

Table 1: Summary statistics - school leadership

Variable	Description	Dev7 countries		Vietnam	
		MS	Valid N	MS	Valid N
SCORE_PUBLIC	Achievement data posted publicly	0.345 (0.4754)	40965	0.7567 (0.4291)	4882
SCORE_AUTHRITS	Achievement data tracked by authority	0.8003 (0.3998)	41139	0.8282 (0.3773)	4778
SCHAUTON	School Autonomy in admin. decisions	-0.2542 (1.1328)	41394	-1.0419 (0.9378)	4882
TCHPARTI	Teacher participation in admin. decisions	-0.2169 (1.4457)	41394	-1.6445 (0.5188)	4882
LEADCOM	Communicating and acting on defined school goals	0.2387 (1.1105)	41252	0.0894 (0.6744)	4882
LEADINST	Promotion of instructional leadership	0.0899 (1.0724)	41219	-0.0549 (0.946)	4882
LEADPD	Promotion of solving classroom problems	0.244 (1.0851)	41219	-0.0587 (0.861)	4882
LEADTCH	Teacher participation in leadership	0.3233 (1.1356)	41125	-0.2914 (0.9077)	4882
QUAL_RECORD	Systematic recording of data for quality assurance	0.8865 (0.3172)	40941	0.9818 (0.1338)	4882

Notes: The variables relate to the questionnaires administered to principals (schools). For a more detailed description of variables, please see Table xx. Items marked with (*r*) are taken from the rotated student questionnaire. The variable means of Dev7 and Vietnam are statistically different at the 5% significance level.