



Statistics

**GLOBAL
COMPETITIVENESS INDEX
2006 AND 2005 COMPARISONS**

Country / Economy	GCI			Changes 2005–2006	
	2006 Rank	2006 Score	2005 Rank		
Switzerland	1	5.81	4	↑	3
Finland	2	5.76	2	→	0
Sweden	3	5.74	7	↑	4
Denmark	4	5.70	3	↓	-1
Singapore	5	5.63	5	→	0
United States	6	5.61	1	↓	-5
Japan	7	5.60	10	↑	3
Germany	8	5.58	6	↓	-2
Netherlands	9	5.56	11	↑	2
United Kingdom	10	5.54	9	↓	-1
Hong Kong SAR	11	5.46	14	↑	3
Norway	12	5.42	17	↑	5
Taiwan, China	13	5.41	8	↓	-5
Iceland	14	5.40	16	↑	2
Israel	15	5.38	23	↑	8
Canada	16	5.37	13	↓	-3
Austria	17	5.32	15	↓	-2
France	18	5.31	12	↓	-6
Australia	19	5.29	18	↓	-1
Belgium	20	5.27	20	→	0
Ireland	21	5.21	21	→	0
Luxembourg	22	5.16	24	↑	2
New Zealand	23	5.15	22	↓	-1
Korea, Rep.	24	5.13	19	↓	-5
Estonia	25	5.12	26	↑	1
Malaysia	26	5.11	25	↓	-1
Chile	27	4.85	27	→	0

Country / Economy	GCI			Changes 2005–2006	
	2006 Rank	2006 Score	2005 Rank		
Spain	28	4.77	28	→	0
Czech Republic	29	4.74	29	→	0
Tunisia	30	4.71	37	↑	7
Barbados	31	4.70	–	n/a	
United Arab Emirates	32	4.66	32	→	0
Slovenia	33	4.64	30	↓	–3
Portugal	34	4.60	31	↓	–3
Thailand	35	4.58	33	↓	–2
Latvia	36	4.57	39	↑	3
Slovak Republic	37	4.55	36	↓	–1
Qatar	38	4.55	46	↑	8
Malta	39	4.54	44	↑	5
Lithuania	40	4.53	34	↓	–6
Hungary	41	4.52	35	↓	–6
Italy	42	4.46	38	↓	–4
India	43	4.44	45	↑	2
Kuwait	44	4.41	49	↑	5
South Africa	45	4.36	40	↓	–5
Cyprus	46	4.36	41	↓	–5
Greece	47	4.33	47	→	0
Poland	48	4.30	43	↓	–5
Bahrain	49	4.28	50	↑	1
Indonesia	50	4.26	69	↑	19
Croatia	51	4.26	64	↑	13
Jordan	52	4.25	42	↓	–10
Costa Rica	53	4.25	56	↑	3
China	54	4.24	48	↓	–6
Mauritius	55	4.20	55	→	0
Kazakhstan	56	4.19	51	↓	–5
Panama	57	4.18	65	↑	8
Mexico	58	4.18	59	↑	1
Turkey	59	4.14	71	↑	12
Jamaica	60	4.10	63	↑	3
El Salvador	61	4.09	60	↓	–1
Russian Federation	62	4.08	53	↓	–9
Azerbaijan	64	4.06	62	↓	–2
Colombia	65	4.04	58	↓	–7
Brazil	66	4.03	57	↓	–9
Trinidad and Tobago	67	4.03	66	↓	–1

Country / Economy	GCI			Changes 2005–2006	
	2006 Rank	2006 Score	2005 Rank		
Romania	68	4.02	67	↓	-1
Argentina	69	4.01	54	↓	-15
Morocco	70	4.01	76	↑	6
Philippines	71	4.00	73	↑	2
Bulgaria	72	3.96	61	↓	-11
Uruguay	73	3.96	70	↓	-3
Peru	74	3.94	77	↑	3
Guatemala	75	3.91	95	↑	20
Algeria	76	3.90	82	↑	6
Vietnam	77	3.89	74	↓	-3
Ukraine	78	3.89	68	↓	-10
Sri Lanka	79	3.87	80	↑	1
Macedonia, FYR	80	3.86	75	↓	-5
Botswana	81	3.79	72	↓	-9
Armenia	82	3.75	81	↓	-1
Dominican Republic	83	3.75	91	↑	8
Namibia	84	3.74	79	↓	-5
Georgia	85	3.73	86	↑	1
Moldova	86	3.71	89	↑	3
Serbia and Montenegro	87	3.69	85	↓	-2
Venezuela	88	3.69	84	↓	-4
Bosnia and Herzegovina	89	3.67	88	↓	-1
Ecuador	90	3.67	87	↓	-3
Pakistan	91	3.66	94	↑	3
Mongolia	92	3.60	90	↓	-2
Honduras	93	3.58	97	↑	4
Kenya	94	3.57	93	↓	-1
Nicaragua	95	3.52	96	↑	1
Tajikistan	96	3.50	92	↓	-4
Bolivia	97	3.46	101	↑	4
Albania	98	3.46	100	↑	2
Bangladesh	99	3.46	98	↓	-1
Suriname	100	3.45	–	n/a	
Nigeria	101	3.45	83	↓	-18
Gambia	102	3.43	109	↑	7
Cambodia	103	3.39	111	↑	8
Tanzania	104	3.39	105	↑	1
Benin	105	3.37	106	↑	1
Paraguay	106	3.33	102	↓	-4

Country / Economy	GCI			Changes 2005–2006	
	2006 Rank	2006 Score	2005 Rank		
Kyrgyz Republic	107	3.31	104	↓	-3
Cameroon	108	3.30	99	↓	-9
Madagascar	109	3.27	107	↓	-2
Nepal	110	3.26	–	n/a	
Guyana	111	3.24	108	↓	-3
Lesotho	112	3.22	–	n/a	
Uganda	113	3.19	103	↓	-10
Mauritania	114	3.17	–	n/a	
Zambia	115	3.16	–	n/a	
Burkina Faso	116	3.07	–	n/a	
Malawi	117	3.07	114	↓	-3
Mali	118	3.02	115	↓	-3
Zimbabwe	119	3.01	110	↓	-9
Ethiopia	120	2.99	116	↓	-4
Mozambique	121	2.94	112	↓	-9
Timor-Leste	122	2.90	113	↓	-9
Chad	123	2.61	117	↓	-6
Burundi	124	2.59	–	n/a	
Angola	125	2.50	–	n/a	

Source: World Economic Forum, 2006.

GLOBAL COMPETITIVENESS INDEX 2006–2007

Country / Economy	Overall index		Subindexes					
			Basic requirements		Efficiency enhancers		Innovation factors	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Switzerland	1	5.81	5	6.02	5	5.59	2	5.89
Finland	2	5.76	3	6.10	4	5.60	6	5.65
Sweden	3	5.74	7	5.95	2	5.65	5	5.66
Denmark	4	5.70	1	6.15	6	5.59	7	5.40
Singapore	5	5.63	2	6.13	3	5.63	15	5.11
United States	6	5.61	27	5.41	1	5.66	4	5.75
Japan	7	5.60	19	5.53	16	5.33	1	6.02
Germany	8	5.58	9	5.75	17	5.22	3	5.89
Netherlands	9	5.56	8	5.94	9	5.45	11	5.35
United Kingdom	10	5.54	14	5.67	7	5.59	10	5.36
Hong Kong SAR	11	5.46	4	6.04	11	5.40	18	4.97
Norway	12	5.42	6	5.96	13	5.38	21	4.95
Taiwan, China	13	5.41	21	5.50	14	5.36	9	5.38
Iceland	14	5.40	12	5.70	8	5.47	17	5.00
Israel	15	5.38	29	5.34	12	5.40	8	5.40
Canada	16	5.37	13	5.68	15	5.35	16	5.08
Austria	17	5.32	18	5.58	20	5.16	12	5.28
France	18	5.31	15	5.66	22	5.07	13	5.28
Australia	19	5.29	11	5.72	10	5.43	24	4.66
Belgium	20	5.27	17	5.59	23	5.07	14	5.21
Ireland	21	5.21	23	5.46	18	5.21	19	4.96
Luxembourg	22	5.16	10	5.73	24	5.00	23	4.81
New Zealand	23	5.15	16	5.65	21	5.15	25	4.65
Korea, Rep.	24	5.13	22	5.47	25	5.00	20	4.96
Estonia	25	5.12	30	5.31	19	5.18	32	4.24
Malaysia	26	5.11	24	5.44	26	4.89	22	4.91
Chile	27	4.85	28	5.35	31	4.58	33	4.22
Spain	28	4.77	25	5.42	28	4.62	30	4.34
Czech Republic	29	4.74	42	4.89	27	4.73	27	4.47
Tunisia	30	4.71	31	5.27	42	4.31	28	4.42
Barbados	31	4.70	32	5.24	29	4.60	54	3.78
United Arab Emirates	32	4.66	26	5.41	35	4.55	40	4.08
Slovenia	33	4.64	36	5.17	30	4.58	34	4.18

Country / Economy	Overall index		Subindexes					
			Basic requirements		Efficiency enhancers		Innovation factors	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Portugal	34	4.60	34	5.22	37	4.47	37	4.14
Thailand	35	4.58	38	4.98	43	4.29	36	4.15
Latvia	36	4.57	41	4.90	36	4.48	58	3.74
Slovak Republic	37	4.55	47	4.70	34	4.56	43	3.96
Qatar	38	4.55	20	5.51	39	4.41	55	3.78
Malta	39	4.54	39	4.98	33	4.57	53	3.79
Lithuania	40	4.53	45	4.80	38	4.44	44	3.96
Hungary	41	4.52	52	4.64	32	4.57	39	4.08
Italy	42	4.46	48	4.70	40	4.41	31	4.29
India	43	4.44	60	4.51	41	4.32	26	4.60
Kuwait	44	4.41	33	5.24	45	4.20	46	3.85
South Africa	45	4.36	58	4.58	46	4.19	29	4.35
Cyprus	46	4.36	37	5.03	44	4.27	49	3.81
Greece	47	4.33	40	4.96	47	4.18	45	3.89
Poland	48	4.30	57	4.59	48	4.17	51	3.80
Bahrain	49	4.28	35	5.18	49	4.15	77	3.47
Indonesia	50	4.26	68	4.41	50	4.12	41	4.07
Croatia	51	4.26	55	4.60	52	4.07	50	3.81
Jordan	52	4.25	50	4.66	58	3.92	61	3.65
Costa Rica	53	4.25	64	4.48	51	4.08	35	4.16
China	54	4.24	44	4.80	71	3.66	57	3.75
Mauritius	55	4.20	49	4.70	61	3.86	47	3.84
Kazakhstan	56	4.19	51	4.64	56	3.97	74	3.51
Panama	57	4.18	46	4.72	62	3.86	62	3.64
Mexico	58	4.18	53	4.61	59	3.91	52	3.80
Turkey	59	4.14	72	4.34	54	4.02	42	3.96
Jamaica	60	4.10	79	4.24	53	4.06	56	3.77
El Salvador	61	4.09	54	4.60	68	3.70	75	3.51
Russian Federa- tion	62	4.08	66	4.43	60	3.91	71	3.55
Egypt	63	4.07	59	4.52	74	3.61	65	3.63
Azerbaijan	64	4.06	56	4.59	78	3.52	70	3.59
Colombia	65	4.04	73	4.34	65	3.82	48	3.82
Brazil	66	4.03	87	4.14	57	3.94	38	4.09
Trinidad and To- bago	67	4.03	63	4.49	64	3.82	63	3.63
Romania	68	4.02	83	4.19	55	3.99	73	3.52
Argentina	69	4.01	67	4.42	66	3.79	79	3.44
Morocco	70	4.01	65	4.44	75	3.58	72	3.54
Philippines	71	4.00	84	4.19	63	3.85	66	3.63

Country / Economy	Overall index		Subindexes					
			Basic requirements		Efficiency enhancers		Innovation factors	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Bulgaria	72	3.96	62	4.50	70	3.67	85	3.26
Uruguay	73	3.96	61	4.51	73	3.63	80	3.41
Peru	74	3.94	76	4.28	67	3.70	68	3.61
Guatemala	75	3.91	75	4.32	82	3.46	64	3.63
Algeria	76	3.90	43	4.88	92	3.24	90	3.22
Vietnam	77	3.89	71	4.37	83	3.45	81	3.32
Ukraine	78	3.89	86	4.15	69	3.68	78	3.47
Sri Lanka	79	3.87	80	4.22	79	3.51	67	3.61
Macedonia, FYR	80	3.86	70	4.37	80	3.47	87	3.24
Botswana	81	3.79	77	4.27	77	3.52	95	3.15
Armenia	82	3.75	81	4.21	88	3.33	93	3.17
Dominican Republic	83	3.75	89	4.09	76	3.58	91	3.22
Namibia	84	3.74	69	4.40	90	3.28	86	3.25
Georgia	85	3.73	82	4.20	87	3.36	113	2.86
Moldova	86	3.71	88	4.09	85	3.38	98	3.09
Serbia and Montenegro	87	3.69	99	3.87	72	3.63	83	3.27
Venezuela	88	3.69	85	4.19	84	3.40	96	3.14
Bosnia and Herzegovina	89	3.67	78	4.24	93	3.22	99	3.08
Ecuador	90	3.67	74	4.34	96	3.13	97	3.14
Pakistan	91	3.66	93	3.96	91	3.27	60	3.66
Mongolia	92	3.60	97	3.91	86	3.37	110	2.92
Honduras	93	3.58	90	4.07	100	3.10	100	3.07
Kenya	94	3.57	107	3.62	81	3.47	59	3.73
Nicaragua	95	3.52	95	3.93	95	3.15	107	2.94
Tajikistan	96	3.50	94	3.94	103	3.07	103	3.02
Bolivia	97	3.46	98	3.89	97	3.13	119	2.64
Albania	98	3.46	92	3.98	99	3.12	121	2.57
Bangladesh	99	3.46	96	3.92	108	3.01	104	3.01
Suriname	100	3.45	91	4.06	107	3.01	114	2.86
Nigeria	101	3.45	112	3.53	89	3.31	69	3.60
Gambia	102	3.43	101	3.82	101	3.09	112	2.89
Cambodia	103	3.39	100	3.83	110	2.94	102	3.05
Tanzania	104	3.39	111	3.54	94	3.16	76	3.49
Benin	105	3.37	104	3.68	105	3.02	88	3.23
Paraguay	106	3.33	102	3.81	115	2.89	117	2.68
Kyrgyz Republic	107	3.31	109	3.56	102	3.08	108	2.93
Cameroon	108	3.30	105	3.66	113	2.90	101	3.05

Country / Economy	Overall index		Subindexes					
			Basic requirements		Efficiency enhancers		Innovation factors	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Madagascar	109	3.27	110	3.56	112	2.92	89	3.23
Nepal	110	3.26	106	3.65	117	2.87	111	2.90
Guyana	111	3.24	108	3.58	114	2.89	106	2.95
Lesotho	112	3.22	103	3.68	119	2.80	120	2.59
Uganda	113	3.19	118	3.22	98	3.12	82	3.30
Mauritania	114	3.17	114	3.40	111	2.94	105	2.98
Zambia	115	3.16	113	3.43	106	3.01	124	2.43
Burkina Faso	116	3.07	121	3.13	109	2.95	84	3.27
Malawi	117	3.07	117	3.26	116	2.87	109	2.93
Mali	118	3.02	120	3.14	118	2.83	94	3.17
Zimbabwe	119	3.01	122	2.96	104	3.02	92	3.18
Ethiopia	120	2.99	115	3.29	120	2.68	116	2.72
Mozambique	121	2.94	119	3.21	121	2.62	115	2.86
Timor-Leste	122	2.90	116	3.27	122	2.57	125	2.36
Chad	123	2.61	123	2.84	125	2.35	122	2.53
Burundi	124	2.59	124	2.68	124	2.46	118	2.66
Angola	125	2.50	125	2.48	123	2.51	123	2.52

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2006–2007:
BASIC REQUIREMENTS**

Country / Economy	Basic require- ments		Institutions		Infrastruc- ture		Macro- economy		Health and primary education	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Albania	92	3.98	108	3.09	121	1.92	83	4.21	34	6.68
Algeria	43	4.88	58	3.87	78	2.91	1	6.19	45	6.56
Angola	125	2.48	111	3.02	113	2.07	123	2.40	125	2.45
Argentina	67	4.42	112	2.98	72	3.26	51	4.64	23	6.78
Armenia	81	4.21	84	3.44	92	2.66	71	4.33	62	6.40
Australia	11	5.72	11	5.51	18	5.42	23	5.15	21	6.79
Austria	18	5.58	13	5.45	17	5.43	36	4.91	49	6.52
Azerbaijan	56	4.59	72	3.63	56	3.67	17	5.30	96	5.76
Bahrain	35	5.18	45	4.21	40	4.26	11	5.55	30	6.72
Bangladesh	96	3.92	121	2.88	117	2.03	47	4.72	90	6.04
Barbados	32	5.24	23	4.94	28	4.85	61	4.45	28	6.74
Belgium	17	5.59	26	4.85	11	5.85	44	4.76	15	6.89
Benin	104	3.68	90	3.32	114	2.06	92	4.03	101	5.29
Bolivia	98	3.89	118	2.90	107	2.22	77	4.25	81	6.20
Bosnia and Her- zegovina	78	4.24	106	3.10	96	2.50	45	4.75	38	6.63
Botswana	77	4.27	37	4.46	66	3.37	39	4.85	112	4.42
Brazil	87	4.14	91	3.29	71	3.29	114	3.42	47	6.54
Bulgaria	62	4.50	109	3.07	65	3.41	35	4.92	39	6.61
Burkina Faso	121	3.13	62	3.78	110	2.14	116	3.37	124	3.24
Burundi	124	2.68	113	2.97	123	1.71	122	2.51	120	3.50
Cambodia	100	3.83	95	3.26	97	2.48	101	3.87	98	5.71
Cameroon	105	3.66	117	2.91	120	1.93	40	4.83	104	4.96
Canada	13	5.68	21	5.01	13	5.81	32	4.96	2	6.95
Chad	123	2.84	124	2.44	125	1.43	107	3.76	119	3.74
Chile	28	5.35	25	4.88	35	4.41	7	5.70	57	6.43
China	44	4.80	80	3.51	60	3.54	6	5.72	55	6.44
Colombia	73	4.34	68	3.70	75	3.15	65	4.43	88	6.07
Costa Rica	64	4.48	55	3.97	73	3.22	81	4.23	52	6.49
Croatia	55	4.60	66	3.72	51	3.98	73	4.30	67	6.38
Cyprus	37	5.03	35	4.52	34	4.47	72	4.33	22	6.79
Czech Republic	42	4.89	60	3.84	33	4.50	42	4.81	58	6.42
Denmark	1	6.15	2	5.98	5	6.24	14	5.44	4	6.94

Country / Economy	Basic requirements		Institutions		Infrastructure		Macroeconomy		Health and primary education	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Dominican Republic	89	4.09	93	3.26	80	2.86	85	4.20	89	6.04
Ecuador	74	4.34	116	2.92	94	2.65	21	5.18	41	6.59
Egypt	59	4.52	48	4.12	55	3.72	108	3.75	50	6.51
El Salvador	54	4.60	61	3.80	54	3.75	64	4.44	60	6.41
Estonia	30	5.31	30	4.70	30	4.66	16	5.31	43	6.58
Ethiopia	115	3.29	83	3.45	102	2.34	95	3.98	121	3.39
Finland	3	6.10	1	6.05	10	5.91	12	5.50	7	6.93
France	15	5.66	24	4.91	4	6.25	56	4.55	12	6.92
Gambia	101	3.82	54	4.02	95	2.62	105	3.77	107	4.85
Georgia	82	4.20	78	3.51	79	2.87	93	4.02	61	6.40
Germany	9	5.75	7	5.69	1	6.51	63	4.44	71	6.37
Greece	40	4.96	41	4.36	29	4.71	102	3.86	11	6.92
Guatemala	75	4.32	81	3.49	74	3.20	79	4.24	73	6.34
Guyana	108	3.58	115	2.93	104	2.27	121	2.81	75	6.31
Honduras	90	4.07	110	3.03	81	2.86	87	4.18	80	6.22
Hong Kong SAR	4	6.04	10	5.54	3	6.29	9	5.65	35	6.67
Hungary	52	4.64	46	4.18	48	4.05	98	3.94	66	6.39
Iceland	12	5.70	3	5.98	20	5.39	58	4.51	3	6.95
India	60	4.51	34	4.55	62	3.50	88	4.12	93	5.90
Indonesia	68	4.41	52	4.04	89	2.72	57	4.52	72	6.35
Ireland	23	5.46	17	5.15	31	4.61	20	5.27	24	6.78
Israel	29	5.34	29	4.77	24	5.06	50	4.65	17	6.86
Italy	48	4.70	71	3.66	50	4.00	84	4.21	8	6.93
Jamaica	79	4.24	76	3.58	53	3.75	118	3.21	65	6.39
Japan	19	5.53	22	4.97	7	6.11	91	4.05	1	6.98
Jordan	50	4.66	33	4.55	52	3.85	103	3.84	63	6.40
Kazakhstan	51	4.64	75	3.59	68	3.33	10	5.57	86	6.08
Kenya	107	3.62	98	3.22	86	2.75	99	3.91	110	4.59
Korea, Rep.	22	5.47	47	4.18	21	5.38	13	5.48	18	6.85
Kuwait	33	5.24	38	4.39	45	4.12	2	6.13	76	6.30
Kyrgyz Republic	109	3.56	123	2.66	103	2.30	117	3.27	91	6.02
Latvia	41	4.90	50	4.07	39	4.33	34	4.93	79	6.27
Lesotho	103	3.68	86	3.40	119	1.99	52	4.64	109	4.69
Lithuania	45	4.80	59	3.86	44	4.14	41	4.82	70	6.37
Luxembourg	10	5.73	14	5.45	15	5.63	19	5.28	46	6.56
Macedonia, FYR	70	4.37	103	3.15	82	2.83	30	5.03	54	6.47
Madagascar	110	3.56	92	3.28	116	2.03	115	3.39	100	5.53
Malawi	117	3.26	63	3.78	115	2.06	124	2.31	106	4.89
Malaysia	24	5.44	18	5.12	23	5.09	31	4.97	42	6.58

Country / Economy	Basic requirements		Institutions		Infrastructure		Macroeconomy		Health and primary education	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Mali	120	3.14	70	3.66	112	2.09	113	3.48	122	3.34
Malta	39	4.98	31	4.59	37	4.37	76	4.26	32	6.69
Mauritania	114	3.40	64	3.77	111	2.09	120	2.82	105	4.91
Mauritius	49	4.70	44	4.26	42	4.17	104	3.79	44	6.58
Mexico	53	4.61	69	3.68	64	3.41	54	4.63	31	6.71
Moldova	88	4.09	101	3.18	85	2.77	67	4.41	92	6.01
Mongolia	97	3.91	105	3.13	106	2.24	60	4.46	95	5.82
Morocco	65	4.44	57	3.87	59	3.57	78	4.24	87	6.07
Mozambique	119	3.21	107	3.09	99	2.41	112	3.50	117	3.85
Namibia	69	4.40	49	4.07	43	4.15	43	4.79	111	4.58
Nepal	106	3.65	99	3.20	122	1.83	59	4.47	102	5.09
Netherlands	8	5.94	9	5.60	8	6.09	22	5.16	13	6.90
New Zealand	16	5.65	8	5.65	27	4.88	25	5.12	6	6.93
Nicaragua	95	3.93	102	3.15	101	2.34	89	4.07	83	6.16
Nigeria	112	3.53	94	3.26	105	2.26	55	4.62	116	3.98
Norway	6	5.96	6	5.71	19	5.41	5	5.80	10	6.93
Pakistan	93	3.96	79	3.51	67	3.36	86	4.19	108	4.79
Panama	46	4.72	65	3.77	46	4.10	75	4.27	27	6.76
Paraguay	102	3.81	122	2.66	109	2.15	90	4.07	68	6.38
Peru	76	4.28	96	3.25	91	2.69	49	4.66	48	6.53
Philippines	84	4.19	88	3.38	88	2.73	62	4.45	82	6.20
Poland	57	4.59	73	3.62	57	3.64	70	4.34	26	6.76
Portugal	34	5.22	28	4.83	26	4.93	80	4.23	16	6.88
Qatar	20	5.51	16	5.16	41	4.22	3	6.03	37	6.64
Romania	83	4.19	87	3.40	77	3.05	97	3.94	69	6.38
Russian Federation	66	4.43	114	2.97	61	3.52	33	4.95	77	6.29
Serbia and Montenegro	99	3.87	97	3.24	90	2.72	106	3.76	97	5.74
Singapore	2	6.13	4	5.90	6	6.16	8	5.67	20	6.81
Slovak Republic	47	4.70	53	4.03	47	4.08	68	4.37	74	6.31
Slovenia	36	5.17	43	4.27	32	4.51	29	5.08	19	6.83
South Africa	58	4.58	36	4.49	49	4.04	46	4.74	103	5.07
Spain	25	5.42	39	4.37	22	5.22	24	5.13	5	6.94
Sri Lanka	80	4.22	82	3.48	76	3.07	110	3.66	36	6.66
Suriname	91	4.06	89	3.37	100	2.36	94	4.01	51	6.50
Sweden	7	5.95	12	5.51	9	5.97	15	5.40	9	6.93
Switzerland	5	6.02	5	5.73	2	6.34	18	5.28	29	6.72
Taiwan, China	21	5.50	32	4.56	16	5.58	27	5.10	25	6.77
Tajikistan	94	3.94	77	3.53	108	2.20	96	3.94	85	6.09

Country / Economy	Basic requirements		Institutions		Infrastructure		Macroeconomy		Health and primary education	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Tanzania	111	3.54	56	3.88	93	2.65	100	3.88	118	3.76
Thailand	38	4.98	40	4.37	38	4.36	28	5.10	84	6.09
Timor-Leste	116	3.27	119	2.90	124	1.66	82	4.22	114	4.31
Trinidad and Tobago	63	4.49	85	3.41	70	3.29	38	4.88	64	6.39
Tunisia	31	5.27	19	5.09	36	4.39	37	4.91	33	6.69
Turkey	72	4.34	51	4.05	63	3.46	111	3.58	78	6.28
Uganda	118	3.22	100	3.18	118	1.99	66	4.42	123	3.29
Ukraine	86	4.15	104	3.14	69	3.30	74	4.27	94	5.88
United Arab Emirates	26	5.41	20	5.05	25	4.99	4	5.92	99	5.67
United Kingdom	14	5.67	15	5.38	14	5.74	48	4.67	14	6.89
United States	27	5.41	27	4.84	12	5.82	69	4.37	40	6.60
Uruguay	61	4.51	42	4.29	58	3.59	109	3.73	59	6.41
Venezuela	85	4.19	125	2.38	84	2.78	26	5.11	53	6.48
Vietnam	71	4.37	74	3.62	83	2.79	53	4.63	56	6.43
Zambia	113	3.43	67	3.72	87	2.75	119	3.07	115	4.17
Zimbabwe	122	2.96	120	2.88	98	2.44	125	2.20	113	4.32

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INNOVATION FACTORS**

Country / Economy	Innovation factors		Business sophistication		Innovation	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Albania	121	2.57	115	3.10	125	2.04
Algeria	90	3.22	103	3.36	76	3.09
Angola	123	2.52	123	2.74	121	2.30
Argentina	79	3.44	75	3.85	83	3.03
Armenia	93	3.17	104	3.34	84	3.00
Australia	24	4.66	28	4.98	24	4.35
Austria	12	5.28	4	5.91	17	4.65
Azerbaijan	70	3.59	70	3.92	63	3.26
Bahrain	77	3.47	55	4.24	101	2.71
Bangladesh	104	3.01	96	3.42	109	2.59
Barbados	54	3.78	58	4.21	49	3.36
Belgium	14	5.21	12	5.73	16	4.68
Benin	88	3.23	85	3.58	90	2.87
Bolivia	119	2.64	119	2.97	120	2.31
Bosnia and Herze- govina	99	3.08	92	3.47	104	2.68
Botswana	95	3.15	95	3.43	91	2.87
Brazil	38	4.09	38	4.61	38	3.56
Bulgaria	85	3.26	84	3.59	87	2.93
Burkina Faso	84	3.27	98	3.40	69	3.14
Burundi	118	2.66	117	3.01	119	2.32
Cambodia	102	3.05	100	3.37	98	2.72
Cameroon	101	3.05	101	3.37	97	2.73
Canada	16	5.08	18	5.33	13	4.82
Chad	122	2.53	121	2.81	122	2.26
Chile	33	4.22	30	4.88	39	3.56
China	57	3.75	65	4.05	46	3.44
Colombia	48	3.82	48	4.34	57	3.30
Costa Rica	35	4.16	34	4.66	36	3.65
Croatia	50	3.81	61	4.17	45	3.45
Cyprus	49	3.81	50	4.32	55	3.30
Czech Republic	27	4.47	29	4.96	28	3.98
Denmark	7	5.40	9	5.76	10	5.04
Dominican Republic	91	3.22	79	3.72	99	2.72

Country / Economy	Innovation factors		Business sophistication		Innovation	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Ecuador	97	3.14	82	3.63	105	2.65
Egypt	65	3.63	57	4.22	82	3.04
El Salvador	75	3.51	62	4.13	89	2.89
Estonia	32	4.24	35	4.65	30	3.83
Ethiopia	116	2.72	120	2.94	114	2.50
Finland	6	5.65	11	5.74	4	5.56
France	13	5.28	10	5.76	14	4.80
Gambia	112	2.89	106	3.30	115	2.48
Georgia	113	2.86	116	3.02	102	2.71
Germany	3	5.89	1	6.26	5	5.51
Greece	45	3.89	46	4.35	47	3.43
Guatemala	64	3.63	60	4.19	78	3.07
Guyana	106	2.95	97	3.42	116	2.48
Honduras	100	3.07	87	3.53	107	2.61
Hong Kong SAR	18	4.97	13	5.48	22	4.46
Hungary	39	4.08	49	4.34	31	3.82
Iceland	17	5.00	14	5.45	19	4.55
India	26	4.60	25	5.06	26	4.14
Indonesia	41	4.07	42	4.53	37	3.60
Ireland	19	4.96	16	5.39	20	4.54
Israel	8	5.40	17	5.38	7	5.42
Italy	31	4.29	24	5.08	43	3.50
Jamaica	56	3.77	56	4.22	54	3.32
Japan	1	6.02	2	6.14	1	5.90
Jordan	61	3.65	67	4.04	64	3.25
Kazakhstan	74	3.51	72	3.90	70	3.13
Kenya	59	3.73	68	4.04	48	3.42
Korea, Rep.	20	4.96	22	5.20	15	4.71
Kuwait	46	3.85	33	4.66	81	3.04
Kyrgyz Republic	108	2.93	105	3.31	111	2.55
Latvia	58	3.74	54	4.28	66	3.19
Lesotho	120	2.59	122	2.80	117	2.37
Lithuania	44	3.96	41	4.56	50	3.35
Luxembourg	23	4.81	21	5.27	23	4.36
Macedonia, FYR	87	3.24	88	3.50	86	2.98
Madagascar	89	3.23	99	3.39	77	3.07
Malawi	109	2.93	113	3.16	103	2.70
Malaysia	22	4.91	20	5.29	21	4.53
Mali	94	3.17	107	3.29	80	3.04
Malta	53	3.79	51	4.32	62	3.26
Mauritania	105	2.98	102	3.36	108	2.60

Country / Economy	Innovation factors		Business sophistication		Innovation	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Mauritius	47	3.84	44	4.44	65	3.23
Mexico	52	3.80	52	4.30	58	3.29
Moldova	98	3.09	93	3.46	100	2.72
Mongolia	110	2.92	118	2.98	94	2.86
Morocco	72	3.54	78	3.82	61	3.26
Mozambique	115	2.86	114	3.13	110	2.58
Namibia	86	3.25	83	3.60	88	2.91
Nepal	111	2.90	108	3.26	112	2.54
Netherlands	11	5.35	7	5.80	11	4.90
New Zealand	25	4.65	26	5.06	25	4.23
Nicaragua	107	2.94	109	3.23	106	2.64
Nigeria	69	3.60	74	3.87	52	3.33
Norway	21	4.95	19	5.30	18	4.59
Pakistan	60	3.66	66	4.05	60	3.27
Panama	62	3.64	53	4.29	85	2.99
Paraguay	117	2.68	112	3.16	123	2.20
Peru	68	3.61	47	4.35	92	2.86
Philippines	66	3.63	59	4.20	79	3.05
Poland	51	3.80	63	4.13	44	3.47
Portugal	37	4.14	43	4.47	32	3.81
Qatar	55	3.78	69	4.04	41	3.51
Romania	73	3.52	73	3.89	68	3.14
Russian Federation	71	3.55	77	3.83	59	3.28
Serbia and Montenegro	83	3.27	94	3.44	71	3.11
Singapore	15	5.11	23	5.17	9	5.04
Slovak Republic	43	3.96	45	4.41	42	3.51
Slovenia	34	4.18	36	4.64	34	3.71
South Africa	29	4.35	32	4.79	29	3.92
Spain	30	4.34	27	5.00	35	3.68
Sri Lanka	67	3.61	71	3.90	53	3.32
Suriname	114	2.86	111	3.18	113	2.54
Sweden	5	5.66	5	5.87	6	5.44
Switzerland	2	5.89	3	6.06	3	5.72
Taiwan, China	9	5.38	15	5.45	8	5.31
Tajikistan	103	3.02	110	3.19	95	2.85
Tanzania	76	3.49	81	3.68	56	3.30
Thailand	36	4.15	40	4.57	33	3.74
Timor-Leste	125	2.36	124	2.58	124	2.14
Trinidad and Tobago	63	3.63	64	4.10	67	3.17
Tunisia	28	4.42	31	4.80	27	4.05

Country / Economy	Innovation factors		Business sophistication		Innovation	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Turkey	42	3.96	39	4.58	51	3.35
Uganda	82	3.30	90	3.49	72	3.11
Ukraine	78	3.47	76	3.84	73	3.11
United Arab Emirates	40	4.08	37	4.63	40	3.52
United Kingdom	10	5.36	6	5.82	12	4.89
United States	4	5.75	8	5.78	2	5.72
Uruguay	80	3.41	80	3.71	74	3.10
Venezuela	96	3.14	91	3.48	96	2.80
Vietnam	81	3.32	86	3.55	75	3.10
Zambia	124	2.43	125	2.51	118	2.35
Zimbabwe	92	3.18	89	3.50	93	2.86

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EFFICIENCY ENHANCERS**

Country / Economy	Efficiency enhancer		Higher education and training		Market efficiency		Technological readiness	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Albania	99	3.12	92	3.24	109	3.55	104	2.56
Algeria	92	3.24	84	3.46	96	3.67	100	2.58
Angola	123	2.51	125	1.92	120	3.35	120	2.26
Argentina	66	3.79	39	4.51	94	3.68	70	3.19
Armenia	88	3.33	80	3.58	104	3.60	86	2.81
Australia	10	5.43	14	5.56	11	5.23	7	5.50
Austria	20	5.16	19	5.39	26	4.94	21	5.15
Azerbaijan	78	3.52	82	3.56	81	3.96	76	3.03
Bahrain	49	4.15	64	3.97	39	4.47	41	4.01
Bangladesh	108	3.01	108	2.68	83	3.93	114	2.41
Barbados	29	4.60	24	5.23	49	4.33	34	4.23
Belgium	23	5.07	4	5.83	32	4.69	27	4.68
Benin	105	3.02	101	2.96	95	3.67	112	2.42
Bolivia	97	3.13	89	3.40	111	3.53	111	2.46
Bosnia and Her- zegovina	93	3.22	86	3.44	93	3.69	108	2.52
Botswana	77	3.52	87	3.41	59	4.20	80	2.95
Brazil	57	3.94	60	4.10	58	4.21	57	3.50
Bulgaria	70	3.67	62	4.05	90	3.75	68	3.21
Burkina Faso	109	2.95	116	2.51	87	3.78	103	2.56
Burundi	124	2.46	123	2.16	123	3.28	125	1.96
Cambodia	110	2.94	110	2.63	99	3.63	105	2.56
Cameroon	113	2.90	103	2.85	115	3.45	113	2.41
Canada	15	5.35	17	5.51	7	5.26	17	5.28
Chad	125	2.35	124	1.99	124	3.07	124	1.99
Chile	31	4.58	40	4.48	24	5.04	35	4.22
China	71	3.66	77	3.68	56	4.22	75	3.07
Colombia	65	3.82	69	3.89	51	4.32	65	3.24
Costa Rica	51	4.08	52	4.26	52	4.25	44	3.74
Croatia	52	4.07	44	4.43	68	4.11	47	3.68
Cyprus	44	4.27	41	4.48	55	4.22	38	4.10
Czech Republic	27	4.73	27	5.04	41	4.43	26	4.74
Denmark	6	5.59	2	5.91	6	5.40	10	5.46

Country / Economy	Efficiency enhancer		Higher education and training		Market efficiency		Technological readiness	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Dominican Republic	76	3.58	91	3.36	82	3.95	58	3.42
Ecuador	96	3.13	97	3.09	112	3.51	88	2.79
Egypt	74	3.61	75	3.73	65	4.14	79	2.97
El Salvador	68	3.70	83	3.51	50	4.32	64	3.27
Estonia	19	5.18	23	5.26	25	4.98	16	5.29
Ethiopia	120	2.68	120	2.39	118	3.40	121	2.26
Finland	4	5.60	1	6.23	17	5.13	12	5.44
France	22	5.07	12	5.57	28	4.83	25	4.81
Gambia	101	3.09	106	2.81	89	3.77	92	2.69
Georgia	87	3.36	76	3.69	86	3.86	106	2.54
Germany	17	5.22	18	5.42	20	5.09	20	5.16
Greece	47	4.18	34	4.78	62	4.17	50	3.58
Guatemala	82	3.46	94	3.19	77	4.03	71	3.17
Guyana	114	2.89	114	2.54	106	3.56	101	2.57
Honduras	100	3.10	95	3.11	107	3.56	95	2.63
Hong Kong SAR	11	5.40	25	5.08	1	5.69	13	5.44
Hungary	32	4.57	30	4.93	37	4.61	36	4.18
Iceland	8	5.47	13	5.57	8	5.25	4	5.60
India	41	4.32	49	4.35	21	5.07	55	3.52
Indonesia	50	4.12	53	4.25	27	4.93	72	3.17
Ireland	18	5.21	16	5.52	13	5.22	24	4.89
Israel	12	5.40	20	5.39	14	5.17	3	5.65
Italy	40	4.41	35	4.77	78	4.02	32	4.43
Jamaica	53	4.06	67	3.94	61	4.19	40	4.04
Japan	16	5.33	15	5.54	10	5.23	19	5.21
Jordan	58	3.92	54	4.22	53	4.25	62	3.30
Kazakhstan	56	3.97	51	4.28	44	4.39	66	3.23
Kenya	81	3.47	88	3.41	72	4.10	81	2.91
Korea, Rep.	25	5.00	21	5.38	43	4.39	18	5.22
Kuwait	45	4.20	59	4.11	29	4.80	46	3.70
Kyrgyz Republic	102	3.08	79	3.60	114	3.48	122	2.16
Latvia	36	4.48	28	5.01	40	4.44	43	3.98
Lesotho	119	2.80	115	2.52	119	3.40	110	2.48
Lithuania	38	4.44	29	4.97	45	4.35	42	3.99
Luxembourg	24	5.00	45	4.42	18	5.11	9	5.47
Macedonia, FYR	80	3.47	66	3.96	91	3.74	91	2.71
Madagascar	112	2.92	113	2.55	103	3.62	99	2.58
Malawi	116	2.87	119	2.46	88	3.77	118	2.37
Malaysia	26	4.89	32	4.80	9	5.24	28	4.64

Country / Economy	Efficiency enhancer		Higher education and training		Market efficiency		Technological readiness	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Mali	118	2.83	118	2.48	102	3.62	117	2.38
Malta	33	4.57	47	4.36	46	4.35	22	5.00
Mauritania	111	2.94	121	2.33	101	3.62	84	2.86
Mauritius	61	3.86	68	3.94	67	4.11	54	3.55
Mexico	59	3.91	71	3.88	48	4.35	56	3.51
Moldova	85	3.38	73	3.78	92	3.73	96	2.62
Mongolia	86	3.37	70	3.89	100	3.62	97	2.60
Morocco	75	3.58	85	3.45	74	4.08	67	3.22
Mozambique	121	2.62	122	2.30	122	3.29	119	2.27
Namibia	90	3.28	105	2.82	79	4.00	78	3.00
Nepal	117	2.87	109	2.63	105	3.58	116	2.39
Netherlands	9	5.45	8	5.67	12	5.23	11	5.45
New Zealand	21	5.15	22	5.33	15	5.17	23	4.94
Nicaragua	95	3.15	93	3.23	98	3.65	98	2.59
Nigeria	89	3.31	100	3.04	70	4.10	87	2.79
Norway	13	5.38	9	5.64	16	5.16	15	5.32
Pakistan	91	3.27	104	2.82	54	4.23	89	2.77
Panama	62	3.86	74	3.75	42	4.41	59	3.41
Paraguay	115	2.89	102	2.93	121	3.33	115	2.40
Peru	67	3.70	72	3.79	66	4.12	69	3.21
Philippines	63	3.85	63	4.02	57	4.21	61	3.32
Poland	48	4.17	33	4.79	64	4.16	51	3.56
Portugal	37	4.47	37	4.63	38	4.61	37	4.18
Qatar	39	4.41	46	4.36	30	4.77	39	4.10
Romania	55	3.99	50	4.34	76	4.03	49	3.59
Russian Federation	60	3.91	43	4.44	60	4.20	74	3.10
Serbia and Montenegro	72	3.63	61	4.09	97	3.66	73	3.16
Singapore	3	5.63	10	5.59	4	5.62	2	5.69
Slovak Republic	34	4.56	38	4.52	34	4.66	30	4.50
Slovenia	30	4.58	26	5.07	63	4.17	29	4.51
South Africa	46	4.19	56	4.17	33	4.67	45	3.72
Spain	28	4.62	31	4.86	36	4.63	33	4.38
Sri Lanka	79	3.51	81	3.56	71	4.10	83	2.87
Suriname	107	3.01	99	3.08	117	3.41	107	2.53
Sweden	2	5.65	3	5.85	19	5.11	1	6.01
Switzerland	5	5.59	6	5.77	5	5.44	5	5.57
Taiwan, China	14	5.36	7	5.67	22	5.07	14	5.32
Tajikistan	103	3.07	98	3.09	108	3.56	102	2.57

Country / Economy	Efficiency enhancer		Higher education and training		Market efficiency		Technological readiness	
	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score	Rank	Score
Tanzania	94	3.16	112	2.56	75	4.07	82	2.87
Thailand	43	4.29	42	4.44	31	4.76	48	3.67
Timor-Leste	122	2.57	111	2.62	125	2.95	123	2.15
Trinidad and Tobago	64	3.82	65	3.97	69	4.11	60	3.40
Tunisia	42	4.31	36	4.72	35	4.65	53	3.56
Turkey	54	4.02	57	4.15	47	4.35	52	3.56
Uganda	98	3.12	107	2.78	84	3.90	94	2.67
Ukraine	69	3.68	48	4.35	80	3.96	90	2.71
United Arab Emirates	35	4.55	58	4.13	23	5.05	31	4.47
United Kingdom	7	5.59	11	5.57	3	5.63	6	5.56
United States	1	5.66	5	5.82	2	5.67	8	5.49
Uruguay	73	3.63	55	4.19	116	3.42	63	3.27
Venezuela	84	3.40	78	3.63	110	3.53	77	3.02
Vietnam	83	3.45	90	3.39	73	4.10	85	2.85
Zambia	106	3.01	117	2.48	85	3.87	93	2.67
Zimbabwe	104	3.02	96	3.10	113	3.48	109	2.48

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