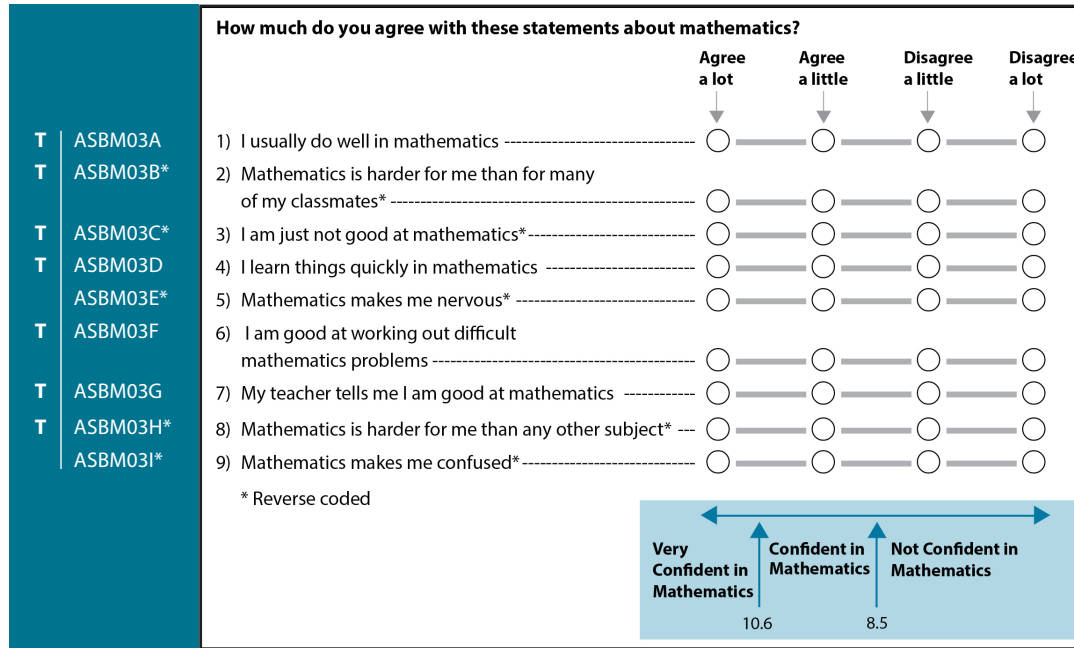


Exhibit 15.5: Items in the TIMSS 2015 *Students Confident in Mathematics* Trend Scale, Fourth Grade



T Trend item—item was included in the same scale in TIMSS 2011 and was used for linking the TIMSS 2011 and TIMSS 2015 scales.