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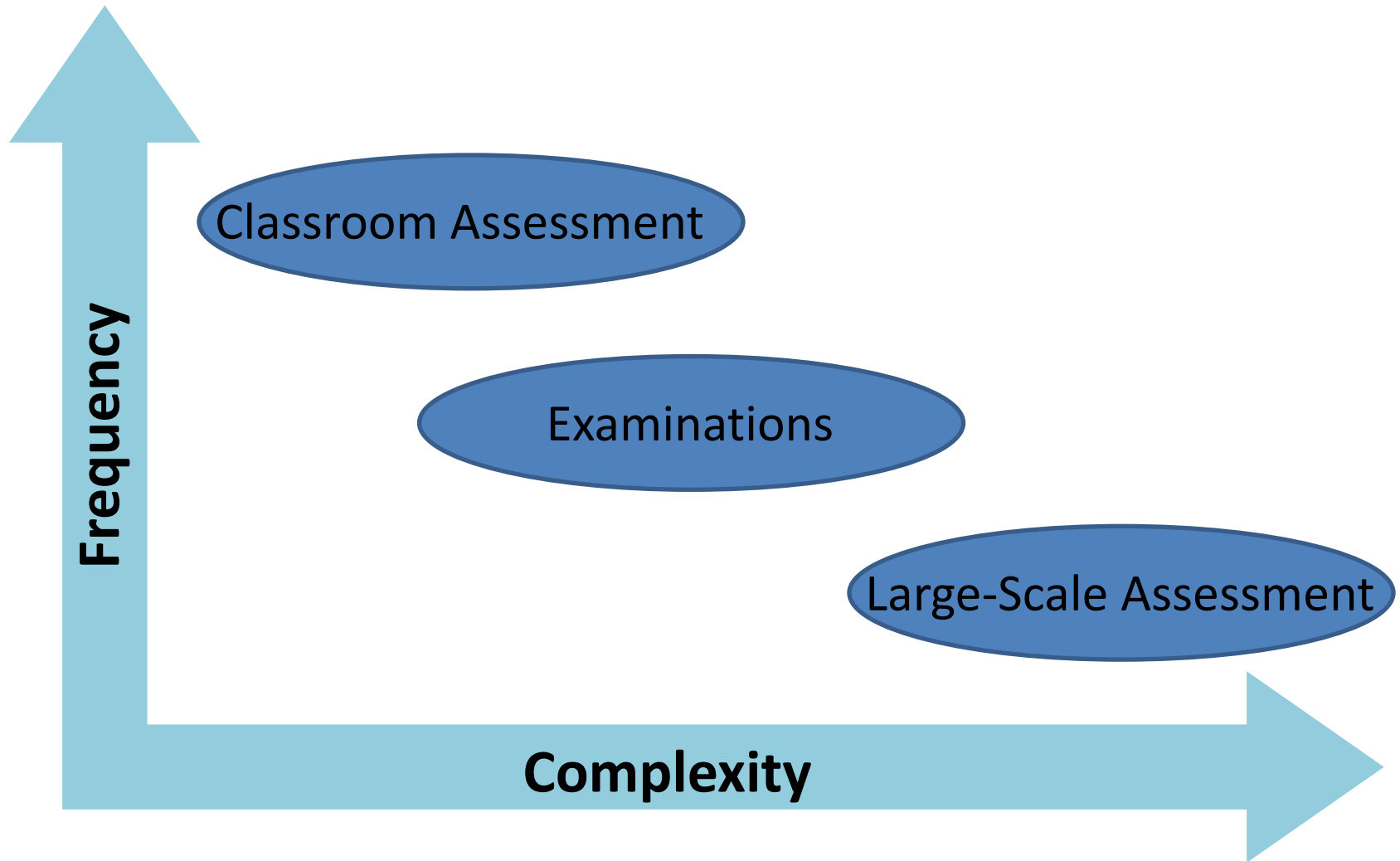## Middle East & North Africa 2013

Actionable Data for a More Literate World:
Using large-scale assessment to improve results

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A framework for assessments

Large-Scale Assessments

STUDY	GRADE/AGE	SUBJECT(S)	ASSESSMENT PERIOD	MENA PARTICIPANTS
PIRLS	4th Grade	Reading	Every 5 years since 2001	Iran, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates
TIMSS	4th and 8th Grade	Math and Science	Every 4 Years since 1995	Algeria, Egypt, Iran, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Morocco, Oman, Palestinian National Authority, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Tunisia, and Yemen
PISA	15 year olds	Reading, Mathematics, and Science	Every 3 Years since 2000	Jordan, Qatar, United Arab Emirates (Dubai), Mauritius and Tunisia
EGRA EGMA EGWA	Grades 1-3	Reading Mathematics Writing	At will	Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Morocco, Yemen

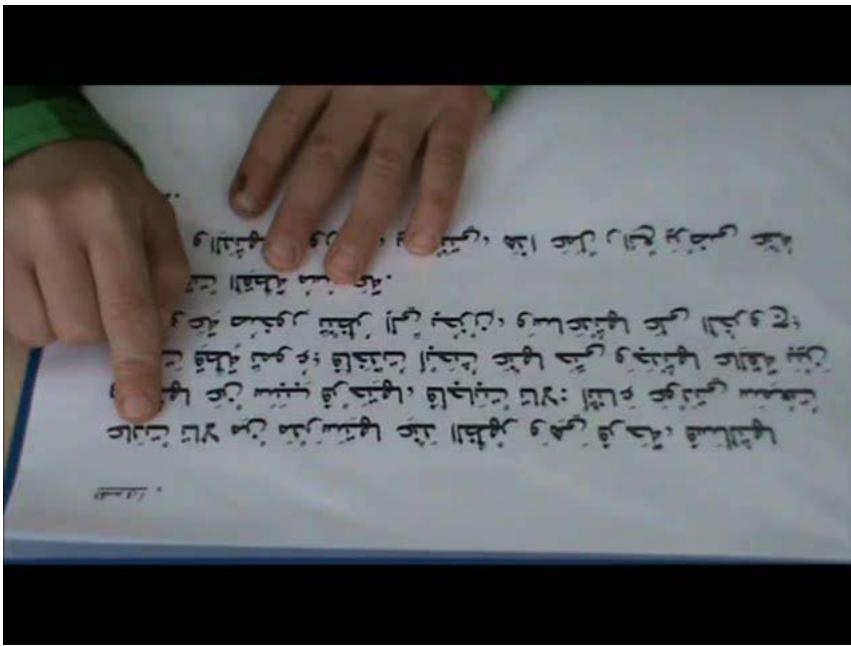ALL CHILDREN LEARNING
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PIRLS 2011 Results

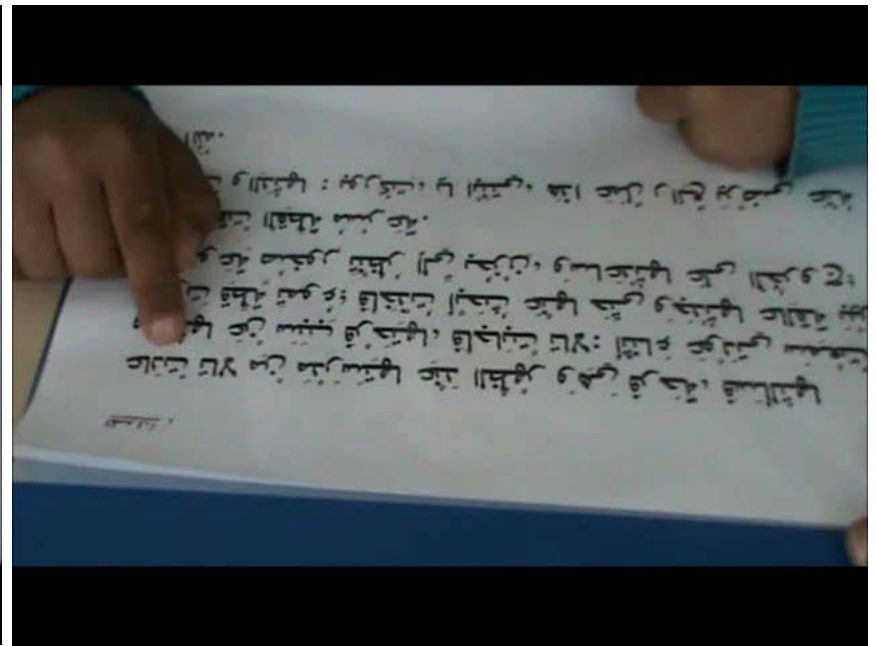Percentage of students below the Low International Benchmark
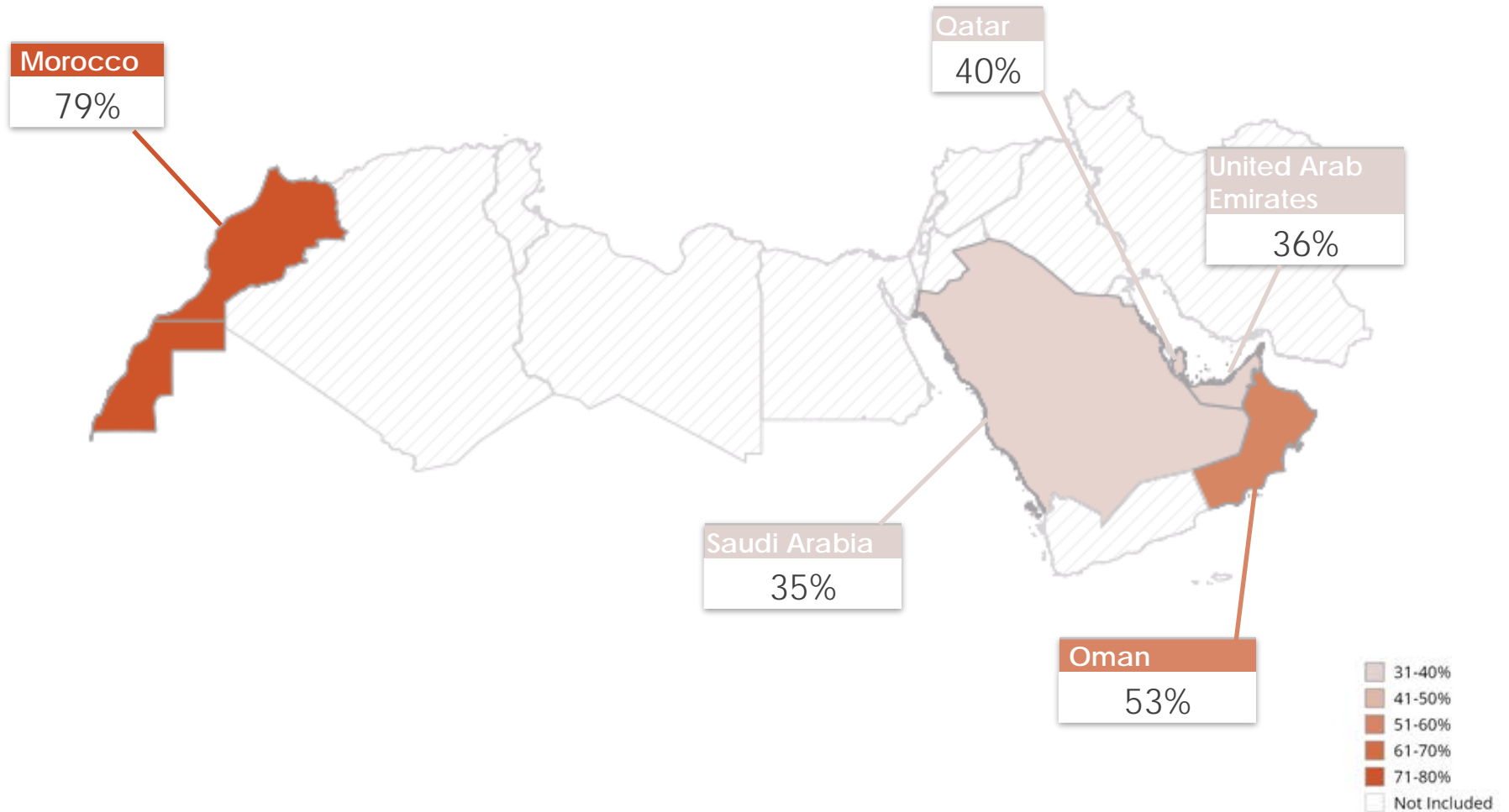
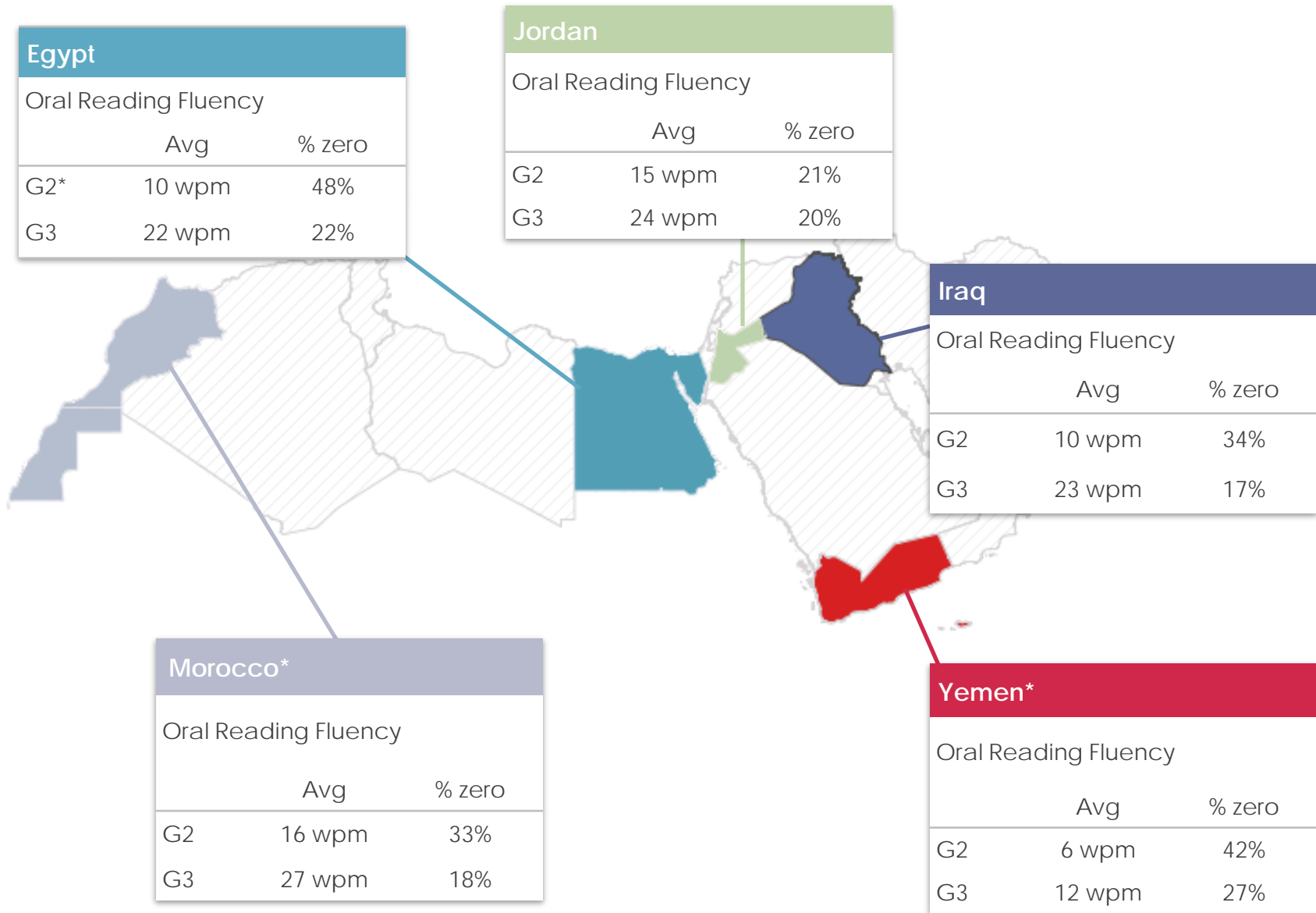# Early Grade Reading Assessment (EGRA)

Fluent

Non-Fluent

The videos show grade 3 Jordanian primary school students performing the Oral Reading Fluency subtask of the Early Grade Reading Assessment. (March 2012)
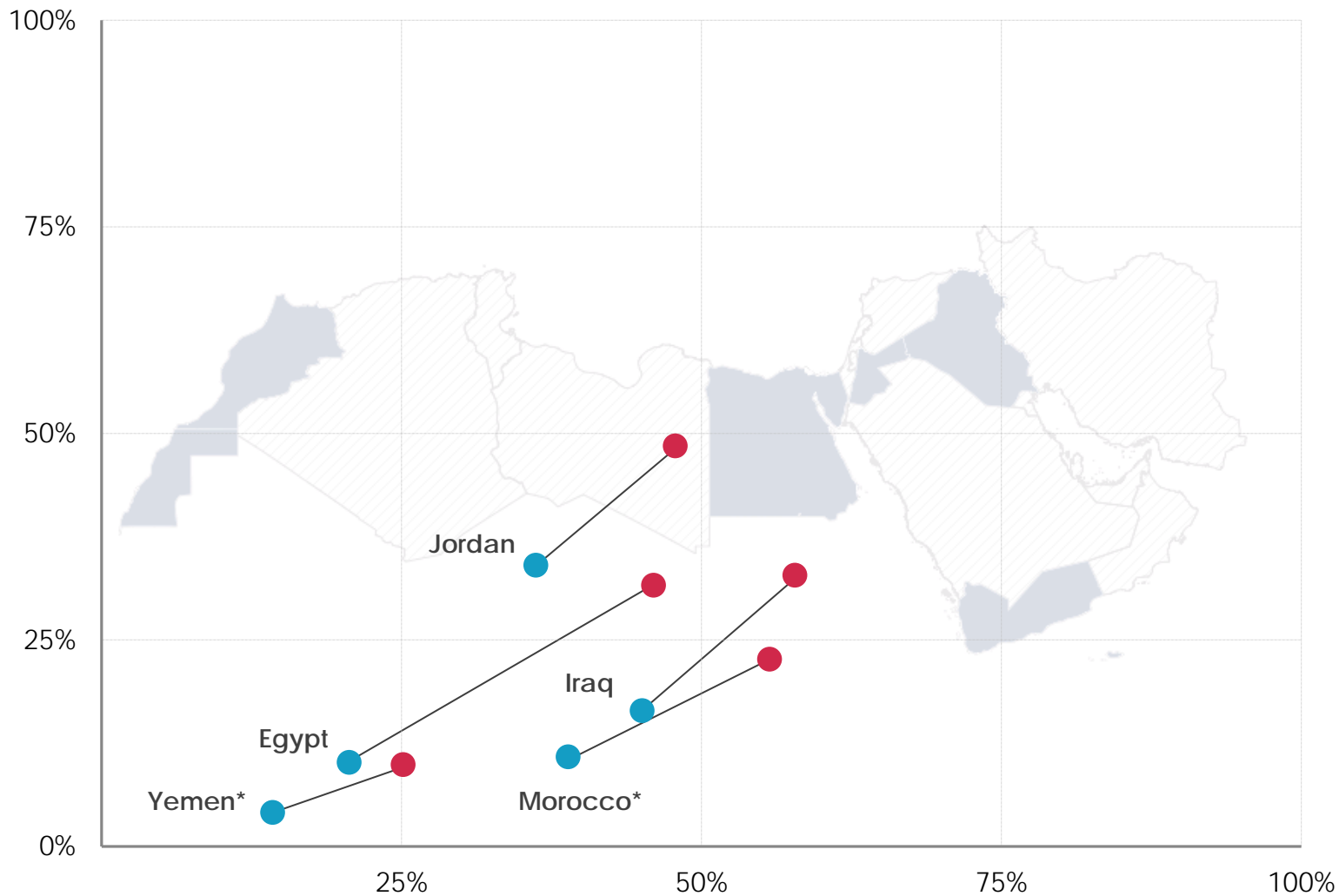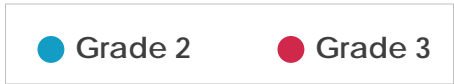
EGRA Characteristics

- Individual, oral assessment
- Quick (15 minutes)
- Foundation skills of reading
- Grades 1-3
- Measures of both oral and written language
- Predictive of later success
- Informs system level and classroom instructional decisions
- Publically available at: https://www.eddataglobal.org

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Egypt

Oral Reading Fluency

	Avg	% zero
G2*	10 wpm	48%
G3	22 wpm	22%

Jordan

Oral Reading Fluency

	Avg	% zero
G2	15 wpm	21%
G3	24 wpm	20%

Iraq

Oral Reading Fluency

	Avg	% zero
G2	10 wpm	34%
G3	23 wpm	17%

Morocco*

Oral Reading Fluency

	Avg	% zero
G2	16 wpm	33%
G3	27 wpm	18%

Yemen*

Oral Reading Fluency

	Avg	% zero
G2	6 wpm	42%
G3	12 wpm	27%

Reading Comprehension

AME Data Tool—Beta Version

DEMO

AME Data Tool: Opening Page—Beta Version

Resources

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