

### Performance Index 1997-1999

(140 economies)

Rank	Economy	Index value
1	Azerbaijan	8.155
2	Angola	7.847
3	Belgium and Luxembourg	7.673
4	Brunei Darussalam	5.307
5	Singapore	5.254
6	Sweden	5.075
7	Bolivia	4.726
8	Panama	4.705
9	Ireland	4.552
10	Malta	4.446
11	Trinidad and Tobago	4.322
12	Nicaragua	4.266
13	Hong Kong, China	4.117
14	Congo, Rep.	3.812
15	Chile	3.451
16	Estonia	3.073
17	Netherlands	3.051
18	Gambia	2.975
19	Armenia	2.931
20	Viet Nam	2.760
21	Guyana	2.742
22	Czech Republic	2.742
23	Latvia	2.661
24	Kazakhstan	2.575
25	Mozambique	2.416
26	Georgia	2.356
27	Lithuania	2.276
28	Zambia	2.213
29	Cyprus	2.143
30	Bulgaria	2.135
31	Denmark	2.092
32	Malaysia	2.054
33	Kyrgyzstan	2.033
34	Dominican Republic	2.033
35	Jamaica	2.023
36	Bahrain	2.006
37	Myanmar	2.001
38	Croatia	1.889
39	Venezuela	1.848
40	Argentina	1.845
41	United Kingdom	1.819
42	Thailand	1.811
43	China	1.806
44	Hungary	1.752
45	Poland	1.615
46	Papua New Guinea	1.598
47	Bahamas	1.598
48	Moldova, Republic of	1.598
49	El Salvador	1.547
50	Costa Rica	1.534
51	Ecuador	1.531
52	Romania	1.524
53	Cote d'Ivoire	1.497
54	Brazil	1.437
55	Norway	1.429

56	Jordan	1.417
57	Switzerland	1.403
58	Nigeria	1.392
59	Peru	1.383
60	United Republic of Tanzania	1.366
61	Colombia	1.354
62	Ethiopia	1.276
63	Canada	1.253
64	Zimbabwe	1.249
65	Uganda	1.244
66	Togo	1.239
67	Mexico	1.206
68	Honduras	1.203
69	New Zealand	1.170
70	Morocco	1.139
71	Senegal	1.109
72	Sudan	1.082
73	Mongolia	1.069
74	Qatar	1.040
75	Paraguay	1.034
76	Namibia	1.032
77	Belarus	0.970
78	Tunisia	0.937
79	France	0.936
80	Finland	0.919
81	Israel	0.903
82	United States	0.856
83	Mali	0.843
84	Slovakia	0.841
85	Philippines	0.840
86	Portugal	0.818
87	Spain	0.803
88	Tajikistan	0.774
89	Benin	0.733
90	Ghana	0.729
91	Sri Lanka	0.673
92	Guatemala	0.658
93	Austria	0.648
94	Saudi Arabia	0.626
95	Botswana	0.602
96	Ukraine	0.601
97	TFYR Macedonia	0.601
98	Iceland	0.597
99	Albania	0.591
100	Korea, Republic of	0.585
101	Germany	0.582
102	South Africa	0.571
103	Uzbekistan	0.568
104	Australia	0.555
105	Lebanon	0.503
106	Egypt	0.488
107	Russian Federation	0.483
108	Slovenia	0.453
109	Pakistan	0.381
110	Syrian Arab Republic	0.372
111	Guinea	0.364
112	Algeria	0.354
113	Uruguay	0.329
114	Madagascar	0.320

115	Malawi	0.280
116	India	0.265
117	Taiwan Province of China	0.255
118	Niger	0.228
119	Cameroon	0.200
120	Burkina Faso	0.195
121	Greece	0.178
122	Turkey	0.175
123	Oman	0.165
124	Haiti	0.157
125	Bangladesh	0.154
126	Kenya	0.152
127	Italy	0.149
128	Indonesia	0.139
129	Sierra Leone	0.107
130	Nepal	0.106
131	Rwanda	0.078
132	Kuwait	0.071
133	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.066
134	Suriname	0.062
135	Japan	0.060
136	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.015
137	United Arab Emirates	-0.138
138	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	-0.146
139	Yemen	-1.355
140	Gabon	-3.916

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Source: UNCTAD.