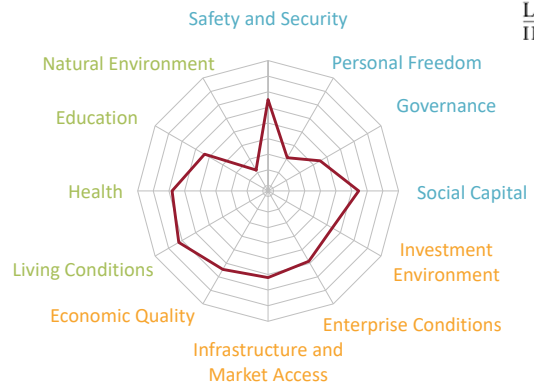
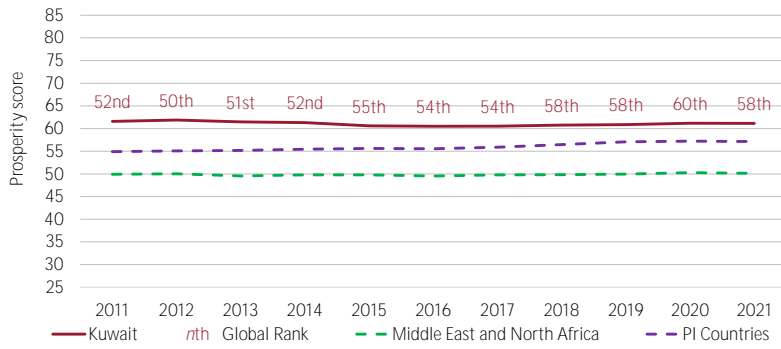




# Kuwait: Prosperity score 61.2 (58th)

## Prosperity over time



## Breakdown of performance

	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Rank - Global (1 to 167) 2021	10-year rank change	Rank - Middle East and North Africa (1 to 19) 2021
<b>Prosperity score</b>	61.6		61.2	58	▼ 6	5
<b>Inclusive Societies</b>	58.4		55.7	82	▼ 20	4
Shield Safety and Security	78.9		77.1	51	▼ 13	4
Person Personal Freedom	44.8		44.4	119	▲ 3	5
Building Governance	46.1		45.5	91	▼ 1	8
People Social Capital	63.8		55.8	52	▼ 34	7
<b>Open Economies</b>	57.9		58.7	57	▼ 7	8
Plant Investment Environment	54.4		56.2	73	▼ 10	10
Bulb Enterprise Conditions	52.2		57.4	64	▲ 9	9
Truck Infrastructure and Market Access	61.6		63.9	57	▼ 12	9
Money Economic Quality	63.3		57.2	52	▼ 20	4
<b>Empowered People</b>	68.4		69.1	62	▼ 10	5
House Living Conditions	89.0		87.8	36	▼ 9	2
Heart Health	75.9		76.9	45	▼ 6	4
Graduation Education	61.4		64.0	74	▼ 4	7
Leaf Natural Environment	47.3		47.6	137	▲ 2	7

Kuwait (58th): Pillar and element scores

Safety and Security		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021	Personal Freedom	2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021		
War and Civil Conflict	20%	86.7	78.9	51	13	4	44.8	119	3	5
Terrorism	15%	100.0	77.1	69	68	5	38.4	117	17	9
Politically Related Terror and Violence	30%	79.2	77.1	68	17	3	41.0	128	5	7
Violent Crime	25%	59.8	77.1	60	17	6	61.7	110	9	4
Property Crime	10%	78.4	77.1	29	3	5	38.2	146	6	11
							46.8	118	37	5
Governance		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021	Social Capital	2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021		
Executive Constraints	15%	48.5	46.1	91	1	8	63.8	52	34	7
Political Accountability	15%	42.5	46.1	140	17	10	75.0	96	41	8
Rule of Law	15%	57.8	46.1	47	6	7	68.4	69	11	6
Government Integrity	20%	42.4	46.1	73	15	8	63.9	70	59	9
Government Effectiveness	20%	43.7	46.1	97	4	8	66.0	37	12	7
Regulatory Quality	15%	44.0	46.1	87	2	9	45.6	98	32	5
Investment Environment		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021	Enterprise Conditions	2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021		
Property Rights	30%	60.6	54.4	73	10	10	52.2	64	9	9
Investor Protection	20%	43.7	54.4	105	25	11	54.4	82	11	9
Contract Enforcement	20%	48.8	54.4	74	1	7	52.3	64	38	10
Financing Ecosystem	20%	65.7	54.4	38	8	7	54.9	44	7	9
Restrictions on International Investment	10%	45.6	54.4	100	3	10	56.3	58	19	10
							34.9	81	51	9
Infrastructure and Market Access		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021	Economic Quality	2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021		
Communications	25%	67.1	61.6	57	12	9	63.3	52	20	4
Energy	15%	68.8	61.6	14	20	2	96.2	5	4	2
Water	10%	81.8	61.6	29	7	6	36.4	124	39	9
Transport	25%	54.3	61.6	62	22	10	46.4	103	5	14
Border Administration	5%	45.6	61.6	103	33	12	43.9	49	9	6
Open Market Scale	5%	8.4	61.6	162	3	18	75.4	33	27	5
Import Tariff Barriers	5%	56.0	61.6	80	18	6				
Market Distortions	10%	72.3	61.6	80	29	11				
Living Conditions		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021	Health	2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021		
Material Resources	20%	82.3	89.0	36	9	2	75.9	45	6	4
Nutrition	20%	93.7	89.0	37	26	2	54.9	109	5	17
Basic Services	10%	97.6	89.0	45	9	6	86.0	80	23	10
Shelter	20%	94.7	89.0	35	9	2	61.2	56	10	4
Connectedness	15%	82.5	89.0	41	14	5	71.7	65	19	3
Protection from Harm	15%	84.8	89.0	26	3	3	69.6	73	25	8
							90.9	29	6	2
Education		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021	Natural Environment	2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021	2021 Global Rank 10-yr rank change	Middle East and North Africa 2021		
Pre-Primary Education	5%	69.1	61.4	74	4	7	47.3	137	2	7
Primary Education	20%	80.3	61.4	107	17	15	47.5	160	3	16
Secondary Education	30%	62.2	61.4	66	5	7	47.6	138	16	10
Tertiary Education	20%	32.3	61.4	70	13	9	58.1	52	38	3
Adult Skills	25%	67.2	61.4	77	2	7	26.6	159	3	15
							61.7	39	1	5
							45.9	60	2	4



Kuwait: Safety and Security (51st): Element and Indicator scores

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War and Civil Conflict (78th)							Terrorism (69th)						
Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021
		<b>20%</b>	86.7		86.7	82 78			<b>15%</b>	100.0		98.3	1 69
Two-sided conflict deaths	UCDP deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.000		0.000	1 1	Terrorism deaths	GTD deaths /1,000,000 population	2.0	0.000		0.063	1 81
Civil and ethnic war	CSP coding: 0-9	1.0	0.0		0.0	1 1	Terrorism injuries	GTD injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.000		0.063	1 71
Conflict-driven internal displacement	IDMC people /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1 1	Terrorism incidents	GTD incidents /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.000		0.126	1 73
Refugees (origin country)	UNHCR people /1,000,000 population	1.0	329.6		337.7	104 98	Property cost of terrorism	GTD US \$ /billion US 2010 \$	1.0	0.0		0.0	1 1
<b>Politically Related Terror and Violence (68th)</b>							<b>Violent Crime (60th)</b>						
		<b>30%</b>	79.2		75.0	51 68			<b>25%</b>	59.8		59.3	43 60
Political terror	PTS index: 1-5	2.0	2.0		2.0	42 54	Intentional homicides	UNODC homicides /100,000 population	2.0	1.43		1.82	40 62
Extrajudicial killings	CIRIGHTS coding: 0-2	1.0	2.0		2.0	1 1	<i>Dispute settlement through violence</i>	WSP expert survey: 0-1	1.0	0.587		0.587	42 44
Use of torture	CIRIGHTS coding: 0-2	1.0	1.0		1.0	22 42	Safety walking alone at night	Gallup percentage	1.0	86.0		90.0	8 8
Disappearance cases	CIRIGHTS coding: 0-2	1.0	2.0		2.0	1 1	Physical security of women	WomStat index: 0-4	1.0	4.0		4.0	116 105
Political imprisonment	CIRIGHTS coding: 0-2	0.5	1.0		0.0	65 114							
One-sided conflict deaths	UCDP deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.000		0.000	1 1							
<b>Property Crime (29th)</b>													
		<b>10%</b>	78.4		77.2	32 29							
Property stolen	Gallup percentage	2.0	14.0		6.0	90 12							
Business costs of crime and violence	WEF expert survey: 1-7	0.5	6.32		5.05	9 45							
Business costs of organised crime	WEF expert survey: 1-7	1.0	6.32		5.09	25 49							



Kuwait: Personal Freedom (119th): Element and indicator scores

*Italics: Indicator contains imputed values*

				2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021						2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021			
<b>Agency (117th)</b>				<b>25%</b>	<b>38.4</b>		<b>45.6</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>Freedom of Assembly and Association (128th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	<b>41.0</b>		<b>40.3</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>128</b>
Personal autonomy and individual rights	FH	coding, 0-16	1.0	6.0		6.0	122	114	Right to associate and organise	FH	coding, 0-12	1.0	5.0		4.0	115	113		
<i>Due process and rights</i>	<i>WIP</i>	<i>expert survey, 0-1</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>0.527</i>		<i>0.527</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>Guarantee of assembly and association</i>	<i>WIP</i>	<i>expert survey, 0-1</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>0.40</i>		<i>0.40</i>	<i>141</i>	<i>135</i>		
Freedom of movement	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-4	1.0	2.0		3.0	110	83	Autonomy from the state	V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.413		0.473	132	124		
Women's agency	WomStat	coding, 0-16	1.0	12.0		12.0	117	117											
<i>Freedom from arbitrary interference with privacy</i>	<i>WIP</i>	<i>expert survey, 0-1</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>0.43</i>		<i>0.43</i>	<i>82</i>	<i>74</i>											
Freedom from forced labour	V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.276		0.294	156	158											
Government response to slavery	GSI	index, -10-100	1.0	17.7		27.8	152	130											
Satisfaction with freedom	Gallup	percentage	1.0	69.7		85.3	86	50											
<b>Freedom of Speech and Access to Information (110th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	<b>61.7</b>		<b>55.4</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>Absence of Legal Discrimination (146th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	<b>38.2</b>		<b>33.1</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>146</b>
Press freedom from government censorship	FH	index, 0-100	1.0	57.0		60.0	99	103	Equal treatment and absence of discrimination	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.590		0.590	79	69		
Press freedom from physical repression	RfF	index, 0-100	1.0	28.3		34.4	74	95	Non-discriminatory civil justice	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5	0.531		0.531	94	89		
<i>Freedom of opinion and expression</i>	<i>WIP</i>	<i>expert survey, 0-1</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>0.399</i>		<i>0.399</i>	<i>126</i>	<i>123</i>	<i>Freedom from hiring and workplace discrimination</i>	<i>WIP</i>	<i>expert survey, 0-1</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>0.502</i>		<i>0.502</i>	<i>111</i>	<i>110</i>		
Government media censorship	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	2.11		1.94	111	110	LGBT rights	ILGA	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	111	114		
Alternative sources of information	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	1.0	0.777		0.657	88	114	Protection of women's workplace, education and family rights	WomStat	coding, 0-8	1.0	11.0		11.0	150	145		
Political diversity of media perspectives	V-DEM	coding, 0-3	0.5	2.72		2.33	57	95	<i>Freedom of belief and religion</i>	<i>WIP</i>	<i>expert survey, 0-1</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>0.331</i>		<i>0.331</i>	<i>155</i>	<i>155</i>		
									Government religious intimidation and hostility	Pew	index, 0-1	1.0	0.20		0.48	97	131		
<b>Social Tolerance (118th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	<b>46.8</b>		<b>48.0</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>118</b>										
Perceived tolerance of ethnic minorities	Gallup	percentage	1.0	57.1		57.1	96	144											
<i>Perceived tolerance of LGBT individuals</i>	<i>Gallup</i>	<i>percentage</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>16.0</i>		<i>16.0</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>106</i>											
Perceived tolerance of immigrants	Gallup	percentage	1.0	67.9		70.9	46	51											



Kuwait: Governance (91st): Element and indicator scores

*Italics: Indicator contains imputed values*

				2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011	2021					2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011	2021			
<b>Executive Constraints (72nd)</b>				<b>15%</b>	48.5		75	72	<b>Political Accountability (140th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	42.5		33.8	123	140		
<i>Executive powers are effectively limited by the judiciary and legislature</i>	WJP	expert survey, 0-3	2.0	1.51		1.51	88	85	<i>Consensus on democracy and a market economy as a goal</i>				BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	7.0		5.0	75	119
<i>Government powers are subject to independent and non-governmental checks</i>	WJP	expert survey, 0-3	1.0	1.49		1.49	88	77	<i>Political participation and rights</i>				FH	coding, 1-7	0.5	4.0		5.0	89	101
<i>Transition of power is subject to the law</i>	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.547		0.547	96	89	<i>Democracy level</i>				CSP	expert survey, -10-10	1.0	-7.0		-7.0	150	151
<b>Military involvement in rule of law and politics</b>	FI	index, 0-10	0.5	8.30		8.30	34	30	<i>Complaint mechanisms</i>				WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.422		0.422	132	138
<i>Government officials are sanctioned for misconduct</i>	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.501		0.501	69	62												
<b>Rule of Law (47th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	57.8		41	47	<b>Government Integrity (73rd)</b>				<b>20%</b>	42.4		49.0	88	73		
<b>Judicial independence</b>	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.93		4.57	35	41	<i>Use of public office for private gain</i>				WJP	expert survey, 0-4	1.0	1.61		1.61	58	60
<i>Civil justice</i>	WJP	expert survey, 0-6	3.0	3.19		3.19	59	65	<i>Diversion of public funds</i>				WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.61		3.97	57	52
<b>Integrity of the legal system</b>	FI	index, 0-10	2.0	7.53		6.61	33	46	<i>Anti-corruption policy</i>				BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	3.0		5.0	112	57
<b>Efficiency of dispute settlement</b>	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	4.4		4.4	36	35	<i>Clientelism</i>				V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.617		0.620	105	113
								<i>Legislative corruption</i>				V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	1.30		1.45	109	100	
								<i>Judicial corruption</i>				V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	2.74		2.74	56	62	
								<i>Executive corruption</i>				V-DEM	index, 0-1	0.5	0.568		0.370	81	65	
								<i>Public sector corruption</i>				V-DEM	index, 0-1	0.5	0.506		0.506	75	82	
<b>Government Effectiveness (97th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	43.7		101	97	<b>Regulatory Quality (87th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	44.0		43.9	85	87		
<b>Government quality and credibility</b>	WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	2.0	0.20		0.02	58	75	<i>Right to information</i>				WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5	0.33		0.33	147	140
<b>Prioritisation</b>	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	5.0		5.0	86	85	<i>Publicised laws and government data</i>				WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.34		0.34	118	98
<b>Efficiency of government spending</b>	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.13		3.38	90	60	<i>Transparency of government policy</i>				WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.66		3.55	125	113
<b>Efficient use of assets</b>	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	6.0		5.0	48	68	<i>Budget transparency</i>				IBP	index, 0-100	0.5	28.2		28.2	119	133
<b>Implementation</b>	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	3.0		4.0	144	119	<b>Regulatory quality</b>				WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	1.0	0.15		0.06	67	67
<b>Policy learning</b>	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	5.0		5.0	85	80	<i>Enforcement of regulations</i>				WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.483		0.483	87	90
<b>Policy coordination</b>	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	4.0		4.0	129	119	<i>Efficiency of legal framework in challenging regulations</i>				WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.16		4.28	41	27
								<i>Delay in administrative proceedings</i>				WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.516		0.516	58	64	











Kuwait: Infrastructure and Market Access (57th): Element and indicator scores

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				2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011	2021					2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011	2021
Element	Source	Unit	Weight						Element	Source	Unit	Weight					
<b>Communications (66th)</b>			<b>25%</b>	67.1		79.9	47	66	<b>Energy (14th)</b>			<b>15%</b>	68.8		79.1	34	14
International internet bandwidth	ITU	kilobits per second per capita	1.0	52.5		61.6	50	30	Installed electric capacity	UNESD	kilowatts per capita	1.5	3.977		4.418	4	3
2G, 3G and 4G network coverage	GSM4	index, 0-100	2.0	99.7		100.0	2	1	Ease of establishing an electricity connection	WB-DB	index, 0-100	1.0	68.7		81.9	72	61
Fixed broadband subscriptions	ITU	number /100 population	1.0	1.595		2.011	87	113	Reliability of electricity supply	WB-DB	index, 0-7	1.0	4.0		5.0	71	62
Internet usage	ITU	percentage	1.0	50.8		99.5	40	3									
<b>Water (29th)</b>			<b>10%</b>	81.8		78.0	22	29	<b>Transport (62nd)</b>			<b>25%</b>	54.3		50.2	40	62
Gross fixed water assets	IBNET	USD per population served	1.0	343.0		343.0	33	33	Logistics performance	WB-LPI	index, 1-5	1.5	3.34		2.90	37	67
Water production	IBNET	litres per capita per day	0.5	1,975.7		1,975.7	1	1	Airport connectivity	WEF	index, 0-100	2.0	30,609.2		78,322.7	55	50
Reliability of water supply	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	5.88		5.33	39	52	Efficiency of seaport services	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	3.71		3.54	85	101
									Liner shipping connectivity	UNCTAD	index, rebased to 100 in 2004	0.5	12.7		12.6	103	117
									Quality of roads	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	5.0		3.7	37	86
									Road density	FAO	km per 100 sq km of land area	0.5	37.1		39.3	64	62
									Rail density	UIC	km per sq km of land area	0.5	0.4756		0.4756	1	1
<b>Border Administration (103rd)</b>			<b>5%</b>	45.6		42.4	70	103	<b>Open Market Scale (162nd)</b>			<b>5%</b>	8.4		7.4	159	162
Efficiency of customs clearance process	WB-LPI	survey, 1-5	1.5	3.03		2.73	39	58	Domestic and international market access for goods	WTO	percentage of global GDP	1.5	3.04		3.47	119	130
Time to comply with border regulations and procedures	WB-DB	hours	1.0	96.1		81.0	124	123	Domestic and international market access for services	WTO	percentage of global GDP	2.0	2.5		2.4	93	98
Cost to comply with border regulations and procedures	WB-DB	USD (current)	0.5	472.6		464.4	141	140	Trade-weighted average tariff faced in destination markets	WEF	percentage	0.5	4.4		4.8	149	157
									Margin of preference in destination markets	WEF	index, 1-100	0.5	4.5		6.1	158	162
<b>Import Tariff Barriers (80th)</b>			<b>5%</b>	56.0		65.3	98	80	<b>Market Distortions (80th)</b>			<b>10%</b>	72.3		59.7	51	80
Share of imports free from tariff duties	WEF	percentage	1.5	19.39		39.36	138	116	Extent of liberalisation of foreign trade	BITI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	8.0		8.0	64	61
Average applied tariff rate	WEF	percentage	2.0	4.40		3.96	55	53	Prevalence of non-tariff barriers	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.98		4.13	38	111
Complexity of tariffs	WEF	index, 1-7	0.3	6.240		6.442	69	45	Non-tariff measures	UNCTAD	number	0.3	203.0		203.0	50	50





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Material Resources (59th)							Nutrition (37th)						
Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021
		<b>20%</b>	82.3		81.9	45 59			<b>20%</b>	93.7		89.2	11 37
<i>Poverty rate at national poverty lines</i>	WB-DI	percentage	0.5	9.4	9.4	13 19	Availability of adequate food	Gallup	percentage	1.0	8.8	20.7	15 44
<i>Poverty rate at \$1.90 a day</i>	WB-DI	percentage	1.0	0.0	0.0	1 1	Prevalence of undernourishment	FAO	percentage	1.0	2.5	2.5	1 1
<i>Poverty rate at \$3.20 a day</i>	WB-DI	percentage	1.0	2.4	2.4	44 55	Prevalence of wasting in children under-5	WB-DI	percentage	1.0	2.4	2.5	56 66
<i>Poverty rate at \$5.50 a day</i>	WB-DI	percentage	1.0	12.3	12.3	47 55	Prevalence of stunting in children under-5	WB-DI	percentage	1.0	4.1	6.4	14 23
<i>Households with a refrigerator</i>	GDL	percentage	1.0	90.5	90.5	19 30							
Ability to source emergency funds	WB-GFI	percentage	1.0	42.6	54.1	82 123							
Ability to live on household income	Gallup	percentage	1.0	65.2	77.0	54 36							
Basic Services (45th)							Shelter (35th)						
Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021
		<b>10%</b>	97.6		97.6	36 45			<b>20%</b>	94.7		92.3	26 35
Access to electricity	WB-DI	percentage	1.0	100.0	100.0	1 1	Availability of adequate shelter	Gallup	percentage	1.0	10.0	17.3	37 48
Access to basic water services	JMP	percentage	1.0	100.00	100.00	1 1	<i>Housing deprivation</i>	OPHI	percentage	1.0	7.8	7.8	21 22
<i>Access to piped water</i>	JMP	percentage	1.0	89.18	89.18	54 77	Access to clean fuels and technologies for cooking	WB-DI	percentage	1.0	100.0	100.0	1 1
Access to basic sanitation services	JMP	percentage	1.0	100.00	100.00	1 1	Indoor air quality	IHME	DALYs /100,000 population	1.0	2.5	1.0	28 24
Unsafe water, sanitation or hygiene	IHME	DALYs /100,000 population	1.0	103.8	99.6	48 51							
Connectedness (41st)							Protection from Harm (26th)						
Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011 2021
		<b>15%</b>	82.5		80.1	27 41			<b>15%</b>	84.8		88.8	23 26
Access to a bank account	WB-GFI	percentage	1.0	87.0	80.0	30 50	Death and injury from road traffic accidents	IHME	DALYs /100,000 population	1.0	944.4	767.6	86 78
Use of digital payments	WB-GFI	percentage	1.0	63.8	74.8	44 44	Death and injury from forces of nature	IHME	DALYs /100,000 population	0.5	0.04	0.04	15 15
<i>Access to a cellphone</i>	GDL	percentage	1.0	100.0	100.0	1 1	Unintentional death and injury	IHME	DALYs /100,000 population	0.5	722.9	667.3	6 3
Rural access to roads	RAI	percentage	0.5	82.0	82.0	46 46	Occupational mortality	ILO	deaths /100,000 labour force population	0.5	2.1	1.8	21 24
Satisfaction with public transportation	Gallup	percentage	0.5	71.1	61.4	21 75							
Satisfaction with roads and highways	Gallup	percentage	0.5	71.9	58.1	25 77							







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*Italics: Indicator contains imputed values*

Emissions (160th)					Exposure to Air Pollution (138th)										
Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011	2021	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Global Rank 2011	2021
		<b>15%</b>	47.5		46.8	163	160			<b>15%</b>	47.6		59.4	154	138
CO2 emissions	CDIAC index, 0-1	2.0	0.357		0.319	162	161	Exposure to fine particulate matter	EPI percentage	2.0	29.766		28.610	148	137
SO2 emissions	EDGAR index, 0-1	1.0	0.204		0.185	165	164	Health impact of air pollution	IHME DALYs /100,000 population	2.0	2,226.4		1,695.4	146	129
NOx emissions	EDGAR index, 0-1	1.0	0.39		0.44	158	150	Satisfaction with air quality	Gallup percentage	0.5	55.7		73.6	155	96
Black carbon emissions	EDGAR index, 0-1	1.0	0.769		0.785	40	35								
Methane emissions	EDGAR index, 0-1	1.0	0.769		0.759	54	63								
<b>Forest, Land and Soil (52nd)</b>					<b>Freshwater (159th)</b>										
		<b>20%</b>	58.1		47.7	14	52			<b>20%</b>	26.6		29.8	162	159
Forest area	FAO percentage	1.0	0.34		0.35	162	161	Renewable water resources	FAO m³ per person	1.0	8.0		4.8	167	167
Flood occurrence	WRI index, 0-5	1.0	0.6		0.6	11	11	Wastewater treatment	EPI percentage	1.0	43.1		43.1	58	60
Sustainable nitrogen management	Zhang&Davidson index, 0-sqrt(2)	1.0	0.38		0.75	5	66	<i>Freshwater withdrawal</i>	FAO percentage	1.0	1,387.06		1,387.06	149	148
								Satisfaction with water quality	Gallup percentage	1.0	67.7		80.8	85	37
<b>Oceans (39th)</b>					<b>Preservation Efforts (60th)</b>										
		<b>15%</b>	61.7		59.3	38	39			<b>15%</b>	45.9		48.6	58	60
<i>Overexploitation of fish stocks</i>	EPI percentage	1.0	31.0		31.0	85	75	Terrestrial protected areas	WDPA percentage	1.0	17.500		17.501	70	76
Stability of marine biodiversity	EPI index, 0-100	1.0	59.1		59.1	37	37	Marine protected areas	WDPA percentage	1.0	1.4795		1.4793	61	67
Clean ocean water	OHI index, 0-100	1.0	65.7		59.8	25	45	<i>Long term management of forest areas</i>	FAO percentage	1.0	51.77		51.77	58	63
								Protection for biodiverse areas	UN-WCMC index, 0-1	1.0	26.044		39.292	121	97
								Pesticide regulation	EPI index, 0-25	1.0	23.0		23.0	17	18
								Satisfaction with preservation efforts	Gallup percentage	1.0	69.2		72.3	21	19

Source Code	Source Name
AD	Aswath Damodaran
Ang&al	Angrist et al. (2021)
BL	Barro and Lee dataset
BTI	Bertelsmann Stiftung Transformation Index
CDIAC	Carbon Dioxide Information Analysis Center
CIRIGHTS	CIRIGHTS Dataset
CSP	Center for Systemic Peace
Cas&Dom	Castello-Climent and Domenech (2012)
Chinn-Ito	Chinn-Ito Index
ECI	Economic Complexity Index
EDGAR	Emissions Database for Global Atmospheric Research
EPI	Yale and Columbia Universities (Environmental Performance Index)
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN - AQUASTAT
FH	Freedom House
FI	Fraser Institute
GBD	Global Burden of Disease study
GDL	Global Data Lab
GSI	Global Slavery Index
GSMMA	Groupe Spéciale Mobile Association
GTD	Global Terrorism Database
GVS	World Values Survey, European Values Survey, Global Barometer Surveys, Arab Barometer, Latinobarometro
Gallup	Gallup Dailies
IBNET	International Benchmarking Network for Water and Sanitation Utilities
IBP	International Budget Partnership
IDEA	International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance
IDMC	Internal Displacement Monitoring Center
IHME	Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation
ILGA	International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association
ILO	International Labour Organization
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMF-FAS	International Monetary Fund Financial Access Survey
IMF-WEO	International Monetary Fund World Economic Outlook
ITU	International Telecommunications Union
JMP	WHO/UNICEF Joint Monitoring Programme for Water Supply and Sanitation
OHI	Ocean Health Index
OPHI	Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative
PTS	Amnesty International & US State Department Political Terror Scale
Pew	Pew Research Center
QS, TES	QS World University Rankings and TES University Rankings
RAI	Rural Access Index
RsF	Reporters Without Borders
TE	Trading Economics
UCDP	Uppsala Conflict Data Program
UIC	International Union of Railways
UN IGME	United Nations Inter-agency Group for Child Mortality Estimation
UN-Com	United Nations Comtrade Database
UN-WCMC	UN Environment World Conservation Monitoring Centre
UNAIDS	Joint United Nations Programme on HIV and AIDS
UNCTAD	United Nations Trade Data
UNESCO	UNESCO Institute for Statistics
UNESD	United Nations Energy Statistics Database
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICEF	United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund
UNODC	United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
V-DEM	Varieties of Democracy
WB-DB	World Bank Doing Business Index
WB-DI	World Bank World Development Indicators
WB-ES	World Bank Enterprise Surveys
WB-GFI	World Bank Global Financial Inclusion
WB-LPI	World Bank Logistics Performance Index
WDPA	World Database on Protected Areas
WEF	World Economic Forum Global Competitiveness Index
WGI	Worldwide Governance Indicators
WHO	World Health Organisation
WHO-GDO	World Health Organisation (Global Dementia Observatory)
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organisation
WJP	World Justice Project (Rule of Law Index)
WRI	World Resources Institute
WTO	World Trade Organisation
WomStat	The WomanStats Project
Zhang&Davidson	Xin Zhang and Eric Davidson (2016)