4) | 510         | (4.1) | <b>12</b>            | (4.6) |  |
| Denmark                     | 0.25  | (0.02) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -0.88          | (0.02) | -0.08          | (0.01) | 0.38          | (0.02) | 1.56   | (0.02) | 528            | (3.9) | 518            | (3.0) | 530           | (3.8) | 533         | (3.6) | <b>5</b>             | (4.4) |  |
| Estonia                     | -0.05   | (0.01) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -1.13          | (0.02) | -0.39          | (0.02) | 0.09          | (0.01) | 1.25   | (0.02) | 538            | (4.3) | 544            | (3.9) | 527           | (3.6) | 544         | (4.0) | <b>6</b>             | (5.0) |  |
| Finland                     | -0.08   | (0.01) | 0.90                     | (0.01) | -1.16          | (0.02) | -0.34          | (0.01) | 0.04          | (0.01) | 1.13   | (0.03) | 536            | (4.0) | 551            | (3.7) | 528           | (3.7) | 540         | (3.6) | <b>3</b>             | (4.5) |  |
| France                      | 0.23  | (0.01) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -1.01          | (0.02) | -0.15          | (0.01) | 0.41          | (0.02) | 1.67   | (0.02) | 506            | (3.7) | 501            | (3.6) | 514           | (3.5) | 499         | (4.8) | <b>-7</b>            | (4.6) |  |
| Germany                     | -0.05   | (0.01) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.28          | (0.02) | -0.47          | (0.01) | 0.20          | (0.02) | 1.35   | (0.02) | 539            | (3.6) | 540            | (4.7) | 535           | (3.9) | 534         | (4.7) | <b>-5</b>            | (5.2) |  |
| Greece                      | 0.05  | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.08          | (0.02) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.19          | (0.02) | 1.35   | (0.02) | 449            | (4.6) | 465            | (4.4) | 470           | (4.1) | 478         | (4.5) | <b>30</b>            | (5.2) |  |
| Hungary                     | 0.07  | (0.02) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.10          | (0.02) | -0.23          | (0.02) | 0.16          | (0.02) | 1.44   | (0.03) | 467            | (4.5) | 474            | (4.2) | 483           | (3.9) | 485         | (3.8) | <b>19</b>            | (5.7) |  |
| Iceland                     | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.93                     | (0.01) | -1.11          | (0.03) | -0.29          | (0.02) | 0.11          | (0.02) | 1.26   | (0.03) | 504            | (4.8) | 507            | (3.9) | 493           | (4.3) | 515         | (3.9) | <b>12</b>            | (5.1) |  |
| Ireland                     | 0.21  | (0.01) | 0.90                     | (0.01) | -0.86          | (0.02) | -0.10          | (0.01) | 0.35          | (0.02) | 1.46   | (0.02) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Israel                      | -0.02   | (0.02) | 1.09                     | (0.01) | -1.35          | (0.03) | -0.33          | (0.03) | 0.15          | (0.02) | 1.44   | (0.03) | 464            | (6.2) | 484            | (5.2) | 483           | (5.2) | 494         | (4.5) | <b>31</b>            | (7.0) |  |
| Italy                       | -0.02   | (0.01) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -1.09          | (0.02) | -0.31          | (0.02) | 0.10          | (0.01) | 1.22   | (0.02) | 482            | (4.0) | 488            | (4.3) | 482           | (4.0) | 485         | (3.5) | <b>2</b>             | (4.6) |  |
| Japan                       | -0.94   | (0.02) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -2.16          | (0.02) | -1.20          | (0.01) | -0.79         | (0.01) | 0.39   | (0.03) | 543            | (3.9) | 559            | (3.5) | 563           | (3.3) | 550         | (3.8) | <b>7</b>             | (4.6) |  |
| Korea                       | -0.57   | (0.02) | 0.89                     | (0.01) | -1.58          | (0.02) | -0.89          | (0.01) | -0.33         | (0.02) | 1.52   | (0.03) | 529            | (3.7) | 550            | (2.9) | 538           | (3.4) | 539         | (3.7) | <b>9</b>             | (3.7) |  |
| Latvia                      | -0.13   | (0.01) | 0.90                     | (0.01) | -1.18          | (0.02) | -0.43          | (0.01) | 0.00          | (0.01) | 1.07   | (0.03) | 478            | (3.4) | 485            | (4.1) | 484           | (4.4) | 503         | (3.4) | <b>25</b>            | (4.5) |  |
| Luxembourg                  | 0.01  | (0.02) | 1.07                     | (0.01) | -1.28          | (0.02) | -0.37          | (0.02) | 0.23          | (0.02) | 1.47   | (0.02) | 494            | (3.7) | 502            | (3.6) | 501           | (3.9) | 509         | (3.1) | <b>15</b>            | (5.1) |  |
| Mexico                      | -0.09   | (0.02) | 1.04                     | (0.01) | -1.34          | (0.02) | -0.43          | (0.02) | 0.09          | (0.01) | 1.32   | (0.03) | 418            | (3.1) | 433            | (3.0) | 439           | (3.1) | 457         | (3.7) | <b>39</b>            | (3.8) |  |
| Netherlands                 | -0.04   | (0.01) | 0.85                     | (0.01) | -1.01          | (0.02) | -0.31          | (0.02) | 0.05          | (0.01) | 1.12   | (0.02) | 522            | (4.2) | 518            | (3.1) | 513           | (3.5) | 526         | (4.0) | <b>4</b>             | (4.6) |  |
| New Zealand                 | 0.21  | (0.02) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -0.87          | (0.02) | -0.07          | (0.01) | 0.31          | (0.03) | 1.46   | (0.02) | 537            | (4.8) | 529            | (4.9) | 556           | (4.6) | 552         | (4.1) | <b>15</b>            | (6.1) |  |
| Norway                      | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Poland                      | 0.02  | (0.01) | 0.94                     | (0.01) | -1.07          | (0.02) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.10          | (0.01) | 1.30   | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Portugal                    | 0.39  | (0.01) | 0.92                     | (0.01) | -0.68          | (0.02) | 0.02           | (0.00) | 0.50          | (0.03) | 1.70   | (0.02) | 501            | (3.7) | 480            | (3.7) | 517           | (4.3) | 505         | (3.9) | <b>3</b>             | (5.4) |  |
| Slovak Republic             | -0.13   | (0.02) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.25          | (0.02) | -0.43          | (0.02) | 0.02          | (0.00) | 1.14   | (0.03) | 458            | (4.3) | 468            | (3.5) | 468           | (3.6) | 479         | (3.6) | <b>22</b>            | (5.1) |  |
| Slovenia                    | 0.06  | (0.02) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.07          | (0.02) | -0.24          | (0.02) | 0.15          | (0.02) | 1.39   | (0.03) | 508            | (4.0) | 503            | (3.8) | 507           | (4.1) | 510         | (4.2) | <b>2</b>             | (5.4) |  |
| Spain                       | 0.15  | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -0.98          | (0.02) | -0.19          | (0.01) | 0.32          | (0.02) | 1.46   | (0.02) | 495            | (3.6) | 495            | (3.4) | 506           | (3.1) | 506         | (3.1) | <b>11</b>            | (4.5) |  |
| Sweden                      | 0.27  | (0.02) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -1.00          | (0.02) | -0.07          | (0.01) | 0.46          | (0.03) | 1.68   | (0.02) | 520            | (4.4) | 502            | (4.0) | 537           | (5.3) | 521         | (4.4) | <b>1</b>             | (5.0) |  |
| Switzerland                 | 0.05  | (0.02) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -1.20          | (0.03) | -0.36          | (0.02) | 0.29          | (0.02) | 1.46   | (0.02) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Turkey                      | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| United Kingdom <sup>2</sup> | 0.34  | (0.02) | 0.93                     | (0.01) | -0.76          | (0.02) | -0.01          | (0.01) | 0.51          | (0.03) | 1.63   | (0.02) | 528            | (5.0) | 514            | (4.4) | 544           | (4.5) | 531         | (4.6) | <b>3</b>             | (6.1) |  |
| United States               | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| OECD average-28             | 0.00  | (0.00) | 0.97                     | (0.00) | -1.14          | (0.00) | -0.32          | (0.00) | 0.16          | (0.00) | 1.32   | (0.00) | 502            | (0.8) | 505            | (0.7) | 509           | (0.7) | 512         | (0.7) | <b>11</b>            | (1.0) |  |
| OECD average-31             | 0.01  | (0.00) | 0.97                     | (0.00) | -1.13          | (0.00) | -0.31          | (0.00) | 0.16          | (0.00) | 1.32   | (0.00) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| <b>Partners</b>             |   |        |                          |        |                |        |                |        |               |        |  |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                      |       |  |
| Brazil                      | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.97                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.02) | -0.28          | (0.02) | 0.08          | (0.01) | 1.30   | (0.03) | 410            | (4.3) | 426            | (4.3) | 428           | (4.9) | 445         | (4.0) | <b>34</b>            | (4.1) |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)             | -0.50   | (0.01) | 0.78                     | (0.01) | -1.37          | (0.02) | -0.77          | (0.01) | -0.32         | (0.02) | 0.47   | (0.02) | 491            | (5.3) | 503            | (4.4) | 505           | (4.8) | 497         | (5.2) | <b>6</b>             | (5.5) |  |
| Bulgaria                    | -0.01   | (0.02) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.23          | (0.03) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.09          | (0.02) | 1.35   | (0.03) | 438            | (5.7) | 465            | (4.2) | 452           | (5.2) | 481         | (5.4) | <b>43</b>            | (6.5) |  |
| Colombia                    | -0.02   | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.16          | (0.03) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.08          | (0.01) | 1.25   | (0.02) | 414            | (3.9) | 434            | (3.3) | 440           | (3.2) | 459         | (3.7) | <b>45</b>            | (4.5) |  |
| Costa Rica                  | 0.06  | (0.02) | 1.00                     | (0.01) | -1.13          | (0.02) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.18          | (0.02) | 1.43   | (0.02) | 434            | (3.5) | 443            | (3.5) | 449           | (3.1) | 457         | (3.6) | <b>23</b>            | (4.1) |  |
| Croatia                     | 0.17  | (0.01) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.02          | (0.02) | -0.12          | (0.01) | 0.28          | (0.02) | 1.53   | (0.02) | 464            | (3.7) | 472            | (3.6) | 488           | (3.8) | 488         | (3.3) | <b>23</b>            | (3.9) |  |
| Cyprus*                     | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Dominican Republic          | -0.05   | (0.02) | 1.13                     | (0.02) | -1.47          | (0.04) | -0.35          | (0.03) | 0.20          | (0.03) | 1.42   | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Hong Kong (China)           | -0.07   | (0.01) | 0.82                     | (0.01) | -1.01          | (0.02) | -0.24          | (0.01) | 0.02          | (0.00) | 0.96   | (0.03) | 547            | (4.0) | 543            | (4.1) | 534           | (3.6) | 549         | (4.1) | <b>3</b>             | (4.2) |  |
| Lithuania                   | 0.01  | (0.02) | 1.11                     | (0.01) | -1.36          | (0.02) | -0.37          | (0.02) | 0.31          | (0.02) | 1.47   | (0.02) | 443            | (3.4) | 464            | (3.5) | 483           | (3.7) | 504         | (3.4) | <b>61</b>            | (3.9) |  |
| Macao (China)               | -0.16   | (0.01) | 0.77                     | (0.01) | -1.03          | (0.01) | -0.44          | (0.01) | 0.00          | (0.01) | 0.82   | (0.03) | 544            | (2.5) | 537            | (3.1) | 521           | (3.1) | 536         | (3.3) | <b>-8</b>            | (4.3) |  |
| Montenegro                  | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Peru                        | -0.27   | (0.01) | 0.88                     | (0.01) | -1.28          | (0.02) | -0.59          | (0.01) | -0.09         | (0.01) | 0.88   | (0.03) | 413            | (3.8) | 428            | (3.9) | 432           | (3.1) | 448         | (4.8) | <b>35</b>            | (5.4) |  |
| Qatar                       | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Russia                      | -0.04   | (0.01) | 0.88                     | (0.01) | -1.05          | (0.02) | -0.24          | (0.02) | 0.02          | (0.00) | 1.11   | (0.04) | 477            | (4.8) | 476            | (5.3) | 472           | (4.4) | 488         | (4.4) | <b>11</b>            | (5.1) |  |
| Singapore                   | -0.01   | (0.01) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -1.07          | (0.02) | -0.31          | (0.02) | 0.09          | (0.01) | 1.25   | (0.02) | 568            | (2.8) | 566            | (2.7) | 547           | (3.0) | 570         | (3.2) | <b>2</b>             | (4.6) |  |
| Chinese Taipei              | -0.16   | (0.01) | 0.88                     | (0.01) | -1.16          | (0.01) | -0.46          | (0.01) | 0.00          | (0.01) | 0.99   | (0.03) | 530            | (3.8) | 531            | (3.3) | 511           | (3.8) | 538         | (3.6) | <b>8</b>             | (4.3) |  |
| Thailand                    | -0.25   | (0.02) | 0.81                     | (0.01) | -1.22          | (0.02) | -0.44          | (0.02) | 0.02          | (0.01) | 0.66   | (0.03) | 430            | (4.7) | 440            | (4.5) | 430           | (3.6) | 455         | (5.0) | <b>24</b>            | (4.7) |  |
| Tunisia                     | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| United Arab Emirates        | m   | m      | m                        | m      | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m  | m      | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                    | m     |  |
| Uruguay                     | 0.07  | (0.02) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.03) | -0.19          | (0.01) | 0.18          | (0.02) | 1.45   | (      |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                      |       |  |



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**Table V.3.11b Index of students' self-reported ICT competence and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per one-unit change on the index of students' self-reported ICT competence |       |  |       | Increased likelihood of students in the bottom quarter of the index of students' self-reported ICT competence scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) |       | Increased likelihood of students in the top quarter of students' self-reported ICT competence scoring at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (at or above 640 score points) |       |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|
|                             | Before accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>   |       | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       | Relative risk   | S.E.  | Relative risk  | S.E.  |
|                             | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  |   |       |  |       |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Australia                   | 8  | (1.9) | 5  | (1.9) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.1) |
| Austria                     | 5  | (1.9) | 3  | (1.7) | <b>1.4</b>  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.1) |
| Belgium                     | -5   | (1.4) | -3   | (1.3) | 0.9   | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>   | (0.1) |
| Canada                      | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Chile                       | 9  | (1.7) | 5  | (1.6) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.5) |
| Czech Republic              | 5  | (1.7) | 3  | (1.7) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.2) |
| Denmark                     | 4  | (1.6) | 2  | (1.6) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.2) |
| Estonia                     | 2  | (1.9) | 0  | (1.9) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.1) |
| Finland                     | 0  | (1.8) | -2   | (1.7) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.1) |
| France                      | 0  | (1.5) | -1   | (1.4) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 0.8  | (0.2) |
| Germany                     | -1   | (1.8) | -1   | (1.7) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 0.9  | (0.1) |
| Greece                      | <b>11</b>  | (1.9) | 7  | (1.8) | <b>1.3</b>  | (0.1) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.5) |
| Hungary                     | 9  | (2.0) | 5  | (1.5) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.2) |
| Iceland                     | 5  | (1.8) | 4  | (1.8) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.2) |
| Ireland                     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Israel                      | <b>12</b>  | (2.1) | 8  | (1.7) | <b>1.3</b>  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.2) |
| Italy                       | 2  | (1.7) | 3  | (1.6) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 0.9  | (0.2) |
| Japan                       | 4  | (1.7) | 3  | (1.6) | <b>1.5</b>  | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.1) |
| Korea                       | 6  | (1.6) | 3  | (1.5) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.2) |
| Latvia                      | <b>10</b>  | (1.8) | 7  | (1.8) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.4) |
| Luxembourg                  | 6  | (1.6) | 3  | (1.5) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | 1.2  | (0.2) |
| Mexico                      | <b>15</b>  | (1.2) | 6  | (1.1) | <b>1.3</b>  | (0.0) | 3.6  | (2.8) |
| Netherlands                 | 1  | (1.9) | -1   | (1.7) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.2) |
| New Zealand                 | 9  | (2.6) | 6  | (2.6) | 1.2   | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.1) |
| Norway                      | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Poland                      | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Portugal                    | 5  | (2.2) | 2  | (2.1) | 1.0   | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.3) |
| Slovak Republic             | 8  | (1.8) | 1  | (1.6) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.3) |
| Slovenia                    | 2  | (1.8) | 2  | (1.7) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.2) |
| Spain                       | 6  | (1.6) | 5  | (1.5) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.2) |
| Sweden                      | 5  | (1.7) | 1  | (1.6) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.1) |
| Switzerland                 | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Turkey                      | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| United Kingdom <sup>2</sup> | 4  | (2.2) | 3  | (2.0) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.1) |
| United States               | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| OECD average-28             | 5  | (0.3) | 3  | (0.3) | <b>1.1</b>  | (0.0) | <b>1.2</b>   | (0.1) |
| OECD average-31             | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| <b>Partners</b>             |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Brazil                      | <b>14</b>  | (1.5) | 6  | (1.3) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.0) | 1.6  | (0.7) |
| B-S-J-G (China)             | 9  | (2.4) | -6   | (1.9) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.6) |
| Bulgaria                    | <b>16</b>  | (2.1) | <b>10</b>  | (1.8) | <b>1.3</b>  | (0.1) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.5) |
| Colombia                    | <b>18</b>  | (1.7) | <b>10</b>  | (1.6) | <b>1.3</b>  | (0.0) | <b>2.8</b>   | (1.1) |
| Costa Rica                  | <b>10</b>  | (1.4) | 5  | (1.3) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.0) | 1.1  | (0.7) |
| Croatia                     | <b>10</b>  | (1.4) | 7  | (1.3) | <b>1.3</b>  | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.4) |
| Cyprus*                     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Dominican Republic          | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)           | 3  | (1.8) | 2  | (1.7) | 0.9   | (0.1) | <b>1.3</b>   | (0.1) |
| Lithuania                   | <b>22</b>  | (1.2) | <b>16</b>  | (1.1) | <b>1.7</b>  | (0.1) | <b>2.6</b>   | (0.6) |
| Macao (China)               | -3   | (2.4) | -4   | (2.4) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | 1.2  | (0.2) |
| Montenegro                  | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Peru                        | <b>15</b>  | (2.1) | 3  | (1.7) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.0) | 2.2  | (1.1) |
| Qatar                       | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Russia                      | 6  | (1.9) | 1  | (1.8) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.3) |
| Singapore                   | 1  | (1.8) | -3   | (1.8) | 0.8   | (0.1) | <b>1.2</b>   | (0.1) |
| Chinese Taipei              | 4  | (1.5) | 1  | (1.4) | 1.0   | (0.1) | <b>1.4</b>   | (0.2) |
| Thailand                    | <b>13</b>  | (2.0) | 5  | (1.8) | <b>1.1</b>  | (0.0) | <b>3.0</b>   | (1.0) |
| Tunisia                     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| United Arab Emirates        | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Uruguay                     | 7  | (1.8) | 3  | (1.7) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.5) |
| Malaysia**                  | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status.

2. Only the United Kingdom subnational entities of England, Northern Ireland and Wales participated in the ICT questionnaire.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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**Table V.3.12 Low self-reported ICT competence and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Percentage of students whose index of self-reported ICT competence is... |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving among students whose self-reported ICT competence is... |       |                 |       |                 |       |  |  | Relative performance <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving among students whose self-reported ICT competence is... |       |                 |       |  |            |      |            |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|--|-------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|-------|-----------------|-------|--|------------|------|------------|
|                             | ... below -1.00  |       | ... above -1.00  |       | ... below -1.00 |       | ... above -1.00 |       | Difference (above -1.00 minus below -1.00) | Increased likelihood of students with an index of self-reported ICT competence below -1.00 scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) | ... below -1.00  |       | ... above -1.00 |       | Difference (above -1.00 minus below -1.00) |            |      |            |
|                             | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | Mean score      | S.E.  | Mean score      | S.E.  |  |  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Relative risk   | S.E.  |  | Score dif. | S.E. | Score dif. |
|                             |  |       |  |       |                 |       |                 |       |  |  |  |       |                 |       |  |            |      |            |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |  |       |  |       |                 |       |                 |       |  |  |  |       |                 |       |  |            |      |            |
| Australia                   | 7.8  | (0.3) | 92.2   | (0.3) | 517             | (5.3) | 540             | (2.0) | 23   | (5.5)  | 1.3  | (0.1) | 18              | (4.0) | 21   | (1.6)      | 3    | (4.4)      |
| Austria                     | 19.4   | (0.6) | 80.6   | (0.6) | 501             | (4.3) | 519             | (2.8) | 18   | (4.9)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | 10              | (2.7) | 11   | (2.2)      | 1    | (3.0)      |
| Belgium                     | 10.2   | (0.3) | 89.8   | (0.3) | 505             | (5.1) | 510             | (2.3) | 5  | (4.7)  | 1.0  | (0.1) | 0               | (2.9) | -7   | (1.4)      | -6   | (3.1)      |
| Canada                      | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Chile                       | 10.6   | (0.4) | 89.4   | (0.4) | 442             | (4.8) | 465             | (2.7) | 23   | (4.8)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | -6              | (3.3) | -5   | (2.2)      | 1    | (3.7)      |
| Czech Republic              | 13.2   | (0.5) | 86.8   | (0.5) | 487             | (4.5) | 506             | (2.2) | 20   | (4.7)  | 1.3  | (0.1) | -2              | (3.3) | 0  | (1.9)      | 2    | (3.0)      |
| Denmark                     | 6.4  | (0.4) | 93.6   | (0.4) | 512             | (6.9) | 528             | (2.4) | 17   | (6.6)  | 1.2  | (0.2) | 16              | (5.1) | 13   | (1.7)      | -3   | (5.1)      |
| Estonia                     | 12.3   | (0.5) | 87.7   | (0.5) | 531             | (5.4) | 539             | (2.5) | 8  | (5.6)  | 1.1  | (0.2) | 11              | (3.8) | 5  | (1.9)      | -6   | (3.6)      |
| Finland                     | 12.9   | (0.5) | 87.1   | (0.5) | 525             | (5.2) | 541             | (2.4) | 15   | (4.7)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | 7               | (3.5) | 4  | (1.9)      | -3   | (3.1)      |
| France                      | 9.1  | (0.4) | 90.9   | (0.4) | 491             | (5.3) | 506             | (2.6) | 15   | (5.4)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | -8              | (4.1) | -9   | (2.2)      | -1   | (4.5)      |
| Germany                     | 16.6   | (0.5) | 83.4   | (0.5) | 538             | (3.9) | 537             | (3.0) | -1   | (4.0)  | 0.8  | (0.1) | 22              | (2.8) | 11   | (2.1)      | -10  | (2.9)      |
| Greece                      | 10.2   | (0.5) | 89.8   | (0.5) | 441             | (6.4) | 468             | (3.2) | 27   | (5.6)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | -15             | (4.0) | -11  | (1.6)      | 4    | (3.8)      |
| Hungary                     | 10.9   | (0.4) | 89.1   | (0.4) | 441             | (5.7) | 482             | (2.6) | 41   | (5.7)  | 1.5  | (0.1) | -15             | (3.9) | -11  | (1.7)      | 4    | (3.8)      |
| Iceland                     | 11.7   | (0.6) | 88.3   | (0.6) | 493             | (6.7) | 506             | (2.3) | 13   | (6.4)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | 15              | (4.7) | 15   | (1.7)      | 0    | (4.6)      |
| Ireland                     | 6.6  | (0.3) | 93.4   | (0.3) | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Israel                      | 16.0   | (0.8) | 84.0   | (0.8) | 450             | (7.7) | 487             | (3.6) | 37   | (6.8)  | 1.3  | (0.1) | -14             | (3.9) | -12  | (2.0)      | 1    | (4.2)      |
| Italy                       | 11.3   | (0.5) | 88.7   | (0.5) | 474             | (5.6) | 485             | (2.9) | 11   | (6.0)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | -10             | (4.1) | -13  | (2.1)      | -3   | (4.4)      |
| Japan                       | 49.3   | (0.8) | 50.7   | (0.8) | 551             | (3.2) | 557             | (2.7) | 6  | (2.8)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | 22              | (1.9) | 18   | (2.2)      | -3   | (2.1)      |
| Korea                       | 30.8   | (0.8) | 69.2   | (0.8) | 534             | (3.2) | 541             | (2.6) | 8  | (2.7)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | 22              | (2.3) | 17   | (2.0)      | -5   | (1.9)      |
| Latvia                      | 12.7   | (0.5) | 87.3   | (0.5) | 472             | (4.6) | 490             | (2.3) | 17   | (4.7)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | -12             | (3.6) | -10  | (1.7)      | 1    | (3.6)      |
| Luxembourg                  | 15.7   | (0.6) | 84.3   | (0.6) | 485             | (4.4) | 504             | (1.9) | 20   | (4.9)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | 4               | (3.5) | 1  | (1.8)      | -4   | (3.6)      |
| Mexico                      | 16.0   | (0.6) | 84.0   | (0.6) | 408             | (3.4) | 442             | (2.5) | 34   | (3.2)  | 1.3  | (0.0) | -6              | (2.5) | -1   | (1.6)      | 4    | (2.5)      |
| Netherlands                 | 9.8  | (0.4) | 90.2   | (0.4) | 517             | (5.1) | 520             | (2.4) | 3  | (4.8)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | 19              | (4.2) | 5  | (1.6)      | -14  | (4.0)      |
| New Zealand                 | 7.1  | (0.5) | 92.9   | (0.5) | 522             | (8.6) | 545             | (2.6) | 23   | (8.4)  | 1.3  | (0.2) | 9               | (5.5) | 19   | (2.2)      | 10   | (5.8)      |
| Norway                      | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Poland                      | 10.0   | (0.5) | 90.0   | (0.5) | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Portugal                    | 4.7  | (0.3) | 95.3   | (0.3) | 480             | (8.7) | 502             | (2.6) | 22   | (8.4)  | 1.3  | (0.2) | -10             | (5.2) | -7   | (2.0)      | 3    | (5.2)      |
| Slovak Republic             | 15.0   | (0.6) | 85.0   | (0.6) | 448             | (4.9) | 472             | (2.3) | 24   | (4.6)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | -2              | (3.4) | -11  | (1.7)      | -9   | (3.3)      |
| Slovenia                    | 10.9   | (0.5) | 89.1   | (0.5) | 502             | (5.1) | 507             | (1.8) | 6  | (5.0)  | 1.0  | (0.1) | -15             | (4.1) | -12  | (1.9)      | 3    | (3.8)      |
| Spain                       | 8.7  | (0.4) | 91.3   | (0.4) | 484             | (5.1) | 502             | (2.1) | 18   | (4.7)  | 1.3  | (0.1) | -4              | (3.4) | -3   | (1.7)      | 1    | (3.4)      |
| Sweden                      | 9.2  | (0.5) | 90.8   | (0.5) | 501             | (5.9) | 522             | (3.3) | 21   | (5.7)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | 13              | (3.9) | 7  | (2.1)      | -6   | (3.5)      |
| Switzerland                 | 14.2   | (0.8) | 85.8   | (0.8) | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Turkey                      | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| United Kingdom <sup>2</sup> | 5.3  | (0.4) | 94.7   | (0.4) | 500             | (9.0) | 531             | (3.0) | 31   | (8.9)  | 1.4  | (0.2) | 10              | (6.3) | 11   | (2.5)      | 1    | (6.4)      |
| United States               | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| OECD average-28             | 13.4   | (0.1) | 86.6   | (0.1) | 491             | (1.1) | 509             | (0.5) | 18   | (1.1)  | 1.2  | (0.0) | 3               | (0.7) | 2  | (0.4)      | -1   | (0.7)      |
| OECD average-31             | 13.1   | (0.1) | 86.9   | (0.1) | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| <b>Partners</b>             |  |       |  |       |                 |       |                 |       |  |  |  |       |                 |       |  |            |      |            |
| Brazil                      | 11.4   | (0.5) | 88.6   | (0.5) | 393             | (4.4) | 432             | (3.5) | 39   | (4.4)  | 1.1  | (0.0) | -10             | (3.6) | -9   | (2.4)      | 0    | (3.9)      |
| B-S-J-G (China)             | 22.3   | (0.7) | 77.7   | (0.7) | 491             | (5.0) | 502             | (4.0) | 11   | (4.1)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | -8              | (2.9) | -22  | (1.7)      | -13  | (2.7)      |
| Bulgaria                    | 12.1   | (0.6) | 87.9   | (0.6) | 411             | (5.7) | 466             | (3.5) | 55   | (5.2)  | 1.3  | (0.1) | -15             | (3.0) | -11  | (2.0)      | 4    | (3.5)      |
| Colombia                    | 11.7   | (0.5) | 88.3   | (0.5) | 394             | (4.3) | 443             | (2.3) | 48   | (4.3)  | 1.4  | (0.0) | -10             | (3.0) | -6   | (1.6)      | 4    | (3.1)      |
| Costa Rica                  | 11.0   | (0.4) | 89.0   | (0.4) | 424             | (4.0) | 449             | (2.5) | 25   | (3.7)  | 1.2  | (0.0) | 3               | (3.5) | 3  | (2.0)      | 0    | (3.4)      |
| Croatia                     | 8.4  | (0.4) | 91.6   | (0.4) | 445             | (5.4) | 481             | (2.5) | 36   | (5.2)  | 1.4  | (0.1) | -20             | (3.8) | -13  | (1.6)      | 6    | (4.0)      |
| Cyprus*                     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Dominican Republic          | 17.3   | (0.8) | 82.7   | (0.8) | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Hong Kong (China)           | 9.5  | (0.4) | 90.5   | (0.4) | 523             | (6.1) | 545             | (2.9) | 22   | (5.5)  | 1.5  | (0.2) | 13              | (4.2) | 15   | (2.2)      | 1    | (3.9)      |
| Lithuania                   | 16.7   | (0.6) | 83.3   | (0.6) | 435             | (3.9) | 481             | (2.4) | 46   | (3.7)  | 1.5  | (0.1) | -16             | (2.5) | -16  | (1.4)      | 0    | (2.4)      |
| Macao (China)               | 9.5  | (0.5) | 90.5   | (0.5) | 537             | (4.8) | 534             | (1.5) | -2   | (5.5)  | 1.0  | (0.1) | 13              | (3.3) | 9  | (1.4)      | -4   | (3.8)      |
| Montenegro                  | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Peru                        | 16.1   | (0.6) | 83.9   | (0.6) | 406             | (3.8) | 435             | (2.9) | 29   | (3.8)  | 1.1  | (0.0) | 1               | (2.7) | 2  | (1.9)      | 1    | (2.7)      |
| Qatar                       | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Russia                      | 9.2  | (0.4) | 90.8   | (0.4) | 454             | (5.3) | 481             | (3.5) | 26   | (5.5)  | 1.3  | (0.1) | -27             | (3.9) | -22  | (2.4)      | 5    | (4.5)      |
| Singapore                   | 11.5   | (0.5) | 88.5   | (0.5) | 558             | (4.0) | 564             | (1.3) | 6  | (4.3)  | 1.1  | (0.1) | 18              | (3.6) | 14   | (1.3)      | -4   | (3.7)      |
| Chinese Taipei              | 14.0   | (0.4) | 86.0   | (0.4) | 520             | (4.6) | 529             | (2.5) | 9  | (4.3)  | 1.3  | (0.1) | 4               | (3.5) | 3  | (2.0)      | -1   | (3.4)      |
| Thailand                    | 15.0   | (0.5) | 85.0   | (0.5) | 419             | (4.4) | 443             | (3.6) | 24   | (3.6)  | 1.2  | (0.0) | -4              | (3.2) | 3  | (2.0)      | 7    | (3.0)      |
| Tunisia                     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| United Arab Emirates        | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |
| Uruguay                     | 11.0   | (0.5) | 89.0   | (0.5) | 423             | (4.7) | 461             | (2.6) | 38   | (4.5)  | 1.2  | (0.1) | -9              | (3.4) | -8   | (2.0)      | 0    | (3.5)      |
| Malaysia**                  | m  | m     | m  | m     | m               | m     | m               | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m               | m     | m  | m          | m    | m          |

1. Relative scores are the residuals obtained from a pooled linear regression, across all participating countries/economies, of performance in collaborative problem solving over performance in science, reading and/or mathematics.

2. Only the United Kingdom subnational entities of England, Northern Ireland and Wales participated in the ICT questionnaire.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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**Table V.4.1a** Variation in collaborative problem-solving performance

|                      | Mean performance in collaborative problem solving |       | Variation in collaborative problem-solving performance |       |                                       |       |                         |       | As a percentage of the average total variation in collaborative problem-solving performance across OECD countries |                          |                         | Index of intra-class correlation <sup>3</sup> |       |   |
|----------------------|---|-------|--|-------|---------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|---|-------|---|
|                      |   |       | Total variation <sup>1</sup>                           |       | Between-school variation <sup>2</sup> |       | Within-school variation |       | Total variation   | Between-school variation | Within-school variation |   |       |   |
|                      |   |       | Mean score   | S.E.  | Variance                              | S.E.  | Variance                | S.E.  | Variance  | S.E.                     | %                       |   |       | % |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |  |       |                                       |       |                         |       |   |                          |                         |   |       |   |
| Australia            | 531   | (1.9) | 11 374   | (283) | 1 975                                 | (164) | 9 536                   | (211) | 125.6   | 21.8                     | 105.3                   | 17.2  | (1.2) |   |
| Austria              | 509   | (2.6) | 9 680  | (293) | 3 274                                 | (291) | 6 333                   | (197) | 106.9   | 36.1                     | 69.9                    | 34.1  | (2.2) |   |
| Belgium              | 501   | (2.4) | 9 731  | (284) | 3 407                                 | (292) | 6 265                   | (144) | 107.4   | 37.6                     | 69.2                    | 35.2  | (2.1) |   |
| Canada               | 535   | (2.3) | 10 861   | (204) | 1 546                                 | (135) | 9 266                   | (179) | 119.9   | 17.1                     | 102.3                   | 14.3  | (1.1) |   |
| Chile                | 457   | (2.7) | 7 065  | (219) | 2 000                                 | (197) | 4 999                   | (145) | 78.0  | 22.1                     | 55.2                    | 28.6  | (2.1) |   |
| Czech Republic       | 499   | (2.2) | 8 277  | (255) | 2 534                                 | (248) | 5 594                   | (188) | 91.4  | 28.0                     | 61.8                    | 31.2  | (2.3) |   |
| Denmark              | 520   | (2.5) | 8 139  | (220) | 1 081                                 | (144) | 7 009                   | (189) | 89.9  | 11.9                     | 77.4                    | 13.4  | (1.6) |   |
| Estonia              | 535   | (2.5) | 8 160  | (237) | 1 437                                 | (201) | 6 656                   | (194) | 90.1  | 15.9                     | 73.5                    | 17.8  | (2.2) |   |
| Finland              | 534   | (2.6) | 10 298   | (298) | 638                                   | (132) | 9 555                   | (247) | 113.7   | 7.0                      | 105.5                   | 6.3   | (1.2) |   |
| France               | 494   | (2.4) | w  | w     | w                                     | w     | w                       | w     | w   | w                        | w                       | w   | w     |   |
| Germany              | 525   | (2.8) | 10 198   | (294) | 3 199                                 | (270) | 6 987                   | (192) | 112.6   | 35.3                     | 77.1                    | 31.4  | (2.0) |   |
| Greece               | 459   | (3.6) | 8 489  | (287) | 2 329                                 | (304) | 6 047                   | (189) | 93.7  | 25.7                     | 66.8                    | 27.8  | (2.8) |   |
| Hungary              | 472   | (2.4) | 9 101  | (312) | 4 088                                 | (366) | 4 791                   | (119) | 100.5   | 45.1                     | 52.9                    | 46.0  | (2.4) |   |
| Iceland              | 499   | (2.3) | 8 926  | (351) | 387                                   | (162) | 8 704                   | (441) | 98.5  | 4.3                      | 96.1                    | 4.3   | (1.8) |   |
| Ireland              | m   | m     | m  | m     | m                                     | m     | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     |   |
| Israel               | 469   | (3.6) | 11 058   | (381) | 4 777                                 | (419) | 6 280                   | (298) | 122.1   | 52.7                     | 69.3                    | 43.2  | (2.8) |   |
| Italy                | 478   | (2.5) | 9 263  | (309) | 3 084                                 | (279) | 6 132                   | (168) | 102.3   | 34.1                     | 67.7                    | 33.5  | (2.1) |   |
| Japan                | 552   | (2.7) | 7 152  | (296) | 2 013                                 | (226) | 5 107                   | (163) | 79.0  | 22.2                     | 56.4                    | 28.3  | (2.3) |   |
| Korea                | 538   | (2.5) | 7 033  | (249) | 1 469                                 | (207) | 5 529                   | (174) | 77.6  | 16.2                     | 61.0                    | 21.0  | (2.4) |   |
| Latvia               | 485   | (2.3) | 8 078  | (237) | 979                                   | (152) | 6 911                   | (189) | 89.2  | 10.8                     | 76.3                    | 12.4  | (1.7) |   |
| Luxembourg           | 491   | (1.5) | 9 958  | (207) | 2 549                                 | (423) | 7 494                   | (300) | 109.9   | 28.1                     | 82.7                    | 25.4  | (3.5) |   |
| Mexico               | 433   | (2.5) | 6 262  | (235) | 1 806                                 | (203) | 4 431                   | (137) | 69.1  | 19.9                     | 48.9                    | 28.9  | (2.4) |   |
| Netherlands          | 518   | (2.4) | 9 347  | (289) | 3 584                                 | (320) | 5 759                   | (167) | 103.2   | 39.6                     | 63.6                    | 38.4  | (2.3) |   |
| New Zealand          | 533   | (2.4) | 11 192   | (354) | 1 483                                 | (225) | 9 689                   | (303) | 123.6   | 16.4                     | 107.0                   | 13.3  | (1.8) |   |
| Norway               | 502   | (2.5) | 8 806  | (292) | 819                                   | (136) | 7 976                   | (258) | 97.2  | 9.0                      | 88.1                    | 9.3   | (1.4) |   |
| Poland               | m   | m     | m  | m     | m                                     | m     | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     |   |
| Portugal             | 498   | (2.6) | 8 317  | (233) | 1 593                                 | (178) | 6 724                   | (183) | 91.8  | 17.6                     | 74.2                    | 19.1  | (1.8) |   |
| Slovak Republic      | 463   | (2.4) | 8 637  | (286) | 2 945                                 | (302) | 5 592                   | (155) | 95.4  | 32.5                     | 61.7                    | 34.5  | (2.4) |   |
| Slovenia             | 502   | (1.8) | 8 592  | (246) | 3 091                                 | (304) | 5 339                   | (166) | 94.9  | 34.1                     | 58.9                    | 36.7  | (2.4) |   |
| Spain                | 496   | (2.1) | 7 749  | (198) | 835                                   | (118) | 6 902                   | (167) | 85.6  | 9.2                      | 76.2                    | 10.8  | (1.4) |   |
| Sweden               | 510   | (3.4) | 9 659  | (356) | 1 309                                 | (203) | 8 228                   | (253) | 106.6   | 14.5                     | 90.8                    | 13.7  | (1.9) |   |
| Switzerland          | m   | m     | m  | m     | m                                     | m     | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     |   |
| Turkey               | 422   | (3.4) | 6 100  | (245) | 2 560                                 | (259) | 3 529                   | (91)  | 67.3  | 28.3                     | 39.0                    | 42.0  | (2.6) |   |
| United Kingdom       | 519   | (2.7) | 10 609   | (231) | 1 883                                 | (203) | 8 727                   | (197) | 117.1   | 20.8                     | 96.3                    | 17.7  | (1.7) |   |
| United States        | 520   | (3.6) | 11 698   | (380) | 1 880                                 | (269) | 9 847                   | (268) | 129.1   | 20.8                     | 108.7                   | 16.0  | (1.9) |   |
| OECD average         | 500   | (0.5) | 9 058  | (50)  | 2 191                                 | (45)  | 6 825                   | (38)  | 100.0   | 24.2                     | 75.3                    | 24.6  | (0.4) |   |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |  |       |                                       |       |                         |       |   |                          |                         |   |       |   |
| Brazil               | 412   | (2.3) | 7 653  | (231) | 2 460                                 | (232) | 5 247                   | (118) | 84.5  | 27.2                     | 57.9                    | 31.9  | (2.1) |   |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 496   | (4.0) | 9 383  | (408) | 3 875                                 | (377) | 5 470                   | (163) | 103.6   | 42.8                     | 60.4                    | 41.5  | (2.5) |   |
| Bulgaria             | 444   | (3.9) | 9 563  | (327) | 4 189                                 | (366) | 5 404                   | (150) | 105.6   | 46.2                     | 59.7                    | 43.7  | (2.4) |   |
| Colombia             | 429   | (2.3) | 6 852  | (238) | 2 111                                 | (223) | 4 758                   | (165) | 75.6  | 23.3                     | 52.5                    | 30.7  | (2.4) |   |
| Costa Rica           | 441   | (2.4) | 6 026  | (205) | 1 403                                 | (197) | 4 608                   | (120) | 66.5  | 15.5                     | 50.9                    | 23.3  | (2.5) |   |
| Croatia              | 473   | (2.5) | 7 590  | (260) | 2 222                                 | (232) | 5 336                   | (168) | 83.8  | 24.5                     | 58.9                    | 29.4  | (2.3) |   |
| Cyprus*              | 444   | (1.7) | 8 326  | (238) | 1 461                                 | (250) | 6 820                   | (224) | 91.9  | 16.1                     | 75.3                    | 17.6  | (2.6) |   |
| Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m  | m     | m                                     | m     | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     |   |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 541   | (2.9) | 8 176  | (288) | 1 985                                 | (219) | 6 184                   | (190) | 90.3  | 21.9                     | 68.3                    | 24.3  | (2.0) |   |
| Lithuania            | 467   | (2.5) | 8 205  | (261) | 2 367                                 | (275) | 5 788                   | (176) | 90.6  | 26.1                     | 63.9                    | 29.0  | (2.6) |   |
| Macao (China)        | 534   | (1.2) | 8 011  | (188) | 1 700                                 | (505) | 6 219                   | (230) | 88.4  | 18.8                     | 68.7                    | 21.5  | (5.2) |   |
| Montenegro           | 416   | (1.3) | 6 249  | (190) | 1 203                                 | (228) | 5 061                   | (202) | 69.0  | 13.3                     | 55.9                    | 19.2  | (3.0) |   |
| Peru                 | 418   | (2.5) | 6 961  | (266) | 2 677                                 | (251) | 4 297                   | (108) | 76.9  | 29.6                     | 47.4                    | 38.4  | (2.2) |   |
| Qatar                | m   | m     | m  | m     | m                                     | m     | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     |   |
| Russia               | 473   | (3.4) | 8 493  | (266) | 1 763                                 | (233) | 6 780                   | (164) | 93.8  | 19.5                     | 74.9                    | 20.6  | (2.2) |   |
| Singapore            | 561   | (1.2) | 9 330  | (236) | 2 205                                 | (269) | 7 111                   | (216) | 103.0   | 24.3                     | 78.5                    | 23.7  | (2.4) |   |
| Chinese Taipei       | 527   | (2.5) | 8 136  | (264) | 2 113                                 | (249) | 6 005                   | (163) | 89.8  | 23.3                     | 66.3                    | 26.0  | (2.4) |   |
| Thailand             | 436   | (3.5) | 6 948  | (283) | 2 472                                 | (299) | 4 570                   | (154) | 76.7  | 27.3                     | 50.5                    | 35.1  | (2.9) |   |
| Tunisia              | 382   | (1.9) | 3 470  | (170) | 1 109                                 | (223) | 2 363                   | (69)  | 38.3  | 12.2                     | 26.1                    | 31.9  | (4.4) |   |
| United Arab Emirates | 435   | (2.4) | 8 979  | (192) | 3 706                                 | (292) | 5 307                   | (110) | 99.1  | 40.9                     | 58.6                    | 41.1  | (2.0) |   |
| Uruguay              | 443   | (2.3) | 8 275  | (238) | 2 381                                 | (221) | 5 945                   | (185) | 91.4  | 26.3                     | 65.6                    | 28.6  | (2.1) |   |
| Malaysia**           | 440   | (3.3) | 6 330  | (272) | 1 593                                 | (201) | 4 722                   | (178) | 69.9  | 17.6                     | 52.1                    | 25.2  | (2.5) |   |

1. The total variation in student performance is calculated from the square of the standard deviation for all students. Due to the unbalanced, clustered nature of the data, the sum of the between- and within-school components, as an estimate from a sample, does not necessarily add up to the total variation.

2. In some countries/economies, subunits within schools were sampled instead of schools; this may affect the estimation of between-school variation components (see Annex A3).

3. The intra-class correlation is the variation in student performance between schools, divided by the sum of the variation in student performance between schools and the variation in student performance within schools, and multiplied by 100.

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Table V.4.1b Variation in relative collaborative problem-solving performance

|                | Variation in relative collaborative problem-solving performance <sup>1</sup> |       |                                       |      |                         |       | The percentage of the variation in collaborative problem-solving performance explained by performance in science, reading and mathematics |                          |                         | Index of intra-class correlation <sup>4</sup> |       |       |
|----------------|--|-------|---------------------------------------|------|-------------------------|-------|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|---|-------|-------|
|                | Total variation <sup>2</sup>   |       | Between-school variation <sup>3</sup> |      | Within-school variation |       | Total variation   | Between-school variation | Within-school variation |   |       |       |
|                | Variance   | S.E.  | Variance                              | S.E. | Variance                | S.E.  | %   | %                        | %                       | Overall                                       | S.E.  |       |
| OECD           | Australia  | 4 429 | (134)                                 | 473  | (69)                    | 4 018 | (116)   | 61.1                     | 76.1                    | 57.9  | 10.5  | (1.4) |
|                | Austria  | 3 462 | (146)                                 | 355  | (58)                    | 3 094 | (120)   | 64.2                     | 89.2                    | 51.1  | 10.3  | (1.5) |
|                | Belgium  | 3 633 | (106)                                 | 293  | (43)                    | 3 301 | (89)  | 62.7                     | 91.4                    | 47.3  | 8.2   | (1.1) |
|                | Canada   | 4 389 | (107)                                 | 594  | (65)                    | 3 812 | (91)  | 59.6                     | 61.6                    | 58.9  | 13.5  | (1.3) |
|                | Chile  | 2 734 | (127)                                 | 217  | (46)                    | 2 513 | (103)   | 61.3                     | 89.1                    | 49.7  | 7.9   | (1.5) |
|                | Czech Republic   | 3 536 | (149)                                 | 291  | (43)                    | 3 200 | (125)   | 57.3                     | 88.5                    | 42.8  | 8.3   | (1.1) |
|                | Denmark  | 3 213 | (116)                                 | 290  | (53)                    | 2 914 | (104)   | 60.5                     | 73.1                    | 58.4  | 9.1   | (1.6) |
|                | Estonia  | 2 993 | (120)                                 | 231  | (51)                    | 2 738 | (91)  | 63.3                     | 83.9                    | 58.9  | 7.8   | (1.6) |
|                | Finland  | 3 770 | (128)                                 | 201  | (42)                    | 3 570 | (109)   | 63.4                     | 68.5                    | 62.6  | 5.3   | (1.0) |
|                | France   | w     | w                                     | w    | w                       | w     | w   | w                        | w                       | w   | w     | w     |
|                | Germany  | 4 089 | (111)                                 | 299  | (47)                    | 3 763 | (109)   | 59.9                     | 90.6                    | 46.1  | 7.4   | (1.1) |
|                | Greece   | 3 082 | (100)                                 | 153  | (37)                    | 2 886 | (93)  | 63.7                     | 93.4                    | 52.3  | 5.0   | (1.2) |
|                | Hungary  | 3 007 | (97)                                  | 196  | (36)                    | 2 770 | (76)  | 67.0                     | 95.2                    | 42.2  | 6.6   | (1.2) |
|                | Iceland  | 3 445 | (124)                                 | 143  | (44)                    | 3 269 | (157)   | 61.4                     | 63.0                    | 62.4  | 4.2   | (1.3) |
|                | Ireland  | m     | m                                     | m    | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     | m     |
|                | Israel   | 3 748 | (156)                                 | 549  | (78)                    | 3 193 | (135)   | 66.1                     | 88.5                    | 49.2  | 14.7  | (1.8) |
|                | Italy  | 4 163 | (161)                                 | 639  | (85)                    | 3 502 | (125)   | 55.1                     | 79.3                    | 42.9  | 15.4  | (1.7) |
|                | Japan  | 3 108 | (105)                                 | 350  | (53)                    | 2 755 | (83)  | 56.5                     | 82.6                    | 46.1  | 11.3  | (1.5) |
|                | Korea  | 2 540 | (98)                                  | 173  | (38)                    | 2 359 | (80)  | 63.9                     | 88.2                    | 57.3  | 6.8   | (1.3) |
|                | Latvia   | 3 354 | (104)                                 | 124  | (36)                    | 3 213 | (103)   | 58.5                     | 87.3                    | 53.5  | 3.7   | (1.0) |
|                | Luxembourg   | 3 617 | (136)                                 | 86   | (38)                    | 3 476 | (124)   | 63.7                     | 96.6                    | 53.6  | 2.4   | (1.0) |
|                | Mexico   | 2 486 | (93)                                  | 212  | (39)                    | 2 258 | (64)  | 60.3                     | 88.3                    | 49.0  | 8.6   | (1.4) |
|                | Netherlands  | 3 406 | (110)                                 | 314  | (61)                    | 3 087 | (99)  | 63.6                     | 91.2                    | 46.4  | 9.2   | (1.7) |
|                | New Zealand  | 4 134 | (151)                                 | 295  | (62)                    | 3 810 | (147)   | 63.1                     | 80.1                    | 60.7  | 7.2   | (1.4) |
|                | Norway   | 3 699 | (139)                                 | 438  | (73)                    | 3 260 | (99)  | 58.0                     | 46.5                    | 59.1  | 11.8  | (1.7) |
|                | Poland   | m     | m                                     | m    | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     | m     |
|                | Portugal   | 3 215 | (112)                                 | 254  | (46)                    | 2 936 | (89)  | 61.3                     | 84.1                    | 56.3  | 7.9   | (1.3) |
|                | Slovak Republic  | 3 590 | (145)                                 | 381  | (63)                    | 3 169 | (105)   | 58.4                     | 87.1                    | 43.3  | 10.7  | (1.5) |
|                | Slovenia   | 3 618 | (122)                                 | 347  | (70)                    | 3 251 | (97)  | 57.9                     | 88.8                    | 39.1  | 9.6   | (1.7) |
|                | Spain  | 3 349 | (100)                                 | 227  | (40)                    | 3 122 | (93)  | 56.8                     | 72.9                    | 54.8  | 6.8   | (1.1) |
|                | Sweden   | 3 353 | (135)                                 | 234  | (52)                    | 3 119 | (97)  | 65.3                     | 82.1                    | 62.1  | 7.0   | (1.4) |
|                | Switzerland  | m     | m                                     | m    | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     | m     |
| Turkey         | 2 459  | (72)  | 282                                   | (49) | 2 176                   | (53)  | 59.7  | 89.0                     | 38.4                    | 11.5  | (1.8) |       |
| United Kingdom | 4 178  | (121) | 471                                   | (66) | 3 694                   | (88)  | 60.6  | 75.0                     | 57.7                    | 11.3  | (1.4) |       |
| United States  | 3 576  | (180) | 398                                   | (84) | 3 172                   | (145) | 69.4  | 78.9                     | 67.8                    | 11.1  | (2.0) |       |
| OECD average   | 3 476  | (22)  | 304                                   | (10) | 3 157                   | (19)  | 61.6  | 86.1                     | 53.7                    | 8.7   | (0.3) |       |
| Partners       | Brazil   | 3 143 | (119)                                 | 521  | (71)                    | 2 657 | (79)  | 58.9                     | 78.8                    | 49.4  | 16.4  | (1.8) |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)  | 3 311 | (109)                                 | 370  | (60)                    | 2 931 | (86)  | 64.7                     | 90.5                    | 46.4  | 11.2  | (1.6) |
|                | Bulgaria   | 2 848 | (97)                                  | 203  | (39)                    | 2 656 | (85)  | 70.2                     | 95.2                    | 50.8  | 7.1   | (1.3) |
|                | Colombia   | 2 422 | (87)                                  | 243  | (34)                    | 2 174 | (75)  | 64.6                     | 88.5                    | 54.3  | 10.0  | (1.3) |
|                | Costa Rica   | 3 064 | (94)                                  | 304  | (45)                    | 2 745 | (79)  | 49.2                     | 78.3                    | 40.4  | 10.0  | (1.3) |
|                | Croatia  | 2 961 | (95)                                  | 172  | (36)                    | 2 779 | (90)  | 61.0                     | 92.3                    | 47.9  | 5.8   | (1.2) |
|                | Cyprus*  | 3 495 | (106)                                 | 170  | (53)                    | 3 337 | (100)   | 58.0                     | 88.4                    | 51.1  | 4.8   | (1.4) |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m     | m                                     | m    | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     | m     |
|                | Hong Kong (China)  | 3 449 | (113)                                 | 222  | (55)                    | 3 226 | (99)  | 57.8                     | 88.8                    | 47.8  | 6.4   | (1.5) |
|                | Lithuania  | 2 961 | (84)                                  | 236  | (45)                    | 2 704 | (79)  | 63.9                     | 90.0                    | 53.3  | 8.0   | (1.4) |
|                | Macao (China)  | 2 847 | (127)                                 | 71   | (46)                    | 2 776 | (138)   | 64.5                     | 95.8                    | 55.4  | 2.5   | (1.5) |
|                | Montenegro   | 2 670 | (107)                                 | 90   | (26)                    | 2 591 | (111)   | 57.3                     | 92.5                    | 48.8  | 3.3   | (0.9) |
|                | Peru   | 2 381 | (79)                                  | 283  | (39)                    | 2 083 | (64)  | 65.8                     | 89.4                    | 51.5  | 12.0  | (1.4) |
|                | Qatar  | m     | m                                     | m    | m                       | m     | m   | m                        | m                       | m   | m     | m     |
|                | Russia   | 4 038 | (140)                                 | 461  | (99)                    | 3 578 | (110)   | 52.5                     | 73.9                    | 47.2  | 11.4  | (2.2) |
|                | Singapore  | 3 173 | (83)                                  | 255  | (56)                    | 2 916 | (73)  | 66.0                     | 88.4                    | 59.0  | 8.0   | (1.6) |
|                | Chinese Taipei   | 3 019 | (90)                                  | 363  | (56)                    | 2 653 | (70)  | 62.9                     | 82.8                    | 55.8  | 12.0  | (1.6) |
|                | Thailand   | 2 514 | (109)                                 | 442  | (72)                    | 2 071 | (87)  | 63.8                     | 82.1                    | 54.7  | 17.6  | (2.4) |
|                | Tunisia  | 1 949 | (58)                                  | 261  | (49)                    | 1 684 | (42)  | 43.8                     | 76.5                    | 28.7  | 13.4  | (2.2) |
|                | United Arab Emirates   | 2 796 | (79)                                  | 578  | (65)                    | 2 231 | (53)  | 68.9                     | 84.4                    | 58.0  | 20.6  | (1.8) |
| Uruguay        | 3 199  | (138) | 326                                   | (59) | 2 890                   | (113) | 61.3  | 86.3                     | 51.4                    | 10.1  | (1.6) |       |
| Malaysia**     | 2 338  | (96)  | 393                                   | (61) | 1 943                   | (69)  | 63.1  | 75.3                     | 58.8                    | 16.8  | (2.2) |       |

1. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely «collaborative problem-solving» competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

2. The total variation in student performance is calculated from the square of the standard deviation for all students. Due to the unbalanced, clustered nature of the data, the sum of the between- and within-school components, as an estimate from a sample, does not necessarily add up to the total variation.

3. In some countries/economies, subunits within schools were sampled instead of schools; this may affect the estimation of between-school variation components (see Annex A3).

4. The intra-class correlation is the variation in student performance between schools, divided by the sum of the variation in student performance between schools and the variation in student performance within schools, and multiplied by 100.

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**Table V.4.2** Percentage of students at each proficiency level in collaborative problem solving, by gender

|                      | Boys                                   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       | Girls                                  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|--|
|                      | Below Level 1 (below 340 score points) |       | Level 1 (from 340 to less than 440 score points) |       | Level 2 (from 440 to less than 540 score points) |       | Level 3 (from 540 to less than 640 score points) |       | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |       | Below Level 1 (below 340 score points) |       | Level 1 (from 340 to less than 440 score points) |       | Level 2 (from 440 to less than 540 score points) |       | Level 3 (from 540 to less than 640 score points) |       | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |       |  |  |
|                      | %                                      | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  |  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Australia            | 6.5                                    | (0.5) | 19.5   | (0.8) | 32.2   | (0.9) | 30.5   | (1.0) | 11.3                                   | (0.6) | 2.1                                    | (0.3) | 11.6   | (0.7) | 30.1   | (0.8) | 36.8   | (1.1) | 19.3                                   | (1.2) |  |  |
| Austria              | 5.7                                    | (0.6) | 23.4   | (1.1) | 35.9   | (1.3) | 27.3   | (1.2) | 7.7                                    | (0.8) | 3.3                                    | (0.6) | 16.9   | (1.2) | 35.7   | (1.4) | 33.5   | (1.4) | 10.5                                   | (1.0) |  |  |
| Belgium              | 7.1                                    | (0.6) | 23.7   | (1.0) | 37.4   | (1.0) | 26.3   | (1.0) | 5.4                                    | (0.6) | 4.3                                    | (0.5) | 18.3   | (1.1) | 36.0   | (1.0) | 32.5   | (1.1) | 8.9                                    | (0.8) |  |  |
| Canada               | 4.9                                    | (0.4) | 19.1   | (0.9) | 34.0   | (0.9) | 30.4   | (1.0) | 11.7                                   | (0.7) | 1.9                                    | (0.3) | 11.0   | (0.8) | 30.1   | (1.0) | 37.2   | (1.0) | 19.8                                   | (0.8) |  |  |
| Chile                | 10.0                                   | (1.1) | 36.0   | (1.7) | 38.2   | (1.3) | 14.8   | (1.0) | 1.0                                    | (0.3) | 6.9                                    | (0.7) | 31.7   | (1.4) | 42.8   | (1.6) | 17.3   | (1.2) | 1.3                                    | (0.3) |  |  |
| Czech Republic       | 6.5                                    | (0.7) | 24.9   | (1.2) | 39.2   | (1.2) | 25.1   | (1.2) | 4.4                                    | (0.5) | 2.7                                    | (0.4) | 18.2   | (1.1) | 40.2   | (1.5) | 32.6   | (1.4) | 6.4                                    | (0.6) |  |  |
| Denmark              | 3.5                                    | (0.4) | 18.8   | (1.1) | 39.8   | (1.4) | 30.5   | (1.2) | 7.4                                    | (0.8) | 1.8                                    | (0.4) | 13.7   | (1.1) | 37.8   | (1.4) | 36.4   | (1.5) | 10.4                                   | (0.9) |  |  |
| Estonia              | 2.6                                    | (0.4) | 16.7   | (1.0) | 37.1   | (1.3) | 33.6   | (1.2) | 10.0                                   | (0.9) | 0.9                                    | (0.3) | 10.1   | (0.8) | 33.6   | (1.5) | 40.9   | (1.5) | 14.5                                   | (1.1) |  |  |
| Finland              | 5.2                                    | (0.6) | 19.9   | (1.1) | 35.0   | (1.2) | 29.8   | (1.2) | 10.1                                   | (0.9) | 1.6                                    | (0.3) | 9.0  | (0.7) | 29.3   | (1.3) | 41.0   | (1.3) | 19.1                                   | (1.2) |  |  |
| France               | 9.5                                    | (0.9) | 25.9   | (1.1) | 35.1   | (1.4) | 24.1   | (1.5) | 5.4                                    | (0.6) | 4.5                                    | (0.5) | 19.2   | (1.1) | 37.4   | (1.3) | 31.1   | (1.2) | 7.8                                    | (0.8) |  |  |
| Germany              | 4.7                                    | (0.6) | 20.1   | (1.1) | 35.9   | (1.1) | 29.2   | (1.2) | 10.1                                   | (0.8) | 2.4                                    | (0.4) | 13.7   | (0.9) | 32.8   | (1.1) | 35.7   | (1.0) | 15.5                                   | (0.9) |  |  |
| Greece               | 13.7                                   | (1.4) | 35.0   | (1.4) | 35.1   | (1.5) | 14.7   | (1.0) | 1.5                                    | (0.3) | 6.7                                    | (0.9) | 28.0   | (1.7) | 41.1   | (1.3) | 21.7   | (1.4) | 2.5                                    | (0.5) |  |  |
| Hungary              | 10.5                                   | (0.9) | 32.4   | (1.6) | 36.0   | (1.3) | 18.8   | (1.3) | 2.3                                    | (0.4) | 6.9                                    | (0.8) | 24.8   | (1.3) | 38.8   | (1.4) | 25.2   | (1.3) | 4.4                                    | (0.6) |  |  |
| Iceland              | 6.7                                    | (0.8) | 26.2   | (1.5) | 36.8   | (1.8) | 25.2   | (1.3) | 5.2                                    | (0.8) | 2.8                                    | (0.5) | 19.1   | (1.3) | 39.3   | (1.6) | 31.1   | (1.5) | 7.8                                    | (0.9) |  |  |
| Ireland              | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     |  |  |
| Israel               | 13.9                                   | (1.3) | 32.0   | (1.3) | 29.5   | (1.5) | 20.1   | (1.2) | 4.5                                    | (0.7) | 9.0                                    | (1.1) | 28.3   | (1.3) | 32.0   | (1.5) | 24.3   | (1.4) | 6.3                                    | (0.8) |  |  |
| Italy                | 10.1                                   | (0.9) | 29.6   | (1.2) | 36.7   | (1.3) | 20.3   | (1.2) | 3.2                                    | (0.5) | 5.6                                    | (0.6) | 24.2   | (1.5) | 40.3   | (1.5) | 24.8   | (1.2) | 5.2                                    | (0.8) |  |  |
| Japan                | 1.8                                    | (0.3) | 11.5   | (1.0) | 34.9   | (1.5) | 40.5   | (1.4) | 11.4                                   | (1.2) | 0.7                                    | (0.3) | 6.2  | (0.5) | 27.8   | (1.1) | 48.5   | (1.3) | 16.7                                   | (1.1) |  |  |
| Korea                | 2.3                                    | (0.4) | 15.3   | (1.1) | 38.0   | (1.3) | 36.5   | (1.5) | 7.9                                    | (0.8) | 0.6                                    | (0.2) | 7.2  | (0.9) | 32.0   | (1.4) | 47.2   | (1.4) | 13.1                                   | (1.3) |  |  |
| Latvia               | 8.1                                    | (0.8) | 31.8   | (1.4) | 39.5   | (1.3) | 18.1   | (0.9) | 2.5                                    | (0.5) | 3.1                                    | (0.5) | 19.0   | (1.0) | 43.0   | (1.3) | 29.5   | (1.6) | 5.4                                    | (0.8) |  |  |
| Luxembourg           | 8.5                                    | (0.7) | 27.9   | (1.0) | 35.5   | (1.2) | 22.4   | (1.1) | 5.6                                    | (0.6) | 4.6                                    | (0.6) | 21.8   | (1.0) | 37.1   | (1.3) | 28.6   | (1.0) | 7.9                                    | (0.6) |  |  |
| Mexico               | 15.1                                   | (1.1) | 41.9   | (1.6) | 34.2   | (1.5) | 8.5  | (0.7) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) | 9.3                                    | (0.8) | 40.6   | (1.8) | 40.7   | (1.4) | 9.1  | (0.9) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| Netherlands          | 4.6                                    | (0.5) | 22.3   | (1.3) | 36.2   | (1.3) | 28.8   | (1.4) | 8.2                                    | (0.9) | 2.2                                    | (0.4) | 14.9   | (1.0) | 35.2   | (1.4) | 35.8   | (1.3) | 11.9                                   | (1.1) |  |  |
| New Zealand          | 5.8                                    | (0.6) | 20.0   | (1.2) | 32.3   | (1.2) | 29.8   | (1.4) | 12.1                                   | (1.0) | 1.7                                    | (0.4) | 11.7   | (0.9) | 30.2   | (1.2) | 36.7   | (1.3) | 19.7                                   | (1.3) |  |  |
| Norway               | 6.4                                    | (0.8) | 25.0   | (1.1) | 38.9   | (1.3) | 24.5   | (1.3) | 5.3                                    | (0.7) | 2.4                                    | (0.4) | 16.9   | (1.0) | 40.2   | (1.4) | 32.2   | (1.6) | 8.4                                    | (0.7) |  |  |
| Poland               | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     |  |  |
| Portugal             | 6.1                                    | (0.6) | 24.2   | (1.3) | 38.9   | (1.3) | 26.1   | (1.2) | 4.7                                    | (0.7) | 3.1                                    | (0.4) | 18.7   | (1.0) | 41.6   | (1.2) | 30.9   | (1.2) | 5.7                                    | (0.6) |  |  |
| Slovak Republic      | 11.5                                   | (0.9) | 36.1   | (1.3) | 35.7   | (1.6) | 14.9   | (1.1) | 1.7                                    | (0.3) | 7.4                                    | (0.7) | 25.7   | (1.2) | 41.3   | (1.3) | 22.0   | (1.2) | 3.5                                    | (0.6) |  |  |
| Slovenia             | 6.0                                    | (0.6) | 26.3   | (1.2) | 39.2   | (1.3) | 23.8   | (1.1) | 4.6                                    | (0.8) | 2.7                                    | (0.4) | 15.8   | (1.0) | 38.0   | (1.7) | 35.2   | (1.4) | 8.3                                    | (0.9) |  |  |
| Spain                | 5.5                                    | (0.7) | 25.1   | (1.2) | 41.1   | (1.3) | 24.8   | (1.2) | 3.5                                    | (0.5) | 3.3                                    | (0.4) | 17.7   | (1.0) | 42.1   | (1.2) | 31.8   | (1.2) | 5.1                                    | (0.5) |  |  |
| Sweden               | 6.6                                    | (0.7) | 25.7   | (1.3) | 36.4   | (1.4) | 24.9   | (1.5) | 6.4                                    | (0.9) | 2.4                                    | (0.4) | 14.4   | (1.2) | 35.5   | (1.6) | 35.9   | (1.2) | 11.8                                   | (1.3) |  |  |
| Switzerland          | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     |  |  |
| Turkey               | 18.4                                   | (1.5) | 46.9   | (1.6) | 29.5   | (1.8) | 5.1  | (0.8) | 0.1                                    | (0.1) | 11.3                                   | (1.3) | 42.1   | (2.0) | 37.6   | (1.9) | 8.7  | (1.0) | 0.2                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| United Kingdom       | 5.5                                    | (0.5) | 21.8   | (1.2) | 36.3   | (1.0) | 27.4   | (1.0) | 8.9                                    | (1.0) | 2.8                                    | (0.4) | 14.6   | (0.9) | 32.8   | (1.1) | 34.5   | (1.3) | 15.2                                   | (1.0) |  |  |
| United States        | 6.7                                    | (0.9) | 21.7   | (1.2) | 32.5   | (1.1) | 27.0   | (1.4) | 12.1                                   | (1.1) | 3.1                                    | (0.6) | 16.0   | (1.1) | 33.0   | (1.2) | 32.4   | (1.4) | 15.6                                   | (1.3) |  |  |
| OECD average         | 7.5                                    | (0.1) | 25.8   | (0.2) | 36.0   | (0.2) | 24.5   | (0.2) | 6.1                                    | (0.1) | 3.9                                    | (0.1) | 18.8   | (0.2) | 36.4   | (0.2) | 31.3   | (0.2) | 9.6                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Brazil               | 25.3                                   | (0.9) | 42.7   | (0.8) | 24.7   | (0.9) | 6.8  | (0.6) | 0.5                                    | (0.1) | 17.4                                   | (0.9) | 43.3   | (0.9) | 30.5   | (0.9) | 8.2  | (0.6) | 0.7                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 6.9                                    | (0.8) | 24.8   | (1.3) | 38.1   | (1.4) | 25.2   | (1.3) | 4.9                                    | (0.7) | 4.6                                    | (0.7) | 19.7   | (1.4) | 37.7   | (1.4) | 29.9   | (1.7) | 8.2                                    | (1.2) |  |  |
| Bulgaria             | 18.7                                   | (1.5) | 37.3   | (1.5) | 29.6   | (1.4) | 12.9   | (1.2) | 1.5                                    | (0.3) | 11.4                                   | (1.1) | 30.6   | (1.4) | 36.0   | (1.4) | 19.4   | (1.3) | 2.6                                    | (0.6) |  |  |
| Colombia             | 15.3                                   | (1.3) | 43.0   | (1.4) | 32.8   | (1.2) | 8.3  | (0.8) | 0.5                                    | (0.2) | 13.0                                   | (1.0) | 41.6   | (1.1) | 34.7   | (1.4) | 10.0   | (0.9) | 0.7                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| Costa Rica           | 10.6                                   | (0.8) | 41.5   | (1.4) | 37.8   | (1.5) | 9.7  | (0.9) | 0.5                                    | (0.2) | 8.2                                    | (0.7) | 39.6   | (1.3) | 41.3   | (1.3) | 10.2   | (0.9) | 0.6                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| Croatia              | 9.1                                    | (1.0) | 32.9   | (1.3) | 39.4   | (1.5) | 16.7   | (1.0) | 1.8                                    | (0.4) | 4.4                                    | (0.6) | 24.9   | (1.2) | 44.0   | (1.2) | 23.8   | (1.1) | 2.9                                    | (0.5) |  |  |
| Cyprus*              | 18.6                                   | (0.9) | 39.7   | (1.7) | 30.3   | (1.3) | 10.4   | (0.8) | 1.0                                    | (0.3) | 7.4                                    | (0.7) | 32.3   | (1.1) | 40.7   | (1.3) | 17.5   | (0.9) | 2.1                                    | (0.4) |  |  |
| Dominican Republic   | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     |  |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 2.9                                    | (0.5) | 15.3   | (1.2) | 37.3   | (1.4) | 35.4   | (1.5) | 9.1                                    | (0.7) | 1.0                                    | (0.3) | 8.1  | (0.8) | 29.9   | (1.7) | 44.1   | (1.6) | 17.0                                   | (1.2) |  |  |
| Lithuania            | 11.4                                   | (0.8) | 33.6   | (1.2) | 36.7   | (1.2) | 16.4   | (1.2) | 1.9                                    | (0.4) | 5.2                                    | (0.6) | 26.8   | (1.1) | 42.0   | (1.5) | 23.1   | (1.1) | 3.0                                    | (0.5) |  |  |
| Macao (China)        | 3.6                                    | (0.4) | 17.4   | (0.9) | 37.8   | (1.5) | 33.1   | (1.6) | 8.1                                    | (0.8) | 0.8                                    | (0.3) | 8.0  | (0.7) | 33.3   | (1.2) | 43.7   | (1.2) | 14.1                                   | (0.9) |  |  |
| Montenegro           | 22.2                                   | (1.0) | 46.5   | (1.3) | 26.7   | (1.2) | 4.5  | (0.6) | 0.1                                    | (0.1) | 12.7                                   | (0.9) | 42.9   | (1.3) | 36.7   | (1.3) | 7.5  | (0.7) | 0.2                                    | (0.1) |  |  |
| Peru                 | 19.1                                   | (1.2) | 44.1   | (1.4) | 29.3   | (1.2) | 7.1  | (0.8) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) | 17.1                                   | (1.1) | 42.5   | (1.4) | 32.0   | (1.5) | 8.1  | (0.9) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| Qatar                | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     |  |  |
| Russia               | 9.7                                    | (0.9) | 32.4   | (1.6) | 37.9   | (1.3) | 17.6   | (1.3) | 2.5                                    | (0.5) | 5.0                                    | (0.8) | 26.1   | (1.7) | 41.2   | (1.6) | 23.0   | (1.5) | 4.7                                    | (0.7) |  |  |
| Singapore            | 2.2                                    | (0.3) | 11.7   | (0.8) | 29.1   | (1.0) | 38.0   | (1.2) | 19.0                                   | (0.9) | 1.0                                    | (0.2) | 7.6  | (0.6) | 26.4   | (1.0) | 41.1   | (1.3) | 24.0                                   | (1.1) |  |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 3.7                                    | (0.5) | 17.7   | (1.1) | 38.6   | (1.4) | 32.4   | (1.2) | 7.6                                    | (1.0) | 1.5                                    | (0.3) | 10.7   | (0.8) | 35.7   | (1.3) | 40.2   | (1.5) | 11.8                                   | (1.2) |  |  |
| Thailand             | 17.8                                   | (1.5) | 45.8   | (1.7) | 29.0   | (1.6) | 7.1  | (1.0) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) | 7.9                                    | (0.9) | 39.0   | (1.5) | 38.7   | (1.4) | 13.0   | (1.1) | 1.4                                    | (0.4) |  |  |
| Tunisia              | 28.3                                   | (1.9) | 57.8   | (1.9) | 13.2   | (1.2) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 0.0                                    | c     | 21.3                                   | (1.3) | 61.0   | (1.6) | 16.9   | (1.4) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 0.0                                    | (0.0) |  |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 22.9                                   | (1.2) | 39.9   | (1.1) | 25.5   | (1.1) | 10.2   | (0.7) | 1.6                                    | (0.3) | 9.7                                    | (0.8) | 35.5   | (1.3) | 37.5   | (1.2) | 15.3   | (1.0) | 2.0                                    | (0.2) |  |  |
| Uruguay              | 15.4                                   | (1.1) | 39.2   | (1.2) | 32.0   | (1.1) | 12.0   | (1.0) | 1.4                                    | (0.4) | 10.6                                   | (0.8) | 36.3   | (1.1) | 36.2   | (1.2) | 15.1   | (1.0) | 1.9                                    | (0.3) |  |  |
| Malaysia**           | 13.8                                   | (1.3) | 42.1   | (1.6) | 35.2   | (1.5) | 8.7  | (1.1) | 0.3                                    | (0.2) | 8.0                                    | (0.8) | 36.5   | (1.7) | 43.5   | (1.6) | 11.5   | (1.2) | 0.5                                    | (0.2) |  |  |

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.4.2 Percentage of students at each proficiency level in collaborative problem solving, by gender

|                      | Gender differences (boys – girls)      |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       | Increased risk of ...  |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|--|
|                      | Below Level 1 (below 340 score points) |       | Level 1 (from 340 to less than 440 score points) |       | Level 2 (from 440 to less than 540 score points) |       | Level 3 (from 540 to less than 640 score points) |       | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |       | Boys scoring below Level 1 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 340 score points) |       | Boys scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) |       | Girls scoring at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (at or above 640 score points) |       |  |  |
|                      | % dif.                                 | S.E.  | % dif.   | S.E.  | % dif.   | S.E.  | % dif.   | S.E.  | % dif.                                 | S.E.  | Relative risk  | S.E.  | Relative risk  | S.E.  | Relative risk  | S.E.  |  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Australia            | 4.4                                    | (0.5) | 7.9  | (0.9) | 2.1  | (1.2) | -6.3   | (1.3) | -8.0                                   | (1.2) | 3.1  | (0.5) | 1.9  | (0.1) | 1.7  | (0.1) |  |  |
| Austria              | 2.4                                    | (0.8) | 6.5  | (1.7) | 0.2  | (1.7) | -6.2   | (1.6) | -2.9                                   | (1.2) | 1.7  | (0.4) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Belgium              | 2.9                                    | (0.7) | 5.4  | (1.4) | 1.4  | (1.4) | -6.2   | (1.4) | -3.5                                   | (0.9) | 1.7  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.6  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Canada               | 3.0                                    | (0.5) | 8.0  | (0.9) | 3.9  | (1.1) | -6.8   | (1.1) | -8.1                                   | (0.9) | 2.6  | (0.4) | 1.9  | (0.1) | 1.7  | (0.1) |  |  |
| Chile                | 3.1                                    | (1.2) | 4.3  | (2.1) | -4.6   | (2.0) | -2.4   | (1.2) | -0.4                                   | (0.4) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.5) |  |  |
| Czech Republic       | 3.8                                    | (0.8) | 6.7  | (1.6) | -1.0   | (1.9) | -7.5   | (1.6) | -2.0                                   | (0.9) | 2.5  | (0.5) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Denmark              | 1.8                                    | (0.6) | 5.1  | (1.5) | 2.0  | (2.3) | -5.9   | (2.0) | -3.0                                   | (1.1) | 2.0  | (0.5) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Estonia              | 1.7                                    | (0.5) | 6.6  | (1.2) | 3.6  | (1.7) | -7.2   | (1.8) | -4.6                                   | (1.2) | 3.0  | (1.0) | 1.7  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.1) |  |  |
| Finland              | 3.6                                    | (0.6) | 10.8   | (1.2) | 5.6  | (1.4) | -11.1  | (1.6) | -8.9                                   | (1.5) | 3.3  | (0.8) | 2.4  | (0.2) | 1.9  | (0.2) |  |  |
| France               | 5.0                                    | (0.9) | 6.7  | (1.7) | -2.3   | (1.9) | -7.0   | (1.9) | -2.4                                   | (0.9) | 2.1  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Germany              | 2.3                                    | (0.5) | 6.4  | (1.2) | 3.1  | (1.4) | -6.4   | (1.5) | -5.4                                   | (1.0) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.1) |  |  |
| Greece               | 7.0                                    | (1.2) | 7.0  | (1.9) | -6.0   | (1.9) | -7.0   | (1.5) | -1.0                                   | (0.6) | 2.0  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.7  | (0.5) |  |  |
| Hungary              | 3.6                                    | (1.2) | 7.6  | (2.2) | -2.8   | (2.0) | -6.3   | (1.8) | -2.1                                   | (0.6) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.9  | (0.4) |  |  |
| Iceland              | 3.9                                    | (0.9) | 7.1  | (2.0) | -2.5   | (2.4) | -5.9   | (1.9) | -2.7                                   | (1.1) | 2.4  | (0.5) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.3) |  |  |
| Ireland              | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Israel               | 4.8                                    | (1.4) | 3.7  | (1.5) | -2.5   | (1.8) | -4.2   | (1.7) | -1.8                                   | (1.0) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.3) |  |  |
| Italy                | 4.5                                    | (1.0) | 5.5  | (1.9) | -3.6   | (1.9) | -4.5   | (1.6) | -1.9                                   | (0.8) | 1.8  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.1) | 1.6  | (0.3) |  |  |
| Japan                | 1.1                                    | (0.4) | 5.3  | (0.9) | 7.1  | (1.6) | -8.0   | (1.7) | -5.4                                   | (1.6) | 2.6  | (1.2) | 1.9  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Korea                | 1.7                                    | (0.5) | 8.1  | (1.4) | 6.0  | (1.9) | -10.8  | (2.0) | -5.1                                   | (1.3) | 4.2  | (1.7) | 2.3  | (0.3) | 1.6  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Latvia               | 5.0                                    | (0.9) | 12.8   | (1.7) | -3.5   | (1.9) | -11.5  | (1.7) | -2.9                                   | (0.8) | 2.7  | (0.5) | 1.8  | (0.1) | 2.2  | (0.5) |  |  |
| Luxembourg           | 4.0                                    | (0.9) | 6.1  | (1.5) | -1.6   | (2.1) | -6.2   | (1.6) | -2.4                                   | (0.9) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Mexico               | 5.8                                    | (1.0) | 1.3  | (1.7) | -6.5   | (1.6) | -0.6   | (0.9) | 0.0                                    | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.0) | 1.1  | (0.7) |  |  |
| Netherlands          | 2.4                                    | (0.6) | 7.4  | (1.5) | 1.0  | (2.0) | -7.0   | (1.7) | -3.8                                   | (1.4) | 2.1  | (0.4) | 1.6  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.2) |  |  |
| New Zealand          | 4.1                                    | (0.7) | 8.4  | (1.6) | 2.1  | (1.6) | -6.9   | (1.8) | -7.6                                   | (1.4) | 3.4  | (0.9) | 1.9  | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Norway               | 4.0                                    | (0.9) | 8.1  | (1.2) | -1.3   | (1.7) | -7.7   | (2.1) | -3.1                                   | (0.8) | 2.7  | (0.6) | 1.6  | (0.1) | 1.6  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Poland               | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Portugal             | 3.0                                    | (0.6) | 5.5  | (1.5) | -2.7   | (1.8) | -4.8   | (1.4) | -1.0                                   | (0.8) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.2  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Slovak Republic      | 4.2                                    | (1.1) | 10.4   | (1.8) | -5.6   | (1.9) | -7.1   | (1.4) | -1.8                                   | (0.7) | 1.6  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 2.1  | (0.5) |  |  |
| Slovenia             | 3.3                                    | (0.7) | 10.5   | (1.4) | 1.2  | (1.8) | -11.3  | (1.7) | -3.7                                   | (1.0) | 2.2  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.1) | 1.8  | (0.3) |  |  |
| Spain                | 2.2                                    | (0.7) | 7.4  | (1.2) | -1.0   | (1.9) | -7.0   | (1.7) | -1.5                                   | (0.7) | 1.7  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 1.4  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Sweden               | 4.2                                    | (0.8) | 11.3   | (1.6) | 0.9  | (2.0) | -11.0  | (1.5) | -5.4                                   | (1.5) | 2.7  | (0.5) | 1.9  | (0.1) | 1.9  | (0.3) |  |  |
| Switzerland          | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Turkey               | 7.1                                    | (1.8) | 4.7  | (2.3) | -8.1   | (2.2) | -3.6   | (1.0) | -0.1                                   | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.1) | m  | m     |  |  |
| United Kingdom       | 2.7                                    | (0.6) | 7.2  | (1.3) | 3.5  | (1.5) | -7.1   | (1.4) | -6.3                                   | (1.3) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 1.6  | (0.1) | 1.7  | (0.2) |  |  |
| United States        | 3.6                                    | (1.1) | 5.8  | (1.3) | -0.5   | (1.7) | -5.4   | (1.9) | -3.5                                   | (1.3) | 2.2  | (0.5) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.1) |  |  |
| OECD average         | 3.6                                    | (0.2) | 7.1  | (0.3) | -0.4   | (0.3) | -6.8   | (0.3) | -3.5                                   | (0.2) | 2.2  | (0.1) | 1.6  | (0.0) | 1.6  | (0.1) |  |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Brazil               | 7.9                                    | (1.0) | -0.6   | (1.0) | -5.7   | (1.1) | -1.4   | (0.6) | -0.2                                   | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.0) | 1.4  | (0.5) |  |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 2.3                                    | (0.8) | 5.2  | (1.5) | 0.4  | (1.5) | -4.7   | (1.4) | -3.2                                   | (0.8) | 1.5  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.1) | 1.6  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Bulgaria             | 7.3                                    | (1.4) | 6.7  | (1.5) | -6.4   | (1.7) | -6.5   | (1.5) | -1.2                                   | (0.6) | 1.6  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.1) | 1.8  | (0.5) |  |  |
| Colombia             | 2.4                                    | (1.2) | 1.4  | (1.6) | -1.9   | (1.6) | -1.7   | (1.2) | -0.2                                   | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.0) | 1.4  | (0.7) |  |  |
| Costa Rica           | 2.4                                    | (0.9) | 1.9  | (1.5) | -3.6   | (1.7) | -0.5   | (1.1) | -0.2                                   | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.0) | 1.4  | (0.7) |  |  |
| Croatia              | 4.7                                    | (1.0) | 8.0  | (1.6) | -4.6   | (1.8) | -7.1   | (1.3) | -1.1                                   | (0.6) | 2.1  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.6  | (0.4) |  |  |
| Cyprus*              | 11.1                                   | (1.0) | 7.4  | (1.9) | -10.4  | (1.7) | -7.1   | (1.1) | -1.1                                   | (0.5) | 2.5  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.1) | 2.3  | (1.0) |  |  |
| Dominican Republic   | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 1.8                                    | (0.5) | 7.3  | (1.2) | 7.5  | (2.1) | -8.7   | (2.1) | -7.9                                   | (1.4) | 2.9  | (1.0) | 2.0  | (0.2) | 1.9  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Lithuania            | 6.2                                    | (0.8) | 6.8  | (1.5) | -5.3   | (1.7) | -6.6   | (1.5) | -1.1                                   | (0.6) | 2.2  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.6  | (0.4) |  |  |
| Macao (China)        | 2.8                                    | (0.5) | 9.4  | (1.2) | 4.4  | (1.9) | -10.6  | (2.0) | -6.0                                   | (1.2) | 4.8  | (2.0) | 2.4  | (0.2) | 1.7  | (0.2) |  |  |
| Montenegro           | 9.5                                    | (1.5) | 3.6  | (1.8) | -10.0  | (1.9) | -3.0   | (0.8) | -0.1                                   | (0.2) | 1.8  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.0) | m  | m     |  |  |
| Peru                 | 2.1                                    | (1.2) | 1.6  | (1.6) | -2.6   | (1.6) | -1.0   | (0.9) | 0.0                                    | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.0) | 1.0  | (0.7) |  |  |
| Qatar                | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     |  |  |
| Russia               | 4.7                                    | (1.0) | 6.3  | (1.9) | -3.4   | (1.7) | -5.4   | (1.5) | -2.2                                   | (0.7) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.9  | (0.4) |  |  |
| Singapore            | 1.2                                    | (0.4) | 4.1  | (1.1) | 2.7  | (1.6) | -3.1   | (2.0) | -5.0                                   | (1.6) | 2.3  | (0.7) | 1.6  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.1) |  |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 2.2                                    | (0.5) | 7.0  | (1.3) | 2.9  | (1.8) | -7.8   | (1.8) | -4.2                                   | (1.5) | 2.5  | (0.6) | 1.7  | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.3) |  |  |
| Thailand             | 9.9                                    | (1.4) | 6.8  | (2.0) | -9.8   | (1.8) | -5.9   | (1.2) | -1.0                                   | (0.4) | 2.3  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 4.2  | (2.4) |  |  |
| Tunisia              | 7.0                                    | (1.7) | -3.1   | (1.9) | -3.7   | (1.5) | -0.2   | (0.3) | 0.0                                    | (0.0) | 1.3  | (0.1) | 1.0  | (0.0) | m  | m     |  |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 13.2                                   | (1.4) | 4.4  | (1.6) | -12.0  | (1.5) | -5.2   | (1.2) | -0.4                                   | (0.3) | 2.4  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.1) | 1.3  | (0.3) |  |  |
| Uruguay              | 4.7                                    | (1.4) | 2.9  | (1.5) | -4.2   | (1.5) | -3.0   | (1.3) | -0.4                                   | (0.5) | 1.4  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.0) | 1.3  | (0.4) |  |  |
| Malaysia**           | 5.8                                    | (1.2) | 5.5  | (1.9) | -8.3   | (1.7) | -2.8   | (1.0) | -0.2                                   | (0.2) | 1.7  | (0.2) | 1.3  | (0.0) | 1.8  | (1.0) |  |  |

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.4.3a Mean score and variation in collaborative problem-solving performance, by gender**

|                      | Boys       |       |                    |       |             |       |       |       |       |       |               |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |
|----------------------|------------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|
|                      | Mean score |       | Standard deviation |       | Percentiles |       |       |       |       |       |               |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |
|                      |            |       |                    |       | 5th         |       | 10th  |       | 25th  |       | Median (50th) |       | 75th  |       | 90th  |       | 95th |       |
|                      | Mean score | S.E.  | S.D.               | S.E.  | Score       | S.E.  | Score | S.E.  | Score | S.E.  | Score         | S.E.  | Score | S.E.  | Score | S.E.  |      |       |
| <b>OECD</b>          |            |       |                    |       |             |       |       |       |       |       |               |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |
| Australia            | 511        | (2.5) | 109                | (1.4) | 327         | (3.9) | 364   | (3.9) | 436   | (3.8) | 516           | (3.5) | 589   | (2.7) | 647   | (3.0) | 681  | (3.4) |
| Austria              | 498        | (3.4) | 99                 | (1.8) | 334         | (5.2) | 367   | (4.6) | 427   | (4.7) | 499           | (4.5) | 570   | (4.2) | 627   | (5.1) | 657  | (5.2) |
| Belgium              | 489        | (3.0) | 99                 | (1.6) | 323         | (5.4) | 358   | (4.3) | 421   | (4.5) | 492           | (3.5) | 559   | (3.3) | 613   | (3.5) | 643  | (5.1) |
| Canada               | 516        | (2.8) | 104                | (1.3) | 341         | (4.1) | 378   | (3.4) | 444   | (3.9) | 519           | (3.4) | 590   | (3.6) | 649   | (3.8) | 684  | (4.6) |
| Chile                | 450        | (3.1) | 85                 | (1.7) | 312         | (5.1) | 340   | (4.8) | 390   | (3.8) | 449           | (3.8) | 510   | (4.2) | 563   | (4.6) | 592  | (5.5) |
| Czech Republic       | 486        | (2.9) | 93                 | (1.6) | 329         | (5.1) | 362   | (4.7) | 421   | (4.4) | 489           | (3.6) | 552   | (3.6) | 606   | (4.3) | 635  | (4.8) |
| Denmark              | 509        | (2.9) | 92                 | (1.8) | 356         | (5.7) | 389   | (5.0) | 448   | (3.9) | 512           | (3.4) | 573   | (4.1) | 625   | (4.5) | 656  | (5.2) |
| Estonia              | 522        | (2.9) | 92                 | (1.6) | 367         | (5.5) | 402   | (3.9) | 459   | (4.2) | 525           | (3.5) | 587   | (4.0) | 640   | (4.6) | 669  | (4.9) |
| Finland              | 511        | (3.2) | 103                | (1.7) | 338         | (6.1) | 375   | (4.9) | 440   | (4.0) | 513           | (3.9) | 584   | (3.8) | 641   | (4.6) | 675  | (6.1) |
| France               | 480        | (3.4) | 103                | (1.9) | 311         | (5.9) | 343   | (5.0) | 406   | (5.0) | 483           | (4.3) | 553   | (4.4) | 612   | (4.2) | 643  | (4.6) |
| Germany              | 510        | (3.4) | 101                | (1.6) | 343         | (5.0) | 376   | (4.9) | 441   | (4.4) | 511           | (3.9) | 581   | (3.9) | 640   | (4.6) | 674  | (4.9) |
| Greece               | 444        | (4.2) | 93                 | (1.9) | 294         | (6.7) | 324   | (6.0) | 378   | (5.1) | 443           | (5.3) | 510   | (4.8) | 567   | (4.7) | 598  | (5.9) |
| Hungary              | 459        | (3.3) | 94                 | (2.2) | 308         | (6.1) | 338   | (4.0) | 391   | (4.0) | 459           | (4.4) | 528   | (4.5) | 582   | (5.5) | 612  | (4.9) |
| Iceland              | 485        | (3.0) | 96                 | (2.4) | 328         | (5.7) | 359   | (5.1) | 417   | (4.1) | 486           | (4.9) | 554   | (4.2) | 609   | (5.6) | 640  | (6.6) |
| Ireland              | m          | m     | m                  | m     | m           | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m             | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m    | m     |
| Israel               | 459        | (4.3) | 106                | (2.2) | 300         | (4.2) | 326   | (5.0) | 375   | (4.9) | 453           | (6.0) | 539   | (5.8) | 602   | (6.1) | 635  | (6.6) |
| Italy                | 466        | (3.4) | 98                 | (1.8) | 306         | (6.9) | 340   | (5.0) | 398   | (4.4) | 466           | (4.5) | 536   | (3.8) | 592   | (5.0) | 623  | (5.1) |
| Japan                | 539        | (3.6) | 87                 | (2.0) | 387         | (6.8) | 423   | (6.0) | 483   | (4.5) | 544           | (4.0) | 599   | (3.8) | 646   | (4.8) | 673  | (6.1) |
| Korea                | 522        | (3.5) | 87                 | (1.8) | 371         | (5.8) | 406   | (5.7) | 465   | (4.8) | 528           | (4.0) | 584   | (3.7) | 631   | (4.0) | 657  | (5.0) |
| Latvia               | 465        | (2.6) | 90                 | (1.8) | 320         | (4.9) | 349   | (4.0) | 400   | (4.3) | 464           | (3.9) | 527   | (3.2) | 581   | (4.4) | 613  | (5.2) |
| Luxembourg           | 478        | (2.5) | 101                | (1.5) | 316         | (5.4) | 348   | (3.8) | 405   | (3.0) | 477           | (3.2) | 549   | (3.6) | 611   | (4.2) | 644  | (5.3) |
| Mexico               | 426        | (2.9) | 82                 | (1.7) | 297         | (5.2) | 323   | (4.3) | 367   | (3.7) | 425           | (3.4) | 483   | (3.8) | 534   | (4.1) | 563  | (4.8) |
| Netherlands          | 504        | (3.0) | 98                 | (1.9) | 343         | (5.2) | 375   | (4.8) | 434   | (4.1) | 505           | (3.8) | 574   | (3.9) | 631   | (4.8) | 663  | (6.5) |
| New Zealand          | 513        | (3.2) | 108                | (2.0) | 332         | (6.1) | 367   | (5.5) | 437   | (4.8) | 516           | (4.4) | 590   | (4.1) | 651   | (5.3) | 686  | (6.2) |
| Norway               | 487        | (3.0) | 96                 | (2.2) | 329         | (6.4) | 362   | (5.1) | 421   | (4.1) | 490           | (3.8) | 554   | (4.3) | 610   | (5.0) | 642  | (6.9) |
| Poland               | m          | m     | m                  | m     | m           | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m             | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m    | m     |
| Portugal             | 489        | (3.2) | 94                 | (1.6) | 331         | (4.7) | 364   | (5.3) | 424   | (4.2) | 492           | (3.7) | 556   | (3.7) | 607   | (4.4) | 638  | (5.3) |
| Slovak Republic      | 448        | (2.8) | 91                 | (1.7) | 304         | (4.9) | 333   | (4.0) | 384   | (3.5) | 446           | (3.8) | 512   | (3.9) | 568   | (4.6) | 600  | (5.5) |
| Slovenia             | 484        | (2.2) | 93                 | (1.5) | 332         | (4.1) | 363   | (4.1) | 419   | (3.0) | 485           | (3.4) | 550   | (3.7) | 605   | (4.4) | 636  | (6.1) |
| Spain                | 485        | (2.7) | 89                 | (1.4) | 336         | (5.1) | 368   | (3.9) | 424   | (3.5) | 487           | (3.2) | 549   | (3.6) | 600   | (3.6) | 628  | (3.9) |
| Sweden               | 489        | (4.0) | 99                 | (2.2) | 329         | (5.3) | 360   | (5.1) | 419   | (4.4) | 489           | (4.6) | 558   | (4.9) | 616   | (6.3) | 651  | (7.6) |
| Switzerland          | m          | m     | m                  | m     | m           | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m             | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m    | m     |
| Turkey               | 411        | (4.0) | 77                 | (1.9) | 289         | (5.3) | 314   | (4.6) | 356   | (4.5) | 408           | (4.9) | 464   | (5.0) | 513   | (5.9) | 541  | (5.9) |
| United Kingdom       | 503        | (3.1) | 102                | (1.7) | 336         | (4.7) | 370   | (4.7) | 432   | (4.1) | 503           | (4.0) | 573   | (3.7) | 634   | (5.5) | 669  | (5.9) |
| United States        | 507        | (4.4) | 111                | (2.0) | 326         | (7.4) | 360   | (6.2) | 428   | (5.4) | 508           | (5.2) | 586   | (5.7) | 651   | (6.2) | 688  | (6.3) |
| OECD average         | 486        | (0.6) | 96                 | (0.3) | 328         | (1.0) | 360   | (0.8) | 418   | (0.8) | 487           | (0.7) | 554   | (0.7) | 609   | (0.8) | 641  | (1.0) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |            |       |                    |       |             |       |       |       |       |       |               |       |       |       |       |       |      |       |
| Brazil               | 402        | (2.5) | 89                 | (1.3) | 266         | (2.8) | 294   | (2.7) | 339   | (2.2) | 395           | (3.0) | 461   | (3.6) | 523   | (4.3) | 559  | (4.9) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 486        | (3.9) | 96                 | (2.3) | 325         | (6.3) | 358   | (5.5) | 419   | (5.5) | 489           | (4.3) | 555   | (4.8) | 609   | (5.6) | 640  | (6.8) |
| Bulgaria             | 429        | (4.6) | 97                 | (2.0) | 281         | (6.4) | 309   | (5.0) | 357   | (4.8) | 423           | (5.9) | 499   | (6.0) | 562   | (5.6) | 595  | (6.0) |
| Colombia             | 425        | (2.9) | 83                 | (1.7) | 295         | (5.3) | 321   | (3.8) | 366   | (3.5) | 422           | (3.4) | 481   | (4.2) | 535   | (4.3) | 566  | (5.0) |
| Costa Rica           | 437        | (2.8) | 79                 | (1.8) | 311         | (4.6) | 337   | (3.6) | 381   | (3.3) | 436           | (3.4) | 492   | (3.4) | 541   | (4.6) | 569  | (6.1) |
| Croatia              | 459        | (3.3) | 89                 | (1.8) | 315         | (5.8) | 345   | (4.9) | 396   | (4.6) | 459           | (3.8) | 521   | (3.9) | 576   | (5.1) | 606  | (4.7) |
| Cyprus*              | 424        | (2.0) | 91                 | (1.8) | 282         | (3.7) | 310   | (2.7) | 358   | (2.6) | 419           | (3.4) | 488   | (4.2) | 547   | (4.5) | 578  | (5.8) |
| Dominican Republic   | m          | m     | m                  | m     | m           | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m             | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m    | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 523        | (3.7) | 91                 | (2.0) | 365         | (7.5) | 401   | (5.2) | 464   | (5.1) | 528           | (4.2) | 587   | (4.4) | 636   | (3.5) | 665  | (5.0) |
| Lithuania            | 453        | (2.9) | 92                 | (1.7) | 306         | (4.2) | 335   | (3.4) | 387   | (3.6) | 453           | (4.0) | 520   | (3.9) | 573   | (4.3) | 605  | (5.3) |
| Macao (China)        | 515        | (1.9) | 93                 | (1.5) | 354         | (5.1) | 390   | (4.3) | 453   | (2.6) | 520           | (2.9) | 580   | (3.0) | 630   | (4.0) | 660  | (4.9) |
| Montenegro           | 403        | (1.8) | 79                 | (1.6) | 281         | (3.8) | 305   | (2.7) | 346   | (2.5) | 399           | (2.9) | 457   | (3.3) | 508   | (3.9) | 537  | (4.4) |
| Peru                 | 414        | (2.8) | 83                 | (1.9) | 285         | (4.2) | 310   | (3.4) | 355   | (2.7) | 410           | (3.3) | 470   | (4.0) | 525   | (5.6) | 559  | (6.3) |
| Qatar                | m          | m     | m                  | m     | m           | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m             | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     | m    | m     |
| Russia               | 460        | (3.8) | 93                 | (1.7) | 311         | (5.7) | 341   | (4.3) | 396   | (4.2) | 459           | (4.7) | 524   | (5.3) | 582   | (5.6) | 614  | (5.8) |
| Singapore            | 552        | (1.7) | 99                 | (1.7) | 378         | (4.7) | 418   | (4.0) | 486   | (3.5) | 558           | (2.6) | 622   | (2.9) | 674   | (3.0) | 704  | (4.4) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 513        | (3.4) | 92                 | (1.9) | 353         | (5.0) | 390   | (4.3) | 452   | (3.6) | 517           | (3.8) | 577   | (4.4) | 628   | (5.6) | 657  | (6.4) |
| Thailand             | 416        | (4.1) | 81                 | (1.8) | 293         | (4.0) | 316   | (4.0) | 357   | (4.1) | 410           | (5.0) | 470   | (5.8) | 526   | (7.0) | 558  | (7.0) |
| Tunisia              | 375        | (2.3) | 59                 | (1.7) | 285         | (3.6) | 305   | (3.2) | 335   | (2.8) | 371           | (2.6) | 412   | (3.2) | 454   | (4.4) | 479  | (5.2) |
| United Arab Emirates | 416        | (2.9) | 97                 | (1.5) | 274         | (4.9) | 300   | (3.7) | 345   | (3.1) | 406           | (3.5) | 479   | (4.3) | 551   | (4.3) | 590  | (5.6) |
| Uruguay              | 434        | (3.3) | 92                 | (1.9) | 292         | (5.0) | 319   | (3.7) | 367   | (3.5) | 429           | (3.8) | 499   | (4.8) | 557   | (5.3) | 590  | (5.9) |
| Malaysia**           | 429        | (3.6) | 81                 | (2.1) | 299         | (4.7) | 326   | (4.0) | 371   | (4.0) | 427           | (4.4) | 485   | (4.8) | 535   | (5.7) | 565  | (6.1) |

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.4.3a Mean score and variation in collaborative problem-solving performance, by gender

|                | Girls                |           |                    |           |             |           |           |           |           |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|----------------|----------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|------|-------|------|-------|------|------|
|                | Mean score           |           | Standard deviation |           | Percentiles |           |           |           |           |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                |                      |           |                    |           | 5th         |           | 10th      |           | 25th      |           | Median (50th) |      | 75th  |      | 90th  |      | 95th |
|                | Mean score           | S.E.      | S.D.               | S.E.      | Score       | S.E.      | Score     | S.E.      | Score     | S.E.      | Score         | S.E. | Score | S.E. | Score | S.E. |      |
| OECD           | Australia            | 552 (2.5) | 100 (1.8)          | 379 (6.3) | 420 (4.6)   | 486 (3.0) | 556 (2.8) | 622 (3.3) | 678 (3.5) | 710 (4.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Austria              | 521 (3.4) | 96 (2.2)           | 358 (6.8) | 395 (5.4)   | 456 (4.5) | 525 (4.3) | 589 (3.8) | 643 (5.3) | 675 (5.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Belgium              | 514 (2.9) | 97 (1.8)           | 347 (5.3) | 383 (4.5)   | 448 (4.0) | 518 (3.2) | 583 (3.4) | 635 (3.8) | 664 (4.7) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Canada               | 555 (2.4) | 100 (1.2)          | 384 (4.5) | 424 (4.6)   | 489 (3.0) | 557 (3.1) | 623 (2.8) | 681 (3.8) | 717 (4.0) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Chile                | 464 (3.1) | 82 (1.6)           | 328 (4.5) | 356 (3.9)   | 406 (3.8) | 465 (4.0) | 521 (4.0) | 571 (4.5) | 600 (5.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Czech Republic       | 512 (2.7) | 87 (1.8)           | 365 (5.4) | 397 (4.3)   | 453 (4.3) | 515 (3.1) | 573 (3.3) | 621 (4.1) | 649 (4.9) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Denmark              | 530 (3.3) | 88 (1.5)           | 380 (5.5) | 416 (4.7)   | 471 (4.2) | 533 (3.8) | 592 (3.8) | 642 (4.6) | 669 (6.1) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Estonia              | 549 (2.7) | 86 (1.6)           | 402 (4.7) | 435 (4.4)   | 491 (3.2) | 551 (3.8) | 608 (4.0) | 659 (4.2) | 688 (4.9) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Finland              | 559 (3.0) | 94 (2.0)           | 397 (6.6) | 435 (5.5)   | 499 (4.0) | 565 (3.3) | 623 (3.6) | 675 (4.1) | 706 (6.1) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | France               | 508 (2.8) | 96 (1.7)           | 344 (4.5) | 380 (3.9)   | 444 (4.0) | 513 (3.5) | 577 (3.6) | 628 (4.3) | 658 (5.4) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Germany              | 540 (3.0) | 98 (1.9)           | 372 (5.7) | 409 (5.2)   | 474 (4.0) | 543 (3.5) | 608 (3.7) | 663 (3.9) | 696 (5.4) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Greece               | 475 (3.7) | 88 (1.7)           | 328 (6.3) | 358 (5.4)   | 415 (4.3) | 476 (4.8) | 538 (4.5) | 589 (4.7) | 618 (5.1) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Hungary              | 485 (2.8) | 95 (1.9)           | 325 (6.2) | 358 (4.9)   | 419 (4.2) | 490 (3.7) | 552 (3.6) | 605 (4.2) | 635 (4.5) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Iceland              | 512 (2.6) | 91 (2.4)           | 364 (5.5) | 393 (4.8)   | 450 (4.1) | 514 (3.4) | 575 (4.3) | 628 (5.6) | 659 (6.7) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Ireland              | m         | m                  | m         | m           | m         | m         | m         | m         | m         |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Israel               | 481 (4.7) | 104 (2.3)          | 316 (6.4) | 345 (5.8)   | 401 (6.6) | 480 (6.0) | 558 (5.4) | 616 (5.7) | 650 (5.1) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Italy                | 489 (3.4) | 93 (2.1)           | 335 (4.9) | 368 (5.2)   | 426 (4.9) | 490 (3.9) | 554 (4.0) | 610 (5.3) | 641 (6.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Japan                | 565 (2.6) | 80 (2.3)           | 424 (6.4) | 461 (4.6)   | 516 (3.3) | 571 (2.7) | 619 (2.9) | 662 (4.2) | 687 (4.8) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Korea                | 556 (3.3) | 77 (1.8)           | 419 (6.1) | 453 (5.8)   | 507 (4.3) | 560 (3.3) | 609 (3.9) | 650 (3.6) | 673 (4.8) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Latvia               | 505 (2.9) | 85 (1.8)           | 361 (6.0) | 393 (4.8)   | 448 (3.8) | 507 (4.0) | 563 (3.9) | 614 (4.3) | 642 (5.0) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Luxembourg           | 504 (1.9) | 97 (1.7)           | 343 (5.3) | 375 (4.0)   | 435 (3.1) | 506 (3.4) | 572 (2.5) | 628 (3.3) | 660 (4.8) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Mexico               | 440 (2.7) | 76 (1.7)           | 316 (4.4) | 343 (3.9)   | 388 (3.4) | 440 (3.7) | 492 (3.5) | 537 (4.2) | 564 (4.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Netherlands          | 531 (2.8) | 93 (1.8)           | 372 (5.8) | 407 (5.5)   | 468 (3.7) | 534 (3.6) | 597 (3.6) | 648 (4.8) | 680 (5.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | New Zealand          | 553 (3.0) | 99 (2.0)           | 386 (6.5) | 421 (4.4)   | 486 (4.5) | 556 (3.5) | 624 (4.8) | 678 (5.0) | 711 (6.1) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Norway               | 518 (3.2) | 89 (1.6)           | 371 (5.0) | 402 (4.3)   | 458 (4.2) | 518 (4.0) | 579 (4.0) | 631 (3.9) | 662 (4.7) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Poland               | m         | m                  | m         | m           | m         | m         | m         | m         | m         |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Portugal             | 507 (2.7) | 87 (1.6)           | 360 (5.1) | 393 (4.3)   | 450 (3.4) | 511 (3.3) | 569 (3.7) | 617 (4.1) | 645 (4.8) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Slovak Republic      | 478 (3.4) | 92 (2.3)           | 320 (6.3) | 356 (5.4)   | 416 (4.8) | 480 (3.6) | 542 (4.5) | 596 (5.8) | 627 (6.4) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Slovenia             | 521 (2.2) | 89 (2.1)           | 367 (5.9) | 402 (4.9)   | 461 (3.5) | 525 (3.0) | 583 (3.9) | 632 (3.8) | 660 (6.3) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Spain                | 508 (2.6) | 86 (1.5)           | 359 (5.6) | 394 (4.8)   | 452 (3.6) | 512 (3.1) | 567 (2.5) | 614 (3.5) | 640 (4.0) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Sweden               | 531 (3.8) | 93 (2.0)           | 371 (6.5) | 408 (5.7)   | 469 (4.7) | 535 (4.0) | 596 (5.1) | 647 (5.5) | 678 (7.2) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
| Switzerland    | m                    | m         | m                  | m         | m           | m         | m         | m         | m         |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
| Turkey         | 434 (4.1)            | 77 (2.1)  | 310 (5.2)          | 335 (4.9) | 379 (4.8)   | 433 (4.8) | 489 (4.7) | 535 (4.7) | 561 (6.3) |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
| United Kingdom | 536 (3.3)            | 101 (1.6) | 365 (5.9)          | 403 (5.2) | 469 (4.4)   | 539 (3.7) | 607 (3.6) | 664 (4.6) | 700 (5.3) |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
| United States  | 533 (4.0)            | 104 (2.4) | 360 (5.1)          | 395 (5.3) | 462 (5.1)   | 535 (4.6) | 605 (4.5) | 667 (5.9) | 702 (6.4) |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
| OECD average   | 515 (0.5)            | 91 (0.3)  | 360 (1.0)          | 394 (0.9) | 453 (0.7)   | 517 (0.7) | 578 (0.7) | 630 (0.8) | 660 (1.0) |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
| Partners       | Brazil               | 421 (2.6) | 85 (1.7)           | 289 (3.4) | 315 (2.9)   | 360 (2.6) | 416 (2.9) | 477 (3.4) | 568 (5.8) |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | 508 (4.6) | 96 (2.3)           | 344 (6.8) | 380 (5.5)   | 443 (5.5) | 510 (5.2) | 575 (5.7) | 661 (7.3) |           |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Bulgaria             | 461 (3.9) | 96 (2.1)           | 304 (6.8) | 333 (5.1)   | 390 (5.3) | 461 (5.2) | 531 (4.7) | 586 (4.3) | 616 (5.7) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Colombia             | 433 (2.7) | 83 (1.8)           | 304 (4.0) | 329 (3.8)   | 374 (3.3) | 430 (3.4) | 490 (3.6) | 543 (4.5) | 575 (5.3) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Costa Rica           | 445 (2.7) | 76 (1.4)           | 321 (5.0) | 349 (3.5)   | 393 (2.9) | 444 (3.2) | 496 (3.6) | 544 (4.2) | 572 (3.9) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Croatia              | 486 (2.6) | 84 (1.8)           | 346 (5.7) | 376 (4.6)   | 429 (3.4) | 488 (3.4) | 545 (3.2) | 592 (3.9) | 621 (5.3) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Cyprus*              | 464 (2.2) | 87 (1.5)           | 324 (4.1) | 353 (3.8)   | 404 (3.3) | 463 (3.2) | 524 (3.5) | 577 (4.0) | 608 (4.5) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m         | m                  | m         | m           | m         | m         | m         | m         | m         |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | 559 (3.4) | 86 (1.9)           | 407 (7.1) | 446 (5.6)   | 505 (4.2) | 564 (3.9) | 618 (3.6) | 665 (4.3) | 693 (5.1) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Lithuania            | 482 (2.8) | 87 (1.9)           | 338 (5.3) | 370 (4.6)   | 421 (3.9) | 484 (3.3) | 543 (3.1) | 592 (4.8) | 621 (5.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Macao (China)        | 553 (2.0) | 82 (1.3)           | 412 (5.9) | 447 (4.5)   | 499 (3.1) | 556 (2.4) | 610 (2.4) | 654 (3.5) | 681 (4.3) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Montenegro           | 429 (2.0) | 77 (1.5)           | 305 (4.2) | 330 (3.3)   | 374 (2.4) | 428 (2.9) | 483 (3.0) | 530 (3.6) | 556 (4.3) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Peru                 | 421 (3.0) | 83 (1.9)           | 289 (3.8) | 315 (3.4)   | 361 (3.4) | 419 (3.7) | 479 (4.6) | 533 (5.4) | 562 (5.2) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Qatar                | m         | m                  | m         | m           | m         | m         | m         | m         | m         |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Russia               | 486 (3.9) | 90 (2.2)           | 340 (7.2) | 372 (5.1)   | 424 (4.7) | 485 (4.5) | 548 (5.3) | 602 (5.8) | 637 (7.2) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Singapore            | 572 (2.1) | 93 (1.6)           | 411 (5.3) | 449 (4.0)   | 512 (3.1) | 577 (2.7) | 637 (3.1) | 687 (4.5) | 715 (4.8) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | 541 (3.4) | 86 (1.9)           | 392 (4.7) | 428 (4.8)   | 486 (4.5) | 544 (3.7) | 600 (4.3) | 647 (5.0) | 675 (5.4) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Thailand             | 451 (3.6) | 82 (2.2)           | 324 (4.9) | 349 (3.8)   | 392 (3.8) | 447 (4.2) | 505 (4.6) | 560 (5.7) | 593 (7.7) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Tunisia              | 387 (2.3) | 58 (1.5)           | 297 (3.3) | 316 (3.2)   | 346 (2.1) | 384 (2.9) | 424 (3.5) | 463 (3.9) | 489 (5.3) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | United Arab Emirates | 454 (3.1) | 89 (1.5)           | 314 (4.6) | 341 (3.7)   | 390 (3.7) | 452 (3.8) | 515 (4.0) | 571 (4.0) | 603 (4.6) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Uruguay              | 451 (2.7) | 89 (1.5)           | 310 (5.0) | 337 (3.4)   | 386 (3.1) | 447 (3.3) | 512 (3.3) | 570 (4.2) | 603 (5.5) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |
|                | Malaysia**           | 450 (3.4) | 77 (1.6)           | 323 (4.6) | 349 (4.0)   | 397 (4.1) | 451 (3.9) | 503 (4.2) | 548 (4.7) | 573 (4.9) |               |      |       |      |       |      |      |

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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**Table V.4.3b Gender differences in relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics

|                |                      | Score-point difference in relative performance <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving (boys - girls) |       |  |       |
|----------------|----------------------|---|-------|--|-------|
|                |                      | Before accounting for students' socio-economic status   |       | After accounting for students' socio-economic status |       |
|                |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  |
| OECD           | Australia            | -34   | (2.8) | -34  | (2.8) |
|                | Austria              | -31   | (3.3) | -31  | (3.3) |
|                | Belgium              | -30   | (2.3) | -30  | (2.3) |
|                | Canada               | -33   | (2.2) | -33  | (2.2) |
|                | Chile                | -21   | (2.2) | -21  | (2.2) |
|                | Czech Republic       | -29   | (3.2) | -29  | (3.2) |
|                | Denmark              | -21   | (3.1) | -22  | (3.1) |
|                | Estonia              | -26   | (2.5) | -26  | (2.7) |
|                | Finland              | -28   | (3.5) | -28  | (3.6) |
|                | France               | -25   | (3.2) | -25  | (3.2) |
|                | Germany              | -35   | (2.6) | -37  | (2.7) |
|                | Greece               | -20   | (2.4) | -20  | (2.3) |
|                | Hungary              | -24   | (3.1) | -24  | (3.1) |
|                | Iceland              | -15   | (2.8) | -14  | (2.8) |
|                | Ireland              | m   | m     | m  | m     |
|                | Israel               | -22   | (2.9) | -24  | (3.1) |
|                | Italy                | -34   | (2.7) | -34  | (2.8) |
|                | Japan                | -28   | (2.8) | -29  | (2.8) |
|                | Korea                | -18   | (3.3) | -18  | (3.3) |
|                | Latvia               | -25   | (2.5) | -25  | (2.5) |
|                | Luxembourg           | -24   | (3.2) | -24  | (3.2) |
|                | Mexico               | -15   | (2.5) | -16  | (2.5) |
|                | Netherlands          | -21   | (2.5) | -22  | (2.6) |
|                | New Zealand          | -39   | (3.2) | -39  | (3.4) |
|                | Norway               | -24   | (3.2) | -24  | (3.4) |
|                | Poland               | m   | m     | m  | m     |
|                | Portugal             | -20   | (2.5) | -19  | (2.4) |
|                | Slovak Republic      | -21   | (3.4) | -21  | (3.3) |
|                | Slovenia             | -24   | (2.9) | -24  | (2.8) |
|                | Spain                | -23   | (2.4) | -23  | (2.4) |
|                | Sweden               | -27   | (3.0) | -27  | (3.1) |
|                | Switzerland          | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Turkey         | -17                  | (3.3)   | -17   | (3.2)  |       |
| United Kingdom | -30                  | (2.3)   | -30   | (2.5)  |       |
| United States  | -27                  | (4.0)   | -27   | (3.9)  |       |
| OECD average   | -25                  | (0.5)   | -25   | (0.5)  |       |
| Partners       | Brazil               | -15   | (2.5) | -15  | (2.4) |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | -25   | (2.8) | -25  | (2.7) |
|                | Bulgaria             | -13   | (2.5) | -13  | (2.5) |
|                | Colombia             | -16   | (2.4) | -16  | (2.5) |
|                | Costa Rica           | -13   | (3.3) | -13  | (3.3) |
|                | Croatia              | -23   | (2.2) | -24  | (2.4) |
|                | Cyprus*              | -21   | (2.3) | -21  | (2.4) |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m  | m     |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | -27   | (2.8) | -28  | (2.8) |
|                | Lithuania            | -19   | (2.8) | -20  | (2.8) |
|                | Macao (China)        | -23   | (2.4) | -23  | (2.4) |
|                | Montenegro           | -19   | (2.6) | -19  | (2.6) |
|                | Peru                 | -11   | (2.0) | -11  | (1.9) |
|                | Qatar                | m   | m     | m  | m     |
|                | Russia               | -21   | (2.9) | -21  | (2.9) |
|                | Singapore            | -19   | (2.4) | -19  | (2.5) |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | -24   | (2.5) | -24  | (2.6) |
|                | Thailand             | -22   | (2.5) | -24  | (2.4) |
|                | Tunisia              | -13   | (2.2) | -14  | (2.2) |
|                | United Arab Emirates | -14   | (2.9) | -15  | (3.0) |
|                | Uruguay              | -20   | (2.9) | -20  | (2.9) |
|                | Malaysia**           | -14   | (2.3) | -15  | (2.4) |

1. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

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**Table V.4.6a Performance in collaborative problem solving, by students' socio-economic status**

|                      | Mean ESCS <sup>1</sup> |        | National quarters of student ESCS |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |
|----------------------|------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------|--------|----------------|--------|---------------|--------|-------------|--------|
|                      |                        |        | Bottom quarter                    |        | Second quarter |        | Third quarter |        | Top quarter |        |
|                      | Mean index             | S.E.   | Mean index                        | S.E.   | Mean index     | S.E.   | Mean index    | S.E.   | Mean index  | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>          |                        |        |                                   |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |
| Australia            | 0.27                   | (0.01) | -0.81                             | (0.02) | 0.06           | (0.01) | 0.65          | (0.01) | 1.18        | (0.01) |
| Austria              | 0.09                   | (0.02) | -0.97                             | (0.03) | -0.24          | (0.02) | 0.37          | (0.03) | 1.21        | (0.02) |
| Belgium              | 0.16                   | (0.02) | -1.05                             | (0.03) | -0.13          | (0.03) | 0.59          | (0.03) | 1.25        | (0.02) |
| Canada               | 0.53                   | (0.02) | -0.58                             | (0.02) | 0.34           | (0.02) | 0.91          | (0.02) | 1.46        | (0.01) |
| Chile                | -0.49                  | (0.03) | -1.86                             | (0.04) | -0.92          | (0.03) | -0.12         | (0.04) | 0.96        | (0.03) |
| Czech Republic       | -0.21                  | (0.01) | -1.19                             | (0.02) | -0.53          | (0.02) | 0.04          | (0.02) | 0.85        | (0.02) |
| Denmark              | 0.59                   | (0.02) | -0.64                             | (0.03) | 0.41           | (0.03) | 1.07          | (0.02) | 1.53        | (0.01) |
| Estonia              | 0.05                   | (0.01) | -0.96                             | (0.02) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.39          | (0.02) | 1.01        | (0.01) |
| Finland              | 0.25                   | (0.02) | -0.73                             | (0.02) | -0.02          | (0.03) | 0.60          | (0.03) | 1.17        | (0.02) |
| France               | -0.14                  | (0.02) | -1.17                             | (0.02) | -0.42          | (0.02) | 0.19          | (0.02) | 0.85        | (0.02) |
| Germany              | 0.12                   | (0.02) | -1.07                             | (0.02) | -0.24          | (0.02) | 0.43          | (0.03) | 1.36        | (0.02) |
| Greece               | -0.08                  | (0.03) | -1.31                             | (0.03) | -0.47          | (0.04) | 0.32          | (0.04) | 1.14        | (0.02) |
| Hungary              | -0.23                  | (0.02) | -1.44                             | (0.02) | -0.62          | (0.03) | 0.13          | (0.03) | 1.02        | (0.02) |
| Iceland              | 0.73                   | (0.01) | -0.28                             | (0.02) | 0.57           | (0.02) | 1.10          | (0.01) | 1.55        | (0.01) |
| Ireland              | 0.16                   | (0.02) | -0.94                             | (0.02) | -0.15          | (0.03) | 0.52          | (0.03) | 1.21        | (0.02) |
| Israel               | 0.16                   | (0.03) | -0.99                             | (0.05) | 0.00           | (0.04) | 0.55          | (0.02) | 1.10        | (0.02) |
| Italy                | -0.07                  | (0.02) | -1.31                             | (0.02) | -0.38          | (0.02) | 0.27          | (0.02) | 1.16        | (0.02) |
| Japan                | -0.18                  | (0.01) | -1.10                             | (0.02) | -0.44          | (0.02) | 0.08          | (0.02) | 0.72        | (0.01) |
| Korea                | -0.20                  | (0.02) | -1.06                             | (0.02) | -0.45          | (0.03) | 0.04          | (0.03) | 0.68        | (0.03) |
| Latvia               | -0.44                  | (0.02) | -1.62                             | (0.02) | -0.82          | (0.03) | -0.03         | (0.03) | 0.72        | (0.02) |
| Luxembourg           | 0.07                   | (0.01) | -1.42                             | (0.02) | -0.26          | (0.02) | 0.56          | (0.02) | 1.41        | (0.01) |
| Mexico               | -1.22                  | (0.04) | -2.73                             | (0.04) | -1.73          | (0.04) | -0.86         | (0.05) | 0.42        | (0.05) |
| Netherlands          | 0.16                   | (0.02) | -0.85                             | (0.03) | -0.07          | (0.02) | 0.50          | (0.02) | 1.07        | (0.02) |
| New Zealand          | 0.17                   | (0.02) | -0.89                             | (0.02) | -0.06          | (0.02) | 0.52          | (0.02) | 1.09        | (0.02) |
| Norway               | 0.48                   | (0.02) | -0.53                             | (0.03) | 0.33           | (0.02) | 0.82          | (0.02) | 1.31        | (0.01) |
| Poland               | -0.39                  | (0.02) | -1.34                             | (0.02) | -0.81          | (0.02) | -0.18         | (0.03) | 0.75        | (0.02) |
| Portugal             | -0.39                  | (0.03) | -1.83                             | (0.02) | -0.88          | (0.03) | 0.00          | (0.05) | 1.16        | (0.03) |
| Slovak Republic      | -0.11                  | (0.02) | -1.24                             | (0.04) | -0.47          | (0.02) | 0.18          | (0.03) | 1.10        | (0.02) |
| Slovenia             | 0.03                   | (0.01) | -1.04                             | (0.01) | -0.30          | (0.02) | 0.40          | (0.02) | 1.07        | (0.01) |
| Spain                | -0.51                  | (0.04) | -2.05                             | (0.03) | -0.98          | (0.04) | -0.04         | (0.05) | 1.03        | (0.03) |
| Sweden               | 0.33                   | (0.02) | -0.78                             | (0.03) | 0.12           | (0.03) | 0.72          | (0.02) | 1.27        | (0.01) |
| Switzerland          | 0.14                   | (0.02) | -1.05                             | (0.03) | -0.18          | (0.03) | 0.50          | (0.03) | 1.30        | (0.02) |
| Turkey               | -1.43                  | (0.05) | -2.87                             | (0.04) | -1.91          | (0.05) | -1.06         | (0.06) | 0.14        | (0.07) |
| United Kingdom       | 0.21                   | (0.02) | -0.92                             | (0.02) | -0.09          | (0.03) | 0.58          | (0.03) | 1.27        | (0.02) |
| United States        | 0.10                   | (0.04) | -1.25                             | (0.06) | -0.18          | (0.04) | 0.55          | (0.04) | 1.29        | (0.02) |
| OECD average-32      | -0.04                  | (0.00) | -1.20                             | (0.00) | -0.34          | (0.00) | 0.33          | (0.01) | 1.08        | (0.00) |
| OECD average-35      | -0.04                  | (0.00) | -1.20                             | (0.00) | -0.35          | (0.00) | 0.32          | (0.01) | 1.08        | (0.00) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |                        |        |                                   |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |
| Brazil               | -0.96                  | (0.03) | -2.43                             | (0.03) | -1.36          | (0.03) | -0.61         | (0.03) | 0.57        | (0.04) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | -1.07                  | (0.04) | -2.36                             | (0.03) | -1.57          | (0.03) | -0.83         | (0.06) | 0.47        | (0.07) |
| Bulgaria             | -0.08                  | (0.03) | -1.37                             | (0.04) | -0.46          | (0.04) | 0.37          | (0.04) | 1.14        | (0.02) |
| Colombia             | -0.99                  | (0.04) | -2.41                             | (0.04) | -1.36          | (0.03) | -0.62         | (0.04) | 0.44        | (0.05) |
| Costa Rica           | -0.80                  | (0.04) | -2.29                             | (0.03) | -1.23          | (0.04) | -0.41         | (0.05) | 0.73        | (0.03) |
| Croatia              | -0.24                  | (0.02) | -1.22                             | (0.02) | -0.59          | (0.02) | -0.03         | (0.03) | 0.89        | (0.02) |
| Cyprus*              | 0.20                   | (0.01) | -1.02                             | (0.01) | -0.15          | (0.02) | 0.62          | (0.02) | 1.33        | (0.01) |
| Dominican Republic   | -0.90                  | (0.03) | -2.23                             | (0.04) | -1.27          | (0.03) | -0.57         | (0.03) | 0.46        | (0.03) |
| Hong Kong (China)    | -0.53                  | (0.03) | -1.73                             | (0.02) | -0.91          | (0.03) | -0.18         | (0.04) | 0.69        | (0.03) |
| Lithuania            | -0.06                  | (0.02) | -1.24                             | (0.02) | -0.37          | (0.03) | 0.38          | (0.03) | 0.97        | (0.02) |
| Macao (China)        | -0.54                  | (0.01) | -1.59                             | (0.02) | -0.87          | (0.01) | -0.30         | (0.01) | 0.60        | (0.01) |
| Montenegro           | -0.18                  | (0.01) | -1.23                             | (0.01) | -0.48          | (0.01) | 0.13          | (0.01) | 0.88        | (0.01) |
| Peru                 | -1.08                  | (0.04) | -2.56                             | (0.03) | -1.58          | (0.04) | -0.73         | (0.05) | 0.55        | (0.05) |
| Qatar                | 0.58                   | (0.01) | -0.47                             | (0.01) | 0.47           | (0.01) | 0.89          | (0.01) | 1.42        | (0.01) |
| Russia               | 0.05                   | (0.02) | -0.95                             | (0.03) | -0.20          | (0.03) | 0.40          | (0.03) | 0.95        | (0.02) |
| Singapore            | 0.03                   | (0.01) | -1.22                             | (0.02) | -0.20          | (0.02) | 0.45          | (0.02) | 1.09        | (0.01) |
| Chinese Taipei       | -0.21                  | (0.02) | -1.28                             | (0.02) | -0.51          | (0.02) | 0.11          | (0.03) | 0.84        | (0.02) |
| Thailand             | -1.23                  | (0.04) | -2.53                             | (0.02) | -1.70          | (0.03) | -0.98         | (0.04) | 0.29        | (0.07) |
| Tunisia              | -0.83                  | (0.03) | -2.31                             | (0.04) | -1.24          | (0.03) | -0.48         | (0.04) | 0.69        | (0.04) |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.50                   | (0.01) | -0.49                             | (0.03) | 0.37           | (0.02) | 0.79          | (0.01) | 1.32        | (0.01) |
| Uruguay              | -0.78                  | (0.02) | -2.12                             | (0.02) | -1.25          | (0.02) | -0.46         | (0.03) | 0.71        | (0.04) |
| Malaysia**           | -0.47                  | (0.04) | -1.82                             | (0.04) | -0.91          | (0.04) | -0.12         | (0.05) | 0.96        | (0.04) |

1. ESCS refers to the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status.

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Table V.4.6a Performance in collaborative problem solving, by students' socio-economic status

|                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving, by national quarter of student ESCS <sup>1</sup> |       |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       | When accounting for students' socio-economic status |  |           |   |      |       |      |
|----------------------|--|-------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|---------------|-------|-------------|-------|---|--|-----------|---|------|-------|------|
|                      | Mean   |       | Bottom quarter |       | Second quarter |       | Third quarter |       | Top quarter |       | Difference (top - bottom quarter)                   | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per unit of student ESCS |           | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared x 100) |      |       |      |
|                      | Mean score   | S.E.  | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score    | S.E.  | Mean score  | S.E.  |   | Score dif.   | S.E.      | Score dif.  | S.E. | %     | S.E. |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |   |  |           |   |      |       |      |
| Australia            | 531  | (1.9) | 498            | (2.8) | 522            | (3.0) | 544           | (3.0) | 570         | (3.4) | <b>72</b>   | (4.4)  | <b>35</b> | (1.9)   | 6.7  | (0.8) |      |
| Austria              | 509  | (2.6) | 474            | (3.9) | 497            | (4.0) | 523           | (3.2) | 548         | (4.4) | <b>74</b>   | (5.4)  | <b>35</b> | (2.1)   | 9.0  | (1.1) |      |
| Belgium              | 501  | (2.4) | 458            | (3.9) | 486            | (3.0) | 517           | (3.3) | 548         | (3.7) | <b>89</b>   | (5.2)  | <b>39</b> | (2.0)   | 12.8 | (1.2) |      |
| Canada               | 535  | (2.3) | 504            | (3.3) | 528            | (2.9) | 548           | (3.5) | 567         | (3.1) | <b>63</b>   | (4.1)  | <b>29</b> | (1.7)   | 5.3  | (0.6) |      |
| Chile                | 457  | (2.7) | 420            | (3.6) | 455            | (4.1) | 461           | (3.8) | 496         | (4.0) | <b>76</b>   | (5.0)  | <b>26</b> | (1.5)   | 11.3 | (1.3) |      |
| Czech Republic       | 499  | (2.2) | 461            | (4.4) | 488            | (3.6) | 509           | (3.5) | 539         | (3.2) | <b>78</b>   | (6.1)  | <b>38</b> | (2.6)   | 11.2 | (1.4) |      |
| Denmark              | 520  | (2.5) | 493            | (3.5) | 511            | (3.6) | 527           | (4.1) | 551         | (3.8) | <b>58</b>   | (4.8)  | <b>25</b> | (2.0)   | 6.0  | (0.9) |      |
| Estonia              | 535  | (2.5) | 508            | (3.9) | 529            | (4.1) | 542           | (3.6) | 565         | (3.1) | <b>56</b>   | (4.6)  | <b>26</b> | (2.1)   | 5.0  | (0.8) |      |
| Finland              | 534  | (2.6) | 504            | (4.4) | 522            | (4.1) | 543           | (4.1) | 566         | (4.0) | <b>62</b>   | (5.9)  | <b>33</b> | (2.7)   | 5.8  | (0.9) |      |
| France               | 494  | (2.4) | 454            | (3.5) | 480            | (3.9) | 508           | (3.8) | 543         | (4.1) | <b>90</b>   | (5.0)  | <b>44</b> | (2.1)   | 12.3 | (1.1) |      |
| Germany              | 525  | (2.8) | 497            | (4.5) | 524            | (4.1) | 539           | (4.1) | 571         | (4.2) | <b>74</b>   | (5.6)  | <b>29</b> | (2.0)   | 7.6  | (1.0) |      |
| Greece               | 459  | (3.6) | 427            | (4.9) | 448            | (4.7) | 465           | (4.9) | 497         | (4.5) | <b>71</b>   | (5.6)  | <b>28</b> | (2.0)   | 8.3  | (1.1) |      |
| Hungary              | 472  | (2.4) | 425            | (3.8) | 462            | (4.0) | 479           | (3.9) | 524         | (3.9) | <b>99</b>   | (5.5)  | <b>40</b> | (1.9)   | 15.9 | (1.3) |      |
| Iceland              | 499  | (2.3) | 485            | (4.4) | 494            | (4.4) | 508           | (4.1) | 515         | (4.1) | <b>29</b>   | (5.4)  | <b>17</b> | (2.9)   | 1.7  | (0.6) |      |
| Ireland              | m  | m     | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m  | m         | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Israel               | 469  | (3.6) | 422            | (5.4) | 460            | (4.9) | 495           | (5.5) | 505         | (4.5) | <b>83</b>   | (7.0)  | <b>38</b> | (2.9)   | 9.4  | (1.4) |      |
| Italy                | 478  | (2.5) | 445            | (4.3) | 474            | (3.5) | 488           | (3.5) | 510         | (3.7) | <b>65</b>   | (5.4)  | <b>26</b> | (1.9)   | 6.7  | (1.0) |      |
| Japan                | 552  | (2.7) | 524            | (3.5) | 548            | (3.7) | 559           | (3.7) | 577         | (3.1) | <b>52</b>   | (4.0)  | <b>27</b> | (2.0)   | 5.2  | (0.7) |      |
| Korea                | 538  | (2.5) | 515            | (3.5) | 530            | (3.4) | 546           | (3.9) | 563         | (4.2) | <b>49</b>   | (5.3)  | <b>28</b> | (2.6)   | 5.1  | (1.0) |      |
| Latvia               | 485  | (2.3) | 458            | (3.5) | 476            | (3.7) | 494           | (4.1) | 513         | (3.5) | <b>55</b>   | (5.0)  | <b>23</b> | (2.1)   | 5.6  | (0.9) |      |
| Luxembourg           | 491  | (1.5) | 448            | (3.3) | 480            | (3.3) | 501           | (3.1) | 541         | (3.1) | <b>93</b>   | (4.4)  | <b>30</b> | (1.4)   | 11.3 | (0.9) |      |
| Mexico               | 433  | (2.5) | 400            | (3.6) | 423            | (3.2) | 443           | (3.9) | 468         | (3.8) | <b>68</b>   | (5.1)  | <b>22</b> | (1.4)   | 11.1 | (1.4) |      |
| Netherlands          | 518  | (2.4) | 489            | (3.5) | 504            | (3.7) | 525           | (3.7) | 555         | (4.5) | <b>66</b>   | (5.8)  | <b>33</b> | (2.7)   | 6.6  | (1.1) |      |
| New Zealand          | 533  | (2.4) | 496            | (4.8) | 528            | (4.8) | 547           | (4.0) | 572         | (4.2) | <b>76</b>   | (6.9)  | <b>37</b> | (3.2)   | 7.4  | (1.2) |      |
| Norway               | 502  | (2.5) | 479            | (3.5) | 497            | (3.7) | 512           | (4.2) | 527         | (3.6) | <b>47</b>   | (4.2)  | <b>25</b> | (2.1)   | 3.8  | (0.6) |      |
| Poland               | m  | m     | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m  | m         | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Portugal             | 498  | (2.6) | 465            | (3.7) | 489            | (3.7) | 502           | (4.4) | 538         | (4.5) | <b>73</b>   | (5.4)  | <b>23</b> | (1.7)   | 8.8  | (1.3) |      |
| Slovak Republic      | 463  | (2.4) | 427            | (4.2) | 455            | (2.8) | 470           | (3.3) | 503         | (4.4) | <b>76</b>   | (5.9)  | <b>30</b> | (2.1)   | 9.7  | (1.2) |      |
| Slovenia             | 502  | (1.8) | 472            | (3.7) | 487            | (3.4) | 512           | (3.3) | 538         | (2.9) | <b>67</b>   | (5.0)  | <b>32</b> | (2.1)   | 8.0  | (1.0) |      |
| Spain                | 496  | (2.1) | 469            | (3.5) | 486            | (3.2) | 505           | (3.2) | 528         | (3.2) | <b>59</b>   | (4.5)  | <b>20</b> | (1.3)   | 7.0  | (0.9) |      |
| Sweden               | 510  | (3.4) | 477            | (3.5) | 497            | (4.0) | 527           | (4.3) | 546         | (5.9) | <b>69</b>   | (5.9)  | <b>33</b> | (2.5)   | 7.7  | (1.1) |      |
| Switzerland          | m  | m     | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m  | m         | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Turkey               | 422  | (3.4) | 398            | (4.8) | 416            | (4.1) | 424           | (4.0) | 453         | (6.4) | <b>55</b>   | (7.4)  | <b>19</b> | (2.0)   | 7.9  | (1.7) |      |
| United Kingdom       | 519  | (2.7) | 489            | (3.6) | 503            | (4.6) | 532           | (3.7) | 559         | (4.2) | <b>69</b>   | (5.2)  | <b>30</b> | (2.2)   | 6.3  | (0.9) |      |
| United States        | 520  | (3.6) | 486            | (4.4) | 503            | (4.3) | 533           | (6.0) | 565         | (5.3) | <b>79</b>   | (6.5)  | <b>29</b> | (2.1)   | 7.5  | (1.0) |      |
| OECD average-32      | 500  | (0.5) | 468            | (0.7) | 491            | (0.7) | 510           | (0.7) | 536         | (0.7) | <b>69</b>   | (1.0)  | <b>30</b> | (0.4)   | 7.9  | (0.2) |      |
| OECD average-35      | m  | m     | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m  | m         | m   | m    | m     |      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |   |  |           |   |      |       |      |
| Brazil               | 412  | (2.3) | 384            | (2.6) | 403            | (2.5) | 414           | (3.3) | 454         | (4.7) | <b>70</b>   | (5.0)  | <b>23</b> | (1.4)   | 9.5  | (1.1) |      |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 496  | (4.0) | 447            | (4.8) | 485            | (5.4) | 504           | (4.5) | 549         | (7.4) | <b>101</b>  | (8.6)  | <b>35</b> | (2.4)   | 15.9 | (2.2) |      |
| Bulgaria             | 444  | (3.9) | 398            | (5.5) | 429            | (4.9) | 460           | (4.9) | 495         | (4.4) | <b>97</b>   | (6.4)  | <b>37</b> | (2.1)   | 14.2 | (1.4) |      |
| Colombia             | 429  | (2.3) | 392            | (3.2) | 414            | (3.2) | 436           | (3.2) | 474         | (4.8) | <b>82</b>   | (6.0)  | <b>29</b> | (1.7)   | 14.8 | (1.8) |      |
| Costa Rica           | 441  | (2.4) | 416            | (3.3) | 427            | (3.1) | 444           | (3.7) | 478         | (4.1) | <b>63</b>   | (5.1)  | <b>21</b> | (1.6)   | 10.0 | (1.4) |      |
| Croatia              | 473  | (2.5) | 446            | (3.6) | 461            | (3.7) | 475           | (3.5) | 511         | (4.2) | <b>64</b>   | (5.2)  | <b>31</b> | (2.1)   | 8.6  | (1.0) |      |
| Cyprus*              | 444  | (1.7) | 423            | (3.4) | 436            | (3.3) | 447           | (3.3) | 473         | (3.9) | <b>50</b>   | (5.2)  | <b>20</b> | (2.1)   | 4.1  | (0.8) |      |
| Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m  | m         | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 541  | (2.9) | 525            | (3.9) | 539            | (4.0) | 542           | (4.2) | 560         | (4.7) | <b>35</b>   | (6.0)  | <b>14</b> | (2.2)   | 2.1  | (0.6) |      |
| Lithuania            | 467  | (2.5) | 434            | (3.3) | 455            | (3.1) | 479           | (4.5) | 505         | (3.7) | <b>71</b>   | (4.9)  | <b>31</b> | (2.2)   | 8.5  | (1.1) |      |
| Macao (China)        | 534  | (1.2) | 524            | (3.0) | 535            | (2.7) | 536           | (3.2) | 541         | (3.0) | <b>17</b>   | (4.5)  | <b>8</b>  | (1.9)   | 0.6  | (0.3) |      |
| Montenegro           | 416  | (1.3) | 395            | (2.2) | 412            | (2.6) | 420           | (2.5) | 438         | (2.4) | <b>43</b>   | (3.5)  | <b>19</b> | (1.4)   | 4.1  | (0.6) |      |
| Peru                 | 418  | (2.5) | 364            | (2.7) | 409            | (3.8) | 431           | (3.7) | 467         | (4.7) | <b>103</b>  | (5.5)  | <b>32</b> | (1.6)   | 21.6 | (1.8) |      |
| Qatar                | m  | m     | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m  | m         | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Russia               | 473  | (3.4) | 440            | (4.4) | 468            | (5.0) | 489           | (5.2) | 502         | (4.2) | <b>62</b>   | (5.4)  | <b>31</b> | (2.7)   | 6.3  | (1.0) |      |
| Singapore            | 561  | (1.2) | 519            | (2.7) | 552            | (2.8) | 575           | (3.1) | 600         | (3.2) | <b>81</b>   | (4.2)  | <b>33</b> | (1.7)   | 9.8  | (0.9) |      |
| Chinese Taipei       | 527  | (2.5) | 495            | (3.8) | 517            | (3.2) | 535           | (3.8) | 560         | (4.2) | <b>65</b>   | (5.8)  | <b>30</b> | (2.5)   | 7.5  | (1.1) |      |
| Thailand             | 436  | (3.5) | 414            | (4.0) | 419            | (3.6) | 436           | (4.4) | 477         | (7.7) | <b>64</b>   | (8.7)  | <b>24</b> | (2.5)   | 9.7  | (2.0) |      |
| Tunisia              | 382  | (1.9) | 363            | (2.4) | 372            | (2.6) | 381           | (2.8) | 412         | (4.1) | <b>48</b>   | (4.5)  | <b>16</b> | (1.5)   | 9.2  | (1.5) |      |
| United Arab Emirates | 435  | (2.4) | 402            | (3.2) | 430            | (3.8) | 453           | (3.0) | 459         | (3.1) | <b>58</b>   | (3.8)  | <b>28</b> | (1.8)   | 4.9  | (0.6) |      |
| Uruguay              | 443  | (2.3) | 407            | (3.0) | 428            | (3.3) | 449           | (3.9) | 489         | (4.5) | <b>82</b>   | (5.4)  | <b>29</b> | (1.7)   | 12.4 | (1.4) |      |
| Malaysia**           | 440  | (3.3) | 408            | (4.2) | 428            | (3.6) | 448           | (5.0) | 476         | (5.4) | <b>68</b>   | (6.2)  | <b>24</b> | (1.9)   | 10.8 | (1.5) |      |

1. ESCS refers to the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.4.6b Performance in collaborative problem solving, by schools' socio-economic profile**

|                      | Mean ESCS <sup>1</sup> |        | National quarters of school ESCS |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |
|----------------------|------------------------|--------|----------------------------------|--------|----------------|--------|---------------|--------|-------------|--------|
|                      |                        |        | Bottom quarter                   |        | Second quarter |        | Third quarter |        | Top quarter |        |
|                      | Mean index             | S.E.   | Mean index                       | S.E.   | Mean index     | S.E.   | Mean index    | S.E.   | Mean index  | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>          |                        |        |                                  |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |
| Australia            | 0.27                   | (0.01) | -0.30                            | (0.02) | 0.13           | (0.02) | 0.44          | (0.01) | 0.81        | (0.02) |
| Austria              | 0.09                   | (0.02) | -0.48                            | (0.03) | -0.10          | (0.03) | 0.24          | (0.03) | 0.71        | (0.03) |
| Belgium              | 0.16                   | (0.02) | -0.48                            | (0.04) | 0.01           | (0.03) | 0.35          | (0.02) | 0.79        | (0.03) |
| Canada               | 0.53                   | (0.02) | 0.05                             | (0.02) | 0.42           | (0.02) | 0.67          | (0.02) | 0.99        | (0.02) |
| Chile                | -0.49                  | (0.03) | -1.35                            | (0.04) | -0.84          | (0.04) | -0.26         | (0.05) | 0.50        | (0.04) |
| Czech Republic       | -0.21                  | (0.01) | -0.72                            | (0.02) | -0.39          | (0.02) | -0.12         | (0.03) | 0.41        | (0.02) |
| Denmark              | 0.59                   | (0.02) | 0.09                             | (0.03) | 0.47           | (0.02) | 0.73          | (0.03) | 1.08        | (0.03) |
| Estonia              | 0.05                   | (0.01) | -0.44                            | (0.03) | -0.08          | (0.02) | 0.15          | (0.02) | 0.56        | (0.02) |
| Finland              | 0.25                   | (0.02) | -0.10                            | (0.03) | 0.14           | (0.02) | 0.32          | (0.03) | 0.66        | (0.04) |
| France               | -0.14                  | (0.02) | -0.72                            | (0.02) | -0.27          | (0.02) | 0.02          | (0.03) | 0.43        | (0.03) |
| Germany              | 0.12                   | (0.02) | -0.50                            | (0.03) | -0.07          | (0.03) | 0.28          | (0.03) | 0.77        | (0.03) |
| Greece               | -0.08                  | (0.03) | -0.72                            | (0.04) | -0.23          | (0.04) | 0.08          | (0.03) | 0.56        | (0.04) |
| Hungary              | -0.23                  | (0.02) | -1.03                            | (0.03) | -0.44          | (0.03) | -0.01         | (0.04) | 0.58        | (0.03) |
| Iceland              | 0.73                   | (0.00) | 0.35                             | (0.00) | 0.68           | (0.00) | 0.84          | (0.00) | 1.06        | (0.00) |
| Ireland              | 0.16                   | (0.02) | -0.29                            | (0.03) | 0.02           | (0.02) | 0.25          | (0.03) | 0.66        | (0.05) |
| Israel               | 0.16                   | (0.03) | -0.38                            | (0.06) | 0.05           | (0.04) | 0.33          | (0.02) | 0.66        | (0.03) |
| Italy                | -0.07                  | (0.02) | -0.69                            | (0.03) | -0.25          | (0.03) | 0.09          | (0.02) | 0.58        | (0.03) |
| Japan                | -0.18                  | (0.01) | -0.63                            | (0.02) | -0.32          | (0.02) | -0.06         | (0.02) | 0.27        | (0.02) |
| Korea                | -0.20                  | (0.02) | -0.59                            | (0.03) | -0.33          | (0.02) | -0.12         | (0.03) | 0.25        | (0.04) |
| Latvia               | -0.44                  | (0.02) | -1.04                            | (0.03) | -0.62          | (0.03) | -0.29         | (0.04) | 0.20        | (0.02) |
| Luxembourg           | 0.07                   | (0.00) | -0.58                            | (0.00) | -0.24          | (0.00) | 0.22          | (0.00) | 0.90        | (0.00) |
| Mexico               | -1.22                  | (0.04) | -2.22                            | (0.06) | -1.47          | (0.05) | -1.02         | (0.04) | -0.19       | (0.07) |
| Netherlands          | 0.16                   | (0.02) | -0.31                            | (0.04) | 0.03           | (0.02) | 0.28          | (0.02) | 0.64        | (0.03) |
| New Zealand          | 0.17                   | (0.02) | -0.28                            | (0.02) | 0.02           | (0.02) | 0.29          | (0.03) | 0.63        | (0.03) |
| Norway               | 0.48                   | (0.02) | 0.14                             | (0.03) | 0.40           | (0.02) | 0.56          | (0.02) | 0.83        | (0.03) |
| Poland               | -0.39                  | (0.02) | -0.85                            | (0.03) | -0.53          | (0.03) | -0.29         | (0.02) | 0.10        | (0.04) |
| Portugal             | -0.39                  | (0.03) | -1.14                            | (0.04) | -0.60          | (0.04) | -0.26         | (0.05) | 0.44        | (0.05) |
| Slovak Republic      | -0.11                  | (0.02) | -0.81                            | (0.05) | -0.22          | (0.02) | 0.06          | (0.03) | 0.54        | (0.03) |
| Slovenia             | 0.03                   | (0.00) | -0.51                            | (0.01) | -0.16          | (0.01) | 0.17          | (0.01) | 0.63        | (0.00) |
| Spain                | -0.51                  | (0.04) | -1.32                            | (0.04) | -0.81          | (0.05) | -0.39         | (0.05) | 0.47        | (0.07) |
| Sweden               | 0.33                   | (0.02) | -0.08                            | (0.03) | 0.21           | (0.03) | 0.43          | (0.02) | 0.79        | (0.03) |
| Switzerland          | 0.14                   | (0.02) | -0.36                            | (0.03) | -0.03          | (0.03) | 0.21          | (0.04) | 0.75        | (0.04) |
| Turkey               | -1.43                  | (0.05) | -2.22                            | (0.06) | -1.62          | (0.05) | -1.26         | (0.05) | -0.61       | (0.10) |
| United Kingdom       | 0.21                   | (0.02) | -0.30                            | (0.02) | 0.04           | (0.03) | 0.32          | (0.03) | 0.77        | (0.04) |
| United States        | 0.10                   | (0.04) | -0.60                            | (0.07) | -0.04          | (0.04) | 0.28          | (0.04) | 0.77        | (0.04) |
| OECD average-32      | -0.04                  | (0.00) | -0.62                            | (0.01) | -0.20          | (0.01) | 0.10          | (0.01) | 0.58        | (0.01) |
| OECD average-35      | -0.04                  | (0.00) | -0.61                            | (0.01) | -0.20          | (0.00) | 0.10          | (0.01) | 0.57        | (0.01) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |                        |        |                                  |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |
| Brazil               | -0.96                  | (0.03) | -1.76                            | (0.03) | -1.21          | (0.03) | -0.86         | (0.03) | 0.00        | (0.05) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | -1.07                  | (0.04) | -1.89                            | (0.03) | -1.41          | (0.05) | -0.95         | (0.06) | -0.04       | (0.10) |
| Bulgaria             | -0.08                  | (0.03) | -0.85                            | (0.05) | -0.26          | (0.04) | 0.14          | (0.04) | 0.64        | (0.03) |
| Colombia             | -0.99                  | (0.04) | -1.83                            | (0.05) | -1.26          | (0.03) | -0.90         | (0.04) | 0.03        | (0.07) |
| Costa Rica           | -0.80                  | (0.04) | -1.62                            | (0.05) | -1.08          | (0.04) | -0.72         | (0.04) | 0.21        | (0.07) |
| Croatia              | -0.24                  | (0.02) | -0.69                            | (0.02) | -0.42          | (0.02) | -0.17         | (0.02) | 0.32        | (0.04) |
| Cyprus*              | 0.20                   | (0.00) | -0.38                            | (0.00) | 0.04           | (0.00) | 0.30          | (0.00) | 0.83        | (0.00) |
| Dominican Republic   | -0.90                  | (0.03) | -1.56                            | (0.04) | -1.17          | (0.04) | -0.81         | (0.05) | -0.06       | (0.05) |
| Hong Kong (China)    | -0.53                  | (0.03) | -1.05                            | (0.02) | -0.81          | (0.03) | -0.44         | (0.04) | 0.16        | (0.06) |
| Lithuania            | -0.06                  | (0.02) | -0.67                            | (0.03) | -0.20          | (0.03) | 0.09          | (0.03) | 0.52        | (0.04) |
| Macao (China)        | -0.54                  | (0.00) | -1.06                            | (0.00) | -0.76          | (0.00) | -0.49         | (0.00) | 0.15        | (0.00) |
| Montenegro           | -0.18                  | (0.00) | -0.58                            | (0.01) | -0.31          | (0.00) | -0.06         | (0.00) | 0.25        | (0.00) |
| Peru                 | -1.08                  | (0.04) | -2.19                            | (0.04) | -1.40          | (0.05) | -0.80         | (0.05) | 0.07        | (0.07) |
| Qatar                | 0.58                   | (0.00) | 0.09                             | (0.00) | 0.51           | (0.00) | 0.71          | (0.00) | 1.00        | (0.00) |
| Russia               | 0.05                   | (0.02) | -0.47                            | (0.04) | -0.03          | (0.03) | 0.20          | (0.03) | 0.49        | (0.02) |
| Singapore            | 0.03                   | (0.01) | -0.51                            | (0.00) | -0.21          | (0.00) | 0.13          | (0.02) | 0.71        | (0.01) |
| Chinese Taipei       | -0.21                  | (0.02) | -0.72                            | (0.03) | -0.36          | (0.03) | -0.11         | (0.03) | 0.33        | (0.04) |
| Thailand             | -1.23                  | (0.04) | -1.99                            | (0.04) | -1.53          | (0.04) | -1.13         | (0.05) | -0.26       | (0.10) |
| Tunisia              | -0.83                  | (0.03) | -1.62                            | (0.05) | -1.09          | (0.04) | -0.68         | (0.04) | 0.05        | (0.07) |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.50                   | (0.01) | 0.04                             | (0.03) | 0.38           | (0.02) | 0.62          | (0.01) | 0.96        | (0.01) |
| Uruguay              | -0.78                  | (0.02) | -1.46                            | (0.02) | -1.12          | (0.03) | -0.71         | (0.03) | 0.18        | (0.06) |
| Malaysia**           | -0.47                  | (0.04) | -1.20                            | (0.05) | -0.70          | (0.05) | -0.30         | (0.06) | 0.32        | (0.06) |

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Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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Table V.4.6b Performance in collaborative problem solving, by schools' socio-economic profile

|                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving, by national quarter of school ESCS <sup>1</sup> |       |                |        |                |        |               |       |             |       | When accounting for schools' socio-economic profile |   |            |   |      |       |      |
|----------------------|---|-------|----------------|--------|----------------|--------|---------------|-------|-------------|-------|---|---|------------|---|------|-------|------|
|                      | Mean  |       | Bottom quarter |        | Second quarter |        | Third quarter |       | Top quarter |       | Difference (top - bottom quarter)                   | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per unit of school ESCS |            | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared x 100) |      |       |      |
|                      | Mean score  | S.E.  | Mean score     | S.E.   | Mean score     | S.E.   | Mean score    | S.E.  | Mean score  | S.E.  |   | Score dif.  | S.E.       | Score dif.  | S.E. | %     | S.E. |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |                |        |                |        |               |       |             |       |   |   |            |   |      |       |      |
| Australia            | 531   | (1.9) | 496            | (4.1)  | 523            | (4.5)  | 540           | (4.0) | 575         | (3.7) | <b>80</b>   | (5.4)   | <b>70</b>  | (4.3)   | 8.1  | (1.0) |      |
| Austria              | 509   | (2.6) | 451            | (5.0)  | 492            | (7.7)  | 534           | (5.5) | 564         | (4.4) | <b>113</b>  | (6.7)   | <b>93</b>  | (5.0)   | 19.9 | (1.8) |      |
| Belgium              | 501   | (2.4) | 440            | (5.1)  | 482            | (5.0)  | 523           | (5.6) | 564         | (4.5) | <b>124</b>  | (7.1)   | <b>99</b>  | (4.9)   | 24.4 | (2.0) |      |
| Canada               | 535   | (2.3) | 505            | (3.9)  | 530            | (4.2)  | 545           | (4.8) | 566         | (4.2) | <b>61</b>   | (5.4)   | <b>64</b>  | (4.5)   | 5.1  | (0.7) |      |
| Chile                | 457   | (2.7) | 413            | (5.0)  | 441            | (4.9)  | 472           | (6.8) | 505         | (5.4) | <b>92</b>   | (7.5)   | <b>47</b>  | (2.5)   | 17.5 | (1.7) |      |
| Czech Republic       | 499   | (2.2) | 451            | (5.1)  | 483            | (4.7)  | 505           | (5.0) | 558         | (4.0) | <b>107</b>  | (6.7)   | <b>90</b>  | (4.9)   | 19.5 | (1.9) |      |
| Denmark              | 520   | (2.5) | 497            | (4.1)  | 511            | (5.1)  | 528           | (5.3) | 547         | (5.2) | <b>50</b>   | (6.5)   | <b>51</b>  | (6.1)   | 4.9  | (1.2) |      |
| Estonia              | 535   | (2.5) | 510            | (5.0)  | 527            | (6.3)  | 541           | (4.3) | 567         | (4.4) | <b>58</b>   | (6.4)   | <b>62</b>  | (5.6)   | 7.1  | (1.3) |      |
| Finland              | 534   | (2.6) | 518            | (5.5)  | 527            | (5.6)  | 540           | (4.6) | 551         | (5.2) | <b>33</b>   | (7.6)   | <b>52</b>  | (9.2)   | 2.4  | (0.9) |      |
| France               | 494   | (2.4) | 423            | (6.7)  | 485            | (6.1)  | 528           | (4.8) | 549         | (4.0) | <b>126</b>  | (7.4)   | <b>110</b> | (4.5)   | 23.8 | (1.9) |      |
| Germany              | 525   | (2.8) | 473            | (5.6)  | 511            | (6.9)  | 562           | (6.8) | 585         | (4.2) | <b>112</b>  | (7.3)   | <b>88</b>  | (5.0)   | 18.6 | (2.0) |      |
| Greece               | 459   | (3.6) | 404            | (8.0)  | 455            | (6.5)  | 475           | (4.4) | 503         | (5.7) | <b>99</b>   | (9.3)   | <b>73</b>  | (5.5)   | 15.9 | (2.2) |      |
| Hungary              | 472   | (2.4) | 395            | (4.5)  | 453            | (5.6)  | 497           | (5.7) | 545         | (4.9) | <b>149</b>  | (6.7)   | <b>91</b>  | (3.6)   | 34.9 | (1.9) |      |
| Iceland              | 499   | (2.3) | 491            | (4.0)  | 497            | (3.7)  | 502           | (4.5) | 511         | (4.1) | <b>20</b>   | (5.9)   | <b>28</b>  | (6.6)   | 0.7  | (0.3) |      |
| Ireland              | m   | m     | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m   | m          | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Israel               | 469   | (3.6) | 403            | (10.5) | 452            | (10.4) | 500           | (7.1) | 534         | (6.6) | <b>131</b>  | (12.8)  | <b>113</b> | (11.0)  | 21.0 | (2.9) |      |
| Italy                | 478   | (2.5) | 418            | (6.3)  | 474            | (6.0)  | 502           | (6.7) | 524         | (4.7) | <b>106</b>  | (7.8)   | <b>80</b>  | (4.3)   | 17.2 | (1.7) |      |
| Japan                | 552   | (2.7) | 511            | (4.9)  | 540            | (6.2)  | 565           | (8.0) | 592         | (5.1) | <b>81</b>   | (7.0)   | <b>89</b>  | (6.4)   | 13.4 | (1.8) |      |
| Korea                | 538   | (2.5) | 501            | (5.2)  | 535            | (4.9)  | 548           | (5.5) | 569         | (5.3) | <b>68</b>   | (7.7)   | <b>81</b>  | (6.8)   | 10.1 | (1.9) |      |
| Latvia               | 485   | (2.3) | 456            | (4.8)  | 476            | (4.1)  | 492           | (4.8) | 518         | (4.7) | <b>62</b>   | (6.7)   | <b>49</b>  | (4.4)   | 7.0  | (1.3) |      |
| Luxembourg           | 491   | (1.5) | 439            | (2.6)  | 470            | (2.6)  | 504           | (2.7) | 556         | (3.2) | <b>117</b>  | (4.1)   | <b>79</b>  | (2.6)   | 21.2 | (1.2) |      |
| Mexico               | 433   | (2.5) | 393            | (4.4)  | 418            | (5.2)  | 442           | (5.7) | 481         | (5.0) | <b>87</b>   | (7.3)   | <b>40</b>  | (2.6)   | 16.7 | (1.9) |      |
| Netherlands          | 518   | (2.4) | 456            | (5.2)  | 491            | (7.0)  | 541           | (6.7) | 584         | (4.6) | <b>128</b>  | (6.9)   | <b>121</b> | (9.8)   | 22.5 | (2.4) |      |
| New Zealand          | 533   | (2.4) | 498            | (5.8)  | 525            | (5.4)  | 547           | (6.3) | 573         | (4.8) | <b>75</b>   | (7.7)   | <b>79</b>  | (7.1)   | 7.1  | (1.2) |      |
| Norway               | 502   | (2.5) | 489            | (4.5)  | 500            | (5.7)  | 506           | (5.4) | 520         | (4.7) | <b>31</b>   | (6.4)   | <b>43</b>  | (7.7)   | 1.6  | (0.6) |      |
| Poland               | m   | m     | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m   | m          | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Portugal             | 498   | (2.6) | 454            | (5.0)  | 495            | (5.5)  | 511           | (5.8) | 535         | (4.2) | <b>81</b>   | (6.2)   | <b>49</b>  | (3.9)   | 11.1 | (1.7) |      |
| Slovak Republic      | 463   | (2.4) | 412            | (4.5)  | 445            | (4.5)  | 469           | (4.8) | 528         | (5.7) | <b>116</b>  | (7.2)   | <b>75</b>  | (6.0)   | 20.5 | (1.8) |      |
| Slovenia             | 502   | (1.8) | 446            | (2.7)  | 481            | (3.9)  | 522           | (4.2) | 559         | (3.5) | <b>113</b>  | (4.4)   | <b>101</b> | (3.7)   | 23.9 | (1.5) |      |
| Spain                | 496   | (2.1) | 473            | (4.6)  | 490            | (4.4)  | 505           | (5.4) | 521         | (4.4) | <b>49</b>   | (5.9)   | <b>27</b>  | (2.8)   | 4.6  | (0.9) |      |
| Sweden               | 510   | (3.4) | 480            | (4.2)  | 502            | (4.9)  | 511           | (6.2) | 553         | (7.4) | <b>73</b>   | (7.7)   | <b>82</b>  | (8.5)   | 8.1  | (1.7) |      |
| Switzerland          | m   | m     | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m   | m          | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Turkey               | 422   | (3.4) | 378            | (5.5)  | 403            | (6.7)  | 442           | (9.4) | 469         | (7.2) | <b>91</b>   | (9.6)   | <b>55</b>  | (4.8)   | 20.7 | (3.3) |      |
| United Kingdom       | 519   | (2.7) | 485            | (5.6)  | 508            | (5.3)  | 523           | (5.8) | 568         | (5.0) | <b>83</b>   | (7.9)   | <b>74</b>  | (5.6)   | 8.8  | (1.5) |      |
| United States        | 520   | (3.6) | 478            | (6.7)  | 512            | (6.4)  | 533           | (7.1) | 563         | (6.2) | <b>86</b>   | (8.8)   | <b>55</b>  | (5.8)   | 7.9  | (1.4) |      |
| OECD average-32      | 500   | (0.5) | 457            | (0.9)  | 489            | (1.0)  | 514           | (1.0) | 545         | (0.9) | <b>88</b>   | (1.3)   | <b>72</b>  | (1.0)   | 13.9 | (0.3) |      |
| OECD average-35      | m   | m     | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m   | m          | m   | m    | m     |      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |                |        |                |        |               |       |             |       |   |   |            |   |      |       |      |
| Brazil               | 412   | (2.3) | 375            | (3.4)  | 400            | (4.5)  | 411           | (4.2) | 468         | (5.5) | <b>92</b>   | (6.2)   | <b>51</b>  | (2.5)   | 16.6 | (1.7) |      |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 496   | (4.0) | 429            | (6.1)  | 472            | (8.1)  | 523           | (8.9) | 560         | (8.0) | <b>131</b>  | (9.9)   | <b>70</b>  | (3.1)   | 27.6 | (2.8) |      |
| Bulgaria             | 444   | (3.9) | 376            | (6.7)  | 415            | (7.2)  | 469           | (7.2) | 522         | (5.8) | <b>147</b>  | (9.0)   | <b>97</b>  | (5.5)   | 33.2 | (2.7) |      |
| Colombia             | 429   | (2.3) | 385            | (4.7)  | 413            | (4.2)  | 436           | (4.1) | 483         | (5.4) | <b>98</b>   | (7.1)   | <b>52</b>  | (2.8)   | 21.2 | (2.2) |      |
| Costa Rica           | 441   | (2.4) | 413            | (3.8)  | 426            | (5.5)  | 442           | (4.7) | 483         | (5.5) | <b>70</b>   | (6.9)   | <b>39</b>  | (3.1)   | 13.5 | (1.9) |      |
| Croatia              | 473   | (2.5) | 432            | (6.7)  | 456            | (7.8)  | 478           | (5.8) | 527         | (5.0) | <b>94</b>   | (8.3)   | <b>90</b>  | (6.5)   | 16.9 | (2.0) |      |
| Cyprus*              | 444   | (1.7) | 404            | (3.1)  | 449            | (3.0)  | 450           | (3.9) | 476         | (3.1) | <b>73</b>   | (4.2)   | <b>57</b>  | (3.1)   | 8.6  | (0.9) |      |
| Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m   | m          | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 541   | (2.9) | 505            | (6.9)  | 529            | (6.7)  | 558           | (8.2) | 574         | (4.7) | <b>70</b>   | (8.6)   | <b>50</b>  | (6.1)   | 7.3  | (1.6) |      |
| Lithuania            | 467   | (2.5) | 424            | (4.3)  | 457            | (5.0)  | 472           | (5.5) | 519         | (5.5) | <b>95</b>   | (7.4)   | <b>79</b>  | (4.8)   | 16.3 | (2.0) |      |
| Macao (China)        | 534   | (1.2) | 518            | (2.5)  | 546            | (2.8)  | 536           | (2.8) | 536         | (3.0) | <b>18</b>   | (4.1)   | <b>16</b>  | (3.3)   | 0.8  | (0.3) |      |
| Montenegro           | 416   | (1.3) | 383            | (2.8)  | 400            | (2.5)  | 427           | (2.4) | 455         | (2.7) | <b>72</b>   | (3.6)   | <b>87</b>  | (3.9)   | 13.2 | (1.1) |      |
| Peru                 | 418   | (2.5) | 360            | (3.3)  | 399            | (5.8)  | 431           | (3.8) | 480         | (6.5) | <b>120</b>  | (7.5)   | <b>59</b>  | (2.3)   | 29.3 | (2.1) |      |
| Qatar                | m   | m     | m              | m      | m              | m      | m             | m     | m           | m     | m   | m   | m          | m   | m    | m     |      |
| Russia               | 473   | (3.4) | 433            | (5.6)  | 463            | (5.3)  | 485           | (6.2) | 517         | (6.8) | <b>84</b>   | (8.5)   | <b>80</b>  | (7.1)   | 10.7 | (1.7) |      |
| Singapore            | 561   | (1.2) | 519            | (2.9)  | 537            | (2.7)  | 572           | (3.8) | 618         | (5.1) | <b>99</b>   | (6.1)   | <b>77</b>  | (3.9)   | 14.5 | (1.2) |      |
| Chinese Taipei       | 527   | (2.5) | 479            | (5.6)  | 515            | (5.3)  | 537           | (4.6) | 575         | (6.7) | <b>96</b>   | (9.2)   | <b>89</b>  | (5.8)   | 16.1 | (2.2) |      |
| Thailand             | 436   | (3.5) | 404            | (5.1)  | 413            | (7.0)  | 439           | (7.0) | 491         | (6.8) | <b>87</b>   | (8.5)   | <b>50</b>  | (3.7)   | 17.5 | (2.9) |      |
| Tunisia              | 382   | (1.9) | 357            | (4.1)  | 370            | (5.1)  | 386           | (5.0) | 415         | (4.6) | <b>58</b>   | (6.1)   | <b>36</b>  | (3.7)   | 16.1 | (2.9) |      |
| United Arab Emirates | 435   | (2.4) | 394            | (6.0)  | 420            | (6.4)  | 445           | (5.4) | 486         | (4.7) | <b>92</b>   | (7.6)   | <b>99</b>  | (6.1)   | 14.2 | (1.7) |      |
| Uruguay              | 443   | (2.3) | 398            | (4.4)  | 416            | (4.0)  | 464           | (6.0) | 495         | (5.2) | <b>97</b>   | (6.7)   | <b>59</b>  | (2.9)   | 18.5 | (1.8) |      |
| Malaysia**           | 440   | (3.3) | 406            | (4.6)  | 427            | (6.6)  | 448           | (6.8) | 479         | (7.4) | <b>74</b>   | (9.0)   | <b>49</b>  | (4.4)   | 13.2 | (2.5) |      |

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**Table V.4.6c Impact of socio-economic status on collaborative problem-solving performance**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | When accounting for students' socio-economic status                    |       |   |       | When accounting for schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>      |        |   |       | When accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile      |       |   |        |   |       |
|----------------------|--|-------|---|-------|---|--------|---|-------|--|-------|---|--------|---|-------|
|                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score per unit of student ESCS |       | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in collaborative problem-solving score per unit of school ESCS |        | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in collaborative problem-solving score per unit of student ESCS |       | Change in collaborative problem-solving score per unit of school ESCS |        | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared × 100) |       |
|                      | Score dif.   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.   | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.   | %   | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |   |       |   |        |   |       |  |       |   |        |   |       |
| Australia            | 35   | (1.9) | 6.7   | (0.8) | <b>70</b>   | (4.3)  | 8.1   | (1.0) | <b>20</b>  | (2.0) | <b>50</b>   | (4.8)  | 9.6   | (1.0) |
| Austria              | 35   | (2.1) | 9.0   | (1.1) | <b>93</b>   | (5.0)  | 19.9  | (1.8) | <b>9</b>   | (1.8) | <b>84</b>   | (5.2)  | 20.3  | (1.8) |
| Belgium              | 39   | (2.0) | 12.8  | (1.2) | <b>99</b>   | (4.9)  | 24.4  | (2.0) | <b>14</b>  | (1.6) | <b>85</b>   | (5.2)  | 25.6  | (2.0) |
| Canada               | 29   | (1.7) | 5.3   | (0.6) | <b>64</b>   | (4.5)  | 5.1   | (0.7) | <b>20</b>  | (1.7) | <b>44</b>   | (4.8)  | 7.1   | (0.8) |
| Chile                | 26   | (1.5) | 11.3  | (1.3) | <b>47</b>   | (2.5)  | 17.5  | (1.7) | <b>7</b>   | (1.5) | <b>40</b>   | (2.8)  | 17.9  | (1.7) |
| Czech Republic       | 38   | (2.6) | 11.2  | (1.4) | <b>90</b>   | (4.9)  | 19.5  | (1.9) | <b>14</b>  | (2.4) | <b>75</b>   | (4.7)  | 20.6  | (2.0) |
| Denmark              | 25   | (2.0) | 6.0   | (0.9) | <b>51</b>   | (6.1)  | 4.9   | (1.2) | <b>19</b>  | (2.1) | <b>33</b>   | (6.7)  | 7.6   | (1.2) |
| Estonia              | 26   | (2.1) | 5.0   | (0.8) | <b>62</b>   | (5.6)  | 7.1   | (1.3) | <b>14</b>  | (2.3) | <b>48</b>   | (6.5)  | 8.2   | (1.3) |
| Finland              | 33   | (2.7) | 5.8   | (0.9) | <b>52</b>   | (9.2)  | 2.4   | (0.9) | <b>29</b>  | (2.7) | <b>23</b>   | (9.4)  | 6.2   | (1.1) |
| France               | 44   | (2.1) | 12.3  | (1.1) | <b>110</b>  | (4.5)  | 23.8  | (1.9) | <b>15</b>  | (2.0) | <b>96</b>   | (4.9)  | 24.8  | (1.8) |
| Germany              | 29   | (2.0) | 7.6   | (1.0) | <b>88</b>   | (5.0)  | 18.6  | (2.0) | <b>8</b>   | (1.6) | <b>81</b>   | (5.3)  | 19.0  | (2.0) |
| Greece               | 28   | (2.0) | 8.3   | (1.1) | <b>73</b>   | (5.5)  | 15.9  | (2.2) | <b>10</b>  | (1.7) | <b>62</b>   | (5.6)  | 16.8  | (2.2) |
| Hungary              | 40   | (1.9) | 15.9  | (1.3) | <b>91</b>   | (3.6)  | 34.9  | (1.9) | <b>2</b>   | (1.5) | <b>88</b>   | (3.9)  | 34.9  | (1.8) |
| Iceland              | 17   | (2.9) | 1.7   | (0.6) | <b>28</b>   | (6.6)  | 0.7   | (0.3) | <b>15</b>  | (3.1) | <b>14</b>   | (7.2)  | 1.8   | (0.6) |
| Ireland              | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     |
| Israel               | 38   | (2.9) | 9.4   | (1.4) | <b>113</b>  | (11.0) | 21.0  | (2.9) | <b>13</b>  | (2.4) | <b>100</b>  | (12.0) | 21.8  | (2.8) |
| Italy                | 26   | (1.9) | 6.7   | (1.0) | <b>80</b>   | (4.3)  | 17.2  | (1.7) | <b>6</b>   | (1.6) | <b>74</b>   | (4.6)  | 17.4  | (1.7) |
| Japan                | 27   | (2.0) | 5.2   | (0.7) | <b>89</b>   | (6.4)  | 13.4  | (1.8) | <b>8</b>   | (1.9) | <b>81</b>   | (6.8)  | 13.7  | (1.7) |
| Korea                | 28   | (2.6) | 5.1   | (1.0) | <b>81</b>   | (6.8)  | 10.1  | (1.9) | <b>12</b>  | (2.0) | <b>69</b>   | (7.0)  | 10.8  | (1.9) |
| Latvia               | 23   | (2.1) | 5.6   | (0.9) | <b>49</b>   | (4.4)  | 7.0   | (1.3) | <b>13</b>  | (2.1) | <b>36</b>   | (4.7)  | 8.3   | (1.3) |
| Luxembourg           | 30   | (1.4) | 11.3  | (0.9) | <b>79</b>   | (2.6)  | 21.2  | (1.2) | <b>12</b>  | (1.5) | <b>67</b>   | (2.8)  | 22.4  | (1.3) |
| Mexico               | 22   | (1.4) | 11.1  | (1.4) | <b>40</b>   | (2.6)  | 16.7  | (1.9) | <b>7</b>   | (1.3) | <b>33</b>   | (2.9)  | 17.4  | (1.9) |
| Netherlands          | 33   | (2.7) | 6.6   | (1.1) | <b>121</b>  | (9.8)  | 22.5  | (2.4) | <b>4</b>   | (2.1) | <b>118</b>  | (9.9)  | 22.5  | (2.4) |
| New Zealand          | 37   | (3.2) | 7.4   | (1.2) | <b>79</b>   | (7.1)  | 7.1   | (1.2) | <b>26</b>  | (3.1) | <b>53</b>   | (7.4)  | 10.0  | (1.4) |
| Norway               | 25   | (2.1) | 3.8   | (0.6) | <b>43</b>   | (7.7)  | 1.6   | (0.6) | <b>22</b>  | (2.2) | <b>21</b>   | (8.2)  | 4.2   | (0.7) |
| Poland               | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     |
| Portugal             | 23   | (1.7) | 8.8   | (1.3) | <b>49</b>   | (3.9)  | 11.1  | (1.7) | <b>13</b>  | (1.7) | <b>36</b>   | (4.2)  | 13.0  | (1.8) |
| Slovak Republic      | 30   | (2.1) | 9.7   | (1.2) | <b>75</b>   | (6.0)  | 20.5  | (1.8) | <b>6</b>   | (1.9) | <b>68</b>   | (6.2)  | 20.8  | (1.9) |
| Slovenia             | 32   | (2.1) | 8.0   | (1.0) | <b>101</b>  | (3.7)  | 23.9  | (1.5) | <b>2</b>   | (2.6) | <b>98</b>   | (4.8)  | 24.0  | (1.4) |
| Spain                | 20   | (1.3) | 7.0   | (0.9) | <b>27</b>   | (2.8)  | 4.6   | (0.9) | <b>16</b>  | (1.4) | <b>12</b>   | (3.0)  | 7.6   | (1.0) |
| Sweden               | 33   | (2.5) | 7.7   | (1.1) | <b>82</b>   | (8.5)  | 8.1   | (1.7) | <b>23</b>  | (2.2) | <b>59</b>   | (8.7)  | 11.1  | (1.7) |
| Switzerland          | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     |
| Turkey               | 19   | (2.0) | 7.9   | (1.7) | <b>55</b>   | (4.8)  | 20.7  | (3.3) | <b>3</b>   | (1.3) | <b>52</b>   | (5.0)  | 20.8  | (3.3) |
| United Kingdom       | 30   | (2.2) | 6.3   | (0.9) | <b>74</b>   | (5.6)  | 8.8   | (1.5) | <b>17</b>  | (1.8) | <b>57</b>   | (5.8)  | 10.3  | (1.5) |
| United States        | 29   | (2.1) | 7.5   | (1.0) | <b>55</b>   | (5.8)  | 7.9   | (1.4) | <b>18</b>  | (2.1) | <b>37</b>   | (6.3)  | 9.9   | (1.4) |
| OECD average         | 30   | (0.4) | 7.9   | (0.2) | <b>72</b>   | (1.0)  | 13.9  | (0.3) | <b>13</b>  | (0.4) | <b>59</b>   | (1.1)  | 15.2  | (0.3) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |   |       |   |        |   |       |  |       |   |        |   |       |
| Brazil               | 23   | (1.4) | 9.5   | (1.1) | <b>51</b>   | (2.5)  | 16.6  | (1.7) | <b>7</b>   | (1.2) | <b>44</b>   | (2.6)  | 17.1  | (1.7) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 35   | (2.4) | 15.9  | (2.2) | <b>70</b>   | (3.1)  | 27.6  | (2.8) | <b>8</b>   | (1.6) | <b>62</b>   | (3.3)  | 28.1  | (2.9) |
| Bulgaria             | 37   | (2.1) | 14.2  | (1.4) | <b>97</b>   | (5.5)  | 33.2  | (2.7) | <b>6</b>   | (1.4) | <b>91</b>   | (5.7)  | 33.5  | (2.7) |
| Colombia             | 29   | (1.7) | 14.8  | (1.8) | <b>52</b>   | (2.8)  | 21.2  | (2.2) | <b>10</b>  | (1.6) | <b>41</b>   | (3.1)  | 22.3  | (2.3) |
| Costa Rica           | 21   | (1.6) | 10.0  | (1.4) | <b>39</b>   | (3.1)  | 13.5  | (1.9) | <b>9</b>   | (1.4) | <b>30</b>   | (3.1)  | 14.7  | (1.9) |
| Croatia              | 31   | (2.1) | 8.6   | (1.0) | <b>90</b>   | (6.5)  | 16.9  | (2.0) | <b>13</b>  | (1.8) | <b>77</b>   | (6.7)  | 18.1  | (2.0) |
| Cyprus*              | 20   | (2.1) | 4.1   | (0.8) | <b>57</b>   | (3.1)  | 8.6   | (0.9) | <b>7</b>   | (2.5) | <b>50</b>   | (3.8)  | 9.0   | (0.9) |
| Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 14   | (2.2) | 2.1   | (0.6) | <b>50</b>   | (6.1)  | 7.3   | (1.6) | <b>1</b>   | (1.7) | <b>50</b>   | (6.1)  | 7.3   | (1.6) |
| Lithuania            | 31   | (2.2) | 8.5   | (1.1) | <b>79</b>   | (4.8)  | 16.3  | (2.0) | <b>11</b>  | (2.0) | <b>68</b>   | (5.3)  | 17.1  | (2.0) |
| Macao (China)        | 8  | (1.9) | 0.6   | (0.3) | <b>16</b>   | (3.3)  | 0.8   | (0.3) | <b>5</b>   | (2.4) | <b>12</b>   | (4.1)  | 0.9   | (0.3) |
| Montenegro           | 19   | (1.4) | 4.1   | (0.6) | <b>87</b>   | (3.9)  | 13.2  | (1.1) | <b>6</b>   | (1.6) | <b>80</b>   | (4.6)  | 13.6  | (1.1) |
| Peru                 | 32   | (1.6) | 21.6  | (1.8) | <b>51</b>   | (2.3)  | 29.3  | (2.1) | <b>10</b>  | (1.5) | <b>41</b>   | (2.6)  | 30.4  | (2.1) |
| Qatar                | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m      | m   | m     |
| Russia               | 31   | (2.7) | 6.3   | (1.0) | <b>80</b>   | (7.1)  | 10.7  | (1.7) | <b>14</b>  | (2.2) | <b>66</b>   | (7.1)  | 11.7  | (1.8) |
| Singapore            | 33   | (1.7) | 9.8   | (0.9) | <b>77</b>   | (3.9)  | 14.5  | (1.2) | <b>17</b>  | (1.8) | <b>61</b>   | (4.1)  | 16.3  | (1.3) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 30   | (2.5) | 7.5   | (1.1) | <b>89</b>   | (5.8)  | 16.1  | (2.2) | <b>11</b>  | (1.8) | <b>78</b>   | (5.8)  | 16.9  | (2.2) |
| Thailand             | 24   | (2.5) | 9.7   | (2.0) | <b>50</b>   | (3.7)  | 17.5  | (2.9) | <b>6</b>   | (1.9) | <b>44</b>   | (3.9)  | 17.9  | (2.9) |
| Tunisia              | 16   | (1.5) | 9.2   | (1.5) | <b>36</b>   | (3.7)  | 16.1  | (2.9) | <b>6</b>   | (1.1) | <b>30</b>   | (3.9)  | 16.9  | (2.9) |
| United Arab Emirates | 28   | (1.8) | 4.9   | (0.6) | <b>99</b>   | (6.1)  | 14.2  | (1.7) | <b>6</b>   | (1.6) | <b>93</b>   | (6.4)  | 14.4  | (1.7) |
| Uruguay              | 29   | (1.7) | 12.4  | (1.4) | <b>59</b>   | (2.9)  | 18.5  | (1.8) | <b>12</b>  | (1.6) | <b>47</b>   | (3.1)  | 19.8  | (1.8) |
| Malaysia**           | 24   | (1.9) | 10.8  | (1.5) | <b>49</b>   | (4.4)  | 13.2  | (2.5) | <b>14</b>  | (1.4) | <b>35</b>   | (4.6)  | 15.6  | (2.4) |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.4.8 Percentage of low and top performers in collaborative problem solving, by students' socio-economic status**

|                      | All students                              |       |  |       | Students in the bottom quarter of ESCS <sup>1</sup> |       |  |       | Students in the second quarter of ESCS    |       |  |       |
|----------------------|---|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|
|                      | Below Level 2<br>(below 440 score points) |       | Level 4<br>(at or above<br>640 score points) |       | Below Level 2<br>(below 440 score points)           |       | Level 4<br>(at or above<br>640 score points) |       | Below Level 2<br>(below 440 score points) |       | Level 4<br>(at or above<br>640 score points) |       |
|                      | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Australia            | 19.2                                      | (0.6) | 15.7   | (0.7) | 29.8  | (1.2) | 9.1  | (0.8) | 22.1                                      | (1.1) | 12.6   | (1.1) |
| Austria              | 24.4                                      | (1.0) | 9.2  | (0.7) | 36.2  | (2.0) | 3.7  | (0.6) | 27.9                                      | (1.8) | 6.4  | (1.0) |
| Belgium              | 26.3                                      | (1.0) | 7.2  | (0.6) | 42.7  | (2.0) | 2.5  | (0.4) | 30.8                                      | (1.4) | 4.1  | (0.6) |
| Canada               | 18.1                                      | (0.8) | 16.0   | (0.7) | 26.8  | (1.4) | 8.8  | (0.8) | 19.7                                      | (1.5) | 13.4   | (0.9) |
| Chile                | 41.8                                      | (1.4) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 61.1  | (2.2) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 41.8                                      | (2.3) | 0.8  | (0.4) |
| Czech Republic       | 25.9                                      | (1.0) | 5.4  | (0.4) | 40.7  | (2.1) | 1.6  | (0.4) | 29.2                                      | (1.8) | 3.4  | (0.7) |
| Denmark              | 18.5                                      | (0.9) | 9.0  | (0.7) | 26.6  | (1.4) | 4.5  | (0.9) | 21.0                                      | (1.6) | 7.1  | (1.2) |
| Estonia              | 15.0                                      | (0.8) | 12.3   | (0.8) | 22.4  | (1.7) | 6.0  | (1.1) | 16.3                                      | (1.6) | 10.6   | (1.5) |
| Finland              | 18.1                                      | (0.9) | 14.5   | (0.8) | 26.9  | (1.8) | 8.9  | (1.2) | 20.5                                      | (1.7) | 11.7   | (1.2) |
| France               | 28.6                                      | (0.9) | 6.8  | (0.5) | 44.7  | (1.9) | 2.4  | (0.5) | 33.6                                      | (1.8) | 4.4  | (0.8) |
| Germany              | 18.1                                      | (1.0) | 14.3   | (0.8) | 27.3  | (2.1) | 6.5  | (0.9) | 19.7                                      | (1.4) | 11.8   | (1.3) |
| Greece               | 41.9                                      | (1.7) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 56.4  | (2.5) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 46.8                                      | (2.4) | 1.4  | (0.4) |
| Hungary              | 37.2                                      | (1.1) | 3.4  | (0.4) | 57.8  | (2.1) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 40.3                                      | (2.1) | 2.3  | (0.6) |
| Iceland              | 26.8                                      | (1.2) | 6.7  | (0.6) | 32.4  | (2.4) | 5.2  | (1.0) | 28.6                                      | (2.0) | 5.1  | (1.0) |
| Ireland              | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Israel               | 41.2                                      | (1.6) | 5.5  | (0.5) | 61.3  | (2.6) | 1.4  | (0.4) | 43.5                                      | (2.2) | 3.5  | (0.8) |
| Italy                | 34.0                                      | (1.2) | 4.3  | (0.5) | 47.7  | (2.1) | 1.9  | (0.6) | 35.9                                      | (2.0) | 3.7  | (0.6) |
| Japan                | 10.0                                      | (0.8) | 14.1   | (0.8) | 15.9  | (1.5) | 7.4  | (1.0) | 10.0                                      | (1.1) | 12.6   | (1.3) |
| Korea                | 12.9                                      | (0.8) | 10.4   | (0.8) | 19.2  | (1.6) | 6.1  | (0.8) | 14.5                                      | (1.3) | 7.7  | (1.0) |
| Latvia               | 30.7                                      | (1.0) | 3.9  | (0.5) | 41.6  | (2.0) | 1.5  | (0.6) | 34.2                                      | (2.0) | 2.6  | (0.7) |
| Luxembourg           | 30.8                                      | (0.7) | 6.9  | (0.4) | 47.0  | (1.9) | 1.9  | (0.7) | 34.5                                      | (1.5) | 4.3  | (0.8) |
| Mexico               | 53.3                                      | (1.5) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 71.6  | (2.4) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 58.4                                      | (2.0) | 0.1  | (0.1) |
| Netherlands          | 21.8                                      | (1.0) | 10.1   | (0.7) | 30.2  | (1.9) | 4.5  | (0.8) | 25.5                                      | (1.6) | 6.9  | (1.1) |
| New Zealand          | 18.9                                      | (0.9) | 16.4   | (0.9) | 29.3  | (2.0) | 7.5  | (1.1) | 20.0                                      | (1.6) | 13.3   | (1.6) |
| Norway               | 24.8                                      | (1.0) | 7.0  | (0.6) | 33.8  | (1.7) | 4.1  | (0.9) | 25.9                                      | (1.8) | 4.9  | (0.9) |
| Poland               | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Portugal             | 25.9                                      | (1.1) | 5.3  | (0.5) | 39.5  | (2.1) | 2.3  | (0.6) | 28.4                                      | (1.9) | 3.4  | (0.6) |
| Slovak Republic      | 40.2                                      | (1.2) | 2.6  | (0.4) | 56.7  | (2.3) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 42.9                                      | (1.5) | 1.4  | (0.4) |
| Slovenia             | 25.6                                      | (0.8) | 6.4  | (0.7) | 36.6  | (2.1) | 2.6  | (0.7) | 31.0                                      | (1.5) | 4.6  | (1.1) |
| Spain                | 25.5                                      | (1.0) | 4.3  | (0.4) | 36.5  | (1.8) | 1.8  | (0.4) | 29.5                                      | (1.5) | 3.0  | (0.7) |
| Sweden               | 23.8                                      | (1.2) | 9.3  | (0.9) | 34.7  | (1.9) | 3.2  | (0.6) | 26.8                                      | (1.8) | 5.8  | (1.0) |
| Switzerland          | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Turkey               | 59.2                                      | (1.9) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 72.7  | (2.9) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 63.1                                      | (2.5) | 0.1  | (0.2) |
| United Kingdom       | 22.0                                      | (1.0) | 12.4   | (0.8) | 31.2  | (1.7) | 6.6  | (1.0) | 26.6                                      | (1.8) | 8.7  | (1.0) |
| United States        | 23.3                                      | (1.1) | 14.0   | (1.0) | 33.3  | (2.1) | 6.6  | (0.9) | 27.5                                      | (1.7) | 8.9  | (1.4) |
| <b>OECD average</b>  | 27.6                                      | (0.2) | 8.0  | (0.1) | 39.7  | (0.4) | 3.8  | (0.1) | 30.5                                      | (0.3) | 6.0  | (0.2) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Brazil               | 63.3                                      | (1.1) | 0.7  | (0.1) | 77.7  | (1.0) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 68.4                                      | (1.4) | 0.3  | (0.2) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 28.3                                      | (1.5) | 6.5  | (0.9) | 47.3  | (2.6) | 1.5  | (0.5) | 30.1                                      | (2.5) | 3.6  | (1.0) |
| Bulgaria             | 48.7                                      | (1.8) | 2.0  | (0.3) | 70.3  | (2.5) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 55.2                                      | (2.5) | 1.0  | (0.4) |
| Colombia             | 56.5                                      | (1.3) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 75.7  | (1.8) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 63.9                                      | (1.9) | 0.1  | (0.1) |
| Costa Rica           | 49.9                                      | (1.4) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 63.6  | (2.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 57.5                                      | (2.0) | 0.2  | (0.2) |
| Croatia              | 35.3                                      | (1.3) | 2.4  | (0.3) | 46.8  | (1.9) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 39.7                                      | (2.1) | 1.6  | (0.4) |
| Cyprus*              | 48.7                                      | (1.1) | 1.5  | (0.3) | 58.5  | (2.2) | 0.6  | (0.4) | 52.9                                      | (1.9) | 1.1  | (0.4) |
| Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 13.5                                      | (0.9) | 13.2   | (0.8) | 17.5  | (1.6) | 10.2   | (1.0) | 14.2                                      | (1.6) | 12.3   | (1.3) |
| Lithuania            | 38.2                                      | (1.2) | 2.5  | (0.3) | 53.3  | (1.8) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 43.3                                      | (1.8) | 1.3  | (0.4) |
| Macao (China)        | 14.9                                      | (0.5) | 11.1   | (0.6) | 16.8  | (1.3) | 8.8  | (1.1) | 14.0                                      | (1.4) | 10.5   | (1.1) |
| Montenegro           | 61.9                                      | (0.8) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 72.7  | (1.4) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 64.8                                      | (1.9) | 0.1  | (0.1) |
| Peru                 | 61.4                                      | (1.4) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 87.8  | (1.2) | 0.0  | c     | 66.8                                      | (2.5) | 0.1  | (0.1) |
| Qatar                | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Russia               | 36.1                                      | (1.6) | 3.7  | (0.5) | 51.5  | (2.6) | 1.4  | (0.5) | 38.0                                      | (2.7) | 2.8  | (0.6) |
| Singapore            | 11.3                                      | (0.4) | 21.5   | (0.6) | 20.7  | (1.2) | 10.3   | (0.9) | 11.9                                      | (1.0) | 17.2   | (1.2) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 16.9                                      | (0.8) | 9.7  | (0.8) | 26.2  | (1.6) | 4.3  | (0.7) | 18.8                                      | (1.3) | 7.0  | (0.9) |
| Thailand             | 53.5                                      | (1.7) | 1.0  | (0.3) | 65.2  | (2.3) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 61.5                                      | (2.1) | 0.3  | (0.2) |
| Tunisia              | 83.6                                      | (1.1) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 92.0  | (1.3) | 0.0  | c     | 89.3                                      | (1.6) | 0.0  | c     |
| United Arab Emirates | 53.4                                      | (1.2) | 1.8  | (0.2) | 69.0  | (1.9) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 55.5                                      | (1.8) | 1.2  | (0.3) |
| Uruguay              | 50.2                                      | (1.1) | 1.7  | (0.3) | 67.8  | (2.0) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 57.1                                      | (1.8) | 0.7  | (0.4) |
| Malaysia**           | 49.6                                      | (1.8) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 66.9  | (2.3) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 55.9                                      | (2.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) |

1. ESCS refers to the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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**Table V.4.8 Percentage of low and top performers in collaborative problem solving, by students' socio-economic status**

|                      | Students in the third quarter of ESCS <sup>1</sup> |       |  |       | Students in the top quarter of ESCS    |       |  |       | Increased likelihood of students in the bottom quarter of ESCS scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) |       | Increased likelihood of students in the top quarter of this index scoring at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (at or above 640 score points) |        |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|--------|
|                      | Below Level 2 (below 440 score points)             |       | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |       | Below Level 2 (below 440 score points) |       | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |       | Relative risk  | S.E.  | Relative risk  | S.E.   |
|                      | %  | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  |  |       |  |        |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |        |
| Australia            | 15.0   | (0.9) | 16.7                                   | (1.3) | 9.9                                    | (0.9) | 24.2                                   | (1.4) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.1) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.1)  |
| Austria              | 19.8   | (1.3) | 10.2                                   | (1.1) | 13.6                                   | (1.4) | 16.5                                   | (1.7) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.5</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Belgium              | 20.3   | (1.3) | 8.3                                    | (0.9) | 11.5                                   | (1.0) | 14.2                                   | (1.5) | <b>2.0</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.9</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Canada               | 14.3   | (1.0) | 18.2                                   | (1.3) | 11.5                                   | (1.0) | 23.6                                   | (1.4) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1)  |
| Chile                | 40.1   | (2.3) | 1.0                                    | (0.4) | 24.3                                   | (1.7) | 2.8                                    | (0.6) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>4.4</b>   | (1.6)  |
| Czech Republic       | 21.8   | (1.7) | 6.2                                    | (0.9) | 12.0                                   | (1.2) | 10.5                                   | (1.3) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.9</b>   | (0.6)  |
| Denmark              | 15.7   | (1.6) | 9.3                                    | (1.1) | 10.9                                   | (1.2) | 15.0                                   | (1.5) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.2</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Estonia              | 13.3   | (1.3) | 13.8                                   | (1.3) | 8.1                                    | (0.9) | 18.9                                   | (1.5) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.2) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.2)  |
| Finland              | 15.2   | (1.5) | 16.0                                   | (1.4) | 9.8                                    | (1.1) | 21.6                                   | (1.9) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.2) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.2)  |
| France               | 23.4   | (1.5) | 7.5                                    | (1.0) | 12.5                                   | (1.2) | 12.9                                   | (1.5) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.7</b>   | (0.4)  |
| Germany              | 16.2   | (1.5) | 15.5                                   | (1.5) | 9.3                                    | (1.2) | 23.6                                   | (1.5) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.1</b>   | (0.2)  |
| Greece               | 38.5   | (2.3) | 2.0                                    | (0.6) | 25.9                                   | (1.9) | 4.1                                    | (0.8) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.1) | <b>3.2</b>   | (0.7)  |
| Hungary              | 33.6   | (1.9) | 2.7                                    | (0.6) | 17.1                                   | (1.5) | 7.9                                    | (1.1) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.1) | <b>4.2</b>   | (0.7)  |
| Iceland              | 23.5   | (2.0) | 7.1                                    | (1.2) | 22.5                                   | (1.7) | 9.3                                    | (1.7) | <b>1.3</b>   | (0.1) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Ireland              | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      |
| Israel               | 30.8   | (2.2) | 7.0                                    | (1.1) | 29.0                                   | (1.8) | 10.1                                   | (1.2) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.6</b>   | (0.4)  |
| Italy                | 30.4   | (1.8) | 4.8                                    | (0.8) | 22.1                                   | (1.7) | 6.8                                    | (1.1) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.0</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Japan                | 8.4  | (1.0) | 15.5                                   | (1.3) | 5.6                                    | (0.9) | 20.9                                   | (1.5) | <b>2.0</b>   | (0.2) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1)  |
| Korea                | 10.3   | (1.4) | 11.8                                   | (1.4) | 7.5                                    | (1.1) | 16.1                                   | (2.1) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.2) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Latvia               | 26.8   | (1.9) | 4.4                                    | (0.9) | 20.4                                   | (1.6) | 7.3                                    | (1.1) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.6</b>   | (0.5)  |
| Luxembourg           | 27.0   | (1.5) | 7.1                                    | (1.1) | 14.7                                   | (1.3) | 14.2                                   | (1.2) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1) | <b>3.2</b>   | (0.4)  |
| Mexico               | 47.6   | (2.4) | 0.3                                    | (0.2) | 35.5                                   | (2.2) | 1.0                                    | (0.4) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.1) | <b>6.9</b>   | (4.9)  |
| Netherlands          | 19.3   | (1.7) | 10.6                                   | (1.2) | 12.2                                   | (1.3) | 18.5                                   | (1.7) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.5</b>   | (0.3)  |
| New Zealand          | 15.3   | (1.3) | 18.4                                   | (1.8) | 10.9                                   | (1.2) | 26.4                                   | (2.0) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.2) | <b>2.0</b>   | (0.2)  |
| Norway               | 21.8   | (1.6) | 7.9                                    | (1.2) | 17.9                                   | (1.4) | 11.0                                   | (1.1) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.0</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Poland               | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      |
| Portugal             | 23.8   | (1.7) | 5.2                                    | (0.9) | 11.9                                   | (1.4) | 10.1                                   | (1.5) | <b>1.8</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.8</b>   | (0.5)  |
| Slovak Republic      | 36.8   | (1.9) | 2.7                                    | (0.7) | 24.5                                   | (2.0) | 5.8                                    | (1.0) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.1) | <b>3.6</b>   | (0.7)  |
| Slovenia             | 21.1   | (1.5) | 6.9                                    | (1.2) | 13.7                                   | (1.3) | 11.6                                   | (1.5) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.5</b>   | (0.4)  |
| Spain                | 22.1   | (1.8) | 5.0                                    | (0.7) | 13.9                                   | (1.5) | 7.5                                    | (0.9) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.3</b>   | (0.4)  |
| Sweden               | 17.9   | (1.7) | 11.2                                   | (1.4) | 15.7                                   | (1.6) | 17.1                                   | (2.3) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.5</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Switzerland          | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      |
| Turkey               | 58.3   | (2.5) | 0.1                                    | (0.1) | 42.9                                   | (3.5) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) | <b>1.3</b>   | (0.1) | 4.5  | (7.0)  |
| United Kingdom       | 17.8   | (1.3) | 13.9                                   | (1.3) | 12.2                                   | (1.3) | 20.5                                   | (1.7) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.1</b>   | (0.2)  |
| United States        | 19.3   | (2.0) | 15.1                                   | (1.6) | 13.2                                   | (1.4) | 25.2                                   | (2.0) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.5</b>   | (0.2)  |
| OECD average         | 23.9   | (0.3) | 8.8                                    | (0.2) | 16.3                                   | (0.3) | 13.6                                   | (0.3) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.0) | <b>2.7</b>   | (0.3)  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |        |
| Brazil               | 62.7   | (1.7) | 0.5                                    | (0.2) | 44.3                                   | (2.0) | 1.8                                    | (0.4) | <b>1.3</b>   | (0.0) | <b>7.1</b>   | (3.0)  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 23.7   | (1.7) | 6.1                                    | (1.1) | 12.1                                   | (1.9) | 14.8                                   | (2.5) | <b>2.2</b>   | (0.2) | <b>4.0</b>   | (0.8)  |
| Bulgaria             | 41.4   | (2.5) | 2.0                                    | (0.6) | 27.9                                   | (2.0) | 4.9                                    | (0.9) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>4.4</b>   | (1.1)  |
| Colombia             | 52.5   | (1.9) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) | 33.9                                   | (2.3) | 1.8                                    | (0.6) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.0) | <b>9.2</b>   | (5.0)  |
| Costa Rica           | 48.5   | (2.4) | 0.5                                    | (0.3) | 30.1                                   | (2.4) | 1.5                                    | (0.4) | <b>1.4</b>   | (0.1) | <b>6.1</b>   | (3.3)  |
| Croatia              | 34.3   | (2.0) | 2.0                                    | (0.5) | 20.4                                   | (1.7) | 5.3                                    | (1.0) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.1) | <b>3.7</b>   | (0.9)  |
| Cyprus*              | 47.8   | (1.8) | 1.6                                    | (0.7) | 35.6                                   | (2.2) | 2.9                                    | (0.7) | <b>1.3</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.6</b>   | (0.8)  |
| Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 12.0   | (1.6) | 11.9                                   | (1.2) | 10.2                                   | (1.2) | 18.6                                   | (1.7) | <b>1.4</b>   | (0.1) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.2)  |
| Lithuania            | 33.0   | (2.2) | 2.9                                    | (0.7) | 23.2                                   | (1.6) | 5.3                                    | (0.9) | <b>1.6</b>   | (0.1) | <b>3.4</b>   | (0.9)  |
| Macao (China)        | 14.3   | (1.3) | 11.6                                   | (1.6) | 14.4                                   | (1.3) | 13.6                                   | (1.3) | 1.2  | (0.1) | <b>1.3</b>   | (0.2)  |
| Montenegro           | 59.6   | (1.7) | 0.2                                    | (0.1) | 50.5                                   | (1.7) | 0.4                                    | (0.3) | <b>1.2</b>   | (0.0) | 5.7  | (10.6) |
| Peru                 | 54.6   | (2.1) | 0.4                                    | (0.2) | 36.5                                   | (2.6) | 1.2                                    | (0.4) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | 10.8   | (18.5) |
| Qatar                | m  | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m                                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m      |
| Russia               | 29.0   | (2.4) | 4.4                                    | (1.0) | 25.7                                   | (1.6) | 6.4                                    | (1.1) | <b>1.7</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.3</b>   | (0.5)  |
| Singapore            | 8.4  | (0.9) | 24.4                                   | (1.5) | 4.4                                    | (0.6) | 34.0                                   | (1.8) | <b>2.5</b>   | (0.2) | <b>2.0</b>   | (0.1)  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 14.2   | (1.2) | 10.8                                   | (1.3) | 8.4                                    | (0.9) | 16.6                                   | (2.0) | <b>1.9</b>   | (0.1) | <b>2.3</b>   | (0.3)  |
| Thailand             | 52.9   | (2.5) | 0.5                                    | (0.3) | 34.2                                   | (3.4) | 3.0                                    | (1.0) | <b>1.3</b>   | (0.1) | <b>10.5</b>  | (6.2)  |
| Tunisia              | 84.9   | (1.7) | 0.0                                    | c     | 68.0                                   | (2.5) | 0.0                                    | (0.1) | <b>1.1</b>   | (0.0) | m  | m      |
| United Arab Emirates | 45.7   | (1.6) | 2.3                                    | (0.5) | 43.3                                   | (1.6) | 3.5                                    | (0.5) | <b>1.4</b>   | (0.0) | <b>2.8</b>   | (0.6)  |
| Uruguay              | 47.0   | (2.0) | 1.7                                    | (0.5) | 29.0                                   | (2.0) | 4.2                                    | (0.8) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.1) | <b>4.9</b>   | (1.4)  |
| Malaysia**           | 44.4   | (3.0) | 0.2                                    | (0.2) | 31.3                                   | (2.6) | 1.3                                    | (0.5) | <b>1.5</b>   | (0.1) | 11.6   | (19.3) |

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Table V.4.14a Performance in collaborative problem solving, by immigrant background

|                      | Percentage of immigrant students in PISA 2015 |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving |       |                    |        |                              |        |                             |        |  |
|----------------------|---|-------|--|-------|--------------------|--------|------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|--------|--|
|                      |   |       | Non-immigrant students                       |       | Immigrant students |        | Second-generation immigrants |        | First-generation immigrants |        |  |
|                      |   |       | Mean score                                   | S.E.  | Mean score         | S.E.   | Mean score                   | S.E.   | Mean score                  | S.E.   |  |
|                      | %   | S.E.  |  |       |                    |        |                              |        |                             |        |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |  |       |                    |        |                              |        |                             |        |  |
| Australia            | 25.0  | (0.7) | 534  | (2.1) | 534                | (3.4)  | 547                          | (4.4)  | 521                         | (4.5)  |  |
| Austria              | 20.3  | (1.1) | 521  | (2.8) | 468                | (5.1)  | 477                          | (4.8)  | 453                         | (8.5)  |  |
| Belgium              | 17.7  | (0.9) | 513  | (2.3) | 456                | (4.9)  | 459                          | (5.9)  | 453                         | (6.6)  |  |
| Canada               | 30.1  | (1.3) | 539  | (2.4) | 536                | (3.6)  | 540                          | (4.7)  | 532                         | (4.2)  |  |
| Chile                | 2.1   | (0.5) | 459  | (2.7) | 436                | (12.9) | 449                          | (27.2) | 431                         | (13.1) |  |
| Czech Republic       | 3.4   | (0.3) | 500  | (2.1) | 488                | (11.2) | 505                          | (13.4) | 472                         | (13.7) |  |
| Denmark              | 10.7  | (0.6) | 527  | (2.7) | 466                | (3.8)  | 470                          | (4.2)  | 455                         | (9.1)  |  |
| Estonia              | 10.0  | (0.5) | 542  | (2.7) | 493                | (4.4)  | 491                          | (4.5)  | 511                         | (20.6) |  |
| Finland              | 4.0   | (0.4) | 538  | (2.5) | 457                | (9.9)  | 468                          | (12.2) | 447                         | (12.1) |  |
| France               | 13.2  | (1.0) | 503  | (2.5) | 452                | (6.7)  | 464                          | (7.5)  | 430                         | (9.1)  |  |
| Germany              | 16.9  | (0.9) | 540  | (2.8) | 491                | (6.1)  | 497                          | (6.1)  | 470                         | (10.6) |  |
| Greece               | 10.8  | (0.7) | 465  | (3.8) | 424                | (5.4)  | 433                          | (7.0)  | 407                         | (9.0)  |  |
| Hungary              | 2.7   | (0.2) | 472  | (2.4) | 484                | (11.5) | 496                          | (12.8) | 469                         | (19.9) |  |
| Iceland              | 4.1   | (0.3) | 503  | (2.4) | 449                | (9.2)  | 469                          | (18.3) | 440                         | (11.8) |  |
| Ireland              | 14.4  | (1.0) | m  | m     | m                  | m      | m                            | m      | m                           | m      |  |
| Israel               | 17.5  | (1.0) | 473  | (3.6) | 468                | (7.5)  | 488                          | (6.9)  | 411                         | (12.7) |  |
| Italy                | 8.0   | (0.5) | 481  | (2.6) | 468                | (5.1)  | 467                          | (7.7)  | 468                         | (6.9)  |  |
| Japan                | 0.5   | (0.1) | 553  | (2.6) | 432                | (38.1) | c                            | c      | c                           | c      |  |
| Korea                | 0.1   | (0.0) | 539  | (2.6) | c                  | c      | m                            | m      | c                           | c      |  |
| Latvia               | 5.0   | (0.4) | 487  | (2.2) | 472                | (7.4)  | 476                          | (7.2)  | 455                         | (20.8) |  |
| Luxembourg           | 52.0  | (0.6) | 506  | (2.2) | 481                | (2.1)  | 482                          | (2.9)  | 479                         | (3.4)  |  |
| Mexico               | 1.2   | (0.1) | 435  | (2.5) | 372                | (11.9) | c                            | c      | 367                         | (14.0) |  |
| Netherlands          | 10.7  | (0.9) | 523  | (2.6) | 483                | (6.5)  | 488                          | (6.9)  | 464                         | (11.9) |  |
| New Zealand          | 27.1  | (1.2) | 539  | (2.8) | 529                | (4.6)  | 531                          | (6.8)  | 528                         | (5.3)  |  |
| Norway               | 12.0  | (1.0) | 510  | (2.5) | 462                | (5.7)  | 476                          | (7.6)  | 449                         | (7.4)  |  |
| Poland               | 0.3   | (0.1) | m  | m     | m                  | m      | m                            | m      | m                           | m      |  |
| Portugal             | 7.3   | (0.4) | 501  | (2.7) | 481                | (6.1)  | 501                          | (9.2)  | 464                         | (8.2)  |  |
| Slovak Republic      | 1.2   | (0.2) | 466  | (2.3) | 398                | (14.8) | 400                          | (21.2) | 396                         | (21.7) |  |
| Slovenia             | 7.8   | (0.5) | 507  | (1.8) | 457                | (6.4)  | 471                          | (8.1)  | 439                         | (9.4)  |  |
| Spain                | 11.0  | (0.8) | 502  | (2.0) | 473                | (6.3)  | 487                          | (12.1) | 470                         | (6.5)  |  |
| Sweden               | 17.4  | (1.2) | 522  | (3.1) | 463                | (6.9)  | 479                          | (9.0)  | 443                         | (8.4)  |  |
| Switzerland          | 31.1  | (1.2) | m  | m     | m                  | m      | m                            | m      | m                           | m      |  |
| Turkey               | 0.8   | (0.2) | 424  | (3.4) | 435                | (15.6) | 442                          | (17.5) | c                           | c      |  |
| United Kingdom       | 16.7  | (1.0) | 524  | (2.8) | 511                | (6.4)  | 519                          | (6.4)  | 503                         | (8.4)  |  |
| United States        | 23.1  | (1.5) | 528  | (3.7) | 508                | (5.9)  | 515                          | (6.9)  | 493                         | (7.5)  |  |
| OECD average-32      | 12.2  | (0.1) | 505  | (0.5) | 469                | (1.9)  | 482                          | (2.0)  | 459                         | (2.2)  |  |
| OECD average-35      | 12.5  | (0.1) | m  | m     | m                  | m      | m                            | m      | m                           | m      |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |  |       |                    |        |                              |        |                             |        |  |
| Brazil               | 0.8   | (0.1) | 416  | (2.4) | 365                | (12.6) | 370                          | (14.5) | 356                         | (20.9) |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.3   | (0.1) | 498  | (3.9) | 373                | (24.8) | c                            | c      | c                           | c      |  |
| Bulgaria             | 1.0   | (0.1) | 448  | (3.7) | 406                | (14.2) | c                            | c      | c                           | c      |  |
| Colombia             | 0.6   | (0.1) | 431  | (2.3) | 404                | (16.4) | 393                          | (18.1) | c                           | c      |  |
| Costa Rica           | 8.0   | (0.6) | 443  | (2.4) | 427                | (5.6)  | 420                          | (5.5)  | 442                         | (12.0) |  |
| Croatia              | 10.8  | (0.6) | 477  | (2.5) | 454                | (4.9)  | 456                          | (5.5)  | 444                         | (10.8) |  |
| Cyprus*              | 11.3  | (0.4) | 446  | (1.8) | 446                | (4.9)  | 468                          | (7.6)  | 437                         | (6.0)  |  |
| Dominican Republic   | 1.8   | (0.3) | m  | m     | m                  | m      | m                            | m      | m                           | m      |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 35.1  | (1.3) | 547  | (3.2) | 533                | (3.9)  | 536                          | (4.4)  | 529                         | (4.6)  |  |
| Lithuania            | 1.8   | (0.2) | 470  | (2.4) | 459                | (11.0) | 470                          | (10.5) | 420                         | (29.7) |  |
| Macao (China)        | 62.2  | (0.7) | 523  | (2.2) | 540                | (1.9)  | 541                          | (2.4)  | 538                         | (3.2)  |  |
| Montenegro           | 5.6   | (0.3) | 417  | (1.3) | 431                | (6.1)  | 438                          | (7.5)  | 419                         | (9.6)  |  |
| Peru                 | 0.5   | (0.1) | 419  | (2.5) | 386                | (18.6) | c                            | c      | c                           | c      |  |
| Qatar                | 55.2  | (0.4) | m  | m     | m                  | m      | m                            | m      | m                           | m      |  |
| Russia               | 6.9   | (0.5) | 475  | (3.6) | 477                | (8.4)  | 473                          | (11.7) | 483                         | (12.1) |  |
| Singapore            | 20.9  | (1.0) | 559  | (1.4) | 575                | (3.6)  | 588                          | (5.7)  | 569                         | (4.4)  |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.3   | (0.1) | 527  | (2.5) | c                  | c      | c                            | c      | c                           | c      |  |
| Thailand             | 0.8   | (0.3) | 438  | (3.5) | 416                | (15.7) | 413                          | (16.0) | c                           | c      |  |
| Tunisia              | 1.5   | (0.2) | 384  | (1.9) | 355                | (7.6)  | 347                          | (8.2)  | c                           | c      |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 57.6  | (0.9) | 404  | (2.4) | 464                | (3.1)  | 451                          | (3.6)  | 472                         | (3.7)  |  |
| Uruguay              | 0.6   | (0.1) | 444  | (2.3) | 463                | (24.3) | c                            | c      | c                           | c      |  |
| Malaysia**           | 0.9   | (0.2) | 442  | (3.3) | 432                | (14.7) | 428                          | (15.3) | c                           | c      |  |

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

The differences in performance after accounting for socio-economic status were obtained through regressions using dummy variables for first- and second-generation immigrants simultaneously, instead of through performing separate regressions on restricted samples of non-immigrants and first-generation immigrants, and of non-immigrants and second-generation immigrants.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.4.14a Performance in collaborative problem solving, by immigrant background

|                 |                      | Score-point difference in collaborative problem-solving performance |           |   |           |  |           |   |           |   |           |  |           |   |          |   |           |  |        |   |
|-----------------|----------------------|---|-----------|---|-----------|--|-----------|---|-----------|---|-----------|--|-----------|---|----------|---|-----------|--|--------|---|
|                 |                      | Before accounting for gender and students' socio-economic status    |           |   |           |  |           | After accounting for gender and students' socio-economic status |           |   |           |  |           | After accounting for gender, language spoken at home, and students' socio-economic status |          |   |           |  |        |   |
|                 |                      | Non-immigrants minus Immigrants                                     |           | Non-immigrants minus Second-generation immigrants |           | Non-immigrants minus First-generation immigrants |           | Non-immigrants minus Immigrants                                 |           | Non-immigrants minus Second-generation immigrants |           | Non-immigrants minus First-generation immigrants |           | Non-immigrants minus Immigrants   |          | Non-immigrants minus Second-generation immigrants |           | Non-immigrants minus First-generation immigrants |        |   |
|                 |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.      | Score dif.  | S.E.      | Score dif.                                       | S.E.      | Score dif.  | S.E.      | Score dif.  | S.E.      | Score dif.                                       | S.E.      | Score dif.  | S.E.     | Score dif.  | S.E.      | Score dif.                                       | S.E.   |   |
| OECD            | Australia            | 0   | (3.7)     | <b>-13</b>  | (4.7)     | <b>13</b>  | (4.7)     | -2  | (3.4)     | <b>-15</b>  | (4.6)     | <b>11</b>  | (4.2)     | <b>-12</b>  | (3.2)    | <b>-22</b>  | (4.4)     | 0  | (4.3)  |   |
|                 | Austria              | <b>52</b>   | (6.0)     | <b>43</b>   | (5.6)     | <b>68</b>  | (9.1)     | <b>34</b>   | (5.5)     | <b>25</b>   | (5.8)     | <b>48</b>  | (7.6)     | 10  | (5.7)    | 2   | (6.2)     | <b>24</b>  | (7.4)  |   |
|                 | Belgium              | <b>57</b>   | (4.9)     | <b>54</b>   | (5.6)     | <b>60</b>  | (6.9)     | <b>39</b>   | (4.5)     | <b>36</b>   | (5.2)     | <b>43</b>  | (6.2)     | <b>24</b>   | (5.1)    | <b>22</b>   | (5.4)     | <b>26</b>  | (6.9)  |   |
|                 | Canada               | 3   | (3.8)     | -1  | (4.8)     | 7  | (4.4)     | 3   | (3.6)     | -4  | (4.5)     | <b>10</b>  | (4.2)     | -3  | (4.1)    | -7  | (4.7)     | 4  | (4.9)  |   |
|                 | Chile                | <b>23</b>   | (13.2)    | 9   | (27.3)    | <b>28</b>  | (13.5)    | 15  | (11.8)    | 12  | (24.3)    | 17   | (12.7)    | 14  | (11.9)   | 10  | (24.3)    | 16   | (12.5) |   |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 11  | (10.7)    | -5  | (12.7)    | <b>27</b>  | (13.5)    | 6   | (10.7)    | -17   | (12.8)    | <b>27</b>  | (13.5)    | -9  | (12.4)   | -27   | (14.1)    | 12   | (15.7) |   |
|                 | Denmark              | <b>61</b>   | (4.3)     | <b>57</b>   | (4.4)     | <b>72</b>  | (9.6)     | <b>48</b>   | (4.8)     | <b>42</b>   | (5.4)     | <b>63</b>  | (9.5)     | <b>38</b>   | (5.4)    | <b>34</b>   | (5.8)     | <b>51</b>  | (10.7) |   |
|                 | Estonia              | <b>49</b>   | (5.0)     | <b>50</b>   | (5.0)     | 30   | (20.8)    | <b>46</b>   | (4.8)     | <b>46</b>   | (4.9)     | 35   | (20.6)    | <b>42</b>   | (5.0)    | <b>43</b>   | (5.1)     | 27   | (21.7) |   |
|                 | Finland              | <b>81</b>   | (9.8)     | <b>69</b>   | (11.9)    | <b>91</b>  | (12.2)    | <b>63</b>   | (9.9)     | <b>51</b>   | (11.4)    | <b>73</b>  | (12.8)    | <b>31</b>   | (11.5)   | 20  | (12.0)    | <b>40</b>  | (14.7) |   |
|                 | France               | <b>51</b>   | (6.9)     | <b>39</b>   | (7.6)     | <b>73</b>  | (9.3)     | <b>28</b>   | (7.0)     | <b>19</b>   | (7.7)     | <b>47</b>  | (9.6)     | <b>20</b>   | (7.3)    | 13  | (7.8)     | <b>37</b>  | (10.6) |   |
|                 | Germany              | <b>49</b>   | (6.2)     | <b>43</b>   | (6.1)     | <b>70</b>  | (10.6)    | <b>32</b>   | (5.8)     | <b>25</b>   | (5.8)     | <b>57</b>  | (10.4)    | <b>12</b>   | (5.9)    | 9   | (6.0)     | <b>30</b>  | (10.7) |   |
|                 | Greece               | <b>40</b>   | (5.9)     | <b>31</b>   | (7.4)     | <b>57</b>  | (9.4)     | <b>21</b>   | (6.3)     | <b>16</b>   | (7.6)     | <b>32</b>  | (10.1)    | <b>15</b>   | (7.0)    | 12  | (7.9)     | <b>22</b>  | (10.8) |   |
|                 | Hungary              | -12   | (11.5)    | -23   | (12.7)    | 3  | (19.9)    | -1  | (10.7)    | -2  | (12.4)    | -1   | (19.2)    | -5  | (10.4)   | -7  | (12.5)    | -4   | (18.8) |   |
|                 | Iceland              | <b>54</b>   | (9.7)     | 35  | (18.7)    | <b>63</b>  | (12.0)    | <b>46</b>   | (9.8)     | 25  | (19.0)    | <b>54</b>  | (12.4)    | 25  | (13.1)   | 9   | (20.0)    | <b>34</b>  | (15.6) |   |
|                 | Ireland              | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m        | m   | m         | m  | m      | m |
|                 | Israel               | 4   | (7.1)     | <b>-15</b>  | (6.8)     | <b>62</b>  | (12.3)    | -8  | (6.0)     | <b>-23</b>  | (6.4)     | <b>40</b>  | (9.7)     | <b>-20</b>  | (6.2)    | <b>-31</b>  | (6.5)     | <b>24</b>  | (10.4) |   |
|                 | Italy                | <b>13</b>   | (4.9)     | 14  | (8.0)     | <b>13</b>  | (6.5)     | 1   | (5.1)     | 5   | (8.5)     | -1   | (6.9)     | -7  | (5.6)    | -1  | (8.8)     | -12  | (7.2)  |   |
|                 | Japan                | <b>121</b>  | (37.6)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | <b>121</b>  | (36.8)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | 62  | (37.3)   | c   | c         | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Korea                | c   | c         | m   | m         | c  | c         | c   | c         | m   | m         | c  | c         | c   | c        | m   | m         | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Latvia               | 15  | (7.4)     | 10  | (7.6)     | 32   | (20.3)    | <b>20</b>   | (7.1)     | <b>16</b>   | (7.3)     | 37   | (19.9)    | <b>15</b>   | (7.0)    | 13  | (7.2)     | 25   | (20.1) |   |
|                 | Luxembourg           | <b>25</b>   | (2.9)     | <b>24</b>   | (3.8)     | <b>27</b>  | (3.7)     | 4   | (3.4)     | 1   | (4.1)     | <b>9</b>   | (3.9)     | <b>13</b>   | (3.5)    | <b>9</b>  | (4.0)     | <b>19</b>  | (4.3)  |   |
|                 | Mexico               | <b>63</b>   | (12.2)    | c   | c         | <b>68</b>  | (14.4)    | <b>48</b>   | (12.2)    | c   | c         | <b>48</b>  | (14.8)    | <b>42</b>   | (12.7)   | c   | c         | <b>42</b>  | (15.1) |   |
|                 | Netherlands          | <b>40</b>   | (7.1)     | <b>35</b>   | (7.6)     | <b>60</b>  | (12.0)    | <b>22</b>   | (6.5)     | <b>17</b>   | (7.1)     | <b>42</b>  | (11.4)    | 14  | (7.1)    | 10  | (7.5)     | <b>31</b>  | (12.0) |   |
|                 | New Zealand          | 10  | (5.3)     | 9   | (7.3)     | 11   | (5.8)     | <b>10</b>   | (4.9)     | 3   | (6.7)     | <b>15</b>  | (5.4)     | 0   | (5.7)    | -5  | (7.4)     | 4  | (6.0)  |   |
|                 | Norway               | <b>48</b>   | (5.7)     | <b>34</b>   | (7.9)     | <b>61</b>  | (7.1)     | <b>36</b>   | (5.7)     | <b>24</b>   | (7.9)     | <b>48</b>  | (6.8)     | <b>22</b>   | (8.2)    | 15  | (9.6)     | <b>33</b>  | (9.3)  |   |
|                 | Poland               | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m        | m   | m         | m  | m      |   |
|                 | Portugal             | <b>20</b>   | (6.2)     | -1  | (8.9)     | <b>36</b>  | (8.6)     | <b>19</b>   | (6.1)     | 5   | (8.9)     | <b>31</b>  | (8.7)     | 13  | (6.9)    | 3   | (9.1)     | <b>22</b>  | (10.2) |   |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | <b>68</b>   | (14.8)    | <b>65</b>   | (21.5)    | <b>70</b>  | (21.5)    | <b>66</b>   | (14.2)    | <b>57</b>   | (20.9)    | <b>75</b>  | (21.8)    | <b>45</b>   | (14.9)   | <b>46</b>   | (20.4)    | 43   | (23.8) |   |
|                 | Slovenia             | <b>50</b>   | (6.7)     | <b>36</b>   | (8.2)     | <b>68</b>  | (9.8)     | <b>30</b>   | (7.1)     | <b>17</b>   | (8.3)     | <b>46</b>  | (10.3)    | 8   | (9.4)    | 2   | (10.4)    | 22   | (12.1) |   |
|                 | Spain                | <b>29</b>   | (6.0)     | 15  | (12.1)    | <b>32</b>  | (6.2)     | <b>19</b>   | (6.1)     | 5   | (12.1)    | <b>22</b>  | (6.3)     | <b>16</b>   | (6.0)    | 2   | (11.9)    | <b>19</b>  | (6.2)  |   |
|                 | Sweden               | <b>59</b>   | (6.3)     | <b>43</b>   | (8.1)     | <b>79</b>  | (8.6)     | <b>43</b>   | (6.1)     | <b>31</b>   | (7.5)     | <b>59</b>  | (8.4)     | <b>26</b>   | (7.2)    | <b>19</b>   | (8.3)     | <b>41</b>  | (9.1)  |   |
|                 | Switzerland          | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m        | m   | m         | m  | m      |   |
|                 | Turkey               | -11   | (15.4)    | -18   | (17.2)    | c  | c         | 4   | (15.9)    | -3  | (17.0)    | c  | c         | -4  | (16.1)   | -8  | (16.7)    | c  | c      |   |
|                 | United Kingdom       | <b>13</b>   | (6.6)     | 5   | (6.4)     | <b>21</b>  | (8.8)     | 10  | (5.9)     | 1   | (6.1)     | <b>18</b>  | (7.8)     | 5   | (5.7)    | -1  | (6.1)     | 14   | (7.8)  |   |
|                 | United States        | <b>20</b>   | (6.0)     | 13  | (7.0)     | <b>35</b>  | (7.7)     | -3  | (6.1)     | -9  | (7.0)     | 9  | (8.5)     | <b>-13</b>  | (6.5)    | <b>-16</b>  | (7.0)     | -2   | (9.8)  |   |
| OECD average-32 | <b>36</b>            | (1.9)   | <b>23</b> | (2.0)   | <b>46</b> | (2.2)  | <b>26</b> | (1.8)   | <b>14</b> | (2.0)   | <b>35</b> | (2.1)  | <b>14</b> | (1.9)   | <b>6</b> | (2.0)   | <b>22</b> | (2.3)  |        |   |
| OECD average-35 | m                    | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m        | m   | m         | m  |        |   |
| Partners        | Brazil               | <b>51</b>   | (12.6)    | <b>46</b>   | (14.5)    | <b>60</b>  | (20.8)    | <b>48</b>   | (12.5)    | <b>44</b>   | (14.8)    | <b>58</b>  | (20.7)    | <b>49</b>   | (12.7)   | <b>45</b>   | (14.7)    | <b>55</b>  | (21.2) |   |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | <b>125</b>  | (24.9)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | <b>126</b>  | (23.7)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | <b>120</b>  | (23.9)   | c   | c         | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Bulgaria             | <b>42</b>   | (13.6)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | <b>32</b>   | (13.9)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | 16  | (13.8)   | c   | c         | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Colombia             | 27  | (16.1)    | <b>37</b>   | (17.9)    | c  | c         | <b>39</b>   | (14.9)    | <b>43</b>   | (17.2)    | c  | c         | <b>37</b>   | (15.2)   | <b>41</b>   | (17.3)    | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Costa Rica           | <b>16</b>   | (4.9)     | <b>23</b>   | (4.9)     | 1  | (11.6)    | 3   | (4.8)     | 8   | (4.8)     | -6   | (10.8)    | 3   | (4.8)    | 8   | (4.7)     | -6   | (10.8) |   |
|                 | Croatia              | <b>23</b>   | (4.6)     | <b>21</b>   | (5.2)     | <b>33</b>  | (10.7)    | <b>14</b>   | (4.2)     | <b>12</b>   | (4.8)     | <b>27</b>  | (9.8)     | <b>13</b>   | (4.3)    | <b>11</b>   | (4.9)     | <b>24</b>  | (9.8)  |   |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 0   | (4.8)     | <b>-22</b>  | (7.8)     | 9  | (5.8)     | -2  | (4.7)     | <b>-20</b>  | (7.5)     | 5  | (5.8)     | -1  | (5.1)    | <b>-20</b>  | (7.5)     | 6  | (6.2)  |   |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m        | m   | m         | m  | m      |   |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | <b>14</b>   | (3.9)     | <b>11</b>   | (4.2)     | <b>18</b>  | (4.7)     | 7   | (3.9)     | 5   | (4.3)     | <b>10</b>  | (4.7)     | 3   | (3.6)    | 1   | (3.9)     | 7  | (4.6)  |   |
|                 | Lithuania            | 11  | (10.6)    | 0   | (10.4)    | 50   | (29.1)    | 11  | (10.0)    | 4   | (10.4)    | 37   | (22.1)    | 3   | (10.1)   | -1  | (10.6)    | 18   | (22.1) |   |
|                 | Macao (China)        | <b>-17</b>  | (3.3)     | <b>-18</b>  | (3.7)     | <b>-15</b>                                       | (4.0)     | <b>-19</b>  | (3.4)     | <b>-21</b>  | (3.8)     | <b>-16</b>                                       | (4.0)     | <b>-16</b>  | (3.4)    | <b>-18</b>  | (3.8)     | <b>-13</b>                                       | (3.9)  |   |
|                 | Montenegro           | <b>-15</b>  | (6.3)     | <b>-21</b>  | (7.5)     | -2   | (9.9)     | -10   | (6.2)     | <b>-15</b>  | (7.4)     | -2   | (9.5)     | <b>-13</b>  | (6.3)    | <b>-16</b>  | (7.5)     | -7   | (9.3)  |   |
|                 | Peru                 | 32  | (18.1)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | <b>38</b>   | (16.1)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | <b>34</b>   | (16.5)   | c   | c         | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Qatar                | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m         | m   | m         | m  | m         | m   | m        | m   | m         | m  | m      |   |
|                 | Russia               | -3  | (8.9)     | 2   | (12.9)    | -9   | (11.3)    | -6  | (8.8)     | -1  | (12.9)    | -12  | (11.6)    | -9  | (8.8)    | -4  | (12.7)    | -16  | (11.4) |   |
|                 | Singapore            | <b>-16</b>  | (4.0)     | <b>-29</b>  | (5.9)     | <b>-10</b>                                       | (4.7)     | 0   | (4.0)     | <b>-18</b>  | (5.7)     | 9  | (4.8)     | -6  | (3.9)    | <b>-23</b>  | (5.5)     | 3  | (4.8)  |   |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | c   | c         | c   | c         | c  | c         | c   | c         | c   | c         | c  | c         | c   | c        | c   | c         | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Thailand             | 23  | (16.0)    | 25  | (16.2)    | c  | c         | 1   | (20.3)    | 9   | (18.3)    | c  | c         | -6  | (21.4)   | 4   | (19.3)    | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Tunisia              | <b>29</b>   | (7.6)     | <b>37</b>   | (8.1)     | c  | c         | <b>34</b>   | (7.1)     | <b>41</b>   | (8.0)     | c  | c         | <b>33</b>   | (7.1)    | <b>40</b>   | (8.0)     | c  | c      |   |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | <b>-60</b>  | (3.6)     | <b>-47</b>  | (4.1)     | <b>-68</b>                                       | (4.0)     | <b>-61</b>  | (3.3)     | <b>-50</b>  | (4.0)     | <b>-68</b>                                       | (3.7)     | <b>-58</b>  | (3.6)    | <b>-48</b>  | (4.1)     | <b>-66</b>                                       | (4.0)  |   |
|                 | Uruguay              | -19   | (24.3)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | -6  | (22.3)    | c   | c         | c  | c         | -14   | (22.5)   | c   | c         | c  | c      |   |
|                 | Malaysia**           | 10  | (14.9)    | 13  | (15.4)    | c  | c         | -4  | (15.1)    | -8  | (15.9)    | c  | c         | -4  | (14.9)   | -6  | (15.8)    | c  | c      |   |

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

The differences in performance after accounting for socio-economic status were obtained through regressions using dummy variables for first- and second-generation immigrants simultaneously, instead of through performing separate regressions on restricted samples of non-immigrants and first-generation immigrants, and of non-immigrants and second-generation immigrants.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.4.14b Relative performance in collaborative problem solving, by immigrant background**

After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics

|                      | Percentage of immigrant students in PISA 2015 | Score-point difference in relative performance <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving |                  |   |                  |   |                  |                                 |                  |   |                  |  |            |            |      |
|----------------------|---|--|------------------|---|------------------|---|------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|---|------------------|--|------------|------------|------|
|                      |   | Before accounting for gender and students' socio-economic status                             |                  |   |                  | After accounting for gender and students' socio-economic status |                  |                                 |                  | After accounting for gender, language spoken at home, and students' socio-economic status |                  |  |            |            |      |
|                      |   | Non-immigrants minus Immigrants  |                  | Non-immigrants minus Second-generation immigrants |                  | Non-immigrants minus First-generation immigrants                |                  | Non-immigrants minus Immigrants |                  | Non-immigrants minus Second-generation immigrants   |                  | Non-immigrants minus First-generation immigrants |            |            |      |
|                      |   | Score dif.   | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.                      | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.                                       | S.E.       |            |      |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   | %  | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.                      | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.                                       | S.E.       | Score dif. | S.E. |
| Australia            | 25.0 (0.7)                                    |  | 4 (2.7)          | 0 (3.7)   | <b>9</b> (3.5)   | 4 (2.6)   | 0 (3.4)          | <b>8</b> (3.4)                  | 1 (2.4)          | -2 (3.2)  | 5 (3.4)          |  |            |            |      |
| Austria              | 20.3 (1.1)                                    |  | -4 (4.4)         | -5 (4.3)  | -2 (6.9)         | -3 (4.5)  | -4 (4.4)         | -1 (6.8)                        | -5 (4.4)         | -6 (4.6)  | -3 (6.3)         |  |            |            |      |
| Belgium              | 17.7 (0.9)                                    |  | 6 (3.2)          | 6 (3.6)   | 6 (4.8)          | 6 (3.1)   | 7 (3.6)          | 5 (4.7)                         | 3 (3.4)          | 4 (4.0)   | 2 (4.7)          |  |            |            |      |
| Canada               | 30.1 (1.3)                                    |  | 7 (3.0)          | 5 (4.0)   | <b>8</b> (3.6)   | 7 (3.0)   | 5 (4.0)          | <b>8</b> (3.5)                  | 4 (3.2)          | 3 (4.0)   | 6 (3.8)          |  |            |            |      |
| Chile                | 2.1 (0.5)                                     |  | 2 (10.0)         | 5 (16.3)  | 1 (10.9)         | 0 (9.7)   | 4 (15.5)         | -1 (10.7)                       | 0 (9.7)          | 4 (15.5)  | -1 (10.7)        |  |            |            |      |
| Czech Republic       | 3.4 (0.3)                                     |  | -13 (7.5)        | <b>-20</b> (8.9)                                  | -6 (10.4)        | -12 (8.0)   | <b>-19</b> (9.2) | -6 (10.5)                       | -10 (8.9)        | -17 (9.6)   | -3 (11.9)        |  |            |            |      |
| Denmark              | 10.7 (0.6)                                    |  | <b>8</b> (2.9)   | 4 (3.3)   | <b>19</b> (6.5)  | <b>8</b> (3.3)  | 5 (3.8)          | <b>19</b> (6.4)                 | <b>10</b> (3.6)  | 6 (3.8)   | <b>22</b> (7.4)  |  |            |            |      |
| Estonia              | 10.0 (0.5)                                    |  | <b>23</b> (4.0)  | <b>24</b> (4.0)                                   | 11 (14.6)        | <b>21</b> (3.8)   | <b>22</b> (3.8)  | 8 (14.2)                        | <b>20</b> (3.9)  | <b>21</b> (3.9)   | 7 (14.4)         |  |            |            |      |
| Finland              | 4.0 (0.4)                                     |  | 9 (7.5)          | 16 (8.4)  | 4 (10.1)         | 10 (7.4)  | 15 (8.3)         | 6 (10.0)                        | 3 (9.2)          | 8 (9.4)   | -2 (11.8)        |  |            |            |      |
| France               | 13.2 (1.0)                                    |  | 5 (3.7)          | 4 (3.7)   | 7 (7.3)          | 5 (3.8)   | 4 (3.8)          | 8 (7.4)                         | 6 (4.0)          | 5 (4.0)   | 10 (7.9)         |  |            |            |      |
| Germany              | 16.9 (0.9)                                    |  | -6 (3.5)         | -6 (3.8)  | -5 (6.4)         | <b>-7</b> (3.3)   | <b>-7</b> (3.7)  | -6 (6.6)                        | <b>-9</b> (3.9)  | <b>-9</b> (4.0)   | -9 (7.6)         |  |            |            |      |
| Greece               | 10.8 (0.7)                                    |  | 4 (4.6)          | 1 (5.4)   | 9 (7.5)          | 3 (4.7)   | 1 (5.4)          | 8 (7.8)                         | 3 (5.0)          | 1 (5.5)   | 8 (8.5)          |  |            |            |      |
| Hungary              | 2.7 (0.2)                                     |  | 3 (9.0)          | 3 (7.5)   | 2 (17.2)         | 3 (9.0)   | 4 (7.5)          | 1 (17.4)                        | 4 (8.9)          | 6 (7.5)   | 2 (17.3)         |  |            |            |      |
| Iceland              | 4.1 (0.3)                                     |  | <b>-17</b> (7.3) | -14 (13.2)  | <b>-18</b> (9.1) | -12 (7.5)   | -12 (13.1)       | -13 (9.3)                       | <b>-19</b> (9.4) | -18 (14.5)  | -20 (10.5)       |  |            |            |      |
| Ireland              | 14.4 (1.0)                                    |  | m                | m   | m                | m   | m                | m                               | m                | m   | m                |  |            |            |      |
| Israel               | 17.5 (1.0)                                    |  | -9 (4.5)         | <b>-15</b> (5.0)                                  | 9 (7.2)          | <b>-9</b> (4.5)   | <b>-15</b> (5.0) | 10 (7.0)                        | <b>-10</b> (4.7) | <b>-15</b> (5.0)  | 10 (7.5)         |  |            |            |      |
| Italy                | 8.0 (0.5)                                     |  | <b>-17</b> (4.4) | -5 (5.8)  | <b>-25</b> (5.9) | <b>-16</b> (4.5)  | -4 (5.9)         | <b>-24</b> (5.9)                | <b>-17</b> (4.8) | -5 (6.1)  | <b>-25</b> (6.2) |  |            |            |      |
| Japan                | 0.5 (0.1)                                     |  | <b>60</b> (19.1) | c   | c                | c   | c                | <b>66</b> (19.9)                | c                | c   | c                | 32 (24.9)  | c          | c          | c    |
| Korea                | 0.1 (0.0)                                     |  | c                | c   | m                | m   | c                | c                               | c                | c   | c                | c  | c          | c          | c    |
| Latvia               | 5.0 (0.4)                                     |  | 3 (5.4)          | 3 (5.0)   | 3 (15.9)         | 3 (5.4)   | 3 (4.9)          | 2 (16.6)                        | 3 (5.5)          | 3 (5.0)   | 3 (17.0)         |  |            |            |      |
| Luxembourg           | 52.0 (0.6)                                    |  | <b>-6</b> (2.3)  | <b>-7</b> (2.6)                                   | -6 (2.9)         | <b>-5</b> (2.5)   | <b>-6</b> (2.8)  | -5 (3.0)                        | -3 (2.6)         | -4 (2.8)  | -3 (3.4)         |  |            |            |      |
| Mexico               | 1.2 (0.1)                                     |  | -7 (10.8)        | c   | c                | -10 (13.2)  | -7 (10.6)        | c                               | -11 (13.0)       | -7 (10.8)   | c                | c  | -11 (13.0) |            |      |
| Netherlands          | 10.7 (0.9)                                    |  | -2 (4.9)         | -2 (5.8)  | -1 (8.3)         | 0 (4.6)   | -1 (5.7)         | 2 (8.1)                         | 1 (5.6)          | 0 (6.3)   | 3 (8.8)          |  |            |            |      |
| New Zealand          | 27.1 (1.2)                                    |  | 6 (3.7)          | 1 (5.0)   | 9 (4.3)          | 6 (3.5)   | 2 (5.0)          | <b>9</b> (3.9)                  | 4 (4.1)          | 0 (5.6)   | 6 (4.3)          |  |            |            |      |
| Norway               | 12.0 (1.0)                                    |  | <b>11</b> (4.9)  | 7 (6.8)   | <b>15</b> (5.1)  | <b>11</b> (4.7)   | 7 (6.5)          | <b>16</b> (4.9)                 | 7 (6.2)          | 4 (7.2)   | 12 (6.9)         |  |            |            |      |
| Poland               | 0.3 (0.1)                                     |  | m                | m   | m                | m   | m                | m                               | m                | m   | m                |  |            |            |      |
| Portugal             | 7.3 (0.4)                                     |  | 10 (5.4)         | 3 (6.4)   | <b>15</b> (7.2)  | 9 (5.5)   | 3 (6.5)          | <b>14</b> (7.3)                 | 8 (5.6)          | 3 (6.3)   | 14 (8.1)         |  |            |            |      |
| Slovak Republic      | 1.2 (0.2)                                     |  | 10 (10.3)        | 15 (14.7)   | 5 (15.8)         | 9 (10.2)  | 13 (14.5)        | 5 (16.2)                        | 13 (10.5)        | 16 (14.9)   | 10 (16.5)        |  |            |            |      |
| Slovenia             | 7.8 (0.5)                                     |  | 2 (5.3)          | 1 (6.0)   | 2 (8.2)          | 0 (5.2)   | -1 (5.8)         | 2 (8.0)                         | 2 (6.2)          | 1 (6.8)   | 4 (8.8)          |  |            |            |      |
| Spain                | 11.0 (0.8)                                    |  | -4 (5.5)         | -5 (9.5)  | -3 (5.6)         | -3 (5.6)  | -5 (9.4)         | -2 (5.8)                        | -4 (5.4)         | -6 (9.2)  | -3 (5.6)         |  |            |            |      |
| Sweden               | 17.4 (1.2)                                    |  | 7 (4.2)          | 7 (5.1)   | 6 (5.6)          | 7 (4.0)   | 7 (5.0)          | 7 (5.5)                         | 0 (4.7)          | 1 (5.4)   | -2 (6.4)         |  |            |            |      |
| Switzerland          | 31.1 (1.2)                                    |  | m                | m   | m                | m   | m                | m                               | m                | m   | m                |  |            |            |      |
| Turkey               | 0.8 (0.2)                                     |  | -23 (13.7)       | -10 (14.1)  | c                | c   | -20 (13.8)       | -9 (14.6)                       | c                | c   | -22 (13.9)       | -10 (14.5)                                       | c          | c          |      |
| United Kingdom       | 16.7 (1.0)                                    |  | -4 (4.9)         | -3 (5.3)  | -5 (6.1)         | -3 (4.8)  | -1 (5.4)         | -4 (5.8)                        | -5 (4.7)         | -3 (5.3)  | -7 (6.0)         |  |            |            |      |
| United States        | 23.1 (1.5)                                    |  | -7 (3.9)         | -6 (3.4)  | -10 (7.1)        | -7 (4.3)  | -6 (3.9)         | -11 (7.2)                       | -6 (4.7)         | -5 (4.3)  | -9 (8.0)         |  |            |            |      |
| OECD average-32      | 12.2 (0.1)                                    |  | 2 (1.3)          | 0 (1.4)   | 2 (1.7)          | 2 (1.3)   | 0 (1.4)          | 2 (1.7)                         | 0 (1.4)          | 0 (1.4)   | 1 (1.8)          |  |            |            |      |
| OECD average-35      | 12.5 (0.1)                                    |  | m                | m   | m                | m   | m                | m                               | m                | m   | m                |  |            |            |      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |  |                  |   |                  |   |                  |                                 |                  |   |                  |  |            |            |      |
| Brazil               | 0.8 (0.1)                                     |  | -10 (9.7)        | -16 (11.7)  | 0 (15.6)         | -10 (9.4)   | -14 (11.7)       | -1 (16.0)                       | -8 (9.6)         | -14 (11.7)  | 2 (16.6)         |  |            |            |      |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.3 (0.1)                                     |  | 15 (24.2)        | c   | c                | c   | c                | 20 (22.4)                       | c                | c   | c                | 21 (22.2)  | c          | c          | c    |
| Bulgaria             | 1.0 (0.1)                                     |  | <b>-22</b> (8.8) | c   | c                | c   | c                | <b>-22</b> (9.0)                | c                | c   | c                | <b>-23</b> (8.3)                                 | c          | c          | c    |
| Colombia             | 0.6 (0.1)                                     |  | -16 (14.0)       | -20 (13.5)  | c                | c   | -8 (13.2)        | -11 (12.8)                      | c                | c   | -8 (13.3)        | -11 (12.8)                                       | c          | c          |      |
| Costa Rica           | 8.0 (0.6)                                     |  | -2 (3.9)         | 3 (4.4)   | -12 (7.7)        | -3 (4.0)  | 2 (4.5)          | -12 (7.7)                       | -2 (4.1)         | 2 (4.6)   | -12 (7.6)        |  |            |            |      |
| Croatia              | 10.8 (0.6)                                    |  | 5 (3.5)          | 2 (3.7)   | 18 (9.5)         | 4 (3.5)   | 2 (3.7)          | 17 (9.1)                        | 4 (3.4)          | 2 (3.7)   | <b>18</b> (8.9)  |  |            |            |      |
| Cyprus*              | 11.3 (0.4)                                    |  | -3 (4.0)         | <b>-14</b> (5.5)                                  | 2 (5.0)          | -2 (3.9)  | <b>-13</b> (5.5) | 3 (4.9)                         | -4 (4.2)         | <b>-15</b> (5.4)  | 1 (5.4)          |  |            |            |      |
| Dominican Republic   | 1.8 (0.3)                                     |  | m                | m   | m                | m   | m                | m                               | m                | m   | m                |  |            |            |      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 35.1 (1.3)                                    |  | 4 (2.6)          | 4 (2.8)   | 5 (3.8)          | <b>6</b> (2.6)  | 5 (2.8)          | 7 (3.7)                         | <b>6</b> (2.6)   | 5 (2.7)   | 7 (3.6)          |  |            |            |      |
| Lithuania            | 1.8 (0.2)                                     |  | 6 (8.2)          | 2 (7.6)   | 20 (20.0)        | 4 (8.2)   | 0 (7.7)          | 17 (19.2)                       | 3 (8.4)          | 0 (7.9)   | 16 (19.3)        |  |            |            |      |
| Macao (China)        | 62.2 (0.7)                                    |  | -1 (3.0)         | -2 (3.1)  | 0 (3.4)          | 1 (2.9)   | 0 (3.1)          | 2 (3.2)                         | 1 (2.9)          | 1 (3.2)   | 3 (3.2)          |  |            |            |      |
| Montenegro           | 5.6 (0.3)                                     |  | -4 (5.5)         | -8 (6.2)  | 5 (9.5)          | -5 (5.3)  | -8 (6.1)         | 2 (9.2)                         | -5 (5.4)         | -8 (6.2)  | 1 (9.1)          |  |            |            |      |
| Peru                 | 0.5 (0.1)                                     |  | -5 (10.7)        | c   | c                | c   | c                | 0 (11.1)                        | c                | c   | c                | 0 (11.1)   | c          | c          | c    |
| Qatar                | 55.2 (0.4)                                    |  | m                | m   | m                | m   | m                | m                               | m                | m   | m                |  |            |            |      |
| Russia               | 6.9 (0.5)                                     |  | -9 (7.0)         | -5 (9.1)  | -14 (9.1)        | -11 (7.0)   | -7 (9.1)         | -16 (9.3)                       | -12 (7.1)        | -7 (9.1)  | -17 (9.4)        |  |            |            |      |
| Singapore            | 20.9 (1.0)                                    |  | 5 (2.8)          | 2 (4.0)   | 7 (3.6)          | 4 (2.8)   | 1 (4.0)          | 6 (3.6)                         | 4 (2.6)          | 1 (4.0)   | 6 (3.4)          |  |            |            |      |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.3 (0.1)                                     |  | c                | c   | c                | c   | c                | c                               | c                | c   | c                |  |            |            |      |
| Thailand             | 0.8 (0.3)                                     |  | 13 (12.0)        | 13 (13.1)   | c                | c   | 7 (12.4)         | 8 (12.7)                        | c                | c   | 4 (12.9)         | 6 (13.3)   | c          | c          |      |
| Tunisia              | 1.5 (0.2)                                     |  | -6 (7.1)         | -2 (7.7)  | c                | c   | 0 (6.6)          | 4 (7.4)                         | c                | c   | 1 (6.5)          | 5 (7.3)  | c          | c          |      |
| United Arab Emirates | 57.6 (0.9)                                    |  | 5 (2.7)          | <b>7</b> (3.2)                                    | 3 (3.1)          | 3 (2.6)   | 5 (3.2)          | 1 (2.9)                         | 3 (2.5)          | 5 (3.1)   | 1 (2.9)          |  |            |            |      |
| Uruguay              | 0.6 (0.1)                                     |  | -24 (15.3)       | c   | c                | c   | c                | -21 (15.0)                      | c                | c   | c                | -23 (15.1)                                       | c          | c          | c    |
| Malaysia**           | 0.9 (0.2)                                     |  | -5 (12.4)        | -8 (12.4)   | c                | c   | -7 (12.9)        | -11 (12.9)                      | c                | c   | -7 (12.8)        | -11 (12.9)                                       | c          | c          |      |

1. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely «collaborative problem-solving» competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

The differences in performance after accounting for socio-economic status were obtained through regressions using dummy variables for first- and second-generation immigrants simultaneously, instead of through performing separate regressions on restricted samples of non-immigrants and first-generation immigrants, and of non-immigrants and second-generation immigrants.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.4.22 Performance in collaborative problem solving and the concentration of immigrant students**

Results are for non-immigrant students

|                      | School-level proportion of immigrant students <sup>1</sup> |       |                             |       |                |       |               |       |             |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving, by school-level proportion of immigrant students |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |  |  |
|----------------------|--|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|---------------|-------|-------------|-------|--|--------|----------------|--------|---------------|--------|-------------|--------|--|--|
|                      | Mean <sup>2</sup>  |       | Bottom quarter <sup>3</sup> |       | Second quarter |       | Third quarter |       | Top quarter |       | Bottom quarter   |        | Second quarter |        | Third quarter |        | Top quarter |        |  |  |
|                      | %  | S.E.  | %                           | S.E.  | %              | S.E.  | %             | S.E.  | %           | S.E.  | Mean score   | S.E.   | Mean score     | S.E.   | Mean score    | S.E.   | Mean score  | S.E.   |  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |                             |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |  |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |  |  |
| Australia            | 17.8   | (0.5) | 0.4                         | (0.4) | 8.5            | (0.5) | 19.1          | (0.8) | 42.9        | (1.0) | 520  | (4.5)  | 533            | (4.1)  | 545           | (4.2)  | 542         | (4.0)  |  |  |
| Austria              | 14.4   | (0.6) | 2.3                         | (0.5) | 7.3            | (0.5) | 14.0          | (1.0) | 34.2        | (1.3) | 520  | (7.5)  | 530            | (8.9)  | 522           | (9.4)  | 513         | (7.0)  |  |  |
| Belgium              | 13.1   | (0.7) | 1.2                         | (0.2) | 5.4            | (0.5) | 11.6          | (0.9) | 34.4        | (1.6) | 523  | (6.5)  | 520            | (8.5)  | 515           | (7.5)  | 497         | (7.3)  |  |  |
| Canada               | 18.3   | (0.9) | 0.5                         | (0.2) | 5.4            | (0.5) | 16.9          | (1.5) | 50.5        | (1.8) | 523  | (4.7)  | 530            | (5.8)  | 549           | (5.4)  | 555         | (4.3)  |  |  |
| Chile                | 1.8  | (0.3) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.3           | (0.4) | 6.7         | (1.1) | 454  | (4.0)  | 455            | (4.7)  | 467           | (5.6)  | 461         | (7.3)  |  |  |
| Czech Republic       | 2.9  | (0.3) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 1.9           | (0.5) | 9.8         | (0.8) | 499  | (3.9)  | 497            | (3.7)  | 504           | (4.9)  | 502         | (6.6)  |  |  |
| Denmark              | 8.1  | (0.4) | 0.2                         | (0.2) | 3.5            | (0.4) | 7.8           | (0.6) | 21.0        | (0.9) | 530  | (6.6)  | 529            | (4.8)  | 526           | (5.3)  | 525         | (4.8)  |  |  |
| Estonia              | 8.2  | (0.3) | 0.0                         | c     | 2.3            | (0.4) | 6.2           | (0.4) | 24.3        | (0.8) | 540  | (6.0)  | 553            | (4.5)  | 558           | (3.6)  | 515         | (4.2)  |  |  |
| Finland              | 3.6  | (0.4) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.8            | (0.4) | 3.1           | (0.4) | 10.6        | (1.0) | 533  | (4.9)  | 538            | (5.8)  | 534           | (6.8)  | 545         | (6.2)  |  |  |
| France               | 10.2   | (0.7) | 0.1                         | (0.3) | 3.8            | (0.4) | 9.2           | (0.9) | 27.7        | (1.8) | 507  | (6.8)  | 515            | (6.9)  | 504           | (8.8)  | 490         | (8.2)  |  |  |
| Germany              | 13.3   | (0.7) | 0.9                         | (0.3) | 5.8            | (0.6) | 13.2          | (0.9) | 33.1        | (1.6) | 541  | (8.3)  | 543            | (7.7)  | 561           | (7.6)  | 519         | (6.5)  |  |  |
| Greece               | 8.9  | (0.5) | 0.3                         | (0.3) | 4.0            | (0.4) | 8.9           | (0.6) | 22.2        | (1.4) | 477  | (6.0)  | 475            | (8.0)  | 462           | (11.1) | 446         | (7.3)  |  |  |
| Hungary              | 2.5  | (0.2) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 2.1           | (0.4) | 7.8         | (0.6) | 461  | (5.2)  | 449            | (5.3)  | 487           | (8.3)  | 494         | (8.6)  |  |  |
| Iceland              | 3.7  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.7            | (0.0) | 3.6           | (0.0) | 10.4        | (0.2) | 500  | (4.2)  | 499            | (3.7)  | 511           | (3.9)  | 504         | (4.1)  |  |  |
| Ireland              | 12.7   | (0.7) | 2.9                         | (0.4) | 7.8            | (0.5) | 13.7          | (1.0) | 26.5        | (1.7) | m  | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m           | m      |  |  |
| Israel               | 14.3   | (0.7) | 1.5                         | (0.3) | 6.5            | (0.8) | 15.8          | (1.0) | 33.3        | (1.7) | 399  | (10.1) | 496            | (15.0) | 505           | (11.6) | 497         | (8.1)  |  |  |
| Italy                | 6.8  | (0.4) | 0.0                         | c     | 2.7            | (0.5) | 7.3           | (0.6) | 17.2        | (0.9) | 467  | (6.7)  | 497            | (8.6)  | 480           | (8.4)  | 479         | (5.6)  |  |  |
| Japan                | 0.5  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 1.9         | (0.4) | 553  | (3.3)  | 556            | (3.6)  | 555           | (3.7)  | 549         | (5.7)  |  |  |
| Korea                | 0.1  | (0.0) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 0.3         | (0.1) | 540  | (3.4)  | 536            | (3.6)  | 537           | (3.7)  | 541         | (3.5)  |  |  |
| Latvia               | 4.4  | (0.4) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 2.9           | (0.7) | 14.8        | (0.9) | 485  | (4.2)  | 486            | (4.0)  | 486           | (4.4)  | 489         | (4.7)  |  |  |
| Luxembourg           | 43.1   | (0.2) | 25.1                        | (0.1) | 33.4           | (0.3) | 47.1          | (0.2) | 66.7        | (0.5) | 523  | (3.9)  | 539            | (3.9)  | 499           | (4.8)  | 466         | (4.8)  |  |  |
| Mexico               | 1.2  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | (0.1) | 4.6         | (0.5) | 443  | (3.2)  | 443            | (3.9)  | 442           | (4.2)  | 413         | (5.8)  |  |  |
| Netherlands          | 8.2  | (0.7) | 0.0                         | (0.0) | 2.7            | (0.5) | 7.1           | (1.0) | 22.9        | (1.6) | 534  | (9.1)  | 534            | (8.4)  | 517           | (8.8)  | 509         | (8.7)  |  |  |
| New Zealand          | 21.5   | (0.9) | 4.6                         | (0.8) | 14.4           | (1.1) | 22.8          | (1.4) | 44.4        | (1.5) | 527  | (6.5)  | 542            | (8.6)  | 541           | (8.7)  | 552         | (6.4)  |  |  |
| Norway               | 9.8  | (0.6) | 1.0                         | (0.4) | 5.0            | (0.4) | 9.7           | (0.6) | 23.3        | (1.5) | 512  | (5.6)  | 508            | (6.3)  | 504           | (5.2)  | 518         | (4.9)  |  |  |
| Poland               | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 0.9         | (0.3) | m  | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m           | m      |  |  |
| Portugal             | 6.5  | (0.4) | 0.0                         | c     | 2.3            | (0.5) | 6.5           | (0.6) | 17.2        | (0.9) | 493  | (5.8)  | 496            | (6.9)  | 508           | (6.5)  | 506         | (6.2)  |  |  |
| Slovak Republic      | 1.1  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | (0.1) | 4.4         | (0.5) | 467  | (4.1)  | 467            | (3.7)  | 469           | (4.3)  | 461         | (6.6)  |  |  |
| Slovenia             | 6.5  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 2.3            | (0.1) | 6.1           | (0.1) | 17.7        | (0.4) | 511  | (3.9)  | 522            | (3.2)  | 511           | (3.2)  | 484         | (3.6)  |  |  |
| Spain                | 9.2  | (0.5) | 0.0                         | (0.1) | 3.3            | (0.4) | 8.7           | (1.0) | 24.7        | (1.3) | 497  | (4.4)  | 510            | (5.1)  | 500           | (5.2)  | 501         | (4.0)  |  |  |
| Sweden               | 12.9   | (0.7) | 1.1                         | (0.4) | 6.4            | (0.7) | 12.7          | (0.8) | 31.4        | (1.7) | 527  | (6.8)  | 514            | (6.5)  | 521           | (4.6)  | 528         | (6.2)  |  |  |
| Switzerland          | 26.1   | (0.9) | 8.9                         | (1.0) | 18.6           | (1.2) | 29.0          | (1.6) | 48.2        | (1.6) | m  | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m           | m      |  |  |
| Turkey               | 0.7  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 2.9         | (0.6) | 423  | (4.8)  | 423            | (4.8)  | 424           | (5.2)  | 425         | (7.6)  |  |  |
| United Kingdom       | 11.5   | (0.6) | 0.0                         | (0.0) | 3.7            | (0.6) | 10.0          | (0.9) | 32.4        | (1.6) | 526  | (6.2)  | 529            | (6.0)  | 530           | (7.3)  | 516         | (7.5)  |  |  |
| United States        | 16.1   | (0.9) | 0.8                         | (0.4) | 7.0            | (0.8) | 15.4          | (1.2) | 41.0        | (2.3) | 522  | (7.1)  | 530            | (9.1)  | 539           | (12.0) | 522         | (7.5)  |  |  |
| OECD average-32      | 9.4  | (0.1) | 1.2                         | (0.0) | 4.3            | (0.1) | 9.1           | (0.1) | 23.0        | (0.2) | 502  | (1.0)  | 509            | (1.2)  | 510           | (1.2)  | 502         | (1.1)  |  |  |
| OECD average-35      | 9.7  | (0.1) | 1.5                         | (0.1) | 4.7            | (0.1) | 9.5           | (0.1) | 23.2        | (0.2) | m  | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m           | m      |  |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |                             |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |  |        |                |        |               |        |             |        |  |  |
| Brazil               | 0.7  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 3.0         | (0.3) | 417  | (3.1)  | 417            | (3.4)  | 416           | (3.2)  | 414         | (4.8)  |  |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 1.1         | (0.2) | 504  | (5.1)  | 503            | (5.4)  | 498           | (4.4)  | 487         | (5.6)  |  |  |
| Bulgaria             | 1.0  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.1           | (0.3) | 3.8         | (0.3) | 456  | (5.2)  | 448            | (5.6)  | 455           | (6.6)  | 433         | (10.6) |  |  |
| Colombia             | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 2.3         | (0.4) | 435  | (3.2)  | 428            | (3.1)  | 431           | (3.5)  | 429         | (5.9)  |  |  |
| Costa Rica           | 7.1  | (0.5) | 0.0                         | c     | 2.5            | (0.6) | 7.2           | (0.7) | 18.8        | (1.2) | 443  | (5.5)  | 443            | (8.1)  | 450           | (7.6)  | 436         | (6.2)  |  |  |
| Croatia              | 9.9  | (0.5) | 1.5                         | (0.4) | 6.0            | (0.6) | 10.8          | (0.6) | 21.2        | (1.2) | 483  | (7.8)  | 478            | (8.9)  | 479           | (10.0) | 468         | (7.0)  |  |  |
| Cyprus*              | 8.5  | (0.1) | 1.9                         | (0.0) | 4.1            | (0.0) | 6.7           | (0.0) | 21.2        | (0.3) | 452  | (3.0)  | 433            | (3.7)  | 451           | (3.4)  | 448         | (3.6)  |  |  |
| Dominican Republic   | 1.7  | (0.2) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.5           | (0.4) | 6.3         | (0.7) | m  | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m           | m      |  |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 31.0   | (1.1) | 13.0                        | (1.5) | 25.4           | (1.4) | 34.4          | (1.7) | 51.1        | (1.2) | 559  | (8.8)  | 555            | (9.9)  | 551           | (10.1) | 526         | (9.5)  |  |  |
| Lithuania            | 1.4  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 5.7         | (0.5) | 467  | (3.5)  | 470            | (3.4)  | 472           | (3.9)  | 472         | (5.7)  |  |  |
| Macao (China)        | 56.3   | (0.3) | 40.2                        | (0.2) | 48.2           | (0.2) | 61.2          | (0.7) | 75.8        | (0.3) | 529  | (5.3)  | 523            | (4.8)  | 510           | (5.1)  | 533         | (4.8)  |  |  |
| Montenegro           | 5.3  | (0.1) | 0.9                         | (0.0) | 2.8            | (0.0) | 5.3           | (0.1) | 12.3        | (0.2) | 407  | (2.8)  | 409            | (2.5)  | 422           | (2.7)  | 428         | (2.7)  |  |  |
| Peru                 | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 1.7         | (0.4) | 420  | (3.7)  | 418            | (3.5)  | 418           | (3.3)  | 418         | (4.8)  |  |  |
| Qatar                | 33.4   | (0.2) | 11.6                        | (0.1) | 22.7           | (0.1) | 36.7          | (0.3) | 62.5        | (0.5) | m  | m      | m              | m      | m             | m      | m           | m      |  |  |
| Russia               | 6.2  | (0.5) | 0.1                         | (0.2) | 3.4            | (0.4) | 6.7           | (0.4) | 14.8        | (1.2) | 460  | (6.7)  | 474            | (7.5)  | 481           | (8.5)  | 485         | (9.0)  |  |  |
| Singapore            | 17.1   | (0.2) | 7.4                         | (0.1) | 13.4           | (0.1) | 18.6          | (0.1) | 29.2        | (0.7) | 540  | (3.1)  | 547            | (3.2)  | 562           | (3.5)  | 587         | (3.4)  |  |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 1.1         | (0.2) | 529  | (3.5)  | 527            | (3.7)  | 525           | (3.5)  | 527         | (4.3)  |  |  |
| Thailand             | 0.7  | (0.2) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 2.9         | (0.9) | 441  | (4.7)  | 437            | (4.7)  | 438           | (4.8)  | 437         | (4.9)  |  |  |
| Tunisia              | 1.4  | (0.2) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.8           | (0.4) | 4.9         | (0.5) | 390  | (3.2)  | 392            | (3.8)  | 385           | (4.2)  | 369         | (5.6)  |  |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 27.0   | (1.1) | 3.2                         | (0.8) | 14.6           | (1.2) | 28.4          | (1.7) | 61.7        | (1.9) | 413  | (3.8)  | 395            | (7.0)  | 400           | (6.1)  | 409         | (5.8)  |  |  |
| Uruguay              | 0.6  | (0.1) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 2.3         | (0.4) | 447  | (3.7)  | 442            | (3.8)  | 443           | (3.4)  | 446         | (5.1)  |  |  |
| Malaysia**           | 0.9  | (0.2) | 0.0                         | c     | 0.0            | c     | 0.0           | c     | 3.4         | (0.7) | 439  | (4.1)  | 442            | (4.6)  | 441           | (4.4)  | 444         | (6.0)  |  |  |

1. The school-level proportion of immigrant students is the proportion of students in each school who have an immigrant background.

2. The mean school-level proportion of immigrant students is equal to the average proportion of immigrant students in a school that a non-immigrant student attends.

3. Non-immigrant students are ranked according to the proportion of immigrant students in the school that they attend. The bottom quarter of this ranking are those non-immigrant students who attend schools with the smallest proportion of immigrant students, i.e. lowest immigrant diversity.

4. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social, and cultural status (ESCS).

5. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely «collaborative problem solving» competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.4.22 Performance in collaborative problem solving and the concentration of immigrant students**

Results are for non-immigrant students

|                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving,<br>by school-level proportion of immigrant students <sup>1</sup> |        |   |        | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup> ,<br>by school-level proportion of immigrant students |        |   |        |
|----------------------|--|--------|---|--------|--|--------|---|--------|
|                      | Difference (top - bottom quarter)  |        |   |        | Difference (top - bottom quarter)  |        |   |        |
|                      | Before accounting for gender,<br>and students' and schools'<br>socio-economic profile <sup>4</sup>             |        | After accounting for gender,<br>and students' and schools'<br>socio-economic profile <sup>4</sup> |        | Before accounting for gender,<br>and students' and schools'<br>socio-economic profile <sup>4</sup>                       |        | After accounting for gender,<br>and students' and schools'<br>socio-economic profile <sup>4</sup> |        |
|                      | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.  | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.  | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |        |   |        |  |        |   |        |
| Australia            | 21   | (6.0)  | 8   | (5.3)  | 2  | (4.2)  | 1   | (4.0)  |
| Austria              | -8   | (10.0) | 8   | (8.1)  | 4  | (4.2)  | 4   | (4.2)  |
| Belgium              | -25  | (9.7)  | -9  | (6.5)  | -1   | (4.4)  | -2  | (4.3)  |
| Canada               | 32   | (6.0)  | 9   | (6.6)  | 5  | (5.5)  | 5   | (5.7)  |
| Chile                | 7  | (8.7)  | -2  | (6.6)  | 1  | (4.3)  | 0   | (4.1)  |
| Czech Republic       | 3  | (8.1)  | -8  | (5.7)  | 1  | (3.8)  | 2   | (3.7)  |
| Denmark              | -5   | (8.2)  | 1   | (7.1)  | -3   | (4.6)  | -2  | (4.8)  |
| Estonia              | -25  | (6.6)  | -29   | (6.5)  | -8   | (4.6)  | -8  | (4.5)  |
| Finland              | 12   | (7.9)  | 2   | (5.9)  | -1   | (4.8)  | 0   | (4.8)  |
| France               | -17  | (12.4) | -7  | (6.6)  | 0  | (3.9)  | 2   | (3.9)  |
| Germany              | -21  | (10.7) | 1   | (9.1)  | 5  | (5.8)  | 6   | (5.5)  |
| Greece               | -31  | (9.8)  | -4  | (8.8)  | -4   | (4.6)  | -1  | (5.0)  |
| Hungary              | 34   | (11.3) | -3  | (6.3)  | 4  | (3.5)  | 1   | (3.4)  |
| Iceland              | 4  | (5.2)  | 4   | (4.7)  | 4  | (4.1)  | 4   | (4.1)  |
| Ireland              | m  | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Israel               | 98   | (13.0) | 84  | (8.6)  | 41   | (6.1)  | 47  | (5.8)  |
| Italy                | 11   | (8.6)  | 21  | (6.2)  | 6  | (5.8)  | 6   | (5.2)  |
| Japan                | -5   | (6.4)  | -3  | (7.8)  | 5  | (4.4)  | 3   | (3.8)  |
| Korea                | 0  | (4.1)  | -10   | (11.3) | -4   | (9.4)  | -3  | (6.9)  |
| Latvia               | 3  | (6.1)  | -8  | (5.2)  | -3   | (3.7)  | -3  | (3.7)  |
| Luxembourg           | -57  | (5.8)  | 2   | (7.8)  | 2  | (4.5)  | 8   | (5.0)  |
| Mexico               | -30  | (7.1)  | -11   | (4.7)  | -5   | (3.8)  | -2  | (3.5)  |
| Netherlands          | -25  | (13.7) | 3   | (8.7)  | -1   | (4.7)  | -1  | (4.5)  |
| New Zealand          | 25   | (8.5)  | 8   | (8.2)  | 2  | (5.4)  | 4   | (5.1)  |
| Norway               | 5  | (7.4)  | 4   | (6.8)  | -3   | (5.6)  | -2  | (5.6)  |
| Poland               | m  | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Portugal             | 13   | (8.1)  | -1  | (5.9)  | 7  | (5.0)  | 7   | (5.0)  |
| Slovak Republic      | -6   | (8.3)  | -4  | (5.5)  | -1   | (3.9)  | -1  | (3.6)  |
| Slovenia             | -27  | (4.8)  | -10   | (4.5)  | 0  | (3.6)  | 0   | (3.6)  |
| Spain                | 4  | (5.9)  | 12  | (5.5)  | 4  | (3.8)  | 5   | (3.9)  |
| Sweden               | 1  | (8.6)  | 20  | (8.5)  | 7  | (5.8)  | 8   | (6.2)  |
| Switzerland          | m  | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Turkey               | 1  | (9.6)  | -13   | (8.5)  | 2  | (5.4)  | 1   | (4.9)  |
| United Kingdom       | -10  | (9.9)  | -3  | (8.7)  | -4   | (5.8)  | -3  | (5.5)  |
| United States        | 0  | (10.1) | 14  | (8.4)  | 7  | (5.8)  | 8   | (6.2)  |
| OECD average-32      | 0  | (1.5)  | 2   | (1.3)  | 2  | (0.9)  | 3   | (0.8)  |
| OECD average-35      | m  | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |        |   |        |  |        |   |        |
| Brazil               | -3   | (5.6)  | -6  | (5.0)  | 3  | (3.7)  | 3   | (3.5)  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | -16  | (6.7)  | -16   | (8.8)  | -1   | (6.0)  | 0   | (6.1)  |
| Bulgaria             | -24  | (12.7) | -7  | (6.4)  | 3  | (3.4)  | 4   | (3.2)  |
| Colombia             | -7   | (6.9)  | -12   | (6.0)  | 4  | (3.2)  | 2   | (3.2)  |
| Costa Rica           | -7   | (8.4)  | -4  | (6.1)  | -2   | (5.3)  | -1  | (5.2)  |
| Croatia              | -16  | (9.9)  | -3  | (6.9)  | 5  | (4.4)  | 4   | (4.2)  |
| Cyprus*              | -4   | (4.5)  | -9  | (4.8)  | -3   | (4.2)  | -2  | (4.1)  |
| Dominican Republic   | m  | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | -33  | (13.1) | 11  | (14.2) | 4  | (5.1)  | 2   | (6.6)  |
| Lithuania            | 5  | (6.9)  | -8  | (6.0)  | 2  | (3.3)  | 1   | (3.3)  |
| Macao (China)        | 4  | (7.3)  | 39  | (7.4)  | 6  | (4.8)  | 4   | (5.0)  |
| Montenegro           | 21   | (4.1)  | -11   | (4.9)  | 4  | (3.5)  | 2   | (4.0)  |
| Peru                 | -3   | (5.8)  | -5  | (5.8)  | -2   | (4.4)  | -3  | (4.6)  |
| Qatar                | m  | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Russia               | 26   | (11.3) | 8   | (8.1)  | 17   | (6.5)  | 12  | (5.5)  |
| Singapore            | 47   | (4.8)  | 6   | (4.8)  | -3   | (3.9)  | 0   | (3.9)  |
| Chinese Taipei       | -2   | (5.2)  | -3  | (6.9)  | 1  | (5.1)  | 0   | (5.3)  |
| Thailand             | -3   | (6.1)  | 6   | (6.8)  | 2  | (5.8)  | 5   | (5.4)  |
| Tunisia              | -20  | (7.1)  | -15   | (4.7)  | -4   | (3.4)  | -3  | (3.4)  |
| United Arab Emirates | -4   | (7.0)  | 52  | (14.6) | 12   | (11.5) | 12  | (10.8) |
| Uruguay              | 0  | (6.4)  | -3  | (5.0)  | -4   | (4.1)  | -3  | (4.0)  |
| Malaysia**           | 5  | (6.9)  | -11   | (6.3)  | 0  | (5.3)  | -2  | (5.4)  |

1. The school-level proportion of immigrant students is the proportion of students in each school who have an immigrant background.

2. The mean school-level proportion of immigrant students is equal to the average proportion of immigrant students in a school that a non-immigrant student attends.

3. Non-immigrant students are ranked according to the proportion of immigrant students in the school that they attend. The bottom quarter of this ranking are those non-immigrant students who attend schools with the smallest proportion of immigrant students, i.e. lowest immigrant diversity.

4. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social, and cultural status (ESCS).

5. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely «collaborative problem solving» competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.5.1 Attitudes towards collaboration**

|                    | Valuing relationships          |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       | Valuing teamwork          |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|---------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---------------------------------|-------|
|                    | Index of valuing relationships |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |  |       | Index of valuing teamwork |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
|                    |                                |        | I am a good listener   |       | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful |       | I take into account what others are interested in |       | I enjoy considering different perspectives |       |                           |        | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone                              |       | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals |       | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency |       | I enjoy co-operating with peers |       |
|                    | Mean index                     | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | Mean index                | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |                                 |       |
| <b>OECD</b>        |                                |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |                           |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
| Australia          | 0.09                           | (0.01) | 87.5   | (0.3) | 91.6                                       | (0.3) | 91.1  | (0.3) | 90.7                                       | (0.3) | 0.01                      | (0.01) | 66.1   | (0.5) | 73.7   | (0.5) | 72.4  | (0.4) | 89.0                            | (0.3) |
| Austria            | 0.24                           | (0.01) | 88.6   | (0.4) | 82.8                                       | (0.6) | 88.2  | (0.4) | 81.5                                       | (0.5) | 0.19                      | (0.01) | 69.1   | (0.7) | 75.1   | (0.6) | 67.2  | (0.6) | 87.4                            | (0.5) |
| Belgium            | -0.06                          | (0.01) | 84.9   | (0.4) | 90.6                                       | (0.4) | 85.7  | (0.5) | 88.9                                       | (0.4) | -0.11                     | (0.01) | 66.2   | (0.6) | 71.1   | (0.5) | 63.0  | (0.5) | 84.9                            | (0.5) |
| Canada             | 0.11                           | (0.01) | 89.2   | (0.3) | 90.5                                       | (0.3) | 89.5  | (0.3) | 90.3                                       | (0.4) | 0.00                      | (0.01) | 66.6   | (0.4) | 71.9   | (0.5) | 69.8  | (0.4) | 87.3                            | (0.3) |
| Chile              | 0.08                           | (0.02) | 86.5   | (0.6) | 90.5                                       | (0.4) | 79.9  | (0.6) | 90.2                                       | (0.5) | 0.21                      | (0.02) | 71.8   | (0.6) | 74.7   | (0.7) | 81.1  | (0.6) | 93.1                            | (0.3) |
| Czech Republic     | -0.20                          | (0.01) | 91.8   | (0.4) | 77.6                                       | (0.6) | 86.0  | (0.6) | 85.8                                       | (0.6) | 0.00                      | (0.02) | 72.2   | (0.7) | 76.4   | (0.7) | 66.5  | (0.7) | 89.3                            | (0.5) |
| Denmark            | 0.01                           | (0.01) | 91.2   | (0.4) | 91.1                                       | (0.4) | 86.5  | (0.5) | 89.4                                       | (0.4) | -0.12                     | (0.01) | 64.5   | (0.8) | 66.8   | (0.8) | 60.8  | (0.8) | 90.1                            | (0.5) |
| Estonia            | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 88.0   | (0.5) | 89.0                                       | (0.5) | 91.7  | (0.4) | 87.1                                       | (0.6) | -0.10                     | (0.02) | 61.6   | (0.8) | 72.5   | (0.7) | 70.8  | (0.7) | 80.8                            | (0.6) |
| Finland            | -0.08                          | (0.01) | 90.6   | (0.5) | 86.4                                       | (0.6) | 92.3  | (0.4) | 79.2                                       | (0.7) | -0.22                     | (0.02) | 62.9   | (0.7) | 71.7   | (0.6) | 59.5  | (0.8) | 82.9                            | (0.6) |
| France             | -0.07                          | (0.01) | 86.3   | (0.5) | 86.8                                       | (0.5) | 82.7  | (0.5) | 88.3                                       | (0.4) | 0.11                      | (0.02) | 70.6   | (0.7) | 72.1   | (0.6) | 76.4  | (0.5) | 85.2                            | (0.5) |
| Germany            | 0.15                           | (0.02) | 89.8   | (0.4) | 82.3                                       | (0.5) | 89.4  | (0.4) | 81.5                                       | (0.5) | 0.14                      | (0.02) | 65.8   | (0.7) | 71.7   | (0.6) | 65.3  | (0.6) | 91.7                            | (0.4) |
| Greece             | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 85.2   | (0.6) | 90.0                                       | (0.5) | 86.8  | (0.5) | 90.9                                       | (0.5) | 0.18                      | (0.01) | 71.9   | (0.6) | 82.7   | (0.6) | 75.7  | (0.6) | 88.5                            | (0.4) |
| Hungary            | -0.03                          | (0.02) | 84.1   | (0.6) | 87.2                                       | (0.5) | 84.9  | (0.5) | 87.9                                       | (0.5) | -0.02                     | (0.02) | 74.0   | (0.7) | 77.0   | (0.7) | 66.8  | (0.7) | 85.7                            | (0.6) |
| Iceland            | -0.09                          | (0.02) | 81.6   | (0.7) | 87.1                                       | (0.5) | 79.3  | (0.6) | 88.8                                       | (0.6) | -0.20                     | (0.02) | 58.2   | (0.8) | 62.6   | (0.8) | 64.9  | (0.9) | 86.7                            | (0.7) |
| Ireland            | 0.03                           | (0.01) | 84.5   | (0.5) | 93.0                                       | (0.4) | 89.5  | (0.4) | 89.1                                       | (0.4) | 0.04                      | (0.01) | 67.9   | (0.7) | 74.1   | (0.6) | 72.0  | (0.6) | 87.6                            | (0.5) |
| Israel             | 0.24                           | (0.02) | 92.3   | (0.5) | 91.2                                       | (0.5) | 88.3  | (0.5) | 83.4                                       | (0.6) | -0.03                     | (0.02) | 63.7   | (0.8) | 73.4   | (0.6) | 63.9  | (0.8) | 87.9                            | (0.4) |
| Italy              | -0.14                          | (0.01) | 85.5   | (0.5) | 85.2                                       | (0.5) | 77.6  | (0.5) | 91.0                                       | (0.4) | 0.02                      | (0.02) | 71.5   | (0.6) | 73.6   | (0.6) | 70.9  | (0.6) | 87.7                            | (0.5) |
| Japan              | -0.22                          | (0.02) | 76.8   | (0.6) | 86.0                                       | (0.5) | 78.0  | (0.5) | 67.5                                       | (0.7) | -0.03                     | (0.02) | 65.6   | (0.7) | 80.5   | (0.6) | 53.6  | (0.7) | 89.2                            | (0.4) |
| Korea              | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 95.0   | (0.3) | 82.2                                       | (0.6) | 89.2  | (0.5) | 91.2                                       | (0.4) | 0.14                      | (0.01) | 75.5   | (0.7) | 83.0   | (0.5) | 84.4  | (0.5) | 86.8                            | (0.5) |
| Latvia             | -0.30                          | (0.02) | 80.7   | (0.7) | 83.8                                       | (0.6) | 81.5  | (0.7) | 82.0                                       | (0.5) | -0.14                     | (0.02) | 69.0   | (0.7) | 70.6   | (0.8) | 65.6  | (0.8) | 81.8                            | (0.6) |
| Luxembourg         | 0.03                           | (0.01) | 86.0   | (0.5) | 83.7                                       | (0.5) | 84.2  | (0.5) | 82.8                                       | (0.5) | 0.00                      | (0.01) | 67.8   | (0.7) | 71.1   | (0.7) | 66.8  | (0.6) | 85.3                            | (0.5) |
| Mexico             | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 88.7   | (0.4) | 92.7                                       | (0.4) | 84.3  | (0.5) | 92.7                                       | (0.4) | 0.23                      | (0.01) | 70.2   | (0.6) | 82.3   | (0.6) | 83.0  | (0.5) | 90.2                            | (0.4) |
| Netherlands        | -0.18                          | (0.01) | 89.0   | (0.5) | 91.3                                       | (0.4) | 94.0  | (0.3) | 80.7                                       | (0.5) | -0.26                     | (0.01) | 63.9   | (0.7) | 62.8   | (0.7) | 68.1  | (0.8) | 84.1                            | (0.5) |
| New Zealand        | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 82.9   | (0.7) | 91.2                                       | (0.5) | 89.2  | (0.5) | 89.6                                       | (0.4) | 0.07                      | (0.02) | 69.6   | (0.7) | 75.9   | (0.7) | 73.0  | (0.7) | 89.7                            | (0.5) |
| Norway             | 0.11                           | (0.02) | 87.7   | (0.5) | 88.0                                       | (0.5) | 92.5  | (0.4) | 88.6                                       | (0.5) | -0.23                     | (0.02) | 60.3   | (0.8) | 66.4   | (0.8) | 56.0  | (0.8) | 83.8                            | (0.6) |
| Poland             | -0.21                          | (0.02) | 88.3   | (0.6) | 83.0                                       | (0.7) | 78.7  | (0.8) | 88.1                                       | (0.5) | -0.06                     | (0.02) | 73.5   | (0.7) | 71.4   | (0.7) | 68.7  | (0.8) | 85.2                            | (0.5) |
| Portugal           | 0.37                           | (0.02) | 93.2   | (0.4) | 96.1                                       | (0.3) | 93.0  | (0.3) | 93.7                                       | (0.4) | 0.32                      | (0.02) | 71.8   | (0.7) | 83.0   | (0.6) | 81.0  | (0.5) | 94.9                            | (0.3) |
| Slovak Republic    | -0.34                          | (0.01) | 77.8   | (0.6) | 78.5                                       | (0.6) | 83.7  | (0.6) | 82.8                                       | (0.6) | -0.12                     | (0.02) | 71.8   | (0.6) | 74.3   | (0.7) | 69.6  | (0.6) | 80.5                            | (0.6) |
| Slovenia           | -0.04                          | (0.01) | 82.1   | (0.7) | 92.3                                       | (0.4) | 89.8  | (0.5) | 83.6                                       | (0.6) | 0.02                      | (0.01) | 69.4   | (0.7) | 75.2   | (0.7) | 71.2  | (0.7) | 89.0                            | (0.5) |
| Spain              | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 93.3   | (0.4) | 90.2                                       | (0.5) | 85.5  | (0.6) | 92.0                                       | (0.4) | 0.15                      | (0.02) | 66.8   | (0.7) | 75.4   | (0.7) | 72.2  | (0.6) | 92.6                            | (0.3) |
| Sweden             | 0.05                           | (0.02) | 87.0   | (0.5) | 87.0                                       | (0.5) | 89.6  | (0.4) | 86.0                                       | (0.5) | -0.19                     | (0.02) | 58.2   | (0.8) | 63.3   | (0.7) | 66.9  | (0.7) | 83.0                            | (0.6) |
| Switzerland        | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 87.0   | (0.6) | 88.3                                       | (0.5) | 88.2  | (0.5) | 86.2                                       | (0.6) | 0.22                      | (0.02) | 73.1   | (0.7) | 75.5   | (0.7) | 71.6  | (0.8) | 91.1                            | (0.5) |
| Turkey             | 0.00                           | (0.02) | 86.4   | (0.6) | 83.3                                       | (0.7) | 75.6  | (0.6) | 88.3                                       | (0.5) | -0.04                     | (0.01) | 47.9   | (0.7) | 71.0   | (0.7) | 78.9  | (0.7) | 80.7                            | (0.6) |
| United Kingdom     | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 86.9   | (0.5) | 89.2                                       | (0.5) | 88.2  | (0.5) | 87.3                                       | (0.5) | -0.04                     | (0.01) | 68.4   | (0.7) | 73.9   | (0.6) | 71.6  | (0.6) | 85.6                            | (0.6) |
| United States      | 0.13                           | (0.02) | 89.8   | (0.4) | 93.0                                       | (0.4) | 86.3  | (0.5) | 90.8                                       | (0.5) | 0.06                      | (0.02) | 69.0   | (0.7) | 75.0   | (0.7) | 74.2  | (0.6) | 87.0                            | (0.4) |
| OECD average-32    | 0.01                           | (0.00) | 87.1   | (0.1) | 87.8                                       | (0.1) | 86.4  | (0.1) | 86.7                                       | (0.1) | 0.00                      | (0.00) | 66.9   | (0.1) | 73.5   | (0.1) | 69.7  | (0.1) | 86.9                            | (0.1) |
| OECD average-35    | 0.01                           | (0.00) | 87.0   | (0.1) | 87.8                                       | (0.1) | 86.3  | (0.1) | 86.8                                       | (0.1) | 0.01                      | (0.00) | 67.3   | (0.1) | 73.5   | (0.1) | 69.8  | (0.1) | 87.0                            | (0.1) |
| <b>Partners</b>    |                                |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |                           |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
| Brazil             | -0.04                          | (0.01) | 84.2   | (0.3) | 94.1                                       | (0.2) | 83.6  | (0.4) | 87.4                                       | (0.3) | 0.20                      | (0.01) | 70.6   | (0.5) | 79.5   | (0.4) | 83.1  | (0.4) | 93.7                            | (0.3) |
| B-S-J-G (China)    | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 87.1   | (0.6) | 88.9                                       | (0.5) | 88.9  | (0.5) | 90.8                                       | (0.4) | 0.39                      | (0.01) | 87.1   | (0.5) | 86.5   | (0.4) | 89.2  | (0.5) | 92.6                            | (0.4) |
| Bulgaria           | -0.03                          | (0.02) | 88.1   | (0.5) | 86.6                                       | (0.6) | 79.9  | (0.7) | 89.2                                       | (0.5) | -0.07                     | (0.02) | 66.7   | (0.8) | 73.0   | (0.7) | 74.1  | (0.8) | 82.0                            | (0.7) |
| Colombia           | 0.05                           | (0.01) | 90.0   | (0.4) | 93.2                                       | (0.3) | 78.8  | (0.6) | 83.8                                       | (0.6) | 0.23                      | (0.01) | 68.1   | (0.6) | 83.5   | (0.5) | 76.7  | (0.5) | 93.9                            | (0.3) |
| Costa Rica         | 0.35                           | (0.02) | 89.5   | (0.5) | 94.6                                       | (0.3) | 83.7  | (0.5) | 93.8                                       | (0.4) | 0.34                      | (0.02) | 70.8   | (0.6) | 82.3   | (0.6) | 77.8  | (0.6) | 92.7                            | (0.3) |
| Croatia            | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 92.8   | (0.4) | 92.3                                       | (0.4) | 77.5  | (0.7) | 87.2                                       | (0.5) | 0.21                      | (0.02) | 76.2   | (0.6) | 80.9   | (0.6) | 79.3  | (0.7) | 90.2                            | (0.5) |
| Cyprus*            | 0.07                           | (0.01) | 84.2   | (0.5) | 90.0                                       | (0.4) | 84.4  | (0.5) | 89.1                                       | (0.4) | 0.10                      | (0.01) | 67.8   | (0.6) | 77.8   | (0.5) | 76.1  | (0.6) | 86.8                            | (0.5) |
| Dominican Republic | 0.27                           | (0.02) | 88.3   | (0.5) | 90.1                                       | (0.6) | 84.1  | (0.8) | 82.9                                       | (0.7) | 0.51                      | (0.02) | 73.5   | (0.8) | 81.9   | (0.7) | 82.4  | (0.7) | 93.8                            | (0.5) |
| Hong Kong (China)  | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 89.8   | (0.5) | 84.8                                       | (0.6) | 89.7  | (0.5) | 91.7                                       | (0.5) | 0.05                      | (0.02) | 71.0   | (0.7) | 80.2   | (0.6) | 76.9  | (0.6) | 84.5                            | (0.5) |
| Lithuania          | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 85.7   | (0.5) | 85.1                                       | (0.7) | 77.3  | (0.6) | 88.4                                       | (0.5) | 0.33                      | (0.02) | 73.3   | (0.6) | 78.6   | (0.6) | 79.5  | (0.6) | 85.7                            | (0.5) |
| Macao (China)      | -0.15                          | (0.01) | 84.1   | (0.5) | 84.9                                       | (0.5) | 85.7  | (0.6) | 89.5                                       | (0.5) | 0.01                      | (0.01) | 69.0   | (0.7) | 74.2   | (0.6) | 79.8  | (0.6) | 84.0                            | (0.5) |
| Montenegro         | -0.05                          | (0.01) | 82.6   | (0.5) | 94.7                                       | (0.3) | 80.9  | (0.6) | 84.2                                       | (0.6) | -0.09                     | (0.01) | 43.7   | (0.7) | 76.0   | (0.6) | 74.4  | (0.7) | 89.5                            | (0.4) |
| Peru               | -0.08                          | (0.01) | 90.2   | (0.4) | 84.5                                       | (0.5) | 78.1  | (0.6) | 90.8                                       | (0.4) | 0.09                      | (0.01) | 67.8   | (0.7) | 79.3   | (0.6) | 76.5  | (0.6) | 90.5                            | (0.4) |
| Qatar              | 0.12                           | (0.01) | 85.0   | (0.4) | 91.6                                       | (0.2) | 74.9  | (0.4) | 87.5                                       | (0.3) | 0.23                      | (0.01) | 61.8   | (0.5) | 80.4   | (0.4) | 83.1  | (0.4) | 87.8                            | (0.3) |
| Russia             | -0.25                          | (0.02) | 91.5   | (0.5) | 78.0                                       | (0.8) | 84.4  | (0.6) | 81.7                                       | (0.6) | -0.18                     | (0.02) | 71.7   | (0.8) | 67.7   | (0.8) | 70.4  | (0.8) | 80.3                            | (0.9) |
| Singapore          | 0.32                           | (0.01) | 91.8   | (0.4) | 91.4                                       | (0.3) | 91.5  | (0.5) | 95.4                                       | (0.2) | 0.27                      | (0.01) | 72.6   | (0.6) | 82.3   | (0.6) | 80.1  | (0.6) | 92.1                            | (0.4) |
| Chinese Taipei     | 0.22                           | (0.02) | 92.4   | (0.4) | 90.6                                       | (0.4) | 92.4  | (0.3) | 92.8                                       | (0.3) | 0.37                      | (0.02) | 84.8   | (0.5) | 84.1   | (0.5) | 85.2  | (0.5) | 90.5                            | (0.3) |
| Thailand           | 0.10                           | (0.02) | 90.4   | (0.6) | 97.8                                       | (0.2) | 92.7  | (0.4) | 88.9                                       | (0.4) | 0.37                      | (0.02) | 83.0   | (0.5) | 90.5   | (0.4) | 87.2  | (0.5) | 96.4                            | (0.3) |
| Tunisia            | 0.12                           | (0.02) | 89.1   | (0.5) | 94.1                                       | (0.4) | 73.7  | (0.7) | 87.0                                       | (0.6) | 0.43                      | (0.02) | 78.1   | (0.7) | 84   |       |   |       |                                 |       |

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Table V.5.2d Taking into account others' interests and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                 | "I take into account what others are interested in"                  |            |  |            |                        |            |  |            |  |  |  |            |   |       |       |
|-----------------|--|------------|--|------------|------------------------|------------|--|------------|--|--|--|------------|---|-------|-------|
|                 | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the statement |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            |                        |            | Difference (agreed/strongly agreed – disagreed/strongly disagreed)                           |            |  |  |  |            |   |       |       |
|                 |  |            |  |            |                        |            | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |            |  | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |  |            |   |       |       |
|                 |  |            | Disagreed/strongly disagreed                 |            | Agreed/strongly agreed |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving   |            | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup> |  | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving |       |       |
| %               | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.                   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.  |       |       |
| OECD            | Australia  | 91.2       | (0.3)  | 493        | (5.5)                  | 539        | (1.9)  | 46         | (5.6)  | 7  | (5.0)  | 29         | (5.5)   | 5     | (4.9) |
|                 | Austria  | 88.2       | (0.4)  | 485        | (5.2)                  | 515        | (2.6)  | 30         | (5.1)  | 7  | (4.1)  | 22         | (4.9)   | 2     | (4.0) |
|                 | Belgium  | 85.8       | (0.5)  | 466        | (3.7)                  | 513        | (2.4)  | 47         | (3.3)  | 14   | (2.5)  | 32         | (3.1)   | 12    | (2.5) |
|                 | Canada   | 89.5       | (0.3)  | 498        | (4.9)                  | 543        | (2.2)  | 44         | (4.9)  | 13   | (4.2)  | 34         | (4.7)   | 11    | (4.0) |
|                 | Chile  | 80.1       | (0.6)  | 429        | (4.1)                  | 466        | (2.7)  | 37         | (4.1)  | 11   | (3.0)  | 25         | (3.8)   | 10    | (2.8) |
|                 | Czech Republic   | 86.0       | (0.5)  | 468        | (5.0)                  | 507        | (2.0)  | 39         | (4.7)  | 12   | (3.5)  | 25         | (4.2)   | 8     | (3.6) |
|                 | Denmark  | 86.5       | (0.5)  | 491        | (3.7)                  | 528        | (2.7)  | 37         | (4.1)  | 6  | (3.4)  | 29         | (4.1)   | 5     | (3.3) |
|                 | Estonia  | 91.7       | (0.4)  | 488        | (6.0)                  | 541        | (2.5)  | 54         | (5.8)  | 27   | (4.3)  | 43         | (5.3)   | 24    | (4.0) |
|                 | Finland  | 92.3       | (0.4)  | 498        | (6.4)                  | 539        | (2.5)  | 41         | (6.2)  | 11   | (4.8)  | 32         | (6.3)   | 8     | (4.6) |
|                 | France   | 83.0       | (0.5)  | 463        | (4.6)                  | 507        | (2.5)  | 44         | (4.8)  | 5  | (4.1)  | 24         | (4.3)   | 3     | (3.9) |
|                 | Germany  | 89.7       | (0.4)  | 506        | (6.3)                  | 538        | (2.7)  | 32         | (5.6)  | 8  | (4.4)  | 24         | (5.3)   | 3     | (4.3) |
|                 | Greece   | 86.8       | (0.5)  | 434        | (5.9)                  | 465        | (3.4)  | 31         | (5.0)  | 12   | (3.3)  | 24         | (4.7)   | 10    | (3.3) |
|                 | Hungary  | 85.0       | (0.5)  | 446        | (4.4)                  | 478        | (2.6)  | 31         | (4.8)  | 5  | (3.2)  | 14         | (4.3)   | 3     | (3.2) |
|                 | Iceland  | 79.3       | (0.6)  | 488        | (4.7)                  | 506        | (2.5)  | 18         | (4.9)  | 5  | (3.6)  | 14         | (4.8)   | 6     | (3.6) |
|                 | Ireland  | 89.5       | (0.4)  | m          | m                      | m          | m  | m          | m  | m  | m  | m          | m   | m     | m     |
|                 | Israel   | 88.3       | (0.5)  | 436        | (5.0)                  | 478        | (3.6)  | 42         | (4.6)  | -1   | (3.4)  | 27         | (4.3)   | -3    | (3.4) |
|                 | Italy  | 77.6       | (0.5)  | 449        | (4.6)                  | 489        | (2.4)  | 41         | (4.3)  | 13   | (3.7)  | 29         | (3.9)   | 10    | (3.5) |
|                 | Japan  | 78.3       | (0.5)  | 541        | (4.1)                  | 556        | (2.7)  | 15         | (3.8)  | 8  | (3.0)  | 9          | (3.5)   | 6     | (2.9) |
|                 | Korea  | 89.2       | (0.5)  | 514        | (4.5)                  | 542        | (2.6)  | 27         | (4.5)  | 4  | (3.0)  | 16         | (4.3)   | 3     | (2.9) |
|                 | Latvia   | 81.6       | (0.7)  | 464        | (4.6)                  | 491        | (2.4)  | 26         | (5.0)  | 4  | (3.5)  | 17         | (4.6)   | 1     | (3.4) |
|                 | Luxembourg   | 84.2       | (0.5)  | 455        | (3.8)                  | 501        | (1.5)  | 46         | (4.0)  | 10   | (3.1)  | 31         | (3.5)   | 7     | (2.9) |
|                 | Mexico   | 84.3       | (0.5)  | 415        | (3.8)                  | 437        | (2.6)  | 22         | (3.6)  | 3  | (3.0)  | 16         | (3.4)   | 2     | (2.9) |
|                 | Netherlands  | 94.0       | (0.3)  | 485        | (7.1)                  | 524        | (2.4)  | 38         | (6.9)  | 10   | (5.1)  | 25         | (6.2)   | 8     | (5.0) |
|                 | New Zealand  | 89.3       | (0.5)  | 486        | (6.9)                  | 543        | (2.6)  | 57         | (7.4)  | 21   | (6.2)  | 46         | (7.3)   | 21    | (6.1) |
|                 | Norway   | 92.5       | (0.4)  | 459        | (6.6)                  | 509        | (2.6)  | 50         | (7.0)  | 18   | (5.1)  | 41         | (6.7)   | 14    | (5.0) |
|                 | Poland   | 78.7       | (0.8)  | m          | m                      | m          | m  | m          | m  | m  | m  | m          | m   | m     | m     |
|                 | Portugal   | 93.0       | (0.3)  | 485        | (7.0)                  | 500        | (2.5)  | 15         | (5.9)  | 12   | (4.3)  | 11         | (6.0)   | 9     | (4.3) |
|                 | Slovak Republic  | 83.8       | (0.6)  | 432        | (3.9)                  | 474        | (2.4)  | 42         | (4.0)  | 9  | (2.9)  | 25         | (3.6)   | 8     | (2.9) |
|                 | Slovenia   | 89.9       | (0.5)  | 463        | (5.0)                  | 508        | (1.8)  | 45         | (5.0)  | 12   | (4.5)  | 30         | (5.2)   | 9     | (4.5) |
|                 | Spain  | 85.5       | (0.6)  | 460        | (4.4)                  | 504        | (2.2)  | 44         | (4.4)  | 12   | (4.1)  | 35         | (4.2)   | 12    | (3.9) |
|                 | Sweden   | 89.7       | (0.4)  | 471        | (5.7)                  | 519        | (3.3)  | 48         | (5.4)  | 12   | (4.0)  | 35         | (4.9)   | 9     | (4.1) |
|                 | Switzerland  | 88.2       | (0.5)  | m          | m                      | m          | m  | m          | m  | m  | m  | m          | m   | m     | m     |
|                 | Turkey   | 75.6       | (0.6)  | 405        | (4.2)                  | 429        | (3.4)  | 25         | (2.6)  | 4  | (2.3)  | 17         | (2.6)   | 4     | (2.3) |
|                 | United Kingdom   | 88.4       | (0.5)  | 481        | (4.7)                  | 528        | (2.7)  | 46         | (4.8)  | 14   | (3.9)  | 36         | (4.5)   | 13    | (3.8) |
|                 | United States  | 86.4       | (0.5)  | 489        | (6.7)                  | 529        | (3.4)  | 40         | (6.0)  | 1  | (4.1)  | 28         | (5.7)   | 1     | (4.0) |
| OECD average-32 | 86.5   | (0.1)      | 470  | (0.9)      | 508                    | (0.5)      | 38   | (0.9)      | 10   | (0.7)  | 26   | (0.8)      | 8   | (0.7) |       |
| OECD average-35 | 86.4   | (0.1)      | m  | m          | m                      | m          | m  | m          | m  | m  | m  | m          | m   | m     |       |
| Partners        | Brazil   | 83.6       | (0.4)  | 406        | (3.1)                  | 421        | (2.5)  | 15         | (3.1)  | 4  | (3.2)  | 12         | (3.0)   | 4     | (3.2) |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)  | 88.9       | (0.5)  | 452        | (5.8)                  | 502        | (3.9)  | 50         | (5.1)  | 8  | (4.0)  | 29         | (4.5)   | 6     | (4.2) |
|                 | Bulgaria   | 80.0       | (0.7)  | 426        | (4.8)                  | 457        | (3.6)  | 31         | (4.3)  | 10   | (3.2)  | 21         | (3.8)   | 10    | (3.3) |
|                 | Colombia   | 78.9       | (0.6)  | 409        | (3.1)                  | 436        | (2.3)  | 26         | (2.8)  | -2   | (2.2)  | 15         | (2.5)   | -4    | (2.2) |
|                 | Costa Rica   | 83.7       | (0.5)  | 408        | (4.1)                  | 445        | (2.6)  | 37         | (4.0)  | 12   | (3.9)  | 30         | (3.8)   | 11    | (3.9) |
|                 | Croatia  | 77.5       | (0.7)  | 443        | (3.8)                  | 483        | (2.4)  | 40         | (3.5)  | 5  | (2.9)  | 27         | (3.4)   | 3     | (2.9) |
|                 | Cyprus*  | 84.4       | (0.5)  | 422        | (3.8)                  | 451        | (1.9)  | 29         | (3.9)  | 3  | (3.3)  | 25         | (3.6)   | 2     | (3.3) |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | 84.1       | (0.7)  | m          | m                      | m          | m  | m          | m  | m  | m  | m          | m   | m     | m     |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)  | 89.8       | (0.5)  | 524        | (5.1)                  | 544        | (3.0)  | 19         | (4.7)  | 5  | (3.9)  | 13         | (5.0)   | 3     | (3.9) |
|                 | Lithuania  | 77.4       | (0.6)  | 445        | (3.1)                  | 477        | (2.6)  | 32         | (3.4)  | 6  | (2.8)  | 21         | (3.2)   | 5     | (2.8) |
|                 | Macao (China)  | 85.7       | (0.6)  | 513        | (4.6)                  | 538        | (1.4)  | 24         | (5.0)  | 6  | (4.0)  | 25         | (4.9)   | 6     | (4.0) |
|                 | Montenegro   | 81.0       | (0.6)  | 400        | (3.0)                  | 424        | (1.5)  | 23         | (3.5)  | 7  | (2.8)  | 19         | (3.4)   | 5     | (2.8) |
|                 | Peru   | 78.1       | (0.6)  | 390        | (3.1)                  | 428        | (2.6)  | 38         | (3.1)  | 1  | (2.4)  | 22         | (2.8)   | 0     | (2.3) |
|                 | Qatar  | 74.9       | (0.4)  | m          | m                      | m          | m  | m          | m  | m  | m  | m          | m   | m     | m     |
|                 | Russia   | 84.4       | (0.6)  | 443        | (5.1)                  | 482        | (3.5)  | 39         | (3.9)  | 20   | (3.4)  | 34         | (3.7)   | 18    | (3.2) |
|                 | Singapore  | 91.5       | (0.5)  | 517        | (4.9)                  | 566        | (1.4)  | 49         | (5.2)  | 4  | (3.9)  | 35         | (4.8)   | 3     | (3.9) |
|                 | Chinese Taipei   | 92.4       | (0.3)  | 507        | (4.9)                  | 528        | (2.5)  | 21         | (4.4)  | 1  | (3.7)  | 12         | (4.2)   | 0     | (3.6) |
|                 | Thailand   | 92.7       | (0.4)  | 413        | (7.0)                  | 439        | (3.4)  | 26         | (5.7)  | 7  | (4.5)  | 20         | (5.1)   | 7     | (4.5) |
|                 | Tunisia  | 73.7       | (0.7)  | 371        | (2.7)                  | 388        | (2.2)  | 18         | (3.0)  | 4  | (2.8)  | 14         | (2.7)   | 4     | (2.7) |
|                 | United Arab Emirates   | 86.2       | (0.4)  | 421        | (4.2)                  | 441        | (2.5)  | 20         | (4.0)  | 4  | (3.1)  | 16         | (3.8)   | 3     | (3.1) |
|                 | Uruguay  | 81.8       | (0.6)  | 425        | (3.6)                  | 451        | (2.3)  | 26         | (3.7)  | 6  | (3.5)  | 14         | (3.4)   | 4     | (3.4) |
|                 | Malaysia**   | 75.4       | (0.6)  | 423        | (3.7)                  | 446        | (3.5)  | 24         | (3.2)  | 4  | (2.5)  | 19         | (3.0)   | 5     | (2.5) |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level. Whether a student agreed/strongly agreed with the statement "I take into account what others are interested in" was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.5.2e Finding that teams make better decisions and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                 |                      | "I find that teams make better decisions than individuals"           |       |  |       |                        |       |  |       |  |  |  |       |   |       |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|-------|--|-------|------------------------|-------|--|-------|--|--|--|-------|---|-------|
|                 |                      | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the statement |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving |       |                        |       | Difference (agreed/strongly agreed – disagreed/strongly disagreed)                           |       |  |  |  |       |   |       |
|                 |                      |  |       |  |       |                        |       | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |       |  | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |  |       |   |       |
|                 |                      |  |       | Disagreed/strongly disagreed                 |       | Agreed/strongly agreed |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving   |       | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup> |  | Performance in collaborative problem solving |       | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving |       |
| %               | S.E.                 | Mean score   | S.E.  | Mean score                                   | S.E.  | Score dif.             | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.                                   | S.E.  |   |       |
| OECD            | Australia            | 73.6   | (0.5) | 547  | (3.2) | 530                    | (1.9) | -16  | (3.0) | 6  | (2.6)  | -9   | (2.8) | 8   | (2.5) |
|                 | Austria              | 75.1   | (0.6) | 521  | (3.8) | 509                    | (2.8) | -13  | (4.1) | 3  | (3.5)  | -3   | (4.0) | 3   | (3.3) |
|                 | Belgium              | 71.1   | (0.5) | 512  | (3.1) | 505                    | (2.6) | -7   | (2.8) | 3  | (1.9)  | -1   | (2.5) | 4   | (2.0) |
|                 | Canada               | 71.9   | (0.5) | 553  | (2.9) | 532                    | (2.4) | -21  | (2.8) | 3  | (2.7)  | -16  | (2.8) | 5   | (2.5) |
|                 | Chile                | 74.7   | (0.7) | 457  | (4.3) | 459                    | (2.7) | 2  | (3.9) | 4  | (3.1)  | 6  | (3.8) | 6   | (3.1) |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 76.4   | (0.7) | 502  | (4.1) | 502                    | (2.2) | 0  | (4.1) | 8  | (3.7)  | 6  | (3.6) | 9   | (3.6) |
|                 | Denmark              | 66.8   | (0.8) | 529  | (3.4) | 520                    | (2.6) | -9   | (3.3) | 3  | (2.6)  | -4   | (3.3) | 3   | (2.6) |
|                 | Estonia              | 72.5   | (0.7) | 541  | (3.4) | 535                    | (2.8) | -6   | (3.7) | 6  | (2.7)  | -3   | (3.6) | 7   | (2.6) |
|                 | Finland              | 71.7   | (0.6) | 542  | (3.4) | 534                    | (2.8) | -8   | (3.4) | 0  | (2.3)  | -1   | (3.3) | 3   | (2.4) |
|                 | France               | 72.1   | (0.6) | 507  | (3.8) | 496                    | (2.3) | -11  | (3.4) | 0  | (3.0)  | -4   | (3.3) | 1   | (3.1) |
|                 | Germany              | 71.8   | (0.7) | 545  | (3.8) | 531                    | (2.8) | -14  | (3.2) | -2   | (2.6)  | -8   | (2.9) | 0   | (2.4) |
|                 | Greece               | 82.7   | (0.6) | 454  | (5.4) | 462                    | (3.4) | 8  | (4.5) | 8  | (2.9)  | 10   | (3.6) | 8   | (2.8) |
|                 | Hungary              | 77.0   | (0.7) | 482  | (3.8) | 470                    | (2.6) | -12  | (4.1) | 4  | (2.8)  | -5   | (3.3) | 4   | (2.9) |
|                 | Iceland              | 62.6   | (0.9) | 511  | (3.6) | 496                    | (2.6) | -16  | (4.0) | 0  | (2.4)  | -12  | (3.9) | 1   | (2.4) |
|                 | Ireland              | 74.2   | (0.7) | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m   | m     |
|                 | Israel               | 73.4   | (0.6) | 484  | (4.3) | 469                    | (4.0) | -14  | (4.3) | -4   | (3.5)  | -7   | (3.9) | -3  | (3.5) |
|                 | Italy                | 73.6   | (0.6) | 487  | (4.3) | 478                    | (2.4) | -9   | (4.0) | 1  | (3.5)  | -3   | (3.9) | 1   | (3.6) |
|                 | Japan                | 80.6   | (0.6) | 545  | (4.1) | 554                    | (2.7) | 9  | (3.9) | 8  | (3.2)  | 8  | (3.5) | 6   | (3.2) |
|                 | Korea                | 83.0   | (0.5) | 540  | (4.2) | 538                    | (2.6) | -2   | (3.7) | 8  | (2.7)  | 0  | (3.5) | 9   | (2.6) |
|                 | Latvia               | 70.6   | (0.7) | 499  | (3.3) | 480                    | (2.4) | -19  | (3.2) | 0  | (2.3)  | -13  | (3.2) | 1   | (2.3) |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 71.1   | (0.7) | 503  | (3.0) | 490                    | (1.8) | -13  | (3.6) | 1  | (3.1)  | -8   | (3.4) | 1   | (3.1) |
|                 | Mexico               | 82.3   | (0.6) | 436  | (4.2) | 433                    | (2.5) | -3   | (3.8) | -1   | (3.3)  | 4  | (3.4) | 1   | (3.3) |
|                 | Netherlands          | 62.7   | (0.7) | 529  | (3.1) | 517                    | (2.9) | -12  | (3.4) | -2   | (2.0)  | -6   | (3.1) | 0   | (2.0) |
|                 | New Zealand          | 75.9   | (0.7) | 545  | (4.4) | 534                    | (2.6) | -11  | (4.5) | 6  | (3.2)  | -5   | (4.0) | 9   | (3.1) |
|                 | Norway               | 66.4   | (0.8) | 508  | (3.1) | 504                    | (2.8) | -5   | (3.3) | 8  | (2.3)  | -2   | (3.1) | 9   | (2.4) |
|                 | Poland               | 71.5   | (0.7) | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m   | m     |
|                 | Portugal             | 83.0   | (0.6) | 506  | (4.3) | 498                    | (2.7) | -8   | (3.7) | 9  | (3.2)  | -1   | (3.6) | 10  | (3.1) |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | 74.3   | (0.7) | 463  | (3.7) | 469                    | (2.4) | 7  | (3.5) | 5  | (2.5)  | 5  | (2.9) | 5   | (2.4) |
|                 | Slovenia             | 75.2   | (0.7) | 511  | (3.1) | 501                    | (2.2) | -9   | (3.8) | 6  | (2.8)  | 1  | (3.5) | 8   | (2.8) |
|                 | Spain                | 75.4   | (0.7) | 497  | (3.2) | 498                    | (2.4) | 2  | (3.4) | 4  | (2.8)  | 4  | (3.4) | 6   | (2.9) |
|                 | Sweden               | 63.3   | (0.7) | 520  | (4.4) | 510                    | (3.4) | -10  | (3.7) | 5  | (3.2)  | -5   | (3.5) | 7   | (3.1) |
|                 | Switzerland          | 75.5   | (0.7) | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m   | m     |
| Turkey          | 71.0                 | (0.7)  | 419   | (4.1)  | 425   | (3.5)                  | 5     | (2.9)  | -1    | (2.3)  | 5  | (2.8)  | 0     | (2.3)   |       |
| United Kingdom  | 74.0                 | (0.6)  | 535   | (3.8)  | 518   | (2.8)                  | -17   | (3.5)  | 1     | (2.6)  | -13  | (3.3)  | 2     | (2.6)   |       |
| United States   | 74.9                 | (0.7)  | 539   | (5.1)  | 518   | (3.6)                  | -22   | (4.3)  | 3     | (3.2)  | -17  | (4.0)  | 5     | (3.3)   |       |
| OECD average-32 | 73.5                 | (0.1)  | 508   | (0.7)  | 501   | (0.5)                  | -8    | (0.7)  | 3     | (0.5)  | -3   | (0.6)  | 4     | (0.5)   |       |
| OECD average-35 | 73.5                 | (0.1)  | m     | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m   |       |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 79.5   | (0.4) | 422  | (3.5) | 418                    | (2.4) | -4   | (3.0) | 1  | (2.7)  | 2  | (2.8) | 2   | (2.7) |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 86.5   | (0.4) | 488  | (6.2) | 498                    | (3.9) | 10   | (4.5) | 6  | (3.5)  | 10   | (4.0) | 6   | (3.4) |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 73.0   | (0.7) | 458  | (4.4) | 448                    | (3.7) | -10  | (3.6) | 1  | (2.5)  | -1   | (3.3) | 2   | (2.5) |
|                 | Colombia             | 83.5   | (0.5) | 430  | (3.9) | 430                    | (2.3) | 0  | (3.6) | 0  | (2.5)  | 6  | (3.0) | 1   | (2.4) |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 82.3   | (0.6) | 448  | (4.3) | 437                    | (2.6) | -11  | (3.9) | 6  | (3.4)  | -3   | (3.9) | 6   | (3.5) |
|                 | Croatia              | 80.9   | (0.6) | 472  | (4.0) | 475                    | (2.5) | 3  | (3.6) | 11   | (2.3)  | 10   | (3.2) | 12  | (2.3) |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 77.8   | (0.5) | 447  | (4.1) | 447                    | (1.9) | 0  | (4.2) | 1  | (3.6)  | 6  | (3.9) | 1   | (3.7) |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | 82.0   | (0.7) | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m   | m     |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 80.3   | (0.6) | 547  | (3.7) | 540                    | (3.2) | -7   | (3.7) | 1  | (2.7)  | -7   | (3.6) | 1   | (2.7) |
|                 | Lithuania            | 78.6   | (0.6) | 472  | (4.5) | 469                    | (2.5) | -4   | (4.5) | 1  | (3.3)  | 1  | (4.2) | 2   | (3.3) |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 74.2   | (0.6) | 533  | (2.8) | 534                    | (1.6) | 2  | (3.6) | 2  | (2.9)  | 0  | (3.6) | 1   | (2.9) |
|                 | Montenegro           | 76.0   | (0.6) | 425  | (2.8) | 417                    | (1.4) | -8   | (2.9) | 2  | (2.7)  | -1   | (2.8) | 3   | (2.6) |
|                 | Peru                 | 79.3   | (0.6) | 417  | (3.9) | 420                    | (2.5) | 4  | (3.2) | -2   | (2.5)  | 4  | (2.7) | -1  | (2.4) |
|                 | Qatar                | 80.4   | (0.4) | m  | m     | m                      | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m  | m     | m   | m     |
|                 | Russia               | 67.7   | (0.8) | 478  | (4.2) | 475                    | (3.6) | -2   | (3.5) | 5  | (2.7)  | 4  | (3.1) | 7   | (2.6) |
|                 | Singapore            | 82.3   | (0.6) | 578  | (2.9) | 558                    | (1.4) | -20  | (3.4) | 7  | (2.6)  | -11  | (3.1) | 7   | (2.5) |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 84.1   | (0.5) | 543  | (4.0) | 524                    | (2.4) | -20  | (3.2) | -1   | (2.2)  | -12  | (2.8) | 0   | (2.2) |
|                 | Thailand             | 90.5   | (0.4) | 428  | (6.6) | 438                    | (3.4) | 10   | (5.4) | 0  | (3.7)  | 10   | (5.0) | 1   | (3.8) |
|                 | Tunisia              | 84.4   | (0.5) | 389  | (3.4) | 383                    | (2.0) | -6   | (2.9) | -8   | (2.4)  | -2   | (2.7) | -6  | (2.4) |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 86.5   | (0.4) | 451  | (4.1) | 436                    | (2.5) | -15  | (3.7) | -6   | (3.6)  | -7   | (3.4) | -5  | (3.5) |
| Uruguay         | 80.0                 | (0.5)  | 463   | (3.7)  | 443   | (2.3)                  | -20   | (3.7)  | 6     | (2.6)  | -11  | (3.4)  | 7     | (2.6)   |       |
| Malaysia**      | 91.0                 | (0.4)  | 426   | (6.1)  | 442   | (3.3)                  | 16    | (5.2)  | 2     | (3.0)  | 17   | (4.8)  | 2     | (2.9)   |       |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level. Whether a student agreed/strongly agreed with the statement "I find that teams make better decisions than individuals" was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.5.3 Variation in attitudes towards co-operation

|                    | Index of valuing relationships |        | Variation in the index of valuing relationships |        |                                       |        |                         |        | Index of valuing teamwork |       | Variation in the index of valuing teamwork                    |        |                 |        |                          |        |                         |        |  |       |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------|---|--------|---------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|---------------------------|-------|---|--------|-----------------|--------|--------------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|--|-------|
|                    |                                |        | Total variation <sup>1</sup>                    |        | Between-school variation <sup>2</sup> |        | Within-school variation |        |                           |       | Percentage of variation that lies within schools <sup>3</sup> |        | Total variation |        | Between-school variation |        | Within-school variation |        | Percentage of variation that lies within schools |       |
|                    |                                |        | Mean index                                      | S.E.   | Variance                              | S.E.   | Variance                | S.E.   |                           |       | Variance  | S.E.   | %               | S.E.   | Variance                 | S.E.   | Variance                | S.E.   | Variance   | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>        |                                |        |   |        |                                       |        |                         |        |                           |       |   |        |                 |        |                          |        |                         |        |  |       |
| Australia          | 0.09                           | (0.01) | 0.93  | (0.01) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 0.89                    | (0.01) | 96.5                      | (0.5) | 0.01  | (0.01) | 0.96            | (0.01) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.94                    | (0.02) | 98.6   | (0.4) |
| Austria            | 0.24                           | (0.01) | 1.22  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 1.19                    | (0.02) | 97.7                      | (0.5) | 0.19  | (0.01) | 1.20            | (0.02) | 0.04                     | (0.01) | 1.16                    | (0.02) | 96.9   | (0.6) |
| Belgium            | -0.06                          | (0.01) | 0.89  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.86                    | (0.02) | 97.2                      | (0.5) | -0.11   | (0.01) | 0.98            | (0.02) | 0.03                     | (0.01) | 0.95                    | (0.02) | 97.0   | (0.5) |
| Canada             | 0.11                           | (0.01) | 1.03  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 1.03                    | (0.02) | 98.3                      | (0.4) | 0.00  | (0.01) | 1.09            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 1.08                    | (0.02) | 99.2   | (0.3) |
| Chile              | 0.08                           | (0.02) | 1.10  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 1.05                    | (0.02) | 96.2                      | (0.7) | 0.21  | (0.02) | 0.93            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.00) | 0.92                    | (0.02) | 98.3   | (0.5) |
| Czech Republic     | -0.20                          | (0.01) | 0.82  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 0.76                    | (0.02) | 96.2                      | (0.9) | 0.00  | (0.02) | 0.90            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.88                    | (0.02) | 98.3   | (0.6) |
| Denmark            | 0.01                           | (0.01) | 0.83  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.81                    | (0.02) | 98.5                      | (0.6) | -0.12   | (0.01) | 0.90            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.88                    | (0.02) | 98.0   | (0.6) |
| Estonia            | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 0.90  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 0.89                    | (0.02) | 97.7                      | (0.6) | -0.10   | (0.02) | 0.93            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.93                    | (0.02) | 98.5   | (0.5) |
| Finland            | -0.08                          | (0.01) | 0.84  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.83                    | (0.02) | 98.9                      | (0.6) | -0.22   | (0.02) | 0.86            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.85                    | (0.02) | 98.8   | (0.4) |
| France             | -0.07                          | (0.01) | 1.03  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 1.00                    | (0.02) | 97.3                      | (0.6) | 0.11  | (0.02) | 1.17            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 1.13                    | (0.02) | 98.5   | (0.5) |
| Germany            | 0.15                           | (0.02) | 1.10  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 1.07                    | (0.02) | 97.6                      | (0.7) | 0.14  | (0.02) | 1.04            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.01) | 1.02                    | (0.02) | 98.7   | (0.6) |
| Greece             | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 0.94  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 0.92                    | (0.02) | 98.2                      | (0.6) | 0.18  | (0.01) | 1.01            | (0.02) | 0.00                     | (0.00) | 1.01                    | (0.02) | 99.5   | (0.4) |
| Hungary            | -0.03                          | (0.02) | 1.02  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 0.96                    | (0.02) | 95.8                      | (0.7) | -0.02   | (0.02) | 1.02            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 1.01                    | (0.02) | 99.3   | (0.4) |
| Iceland            | -0.09                          | (0.02) | 1.10  | (0.03) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 1.10                    | (0.05) | 98.5                      | (0.6) | -0.20   | (0.02) | 0.99            | (0.03) | 0.00                     | (0.01) | 1.00                    | (0.04) | 99.7   | (0.5) |
| Ireland            | 0.03                           | (0.01) | 0.87  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.86                    | (0.02) | 98.8                      | (0.5) | 0.04  | (0.01) | 1.01            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.01) | 1.01                    | (0.02) | 99.2   | (0.6) |
| Israel             | 0.24                           | (0.02) | 1.20  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 1.16                    | (0.03) | 97.8                      | (0.6) | -0.03   | (0.02) | 1.03            | (0.02) | 0.04                     | (0.01) | 0.99                    | (0.02) | 96.5   | (0.6) |
| Italy              | -0.14                          | (0.01) | 0.90  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.88                    | (0.02) | 98.0                      | (0.5) | -0.02   | (0.02) | 0.95            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.92                    | (0.02) | 97.5   | (0.5) |
| Japan              | -0.22                          | (0.02) | 1.12  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 1.09                    | (0.02) | 97.3                      | (0.6) | -0.03   | (0.02) | 1.01            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.00) | 0.99                    | (0.02) | 97.6   | (0.6) |
| Korea              | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 0.88  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.85                    | (0.02) | 97.4                      | (0.5) | 0.14  | (0.01) | 0.83            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.81                    | (0.02) | 98.6   | (0.5) |
| Latvia             | -0.30                          | (0.02) | 0.82  | (0.03) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 0.80                    | (0.02) | 97.2                      | (0.7) | -0.14   | (0.02) | 1.00            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.97                    | (0.03) | 98.4   | (0.7) |
| Luxembourg         | 0.03                           | (0.01) | 1.19  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 1.20                    | (0.05) | 98.6                      | (0.4) | 0.00  | (0.01) | 1.22            | (0.02) | 0.00                     | (0.00) | 1.22                    | (0.04) | 99.7   | (0.2) |
| Mexico             | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 1.08  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 1.04                    | (0.02) | 96.7                      | (0.6) | 0.23  | (0.01) | 0.91            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.90                    | (0.02) | 98.1   | (0.6) |
| Netherlands        | -0.18                          | (0.01) | 0.60  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.58                    | (0.02) | 97.7                      | (0.7) | -0.26   | (0.01) | 0.63            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.63                    | (0.02) | 98.9   | (0.6) |
| New Zealand        | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 0.93  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 0.90                    | (0.02) | 96.8                      | (0.8) | 0.07  | (0.02) | 0.99            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.96                    | (0.02) | 98.1   | (0.7) |
| Norway             | 0.11                           | (0.02) | 1.04  | (0.02) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 1.02                    | (0.02) | 97.6                      | (0.7) | -0.23   | (0.02) | 1.12            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 1.10                    | (0.02) | 98.1   | (0.6) |
| Poland             | -0.21                          | (0.02) | 0.84  | (0.03) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.83                    | (0.02) | 99.1                      | (0.5) | -0.06   | (0.02) | 0.98            | (0.03) | 0.01                     | (0.01) | 0.98                    | (0.03) | 98.7   | (0.5) |
| Portugal           | 0.37                           | (0.02) | 0.96  | (0.01) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 0.92                    | (0.02) | 97.5                      | (0.7) | 0.32  | (0.02) | 0.98            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.96                    | (0.02) | 98.7   | (0.5) |
| Slovak Republic    | -0.34                          | (0.01) | 0.86  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 0.82                    | (0.02) | 95.0                      | (1.0) | -0.12   | (0.02) | 0.90            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.88                    | (0.02) | 97.8   | (0.6) |
| Slovenia           | -0.04                          | (0.01) | 0.88  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 0.84                    | (0.02) | 95.3                      | (0.9) | 0.02  | (0.01) | 0.90            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.88                    | (0.02) | 97.9   | (0.7) |
| Spain              | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 0.99  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.96                    | (0.02) | 97.5                      | (0.5) | 0.15  | (0.02) | 1.00            | (0.02) | 0.03                     | (0.01) | 0.98                    | (0.02) | 97.4   | (0.6) |
| Sweden             | 0.05                           | (0.02) | 1.09  | (0.03) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 1.08                    | (0.02) | 97.9                      | (0.6) | -0.19   | (0.02) | 0.99            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 0.97                    | (0.02) | 98.1   | (0.7) |
| Switzerland        | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 1.12  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 1.06                    | (0.02) | 96.0                      | (0.7) | 0.22  | (0.02) | 0.99            | (0.02) | 0.04                     | (0.01) | 0.94                    | (0.02) | 96.0   | (0.7) |
| Turkey             | 0.00                           | (0.02) | 1.27  | (0.03) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 1.19                    | (0.03) | 96.6                      | (0.7) | -0.04   | (0.01) | 0.88            | (0.02) | 0.00                     | (0.00) | 0.87                    | (0.02) | 99.5   | (0.3) |
| United Kingdom     | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 0.93  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.91                    | (0.02) | 97.5                      | (0.5) | -0.04   | (0.01) | 0.96            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.01) | 0.94                    | (0.02) | 98.6   | (0.6) |
| United States      | 0.13                           | (0.02) | 1.01  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 1.00                    | (0.02) | 98.4                      | (0.5) | 0.06  | (0.02) | 1.05            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 1.04                    | (0.02) | 98.6   | (0.4) |
| OECD average-32    | 0.01                           | (0.00) | 0.98  | (0.00) | 0.03                                  | (0.00) | 0.96                    | (0.00) | 97.4                      | (0.1) | 0.00  | (0.00) | 0.98            | (0.00) | 0.02                     | (0.00) | 0.96                    | (0.00) | 98.4   | (0.1) |
| OECD average-35    | 0.01                           | (0.00) | 0.98  | (0.00) | 0.03                                  | (0.00) | 0.95                    | (0.00) | 97.4                      | (0.1) | 0.01  | (0.00) | 0.98            | (0.00) | 0.02                     | (0.00) | 0.96                    | (0.00) | 98.3   | (0.1) |
| <b>Partners</b>    |                                |        |   |        |                                       |        |                         |        |                           |       |   |        |                 |        |                          |        |                         |        |  |       |
| Brazil             | -0.04                          | (0.01) | 0.92  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.89                    | (0.01) | 97.5                      | (0.5) | 0.20  | (0.01) | 0.82            | (0.01) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.80                    | (0.01) | 99.2   | (0.3) |
| B-S-J-G (China)    | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 0.92  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 0.88                    | (0.02) | 95.4                      | (0.9) | 0.39  | (0.01) | 0.86            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.85                    | (0.02) | 98.3   | (0.5) |
| Bulgaria           | -0.03                          | (0.02) | 1.12  | (0.03) | 0.03                                  | (0.01) | 1.05                    | (0.03) | 97.1                      | (0.7) | -0.07   | (0.02) | 1.06            | (0.03) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 1.02                    | (0.02) | 98.4   | (0.5) |
| Colombia           | 0.05                           | (0.01) | 1.05  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 1.02                    | (0.02) | 97.9                      | (0.5) | 0.23  | (0.01) | 0.85            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.84                    | (0.02) | 98.6   | (0.5) |
| Costa Rica         | 0.35                           | (0.02) | 1.17  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 1.14                    | (0.02) | 98.8                      | (0.4) | 0.34  | (0.02) | 1.06            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 1.03                    | (0.02) | 98.0   | (0.6) |
| Croatia            | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 1.03  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 0.99                    | (0.02) | 96.1                      | (0.6) | 0.21  | (0.02) | 0.97            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.95                    | (0.02) | 98.7   | (0.5) |
| Cyprus*            | 0.07                           | (0.01) | 1.14  | (0.02) | 0.04                                  | (0.01) | 1.11                    | (0.03) | 96.9                      | (1.0) | 0.10  | (0.01) | 1.03            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 1.01                    | (0.02) | 97.8   | (0.7) |
| Dominican Republic | 0.27                           | (0.02) | 1.56  | (0.04) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 1.53                    | (0.05) | 99.0                      | (0.8) | 0.51  | (0.02) | 1.21            | (0.04) | 0.01                     | (0.01) | 1.17                    | (0.03) | 99.6   | (0.5) |
| Hong Kong (China)  | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 0.93  | (0.03) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.93                    | (0.03) | 99.3                      | (0.4) | 0.05  | (0.02) | 1.03            | (0.03) | 0.00                     | (0.00) | 1.02                    | (0.03) | 99.8   | (0.3) |
| Lithuania          | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 1.39  | (0.03) | 0.05                                  | (0.01) | 1.33                    | (0.03) | 96.5                      | (0.8) | 0.33  | (0.02) | 1.35            | (0.03) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 1.34                    | (0.03) | 98.5   | (0.5) |
| Macao (China)      | -0.15                          | (0.01) | 0.77  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.76                    | (0.03) | 98.4                      | (0.5) | 0.01  | (0.01) | 0.78            | (0.02) | 0.00                     | (0.00) | 0.77                    | (0.03) | 99.9   | (0.3) |
| Montenegro         | -0.05                          | (0.01) | 1.05  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 1.03                    | (0.03) | 99.1                      | (0.4) | -0.09   | (0.01) | 0.94            | (0.02) | 0.01                     | (0.00) | 0.93                    | (0.03) | 99.0   | (0.5) |
| Peru               | -0.08                          | (0.01) | 0.96  | (0.02) | 0.05                                  | (0.01) | 0.91                    | (0.02) | 94.8                      | (0.7) | 0.09  | (0.01) | 0.77            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.00) | 0.75                    | (0.02) | 97.9   | (0.5) |
| Qatar              | 0.12                           | (0.01) | 1.36  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.01) | 1.20                    | (0.08) | 98.0                      | (0.4) | 0.23  | (0.01) | 1.07            | (0.01) | 0.04                     | (0.01) | 0.95                    | (0.05) | 96.0   | (1.0) |
| Russia             | -0.25                          | (0.02) | 0.86  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 0.86                    | (0.02) | 98.9                      | (0.5) | -0.18   | (0.02) | 0.82            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.00) | 0.82                    | (0.02) | 98.2   | (0.5) |
| Singapore          | 0.32                           | (0.01) | 1.02  | (0.02) | 0.01                                  | (0.00) | 1.01                    | (0.02) | 98.8                      | (0.5) | 0.27  | (0.01) | 1.06            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.01) | 1.05                    | (0.02) | 98.4   | (0.6) |
| Chinese Taipei     | 0.22                           | (0.02) | 1.00  | (0.01) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.98                    | (0.02) | 98.3                      | (0.4) | 0.37  | (0.02) | 1.00            | (0.02) | 0.02                     | (0.00) | 0.98                    | (0.02) | 98.4   | (0.4) |
| Thailand           | 0.10                           | (0.02) | 0.71  | (0.02) | 0.02                                  | (0.00) | 0.69                    | (0.02) | 97.2                      | (0.7) | 0.37  | (0.02) |                 |        |                          |        |                         |        |  |       |



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Table V.5.4a Index of valuing relationships, by gender

|                    | Boys                           |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       | Girls                          |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--------------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|
|                    | Index of valuing relationships |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |  |       | Index of valuing relationships |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
|                    |                                |        | I am a good listener   |       | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful |       | I take into account what others are interested in |       | I enjoy considering different perspectives |       |                                |        | I am a good listener   |       | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful |       | I take into account what others are interested in |       | I enjoy considering different perspectives |       |
|                    | Mean index                     | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | Mean index                     | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |  |       |
| <b>OECD</b>        |                                |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |                                |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Australia          | 0.00                           | (0.01) | 84.4   | (0.5) | 90.1                                       | (0.4) | 89.6  | (0.5) | 88.9                                       | (0.5) | 0.17                           | (0.01) | 90.7   | (0.4) | 93.2                                       | (0.4) | 92.5  | (0.3) | 92.4                                       | (0.4) |
| Austria            | 0.04                           | (0.02) | 86.0   | (0.6) | 78.2                                       | (0.9) | 84.8  | (0.7) | 80.6                                       | (0.7) | 0.45                           | (0.02) | 91.3   | (0.5) | 87.5                                       | (0.8) | 91.5  | (0.6) | 82.3                                       | (0.7) |
| Belgium            | -0.16                          | (0.02) | 82.2   | (0.6) | 88.2                                       | (0.6) | 84.2  | (0.7) | 88.5                                       | (0.4) | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 87.7   | (0.5) | 92.9                                       | (0.4) | 87.1  | (0.6) | 89.4                                       | (0.5) |
| Canada             | 0.02                           | (0.02) | 87.0   | (0.5) | 88.7                                       | (0.4) | 88.0  | (0.5) | 88.4                                       | (0.5) | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 91.4   | (0.4) | 92.2                                       | (0.4) | 90.9  | (0.4) | 92.1                                       | (0.4) |
| Chile              | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 84.7   | (0.7) | 88.1                                       | (0.6) | 78.8  | (0.9) | 89.4                                       | (0.7) | 0.18                           | (0.02) | 88.3   | (0.7) | 92.8                                       | (0.6) | 81.0  | (0.8) | 90.9                                       | (0.6) |
| Czech Republic     | -0.33                          | (0.02) | 88.5   | (0.6) | 74.0                                       | (0.9) | 82.0  | (0.8) | 83.8                                       | (0.9) | -0.06                          | (0.02) | 95.2   | (0.5) | 81.4                                       | (0.9) | 90.2  | (0.7) | 87.9                                       | (0.7) |
| Denmark            | -0.08                          | (0.02) | 88.6   | (0.6) | 90.0                                       | (0.6) | 84.9  | (0.7) | 86.8                                       | (0.7) | 0.10                           | (0.02) | 93.8   | (0.5) | 92.3                                       | (0.5) | 88.1  | (0.7) | 92.0                                       | (0.6) |
| Estonia            | -0.11                          | (0.02) | 84.4   | (0.7) | 86.6                                       | (0.8) | 89.4  | (0.7) | 85.8                                       | (0.9) | 0.17                           | (0.02) | 91.7   | (0.5) | 91.4                                       | (0.6) | 94.0  | (0.4) | 88.5                                       | (0.6) |
| Finland            | -0.22                          | (0.02) | 86.9   | (0.8) | 84.0                                       | (0.8) | 90.5  | (0.6) | 77.4                                       | (1.0) | 0.06                           | (0.02) | 94.5   | (0.4) | 89.1                                       | (0.7) | 94.2  | (0.5) | 81.2                                       | (0.9) |
| France             | -0.14                          | (0.02) | 84.8   | (0.8) | 84.1                                       | (0.7) | 81.6  | (0.7) | 87.7                                       | (0.7) | 0.00                           | (0.02) | 87.7   | (0.6) | 89.5                                       | (0.6) | 83.9  | (0.8) | 88.9                                       | (0.6) |
| Germany            | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 87.7   | (0.6) | 78.4                                       | (0.9) | 86.9  | (0.7) | 81.6                                       | (0.7) | 0.30                           | (0.02) | 91.8   | (0.5) | 86.1                                       | (0.6) | 91.8  | (0.5) | 81.3                                       | (0.8) |
| Greece             | -0.06                          | (0.02) | 81.6   | (0.9) | 88.7                                       | (0.7) | 84.3  | (0.7) | 88.5                                       | (0.7) | 0.13                           | (0.02) | 89.0   | (0.7) | 91.4                                       | (0.6) | 89.3  | (0.6) | 93.3                                       | (0.5) |
| Hungary            | -0.13                          | (0.02) | 80.9   | (0.9) | 85.7                                       | (0.8) | 82.1  | (0.8) | 87.0                                       | (0.6) | 0.07                           | (0.02) | 87.3   | (0.7) | 88.6                                       | (0.7) | 87.8  | (0.6) | 88.8                                       | (0.7) |
| Iceland            | -0.11                          | (0.03) | 81.1   | (1.0) | 85.2                                       | (0.8) | 77.8  | (1.0) | 87.1                                       | (0.9) | -0.06                          | (0.02) | 82.0   | (0.9) | 88.8                                       | (0.7) | 80.7  | (1.0) | 90.5                                       | (0.7) |
| Ireland            | -0.12                          | (0.02) | 80.7   | (0.7) | 90.4                                       | (0.7) | 87.4  | (0.6) | 87.7                                       | (0.7) | 0.18                           | (0.02) | 88.6   | (0.6) | 95.7                                       | (0.4) | 91.7  | (0.5) | 90.4                                       | (0.6) |
| Israel             | 0.09                           | (0.03) | 89.7   | (0.7) | 88.8                                       | (0.7) | 86.2  | (0.9) | 81.6                                       | (0.9) | 0.38                           | (0.02) | 94.8   | (0.5) | 93.6                                       | (0.5) | 90.2  | (0.5) | 85.0                                       | (0.7) |
| Italy              | -0.25                          | (0.02) | 80.5   | (0.7) | 82.1                                       | (0.8) | 74.8  | (0.8) | 89.4                                       | (0.6) | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 90.3   | (0.6) | 88.2                                       | (0.6) | 80.4  | (0.7) | 92.6                                       | (0.5) |
| Japan              | -0.32                          | (0.02) | 73.3   | (1.0) | 81.4                                       | (0.8) | 75.9  | (0.8) | 68.8                                       | (0.8) | -0.13                          | (0.02) | 80.4   | (0.9) | 90.7                                       | (0.6) | 80.2  | (0.6) | 66.1                                       | (0.9) |
| Korea              | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 94.4   | (0.4) | 83.7                                       | (0.8) | 87.0  | (0.7) | 90.7                                       | (0.6) | -0.01                          | (0.02) | 95.7   | (0.4) | 80.6                                       | (0.8) | 91.5  | (0.6) | 91.7                                       | (0.5) |
| Latvia             | -0.43                          | (0.02) | 75.6   | (0.9) | 79.6                                       | (0.8) | 77.1  | (0.9) | 78.9                                       | (0.9) | -0.17                          | (0.02) | 85.7   | (0.9) | 87.9                                       | (0.8) | 85.7  | (0.9) | 85.0                                       | (0.7) |
| Luxembourg         | -0.10                          | (0.02) | 83.2   | (0.7) | 79.6                                       | (0.8) | 80.6  | (0.7) | 81.3                                       | (0.8) | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 88.6   | (0.6) | 87.7                                       | (0.6) | 87.7  | (0.7) | 84.2                                       | (0.8) |
| Mexico             | 0.06                           | (0.02) | 87.5   | (0.6) | 91.8                                       | (0.6) | 82.5  | (0.8) | 91.7                                       | (0.5) | 0.27                           | (0.02) | 89.9   | (0.7) | 93.5                                       | (0.5) | 86.3  | (0.6) | 93.7                                       | (0.5) |
| Netherlands        | -0.24                          | (0.02) | 86.0   | (0.8) | 89.9                                       | (0.6) | 92.6  | (0.5) | 79.8                                       | (0.8) | -0.13                          | (0.02) | 91.9   | (0.5) | 92.7                                       | (0.5) | 95.3  | (0.4) | 81.5                                       | (0.7) |
| New Zealand        | -0.11                          | (0.02) | 80.0   | (1.0) | 89.3                                       | (0.7) | 88.5  | (0.7) | 87.8                                       | (0.8) | 0.13                           | (0.02) | 85.7   | (0.9) | 93.0                                       | (0.6) | 89.9  | (0.7) | 91.4                                       | (0.6) |
| Norway             | -0.06                          | (0.02) | 84.5   | (0.8) | 84.7                                       | (0.8) | 89.8  | (0.7) | 85.1                                       | (0.9) | 0.28                           | (0.02) | 90.9   | (0.6) | 91.2                                       | (0.6) | 95.1  | (0.5) | 92.1                                       | (0.5) |
| Poland             | -0.26                          | (0.02) | 87.0   | (0.8) | 82.1                                       | (0.9) | 77.2  | (1.0) | 86.8                                       | (0.7) | -0.15                          | (0.02) | 89.6   | (0.7) | 83.9                                       | (0.9) | 80.2  | (1.0) | 89.5                                       | (0.6) |
| Portugal           | 0.23                           | (0.02) | 90.3   | (0.6) | 94.4                                       | (0.5) | 91.2  | (0.6) | 92.6                                       | (0.6) | 0.52                           | (0.02) | 96.2   | (0.3) | 97.9                                       | (0.3) | 94.8  | (0.4) | 94.8                                       | (0.4) |
| Slovak Republic    | -0.41                          | (0.02) | 76.4   | (0.8) | 75.8                                       | (1.0) | 80.8  | (0.8) | 81.6                                       | (0.8) | -0.27                          | (0.02) | 79.4   | (0.9) | 81.3                                       | (0.9) | 86.8  | (0.7) | 84.1                                       | (0.8) |
| Slovenia           | -0.17                          | (0.02) | 78.6   | (1.0) | 90.6                                       | (0.6) | 87.0  | (0.7) | 80.4                                       | (0.9) | 0.10                           | (0.02) | 85.8   | (0.8) | 94.0                                       | (0.6) | 92.7  | (0.6) | 86.9                                       | (0.8) |
| Spain              | 0.09                           | (0.02) | 91.6   | (0.6) | 89.6                                       | (0.7) | 83.3  | (0.9) | 90.1                                       | (0.6) | 0.28                           | (0.02) | 95.0   | (0.5) | 90.9                                       | (0.6) | 87.6  | (0.7) | 94.0                                       | (0.4) |
| Sweden             | -0.03                          | (0.03) | 85.8   | (0.7) | 85.1                                       | (0.9) | 87.2  | (0.8) | 84.0                                       | (0.8) | 0.13                           | (0.02) | 88.3   | (0.6) | 88.8                                       | (0.5) | 92.0  | (0.4) | 87.9                                       | (0.7) |
| Switzerland        | 0.01                           | (0.03) | 84.9   | (0.8) | 85.2                                       | (0.8) | 85.5  | (0.9) | 84.9                                       | (0.9) | 0.39                           | (0.02) | 89.4   | (0.7) | 91.8                                       | (0.6) | 91.0  | (0.5) | 87.7                                       | (0.6) |
| Turkey             | -0.11                          | (0.03) | 84.1   | (0.8) | 83.6                                       | (0.9) | 74.5  | (0.9) | 86.1                                       | (0.9) | 0.10                           | (0.03) | 88.7   | (0.7) | 83.1                                       | (1.0) | 76.6  | (0.9) | 90.4                                       | (0.5) |
| United Kingdom     | -0.14                          | (0.02) | 83.4   | (0.8) | 86.6                                       | (0.7) | 86.8  | (0.6) | 85.8                                       | (0.7) | 0.07                           | (0.02) | 90.5   | (0.6) | 91.9                                       | (0.6) | 89.6  | (0.6) | 88.7                                       | (0.6) |
| United States      | 0.08                           | (0.03) | 87.7   | (0.7) | 91.8                                       | (0.5) | 85.3  | (0.8) | 89.8                                       | (0.7) | 0.17                           | (0.02) | 91.9   | (0.6) | 94.2                                       | (0.4) | 87.3  | (0.7) | 91.7                                       | (0.6) |
| OECD average-32    | -0.10                          | (0.00) | 84.4   | (0.1) | 85.6                                       | (0.1) | 84.3  | (0.1) | 85.2                                       | (0.1) | 0.11                           | (0.00) | 89.8   | (0.1) | 90.0                                       | (0.1) | 88.5  | (0.1) | 88.2                                       | (0.1) |
| OECD average-35    | -0.10                          | (0.00) | 84.4   | (0.1) | 85.6                                       | (0.1) | 84.2  | (0.1) | 85.3                                       | (0.1) | 0.11                           | (0.00) | 89.7   | (0.1) | 90.0                                       | (0.1) | 88.5  | (0.1) | 88.3                                       | (0.1) |
| <b>Partners</b>    |                                |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |                                |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Brazil             | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 83.8   | (0.5) | 93.2                                       | (0.4) | 82.6  | (0.5) | 85.7                                       | (0.4) | -0.05                          | (0.01) | 84.5   | (0.5) | 95.0                                       | (0.3) | 84.5  | (0.5) | 88.8                                       | (0.4) |
| B-S-J-G (China)    | -0.01                          | (0.02) | 84.2   | (0.8) | 87.9                                       | (0.6) | 88.2  | (0.6) | 91.3                                       | (0.5) | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 90.4   | (0.6) | 90.1                                       | (0.7) | 89.7  | (0.6) | 90.4                                       | (0.6) |
| Bulgaria           | -0.13                          | (0.02) | 84.1   | (0.8) | 84.2                                       | (0.8) | 78.0  | (1.0) | 87.4                                       | (0.7) | 0.07                           | (0.02) | 92.4   | (0.5) | 89.3                                       | (0.6) | 82.0  | (0.9) | 91.2                                       | (0.6) |
| Colombia           | -0.06                          | (0.02) | 89.0   | (0.6) | 92.1                                       | (0.6) | 74.9  | (0.8) | 82.3                                       | (1.0) | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 90.9   | (0.4) | 94.2                                       | (0.4) | 82.3  | (0.6) | 85.1                                       | (0.7) |
| Costa Rica         | 0.28                           | (0.02) | 88.8   | (0.6) | 93.2                                       | (0.4) | 81.8  | (0.8) | 92.1                                       | (0.5) | 0.41                           | (0.02) | 90.2   | (0.6) | 95.8                                       | (0.4) | 85.5  | (0.7) | 95.4                                       | (0.5) |
| Croatia            | -0.16                          | (0.02) | 90.4   | (0.6) | 89.9                                       | (0.7) | 74.0  | (1.0) | 84.2                                       | (0.8) | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 95.1   | (0.4) | 94.5                                       | (0.5) | 80.7  | (0.9) | 90.1                                       | (0.7) |
| Cyprus*            | -0.09                          | (0.02) | 79.4   | (0.8) | 86.2                                       | (0.6) | 82.2  | (0.8) | 86.3                                       | (0.6) | 0.22                           | (0.02) | 88.7   | (0.6) | 93.7                                       | (0.5) | 86.4  | (0.7) | 91.7                                       | (0.6) |
| Dominican Republic | 0.17                           | (0.03) | 86.7   | (0.8) | 89.6                                       | (0.8) | 81.9  | (0.9) | 80.5                                       | (1.0) | 0.37                           | (0.03) | 89.8   | (0.6) | 90.5                                       | (0.7) | 86.2  | (0.9) | 85.1                                       | (0.9) |
| Hong Kong (China)  | -0.06                          | (0.03) | 86.8   | (0.6) | 81.8                                       | (0.9) | 87.6  | (0.7) | 90.8                                       | (0.7) | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 92.9   | (0.6) | 87.7                                       | (0.7) | 91.9  | (0.7) | 92.7                                       | (0.5) |
| Lithuania          | 0.02                           | (0.03) | 81.6   | (0.9) | 82.2                                       | (1.0) | 74.3  | (0.8) | 86.1                                       | (0.8) | 0.30                           | (0.03) | 89.9   | (0.6) | 88.1                                       | (0.7) | 80.3  | (0.8) | 90.7                                       | (0.5) |
| Macao (China)      | -0.13                          | (0.02) | 80.8   | (0.7) | 82.8                                       | (0.7) | 85.3  | (0.7) | 89.9                                       | (0.6) | -0.17                          | (0.02) | 87.5   | (0.7) | 87.0                                       | (0.7) | 86.0  | (0.8) | 89.1                                       | (0.7) |
| Montenegro         | -0.17                          | (0.02) | 80.2   | (0.6) | 93.2                                       | (0.4) | 78.1  | (0.8) | 80.4                                       | (0.8) | 0.07                           | (0.02) | 84.9   | (0.7) | 96.3                                       | (0.3) | 83.7  | (0.9) | 87.9                                       | (0.7) |
| Peru               | -0.15                          | (0.02) | 89.1   | (0.5) | 83.5                                       | (0.7) | 76.6  | (0.8) | 90.0                                       | (0.5) | -0.01                          | (0.02) | 91.2   | (0.5) | 85.5                                       | (0.7) | 79.7  | (0.8) | 91.5                                       | (0.6) |
| Qatar              | 0.05                           | (0.02) | 83.4   | (0.5) | 88.0                                       | (0.4) | 76.7  | (0.6) | 85.7                                       | (0.4) | 0.19                           | (0.01) | 86.6   | (0.5) | 95.0                                       | (0.3) | 73.2  | (0.5) | 89.2                                       | (0.4) |
| Russia             | -0.29                          | (0.02) | 90.7   | (0.7) | 76.4                                       | (1.0) | 81.6  | (1.1) | 82.0                                       | (0.6) | -0.21                          | (0.02) | 92.2   | (0.6) | 79.5                                       | (1.1) | 87.1  | (0.6) | 81.3                                       | (1.0) |
| Singapore          | 0.30                           | (0.02) | 89.5   | (0.6) | 90.3                                       | (0.5) | 90.8  | (0.7) | 95.2                                       | (0.4) | 0.33                           | (0.02) | 94.2   | (0.5) | 92.6                                       | (0.5) | 92.3  | (0.5) | 95.6                                       | (0.4) |
| Chinese Taipei     | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 89.7   | (0.6) | 89.1                                       | (0.6) | 91.3  | (0.5) | 92.6                                       | (0.5) | 0.28                           | (0.02) | 95.2   | (0.3) | 92.1                                       | (0.4) | 93.5  | (0.5) | 93.0                                       | (0.5) |
| Thailand           | 0.07                           | (0.02) | 87.3   | (0.9) | 96.4                                       | (0.4) | 91.9  | (0.7) | 87.3                                       | (0.7) | 0.12                           | (0.02) | 92.8   | (0.5) | 98.8                                       | (0.2) | 93.3  | (0.5) | 90.2                                       | (0.6) |
| Tunisia            | 0.04                           | (0.02) | 87.4   | (0.7) | 93.9                                       | (0.6) | 73.2  | (1.1) | 84.9                                       | (0.9) | 0.18                           | (0.02) | 90.5   | (0.6) | 94.3                                       | (0.4) | 74.2  |       |  |       |

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Table V.5.4a Index of valuing relationships, by gender

|                      | Gender difference (boys - girls): |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|
|                      | Index of valuing relationships    |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
|                      |                                   |        | I am a good listener   |       | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful |       | I take into account what others are interested in |       | I enjoy considering different perspectives |       |
|                      | Dif.                              | S.E.   | % dif.   | S.E.  | % dif.                                     | S.E.  | % dif.  | S.E.  | % dif.                                     | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |                                   |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Australia            | -0.17                             | (0.02) | <b>-6.3</b>  | (0.6) | <b>-3.1</b>                                | (0.5) | <b>-2.9</b>                                       | (0.5) | <b>-3.5</b>                                | (0.6) |
| Austria              | -0.42                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.3</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-9.3</b>                                | (1.2) | <b>-6.7</b>                                       | (0.9) | -1.7                                       | (0.9) |
| Belgium              | -0.19                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.5</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-4.6</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-2.9</b>                                       | (0.9) | -0.9                                       | (0.6) |
| Canada               | -0.17                             | (0.02) | <b>-4.4</b>  | (0.6) | <b>-3.5</b>                                | (0.6) | <b>-2.9</b>                                       | (0.6) | <b>-3.7</b>                                | (0.6) |
| Chile                | -0.19                             | (0.03) | <b>-3.6</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-4.7</b>                                | (0.9) | <b>-2.2</b>                                       | (1.2) | -1.5                                       | (0.9) |
| Czech Republic       | -0.27                             | (0.03) | <b>-6.7</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-7.4</b>                                | (1.2) | <b>-8.2</b>                                       | (1.0) | <b>-4.1</b>                                | (1.1) |
| Denmark              | -0.17                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.2</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-2.2</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-3.2</b>                                       | (1.0) | <b>-5.2</b>                                | (0.9) |
| Estonia              | -0.29                             | (0.03) | <b>-7.3</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-4.7</b>                                | (0.9) | <b>-4.7</b>                                       | (0.8) | <b>-2.6</b>                                | (1.0) |
| Finland              | -0.28                             | (0.03) | <b>-7.7</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-5.1</b>                                | (1.0) | <b>-3.7</b>                                       | (0.8) | <b>-3.8</b>                                | (1.4) |
| France               | -0.15                             | (0.03) | <b>-2.9</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-5.4</b>                                | (0.8) | <b>-2.3</b>                                       | (1.1) | -1.2                                       | (0.9) |
| Germany              | -0.29                             | (0.03) | <b>-4.1</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-7.7</b>                                | (1.1) | <b>-4.9</b>                                       | (0.9) | 0.3  | (1.1) |
| Greece               | -0.20                             | (0.03) | <b>-7.4</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-2.7</b>                                | (0.9) | <b>-5.0</b>                                       | (0.9) | <b>-4.8</b>                                | (0.7) |
| Hungary              | -0.19                             | (0.03) | <b>-6.4</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-3.0</b>                                | (1.1) | <b>-5.7</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-1.8</b>                                | (0.9) |
| Iceland              | -0.05                             | (0.04) | -0.9   | (1.3) | <b>-3.5</b>                                | (1.1) | -2.9  | (1.5) | <b>-3.4</b>                                | (1.0) |
| Ireland              | -0.29                             | (0.02) | <b>-7.9</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-5.2</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-4.3</b>                                       | (0.7) | <b>-2.7</b>                                | (0.8) |
| Israel               | -0.29                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.1</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-4.8</b>                                | (0.8) | <b>-4.0</b>                                       | (1.0) | <b>-3.4</b>                                | (1.1) |
| Italy                | -0.23                             | (0.03) | <b>-9.8</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-6.1</b>                                | (0.8) | <b>-5.6</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-3.2</b>                                | (0.8) |
| Japan                | -0.19                             | (0.03) | <b>-7.0</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-9.3</b>                                | (0.9) | <b>-4.2</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>2.7</b>                                 | (1.1) |
| Korea                | -0.02                             | (0.03) | <b>-1.3</b>  | (0.6) | <b>3.1</b>                                 | (1.1) | <b>-4.5</b>                                       | (1.0) | -0.9                                       | (0.8) |
| Latvia               | -0.26                             | (0.03) | <b>-10.1</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-8.4</b>                                | (1.2) | <b>-8.6</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-6.1</b>                                | (1.2) |
| Luxembourg           | -0.26                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.4</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-8.2</b>                                | (1.0) | <b>-7.1</b>                                       | (1.0) | <b>-2.9</b>                                | (1.2) |
| Mexico               | -0.22                             | (0.02) | <b>-2.4</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-1.7</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-3.8</b>                                       | (0.9) | <b>-2.0</b>                                | (0.6) |
| Netherlands          | -0.11                             | (0.02) | <b>-5.9</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-2.8</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-2.7</b>                                       | (0.6) | -1.7                                       | (1.0) |
| New Zealand          | -0.24                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.6</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-3.8</b>                                | (0.8) | -1.4  | (1.0) | <b>-3.6</b>                                | (1.1) |
| Norway               | -0.34                             | (0.03) | <b>-6.4</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-6.5</b>                                | (0.9) | <b>-5.4</b>                                       | (0.8) | <b>-7.0</b>                                | (1.0) |
| Poland               | -0.11                             | (0.03) | <b>-2.6</b>  | (1.0) | -1.8                                       | (1.3) | <b>-2.9</b>                                       | (1.4) | <b>-2.8</b>                                | (0.9) |
| Portugal             | -0.30                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.9</b>  | (0.7) | <b>-3.5</b>                                | (0.5) | <b>-3.6</b>                                       | (0.8) | <b>-2.3</b>                                | (0.7) |
| Slovak Republic      | -0.14                             | (0.03) | <b>-3.0</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-5.5</b>                                | (1.3) | <b>-6.1</b>                                       | (1.0) | <b>-2.4</b>                                | (1.1) |
| Slovenia             | -0.27                             | (0.02) | <b>-7.3</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-3.4</b>                                | (0.8) | <b>-5.7</b>                                       | (0.9) | <b>-6.5</b>                                | (1.2) |
| Spain                | -0.19                             | (0.02) | <b>-3.3</b>  | (0.7) | -1.2                                       | (0.8) | <b>-4.3</b>                                       | (0.9) | <b>-3.9</b>                                | (0.7) |
| Sweden               | -0.17                             | (0.03) | <b>-2.4</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-3.7</b>                                | (1.1) | <b>-4.8</b>                                       | (1.0) | <b>-4.0</b>                                | (1.1) |
| Switzerland          | -0.38                             | (0.03) | <b>-4.5</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-6.6</b>                                | (1.0) | <b>-5.5</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-2.8</b>                                | (1.0) |
| Turkey               | -0.21                             | (0.04) | <b>-4.6</b>  | (1.0) | 0.4  | (1.2) | -2.1  | (1.3) | <b>-4.2</b>                                | (1.0) |
| United Kingdom       | -0.21                             | (0.02) | <b>-7.1</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-5.4</b>                                | (0.9) | <b>-2.8</b>                                       | (0.7) | <b>-2.8</b>                                | (0.7) |
| United States        | -0.09                             | (0.03) | <b>-4.2</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-2.4</b>                                | (0.6) | -2.0  | (1.1) | <b>-1.9</b>                                | (0.8) |
| OECD average-32      | -0.21                             | (0.01) | <b>-5.3</b>  | (0.2) | <b>-4.4</b>                                | (0.2) | <b>-4.3</b>                                       | (0.2) | <b>-2.9</b>                                | (0.2) |
| OECD average-35      | -0.21                             | (0.00) | <b>-5.3</b>  | (0.2) | <b>-4.4</b>                                | (0.2) | <b>-4.3</b>                                       | (0.2) | <b>-2.9</b>                                | (0.2) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |                                   |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Brazil               | 0.01                              | (0.02) | -0.7   | (0.7) | <b>-1.8</b>                                | (0.5) | <b>-1.9</b>                                       | (0.6) | <b>-3.1</b>                                | (0.6) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | -0.04                             | (0.02) | <b>-6.2</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-2.2</b>                                | (0.9) | -1.5  | (0.8) | 0.9  | (0.7) |
| Bulgaria             | -0.20                             | (0.03) | <b>-8.3</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-5.1</b>                                | (1.0) | <b>-4.0</b>                                       | (1.3) | <b>-3.7</b>                                | (1.0) |
| Colombia             | -0.22                             | (0.02) | <b>-1.9</b>  | (0.7) | <b>-2.1</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-7.4</b>                                       | (0.9) | <b>-2.8</b>                                | (1.1) |
| Costa Rica           | -0.13                             | (0.03) | <b>-1.4</b>  | (0.7) | <b>-2.6</b>                                | (0.5) | <b>-3.7</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-3.3</b>                                | (0.6) |
| Croatia              | -0.32                             | (0.03) | <b>-4.6</b>  | (0.7) | <b>-4.6</b>                                | (0.8) | <b>-6.7</b>                                       | (1.3) | <b>-5.9</b>                                | (1.1) |
| Cyprus*              | -0.31                             | (0.03) | <b>-9.3</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-7.5</b>                                | (0.8) | <b>-4.2</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-5.4</b>                                | (0.9) |
| Dominican Republic   | -0.19                             | (0.04) | <b>-3.0</b>  | (1.1) | -0.9                                       | (1.0) | <b>-4.3</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-4.6</b>                                | (1.4) |
| Hong Kong (China)    | -0.04                             | (0.03) | <b>-6.1</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-5.9</b>                                | (1.1) | <b>-4.3</b>                                       | (0.9) | <b>-1.9</b>                                | (0.8) |
| Lithuania            | -0.28                             | (0.04) | <b>-8.3</b>  | (1.1) | <b>-5.9</b>                                | (1.1) | <b>-6.0</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-4.6</b>                                | (0.9) |
| Macao (China)        | 0.04                              | (0.02) | <b>-6.7</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-4.2</b>                                | (1.0) | -0.7  | (1.0) | 0.8  | (0.9) |
| Montenegro           | -0.25                             | (0.03) | <b>-4.7</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-3.1</b>                                | (0.5) | <b>-5.6</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-7.5</b>                                | (1.0) |
| Peru                 | -0.14                             | (0.02) | <b>-2.0</b>  | (0.6) | <b>-2.0</b>                                | (0.8) | <b>-3.1</b>                                       | (1.0) | <b>-1.5</b>                                | (0.7) |
| Qatar                | -0.14                             | (0.02) | <b>-3.3</b>  | (0.7) | <b>-7.0</b>                                | (0.5) | <b>3.5</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-3.6</b>                                | (0.6) |
| Russia               | -0.08                             | (0.03) | <b>-1.5</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-3.0</b>                                | (1.4) | <b>-5.6</b>                                       | (1.2) | 0.7  | (1.1) |
| Singapore            | -0.03                             | (0.03) | <b>-4.6</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-2.3</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-1.6</b>                                       | (0.8) | -0.4                                       | (0.7) |
| Chinese Taipei       | -0.12                             | (0.02) | <b>-5.5</b>  | (0.6) | <b>-3.0</b>                                | (0.7) | <b>-2.2</b>                                       | (0.7) | -0.4                                       | (0.6) |
| Thailand             | -0.05                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.4</b>  | (1.0) | <b>-2.4</b>                                | (0.4) | -1.4  | (0.8) | <b>-2.9</b>                                | (0.8) |
| Tunisia              | -0.14                             | (0.03) | <b>-3.2</b>  | (0.9) | -0.4                                       | (0.7) | -1.0  | (1.2) | <b>-3.7</b>                                | (1.0) |
| United Arab Emirates | -0.18                             | (0.03) | <b>-3.9</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-5.1</b>                                | (0.6) | <b>-4.0</b>                                       | (0.9) | <b>-3.6</b>                                | (0.7) |
| Uruguay              | -0.11                             | (0.03) | <b>-3.5</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-1.8</b>                                | (0.6) | <b>-5.1</b>                                       | (1.1) | <b>-2.9</b>                                | (0.8) |
| Malaysia**           | -0.13                             | (0.03) | <b>-5.0</b>  | (0.8) | -0.7                                       | (0.7) | 1.8   | (0.9) | <b>-1.9</b>                                | (0.7) |

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.5.4b** Index of valuing teamwork, by gender

|                    | Boys                      |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       | Girls                     |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
|--------------------|---------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---------------------------------|-------|---------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---------------------------------|-------|
|                    | Index of valuing teamwork |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       | Index of valuing teamwork |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
|                    |                           |        | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone                              |       | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals |       | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency |       | I enjoy co-operating with peers |       |                           |        | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone                              |       | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals |       | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency |       | I enjoy co-operating with peers |       |
|                    | Mean index                | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %                               | S.E.  | Mean index                | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |                                 |       |
| <b>OECD</b>        |                           |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |                           |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
| Australia          | 0.09                      | (0.01) | 70.4   | (0.7) | 77.2   | (0.6) | 74.0  | (0.6) | 89.4                            | (0.5) | -0.08                     | (0.01) | 61.8   | (0.6) | 70.2   | (0.7) | 70.8  | (0.6) | 88.5                            | (0.5) |
| Austria            | 0.22                      | (0.02) | 70.9   | (0.8) | 76.1   | (0.8) | 67.6  | (1.0) | 87.7                            | (0.7) | 0.16                      | (0.02) | 67.2   | (1.1) | 74.1   | (1.0) | 66.7  | (0.8) | 87.0                            | (0.7) |
| Belgium            | -0.04                     | (0.02) | 68.9   | (0.8) | 74.1   | (0.7) | 64.0  | (0.9) | 85.7                            | (0.7) | -0.17                     | (0.02) | 63.4   | (0.7) | 68.1   | (0.8) | 61.9  | (0.6) | 84.1                            | (0.5) |
| Canada             | 0.12                      | (0.02) | 72.7   | (0.6) | 75.5   | (0.7) | 72.9  | (0.6) | 88.2                            | (0.5) | -0.11                     | (0.01) | 60.6   | (0.7) | 68.3   | (0.7) | 66.8  | (0.7) | 86.4                            | (0.5) |
| Chile              | 0.26                      | (0.02) | 73.9   | (1.0) | 77.7   | (0.9) | 82.2  | (0.8) | 93.1                            | (0.4) | 0.15                      | (0.02) | 69.7   | (0.9) | 71.6   | (0.9) | 80.1  | (0.8) | 93.2                            | (0.5) |
| Czech Republic     | 0.03                      | (0.02) | 72.6   | (1.0) | 77.7   | (1.0) | 68.2  | (1.0) | 88.4                            | (0.6) | -0.03                     | (0.02) | 71.8   | (0.9) | 75.0   | (0.9) | 64.9  | (1.0) | 90.2                            | (0.7) |
| Denmark            | -0.04                     | (0.02) | 67.7   | (0.9) | 69.6   | (0.9) | 63.2  | (1.0) | 91.2                            | (0.5) | -0.20                     | (0.02) | 61.3   | (1.1) | 63.9   | (1.1) | 58.4  | (1.1) | 89.1                            | (0.7) |
| Estonia            | -0.05                     | (0.02) | 63.8   | (0.9) | 74.8   | (1.0) | 72.0  | (0.9) | 82.5                            | (0.8) | -0.15                     | (0.02) | 59.3   | (1.1) | 70.0   | (0.9) | 69.7  | (1.0) | 79.1                            | (0.9) |
| Finland            | -0.13                     | (0.02) | 67.6   | (1.0) | 77.1   | (0.7) | 63.5  | (1.0) | 85.7                            | (0.8) | -0.31                     | (0.02) | 57.8   | (1.0) | 66.0   | (0.9) | 55.3  | (1.1) | 79.9                            | (0.9) |
| France             | 0.14                      | (0.02) | 71.3   | (0.9) | 74.3   | (0.9) | 76.4  | (0.7) | 85.6                            | (0.6) | 0.08                      | (0.02) | 70.0   | (1.0) | 70.0   | (0.9) | 76.4  | (0.8) | 84.7                            | (0.7) |
| Germany            | 0.18                      | (0.02) | 68.1   | (1.0) | 73.3   | (0.8) | 65.0  | (0.8) | 91.9                            | (0.5) | 0.11                      | (0.02) | 63.6   | (0.9) | 70.1   | (1.0) | 65.6  | (0.9) | 91.5                            | (0.5) |
| Greece             | 0.21                      | (0.02) | 73.6   | (0.9) | 82.7   | (0.8) | 77.3  | (0.8) | 88.3                            | (0.6) | 0.14                      | (0.02) | 70.1   | (0.8) | 82.6   | (0.8) | 74.0  | (0.9) | 88.8                            | (0.6) |
| Hungary            | 0.03                      | (0.02) | 74.7   | (0.9) | 77.7   | (0.9) | 68.6  | (0.9) | 85.4                            | (0.8) | -0.06                     | (0.02) | 73.4   | (1.1) | 76.4   | (1.0) | 65.0  | (1.0) | 86.0                            | (0.8) |
| Iceland            | -0.10                     | (0.03) | 63.5   | (1.2) | 68.0   | (1.3) | 67.2  | (1.2) | 87.1                            | (1.0) | -0.29                     | (0.02) | 53.4   | (1.0) | 57.7   | (1.2) | 62.8  | (1.2) | 86.3                            | (0.9) |
| Ireland            | 0.07                      | (0.02) | 70.3   | (1.0) | 75.3   | (0.9) | 71.9  | (0.9) | 88.8                            | (0.6) | 0.01                      | (0.02) | 65.4   | (1.0) | 72.8   | (0.8) | 72.1  | (0.8) | 86.4                            | (0.7) |
| Israel             | -0.04                     | (0.02) | 63.7   | (1.1) | 74.1   | (1.0) | 65.4  | (1.0) | 86.1                            | (0.6) | -0.02                     | (0.02) | 63.8   | (1.0) | 72.8   | (0.8) | 62.5  | (1.0) | 89.6                            | (0.6) |
| Italy              | 0.09                      | (0.02) | 73.7   | (0.9) | 75.0   | (0.9) | 72.1  | (0.9) | 88.1                            | (0.7) | -0.04                     | (0.02) | 69.2   | (0.8) | 72.2   | (0.9) | 69.7  | (0.8) | 87.3                            | (0.7) |
| Japan              | -0.06                     | (0.02) | 64.9   | (0.9) | 78.5   | (0.9) | 53.5  | (0.9) | 87.6                            | (0.7) | 0.00                      | (0.02) | 66.2   | (0.9) | 82.5   | (0.7) | 53.6  | (1.0) | 90.8                            | (0.5) |
| Korea              | 0.22                      | (0.02) | 80.0   | (0.9) | 84.4   | (0.7) | 85.5  | (0.7) | 87.9                            | (0.6) | 0.06                      | (0.02) | 70.6   | (1.0) | 81.5   | (0.8) | 83.3  | (0.7) | 85.6                            | (0.8) |
| Latvia             | -0.08                     | (0.02) | 71.2   | (0.8) | 72.6   | (1.0) | 67.0  | (1.1) | 82.4                            | (0.8) | -0.19                     | (0.02) | 66.8   | (1.1) | 68.6   | (1.0) | 64.2  | (1.0) | 81.1                            | (0.9) |
| Luxembourg         | 0.05                      | (0.02) | 69.8   | (0.9) | 71.8   | (0.8) | 67.1  | (1.0) | 86.2                            | (0.7) | -0.04                     | (0.02) | 65.9   | (0.9) | 70.4   | (0.9) | 66.5  | (0.8) | 84.5                            | (0.7) |
| Mexico             | 0.27                      | (0.02) | 72.4   | (0.8) | 84.2   | (0.8) | 83.6  | (0.8) | 89.6                            | (0.6) | 0.19                      | (0.02) | 67.9   | (0.8) | 80.3   | (0.7) | 82.3  | (0.8) | 90.9                            | (0.6) |
| Netherlands        | -0.17                     | (0.02) | 68.2   | (0.9) | 67.8   | (1.1) | 70.3  | (1.0) | 85.9                            | (0.7) | -0.34                     | (0.02) | 59.8   | (1.0) | 57.9   | (1.0) | 66.0  | (1.0) | 82.3                            | (0.8) |
| New Zealand        | 0.14                      | (0.02) | 73.9   | (0.8) | 78.7   | (0.9) | 74.6  | (1.0) | 90.3                            | (0.7) | -0.01                     | (0.02) | 65.3   | (1.1) | 73.1   | (1.0) | 71.4  | (0.9) | 89.1                            | (0.7) |
| Norway             | -0.15                     | (0.02) | 64.5   | (0.9) | 68.9   | (1.0) | 58.6  | (1.1) | 85.9                            | (0.8) | -0.30                     | (0.02) | 56.1   | (1.1) | 63.9   | (1.1) | 53.4  | (1.2) | 81.7                            | (0.8) |
| Poland             | 0.00                      | (0.02) | 75.1   | (1.0) | 73.1   | (1.0) | 70.8  | (1.0) | 86.2                            | (0.7) | -0.11                     | (0.02) | 71.9   | (1.0) | 69.7   | (1.0) | 66.7  | (1.0) | 84.1                            | (0.8) |
| Portugal           | 0.36                      | (0.02) | 73.6   | (0.9) | 84.9   | (0.8) | 82.7  | (0.7) | 93.7                            | (0.5) | 0.27                      | (0.02) | 70.0   | (0.8) | 81.0   | (0.9) | 79.2  | (0.7) | 96.0                            | (0.4) |
| Slovak Republic    | -0.09                     | (0.02) | 71.6   | (0.9) | 75.2   | (0.9) | 69.7  | (0.9) | 80.1                            | (0.8) | -0.16                     | (0.02) | 72.0   | (0.9) | 73.3   | (0.9) | 69.5  | (0.9) | 81.0                            | (0.7) |
| Slovenia           | 0.05                      | (0.02) | 71.7   | (1.0) | 77.0   | (0.9) | 72.7  | (1.0) | 89.2                            | (0.7) | -0.01                     | (0.02) | 67.0   | (1.1) | 73.3   | (1.0) | 69.6  | (1.1) | 88.8                            | (0.8) |
| Spain              | 0.17                      | (0.02) | 67.7   | (0.9) | 76.9   | (0.9) | 72.7  | (0.9) | 92.5                            | (0.5) | 0.13                      | (0.02) | 66.0   | (1.1) | 73.9   | (1.0) | 71.8  | (0.9) | 92.6                            | (0.5) |
| Sweden             | -0.06                     | (0.02) | 64.5   | (1.0) | 67.5   | (0.9) | 70.3  | (0.9) | 86.6                            | (0.7) | -0.32                     | (0.02) | 52.0   | (1.3) | 59.2   | (1.1) | 63.4  | (1.0) | 79.4                            | (1.1) |
| Switzerland        | 0.26                      | (0.03) | 76.0   | (0.8) | 76.6   | (0.8) | 72.4  | (1.1) | 90.9                            | (0.7) | 0.18                      | (0.03) | 70.0   | (1.2) | 74.4   | (1.0) | 70.8  | (1.0) | 91.3                            | (0.6) |
| Turkey             | -0.02                     | (0.02) | 48.9   | (1.1) | 73.2   | (0.9) | 80.9  | (0.9) | 80.4                            | (0.7) | -0.07                     | (0.02) | 47.0   | (0.9) | 68.8   | (1.0) | 76.9  | (0.9) | 80.9                            | (0.9) |
| United Kingdom     | 0.01                      | (0.02) | 71.3   | (0.8) | 75.9   | (0.8) | 71.6  | (0.9) | 85.8                            | (0.8) | -0.10                     | (0.02) | 65.5   | (0.9) | 71.9   | (0.8) | 71.5  | (0.8) | 85.3                            | (0.7) |
| United States      | 0.17                      | (0.02) | 72.3   | (0.9) | 78.8   | (1.0) | 77.6  | (0.9) | 89.1                            | (0.7) | -0.05                     | (0.02) | 65.7   | (1.0) | 71.2   | (0.8) | 70.9  | (0.8) | 85.0                            | (0.6) |
| OECD average-32    | 0.06                      | (0.00) | 69.5   | (0.2) | 75.7   | (0.2) | 71.2  | (0.2) | 87.4                            | (0.1) | -0.06                     | (0.00) | 64.4   | (0.2) | 71.2   | (0.2) | 68.3  | (0.2) | 86.5                            | (0.1) |
| OECD average-35    | 0.06                      | (0.00) | 69.9   | (0.2) | 75.6   | (0.2) | 71.2  | (0.2) | 87.5                            | (0.1) | -0.05                     | (0.00) | 64.8   | (0.2) | 71.3   | (0.2) | 68.4  | (0.2) | 86.5                            | (0.1) |
| <b>Partners</b>    |                           |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |                           |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
| Brazil             | 0.25                      | (0.01) | 71.7   | (0.8) | 80.2   | (0.5) | 84.4  | (0.5) | 92.7                            | (0.4) | 0.17                      | (0.01) | 69.6   | (0.6) | 78.9   | (0.5) | 81.8  | (0.5) | 94.6                            | (0.3) |
| B-S-J-G (China)    | 0.40                      | (0.02) | 85.2   | (0.6) | 86.2   | (0.5) | 88.8  | (0.6) | 91.6                            | (0.6) | 0.38                      | (0.01) | 89.3   | (0.6) | 86.8   | (0.6) | 89.7  | (0.6) | 93.6                            | (0.5) |
| Bulgaria           | -0.02                     | (0.03) | 69.3   | (1.1) | 74.7   | (0.9) | 74.7  | (1.1) | 80.8                            | (0.9) | -0.13                     | (0.02) | 63.8   | (1.1) | 71.1   | (1.0) | 73.4  | (0.9) | 83.4                            | (0.9) |
| Colombia           | 0.26                      | (0.02) | 67.8   | (1.0) | 84.2   | (0.6) | 79.6  | (0.8) | 92.9                            | (0.5) | 0.21                      | (0.02) | 68.4   | (0.8) | 82.9   | (0.7) | 74.2  | (0.9) | 94.7                            | (0.4) |
| Costa Rica         | 0.39                      | (0.02) | 73.1   | (0.8) | 82.9   | (0.9) | 79.6  | (0.7) | 91.9                            | (0.5) | 0.29                      | (0.03) | 68.5   | (1.0) | 81.7   | (0.8) | 76.0  | (1.0) | 93.6                            | (0.5) |
| Croatia            | 0.26                      | (0.02) | 77.8   | (0.8) | 82.4   | (0.7) | 80.7  | (1.0) | 89.3                            | (0.7) | 0.17                      | (0.02) | 74.8   | (0.9) | 79.5   | (0.9) | 78.0  | (0.8) | 91.2                            | (0.6) |
| Cyprus*            | 0.11                      | (0.02) | 69.6   | (0.8) | 78.2   | (0.9) | 76.6  | (0.9) | 84.5                            | (0.8) | 0.09                      | (0.02) | 66.2   | (0.8) | 77.5   | (0.8) | 75.6  | (0.7) | 88.9                            | (0.6) |
| Dominican Republic | 0.54                      | (0.03) | 73.3   | (1.2) | 82.0   | (1.0) | 83.9  | (1.0) | 93.5                            | (0.7) | 0.48                      | (0.03) | 73.7   | (1.0) | 81.8   | (0.9) | 81.0  | (1.0) | 94.2                            | (0.6) |
| Hong Kong (China)  | 0.08                      | (0.02) | 71.8   | (1.0) | 79.1   | (0.8) | 77.9  | (0.8) | 83.2                            | (0.8) | 0.03                      | (0.02) | 70.2   | (1.0) | 81.3   | (0.8) | 75.8  | (0.8) | 85.8                            | (0.7) |
| Lithuania          | 0.38                      | (0.03) | 75.7   | (1.0) | 80.4   | (0.8) | 78.7  | (1.0) | 85.6                            | (0.8) | 0.28                      | (0.02) | 71.0   | (0.8) | 76.8   | (0.8) | 80.4  | (0.8) | 85.9                            | (0.7) |
| Macao (China)      | 0.02                      | (0.02) | 68.5   | (0.9) | 73.0   | (0.9) | 79.5  | (0.9) | 84.1                            | (0.7) | -0.01                     | (0.02) | 69.5   | (1.0) | 75.5   | (1.0) | 80.1  | (0.8) | 83.9                            | (0.7) |
| Montenegro         | -0.09                     | (0.02) | 44.9   | (1.0) | 77.0   | (0.8) | 75.6  | (0.8) | 88.1                            | (0.6) | -0.09                     | (0.02) | 42.6   | (0.9) | 75.0   | (0.9) | 73.2  | (1.0) | 91.0                            | (0.6) |
| Peru               | 0.14                      | (0.02) | 71.6   | (0.9) | 81.9   | (0.7) | 79.1  | (0.7) | 89.6                            | (0.5) | 0.04                      | (0.02) | 63.9   | (1.0) | 76.7   | (0.9) | 74.0  | (0.8) | 91.4                            | (0.5) |
| Qatar              | 0.21                      | (0.02) | 63.9   | (0.6) | 81.0   | (0.6) | 81.0  | (0.6) | 85.3                            | (0.5) | 0.26                      | (0.01) | 59.8   | (0.6) | 79.8   | (0.5) | 85.0  | (0.4) | 90.1                            | (0.3) |
| Russia             | -0.12                     | (0.02) | 73.2   | (1.2) | 68.7   | (0.9) | 73.1  | (0.9) | 82.4                            | (1.0) | -0.24                     | (0.02) | 70.4   | (1.1) | 66.7   | (1.0) | 67.9  | (1.2) | 78.3                            | (1.1) |
| Singapore          | 0.34                      | (0.02) | 75.3   | (0.7) | 81.9   | (0.8) | 80.5  | (0.7) | 91.7                            | (0.5) | 0.20                      | (0.02) | 69.7   | (1.0) | 82.7   | (0.8) | 79.7  | (0.8) | 92.6                            | (0.7) |
| Chinese Taipei     | 0.42                      | (0.02) | 85.1   | (0.7) | 85.0   | (0.7) | 86.4  | (0.5) | 90.4                            | (0.4) | 0.31                      | (0.02) | 84.4   | (0.7) | 83.3   | (0.7) | 84.0  | (0.8) | 90.6                            | (0.5) |
| Thailand           | 0.42                      | (0.02) | 83.2   | (0.8) | 90.6   | (0.5) | 89.6  | (0.6) | 95.4                            | (0.5) | 0.33                      | (0.02) | 82.9   | (0.7) | 90.5   | (0.5) | 85.5  | (0.8) | 97.1                            | (0.3) |
| Tunisia            | 0.44                      | (0.02) | 79.7   | (0.9) | 85.3   | (0.8) | 85.5  | (0.8) | 91.5                            | (0.6) | 0.42                      | (0.02) | 76.7   |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |

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Table V.5.4b Index of valuing teamwork, by gender

|                      | Gender difference (boys - girls): |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---------------------------------|-------|
|                      | Index of valuing teamwork         |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
|                      |                                   |        | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone                              |       | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals |       | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency |       | I enjoy co-operating with peers |       |
|                      | Dif.                              | S.E.   | % dif.   | S.E.  | % dif.   | S.E.  | % dif.  | S.E.  | % dif.                          | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |                                   |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
| Australia            | 0.17                              | (0.02) | <b>8.7</b>   | (0.8) | <b>7.0</b>   | (1.0) | <b>3.2</b>                                    | (0.9) | 0.9                             | (0.6) |
| Austria              | 0.06                              | (0.03) | <b>3.7</b>   | (1.4) | 2.0  | (1.4) | 0.8   | (1.3) | 0.6                             | (1.0) |
| Belgium              | <b>0.13</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>5.5</b>   | (1.0) | <b>6.0</b>   | (1.1) | 2.1   | (1.1) | <b>1.6</b>                      | (0.8) |
| Canada               | <b>0.23</b>                       | (0.02) | <b>12.1</b>  | (0.9) | <b>7.2</b>   | (1.0) | <b>6.1</b>                                    | (0.9) | <b>1.8</b>                      | (0.8) |
| Chile                | <b>0.11</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.2</b>   | (1.5) | <b>6.1</b>   | (1.1) | 2.1   | (1.1) | -0.1                            | (0.6) |
| Czech Republic       | <b>0.06</b>                       | (0.03) | 0.7  | (1.3) | <b>2.8</b>   | (1.3) | <b>3.3</b>                                    | (1.3) | <b>-1.8</b>                     | (0.9) |
| Denmark              | <b>0.17</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>6.4</b>   | (1.4) | <b>5.7</b>   | (1.3) | <b>4.8</b>                                    | (1.5) | <b>2.1</b>                      | (0.8) |
| Estonia              | <b>0.10</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.5</b>   | (1.2) | <b>4.8</b>   | (1.3) | 2.4   | (1.3) | <b>3.4</b>                      | (1.2) |
| Finland              | <b>0.18</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>9.8</b>   | (1.3) | <b>11.1</b>  | (1.1) | <b>8.3</b>                                    | (1.2) | <b>5.9</b>                      | (1.0) |
| France               | <b>0.07</b>                       | (0.03) | 1.3  | (1.3) | <b>4.3</b>   | (1.3) | 0.0   | (1.1) | 0.9                             | (0.9) |
| Germany              | <b>0.06</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.4</b>   | (1.3) | <b>3.2</b>   | (1.3) | -0.6  | (1.1) | 0.5                             | (0.7) |
| Greece               | <b>0.07</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>3.5</b>   | (1.1) | 0.1  | (1.1) | <b>3.3</b>                                    | (1.2) | -0.5                            | (0.8) |
| Hungary              | <b>0.09</b>                       | (0.03) | 1.3  | (1.4) | 1.3  | (1.3) | <b>3.5</b>                                    | (1.2) | -0.7                            | (1.1) |
| Iceland              | <b>0.19</b>                       | (0.04) | <b>10.1</b>  | (1.6) | <b>10.3</b>  | (1.8) | <b>4.4</b>                                    | (1.7) | 0.9                             | (1.2) |
| Ireland              | <b>0.06</b>                       | (0.02) | <b>4.9</b>   | (1.4) | <b>2.5</b>   | (1.2) | -0.2  | (1.2) | <b>2.4</b>                      | (0.8) |
| Israel               | -0.02                             | (0.03) | -0.1   | (1.5) | 1.4  | (1.2) | <b>2.9</b>                                    | (1.3) | <b>-3.4</b>                     | (0.9) |
| Italy                | <b>0.13</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.5</b>   | (1.2) | <b>2.9</b>   | (1.2) | 2.4   | (1.3) | 0.8                             | (0.8) |
| Japan                | <b>-0.06</b>                      | (0.03) | -1.2   | (1.2) | <b>-3.9</b>  | (1.1) | -0.1  | (1.3) | <b>-3.2</b>                     | (0.8) |
| Korea                | <b>0.17</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>9.4</b>   | (1.4) | <b>2.8</b>   | (1.2) | <b>2.3</b>                                    | (1.0) | <b>2.3</b>                      | (0.9) |
| Latvia               | <b>0.11</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.4</b>   | (1.4) | <b>3.9</b>   | (1.3) | 2.9   | (1.5) | 1.3                             | (1.1) |
| Luxembourg           | <b>0.09</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>3.9</b>   | (1.2) | 1.4  | (1.2) | 0.6   | (1.4) | <b>1.7</b>                      | (0.9) |
| Mexico               | <b>0.07</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.5</b>   | (1.2) | <b>3.9</b>   | (1.1) | 1.3   | (1.2) | -1.3                            | (0.9) |
| Netherlands          | <b>0.17</b>                       | (0.02) | <b>8.4</b>   | (1.3) | <b>9.9</b>   | (1.5) | <b>4.3</b>                                    | (1.3) | <b>3.6</b>                      | (1.0) |
| New Zealand          | <b>0.15</b>                       | (0.02) | <b>8.6</b>   | (1.2) | <b>5.5</b>   | (1.2) | <b>3.1</b>                                    | (1.2) | 1.2                             | (0.8) |
| Norway               | <b>0.15</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>8.4</b>   | (1.4) | <b>5.1</b>   | (1.4) | <b>5.3</b>                                    | (1.6) | <b>4.3</b>                      | (1.0) |
| Poland               | <b>0.11</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>3.2</b>   | (1.5) | <b>3.4</b>   | (1.5) | <b>4.1</b>                                    | (1.2) | <b>2.1</b>                      | (0.9) |
| Portugal             | <b>0.09</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>3.6</b>   | (1.1) | <b>3.9</b>   | (1.2) | <b>3.4</b>                                    | (0.9) | <b>-2.3</b>                     | (0.6) |
| Slovak Republic      | <b>0.07</b>                       | (0.03) | -0.4   | (1.4) | 1.9  | (1.2) | 0.2   | (1.3) | -0.9                            | (1.0) |
| Slovenia             | <b>0.05</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.7</b>   | (1.6) | <b>3.7</b>   | (1.3) | <b>3.1</b>                                    | (1.6) | 0.4                             | (1.0) |
| Spain                | 0.04                              | (0.03) | 1.7  | (1.3) | <b>3.0</b>   | (1.1) | 0.9   | (1.2) | -0.1                            | (0.7) |
| Sweden               | <b>0.26</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>12.5</b>  | (1.6) | <b>8.3</b>   | (1.5) | <b>6.9</b>                                    | (1.4) | <b>7.2</b>                      | (1.3) |
| Switzerland          | <b>0.08</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>6.0</b>   | (1.4) | <b>2.2</b>   | (1.1) | 1.6   | (1.3) | -0.4                            | (0.8) |
| Turkey               | 0.05                              | (0.03) | 2.0  | (1.3) | <b>4.4</b>   | (1.3) | <b>4.0</b>                                    | (1.1) | -0.5                            | (1.0) |
| United Kingdom       | <b>0.12</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>5.8</b>   | (1.1) | <b>4.0</b>   | (1.1) | 0.1   | (1.2) | 0.5                             | (1.1) |
| United States        | <b>0.22</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>6.6</b>   | (1.3) | <b>7.6</b>   | (1.1) | <b>6.7</b>                                    | (1.1) | <b>4.1</b>                      | (1.0) |
| OECD average-32      | <b>0.11</b>                       | (0.00) | <b>5.1</b>   | (0.2) | <b>4.4</b>   | (0.2) | <b>2.9</b>                                    | (0.2) | <b>1.0</b>                      | (0.2) |
| OECD average-35      | <b>0.11</b>                       | (0.00) | <b>5.1</b>   | (0.2) | <b>4.3</b>   | (0.2) | <b>2.8</b>                                    | (0.2) | <b>1.0</b>                      | (0.2) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |                                   |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |                                 |       |
| Brazil               | <b>0.08</b>                       | (0.01) | <b>2.1</b>   | (0.8) | 1.3  | (0.7) | <b>2.6</b>                                    | (0.7) | <b>-1.9</b>                     | (0.5) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.02                              | (0.02) | <b>-4.1</b>  | (0.8) | -0.5   | (0.9) | -0.9  | (0.6) | <b>-2.0</b>                     | (0.7) |
| Bulgaria             | <b>0.11</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>5.5</b>   | (1.4) | <b>3.6</b>   | (1.4) | 1.4   | (1.3) | <b>-2.6</b>                     | (1.2) |
| Colombia             | 0.04                              | (0.02) | -0.6   | (1.2) | 1.3  | (0.8) | <b>5.3</b>                                    | (1.3) | <b>-1.9</b>                     | (0.6) |
| Costa Rica           | <b>0.10</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>4.5</b>   | (1.2) | 1.1  | (1.1) | <b>3.6</b>                                    | (1.2) | <b>-1.7</b>                     | (0.7) |
| Croatia              | <b>0.09</b>                       | (0.02) | <b>3.0</b>   | (1.2) | <b>2.9</b>   | (1.0) | <b>2.7</b>                                    | (1.1) | <b>-1.9</b>                     | (0.9) |
| Cyprus*              | 0.02                              | (0.03) | <b>3.3</b>   | (1.1) | 0.6  | (1.3) | 0.9   | (1.2) | <b>-4.4</b>                     | (1.1) |
| Dominican Republic   | 0.05                              | (0.04) | -0.4   | (1.5) | 0.2  | (1.2) | <b>2.9</b>                                    | (1.5) | -0.7                            | (0.9) |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 0.05                              | (0.03) | 1.5  | (1.3) | <b>-2.2</b>  | (1.1) | 2.1   | (1.2) | <b>-2.6</b>                     | (1.1) |
| Lithuania            | <b>0.10</b>                       | (0.04) | <b>4.7</b>   | (1.3) | <b>3.6</b>   | (1.1) | -1.7  | (1.2) | -0.3                            | (1.0) |
| Macao (China)        | 0.02                              | (0.03) | -1.0   | (1.3) | -2.4   | (1.5) | -0.7  | (1.2) | 0.2                             | (1.0) |
| Montenegro           | 0.00                              | (0.03) | 2.3  | (1.2) | 2.0  | (1.2) | <b>2.4</b>                                    | (1.2) | <b>-2.9</b>                     | (1.0) |
| Peru                 | <b>0.10</b>                       | (0.02) | <b>7.6</b>   | (1.4) | <b>5.2</b>   | (1.1) | <b>5.1</b>                                    | (1.0) | <b>-1.8</b>                     | (0.7) |
| Qatar                | <b>-0.05</b>                      | (0.02) | <b>4.2</b>   | (0.8) | 1.1  | (0.8) | <b>-4.0</b>                                   | (0.7) | <b>-4.8</b>                     | (0.6) |
| Russia               | <b>0.12</b>                       | (0.03) | 2.8  | (1.7) | 2.0  | (1.1) | <b>5.2</b>                                    | (1.3) | <b>4.2</b>                      | (1.1) |
| Singapore            | <b>0.15</b>                       | (0.03) | <b>5.5</b>   | (1.2) | -0.9   | (1.1) | 0.9   | (1.0) | -0.9                            | (0.8) |
| Chinese Taipei       | <b>0.11</b>                       | (0.02) | 0.8  | (0.9) | 1.7  | (0.9) | <b>2.4</b>                                    | (0.8) | -0.2                            | (0.6) |
| Thailand             | <b>0.09</b>                       | (0.03) | 0.3  | (1.0) | 0.1  | (0.7) | <b>4.1</b>                                    | (1.0) | <b>-1.8</b>                     | (0.6) |
| Tunisia              | 0.01                              | (0.03) | <b>2.9</b>   | (1.3) | 1.8  | (1.1) | -0.5  | (0.9) | -1.4                            | (0.7) |
| United Arab Emirates | -0.01                             | (0.02) | <b>4.4</b>   | (1.1) | 0.4  | (0.7) | -1.2  | (0.8) | <b>-2.9</b>                     | (0.7) |
| Uruguay              | <b>0.08</b>                       | (0.03) | 2.2  | (1.3) | 1.7  | (1.1) | 1.6   | (1.3) | <b>-1.8</b>                     | (0.7) |
| Malaysia**           | -0.01                             | (0.03) | <b>2.3</b>   | (0.8) | 0.2  | (0.6) | 0.3   | (0.6) | -0.8                            | (0.6) |

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.5.5a Index of valuing relationships, by socio-economic status

|                      | When accounting for student socio-economic status                                  |        |  |       | When accounting for schools' socio-economic profile <sup>2</sup>     |        |  |       | When accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile     |        |  |        |  |       |
|----------------------|--|--------|--|-------|--|--------|--|-------|---|--------|--|--------|--|-------|
|                      | Change in the index of valuing relationships per unit of student ESCS <sup>1</sup> |        | Explained variance in the index of valuing relationships (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in the index of valuing relationships per unit of school ESCS |        | Explained variance in the index of valuing relationships (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in the index of valuing relationships per unit of student ESCS |        | Change in the index of valuing relationships per unit of school ESCS |        | Explained variance in the index of valuing relationships (r-squared × 100) |       |
|                      | Index dif.   | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | Index dif.   | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | Index dif.  | S.E.   | Index dif.   | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |        |  |       |  |        |  |       |   |        |  |        |  |       |
| Australia            | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.01) | 1.4  | (0.3) | <b>0.16</b>  | (0.03) | 0.5  | (0.2) | <b>0.14</b>   | (0.02) | 0.02   | (0.03) | 1.4  | (0.3) |
| Austria              | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.02) | 0.7  | (0.2) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.04) | 0.2  | (0.2) | <b>0.10</b>   | (0.02) | 0.01   | (0.04) | 0.7  | (0.2) |
| Belgium              | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.01) | 0.8  | (0.2) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.03) | 0.7  | (0.2) | <b>0.06</b>   | (0.01) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.03) | 1.0  | (0.2) |
| Canada               | <b>0.14</b>  | (0.01) | 1.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.20</b>  | (0.03) | 0.5  | (0.2) | <b>0.13</b>   | (0.01) | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.03) | 1.4  | (0.2) |
| Chile                | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.01) | 1.5  | (0.3) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.02) | 1.6  | (0.3) | <b>0.07</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.03) | 1.8  | (0.3) |
| Czech Republic       | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.02) | 1.6  | (0.4) | <b>0.21</b>  | (0.03) | 1.1  | (0.3) | <b>0.12</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.10</b>  | (0.03) | 1.8  | (0.4) |
| Denmark              | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 1.6  | (0.4) | <b>0.20</b>  | (0.03) | 0.7  | (0.3) | <b>0.12</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.04) | 1.7  | (0.4) |
| Estonia              | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 1.1  | (0.3) | <b>0.21</b>  | (0.04) | 0.8  | (0.3) | <b>0.10</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.05) | 1.3  | (0.4) |
| Finland              | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.02) | 1.4  | (0.3) | <b>0.22</b>  | (0.05) | 0.5  | (0.2) | <b>0.13</b>   | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.05) | 1.5  | (0.4) |
| France               | <b>0.19</b>  | (0.02) | 2.2  | (0.4) | <b>0.35</b>  | (0.03) | 2.3  | (0.4) | <b>0.12</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.23</b>  | (0.04) | 3.0  | (0.5) |
| Germany              | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 1.2  | (0.3) | <b>0.23</b>  | (0.03) | 1.1  | (0.3) | <b>0.09</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.14</b>  | (0.04) | 1.5  | (0.4) |
| Greece               | <b>0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.03) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 0.01  | (0.02) | <b>0.16</b>  | (0.04) | 0.7  | (0.3) |
| Hungary              | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.01) | 1.4  | (0.3) | <b>0.27</b>  | (0.03) | 2.7  | (0.6) | 0.02  | (0.02) | <b>0.25</b>  | (0.04) | 2.7  | (0.6) |
| Iceland              | <b>0.21</b>  | (0.03) | 2.2  | (0.6) | <b>0.37</b>  | (0.07) | 1.0  | (0.4) | <b>0.18</b>   | (0.03) | <b>0.19</b>  | (0.08) | 2.4  | (0.6) |
| Ireland              | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.02) | 1.0  | (0.3) | 0.04   | (0.04) | 0.0  | (0.1) | <b>0.13</b>   | (0.02) | -0.08  | (0.04) | 1.0  | (0.3) |
| Israel               | <b>0.06</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 0.02   | (0.05) | 0.0  | (0.0) | <b>0.07</b>   | (0.02) | -0.06  | (0.06) | 0.3  | (0.2) |
| Italy                | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.01) | 0.6  | (0.2) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.03) | 0.8  | (0.2) | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.03) | 0.9  | (0.2) |
| Japan                | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 0.7  | (0.2) | <b>0.22</b>  | (0.05) | 0.5  | (0.2) | <b>0.10</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.06) | 0.9  | (0.2) |
| Korea                | <b>0.21</b>  | (0.02) | 2.3  | (0.5) | <b>0.33</b>  | (0.04) | 1.4  | (0.4) | <b>0.17</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.05) | 2.5  | (0.5) |
| Latvia               | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 1.4  | (0.4) | <b>0.21</b>  | (0.04) | 1.2  | (0.5) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.05) | 1.7  | (0.5) |
| Luxembourg           | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.01) | 0.8  | (0.2) | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.02) | 0.6  | (0.2) | <b>0.06</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.03) | 0.9  | (0.3) |
| Mexico               | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.01) | 0.9  | (0.3) | <b>0.16</b>  | (0.02) | 1.5  | (0.4) | 0.02  | (0.01) | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.03) | 1.5  | (0.4) |
| Netherlands          | <b>0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 0.07   | (0.05) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.02) | 0.03   | (0.05) | 0.2  | (0.2) |
| New Zealand          | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 1.0  | (0.3) | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.05) | 0.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.12</b>   | (0.02) | 0.03   | (0.06) | 1.1  | (0.3) |
| Norway               | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 0.05   | (0.07) | 0.0  | (0.1) | <b>0.13</b>   | (0.02) | -0.07  | (0.07) | 0.7  | (0.3) |
| Poland               | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 1.4  | (0.4) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.04) | 0.2  | (0.2) | <b>0.14</b>   | (0.02) | -0.05  | (0.05) | 1.5  | (0.4) |
| Portugal             | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.01) | 0.7  | (0.3) | <b>0.10</b>  | (0.03) | 0.4  | (0.2) | <b>0.06</b>   | (0.01) | 0.03   | (0.03) | 0.8  | (0.3) |
| Slovak Republic      | <b>0.16</b>  | (0.02) | 2.3  | (0.6) | <b>0.31</b>  | (0.03) | 3.1  | (0.8) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.23</b>  | (0.03) | 3.5  | (0.8) |
| Slovenia             | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 1.2  | (0.3) | <b>0.29</b>  | (0.03) | 1.9  | (0.4) | <b>0.06</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.23</b>  | (0.04) | 2.1  | (0.4) |
| Spain                | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.01) | 1.3  | (0.3) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.02) | 0.4  | (0.2) | <b>0.10</b>   | (0.01) | 0.00   | (0.03) | 1.3  | (0.3) |
| Sweden               | <b>0.14</b>  | (0.02) | 1.2  | (0.4) | <b>0.20</b>  | (0.05) | 0.4  | (0.2) | <b>0.13</b>   | (0.02) | 0.07   | (0.05) | 1.3  | (0.4) |
| Switzerland          | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.02) | 0.4  | (0.2) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.04) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.07</b>   | (0.02) | 0.02   | (0.05) | 0.4  | (0.2) |
| Turkey               | 0.02   | (0.02) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.04) | 0.3  | (0.3) | 0.00  | (0.02) | <b>0.10</b>  | (0.04) | 0.3  | (0.3) |
| United Kingdom       | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.02) | 0.9  | (0.3) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.04) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.11</b>   | (0.02) | -0.02  | (0.04) | 0.9  | (0.3) |
| United States        | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.01) | 1.3  | (0.3) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.03) | 0.4  | (0.2) | <b>0.12</b>   | (0.02) | -0.01  | (0.03) | 1.3  | (0.3) |
| OECD average-32      | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.00) | 1.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.18</b>  | (0.01) | 0.9  | (0.1) | <b>0.09</b>   | (0.00) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.01) | 1.4  | (0.1) |
| OECD average-35      | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.00) | 1.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.01) | 0.8  | (0.1) | <b>0.09</b>   | (0.00) | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.01) | 1.4  | (0.1) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |        |  |       |  |        |  |       |   |        |  |        |  |       |
| Brazil               | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.01) | 1.1  | (0.2) | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.02) | 1.3  | (0.3) | <b>0.05</b>   | (0.01) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.02) | 1.5  | (0.3) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | <b>0.14</b>  | (0.01) | 2.6  | (0.6) | <b>0.22</b>  | (0.02) | 2.9  | (0.6) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.15</b>  | (0.03) | 3.3  | (0.6) |
| Bulgaria             | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 1.5  | (0.4) | <b>0.22</b>  | (0.04) | 1.4  | (0.4) | <b>0.09</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.04) | 1.8  | (0.4) |
| Colombia             | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.01) | 0.6  | (0.2) | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 0.8  | (0.3) | <b>0.03</b>   | (0.01) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.02) | 0.8  | (0.3) |
| Costa Rica           | <b>0.05</b>  | (0.01) | 0.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.06</b>  | (0.03) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.05</b>   | (0.02) | 0.02   | (0.03) | 0.3  | (0.2) |
| Croatia              | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.02) | 0.5  | (0.2) | <b>0.21</b>  | (0.05) | 0.7  | (0.3) | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.05) | 0.8  | (0.3) |
| Cyprus*              | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.02) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.04   | (0.03) | 0.0  | (0.0) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | -0.05  | (0.04) | 0.4  | (0.2) |
| Dominican Republic   | <b>0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.03) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.01  | (0.02) | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.04) | 0.4  | (0.2) |
| Hong Kong (China)    | <b>0.10</b>  | (0.02) | 0.9  | (0.3) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.03) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.10</b>   | (0.02) | -0.01  | (0.04) | 0.9  | (0.3) |
| Lithuania            | <b>0.19</b>  | (0.02) | 2.0  | (0.4) | <b>0.31</b>  | (0.04) | 1.5  | (0.4) | <b>0.15</b>   | (0.02) | <b>0.16</b>  | (0.04) | 2.3  | (0.5) |
| Macao (China)        | <b>0.04</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2  | (0.1) | -0.03  | (0.03) | 0.0  | (0.0) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | <b>-0.10</b>   | (0.03) | 0.4  | (0.2) |
| Montenegro           | <b>0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.07   | (0.04) | 0.0  | (0.1) | <b>0.05</b>   | (0.02) | 0.02   | (0.05) | 0.2  | (0.1) |
| Peru                 | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.01) | 2.4  | (0.5) | <b>0.19</b>  | (0.02) | 2.8  | (0.6) | <b>0.06</b>   | (0.01) | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 3.0  | (0.6) |
| Qatar                | <b>0.14</b>  | (0.02) | 0.8  | (0.2) | <b>0.17</b>  | (0.03) | 0.3  | (0.1) | <b>0.13</b>   | (0.02) | 0.04   | (0.04) | 0.8  | (0.2) |
| Russia               | <b>0.13</b>  | (0.02) | 1.1  | (0.3) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.04) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.14</b>   | (0.02) | -0.03  | (0.05) | 1.1  | (0.3) |
| Singapore            | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.02) | 0.5  | (0.2) | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.04) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | -0.01  | (0.04) | 0.5  | (0.2) |
| Chinese Taipei       | <b>0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 1.1  | (0.3) | <b>0.16</b>  | (0.04) | 0.4  | (0.2) | <b>0.11</b>   | (0.02) | 0.05   | (0.04) | 1.1  | (0.3) |
| Thailand             | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.01) | 0.7  | (0.2) | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.02) | 0.4  | (0.2) | <b>0.06</b>   | (0.01) | 0.02   | (0.03) | 0.8  | (0.3) |
| Tunisia              | 0.00   | (0.01) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.04   | (0.03) | 0.1  | (0.1) | -0.02   | (0.01) | 0.06   | (0.03) | 0.1  | (0.1) |
| United Arab Emirates | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.02) | 0.3  | (0.1) | <b>-0.14</b>   | (0.05) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.15</b>   | (0.02) | <b>-0.28</b>   | (0.06) | 0.9  | (0.3) |
| Uruguay              | <b>0.08</b>  | (0.01) | 0.8  | (0.2) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.02) | 0.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | 0.01   | (0.03) | 0.8  | (0.2) |
| Malaysia**           | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.01) | 1.1  | (0.3) | <b>0.10</b>  | (0.03) | 0.5  | (0.3) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.01) | 0.02   | (0.04) | 1.1  | (0.3) |

1. ESCS refers to the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status.

2. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.5.5b Index of valuing teamwork, by socio-economic status

|                 | Index of valuing teamwork | Index of valuing teamwork, by national quarter of student ESCS <sup>1</sup> |             |                |             |               |              |              |              |                      |                     | Index of valuing teamwork, by national quarter of school ESCS |             |                |             |               |              |              |              |                      |                     |                     |  |  |
|-----------------|---------------------------|---|-------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|---|-------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--|--|
|                 |                           | Bottom quarter  |             | Second quarter |             | Third quarter |              | Top quarter  |              | Top - bottom quarter |                     | Bottom quarter  |             | Second quarter |             | Third quarter |              | Top quarter  |              | Top - bottom quarter |                     |                     |  |  |
|                 |                           | Mean index  | S.E.        | Mean index     | S.E.        | Mean index    | S.E.         | Mean index   | S.E.         | Index dif.           | S.E.                | Mean index  | S.E.        | Mean index     | S.E.        | Mean index    | S.E.         | Mean index   | S.E.         | Index dif.           | S.E.                |                     |  |  |
| OECD            | Australia                 | 0.01 (0.01)   |             | 0.04 (0.02)    |             | 0.01 (0.02)   |              | 0.01 (0.02)  |              | -0.05 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.09</b> (0.03)   |             | 0.03 (0.02)    |             | 0.03 (0.02)   |              | 0.01 (0.02)  |              | -0.05 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.08</b> (0.03) |  |  |
|                 | Austria                   | 0.19 (0.01)   |             | 0.30 (0.03)    |             | 0.25 (0.03)   |              | 0.18 (0.03)  |              | 0.02 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.28</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.40 (0.04)    |             | 0.23 (0.04)   |              | 0.12 (0.04)  |              | 0.00 (0.04)          |                     | <b>-0.41</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Belgium                   | -0.11 (0.01)  |             | -0.04 (0.03)   |             | -0.07 (0.02)  |              | -0.09 (0.03) |              | -0.22 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.18</b> (0.03)   |             | 0.01 (0.03)    |             | -0.04 (0.03)  |              | -0.14 (0.04) |              | -0.24 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.25</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Canada                    | 0.00 (0.01)   |             | -0.01 (0.02)   |             | 0.00 (0.02)   |              | 0.03 (0.02)  |              | -0.01 (0.02)         |                     | 0.00 (0.03)   |             | -0.02 (0.02)   |             | 0.02 (0.03)   |              | -0.01 (0.03) |              | 0.01 (0.02)          |                     | 0.04 (0.03)         |  |  |
|                 | Chile                     | 0.21 (0.02)   |             | 0.19 (0.03)    |             | 0.19 (0.03)   |              | 0.24 (0.03)  |              | 0.21 (0.03)          |                     | 0.02 (0.04)   |             | 0.20 (0.03)    |             | 0.23 (0.04)   |              | 0.20 (0.03)  |              | 0.20 (0.03)          |                     | 0.00 (0.04)         |  |  |
|                 | Czech Republic            | 0.00 (0.02)   |             | 0.01 (0.03)    |             | 0.05 (0.03)   |              | 0.01 (0.03)  |              | -0.06 (0.03)         |                     | -0.07 (0.04)  |             | 0.05 (0.04)    |             | 0.00 (0.03)   |              | 0.05 (0.04)  |              | -0.08 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.13</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Denmark                   | -0.12 (0.01)  |             | -0.01 (0.03)   |             | -0.11 (0.03)  |              | -0.10 (0.03) |              | -0.24 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.22</b> (0.04)   |             | -0.02 (0.03)   |             | -0.11 (0.03)  |              | -0.13 (0.03) |              | -0.23 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.21</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Estonia                   | -0.10 (0.02)  |             | -0.05 (0.03)   |             | -0.11 (0.03)  |              | -0.10 (0.03) |              | -0.13 (0.03)         |                     | -0.08 (0.05)  |             | -0.06 (0.04)   |             | -0.05 (0.03)  |              | -0.11 (0.03) |              | -0.16 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.11</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Finland                   | -0.22 (0.02)  |             | -0.21 (0.03)   |             | -0.21 (0.03)  |              | -0.21 (0.03) |              | -0.23 (0.02)         |                     | -0.02 (0.04)  |             | -0.25 (0.04)   |             | -0.15 (0.03)  |              | -0.25 (0.03) |              | -0.22 (0.02)         |                     | 0.03 (0.05)         |  |  |
|                 | France                    | 0.11 (0.02)   |             | 0.19 (0.03)    |             | 0.19 (0.03)   |              | 0.08 (0.03)  |              | -0.03 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.22</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.26 (0.04)    |             | 0.13 (0.04)   |              | 0.05 (0.03)  |              | 0.01 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.25</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Germany                   | 0.15 (0.02)   |             | 0.16 (0.03)    |             | 0.17 (0.03)   |              | 0.18 (0.03)  |              | 0.13 (0.03)          |                     | -0.03 (0.04)  |             | 0.21 (0.04)    |             | 0.16 (0.04)   |              | 0.14 (0.03)  |              | 0.09 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.12</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Greece                    | 0.18 (0.01)   |             | 0.30 (0.03)    |             | 0.17 (0.03)   |              | 0.18 (0.03)  |              | 0.08 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.22</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.20 (0.04)    |             | 0.25 (0.03)   |              | 0.15 (0.03)  |              | 0.13 (0.03)          |                     | -0.07 (0.05)        |  |  |
|                 | Hungary                   | -0.02 (0.02)  |             | -0.01 (0.03)   |             | 0.01 (0.03)   |              | -0.03 (0.03) |              | -0.06 (0.03)         |                     | -0.05 (0.04)  |             | 0.00 (0.03)    |             | 0.03 (0.04)   |              | -0.03 (0.03) |              | -0.08 (0.03)         |                     | -0.08 (0.04)        |  |  |
|                 | Iceland                   | -0.20 (0.02)  |             | -0.24 (0.04)   |             | -0.20 (0.03)  |              | -0.17 (0.04) |              | -0.18 (0.04)         |                     | 0.06 (0.06)   |             | -0.24 (0.04)   |             | -0.16 (0.03)  |              | -0.19 (0.04) |              | -0.21 (0.04)         |                     | 0.03 (0.05)         |  |  |
|                 | Ireland                   | 0.04 (0.01)   |             | 0.10 (0.03)    |             | 0.09 (0.03)   |              | 0.06 (0.03)  |              | -0.07 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.17</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.07 (0.03)    |             | 0.10 (0.04)   |              | 0.02 (0.04)  |              | -0.02 (0.04)         |                     | -0.09 (0.06)        |  |  |
|                 | Israel                    | -0.03 (0.02)  |             | 0.05 (0.03)    |             | -0.01 (0.03)  |              | -0.10 (0.03) |              | -0.07 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.13</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.06 (0.05)    |             | 0.04 (0.04)   |              | -0.09 (0.04) |              | -0.15 (0.04)         |                     | <b>-0.21</b> (0.07) |  |  |
|                 | Italy                     | 0.02 (0.02)   |             | 0.10 (0.03)    |             | 0.03 (0.03)   |              | 0.03 (0.03)  |              | -0.06 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.16</b> (0.03)   |             | 0.12 (0.04)    |             | 0.05 (0.04)   |              | 0.00 (0.03)  |              | -0.07 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.19</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Japan                     | -0.02 (0.02)  |             | -0.03 (0.03)   |             | 0.00 (0.03)   |              | -0.04 (0.03) |              | -0.03 (0.03)         |                     | 0.00 (0.04)   |             | -0.09 (0.04)   |             | 0.04 (0.04)   |              | 0.00 (0.03)  |              | -0.05 (0.04)         |                     | 0.03 (0.06)         |  |  |
|                 | Korea                     | 0.14 (0.01)   |             | 0.05 (0.03)    |             | 0.14 (0.02)   |              | 0.18 (0.02)  |              | 0.20 (0.03)          |                     | <b>0.16</b> (0.04)  |             | 0.07 (0.03)    |             | 0.17 (0.03)   |              | 0.15 (0.03)  |              | 0.19 (0.03)          |                     | <b>0.12</b> (0.04)  |  |  |
|                 | Latvia                    | -0.14 (0.02)  |             | -0.10 (0.04)   |             | -0.06 (0.04)  |              | -0.17 (0.02) |              | -0.21 (0.04)         |                     | <b>-0.11</b> (0.05)   |             | -0.08 (0.04)   |             | -0.11 (0.04)  |              | -0.14 (0.03) |              | -0.20 (0.04)         |                     | <b>-0.12</b> (0.06) |  |  |
|                 | Luxembourg                | 0.00 (0.01)   |             | 0.10 (0.03)    |             | 0.04 (0.03)   |              | -0.04 (0.03) |              | -0.09 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.18</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.06 (0.03)    |             | 0.00 (0.03)   |              | 0.01 (0.03)  |              | -0.06 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.12</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Mexico                    | 0.23 (0.01)   |             | 0.30 (0.03)    |             | 0.25 (0.03)   |              | 0.19 (0.03)  |              | 0.18 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.12</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.28 (0.04)    |             | 0.20 (0.03)   |              | 0.25 (0.03)  |              | 0.19 (0.02)          |                     | <b>-0.09</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Netherlands               | -0.26 (0.01)  |             | -0.23 (0.02)   |             | -0.21 (0.02)  |              | -0.26 (0.03) |              | -0.34 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.10</b> (0.03)   |             | -0.17 (0.03)   |             | -0.24 (0.03)  |              | -0.28 (0.03) |              | -0.34 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.17</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | New Zealand               | 0.06 (0.02)   |             | 0.11 (0.03)    |             | 0.13 (0.03)   |              | 0.01 (0.03)  |              | 0.01 (0.03)          |                     | -0.10 (0.05)  |             | 0.11 (0.05)    |             | 0.05 (0.04)   |              | 0.08 (0.04)  |              | 0.02 (0.03)          |                     | -0.10 (0.06)        |  |  |
|                 | Norway                    | -0.23 (0.02)  |             | -0.16 (0.03)   |             | -0.18 (0.03)  |              | -0.26 (0.03) |              | -0.31 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.15</b> (0.04)   |             | -0.21 (0.04)   |             | -0.19 (0.04)  |              | -0.27 (0.04) |              | -0.24 (0.04)         |                     | -0.04 (0.05)        |  |  |
|                 | Poland                    | -0.05 (0.02)  |             | 0.03 (0.03)    |             | 0.02 (0.03)   |              | -0.06 (0.03) |              | -0.20 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.23</b> (0.05)   |             | 0.05 (0.03)    |             | 0.00 (0.03)   |              | -0.04 (0.04) |              | -0.22 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.26</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Portugal                  | 0.32 (0.02)   |             | 0.37 (0.03)    |             | 0.36 (0.03)   |              | 0.33 (0.03)  |              | 0.22 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.15</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.42 (0.03)    |             | 0.29 (0.04)   |              | 0.32 (0.03)  |              | 0.24 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.17</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Slovak Republic           | -0.12 (0.02)  |             | -0.20 (0.03)   |             | -0.05 (0.03)  |              | -0.10 (0.02) |              | -0.13 (0.03)         |                     | 0.07 (0.04)   |             | -0.22 (0.04)   |             | -0.09 (0.03)  |              | -0.06 (0.03) |              | -0.13 (0.03)         |                     | 0.09 (0.05)         |  |  |
|                 | Slovenia                  | 0.02 (0.01)   |             | 0.07 (0.02)    |             | 0.06 (0.03)   |              | 0.00 (0.03)  |              | -0.04 (0.04)         |                     | <b>-0.12</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.07 (0.02)    |             | 0.08 (0.03)   |              | 0.03 (0.03)  |              | -0.09 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.16</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Spain                     | 0.15 (0.02)   |             | 0.22 (0.03)    |             | 0.16 (0.03)   |              | 0.09 (0.04)  |              | 0.12 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.10</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.21 (0.03)    |             | 0.13 (0.04)   |              | 0.12 (0.03)  |              | 0.13 (0.04)          |                     | -0.07 (0.05)        |  |  |
|                 | Sweden                    | -0.19 (0.02)  |             | -0.17 (0.04)   |             | -0.12 (0.05)  |              | -0.21 (0.03) |              | -0.25 (0.03)         |                     | -0.08 (0.05)  |             | -0.13 (0.04)   |             | -0.19 (0.04)  |              | -0.21 (0.03) |              | -0.23 (0.04)         |                     | -0.10 (0.06)        |  |  |
|                 | Switzerland               | 0.22 (0.02)   |             | 0.36 (0.03)    |             | 0.25 (0.03)   |              | 0.21 (0.03)  |              | 0.06 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.30</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.37 (0.03)    |             | 0.26 (0.05)   |              | 0.22 (0.05)  |              | 0.02 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.35</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Turkey                    | -0.04 (0.01)  |             | -0.11 (0.03)   |             | -0.04 (0.03)  |              | -0.02 (0.03) |              | -0.01 (0.03)         |                     | <b>0.10</b> (0.04)  |             | -0.14 (0.03)   |             | 0.00 (0.03)   |              | 0.00 (0.04)  |              | -0.03 (0.03)         |                     | <b>0.11</b> (0.05)  |  |  |
|                 | United Kingdom            | -0.04 (0.01)  |             | -0.06 (0.02)   |             | 0.03 (0.03)   |              | -0.06 (0.03) |              | -0.07 (0.03)         |                     | 0.00 (0.04)   |             | 0.00 (0.03)    |             | -0.07 (0.03)  |              | -0.02 (0.03) |              | -0.08 (0.02)         |                     | <b>-0.09</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | United States             | 0.06 (0.02)   |             | 0.06 (0.03)    |             | 0.06 (0.03)   |              | 0.10 (0.03)  |              | 0.02 (0.04)          |                     | -0.04 (0.05)  |             | 0.07 (0.04)    |             | 0.07 (0.05)   |              | 0.04 (0.04)  |              | 0.05 (0.04)          |                     | -0.02 (0.06)        |  |  |
| OECD average-32 | 0.00 (0.00)               |   | 0.03 (0.01) |                | 0.03 (0.01) |               | -0.01 (0.01) |              | -0.05 (0.01) |                      | <b>-0.08</b> (0.01) |   | 0.04 (0.01) |                | 0.02 (0.01) |               | -0.01 (0.01) |              | -0.05 (0.01) |                      | <b>-0.09</b> (0.01) |                     |  |  |
| OECD average-35 | 0.01 (0.00)               |   | 0.04 (0.01) |                | 0.04 (0.01) |               | 0.00 (0.00)  |              | -0.05 (0.01) |                      | <b>-0.09</b> (0.01) |   | 0.05 (0.01) |                | 0.03 (0.01) |               | 0.00 (0.01)  |              | -0.05 (0.01) |                      | <b>-0.10</b> (0.01) |                     |  |  |
| Partners        | Brazil                    | 0.21 (0.01)   |             | 0.23 (0.02)    |             | 0.20 (0.02)   |              | 0.17 (0.02)  |              | 0.22 (0.02)          |                     | -0.01 (0.03)  |             | 0.22 (0.02)    |             | 0.18 (0.02)   |              | 0.21 (0.02)  |              | 0.22 (0.02)          |                     | 0.01 (0.03)         |  |  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)           | 0.39 (0.01)   |             | 0.35 (0.02)    |             | 0.39 (0.02)   |              | 0.43 (0.03)  |              | 0.40 (0.03)          |                     | 0.05 (0.04)   |             | 0.36 (0.02)    |             | 0.39 (0.03)   |              | 0.44 (0.04)  |              | 0.38 (0.03)          |                     | 0.02 (0.04)         |  |  |
|                 | Bulgaria                  | -0.07 (0.02)  |             | -0.09 (0.03)   |             | -0.03 (0.04)  |              | -0.08 (0.04) |              | -0.07 (0.03)         |                     | 0.03 (0.04)   |             | -0.04 (0.05)   |             | -0.06 (0.05)  |              | -0.05 (0.04) |              | -0.13 (0.03)         |                     | -0.09 (0.06)        |  |  |
|                 | Colombia                  | 0.23 (0.01)   |             | 0.28 (0.02)    |             | 0.22 (0.02)   |              | 0.21 (0.02)  |              | 0.22 (0.02)          |                     | -0.06 (0.03)  |             | 0.28 (0.03)    |             | 0.25 (0.03)   |              | 0.21 (0.03)  |              | 0.20 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.08</b> (0.04) |  |  |
|                 | Costa Rica                | 0.34 (0.02)   |             | 0.46 (0.03)    |             | 0.39 (0.03)   |              | 0.28 (0.03)  |              | 0.22 (0.04)          |                     | <b>-0.24</b> (0.05)   |             | 0.49 (0.03)    |             | 0.39 (0.04)   |              | 0.26 (0.04)  |              | 0.20 (0.04)          |                     | <b>-0.28</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Croatia                   | 0.21 (0.02)   |             | 0.28 (0.03)    |             | 0.24 (0.03)   |              | 0.22 (0.03)  |              | 0.12 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.16</b> (0.04)   |             | 0.31 (0.04)    |             | 0.23 (0.04)   |              | 0.20 (0.04)  |              | 0.11 (0.03)          |                     | <b>-0.21</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Cyprus*                   | 0.10 (0.01)   |             | 0.11 (0.03)    |             | 0.14 (0.03)   |              | 0.07 (0.03)  |              | 0.06 (0.03)          |                     | -0.05 (0.04)  |             | 0.11 (0.03)    |             | 0.20 (0.03)   |              | 0.14 (0.03)  |              | -0.07 (0.03)         |                     | <b>-0.17</b> (0.05) |  |  |
|                 | Dominican Republic        | 0.51 (0.02)   |             | 0.49 (0.05)    |             | 0.46 (0.04)   |              | 0.51 (0.03)  |              | 0.58 (0.04)          |                     | 0.09 (0.06)   |             | 0.41 (0.05)    |             | 0.47 (0.06)   |              | 0.58 (0.04)  |              | 0.56 (0.04)          |                     | <b>0.15</b> (0.07)  |  |  |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)         | 0.06 (0.02)   |             | -0.03 (0.03)   |             | 0.11 (0.03)   |              | 0.05 (0.03)  |              | 0.09 (0.03)          |                     | <b>0.11</b> (0.04)  |             | 0.01 (0.03)    |             | 0.08 (0.04)   |              | 0.09 (0.04)  |              | 0.05 (0.04)          |                     | 0.03 (0.05)         |  |  |
|                 | Lithuania                 | 0.33 (0.02)   |             | 0.35 (0.03)    |             | 0.42 (0.03)   |              | 0.29 (0.03)  |              | 0.27 (0.04)          |                     | -0.07 (0.05)  |             | 0.38 (0.04)    |             | 0.37 (0.03)   |              | 0.36 (0.04)  |              | 0.22 (0.04)          |                     | <b>-0.16</b> (0.06) |  |  |
|                 | Macao (China)             | 0.01 (0.01)   |             | -0.02 (0.02)   |             | 0.02 (0.02)   |              | -0.01 (0.03) |              | 0.03 (0.03)          |                     | 0.05 (0.03)   |             | 0.00 (0.02)    |             | 0.02 (0.03)   |              | 0.03 (0.02)  |              | -0.04 (0.03)         |                     | -0.04 (0.04)        |  |  |
|                 | Montenegro                | -0.09 (0.01)  |             | -0.11 (0.02)   |             | -0.04         |              |              |              |                      |                     |   |             |                |             |               |              |              |              |                      |                     |                     |  |  |

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Table V.5.5b Index of valuing teamwork, by socio-economic status

|                      | When accounting for student socio-economic status                             |        |   |       | When accounting for schools' socio-economic profile <sup>2</sup> |        |   |       | When accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile |        |   |        |   |       |
|----------------------|---|--------|---|-------|--|--------|---|-------|---|--------|---|--------|---|-------|
|                      | Change in the index of valuing teamwork per unit of student ESCS <sup>1</sup> |        | Explained variance in the index of valuing teamwork (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in the index of valuing teamwork per unit of school ESCS  |        | Explained variance in the index of valuing teamwork (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in the index of valuing teamwork per unit of student ESCS  |        | Change in the index of valuing teamwork per unit of school ESCS |        | Explained variance in the index of valuing teamwork (r-squared × 100) |       |
|                      | Index dif.  | S.E.   | %   | S.E.  | Index dif.   | S.E.   | %   | S.E.  | Index dif.  | S.E.   | Index dif.  | S.E.   | %   | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |        |   |       |  |        |   |       |   |        |   |        |   |       |
| Australia            | -0.03   | (0.01) | 0.1   | (0.0) | <b>-0.07</b>   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -0.02   | (0.01) | -0.05   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Austria              | <b>-0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 0.9   | (0.2) | <b>-0.34</b>   | (0.03) | 2.1   | (0.4) | -0.02   | (0.02) | <b>-0.31</b>  | (0.04) | 2.1   | (0.4) |
| Belgium              | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.01) | 0.4   | (0.2) | <b>-0.21</b>   | (0.03) | 1.0   | (0.3) | -0.02   | (0.01) | <b>-0.19</b>  | (0.03) | 1.0   | (0.3) |
| Canada               | 0.01  | (0.01) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.02   | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.01  | (0.01) | 0.01  | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
| Chile                | 0.01  | (0.01) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.01  | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.03  | (0.02) | -0.04   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Czech Republic       | -0.03   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.1) | <b>-0.12</b>   | (0.03) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 0.01  | (0.02) | <b>-0.13</b>  | (0.04) | 0.3   | (0.1) |
| Denmark              | <b>-0.09</b>  | (0.02) | 0.7   | (0.3) | <b>-0.20</b>   | (0.03) | 0.7   | (0.2) | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.14</b>  | (0.04) | 0.9   | (0.3) |
| Estonia              | -0.03   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>-0.09</b>   | (0.04) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -0.01   | (0.02) | -0.08   | (0.05) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Finland              | 0.00  | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.01   | (0.04) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.02  | (0.05) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
| France               | <b>-0.10</b>  | (0.02) | 0.5   | (0.2) | <b>-0.21</b>   | (0.04) | 0.7   | (0.2) | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.15</b>  | (0.05) | 0.8   | (0.2) |
| Germany              | -0.02   | (0.01) | 0.0   | (0.1) | <b>-0.09</b>   | (0.04) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.00  | (0.02) | <b>-0.10</b>  | (0.04) | 0.2   | (0.2) |
| Greece               | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.02) | 0.5   | (0.2) | <b>-0.08</b>   | (0.03) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.02) | -0.01   | (0.03) | 0.5   | (0.2) |
| Hungary              | -0.02   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.1) | <b>-0.06</b>   | (0.03) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.01  | (0.02) | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.04) | 0.2   | (0.1) |
| Iceland              | 0.04  | (0.03) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.09   | (0.06) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.03  | (0.03) | 0.05  | (0.07) | 0.1   | (0.2) |
| Ireland              | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.02) | 0.3   | (0.2) | <b>-0.11</b>   | (0.04) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.02) | -0.05   | (0.04) | 0.4   | (0.2) |
| Israel               | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>-0.21</b>   | (0.05) | 0.7   | (0.3) | -0.01   | (0.02) | <b>-0.20</b>  | (0.06) | 0.7   | (0.3) |
| Italy                | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.01) | 0.4   | (0.2) | <b>-0.15</b>   | (0.03) | 0.6   | (0.2) | <b>-0.03</b>  | (0.01) | <b>-0.12</b>  | (0.03) | 0.6   | (0.2) |
| Japan                | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.00   | (0.06) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.01  | (0.06) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
| Korea                | <b>0.09</b>   | (0.02) | 0.4   | (0.2) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.05) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>0.08</b>   | (0.02) | 0.03  | (0.05) | 0.4   | (0.2) |
| Latvia               | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.2) | <b>-0.10</b>   | (0.05) | 0.2   | (0.2) | -0.03   | (0.02) | -0.07   | (0.05) | 0.3   | (0.2) |
| Luxembourg           | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.01) | 0.3   | (0.2) | <b>-0.08</b>   | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | -0.04   | (0.03) | 0.4   | (0.2) |
| Mexico               | <b>-0.04</b>  | (0.01) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>-0.03</b>   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>-0.04</b>  | (0.01) | 0.00  | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) |
| Netherlands          | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.3   | (0.2) | <b>-0.20</b>   | (0.04) | 0.8   | (0.3) | -0.01   | (0.02) | <b>-0.18</b>  | (0.04) | 0.8   | (0.3) |
| New Zealand          | -0.05   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -0.10  | (0.05) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -0.03   | (0.03) | -0.06   | (0.06) | 0.2   | (0.2) |
| Norway               | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) | -0.11  | (0.07) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | -0.06   | (0.07) | 0.2   | (0.2) |
| Poland               | <b>-0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 0.9   | (0.3) | <b>-0.25</b>   | (0.05) | 0.9   | (0.3) | <b>-0.08</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.17</b>  | (0.06) | 1.3   | (0.4) |
| Portugal             | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.01) | 0.3   | (0.1) | <b>-0.09</b>   | (0.02) | 0.3   | (0.1) | <b>-0.03</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.03) | 0.4   | (0.2) |
| Slovak Republic      | 0.04  | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>0.11</b>  | (0.04) | 0.4   | (0.3) | 0.00  | (0.02) | <b>0.11</b>   | (0.04) | 0.4   | (0.3) |
| Slovenia             | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>-0.15</b>   | (0.03) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.00  | (0.02) | <b>-0.15</b>  | (0.04) | 0.5   | (0.2) |
| Spain                | <b>-0.03</b>  | (0.01) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -0.03  | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.1) | <b>-0.03</b>  | (0.01) | -0.01   | (0.03) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Sweden               | <b>-0.04</b>  | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -0.08  | (0.06) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -0.03   | (0.02) | -0.05   | (0.06) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Switzerland          | <b>-0.12</b>  | (0.02) | 1.2   | (0.3) | <b>-0.31</b>   | (0.04) | 1.8   | (0.5) | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.24</b>  | (0.05) | 2.0   | (0.5) |
| Turkey               | <b>0.03</b>   | (0.01) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.02  | (0.01) | <b>0.05</b>   | (0.03) | 0.3   | (0.2) |
| United Kingdom       | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.06  | (0.03) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.01  | (0.02) | -0.07   | (0.04) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| United States        | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.03  | (0.04) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -0.01   | (0.02) | -0.02   | (0.04) | 0.0   | (0.1) |
| OECD average-32      | <b>-0.03</b>  | (0.00) | 0.2   | (0.0) | <b>-0.08</b>   | (0.01) | 0.3   | (0.0) | <b>-0.01</b>  | (0.00) | <b>-0.06</b>  | (0.01) | 0.4   | (0.0) |
| OECD average-35      | <b>-0.04</b>  | (0.00) | 0.3   | (0.0) | <b>-0.09</b>   | (0.01) | 0.4   | (0.0) | <b>-0.02</b>  | (0.00) | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.01) | 0.5   | (0.0) |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |        |   |       |  |        |   |       |   |        |   |        |   |       |
| Brazil               | 0.00  | (0.01) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.00   | (0.01) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.00  | (0.01) | 0.00  | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.02  | (0.01) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.00   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | <b>0.03</b>   | (0.01) | -0.03   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Bulgaria             | 0.01  | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.04  | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.04  | (0.02) | -0.08   | (0.04) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Colombia             | <b>-0.02</b>  | (0.01) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>-0.05</b>   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.00  | (0.01) | -0.04   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) |
| Costa Rica           | <b>-0.08</b>  | (0.01) | 0.9   | (0.3) | <b>-0.15</b>   | (0.03) | 1.1   | (0.4) | <b>-0.04</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.11</b>  | (0.04) | 1.3   | (0.4) |
| Croatia              | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.02) | 0.4   | (0.2) | <b>-0.19</b>   | (0.03) | 0.6   | (0.2) | <b>-0.04</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.14</b>  | (0.04) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
| Cyprus*              | -0.03   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>-0.14</b>   | (0.03) | 0.4   | (0.2) | 0.01  | (0.02) | <b>-0.15</b>  | (0.04) | 0.4   | (0.2) |
| Dominican Republic   | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>0.09</b>  | (0.03) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.02  | (0.02) | 0.07  | (0.04) | 0.3   | (0.2) |
| Hong Kong (China)    | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.05   | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.1) | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.02) | 0.00  | (0.04) | 0.2   | (0.1) |
| Lithuania            | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | <b>-0.14</b>   | (0.04) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.04  | (0.02) | <b>-0.18</b>  | (0.05) | 0.4   | (0.2) |
| Macao (China)        | 0.01  | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.02  | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.02  | (0.02) | -0.04   | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.1) |
| Montenegro           | -0.03   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>-0.28</b>   | (0.04) | 0.9   | (0.3) | 0.02  | (0.02) | <b>-0.30</b>  | (0.05) | 0.9   | (0.3) |
| Peru                 | <b>0.05</b>   | (0.01) | 0.5   | (0.2) | <b>0.07</b>  | (0.02) | 0.5   | (0.2) | <b>0.03</b>   | (0.01) | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.02) | 0.5   | (0.3) |
| Qatar                | <b>0.05</b>   | (0.01) | 0.2   | (0.1) | -0.02  | (0.03) | 0.0   | (0.0) | <b>0.07</b>   | (0.01) | <b>-0.09</b>  | (0.03) | 0.2   | (0.1) |
| Russia               | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | 0.2   | (0.2) | <b>-0.20</b>   | (0.05) | 0.7   | (0.3) | 0.00  | (0.02) | <b>-0.20</b>  | (0.05) | 0.7   | (0.3) |
| Singapore            | <b>-0.07</b>  | (0.02) | 0.4   | (0.2) | <b>-0.22</b>   | (0.03) | 1.0   | (0.3) | -0.01   | (0.02) | <b>-0.21</b>  | (0.03) | 1.1   | (0.3) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.00  | (0.01) | 0.0   | (0.0) | <b>-0.08</b>   | (0.03) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.03  | (0.02) | <b>-0.11</b>  | (0.04) | 0.2   | (0.1) |
| Thailand             | <b>0.04</b>   | (0.01) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.03   | (0.02) | 0.1   | (0.1) | <b>0.05</b>   | (0.01) | -0.01   | (0.02) | 0.3   | (0.2) |
| Tunisia              | <b>-0.09</b>  | (0.01) | 1.1   | (0.3) | <b>-0.17</b>   | (0.03) | 1.3   | (0.4) | <b>-0.05</b>  | (0.02) | <b>-0.12</b>  | (0.03) | 1.5   | (0.4) |
| United Arab Emirates | -0.02   | (0.02) | 0.0   | (0.0) | <b>-0.25</b>   | (0.05) | 0.8   | (0.3) | <b>0.06</b>   | (0.02) | <b>-0.31</b>  | (0.06) | 0.9   | (0.3) |
| Uruguay              | <b>-0.04</b>  | (0.01) | 0.2   | (0.1) | <b>-0.10</b>   | (0.02) | 0.4   | (0.1) | 0.00  | (0.02) | <b>-0.10</b>  | (0.02) | 0.4   | (0.1) |
| Malaysia**           | 0.00  | (0.01) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -0.07  | (0.03) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.02  | (0.01) | <b>-0.09</b>  | (0.04) | 0.3   | (0.2) |

1. ESCS refers to the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status.

2. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.5.8a Index of valuing relationships, by immigrant background

|                 |                      | Index of valuing relationships |        |                        |        |                    |        |                              |        |                             |              | Difference in the index of valuing relationships |              |   |             |  |        |
|-----------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|--------------------|--------|------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|--------------|--|--------------|---|-------------|--|--------|
|                 |                      | All students                   |        | Non-immigrant students |        | Immigrant students |        | Second-generation immigrants |        | First-generation immigrants |              | Non-immigrants minus immigrants                  |              | Non-immigrants minus second-generation immigrants |             | Non-immigrants minus first-generation immigrants |        |
|                 |                      | Mean index                     | S.E.   | Mean index             | S.E.   | Mean index         | S.E.   | Mean index                   | S.E.   | Mean index                  | S.E.         | Index dif.                                       | S.E.         | Index dif.  | S.E.        | Index dif.                                       | S.E.   |
| OECD            | Australia            | 0.09                           | (0.01) | 0.05                   | (0.01) | 0.19               | (0.03) | 0.18                         | (0.03) | 0.20                        | (0.03)       | <b>-0.13</b>                                     | (0.03)       | <b>-0.12</b>                                      | (0.03)      | <b>-0.14</b>                                     | (0.04) |
|                 | Austria              | 0.24                           | (0.01) | 0.25                   | (0.02) | 0.21               | (0.03) | 0.23                         | (0.04) | 0.17                        | (0.06)       | 0.04   | (0.04)       | 0.02  | (0.05)      | 0.09   | (0.06) |
|                 | Belgium              | -0.06                          | (0.01) | -0.07                  | (0.01) | -0.04              | (0.03) | -0.02                        | (0.04) | -0.06                       | (0.04)       | -0.03  | (0.03)       | -0.04   | (0.04)      | -0.01  | (0.05) |
|                 | Canada               | 0.11                           | (0.01) | 0.07                   | (0.01) | 0.21               | (0.02) | 0.20                         | (0.02) | 0.23                        | (0.04)       | <b>-0.14</b>                                     | (0.02)       | <b>-0.13</b>                                      | (0.02)      | <b>-0.16</b>                                     | (0.04) |
|                 | Chile                | 0.09                           | (0.02) | 0.09                   | (0.02) | -0.09              | (0.09) | 0.13                         | (0.18) | -0.17                       | (0.12)       | 0.18   | (0.10)       | -0.04   | (0.18)      | <b>0.26</b>                                      | (0.13) |
|                 | Czech Republic       | -0.19                          | (0.01) | -0.19                  | (0.01) | -0.42              | (0.08) | -0.36                        | (0.12) | -0.47                       | (0.10)       | <b>0.23</b>                                      | (0.08)       | 0.17  | (0.12)      | <b>0.29</b>                                      | (0.10) |
|                 | Denmark              | 0.01                           | (0.01) | 0.02                   | (0.02) | -0.03              | (0.03) | 0.00                         | (0.04) | -0.13                       | (0.07)       | 0.05   | (0.04)       | 0.01  | (0.05)      | <b>0.15</b>                                      | (0.07) |
|                 | Estonia              | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 0.05                   | (0.02) | -0.12              | (0.04) | -0.13                        | (0.05) | 0.06                        | (0.23)       | <b>0.17</b>                                      | (0.05)       | <b>0.18</b>                                       | (0.05)      | -0.01  | (0.23) |
|                 | Finland              | -0.08                          | (0.01) | -0.08                  | (0.01) | -0.06              | (0.07) | 0.06                         | (0.08) | -0.16                       | (0.10)       | -0.02  | (0.07)       | -0.14   | (0.08)      | 0.07   | (0.10) |
|                 | France               | -0.07                          | (0.01) | -0.06                  | (0.02) | -0.09              | (0.04) | -0.10                        | (0.05) | -0.06                       | (0.06)       | 0.02   | (0.04)       | 0.03  | (0.05)      | 0.00   | (0.06) |
|                 | Germany              | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 0.15                   | (0.02) | 0.18               | (0.04) | 0.16                         | (0.04) | 0.23                        | (0.09)       | -0.02  | (0.05)       | -0.01   | (0.05)      | -0.07  | (0.09) |
|                 | Greece               | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 0.05                   | (0.02) | -0.10              | (0.06) | -0.06                        | (0.07) | -0.19                       | (0.11)       | <b>0.15</b>                                      | (0.07)       | 0.11  | (0.08)      | <b>0.24</b>                                      | (0.11) |
|                 | Hungary              | -0.03                          | (0.02) | -0.03                  | (0.02) | 0.06               | (0.10) | 0.13                         | (0.12) | -0.02                       | (0.15)       | -0.09  | (0.09)       | -0.16   | (0.12)      | 0.00   | (0.15) |
|                 | Iceland              | -0.09                          | (0.02) | -0.08                  | (0.02) | -0.15              | (0.08) | 0.03                         | (0.15) | -0.23                       | (0.10)       | 0.07   | (0.08)       | -0.12   | (0.16)      | 0.15   | (0.10) |
|                 | Ireland              | 0.03                           | (0.01) | 0.03                   | (0.01) | 0.02               | (0.03) | -0.10                        | (0.07) | 0.06                        | (0.04)       | 0.01   | (0.03)       | 0.13  | (0.07)      | -0.03  | (0.04) |
|                 | Israel               | 0.24                           | (0.02) | 0.26                   | (0.02) | 0.17               | (0.05) | 0.16                         | (0.06) | 0.20                        | (0.09)       | 0.09   | (0.05)       | 0.10  | (0.06)      | 0.06   | (0.09) |
|                 | Italy                | -0.13                          | (0.01) | -0.14                  | (0.02) | -0.09              | (0.05) | -0.09                        | (0.07) | -0.09                       | (0.07)       | -0.05  | (0.05)       | -0.04   | (0.07)      | -0.05  | (0.08) |
|                 | Japan                | -0.22                          | (0.02) | -0.22                  | (0.02) | -0.37              | (0.24) | c                            | c      | c                           | c            | 0.15   | (0.24)       | c   | c           | c  | c      |
|                 | Korea                | -0.02                          | (0.02) | -0.02                  | (0.02) | c                  | c      | m                            | m      | c                           | c            | c  | c            | m   | m           | c  | c      |
|                 | Latvia               | -0.30                          | (0.02) | -0.30                  | (0.02) | -0.36              | (0.06) | -0.32                        | (0.06) | -0.53                       | (0.24)       | 0.07   | (0.06)       | 0.03  | (0.06)      | 0.23   | (0.24) |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 0.04                           | (0.01) | 0.06                   | (0.02) | 0.01               | (0.02) | 0.04                         | (0.02) | -0.04                       | (0.03)       | <b>0.05</b>                                      | (0.03)       | 0.02  | (0.03)      | <b>0.10</b>                                      | (0.03) |
|                 | Mexico               | 0.17                           | (0.02) | 0.17                   | (0.02) | 0.15               | (0.15) | c                            | c      | 0.30                        | (0.18)       | 0.01   | (0.15)       | c   | c           | -0.13  | (0.18) |
|                 | Netherlands          | -0.18                          | (0.01) | -0.20                  | (0.01) | -0.05              | (0.04) | -0.04                        | (0.04) | -0.12                       | (0.11)       | <b>-0.14</b>                                     | (0.04)       | <b>-0.16</b>                                      | (0.04)      | -0.08  | (0.11) |
|                 | New Zealand          | 0.02                           | (0.02) | -0.02                  | (0.02) | 0.11               | (0.04) | 0.15                         | (0.05) | 0.09                        | (0.04)       | <b>-0.13</b>                                     | (0.04)       | <b>-0.17</b>                                      | (0.05)      | <b>-0.11</b>                                     | (0.05) |
|                 | Norway               | 0.11                           | (0.02) | 0.11                   | (0.02) | 0.08               | (0.05) | 0.17                         | (0.06) | -0.01                       | (0.09)       | 0.03   | (0.05)       | -0.06   | (0.06)      | 0.12   | (0.09) |
|                 | Poland               | -0.20                          | (0.02) | -0.20                  | (0.02) | c                  | c      | c                            | c      | c                           | c            | c  | c            | c   | c           | c  | c      |
|                 | Portugal             | 0.37                           | (0.02) | 0.38                   | (0.02) | 0.30               | (0.05) | 0.30                         | (0.07) | 0.31                        | (0.07)       | 0.07   | (0.05)       | 0.08  | (0.07)      | 0.07   | (0.07) |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | -0.34                          | (0.01) | -0.33                  | (0.01) | -0.61              | (0.20) | -0.47                        | (0.23) | c                           | c            | 0.27   | (0.20)       | 0.13  | (0.23)      | c  | c      |
|                 | Slovenia             | -0.04                          | (0.01) | -0.03                  | (0.02) | -0.14              | (0.06) | -0.16                        | (0.06) | -0.12                       | (0.10)       | 0.11   | (0.06)       | <b>0.13</b>                                       | (0.06)      | 0.09   | (0.10) |
|                 | Spain                | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 0.18                   | (0.02) | 0.26               | (0.04) | 0.33                         | (0.10) | 0.25                        | (0.05)       | -0.08  | (0.04)       | -0.15   | (0.10)      | -0.07  | (0.05) |
|                 | Sweden               | 0.05                           | (0.02) | 0.04                   | (0.02) | 0.08               | (0.04) | 0.09                         | (0.05) | 0.07                        | (0.07)       | -0.04  | (0.05)       | -0.05   | (0.05)      | -0.02  | (0.07) |
|                 | Switzerland          | 0.20                           | (0.02) | 0.21                   | (0.03) | 0.17               | (0.03) | 0.22                         | (0.04) | 0.07                        | (0.05)       | 0.04   | (0.04)       | -0.01   | (0.04)      | <b>0.14</b>                                      | (0.06) |
| Turkey          | 0.01                 | (0.02)                         | 0.01   | (0.02)                 | -0.44  | (0.24)             | 0.08   | (0.23)                       | c      | c                           | 0.45         | (0.24)   | -0.07        | (0.23)  | c           | c  |        |
| United Kingdom  | -0.03                | (0.02)                         | -0.05  | (0.02)                 | 0.07   | (0.03)             | 0.14   | (0.05)                       | 0.00   | (0.06)                      | <b>-0.12</b> | (0.04)   | <b>-0.19</b> | (0.05)  | -0.05       | (0.06)   |        |
| United States   | 0.13                 | (0.02)                         | 0.14   | (0.02)                 | 0.13   | (0.03)             | 0.13   | (0.03)                       | 0.13   | (0.05)                      | 0.01         | (0.03)   | 0.01         | (0.04)  | 0.01        | (0.05)   |        |
| OECD average-32 | 0.01                 | (0.00)                         | 0.01   | (0.00)                 | -0.03  | (0.02)             | 0.03   | (0.02)                       | -0.01  | (0.02)                      | <b>0.04</b>  | (0.02)   | -0.02        | (0.02)  | 0.04        | (0.02)   |        |
| OECD average-35 | 0.01                 | (0.00)                         | 0.01   | (0.00)                 | -0.02  | (0.02)             | 0.04   | (0.02)                       | 0.00   | (0.02)                      | <b>0.04</b>  | (0.02)   | -0.02        | (0.02)  | <b>0.04</b> | (0.02)   |        |
| Partners        | Brazil               | -0.04                          | (0.01) | -0.04                  | (0.01) | -0.16              | (0.15) | -0.18                        | (0.20) | -0.12                       | (0.19)       | 0.13   | (0.15)       | 0.15  | (0.21)      | 0.08   | (0.19) |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.02                           | (0.02) | 0.02                   | (0.02) | c                  | c      | c                            | c      | c                           | c            | c  | c            | c   | c           | c  | c      |
|                 | Bulgaria             | -0.03                          | (0.02) | -0.03                  | (0.02) | -0.17              | (0.19) | c                            | c      | c                           | c            | 0.14   | (0.19)       | c   | c           | c  | c      |
|                 | Colombia             | 0.06                           | (0.02) | 0.06                   | (0.02) | -0.10              | (0.20) | -0.06                        | (0.25) | c                           | c            | 0.16   | (0.20)       | 0.12  | (0.25)      | c  | c      |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 0.35                           | (0.02) | 0.35                   | (0.02) | 0.35               | (0.05) | 0.44                         | (0.07) | 0.17                        | (0.08)       | 0.00   | (0.06)       | -0.09   | (0.07)      | <b>0.18</b>                                      | (0.09) |
|                 | Croatia              | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 0.01                   | (0.02) | -0.02              | (0.05) | -0.07                        | (0.05) | 0.20                        | (0.11)       | 0.03   | (0.05)       | 0.08  | (0.05)      | -0.19  | (0.11) |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 0.07                           | (0.01) | 0.08                   | (0.01) | -0.03              | (0.05) | -0.03                        | (0.09) | -0.02                       | (0.05)       | <b>0.11</b>                                      | (0.05)       | 0.12  | (0.09)      | <b>0.11</b>                                      | (0.05) |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | 0.29                           | (0.02) | 0.30                   | (0.02) | 0.01               | (0.16) | -0.05                        | (0.20) | 0.10                        | (0.26)       | 0.28   | (0.17)       | 0.35  | (0.20)      | 0.20   | (0.26) |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | -0.04                          | (0.02) | -0.04                  | (0.02) | -0.04              | (0.02) | 0.00                         | (0.03) | -0.11                       | (0.04)       | 0.00   | (0.03)       | -0.04   | (0.04)      | 0.08   | (0.04) |
|                 | Lithuania            | 0.17                           | (0.02) | 0.17                   | (0.02) | -0.13              | (0.14) | 0.02                         | (0.12) | -0.65                       | (0.43)       | <b>0.30</b>                                      | (0.14)       | 0.15  | (0.12)      | 0.83   | (0.43) |
|                 | Macao (China)        | -0.15                          | (0.01) | -0.18                  | (0.02) | -0.13              | (0.02) | -0.14                        | (0.02) | -0.12                       | (0.03)       | -0.05  | (0.02)       | -0.04   | (0.03)      | -0.06  | (0.04) |
|                 | Montenegro           | -0.04                          | (0.01) | -0.04                  | (0.01) | -0.17              | (0.06) | -0.09                        | (0.08) | -0.31                       | (0.09)       | <b>0.13</b>                                      | (0.06)       | 0.05  | (0.08)      | <b>0.28</b>                                      | (0.09) |
|                 | Peru                 | -0.08                          | (0.02) | -0.08                  | (0.01) | -0.28              | (0.26) | c                            | c      | c                           | c            | 0.20   | (0.26)       | c   | c           | c  | c      |
|                 | Qatar                | 0.13                           | (0.01) | 0.03                   | (0.02) | 0.20               | (0.01) | 0.20                         | (0.03) | 0.20                        | (0.02)       | <b>-0.17</b>                                     | (0.02)       | <b>-0.17</b>                                      | (0.03)      | <b>-0.17</b>                                     | (0.03) |
|                 | Russia               | -0.25                          | (0.02) | -0.26                  | (0.02) | -0.14              | (0.06) | -0.14                        | (0.08) | -0.13                       | (0.10)       | <b>-0.12</b>                                     | (0.06)       | -0.11   | (0.08)      | -0.13  | (0.09) |
|                 | Singapore            | 0.32                           | (0.02) | 0.32                   | (0.02) | 0.28               | (0.03) | 0.29                         | (0.05) | 0.28                        | (0.04)       | 0.04   | (0.03)       | 0.03  | (0.05)      | 0.05   | (0.04) |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 0.22                           | (0.02) | 0.22                   | (0.02) | c                  | c      | c                            | c      | c                           | c            | c  | c            | c   | c           | c  | c      |
|                 | Thailand             | 0.10                           | (0.02) | 0.10                   | (0.02) | 0.07               | (0.15) | -0.04                        | (0.16) | c                           | c            | 0.04   | (0.15)       | 0.15  | (0.16)      | c  | c      |
|                 | Tunisia              | 0.13                           | (0.02) | 0.14                   | (0.02) | -0.42              | (0.13) | -0.55                        | (0.14) | c                           | c            | <b>0.57</b>                                      | (0.13)       | <b>0.70</b>                                       | (0.14)      | c  | c      |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 0.33                           | (0.02) | 0.37                   | (0.02) | 0.30               | (0.02) | 0.34                         | (0.03) | 0.27                        | (0.02)       | <b>0.07</b>                                      | (0.03)       | 0.03  | (0.03)      | <b>0.10</b>                                      | (0.03) |
| Uruguay         | 0.11                 | (0.02)                         | 0.11   | (0.02)                 | 0.34   | (0.21)             | c      | c                            | c      | c                           | -0.23        | (0.21)   | c            | c   | c           | c  |        |
| Malaysia**      | -0.02                | (0.02)                         | -0.02  | (0.02)                 | -0.20  | (0.14)             | -0.20  | (0.15)                       | c      | c                           | 0.18         | (0.14)   | 0.18         | (0.15)  | c           | c  |        |

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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Table V.5.8b Index of valuing teamwork, by immigrant background

|                 | Index of valuing teamwork |              |                        |              |                    |              |                              |                    |                             |      | Difference in the index of valuing teamwork |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------|---|------|---|------|--|------|--|
|                 | All students              |              | Non-immigrant students |              | Immigrant students |              | Second-generation immigrants |                    | First-generation immigrants |      | Non-immigrants minus immigrants             |      | Non-immigrants minus second-generation immigrants |      | Non-immigrants minus first-generation immigrants |      |  |
|                 | Mean index                | S.E.         | Mean index             | S.E.         | Mean index         | S.E.         | Mean index                   | S.E.               | Mean index                  | S.E. | Index dif.                                  | S.E. | Index dif.  | S.E. | Index dif.                                       | S.E. |  |
| OECD            | Australia                 | 0.01 (0.01)  | -0.03 (0.01)           | 0.10 (0.02)  | 0.08 (0.03)        | 0.12 (0.03)  | -0.13 (0.02)                 | -0.10 (0.03)       | -0.15 (0.03)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Austria                   | 0.19 (0.01)  | 0.16 (0.02)            | 0.27 (0.03)  | 0.32 (0.04)        | 0.19 (0.06)  | -0.11 (0.04)                 | -0.16 (0.04)       | -0.03 (0.06)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Belgium                   | -0.11 (0.01) | -0.13 (0.02)           | 0.00 (0.04)  | 0.02 (0.04)        | -0.02 (0.06) | -0.13 (0.04)                 | -0.15 (0.04)       | -0.11 (0.07)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Canada                    | 0.00 (0.01)  | -0.03 (0.01)           | 0.06 (0.02)  | 0.05 (0.03)        | 0.07 (0.03)  | -0.09 (0.03)                 | -0.08 (0.03)       | -0.10 (0.03)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Chile                     | 0.21 (0.02)  | 0.21 (0.02)            | 0.11 (0.09)  | 0.38 (0.20)        | 0.02 (0.10)  | 0.10 (0.09)                  | -0.17 (0.20)       | 0.19 (0.11)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Czech Republic            | 0.01 (0.02)  | 0.01 (0.02)            | -0.01 (0.09) | 0.17 (0.13)        | -0.18 (0.10) | 0.02 (0.09)                  | -0.16 (0.13)       | 0.19 (0.10)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Denmark                   | -0.12 (0.02) | -0.12 (0.02)           | -0.12 (0.03) | -0.10 (0.03)       | -0.15 (0.07) | -0.01 (0.03)                 | -0.02 (0.04)       | 0.03 (0.07)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Estonia                   | -0.10 (0.02) | -0.10 (0.02)           | -0.09 (0.05) | -0.09 (0.05)       | -0.07 (0.26) | -0.01 (0.05)                 | 0.00 (0.05)        | -0.02 (0.26)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Finland                   | -0.21 (0.02) | -0.22 (0.02)           | -0.12 (0.09) | -0.12 (0.12)       | -0.12 (0.11) | -0.10 (0.09)                 | -0.10 (0.12)       | -0.10 (0.11)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | France                    | 0.11 (0.02)  | 0.11 (0.02)            | 0.10 (0.04)  | 0.07 (0.04)        | 0.16 (0.07)  | 0.00 (0.04)                  | 0.03 (0.04)        | -0.05 (0.08)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Germany                   | 0.15 (0.02)  | 0.14 (0.02)            | 0.16 (0.04)  | 0.16 (0.04)        | 0.19 (0.09)  | -0.02 (0.04)                 | -0.01 (0.04)       | -0.04 (0.09)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Greece                    | 0.18 (0.01)  | 0.17 (0.01)            | 0.23 (0.05)  | 0.29 (0.07)        | 0.11 (0.09)  | -0.06 (0.06)                 | -0.12 (0.07)       | 0.06 (0.09)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Hungary                   | -0.02 (0.02) | -0.02 (0.02)           | -0.02 (0.09) | -0.02 (0.10)       | -0.01 (0.18) | 0.00 (0.09)                  | 0.00 (0.11)        | -0.01 (0.18)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Iceland                   | -0.21 (0.02) | -0.21 (0.02)           | -0.01 (0.08) | 0.10 (0.16)        | -0.06 (0.11) | -0.20 (0.09)                 | -0.32 (0.16)       | -0.15 (0.11)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Ireland                   | 0.04 (0.02)  | 0.05 (0.02)            | 0.01 (0.04)  | -0.07 (0.08)       | 0.04 (0.04)  | 0.04 (0.04)                  | 0.12 (0.07)        | 0.01 (0.04)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Israel                    | -0.03 (0.02) | -0.01 (0.02)           | -0.15 (0.04) | -0.16 (0.05)       | -0.12 (0.08) | <b>0.14</b> (0.05)           | <b>0.15</b> (0.05) | 0.11 (0.09)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Italy                     | 0.02 (0.02)  | 0.01 (0.02)            | 0.17 (0.06)  | 0.08 (0.10)        | 0.23 (0.06)  | -0.16 (0.06)                 | -0.07 (0.10)       | -0.22 (0.07)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Japan                     | -0.03 (0.02) | -0.03 (0.02)           | -0.23 (0.20) | c                  | c            | c                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Korea                     | 0.14 (0.01)  | 0.14 (0.01)            | c            | c                  | m            | m                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Latvia                    | -0.14 (0.02) | -0.14 (0.02)           | -0.22 (0.08) | -0.16 (0.08)       | -0.46 (0.24) | 0.08 (0.08)                  | 0.03 (0.08)        | 0.32 (0.24)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Luxembourg                | 0.00 (0.01)  | -0.03 (0.02)           | 0.02 (0.02)  | 0.07 (0.03)        | -0.03 (0.03) | -0.05 (0.03)                 | -0.09 (0.03)       | 0.01 (0.04)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Mexico                    | 0.23 (0.01)  | 0.23 (0.01)            | 0.29 (0.11)  | c                  | c            | 0.45 (0.11)                  | -0.05 (0.11)       | -0.22 (0.12)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Netherlands               | -0.26 (0.01) | -0.27 (0.01)           | -0.17 (0.04) | -0.18 (0.05)       | -0.13 (0.08) | -0.09 (0.04)                 | -0.09 (0.05)       | -0.14 (0.09)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | New Zealand               | 0.07 (0.02)  | 0.05 (0.02)            | 0.11 (0.04)  | 0.22 (0.06)        | 0.04 (0.05)  | -0.06 (0.04)                 | -0.17 (0.06)       | 0.02 (0.05)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Norway                    | -0.23 (0.02) | -0.23 (0.02)           | -0.20 (0.04) | -0.18 (0.06)       | -0.22 (0.07) | -0.03 (0.05)                 | -0.06 (0.07)       | -0.01 (0.07)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Poland                    | -0.05 (0.02) | -0.05 (0.02)           | c            | c                  | c            | c                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Portugal                  | 0.32 (0.02)  | 0.32 (0.02)            | 0.24 (0.05)  | 0.23 (0.07)        | 0.25 (0.07)  | 0.08 (0.05)                  | 0.09 (0.07)        | 0.07 (0.07)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Slovak Republic           | -0.12 (0.02) | -0.11 (0.02)           | -0.59 (0.17) | -0.53 (0.17)       | c            | c                            | <b>0.48</b> (0.17) | <b>0.41</b> (0.17)          |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Slovenia                  | 0.02 (0.01)  | 0.02 (0.02)            | 0.09 (0.06)  | 0.07 (0.07)        | 0.12 (0.09)  | -0.07 (0.06)                 | -0.05 (0.07)       | -0.10 (0.09)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Spain                     | 0.15 (0.02)  | 0.15 (0.02)            | 0.12 (0.04)  | 0.20 (0.11)        | 0.10 (0.04)  | 0.03 (0.04)                  | -0.05 (0.10)       | 0.05 (0.05)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Sweden                    | -0.19 (0.02) | -0.21 (0.02)           | -0.07 (0.05) | -0.10 (0.07)       | -0.04 (0.06) | -0.14 (0.05)                 | -0.11 (0.07)       | -0.17 (0.06)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Switzerland               | 0.22 (0.02)  | 0.18 (0.03)            | 0.30 (0.03)  | 0.36 (0.04)        | 0.18 (0.04)  | -0.12 (0.04)                 | -0.18 (0.04)       | 0.01 (0.05)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Turkey                    | -0.04 (0.02) | -0.03 (0.02)           | -0.34 (0.26) | -0.06 (0.33)       | c            | c                            | 0.31 (0.26)        | 0.03 (0.34)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | United Kingdom            | -0.04 (0.01) | -0.06 (0.02)           | 0.06 (0.03)  | 0.13 (0.05)        | 0.00 (0.05)  | -0.13 (0.04)                 | -0.19 (0.05)       | -0.07 (0.06)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | United States             | 0.06 (0.02)  | 0.04 (0.02)            | 0.11 (0.03)  | 0.13 (0.03)        | 0.08 (0.06)  | -0.07 (0.03)                 | -0.09 (0.04)       | -0.04 (0.06)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
| OECD average-32 | 0.00 (0.00)               | -0.01 (0.00) | 0.00 (0.02)            | 0.04 (0.02)  | 0.02 (0.02)        | -0.01 (0.02) | -0.06 (0.02)                 | -0.02 (0.02)       |                             |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
| OECD average-35 | 0.01 (0.00)               | 0.00 (0.00)  | 0.01 (0.01)            | 0.04 (0.02)  | 0.02 (0.02)        | -0.01 (0.01) | -0.05 (0.02)                 | -0.02 (0.02)       |                             |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
| Partners        | Brazil                    | 0.21 (0.01)  | 0.21 (0.01)            | 0.14 (0.16)  | 0.24 (0.20)        | -0.11 (0.19) | 0.07 (0.16)                  | -0.03 (0.20)       | 0.32 (0.19)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)           | 0.40 (0.01)  | 0.40 (0.01)            | 0.04 (0.27)  | c                  | c            | c                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Bulgaria                  | -0.07 (0.02) | -0.07 (0.02)           | -0.29 (0.14) | c                  | c            | c                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Colombia                  | 0.24 (0.01)  | 0.24 (0.01)            | -0.06 (0.18) | -0.01 (0.25)       | c            | c                            | 0.30 (0.18)        | 0.25 (0.25)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Costa Rica                | 0.34 (0.02)  | 0.34 (0.02)            | 0.36 (0.05)  | 0.37 (0.06)        | 0.32 (0.08)  | -0.02 (0.05)                 | -0.03 (0.06)       | 0.01 (0.08)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Croatia                   | 0.21 (0.02)  | 0.20 (0.02)            | 0.35 (0.04)  | 0.35 (0.05)        | 0.34 (0.10)  | -0.15 (0.04)                 | -0.15 (0.05)       | -0.15 (0.09)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Cyprus*                   | 0.10 (0.01)  | 0.12 (0.01)            | -0.07 (0.04) | 0.01 (0.08)        | -0.10 (0.05) | <b>0.19</b> (0.05)           | 0.11 (0.08)        | <b>0.22</b> (0.05)          |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Dominican Republic        | 0.52 (0.02)  | 0.53 (0.02)            | 0.25 (0.13)  | 0.11 (0.16)        | 0.43 (0.21)  | <b>0.28</b> (0.14)           | <b>0.41</b> (0.16) | 0.09 (0.22)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)         | 0.05 (0.02)  | 0.07 (0.02)            | 0.01 (0.02)  | 0.03 (0.04)        | -0.03 (0.04) | <b>0.07</b> (0.03)           | 0.04 (0.04)        | <b>0.11</b> (0.04)          |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Lithuania                 | 0.34 (0.02)  | 0.34 (0.02)            | -0.02 (0.13) | 0.12 (0.11)        | -0.51 (0.40) | <b>0.36</b> (0.13)           | 0.22 (0.11)        | <b>0.85</b> (0.40)          |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Macao (China)             | 0.00 (0.01)  | 0.02 (0.02)            | 0.00 (0.01)  | -0.01 (0.02)       | 0.02 (0.03)  | 0.02 (0.03)                  | 0.03 (0.03)        | 0.00 (0.04)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Montenegro                | -0.08 (0.01) | -0.07 (0.01)           | -0.23 (0.06) | -0.15 (0.08)       | -0.38 (0.10) | <b>0.16</b> (0.06)           | 0.08 (0.08)        | <b>0.31</b> (0.10)          |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Peru                      | 0.09 (0.01)  | 0.09 (0.01)            | -0.44 (0.21) | c                  | c            | c                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Qatar                     | 0.24 (0.01)  | 0.16 (0.01)            | 0.31 (0.01)  | 0.33 (0.02)        | 0.30 (0.01)  | -0.15 (0.02)                 | -0.17 (0.02)       | -0.14 (0.02)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Russia                    | -0.18 (0.02) | -0.18 (0.02)           | -0.08 (0.08) | -0.11 (0.09)       | -0.04 (0.10) | -0.10 (0.08)                 | -0.07 (0.09)       | -0.14 (0.10)                |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Singapore                 | 0.27 (0.01)  | 0.30 (0.01)            | 0.16 (0.04)  | 0.14 (0.06)        | 0.16 (0.05)  | <b>0.14</b> (0.04)           | <b>0.16</b> (0.06) | <b>0.14</b> (0.06)          |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Chinese Taipei            | 0.37 (0.02)  | 0.37 (0.02)            | c            | c                  | c            | c                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Thailand                  | 0.38 (0.02)  | 0.38 (0.02)            | 0.36 (0.13)  | 0.37 (0.15)        | c            | c                            | 0.01 (0.13)        | 0.00 (0.15)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Tunisia                   | 0.43 (0.02)  | 0.43 (0.02)            | 0.35 (0.13)  | 0.28 (0.13)        | c            | c                            | 0.09 (0.13)        | 0.15 (0.13)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates      | 0.46 (0.02)  | 0.51 (0.02)            | 0.42 (0.02)  | 0.47 (0.02)        | 0.39 (0.02)  | <b>0.09</b> (0.02)           | 0.04 (0.02)        | <b>0.12</b> (0.03)          |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Uruguay                   | 0.20 (0.01)  | 0.20 (0.01)            | 0.16 (0.19)  | c                  | c            | c                            | c                  | c                           |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |
|                 | Malaysia**                | 0.59 (0.02)  | 0.59 (0.02)            | 0.42 (0.13)  | 0.38 (0.15)        | c            | c                            | 0.18 (0.13)        | 0.21 (0.15)                 |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |  |

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**Table V.5.12 Correlation between indices of attitudes towards collaboration and indices of well-being**

|                 |                      | Correlation between... and...  |        |                                |                   |                                     |                                 |                             |                               |                   |                                     |                                 |                             |                               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|-----------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                 |                      | Index of valuing relationships |        | Index of valuing relationships |                   |                                     |                                 |                             | Index of valuing teamwork     |                   |                                     |                                 |                             |                               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                 |                      |                                |        | Index of valuing teamwork      | Life satisfaction | Index of schoolwork-related anxiety | Index of achievement motivation | Index of sense of belonging | Index of exposure to bullying | Life satisfaction | Index of schoolwork-related anxiety | Index of achievement motivation | Index of sense of belonging | Index of exposure to bullying |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                 |                      | Corr.                          | S.E.   |                                |                   |                                     |                                 |                             |                               |                   |                                     |                                 |                             |                               | Corr.  | S.E.   | Corr.  | S.E.   | Corr.  | S.E.   | Corr.  | S.E.   | Corr.  |
| OECD            | Australia            | 0.41                           | (0.01) | m                              | m                 | 0.07                                | (0.01)                          | 0.27                        | (0.01)                        | 0.18              | (0.01)                              | -0.09                           | (0.01)                      | m                             | m      | 0.06   | (0.01) | 0.09   | (0.01) | 0.19   | (0.01) | -0.07  | (0.01) |
|                 | Austria              | 0.36                           | (0.01) | 0.10                           | (0.02)            | -0.01                               | (0.02)                          | 0.12                        | (0.01)                        | 0.20              | (0.01)                              | -0.15                           | (0.02)                      | 0.11                          | (0.01) | 0.08   | (0.02) | 0.01   | (0.01) | 0.14   | (0.02) | -0.09  | (0.01) |
|                 | Belgium <sup>1</sup> | 0.32                           | (0.01) | 0.11                           | (0.02)            | 0.07                                | (0.01)                          | 0.13                        | (0.01)                        | 0.16              | (0.01)                              | -0.08                           | (0.01)                      | 0.08                          | (0.02) | 0.06   | (0.01) | 0.03   | (0.01) | 0.17   | (0.01) | -0.06  | (0.01) |
|                 | Canada               | 0.45                           | (0.01) | m                              | m                 | 0.04                                | (0.01)                          | 0.25                        | (0.01)                        | 0.23              | (0.01)                              | -0.11                           | (0.01)                      | m                             | m      | 0.05   | (0.01) | 0.07   | (0.01) | 0.25   | (0.01) | -0.07  | (0.01) |
|                 | Chile                | 0.48                           | (0.01) | 0.13                           | (0.02)            | 0.04                                | (0.02)                          | 0.24                        | (0.02)                        | 0.17              | (0.02)                              | -0.07                           | (0.02)                      | 0.17                          | (0.02) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.20   | (0.02) | 0.19   | (0.02) | -0.06  | (0.02) |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 0.35                           | (0.02) | 0.06                           | (0.02)            | 0.07                                | (0.02)                          | 0.12                        | (0.02)                        | 0.15              | (0.02)                              | -0.09                           | (0.02)                      | 0.12                          | (0.01) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.07   | (0.02) | 0.19   | (0.02) | -0.10  | (0.01) |
|                 | Denmark              | 0.31                           | (0.01) | m                              | m                 | 0.00                                | (0.01)                          | 0.18                        | (0.02)                        | 0.20              | (0.02)                              | -0.14                           | (0.02)                      | m                             | m      | 0.09   | (0.01) | -0.06  | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.02) | -0.08  | (0.02) |
|                 | Estonia              | 0.39                           | (0.02) | 0.13                           | (0.01)            | 0.02                                | (0.02)                          | 0.22                        | (0.02)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.08                           | (0.01)                      | 0.15                          | (0.01) | 0.08   | (0.02) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.21   | (0.02) | -0.07  | (0.02) |
|                 | Finland              | 0.39                           | (0.01) | 0.13                           | (0.02)            | -0.06                               | (0.02)                          | 0.16                        | (0.02)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.08                           | (0.02)                      | 0.18                          | (0.01) | 0.00   | (0.02) | 0.00   | (0.01) | 0.25   | (0.01) | -0.10  | (0.02) |
|                 | France               | 0.34                           | (0.01) | 0.09                           | (0.01)            | 0.11                                | (0.02)                          | 0.20                        | (0.01)                        | 0.17              | (0.02)                              | -0.04                           | (0.02)                      | 0.07                          | (0.02) | 0.10   | (0.01) | 0.00   | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.01) | -0.06  | (0.02) |
|                 | Germany              | 0.34                           | (0.01) | 0.13                           | (0.02)            | -0.01                               | (0.02)                          | 0.13                        | (0.01)                        | 0.17              | (0.02)                              | -0.12                           | (0.02)                      | 0.12                          | (0.01) | 0.07   | (0.01) | -0.05  | (0.02) | 0.19   | (0.02) | -0.11  | (0.02) |
|                 | Greece               | 0.46                           | (0.02) | 0.10                           | (0.02)            | 0.05                                | (0.02)                          | 0.11                        | (0.02)                        | 0.19              | (0.01)                              | -0.13                           | (0.02)                      | 0.10                          | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.02) | 0.05   | (0.02) | 0.22   | (0.02) | -0.12  | (0.02) |
|                 | Hungary              | 0.41                           | (0.01) | 0.11                           | (0.02)            | 0.09                                | (0.02)                          | 0.23                        | (0.02)                        | 0.17              | (0.01)                              | -0.06                           | (0.02)                      | 0.12                          | (0.02) | 0.12   | (0.02) | 0.11   | (0.02) | 0.17   | (0.02) | -0.08  | (0.02) |
|                 | Iceland              | 0.43                           | (0.02) | 0.21                           | (0.01)            | -0.14                               | (0.02)                          | 0.29                        | (0.02)                        | 0.15              | (0.02)                              | -0.14                           | (0.02)                      | 0.15                          | (0.02) | 0.01   | (0.02) | 0.05   | (0.02) | 0.12   | (0.02) | -0.05  | (0.02) |
|                 | Ireland              | 0.36                           | (0.02) | 0.11                           | (0.01)            | 0.04                                | (0.02)                          | 0.24                        | (0.02)                        | 0.17              | (0.01)                              | -0.06                           | (0.01)                      | 0.18                          | (0.01) | 0.06   | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.01) | 0.24   | (0.01) | -0.09  | (0.02) |
|                 | Israel               | 0.45                           | (0.01) | m                              | m                 | -0.05                               | (0.02)                          | 0.27                        | (0.02)                        | m                 | m                                   | m                               | m                           | m                             | m      | 0.01   | (0.01) | 0.16   | (0.02) | m      | m      | m      | m      |
|                 | Italy                | 0.37                           | (0.01) | 0.06                           | (0.02)            | 0.15                                | (0.02)                          | 0.17                        | (0.01)                        | 0.14              | (0.01)                              | m                               | m                           | 0.10                          | (0.02) | 0.12   | (0.01) | 0.08   | (0.01) | 0.16   | (0.02) | m      | m      |
|                 | Japan                | 0.60                           | (0.01) | 0.23                           | (0.01)            | 0.13                                | (0.01)                          | 0.19                        | (0.01)                        | 0.35              | (0.01)                              | -0.07                           | (0.02)                      | 0.28                          | (0.01) | 0.09   | (0.01) | 0.20   | (0.01) | 0.41   | (0.01) | -0.12  | (0.02) |
|                 | Korea                | 0.57                           | (0.01) | 0.20                           | (0.01)            | -0.01                               | (0.02)                          | 0.22                        | (0.02)                        | 0.36              | (0.02)                              | -0.04                           | (0.01)                      | 0.20                          | (0.01) | 0.00   | (0.02) | 0.17   | (0.02) | 0.36   | (0.01) | -0.04  | (0.02) |
|                 | Latvia               | 0.40                           | (0.02) | 0.13                           | (0.02)            | 0.09                                | (0.02)                          | 0.23                        | (0.02)                        | 0.14              | (0.02)                              | -0.10                           | (0.02)                      | 0.12                          | (0.02) | 0.16   | (0.02) | 0.13   | (0.02) | 0.18   | (0.02) | -0.06  | (0.02) |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 0.41                           | (0.01) | 0.12                           | (0.02)            | 0.04                                | (0.02)                          | 0.18                        | (0.02)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.08                           | (0.02)                      | 0.11                          | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.01) | 0.02   | (0.02) | 0.16   | (0.02) | -0.07  | (0.02) |
|                 | Mexico               | 0.52                           | (0.01) | 0.13                           | (0.01)            | 0.09                                | (0.01)                          | 0.33                        | (0.02)                        | 0.13              | (0.02)                              | -0.07                           | (0.01)                      | 0.13                          | (0.01) | 0.14   | (0.02) | 0.24   | (0.02) | 0.11   | (0.02) | -0.05  | (0.01) |
|                 | Netherlands          | 0.29                           | (0.02) | 0.08                           | (0.02)            | 0.00                                | (0.02)                          | 0.18                        | (0.02)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.03                           | (0.02)                      | 0.15                          | (0.02) | 0.01   | (0.02) | 0.03   | (0.02) | 0.16   | (0.01) | -0.08  | (0.02) |
|                 | New Zealand          | 0.41                           | (0.02) | m                              | m                 | 0.07                                | (0.02)                          | 0.31                        | (0.02)                        | 0.19              | (0.02)                              | -0.09                           | (0.02)                      | m                             | m      | 0.11   | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.02) | 0.22   | (0.02) | -0.04  | (0.02) |
|                 | Norway               | 0.31                           | (0.02) | m                              | m                 | 0.06                                | (0.02)                          | 0.18                        | (0.02)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.12                           | (0.02)                      | m                             | m      | 0.07   | (0.02) | -0.03  | (0.02) | 0.15   | (0.01) | -0.05  | (0.02) |
|                 | Poland               | 0.35                           | (0.01) | 0.15                           | (0.02)            | -0.01                               | (0.02)                          | 0.18                        | (0.02)                        | 0.11              | (0.02)                              | -0.10                           | (0.02)                      | 0.16                          | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.02) | 0.01   | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.02) | -0.13  | (0.02) |
|                 | Portugal             | 0.45                           | (0.01) | 0.11                           | (0.02)            | 0.19                                | (0.02)                          | 0.22                        | (0.01)                        | 0.19              | (0.01)                              | -0.09                           | (0.02)                      | 0.15                          | (0.02) | 0.11   | (0.02) | 0.06   | (0.02) | 0.18   | (0.02) | -0.07  | (0.02) |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | 0.42                           | (0.02) | 0.09                           | (0.02)            | 0.07                                | (0.02)                          | 0.27                        | (0.02)                        | 0.17              | (0.02)                              | -0.06                           | (0.01)                      | 0.11                          | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.02) | 0.16   | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.02) | -0.06  | (0.01) |
|                 | Slovenia             | 0.39                           | (0.01) | 0.10                           | (0.02)            | 0.04                                | (0.02)                          | 0.23                        | (0.02)                        | 0.17              | (0.02)                              | -0.08                           | (0.02)                      | 0.13                          | (0.02) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.02) | -0.09  | (0.02) |
|                 | Spain                | 0.35                           | (0.01) | 0.10                           | (0.02)            | 0.16                                | (0.01)                          | 0.18                        | (0.01)                        | 0.12              | (0.02)                              | -0.03                           | (0.01)                      | 0.13                          | (0.01) | 0.15   | (0.01) | 0.05   | (0.02) | 0.17   | (0.01) | -0.07  | (0.01) |
|                 | Sweden               | 0.38                           | (0.01) | m                              | m                 | -0.03                               | (0.02)                          | 0.19                        | (0.02)                        | 0.12              | (0.02)                              | -0.11                           | (0.02)                      | m                             | m      | 0.03   | (0.02) | 0.02   | (0.02) | 0.11   | (0.02) | -0.08  | (0.02) |
|                 | Switzerland          | 0.33                           | (0.02) | 0.12                           | (0.02)            | 0.00                                | (0.02)                          | 0.09                        | (0.02)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.12                           | (0.02)                      | 0.11                          | (0.02) | 0.05   | (0.02) | -0.03  | (0.02) | 0.18   | (0.02) | -0.11  | (0.02) |
|                 | Turkey               | 0.53                           | (0.01) | 0.11                           | (0.01)            | 0.11                                | (0.02)                          | 0.36                        | (0.02)                        | 0.10              | (0.02)                              | -0.11                           | (0.02)                      | 0.11                          | (0.01) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.31   | (0.02) | 0.07   | (0.02) | -0.06  | (0.02) |
|                 | United Kingdom       | 0.43                           | (0.01) | 0.12                           | (0.01)            | 0.03                                | (0.02)                          | 0.23                        | (0.01)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.07                           | (0.01)                      | 0.18                          | (0.02) | 0.00   | (0.02) | 0.10   | (0.01) | 0.24   | (0.02) | -0.10  | (0.02) |
|                 | United States        | 0.44                           | (0.02) | 0.13                           | (0.01)            | 0.00                                | (0.02)                          | 0.31                        | (0.01)                        | 0.24              | (0.02)                              | -0.07                           | (0.02)                      | 0.19                          | (0.01) | 0.05   | (0.02) | 0.19   | (0.01) | 0.27   | (0.02) | -0.05  | (0.01) |
| OECD average-32 | 0.41                 | (0.00)                         | 0.12   | (0.00)                         | 0.05              | (0.00)                              | 0.22                            | (0.00)                      | 0.18                          | (0.00)            | -0.09                               | (0.00)                          | 0.14                        | (0.00)                        | 0.08   | (0.00) | 0.09   | (0.00) | 0.19   | (0.00) | -0.07  | (0.00) |        |
| OECD average-35 | 0.41                 | (0.00)                         | 0.12   | (0.00)                         | 0.04              | (0.00)                              | 0.21                            | (0.00)                      | 0.18                          | (0.00)            | -0.09                               | (0.00)                          | 0.14                        | (0.00)                        | 0.08   | (0.00) | 0.08   | (0.00) | 0.19   | (0.00) | -0.08  | (0.00) |        |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 0.53                           | (0.01) | 0.11                           | (0.01)            | 0.22                                | (0.01)                          | 0.35                        | (0.01)                        | 0.17              | (0.01)                              | -0.01                           | (0.01)                      | 0.13                          | (0.01) | 0.21   | (0.01) | 0.22   | (0.01) | 0.17   | (0.01) | -0.03  | (0.01) |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.55                           | (0.01) | 0.15                           | (0.01)            | 0.02                                | (0.02)                          | 0.31                        | (0.01)                        | 0.29              | (0.02)                              | -0.07                           | (0.01)                      | 0.18                          | (0.01) | 0.09   | (0.02) | 0.25   | (0.01) | 0.32   | (0.01) | -0.08  | (0.01) |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 0.52                           | (0.02) | 0.14                           | (0.02)            | 0.14                                | (0.02)                          | 0.29                        | (0.02)                        | 0.12              | (0.02)                              | -0.04                           | (0.02)                      | 0.14                          | (0.02) | 0.13   | (0.02) | 0.20   | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.02) | -0.04  | (0.02) |
|                 | Colombia             | 0.48                           | (0.01) | 0.08                           | (0.01)            | 0.24                                | (0.02)                          | 0.33                        | (0.01)                        | 0.08              | (0.02)                              | -0.05                           | (0.01)                      | 0.13                          | (0.01) | 0.24   | (0.01) | 0.26   | (0.01) | 0.09   | (0.01) | -0.02  | (0.01) |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 0.45                           | (0.01) | 0.14                           | (0.01)            | 0.15                                | (0.02)                          | 0.30                        | (0.01)                        | 0.09              | (0.02)                              | -0.06                           | (0.01)                      | 0.22                          | (0.01) | 0.15   | (0.02) | 0.17   | (0.01) | 0.12   | (0.01) | -0.15  | (0.01) |
|                 | Croatia              | 0.46                           | (0.01) | 0.09                           | (0.02)            | 0.12                                | (0.02)                          | 0.18                        | (0.02)                        | 0.17              | (0.02)                              | -0.08                           | (0.02)                      | 0.18                          | (0.02) | 0.11   | (0.01) | 0.10   | (0.01) | 0.18   | (0.02) | -0.08  | (0.02) |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 0.54                           | (0.01) | 0.14                           | (0.01)            | 0.04                                | (0.02)                          | 0.25                        | (0.01)                        | 0.24              | (0.02)                              | m                               | m                           | 0.11                          | (0.02) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.12   | (0.02) | 0.20   | (0.02) | m      | m      |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | 0.66                           | (0.01) | 0.11                           | (0.02)            | 0.34                                | (0.02)                          | 0.46                        | (0.02)                        | 0.07              | (0.02)                              | -0.03                           | (0.02)                      | 0.12                          | (0.02) | 0.32   | (0.02) | 0.45   | (0.02) | 0.05   | (0.02) | -0.02  | (0.02) |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 0.55                           | (0.02) | 0.17                           | (0.02)            | 0.06                                | (0.02)                          | 0.21                        | (0.02)                        | 0.29              | (0.01)                              | -0.03                           | (0.01)                      | 0.22                          | (0.01) | 0.08   | (0.02) | 0.14   | (0.02) | 0.33   | (0.01) | -0.01  | (0.02) |
|                 | Lithuania            | 0.44                           | (0.01) | 0.15                           | (0.01)            | 0.08                                | (0.02)                          | 0.25                        | (0.02)                        | 0.10              | (0.01)                              | -0.08                           | (0.02)                      | 0.16                          | (0.01) | 0.07   | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.02) | 0.08   | (0.01) | -0.09  | (0.02) |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 0.44                           | (0.01) | 0.12                           | (0.02)            | 0.04                                | (0.02)                          | 0.13                        | (0.02)                        | 0.22              | (0.02)                              | -0.04                           | (0.02)                      | 0.16                          | (0.01) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.10   | (0.02) | 0.26   | (0.02) | -0.05  | (0.02) |
|                 | Montenegro           | 0.52                           | (0.01) | 0.12                           | (0.01)            | 0.16                                | (0.02)                          | 0.32                        | (0.01)                        | 0.18              | (0.02)                              | -0.01                           | (0.02)                      | 0.10                          | (0.01) | 0.17   | (0.02) | 0.17   | (0.02) | 0.12   | (0.02) | -0.03  | (0.02) |
|                 | Peru                 | 0.46                           | (0.01) | 0.11                           | (0.01)            | 0.10                                | (0.02)                          | 0.31                        | (0.01)                        | 0.25              | (0.02)                              | -0.08                           | (0.01)                      | 0.13                          | (0.01) | 0.17   | (0.01) | 0.23   | (0.01) | 0.21   | (0.02) | -0.08  | (0.02) |
|                 | Qatar                | 0.61                           | (0.01) | 0.14                           | (0.01)            | 0.10                                | (0.01)                          | 0.35                        | (0.01)                        | 0.22              | (0.01)                              | -0.05                           | (0.01)                      | 0.12                          | (0.01) | 0.11   | (0.01) | 0.30   | (0.01) | 0.22   | (0.01) |        |        |

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Table V.5.14a Index of valuing relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                      | Index of valuing relationships |        |                          |        |                |        | Collaborative problem-solving performance, by national quarter of the index of valuing relationships |        |               |        |             |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|--------|--------------------------|--------|----------------|--------|--|--------|---------------|--------|-------------|--------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|---------------|-------|-------------|-------|-----------------------------------|-------|--|
|                      | All students                   |        | Variability of the index |        | Bottom quarter |        | Second quarter   |        | Third quarter |        | Top quarter |        | Bottom quarter |       | Second quarter |       | Third quarter |       | Top quarter |       | Difference (top – bottom quarter) |       |  |
|                      | Mean index                     | S.E.   | S.D.                     | S.E.   | Mean index     | S.E.   | Mean index   | S.E.   | Mean index    | S.E.   | Mean index  | S.E.   | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score    | S.E.  | Mean score  | S.E.  | Score dif.                        | S.E.  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |                                |        |                          |        |                |        |  |        |               |        |             |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |
| Australia            | 0.09                           | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -0.96          | (0.01) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.16          | (0.02) | 1.44        | (0.02) | 507            | (3.4) | 531            | (2.9) | 543           | (2.8) | 555         | (3.5) | <b>48</b>                         | (4.3) |  |
| Austria              | 0.24                           | (0.01) | 1.11                     | (0.01) | -1.16          | (0.02) | -0.21  | (0.02) | 0.67          | (0.02) | 1.68        | (0.02) | 489            | (3.9) | 505            | (3.8) | 525           | (3.8) | 524         | (4.2) | <b>35</b>                         | (5.0) |  |
| Belgium              | -0.06                          | (0.01) | 0.94                     | (0.01) | -1.14          | (0.01) | -0.35  | (0.01) | 0.02          | (0.02) | 1.22        | (0.02) | 474            | (3.4) | 510            | (3.4) | 518           | (3.6) | 523         | (3.0) | <b>49</b>                         | (3.9) |  |
| Canada               | 0.11                           | (0.01) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.01          | (0.02) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.20          | (0.02) | 1.53        | (0.02) | 518            | (3.6) | 536            | (3.2) | 547           | (2.8) | 551         | (3.0) | <b>33</b>                         | (3.9) |  |
| Chile                | 0.08                           | (0.02) | 1.05                     | (0.01) | -1.16          | (0.02) | -0.35  | (0.01) | 0.33          | (0.03) | 1.50        | (0.02) | 430            | (3.8) | 457            | (3.7) | 471           | (3.7) | 475         | (3.2) | <b>46</b>                         | (4.1) |  |
| Czech Republic       | -0.20                          | (0.01) | 0.90                     | (0.01) | -1.24          | (0.02) | -0.43  | (0.02) | -0.13         | (0.02) | 1.02        | (0.02) | 473            | (4.4) | 500            | (3.4) | 508           | (2.9) | 525         | (3.2) | <b>53</b>                         | (4.7) |  |
| Denmark              | 0.01                           | (0.01) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -1.04          | (0.02) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.13          | (0.02) | 1.24        | (0.02) | 498            | (3.3) | 523            | (3.3) | 533           | (3.5) | 538         | (3.8) | <b>39</b>                         | (4.0) |  |
| Estonia              | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -1.06          | (0.02) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.15          | (0.03) | 1.32        | (0.03) | 507            | (4.6) | 533            | (3.8) | 549           | (3.6) | 557         | (3.8) | <b>50</b>                         | (5.1) |  |
| Finland              | -0.08                          | (0.01) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -1.10          | (0.01) | -0.36  | (0.01) | -0.04         | (0.02) | 1.17        | (0.03) | 513            | (3.8) | 533            | (3.7) | 541           | (3.8) | 557         | (4.0) | <b>44</b>                         | (5.2) |  |
| France               | -0.07                          | (0.01) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.23          | (0.02) | -0.40  | (0.01) | 0.03          | (0.02) | 1.33        | (0.02) | 468            | (3.7) | 496            | (3.1) | 513           | (4.5) | 517         | (3.6) | <b>49</b>                         | (4.5) |  |
| Germany              | 0.15                           | (0.02) | 1.05                     | (0.01) | -1.14          | (0.01) | -0.32  | (0.02) | 0.54          | (0.02) | 1.54        | (0.02) | 507            | (4.3) | 524            | (3.9) | 553           | (3.4) | 549         | (4.7) | <b>42</b>                         | (5.5) |  |
| Greece               | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 0.97                     | (0.01) | -1.10          | (0.02) | -0.30  | (0.01) | 0.19          | (0.03) | 1.34        | (0.03) | 434            | (5.0) | 464            | (4.5) | 468           | (3.8) | 476         | (4.1) | <b>41</b>                         | (4.8) |  |
| Hungary              | -0.03                          | (0.02) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.19          | (0.02) | -0.37  | (0.01) | 0.09          | (0.03) | 1.36        | (0.03) | 443            | (4.1) | 468            | (3.8) | 483           | (3.5) | 495         | (3.6) | <b>52</b>                         | (5.2) |  |
| Iceland              | -0.09                          | (0.02) | 1.05                     | (0.01) | -1.26          | (0.02) | -0.46  | (0.02) | 0.01          | (0.03) | 1.37        | (0.04) | 486            | (4.5) | 492            | (4.1) | 506           | (4.0) | 522         | (4.2) | <b>37</b>                         | (5.5) |  |
| Ireland              | 0.03                           | (0.01) | 0.93                     | (0.01) | -1.03          | (0.01) | -0.30  | (0.01) | 0.11          | (0.02) | 1.33        | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Israel               | 0.24                           | (0.02) | 1.09                     | (0.01) | -1.05          | (0.03) | -0.28  | (0.01) | 0.59          | (0.02) | 1.70        | (0.02) | 455            | (4.6) | 474            | (4.8) | 485           | (5.0) | 477         | (4.7) | <b>22</b>                         | (5.0) |  |
| Italy                | -0.14                          | (0.01) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -1.25          | (0.01) | -0.48  | (0.02) | 0.05          | (0.02) | 1.14        | (0.02) | 452            | (4.6) | 477            | (3.5) | 494           | (3.4) | 499         | (3.6) | <b>46</b>                         | (5.4) |  |
| Japan                | -0.22                          | (0.02) | 1.06                     | (0.01) | -1.40          | (0.02) | -0.67  | (0.02) | -0.07         | (0.02) | 1.25        | (0.03) | 534            | (3.8) | 547            | (3.5) | 558           | (3.5) | 570         | (3.8) | <b>36</b>                         | (4.4) |  |
| Korea                | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 0.94                     | (0.01) | -1.04          | (0.02) | -0.30  | (0.01) | -0.02         | (0.02) | 1.30        | (0.04) | 529            | (3.6) | 529            | (3.4) | 538           | (3.8) | 558         | (3.4) | <b>29</b>                         | (4.1) |  |
| Latvia               | -0.30                          | (0.02) | 0.91                     | (0.02) | -1.34          | (0.02) | -0.57  | (0.02) | -0.19         | (0.02) | 0.90        | (0.03) | 461            | (4.4) | 480            | (3.8) | 493           | (3.6) | 508         | (3.7) | <b>47</b>                         | (5.5) |  |
| Luxembourg           | 0.03                           | (0.01) | 1.09                     | (0.01) | -1.27          | (0.02) | -0.40  | (0.01) | 0.31          | (0.03) | 1.49        | (0.02) | 468            | (3.1) | 489            | (3.0) | 501           | (3.3) | 516         | (3.0) | <b>49</b>                         | (4.8) |  |
| Mexico               | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 1.04                     | (0.01) | -1.05          | (0.03) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.44          | (0.03) | 1.56        | (0.02) | 413            | (3.3) | 432            | (3.3) | 440           | (3.5) | 449         | (3.6) | <b>35</b>                         | (4.2) |  |
| Netherlands          | -0.18                          | (0.01) | 0.77                     | (0.01) | -1.01          | (0.01) | -0.35  | (0.01) | -0.28         | (0.01) | 0.92        | (0.03) | 502            | (3.7) | 520            | (4.1) | 523           | (3.6) | 540         | (4.4) | <b>39</b>                         | (5.2) |  |
| New Zealand          | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 0.97                     | (0.01) | -1.08          | (0.02) | -0.30  | (0.01) | 0.08          | (0.03) | 1.35        | (0.03) | 508            | (4.6) | 534            | (4.3) | 550           | (4.2) | 550         | (3.7) | <b>42</b>                         | (5.8) |  |
| Norway               | 0.11                           | (0.02) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.05          | (0.03) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.27          | (0.03) | 1.50        | (0.02) | 483            | (3.9) | 503            | (3.7) | 516           | (3.9) | 517         | (3.8) | <b>34</b>                         | (5.4) |  |
| Poland               | -0.21                          | (0.02) | 0.92                     | (0.01) | -1.25          | (0.02) | -0.49  | (0.02) | -0.11         | (0.02) | 1.03        | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Portugal             | 0.37                           | (0.02) | 0.98                     | (0.01) | -0.68          | (0.02) | -0.19  | (0.02) | 0.66          | (0.02) | 1.71        | (0.02) | 482            | (4.0) | 493            | (3.3) | 512           | (3.6) | 511         | (3.6) | <b>30</b>                         | (4.2) |  |
| Slovak Republic      | -0.34                          | (0.01) | 0.93                     | (0.01) | -1.39          | (0.02) | -0.61  | (0.02) | -0.28         | (0.01) | 0.91        | (0.03) | 435            | (3.7) | 462            | (3.3) | 475           | (3.5) | 498         | (3.5) | <b>63</b>                         | (4.6) |  |
| Slovenia             | -0.04                          | (0.01) | 0.94                     | (0.01) | -1.11          | (0.01) | -0.37  | (0.01) | 0.07          | (0.03) | 1.23        | (0.02) | 470            | (3.5) | 502            | (4.0) | 514           | (2.7) | 528         | (3.1) | <b>59</b>                         | (4.5) |  |
| Spain                | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 1.00                     | (0.01) | -0.98          | (0.03) | -0.28  | (0.01) | 0.52          | (0.02) | 1.51        | (0.02) | 470            | (3.6) | 501            | (3.2) | 509           | (3.3) | 511         | (3.0) | <b>41</b>                         | (4.1) |  |
| Sweden               | 0.05                           | (0.02) | 1.05                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.02) | -0.32  | (0.01) | 0.16          | (0.03) | 1.51        | (0.03) | 488            | (4.3) | 509            | (3.8) | 526           | (4.5) | 529         | (4.9) | <b>41</b>                         | (5.1) |  |
| Switzerland          | 0.19                           | (0.02) | 1.06                     | (0.01) | -1.11          | (0.03) | -0.28  | (0.02) | 0.59          | (0.03) | 1.58        | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Turkey               | 0.00                           | (0.02) | 1.13                     | (0.01) | -1.33          | (0.03) | -0.44  | (0.02) | 0.27          | (0.04) | 1.50        | (0.02) | 404            | (4.4) | 420            | (4.0) | 434           | (4.4) | 435         | (4.4) | <b>30</b>                         | (4.1) |  |
| United Kingdom       | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.13          | (0.02) | -0.33  | (0.01) | 0.01          | (0.02) | 1.30        | (0.03) | 496            | (3.8) | 519            | (4.0) | 525           | (4.4) | 545         | (3.7) | <b>50</b>                         | (4.5) |  |
| United States        | 0.13                           | (0.02) | 1.00                     | (0.01) | -0.99          | (0.02) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.25          | (0.04) | 1.54        | (0.03) | 495            | (5.4) | 517            | (4.1) | 535           | (5.1) | 545         | (4.4) | <b>51</b>                         | (5.5) |  |
| OECD average-32      | 0.01                           | (0.00) | 0.99                     | (0.00) | -1.13          | (0.00) | -0.36  | (0.00) | 0.16          | (0.00) | 1.35        | (0.00) | 478            | (0.7) | 499            | (0.7) | 512           | (0.7) | 520         | (0.7) | <b>43</b>                         | (0.8) |  |
| OECD average-35      | 0.01                           | (0.00) | 0.99                     | (0.00) | -1.13          | (0.00) | -0.36  | (0.00) | 0.16          | (0.00) | 1.35        | (0.00) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |                                |        |                          |        |                |        |  |        |               |        |             |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |
| Brazil               | -0.04                          | (0.01) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.09          | (0.01) | -0.37  | (0.01) | -0.01         | (0.02) | 1.30        | (0.02) | 397            | (2.9) | 416            | (2.9) | 424           | (2.9) | 438         | (3.4) | <b>41</b>                         | (3.1) |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.04          | (0.01) | -0.31  | (0.01) | 0.01          | (0.02) | 1.38        | (0.03) | 468            | (5.1) | 496            | (4.3) | 504           | (5.4) | 518         | (5.3) | <b>50</b>                         | (5.5) |  |
| Bulgaria             | -0.03                          | (0.02) | 1.06                     | (0.01) | -1.27          | (0.03) | -0.36  | (0.01) | 0.11          | (0.03) | 1.39        | (0.03) | 424            | (4.4) | 444            | (4.8) | 464           | (4.9) | 471         | (4.5) | <b>47</b>                         | (4.9) |  |
| Colombia             | 0.05                           | (0.01) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.01) | -0.36  | (0.01) | 0.28          | (0.03) | 1.45        | (0.02) | 411            | (3.0) | 434            | (3.1) | 435           | (2.9) | 440         | (3.3) | <b>29</b>                         | (3.5) |  |
| Costa Rica           | 0.35                           | (0.02) | 1.08                     | (0.01) | -0.94          | (0.02) | -0.18  | (0.02) | 0.71          | (0.02) | 1.79        | (0.02) | 416            | (3.6) | 438            | (3.8) | 447           | (3.7) | 454         | (3.1) | <b>37</b>                         | (3.7) |  |
| Croatia              | 0.01                           | (0.02) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.17          | (0.02) | -0.35  | (0.02) | 0.16          | (0.03) | 1.40        | (0.03) | 446            | (3.9) | 472            | (3.4) | 483           | (3.4) | 494         | (3.3) | <b>48</b>                         | (4.2) |  |
| Cyprus*              | 0.07                           | (0.01) | 1.07                     | (0.01) | -1.19          | (0.02) | -0.31  | (0.01) | 0.25          | (0.03) | 1.51        | (0.02) | 419            | (3.4) | 445            | (2.6) | 457           | (3.2) | 465         | (3.4) | <b>46</b>                         | (4.4) |  |
| Dominican Republic   | 0.27                           | (0.02) | 1.25                     | (0.02) | -1.26          | (0.04) | -0.26  | (0.02) | 0.69          | (0.03) | 1.91        | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 0.97                     | (0.01) | -1.09          | (0.03) | -0.29  | (0.00) | -0.08         | (0.02) | 1.29        | (0.03) | 532            | (4.1) | 537            | (4.4) | 548           | (3.9) | 548         | (4.4) | <b>15</b>                         | (4.7) |  |
| Lithuania            | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 1.18                     | (0.01) | -1.32          | (0.02) | -0.33  | (0.03) | 0.63          | (0.02) | 1.66        | (0.03) | 440            | (3.4) | 465            | (3.7) | 481           | (3.7) | 492         | (3.6) | <b>52</b>                         | (4.5) |  |
| Macao (China)        | -0.15                          | (0.01) | 0.88                     | (0.01) | -1.12          | (0.01) | -0.43  | (0.02) | -0.12         | (0.02) | 1.07        | (0.02) | 512            | (3.4) | 533            | (2.9) | 543           | (2.8) | 547         | (3.3) | <b>34</b>                         | (5.3) |  |
| Montenegro           | -0.05                          | (0.01) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.21          | (0.01) | -0.39  | (0.01) | 0.08          | (0.02) | 1.33        | (0.02) | 398            | (2.3) | 421            | (2.4) | 425           | (2.5) | 432         | (3.0) | <b>34</b>                         | (3.5) |  |
| Peru                 | -0.08                          | (0.01) | 0.98                     | (0.01) | -1.21          | (0.01) | -0.43  | (0.02) | 0.06          | (0.02) | 1.26        | (0.02) | 391            | (3.3) | 416            | (3.3) | 432           | (3.8) | 440         | (3.5) | <b>50</b>                         | (4.1) |  |
| Qatar                | 0.12                           | (0.01) | 1.17                     | (0.01) | -1.29          | (0.01) | -0.34  | (0.01) | 0.45          | (0.02) | 1.65        | (0.02) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Russia               | -0.25                          | (0.02) | 0.93                     | (0.01) | -1.26          | (0.02) | -0.54  | (0.02) | -0.24         | (0.02) | 1.03        | (0.03) | 454            | (4.8) | 473            | (4.6) | 476           | (4.2) | 499         | (4.0) | <b>46</b>                         | (5.5) |  |
| Singapore            | 0.32                           | (0.01) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -0.79          | (0.02) | -0.26  | (0.02) | 0.61          | (0.02) | 1.70        | (0.03) | 549            | (3.4) | 556            | (3.6) | 573           | (2.9) | 569         | (2.8) | <b>20</b>                         | (4.9) |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.22                           | (0.02) | 1.00                     | (0.01) | -0.83          | (0.02) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.36          | (0.03) | 1.63        | (0.02) | 517            | (3.4) | 512            | (3.5) | 538           | (3.3) | 539         | (3.3) | <b>22</b>                         | (3.5) |  |
| Thailand             | 0.10                           | (0.02) | 0.85                     | (0.01) | -0.75          | (0.02) | -0.29  | (0.00) | 0.16          | (0.03) | 1.25        | (0.03) | 421            | (4.4) | 433            | (4.2) | 444           | (4.2) | 450         | (4.5) | <b>29</b>                         | (4.6) |  |
| Tunisia              | 0.12                           | (0.02) | 1.05                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.02) | -0.35  | (0.01) | 0.45          | (0.03) | 1.53        | (0.02) | 369            | (2.9) | 385            | (2.9) | 391           | (2.8) | 390         | (3.0) | <b>21</b>                         | (3.5) |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.32                           | (0.01) | 1.10                     | (0.01) | -0.99          | (0.02) | -0.20  | (0.01) | 0.68          | (0.01) | 1.78        | (0.02) | 423            | (3.1) | 434            | (3.5) | 451           | (3.4) | 443         | (3.6) | <b>20</b>                         | (3.8) |  |
| Uruguay              | 0.11                           | (0.02) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.08          | (0.02) | -0.32  | (0.01) | 0.35          | (0.03) | 1.51        | (0.03) | 429            | (3.0) | 455            | (3.5) | 452           | (3.3) | 451         | (4.0) | <b>22</b>                         | (4.9) |  |
| Malaysia**           | -0.02                          | (0.02) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -1.08          |        |  |        |               |        |             |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |



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Table V.5.14a Index of valuing relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                      | Before accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>                          |       |   |       |   |       |  |       | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile  |       |   |       |  |       |  |       | Increased likelihood of students in the bottom quarter of the index of valuing relationships scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) | Increased likelihood of students in the top quarter of the index of valuing relationships scoring at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (at or above 640 score points) |               |       |               |
|----------------------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|--|---------------|-------|---------------|
|                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing relationships |       | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in relative collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing relationships <sup>2</sup> |       | Explained variance in relative student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing relationships |       | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in relative collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing relationships |       | Explained variance in relative student performance (r-squared × 100) |       |  |  |               |       |               |
|                      | Score dif.  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |  |  | Relative risk | S.E.  | Relative risk |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |               |       |               |
| Australia            | 18  | (1.6) | 2.5   | (0.5) | 4   | (1.4) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 14  | (1.6) | 11.2  | (1.0) | 4  | (1.5) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.1) |               |
| Austria              | 13  | (1.6) | 2.2   | (0.5) | 5   | (1.3) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 11  | (1.5) | 21.8  | (1.8) | 5  | (1.3) | 1.1  | (0.5) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.5           | (0.2) |               |
| Belgium              | 18  | (1.3) | 3.2   | (0.5) | 5   | (1.2) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 14  | (1.3) | 25.4  | (1.8) | 5  | (1.2) | 0.8  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.1)  | 1.3           | (0.2) |               |
| Canada               | 12  | (1.4) | 1.4   | (0.3) | 2   | (1.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 9   | (1.3) | 7.8   | (0.8) | 2  | (1.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.2           | (0.1) |               |
| Chile                | 15  | (1.5) | 3.7   | (0.7) | 3   | (1.2) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 11  | (1.5) | 19.8  | (1.6) | 3  | (1.2) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.9           | (0.7) |               |
| Czech Republic       | 19  | (1.8) | 3.8   | (0.6) | 7   | (1.4) | 1.0  | (0.4) | 14  | (1.8) | 21.8  | (1.9) | 7  | (1.4) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.1)  | 1.6           | (0.2) |               |
| Denmark              | 16  | (1.7) | 2.6   | (0.5) | 4   | (1.3) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 13  | (1.7) | 8.8   | (1.1) | 4  | (1.3) | 0.6  | (0.4) | 1.7  | (0.1)  | 1.3           | (0.2) |               |
| Estonia              | 19  | (1.8) | 4.0   | (0.8) | 6   | (1.6) | 1.2  | (0.6) | 16  | (1.8) | 11.3  | (1.5) | 6  | (1.6) | 1.5  | (0.6) | 2.0  | (0.2)  | 1.6           | (0.2) |               |
| Finland              | 16  | (2.0) | 2.0   | (0.5) | 2   | (1.3) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 13  | (1.9) | 6.9   | (1.0) | 2  | (1.3) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.2) |               |
| France               | 19  | (1.5) | 3.8   | (0.6) | 3   | (1.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 11  | (1.4) | 25.1  | (1.8) | 3  | (1.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.5           | (0.3) |               |
| Germany              | 16  | (2.0) | 2.6   | (0.7) | 4   | (1.4) | 0.5  | (0.4) | 11  | (1.9) | 20.6  | (1.8) | 4  | (1.6) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 1.7  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.1) |               |
| Greece               | 15  | (1.7) | 2.4   | (0.5) | 4   | (1.0) | 0.5  | (0.2) | 11  | (1.5) | 18.2  | (2.1) | 4  | (1.0) | 0.5  | (0.2) | 1.4  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.4) |               |
| Hungary              | 18  | (1.8) | 3.6   | (0.7) | 2   | (1.1) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 9   | (1.7) | 35.8  | (1.8) | 2  | (1.2) | 0.8  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.8           | (0.4) |               |
| Iceland              | 15  | (1.7) | 2.7   | (0.6) | 0   | (1.2) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 13  | (1.7) | 4.0   | (0.7) | 1  | (1.2) | 0.9  | (0.4) | 1.2  | (0.1)  | 1.7           | (0.4) |               |
| Ireland              | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m             | m     |               |
| Israel               | 7   | (1.7) | 0.6   | (0.3) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 7   | (1.5) | 22.3  | (2.9) | 1  | (1.3) | 1.1  | (0.6) | 1.1  | (0.1)  | 1.2           | (0.2) |               |
| Italy                | 18  | (2.0) | 3.0   | (0.6) | 6   | (1.5) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 14  | (1.9) | 19.3  | (1.8) | 6  | (1.5) | 1.1  | (0.5) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.7           | (0.3) |               |
| Japan                | 12  | (1.5) | 2.4   | (0.6) | 7   | (1.4) | 1.6  | (0.7) | 10  | (1.4) | 15.4  | (1.7) | 7  | (1.4) | 2.1  | (0.8) | 1.7  | (0.2)  | 1.5           | (0.2) |               |
| Korea                | 12  | (1.7) | 1.8   | (0.5) | 4   | (1.2) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 8   | (1.5) | 11.5  | (1.8) | 4  | (1.2) | 1.3  | (0.5) | 1.3  | (0.1)  | 1.5           | (0.2) |               |
| Latvia               | 20  | (1.9) | 3.9   | (0.7) | 2   | (1.4) | 0.1  | (0.2) | 16  | (1.9) | 10.9  | (1.5) | 2  | (1.4) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 2.1           | (0.4) |               |
| Luxembourg           | 16  | (1.6) | 3.0   | (0.6) | 3   | (1.3) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 12  | (1.5) | 23.8  | (1.5) | 3  | (1.2) | 1.1  | (0.4) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.7           | (0.3) |               |
| Mexico               | 13  | (1.5) | 2.9   | (0.6) | 3   | (1.3) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 9   | (1.4) | 18.8  | (2.0) | 3  | (1.3) | 1.8  | (0.7) | 1.3  | (0.0)  | 1.5           | (0.8) |               |
| Netherlands          | 17  | (2.3) | 1.8   | (0.5) | 7   | (1.5) | 0.9  | (0.4) | 15  | (1.9) | 23.1  | (2.5) | 7  | (1.5) | 1.0  | (0.4) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.5           | (0.2) |               |
| New Zealand          | 17  | (2.2) | 2.5   | (0.6) | 6   | (1.6) | 0.9  | (0.4) | 14  | (2.1) | 11.3  | (1.4) | 7  | (1.6) | 1.3  | (0.6) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.1) |               |
| Norway               | 13  | (1.9) | 2.0   | (0.6) | 2   | (1.5) | 0.2  | (0.3) | 11  | (1.9) | 5.7   | (0.9) | 3  | (1.5) | 0.3  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.2           | (0.2) |               |
| Poland               | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m             | m     |               |
| Portugal             | 12  | (1.5) | 1.6   | (0.4) | 6   | (1.2) | 1.1  | (0.4) | 9   | (1.5) | 14.2  | (1.8) | 6  | (1.2) | 1.5  | (0.4) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.3) |               |
| Slovak Republic      | 23  | (1.6) | 5.6   | (0.7) | 5   | (1.1) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 16  | (1.4) | 22.3  | (1.7) | 4  | (1.2) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 2.5           | (0.5) |               |
| Slovenia             | 24  | (1.7) | 5.7   | (0.8) | 6   | (1.3) | 1.0  | (0.4) | 17  | (1.6) | 26.8  | (1.5) | 6  | (1.3) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 1.9  | (0.1)  | 1.9           | (0.3) |               |
| Spain                | 14  | (1.5) | 2.7   | (0.6) | 4   | (1.2) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 12  | (1.5) | 9.4   | (1.1) | 5  | (1.2) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.2) |               |
| Sweden               | 16  | (1.7) | 2.9   | (0.6) | 4   | (1.3) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 13  | (1.7) | 12.6  | (1.7) | 4  | (1.4) | 0.9  | (0.5) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.2) |               |
| Switzerland          | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m             | m     |               |
| Turkey               | 10  | (1.3) | 2.1   | (0.6) | 1   | (0.9) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 8   | (1.2) | 22.2  | (3.2) | 1  | (0.9) | 0.8  | (0.5) | 1.2  | (0.0)  | 1.2           | (2.1) |               |
| United Kingdom       | 18  | (1.6) | 2.9   | (0.5) | 6   | (1.6) | 0.9  | (0.4) | 16  | (1.5) | 12.4  | (1.5) | 6  | (1.6) | 1.0  | (0.4) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.5           | (0.2) |               |
| United States        | 17  | (1.8) | 2.6   | (0.5) | 4   | (1.2) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 14  | (1.7) | 11.7  | (1.3) | 5  | (1.2) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 1.7  | (0.1)  | 1.3           | (0.1) |               |
| OECD average-32      | 16  | (0.3) | 2.8   | (0.1) | 4   | (0.2) | 0.6  | (0.1) | 12  | (0.3) | 16.6  | (0.3) | 4  | (0.2) | 0.9  | (0.1) | 1.5  | (0.0)  | 1.5           | (0.1) |               |
| OECD average-35      | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m             | m     |               |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |               |       |               |
| Brazil               | 15  | (1.1) | 2.9   | (0.4) | 3   | (1.0) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 11  | (0.9) | 18.3  | (1.7) | 2  | (1.0) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 1.2  | (0.0)  | 2.5           | (0.8) |               |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 19  | (1.6) | 3.4   | (0.5) | 4   | (1.2) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 9   | (1.5) | 29.0  | (2.8) | 3  | (1.3) | 0.9  | (0.4) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.8           | (0.3) |               |
| Bulgaria             | 17  | (1.5) | 3.3   | (0.6) | 4   | (0.9) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 10  | (1.3) | 33.6  | (2.5) | 4  | (0.9) | 1.4  | (0.4) | 1.4  | (0.1)  | 1.9           | (0.5) |               |
| Colombia             | 9   | (1.3) | 1.3   | (0.3) | 0   | (0.9) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 6   | (1.2) | 22.8  | (2.2) | -1   | (0.9) | 2.7  | (0.9) | 1.2  | (0.0)  | 1.8           | (0.7) |               |
| Costa Rica           | 13  | (1.2) | 3.0   | (0.5) | 6   | (0.9) | 1.5  | (0.4) | 11  | (1.1) | 16.7  | (1.9) | 6  | (0.9) | 1.6  | (0.4) | 1.3  | (0.0)  | 2.6           | (1.3) |               |
| Croatia              | 17  | (1.4) | 3.8   | (0.6) | 6   | (1.2) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 13  | (1.4) | 20.3  | (1.8) | 6  | (1.2) | 1.3  | (0.5) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 1.6           | (0.4) |               |
| Cyprus*              | 15  | (1.5) | 3.2   | (0.6) | 3   | (1.0) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 15  | (1.4) | 11.8  | (1.1) | 3  | (1.0) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.1)  | 1.5           | (0.6) |               |
| Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m             | m     |               |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 5   | (1.6) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 2   | (1.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 3   | (1.7) | 7.4   | (1.6) | 2  | (1.1) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.2)  | 1.2           | (0.1) |               |
| Lithuania            | 17  | (1.3) | 4.9   | (0.8) | 3   | (1.1) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 13  | (1.4) | 20.0  | (1.8) | 2  | (1.2) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 1.6  | (0.1)  | 2.0           | (0.4) |               |
| Macao (China)        | 13  | (2.1) | 1.7   | (0.5) | 3   | (1.7) | 0.3  | (0.3) | 13  | (2.1) | 2.6   | (0.6) | 3  | (1.7) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 1.6  | (0.2)  | 1.1           | (0.2) |               |
| Montenegro           | 11  | (1.2) | 2.0   | (0.4) | 1   | (1.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 10  | (1.1) | 15.0  | (1.1) | 1  | (1.1) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.0)  | 3.3           | (4.7) |               |
| Peru                 | 19  | (1.4) | 5.0   | (0.7) | 4   | (1.2) | 0.6  | (0.4) | 11  | (1.2) | 31.6  | (2.0) | 3  | (1.3) | 2.3  | (0.5) | 1.4  | (0.0)  | 2.1           | (1.2) |               |
| Qatar                | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m  | m  | m             | m     |               |
| Russia               | 16  | (2.0) | 2.6   | (0.7) | 5   | (1.7) | 0.6  | (0.4) | 14  | (2.0) | 13.7  | (1.6) | 5  | (1.7) | 3.1  | (1.0) | 1.4  | (0.1)  | 1.9           | (0.3) |               |
| Singapore            | 8   | (1.5) | 0.7   | (0.3) | 1   | (1.1) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 6   | (1.3) | 16.7  | (1.2) | 1  | (1.1) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.1)  | 1.1           | (0.1) |               |
| Chinese Taipei       | 11  | (1.3) | 1.5   | (0.4) | 4   | (1.0) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 8   | (1.2) | 17.7  | (2.2) | 4  | (1.1) | 0.6  | (0.4) | 1.7  | (0.1)  | 1.3           | (0.1) |               |
| Thailand             | 13  | (2.2) | 1.8   | (0.6) | 4   | (1.5) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 10  | (2.0) | 19.0  | (2.8) | 3  | (1.5) | 1.9  | (0.9) | 1.2  | (0.1)  | 1.9           | (0.7) |               |
| Tunisia              | 8   | (1.1) | 1.9   | (0.5) | 2   | (0.9) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 7   | (1.0) | 18.6  | (2.9) | 2  | (0.9) | 2.3  | (0.8) | 1.1  | (0.0)  | m             | m     |               |
| United Arab Emirates | 8   | (1.2) | 0.8   | (0.3) | 1   | (1.0) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 9   | (1.2) | 15.5  | (1.7) | 1  | (1.0) | 1.2  | (0.5) | 1.2  | (0.0)  | 1.2           | (0.2) |               |
| Uruguay              | 6   | (1.7) | 0.4   | (0.3) | 0   | (1.2) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 3   | (1.6) | 19.5  | (1.8) | 0  | (1.2) | 0.3  | (0.3) | 1.2  | (0.1)  | 1.4           | (0.5) |               |
| Malaysia**           | 17  | (1.9) | 3.7   | (0.8) | 4   | (1.5) | 0.7  | (0.5) | 14  | (1.7) | 18.2  | (2.4) | 4  | (1.5) | 1.2  | (0.7) | 1.3  | (0.0)  | 2.3           | (1.1) |               |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.5.14b Index of valuing teamwork and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                    | Index of valuing teamwork |        |                          |        |                |        |                |        | Collaborative problem-solving performance, by national quarter of the index of valuing teamwork |        |             |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |
|--------------------|---------------------------|--------|--------------------------|--------|----------------|--------|----------------|--------|---|--------|-------------|--------|----------------|-------|----------------|-------|---------------|-------|-------------|-------|-----------------------------------|-------|--|
|                    | All students              |        | Variability of the index |        | Bottom quarter |        | Second quarter |        | Third quarter   |        | Top quarter |        | Bottom quarter |       | Second quarter |       | Third quarter |       | Top quarter |       | Difference (top - bottom quarter) |       |  |
|                    | Mean index                | S.E.   | S.D.                     | S.E.   | Mean index     | S.E.   | Mean index     | S.E.   | Mean index  | S.E.   | Mean index  | S.E.   | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score     | S.E.  | Mean score    | S.E.  | Mean score  | S.E.  | Score dif.                        | S.E.  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>        |                           |        |                          |        |                |        |                |        |   |        |             |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |
| Australia          | 0.01                      | (0.01) | 0.98                     | (0.01) | -1.19          | (0.01) | -0.27          | (0.01) | 0.17  | (0.01) | 1.30        | (0.02) | 555            | (2.9) | 533            | (3.2) | 521           | (2.9) | 527         | (3.7) | -28                               | (4.0) |  |
| Austria            | 0.19                      | (0.01) | 1.10                     | (0.01) | -1.22          | (0.02) | -0.20          | (0.02) | 0.59  | (0.02) | 1.59        | (0.02) | 531            | (3.9) | 513            | (4.4) | 508           | (3.9) | 492         | (3.9) | -39                               | (5.7) |  |
| Belgium            | -0.11                     | (0.01) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.28          | (0.02) | -0.47          | (0.02) | 0.12  | (0.01) | 1.21        | (0.02) | 521            | (3.3) | 518            | (3.5) | 499           | (3.2) | 487         | (3.6) | -34                               | (3.9) |  |
| Canada             | 0.00                      | (0.01) | 1.05                     | (0.01) | -1.27          | (0.01) | -0.31          | (0.01) | 0.18  | (0.01) | 1.41        | (0.02) | 568            | (3.2) | 538            | (3.4) | 524           | (2.9) | 521         | (3.0) | -47                               | (3.9) |  |
| Chile              | 0.21                      | (0.02) | 0.97                     | (0.01) | -0.98          | (0.02) | -0.09          | (0.01) | 0.42  | (0.02) | 1.48        | (0.02) | 464            | (3.9) | 450            | (3.9) | 459           | (3.3) | 461         | (3.9) | -3                                | (4.1) |  |
| Czech Republic     | 0.00                      | (0.02) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.02) | -0.28          | (0.02) | 0.21  | (0.01) | 1.24        | (0.02) | 508            | (3.7) | 501            | (3.0) | 493           | (3.3) | 504         | (3.2) | -4                                | (4.1) |  |
| Denmark            | -0.12                     | (0.01) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -1.24          | (0.02) | -0.50          | (0.02) | 0.11  | (0.01) | 1.15        | (0.02) | 538            | (3.7) | 533            | (3.6) | 510           | (3.4) | 512         | (3.8) | -26                               | (4.5) |  |
| Estonia            | -0.10                     | (0.02) | 0.96                     | (0.01) | -1.26          | (0.02) | -0.41          | (0.02) | 0.13  | (0.01) | 1.16        | (0.03) | 547            | (4.1) | 534            | (3.9) | 529           | (3.9) | 537         | (3.7) | -10                               | (4.9) |  |
| Finland            | -0.22                     | (0.02) | 0.93                     | (0.01) | -1.31          | (0.02) | -0.55          | (0.02) | -0.01   | (0.01) | 1.00        | (0.03) | 552            | (4.1) | 545            | (4.0) | 523           | (3.8) | 526         | (3.7) | -26                               | (5.3) |  |
| France             | 0.11                      | (0.02) | 1.08                     | (0.01) | -1.21          | (0.02) | -0.22          | (0.02) | 0.31  | (0.02) | 1.56        | (0.02) | 510            | (4.5) | 498            | (3.4) | 497           | (3.6) | 488         | (4.1) | -22                               | (5.2) |  |
| Germany            | 0.14                      | (0.02) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.14          | (0.02) | -0.22          | (0.02) | 0.51  | (0.02) | 1.44        | (0.02) | 545            | (3.8) | 527            | (4.8) | 536           | (3.7) | 525         | (4.2) | -19                               | (4.7) |  |
| Greece             | 0.18                      | (0.01) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.06          | (0.02) | -0.11          | (0.01) | 0.40  | (0.02) | 1.49        | (0.02) | 473            | (5.0) | 456            | (4.6) | 459           | (4.6) | 455         | (3.7) | -18                               | (5.1) |  |
| Hungary            | -0.02                     | (0.02) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.27          | (0.02) | -0.27          | (0.02) | 0.18  | (0.01) | 1.29        | (0.02) | 489            | (3.6) | 470            | (4.0) | 463           | (4.1) | 468         | (3.9) | -21                               | (4.9) |  |
| Iceland            | -0.20                     | (0.02) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.40          | (0.03) | -0.52          | (0.02) | 0.03  | (0.02) | 1.08        | (0.03) | 519            | (4.5) | 508            | (3.6) | 486           | (4.0) | 492         | (3.8) | -27                               | (5.3) |  |
| Ireland            | 0.04                      | (0.01) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.20          | (0.02) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.24  | (0.02) | 1.38        | (0.02) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Israel             | -0.03                     | (0.02) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.27          | (0.02) | -0.38          | (0.02) | 0.22  | (0.01) | 1.30        | (0.03) | 491            | (4.7) | 475            | (4.8) | 464           | (5.2) | 459         | (4.9) | -32                               | (6.0) |  |
| Italy              | 0.02                      | (0.02) | 0.98                     | (0.01) | -1.19          | (0.02) | -0.25          | (0.02) | 0.24  | (0.01) | 1.29        | (0.03) | 490            | (3.6) | 481            | (4.0) | 479           | (3.3) | 470         | (3.2) | -20                               | (4.3) |  |
| Japan              | -0.03                     | (0.02) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.24          | (0.02) | -0.41          | (0.02) | 0.25  | (0.02) | 1.29        | (0.02) | 554            | (3.6) | 553            | (3.5) | 549           | (3.9) | 552         | (4.0) | -2                                | (4.8) |  |
| Korea              | 0.14                      | (0.01) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -0.93          | (0.02) | -0.04          | (0.01) | 0.17  | (0.01) | 1.37        | (0.03) | 543            | (3.8) | 532            | (3.4) | 532           | (3.6) | 547         | (3.0) | 4                                 | (4.2) |  |
| Latvia             | -0.14                     | (0.02) | 1.00                     | (0.01) | -1.37          | (0.02) | -0.44          | (0.02) | 0.11  | (0.01) | 1.15        | (0.02) | 502            | (4.2) | 494            | (4.3) | 475           | (3.4) | 473         | (3.2) | -29                               | (5.3) |  |
| Luxembourg         | 0.00                      | (0.01) | 1.11                     | (0.01) | -1.39          | (0.02) | -0.31          | (0.02) | 0.28  | (0.02) | 1.43        | (0.02) | 509            | (3.3) | 495            | (3.3) | 488           | (2.9) | 481         | (3.0) | -28                               | (5.0) |  |
| Mexico             | 0.23                      | (0.01) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -0.94          | (0.02) | -0.07          | (0.01) | 0.44  | (0.02) | 1.48        | (0.02) | 436            | (3.4) | 430            | (3.3) | 432           | (3.0) | 438         | (3.6) | 2                                 | (3.3) |  |
| Netherlands        | -0.26                     | (0.01) | 0.80                     | (0.01) | -1.22          | (0.02) | -0.50          | (0.01) | -0.02   | (0.01) | 0.70        | (0.03) | 539            | (3.9) | 523            | (3.7) | 511           | (3.9) | 512         | (3.9) | -27                               | (4.6) |  |
| New Zealand        | 0.07                      | (0.02) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.02) | -0.20          | (0.02) | 0.23  | (0.02) | 1.39        | (0.03) | 557            | (4.3) | 535            | (4.0) | 530           | (4.2) | 519         | (4.2) | -38                               | (5.3) |  |
| Norway             | -0.23                     | (0.02) | 1.06                     | (0.01) | -1.49          | (0.02) | -0.62          | (0.02) | 0.02  | (0.02) | 1.18        | (0.03) | 521            | (3.4) | 517            | (3.7) | 492           | (3.8) | 489         | (3.9) | -31                               | (4.7) |  |
| Poland             | -0.06                     | (0.02) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.28          | (0.03) | -0.30          | (0.02) | 0.14  | (0.02) | 1.22        | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Portugal           | 0.32                      | (0.02) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -0.90          | (0.02) | -0.02          | (0.01) | 0.53  | (0.03) | 1.65        | (0.02) | 514            | (3.6) | 490            | (3.5) | 497           | (4.0) | 495         | (3.7) | -19                               | (4.0) |  |
| Slovak Republic    | -0.12                     | (0.02) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -1.28          | (0.02) | -0.36          | (0.02) | 0.06  | (0.01) | 1.10        | (0.03) | 467            | (3.6) | 464            | (3.5) | 464           | (3.5) | 475         | (3.3) | 8                                 | (3.9) |  |
| Slovenia           | 0.02                      | (0.01) | 0.95                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.02) | -0.23          | (0.02) | 0.22  | (0.01) | 1.25        | (0.02) | 515            | (3.7) | 497            | (3.6) | 498           | (3.2) | 504         | (3.5) | -11                               | (5.4) |  |
| Spain              | 0.15                      | (0.02) | 1.00                     | (0.01) | -1.08          | (0.02) | -0.20          | (0.02) | 0.41  | (0.02) | 1.47        | (0.02) | 505            | (3.1) | 499            | (3.5) | 492           | (3.1) | 494         | (3.5) | -12                               | (4.3) |  |
| Sweden             | -0.19                     | (0.02) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.39          | (0.02) | -0.53          | (0.01) | 0.05  | (0.02) | 1.11        | (0.03) | 524            | (4.7) | 525            | (4.3) | 503           | (5.0) | 501         | (4.1) | -23                               | (5.0) |  |
| Switzerland        | 0.22                      | (0.02) | 0.99                     | (0.01) | -1.04          | (0.02) | -0.12          | (0.02) | 0.54  | (0.03) | 1.49        | (0.03) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Turkey             | -0.04                     | (0.01) | 0.94                     | (0.01) | -1.19          | (0.02) | -0.37          | (0.01) | 0.19  | (0.02) | 1.19        | (0.02) | 416            | (4.4) | 418            | (4.0) | 423           | (4.3) | 436         | (4.2) | 20                                | (4.4) |  |
| United Kingdom     | -0.04                     | (0.01) | 0.98                     | (0.01) | -1.24          | (0.02) | -0.29          | (0.02) | 0.13  | (0.01) | 1.23        | (0.02) | 542            | (3.9) | 521            | (3.4) | 509           | (3.6) | 514         | (4.2) | -28                               | (4.4) |  |
| United States      | 0.06                      | (0.02) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -1.21          | (0.02) | -0.21          | (0.02) | 0.22  | (0.02) | 1.43        | (0.02) | 550            | (5.1) | 509            | (4.7) | 514           | (5.1) | 519         | (4.2) | -31                               | (5.3) |  |
| OECD average-32    | 0.00                      | (0.00) | 0.99                     | (0.00) | -1.21          | (0.00) | -0.31          | (0.00) | 0.22  | (0.00) | 1.29        | (0.00) | 515            | (0.7) | 503            | (0.7) | 496           | (0.7) | 496         | (0.7) | -19                               | (0.8) |  |
| OECD average-35    | 0.01                      | (0.00) | 0.99                     | (0.00) | -1.20          | (0.00) | -0.30          | (0.00) | 0.23  | (0.00) | 1.30        | (0.00) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| <b>Partners</b>    |                           |        |                          |        |                |        |                |        |   |        |             |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |
| Brazil             | 0.20                      | (0.01) | 0.90                     | (0.01) | -0.86          | (0.01) | -0.08          | (0.01) | 0.33  | (0.01) | 1.42        | (0.01) | 422            | (3.7) | 409            | (3.0) | 418           | (2.8) | 428         | (2.7) | 6                                 | (3.6) |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)    | 0.39                      | (0.01) | 0.93                     | (0.01) | -0.61          | (0.02) | 0.03           | c      | 0.45  | (0.03) | 1.70        | (0.02) | 498            | (5.1) | 493            | (5.0) | 492           | (5.1) | 503         | (4.2) | 6                                 | (4.1) |  |
| Bulgaria           | -0.07                     | (0.02) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -1.34          | (0.03) | -0.32          | (0.03) | 0.11  | (0.01) | 1.27        | (0.03) | 456            | (4.8) | 452            | (4.6) | 443           | (4.7) | 453         | (4.4) | -3                                | (4.7) |  |
| Colombia           | 0.23                      | (0.01) | 0.92                     | (0.01) | -0.89          | (0.02) | -0.09          | (0.01) | 0.47  | (0.02) | 1.44        | (0.02) | 432            | (3.5) | 431            | (3.3) | 429           | (3.0) | 429         | (3.3) | -3                                | (4.0) |  |
| Costa Rica         | 0.34                      | (0.02) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -0.96          | (0.02) | -0.02          | (0.01) | 0.64  | (0.02) | 1.69        | (0.02) | 448            | (4.2) | 439            | (3.9) | 438           | (3.4) | 430         | (3.4) | -19                               | (4.4) |  |
| Croatia            | 0.21                      | (0.02) | 0.98                     | (0.01) | -0.98          | (0.02) | -0.07          | (0.01) | 0.38  | (0.02) | 1.53        | (0.02) | 482            | (3.4) | 469            | (4.1) | 474           | (3.1) | 470         | (3.4) | -11                               | (4.0) |  |
| Cyprus*            | 0.10                      | (0.01) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -1.15          | (0.02) | -0.19          | (0.01) | 0.29  | (0.02) | 1.43        | (0.02) | 455            | (3.7) | 442            | (2.8) | 445           | (3.3) | 445         | (3.5) | -10                               | (4.6) |  |
| Dominican Republic | 0.51                      | (0.02) | 1.10                     | (0.02) | -0.88          | (0.03) | 0.14           | (0.03) | 0.87  | (0.02) | 1.90        | (0.02) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Hong Kong (China)  | 0.05                      | (0.02) | 1.01                     | (0.01) | -1.20          | (0.02) | -0.12          | (0.02) | 0.14  | (0.02) | 1.39        | (0.04) | 549            | (4.2) | 539            | (4.2) | 538           | (4.1) | 538         | (4.4) | -11                               | (4.7) |  |
| Lithuania          | 0.33                      | (0.02) | 1.16                     | (0.01) | -1.21          | (0.03) | 0.00           | (0.02) | 0.76  | (0.02) | 1.75        | (0.02) | 478            | (4.4) | 466            | (3.5) | 473           | (3.4) | 462         | (3.6) | -16                               | (5.5) |  |
| Macao (China)      | 0.01                      | (0.01) | 0.88                     | (0.01) | -1.04          | (0.02) | -0.24          | (0.01) | 0.12  | (0.01) | 1.17        | (0.02) | 538            | (3.3) | 526            | (3.0) | 532           | (3.2) | 539         | (3.7) | 0                                 | (5.0) |  |
| Montenegro         | -0.09                     | (0.01) | 0.97                     | (0.01) | -1.25          | (0.02) | -0.40          | (0.01) | 0.11  | (0.01) | 1.19        | (0.02) | 428            | (2.7) | 416            | (2.5) | 414           | (2.8) | 418         | (2.7) | -10                               | (3.0) |  |
| Peru               | 0.09                      | (0.01) | 0.88                     | (0.01) | -0.99          | (0.02) | -0.17          | (0.01) | 0.26  | (0.01) | 1.25        | (0.02) | 409            | (3.6) | 413            | (3.3) | 427           | (3.4) | 430         | (3.1) | 21                                | (3.9) |  |
| Qatar              | 0.23                      | (0.01) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -1.05          | (0.02) | -0.08          | (0.01) | 0.51  | (0.01) | 1.55        | (0.01) | m              | m     | m              | m     | m             | m     | m           | m     | m                                 | m     |  |
| Russia             | -0.18                     | (0.02) | 0.91                     | (0.01) | -1.26          | (0.03) | -0.43          | (0.03) | 0.03  | (0.00) | 0.95        | (0.03) | 486            | (4.2) | 475            | (5.0) | 467           | (4.6) | 474         | (4.2) | -12                               | (4.5) |  |
| Singapore          | 0.27                      | (0.01) | 1.03                     | (0.01) | -0.98          | (0.02) | -0.05          | (0.01) | 0.45  | (0.02) | 1.67        | (0.02) | 584            | (2.5) | 554            | (3.1) | 557           | (2.9) | 551         | (3.0) | -33                               | (4.4) |  |
| Chinese Taipei     | 0.37                      | (0.02) | 1.00                     | (0.01) | -0.81          | (0.03) | 0.03           | c      | 0.50  | (0.03) | 1.75        | (0.02) | 543            | (3.6) | 511            | (3.4) | 529           | (3.4) | 523         | (3.3) | -20                               | (3.6) |  |
| Thailand           | 0.37                      | (0.02) | 0.81                     | (0.01) | -0.51          | (0.02) | 0.03           | c      | 0.46  | (0.03) | 1.49        | (0.03) | 430            | (4.8) | 427            | (4.4) | 442           | (4.2) | 449         | (3.9) | 19                                | (4.5) |  |
| Tunisia            | 0.43                      | (0.02) | 1.02                     | (0.01) | -0.85          | (0.03) | 0.07           | (0.01) | 0.75  | (0.02) | 1.74        |        |                |       |                |       |               |       |             |       |                                   |       |  |



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Table V.5.14b Index of valuing teamwork and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                      | Before accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>                     |       |   |       |   |       |   |       | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile                                   |       |  |       |   |       |  |       | Increased likelihood of students in the bottom quarter of the index of valuing teamwork scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) |       | Increased likelihood of students in the top quarter of the index of valuing teamwork scoring at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (at or above 640 score points) |       |
|----------------------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|
|                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing teamwork |       | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in relative collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing teamwork |       | Explained variance in student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing teamwork |       | Explained variance in relative student performance (r-squared × 100) |       | Change in relative collaborative problem-solving performance per unit change in the index of valuing teamwork |       | Explained variance in relative student performance (r-squared × 100) |       |   |       |   |       |
|                      | Score dif.   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | Relative risk   | S.E.  | Relative risk   | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |
| Australia            | -11  | (1.6) | 1.0   | (0.3) | 2   | (1.4) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -10  | (1.6) | 10.3   | (1.0) | 2   | (1.4) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.0) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) |
| Austria              | -12  | (1.7) | 2.0   | (0.5) | 2   | (1.3) | 0.1   | (0.2) | -7   | (1.6) | 20.9   | (1.9) | 2   | (1.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) |
| Belgium              | -14  | (1.3) | 2.0   | (0.4) | -2  | (0.9) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -9   | (1.1) | 24.6   | (1.9) | -1  | (1.0) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.0) | <b>0.6</b>  | (0.1) |
| Canada               | -15  | (1.3) | 2.4   | (0.4) | -3  | (1.3) | 0.3   | (0.2) | -16  | (1.3) | 9.5  | (0.8) | -3  | (1.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.6</b>  | (0.0) | <b>0.6</b>  | (0.1) |
| Chile                | 0  | (1.5) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 2   | (1.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0  | (1.5) | 17.8   | (1.7) | 2   | (1.0) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 0.9   | (0.0) | 1.2   | (0.5) |
| Czech Republic       | -2   | (1.4) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 4   | (1.2) | 0.4   | (0.3) | 0  | (1.4) | 19.7   | (1.9) | 4   | (1.3) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.1) | 0.9   | (0.1) |
| Denmark              | -11  | (1.7) | 1.4   | (0.4) | 0   | (1.2) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -9   | (1.7) | 8.1  | (1.2) | 0   | (1.2) | 0.2  | (0.2) | <b>0.6</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) |
| Estonia              | -4   | (1.9) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 3   | (1.5) | 0.4   | (0.4) | -3   | (2.0) | 8.4  | (1.3) | 3   | (1.5) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 0.9   | (0.1) | 0.9   | (0.1) |
| Finland              | -11  | (2.0) | 1.0   | (0.4) | 2   | (1.5) | 0.2   | (0.2) | -11  | (2.0) | 6.5  | (1.0) | 2   | (1.5) | 0.5  | (0.3) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) |
| France               | -7   | (1.5) | 0.6   | (0.3) | 2   | (1.3) | 0.2   | (0.2) | -3   | (1.4) | 23.9   | (1.8) | 2   | (1.3) | 0.2  | (0.2) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
| Germany              | -7   | (1.6) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 1   | (1.1) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -5   | (1.4) | 19.5   | (1.9) | 0   | (1.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) |
| Greece               | -5   | (1.7) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 1   | (1.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -3   | (1.5) | 16.9   | (2.2) | 1   | (1.0) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.0) | 0.6   | (0.2) |
| Hungary              | -7   | (1.7) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -5   | (1.5) | 35.1   | (1.9) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.7  | (0.3) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.0) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.2) |
| Iceland              | -11  | (1.8) | 1.3   | (0.4) | -1  | (1.2) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -11  | (1.8) | 3.3  | (0.7) | 0   | (1.2) | 0.9  | (0.4) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
| Ireland              | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
| Israel               | -10  | (2.1) | 1.0   | (0.4) | -1  | (1.4) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -6   | (1.9) | 22.0   | (2.8) | 0   | (1.5) | 1.1  | (0.6) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.0) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
| Italy                | -7   | (1.5) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 1   | (1.3) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -3   | (1.5) | 17.5   | (1.7) | 1   | (1.4) | 0.4  | (0.3) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.0) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
| Japan                | 1  | (1.7) | 0.0   | (0.1) | 3   | (1.6) | 0.3   | (0.3) | 1  | (1.6) | 13.8   | (1.7) | 3   | (1.6) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 0.9   | (0.1) | 1.0   | (0.1) |
| Korea                | 2  | (1.7) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 4   | (1.3) | 0.5   | (0.4) | 0  | (1.6) | 10.7   | (1.9) | 4   | (1.4) | 1.2  | (0.6) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 1.1   | (0.1) |
| Latvia               | -10  | (1.7) | 1.2   | (0.4) | -1  | (1.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -8   | (1.6) | 9.1  | (1.3) | -1  | (1.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.5</b>  | (0.2) |
| Luxembourg           | -8   | (1.5) | 0.8   | (0.3) | 0   | (1.2) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -6   | (1.5) | 22.5   | (1.3) | -1  | (1.2) | 0.7  | (0.3) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | 0.7   | (0.2) |
| Mexico               | 1  | (1.4) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 2   | (1.5) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 2  | (1.4) | 17.4   | (1.9) | 2   | (1.5) | 1.7  | (0.7) | 1.0   | (0.0) | 1.0   | (0.6) |
| Netherlands          | -11  | (2.0) | 0.9   | (0.3) | -1  | (1.3) | 0.0   | (0.0) | -7   | (1.9) | 22.0   | (2.5) | -1  | (1.3) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) | 0.8   | (0.1) |
| New Zealand          | -12  | (2.1) | 1.4   | (0.5) | 1   | (1.6) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -11  | (1.8) | 10.7   | (1.5) | 0   | (1.6) | 0.3  | (0.3) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.6</b>  | (0.1) |
| Norway               | -13  | (1.3) | 2.1   | (0.5) | 1   | (1.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -12  | (1.3) | 5.9  | (0.8) | 1   | (1.0) | 0.2  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.6</b>  | (0.1) |
| Poland               | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
| Portugal             | -6   | (1.4) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 3   | (1.0) | 0.2   | (0.2) | -4   | (1.4) | 13.4   | (1.8) | 3   | (1.0) | 0.5  | (0.3) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | 0.9   | (0.2) |
| Slovak Republic      | 3  | (1.6) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 1   | (1.3) | 0.0   | (0.1) | 1  | (1.6) | 19.8   | (1.8) | 1   | (1.3) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 1.0   | (0.0) | 1.2   | (0.3) |
| Slovenia             | -4   | (1.9) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 4   | (1.6) | 0.5   | (0.3) | 0  | (1.7) | 23.8   | (1.5) | 5   | (1.6) | 0.9  | (0.5) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | 0.9   | (0.2) |
| Spain                | -4   | (1.5) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 3   | (1.5) | 0.4   | (0.3) | -3   | (1.5) | 7.7  | (1.0) | 3   | (1.5) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.1) | 0.7   | (0.1) |
| Sweden               | -10  | (1.7) | 1.1   | (0.4) | 3   | (1.3) | 0.2   | (0.2) | -9   | (1.7) | 11.7   | (1.8) | 3   | (1.3) | 0.5  | (0.3) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) |
| Switzerland          | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
| Turkey               | 8  | (1.5) | 1.0   | (0.4) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 6  | (1.5) | 21.3   | (3.2) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.8  | (0.5) | <b>1.1</b>  | (0.0) | 2.5   | (5.2) |
| United Kingdom       | -9   | (1.5) | 0.8   | (0.3) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -9   | (1.4) | 10.9   | (1.5) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) |
| United States        | -10  | (1.7) | 0.9   | (0.3) | 3   | (1.0) | 0.3   | (0.2) | -9   | (1.5) | 10.8   | (1.4) | 3   | (1.0) | 0.5  | (0.3) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) |
| OECD average-32      | -7   | (0.3) | 0.8   | (0.1) | 1   | (0.2) | 0.2   | (0.0) | -5   | (0.3) | 15.5   | (0.3) | 1   | (0.2) | 0.5  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.0) | 0.8   | (0.2) |
| OECD average-35      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |
| Brazil               | 5  | (1.3) | 0.3   | (0.1) | 3   | (1.2) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 5  | (1.2) | 17.1   | (1.7) | 3   | (1.2) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 1.0   | (0.3) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 2  | (1.6) | 0.0   | (0.1) | 2   | (1.1) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 2  | (1.4) | 28.1   | (2.8) | 2   | (1.1) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 1.1   | (0.1) | 1.0   | (0.1) |
| Bulgaria             | -2   | (1.6) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 1   | (0.9) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -1   | (1.3) | 32.4   | (2.6) | 1   | (0.9) | 1.0  | (0.4) | <b>0.9</b>  | (0.0) | 0.9   | (0.2) |
| Colombia             | -2   | (1.4) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -2  | (1.2) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0  | (1.4) | 22.2   | (2.2) | -2  | (1.2) | 2.8  | (0.9) | 1.0   | (0.0) | 0.7   | (0.4) |
| Costa Rica           | -6   | (1.4) | 0.6   | (0.3) | 2   | (1.2) | 0.2   | (0.2) | -3   | (1.4) | 14.5   | (1.9) | 2   | (1.3) | 0.4  | (0.3) | <b>0.9</b>  | (0.0) | 0.7   | (0.5) |
| Croatia              | -4   | (1.5) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 4   | (1.1) | 0.5   | (0.3) | -1   | (1.4) | 17.9   | (2.0) | 4   | (1.1) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.0) | 0.9   | (0.2) |
| Cyprus*              | -3   | (1.7) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0   | (1.5) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -1   | (1.6) | 8.9  | (0.9) | 0   | (1.5) | 0.3  | (0.3) | <b>0.9</b>  | (0.0) | 1.0   | (0.4) |
| Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | -4   | (1.7) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 1   | (1.1) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -4   | (1.7) | 7.5  | (1.6) | 0   | (1.1) | 0.2  | (0.2) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) | 0.9   | (0.1) |
| Lithuania            | -4   | (1.7) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -2   | (1.6) | 17.3   | (2.0) | 1   | (1.2) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 0.9   | (0.1) | <b>0.5</b>  | (0.2) |
| Macao (China)        | 1  | (1.8) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 3   | (1.6) | 0.3   | (0.3) | 1  | (1.8) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 3   | (1.6) | 0.9  | (0.4) | 1.0   | (0.1) | 1.0   | (0.1) |
| Montenegro           | -3   | (1.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0   | (1.0) | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0  | (1.2) | 13.4   | (1.0) | 1   | (1.0) | 0.4  | (0.3) | <b>0.9</b>  | (0.0) | 0.7   | (1.1) |
| Peru                 | 9  | (1.5) | 1.0   | (0.3) | 3   | (1.2) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 6  | (1.3) | 30.2   | (2.1) | 2   | (1.3) | 2.2  | (0.5) | <b>1.1</b>  | (0.0) | 1.2   | (0.7) |
| Qatar                | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
| Russia               | -3   | (1.7) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 2   | (1.3) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -1   | (1.7) | 11.7   | (1.7) | 3   | (1.3) | 2.8  | (1.0) | <b>0.9</b>  | (0.0) | 0.9   | (0.2) |
| Singapore            | -10  | (1.5) | 1.2   | (0.3) | 1   | (1.1) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -6   | (1.3) | 16.8   | (1.3) | 0   | (1.1) | 0.3  | (0.2) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.1) |
| Chinese Taipei       | -5   | (1.3) | 0.3   | (0.1) | -1  | (1.2) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -4   | (1.3) | 17.1   | (2.1) | -1  | (1.2) | 0.2  | (0.2) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.1) | <b>0.7</b>  | (0.1) |
| Thailand             | 9  | (2.0) | 0.7   | (0.3) | 3   | (1.4) | 0.3   | (0.3) | 7  | (1.9) | 18.4   | (2.9) | 3   | (1.4) | 1.8  | (0.9) | <b>1.2</b>  | (0.0) | 1.2   | (0.5) |
| Tunisia              | -4   | (1.1) | 0.5   | (0.3) | -2  | (1.0) | 0.1   | (0.2) | -1   | (1.1) | 17.0   | (2.9) | -1  | (1.0) | 2.2  | (0.8) | <b>0.9</b>  | (0.0) | m   | m     |
| United Arab Emirates | -3   | (1.4) | 0.1   | (0.1) | -1  | (1.2) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0  | (1.4) | 14.4   | (1.7) | 0   | (1.2) | 1.1  | (0.4) | 0.9   | (0.0) | <b>0.5</b>  | (0.2) |
| Uruguay              | -12  | (1.7) | 1.9   | (0.5) | 0   | (1.4) | 0.0   | (0.1) | -10  | (1.7) | 20.7   | (1.9) | 0   | (1.4) | 0.3  | (0.3) | <b>0.8</b>  | (0.0) | 0.5   | (0.2) |
| Malaysia**           | 7  | (1.7) | 0.6   | (0.3) | 4   | (1.2) | 0.6   | (0.3) | 8  | (1.5) | 16.6   | (2.5) | 4   | (1.2) | 1.2  | (0.6) | <b>1.1</b>  | (0.0) | 1.1   | (0.7) |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.1a Days engaged in moderate physical activity and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 | Days engaged in moderate physical activity <sup>1</sup> in an average week |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            |             |            |           |            |           |            |           |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|-----------------|--|------------|--|------------|-------------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|
|                 |  |            | Days of moderate physical activity per week  |            |             |            |           |            |           |            |           |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 |  |            | All students                                 |            |             |            |           |            |           |            |           |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 |  |            | Average number of days                       |            | Variability |            | 0         | 1          | 2         | 3          | 4         | 5          | 6    | 7          | 0    | 1          | 2    | 3          | 4    | 5          | 6    |
| Days            | S.E.   | S.D.       | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.        | Mean score | S.E.      | Mean score | S.E.      | Mean score | S.E.      | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. |
| OECD            | Australia  | 4.6 (0.03) | 2.3 (0.01)                                   | 532 (3.9)  | 539 (3.9)   | 535 (4.4)  | 539 (4.2) | 532 (4.4)  | 542 (4.5) | 552 (6.7)  | 528 (3.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Austria  | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.6 (0.01)                                   | 497 (5.6)  | 502 (5.0)   | 504 (5.6)  | 516 (5.6) | 513 (6.2)  | 513 (5.7) | 533 (7.6)  | 520 (3.2) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Belgium  | 4.6 (0.03) | 2.5 (0.01)                                   | 482 (4.6)  | 487 (4.0)   | 505 (4.2)  | 507 (4.5) | 510 (4.5)  | 528 (3.8) | 538 (6.2)  | 521 (3.2) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Canada   | 5.3 (0.02) | 2.3 (0.01)                                   | 530 (4.8)  | 546 (5.9)   | 541 (4.1)  | 539 (3.5) | 525 (4.8)  | 540 (4.6) | 552 (5.1)  | 540 (3.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Chile  | 4.4 (0.03) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 470 (4.3)  | 459 (4.0)   | 458 (4.7)  | 449 (4.6) | 457 (4.8)  | 468 (4.9) | 471 (7.1)  | 457 (4.2) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Czech Republic   | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 466 (6.9)  | 490 (4.5)   | 493 (4.2)  | 503 (3.8) | 499 (5.2)  | 508 (4.1) | 523 (7.0)  | 515 (3.2) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Denmark  | 5.6 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | 502 (6.4)  | 514 (7.4)   | 525 (6.5)  | 524 (5.4) | 520 (5.9)  | 534 (3.9) | 535 (5.1)  | 524 (3.8) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Estonia  | 4.7 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.01)                                   | 535 (5.2)  | 525 (5.8)   | 540 (4.8)  | 540 (4.5) | 537 (5.3)  | 549 (4.8) | 550 (7.6)  | 527 (3.4) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Finland  | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.2 (0.01)                                   | 522 (6.4)  | 524 (6.1)   | 536 (5.3)  | 539 (5.2) | 547 (5.0)  | 543 (4.4) | 554 (4.7)  | 531 (4.5) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | France   | 4.6 (0.04) | 2.6 (0.01)                                   | 485 (5.0)  | 490 (4.1)   | 496 (5.1)  | 494 (4.5) | 498 (5.8)  | 513 (6.7) | 524 (7.4)  | 514 (3.6) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Germany  | 5.6 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 516 (7.4)  | 525 (6.2)   | 528 (6.3)  | 528 (5.6) | 521 (6.5)  | 550 (4.9) | 560 (8.3)  | 543 (4.0) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Greece   | 4.3 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 462 (5.1)  | 450 (4.7)   | 463 (4.5)  | 454 (5.5) | 456 (7.0)  | 475 (6.8) | 470 (7.1)  | 467 (4.8) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Hungary  | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 460 (5.4)  | 449 (5.7)   | 464 (5.5)  | 466 (4.9) | 464 (7.3)  | 479 (4.7) | 497 (7.7)  | 487 (3.9) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Iceland  | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 504 (7.9)  | 503 (6.5)   | 511 (5.7)  | 498 (5.8) | 501 (5.9)  | 500 (5.2) | 511 (5.8)  | 499 (4.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Ireland  | 4.5 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | m          | m           | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Israel   | 4.2 (0.05) | 2.5 (0.01)                                   | 480 (5.4)  | 458 (5.3)   | 472 (6.2)  | 458 (5.8) | 467 (5.6)  | 476 (6.5) | 493 (6.7)  | 486 (4.9) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Italy  | m          | m  | m          | m           | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Japan  | 4.7 (0.06) | 2.8 (0.01)                                   | 563 (3.1)  | 538 (6.1)   | 547 (6.6)  | 546 (5.5) | 559 (8.6)  | 558 (4.4) | 568 (3.8)  | 541 (3.8) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Korea  | 4.3 (0.05) | 2.6 (0.02)                                   | 552 (3.6)  | 532 (4.2)   | 542 (4.2)  | 534 (4.3) | 537 (6.2)  | 540 (3.9) | 541 (8.3)  | 529 (4.5) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Latvia   | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 472 (6.4)  | 462 (5.8)   | 484 (4.6)  | 483 (4.4) | 492 (5.3)  | 491 (4.2) | 488 (6.4)  | 496 (3.8) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Luxembourg   | 4.4 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 489 (4.8)  | 486 (4.5)   | 492 (4.2)  | 499 (4.0) | 486 (4.7)  | 500 (5.8) | 510 (9.1)  | 506 (3.6) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Mexico   | 4.3 (0.03) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | 434 (4.5)  | 418 (3.4)   | 422 (3.9)  | 439 (3.6) | 443 (5.9)  | 445 (4.5) | 445 (5.7)  | 447 (3.7) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Netherlands  | 5.6 (0.04) | 2.2 (0.02)                                   | 498 (7.2)  | 496 (8.3)   | 499 (5.7)  | 493 (5.4) | 521 (7.9)  | 534 (4.1) | 542 (4.7)  | 529 (3.6) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | New Zealand  | 4.8 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 523 (6.6)  | 542 (6.2)   | 534 (5.4)  | 534 (6.0) | 526 (6.4)  | 540 (5.0) | 564 (6.7)  | 540 (5.2) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Norway   | 5.6 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | 496 (5.7)  | 475 (7.0)   | 494 (5.5)  | 493 (5.7) | 516 (5.7)  | 514 (3.9) | 534 (5.6)  | 512 (3.5) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Poland   | 5.6 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | m          | m           | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Portugal   | 4.4 (0.04) | 2.5 (0.02)                                   | 498 (4.9)  | 491 (5.3)   | 492 (4.6)  | 498 (4.3) | 501 (5.1)  | 517 (5.2) | 522 (10.4) | 503 (3.5) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Slovak Republic  | 5.1 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 436 (5.9)  | 446 (5.8)   | 459 (5.2)  | 468 (4.3) | 477 (5.3)  | 477 (4.9) | 479 (6.9)  | 479 (3.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Slovenia   | 4.9 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | 496 (5.8)  | 488 (4.3)   | 497 (4.3)  | 502 (4.8) | 511 (5.6)  | 519 (5.2) | 520 (7.8)  | 507 (3.7) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Spain  | 4.2 (0.03) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 484 (4.2)  | 496 (4.3)   | 502 (3.9)  | 499 (4.0) | 500 (5.4)  | 504 (4.4) | 503 (6.2)  | 505 (3.4) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Sweden   | 5.2 (0.05) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 484 (6.2)  | 509 (6.3)   | 503 (5.3)  | 513 (6.3) | 521 (6.2)  | 522 (4.6) | 530 (7.4)  | 525 (4.5) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Switzerland  | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.5 (0.02)                                   | m          | m           | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Turkey   | 4.0 (0.05) | 2.5 (0.02)                                   | 416 (4.3)  | 405 (4.4)   | 416 (4.8)  | 423 (5.4) | 421 (8.0)  | 443 (5.7) | 450 (10.3) | 445 (4.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | United Kingdom   | 4.7 (0.04) | 2.5 (0.01)                                   | 506 (4.9)  | 508 (6.1)   | 528 (5.5)  | 534 (5.0) | 516 (6.6)  | 534 (4.6) | 549 (7.2)  | 525 (4.2) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | United States  | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 514 (6.5)  | 512 (8.7)   | 533 (6.8)  | 527 (6.7) | 524 (7.5)  | 525 (4.9) | 535 (6.8)  | 524 (4.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
| OECD average-32 | 4.9 (0.01)   | 2.4 (0.00) | 494 (1.0)                                    | 492 (1.0)  | 500 (0.9)   | 501 (0.9)  | 503 (1.1) | 512 (0.9)  | 521 (1.3) | 509 (0.7)  |           |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
| OECD average-35 | 4.9 (0.01)   | 2.4 (0.00) | m  | m          | m           | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          | m         |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
| Partners        | Brazil   | 3.7 (0.03) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 434 (3.4)  | 408 (4.0)   | 408 (3.7)  | 425 (3.7) | 423 (5.1)  | 428 (4.5) | 421 (8.1)  | 435 (3.7) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)  | 4.2 (0.05) | 2.5 (0.02)                                   | 513 (5.4)  | 481 (6.7)   | 490 (6.0)  | 484 (6.5) | 505 (7.5)  | 486 (4.5) | 533 (9.3)  | 508 (5.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Bulgaria   | 4.5 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 429 (5.1)  | 424 (5.7)   | 435 (5.4)  | 440 (6.2) | 477 (6.0)  | 465 (6.3) | 482 (6.8)  | 478 (4.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Colombia   | 3.6 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | 422 (3.2)  | 417 (3.5)   | 426 (4.2)  | 427 (4.2) | 443 (6.3)  | 435 (5.9) | 455 (7.0)  | 462 (4.0) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Costa Rica   | 3.9 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | 444 (4.9)  | 438 (4.3)   | 433 (4.4)  | 440 (5.4) | 438 (5.6)  | 438 (4.8) | 455 (8.1)  | 440 (4.2) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Croatia  | 4.7 (0.04) | 2.5 (0.01)                                   | 460 (4.1)  | 458 (4.3)   | 464 (4.1)  | 469 (4.6) | 474 (6.6)  | 486 (4.7) | 494 (7.7)  | 490 (3.7) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Cyprus*  | 4.3 (0.03) | 2.3 (0.01)                                   | 442 (4.8)  | 442 (3.9)   | 441 (4.1)  | 446 (4.9) | 451 (5.5)  | 453 (5.3) | 469 (7.0)  | 454 (3.8) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | 4.2 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.02)                                   | m          | m           | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)  | 4.4 (0.05) | 2.6 (0.01)                                   | 556 (4.5)  | 538 (4.1)   | 536 (5.2)  | 538 (4.7) | 528 (8.1)  | 548 (4.9) | 544 (7.1)  | 537 (4.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Lithuania  | 5.1 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 448 (5.8)  | 452 (4.9)   | 460 (5.4)  | 468 (4.2) | 462 (6.0)  | 480 (5.1) | 495 (6.5)  | 484 (3.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Macao (China)  | 4.2 (0.04) | 2.6 (0.01)                                   | 543 (3.6)  | 524 (3.7)   | 530 (3.7)  | 531 (6.2) | 537 (7.8)  | 537 (4.8) | 552 (6.9)  | 534 (3.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Montenegro   | 5.1 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.01)                                   | 410 (5.8)  | 406 (4.8)   | 407 (4.0)  | 423 (3.0) | 416 (4.2)  | 425 (4.0) | 439 (6.9)  | 432 (3.0) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Peru   | 4.2 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | 417 (5.5)  | 401 (3.6)   | 413 (3.9)  | 431 (4.2) | 428 (6.1)  | 432 (4.5) | 450 (8.1)  | 443 (4.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Qatar  | 3.7 (0.02) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | m          | m           | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          | m         | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Russia   | 5.2 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.02)                                   | 473 (7.1)  | 465 (7.0)   | 466 (6.2)  | 465 (5.1) | 468 (6.3)  | 486 (7.5) | 485 (7.0)  | 488 (4.5) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Singapore  | 4.5 (0.03) | 2.6 (0.01)                                   | 574 (3.9)  | 546 (3.8)   | 543 (3.6)  | 553 (4.7) | 557 (6.4)  | 568 (4.2) | 578 (8.3)  | 575 (2.7) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Chinese Taipei   | 4.7 (0.03) | 2.6 (0.01)                                   | 531 (3.8)  | 523 (4.8)   | 526 (4.1)  | 523 (6.6) | 540 (5.6)  | 526 (3.6) | 544 (7.8)  | 524 (3.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Thailand   | 4.8 (0.04) | 2.3 (0.01)                                   | 439 (7.0)  | 417 (4.3)   | 428 (4.4)  | 440 (5.0) | 435 (5.5)  | 438 (4.8) | 462 (10.9) | 453 (4.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Tunisia  | 3.5 (0.04) | 2.2 (0.02)                                   | 395 (3.0)  | 382 (3.1)   | 374 (3.4)  | 379 (3.3) | 369 (4.6)  | 387 (6.8) | 379 (6.2)  | 397 (3.4) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | United Arab Emirates   | 3.5 (0.03) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 432 (3.1)  | 423 (4.4)   | 438 (4.4)  | 436 (5.0) | 445 (5.3)  | 449 (5.4) | 473 (11.1) | 460 (4.4) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Uruguay  | 4.3 (0.04) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 445 (4.2)  | 434 (4.8)   | 443 (4.5)  | 455 (5.0) | 448 (5.6)  | 461 (5.0) | 444 (7.2)  | 459 (4.4) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |
|                 | Malaysia**   | 5.1 (0.05) | 2.4 (0.01)                                   | 426 (6.1)  | 421 (5.4)   | 429 (4.5)  | 436 (4.5) | 432 (6.4)  | 437 (4.6) | 442 (9.1)  | 461 (3.9) |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |

1. Examples of moderate physical activity include walking, climbing stairs and riding a bike to school. One day of moderate physical activity consists of at least 60 minutes of such activities.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.1a Days engaged in moderate physical activity and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 |                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving             |        |            |        |       |       |            |        |        |        |            |       |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|--------|------------|--------|-------|-------|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|-------|--------|--------|------------|-------|------|--|
|                 |                      | Days of moderate physical activity <sup>1</sup> per week |        |            |        |       |       |            |        |        |        |            |       |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|                 |                      | Boys   |        |            |        |       |       |            |        |        |        |            |       |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|                 |                      | 0  |        | 1          |        | 2     |       | 3          |        | 4      |        | 5          |       | 6      |        | 7          |       |      |  |
| Mean score      |                      | S.E.   |        | Mean score |        | S.E.  |       | Mean score |        | S.E.   |        | Mean score |       | S.E.   |        | Mean score |       | S.E. |  |
| OECD            | Australia            | 515  | (5.9)  | 516        | (5.9)  | 508   | (6.1) | 519        | (6.0)  | 515    | (6.5)  | 523        | (5.4) | 526    | (8.0)  | 514        | (3.9) |      |  |
|                 | Austria              | 485  | (7.1)  | 493        | (6.8)  | 487   | (7.6) | 503        | (6.8)  | 497    | (9.2)  | 506        | (6.9) | 530    | (9.3)  | 509        | (4.6) |      |  |
|                 | Belgium              | 475  | (5.8)  | 470        | (5.6)  | 487   | (6.3) | 491        | (6.0)  | 494    | (6.2)  | 517        | (5.0) | 522    | (7.6)  | 512        | (4.6) |      |  |
|                 | Canada               | 517  | (7.3)  | 529        | (8.3)  | 519   | (6.0) | 516        | (5.1)  | 502    | (5.8)  | 522        | (5.1) | 534    | (6.3)  | 523        | (3.9) |      |  |
|                 | Chile                | 472  | (6.0)  | 453        | (6.3)  | 451   | (6.1) | 440        | (5.8)  | 449    | (6.8)  | 465        | (5.9) | 468    | (9.2)  | 448        | (4.7) |      |  |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 452  | (8.9)  | 481        | (5.7)  | 482   | (6.9) | 492        | (6.0)  | 481    | (7.5)  | 497        | (5.5) | 509    | (9.8)  | 506        | (4.1) |      |  |
|                 | Denmark              | 496  | (7.3)  | 495        | (9.5)  | 519   | (8.3) | 512        | (7.7)  | 509    | (8.7)  | 526        | (5.1) | 524    | (6.9)  | 515        | (4.5) |      |  |
|                 | Estonia              | 525  | (6.5)  | 516        | (8.1)  | 524   | (6.2) | 528        | (6.2)  | 523    | (7.3)  | 540        | (6.0) | 532    | (10.6) | 513        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | Finland              | 506  | (8.2)  | 496        | (7.6)  | 512   | (6.9) | 515        | (7.3)  | 520    | (7.5)  | 523        | (5.4) | 531    | (7.1)  | 511        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | France               | 478  | (6.3)  | 472        | (6.5)  | 483   | (7.0) | 481        | (6.4)  | 483    | (8.4)  | 503        | (9.1) | 501    | (9.0)  | 501        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | Germany              | 501  | (10.1) | 516        | (8.7)  | 517   | (8.8) | 511        | (8.0)  | 494    | (9.2)  | 538        | (6.3) | 537    | (10.3) | 531        | (4.6) |      |  |
|                 | Greece               | 448  | (7.1)  | 436        | (5.9)  | 449   | (7.1) | 437        | (6.6)  | 438    | (8.7)  | 455        | (8.6) | 463    | (9.5)  | 455        | (5.9) |      |  |
|                 | Hungary              | 457  | (7.4)  | 437        | (7.5)  | 452   | (6.8) | 452        | (6.8)  | 446    | (10.2) | 465        | (6.8) | 480    | (10.9) | 472        | (5.4) |      |  |
|                 | Iceland              | 498  | (11.7) | 493        | (10.1) | 503   | (7.3) | 484        | (10.2) | 490    | (9.5)  | 490        | (7.3) | 501    | (9.0)  | 481        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | Ireland              | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m     | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Israel               | 478  | (9.6)  | 450        | (7.0)  | 464   | (8.3) | 446        | (7.7)  | 457    | (6.8)  | 458        | (8.8) | 473    | (8.9)  | 473        | (6.5) |      |  |
|                 | Italy                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m     | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Japan                | 551  | (5.1)  | 528        | (7.5)  | 546   | (6.6) | 526        | (7.8)  | 546    | (11.1) | 547        | (6.4) | 555    | (5.8)  | 528        | (4.7) |      |  |
|                 | Korea                | 526  | (6.5)  | 511        | (6.6)  | 528   | (5.4) | 521        | (5.8)  | 517    | (8.7)  | 529        | (4.9) | 533    | (9.8)  | 521        | (5.3) |      |  |
|                 | Latvia               | 459  | (8.1)  | 449        | (7.1)  | 468   | (6.8) | 460        | (6.3)  | 468    | (8.1)  | 471        | (6.0) | 471    | (9.1)  | 475        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 484  | (6.9)  | 478        | (6.4)  | 478   | (5.9) | 482        | (6.5)  | 469    | (6.4)  | 492        | (7.6) | 484    | (11.3) | 492        | (5.3) |      |  |
| Mexico          | 429                  | (6.5)  | 412    | (4.5)      | 412    | (5.5) | 431   | (5.2)      | 430    | (7.4)  | 442    | (5.5)      | 445   | (7.3)  | 442    | (4.7)      |       |      |  |
| Netherlands     | 492                  | (9.0)  | 477    | (9.6)      | 481    | (7.9) | 472   | (7.9)      | 485    | (11.4) | 525    | (4.9)      | 527   | (6.4)  | 519    | (5.3)      |       |      |  |
| New Zealand     | 509                  | (9.0)  | 520    | (10.1)     | 511    | (7.0) | 506   | (9.8)      | 500    | (8.9)  | 524    | (7.3)      | 548   | (7.8)  | 522    | (6.0)      |       |      |  |
| Norway          | 483                  | (7.8)  | 461    | (9.3)      | 479    | (7.6) | 468   | (8.2)      | 503    | (9.1)  | 506    | (5.3)      | 520   | (7.0)  | 499    | (4.2)      |       |      |  |
| Poland          | m                    | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m     | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          |       |      |  |
| Portugal        | 493                  | (7.4)  | 480    | (6.9)      | 479    | (6.4) | 483   | (5.8)      | 487    | (6.5)  | 506    | (7.7)      | 519   | (13.1) | 498    | (4.4)      |       |      |  |
| Slovak Republic | 437                  | (6.8)  | 424    | (7.3)      | 443    | (5.8) | 454   | (5.8)      | 467    | (7.9)  | 463    | (6.3)      | 465   | (9.5)  | 463    | (4.3)      |       |      |  |
| Slovenia        | 479                  | (8.8)  | 468    | (6.2)      | 481    | (6.6) | 480   | (6.2)      | 492    | (7.8)  | 502    | (6.0)      | 503   | (11.0) | 492    | (5.0)      |       |      |  |
| Spain           | 477                  | (5.5)  | 483    | (5.6)      | 487    | (5.1) | 487   | (5.9)      | 488    | (7.5)  | 492    | (6.1)      | 497   | (8.6)  | 496    | (4.4)      |       |      |  |
| Sweden          | 475                  | (7.9)  | 488    | (8.7)      | 484    | (6.8) | 497   | (7.5)      | 496    | (8.2)  | 503    | (6.8)      | 510   | (10.5) | 504    | (6.0)      |       |      |  |
| Switzerland     | m                    | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m     | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          |       |      |  |
| Turkey          | 402                  | (5.4)  | 389    | (5.7)      | 404    | (6.4) | 414   | (6.5)      | 409    | (10.5) | 433    | (7.1)      | 437   | (14.9) | 437    | (5.2)      |       |      |  |
| United Kingdom  | 504                  | (7.3)  | 489    | (7.7)      | 506    | (7.4) | 511   | (6.6)      | 492    | (7.8)  | 514    | (6.4)      | 530   | (9.4)  | 514    | (5.0)      |       |      |  |
| United States   | 506                  | (10.0)   | 504    | (12.1)     | 519    | (9.6) | 514   | (9.2)      | 508    | (10.6) | 509    | (6.2)      | 524   | (7.5)  | 514    | (5.2)      |       |      |  |
| OECD average-32 | 484                  | (1.4)  | 478    | (1.4)      | 486    | (1.2) | 485   | (1.3)      | 486    | (1.5)  | 500    | (1.2)      | 506   | (1.7)  | 496    | (0.9)      |       |      |  |
| OECD average-35 | m                    | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m     | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          |       |      |  |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 428  | (5.0)  | 399        | (4.6)  | 397   | (5.1) | 414        | (4.9)  | 416    | (6.7)  | 417        | (5.6) | 419    | (9.8)  | 431        | (4.2) |      |  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 490  | (5.7)  | 465        | (7.2)  | 479   | (6.8) | 475        | (8.3)  | 496    | (9.2)  | 483        | (5.0) | 530    | (12.3) | 503        | (5.7) |      |  |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 430  | (7.9)  | 420        | (7.1)  | 424   | (6.3) | 418        | (7.4)  | 452    | (8.2)  | 449        | (9.0) | 457    | (9.7)  | 460        | (5.7) |      |  |
|                 | Colombia             | 417  | (4.5)  | 411        | (4.6)  | 419   | (5.4) | 422        | (5.2)  | 434    | (7.9)  | 433        | (6.9) | 454    | (8.3)  | 460        | (5.8) |      |  |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 440  | (7.4)  | 434        | (5.3)  | 426   | (4.7) | 437        | (6.8)  | 436    | (7.1)  | 438        | (5.9) | 457    | (12.0) | 437        | (5.6) |      |  |
|                 | Croatia              | 450  | (6.2)  | 446        | (5.7)  | 447   | (5.4) | 452        | (7.1)  | 457    | (8.7)  | 466        | (6.1) | 481    | (10.6) | 478        | (4.4) |      |  |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 424  | (6.4)  | 420        | (6.4)  | 422   | (5.5) | 422        | (6.3)  | 433    | (6.4)  | 433        | (6.7) | 453    | (9.6)  | 436        | (4.9) |      |  |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m     | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 534  | (5.6)  | 520        | (6.2)  | 516   | (6.4) | 517        | (6.3)  | 512    | (9.9)  | 535        | (6.5) | 527    | (11.0) | 522        | (5.6) |      |  |
|                 | Lithuania            | 438  | (7.5)  | 437        | (6.9)  | 439   | (6.7) | 453        | (6.0)  | 446    | (7.7)  | 467        | (5.8) | 489    | (8.7)  | 474        | (4.2) |      |  |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 522  | (5.7)  | 501        | (5.4)  | 510   | (5.4) | 510        | (7.2)  | 517    | (10.2) | 520        | (6.7) | 538    | (10.2) | 519        | (4.3) |      |  |
|                 | Montenegro           | 398  | (9.4)  | 391        | (6.1)  | 392   | (4.6) | 408        | (5.0)  | 403    | (5.4)  | 415        | (5.6) | 426    | (8.0)  | 422        | (3.6) |      |  |
|                 | Peru                 | 413  | (7.5)  | 394        | (4.4)  | 405   | (4.7) | 428        | (5.8)  | 420    | (7.8)  | 426        | (6.0) | 455    | (10.7) | 440        | (4.8) |      |  |
|                 | Qatar                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m     | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Russia               | 467  | (9.2)  | 454        | (10.3) | 455   | (7.5) | 453        | (5.4)  | 449    | (8.4)  | 471        | (7.1) | 470    | (8.2)  | 476        | (5.7) |      |  |
|                 | Singapore            | 559  | (6.7)  | 530        | (6.1)  | 531   | (5.2) | 545        | (6.2)  | 545    | (9.9)  | 557        | (6.2) | 576    | (11.7) | 571        | (3.3) |      |  |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 513  | (6.1)  | 499        | (6.6)  | 509   | (5.5) | 508        | (8.0)  | 528    | (8.2)  | 516        | (4.9) | 532    | (10.0) | 514        | (4.1) |      |  |
|                 | Thailand             | 413  | (9.9)  | 402        | (6.2)  | 410   | (6.6) | 424        | (6.1)  | 416    | (7.2)  | 411        | (6.3) | 443    | (16.1) | 431        | (4.9) |      |  |
|                 | Tunisia              | 387  | (4.6)  | 373        | (4.2)  | 369   | (4.1) | 376        | (4.1)  | 363    | (6.1)  | 387        | (7.6) | 371    | (7.8)  | 393        | (4.3) |      |  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 413  | (3.9)  | 399        | (5.2)  | 417   | (5.2) | 417        | (6.5)  | 424    | (7.2)  | 434        | (7.4) | 453    | (12.3) | 445        | (6.2) |      |  |
| Uruguay         | 438                  | (6.7)  | 430    | (8.2)      | 433    | (6.3) | 445   | (7.5)      | 432    | (7.4)  | 447    | (6.1)      | 439   | (8.9)  | 454    | (5.6)      |       |      |  |
| Malaysia**      | 411                  | (7.9)  | 408    | (6.1)      | 415    | (5.3) | 423   | (5.5)      | 423    | (8.5)  | 430    | (6.6)      | 439   | (10.7) | 456    | (4.1)      |       |      |  |

1. Examples of moderate physical activity include walking, climbing stairs and riding a bike to school. One day of moderate physical activity consists of at least 60 minutes of such activities.

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**Table V.6.1a Days engaged in moderate physical activity and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 |                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving             |        |            |        |       |        |            |       |       |        |            |        |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|--------|------------|--------|-------|--------|------------|-------|-------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|-------|------|--|
|                 |                      | Days of moderate physical activity <sup>1</sup> per week |        |            |        |       |        |            |       |       |        |            |        |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|                 |                      | Girls  |        |            |        |       |        |            |       |       |        |            |        |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|                 |                      | 0  |        | 1          |        | 2     |        | 3          |       | 4     |        | 5          |        | 6      |        | 7          |       |      |  |
| Mean score      |                      | S.E.   |        | Mean score |        | S.E.  |        | Mean score |       | S.E.  |        | Mean score |        | S.E.   |        | Mean score |       | S.E. |  |
| OECD            | Australia            | 545  | (5.6)  | 557        | (4.8)  | 556   | (4.9)  | 556        | (5.0) | 549   | (5.5)  | 561        | (5.6)  | 579    | (8.6)  | 552        | (4.5) |      |  |
|                 | Austria              | 511  | (8.5)  | 509        | (6.6)  | 518   | (7.6)  | 527        | (7.6) | 528   | (8.4)  | 521        | (7.9)  | 536    | (11.1) | 532        | (4.1) |      |  |
|                 | Belgium              | 488  | (5.5)  | 501        | (5.1)  | 520   | (5.6)  | 524        | (6.0) | 529   | (6.6)  | 540        | (5.2)  | 556    | (9.4)  | 531        | (4.3) |      |  |
|                 | Canada               | 541  | (6.2)  | 557        | (6.5)  | 557   | (4.9)  | 557        | (4.3) | 547   | (5.6)  | 558        | (5.8)  | 574    | (7.3)  | 564        | (3.9) |      |  |
|                 | Chile                | 469  | (5.9)  | 463        | (4.6)  | 465   | (5.5)  | 458        | (5.6) | 466   | (6.4)  | 472        | (7.3)  | 478    | (11.3) | 468        | (5.7) |      |  |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 488  | (9.6)  | 503        | (7.0)  | 504   | (5.4)  | 514        | (4.3) | 516   | (6.1)  | 519        | (5.9)  | 535    | (9.8)  | 524        | (4.3) |      |  |
|                 | Denmark              | 511  | (10.3) | 529        | (8.3)  | 529   | (7.7)  | 532        | (6.3) | 530   | (7.0)  | 543        | (5.4)  | 547    | (7.5)  | 535        | (4.8) |      |  |
|                 | Estonia              | 546  | (7.4)  | 535        | (6.3)  | 557   | (6.4)  | 551        | (6.0) | 549   | (6.6)  | 558        | (7.4)  | 569    | (9.2)  | 541        | (4.6) |      |  |
|                 | Finland              | 550  | (10.5) | 553        | (8.7)  | 561   | (6.7)  | 560        | (6.3) | 571   | (6.0)  | 564        | (6.5)  | 576    | (6.5)  | 555        | (5.3) |      |  |
|                 | France               | 491  | (6.7)  | 505        | (5.1)  | 507   | (6.6)  | 509        | (7.4) | 516   | (7.8)  | 526        | (8.1)  | 543    | (9.9)  | 526        | (4.6) |      |  |
|                 | Germany              | 536  | (10.4) | 532        | (7.8)  | 537   | (7.1)  | 542        | (7.3) | 544   | (8.0)  | 563        | (5.9)  | 583    | (10.8) | 554        | (4.7) |      |  |
|                 | Greece               | 475  | (5.9)  | 463        | (6.7)  | 475   | (4.8)  | 472        | (6.3) | 476   | (9.4)  | 499        | (8.3)  | 479    | (10.6) | 482        | (5.5) |      |  |
|                 | Hungary              | 464  | (8.1)  | 460        | (8.8)  | 474   | (7.7)  | 480        | (7.1) | 478   | (10.2) | 493        | (6.3)  | 515    | (9.2)  | 502        | (4.1) |      |  |
|                 | Iceland              | 510  | (9.4)  | 513        | (8.0)  | 517   | (8.1)  | 508        | (6.8) | 510   | (6.8)  | 508        | (6.8)  | 519    | (7.3)  | 519        | (5.5) |      |  |
|                 | Ireland              | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Israel               | 481  | (6.1)  | 464        | (7.0)  | 478   | (7.3)  | 471        | (8.0) | 481   | (9.2)  | 502        | (7.2)  | 520    | (12.1) | 507        | (7.2) |      |  |
|                 | Italy                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Japan                | 572  | (3.4)  | 546        | (8.1)  | 548   | (10.0) | 563        | (6.4) | 573   | (10.3) | 567        | (4.4)  | 581    | (5.6)  | 563        | (4.0) |      |  |
|                 | Korea                | 566  | (4.0)  | 549        | (5.3)  | 556   | (5.8)  | 553        | (6.3) | 559   | (8.4)  | 553        | (5.7)  | 554    | (11.2) | 546        | (6.3) |      |  |
|                 | Latvia               | 492  | (9.2)  | 478        | (9.4)  | 501   | (6.4)  | 504        | (6.2) | 514   | (6.9)  | 511        | (5.8)  | 502    | (8.9)  | 515        | (4.7) |      |  |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 493  | (6.0)  | 493        | (5.2)  | 503   | (5.8)  | 515        | (5.5) | 505   | (6.4)  | 511        | (7.9)  | 545    | (12.6) | 523        | (4.8) |      |  |
|                 | Mexico               | 437  | (4.9)  | 424        | (4.4)  | 433   | (4.2)  | 447        | (4.6) | 458   | (7.5)  | 448        | (5.6)  | 446    | (8.9)  | 454        | (4.5) |      |  |
|                 | Netherlands          | 505  | (9.5)  | 512        | (10.6) | 517   | (7.6)  | 515        | (6.6) | 549   | (7.9)  | 544        | (4.8)  | 558    | (6.8)  | 538        | (4.0) |      |  |
|                 | New Zealand          | 537  | (8.7)  | 558        | (6.7)  | 553   | (7.3)  | 558        | (6.8) | 551   | (7.7)  | 557        | (6.7)  | 585    | (10.1) | 566        | (7.0) |      |  |
|                 | Norway               | 516  | (8.8)  | 491        | (8.7)  | 510   | (7.2)  | 512        | (6.2) | 525   | (7.1)  | 522        | (5.0)  | 544    | (7.6)  | 525        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | Poland               | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Portugal             | 501  | (5.7)  | 500        | (6.5)  | 503   | (4.9)  | 514        | (5.2) | 516   | (8.8)  | 528        | (5.4)  | 526    | (11.4) | 510        | (4.9) |      |  |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | 435  | (9.5)  | 466        | (6.9)  | 475   | (7.0)  | 482        | (6.2) | 487   | (6.3)  | 490        | (6.8)  | 492    | (8.9)  | 497        | (4.4) |      |  |
|                 | Slovenia             | 517  | (8.7)  | 508        | (6.3)  | 510   | (5.8)  | 521        | (6.4) | 531   | (7.3)  | 538        | (8.0)  | 538    | (9.1)  | 526        | (4.5) |      |  |
|                 | Spain                | 492  | (4.9)  | 507        | (5.3)  | 513   | (4.8)  | 509        | (4.8) | 511   | (5.9)  | 516        | (5.2)  | 511    | (9.2)  | 517        | (5.8) |      |  |
|                 | Sweden               | 499  | (8.8)  | 529        | (8.1)  | 522   | (6.7)  | 528        | (8.3) | 543   | (7.0)  | 541        | (5.7)  | 545    | (8.9)  | 545        | (4.7) |      |  |
|                 | Switzerland          | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
| Turkey          | 428                  | (5.5)  | 422    | (5.2)      | 429    | (5.4) | 435    | (7.6)      | 435   | (9.2) | 451    | (7.6)      | 466    | (14.2) | 453    | (4.9)      |       |      |  |
| United Kingdom  | 509                  | (5.7)  | 523    | (6.8)      | 547    | (6.8) | 558    | (7.2)      | 544   | (8.4) | 554    | (6.0)      | 574    | (9.4)  | 538    | (5.0)      |       |      |  |
| United States   | 520                  | (7.4)  | 518    | (11.2)     | 541    | (7.6) | 535    | (8.2)      | 539   | (8.8) | 541    | (6.6)      | 549    | (11.0) | 540    | (5.6)      |       |      |  |
| OECD average-32 | 504                  | (1.4)  | 505    | (1.3)      | 513    | (1.2) | 516    | (1.2)      | 520   | (1.4) | 526    | (1.2)      | 536    | (1.7)  | 524    | (0.9)      |       |      |  |
| OECD average-35 | m                    | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          |       |      |  |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 437  | (3.7)  | 416        | (4.7)  | 417   | (4.3)  | 436        | (4.7) | 430   | (6.1)  | 438        | (5.3)  | 424    | (10.6) | 439        | (5.1) |      |  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 536  | (6.5)  | 500        | (7.6)  | 501   | (7.1)  | 493        | (7.7) | 519   | (9.7)  | 490        | (6.0)  | 537    | (12.7) | 515        | (6.5) |      |  |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 428  | (5.8)  | 429        | (7.4)  | 449   | (6.8)  | 462        | (6.3) | 502   | (7.3)  | 483        | (7.6)  | 505    | (8.6)  | 499        | (5.4) |      |  |
|                 | Colombia             | 425  | (3.7)  | 422        | (4.5)  | 432   | (5.2)  | 433        | (5.9) | 453   | (9.1)  | 437        | (6.7)  | 456    | (10.4) | 464        | (4.9) |      |  |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 447  | (4.8)  | 442        | (5.5)  | 440   | (5.8)  | 443        | (6.9) | 442   | (7.3)  | 439        | (6.0)  | 452    | (10.1) | 444        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | Croatia              | 467  | (5.7)  | 468        | (6.3)  | 478   | (4.9)  | 483        | (5.4) | 493   | (8.0)  | 504        | (6.0)  | 512    | (9.1)  | 504        | (4.4) |      |  |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 459  | (6.1)  | 461        | (4.9)  | 457   | (4.9)  | 467        | (5.3) | 467   | (7.2)  | 475        | (7.4)  | 487    | (9.3)  | 477        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 571  | (5.6)  | 555        | (4.7)  | 553   | (6.2)  | 557        | (6.3) | 547   | (11.9) | 560        | (6.6)  | 561    | (9.5)  | 559        | (4.9) |      |  |
|                 | Lithuania            | 462  | (7.9)  | 467        | (6.9)  | 480   | (6.0)  | 480        | (5.4) | 479   | (8.2)  | 493        | (6.4)  | 501    | (7.8)  | 494        | (4.1) |      |  |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 558  | (5.0)  | 545        | (4.1)  | 549   | (5.1)  | 554        | (8.3) | 561   | (10.2) | 556        | (6.2)  | 566    | (8.5)  | 553        | (4.4) |      |  |
|                 | Montenegro           | 420  | (7.2)  | 419        | (6.3)  | 421   | (5.4)  | 435        | (4.3) | 427   | (5.9)  | 434        | (5.0)  | 455    | (8.8)  | 444        | (4.1) |      |  |
|                 | Peru                 | 422  | (6.9)  | 408        | (4.5)  | 423   | (4.8)  | 433        | (5.0) | 435   | (7.2)  | 440        | (5.6)  | 444    | (9.1)  | 448        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | Qatar                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m     | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Russia               | 480  | (9.4)  | 474        | (7.8)  | 476   | (8.7)  | 477        | (7.2) | 487   | (6.8)  | 498        | (10.0) | 499    | (8.9)  | 500        | (4.6) |      |  |
|                 | Singapore            | 587  | (5.4)  | 560        | (5.2)  | 553   | (4.8)  | 563        | (6.8) | 571   | (8.8)  | 578        | (6.0)  | 580    | (12.6) | 582        | (4.3) |      |  |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 544  | (4.7)  | 539        | (6.0)  | 539   | (5.6)  | 536        | (7.6) | 553   | (7.8)  | 537        | (5.4)  | 562    | (10.2) | 540        | (4.2) |      |  |
|                 | Thailand             | 459  | (7.9)  | 430        | (4.9)  | 440   | (5.1)  | 450        | (5.3) | 452   | (7.1)  | 455        | (5.4)  | 477    | (12.1) | 471        | (4.8) |      |  |
|                 | Tunisia              | 399  | (3.4)  | 390        | (3.5)  | 378   | (4.1)  | 382        | (4.2) | 377   | (5.1)  | 388        | (8.9)  | 388    | (8.5)  | 400        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 444  | (4.0)  | 445        | (4.9)  | 458   | (5.2)  | 456        | (6.1) | 469   | (6.7)  | 464        | (6.1)  | 502    | (15.6) | 480        | (5.3) |      |  |
|                 | Uruguay              | 448  | (5.3)  | 437        | (5.9)  | 449   | (5.0)  | 464        | (5.9) | 463   | (7.7)  | 475        | (7.1)  | 452    | (9.9)  | 466        | (5.8) |      |  |
|                 | Malaysia**           | 439  | (7.5)  | 436        | (6.6)  | 443   | (5.5)  | 450        | (5.4) | 441   | (7.4)  | 442        | (4.9)  | 445    | (11.7) | 466        | (4.4) |      |  |

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**Table V.6.1b Days engaged in vigorous physical activity and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Days engaged in vigorous physical activity <sup>1</sup> in an average week |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            |              |            |           |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|----------------------|--|------------|--|------------|--------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|--|
|                      |  |            | Days of vigorous physical activity per week  |            |              |            |           |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                      | Average number of days   |            | Variability                                  |            | All students |            |           |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                      |  |            |  |            | 0            |            | 1         |            | 2          |            | 3    |            | 4    |            | 5    |            | 6    |            | 7    |  |
| Days                 | S.E.   | S.D.       | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.         | Mean score | S.E.      | Mean score | S.E.       | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |            |  |            |              |            |           |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Australia            | 3.9 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.01) | 548 (3.2)                                    | 545 (3.4)  | 541 (3.7)    | 532 (3.7)  | 542 (4.5) | 527 (4.4)  | 541 (6.6)  | 503 (4.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Austria              | 3.4 (0.05)   | 2.1 (0.03) | 515 (3.8)                                    | 517 (4.6)  | 518 (4.1)    | 523 (5.0)  | 525 (4.8) | 497 (6.4)  | 497 (8.7)  | 465 (7.1)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Belgium              | 3.5 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.01) | 500 (3.8)                                    | 499 (3.7)  | 515 (3.7)    | 523 (3.8)  | 519 (5.1) | 511 (4.8)  | 508 (8.6)  | 490 (4.7)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Canada               | 4.3 (0.03)   | 2.3 (0.01) | 551 (3.8)                                    | 548 (4.7)  | 550 (4.0)    | 538 (3.7)  | 539 (4.0) | 534 (3.5)  | 541 (6.1)  | 512 (4.5)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Chile                | 3.4 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 478 (4.0)                                    | 460 (4.2)  | 461 (5.0)    | 458 (4.7)  | 455 (5.1) | 450 (6.4)  | 448 (9.0)  | 431 (5.8)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Czech Republic       | 4.1 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 497 (4.7)                                    | 503 (4.0)  | 508 (4.1)    | 503 (4.7)  | 501 (4.2) | 515 (4.6)  | 513 (5.8)  | 486 (4.1)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Denmark              | 4.4 (0.05)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 519 (5.4)                                    | 532 (5.5)  | 523 (4.4)    | 535 (4.1)  | 529 (4.6) | 529 (4.6)  | 514 (5.9)  | 504 (4.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Estonia              | 4.1 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 547 (4.8)                                    | 543 (4.5)  | 537 (4.4)    | 535 (4.8)  | 541 (4.5) | 540 (4.7)  | 541 (6.7)  | 509 (4.7)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Finland              | 4.0 (0.04)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 530 (5.1)                                    | 540 (5.3)  | 544 (4.8)    | 535 (4.7)  | 550 (5.2) | 537 (5.2)  | 543 (6.2)  | 507 (8.3)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| France               | 3.2 (0.03)   | 2.0 (0.02) | 499 (3.5)                                    | 512 (4.1)  | 506 (4.1)    | 505 (4.6)  | 505 (5.8) | 491 (7.8)  | 493 (10.7) | 462 (6.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Germany              | 3.9 (0.03)   | 2.0 (0.02) | 534 (5.0)                                    | 540 (5.2)  | 541 (4.7)    | 543 (4.4)  | 539 (4.5) | 547 (5.7)  | 534 (9.2)  | 495 (7.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Greece               | 3.9 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 476 (4.6)                                    | 457 (5.7)  | 467 (5.2)    | 458 (5.0)  | 467 (5.9) | 465 (6.6)  | 451 (6.7)  | 435 (5.9)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Hungary              | 4.2 (0.05)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 468 (4.5)                                    | 466 (5.1)  | 480 (4.2)    | 486 (4.3)  | 474 (5.1) | 473 (4.8)  | 490 (7.0)  | 461 (5.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Iceland              | 5.0 (0.04)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 513 (6.1)                                    | 509 (7.0)  | 516 (6.1)    | 493 (5.5)  | 505 (6.0) | 510 (5.5)  | 505 (5.6)  | 484 (4.5)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Ireland              | 4.1 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | m  | m          | m            | m          | m         | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Israel               | 3.9 (0.05)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 486 (5.5)                                    | 466 (4.9)  | 480 (5.7)    | 474 (5.7)  | 465 (5.8) | 462 (6.7)  | 472 (7.4)  | 451 (6.3)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Italy                | m  | m          | m  | m          | m            | m          | m         | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Japan                | 3.9 (0.06)   | 2.7 (0.02) | 567 (3.3)                                    | 559 (4.6)  | 552 (4.8)    | 547 (5.4)  | 549 (7.2) | 555 (7.1)  | 555 (3.6)  | 527 (3.9)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Korea                | 3.2 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.03) | 555 (3.4)                                    | 537 (3.5)  | 545 (3.6)    | 535 (4.5)  | 530 (5.7) | 520 (5.6)  | 519 (8.6)  | 508 (6.9)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Latvia               | 4.2 (0.04)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 503 (4.9)                                    | 486 (4.7)  | 493 (4.1)    | 487 (3.7)  | 490 (5.4) | 479 (4.9)  | 480 (7.8)  | 464 (6.0)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Luxembourg           | 3.9 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 494 (4.6)                                    | 496 (4.4)  | 502 (3.7)    | 508 (5.0)  | 500 (4.7) | 504 (5.3)  | 496 (8.6)  | 464 (5.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Mexico               | 3.8 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 443 (3.9)                                    | 423 (3.7)  | 427 (3.3)    | 440 (3.9)  | 450 (4.8) | 441 (5.4)  | 444 (6.0)  | 430 (4.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Netherlands          | 3.7 (0.03)   | 1.9 (0.02) | 519 (5.4)                                    | 511 (3.9)  | 529 (5.1)    | 528 (4.0)  | 533 (4.6) | 519 (6.6)  | 517 (8.4)  | 494 (8.0)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| New Zealand          | 3.9 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 544 (4.8)                                    | 553 (5.9)  | 548 (4.9)    | 529 (5.3)  | 537 (5.7) | 530 (6.0)  | 541 (7.4)  | 506 (6.7)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Norway               | 4.4 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 506 (4.4)                                    | 501 (5.0)  | 506 (4.6)    | 520 (4.3)  | 513 (4.7) | 508 (4.8)  | 507 (6.5)  | 487 (4.7)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Poland               | 4.6 (0.04)   | 2.3 (0.02) | m  | m          | m            | m          | m         | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Portugal             | 3.6 (0.04)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 510 (4.2)                                    | 491 (4.1)  | 495 (4.4)    | 505 (4.4)  | 510 (5.5) | 499 (5.6)  | 526 (9.6)  | 474 (5.3)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Slovak Republic      | 4.2 (0.04)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 471 (5.1)                                    | 464 (4.8)  | 471 (4.4)    | 477 (3.6)  | 473 (5.3) | 463 (4.6)  | 475 (6.6)  | 452 (3.6)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Slovenia             | 4.3 (0.04)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 506 (4.6)                                    | 493 (4.8)  | 524 (4.3)    | 506 (4.4)  | 507 (5.2) | 514 (4.6)  | 506 (6.4)  | 483 (4.6)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Spain                | 3.5 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 501 (3.3)                                    | 498 (3.9)  | 501 (3.4)    | 500 (3.2)  | 492 (3.9) | 503 (5.3)  | 501 (6.6)  | 485 (6.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Sweden               | 4.3 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 504 (5.7)                                    | 514 (6.0)  | 521 (5.2)    | 527 (4.5)  | 529 (5.4) | 511 (5.9)  | 521 (5.4)  | 497 (6.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Switzerland          | 3.9 (0.03)   | 2.0 (0.02) | m  | m          | m            | m          | m         | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Turkey               | 3.4 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 432 (4.8)                                    | 414 (4.4)  | 421 (5.1)    | 432 (5.3)  | 415 (6.2) | 428 (6.6)  | 428 (11.4) | 425 (5.1)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| United Kingdom       | 3.4 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 528 (4.2)                                    | 527 (4.0)  | 538 (4.5)    | 521 (4.4)  | 515 (5.6) | 515 (6.2)  | 512 (8.7)  | 497 (6.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| United States        | 4.5 (0.04)   | 2.4 (0.01) | 540 (5.1)                                    | 528 (7.0)  | 538 (7.5)    | 526 (6.5)  | 523 (8.1) | 520 (4.7)  | 531 (7.0)  | 499 (5.5)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| OECD average-32      | 3.9 (0.01)   | 2.2 (0.00) | 509 (0.8)                                    | 504 (0.9)  | 510 (0.8)    | 507 (0.8)  | 507 (1.0) | 503 (1.0)  | 505 (1.4)  | 480 (1.0)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| OECD average-35      | 3.9 (0.01)   | 2.2 (0.00) | m  | m          | m            | m          | m         | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |            |  |            |              |            |           |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Brazil               | 3.2 (0.03)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 438 (2.9)                                    | 407 (4.6)  | 415 (4.7)    | 423 (3.8)  | 415 (5.7) | 424 (5.0)  | 422 (7.3)  | 416 (4.9)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 4.0 (0.05)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 515 (6.7)                                    | 485 (6.2)  | 490 (5.5)    | 494 (5.2)  | 493 (7.4) | 499 (5.9)  | 517 (9.0)  | 497 (4.5)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Bulgaria             | 3.9 (0.04)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 452 (4.7)                                    | 443 (5.5)  | 453 (4.2)    | 449 (5.7)  | 465 (6.4) | 462 (6.2)  | 466 (8.2)  | 447 (5.0)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Colombia             | 3.5 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 429 (3.4)                                    | 418 (3.5)  | 433 (3.9)    | 443 (4.3)  | 441 (5.4) | 435 (5.4)  | 431 (6.9)  | 435 (5.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Costa Rica           | 3.2 (0.04)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 450 (3.9)                                    | 436 (3.8)  | 436 (5.1)    | 444 (5.3)  | 437 (6.0) | 434 (5.0)  | 444 (8.5)  | 413 (5.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Croatia              | 3.8 (0.04)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 480 (3.3)                                    | 467 (4.1)  | 476 (3.8)    | 487 (4.8)  | 479 (4.7) | 471 (5.1)  | 482 (7.1)  | 459 (5.0)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Cyprus*              | 4.0 (0.03)   | 2.3 (0.02) | 460 (3.9)                                    | 443 (3.8)  | 454 (4.5)    | 437 (4.4)  | 453 (4.2) | 446 (5.2)  | 456 (6.8)  | 436 (4.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Dominican Republic   | 3.9 (0.05)   | 2.3 (0.02) | m  | m          | m            | m          | m         | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 3.3 (0.04)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 559 (4.2)                                    | 547 (3.8)  | 538 (4.5)    | 540 (5.9)  | 538 (6.4) | 537 (6.1)  | 528 (10.2) | 500 (6.5)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Lithuania            | 4.1 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 471 (4.5)                                    | 470 (4.7)  | 471 (3.9)    | 466 (4.7)  | 478 (4.7) | 480 (5.1)  | 483 (6.4)  | 455 (5.1)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Macao (China)        | 3.0 (0.03)   | 2.0 (0.03) | 551 (2.8)                                    | 534 (2.5)  | 533 (3.3)    | 532 (5.6)  | 534 (6.4) | 509 (7.6)  | 521 (8.7)  | 495 (6.0)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Montenegro           | 4.3 (0.03)   | 2.4 (0.02) | 431 (3.6)                                    | 413 (4.1)  | 419 (3.6)    | 427 (3.4)  | 424 (4.9) | 421 (4.7)  | 427 (5.0)  | 414 (3.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Peru                 | 3.6 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 446 (4.0)                                    | 414 (3.8)  | 420 (4.3)    | 429 (4.2)  | 417 (5.1) | 417 (5.7)  | 430 (7.4)  | 415 (4.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Qatar                | 3.4 (0.02)   | 2.2 (0.01) | m  | m          | m            | m          | m         | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Russia               | 4.2 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 496 (6.2)                                    | 475 (5.0)  | 483 (4.8)    | 477 (5.1)  | 469 (6.3) | 478 (6.2)  | 470 (7.8)  | 457 (5.1)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Singapore            | 3.2 (0.02)   | 1.9 (0.02) | 579 (3.8)                                    | 561 (2.7)  | 559 (3.1)    | 564 (3.2)  | 565 (4.8) | 545 (5.6)  | 552 (12.8) | 533 (5.8)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 3.6 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 530 (3.3)                                    | 526 (5.2)  | 536 (3.5)    | 531 (4.6)  | 533 (6.0) | 513 (5.1)  | 530 (9.4)  | 502 (4.0)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Thailand             | 3.7 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 457 (5.3)                                    | 437 (4.4)  | 439 (4.0)    | 442 (4.8)  | 436 (7.0) | 425 (4.3)  | 421 (8.1)  | 421 (4.9)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Tunisia              | 3.3 (0.03)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 399 (2.8)                                    | 380 (3.1)  | 381 (3.3)    | 377 (3.7)  | 375 (4.9) | 376 (5.4)  | 376 (7.0)  | 382 (4.2)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 3.4 (0.03)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 442 (3.3)                                    | 435 (3.7)  | 438 (4.0)    | 440 (4.9)  | 452 (5.9) | 443 (5.5)  | 445 (7.4)  | 426 (4.4)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Uruguay              | 3.7 (0.04)   | 2.2 (0.02) | 458 (3.7)                                    | 444 (4.4)  | 451 (3.9)    | 457 (4.7)  | 451 (5.4) | 450 (4.9)  | 440 (6.3)  | 428 (5.5)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Malaysia**           | 4.0 (0.04)   | 2.1 (0.02) | 445 (4.7)                                    | 440 (4.7)  | 443 (4.0)    | 444 (4.0)  | 445 (6.0) | 434 (5.1)  | 425 (9.4)  | 434 (4.6)  |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |

1. Vigorous physical activities are those that make a student sweat and breathe hard, such as running, cycling, aerobics, soccer or skating. One day of vigorous physical activity consists of at least 20 minutes of such activities.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.1b Days engaged in vigorous physical activity and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 |                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving             |        |            |        |        |        |            |       |       |        |            |       |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|-------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--------|--------|------------|-------|------|--|
|                 |                      | Days of vigorous physical activity <sup>1</sup> per week |        |            |        |        |        |            |       |       |        |            |       |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|                 |                      | Boys   |        |            |        |        |        |            |       |       |        |            |       |        |        |            |       |      |  |
|                 |                      | 0  |        | 1          |        | 2      |        | 3          |       | 4     |        | 5          |       | 6      |        | 7          |       |      |  |
| Mean score      |                      | S.E.   |        | Mean score |        | S.E.   |        | Mean score |       | S.E.  |        | Mean score |       | S.E.   |        | Mean score |       | S.E. |  |
| OECD            | Australia            | 531  | (4.7)  | 522        | (5.4)  | 523    | (6.0)  | 515        | (4.7) | 523   | (5.4)  | 509        | (6.3) | 527    | (8.7)  | 489        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | Austria              | 508  | (6.3)  | 508        | (6.0)  | 509    | (5.8)  | 517        | (6.1) | 516   | (6.0)  | 484        | (6.8) | 490    | (10.9) | 453        | (8.5) |      |  |
|                 | Belgium              | 490  | (5.7)  | 484        | (5.0)  | 500    | (5.2)  | 511        | (5.3) | 505   | (5.9)  | 501        | (5.7) | 492    | (11.0) | 480        | (5.9) |      |  |
|                 | Canada               | 538  | (5.4)  | 530        | (6.7)  | 528    | (5.4)  | 525        | (5.7) | 518   | (5.3)  | 517        | (4.2) | 528    | (7.0)  | 498        | (5.3) |      |  |
|                 | Chile                | 480  | (5.6)  | 454        | (6.1)  | 459    | (6.3)  | 456        | (5.7) | 450   | (6.0)  | 449        | (7.1) | 444    | (10.5) | 426        | (6.4) |      |  |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 487  | (6.8)  | 487        | (6.2)  | 499    | (5.1)  | 495        | (5.7) | 485   | (6.0)  | 499        | (6.4) | 501    | (7.8)  | 474        | (5.3) |      |  |
|                 | Denmark              | 506  | (6.1)  | 515        | (8.2)  | 515    | (6.2)  | 525        | (6.1) | 524   | (6.1)  | 519        | (6.4) | 510    | (7.1)  | 501        | (5.6) |      |  |
|                 | Estonia              | 540  | (7.2)  | 528        | (7.4)  | 527    | (5.8)  | 524        | (5.9) | 529   | (5.8)  | 529        | (5.5) | 528    | (8.9)  | 497        | (5.8) |      |  |
|                 | Finland              | 508  | (6.3)  | 513        | (7.7)  | 524    | (6.0)  | 513        | (6.1) | 527   | (6.7)  | 516        | (6.6) | 519    | (8.5)  | 490        | (8.8) |      |  |
|                 | France               | 490  | (6.1)  | 500        | (6.7)  | 494    | (5.5)  | 492        | (5.5) | 492   | (7.7)  | 476        | (9.6) | 480    | (13.1) | 456        | (7.5) |      |  |
|                 | Germany              | 526  | (8.3)  | 527        | (7.5)  | 522    | (7.0)  | 531        | (5.4) | 532   | (5.8)  | 534        | (7.0) | 517    | (11.3) | 481        | (8.8) |      |  |
|                 | Greece               | 461  | (7.2)  | 444        | (8.0)  | 452    | (7.1)  | 440        | (5.6) | 455   | (7.0)  | 454        | (8.6) | 452    | (8.6)  | 428        | (6.4) |      |  |
|                 | Hungary              | 462  | (6.8)  | 448        | (7.2)  | 464    | (7.6)  | 466        | (6.1) | 460   | (7.5)  | 469        | (6.3) | 481    | (8.5)  | 451        | (6.7) |      |  |
|                 | Iceland              | 509  | (10.6) | 498        | (11.2) | 514    | (10.5) | 483        | (8.5) | 486   | (7.8)  | 496        | (7.7) | 496    | (7.4)  | 472        | (5.5) |      |  |
|                 | Ireland              | m  | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Israel               | 483  | (11.6) | 463        | (6.5)  | 470    | (8.8)  | 466        | (6.7) | 458   | (7.8)  | 453        | (7.4) | 462    | (9.1)  | 443        | (7.9) |      |  |
|                 | Italy                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Japan                | 555  | (5.5)  | 554        | (6.1)  | 542    | (7.2)  | 533        | (7.6) | 538   | (9.2)  | 544        | (8.2) | 547    | (5.1)  | 519        | (4.6) |      |  |
|                 | Korea                | 537  | (5.5)  | 518        | (5.6)  | 532    | (4.7)  | 524        | (6.0) | 523   | (5.9)  | 514        | (6.6) | 518    | (9.8)  | 506        | (7.0) |      |  |
|                 | Latvia               | 481  | (8.2)  | 463        | (6.1)  | 478    | (6.3)  | 472        | (5.6) | 470   | (6.8)  | 463        | (6.0) | 470    | (8.7)  | 445        | (7.0) |      |  |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 489  | (7.6)  | 473        | (6.9)  | 491    | (5.6)  | 497        | (6.9) | 491   | (6.2)  | 497        | (7.0) | 481    | (9.7)  | 455        | (6.0) |      |  |
|                 | Mexico               | 431  | (5.5)  | 412        | (4.7)  | 417    | (5.3)  | 433        | (5.4) | 443   | (6.5)  | 439        | (6.0) | 442    | (7.8)  | 429        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | Netherlands          | 506  | (7.7)  | 491        | (6.4)  | 510    | (7.0)  | 516        | (4.6) | 519   | (5.6)  | 514        | (8.2) | 511    | (9.7)  | 485        | (9.8) |      |  |
|                 | New Zealand          | 533  | (7.0)  | 528        | (8.9)  | 523    | (6.7)  | 513        | (8.0) | 522   | (7.2)  | 516        | (7.9) | 525    | (8.9)  | 484        | (7.6) |      |  |
|                 | Norway               | 492  | (6.4)  | 485        | (7.3)  | 493    | (6.2)  | 504        | (7.0) | 497   | (6.6)  | 499        | (6.0) | 497    | (7.9)  | 479        | (6.0) |      |  |
|                 | Poland               | m  | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Portugal             | 504  | (7.0)  | 476        | (6.9)  | 484    | (4.9)  | 497        | (5.2) | 505   | (6.8)  | 493        | (6.6) | 523    | (11.2) | 468        | (5.9) |      |  |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | 457  | (7.3)  | 440        | (7.1)  | 452    | (5.7)  | 466        | (5.3) | 458   | (6.8)  | 454        | (5.6) | 467    | (7.6)  | 444        | (4.4) |      |  |
|                 | Slovenia             | 489  | (6.5)  | 470        | (6.7)  | 503    | (6.4)  | 488        | (6.1) | 488   | (6.8)  | 497        | (5.8) | 488    | (7.0)  | 478        | (5.9) |      |  |
|                 | Spain                | 489  | (5.3)  | 480        | (6.0)  | 490    | (5.2)  | 492        | (4.0) | 484   | (5.0)  | 497        | (5.8) | 486    | (8.5)  | 476        | (7.3) |      |  |
|                 | Sweden               | 493  | (7.5)  | 497        | (8.1)  | 504    | (6.7)  | 501        | (6.5) | 504   | (7.7)  | 492        | (8.3) | 501    | (7.2)  | 482        | (7.8) |      |  |
|                 | Switzerland          | m  | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
| Turkey          | 406                  | (6.4)  | 393    | (5.5)      | 410    | (5.8)  | 422    | (6.5)      | 414   | (7.9) | 425    | (8.7)      | 433   | (14.9) | 422    | (6.0)      |       |      |  |
| United Kingdom  | 516                  | (5.6)  | 503    | (5.9)      | 525    | (6.0)  | 507    | (5.3)      | 502   | (6.8) | 506    | (7.6)      | 493   | (9.9)  | 489    | (6.6)      |       |      |  |
| United States   | 536                  | (8.2)  | 517    | (9.9)      | 536    | (10.4) | 513    | (8.7)      | 516   | (8.7) | 508    | (6.6)      | 514   | (8.5)  | 494    | (6.0)      |       |      |  |
| OECD average-32 | 498                  | (1.3)  | 488    | (1.3)      | 496    | (1.2)  | 495    | (1.1)      | 495   | (1.2) | 492    | (1.2)      | 494   | (1.7)  | 471    | (1.2)      |       |      |  |
| OECD average-35 | m                    | m  | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          |       |      |  |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 431  | (4.4)  | 399        | (4.9)  | 412    | (5.3)  | 420        | (5.0) | 412   | (6.4)  | 415        | (6.2) | 421    | (8.8)  | 413        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 496  | (9.6)  | 470        | (7.3)  | 483    | (5.5)  | 483        | (6.2) | 489   | (9.1)  | 485        | (5.8) | 509    | (10.1) | 495        | (5.4) |      |  |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 434  | (7.0)  | 423        | (7.8)  | 435    | (6.0)  | 432        | (7.6) | 448   | (8.5)  | 456        | (7.5) | 458    | (10.5) | 438        | (5.5) |      |  |
|                 | Colombia             | 416  | (5.3)  | 414        | (4.4)  | 426    | (4.8)  | 439        | (6.2) | 435   | (7.2)  | 434        | (6.7) | 434    | (7.1)  | 435        | (5.6) |      |  |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 453  | (6.5)  | 430        | (5.5)  | 438    | (6.1)  | 443        | (6.1) | 439   | (6.3)  | 435        | (6.4) | 433    | (9.4)  | 412        | (5.8) |      |  |
|                 | Croatia              | 467  | (6.0)  | 455        | (6.3)  | 457    | (5.8)  | 477        | (6.3) | 459   | (6.1)  | 462        | (6.8) | 468    | (8.0)  | 451        | (5.6) |      |  |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 442  | (6.9)  | 417        | (5.9)  | 433    | (6.3)  | 414        | (6.5) | 438   | (5.6)  | 429        | (6.7) | 446    | (7.6)  | 425        | (5.7) |      |  |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m  | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 538  | (5.2)  | 529        | (5.0)  | 522    | (5.8)  | 529        | (7.2) | 525   | (7.0)  | 529        | (7.6) | 510    | (13.0) | 490        | (7.2) |      |  |
|                 | Lithuania            | 445  | (7.4)  | 446        | (6.7)  | 457    | (6.1)  | 455        | (6.8) | 464   | (5.5)  | 470        | (5.1) | 476    | (8.5)  | 450        | (6.0) |      |  |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 533  | (5.6)  | 512        | (3.8)  | 520    | (4.9)  | 511        | (6.7) | 525   | (7.0)  | 503        | (8.8) | 508    | (10.6) | 489        | (6.9) |      |  |
|                 | Montenegro           | 407  | (6.8)  | 394        | (6.1)  | 407    | (5.1)  | 413        | (4.5) | 410   | (6.7)  | 418        | (6.0) | 423    | (6.8)  | 411        | (3.7) |      |  |
|                 | Peru                 | 437  | (7.5)  | 406        | (4.3)  | 415    | (5.3)  | 427        | (4.9) | 419   | (5.8)  | 418        | (6.8) | 434    | (8.9)  | 414        | (4.5) |      |  |
|                 | Qatar                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m     | m     | m      | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m     |      |  |
|                 | Russia               | 484  | (8.5)  | 461        | (7.8)  | 470    | (6.5)  | 465        | (6.4) | 461   | (10.0) | 471        | (7.6) | 455    | (9.2)  | 449        | (5.3) |      |  |
|                 | Singapore            | 568  | (6.2)  | 553        | (4.2)  | 552    | (4.2)  | 559        | (4.7) | 554   | (5.5)  | 541        | (6.8) | 535    | (14.5) | 531        | (6.7) |      |  |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 512  | (5.6)  | 509        | (6.8)  | 523    | (5.2)  | 523        | (6.1) | 525   | (8.0)  | 500        | (6.3) | 521    | (11.7) | 495        | (4.4) |      |  |
|                 | Thailand             | 435  | (9.7)  | 413        | (6.1)  | 416    | (5.3)  | 425        | (6.4) | 419   | (8.0)  | 414        | (5.7) | 413    | (10.7) | 413        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | Tunisia              | 390  | (4.6)  | 374        | (4.1)  | 377    | (4.5)  | 372        | (4.8) | 372   | (6.4)  | 379        | (6.1) | 377    | (8.0)  | 382        | (5.0) |      |  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 415  | (4.1)  | 413        | (4.3)  | 424    | (4.9)  | 424        | (6.5) | 433   | (7.1)  | 433        | (6.9) | 432    | (7.9)  | 415        | (5.2) |      |  |
|                 | Uruguay              | 451  | (6.2)  | 436        | (6.5)  | 441    | (6.9)  | 447        | (7.0) | 449   | (7.3)  | 450        | (5.9) | 435    | (7.3)  | 425        | (6.5) |      |  |
|                 | Malaysia**           | 416  | (7.9)  | 430        | (6.4)  | 427    | (5.6)  | 433        | (4.9) | 435   | (7.0)  | 430        | (6.3) | 428    | (10.5) | 431        | (4.8) |      |  |

1. Vigorous physical activities are those that make a student sweat and breathe hard, such as running, cycling, aerobics, soccer or skating. One day of vigorous physical activity consists of at least 20 minutes of such activities.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.1b Days engaged in vigorous physical activity and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 |                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving             |       |            |       |       |       |            |       |        |        |            |        |        |        |            |        |      |  |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|-------|------------|-------|-------|-------|------------|-------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|--------|------|--|
|                 |                      | Days of vigorous physical activity <sup>1</sup> per week |       |            |       |       |       |            |       |        |        |            |        |        |        |            |        |      |  |
|                 |                      | Girls  |       |            |       |       |       |            |       |        |        |            |        |        |        |            |        |      |  |
|                 |                      | 0  |       | 1          |       | 2     |       | 3          |       | 4      |        | 5          |        | 6      |        | 7          |        |      |  |
| Mean score      |                      | S.E.   |       | Mean score |       | S.E.  |       | Mean score |       | S.E.   |        | Mean score |        | S.E.   |        | Mean score |        | S.E. |  |
| OECD            | Australia            | 558  | (4.4) | 561        | (4.4) | 555   | (4.0) | 550        | (5.0) | 565    | (5.9)  | 553        | (5.7)  | 562    | (7.9)  | 538        | (6.4)  |      |  |
|                 | Austria              | 520  | (5.0) | 524        | (6.2) | 526   | (6.1) | 530        | (6.7) | 538    | (7.0)  | 523        | (10.5) | 515    | (14.9) | 499        | (11.0) |      |  |
|                 | Belgium              | 505  | (4.5) | 510        | (4.3) | 528   | (4.7) | 539        | (4.3) | 542    | (6.8)  | 527        | (8.0)  | 539    | (10.7) | 510        | (8.5)  |      |  |
|                 | Canada               | 560  | (4.3) | 558        | (5.1) | 566   | (4.7) | 551        | (4.2) | 559    | (5.1)  | 555        | (5.3)  | 559    | (8.9)  | 545        | (6.6)  |      |  |
|                 | Chile                | 478  | (4.7) | 464        | (4.4) | 462   | (5.7) | 459        | (6.0) | 468    | (8.5)  | 452        | (10.3) | 460    | (12.9) | 444        | (8.6)  |      |  |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 507  | (6.2) | 516        | (4.4) | 516   | (5.5) | 511        | (5.7) | 518    | (5.3)  | 533        | (5.5)  | 530    | (8.8)  | 505        | (6.3)  |      |  |
|                 | Denmark              | 530  | (7.6) | 544        | (5.5) | 529   | (5.1) | 543        | (4.9) | 535    | (6.5)  | 541        | (5.9)  | 520    | (9.2)  | 513        | (7.4)  |      |  |
|                 | Estonia              | 552  | (5.9) | 557        | (5.4) | 545   | (5.2) | 547        | (6.3) | 554    | (6.1)  | 553        | (6.4)  | 560    | (10.9) | 529        | (8.1)  |      |  |
|                 | Finland              | 555  | (7.0) | 564        | (5.9) | 562   | (5.9) | 555        | (5.9) | 572    | (6.3)  | 561        | (6.3)  | 572    | (7.8)  | 543        | (12.0) |      |  |
|                 | France               | 504  | (4.4) | 521        | (4.7) | 517   | (5.4) | 524        | (7.5) | 523    | (8.5)  | 514        | (11.0) | 522    | (15.6) | 479        | (10.6) |      |  |
|                 | Germany              | 540  | (6.9) | 549        | (6.1) | 554   | (5.0) | 555        | (5.5) | 549    | (6.4)  | 567        | (7.9)  | 566    | (15.1) | 522        | (10.7) |      |  |
|                 | Greece               | 484  | (4.7) | 467        | (6.8) | 480   | (5.1) | 480        | (6.5) | 487    | (8.1)  | 483        | (7.8)  | 450    | (11.2) | 452        | (10.1) |      |  |
|                 | Hungary              | 472  | (6.3) | 478        | (6.8) | 491   | (4.6) | 505        | (5.3) | 490    | (7.5)  | 481        | (7.2)  | 508    | (10.1) | 479        | (7.6)  |      |  |
|                 | Iceland              | 515  | (7.4) | 517        | (8.0) | 517   | (7.2) | 502        | (7.0) | 520    | (8.0)  | 523        | (6.4)  | 514    | (7.2)  | 504        | (6.9)  |      |  |
|                 | Ireland              | m  | m     | m          | m     | m     | m     | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m      |      |  |
|                 | Israel               | 488  | (5.9) | 468        | (6.9) | 490   | (5.9) | 486        | (7.9) | 476    | (8.4)  | 483        | (11.1) | 495    | (12.6) | 472        | (10.3) |      |  |
|                 | Italy                | m  | m     | m          | m     | m     | m     | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m      |      |  |
|                 | Japan                | 573  | (3.6) | 562        | (6.2) | 560   | (5.2) | 562        | (5.7) | 565    | (9.1)  | 570        | (8.2)  | 568    | (6.3)  | 548        | (4.6)  |      |  |
|                 | Korea                | 562  | (4.0) | 552        | (4.4) | 562   | (4.4) | 554        | (6.5) | 555    | (10.5) | 533        | (8.6)  | 526    | (18.5) | 514        | (11.0) |      |  |
|                 | Latvia               | 515  | (5.7) | 504        | (6.2) | 505   | (5.1) | 503        | (5.1) | 512    | (6.4)  | 500        | (6.9)  | 496    | (12.8) | 502        | (9.1)  |      |  |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 497  | (5.0) | 511        | (4.5) | 510   | (4.9) | 517        | (6.1) | 513    | (6.5)  | 516        | (9.1)  | 522    | (11.7) | 487        | (8.6)  |      |  |
|                 | Mexico               | 450  | (4.9) | 432        | (4.6) | 436   | (3.8) | 448        | (4.6) | 458    | (6.4)  | 444        | (7.4)  | 447    | (8.8)  | 431        | (5.9)  |      |  |
|                 | Netherlands          | 526  | (5.8) | 525        | (4.5) | 544   | (5.2) | 542        | (5.7) | 550    | (5.7)  | 526        | (8.8)  | 527    | (13.6) | 512        | (13.3) |      |  |
|                 | New Zealand          | 553  | (6.2) | 573        | (7.6) | 567   | (5.6) | 544        | (6.9) | 553    | (7.6)  | 551        | (8.8)  | 565    | (10.8) | 548        | (10.7) |      |  |
|                 | Norway               | 518  | (6.2) | 515        | (6.0) | 518   | (5.7) | 530        | (5.0) | 526    | (5.5)  | 521        | (6.7)  | 521    | (8.4)  | 503        | (6.4)  |      |  |
|                 | Poland               | m  | m     | m          | m     | m     | m     | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m      |      |  |
|                 | Portugal             | 514  | (4.3) | 502        | (4.6) | 504   | (6.0) | 515        | (5.4) | 519    | (7.4)  | 511        | (8.0)  | 533    | (12.9) | 489        | (10.1) |      |  |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | 481  | (5.9) | 480        | (6.1) | 486   | (5.5) | 487        | (4.6) | 491    | (6.8)  | 479        | (7.5)  | 486    | (9.6)  | 470        | (6.9)  |      |  |
|                 | Slovenia             | 518  | (6.1) | 508        | (6.1) | 540   | (5.0) | 521        | (5.7) | 531    | (7.5)  | 541        | (6.9)  | 535    | (10.2) | 494        | (6.8)  |      |  |
|                 | Spain                | 508  | (3.6) | 511        | (4.5) | 510   | (4.5) | 508        | (5.2) | 505    | (5.8)  | 512        | (8.4)  | 524    | (9.8)  | 509        | (11.1) |      |  |
|                 | Sweden               | 515  | (6.7) | 526        | (7.4) | 535   | (6.6) | 546        | (6.0) | 547    | (5.6)  | 537        | (7.6)  | 544    | (7.7)  | 528        | (7.7)  |      |  |
|                 | Switzerland          | m  | m     | m          | m     | m     | m     | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m      |      |  |
| Turkey          | 442                  | (5.4)  | 432   | (5.5)      | 433   | (6.0) | 443   | (5.9)      | 416   | (8.8)  | 433    | (8.8)      | 412    | (15.8) | 430    | (7.4)      |        |      |  |
| United Kingdom  | 534                  | (5.2)  | 542   | (4.7)      | 552   | (6.3) | 538   | (6.1)      | 538   | (7.8)  | 535    | (10.1)     | 544    | (13.9) | 523    | (11.6)     |        |      |  |
| United States   | 542                  | (5.5)  | 535   | (8.3)      | 539   | (7.7) | 537   | (7.1)      | 530   | (10.5) | 535    | (6.2)      | 553    | (10.6) | 514    | (7.8)      |        |      |  |
| OECD average-32 | 517                  | (1.0)  | 516   | (1.0)      | 521   | (1.0) | 520   | (1.1)      | 523   | (1.3)  | 519    | (1.4)      | 522    | (2.1)  | 501    | (1.6)      |        |      |  |
| OECD average-35 | m                    | m  | m     | m          | m     | m     | m     | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          |        |      |  |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 441  | (2.9) | 415        | (5.8) | 419   | (5.3) | 426        | (4.8) | 421    | (8.0)  | 434        | (6.3)  | 424    | (11.6) | 422        | (7.3)  |      |  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 529  | (6.8) | 500        | (7.7) | 497   | (7.1) | 507        | (6.1) | 499    | (9.2)  | 514        | (8.5)  | 536    | (17.0) | 501        | (7.1)  |      |  |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 463  | (5.4) | 461        | (5.9) | 470   | (5.2) | 469        | (6.5) | 486    | (8.3)  | 474        | (8.6)  | 481    | (11.1) | 469        | (7.7)  |      |  |
|                 | Colombia             | 435  | (3.7) | 421        | (4.1) | 439   | (4.9) | 446        | (5.5) | 451    | (7.8)  | 436        | (7.4)  | 426    | (12.5) | 436        | (8.2)  |      |  |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 449  | (4.0) | 441        | (4.3) | 433   | (6.0) | 447        | (6.1) | 433    | (11.7) | 432        | (8.0)  | 464    | (13.5) | 417        | (9.6)  |      |  |
|                 | Croatia              | 486  | (4.0) | 474        | (4.4) | 490   | (4.4) | 497        | (6.0) | 505    | (6.6)  | 488        | (6.6)  | 517    | (11.5) | 476        | (7.3)  |      |  |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 469  | (4.0) | 462        | (4.5) | 470   | (5.4) | 458        | (5.5) | 470    | (6.2)  | 473        | (6.4)  | 476    | (10.0) | 457        | (6.5)  |      |  |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m          | m     | m     | m     | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m      |      |  |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 572  | (4.8) | 560        | (4.7) | 552   | (5.6) | 553        | (7.4) | 559    | (12.5) | 553        | (8.0)  | 570    | (13.0) | 533        | (10.4) |      |  |
|                 | Lithuania            | 486  | (4.7) | 484        | (5.5) | 483   | (5.2) | 477        | (5.2) | 496    | (6.2)  | 497        | (8.6)  | 495    | (8.6)  | 465        | (7.9)  |      |  |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 561  | (3.4) | 553        | (3.3) | 545   | (4.3) | 561        | (6.9) | 549    | (10.9) | 525        | (12.1) | 547    | (15.2) | 533        | (15.2) |      |  |
|                 | Montenegro           | 441  | (4.3) | 427        | (5.0) | 429   | (5.2) | 438        | (4.8) | 442    | (6.6)  | 426        | (5.8)  | 433    | (6.7)  | 423        | (4.9)  |      |  |
|                 | Peru                 | 448  | (4.3) | 420        | (4.7) | 425   | (5.1) | 433        | (5.3) | 414    | (7.2)  | 414        | (8.9)  | 423    | (11.5) | 419        | (9.1)  |      |  |
|                 | Qatar                | m  | m     | m          | m     | m     | m     | m          | m     | m      | m      | m          | m      | m      | m      | m          | m      |      |  |
|                 | Russia               | 502  | (7.4) | 485        | (6.4) | 493   | (5.5) | 489        | (5.7) | 478    | (6.7)  | 485        | (9.4)  | 492    | (9.9)  | 472        | (9.1)  |      |  |
|                 | Singapore            | 586  | (4.7) | 568        | (3.6) | 565   | (3.9) | 570        | (4.8) | 585    | (10.4) | 561        | (11.0) | 601    | (20.2) | 539        | (11.0) |      |  |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 540  | (4.2) | 536        | (6.1) | 547   | (4.3) | 541        | (6.6) | 548    | (7.9)  | 535        | (7.3)  | 549    | (12.4) | 526        | (7.8)  |      |  |
|                 | Thailand             | 468  | (5.4) | 450        | (4.8) | 450   | (4.3) | 454        | (4.9) | 453    | (8.6)  | 442        | (6.5)  | 432    | (10.9) | 441        | (7.2)  |      |  |
|                 | Tunisia              | 402  | (3.1) | 385        | (3.7) | 385   | (3.9) | 381        | (4.1) | 380    | (6.2)  | 370        | (7.5)  | 373    | (11.6) | 383        | (5.6)  |      |  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 455  | (4.2) | 451        | (4.8) | 453   | (5.0) | 457        | (5.9) | 480    | (7.9)  | 459        | (7.0)  | 476    | (14.1) | 453        | (6.2)  |      |  |
|                 | Uruguay              | 460  | (3.9) | 449        | (5.3) | 458   | (3.8) | 466        | (5.5) | 453    | (8.4)  | 450        | (8.7)  | 453    | (10.7) | 437        | (10.5) |      |  |
|                 | Malaysia**           | 459  | (5.1) | 446        | (5.1) | 452   | (4.2) | 453        | (4.7) | 458    | (6.9)  | 440        | (7.1)  | 417    | (13.8) | 441        | (7.5)  |      |  |

1. Vigorous physical activities are those that make a student sweat and breathe hard, such as running, cycling, aerobics, soccer or skating. One day of vigorous physical activity consists of at least 20 minutes of such activities.

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**Table V.6.1c Days of physical education class and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 | Days attending physical education class in an average week |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            |              |            |            |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|-----------------|--|------------|--|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|--|
|                 |  |            | Days of physical education class per week    |            |              |            |            |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Average number of days                                     |            | Variability                                  |            | All students |            |            |            |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 |  |            |  |            | 0            |            | 1          |            | 2          |            | 3    |            | 4    |            | 5+   |  |
| Days            | S.E.   | S.D.       | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.         | Mean score | S.E.       | Mean score | S.E.       | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. | Mean score | S.E. |  |
| OECD            | Australia  | 2.2 (0.02) | 1.4 (0.01)                                   | 552 (3.9)  | 558 (4.8)    | 542 (2.7)  | 532 (3.3)  | 520 (5.0)  | 461 (4.9)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Austria  | 1.3 (0.03) | 1.0 (0.03)                                   | 469 (5.1)  | 526 (3.1)    | 511 (8.0)  | 469 (16.6) | 482 (17.6) | 442 (9.8)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Belgium  | 1.6 (0.03) | 0.9 (0.03)                                   | 456 (9.2)  | 506 (3.2)    | 518 (4.2)  | 452 (9.0)  | 484 (10.3) | 468 (12.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Canada   | 2.7 (0.03) | 2.0 (0.01)                                   | 555 (4.1)  | 550 (4.9)    | 545 (5.4)  | 558 (4.2)  | 524 (6.9)  | 516 (3.1)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Chile  | 1.8 (0.03) | 1.2 (0.02)                                   | 458 (12.3) | 464 (3.6)    | 471 (5.1)  | 447 (10.9) | 432 (10.0) | 406 (5.6)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Czech Republic   | 1.7 (0.03) | 0.9 (0.03)                                   | 484 (7.2)  | 508 (3.5)    | 508 (3.1)  | 491 (9.0)  | 445 (12.5) | 441 (8.0)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Denmark  | 1.4 (0.04) | 1.0 (0.06)                                   | 517 (13.8) | 529 (2.7)    | 514 (5.2)  | 504 (8.7)  | 516 (14.0) | 493 (10.1) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Estonia  | 1.7 (0.02) | 0.8 (0.02)                                   | 529 (7.8)  | 543 (3.9)    | 538 (3.2)  | 499 (15.5) | c          | c          | 456 (12.3) |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Finland  | 1.8 (0.02) | 1.1 (0.02)                                   | 534 (15.1) | 556 (2.9)    | 537 (3.1)  | 510 (6.9)  | 483 (10.2) | 458 (7.8)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | France   | 1.4 (0.02) | 1.0 (0.02)                                   | 464 (9.3)  | 520 (2.9)    | 459 (4.9)  | 475 (9.8)  | 422 (16.0) | 411 (8.1)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Germany  | 1.4 (0.02) | 0.8 (0.02)                                   | 520 (18.3) | 546 (2.9)    | 528 (5.8)  | 477 (14.9) | 452 (15.6) | 460 (11.4) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Greece   | 2.3 (0.02) | 1.1 (0.02)                                   | 447 (8.7)  | 469 (7.8)    | 472 (3.3)  | 431 (7.5)  | 413 (12.8) | 416 (5.2)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Hungary  | 3.7 (0.04) | 1.2 (0.02)                                   | 441 (13.7) | 399 (13.6)   | 437 (12.5) | 487 (4.8)  | 474 (5.9)  | 475 (4.9)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Iceland  | 2.4 (0.02) | 1.2 (0.01)                                   | 495 (11.7) | 504 (5.5)    | 509 (3.0)  | 509 (5.2)  | 486 (7.5)  | 460 (6.4)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Ireland  | 1.1 (0.02) | 0.8 (0.03)                                   | m          | m            | m          | m          | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Israel   | 2.0 (0.04) | 1.3 (0.02)                                   | 473 (13.4) | 463 (6.3)    | 500 (4.5)  | 428 (10.6) | 408 (8.7)  | 392 (4.5)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Italy  | m          | m  | m          | m            | m          | m          | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Japan  | 2.5 (0.03) | 0.7 (0.02)                                   | c          | c            | 566 (8.6)  | 560 (4.4)  | 548 (3.2)  | 543 (17.6) | 463 (24.4) |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Korea  | 2.2 (0.03) | 0.7 (0.04)                                   | 481 (22.3) | 522 (9.4)    | 544 (2.7)  | 532 (6.5)  | 525 (7.7)  | 488 (9.7)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Latvia   | 2.0 (0.03) | 1.0 (0.02)                                   | 489 (7.7)  | 496 (4.9)    | 493 (2.7)  | 457 (7.4)  | 458 (13.9) | 434 (6.3)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Luxembourg   | 1.6 (0.01) | 1.0 (0.01)                                   | 441 (9.5)  | 509 (2.2)    | 481 (2.8)  | 466 (7.7)  | 486 (9.9)  | 447 (6.3)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Mexico   | 1.6 (0.05) | 1.4 (0.02)                                   | 455 (5.0)  | 437 (4.7)    | 427 (4.3)  | 441 (6.5)  | 427 (11.6) | 414 (5.8)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Netherlands  | 1.4 (0.03) | 0.8 (0.03)                                   | 495 (9.5)  | 538 (3.6)    | 499 (4.6)  | 481 (10.0) | 490 (15.4) | 459 (17.0) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | New Zealand  | 2.0 (0.05) | 1.9 (0.02)                                   | 561 (3.1)  | 547 (9.2)    | 540 (6.7)  | 530 (5.9)  | 513 (5.4)  | 491 (6.1)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Norway   | 1.8 (0.04) | 0.8 (0.03)                                   | 461 (23.1) | 502 (4.2)    | 513 (2.8)  | 495 (6.4)  | 479 (14.6) | 468 (13.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Poland   | 3.2 (0.06) | 0.9 (0.02)                                   | m          | m            | m          | m          | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Portugal   | 2.1 (0.02) | 0.7 (0.02)                                   | 451 (21.7) | 477 (6.8)    | 508 (2.7)  | 494 (10.4) | 425 (18.3) | 428 (8.8)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Slovak Republic  | 2.0 (0.03) | 0.9 (0.02)                                   | 451 (7.6)  | 468 (8.2)    | 473 (3.2)  | 464 (7.5)  | 403 (9.5)  | 401 (7.8)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Slovenia   | 2.1 (0.01) | 0.9 (0.01)                                   | 433 (13.6) | 471 (3.4)    | 516 (2.9)  | 513 (3.9)  | 477 (11.2) | 455 (8.1)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Spain  | 1.9 (0.02) | 0.5 (0.03)                                   | 452 (12.9) | 509 (6.7)    | 500 (2.1)  | 487 (19.9) | c          | c          | 436 (12.1) |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Sweden   | 2.2 (0.03) | 1.1 (0.02)                                   | 486 (15.8) | 545 (7.4)    | 513 (3.7)  | 514 (8.6)  | 505 (11.0) | 468 (5.8)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Switzerland  | 2.0 (0.03) | 1.0 (0.02)                                   | m          | m            | m          | m          | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Turkey   | 2.1 (0.04) | 1.6 (0.03)                                   | 446 (12.8) | 427 (4.4)    | 430 (5.2)  | 422 (12.4) | 452 (8.8)  | 399 (4.2)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | United Kingdom   | 1.9 (0.03) | 1.2 (0.02)                                   | 506 (8.2)  | 531 (4.2)    | 535 (4.2)  | 507 (5.1)  | 494 (5.8)  | 455 (6.7)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | United States  | 2.4 (0.08) | 2.2 (0.03)                                   | 542 (4.5)  | 506 (14.2)   | 516 (10.5) | 520 (7.5)  | 510 (8.6)  | 511 (5.0)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| OECD average-32 | 2.0 (0.01)   | 1.1 (0.00) | 485 (2.2)                                    | 506 (1.1)  | 504 (0.9)    | 488 (1.7)  | 473 (2.2)  | 451 (1.7)  |            |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| OECD average-35 | 2.0 (0.01)   | 1.1 (0.00) | m  | m          | m            | m          | m          | m          | m          |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
| Partners        | Brazil   | 1.8 (0.02) | 1.3 (0.02)                                   | 431 (6.3)  | 435 (3.8)    | 420 (3.1)  | 386 (7.4)  | 398 (11.9) | 379 (3.7)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)  | 2.3 (0.04) | 1.0 (0.03)                                   | 445 (13.4) | 471 (7.9)    | 496 (6.3)  | 508 (5.6)  | 532 (12.8) | 497 (11.3) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Bulgaria   | 2.6 (0.03) | 1.2 (0.02)                                   | 408 (10.7) | 486 (14.6)   | 462 (4.2)  | 445 (5.6)  | 419 (10.6) | 423 (5.7)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Colombia   | 1.6 (0.03) | 1.3 (0.02)                                   | 416 (14.6) | 442 (2.6)    | 426 (6.1)  | 415 (11.6) | 410 (13.7) | 386 (4.5)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Costa Rica   | 1.0 (0.02) | 0.5 (0.03)                                   | 417 (7.6)  | 444 (2.8)    | 415 (12.5) | c          | c          | c          | 384 (15.4) |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Croatia  | 1.7 (0.03) | 0.6 (0.02)                                   | 462 (14.0) | 468 (4.5)    | 480 (3.5)  | 413 (13.0) | c          | c          | 413 (15.5) |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Cyprus*  | 2.2 (0.01) | 1.1 (0.01)                                   | 437 (8.5)  | 440 (3.4)    | 464 (2.5)  | 421 (4.1)  | 441 (8.8)  | 404 (5.2)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | 2.5 (0.04) | 1.7 (0.02)                                   | m          | m            | m          | m          | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)  | 1.1 (0.01) | 0.5 (0.03)                                   | 505 (16.8) | 544 (2.7)    | 531 (12.9) | 464 (20.1) | c          | c          | 460 (18.9) |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Lithuania  | 2.0 (0.02) | 1.0 (0.02)                                   | 457 (5.8)  | 465 (7.8)    | 477 (2.6)  | 445 (8.1)  | 423 (13.3) | 429 (6.2)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Macao (China)  | 1.7 (0.01) | 0.8 (0.01)                                   | 458 (16.2) | 540 (2.3)    | 541 (2.0)  | 468 (7.8)  | 435 (16.0) | 465 (11.0) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Montenegro   | 2.8 (0.02) | 1.4 (0.01)                                   | 420 (7.0)  | 428 (5.7)    | 431 (1.7)  | 430 (3.7)  | 400 (7.1)  | 397 (2.9)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Peru   | 1.7 (0.03) | 1.4 (0.02)                                   | 434 (12.6) | 434 (3.1)    | 425 (6.0)  | 403 (13.4) | 362 (12.3) | 374 (3.8)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Qatar  | 1.9 (0.01) | 1.6 (0.01)                                   | m          | m            | m          | m          | m          | m          | m          |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Russia   | 2.9 (0.04) | 1.0 (0.03)                                   | 475 (15.5) | 499 (10.5)   | 489 (5.8)  | 479 (3.7)  | 445 (9.4)  | 424 (7.3)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Singapore  | 1.7 (0.01) | 0.8 (0.01)                                   | 548 (13.5) | 578 (2.0)    | 554 (1.9)  | 564 (6.0)  | 516 (15.4) | 457 (10.7) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Chinese Taipei   | 1.8 (0.02) | 0.7 (0.02)                                   | 447 (12.9) | 524 (6.4)    | 531 (3.0)  | 513 (8.2)  | 533 (35.9) | 481 (11.6) |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Thailand   | 1.3 (0.02) | 1.0 (0.03)                                   | 420 (7.6)  | 450 (3.7)    | 421 (6.4)  | 388 (8.9)  | 381 (15.3) | 369 (5.3)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Tunisia  | 1.9 (0.03) | 1.3 (0.02)                                   | 396 (4.7)  | 401 (3.3)    | 373 (2.9)  | 366 (4.4)  | 376 (6.9)  | 364 (4.2)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates                                       | 1.9 (0.02) | 1.4 (0.01)                                   | 456 (6.4)  | 455 (3.8)    | 433 (3.1)  | 444 (6.2)  | 402 (7.4)  | 386 (4.3)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Uruguay  | 1.9 (0.03) | 1.4 (0.02)                                   | 448 (4.6)  | 464 (6.2)    | 455 (2.9)  | 422 (8.2)  | 437 (11.1) | 398 (4.0)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |
|                 | Malaysia**   | 1.8 (0.03) | 1.2 (0.03)                                   | 433 (11.7) | 452 (4.4)    | 438 (4.5)  | 425 (9.4)  | 431 (11.7) | 399 (6.1)  |            |      |            |      |            |      |  |

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**Table V.6.1c Days of physical education class and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 |                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|
|                 |                      | Days of physical education class per week    |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |
|                 |                      | Boys   |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |
|                 |                      | 0  |        | 1          |        | 2          |        | 3          |        | 4          |        | 5+         |        |
|                 |                      | Mean score                                   | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   |
| OECD            | Australia            | 541  | (5.2)  | 538        | (6.0)  | 527        | (3.9)  | 513        | (4.4)  | 504        | (6.3)  | 442        | (5.8)  |
|                 | Austria              | 463  | (8.2)  | 516        | (4.1)  | 506        | (8.6)  | 456        | (16.2) | 467        | (17.2) | 434        | (9.7)  |
|                 | Belgium              | 423  | (14.3) | 494        | (4.1)  | 506        | (4.9)  | 450        | (9.5)  | 486        | (11.6) | 464        | (13.1) |
|                 | Canada               | 537  | (5.5)  | 541        | (6.5)  | 533        | (7.7)  | 539        | (5.7)  | 507        | (9.8)  | 496        | (3.6)  |
|                 | Chile                | c  | c      | 455        | (4.5)  | 465        | (5.1)  | 450        | (15.6) | 430        | (15.5) | 405        | (7.6)  |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 476  | (11.8) | 494        | (4.8)  | 499        | (4.6)  | 479        | (9.3)  | 435        | (13.2) | 430        | (8.5)  |
|                 | Denmark              | 510  | (18.8) | 518        | (3.3)  | 509        | (6.5)  | 501        | (11.9) | 496        | (14.1) | 485        | (12.5) |
|                 | Estonia              | 518  | (10.3) | 531        | (4.6)  | 526        | (3.7)  | 498        | (20.5) | c          | c      | 456        | (13.9) |
|                 | Finland              | 488  | (21.8) | 534        | (4.2)  | 521        | (4.1)  | 494        | (7.4)  | 468        | (11.6) | 442        | (8.8)  |
|                 | France               | 429  | (12.8) | 510        | (3.8)  | 449        | (6.9)  | 458        | (11.7) | 413        | (17.9) | 396        | (9.0)  |
|                 | Germany              | 481  | (18.8) | 533        | (3.6)  | 514        | (6.4)  | 470        | (16.8) | c          | c      | 457        | (15.5) |
|                 | Greece               | 421  | (11.3) | 446        | (11.9) | 459        | (4.1)  | 426        | (8.9)  | 403        | (17.9) | 396        | (7.5)  |
|                 | Hungary              | c  | c      | 393        | (18.9) | 425        | (11.3) | 472        | (6.2)  | 461        | (7.3)  | 466        | (5.8)  |
|                 | Iceland              | 484  | (20.1) | 487        | (8.0)  | 498        | (3.8)  | 494        | (6.9)  | 472        | (11.2) | 451        | (9.0)  |
|                 | Ireland              | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Israel               | 472  | (22.3) | 454        | (7.8)  | 493        | (4.5)  | 423        | (13.8) | 409        | (12.0) | 386        | (5.6)  |
|                 | Italy                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Japan                | c  | c      | 555        | (9.4)  | 547        | (5.6)  | 535        | (4.0)  | 543        | (27.2) | 461        | (28.7) |
|                 | Korea                | c  | c      | 495        | (12.7) | 528        | (3.6)  | 524        | (9.5)  | 522        | (10.4) | 481        | (11.5) |
|                 | Latvia               | 449  | (13.7) | 474        | (7.0)  | 476        | (3.3)  | 440        | (9.0)  | 447        | (16.6) | 428        | (7.0)  |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 432  | (11.5) | 501        | (3.5)  | 469        | (4.3)  | 447        | (9.8)  | 480        | (11.7) | 439        | (7.6)  |
|                 | Mexico               | 452  | (5.5)  | 431        | (5.3)  | 421        | (5.0)  | 433        | (8.3)  | 404        | (14.4) | 405        | (7.0)  |
|                 | Netherlands          | 482  | (12.0) | 527        | (4.7)  | 485        | (5.0)  | 472        | (11.0) | 486        | (19.3) | 447        | (17.7) |
|                 | New Zealand          | 547  | (4.8)  | 538        | (11.6) | 525        | (9.4)  | 505        | (8.2)  | 493        | (7.7)  | 474        | (7.2)  |
|                 | Norway               | c  | c      | 489        | (5.3)  | 498        | (3.4)  | 485        | (8.0)  | 484        | (18.2) | 451        | (15.6) |
|                 | Poland               | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Portugal             | c  | c      | 479        | (7.2)  | 499        | (3.3)  | 482        | (11.9) | 421        | (23.3) | 406        | (12.1) |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | 424  | (10.4) | 453        | (9.1)  | 460        | (3.6)  | 450        | (8.5)  | 398        | (11.0) | 395        | (8.8)  |
|                 | Slovenia             | 417  | (15.8) | 465        | (4.2)  | 500        | (3.6)  | 492        | (5.9)  | 447        | (14.1) | 442        | (10.6) |
|                 | Spain                | 431  | (15.6) | 497        | (7.1)  | 490        | (2.7)  | c          | c      | c          | c      | 434        | (13.8) |
|                 | Sweden               | 463  | (20.2) | 527        | (10.3) | 494        | (4.1)  | 504        | (11.3) | 488        | (12.6) | 455        | (6.8)  |
|                 | Switzerland          | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
| Turkey          | 422                  | (14.1)                                       | 414    | (5.1)      | 423    | (5.9)      | 415    | (19.4)     | 447    | (11.7)     | 391    | (5.4)      |        |
| United Kingdom  | 494                  | (11.6)                                       | 517    | (5.1)      | 518    | (5.4)      | 490    | (5.4)      | 483    | (6.5)      | 452    | (8.6)      |        |
| United States   | 533                  | (5.8)  | 507    | (21.0)     | 503    | (12.8)     | 502    | (10.7)     | 492    | (9.5)      | 502    | (5.6)      |        |
| OECD average-32 | 472                  | (2.8)  | 494    | (1.5)      | 492    | (1.1)      | 477    | (2.0)      | 464    | (2.7)      | 441    | (2.0)      |        |
| OECD average-35 | m                    | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          |        |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 425  | (8.0)  | 428        | (3.9)  | 412        | (3.5)  | 378        | (7.9)  | 396        | (12.8) | 375        | (5.1)  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 426  | (17.1) | 462        | (7.2)  | 485        | (6.0)  | 500        | (6.2)  | 527        | (11.5) | 482        | (13.1) |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 390  | (14.9) | 476        | (18.2) | 447        | (5.0)  | 431        | (6.5)  | 402        | (11.7) | 414        | (6.2)  |
|                 | Colombia             | 415  | (17.2) | 440        | (3.3)  | 423        | (6.9)  | 409        | (14.6) | 421        | (19.0) | 380        | (6.4)  |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 417  | (8.9)  | 440        | (3.3)  | 411        | (19.3) | c          | c      | c          | c      | 395        | (15.8) |
|                 | Croatia              | 455  | (17.8) | 455        | (5.0)  | 467        | (4.4)  | 390        | (15.2) | c          | c      | 399        | (17.6) |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 416  | (12.5) | 418        | (3.9)  | 449        | (3.4)  | 402        | (5.6)  | 429        | (13.4) | 381        | (6.3)  |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 489  | (16.1) | 526        | (3.5)  | 521        | (14.2) | c          | c      | c          | c      | 436        | (18.3) |
|                 | Lithuania            | 440  | (7.5)  | 444        | (10.2) | 466        | (3.4)  | 434        | (8.0)  | 414        | (14.4) | 425        | (7.2)  |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 437  | (20.8) | 521        | (2.9)  | 526        | (3.1)  | 460        | (8.8)  | 428        | (18.8) | 448        | (13.7) |
|                 | Montenegro           | 401  | (9.5)  | 416        | (8.1)  | 419        | (2.4)  | 418        | (5.8)  | 395        | (8.2)  | 389        | (4.0)  |
|                 | Peru                 | 433  | (14.2) | 430        | (3.6)  | 417        | (6.8)  | 398        | (18.8) | 354        | (17.4) | 376        | (4.5)  |
|                 | Qatar                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Russia               | 452  | (18.7) | 486        | (13.4) | 479        | (6.8)  | 468        | (4.6)  | 439        | (10.6) | 417        | (8.3)  |
|                 | Singapore            | 536  | (26.7) | 575        | (2.9)  | 543        | (2.4)  | 528        | (9.0)  | 490        | (18.1) | 451        | (12.4) |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 437  | (16.6) | 511        | (7.4)  | 517        | (4.3)  | 502        | (9.9)  | c          | c      | 460        | (13.2) |
|                 | Thailand             | 402  | (8.0)  | 432        | (4.5)  | 405        | (7.2)  | 376        | (10.4) | 371        | (15.5) | 359        | (7.3)  |
|                 | Tunisia              | 384  | (6.0)  | 394        | (3.9)  | 368        | (3.6)  | 367        | (6.0)  | 369        | (10.5) | 363        | (5.7)  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 432  | (8.8)  | 440        | (4.7)  | 416        | (4.8)  | 432        | (7.5)  | 393        | (9.6)  | 373        | (4.6)  |
| Uruguay         | 444                  | (7.7)  | 459    | (8.9)      | 449    | (3.9)      | 417    | (10.6)     | 435    | (13.8)     | 393    | (5.4)      |        |
| Malaysia**      | 425                  | (13.6)                                       | 443    | (4.8)      | 428    | (5.3)      | 405    | (9.9)      | 416    | (12.8)     | 387    | (7.4)      |        |

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**Table V.6.1c Days of physical education class and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                 |                      | Performance in collaborative problem solving |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |
|-----------------|----------------------|--|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|
|                 |                      | Days of physical education class per week    |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |
|                 |                      | Girls  |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |            |        |
|                 |                      | 0  |        | 1          |        | 2          |        | 3          |        | 4          |        | 5+         |        |
|                 |                      | Mean score                                   | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   |
| OECD            | Australia            | 560  | (4.9)  | 575        | (5.7)  | 557        | (3.7)  | 551        | (3.8)  | 542        | (6.9)  | 495        | (7.4)  |
|                 | Austria              | 476  | (6.7)  | 535        | (3.9)  | 514        | (10.1) | 483        | (21.5) | 503        | (27.3) | 471        | (19.6) |
|                 | Belgium              | 488  | (16.1) | 517        | (3.6)  | 530        | (4.6)  | 455        | (15.0) | 477        | (16.8) | 473        | (17.7) |
|                 | Canada               | 567  | (4.5)  | 558        | (6.7)  | 557        | (5.7)  | 576        | (4.3)  | 542        | (7.3)  | 541        | (3.7)  |
|                 | Chile                | 457  | (16.1) | 471        | (4.1)  | 476        | (6.3)  | 445        | (13.7) | 434        | (12.3) | 407        | (7.2)  |
|                 | Czech Republic       | 490  | (9.9)  | 520        | (3.7)  | 518        | (3.5)  | 508        | (12.1) | 470        | (18.8) | 469        | (14.1) |
|                 | Denmark              | 523  | (15.3) | 539        | (3.3)  | 520        | (5.9)  | 508        | (10.9) | 539        | (22.5) | 501        | (12.5) |
|                 | Estonia              | 541  | (11.9) | 554        | (4.6)  | 550        | (3.6)  | 501        | (27.3) | c          | c      | c          | c      |
|                 | Finland              | 586  | (16.2) | 571        | (3.4)  | 558        | (4.5)  | 541        | (11.5) | 510        | (14.5) | 491        | (10.6) |
|                 | France               | 490  | (11.4) | 529        | (3.5)  | 471        | (4.8)  | 492        | (12.7) | c          | c      | 431        | (12.0) |
|                 | Germany              | 553  | (20.2) | 558        | (3.1)  | 542        | (6.8)  | 486        | (16.8) | c          | c      | 465        | (15.0) |
|                 | Greece               | 465  | (11.8) | 490        | (9.2)  | 487        | (3.3)  | 437        | (12.4) | 426        | (16.5) | 435        | (6.2)  |
|                 | Hungary              | 450  | (17.9) | 405        | (16.4) | 454        | (17.8) | 504        | (5.2)  | 485        | (6.1)  | 484        | (5.3)  |
|                 | Iceland              | 501  | (12.9) | 517        | (7.5)  | 519        | (3.6)  | 525        | (6.2)  | 500        | (9.3)  | 472        | (8.1)  |
|                 | Ireland              | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Israel               | 473  | (9.1)  | 471        | (8.9)  | 507        | (6.0)  | 435        | (14.2) | 407        | (12.3) | 400        | (6.3)  |
|                 | Italy                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Japan                | c  | c      | 581        | (11.1) | 571        | (4.5)  | 561        | (3.4)  | 545        | (14.2) | c          | c      |
|                 | Korea                | c  | c      | 548        | (8.7)  | 560        | (3.6)  | 543        | (6.6)  | 529        | (9.3)  | c          | c      |
|                 | Latvia               | 509  | (7.7)  | 511        | (6.1)  | 510        | (3.5)  | 480        | (9.3)  | c          | c      | 453        | (13.3) |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 457  | (16.3) | 517        | (2.5)  | 494        | (4.0)  | 486        | (11.3) | 500        | (18.4) | 466        | (12.0) |
|                 | Mexico               | 458  | (5.4)  | 444        | (5.2)  | 434        | (4.5)  | 448        | (6.9)  | 454        | (10.5) | 423        | (7.3)  |
|                 | Netherlands          | 515  | (11.5) | 547        | (3.7)  | 514        | (5.8)  | 493        | (12.2) | 493        | (19.8) | c          | c      |
|                 | New Zealand          | 571  | (3.9)  | 558        | (11.5) | 555        | (7.6)  | 554        | (7.2)  | 537        | (5.5)  | 524        | (8.9)  |
|                 | Norway               | c  | c      | 514        | (4.9)  | 527        | (3.9)  | 512        | (9.0)  | c          | c      | c          | c      |
|                 | Poland               | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Portugal             | c  | c      | 474        | (9.7)  | 516        | (2.8)  | 505        | (10.2) | c          | c      | 455        | (11.0) |
|                 | Slovak Republic      | 469  | (10.1) | 480        | (8.7)  | 486        | (4.2)  | 479        | (9.3)  | 419        | (15.2) | 418        | (14.2) |
|                 | Slovenia             | c  | c      | 481        | (4.8)  | 531        | (3.5)  | 531        | (4.4)  | 516        | (15.6) | 490        | (12.8) |
|                 | Spain                | 477  | (20.5) | 519        | (8.4)  | 510        | (2.5)  | 496        | (22.0) | c          | c      | c          | c      |
|                 | Sweden               | 497  | (19.3) | 558        | (6.8)  | 531        | (4.3)  | 529        | (10.7) | 524        | (18.5) | 494        | (7.7)  |
|                 | Switzerland          | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Turkey               | 456  | (13.2) | 440        | (5.0)  | 437        | (6.2)  | 427        | (14.4) | 455        | (11.9) | 410        | (5.2)  |
|                 | United Kingdom       | 515  | (9.5)  | 542        | (4.9)  | 551        | (4.8)  | 533        | (7.1)  | 514        | (11.1) | 460        | (10.1) |
|                 | United States        | 548  | (4.8)  | 505        | (13.9) | 527        | (12.2) | 537        | (7.6)  | 526        | (11.5) | 524        | (7.0)  |
| OECD average-32 | 504                  | (2.5)  | 517    | (1.3)      | 517    | (1.1)      | 502    | (2.2)      | 494    | (3.0)      | 466    | (2.2)      |        |
| OECD average-35 | m                    | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          |        |
| Partners        | Brazil               | 436  | (6.2)  | 442        | (4.3)  | 428        | (3.3)  | 394        | (9.3)  | 400        | (14.9) | 386        | (4.5)  |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 483  | (20.3) | 481        | (10.2) | 507        | (7.3)  | 518        | (6.0)  | 541        | (17.7) | 515        | (14.0) |
|                 | Bulgaria             | 434  | (16.2) | 501        | (14.8) | 475        | (4.6)  | 461        | (5.9)  | 442        | (15.4) | 440        | (8.1)  |
|                 | Colombia             | 417  | (15.9) | 445        | (3.2)  | 429        | (7.3)  | 420        | (15.9) | 395        | (15.6) | 392        | (5.5)  |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 417  | (9.4)  | 447        | (3.2)  | 419        | (11.5) | c          | c      | c          | c      | c          | c      |
|                 | Croatia              | c  | c      | 481        | (5.3)  | 491        | (3.7)  | c          | c      | c          | c      | c          | c      |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 458  | (12.0) | 469        | (5.2)  | 477        | (2.8)  | 438        | (5.5)  | 449        | (10.3) | 431        | (6.9)  |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 523  | (27.1) | 562        | (3.0)  | 543        | (18.0) | c          | c      | c          | c      | c          | c      |
|                 | Lithuania            | 474  | (8.8)  | 481        | (8.9)  | 487        | (3.0)  | 461        | (13.6) | 448        | (34.0) | 442        | (12.3) |
|                 | Macao (China)        | c  | c      | 559        | (3.0)  | 554        | (3.0)  | 492        | (18.3) | c          | c      | 497        | (15.5) |
|                 | Montenegro           | 442  | (9.7)  | 442        | (7.5)  | 442        | (2.5)  | 442        | (5.7)  | 409        | (11.6) | 405        | (4.1)  |
|                 | Peru                 | 435  | (14.0) | 438        | (3.5)  | 431        | (7.5)  | 409        | (14.8) | 371        | (15.4) | 370        | (5.6)  |
|                 | Qatar                | m  | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      | m          | m      |
|                 | Russia               | 492  | (14.5) | 506        | (12.8) | 498        | (6.7)  | 489        | (4.3)  | 451        | (15.6) | 436        | (9.5)  |
|                 | Singapore            | 556  | (12.8) | 582        | (3.1)  | 566        | (2.8)  | 590        | (7.2)  | 544        | (18.7) | c          | c      |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | c  | c      | 536        | (6.6)  | 544        | (4.3)  | 527        | (11.7) | c          | c      | 515        | (13.8) |
|                 | Thailand             | 436  | (8.3)  | 462        | (4.1)  | 435        | (8.3)  | 399        | (12.5) | c          | c      | 383        | (8.3)  |
|                 | Tunisia              | 404  | (5.9)  | 405        | (3.6)  | 378        | (3.6)  | 366        | (4.6)  | 385        | (8.7)  | 366        | (5.2)  |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 471  | (8.4)  | 468        | (4.8)  | 447        | (3.6)  | 460        | (9.2)  | 414        | (10.7) | 413        | (6.4)  |
|                 | Uruguay              | 450  | (5.3)  | 469        | (7.0)  | 460        | (3.6)  | 430        | (10.1) | 441        | (17.0) | 407        | (6.4)  |
|                 | Malaysia**           | 440  | (13.7) | 460        | (4.6)  | 446        | (5.0)  | 443        | (11.8) | 456        | (16.8) | 417        | (7.5)  |

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**Table V.6.7a Accessing the Internet/chat/social networks and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Percentage of students who reported accessing the Internet/chat/social networks before or after school on the most recent school day |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving |        |  |       | Difference (accessing - not accessing the Internet/chat/social networks)                 |        |  |        |  |       |   |       |  |      |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|--------|--|-------|--|--------|--|--------|--|-------|---|-------|--|------|
|                      |  |       |  |        |  |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving   |        |  |        | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup>             |       |   |       |  |      |
|                      |  |       |  |        | Students who reported not accessing the Internet/chat/social networks before or after school |       | Students who reported accessing the Internet/chat/social networks before or after school |        | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |        | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |      |
|                      |  |       |  |        | Mean score   | S.E.  | Mean score   | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E. |
| <b>OECD</b>          | %  | S.E.  | Mean score                                   | S.E.   | Mean score   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  |  |      |
| Australia            | 94.3   | (0.3) | 542  | (6.1)  | 536  | (2.0) | -6   | (6.3)  | <b>-14</b>   | (6.3)  | 5  | (4.9) | 3   | (4.8) |  |      |
| Austria              | 93.1   | (0.3) | 516  | (7.6)  | 512  | (2.7) | -5   | (7.6)  | -3   | (7.0)  | 6  | (5.6) | 5   | (5.5) |  |      |
| Belgium              | 95.2   | (0.3) | 497  | (5.3)  | 509  | (2.5) | <b>12</b>  | (5.2)  | 3  | (4.8)  | 6  | (3.6) | 4   | (3.5) |  |      |
| Canada               | 91.7   | (0.3) | 546  | (4.9)  | 539  | (2.2) | -7   | (4.5)  | <b>-13</b>   | (4.2)  | <b>15</b>  | (3.3) | <b>10</b>   | (3.2) |  |      |
| Chile                | 93.6   | (0.4) | 439  | (7.3)  | 462  | (2.9) | <b>23</b>  | (7.8)  | 10   | (7.6)  | 7  | (6.7) | 6   | (6.9) |  |      |
| Czech Republic       | 94.8   | (0.4) | 486  | (7.5)  | 504  | (2.2) | <b>18</b>  | (8.0)  | 13   | (7.7)  | <b>20</b>  | (7.1) | <b>19</b>   | (7.1) |  |      |
| Denmark              | 97.5   | (0.3) | 508  | (10.5) | 525  | (2.5) | 17   | (10.9) | 12   | (10.1) | <b>13</b>  | (6.5) | 13  | (6.5) |  |      |
| Estonia              | 94.0   | (0.4) | 526  | (7.8)  | 538  | (2.5) | 12   | (7.7)  | 2  | (6.7)  | 10   | (5.6) | 6   | (5.4) |  |      |
| Finland              | 96.8   | (0.2) | 513  | (10.9) | 538  | (2.4) | <b>25</b>  | (10.2) | 11   | (10.5) | 12   | (7.4) | 10  | (7.7) |  |      |
| France               | 88.3   | (0.5) | 512  | (5.1)  | 499  | (2.5) | <b>-13</b>   | (5.0)  | <b>-13</b>   | (4.5)  | 0  | (3.4) | -1  | (3.5) |  |      |
| Germany              | 92.6   | (0.5) | 526  | (8.4)  | 537  | (3.6) | 11   | (8.4)  | 14   | (8.0)  | <b>14</b>  | (6.6) | <b>16</b>   | (6.6) |  |      |
| Greece               | 93.1   | (0.4) | 459  | (7.0)  | 462  | (3.5) | 4  | (7.2)  | -2   | (6.8)  | -3   | (4.4) | -3  | (4.5) |  |      |
| Hungary              | 95.6   | (0.4) | 454  | (9.8)  | 478  | (2.5) | <b>24</b>  | (9.8)  | 7  | (8.0)  | 10   | (6.2) | 9   | (5.9) |  |      |
| Iceland              | 97.3   | (0.3) | 511  | (11.8) | 502  | (2.2) | -9   | (11.4) | -14  | (11.4) | 7  | (8.3) | 5   | (8.2) |  |      |
| Ireland              | 92.5   | (0.4) | m  | m      | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     |  |      |
| Israel               | 87.3   | (1.3) | 473  | (10.8) | 474  | (3.4) | 2  | (10.1) | -3   | (7.7)  | 5  | (4.9) | 3   | (4.8) |  |      |
| Italy                | 94.4   | (0.4) | 469  | (7.0)  | 482  | (2.6) | 12   | (7.2)  | 7  | (6.5)  | 3  | (5.0) | 2   | (4.8) |  |      |
| Japan                | 84.5   | (0.5) | 545  | (4.2)  | 555  | (2.7) | <b>10</b>  | (4.0)  | <b>9</b>   | (3.8)  | 1  | (3.6) | 2   | (3.5) |  |      |
| Korea                | 91.5   | (0.6) | 550  | (6.1)  | 538  | (2.5) | <b>-12</b>   | (5.5)  | -4   | (5.2)  | <b>11</b>  | (3.8) | <b>9</b>  | (3.8) |  |      |
| Latvia               | 95.1   | (0.4) | 472  | (7.4)  | 487  | (2.3) | <b>15</b>  | (7.3)  | 11   | (7.3)  | <b>16</b>  | (5.6) | <b>13</b>   | (5.6) |  |      |
| Luxembourg           | 93.4   | (0.3) | 499  | (6.8)  | 496  | (1.6) | -3   | (7.1)  | 1  | (6.4)  | 6  | (5.4) | 6   | (5.4) |  |      |
| Mexico               | 83.9   | (1.0) | 410  | (4.3)  | 443  | (2.6) | <b>33</b>  | (4.2)  | 3  | (4.2)  | <b>6</b>   | (3.1) | 1   | (3.3) |  |      |
| Netherlands          | 96.3   | (0.3) | 511  | (9.5)  | 522  | (2.4) | 10   | (9.4)  | 6  | (8.4)  | <b>13</b>  | (5.9) | 8   | (6.0) |  |      |
| New Zealand          | 93.0   | (0.4) | 545  | (7.5)  | 538  | (2.7) | -7   | (7.8)  | -10  | (6.8)  | <b>16</b>  | (5.4) | <b>15</b>   | (5.0) |  |      |
| Norway               | 98.0   | (0.2) | 470  | (12.7) | 508  | (2.5) | <b>38</b>  | (12.9) | <b>29</b>  | (12.8) | 11   | (9.5) | 9   | (9.7) |  |      |
| Poland               | 94.9   | (0.4) | m  | m      | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     |  |      |
| Portugal             | 94.6   | (0.3) | 497  | (7.2)  | 500  | (2.6) | 3  | (6.7)  | 0  | (6.5)  | 10   | (5.1) | <b>10</b>   | (4.9) |  |      |
| Slovak Republic      | 94.5   | (0.3) | 453  | (8.1)  | 469  | (2.4) | <b>16</b>  | (7.8)  | 3  | (7.2)  | 1  | (6.8) | 2   | (6.6) |  |      |
| Slovenia             | 82.5   | (0.6) | 513  | (4.4)  | 503  | (2.2) | <b>-10</b>   | (5.2)  | -8   | (5.1)  | 9  | (4.8) | 7   | (4.7) |  |      |
| Spain                | 94.6   | (0.3) | 478  | (6.0)  | 501  | (2.2) | <b>23</b>  | (5.7)  | <b>17</b>  | (5.6)  | 8  | (4.4) | 7   | (4.5) |  |      |
| Sweden               | 95.8   | (0.3) | 503  | (10.6) | 518  | (3.4) | 15   | (9.7)  | 5  | (8.0)  | -6   | (6.9) | -8  | (7.0) |  |      |
| Switzerland          | 93.5   | (0.5) | m  | m      | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     |  |      |
| Turkey               | 83.7   | (0.8) | 412  | (4.8)  | 426  | (3.6) | <b>14</b>  | (4.2)  | -5   | (4.0)  | 0  | (2.6) | 0   | (2.6) |  |      |
| United Kingdom       | 94.8   | (0.3) | 533  | (8.6)  | 523  | (2.7) | -10  | (8.1)  | -11  | (7.2)  | <b>16</b>  | (5.8) | <b>13</b>   | (5.5) |  |      |
| United States        | 92.1   | (0.4) | 557  | (6.5)  | 521  | (3.6) | <b>-35</b>   | (6.1)  | <b>-39</b>   | (5.8)  | -8   | (4.0) | <b>-10</b>  | (3.9) |  |      |
| OECD average-32      | 92.7   | (0.1) | 498  | (1.4)  | 505  | (0.5) | 7  | (1.4)  | 1  | (1.3)  | <b>8</b>   | (1.0) | <b>6</b>  | (1.0) |  |      |
| OECD average-35      | 92.8   | (0.1) | m  | m      | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     |  |      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |  |        |  |       |  |        |  |        |  |       |   |       |  |      |
| Brazil               | 89.8   | (0.4) | 388  | (4.2)  | 427  | (2.9) | <b>39</b>  | (4.1)  | <b>13</b>  | (3.7)  | <b>10</b>  | (3.8) | <b>7</b>  | (3.6) |  |      |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 74.0   | (1.3) | 514  | (5.6)  | 490  | (4.3) | <b>-23</b>   | (5.6)  | <b>-16</b>   | (4.2)  | <b>9</b>   | (3.0) | <b>11</b>   | (2.9) |  |      |
| Bulgaria             | 94.0   | (0.3) | 434  | (7.7)  | 457  | (3.7) | <b>23</b>  | (6.8)  | 4  | (5.6)  | 7  | (4.5) | 4   | (4.6) |  |      |
| Colombia             | 85.6   | (0.7) | 402  | (4.3)  | 438  | (2.3) | <b>36</b>  | (4.2)  | 7  | (3.8)  | <b>12</b>  | (2.9) | <b>7</b>  | (2.8) |  |      |
| Costa Rica           | 91.4   | (0.5) | 416  | (5.3)  | 443  | (2.8) | <b>26</b>  | (5.0)  | 6  | (5.7)  | -3   | (5.1) | -4  | (5.5) |  |      |
| Croatia              | 96.9   | (0.2) | 459  | (8.6)  | 475  | (2.5) | 17   | (8.6)  | 14   | (7.8)  | <b>12</b>  | (5.5) | 10  | (5.5) |  |      |
| Cyprus*              | 93.9   | (0.4) | 424  | (6.3)  | 451  | (2.0) | <b>27</b>  | (6.3)  | <b>16</b>  | (5.9)  | 5  | (5.4) | 4   | (5.3) |  |      |
| Dominican Republic   | 82.4   | (0.9) | m  | m      | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     |  |      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 97.3   | (0.2) | 518  | (10.2) | 543  | (2.9) | <b>25</b>  | (10.3) | 16   | (9.9)  | 11   | (8.6) | 6   | (8.6) |  |      |
| Lithuania            | 95.5   | (0.3) | 442  | (8.3)  | 472  | (2.3) | <b>30</b>  | (7.9)  | <b>18</b>  | (7.3)  | <b>13</b>  | (5.3) | <b>11</b>   | (5.1) |  |      |
| Macao (China)        | 98.0   | (0.2) | 518  | (11.2) | 535  | (1.3) | 17   | (11.5) | 12   | (11.3) | 13   | (9.0) | 12  | (8.9) |  |      |
| Montenegro           | 91.6   | (0.4) | 418  | (4.9)  | 422  | (1.5) | 4  | (5.2)  | 0  | (5.0)  | 6  | (4.6) | 5   | (4.6) |  |      |
| Peru                 | 75.1   | (0.9) | 412  | (3.6)  | 440  | (3.0) | <b>28</b>  | (3.8)  | -2   | (3.0)  | <b>5</b>   | (2.3) | 1   | (2.3) |  |      |
| Qatar                | 90.8   | (0.3) | m  | m      | m  | m     | m  | m      | m  | m      | m  | m     | m   | m     |  |      |
| Russia               | 95.7   | (0.3) | 466  | (8.8)  | 477  | (3.4) | 11   | (8.7)  | -3   | (8.8)  | 6  | (6.4) | 2   | (6.6) |  |      |
| Singapore            | 93.6   | (0.3) | 572  | (6.0)  | 561  | (1.3) | -10  | (6.5)  | -12  | (6.7)  | 8  | (4.7) | 6   | (4.6) |  |      |
| Chinese Taipei       | 91.1   | (0.4) | 542  | (5.1)  | 525  | (2.6) | <b>-16</b>   | (5.4)  | -2   | (4.7)  | <b>12</b>  | (4.2) | <b>13</b>   | (4.2) |  |      |
| Thailand             | 95.0   | (0.3) | 409  | (5.7)  | 439  | (3.6) | <b>30</b>  | (6.2)  | 6  | (5.5)  | 6  | (4.2) | 2   | (4.2) |  |      |
| Tunisia              | 84.6   | (0.8) | 377  | (3.3)  | 388  | (2.3) | <b>10</b>  | (3.6)  | -4   | (3.4)  | 2  | (2.8) | -2  | (2.9) |  |      |
| United Arab Emirates | 93.7   | (0.3) | 433  | (6.4)  | 440  | (2.5) | 7  | (5.7)  | -4   | (4.7)  | <b>9</b>   | (3.8) | 7   | (3.8) |  |      |
| Uruguay              | 94.4   | (0.4) | 419  | (6.7)  | 451  | (2.7) | <b>33</b>  | (7.3)  | <b>14</b>  | (6.9)  | 7  | (5.1) | 7   | (5.1) |  |      |
| Malaysia**           | 87.2   | (0.7) | 441  | (6.8)  | 441  | (3.3) | 0  | (6.2)  | -4   | (4.8)  | 7  | (3.3) | 7   | (3.4) |  |      |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. Whether students reported accessing the Internet, chat, or social networks outside of school was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.7c Meeting friends/talking to friends on the phone and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Percentage of students who reported meeting friends or talking to friends on the phone before or after school on the most recent school day |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            |   |            | Difference (meeting/talking to friends – not meeting/talking to friends)           |            |  |            |  |            |   |       |
|----------------------|---|------------|--|------------|---|------------|--|------------|--|------------|--|------------|---|-------|
|                      |   |            |  |            |   |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving                                       |            |  |            | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup>             |            | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup>              |       |
|                      |   |            |  |            | Students who reported neither meeting friends nor talking to friends before or after school |            | Students who reported meeting friends or talking to friends before or after school |            | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |            | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |            | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       |
| %                    | S.E.  | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.  | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.  |       |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |            |  |            |   |            |  |            |  |            |  |            |   |       |
| Australia            | 76.0  | (0.5)      | 563  | (3.5)      | 527   | (2.1)      | -36  | (3.9)      | -36  | (3.8)      | -2   | (3.5)      | -3  | (3.5) |
| Austria              | 80.4  | (0.7)      | 540  | (3.6)      | 505   | (2.9)      | -34  | (3.8)      | -24  | (3.7)      | -4   | (2.8)      | -5  | (2.8) |
| Belgium              | 81.4  | (0.5)      | 534  | (3.4)      | 503   | (2.6)      | -31  | (3.6)      | -26  | (3.4)      | -5   | (2.7)      | -6  | (2.6) |
| Canada               | 79.8  | (0.4)      | 563  | (3.7)      | 534   | (2.3)      | -29  | (3.7)      | -33  | (3.7)      | 3  | (3.5)      | 1   | (3.5) |
| Chile                | 76.7  | (0.6)      | 478  | (4.1)      | 456   | (3.1)      | -22  | (4.2)      | -22  | (4.0)      | -1   | (3.8)      | -2  | (3.8) |
| Czech Republic       | 85.5  | (0.5)      | 520  | (3.9)      | 500   | (2.3)      | -20  | (4.4)      | -15  | (4.3)      | 0  | (4.0)      | 0   | (4.1) |
| Denmark              | 78.6  | (0.6)      | 540  | (3.9)      | 520   | (2.6)      | -20  | (4.1)      | -23  | (3.9)      | 3  | (3.0)      | 3   | (2.9) |
| Estonia              | 80.5  | (0.7)      | 554  | (4.5)      | 533   | (2.5)      | -22  | (4.4)      | -22  | (4.3)      | 2  | (3.6)      | 2   | (3.6) |
| Finland              | 83.0  | (0.5)      | 555  | (4.9)      | 533   | (2.6)      | -21  | (4.8)      | -21  | (4.5)      | 1  | (3.1)      | 2   | (3.2) |
| France               | 83.2  | (0.5)      | 515  | (4.1)      | 498   | (2.6)      | -17  | (4.0)      | -16  | (3.9)      | 0  | (3.0)      | -2  | (3.0) |
| Germany              | 78.5  | (0.9)      | 550  | (5.1)      | 532   | (3.6)      | -18  | (4.7)      | -9   | (4.0)      | 3  | (3.6)      | 5   | (3.4) |
| Greece               | 88.6  | (0.5)      | 480  | (6.0)      | 460   | (3.4)      | -20  | (5.6)      | -13  | (4.8)      | 1  | (3.8)      | 0   | (3.7) |
| Hungary              | 88.9  | (0.5)      | 504  | (5.2)      | 474   | (2.6)      | -31  | (5.1)      | -20  | (4.8)      | -2   | (3.7)      | -2  | (3.6) |
| Iceland              | 82.9  | (0.7)      | 526  | (4.7)      | 498   | (2.4)      | -27  | (5.0)      | -29  | (5.0)      | -5   | (3.9)      | -4  | (4.0) |
| Ireland              | 81.2  | (0.6)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Israel               | 91.9  | (0.4)      | 470  | (7.2)      | 475   | (3.7)      | 5  | (6.8)      | -3   | (6.1)      | 2  | (4.4)      | 0   | (4.3) |
| Italy                | 93.4  | (0.4)      | 483  | (5.9)      | 481   | (2.6)      | -2   | (5.7)      | -2   | (5.1)      | 6  | (3.8)      | 3   | (3.9) |
| Japan                | 73.7  | (0.6)      | 578  | (3.0)      | 545   | (2.7)      | -34  | (3.0)      | -25  | (2.7)      | -3   | (2.1)      | -3  | (2.2) |
| Korea                | 76.3  | (0.8)      | 562  | (3.3)      | 531   | (2.6)      | -31  | (3.1)      | -25  | (2.8)      | 2  | (2.3)      | 1   | (2.1) |
| Latvia               | 88.8  | (0.5)      | 501  | (4.8)      | 484   | (2.3)      | -17  | (5.0)      | -16  | (4.8)      | 1  | (4.0)      | 1   | (3.9) |
| Luxembourg           | 83.6  | (0.6)      | 519  | (4.1)      | 492   | (1.6)      | -27  | (4.5)      | -17  | (3.9)      | 3  | (3.2)      | 2   | (3.1) |
| Mexico               | 66.2  | (0.7)      | 442  | (3.5)      | 436   | (2.8)      | -6   | (3.1)      | -12  | (2.9)      | -1   | (2.2)      | -2  | (2.3) |
| Netherlands          | 82.1  | (0.6)      | 546  | (4.7)      | 516   | (2.5)      | -30  | (4.6)      | -23  | (4.5)      | -3   | (3.3)      | -4  | (3.4) |
| New Zealand          | 73.6  | (0.8)      | 564  | (4.3)      | 529   | (2.8)      | -35  | (4.7)      | -33  | (4.3)      | 2  | (3.9)      | 1   | (3.9) |
| Norway               | 86.1  | (0.6)      | 530  | (5.5)      | 504   | (2.7)      | -26  | (6.1)      | -30  | (5.9)      | -6   | (5.3)      | -6  | (5.5) |
| Poland               | 87.4  | (0.5)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Portugal             | 85.7  | (0.6)      | 522  | (3.6)      | 496   | (2.7)      | -26  | (3.4)      | -27  | (3.3)      | 0  | (2.8)      | -1  | (2.8) |
| Slovak Republic      | 90.7  | (0.4)      | 478  | (6.1)      | 467   | (2.3)      | -11  | (5.6)      | -8   | (5.0)      | -2   | (4.8)      | -1  | (4.5) |
| Slovenia             | 62.3  | (0.7)      | 516  | (3.1)      | 499   | (2.7)      | -17  | (4.5)      | -11  | (4.4)      | 9  | (4.3)      | 7   | (4.3) |
| Spain                | 77.3  | (0.7)      | 520  | (3.2)      | 493   | (2.3)      | -27  | (3.0)      | -21  | (2.9)      | -1   | (2.1)      | -2  | (2.0) |
| Sweden               | 81.4  | (0.7)      | 539  | (4.8)      | 513   | (3.5)      | -26  | (4.1)      | -30  | (3.6)      | -1   | (2.9)      | -3  | (2.8) |
| Switzerland          | 80.5  | (0.7)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Turkey               | 83.9  | (0.7)      | 427  | (4.9)      | 423   | (3.5)      | -4   | (3.9)      | -11  | (3.4)      | -3   | (2.6)      | -3  | (2.4) |
| United Kingdom       | 82.5  | (0.6)      | 562  | (4.4)      | 516   | (2.7)      | -46  | (3.8)      | -39  | (3.8)      | -1   | (3.0)      | -1  | (2.9) |
| United States        | 85.5  | (0.5)      | 557  | (5.8)      | 519   | (3.5)      | -38  | (5.0)      | -40  | (4.5)      | -6   | (4.0)      | -7  | (3.8) |
| OECD average-32      | 81.5  | (0.1)      | 523  | (0.8)      | 500   | (0.5)      | -23  | (0.8)      | -21  | (0.7)      | 0  | (0.6)      | -1  | (0.6) |
| OECD average-35      | 81.7  | (0.1)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |            |  |            |   |            |  |            |  |            |  |            |   |       |
| Brazil               | 84.3  | (0.5)      | 424  | (4.1)      | 423   | (2.9)      | -1   | (3.5)      | -8   | (3.3)      | 0  | (3.1)      | -2  | (3.0) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 69.2  | (1.0)      | 515  | (4.6)      | 488   | (4.3)      | -27  | (4.0)      | -18  | (3.1)      | 4  | (2.7)      | 6   | (2.8) |
| Bulgaria             | 91.1  | (0.5)      | 464  | (7.9)      | 455   | (3.7)      | -9   | (6.9)      | -11  | (5.7)      | 3  | (5.0)      | 2   | (5.0) |
| Colombia             | 70.5  | (0.6)      | 442  | (3.1)      | 429   | (2.5)      | -13  | (2.9)      | -16  | (2.5)      | 0  | (2.2)      | -1  | (2.0) |
| Costa Rica           | 84.2  | (0.5)      | 452  | (5.0)      | 438   | (2.8)      | -13  | (4.6)      | -16  | (4.1)      | -6   | (3.6)      | -6  | (3.6) |
| Croatia              | 82.9  | (0.5)      | 489  | (4.0)      | 472   | (2.6)      | -17  | (4.1)      | -13  | (3.7)      | 5  | (3.5)      | 4   | (3.4) |
| Cyprus*              | 91.4  | (0.4)      | 442  | (5.8)      | 450   | (2.0)      | 8  | (6.1)      | 5  | (5.5)      | 9  | (4.3)      | 8   | (4.3) |
| Dominican Republic   | 81.9  | (0.7)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 82.8  | (0.5)      | 557  | (4.6)      | 539   | (2.9)      | -18  | (4.1)      | -15  | (4.1)      | 0  | (3.4)      | 2   | (3.4) |
| Lithuania            | 91.1  | (0.4)      | 490  | (5.3)      | 469   | (2.4)      | -21  | (5.0)      | -18  | (4.4)      | 1  | (3.4)      | 2   | (3.3) |
| Macao (China)        | 85.5  | (0.6)      | 554  | (4.0)      | 531   | (1.4)      | -23  | (4.4)      | -24  | (4.4)      | 0  | (3.5)      | 1   | (3.5) |
| Montenegro           | 91.1  | (0.4)      | 418  | (5.6)      | 423   | (1.5)      | 5  | (6.1)      | -1   | (5.8)      | 4  | (5.1)      | 3   | (5.0) |
| Peru                 | 67.2  | (0.8)      | 451  | (3.4)      | 425   | (2.8)      | -26  | (2.8)      | -24  | (2.6)      | -6   | (2.0)      | -7  | (2.0) |
| Qatar                | 86.6  | (0.4)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Russia               | 90.0  | (0.5)      | 502  | (6.4)      | 474   | (3.5)      | -28  | (6.3)      | -24  | (5.6)      | -2   | (4.8)      | -2  | (4.7) |
| Singapore            | 75.9  | (0.7)      | 582  | (3.1)      | 555   | (1.7)      | -27  | (4.0)      | -23  | (3.5)      | 0  | (2.7)      | 1   | (2.7) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 74.7  | (0.6)      | 551  | (3.3)      | 519   | (2.6)      | -32  | (3.0)      | -20  | (2.6)      | 4  | (2.3)      | 6   | (2.2) |
| Thailand             | 85.4  | (0.6)      | 466  | (5.0)      | 433   | (3.5)      | -34  | (4.1)      | -34  | (3.8)      | -9   | (3.3)      | -11   | (3.1) |
| Tunisia              | 88.3  | (0.5)      | 390  | (3.7)      | 386   | (2.2)      | -4   | (3.6)      | -8   | (3.5)      | -3   | (3.0)      | -4  | (3.0) |
| United Arab Emirates | 88.4  | (0.4)      | 467  | (4.5)      | 437   | (2.5)      | -30  | (3.8)      | -25  | (3.6)      | -2   | (3.1)      | -2  | (3.0) |
| Uruguay              | 85.1  | (0.5)      | 449  | (4.9)      | 450   | (2.7)      | 0  | (4.9)      | -8   | (4.6)      | 1  | (3.5)      | 0   | (3.4) |
| Malaysia**           | 82.3  | (0.7)      | 455  | (4.4)      | 438   | (3.4)      | -17  | (3.8)      | -12  | (3.4)      | 7  | (2.7)      | 7   | (2.7) |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. Whether students reported meeting friends or talking to friends outside of school was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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**Table V.6.9a** Skipping a whole day of school and performance in collaborative problem solving

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Percentage of students who reported that they had skipped a whole day of school at least once in the two weeks prior to the PISA test |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            |   |            | Difference (skipped – had not skipped)   |            |  |            |   |            |  |        |
|----------------------|---|------------|--|------------|---|------------|--|------------|--|------------|---|------------|--|--------|
|                      |   |            |  |            |   |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving   |            |  |            | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup>              |            |  |        |
|                      |   |            | Had not skipped a whole day of school        |            | Had skipped a whole day of school at least once |            | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |            | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |            | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |            | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |        |
| %                    | S.E.  | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.  | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.  | Score dif. | S.E.   |        |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |            |  |            |   |            |  |            |  |            |   |            |  |        |
| Australia            | 29.0  | (0.6)      | 542  | (2.0)      | 517   | (3.1)      | <b>-25</b>   | (3.2)      | <b>-21</b>   | (3.2)      | 2   | (2.6)      | 1  | (2.6)  |
| Austria              | 10.9  | (0.5)      | 515  | (2.6)      | 479   | (5.5)      | <b>-36</b>   | (5.9)      | <b>-29</b>   | (5.8)      | <b>-11</b>  | (4.3)      | <b>-10</b>   | (4.1)  |
| Belgium              | 7.1   | (0.3)      | 511  | (2.3)      | 452   | (5.8)      | <b>-59</b>   | (5.7)      | <b>-34</b>   | (4.6)      | -7  | (3.9)      | -5   | (3.8)  |
| Canada               | 17.8  | (0.5)      | 544  | (2.3)      | 511   | (3.7)      | <b>-33</b>   | (3.7)      | <b>-28</b>   | (3.5)      | 0   | (3.0)      | -1   | (3.0)  |
| Chile                | 9.3   | (0.6)      | 463  | (2.8)      | 421   | (5.2)      | <b>-42</b>   | (5.6)      | <b>-33</b>   | (5.2)      | -6  | (3.9)      | -5   | (3.8)  |
| Czech Republic       | 8.1   | (0.4)      | 505  | (2.0)      | 465   | (6.0)      | <b>-40</b>   | (5.4)      | <b>-29</b>   | (4.9)      | -7  | (4.4)      | -7   | (4.3)  |
| Denmark              | 17.0  | (0.6)      | 529  | (2.5)      | 497   | (4.4)      | <b>-32</b>   | (4.3)      | <b>-26</b>   | (4.1)      | 6   | (3.8)      | 7  | (3.7)  |
| Estonia              | 23.0  | (0.8)      | 545  | (2.6)      | 509   | (3.8)      | <b>-35</b>   | (3.6)      | <b>-28</b>   | (3.5)      | -3  | (2.9)      | -3   | (2.9)  |
| Finland              | 36.6  | (0.9)      | 542  | (2.9)      | 525   | (3.4)      | <b>-18</b>   | (3.7)      | <b>-16</b>   | (3.4)      | 1   | (2.8)      | 0  | (2.8)  |
| France               | 10.8  | (0.6)      | 506  | (2.5)      | 445   | (5.4)      | <b>-61</b>   | (6.0)      | <b>-32</b>   | (5.3)      | -5  | (4.2)      | -2   | (4.2)  |
| Germany              | 8.9   | (0.4)      | 540  | (2.9)      | 497   | (7.0)      | <b>-43</b>   | (7.0)      | <b>-32</b>   | (6.0)      | -3  | (5.2)      | -3   | (5.2)  |
| Greece               | 19.6  | (0.8)      | 469  | (3.3)      | 425   | (5.0)      | <b>-44</b>   | (4.0)      | <b>-33</b>   | (3.7)      | -5  | (2.8)      | -3   | (2.9)  |
| Hungary              | 8.4   | (0.5)      | 478  | (2.4)      | 423   | (5.9)      | <b>-55</b>   | (5.8)      | <b>-23</b>   | (5.5)      | -2  | (4.4)      | 0  | (4.4)  |
| Iceland              | 4.5   | (0.4)      | 504  | (2.3)      | 452   | (9.8)      | <b>-52</b>   | (9.8)      | <b>-45</b>   | (9.7)      | 7   | (7.0)      | 7  | (7.0)  |
| Ireland              | 24.4  | (0.8)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m      |
| Israel               | 32.7  | (0.9)      | 475  | (4.0)      | 467   | (4.3)      | -8   | (4.0)      | -7   | (3.3)      | 3   | (2.9)      | 3  | (2.8)  |
| Italy                | 55.2  | (0.8)      | 493  | (2.8)      | 469   | (3.1)      | <b>-23</b>   | (3.3)      | <b>-14</b>   | (3.0)      | 0   | (2.6)      | 1  | (2.5)  |
| Japan                | 1.8   | (0.2)      | 554  | (2.6)      | 485   | (13.9)     | <b>-68</b>   | (13.6)     | <b>-46</b>   | (13.5)     | -7  | (10.3)     | -5   | (10.2) |
| Korea                | 1.9   | (0.2)      | 540  | (2.5)      | 460   | (10.6)     | <b>-80</b>   | (10.8)     | <b>-61</b>   | (10.0)     | -6  | (7.8)      | -4   | (7.8)  |
| Latvia               | 24.7  | (0.7)      | 496  | (2.4)      | 457   | (3.1)      | <b>-39</b>   | (3.4)      | <b>-31</b>   | (3.1)      | -2  | (2.4)      | -1   | (2.3)  |
| Luxembourg           | 11.4  | (0.4)      | 501  | (1.6)      | 449   | (4.0)      | <b>-52</b>   | (4.2)      | <b>-35</b>   | (4.0)      | -7  | (2.9)      | <b>-6</b>  | (2.9)  |
| Mexico               | 25.8  | (0.8)      | 440  | (2.6)      | 419   | (3.6)      | <b>-21</b>   | (3.5)      | <b>-18</b>   | (3.2)      | 1   | (3.3)      | 2  | (3.3)  |
| Netherlands          | 5.3   | (0.3)      | 524  | (2.4)      | 468   | (6.9)      | <b>-57</b>   | (6.8)      | <b>-42</b>   | (6.6)      | -4  | (6.2)      | -4   | (6.0)  |
| New Zealand          | 25.0  | (0.7)      | 545  | (2.7)      | 510   | (4.1)      | <b>-35</b>   | (4.2)      | <b>-26</b>   | (4.0)      | -1  | (3.0)      | -1   | (3.0)  |
| Norway               | 13.5  | (0.5)      | 510  | (2.5)      | 474   | (4.5)      | <b>-36</b>   | (4.3)      | <b>-34</b>   | (4.1)      | 2   | (3.5)      | 3  | (3.4)  |
| Poland               | 20.3  | (0.9)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m      |
| Portugal             | 20.8  | (0.7)      | 506  | (2.5)      | 474   | (4.2)      | <b>-32</b>   | (3.6)      | <b>-26</b>   | (3.3)      | 1   | (3.0)      | 1  | (2.9)  |
| Slovak Republic      | 51.1  | (1.0)      | 476  | (2.8)      | 458   | (3.1)      | <b>-19</b>   | (3.4)      | <b>-13</b>   | (3.1)      | 1   | (2.6)      | 0  | (2.6)  |
| Slovenia             | 12.4  | (0.5)      | 511  | (1.8)      | 446   | (4.4)      | <b>-66</b>   | (4.6)      | <b>-42</b>   | (4.4)      | <b>-9</b>   | (3.5)      | <b>-7</b>  | (3.5)  |
| Spain                | 24.7  | (0.7)      | 504  | (2.3)      | 480   | (3.3)      | <b>-25</b>   | (3.1)      | <b>-20</b>   | (3.0)      | 2   | (2.4)      | 2  | (2.3)  |
| Sweden               | 9.0   | (0.5)      | 519  | (3.4)      | 470   | (5.1)      | <b>-49</b>   | (5.3)      | <b>-41</b>   | (4.9)      | 3   | (3.6)      | 2  | (3.6)  |
| Switzerland          | 9.6   | (0.6)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m      |
| Turkey               | 47.0  | (0.9)      | 423  | (3.8)      | 423   | (3.8)      | 0  | (3.0)      | -3   | (2.2)      | <b>-4</b>   | (1.7)      | -2   | (1.6)  |
| United Kingdom       | 25.5  | (0.6)      | 529  | (2.7)      | 502   | (4.5)      | <b>-27</b>   | (4.4)      | <b>-20</b>   | (3.7)      | 1   | (2.7)      | 0  | (2.7)  |
| United States        | 37.2  | (0.8)      | 533  | (3.6)      | 507   | (4.2)      | <b>-27</b>   | (3.3)      | <b>-22</b>   | (3.2)      | -1  | (2.2)      | -1   | (2.1)  |
| OECD average-32      | 19.9  | (0.1)      | 509  | (0.5)      | 470   | (1.0)      | <b>-39</b>   | (1.0)      | <b>-29</b>   | (0.9)      | <b>-2</b>   | (0.7)      | <b>-1</b>  | (0.7)  |
| OECD average-35      | 19.7  | (0.1)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |            |  |            |   |            |  |            |  |            |   |            |  |        |
| Brazil               | 48.0  | (0.6)      | 423  | (2.9)      | 417   | (2.7)      | <b>-7</b>  | (2.7)      | <b>-4</b>  | (2.6)      | 1   | (2.3)      | 1  | (2.2)  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 2.3   | (0.2)      | 498  | (4.0)      | 425   | (9.8)      | <b>-73</b>   | (9.9)      | <b>-39</b>   | (8.8)      | 9   | (7.5)      | <b>14</b>  | (7.0)  |
| Bulgaria             | 44.7  | (0.9)      | 462  | (3.8)      | 435   | (4.2)      | <b>-26</b>   | (3.7)      | <b>-15</b>   | (2.6)      | -1  | (1.8)      | -1   | (1.8)  |
| Colombia             | 43.8  | (0.8)      | 437  | (2.7)      | 422   | (2.5)      | <b>-15</b>   | (2.6)      | <b>-12</b>   | (2.4)      | 1   | (1.8)      | 1  | (1.8)  |
| Costa Rica           | 39.1  | (0.9)      | 445  | (2.7)      | 429   | (3.3)      | <b>-16</b>   | (3.1)      | <b>-11</b>   | (2.6)      | 1   | (2.1)      | 0  | (2.1)  |
| Croatia              | 12.3  | (0.6)      | 481  | (2.5)      | 426   | (4.4)      | <b>-54</b>   | (4.3)      | <b>-39</b>   | (4.0)      | -5  | (2.8)      | -4   | (2.8)  |
| Cyprus*              | 23.4  | (0.6)      | 455  | (2.1)      | 421   | (2.9)      | <b>-34</b>   | (3.4)      | <b>-31</b>   | (3.3)      | -1  | (3.3)      | 2  | (3.3)  |
| Dominican Republic   | 51.4  | (0.9)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 3.5   | (0.2)      | 543  | (3.0)      | 497   | (10.1)     | <b>-46</b>   | (10.3)     | <b>-38</b>   | (10.0)     | 4   | (7.1)      | 8  | (6.7)  |
| Lithuania            | 22.3  | (0.7)      | 480  | (2.5)      | 434   | (3.7)      | <b>-45</b>   | (3.6)      | <b>-33</b>   | (3.4)      | -2  | (2.3)      | -1   | (2.3)  |
| Macao (China)        | 6.4   | (0.4)      | 537  | (1.2)      | 490   | (6.6)      | <b>-47</b>   | (6.6)      | <b>-48</b>   | (6.5)      | -8  | (4.9)      | -5   | (4.9)  |
| Montenegro           | 59.6  | (0.8)      | 423  | (2.1)      | 418   | (1.7)      | -5   | (2.6)      | -5   | (2.5)      | 1   | (2.5)      | 1  | (2.4)  |
| Peru                 | 40.0  | (0.8)      | 423  | (2.8)      | 420   | (3.0)      | -3   | (2.9)      | <b>-9</b>  | (2.6)      | 2   | (2.1)      | 1  | (2.1)  |
| Qatar                | 40.3  | (0.5)      | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m          | m  | m      |
| Russia               | 23.2  | (0.7)      | 477  | (3.6)      | 470   | (5.1)      | -7   | (4.9)      | -8   | (4.5)      | 2   | (3.6)      | 1  | (3.4)  |
| Singapore            | 14.3  | (0.5)      | 565  | (1.3)      | 543   | (4.1)      | <b>-22</b>   | (4.5)      | <b>-18</b>   | (4.3)      | -1  | (3.0)      | -1   | (3.1)  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 3.2   | (0.2)      | 530  | (2.5)      | 438   | (7.6)      | <b>-92</b>   | (7.6)      | <b>-65</b>   | (7.5)      | -5  | (6.4)      | -2   | (6.2)  |
| Thailand             | 31.4  | (0.9)      | 445  | (3.7)      | 420   | (3.6)      | <b>-25</b>   | (3.0)      | <b>-18</b>   | (2.8)      | -3  | (1.8)      | -1   | (1.8)  |
| Tunisia              | 31.0  | (0.9)      | 389  | (2.3)      | 371   | (2.4)      | <b>-18</b>   | (2.6)      | <b>-13</b>   | (2.2)      | -3  | (2.0)      | -1   | (1.9)  |
| United Arab Emirates | 21.0  | (0.7)      | 438  | (2.8)      | 441   | (4.6)      | 3  | (5.1)      | -2   | (4.5)      | 4   | (3.6)      | 3  | (3.5)  |
| Uruguay              | 51.5  | (0.8)      | 448  | (3.0)      | 446   | (2.6)      | -2   | (3.2)      | <b>8</b>   | (2.8)      | <b>9</b>  | (2.6)      | <b>9</b>   | (2.4)  |
| Malaysia**           | 12.4  | (0.7)      | 442  | (3.3)      | 425   | (6.1)      | <b>-17</b>   | (5.4)      | <b>-18</b>   | (4.5)      | 1   | (3.6)      | 2  | (3.4)  |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. Whether students reported having skipped a full day of school in the two weeks prior to the PISA test was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

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**Table V.6.9b** Skipping some classes and performance in collaborative problem solving

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Percentage of students who reported that they had skipped class at least once in the two weeks prior to the PISA test |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving |            | Difference (skipped at least once – had not skipped) |            |                                 |            |  |            |  |            |   |       |
|----------------------|---|------------|--|------------|--|------------|---------------------------------|------------|--|------------|--|------------|---|-------|
|                      |   |            |  |            | Performance in collaborative problem solving         |            |                                 |            | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup>                           |            |  |            |   |       |
|                      |   |            |  |            | Had not skipped any classes                          |            | Had skipped class at least once |            | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |            | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |            | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       |
| %                    | S.E.  | Mean score | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.                            | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.  |       |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |            |  |            |  |            |                                 |            |  |            |  |            |   |       |
| Australia            | 16.0  | (0.4)      | 541  | (1.9)      | 503  | (4.1)      | <b>-38</b>                      | (4.1)      | <b>-32</b>   | (4.0)      | -1   | (3.1)      | -1  | (3.1) |
| Austria              | 17.2  | (0.7)      | 515  | (2.6)      | 495  | (4.5)      | <b>-20</b>                      | (4.5)      | <b>-22</b>   | (4.1)      | <b>-9</b>  | (3.4)      | <b>-8</b>   | (3.2) |
| Belgium              | 11.7  | (0.6)      | 513  | (2.3)      | 460  | (4.9)      | <b>-53</b>                      | (4.9)      | <b>-32</b>   | (4.0)      | -6   | (3.3)      | -4  | (3.2) |
| Canada               | 26.5  | (0.7)      | 546  | (2.3)      | 517  | (3.2)      | <b>-29</b>                      | (2.8)      | <b>-25</b>   | (2.7)      | 4  | (1.9)      | 3   | (1.9) |
| Chile                | 18.7  | (0.8)      | 464  | (2.9)      | 438  | (4.1)      | <b>-27</b>                      | (4.5)      | <b>-22</b>   | (4.1)      | <b>-8</b>  | (3.6)      | <b>-7</b>   | (3.6) |
| Czech Republic       | 9.6   | (0.5)      | 504  | (2.0)      | 480  | (5.5)      | <b>-25</b>                      | (5.2)      | <b>-20</b>   | (5.0)      | -5   | (4.1)      | -5  | (4.0) |
| Denmark              | 24.0  | (0.8)      | 530  | (2.6)      | 502  | (4.0)      | <b>-28</b>                      | (3.9)      | <b>-27</b>   | (3.7)      | 2  | (3.0)      | 1   | (3.0) |
| Estonia              | 34.9  | (0.8)      | 549  | (2.8)      | 513  | (3.2)      | <b>-37</b>                      | (3.2)      | <b>-32</b>   | (3.2)      | -5   | (2.6)      | -3  | (2.6) |
| Finland              | 48.2  | (0.9)      | 539  | (3.1)      | 532  | (3.0)      | <b>-7</b>                       | (3.4)      | <b>-10</b>   | (3.2)      | 2  | (2.6)      | 0   | (2.6) |
| France               | 24.8  | (0.8)      | 509  | (2.6)      | 470  | (3.9)      | <b>-39</b>                      | (4.3)      | <b>-23</b>   | (3.7)      | -3   | (2.7)      | -2  | (2.7) |
| Germany              | 15.7  | (0.7)      | 540  | (2.8)      | 514  | (6.1)      | <b>-26</b>                      | (5.9)      | <b>-29</b>   | (4.6)      | -5   | (4.0)      | -5  | (3.9) |
| Greece               | 45.3  | (1.4)      | 475  | (3.5)      | 442  | (4.4)      | <b>-34</b>                      | (4.0)      | <b>-22</b>   | (3.2)      | -3   | (2.3)      | -1  | (2.3) |
| Hungary              | 17.7  | (0.8)      | 482  | (2.6)      | 433  | (4.7)      | <b>-49</b>                      | (5.2)      | <b>-22</b>   | (4.1)      | 1  | (3.1)      | 2   | (3.0) |
| Iceland              | 18.5  | (0.7)      | 510  | (2.5)      | 466  | (4.7)      | <b>-44</b>                      | (5.3)      | <b>-40</b>   | (5.3)      | 1  | (4.2)      | 2   | (4.2) |
| Ireland              | 23.1  | (0.8)      | m  | m          | m  | m          | m                               | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Israel               | 38.0  | (1.1)      | 469  | (4.0)      | 479  | (4.7)      | <b>11</b>                       | (5.1)      | <b>3</b>   | (4.1)      | <b>6</b>   | (2.5)      | <b>7</b>  | (2.5) |
| Italy                | 40.9  | (0.7)      | 492  | (2.7)      | 463  | (3.5)      | <b>-29</b>                      | (3.6)      | <b>-23</b>   | (3.3)      | <b>-7</b>  | (3.1)      | <b>-5</b>   | (3.1) |
| Japan                | 3.1   | (0.3)      | 554  | (2.6)      | 503  | (9.3)      | <b>-51</b>                      | (9.2)      | <b>-30</b>   | (8.7)      | 7  | (7.0)      | 7   | (6.9) |
| Korea                | 2.6   | (0.3)      | 541  | (2.5)      | 464  | (8.9)      | <b>-77</b>                      | (9.1)      | <b>-57</b>   | (8.4)      | -5   | (5.7)      | -3  | (5.7) |
| Latvia               | 39.1  | (0.9)      | 495  | (2.4)      | 473  | (3.1)      | <b>-22</b>                      | (3.2)      | <b>-20</b>   | (3.1)      | -1   | (2.8)      | 0   | (2.8) |
| Luxembourg           | 15.3  | (0.5)      | 500  | (1.6)      | 463  | (4.1)      | <b>-38</b>                      | (4.2)      | <b>-33</b>   | (4.0)      | -6   | (3.4)      | -5  | (3.3) |
| Mexico               | 24.9  | (0.8)      | 436  | (2.7)      | 431  | (3.5)      | -5                              | (3.5)      | <b>-9</b>  | (2.9)      | 2  | (2.4)      | 1   | (2.5) |
| Netherlands          | 18.9  | (0.8)      | 526  | (2.7)      | 499  | (4.4)      | <b>-28</b>                      | (5.1)      | <b>-23</b>   | (4.2)      | -4   | (3.5)      | -2  | (3.5) |
| New Zealand          | 22.6  | (0.7)      | 545  | (2.7)      | 508  | (4.4)      | <b>-38</b>                      | (4.8)      | <b>-31</b>   | (4.4)      | 2  | (3.2)      | 0   | (3.1) |
| Norway               | 19.7  | (0.7)      | 512  | (2.6)      | 479  | (4.6)      | <b>-33</b>                      | (4.6)      | <b>-32</b>   | (4.6)      | 3  | (4.1)      | 3   | (4.1) |
| Poland               | 37.4  | (1.2)      | m  | m          | m  | m          | m                               | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Portugal             | 32.9  | (0.7)      | 509  | (2.6)      | 481  | (3.6)      | <b>-28</b>                      | (3.1)      | <b>-22</b>   | (2.8)      | -1   | (2.8)      | 0   | (2.7) |
| Slovak Republic      | 49.7  | (0.8)      | 478  | (2.7)      | 456  | (3.1)      | <b>-22</b>                      | (3.4)      | <b>-18</b>   | (2.9)      | 2  | (2.4)      | 2   | (2.4) |
| Slovenia             | 29.1  | (0.8)      | 515  | (2.1)      | 475  | (3.2)      | <b>-40</b>                      | (3.5)      | <b>-22</b>   | (3.2)      | -3   | (2.8)      | 0   | (2.8) |
| Spain                | 33.5  | (0.9)      | 503  | (2.5)      | 490  | (2.8)      | <b>-12</b>                      | (3.1)      | <b>-12</b>   | (2.9)      | 3  | (2.3)      | 3   | (2.2) |
| Sweden               | 16.3  | (0.7)      | 522  | (3.3)      | 476  | (5.1)      | <b>-46</b>                      | (4.6)      | <b>-41</b>   | (4.5)      | -2   | (3.7)      | -3  | (3.6) |
| Switzerland          | 17.3  | (0.8)      | m  | m          | m  | m          | m                               | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Turkey               | 44.6  | (1.0)      | 423  | (3.8)      | 424  | (3.9)      | 1                               | (3.4)      | -1   | (2.4)      | -4   | (2.3)      | -3  | (2.1) |
| United Kingdom       | 33.9  | (0.8)      | 526  | (2.9)      | 514  | (3.6)      | <b>-12</b>                      | (3.5)      | <b>-14</b>   | (3.4)      | 1  | (3.0)      | 0   | (2.9) |
| United States        | 42.2  | (1.1)      | 531  | (3.8)      | 514  | (4.4)      | <b>-17</b>                      | (4.0)      | <b>-16</b>   | (3.7)      | 2  | (3.2)      | 1   | (3.0) |
| OECD average-32      | 26.1  | (0.1)      | 509  | (0.5)      | 480  | (0.8)      | <b>-29</b>                      | (0.8)      | <b>-24</b>   | (0.7)      | <b>-1</b>  | (0.6)      | <b>-1</b>   | (0.6) |
| OECD average-35      | 26.1  | (0.1)      | m  | m          | m  | m          | m                               | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |            |  |            |  |            |                                 |            |  |            |  |            |   |       |
| Brazil               | 46.0  | (0.6)      | 433  | (2.6)      | 405  | (2.6)      | <b>-28</b>                      | (2.2)      | <b>-21</b>   | (2.1)      | 0  | (1.7)      | 0   | (1.7) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 10.1  | (0.5)      | 502  | (3.9)      | 449  | (6.0)      | <b>-53</b>                      | (5.4)      | <b>-32</b>   | (4.8)      | -4   | (3.5)      | -1  | (3.5) |
| Bulgaria             | 47.5  | (1.2)      | 468  | (4.0)      | 431  | (4.0)      | <b>-37</b>                      | (4.1)      | <b>-18</b>   | (3.0)      | -1   | (2.3)      | 0   | (2.3) |
| Colombia             | 45.5  | (0.8)      | 435  | (2.5)      | 425  | (2.8)      | <b>-9</b>                       | (2.8)      | <b>-8</b>  | (2.7)      | 4  | (2.3)      | 4   | (2.3) |
| Costa Rica           | 43.3  | (0.9)      | 444  | (2.8)      | 433  | (3.3)      | <b>-11</b>                      | (3.3)      | <b>-8</b>  | (3.0)      | -1   | (2.7)      | -1  | (2.6) |
| Croatia              | 24.5  | (0.8)      | 483  | (2.5)      | 447  | (3.8)      | <b>-35</b>                      | (3.5)      | <b>-25</b>   | (3.1)      | <b>-4</b>  | (2.1)      | -2  | (2.1) |
| Cyprus*              | 39.3  | (0.7)      | 462  | (2.1)      | 425  | (2.7)      | <b>-37</b>                      | (3.2)      | <b>-26</b>   | (3.1)      | 0  | (3.0)      | 1   | (3.1) |
| Dominican Republic   | 55.5  | (1.1)      | m  | m          | m  | m          | m                               | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 5.2   | (0.3)      | 544  | (2.9)      | 507  | (8.2)      | <b>-37</b>                      | (7.9)      | <b>-33</b>   | (7.2)      | -3   | (4.8)      | 0   | (4.6) |
| Lithuania            | 40.4  | (0.9)      | 481  | (2.3)      | 452  | (3.2)      | <b>-29</b>                      | (3.0)      | <b>-24</b>   | (2.9)      | -2   | (1.8)      | -1  | (1.8) |
| Macao (China)        | 9.4   | (0.4)      | 537  | (1.3)      | 505  | (5.7)      | <b>-32</b>                      | (5.9)      | <b>-33</b>   | (5.8)      | <b>-8</b>  | (4.1)      | -6  | (4.0) |
| Montenegro           | 54.9  | (0.7)      | 429  | (1.9)      | 412  | (1.9)      | <b>-17</b>                      | (2.8)      | <b>-15</b>   | (2.7)      | 0  | (2.6)      | 1   | (2.6) |
| Peru                 | 41.1  | (0.7)      | 427  | (2.8)      | 414  | (3.2)      | <b>-12</b>                      | (3.1)      | <b>-14</b>   | (2.7)      | -1   | (2.0)      | -2  | (2.1) |
| Qatar                | 34.8  | (0.4)      | m  | m          | m  | m          | m                               | m          | m  | m          | m  | m          | m   | m     |
| Russia               | 38.6  | (1.2)      | 481  | (3.3)      | 466  | (4.6)      | <b>-15</b>                      | (3.8)      | <b>-17</b>   | (3.3)      | 0  | (3.1)      | -1  | (2.9) |
| Singapore            | 13.5  | (0.5)      | 563  | (1.3)      | 556  | (3.9)      | -7                              | (4.4)      | <b>-9</b>  | (4.0)      | -5   | (3.2)      | -4  | (3.2) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 10.6  | (0.5)      | 532  | (2.4)      | 479  | (5.6)      | <b>-53</b>                      | (5.1)      | <b>-39</b>   | (4.1)      | -1   | (3.7)      | 3   | (3.5) |
| Thailand             | 41.9  | (1.1)      | 438  | (3.5)      | 436  | (4.6)      | -1                              | (4.1)      | -2   | (3.0)      | 1  | (2.3)      | 2   | (2.0) |
| Tunisia              | 42.4  | (0.9)      | 386  | (2.4)      | 382  | (2.2)      | -4                              | (2.5)      | -4   | (2.4)      | -3   | (2.0)      | -1  | (1.9) |
| United Arab Emirates | 33.1  | (0.7)      | 444  | (2.9)      | 428  | (3.0)      | <b>-16</b>                      | (3.2)      | <b>-11</b>   | (3.1)      | -1   | (2.5)      | 0   | (2.5) |
| Uruguay              | 40.3  | (0.9)      | 455  | (2.6)      | 436  | (3.2)      | <b>-20</b>                      | (3.8)      | <b>-13</b>   | (3.5)      | 1  | (2.8)      | 1   | (2.8) |
| Malaysia**           | 22.9  | (0.9)      | 441  | (3.3)      | 438  | (4.6)      | -3                              | (3.7)      | -4   | (3.0)      | 3  | (2.2)      | 4   | (2.0) |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. Whether students reported having skipped class at least once in the two weeks prior to the PISA test was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.9c Arriving late for school and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Percentage of students who reported that they had arrived late for school at least once in the two weeks prior to the PISA test |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving |       | Difference (had arrived late at least once – had not arrived late) |   |            |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |
|----------------------|---|-------|--|-------|--|---|------------|-------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|
|                      |   |       |  |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving                       |   |            |       | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup>                           |       |  |       |   |       |
|                      |   |       |  |       |  |   |            |       | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |       | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       |
|                      |   |       |  |       | Had not arrived late   | Had arrived late for school at least once | Score dif. | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  |
|                      | %   | S.E.  | Mean score                                   | S.E.  | Mean score   | S.E.                                      | Score dif. | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |  |       |  |   |            |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |
| Australia            | 41.0  | (0.6) | 548  | (2.2) | 517  | (2.5)                                     | -31        | (2.9) | -25  | (2.8) | -4   | (2.3) | -4  | (2.3) |
| Austria              | 35.2  | (1.0) | 520  | (2.9) | 496  | (3.5)                                     | -24        | (3.9) | -21  | (3.6) | -6   | (2.7) | -4  | (2.6) |
| Belgium              | 51.5  | (0.9) | 527  | (2.6) | 488  | (2.9)                                     | -40        | (2.9) | -27  | (2.4) | -5   | (1.8) | -3  | (1.8) |
| Canada               | 47.7  | (0.8) | 552  | (2.4) | 523  | (2.6)                                     | -29        | (2.5) | -24  | (2.4) | 0  | (2.1) | 2   | (2.1) |
| Chile                | 66.7  | (0.9) | 474  | (3.8) | 452  | (2.5)                                     | -22        | (3.1) | -16  | (2.7) | -2   | (2.0) | -1  | (1.9) |
| Czech Republic       | 52.0  | (0.9) | 516  | (2.3) | 489  | (2.9)                                     | -28        | (3.2) | -19  | (2.8) | -4   | (2.1) | -2  | (2.1) |
| Denmark              | 47.6  | (0.9) | 529  | (2.7) | 517  | (3.2)                                     | -13        | (3.2) | -11  | (3.1) | -1   | (2.4) | 1   | (2.3) |
| Estonia              | 42.9  | (0.9) | 543  | (2.8) | 528  | (3.3)                                     | -16        | (3.6) | -16  | (3.5) | 1  | (2.9) | 3   | (2.9) |
| Finland              | 36.2  | (0.9) | 546  | (2.7) | 519  | (3.6)                                     | -27        | (3.6) | -23  | (3.3) | -3   | (2.6) | 1   | (2.6) |
| France               | 52.6  | (0.9) | 521  | (2.7) | 479  | (2.9)                                     | -42        | (3.3) | -27  | (2.8) | -5   | (2.4) | -4  | (2.3) |
| Germany              | 40.1  | (1.0) | 547  | (3.2) | 519  | (3.7)                                     | -28        | (3.9) | -23  | (3.2) | -4   | (2.5) | -2  | (2.4) |
| Greece               | 54.2  | (0.8) | 465  | (3.6) | 457  | (3.9)                                     | -8         | (3.0) | -8   | (2.8) | 1  | (2.1) | 2   | (2.1) |
| Hungary              | 35.8  | (0.9) | 486  | (2.9) | 452  | (3.2)                                     | -34        | (3.9) | -14  | (3.3) | -1   | (2.7) | 0   | (2.6) |
| Iceland              | 50.0  | (1.0) | 513  | (3.1) | 490  | (2.7)                                     | -22        | (3.8) | -20  | (3.8) | -3   | (2.6) | -1  | (2.6) |
| Ireland              | 31.1  | (0.9) | m  | m     | m  | m   | m          | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     |
| Israel               | 57.9  | (1.1) | 478  | (4.4) | 469  | (3.9)                                     | -9         | (3.9) | -2   | (3.4) | 3  | (2.1) | 4   | (2.0) |
| Italy                | 36.2  | (0.9) | 489  | (2.5) | 464  | (3.6)                                     | -25        | (3.3) | -17  | (2.9) | -1   | (2.2) | 1   | (2.1) |
| Japan                | 11.7  | (0.6) | 555  | (2.7) | 534  | (5.7)                                     | -21        | (5.6) | -10  | (4.8) | 4  | (4.0) | 7   | (4.1) |
| Korea                | 19.4  | (1.0) | 546  | (2.6) | 509  | (3.7)                                     | -37        | (3.4) | -28  | (3.0) | -1   | (2.3) | -1  | (2.2) |
| Latvia               | 53.1  | (1.0) | 489  | (2.8) | 485  | (2.8)                                     | -4         | (3.4) | -7   | (3.0) | 1  | (2.4) | 2   | (2.5) |
| Luxembourg           | 54.3  | (0.7) | 509  | (2.0) | 482  | (2.3)                                     | -28        | (3.1) | -24  | (2.8) | -5   | (2.6) | -3  | (2.5) |
| Mexico               | 48.9  | (0.9) | 437  | (3.1) | 432  | (2.7)                                     | -5         | (3.0) | -7   | (2.6) | 3  | (2.0) | 3   | (2.0) |
| Netherlands          | 51.0  | (0.8) | 542  | (2.8) | 501  | (2.9)                                     | -40        | (3.0) | -23  | (2.5) | -4   | (2.1) | -2  | (2.2) |
| New Zealand          | 45.3  | (1.0) | 552  | (3.3) | 519  | (2.6)                                     | -33        | (3.6) | -25  | (3.3) | 2  | (2.4) | 2   | (2.4) |
| Norway               | 47.0  | (0.9) | 518  | (2.8) | 491  | (2.9)                                     | -27        | (2.9) | -25  | (3.0) | -2   | (2.8) | 0   | (2.9) |
| Poland               | 56.5  | (1.2) | m  | m     | m  | m   | m          | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     |
| Portugal             | 45.6  | (1.0) | 501  | (2.6) | 497  | (3.5)                                     | -4         | (3.0) | -8   | (3.0) | 5  | (1.9) | 6   | (1.8) |
| Slovak Republic      | 37.2  | (0.9) | 480  | (2.5) | 446  | (3.1)                                     | -33        | (3.1) | -21  | (3.0) | -3   | (2.6) | -1  | (2.6) |
| Slovenia             | 49.5  | (0.9) | 512  | (2.6) | 495  | (2.6)                                     | -17        | (3.7) | -12  | (3.2) | -3   | (2.9) | -2  | (2.8) |
| Spain                | 42.0  | (0.9) | 505  | (2.6) | 489  | (2.6)                                     | -16        | (2.9) | -16  | (2.7) | 1  | (2.1) | 2   | (2.1) |
| Sweden               | 54.5  | (0.8) | 529  | (3.6) | 501  | (3.6)                                     | -27        | (3.1) | -23  | (2.9) | -4   | (2.1) | -2  | (2.1) |
| Switzerland          | 45.8  | (1.1) | m  | m     | m  | m   | m          | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     |
| Turkey               | 48.2  | (1.2) | 428  | (4.1) | 418  | (3.6)                                     | -9         | (3.6) | -6   | (2.7) | 0  | (2.1) | 1   | (2.0) |
| United Kingdom       | 32.9  | (0.9) | 530  | (3.0) | 506  | (3.5)                                     | -24        | (3.5) | -22  | (3.2) | 1  | (3.0) | 3   | (3.0) |
| United States        | 34.8  | (1.1) | 536  | (3.5) | 500  | (4.6)                                     | -37        | (3.9) | -28  | (3.9) | -1   | (2.7) | 0   | (2.7) |
| OECD average-32      | 44.5  | (0.2) | 513  | (0.5) | 489  | (0.6)                                     | -24        | (0.6) | -18  | (0.6) | -1   | (0.4) | 0   | (0.4) |
| OECD average-35      | 44.5  | (0.2) | m  | m     | m  | m   | m          | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |  |       |  |   |            |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |
| Brazil               | 39.9  | (0.7) | 422  | (2.7) | 419  | (2.9)                                     | -3         | (2.9) | -4   | (2.7) | 4  | (2.5) | 4   | (2.5) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 39.8  | (1.1) | 512  | (4.4) | 472  | (3.9)                                     | -40        | (4.0) | -19  | (3.1) | -5   | (2.3) | -2  | (2.3) |
| Bulgaria             | 55.7  | (1.0) | 466  | (4.0) | 438  | (3.8)                                     | -28        | (3.3) | -11  | (2.7) | 0  | (2.3) | 1   | (2.2) |
| Colombia             | 42.9  | (0.9) | 429  | (2.8) | 434  | (2.5)                                     | 5          | (2.9) | 1  | (2.3) | 7  | (1.8) | 7   | (1.8) |
| Costa Rica           | 53.7  | (1.0) | 440  | (3.1) | 438  | (3.3)                                     | -1         | (3.8) | -4   | (3.5) | 0  | (2.7) | 0   | (2.7) |
| Croatia              | 42.6  | (0.9) | 481  | (2.7) | 465  | (3.1)                                     | -16        | (2.9) | -14  | (2.6) | -2   | (1.8) | 0   | (1.7) |
| Cyprus*              | 57.3  | (0.7) | 456  | (2.2) | 441  | (2.3)                                     | -15        | (2.7) | -13  | (2.7) | 0  | (2.4) | 1   | (2.4) |
| Dominican Republic   | 41.5  | (1.1) | m  | m     | m  | m   | m          | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 24.5  | (0.7) | 549  | (3.0) | 520  | (4.2)                                     | -29        | (3.8) | -21  | (3.5) | -2   | (2.7) | 1   | (2.7) |
| Lithuania            | 47.8  | (0.8) | 476  | (2.5) | 463  | (3.3)                                     | -14        | (3.3) | -14  | (3.2) | -1   | (2.2) | 1   | (2.2) |
| Macao (China)        | 29.1  | (0.6) | 543  | (1.5) | 511  | (2.7)                                     | -32        | (3.3) | -30  | (3.3) | -4   | (2.4) | -3  | (2.4) |
| Montenegro           | 63.4  | (0.8) | 429  | (2.2) | 415  | (1.6)                                     | -14        | (2.7) | -13  | (2.5) | -1   | (1.9) | 0   | (1.8) |
| Peru                 | 59.7  | (0.9) | 427  | (3.3) | 419  | (2.7)                                     | -9         | (3.1) | -9   | (2.4) | -3   | (2.0) | -3  | (1.9) |
| Qatar                | 46.8  | (0.4) | m  | m     | m  | m   | m          | m     | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     |
| Russia               | 55.5  | (1.4) | 479  | (3.5) | 473  | (4.2)                                     | -7         | (3.7) | -7   | (3.4) | 6  | (2.9) | 5   | (2.8) |
| Singapore            | 23.9  | (0.6) | 574  | (1.5) | 524  | (2.9)                                     | -50        | (3.5) | -38  | (3.3) | -7   | (2.5) | -6  | (2.3) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 33.8  | (0.8) | 534  | (2.6) | 512  | (3.2)                                     | -22        | (3.0) | -17  | (2.6) | 0  | (2.2) | 2   | (2.2) |
| Thailand             | 36.1  | (1.0) | 443  | (3.5) | 426  | (3.9)                                     | -17        | (2.7) | -13  | (2.5) | -3   | (1.8) | -2  | (1.8) |
| Tunisia              | 74.4  | (0.8) | 386  | (2.8) | 383  | (2.0)                                     | -3         | (2.4) | -5   | (2.3) | -1   | (2.0) | -1  | (2.0) |
| United Arab Emirates | 43.5  | (0.7) | 451  | (3.1) | 422  | (2.6)                                     | -29        | (3.1) | -23  | (3.0) | 2  | (2.3) | 2   | (2.3) |
| Uruguay              | 65.0  | (0.9) | 453  | (3.1) | 444  | (2.5)                                     | -9         | (3.2) | -5   | (2.9) | 4  | (2.2) | 5   | (2.2) |
| Malaysia**           | 34.5  | (0.9) | 444  | (3.6) | 433  | (3.5)                                     | -10        | (3.1) | -6   | (2.7) | 3  | (2.3) | 4   | (2.3) |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. Whether students reported having arrived late for school at least once in the two weeks prior to the PISA test was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.12a Attendance at pre-primary school and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Percentage of students who had attended pre-primary school (supervision and care; early childhood education development; or pre-primary education) |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving |        |            |       | Difference (had attended – had not attended) |        |            |        |  |        |  |        |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|--------|------------|-------|--|--------|------------|--------|--|--------|--|--------|
|                      |  |       |  |        |            |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving |        |            |        | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>2</sup>                           |        |  |        |
|                      |  |       |  |        |            |       |  |        |            |        | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup> |        | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |        |
|                      | %  | S.E.  | Mean score                                   | S.E.   | Mean score | S.E.  | Score dif.                                   | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |       |  |        |            |       |  |        |            |        |  |        |  |        |
| Australia            | 97.8   | (0.2) | 515  | (12.6) | 537        | (2.0) | 21   | (12.8) | -2         | (12.1) | -5   | (9.9)  | -5   | (9.6)  |
| Austria              | 98.7   | (0.2) | 479  | (16.9) | 512        | (2.7) | 33   | (17.0) | 8          | (16.1) | 3  | (13.2) | 5  | (13.1) |
| Belgium              | 98.9   | (0.2) | 439  | (12.7) | 504        | (2.4) | <b>64</b>                                    | (12.8) | <b>28</b>  | (12.0) | -5   | (10.1) | -6   | (10.2) |
| Canada               | 97.4   | (0.2) | 543  | (9.6)  | 538        | (2.4) | -4   | (9.6)  | -14        | (9.3)  | <b>-17</b>   | (6.9)  | <b>-19</b>   | (6.7)  |
| Chile                | 96.8   | (0.4) | 430  | (10.0) | 462        | (2.7) | <b>32</b>                                    | (10.1) | 5          | (9.9)  | 0  | (8.2)  | -2   | (8.3)  |
| Czech Republic       | 98.2   | (0.3) | 465  | (12.6) | 501        | (2.2) | <b>36</b>                                    | (13.0) | 14         | (11.8) | 6  | (10.4) | 6  | (10.5) |
| Denmark              | 99.4   | (0.1) | 487  | (24.7) | 519        | (2.5) | 32   | (25.0) | 14         | (24.2) | 3  | (20.6) | -1   | (20.3) |
| Estonia              | 94.7   | (0.5) | 537  | (8.3)  | 539        | (2.6) | 3  | (7.8)  | -15        | (7.8)  | 2  | (6.0)  | 1  | (6.1)  |
| Finland              | 98.3   | (0.2) | 502  | (17.9) | 538        | (2.6) | 36   | (18.3) | 25         | (16.5) | -2   | (12.3) | 0  | (12.0) |
| France               | 99.2   | (0.1) | 439  | (23.5) | 499        | (2.5) | <b>60</b>                                    | (23.1) | 20         | (21.9) | -4   | (17.8) | -1   | (17.9) |
| Germany              | 98.7   | (0.2) | 497  | (15.9) | 535        | (2.9) | <b>39</b>                                    | (15.9) | 23         | (15.7) | -1   | (14.3) | -5   | (14.2) |
| Greece               | 97.9   | (0.4) | 397  | (13.2) | 463        | (3.5) | <b>66</b>                                    | (13.7) | <b>32</b>  | (12.6) | 14   | (11.1) | 9  | (10.9) |
| Hungary              | 99.8   | (0.1) | c  | c      | 474        | (2.5) | c  | c      | c          | c      | c  | c      | c  | c      |
| Iceland              | 98.3   | (0.3) | 473  | (22.4) | 499        | (2.5) | 26   | (22.3) | 14         | (22.7) | -7   | (12.2) | -4   | (11.7) |
| Ireland              | 92.9   | (0.4) | m  | m      | m          | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Israel               | 99.1   | (0.3) | 382  | (22.0) | 472        | (3.5) | <b>90</b>                                    | (21.8) | 16         | (20.6) | 3  | (15.3) | 0  | (16.1) |
| Italy                | 98.3   | (0.2) | 460  | (15.7) | 480        | (2.6) | 20   | (15.5) | 16         | (15.3) | 5  | (14.8) | 6  | (14.1) |
| Japan                | 99.6   | (0.1) | c  | c      | 556        | (2.6) | c  | c      | c          | c      | c  | c      | c  | c      |
| Korea                | 97.2   | (0.3) | 545  | (9.1)  | 541        | (2.6) | -4   | (9.0)  | -12        | (8.8)  | -6   | (6.8)  | -7   | (6.6)  |
| Latvia               | 94.6   | (0.5) | 492  | (9.8)  | 482        | (2.5) | -10  | (10.1) | -11        | (9.5)  | 6  | (7.5)  | 6  | (7.4)  |
| Luxembourg           | 97.4   | (0.2) | 463  | (11.3) | 495        | (1.6) | <b>32</b>                                    | (11.2) | 13         | (10.2) | -7   | (8.1)  | -7   | (8.2)  |
| Mexico               | 98.3   | (0.2) | 407  | (9.9)  | 434        | (2.5) | <b>27</b>                                    | (10.2) | 1          | (11.0) | 7  | (8.0)  | 2  | (7.9)  |
| Netherlands          | m  | m     | m  | m      | m          | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| New Zealand          | 96.2   | (0.3) | 514  | (10.8) | 537        | (2.9) | <b>23</b>                                    | (11.5) | 17         | (10.7) | 5  | (9.0)  | 7  | (8.6)  |
| Norway               | 94.1   | (0.4) | 469  | (7.9)  | 506        | (2.6) | <b>37</b>                                    | (7.9)  | <b>20</b>  | (7.9)  | <b>11</b>  | (5.1)  | <b>11</b>  | (5.2)  |
| Poland               | 82.7   | (1.3) | m  | m      | m          | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Portugal             | 94.0   | (0.4) | 485  | (9.0)  | 501        | (2.6) | 16   | (8.6)  | -2         | (8.6)  | -3   | (6.6)  | -3   | (6.6)  |
| Slovak Republic      | 96.2   | (0.3) | 440  | (10.0) | 466        | (2.5) | <b>26</b>                                    | (10.0) | -15        | (10.9) | -18  | (9.4)  | -17  | (9.4)  |
| Slovenia             | 86.4   | (0.5) | 491  | (5.1)  | 504        | (2.2) | <b>14</b>                                    | (6.2)  | -3         | (5.7)  | 3  | (4.9)  | 3  | (5.1)  |
| Spain                | 99.0   | (0.1) | 450  | (15.2) | 498        | (2.2) | <b>49</b>                                    | (15.1) | <b>31</b>  | (15.2) | 14   | (13.6) | 15   | (13.5) |
| Sweden               | 96.3   | (0.4) | 454  | (11.9) | 516        | (3.6) | <b>62</b>                                    | (11.9) | <b>33</b>  | (10.7) | -4   | (7.1)  | -1   | (7.0)  |
| Switzerland          | 98.7   | (0.2) | m  | m      | m          | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Turkey               | 50.5   | (1.3) | 422  | (3.8)  | 430        | (4.4) | 8  | (4.4)  | -7         | (3.6)  | 0  | (2.9)  | -2   | (3.2)  |
| United Kingdom       | 98.4   | (0.2) | 516  | (13.9) | 524        | (2.8) | 8  | (13.5) | -14        | (11.9) | <b>-23</b>   | (11.0) | <b>-27</b>   | (10.4) |
| United States        | 81.8   | (0.8) | 530  | (5.6)  | 520        | (3.7) | -10  | (5.5)  | <b>-23</b> | (5.3)  | <b>-11</b>   | (4.5)  | <b>-12</b>   | (4.3)  |
| OECD average-32      | 95.2   | (0.1) | 473  | (2.6)  | 503        | (0.5) | <b>29</b>                                    | (2.6)  | <b>7</b>   | (2.5)  | -1   | (2.0)  | -2   | (2.0)  |
| OECD average-35      | 94.9   | (0.1) | m  | m      | m          | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |       |  |        |            |       |  |        |            |        |  |        |  |        |
| Brazil               | 97.2   | (0.2) | 408  | (6.3)  | 414        | (2.4) | 6  | (6.3)  | -6         | (6.1)  | 1  | (5.8)  | -1   | (5.6)  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 82.9   | (1.3) | 446  | (6.1)  | 507        | (4.2) | <b>61</b>                                    | (6.9)  | <b>16</b>  | (5.3)  | 3  | (4.0)  | 1  | (4.1)  |
| Bulgaria             | 94.0   | (0.4) | 457  | (8.2)  | 445        | (3.7) | -11  | (7.1)  | <b>-15</b> | (5.6)  | -2   | (4.8)  | -3   | (4.6)  |
| Colombia             | 96.7   | (0.4) | 428  | (7.8)  | 430        | (2.4) | 1  | (8.0)  | <b>-20</b> | (6.6)  | -5   | (6.4)  | -11  | (6.3)  |
| Costa Rica           | 90.9   | (0.4) | 434  | (5.5)  | 443        | (2.5) | 9  | (5.4)  | -5         | (5.0)  | 3  | (4.6)  | 2  | (4.5)  |
| Croatia              | 80.3   | (0.9) | 467  | (4.0)  | 474        | (2.7) | 6  | (3.9)  | <b>-9</b>  | (3.6)  | 4  | (2.7)  | 4  | (2.9)  |
| Cyprus*              | 98.3   | (0.2) | 440  | (14.2) | 448        | (2.1) | 9  | (13.7) | -5         | (13.0) | -13  | (10.7) | -12  | (10.6) |
| Dominican Republic   | 96.3   | (0.4) | m  | m      | m          | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 99.0   | (0.2) | 460  | (17.3) | 546        | (3.2) | <b>85</b>                                    | (16.8) | <b>72</b>  | (16.6) | 18   | (12.2) | 18   | (11.8) |
| Lithuania            | 76.5   | (1.0) | 461  | (3.5)  | 469        | (2.9) | 8  | (4.3)  | <b>-17</b> | (4.0)  | -1   | (2.5)  | -3   | (2.7)  |
| Macao (China)        | 99.5   | (0.1) | c  | c      | 538        | (1.5) | c  | c      | c          | c      | c  | c      | c  | c      |
| Montenegro           | 73.0   | (0.6) | 413  | (2.8)  | 418        | (1.7) | 6  | (3.4)  | <b>-8</b>  | (3.3)  | 4  | (2.6)  | 3  | (2.7)  |
| Peru                 | 95.4   | (0.4) | 375  | (6.4)  | 421        | (2.5) | <b>46</b>                                    | (6.8)  | 2          | (6.3)  | 9  | (5.6)  | 3  | (5.5)  |
| Qatar                | 86.1   | (0.3) | m  | m      | m          | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      | m  | m      | m  | m      |
| Russia               | 86.0   | (1.2) | 452  | (7.6)  | 477        | (3.6) | <b>25</b>                                    | (7.7)  | 1          | (7.4)  | <b>12</b>  | (5.7)  | 4  | (5.8)  |
| Singapore            | 98.9   | (0.2) | 514  | (17.0) | 566        | (1.7) | <b>52</b>                                    | (17.0) | 31         | (17.4) | -2   | (9.5)  | -3   | (9.5)  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 98.2   | (0.2) | 503  | (13.5) | 532        | (2.7) | <b>29</b>                                    | (13.2) | 14         | (10.7) | 10   | (9.8)  | 8  | (9.8)  |
| Thailand             | 99.4   | (0.1) | 410  | (17.0) | 438        | (3.4) | 28   | (16.8) | 28         | (16.5) | 5  | (12.7) | 7  | (12.3) |
| Tunisia              | 91.3   | (0.7) | 377  | (4.1)  | 384        | (2.1) | 7  | (3.9)  | <b>-14</b> | (4.1)  | 1  | (3.6)  | <b>-7</b>  | (3.3)  |
| United Arab Emirates | 92.8   | (0.3) | 429  | (5.9)  | 440        | (2.7) | 11   | (5.8)  | -5         | (5.4)  | 7  | (4.9)  | 4  | (4.6)  |
| Uruguay              | 99.2   | (0.2) | 448  | (14.1) | 445        | (2.4) | -3   | (14.2) | -27        | (14.1) | <b>-19</b>   | (9.8)  | <b>-21</b>   | (10.0) |
| Malaysia**           | 96.3   | (0.4) | 427  | (7.7)  | 442        | (3.3) | 15   | (7.6)  | -10        | (7.0)  | 0  | (5.5)  | -2   | (5.3)  |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. Whether students attended pre-primary school was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Results on attendance to pre-primary school can differ from data published in Volume II due to the wider definition of pre-primary school used here.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.12b Attendance at pre-primary school and performance in collaborative problem solving, by socio-economic status**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | PISA index of economic, social, and cultural status (ESCS) |        |   |        | Percentage of students who had attended pre-primary school (supervision and care; early childhood education development; or pre-primary education) |       |   |       | Difference between students who had attended pre-primary school and those who had not |        |   |        |  |        |   |        |
|----------------------|--|--------|---|--------|--|-------|---|-------|---|--------|---|--------|--|--------|---|--------|
|                      |  |        |   |        |  |       |   |       | Performance in collaborative problem solving  |        |   |        | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>1</sup> |        |   |        |
|                      | Disadvantaged students (bottom quarter of ESCS)            |        | Advantaged students (top quarter of ESCS) |        | Disadvantaged students (bottom quarter of ESCS)  |       | Advantaged students (top quarter of ESCS) |       | Disadvantaged students (bottom quarter of ESCS)                                       |        | Advantaged students (top quarter of ESCS) |        | Disadvantaged students (bottom quarter of ESCS)                    |        | Advantaged students (top quarter of ESCS) |        |
|                      | Mean index   | S.E.   | Mean index                                | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.   | Score dif.                                | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif.                                | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |        |   |        |  |       |   |       |   |        |   |        |  |        |   |        |
| Australia            | -0.81  | (0.02) | 1.18                                      | (0.01) | 96.2   | (0.5) | 98.4                                      | (0.3) | 27  | (18.3) | 8   | (23.0) | 2  | (12.4) | -12                                       | (15.0) |
| Austria              | -0.97  | (0.03) | 1.21                                      | (0.02) | 97.8   | (0.5) | 99.1                                      | (0.3) | 3   | (21.3) | c   | c      | -2   | (17.2) | c   | c      |
| Belgium              | -1.05  | (0.03) | 1.25                                      | (0.02) | 97.7   | (0.5) | 99.6                                      | (0.1) | <b>43</b>   | (16.4) | c   | c      | -10  | (14.1) | c   | c      |
| Canada               | -0.58  | (0.02) | 1.46                                      | (0.01) | 96.7   | (0.4) | 97.5                                      | (0.3) | -20   | (12.9) | 0   | (19.0) | <b>-23</b>   | (9.0)  | -10                                       | (12.8) |
| Chile                | -1.86  | (0.04) | 0.96                                      | (0.03) | 93.4   | (1.1) | 98.8                                      | (0.2) | 11  | (11.9) | c   | c      | 2  | (9.0)  | c   | c      |
| Czech Republic       | -1.19  | (0.02) | 0.85                                      | (0.02) | 96.9   | (0.6) | 98.5                                      | (0.4) | 27  | (16.0) | c   | c      | -4   | (15.1) | c   | c      |
| Denmark              | -0.64  | (0.03) | 1.53                                      | (0.01) | 99.0   | (0.2) | 99.5                                      | (0.2) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Estonia              | -0.96  | (0.02) | 1.01                                      | (0.01) | 91.5   | (1.0) | 96.9                                      | (0.6) | -7  | (16.2) | 0   | (17.0) | -4   | (9.2)  | 6   | (12.7) |
| Finland              | -0.73  | (0.02) | 1.17                                      | (0.02) | 96.8   | (0.6) | 98.5                                      | (0.4) | 43  | (22.7) | c   | c      | -4   | (16.6) | c   | c      |
| France               | -1.17  | (0.02) | 0.85                                      | (0.02) | 98.7   | (0.3) | 99.7                                      | (0.2) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Germany              | -1.07  | (0.02) | 1.36                                      | (0.02) | 98.1   | (0.4) | 99.2                                      | (0.3) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Greece               | -1.31  | (0.03) | 1.14                                      | (0.02) | 95.7   | (1.0) | 99.0                                      | (0.3) | <b>32</b>   | (16.4) | c   | c      | 10   | (13.7) | c   | c      |
| Hungary              | -1.44  | (0.02) | 1.02                                      | (0.02) | 99.6   | (0.2) | 100.0                                     | c     | c   | c      | m   | m      | c  | c      | m   | m      |
| Iceland              | -0.28  | (0.02) | 1.55                                      | (0.01) | 96.7   | (0.8) | 98.6                                      | (0.5) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Ireland              | -0.94  | (0.02) | 1.21                                      | (0.02) | 87.7   | (0.9) | 95.8                                      | (0.6) | m   | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Israel               | -0.99  | (0.05) | 1.10                                      | (0.02) | 97.8   | (1.0) | 99.8                                      | (0.1) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Italy                | -1.31  | (0.02) | 1.16                                      | (0.02) | 98.6   | (0.4) | 98.0                                      | (0.5) | 13  | (30.2) | 60  | (32.2) | 4  | (25.3) | 13  | (32.4) |
| Japan                | -1.10  | (0.02) | 0.72                                      | (0.01) | 99.4   | (0.2) | 99.7                                      | (0.1) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Korea                | -1.06  | (0.02) | 0.68                                      | (0.03) | 95.9   | (0.6) | 97.9                                      | (0.4) | -22   | (13.0) | c   | c      | -11  | (9.9)  | c   | c      |
| Latvia               | -1.62  | (0.02) | 0.72                                      | (0.02) | 93.7   | (1.1) | 94.6                                      | (1.0) | -13   | (15.4) | -4  | (18.2) | 0  | (10.6) | 13  | (14.7) |
| Luxembourg           | -1.42  | (0.02) | 1.41                                      | (0.01) | 96.4   | (0.6) | 98.6                                      | (0.4) | 2   | (13.1) | c   | c      | -17  | (10.0) | c   | c      |
| Mexico               | -2.73  | (0.04) | 0.42                                      | (0.05) | 96.1   | (0.6) | 99.4                                      | (0.2) | 0   | (11.0) | c   | c      | 4  | (9.6)  | c   | c      |
| Netherlands          | -0.85  | (0.03) | 1.07                                      | (0.02) | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| New Zealand          | -0.89  | (0.02) | 1.09                                      | (0.02) | 96.1   | (0.6) | 96.7                                      | (0.6) | 23  | (22.2) | <b>40</b>                                 | (20.0) | 18   | (18.6) | -1  | (15.6) |
| Norway               | -0.53  | (0.03) | 1.31                                      | (0.01) | 88.4   | (1.0) | 98.0                                      | (0.4) | <b>26</b>   | (12.5) | c   | c      | 14   | (8.4)  | c   | c      |
| Poland               | -1.34  | (0.02) | 0.75                                      | (0.03) | 75.7   | (2.3) | 90.1                                      | (1.1) | m   | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Portugal             | -1.83  | (0.02) | 1.16                                      | (0.03) | 89.4   | (1.0) | 98.5                                      | (0.4) | -8  | (10.4) | c   | c      | -4   | (7.3)  | c   | c      |
| Slovak Republic      | -1.24  | (0.04) | 1.10                                      | (0.02) | 92.1   | (0.9) | 97.8                                      | (0.5) | 17  | (12.0) | 10  | (21.6) | -17  | (11.0) | -24                                       | (17.1) |
| Slovenia             | -1.04  | (0.01) | 1.07                                      | (0.01) | 77.9   | (1.4) | 92.0                                      | (0.9) | -1  | (9.3)  | 20  | (13.1) | 3  | (8.0)  | 10  | (10.0) |
| Spain                | -2.05  | (0.03) | 1.03                                      | (0.03) | 98.1   | (0.3) | 99.8                                      | (0.1) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Sweden               | -0.78  | (0.03) | 1.27                                      | (0.01) | 91.5   | (1.1) | 98.4                                      | (0.4) | <b>41</b>   | (12.6) | c   | c      | -3   | (8.8)  | c   | c      |
| Switzerland          | -1.05  | (0.03) | 1.30                                      | (0.02) | 97.9   | (0.4) | 99.0                                      | (0.3) | m   | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Turkey               | -2.87  | (0.04) | 0.14                                      | (0.07) | 33.9   | (1.6) | 75.0                                      | (2.2) | -10   | (6.1)  | 11  | (6.9)  | -3   | (4.5)  | 0   | (4.9)  |
| United Kingdom       | -0.92  | (0.02) | 1.27                                      | (0.02) | 97.2   | (0.5) | 99.3                                      | (0.2) | 4   | (16.7) | c   | c      | -22  | (14.4) | c   | c      |
| United States        | -1.25  | (0.06) | 1.29                                      | (0.02) | 75.0   | (1.8) | 89.4                                      | (1.0) | <b>-23</b>  | (9.3)  | -9  | (12.1) | -13  | (7.2)  | <b>-15</b>                                | (6.5)  |
| OECD average-32      | -1.20  | (0.00) | 1.08                                      | (0.00) | 92.7   | (0.2) | 97.3                                      | (0.1) | <b>9</b>  | (3.3)  | <b>14</b>                                 | (6.1)  | -3   | (2.6)  | -2  | (5.0)  |
| OECD average-35      | -1.20  | (0.00) | 1.08                                      | (0.00) | 92.2   | (0.2) | 97.1                                      | (0.1) | m   | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |        |   |        |  |       |   |       |   |        |   |        |  |        |   |        |
| Brazil               | -2.43  | (0.03) | 0.57                                      | (0.04) | 96.1   | (0.4) | 98.4                                      | (0.2) | -5  | (9.4)  | 12  | (12.4) | 0  | (9.1)  | -4  | (9.2)  |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | -2.36  | (0.03) | 0.47                                      | (0.07) | 64.9   | (3.1) | 96.0                                      | (0.8) | <b>25</b>   | (7.1)  | <b>84</b>                                 | (18.4) | 2  | (4.4)  | 3   | (12.6) |
| Bulgaria             | -1.37  | (0.04) | 1.14                                      | (0.02) | 93.1   | (1.0) | 94.4                                      | (0.7) | 4   | (13.6) | <b>-26</b>                                | (12.1) | 8  | (9.0)  | 3   | (8.5)  |
| Colombia             | -2.41  | (0.04) | 0.44                                      | (0.05) | 93.7   | (1.0) | 98.3                                      | (0.4) | -17   | (8.9)  | -15                                       | (20.3) | -13  | (8.3)  | -13                                       | (13.9) |
| Costa Rica           | -2.29  | (0.03) | 0.73                                      | (0.03) | 85.9   | (1.2) | 94.4                                      | (0.6) | 0   | (7.3)  | 9   | (11.4) | 4  | (6.7)  | -6  | (9.1)  |
| Croatia              | -1.22  | (0.02) | 0.89                                      | (0.02) | 68.1   | (1.4) | 90.7                                      | (1.1) | -9  | (5.7)  | 8   | (10.9) | 0  | (4.6)  | 9   | (8.1)  |
| Cyprus*              | -1.02  | (0.01) | 1.33                                      | (0.01) | 97.1   | (0.6) | 99.0                                      | (0.3) | -7  | (23.0) | c   | c      | -9   | (20.2) | c   | c      |
| Dominican Republic   | -2.23  | (0.04) | 0.46                                      | (0.03) | 94.2   | (0.9) | 98.3                                      | (0.5) | m   | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Hong Kong (China)    | -1.73  | (0.02) | 0.69                                      | (0.03) | 98.2   | (0.4) | 99.6                                      | (0.2) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Lithuania            | -1.24  | (0.02) | 0.97                                      | (0.02) | 62.4   | (1.9) | 87.2                                      | (1.1) | <b>-14</b>  | (5.8)  | -6  | (9.2)  | -3   | (4.2)  | -3  | (5.3)  |
| Macao (China)        | -1.59  | (0.02) | 0.60                                      | (0.01) | 99.1   | (0.3) | 99.7                                      | (0.2) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Montenegro           | -1.23  | (0.01) | 0.88                                      | (0.01) | 59.1   | (1.4) | 82.7                                      | (1.1) | -3  | (4.6)  | 0   | (7.7)  | 2  | (3.6)  | 2   | (6.9)  |
| Peru                 | -2.56  | (0.03) | 0.55                                      | (0.05) | 88.9   | (1.3) | 99.3                                      | (0.2) | 6   | (6.8)  | c   | c      | 3  | (6.5)  | c   | c      |
| Qatar                | -0.47  | (0.01) | 1.42                                      | (0.01) | 72.0   | (1.0) | 92.4                                      | (0.5) | m   | m      | m   | m      | m  | m      | m   | m      |
| Russia               | -0.95  | (0.03) | 0.95                                      | (0.02) | 76.5   | (1.9) | 91.3                                      | (1.1) | <b>24</b>   | (8.6)  | 5   | (13.7) | <b>14</b>  | (6.1)  | 7   | (10.8) |
| Singapore            | -1.22  | (0.02) | 1.09                                      | (0.01) | 98.2   | (0.5) | 99.7                                      | (0.2) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Chinese Taipei       | -1.28  | (0.02) | 0.84                                      | (0.02) | 96.9   | (0.6) | 98.7                                      | (0.3) | <b>38</b>   | (18.1) | c   | c      | 16   | (11.8) | c   | c      |
| Thailand             | -2.53  | (0.02) | 0.29                                      | (0.07) | 99.4   | (0.2) | 99.8                                      | (0.1) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Tunisia              | -2.31  | (0.04) | 0.69                                      | (0.04) | 79.3   | (1.9) | 96.0                                      | (0.7) | -2  | (4.6)  | -12                                       | (12.1) | -1   | (4.5)  | -8  | (9.5)  |
| United Arab Emirates | -0.49  | (0.03) | 1.32                                      | (0.01) | 88.5   | (0.7) | 95.1                                      | (0.5) | -3  | (7.0)  | 7   | (11.3) | 6  | (5.7)  | 8   | (8.8)  |
| Uruguay              | -2.12  | (0.02) | 0.71                                      | (0.04) | 98.6   | (0.4) | 99.7                                      | (0.2) | c   | c      | c   | c      | c  | c      | c   | c      |
| Malaysia**           | -1.82  | (0.04) | 0.96                                      | (0.04) | 91.9   | (1.4) | 98.6                                      | (0.3) | 0   | (10.0) | 1   | (19.0) | -2   | (7.7)  | -14                                       | (12.5) |

1. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. The years of attendance at pre-primary school was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.6.14e Index of student interaction in science class and performance in collaborative problem solving**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                      | Index of student interaction in science class <sup>1</sup> |        | Change per unit increase in the index of student interaction in science class |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
|----------------------|--|--------|---|--------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|
|                      |  |        | Performance in collaborative problem solving                                  |        |  |       | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving <sup>3</sup>             |       |   |       |  |       |
|                      | Average  |        | Variability   |        | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>2</sup> |       | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       | Before accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       | After accounting for gender, and students' and schools' socio-economic profile |       |
|                      | Mean index   | S.E.   | S.D.  | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |  |        |   |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Australia            | 1.43   | (0.02) | 1.17  | (0.01) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.3) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-2</b>   | (0.9) | <b>-1</b>  | (0.9) |
| Austria              | 1.36   | (0.03) | 1.26  | (0.02) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.6) | <b>-6</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-2</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.0) |
| Belgium              | 1.24   | (0.02) | 1.09  | (0.01) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-4</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-1</b>   | (0.9) | <b>1</b>   | (0.9) |
| Canada               | 1.61   | (0.02) | 1.27  | (0.01) | <b>-15</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-14</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-4</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.0) |
| Chile                | 1.43   | (0.03) | 1.24  | (0.01) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.3) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.3) | <b>-2</b>   | (1.3) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.4) |
| Czech Republic       | 1.33   | (0.02) | 1.07  | (0.01) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-4</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-3</b>  | (1.2) |
| Denmark              | 2.19   | (0.03) | 1.30  | (0.01) | <b>5</b>   | (1.5) | <b>4</b>   | (1.4) | <b>1</b>  | (1.2) | <b>1</b>   | (1.2) |
| Estonia              | 1.24   | (0.02) | 1.05  | (0.02) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.6) | <b>-11</b>   | (1.6) | <b>0</b>  | (1.1) | <b>1</b>   | (1.2) |
| Finland              | 1.20   | (0.02) | 1.03  | (0.02) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.8) | <b>-8</b>  | (1.7) | <b>-2</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.2) |
| France               | 1.72   | (0.02) | 1.19  | (0.01) | <b>0</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.1) |
| Germany              | 1.59   | (0.02) | 1.25  | (0.01) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.7) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.5) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.3) | <b>0</b>   | (1.2) |
| Greece               | 1.43   | (0.03) | 1.20  | (0.02) | <b>-15</b>   | (1.8) | <b>-11</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.0) |
| Hungary              | 1.17   | (0.02) | 1.10  | (0.01) | <b>-7</b>  | (2.0) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.8) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.3) | <b>0</b>   | (1.2) |
| Iceland              | 1.37   | (0.02) | 1.15  | (0.01) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.9) | <b>-4</b>  | (2.0) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.6) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.6) |
| Ireland              | 1.29   | (0.02) | 1.14  | (0.01) | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Israel               | 1.61   | (0.03) | 1.33  | (0.01) | <b>-14</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-11</b>   | (1.4) | <b>-5</b>   | (0.8) | <b>-5</b>  | (0.8) |
| Italy                | 1.41   | (0.02) | 1.09  | (0.01) | <b>-11</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.1) |
| Japan                | 0.83   | (0.03) | 1.04  | (0.02) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.9) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.7) | <b>-6</b>   | (1.4) | <b>-4</b>  | (1.3) |
| Korea                | 0.79   | (0.02) | 1.15  | (0.02) | <b>-15</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.3) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.0) |
| Latvia               | 1.32   | (0.02) | 1.12  | (0.01) | <b>-11</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-8</b>  | (1.5) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.3) | <b>0</b>   | (1.2) |
| Luxembourg           | 1.66   | (0.02) | 1.27  | (0.01) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-4</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-3</b>  | (1.0) |
| Mexico               | 1.80   | (0.03) | 1.34  | (0.01) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.1) | <b>-3</b>   | (0.9) | <b>-3</b>  | (0.9) |
| Netherlands          | 1.15   | (0.02) | 1.20  | (0.01) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.7) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.4) | <b>0</b>  | (1.4) | <b>0</b>   | (1.3) |
| New Zealand          | 1.48   | (0.03) | 1.22  | (0.01) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.9) | <b>-11</b>   | (1.8) | <b>0</b>  | (1.6) | <b>1</b>   | (1.5) |
| Norway               | 1.42   | (0.03) | 1.23  | (0.02) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.0) |
| Poland               | 1.24   | (0.03) | 1.16  | (0.01) | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Portugal             | 1.85   | (0.03) | 1.26  | (0.01) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.3) | <b>0</b>  | (1.0) | <b>0</b>   | (0.9) |
| Slovak Republic      | 1.22   | (0.03) | 1.14  | (0.02) | <b>-13</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.4) | <b>0</b>  | (1.2) | <b>0</b>   | (1.2) |
| Slovenia             | 1.78   | (0.03) | 1.31  | (0.02) | <b>-3</b>  | (2.2) | <b>-2</b>  | (2.0) | <b>0</b>  | (2.0) | <b>0</b>   | (2.0) |
| Spain                | 1.14   | (0.02) | 1.00  | (0.01) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.5) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.2) |
| Sweden               | 1.80   | (0.03) | 1.35  | (0.01) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.7) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.5) | <b>-2</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.1) |
| Switzerland          | 1.73   | (0.03) | 1.26  | (0.01) | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Turkey               | 1.88   | (0.03) | 1.30  | (0.01) | <b>-6</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-4</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.1) | <b>0</b>   | (1.0) |
| United Kingdom       | 1.24   | (0.02) | 1.05  | (0.01) | <b>-13</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.4) | <b>-4</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-3</b>  | (1.1) |
| United States        | 1.72   | (0.04) | 1.34  | (0.01) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.4) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.4) | <b>-1</b>   | (0.9) | <b>0</b>   | (0.9) |
| OECD average-32      | 1.45   | (0.00) | 1.19  | (0.00) | <b>-9</b>  | (0.3) | <b>-7</b>  | (0.3) | <b>-2</b>   | (0.2) | <b>-1</b>  | (0.2) |
| OECD average-35      | 1.45   | (0.00) | 1.19  | (0.00) | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| <b>Partners</b>      |  |        |   |        |  |       |  |       |   |       |  |       |
| Brazil               | 1.18   | (0.02) | 1.28  | (0.01) | <b>-13</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-12</b>   | (0.8) | <b>-3</b>   | (0.7) | <b>-3</b>  | (0.7) |
| B-S-J-G (China)      | 1.08   | (0.03) | 1.11  | (0.02) | <b>2</b>   | (2.0) | <b>-6</b>  | (1.6) | <b>-4</b>   | (1.3) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.3) |
| Bulgaria             | 1.73   | (0.03) | 1.36  | (0.01) | <b>-16</b>   | (1.4) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-2</b>   | (0.8) | <b>-2</b>  | (0.8) |
| Colombia             | 1.41   | (0.03) | 1.17  | (0.01) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-10</b>   | (1.3) | <b>-2</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-3</b>  | (1.1) |
| Costa Rica           | 1.16   | (0.02) | 1.11  | (0.01) | <b>-6</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.0) |
| Croatia              | 1.25   | (0.02) | 1.20  | (0.01) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-6</b>  | (1.1) | <b>-2</b>   | (0.8) | <b>-2</b>  | (0.8) |
| Cyprus*              | 1.99   | (0.02) | 1.37  | (0.01) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-6</b>  | (1.2) | <b>-2</b>   | (0.9) | <b>-2</b>  | (0.9) |
| Dominican Republic   | 2.24   | (0.03) | 1.13  | (0.01) | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 1.38   | (0.03) | 1.39  | (0.02) | <b>-4</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-3</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.1) |
| Lithuania            | 1.60   | (0.02) | 1.21  | (0.01) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-2</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.1) |
| Macao (China)        | 0.94   | (0.02) | 1.08  | (0.02) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.8) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.8) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.4) | <b>0</b>   | (1.3) |
| Montenegro           | 1.45   | (0.02) | 1.35  | (0.01) | <b>-15</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-11</b>   | (1.1) | <b>-5</b>   | (0.9) | <b>-5</b>  | (0.9) |
| Peru                 | 2.16   | (0.03) | 1.27  | (0.01) | <b>-6</b>  | (1.1) | <b>-5</b>  | (0.9) | <b>0</b>  | (0.8) | <b>0</b>   | (0.8) |
| Qatar                | 1.97   | (0.02) | 1.45  | (0.01) | m  | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Russia               | 1.97   | (0.03) | 1.36  | (0.01) | <b>-8</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-2</b>  | (0.9) |
| Singapore            | 1.29   | (0.02) | 1.14  | (0.01) | <b>-7</b>  | (1.5) | <b>-9</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-4</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-3</b>  | (1.2) |
| Chinese Taipei       | 0.93   | (0.02) | 1.09  | (0.02) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-4</b>  | (1.4) | <b>0</b>  | (0.9) | <b>0</b>   | (1.0) |
| Thailand             | 1.15   | (0.03) | 1.38  | (0.02) | <b>-3</b>  | (1.1) | <b>0</b>   | (0.9) | <b>0</b>  | (0.7) | <b>1</b>   | (0.7) |
| Tunisia              | 2.05   | (0.03) | 1.35  | (0.01) | <b>-8</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-6</b>  | (0.8) | <b>-3</b>   | (0.7) | <b>-3</b>  | (0.6) |
| United Arab Emirates | 1.91   | (0.02) | 1.41  | (0.01) | <b>-12</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-7</b>  | (0.9) | <b>-1</b>   | (0.7) | <b>0</b>   | (0.7) |
| Uruguay              | 1.27   | (0.02) | 1.17  | (0.01) | <b>-15</b>   | (1.5) | <b>-13</b>   | (1.4) | <b>-6</b>   | (1.2) | <b>-5</b>  | (1.2) |
| Malaysia**           | 1.50   | (0.02) | 1.24  | (0.01) | <b>-4</b>  | (1.4) | <b>-2</b>  | (1.3) | <b>-1</b>   | (1.0) | <b>-1</b>  | (1.0) |

1. The index of student interaction in science class is the sum of students' responses to questions about whether their science teachers carry out the following teaching practices: students are given opportunities to explain their ideas; students spend time in the laboratory carrying out practical experiments; students are required to argue about science questions; and there is a class debate about investigations. The index ranges from 0 to 4, with each response weighted equally.

2. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

3. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely "collaborative problem-solving" competencies, after accounting for science, reading and mathematics performance in a regression performed across students at a national level. The index of student interaction in science class was included as an explanatory variable in this regression.

Note: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.7.3 Student-student relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                |                      | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>     |       |                           |       |   |       |              |       |  |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |
|----------------|----------------------|---|-------|---------------------------|-------|---|-------|--------------|-------|--|-------|--------------|-------|---|-------|--------------|-------|
|                |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |       |                           |       |   |       |              |       |  |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |
|                |                      | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "I make friends easily at school"                  |       |                           |       | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "other students seem to like me" |       |              |       | "Disagree" or "strongly disagree" that "I feel lonely at school" |       |              |       | Other students "never or almost never" make fun of me |       |              |       |
|                |                      | Student-level <sup>2</sup>  |       | School-level <sup>3</sup> |       | Student-level   |       | School-level |       | Student-level  |       | School-level |       | Student-level   |       | School-level |       |
| Score dif.     | S.E.                 | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.                | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  |              |       |
| OECD           | Australia            | -12   | (3.2) | 1                         | (1.4) | 8   | (4.7) | 5            | (2.1) | -3   | (4.5) | 3            | (1.8) | 2   | (2.4) | 3            | (1.1) |
|                | Austria              | 4   | (3.4) | 8                         | (3.6) | 15  | (3.7) | 13           | (3.2) | 16   | (3.9) | 13           | (4.2) | -8  | (3.2) | 1            | (2.8) |
|                | Belgium              | -18   | (2.9) | -3                        | (3.1) | -7  | (3.8) | 12           | (3.2) | -2   | (4.0) | 13           | (2.8) | -7  | (2.0) | 5            | (2.3) |
|                | Canada               | -12   | (4.2) | -2                        | (2.0) | 22  | (4.8) | 7            | (2.4) | 2  | (4.1) | 0            | (2.0) | 2   | (2.3) | 3            | (1.5) |
|                | Chile                | -1  | (3.0) | 1                         | (3.0) | 12  | (2.9) | 4            | (2.9) | 11   | (3.7) | 4            | (3.1) | 1   | (2.7) | 2            | (2.3) |
|                | Czech Republic       | -1  | (2.6) | 0                         | (1.8) | 9   | (3.7) | 5            | (2.4) | 7  | (4.0) | 4            | (2.2) | 2   | (3.3) | 3            | (1.4) |
|                | Denmark              | -11   | (3.8) | 1                         | (2.8) | 12  | (4.5) | 4            | (2.6) | 2  | (4.2) | 0            | (2.8) | -4  | (3.0) | -1           | (1.7) |
|                | Estonia              | -14   | (4.6) | 8                         | (2.4) | 17  | (4.1) | 12           | (2.2) | 3  | (3.9) | 10           | (2.6) | -6  | (3.1) | 5            | (2.0) |
|                | Finland              | -14   | (3.6) | -2                        | (3.1) | -3  | (4.3) | 5            | (3.7) | 1  | (5.7) | 3            | (3.4) | 0   | (3.2) | 1            | (2.7) |
|                | France               | -12   | (4.6) | 5                         | (3.1) | -1  | (5.0) | 15           | (3.8) | -4   | (4.8) | 7            | (3.6) | -7  | (2.8) | 5            | (2.3) |
|                | Germany              | -12   | (3.2) | 3                         | (3.0) | 4   | (4.7) | 14           | (3.7) | 2  | (4.8) | 13           | (3.1) | -14   | (3.3) | 0            | (2.4) |
|                | Greece               | -1  | (3.9) | -1                        | (2.9) | 15  | (4.4) | 10           | (2.9) | 11   | (4.8) | 3            | (4.1) | 2   | (3.0) | 6            | (2.4) |
|                | Hungary              | -13   | (3.2) | 1                         | (3.3) | -3  | (3.4) | 7            | (3.0) | -3   | (3.6) | 6            | (3.4) | -2  | (3.0) | 3            | (2.2) |
|                | Iceland              | -9  | (5.0) | 0                         | (1.9) | 13  | (5.8) | 0            | (2.4) | 14   | (5.7) | -4           | (2.6) | 5   | (4.7) | -1           | (1.9) |
|                | Ireland              | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m  | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |
|                | Israel               | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m  | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |
|                | Italy                | -5  | (4.1) | -7                        | (3.7) | 10  | (3.5) | 1            | (2.4) | 13   | (4.6) | 5            | (4.1) | m   | m     | m            | m     |
|                | Japan                | -5  | (2.9) | 2                         | (3.5) | 5   | (2.7) | 12           | (2.4) | 4  | (3.9) | 14           | (3.8) | -11   | (2.2) | -1           | (2.3) |
|                | Korea                | -11   | (3.1) | -2                        | (2.7) | 1   | (2.9) | 8            | (3.7) | -2   | (4.8) | 1            | (5.2) | -13   | (3.1) | 4            | (2.8) |
|                | Latvia               | -12   | (3.6) | -2                        | (1.9) | 4   | (3.2) | 1            | (1.4) | 0  | (5.2) | 2            | (2.2) | 0   | (3.1) | 1            | (1.1) |
|                | Luxembourg           | -3  | (4.3) | 9                         | (3.6) | 18  | (4.5) | 30           | (3.7) | 13   | (5.2) | 29           | (4.1) | 1   | (3.5) | 9            | (2.6) |
|                | Mexico               | 8   | (2.9) | 2                         | (2.1) | 9   | (2.4) | 7            | (2.0) | 15   | (2.9) | 10           | (2.4) | -4  | (2.4) | 4            | (1.5) |
|                | Netherlands          | -8  | (4.6) | 9                         | (4.2) | 16  | (4.9) | 23           | (5.5) | 18   | (4.7) | 24           | (6.6) | -10   | (3.5) | 3            | (4.5) |
|                | New Zealand          | -9  | (4.0) | -2                        | (2.7) | 24  | (5.9) | 0            | (4.0) | 9  | (4.4) | -6           | (2.7) | 8   | (3.6) | 5            | (1.9) |
|                | Norway               | -10   | (4.6) | 3                         | (2.4) | 14  | (4.6) | 4            | (2.7) | 6  | (4.8) | 3            | (2.7) | 1   | (4.2) | 4            | (2.5) |
|                | Poland               | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m  | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |
|                | Portugal             | -9  | (3.0) | 1                         | (2.6) | 9   | (4.5) | 12           | (3.7) | 9  | (4.5) | 7            | (3.9) | 2   | (4.0) | 7            | (2.6) |
|                | Slovak Republic      | -1  | (3.0) | -1                        | (2.2) | 3   | (3.3) | 1            | (2.1) | 13   | (3.5) | 4            | (2.4) | -3  | (2.8) | 5            | (1.7) |
|                | Slovenia             | 7   | (4.0) | 0                         | (2.0) | 6   | (3.3) | 6            | (1.9) | 13   | (4.4) | 8            | (2.8) | -2  | (3.1) | 4            | (1.5) |
|                | Spain                | 1   | (3.3) | 3                         | (2.7) | 18  | (3.8) | 3            | (2.6) | 22   | (3.7) | 7            | (3.8) | 2   | (2.9) | 2            | (1.8) |
|                | Sweden               | 6   | (3.9) | 2                         | (2.6) | 22  | (3.7) | 2            | (2.8) | 16   | (3.7) | 1            | (2.7) | -5  | (3.5) | 1            | (2.2) |
| Switzerland    | m                    | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m  | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |
| Turkey         | 0                    | (2.5)   | 12    | (3.0)                     | -2    | (3.0)   | 13    | (2.9)        | 2     | (3.2)  | 12    | (3.0)        | 2     | (3.0)   | 3     | (3.5)        |       |
| United Kingdom | -14                  | (4.3)   | 3     | (2.8)                     | 1     | (4.3)   | 5     | (3.7)        | -11   | (4.7)  | 5     | (3.2)        | -5    | (3.3)   | 0     | (2.1)        |       |
| United States  | -9                   | (4.4)   | -5    | (3.5)                     | 14    | (6.0)   | 1     | (3.9)        | -8    | (4.5)  | 0     | (3.5)        | 2     | (3.7)   | 0     | (2.4)        |       |
| OECD average   | -6                   | (0.7)   | 2     | (0.5)                     | 9     | (0.7)   | 8     | (0.6)        | 6     | (0.8)  | 7     | (0.6)        | -2    | (0.6)   | 3     | (0.4)        |       |
| Partners       | Brazil               | -5  | (1.9) | 2                         | (1.8) | 14  | (2.4) | 9            | (1.7) | 17   | (2.9) | 10           | (1.6) | 3   | (2.9) | 3            | (1.8) |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | -9  | (3.2) | 4                         | (4.6) | -4  | (2.9) | 1            | (3.2) | -1   | (3.0) | 4            | (4.5) | 8   | (3.1) | 7            | (4.2) |
|                | Bulgaria             | -2  | (2.9) | -1                        | (3.0) | 1   | (2.6) | 2            | (2.3) | 9  | (3.8) | 8            | (2.7) | -1  | (2.8) | 4            | (2.1) |
|                | Colombia             | 8   | (2.4) | 4                         | (2.2) | 16  | (2.5) | 2            | (2.3) | 13   | (2.5) | 4            | (2.0) | -7  | (2.3) | 0            | (2.3) |
|                | Costa Rica           | 4   | (3.1) | -1                        | (2.0) | 11  | (2.8) | 3            | (2.0) | 11   | (3.2) | -1           | (2.7) | -6  | (3.7) | -2           | (2.0) |
|                | Croatia              | -3  | (3.5) | 5                         | (4.1) | -2  | (3.1) | 12           | (3.6) | 8  | (3.6) | 20           | (3.8) | -3  | (3.0) | 10           | (3.0) |
|                | Cyprus*              | 1   | (4.1) | 5                         | (1.9) | 21  | (4.5) | 24           | (2.2) | 22   | (5.4) | 14           | (2.4) | 7   | (3.8) | 12           | (1.5) |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m  | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | 5   | (4.0) | 13                        | (3.9) | 10  | (3.9) | 19           | (3.2) | 15   | (3.9) | 7            | (4.4) | 2   | (2.9) | 6            | (3.3) |
|                | Lithuania            | 8   | (3.3) | 2                         | (2.3) | 12  | (3.3) | 3            | (2.6) | 8  | (3.2) | 4            | (2.1) | -9  | (2.7) | 1            | (1.8) |
|                | Macao (China)        | -8  | (3.9) | 19                        | (3.0) | 13  | (3.8) | 7            | (1.9) | 5  | (4.4) | 19           | (2.7) | 10  | (3.6) | 19           | (1.2) |
|                | Montenegro           | -1  | (4.4) | 7                         | (3.9) | 11  | (3.6) | 8            | (2.8) | 18   | (5.2) | 19           | (3.5) | -1  | (3.3) | 2            | (2.2) |
|                | Peru                 | 2   | (3.3) | 2                         | (1.7) | 11  | (3.6) | 5            | (2.0) | 17   | (2.9) | 8            | (2.1) | -4  | (2.9) | -1           | (1.6) |
|                | Qatar                | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m  | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |
|                | Russia               | -15   | (3.6) | -2                        | (2.2) | 0   | (3.7) | -1           | (2.4) | 6  | (3.5) | 4            | (2.7) | -4  | (3.0) | 1            | (2.4) |
|                | Singapore            | -6  | (3.9) | 1                         | (4.5) | 21  | (4.1) | 5            | (2.7) | 3  | (3.5) | 9            | (2.9) | 9   | (3.7) | 5            | (1.4) |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | -8  | (3.4) | 0                         | (4.3) | 0   | (2.9) | 0            | (2.9) | 13   | (3.8) | 3            | (4.1) | 0   | (2.6) | 5            | (2.9) |
|                | Thailand             | 11  | (3.6) | 9                         | (3.2) | 7   | (2.5) | 7            | (2.3) | 18   | (3.1) | 11           | (2.8) | 10  | (2.5) | 8            | (2.0) |
|                | Tunisia              | -5  | (3.2) | 2                         | (3.1) | 1   | (2.8) | -3           | (2.8) | 4  | (3.0) | 4            | (2.3) | -2  | (2.0) | -1           | (2.0) |
|                | United Arab Emirates | -2  | (3.0) | 4                         | (3.6) | 13  | (3.0) | 20           | (2.5) | 14   | (3.0) | 18           | (2.7) | 7   | (2.4) | 6            | (2.1) |
|                | Uruguay              | 2   | (3.5) | -1                        | (2.4) | 31  | (4.0) | 10           | (2.8) | 16   | (3.1) | 7            | (2.0) | -10   | (2.9) | 0            | (2.0) |
|                | Malaysia**           | 5   | (4.2) | 5                         | (4.0) | 14  | (3.1) | 1            | (3.1) | 20   | (3.6) | 6            | (2.8) | 6   | (2.0) | -1           | (1.9) |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students reporting the above.

3. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.7.3 Student-student relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving**

|                |                      | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>     |           |                           |           |  |           |              |           |  |        |
|----------------|----------------------|---|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|--|-----------|--------------|-----------|--|--------|
|                |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |           |                           |           |  |           |              |           | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when principals reported that students' learning is not hindered "at all" <sup>2</sup> by students intimidating or bullying other students |        |
|                |                      | I am "never or almost never" threatened by other students                           |           |                           |           | I "never or almost never" get hit or pushed around by other students |           |              |           |  |        |
|                |                      | Student-level <sup>2</sup>  |           | School-level <sup>3</sup> |           | Student-level  |           | School-level |           |  |        |
|                |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.      | Score dif.                | S.E.      | Score dif.   | S.E.      | Score dif.   | S.E.      | Score dif.   | S.E.   |
| OECD           | Australia            | <b>23</b>   | (3.5)     | <b>5</b>                  | (1.3)     | <b>22</b>  | (3.9)     | <b>7</b>     | (1.4)     | 12   | (6.4)  |
|                | Austria              | <b>14</b>   | (5.7)     | <b>17</b>                 | (4.1)     | 9  | (5.4)     | <b>19</b>    | (2.8)     | 4  | (7.6)  |
|                | Belgium              | <b>10</b>   | (4.6)     | <b>21</b>                 | (2.8)     | <b>9</b>   | (3.6)     | <b>15</b>    | (3.3)     | <b>-18</b>   | (8.4)  |
|                | Canada               | <b>29</b>   | (3.9)     | <b>6</b>                  | (2.0)     | <b>22</b>  | (3.5)     | 4            | (2.6)     | -1   | (5.7)  |
|                | Chile                | <b>16</b>   | (4.9)     | <b>11</b>                 | (3.0)     | <b>13</b>  | (5.3)     | <b>10</b>    | (2.9)     | 5  | (6.5)  |
|                | Czech Republic       | <b>25</b>   | (4.5)     | <b>11</b>                 | (2.1)     | <b>15</b>  | (3.8)     | <b>4</b>     | (1.9)     | <b>11</b>  | (4.6)  |
|                | Denmark              | <b>28</b>   | (6.4)     | 3                         | (3.5)     | <b>17</b>  | (4.7)     | 4            | (2.1)     | -1   | (5.5)  |
|                | Estonia              | <b>24</b>   | (5.0)     | <b>13</b>                 | (3.1)     | <b>11</b>  | (4.6)     | 2            | (3.0)     | -5   | (6.0)  |
|                | Finland              | <b>24</b>   | (5.3)     | 6                         | (3.9)     | <b>25</b>  | (4.8)     | 5            | (3.2)     | 9  | (12.2) |
|                | France               | 4   | (4.6)     | <b>17</b>                 | (3.3)     | 0  | (4.8)     | <b>15</b>    | (2.8)     | 8  | (6.2)  |
|                | Germany              | 4   | (7.7)     | <b>17</b>                 | (4.0)     | <b>19</b>  | (7.0)     | <b>17</b>    | (4.4)     | 13   | (15.4) |
|                | Greece               | <b>36</b>   | (5.7)     | <b>20</b>                 | (4.1)     | <b>15</b>  | (5.0)     | <b>13</b>    | (3.1)     | <b>14</b>  | (5.5)  |
|                | Hungary              | 7   | (6.1)     | <b>10</b>                 | (3.8)     | 8  | (4.5)     | <b>12</b>    | (3.2)     | <b>11</b>  | (5.6)  |
|                | Iceland              | <b>16</b>   | (6.9)     | 0                         | (2.2)     | <b>17</b>  | (7.1)     | 4            | (3.0)     | <b>10</b>  | (5.1)  |
|                | Ireland              | m   | m         | m                         | m         | m  | m         | m            | m         | m  | m      |
|                | Israel               | m   | m         | m                         | m         | m  | m         | m            | m         | 10   | (8.2)  |
|                | Italy                | m   | m         | m                         | m         | m  | m         | m            | m         | 7  | (7.4)  |
|                | Japan                | <b>12</b>   | (5.0)     | <b>15</b>                 | (4.7)     | -5   | (3.2)     | <b>7</b>     | (2.9)     | 6  | (5.7)  |
|                | Korea                | -1  | (8.7)     | <b>22</b>                 | (7.7)     | 1  | (10.7)    | <b>24</b>    | (8.3)     | <b>19</b>  | (4.3)  |
|                | Latvia               | <b>16</b>   | (4.3)     | <b>4</b>                  | (1.9)     | <b>9</b>   | (3.9)     | 1            | (1.3)     | 1  | (4.2)  |
|                | Luxembourg           | <b>40</b>   | (5.7)     | <b>27</b>                 | (4.9)     | <b>39</b>  | (5.3)     | <b>20</b>    | (4.1)     | 7  | (3.9)  |
|                | Mexico               | 6   | (4.0)     | <b>9</b>                  | (2.4)     | 2  | (3.4)     | <b>9</b>     | (2.2)     | 1  | (4.9)  |
|                | Netherlands          | 8   | (6.8)     | <b>27</b>                 | (6.3)     | 8  | (6.7)     | <b>28</b>    | (6.3)     | c  | c      |
|                | New Zealand          | <b>28</b>   | (5.0)     | <b>9</b>                  | (2.3)     | <b>22</b>  | (5.5)     | <b>9</b>     | (2.0)     | -9   | (6.8)  |
|                | Norway               | <b>31</b>   | (5.4)     | <b>8</b>                  | (3.0)     | <b>28</b>  | (4.1)     | <b>8</b>     | (3.3)     | -5   | (17.0) |
|                | Poland               | m   | m         | m                         | m         | m  | m         | m            | m         | m  | m      |
|                | Portugal             | <b>22</b>   | (4.2)     | <b>11</b>                 | (3.1)     | <b>32</b>  | (5.5)     | <b>15</b>    | (3.9)     | 4  | (5.8)  |
|                | Slovak Republic      | <b>15</b>   | (4.1)     | <b>9</b>                  | (2.3)     | 2  | (4.2)     | <b>9</b>     | (2.2)     | <b>12</b>  | (4.8)  |
|                | Slovenia             | <b>17</b>   | (5.1)     | <b>11</b>                 | (2.1)     | 8  | (4.4)     | <b>12</b>    | (1.4)     | <b>19</b>  | (3.0)  |
|                | Spain                | <b>30</b>   | (5.6)     | <b>9</b>                  | (3.7)     | <b>26</b>  | (4.5)     | 6            | (3.1)     | -3   | (5.1)  |
|                | Sweden               | <b>19</b>   | (5.8)     | 3                         | (2.8)     | <b>15</b>  | (4.6)     | 4            | (2.7)     | 7  | (7.8)  |
|                | Switzerland          | m   | m         | m                         | m         | m  | m         | m            | m         | m  | m      |
| Turkey         | 6                    | (4.1)   | <b>16</b> | (3.0)                     | <b>12</b> | (4.3)  | <b>20</b> | (4.1)        | <b>24</b> | (6.9)  |        |
| United Kingdom | <b>11</b>            | (4.6)   | <b>5</b>  | (2.5)                     | 8         | (5.0)  | <b>6</b>  | (3.3)        | 10        | (7.0)  |        |
| United States  | <b>33</b>            | (4.3)   | 3         | (3.8)                     | <b>25</b> | (5.3)  | 6         | (4.2)        | 3         | (9.1)  |        |
| OECD average   | <b>18</b>            | (1.0)   | <b>11</b> | (0.7)                     | <b>14</b> | (0.9)  | <b>11</b> | (0.6)        | <b>6</b>  | (1.3)  |        |
| Partners       | Brazil               | <b>14</b>   | (4.2)     | <b>11</b>                 | (2.0)     | <b>21</b>  | (3.8)     | <b>12</b>    | (2.4)     | 1  | (4.9)  |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | <b>22</b>   | (4.4)     | <b>20</b>                 | (5.2)     | <b>17</b>  | (5.4)     | <b>19</b>    | (5.4)     | 8  | (6.0)  |
|                | Bulgaria             | <b>12</b>   | (4.3)     | <b>12</b>                 | (2.3)     | 6  | (3.0)     | <b>11</b>    | (2.6)     | 3  | (4.8)  |
|                | Colombia             | <b>13</b>   | (3.7)     | 6                         | (3.7)     | <b>8</b>   | (3.3)     | <b>7</b>     | (3.3)     | -2   | (5.5)  |
|                | Costa Rica           | 2   | (4.0)     | 2                         | (3.0)     | 5  | (4.9)     | 7            | (3.7)     | 0  | (5.7)  |
|                | Croatia              | <b>13</b>   | (4.5)     | <b>22</b>                 | (3.4)     | 7  | (4.4)     | <b>19</b>    | (3.3)     | 11   | (6.9)  |
|                | Cyprus*              | <b>34</b>   | (3.5)     | <b>21</b>                 | (1.8)     | <b>26</b>  | (4.1)     | <b>20</b>    | (1.8)     | <b>8</b>   | (4.2)  |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m   | m         | m                         | m         | m  | m         | m            | m         | m  | m      |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | <b>25</b>   | (4.4)     | <b>21</b>                 | (3.3)     | <b>13</b>  | (4.1)     | <b>18</b>    | (3.4)     | <b>24</b>  | (8.6)  |
|                | Lithuania            | <b>12</b>   | (3.5)     | <b>11</b>                 | (2.6)     | 6  | (4.4)     | <b>11</b>    | (3.0)     | <b>19</b>  | (5.0)  |
|                | Macao (China)        | <b>30</b>   | (3.9)     | <b>28</b>                 | (1.3)     | <b>28</b>  | (5.7)     | <b>36</b>    | (1.8)     | <b>27</b>  | (3.2)  |
|                | Montenegro           | <b>14</b>   | (3.6)     | <b>7</b>                  | (2.1)     | <b>21</b>  | (5.0)     | <b>9</b>     | (4.2)     | <b>13</b>  | (3.4)  |
|                | Peru                 | <b>17</b>   | (4.7)     | <b>7</b>                  | (2.1)     | <b>9</b>   | (3.4)     | 3            | (2.2)     | 0  | (3.6)  |
|                | Qatar                | m   | m         | m                         | m         | m  | m         | m            | m         | m  | m      |
|                | Russia               | 10  | (5.3)     | 1                         | (4.0)     | <b>21</b>  | (6.6)     | 7            | (6.3)     | 5  | (4.6)  |
|                | Singapore            | <b>34</b>   | (4.6)     | <b>10</b>                 | (1.9)     | <b>26</b>  | (4.3)     | <b>7</b>     | (1.8)     | 2  | (5.1)  |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | <b>27</b>   | (5.5)     | 7                         | (5.9)     | <b>20</b>  | (8.6)     | 13           | (8.4)     | 1  | (5.3)  |
|                | Thailand             | <b>20</b>   | (3.7)     | <b>11</b>                 | (2.5)     | <b>31</b>  | (3.6)     | <b>13</b>    | (2.2)     | -3   | (6.3)  |
|                | Tunisia              | 4   | (2.6)     | <b>5</b>                  | (2.1)     | 4  | (3.1)     | <b>6</b>     | (1.9)     | 11   | (6.7)  |
|                | United Arab Emirates | <b>24</b>   | (2.6)     | <b>18</b>                 | (1.8)     | <b>23</b>  | (2.6)     | <b>15</b>    | (1.3)     | 1  | (5.3)  |
|                | Uruguay              | <b>11</b>   | (3.7)     | <b>10</b>                 | (2.9)     | 9  | (4.5)     | <b>9</b>     | (2.6)     | <b>14</b>  | (4.4)  |
|                | Malaysia**           | <b>32</b>   | (2.8)     | 4                         | (2.7)     | <b>24</b>  | (3.3)     | <b>6</b>     | (2.8)     | 6  | (4.3)  |

1. Socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students reporting the above.

3. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.7.4 Student-student relationships and relative performance in collaborative problem solving

|                |                      | After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics                |       |                           |       |   |          |              |            |  |          |              |       |   |          |              |       |
|----------------|----------------------|---|-------|---------------------------|-------|---|----------|--------------|------------|--|----------|--------------|-------|---|----------|--------------|-------|
|                |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |       |                           |       |   |          |              |            |  |          |              |       |   |          |              |       |
|                |                      | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "I make friends easily at school"                  |       |                           |       | "Agree" or "strongly agree" that "other students seem to like me" |          |              |            | "Disagree" or "strongly disagree" that "I feel lonely at school" |          |              |       | Other students "never or almost never" make fun of me |          |              |       |
|                |                      | Student-level <sup>1</sup>  |       | School-level <sup>2</sup> |       | Student-level   |          | School-level |            | Student-level  |          | School-level |       | Student-level   |          | School-level |       |
| Score dif.     | S.E.                 | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.                | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.     | Score dif.   | S.E.       | Score dif.   | S.E.     | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.     |              |       |
| OECD           | Australia            | -4  | (2.9) | 0                         | (1.1) | -6  | (3.8)    | 0            | (1.4)      | -8   | (4.2)    | 1            | (1.3) | -3  | (2.2)    | 1            | (0.9) |
|                | Austria              | 4   | (2.9) | 3                         | (2.0) | <b>6</b>  | (3.1)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.8)      | 7  | (3.0)    | <b>4</b>     | (2.3) | 1   | (2.4)    | <b>3</b>     | (1.6) |
|                | Belgium              | <b>-6</b>   | (2.3) | -3                        | (2.1) | <b>-6</b>   | (3.2)    | 3            | (2.0)      | <b>-8</b>  | (3.1)    | 2            | (2.0) | -2  | (1.7)    | 1            | (1.5) |
|                | Canada               | -7  | (4.0) | <b>-4</b>                 | (1.5) | 6   | (4.4)    | -1           | (1.7)      | -4   | (3.3)    | -3           | (1.4) | -3  | (2.2)    | -1           | (1.3) |
|                | Chile                | 1   | (2.5) | -2                        | (1.8) | 1   | (2.2)    | 0            | (1.4)      | 2  | (3.6)    | -2           | (1.9) | <b>5</b>  | (2.3)    | 2            | (1.7) |
|                | Czech Republic       | 5   | (2.3) | 0                         | (1.4) | 4   | (3.2)    | 1            | (1.3)      | 2  | (3.4)    | 1            | (1.4) | 4   | (3.3)    | 1            | (0.9) |
|                | Denmark              | <b>-7</b>   | (2.8) | 1                         | (1.6) | -3  | (4.2)    | 0            | (1.6)      | <b>-9</b>  | (3.1)    | 0            | (1.8) | -2  | (2.6)    | -1           | (1.4) |
|                | Estonia              | -2  | (3.9) | <b>3</b>                  | (1.3) | 6   | (3.5)    | <b>5</b>     | (1.3)      | -2   | (3.1)    | <b>3</b>     | (1.7) | 1   | (2.7)    | 2            | (1.2) |
|                | Finland              | -2  | (3.0) | 2                         | (2.4) | -4  | (3.0)    | 2            | (2.5)      | -8   | (3.9)    | <b>3</b>     | (3.2) | 1   | (2.7)    | 0            | (1.9) |
|                | France               | -6  | (4.0) | -1                        | (1.8) | -4  | (3.6)    | 1            | (2.0)      | <b>-9</b>  | (4.1)    | 1            | (2.0) | -2  | (2.6)    | 2            | (1.2) |
|                | Germany              | <b>-5</b>   | (2.4) | 0                         | (1.9) | -3  | (3.8)    | 2            | (2.2)      | -5   | (3.6)    | 4            | (2.1) | <b>-7</b>   | (2.8)    | 0            | (1.6) |
|                | Greece               | 3   | (3.1) | 1                         | (1.5) | 3   | (3.2)    | 3            | (1.5)      | 3  | (4.2)    | -2           | (2.5) | 3   | (2.3)    | 1            | (1.3) |
|                | Hungary              | <b>-8</b>   | (2.6) | 0                         | (1.8) | <b>-7</b>   | (2.9)    | 1            | (1.3)      | <b>-7</b>  | (3.1)    | 2            | (1.7) | -2  | (2.6)    | 2            | (1.2) |
|                | Iceland              | <b>-11</b>  | (3.7) | -1                        | (1.5) | -7  | (4.2)    | -2           | (1.7)      | -4   | (4.0)    | -2           | (1.7) | 0   | (3.3)    | 1            | (1.4) |
|                | Ireland              | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m        | m            | m          | m  | m        | m            | m     | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Israel               | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m        | m            | m          | m  | m        | m            | m     | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Italy                | 1   | (4.2) | <b>-5</b>                 | (2.5) | 5   | (3.3)    | -3           | (1.6)      | 5  | (3.7)    | 0            | (2.6) | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Japan                | 1   | (3.0) | -1                        | (1.9) | 1   | (2.6)    | -1           | (1.6)      | -3   | (3.1)    | -1           | (2.4) | <b>-4</b>   | (1.8)    | 0            | (1.4) |
|                | Korea                | -2  | (2.7) | -2                        | (1.8) | -1  | (2.3)    | -1           | (1.9)      | 0  | (3.1)    | -1           | (2.9) | 2   | (2.5)    | 1            | (1.5) |
|                | Latvia               | -1  | (2.7) | -1                        | (1.2) | 0   | (2.6)    | 0            | (1.2)      | -5   | (4.2)    | 0            | (1.4) | -2  | (2.4)    | 1            | (0.8) |
|                | Luxembourg           | -4  | (3.4) | 3                         | (2.8) | 0   | (4.4)    | <b>8</b>     | (2.2)      | -2   | (4.5)    | <b>12</b>    | (3.4) | -2  | (2.9)    | 1            | (2.1) |
|                | Mexico               | 3   | (2.7) | <b>3</b>                  | (1.3) | -1  | (2.3)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.2)      | 4  | (2.5)    | <b>5</b>     | (1.3) | 0   | (1.9)    | 1            | (1.0) |
|                | Netherlands          | -1  | (4.5) | 7                         | (2.3) | 4   | (5.0)    | 5            | (2.8)      | 7  | (4.9)    | 3            | (3.4) | -5  | (3.1)    | 5            | (2.5) |
|                | New Zealand          | -1  | (3.0) | -1                        | (1.8) | 4   | (3.9)    | -1           | (2.4)      | 3  | (3.8)    | <b>-3</b>    | (1.5) | 1   | (2.8)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.4) |
|                | Norway               | <b>-11</b>  | (3.9) | -1                        | (2.0) | -4  | (3.6)    | 1            | (1.9)      | -8   | (4.2)    | 0            | (2.1) | -3  | (3.4)    | 2            | (2.0) |
|                | Poland               | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m        | m            | m          | m  | m        | m            | m     | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Portugal             | -4  | (2.6) | 0                         | (1.8) | 2   | (3.3)    | 3            | (2.3)      | 0  | (3.5)    | -2           | (2.6) | -2  | (3.4)    | -1           | (2.0) |
|                | Slovak Republic      | -2  | (2.8) | -1                        | (1.3) | -1  | (3.3)    | 0            | (1.2)      | 4  | (3.0)    | 1            | (1.5) | <b>-6</b>   | (2.2)    | 0            | (1.1) |
|                | Slovenia             | 7   | (3.4) | 1                         | (1.3) | 0   | (3.0)    | 2            | (1.2)      | 4  | (3.6)    | 3            | (2.0) | 2   | (2.7)    | 0            | (1.0) |
|                | Spain                | <b>8</b>  | (2.6) | 0                         | (1.8) | <b>10</b>   | (3.2)    | 1            | (1.6)      | <b>9</b>   | (3.0)    | 3            | (2.7) | <b>6</b>  | (2.4)    | 2            | (1.5) |
|                | Sweden               | 2   | (3.5) | 0                         | (1.6) | 4   | (3.6)    | -1           | (2.0)      | 3  | (3.0)    | 0            | (1.7) | -4  | (2.7)    | 1            | (1.4) |
|                | Switzerland          | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m        | m            | m          | m  | m        | m            | m     | m   | m        | m            | m     |
| Turkey         | 0                    | (2.3)   | 1     | (1.6)                     | -2    | (2.9)   | <b>4</b> | (1.7)        | 2          | (3.0)  | <b>4</b> | (1.6)        | 3     | (2.9)   | 2        | (1.9)        |       |
| United Kingdom | -5                   | (3.2)   | 1     | (1.8)                     | -6    | (4.3)   | 1        | (2.7)        | <b>-10</b> | (3.1)  | 3        | (2.6)        | -4    | (2.5)   | 0        | (1.5)        |       |
| United States  | -3                   | (3.1)   | 0     | (2.2)                     | -2    | (3.6)   | 0        | (2.6)        | <b>-11</b> | (3.6)  | 1        | (2.2)        | -1    | (2.6)   | 2        | (2.3)        |       |
| OECD average   | <b>-2</b>            | (0.6)   | 0     | (0.3)                     | 0     | (0.6)   | <b>1</b> | (0.3)        | <b>-2</b>  | (0.6)  | <b>1</b> | (0.4)        | -1    | (0.5)   | <b>1</b> | (0.3)        |       |
| Partners       | Brazil               | -2  | (1.8) | -1                        | (1.2) | 3   | (2.1)    | 1            | (1.4)      | 5  | (2.7)    | 1            | (1.5) | 1   | (2.8)    | 0            | (1.4) |
|                | B-5-J-G (China)      | <b>-6</b>   | (3.0) | 2                         | (2.3) | -3  | (2.6)    | 0            | (1.7)      | -3   | (2.5)    | 0            | (2.1) | 7   | (2.6)    | 1            | (2.3) |
|                | Bulgaria             | -1  | (2.4) | 1                         | (1.7) | -4  | (2.2)    | 2            | (1.5)      | -1   | (3.1)    | <b>3</b>     | (1.6) | -1  | (2.3)    | 1            | (1.4) |
|                | Colombia             | 2   | (2.2) | -1                        | (1.6) | 3   | (2.6)    | 2            | (1.4)      | <b>4</b>   | (2.0)    | 1            | (1.2) | -3  | (2.1)    | 0            | (1.4) |
|                | Costa Rica           | 3   | (2.2) | -1                        | (1.5) | <b>6</b>  | (2.4)    | 0            | (1.7)      | <b>6</b>   | (2.4)    | 0            | (1.9) | 3   | (3.7)    | 0            | (1.7) |
|                | Croatia              | -2  | (2.9) | -1                        | (2.2) | -5  | (2.6)    | 3            | (2.1)      | 2  | (3.0)    | <b>5</b>     | (2.4) | 2   | (2.4)    | 1            | (1.8) |
|                | Cyprus*              | 2   | (3.3) | 0                         | (1.7) | 6   | (3.5)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.9)      | 6  | (4.1)    | 0            | (2.2) | 2   | (3.0)    | 2            | (1.3) |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m        | m            | m          | m  | m        | m            | m     | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | <b>11</b>   | (3.0) | <b>4</b>                  | (1.7) | <b>8</b>  | (2.9)    | 4            | (2.1)      | <b>9</b>   | (2.9)    | 2            | (2.2) | 2   | (2.2)    | <b>5</b>     | (1.7) |
|                | Lithuania            | 5   | (3.0) | 2                         | (1.1) | 7   | (3.0)    | 2            | (1.3)      | 2  | (3.0)    | 2            | (1.1) | -4  | (2.4)    | 0            | (1.2) |
|                | Macao (China)        | 1   | (2.7) | 1                         | (2.4) | 5   | (2.8)    | -1           | (1.6)      | 2  | (3.3)    | 3            | (2.5) | 5   | (2.9)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.2) |
|                | Montenegro           | -1  | (4.0) | -2                        | (2.8) | 4   | (3.7)    | 1            | (2.0)      | 7  | (5.0)    | 3            | (2.5) | 0   | (3.1)    | -3           | (1.5) |
|                | Peru                 | -3  | (3.3) | 1                         | (1.2) | -2  | (3.5)    | <b>3</b>     | (1.3)      | 0  | (2.4)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.5) | -1  | (2.3)    | 1            | (1.3) |
|                | Qatar                | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m        | m            | m          | m  | m        | m            | m     | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Russia               | -3  | (2.9) | <b>-5</b>                 | (2.1) | 0   | (2.8)    | -1           | (2.1)      | 2  | (3.5)    | 0            | (2.3) | 3   | (2.6)    | -3           | (1.7) |
|                | Singapore            | -2  | (3.3) | -3                        | (1.8) | 3   | (2.5)    | -1           | (1.5)      | -3   | (2.9)    | -1           | (1.5) | 4   | (3.1)    | <b>2</b>     | (1.0) |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | 0   | (3.1) | -3                        | (2.7) | 2   | (2.7)    | -2           | (2.3)      | 5  | (2.9)    | -1           | (2.8) | <b>5</b>  | (2.1)    | 3            | (2.1) |
|                | Thailand             | 5   | (3.8) | <b>5</b>                  | (2.1) | 2   | (1.7)    | 2            | (1.7)      | 3  | (2.4)    | 3            | (1.8) | 2   | (2.2)    | <b>5</b>     | (1.8) |
|                | Tunisia              | -4  | (3.2) | 1                         | (2.3) | -1  | (3.1)    | -4           | (1.9)      | 1  | (3.1)    | -1           | (1.9) | 1   | (2.0)    | <b>-4</b>    | (1.3) |
|                | United Arab Emirates | -3  | (2.8) | -2                        | (1.9) | 0   | (2.3)    | 3            | (1.4)      | -1   | (2.8)    | 2            | (1.4) | 2   | (2.1)    | <b>2</b>     | (1.1) |
|                | Uruguay              | 2   | (2.8) | 0                         | (1.6) | <b>11</b>   | (3.5)    | 2            | (1.7)      | 7  | (2.4)    | 2            | (1.7) | <b>-6</b>   | (2.1)    | 0            | (1.7) |
|                | Malaysia**           | <b>11</b>   | (4.1) | -2                        | (2.1) | 4   | (2.2)    | -2           | (2.4)      | 4  | (3.2)    | -1           | (2.0) | 2   | (1.4)    | <b>-3</b>    | (1.5) |

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2. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

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**Table V.7.4 Student-student relationships and relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

|                 |                      | After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics                |          |                           |            |  |          |              |          |   |       |
|-----------------|----------------------|---|----------|---------------------------|------------|--|----------|--------------|----------|---|-------|
|                 |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |          |                           |            |  |          |              |          | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when principals reported that students' learning is not hindered "at all" by students intimidating or bullying other students |       |
|                 |                      | I am "never or almost never" threatened by other students                           |          |                           |            | I "never or almost never" get hit or pushed around by other students |          |              |          |   |       |
|                 |                      | Student-level <sup>1</sup>  |          | School-level <sup>2</sup> |            | Student-level  |          | School-level |          |   |       |
|                 |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.     | Score dif.                | S.E.       | Score dif.   | S.E.     | Score dif.   | S.E.     | Score dif.  | S.E.  |
| OECD            | Australia            | 2   | (2.8)    | 0                         | (1.0)      | 6  | (3.3)    | 1            | (1.1)    | 1   | (3.3) |
|                 | Austria              | -1  | (5.1)    | <b>5</b>                  | (2.3)      | 3  | (4.6)    | <b>9</b>     | (1.9)    | -2  | (5.5) |
|                 | Belgium              | -4  | (4.0)    | <b>4</b>                  | (2.0)      | 1  | (3.4)    | <b>5</b>     | (2.0)    | -8  | (4.5) |
|                 | Canada               | 2   | (3.2)    | -3                        | (1.7)      | <b>6</b>   | (3.0)    | -2           | (1.8)    | -9  | (5.3) |
|                 | Chile                | 3   | (4.3)    | -2                        | (2.0)      | 0  | (4.0)    | -2           | (2.0)    | 3   | (4.2) |
|                 | Czech Republic       | <b>16</b>   | (4.2)    | 2                         | (1.6)      | <b>12</b>  | (3.8)    | 2            | (1.2)    | 3   | (3.2) |
|                 | Denmark              | 4   | (4.7)    | 0                         | (2.3)      | 6  | (3.7)    | 1            | (1.5)    | 0   | (3.6) |
|                 | Estonia              | <b>10</b>   | (3.5)    | 1                         | (1.7)      | 6  | (3.2)    | 1            | (1.7)    | -7  | (3.9) |
|                 | Finland              | 2   | (4.3)    | -2                        | (3.0)      | 7  | (4.0)    | -2           | (2.3)    | 0   | (8.5) |
|                 | France               | -4  | (3.9)    | 3                         | (2.1)      | -5   | (3.9)    | 2            | (1.9)    | -2  | (3.6) |
|                 | Germany              | -6  | (6.2)    | 2                         | (2.9)      | 0  | (5.0)    | 3            | (3.4)    | 1   | (8.6) |
|                 | Greece               | <b>11</b>   | (4.9)    | 2                         | (2.2)      | 6  | (4.0)    | 2            | (1.8)    | -1  | (2.9) |
|                 | Hungary              | -1  | (5.9)    | 2                         | (1.8)      | 2  | (3.9)    | 3            | (1.8)    | 3   | (2.5) |
|                 | Iceland              | -4  | (4.6)    | 0                         | (1.4)      | -4   | (5.4)    | -2           | (2.0)    | 3   | (3.4) |
|                 | Ireland              | m   | m        | m                         | m          | m  | m        | m            | m        | m   | m     |
|                 | Israel               | m   | m        | m                         | m          | m  | m        | m            | m        | -2  | (4.4) |
|                 | Italy                | m   | m        | m                         | m          | m  | m        | m            | m        | 8   | (4.8) |
|                 | Japan                | 4   | (4.7)    | 2                         | (2.8)      | -2   | (3.2)    | 3            | (1.6)    | 1   | (3.5) |
|                 | Korea                | -3  | (7.4)    | 8                         | (4.4)      | -12  | (8.6)    | 5            | (5.3)    | 3   | (3.1) |
|                 | Latvia               | -1  | (3.1)    | 0                         | (1.2)      | -3   | (3.1)    | -1           | (0.9)    | -1  | (2.7) |
|                 | Luxembourg           | 2   | (4.2)    | <b>9</b>                  | (3.2)      | 2  | (4.8)    | <b>8</b>     | (3.0)    | <b>7</b>  | (3.2) |
| Mexico          | -3                   | (3.7)   | <b>3</b> | (1.5)                     | -2         | (3.1)  | <b>3</b> | (1.3)        | -1       | (2.9)   |       |
| Netherlands     | -5                   | (5.5)   | 1        | (4.1)                     | -1         | (4.8)  | 4        | (4.2)        | c        | c   |       |
| New Zealand     | 5                    | (3.4)   | <b>3</b> | (1.6)                     | 5          | (3.8)  | <b>3</b> | (1.5)        | -8       | (5.5)   |       |
| Norway          | 5                    | (4.0)   | 4        | (2.2)                     | <b>9</b>   | (3.3)  | 2        | (2.5)        | -6       | (10.2)  |       |
| Poland          | m                    | m   | m        | m                         | m          | m  | m        | m            | m        | m   |       |
| Portugal        | 5                    | (3.6)   | -2       | (2.8)                     | <b>11</b>  | (4.9)  | -1       | (3.3)        | -5       | (3.2)   |       |
| Slovak Republic | -5                   | (3.1)   | 0        | (1.3)                     | <b>-15</b> | (3.6)  | 0        | (1.3)        | 1        | (3.5)   |       |
| Slovenia        | 5                    | (3.8)   | 3        | (1.7)                     | 4          | (3.5)  | <b>4</b> | (1.3)        | 5        | (3.1)   |       |
| Spain           | <b>15</b>            | (4.6)   | 4        | (3.0)                     | <b>17</b>  | (3.3)  | 3        | (2.3)        | -2       | (3.2)   |       |
| Sweden          | -2                   | (5.2)   | 0        | (1.9)                     | -3         | (4.1)  | 1        | (1.9)        | 4        | (5.1)   |       |
| Switzerland     | m                    | m   | m        | m                         | m          | m  | m        | m            | m        | m   |       |
| Turkey          | 1                    | (3.4)   | 2        | (2.2)                     | 3          | (4.0)  | 3        | (2.5)        | <b>9</b> | (3.4)   |       |
| United Kingdom  | -3                   | (3.9)   | 1        | (1.9)                     | -3         | (4.0)  | 4        | (2.1)        | 5        | (5.4)   |       |
| United States   | <b>6</b>             | (3.0)   | 1        | (3.0)                     | 4          | (3.8)  | 4        | (3.0)        | 6        | (6.0)   |       |
| OECD average    | 2                    | (0.8)   | <b>2</b> | (0.4)                     | <b>2</b>   | (0.8)  | <b>2</b> | (0.4)        | 0        | (0.9)   |       |
| Partners        | Brazil               | -2  | (3.8)    | 1                         | (1.6)      | -1   | (3.4)    | 0            | (1.8)    | -2  | (3.8) |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | <b>8</b>  | (3.9)    | 2                         | (2.5)      | 7  | (4.8)    | 1            | (2.5)    | 1   | (3.5) |
|                 | Bulgaria             | -1  | (3.1)    | <b>3</b>                  | (1.3)      | 2  | (2.1)    | <b>3</b>     | (1.4)    | 2   | (2.9) |
|                 | Colombia             | -3  | (2.8)    | 2                         | (2.0)      | -2   | (2.8)    | 3            | (1.8)    | -4  | (4.2) |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 1   | (4.2)    | 1                         | (2.2)      | 1  | (5.0)    | 3            | (2.8)    | 1   | (5.3) |
|                 | Croatia              | 3   | (4.1)    | <b>5</b>                  | (2.1)      | 6  | (3.7)    | <b>6</b>     | (1.9)    | 0   | (3.3) |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 7   | (2.9)    | 3                         | (1.8)      | 3  | (2.9)    | 2            | (1.7)    | 0   | (3.5) |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m   | m        | m                         | m          | m  | m        | m            | m        | m   | m     |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | <b>8</b>  | (3.2)    | <b>7</b>                  | (2.0)      | 5  | (3.1)    | <b>7</b>     | (1.8)    | 6   | (4.0) |
|                 | Lithuania            | 0   | (2.7)    | 3                         | (1.4)      | -1   | (3.1)    | 2            | (1.5)    | <b>6</b>  | (2.9) |
|                 | Macao (China)        | <b>10</b>   | (3.1)    | <b>6</b>                  | (1.4)      | <b>12</b>  | (4.8)    | <b>8</b>     | (1.9)    | 3   | (3.4) |
|                 | Montenegro           | 6   | (3.4)    | 2                         | (1.9)      | 4  | (4.4)    | -2           | (2.9)    | 0   | (2.9) |
|                 | Peru                 | 4   | (3.8)    | <b>6</b>                  | (1.6)      | 2  | (2.9)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.6)    | 2   | (2.5) |
|                 | Qatar                | m   | m        | m                         | m          | m  | m        | m            | m        | m   | m     |
|                 | Russia               | 0   | (5.1)    | -4                        | (3.0)      | 2  | (6.5)    | -1           | (4.4)    | -2  | (4.3) |
|                 | Singapore            | <b>10</b>   | (3.8)    | 1                         | (1.3)      | <b>8</b>   | (3.4)    | 2            | (1.2)    | 0   | (2.6) |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | <b>12</b>   | (4.8)    | 0                         | (4.6)      | 11   | (7.4)    | 4            | (5.7)    | -1  | (3.5) |
|                 | Thailand             | 4   | (3.0)    | <b>6</b>                  | (1.8)      | 5  | (3.3)    | <b>6</b>     | (1.8)    | 1   | (4.0) |
|                 | Tunisia              | 3   | (2.3)    | 1                         | (1.8)      | 4  | (2.7)    | 1            | (1.6)    | 4   | (4.1) |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 1   | (2.2)    | <b>4</b>                  | (1.1)      | 3  | (2.2)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.2)    | -5  | (2.8) |
| Uruguay         | -2                   | (2.9)   | 1        | (2.4)                     | -4         | (3.5)  | 1        | (2.1)        | 2        | (3.1)   |       |
| Malaysia**      | 4                    | (2.1)   | -2       | (2.0)                     | 4          | (2.4)  | -1       | (2.2)        | -3       | (3.7)   |       |

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Table V.7.16 Student-teacher relationships

|                      | Percentage of students who reported the following:                    |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       | Percentage of students in schools whose principal reported the following:             |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
|----------------------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|--|
|                      | In "every lesson", the teacher gives extra help when students need it |       | In "every lesson", the teacher continues teaching until the students understand |       | Teachers "never or almost never" discipline me more harshly than other students |       | Teachers "never or almost never" say something insulting to me in front of others |       | Students "never or hardly ever" don't listen to what the teacher says |       | The teacher "never or hardly ever" has to wait a long time for students to quiet down |       | Students' learning is "not hindered at all" by students lacking respect for teachers |       | Students' learning is "not hindered at all" by teachers being too strict with students |       |  |  |
|                      | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>          |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Australia            | 48.5  | (0.7) | 43.5  | (0.7) | 63.5  | (0.6) | 67.6  | (0.5) | 14.4  | (0.4) | 21.5  | (0.6) | 20.7   | (1.6) | 30.5   | (2.1) |  |  |
| Austria              | 30.7  | (0.9) | 29.6  | (1.0) | 58.0  | (0.7) | 77.4  | (0.6) | 33.2  | (1.2) | 33.4  | (1.2) | 28.2   | (3.0) | 30.9   | (3.4) |  |  |
| Belgium              | 36.7  | (0.7) | 35.0  | (0.8) | 66.4  | (0.6) | 74.3  | (0.7) | 16.9  | (0.6) | 22.0  | (0.7) | 7.3  | (1.8) | 19.6   | (2.3) |  |  |
| Canada               | 52.5  | (0.7) | 44.7  | (0.6) | m   | m     | m   | m     | 19.9  | (0.6) | 29.9  | (0.7) | 14.4   | (1.9) | 26.7   | (2.3) |  |  |
| Chile                | 46.5  | (1.0) | 47.8  | (1.1) | 66.8  | (0.6) | 89.7  | (0.5) | 14.7  | (0.9) | 18.5  | (1.0) | 28.2   | (3.3) | 17.7   | (3.2) |  |  |
| Czech Republic       | 40.7  | (0.9) | 23.6  | (0.8) | 76.8  | (0.7) | 65.2  | (0.8) | 8.9   | (0.6) | 21.1  | (0.9) | 17.7   | (2.6) | 29.1   | (2.6) |  |  |
| Denmark              | 37.0  | (1.0) | 39.0  | (0.9) | 71.2  | (0.6) | 69.9  | (0.7) | 17.4  | (0.9) | 33.1  | (1.2) | 23.5   | (3.1) | 41.5   | (3.2) |  |  |
| Estonia              | 40.9  | (1.0) | 31.7  | (0.9) | 68.6  | (0.8) | 62.2  | (0.8) | 9.8   | (0.6) | 23.9  | (0.9) | 29.2   | (2.6) | 30.6   | (2.5) |  |  |
| Finland              | 48.0  | (0.8) | 36.3  | (0.9) | 63.5  | (0.8) | 74.2  | (0.7) | 11.8  | (0.6) | 20.2  | (0.8) | 8.8  | (2.0) | 34.7   | (3.5) |  |  |
| France               | 34.9  | (0.9) | 36.5  | (0.9) | 72.2  | (0.7) | 77.0  | (0.5) | 12.3  | (0.6) | 21.2  | (0.7) | 19.9   | (2.5) | 21.1   | (2.7) |  |  |
| Germany              | 32.8  | (0.9) | 30.1  | (0.9) | 59.5  | (0.8) | 83.7  | (0.7) | 15.3  | (0.6) | 24.3  | (0.9) | 14.1   | (2.6) | 23.8   | (3.2) |  |  |
| Greece               | 39.7  | (1.1) | 38.5  | (1.0) | 76.9  | (0.8) | 74.8  | (0.7) | 10.2  | (0.6) | 22.7  | (1.0) | 32.7   | (3.4) | 32.8   | (4.0) |  |  |
| Hungary              | 32.5  | (0.9) | 27.9  | (0.9) | 62.6  | (0.8) | 66.4  | (0.7) | 13.4  | (0.7) | 21.2  | (0.8) | 25.9   | (2.9) | 40.8   | (3.6) |  |  |
| Iceland              | 45.8  | (0.8) | 52.4  | (0.8) | 74.8  | (0.8) | 78.9  | (0.8) | 23.5  | (0.7) | 23.4  | (0.6) | 16.3   | (0.2) | 49.4   | (0.3) |  |  |
| Ireland              | 41.7  | (0.9) | 43.7  | (1.0) | 63.3  | (0.8) | 69.5  | (0.7) | 17.2  | (0.7) | 32.5  | (0.9) | 21.2   | (3.3) | 28.1   | (3.5) |  |  |
| Israel               | 35.5  | (0.8) | 44.4  | (1.0) | m   | m     | m   | m     | 19.0  | (0.9) | 26.4  | (1.2) | 19.6   | (3.2) | 26.1   | (3.7) |  |  |
| Italy                | 28.9  | (0.8) | 29.3  | (0.6) | m   | m     | m   | m     | 12.2  | (0.5) | 25.0  | (0.7) | 26.6   | (3.4) | 12.6   | (2.3) |  |  |
| Japan                | 34.7  | (0.8) | 30.6  | (0.8) | 82.6  | (0.5) | 88.9  | (0.4) | 49.5  | (1.2) | 63.9  | (1.4) | 16.0   | (2.8) | 10.6   | (2.3) |  |  |
| Korea                | 29.4  | (0.8) | 28.8  | (0.8) | 80.9  | (0.6) | 85.7  | (0.5) | 48.2  | (1.2) | 47.4  | (1.3) | 18.0   | (2.9) | 30.4   | (3.5) |  |  |
| Latvia               | 38.6  | (0.8) | 33.2  | (0.7) | 68.3  | (0.7) | 60.4  | (1.0) | 8.8   | (0.5) | 19.4  | (0.8) | 14.2   | (2.0) | 21.7   | (2.3) |  |  |
| Luxembourg           | 33.1  | (0.7) | 33.6  | (0.7) | 63.0  | (0.6) | 76.0  | (0.6) | 16.7  | (0.5) | 26.8  | (0.6) | 9.0  | (0.1) | 24.2   | (0.1) |  |  |
| Mexico               | 54.7  | (1.0) | 54.2  | (0.9) | 82.8  | (0.6) | 88.2  | (0.5) | 16.5  | (0.7) | 36.4  | (1.1) | 26.3   | (2.5) | 12.4   | (1.9) |  |  |
| Netherlands          | 27.3  | (1.0) | 23.2  | (0.9) | 71.4  | (0.7) | 83.7  | (0.6) | 17.9  | (0.8) | 14.3  | (0.7) | 8.5  | (3.1) | 8.8  | (2.9) |  |  |
| New Zealand          | 50.3  | (0.9) | 42.5  | (0.9) | 62.4  | (0.8) | 64.4  | (0.8) | 16.5  | (0.6) | 23.4  | (0.8) | 20.1   | (2.9) | 29.7   | (3.0) |  |  |
| Norway               | 36.1  | (0.9) | 38.8  | (1.0) | 68.4  | (0.7) | 72.5  | (0.7) | 27.4  | (1.0) | 29.2  | (1.1) | 9.3  | (2.2) | 21.3   | (3.0) |  |  |
| Poland               | 34.2  | (0.9) | 33.2  | (1.0) | 65.8  | (0.9) | 74.4  | (0.8) | 10.7  | (0.6) | 22.8  | (0.9) | 23.0   | (3.3) | 53.1   | (3.6) |  |  |
| Portugal             | 54.8  | (1.0) | 56.7  | (1.1) | 55.2  | (0.6) | 81.9  | (0.6) | 19.1  | (0.9) | 27.4  | (1.0) | 10.6   | (1.9) | 32.9   | (3.5) |  |  |
| Slovak Republic      | 33.4  | (0.9) | 27.6  | (0.9) | 73.0  | (0.7) | 74.5  | (0.8) | 10.9  | (0.6) | 24.1  | (0.9) | 21.0   | (2.7) | 29.3   | (2.5) |  |  |
| Slovenia             | 29.6  | (0.9) | 21.9  | (1.0) | 74.1  | (0.7) | 76.3  | (0.7) | 13.2  | (0.8) | 26.5  | (1.1) | 31.0   | (0.3) | 28.6   | (0.4) |  |  |
| Spain                | 37.7  | (1.1) | 42.0  | (1.0) | 73.8  | (0.7) | 79.7  | (0.7) | 13.5  | (0.7) | 20.8  | (0.9) | 13.1   | (2.0) | 23.9   | (3.0) |  |  |
| Sweden               | 39.5  | (1.2) | 42.2  | (1.2) | 74.7  | (0.7) | 79.4  | (0.5) | 20.5  | (1.0) | 26.3  | (1.0) | 19.6   | (2.8) | 52.1   | (3.4) |  |  |
| Switzerland          | 37.0  | (1.0) | 34.3  | (0.9) | 62.9  | (0.7) | 79.2  | (0.8) | 21.6  | (1.0) | 31.3  | (1.2) | 18.0   | (2.7) | 29.2   | (3.3) |  |  |
| Turkey               | 40.7  | (1.0) | 44.5  | (1.1) | 67.9  | (0.8) | 71.2  | (0.7) | 18.2  | (0.7) | 21.7  | (0.8) | 15.9   | (2.9) | 48.7   | (4.2) |  |  |
| United Kingdom       | 50.4  | (0.8) | 43.9  | (0.9) | 59.5  | (0.9) | 63.4  | (0.7) | 17.2  | (0.8) | 21.6  | (0.8) | 17.4   | (2.6) | 41.8   | (3.9) |  |  |
| United States        | 54.7  | (1.0) | 47.8  | (0.9) | 73.9  | (0.8) | 74.3  | (0.7) | 26.7  | (0.9) | 37.1  | (1.1) | 17.8   | (3.1) | 26.0   | (3.5) |  |  |
| OECD average-32      | 39.9  | (0.2) | 37.6  | (0.2) | 69.4  | (0.1) | 75.2  | (0.1) | 18.5  | (0.1) | 26.7  | (0.2) | 18.8   | (0.5) | 28.4   | (0.5) |  |  |
| OECD average-35      | 39.7  | (0.2) | 37.5  | (0.2) | 68.9  | (0.1) | 75.2  | (0.1) | 18.4  | (0.1) | 26.9  | (0.2) | 18.9   | (0.4) | 29.2   | (0.5) |  |  |
| <b>Partners</b>      |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |  |
| Brazil               | 47.0  | (0.7) | 55.0  | (0.6) | 69.6  | (0.5) | 78.8  | (0.5) | 15.7  | (0.5) | 20.6  | (0.5) | 10.8   | (1.7) | 36.9   | (2.2) |  |  |
| B-5-J-G (China)      | 46.2  | (1.1) | 36.4  | (0.9) | 67.1  | (1.0) | 86.6  | (0.5) | 24.7  | (1.0) | 38.9  | (1.1) | 23.6   | (3.1) | 20.2   | (3.1) |  |  |
| Bulgaria             | 39.0  | (0.9) | 45.7  | (0.8) | 67.1  | (0.8) | 69.9  | (0.9) | 12.3  | (0.6) | 23.8  | (1.0) | 39.1   | (3.6) | 53.3   | (3.9) |  |  |
| Colombia             | 43.2  | (0.8) | 47.9  | (0.9) | 74.0  | (0.7) | 75.5  | (0.8) | 18.3  | (0.6) | 31.7  | (1.0) | 21.6   | (2.9) | 15.6   | (2.2) |  |  |
| Costa Rica           | 53.1  | (0.9) | 55.3  | (1.0) | 65.1  | (0.7) | 91.1  | (0.5) | 22.0  | (0.7) | 35.8  | (1.1) | 20.9   | (3.2) | 11.9   | (2.3) |  |  |
| Croatia              | 30.8  | (0.8) | 24.7  | (0.9) | 73.2  | (0.7) | 77.7  | (0.7) | 7.7   | (0.4) | 24.8  | (0.9) | 8.7  | (2.2) | 23.0   | (3.2) |  |  |
| Cyprus*              | 38.4  | (0.8) | 36.7  | (0.7) | 68.0  | (0.6) | 64.7  | (0.6) | 10.3  | (0.4) | 16.6  | (0.6) | 6.7  | (0.1) | 22.7   | (0.1) |  |  |
| Dominican Republic   | 58.1  | (1.2) | 63.3  | (1.2) | 83.7  | (0.6) | 76.6  | (0.8) | 21.7  | (0.9) | 34.3  | (1.2) | 11.6   | (2.6) | 18.6   | (3.2) |  |  |
| Hong Kong (China)    | 30.5  | (0.9) | 29.0  | (0.8) | 70.4  | (0.8) | 79.5  | (0.8) | 24.9  | (1.1) | 38.6  | (1.1) | 12.8   | (3.2) | 15.3   | (3.4) |  |  |
| Lithuania            | 44.5  | (0.8) | 40.8  | (0.7) | 60.5  | (0.7) | 68.0  | (0.8) | 17.3  | (0.8) | 29.4  | (0.7) | 22.0   | (2.7) | 49.9   | (3.2) |  |  |
| Macao (China)        | 30.0  | (0.7) | 29.2  | (0.7) | 64.9  | (0.6) | 76.8  | (0.6) | 10.6  | (0.5) | 31.2  | (0.7) | 36.0   | (0.1) | 35.0   | (0.1) |  |  |
| Montenegro           | 40.9  | (0.8) | 40.4  | (0.8) | 75.9  | (0.6) | 81.1  | (0.6) | 15.1  | (0.5) | 36.3  | (0.7) | 10.6   | (0.1) | 25.2   | (0.3) |  |  |
| Peru                 | 47.4  | (0.8) | 47.0  | (0.8) | 56.1  | (0.6) | 89.0  | (0.5) | 18.1  | (0.6) | 38.6  | (0.9) | 42.3   | (2.8) | 16.8   | (2.4) |  |  |
| Qatar                | 49.2  | (0.5) | 50.4  | (0.5) | 60.4  | (0.4) | 62.2  | (0.4) | 19.4  | (0.4) | 23.1  | (0.4) | 42.5   | (0.1) | 46.5   | (0.1) |  |  |
| Russia               | 45.9  | (1.1) | 44.2  | (1.1) | 71.2  | (1.0) | 73.1  | (1.0) | 24.2  | (1.6) | 37.8  | (1.8) | 30.6   | (3.0) | 27.5   | (3.6) |  |  |
| Singapore            | 48.2  | (0.6) | 44.1  | (0.6) | 68.6  | (0.7) | 72.0  | (0.6) | 23.1  | (0.6) | 25.1  | (0.5) | 30.3   | (1.5) | 24.4   | (1.0) |  |  |
| Chinese Taipei       | 40.8  | (0.7) | 32.0  | (0.7) | 82.7  | (0.6) | 90.6  | (0.4) | 18.5  | (0.5) | 25.9  | (0.8) | 28.0   | (3.4) | 23.1   | (3.4) |  |  |
| Thailand             | 49.0  | (0.9) | 51.1  | (0.9) | 67.6  | (0.9) | 70.2  | (0.8) | 29.1  | (0.7) | 31.8  | (0.8) | 36.0   | (4.0) | 26.2   | (3.6) |  |  |
| Tunisia              | 36.6  | (0.9) | 43.3  | (1.0) | 69.3  | (0.7) | 68.4  | (0.8) | 14.0  | (0.6) | 24.0  | (0.9) | 15.4   | (3.2) | 11.7   | (3.0) |  |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 48.9  | (0.6) | 53.6  | (0.6) | 59.9  | (0.7) | 63.4  | (0.6) | 23.9  | (0.6) | 27.7  | (0.7) | 45.9   | (2.6) | 39.8   | (2.7) |  |  |
| Uruguay              | 43.1  | (0.8) | 48.6  | (0.9) | 78.0  | (0.7) | 90.7  | (0.4) | 16.0  | (0.6) | 17.6  | (0.7) | 30.3   | (2.6) | 29.1   | (2.8) |  |  |
| Malaysia**           | 52.0  | (1.1) | 51.7  | (1.0) | 43.8  | (0.9) | 71.9  | (0.9) | 15.9  | (0.6) | 29.4  | (0.9) | 19.4   | (2.8) | 26.9   | (3.8) |  |  |

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.7.18 Student-teacher relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving**

|                 |                      | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>     |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |               |       |              |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------|----------------------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---------------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                 |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |               |       |              |       |       |       |       |       |
|                 |                      | In "every lesson", the teacher gives extra help when students need it               |       | In "every lesson", the teacher continues teaching until the students understand |       | Teachers "never or almost never" discipline me more harshly than other students |       | Teachers "never or almost never" say something insulting to me in front of others |       |               |       |              |       |       |       |       |       |
|                 |                      | Student-level <sup>2</sup>  |       | School-level <sup>3</sup>   |       | Student-level   |       | School-level  |       | Student-level |       | School-level |       |       |       |       |       |
|                 |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.    | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  |       |       |       |       |
| OECD            | Australia            | 12  | (2.9) | 1   | (1.0) | 9   | (3.1) | 0   | (1.1) | 39            | (3.1) | 4            | (1.3) | 33    | (3.0) | 3     | (1.2) |
|                 | Austria              | 0   | (3.5) | -6  | (2.1) | 8   | (3.4) | -5  | (2.2) | 14            | (3.0) | 3            | (2.4) | 19    | (3.9) | 11    | (2.4) |
|                 | Belgium              | 4   | (2.5) | -2  | (1.9) | 4   | (2.4) | -2  | (1.7) | 22            | (2.5) | 4            | (1.9) | 16    | (2.2) | 9     | (2.1) |
|                 | Canada               | 9   | (2.6) | -1  | (1.3) | 4   | (2.7) | -2  | (1.4) | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     |
|                 | Chile                | -5  | (2.9) | 1   | (2.0) | -2  | (2.9) | 3   | (1.8) | 24            | (2.4) | 8            | (2.2) | 32    | (4.8) | 10    | (2.2) |
|                 | Czech Republic       | -1  | (2.9) | 1   | (1.2) | -2  | (3.0) | -1  | (1.6) | 22            | (3.7) | 8            | (1.6) | 12    | (3.1) | 6     | (1.4) |
|                 | Denmark              | 9   | (3.4) | 2   | (1.4) | 11  | (3.2) | 2   | (1.6) | 36            | (3.3) | 3            | (2.1) | 28    | (3.5) | 2     | (1.9) |
|                 | Estonia              | 8   | (3.0) | 5   | (1.4) | 4   | (3.5) | 5   | (1.9) | 30            | (3.3) | 1            | (2.4) | 19    | (3.2) | 2     | (2.1) |
|                 | Finland              | 14  | (3.8) | 3   | (1.9) | 5   | (3.8) | 3   | (2.0) | 30            | (2.9) | 0            | (2.7) | 29    | (3.4) | 2     | (2.8) |
|                 | France               | 4   | (3.3) | -4  | (2.1) | 6   | (2.9) | -2  | (1.9) | 23            | (3.4) | 9            | (2.1) | 19    | (3.5) | 13    | (2.1) |
|                 | Germany              | -1  | (3.3) | -1  | (1.9) | 6   | (3.9) | 0   | (2.4) | 18            | (2.7) | 3            | (2.1) | 23    | (4.4) | 9     | (2.5) |
|                 | Greece               | -4  | (3.5) | 0   | (2.2) | -5  | (2.9) | -2  | (2.1) | 17            | (3.3) | 9            | (2.4) | 15    | (3.4) | 10    | (2.4) |
|                 | Hungary              | 1   | (3.2) | -2  | (1.9) | 1   | (3.4) | -1  | (2.1) | 11            | (2.5) | 6            | (1.6) | 11    | (3.0) | 6     | (1.8) |
|                 | Iceland              | 4   | (4.6) | 0   | (1.3) | 2   | (4.3) | 1   | (1.2) | 33            | (5.3) | 1            | (2.0) | 31    | (5.1) | 2     | (2.0) |
|                 | Ireland              | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     |
|                 | Israel               | 2   | (3.0) | -21   | (2.9) | 9   | (2.6) | -12   | (3.6) | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     |
|                 | Italy                | -2  | (2.7) | -5  | (1.9) | 3   | (2.7) | -5  | (1.7) | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     |
|                 | Japan                | -4  | (3.1) | 0   | (1.9) | -5  | (2.9) | -2  | (2.1) | 16            | (3.4) | 9            | (3.8) | 19    | (4.5) | 15    | (4.1) |
|                 | Korea                | 5   | (3.2) | 4   | (1.8) | 4   | (3.7) | 3   | (1.6) | 14            | (3.5) | 14           | (3.6) | 15    | (3.7) | 10    | (3.9) |
|                 | Latvia               | 7   | (3.4) | 0   | (1.4) | 7   | (3.6) | -1  | (1.6) | 34            | (3.2) | 3            | (1.8) | 17    | (3.0) | -1    | (1.4) |
| Luxembourg      | -6                   | (3.1)   | -6    | (2.1)   | 1     | (3.6)   | -2    | (2.2)   | 25    | (2.8)         | 16    | (2.3)        | 34    | (3.1) | 11    | (2.2) |       |
| Mexico          | -5                   | (2.3)   | -1    | (1.4)   | -7    | (2.5)   | -1    | (1.6)   | 19    | (3.4)         | 7     | (1.9)        | 19    | (3.2) | 8     | (2.4) |       |
| Netherlands     | 12                   | (3.4)   | -1    | (2.3)   | 13    | (3.7)   | -4    | (2.9)   | 25    | (3.3)         | 5     | (2.8)        | 18    | (4.4) | 9     | (4.4) |       |
| New Zealand     | 8                    | (4.1)   | 1     | (2.0)   | 4     | (4.1)   | 0     | (2.0)   | 41    | (3.8)         | 8     | (1.9)        | 36    | (4.2) | 6     | (2.1) |       |
| Norway          | -1                   | (3.4)   | 4     | (1.5)   | 3     | (3.5)   | 3     | (1.5)   | 36    | (3.2)         | 3     | (1.8)        | 27    | (3.8) | 2     | (2.1) |       |
| Poland          | m                    | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     |       |
| Portugal        | 3                    | (3.2)   | -5    | (1.7)   | 6     | (3.5)   | -4    | (1.7)   | 20    | (2.5)         | 6     | (2.3)        | 41    | (3.4) | 10    | (2.3) |       |
| Slovak Republic | -5                   | (3.1)   | -1    | (1.7)   | -7    | (3.0)   | -1    | (1.7)   | 16    | (3.2)         | 7     | (1.5)        | 13    | (3.4) | 6     | (1.8) |       |
| Slovenia        | 6                    | (5.5)   | 0     | (1.5)   | -1    | (6.3)   | -1    | (2.2)   | 20    | (3.8)         | 8     | (1.7)        | 17    | (3.3) | 8     | (1.7) |       |
| Spain           | 0                    | (2.7)   | 0     | (1.6)   | 4     | (3.0)   | -1    | (1.8)   | 27    | (2.7)         | 2     | (2.0)        | 27    | (3.2) | 3     | (2.0) |       |
| Sweden          | -1                   | (3.5)   | 0     | (1.7)   | 3     | (3.6)   | -1    | (1.9)   | 44    | (2.9)         | 6     | (2.5)        | 34    | (4.2) | 4     | (2.4) |       |
| Switzerland     | m                    | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     |       |
| Turkey          | 3                    | (2.4)   | -1    | (3.5)   | 1     | (2.2)   | -1    | (3.3)   | 8     | (2.6)         | 11    | (2.1)        | 12    | (2.7) | 9     | (2.9) |       |
| United Kingdom  | 9                    | (3.5)   | 1     | (1.9)   | 5     | (3.0)   | 1     | (1.9)   | 27    | (3.0)         | 4     | (2.1)        | 24    | (2.9) | 7     | (2.1) |       |
| United States   | 13                   | (3.6)   | 2     | (2.4)   | 11    | (3.9)   | -3    | (2.1)   | 38    | (3.5)         | 8     | (3.0)        | 27    | (3.9) | 4     | (3.1) |       |
|                 | OECD average         | 3   | (0.6) | -1  | (0.3) | 3   | (0.6) | -1  | (0.4) | 25            | (0.6) | 6            | (0.4) | 23    | (0.7) | 7     | (0.5) |
| Partners        | Brazil               | -8  | (2.6) | 0   | (1.4) | -6  | (2.5) | 0   | (1.3) | 23            | (2.2) | 6            | (1.4) | 23    | (2.4) | 7     | (1.6) |
|                 | B-S-J-G (China)      | 8   | (2.8) | 3   | (2.5) | -1  | (2.8) | -3  | (2.4) | 14            | (3.3) | 6            | (2.3) | 25    | (4.6) | 8     | (3.8) |
|                 | Bulgaria             | -4  | (3.0) | 1   | (2.2) | -1  | (3.3) | 1   | (1.9) | 12            | (2.4) | 9            | (1.8) | 17    | (2.4) | 5     | (2.6) |
|                 | Colombia             | -7  | (2.5) | -5  | (1.6) | -2  | (2.9) | -3  | (1.5) | 9             | (2.8) | 3            | (2.4) | 6     | (2.6) | -2    | (2.1) |
|                 | Costa Rica           | 4   | (2.6) | 3   | (1.6) | 2   | (2.7) | 2   | (1.9) | 6             | (2.6) | 1            | (2.0) | 15    | (5.1) | 5     | (3.8) |
|                 | Croatia              | 2   | (2.9) | 2   | (3.1) | 6   | (2.4) | -1  | (2.4) | 5             | (3.3) | 15           | (2.8) | 1     | (3.5) | 11    | (3.1) |
|                 | Cyprus*              | 11  | (3.8) | 1   | (1.6) | 8   | (3.5) | 3   | (1.7) | 33            | (3.3) | 6            | (1.3) | 20    | (3.3) | 10    | (1.5) |
|                 | Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     |
|                 | Hong Kong (China)    | 7   | (3.8) | 1   | (3.9) | 5   | (3.9) | 0   | (4.2) | 26            | (3.5) | 19           | (2.4) | 30    | (3.9) | 22    | (3.4) |
|                 | Lithuania            | 8   | (2.5) | 4   | (1.7) | 4   | (3.0) | 4   | (1.8) | 20            | (2.7) | 6            | (1.5) | 15    | (2.7) | 7     | (1.6) |
|                 | Macao (China)        | 7   | (3.9) | 14  | (2.0) | 3   | (3.5) | 9   | (2.4) | 10            | (3.1) | 34           | (2.0) | 21    | (3.7) | 28    | (1.5) |
|                 | Montenegro           | -4  | (2.8) | 3   | (1.7) | -4  | (2.7) | 1   | (2.0) | 20            | (2.6) | 8            | (2.5) | 17    | (2.9) | 7     | (2.6) |
|                 | Peru                 | -7  | (2.2) | -1  | (1.4) | -7  | (2.3) | 0   | (1.3) | 9             | (2.3) | 4            | (1.3) | 16    | (3.3) | 8     | (2.0) |
|                 | Qatar                | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m             | m     | m            | m     | m     | m     | m     | m     |
|                 | Russia               | -8  | (3.2) | 0   | (2.0) | -10   | (3.3) | 0   | (2.0) | 20            | (3.3) | 6            | (2.2) | 16    | (3.5) | 5     | (2.4) |
|                 | Singapore            | 10  | (3.5) | 4   | (1.3) | 6   | (3.3) | 4   | (1.2) | 31            | (2.6) | 12           | (1.6) | 25    | (3.0) | 8     | (1.8) |
|                 | Chinese Taipei       | 9   | (2.7) | 3   | (2.2) | 3   | (2.9) | 1   | (2.3) | 9             | (3.3) | 6            | (2.6) | 23    | (4.2) | 8     | (3.5) |
|                 | Thailand             | 3   | (2.6) | 1   | (2.0) | 1   | (2.5) | 1   | (2.0) | 24            | (2.3) | 12           | (2.2) | 17    | (2.4) | 11    | (2.2) |
|                 | Tunisia              | -7  | (1.8) | -3  | (1.8) | -7  | (2.0) | -3  | (1.7) | 9             | (2.0) | 7            | (1.8) | 7     | (2.1) | 7     | (2.2) |
|                 | United Arab Emirates | 6   | (2.2) | 3   | (1.6) | 7   | (2.7) | -1  | (1.5) | 25            | (2.7) | 14           | (1.2) | 25    | (2.4) | 10    | (1.4) |
| Uruguay         | -11                  | (3.1)   | -6    | (1.7)   | -8    | (3.1)   | -5    | (1.7)   | 18    | (3.8)         | 5     | (1.9)        | 32    | (5.0) | 11    | (3.1) |       |
|                 | Malaysia**           | 10  | (2.6) | 2   | (1.6) | 1   | (2.2) | 3   | (1.8) | 20            | (2.4) | 5            | (2.2) | 20    | (3.5) | 3     | (2.1) |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students reporting the above.

3. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

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Table V.7.18 Student-teacher relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                |                      | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>     |       |                           |   |               |       |   |       |  |        |            |        |
|----------------|----------------------|---|-------|---------------------------|---|---------------|-------|---|-------|--|--------|------------|--------|
|                |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |       |                           |   |               |       | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when principals reported the following: |       |  |        |            |        |
|                |                      | Students "never or hardly ever" don't listen to what the teacher says               |       |                           | The teacher "never or hardly ever" has to wait a long time for students to quiet down |               |       | Students' learning is "not hindered at all" by students lacking respect for teachers  |       | Students' learning is "not hindered at all" by teachers being too strict with students |        |            |        |
|                |                      | Student-level <sup>2</sup>  |       | School-level <sup>3</sup> |   | Student-level |       | School-level  |       | Score dif.   |        | Score dif. |        |
|                |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.                | S.E.  | Score dif.    | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   |
| OECD           | Australia            | 16  | (4.4) | 6                         | (1.6)   | 18            | (4.0) | 5   | (1.4) | 17   | (4.4)  | 4          | (4.1)  |
|                | Austria              | 7   | (4.1) | 6                         | (1.7)   | 7             | (4.0) | 3   | (1.8) | 11   | (7.0)  | -6         | (6.8)  |
|                | Belgium              | 7   | (3.3) | 7                         | (2.3)   | 12            | (3.2) | 0   | (1.6) | 4  | (13.2) | 2          | (7.0)  |
|                | Canada               | 10  | (3.4) | 1                         | (1.6)   | 16            | (2.7) | 2   | (1.4) | 6  | (6.0)  | -5         | (4.5)  |
|                | Chile                | 5   | (4.2) | 8                         | (2.8)   | 9             | (3.8) | 5   | (2.4) | 7  | (6.6)  | 3          | (6.7)  |
|                | Czech Republic       | -4  | (5.3) | 3                         | (2.0)   | 5             | (3.8) | 5   | (1.2) | 7  | (5.6)  | -4         | (4.4)  |
|                | Denmark              | 4   | (4.4) | 2                         | (1.8)   | 2             | (3.5) | 2   | (1.4) | 14   | (6.4)  | 6          | (5.7)  |
|                | Estonia              | -1  | (5.2) | 1                         | (2.1)   | 19            | (3.3) | 3   | (1.6) | -1   | (4.8)  | 4          | (4.8)  |
|                | Finland              | 3   | (5.5) | 2                         | (2.8)   | 12            | (4.3) | 0   | (2.0) | 11   | (9.7)  | -1         | (4.4)  |
|                | France               | 1   | (5.0) | 2                         | (3.0)   | 10            | (3.5) | 4   | (2.1) | 2  | (7.1)  | -6         | (6.3)  |
|                | Germany              | -9  | (5.4) | 2                         | (2.8)   | 2             | (4.4) | 4   | (2.1) | 5  | (10.1) | -2         | (7.3)  |
|                | Greece               | -4  | (5.0) | 6                         | (3.7)   | 9             | (3.3) | 7   | (2.4) | 5  | (6.7)  | -3         | (6.3)  |
|                | Hungary              | -5  | (4.3) | 3                         | (2.8)   | 1             | (4.0) | 5   | (2.2) | 9  | (6.1)  | -17        | (5.2)  |
|                | Iceland              | 2   | (5.2) | 5                         | (1.5)   | 3             | (5.0) | 3   | (1.3) | 7  | (4.6)  | -5         | (3.9)  |
|                | Ireland              | m   | m     | m                         | m   | m             | m     | m   | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      |
|                | Israel               | 4   | (3.5) | 4                         | (4.6)   | 9             | (2.8) | 3   | (3.6) | 9  | (11.4) | -17        | (12.0) |
|                | Italy                | 3   | (5.1) | 3                         | (2.6)   | 2             | (3.6) | 4   | (1.9) | 1  | (7.7)  | -20        | (6.9)  |
|                | Japan                | -1  | (3.1) | 6                         | (1.6)   | 1             | (2.6) | 6   | (1.2) | -8   | (6.8)  | -8         | (7.7)  |
|                | Korea                | -2  | (2.7) | 8                         | (1.2)   | 0             | (2.9) | 8   | (1.3) | 16   | (5.3)  | -1         | (4.8)  |
|                | Latvia               | -4  | (5.8) | 1                         | (2.9)   | 4             | (4.4) | 2   | (1.7) | 0  | (5.8)  | -11        | (4.4)  |
|                | Luxembourg           | 13  | (4.5) | 7                         | (2.7)   | 13            | (3.4) | 7   | (2.2) | 13   | (5.4)  | -9         | (2.8)  |
|                | Mexico               | 0   | (3.5) | 6                         | (1.6)   | 4             | (2.9) | 3   | (1.2) | 0  | (4.8)  | -9         | (6.0)  |
|                | Netherlands          | 0   | (3.9) | 8                         | (2.6)   | 3             | (4.5) | 10  | (3.4) | 1  | (15.2) | 5          | (16.4) |
|                | New Zealand          | 23  | (4.7) | 2                         | (2.6)   | 27            | (4.4) | 2   | (2.0) | 1  | (7.6)  | -5         | (6.3)  |
|                | Norway               | 1   | (3.4) | 4                         | (1.4)   | 2             | (4.0) | 5   | (1.2) | 15   | (10.4) | -3         | (6.9)  |
|                | Poland               | m   | m     | m                         | m   | m             | m     | m   | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      |
|                | Portugal             | 6   | (4.2) | 3                         | (1.9)   | 12            | (3.7) | 4   | (1.9) | 9  | (7.3)  | -2         | (4.9)  |
|                | Slovak Republic      | -1  | (4.7) | 6                         | (2.6)   | 4             | (3.7) | 8   | (1.6) | 14   | (5.7)  | -8         | (5.2)  |
|                | Slovenia             | -2  | (8.8) | 1                         | (2.1)   | 5             | (6.0) | 5   | (1.6) | 17   | (3.7)  | 2          | (3.2)  |
|                | Spain                | -1  | (4.5) | 3                         | (2.4)   | 11            | (3.7) | 2   | (1.7) | -2   | (7.8)  | 2          | (4.4)  |
|                | Sweden               | 3   | (4.5) | 3                         | (1.8)   | 9             | (3.9) | 3   | (1.9) | 6  | (7.1)  | -5         | (4.9)  |
|                | Switzerland          | m   | m     | m                         | m   | m             | m     | m   | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      |
| Turkey         | 8                    | (2.9)   | 9     | (2.6)                     | 11  | (2.8)         | 9     | (2.5)   | 27    | (8.3)  | 7      | (5.9)      |        |
| United Kingdom | 19                   | (4.3)   | 5     | (1.9)                     | 11  | (4.4)         | 4     | (1.8)   | 13    | (6.3)  | 9      | (5.4)      |        |
| United States  | 19                   | (4.5)   | 4     | (2.6)                     | 28  | (3.8)         | 5     | (2.5)   | 4     | (7.5)  | 10     | (6.5)      |        |
| OECD average   | 4                    | (0.8)   | 4     | (0.4)                     | 9   | (0.7)         | 4     | (0.3)   | 7     | (1.4)  | -3     | (1.1)      |        |
| Partners       | Brazil               | 3   | (4.4) | 5                         | (1.8)   | -1            | (3.6) | 3   | (1.6) | 1  | (6.6)  | -2         | (4.5)  |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | 3   | (3.3) | 1                         | (2.7)   | 6             | (3.2) | 7   | (2.5) | 1  | (6.2)  | 2          | (7.4)  |
|                | Bulgaria             | -8  | (5.6) | 8                         | (3.4)   | 3             | (4.3) | 8   | (2.2) | 5  | (4.6)  | 3          | (5.5)  |
|                | Colombia             | 3   | (4.0) | 0                         | (1.8)   | 4             | (2.5) | 1   | (1.4) | 0  | (4.8)  | 5          | (5.0)  |
|                | Costa Rica           | 6   | (3.0) | 3                         | (2.0)   | 9             | (2.5) | 2   | (1.8) | 4  | (4.7)  | 8          | (7.7)  |
|                | Croatia              | -1  | (5.5) | 11                        | (4.7)   | 11            | (3.1) | 12  | (2.0) | 3  | (8.7)  | 6          | (6.0)  |
|                | Cyprus*              | 9   | (5.5) | 3                         | (2.8)   | 17            | (4.6) | 9   | (1.9) | 3  | (6.5)  | 10         | (4.5)  |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m                         | m   | m             | m     | m   | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | 3   | (4.1) | 8                         | (3.4)   | 12            | (3.3) | 11  | (2.5) | 21   | (11.8) | 21         | (11.7) |
|                | Lithuania            | -5  | (3.5) | 6                         | (1.6)   | 0             | (3.2) | 7   | (1.4) | 5  | (5.8)  | 1          | (4.5)  |
|                | Macao (China)        | -6  | (5.4) | 5                         | (3.0)   | 14            | (3.6) | 23  | (1.7) | 21   | (2.8)  | 8          | (2.8)  |
|                | Montenegro           | -1  | (3.8) | 4                         | (2.5)   | 12            | (3.3) | 5   | (1.3) | 4  | (3.7)  | 0          | (2.5)  |
|                | Peru                 | 5   | (3.5) | 2                         | (1.8)   | 6             | (2.3) | 0   | (1.3) | 0  | (3.9)  | 7          | (5.3)  |
|                | Qatar                | m   | m     | m                         | m   | m             | m     | m   | m     | m  | m      | m          | m      |
|                | Russia               | -1  | (4.0) | 1                         | (1.6)   | 3             | (3.5) | 1   | (1.7) | 3  | (5.8)  | 1          | (5.6)  |
|                | Singapore            | 13  | (3.7) | 7                         | (1.8)   | 13            | (3.4) | 4   | (1.5) | 1  | (4.6)  | 3          | (4.0)  |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | -4  | (3.3) | 9                         | (2.6)   | 5             | (2.9) | 9   | (1.9) | 6  | (6.6)  | 0          | (7.0)  |
|                | Thailand             | 7   | (2.7) | -1                        | (2.0)   | 9             | (2.9) | 4   | (2.1) | 1  | (6.3)  | 4          | (6.2)  |
|                | Tunisia              | -12   | (3.1) | -6                        | (2.7)   | -7            | (2.6) | 1   | (2.0) | 0  | (5.5)  | 17         | (7.1)  |
|                | United Arab Emirates | -2  | (3.1) | 0                         | (2.1)   | 2             | (3.0) | 4   | (2.2) | 22   | (5.4)  | 9          | (5.9)  |
|                | Uruguay              | -9  | (5.0) | -1                        | (2.3)   | 0             | (4.3) | 2   | (2.0) | 13   | (5.4)  | 2          | (4.4)  |
|                | Malaysia**           | 5   | (3.2) | -1                        | (2.6)   | 16            | (2.7) | 2   | (1.7) | 10   | (6.3)  | 3          | (6.4)  |

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2. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students reporting the above.

3. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

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**Table V.7.19 Student-teacher relationships and relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

|                |                      | After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics                |       |                           |       |   |       |              |           |   |          |              |          |   |          |              |       |
|----------------|----------------------|---|-------|---------------------------|-------|---|-------|--------------|-----------|---|----------|--------------|----------|---|----------|--------------|-------|
|                |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |       |                           |       |   |       |              |           |   |          |              |          |   |          |              |       |
|                |                      | In "every lesson", the teacher gives extra help when students need it               |       |                           |       | In "every lesson", the teacher continues teaching until the students understand |       |              |           | Teachers "never or almost never" discipline me more harshly than other students |          |              |          | Teachers "never or almost never" say something insulting to me in front of others |          |              |       |
|                |                      | Student-level <sup>1</sup>  |       | School-level <sup>2</sup> |       | Student-level   |       | School-level |           | Student-level   |          | School-level |          | Student-level   |          | School-level |       |
|                |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.                | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.      | Score dif.  | S.E.     | Score dif.   | S.E.     | Score dif.  | S.E.     | Score dif.   | S.E.  |
| OECD           | Australia            | 2   | (2.4) | 0                         | (0.8) | 3   | (2.3) | 0            | (0.8)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.4)    | 1            | (0.8)    | 4   | (2.4)    | 1            | (0.8) |
|                | Austria              | 2   | (3.0) | 0                         | (1.2) | 4   | (2.5) | 0            | (1.3)     | 4   | (2.4)    | 2            | (1.5)    | 3   | (3.5)    | <b>5</b>     | (1.6) |
|                | Belgium              | 3   | (1.9) | 1                         | (1.2) | 4   | (1.9) | 0            | (1.1)     | <b>8</b>  | (1.8)    | 0            | (1.2)    | <b>4</b>  | (1.9)    | 2            | (1.4) |
|                | Canada               | 3   | (1.9) | 0                         | (0.9) | 3   | (2.5) | -1           | (1.0)     | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Chile                | 2   | (2.7) | -1                        | (1.2) | 2   | (2.9) | 1            | (1.1)     | <b>11</b>   | (2.1)    | 0            | (1.2)    | <b>10</b>   | (3.9)    | 0            | (1.8) |
|                | Czech Republic       | 3   | (2.6) | 1                         | (0.8) | 1   | (2.7) | 0            | (1.0)     | <b>9</b>  | (3.1)    | 3            | (1.3)    | 2   | (2.6)    | <b>2</b>     | (0.9) |
|                | Denmark              | 0   | (2.7) | 1                         | (1.1) | 1   | (2.3) | 0            | (1.2)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.6)    | 1            | (1.4)    | 0   | (2.8)    | 0            | (1.3) |
|                | Estonia              | 4   | (2.4) | 1                         | (0.9) | 4   | (2.8) | 1            | (1.2)     | <b>9</b>  | (2.6)    | -1           | (1.3)    | 1   | (2.3)    | 1            | (1.1) |
|                | Finland              | 1   | (3.5) | 1                         | (1.4) | 0   | (3.2) | 2            | (1.3)     | 4   | (2.1)    | 0            | (1.7)    | 4   | (2.3)    | 0            | (2.0) |
|                | France               | 2   | (2.7) | -1                        | (1.2) | 3   | (2.6) | 0            | (1.2)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.9)    | 1            | (1.4)    | 5   | (3.0)    | 3            | (1.4) |
|                | Germany              | -6  | (3.0) | 1                         | (1.4) | -4  | (3.3) | 1            | (1.4)     | 3   | (2.1)    | 0            | (1.5)    | 0   | (3.8)    | 1            | (1.7) |
|                | Greece               | -2  | (3.0) | 0                         | (1.2) | -4  | (2.4) | 0            | (1.1)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.8)    | 1            | (1.6)    | 5   | (3.0)    | 0            | (1.4) |
|                | Hungary              | -2  | (2.7) | -2                        | (1.2) | -2  | (3.1) | -1           | (1.2)     | 2   | (2.0)    | 2            | (1.1)    | 0   | (2.5)    | 1            | (1.2) |
|                | Iceland              | -3  | (3.7) | 0                         | (1.0) | -4  | (3.5) | 1            | (0.8)     | 4   | (3.5)    | 1            | (1.6)    | 1   | (3.9)    | 2            | (1.4) |
|                | Ireland              | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m         | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Israel               | -2  | (2.1) | <b>-10</b>                | (1.6) | -1  | (1.9) | <b>-7</b>    | (1.8)     | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Italy                | 1   | (2.3) | 0                         | (1.5) | 1   | (2.2) | 1            | (1.4)     | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Japan                | -3  | (2.9) | -1                        | (1.4) | -3  | (2.6) | -1           | (1.3)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.3)    | 3            | (2.4)    | 6   | (3.8)    | 3            | (2.7) |
|                | Korea                | 3   | (3.2) | 0                         | (1.2) | 2   | (3.5) | 1            | (1.0)     | -1  | (2.8)    | 4            | (2.0)    | 1   | (2.9)    | 2            | (2.1) |
|                | Latvia               | 0   | (2.5) | 1                         | (0.9) | 0   | (2.2) | 1            | (1.0)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.9)    | 0            | (1.1)    | 1   | (2.3)    | -1           | (0.9) |
|                | Luxembourg           | -3  | (2.8) | 0                         | (1.8) | -2  | (3.0) | 1            | (1.8)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.5)    | <b>6</b>     | (2.0)    | <b>6</b>  | (2.7)    | 2            | (1.7) |
|                | Mexico               | -1  | (2.0) | -2                        | (0.8) | -4  | (2.0) | -2           | (0.9)     | 4   | (3.0)    | 1            | (1.3)    | -1  | (2.8)    | 0            | (1.6) |
|                | Netherlands          | 4   | (2.4) | 1                         | (1.6) | 4   | (2.5) | 2            | (1.7)     | <b>8</b>  | (2.8)    | 0            | (2.0)    | 3   | (3.8)    | 0            | (2.0) |
|                | New Zealand          | 4   | (3.2) | 0                         | (1.5) | 6   | (3.3) | 1            | (1.4)     | <b>10</b>   | (3.3)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.6)    | <b>6</b>  | (3.2)    | 3            | (1.6) |
|                | Norway               | -7  | (2.6) | 1                         | (1.2) | -5  | (3.0) | 1            | (1.2)     | 4   | (2.9)    | 2            | (1.5)    | -2  | (3.3)    | 0            | (1.6) |
|                | Poland               | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m         | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Portugal             | -2  | (2.8) | -1                        | (1.4) | -1  | (3.0) | -1           | (1.3)     | <b>6</b>  | (1.9)    | -2           | (1.6)    | <b>12</b>   | (3.5)    | 1            | (1.6) |
|                | Slovak Republic      | -2  | (2.9) | 0                         | (1.1) | -2  | (2.5) | 0            | (1.2)     | 0   | (2.7)    | 1            | (1.0)    | -4  | (2.9)    | 0            | (1.3) |
|                | Slovenia             | 1   | (4.7) | 1                         | (1.1) | -1  | (5.3) | 2            | (1.5)     | <b>7</b>  | (3.2)    | <b>3</b>     | (1.2)    | 5   | (3.0)    | 2            | (1.4) |
|                | Spain                | 3   | (2.1) | -1                        | (1.1) | 2   | (2.4) | -1           | (1.3)     | <b>10</b>   | (2.3)    | 1            | (1.7)    | <b>8</b>  | (2.5)    | 2            | (1.6) |
| Sweden         | -5                   | (2.8)   | 0     | (1.2)                     | -3    | (3.0)   | -1    | (1.2)        | <b>13</b> | (2.4)   | 1        | (1.8)        | 6        | (3.7)   | 0        | (1.6)        |       |
| Switzerland    | m                    | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m         | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            |       |
| Turkey         | 1                    | (2.6)   | -1    | (1.6)                     | 0     | (2.4)   | 0     | (1.3)        | 2         | (2.0)   | 1        | (1.6)        | 3        | (2.2)   | 1        | (1.9)        |       |
| United Kingdom | 0                    | (3.2)   | 1     | (1.5)                     | -1    | (2.8)   | 1     | (1.4)        | 2         | (2.6)   | 1        | (1.7)        | 2        | (2.4)   | 2        | (1.6)        |       |
| United States  | 3                    | (2.3)   | -2    | (1.7)                     | 3     | (2.9)   | -2    | (1.6)        | 4         | (2.7)   | 1        | (2.4)        | 0        | (3.3)   | 1        | (2.3)        |       |
| OECD average   | 0                    | (0.5)   | 0     | (0.2)                     | 0     | (0.5)   | 0     | (0.2)        | <b>6</b>  | (0.5)   | <b>1</b> | (0.3)        | <b>3</b> | (0.6)   | <b>1</b> | (0.3)        |       |
| Partners       | Brazil               | -4  | (2.5) | -1                        | (1.2) | -3  | (2.3) | -1           | (1.0)     | 2   | (2.1)    | 0            | (1.1)    | 2   | (2.3)    | 0            | (1.2) |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | 2   | (2.5) | -1                        | (1.4) | 1   | (2.5) | -1           | (1.6)     | <b>5</b>  | (2.5)    | 1            | (1.4)    | <b>11</b>   | (4.4)    | 3            | (2.3) |
|                | Bulgaria             | -5  | (2.3) | -2                        | (1.3) | -4  | (2.8) | -1           | (1.3)     | -2  | (2.2)    | 2            | (1.3)    | -1  | (1.8)    | 1            | (1.5) |
|                | Colombia             | -3  | (1.9) | 0                         | (1.2) | -1  | (2.5) | 0            | (1.0)     | -1  | (2.2)    | -1           | (1.4)    | <b>-4</b>   | (2.0)    | -1           | (1.2) |
|                | Costa Rica           | <b>6</b>  | (2.3) | 1                         | (1.3) | 4   | (2.3) | 0            | (1.5)     | 3   | (2.4)    | -1           | (1.4)    | 2   | (4.9)    | 0            | (2.8) |
|                | Croatia              | 0   | (2.7) | 3                         | (1.9) | 1   | (2.3) | 1            | (1.6)     | 0   | (2.7)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.7)    | -2  | (3.1)    | 2            | (1.9) |
|                | Cyprus*              | 1   | (2.8) | -1                        | (1.3) | 1   | (2.9) | 0            | (1.4)     | 3   | (2.6)    | 0            | (1.1)    | -2  | (2.6)    | 2            | (1.3) |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m         | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | -6  | (2.9) | 0                         | (1.7) | <b>-8</b>   | (2.8) | 0            | (1.7)     | 5   | (2.9)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.6)    | <b>7</b>  | (3.0)    | <b>5</b>     | (2.2) |
|                | Lithuania            | 2   | (1.9) | 1                         | (1.0) | -1  | (2.4) | 0            | (1.0)     | <b>5</b>  | (2.0)    | 2            | (1.1)    | 1   | (2.2)    | 0            | (1.0) |
|                | Macao (China)        | 3   | (2.6) | 3                         | (1.5) | 3   | (2.2) | 3            | (1.8)     | <b>7</b>  | (2.1)    | <b>8</b>     | (2.0)    | 5   | (2.9)    | <b>6</b>     | (1.5) |
|                | Montenegro           | -4  | (2.4) | 1                         | (1.2) | -4  | (2.3) | 0            | (1.1)     | <b>6</b>  | (2.2)    | 0            | (2.2)    | 4   | (2.7)    | -2           | (1.7) |
|                | Peru                 | 1   | (1.9) | -1                        | (0.9) | 1   | (1.7) | -1           | (0.8)     | 0   | (1.9)    | 1            | (0.9)    | -4  | (2.7)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.3) |
|                | Qatar                | m   | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m         | m   | m        | m            | m        | m   | m        | m            | m     |
|                | Russia               | -3  | (2.6) | <b>-3</b>                 | (1.5) | <b>-6</b>   | (2.7) | <b>-5</b>    | (1.3)     | 2   | (3.2)    | 0            | (1.8)    | -2  | (3.1)    | -2           | (1.7) |
|                | Singapore            | 2   | (2.7) | 0                         | (0.9) | 3   | (2.6) | 0            | (0.8)     | <b>10</b>   | (2.2)    | 1            | (1.0)    | <b>10</b>   | (2.3)    | 0            | (1.1) |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | 1   | (2.3) | -1                        | (1.4) | 1   | (2.4) | -1           | (1.5)     | <b>5</b>  | (2.6)    | 2            | (2.1)    | 6   | (3.5)    | 1            | (2.9) |
|                | Thailand             | 0   | (2.4) | 2                         | (1.3) | -1  | (2.4) | 0            | (1.1)     | <b>6</b>  | (2.0)    | <b>5</b>     | (1.7)    | 2   | (1.7)    | <b>5</b>     | (1.8) |
|                | Tunisia              | -3  | (1.7) | -2                        | (1.4) | <b>-3</b>   | (1.7) | -3           | (1.3)     | <b>4</b>  | (1.8)    | 1            | (1.5)    | 2   | (2.0)    | 2            | (1.6) |
|                | United Arab Emirates | 2   | (1.7) | -1                        | (1.0) | 2   | (2.1) | -2           | (1.0)     | 1   | (2.5)    | <b>3</b>     | (1.1)    | 0   | (2.2)    | 1            | (1.0) |
|                | Uruguay              | -2  | (2.2) | -1                        | (1.1) | -2  | (2.4) | -2           | (1.1)     | 4   | (2.6)    | -1           | (1.4)    | 8   | (4.0)    | 1            | (2.0) |
|                | Malaysia**           | 1   | (2.2) | -2                        | (1.3) | 0   | (2.0) | -2           | (1.5)     | 3   | (2.3)    | 2            | (1.7)    | 0   | (3.2)    | -2           | (1.6) |

1. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students reporting the above.

2. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.7.19 Student-teacher relationships and relative performance in collaborative problem solving

|                |                      | After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics                |          |              |   |               |          |   |       |  |       |            |       |
|----------------|----------------------|---|----------|--------------|---|---------------|----------|---|-------|--|-------|------------|-------|
|                |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |          |              |   |               |          | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when principals reported the following: |       |  |       |            |       |
|                |                      | Students "never or hardly ever" don't listen to what the teacher says               |          |              | The teacher "never or hardly ever" has to wait a long time for students to quiet down |               |          | Students' learning is "not hindered at all" by students lacking respect for teachers  |       | Students' learning is "not hindered at all" by teachers being too strict with students |       |            |       |
|                |                      | Student-level   |          | School-level |   | Student-level |          | School-level  |       | Score dif.   |       | Score dif. |       |
|                |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.     | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.    | S.E.     | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif. | S.E.  |
| OECD           | Australia            | -1  | (4.1)    | 2            | (1.1)   | 2             | (3.2)    | 1   | (1.0) | 2  | (2.6) | 1          | (2.8) |
|                | Austria              | 1   | (3.9)    | 1            | (1.2)   | 2             | (3.6)    | 0   | (1.0) | 0  | (4.3) | -3         | (3.9) |
|                | Belgium              | 4   | (3.1)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.3)   | <b>6</b>      | (2.9)    | 0   | (1.2) | -3   | (6.0) | 3          | (3.9) |
|                | Canada               | -3  | (3.2)    | 0            | (1.4)   | -1            | (2.3)    | 0   | (1.1) | -7   | (4.5) | -3         | (3.7) |
|                | Chile                | 3   | (3.6)    | 1            | (1.3)   | 3             | (3.1)    | 0   | (1.2) | 3  | (3.7) | 4          | (4.6) |
|                | Czech Republic       | -3  | (4.6)    | 0            | (1.5)   | 3             | (3.3)    | 0   | (0.8) | 2  | (4.0) | -2         | (3.3) |
|                | Denmark              | -3  | (3.7)    | 0            | (1.2)   | -4            | (2.6)    | 1   | (0.9) | 3  | (4.1) | 2          | (3.4) |
|                | Estonia              | 0   | (4.2)    | -1           | (1.6)   | <b>10</b>     | (2.7)    | 0   | (1.0) | -3   | (2.7) | 0          | (3.0) |
|                | Finland              | 6   | (4.5)    | -2           | (1.8)   | 6             | (3.2)    | -1  | (1.4) | 0  | (6.4) | 5          | (3.0) |
|                | France               | 4   | (4.0)    | 0            | (1.7)   | <b>8</b>      | (3.0)    | 1   | (1.3) | 1  | (3.8) | -2         | (3.5) |
|                | Germany              | <b>-12</b>  | (4.9)    | 3            | (1.9)   | <b>-7</b>     | (3.6)    | 2   | (1.3) | -2   | (5.8) | 2          | (4.3) |
|                | Greece               | -5  | (4.2)    | 0            | (1.9)   | 3             | (2.8)    | 1   | (1.1) | -1   | (3.4) | 2          | (3.0) |
|                | Hungary              | -3  | (3.9)    | 0            | (1.7)   | 0             | (3.3)    | 2   | (1.2) | 0  | (3.1) | -5         | (3.0) |
|                | Iceland              | 3   | (4.0)    | 1            | (1.0)   | -1            | (3.8)    | 1   | (0.8) | 6  | (3.6) | -2         | (3.0) |
|                | Ireland              | m   | m        | m            | m   | m             | m        | m   | m     | m  | m     | m          | m     |
|                | Israel               | -2  | (3.3)    | 0            | (2.5)   | -2            | (2.7)    | -1  | (1.9) | 2  | (6.4) | -12        | (6.8) |
|                | Italy                | -1  | (4.2)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.8)   | -3            | (3.1)    | 2   | (1.3) | 1  | (5.0) | -2         | (5.7) |
|                | Japan                | -5  | (2.5)    | 0            | (1.0)   | <b>-4</b>     | (2.1)    | 1   | (0.9) | -8   | (5.1) | 3          | (5.6) |
|                | Korea                | 4   | (2.1)    | 1            | (0.9)   | 3             | (2.5)    | 1   | (1.0) | 3  | (3.8) | 0          | (2.7) |
|                | Latvia               | -1  | (4.8)    | 0            | (1.8)   | -1            | (3.3)    | 0   | (1.1) | 1  | (3.7) | -4         | (2.8) |
|                | Luxembourg           | 0   | (3.9)    | 1            | (2.1)   | 0             | (2.8)    | 0   | (1.8) | <b>11</b>  | (4.4) | -1         | (2.4) |
|                | Mexico               | -3  | (2.9)    | 1            | (1.2)   | -2            | (2.6)    | -1  | (0.8) | -3   | (2.8) | -3         | (3.7) |
|                | Netherlands          | -5  | (3.6)    | 2            | (1.8)   | -2            | (3.7)    | 1   | (2.3) | 7  | (8.6) | 10         | (7.0) |
|                | New Zealand          | 8   | (4.6)    | 0            | (2.1)   | <b>8</b>      | (3.1)    | 1   | (1.6) | -5   | (5.5) | -3         | (4.4) |
|                | Norway               | -2  | (2.6)    | 0            | (1.1)   | -1            | (3.2)    | 1   | (1.0) | -4   | (7.1) | 2          | (5.0) |
|                | Poland               | m   | m        | m            | m   | m             | m        | m   | m     | m  | m     | m          | m     |
|                | Portugal             | -2  | (3.5)    | -1           | (1.4)   | 1             | (3.0)    | 0   | (1.3) | 0  | (5.1) | -2         | (3.2) |
|                | Slovak Republic      | -5  | (4.1)    | 0            | (1.7)   | -4            | (3.0)    | 1   | (1.0) | -3   | (4.2) | -7         | (3.6) |
|                | Slovenia             | 6   | (7.4)    | 0            | (1.5)   | 4             | (5.5)    | 1   | (1.3) | 7  | (3.5) | -1         | (2.9) |
|                | Spain                | -2  | (2.9)    | 0            | (1.9)   | 0             | (2.6)    | 1   | (1.4) | -2   | (5.2) | 1          | (3.5) |
|                | Sweden               | 0   | (3.6)    | 0            | (1.4)   | 5             | (3.0)    | 0   | (1.4) | 1  | (4.4) | 0          | (3.2) |
|                | Switzerland          | m   | m        | m            | m   | m             | m        | m   | m     | m  | m     | m          | m     |
| Turkey         | <b>6</b>             | (3.0)   | 0        | (1.6)        | <b>5</b>  | (2.4)         | 0        | (1.7)   | 5     | (5.1)  | 2     | (3.1)      |       |
| United Kingdom | -1                   | (3.6)   | 3        | (1.6)        | -4  | (3.6)         | 2        | (1.5)   | 6     | (5.9)  | 1     | (4.2)      |       |
| United States  | -5                   | (3.7)   | 0        | (1.9)        | 2   | (2.9)         | -1       | (1.7)   | -4    | (6.1)  | 1     | (5.0)      |       |
| OECD average   | -1                   | (0.7)   | <b>1</b> | (0.3)        | 1   | (0.6)         | <b>1</b> | (0.2)   | 0     | (0.9)  | 0     | (0.7)      |       |
| Partners       | Brazil               | 1   | (4.2)    | -1           | (1.3)   | -1            | (3.6)    | -2  | (1.1) | -10  | (6.1) | 1          | (3.2) |
|                | B-S-J-G (China)      | -4  | (2.9)    | -1           | (1.7)   | -2            | (2.9)    | -1  | (1.5) | -3   | (4.1) | -6         | (4.0) |
|                | Bulgaria             | -4  | (5.0)    | -1           | (1.9)   | 0             | (3.8)    | -1  | (1.2) | 4  | (2.8) | -1         | (2.7) |
|                | Colombia             | 1   | (3.2)    | -1           | (1.4)   | -1            | (2.1)    | <b>-2</b>   | (0.9) | -3   | (3.8) | -4         | (4.3) |
|                | Costa Rica           | 5   | (2.9)    | 2            | (1.7)   | <b>5</b>      | (2.6)    | -1  | (1.3) | -1   | (4.2) | 6          | (5.7) |
|                | Croatia              | -5  | (4.5)    | -2           | (2.6)   | 2             | (2.1)    | <b>2</b>  | (1.0) | -3   | (6.2) | 3          | (4.1) |
|                | Cyprus*              | 2   | (4.7)    | 2            | (2.4)   | 4             | (3.8)    | 2   | (1.5) | -1   | (5.8) | 3          | (3.6) |
|                | Dominican Republic   | m   | m        | m            | m   | m             | m        | m   | m     | m  | m     | m          | m     |
|                | Hong Kong (China)    | -3  | (3.5)    | <b>4</b>     | (1.7)   | 1             | (3.0)    | <b>4</b>  | (1.3) | 4  | (5.9) | 8          | (5.8) |
|                | Lithuania            | <b>-6</b>   | (2.8)    | 1            | (1.0)   | -5            | (2.7)    | 1   | (0.7) | -2   | (3.5) | -2         | (2.4) |
|                | Macao (China)        | 5   | (4.2)    | 1            | (2.3)   | <b>8</b>      | (2.4)    | <b>5</b>  | (1.3) | -1   | (2.7) | 0          | (2.3) |
|                | Montenegro           | -1  | (3.7)    | 0            | (2.4)   | 3             | (2.7)    | 0   | (1.0) | <b>6</b>   | (3.1) | <b>10</b>  | (1.9) |
|                | Peru                 | 1   | (3.5)    | 1            | (1.2)   | 3             | (2.1)    | -1  | (0.9) | 2  | (2.5) | 5          | (3.5) |
|                | Qatar                | m   | m        | m            | m   | m             | m        | m   | m     | m  | m     | m          | m     |
|                | Russia               | 2   | (3.8)    | <b>-3</b>    | (1.3)   | -2            | (3.7)    | <b>-3</b>   | (1.3) | -4   | (4.9) | -5         | (4.3) |
|                | Singapore            | -2  | (3.0)    | <b>2</b>     | (1.0)   | -2            | (3.1)    | <b>2</b>  | (0.9) | 1  | (2.4) | 7          | (2.6) |
|                | Chinese Taipei       | 1   | (2.8)    | 2            | (1.8)   | 3             | (2.3)    | 1   | (1.4) | -1   | (4.1) | -2         | (4.1) |
|                | Thailand             | -1  | (2.2)    | -2           | (1.1)   | 4             | (2.7)    | 0   | (1.3) | 2  | (4.3) | 0          | (4.5) |
|                | Tunisia              | -7  | (3.0)    | -4           | (2.0)   | <b>-6</b>     | (2.6)    | -2  | (1.3) | -4   | (4.7) | 5          | (5.6) |
|                | United Arab Emirates | -4  | (2.9)    | 0            | (1.3)   | -2            | (2.6)    | 0   | (1.2) | 0  | (3.1) | 4          | (3.2) |
|                | Uruguay              | <b>-11</b>  | (4.3)    | -1           | (1.7)   | -4            | (3.9)    | -1  | (1.4) | 3  | (3.2) | 1          | (3.4) |
| Malaysia**     | 0                    | (2.2)   | -3       | (2.0)        | 0   | (2.2)         | 0        | (1.3)   | -7    | (5.2)  | -3    | (4.9)      |       |

1. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students reporting the above.

2. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates who reported the above.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.7.21 Student-parent relationships**

|                             |                              | Percentage of students who reported the following:              |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|
|                             |                              | Talked to parents before going to school on the most recent day |       | Talked to parents after leaving school on the most recent day |       | "Strongly agree" that my parents are interested in my school activities |       | "Strongly agree" that my parents support my educational efforts and achievements |       | "Strongly agree" that my parents support me when I am facing difficulties at school |       | "Strongly agree" that my parents encourage me to be confident |       |
|                             |                              | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |
| OECD                        | Australia                    | 90.1  | (0.4) | 95.7  | (0.2) | 51.6  | (0.5) | 64.7   | (0.5) | 51.2  | (0.5) | 57.2  | (0.5) |
|                             | Austria                      | 84.1  | (0.7) | 91.7  | (0.5) | 74.2  | (0.6) | 61.4   | (0.7) | 69.9  | (0.6) | 64.9  | (0.6) |
|                             | Belgium <sup>1</sup>         | 85.4  | (0.5) | 93.2  | (0.3) | 49.6  | (0.6) | 56.0   | (0.6) | 50.8  | (0.6) | 49.0  | (0.6) |
|                             | Canada                       | 88.2  | (0.4) | 95.0  | (0.2) | 49.1  | (0.6) | 66.8   | (0.6) | 51.1  | (0.6) | 57.6  | (0.5) |
|                             | Chile                        | 81.2  | (0.5) | 86.4  | (0.5) | 53.6  | (0.8) | 59.8   | (0.7) | 54.1  | (0.9) | 54.7  | (0.8) |
|                             | Czech Republic               | 85.6  | (0.6) | 93.5  | (0.4) | 38.0  | (0.7) | 45.8   | (0.8) | 38.2  | (0.7) | 27.4  | (0.7) |
|                             | Denmark                      | 87.2  | (0.6) | 94.3  | (0.6) | 52.1  | (0.8) | 60.2   | (0.8) | 61.0  | (0.7) | 50.4  | (0.6) |
|                             | Estonia                      | 87.9  | (0.5) | 88.8  | (0.5) | 37.8  | (0.7) | 42.4   | (0.8) | 37.7  | (0.7) | 36.6  | (0.7) |
|                             | Finland                      | 82.8  | (0.6) | 94.5  | (0.4) | 54.6  | (0.9) | 48.3   | (0.9) | 46.9  | (0.8) | 47.7  | (0.8) |
|                             | France                       | 80.8  | (0.5) | 91.4  | (0.4) | 54.4  | (0.7) | 62.4   | (0.6) | 47.4  | (0.6) | 52.6  | (0.8) |
|                             | Germany                      | 86.9  | (0.6) | 94.5  | (0.4) | 67.9  | (0.7) | 61.1   | (0.7) | 64.1  | (0.7) | 58.3  | (0.8) |
|                             | Greece                       | 88.5  | (0.5) | 92.0  | (0.5) | 51.1  | (0.9) | 50.6   | (0.8) | 49.4  | (0.8) | 58.4  | (0.8) |
|                             | Hungary                      | 89.4  | (0.5) | 93.5  | (0.4) | 54.0  | (0.8) | 56.7   | (0.8) | 52.7  | (0.8) | 53.9  | (0.8) |
|                             | Iceland                      | 90.2  | (0.5) | 97.4  | (0.3) | 53.7  | (0.9) | 69.9   | (0.9) | 62.1  | (0.9) | 65.8  | (0.9) |
|                             | Ireland                      | 92.1  | (0.5) | 96.7  | (0.3) | 61.7  | (0.7) | 63.8   | (0.7) | 60.4  | (0.7) | 61.0  | (0.7) |
|                             | Israel                       | 88.0  | (0.8) | 91.1  | (0.6) | m   | m     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     |
|                             | Italy                        | 89.3  | (0.4) | 93.6  | (0.4) | 50.0  | (0.7) | 44.0   | (0.7) | 42.9  | (0.7) | 51.8  | (0.7) |
|                             | Japan                        | 90.2  | (0.5) | 93.9  | (0.4) | 30.1  | (0.8) | 42.1   | (0.7) | 37.4  | (0.7) | 30.5  | (0.7) |
|                             | Korea                        | 79.4  | (0.9) | 85.5  | (0.7) | 46.0  | (1.1) | 43.5   | (1.1) | 39.4  | (1.0) | 40.0  | (1.1) |
|                             | Latvia                       | 89.4  | (0.5) | 93.5  | (0.4) | 44.5  | (0.9) | 40.6   | (1.0) | 35.3  | (0.9) | 32.9  | (0.9) |
|                             | Luxembourg                   | 82.4  | (0.6) | 91.6  | (0.4) | 67.8  | (0.6) | 62.2   | (0.6) | 56.6  | (0.6) | 55.9  | (0.7) |
|                             | Mexico                       | 79.7  | (0.7) | 84.4  | (0.5) | 59.6  | (0.7) | 58.0   | (0.7) | 50.7  | (0.7) | 55.5  | (0.6) |
|                             | Netherlands                  | 89.0  | (0.5) | 96.6  | (0.2) | 50.6  | (0.8) | 52.1   | (0.9) | 55.1  | (0.9) | 50.4  | (0.9) |
|                             | New Zealand                  | 88.8  | (0.4) | 95.0  | (0.4) | 49.6  | (0.8) | 64.1   | (0.7) | 48.4  | (0.8) | 54.6  | (0.7) |
|                             | Norway                       | 87.6  | (0.4) | 96.0  | (0.3) | 50.5  | (0.9) | 55.6   | (0.8) | 54.1  | (0.8) | 57.0  | (0.9) |
|                             | Poland                       | 83.4  | (0.6) | 90.5  | (0.4) | 40.2  | (1.0) | 32.2   | (0.8) | 34.1  | (0.9) | 37.0  | (0.9) |
|                             | Portugal                     | 92.0  | (0.4) | 96.0  | (0.3) | 70.1  | (0.7) | 64.4   | (0.7) | 57.9  | (0.8) | 63.9  | (0.6) |
|                             | Slovak Republic              | 81.8  | (0.6) | 88.7  | (0.5) | 40.4  | (0.8) | 47.3   | (0.8) | 36.9  | (0.7) | 35.7  | (0.7) |
|                             | Slovenia                     | 79.8  | (0.7) | 83.1  | (0.6) | 49.1  | (0.8) | 62.9   | (0.7) | 48.4  | (0.8) | 51.8  | (0.7) |
|                             | Spain                        | 84.0  | (0.4) | 92.1  | (0.4) | 60.6  | (0.7) | 56.6   | (0.7) | 54.8  | (0.6) | 58.5  | (0.7) |
| Sweden                      | 87.4                         | (0.5)   | 94.8  | (0.4)   | 49.5  | (0.9)   | 60.8  | (0.9)  | 58.2  | (0.9)   | 59.5  | (0.9)   |       |
| Switzerland                 | 82.7                         | (0.6)   | 93.7  | (0.5)   | 68.6  | (0.9)   | 68.1  | (0.9)  | 62.2  | (0.9)   | 62.7  | (0.9)   |       |
| Turkey                      | 80.0                         | (0.8)   | 84.0  | (0.8)   | 28.2  | (0.9)   | 57.7  | (0.8)  | 47.4  | (0.8)   | 46.2  | (0.8)   |       |
| United Kingdom <sup>2</sup> | 88.7                         | (0.5)   | 94.9  | (0.3)   | 50.6  | (0.7)   | 63.5  | (0.7)  | 52.6  | (0.8)   | 56.2  | (0.8)   |       |
| United States               | 88.2                         | (0.5)   | 94.3  | (0.4)   | 51.3  | (0.8)   | 70.4  | (0.7)  | 53.9  | (0.7)   | 62.2  | (0.8)   |       |
|                             | OECD average-32 <sup>3</sup> | 86.1  | (0.1) | 92.2  | (0.1) | 51.3  | (0.1) | 56.5   | (0.1) | 50.5  | (0.1) | 51.5  | (0.1) |
|                             | OECD average-35 <sup>4</sup> | 86.1  | (0.1) | 92.3  | (0.1) | 51.8  | (0.1) | 56.4   | (0.1) | 50.7  | (0.1) | 51.7  | (0.1) |
| Partners                    | Brazil                       | 85.2  | (0.4) | 89.5  | (0.5) | 50.2  | (0.5) | 53.1   | (0.5) | 42.6  | (0.4) | 51.7  | (0.5) |
|                             | B-S-J-G (China)              | 72.1  | (0.8) | 75.0  | (1.0) | 18.0  | (0.6) | 50.5   | (0.8) | 39.1  | (0.8) | 46.7  | (0.8) |
|                             | Bulgaria                     | 84.1  | (0.6) | 91.0  | (0.6) | 52.4  | (0.7) | 50.8   | (0.8) | 50.6  | (0.8) | 58.2  | (0.8) |
|                             | Colombia                     | 82.5  | (0.5) | 85.3  | (0.5) | 55.3  | (0.7) | 56.8   | (0.6) | 46.7  | (0.7) | 53.8  | (0.6) |
|                             | Costa Rica                   | 83.5  | (0.6) | 87.0  | (0.6) | 69.5  | (0.8) | 71.1   | (0.7) | 73.4  | (0.7) | 64.9  | (0.7) |
|                             | Croatia                      | 85.8  | (0.5) | 93.9  | (0.4) | 55.8  | (0.7) | 60.4   | (0.8) | 56.8  | (0.8) | 55.0  | (0.7) |
|                             | Cyprus*                      | 86.1  | (0.4) | 88.0  | (0.5) | 57.9  | (0.7) | 56.2   | (0.7) | 53.3  | (0.8) | 59.7  | (0.8) |
|                             | Dominican Republic           | 86.6  | (0.7) | 89.8  | (0.6) | 61.2  | (0.8) | 62.3   | (0.9) | 43.0  | (0.8) | 55.2  | (0.9) |
|                             | Hong Kong (China)            | 76.8  | (0.6) | 89.0  | (0.5) | 8.9   | (0.5) | 31.4   | (0.9) | 24.3  | (0.7) | 27.3  | (0.9) |
|                             | Lithuania                    | 89.7  | (0.4) | 92.8  | (0.4) | 64.4  | (0.6) | 61.6   | (0.7) | 56.1  | (0.7) | 63.2  | (0.6) |
|                             | Macao (China)                | 72.5  | (0.6) | 83.3  | (0.5) | 10.7  | (0.5) | 31.5   | (0.7) | 21.2  | (0.6) | 27.1  | (0.7) |
|                             | Montenegro                   | 79.8  | (0.6) | 86.9  | (0.5) | 39.6  | (0.7) | 51.5   | (0.7) | 49.1  | (0.7) | 58.5  | (0.6) |
|                             | Peru                         | 81.7  | (0.6) | 84.1  | (0.6) | 43.8  | (0.7) | 44.0   | (0.8) | 33.6  | (0.7) | 48.8  | (0.7) |
|                             | Qatar                        | 88.6  | (0.4) | 91.0  | (0.3) | 40.5  | (0.4) | 60.4   | (0.4) | 53.1  | (0.5) | 65.1  | (0.4) |
|                             | Russia                       | 92.6  | (0.4) | 92.8  | (0.4) | 41.0  | (1.0) | 39.8   | (0.9) | 39.5  | (1.1) | 24.5  | (0.8) |
|                             | Singapore                    | 77.2  | (0.5) | 89.6  | (0.4) | 30.8  | (0.6) | 53.1   | (0.6) | 37.4  | (0.8) | 44.7  | (0.7) |
|                             | Chinese Taipei               | 56.3  | (0.7) | 81.0  | (0.6) | 18.5  | (0.6) | 37.9   | (0.7) | 36.8  | (0.8) | 34.4  | (0.6) |
|                             | Thailand                     | 92.6  | (0.4) | 94.5  | (0.3) | 21.2  | (0.6) | 47.7   | (1.0) | 33.1  | (0.9) | 42.4  | (1.0) |
|                             | Tunisia                      | 90.6  | (0.5) | 90.3  | (0.6) | 36.7  | (0.8) | 56.3   | (0.8) | 42.1  | (0.8) | 62.0  | (0.8) |
|                             | United Arab Emirates         | 90.5  | (0.4) | 93.3  | (0.3) | 31.5  | (0.6) | 59.0   | (0.6) | 52.8  | (0.5) | 66.5  | (0.5) |
| Uruguay                     | 81.2                         | (0.7)   | 87.7  | (0.6)   | 59.1  | (0.8)   | 61.5  | (0.8)  | 54.9  | (0.7)   | 55.5  | (0.7)   |       |
|                             | Malaysia**                   | 90.0  | (0.6) | 93.1  | (0.4) | 24.9  | (1.0) | 58.0   | (1.0) | 38.0  | (1.0) | 58.5  | (1.1) |

1. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in the Flemish Community.

2. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in Scotland.

3. For the results from the parent questionnaire, the OECD average-32 is the arithmetic mean of the OECD countries with available data from the parent questionnaire and the collaborative problem-solving assessment.

4. For the results from the parent questionnaire, the OECD average-35 is the arithmetic mean of the OECD countries with available data from the parent questionnaire.

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Table V.7.21 Student-parent relationships

|                              | Percentage of students whose parents reported the following:                   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |
|------------------------------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|
|                              | "Every day or almost every day" eat the main meal with my child around a table |       | "Every day or almost every day" spend time just talking to my child |       | "Strongly agree" that I am interested in my child's school activities |       | "Strongly agree" that I support my child's efforts at school and his/her achievements |       | "Strongly agree" that I support my child when he/she is facing difficulties at school |       | "Strongly agree" that I encourage my child to be confident |       |
|                              | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>                  |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |
| Australia                    | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Austria                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Belgium <sup>1</sup>         | 90.7   | (0.6) | 71.2  | (0.6) | 64.5  | (0.8) | 69.0  | (0.7) | 74.3  | (0.7) | 73.7   | (0.7) |
| Canada                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Chile                        | 69.0   | (0.8) | 48.7  | (0.8) | 66.2  | (0.8) | 77.2  | (0.7) | 79.1  | (0.6) | 82.8   | (0.7) |
| Czech Republic               | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Denmark                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Estonia                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Finland                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| France                       | 91.4   | (0.5) | 73.1  | (0.6) | 71.4  | (0.7) | 83.6  | (0.6) | 73.6  | (0.7) | 79.9   | (0.6) |
| Germany                      | 83.1   | (0.6) | 93.1  | (0.4) | 79.5  | (0.7) | 67.1  | (0.9) | 80.4  | (0.8) | 85.9   | (0.6) |
| Greece                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Hungary                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Iceland                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Ireland                      | 75.3   | (0.8) | 80.9  | (0.6) | 84.4  | (0.6) | 84.8  | (0.7) | 87.0  | (0.6) | 86.6   | (0.6) |
| Israel                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Italy                        | 94.9   | (0.4) | 77.1  | (0.6) | 53.9  | (0.7) | 54.2  | (0.8) | 56.7  | (0.8) | 73.9   | (0.6) |
| Japan                        | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Korea                        | 70.2   | (0.8) | 53.7  | (0.8) | 43.9  | (0.9) | 41.9  | (1.0) | 44.2  | (0.9) | 46.4   | (0.8) |
| Latvia                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Luxembourg                   | 87.4   | (0.6) | 80.8  | (0.6) | 78.6  | (0.7) | 79.8  | (0.7) | 78.1  | (0.7) | 82.7   | (0.6) |
| Mexico                       | 76.5   | (0.6) | 43.4  | (0.8) | 68.5  | (0.7) | 72.5  | (0.7) | 71.0  | (0.7) | 75.2   | (0.7) |
| Netherlands                  | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| New Zealand                  | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Norway                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Poland                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Portugal                     | 94.7   | (0.3) | 90.2  | (0.5) | 68.9  | (0.7) | 70.3  | (0.7) | 77.6  | (0.7) | 83.6   | (0.5) |
| Slovak Republic              | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Slovenia                     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Spain                        | 92.6   | (0.5) | 79.1  | (0.7) | 69.4  | (0.8) | 73.0  | (0.8) | 73.5  | (0.8) | 83.0   | (0.6) |
| Sweden                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Switzerland                  | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Turkey                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| United Kingdom <sup>2</sup>  | 68.2   | (1.4) | 84.1  | (0.9) | 79.6  | (0.8) | 86.3  | (0.8) | 87.0  | (0.8) | 85.2   | (0.8) |
| United States                | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| OECD average-32 <sup>3</sup> | 83.5   | (0.2) | 72.2  | (0.2) | 67.7  | (0.2) | 70.4  | (0.2) | 72.3  | (0.2) | 77.5   | (0.2) |
| OECD average-35 <sup>4</sup> | 82.8   | (0.2) | 72.9  | (0.2) | 69.1  | (0.2) | 71.6  | (0.2) | 73.5  | (0.2) | 78.2   | (0.2) |
| <b>Partners</b>              |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |
| Brazil                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| B-S-J-G (China)              | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Bulgaria                     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Colombia                     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Costa Rica                   | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Croatia                      | 73.4   | (0.7) | 65.2  | (0.7) | 68.6  | (0.7) | 79.5  | (0.6) | 80.1  | (0.5) | 81.7   | (0.6) |
| Cyprus*                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Dominican Republic           | 69.9   | (1.0) | 56.3  | (1.0) | 73.0  | (0.9) | 76.1  | (0.9) | 66.7  | (1.1) | 78.5   | (0.8) |
| Hong Kong (China)            | 87.1   | (0.4) | 67.0  | (0.7) | 18.6  | (0.5) | 50.6  | (0.7) | 57.3  | (0.9) | 66.6   | (0.7) |
| Lithuania                    | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Macao (China)                | 82.6   | (0.5) | 39.5  | (0.6) | 20.9  | (0.6) | 49.6  | (0.7) | 45.1  | (0.7) | 60.3   | (0.7) |
| Montenegro                   | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Peru                         | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Qatar                        | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Russia                       | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Singapore                    | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Chinese Taipei               | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Thailand                     | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Tunisia                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| United Arab Emirates         | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Uruguay                      | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |
| Malaysia**                   | m  | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m   | m     | m  | m     |

1. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in the Flemish Community.

2. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in Scotland.

3. For the results from the parent questionnaire, the OECD average-32 is the arithmetic mean of the OECD countries with available data from the parent questionnaire and the collaborative problem-solving assessment.

4. For the results from the parent questionnaire, the OECD average-35 is the arithmetic mean of the OECD countries with available data from the parent questionnaire.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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**Table V.7.23 Student-parent relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving**

|                             |                      | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>     |                  |   |                  |   |                 |  |                 |   |                 |   |                 |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---|------------------|---|------------------|---|-----------------|--|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|-----------------|
|                             |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |                  |   |                  |   |                 |  |                 |   |                 |   |                 |
|                             |                      | Talked to parents before going to school on the most recent day                     |                  | Talked to parents after leaving school on the most recent day |                  | "Strongly agree" that my parents are interested in my school activities |                 | "Strongly agree" that my parents support my educational efforts and achievements |                 | "Strongly agree" that my parents support me when I am facing difficulties at school |                 | "Strongly agree" that my parents encourage me to be confident |                 |
|                             |                      | Student-level <sup>2</sup>  |                  | Student-level   |                  | Student-level   |                 | Student-level  |                 | Student-level   |                 | Student-level   |                 |
|                             |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.             | Score dif.  | S.E.            | Score dif.   | S.E.            | Score dif.  | S.E.            | Score dif.  | S.E.            |
| OECD                        | Australia            | 5 (4.6)   | -1 (2.0)         | <b>26</b> (7.9)   | <b>7</b> (2.9)   | <b>15</b> (2.9)   | 1 (1.2)         | <b>19</b> (2.8)  | 2 (1.3)         | 2 (2.8)   | -1 (1.4)        | 1 (3.3)   | 0 (1.5)         |
|                             | Austria              | -1 (4.3)  | 4 (2.6)          | 5 (6.4)   | <b>9</b> (3.6)   | <b>-15</b> (2.8)  | 1 (2.3)         | -5 (3.0)   | 2 (2.4)         | -5 (2.8)  | -3 (2.9)        | 5 (2.8)   | 1 (2.9)         |
|                             | Belgium <sup>4</sup> | <b>-10</b> (3.4)  | <b>9</b> (3.0)   | 3 (4.8)   | <b>17</b> (3.8)  | <b>-5</b> (2.1)   | 0 (2.3)         | -2 (2.3)   | -2 (2.2)        | <b>-8</b> (2.2)   | 3 (2.3)         | <b>-5</b> (2.1)   | 0 (2.3)         |
|                             | Canada               | 1 (3.3)   | 3 (2.7)          | <b>19</b> (5.7)   | 7 (4.3)          | <b>13</b> (2.6)   | 0 (1.5)         | <b>18</b> (2.7)  | 1 (1.8)         | -2 (2.3)  | 1 (1.5)         | 1 (2.8)   | -2 (1.6)        |
|                             | Chile                | <b>-12</b> (3.6)  | 0 (3.1)          | -1 (4.3)  | <b>7</b> (3.1)   | -1 (2.4)  | <b>5</b> (2.3)  | 4 (3.1)  | 4 (2.3)         | 0 (2.6)   | 1 (2.6)         | 0 (2.6)   | 1 (2.6)         |
|                             | Czech Republic       | <b>-9</b> (4.6)   | 2 (2.2)          | <b>16</b> (6.2)   | <b>8</b> (2.6)   | -2 (2.9)  | 3 (2.0)         | <b>8</b> (2.8)   | 5 (1.6)         | 3 (2.7)   | 0 (1.7)         | -3 (3.3)  | -1 (1.8)        |
|                             | Denmark              | -5 (5.1)  | 0 (1.6)          | <b>16</b> (7.4)   | -2 (2.4)         | <b>10</b> (3.4)   | -2 (1.6)        | <b>11</b> (3.5)  | -1 (1.6)        | <b>10</b> (3.2)   | 1 (1.8)         | <b>9</b> (2.8)  | 1 (1.7)         |
|                             | Estonia              | 4 (4.8)   | 5 (3.1)          | <b>22</b> (4.5)   | <b>12</b> (3.3)  | -3 (3.5)  | 1 (2.2)         | <b>10</b> (3.0)  | <b>9</b> (1.8)  | -2 (3.1)  | <b>4</b> (2.0)  | 4 (3.0)   | <b>8</b> (1.6)  |
|                             | Finland              | <b>-9</b> (4.3)   | 3 (3.1)          | <b>25</b> (7.6)   | <b>8</b> (5.5)   | <b>12</b> (3.5)   | <b>5</b> (2.3)  | <b>9</b> (3.3)   | 4 (2.5)         | 2 (3.8)   | 4 (2.3)         | <b>9</b> (3.5)  | 3 (2.6)         |
|                             | France               | <b>-8</b> (3.4)   | 1 (2.6)          | 5 (6.4)   | <b>10</b> (3.6)  | 0 (2.6)   | 3 (2.7)         | 7 (2.7)  | 2 (2.7)         | -1 (2.7)  | -1 (2.6)        | 0 (2.8)   | -2 (2.3)        |
|                             | Germany              | <b>10</b> (6.4)   | 3 (3.0)          | 12 (8.5)  | <b>11</b> (3.3)  | <b>-10</b> (3.5)  | 1 (2.6)         | 0 (3.2)  | 0 (2.3)         | -7 (3.1)  | 1 (2.5)         | -2 (3.0)  | -2 (2.5)        |
|                             | Greece               | <b>10</b> (4.2)   | 7 (3.3)          | <b>23</b> (4.6)   | <b>14</b> (4.6)  | <b>8</b> (3.1)  | <b>10</b> (2.3) | <b>13</b> (2.8)  | <b>11</b> (2.2) | 0 (2.9)   | <b>6</b> (2.7)  | 5 (3.0)   | <b>8</b> (2.0)  |
|                             | Hungary              | -8 (4.6)  | 4 (2.8)          | 0 (7.2)   | 3 (3.5)          | 0 (2.7)   | <b>6</b> (2.2)  | 2 (2.8)  | <b>6</b> (1.8)  | -4 (2.6)  | <b>4</b> (1.8)  | -4 (2.7)  | 1 (1.8)         |
|                             | Iceland              | 9 (6.4)   | -1 (3.4)         | <b>44</b> (12.2)  | 6 (5.4)          | <b>9</b> (3.9)  | 2 (1.5)         | <b>17</b> (4.7)  | <b>3</b> (1.7)  | 8 (4.5)   | 3 (1.9)         | <b>10</b> (4.7)   | 0 (1.8)         |
|                             | Ireland              | m   | m                | m   | m                | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |
|                             | Israel               | 3 (5.5)   | 1 (5.7)          | <b>24</b> (5.4)   | 7 (10.1)         | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |
|                             | Italy                | 5 (4.1)   | 1 (3.5)          | <b>20</b> (5.6)   | <b>15</b> (4.4)  | 0 (3.2)   | -3 (2.1)        | 5 (3.3)  | -2 (2.2)        | -3 (3.0)  | <b>-6</b> (2.1) | <b>-8</b> (2.9)   | -4 (2.2)        |
|                             | Japan                | <b>11</b> (4.1)   | 6 (3.8)          | <b>30</b> (6.1)   | 6 (4.8)          | <b>14</b> (2.7)   | 7 (2.4)         | <b>11</b> (2.4)  | 7 (2.6)         | 9 (2.4)   | 2 (3.0)         | 7 (2.5)   | 1 (3.2)         |
|                             | Korea                | <b>9</b> (3.7)  | -1 (1.5)         | <b>13</b> (3.2)   | -2 (2.0)         | <b>15</b> (2.7)   | <b>6</b> (1.9)  | <b>14</b> (3.0)  | <b>6</b> (1.8)  | <b>8</b> (2.6)  | 3 (1.8)         | <b>8</b> (2.9)  | 2 (1.9)         |
|                             | Latvia               | -5 (4.9)  | 4 (3.0)          | <b>25</b> (7.1)   | <b>8</b> (3.3)   | 4 (3.3)   | 2 (1.7)         | <b>12</b> (3.0)  | 3 (1.5)         | 2 (4.0)   | 1 (1.7)         | 7 (3.6)   | 0 (1.6)         |
|                             | Luxembourg           | 4 (4.1)   | <b>16</b> (3.0)  | <b>33</b> (6.0)   | <b>31</b> (4.2)  | -2 (4.0)  | <b>4</b> (1.8)  | 1 (3.3)  | 0 (2.5)         | -3 (3.2)  | <b>5</b> (1.8)  | -6 (3.7)  | -4 (2.4)        |
|                             | Mexico               | <b>-5</b> (2.4)   | 0 (1.8)          | 0 (2.8)   | 4 (2.1)          | -1 (2.9)  | 3 (2.0)         | 4 (2.8)  | <b>5</b> (2.1)  | 0 (2.5)   | 3 (1.8)         | 0 (2.7)   | 3 (1.8)         |
|                             | Netherlands          | -2 (4.6)  | -1 (5.4)         | <b>16</b> (7.2)   | <b>25</b> (8.4)  | <b>8</b> (2.8)  | 5 (2.7)         | <b>9</b> (2.9)   | 5 (3.3)         | <b>8</b> (2.6)  | -1 (2.8)        | <b>10</b> (3.1)   | 0 (2.6)         |
|                             | New Zealand          | 4 (5.5)   | 5 (3.6)          | <b>18</b> (8.6)   | 8 (5.2)          | <b>13</b> (3.2)   | -2 (2.5)        | <b>24</b> (3.5)  | 1 (2.5)         | 4 (3.7)   | -2 (2.3)        | 3 (4.0)   | -2 (2.5)        |
|                             | Norway               | 9 (5.8)   | 0 (2.9)          | <b>48</b> (9.4)   | 6 (4.0)          | 3 (3.3)   | 2 (1.9)         | 6 (3.4)  | <b>4</b> (1.9)  | -2 (3.4)  | <b>4</b> (1.9)  | 0 (2.9)   | 3 (1.6)         |
|                             | Poland               | m   | m                | m   | m                | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |
|                             | Portugal             | 8 (4.9)   | 5 (4.3)          | <b>31</b> (6.6)   | <b>16</b> (5.9)  | 1 (3.3)   | 2 (2.8)         | 4 (2.8)  | <b>5</b> (2.0)  | -1 (2.5)  | 2 (2.4)         | -3 (2.7)  | 1 (2.3)         |
|                             | Slovak Republic      | 3 (3.4)   | 3 (2.5)          | <b>17</b> (5.1)   | 7 (2.8)          | <b>5</b> (2.6)  | 4 (2.0)         | <b>15</b> (2.7)  | <b>8</b> (1.6)  | 4 (2.8)   | <b>5</b> (2.1)  | 5 (2.5)   | 2 (1.6)         |
|                             | Slovenia             | -5 (4.3)  | 1 (2.0)          | 1 (4.8)   | <b>6</b> (1.8)   | 6 (3.5)   | 3 (1.8)         | <b>11</b> (4.2)  | <b>4</b> (1.6)  | 1 (3.2)   | 2 (1.6)         | 3 (3.5)   | 1 (1.8)         |
|                             | Spain                | -7 (3.8)  | 2 (2.8)          | <b>22</b> (5.8)   | <b>8</b> (3.5)   | -7 (2.3)  | 0 (1.9)         | -4 (2.6)   | 1 (1.9)         | -4 (2.4)  | 3 (1.9)         | <b>-9</b> (3.3)   | 0 (1.8)         |
|                             | Sweden               | 3 (5.2)   | -1 (3.1)         | <b>34</b> (8.5)   | <b>9</b> (4.4)   | 4 (3.1)   | -3 (1.7)        | <b>19</b> (3.1)  | -3 (2.0)        | 1 (3.1)   | <b>-5</b> (2.2) | 5 (3.3)   | -2 (2.2)        |
|                             | Switzerland          | m   | m                | m   | m                | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |
|                             | Turkey               | <b>13</b> (3.3)   | <b>14</b> (2.8)  | <b>17</b> (4.3)   | <b>14</b> (3.4)  | 4 (2.5)   | <b>8</b> (2.8)  | 7 (2.7)  | <b>15</b> (2.2) | 2 (2.5)   | <b>12</b> (2.5) | 2 (2.6)   | <b>11</b> (3.0) |
| United Kingdom <sup>5</sup> | -4 (5.5)             | 5 (3.3)   | 8 (8.0)          | 4 (5.4)   | <b>18</b> (2.9)  | <b>5</b> (2.2)  | <b>24</b> (3.5) | 2 (2.0)  | 1 (3.2)         | 3 (1.9)   | <b>7</b> (3.0)  | 3 (2.0)   |                 |
| United States               | -6 (5.7)             | 3 (4.2)   | <b>23</b> (8.0)  | <b>13</b> (5.1)   | <b>9</b> (3.6)   | -2 (2.5)  | <b>19</b> (3.9) | 0 (3.4)  | 1 (4.1)         | -2 (2.7)  | 0 (4.0)         | -2 (2.7)  |                 |
| OECD average                | 0 (0.8)              | <b>3</b> (0.6)  | <b>19</b> (1.2)  | <b>9</b> (0.8)  | <b>4</b> (0.6)   | <b>2</b> (0.4)  | <b>9</b> (0.6)  | <b>3</b> (0.4)   | 1 (0.5)         | <b>2</b> (0.4)  | <b>2</b> (0.6)  | <b>1</b> (0.4)  |                 |
| Partners                    | Brazil               | -5 (3.2)  | 2 (2.4)          | 7 (4.2)   | <b>6</b> (2.4)   | 7 (2.2)   | <b>6</b> (1.4)  | <b>13</b> (2.5)  | <b>6</b> (1.5)  | 4 (2.1)   | <b>4</b> (1.5)  | <b>8</b> (2.0)  | <b>3</b> (1.5)  |
|                             | B-S-J-G (China)      | <b>-9</b> (3.1)   | <b>-13</b> (2.6) | -4 (3.4)  | <b>-10</b> (2.6) | -3 (3.4)  | -5 (3.5)        | 4 (2.4)  | <b>6</b> (2.6)  | <b>6</b> (2.6)  | <b>5</b> (2.7)  | <b>6</b> (2.9)  | 4 (2.6)         |
|                             | Bulgaria             | -2 (3.8)  | 2 (2.9)          | <b>20</b> (6.0)   | 7 (3.2)          | 1 (2.4)   | 5 (2.4)         | <b>9</b> (2.5)   | 3 (3.0)         | -1 (2.1)  | 4 (2.9)         | 5 (2.8)   | 0 (2.4)         |
|                             | Colombia             | -7 (3.3)  | -1 (2.4)         | -4 (3.6)  | 2 (2.6)          | -2 (2.1)  | -2 (1.9)        | 2 (2.2)  | -3 (2.2)        | -4 (2.5)  | 1 (2.1)         | -3 (2.4)  | -3 (1.8)        |
|                             | Costa Rica           | 4 (3.4)   | 5 (2.8)          | <b>15</b> (4.6)   | 2 (3.4)          | 3 (2.6)   | 4 (2.2)         | 1 (2.7)  | <b>5</b> (2.1)  | -1 (3.0)  | 7 (1.9)         | -2 (2.5)  | 4 (1.9)         |
|                             | Croatia              | 1 (3.8)   | 3 (3.9)          | <b>17</b> (4.7)   | <b>17</b> (4.7)  | 4 (3.1)   | <b>9</b> (3.3)  | <b>6</b> (2.6)   | <b>11</b> (2.4) | -1 (2.7)  | <b>8</b> (3.1)  | -4 (2.6)  | 7 (3.1)         |
|                             | Cyprus*              | <b>19</b> (4.1)   | <b>18</b> (2.2)  | <b>33</b> (4.6)   | <b>17</b> (1.9)  | <b>10</b> (3.2)   | <b>10</b> (1.2) | <b>19</b> (3.1)  | <b>9</b> (1.4)  | 7 (3.0)   | 7 (1.3)         | 5 (3.4)   | <b>9</b> (1.4)  |
|                             | Dominican Republic   | m   | m                | m   | m                | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |
|                             | Hong Kong (China)    | <b>-10</b> (3.4)  | 2 (5.2)          | 8 (4.4)   | <b>19</b> (4.3)  | <b>-17</b> (5.0)  | -3 (5.4)        | 2 (3.3)  | 1 (4.5)         | -4 (3.5)  | 3 (4.9)         | 1 (3.4)   | 0 (4.8)         |
|                             | Lithuania            | 4 (4.6)   | <b>12</b> (3.0)  | <b>21</b> (5.0)   | <b>14</b> (2.8)  | <b>8</b> (3.0)  | 7 (1.5)         | <b>16</b> (3.2)  | <b>4</b> (1.3)  | -1 (2.9)  | 4 (1.7)         | -3 (3.4)  | <b>5</b> (1.4)  |
|                             | Macao (China)        | -4 (3.4)  | <b>-5</b> (2.5)  | <b>13</b> (4.2)   | <b>35</b> (3.1)  | 3 (5.1)   | <b>-6</b> (2.5) | <b>10</b> (3.4)  | <b>11</b> (1.6) | 2 (4.0)   | <b>10</b> (2.2) | 1 (3.5)   | <b>6</b> (1.6)  |
|                             | Montenegro           | <b>-9</b> (3.4)   | <b>-10</b> (2.4) | 9 (5.2)   | 7 (4.0)          | <b>5</b> (2.7)  | 2 (3.0)         | <b>25</b> (2.7)  | <b>11</b> (1.9) | <b>21</b> (2.3)   | <b>10</b> (2.5) | <b>17</b> (2.6)   | <b>8</b> (2.5)  |
|                             | Peru                 | -7 (2.9)  | -1 (2.2)         | -2 (3.5)  | 0 (2.1)          | 4 (2.5)   | -1 (1.6)        | 7 (2.5)  | 1 (1.5)         | 1 (2.4)   | 0 (1.5)         | 3 (2.7)   | 2 (1.8)         |
|                             | Qatar                | m   | m                | m   | m                | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |
|                             | Russia               | -2 (5.7)  | -3 (4.4)         | 8 (5.5)   | 1 (4.6)          | 1 (3.6)   | 0 (2.2)         | 5 (3.4)  | 5 (2.6)         | 1 (3.0)   | 3 (2.3)         | 0 (3.7)   | -1 (2.8)        |
|                             | Singapore            | 2 (3.5)   | -1 (2.3)         | <b>21</b> (4.6)   | 5 (3.0)          | 3 (3.1)   | 1 (1.9)         | 1 (2.9)  | 1 (1.7)         | -4 (3.2)  | 1 (2.2)         | <b>-8</b> (3.0)   | -2 (1.4)        |
|                             | Chinese Taipei       | -3 (2.4)  | -2 (2.4)         | <b>14</b> (2.9)   | 6 (3.0)          | 5 (3.4)   | 1 (3.2)         | <b>18</b> (3.2)  | 2 (2.5)         | <b>10</b> (2.9)   | 1 (2.7)         | <b>9</b> (3.1)  | 1 (2.7)         |
|                             | Thailand             | 3 (4.4)   | 6 (5.1)          | 8 (5.5)   | <b>15</b> (5.7)  | <b>6</b> (3.0)  | 7 (2.1)         | <b>20</b> (2.2)  | <b>8</b> (1.9)  | <b>12</b> (1.9)   | <b>9</b> (1.9)  | <b>6</b> (2.3)  | 2 (1.8)         |
|                             | Tunisia              | -3 (4.0)  | 5 (3.4)          | -6 (3.2)  | 5 (2.6)          | 1 (2.6)   | 3 (1.9)         | 3 (2.5)  | 4 (1.9)         | 2 (2.4)   | 2 (1.9)         | <b>6</b> (2.3)  | 1 (2.3)         |
|                             | United Arab Emirates | -1 (4.0)  | 6 (3.6)          | <b>11</b> (4.4)   | <b>25</b> (3.3)  | <b>9</b> (2.6)  | 7 (1.8)         | <b>17</b> (2.2)  | <b>17</b> (1.4) | 5 (2.4)   | 7 (2.4)         | <b>9</b> (2.6)  | <b>9</b> (2.2)  |
|                             | Uruguay              | -3 (3.8)  | -2 (2.5)         | <b>10</b> (4.8)   | 4 (2.4)          | 1 (2.8)   | 2 (1.7)         | 1 (2.5)  | 2 (2.0)         | <b>-5</b> (2.5)   | -1 (1.9)        | -2 (2.4)  | -3 (2.1)        |
|                             | Malaysia**           | -2 (4.5)  | -5 (4.6)         | 10 (5.1)  | -4 (6.4)         | 3 (2.8)   | 2 (2.1)         | <b>14</b> (2.6)  | <b>4</b> (1.9)  | <b>11</b> (3.2)   | 2 (1.9)         | <b>14</b> (2.9)   | 2 (1.7)         |

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Table V.7.23 Student-parent relationships and performance in collaborative problem solving

|                             |                      | After accounting for students' and schools' socio-economic profile <sup>1</sup>    |       |                           |       |   |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |  |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|--|-------|---------------------------|-------|---|-------|--------------|-------|---|-------|--------------|-------|---|-------|--------------|-------|---|-------|--------------|-------|--|-------|-------|-------|
|                             |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when parents reported the following: |       |                           |       |   |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |   |       |              |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             |                      | "Every day or almost every day" eat the main meal with my child around a table     |       |                           |       | "Every day or almost every day" spend time just talking to my child |       |              |       | "Strongly agree" that I am interested in my child's school activities |       |              |       | "Strongly agree" that I support my child's efforts at school and his/her achievements |       |              |       | "Strongly agree" that I support my child when he/she is facing difficulties at school |       |              |       | "Strongly agree" that I encourage my child to be confident |       |       |       |
|                             |                      | Student-level <sup>2</sup>   |       | School-level <sup>3</sup> |       | Student-level   |       | School-level |       | Student-level   |       | School-level |       | Student-level   |       | School-level |       | Student-level   |       | School-level |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             |                      | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.                | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.  | Score dif.   | S.E.  |  |       |       |       |
| OECD                        | Australia            | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Austria              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Belgium <sup>4</sup> | 2  | (6.0) | 4                         | (4.2) | 1   | (3.5) | 4            | (3.5) | 4   | (3.2) | -1           | (3.2) | 7   | (3.4) | 7            | (3.0) | 1   | (4.0) | 1            | (3.1) | 2  | (3.6) | 0     | (3.0) |
|                             | Canada               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Chile                | -2   | (2.6) | -2                        | (2.4) | 0   | (2.6) | 0            | (2.0) | 9   | (2.4) | 6            | (2.6) | 7   | (3.3) | 6            | (3.0) | 4   | (3.8) | 4            | (3.5) | 6  | (3.9) | 3     | (2.8) |
|                             | Czech Republic       | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Denmark              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Estonia              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Finland              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | France               | 13   | (5.7) | 4                         | (3.4) | -4  | (3.1) | 2            | (2.6) | 2   | (3.9) | 4            | (2.1) | 5   | (4.3) | 0            | (2.9) | -1  | (3.2) | -3           | (2.6) | -1   | (3.5) | -2    | (3.1) |
|                             | Germany              | -8   | (4.9) | 3                         | (2.6) | -8  | (9.0) | 4            | (4.7) | -5  | (5.2) | 5            | (2.5) | -12   | (4.2) | 3            | (2.3) | -14   | (4.9) | 2            | (2.8) | -3   | (5.5) | 4     | (3.0) |
|                             | Greece               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Hungary              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Iceland              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Ireland              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Israel               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Italy                | -5   | (7.7) | -1                        | (3.9) | -7  | (3.8) | -4           | (2.7) | 4   | (3.9) | 3            | (2.0) | 5   | (4.0) | 4            | (2.3) | 2   | (4.3) | 5            | (2.3) | 1  | (4.2) | 1     | (2.3) |
|                             | Japan                | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Korea                | 3  | (3.1) | 0                         | (2.3) | 7   | (2.8) | 8            | (2.6) | 8   | (2.4) | 6            | (2.6) | 14  | (2.5) | 8            | (2.3) | 6   | (2.3) | 6            | (2.7) | 8  | (2.4) | 6     | (2.3) |
|                             | Latvia               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Luxembourg           | 9  | (5.9) | 2                         | (5.3) | 14  | (4.6) | 0            | (3.7) | 7   | (5.5) | 8            | (3.3) | 4   | (4.6) | 0            | (3.6) | 3   | (5.5) | 5            | (3.4) | 12   | (5.7) | 2     | (3.9) |
|                             | Mexico               | -3   | (2.5) | 0                         | (2.2) | -5  | (2.4) | 2            | (1.9) | 0   | (2.8) | 6            | (1.9) | 4   | (3.0) | 6            | (2.0) | -3  | (2.9) | 5            | (2.0) | 0  | (2.9) | 5     | (1.9) |
|                             | Netherlands          | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | New Zealand          | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Norway               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Poland               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Portugal             | 0  | (6.8) | 10                        | (5.2) | 1   | (5.0) | 6            | (4.1) | 9   | (3.2) | 8            | (2.6) | 19  | (3.3) | 6            | (2.5) | 8   | (3.5) | 5            | (2.8) | 11   | (3.9) | 5     | (3.1) |
|                             | Slovak Republic      | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     |  |       |       |       |
| Slovenia                    | m                    | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
| Spain                       | 6                    | (7.1)  | 1     | (3.9)                     | 3     | (4.0)   | 4     | (2.8)        | 14    | (3.4)   | 4     | (1.9)        | 19    | (3.7)   | 2     | (2.5)        | 13    | (3.9)   | 4     | (2.3)        | 14    | (4.1)  | 1     | (2.7) |       |
| Sweden                      | m                    | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
| Switzerland                 | m                    | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
| Turkey                      | m                    | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
| United Kingdom <sup>5</sup> | 2                    | (7.1)  | 3     | (2.0)                     | 7     | (9.7)   | 2     | (3.8)        | -1    | (6.8)   | 0     | (3.0)        | 6     | (9.9)   | 0     | (3.0)        | -3    | (10.8)  | 2     | (3.7)        | 0     | (8.5)  | -2    | (3.3) |       |
| United States               | m                    | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
| OECD average                | 1                    | (1.7)  | 2     | (1.1)                     | 1     | (1.6)   | 3     | (1.0)        | 5     | (1.2)   | 4     | (0.8)        | 7     | (1.4)   | 4     | (0.8)        | 1     | (1.5)   | 3     | (0.9)        | 5     | (1.4)  | 2     | (0.9) |       |
| Partners                    | Brazil               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | B-S-J-G (China)      | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Bulgaria             | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Colombia             | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Costa Rica           | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Croatia              | -16  | (4.2) | -4                        | (2.7) | -5  | (2.5) | -3           | (3.4) | 0   | (2.8) | 7            | (3.4) | 4   | (3.2) | 14           | (3.2) | 1   | (3.6) | 9            | (4.1) | -3   | (3.6) | 6     | (3.7) |
|                             | Cyprus*              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Dominican Republic   | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Hong Kong (China)    | 1  | (4.6) | 15                        | (5.8) | -1  | (3.3) | 11           | (4.3) | -8  | (3.5) | -4           | (5.1) | 5   | (3.3) | 3            | (4.0) | 2   | (3.3) | 9            | (3.9) | 6  | (3.3) | 9     | (4.8) |
|                             | Lithuania            | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Macao (China)        | 3  | (4.4) | 25                        | (3.0) | -3  | (3.1) | 12           | (2.4) | 0   | (4.0) | -2           | (1.7) | 10  | (3.5) | -1           | (2.1) | 2   | (3.0) | -12          | (1.8) | 0  | (4.0) | 0     | (2.6) |
|                             | Montenegro           | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Peru                 | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Qatar                | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Russia               | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Singapore            | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Chinese Taipei       | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Thailand             | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | Tunisia              | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
|                             | United Arab Emirates | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            |       |  |       |       |       |
| Uruguay                     | m                    | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     |              |       |  |       |       |       |
| Malaysia**                  | m                    | m  | m     | m                         | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     | m            | m     | m   | m     |              |       |  |       |       |       |

1. The socio-economic profile is measured by the PISA index of economic, social and cultural status (ESCS).

2. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students or parents reporting the above.

3. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates or school parents who reported the above.

4. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in the Flemish Community.

5. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in Scotland.

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**Table V.7.24 Student-parent relationships and relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

|                             |                      | After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics                |                           |   |                 |   |                 |  |                 |   |                 |   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---|---------------------------|---|-----------------|---|-----------------|--|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|                             |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when students reported the following: |                           |   |                 |   |                 |  |                 |   |                 |   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             |                      | Talked to parents before going to school on the most recent day                     |                           | Talked to parents after leaving school on the most recent day |                 | "Strongly agree" that my parents are interested in my school activities |                 | "Strongly agree" that my parents support my educational efforts and achievements |                 | "Strongly agree" that my parents support me when I am facing difficulties at school |                 | "Strongly agree" that my parents encourage me to be confident |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             |                      | Student-level <sup>1</sup>  | School-level <sup>2</sup> | Student-level   | School-level    | Student-level   | School-level    | Student-level  | School-level    | Student-level   | School-level    | Student-level   | School-level    |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             |                      | Score dif.  | S.E.                      | Score dif.  | S.E.            | Score dif.  | S.E.            | Score dif.   | S.E.            | Score dif.  | S.E.            | Score dif.  | S.E.            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>OECD</b>                 | Australia            | 2 (2.9)   | 1 (1.4)                   | 7 (5.2)   | 3 (2.3)         | 2 (3.3)   | 0 (0.8)         | 4 (2.6)  | 0 (0.8)         | 0 (2.9)   | 1 (0.9)         | -3 (3.0)  | 0 (0.9)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Austria              | -3 (3.3)  | 2 (2.0)                   | 2 (5.5)   | 2 (2.3)         | <b>-9</b> (2.2)   | -1 (1.6)        | 0 (2.2)  | -1 (1.5)        | 1 (1.9)   | 1 (1.8)         | <b>5</b> (2.0)  | 2 (1.6)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Belgium <sup>3</sup> | <b>-8</b> (2.8)   | 1 (1.9)                   | -5 (3.6)  | 4 (2.4)         | <b>-5</b> (1.8)   | -1 (1.1)        | <b>-4</b> (2.2)  | -2 (1.1)        | <b>-5</b> (2.0)   | 2 (1.3)         | -2 (1.9)  | 1 (1.2)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Canada               | -2 (2.4)  | 0 (2.1)                   | -6 (4.2)  | 0 (3.0)         | 1 (2.3)   | -1 (1.1)        | 3 (2.3)  | -2 (1.3)        | -1 (2.1)  | -3 (1.3)        | 0 (2.6)   | -3 (1.5)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Chile                | -4 (2.9)  | -1 (1.7)                  | -4 (4.1)  | 1 (1.8)         | 1 (1.9)   | -1 (1.4)        | 4 (2.1)  | -1 (1.3)        | 4 (1.9)   | 0 (1.3)         | 2 (2.1)   | 0 (1.4)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Czech Republic       | -4 (3.9)  | 2 (1.5)                   | 6 (5.9)   | <b>4</b> (2.0)  | -5 (2.4)  | 2 (1.3)         | 1 (2.5)  | <b>3</b> (1.2)  | 2 (2.0)   | 1 (1.1)         | -2 (2.3)  | 2 (1.3)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Denmark              | -4 (3.0)  | -1 (1.3)                  | 3 (5.6)   | -3 (1.8)        | -4 (2.4)  | 0 (1.1)         | -2 (2.5)   | 0 (1.2)         | 3 (2.1)   | 1 (1.2)         | 0 (3.3)   | 1 (1.2)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Estonia              | 5 (4.0)   | 1 (1.8)                   | <b>8</b> (3.6)  | 1 (2.3)         | -4 (2.8)  | 0 (1.2)         | -1 (2.3)   | <b>2</b> (1.1)  | -1 (2.5)  | 2 (1.3)         | 3 (2.0)   | <b>3</b> (1.1)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Finland              | -2 (3.2)  | 1 (2.1)                   | 2 (6.3)   | 5 (4.2)         | 2 (2.9)   | 0 (1.4)         | 1 (3.0)  | -2 (1.4)        | 1 (3.3)   | -1 (1.5)        | 3 (3.1)   | -1 (1.7)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | France               | -1 (3.1)  | 1 (1.5)                   | 0 (5.8)   | 0 (2.1)         | 1 (2.3)   | 2 (1.4)         | 2 (2.7)  | 1 (1.3)         | 1 (2.6)   | 2 (1.4)         | 2 (2.8)   | 2 (1.2)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Germany              | 1 (5.2)   | 1 (2.3)                   | 6 (7.3)   | 3 (2.6)         | -3 (3.1)  | 0 (1.4)         | 2 (2.9)  | 0 (1.4)         | -1 (2.6)  | 0 (1.4)         | 0 (2.5)   | -1 (1.6)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Greece               | 0 (3.8)   | 1 (2.1)                   | 3 (4.2)   | 2 (2.7)         | -1 (2.6)  | 2 (1.4)         | 1 (2.4)  | 1 (1.3)         | -2 (2.4)  | 0 (1.5)         | 3 (2.6)   | 2 (1.3)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Hungary              | -6 (4.4)  | 1 (1.7)                   | -3 (6.3)  | 1 (2.0)         | -4 (2.4)  | 2 (1.2)         | -3 (2.5)   | 2 (1.1)         | -3 (2.1)  | 2 (1.1)         | -3 (2.2)  | 1 (1.1)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Iceland              | 2 (4.5)   | -3 (2.4)                  | 3 (9.9)   | 0 (3.8)         | -5 (2.7)  | 0 (1.1)         | -2 (3.2)   | 0 (1.4)         | -4 (2.8)  | 0 (1.5)         | 0 (3.0)   | 0 (1.5)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Ireland              | m   | m                         | m   | m               | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Israel               | 3 (4.4)   | 1 (2.8)                   | 7 (4.3)   | 7 (4.4)         | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Italy                | 3 (3.7)   | 1 (2.4)                   | 9 (5.0)   | 7 (2.7)         | -1 (2.8)  | -1 (1.6)        | 0 (3.0)  | 1 (1.6)         | 0 (2.6)   | -2 (1.7)        | -4 (2.5)  | 0 (1.7)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Japan                | <b>9</b> (3.5)  | 2 (2.1)                   | <b>16</b> (4.8)   | 1 (2.4)         | <b>7</b> (2.5)  | -2 (1.5)        | <b>7</b> (2.3)   | -3 (1.4)        | <b>8</b> (2.2)  | -1 (1.7)        | <b>8</b> (2.5)  | -3 (2.1)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Korea                | <b>10</b> (2.4)   | 2 (1.1)                   | <b>10</b> (2.4)   | 2 (1.3)         | <b>7</b> (2.4)  | -2 (1.2)        | 4 (2.6)  | -2 (1.1)        | <b>5</b> (2.2)  | <b>-3</b> (1.2) | <b>5</b> (2.4)  | <b>-3</b> (1.2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Latvia               | 0 (4.1)   | -1 (1.9)                  | 9 (5.8)   | 2 (2.5)         | 1 (3.0)   | 1 (1.1)         | -2 (2.7)   | 1 (1.0)         | 0 (3.4)   | 1 (1.0)         | 2 (3.0)   | 1 (1.0)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Luxembourg           | 2 (3.2)   | <b>7</b> (2.4)            | 9 (4.6)   | <b>15</b> (3.2) | -2 (3.6)  | -1 (1.6)        | -2 (3.1)   | -1 (2.2)        | -3 (2.9)  | 0 (1.6)         | -2 (3.4)  | -3 (2.2)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Mexico               | -4 (2.0)  | -1 (1.3)                  | <b>-6</b> (2.4)   | 0 (1.7)         | 1 (2.6)   | 1 (1.3)         | 1 (2.9)  | 2 (1.2)         | 0 (2.5)   | <b>2</b> (1.0)  | 1 (2.6)   | 1 (1.1)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Netherlands          | -1 (3.8)  | 0 (2.7)                   | 0 (6.4)   | 0 (4.3)         | 4 (2.2)   | 0 (1.7)         | <b>6</b> (2.5)   | 2 (2.1)         | <b>7</b> (2.4)  | 1 (1.7)         | <b>8</b> (2.9)  | 2 (1.6)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | New Zealand          | -2 (4.5)  | -1 (2.7)                  | -6 (7.0)  | -1 (3.5)        | 1 (2.9)   | -1 (1.6)        | 5 (2.7)  | -1 (1.7)        | 3 (3.0)   | -1 (1.5)        | 4 (3.2)   | -1 (1.8)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Norway               | 5 (4.6)   | 1 (2.2)                   | 4 (7.3)   | 2 (3.7)         | 0 (3.1)   | 0 (1.5)         | -2 (3.2)   | 1 (1.6)         | <b>-7</b> (3.1)   | 1 (1.6)         | <b>-7</b> (2.3)   | 0 (1.5)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Poland               | m   | m                         | m   | m               | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Portugal             | <b>11</b> (3.7)   | -3 (3.1)                  | <b>17</b> (5.5)   | 0 (4.5)         | -2 (2.8)  | 0 (1.7)         | -3 (2.5)   | 0 (1.6)         | -1 (2.2)  | 0 (1.5)         | -1 (2.1)  | 0 (1.4)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Slovak Republic      | 1 (2.8)   | -1 (1.7)                  | 0 (5.0)   | 1 (1.4)         | -2 (2.1)  | <b>3</b> (1.0)  | 1 (2.4)  | <b>3</b> (1.1)  | -2 (2.6)  | <b>3</b> (1.1)  | -1 (2.4)  | 2 (1.1)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Slovenia                    | -3 (3.5)             | 0 (1.7)   | -1 (4.0)                  | 3 (1.5)   | <b>7</b> (3.1)  | 1 (1.1)   | 5 (3.7)         | 1 (1.3)  | 1 (2.8)         | 0 (1.2)   | 5 (3.0)         | 1 (1.3)   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Spain                       | -2 (3.1)             | 1 (1.7)   | <b>10</b> (4.4)           | 3 (2.8)   | <b>-8</b> (1.8) | 1 (1.1)   | -5 (2.4)        | 0 (1.2)  | <b>-5</b> (2.1) | 1 (1.3)   | -5 (2.9)        | 0 (1.3)   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sweden                      | 1 (3.8)              | 1 (2.0)   | 2 (6.3)                   | 2 (3.0)   | 0 (3.1)         | 0 (1.2)   | 2 (2.5)         | 0 (1.4)  | 1 (2.7)         | -1 (1.3)  | 1 (2.8)         | 0 (1.4)   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Switzerland                 | m                    | m   | m                         | m   | m               | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Turkey                      | 4 (2.5)              | <b>4</b> (1.5)  | 5 (3.2)                   | <b>4</b> (1.6)  | 2 (2.2)         | 1 (1.4)   | 1 (2.3)         | <b>3</b> (1.3)   | 0 (2.1)         | 2 (1.4)   | 0 (2.1)         | 2 (1.7)   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United Kingdom <sup>4</sup> | -6 (4.4)             | 2 (2.7)   | -9 (5.6)                  | 0 (3.8)   | 4 (2.5)         | 2 (1.5)   | <b>10</b> (3.0) | 0 (1.5)  | 1 (2.8)         | 1 (1.7)   | 4 (2.9)         | 2 (1.4)   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| United States               | -1 (4.4)             | 1 (2.8)   | 4 (5.9)                   | 0 (3.1)   | 3 (2.8)         | 0 (1.4)   | <b>7</b> (2.7)  | 2 (1.9)  | 6 (3.1)         | 1 (1.5)   | 4 (3.1)         | 1 (1.8)   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| OECD average                | 0 (0.6)              | <b>1</b> (0.4)  | <b>3</b> (1.0)            | <b>2</b> (0.5)  | 0 (0.5)         | 0 (0.2)   | <b>1</b> (0.5)  | 0 (0.3)  | 0 (0.5)         | 0 (0.4)   | <b>1</b> (0.5)  | 0 (0.3)   |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <b>Partners</b>             | Brazil               | <b>-6</b> (2.7)   | 0 (1.5)                   | -3 (4.5)  | 1 (1.8)         | 1 (2.0)   | 1 (1.0)         | 3 (2.6)  | 0 (1.0)         | 0 (2.0)   | 0 (1.1)         | 1 (2.4)   | 0 (1.0)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | B-S-J-G (China)      | 2 (2.6)   | -1 (1.5)                  | 4 (3.1)   | 1 (1.7)         | -1 (3.0)  | 0 (2.0)         | <b>-4</b> (2.2)  | -2 (1.6)        | 1 (2.4)   | -1 (1.4)        | 2 (2.5)   | -1 (1.5)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Bulgaria             | -2 (3.2)  | 0 (2.0)                   | 8 (4.6)   | 1 (2.1)         | -3 (2.3)  | 2 (1.4)         | -3 (2.2)   | <b>3</b> (1.5)  | -2 (1.9)  | <b>3</b> (1.4)  | 1 (2.3)   | 2 (1.3)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Colombia             | -7 (2.7)  | <b>-3</b> (1.6)           | <b>-7</b> (3.1)   | -2 (1.9)        | 0 (2.2)   | 0 (1.3)         | -2 (1.8)   | -1 (1.3)        | -3 (2.0)  | 0 (1.2)         | -3 (2.0)  | -2 (1.3)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Costa Rica           | 4 (3.2)   | 0 (2.3)                   | <b>8</b> (3.8)  | -1 (2.7)        | 4 (2.5)   | 0 (1.6)         | 2 (2.5)  | 1 (1.7)         | 1 (3.2)   | 2 (1.4)         | 4 (2.3)   | 1 (1.4)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Croatia              | 4 (3.0)   | 0 (2.1)                   | <b>14</b> (4.2)   | 6 (3.1)         | 2 (2.5)   | 1 (1.6)         | 1 (2.1)  | 2 (1.4)         | 2 (2.5)   | 2 (1.7)         | 2 (2.2)   | 2 (1.9)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Cyprus*              | 1 (3.1)   | 1 (1.9)                   | <b>9</b> (3.6)  | 1 (1.8)         | 0 (2.7)   | 2 (1.2)         | 1 (2.6)  | 1 (1.2)         | 1 (2.4)   | 1 (1.2)         | 0 (2.6)   | 2 (1.4)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Dominican Republic   | m   | m                         | m   | m               | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Hong Kong (China)    | -2 (2.6)  | 1 (2.5)                   | 5 (3.0)   | <b>6</b> (2.3)  | <b>-14</b> (3.8)  | -1 (3.8)        | <b>-7</b> (2.8)  | 1 (2.0)         | <b>-7</b> (2.9)   | 1 (2.4)         | <b>-6</b> (2.6)   | 1 (1.8)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Lithuania            | 2 (3.8)   | 2 (1.6)                   | 3 (4.0)   | 2 (1.7)         | <b>6</b> (2.3)  | 2 (0.8)         | 5 (2.8)  | 0 (0.8)         | 1 (2.5)   | 0 (0.9)         | -1 (2.6)  | 0 (0.9)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Macao (China)        | -1 (2.8)  | -4 (2.2)                  | 5 (3.7)   | 0 (1.7)         | -1 (3.5)  | <b>-4</b> (1.8) | 1 (2.5)  | 1 (1.3)         | 1 (3.0)   | 0 (1.6)         | 0 (2.9)   | 0 (1.3)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Montenegro           | 2 (2.9)   | -1 (2.0)                  | 4 (4.6)   | 5 (3.1)         | 0 (2.3)   | 1 (1.9)         | <b>8</b> (2.4)   | 2 (1.4)         | <b>7</b> (1.9)  | <b>3</b> (1.3)  | <b>9</b> (2.2)  | 3 (1.8)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Peru                 | -4 (2.3)  | -1 (1.6)                  | -3 (2.7)  | -1 (1.7)        | 3 (2.2)   | 1 (1.2)         | 3 (2.5)  | 1 (1.0)         | <b>5</b> (2.4)  | 1 (1.2)         | 2 (2.4)   | 2 (1.2)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Qatar                | m   | m                         | m   | m               | m   | m               | m  | m               | m   | m               | m   | m               |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Russia               | -1 (4.6)  | -5 (3.8)                  | 1 (4.5)   | -5 (3.7)        | -4 (3.2)  | 2 (2.2)         | -4 (3.0)   | 3 (2.0)         | -1 (2.5)  | 3 (1.9)         | -2 (3.0)  | 0 (1.9)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Singapore            | 3 (2.6)   | -2 (1.3)                  | <b>9</b> (3.7)  | -1 (1.6)        | 0 (2.1)   | -2 (1.2)        | 0 (2.0)  | <b>-3</b> (1.0) | -2 (2.4)  | <b>-3</b> (1.2) | -1 (2.1)  | -1 (1.1)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Chinese Taipei       | 0 (1.7)   | -2 (2.0)                  | <b>5</b> (2.2)  | 0 (2.3)         | 1 (3.2)   | 0 (2.0)         | 3 (2.9)  | -1 (1.6)        | 3 (2.7)   | -1 (1.7)        | 3 (2.9)   | -2 (1.8)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Thailand             | 0 (4.3)   | -1 (2.9)                  | -4 (4.8)  | 0 (4.0)         | 3 (2.1)   | 1 (1.4)         | <b>6</b> (1.9)   | <b>3</b> (1.2)  | <b>7</b> (1.9)  | <b>4</b> (1.3)  | <b>5</b> (2.1)  | 2 (1.2)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Tunisia              | -6 (3.4)  | 0 (2.4)                   | <b>-10</b> (3.2)  | 1 (1.7)         | 1 (2.3)   | 0 (1.5)         | 0 (2.1)  | 0 (1.5)         | 0 (2.3)   | 0 (1.4)         | 3 (2.4)   | 0 (1.4)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | United Arab Emirates | <b>-6</b> (2.6)   | -1 (2.1)                  | -3 (3.9)  | <b>5</b> (2.0)  | 2 (2.8)   | <b>2</b> (1.0)  | 1 (2.2)  | <b>3</b> (1.0)  | -1 (2.0)  | 1 (1.5)         | 2 (2.2)   | 0 (1.2)         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | Uruguay              | 1 (3.0)   | 1 (1.7)                   | 4 (4.0)   | 2 (1.8)         | -5 (2.6)  | 1 (1.3)         | -4 (2.0)   | 0 (1.4)         | -3 (2.1)  | -1 (1.3)        | -1 (1.7)  | -2 (1.4)        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Malaysia**                  | 4 (3.7)              | -3 (3.7)  | 7 (4.2)                   | -1 (4.7)  | -1 (2.9)        | 0 (1.6)   | 1 (2.3)         | 0 (1.4)  | 2 (2.8)         | 0 (1.5)   | <b>6</b> (2.8)  | -1 (1.2)  |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

1. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students or parents reporting the above.

2. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates or school parents who reported the above.

3. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in the Flemish Community.

4. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in Scotland.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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Table V.7.24 Student-parent relationships and relative performance in collaborative problem solving

|                             |                      | After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics               |                           |   |              |   |              |   |              |   |              |  |              |            |      |            |      |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|--|---------------------------|---|--------------|---|--------------|---|--------------|---|--------------|--|--------------|------------|------|------------|------|
|                             |                      | Change in collaborative problem-solving score when parents reported the following: |                           |   |              |   |              |   |              |   |              |  |              |            |      |            |      |
|                             |                      | "Every day or almost every day" eat the main meal with my child around a table     |                           | "Every day or almost every day" spend time just talking to my child |              | "Strongly agree" that I am interested in my child's school activities |              | "Strongly agree" that I support my child's efforts at school and his/her achievements |              | "Strongly agree" that I support my child when he/she is facing difficulties at school |              | "Strongly agree" that I encourage my child to be confident |              |            |      |            |      |
|                             |                      | Student-level <sup>1</sup>   | School-level <sup>2</sup> | Student-level   | School-level | Student-level   | School-level | Student-level   | School-level | Student-level   | School-level | Student-level  | School-level |            |      |            |      |
|                             |                      | Score dif.   | S.E.                      | Score dif.  | S.E.         | Score dif.  | S.E.         | Score dif.  | S.E.         | Score dif.  | S.E.         | Score dif.   | S.E.         | Score dif. | S.E. | Score dif. | S.E. |
| OECD                        | Australia            | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            | m          | m    | m          |      |
|                             | Austria              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            | m          | m    | m          |      |
|                             | Belgium <sup>3</sup> | -3 (5.3)   | 0 (2.3)                   | 3 (3.1)   | 4 (2.0)      | -2 (2.7)  | 0 (1.6)      | 1 (2.8)   | 2 (1.7)      | 1 (3.3)   | 1 (1.7)      | 2 (3.1)  | 0 (1.9)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Canada               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Chile                | 5 (2.3)  | 0 (1.5)                   | 3 (2.4)   | 1 (1.5)      | 3 (2.2)   | 2 (1.3)      | 5 (2.8)   | 1 (1.7)      | 3 (3.1)   | 2 (1.7)      | 4 (3.2)  | 1 (1.7)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Czech Republic       | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Denmark              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Estonia              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Finland              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | France               | 7 (4.9)  | 0 (2.1)                   | -3 (2.8)  | 3 (1.5)      | 4 (3.3)   | 1 (1.3)      | 5 (3.7)   | 3 (1.6)      | 1 (2.5)   | 0 (1.4)      | 3 (3.0)  | 1 (1.6)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Germany              | -8 (4.2)   | 1 (1.7)                   | -9 (8.4)  | -3 (3.2)     | -6 (4.1)  | 1 (1.7)      | -8 (3.4)  | 0 (1.5)      | -10 (4.4)   | 1 (1.6)      | -5 (4.3)   | 1 (2.1)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Greece               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Hungary              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Iceland              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Ireland              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Israel               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Italy                | -9 (6.1)   | 0 (3.4)                   | -4 (3.3)  | 1 (1.7)      | 0 (3.3)   | 3 (1.3)      | 0 (3.5)   | 3 (1.5)      | -1 (3.8)  | 3 (1.4)      | -3 (3.9)   | 2 (1.5)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Japan                | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Korea                | 1 (2.4)  | 1 (1.3)                   | 3 (2.5)   | 2 (1.3)      | 0 (2.2)   | 0 (1.4)      | -1 (2.0)  | 0 (1.2)      | 0 (1.9)   | 0 (1.2)      | 1 (2.3)  | 1 (1.4)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Latvia               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Luxembourg           | 3 (4.8)  | 7 (3.9)                   | 3 (3.6)   | 0 (2.6)      | 3 (4.9)   | 2 (2.1)      | 4 (4.1)   | -3 (3.1)     | 1 (5.2)   | 1 (2.3)      | 8 (5.3)  | -3 (3.3)     |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Mexico               | -3 (2.2)   | 0 (1.4)                   | 0 (2.0)   | 2 (1.1)      | -4 (2.4)  | 2 (1.3)      | -2 (2.9)  | 3 (1.1)      | -6 (2.8)  | 4 (1.1)      | -4 (2.5)   | 3 (1.1)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Netherlands          | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | New Zealand          | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Norway               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Poland               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Portugal             | -1 (6.2)   | 0 (3.6)                   | -1 (4.2)  | 2 (2.8)      | 4 (2.9)   | 3 (1.4)      | 5 (2.7)   | 1 (1.5)      | 2 (3.0)   | 2 (1.6)      | 4 (3.5)  | 4 (1.6)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Slovak Republic      | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
| Slovenia                    | m                    | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  |              |            |      |            |      |
| Spain                       | 1 (5.7)              | 0 (2.9)  | 1 (3.0)                   | 1 (2.1)   | 5 (3.1)      | 1 (1.3)   | 7 (3.4)      | 0 (1.7)   | 4 (3.7)      | 1 (1.6)   | 4 (3.2)      | 0 (1.8)  |              |            |      |            |      |
| Sweden                      | m                    | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  |              |            |      |            |      |
| Switzerland                 | m                    | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  |              |            |      |            |      |
| Turkey                      | m                    | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  |              |            |      |            |      |
| United Kingdom <sup>4</sup> | -3 (5.1)             | 0 (1.5)  | 2 (7.1)                   | -1 (2.8)  | -11 (6.1)    | -1 (2.3)  | -2 (7.0)     | -3 (2.3)  | 2 (7.3)      | -2 (2.8)  | 2 (6.6)      | -4 (2.4)   |              |            |      |            |      |
| United States               | m                    | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  |              |            |      |            |      |
| OECD average                | -1 (1.4)             | 1 (0.8)  | 0 (1.3)                   | 1 (0.6)   | 0 (1.1)      | 1 (0.5)   | 1 (1.1)      | 1 (0.5)   | 0 (1.2)      | 1 (0.5)   | 2 (1.2)      | 1 (0.6)  |              |            |      |            |      |
| Partners                    | Brazil               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | B-S-J-G (China)      | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Bulgaria             | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Colombia             | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Costa Rica           | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Croatia              | -7 (4.0)   | -2 (1.5)                  | -2 (1.9)  | 0 (1.6)      | -2 (2.8)  | 2 (1.6)      | -2 (2.9)  | 4 (1.6)      | 0 (2.7)   | 4 (2.0)      | -2 (2.7)   | 3 (1.7)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Cyprus*              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Dominican Republic   | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Hong Kong (China)    | -5 (3.4)   | 0 (2.7)                   | -2 (3.1)  | 1 (1.9)      | -12 (3.4)   | -2 (2.2)     | -7 (3.4)  | 0 (1.6)      | -5 (2.8)  | 1 (1.5)      | -2 (2.8)   | 1 (1.7)      |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Lithuania            | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Macao (China)        | -5 (3.2)   | 2 (2.3)                   | -5 (2.8)  | -1 (1.2)     | -6 (3.1)  | -2 (1.4)     | -3 (2.6)  | -2 (1.7)     | -3 (2.6)  | -3 (1.3)     | -4 (3.1)   | -3 (1.7)     |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Montenegro           | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Peru                 | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Qatar                | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Russia               | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Singapore            | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Chinese Taipei       | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Thailand             | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Tunisia              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | United Arab Emirates | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
|                             | Uruguay              | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  | m            |            |      |            |      |
| Malaysia**                  | m                    | m  | m                         | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m   | m            | m  |              |            |      |            |      |

1. Student-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score associated with students or parents reporting the above.

2. School-level refers to the change in collaborative problem-solving score per 10 percentage-point increase in the number of schoolmates or school parents who reported the above.

3. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in the Flemish Community.

4. The parent questionnaire was distributed only in Scotland.

Notes: Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

Questionnaire items that are measured at both the student and school levels are included in the same regression model.

\* See note at the beginning of this Annex.

\*\*Malaysia: Coverage is too small to ensure comparability (see Annex A4).

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## ANNEX B2

### RESULTS FOR REGIONS WITHIN COUNTRIES

[Part 1/1]

**Table B2.V.1 Percentage of students at each proficiency level of collaborative problem solving**

|                             | All students                              |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|-----------------------------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|
|                             | Below Level 1<br>(below 340 score points) |       | Level 1<br>(from 340 to less than<br>440 score points) |       | Level 2<br>(from 440 to less than<br>540 score points) |       | Level 3<br>(from 540 to less than<br>640 score points) |       | Level 4<br>(at or above 640 score<br>points) |       |
|                             | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| <b>Belgium</b>              |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Flemish community*          | 3.9                                       | (0.5) | 17.2   | (0.9) | 35.1   | (0.9) | 34.0   | (1.0) | 9.7  | (0.8) |
| French community            | 8.1                                       | (0.9) | 25.8   | (1.4) | 38.5   | (1.3) | 23.6   | (1.3) | 4.0  | (0.6) |
| German-speaking community   | 3.2                                       | (1.1) | 22.4   | (2.6) | 45.5   | (3.6) | 26.1   | (3.6) | 2.9  | (1.2) |
| <b>Canada</b>               |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Alberta                     | 3.2                                       | (0.7) | 13.8   | (1.4) | 30.4   | (1.8) | 34.5   | (2.0) | 18.2   | (1.7) |
| British Columbia            | 2.3                                       | (0.7) | 10.6   | (1.3) | 27.4   | (1.8) | 37.2   | (1.9) | 22.5   | (1.9) |
| Manitoba                    | 4.6                                       | (1.0) | 18.5   | (1.6) | 34.4   | (1.8) | 29.5   | (1.8) | 12.9   | (1.5) |
| New Brunswick               | 4.3                                       | (1.0) | 18.1   | (1.6) | 35.8   | (2.2) | 30.8   | (2.2) | 11.1   | (1.6) |
| Newfoundland and Labrador   | 4.0                                       | (0.8) | 16.8   | (1.8) | 35.8   | (2.1) | 31.7   | (1.9) | 11.7   | (1.5) |
| Nova Scotia                 | 3.3                                       | (0.7) | 15.7   | (1.5) | 32.7   | (1.8) | 33.0   | (2.5) | 15.3   | (1.6) |
| Ontario                     | 3.7                                       | (0.5) | 16.1   | (1.3) | 32.2   | (1.5) | 32.6   | (1.5) | 15.5   | (1.4) |
| Prince Edward Island        | 3.1                                       | (1.2) | 15.4   | (2.2) | 34.8   | (3.5) | 34.4   | (3.5) | 12.3   | (2.2) |
| Quebec                      | 3.1                                       | (0.5) | 14.1   | (1.4) | 33.6   | (1.6) | 36.0   | (1.6) | 13.3   | (1.4) |
| Saskatchewan                | 4.7                                       | (1.0) | 21.3   | (1.6) | 35.6   | (1.3) | 28.7   | (1.6) | 9.7  | (1.0) |
| <b>Italy</b>                |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Bolzano                     | 3.0                                       | (0.6) | 18.2   | (1.9) | 39.6   | (1.9) | 32.4   | (2.2) | 6.9  | (1.6) |
| Campania                    | 13.0                                      | (1.6) | 36.8   | (2.2) | 34.9   | (2.0) | 13.4   | (1.4) | 1.9  | (0.5) |
| Lombardia                   | 4.8                                       | (1.1) | 22.0   | (1.8) | 39.5   | (1.7) | 28.0   | (2.0) | 5.7  | (1.1) |
| Trento                      | 3.7                                       | (0.6) | 20.2   | (1.3) | 43.1   | (2.1) | 28.5   | (1.6) | 4.4  | (0.8) |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | 7.2                                       | (0.8) | 31.6   | (1.6) | 40.3   | (2.3) | 18.6   | (1.6) | 2.3  | (0.6) |
| <b>Spain</b>                |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Andalusia*                  | 7.2                                       | (1.0) | 24.9   | (1.7) | 39.4   | (1.5) | 24.6   | (1.8) | 3.9  | (0.6) |
| Aragon*                     | 4.9                                       | (0.9) | 21.0   | (1.8) | 39.9   | (1.7) | 28.7   | (1.9) | 5.6  | (1.2) |
| Asturias*                   | 5.5                                       | (1.6) | 21.5   | (2.3) | 40.2   | (1.8) | 27.6   | (2.5) | 5.3  | (1.8) |
| Balearic Islands*           | 5.4                                       | (0.8) | 24.4   | (1.7) | 40.6   | (2.2) | 25.4   | (2.4) | 4.2  | (1.0) |
| Basque Country*             | 6.2                                       | (0.9) | 25.3   | (1.5) | 40.6   | (1.5) | 24.3   | (1.6) | 3.6  | (0.6) |
| Canary Islands*             | 6.4                                       | (1.0) | 25.6   | (1.5) | 39.4   | (1.4) | 24.6   | (1.7) | 4.0  | (0.9) |
| Cantabria*                  | 5.1                                       | (1.2) | 26.5   | (2.4) | 40.0   | (1.4) | 24.6   | (2.3) | 3.7  | (1.3) |
| Castile and Leon*           | 2.6                                       | (0.5) | 16.5   | (1.5) | 40.1   | (1.6) | 33.0   | (1.6) | 7.8  | (1.0) |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | 4.3                                       | (0.7) | 21.2   | (1.6) | 42.1   | (1.6) | 27.6   | (1.6) | 4.8  | (0.9) |
| Catalonia*                  | 4.6                                       | (0.8) | 19.9   | (1.4) | 38.4   | (1.4) | 29.9   | (1.9) | 7.1  | (0.9) |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | 4.7                                       | (0.7) | 23.1   | (1.5) | 41.6   | (1.7) | 26.1   | (1.7) | 4.5  | (0.9) |
| Extremadura*                | 7.7                                       | (1.1) | 28.3   | (1.6) | 39.3   | (1.7) | 21.5   | (1.9) | 3.2  | (0.7) |
| Galicia*                    | 5.2                                       | (0.8) | 22.6   | (1.7) | 39.9   | (1.6) | 27.8   | (2.0) | 4.6  | (0.9) |
| La Rioja*                   | 5.6                                       | (1.1) | 22.5   | (2.7) | 38.1   | (2.1) | 28.3   | (2.7) | 5.4  | (1.8) |
| Madrid*                     | 3.2                                       | (0.8) | 15.8   | (1.1) | 38.2   | (1.6) | 34.7   | (1.5) | 8.1  | (0.9) |
| Murcia*                     | 5.8                                       | (1.0) | 24.7   | (1.9) | 40.9   | (1.6) | 24.7   | (1.7) | 3.9  | (0.7) |
| Navarre*                    | 3.7                                       | (0.8) | 19.0   | (1.8) | 41.5   | (2.0) | 29.9   | (2.6) | 6.0  | (1.1) |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| England                     | 4.3                                       | (0.5) | 17.8   | (1.0) | 34.0   | (0.9) | 31.0   | (1.0) | 12.9   | (0.9) |
| Northern Ireland            | 2.6                                       | (0.5) | 18.5   | (1.4) | 39.1   | (1.6) | 32.8   | (1.4) | 7.0  | (0.8) |
| Scotland*                   | 4.2                                       | (0.5) | 19.6   | (0.8) | 35.1   | (1.0) | 31.2   | (1.0) | 9.8  | (0.7) |
| Wales                       | 3.9                                       | (0.5) | 23.0   | (1.3) | 41.0   | (1.3) | 27.2   | (1.5) | 4.9  | (0.5) |
| <b>United States</b>        |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Massachusetts*              | 2.7                                       | (0.6) | 12.8   | (1.5) | 29.6   | (1.8) | 35.0   | (1.9) | 19.9   | (1.9) |
| North Carolina*             | 3.9                                       | (0.6) | 18.2   | (1.5) | 32.4   | (1.7) | 31.7   | (2.0) | 13.8   | (1.6) |
| <b>Partners</b>             |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Bogotá                      | 5.1                                       | (0.9) | 29.3   | (1.9) | 44.3   | (2.0) | 19.4   | (1.9) | 1.9  | (0.8) |
| Cali                        | 9.5                                       | (1.2) | 41.9   | (2.0) | 37.6   | (1.8) | 10.5   | (1.4) | 0.6  | (0.2) |
| Manizales                   | 7.1                                       | (1.0) | 37.7   | (2.2) | 42.5   | (1.8) | 11.9   | (1.6) | 0.7  | (0.4) |
| Medellín                    | 7.8                                       | (1.2) | 36.8   | (2.0) | 41.1   | (2.0) | 13.3   | (1.6) | 1.0  | (0.4) |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | 18.2                                      | (1.4) | 41.7   | (1.5) | 30.3   | (1.7) | 9.0  | (1.1) | 0.8  | (0.2) |
| Ajman                       | 21.5                                      | (2.2) | 42.2   | (2.1) | 28.1   | (2.2) | 7.7  | (1.4) | 0.4  | (0.4) |
| Dubai*                      | 9.3                                       | (0.6) | 26.8   | (0.8) | 35.6   | (1.1) | 23.5   | (0.9) | 4.7  | (0.5) |
| Fujairah                    | 24.1                                      | (2.7) | 45.1   | (2.7) | 24.9   | (2.2) | 5.3  | (1.5) | 0.6  | (0.4) |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | 24.5                                      | (3.2) | 45.4   | (3.2) | 24.4   | (2.5) | 5.2  | (1.5) | 0.6  | (0.5) |
| Sharjah                     | 16.0                                      | (2.7) | 39.3   | (3.1) | 33.6   | (3.0) | 10.5   | (2.4) | 0.6  | (0.4) |
| Umm Al Quwain               | 25.1                                      | (3.6) | 48.8   | (3.9) | 22.0   | (2.8) | 4.0  | (1.3) | 0.1  | (0.3) |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

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Table B2.V.2 Mean score and variation in collaborative problem-solving performance

|                       | Mean score                  |       | Standard deviation |       | Percentiles |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                       |                             |       |                    |       | 5th         |        | 10th   |       | 25th   |        | Median (50th) |        | 75th   |        | 90th   |        | 95th   |        |        |
|                       | Mean                        | S.E.  | S.D.               | S.E.  | Score       | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.  | Score  | S.E.   | Score         | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.   |        |
| OECD                  | <b>Belgium</b>              |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                       | Flemish community*          | 519   | (2.8)              | 97    | (2.0)       | 351    | (5.1)  | 387   | (5.1)  | 454    | (4.1)         | 525    | (2.8)  | 588    | (2.9)  | 639    | (4.1)  | 667    | (4.4)  |
|                       | French community            | 479   | (4.2)              | 97    | (2.0)       | 318    | (6.3)  | 352   | (6.3)  | 412    | (6.2)         | 483    | (4.8)  | 548    | (4.5)  | 602    | (5.0)  | 632    | (5.1)  |
|                       | German-speaking community   | 493   | (6.4)              | 81    | (3.4)       | 357    | (12.1) | 385   | (10.1) | 438    | (8.3)         | 495    | (7.3)  | 548    | (8.7)  | 595    | (12.1) | 620    | (12.4) |
|                       | <b>Canada</b>               |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                       | Alberta                     | 543   | (5.8)              | 105   | (2.7)       | 363    | (8.8)  | 402   | (8.6)  | 471    | (7.9)         | 547    | (6.9)  | 616    | (6.6)  | 676    | (7.2)  | 711    | (8.8)  |
|                       | British Columbia            | 561   | (5.8)              | 105   | (3.0)       | 380    | (11.2) | 421   | (10.0) | 494    | (7.4)         | 565    | (5.6)  | 632    | (6.5)  | 692    | (6.7)  | 728    | (9.7)  |
|                       | Manitoba                    | 519   | (5.5)              | 105   | (2.5)       | 343    | (10.3) | 381   | (7.4)  | 446    | (6.8)         | 520    | (5.8)  | 593    | (6.3)  | 655    | (8.1)  | 690    | (11.0) |
|                       | New Brunswick               | 517   | (5.5)              | 101   | (2.9)       | 347    | (10.6) | 385   | (7.7)  | 449    | (7.7)         | 520    | (7.2)  | 588    | (7.2)  | 645    | (9.0)  | 679    | (7.8)  |
|                       | Newfoundland and Labrador   | 521   | (4.4)              | 100   | (2.4)       | 352    | (8.7)  | 391   | (8.0)  | 454    | (6.2)         | 525    | (6.1)  | 591    | (5.9)  | 647    | (6.7)  | 681    | (8.3)  |
|                       | Nova Scotia                 | 533   | (4.6)              | 104   | (3.0)       | 358    | (8.0)  | 393   | (7.7)  | 462    | (6.1)         | 535    | (6.0)  | 606    | (5.8)  | 665    | (7.7)  | 699    | (8.8)  |
|                       | Ontario                     | 532   | (4.4)              | 106   | (1.8)       | 353    | (6.1)  | 393   | (5.6)  | 460    | (5.3)         | 535    | (5.0)  | 605    | (4.9)  | 666    | (6.6)  | 702    | (6.6)  |
|                       | Prince Edward Island        | 529   | (5.9)              | 100   | (5.0)       | 362    | (17.2) | 394   | (14.4) | 463    | (9.4)         | 533    | (8.8)  | 597    | (9.2)  | 651    | (14.4) | 689    | (16.8) |
|                       | Quebec                      | 534   | (4.7)              | 98    | (2.3)       | 363    | (7.7)  | 403   | (7.3)  | 470    | (5.9)         | 538    | (4.9)  | 601    | (5.3)  | 655    | (5.9)  | 688    | (7.3)  |
|                       | Saskatchewan                | 508   | (3.7)              | 101   | (2.3)       | 342    | (7.6)  | 376   | (5.7)  | 436    | (5.6)         | 509    | (4.9)  | 580    | (4.9)  | 638    | (5.9)  | 673    | (5.8)  |
|                       | <b>Italy</b>                |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                       | Bolzano                     | 512   | (7.3)              | 88    | (2.1)       | 361    | (8.6)  | 395   | (7.9)  | 452    | (6.9)         | 516    | (7.0)  | 575    | (8.9)  | 624    | (9.5)  | 652    | (10.9) |
|                       | Campania                    | 443   | (5.4)              | 93    | (3.2)       | 297    | (10.4) | 327   | (7.8)  | 378    | (5.6)         | 440    | (5.9)  | 505    | (7.2)  | 566    | (8.6)  | 601    | (9.4)  |
|                       | Lombardia                   | 498   | (5.6)              | 93    | (2.8)       | 342    | (11.2) | 377   | (8.5)  | 434    | (7.2)         | 500    | (6.3)  | 563    | (6.8)  | 615    | (7.2)  | 645    | (7.8)  |
|                       | Trento                      | 500   | (2.8)              | 86    | (2.0)       | 353    | (6.0)  | 385   | (4.2)  | 443    | (3.5)         | 504    | (3.7)  | 558    | (3.8)  | 606    | (6.1)  | 635    | (7.2)  |
|                       | <b>Portugal</b>             |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                       | Região Autónoma dos Açores  | 467   | (2.8)              | 87    | (2.2)       | 327    | (5.2)  | 354   | (4.7)  | 404    | (4.8)         | 467    | (4.1)  | 528    | (4.0)  | 580    | (5.8)  | 609    | (5.5)  |
|                       | <b>Spain</b>                |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                       | Andalusia*                  | 483   | (4.4)              | 94    | (2.2)       | 322    | (8.4)  | 357   | (6.4)  | 419    | (5.4)         | 484    | (5.2)  | 550    | (5.1)  | 603    | (5.4)  | 631    | (5.9)  |
|                       | Aragon*                     | 499   | (6.1)              | 91    | (2.1)       | 341    | (8.4)  | 379   | (8.3)  | 438    | (7.1)         | 502    | (6.9)  | 564    | (6.2)  | 615    | (7.0)  | 644    | (8.4)  |
|                       | Asturias*                   | 496   | (10.7)             | 92    | (1.9)       | 337    | (11.8) | 370   | (13.4) | 434    | (11.2)        | 500    | (10.4) | 560    | (10.8) | 612    | (10.3) | 641    | (12.4) |
|                       | Balearic Islands*           | 488   | (5.6)              | 91    | (2.1)       | 337    | (8.0)  | 370   | (6.2)  | 426    | (5.5)         | 490    | (6.0)  | 552    | (7.2)  | 605    | (6.8)  | 634    | (7.8)  |
|                       | Basque Country*             | 484   | (4.8)              | 91    | (1.5)       | 331    | (6.8)  | 363   | (5.6)  | 421    | (5.2)         | 487    | (5.7)  | 548    | (5.0)  | 600    | (4.9)  | 628    | (5.7)  |
|                       | Canary Islands*             | 484   | (5.0)              | 93    | (2.3)       | 329    | (8.2)  | 362   | (6.7)  | 420    | (5.5)         | 486    | (5.8)  | 551    | (4.8)  | 603    | (6.7)  | 632    | (7.1)  |
|                       | Cantabria*                  | 485   | (8.2)              | 89    | (2.0)       | 339    | (8.9)  | 367   | (7.4)  | 421    | (8.9)         | 487    | (8.8)  | 548    | (8.0)  | 598    | (9.4)  | 627    | (11.9) |
|                       | Castile and Leon*           | 517   | (4.2)              | 88    | (1.8)       | 366    | (7.2)  | 400   | (6.8)  | 459    | (5.1)         | 519    | (5.3)  | 578    | (5.0)  | 630    | (5.4)  | 657    | (5.7)  |
| Castile-La Mancha*    | 497                         | (4.3) | 89                 | (1.9) | 347         | (7.1)  | 379    | (7.2) | 438    | (5.6)  | 499           | (4.8)  | 559    | (4.8)  | 610    | (5.8)  | 639    | (7.0)  |        |
| Catalonia*            | 505                         | (4.7) | 94                 | (2.1) | 343         | (8.1)  | 379    | (7.1) | 441    | (6.3)  | 509           | (5.5)  | 572    | (4.9)  | 625    | (5.7)  | 653    | (5.8)  |        |
| Comunidad Valenciana* | 492                         | (3.8) | 89                 | (2.3) | 342         | (5.8)  | 375    | (5.9) | 432    | (4.9)  | 494           | (5.3)  | 554    | (5.0)  | 605    | (6.4)  | 635    | (7.4)  |        |
| Extremadura*          | 474                         | (4.7) | 92                 | (2.0) | 321         | (7.3)  | 354    | (6.4) | 409    | (5.5)  | 476           | (5.1)  | 539    | (6.2)  | 593    | (6.3)  | 623    | (6.8)  |        |
| Galicia*              | 494                         | (5.7) | 91                 | (2.1) | 339         | (7.1)  | 373    | (6.8) | 431    | (6.9)  | 499           | (6.1)  | 559    | (6.8)  | 610    | (7.0)  | 636    | (7.4)  |        |
| La Rioja*             | 495                         | (9.1) | 94                 | (2.5) | 335         | (8.5)  | 369    | (9.3) | 430    | (10.7) | 499           | (9.7)  | 562    | (9.8)  | 611    | (11.1) | 642    | (13.2) |        |
| Madrid*               | 519                         | (3.4) | 90                 | (2.4) | 361         | (9.5)  | 398    | (7.3) | 461    | (4.7)  | 524           | (4.1)  | 581    | (5.2)  | 631    | (5.0)  | 658    | (5.6)  |        |
| Murcia*               | 486                         | (5.0) | 90                 | (2.0) | 334         | (8.0)  | 366    | (6.2) | 424    | (6.5)  | 490           | (5.5)  | 550    | (5.4)  | 601    | (5.2)  | 631    | (5.9)  |        |
| Navarre*              | 505                         | (6.5) | 89                 | (2.0) | 353         | (8.5)  | 389    | (7.6) | 447    | (7.0)  | 508           | (6.8)  | 568    | (7.2)  | 618    | (7.4)  | 647    | (7.1)  |        |
| <b>United Kingdom</b> |                             |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| England               | 521                         | (3.1) | 104                | (1.3) | 347         | (4.8)  | 384    | (4.6) | 450    | (4.2)  | 523           | (3.7)  | 594    | (3.9)  | 654    | (3.6)  | 690    | (4.2)  |        |
| Northern Ireland      | 514                         | (3.7) | 88                 | (1.9) | 366         | (6.6)  | 398    | (5.5) | 452    | (5.5)  | 517           | (4.3)  | 577    | (4.5)  | 626    | (5.0)  | 654    | (5.2)  |        |
| Scotland*             | 513                         | (2.5) | 99                 | (1.7) | 347         | (5.0)  | 381    | (4.4) | 444    | (3.7)  | 516           | (3.0)  | 585    | (3.5)  | 639    | (3.7)  | 670    | (4.4)  |        |
| Wales                 | 496                         | (3.5) | 89                 | (1.5) | 349         | (5.1)  | 378    | (4.9) | 434    | (4.6)  | 498           | (4.0)  | 559    | (4.2)  | 611    | (4.2)  | 639    | (4.3)  |        |
| <b>United States</b>  |                             |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Massachusetts*        | 549                         | (6.2) | 105                | (2.8) | 368         | (9.5)  | 408    | (8.7) | 478    | (8.1)  | 553           | (7.6)  | 624    | (7.1)  | 682    | (7.6)  | 714    | (8.9)  |        |
| North Carolina*       | 525                         | (5.3) | 104                | (2.4) | 351         | (6.9)  | 387    | (6.5) | 450    | (6.0)  | 527           | (7.4)  | 601    | (6.5)  | 657    | (5.9)  | 690    | (7.6)  |        |
| Partners              | <b>Colombia</b>             |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                       | Bogotá                      | 474   | (4.8)              | 82    | (2.9)       | 340    | (6.8)  | 368   | (5.4)  | 417    | (5.2)         | 474    | (5.6)  | 530    | (6.6)  | 580    | (7.9)  | 608    | (9.6)  |
|                       | Cali                        | 440   | (4.4)              | 78    | (2.0)       | 317    | (5.1)  | 342   | (4.9)  | 386    | (4.6)         | 437    | (5.1)  | 494    | (6.4)  | 545    | (6.7)  | 573    | (7.6)  |
|                       | Manizales                   | 451   | (3.9)              | 77    | (2.2)       | 327    | (6.0)  | 353   | (4.3)  | 397    | (4.2)         | 450    | (4.4)  | 504    | (5.4)  | 552    | (6.8)  | 580    | (9.0)  |
|                       | Medellín                    | 453   | (4.5)              | 80    | (2.0)       | 324    | (6.9)  | 351   | (5.6)  | 396    | (5.0)         | 451    | (5.1)  | 508    | (5.5)  | 557    | (7.1)  | 586    | (7.2)  |
|                       | <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |       |                    |       |             |        |        |       |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                       | Abu Dhabi*                  | 422   | (4.2)              | 88    | (1.9)       | 287    | (5.2)  | 313   | (4.6)  | 358    | (4.3)         | 417    | (5.2)  | 481    | (5.6)  | 539    | (6.4)  | 572    | (7.1)  |
|                       | Ajman                       | 412   | (5.7)              | 87    | (2.9)       | 275    | (10.2) | 303   | (7.3)  | 349    | (6.2)         | 407    | (7.2)  | 472    | (7.3)  | 529    | (9.6)  | 563    | (9.0)  |
|                       | Dubai*                      | 477   | (2.2)              | 100   | (1.6)       | 313    | (3.9)  | 343   | (2.9)  | 404    | (3.0)         | 479    | (2.8)  | 550    | (3.2)  | 605    | (3.8)  | 638    | (4.4)  |
|                       | Fujairah                    | 402   | (7.3)              | 85    | (4.9)       | 274    | (10.2) | 299   | (6.6)  | 342    | (6.6)         | 396    | (8.1)  | 457    | (10.9) | 516    | (13.4) | 546    | (13.9) |
|                       | Ras Al Khaimah              | 400   | (9.0)              | 84    | (5.4)       | 272    | (11.0) | 298   | (9.7)  | 341    | (8.1)         | 393    | (8.8)  | 454    | (11.6) | 510    | (14.1) | 547    | (18.2) |
| Sharjah               | 429                         | (9.4) | 88                 | (3.1) | 286         | (12.2) | 316    | (9.6) | 367    | (10.6) | 427           | (11.1) | 490    | (11.9) | 545    | (11.3) | 575    | (11.8) |        |
| Umm Al Quwain         | 394                         | (6.1) | 77                 | (4.5) | 276         | (12.7) | 299    | (9.9) | 339    | (8.7)  | 389           | (7.8)  | 442    | (8.2)  | 499    | (11.7) | 531    | (14.4) |        |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

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**Table B2.V.3 Top performers in four PISA subjects**

|                       | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:    |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|-----------------------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|-------|
|                       | Not top performers in any of the four subjects |       | Top performers <sup>1</sup> in only one of science, reading or mathematics |       | Top performers in only two of science, reading and mathematics |       | Top performers in science, reading and mathematics |       | Top performers in only collaborative problem solving |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving and science |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving and reading |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving and mathematics |       |       |
|                       | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  |       |
| <b>OECD</b>           | <b>Belgium</b>                                 |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|                       | Flemish community*                             | 72.3  | (1.0)  | 10.0  | (0.6)  | 4.8   | (0.5)  | 3.2   | (0.4)  | 2.5   | (0.4)   | 0.3   | (0.1)   | 0.5   | (0.1)   | 1.2   | (0.2) |
|                       | French community                               | 85.7  | (1.2)  | 6.4   | (0.7)  | 2.5   | (0.3)  | 1.4   | (0.3)  | 1.3   | (0.3)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.2   | (0.1)   | 0.6   | (0.2) |
|                       | German-speaking community                      | 86.2  | (2.3)  | 6.2   | (1.5)  | 3.0   | (1.7)  | 1.6   | (0.8)  | 1.3   | (0.8)   | 0.1   | (0.3)   | 0.1   | (0.3)   | 0.3   | (0.4) |
|                       | <b>Canada</b>                                  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|                       | Alberta  | 70.0  | (1.8)  | 6.8   | (1.0)  | 3.1   | (0.6)  | 1.9   | (0.5)  | 5.9   | (0.9)   | 1.1   | (0.3)   | 1.5   | (0.4)   | 0.9   | (0.4) |
|                       | British Columbia                               | 66.7  | (2.2)  | 6.5   | (1.0)  | 2.8   | (0.6)  | 1.5   | (0.5)  | 8.4   | (1.2)   | 1.0   | (0.4)   | 2.1   | (0.6)   | 1.3   | (0.4) |
|                       | Manitoba                                       | 81.6  | (1.6)  | 3.6   | (0.6)  | 1.3   | (0.4)  | 0.6   | (0.3)  | 5.4   | (1.0)   | 0.6   | (0.3)   | 1.3   | (0.4)   | 1.0   | (0.5) |
|                       | New Brunswick                                  | 81.3  | (1.9)  | 4.4   | (1.0)  | 2.1   | (0.7)  | 1.1   | (0.4)  | 4.3   | (0.9)   | 0.6   | (0.3)   | 1.1   | (0.4)   | 0.6   | (0.4) |
|                       | Newfoundland and Labrador                      | 82.2  | (1.5)  | 3.6   | (0.9)  | 1.7   | (0.6)  | 0.9   | (0.5)  | 5.4   | (1.1)   | 0.7   | (0.4)   | 1.1   | (0.6)   | 0.5   | (0.3) |
|                       | Nova Scotia                                    | 77.4  | (1.7)  | 4.4   | (0.9)  | 1.8   | (0.6)  | 1.0   | (0.5)  | 6.7   | (1.2)   | 0.7   | (0.4)   | 1.4   | (0.5)   | 0.5   | (0.3) |
|                       | Ontario  | 73.4  | (1.7)  | 6.3   | (0.9)  | 2.8   | (0.5)  | 1.9   | (0.4)  | 5.3   | (0.6)   | 0.6   | (0.2)   | 1.6   | (0.4)   | 0.8   | (0.2) |
|                       | Prince Edward Island                           | 80.6  | (2.9)  | 4.1   | (1.7)  | 2.0   | (1.0)  | 0.9   | (0.9)  | 5.1   | (1.6)   | 0.6   | (0.6)   | 1.3   | (0.8)   | 0.4   | (0.5) |
|                       | Quebec   | 66.8  | (2.2)  | 11.9  | (1.3)  | 4.8   | (0.6)  | 3.2   | (0.6)  | 3.5   | (0.6)   | 0.2   | (0.1)   | 0.9   | (0.3)   | 1.8   | (0.5) |
|                       | Saskatchewan                                   | 85.0  | (1.2)  | 3.2   | (0.7)  | 1.4   | (0.5)  | 0.7   | (0.3)  | 4.3   | (0.6)   | 0.4   | (0.2)   | 0.8   | (0.4)   | 0.7   | (0.3) |
|                       | <b>Italy</b>                                   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|                       | Bolzano  | 80.1  | (2.0)  | 8.2   | (1.1)  | 3.1   | (0.7)  | 1.7   | (0.5)  | 2.4   | (1.1)   | 0.3   | (0.2)   | 0.3   | (0.2)   | 0.7   | (0.4) |
|                       | Campania                                       | 92.3  | (1.2)  | 4.2   | (0.9)  | 1.0   | (0.4)  | 0.5   | (0.3)  | 0.8   | (0.3)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.2   | (0.1)   | 0.2   | (0.1) |
|                       | Lombardia                                      | 79.2  | (2.0)  | 9.6   | (1.3)  | 3.5   | (0.7)  | 1.9   | (0.5)  | 2.1   | (0.6)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.5   | (0.2)   | 0.7   | (0.3) |
|                       | Trento   | 81.1  | (1.3)  | 9.2   | (1.0)  | 3.5   | (0.8)  | 1.7   | (0.5)  | 1.6   | (0.6)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.3   | (0.2)   | 0.5   | (0.2) |
|                       | <b>Portugal</b>                                |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|                       | Região Autónoma dos Açores                     | 90.8  | (1.0)  | 3.8   | (0.8)  | 1.7   | (0.6)  | 1.3   | (0.5)  | 0.6   | (0.3)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.1   | (0.2)   | 0.2   | (0.2) |
|                       | <b>Spain</b>                                   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|                       | Andalusia*                                     | 90.1  | (1.0)  | 3.8   | (0.6)  | 1.5   | (0.4)  | 0.7   | (0.3)  | 2.0   | (0.4)   | 0.2   | (0.1)   | 0.4   | (0.2)   | 0.3   | (0.2) |
|                       | Aragon*  | 83.9  | (1.4)  | 6.1   | (0.9)  | 2.9   | (0.7)  | 1.6   | (0.5)  | 2.2   | (0.6)   | 0.3   | (0.2)   | 0.4   | (0.3)   | 0.4   | (0.2) |
|                       | Asturias*                                      | 85.7  | (1.5)  | 5.3   | (0.9)  | 2.3   | (0.6)  | 1.4   | (0.6)  | 2.2   | (1.1)   | 0.2   | (0.2)   | 0.5   | (0.3)   | 0.4   | (0.3) |
|                       | Balearic Islands*                              | 89.3  | (1.4)  | 4.3   | (0.9)  | 1.5   | (0.4)  | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 1.9   | (0.6)   | 0.2   | (0.1)   | 0.4   | (0.3)   | 0.4   | (0.3) |
|                       | Basque Country*                                | 88.1  | (1.0)  | 5.6   | (0.6)  | 1.8   | (0.4)  | 0.9   | (0.2)  | 1.4   | (0.4)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.5   | (0.2)   | 0.4   | (0.2) |
|                       | Canary Islands*                                | 90.4  | (1.0)  | 3.8   | (0.6)  | 1.2   | (0.4)  | 0.5   | (0.2)  | 2.0   | (0.7)   | 0.2   | (0.2)   | 0.7   | (0.3)   | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                       | Cantabria*                                     | 86.4  | (1.9)  | 6.2   | (1.2)  | 2.4   | (0.5)  | 1.3   | (0.5)  | 1.4   | (0.8)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.4   | (0.2)   | 0.3   | (0.2) |
| Castile and Leon*     | 81.0   | (1.4) | 6.4  | (0.8) | 3.0  | (0.6) | 1.9  | (0.6) | 2.6  | (0.5) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.8   | (0.3) | 0.5   | (0.3) |       |
| Castile-La Mancha*    | 87.0   | (1.1) | 5.1  | (0.7) | 2.0  | (0.5) | 1.1  | (0.3) | 2.0  | (0.5) | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.2) |       |
| Catalonia*            | 83.2   | (1.5) | 6.0  | (0.9) | 2.4  | (0.6) | 1.3  | (0.4) | 2.9  | (0.6) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.3) |       |
| Comunidad Valenciana* | 88.4   | (1.2) | 4.6  | (0.7) | 1.7  | (0.4) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 2.1  | (0.6) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.5   | (0.3) | 0.3   | (0.2) |       |
| Extremadura*          | 91.0   | (0.9) | 3.9  | (0.7) | 1.1  | (0.4) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.5) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.2) |       |
| Galicia*              | 84.4   | (1.1) | 6.3  | (0.7) | 3.1  | (0.6) | 1.6  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.5) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.2) |       |
| La Rioja*             | 83.5   | (2.2) | 7.0  | (2.0) | 2.9  | (0.7) | 1.2  | (0.6) | 2.0  | (1.0) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.4   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.4) |       |
| Madrid*               | 80.2   | (1.4) | 7.3  | (1.1) | 2.9  | (0.5) | 1.5  | (0.5) | 3.0  | (0.7) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 1.1   | (0.4) | 0.6   | (0.3) |       |
| Murcia*               | 90.0   | (1.0) | 4.0  | (0.8) | 1.4  | (0.4) | 0.8  | (0.2) | 1.7  | (0.5) | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.2) | 0.2   | (0.2) |       |
| Navarre*              | 80.7   | (2.2) | 8.4  | (1.7) | 3.2  | (0.8) | 1.7  | (0.5) | 1.8  | (0.6) | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.6   | (0.3) | 0.6   | (0.3) |       |
| <b>United Kingdom</b> |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
| England               | 77.3   | (1.1) | 5.6  | (0.5) | 2.8  | (0.4) | 1.4  | (0.3) | 4.6  | (0.4) | 0.9   | (0.2) | 0.8   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.2) |       |
| Northern Ireland      | 86.1   | (1.3) | 4.0  | (0.6) | 2.0  | (0.4) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 2.8  | (0.5) | 0.4   | (0.3) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.4   | (0.2) |       |
| Scotland*             | 82.5   | (0.9) | 4.6  | (0.5) | 2.1  | (0.4) | 1.0  | (0.3) | 4.4  | (0.5) | 0.5   | (0.2) | 0.7   | (0.3) | 0.7   | (0.3) |       |
| Wales                 | 90.1   | (0.8) | 3.2  | (0.5) | 1.2  | (0.3) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 2.1  | (0.4) | 0.4   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.3   | (0.2) |       |
| <b>United States</b>  |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
| Massachusetts*        | 73.3   | (2.3) | 4.1  | (0.8) | 1.9  | (0.5) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 6.8  | (0.8) | 1.3   | (0.5) | 1.6   | (0.5) | 0.5   | (0.3) |       |
| North Carolina*       | 80.6   | (1.7) | 3.4  | (0.6) | 1.5  | (0.4) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 5.7  | (0.9) | 1.1   | (0.4) | 1.6   | (0.4) | 0.2   | (0.2) |       |
| <b>Partners</b>       | <b>Colombia</b>                                |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|                       | Bogotá   | 95.8  | (0.9)  | 1.7   | (0.6)  | 0.4   | (0.2)  | 0.2   | (0.2)  | 1.1   | (0.6)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.2   | (0.2)   | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                       | Cali   | 98.6  | (0.4)  | 0.6   | (0.3)  | 0.1   | (0.2)  | 0.1   | (0.1)  | 0.4   | (0.2)   | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.1) |
|                       | Manizales                                      | 98.0  | (0.7)  | 0.9   | (0.4)  | 0.3   | (0.2)  | 0.1   | (0.1)  | 0.4   | (0.3)   | 0.0   | (0.1)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                       | Medellín                                       | 97.3  | (0.6)  | 1.4   | (0.4)  | 0.2   | (0.2)  | 0.1   | (0.1)  | 0.5   | (0.2)   | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                       | <b>United Arab Emirates</b>                    |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |       |
|                       | Abu Dhabi*                                     | 95.8  | (0.6)  | 2.1   | (0.4)  | 0.8   | (0.2)  | 0.5   | (0.2)  | 0.3   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.1   | (0.1) |
|                       | Ajman  | 98.7  | (0.5)  | 0.6   | (0.4)  | 0.2   | (0.2)  | 0.0   | (0.0)  | 0.3   | (0.4)   | 0.0   | c   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.1) |
|                       | Dubai*   | 86.5  | (0.6)  | 5.3   | (0.5)  | 2.2   | (0.3)  | 1.3   | (0.3)  | 1.3   | (0.3)   | 0.3   | (0.1)   | 0.3   | (0.1)   | 0.3   | (0.2) |
|                       | Fujairah                                       | 97.7  | (0.9)  | 1.2   | (0.6)  | 0.3   | (0.3)  | 0.1   | (0.2)  | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.0)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.0) |
|                       | Ras Al Khaimah                                 | 98.4  | (1.0)  | 0.8   | (0.4)  | 0.2   | (0.2)  | 0.1   | (0.1)  | 0.2   | (0.2)   | 0.0   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.1)   | 0.1   | (0.2) |
|                       | Sharjah  | 95.4  | (1.4)  | 2.7   | (0.9)  | 0.8   | (0.5)  | 0.4   | (0.4)  | 0.3   | (0.3)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.1   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.1) |
|                       | Umm Al Quwain                                  | 99.2  | (0.6)  | 0.6   | (0.5)  | 0.1   | (0.2)  | 0.1   | (0.2)  | 0.0   | (0.2)   | 0.0   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | (0.1)   | 0.0   | c     |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

1. Top performers in collaborative problem solving are students who score at Level 4. Top performers in science, reading or mathematics score at Level 5 or 6 in the subject.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

See Table V.3.3a for national data.

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Table B2.V.3 Top performers in four PISA subjects

|                             | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:                                       |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       | Percentage of top performers in collaborative problem solving among top performers in... |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
|-----------------------------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|--|--------|---------|--------|-------------|-------|----------------------------------|--------|
|                             | Top performers <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving, science and reading |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving, science and mathematics |       | Top performers in collaborative problem solving, reading and mathematics |       | Top performers in all four subjects |       | Science  |        | Reading |        | Mathematics |       | Science, reading and mathematics |        |
|                             | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %                                   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.   | %       | S.E.   | %           | S.E.  | %                                | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| <b>Belgium</b>              |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Flemish community*          | 0.4   | (0.1) | 1.1  | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 3.2                                 | (0.4) | 40.9   | (3.7)  | 38.7    | (3.4)  | 29.5        | (2.7) | 50.1                             | (4.4)  |
| French community            | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 1.0                                 | (0.2) | 30.5   | (3.9)  | 28.3    | (3.9)  | 22.8        | (2.8) | 41.5                             | (6.5)  |
| German-speaking community   | 0.1   | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.3) | 0.1  | (0.2) | 0.7                                 | (0.5) | c  | c      | c       | c      | 13.6        | (7.2) | c                                | c      |
| <b>Canada</b>               |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Alberta                     | 2.1   | (0.5) | 1.4  | (0.5) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 4.9                                 | (0.7) | 59.3   | (5.5)  | 58.2    | (5.4)  | 56.8        | (5.0) | 72.2                             | (6.9)  |
| British Columbia            | 1.6   | (0.5) | 1.6  | (0.5) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 5.8                                 | (0.9) | 68.0   | (4.6)  | 65.4    | (4.7)  | 59.4        | (4.5) | 79.4                             | (5.1)  |
| Manitoba                    | 0.8   | (0.3) | 1.0  | (0.5) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 2.4                                 | (0.6) | 67.9   | (6.2)  | 65.1    | (6.6)  | 59.7        | (7.2) | 79.0                             | (8.3)  |
| New Brunswick               | 1.0   | (0.4) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 2.4                                 | (0.6) | 58.4   | (6.7)  | 56.7    | (7.4)  | 45.4        | (8.7) | 68.7                             | (10.8) |
| Newfoundland and Labrador   | 0.9   | (0.5) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 2.2                                 | (0.6) | 57.9   | (8.2)  | 56.7    | (8.7)  | 56.9        | (8.4) | c                                | c      |
| Nova Scotia                 | 1.4   | (0.5) | 0.8  | (0.4) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 3.6                                 | (0.7) | 65.7   | (6.5)  | 62.5    | (7.6)  | 56.9        | (7.1) | 77.6                             | (8.5)  |
| Ontario                     | 1.3   | (0.4) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 4.6                                 | (0.6) | 59.8   | (4.3)  | 55.1    | (4.5)  | 51.3        | (3.9) | 70.4                             | (4.3)  |
| Prince Edward Island        | 0.9   | (0.6) | 0.8  | (0.7) | 0.3  | (0.6) | 2.8                                 | (1.4) | 58.0   | (15.5) | 60.2    | (14.0) | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Quebec                      | 0.4   | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 4.4                                 | (0.8) | 48.6   | (4.9)  | 44.7    | (4.1)  | 33.7        | (3.6) | 58.2                             | (6.1)  |
| Saskatchewan                | 0.7   | (0.3) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 1.9                                 | (0.4) | 59.5   | (7.7)  | 59.4    | (8.6)  | 52.2        | (6.9) | 73.4                             | (9.5)  |
| <b>Italy</b>                |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Bolzano                     | 0.3   | (0.2) | 1.0  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.6                                 | (0.5) | 41.1   | (7.3)  | 36.8    | (7.5)  | 25.8        | (4.7) | 49.4                             | (10.4) |
| Campania                    | 0.0   | (0.0) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.3                                 | (0.2) | 33.9   | (14.3) | 21.1    | (8.2)  | 18.9        | (6.5) | c                                | c      |
| Lombardia                   | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 1.2                                 | (0.3) | 32.2   | (6.5)  | 26.0    | (4.7)  | 19.6        | (3.4) | 38.1                             | (8.1)  |
| Trento                      | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.0                                 | (0.4) | 29.4   | (7.9)  | 23.9    | (6.5)  | 16.1        | (3.8) | 35.5                             | (11.5) |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.3) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.8                                 | (0.5) | 30.6   | (10.5) | 27.6    | (10.7) | 21.4        | (8.0) | 38.0                             | (16.3) |
| <b>Spain</b>                |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Andalusia*                  | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.6                                 | (0.2) | 34.3   | (8.0)  | 28.8    | (5.4)  | 26.2        | (6.6) | c                                | c      |
| Aragon*                     | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.2                                 | (0.5) | 33.6   | (10.4) | 30.0    | (6.5)  | 25.7        | (8.0) | 43.5                             | (13.8) |
| Asturias*                   | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 1.2                                 | (0.4) | 34.3   | (10.7) | 33.1    | (9.9)  | 27.0        | (8.7) | 47.4                             | (16.7) |
| Balearic Islands*           | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 0.5                                 | (0.2) | 34.2   | (8.0)  | 29.7    | (7.6)  | 28.8        | (6.9) | c                                | c      |
| Basque Country*             | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 0.6                                 | (0.2) | 31.4   | (5.6)  | 28.2    | (4.9)  | 20.3        | (3.6) | 41.3                             | (10.3) |
| Canary Islands*             | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.4                                 | (0.3) | 34.7   | (9.3)  | 30.4    | (8.7)  | 27.1        | (7.7) | c                                | c      |
| Cantabria*                  | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.9                                 | (0.3) | 30.0   | (8.2)  | 24.9    | (7.7)  | 20.9        | (6.8) | 41.0                             | (12.8) |
| Castile and Leon*           | 0.5   | (0.3) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 2.0                                 | (0.4) | 42.1   | (5.5)  | 36.5    | (5.4)  | 33.4        | (5.5) | 52.4                             | (9.3)  |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.9                                 | (0.3) | 34.8   | (8.0)  | 30.5    | (7.3)  | 27.5        | (5.7) | 45.6                             | (11.1) |
| Catalonia*                  | 0.2   | (0.1) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.5                                 | (0.4) | 40.2   | (5.5)  | 39.9    | (8.1)  | 31.6        | (4.5) | 53.1                             | (12.0) |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.7                                 | (0.3) | 35.0   | (6.4)  | 31.1    | (6.2)  | 26.1        | (6.4) | 45.6                             | (14.1) |
| Extremadura*                | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 0.6                                 | (0.3) | 34.2   | (9.3)  | 30.6    | (8.1)  | 24.3        | (5.7) | c                                | c      |
| Galicia*                    | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 1.1                                 | (0.3) | 26.0   | (5.7)  | 25.2    | (6.2)  | 22.4        | (5.0) | 39.3                             | (9.5)  |
| La Rioja*                   | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.5) | 0.3  | (0.3) | 1.1                                 | (0.5) | 34.9   | (11.4) | 35.6    | (9.7)  | 24.2        | (8.9) | c                                | c      |
| Madrid*                     | 0.6   | (0.3) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.7                                 | (0.5) | 41.1   | (6.5)  | 37.7    | (6.0)  | 31.6        | (5.5) | 54.0                             | (12.1) |
| Murcia*                     | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.7                                 | (0.3) | 36.0   | (7.4)  | 29.1    | (7.1)  | 28.8        | (6.9) | c                                | c      |
| Navarre*                    | 0.2   | (0.2) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 1.7                                 | (0.4) | 38.5   | (6.3)  | 34.4    | (5.3)  | 24.3        | (5.0) | 50.2                             | (9.2)  |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| England                     | 1.1   | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.3) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 3.3                                 | (0.4) | 55.1   | (3.3)  | 55.9    | (3.8)  | 48.1        | (4.1) | 70.0                             | (4.7)  |
| Northern Ireland            | 0.6   | (0.2) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 1.5                                 | (0.3) | 46.9   | (5.3)  | 47.9    | (6.4)  | 40.9        | (6.1) | 62.5                             | (9.2)  |
| Scotland*                   | 0.6   | (0.2) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.1) | 1.9                                 | (0.3) | 49.5   | (5.0)  | 54.8    | (5.3)  | 41.1        | (4.5) | 66.0                             | (6.8)  |
| Wales                       | 0.3   | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 1.0                                 | (0.3) | 44.6   | (5.3)  | 46.0    | (7.8)  | 38.5        | (6.0) | 61.3                             | (11.3) |
| <b>United States</b>        |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Massachusetts*              | 2.5   | (0.6) | 1.3  | (0.5) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 5.4                                 | (1.1) | 74.4   | (3.8)  | 69.0    | (5.1)  | 75.8        | (4.6) | 86.0                             | (5.1)  |
| North Carolina*             | 1.9   | (0.4) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 2.5                                 | (0.5) | 66.6   | (5.0)  | 64.3    | (5.0)  | 64.6        | (7.0) | 78.9                             | (7.4)  |
| <b>Partners</b>             |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Bogotá                      | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.2                                 | (0.2) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Cali                        | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0                                 | (0.1) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Manizales                   | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.1                                 | (0.1) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Medellín                    | 0.1   | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 0.2                                 | (0.2) | c  | c      | 21.7    | (10.9) | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |   |       |  |       |  |       |                                     |       |  |        |         |        |             |       |                                  |        |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 0.2                                 | (0.1) | 18.8   | (7.0)  | 18.2    | (6.4)  | 13.5        | (5.2) | c                                | c      |
| Ajman                       | 0.0   | c     | 0.0  | c     | 0.0  | c     | 0.0                                 | (0.0) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Dubai*                      | 0.4   | (0.2) | 0.5  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.1) | 1.3                                 | (0.2) | 39.7   | (4.3)  | 34.8    | (4.4)  | 29.5        | (5.2) | 50.7                             | (7.9)  |
| Fujairah                    | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.0  | c     | 0.0  | (0.0) | 0.3                                 | (0.3) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 0.1                                 | (0.2) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Sharjah                     | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.0  | (0.1) | 0.1  | (0.1) | 0.1                                 | (0.1) | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |
| Umm Al Quwain               | 0.0   | (0.1) | 0.0  | c     | 0.0  | c     | 0.0                                 | c     | c  | c      | c       | c      | c           | c     | c                                | c      |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

1. Top performers in collaborative problem solving are students who score at Level 4. Top performers in science, reading or mathematics score at Level 5 or 6 in the subject.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

See Table V.3.3a for national data.

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**Table B2.V.4 Low achievers in four PISA subjects**

|                       |                             | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|
|                       |                             | Not low achievers in any of the four subjects |       | Low achievers <sup>1</sup> in only one of science, reading or mathematics |       | Low achievers in only two of science, reading and mathematics |       | Low achievers in science, reading and mathematics |       | Low achievers in only collaborative problem solving |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving and science |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving and reading |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving and mathematics |       |
|                       |                             | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  |
| OECD                  | <b>Belgium</b>              |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|                       | Flemish community*          | 70.5  | (1.2) | 4.0   | (0.4) | 2.2   | (0.4) | 2.2   | (0.3) | 5.9   | (0.5) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 1.2  | (0.2) | 0.8  | (0.2) |
|                       | French community            | 57.7  | (2.0) | 4.2   | (0.5) | 2.3   | (0.4) | 1.9   | (0.3) | 10.2  | (0.6) | 1.2  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.4) | 2.1  | (0.4) |
|                       | German-speaking community   | 67.3  | (2.5) | 3.7   | (1.4) | 2.1   | (0.9) | 1.4   | (0.9) | 10.6  | (2.3) | 0.7  | (0.7) | 1.3  | (0.8) | 1.9  | (1.4) |
|                       | <b>Canada</b>               |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|                       | Alberta                     | 74.9  | (1.9) | 5.7   | (0.9) | 1.5   | (0.5) | 0.9   | (0.3) | 6.7   | (1.0) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.9  | (0.3) | 2.1  | (0.6) |
|                       | British Columbia            | 79.0  | (1.6) | 5.2   | (1.0) | 1.9   | (0.5) | 0.9   | (0.4) | 4.8   | (0.8) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 1.1  | (0.4) | 0.9  | (0.4) |
|                       | Manitoba                    | 66.0  | (2.0) | 6.0   | (1.0) | 3.0   | (0.7) | 1.9   | (0.5) | 6.6   | (1.0) | 0.9  | (0.4) | 1.4  | (0.5) | 1.7  | (0.5) |
|                       | New Brunswick               | 66.7  | (2.3) | 6.2   | (0.9) | 2.9   | (0.8) | 1.9   | (0.8) | 7.2   | (1.2) | 0.7  | (0.4) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 1.9  | (0.5) |
|                       | Newfoundland and Labrador   | 69.1  | (1.8) | 5.9   | (0.9) | 2.5   | (0.8) | 1.8   | (0.6) | 6.1   | (1.4) | 0.5  | (0.3) | 0.7  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.5) |
|                       | Nova Scotia                 | 72.0  | (2.1) | 5.6   | (0.8) | 2.2   | (0.5) | 1.2   | (0.5) | 6.1   | (0.9) | 0.6  | (0.3) | 1.0  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.6) |
|                       | Ontario                     | 72.3  | (1.7) | 4.9   | (0.8) | 2.0   | (0.4) | 1.1   | (0.2) | 7.2   | (0.8) | 0.7  | (0.2) | 1.1  | (0.3) | 1.7  | (0.4) |
|                       | Prince Edward Island        | 73.7  | (3.1) | 4.9   | (1.7) | 1.9   | (1.0) | 1.0   | (0.8) | 6.7   | (1.8) | 0.5  | (0.5) | 1.0  | (0.6) | 1.7  | (1.0) |
|                       | Quebec                      | 77.6  | (1.8) | 3.2   | (0.6) | 1.3   | (0.3) | 0.7   | (0.2) | 7.9   | (0.9) | 0.6  | (0.2) | 1.5  | (0.4) | 1.0  | (0.3) |
|                       | Saskatchewan                | 63.7  | (1.7) | 6.2   | (0.9) | 2.6   | (0.6) | 1.5   | (0.5) | 8.4   | (1.0) | 1.0  | (0.4) | 1.5  | (0.5) | 2.3  | (0.5) |
|                       | <b>Italy</b>                |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|                       | Bolzano                     | 71.0  | (1.6) | 4.8   | (0.9) | 1.9   | (0.6) | 1.1   | (0.4) | 8.8   | (1.5) | 1.0  | (0.4) | 1.6  | (0.5) | 1.3  | (0.5) |
|                       | Campania                    | 37.6  | (2.4) | 6.5   | (1.1) | 3.8   | (0.7) | 2.2   | (0.6) | 12.8  | (1.5) | 3.0  | (0.7) | 2.4  | (0.6) | 3.4  | (0.8) |
|                       | Lombardia                   | 63.4  | (2.3) | 5.5   | (0.9) | 2.6   | (0.8) | 1.7   | (0.6) | 10.8  | (1.4) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 1.4  | (0.4) | 2.1  | (0.5) |
|                       | Trento                      | 70.0  | (1.3) | 3.7   | (0.7) | 1.4   | (0.3) | 1.0   | (0.3) | 11.1  | (1.0) | 1.2  | (0.4) | 1.2  | (0.3) | 1.5  | (0.4) |
|                       | <b>Portugal</b>             |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|                       | Região Autónoma dos Açores  | 49.8  | (1.4) | 6.1   | (0.9) | 3.0   | (0.6) | 2.3   | (0.5) | 8.8   | (1.1) | 1.1  | (0.4) | 1.6  | (0.5) | 3.3  | (0.8) |
|                       | <b>Spain</b>                |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|                       | Andalusia*                  | 54.7  | (2.0) | 6.9   | (0.9) | 3.7   | (0.7) | 2.6   | (0.6) | 7.9   | (1.0) | 1.3  | (0.4) | 1.3  | (0.3) | 2.5  | (0.6) |
|                       | Aragon*                     | 67.0  | (2.4) | 4.2   | (0.8) | 1.9   | (0.5) | 1.0   | (0.5) | 10.3  | (1.6) | 0.8  | (0.3) | 1.4  | (0.4) | 1.8  | (0.6) |
| Asturias*             | 64.6                        | (2.5)   | 4.9   | (1.0)   | 2.3   | (0.6)   | 1.3   | (0.6)   | 9.1   | (2.1)   | 0.9   | (0.3)  | 1.6   | (0.4)  | 2.3   | (0.7)  |       |
| Balearic Islands*     | 59.1                        | (2.1)   | 6.5   | (1.1)   | 3.0   | (0.7)   | 1.7   | (0.4)   | 8.8   | (1.2)   | 1.0   | (0.3)  | 1.6   | (0.7)  | 2.5   | (0.8)  |       |
| Basque Country*       | 60.0                        | (1.8)   | 4.7   | (0.5)   | 2.4   | (0.5)   | 1.3   | (0.3)   | 11.5  | (1.4)   | 1.8   | (0.3)  | 1.8   | (0.3)  | 1.8   | (0.4)  |       |
| Canary Islands*       | 52.9                        | (1.9)   | 8.7   | (1.2)   | 4.1   | (0.7)   | 2.4   | (0.6)   | 7.0   | (1.0)   | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 1.1   | (0.4)  | 3.9   | (0.7)  |       |
| Cantabria*            | 61.3                        | (2.8)   | 4.1   | (0.9)   | 1.9   | (0.5)   | 1.1   | (0.4)   | 12.8  | (2.0)   | 1.3   | (0.5)  | 1.5   | (0.4)  | 2.4   | (0.9)  |       |
| Castile and Leon*     | 73.6                        | (1.7)   | 4.7   | (0.8)   | 1.8   | (0.4)   | 0.8   | (0.3)   | 8.0   | (1.1)   | 0.6   | (0.3)  | 0.9   | (0.4)  | 1.9   | (0.5)  |       |
| Castile-La Mancha*    | 64.2                        | (1.6)   | 6.1   | (0.9)   | 2.7   | (0.6)   | 1.5   | (0.5)   | 8.7   | (1.1)   | 0.9   | (0.3)  | 1.4   | (0.4)  | 2.2   | (0.6)  |       |
| Catalonia*            | 66.8                        | (2.2)   | 5.1   | (0.8)   | 2.2   | (0.5)   | 1.4   | (0.4)   | 8.7   | (1.0)   | 0.9   | (0.3)  | 1.6   | (0.4)  | 1.4   | (0.4)  |       |
| Comunidad Valenciana* | 63.0                        | (1.8)   | 5.5   | (0.8)   | 2.4   | (0.6)   | 1.2   | (0.4)   | 10.6  | (1.0)   | 1.1   | (0.4)  | 1.4   | (0.5)  | 2.6   | (0.6)  |       |
| Extremadura*          | 54.3                        | (1.9)   | 5.3   | (0.8)   | 2.7   | (0.6)   | 1.6   | (0.4)   | 10.0  | (1.3)   | 1.4   | (0.4)  | 2.3   | (0.6)  | 2.7   | (0.6)  |       |
| Galicia*              | 65.8                        | (2.1)   | 4.3   | (0.7)   | 1.4   | (0.4)   | 0.8   | (0.4)   | 11.3  | (1.5)   | 0.7   | (0.3)  | 1.5   | (0.5)  | 2.6   | (0.6)  |       |
| La Rioja*             | 64.6                        | (2.1)   | 4.3   | (1.1)   | 1.8   | (0.6)   | 1.2   | (0.5)   | 10.2  | (2.9)   | 1.1   | (0.6)  | 2.2   | (0.7)  | 1.2   | (0.7)  |       |
| Madrid*               | 72.6                        | (1.7)   | 5.1   | (0.9)   | 2.1   | (0.5)   | 1.2   | (0.3)   | 6.6   | (1.0)   | 0.7   | (0.3)  | 0.9   | (0.4)  | 1.8   | (0.5)  |       |
| Murcia*               | 57.6                        | (2.1)   | 6.9   | (1.3)   | 2.8   | (0.5)   | 2.2   | (0.6)   | 8.8   | (1.4)   | 1.0   | (0.4)  | 1.3   | (0.4)  | 2.8   | (0.8)  |       |
| Navarre*              | 70.7                        | (2.0)   | 4.0   | (0.7)   | 1.8   | (0.5)   | 0.8   | (0.3)   | 10.5  | (2.1)   | 1.1   | (0.3)  | 1.7   | (0.7)  | 1.2   | (0.4)  |       |
| <b>United Kingdom</b> |                             |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| England               | 65.2                        | (1.2)   | 7.2   | (0.6)   | 3.4   | (0.4)   | 2.2   | (0.3)   | 5.8   | (0.7)   | 0.6   | (0.2)  | 1.5   | (0.3)  | 1.8   | (0.3)  |       |
| Northern Ireland      | 69.6                        | (1.5)   | 4.8   | (0.8)   | 2.6   | (0.4)   | 2.0   | (0.5)   | 5.5   | (1.0)   | 1.0   | (0.3)  | 1.0   | (0.3)  | 1.2   | (0.3)  |       |
| Scotland*             | 65.0                        | (1.1)   | 6.2   | (0.6)   | 3.2   | (0.5)   | 1.8   | (0.3)   | 6.4   | (0.6)   | 0.9   | (0.3)  | 1.7   | (0.3)  | 1.3   | (0.3)  |       |
| Wales                 | 61.3                        | (1.4)   | 6.2   | (0.7)   | 3.3   | (0.4)   | 2.4   | (0.5)   | 7.2   | (0.9)   | 1.2   | (0.3)  | 1.6   | (0.4)  | 1.6   | (0.3)  |       |
| <b>United States</b>  |                             |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Massachusetts*        | 75.8                        | (2.4)   | 5.4   | (0.9)   | 2.1   | (0.6)   | 1.3   | (0.4)   | 3.9   | (0.6)   | 0.4   | (0.2)  | 0.6   | (0.3)  | 1.4   | (0.4)  |       |
| North Carolina*       | 63.8                        | (2.3)   | 8.7   | (1.0)   | 3.3   | (0.6)   | 2.2   | (0.5)   | 3.8   | (0.7)   | 0.3   | (0.2)  | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 2.6   | (0.7)  |       |
| Partners              | <b>Colombia</b>             |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|                       | Bogotá                      | 44.7  | (2.5) | 13.4  | (1.6) | 4.5   | (0.6) | 3.0   | (0.7) | 4.6   | (0.8) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 0.4  | (0.3) | 6.2  | (0.8) |
|                       | Cali                        | 28.6  | (2.6) | 11.0  | (1.3) | 4.7   | (0.9) | 4.4   | (0.8) | 4.0   | (0.6) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 6.4  | (0.8) |
|                       | Manizales                   | 35.4  | (2.4) | 11.8  | (1.1) | 4.3   | (0.8) | 3.7   | (0.7) | 5.3   | (0.9) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.3  | (0.2) | 6.1  | (0.9) |
|                       | Medellín                    | 35.8  | (2.4) | 11.0  | (1.4) | 4.7   | (0.8) | 3.9   | (0.7) | 4.5   | (0.9) | 0.4  | (0.2) | 0.2  | (0.2) | 5.9  | (0.8) |
|                       | <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|                       | Abu Dhabi*                  | 29.1  | (1.9) | 6.1   | (0.7) | 2.8   | (0.6) | 2.1   | (0.4) | 8.0   | (0.8) | 1.2  | (0.3) | 2.0  | (0.4) | 4.6  | (0.6) |
|                       | Ajman                       | 21.4  | (1.9) | 7.6   | (1.2) | 4.2   | (1.1) | 3.1   | (0.9) | 5.8   | (1.3) | 0.9  | (0.5) | 1.9  | (0.8) | 5.2  | (1.2) |
|                       | Dubai*                      | 54.3  | (0.7) | 5.9   | (0.6) | 2.3   | (0.4) | 1.4   | (0.3) | 7.4   | (0.7) | 0.9  | (0.2) | 1.9  | (0.3) | 2.9  | (0.4) |
|                       | Fujairah                    | 20.7  | (2.8) | 5.7   | (1.3) | 2.5   | (0.7) | 1.9   | (0.7) | 7.0   | (1.3) | 1.3  | (0.6) | 2.2  | (0.8) | 4.9  | (1.5) |
|                       | Ras Al Khaimah              | 19.8  | (3.6) | 5.5   | (1.2) | 2.7   | (0.9) | 2.2   | (1.0) | 7.9   | (1.2) | 1.5  | (0.7) | 3.1  | (1.1) | 3.7  | (1.1) |
|                       | Sharjah                     | 34.1  | (4.1) | 6.8   | (1.6) | 2.6   | (0.8) | 1.3   | (0.5) | 9.9   | (1.4) | 2.0  | (0.7) | 1.7  | (0.7) | 4.4  | (0.9) |
| Umm Al Quwain         | 16.7                        | (2.2)   | 4.7   | (1.4)   | 2.6   | (1.2)   | 2.1   | (1.6)   | 6.1   | (1.6)   | 1.2   | (1.0)  | 1.9   | (1.0)  | 4.4   | (1.3)  |       |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

1. Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, science, reading or mathematics score below Level 2 in the subject.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

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Table B2.V.4 Low achievers in four PISA subjects

|                             | Percentage of 15-year-old students who are:                                      |       |   |       |   | Percentage of low achievers in collaborative problem solving among low achievers in... |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|---|-------|---|--|------------------------------------|-------|---------|-------|---------|-------|-------------|-------|----------------------------------|--------|
|                             | Low achievers <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving, science and reading |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, science and mathematics |       | Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, reading and mathematics |  | Low achievers in all four subjects |       | Science |       | Reading |       | Mathematics |       | Science, reading and mathematics |        |
|                             | %  | S.E.  | %   | S.E.  | %   | S.E.   | %                                  | S.E.  | %       | S.E.  | %       | S.E.  | %           | S.E.  | %                                | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| <b>Belgium</b>              |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Flemish community*          | 1.7  | (0.3) | 1.2   | (0.2) | 0.6   | (0.2)  | 8.7                                | (0.8) | 73.3    | (2.3) | 71.2    | (2.8) | 67.1        | (2.7) | 79.6                             | (2.7)  |
| French community            | 2.0  | (0.4) | 2.3   | (0.4) | 1.3   | (0.3)  | 13.0                               | (1.3) | 80.1    | (2.2) | 79.9    | (2.2) | 77.8        | (2.3) | 87.2                             | (1.9)  |
| German-speaking community   | 1.1  | (0.8) | 1.4   | (0.9) | 1.2   | (1.0)  | 7.4                                | (1.5) | 74.6    | (7.6) | 77.4    | (7.2) | 69.3        | (7.2) | 84.0                             | (8.8)  |
| <b>Canada</b>               |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Alberta                     | 0.6  | (0.3) | 1.3   | (0.4) | 1.0   | (0.3)  | 4.1                                | (0.7) | 74.4    | (5.2) | 71.8    | (5.6) | 56.2        | (5.4) | 82.0                             | (5.7)  |
| British Columbia            | 0.9  | (0.4) | 1.1   | (0.5) | 0.4   | (0.3)  | 3.1                                | (0.7) | 65.2    | (5.6) | 67.5    | (8.0) | 47.6        | (6.4) | 76.6                             | (8.1)  |
| Manitoba                    | 1.6  | (0.6) | 2.0   | (0.5) | 1.0   | (0.4)  | 8.0                                | (1.1) | 71.6    | (4.3) | 71.9    | (5.7) | 61.4        | (4.1) | 81.0                             | (4.3)  |
| New Brunswick               | 1.2  | (0.3) | 1.7   | (0.5) | 1.0   | (0.4)  | 7.4                                | (1.5) | 70.9    | (5.7) | 73.1    | (5.5) | 57.2        | (6.0) | 79.9                             | (7.3)  |
| Newfoundland and Labrador   | 0.8  | (0.4) | 2.0   | (0.8) | 0.8   | (0.5)  | 8.1                                | (1.0) | 73.5    | (4.5) | 73.9    | (5.8) | 60.0        | (3.9) | 82.1                             | (5.8)  |
| Nova Scotia                 | 0.9  | (0.4) | 1.9   | (0.7) | 0.8   | (0.4)  | 5.9                                | (1.1) | 72.6    | (4.4) | 75.8    | (4.8) | 58.5        | (3.6) | 82.6                             | (5.7)  |
| Ontario                     | 1.0  | (0.3) | 1.9   | (0.4) | 0.6   | (0.2)  | 5.4                                | (0.7) | 74.0    | (3.7) | 74.0    | (3.1) | 61.9        | (3.7) | 83.4                             | (3.2)  |
| Prince Edward Island        | 1.0  | (0.7) | 1.4   | (0.9) | 1.1   | (0.8)  | 5.1                                | (1.3) | 70.9    | (9.3) | 77.7    | (9.3) | 60.6        | (7.9) | 83.9                             | (11.1) |
| Quebec                      | 1.2  | (0.4) | 0.9   | (0.3) | 0.5   | (0.3)  | 3.6                                | (0.6) | 74.0    | (3.7) | 71.1    | (4.0) | 67.0        | (5.0) | 83.7                             | (4.6)  |
| Saskatchewan                | 1.2  | (0.5) | 2.4   | (0.6) | 1.2   | (0.5)  | 7.9                                | (1.0) | 75.0    | (3.2) | 76.1    | (4.4) | 63.2        | (3.9) | 83.8                             | (5.0)  |
| <b>Italy</b>                |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Bolzano                     | 1.6  | (0.6) | 1.2   | (0.5) | 0.7   | (0.3)  | 4.8                                | (0.6) | 74.6    | (5.9) | 65.9    | (6.5) | 66.3        | (6.4) | 82.4                             | (6.4)  |
| Campania                    | 3.8  | (0.7) | 5.2   | (0.9) | 1.5   | (0.5)  | 17.7                               | (2.0) | 81.6    | (3.1) | 81.4    | (3.0) | 77.0        | (3.8) | 88.9                             | (3.1)  |
| Lombardia                   | 1.5  | (0.5) | 2.4   | (0.7) | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 6.8                                | (1.1) | 72.4    | (4.8) | 69.1    | (5.9) | 64.4        | (5.0) | 80.0                             | (6.0)  |
| Trento                      | 1.3  | (0.3) | 1.7   | (0.5) | 0.5   | (0.2)  | 5.5                                | (0.6) | 77.9    | (3.5) | 75.6    | (5.1) | 70.6        | (4.2) | 84.8                             | (4.7)  |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | 1.3  | (0.4) | 3.9   | (0.7) | 2.3   | (0.6)  | 16.5                               | (1.3) | 82.4    | (2.5) | 82.1    | (2.7) | 73.5        | (2.9) | 87.9                             | (3.0)  |
| <b>Spain</b>                |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Andalusia*                  | 1.7  | (0.6) | 3.2   | (0.7) | 1.6   | (0.5)  | 12.5                               | (1.1) | 73.9    | (2.9) | 76.9    | (3.4) | 65.6        | (2.5) | 82.8                             | (3.5)  |
| Aragon*                     | 1.5  | (0.6) | 1.7   | (0.6) | 1.1   | (0.4)  | 7.3                                | (1.0) | 79.7    | (3.3) | 79.6    | (5.1) | 69.3        | (5.0) | 87.7                             | (4.9)  |
| Asturias*                   | 1.4  | (0.5) | 2.0   | (0.5) | 1.1   | (0.3)  | 8.7                                | (1.1) | 79.4    | (5.0) | 78.5    | (6.8) | 68.6        | (4.9) | 86.9                             | (5.1)  |
| Balearic Islands*           | 1.5  | (0.6) | 2.6   | (0.9) | 1.4   | (0.5)  | 10.3                               | (1.1) | 75.6    | (3.4) | 77.4    | (4.2) | 67.1        | (3.3) | 85.8                             | (3.3)  |
| Basque Country*             | 2.5  | (0.5) | 2.4   | (0.4) | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 9.0                                | (0.9) | 77.8    | (3.0) | 80.9    | (2.4) | 71.7        | (3.3) | 87.7                             | (2.6)  |
| Canary Islands*             | 0.8  | (0.3) | 3.9   | (0.7) | 1.8   | (0.5)  | 12.8                               | (1.1) | 76.2    | (3.6) | 78.0    | (3.2) | 62.2        | (3.3) | 84.4                             | (3.6)  |
| Cantabria*                  | 1.7  | (0.7) | 2.7   | (0.8) | 0.9   | (0.4)  | 8.2                                | (1.1) | 80.8    | (3.5) | 83.0    | (3.7) | 73.7        | (5.4) | 88.4                             | (3.3)  |
| Castile and Leon*           | 0.7  | (0.2) | 1.8   | (0.5) | 0.7   | (0.2)  | 4.5                                | (0.7) | 74.3    | (5.1) | 75.1    | (4.5) | 61.1        | (4.4) | 85.2                             | (5.0)  |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | 1.1  | (0.5) | 2.5   | (0.5) | 1.3   | (0.4)  | 7.4                                | (0.9) | 73.7    | (4.1) | 74.8    | (4.2) | 62.7        | (4.0) | 83.3                             | (4.9)  |
| Catalonia*                  | 1.4  | (0.4) | 2.1   | (0.5) | 0.9   | (0.4)  | 7.5                                | (1.2) | 75.6    | (3.1) | 74.5    | (3.7) | 67.0        | (4.0) | 84.4                             | (3.3)  |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | 1.4  | (0.4) | 2.4   | (0.5) | 1.2   | (0.4)  | 7.1                                | (0.9) | 76.2    | (4.4) | 77.3    | (4.3) | 65.2        | (3.7) | 85.2                             | (4.2)  |
| Extremadura*                | 2.2  | (0.6) | 2.9   | (0.7) | 1.4   | (0.4)  | 13.1                               | (1.3) | 80.6    | (3.2) | 82.6    | (3.1) | 74.2        | (3.2) | 89.0                             | (2.8)  |
| Galicia*                    | 0.9  | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.6) | 1.1   | (0.4)  | 7.6                                | (0.9) | 84.1    | (3.2) | 83.5    | (4.2) | 72.1        | (3.5) | 90.3                             | (3.8)  |
| La Rioja*                   | 2.4  | (1.0) | 1.3   | (0.7) | 0.8   | (0.4)  | 8.9                                | (1.3) | 80.4    | (5.5) | 79.4    | (6.2) | 74.4        | (7.0) | 88.3                             | (5.1)  |
| Madrid*                     | 0.8  | (0.3) | 1.8   | (0.5) | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 5.4                                | (0.8) | 72.3    | (4.1) | 73.8    | (3.8) | 59.9        | (4.3) | 82.4                             | (4.0)  |
| Murcia*                     | 1.1  | (0.4) | 3.0   | (0.7) | 1.4   | (0.5)  | 11.1                               | (1.0) | 76.9    | (3.7) | 76.8    | (4.2) | 65.4        | (4.2) | 83.5                             | (4.2)  |
| Navarre*                    | 1.6  | (0.6) | 1.3   | (0.5) | 0.5   | (0.3)  | 4.8                                | (0.7) | 73.5    | (4.2) | 76.3    | (4.7) | 65.0        | (4.9) | 85.4                             | (4.7)  |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| England                     | 1.4  | (0.3) | 2.1   | (0.4) | 1.3   | (0.3)  | 7.7                                | (0.7) | 69.5    | (2.2) | 66.2    | (2.4) | 58.2        | (2.7) | 78.1                             | (2.8)  |
| Northern Ireland            | 1.5  | (0.4) | 2.2   | (0.7) | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 8.0                                | (0.8) | 70.9    | (3.0) | 73.0    | (3.9) | 65.1        | (4.2) | 80.0                             | (4.0)  |
| Scotland*                   | 2.1  | (0.3) | 1.9   | (0.3) | 0.8   | (0.2)  | 8.8                                | (0.8) | 70.2    | (2.5) | 74.4    | (2.6) | 62.5        | (2.8) | 82.7                             | (2.9)  |
| Wales                       | 1.9  | (0.6) | 2.0   | (0.4) | 0.9   | (0.2)  | 10.6                               | (0.8) | 72.7    | (2.3) | 72.3    | (3.5) | 64.7        | (3.3) | 81.7                             | (3.6)  |
| <b>United States</b>        |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Massachusetts*              | 0.5  | (0.3) | 1.8   | (0.5) | 0.8   | (0.3)  | 6.2                                | (0.9) | 73.8    | (4.1) | 71.8    | (3.4) | 59.0        | (3.0) | 83.0                             | (4.0)  |
| North Carolina*             | 0.7  | (0.3) | 2.2   | (0.5) | 1.4   | (0.4)  | 10.2                               | (1.2) | 74.6    | (3.2) | 73.3    | (3.5) | 56.9        | (3.0) | 82.6                             | (3.4)  |
| <b>Partners</b>             |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Bogotá                      | 0.2  | (0.2) | 5.9   | (0.8) | 1.4   | (0.4)  | 15.4                               | (1.4) | 77.6    | (2.9) | 77.0    | (3.4) | 59.3        | (3.0) | 83.9                             | (3.4)  |
| Cali                        | 0.2  | (0.2) | 7.6   | (1.1) | 1.5   | (0.6)  | 31.0                               | (2.1) | 83.4    | (2.0) | 83.6    | (2.3) | 70.9        | (2.3) | 87.7                             | (2.1)  |
| Manizales                   | 0.3  | (0.3) | 7.3   | (1.4) | 1.3   | (0.6)  | 23.9                               | (2.0) | 82.0    | (2.2) | 82.6    | (2.8) | 66.9        | (2.6) | 86.7                             | (2.3)  |
| Medellín                    | 0.3  | (0.2) | 7.2   | (0.9) | 1.2   | (0.4)  | 24.9                               | (2.0) | 81.0    | (2.2) | 82.6    | (2.4) | 67.7        | (2.8) | 86.5                             | (2.2)  |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |  |       |   |       |   |  |                                    |       |         |       |         |       |             |       |                                  |        |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | 2.5  | (0.5) | 4.7   | (0.7) | 2.7   | (0.5)  | 34.2                               | (1.9) | 90.3    | (1.3) | 90.4    | (1.5) | 83.5        | (1.8) | 94.2                             | (1.0)  |
| Ajman                       | 1.9  | (0.8) | 6.0   | (1.2) | 2.8   | (0.7)  | 39.2                               | (2.4) | 87.2    | (2.4) | 89.0    | (2.6) | 81.0        | (2.4) | 92.8                             | (2.1)  |
| Dubai*                      | 1.8  | (0.3) | 2.6   | (0.3) | 1.8   | (0.3)  | 16.8                               | (0.5) | 86.3    | (1.4) | 86.4    | (2.0) | 76.0        | (2.1) | 92.3                             | (1.7)  |
| Fujairah                    | 2.4  | (0.9) | 5.5   | (1.2) | 3.1   | (1.2)  | 42.7                               | (2.7) | 93.0    | (1.8) | 92.2    | (1.8) | 87.3        | (2.7) | 95.8                             | (1.6)  |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | 4.7  | (1.7) | 4.5   | (1.5) | 2.6   | (0.9)  | 41.9                               | (3.8) | 91.9    | (2.2) | 90.9    | (2.2) | 87.4        | (2.4) | 95.0                             | (2.1)  |
| Sharjah                     | 2.9  | (1.0) | 5.0   | (1.0) | 2.1   | (0.6)  | 27.4                               | (3.5) | 90.0    | (2.7) | 90.7    | (2.9) | 82.7        | (4.0) | 95.6                             | (1.8)  |
| Umm Al Quwain               | 3.3  | (1.5) | 5.8   | (2.0) | 2.3   | (1.1)  | 48.8                               | (3.2) | 92.7    | (3.2) | 92.7    | (3.0) | 89.5        | (3.0) | 95.8                             | (3.1)  |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

1. Low achievers in collaborative problem solving, science, reading or mathematics score below Level 2 in the subject.

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**Table B2.V.5 Relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

Based on residual scores after accounting for performance in the core PISA subjects in regressions involving all OECD and partner countries/economies

|                       |                             | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving based on performance in... |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------|--|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------|------------------------|------|---|------|----------------------------------|------|---|------|
|                       |                             | Science  |                   |  |                   | Reading                |                   |   |                   | Mathematics            |      |   |      | Science, reading and mathematics |      |   |      |
|                       |                             | Average relative score <sup>1</sup>  |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected <sup>2,3</sup> |                   | Average relative score |                   | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |                   | Average relative score |      | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |      | Average relative score           |      | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |      |
|                       |                             | Score dif.   | S.E.              | %  | S.E.              | Score dif.             | S.E.              | %   | S.E.              | Score dif.             | S.E. | %   | S.E. | Score dif.                       | S.E. | %   | S.E. |
| OECD                  | <b>Belgium</b>              |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Flemish community*          | <b>4</b> (2.0)   | <b>53.0</b> (1.2) | <b>8</b> (1.8)   | <b>54.7</b> (1.1) | 0 (2.3)                | 49.9 (1.2)        | 3 (1.8)   | 51.9 (1.2)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | French community            | <b>-11</b> (2.1)   | <b>43.4</b> (1.5) | <b>-11</b> (2.2)   | <b>43.4</b> (1.6) | <b>-16</b> (2.4)       | <b>40.6</b> (1.4) | <b>-12</b> (2.0)                                      | <b>42.2</b> (1.4) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | German-speaking community   | -14 (7.8)  | 41.3 (6.4)        | -11 (6.9)  | 41.4 (4.8)        | -12 (7.0)              | 42.5 (5.7)        | -14 (7.3)   | 39.7 (5.7)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | <b>Canada</b>               |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Alberta                     | 8 (4.6)  | 54.8 (2.9)        | <b>14</b> (5.8)  | <b>58.4</b> (3.2) | <b>31</b> (5.7)        | <b>65.6</b> (3.3) | 9 (4.9)   | 55.8 (3.2)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | British Columbia            | <b>28</b> (4.3)  | <b>66.6</b> (2.4) | <b>31</b> (5.4)  | <b>67.2</b> (2.9) | <b>42</b> (5.2)        | <b>70.5</b> (2.6) | <b>27</b> (4.3)                                       | <b>66.4</b> (2.5) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Manitoba                    | <b>17</b> (4.6)  | <b>60.2</b> (2.7) | <b>17</b> (4.1)  | <b>60.0</b> (2.4) | <b>24</b> (4.2)        | <b>62.4</b> (2.4) | <b>17</b> (4.0)                                       | <b>60.1</b> (2.7) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | New Brunswick               | <b>10</b> (3.5)  | <b>56.7</b> (2.9) | <b>10</b> (3.8)  | <b>56.6</b> (3.1) | <b>20</b> (4.9)        | <b>61.2</b> (3.2) | <b>10</b> (3.5)                                       | <b>56.5</b> (3.0) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Newfoundland and Labrador   | <b>15</b> (4.2)  | <b>59.0</b> (3.0) | <b>15</b> (4.4)  | <b>59.3</b> (3.0) | <b>29</b> (4.6)        | <b>66.4</b> (2.8) | <b>14</b> (4.3)                                       | <b>59.1</b> (3.1) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Nova Scotia                 | <b>17</b> (2.9)  | <b>60.6</b> (2.2) | <b>17</b> (3.1)  | <b>60.3</b> (1.9) | <b>32</b> (3.5)        | <b>66.0</b> (2.1) | <b>16</b> (2.7)                                       | <b>60.2</b> (2.2) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Ontario                     | <b>11</b> (3.1)  | <b>56.7</b> (1.9) | <b>8</b> (3.3)   | <b>54.9</b> (2.0) | <b>22</b> (3.3)        | <b>61.1</b> (1.7) | <b>8</b> (3.0)  | <b>55.4</b> (2.0) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Prince Edward Island        | <b>15</b> (4.4)  | <b>60.5</b> (3.3) | <b>15</b> (4.6)  | <b>58.1</b> (3.5) | <b>27</b> (5.9)        | <b>65.1</b> (4.1) | <b>14</b> (4.3)                                       | <b>59.7</b> (3.3) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Quebec                      | 2 (2.9)  | 51.2 (2.2)        | <b>6</b> (3.0)   | 53.9 (2.4)        | -2 (3.4)               | 49.1 (2.0)        | 0 (2.7)   | 50.1 (2.1)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Saskatchewan                | <b>10</b> (2.9)  | <b>56.3</b> (1.9) | <b>8</b> (3.1)   | <b>55.5</b> (2.1) | <b>17</b> (3.1)        | <b>59.6</b> (2.2) | <b>9</b> (2.8)  | <b>56.0</b> (2.0) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | <b>Italy</b>                |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Bolzano                     | -2 (8.1)   | 48.7 (5.2)        | 7 (8.9)  | 55.0 (5.4)        | -4 (8.6)               | 47.7 (5.4)        | -1 (7.7)  | 49.6 (5.1)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Campania                    | <b>-15</b> (4.6)   | <b>41.2</b> (3.0) | <b>-26</b> (5.1)   | <b>35.4</b> (2.8) | <b>-27</b> (5.2)       | <b>35.9</b> (2.8) | <b>-18</b> (4.5)                                      | <b>39.0</b> (2.9) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Lombardia                   | -6 (4.7)   | 46.2 (3.0)        | -9 (5.4)   | 44.9 (3.2)        | <b>-11</b> (5.7)       | 43.9 (3.3)        | -9 (4.8)  | 44.2 (3.2)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Trento                      | <b>-11</b> (2.2)   | <b>42.9</b> (1.6) | <b>-12</b> (3.1)   | <b>42.1</b> (2.3) | <b>-15</b> (2.5)       | <b>40.3</b> (2.1) | <b>-14</b> (2.4)                                      | <b>40.6</b> (1.7) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | <b>Portugal</b>             |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Região Autónoma dos Açores  | <b>-11</b> (2.3)   | <b>42.7</b> (1.8) | <b>-13</b> (3.0)   | <b>41.1</b> (2.3) | <b>-8</b> (2.2)        | <b>45.0</b> (1.9) | <b>-11</b> (2.3)                                      | <b>42.0</b> (2.1) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | <b>Spain</b>                |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Andalusia*            | 2 (3.0)                     | 52.3 (2.3)   | -4 (2.9)          | 47.9 (2.0)   | 5 (3.3)           | 53.7 (2.4)             | 0 (2.9)           | 50.8 (2.6)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Aragon*               | -9 (5.2)                    | 44.5 (3.3)   | -9 (5.3)          | 44.5 (3.7)   | -4 (7.1)          | 47.8 (4.2)             | <b>-10</b> (4.8)  | 43.8 (3.4)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Asturias*             | -7 (11.1)                   | 45.3 (7.0)   | -5 (12.7)         | 46.5 (7.7)   | -1 (10.7)         | 49.7 (6.3)             | -7 (11.4)         | 44.9 (7.2)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Balearic Islands*     | -1 (5.7)                    | 49.3 (3.7)   | -3 (6.2)          | 48.2 (4.3)   | 3 (6.0)           | 52.1 (3.5)             | -2 (4.7)          | 49.1 (3.2)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Basque Country*       | -4 (4.5)                    | 47.4 (2.8)   | <b>-13</b> (3.6)  | <b>41.9</b> (2.3)  | <b>-13</b> (4.8)  | <b>42.9</b> (2.6)      | <b>-9</b> (3.9)   | <b>44.4</b> (2.6)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Canary Islands*       | 2 (4.2)                     | 51.7 (2.7)   | -6 (5.7)          | 46.7 (3.8)   | <b>17</b> (4.5)   | <b>60.1</b> (2.5)      | 1 (4.5)           | 50.8 (3.1)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Cantabria*            | -14 (7.4)                   | 41.1 (5.0)   | <b>-19</b> (8.8)  | <b>37.9</b> (5.8)  | -15 (10.0)        | 41.8 (5.9)             | <b>-17</b> (7.9)  | <b>38.6</b> (5.3)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Castile and Leon*     | -1 (3.1)                    | 49.8 (2.6)   | -3 (4.1)          | 48.7 (3.2)   | <b>9</b> (3.9)    | <b>55.7</b> (2.7)      | -3 (3.3)          | 48.2 (2.7)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Castile-La Mancha*    | -3 (3.6)                    | 48.6 (2.4)   | -5 (3.5)          | 47.2 (2.6)   | 4 (4.2)           | 52.9 (2.8)             | -4 (3.1)          | 47.6 (2.3)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Catalonia*            | 0 (2.6)                     | 50.5 (1.9)   | 2 (3.9)           | 52.1 (2.5)   | 2 (4.2)           | 51.8 (3.0)             | 0 (3.1)           | 50.3 (2.2)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Comunidad Valenciana* | -5 (3.0)                    | 47.2 (2.0)   | <b>-10</b> (3.9)  | <b>43.9</b> (2.5)  | 0 (3.5)           | 50.8 (2.4)             | <b>-7</b> (3.2)   | 45.5 (2.3)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Extremadura*          | -7 (4.1)                    | 45.5 (3.2)   | <b>-10</b> (3.9)  | <b>43.2</b> (2.8)  | -9 (4.6)          | 44.8 (2.8)             | <b>-8</b> (3.8)   | 44.5 (3.1)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Galicia*              | <b>-18</b> (5.1)            | <b>39.2</b> (3.3)  | <b>-16</b> (6.4)  | <b>39.7</b> (4.0)  | -5 (5.8)          | 47.7 (3.8)             | <b>-18</b> (5.4)  | <b>38.6</b> (3.8)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| La Rioja*             | -5 (10.1)                   | 46.6 (6.1)   | -1 (13.0)         | 49.8 (8.4)   | -12 (13.2)        | 44.0 (7.2)             | -6 (10.7)         | 46.4 (6.7)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Madrid*               | 4 (3.3)                     | 53.5 (2.1)   | 0 (4.1)           | 50.5 (2.9)   | <b>13</b> (3.5)   | <b>58.2</b> (2.2)      | 1 (3.3)           | 51.4 (2.6)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Murcia*               | -3 (5.1)                    | 49.3 (4.0)   | -6 (5.6)          | 46.3 (3.7)   | 5 (6.1)           | 53.9 (3.8)             | -4 (4.8)          | 48.7 (3.5)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Navarre*              | -6 (6.0)                    | 46.8 (4.2)   | -9 (6.1)          | 45.0 (4.0)   | -11 (10.3)        | 44.1 (5.6)             | -10 (6.0)         | 44.3 (4.1)  |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| <b>United Kingdom</b> |                             |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| England               | <b>10</b> (2.2)             | <b>55.8</b> (1.6)  | <b>19</b> (2.8)   | <b>60.5</b> (1.8)  | <b>23</b> (2.6)   | <b>62.4</b> (1.6)      | <b>12</b> (2.3)   | <b>57.8</b> (1.6)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Northern Ireland      | <b>12</b> (2.6)             | <b>59.4</b> (2.3)  | <b>13</b> (4.5)   | <b>60.0</b> (3.3)  | <b>16</b> (5.2)   | <b>61.1</b> (3.5)      | <b>12</b> (3.2)   | <b>59.2</b> (2.8)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Scotland*             | <b>14</b> (1.9)             | <b>58.3</b> (1.5)  | <b>15</b> (1.8)   | <b>59.8</b> (1.5)  | <b>17</b> (2.0)   | <b>58.8</b> (1.2)      | <b>14</b> (1.8)   | <b>58.7</b> (1.6)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Wales                 | 7 (2.8)                     | 55.0 (2.0)   | <b>10</b> (2.9)   | <b>57.5</b> (2.2)  | <b>9</b> (4.3)    | <b>56.6</b> (3.1)      | <b>8</b> (2.7)    | <b>56.2</b> (2.1)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| <b>United States</b>  |                             |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Massachusetts*        | <b>23</b> (2.3)             | <b>65.5</b> (1.8)  | <b>25</b> (3.3)   | <b>65.4</b> (2.0)  | <b>46</b> (3.3)   | <b>74.8</b> (1.9)      | <b>23</b> (2.5)   | <b>65.9</b> (2.0)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| North Carolina*       | <b>21</b> (2.6)             | <b>64.3</b> (1.8)  | <b>22</b> (3.0)   | <b>64.1</b> (2.1)  | <b>43</b> (3.1)   | <b>73.6</b> (1.7)      | <b>22</b> (2.5)   | <b>65.7</b> (1.8)                                     |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
| Partners              | <b>Colombia</b>             |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Bogotá                      | <b>6</b> (2.8)   | <b>55.0</b> (2.2) | <b>-6</b> (2.8)  | <b>45.4</b> (2.2) | <b>26</b> (3.5)        | <b>68.6</b> (2.5) | 5 (2.6)   | 54.0 (2.4)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Cali                        | 2 (2.1)  | 51.5 (2.0)        | <b>-11</b> (2.6)   | <b>41.4</b> (2.4) | <b>16</b> (2.1)        | <b>61.7</b> (2.0) | 2 (2.0)   | 51.5 (2.1)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Manizales                   | 2 (1.8)  | 52.3 (2.1)        | <b>-13</b> (2.0)   | <b>40.3</b> (1.8) | <b>17</b> (2.3)        | <b>62.5</b> (2.0) | 1 (1.7)   | 50.9 (2.2)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Medellín                    | 4 (2.7)  | 53.5 (2.2)        | <b>-13</b> (3.7)   | <b>40.3</b> (3.0) | <b>18</b> (3.6)        | <b>63.3</b> (2.7) | 2 (3.0)   | 51.0 (2.6)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |  |                   |  |                   |                        |                   |   |                   |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Abu Dhabi*                  | <b>-19</b> (2.6)   | <b>36.2</b> (1.9) | <b>-20</b> (3.1)   | <b>36.2</b> (2.3) | <b>-17</b> (3.1)       | <b>39.0</b> (2.0) | <b>-16</b> (2.7)                                      | <b>38.0</b> (2.2) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Ajman                       | -11 (5.7)  | <b>41.7</b> (4.1) | <b>-16</b> (6.1)   | <b>39.5</b> (4.2) | -7 (6.5)               | 44.5 (4.4)        | -8 (5.6)  | 43.7 (4.3)        |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Dubai*                      | <b>-9</b> (2.0)  | <b>43.8</b> (1.6) | <b>-7</b> (2.7)  | <b>44.8</b> (2.1) | -2 (2.8)               | 48.8 (1.8)        | <b>-8</b> (2.3)                                       | <b>44.3</b> (1.9) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Fujairah                    | <b>-21</b> (5.2)   | <b>34.2</b> (3.5) | <b>-23</b> (4.7)   | <b>33.8</b> (3.8) | <b>-22</b> (5.3)       | <b>35.1</b> (4.0) | <b>-17</b> (4.6)                                      | <b>35.8</b> (3.5) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Ras Al Khaimah              | <b>-22</b> (5.7)   | <b>35.1</b> (3.9) | <b>-20</b> (6.7)   | <b>36.3</b> (4.8) | <b>-31</b> (8.1)       | <b>31.4</b> (4.4) | <b>-18</b> (5.7)                                      | <b>37.2</b> (4.4) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Sharjah                     | <b>-18</b> (5.8)   | <b>36.5</b> (4.0) | <b>-24</b> (5.3)   | <b>33.1</b> (3.7) | <b>-21</b> (6.9)       | <b>36.5</b> (4.8) | <b>-18</b> (5.3)                                      | <b>36.4</b> (3.8) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |
|                       | Umm Al Quwain               | <b>-17</b> (5.7)   | <b>35.7</b> (5.0) | <b>-22</b> (4.5)   | <b>33.6</b> (3.8) | <b>-24</b> (7.6)       | <b>33.5</b> (5.2) | <b>-14</b> (5.1)                                      | <b>37.9</b> (4.2) |                        |      |   |      |                                  |      |   |      |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

1. Relative scores are the residuals obtained from a pooled linear regression, across all participating countries/economies, of the performance in collaborative problem solving over performance in science, reading and/or mathematics.

2. Students who score higher than expected are those with positive relative scores.

3. The percentage of students who score higher than expected is bolded when it differs significantly from 50%.

4. Top performers in science, reading or mathematics are those who attain Level 5 or above in those subjects.

5. Low achievers in science, reading or mathematics are those who attain below Level 2 in those subjects.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

Students in PISA 2015 completed four clusters of test material: two in science and two distributed among reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving. Hence, no student completed all four of science, reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving. Scores were imputed in the domains in which students were not tested.

Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

See Table V.3.9a for national data.

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**Table B2.V.5 Relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

Based on residual scores after accounting for performance in the core PISA subjects in regressions involving all OECD and partner countries/economies

|                             | Relative performance in collaborative problem solving based on performance among low achievers <sup>5</sup> in... |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
|-----------------------------|---|--------|--|--------|------------------------|--------|---|--------|------------------------|--------|---|--------|
|                             | Science   |        |  |        | Reading                |        |   |        | Mathematics            |        |   |        |
|                             | Average relative score <sup>1</sup>   |        | Percentage of students who score higher than expected <sup>2,3</sup> |        | Average relative score |        | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |        | Average relative score |        | Percentage of students who score higher than expected |        |
|                             | Score dif.  | S.E.   | %  | S.E.   | Score dif.             | S.E.   | %   | S.E.   | Score dif.             | S.E.   | %   | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| <b>Belgium</b>              |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Flemish community*          | <b>10</b>   | (3.5)  | <b>56.7</b>  | (2.3)  | <b>11</b>              | (4.2)  | <b>56.6</b>   | (2.7)  | 3                      | (4.9)  | 51.3  | (2.9)  |
| French community            | -7  | (4.0)  | 45.9   | (3.0)  | <b>-8</b>              | (3.5)  | 45.4  | (2.6)  | <b>-20</b>             | (4.2)  | <b>38.1</b>   | (2.7)  |
| German-speaking community   | 3   | (11.9) | 50.8   | (9.1)  | 3                      | (10.1) | 49.7  | (8.4)  | -6                     | (11.9) | 47.1  | (10.6) |
| <b>Canada</b>               |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Alberta                     | -5  | (8.4)  | 46.8   | (6.4)  | -2                     | (9.1)  | 47.6  | (5.5)  | 17                     | (9.1)  | 56.7  | (5.8)  |
| British Columbia            | 14  | (9.2)  | 56.7   | (6.1)  | 9                      | (11.5) | 52.7  | (7.8)  | <b>35</b>              | (11.8) | <b>64.7</b>   | (5.9)  |
| Manitoba                    | 6   | (8.0)  | 52.2   | (4.8)  | 2                      | (10.0) | 50.8  | (6.0)  | 7                      | (8.9)  | 53.4  | (5.0)  |
| New Brunswick               | 4   | (7.2)  | 51.9   | (6.2)  | -1                     | (7.2)  | 49.5  | (4.7)  | 14                     | (7.3)  | 58.2  | (5.1)  |
| Newfoundland and Labrador   | 2   | (7.4)  | 49.9   | (5.5)  | -3                     | (9.1)  | 47.1  | (7.3)  | 10                     | (6.5)  | 55.9  | (4.7)  |
| Nova Scotia                 | 3   | (6.6)  | 49.3   | (4.9)  | -5                     | (7.0)  | 45.8  | (5.0)  | 13                     | (6.6)  | 55.7  | (4.1)  |
| Ontario                     | 2   | (5.6)  | 51.9   | (4.0)  | -2                     | (5.8)  | 48.2  | (3.8)  | 6                      | (5.1)  | 52.3  | (3.5)  |
| Prince Edward Island        | 0   | (12.8) | 47.6   | (12.4) | -12                    | (12.8) | 40.5  | (11.5) | 2                      | (12.5) | 50.7  | (9.1)  |
| Quebec                      | -5  | (7.8)  | 46.1   | (4.5)  | 5                      | (7.3)  | 52.3  | (5.3)  | -7                     | (9.0)  | 45.8  | (5.6)  |
| Saskatchewan                | 1   | (6.4)  | 50.3   | (5.5)  | -7                     | (7.2)  | 46.3  | (5.0)  | 5                      | (7.4)  | 52.9  | (4.8)  |
| <b>Italy</b>                |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Bolzano                     | 0   | (8.9)  | 49.6   | (6.9)  | 14                     | (9.0)  | 58.3  | (6.0)  | -4                     | (10.5) | 46.9  | (6.1)  |
| Campania                    | -11   | (6.4)  | 43.6   | (3.9)  | -14                    | (7.4)  | <b>40.9</b>   | (4.1)  | <b>-18</b>             | (7.6)  | <b>39.6</b>   | (4.4)  |
| Lombardia                   | 5   | (8.8)  | 52.8   | (5.8)  | 8                      | (10.2) | 54.1  | (6.7)  | 5                      | (9.9)  | 54.3  | (6.8)  |
| Trento                      | -3  | (5.5)  | 47.5   | (4.7)  | -2                     | (6.9)  | 48.3  | (4.9)  | -8                     | (5.6)  | 43.5  | (5.0)  |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | -8  | (4.0)  | 43.9   | (3.3)  | <b>-10</b>             | (4.6)  | <b>42.3</b>   | (3.5)  | -3                     | (3.7)  | 47.7  | (3.0)  |
| <b>Spain</b>                |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Andalusia*                  | 3   | (4.9)  | 52.4   | (3.6)  | -4                     | (4.7)  | 47.9  | (3.3)  | 2                      | (4.3)  | 51.6  | (3.0)  |
| Aragon*                     | -11   | (5.8)  | 42.9   | (4.0)  | -12                    | (8.7)  | 41.5  | (5.7)  | -6                     | (9.8)  | 46.9  | (6.2)  |
| Asturias*                   | -7  | (11.1) | 44.4   | (7.9)  | -7                     | (15.2) | 44.9  | (9.7)  | -5                     | (10.8) | 46.9  | (6.0)  |
| Balearic Islands*           | 2   | (6.7)  | 50.5   | (4.8)  | -3                     | (6.7)  | 48.2  | (4.7)  | 0                      | (6.9)  | 49.9  | (3.9)  |
| Basque Country*             | -4  | (5.5)  | 46.7   | (4.2)  | <b>-13</b>             | (4.4)  | <b>41.4</b>   | (3.1)  | <b>-12</b>             | (4.9)  | <b>41.8</b>   | (3.5)  |
| Canary Islands*             | 1   | (6.1)  | 50.3   | (4.5)  | -5                     | (7.3)  | 46.2  | (5.2)  | <b>14</b>              | (5.5)  | <b>57.8</b>   | (3.4)  |
| Cantabria*                  | -10   | (6.9)  | 42.8   | (4.9)  | <b>-15</b>             | (7.5)  | <b>39.4</b>   | (5.2)  | -13                    | (10.5) | 42.2  | (7.0)  |
| Castile and Leon*           | -1  | (5.0)  | 48.5   | (5.3)  | -4                     | (6.2)  | 48.1  | (5.2)  | 7                      | (6.9)  | 52.9  | (4.8)  |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | 0   | (5.9)  | 50.1   | (4.9)  | -5                     | (5.9)  | 46.6  | (4.3)  | 4                      | (6.4)  | 53.0  | (4.6)  |
| Catalonia*                  | 2   | (5.3)  | 50.1   | (4.1)  | -1                     | (5.6)  | 49.1  | (4.3)  | -1                     | (6.1)  | 48.6  | (4.0)  |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | -5  | (7.3)  | 47.7   | (4.9)  | -8                     | (7.1)  | 45.6  | (5.7)  | 1                      | (7.4)  | 50.6  | (4.9)  |
| Extremadura*                | -6  | (6.3)  | 45.4   | (5.5)  | <b>-11</b>             | (5.4)  | 41.9  | (4.8)  | <b>-13</b>             | (6.4)  | 41.8  | (4.4)  |
| Galicia*                    | <b>-16</b>  | (5.5)  | <b>39.2</b>  | (4.1)  | <b>-17</b>             | (7.3)  | <b>38.1</b>   | (4.6)  | -10                    | (7.8)  | 43.9  | (5.3)  |
| La Rioja*                   | -4  | (10.7) | 45.9   | (6.9)  | -4                     | (12.2) | 45.5  | (7.4)  | -14                    | (10.7) | 41.6  | (6.5)  |
| Madrid*                     | 4   | (6.5)  | 53.1   | (4.9)  | -3                     | (6.2)  | 48.3  | (5.2)  | 12                     | (6.0)  | 56.8  | (4.1)  |
| Murcia*                     | -1  | (5.8)  | 50.4   | (4.9)  | -4                     | (7.7)  | 47.1  | (5.0)  | 4                      | (7.2)  | 52.3  | (4.6)  |
| Navarre*                    | -4  | (7.4)  | 48.0   | (6.0)  | -9                     | (8.8)  | 45.4  | (6.3)  | -6                     | (10.4) | 47.2  | (6.2)  |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| England                     | <b>13</b>   | (3.8)  | <b>56.3</b>  | (2.9)  | <b>17</b>              | (4.3)  | <b>59.6</b>   | (2.8)  | <b>22</b>              | (4.1)  | <b>61.6</b>   | (2.7)  |
| Northern Ireland            | <b>11</b>   | (4.9)  | 58.5   | (4.5)  | 3                      | (6.1)  | 52.8  | (4.3)  | 2                      | (6.4)  | 51.8  | (5.8)  |
| Scotland*                   | <b>12</b>   | (4.0)  | 55.6   | (3.0)  | 2                      | (4.0)  | 49.9  | (2.9)  | 6                      | (5.2)  | 51.6  | (2.9)  |
| Wales                       | <b>8</b>  | (3.5)  | 55.2   | (3.0)  | 5                      | (5.1)  | 51.9  | (4.4)  | 3                      | (5.1)  | 51.3  | (3.6)  |
| <b>United States</b>        |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Massachusetts*              | 4   | (6.1)  | 52.5   | (4.5)  | 5                      | (5.3)  | 52.1  | (5.3)  | <b>15</b>              | (4.7)  | <b>58.7</b>   | (3.4)  |
| North Carolina*             | 5   | (3.9)  | 52.7   | (3.6)  | 5                      | (4.0)  | 52.7  | (3.3)  | <b>21</b>              | (3.8)  | <b>62.0</b>   | (2.7)  |
| <b>Partners</b>             |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Bogotá                      | 3   | (3.8)  | 53.1   | (3.4)  | 0                      | (4.5)  | 49.6  | (3.9)  | <b>22</b>              | (4.5)  | <b>66.1</b>   | (3.1)  |
| Cali                        | 0   | (2.6)  | 50.0   | (2.8)  | -4                     | (3.1)  | 46.1  | (3.1)  | <b>13</b>              | (2.5)  | <b>59.2</b>   | (2.6)  |
| Manizales                   | 1   | (2.9)  | 50.2   | (3.0)  | -6                     | (4.1)  | 45.2  | (4.3)  | <b>15</b>              | (2.4)  | <b>60.9</b>   | (2.4)  |
| Medellín                    | 4   | (2.9)  | 53.1   | (3.3)  | -5                     | (4.5)  | 46.7  | (4.1)  | <b>16</b>              | (3.3)  | <b>61.3</b>   | (2.8)  |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |   |        |  |        |                        |        |   |        |                        |        |   |        |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | <b>-14</b>  | (2.9)  | <b>39.2</b>  | (2.6)  | <b>-11</b>             | (3.4)  | <b>41.3</b>   | (3.0)  | <b>-14</b>             | (3.5)  | <b>40.1</b>   | (2.4)  |
| Ajman                       | -9  | (5.5)  | 42.2   | (4.3)  | -11                    | (7.1)  | 42.4  | (4.9)  | -7                     | (6.1)  | 44.0  | (4.3)  |
| Dubai*                      | <b>-11</b>  | (2.9)  | <b>40.7</b>  | (2.5)  | <b>-8</b>              | (4.0)  | <b>43.2</b>   | (3.0)  | -7                     | (4.6)  | 45.0  | (2.9)  |
| Fujairah                    | <b>-18</b>  | (4.6)  | <b>35.6</b>  | (3.3)  | <b>-16</b>             | (4.7)  | <b>37.5</b>   | (3.7)  | <b>-20</b>             | (5.8)  | <b>35.8</b>   | (4.3)  |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | <b>-19</b>  | (6.3)  | <b>36.1</b>  | (4.8)  | <b>-15</b>             | (6.9)  | <b>39.3</b>   | (5.2)  | <b>-28</b>             | (8.2)  | <b>31.4</b>   | (5.2)  |
| Sharjah                     | <b>-16</b>  | (6.3)  | <b>38.3</b>  | (5.5)  | <b>-19</b>             | (5.7)  | <b>36.4</b>   | (4.9)  | <b>-19</b>             | (8.3)  | <b>37.3</b>   | (5.6)  |
| Umm Al Quwain               | <b>-13</b>  | (6.6)  | 39.1   | (6.0)  | <b>-14</b>             | (6.7)  | 39.1  | (6.2)  | <b>-24</b>             | (7.8)  | <b>33.3</b>   | (5.6)  |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

1. Relative scores are the residuals obtained from a pooled linear regression, across all participating countries/economies, of the performance in collaborative problem solving over performance in science, reading and/or mathematics.

2. Students who score higher than expected are those with positive relative scores.

3. The percentage of students who score higher than expected is bolded when it differs significantly from 50%.

4. Top performers in science, reading or mathematics are those who attain Level 5 or above in those subjects.

5. Low achievers in science, reading or mathematics are those who attain below Level 2 in those subjects.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

Students in PISA 2015 completed four clusters of test material: two in science and two distributed among reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving. Hence, no student completed all four of science, reading, mathematics and collaborative problem solving. Scores were imputed in the domains in which students were not tested.

Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

See Table V.3.9a for national data.

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**Table B2.V.15 Percentage of students at each proficiency level in collaborative problem solving, by gender**

|                             | Boys                                   |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       | Girls                                  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|--|-------|
|                             | Below Level 1 (below 340 score points) |       | Level 1 (from 340 to less than 440 score points) |       | Level 2 (from 440 to less than 540 score points) |       | Level 3 (from 540 to less than 640 score points) |       | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |       | Below Level 1 (below 340 score points) |       | Level 1 (from 340 to less than 440 score points) |       | Level 2 (from 440 to less than 540 score points) |       | Level 3 (from 540 to less than 640 score points) |       | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |       |
|                             | %                                      | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %  | S.E.  | %                                      | S.E.  |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| <b>Belgium</b>              |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Flemish community*          | 4.8                                    | (0.7) | 19.7   | (1.2) | 37.4   | (1.3) | 30.9   | (1.3) | 7.3                                    | (1.0) | 3.0                                    | (0.5) | 14.7   | (1.2) | 32.8   | (1.3) | 37.3   | (1.3) | 12.2                                   | (1.3) |
| French community            | 10.1                                   | (1.2) | 28.6   | (1.9) | 37.4   | (1.7) | 20.7   | (1.6) | 3.2                                    | (0.7) | 5.9                                    | (1.0) | 22.9   | (1.6) | 39.7   | (1.6) | 26.6   | (1.8) | 4.9                                    | (0.8) |
| German-speaking community   | 4.6                                    | (1.9) | 28.1   | (3.6) | 41.6   | (5.0) | 23.6   | (4.4) | 2.1                                    | (1.3) | 1.7                                    | (1.3) | 16.4   | (3.4) | 49.5   | (4.9) | 28.6   | (5.0) | 3.7                                    | (1.8) |
| <b>Canada</b>               |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Alberta                     | 4.4                                    | (1.0) | 17.5   | (1.8) | 33.6   | (2.6) | 31.6   | (2.6) | 13.0                                   | (2.0) | 1.9                                    | (0.6) | 10.2   | (1.7) | 27.2   | (2.1) | 37.3   | (2.3) | 23.4                                   | (2.2) |
| British Columbia            | 3.8                                    | (1.3) | 14.5   | (2.0) | 29.5   | (2.6) | 34.7   | (2.3) | 17.5                                   | (2.1) | 0.8                                    | (0.4) | 7.0  | (1.3) | 25.3   | (2.3) | 39.5   | (2.7) | 27.4                                   | (2.8) |
| Manitoba                    | 5.8                                    | (1.2) | 23.1   | (2.6) | 37.1   | (3.2) | 24.8   | (2.8) | 9.2                                    | (1.8) | 3.4                                    | (1.2) | 13.7   | (1.9) | 31.5   | (2.1) | 34.5   | (2.4) | 16.9                                   | (2.0) |
| New Brunswick               | 6.5                                    | (1.6) | 23.0   | (2.5) | 34.3   | (2.8) | 27.4   | (3.1) | 8.7                                    | (1.7) | 1.9                                    | (0.7) | 13.0   | (1.8) | 37.3   | (2.8) | 34.2   | (2.4) | 13.6                                   | (2.2) |
| Newfoundland and Labrador   | 5.8                                    | (1.3) | 20.3   | (2.5) | 37.0   | (3.1) | 27.3   | (2.8) | 9.6                                    | (1.6) | 2.3                                    | (0.8) | 13.4   | (2.3) | 34.6   | (3.1) | 36.0   | (2.5) | 13.7                                   | (2.2) |
| Nova Scotia                 | 4.9                                    | (1.1) | 20.4   | (2.1) | 34.4   | (2.4) | 29.5   | (2.5) | 10.8                                   | (1.8) | 1.7                                    | (0.7) | 11.1   | (1.7) | 31.0   | (2.5) | 36.5   | (3.6) | 19.8                                   | (2.5) |
| Ontario                     | 5.3                                    | (0.8) | 20.5   | (1.7) | 34.3   | (1.7) | 29.1   | (1.7) | 10.8                                   | (1.2) | 2.1                                    | (0.6) | 11.5   | (1.3) | 30.0   | (1.9) | 36.1   | (1.9) | 20.3                                   | (1.9) |
| Prince Edward Island        | 5.7                                    | (2.3) | 22.0   | (3.9) | 37.8   | (5.0) | 27.6   | (5.6) | 6.9                                    | (2.4) | 0.4                                    | (0.6) | 8.6  | (2.5) | 31.7   | (4.3) | 41.5   | (5.3) | 17.8                                   | (3.5) |
| Quebec                      | 4.3                                    | (0.9) | 16.9   | (1.7) | 34.9   | (1.7) | 32.5   | (1.9) | 11.4                                   | (1.4) | 1.9                                    | (0.5) | 11.5   | (1.7) | 32.3   | (2.3) | 39.2   | (2.2) | 15.1                                   | (1.8) |
| Saskatchewan                | 7.0                                    | (1.5) | 26.3   | (1.9) | 35.0   | (2.2) | 24.8   | (2.4) | 6.9                                    | (1.4) | 2.2                                    | (1.0) | 15.8   | (2.2) | 36.2   | (2.6) | 33.0   | (2.2) | 12.8                                   | (1.5) |
| <b>Italy</b>                |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Bolzano                     | 4.0                                    | (0.9) | 21.7   | (2.5) | 38.5   | (2.8) | 30.2   | (2.3) | 5.6                                    | (1.4) | 2.1                                    | (0.7) | 15.0   | (2.1) | 40.5   | (2.9) | 34.3   | (3.0) | 8.0                                    | (2.3) |
| Campania                    | 16.2                                   | (2.3) | 38.0   | (2.4) | 32.8   | (2.3) | 11.7   | (1.5) | 1.3                                    | (0.5) | 9.6                                    | (1.9) | 35.5   | (3.0) | 37.1   | (2.8) | 15.2   | (1.9) | 2.6                                    | (0.8) |
| Lombardia                   | 6.6                                    | (1.7) | 24.2   | (2.3) | 39.0   | (2.6) | 25.5   | (2.6) | 4.6                                    | (1.2) | 2.9                                    | (1.1) | 19.7   | (2.5) | 40.0   | (2.4) | 30.4   | (2.9) | 6.9                                    | (1.5) |
| Trento                      | 4.6                                    | (1.0) | 23.9   | (2.1) | 43.9   | (2.9) | 24.3   | (2.3) | 3.3                                    | (1.0) | 2.9                                    | (0.7) | 16.9   | (1.5) | 42.3   | (2.6) | 32.4   | (2.3) | 5.5                                    | (1.2) |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | 8.2                                    | (1.3) | 34.9   | (2.2) | 37.2   | (3.2) | 17.5   | (2.2) | 2.2                                    | (0.8) | 6.2                                    | (1.1) | 28.7   | (2.2) | 43.1   | (2.4) | 19.5   | (2.2) | 2.5                                    | (0.8) |
| <b>Spain</b>                |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Andalusia*                  | 8.8                                    | (1.5) | 27.7   | (1.9) | 38.5   | (1.9) | 21.9   | (2.2) | 3.2                                    | (0.7) | 5.6                                    | (1.2) | 22.2   | (2.5) | 40.3   | (2.3) | 27.2   | (2.3) | 4.7                                    | (0.9) |
| Aragon*                     | 6.6                                    | (1.3) | 24.4   | (2.4) | 39.7   | (2.3) | 24.9   | (2.1) | 4.4                                    | (1.3) | 3.0                                    | (0.8) | 16.8   | (1.9) | 40.0   | (2.6) | 33.2   | (2.9) | 7.0                                    | (1.7) |
| Asturias*                   | 7.3                                    | (2.0) | 24.8   | (2.5) | 40.3   | (2.4) | 22.9   | (2.5) | 4.7                                    | (1.8) | 3.6                                    | (1.3) | 18.1   | (2.7) | 40.1   | (2.5) | 32.4   | (3.1) | 5.8                                    | (2.0) |
| Balearic Islands*           | 7.2                                    | (1.2) | 28.7   | (2.5) | 39.2   | (2.3) | 21.5   | (2.3) | 3.3                                    | (1.0) | 3.5                                    | (1.0) | 19.8   | (1.8) | 42.1   | (3.0) | 29.6   | (3.0) | 5.0                                    | (1.3) |
| Basque Country*             | 8.8                                    | (1.4) | 29.2   | (2.0) | 38.1   | (2.1) | 21.1   | (1.7) | 2.8                                    | (0.6) | 3.7                                    | (0.8) | 21.5   | (1.5) | 43.0   | (2.4) | 27.4   | (2.2) | 4.4                                    | (0.9) |
| Canary Islands*             | 8.8                                    | (1.4) | 28.2   | (2.1) | 37.6   | (1.9) | 22.1   | (1.6) | 3.3                                    | (0.9) | 4.0                                    | (1.1) | 22.9   | (2.3) | 41.2   | (2.6) | 27.2   | (2.8) | 4.8                                    | (1.2) |
| Cantabria*                  | 7.1                                    | (1.5) | 30.4   | (3.2) | 39.5   | (2.3) | 20.4   | (2.3) | 2.7                                    | (1.1) | 3.2                                    | (1.2) | 22.5   | (2.2) | 40.6   | (2.5) | 28.9   | (2.8) | 4.8                                    | (1.8) |
| Castile and Leon*           | 3.8                                    | (0.9) | 21.0   | (1.8) | 41.1   | (2.0) | 28.3   | (1.9) | 5.9                                    | (1.2) | 1.5                                    | (0.5) | 11.9   | (1.9) | 39.2   | (2.2) | 37.7   | (2.3) | 9.7                                    | (1.3) |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | 6.0                                    | (1.2) | 24.6   | (2.2) | 41.6   | (2.2) | 24.0   | (2.1) | 3.8                                    | (0.9) | 2.7                                    | (0.7) | 17.7   | (1.8) | 42.6   | (2.3) | 31.2   | (2.4) | 5.8                                    | (1.2) |
| Catalonia*                  | 5.5                                    | (1.2) | 23.3   | (2.2) | 39.0   | (1.9) | 26.4   | (2.2) | 5.8                                    | (1.1) | 3.7                                    | (0.9) | 16.2   | (1.6) | 37.8   | (2.2) | 33.8   | (2.6) | 8.6                                    | (1.4) |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | 6.5                                    | (1.1) | 26.1   | (2.0) | 40.6   | (2.1) | 23.5   | (1.9) | 3.4                                    | (1.1) | 2.8                                    | (0.9) | 19.9   | (2.3) | 42.7   | (3.1) | 28.9   | (2.6) | 5.7                                    | (1.3) |
| Extremadura*                | 10.7                                   | (1.6) | 31.9   | (1.9) | 37.0   | (1.9) | 18.0   | (2.2) | 2.3                                    | (0.6) | 4.2                                    | (1.0) | 24.3   | (2.1) | 41.9   | (2.7) | 25.4   | (2.7) | 4.2                                    | (1.0) |
| Galicia*                    | 7.0                                    | (1.4) | 27.5   | (2.1) | 38.5   | (2.0) | 23.5   | (2.3) | 3.5                                    | (0.9) | 3.3                                    | (0.9) | 17.7   | (2.1) | 41.4   | (2.2) | 32.0   | (2.3) | 5.7                                    | (1.4) |
| La Rioja*                   | 7.0                                    | (1.5) | 27.2   | (3.5) | 37.8   | (2.5) | 24.2   | (3.2) | 3.8                                    | (1.6) | 4.1                                    | (1.1) | 17.7   | (3.0) | 38.5   | (3.3) | 32.6   | (3.3) | 7.1                                    | (2.4) |
| Madrid*                     | 3.8                                    | (1.1) | 18.4   | (1.6) | 39.5   | (2.6) | 31.7   | (2.0) | 6.6                                    | (1.2) | 2.6                                    | (0.8) | 13.2   | (1.5) | 36.9   | (2.2) | 37.8   | (2.3) | 9.6                                    | (1.5) |
| Murcia*                     | 7.7                                    | (1.6) | 28.9   | (2.5) | 39.6   | (2.2) | 20.5   | (1.9) | 3.3                                    | (0.8) | 3.9                                    | (0.8) | 20.3   | (2.0) | 42.3   | (2.2) | 29.0   | (2.5) | 4.5                                    | (0.9) |
| Navarre*                    | 5.0                                    | (1.2) | 22.7   | (2.4) | 41.1   | (2.5) | 26.1   | (2.9) | 5.0                                    | (1.2) | 2.3                                    | (0.8) | 15.1   | (2.0) | 41.8   | (3.1) | 33.9   | (3.1) | 6.9                                    | (1.5) |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| England                     | 5.6                                    | (0.6) | 21.4   | (1.4) | 35.9   | (1.2) | 27.6   | (1.2) | 9.5                                    | (1.2) | 2.9                                    | (0.5) | 14.2   | (1.1) | 32.1   | (1.3) | 34.5   | (1.5) | 16.3                                   | (1.1) |
| Northern Ireland            | 3.5                                    | (0.8) | 22.3   | (1.8) | 40.3   | (2.3) | 28.6   | (2.1) | 5.3                                    | (1.0) | 1.6                                    | (0.6) | 14.7   | (1.8) | 37.8   | (1.8) | 37.0   | (1.9) | 8.8                                    | (1.1) |
| Scotland*                   | 5.3                                    | (0.9) | 23.7   | (1.3) | 37.2   | (1.3) | 26.5   | (1.3) | 7.3                                    | (0.9) | 3.1                                    | (0.6) | 15.3   | (1.2) | 33.0   | (1.6) | 36.1   | (1.5) | 12.4                                   | (1.0) |
| Wales                       | 5.2                                    | (0.8) | 26.3   | (1.6) | 40.7   | (1.6) | 23.9   | (1.5) | 3.9                                    | (0.6) | 2.6                                    | (0.5) | 19.5   | (1.5) | 41.4   | (1.7) | 30.7   | (2.0) | 5.9                                    | (0.9) |
| <b>United States</b>        |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Massachusetts*              | 3.8                                    | (1.0) | 14.9   | (1.8) | 31.7   | (2.1) | 32.8   | (2.2) | 16.7                                   | (1.9) | 1.5                                    | (0.5) | 10.8   | (1.9) | 27.5   | (2.6) | 37.3   | (2.8) | 23.0                                   | (2.8) |
| North Carolina*             | 5.6                                    | (1.0) | 21.7   | (1.7) | 32.8   | (2.1) | 29.0   | (2.4) | 10.9                                   | (1.6) | 2.1                                    | (0.6) | 14.6   | (1.9) | 32.0   | (2.1) | 34.4   | (2.3) | 16.8                                   | (1.9) |
| <b>Partners</b>             |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Bogotá                      | 5.2                                    | (1.2) | 30.8   | (2.5) | 45.5   | (2.4) | 17.1   | (2.2) | 1.5                                    | (0.8) | 5.0                                    | (0.9) | 27.9   | (2.4) | 43.3   | (2.8) | 21.6   | (2.6) | 2.2                                    | (1.0) |
| Cali                        | 10.6                                   | (1.8) | 41.5   | (2.6) | 37.0   | (2.7) | 10.3   | (1.8) | 0.6                                    | (0.4) | 8.4                                    | (1.3) | 42.3   | (2.6) | 38.1   | (2.4) | 10.6   | (1.7) | 0.5                                    | (0.3) |
| Manizales                   | 8.4                                    | (1.3) | 38.7   | (2.7) | 40.2   | (2.4) | 11.9   | (1.9) | 0.8                                    | (0.5) | 6.0                                    | (1.4) | 36.7   | (3.2) | 44.8   | (2.7) | 11.9   | (2.2) | 0.6                                    | (0.4) |
| Medellín                    | 8.1                                    | (1.7) | 38.9   | (2.4) | 39.9   | (2.6) | 11.9   | (2.2) | 1.1                                    | (0.7) | 7.4                                    | (1.3) | 34.8   | (2.6) | 42.3   | (2.7) | 14.7   | (1.9) | 0.8                                    | (0.4) |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |  |       |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | 24.3                                   | (2.1) | 44.0   | (2.1) | 24.1   | (2.0) | 7.0  | (1.4) | 0.6                                    | (0.3) | 12.1                                   | (1.6) | 39.5   | (1.9) | 36.3   | (2.4) | 11.1   | (1.5) | 1.0                                    | (0.4) |
| Ajman                       | 32.1                                   | (3.1) | 48.6   | (3.0) | 16.8   | (3.0) | 2.4  | (1.1) | 0.0                                    | (0.1) | 11.6                                   | (3.7) | 36.3   | (3.8) | 38.7   | (4.4) | 12.6   | (2.4) | 0.8                                    | (0.7) |
| Dubai*                      | 13.3                                   | (1.0) | 29.7   | (1.5) | 32.2   | (1.5) | 20.6   | (1.2) | 4.3                                    | (0.8) | 5.2                                    | (0.6) | 23.9   | (1.2) | 39.2   | (1.3) | 26.6   | (1.4) | 5.1                                    | (0.6) |
| Fujairah                    | 37.6                                   | (4.6) | 43.8   | (3.9) | 15.9   | (2.6) | 2.7  | (1.1) | 0.1                                    | (0.2) | 11.8                                   | (2.7) | 46.3   | (3.7) | 33.3   | (3.3) | 7.6  | (2.6) | 1.1                                    | (0.7) |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | 35.0                                   | (4.7) | 49.1   | (4.5) | 14.1   | (2.6) | 1.6  | (1.0) | 0.3                                    | (0.4) | 14.8                                   | (2.8) | 42.0   | (4.1) | 33.9   | (3.6) | 8.5  | (2.4) | 0.8                                    | (0.8) |
| Sharjah                     | 24.7                                   | (4.0) | 40.3   | (3.2) | 26.7   | (3.3) | 7.6  | (2.0) | 0.8                                    | (0.7) | 8.3                                    | (2.4) | 38.4   | (4.7) | 39.8   | (4.0) | 13.0   | (3.5) | 0.5                                    | (0.4) |
| Umm Al Quwain               | 35.4                                   | (5.0) | 49.0   | (5.0) | 15.0   | (3.3) | 0.6  | (0.8) | 0.0                                    | c     | 14.6                                   | (4.1) | 48.6   | (4.8) | 29.1   | (3.9) | 7.5  | (2.2) | 0.2                                    | (0.5) |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

See Table V.4.2 for national data.

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**Table B2.V.15 Percentage of students at each proficiency level in collaborative problem solving, by gender**

|             | Gender differences (boys - girls)      |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           | Increased risk of...   |           |  |           |  |           |
|-------------|--|------|--|------------|--|-------------|--|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|
|             | Below Level 1 (below 340 score points) |      | Level 1 (from 340 to less than 440 score points) |            | Level 2 (from 440 to less than 540 score points) |             | Level 3 (from 540 to less than 640 score points) |           | Level 4 (at or above 640 score points) |           | Boys scoring below Level 1 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 340 score points) |           | Boys scoring below Level 2 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (below 440 score points) |           | Girls scoring at Level 4 on the collaborative problem-solving scale (at or above 640 score points) |           |
|             | % dif.                                 | S.E. | % dif.   | S.E.       | % dif.   | S.E.        | % dif.   | S.E.      | % dif.                                 | S.E.      | Relative risk  | S.E.      | Relative risk  | S.E.      | Relative risk  | S.E.      |
| <b>OECD</b> | <b>Belgium</b>                         |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Flemish community*                     |      | 1.8 (0.7)  | 5.0 (1.6)  | 4.5 (1.8)  | -6.4 (1.6)  | -4.9 (1.5)                                       | 1.6 (0.3) | 1.4 (0.1)                              | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.3 (0.1)  | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.3 (0.1)  | 1.6 (0.4) | 1.7 (0.3)  | 1.6 (0.4) |
|             | French community                       |      | 4.2 (1.2)  | 5.7 (2.3)  | -2.3 (2.2)                                       | -5.9 (2.3)  | -1.7 (0.9)                                       | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.3 (0.1)                              | 1.6 (0.4) | 1.7 (0.3)  | 1.3 (0.1) | 1.6 (0.4)  | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.6 (0.4)  | 1.6 (0.4) |
|             | German-speaking community              |      | 2.9 (2.4)  | 11.7 (4.7) | -7.9 (6.8)                                       | -5.0 (5.9)  | -1.6 (2.1)                                       | 3.7 (6.3) | 1.8 (0.4)                              | 1.9 (2.1) | 1.8 (0.4)  | 1.9 (2.1) | 1.8 (0.4)  | 1.9 (2.1) | 1.9 (2.1)  | 1.9 (2.1) |
|             | <b>Canada</b>                          |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Alberta                                |      | 2.5 (1.0)  | 7.3 (2.0)  | 6.4 (3.1)  | -5.7 (3.0)  | -10.4 (2.4)                                      | 2.3 (0.8) | 1.8 (0.3)                              | 1.8 (0.3) | 2.3 (0.8)  | 1.8 (0.3) | 1.8 (0.3)  | 1.8 (0.3) | 1.8 (0.3)  | 1.8 (0.3) |
|             | British Columbia                       |      | 3.0 (1.4)  | 7.5 (2.2)  | 4.2 (3.2)  | -4.8 (3.2)  | -9.9 (3.1)                                       | 5.2 (3.4) | 2.4 (0.4)                              | 1.6 (0.2) | 5.2 (3.4)  | 2.4 (0.4) | 1.6 (0.2)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.6 (0.2)  | 1.6 (0.2) |
|             | Manitoba                               |      | 2.5 (1.5)  | 9.4 (3.1)  | 5.6 (4.1)  | -9.8 (3.7)  | -7.7 (2.3)                                       | 1.8 (0.7) | 1.7 (0.3)                              | 1.9 (0.4) | 1.8 (0.7)  | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.9 (0.4)  | 1.9 (0.4) | 1.9 (0.4)  | 1.9 (0.4) |
|             | New Brunswick                          |      | 4.7 (1.6)  | 10.0 (2.9) | -2.9 (3.4)                                       | -6.8 (3.4)  | -4.9 (2.2)                                       | 3.6 (1.6) | 2.0 (0.3)                              | 1.6 (0.3) | 3.6 (1.6)  | 2.0 (0.3) | 1.6 (0.3)  | 1.6 (0.3) | 1.6 (0.3)  | 1.6 (0.3) |
|             | Newfoundland and Labrador              |      | 3.6 (1.5)  | 6.9 (3.3)  | 2.4 (4.7)  | -8.7 (3.6)  | -4.1 (2.4)                                       | 2.7 (1.3) | 1.7 (0.3)                              | 1.4 (0.3) | 2.7 (1.3)  | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.4 (0.3)  | 1.4 (0.3) | 1.4 (0.3)  | 1.4 (0.3) |
|             | Nova Scotia                            |      | 3.2 (1.3)  | 9.3 (2.5)  | 3.4 (3.3)  | -7.0 (3.8)  | -9.0 (3.0)                                       | 3.0 (1.5) | 2.0 (0.3)                              | 1.8 (0.4) | 3.0 (1.5)  | 2.0 (0.3) | 1.8 (0.4)  | 1.8 (0.4) | 1.8 (0.4)  | 1.8 (0.4) |
|             | Ontario                                |      | 3.2 (0.8)  | 9.0 (1.7)  | 4.3 (1.9)  | -7.0 (2.1)  | -9.6 (1.8)                                       | 2.6 (0.7) | 1.9 (0.2)                              | 1.9 (0.2) | 2.6 (0.7)  | 1.9 (0.2) | 1.9 (0.2)  | 1.9 (0.2) | 1.9 (0.2)  | 1.9 (0.2) |
|             | Prince Edward Island                   |      | 5.2 (2.5)  | 13.4 (4.9) | 6.1 (6.1)  | -13.8 (7.8) | -10.9 (4.0)                                      | m         | m                                      | 2.6 (1.2) | m  | m         | 3.1 (1.1)  | 2.6 (1.2) | 2.6 (1.2)  | 2.6 (1.2) |
|             | Quebec                                 |      | 2.4 (0.9)  | 5.3 (1.8)  | 2.6 (2.9)  | -6.8 (2.7)  | -3.6 (1.7)                                       | 2.3 (0.7) | 1.6 (0.2)                              | 1.3 (0.2) | 2.3 (0.7)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.3 (0.2)  | 1.3 (0.2) | 1.3 (0.2)  | 1.3 (0.2) |
|             | Saskatchewan                           |      | 4.8 (1.6)  | 10.5 (2.7) | -1.3 (4.0)                                       | -8.2 (3.3)  | -5.9 (2.1)                                       | 3.5 (1.5) | 1.9 (0.2)                              | 1.9 (0.5) | 3.5 (1.5)  | 1.9 (0.2) | 1.9 (0.5)  | 1.9 (0.5) | 1.9 (0.5)  | 1.9 (0.5) |
|             | <b>Italy</b>                           |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Bolzano                                |      | 1.9 (1.0)  | 6.7 (2.8)  | -2.0 (4.3)                                       | -4.1 (3.2)  | -2.4 (2.0)                                       | 1.9 (0.7) | 1.5 (0.2)                              | 1.4 (0.4) | 1.9 (0.7)  | 1.5 (0.2) | 1.4 (0.4)  | 1.4 (0.4) | 1.4 (0.4)  | 1.4 (0.4) |
|             | Campania                               |      | 6.6 (2.6)  | 2.5 (3.1)  | -4.3 (3.2)                                       | -3.5 (2.0)  | -1.3 (0.9)                                       | 1.7 (0.4) | 2.1 (1.0)                              | 1.7 (0.4) | 1.7 (0.4)  | 2.1 (1.0) | 2.1 (1.0)  | 2.1 (1.0) | 2.1 (1.0)  | 2.1 (1.0) |
|             | Lombardia                              |      | 3.7 (1.9)  | 4.5 (3.2)  | -1.0 (3.7)                                       | -5.0 (3.8)  | -2.3 (1.6)                                       | 2.4 (1.1) | 1.5 (0.5)                              | 1.5 (0.5) | 2.4 (1.1)  | 1.4 (0.2) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) |
|             | Trento                                 |      | 1.7 (1.2)  | 7.0 (2.5)  | 1.6 (3.6)  | -8.1 (3.2)  | -2.2 (1.4)                                       | 1.6 (0.5) | 1.7 (0.6)                              | 1.7 (0.6) | 1.6 (0.5)  | 1.4 (0.1) | 1.7 (0.6)  | 1.7 (0.6) | 1.7 (0.6)  | 1.7 (0.6) |
|             | <b>Portugal</b>                        |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Região Autónoma dos Açores             |      | 2.0 (1.7)  | 6.2 (3.0)  | -5.9 (3.3)                                       | -2.1 (2.9)  | -0.3 (1.2)                                       | 1.3 (0.3) | 1.2 (0.1)                              | 1.2 (0.6) | 1.3 (0.3)  | 1.2 (0.1) | 1.2 (0.6)  | 1.2 (0.6) | 1.2 (0.6)  | 1.2 (0.6) |
|             | <b>Spain</b>                           |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Andalusia*                             |      | 3.2 (1.9)  | 5.6 (3.0)  | -1.8 (2.9)                                       | -5.4 (2.7)  | -1.5 (1.2)                                       | 1.6 (0.5) | 1.3 (0.1)                              | 1.5 (0.5) | 1.6 (0.5)  | 1.3 (0.1) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) |
|             | Aragon*                                |      | 3.6 (1.5)  | 7.6 (2.4)  | -0.3 (3.5)                                       | -8.3 (3.3)  | -2.6 (1.9)                                       | 2.3 (0.9) | 1.6 (0.6)                              | 1.7 (0.6) | 2.3 (0.9)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.7 (0.6)  | 1.7 (0.6) | 1.7 (0.6)  | 1.7 (0.6) |
|             | Asturias*                              |      | 3.7 (1.5)  | 6.7 (2.5)  | 0.1 (3.3)  | -9.5 (2.6)  | -1.1 (1.3)                                       | 2.1 (0.6) | 1.5 (0.1)                              | 1.3 (0.5) | 2.1 (0.6)  | 1.5 (0.1) | 1.3 (0.5)  | 1.3 (0.5) | 1.3 (0.5)  | 1.3 (0.5) |
|             | Balearic Islands*                      |      | 3.8 (1.3)  | 8.9 (2.9)  | -2.8 (3.1)                                       | -8.1 (2.4)  | -1.7 (1.3)                                       | 2.2 (0.7) | 1.5 (0.2)                              | 1.5 (0.5) | 2.2 (0.7)  | 1.5 (0.2) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) |
|             | Basque Country*                        |      | 5.0 (1.3)  | 7.8 (2.0)  | -4.9 (3.4)                                       | -6.3 (2.3)  | -1.6 (1.1)                                       | 2.4 (0.5) | 1.5 (0.1)                              | 1.6 (0.5) | 2.4 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.1) | 1.6 (0.5)  | 1.6 (0.5) | 1.6 (0.5)  | 1.6 (0.5) |
|             | Canary Islands*                        |      | 4.8 (1.6)  | 5.3 (3.0)  | -3.5 (3.6)                                       | -5.1 (3.1)  | -1.5 (1.1)                                       | 2.3 (0.7) | 1.4 (0.1)                              | 1.5 (0.5) | 2.3 (0.7)  | 1.4 (0.1) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) | 1.5 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.5) |
|             | Cantabria*                             |      | 3.9 (1.4)  | 7.9 (2.6)  | -1.2 (3.8)                                       | -8.5 (2.2)  | -2.1 (1.3)                                       | 2.4 (1.0) | 1.5 (0.1)                              | 1.9 (0.8) | 2.4 (1.0)  | 1.5 (0.1) | 1.9 (0.8)  | 1.9 (0.8) | 1.9 (0.8)  | 1.9 (0.8) |
|             | Castile and Leon*                      |      | 2.3 (1.0)  | 9.1 (2.2)  | 1.9 (2.9)  | -9.4 (2.8)  | -3.8 (1.4)                                       | 2.6 (1.2) | 1.9 (0.3)                              | 1.7 (0.4) | 2.6 (1.2)  | 1.9 (0.3) | 1.7 (0.4)  | 1.7 (0.4) | 1.7 (0.4)  | 1.7 (0.4) |
|             | Castile-La Mancha*                     |      | 3.3 (1.4)  | 6.9 (2.6)  | -1.0 (3.3)                                       | -7.2 (3.1)  | -2.0 (1.1)                                       | 2.2 (0.8) | 1.5 (0.4)                              | 1.5 (0.4) | 2.2 (0.8)  | 1.5 (0.2) | 1.5 (0.4)  | 1.5 (0.4) | 1.5 (0.4)  | 1.5 (0.4) |
|             | Catalonia*                             |      | 1.8 (1.6)  | 7.1 (2.4)  | 1.2 (3.0)  | -7.3 (2.8)  | -2.8 (1.9)                                       | 1.5 (0.6) | 1.5 (0.2)                              | 1.5 (0.4) | 1.5 (0.6)  | 1.5 (0.2) | 1.5 (0.4)  | 1.5 (0.4) | 1.5 (0.4)  | 1.5 (0.4) |
|             | Comunidad Valenciana*                  |      | 3.7 (1.5)  | 6.2 (3.1)  | -2.1 (3.9)                                       | -5.4 (3.1)  | -2.3 (1.7)                                       | 2.4 (1.0) | 1.4 (0.2)                              | 1.8 (0.6) | 2.4 (1.0)  | 1.4 (0.2) | 1.8 (0.6)  | 1.8 (0.6) | 1.8 (0.6)  | 1.8 (0.6) |
|             | Extremadura*                           |      | 6.6 (1.6)  | 7.5 (2.4)  | -4.8 (3.2)                                       | -7.4 (3.2)  | -1.9 (1.1)                                       | 2.6 (0.6) | 1.5 (0.1)                              | 1.8 (0.6) | 2.6 (0.6)  | 1.5 (0.1) | 1.8 (0.6)  | 1.8 (0.6) | 1.8 (0.6)  | 1.8 (0.6) |
|             | Galicia*                               |      | 3.7 (1.6)  | 9.8 (2.7)  | -3.0 (2.7)                                       | -8.4 (2.6)  | -2.2 (1.3)                                       | 2.2 (0.8) | 1.7 (0.2)                              | 1.7 (0.5) | 2.2 (0.8)  | 1.7 (0.2) | 1.7 (0.5)  | 1.7 (0.5) | 1.7 (0.5)  | 1.7 (0.5) |
|             | La Rioja*                              |      | 3.0 (1.6)  | 9.5 (3.5)  | -0.7 (4.2)                                       | -8.4 (3.6)  | -3.3 (1.8)                                       | 1.8 (0.5) | 1.9 (0.7)                              | 1.9 (0.7) | 1.8 (0.5)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.9 (0.7)  | 1.9 (0.7) | 1.9 (0.7)  | 1.9 (0.7) |
|             | Madrid*                                |      | 1.2 (1.2)  | 5.3 (2.3)  | 2.7 (3.7)  | -6.1 (3.2)  | -3.0 (2.0)                                       | 1.5 (0.6) | 1.4 (0.2)                              | 1.5 (0.4) | 1.5 (0.6)  | 1.4 (0.2) | 1.5 (0.4)  | 1.5 (0.4) | 1.5 (0.4)  | 1.5 (0.4) |
|             | Murcia*                                |      | 3.8 (1.7)  | 8.6 (2.4)  | -2.7 (3.0)                                       | -8.5 (2.8)  | -1.2 (1.2)                                       | 2.0 (0.5) | 1.4 (0.5)                              | 1.4 (0.5) | 2.0 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.1) | 1.4 (0.5)  | 1.4 (0.5) | 1.4 (0.5)  | 1.4 (0.5) |
|             | Navarre*                               |      | 2.7 (1.3)  | 7.7 (2.4)  | -0.7 (3.9)                                       | -7.8 (2.9)  | -1.9 (1.6)                                       | 2.3 (1.0) | 1.4 (0.4)                              | 1.4 (0.4) | 2.3 (1.0)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.4 (0.4)  | 1.4 (0.4) | 1.4 (0.4)  | 1.4 (0.4) |
|             | <b>United Kingdom</b>                  |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | England                                |      | 2.7 (0.7)  | 7.1 (1.5)  | 3.8 (1.7)  | -6.9 (1.7)  | -6.8 (1.5)                                       | 2.0 (0.4) | 1.6 (0.1)                              | 1.7 (0.2) | 2.0 (0.4)  | 1.6 (0.1) | 1.7 (0.2)  | 1.7 (0.2) | 1.7 (0.2)  | 1.7 (0.2) |
|             | Northern Ireland                       |      | 1.9 (0.8)  | 7.6 (2.2)  | 2.5 (2.6)  | -8.5 (2.8)  | -3.5 (1.5)                                       | 2.3 (0.9) | 1.6 (0.2)                              | 1.7 (0.4) | 2.3 (0.9)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.7 (0.4)  | 1.7 (0.4) | 1.7 (0.4)  | 1.7 (0.4) |
|             | Scotland*                              |      | 2.2 (1.1)  | 8.4 (1.8)  | 4.2 (2.0)  | -9.6 (2.1)  | -5.1 (1.4)                                       | 1.7 (0.5) | 1.7 (0.3)                              | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.7 (0.5)  | 1.6 (0.1) | 1.7 (0.3)  | 1.7 (0.3) | 1.7 (0.3)  | 1.7 (0.3) |
|             | Wales                                  |      | 2.5 (0.8)  | 6.8 (1.7)  | -0.7 (2.0)                                       | -6.8 (1.8)  | -1.9 (1.1)                                       | 2.0 (0.4) | 1.5 (0.3)                              | 1.5 (0.3) | 2.0 (0.4)  | 1.4 (0.1) | 1.5 (0.3)  | 1.5 (0.3) | 1.5 (0.3)  | 1.5 (0.3) |
|             | <b>United States</b>                   |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Massachusetts*                         |      | 2.4 (1.0)  | 4.2 (2.2)  | 4.1 (2.9)  | -4.4 (3.2)  | -6.2 (2.8)                                       | 2.7 (1.1) | 1.5 (0.2)                              | 1.4 (0.2) | 2.7 (1.1)  | 1.5 (0.2) | 1.4 (0.2)  | 1.4 (0.2) | 1.4 (0.2)  | 1.4 (0.2) |
|             | North Carolina*                        |      | 3.4 (1.0)  | 7.1 (2.0)  | 0.7 (2.6)  | -5.3 (2.6)  | -5.9 (1.8)                                       | 2.7 (0.9) | 1.6 (0.2)                              | 1.6 (0.2) | 2.7 (0.9)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.6 (0.2)  | 1.6 (0.2) | 1.6 (0.2)  | 1.6 (0.2) |
|             | <b>Partners</b>                        |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | <b>Colombia</b>                        |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Bogotá                                 |      | 0.2 (1.1)  | 3.0 (2.8)  | 2.2 (3.4)  | -4.6 (3.0)  | -0.7 (1.0)                                       | 1.0 (0.2) | 1.1 (0.1)                              | 1.5 (1.1) | 1.0 (0.2)  | 1.1 (0.1) | 1.5 (1.1)  | 1.5 (1.1) | 1.5 (1.1)  | 1.5 (1.1) |
|             | Cali                                   |      | 2.1 (2.0)  | -0.8 (3.4) | -1.1 (3.5)                                       | -0.3 (2.1)  | 0.0 (0.5)  | 1.3 (0.3) | 1.0 (0.1)                              | 1.6 (3.9) | 1.3 (0.3)  | 1.0 (0.1) | 1.6 (3.9)  | 1.6 (3.9) | 1.6 (3.9)  | 1.6 (3.9) |
|             | Manizales                              |      | 2.4 (1.9)  | 2.0 (4.0)  | -4.6 (3.5)                                       | 0.1 (2.5)   | 0.2 (0.6)  | 1.4 (0.4) | 0.8 (1.0)                              | 1.0 (1.0) | 1.4 (0.4)  | 1.1 (0.1) | 0.8 (1.0)  | 0.8 (1.0) | 0.8 (1.0)  | 0.8 (1.0) |
|             | Medellín                               |      | 0.7 (1.8)  | 4.1 (3.0)  | -2.4 (3.5)                                       | -2.7 (2.5)  | 0.3 (0.9)  | 1.1 (0.3) | 0.9 (1.1)                              | 0.9 (1.1) | 1.1 (0.3)  | 1.1 (0.1) | 0.9 (1.1)  | 0.9 (1.1) | 0.9 (1.1)  | 0.9 (1.1) |
|             | <b>United Arab Emirates</b>            |      |  |            |  |             |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |  |           |
|             | Abu Dhabi*                             |      | 12.2 (2.6)                                       | 4.5 (2.7)  | -12.2 (2.7)                                      | -4.1 (2.0)  | -0.4 (0.4)                                       | 2.0 (0.3) | 1.3 (0.1)                              | 1.8 (1.3) | 2.0 (0.3)  | 1.3 (0.1) | 1.8 (1.3)  | 1.8 (1.3) | 1.8 (1.3)  | 1.8 (1.3) |
|             | Ajman                                  |      | 20.5 (4.7)                                       | 12.3 (5.6) | -21.9 (6.1)                                      | -10.2 (2.7) | -0.8 (0.7)                                       | 2.8 (1.0) | 1.7 (0.2)                              | m         | 2.8 (1.0)  | 1.7 (0.2) | m  | m         | m  | m         |
|             | Dubai*                                 |      | 8.1 (1.1)  | 5.8 (2.1)  | -7.0 (1.8)                                       | -6.0 (1.7)  | -0.8 (0.9)                                       | 2.6 (0.3) | 1.5 (0.1)                              | 1.2 (0.2) | 2.6 (0.3)  | 1.5 (0.1) | 1.2 (0.2)  | 1.2 (0.2) | 1.2 (0.2)  | 1.2 (0.2) |
|             | Fujairah                               |      | 25.8 (5.3)                                       | -2.5 (5.3) | -17.4 (4.4)                                      | -4.9 (2.8)  | -1.0 (0.7)                                       | 3.2 (0.8) | 1.4 (0.1)                              | m         | 3.2 (0.8)  | 1.4 (0.1) | m  | m         | m  | m         |
|             | Ras Al Khaimah                         |      | 20.2 (4.8)                                       | 7.1 (6.0)  | -19.8 (4.4)                                      | -6.9 (2.3)  | -0.5 (0.8)                                       | 2.4 (0.5) | 1.5 (0.1)                              | 3.1 (6.0) | 2.4 (0.5)  | 1.5 (0.1) | 3.1 (6.0)  | 3.1 (6.0) | 3.1 (6.0)  | 3.1 (6.0) |
|             | Sharjah                                |      | 16.4 (4.4)                                       | 1.9 (5.5)  | -13.1 (5.0)                                      | -5.4 (3.7)  | 0.2 (0.8)  | 3.1 (1.1) | 1.4 (0.2)                              | m         | 3.1 (1.1)  | 1.4 (0.2) | m  | m         | m  | m         |
|             | Umm Al Quwain                          |      | 20.7 (5.6)                                       | 0.4 (6.0)  | -14.1 (4.7)                                      | -6.8 (2.1)  | -0.2 (0.5)                                       | 2.5 (0.8) | 1.3 (0.1)                              | m         | 2.5 (0.8)  | 1.3 (0.1) | m  | m         | m  | m         |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

See Table V.4.2 for national data.

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**Table B2.V.16 Mean score and variation in collaborative problem-solving performance, by gender**

|                            | Boys                        |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|--------------------|-------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                            | Mean score                  |        | Standard deviation |       | Percentiles |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                            |                             |        |                    |       | 5th         |        | 10th   |        | 25th   |        | Median (50th) |        | 75th   |        | 90th   |        | 95th   |        |        |
|                            | Mean                        | S.E.   | S.D.               | S.E.  | Score       | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.   | Score         | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.   | Score  | S.E.   |        |        |        |
| <b>OECD</b>                | <b>Belgium</b>              |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                            | Flemish community*          | 506    | (3.4)              | 96    | (2.4)       | 342    | (7.0)  | 377    | (6.2)  | 442    | (5.3)         | 511    | (3.6)  | 575    | (3.8)  | 627    | (5.0)  | 655    | (5.5)  |
|                            | French community            | 467    | (5.1)              | 98    | (2.5)       | 306    | (8.2)  | 339    | (6.6)  | 398    | (6.8)         | 469    | (6.1)  | 537    | (5.7)  | 592    | (6.2)  | 623    | (6.9)  |
|                            | German-speaking community   | 480    | (7.2)              | 83    | (5.0)       | 343    | (13.4) | 368    | (10.1) | 417    | (9.4)         | 483    | (11.1) | 542    | (10.1) | 583    | (13.3) | 610    | (19.3) |
|                            | <b>Canada</b>               |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                            | Alberta                     | 522    | (6.6)              | 104   | (3.4)       | 346    | (11.1) | 382    | (10.9) | 451    | (7.8)         | 527    | (8.3)  | 593    | (8.2)  | 654    | (9.6)  | 689    | (10.8) |
|                            | British Columbia            | 541    | (7.4)              | 108   | (4.2)       | 354    | (14.5) | 395    | (13.0) | 469    | (10.4)        | 546    | (9.7)  | 615    | (8.1)  | 674    | (9.4)  | 710    | (14.1) |
|                            | Manitoba                    | 498    | (6.5)              | 102   | (3.5)       | 334    | (11.6) | 368    | (8.9)  | 428    | (9.2)         | 497    | (7.0)  | 567    | (10.2) | 634    | (12.2) | 669    | (10.7) |
|                            | New Brunswick               | 499    | (6.6)              | 104   | (4.0)       | 328    | (12.1) | 362    | (9.5)  | 426    | (9.2)         | 501    | (10.3) | 573    | (9.2)  | 633    | (10.7) | 665    | (11.0) |
|                            | Newfoundland and Labrador   | 505    | (6.4)              | 103   | (3.9)       | 333    | (13.0) | 371    | (11.3) | 436    | (7.8)         | 506    | (10.2) | 576    | (9.6)  | 638    | (11.2) | 672    | (11.5) |
| Nova Scotia                | 511                         | (6.2)  | 103                | (3.4) | 341         | (10.4) | 373    | (9.3)  | 438    | (9.3)  | 514           | (8.7)  | 585    | (9.1)  | 644    | (9.9)  | 677    | (12.7) |        |
| Ontario                    | 510                         | (4.8)  | 104                | (2.2) | 338         | (6.3)  | 374    | (6.1)  | 437    | (7.0)  | 512           | (6.2)  | 584    | (6.2)  | 645    | (7.3)  | 680    | (8.6)  |        |
| Prince Edward Island       | 499                         | (9.0)  | 100                | (6.5) | 337         | (23.1) | 365    | (16.9) | 431    | (16.7) | 503           | (17.1) | 568    | (15.6) | 621    | (15.0) | 656    | (35.1) |        |
| Quebec                     | 521                         | (5.1)  | 100                | (3.3) | 347         | (9.4)  | 387    | (8.0)  | 455    | (7.6)  | 526           | (6.4)  | 591    | (7.1)  | 647    | (7.5)  | 681    | (9.8)  |        |
| Saskatchewan               | 489                         | (5.2)  | 102                | (3.5) | 325         | (10.7) | 358    | (9.5)  | 414    | (6.1)  | 487           | (6.3)  | 563    | (8.2)  | 621    | (9.5)  | 655    | (9.9)  |        |
| <b>Italy</b>               |                             |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Bolzano                    | 502                         | (7.3)  | 91                 | (2.7) | 349         | (8.5)  | 381    | (9.1)  | 438    | (9.0)  | 505           | (7.8)  | 569    | (8.8)  | 617    | (9.5)  | 645    | (10.7) |        |
| Campania                   | 432                         | (6.0)  | 92                 | (3.1) | 288         | (10.7) | 316    | (9.4)  | 365    | (7.5)  | 430           | (6.9)  | 493    | (7.6)  | 555    | (8.8)  | 590    | (11.1) |        |
| Lombardia                  | 487                         | (7.2)  | 94                 | (3.7) | 325         | (14.6) | 362    | (12.8) | 421    | (9.9)  | 490           | (8.1)  | 554    | (8.7)  | 606    | (9.1)  | 637    | (10.0) |        |
| Trento                     | 488                         | (3.6)  | 85                 | (3.0) | 345         | (9.9)  | 376    | (7.7)  | 431    | (4.9)  | 492           | (5.8)  | 547    | (6.7)  | 595    | (6.9)  | 625    | (10.3) |        |
| <b>Portugal</b>            |                             |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores | 460                         | (3.3)  | 89                 | (3.1) | 322         | (7.9)  | 349    | (7.2)  | 394    | (5.1)  | 458           | (6.0)  | 524    | (7.0)  | 578    | (10.4) | 608    | (10.1) |        |
| <b>Spain</b>               |                             |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Andalusia*                 | 471                         | (5.1)  | 96                 | (3.0) | 312         | (10.8) | 346    | (8.3)  | 406    | (7.2)  | 471           | (5.4)  | 540    | (7.4)  | 595    | (7.4)  | 625    | (8.3)  |        |
| Aragon*                    | 487                         | (6.2)  | 93                 | (3.1) | 330         | (8.6)  | 363    | (9.8)  | 423    | (7.7)  | 489           | (7.0)  | 553    | (7.9)  | 606    | (9.3)  | 636    | (9.5)  |        |
| Asturias*                  | 483                         | (11.2) | 95                 | (3.1) | 324         | (14.3) | 356    | (13.0) | 418    | (12.0) | 487           | (10.5) | 547    | (11.3) | 604    | (11.9) | 637    | (15.3) |        |
| Balearic Islands*          | 474                         | (6.2)  | 92                 | (2.8) | 323         | (10.0) | 356    | (8.1)  | 411    | (7.1)  | 474           | (6.9)  | 539    | (8.1)  | 596    | (9.0)  | 625    | (10.1) |        |
| Basque Country*            | 470                         | (5.2)  | 93                 | (2.1) | 317         | (7.4)  | 346    | (7.1)  | 403    | (6.5)  | 472           | (7.7)  | 537    | (4.9)  | 590    | (5.0)  | 618    | (6.0)  |        |
| Canary Islands*            | 473                         | (5.0)  | 95                 | (2.8) | 316         | (9.4)  | 348    | (9.1)  | 408    | (6.5)  | 475           | (5.9)  | 541    | (5.8)  | 595    | (8.0)  | 625    | (7.9)  |        |
| Cantabria*                 | 470                         | (8.2)  | 90                 | (3.0) | 325         | (11.6) | 355    | (8.2)  | 406    | (10.6) | 472           | (9.0)  | 534    | (7.7)  | 585    | (11.2) | 615    | (14.0) |        |
| Castile and Leon*          | 501                         | (4.6)  | 90                 | (2.5) | 351         | (8.4)  | 383    | (8.2)  | 441    | (6.4)  | 504           | (5.2)  | 564    | (7.3)  | 616    | (6.7)  | 646    | (8.1)  |        |
| Castile-La Mancha*         | 484                         | (5.3)  | 91                 | (2.9) | 332         | (9.5)  | 365    | (7.1)  | 423    | (6.9)  | 487           | (6.7)  | 547    | (6.5)  | 601    | (7.6)  | 630    | (8.2)  |        |
| Catalonia*                 | 493                         | (6.5)  | 94                 | (2.7) | 336         | (10.4) | 369    | (9.1)  | 428    | (8.9)  | 495           | (8.1)  | 561    | (7.8)  | 615    | (7.7)  | 645    | (8.0)  |        |
| Comunidad Valenciana*      | 480                         | (4.5)  | 90                 | (3.1) | 330         | (8.7)  | 360    | (7.8)  | 418    | (6.4)  | 482           | (6.5)  | 545    | (5.8)  | 595    | (8.0)  | 625    | (10.9) |        |
| Extremadura*               | 459                         | (5.4)  | 94                 | (2.4) | 308         | (9.7)  | 336    | (8.0)  | 393    | (7.5)  | 461           | (6.7)  | 526    | (7.3)  | 579    | (7.7)  | 611    | (8.5)  |        |
| Galicia*                   | 479                         | (6.5)  | 94                 | (2.8) | 325         | (10.5) | 358    | (7.8)  | 412    | (7.9)  | 480           | (7.5)  | 545    | (8.2)  | 599    | (8.4)  | 628    | (9.0)  |        |
| La Rioja*                  | 480                         | (10.0) | 93                 | (3.2) | 326         | (11.4) | 357    | (10.6) | 414    | (11.1) | 482           | (11.1) | 547    | (10.9) | 598    | (12.3) | 630    | (16.3) |        |
| Madrid*                    | 509                         | (4.3)  | 90                 | (3.4) | 353         | (11.6) | 388    | (10.1) | 450    | (6.5)  | 513           | (5.5)  | 572    | (6.9)  | 622    | (7.1)  | 649    | (7.8)  |        |
| Murcia*                    | 473                         | (6.2)  | 92                 | (2.9) | 323         | (11.3) | 353    | (9.3)  | 408    | (7.4)  | 474           | (7.2)  | 537    | (6.2)  | 590    | (7.4)  | 622    | (9.4)  |        |
| Navarre*                   | 493                         | (6.9)  | 91                 | (2.6) | 340         | (9.4)  | 372    | (9.5)  | 432    | (8.2)  | 495           | (7.4)  | 556    | (8.6)  | 609    | (10.2) | 639    | (9.1)  |        |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>      |                             |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| England                    | 504                         | (3.7)  | 103                | (1.9) | 334         | (6.0)  | 370    | (5.9)  | 433    | (4.8)  | 505           | (4.9)  | 575    | (4.3)  | 638    | (6.3)  | 672    | (5.8)  |        |
| Northern Ireland           | 500                         | (4.2)  | 89                 | (2.5) | 354         | (7.5)  | 385    | (6.1)  | 438    | (5.3)  | 502           | (5.0)  | 564    | (6.2)  | 615    | (8.0)  | 642    | (7.6)  |        |
| Scotland*                  | 497                         | (3.4)  | 98                 | (2.3) | 337         | (6.8)  | 369    | (5.4)  | 427    | (4.8)  | 498           | (3.6)  | 566    | (4.8)  | 625    | (5.6)  | 656    | (7.4)  |        |
| Wales                      | 485                         | (3.8)  | 90                 | (1.7) | 339         | (6.2)  | 367    | (5.4)  | 422    | (5.9)  | 486           | (5.0)  | 548    | (4.6)  | 602    | (4.6)  | 631    | (5.8)  |        |
| <b>United States</b>       |                             |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Massachusetts*             | 536                         | (6.4)  | 107                | (3.4) | 352         | (10.9) | 392    | (11.0) | 464    | (8.4)  | 539           | (7.8)  | 611    | (7.7)  | 675    | (10.2) | 707    | (11.1) |        |
| North Carolina*            | 509                         | (5.2)  | 106                | (3.3) | 336         | (7.7)  | 369    | (7.7)  | 432    | (7.7)  | 511           | (7.2)  | 586    | (7.0)  | 645    | (8.5)  | 678    | (10.4) |        |
| <b>Partners</b>            | <b>Colombia</b>             |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                            | Bogotá                      | 469    | (5.6)              | 80    | (3.1)       | 340    | (7.8)  | 365    | (7.6)  | 413    | (6.8)         | 469    | (6.8)  | 523    | (7.4)  | 573    | (8.3)  | 600    | (10.0) |
|                            | Cali                        | 439    | (5.1)              | 79    | (2.7)       | 313    | (7.8)  | 338    | (7.2)  | 383    | (5.9)         | 436    | (6.6)  | 493    | (7.2)  | 544    | (8.3)  | 574    | (10.2) |
|                            | Manizales                   | 448    | (4.6)              | 80    | (3.0)       | 321    | (8.7)  | 347    | (6.1)  | 391    | (5.1)         | 446    | (5.5)  | 502    | (6.8)  | 553    | (9.9)  | 582    | (12.8) |
|                            | Medellín                    | 449    | (5.6)              | 79    | (3.3)       | 323    | (9.1)  | 348    | (7.7)  | 392    | (6.0)         | 446    | (5.9)  | 502    | (6.9)  | 552    | (10.5) | 582    | (12.8) |
|                            | <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |        |                    |       |             |        |        |        |        |        |               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|                            | Abu Dhabi*                  | 404    | (5.8)              | 87    | (3.0)       | 275    | (6.2)  | 300    | (5.6)  | 342    | (4.7)         | 396    | (6.8)  | 460    | (8.5)  | 524    | (9.8)  | 560    | (10.8) |
|                            | Ajman                       | 377    | (6.4)              | 76    | (3.5)       | 257    | (14.1) | 283    | (12.2) | 326    | (6.1)         | 373    | (6.6)  | 424    | (7.8)  | 478    | (10.3) | 511    | (12.3) |
|                            | Dubai*                      | 462    | (3.0)              | 105   | (2.7)       | 296    | (5.6)  | 326    | (4.8)  | 383    | (3.1)         | 462    | (3.7)  | 540    | (5.1)  | 600    | (6.2)  | 633    | (7.9)  |
|                            | Fujairah                    | 372    | (6.9)              | 79    | (4.4)       | 255    | (12.4) | 279    | (11.6) | 317    | (9.2)         | 364    | (7.1)  | 420    | (10.1) | 479    | (13.6) | 515    | (15.7) |
| Ras Al Khaimah             | 370                         | (8.6)  | 75                 | (6.1) | 253         | (13.0) | 279    | (12.6) | 321    | (10.0) | 366           | (8.7)  | 415    | (9.6)  | 465    | (15.1) | 497    | (19.0) |        |
| Sharjah                    | 406                         | (11.1) | 92                 | (4.4) | 265         | (17.2) | 292    | (12.5) | 341    | (11.4) | 402           | (14.9) | 467    | (13.5) | 530    | (16.5) | 567    | (18.4) |        |
| Umm Al Quwain              | 368                         | (9.1)  | 67                 | (5.1) | 263         | (17.9) | 284    | (13.7) | 321    | (10.7) | 364           | (11.2) | 412    | (12.5) | 457    | (10.8) | 489    | (19.9) |        |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

See Table V.4.3a for national data.

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**Table B2.V.16 Mean score and variation in collaborative problem-solving performance, by gender**

|             | Girls                       |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|-------------|-----------------------------|------|--------------------|--------|-------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|--------|---------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------|------|--------|-----|--------|
|             | Mean score                  |      | Standard deviation |        | Percentiles |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             |                             |      |                    |        | 5th         |       | 10th  |        | 25th  |        | Median (50th) |        | 75th  |        | 90th  |        | 95th |        |     |        |
|             | Mean                        | S.E. | S.D.               | S.E.   | Score       | S.E.  | Score | S.E.   | Score | S.E.   | Score         | S.E.   | Score | S.E.   | Score | S.E.   |      |        |     |        |
| <b>OECD</b> | <b>Belgium</b>              |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Flemish community*          |      | 532                | (3.7)  | 96          | (2.4) | 363   | (6.9)  | 400   | (6.5)  | 469           | (5.5)  | 539   | (3.9)  | 601   | (4.1)  | 650  | (5.5)  | 677 | (6.8)  |
|             | French community            |      | 491                | (4.3)  | 94          | (2.5) | 333   | (8.4)  | 367   | (6.6)  | 428           | (6.8)  | 495   | (5.2)  | 558   | (5.1)  | 610  | (5.5)  | 639 | (6.2)  |
|             | German-speaking community   |      | 506                | (7.8)  | 76          | (5.1) | 381   | (16.5) | 411   | (12.5) | 457           | (10.0) | 505   | (9.8)  | 557   | (14.1) | 604  | (14.3) | 631 | (17.4) |
|             | <b>Canada</b>               |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Alberta                     |      | 563                | (6.1)  | 103         | (3.5) | 386   | (13.0) | 426   | (11.8) | 494           | (8.5)  | 567   | (7.2)  | 635   | (6.9)  | 693  | (9.0)  | 729 | (11.3) |
|             | British Columbia            |      | 581                | (6.1)  | 97          | (3.0) | 417   | (12.4) | 456   | (11.4) | 519           | (7.6)  | 581   | (6.5)  | 647   | (8.1)  | 705  | (9.1)  | 741 | (11.9) |
|             | Manitoba                    |      | 540                | (6.6)  | 104         | (3.6) | 360   | (16.1) | 400   | (12.3) | 471           | (8.6)  | 544   | (7.1)  | 613   | (7.9)  | 672  | (9.8)  | 709 | (12.1) |
|             | New Brunswick               |      | 536                | (6.3)  | 94          | (3.1) | 380   | (10.1) | 416   | (8.7)  | 475           | (7.8)  | 535   | (6.5)  | 599   | (8.5)  | 656  | (10.6) | 689 | (11.6) |
|             | Newfoundland and Labrador   |      | 537                | (5.0)  | 95          | (3.5) | 377   | (13.1) | 413   | (10.2) | 475           | (8.8)  | 540   | (7.1)  | 602   | (6.9)  | 657  | (8.7)  | 689 | (11.9) |
|             | Nova Scotia                 |      | 555                | (5.2)  | 100         | (5.0) | 384   | (13.5) | 424   | (12.2) | 487           | (7.7)  | 557   | (6.9)  | 623   | (7.7)  | 682  | (11.1) | 714 | (13.1) |
|             | Ontario                     |      | 554                | (4.8)  | 102         | (2.5) | 381   | (9.3)  | 420   | (7.6)  | 486           | (5.7)  | 556   | (6.0)  | 625   | (6.0)  | 683  | (9.1)  | 720 | (7.9)  |
|             | Prince Edward Island        |      | 560                | (8.0)  | 89          | (6.3) | 411   | (15.8) | 443   | (15.0) | 500           | (13.3) | 560   | (10.8) | 618   | (12.5) | 675  | (19.4) | 707 | (31.4) |
|             | Quebec                      |      | 545                | (5.6)  | 94          | (2.5) | 382   | (9.6)  | 422   | (9.0)  | 485           | (7.4)  | 550   | (6.5)  | 610   | (5.9)  | 662  | (7.7)  | 694 | (9.3)  |
|             | Saskatchewan                |      | 530                | (4.5)  | 95          | (3.1) | 373   | (13.5) | 406   | (9.6)  | 463           | (6.8)  | 531   | (6.4)  | 594   | (5.5)  | 655  | (8.2)  | 690 | (9.9)  |
|             | <b>Italy</b>                |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Bolzano                     |      | 522                | (8.4)  | 85          | (3.0) | 378   | (9.5)  | 411   | (8.4)  | 465           | (8.3)  | 524   | (8.5)  | 581   | (10.6) | 630  | (13.1) | 659 | (14.2) |
|             | Campania                    |      | 455                | (6.5)  | 92          | (4.4) | 312   | (13.3) | 342   | (8.6)  | 392           | (7.3)  | 451   | (8.0)  | 516   | (9.0)  | 576  | (11.6) | 611 | (12.9) |
|             | Lombardia                   |      | 509                | (7.6)  | 89          | (3.1) | 361   | (12.2) | 393   | (10.9) | 447           | (9.1)  | 510   | (9.0)  | 571   | (8.8)  | 623  | (8.8)  | 653 | (9.4)  |
|             | Trento                      |      | 510                | (3.6)  | 85          | (2.6) | 362   | (7.4)  | 395   | (7.5)  | 457           | (5.0)  | 515   | (5.1)  | 567   | (5.3)  | 615  | (7.8)  | 643 | (8.9)  |
|             | <b>Portugal</b>             |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Região Autónoma dos Açores  |      | 473                | (4.1)  | 86          | (2.8) | 332   | (8.6)  | 359   | (7.1)  | 414           | (6.8)  | 474   | (5.6)  | 532   | (5.2)  | 581  | (8.1)  | 611 | (9.3)  |
|             | <b>Spain</b>                |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Andalusia*                  |      | 493                | (5.2)  | 92          | (2.6) | 334   | (12.4) | 374   | (9.6)  | 432           | (7.5)  | 497   | (6.8)  | 558   | (6.1)  | 610  | (7.0)  | 636 | (9.0)  |
|             | Aragon                      |      | 514                | (7.1)  | 87          | (2.8) | 365   | (12.0) | 401   | (8.0)  | 456           | (8.2)  | 518   | (8.5)  | 574   | (7.2)  | 624  | (9.8)  | 653 | (10.6) |
|             | Asturias*                   |      | 509                | (10.6) | 88          | (2.7) | 356   | (14.0) | 391   | (13.9) | 450           | (11.7) | 514   | (10.7) | 571   | (11.1) | 619  | (11.7) | 643 | (12.6) |
|             | Balearic Islands*           |      | 503                | (6.2)  | 87          | (3.0) | 355   | (10.8) | 388   | (7.4)  | 445           | (6.0)  | 506   | (6.8)  | 564   | (8.6)  | 613  | (8.7)  | 640 | (8.8)  |
|             | Basque Country*             |      | 498                | (5.3)  | 86          | (2.0) | 354   | (7.3)  | 385   | (5.8)  | 440           | (5.6)  | 499   | (6.1)  | 558   | (6.9)  | 607  | (7.0)  | 636 | (7.7)  |
|             | Canary Islands*             |      | 496                | (6.0)  | 88          | (2.6) | 349   | (10.8) | 380   | (8.2)  | 435           | (7.1)  | 497   | (6.7)  | 559   | (6.4)  | 609  | (8.2)  | 639 | (8.8)  |
|             | Cantabria*                  |      | 499                | (8.7)  | 86          | (3.0) | 355   | (9.7)  | 384   | (10.3) | 438           | (9.8)  | 503   | (9.4)  | 560   | (9.4)  | 609  | (10.6) | 636 | (12.5) |
|             | Castile and Leon*           |      | 532                | (4.6)  | 84          | (2.4) | 389   | (8.3)  | 424   | (9.5)  | 477           | (7.6)  | 535   | (5.5)  | 589   | (5.5)  | 639  | (5.8)  | 666 | (7.5)  |
|             | Castile-La Mancha*          |      | 509                | (5.0)  | 85          | (2.4) | 365   | (9.0)  | 399   | (9.4)  | 452           | (6.5)  | 511   | (5.2)  | 569   | (6.3)  | 617  | (8.4)  | 645 | (8.6)  |
|             | Catalonia*                  |      | 518                | (5.0)  | 92          | (2.8) | 354   | (11.3) | 395   | (10.3) | 459           | (7.1)  | 523   | (6.2)  | 582   | (6.0)  | 633  | (8.2)  | 662 | (9.6)  |
|             | Comunidad Valenciana*       |      | 505                | (5.2)  | 86          | (3.2) | 364   | (11.7) | 396   | (8.3)  | 446           | (7.3)  | 507   | (6.2)  | 564   | (7.0)  | 615  | (7.2)  | 644 | (8.4)  |
|             | Extremadura*                |      | 491                | (5.2)  | 87          | (3.0) | 348   | (10.5) | 378   | (8.3)  | 430           | (5.9)  | 493   | (5.7)  | 553   | (8.0)  | 604  | (8.8)  | 634 | (9.0)  |
|             | Galicia*                    |      | 509                | (6.2)  | 86          | (3.1) | 361   | (12.3) | 394   | (10.7) | 453           | (8.5)  | 514   | (6.4)  | 570   | (6.8)  | 616  | (7.9)  | 645 | (9.0)  |
|             | La Rioja*                   |      | 511                | (9.1)  | 92          | (3.4) | 349   | (12.2) | 387   | (12.6) | 451           | (10.8) | 516   | (9.6)  | 574   | (10.2) | 624  | (12.9) | 653 | (16.1) |
|             | Madrid*                     |      | 529                | (4.4)  | 89          | (2.5) | 370   | (10.3) | 411   | (8.9)  | 474           | (5.6)  | 535   | (5.1)  | 590   | (5.9)  | 639  | (6.1)  | 666 | (7.8)  |
|             | Murcia*                     |      | 500                | (4.7)  | 87          | (2.8) | 351   | (9.6)  | 385   | (8.2)  | 443           | (7.3)  | 504   | (5.9)  | 562   | (6.1)  | 610  | (6.4)  | 637 | (7.2)  |
|             | Navarre*                    |      | 518                | (7.0)  | 85          | (3.3) | 375   | (13.1) | 408   | (10.2) | 463           | (8.4)  | 520   | (8.3)  | 578   | (7.7)  | 625  | (8.2)  | 651 | (9.8)  |
|             | <b>United Kingdom</b>       |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | England                     |      | 539                | (3.8)  | 103         | (1.9) | 365   | (6.8)  | 404   | (6.2)  | 470           | (5.1)  | 542   | (4.3)  | 610   | (4.3)  | 668  | (5.3)  | 704 | (6.2)  |
|             | Northern Ireland            |      | 528                | (4.8)  | 85          | (2.4) | 385   | (9.8)  | 414   | (8.6)  | 470           | (8.0)  | 531   | (5.0)  | 589   | (5.6)  | 634  | (5.4)  | 663 | (6.1)  |
|             | Scotland*                   |      | 530                | (3.0)  | 98          | (2.2) | 362   | (8.6)  | 399   | (6.1)  | 465           | (4.9)  | 536   | (4.2)  | 599   | (4.4)  | 651  | (4.2)  | 682 | (5.3)  |
|             | Wales                       |      | 508                | (4.0)  | 87          | (2.3) | 364   | (6.1)  | 394   | (5.7)  | 448           | (5.0)  | 510   | (5.1)  | 568   | (5.0)  | 619  | (5.3)  | 648 | (8.7)  |
|             | <b>United States</b>        |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Massachusetts*              |      | 562                | (7.8)  | 101         | (3.5) | 389   | (12.6) | 427   | (12.6) | 492           | (10.1) | 567   | (9.4)  | 634   | (8.6)  | 688  | (10.2) | 720 | (10.9) |
|             | North Carolina*             |      | 540                | (6.3)  | 99          | (2.5) | 375   | (7.4)  | 409   | (7.6)  | 469           | (7.9)  | 543   | (8.8)  | 613   | (7.2)  | 667  | (8.0)  | 697 | (8.3)  |
|             | <b>Partners</b>             |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | <b>Colombia</b>             |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Bogotá                      |      | 478                | (5.6)  | 83          | (3.5) | 339   | (8.3)  | 372   | (6.2)  | 421           | (6.7)  | 479   | (6.6)  | 537   | (8.9)  | 586  | (9.8)  | 615 | (11.9) |
|             | Cali                        |      | 442                | (5.3)  | 77          | (2.2) | 321   | (7.2)  | 345   | (6.1)  | 389           | (6.3)  | 438   | (6.3)  | 494   | (8.1)  | 545  | (8.2)  | 574 | (8.5)  |
|             | Manizales                   |      | 455                | (5.3)  | 75          | (2.8) | 335   | (8.3)  | 359   | (6.2)  | 401           | (5.7)  | 454   | (6.1)  | 506   | (7.4)  | 550  | (8.6)  | 578 | (10.6) |
|             | Medellín                    |      | 457                | (5.0)  | 80          | (2.5) | 326   | (8.2)  | 353   | (7.0)  | 401           | (6.4)  | 457   | (6.6)  | 513   | (5.5)  | 561  | (7.7)  | 590 | (8.8)  |
|             | <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |      |                    |        |             |       |       |        |       |        |               |        |       |        |       |        |      |        |     |        |
|             | Abu Dhabi*                  |      | 439                | (5.7)  | 85          | (2.5) | 305   | (7.7)  | 332   | (6.4)  | 378           | (6.3)  | 437   | (6.7)  | 497   | (6.9)  | 551  | (7.8)  | 582 | (8.9)  |
|             | Ajman                       |      | 444                | (10.7) | 84          | (5.9) | 307   | (18.4) | 334   | (15.7) | 384           | (16.4) | 445   | (13.3) | 503   | (9.6)  | 554  | (10.9) | 579 | (12.4) |
|             | Dubai*                      |      | 492                | (2.8)  | 93          | (1.8) | 338   | (4.5)  | 369   | (3.8)  | 428           | (4.0)  | 493   | (3.7)  | 558   | (4.4)  | 611  | (5.2)  | 641 | (4.6)  |
|             | Fujairah                    |      | 430                | (10.6) | 80          | (5.5) | 310   | (10.5) | 334   | (10.2) | 372           | (9.8)  | 424   | (10.5) | 483   | (15.3) | 533  | (15.6) | 563 | (20.7) |
|             | Ras Al Khaimah              |      | 427                | (11.2) | 83          | (5.3) | 300   | (12.0) | 326   | (10.7) | 366           | (10.9) | 424   | (13.1) | 483   | (13.9) | 536  | (18.5) | 569 | (18.9) |
|             | Sharjah                     |      | 449                | (10.4) | 79          | (3.9) | 322   | (12.7) | 347   | (11.3) | 394           | (10.5) | 448   | (12.3) | 507   | (14.7) | 553  | (12.9) | 579 | (15.2) |
|             | Umm Al Quwain               |      | 420                | (7.0)  | 78          | (4.8) | 298   | (15.0) | 324   | (15.1) | 366           | (11.1) | 416   | (8.4)  | 469   | (11.0) | 525  | (14.4) | 560 | (16.3) |

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Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

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Table B2.V.16 Mean score and variation in collaborative problem-solving performance, by gender

|                             | Gender difference (boys – girls) |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|--------|--------------------|-------|-------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|---------------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------|------|--------|
|                             | Mean score                       |        | Standard deviation |       | Percentiles |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
|                             |                                  |        |                    |       | 5th         |        | 10th       |        | 25th       |        | Median (50th) |        | 75th       |        | 90th       |        | 95th |        |
|                             | Score dif.                       | S.E.   | S.D. dif.          | S.E.  | Score dif.  | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif.    | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   | Score dif. | S.E.   |      |        |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| <b>Belgium</b>              |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Flemish community*          | -26                              | (4.4)  | 0                  | (2.8) | -21         | (8.5)  | -23        | (7.1)  | -28        | (6.5)  | -28           | (5.0)  | -26        | (5.3)  | -23        | (6.7)  | -22  | (8.2)  |
| French community            | -24                              | (4.6)  | 4                  | (2.9) | -27         | (9.3)  | -27        | (7.3)  | -30        | (7.6)  | -26           | (6.4)  | -21        | (6.1)  | -18        | (6.4)  | -16  | (7.8)  |
| German-speaking community   | -26                              | (8.2)  | 7                  | (7.4) | -38         | (20.3) | -43        | (15.7) | -40        | (12.8) | -22           | (13.5) | -15        | (15.1) | -21        | (16.4) | -21  | (25.6) |
| <b>Canada</b>               |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Alberta                     | -42                              | (5.4)  | 0                  | (4.5) | -40         | (14.9) | -44        | (13.6) | -43        | (8.2)  | -40           | (8.0)  | -42        | (7.8)  | -39        | (10.6) | -39  | (13.1) |
| British Columbia            | -41                              | (6.5)  | 11                 | (4.5) | -62         | (17.5) | -60        | (13.8) | -51        | (9.8)  | -35           | (9.5)  | -31        | (9.5)  | -31        | (11.6) | -31  | (17.3) |
| Manitoba                    | -42                              | (6.7)  | -2                 | (4.5) | -26         | (15.7) | -32        | (13.7) | -43        | (11.1) | -47           | (9.3)  | -45        | (9.7)  | -37        | (13.5) | -39  | (15.5) |
| New Brunswick               | -37                              | (7.4)  | 10                 | (4.7) | -52         | (14.8) | -53        | (12.0) | -49        | (10.8) | -34           | (10.5) | -26        | (11.6) | -24        | (14.2) | -23  | (15.1) |
| Newfoundland and Labrador   | -32                              | (7.2)  | 8                  | (5.7) | -44         | (17.9) | -42        | (14.5) | -39        | (11.8) | -34           | (11.3) | -26        | (12.2) | -19        | (13.7) | -17  | (15.9) |
| Nova Scotia                 | -44                              | (6.6)  | 3                  | (6.0) | -43         | (17.7) | -51        | (14.9) | -49        | (10.1) | -43           | (9.2)  | -37        | (10.7) | -38        | (13.0) | -37  | (14.9) |
| Ontario                     | -44                              | (4.3)  | 2                  | (2.9) | -43         | (10.2) | -46        | (8.8)  | -48        | (6.8)  | -44           | (6.7)  | -40        | (7.3)  | -39        | (8.6)  | -40  | (9.2)  |
| Prince Edward Island        | -61                              | (12.4) | 12                 | (9.4) | -74         | (27.0) | -78        | (21.9) | -70        | (22.6) | -57           | (21.8) | -50        | (19.3) | -54        | (24.4) | -52  | (49.1) |
| Quebec                      | -24                              | (5.5)  | 6                  | (3.5) | -34         | (12.5) | -36        | (11.2) | -30        | (8.4)  | -24           | (7.4)  | -18        | (7.3)  | -15        | (8.4)  | -14  | (12.0) |
| Saskatchewan                | -41                              | (6.3)  | 7                  | (4.6) | -48         | (17.2) | -48        | (15.4) | -50        | (8.4)  | -43           | (8.1)  | -31        | (9.7)  | -34        | (12.5) | -35  | (14.8) |
| <b>Italy</b>                |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Bolzano                     | -20                              | (5.9)  | 6                  | (3.8) | -29         | (10.2) | -30        | (8.6)  | -27        | (9.0)  | -19           | (7.9)  | -12        | (8.6)  | -13        | (11.2) | -14  | (14.2) |
| Campania                    | -23                              | (6.4)  | 1                  | (4.4) | -24         | (13.9) | -26        | (11.2) | -26        | (9.7)  | -21           | (8.4)  | -22        | (9.5)  | -21        | (11.1) | -21  | (13.6) |
| Lombardia                   | -22                              | (9.6)  | 5                  | (4.5) | -37         | (18.4) | -31        | (17.0) | -25        | (13.5) | -20           | (11.6) | -17        | (10.2) | -18        | (10.3) | -17  | (11.8) |
| Trento                      | -22                              | (4.7)  | 0                  | (4.1) | -18         | (13.0) | -18        | (11.3) | -26        | (6.7)  | -23           | (7.5)  | -21        | (8.5)  | -20        | (8.6)  | -19  | (12.1) |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | -12                              | (5.0)  | 3                  | (3.7) | -9          | (10.8) | -11        | (10.8) | -20        | (7.9)  | -16           | (8.0)  | -8         | (8.9)  | -3         | (14.6) | -3   | (15.6) |
| <b>Spain</b>                |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Andalusia*                  | -22                              | (5.3)  | 4                  | (3.4) | -22         | (15.7) | -28        | (11.8) | -26        | (8.0)  | -26           | (6.9)  | -18        | (8.3)  | -15        | (9.2)  | -12  | (12.2) |
| Aragon*                     | -28                              | (5.3)  | 6                  | (4.5) | -35         | (12.7) | -38        | (12.2) | -33        | (8.4)  | -29           | (7.9)  | -21        | (8.7)  | -17        | (9.2)  | -17  | (11.1) |
| Asturias*                   | -26                              | (4.6)  | 7                  | (4.4) | -32         | (13.2) | -35        | (10.4) | -32        | (8.0)  | -27           | (6.2)  | -24        | (7.5)  | -15        | (9.2)  | -6   | (10.6) |
| Balearic Islands*           | -28                              | (5.6)  | 5                  | (4.0) | -33         | (12.5) | -32        | (9.9)  | -34        | (7.7)  | -32           | (7.4)  | -25        | (7.5)  | -18        | (10.9) | -15  | (10.7) |
| Basque Country*             | -28                              | (4.2)  | 7                  | (2.9) | -36         | (8.7)  | -38        | (7.6)  | -36        | (6.9)  | -26           | (5.9)  | -21        | (5.9)  | -17        | (7.8)  | -17  | (9.1)  |
| Canary Islands*             | -23                              | (4.7)  | 7                  | (2.9) | -33         | (11.8) | -32        | (10.4) | -27        | (7.4)  | -22           | (6.4)  | -18        | (7.1)  | -14        | (8.9)  | -14  | (9.2)  |
| Cantabria*                  | -29                              | (4.1)  | 3                  | (4.4) | -31         | (13.3) | -28        | (9.0)  | -33        | (8.1)  | -31           | (6.1)  | -26        | (6.8)  | -23        | (9.6)  | -21  | (12.1) |
| Castile and Leon*           | -31                              | (4.0)  | 6                  | (3.3) | -38         | (10.2) | -41        | (10.5) | -37        | (7.7)  | -31           | (6.8)  | -25        | (7.6)  | -23        | (7.8)  | -21  | (10.0) |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | -25                              | (5.9)  | 6                  | (3.8) | -33         | (12.9) | -34        | (11.1) | -30        | (8.2)  | -24           | (7.4)  | -21        | (8.5)  | -16        | (9.8)  | -16  | (9.7)  |
| Catalonia*                  | -24                              | (6.9)  | 2                  | (4.0) | -18         | (14.9) | -27        | (12.4) | -31        | (9.8)  | -28           | (8.5)  | -21        | (8.6)  | -18        | (10.6) | -17  | (13.6) |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | -25                              | (6.3)  | 5                  | (4.4) | -34         | (15.5) | -36        | (12.1) | -29        | (9.7)  | -25           | (7.7)  | -19        | (8.5)  | -20        | (9.2)  | -19  | (14.0) |
| Extremadura*                | -32                              | (5.4)  | 6                  | (3.9) | -41         | (12.3) | -42        | (9.7)  | -38        | (7.7)  | -32           | (6.5)  | -27        | (9.7)  | -25        | (10.7) | -23  | (11.7) |
| Galicia*                    | -31                              | (5.7)  | 7                  | (4.4) | -36         | (14.9) | -36        | (12.1) | -41        | (8.7)  | -33           | (8.0)  | -25        | (6.8)  | -18        | (8.3)  | -18  | (11.1) |
| La Rioja*                   | -31                              | (6.4)  | 2                  | (4.1) | -23         | (14.1) | -30        | (13.3) | -36        | (11.4) | -35           | (9.1)  | -27        | (9.5)  | -25        | (9.8)  | -24  | (14.4) |
| Madrid*                     | -20                              | (5.5)  | 2                  | (3.7) | -18         | (14.2) | -23        | (12.5) | -24        | (8.2)  | -21           | (7.5)  | -18        | (7.6)  | -17        | (9.6)  | -17  | (10.3) |
| Murcia*                     | -28                              | (4.5)  | 5                  | (4.1) | -28         | (13.3) | -32        | (12.2) | -34        | (7.9)  | -31           | (6.9)  | -25        | (7.0)  | -20        | (8.0)  | -15  | (9.9)  |
| Navarre*                    | -25                              | (5.2)  | 6                  | (4.4) | -35         | (13.6) | -36        | (11.1) | -30        | (9.1)  | -24           | (7.9)  | -21        | (7.3)  | -16        | (11.3) | -12  | (11.3) |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| England                     | -35                              | (4.1)  | 1                  | (2.8) | -31         | (8.7)  | -34        | (7.2)  | -37        | (5.6)  | -37           | (5.1)  | -35        | (5.2)  | -30        | (7.9)  | -32  | (8.6)  |
| Northern Ireland            | -27                              | (5.1)  | 3                  | (2.8) | -32         | (11.6) | -29        | (10.1) | -32        | (7.5)  | -29           | (6.2)  | -24        | (7.6)  | -20        | (9.1)  | -21  | (9.5)  |
| Scotland*                   | -33                              | (4.0)  | 0                  | (2.8) | -25         | (11.4) | -29        | (6.8)  | -38        | (6.2)  | -38           | (5.3)  | -33        | (6.2)  | -27        | (6.6)  | -25  | (9.0)  |
| Wales                       | -23                              | (3.6)  | 3                  | (2.9) | -25         | (8.2)  | -26        | (6.0)  | -26        | (6.0)  | -23           | (5.6)  | -20        | (5.5)  | -17        | (6.1)  | -17  | (10.0) |
| <b>United States</b>        |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Massachusetts*              | -26                              | (7.1)  | 6                  | (3.9) | -37         | (15.2) | -34        | (13.1) | -28        | (9.1)  | -28           | (8.9)  | -23        | (9.5)  | -13        | (12.4) | -14  | (13.8) |
| North Carolina*             | -31                              | (4.8)  | 6                  | (3.6) | -39         | (10.2) | -39        | (8.7)  | -37        | (7.8)  | -32           | (7.5)  | -26        | (7.7)  | -23        | (9.0)  | -19  | (12.2) |
| <b>Partners</b>             |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Bogotá                      | -10                              | (5.9)  | -3                 | (3.5) | 0           | (8.6)  | -7         | (7.9)  | -8         | (8.4)  | -9            | (7.4)  | -14        | (9.7)  | -13        | (9.5)  | -15  | (10.1) |
| Cali                        | -3                               | (5.7)  | 3                  | (2.8) | -7          | (11.2) | -7         | (8.3)  | -6         | (7.6)  | -2            | (7.6)  | -1         | (8.5)  | -1         | (9.4)  | 0    | (10.6) |
| Manizales                   | -7                               | (6.2)  | 5                  | (3.8) | -13         | (11.4) | -11        | (8.5)  | -10        | (6.8)  | -8            | (7.9)  | -4         | (9.4)  | 2          | (12.2) | 4    | (14.4) |
| Medellín                    | -8                               | (5.5)  | -1                 | (4.1) | -3          | (10.1) | -5         | (8.3)  | -8         | (7.0)  | -10           | (7.5)  | -11        | (7.0)  | -9         | (11.0) | -8   | (16.2) |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |                                  |        |                    |       |             |        |            |        |            |        |               |        |            |        |            |        |      |        |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | -35                              | (8.0)  | 2                  | (3.7) | -29         | (9.3)  | -32        | (8.8)  | -37        | (7.9)  | -41           | (9.2)  | -37        | (10.5) | -27        | (12.5) | -22  | (14.2) |
| Ajman                       | -67                              | (13.3) | -8                 | (7.3) | -50         | (23.9) | -51        | (20.1) | -58        | (17.8) | -72           | (15.8) | -79        | (12.4) | -77        | (15.7) | -68  | (17.3) |
| Dubai*                      | -30                              | (3.9)  | 12                 | (3.0) | -42         | (7.1)  | -42        | (6.2)  | -45        | (4.3)  | -32           | (5.8)  | -18        | (6.5)  | -11        | (8.0)  | -8   | (8.7)  |
| Fujairah                    | -58                              | (12.7) | -1                 | (6.9) | -55         | (15.7) | -55        | (16.1) | -56        | (13.5) | -60           | (12.5) | -62        | (20.0) | -54        | (18.2) | -49  | (26.1) |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | -58                              | (11.7) | -8                 | (7.1) | -47         | (17.9) | -46        | (14.5) | -45        | (14.7) | -58           | (13.9) | -68        | (15.1) | -71        | (20.0) | -72  | (21.6) |
| Sharjah                     | -43                              | (13.8) | 13                 | (5.8) | -57         | (22.0) | -54        | (15.8) | -54        | (14.7) | -46           | (18.1) | -40        | (18.4) | -24        | (19.0) | -12  | (22.6) |
| Umm Al Quwain               | -53                              | (10.7) | -10                | (6.1) | -35         | (20.9) | -40        | (18.9) | -45        | (13.2) | -53           | (13.1) | -57        | (16.2) | -68        | (17.6) | -71  | (26.1) |

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Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

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**Table B2.V.17 Gender differences in relative performance in collaborative problem solving**

After accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics

|                             | Score-point difference in relative performance <sup>1</sup> in collaborative problem solving (boys – girls) |        |  |        |
|-----------------------------|---|--------|--|--------|
|                             | Before accounting for students' socio-economic status   |        | After accounting for students' socio-economic status |        |
|                             | Score dif.  | S.E.   | Score dif.   | S.E.   |
| <b>OECD</b>                 |   |        |  |        |
| <b>Belgium</b>              |   |        |  |        |
| Flemish community*          | -30   | (3.1)  | -31  | (3.1)  |
| French community            | -28   | (2.8)  | -28  | (3.0)  |
| German-speaking community   | -25   | (6.8)  | -25  | (6.9)  |
| <b>Canada</b>               |   |        |  |        |
| Alberta                     | -39   | (4.5)  | -39  | (4.6)  |
| British Columbia            | -35   | (5.5)  | -35  | (5.8)  |
| Manitoba                    | -35   | (4.5)  | -35  | (4.8)  |
| New Brunswick               | -28   | (5.3)  | -28  | (5.3)  |
| Newfoundland and Labrador   | -33   | (6.0)  | -32  | (6.2)  |
| Nova Scotia                 | -34   | (4.6)  | -35  | (4.8)  |
| Ontario                     | -35   | (3.4)  | -36  | (3.4)  |
| Prince Edward Island        | -42   | (12.0) | -42  | (12.0) |
| Quebec                      | -24   | (4.8)  | -24  | (5.0)  |
| Saskatchewan                | -38   | (5.3)  | -38  | (5.4)  |
| <b>Italy</b>                |   |        |  |        |
| Bolzano                     | -33   | (5.3)  | -34  | (5.2)  |
| Campania                    | -35   | (5.0)  | -35  | (4.9)  |
| Lombardia                   | -35   | (4.9)  | -35  | (4.6)  |
| Trento                      | -35   | (4.0)  | -34  | (4.2)  |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |   |        |  |        |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | -13   | (3.5)  | -13  | (3.4)  |
| <b>Spain</b>                |   |        |  |        |
| Andalusia*                  | -23   | (4.2)  | -23  | (4.1)  |
| Aragon*                     | -24   | (4.9)  | -24  | (5.1)  |
| Asturias*                   | -26   | (3.1)  | -25  | (3.2)  |
| Balearic Islands*           | -25   | (4.3)  | -25  | (4.2)  |
| Basque Country*             | -23   | (3.6)  | -23  | (3.6)  |
| Canary Islands*             | -23   | (4.1)  | -23  | (4.1)  |
| Cantabria*                  | -25   | (3.7)  | -25  | (3.8)  |
| Castile and Leon*           | -26   | (3.3)  | -26  | (3.2)  |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | -24   | (4.0)  | -24  | (4.1)  |
| Catalonia*                  | -28   | (5.1)  | -28  | (5.2)  |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | -23   | (4.6)  | -23  | (4.6)  |
| Extremadura*                | -26   | (4.1)  | -26  | (4.1)  |
| Galicia*                    | -29   | (4.5)  | -29  | (4.5)  |
| La Rioja*                   | -29   | (4.8)  | -29  | (4.7)  |
| Madrid*                     | -24   | (4.0)  | -24  | (4.0)  |
| Murcia*                     | -22   | (4.0)  | -23  | (3.9)  |
| Navarre*                    | -24   | (4.0)  | -25  | (4.0)  |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |   |        |  |        |
| England                     | -31   | (2.7)  | -31  | (2.9)  |
| Northern Ireland            | -25   | (3.8)  | -26  | (3.9)  |
| Scotland*                   | -25   | (3.1)  | -25  | (3.3)  |
| Wales                       | -23   | (2.8)  | -24  | (3.0)  |
| <b>United States</b>        |   |        |  |        |
| Massachusetts*              | -30   | (3.9)  | -30  | (3.9)  |
| North Carolina*             | -27   | (3.1)  | -27  | (3.2)  |
| <b>Partners</b>             |   |        |  |        |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |   |        |  |        |
| Bogotá                      | -18   | (3.5)  | -17  | (3.9)  |
| Cali                        | -20   | (3.9)  | -21  | (3.9)  |
| Manizales                   | -20   | (4.0)  | -20  | (4.0)  |
| Medellín                    | -20   | (3.7)  | -20  | (3.7)  |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |   |        |  |        |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | -9  | (6.0)  | -10  | (6.1)  |
| Ajman                       | -27   | (11.0) | -26  | (11.1) |
| Dubai*                      | -14   | (3.9)  | -15  | (3.9)  |
| Fujairah                    | -6  | (8.5)  | -7   | (9.3)  |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | -20   | (11.3) | -21  | (11.0) |
| Sharjah                     | -25   | (8.1)  | -25  | (7.9)  |
| Umm Al Quwain               | -11   | (9.4)  | -12  | (9.5)  |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

1. Relative performance refers to the residual performance, attributable to purely collaborative problem-solving competencies, after accounting for performance in science, reading and mathematics in a regression performed across students at the national level.

**Notes:** Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

Values that are statistically significant are indicated in bold (see Annex A3).

See Table V.4.3b for national data.

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**Table B2.V.20 Attitudes towards collaboration**

Results based on students' self-reports

|                             | Valuing relationships          |        |  |  |   |  |   |  | Valuing teamwork                              |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------|--|--|---|--|---|--|---|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                             | Index of valuing relationships |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 | Index of valuing teamwork |        | Percentage of students who agreed/strongly agreed with the following statements: |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                             |                                |        | I am a good listener   | I enjoy seeing my classmates be successful | I take into account what others are interested in | I enjoy considering different perspectives | I prefer working as part of a team to working alone | I find that teams make better decisions than individuals | I find that teamwork raises my own efficiency | I enjoy co-operating with peers |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                             | Mean index                     | S.E.   | %  | S.E.                                       | %   | S.E.                                       | %   | S.E.   | %   | S.E.                            | %                         | S.E.   | %  | S.E.  | %     | S.E.  |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>OECD</b>                 | <b>Belgium</b>                 |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                             | Flemish community*             | -0.01  | (0.01)   | 88.2                                       | (0.5)   | 92.0                                       | (0.4)   | 89.5   | (0.5)   | 91.0                            | (0.4)                     | -0.20  | (0.01)   | 63.9  | (0.7) | 70.3  | (0.7) | 57.2  | (0.8) | 86.5  | (0.5) |
|                             | French community               | -0.13  | (0.02)   | 80.9                                       | (0.8)   | 88.9                                       | (0.8)   | 80.8   | (0.8)   | 86.4                            | (0.6)                     | 0.00   | (0.03)   | 68.9  | (1.1) | 72.0  | (0.9) | 70.2  | (0.8) | 82.9  | (0.9) |
|                             | German-speaking community      | -0.02  | (0.05)   | 82.5                                       | (2.1)   | 79.3                                       | (2.2)   | 89.6   | (1.9)   | 81.6                            | (2.1)                     | 0.05   | (0.06)   | 67.7  | (2.4) | 76.1  | (2.2) | 56.5  | (2.6) | 86.9  | (1.6) |
|                             | <b>Canada</b>                  |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|                             | Alberta                        | 0.09   | (0.03)   | 89.8                                       | (0.7)   | 89.9                                       | (0.7)   | 90.4   | (0.7)   | 90.8                            | (0.7)                     | -0.01  | (0.03)   | 67.1  | (1.1) | 73.9  | (1.0) | 69.2  | (1.3) | 87.2  | (0.6) |
|                             | British Columbia               | 0.10   | (0.03)   | 89.7                                       | (0.8)   | 91.7                                       | (0.7)   | 89.8   | (0.8)   | 90.5                            | (0.8)                     | -0.09  | (0.02)   | 63.1  | (1.3) | 69.4  | (1.3) | 66.5  | (1.1) | 87.7  | (0.7) |
|                             | Manitoba                       | 0.00   | (0.03)   | 89.7                                       | (0.9)   | 89.5                                       | (0.8)   | 87.1   | (0.9)   | 90.2                            | (0.9)                     | -0.03  | (0.04)   | 66.1  | (1.4) | 74.5  | (1.1) | 71.5  | (1.3) | 86.4  | (1.0) |
|                             | New Brunswick                  | 0.06   | (0.03)   | 86.7                                       | (0.9)   | 89.4                                       | (0.9)   | 86.7   | (0.9)   | 88.3                            | (1.0)                     | 0.02   | (0.03)   | 67.3  | (1.5) | 71.1  | (1.3) | 68.7  | (1.2) | 84.5  | (1.1) |
|                             | Newfoundland and Labrador      | 0.03   | (0.04)   | 87.5                                       | (1.3)   | 91.9                                       | (1.0)   | 88.2   | (1.2)   | 88.9                            | (0.9)                     | 0.00   | (0.03)   | 69.0  | (1.7) | 72.8  | (1.3) | 69.9  | (1.5) | 88.9  | (1.2) |
| Nova Scotia                 | 0.09                           | (0.03) | 88.8   | (0.9)                                      | 91.9  | (0.8)                                      | 90.6  | (0.8)  | 91.1  | (1.0)                           | 0.01                      | (0.03) | 67.2   | (1.4) | 70.7  | (1.2) | 67.5  | (1.4) | 89.4  | (0.8) |       |
| Ontario                     | 0.09                           | (0.02) | 90.2   | (0.5)                                      | 89.6  | (0.6)                                      | 89.7  | (0.6)  | 89.4  | (0.7)                           | -0.01                     | (0.02) | 65.3   | (0.9) | 72.2  | (0.8) | 70.7  | (0.9) | 87.1  | (0.5) |       |
| Prince Edward Island        | 0.13                           | (0.06) | 89.6   | (2.1)                                      | 93.7  | (1.3)                                      | 91.9  | (1.6)  | 92.0  | (1.7)                           | 0.13                      | (0.06) | 68.3   | (3.0) | 79.2  | (2.3) | 76.0  | (2.4) | 91.7  | (1.8) |       |
| Quebec                      | 0.22                           | (0.03) | 86.9   | (1.0)                                      | 91.8  | (0.7)                                      | 89.1  | (0.9)  | 92.0  | (0.6)                           | 0.11                      | (0.03) | 70.7   | (1.0) | 70.9  | (1.1) | 70.0  | (1.0) | 87.3  | (0.9) |       |
| Saskatchewan                | -0.03                          | (0.03) | 89.9   | (0.7)                                      | 91.3  | (0.9)                                      | 88.8  | (0.9)  | 88.9  | (0.9)                           | -0.08                     | (0.03) | 66.6   | (1.4) | 72.9  | (1.1) | 71.3  | (1.2) | 87.3  | (0.9) |       |
| <b>Italy</b>                |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Bolzano                     | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 84.6   | (0.9)                                      | 84.2  | (0.9)                                      | 87.7  | (0.7)  | 85.8  | (0.9)                           | 0.22                      | (0.02) | 76.0   | (0.9) | 75.1  | (1.2) | 67.6  | (1.2) | 90.4  | (0.7) |       |
| Campania                    | -0.11                          | (0.02) | 88.1   | (0.8)                                      | 89.8  | (0.8)                                      | 73.5  | (1.1)  | 91.8  | (0.8)                           | 0.09                      | (0.02) | 73.6   | (1.5) | 75.4  | (1.1) | 77.4  | (1.2) | 91.2  | (0.7) |       |
| Lombardia                   | -0.21                          | (0.02) | 83.0   | (0.8)                                      | 81.8  | (0.9)                                      | 78.8  | (1.0)  | 90.4  | (0.7)                           | -0.06                     | (0.03) | 70.2   | (1.4) | 71.6  | (1.1) | 68.5  | (1.4) | 85.0  | (0.8) |       |
| Trento                      | -0.24                          | (0.02) | 83.3   | (1.0)                                      | 81.9  | (1.0)                                      | 81.0  | (1.0)  | 90.4  | (0.7)                           | -0.09                     | (0.02) | 69.4   | (1.1) | 71.7  | (1.1) | 65.4  | (1.2) | 84.8  | (0.9) |       |
| <b>Portugal</b>             |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Região Autónoma dos Açores  | 0.23                           | (0.03) | 91.0   | (0.9)                                      | 96.4  | (0.5)                                      | 91.9  | (0.8)  | 92.0  | (0.8)                           | 0.28                      | (0.03) | 72.4   | (1.4) | 82.4  | (1.0) | 80.8  | (1.3) | 94.5  | (0.7) |       |
| <b>Spain</b>                |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Andalusia*                  | 0.10                           | (0.03) | 94.1   | (0.8)                                      | 90.3  | (0.8)                                      | 81.0  | (1.2)  | 92.5  | (0.6)                           | 0.17                      | (0.03) | 66.9   | (1.3) | 76.1  | (1.4) | 72.9  | (1.3) | 94.2  | (0.6) |       |
| Aragon*                     | 0.16                           | (0.04) | 94.7   | (0.6)                                      | 89.5  | (1.0)                                      | 88.0  | (0.8)  | 92.3  | (0.7)                           | 0.13                      | (0.03) | 68.2   | (1.0) | 73.8  | (1.1) | 70.1  | (1.1) | 93.3  | (0.6) |       |
| Asturias*                   | 0.16                           | (0.03) | 92.7   | (0.5)                                      | 88.5  | (0.8)                                      | 85.6  | (0.8)  | 91.9  | (0.7)                           | 0.12                      | (0.02) | 65.4   | (1.1) | 73.7  | (0.9) | 69.0  | (0.9) | 92.2  | (0.6) |       |
| Balearic Islands*           | 0.20                           | (0.02) | 92.8   | (0.6)                                      | 92.5  | (0.6)                                      | 86.3  | (0.9)  | 91.9  | (0.8)                           | 0.06                      | (0.03) | 61.5   | (1.5) | 75.0  | (1.1) | 72.1  | (1.2) | 90.6  | (0.9) |       |
| Basque Country*             | 0.12                           | (0.02) | 92.0   | (0.5)                                      | 87.8  | (0.7)                                      | 85.7  | (0.8)  | 93.1  | (0.6)                           | 0.08                      | (0.02) | 68.4   | (0.9) | 74.2  | (0.8) | 70.8  | (0.9) | 92.4  | (0.5) |       |
| Canary Islands*             | 0.21                           | (0.02) | 92.7   | (0.7)                                      | 89.2  | (0.7)                                      | 82.7  | (1.1)  | 92.7  | (0.5)                           | 0.17                      | (0.03) | 65.1   | (1.4) | 73.7  | (1.3) | 72.5  | (1.0) | 92.4  | (0.7) |       |
| Cantabria*                  | 0.16                           | (0.02) | 93.5   | (0.7)                                      | 89.3  | (0.9)                                      | 87.1  | (1.1)  | 92.5  | (0.5)                           | 0.18                      | (0.03) | 67.8   | (1.2) | 74.8  | (1.0) | 73.0  | (1.1) | 92.4  | (0.7) |       |
| Castile and Leon*           | 0.18                           | (0.03) | 94.4   | (0.5)                                      | 90.3  | (0.8)                                      | 87.9  | (0.9)  | 94.1  | (0.4)                           | 0.16                      | (0.03) | 66.3   | (1.5) | 74.2  | (1.3) | 72.0  | (1.3) | 93.7  | (0.5) |       |
| Castile-La Mancha*          | 0.20                           | (0.02) | 94.4   | (0.5)                                      | 89.0  | (0.8)                                      | 86.7  | (0.8)  | 93.7  | (0.6)                           | 0.18                      | (0.03) | 68.1   | (0.9) | 75.9  | (1.1) | 72.0  | (1.2) | 92.8  | (0.7) |       |
| Catalonia*                  | 0.25                           | (0.03) | 92.5   | (0.8)                                      | 92.6  | (0.8)                                      | 85.3  | (1.1)  | 91.0  | (0.9)                           | 0.04                      | (0.04) | 64.3   | (1.2) | 72.8  | (0.9) | 71.2  | (1.1) | 90.2  | (0.8) |       |
| Comunidad Valenciana*       | 0.15                           | (0.03) | 92.7   | (0.8)                                      | 88.9  | (1.0)                                      | 85.3  | (0.9)  | 92.3  | (0.8)                           | 0.09                      | (0.02) | 66.1   | (1.1) | 74.2  | (1.3) | 69.9  | (1.2) | 92.5  | (0.8) |       |
| Extremadura*                | 0.15                           | (0.03) | 94.5   | (0.6)                                      | 89.4  | (0.8)                                      | 83.7  | (0.8)  | 93.7  | (0.5)                           | 0.20                      | (0.03) | 67.8   | (1.2) | 77.1  | (1.1) | 74.5  | (1.4) | 94.1  | (0.5) |       |
| Galicia*                    | 0.25                           | (0.03) | 94.0   | (0.7)                                      | 92.2  | (0.7)                                      | 89.6  | (0.8)  | 92.8  | (0.6)                           | 0.15                      | (0.03) | 71.6   | (1.1) | 75.8  | (1.5) | 71.7  | (1.2) | 90.4  | (0.9) |       |
| La Rioja*                   | 0.11                           | (0.03) | 92.3   | (0.7)                                      | 86.2  | (1.0)                                      | 85.0  | (1.0)  | 93.2  | (0.8)                           | 0.13                      | (0.03) | 66.7   | (1.6) | 73.9  | (1.3) | 72.9  | (1.2) | 92.4  | (0.8) |       |
| Madrid*                     | 0.18                           | (0.03) | 93.6   | (0.5)                                      | 87.2  | (0.9)                                      | 87.6  | (1.1)  | 91.4  | (0.7)                           | 0.13                      | (0.04) | 65.5   | (1.5) | 74.0  | (1.5) | 70.2  | (1.2) | 92.3  | (0.7) |       |
| Murcia*                     | 0.23                           | (0.03) | 94.2   | (0.5)                                      | 90.3  | (0.7)                                      | 85.9  | (0.9)  | 93.4  | (0.7)                           | 0.22                      | (0.03) | 70.5   | (0.8) | 76.5  | (0.9) | 72.8  | (1.2) | 93.4  | (0.6) |       |
| Navarre*                    | 0.11                           | (0.04) | 92.9   | (0.7)                                      | 88.4  | (1.2)                                      | 86.3  | (1.0)  | 92.0  | (0.7)                           | 0.18                      | (0.04) | 70.1   | (1.4) | 76.4  | (1.4) | 72.6  | (1.3) | 93.1  | (0.7) |       |
| <b>United Kingdom</b>       |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| England                     | -0.04                          | (0.02) | 87.0   | (0.6)                                      | 89.2  | (0.6)                                      | 88.0  | (0.6)  | 87.2  | (0.6)                           | -0.05                     | (0.02) | 68.2   | (0.8) | 74.0  | (0.7) | 71.5  | (0.7) | 85.4  | (0.7) |       |
| Northern Ireland            | -0.07                          | (0.02) | 87.4   | (0.7)                                      | 89.8  | (0.8)                                      | 89.0  | (0.8)  | 88.8  | (0.7)                           | -0.04                     | (0.03) | 68.0   | (1.0) | 72.9  | (0.9) | 72.4  | (1.0) | 87.8  | (0.7) |       |
| Scotland*                   | 0.03                           | (0.02) | 87.9   | (0.7)                                      | 89.6  | (0.5)                                      | 90.2  | (0.5)  | 87.1  | (0.8)                           | 0.02                      | (0.02) | 71.4   | (0.9) | 73.5  | (0.8) | 71.6  | (0.7) | 87.8  | (0.6) |       |
| Wales                       | -0.10                          | (0.02) | 84.4   | (0.6)                                      | 89.1  | (0.6)                                      | 87.8  | (0.6)  | 87.0  | (0.6)                           | -0.05                     | (0.02) | 67.0   | (0.9) | 73.9  | (0.8) | 72.6  | (0.7) | 83.8  | (0.7) |       |
| <b>United States</b>        |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Massachusetts*              | 0.09                           | (0.03) | 88.9   | (0.9)                                      | 92.8  | (0.7)                                      | 90.0  | (0.9)  | 90.0  | (0.7)                           | -0.01                     | (0.03) | 68.9   | (1.3) | 71.9  | (1.1) | 71.2  | (0.9) | 88.7  | (0.8) |       |
| North Carolina*             | 0.10                           | (0.03) | 90.9   | (0.9)                                      | 93.9  | (0.4)                                      | 88.0  | (0.7)  | 91.3  | (0.7)                           | 0.07                      | (0.03) | 70.0   | (1.2) | 73.8  | (1.2) | 74.5  | (1.3) | 88.7  | (0.8) |       |
| <b>Partners</b>             |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Colombia</b>             |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Bogotá                      | 0.08                           | (0.03) | 89.1   | (0.8)                                      | 93.4  | (0.5)                                      | 80.8  | (1.1)  | 88.3  | (0.9)                           | 0.12                      | (0.02) | 68.4   | (1.5) | 77.8  | (1.1) | 72.8  | (0.8) | 93.0  | (0.6) |       |
| Cali                        | 0.06                           | (0.03) | 89.1   | (0.7)                                      | 93.0  | (0.6)                                      | 81.0  | (1.2)  | 87.6  | (1.0)                           | 0.13                      | (0.02) | 67.5   | (1.3) | 81.8  | (1.1) | 74.2  | (0.9) | 92.8  | (0.7) |       |
| Manizales                   | 0.14                           | (0.03) | 89.3   | (1.0)                                      | 94.6  | (0.6)                                      | 82.4  | (1.2)  | 88.6  | (0.9)                           | 0.22                      | (0.03) | 70.1   | (1.1) | 81.4  | (1.1) | 76.0  | (1.2) | 93.3  | (0.7) |       |
| Medellín                    | 0.15                           | (0.03) | 88.5   | (0.7)                                      | 94.1  | (0.7)                                      | 83.2  | (1.0)  | 88.8  | (0.9)                           | 0.22                      | (0.02) | 68.5   | (0.9) | 83.2  | (1.0) | 76.4  | (1.2) | 92.3  | (0.8) |       |
| <b>United Arab Emirates</b> |                                |        |  |  |   |  |   |  |   |                                 |                           |        |  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Abu Dhabi*                  | 0.37                           | (0.02) | 87.6   | (0.7)                                      | 93.0  | (0.5)                                      | 86.9  | (0.7)  | 90.7  | (0.5)                           | 0.44                      | (0.02) | 67.3   | (0.9) | 86.0  | (0.6) | 85.3  | (0.7) | 90.9  | (0.6) |       |
| Ajman                       | 0.28                           | (0.04) | 88.0   | (1.1)                                      | 92.6  | (1.1)                                      | 87.3  | (1.0)  | 88.8  | (1.0)                           | 0.51                      | (0.03) | 64.3   | (1.3) | 89.2  | (0.8) | 89.3  | (0.9) | 93.3  | (0.9) |       |
| Dubai*                      | 0.29                           | (0.02) | 89.6   | (0.5)                                      | 91.3  | (0.5)                                      | 86.3  | (0.5)  | 91.8  | (0.5)                           | 0.38                      | (0.02) | 71.7   | (0.7) | 83.7  | (0.5) | 81.8  | (0.6) | 91.3  | (0.4) |       |
| Fujairah                    | 0.39                           | (0.04) | 88.5   | (1.1)                                      | 93.3  | (0.8)                                      | 88.1  | (1.0)  | 90.8  | (0.9)                           | 0.54                      | (0.04) | 65.8   | (1.8) | 87.5  | (1.3) | 89.9  | (1.3) | 93.8  | (1.0) |       |
| Ras Al Khaimah              | 0.42                           | (0.05) | 88.8   | (1.1)                                      | 93.6  | (0.6)                                      | 87.4  | (1.6)  | 90.3  | (0.8)                           | 0.53                      | (0.04) | 62.9   | (1.7) | 89.5  | (1.2) | 89.9  | (0.9) | 92.3  | (0.8) |       |
| Sharjah                     | 0.22                           | (0.05) | 87.8   | (1.5)                                      | 93.4  | (1.1)                                      | 83.3  | (0.9)  | 91.7  | (1.1)                           | 0.50                      | (0.05) | 71.9   | (1.5) | 90.0  | (1.0) | 88.1  | (1.2) | 91.5  | (0.7) |       |
| Umm Al Quwain               | 0.31                           | (0.06) | 85.5   | (1.8)                                      | 91.9  | (1.5)                                      | 83.2  | (2.2)  | 89.3  | (1.7)                           | 0.51                      | (0.06) | 62.7   | (2.5) | 89.6  | (1.5) | 87.4  | (1.7) | 90.5  | (1.4) |       |

\* PISA for adjudicated region.

Notes: Results for the province of Quebec in this table should be treated with caution due to a possible non-response bias.

In Massachusetts and North Carolina, the desired target population covers 15-year-old students in grade 7 or above in public schools only (see Annex A2).

See Table V.5.1 for national data.

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## Annex C

**THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF PISA:  
A COLLABORATIVE EFFORT**



PISA is a collaborative effort, bringing together experts from the participating countries, steered jointly by their governments on the basis of shared, policy-driven interests.

A PISA Governing Board, representing each country, determines the policy priorities for PISA, in the context of OECD objectives, and oversees adherence to these priorities during the implementation of the programme. This includes setting priorities for the development of indicators, for establishing the assessment instruments and for reporting the results.

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Volume V, *Collaborative Problem Solving*, examines students' ability to work in groups to solve a problem. It also explores the role of education in building young people's skills in solving problems collaboratively.

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