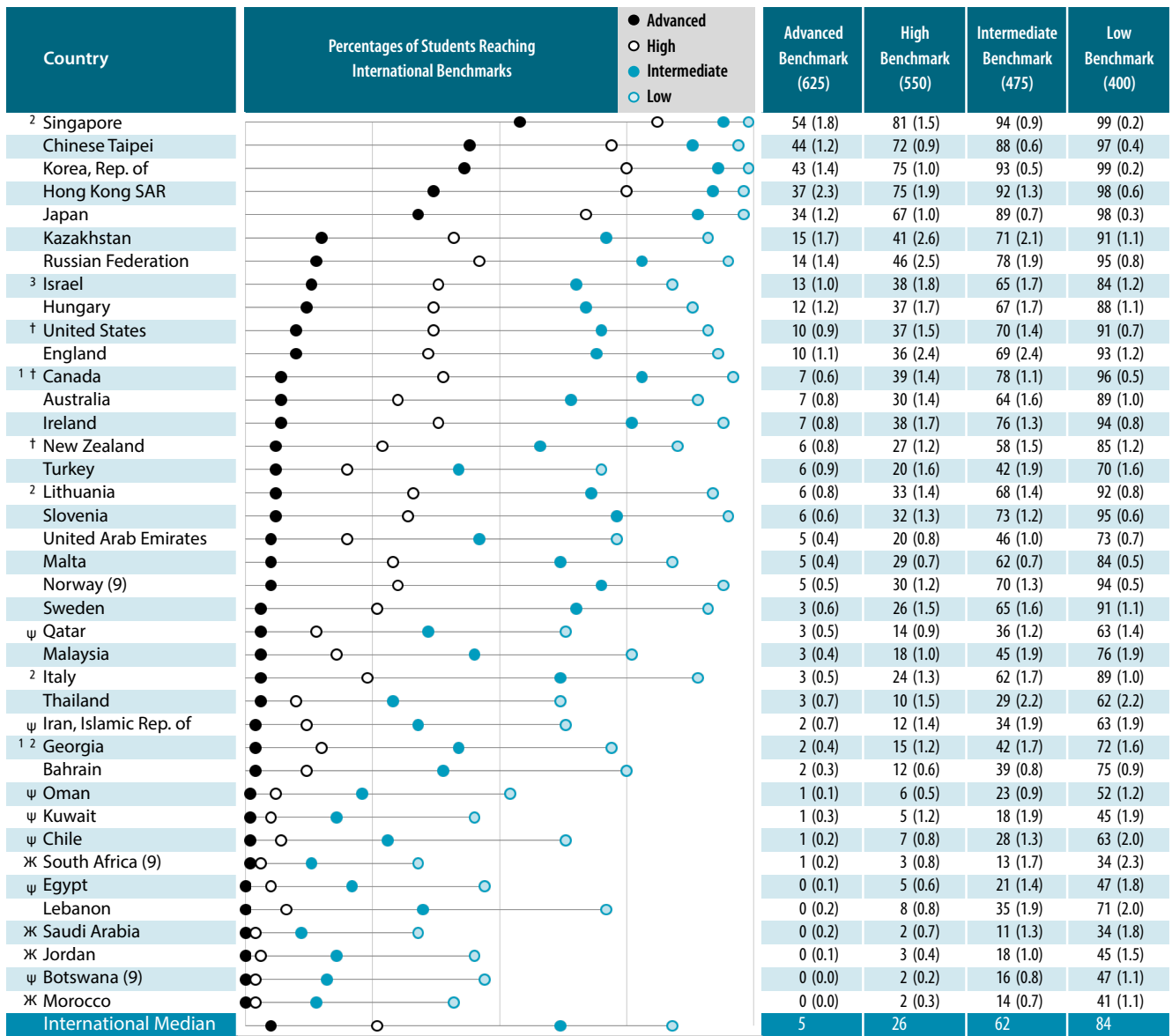
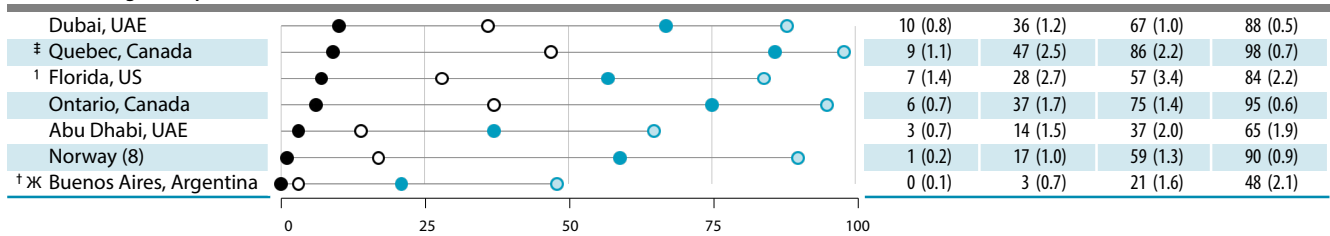


**Exhibit 2.9: Performance at the International Benchmarks of Mathematics Achievement**



SOURCE: IEA's Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study – TIMSS 2015

**Benchmarking Participants**



<sup>⌘</sup> Reservations about reliability because the percentage of students with achievement too low for estimation exceeds 25%.

<sup>ψ</sup> Reservations about reliability because the percentage of students with achievement too low for estimation exceeds 15% but does not exceed 25%.

See Appendix C.2 for target population coverage notes 1, 2, and 3. See Appendix C.8 for sampling guidelines and sampling participation notes †, ‡, and §.

(.) Standard errors appear in parentheses. Because of rounding some results may appear inconsistent.