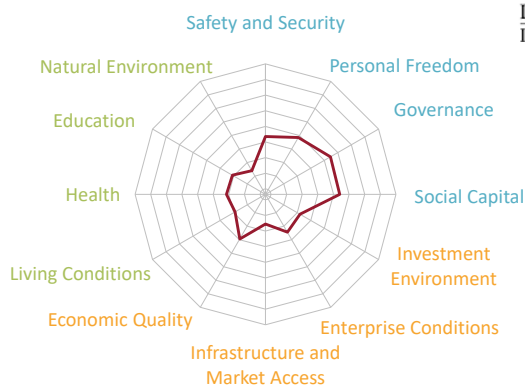
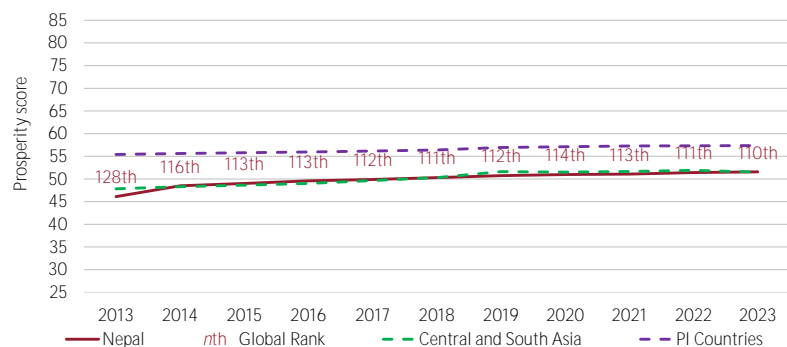


Nepal: Prosperity score 51.6 (110th)



























































































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	46.1		51.6	110	▲ 18	7
Inclusive Societies	48.9		57.2	78	▲ 42	1
Safety and Security	52.7		66.6	94	▲ 45	6
Personal Freedom	60.5		57.2	84	▬ -	1
Governance	44.9		48.5	72	▲ 27	2
Social Capital	37.3		56.4	73	▲ 83	5
Open Economies	41.1		43.8	119	▲ 4	9
Investment Environment	42.0		42.2	117	▼ 4	7
Enterprise Conditions	47.1		48.6	112	▲ 5	6
Infrastructure and Market Access	28.7		39.2	130	▲ 18	10
Economic Quality	46.6		45.3	102	▼ 1	6
Empowered People	48.4		53.7	120	▲ 4	7
Living Conditions	48.4		56.1	123	▲ 2	9
Health	55.7		63.9	118	▲ 6	9
Education	38.1		45.7	119	▲ 9	8
Natural Environment	51.3		49.2	133	▼ 14	4

Nepal (110th): Pillar and element scores

Pillar		2013 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2023			2023 Global Rank 10-yr rank change		Central and South Asia Rank 2023		Pillar		2013 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2023			2023 Global Rank 10-yr rank change		Central and South Asia Rank 2023	
	Safety and Security	52.7		66.6	94	▲ 45	6		Personal Freedom	60.5		57.2	84	— -	1		
War and Civil Conflict	20%	71.3		87.5	70	▲ 56	4	Agency	25%	52.5		50.2	96	▼ 9	4		
Terrorism	15%	52.1		71.0	139	▲ 20	8	Freedom of Assembly and Association	25%	71.1		69.7	73	▲ 14	1		
Politically Related Terror and Violence	30%	37.5		62.5	89	▲ 48	2	Freedom of Speech and Access to Information	25%	72.3		64.8	72	▼ 8	1		
Violent Crime	25%	51.8		52.8	80	▼ 6	6	Absence of Legal Discrimination	25%	46.0		44.0	108	▲ 1	3		
Property Crime	10%	64.3		65.3	85	▼ 1	8										
	Governance	44.9		48.5	72	▲ 27	2		Social Capital	37.3		56.4	73	▲ 83	5		
Executive Constraints	15%	60.7		58.2	49	▼ 3	1	Personal and Family Relationships	20%	54.0		49.0	140	▼ 5	7		
Political Accountability	15%	56.8		67.8	76	▲ 27	2	Social Networks	20%	18.4		48.9	146	▲ 21	11		
Rule of Law	15%	48.4		45.6	75	▼ 10	3	Interpersonal Trust	20%	23.4		37.5	104	▲ 46	5		
Government Integrity	15%	36.6		41.6	92	▲ 15	3	Civic and Social Participation	20%	38.9		55.9	32	▲ 56	3		
Government Effectiveness	15%	24.3		34.2	126	▲ 25	8	Social Tolerance	20%	52.0		90.6	6	▲ 58	1		
Regulatory Quality	15%	42.5		39.2	102	▼ 12	6										
Institutional Trust	10%	45.0		54.8	64	▲ 34	7										
	Investment Environment	42.0		42.2	117	▼ 4	7		Enterprise Conditions	47.1		48.6	112	▲ 5	6		
Property Rights	30%	33.1		38.0	137	▲ 10	10	Domestic Market Contestability	30%	46.3		45.7	112	▲ 2	6		
Investor Protection	20%	46.0		46.3	90	▼ 5	7	Environment for Business Creation	25%	49.1		48.2	108	▼ 10	5		
Contract Enforcement	20%	48.7		53.1	97	▲ 17	5	Burden of Regulation	25%	43.3		49.9	91	▲ 43	6		
Financing Ecosystem	20%	50.2		47.1	111	▼ 23	8	Labour Market Flexibility	10%	35.7		37.0	144	▲ 7	11		
Restrictions on International Investment	10%	30.3		14.6	162	▼ 28	11	Price Distortions	10%	65.3		66.5	77	— -	2		
	Infrastructure and Market Access	28.7		39.2	130	▲ 18	10		Economic Quality	46.6		45.3	102	▼ 1	6		
Communications	25%	23.9		56.0	121	▲ 31	7	Fiscal Sustainability	25%	62.7		53.6	81	▼ 28	7		
Energy	15%	30.8		33.5	128	▲ 7	8	Macroeconomic Stability	10%	63.9		67.4	31	▲ 11	4		
Water	10%	36.6		40.3	130	▲ 6	9	Productivity and Competitiveness	30%	35.4		37.7	129	▲ 5	9		
Transport	25%	21.1		30.6	121	▲ 29	8	Dynamism	15%	10.5		18.1	141	▲ 21	10		
Border Administration	5%	41.1		33.0	156	▼ 23	9	Labour Force Engagement	20%	61.7		55.9	72	▼ 25	2		
Open Market Scale	5%	19.4		24.0	110	▼ 9	5										
Import Tariff Barriers	5%	17.9		20.6	166	▼ 1	11										
Market Distortions	10%	53.0		45.5	122	▼ 23	7										
	Living Conditions	48.4		56.1	123	▲ 2	9		Health	55.7		63.9	118	▲ 6	9		
Material Resources	20%	47.1		52.1	114	▲ 4	6	Behavioural Risk Factors	10%	62.3		70.2	50	▲ 31	5		
Nutrition	20%	58.2		55.9	135	▼ 15	9	Preventative Interventions	15%	52.5		70.4	117	▲ 28	9		
Basic Services	10%	63.3		77.7	112	▲ 4	7	Care Systems	15%	16.5		39.1	132	▲ 27	8		
Shelter	20%	44.3		45.9	131	▼ 1	9	Mental Health	10%	55.8		51.9	136	▼ 13	10		
Connectedness	15%	23.1		61.2	99	▲ 56	8	Physical Health	20%	61.7		60.6	120	▲ 3	9		
Protection from Harm	15%	57.8		55.8	138	▼ 16	9	Longevity	30%	70.8		77.1	108	▲ 3	7		
	Education	38.1		45.7	119	▲ 9	8		Natural Environment	51.3		49.2	133	▼ 14	4		
Pre-Primary Education	5%	83.0		100.0	1	▲ 50	1	Emissions	15%	69.2		65.4	95	▼ 11	4		
Primary Education	20%	56.5		74.7	111	▲ 22	8	Exposure to Air Pollution	15%	33.0		26.3	165	— -	9		
Secondary Education	30%	33.8		38.7	120	▲ 4	9	Forest, Land and Soil	20%	36.3		35.6	116	▼ 1	5		
Tertiary Education	20%	20.4		21.8	133	— -	9	Freshwater	20%	60.5		57.0	80	▼ 17	2		
Adult Skills	25%	33.8		39.1	141	▲ 2	9	Oceans (Insufficient Data)	15%								
								Preservation Efforts	15%	59.3		63.8	23	▲ 1	1		



Nepal: Safety and Security (94th): Element and indicator scores

Italics: Indicator contains imputed values

War and Civil Conflict (70th)						Terrorism (139th)													
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				
20%						71.3	87.5	126	70	15%						52.1	71.0	159	139
Two-sided conflict deaths	UCDP	deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.292	0.000	119	1	Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	2.0	1.917	0.117	152	97				
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	4.860	1.172	156	129				
Conflict-driven internal displacement	IDMC	people /1,000,000 population	1.0	1,852.6	0.0	135	1	Terrorism incidents	GTD	incidents /1,000,000 population	0.5	2.751	4.310	157	156				
Refugees (origin country)	UNHCR	people /1,000,000 population	1.0	253.6	236.9	99	90	Property cost of terrorism	GTD	US \$ /billion US 2010 \$	1.0	2,456.1	1,949.0	166	157				
30%						37.5	62.5	137	89	25%						51.8	52.8	74	80
Politically Related Terror and Violence (89th)						Violent Crime (80th)													
Political terror	PTS	index, 1-5	2.0	3.5	3.0	131	91	Intentional homicides	UNODC	homicides /100,000 population	2.0	3.01	2.07	73	66				
Extrajudicial killings	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-2	1.0	0.0	1.0	142	80	Dispute settlement through violence	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.452	0.406	86	109				
Use of torture	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-2	1.0	0.0	1.0	84	42	Safety walking alone at night	Gallup	percentage	1.0	61.0	59.0	80	98				
Disappearance cases	CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-2	1.0	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	0.0	1.0	122	78												
One-sided conflict deaths	UCDP	deaths /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.000	0.000	1	1												
10%						64.3	65.3	84	85	Property Crime (85th)									
Property stolen	Gallup	percentage	2.0	7.0	9.0	12	45												
Business costs of crime and violence	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.45	4.16	143	104												
Business costs of organised crime	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.77	4.02	149	122												



Nepal: Personal Freedom (84th): Element and indicator scores

Italics: Indicator contains imputed values

		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
Agency (96th)				25%	52.5		50.2	87	96	Freedom of Assembly and Association (73rd)				25%	71.1		69.7	87	73
Personal autonomy and individual rights		FH	coding, 0-16	1.0	7.0		8.0	107	90	Right to associate and organise		FH	coding, 0-12	1.0	6.0		7.0	101	79
Due process and rights		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.380		0.409	108	91	Guarantee of assembly and association		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.72		0.64	56	63
Freedom of movement		CIRIGHTS	coding, 0-4	1.0	4.0		3.0	1	83	Autonomy from the state		V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.915		0.863	40	57
Women's agency		WomStat	coding, 0-16	1.0	12.0		12.0	117	117										
Freedom from arbitrary interference with privacy		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.44		0.39	81	86										
Freedom from forced labour		V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.748		0.649	86	113										
Government response to slavery		GSI	index, -10-100	1.0	53.6		38.7	34	87										
Satisfaction with freedom		Gallup	percentage	1.0	57.0		80.0	127	73										
Freedom of Speech and Access to Information (72nd)				25%	72.3		64.8	64	72	Absence of Legal Discrimination (108th)				25%	46.0		44.0	109	108
Press freedom from government censorship		FH	index, 0-100	1.0	58.0		52.0	100	83	Equal treatment and absence of discrimination		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.484		0.517	136	106
Press freedom from physical repression		Rsf	index, 0-100	1.0	34.6		34.6	109	96	Non-discriminatory civil justice		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5	0.288		0.374	162	139
Freedom of opinion and expression		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.720		0.622	42	55	Freedom from hiring and workplace discrimination		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.557		0.519	88	102
Government media censorship		V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	3.60		2.97	33	57	LGBT rights		ILGA	coding, 0-3	1.0	1.0		1.0	23	42
Alternative sources of information		V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.886		0.703	51	92	Protection of women's workplace, education and family rights		WomStat	coding, 0-8	1.0	7.0		7.0	80	84
Political diversity of media perspectives		V-DEM	coding, 0-3	0.5	2.72		2.25	62	101	Freedom of belief and religion		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.733		0.626	54	87
										Government religious intimidation and hostility		Pew	index, 0-1	1.0	0.42		0.48	126	131



Nepal: Governance (72nd): Element and indicator scores

Italics: Indicator contains imputed values

				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	Global Rank 2023					2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013	Global Rank 2023
Executive Constraints (49th)				15%	60.7	58.2	46	49	Political Accountability (76th)				15%	56.8	67.8	103	76
Executive powers are effectively limited by the judiciary and legislature	WJP	expert survey, 0-3	2.0	2.01	1.95	43	43	Consensus on democracy and a market economy as a goal	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	4.0	6.0	138	85		
Government powers are subject to independent and non-governmental checks	WJP	expert survey, 0-3	1.0	1.67	1.58	61	62	Political participation and rights	FH	coding, 1-7	0.5	4.0	3.0	91	62		
Transition of power is subject to the law	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.662	0.642	68	65	Democracy level	CSP	expert survey, -10-10	1.0	6.0	7.0	83	71		
Military involvement in rule of law and politics	FI	index, 0-10	0.5	10.00	10.00	1	1	Complaint mechanisms	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.604	0.634	51	51		
Government officials are sanctioned for misconduct	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.501	0.472	69	67										
Rule of Law (75th)				15%	48.4	45.6	65	75	Government Integrity (92nd)				15%	36.6	41.6	107	92
Judicial independence	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.28	3.33	92	92	Use of public office for private gain	WJP	expert survey, 0-4	1.0	1.20	1.22	106	107		
Civil justice	WJP	expert survey, 0-6	3.0	2.58	2.76	116	89	Diversion of public funds	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	2.69	3.48	115	69		
Integrity of the legal system	FI	index, 0-10	2.0	8.25	6.64	12	52	Anti-corruption policy	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	3.0	4.0	120	82		
Efficiency of dispute settlement	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.1	3.4	129	98	Clientelism	V-DEM	index, 0-1	1.0	0.364	0.437	55	72		
								Legislative corruption	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	1.73	1.85	73	77		
								Judicial corruption	V-DEM	coding, 0-4	0.5	1.33	1.13	134	157		
								Executive corruption	V-DEM	index, 0-1	0.5	0.691	0.524	104	91		
								Public sector corruption	V-DEM	index, 0-1	0.5	0.763	0.656	126	103		
Government Effectiveness (126th)				15%	24.3	34.2	151	126	Regulatory Quality (102nd)				15%	42.5	39.2	90	102
Government quality and credibility	WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	2.0	-0.87	-0.94	130	136	Right to information	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5	0.50	0.53	81	56		
Prioritisation	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	2.0	4.0	158	117	Publicised laws and government data	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.47	0.31	68	105		
Efficiency of government spending	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	2.91	2.84	101	108	Transparency of government policy	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	0.5	3.75	3.61	118	106		
Efficient use of assets	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	3.0	4.0	131	101	Budget transparency	IBP	index, 0-100	0.5	45.0	39.0	85	107		
Implementation	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	3.0	4.0	140	114	Regulatory quality	WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	1.0	-0.74	-0.70	126	121		
Policy learning	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	3.0	5.0	137	78	Enforcement of regulations	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.457	0.480	97	95		
Policy coordination	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	1.0	3.0	4.0	142	119	Efficiency of legal framework in challenging regulations	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.35	3.12	86	91		
								Delay in administrative proceedings	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	1.0	0.479	0.453	75	83		
Institutional Trust (64th)				10%	45.0	54.8	98	64									
Confidence in local police	Gallup	percentage	2.0	67.0	73.0	66	60										
Public trust in politicians	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	1.88	1.91	147	148										
Confidence in financial institutions and banks	Gallup	percentage	1.0	69.1	82.5	47	15										
Confidence in judicial system and courts	Gallup	percentage	1.0	54.0	64.0	68	39										
Confidence in national government	Gallup	percentage	1.0	32.8	61.8	135	58										
Confidence in military	Gallup	percentage	0.5	76.0	78.0	69	62										



Nepal: Infrastructure and Market Access (130th): Element and indicator scores

Italics: Indicator contains imputed values

				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank						2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank	
				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	2013	2023					2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	2013	2023
Communications (121st)				25%	23.9	56.0	152	121	Energy (128th)				15%	30.8	33.5	135	128
International internet bandwidth	ITU	kilobits per second per capita	1.0	27.7	50.3	148	102	Installed electric capacity	UNESD	kilowatts per capita	1.5	0.023	0.043	150	142		
2G, 3G and 4G network coverage	GSM4	index, 0-100	2.0	36.9	70.7	153	147	Number of electrical outages in a typical month	WB-ES	number	0.5	51.3	8.7	165	144		
Fixed broadband subscriptions	ITU	number /100 population	1.0	0.223	4.359	123	106	Average duration of a typical electrical outage	WB-ES	hours	0.5	6.5	3.6	127	90		
Internet usage	ITU	percentage	1.0	7.9	37.7	121	116	Time to obtain an electrical connection upon application	WB-ES	days	1.0	8.9	21.3	13	62		
Water (130th)				10%	36.6	40.3	136	130	Transport (121st)				25%	21.1	30.6	150	121
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	2.00	2.55	164	115		
Water production	IBNET	litres per capita per day	0.5	173.4	173.4	123	123	Airport connectivity	WEF	index, 0-100	2.0	7.895.0	29.853.7	90	79		
Reliability of water supply	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	2.40	2.96	155	143	Efficiency of seaport services	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.0	1.61	1.98	164	163		
								Liner shipping connectivity	UNCTAD	index, rebased to 100 in 2004	0.5	27.1	27.1	59	72		
								Quality of roads	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	2.6	2.9	146	137		
								Road density	FAO	km per 100 sq km of land area	0.5	13.5	13.5	111	111		
								Rail density	UIC	km per sq km of land area	0.5	0.0004	0.0004	135	133		
Border Administration (156th)				5%	41.1	33.0	133	156	Open Market Scale (110th)				5%	19.4	24.0	101	110
Efficiency of customs clearance process	WB-LPI	survey, 1-5	1.5	2.20	2.29	132	128	Domestic and international market access for goods	WTO	percentage of global GDP	1.5	3.17	4.08	114	121		
Number of documents required to be filled out for exports	WB-LPI	number	0.5	6.0	9.0	151	159	Domestic and international market access for services	WTO	percentage of global GDP	2.0	0.0	0.0	119	119		
Number of documents required to be filled out for imports	WB-LPI	number	0.5	5.0	9.0	133	159	Trade-weighted average tariff faced in destination markets	WEF	percentage	0.5	3.5	2.5	31	13		
Clearance time with physical inspection	WB-LPI	days	0.5	1.0	1.0	6	2	Margin of preference in destination markets	WEF	index, 1-100	0.5	80.6	89.9	2	1		
Average time to clear exports through customs (days)	WB-ES	days	0.5	5.6	8.5	74	115										
Import Tariff Barriers (166th)				5%	17.9	20.6	165	166	Market Distortions (122nd)				10%	53.0	45.5	99	122
Share of imports free from tariff duties	WEF	percentage	1.5	6.30	5.87	156	160	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	17.73	16.80	165	165	Prevalence of non-tariff barriers	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.0	3.71	3.92	138	137		
Complexity of tariffs	WEF	index, 1-7	0.3	5.874	6.294	90	56	Non-tariff measures	UNCTAD	number	0.3	300.0	300.0	54	54		



Nepal: Health (118th): Element and indicator scores

Italics: Indicator contains imputed values

	Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value	2023	Global Rank			Source	Unit	Weight	2013	Value	2023	Global Rank	
					10-yr trend		2013	2023					2013	2023	2013	2023	
Behavioural Risk Factors (50th)			10%	62.3		70.2	81	50				15%	52.5		70.4	145	117
Obesity	WHO-GDO	percentage	1.0	3.1		4.1	5	5	Diphtheria immunisation	WHO and UNICEF	percentage	1.0	82.0		84.0	129	106
Smoking	WHO	percentage	1.0	43.6		30.4	164	144	Measles immunisation	WHO and UNICEF	percentage	1.0	86.0		87.0	118	96
Substance use disorders	GBD	number /100,000 population	1.0	1,516.4		1,533.3	59	59	Hepatitis immunisation	WHO and UNICEF	percentage	1.0	82.0		84.0	123	104
									Contraceptive prevalence	UNPD	percentage	1.0	44.2		44.2	87	94
									Antenatal care coverage	UNICEF	percentage	1.0	43.7		88.8	162	133
									Existence of national screening programs	WHO	index, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.3	154	116
Care Systems (132nd)			15%	16.5		39.1	159	132	Mental Health (136th)			10%	55.8		51.9	123	136
Healthcare coverage	ILO	percentage	0.5	99.9		99.9	162	162	Emotional wellbeing	Gallup	index, 0-1	0.5	0.80		0.63	29	123
Health facilities	WHO	index, 0-0.6	1.0	0.035		0.035	163	162	Depressive disorders	GBD	years /100,000 population	1.0	916.9		874.0	153	149
Health practitioners and staff	WHO	index, 0-1	1.0	0.059		0.138	115	100	Suicide	WHO	deaths /100,000 population	1.0	10.5		9.8	89	98
Births attended by skilled health staff	UNICEF	percentage	1.0	18.7		77.2	163	135									
Tuberculosis treatment coverage	WHO	percentage	0.5	42.0		40.0	154	157									
Antiretroviral HIV therapy	UNAIDS	percentage	1.0	16.0		66.0	127	82									
Satisfaction with healthcare	Gallup	percentage	1.0	53.1		65.5	91	59									
Physical Health (120th)			20%	61.7		60.6	123	120	Longevity (108th)			30%	70.8		77.1	111	108
Physical pain	Gallup	percentage	0.5	30.3		38.1	104	113	Maternal mortality	WB-DI, UNFPA, et al	deaths /100,000 live births	1.0	305.0		186.0	124	121
Health problems	Gallup	percentage	0.5	28.1		29.2	132	119	Under 5 mortality	UNIGME	number /1,000 under 5 years-old	1.0	45.9		28.2	113	109
Communicable diseases	GBD	years /100,000 population	2.0	932.5		792.7	120	118	5-14 mortality	UNIGME	number /1,000 between 5-14 years-old	0.5	7.3		5.0	111	111
Non-communicable diseases	GBD	years /100,000 population	0.5	6,588.1		6,706.1	88	96	15-60 mortality	WHO	number /1,000 between 15-60 years-old	2.0	176.9		140.3	97	86
Raised blood pressure	WHO	percentage	0.5	28.8		29.4	117	139	Life expectancy at 60	WHO	years	1.0	18.1		18.0	95	115



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Italics: Indicator contains imputed values

				2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013 2023						2013	Value 10-yr trend	2023	Global Rank 2013 2023			
Emissions (95th)				15%	69.2		65.4	84	95	Exposure to Air Pollution (165th)				15%	33.0		26.3	165	165
Black carbon emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.326		0.346	153	149	Exposure to fine particulate matter	EPI	percentage	2.0	87.076		88.902	166	166		
CO2 emissions	GCB and CW	index, 0-1	2.0	0.856		0.744	29	70	Health impact of air pollution	IHME	DALYs /100,000 population	2.0	1,899.7		2,235.6	137	150		
Methane emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.612		0.635	122	116	Satisfaction with air quality	Gallup	percentage	0.5	91.8		88.1	4	18		
NOx emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.66		0.64	69	65											
SO2 emissions	EDGAR	index, 0-1	1.0	0.844		0.813	50	67											
Forest, Land and Soil (116th)				20%	36.3		35.6	115	116	Freshwater (80th)				20%	60.5		57.0	63	80
Flood occurrence	WRI	index, 0-5	1.0	4.5		4.5	166	166	Freshwater withdrawal	FAO	percentage	1.0	4.79		4.79	64	68		
Forest area	FAO	percentage	1.0	41.59		41.59	50	50	Renewable water resources	FAO	m³ per person	1.0	7,967.4		7,481.6	68	66		
Sustainable nitrogen management	EPI	index, 0-sqr(2)	1.0	0.71		0.74	55	63	Satisfaction with water quality	Gallup	percentage	1.0	86.7		75.9	25	66		
									Wastewater treatment	EPI	percentage	1.0	0.0		0.0	132	132		
Oceans (Insufficient Data)				15%					Preservation Efforts (23rd)				15%	59.3		63.8	24	23	
Overexploitation of fish stocks (Insufficient Data)			1.0						Protection for biodiverse areas	UNSDG	index, 0-1	1.0	43.403		43.404	85	94		
Clean ocean water (Insufficient Data)			1.0						Terrestrial protected areas	WDPA	percentage	1.0	23.630		23.626	41	47		
Stability of marine biodiversity (Insufficient Data)			1.0						Marine protected areas (Insufficient Data)			1.0							
									Pesticide regulation	EPI	index, 0-25	1.0	21.0		21.0	63	65		
									Long term management of forest areas	FAO	percentage	1.0	82.72		82.72	20	25		
									Satisfaction with preservation efforts	Gallup	percentage	1.0	44.6		65.0	104	38		

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