

Review of: "The Intelligence of Nations. National IQs. Update 2023."

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The manuscript addresses the relationship between international student assessments (as PISA and TIMSS) and psychometric intelligence tests (such as RAVEN). The author advises that international student assessments and intelligence assessments mainly measure the same.

I would like to suggest the author to analyze in depth what is measured by each instrument, what is measured by both techniques and which factors could influence students' performance in international student assessments and/or intelligence assessments.

Here are some papers that could be of interest for your work: "How much do students' scores in PISA reflect general intelligence and how much do they reflect specific abilities?", "General Intelligence and Socioeconomic Status as Strong Predictors of Student Performance in Latin American Schools: Evidence From PISA Items".