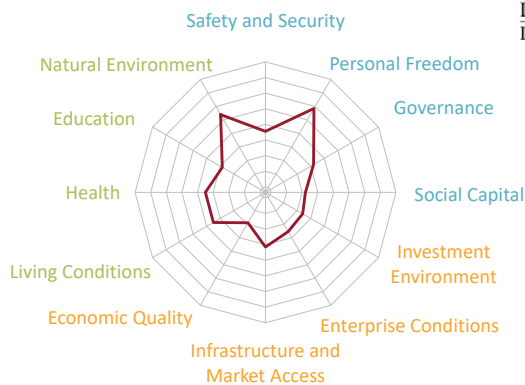
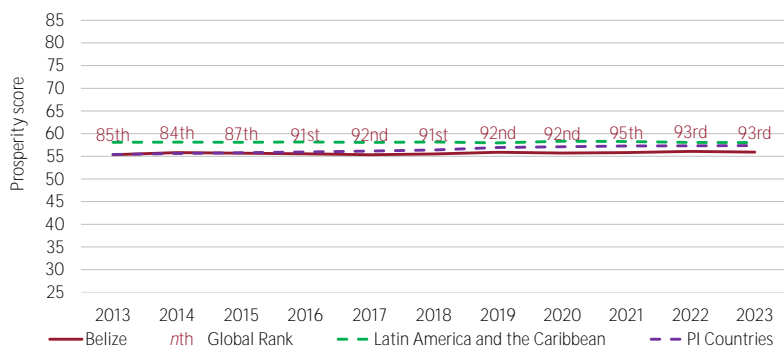


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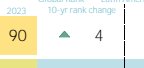





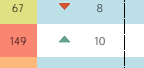
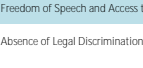

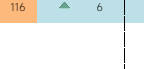





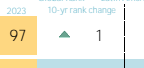






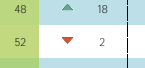


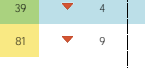









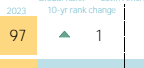


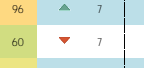
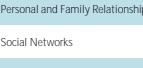

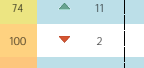








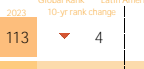





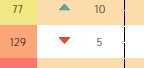
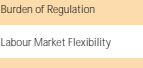


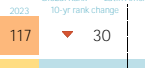


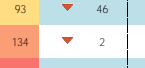

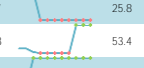
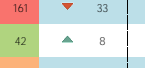


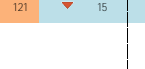





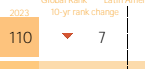



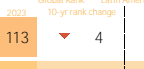





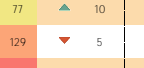
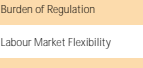


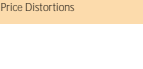




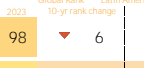



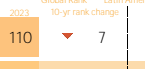


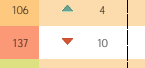


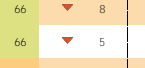








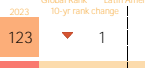



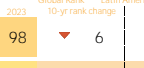


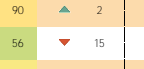



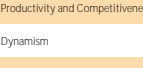

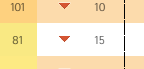





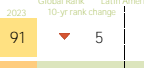


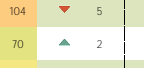
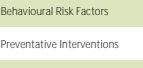

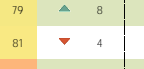
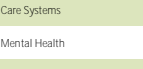

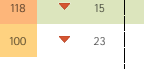



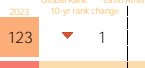


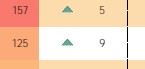


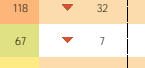








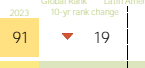



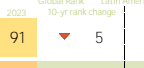


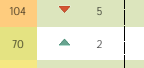
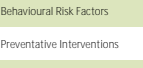

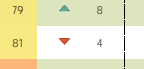
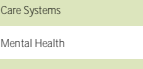

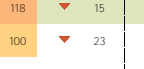





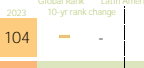



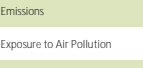


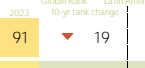


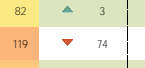

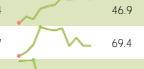
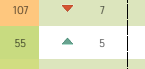


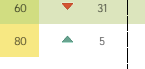





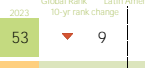


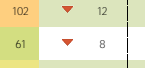



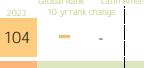



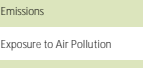

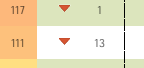


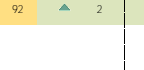
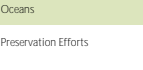







## Prosperity over time



## Breakdown of performance

	2013	Score 10-year trend	2023	Rank - Global (1 to 167) 2023	10-year rank change	Rank - Latin America and the Caribbean (1 to 25) 2023
<b>Prosperity score</b>	55.3		55.9	93	▼ 8	17
<b>Inclusive Societies</b>	57.7		58.0	75	▼ 9	14
Safety and Security	66.2		67.5	90	▲ 4	11
Personal Freedom	70.2		69.7	44	▲ 9	7
Governance	45.0		44.7	97	▲ 1	14
Social Capital	49.5		50.0	117	▼ 30	24
<b>Open Economies</b>	44.9		46.4	108	▼ 5	20
Investment Environment	43.4		42.5	113	▼ 4	20
Enterprise Conditions	49.3		49.1	110	▼ 7	14
Infrastructure and Market Access	44.2		52.2	98	▼ 6	19
Economic Quality	42.8		41.6	123	▼ 1	21
<b>Empowered People</b>	63.4		63.4	94	▼ 8	19
Living Conditions	70.6		72.3	91	▼ 5	17
Health	72.4		70.6	91	▼ 19	17
Education	49.5		51.1	104	-	20
Natural Environment	61.2		59.6	53	▼ 9	15

Belize (93rd): Pillar and element scores

Pillar		2013 Prosperity score (10-yr trend)		2023 Prosperity score (10-yr trend)		2023 Global Rank (10-yr rank change)		2023 Latin America and the Caribbean Rank	
	<b>Safety and Security</b>	66.2		67.5		90	▲ 4	11	
War and Civil Conflict	20%	89.3		87.4		72	▼ 6	11	
Terrorism	15%	100.0		100.0		1	— 0	1	
Politically Related Terror and Violence	30%	75.0		75.0		67	▼ 8	12	
Violent Crime	25%	22.8		29.7		149	▲ 10	14	
Property Crime	10%	51.9		50.7		116	▲ 6	12	
	<b>Personal Freedom</b>	70.2		69.7		44	▲ 9	7	
Agency	25%	60.0		67.6		48	▲ 18	6	
Freedom of Assembly and Association	25%	82.9		79.9		52	▼ 2	10	
Freedom of Speech and Access to Information	25%	82.2		78.3		39	▼ 4	6	
Absence of Legal Discrimination	25%	55.7		53.0		81	▼ 9	16	
	<b>Governance</b>	45.0		44.7		97	▲ 1	14	
Executive Constraints	15%	40.5		41.1		96	▲ 7	15	
Political Accountability	15%	79.5		74.5		60	▼ 7	10	
Rule of Law	15%	44.0		45.8		74	▲ 11	6	
Government Integrity	15%	39.6		39.3		100	▼ 2	15	
Government Effectiveness	15%	42.1		41.0		108	▲ 1	19	
Regulatory Quality	15%	38.0		37.2		110	▲ 4	19	
Institutional Trust	10%	23.9		29.1		158	▲ 7	20	
	<b>Social Capital</b>	49.5		50.0		117	▼ 30	24	
Personal and Family Relationships	20%	75.9		68.3		93	▼ 46	23	
Social Networks	20%	52.2		55.6		134	▼ 2	23	
Interpersonal Trust	20%	27.7		25.8		161	▼ 33	25	
Civic and Social Participation	20%	50.3		53.4		42	▲ 8	3	
Social Tolerance	20%	41.2		46.5		121	▼ 15	24	
	<b>Investment Environment</b>	43.4		42.5		113	▼ 4	20	
Property Rights	30%	44.4		43.7		105	▼ 16	18	
Investor Protection	20%	39.6		39.6		113	— 0	15	
Contract Enforcement	20%	57.4		59.0		77	▲ 10	7	
Financing Ecosystem	20%	40.3		39.3		129	▼ 5	24	
Restrictions on International Investment	10%	26.0		18.6		159	▼ 13	24	
	<b>Enterprise Conditions</b>	49.3		49.1		110	▼ 7	14	
Domestic Market Contestability	30%	47.0		47.0		106	▲ 4	18	
Environment for Business Creation	25%	41.6		41.6		137	▼ 10	21	
Burden of Regulation	25%	54.2		53.4		66	▼ 8	5	
Labour Market Flexibility	10%	51.7		51.7		66	▼ 5	10	
Price Distortions	10%	60.3		60.3		104	▼ 2	10	
	<b>Infrastructure and Market Access</b>	44.2		52.2		98	▼ 6	19	
Communications	25%	45.1		74.3		90	▲ 2	14	
Energy	15%	54.3		53.9		56	▼ 15	6	
Water	10%	55.5		55.5		81	▼ 4	13	
Transport	25%	28.7		31.7		114	▲ 4	18	
Border Administration	5%	48.0		48.0		101	▼ 10	14	
Open Market Scale	5%	42.4		43.8		81	▼ 15	16	
Import Tariff Barriers	5%	65.0		65.0		83	▼ 10	14	
Market Distortions	10%	42.5		42.5		131	▼ 2	20	
	<b>Economic Quality</b>	42.8		41.6		123	▼ 1	21	
Fiscal Sustainability	25%	26.5		31.4		157	▲ 5	23	
Macroeconomic Stability	10%	50.4		53.9		125	▲ 9	17	
Productivity and Competitiveness	30%	50.0		41.3		118	▼ 32	21	
Dynamism	15%	36.5		35.8		67	▼ 7	7	
Labour Force Engagement	20%	53.2		53.2		84	▲ 5	11	
	<b>Living Conditions</b>	70.6		72.3		91	▼ 5	17	
Material Resources	20%	61.1		60.9		104	▼ 5	20	
Nutrition	20%	79.3		81.0		70	▲ 2	10	
Basic Services	10%	87.8		93.0		79	▲ 8	12	
Shelter	20%	84.7		82.9		81	▼ 4	9	
Connectedness	15%	45.8		54.6		118	▼ 15	21	
Protection from Harm	15%	66.5		65.9		100	▼ 23	17	
	<b>Health</b>	72.4		70.6		91	▼ 19	17	
Behavioural Risk Factors	10%	61.0		61.8		82	▲ 3	8	
Preventative Interventions	15%	87.9		70.2		119	▼ 74	20	
Care Systems	15%	43.4		46.9		107	▼ 7	19	
Mental Health	10%	68.7		69.4		55	▲ 5	11	
Physical Health	20%	76.9		73.9		60	▼ 31	10	
Longevity	30%	81.1		83.8		80	▲ 5	14	
	<b>Education</b>	49.5		51.1		104	— 0	20	
Pre-Primary Education	5%	43.5		34.2		118	▼ 16	22	
Primary Education	20%	75.8		78.4		99	▲ 3	17	
Secondary Education	30%	37.1		39.7		117	▼ 1	20	
Tertiary Education	20%	27.5		26.7		111	▼ 13	19	
Adult Skills	25%	62.1		65.7		92	▲ 2	16	
	<b>Natural Environment</b>	61.2							



Belize: Safety and Security (90th): Element and indicator scores

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				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	Global Rank 2023					2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	Global Rank 2023
<b>War and Civil Conflict (72nd)</b>				<b>20%</b>	89.3	87.4	66	72	<b>Terrorism (1st)</b>				<b>15%</b>	100.0	100.0	1	1
Two-sided conflict deaths	UCDP	deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	1	Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	2.0	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	1
<i>Civil and ethnic war</i>	CSP	coding: 0-9	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	144	139	Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	1
Conflict-driven internal displacement	IDMC	people /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1	1	Terrorism incidents	GTD	incidents /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	1
Refugees (origin country)	UNHCR	people /1,000,000 population	1.0	85.8	200.0	200.0	74	87	Property cost of terrorism	GTD	US \$ /billion US 2010 \$	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1	1
<b>Politically Related Terror and Violence (67th)</b>				<b>30%</b>	75.0	75.0	59	67	<b>Violent Crime (149th)</b>				<b>25%</b>	22.8	29.7	159	149
Political terror	PTS	index: 1-5	2.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	44	91	Intentional homicides	UNODC	homicides /100,000 population	2.0	40.00	25.65	162	159	
Extrajudicial killings	CIRIGHTS	coding: 0-2	1.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	70	1	Dispute settlement through violence	WJP	expert survey: 0-1	1.0	0.400	0.436	108	94	
Use of torture	CIRIGHTS	coding: 0-2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	19	42	Safety walking alone at night	Gallup	percentage	1.0	43.0	50.0	143	123	
Disappearance cases	CIRIGHTS	coding: 0-2	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1	1	Physical security of women	WomStat	index: 0-4	1.0	3.0	3.0	38	49	
Political imprisonment	CIRIGHTS	coding: 0-2	0.5	2.0	2.0	2.0	1	1									
One-sided conflict deaths	UCDP	deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.000	0.000	0.000	1	1									
<b>Property Crime (116th)</b>				<b>10%</b>	51.9	50.7	122	116									
Property stolen	Gallup	percentage	2.0	19.0	20.0	20.0	109	116									
Business costs of crime and violence	WEF	expert survey: 1-7	0.5	2.82	2.82	2.82	158	157									
Business costs of organised crime	WEF	expert survey: 1-7	1.0	4.28	4.28	4.28	121	105									



Belize: Personal Freedom (44th): Element and indicator scores

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		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
<b>Agency (48th)</b>				<b>25%</b>	60.0		67.6	66	48	<b>Freedom of Assembly and Association (52nd)</b>				<b>25%</b>	82.9		79.9	50	52
Personal autonomy and individual rights		FH	coding, 0-16	1.0	13.0		13.0	31	36	Right to associate and organise		FH	coding, 0-12	1.0	11.0		11.0	36	28
Due process and rights		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.280		0.395	152	100	Guarantee of assembly and association		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.63		0.54	89	98
Freedom of movement		CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-4	1.0	4.0		4.0	1	1	<i>Autonomy from the state</i>		V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.936		0.936	33	19
Women's agency		WomStat	coding, 0-16	1.0	6.0		6.0	56	56										
Freedom from arbitrary interference with privacy		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.31		0.46	107	64										
<i>Freedom from forced labour</i>		V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.815		0.815	63	54										
Government response to slavery		GSI	index, -10-100	1.0	51.4		51.4	41	49										
Satisfaction with freedom		Gallup	percentage	1.0	62.0		86.0	112	39										
<b>Freedom of Speech and Access to Information (39th)</b>				<b>25%</b>	82.2		78.3	35	39	<b>Absence of Legal Discrimination (81st)</b>				<b>25%</b>	55.7		53.0	72	81
Press freedom from government censorship		FH	index, 0-100	1.0	22.0		27.0	23	33	Equal treatment and absence of discrimination		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.458		0.512	143	109
Press freedom from physical repression		Rsf	index, 0-100	1.0	17.1		27.6	28	49	Non-discriminatory civil justice		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5	0.380		0.473	143	106
Freedom of opinion and expression		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.557		0.549	92	75	Freedom from hiring and workplace discrimination		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.721		0.527	29	98
<i>Government media censorship</i>		V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	3.30		3.30	52	37	LGBT rights		ILGA	coding, 0-3	1.0	1.0		1.0	23	42
<i>Alternative sources of information</i>		V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.935		0.935	26	12	Protection of women's workplace, education and family rights		WomStat	coding, 0-8	1.0	6.0		6.0	60	66
<i>Political diversity of media perspectives</i>		V-DEM	coding, 0-3	0.5	2.92		2.92	9	5	Freedom of belief and religion		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.575		0.515	120	126
										Government religious intimidation and hostility		Pew	index, 0-1	1.0	0.00		0.00	1	1



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				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023					2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023
<b>Executive Constraints (96th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	40.5		103	96	<b>Political Accountability (60th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	79.5		53	60
Executive powers are effectively limited by the judiciary and legislature	WJP	expert survey, 0-3	2.0	1.42		1.59	95	70	<i>Consensus on democracy and a market economy as a goal</i>	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	7.4		73	62	
Government powers are subject to independent and non-governmental checks	WJP	expert survey, 0-3	1.0	1.20		1.12	125	133	Political participation and rights	FH	coding, 1-7	0.5	1.0		1	38	
Transition of power is subject to the law	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.684		0.624	63	70	Democracy level	CSP	expert survey, -10-10	1.0	9.6		37	35	
Military involvement in rule of law and politics	FI	index, 0-10	0.5	5.00		5.00	118	111	Complaint mechanisms	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.592		57	98	
Government officials are sanctioned for misconduct	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.276		0.265	152	152									
<b>Rule of Law (74th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	44.0		85	74	<b>Government Integrity (100th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	39.6		98	100
Judicial independence	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.06		3.06	102	110	Use of public office for private gain	WJP	expert survey, 0-4	1.0	1.47		74	74	
Civil justice	WJP	expert survey, 0-6	3.0	2.70		2.90	102	79	Diversion of public funds	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	2.63		118	124	
Integrity of the legal system	FI	index, 0-10	2.0	6.59		6.59	56	53	Anti-corruption policy	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	4.0		119	114	
Efficiency of dispute settlement	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.1		3.1	121	117	Clientelism	V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.564		96	96	
									Legislative corruption	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	1.46		94	95	
									Judicial corruption	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	1.92		91	102	
									Executive corruption	V-DEM	index, 0-1	0.5	0.551		83	96	
									Public sector corruption	V-DEM	index, 0-1	0.5	0.605		91	96	
<b>Government Effectiveness (108th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	42.1		109	108	<b>Regulatory Quality (110th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	38.0		114	110
Government quality and credibility	WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	2.0	-0.43		-0.65	93	115	Right to information	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5	0.51		80	112	
Prioritisation	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	5.4		5.4	83	85	Publicised laws and government data	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.46		70	93	
Efficiency of government spending	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	2.79		2.79	113	109	Transparency of government policy	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.56		134	112	
Efficient use of assets	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	4.1		4.1	98	100	Budget transparency	IBP	index, 0-100	0.5	48.0		81	83	
Implementation	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	4.9		4.9	112	113	Regulatory quality	WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	1.0	-0.41		103	103	
Policy learning	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	5.0		5.0	81	77	Enforcement of regulations	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.373		139	131	
Policy coordination	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	5.1		5.1	101	94	Efficiency of legal framework in challenging regulations	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.05		110	101	
									Delay in administrative proceedings	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.292		154	118	
<b>Institutional Trust (158th)</b>				<b>10%</b>	23.9		165	158									
Confidence in local police	Gallup	percentage	2.0	38.0		37.0	158	164									
Public trust in politicians	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	1.80		1.80	151	151									
Confidence in financial institutions and banks	Gallup	percentage	1.0	45.5		59.9	127	84									
Confidence in judicial system and courts	Gallup	percentage	1.0	29.0		37.0	140	127									
Confidence in national government	Gallup	percentage	1.0	25.5		38.4	153	123									
Confidence in military	Gallup	percentage	0.5	40.0		45.0	160	157									











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				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023					2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	2023
<b>Communications (90th)</b>				<b>25%</b>	45.1	74.3	92	90	<b>Energy (56th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	54.3	53.9	41	56
International internet bandwidth	ITU	kilobits per second per capita	1.0	49.6	58.0	58	54	Installed electric capacity	UNESD	kilowatts per capita	1.5	0.417	0.390	88	94		
2G, 3G and 4G network coverage	GSM4	index, 0-100	2.0	53.0	97.3	117	73	Number of electrical outages in a typical month	WB-ES	number	0.5	2.5	2.5	103	108		
Fixed broadband subscriptions	ITU	number /100 population	1.0	2.765	9.054	86	88	Average duration of a typical electrical outage	WB-ES	hours	0.5	1.8	1.8	16	22		
Internet usage	ITU	percentage	1.0	28.2	50.8	83	105	Time to obtain an electrical connection upon application	WB-ES	days	1.0	6.1	6.1	5	8		
<b>Water (81st)</b>				<b>10%</b>	55.5	55.5	77	81	<b>Transport (114th)</b>				<b>25%</b>	28.7	31.7	118	114
Gross fixed water assets	IBNET	USD per population served	1.0	73.3	73.3	78	78	Logistics performance	WB-LPI	index, 1-5	1.5	2.61	2.61	106	108		
Water production	IBNET	litres per capita per day	0.5	329.6	329.6	56	56	Airport connectivity	WEF	index, 0-100	2.0	3,261.8	5,426.7	113	122		
Reliability of water supply	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.30	4.30	92	97	Efficiency of seaport services	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	3.52	3.52	95	102		
								Liner shipping connectivity	UNCTAD	index, rebased to 100 in 2004	0.5	3.4	11.5	161	121		
								Quality of roads	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.0	3.0	118	127		
								Road density	FAO	km per 100 sq km of land area	0.5	12.5	12.5	117	117		
								Rail density	UIC	km per sq km of land area	0.5	0.0000	0.0000	139	137		
<b>Border Administration (101st)</b>				<b>5%</b>	48.0	48.0	91	101	<b>Open Market Scale (81st)</b>				<b>5%</b>	42.4	43.8	66	81
Efficiency of customs clearance process	WB-LPI	survey, 1-5	1.5	2.36	2.36	103	116	Domestic and international market access for goods	WTO	percentage of global GDP	1.5	19.82	20.69	83	101		
Number of documents required to be filled out for exports	WB-LPI	number	0.5	3.2	3.2	93	109	Domestic and international market access for services	WTO	percentage of global GDP	2.0	19.8	20.7	64	77		
Number of documents required to be filled out for imports	WB-LPI	number	0.5	4.0	4.0	109	89	Trade-weighted average tariff faced in destination markets	WEF	percentage	0.5	3.8	3.8	53	105		
Clearance time with physical inspection	WB-LPI	days	0.5	2.3	2.3	91	124	Margin of preference in destination markets	WEF	index, 1-100	0.5	44.0	44.0	65	66		
Average time to clear exports through customs (days)	WB-ES	days	0.5	6.2	6.2	84	74										
<b>Import Tariff Barriers (83rd)</b>				<b>5%</b>	65.0	65.0	73	83	<b>Market Distortions (131st)</b>				<b>10%</b>	42.5	42.5	129	131
Share of imports free from tariff duties	WEF	percentage	1.5	56.23	56.23	82	94	Extent of liberalisation of foreign trade	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	7.4	7.4	81	85		
Average applied tariff rate	WEF	percentage	2.0	6.78	6.78	82	88	Prevalence of non-tariff barriers	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.34	3.34	157	162		
Complexity of tariffs	WEF	index, 1-7	0.3	6.293	6.293	66	57	Non-tariff measures	UNCTAD	number	0.3	861.2	861.2	144	144		







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	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	Global Rank 2023		Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	Global Rank 2023
<b>Behavioural Risk Factors (82nd)</b>			<b>10%</b>	61.0		61.8	85	82									
<b>Preventative Interventions (119th)</b>			<b>15%</b>	87.9		70.2	45	119									
Obesity	WHO-GDO	percentage	1.0	21.5		24.1	118	122	Diphtheria immunisation	WHO and UNICEF	percentage	1.0	96.0		79.0	46	119
Smoking	WHO	percentage	1.0	11.3		8.5	17	21	Measles immunisation	WHO and UNICEF	percentage	1.0	98.0		82.0	19	110
Substance use disorders	GBD	number /100,000 population	1.0	2,472.9		2,334.0	108	98	Hepatitis immunisation	WHO and UNICEF	percentage	1.0	96.0		79.0	40	118
									Contraceptive prevalence	UNPD	percentage	1.0	51.0		48.5	66	78
									Antenatal care coverage	UNICEF	percentage	1.0	94.0		97.2	97	80
									Existence of national screening programs	WHO	index, 0-1	0.5	1.0		0.3	1	116
<b>Care Systems (107th)</b>			<b>15%</b>	43.4		46.9	100	107	<b>Mental Health (55th)</b>			<b>10%</b>	68.7		69.4	60	55
Healthcare coverage	ILO	percentage	0.5	75.0		75.0	115	115	Emotional wellbeing	Gallup	index, 0-1	0.5	0.68		0.69	130	79
Health facilities	WHO	index, 0-0.6	1.0	0.233		0.232	67	67	Depressive disorders	GBD	years /100,000 population	1.0	573.4		583.7	55	58
Health practitioners and staff	WHO	index, 0-1	1.0	0.101		0.128	100	103	Suicide	WHO	deaths /100,000 population	1.0	8.2		7.7	63	68
Births attended by skilled health staff	UNICEF	percentage	1.0	94.0		94.6	96	105									
Tuberculosis treatment coverage	WHO	percentage	0.5	87.0		84.0	7	45									
Antiretroviral HIV therapy	UNAIDS	percentage	1.0	27.0		39.0	92	148									
Satisfaction with healthcare	Gallup	percentage	1.0	43.3		50.3	114	104									
<b>Physical Health (60th)</b>			<b>20%</b>	76.9		73.9	29	60	<b>Longevity (80th)</b>			<b>30%</b>	81.1		83.8	85	80
Physical pain	Gallup	percentage	0.5	21.8		25.8	31	40	Maternal mortality	WB-DI, UNFPA, et al	deaths /100,000 live births	1.0	54.0		36.0	83	74
Health problems	Gallup	percentage	0.5	16.9		23.8	20	79	Under 5 mortality	UNIGME	number /1,000 under 5 years-old	1.0	18.9		11.7	78	71
Communicable diseases	GBD	years /100,000 population	2.0	528.7		524.1	99	100	5-14 mortality	UNIGME	number /1,000 between 5-14 years-old	0.5	3.9		2.9	88	84
Non-communicable diseases	GBD	years /100,000 population	0.5	6,359.4		6,455.6	66	68	15-60 mortality	WHO	number /1,000 between 15-60 years-old	2.0	181.6		162.8	99	106
Raised blood pressure	WHO	percentage	0.5	23.4		22.7	50	60	Life expectancy at 60	WHO	years	1.0	21.3		21.5	52	58



Belize: Education (104th): Element and indicator scores

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				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013 2023						2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013 2023	
<b>Pre-Primary Education (118th)</b>				<b>5%</b>	43.5	34.2	102	118	<b>Primary Education (99th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	75.8	78.4	102	99
Pre-primary enrolment	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	43.5	34.2	102	118	Primary enrolment	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	95.4	95.9	56	51		
								Primary completion	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	78.8	83.4	109	114		
								Primary education quality	AllAng&Pat	score, 0-625	0.5	398.3	398.3	96	99		
<b>Secondary Education (117th)</b>				<b>30%</b>	37.1	39.7	116	117	<b>Tertiary Education (111th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	27.5	26.7	98	111
Secondary school enrolment	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	65.3	71.1	103	97	Tertiary enrolment	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	21.9	25.6	97	100		
Lower-secondary completion	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	33.4	40.0	133	142	Tertiary completion	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	12.5	6.8	96	124		
Access to quality education	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	1.0	1.39	1.39	112	112	Average quality of higher education institutions	QS, TES	score, 0-8	0.5	0.000	0.000	77	92		
Secondary education quality	AllAng&Pat	score, 0-625	2.0	388.9	388.9	114	114	Skillset of university graduates	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	4.14	4.14	93	98		
								Quality of vocational training	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.92	3.92	84	93		
<b>Adult Skills (92nd)</b>				<b>25%</b>	62.1	65.7	94	92									
Adult literacy	UNESCO	percentage	1.0	89.45	89.45	94	101										
Education level of adult population	BL	index, 0-1	1.0	0.49	0.57	75	72										
Women's average years in school	IHME	years	1.0	8.8	9.8	98	98										
Education inequality	Cas&Dom	index, 0-1	0.5	0.194	0.194	74	74										
Digital skills among population	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.54	3.54	125	129										



Belize: Natural Environment (53rd): Element and indicator scores

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				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013 2023						2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013 2023			
<b>Emissions (102nd)</b>				<b>15%</b>	68.8		64.2	90	102	<b>Exposure to Air Pollution (61st)</b>				<b>15%</b>	85.0		82.4	53	61
Black carbon emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.668		0.482	71	124	Exposure to fine particulate matter	EPI	percentage	2.0	0.000		0.000	1	1		
CO2 emissions	GCB and CW	index, 0-1	2.0	0.764		0.756	63	62	Health impact of air pollution	IHME	DALYs /100,000 population	2.0	850.5		965.6	67	85		
Methane emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.647		0.661	109	101	Satisfaction with air quality	Gallup	percentage	0.5	70.7		65.5	113	134		
NOx emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.55		0.48	121	137											
SO2 emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.737		0.721	96	104											
<b>Forest, Land and Soil (74th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	51.2		42.9	33	74	<b>Freshwater (44th)</b>				<b>20%</b>	65.1		66.3	49	44
Flood occurrence	WRI	index, 0-5	1.0	2.7		2.7	69	69	Freshwater withdrawal	FAO	percentage	1.0	0.66		0.66	16	15		
Forest area	FAO	percentage	1.0	61.00		55.99	19	25	Renewable water resources	FAO	m³ per person	1.0	72,682.9		56,736.2	10	11		
Sustainable nitrogen management	EPI	index, 0-sqrt(2)	1.0	0.85		1.09	93	153	Satisfaction with water quality	Gallup	percentage	1.0	63.3		68.8	102	92		
									Wastewater treatment	EPI	percentage	1.0	24.1		24.1	78	78		
<b>Oceans (77th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	54.8		54.8	67	77	<b>Preservation Efforts (54th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	44.2		50.3	67	54
Overexploitation of fish stocks	EPI	percentage	1.0	24.2		24.2	57	68	Protection for biodiverse areas	UNSDG	index, 0-1	1.0	29.911		29.912	109	123		
Clean ocean water	OHI	index, 0-100	1.0	67.2		67.2	37	42	Terrestrial protected areas	WDPA	percentage	1.0	37.680		37.547	11	16		
Stability of marine biodiversity	EPI	index, 0-100	1.0	29.6		29.6	97	97	Marine protected areas	WDPA	percentage	1.0	10.0801		11.0192	21	35		
									Pesticide regulation	EPI	index, 0-25	1.0	21.0		21.0	63	65		
									Long term management of forest areas	FAO	percentage	1.0	33.76		33.76	95	100		
									Satisfaction with preservation efforts	Gallup	percentage	1.0	30.3		61.5	150	46		

## 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
ECI	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	Groupe 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 Surveys, Arab Barometer, Latinobarometro