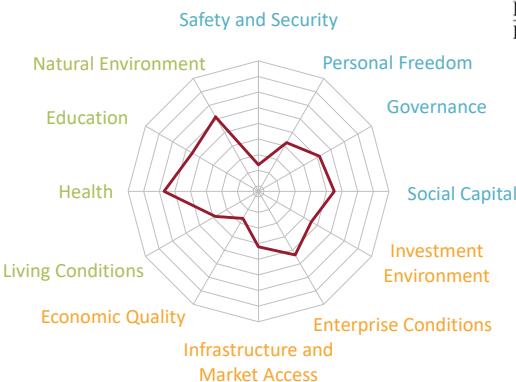
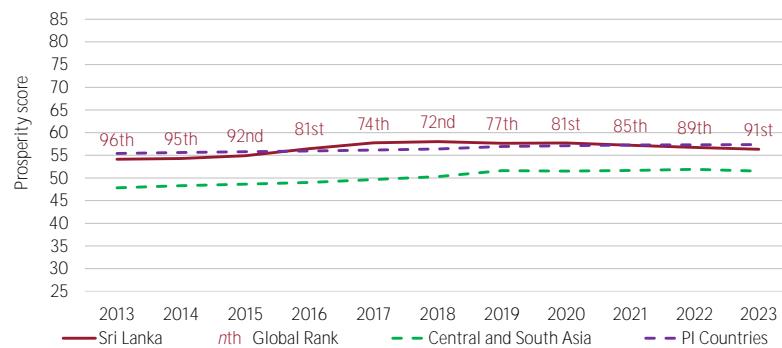
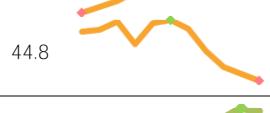


Sri Lanka: Prosperity score 56.3 (91st)

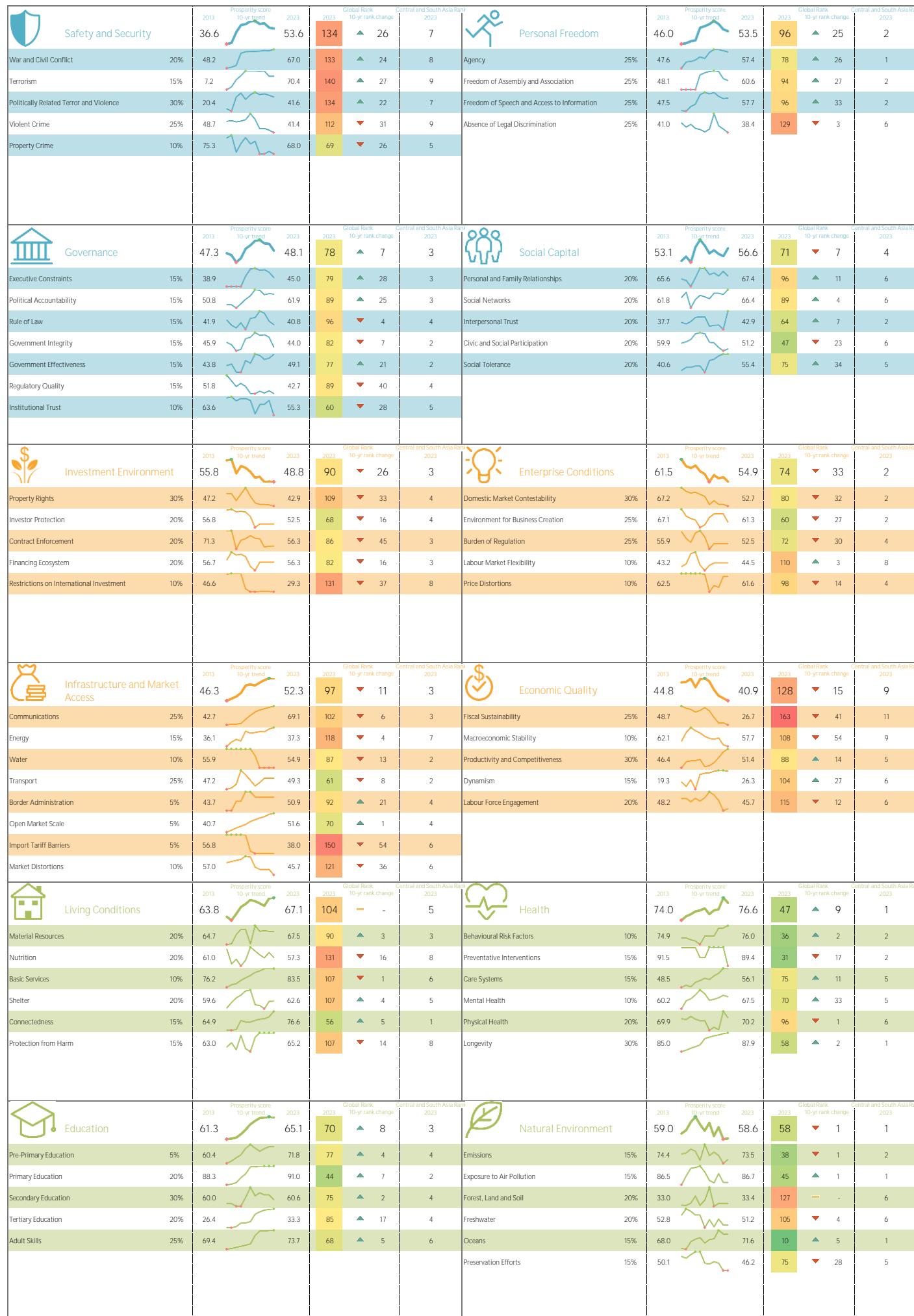
Prosperity over time



Breakdown of performance

	2013	Score 10-year trend	2023	Rank - Global (1 to 167) 2023	10-year rank change	Rank - Central and South Asia (1 to 11) 2023
Prosperity score	54.1		56.3	91	▲ 5	2
Inclusive Societies	45.8		53.0	97	▲ 37	3
🛡 Safety and Security	36.6		53.6	134	▲ 26	7
🌐 Personal Freedom	46.0		53.5	96	▲ 25	2
🏛 Governance	47.3		48.1	78	▲ 7	3
🤝 Social Capital	53.1		56.6	71	▼ 7	4
Open Economies	52.1		49.2	94	▼ 22	3
💰 Investment Environment	55.8		48.8	90	▼ 26	3
💡 Enterprise Conditions	61.5		54.9	74	▼ 33	2
📦 Infrastructure and Market Access	46.3		52.3	97	▼ 11	3
⌚ Economic Quality	44.8		40.9	128	▼ 15	9
Empowered People	64.5		66.8	77	▲ 3	2
🏡 Living Conditions	63.8		67.1	104	-	5
🕒 Health	74.0		76.6	47	▲ 9	1
🎓 Education	61.3		65.1	70	▲ 8	3
🌿 Natural Environment	59.0		58.6	58	▼ 1	1

Sri Lanka (91st): Pillar and element scores





Terrorism (140th)											
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value	10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank	2013	2023	Global Rank
War and Civil Conflict (133rd)			20%	48.2	67.0	157	133	Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	2.0
Two-sided conflict deaths	UCDP	deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	207.629	0.000	166	1	Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0
Civil and ethnic war	CSP	coding, 0-9	1.0	0.0	0.0	1	1	Terrorism incidents	GTD	incidents /1,000,000 population	0.5
Conflict-driven internal displacement	IDMC	people /1,000,000 population	1.0	6,120.0	541.6	144	127	Property cost of terrorism	GTD	US \$ /billion US 2010 \$	1.0
Refugees (origin country)	UNHCR	people /1,000,000 population	1.0	6,688.0	6,820.4	150	150				
Violent Crime (112th)											
Politically Related Terror and Violence (134th)			30%	20.4	41.6	156	134	Intentional homicides	UNODC	homicides /100,000 population	2.0
Political terror	PTS	index, 1-5	2.0	4.5	3.0	156	91	Dispute settlement through violence	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0
Extrajudicial killings	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-2	1.0	0.0	1.0	142	80	Safety walking alone at night	Gallup	percentage	1.0
Use of torture	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-2	1.0	0.0	0.0	84	120	Physical security of women	WomStat	index, 0-4	1.0
Disappearance cases	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-2	1.0	1.0	1.0	131	129				
Political imprisonment	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-2	0.5	0.0	0.0	122	114				
One-sided conflict deaths	UCDP	deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.150	0.009	145	124				
Property Crime (69th)											
Property stolen	Gallup	percentage	2.0	13.0	8.0	70	33				
Business costs of crime and violence	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	5.77	4.51	23	77				
Business costs of organised crime	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	5.83	4.14	37	115				

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2013			Global Rank 2013	2023	Freedom of Assembly and Association (94th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2013			Global Rank 2013	2023	
				Value	10-yr trend	2023							Value	10-yr trend	2023			
Agency (78th)			25%	47.6		57.4	104	78					48.1		60.6	121	94	
Personal autonomy and individual rights	FH	coding, 0-16	1.0	8.0		8.0	96	90	Right to associate and organise	FH	coding, 0-12	1.0	6.0		9.0	101	59	
Due process and rights	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.431		0.382	88	110	Guarantee of assembly and association	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.57		0.64	107	64	
Freedom of movement	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-4	1.0	1.0		4.0	138	1	Autonomy from the state	V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.378		0.427	140	125	
Women's agency	WomStat	coding, 0-16	1.0	9.0		9.0	91	91										
Freedom from arbitrary interference with privacy	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.21		0.34	139	99										
Freedom from forced labour	V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.884		0.895	30	15										
Government response to slavery	GSI	index, -10-100	1.0	41.7		37.4	66	94										
Satisfaction with freedom	Gallup	percentage	1.0	77.0		77.0	54	88										
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Freedom of Speech and Access to Information (96th)																		
Press freedom from government censorship	FH	index, 0-100	1.0	74.0		61.0	137	107	Absence of Legal Discrimination (129th)	Source	Unit	Weight	25%	41.0		38.4	126	129
Press freedom from physical repression	RF	index, 0-100	1.0	56.6		42.2	151	117	Equal treatment and absence of discrimination	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.588		0.542	82	92	
Freedom of opinion and expression	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.512		0.561	102	72	Non-discriminatory civil justice	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5	0.426		0.384	133	136	
Government media censorship	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	1.42		2.12	129	91	Freedom from hiring and workplace discrimination	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.573		0.610	78	58	
Alternative sources of information	V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.647		0.687	125	98	LGBT rights	ILGA	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	111	114	
Political diversity of media perspectives	V-DEM	coding, 0-3	0.5	2.34		2.40	114	80	Protection of women's workplace, education and family rights	WomStat	coding, 0-8	1.0	9.0		9.0	120	118	
									Freedom of belief and religion	WIP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.675		0.586	86	104	
									Government religious intimidation and hostility	Pew	index, 0-1	1.0	0.48		0.50	135	137	

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Sri Lanka: Investment Environment (90th): Element and indicator scores																	
Property Rights (109th)			Investor Protection (68th)			Contract Enforcement (86th)			Financing Ecosystem (82nd)			Restrictions on International Investment (131st)					
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023
Regulation of property possession and exchange	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	8.0		7.0	51	58	Auditing and reporting standards	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	5.01		4.21	44	109
Lawful process for expropriation	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.560		0.511	78	88	Insolvency regulatory framework	WEF	index, 0, 16	1.0	7.0		7.0	116	126
Protection of property rights	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.32		3.88	68	118	Recovery rate of insolvency	WEF	percentage	1.5	49.7		43.1	46	50
Intellectual property protection	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	3.83		3.75	59	103	Shareholder governance	WEF	index, 0, 10	1.0	6.0		6.7	55	37
Quality of land administration	WEF	index, 0, 30	1.0	2.5		5.5	156	160	Regulation of conflict of interest	WEF	index, 1, 7	1.0	6.7		6.7	29	35
Contract Enforcement (86th)			Investor Protection (68th)			Contract Enforcement (86th)			Financing Ecosystem (82nd)			Contract Enforcement (86th)					
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023
Alternative dispute resolution mechanisms	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.700		0.586	61	120	Quality of banking system and capital markets	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	8.0		7.0	53	79
Contract intensity	Harvard	index, 0, 3	1.0	2.2		1.9	74	84	Venture capital availability	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	2.2		3.3	125	57
CPIA property rights and rule-based governance rating	WB - CPIA	index, 1, 6	1.0	3.5		3.0	28	81	Soundness of banks	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	5.90		4.50	26	99
Restrictions on International Investment (131st)			Investor Protection (68th)			Contract Enforcement (86th)			Financing Ecosystem (82nd)			Restrictions on International Investment (131st)					
	Source	Unit	Unit	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023
Freedom to own foreign currency bank accounts	FI	index, 0-10	1.0	0.0		5.0	132	99	Financing of SMEs	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.05		4.11	42	51
Capital controls	FI	percentage	1.0	0.000		0.000	148	154	Access to finance	WB-ES	percentage	1.0	30.2		30.2	103	115
Freedom of foreigners to visit	FI	index, 0-10	1.0	8.5		0.0	21	53	Commercial bank branches	IMF-FAS	branches /100,000 adult population	1.0	15.9		18.6	70	49
Prevalence of foreign ownership of companies	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	5.09		4.16	46	109	National credit registry coverage (borrowers per 1,000 adults)	WB-DI	percentage	0.5	16.8		24.4	77	84
Business impact of rules on FDI	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	5.05		4.32	35	97									
Restrictions on financial transactions	Chinn-Ito	index, 0-1	1.0	0.4		0.2	89	107									

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Communications (102nd)												Energy (118th)											
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023						
International internet bandwidth	ITU	kilobits per second per capita	1.0	49.0	52.6	63	91		Installed electric capacity	UNESD	kilowatts per capita	1.5	0.138	0.201	118	109							
2G, 3G and 4G network coverage	GSMA	index, 0-100	2.0	66.7	96.3	75	85		Number of electrical outages in a typical month	WB-ES	number	0.5	4.1	4.1	117	118							
Fixed broadband subscriptions	ITU	number /100 population	1.0	1.127	8.320	101	94		Average duration of a typical electrical outage	WB-ES	hours	0.5	1.5	1.5	7	16							
Internet usage	ITU	percentage	1.0	3.9	35.0	137	124		Time to obtain an electrical connection upon application	WB-ES	days	1.0	42.4	42.4	107	110							
Water (87th)												Transport (61st)											
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023						
Gross fixed water assets	IBNET	USD per population served	1.0	48.5	48.5	111	111		Logistics performance	WB-LPI	index, 1-5	1.5	2.77	2.60	86	110							
Water production	IBNET	litres per capita per day	0.5	334.3	334.3	52	52		Airport connectivity	WEF	index, 0-100	2.0	16.914.5	50.662.5	70	61							
Reliability of water supply	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.65	4.49	75	81		Efficiency of seaport services	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	3.96	4.15	69	68							
									Liner shipping connectivity	UNCTAD	index, rebased to 100 in 2004	0.5	40.1	62.1	32	21							
									Quality of roads	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.6	3.9	46	77							
									Road density	FAO	km per 100 sq km of land area	0.5	173.9	173.9	12	12							
									Rail density	UIC	km per sq km of land area	0.5	0.0183	0.0252	49	39							
Border Administration (92nd)												Open Market Scale (70th)											
	Source	Unit	Unit	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023						
Efficiency of customs clearance process	WB-LPI	survey, 1-5	1.5	2.58	2.58	74	82		Domestic and international market access for goods	WTO	percentage of global GDP	1.5	29.62	35.87	39	72							
Number of documents required to be filled out for exports	WB-LPI	number	0.5	5.0	3.0	131	63		Domestic and international market access for services	WTO	percentage of global GDP	2.0	17.1	23.9	72	66							
Number of documents required to be filled out for imports	WB-LPI	number	0.5	5.0	4.0	133	90		Trade-weighted average tariff faced in destination markets	WEF	percentage	0.5	4.4	4.2	143	137							
Clearance time with physical inspection	WB-LPI	days	0.5	2.0	2.0	61	90		Margin of preference in destination markets	WEF	index, 1-100	0.5	14.3	14.8	144	147							
Average time to clear exports through customs (days)	WB-ES	days	0.5	7.6	7.6	109	99																
Import Tariff Barriers (150th)												Market Distortions (121st)											
	Source	Unit	Unit	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023						
Share of imports free from tariff duties	WEF	percentage	1.5	65.47	63.30	69	77		Extent of liberalisation of foreign trade	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	8.0	6.0	65	114							
Average applied tariff rate	WEF	percentage	2.0	11.29	17.62	136	166		Prevalence of non-tariff barriers	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.94	3.88	112	140							
Complexity of tariffs	WEF	index, 1-7	0.3	5.648	3.853	96	134		Non-tariff measures	UNCTAD	number	0.3	191.0	191.0	30	30							



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Exposure to Air Pollution (45th)											
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value	10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank	2013	2023	
Emissions (38th)			15%	74.4			73.5	37	38		
Black carbon emissions	EDGAR	Index, 0-1	1.0	0.536			0.566	108	95		
CO2 emissions	GCB and CW	index, 0-1	2.0	0.857			0.803	28	42		
Methane emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.835			0.845	24	25		
NOx emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.64			0.66	83	52		
SO2 emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.740			0.731	95	101		
Forest, Land and Soil (127th)											
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value	10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank	2013	2023	
			20%	33.0			33.4	127	127		
Flood occurrence	WRI	index, 0-5	1.0	3.7			3.7	152	152		
Forest area	FAO	percentage	1.0	33.55			34.16	72	68		
Sustainable nitrogen management	EPI	index, 0-sqr(2)	1.0	0.92			0.91	117	116		
Freshwater (105th)											
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value	10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank	2013	2023	
			20%	52.8			51.2	101	105		
Flood occurrence	WRI	index, 0-5	1.0	24.52			24.52	118	118		
Forest area	FAO	m³ per person	1.0	2,661.0			2,487.2	108	105		
Sustainable nitrogen management	EPI	percentage	1.0	85.6			80.9	29	42		
				0.0			0.0	132	132		
Oceans (10th)											
	Source	Unit	Unit	2013	Value	10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank	2013	2023	
			15%	68.0			71.6	15	10		
Overexploitation of fish stocks	EPI	percentage	1.0	15.4			11.7	32	30		
Clean ocean water	OHI	index, 0-100	1.0	54.2			59.7	75	67		
Stability of marine biodiversity	EPI	index, 0-100	1.0	76.7			76.7	12	12		
Preservation Efforts (75th)											
	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value	10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank	2013	2023	
			15%	50.1			46.2	47	75		
Overexploitation of fish stocks	UNSDG	index, 0-1	1.0	43.414			45.854	84	90		
Clean ocean water	WDPA	percentage	1.0	29.860			29.862	24	28		
Stability of marine biodiversity	WDPA	percentage	1.0	0.0747			0.0746	107	110		
				21.0			21.0	63	65		
				47.13			47.13	69	73		
				70.2			47.1	22	97		

Glossary



Source Code	Source Name
AD	Aswath Damodaran
AltAng&Pat	Angrist et al.
BL	Barro and Lee dataset
BTI	Bertelsmann Stiftung Transformation Index
Cas&Dom	Castello-Climent and Domenech
Chinn-Ito	Chinn-Ito Index
CIRIGHTS	CIRIGHTS Dataset
CSP	Center for Systemic Peace
CW	Climate Watch
ECl	Economic Complexity Index
EDGAR	Emissions Database for Global Atmospheric Research
EPI	Yale and Columbia Universities (Environmental Performance Index)
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organisation
FH	Freedom House
FI	Fraser Institute
Gallup	Gallup
GBD	Global Burden of Disease study
GCB	Global Carbon Budget
GDL	Global Data Lab
GSI	Global Slavery Index
GSMA	Group Spéciale Mobile Association
GTD	Global Terrorism Database
Harvard	Harvard database
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
IEA	International Energy Agency
IHME	Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation
ILGA	International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association
ILO	International Labour Organisation
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMF-FAS	International Monetary Fund Financial Access Survey
IMF-WEO	International Monetary Fund World Economic Outlook
IRENA	International Renewable Energy Agency
ITU	International Telecommunications Union
JME	UNICEF / WHO/World Bank: Joint child malnutrition estimates
JMP	WHO/UNICEF Joint Monitoring Programme for Water Supply and Sanitation
OECD	Organisation of Economic Co-operation and Development
OHI	Ocean Health Index
OPHI	Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative
Pew	Pew Research Center
PTS	Amnesty International & US State Department Political Terror Scale
QS	QS World University Rankings
RAI	Rural Access Index
RsF	Reporters Without Borders
TE	Trading Economics
TES	TES University Rankings
UCDP	Uppsala Conflict Data Program
UIC	International Union of Railways
UNAIDS	Joint United Nations Programme on HIV and AIDS
UNCOM	United Nations Comtrade Database
UNCTAD	United Nations Trade Data
UNESCO	UNESCO Institute for Statistics
UNESD	United Nations Energy Statistics Database
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICEF	United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund
UNIGME	United Nations Inter-agency Group for Child Mortality Estimation
UNODC	United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
UNPD	United Nations Population Division
UNSD	United Nations Statistics Division
UNSDG	United Nations sustainable development goals
V-DEM	Varieties of Democracy
WB-ALT	World Bank Alternative Indicator
WB-CPIA	World Bank Group, CPIA database
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)
WomStat	The WomanStats Project
WRI	World Resources Institute
WTO	World Trade Organisation
WVS	World Values Survey, European Values Survey, Global Barometer, Arab Barometer, Latinobarometro