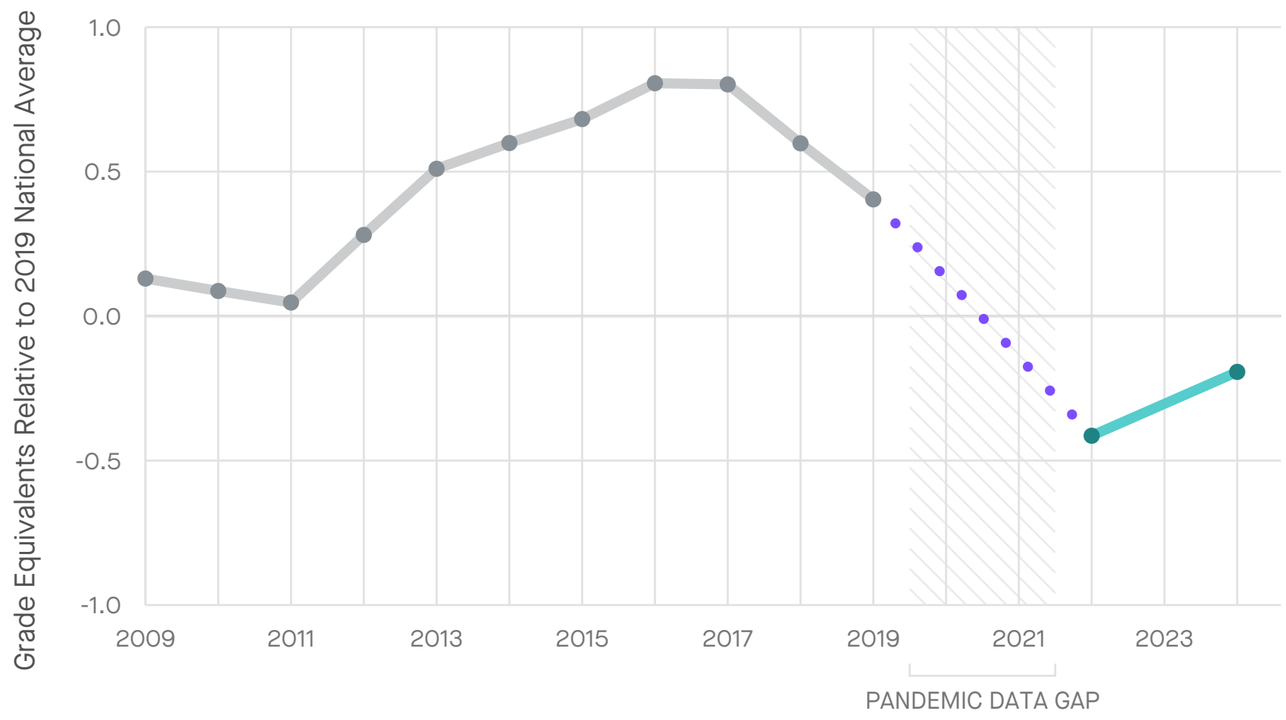
Willmar Public School District, MN

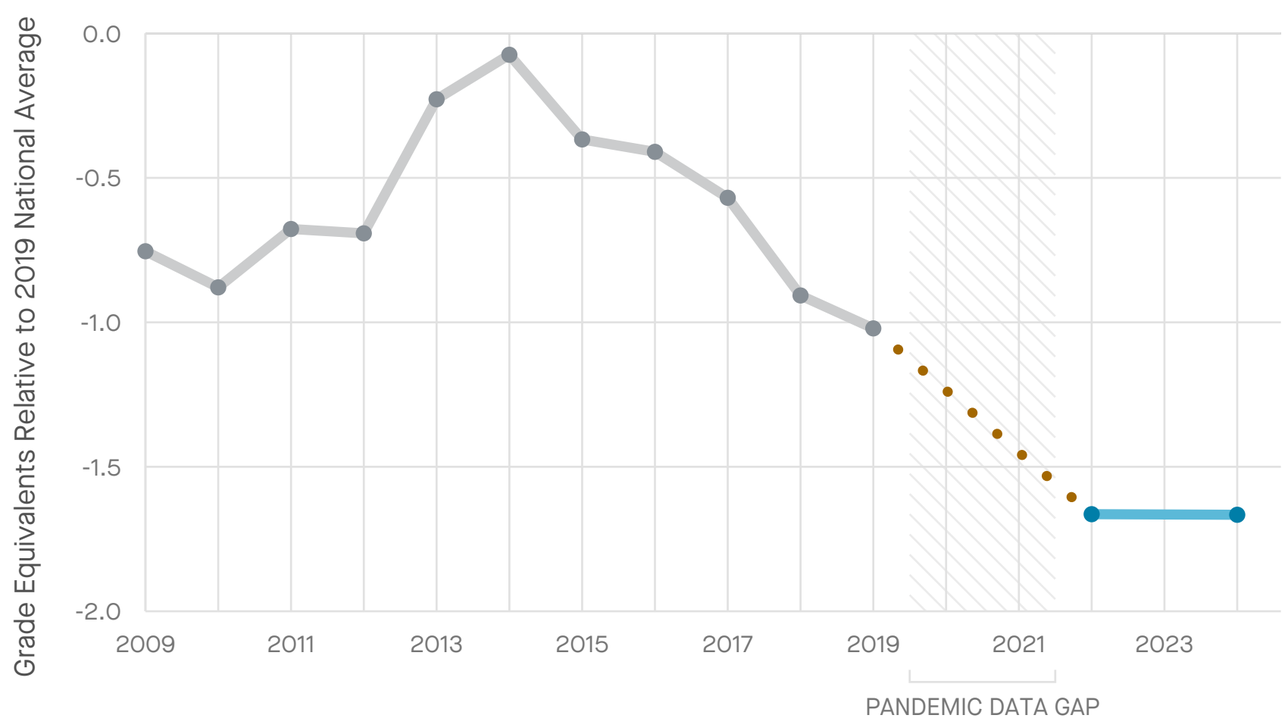
Math Performance, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores
in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

2019 Average	0.40
2022 Average	-0.41
2024 Average	-0.19
2019-2022 Change	-0.82
2022-2024 Change	+0.22
Since 2019	-0.60

Reading Performance, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



Average Reading Scores and Trends in Scores
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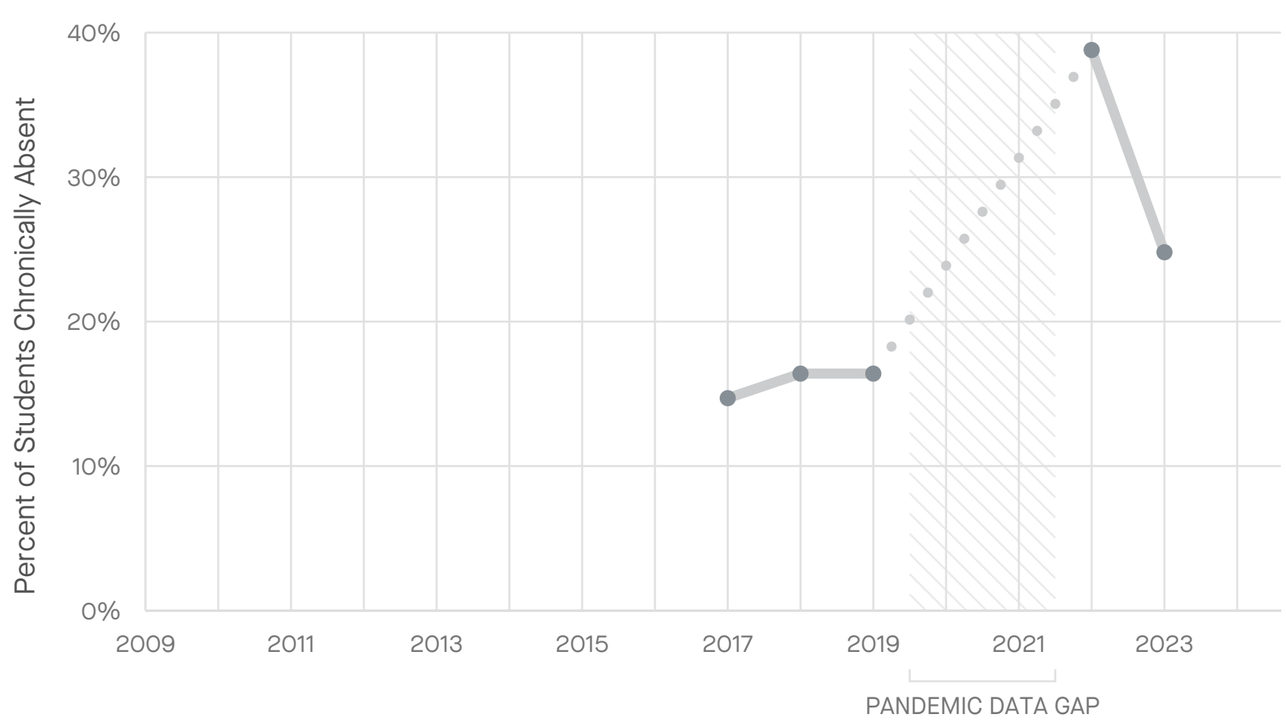
2019 Average	-1.02
2022 Average	-1.66
2024 Average	-1.67
2019-2022 Change	-0.64
2022-2024 Change	-0.00
Since 2019	-0.65

Absenteeism, Grades 3-8, 2009-2024



Absenteeism

2019-2023 Change	+0.08
Since 2009	N/A

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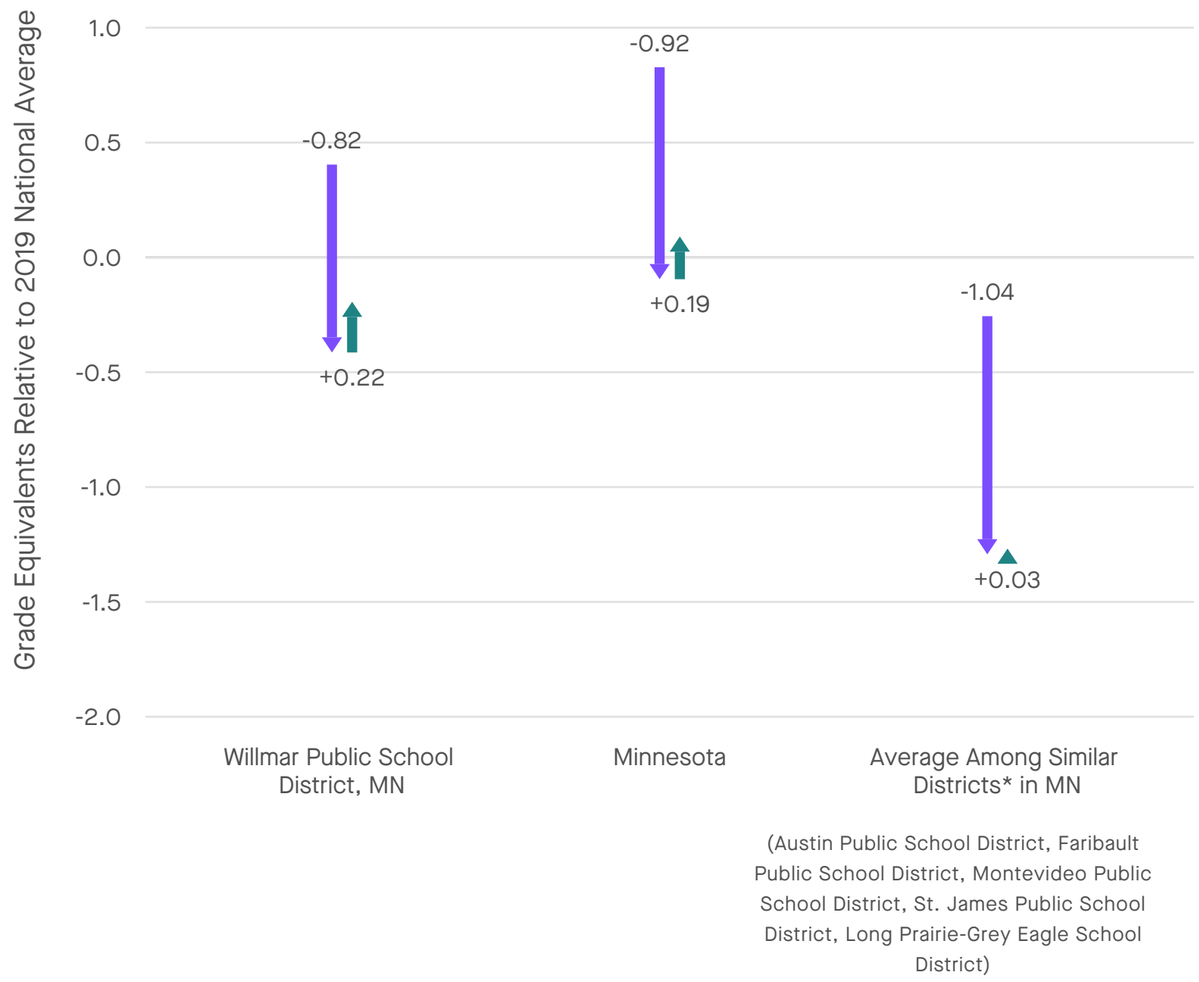
Willmar Public School District, MN

Math Performance in Willmar Public School District vs. Minnesota and Similar Districts, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores

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	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
Willmar Public School District, MN	0.40	-0.41	-0.19	↓ -0.82	↑ 0.22	↓ -0.60
Minnesota	0.83	-0.09	0.09	↓ -0.92	↑ 0.19	↓ -0.74
Similar Districts* in Minnesota	-0.26	-1.29	-1.27	↓ -1.04	↑ 0.03	↓ -1.01

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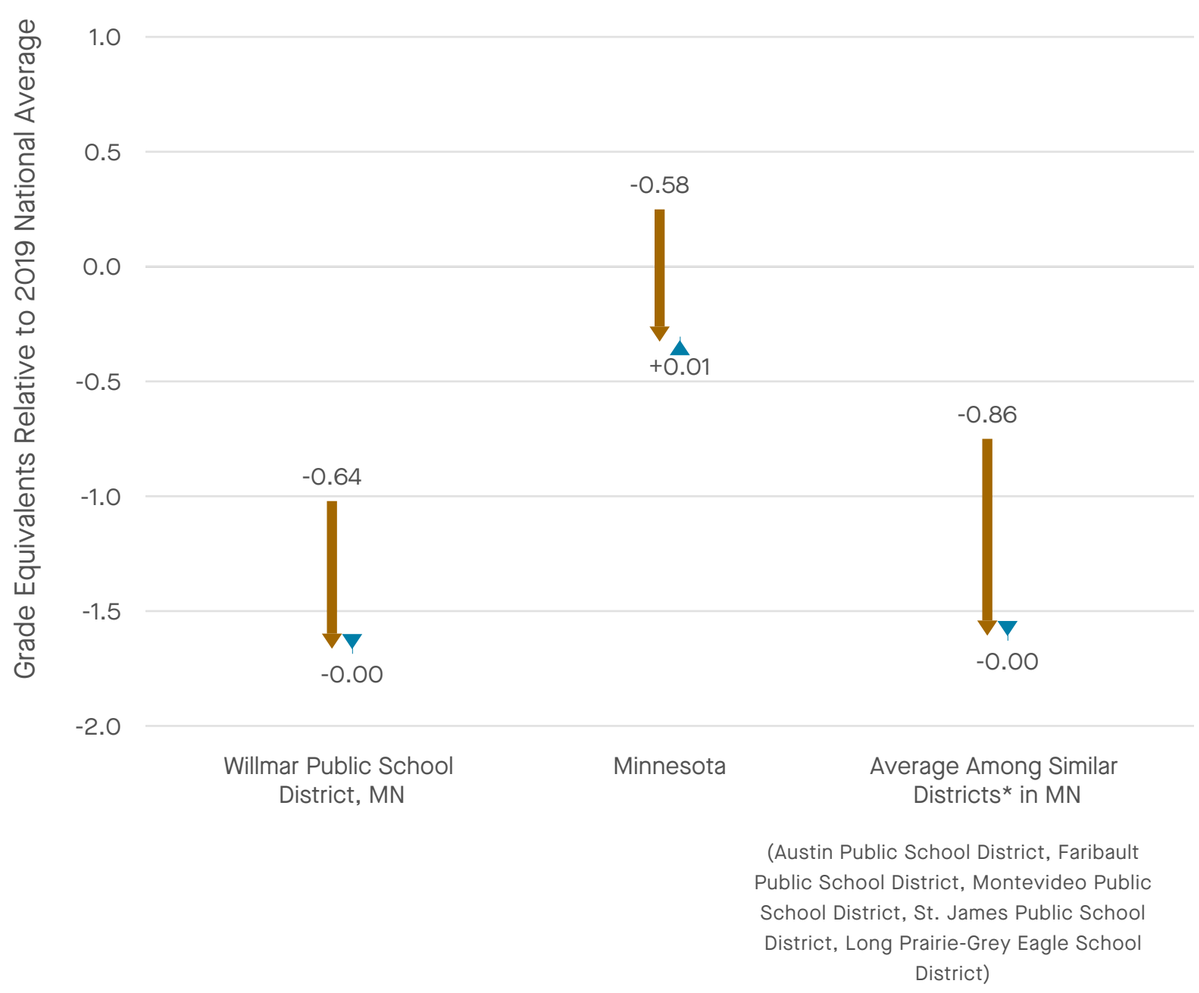
Reading Performance in Willmar Public School District vs. Minnesota and Similar Districts, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



Average Reading Scores and Trends in Scores

in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
Willmar Public School District, MN	-1.02	-1.66	-1.67	↓ -0.64	↓ -0.00	↓ -0.65
Minnesota	0.25	-0.33	-0.32	↓ -0.58	↑ 0.01	↓ -0.57
Similar Districts* in Minnesota	-0.75	-1.61	-1.61	↓ -0.86	↓ -0.00	↓ -0.86

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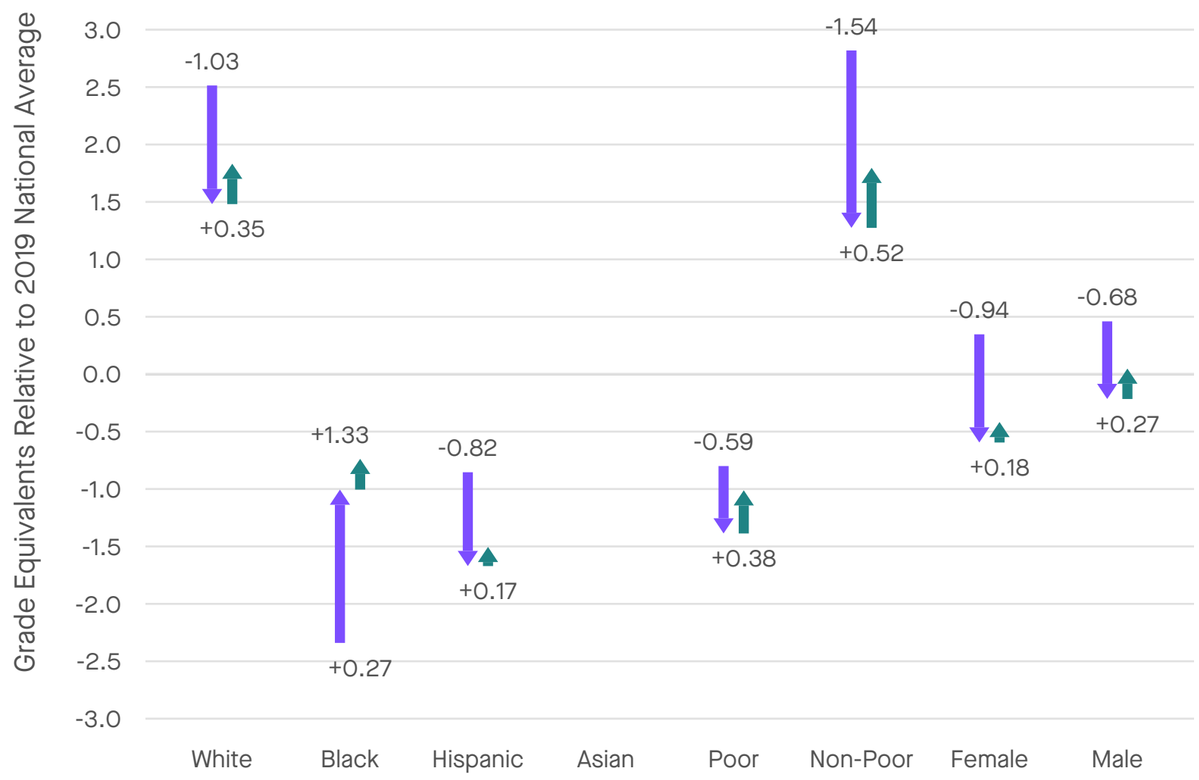
Math Performance by Subgroup, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024

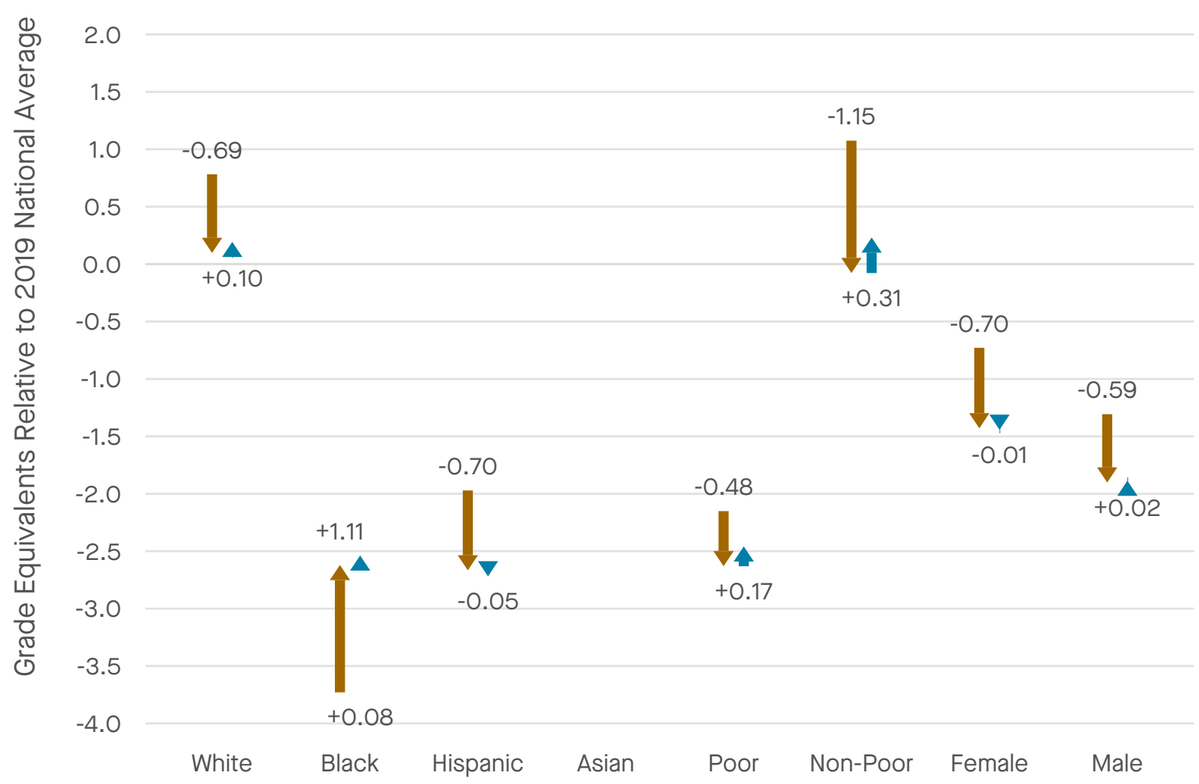


Average Math Scores and Trends in Scores

in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	2.51	1.48	1.83	↓ -1.03	↑ 0.35	↓ -0.68
Black	-2.34	-1.00	-0.74	↑ 1.33	↑ 0.27	↑ 1.60
Hispanic	-0.85	-1.67	-1.50	↓ -0.82	↑ 0.17	↓ -0.65
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poor	-0.80	-1.39	-1.01	↓ -0.59	↑ 0.38	↓ -0.21
Non-Poor	2.82	1.27	1.80	↓ -1.54	↑ 0.52	↓ -1.02
Female	0.35	-0.59	-0.42	↓ -0.94	↑ 0.18	↓ -0.76
Male	0.46	-0.22	0.05	↓ -0.68	↑ 0.27	↓ -0.41

Reading Performance by Subgroup, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



Average Reading Scores and Trends in Scores

in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	0.78	0.10	0.19	↓ -0.69	↑ 0.10	↓ -0.59
Black	-3.73	-2.62	-2.54	↑ 1.11	↑ 0.08	↑ 1.19
Hispanic	-1.97	-2.67	-2.72	↓ -0.70	↓ -0.05	↓ -0.75
Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Poor	-2.15	-2.63	-2.46	↓ -0.48	↑ 0.17	↓ -0.31
Non-Poor	1.07	-0.08	0.23	↓ -1.15	↑ 0.31	↓ -0.84
Female	-0.73	-1.43	-1.44	↓ -0.70	↓ -0.01	↓ -0.71
Male	-1.31	-1.90	-1.89	↓ -0.59	↑ 0.02	↓ -0.58

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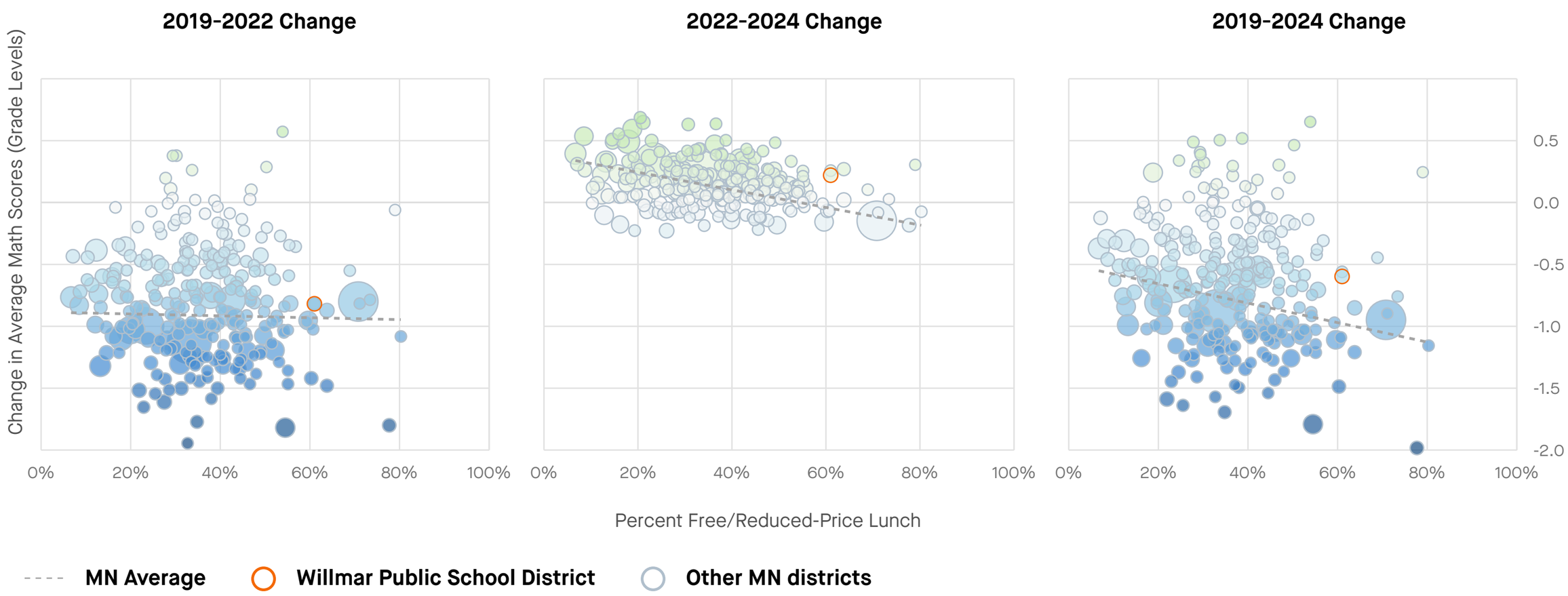
Change in Math Performance in Minnesota Districts vs. Percent Free/Reduced-Price Lunch, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



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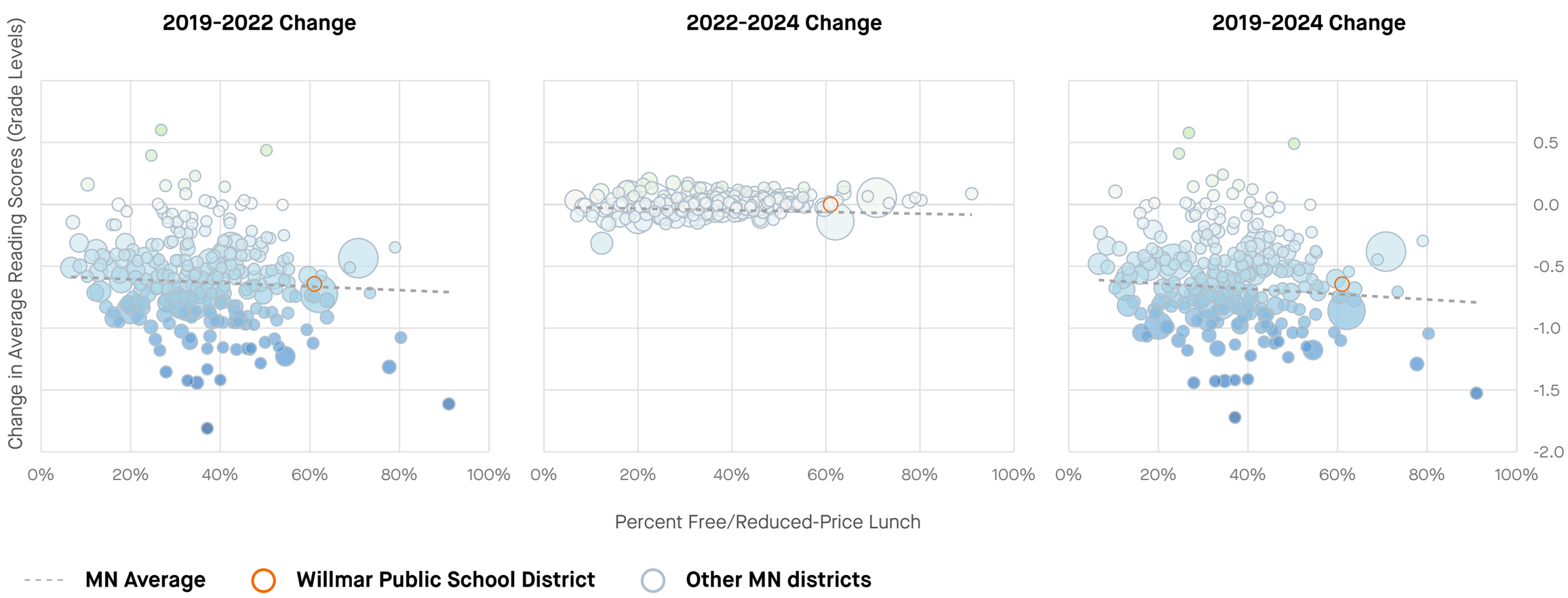

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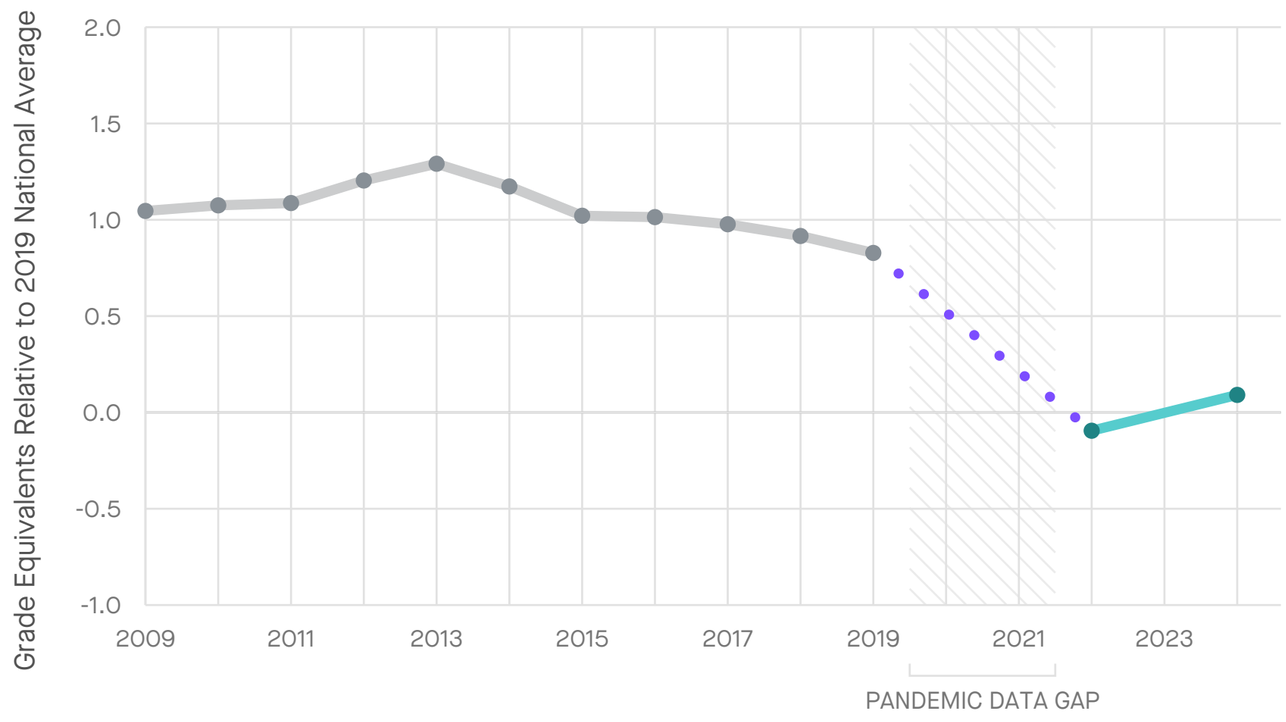

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2019 Average	0.83
2022 Average	-0.10
2024 Average	0.09
2019-2022 Change	-0.92
2022-2024 Change	+0.19
Since 2019	-0.74

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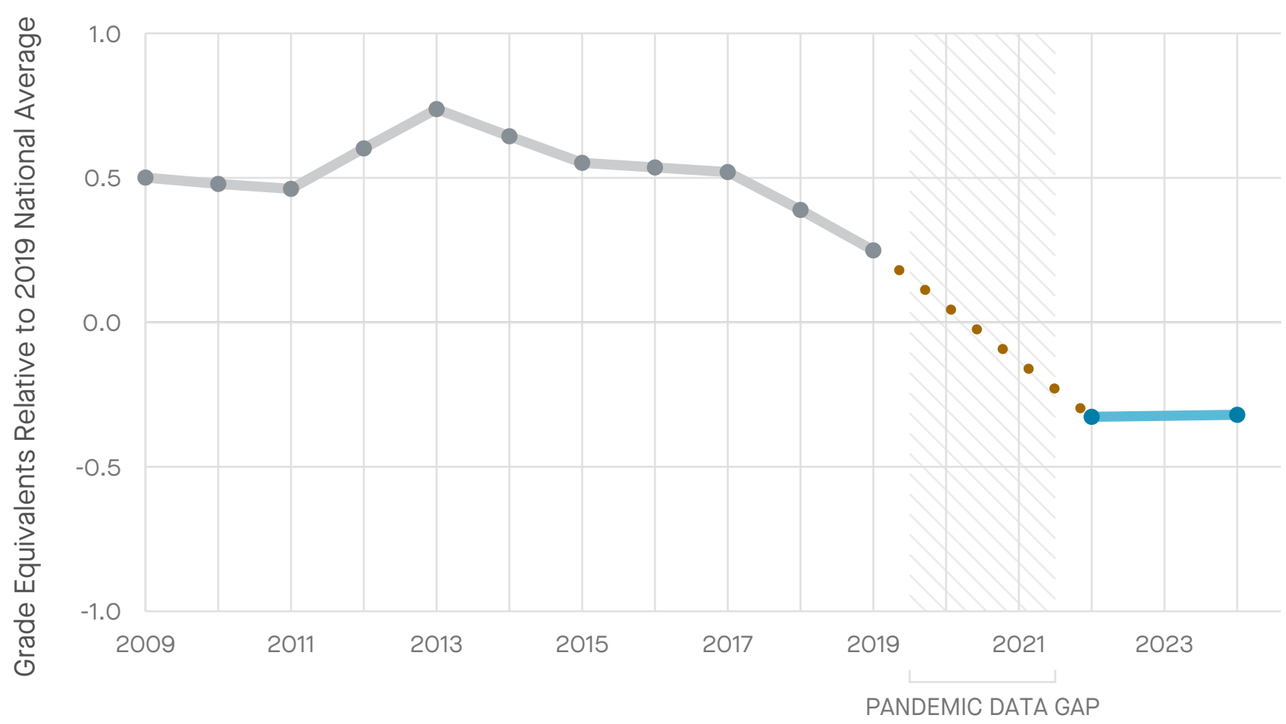

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2019 Average	0.25
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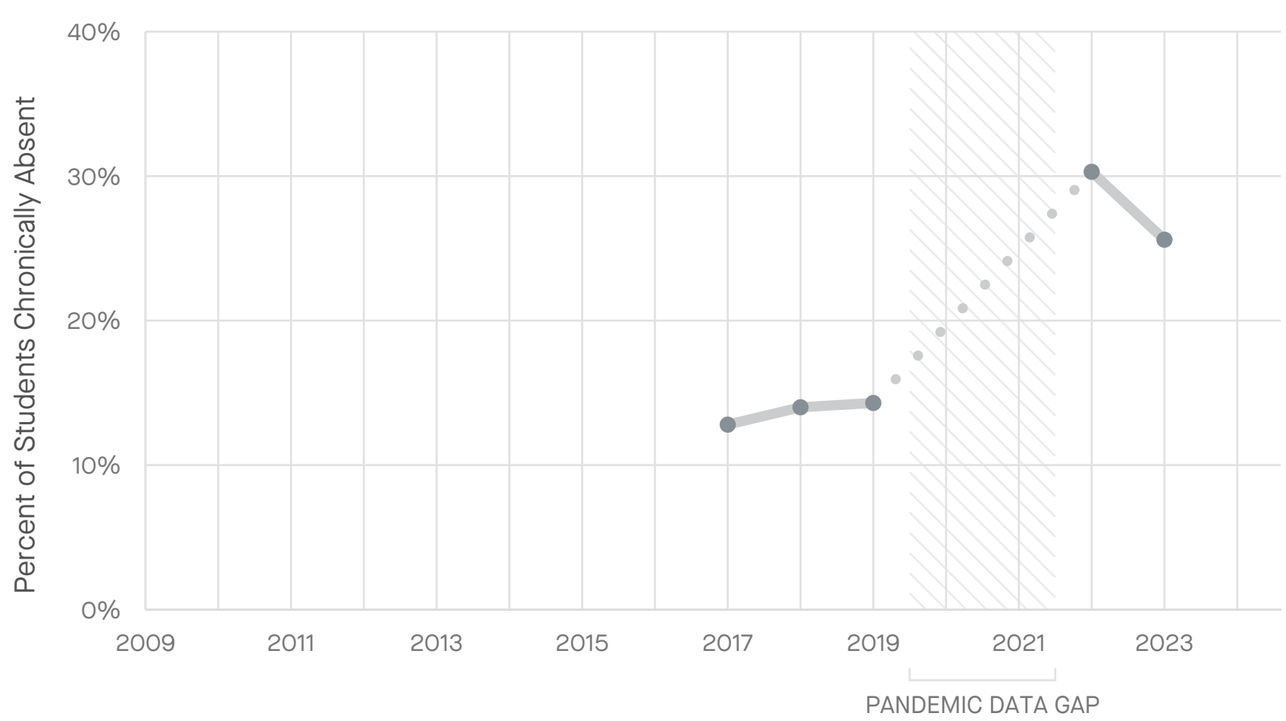

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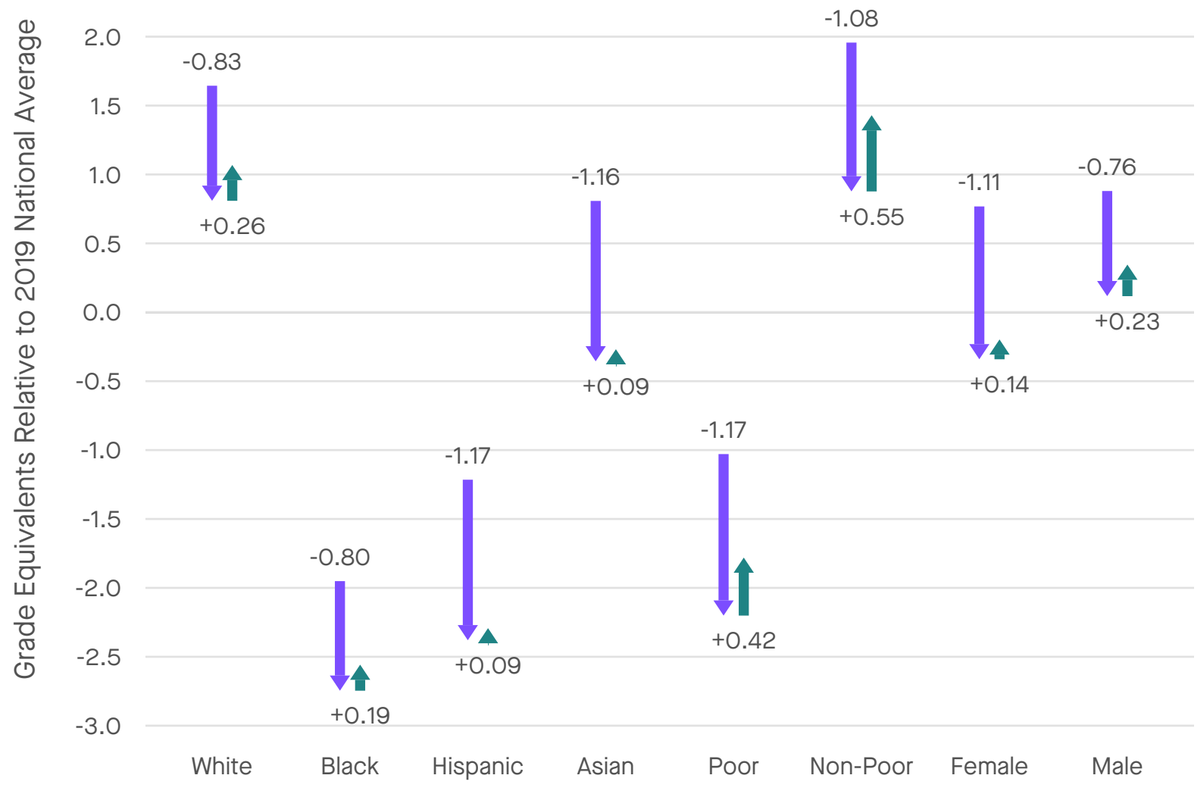
Math Performance by Subgroup, Grades 3-8, 2019-2024



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in Grade Level Equivalents Relative to the 2019 National Average

	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.64	0.81	1.07	↓ -0.83	↑ 0.26	↓ -0.57
Black	-1.95	-2.75	-2.56	↓ -0.80	↑ 0.19	↓ -0.61
Hispanic	-1.22	-2.38	-2.29	↓ -1.17	↑ 0.09	↓ -1.08
Asian	0.81	-0.36	-0.27	↓ -1.16	↑ 0.09	↓ -1.08
Poor	-1.03	-2.20	-1.78	↓ -1.17	↑ 0.42	↓ -0.75
Non-Poor	1.96	0.88	1.43	↓ -1.08	↑ 0.55	↓ -0.53
Female	0.77	-0.34	-0.20	↓ -1.11	↑ 0.14	↓ -0.96
Male	0.88	0.12	0.35	↓ -0.76	↑ 0.23	↓ -0.53

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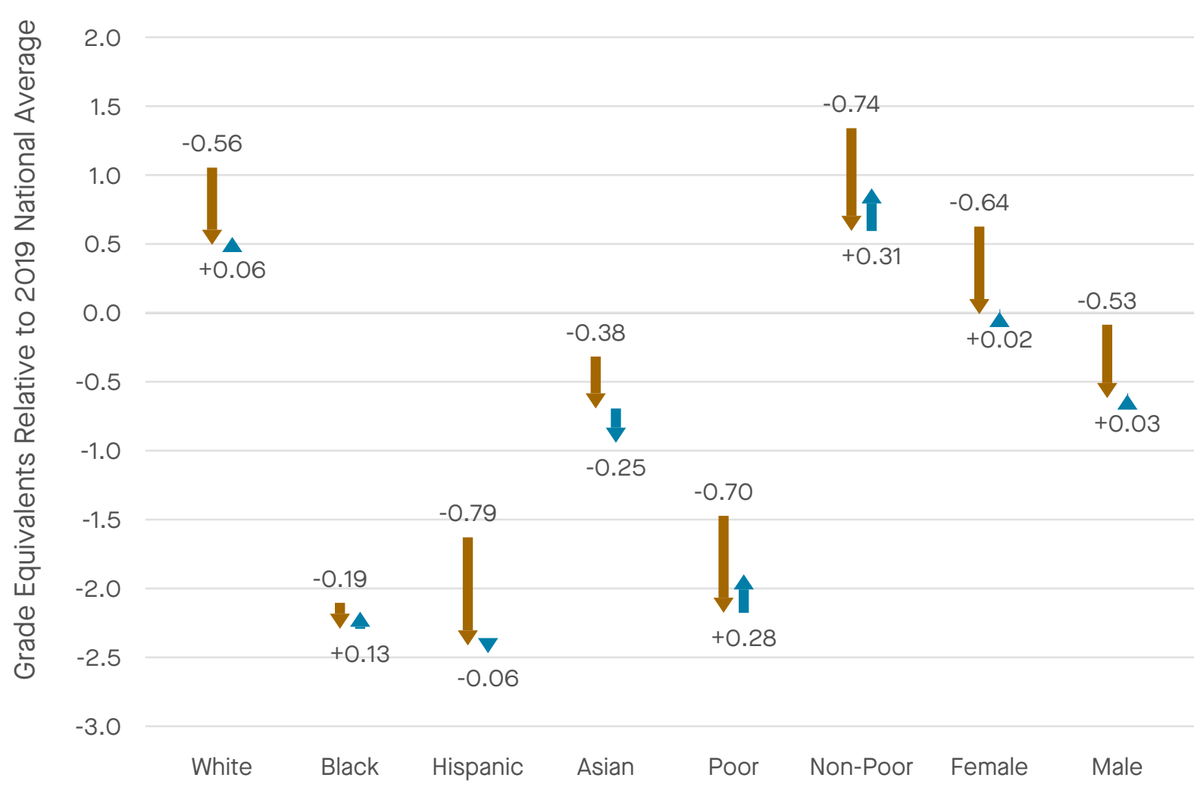

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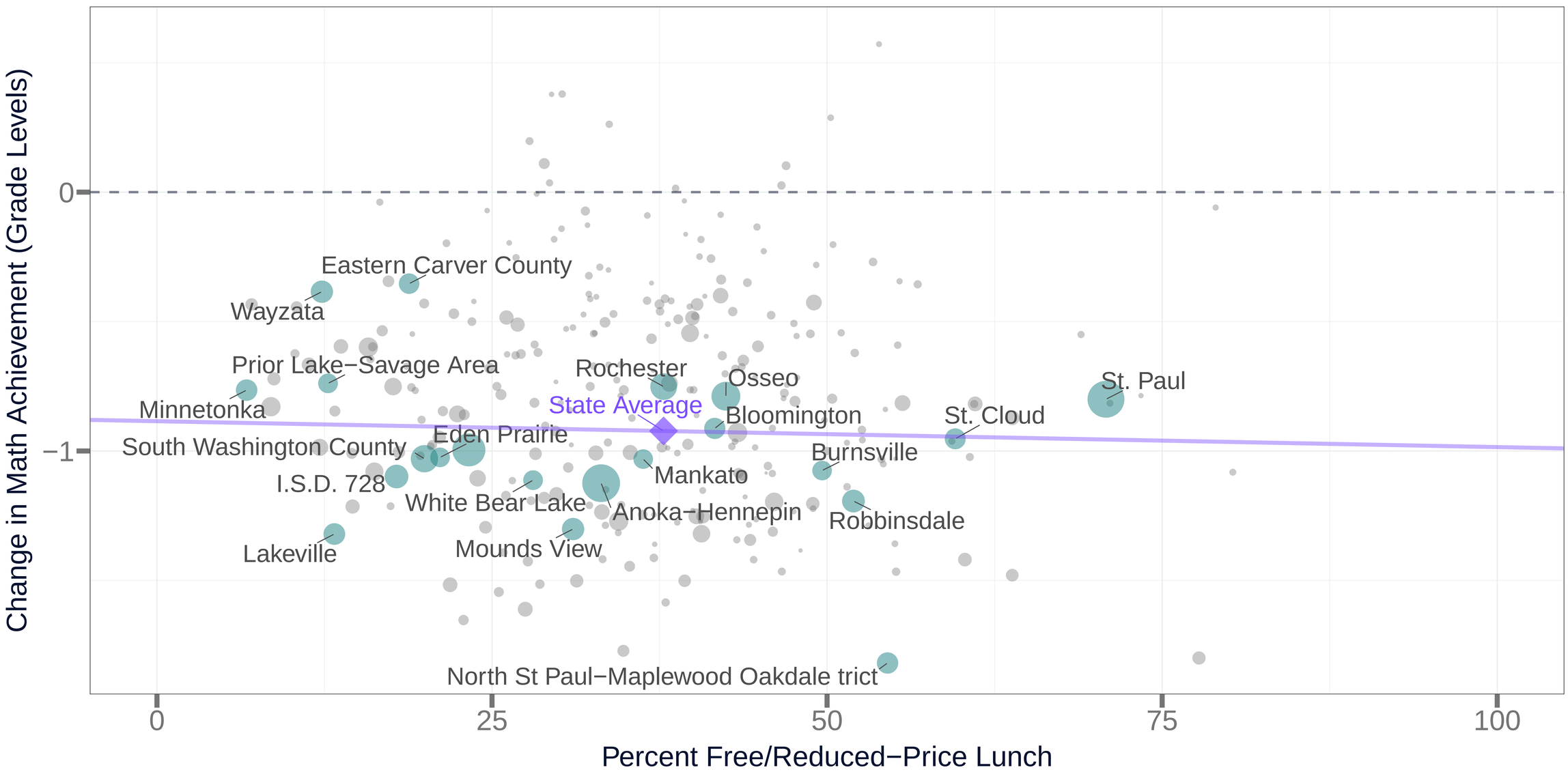
	2019 Average	2022 Average	2024 Average	2019-22 Change	2022-24 Change	2019-24 Change
White	1.05	0.49	0.55	↓ -0.56	↑ 0.06	↓ -0.50
Black	-2.10	-2.29	-2.17	↓ -0.19	↑ 0.13	↓ -0.06
Hispanic	-1.63	-2.41	-2.47	↓ -0.79	↓ -0.06	↓ -0.84
Asian	-0.32	-0.69	-0.94	↓ -0.38	↓ -0.25	↓ -0.63
Poor	-1.47	-2.18	-1.90	↓ -0.70	↑ 0.28	↓ -0.42
Non-Poor	1.34	0.59	0.90	↓ -0.74	↑ 0.31	↓ -0.44
Female	0.63	-0.01	0.01	↓ -0.64	↑ 0.02	↓ -0.62
Male	-0.09	-0.62	-0.59	↓ -0.53	↑ 0.03	↓ -0.51

Change in Math Achievement 2019−2022
by Percent FRPL in Minnesota Districts



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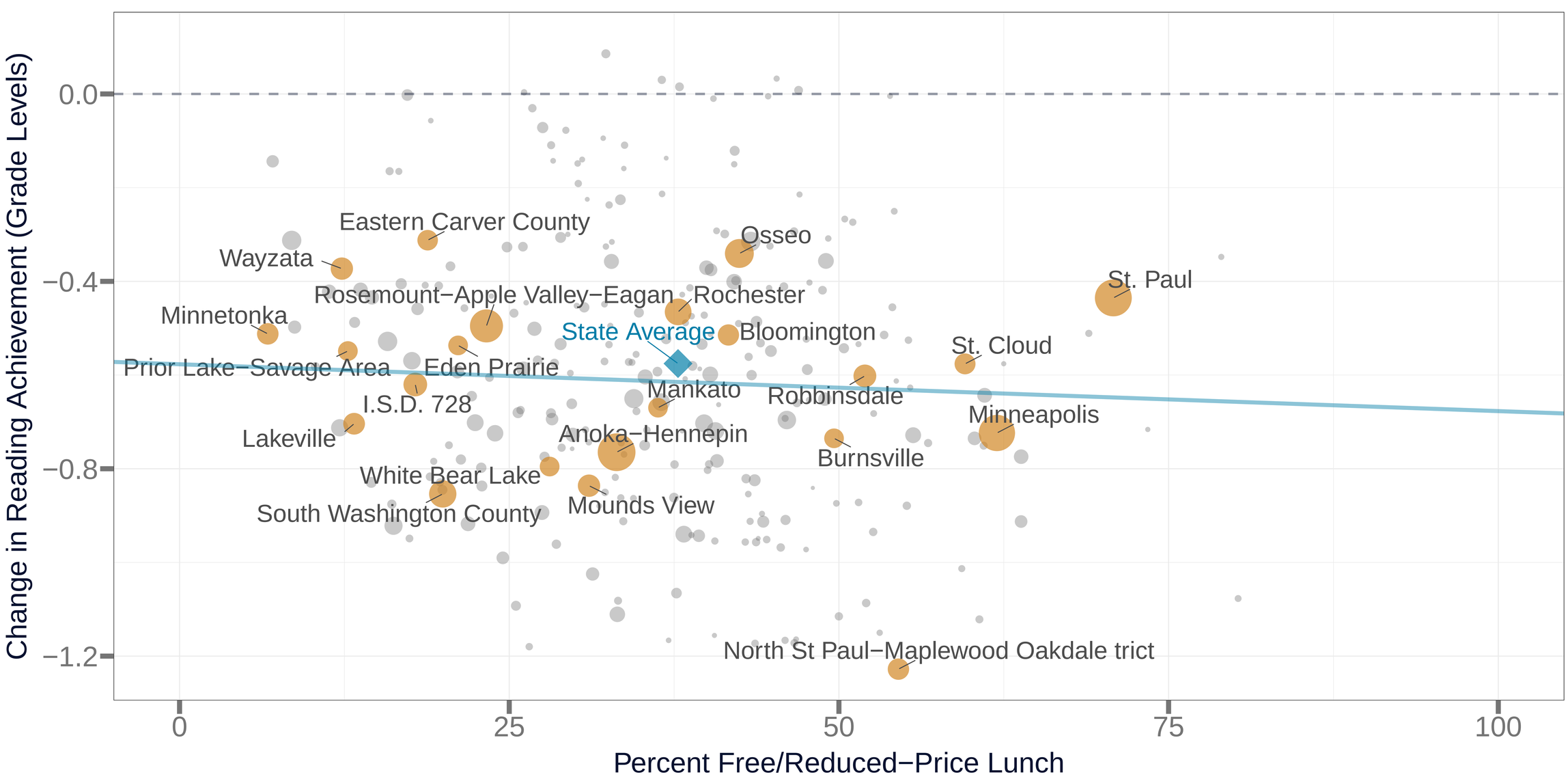

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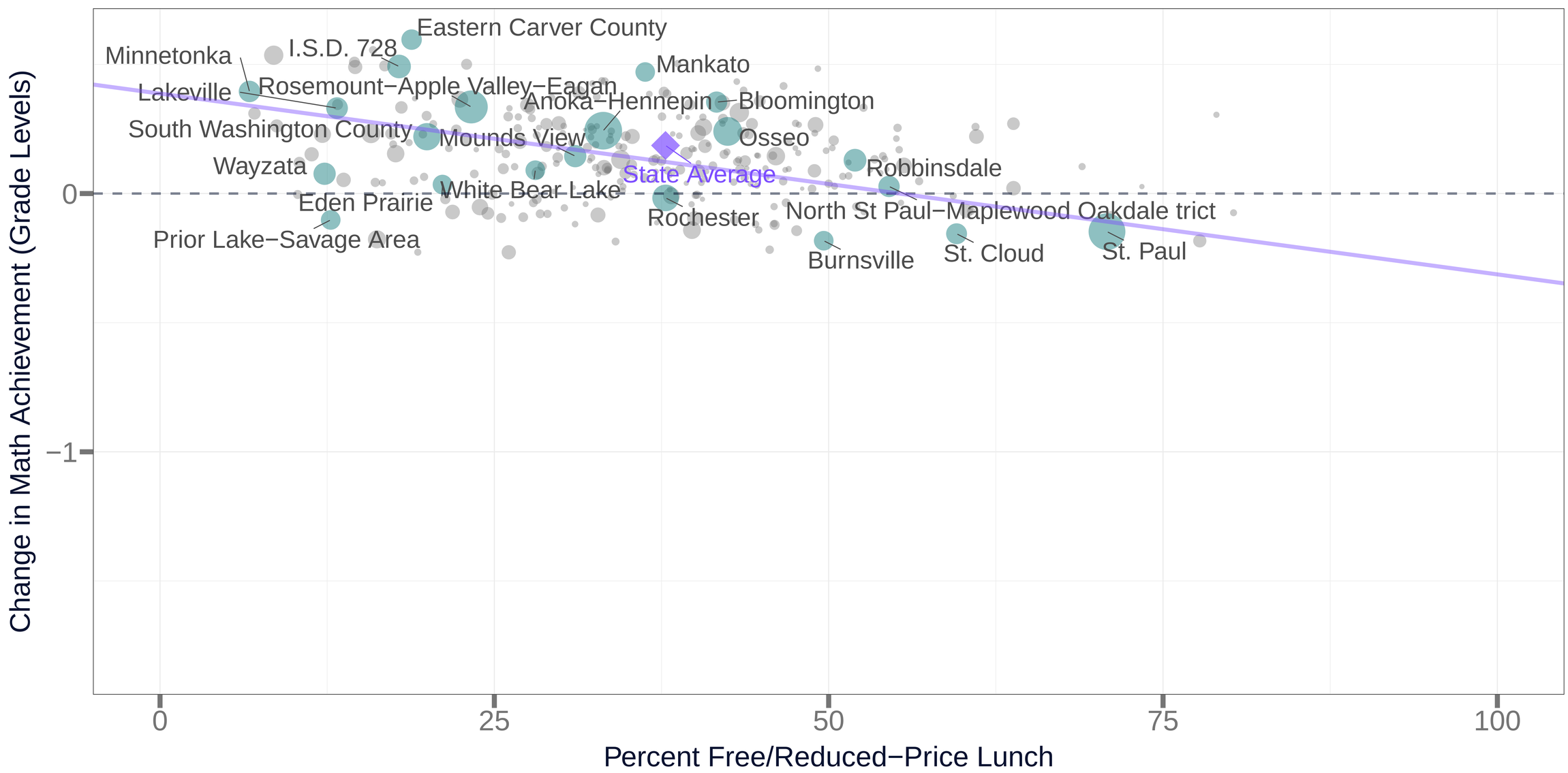

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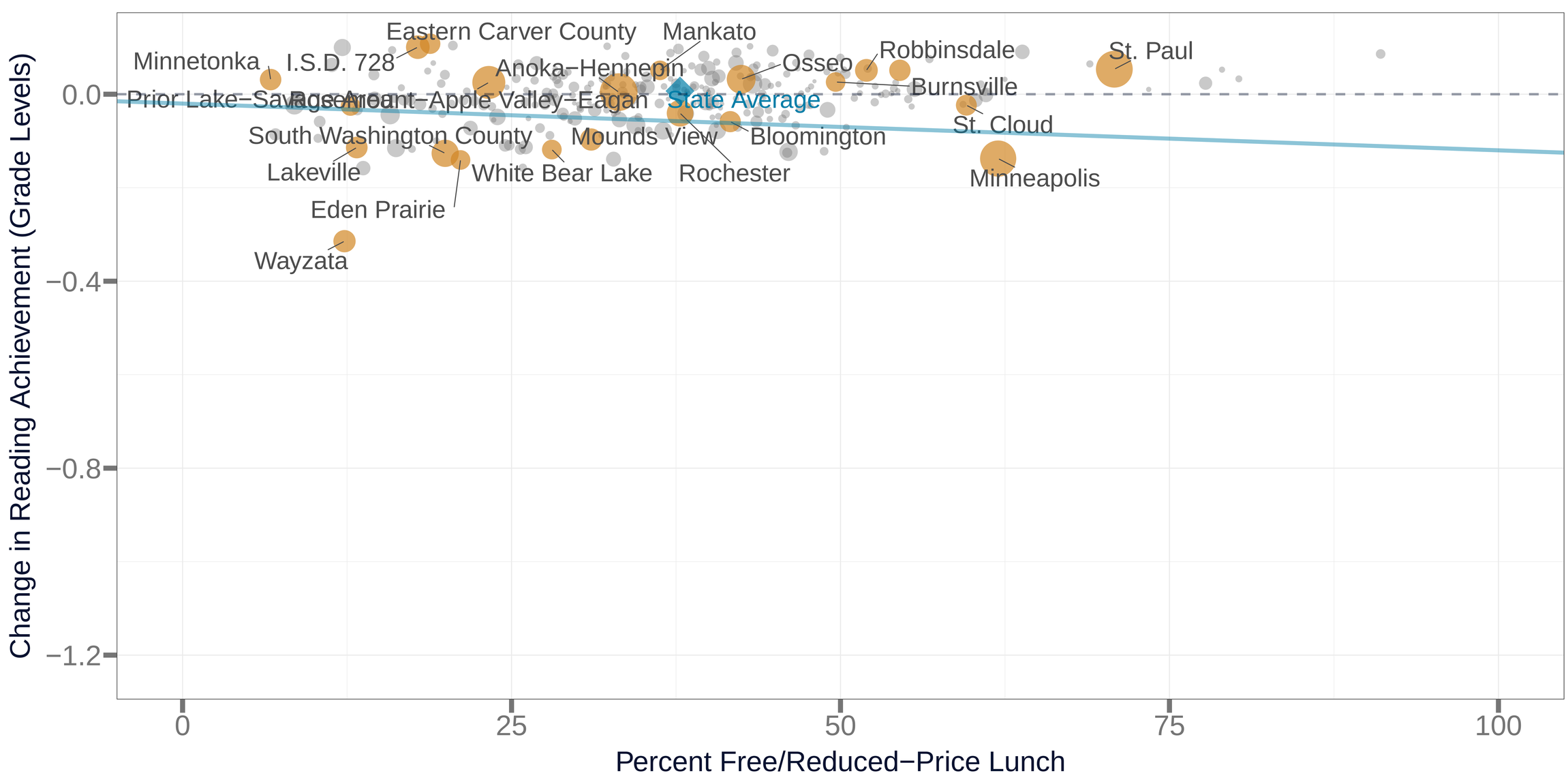

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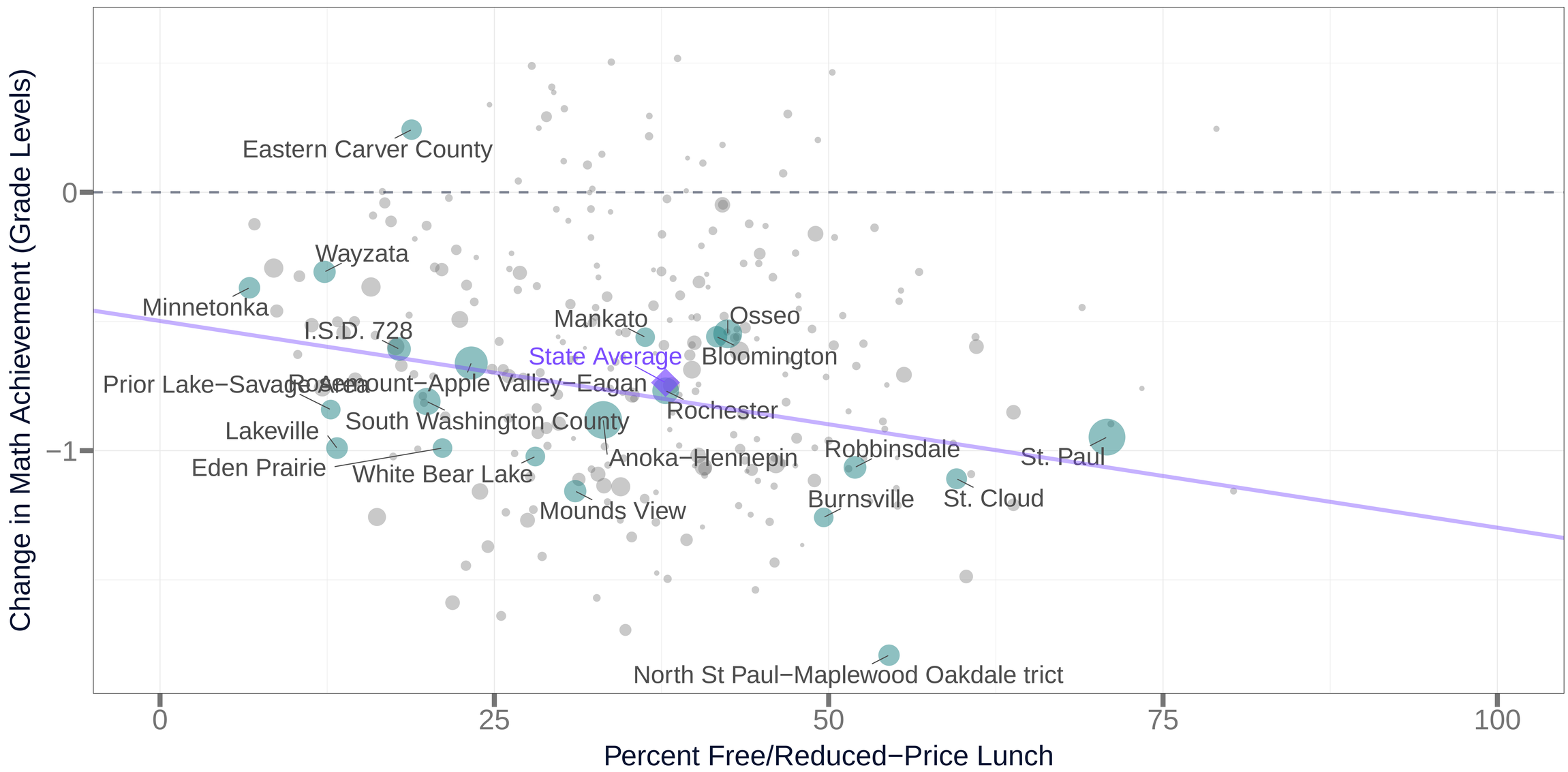

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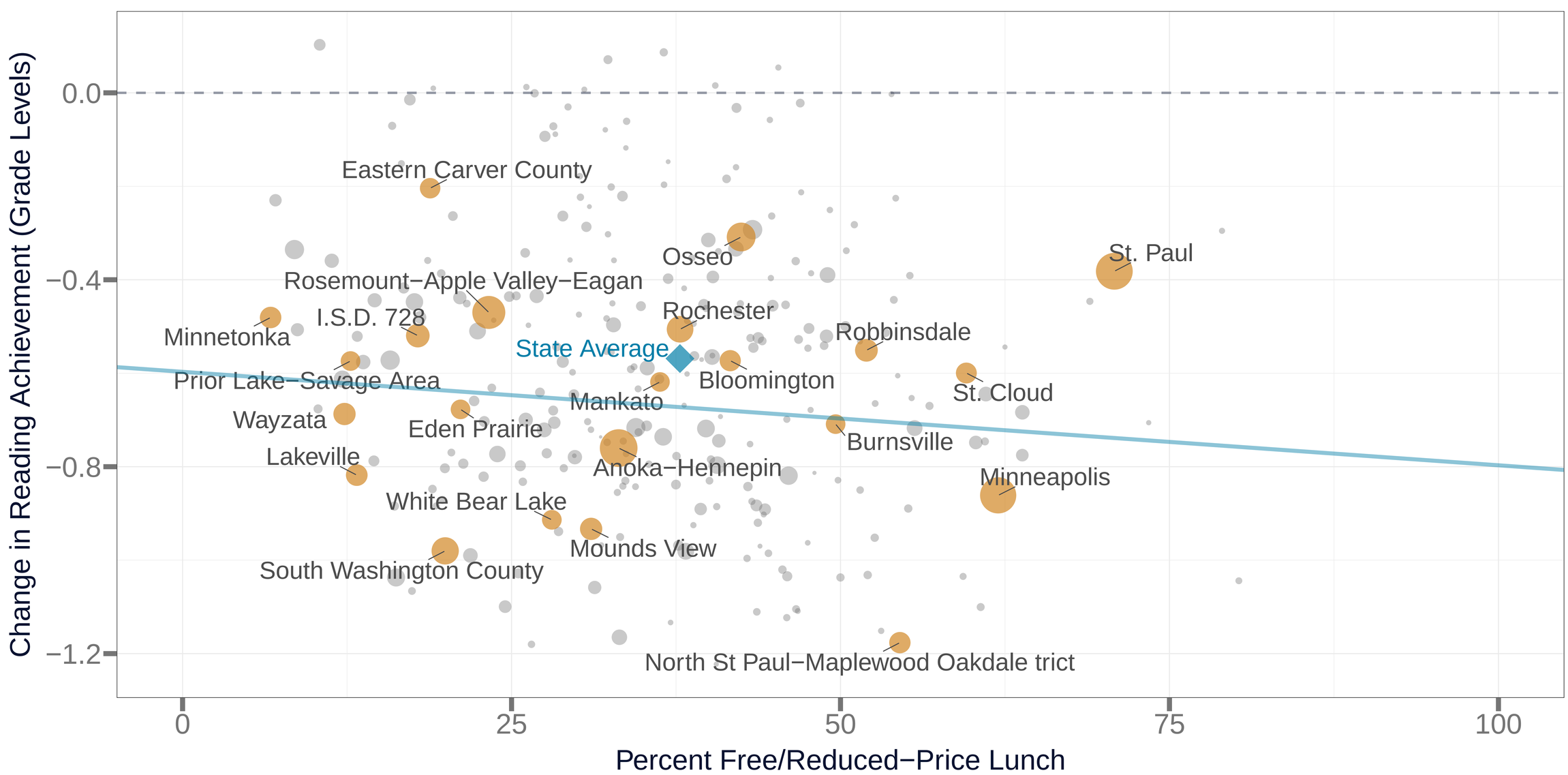

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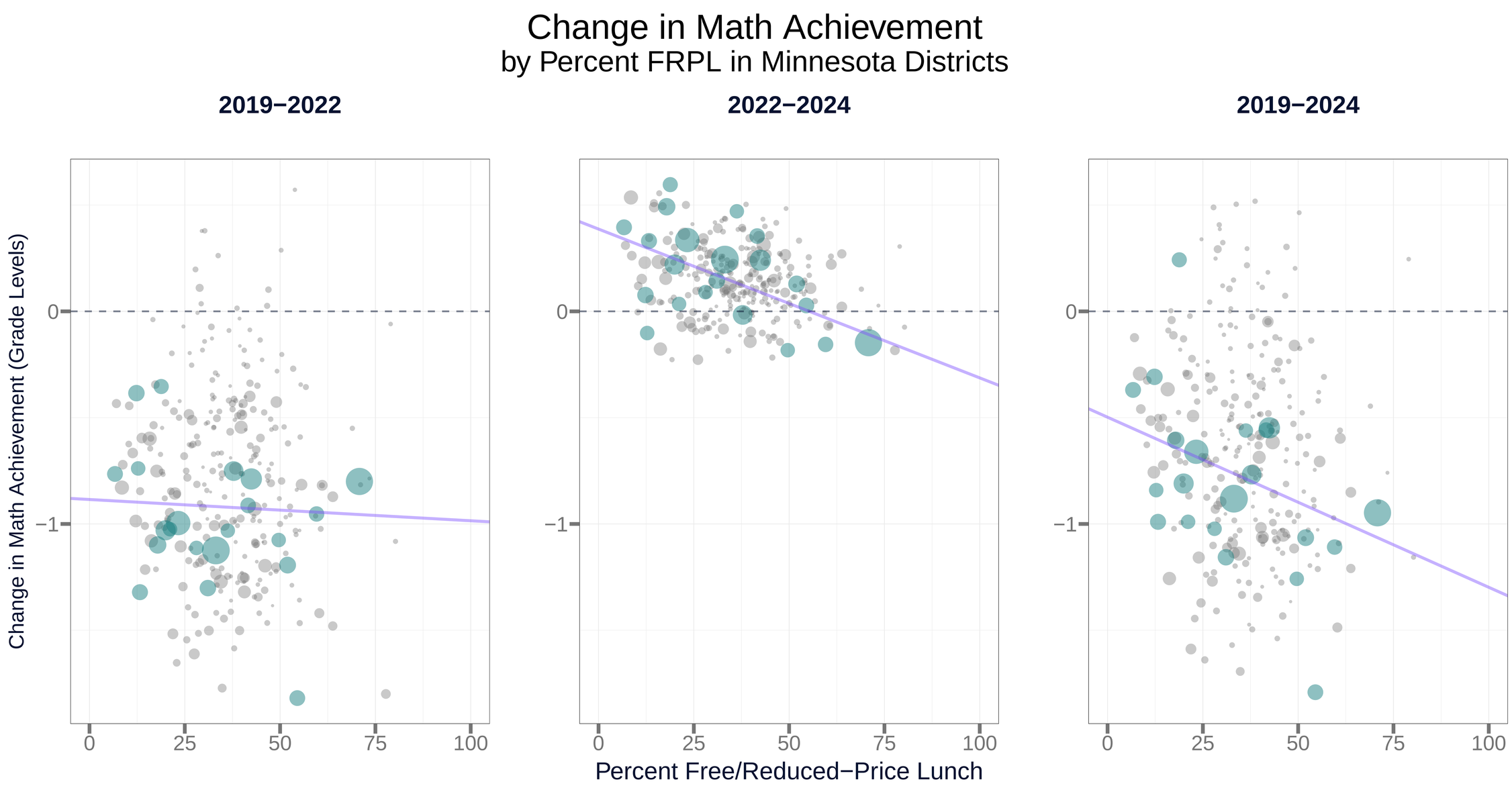

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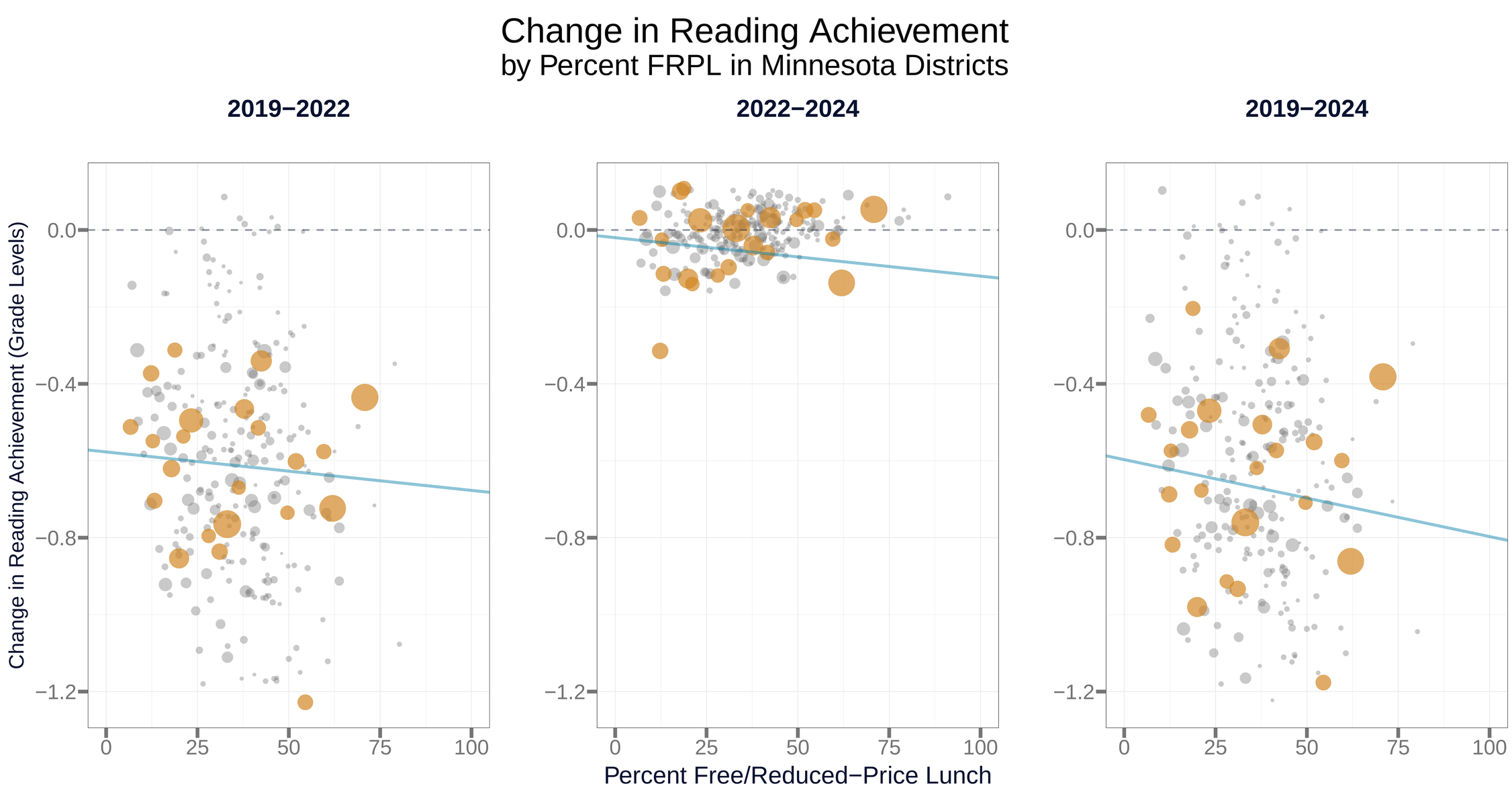

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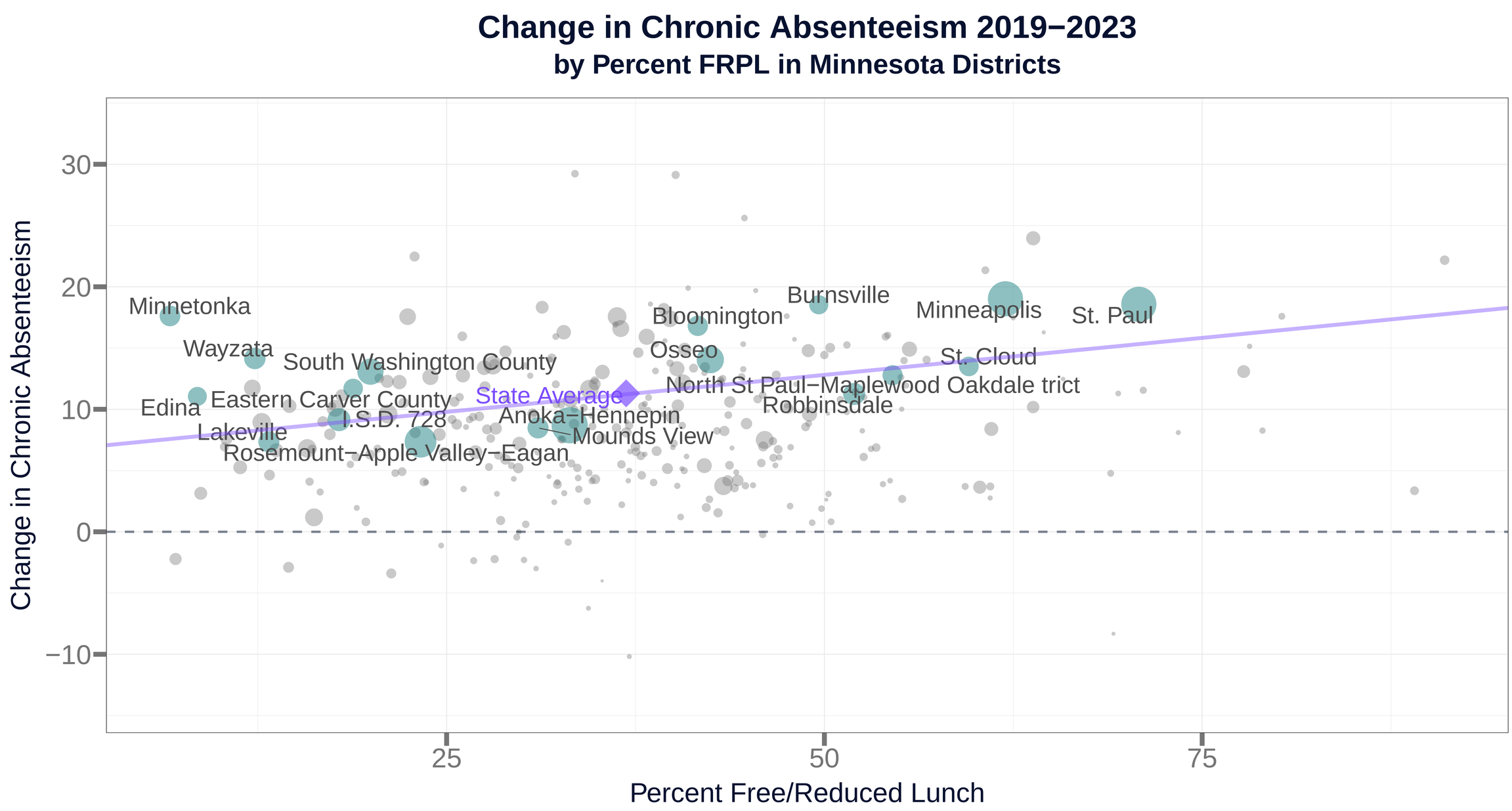

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