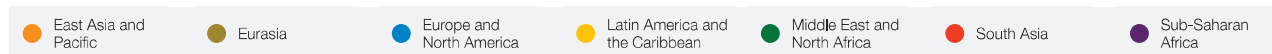


# The Global Competitiveness Index 2017–2018 Rankings

Covering 137 economies, the Global Competitiveness Index 2017–2018 measures national competitiveness—defined as the set of institutions, policies and factors that determine the level of productivity.

	Economy	Score <sup>1</sup>	Prev. <sup>2</sup>	Trend <sup>3</sup>		Economy	Score <sup>1</sup>	Prev. <sup>2</sup>	Trend <sup>3</sup>		Economy	Score <sup>1</sup>	Prev. <sup>2</sup>	Trend <sup>3</sup>	
1	Switzerland	5.86	1			46	Brunei Darussalam	4.52	58		92	Argentina	3.95	104	
2	United States	5.85	3			47	Costa Rica	4.50	54		93	Nicaragua	3.95	103	
3	Singapore	5.71	2			48	Slovenia	4.48	56		94	Cambodia	3.93	89	
4	Netherlands	5.66	4			49	Bulgaria	4.46	50		95	Tunisia	3.93	95	
5	Germany	5.65	5			50	Panama	4.44	42		96	Honduras	3.92	88	
6	Hong Kong SAR	5.53	9			51	Mexico	4.44	51		97	Ecuador	3.91	91	
7	Sweden	5.52	6			52	Kuwait	4.43	38		98	Lao PDR	3.91	93	
8	United Kingdom	5.51	7			53	Turkey	4.42	55		99	Bangladesh	3.91	106	
9	Japan	5.49	8			54	Latvia	4.40	49		100	Egypt	3.90	115	
10	Finland	5.49	10			55	Vietnam	4.36	60		101	Mongolia	3.90	102	
11	Norway	5.40	11			56	Philippines	4.35	57		102	Kyrgyz Republic	3.90	111	
12	Denmark	5.39	12			57	Kazakhstan	4.35	53		103	Bosnia and Herzegovina	3.87	107	
13	New Zealand	5.37	13			58	Rwanda	4.35	52		104	Dominican Republic	3.87	92	
14	Canada	5.35	15			59	Slovak Republic	4.33	65		105	Lebanon	3.84	101	
15	Taiwan, China	5.33	14			60	Hungary	4.33	69		106	Senegal	3.81	112	
16	Israel	5.31	24			61	South Africa	4.32	47		107	Seychelles	3.80	n/a	
17	United Arab Emirates	5.30	16			62	Oman	4.31	66		108	Ethiopia	3.78	109	
18	Austria	5.25	19			63	Botswana	4.30	64		109	El Salvador	3.77	105	
19	Luxembourg	5.23	20			64	Cyprus	4.30	83		110	Cape Verde	3.76	110	
20	Belgium	5.23	17			65	Jordan	4.30	63		111	Ghana	3.72	114	
21	Australia	5.19	22			66	Colombia	4.29	61		112	Paraguay	3.71	117	
22	France	5.18	21			67	Georgia	4.28	59		113	Tanzania	3.71	116	
23	Malaysia	5.17	25			68	Romania	4.28	62		114	Uganda	3.70	113	
24	Ireland	5.16	23			69	Iran, Islamic Rep.	4.27	76		115	Pakistan	3.67	122	
25	Qatar	5.11	18			70	Jamaica	4.25	75		116	Cameroon	3.65	119	
26	Korea, Rep.	5.07	26			71	Morocco	4.24	70		117	Gambia, The	3.61	123	
27	China	5.00	28			72	Peru	4.22	67		118	Zambia	3.52	118	
28	Iceland	4.99	27			73	Armenia	4.19	79		119	Guinea	3.47	n/a	
29	Estonia	4.85	30			74	Croatia	4.19	74		120	Benin	3.47	124	
30	Saudi Arabia	4.83	29			75	Albania	4.18	80		121	Madagascar	3.40	128	
31	Czech Republic	4.77	31			76	Uruguay	4.15	73		122	Swaziland	3.35	n/a	
32	Thailand	4.72	34			77	Montenegro	4.15	82		123	Mali	3.33	125	
33	Chile	4.71	33			78	Serbia	4.14	90		124	Zimbabwe	3.32	126	
34	Spain	4.70	32			79	Tajikistan	4.14	77		125	Nigeria	3.30	127	
35	Azerbaijan	4.69	37			80	Brazil	4.14	81		126	Congo, Democratic Rep.	3.27	129	
36	Indonesia	4.68	41			81	Ukraine	4.11	85		127	Venezuela	3.23	130	
37	Malta	4.65	40			82	Bhutan	4.10	97		128	Haiti	3.22	n/a	
38	Russian Federation	4.64	43			83	Trinidad and Tobago	4.09	94		129	Burundi	3.21	135	
39	Poland	4.59	36			84	Guatemala	4.08	78		130	Sierra Leone	3.20	132	
40	India	4.59	39			85	Sri Lanka	4.08	71		131	Lesotho	3.20	120	
41	Lithuania	4.58	35			86	Algeria	4.07	87		132	Malawi	3.11	134	
42	Portugal	4.57	46			87	Greece	4.02	86		133	Mauritania	3.09	137	
43	Italy	4.54	44			88	Nepal	4.02	98		134	Liberia	3.08	131	
44	Bahrain	4.54	48			89	Moldova	3.99	100		135	Chad	2.99	136	
45	Mauritius	4.52	45			90	Namibia	3.99	84		136	Mozambique	2.89	133	
						91	Kenya	3.98	96		137	Yemen	2.87	138	



Note: The Global Competitiveness Index captures the determinants of long-term growth. Recent developments are reflected only in-so-far as they have an impact on data measuring these determinants. Results should be interpreted in this context.

1 Scale ranges from 1 to 7.

2 2016–2017 rank out of 138 economies.

3 Evolution in percentile rank since 2007 or earliest edition available.