

Potential Index 1990-1992

(140 economies)

Rank	Economy	Score (0-1)
1	United States	0.684
2	Canada	0.493
3	United Kingdom	0.442
4	Germany	0.440
5	France	0.431
6	Norway	0.427
7	Sweden	0.408
8	Netherlands	0.401
9	Belgium and Luxembourg	0.395
10	Switzerland	0.384
11	Finland	0.382
12	Japan	0.377
13	Australia	0.367
14	Denmark	0.363
15	Singapore	0.361
16	Qatar	0.351
17	Iceland	0.347
18	Hong Kong, China	0.346
19	Italy	0.339
20	Austria	0.337
21	Spain	0.316
22	Saudi Arabia	0.315
23	Brunei Darussalam	0.310
24	United Arab Emirates	0.308
25	New Zealand	0.304
26	Korea, Republic of	0.301
27	Taiwan Province of China	0.299
28	Belarus	0.285
29	Ireland	0.283
30	Bahrain	0.283
31	Israel	0.272
32	Bahamas	0.262
33	Russian Federation	0.259
34	Greece	0.254
35	Moldova, Republic of	0.247
36	Portugal	0.238
37	Cyprus	0.236
38	Malta	0.231
39	Malaysia	0.222
40	Kuwait	0.219
41	Venezuela	0.218
42	Bulgaria	0.213
43	Latvia	0.211
44	Mexico	0.211
45	Oman	0.211
46	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.208
47	Chile	0.207
48	Botswana	0.206
49	Ukraine	0.204
50	Thailand	0.204
51	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.198
52	China	0.196
53	Argentina	0.194
54	Indonesia	0.190
55	Costa Rica	0.189

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56	Uzbekistan	0.187
57	South Africa	0.184
58	Czech Republic	0.184
59	Poland	0.183
60	Lebanon	0.183
61	Kazakhstan	0.183
62	Slovakia	0.182
63	Hungary	0.182
64	Suriname	0.182
65	Turkey	0.181
66	Uruguay	0.180
67	Panama	0.179
68	Jordan	0.179
69	Brazil	0.179
70	Lithuania	0.178
71	Colombia	0.170
72	Trinidad and Tobago	0.170
73	Dominican Republic	0.170
74	Jamaica	0.169
75	Paraguay	0.167
76	Estonia	0.167
77	Nigeria	0.166
78	Philippines	0.166
79	Algeria	0.165
80	Gabon	0.163
81	Morocco	0.162
82	Tunisia	0.161
83	Ecuador	0.161
84	Gambia	0.160
85	Romania	0.158
86	El Salvador	0.158
87	Syrian Arab Republic	0.158
88	Egypt	0.157
89	Slovenia	0.153
90	Namibia	0.152
91	Mongolia	0.151
92	Bolivia	0.147
93	Papua New Guinea	0.146
94	Guyana	0.145
95	Peru	0.145
96	Honduras	0.143
97	India	0.138
98	Yemen	0.138
99	Zimbabwe	0.136
100	Ghana	0.134
101	Kenya	0.130
102	Cote d'Ivoire	0.130
103	Malawi	0.130
104	Guinea	0.130
105	Tajikistan	0.129
106	Angola	0.127
107	Pakistan	0.127
108	Guatemala	0.126
109	United Republic of Tanzania	0.126
110	Zambia	0.125

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111	Viet Nam	0.124
112	Congo, Rep.	0.122
113	Bangladesh	0.121
114	Burkina Faso	0.120
115	Sri Lanka	0.119
116	Nicaragua	0.119
117	Senegal	0.118
118	Togo	0.117
119	Cameroon	0.117
120	Mali	0.116
121	Niger	0.111
122	Madagascar	0.110
123	Albania	0.103
124	Uganda	0.101
125	Nepal	0.098
126	Mozambique	0.096
127	Armenia	0.095
128	Myanmar	0.092
129	Benin	0.089
130	Rwanda	0.088
131	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.084
132	Haiti	0.084
133	Sierra Leone	0.080
134	Sudan	0.080
135	Ethiopia	0.072
..	Azerbaijan	..
..	Croatia	..
..	Georgia	..
..	Kyrgyzstan	..
..	TFYR Macedonia	..

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