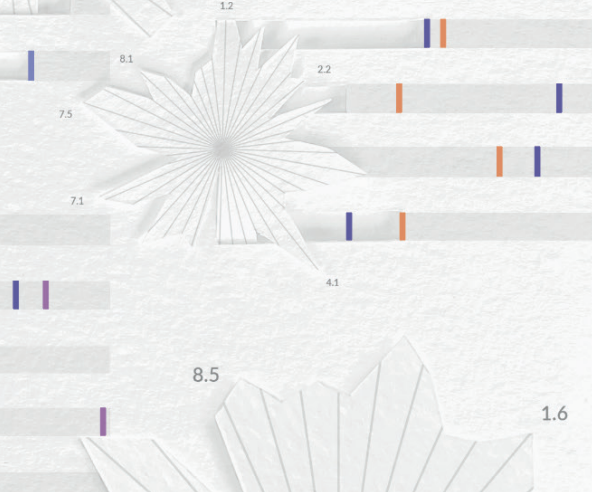
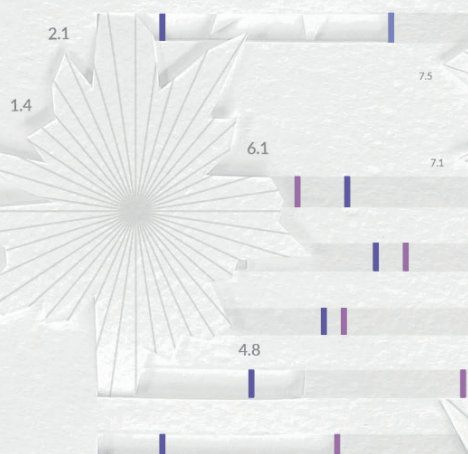
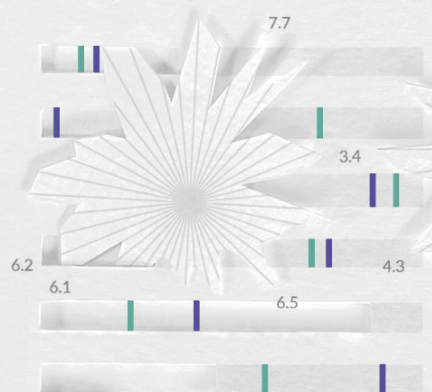
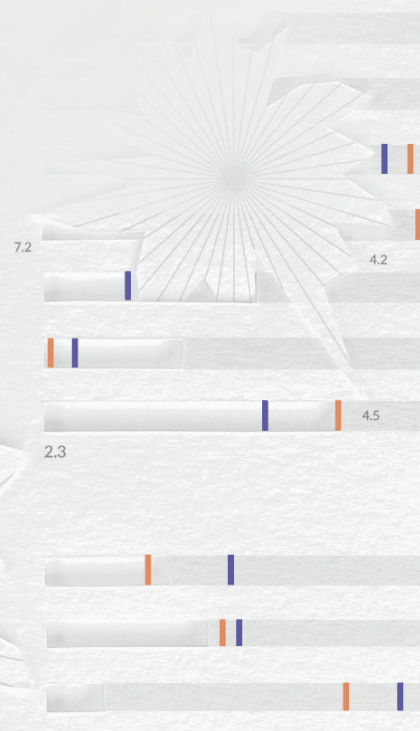
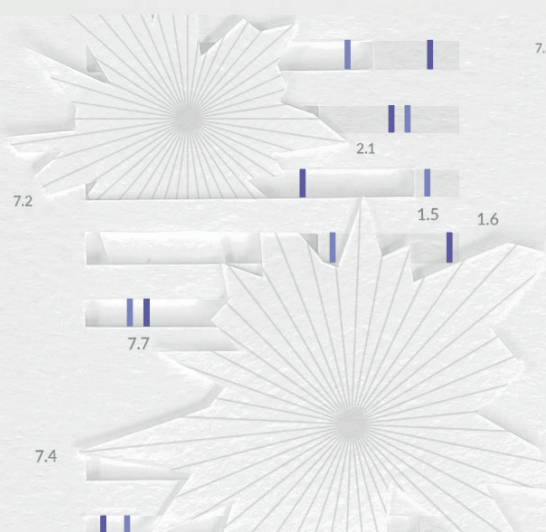
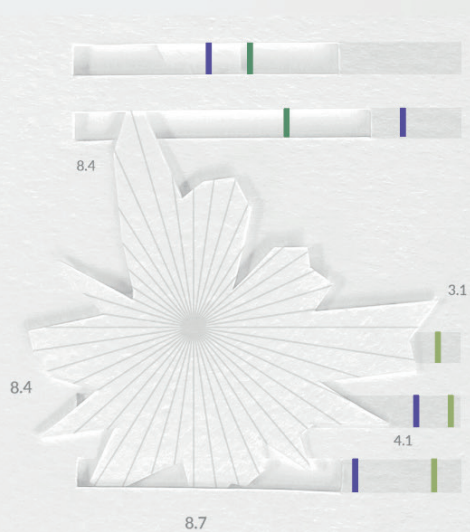
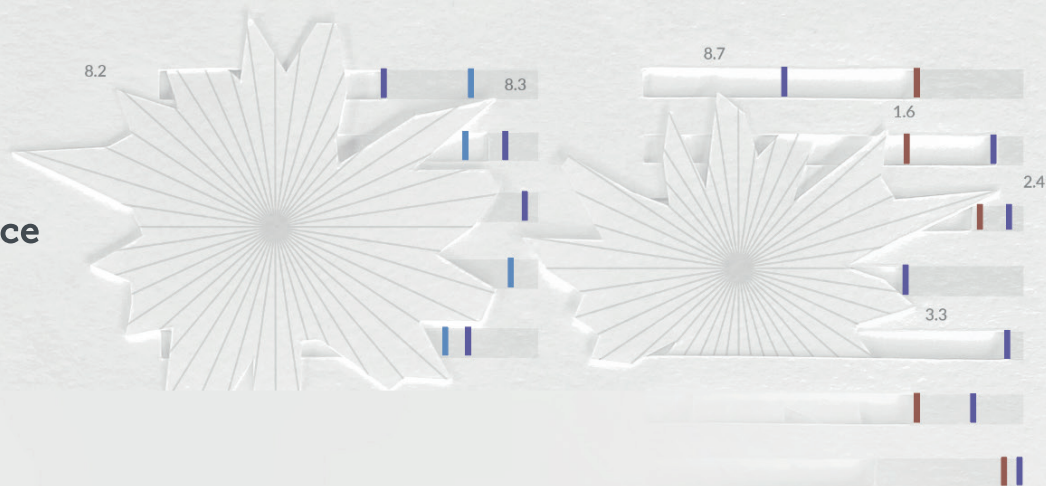




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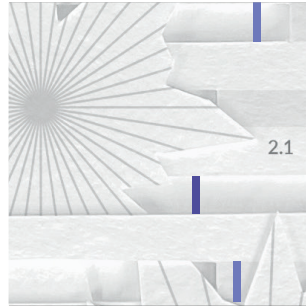
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*"Laws of justice which Hammurabi, the wise king,  
established... That the strong might not injure the  
weak, in order to protect the widows and orphans...,  
in order to declare justice in the land, to settle all  
disputes, and heal all injuries."*

**Codex Hammurabi**

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The *WJP Rule of Law Index* is the world's leading source for original, independent data on the rule of law.

# Introduction

**The World Justice Project (WJP) Rule of Law Index® 2021 is the latest report in an annual series measuring the rule of law based on the experiences and perceptions of the general public and in-country legal practitioners and experts worldwide.**

Strengthening the rule of law is a major goal of citizens, governments, donors, businesses, and civil society organizations around the world. To be effective, rule of law development requires clarity about the fundamental features that define the rule of law, as well as an adequate basis for its evaluation and measurement.

The *WJP Rule of Law Index 2021* presents a portrait of the rule of law in 139 countries and jurisdictions by providing scores and rankings based on eight factors: Constraints on Government Powers, Absence of Corruption, Open Government, Fundamental Rights, Order and Security, Regulatory Enforcement, Civil Justice, and Criminal Justice.

The scores and rankings in the *WJP Rule of Law Index 2021* are derived from more than 138,000 household surveys and 4,200 legal practitioner and expert surveys worldwide. The Index is the world's most comprehensive dataset of its kind and the only to rely principally on primary data, including the perspectives and experiences of ordinary people.

The Index is intended for a broad audience that includes policy makers, civil society organizations, academics, citizens, and legal professionals, among others. It is our hope that this diagnostic tool will help identify strengths and weaknesses within each country or jurisdiction, and encourage policy choices, guide program development, and inform research to strengthen the rule of law within and across these countries and jurisdictions.

# Overview of Overall Scores and Rankings

The table below shows the overall scores and rankings of the *WJP Rule of Law Index 2021* in alphabetical order. Scores range from 0 to 1, with 1 indicating the strongest adherence to the rule of law.

Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank <sup>†</sup>	Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank <sup>†</sup>
 Afghanistan	0.35	-0.01	134	1 ▼	 Dominica	0.58	0.00	53	0
 Albania	0.49	-0.01	83	2 ▲	 Dominican Republic	0.48	0.00	94	3 ▲
 Algeria	0.49	0.00	82	8 ▲	 Ecuador	0.48	0.00	92	1 ▲
 Angola	0.43	0.00	114	4 ▲	 Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.35	-0.01	136	0
 Antigua and Barbuda	0.63	0.00	39	2 ▲	 El Salvador	0.48	-0.02	95	4 ▼
 Argentina	0.56	-0.02	56	1 ▼	 Estonia	0.81	0.00	11	1 ▲
 Australia	0.79	-0.01	13	0	 Ethiopia	0.41	0.00	122	2 ▲
 Austria	0.81	0.00	9	0	 Finland	0.88	0.00	3	0
 The Bahamas	0.61	0.00	47	1 ▲	 France	0.72	-0.01	23	0
 Bangladesh	0.40	-0.01	124	1 ▲	 The Gambia	0.49	-0.02	89	8 ▼
 Barbados	0.65	0.00	35	1 ▲	 Georgia	0.61	0.00	49	0
 Belarus	0.48	-0.04	97	21 ▼	 Germany	0.84	0.00	5	1 ▲
 Belgium	0.79	0.00	14	2 ▲	 Ghana	0.55	-0.01	58	0
 Belize	0.48	0.00	93	3 ▲	 Greece	0.61	0.00	48	1 ▼
 Benin	0.49	-0.01	91	3 ▼	 Grenada	0.59	0.00	50	1 ▲
 Bolivia	0.39	0.00	129	2 ▲	 Guatemala	0.44	-0.01	109	0
 Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.52	0.00	72	1 ▼	 Guinea	0.41	-0.01	120	1 ▲
 Botswana	0.59	-0.01	51	1 ▼	 Guyana	0.50	0.00	78	2 ▲
 Brazil	0.50	-0.01	77	3 ▼	 Haiti	0.38	-	132	-
 Bulgaria	0.54	-0.01	62	2 ▼	 Honduras	0.39	-0.01	126	0
 Burkina Faso	0.50	0.00	75	2 ▲	 Hong Kong SAR, China	0.75	-0.02	19	0
 Cambodia	0.32	-0.01	138	0	 Hungary	0.52	-0.01	69	2 ▼
 Cameroon	0.35	-0.01	135	0	 India	0.50	-0.01	79	3 ▼
 Canada	0.80	-0.01	12	1 ▼	 Indonesia	0.52	-0.01	68	2 ▼
 Chile	0.66	-0.01	32	0	 Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.42	-0.01	119	0
 China	0.47	-0.01	98	2 ▼	 Ireland	0.81	-	10	-
 Colombia	0.49	-0.01	86	2 ▼	 Italy	0.66	0.00	34	0
 Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.35	0.00	137	0	 Jamaica	0.57	0.00	55	1 ▲
 Congo, Rep.	0.42	-	118	-	 Japan	0.79	0.01	15	2 ▲
 Costa Rica	0.68	-0.01	31	0	 Jordan	0.55	-0.02	59	2 ▼
 Côte d'Ivoire	0.45	-0.02	105	2 ▼	 Kazakhstan	0.52	0.00	66	3 ▲
 Croatia	0.61	-0.01	46	0	 Kenya	0.44	0.00	106	4 ▲
 Cyprus	0.68	-	28	-	 Korea, Rep.	0.74	0.00	20	0
 Czech Republic	0.73	0.00	22	1 ▼	 Kosovo	0.55	0.00	60	1 ▲
 Denmark	0.90	0.00	1	0	 Kyrgyz Republic	0.47	-0.02	99	4 ▼
					 Latvia	0.71	-	24	-

\*Scores and change in scores are rounded to two decimal places.

†The change in rankings was calculated by comparing the positions of the 128 countries and jurisdictions measured in the 2020 Index with the rankings of the same 128 countries and jurisdictions in 2021, exclusive of the 11 new additions to the 2021 Index. The 11 new countries and jurisdictions added to the Index this year are: Congo, Rep., Cyprus, Haiti, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Paraguay, Slovak Republic, and Sudan.

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 Lebanon	0.45	0.00	104	0	 Senegal	0.55	0.00	57	2 ▲
 Liberia	0.44	-0.01	110	4 ▼	 Serbia	0.49	-0.01	81	1 ▲
 Lithuania	0.75	-	18	-	 Sierra Leone	0.44	-0.01	108	0
 Luxembourg	0.83	-	8	-	 Singapore	0.78	-0.01	17	3 ▼
 Madagascar	0.44	0.00	112	1 ▲	 Slovak Republic	0.66	-	33	-
 Malawi	0.52	0.01	67	5 ▲	 Slovenia	0.68	0.00	29	0
 Malaysia	0.57	-0.01	54	0	 South Africa	0.58	0.00	52	0
 Mali	0.43	-0.01	115	1 ▼	 Spain	0.73	0.00	21	1 ▲
 Malta	0.68	-	30	-	 Sri Lanka	0.50	-0.02	76	3 ▼
 Mauritania	0.36	0.00	133	1 ▲	 St. Kitts and Nevis	0.63	0.00	40	0
 Mauritius	0.61	-0.01	45	0	 St. Lucia	0.62	0.00	43	0
 Mexico	0.43	-0.01	113	1 ▼	 St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.64	0.00	38	0
 Moldova	0.51	0.02	73	16 ▲	 Sudan	0.42	-	116	-
 Mongolia	0.54	0.01	61	3 ▲	 Suriname	0.49	-0.01	84	1 ▼
 Morocco	0.49	-0.01	90	4 ▼	 Sweden	0.86	0.00	4	0
 Mozambique	0.40	-0.01	123	0	 Switzerland	0.47	-0.01	100	1 ▲
 Myanmar	0.39	-0.03	128	6 ▼	 Tanzania	0.47	-0.01	100	1 ▲
 Namibia	0.62	-0.01	44	2 ▼	 Thailand	0.50	-0.01	80	2 ▼
 Nepal	0.52	-0.01	70	2 ▼	 Togo	0.45	0.00	103	4 ▲
 Netherlands	0.83	0.00	6	1 ▼	 Trinidad and Tobago	0.53	0.00	63	1 ▼
 New Zealand	0.83	0.01	7	0	 Tunisia	0.53	-0.01	65	2 ▼
 Nicaragua	0.38	-0.01	131	3 ▼	 Turkey	0.42	-0.01	117	1 ▼
 Niger	0.44	-0.01	111	0	 Uganda	0.39	0.00	125	2 ▲
 Nigeria	0.41	-0.02	121	3 ▼	 Ukraine	0.51	0.00	74	5 ▲
 North Macedonia	0.53	0.00	64	1 ▲	 United Arab Emirates	0.64	-0.01	37	0
 Norway	0.90	0.00	2	0	 United Kingdom	0.79	0.00	16	1 ▼
 Pakistan	0.39	0.00	130	0	 United States	0.69	-0.02	27	2 ▼
 Panama	0.52	0.00	71	1 ▼	 Uruguay	0.71	0.00	25	1 ▲
 Paraguay	0.48	-	96	-	 Uzbekistan	0.49	0.02	85	14 ▲
 Peru	0.49	-0.01	87	0	 Venezuela, RB	0.27	0.00	139	0
 Philippines	0.46	-0.01	102	3 ▼	 Vietnam	0.49	0.00	88	4 ▲
 Poland	0.64	-0.02	36	1 ▼	 Zambia	0.44	-0.01	107	2 ▼
 Portugal	0.70	0.00	26	1 ▲	 Zimbabwe	0.39	0.00	127	2 ▲
 Romania	0.63	-0.01	41	2 ▼					
 Russian Federation	0.46	0.00	101	1 ▲					
 Rwanda	0.62	0.00	42	2 ▲					

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# Features of the WJP Rule of Law Index

The World Justice Project (WJP) developed the *WJP Rule of Law Index* to serve as a quantitative tool for measuring the rule of law in practice. The Index's methodology and comprehensive definition of the rule of law are the products of intensive consultation and vetting with academics, practitioners, and community leaders from more than 100 countries and jurisdictions and 17 professional disciplines.

The scores and rankings of the eight factors and 44 sub-factors of the Index draw from two sources of data collected by the WJP:

1. **A General Population Poll (GPP)** conducted by leading local polling companies, using a representative sample of 1,000<sup>1</sup> respondents in each country and jurisdiction.
2. **Qualified Respondents' Questionnaires (QRQs)** consisting of closed-ended questions completed by in-country legal practitioners, experts, and academics with expertise in civil and commercial law; constitutional law, civil liberties, and criminal law; labor law; and public health.<sup>2</sup>

Taken together, these two data sources provide current, original information reflecting the experiences and perceptions of the general public and in-country legal practitioners and experts in 139 countries and jurisdictions worldwide.

## Rule of Law in Practice

The Index measures adherence to the rule of law by looking at policy outcomes, such as whether people have access to courts or whether crime is effectively controlled. This stands in contrast to efforts that focus on the written legal code, or the institutional means by which a society may seek to achieve these policy outcomes.

## Comprehensive and Multi-Dimensional

While other indices cover particular aspects of the rule of law, such as absence of corruption or human rights, they do not yield a full picture of the state of the rule of law. The *WJP Rule of Law Index* is the only global instrument that looks at the rule of law comprehensively.

## Perspective of Ordinary People

The *WJP Rule of Law Index* puts people at its core. It looks at a country's adherence to the rule of law from the perspective of ordinary individuals and their experiences with the rule of law in their societies. The Index examines practical, everyday situations, such as whether people can access public services and whether a dispute among neighbors can be resolved peacefully and cost-effectively by an independent adjudicator.

## New Data Anchored in Actual Experiences

The Index is the only comprehensive set of indicators on the rule of law that is based on primary data. The Index's scores are built from the assessments of residents (1,000 respondents per country or jurisdiction) and local legal practitioners and experts, which ensure that the findings reflect the conditions experienced by actual people, including residents from marginalized sectors of society.

## Culturally Competent

The Index has been designed to be applied in countries and jurisdictions with vastly different social, cultural, economic, and political systems. No society has ever attained—let alone sustained—a perfect realization of the rule of law. Every country faces the perpetual challenge of building and renewing the structures, institutions, and norms that can support and sustain a rule of law culture.

## Country-Specific Data and Online Tools

In addition to this written report, an interactive online platform for country-specific *WJP Rule of Law Index* data is available at: [worldjusticeproject.org](https://worldjusticeproject.org). The interactive data site invites viewers to browse each of the 139 country and jurisdiction profiles and explore overall and factor scores.

<sup>1</sup> Due to small populations or obstacles to data collection in certain countries and jurisdictions, the sampling plan was adjusted in some cases. One adjustment was to decrease the sample size. For more information on specific countries and jurisdictions and sample sizes, see pages 184-187.

<sup>2</sup> Please see the "Methodology" section on page 181 of this report for more detailed information regarding data collection and score computation.

# Defining the Rule of Law

**Effective rule of law reduces corruption, combats poverty and disease, and protects people from injustices large and small. It is the foundation for communities of justice, opportunity, and peace—underpinning development, accountable government, and respect for fundamental rights. Traditionally, the rule of law has been viewed as the domain of lawyers and judges. However, everyday issues of safety, rights, justice, and governance affect us all; everyone is a stakeholder in the rule of law.**

Despite its profound importance for fair and functioning societies, the rule of law is notoriously difficult to define and measure. A simple way of approaching it is to examine a set of outcomes that the rule of law brings to societies, each of which reflects one aspect of the complex concept of the rule of law. The *WJP Rule of Law Index* seeks to embody these outcomes within a simple and coherent framework.

The *WJP Rule of Law Index* captures adherence to the rule of law as defined by the WJP's universal principles (see following page) through a comprehensive and multi-dimensional set of outcome indicators, each of which reflects a particular aspect of this complex concept. The theoretical framework linking these outcome indicators draws upon two main principles pertaining to the relationship between the state and the governed.

The first principle measures whether the law imposes limits on the exercise of power by the state and its agents, as well as individuals and private entities. This is measured in Factors One, Two, Three, and Four of the Index. The second principle measures whether the state limits the actions of members of society and fulfills its basic duties towards its population so that the public interest is served, people are protected from violence, and all members of society have access to dispute settlement and grievance mechanisms. This is measured in Factors Five, Six, Seven, and Eight of the Index. Although broad in scope, this framework assumes very little about the functions of the state, and when it does, it incorporates functions that are recognized by practically all societies, such as the provision of justice or the guarantee of order and security.

The resulting set of indicators is also an effort to strike a balance between what scholars call a “thin” or minimalist conception of the rule of law that focuses on formal, procedural rules, and a “thick” conception that includes substantive characteristics, such as self-governance and various fundamental rights and freedoms. Striking this balance between “thin” and “thick” conceptions of the rule of law enables the Index to apply to different types of social and political systems, including those that lack many of the features that characterize democratic nations, while including sufficient substantive characteristics

to render the rule of law as more than a system of rules. The Index recognizes that a system of law that fails to respect core human rights guaranteed under international law is at best “rule by law” and does not deserve to be called a rule of law system.

The rule of law affects all of us in our everyday lives. Although we may not be aware of it, the rule of law is profoundly important—and not just for lawyers or judges. Every sector of society is a stakeholder in the rule of law. Below are a few examples:

## Business Environment

Imagine an investor seeking to commit resources abroad. She would probably think twice before investing in a country where corruption is rampant, property rights are ill-defined, and contracts are difficult to enforce. Uneven enforcement of regulations, corruption, insecure property rights, and ineffective means to settle disputes undermine legitimate business and deter both domestic and foreign investment.

## Public Works

Consider the bridges, roads, or runways we traverse daily—or the offices and buildings in which we live, work, and play. What would happen if building codes governing design and safety were not enforced? What if government officials and contractors used low-quality materials to pocket the surplus? Weak regulatory enforcement and corruption decrease the security of physical infrastructure and waste scarce resources, which are essential to a thriving economy.

## Public Health and Environment

Consider the implications of pollution, wildlife poaching, and deforestation for public health and the environment. What would happen if a company were pouring harmful chemicals into a river in a highly populated area and the environmental inspector ignored these actions in exchange for a bribe? Adherence to the rule of law is essential to holding governments, businesses, civil society organizations, and communities accountable for protecting public health and the environment.

# The Four Universal Principles of the Rule of Law

The World Justice Project defines the rule of law as a durable system of laws, institutions, norms, and community commitment that delivers:

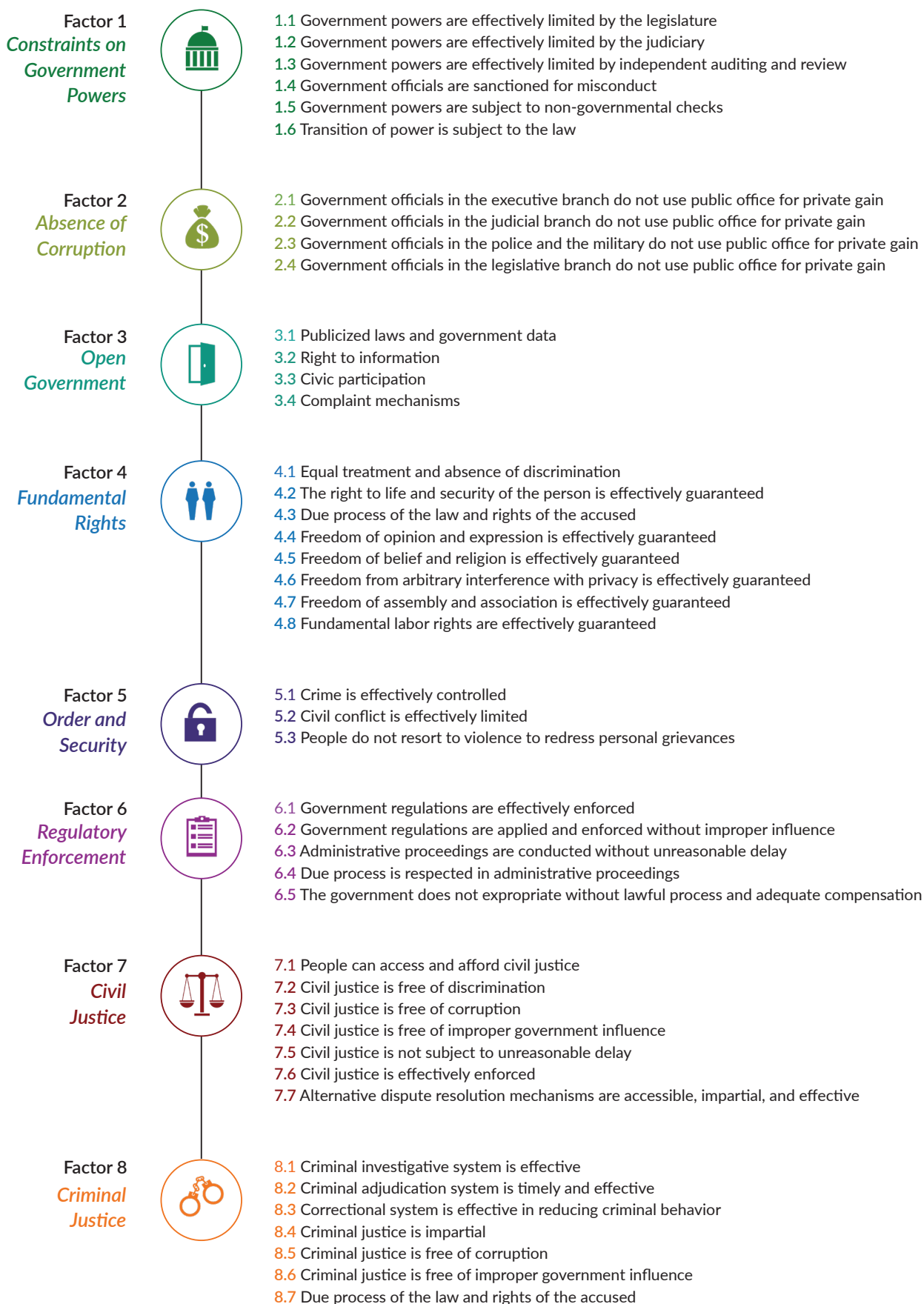


The four universal principles are further developed in the following eight factors of the annual *WJP Rule of Law Index*:

*Constraints on Government Powers, Absence of Corruption, Open Government, Fundamental Rights, Order and Security, Regulatory Enforcement, Civil Justice, and Criminal Justice.*

# Conceptual Framework of the WJP Rule of Law Index

The conceptual framework of the *WJP Rule of Law Index* is comprised of eight factors further disaggregated into 44 sub-factors. These factors and sub-factors are presented below and described in detail in the section that follows.



## Informal Justice and the Rule of Law

The conceptual framework of the Index includes a ninth factor on informal justice that is not included in the Index's aggregate scores and rankings. Informal justice systems often play a large role in countries and jurisdictions where formal legal institutions are weak, remote, or perceived as ineffective. For this reason, the WJP has devoted effort to collecting data on informal justice through our surveys. Nonetheless, the complexities of these systems and the difficulties of systematically measuring their fairness and effectiveness make cross-country assessments extraordinarily challenging. For this reason, the informal justice factor is not included in the Index scores and rankings.

### **Factor 9: Informal Justice**

- 9.1 Informal justice is timely and effective
- 9.2 Informal justice is impartial and free of improper influence
- 9.3 Informal justice respects and protects fundamental rights

# Indicators of the WJP Rule of Law Index

## **Factor 1: Constraints on Government Powers**

- 1.1 Government powers are effectively limited by the legislature**  
Measures whether legislative bodies have the independence and the ability in practice to exercise effective checks on and oversight of the government.
- 1.2 Government powers are effectively limited by the judiciary**  
Measures whether the judiciary has the independence and the ability in practice to exercise effective checks on and oversight of the government.
- 1.3 Government powers are effectively limited by independent auditing and review**  
Measures whether comptrollers or auditors, as well as national human rights ombudsman agencies, have sufficient independence and the ability to exercise effective checks on and oversight of the government.
- 1.4 Government officials are sanctioned for misconduct**  
Measures whether government officials in the executive, legislature, judiciary, and the police are investigated, prosecuted, and punished for official misconduct and other violations.
- 1.5 Government powers are subject to non-governmental checks**  
Measures whether an independent media, civil society organizations, political parties, and individuals are free to report and comment on government policies without fear of retaliation.
- 1.6 Transition of power is subject to the law**  
Measures whether government officials are elected or appointed in accordance with the rules and procedures set forth in the constitution. Where elections take place, it also measures the integrity of the electoral process, including access to the ballot, the absence of intimidation, and public scrutiny of election results.

## **Factor 2: Absence of Corruption**

- 2.1 Government officials in the executive branch do not use public office for private gain**  
Measures the prevalence of bribery, informal payments, and other inducements in the delivery of public services and the enforcement of regulations. It also measures whether government procurement and public works contracts are awarded through an open and competitive bidding process, and whether government officials at various levels of the executive branch refrain from embezzling public funds.
- 2.2 Government officials in the judicial branch do not use public office for private gain**  
Measures whether judges and judicial officials refrain from soliciting and accepting bribes to perform duties or expedite processes, and whether the judiciary and judicial rulings are free of improper influence by the government, private interests, or criminal organizations.
- 2.3 Government officials in the police and the military do not use public office for private gain**  
Measures whether police officers and criminal investigators refrain from soliciting and accepting bribes to perform basic police services or to investigate crimes, and whether government officials in the police and the military are free of improper influence by private interests or criminal organizations.
- 2.4 Government officials in the legislative branch do not use public office for private gain**  
Measures whether members of the legislature refrain from soliciting or accepting bribes or other inducements in exchange for political favors or favorable votes on legislation.

## Factor 3: Open Government

### 3.1 Publicized laws and government data

Measures whether basic laws and information on legal rights are publicly available, presented in plain language, and made accessible in all languages used in the country or jurisdiction. It also measures the quality and accessibility of information published by the government in print or online, and whether administrative regulations, drafts of legislation, and high court decisions are made accessible to the public in a timely manner.

### 3.2 Right to information

Measures whether requests for information held by a government agency are granted, whether these requests are granted within a reasonable time period, if the information provided is pertinent and complete, and if requests for information are granted at a reasonable cost and without having to pay a bribe. It also measures whether people are aware of their right to information, and whether relevant records are accessible to the public upon request.

### 3.3 Civic participation

Measures the effectiveness of civic participation mechanisms, including the protection of the freedoms of opinion and expression, assembly and association, and the right to petition the government. It also measures whether people can voice concerns to various government officers, and whether government officials provide sufficient information and notice about decisions affecting the community.

### 3.4 Complaint mechanisms

Measures whether people are able to bring specific complaints to the government about the provision of public services or the performance of government officers in carrying out their legal duties in practice, and how government officials respond to such complaints.

## Factor 4: Fundamental Rights

### 4.1 Equal treatment and absence of discrimination

Measures whether individuals are free from discrimination—based on socio-economic status, gender, ethnicity, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, or gender identity—with respect to public services, employment, court proceedings, and the justice system.

### 4.2 The right to life and security of the person is effectively guaranteed

Measures whether the police inflict physical harm upon criminal suspects during arrest and interrogation, and whether political dissidents or members of the media are subjected to unreasonable searches, arrest, detention, imprisonment, threats, abusive treatment, or violence.

### 4.3 Due process of the law and rights of the accused

Measures whether the basic rights of criminal suspects are respected, including the presumption of innocence and the freedom from arbitrary arrest and unreasonable pre-trial detention. It also measures whether criminal suspects are able to access and challenge evidence used against them, whether they are subject to abusive treatment, and whether they are provided with adequate legal assistance. In addition, it measures whether the basic rights of prisoners are respected once they have been convicted of a crime.

### 4.4 Freedom of opinion and expression is effectively guaranteed

Measures whether an independent media, civil society organizations, political parties, and individuals are free to report and comment on government policies without fear of retaliation.

### 4.5 Freedom of belief and religion is effectively guaranteed

Measures whether members of religious minorities can worship and conduct religious practices freely and publicly, and whether non-adherents are protected from having to submit to religious laws.

### 4.6 Freedom from arbitrary interference with privacy is effectively guaranteed

Measures whether the police or other government officials conduct physical searches without warrants, or intercept electronic communications of private individuals without judicial authorization.

### 4.7 Freedom of assembly and association is effectively guaranteed

Measures whether people can freely attend community meetings, join political organizations, hold peaceful public demonstrations, sign petitions, and express opinions against government policies and actions without fear of retaliation.

### 4.8 Fundamental labor rights are effectively guaranteed

Measures the effective enforcement of fundamental labor rights, including freedom of association and the right to collective bargaining, the absence of discrimination with respect to employment, and freedom from forced labor and child labor.

## **Factor 5: Order and Security**

### **5.1 Crime is effectively controlled**

Measures the prevalence of common crimes, including homicide, kidnapping, burglary and theft, armed robbery, and extortion, as well as people's general perceptions of safety in their communities.

### **5.2 Civil conflict is effectively limited**

Measures whether people are effectively protected from armed conflict and terrorism.

### **5.3 People do not resort to violence to redress personal grievances**

Measures whether people resort to intimidation or violence to resolve civil disputes amongst themselves or to seek redress from the government, and whether people are free from mob violence.

## **Factor 6: Regulatory Enforcement**

### **6.1 Government regulations are effectively enforced**

Measures whether government regulations, such as labor, environmental, public health, commercial, and consumer protection regulations are effectively enforced.

### **6.2 Government regulations are applied and enforced without improper influence**

Measures whether the enforcement of regulations is subject to bribery or improper influence by private interests; and whether public services, such as the issuance of permits and licenses and the administration of public health services, are provided without bribery or other illegal inducements.

### **6.3 Administrative proceedings are conducted without unreasonable delay**

Measures whether administrative proceedings at the national and local levels are conducted without unreasonable delay.

### **6.4 Due process is respected in administrative proceedings**

Measures whether due process of the law is respected in administrative proceedings conducted by national and local authorities in issue areas such as the environment, taxes, and labor.

### **6.5 The government does not expropriate without lawful process and adequate compensation**

Measures whether the government respects the property rights of people and corporations, refrains from the illegal seizure of private property, and provides adequate compensation when property is legally expropriated.

## **Factor 7: Civil Justice**

### **7.1 People can access and afford civil justice**

Measures the accessibility and affordability of civil courts, including whether people are aware of available remedies; can access and afford legal advice and representation; and can access the court system without incurring unreasonable fees, encountering unreasonable procedural hurdles, or experiencing physical or linguistic barriers.

### **7.2 Civil justice is free of discrimination**

Measures whether the civil justice system discriminates in practice based on socio-economic status, gender, ethnicity, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, or gender identity.

### **7.3 Civil justice is free of corruption**

Measures whether the civil justice system is free of bribery and improper influence by private interests.

### **7.4 Civil justice is free of improper government influence**

Measures whether the civil justice system is free of improper government or political influence.

### **7.5 Civil justice is not subject to unreasonable delay**

Measures whether civil justice proceedings are conducted and judgments are produced in a timely manner without unreasonable delay.

### **7.6 Civil justice is effectively enforced**

Measures the effectiveness and timeliness of the enforcement of civil justice decisions and judgments in practice.

### **7.7 Alternative dispute resolution mechanisms are accessible, impartial, and effective**

Measures whether alternative dispute resolution mechanisms (ADRs) are affordable, efficient, enforceable, and free of corruption.

## **Factor 8: Criminal Justice**

### **8.1 Criminal investigative system is effective**

Measures whether perpetrators of crimes are effectively apprehended and charged. It also measures whether police, investigators, and prosecutors have adequate resources, are free of corruption, and perform their duties competently.

### **8.2 Criminal adjudication system is timely and effective**

Measures whether perpetrators of crimes are effectively prosecuted and punished. It also measures whether criminal judges and other judicial officers are competent and produce speedy decisions.

### **8.3 Correctional system is effective in reducing criminal behavior**

Measures whether correctional institutions are secure, respect prisoners' rights, and are effective in preventing recidivism.

### **8.4 Criminal justice is impartial**

Measures whether the police and criminal judges are impartial and whether they discriminate in practice based on socio-economic status, gender, ethnicity, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, or gender identity.

### **8.5 Criminal justice is free of corruption**

Measures whether the police, prosecutors, and judges are free of bribery and improper influence from criminal organizations.

### **8.6 Criminal justice is free of improper government influence**

Measures whether the criminal justice system is independent from government or political influence.

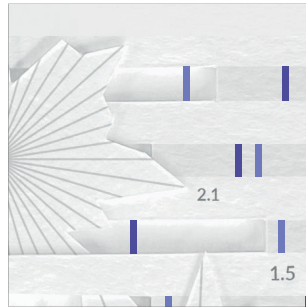
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**Cicero (106 BCE-43 BCE)**

# Scores and Rankings

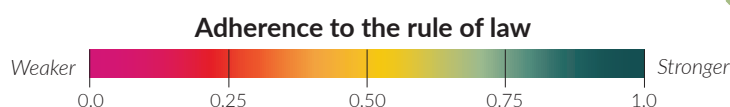


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# Rule of Law Around the World

The table below shows the overall scores and rankings of the *WJP Rule of Law Index 2021* by country rank. Scores range from 0 to 1, with 1 indicating the strongest adherence to the rule of law.

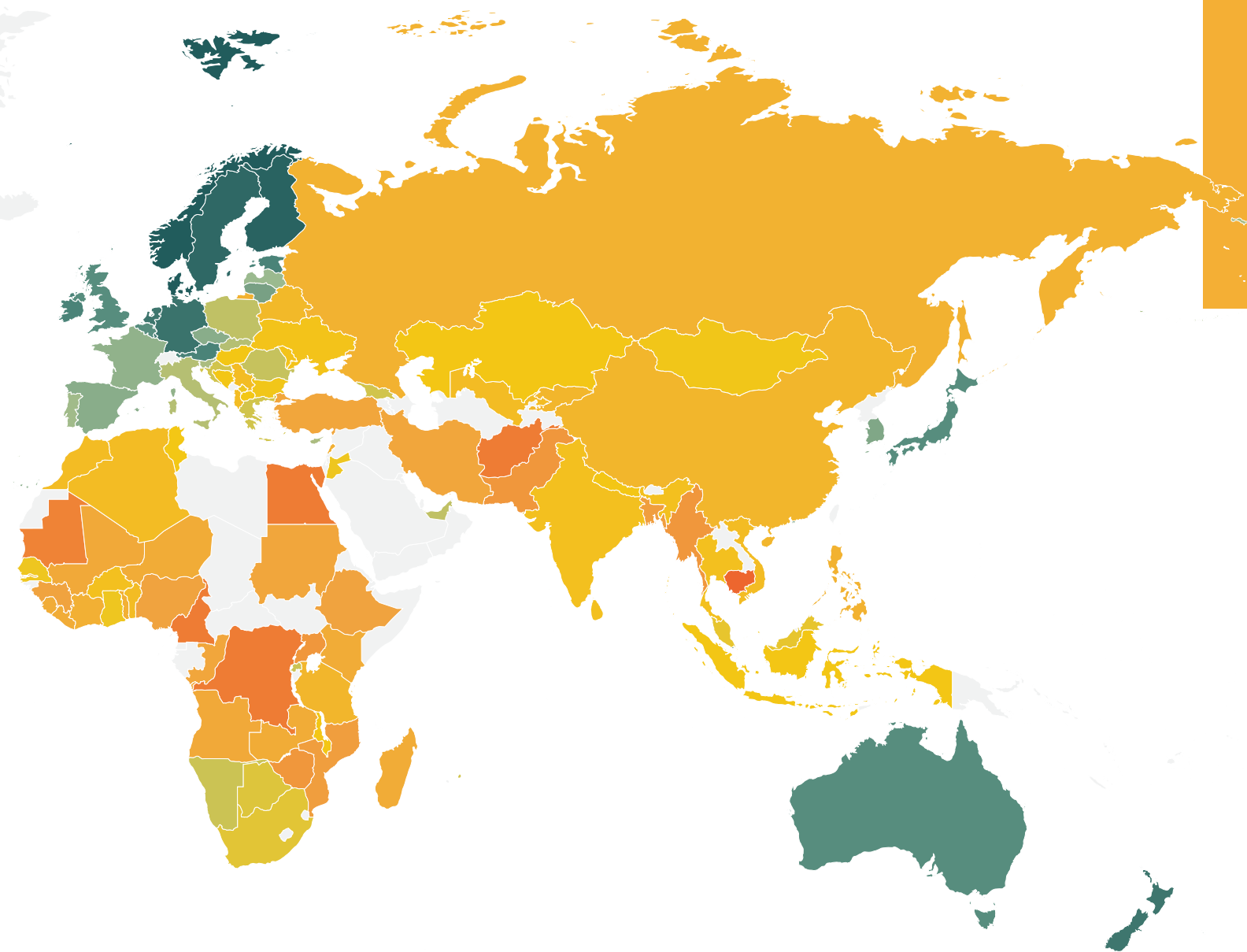


Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Global Rank
Denmark	0.90	1
Norway	0.90	2
Finland	0.88	3
Sweden	0.86	4
Germany	0.84	5
Netherlands	0.83	6
New Zealand	0.83	7
Luxembourg	0.83	8
Austria	0.81	9
Ireland	0.81	10
Estonia	0.81	11
Canada	0.80	12
Australia	0.79	13
Belgium	0.79	14
Japan	0.79	15
United Kingdom	0.79	16
Singapore	0.78	17
Lithuania	0.75	18
Hong Kong SAR, China	0.75	19
Korea, Rep.	0.74	20
Spain	0.73	21
Czech Republic	0.73	22
France	0.72	23
Latvia	0.71	24
Uruguay	0.71	25
Portugal	0.70	26
United States	0.69	27
Cyprus	0.68	28
Slovenia	0.68	29
Malta	0.68	30
Costa Rica	0.68	31
Chile	0.66	32
Slovak Republic	0.66	33

Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Global Rank
Italy	0.66	34
Barbados	0.65	35
Poland	0.64	36
United Arab Emirates	0.64	37
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.64	38
Antigua and Barbuda	0.63	39
St. Kitts and Nevis	0.63	40
Romania	0.63	41
Rwanda	0.62	42
St. Lucia	0.62	43
Namibia	0.62	44
Mauritius	0.61	45
Croatia	0.61	46
The Bahamas	0.61	47
Greece	0.61	48
Georgia	0.61	49
Grenada	0.59	50
Botswana	0.59	51
South Africa	0.58	52
Dominica	0.58	53
Malaysia	0.57	54
Jamaica	0.57	55
Argentina	0.56	56
Senegal	0.55	57
Ghana	0.55	58
Jordan	0.55	59
Kosovo	0.55	60
Mongolia	0.54	61
Bulgaria	0.54	62
Trinidad and Tobago	0.53	63
North Macedonia	0.53	64
Tunisia	0.53	65

Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Global Rank
Kazakhstan	0.52	66
Malawi	0.52	67
Indonesia	0.52	68
Hungary	0.52	69
Nepal	0.52	70
Panama	0.52	71
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.52	72
Moldova	0.51	73
Ukraine	0.51	74
Burkina Faso	0.50	75
Sri Lanka	0.50	76
Brazil	0.50	77
Guyana	0.50	78
India	0.50	79
Thailand	0.50	80
Serbia	0.49	81
Algeria	0.49	82
Albania	0.49	83
Suriname	0.49	84

\*Scores are rounded to two decimal places.



Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Global Rank
Uzbekistan	0.49	85
Colombia	0.49	86
Peru	0.49	87
Vietnam	0.49	88
The Gambia	0.49	89
Morocco	0.49	90
Benin	0.49	91
Ecuador	0.48	92
Belize	0.48	93
Dominican Republic	0.48	94
El Salvador	0.48	95
Paraguay	0.48	96
Belarus	0.48	97
China	0.47	98
Kyrgyz Republic	0.47	99
Tanzania	0.47	100
Russian Federation	0.46	101
Philippines	0.46	102
Togo	0.45	103

Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Global Rank
Lebanon	0.45	104
Côte d'Ivoire	0.45	105
Kenya	0.44	106
Zambia	0.44	107
Sierra Leone	0.44	108
Guatemala	0.44	109
Liberia	0.44	110
Niger	0.44	111
Madagascar	0.44	112
Mexico	0.43	113
Angola	0.43	114
Mali	0.43	115
Sudan	0.42	116
Turkey	0.42	117
Congo, Rep.	0.42	118
Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.42	119
Guinea	0.41	120
Nigeria	0.41	121
Ethiopia	0.41	122

Country/Jurisdiction	Overall Score*	Global Rank
Mozambique	0.40	123
Bangladesh	0.40	124
Uganda	0.39	125
Honduras	0.39	126
Zimbabwe	0.39	127
Myanmar	0.39	128
Bolivia	0.39	129
Pakistan	0.39	130
Nicaragua	0.38	131
Haiti	0.38	132
Mauritania	0.36	133
Afghanistan	0.35	134
Cameroon	0.35	135
Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.35	136
Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.35	137
Cambodia	0.32	138
Venezuela, RB	0.27	139

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# Rule of Law Around the World by Region

## East Asia and Pacific

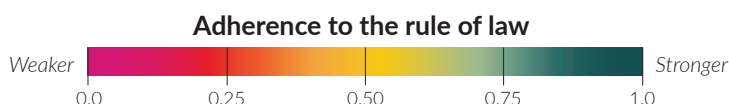
Country/Jurisdiction	Regional Rank	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	% Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†						
New Zealand	1/15	0.83	0.01	0.7%	7	0						
Australia	2/15	0.79	-0.01	-1.2%	13	0						
Japan	3/15	0.79	0.01	0.8%	15	2 ▲						
Singapore	4/15	0.78	-0.01	-1.0%	17	3 ▼						
Hong Kong SAR, China	5/15	0.75	-0.02	-2.0%	19	0						
Korea, Rep.	6/15	0.74	0.00	0.4%	20	0						
Malaysia	7/15	0.57	-0.01	-1.4%	54	0						
Mongolia	8/15	0.54	0.01	2.0%	61	3 ▲						
Indonesia	9/15	0.52	-0.01	-1.0%	68	2 ▼						
Thailand	10/15	0.50	-0.01	-2.2%	80	2 ▼						
Vietnam	11/15	0.49	0.00	-0.6%	88	4 ▲						
China	12/15	0.47	-0.01	-1.9%	98	2 ▼						
Philippines	13/15	0.46	-0.01	-2.9%	102	3 ▼						
Myanmar	14/15	0.39	-0.03	-6.3%	128	6 ▼						
Cambodia	15/15	0.32	-0.01	-2.3%	138	0						

## Eastern Europe and Central Asia

Country/Jurisdiction	Regional Rank	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	% Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†						
Georgia	1/14	0.61	0.00	0.5%	49	0						
Kosovo	2/14	0.55	0.00	0.6%	60	1 ▲						
North Macedonia	3/14	0.53	0.00	-0.3%	64	1 ▲						
Kazakhstan	4/14	0.52	0.00	0.3%	66	3 ▲						
Bosnia and Herzegovina	5/14	0.52	0.00	-0.8%	72	1 ▼						
Moldova	6/14	0.51	0.02	3.2%	73	16 ▲						
Ukraine	7/14	0.51	0.00	0.6%	74	5 ▲						
Serbia	8/14	0.49	-0.01	-1.8%	81	1 ▲						
Albania	9/14	0.49	-0.01	-1.7%	83	2 ▲						
Uzbekistan	10/14	0.49	0.02	4.1%	85	14 ▲						
Belarus	11/14	0.48	-0.04	-7.5%	97	21 ▼						
Kyrgyz Republic	12/14	0.47	-0.02	-3.7%	99	4 ▼						
Russian Federation	13/14	0.46	0.00	-0.7%	101	1 ▲						
Turkey	14/14	0.42	-0.01	-2.5%	117	1 ▼						

## EU, EFTA, and North America (European Union, European Free Trade Association, and North America)

Country/Jurisdiction	Regional Rank	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	% Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†						
Denmark	1/31	0.90	0.00	0.0%	1	0						
Norway	2/31	0.90	0.00	0.5%	2	0						
Finland	3/31	0.88	0.00	0.4%	3	0						
Sweden	4/31	0.86	0.00	0.0%	4	0						
Germany	5/31	0.84	0.00	0.4%	5	1 ▲						
Netherlands	6/31	0.83	0.00	-0.5%	6	1 ▼						
Luxembourg	7/31	0.83	-	-	8	-						
Austria	8/31	0.81	0.00	-0.6%	9	0						
Ireland	9/31	0.81	-	-	10	-						
Estonia	10/31	0.81	0.00	-0.1%	11	1 ▲						
Canada	11/31	0.80	-0.01	-1.0%	12	1 ▼						
Belgium	12/31	0.79	0.00	0.6%	14	2 ▲						
United Kingdom	13/31	0.79	0.00	-0.4%	16	1 ▼						
Lithuania	14/31	0.75	-	-	18	-						
Spain	15/31	0.73	0.00	0.1%	21	1 ▲						
Czech Republic	16/31	0.73	0.00	-0.4%	22	1 ▼						
France	17/31	0.72	-0.01	-0.9%	23	0						
Latvia	18/31	0.71	-	-	24	-						
Portugal	19/31	0.70	0.00	-0.6%	26	1 ▲						
United States	20/31	0.69	-0.02	-2.9%	27	2 ▼						
Cyprus	21/31	0.68	-	-	28	-						
Slovenia	22/31	0.68	0.00	-0.4%	29	0						
Malta	23/31	0.68	-	-	30	-						
Slovak Republic	24/31	0.66	-	-	33	-						
Italy	25/31	0.66	0.00	0.2%	34	0						
Poland	26/31	0.64	-0.02	-2.4%	36	1 ▼						
Romania	27/31	0.63	-0.01	-0.8%	41	2 ▼						
Croatia	28/31	0.61	-0.01	-1.0%	46	0						
Greece	29/31	0.61	0.00	-0.5%	48	1 ▼						
Bulgaria	30/31	0.54	-0.01	-1.0%	62	2 ▼						
Hungary	31/31	0.52	-0.01	-1.4%	69	2 ▼						



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## Latin America and Caribbean

Country/Jurisdiction	Regional Rank	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	% Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†
Uruguay	1/32	0.71	0.00	0.6%	25	1 ▲
Costa Rica	2/32	0.68	-0.01	-0.8%	31	0
Chile	3/32	0.66	-0.01	-0.8%	32	0
Barbados	4/32	0.65	0.00	0.7%	35	1 ▲
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	5/32	0.64	0.00	-0.2%	38	0
Antigua and Barbuda	6/32	0.63	0.00	0.4%	39	2 ▲
St. Kitts and Nevis	7/32	0.63	0.00	-0.2%	40	0
St. Lucia	8/32	0.62	0.00	-0.1%	43	0
The Bahamas	9/32	0.61	0.00	0.5%	47	1 ▲
Grenada	10/32	0.59	0.00	0.1%	50	1 ▲
Dominica	11/32	0.58	0.00	-0.6%	53	0
Jamaica	12/32	0.57	0.00	0.4%	55	1 ▲
Argentina	13/32	0.56	-0.02	-3.7%	56	1 ▼
Trinidad and Tobago	14/32	0.53	0.00	-0.5%	63	1 ▼
Panama	15/32	0.52	0.00	-0.7%	71	1 ▼
Brazil	16/32	0.50	-0.01	-2.9%	77	3 ▼

Guyana	17/32	0.50	0.00	-0.7%	78	2 ▲
Suriname	18/32	0.49	-0.01	-1.9%	84	1 ▼
Colombia	19/32	0.49	-0.01	-2.2%	86	2 ▼
Peru	20/32	0.49	-0.01	-2.0%	87	0
Ecuador	21/32	0.48	0.00	-0.1%	92	1 ▲
Belize	22/32	0.48	0.00	0.0%	93	3 ▲
Dominican Republic	23/32	0.48	0.00	0.0%	94	3 ▲
El Salvador	24/32	0.48	-0.02	-3.3%	95	4 ▼
Paraguay	25/32	0.48	-	-	96	-
Guatemala	26/32	0.44	-0.01	-1.2%	109	0
Mexico	27/32	0.43	-0.01	-2.9%	113	1 ▼
Honduras	28/32	0.39	-0.01	-2.2%	126	0
Bolivia	29/32	0.39	0.00	0.9%	129	2 ▲
Nicaragua	30/32	0.38	-0.01	-3.7%	131	3 ▼
Haiti	31/32	0.38	-	-	132	-
Venezuela, RB	32/32	0.27	0.00	-1.5%	139	0

## Middle East and North Africa

Country/Jurisdiction	Regional Rank	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	% Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†
United Arab Emirates	1/8	0.64	-0.01	-0.9%	37	0
Jordan	2/8	0.55	-0.02	-3.0%	59	2 ▼
Tunisia	3/8	0.53	-0.01	-1.5%	65	2 ▼
Algeria	4/8	0.49	0.00	-0.5%	82	8 ▲

Morocco	5/8	0.49	-0.01	-2.6%	90	4 ▼
Lebanon	6/8	0.45	0.00	-0.9%	104	0
Iran, Islamic Rep.	7/8	0.42	-0.01	-2.3%	119	0
Egypt, Arab Rep.	8/8	0.35	-0.01	-2.8%	136	0

## South Asia

Country/Jurisdiction	Regional Rank	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	% Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†
Nepal	1/6	0.52	-0.01	-1.1%	70	2 ▼
Sri Lanka	2/6	0.50	-0.02	-3.0%	76	3 ▼
India	3/6	0.50	-0.01	-1.9%	79	3 ▼

Bangladesh	4/6	0.40	-0.01	-2.8%	124	1 ▲
Pakistan	5/6	0.39	0.00	-0.4%	130	0
Afghanistan	6/6	0.35	-0.01	-2.7%	134	1 ▼

## Sub-Saharan Africa

Country/Jurisdiction	Regional Rank	Overall Score*	Change in Overall Score*	% Change in Overall Score*	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†
Rwanda	1/33	0.62	0.00	0.5%	42	2 ▲
Namibia	2/33	0.62	-0.01	-1.2%	44	2 ▼
Mauritius	3/33	0.61	-0.01	-0.9%	45	0
Botswana	4/33	0.59	-0.01	-1.5%	51	1 ▼
South Africa	5/33	0.58	0.00	-0.4%	52	0
Senegal	6/33	0.55	0.00	0.5%	57	2 ▲
Ghana	7/33	0.55	-0.01	-2.2%	58	0
Malawi	8/33	0.52	0.01	1.0%	67	5 ▲
Burkina Faso	9/33	0.50	0.00	-0.9%	75	2 ▲
The Gambia	10/33	0.49	-0.02	-3.1%	89	8 ▼
Benin	11/33	0.49	-0.01	-2.3%	91	3 ▼
Tanzania	12/33	0.47	-0.01	-1.1%	100	1 ▲
Togo	13/33	0.45	0.00	0.9%	103	4 ▲
Côte d'Ivoire	14/33	0.45	-0.02	-3.4%	105	2 ▼
Kenya	15/33	0.44	0.00	-0.9%	106	4 ▲
Zambia	16/33	0.44	-0.01	-2.3%	107	2 ▼
Sierra Leone	17/33	0.44	-0.01	-1.5%	108	0

Liberia	18/33	0.44	-0.01	-2.6%	110	4 ▼
Niger	19/33	0.44	-0.01	-1.5%	111	0
Madagascar	20/33	0.44	0.00	-0.6%	112	1 ▲
Angola	21/33	0.43	0.00	0.5%	114	4 ▲
Mali	22/33	0.43	-0.01	-2.9%	115	1 ▼
Sudan	23/33	0.42	-	-	116	-
Congo, Rep.	24/33	0.42	-	-	118	-
Guinea	25/33	0.41	-0.01	-1.4%	120	1 ▲
Nigeria	26/33	0.41	-0.02	-3.7%	121	3 ▼
Ethiopia	27/33	0.41	0.00	-1.0%	122	2 ▲
Mozambique	28/33	0.40	-0.01	-2.9%	123	0
Uganda	29/33	0.39	0.00	-0.9%	125	2 ▲
Zimbabwe	30/33	0.39	0.00	0.0%	127	2 ▲
Mauritania	31/33	0.36	0.00	0.9%	133	1 ▲
Cameroon	32/33	0.35	-0.01	-2.1%	135	0
Congo, Dem. Rep.	33/33	0.35	0.00	1.2%	137	0

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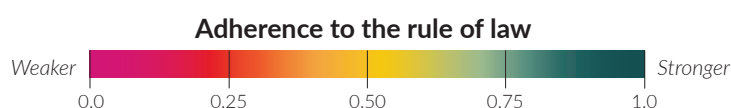
# Rule of Law Around the World by Income\*

## Low Income

Country/Jurisdiction	Income Rank	Overall Score†	Change in Overall Score†	% Change in Overall Score†	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†							
Rwanda	1/18	0.62	0.00	0.5%	42	2 ▲	Mali	10/18	0.43	-0.01	-2.9%	115	1 ▼
Malawi	2/18	0.52	0.01	1.0%	67	5 ▲	Sudan	11/18	0.42	-	-	116	-
Burkina Faso	3/18	0.50	0.00	-0.9%	75	2 ▲	Guinea	12/18	0.41	-0.01	-1.4%	120	1 ▲
The Gambia	4/18	0.49	-0.02	-3.1%	89	8 ▼	Ethiopia	13/18	0.41	0.00	-1.0%	122	2 ▲
Togo	5/18	0.45	0.00	0.9%	103	4 ▲	Mozambique	14/18	0.40	-0.01	-2.9%	123	0
Sierra Leone	6/18	0.44	-0.01	-1.5%	108	0	Uganda	15/18	0.39	0.00	-0.9%	125	2 ▲
Liberia	7/18	0.44	-0.01	-2.6%	110	4 ▼	Haiti	16/18	0.38	-	-	132	-
Niger	8/18	0.44	-0.01	-1.5%	111	0	Afghanistan	17/18	0.35	-0.01	-2.7%	134	1 ▼
Madagascar	9/18	0.44	0.00	-0.6%	112	1 ▲	Congo, Dem. Rep.	18/18	0.35	0.00	1.2%	137	0

## Lower-Middle Income

Country/Jurisdiction	Income Rank	Overall Score†	Change in Overall Score†	% Change in Overall Score†	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†							
Senegal	1/35	0.55	0.00	0.5%	57	2 ▲	Côte d'Ivoire	19/35	0.45	-0.02	-3.4%	105	2 ▼
Ghana	2/35	0.55	-0.01	-2.2%	58	0	Kenya	20/35	0.44	0.00	-0.9%	106	4 ▲
Mongolia	3/35	0.54	0.01	2.0%	61	3 ▲	Zambia	21/35	0.44	-0.01	-2.3%	107	2 ▼
Tunisia	4/35	0.53	-0.01	-1.5%	65	2 ▼	Angola	22/35	0.43	0.00	0.5%	114	4 ▲
Nepal	5/35	0.52	-0.01	-1.1%	70	2 ▼	Congo, Rep.	23/35	0.42	-	-	118	-
Moldova	6/35	0.51	0.02	3.2%	73	16 ▲	Nigeria	24/35	0.41	-0.02	-3.7%	121	3 ▼
Ukraine	7/35	0.51	0.00	0.6%	74	5 ▲	Bangladesh	25/35	0.40	-0.01	-2.8%	124	1 ▲
Sri Lanka	8/35	0.50	-0.02	-3.0%	76	3 ▼	Honduras	26/35	0.39	-0.01	-2.2%	126	0
India	9/35	0.50	-0.01	-1.9%	79	3 ▼	Zimbabwe	27/35	0.39	0.00	0.0%	127	2 ▲
Algeria	10/35	0.49	0.00	-0.5%	82	8 ▲	Myanmar	28/35	0.39	-0.03	-6.3%	128	6 ▼
Uzbekistan	11/35	0.49	0.02	4.1%	85	14 ▲	Bolivia	29/35	0.39	0.00	0.9%	129	2 ▲
Vietnam	12/35	0.49	0.00	-0.6%	88	4 ▲	Pakistan	30/35	0.39	0.00	-0.4%	130	0
Morocco	13/35	0.49	-0.01	-2.6%	90	4 ▼	Nicaragua	31/35	0.38	-0.01	-3.7%	131	3 ▼
Benin	14/35	0.49	-0.01	-2.3%	91	3 ▼	Mauritania	32/35	0.36	0.00	0.9%	133	1 ▲
El Salvador	15/35	0.48	-0.02	-3.3%	95	4 ▼	Cameroon	33/35	0.35	-0.01	-2.1%	135	0
Kyrgyz Republic	16/35	0.47	-0.02	-3.7%	99	4 ▼	Egypt, Arab Rep.	34/35	0.35	-0.01	-2.8%	136	0
Tanzania	17/35	0.47	-0.01	-1.1%	100	1 ▲	Cambodia	35/35	0.32	-0.01	-2.3%	138	0
Philippines	18/35	0.46	-0.01	-2.9%	102	3 ▼							



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## Upper-Middle Income

Upper-Middle Income														
Country/Jurisdiction	Income Rank	Overall Score†	Change in Overall Score†	% Change in Overall Score†	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†								
Costa Rica	1/40	0.68	-0.01	-0.8%	31	0	Guyana	21/40	0.50	0.00	-0.7%	78	2▲	
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	2/40	0.64	0.00	-0.2%	38	0	Thailand	22/40	0.50	-0.01	-2.2%	80	2▼	
St. Lucia	3/40	0.62	0.00	-0.1%	43	0	Serbia	23/40	0.49	-0.01	-1.8%	81	1▲	
Namibia	4/40	0.62	-0.01	-1.2%	44	2▼	Albania	24/40	0.49	-0.01	-1.7%	83	2▲	
Georgia	5/40	0.61	0.00	0.5%	49	0	Suriname	25/40	0.49	-0.01	-1.9%	84	1▼	
Grenada	6/40	0.59	0.00	0.1%	50	1▲	Colombia	26/40	0.49	-0.01	-2.2%	86	2▼	
Botswana	7/40	0.59	-0.01	-1.5%	51	1▼	Peru	27/40	0.49	-0.01	-2.0%	87	0	
South Africa	8/40	0.58	0.00	-0.4%	52	0	Ecuador	28/40	0.48	0.00	-0.1%	92	1▲	
Dominica	9/40	0.58	0.00	-0.6%	53	0	Belize	29/40	0.48	0.00	0.0%	93	3▲	
Malaysia	10/40	0.57	-0.01	-1.4%	54	0	Dominican Republic	30/40	0.48	0.00	0.0%	94	3▲	
Jamaica	11/40	0.57	0.00	0.4%	55	1▲	Paraguay	31/40	0.48	-	-	96	-	
Argentina	12/40	0.56	-0.02	-3.7%	56	1▼	Belarus	32/40	0.48	-0.04	-7.5%	97	21▼	
Jordan	13/40	0.55	-0.02	-3.0%	59	2▼	China	33/40	0.47	-0.01	-1.9%	98	2▼	
Kosovo	14/40	0.55	0.00	0.6%	60	1▲	Russian Federation	34/40	0.46	0.00	-0.7%	101	1▲	
Bulgaria	15/40	0.54	-0.01	-1.0%	62	2▼	Lebanon	35/40	0.45	0.00	-0.9%	104	0	
North Macedonia	16/40	0.53	0.00	-0.3%	64	1▲	Guatemala	36/40	0.44	-0.01	-1.2%	109	0	
Kazakhstan	17/40	0.52	0.00	0.3%	66	3▲	Mexico	37/40	0.43	-0.01	-2.9%	113	1▼	
Indonesia	18/40	0.52	-0.01	-1.0%	68	2▼	Turkey	38/40	0.42	-0.01	-2.5%	117	1▼	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	19/40	0.52	0.00	-0.8%	72	1▼	Iran, Islamic Rep.	39/40	0.42	-0.01	-2.3%	119	0	
Brazil	20/40	0.50	-0.01	-2.9%	77	3▼	Venezuela, RB	40/40	0.27	0.00	-1.5%	139	0	

## High Income

High Income		Overall Score†	Change in Overall Score†	% Change in Overall Score†	Global Rank	Change in Global Rank†								
Country/Jurisdiction	Income Rank													
Denmark	1/46	0.90	0.00	0.0%	1	0	Uruguay	25/46	0.71	0.00	0.6%	25	1▲	
Norway	2/46	0.90	0.00	0.5%	2	0	Portugal	26/46	0.70	0.00	-0.6%	26	1▲	
Finland	3/46	0.88	0.00	0.4%	3	0	United States	27/46	0.69	-0.02	-2.9%	27	2▼	
Sweden	4/46	0.86	0.00	0.0%	4	0	Cyprus	28/46	0.68	-	-	28	-	
Germany	5/46	0.84	0.00	0.4%	5	1▲	Slovenia	29/46	0.68	0.00	-0.4%	29	0	
Netherlands	6/46	0.83	0.00	-0.5%	6	1▼	Malta	30/46	0.68	-	-	30	-	
New Zealand	7/46	0.83	0.01	0.7%	7	0	Chile	31/46	0.66	-0.01	-0.8%	32	0	
Luxembourg	8/46	0.83	-	-	8	-	Slovak Republic	32/46	0.66	-	-	33	-	
Austria	9/46	0.81	0.00	-0.6%	9	0	Italy	33/46	0.66	0.00	0.2%	34	0	
Ireland	10/46	0.81	-	-	10	-	Barbados	34/46	0.65	0.00	0.7%	35	1▲	
Estonia	11/46	0.81	0.00	-0.1%	11	1▲	Poland	35/46	0.64	-0.02	-2.4%	36	1▼	
Canada	12/46	0.80	-0.01	-1.0%	12	1▼	United Arab Emirates	36/46	0.64	-0.01	-0.9%	37	0	
Australia	13/46	0.79	-0.01	-1.2%	13	0	Antigua and Barbuda	37/46	0.63	0.00	0.4%	39	2▲	
Belgium	14/46	0.79	0.00	0.6%	14	2▲								
Japan	15/46	0.79	0.01	0.8%	15	2▲	St. Kitts and Nevis	38/46	0.63	0.00	-0.2%	40	0	
United Kingdom	16/46	0.79	0.00	-0.4%	16	1▼	Romania	39/46	0.63	-0.01	-0.8%	41	2▼	
Singapore	17/46	0.78	-0.01	-1.0%	17	3▼	Mauritius	40/46	0.61	-0.01	-0.9%	45	0	
Lithuania	18/46	0.75	-	-	18	-	Croatia	41/46	0.61	-0.01	-1.0%	46	0	
Hong Kong SAR, China	19/46	0.75	-0.02	-2.0%	19	0	The Bahamas	42/46	0.61	0.00	0.5%	47	1▲	
							Greece	43/46	0.61	0.00	-0.5%	48	1▼	
Korea, Rep.	20/46	0.74	0.00	0.4%	20	0	Trinidad and Tobago	44/46	0.53	0.00	-0.5%	63	1▼	
Spain	21/46	0.73	0.00	0.1%	21	1▲	Hungary	45/46	0.52	-0.01	-1.4%	69	2▼	
Czech Republic	22/46	0.73	0.00	-0.4%	22	1▼	Panama	46/46	0.52	0.00	-0.7%	71	1▼	
France	23/46	0.72	-0.01	-0.9%	23	0								
Latvia	24/46	0.71	-	-	24	-								

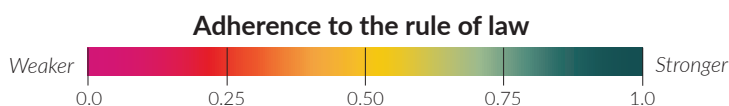
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**Factor 1** measures the extent to which those who govern are bound by law. It comprises the means, both constitutional and institutional, by which the powers of the government and its officials and agents are limited and held accountable under the law. It also includes non-governmental checks on the government's power, such as a free and independent press. For a further breakdown of Constraints on Government Powers by sub-factor, please refer to page 16.

Country/ Jurisdiction	Factor Score*	Factor Rank	Global Corruption Perception Index 2023									
Denmark	0.94	1	Barbados	0.64	38	Colombia	0.53	72	Kazakhstan	0.43	108	
Norway	0.94	2	Jamaica	0.64	39	Kosovo	0.53	73	Albania	0.43	109	
Finland	0.92	3	South Africa	0.63	40	Guatemala	0.52	74	Afghanistan	0.42	110	
Sweden	0.87	4	The Bahamas	0.62	41	Morocco	0.51	75	Mozambique	0.42	111	
Germany	0.86	5	Rwanda	0.62	42	Brazil	0.51	76	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.40	112	
New Zealand	0.86	6	Romania	0.61	43	Tanzania	0.51	77	Uganda	0.40	113	
Netherlands	0.85	7	Antigua and Barbuda	0.61	44	Benin	0.50	78	Niger	0.39	114	
Austria	0.85	8	Hong Kong SAR, China	0.61	45	Liberia	0.50	79	Myanmar	0.39	115	
Estonia	0.83	9	St. Kitts and Nevis	0.61	46	Nigeria	0.50	80	Haiti	0.39	116	
Belgium	0.83	10	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.60	47	Ecuador	0.50	81	Hungary	0.39	117	
Ireland	0.82	11	Peru	0.60	48	Sierra Leone	0.49	82	Guinea	0.38	118	
Luxembourg	0.82	12	Botswana	0.60	49	Paraguay	0.49	83	Ethiopia	0.38	119	
Canada	0.82	13	Tunisia	0.60	50	Lebanon	0.49	84	Congo, Rep.	0.38	120	
United Kingdom	0.81	14	Mauritius	0.59	51	Philippines	0.48	85	Uzbekistan	0.38	121	
Australia	0.81	15	India	0.59	52	Kenya	0.48	86	Serbia	0.38	122	
Portugal	0.78	16	St. Lucia	0.59	53	Suriname	0.48	87	Côte d'Ivoire	0.38	123	
Costa Rica	0.76	17	The Gambia	0.59	54	Algeria	0.48	88	Bolivia	0.37	124	
Uruguay	0.76	18	Nepal	0.59	55	Pakistan	0.47	89	Bangladesh	0.37	125	
Lithuania	0.75	19	Malawi	0.58	56	Moldova	0.47	90	Togo	0.36	126	
Spain	0.73	20	Argentina	0.57	57	Dominican Republic	0.47	91	Cameroon	0.36	127	
Czech Republic	0.72	21	Grenada	0.57	58	North Macedonia	0.47	92	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.35	128	
Japan	0.72	22	Malaysia	0.57	59	El Salvador	0.47	93	Russian Federation	0.35	129	
France	0.72	23	Senegal	0.57	60	Ukraine	0.47	94	Mauritania	0.34	130	
Chile	0.72	24	Burkina Faso	0.57	61	Bulgaria	0.46	95	Honduras	0.33	131	
Korea, Rep.	0.71	25	Croatia	0.56	62	Thailand	0.46	96	Zimbabwe	0.33	132	
Italy	0.71	26	United Arab Emirates	0.56	63	Jordan	0.46	97	China	0.31	133	
Latvia	0.70	27	Trinidad and Tobago	0.56	64	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.45	98	Turkey	0.28	134	
United States	0.68	28	Guyana	0.54	65	Vietnam	0.45	99	Cambodia	0.28	135	
Slovak Republic	0.68	29	Mongolia	0.54	66	Kyrgyz Republic	0.45	100	Belarus	0.27	136	
Greece	0.68	30	Poland	0.54	67	Mali	0.45	101	Nicaragua	0.25	137	
Indonesia	0.67	31	Georgia	0.54	68	Mexico	0.45	102	Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.24	138	
Singapore	0.67	32	Sri Lanka	0.54	69	Sudan	0.45	103	Venezuela, RB	0.17	139	
Namibia	0.67	33	Dominica	0.53	70	Madagascar	0.44	104				
Ghana	0.66	34	Panama	0.53	71	Belize	0.44	105				
Cyprus	0.66	35				Zambia	0.43	106				
Slovenia	0.65	36				Angola	0.43	107				
Malta	0.65	37										



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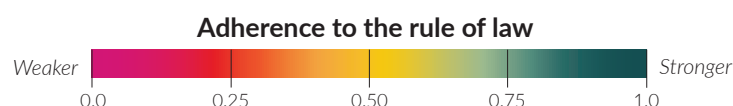
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Country/ Jurisdiction	Factor Score*	Factor Rank	Global Corruption Index 2013								
Norway	0.89	1	Cyprus	0.61	38	North Macedonia	0.50	74	China	0.38	111
Denmark	0.87	2	Greece	0.61	39				Uganda	0.38	112
Finland	0.87	3	India	0.60	40	Ghana	0.49	75	Zambia	0.38	113
Sweden	0.86	4	Brazil	0.60	41	Kenya	0.49	76	Haiti	0.38	114
Netherlands	0.82	5	Croatia	0.60	42	Thailand	0.49	77	Sierra Leone	0.38	115
New Zealand	0.82	6	Mexico	0.60	43	Russian Federation	0.49	78	Suriname	0.38	116
Ireland	0.80	7	Poland	0.59	44				Nicaragua	0.38	117
Australia	0.80	8	Georgia	0.59	45	St. Lucia	0.48	79	Mozambique	0.37	118
Estonia	0.80	9	Rwanda	0.59	46	Burkina Faso	0.48	80	Côte d'Ivoire	0.37	119
Germany	0.80	10	Panama	0.58	47	Botswana	0.48	81	Tanzania	0.37	120
Canada	0.80	11	Paraguay	0.58	48	Albania	0.47	82	The Gambia	0.37	121
United Kingdom	0.79	12	Namibia	0.58	49	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.47	83	Uzbekistan	0.37	122
Luxembourg	0.79	13	Moldova	0.57	50	Kazakhstan	0.46	84	Guinea	0.36	123
Belgium	0.78	14	Ukraine	0.57	51	Madagascar	0.46	85	Niger	0.36	124
France	0.76	15	Jamaica	0.56	52	Vietnam	0.46	86	Congo, Rep.	0.36	125
United States	0.75	16	Trinidad and Tobago	0.56	53	Serbia	0.46	87	Myanmar	0.36	126
Latvia	0.74	17	Bulgaria	0.56	54	Mali	0.45	88	Algeria	0.35	127
Lithuania	0.73	18	Kosovo	0.55	55	Malawi	0.45	89	United Arab Emirates	0.35	128
Hong Kong SAR, China	0.73	19	Peru	0.54	56	St. Kitts and Nevis	0.45	90	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.33	129
Uruguay	0.72	20	Antigua and Barbuda	0.54	57	Liberia	0.44	91	Belarus	0.33	130
Korea, Rep.	0.71	21	Indonesia	0.54	58	Hungary	0.44	92	Ethiopia	0.33	131
Austria	0.70	22	Dominican Republic	0.53	59	Grenada	0.44	93	Cameroon	0.32	132
Chile	0.70	23	Barbados	0.53	60	Belize	0.44	94	Zimbabwe	0.32	133
Japan	0.70	24				Guyana	0.44	95	Togo	0.30	134
Spain	0.70	25	Kyrgyz Republic	0.52	61	Senegal	0.43	96	Mauritania	0.29	135
Costa Rica	0.70	26	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.52	62	Morocco	0.43	97	Venezuela, RB	0.28	136
Slovak Republic	0.69	27				Bolivia	0.43	98	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.28	137
Czech Republic	0.68	28	The Bahamas	0.52	63	Honduras	0.42	99	Cambodia	0.26	138
Portugal	0.66	29	Sri Lanka	0.52	64	Lebanon	0.42	100	Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.22	139
Slovenia	0.65	30	Mauritius	0.52	65	Pakistan	0.42	101			
Malta	0.63	31	Nepal	0.52	66	Bangladesh	0.42	102			
South Africa	0.63	32	Guatemala	0.51	67	Nigeria	0.42	103			
Italy	0.63	33	Ecuador	0.51	68	Malaysia	0.41	104			
Singapore	0.63	34	El Salvador	0.51	69	Sudan	0.40	105			
Colombia	0.62	35	Dominica	0.50	70	Jordan	0.40	106			
Argentina	0.62	36	Philippines	0.50	71	Turkey	0.40	107			
Romania	0.62	37	Mongolia	0.50	72	Afghanistan	0.39	108			
			Tunisia	0.50	73	Angola	0.39	109			
						Benin	0.39	110			

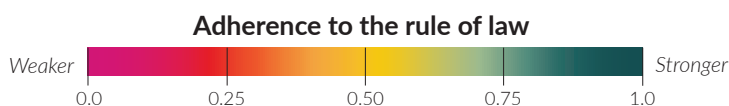


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**Factor 4 recognizes that a system of positive law that fails to respect core human rights established under international law is at best “rule by law,” and does not deserve to be called a rule of law system. Since there are many other indices that address human rights, and because it would be impossible for the Index to assess adherence to the full range of rights, this factor focuses on a relatively modest menu of rights that are firmly established under the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights and are most closely related to rule of law concerns. For a further breakdown of Fundamental Rights by sub-factor, please refer to page 17.**

Country/ Jurisdiction	Factor Score*	Factor Rank	2019					2020				
Denmark	0.92	1	Argentina	0.69	36	Serbia	0.56	72	Morocco	0.43	110	
Norway	0.91	2	The Bahamas	0.68	37	Tunisia	0.55	73	Haiti	0.43	111	
Finland	0.90	3	Singapore	0.67	38	Guatemala	0.53	74	Tanzania	0.43	112	
Sweden	0.87	4	St. Lucia	0.67	39	Paraguay	0.53	75	Nigeria	0.43	113	
Austria	0.85	5	Romania	0.67	40	Sri Lanka	0.53	76	Russian Federation	0.42	114	
Germany	0.85	6	Croatia	0.67	41	Suriname	0.53	77	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.41	115	
Luxembourg	0.85	7	United States	0.66	42	Benin	0.53	78	Belarus	0.41	116	
Netherlands	0.84	8	Namibia	0.65	43	Ecuador	0.52	79	Honduras	0.41	117	
Belgium	0.84	9	Greece	0.65	44	The Gambia	0.52	80	Zambia	0.41	118	
Ireland	0.82	10	South Africa	0.64	45	Mali	0.51	81	Mozambique	0.41	119	
New Zealand	0.82	11	Mauritius	0.63	46	Liberia	0.51	82	Afghanistan	0.40	120	
Estonia	0.82	12	Panama	0.63	47	Belize	0.51	83	Mauritania	0.40	121	
Canada	0.82	13	Jamaica	0.63	48	Malaysia	0.51	84	Congo, Rep.	0.40	122	
United Kingdom	0.80	14	Grenada	0.63	49	Nepal	0.51	85	Philippines	0.39	123	
Spain	0.80	15	Georgia	0.63	50	Sierra Leone	0.51	86	Angola	0.39	124	
Uruguay	0.79	16	Dominica	0.62	51	Colombia	0.51	87	Sudan	0.38	125	
Czech Republic	0.79	17	Peru	0.61	52	Indonesia	0.51	88	Pakistan	0.38	126	
Japan	0.78	18	Poland	0.61	53	El Salvador	0.50	89	Cameroon	0.36	127	
Costa Rica	0.78	19	Hong Kong SAR, China	0.61	54	Rwanda	0.50	90	Uganda	0.36	128	
Australia	0.78	20	Ukraine	0.61	55	Mexico	0.49	91	Zimbabwe	0.34	129	
Portugal	0.77	21	Senegal	0.60	56	Guinea	0.49	92	Nicaragua	0.34	130	
Slovenia	0.76	22	Bulgaria	0.60	57	India	0.49	93	Cambodia	0.33	131	
Korea, Rep.	0.75	23	Kosovo	0.59	58	Jordan	0.48	94	Ethiopia	0.33	132	
Latvia	0.75	24	North Macedonia	0.59	59	Brazil	0.48	95	Turkey	0.31	133	
Lithuania	0.75	25	Trinidad and Tobago	0.59	60	Kyrgyz Republic	0.48	96	Bangladesh	0.31	134	
Malta	0.73	26				Niger	0.48	97	Venezuela, RB	0.29	135	
Slovak Republic	0.73	27	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.59	61	Lebanon	0.47	98	China	0.27	136	
Italy	0.73	28	Ghana	0.58	62	Thailand	0.47	99	Myanmar	0.27	137	
Barbados	0.73	29	Mongolia	0.58	63	Bolivia	0.47	100	Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.24	138	
Cyprus	0.72	30	Malawi	0.58	64	Kenya	0.47	101	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.22	139	
Chile	0.72	31	Madagascar	0.46	102	Togo	0.46	103				
France	0.71	32	Botswana	0.58	65	Vietnam	0.45	104				
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.71	33	Albania	0.58	66	United Arab Emirates	0.45	105				
Antigua and Barbuda	0.70	34	Dominican Republic	0.57	67	Algeria	0.45	106				
St. Kitts and Nevis	0.70	35	Guyana	0.56	68	Kazakhstan	0.45	107				
			Burkina Faso	0.56	69	Côte d'Ivoire	0.45	108				
			Hungary	0.56	70	Uzbekistan	0.44	109				
			Moldova	0.56	71							

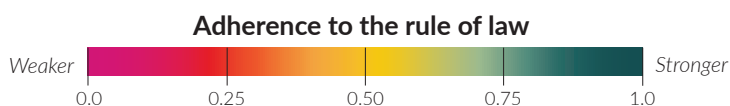


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## Order and Security

**Factor 5 measures how well a society ensures the security of persons and property. Security is one of the defining aspects of any rule of law society and is a fundamental function of the state. It is also a precondition for the realization of the rights and freedoms that the rule of law seeks to advance. For a further breakdown of Order and Security by sub-factor, please refer to page 18.**

Country/ Jurisdiction	Factor Score*	Factor Rank	Global Corruption Index 2023								
Ireland	0.94	1	Moldova	0.81	37	Ghana	0.72	71	Jamaica	0.63	108
Luxembourg	0.93	2	United States	0.81	38	Guinea	0.72	72	Congo, Rep.	0.63	109
Singapore	0.93	3	Belarus	0.80	39	Nicaragua	0.71	73	Philippines	0.63	110
Norway	0.93	4	North Macedonia	0.79	40	Greece	0.71	74	Bangladesh	0.63	111
Hong Kong SAR, China	0.93	5	Portugal	0.79	41	Botswana	0.71	75	Guyana	0.63	112
Sweden	0.92	6	Kazakhstan	0.79	42	Thailand	0.71	76	Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.63	113
Malta	0.92	7	Georgia	0.79	43	Paraguay	0.71	77	Ecuador	0.62	114
Denmark	0.92	8	Malaysia	0.78	44	Senegal	0.71	78	Argentina	0.62	115
Japan	0.92	9	Antigua and Barbuda	0.78	45	Madagascar	0.71	79	Niger	0.62	116
Finland	0.92	10	Barbados	0.78	46	The Gambia	0.70	80	Ethiopia	0.61	117
United Arab Emirates	0.91	11	Albania	0.78	47	Belize	0.70	81	South Africa	0.61	118
Austria	0.91	12	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.78	48	Uruguay	0.70	82	Peru	0.61	119
Hungary	0.90	13	Bulgaria	0.77	49	Turkey	0.70	83	Liberia	0.60	120
Canada	0.90	14	Vietnam	0.77	50	Russian Federation	0.70	84	India	0.60	121
Slovak Republic	0.90	15	St. Kitts and Nevis	0.77	51	Malawi	0.69	85	Uganda	0.59	122
Uzbekistan	0.90	16	Benin	0.77	52	Costa Rica	0.69	86	Guatemala	0.59	123
Slovenia	0.90	17	Serbia	0.77	53	Tanzania	0.69	87	Bolivia	0.59	124
Estonia	0.89	18	Grenada	0.77	54	Indonesia	0.68	88	Angola	0.57	125
Czech Republic	0.89	19	Kyrgyz Republic	0.76	55	Côte d'Ivoire	0.68	89	Colombia	0.56	126
Germany	0.89	20	Jordan	0.76	56	Zambia	0.68	90	Sri Lanka	0.56	127
New Zealand	0.89	21	France	0.76	57	Morocco	0.68	91	Burkina Faso	0.56	128
Lithuania	0.89	22	Mongolia	0.76	58	El Salvador	0.67	92	Kenya	0.55	129
Australia	0.87	23	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.76	59	Sierra Leone	0.67	93	Mexico	0.53	130
Poland	0.86	24	Mauritius	0.76	60	Tunisia	0.67	94	Haiti	0.53	131
Netherlands	0.85	25	Italy	0.75	61	Cambodia	0.67	95	Venezuela, RB	0.50	132
Croatia	0.85	26	Algeria	0.75	62	Chile	0.67	96	Mozambique	0.49	133
Korea, Rep.	0.83	27	Ukraine	0.75	63	Zimbabwe	0.67	97	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.48	134
Latvia	0.83	28	Namibia	0.75	64	Panama	0.67	98	Mali	0.48	135
United Kingdom	0.83	29	St. Lucia	0.75	65	Trinidad and Tobago	0.66	99	Cameroon	0.48	136
Romania	0.83	30	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.74	66	Honduras	0.65	100	Pakistan	0.37	137
Kosovo	0.82	31	Togo	0.74	67	Brazil	0.64	101	Nigeria	0.34	138
Spain	0.82	32	The Bahamas	0.74	68	Suriname	0.64	102	Afghanistan	0.30	139
Rwanda	0.82	33	Dominica	0.74	69	Lebanon	0.64	103			
Belgium	0.81	34	Nepal	0.73	70	Sudan	0.64	104			
Cyprus	0.81	35				Mauritania	0.64	105			
China	0.81	36				Myanmar	0.64	106			
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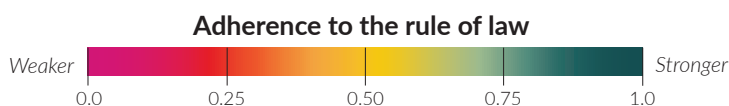


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**Factor 6** measures the extent to which regulations are fairly and effectively implemented and enforced. Regulations, both legal and administrative, structure behaviors within and outside of the government. This factor does not assess which activities a government chooses to regulate, nor does it consider how much regulation of a particular activity is appropriate. Rather, it examines how regulations are implemented and enforced. For a further breakdown of Regulatory Enforcement by sub-factor, please refer to page 18.

Country/ Jurisdiction	Factor Score*	Factor Rank	Global Corruption Index 2013									
Denmark	0.89	1	Italy	0.61	36	Sri Lanka	0.50	72	Kenya	0.43	108	
Norway	0.88	2	St. Kitts and Nevis	0.61	37	Togo	0.49	73	Kyrgyz Republic	0.43	109	
Finland	0.87	3				Burkina Faso	0.49	74				
Singapore	0.86	4	Poland	0.61	38	Brazil	0.49	75	Zambia	0.43	110	
New Zealand	0.86	5	Portugal	0.61	39	China	0.49	76	Nigeria	0.43	111	
Germany	0.86	6	Botswana	0.60	40	Peru	0.48	77	Angola	0.43	112	
Luxembourg	0.85	7	Rwanda	0.59	41	India	0.48	78	Liberia	0.42	113	
Netherlands	0.85	8	St. Lucia	0.59	42	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.48	79	Uganda	0.42	114	
Sweden	0.84	9	Namibia	0.59	43				Guatemala	0.42	115	
Austria	0.82	10	Malta	0.58	44	Algeria	0.48	80	Belize	0.41	116	
Australia	0.81	11	Romania	0.58	45	Russian Federation	0.48	81	Dominican Republic	0.41	117	
Belgium	0.81	12	Malaysia	0.57	46	Philippines	0.48	82	Bolivia	0.41	118	
Hong Kong SAR, China	0.81	13	Croatia	0.57	47	Mali	0.48	83	Turkey	0.41	119	
Ireland	0.81	14	Greece	0.57	48	Ecuador	0.48	84	Mozambique	0.40	120	
Canada	0.80	15	Georgia	0.56	49	Congo, Rep.	0.48	85	Cameroon	0.40	121	
United Kingdom	0.80	16	Grenada	0.56	50	Benin	0.48	86	Bangladesh	0.40	122	
Estonia	0.79	17	Senegal	0.55	51	Paraguay	0.47	87	Pakistan	0.39	123	
Japan	0.79	18	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.55	52	Niger	0.47	88	Nicaragua	0.39	124	
France	0.76	19				Kosovo	0.47	89	Madagascar	0.38	125	
Lithuania	0.74	20	Jamaica	0.55	53	North Macedonia	0.47	90	Ethiopia	0.38	126	
Korea, Rep.	0.74	21	Indonesia	0.55	54				Honduras	0.37	127	
United States	0.71	22	South Africa	0.55	55	Malawi	0.47	91	The Gambia	0.37	128	
Latvia	0.71	23	Jordan	0.55	56	Serbia	0.47	92	Guinea	0.36	129	
Uruguay	0.71	24	Ghana	0.54	57	Belarus	0.46	93	Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.36	130	
Czech Republic	0.71	25	Morocco	0.53	58	Hungary	0.46	94				
			Dominica	0.53	59	Thailand	0.46	95	Afghanistan	0.36	131	
United Arab Emirates	0.71	26	Kazakhstan	0.52	60	Guyana	0.45	96	Sierra Leone	0.36	132	
Spain	0.71	27	Bulgaria	0.52	61	Suriname	0.45	97	Sudan	0.36	133	
Costa Rica	0.67	28	Colombia	0.52	62				Zimbabwe	0.35	134	
Cyprus	0.65	29	Tunisia	0.52	63	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.45	98	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.35	135	
Slovak Republic	0.65	30	Panama	0.51	64	Moldova	0.45	99				
Slovenia	0.65	31	Nepal	0.51	65	Myanmar	0.45	100	Haiti	0.31	136	
Chile	0.64	32	Trinidad and Tobago	0.51	66	Tanzania	0.44	101	Mauritania	0.28	137	
Antigua and Barbuda	0.63	33	The Bahamas	0.50	67	Ukraine	0.44	102	Cambodia	0.27	138	
Mauritius	0.62	34	El Salvador	0.50	68	Vietnam	0.44	103	Venezuela, RB	0.19	139	
Barbados	0.62	35	Côte d'Ivoire	0.50	69							
			Mongolia	0.50	70	Uzbekistan	0.44	104				
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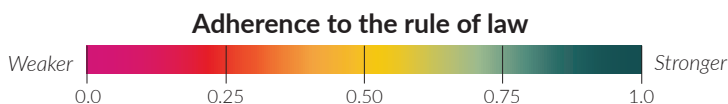


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# Civil Justice

**Factor 7 measures whether ordinary people can resolve their grievances peacefully and effectively through the civil justice system. It measures whether civil justice systems are accessible and affordable as well as free of discrimination, corruption, and improper influence by public officials. It examines whether court proceedings are conducted without unreasonable delays and whether decisions are enforced effectively. It also measures the accessibility, impartiality, and effectiveness of alternative dispute resolution mechanisms. For a further breakdown of Civil Justice by sub-factor, please refer to page 18.**


Country/ Jurisdiction	Factor Score*	Factor Rank	Economic Complexity Observatory					Global Competitiveness Index				
Denmark	0.86	1	Cyprus	0.63	36	North Macedonia	0.53	71	Mozambique	0.44	108	
Norway	0.85	2	Romania	0.63	37	Guyana	0.53	72	Congo, Rep.	0.44	109	
Germany	0.84	3	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.63	38	Belize	0.52	73	India	0.44	110	
Netherlands	0.83	4	Chile	0.63	39	China	0.52	74	Dominican Republic	0.44	111	
Sweden	0.83	5	Mauritius	0.63	40	Brazil	0.52	75	Angola	0.44	112	
Finland	0.82	6	United States	0.62	41	El Salvador	0.50	76	Turkey	0.43	113	
Estonia	0.80	7	Kazakhstan	0.62	42	The Gambia	0.50	77	Peru	0.43	114	
Singapore	0.80	8	Grenada	0.61	43	Uzbekistan	0.50	78	Ethiopia	0.43	115	
Luxembourg	0.79	9	Poland	0.61	44	Tunisia	0.50	79	Liberia	0.43	116	
New Zealand	0.78	10	Malta	0.61	45	Côte d'Ivoire	0.50	80	Lebanon	0.42	117	
Lithuania	0.78	11	Jordan	0.61	46	Moldova	0.50	81	Sierra Leone	0.42	118	
Japan	0.77	12	South Africa	0.61	47	Serbia	0.50	82	Mali	0.42	119	
Korea, Rep.	0.77	13	Costa Rica	0.60	48	Ecuador	0.49	83	Benin	0.42	120	
Belgium	0.76	14	Botswana	0.60	49	Togo	0.49	84	Uganda	0.41	121	
Austria	0.75	15	Greece	0.60	50	Suriname	0.48	85	Haiti	0.41	122	
Hong Kong SAR, China	0.75	16	Trinidad and Tobago	0.58	51	Nigeria	0.48	86	Guinea	0.41	123	
Australia	0.74	17	Belarus	0.57	52	Tanzania	0.48	87	Pakistan	0.40	124	
Ireland	0.74	18	Ghana	0.57	53	Thailand	0.48	88	Sudan	0.40	125	
Uruguay	0.73	19	Slovak Republic	0.57	54	Kosovo	0.48	89	Honduras	0.40	126	
United Kingdom	0.71	20	Argentina	0.57	55	Kyrgyz Republic	0.47	90	Cameroon	0.39	127	
France	0.70	21	Croatia	0.57	56	Colombia	0.47	91	Mauritania	0.39	128	
Canada	0.70	22	The Bahamas	0.57	57	Albania	0.47	92	Bangladesh	0.38	129	
St. Lucia	0.69	23	Dominica	0.56	58	Panama	0.47	93	Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.37	130	
Antigua and Barbuda	0.68	24	Italy	0.56	59	Kenya	0.47	94	Mexico	0.37	131	
Portugal	0.68	25	Malawi	0.56	60	Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.47	95	Nicaragua	0.36	132	
Czech Republic	0.67	26	Senegal	0.56	61	Nepal	0.46	96	Congo, Dem. Rep.	0.36	133	
Spain	0.67	27	Algeria	0.55	62	Zimbabwe	0.46	97	Guatemala	0.36	134	
St. Kitts and Nevis	0.67	28	Mongolia	0.55	63	Vietnam	0.46	98	Afghanistan	0.35	135	
Latvia	0.66	29	Ukraine	0.54	64	Zambia	0.46	99	Myanmar	0.35	136	
United Arab Emirates	0.66	30	Iran, Islamic Rep.	0.54	65	Burkina Faso	0.46	100	Bolivia	0.33	137	
Rwanda	0.66	31	Bulgaria	0.54	66	Philippines	0.45	101	Venezuela, RB	0.27	138	
Slovenia	0.65	32	Georgia	0.54	67	Hungary	0.45	102	Cambodia	0.25	139	
Namibia	0.64	33	Jamaica	0.53	68	Sri Lanka	0.45	103				
Malaysia	0.64	34	Morocco	0.53	69	Niger	0.45	104				
Barbados	0.64	35	Russian Federation	0.53	70	Indonesia	0.45	105				
						Madagascar	0.45	106				
						Paraguay	0.44	107				



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**Factor 8 evaluates a country's criminal justice system. An effective criminal justice system is a key aspect of the rule of law, as it constitutes the conventional mechanism to redress grievances and bring action against individuals for offenses against society. An assessment of the delivery of criminal justice should take into consideration the entire system, including the police, lawyers, prosecutors, judges, and prison officers. For a further breakdown of Criminal Justice by sub-factor, please refer to page 19.**

**Adherence to the rule of law**



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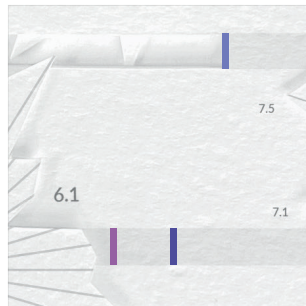
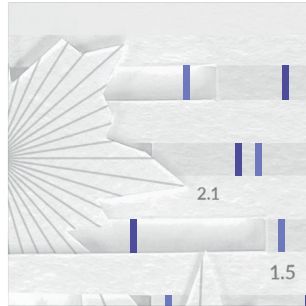
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*“The Law of Nations, however, is common to the entire human race, for all nations have established for themselves certain regulations exacted by custom and human necessity.”*

**Corpus Juris Civilis**

# Country Profiles



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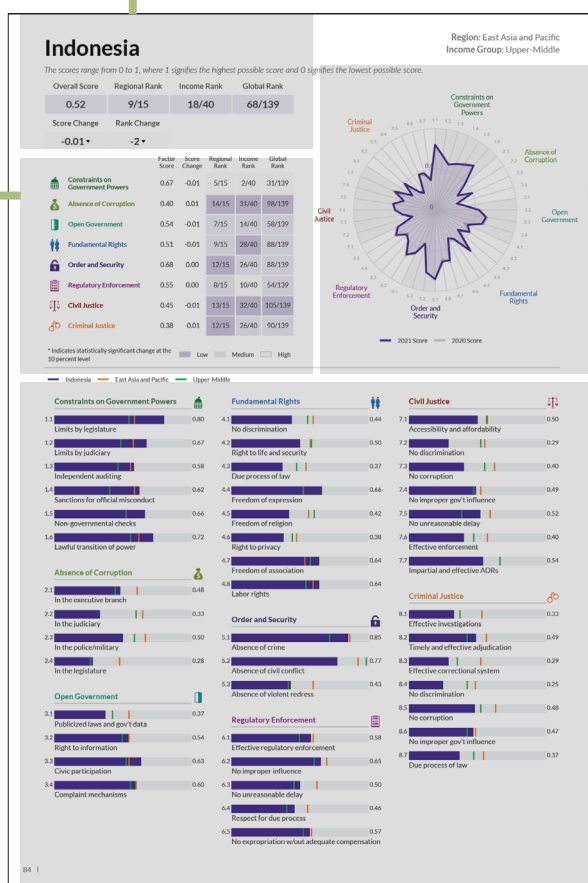
# How to Read the Country Profiles

This section presents profiles for the 139 countries and jurisdictions included in the *WJP Rule of Law Index® 2021* report. Each profile presents the featured country's scores for each of the *WJP Rule of Law Index's* factors and sub-factors, and draws comparisons between the scores of the featured country and the scores of other indexed countries in the same regional and income groups.

The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score (strong adherence to rule of law) and 0 signifies the lowest possible score (weak adherence to rule of law). The country profiles consist of four sections, outlined below.

Displays the country's overall rule of law score; its overall regional, income, and global ranks; and its change in score and rank from the 2020 edition of the Index.

## Section 1



## Section 2

Displays the featured country's individual factor scores, along with its regional, income, and global group rankings. The regional, income, and global rankings are distributed across three tiers – low, medium, and high – as indicated by the color of the box where the score is found.

## Section 4

Presents the individual sub-factor scores underlying each of the factors listed in Section 3 of the country profile.

Each of the 44 sub-factors is represented by a gray line drawn from the center to the periphery of the circle. The center of the circle corresponds to the worst possible score for each sub-factor (0), and the outer edge of the circle marks the best possible score for each sub-factor (1).

The featured country's scores for 2021 are represented by the purple line. The featured country's scores for 2020 are represented by the gray line.

## Section 3

Displays the country's disaggregated scores for each of the sub-factors that compose the *WJP Rule of Law Index*.

The featured country's score is represented by the purple bar and labeled at the end of the bar. The average score of the country's region is represented by the orange line. The average score of the country's income group is represented by the green line.

# Afghanistan

Region: South Asia  
Income Group: Low

The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

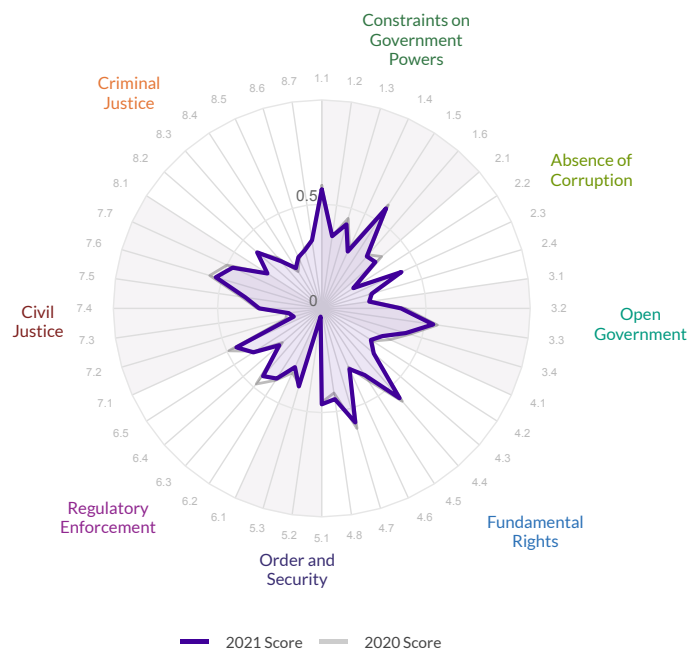
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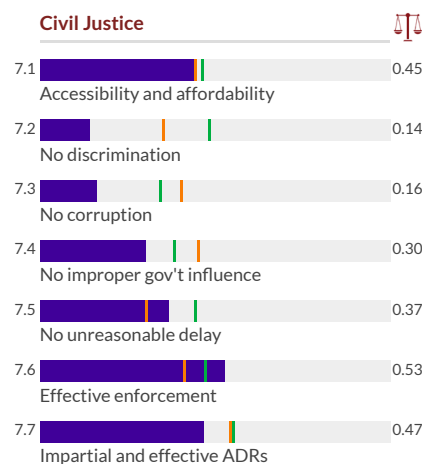
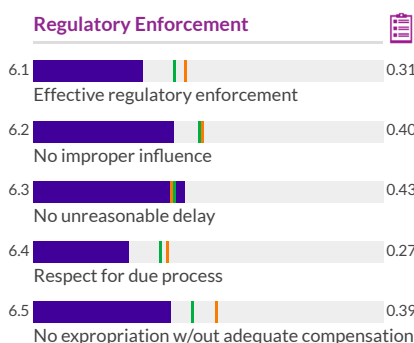
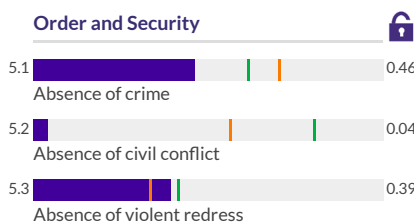
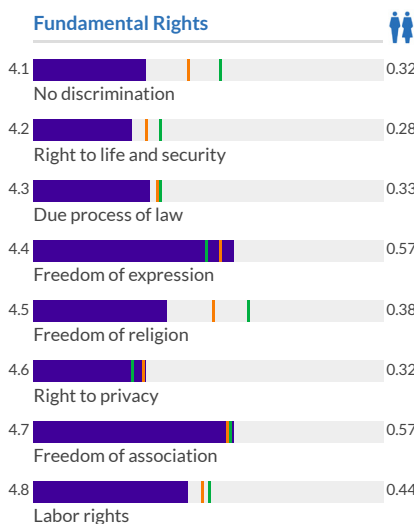
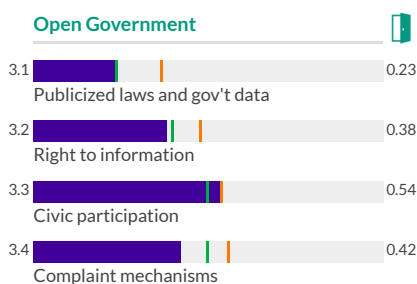
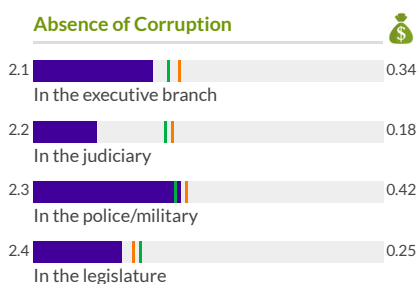
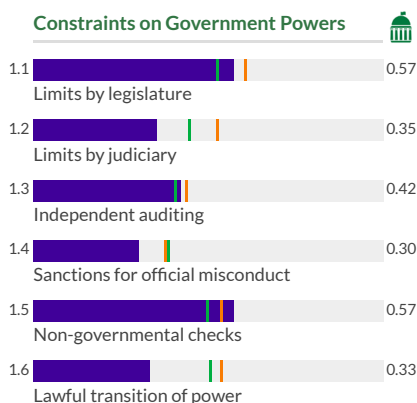
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.42	-0.01	5/6	10/18	110/139
Absence of Corruption	0.30	-0.01	6/6	13/18	127/139
Open Government	0.39	-0.02	6/6	8/18	108/139
Fundamental Rights	0.40	-0.01	4/6	15/18	120/139
Order and Security	0.30	0.01	6/6	18/18	139/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.36	-0.01	6/6	14/18	131/139
Civil Justice	0.35	-0.03	6/6	18/18	135/139
Criminal Justice	0.31	0.00	6/6	14/18	123/139

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Low Medium High



Afghanistan South Asia Low



# Albania

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

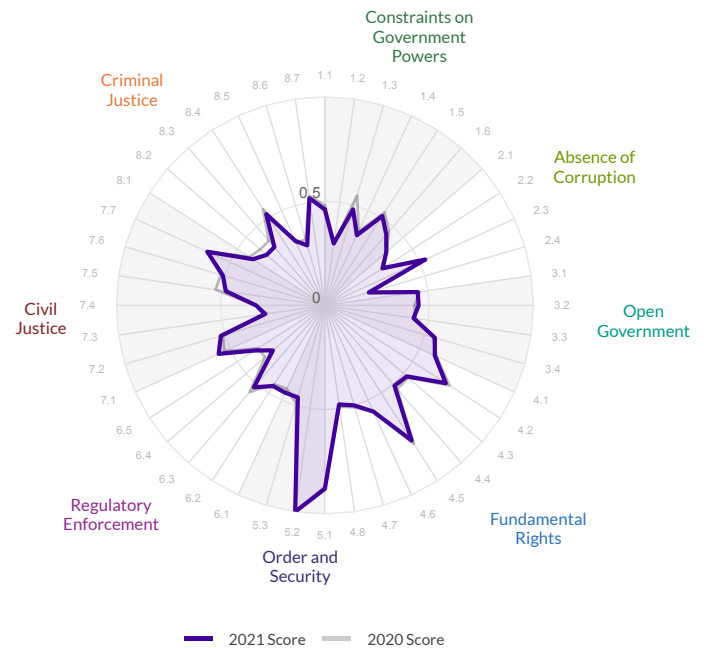
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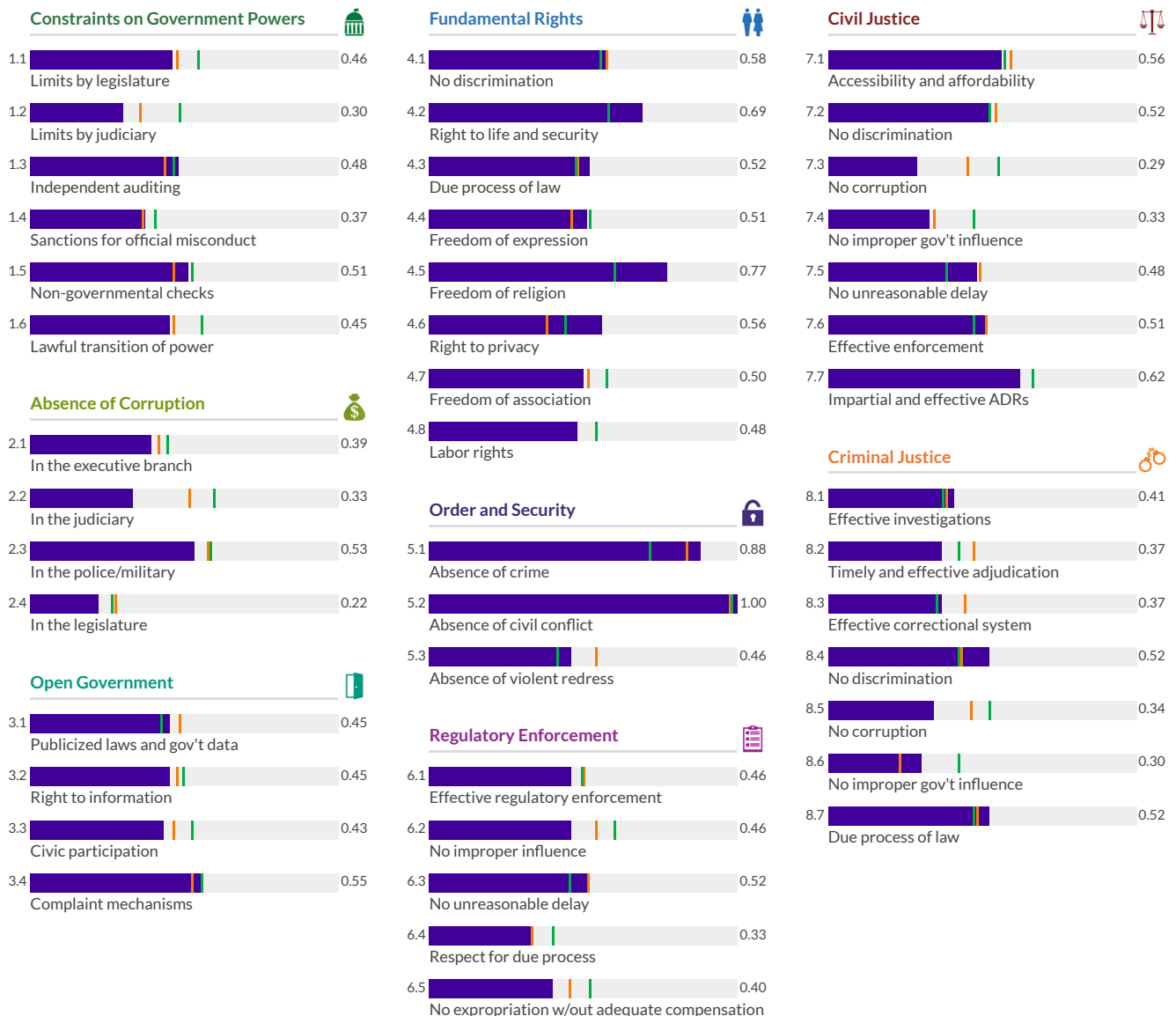
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.43	-0.02	9/14	33/40	109/139
Absence of Corruption	0.37	0.00	11/14	34/40	105/139
Open Government	0.47	0.00	8/14	25/40	82/139
Fundamental Rights	0.58	-0.01	6/14	17/40	66/139
Order and Security	0.78	-0.01	8/14	8/40	47/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.43	-0.01	12/14	35/40	107/139
Civil Justice	0.47	0.00	12/14	30/40	92/139
Criminal Justice	0.40	-0.02	8/14	23/40	80/139

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Low Medium High



Albania Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle



# Algeria

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

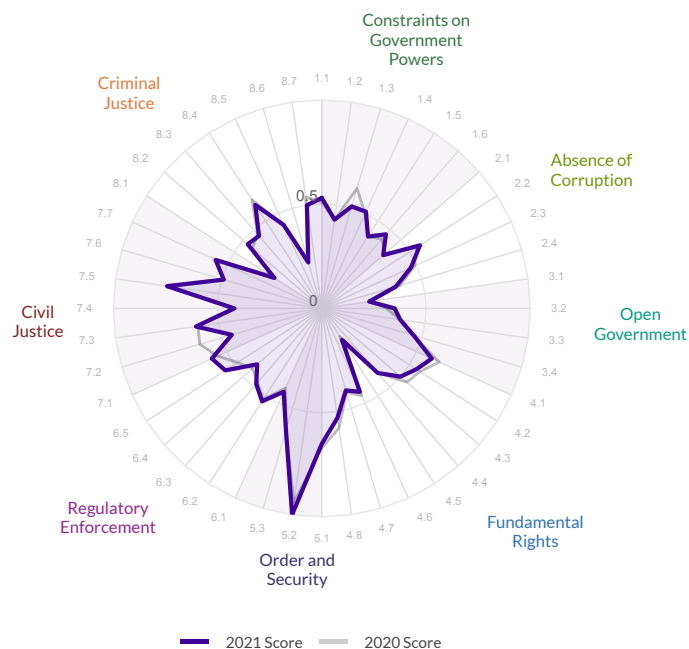
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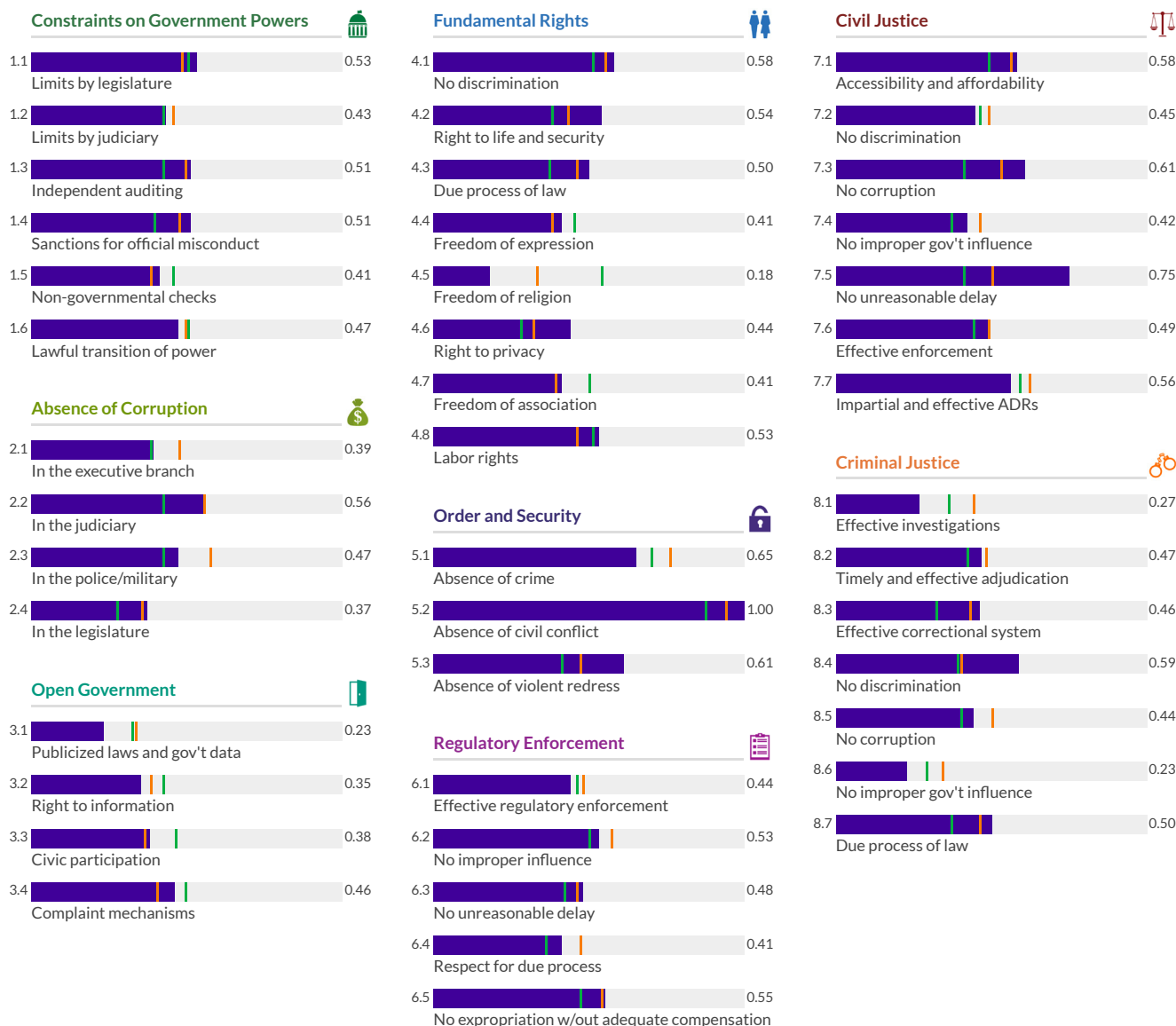
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.48	-0.01	5/8	14/35	88/139
Absence of Corruption	0.45	-0.01	4/8	5/35	74/139
Open Government	0.35	0.01	5/8	30/35	127/139
Fundamental Rights	0.45	-0.02	5/8	16/35	106/139
Order and Security	0.75	0.01	3/8	7/35	62/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	0.02	5/8	11/35	80/139
Civil Justice	0.55	-0.01	3/8	3/35	62/139
Criminal Justice	0.43	-0.01	3/8	8/35	76/139

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Low Medium High



Algeria Middle East and North Africa Lower-Middle



# Angola

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

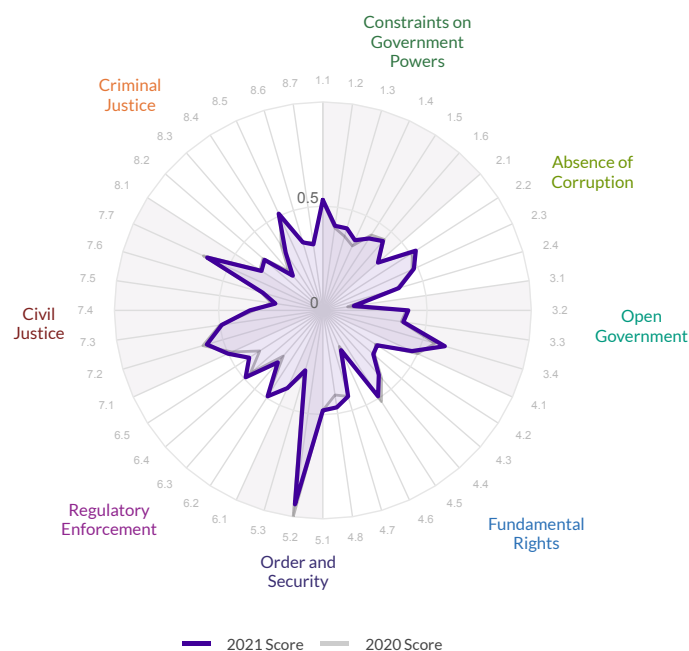
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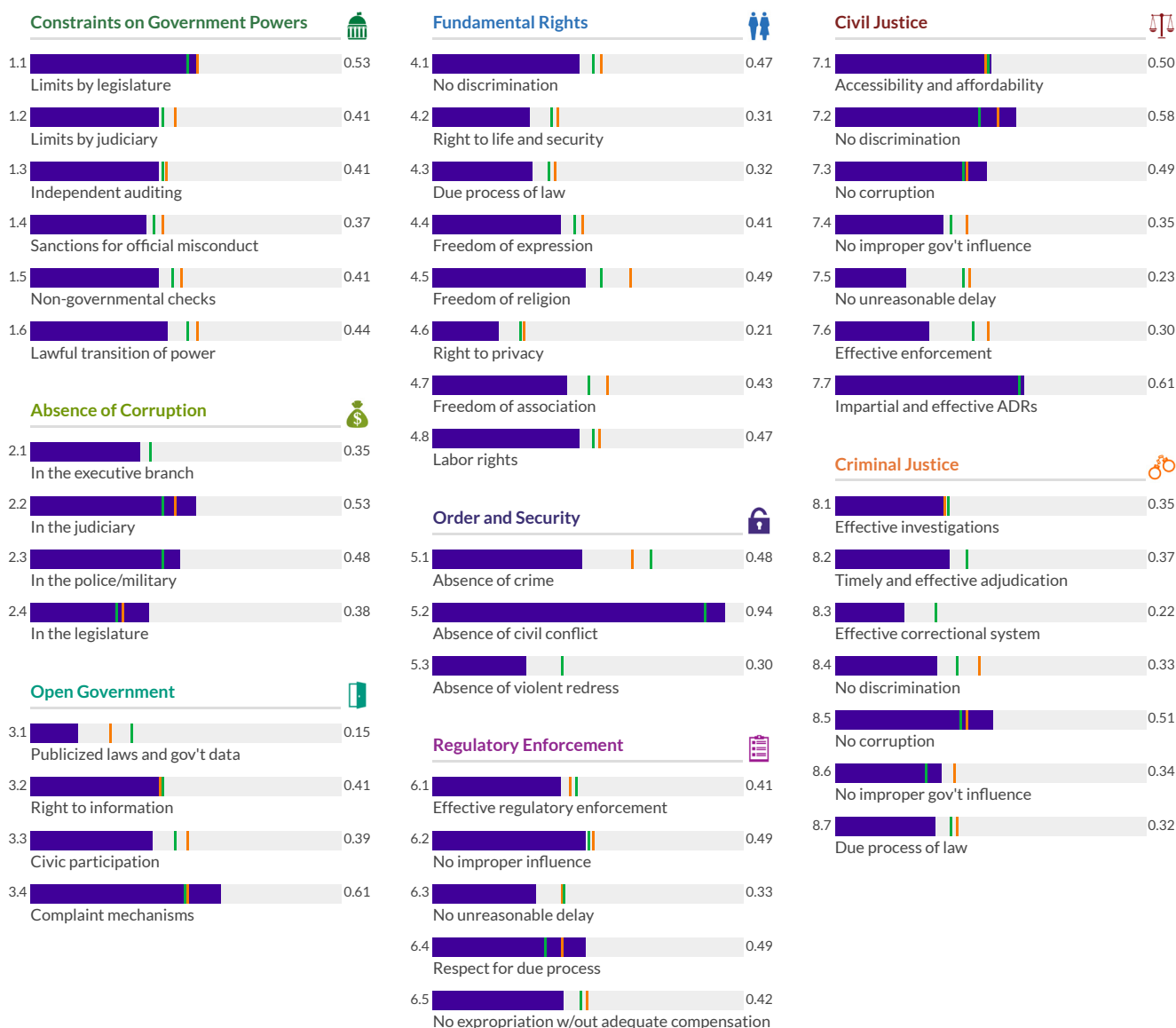
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.43	0.01	21/33	22/35	107/139
Absence of Corruption	0.44	0.01	9/33	8/35	79/139
Open Government	0.39	0.02	16/33	21/35	109/139
Fundamental Rights	0.39	0.00	28/33	27/35	124/139
Order and Security	0.57	-0.03*	26/33	30/35	125/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.43	0.02	20/33	25/35	112/139
Civil Justice	0.44	-0.01	22/33	24/35	112/139
Criminal Justice	0.35	-0.01	24/33	22/35	107/139

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Low Medium High



Angola Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle



# Antigua and Barbuda

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: High

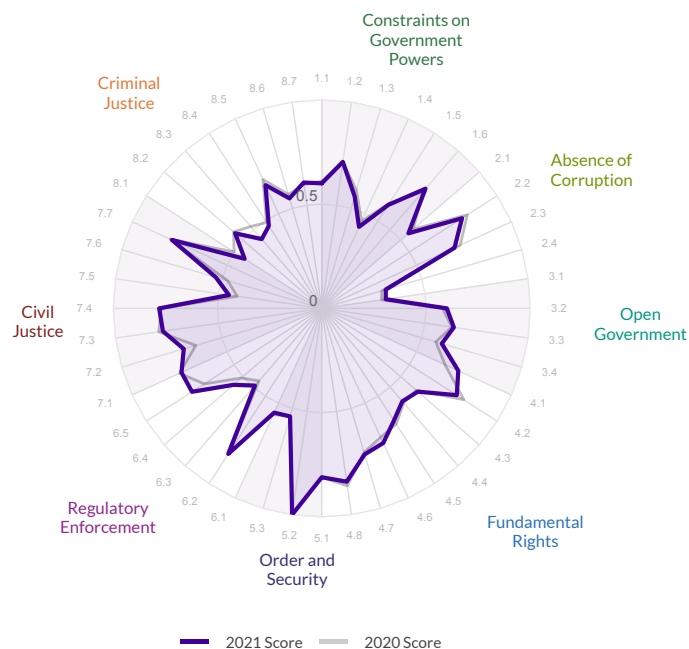
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.63	6/32	37/46	39/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.00	2▲		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.61	-0.01	7/32	37/46	44/139
Absence of Corruption	0.59	-0.01	11/32	38/46	45/139
Open Government	0.54	0.02	13/32	40/46	57/139
Fundamental Rights	0.70	0.01	6/32	32/46	34/139
Order and Security	0.78	0.00	1/32	35/46	45/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.63	0.03	4/32	32/46	33/139
Civil Justice	0.68	0.02	3/32	23/46	24/139
Criminal Justice	0.53	-0.03	10/32	40/46	49/139

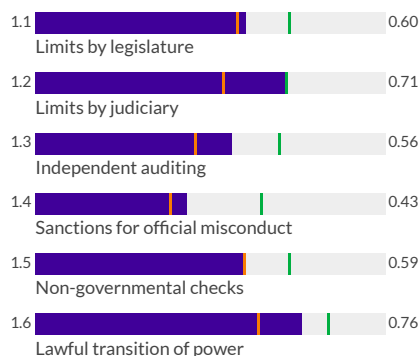
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Low Medium High

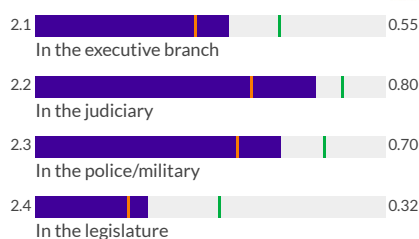


Antigua and Barbuda Latin America and Caribbean High

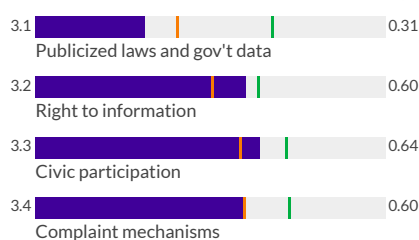
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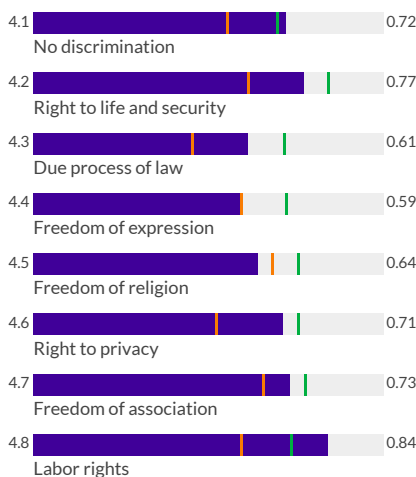
## Absence of Corruption



## Open Government



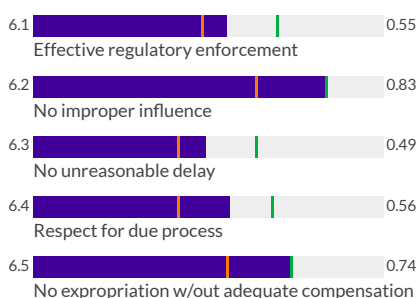
## Fundamental Rights



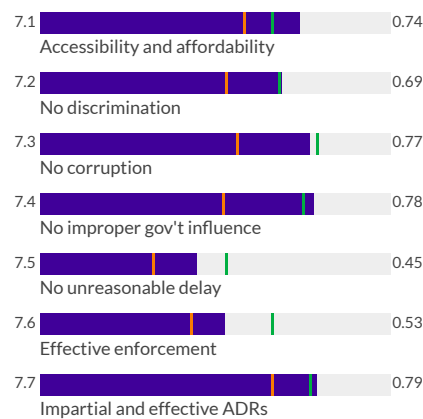
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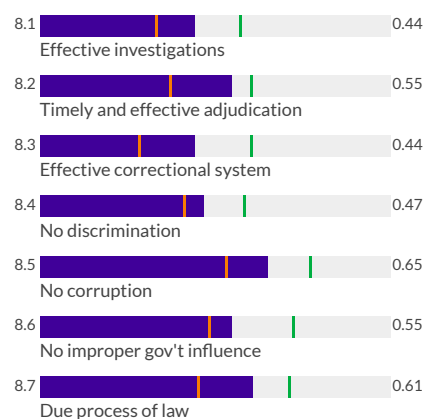
## Regulatory Enforcement



## Civil Justice



## Criminal Justice



# Argentina

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

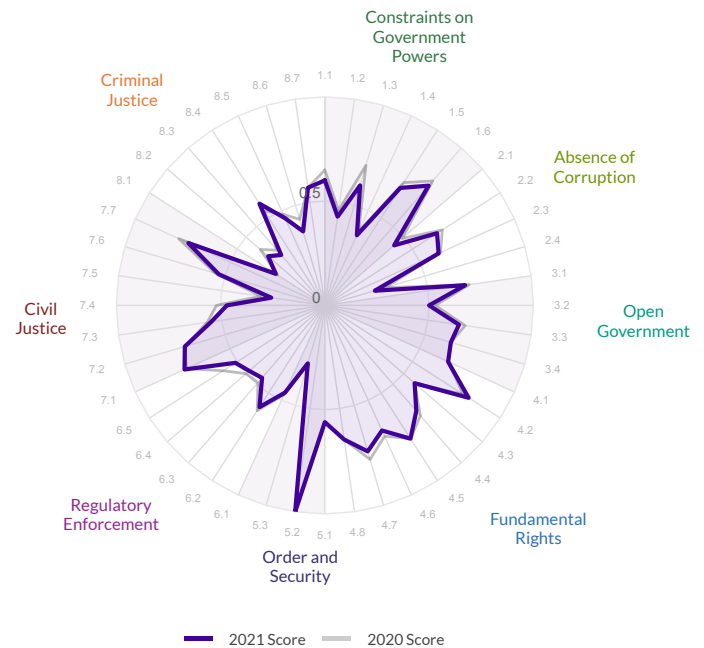
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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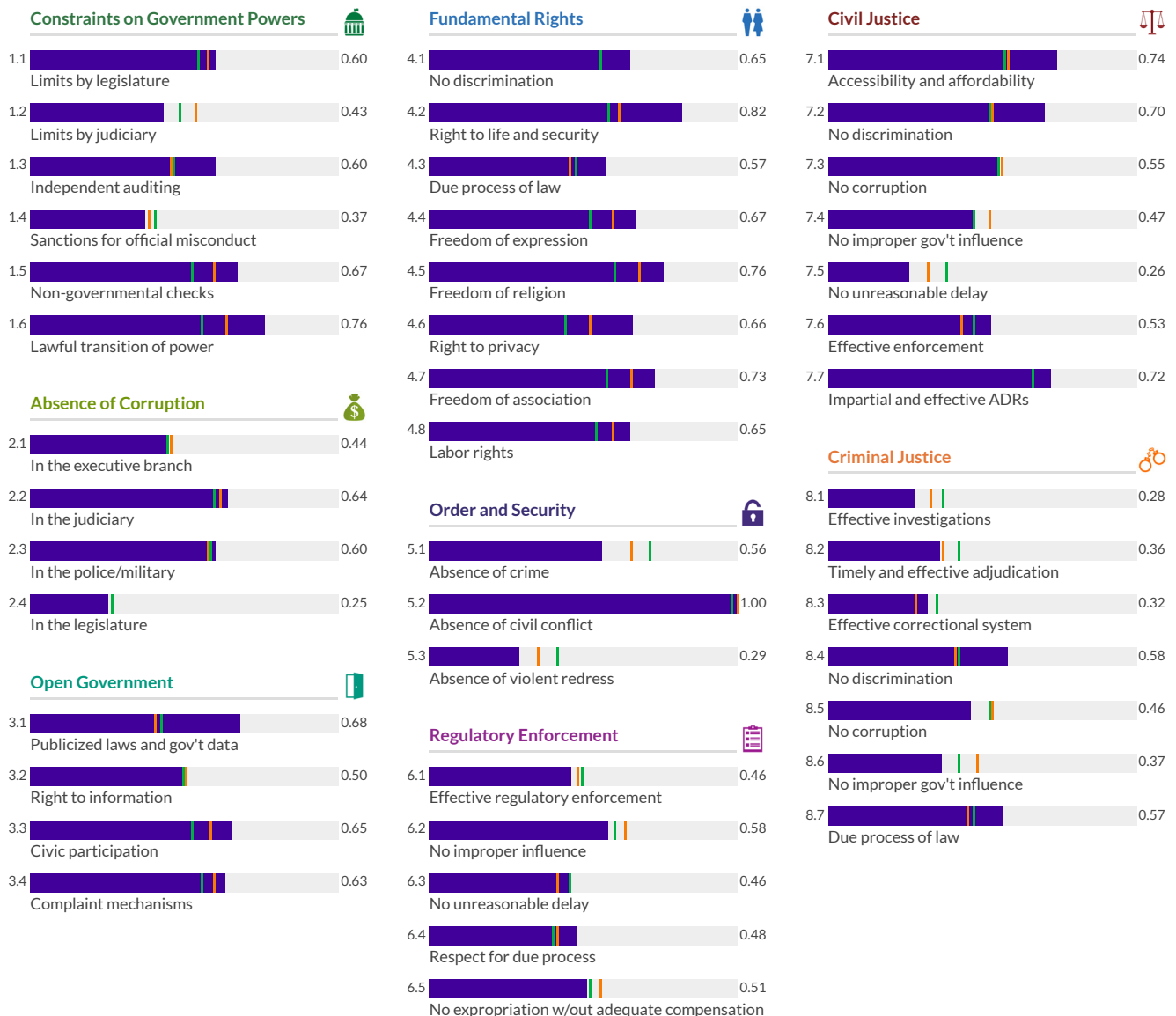
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.57	-0.04*	12/32	10/40	57/139
Absence of Corruption	0.48	-0.03*	14/32	15/40	63/139
Open Government	0.62	-0.02	5/32	4/40	36/139
Fundamental Rights	0.69	-0.01	8/32	3/40	36/139
Order and Security	0.62	0.00	25/32	34/40	115/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.50	-0.03*	17/32	17/40	71/139
Civil Justice	0.57	-0.03*	11/32	12/40	55/139
Criminal Justice	0.42	-0.01	14/32	22/40	77/139

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Low Medium High



Argentina Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle











# Australia

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: High

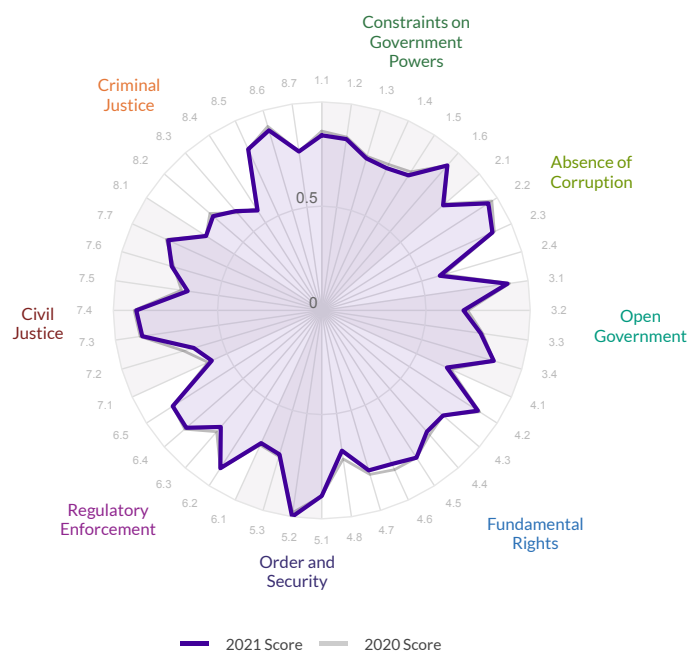
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0.79	2/15	13/46	13/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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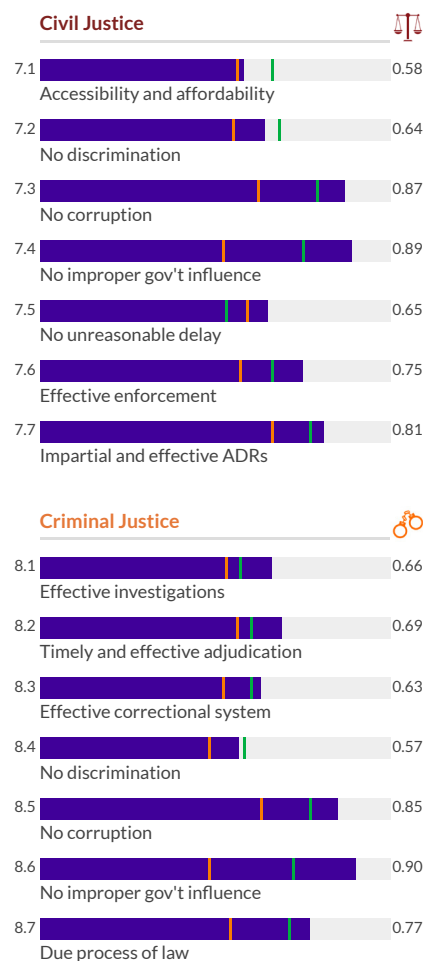
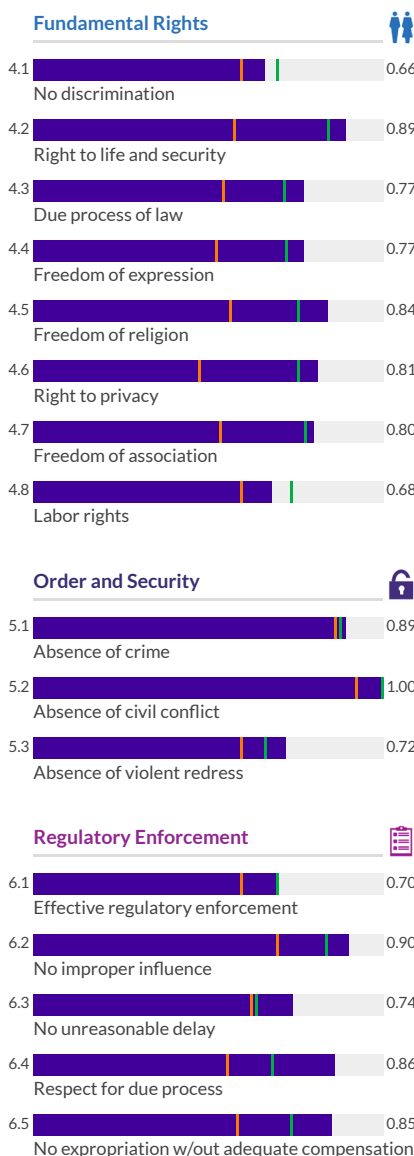
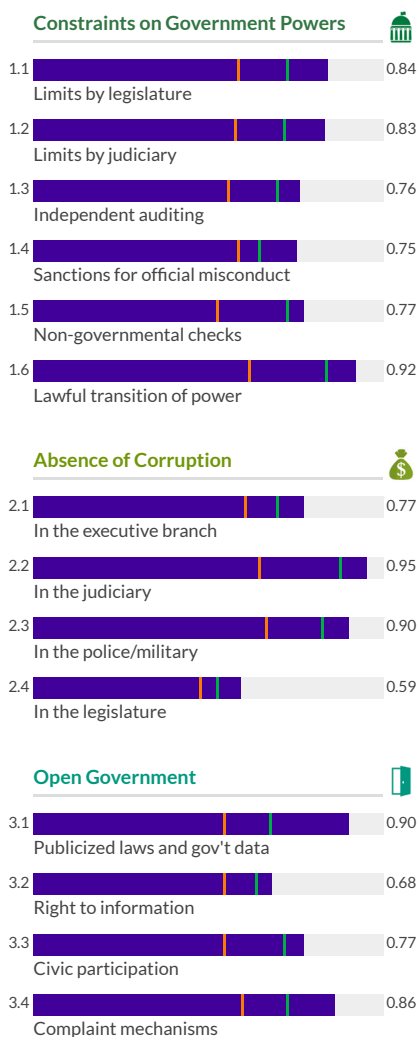
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.81	-0.01	2/15	15/46	15/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.81	-0.01	5/15	15/46	15/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.80	-0.01	2/15	8/46	8/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.78	-0.02	3/15	19/46	20/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.87	0.01	5/15	22/46	23/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.81	-0.01	3/15	11/46	11/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.74	-0.02	6/15	17/46	17/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.72	-0.01	4/15	14/46	14/139

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Low Medium High



Australia East Asia and Pacific High











# Austria

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

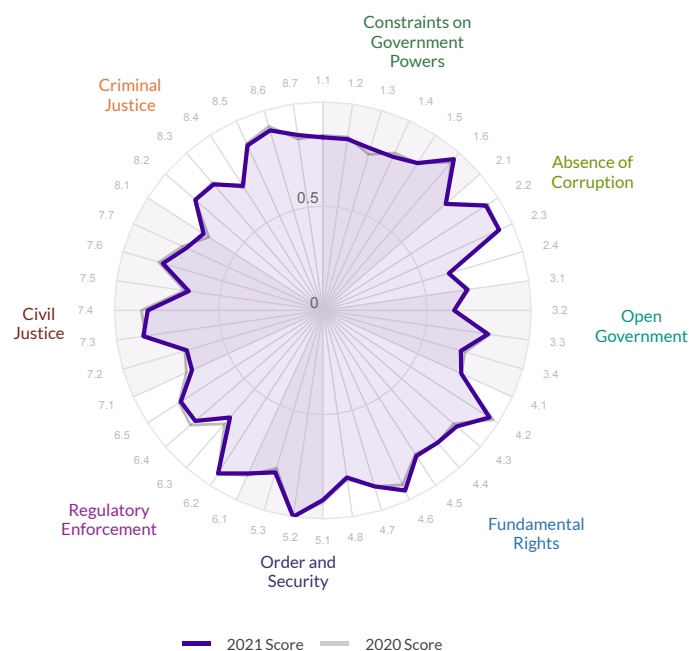
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.81	8/31	9/46	9/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.00	0		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.85	0.00	7/31	8/46	8/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.82	0.00	10/31	14/46	14/139
 Open Government	0.70	-0.01	17/31	22/46	22/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.85	0.00	5/31	5/46	5/139
 Order and Security	0.91	0.00	8/31	12/46	12/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.82	-0.02	8/31	10/46	10/139
 Civil Justice	0.75	-0.02	11/31	15/46	15/139
 Criminal Justice	0.80	0.00	4/31	4/46	4/139

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Low Medium High



— Austria — EU, EFTA, and North America — High

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature
1.2	Limits by judiciary
1.3	Independent auditing
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct
1.5	Non-governmental checks
1.6	Lawful transition of power
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch
2.2	In the judiciary
2.3	In the police/military
2.4	In the legislature
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data
3.2	Right to information
3.3	Civic participation
3.4	Complaint mechanisms

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination
4.2	Right to life and security
4.3	Due process of law
4.4	Freedom of expression
4.5	Freedom of religion
4.6	Right to privacy
4.7	Freedom of association
4.8	Labor rights
Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime
5.2	Absence of civil conflict
5.3	Absence of violent redress
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement
6.2	No improper influence
6.3	No unreasonable delay
6.4	Respect for due process
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation

Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability
7.2	No discrimination
7.3	No corruption
7.4	No improper gov't influence
7.5	No unreasonable delay
7.6	Effective enforcement
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication
8.3	Effective correctional system
8.4	No discrimination
8.5	No corruption
8.6	No improper gov't influence
8.7	Due process of law

# The Bahamas

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: High

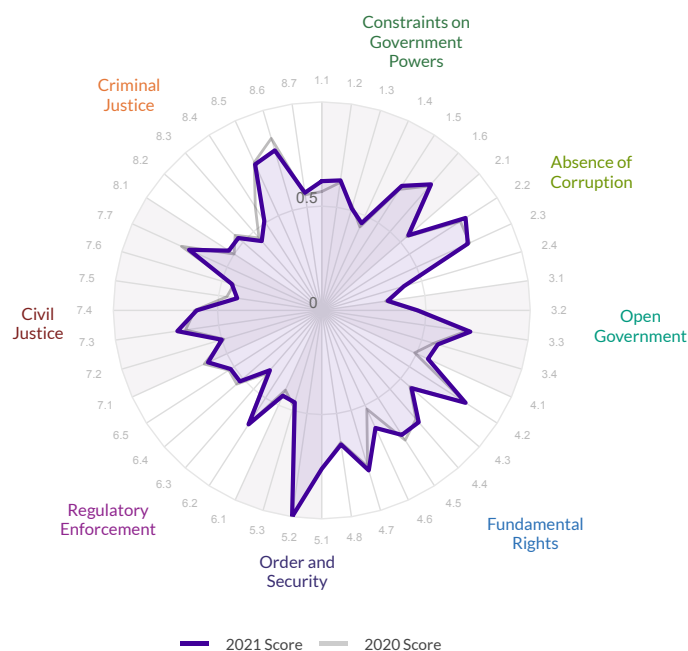
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0.61	9/32	42/46	47/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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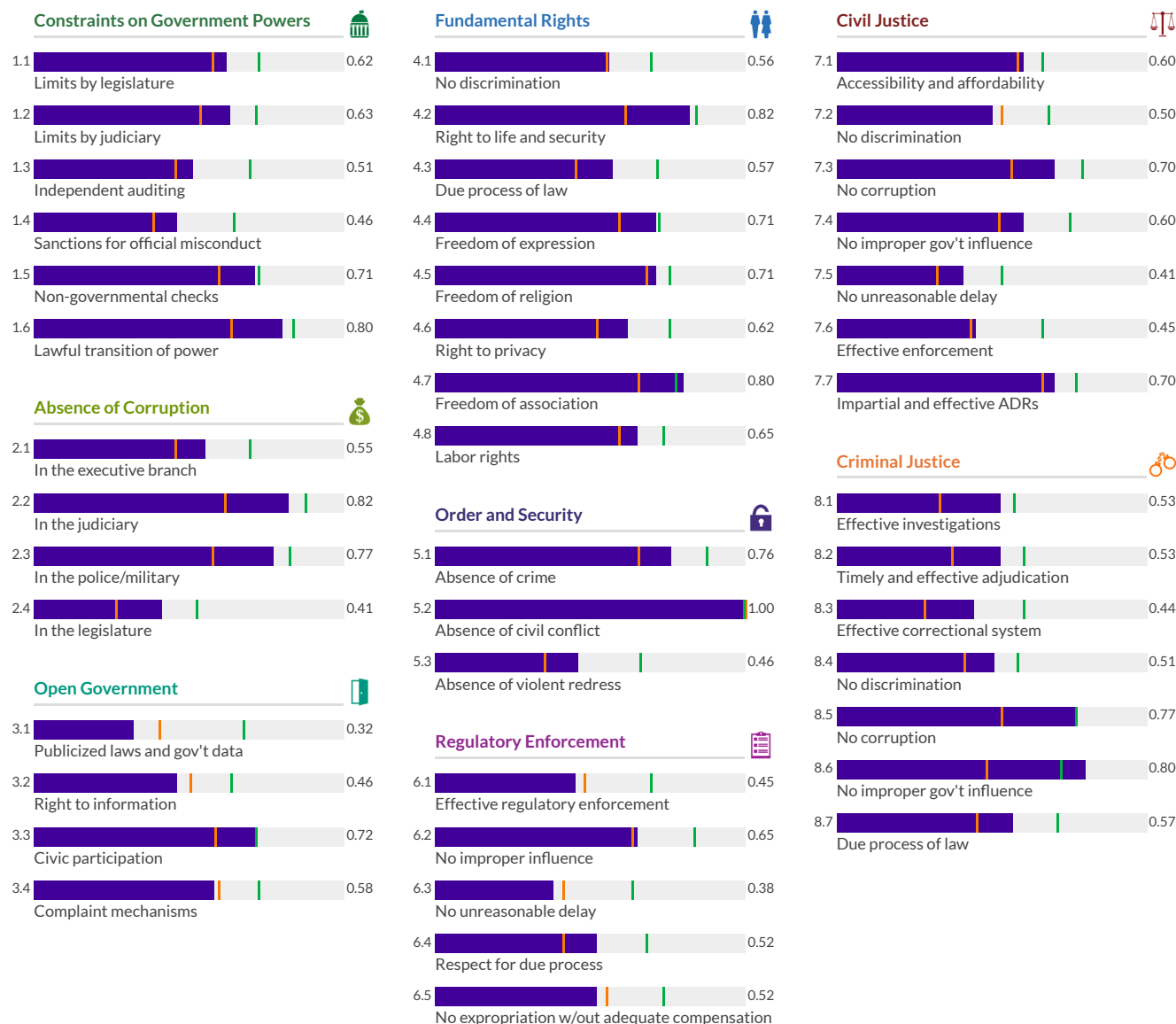
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.62	0.02	6/32	35/46	41/139
Absence of Corruption	0.64	0.01	8/32	36/46	41/139
Open Government	0.52	0.01	17/32	42/46	63/139
Fundamental Rights	0.68	0.02	9/32	34/46	37/139
Order and Security	0.74	-0.01	7/32	41/46	68/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.50	0.00	15/32	45/46	67/139
Civil Justice	0.57	-0.01	12/32	43/46	57/139
Criminal Justice	0.60	-0.02	2/32	30/46	31/139

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Low Medium High



The Bahamas Latin America and Caribbean High



# Bangladesh

Region: South Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

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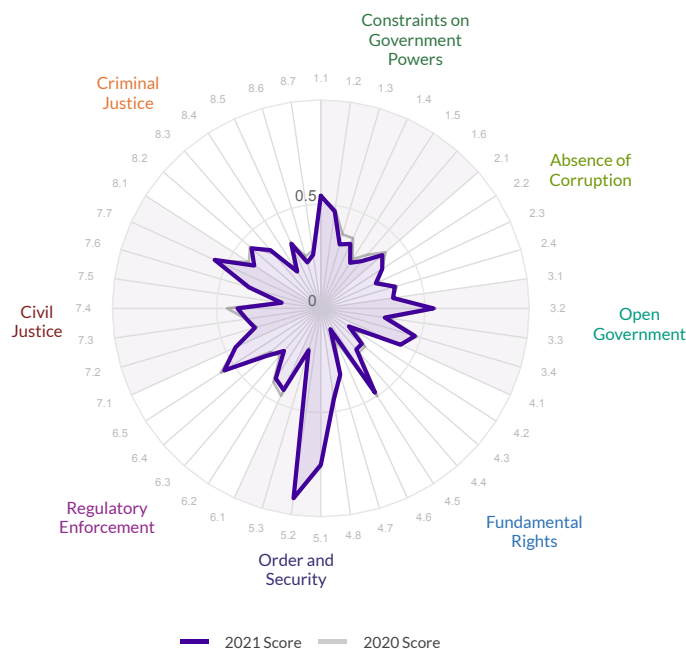
Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.40	4/6	25/35	124/139

Score Change	Rank Change
-0.01 ▼	1 ▲

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.37	-0.02	6/6	28/35	125/139
Absence of Corruption	0.35	-0.01	4/6	21/35	112/139
Open Government	0.42	-0.01	5/6	19/35	102/139
Fundamental Rights	0.31	-0.02	6/6	33/35	134/139
Order and Security	0.63	0.00	2/6	26/35	111/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.40	-0.01	4/6	28/35	122/139
Civil Justice	0.38	0.00	5/6	30/35	129/139
Criminal Justice	0.32	-0.02	5/6	25/35	117/139

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Low Medium High



— Bangladesh — South Asia — Lower-Middle









<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.54</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.47</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.32</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.34</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.26</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.30</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.42</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.16</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.26</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.26</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.48</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.11</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.33</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.44</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.45</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.33</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.36</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.40</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.19</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.36</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.56</li> </ul>
<b>Absence of Corruption</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2.1 In the executive branch 0.39</li> <li>2.2 In the judiciary 0.35</li> <li>2.3 In the police/military 0.29</li> <li>2.4 In the legislature 0.37</li> </ul>	<b>Order and Security</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Absence of crime 0.75</li> <li>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 0.92</li> <li>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.21</li> </ul>	<b>Criminal Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Effective investigations 0.38</li> <li>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.44</li> <li>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.37</li> <li>8.4 No discrimination 0.21</li> <li>8.5 No corruption 0.34</li> <li>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.23</li> <li>8.7 Due process of law 0.26</li> </ul>
<b>Open Government</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.35</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.54</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.31</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.47</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.43</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.40</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.27</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.35</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.55</li> </ul>	

# Barbados

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Income Group: High

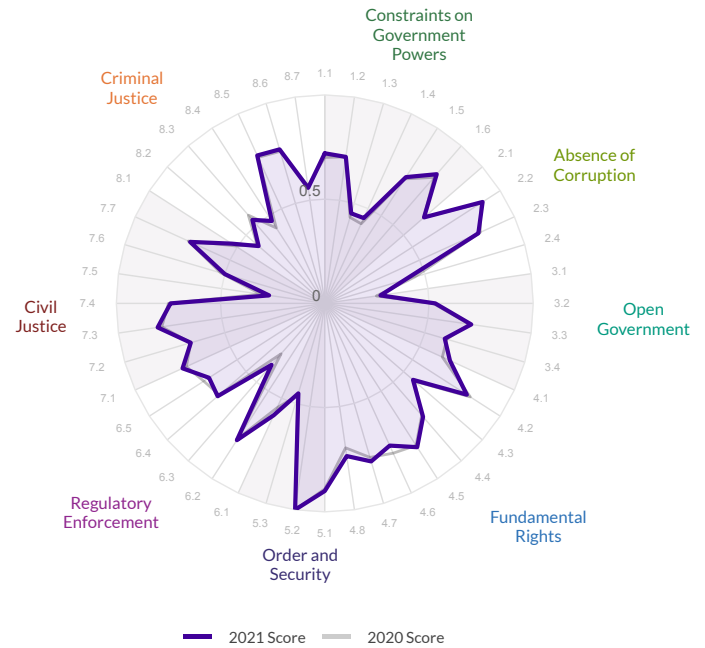
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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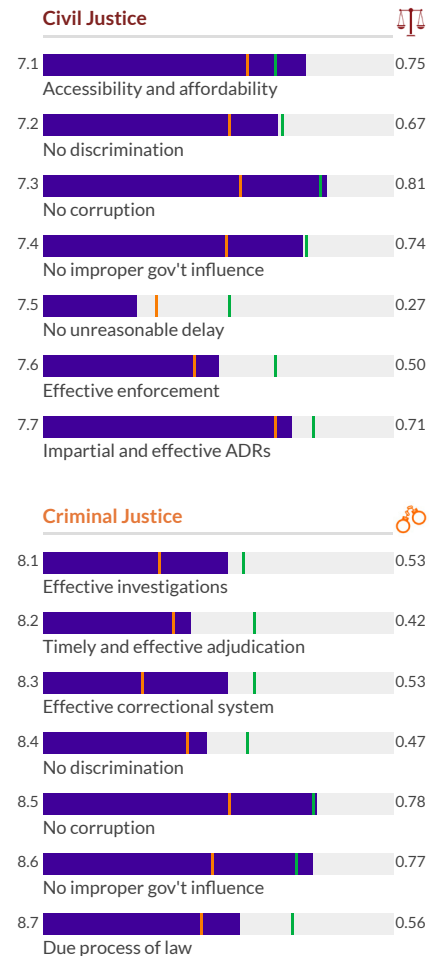
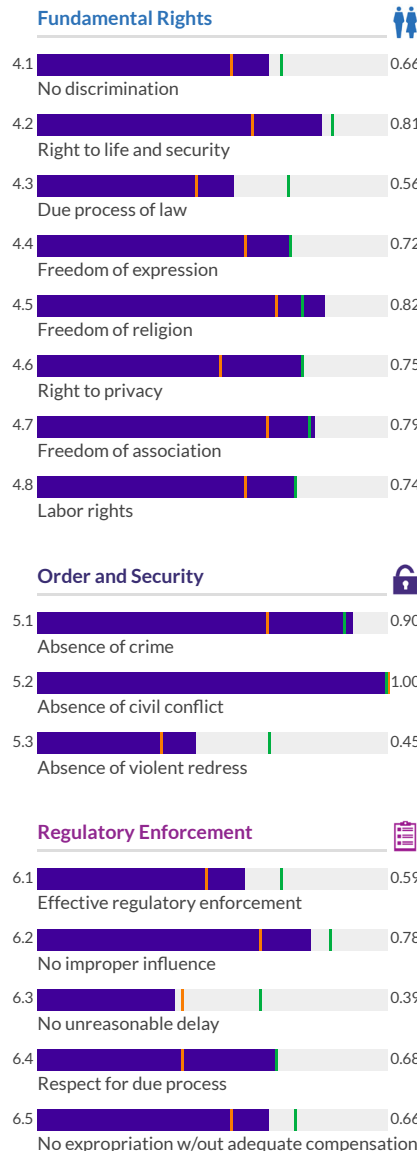
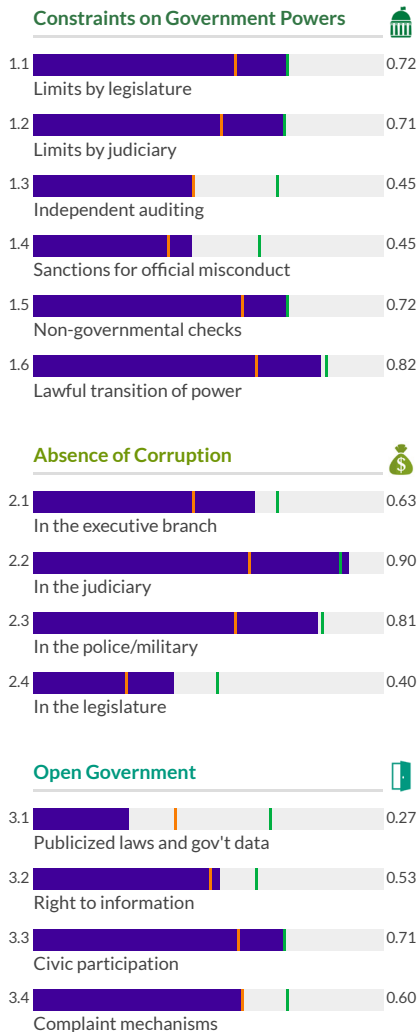
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.64	0.02	4/32	34/46	38/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.69	-0.01	4/32	28/46	29/139
 Open Government	0.53	0.01	15/32	41/46	60/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.73	0.00	3/32	28/46	29/139
 Order and Security	0.78	0.00	2/32	36/46	46/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.62	0.02	5/32	34/46	35/139
 Civil Justice	0.64	-0.01	5/32	31/46	35/139
 Criminal Justice	0.58	0.00	4/32	34/46	36/139

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Low Medium High



Barbados Latin America and Caribbean High



# Belarus

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

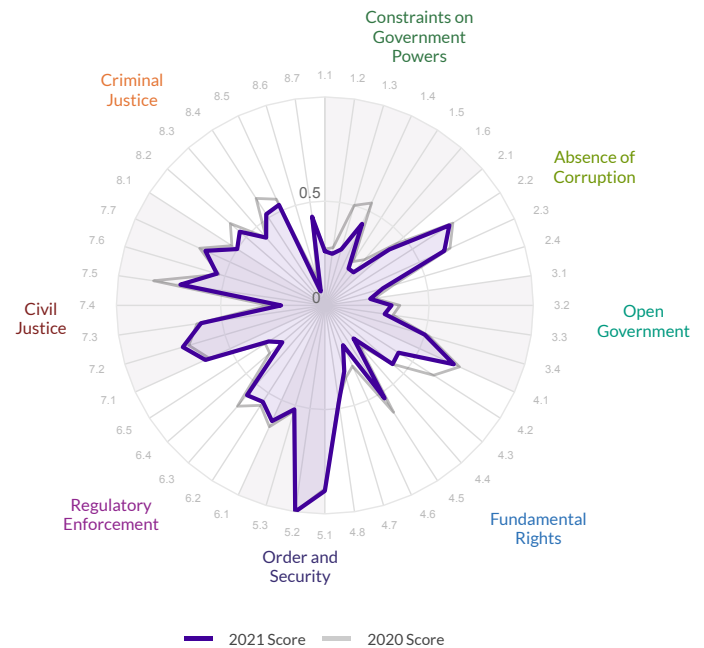
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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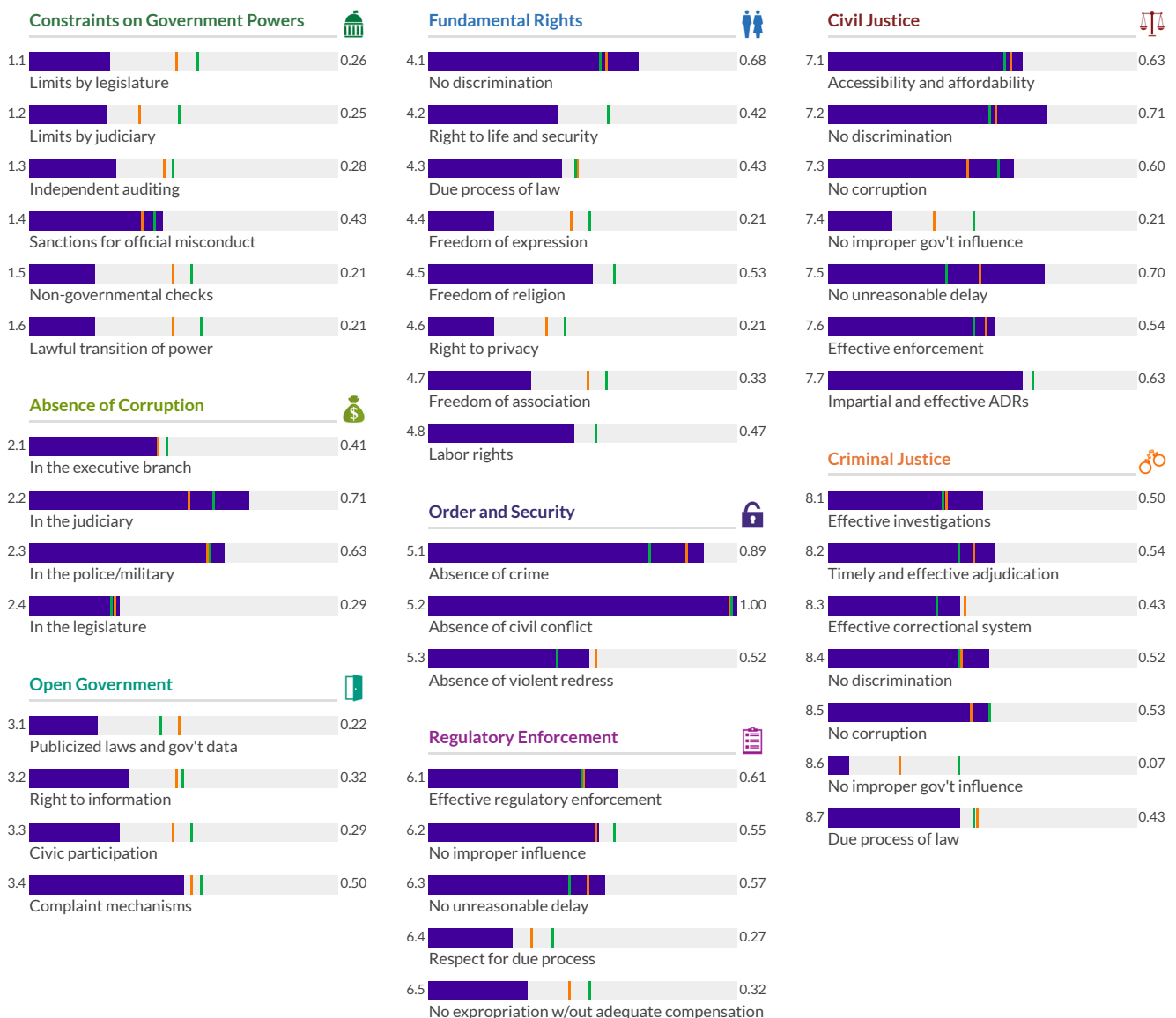
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.27	-0.08*	14/14	39/40	136/139
Absence of Corruption	0.51	-0.03*	2/14	13/40	57/139
Open Government	0.33	-0.03*	14/14	38/40	130/139
Fundamental Rights	0.41	-0.06*	13/14	36/40	116/139
Order and Security	0.80	0.00	4/14	3/40	39/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.46	-0.04*	8/14	28/40	93/139
Civil Justice	0.57	-0.03*	2/14	11/40	52/139
Criminal Justice	0.43	-0.04	7/14	20/40	74/139

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Low Medium High



Belarus Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle











# Belgium

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

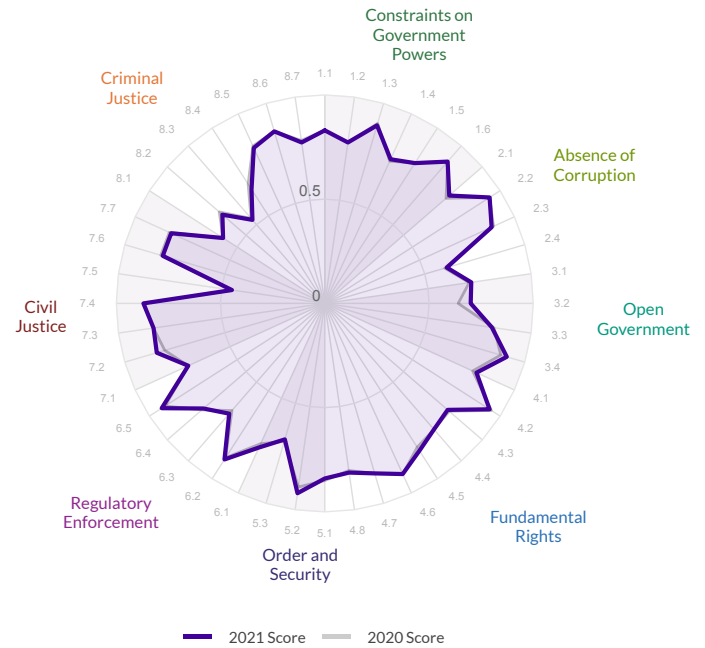
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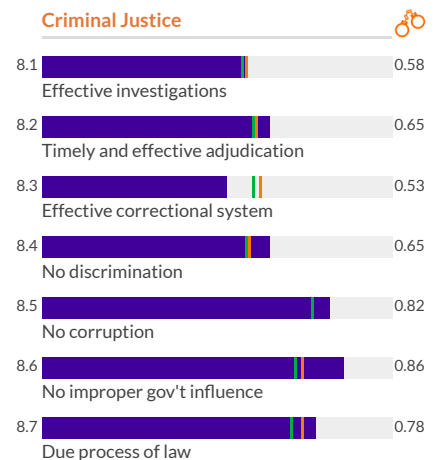
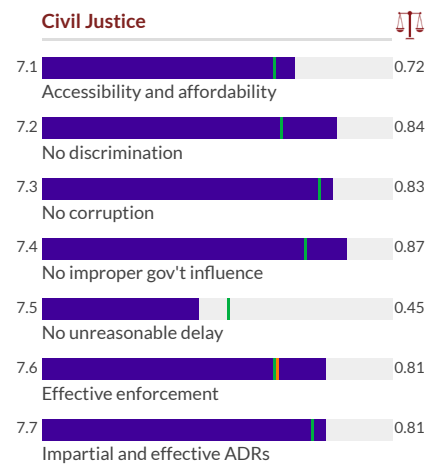
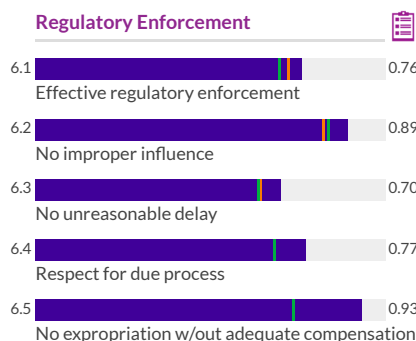
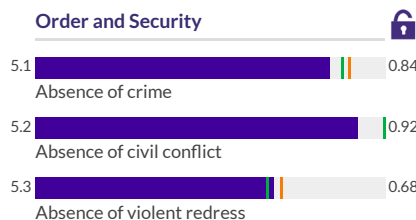
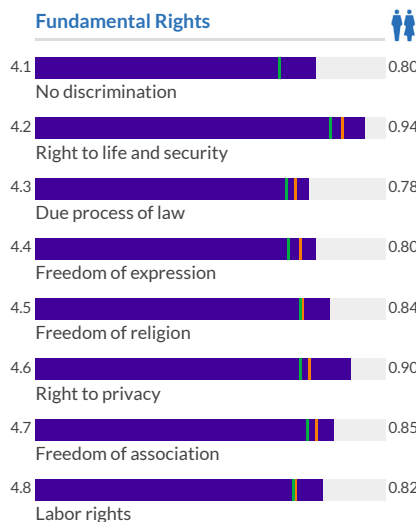
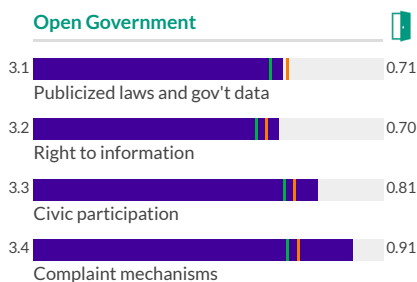
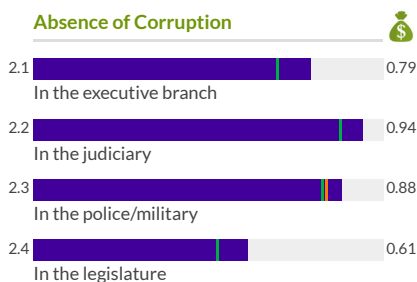
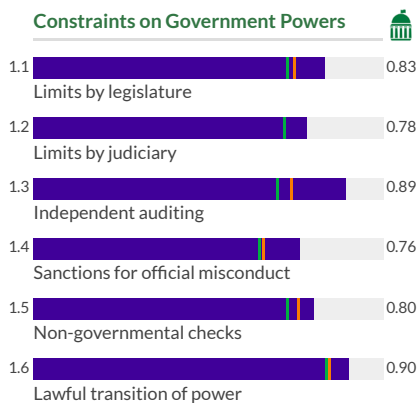
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 Open Government	0.78	0.02	12/31	14/46	14/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.84	0.00	9/31	9/46	9/139
 Order and Security	0.81	0.00	24/31	31/46	34/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.81	0.01	9/31	12/46	12/139
 Civil Justice	0.76	0.00	10/31	14/46	14/139
 Criminal Justice	0.70	-0.01	15/31	21/46	21/139

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Low Medium High



Belgium EU, EFTA, and North America High



# Belize

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

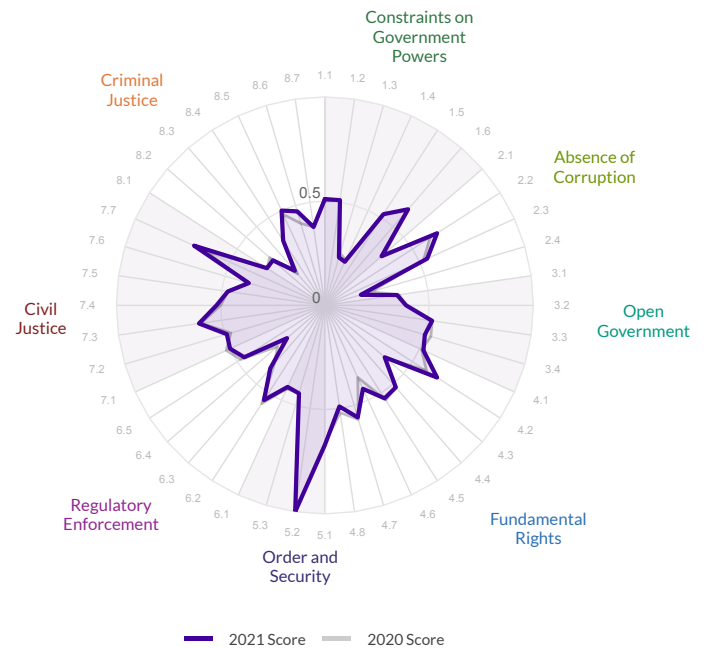
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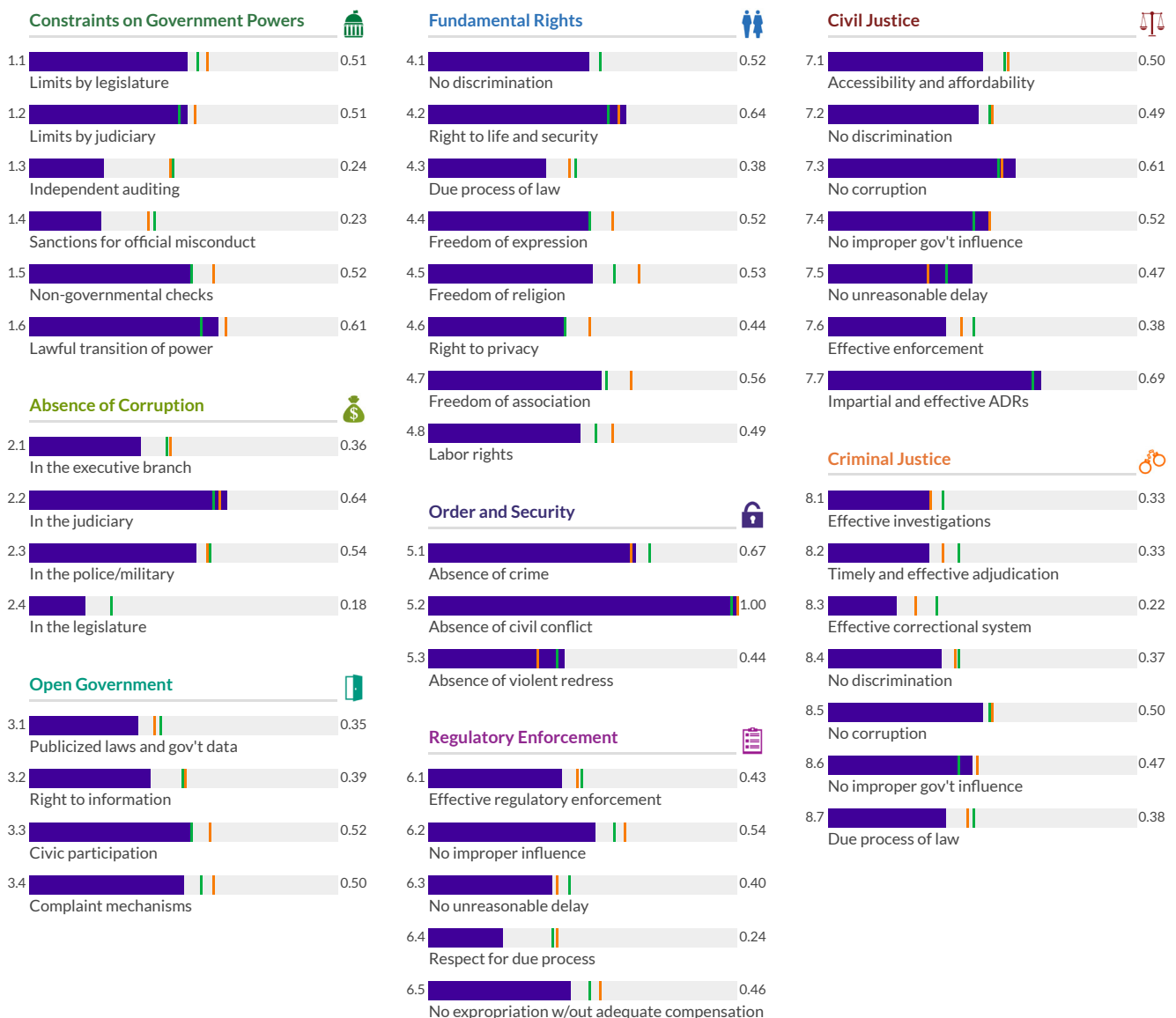
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Absence of Corruption	0.43	-0.01	18/32	26/40	85/139
Open Government	0.44	-0.01	25/32	30/40	94/139
Fundamental Rights	0.51	0.01	23/32	25/40	83/139
Order and Security	0.70	0.00	11/32	22/40	81/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.41	-0.02	26/32	37/40	116/139
Civil Justice	0.52	0.01	16/32	21/40	73/139
Criminal Justice	0.37	0.01	16/32	27/40	93/139

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Low Medium High



— Belize — Latin America and Caribbean — Upper-Middle











# Benin

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

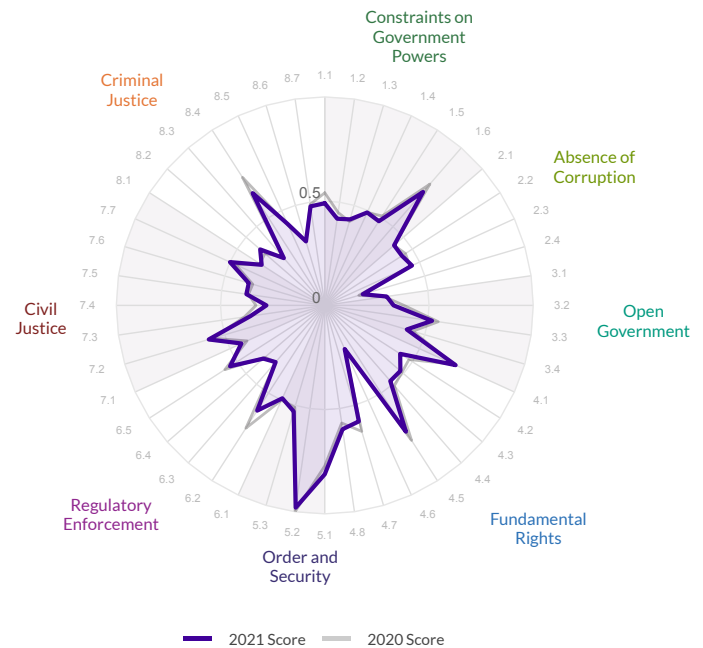
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.49	11/33	14/35	91/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▼	-3 ▼		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.50	-0.03	12/33	10/35	78/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.38	0.00	17/33	16/35	103/139
 Open Government	0.39	-0.02	17/33	22/35	110/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.53	-0.02	9/33	8/35	78/139
 Order and Security	0.77	0.01	2/33	4/35	52/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	-0.03	13/33	14/35	86/139
 Civil Justice	0.42	0.00	27/33	25/35	120/139
 Criminal Justice	0.42	-0.01	10/33	9/35	78/139

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Low Medium High



Benin Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	0.49		4.1	0.69		7.1	0.44	
Limits by legislature			No discrimination			Accessibility and affordability		
1.2	0.42		4.2	0.43		7.2	0.58	
Limits by judiciary			Right to life and security			No discrimination		
1.3	0.43		4.3	0.48		7.3	0.36	
Independent auditing			Due process of law			No corruption		
1.4	0.49		4.4	0.48		7.4	0.28	
Sanctions for official misconduct			Freedom of expression			No improper gov't influence		
1.5	0.48		4.5	0.72		7.5	0.38	
Non-governmental checks			Freedom of religion			No unreasonable delay		
1.6	0.72		4.6	0.23		7.6	0.38	
Lawful transition of power			Right to privacy			Effective enforcement		
Absence of Corruption			Order and Security			Criminal Justice		
2.1	0.44		4.7	0.58		8.1	0.36	
In the executive branch			Freedom of association			Effective investigations		
2.2	0.44		4.8	0.60		8.2	0.41	
In the judiciary			Labor rights			Timely and effective adjudication		
2.3	0.46		Regulatory Enforcement			8.3	0.30	
In the police/military			5.1	0.81		Effective correctional system		
2.4	0.19		5.2	0.98		8.4	0.64	
In the legislature			Absence of crime			No discrimination		
Open Government			5.3	0.53		8.5	0.43	
3.1	0.30		Absence of civil conflict			No corruption		
Publicized laws and gov't data			Absence of violent redress			No improper gov't influence		
3.2	0.33		Criminal Justice			8.6	0.32	
Right to information			6.1	0.49		Due process of law		
3.3	0.52		Effective regulatory enforcement					
Civic participation			6.2	0.60				
3.4	0.41		No improper influence					
Complaint mechanisms			6.3	0.36				
			No unreasonable delay					
			6.4	0.39				
			Respect for due process					
			6.5	0.54				
			No expropriation w/out adequate compensation					

# Bolivia

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

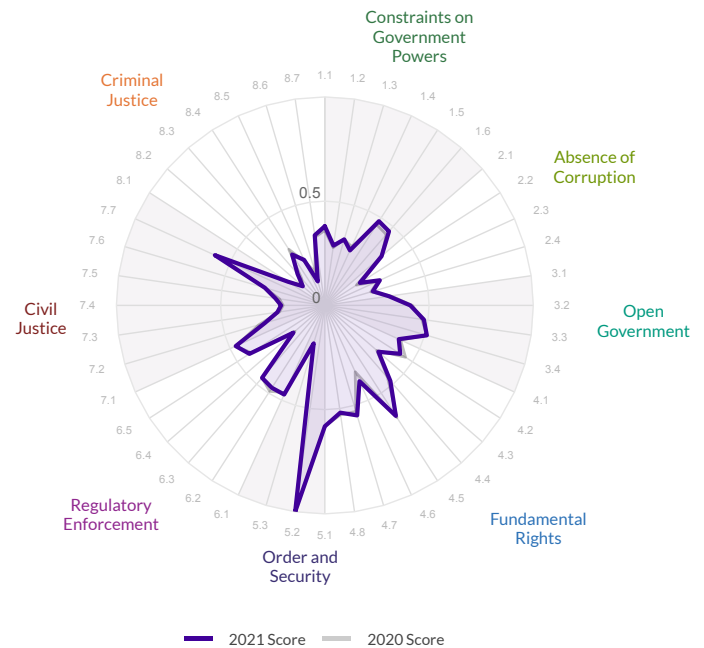
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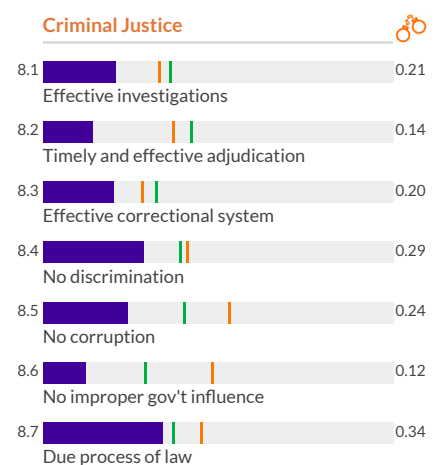
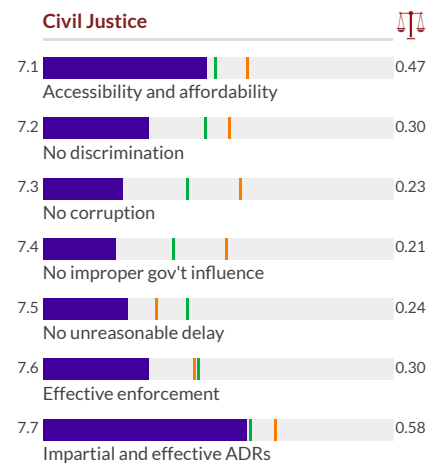
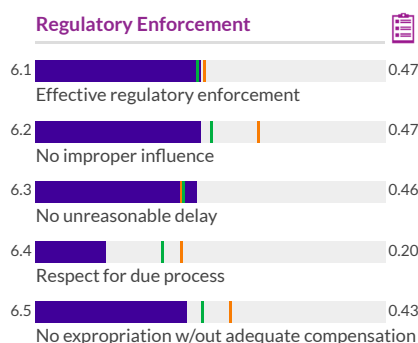
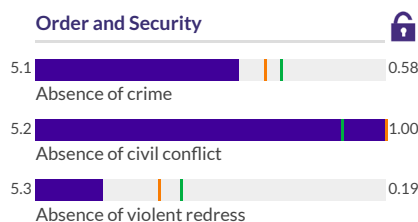
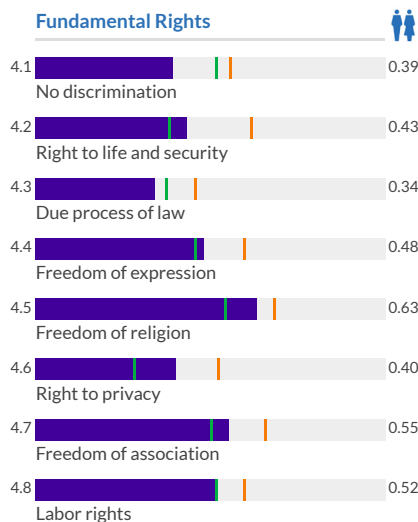
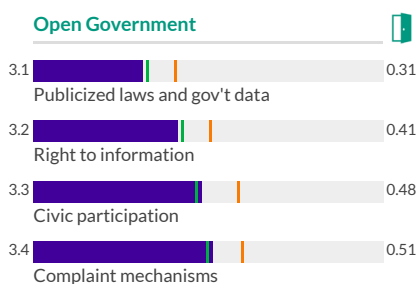
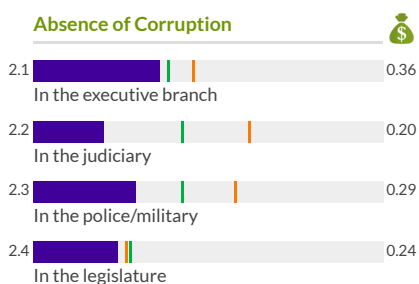
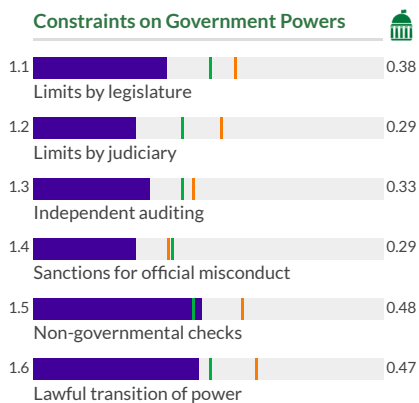
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.37	0.01	29/32	27/35	124/139
Absence of Corruption	0.27	0.01	31/32	32/35	131/139
Open Government	0.43	0.00	27/32	16/35	98/139
Fundamental Rights	0.47	0.00	28/32	13/35	100/139
Order and Security	0.59	0.00	28/32	29/35	124/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.41	0.00	28/32	26/35	118/139
Civil Justice	0.33	0.01	31/32	34/35	137/139
Criminal Justice	0.22	0.00	31/32	35/35	138/139

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Low Medium High



— Bolivia — Latin America and Caribbean — Lower-Middle











# Bosnia and Herzegovina

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

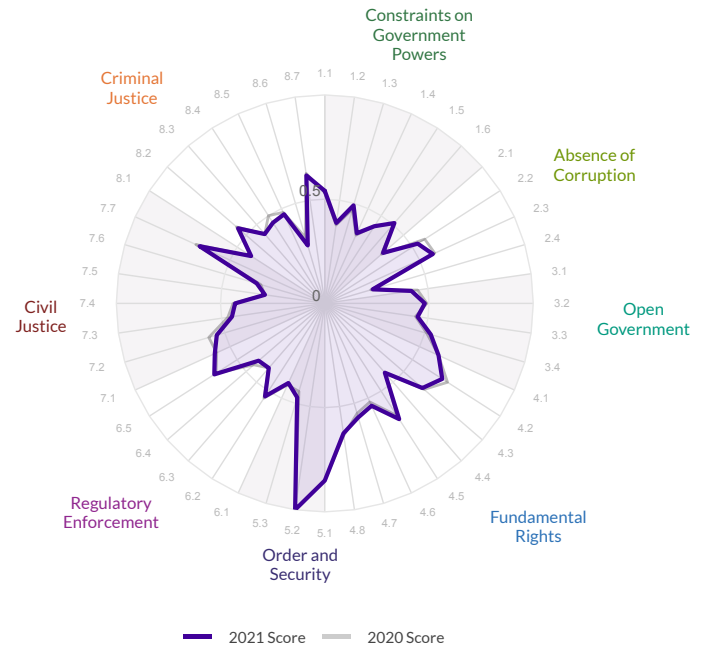
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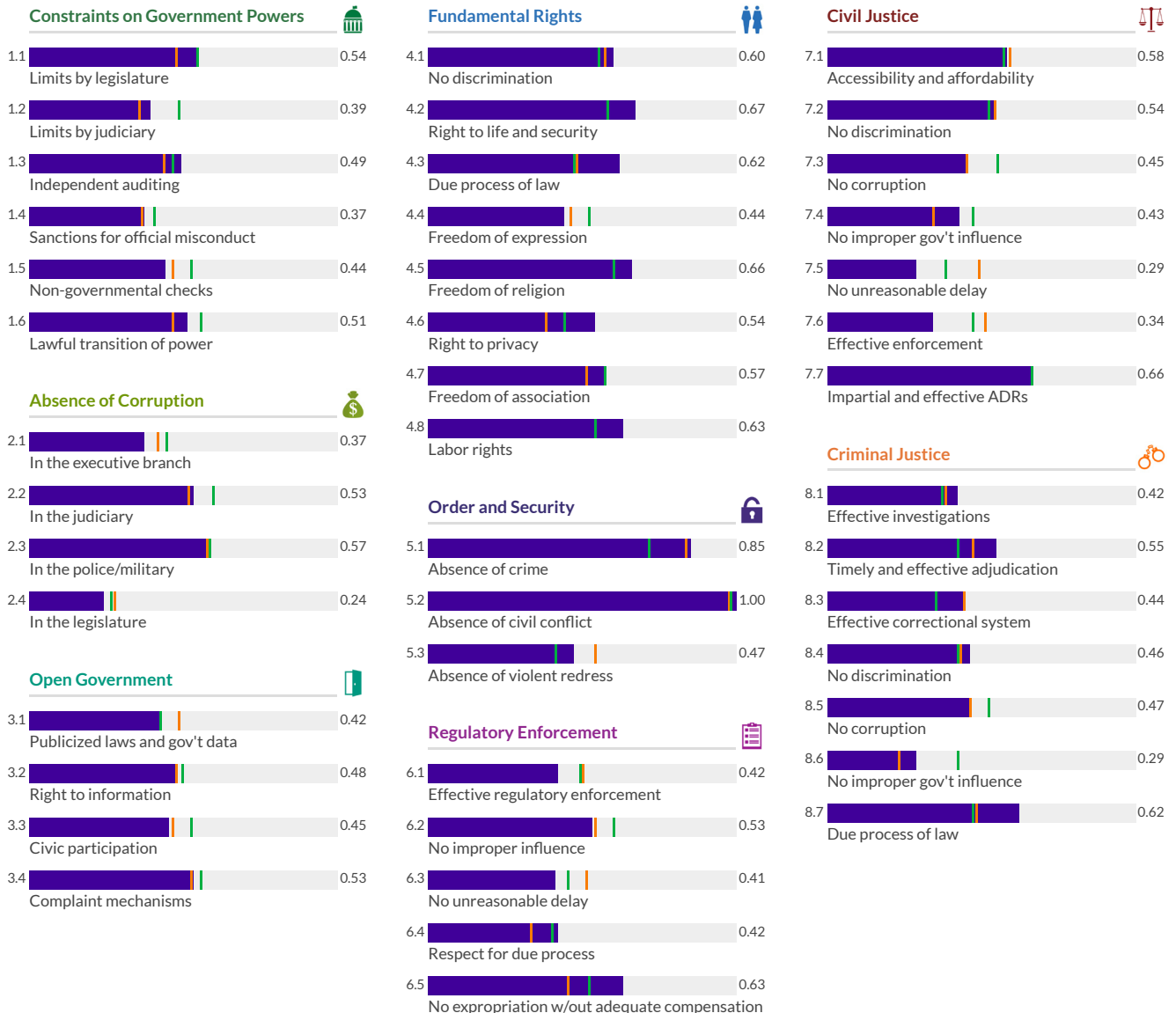
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 Absence of Corruption	0.42	-0.01	9/14	27/40	87/139
 Open Government	0.47	0.00	9/14	26/40	83/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.59	0.00	5/14	15/40	61/139
 Order and Security	0.78	0.01	9/14	9/40	48/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	-0.01	3/14	21/40	79/139
 Civil Justice	0.47	-0.01	13/14	31/40	95/139
 Criminal Justice	0.46	-0.02	3/14	15/40	62/139

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Low Medium High



— Bosnia and Herzegovina — Eastern Europe and Central Asia — Upper-Middle



# Botswana

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

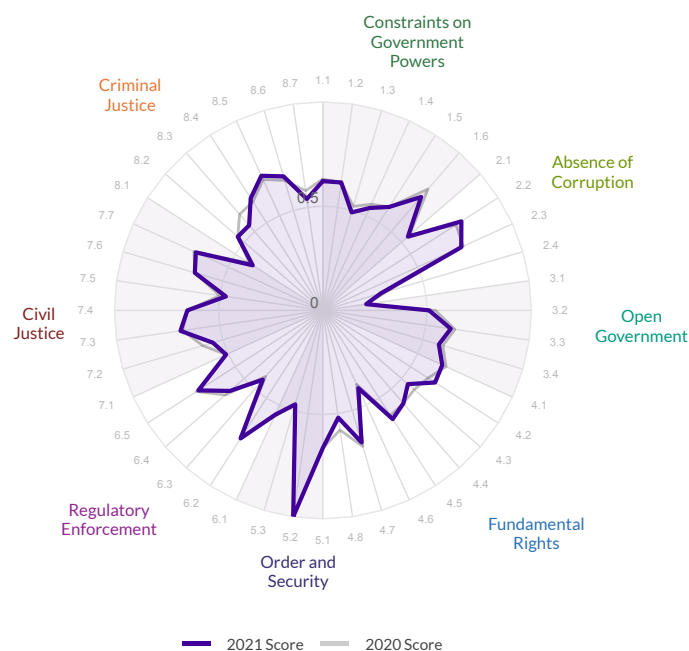
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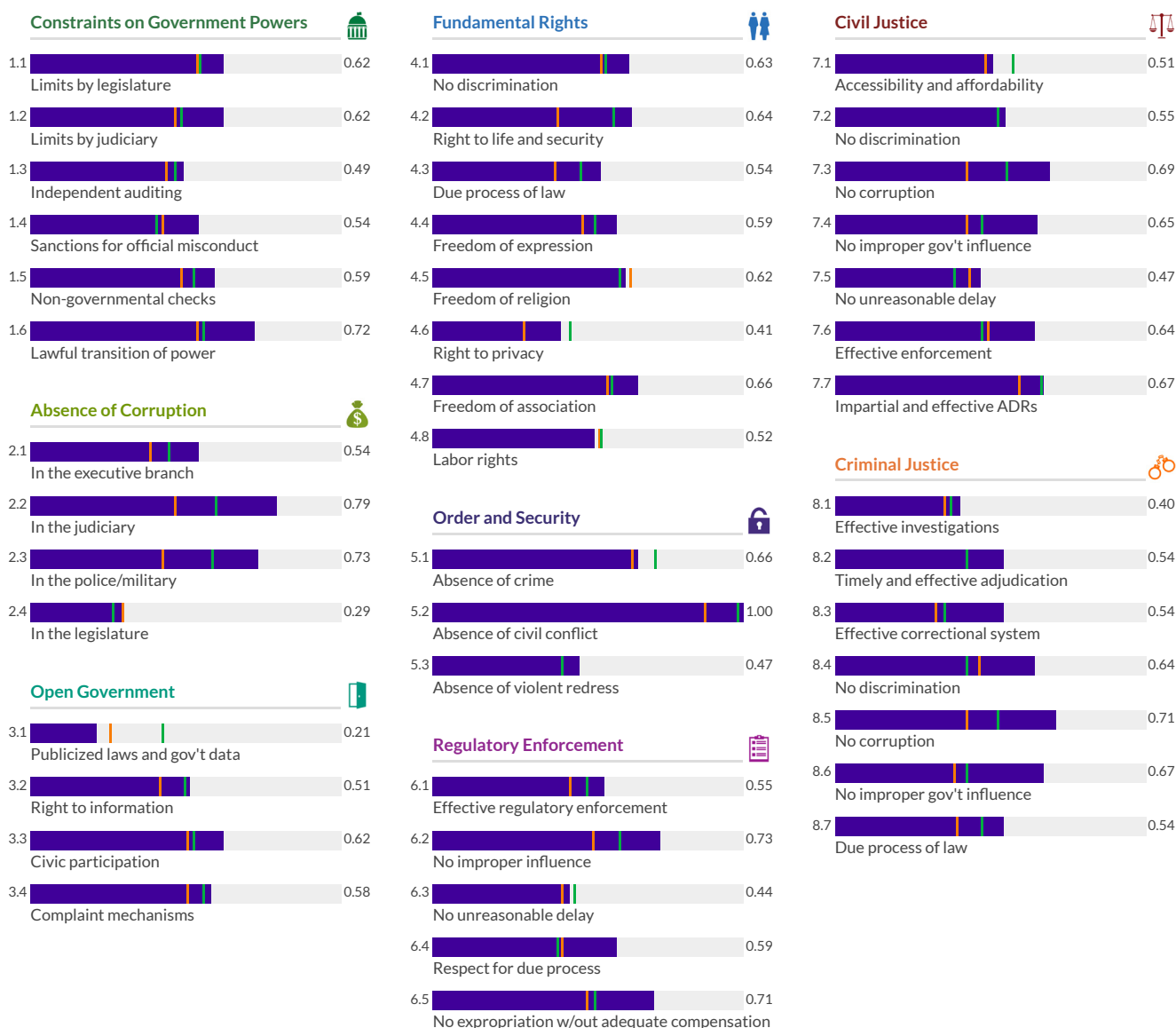
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.60	-0.02	5/33	8/40	49/139
Absence of Corruption	0.58	-0.01	2/33	8/40	47/139
Open Government	0.48	-0.02	8/33	24/40	81/139
Fundamental Rights	0.58	-0.01	7/33	16/40	65/139
Order and Security	0.71	0.00	8/33	19/40	75/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.60	-0.01	2/33	2/40	40/139
Civil Justice	0.60	-0.01	5/33	10/40	49/139
Criminal Justice	0.58	-0.01	1/33	2/40	35/139

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Low Medium High



Botswana Sub-Saharan Africa Upper-Middle











# Brazil

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

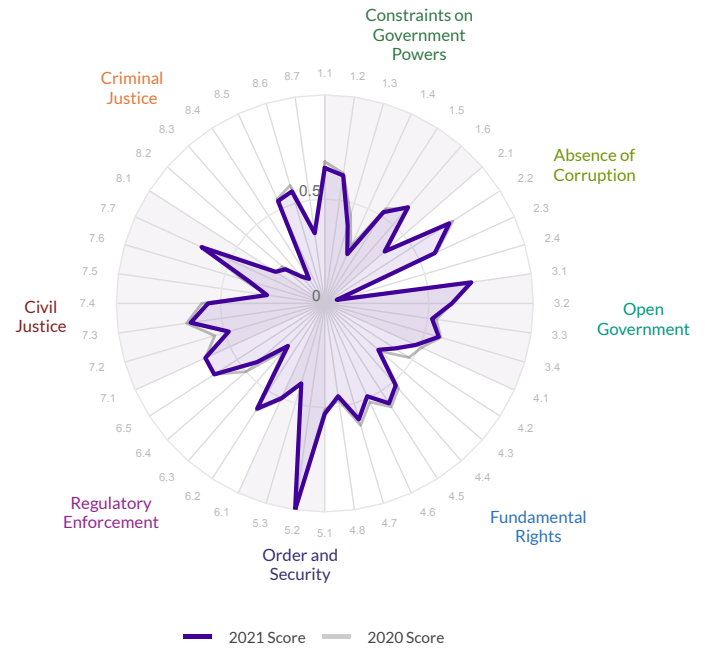
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0.50	16/32	20/40	77/139
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.51	-0.02*	20/32	19/40	76/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.43	-0.01	17/32	24/40	80/139
 Open Government	0.60	-0.01	6/32	5/40	41/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.48	-0.03*	27/32	31/40	95/139
 Order and Security	0.64	0.01	19/32	27/40	101/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.49	-0.02*	18/32	18/40	75/139
 Civil Justice	0.52	-0.02	17/32	23/40	75/139
 Criminal Justice	0.33	-0.01	20/32	33/40	112/139

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Low Medium High



— Brazil — Latin America and Caribbean — Upper-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	Limits by legislature	0.65	4.1	No discrimination	0.48	7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.63
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.62	4.2	Right to life and security	0.40	7.2	No discrimination	0.48
1.3	Independent auditing	0.39	4.3	Due process of law	0.34	7.3	No corruption	0.65
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.26	4.4	Freedom of expression	0.52	7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.56
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.52	4.5	Freedom of religion	0.57	7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.28
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.61	4.6	Right to privacy	0.49	7.6	Effective enforcement	0.38
Absence of Corruption			4.7	Freedom of association	0.58	7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.65
2.1	In the executive branch	0.38	4.8	Labor rights	0.45	Criminal Justice		
2.2	In the judiciary	0.71	Order and Security			8.1	Effective investigations	0.28
2.3	In the police/military	0.58	5.1	Absence of crime	0.53	8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.25
2.4	In the legislature	0.06	5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00	8.3	Effective correctional system	0.17
Open Government			5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.40	8.4	No discrimination	0.14
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.71	Regulatory Enforcement			8.5	No corruption	0.54
3.2	Right to information	0.61	6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.50	8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.56
3.3	Civic participation	0.52	6.2	No improper influence	0.60	8.7	Due process of law	0.34
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.57	6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.27			
			6.4	Respect for due process	0.43			
			6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.63			

# Bulgaria

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

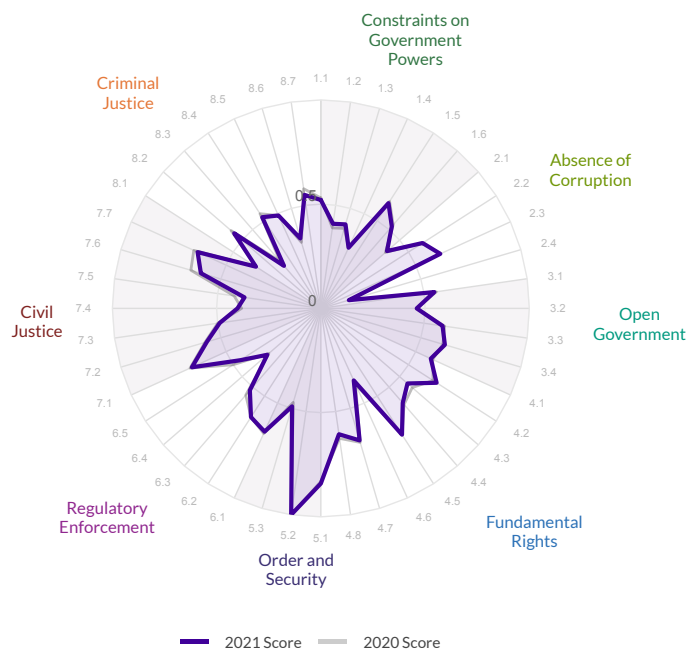
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.54	30/31	15/40	62/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.46	0.00	30/31	26/40	95/139
Absence of Corruption	0.44	0.00	31/31	23/40	76/139
Open Government	0.56	0.00	30/31	11/40	54/139
Fundamental Rights	0.60	-0.01	30/31	12/40	57/139
Order and Security	0.77	0.01	28/31	10/40	49/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.52	-0.01	30/31	15/40	61/139
Civil Justice	0.54	-0.02	30/31	15/40	66/139
Criminal Justice	0.44	-0.01	31/31	19/40	71/139

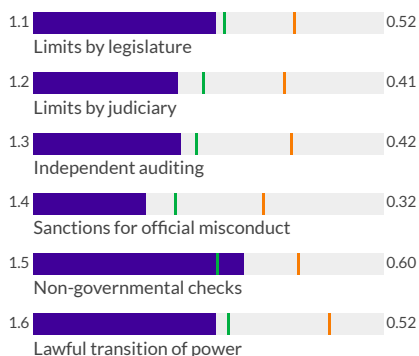
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Low Medium High

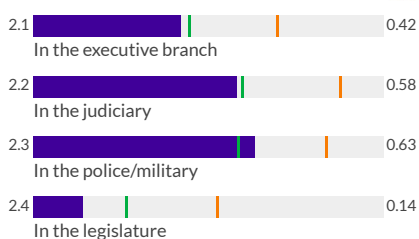


— Bulgaria — EU, EFTA, and North America — Upper-Middle

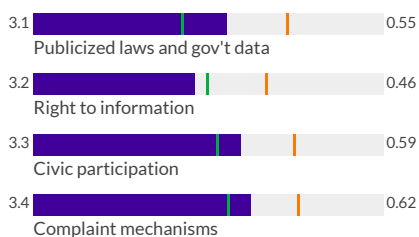
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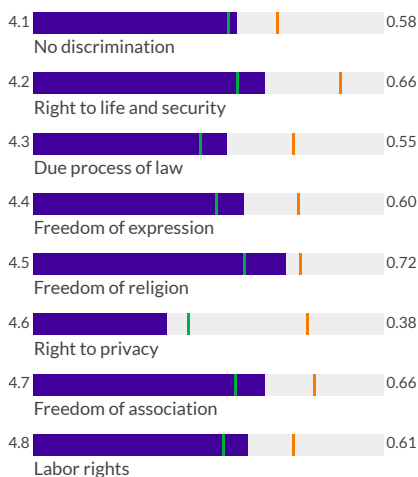
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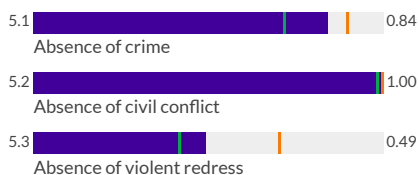
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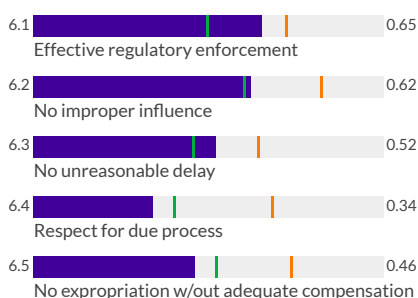
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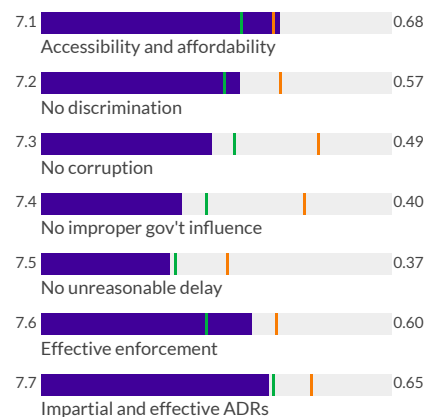
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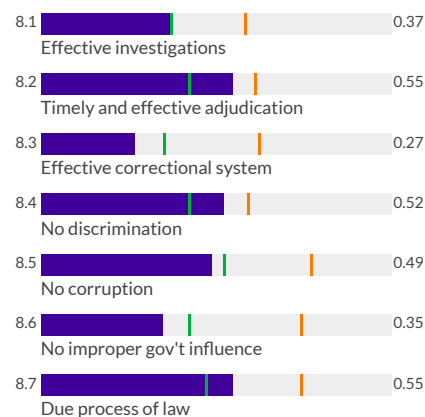
## Regulatory Enforcement



## Civil Justice



## Criminal Justice











# Burkina Faso

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

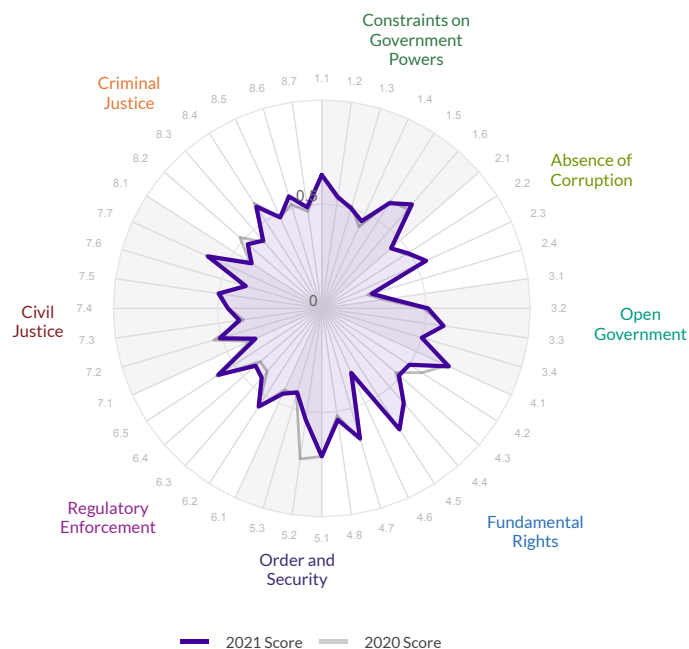
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.50	9/33	3/18	75/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.57	0.01	10/33	4/18	61/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.43	0.01	11/33	5/18	83/139
 Open Government	0.48	0.01	7/33	2/18	80/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.56	-0.01	8/33	2/18	69/139
 Order and Security	0.56	-0.07*	27/33	13/18	128/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.49	0.01	10/33	3/18	74/139
 Civil Justice	0.46	-0.01	17/33	5/18	100/139
 Criminal Justice	0.49	0.00	6/33	2/18	58/139

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Low Medium High



Burkina Faso Sub-Saharan Africa Low

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature 0.64
1.2	Limits by judiciary 0.54
1.3	Independent auditing 0.50
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct 0.46
1.5	Non-governmental checks 0.60
1.6	Lawful transition of power 0.66
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch 0.44
2.2	In the judiciary 0.49
2.3	In the police/military 0.55
2.4	In the legislature 0.25
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data 0.33
3.2	Right to information 0.51
3.3	Civic participation 0.59
3.4	Complaint mechanisms 0.50

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination 0.67
4.2	Right to life and security 0.50
4.3	Due process of law 0.49
4.4	Freedom of expression 0.60
4.5	Freedom of religion 0.69
4.6	Right to privacy 0.34
4.7	Freedom of association 0.65
4.8	Labor rights 0.54
Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime 0.71
5.2	Absence of civil conflict 0.54
5.3	Absence of violent redress 0.42
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement 0.45
6.2	No improper influence 0.56
6.3	No unreasonable delay 0.44
6.4	Respect for due process 0.42
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.59

Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability 0.35
7.2	No discrimination 0.51
7.3	No corruption 0.40
7.4	No improper gov't influence 0.45
7.5	No unreasonable delay 0.50
7.6	Effective enforcement 0.38
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs 0.60
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations 0.40
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication 0.47
8.3	Effective correctional system 0.43
8.4	No discrimination 0.58
8.5	No corruption 0.48
8.6	No improper gov't influence 0.56
8.7	Due process of law 0.49

# Cambodia

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

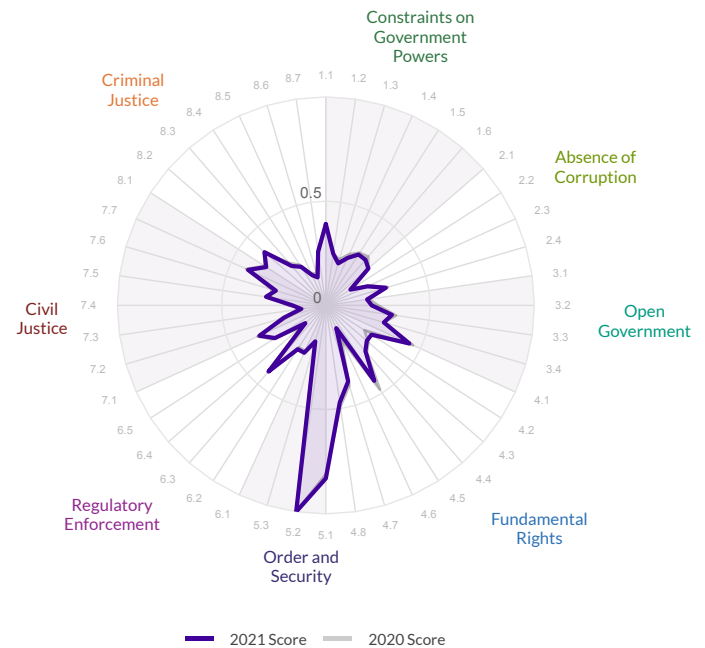
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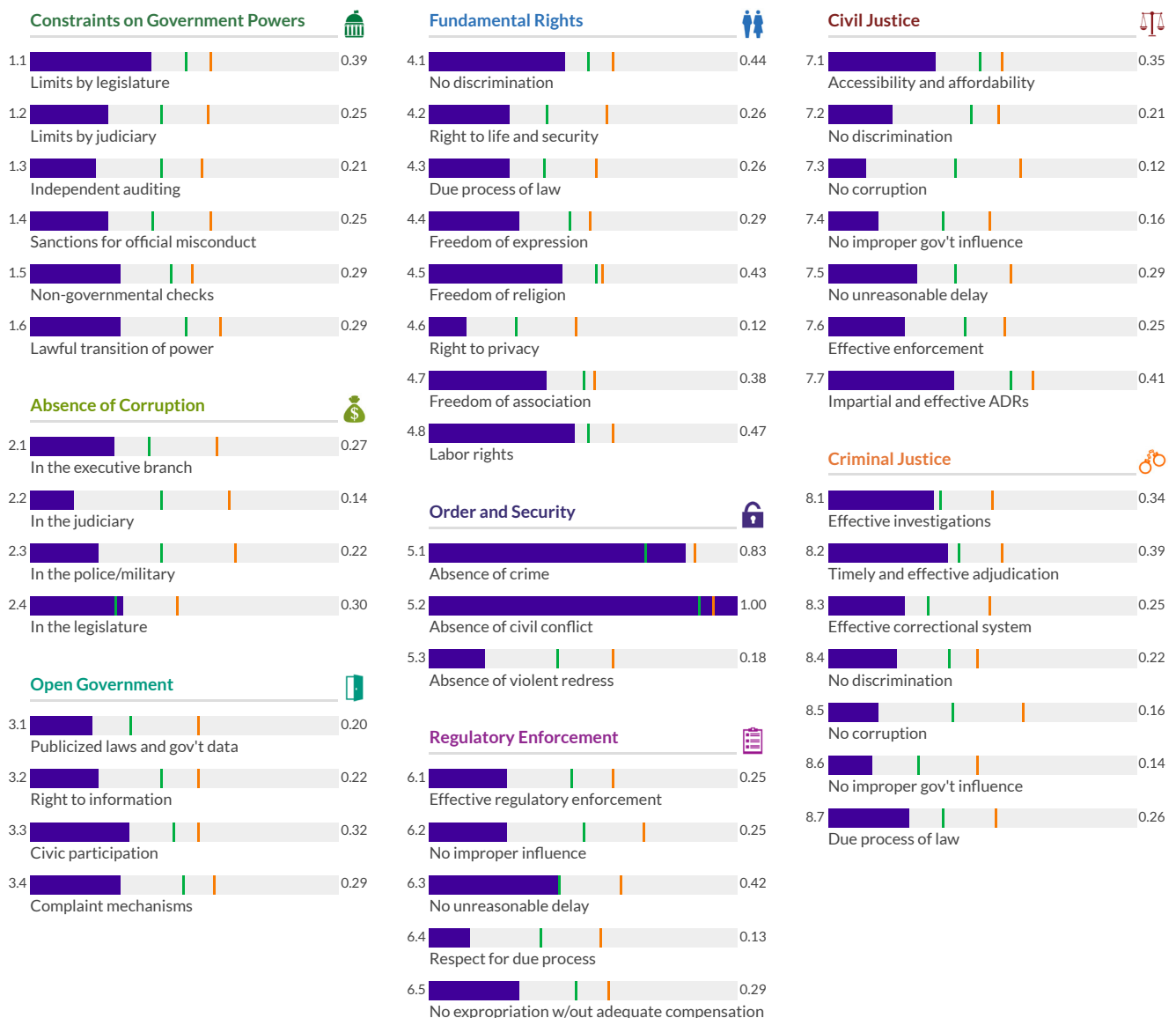
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Open Government	0.26	-0.02	15/15	34/35	138/139
Fundamental Rights	0.33	-0.02	13/15	32/35	131/139
Order and Security	0.67	0.00	13/15	19/35	95/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.27	0.00	15/15	35/35	138/139
Civil Justice	0.25	0.00	15/15	35/35	139/139
Criminal Justice	0.25	-0.01	15/15	32/35	135/139

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Low Medium High



— Cambodia — East Asia and Pacific — Lower-Middle











# Cameroon

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

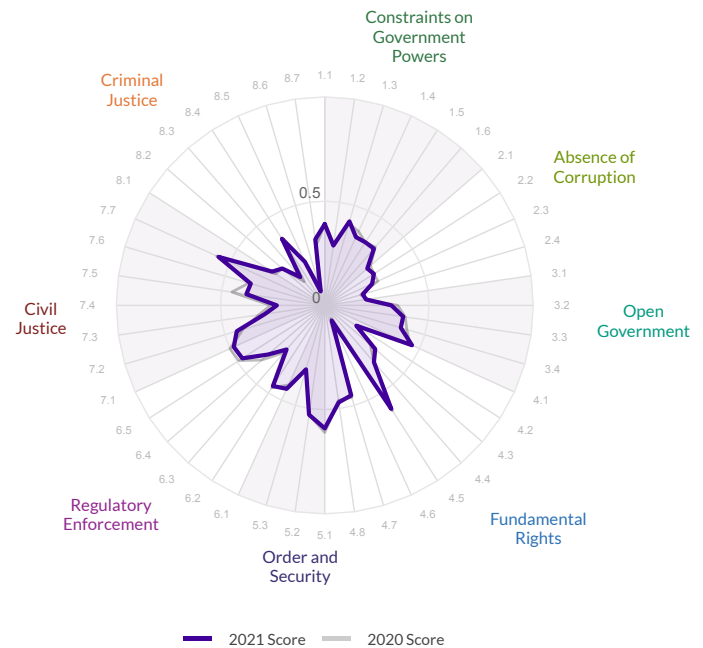
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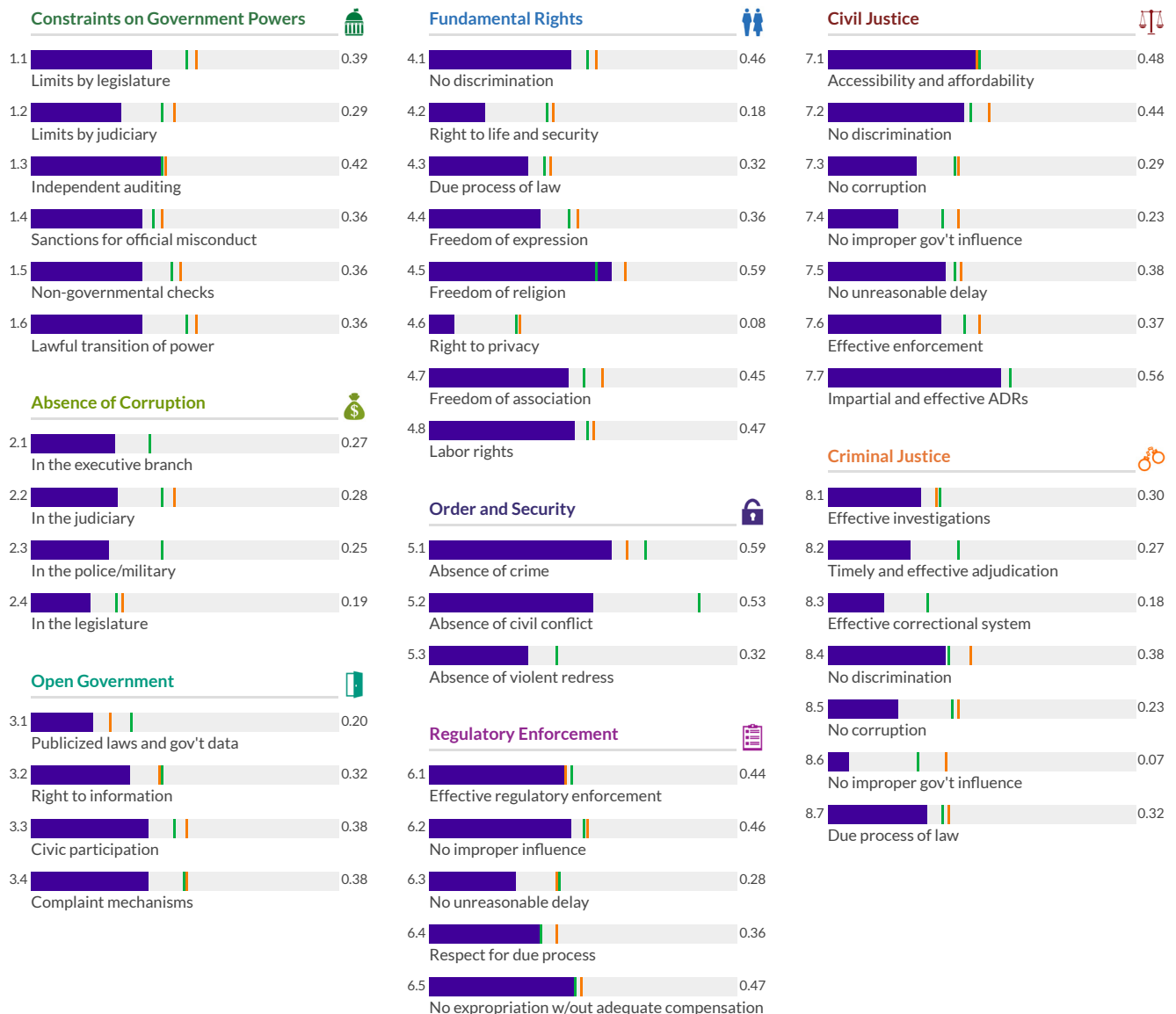
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 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.36	-0.01	31/33	29/35	127/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.25	-0.01	32/33	34/35	137/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.32	-0.02	30/33	31/35	132/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.36	0.00	30/33	29/35	127/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.48	0.00	32/33	33/35	136/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.40	-0.01	24/33	27/35	121/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.39	-0.02	31/33	28/35	127/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.25	0.01	33/33	34/35	137/139

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Low Medium High



Cameroon Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle



# Canada

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

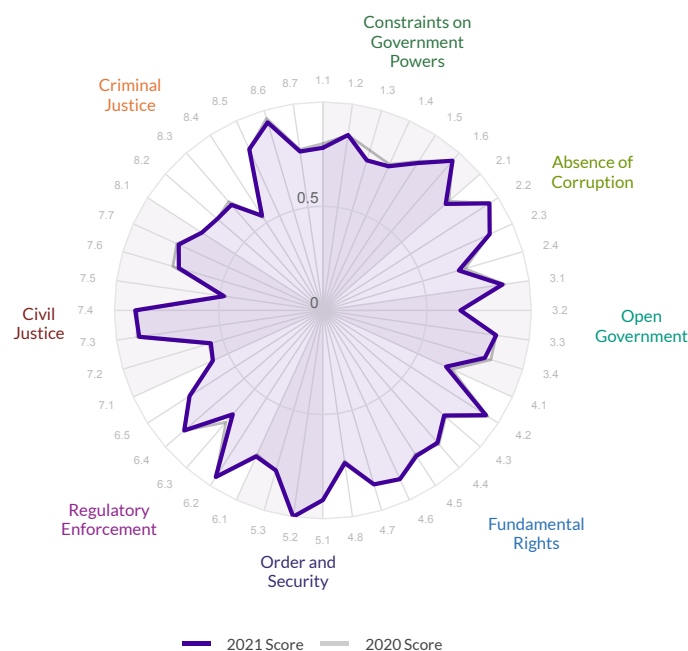
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0.80	11/31	12/46	12/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▼	-1 ▼		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.82	-0.01	12/31	13/46	13/139
Absence of Corruption	0.82	-0.01	8/31	11/46	11/139
Open Government	0.80	-0.01	9/31	11/46	11/139
Fundamental Rights	0.82	0.00	12/31	13/46	13/139
Order and Security	0.90	0.00	10/31	14/46	14/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.80	-0.01	11/31	15/46	15/139
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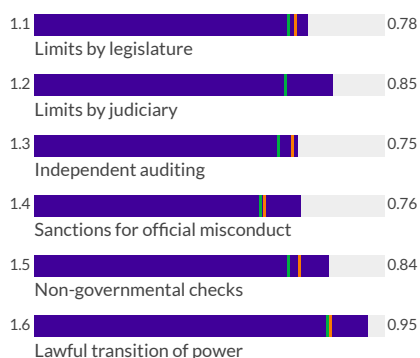
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Low Medium High

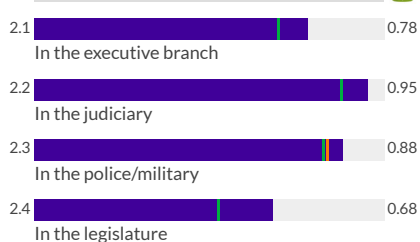


Canada EU, EFTA, and North America High

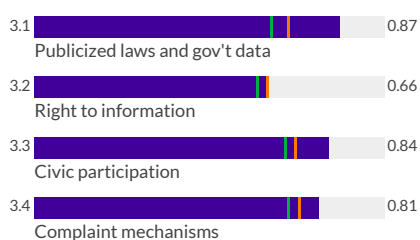
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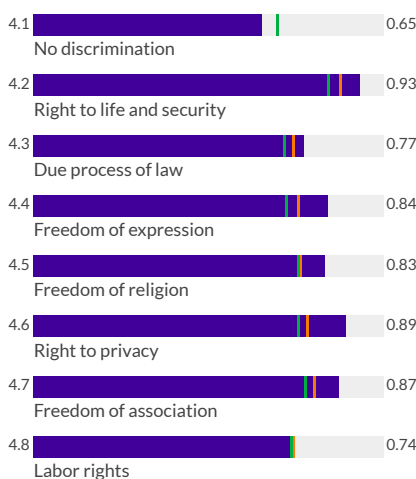
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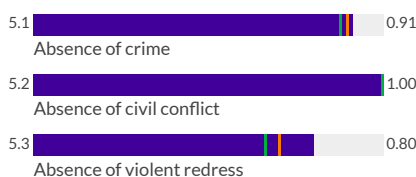
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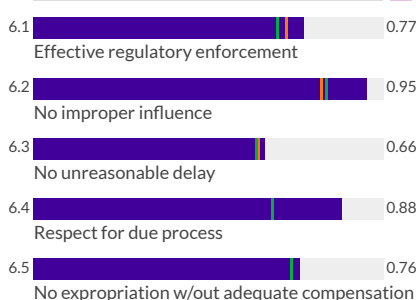
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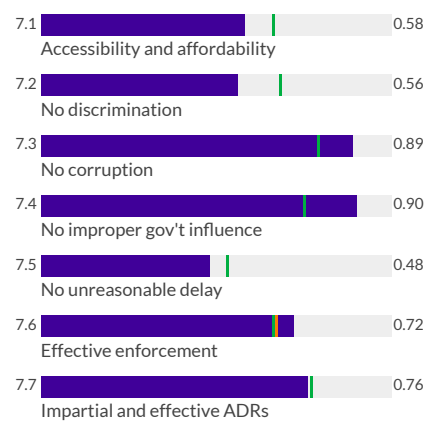
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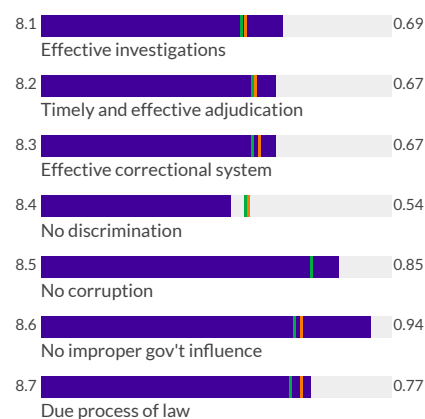
## Regulatory Enforcement



## Civil Justice



## Criminal Justice











# Chile

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: High

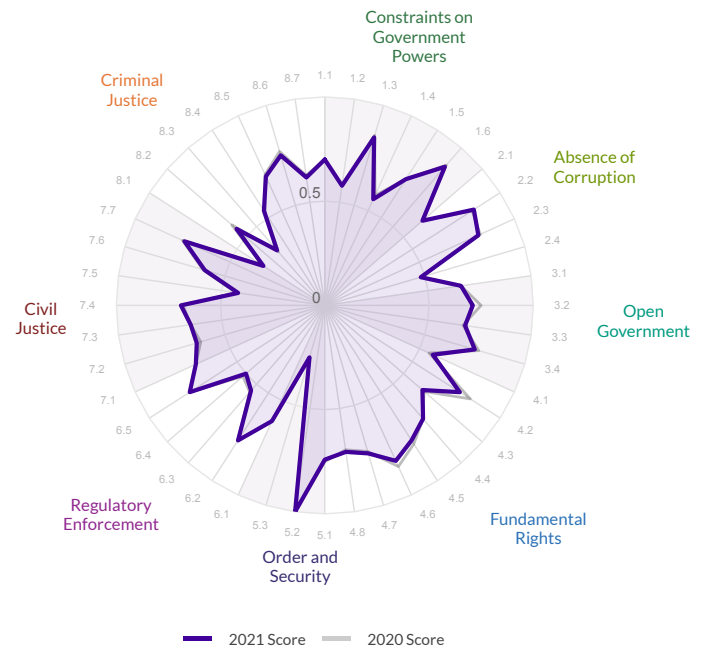
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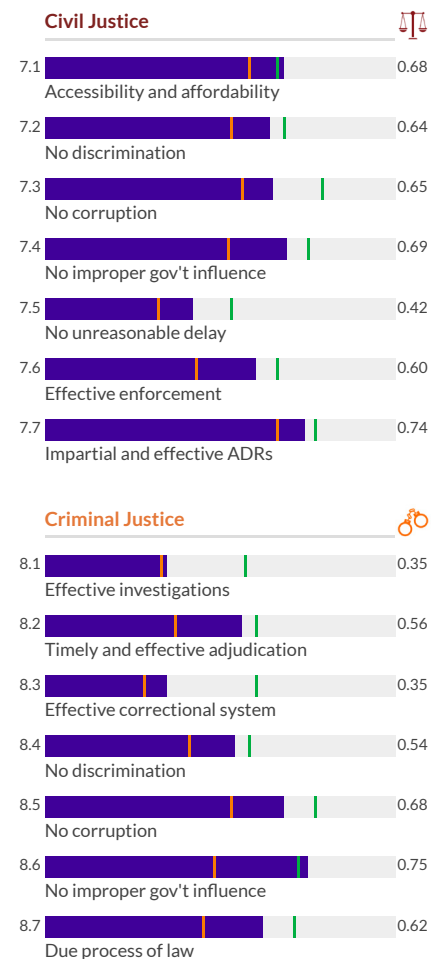
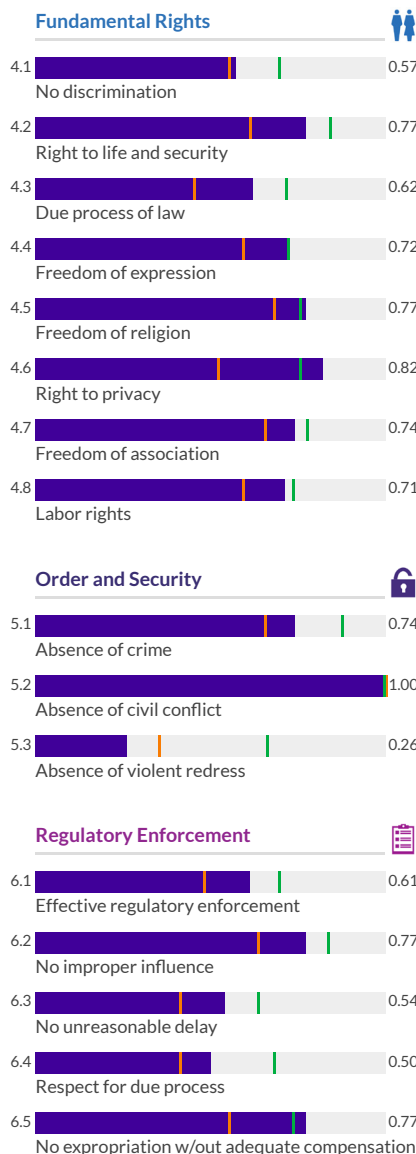
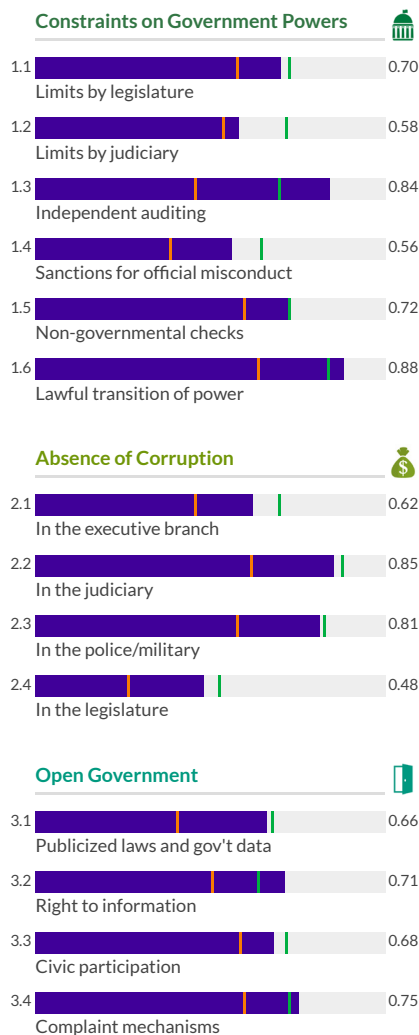
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 Constraints on Government Powers	0.72	0.00	3/32	23/46	24/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.69	0.00	2/32	27/46	27/139
 Open Government	0.70	-0.01	2/32	23/46	23/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.72	-0.01	4/32	30/46	31/139
 Order and Security	0.67	-0.01	15/32	44/46	96/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.64	-0.01	3/32	31/46	32/139
 Civil Justice	0.63	0.00	7/32	34/46	39/139
 Criminal Justice	0.55	-0.01	8/32	38/46	44/139

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Low Medium High



Chile Latin America and Caribbean High



# China

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

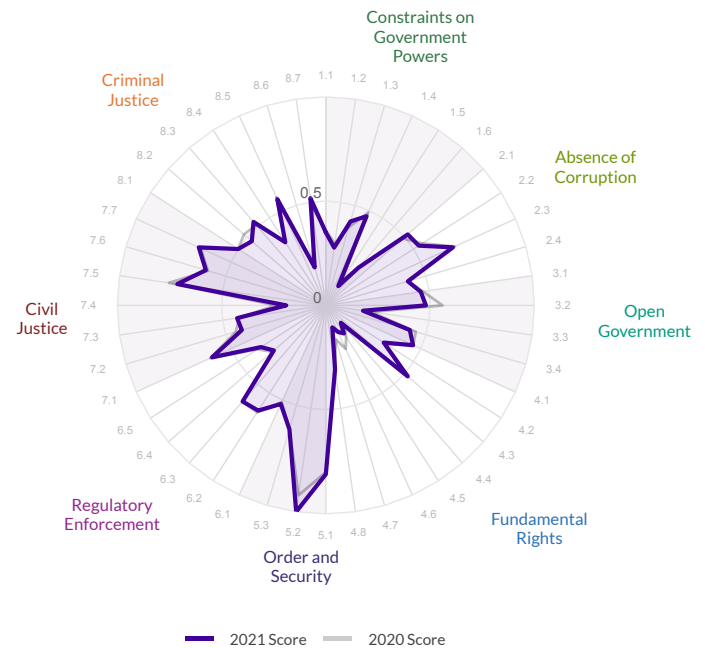
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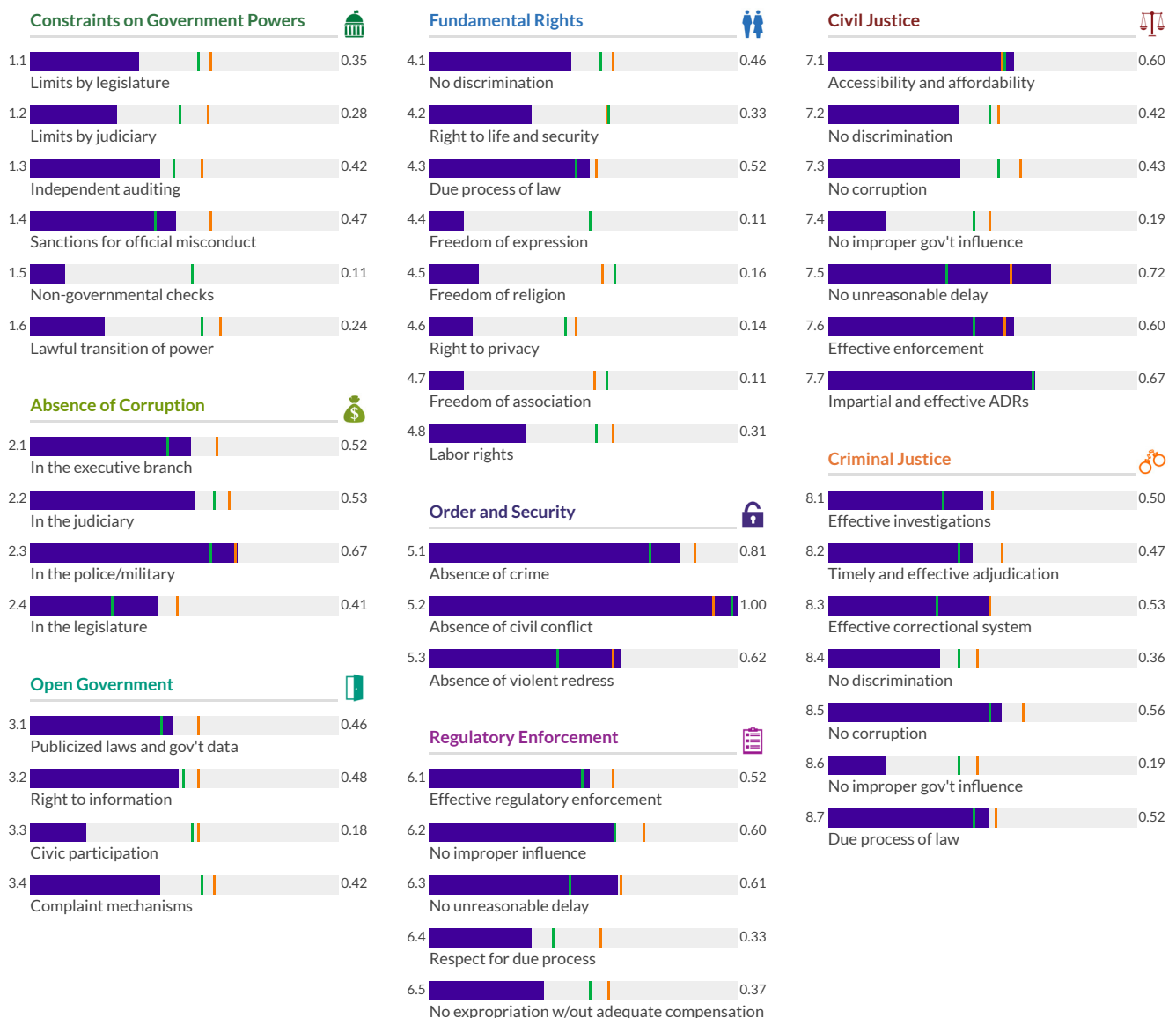
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.31	-0.01	14/15	37/40	133/139
Absence of Corruption	0.53	0.00	8/15	11/40	55/139
Open Government	0.38	-0.04	13/15	36/40	111/139
Fundamental Rights	0.27	-0.02	14/15	39/40	136/139
Order and Security	0.81	0.03	7/15	2/40	36/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.49	-0.01	10/15	19/40	76/139
Civil Justice	0.52	-0.02	9/15	22/40	74/139
Criminal Justice	0.45	0.00	10/15	18/40	69/139

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Low Medium High



China East Asia and Pacific Upper-Middle











# Colombia

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

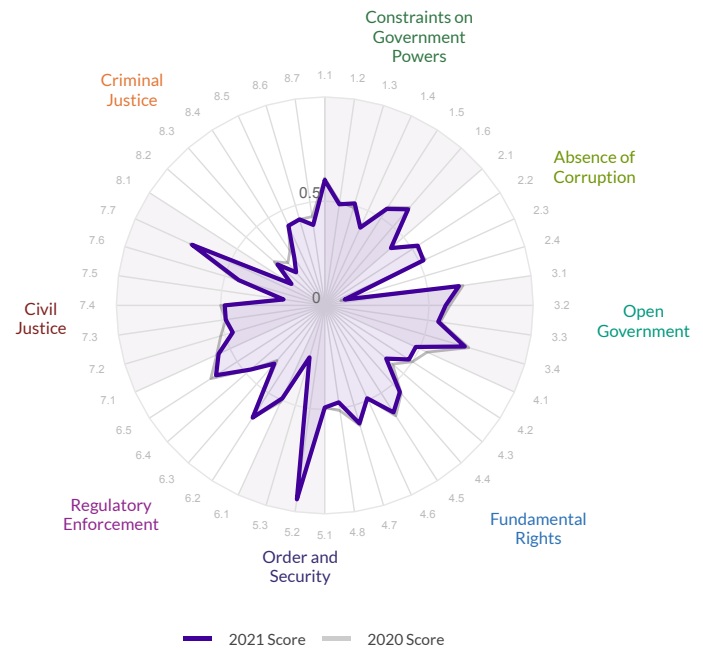
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.49	19/32	26/40	86/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▾	-2 ▾		









	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.53	-0.01	18/32	16/40	72/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.39	0.00	22/32	33/40	101/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.62	-0.01	4/32	3/40	35/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.51	-0.03*	24/32	27/40	87/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.56	0.00	29/32	38/40	126/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.52	0.00	12/32	16/40	62/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.47	-0.02	21/32	29/40	91/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.32	-0.02	23/32	35/40	119/139

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Low Medium High



Colombia Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle

<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.60</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.49</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.51</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.41</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.55</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.61</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.48</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.48</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.39</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.55</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.61</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.49</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.59</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.47</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.56</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.46</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.48</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.48</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.20</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.43</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.70</li> </ul>
<b>Absence of Corruption</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2.1 In the executive branch 0.42</li> <li>2.2 In the judiciary 0.53</li> <li>2.3 In the police/military 0.52</li> <li>2.4 In the legislature 0.10</li> </ul>	<b>Order and Security</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Absence of crime 0.49</li> <li>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 0.94</li> <li>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.26</li> </ul>	<b>Criminal Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Effective investigations 0.19</li> <li>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.30</li> <li>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.21</li> <li>8.4 No discrimination 0.27</li> <li>8.5 No corruption 0.42</li> <li>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.43</li> <li>8.7 Due process of law 0.39</li> </ul>
<b>Open Government</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.65</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.58</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.55</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.70</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.49</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.64</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.37</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.47</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.62</li> </ul>	

# Congo, Dem. Rep.

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

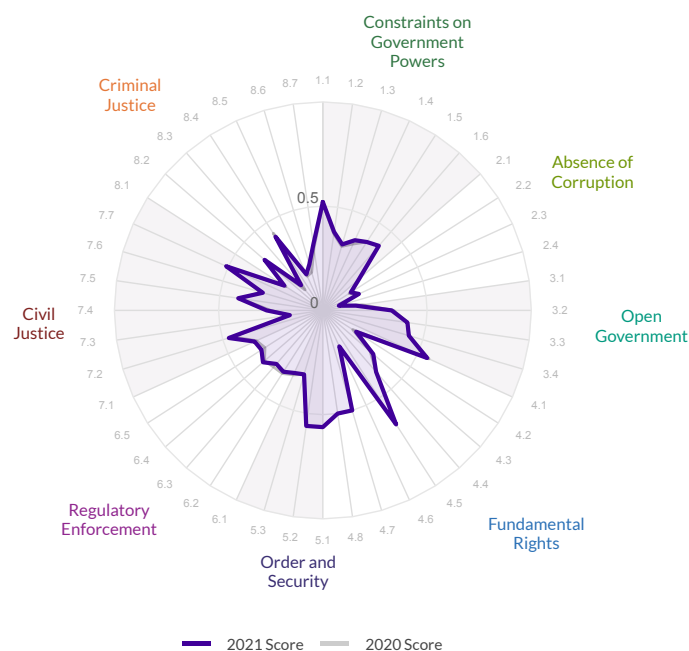
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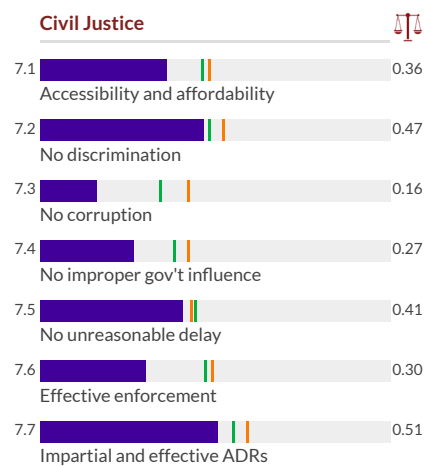
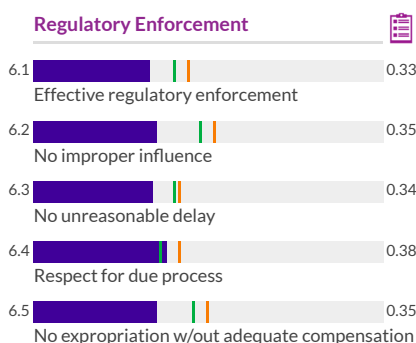
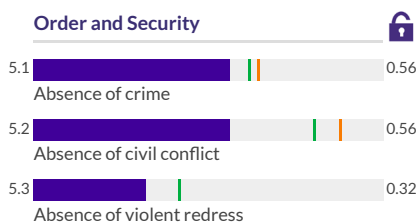
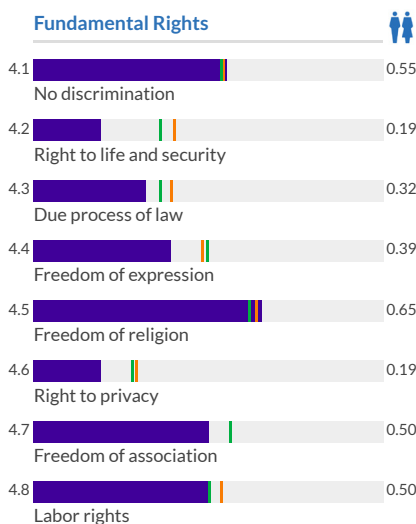
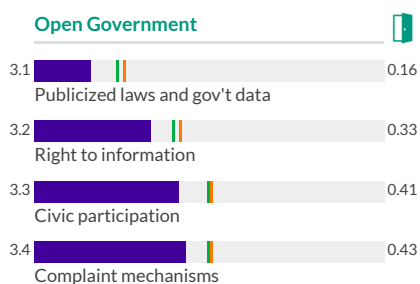
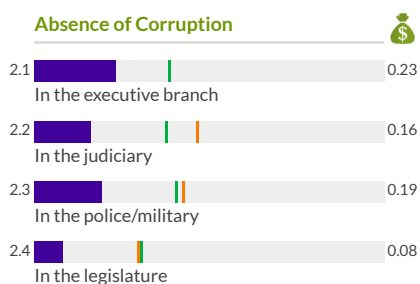
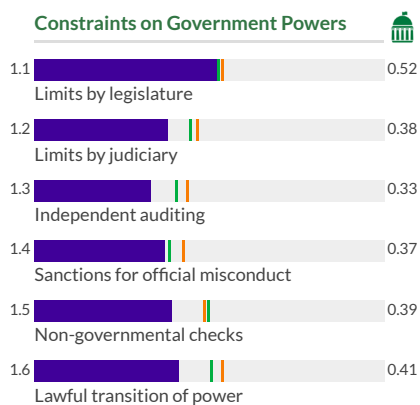
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.40	0.01	23/33	12/18	112/139
Absence of Corruption	0.16	0.00	33/33	18/18	139/139
Open Government	0.33	-0.01	28/33	16/18	129/139
Fundamental Rights	0.41	0.01	23/33	13/18	115/139
Order and Security	0.48	0.00	30/33	16/18	134/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.35	0.00	32/33	17/18	135/139
Civil Justice	0.36	0.01	33/33	17/18	133/139
Criminal Justice	0.27	0.01	32/33	18/18	133/139

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Low Medium High



— Congo, Dem. Rep. — Sub-Saharan Africa — Low



# Congo, Rep.








Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.42	24/33	23/35	118/139

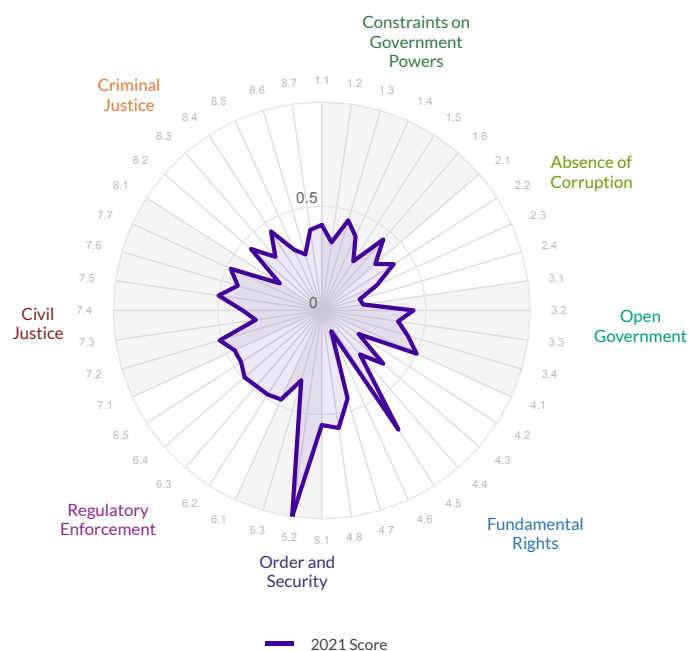
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.38	—	28/33	24/35	120/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.31	—	26/33	29/35	124/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.36	—	27/33	28/35	125/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.40	—	27/33	25/35	122/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.63	—	20/33	24/35	109/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.48	—	12/33	13/35	85/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.44	—	21/33	22/35	109/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.35	—	22/33	21/35	105/139

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Low Medium High



Congo, Rep. Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle

<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.41</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.33</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.45</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.39</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.28</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.45</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.50</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.21</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.39</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.28</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.68</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.11</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.44</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.57</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.46</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.51</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.32</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.38</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.50</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.42</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.48</li> </ul>
<b>Absence of Corruption</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2.1 In the executive branch 0.34</li> <li>2.2 In the judiciary 0.41</li> <li>2.3 In the police/military 0.29</li> <li>2.4 In the legislature 0.19</li> </ul>	<b>Order and Security</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Absence of crime 0.55</li> <li>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 1.00</li> <li>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.35</li> </ul>	<b>Criminal Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Effective investigations 0.24</li> <li>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.45</li> <li>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.34</li> <li>8.4 No discrimination 0.45</li> <li>8.5 No corruption 0.32</li> <li>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.28</li> <li>8.7 Due process of law 0.39</li> </ul>
<b>Open Government</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.20</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.44</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.37</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.43</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.47</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.48</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.48</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.49</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.46</li> </ul>	

# Costa Rica

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

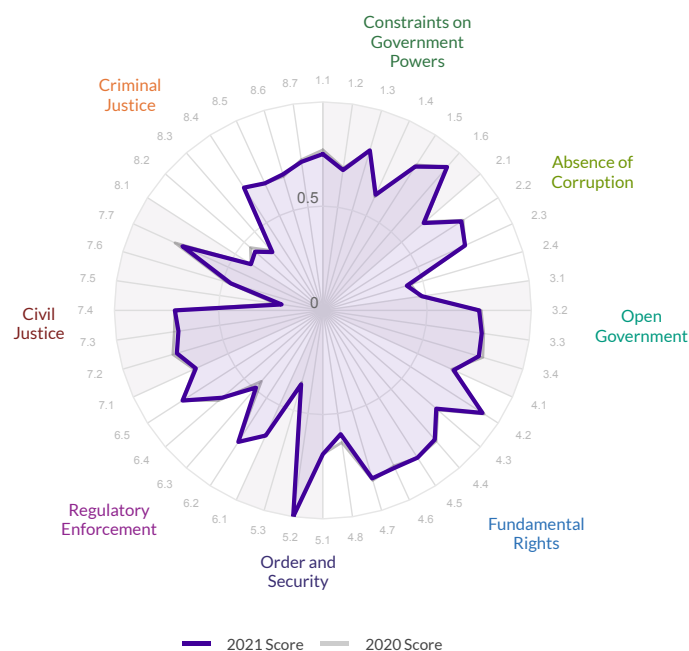
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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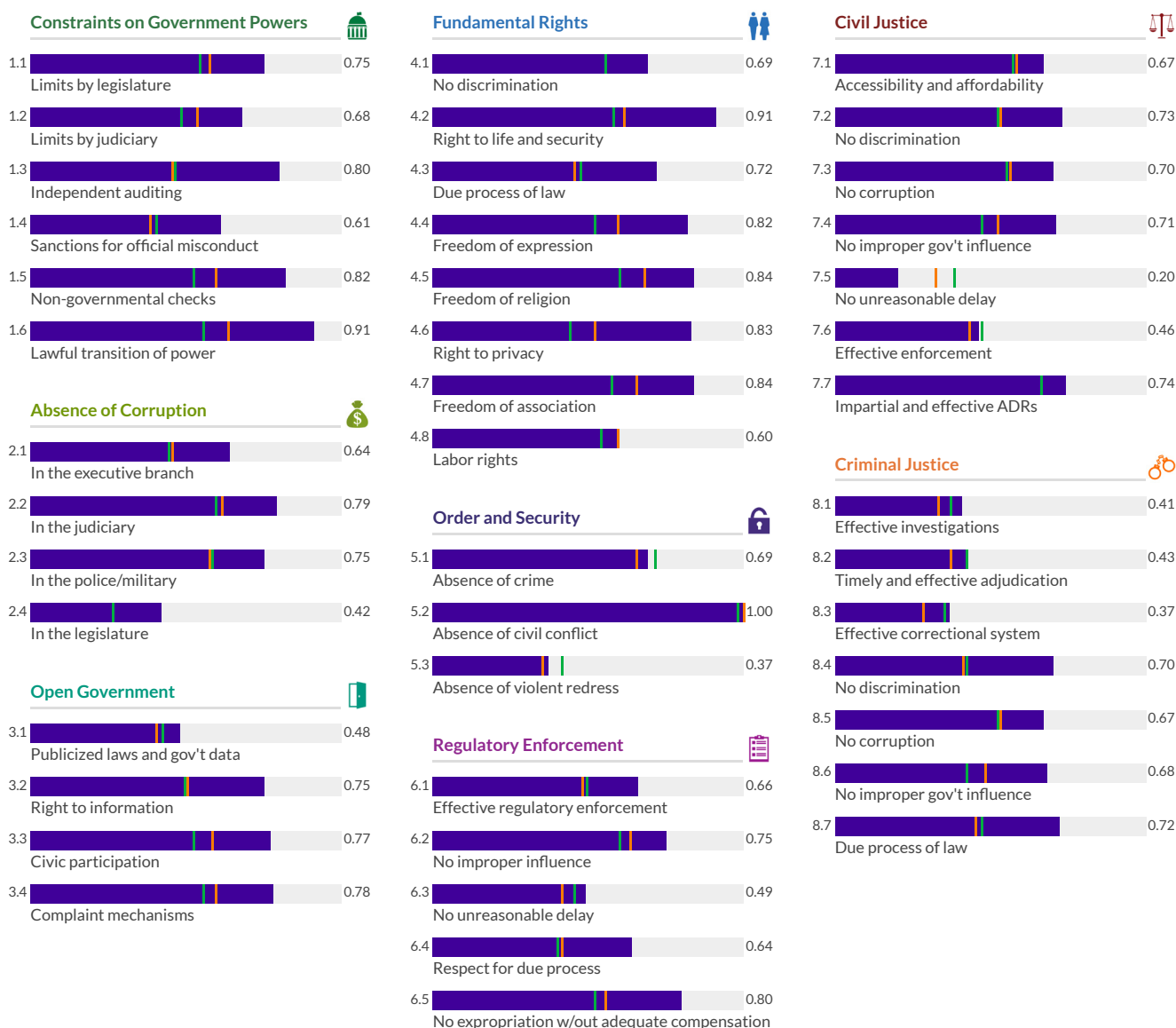
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.76	0.00	1/32	1/40	17/139
Absence of Corruption	0.65	-0.01	6/32	4/40	37/139
Open Government	0.70	-0.01	3/32	1/40	26/139
Fundamental Rights	0.78	-0.01	2/32	1/40	19/139
Order and Security	0.69	0.00	13/32	25/40	86/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.67	0.00	2/32	1/40	28/139
Civil Justice	0.60	-0.02	9/32	9/40	48/139
Criminal Justice	0.57	0.00	5/32	3/40	38/139

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Low Medium High



Costa Rica Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Côte d'Ivoire

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

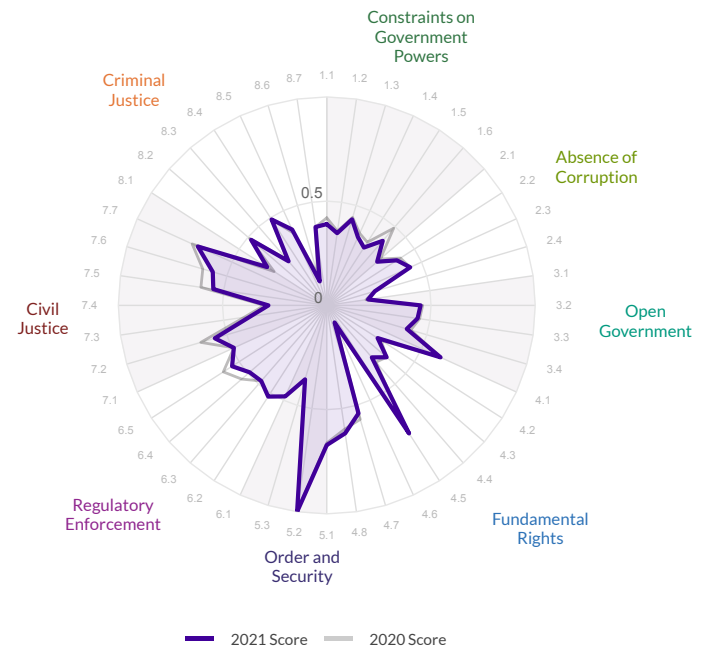
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0.45	14/33	19/35	105/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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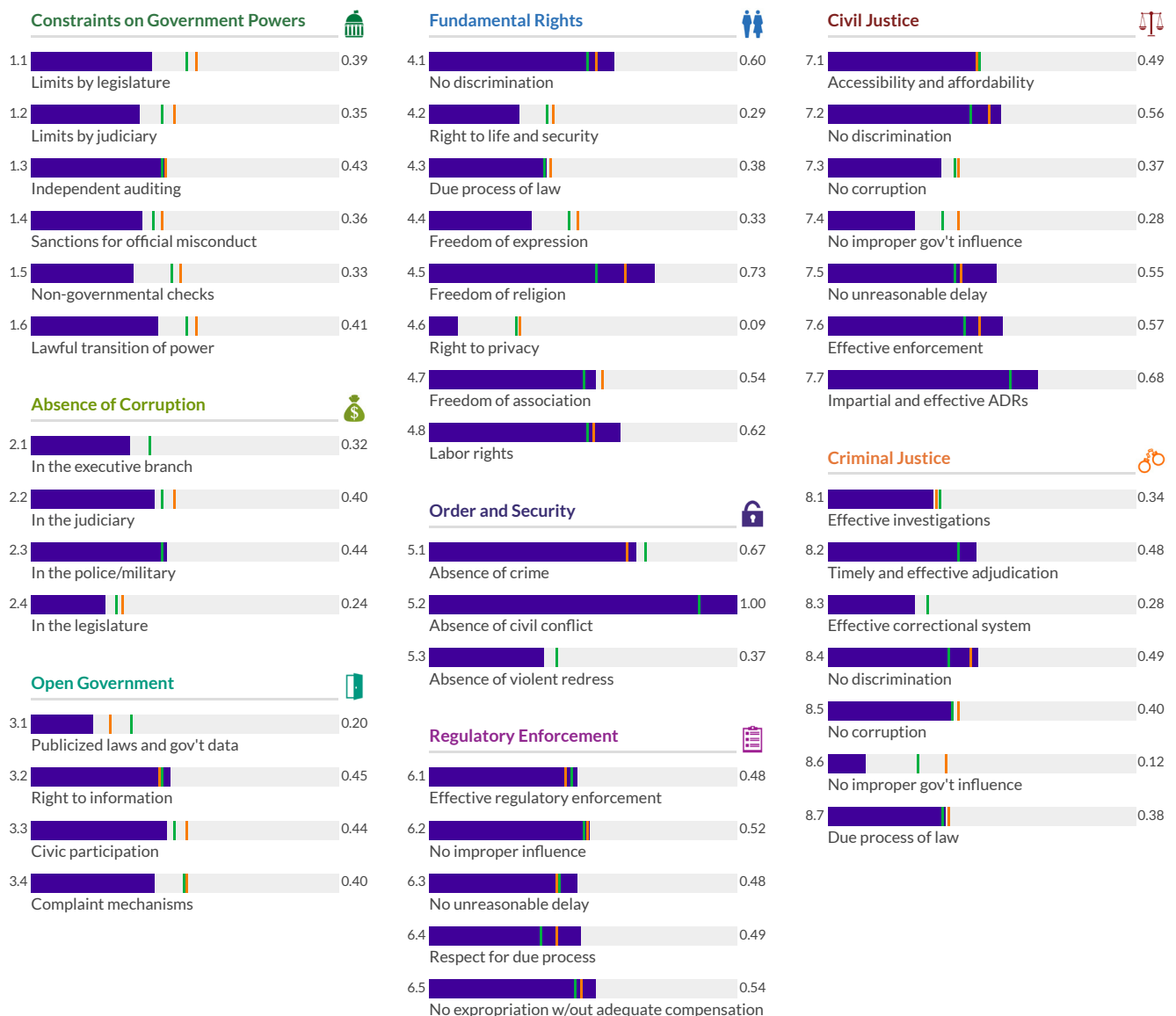
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.38	-0.03*	29/33	26/35	123/139
Absence of Corruption	0.35	-0.01	21/33	22/35	113/139
Open Government	0.37	-0.01	22/33	25/35	119/139
Fundamental Rights	0.45	-0.01	20/33	17/35	108/139
Order and Security	0.68	0.00	14/33	14/35	89/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.50	-0.02	8/33	7/35	69/139
Civil Justice	0.50	-0.04*	10/33	10/35	80/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	0.00	21/33	20/35	102/139

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Low Medium High



— Côte d'Ivoire — Sub-Saharan Africa — Lower-Middle











# Croatia

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

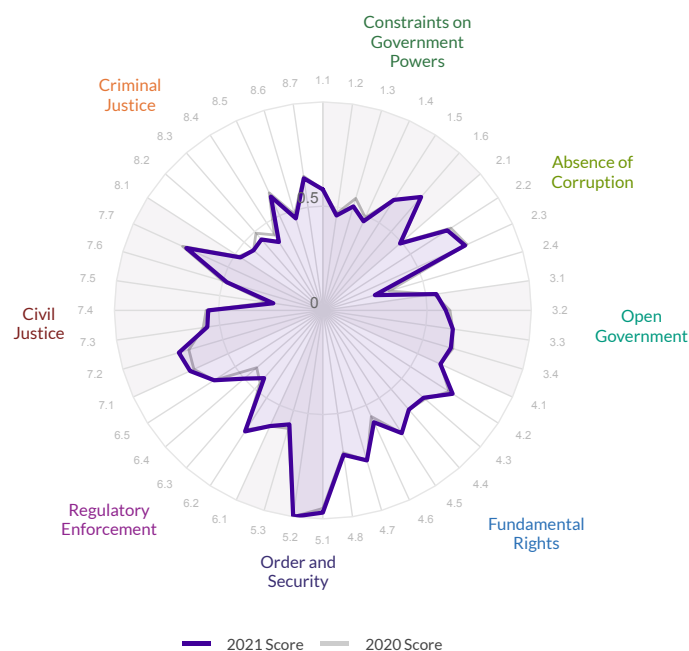
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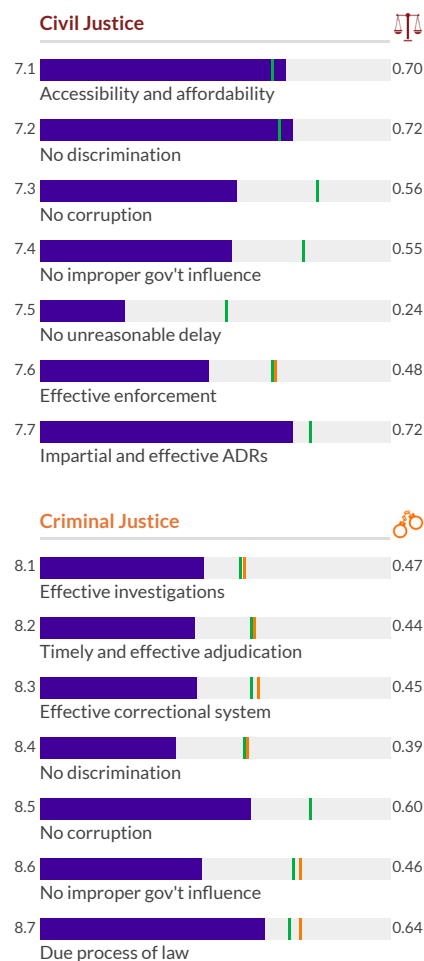
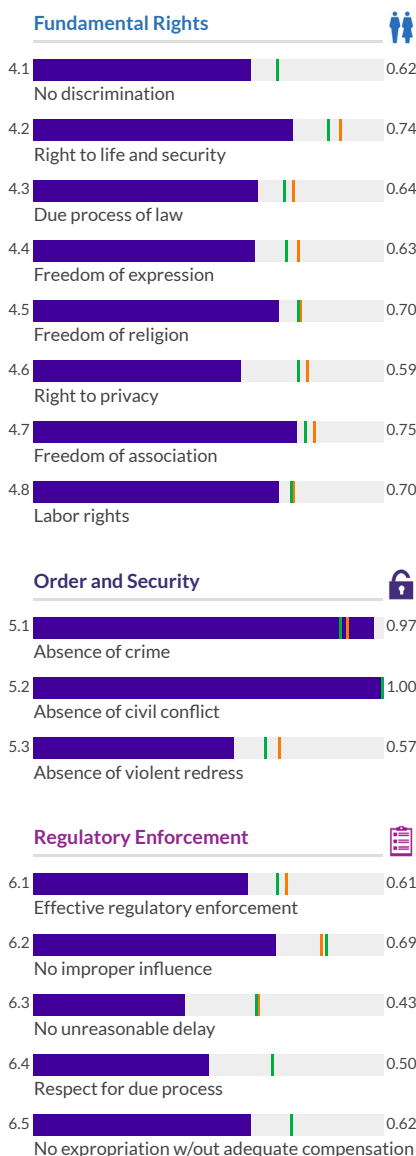
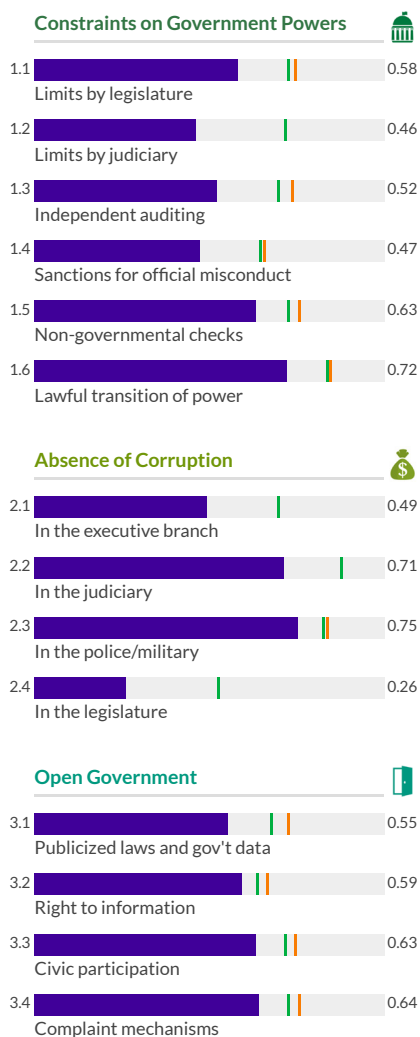
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 Constraints on Government Powers	0.56	-0.01	28/31	41/46	62/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.56	-0.02	27/31	41/46	51/139
 Open Government	0.60	-0.01	28/31	36/46	42/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.67	0.00	26/31	37/46	41/139
 Order and Security	0.85	0.00	19/31	25/46	26/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.57	0.01	28/31	41/46	47/139
 Civil Justice	0.57	0.00	28/31	42/46	56/139
 Criminal Justice	0.49	-0.02	29/31	43/46	56/139

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Low Medium High



— Croatia — EU, EFTA, and North America — High






# Cyprus

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

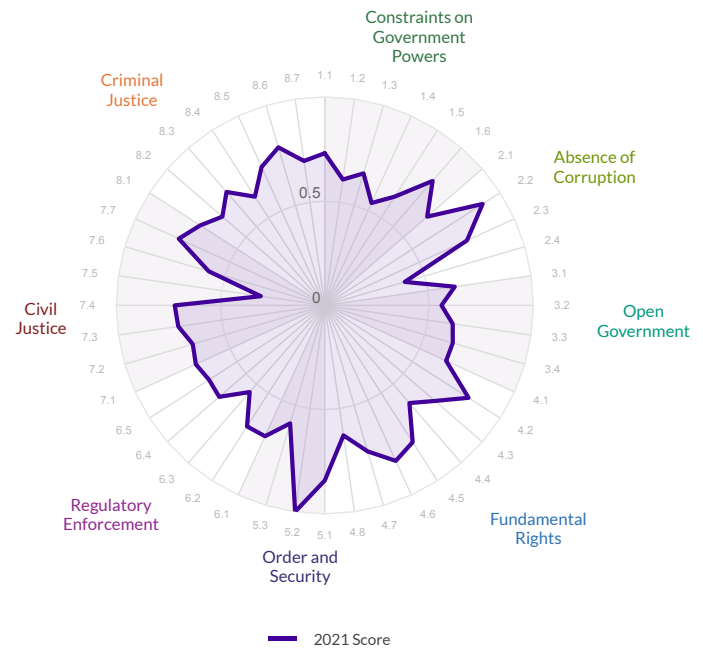
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0.68	21/31	28/46	28/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.66	-	24/31	31/46	35/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.68	-	21/31	30/46	32/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.61	-	26/31	34/46	38/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.72	-	23/31	29/46	30/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.81	-	25/31	32/46	35/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.65	-	20/31	28/46	29/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.63	-	21/31	32/46	36/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.70	-	14/31	20/46	20/139

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Low Medium High



Cyprus EU, EFTA, and North America High

## Constraints on Government Powers

1.1	Limits by legislature	0.73
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.61
1.3	Independent auditing	0.66
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.54
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.62
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.79

## Absence of Corruption

2.1	In the executive branch	0.65
2.2	In the judiciary	0.90
2.3	In the police/military	0.75
2.4	In the legislature	0.40

## Open Government

3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.63
3.2	Right to information	0.56
3.3	Civic participation	0.62
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.64

## Fundamental Rights

4.1	No discrimination	0.64
4.2	Right to life and security	0.82
4.3	Due process of law	0.70
4.4	Freedom of expression	0.62
4.5	Freedom of religion	0.78
4.6	Right to privacy	0.82
4.7	Freedom of association	0.73
4.8	Labor rights	0.63

## Order and Security

5.1	Absence of crime	0.84
5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.59

## Regulatory Enforcement

6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.69
6.2	No improper influence	0.69
6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.55
6.4	Respect for due process	0.67
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.66

## Civil Justice

7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.68
7.2	No discrimination	0.66
7.3	No corruption	0.71
7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.72
7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.31
7.6	Effective enforcement	0.58
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.77

## Criminal Justice






8.1	Effective investigations	0.71
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.65
8.3	Effective correctional system	0.72
8.4	No discrimination	0.62
8.5	No corruption	0.73
8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.79
8.7	Due process of law	0.70

# Czech Republic

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

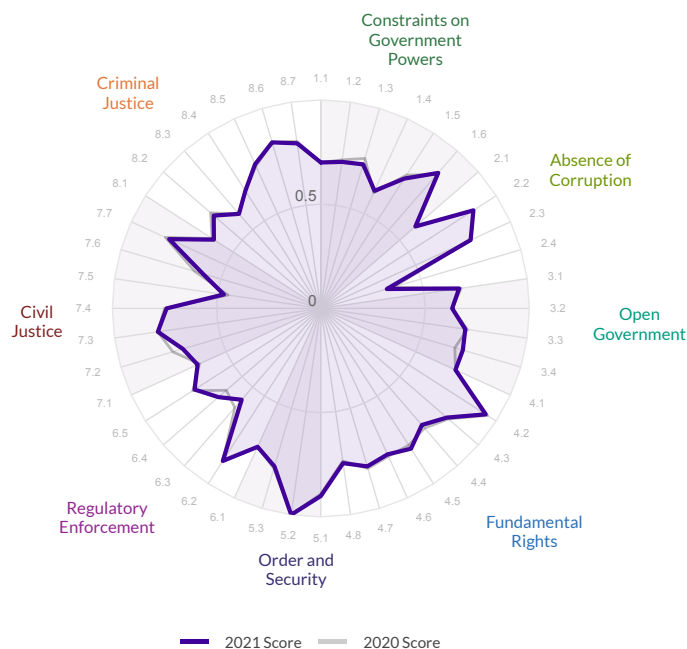
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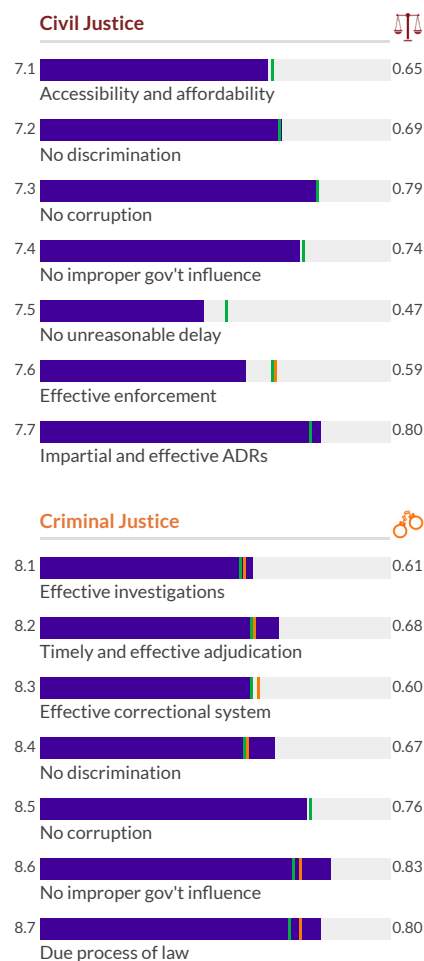
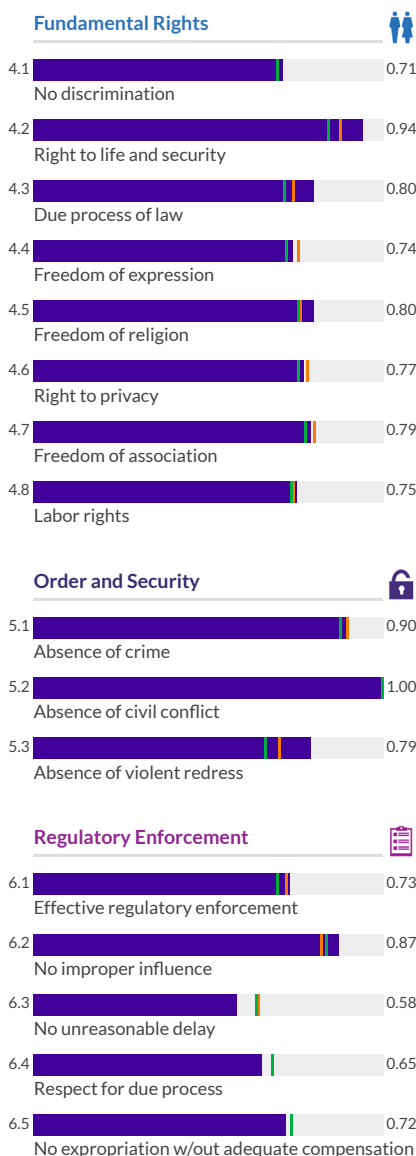
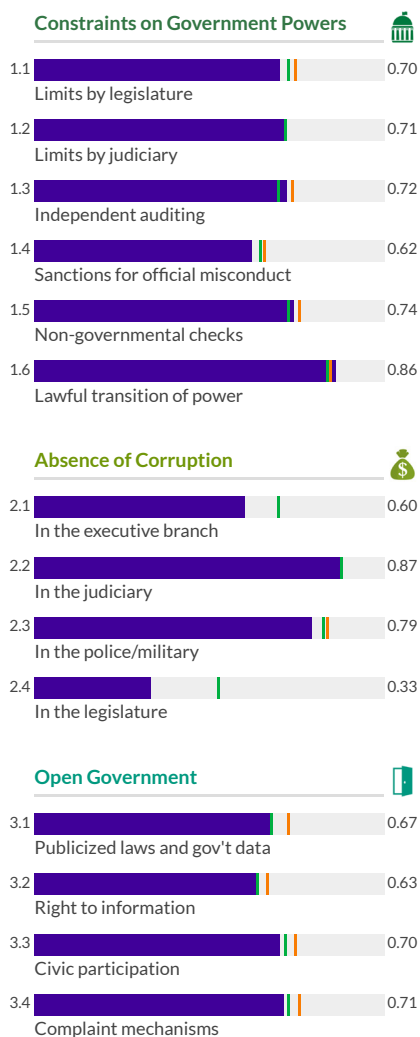
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.72	0.00	17/31	20/46	21/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.65	0.00	24/31	35/46	39/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.68	0.01	20/31	27/46	28/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.79	0.00	15/31	17/46	17/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.89	-0.01	14/31	18/46	19/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.71	0.00	18/31	25/46	25/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.67	-0.01	17/31	25/46	26/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.71	0.00	13/31	17/46	17/139

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Low Medium High



Czech Republic EU, EFTA, and North America High



# Denmark

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

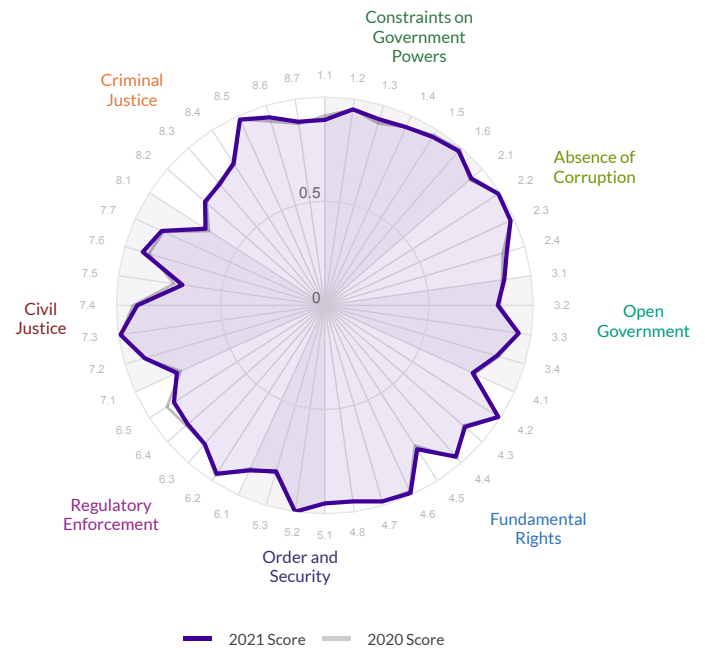
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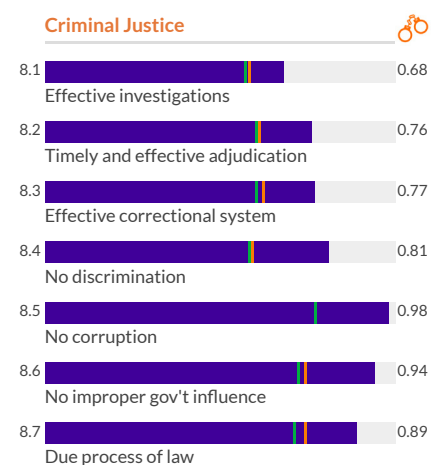
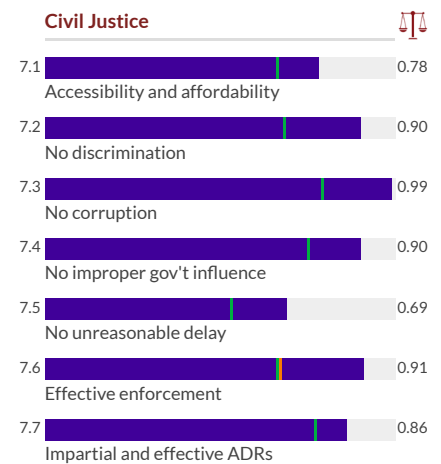
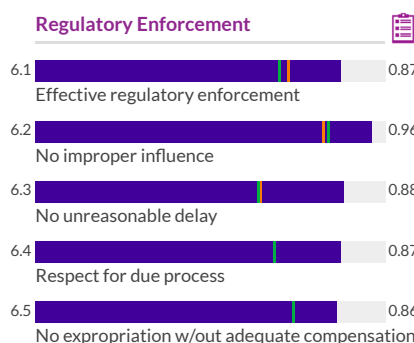
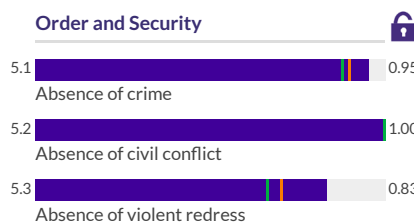
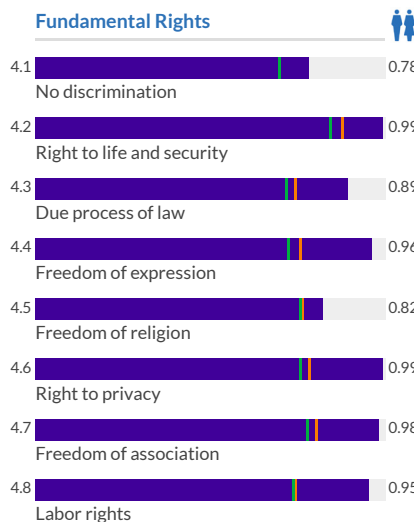
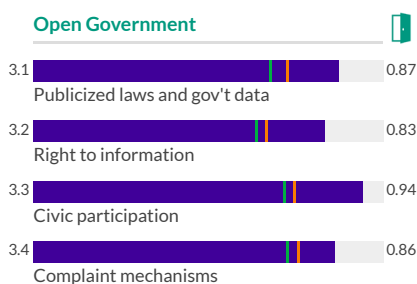
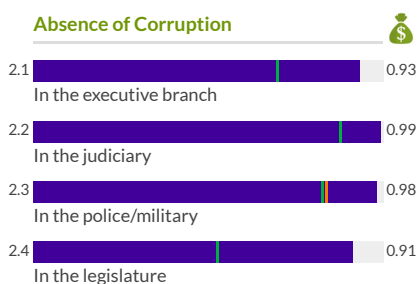
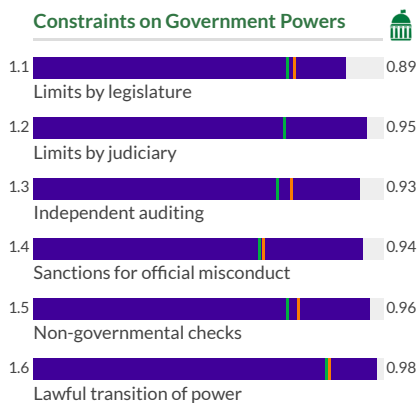
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.94	0.00	1/31	1/46	1/139
Absence of Corruption	0.95	0.00	1/31	1/46	1/139
Open Government	0.87	0.00	2/31	2/46	2/139
Fundamental Rights	0.92	0.00	1/31	1/46	1/139
Order and Security	0.92	0.00	6/31	8/46	8/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.89	-0.01	1/31	1/46	1/139
Civil Justice	0.86	0.00	1/31	1/46	1/139
Criminal Justice	0.83	0.01	3/31	3/46	3/139

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Low Medium High



Denmark EU, EFTA, and North America High



# Dominica

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

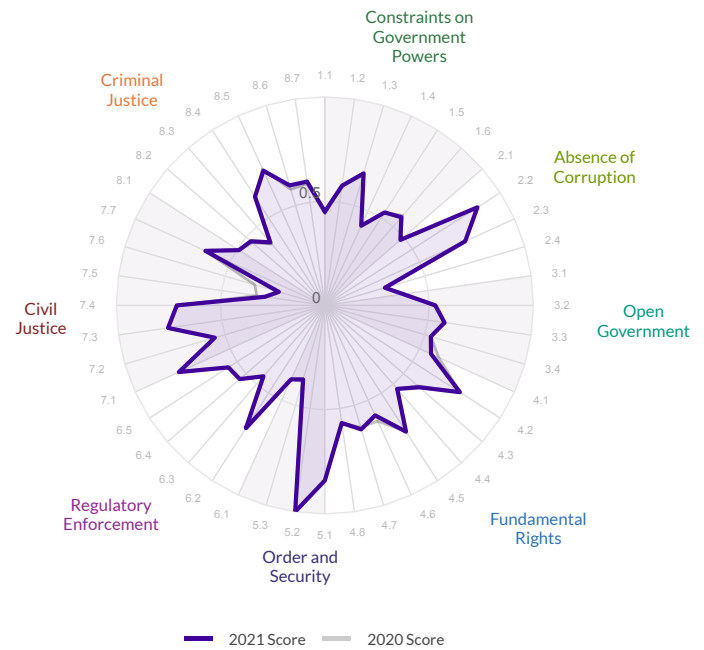
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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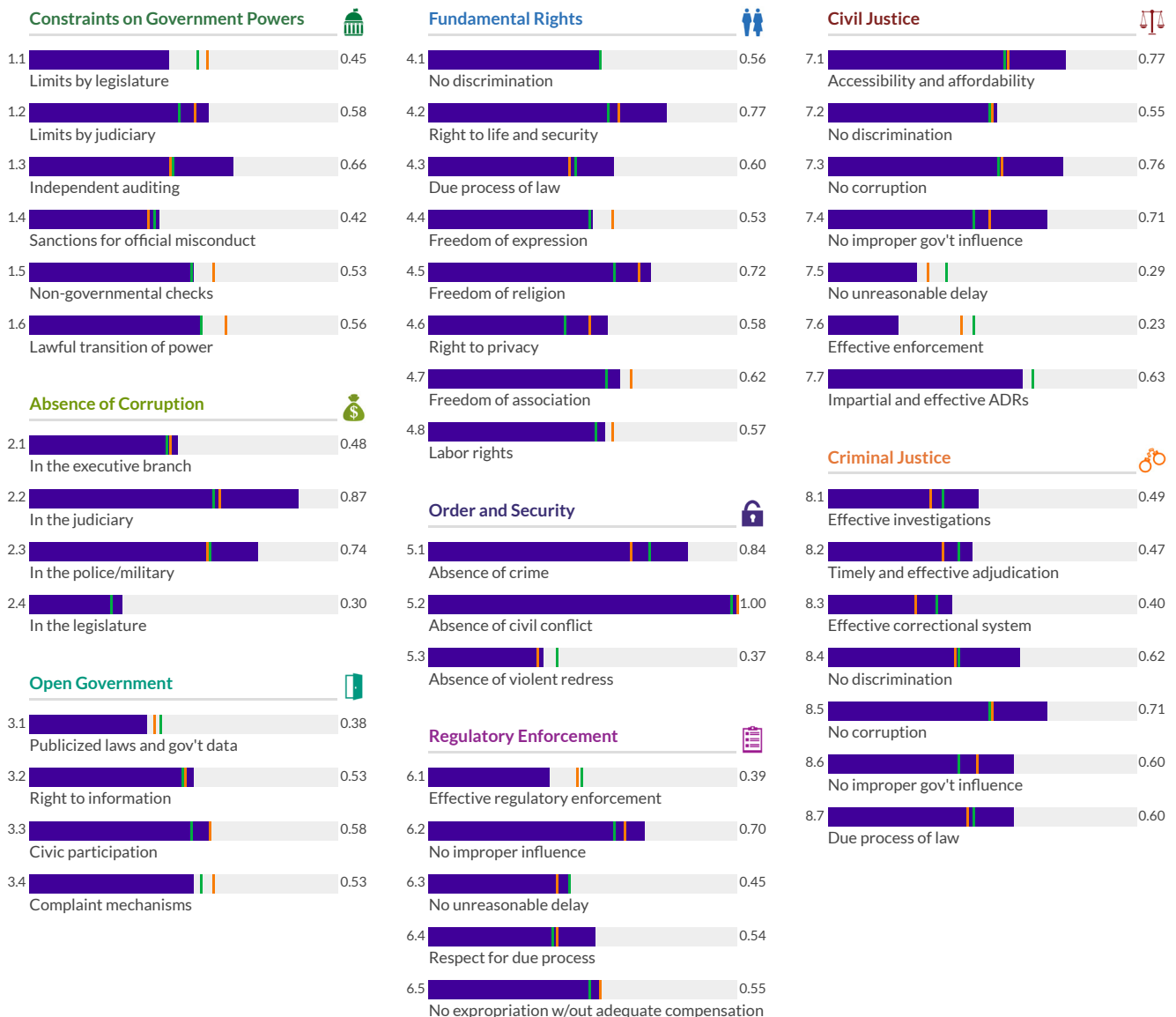
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.53	0.00	16/32	15/40	70/139
Absence of Corruption	0.60	0.00	10/32	6/40	44/139
Open Government	0.50	0.00	21/32	19/40	70/139
Fundamental Rights	0.62	-0.01	14/32	10/40	51/139
Order and Security	0.74	0.00	8/32	18/40	69/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.53	0.00	11/32	13/40	59/139
Civil Justice	0.56	-0.02	13/32	13/40	58/139
Criminal Justice	0.56	0.00	7/32	4/40	40/139

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Low Medium High



— Dominica — Latin America and Caribbean — Upper-Middle



# Dominican Republic

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

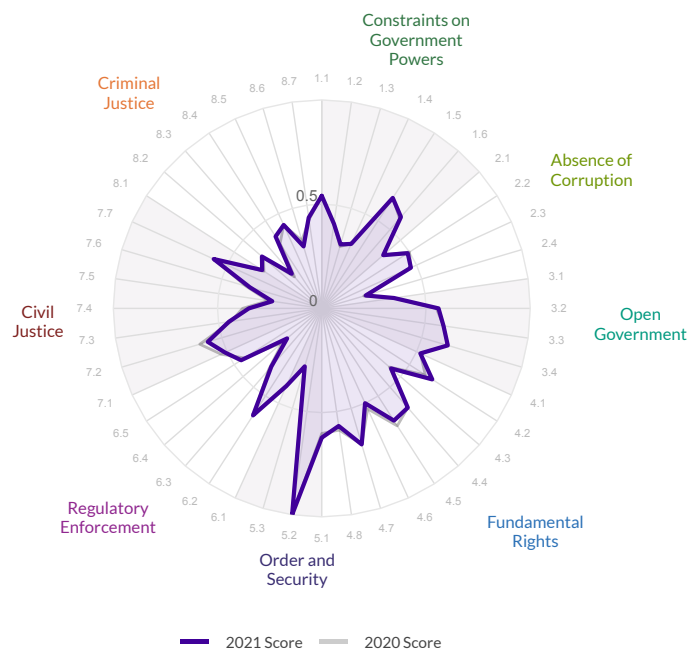
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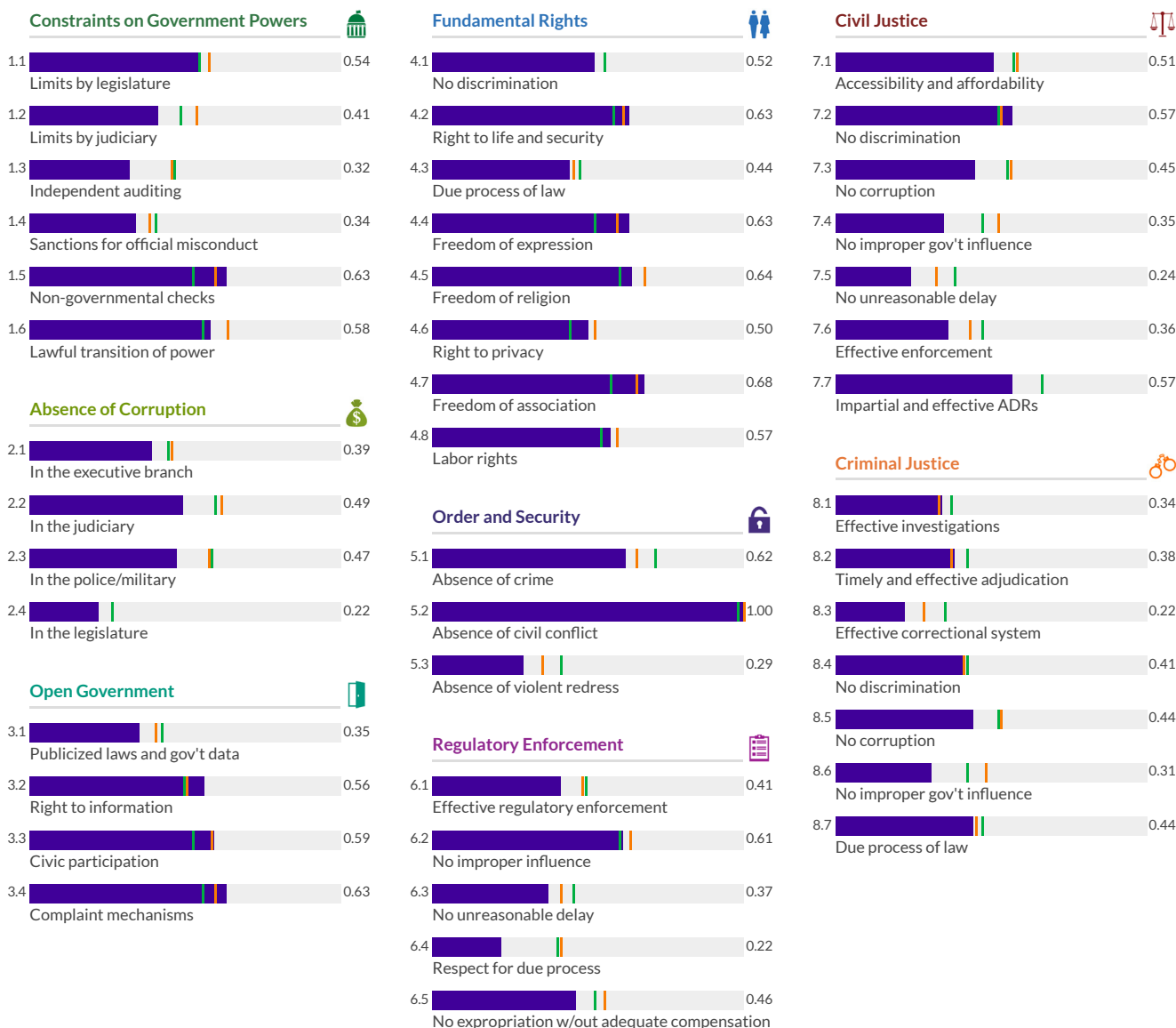
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.47	0.01	24/32	24/40	91/139
Absence of Corruption	0.39	0.00	21/32	32/40	100/139
Open Government	0.53	0.00	14/32	15/40	59/139
Fundamental Rights	0.57	0.00	17/32	18/40	67/139
Order and Security	0.64	0.00	21/32	30/40	107/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.41	0.00	27/32	38/40	117/139
Civil Justice	0.44	-0.02	24/32	34/40	111/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	0.01	17/32	28/40	96/139

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Low Medium High



Dominican Republic Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Ecuador

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

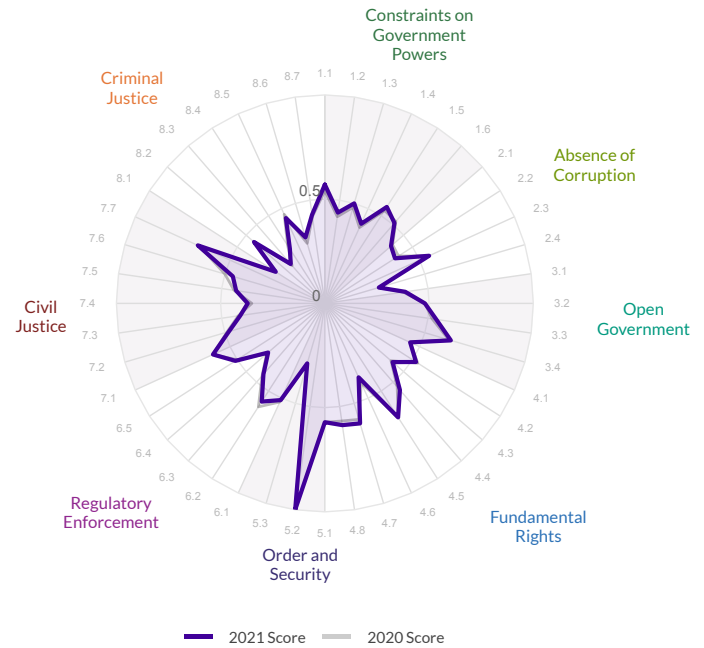
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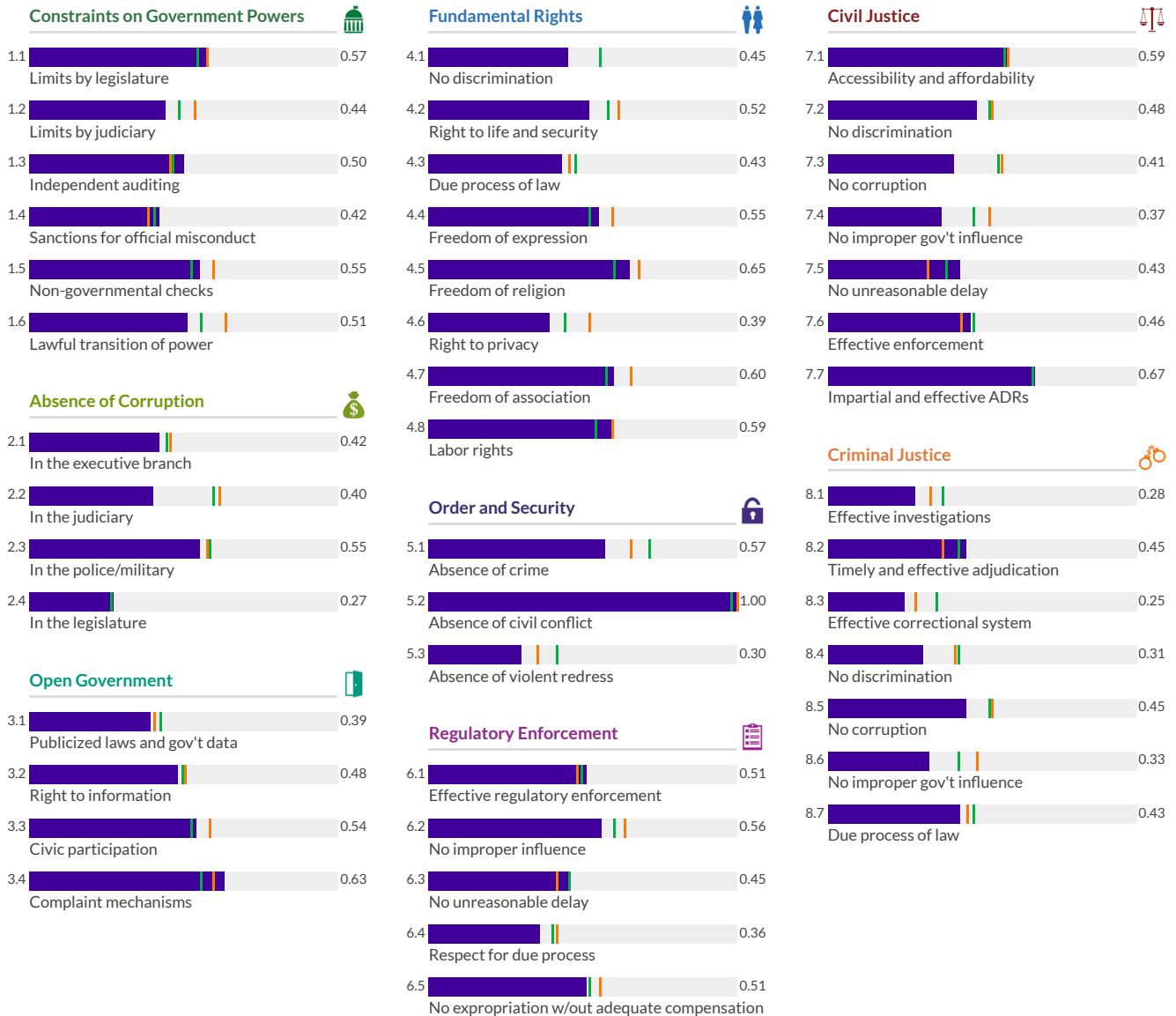
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.50	0.02	21/32	20/40	81/139
Absence of Corruption	0.41	-0.01	20/32	29/40	94/139
Open Government	0.51	0.01	19/32	18/40	68/139
Fundamental Rights	0.52	0.00	22/32	24/40	79/139
Order and Security	0.62	0.00	24/32	33/40	114/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	-0.01	20/32	23/40	84/139
Civil Justice	0.49	-0.01	19/32	25/40	83/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	0.00	18/32	30/40	101/139

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Low Medium High



Ecuador Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle











# Egypt, Arab Rep.

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

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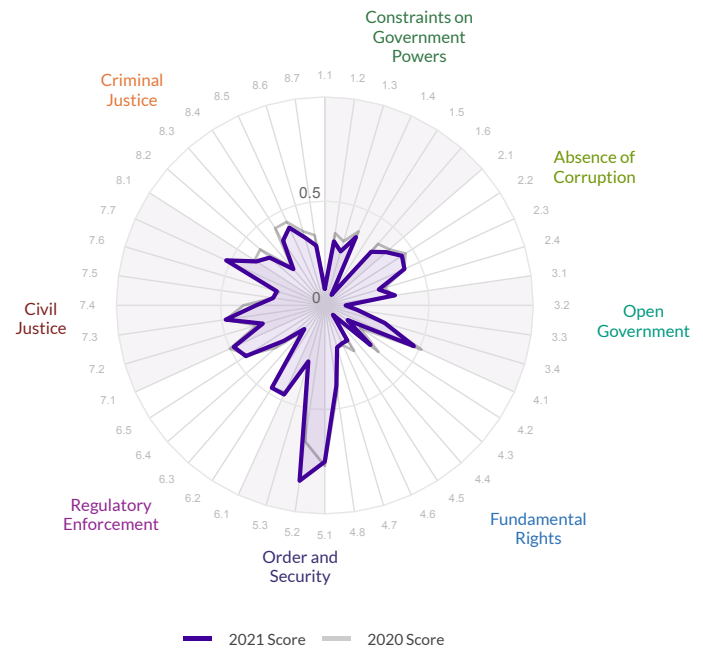
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0.35	8/8	34/35	136/139

Score Change	Rank Change
-0.01 ▾	0









	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.24	-0.03	8/8	35/35	138/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.38	-0.02	7/8	17/35	104/139
 Open Government	0.22	0.00	8/8	35/35	139/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.24	-0.03	7/8	35/35	138/139
 Order and Security	0.63	0.06*	8/8	27/35	113/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.36	-0.01	8/8	32/35	130/139
 Civil Justice	0.37	-0.01	8/8	31/35	130/139
 Criminal Justice	0.34	-0.03	8/8	24/35	109/139

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Low Medium High



— Egypt, Arab Rep. — Middle East and North Africa — Lower-Middle

<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.08</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.31</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.27</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.36</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.06</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.34</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.47</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.13</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.29</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.06</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.20</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.20</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.21</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.39</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.48</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.31</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.48</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.33</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.25</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.24</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.52</li> </ul>
<b>Absence of Corruption</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2.1 In the executive branch 0.39</li> <li>2.2 In the judiciary 0.44</li> <li>2.3 In the police/military 0.42</li> <li>2.4 In the legislature 0.27</li> </ul>	<b>Order and Security</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Absence of crime 0.75</li> <li>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 0.85</li> <li>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.28</li> </ul>	<b>Criminal Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Effective investigations 0.39</li> <li>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.35</li> <li>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.23</li> <li>8.4 No discrimination 0.37</li> <li>8.5 No corruption 0.41</li> <li>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.34</li> <li>8.7 Due process of law 0.29</li> </ul>
<b>Open Government</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.34</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.10</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.16</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.30</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.47</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.47</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.15</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.26</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.45</li> </ul>	

# El Salvador

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

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0.48	24/32	15/35	95/139

Score Change	Rank Change
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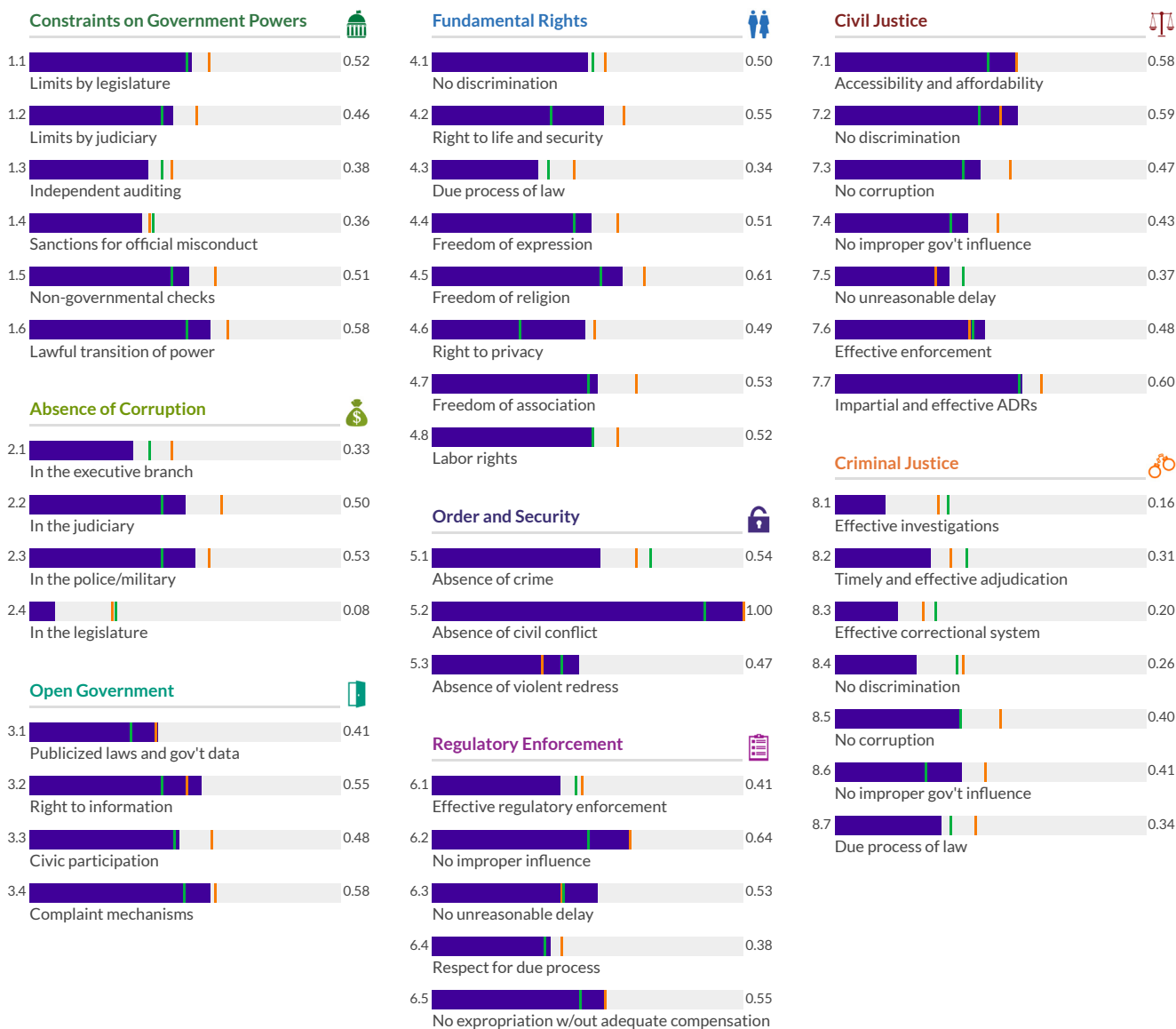
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Absence of Corruption	0.36	-0.02	23/32	19/35	108/139
Open Government	0.51	-0.03*	20/32	7/35	69/139
Fundamental Rights	0.50	-0.03*	25/32	10/35	89/139
Order and Security	0.67	0.02	14/32	17/35	92/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.50	-0.01	16/32	6/35	68/139
Civil Justice	0.50	-0.03*	18/32	7/35	76/139
Criminal Justice	0.30	-0.01	24/32	28/35	125/139

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Low Medium High



El Salvador Latin America and Caribbean Lower-Middle



# Estonia

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

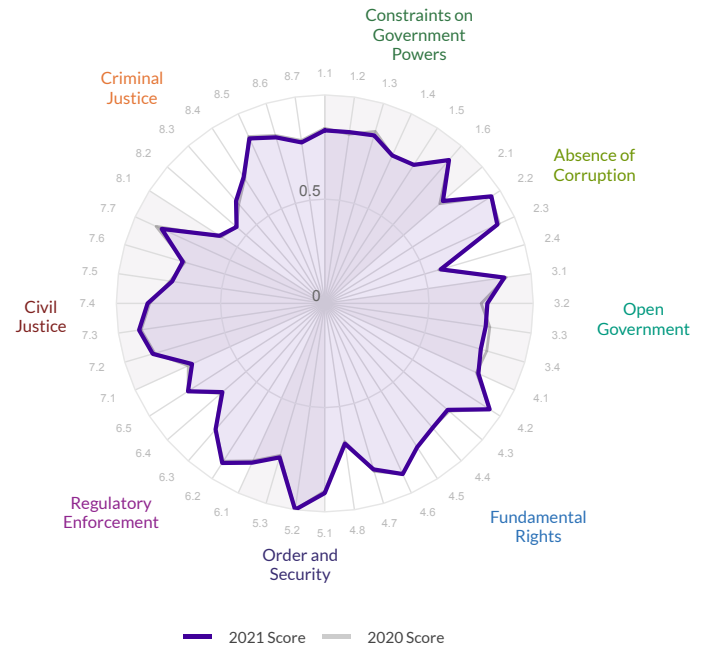
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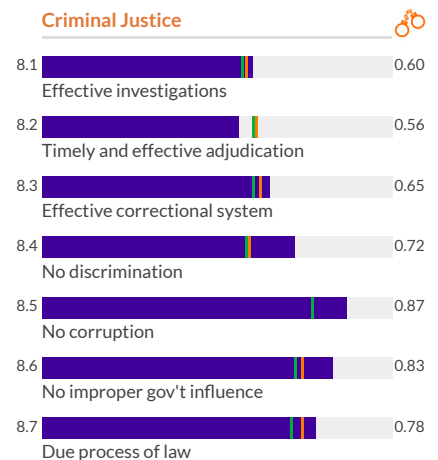
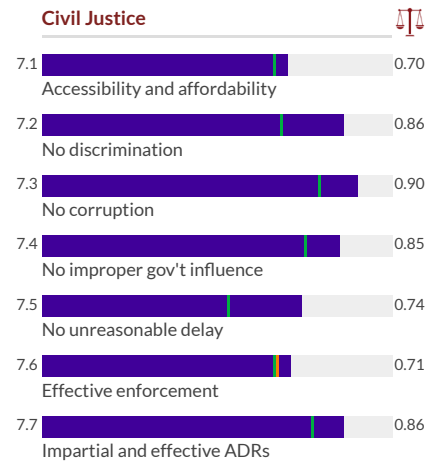
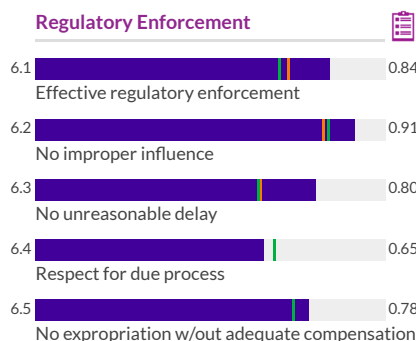
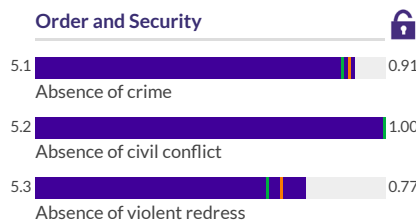
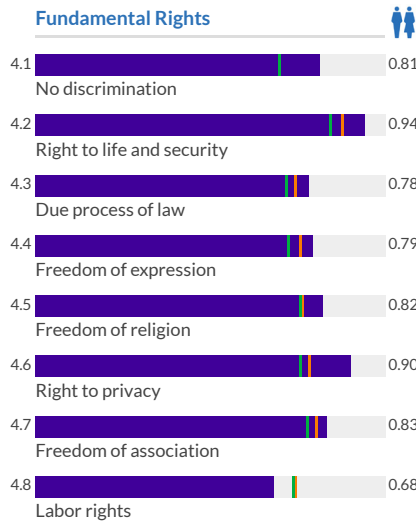
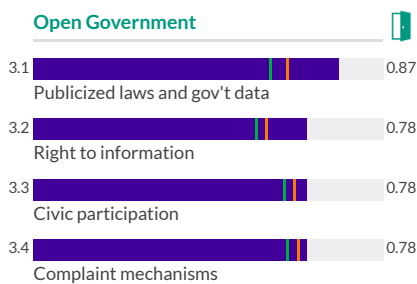
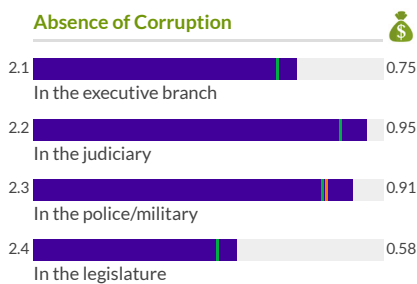
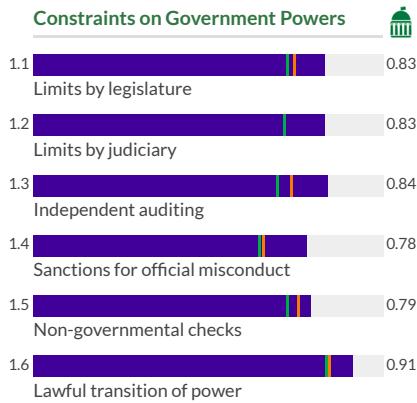
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.83	0.00	8/31	9/46	9/139
Absence of Corruption	0.80	0.01	13/31	19/46	19/139
Open Government	0.80	-0.01	7/31	9/46	9/139
Fundamental Rights	0.82	0.00	11/31	12/46	12/139
Order and Security	0.89	0.00	13/31	17/46	18/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.79	0.00	13/31	17/46	17/139
Civil Justice	0.80	0.00	7/31	7/46	7/139
Criminal Justice	0.72	0.00	11/31	15/46	15/139

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Low Medium High



— Estonia — EU, EFTA, and North America — High



# Ethiopia

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

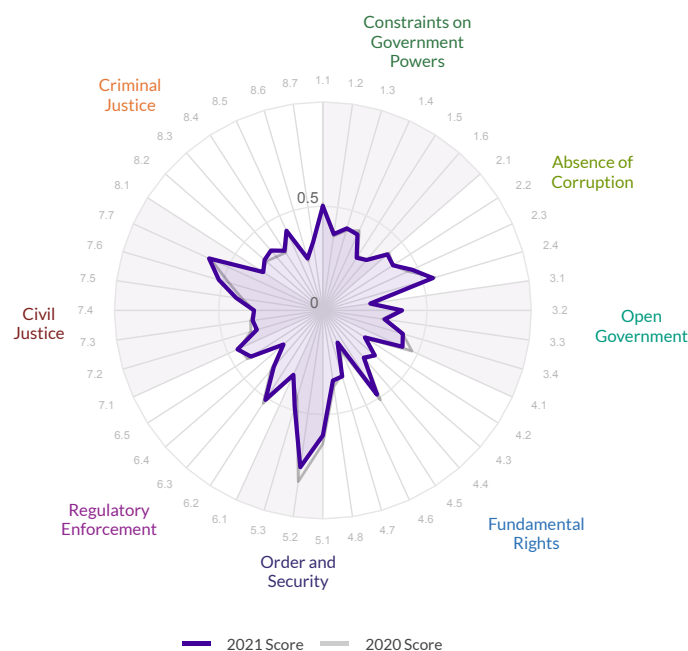
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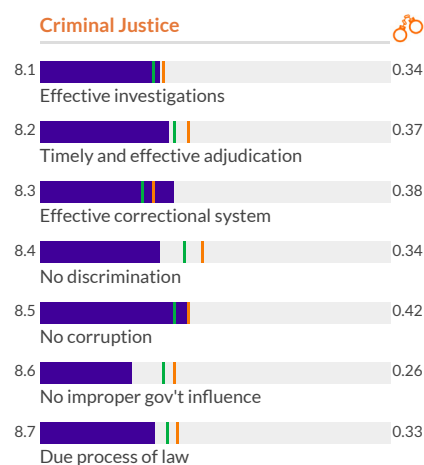
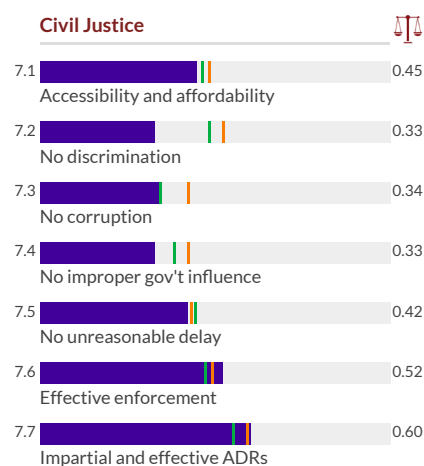
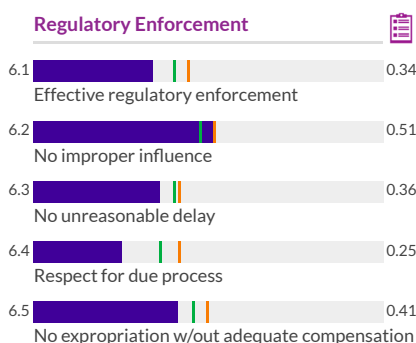
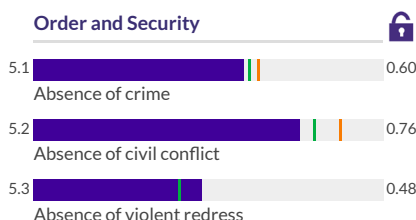
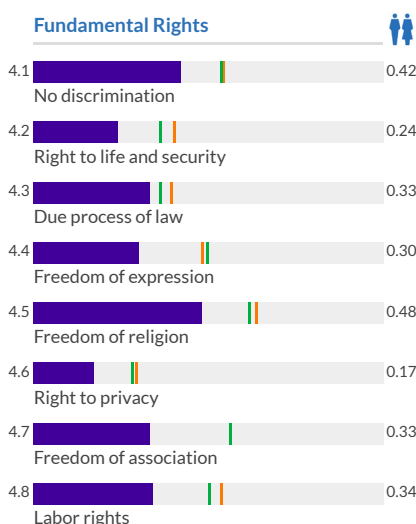
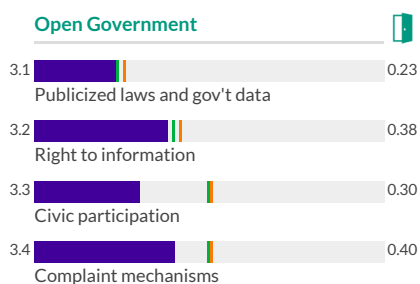
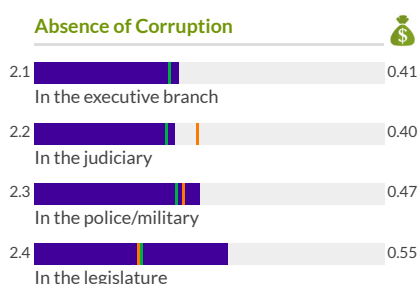
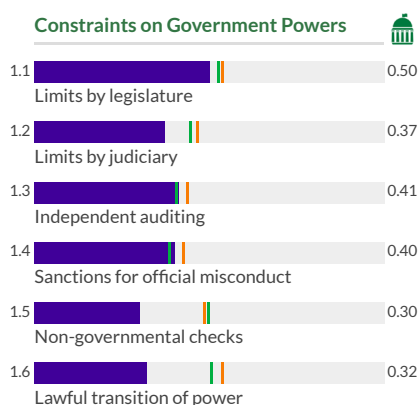
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Absence of Corruption	0.46	0.00	8/33	3/18	71/139
Open Government	0.33	0.00	29/33	17/18	131/139
Fundamental Rights	0.33	-0.02	33/33	18/18	132/139
Order and Security	0.61	-0.02	22/33	10/18	117/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.38	-0.01	26/33	11/18	126/139
Civil Justice	0.43	0.01	23/33	9/18	115/139
Criminal Justice	0.35	0.01	23/33	9/18	106/139

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Low Medium High



— Ethiopia — Sub-Saharan Africa — Low











# Finland

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

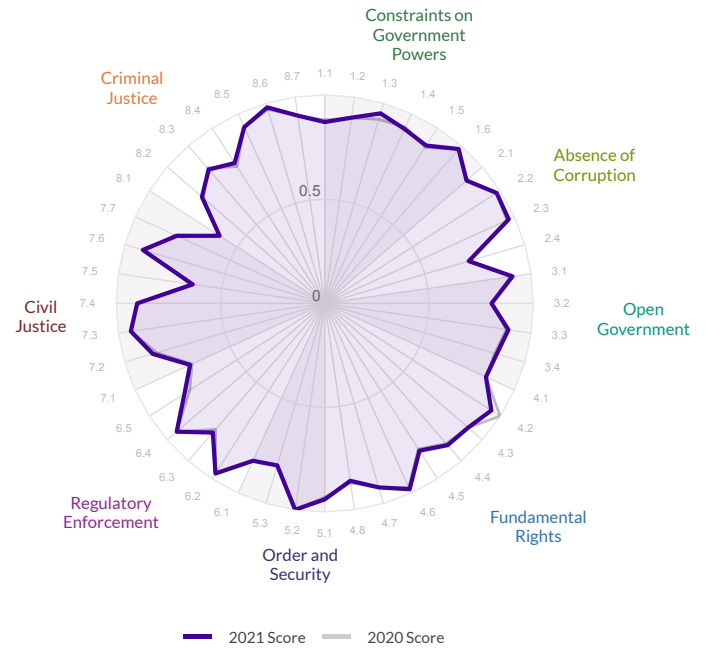
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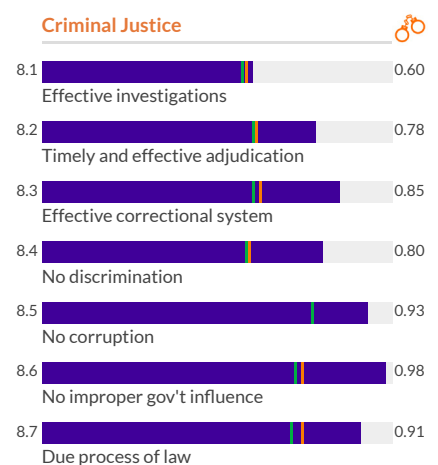
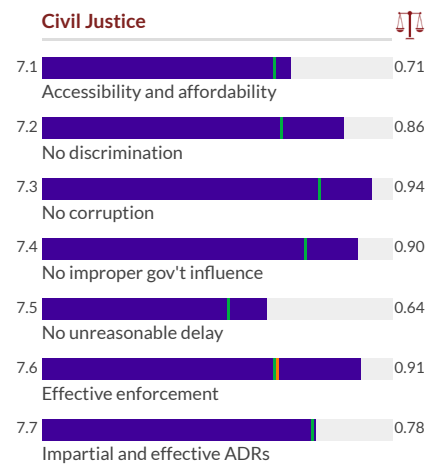
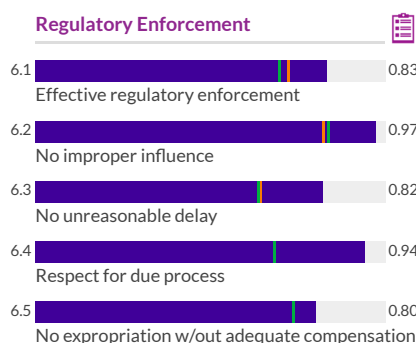
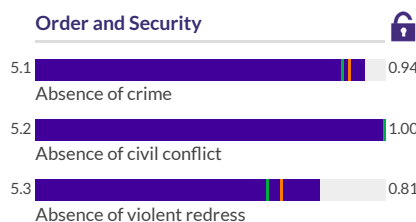
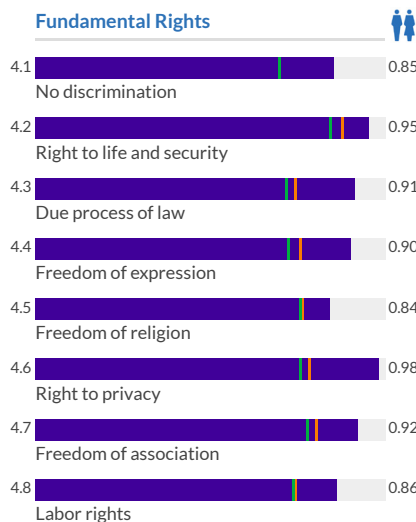
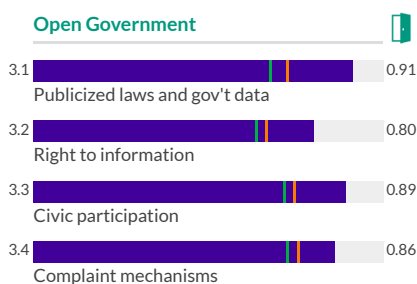
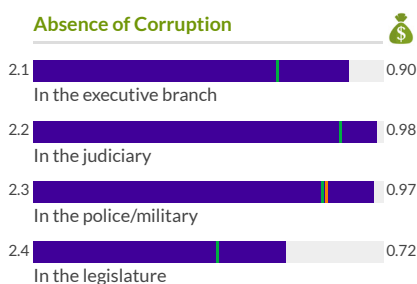
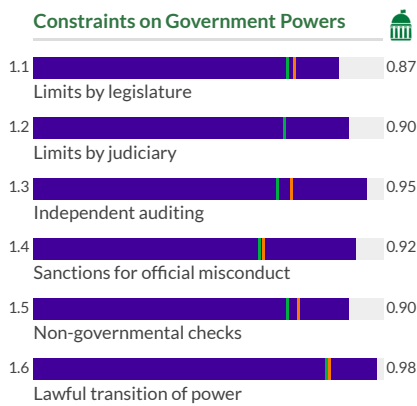
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 Absence of Corruption	0.89	0.00	4/31	5/46	5/139
 Open Government	0.87	0.01	3/31	3/46	3/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.90	-0.01	3/31	3/46	3/139
 Order and Security	0.92	0.00	7/31	10/46	10/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.87	0.01	3/31	3/46	3/139
 Civil Justice	0.82	0.01	6/31	6/46	6/139
 Criminal Justice	0.84	0.01	2/31	2/46	2/139

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Low Medium High



Finland EU, EFTA, and North America High



# France

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

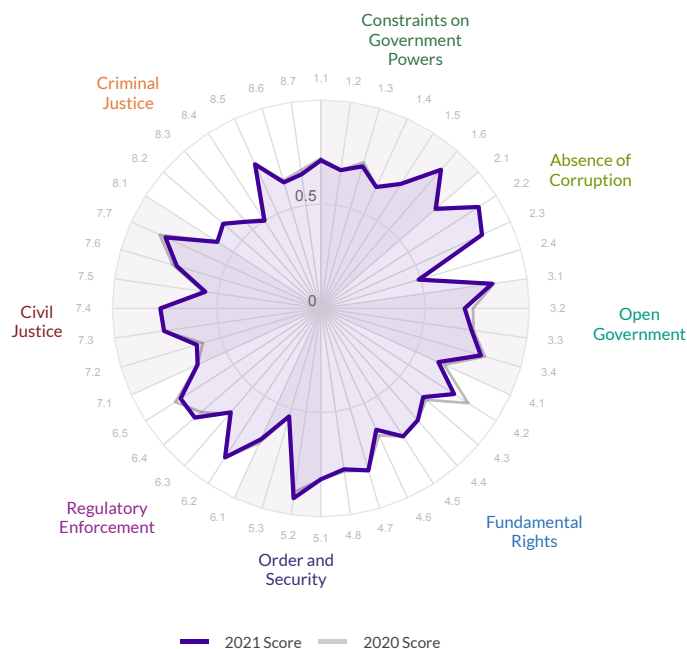
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.72	17/31	23/46	23/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▾	0		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.72	0.00	18/31	22/46	23/139
Absence of Corruption	0.74	0.00	14/31	20/46	20/139
Open Government	0.76	-0.02	13/31	15/46	15/139
Fundamental Rights	0.71	-0.02	24/31	31/46	32/139
Order and Security	0.76	0.01	29/31	38/46	57/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.76	0.00	14/31	19/46	19/139
Civil Justice	0.70	-0.01	14/31	21/46	21/139
Criminal Justice	0.61	-0.01	21/31	28/46	29/139

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Low Medium High



France EU, EFTA, and North America High

## Constraints on Government Powers

1.1	Limits by legislature	0.71
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.67
1.3	Independent auditing	0.71
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.64
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.71
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.88

## Absence of Corruption

2.1	In the executive branch	0.73
2.2	In the judiciary	0.90
2.3	In the police/military	0.85
2.4	In the legislature	0.49

## Open Government

3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.83
3.2	Right to information	0.69
3.3	Civic participation	0.73
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.80

## Fundamental Rights

4.1	No discrimination	0.62
4.2	Right to life and security	0.76
4.3	Due process of law	0.65
4.4	Freedom of expression	0.71
4.5	Freedom of religion	0.73
4.6	Right to privacy	0.64
4.7	Freedom of association	0.81
4.8	Labor rights	0.78

## Order and Security

5.1	Absence of crime	0.82
5.2	Absence of civil conflict	0.92
5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.54

## Regulatory Enforcement

6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.69
6.2	No improper influence	0.85
6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.66
6.4	Respect for due process	0.80
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.80

## Civil Justice

7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.65
7.2	No discrimination	0.62
7.3	No corruption	0.76
7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.77
7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.56
7.6	Effective enforcement	0.72
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.82

## Criminal Justice

8.1	Effective investigations	0.59
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.62
8.3	Effective correctional system	0.55
8.4	No discrimination	0.50
8.5	No corruption	0.76
8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.63
8.7	Due process of law	0.65

# The Gambia

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

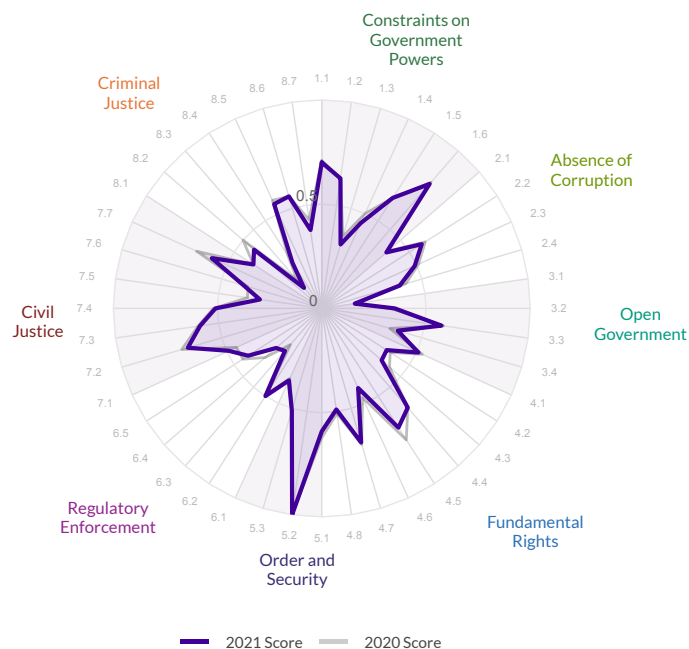
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0.49	10/33	4/18	89/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.59	-0.02	7/33	2/18	54/139
Absence of Corruption	0.47	-0.02	7/33	2/18	67/139
Open Government	0.37	0.01	24/33	13/18	121/139
Fundamental Rights	0.52	-0.03	10/33	3/18	80/139
Order and Security	0.70	-0.01	11/33	5/18	80/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.37	-0.01	27/33	12/18	128/139
Civil Justice	0.50	-0.02	9/33	3/18	77/139
Criminal Justice	0.39	-0.03	14/33	4/18	87/139

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Low Medium High



The Gambia Sub-Saharan Africa Low

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature 0.70
1.2	Limits by judiciary 0.63
1.3	Independent auditing 0.32
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct 0.45
1.5	Non-governmental checks 0.63
1.6	Lawful transition of power 0.79
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch 0.41
2.2	In the judiciary 0.57
2.3	In the police/military 0.49
2.4	In the legislature 0.39
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data 0.16
3.2	Right to information 0.35
3.3	Civic participation 0.58
3.4	Complaint mechanisms 0.38

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination 0.51
4.2	Right to life and security 0.37
4.3	Due process of law 0.38
4.4	Freedom of expression 0.63
4.5	Freedom of religion 0.68
4.6	Right to privacy 0.42
4.7	Freedom of association 0.67
4.8	Labor rights 0.49
Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime 0.59
5.2	Absence of civil conflict 1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress 0.51
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement 0.38
6.2	No improper influence 0.50
6.3	No unreasonable delay 0.27
6.4	Respect for due process 0.29
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.42

Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability 0.49
7.2	No discrimination 0.67
7.3	No corruption 0.59
7.4	No improper gov't influence 0.51
7.5	No unreasonable delay 0.30
7.6	Effective enforcement 0.39
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs 0.58
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations 0.39
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication 0.43
8.3	Effective correctional system 0.13
8.4	No discrimination 0.26
8.5	No corruption 0.55
8.6	No improper gov't influence 0.56
8.7	Due process of law 0.38

# Georgia

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

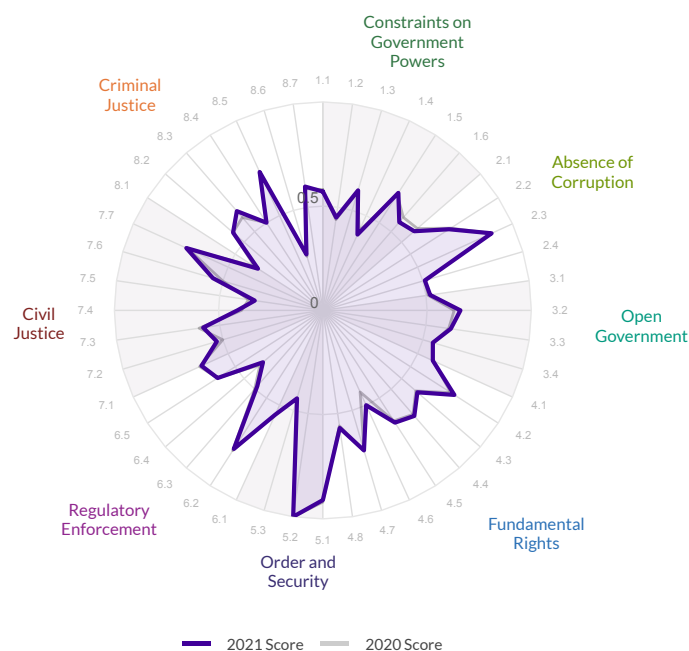
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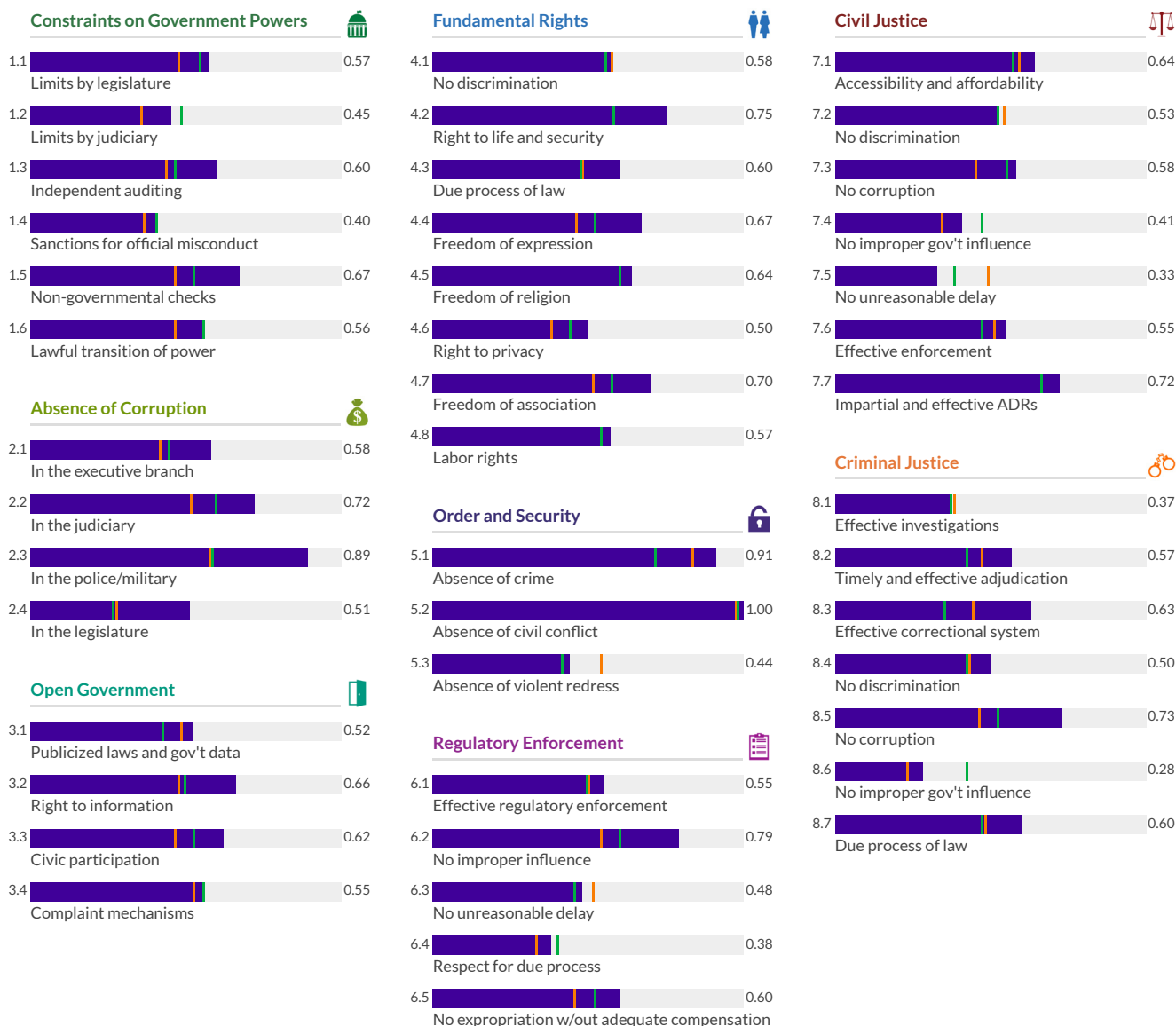
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.54	0.00	1/14	14/40	68/139
Absence of Corruption	0.68	-0.01	1/14	2/40	31/139
Open Government	0.59	0.01	1/14	7/40	45/139
Fundamental Rights	0.63	0.02	1/14	9/40	50/139
Order and Security	0.79	0.00	7/14	6/40	43/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.56	-0.01	1/14	6/40	49/139
Civil Justice	0.54	0.01	4/14	16/40	67/139
Criminal Justice	0.53	0.01	1/14	9/40	51/139

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Low Medium High



Georgia Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle











# Germany

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

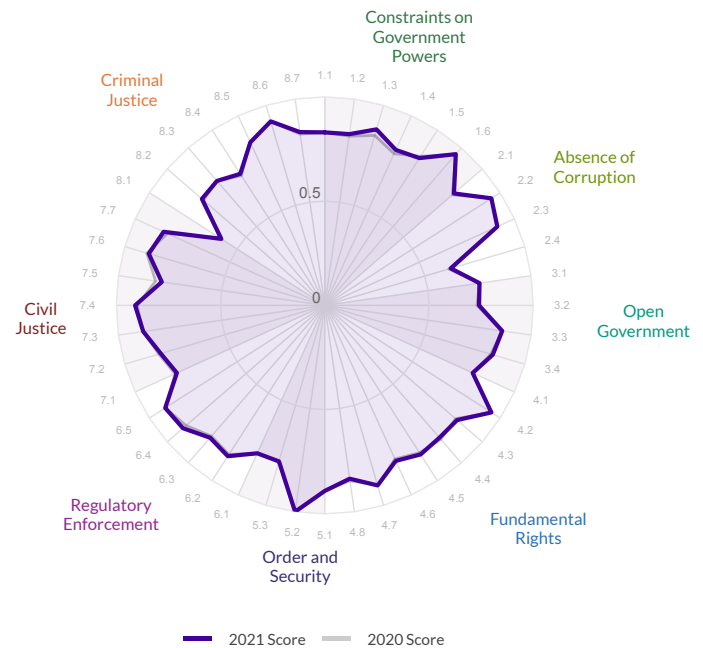
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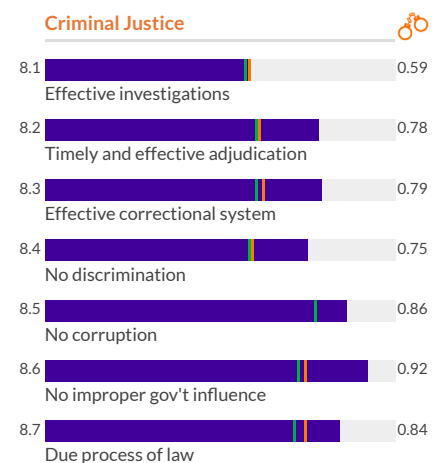
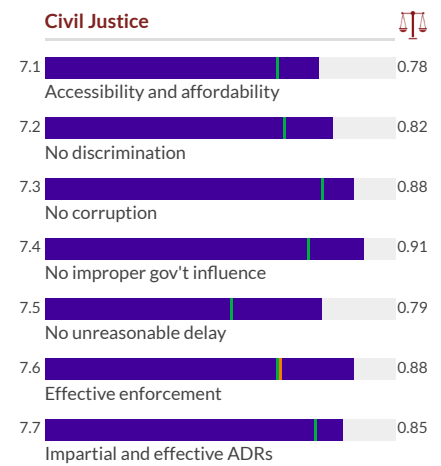
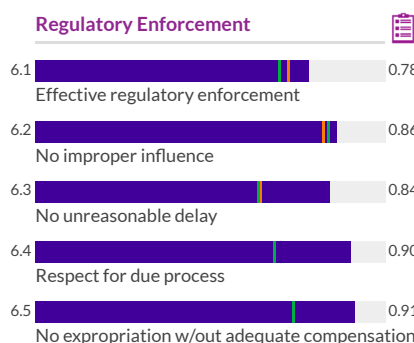
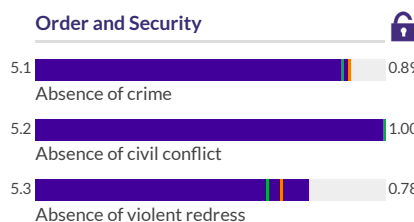
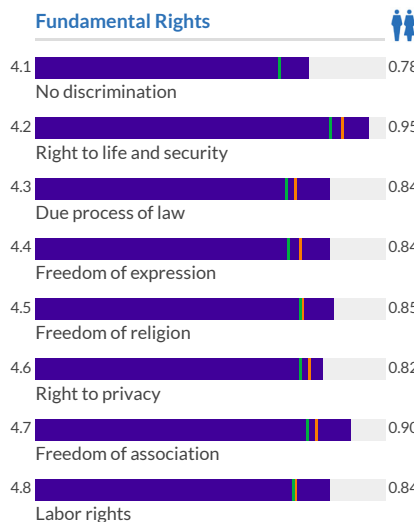
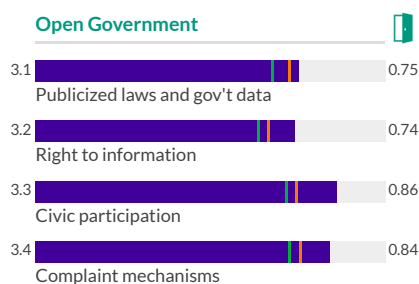
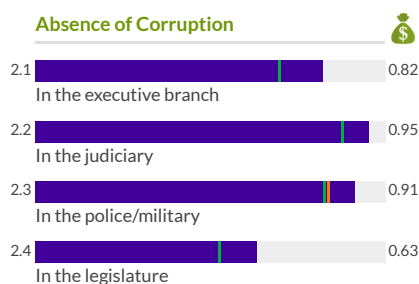
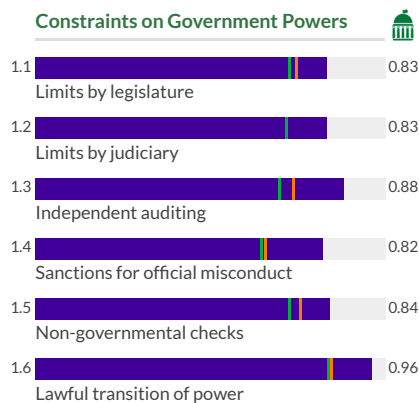
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 Constraints on Government Powers	0.86	0.01	5/31	5/46	5/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.83	0.00	7/31	10/46	10/139
 Open Government	0.80	0.00	8/31	10/46	10/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.85	0.00	6/31	6/46	6/139
 Order and Security	0.89	0.00	15/31	19/46	20/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.86	0.01	4/31	6/46	6/139
 Civil Justice	0.84	0.00	3/31	3/46	3/139
 Criminal Justice	0.79	0.00	6/31	6/46	6/139

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Low Medium High



Germany EU, EFTA, and North America High



# Ghana

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

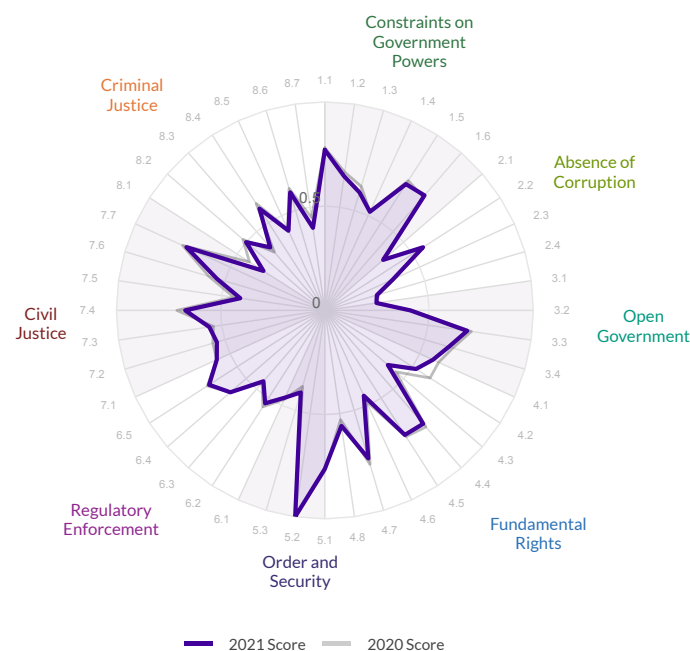
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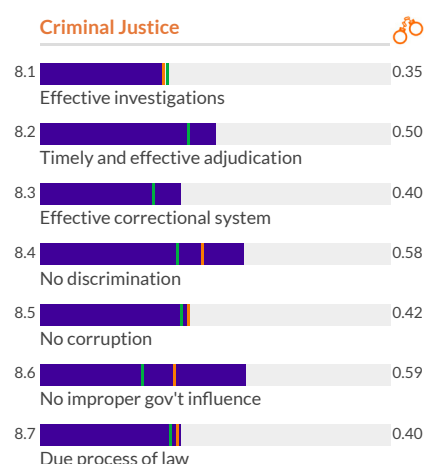
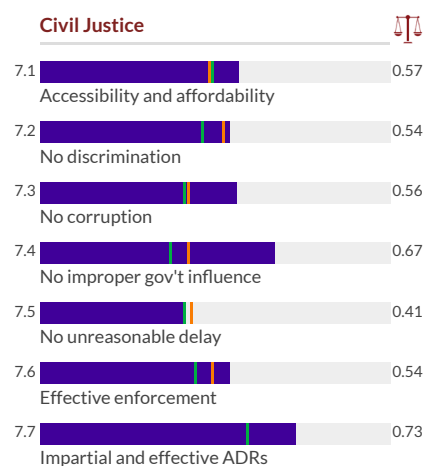
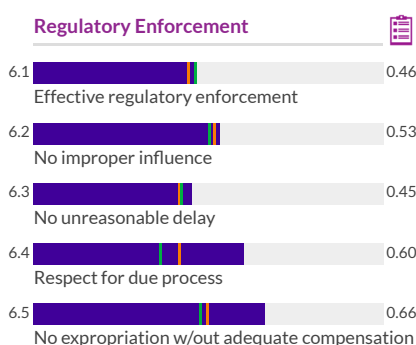
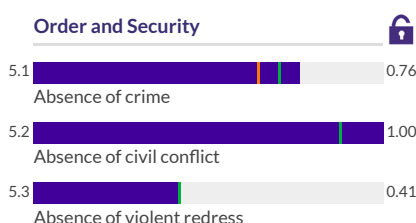
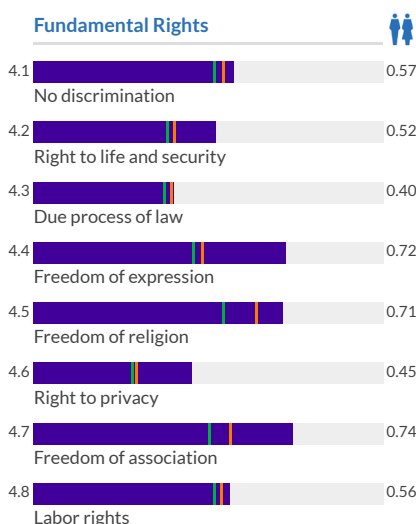
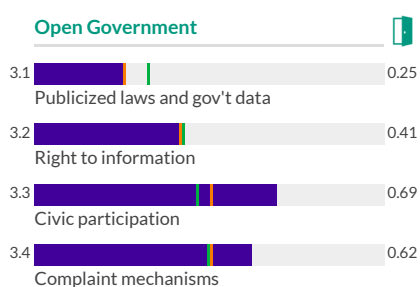
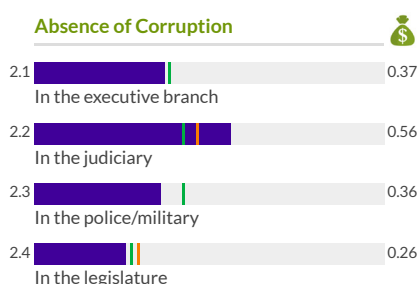
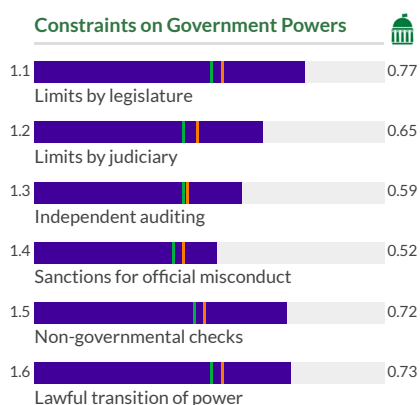
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.66	-0.01	2/33	1/35	34/139
Absence of Corruption	0.39	0.00	16/33	15/35	102/139
Open Government	0.49	-0.01	5/33	11/35	75/139
Fundamental Rights	0.58	-0.03	5/33	3/35	62/139
Order and Security	0.72	0.01	6/33	10/35	71/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.54	-0.01	7/33	2/35	57/139
Civil Justice	0.57	-0.02	6/33	1/35	53/139
Criminal Justice	0.46	-0.03	8/33	3/35	63/139

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Low Medium High



— Ghana — Sub-Saharan Africa — Lower-Middle











# Greece

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

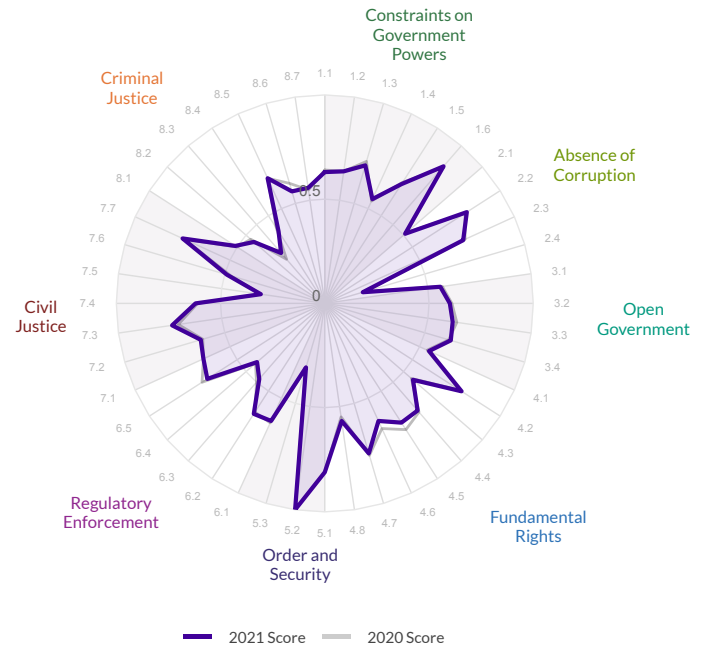
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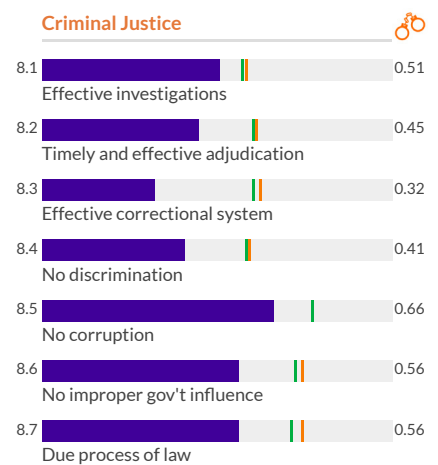
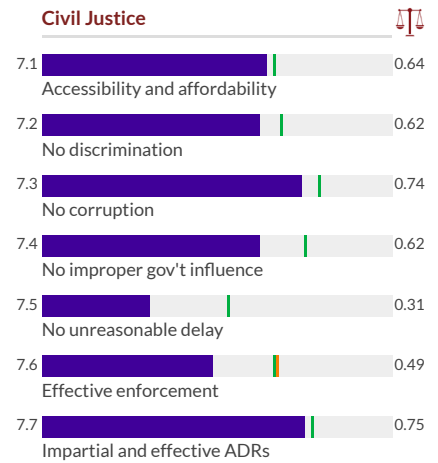
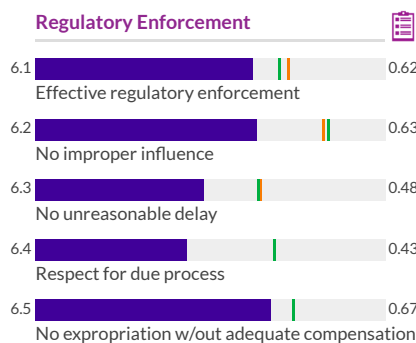
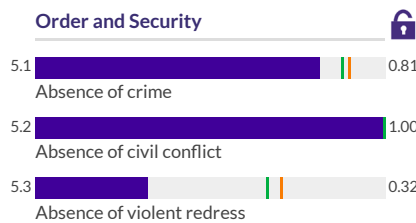
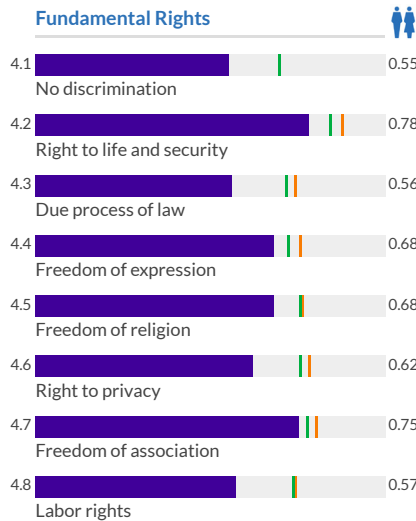
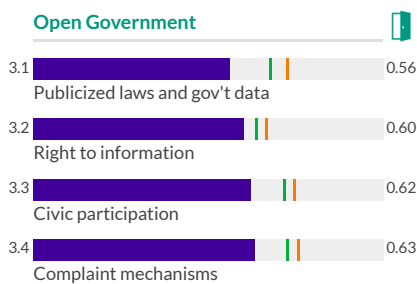
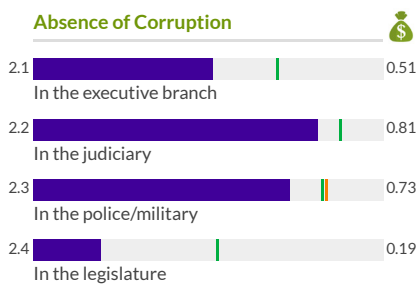
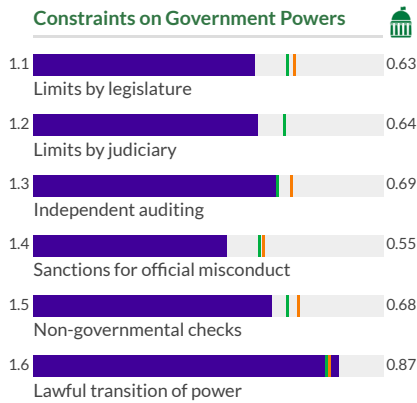
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 Absence of Corruption	0.56	0.00	26/31	40/46	50/139
 Open Government	0.61	0.00	27/31	35/46	39/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.65	-0.01	28/31	39/46	44/139
 Order and Security	0.71	0.00	31/31	42/46	74/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.57	-0.01	29/31	42/46	48/139
 Civil Justice	0.60	0.01	26/31	39/46	50/139
 Criminal Justice	0.50	0.00	28/31	42/46	55/139

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Low Medium High



— Greece — EU, EFTA, and North America — High



# Grenada

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

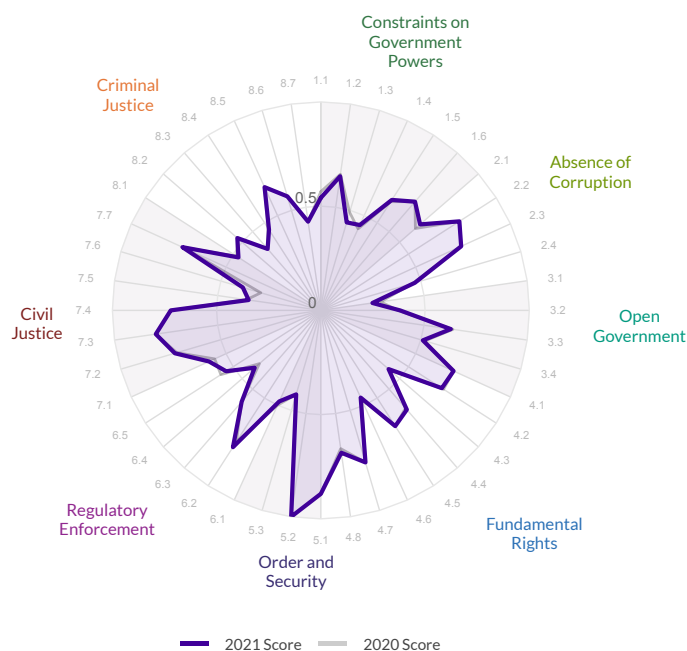
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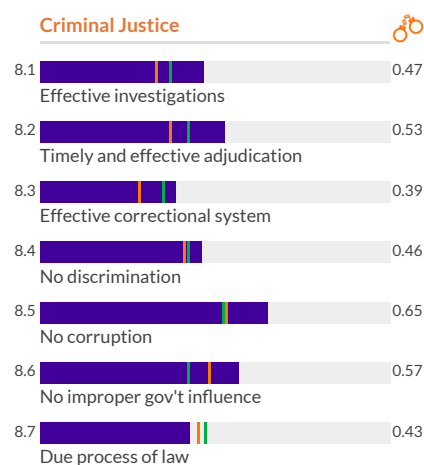
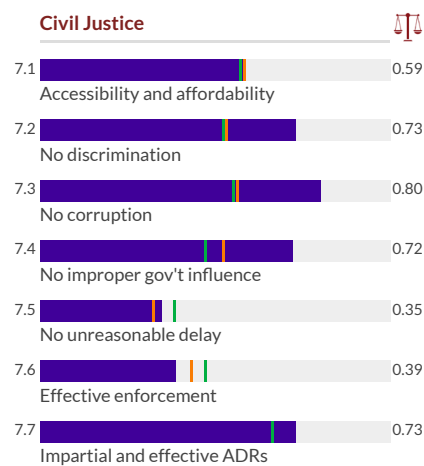
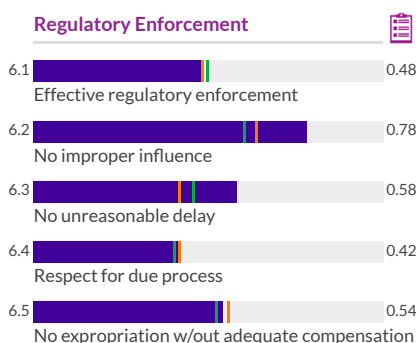
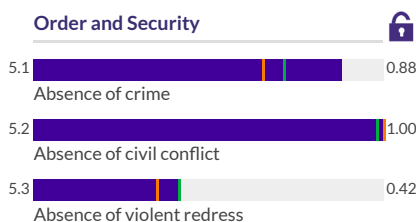
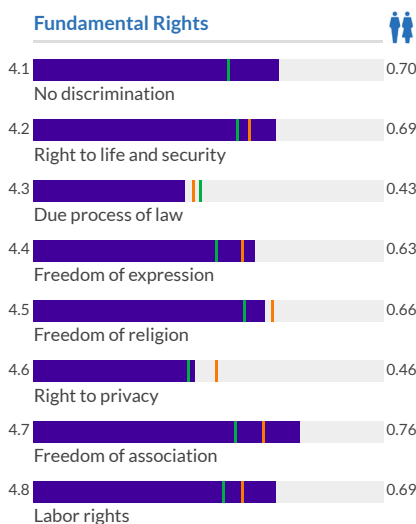
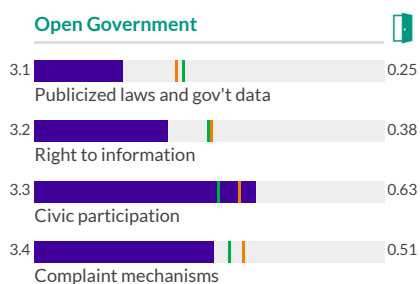
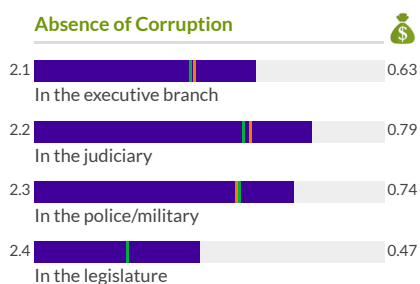
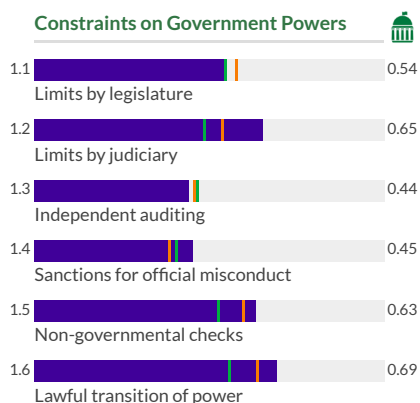
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.57	-0.01	13/32	11/40	58/139
Absence of Corruption	0.66	0.01	5/32	3/40	35/139
Open Government	0.44	-0.02	24/32	29/40	93/139
Fundamental Rights	0.63	0.00	13/32	8/40	49/139
Order and Security	0.77	0.00	4/32	12/40	54/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.56	0.00	8/32	7/40	50/139
Civil Justice	0.61	0.02	8/32	6/40	43/139
Criminal Justice	0.50	0.00	12/32	12/40	54/139

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Low Medium High



Grenada Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Guatemala

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

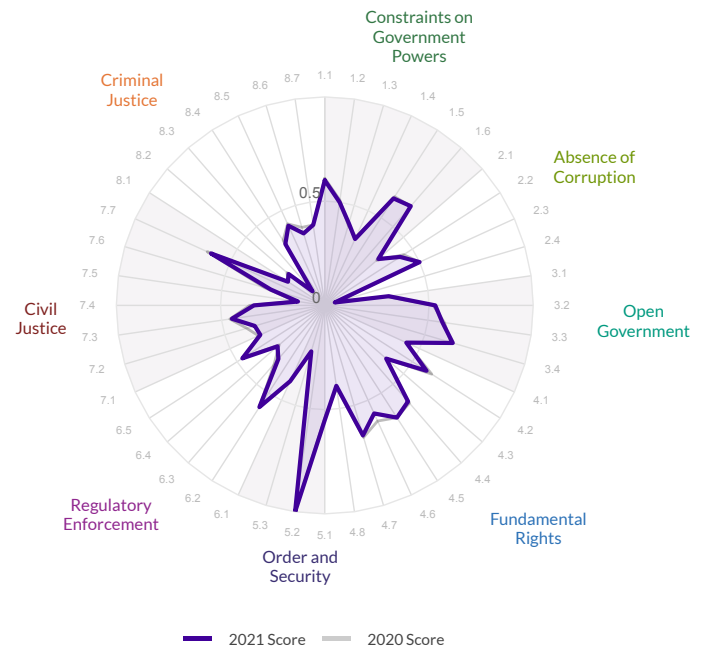
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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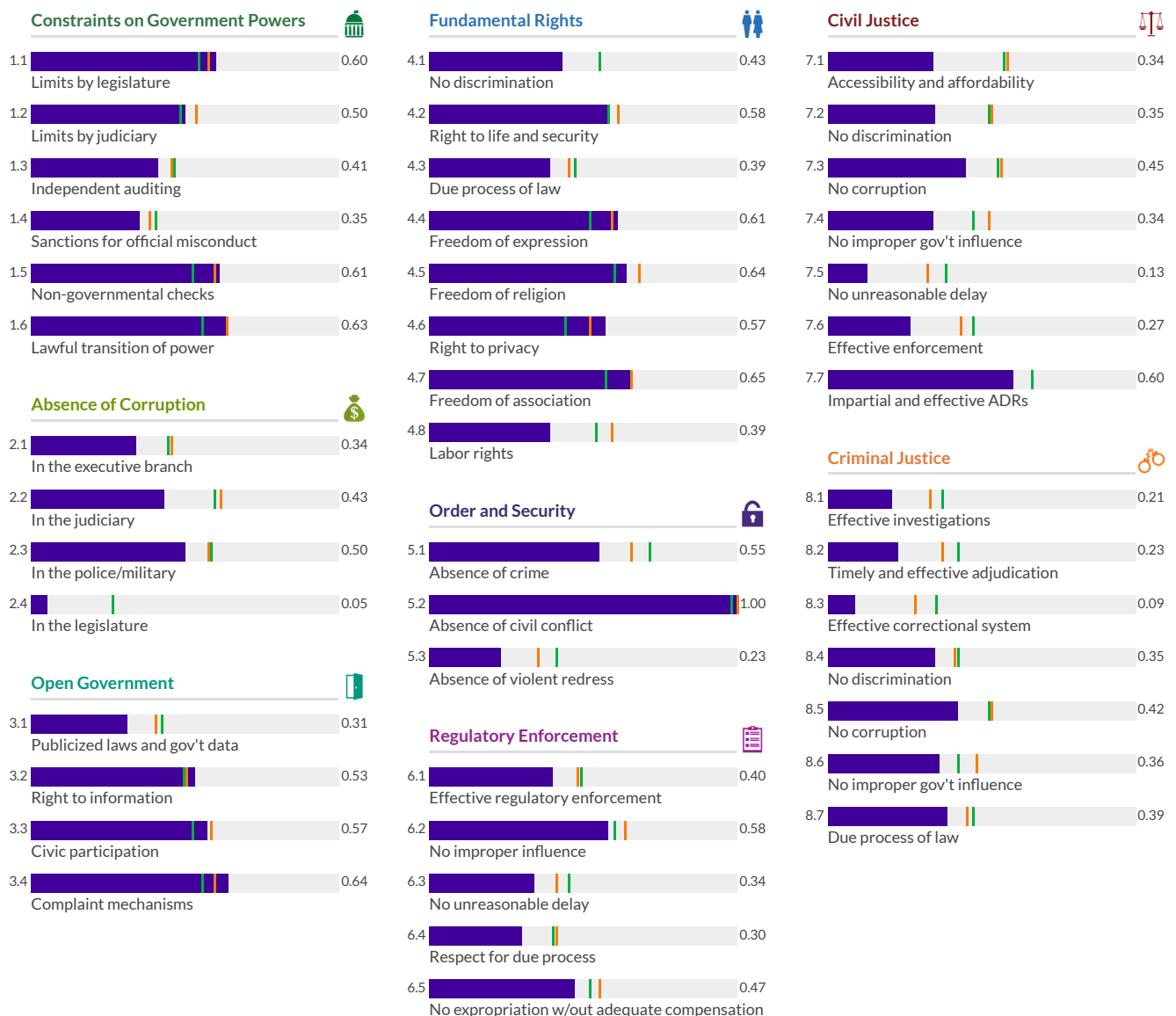
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.52	-0.01	19/32	18/40	74/139
Absence of Corruption	0.33	0.00	24/32	36/40	114/139
Open Government	0.51	0.00	18/32	17/40	67/139
Fundamental Rights	0.53	-0.01	19/32	21/40	74/139
Order and Security	0.59	0.00	27/32	37/40	123/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.42	0.00	25/32	36/40	115/139
Civil Justice	0.36	-0.02	30/32	39/40	134/139
Criminal Justice	0.29	-0.01	25/32	37/40	127/139

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Low Medium High



Guatemala Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Guinea

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

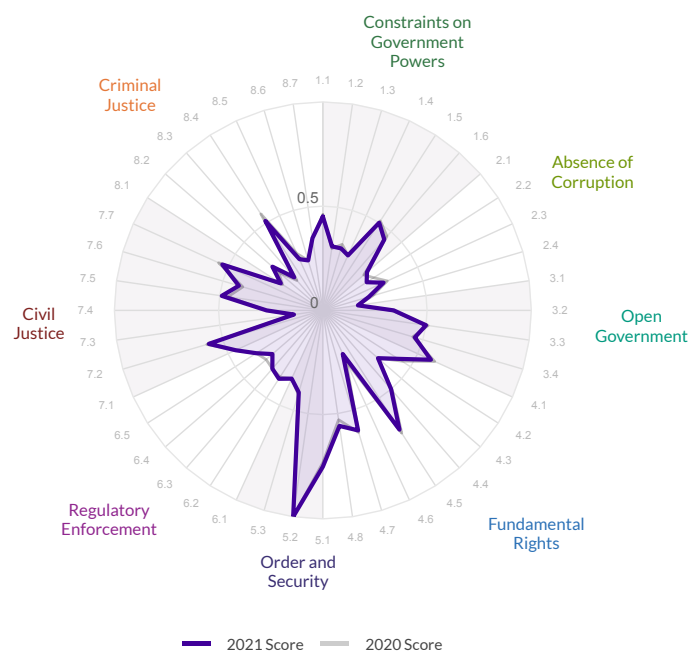
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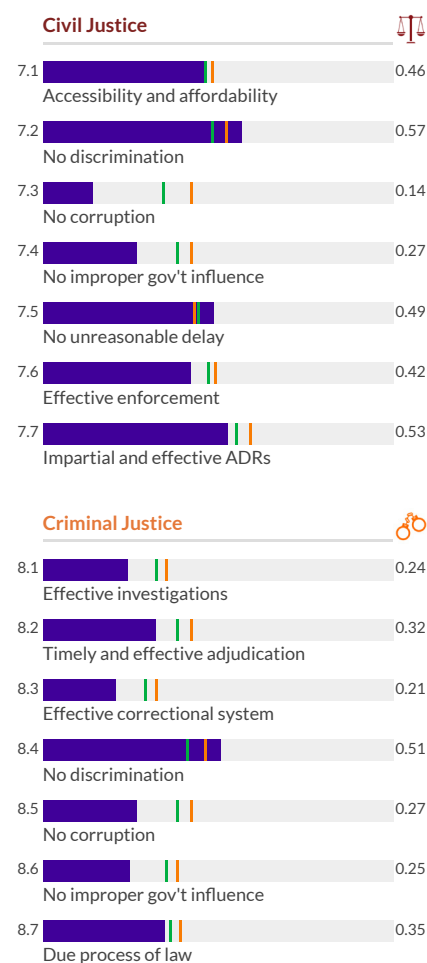
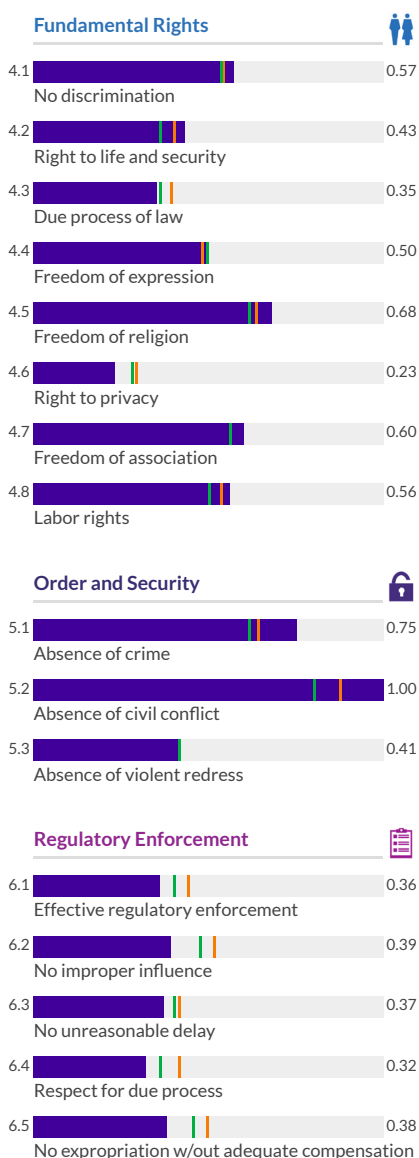
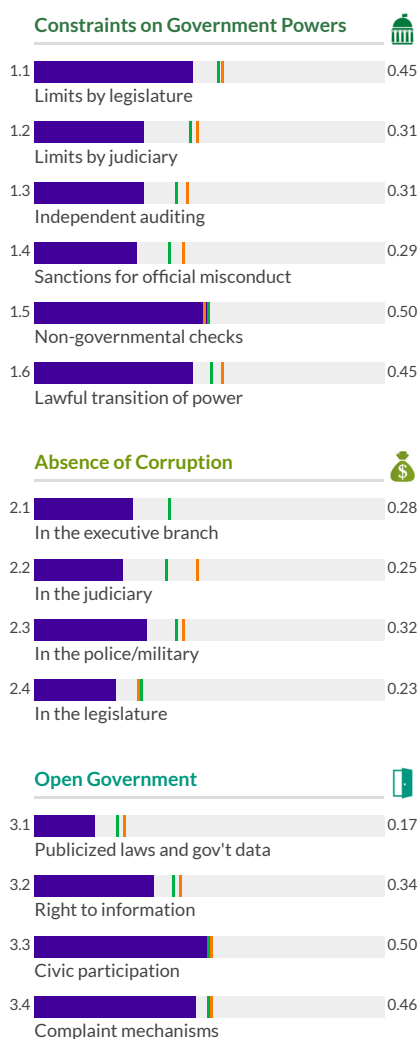
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.38	-0.01	26/33	16/18	118/139
Absence of Corruption	0.27	-0.02	30/33	16/18	134/139
Open Government	0.36	0.00	25/33	14/18	123/139
Fundamental Rights	0.49	-0.01	15/33	8/18	92/139
Order and Security	0.72	0.00	7/33	3/18	72/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.36	-0.01	28/33	13/18	129/139
Civil Justice	0.41	0.00	29/33	15/18	123/139
Criminal Justice	0.31	0.00	29/33	15/18	124/139

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Low Medium High



Guinea Sub-Saharan Africa Low



# Guyana

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

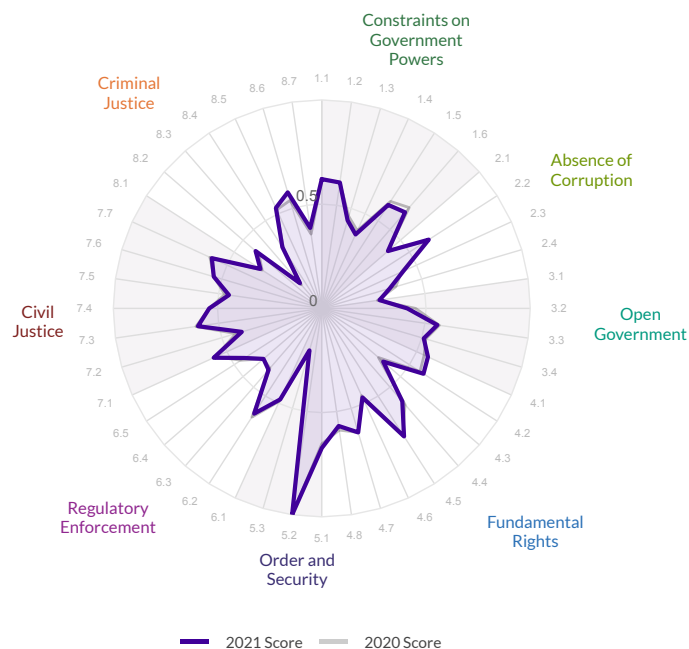
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0.50	17/32	21/40	78/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.00	2▲		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.54	-0.01	15/32	13/40	65/139
Absence of Corruption	0.45	-0.01	15/32	21/40	73/139
Open Government	0.44	-0.01	26/32	31/40	95/139
Fundamental Rights	0.56	0.01	18/32	19/40	68/139
Order and Security	0.63	0.00	23/32	32/40	112/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.45	-0.01	22/32	30/40	96/139
Civil Justice	0.53	-0.01	15/32	20/40	72/139
Criminal Justice	0.40	0.02	15/32	24/40	82/139

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Low Medium High



— Guyana — Latin America and Caribbean — Upper-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	Limits by legislature	0.62	4.1	No discrimination	0.56	7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.57
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.61	4.2	Right to life and security	0.58	7.2	No discrimination	0.40
1.3	Independent auditing	0.44	4.3	Due process of law	0.39	7.3	No corruption	0.60
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.39	4.4	Freedom of expression	0.59	7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.54
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.59	4.5	Freedom of religion	0.73	7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.45
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.61	4.6	Right to privacy	0.47	7.6	Effective enforcement	0.54
Absence of Corruption			4.7	Freedom of association	0.62	7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.58
2.1	In the executive branch	0.42	4.8	Labor rights	0.57	Criminal Justice		
2.2	In the judiciary	0.61	Order and Security			8.1	Effective investigations	0.35
2.3	In the police/military	0.43	5.1	Absence of crime	0.67	8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.42
2.4	In the legislature	0.34	5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00	8.3	Effective correctional system	0.16
Open Government			5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.21	8.4	No discrimination	0.35
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.28	Regulatory Enforcement			8.5	No corruption	0.53
3.2	Right to information	0.41	6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.48	8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.58
3.3	Civic participation	0.56	6.2	No improper influence	0.60	8.7	Due process of law	0.39
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.51	6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.39			
			6.4	Respect for due process	0.37			
			6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.44			







# Haiti

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Low

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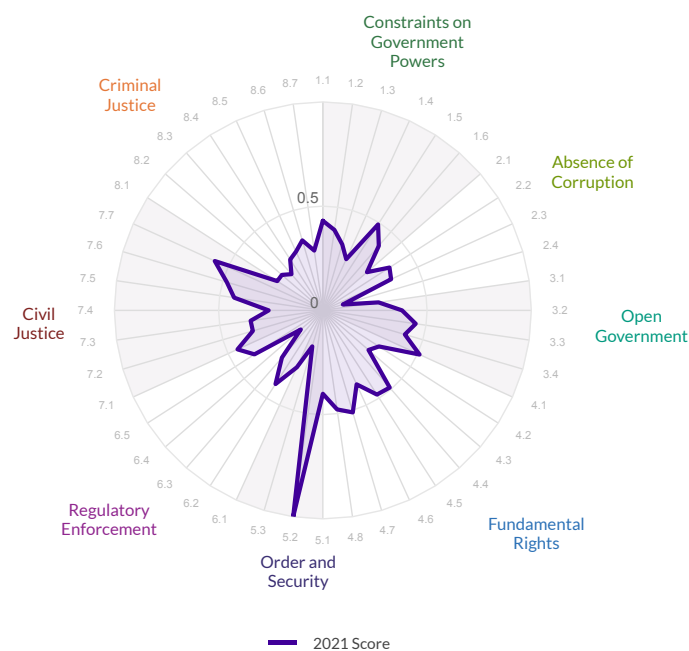
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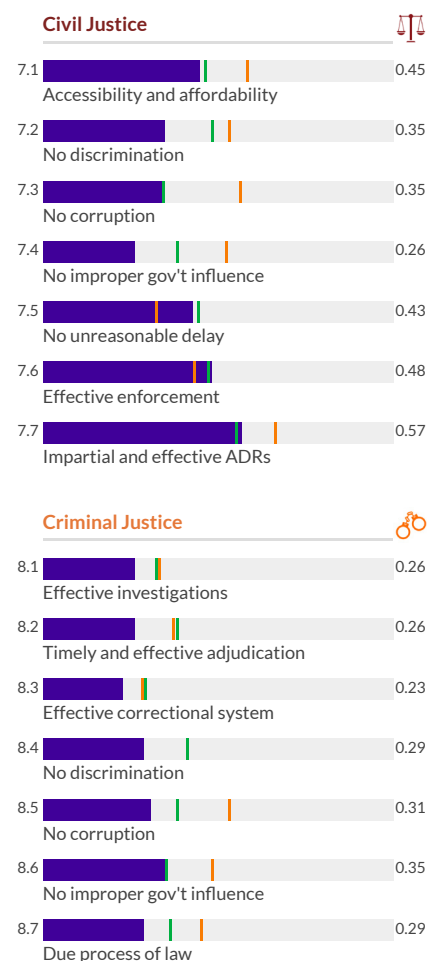
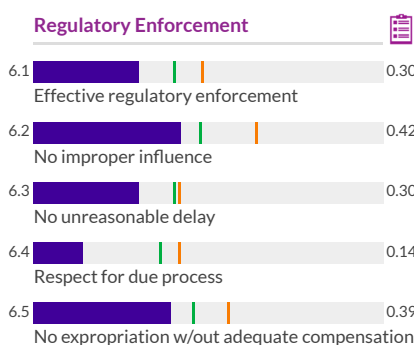
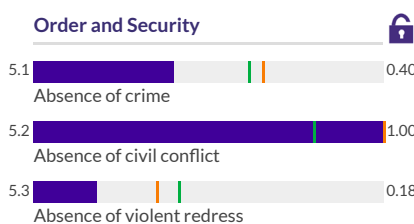
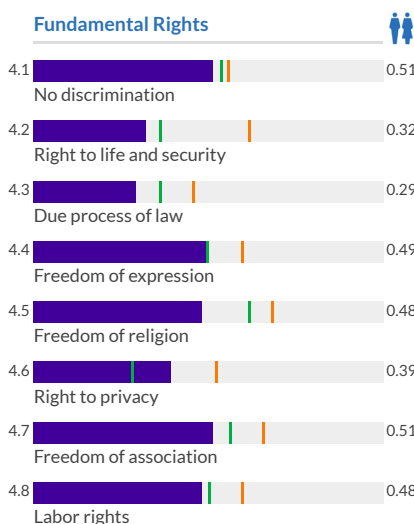
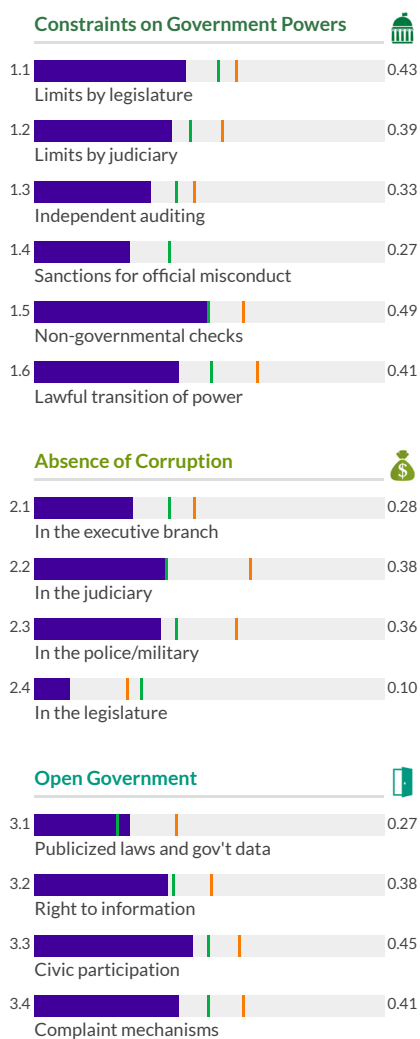
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.39	-	28/32	15/18	116/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.28	-	30/32	14/18	130/139
 Open Government	0.38	-	29/32	10/18	114/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.43	-	29/32	12/18	111/139
 Order and Security	0.53	-	31/32	14/18	131/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.31	-	31/32	18/18	136/139
 Civil Justice	0.41	-	26/32	14/18	122/139
 Criminal Justice	0.28	-	27/32	17/18	130/139

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Low Medium High



Haiti Latin America and Caribbean Low











# Honduras

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

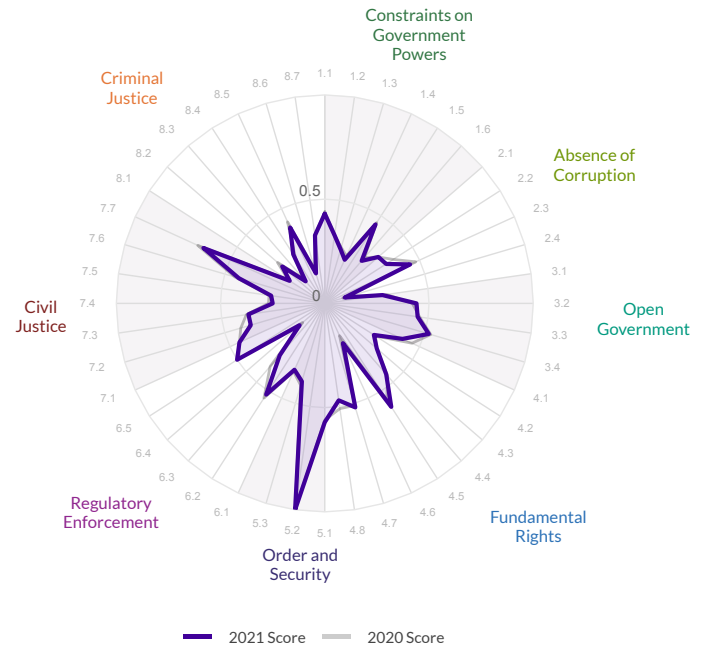
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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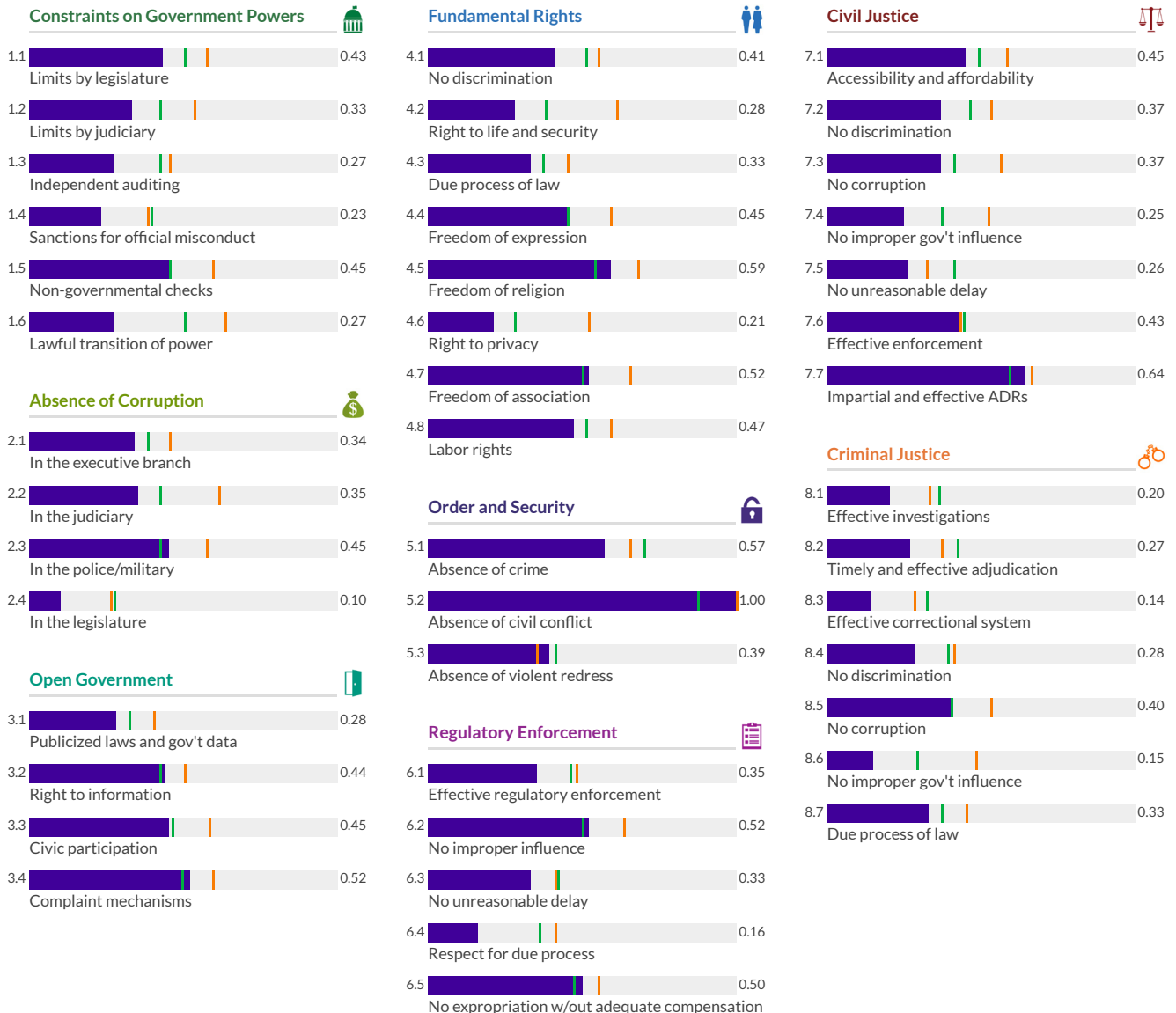
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.33	-0.01	30/32	31/35	131/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.31	-0.01	27/32	27/35	122/139
 Open Government	0.42	0.00	28/32	17/35	99/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.41	0.00	30/32	22/35	117/139
 Order and Security	0.65	0.00	18/32	21/35	100/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.37	-0.01	30/32	31/35	127/139
 Civil Justice	0.40	-0.02	27/32	27/35	126/139
 Criminal Justice	0.25	-0.01	30/32	33/35	136/139

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Low Medium High



Honduras Latin America and Caribbean Lower-Middle



# Hong Kong SAR, China

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: High

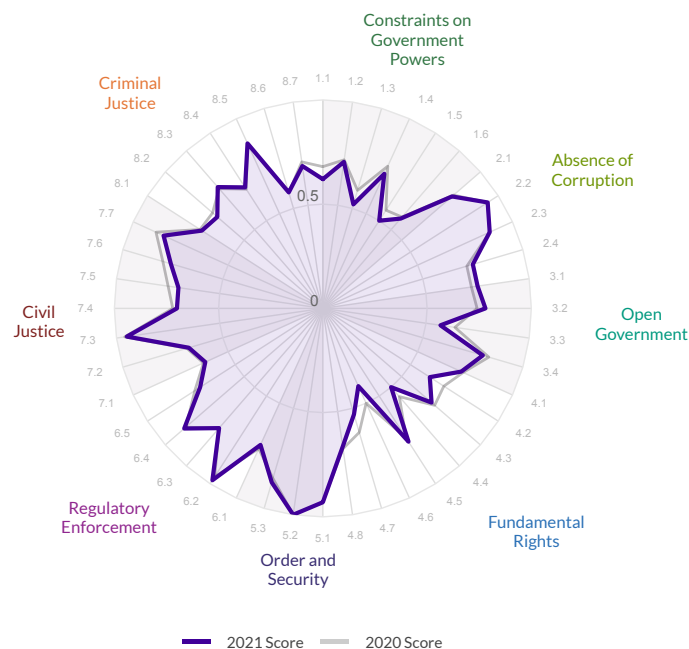
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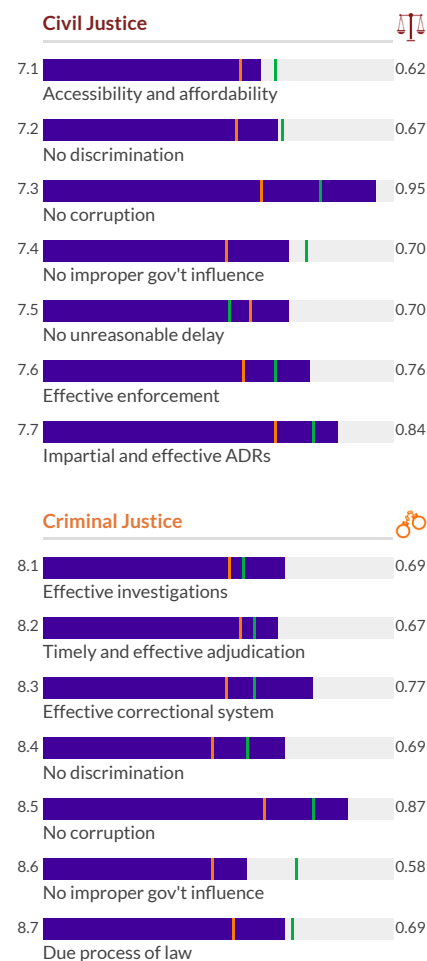
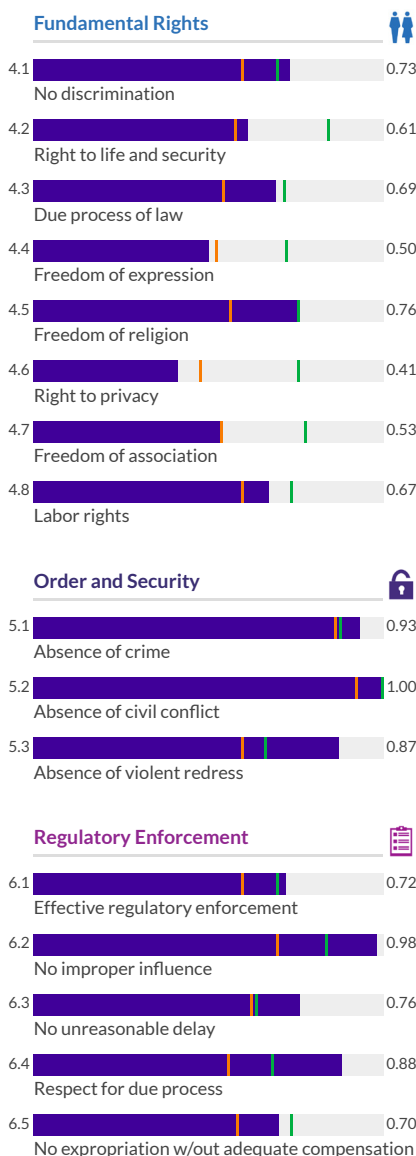
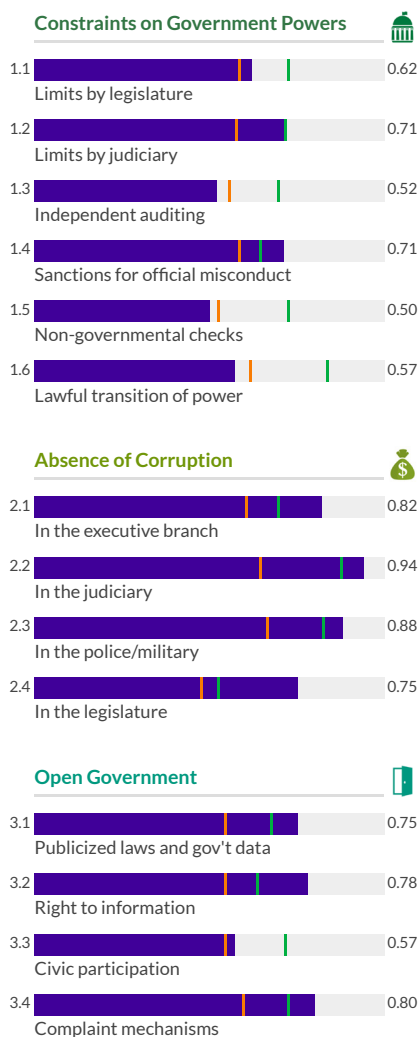
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.61	-0.04*	7/15	38/46	45/139
Absence of Corruption	0.85	0.00	3/15	9/46	9/139
Open Government	0.73	-0.01	3/15	19/46	19/139
Fundamental Rights	0.61	-0.04*	6/15	43/46	54/139
Order and Security	0.93	0.00	2/15	5/46	5/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.81	0.00	4/15	13/46	13/139
Civil Justice	0.75	-0.03	5/15	16/46	16/139
Criminal Justice	0.71	-0.01	5/15	18/46	18/139

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Low Medium High



Hong Kong SAR, China East Asia and Pacific High











# Hungary

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

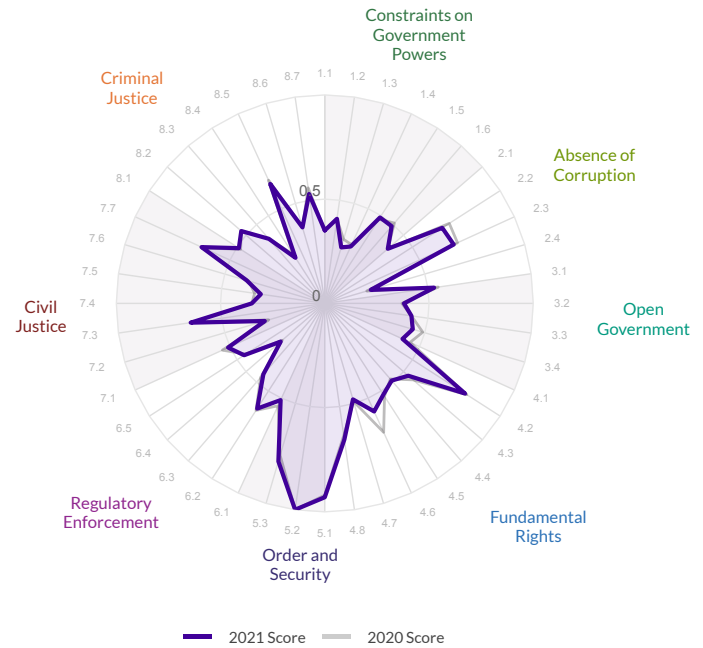
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.52	31/31	45/46	69/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▼	-2 ▼		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.39	-0.01	31/31	46/46	117/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.49	-0.01	30/31	44/46	59/139
 Open Government	0.44	-0.01	31/31	45/46	92/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.56	-0.02	31/31	45/46	70/139
 Order and Security	0.90	0.01	9/31	13/46	13/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.46	0.00	31/31	46/46	94/139
 Civil Justice	0.45	0.00	31/31	46/46	102/139
 Criminal Justice	0.46	-0.01	30/31	44/46	64/139

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Low Medium High



— Hungary — EU, EFTA, and North America — High

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	Limits by legislature	0.35	4.1	No discrimination	0.41	7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.51
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.41	4.2	Right to life and security	0.80	7.2	No discrimination	0.30
1.3	Independent auditing	0.28	4.3	Due process of law	0.53	7.3	No corruption	0.65
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.30	4.4	Freedom of expression	0.49	7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.35
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.49	4.5	Freedom of religion	0.52	7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.31
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.49	4.6	Right to privacy	0.57	7.6	Effective enforcement	0.39
Absence of Corruption			4.7	Freedom of association	0.48	7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.65
2.1	In the executive branch	0.40	4.8	Labor rights	0.66	Criminal Justice		
2.2	In the judiciary	0.67	Order and Security			8.1	Effective investigations	0.49
2.3	In the police/military	0.68	5.1	Absence of crime	0.93	8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.53
2.4	In the legislature	0.23	5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00	8.3	Effective correctional system	0.41
Open Government			5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.79	8.4	No discrimination	0.26
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.53	Regulatory Enforcement			8.5	No corruption	0.63
3.2	Right to information	0.38	6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.51	8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.38
3.3	Civic participation	0.42	6.2	No improper influence	0.60	8.7	Due process of law	0.53
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.44	6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.45			
			6.4	Respect for due process	0.28			
			6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.46			

# India

Region: South Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

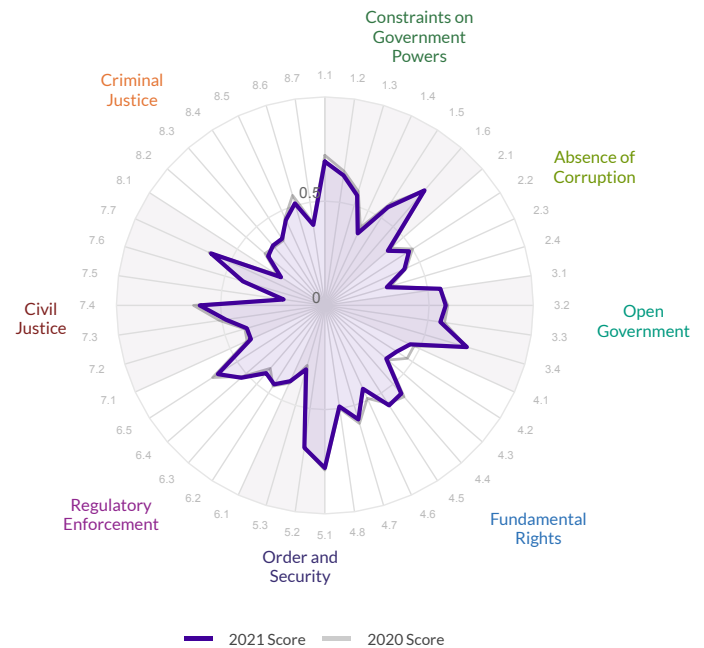
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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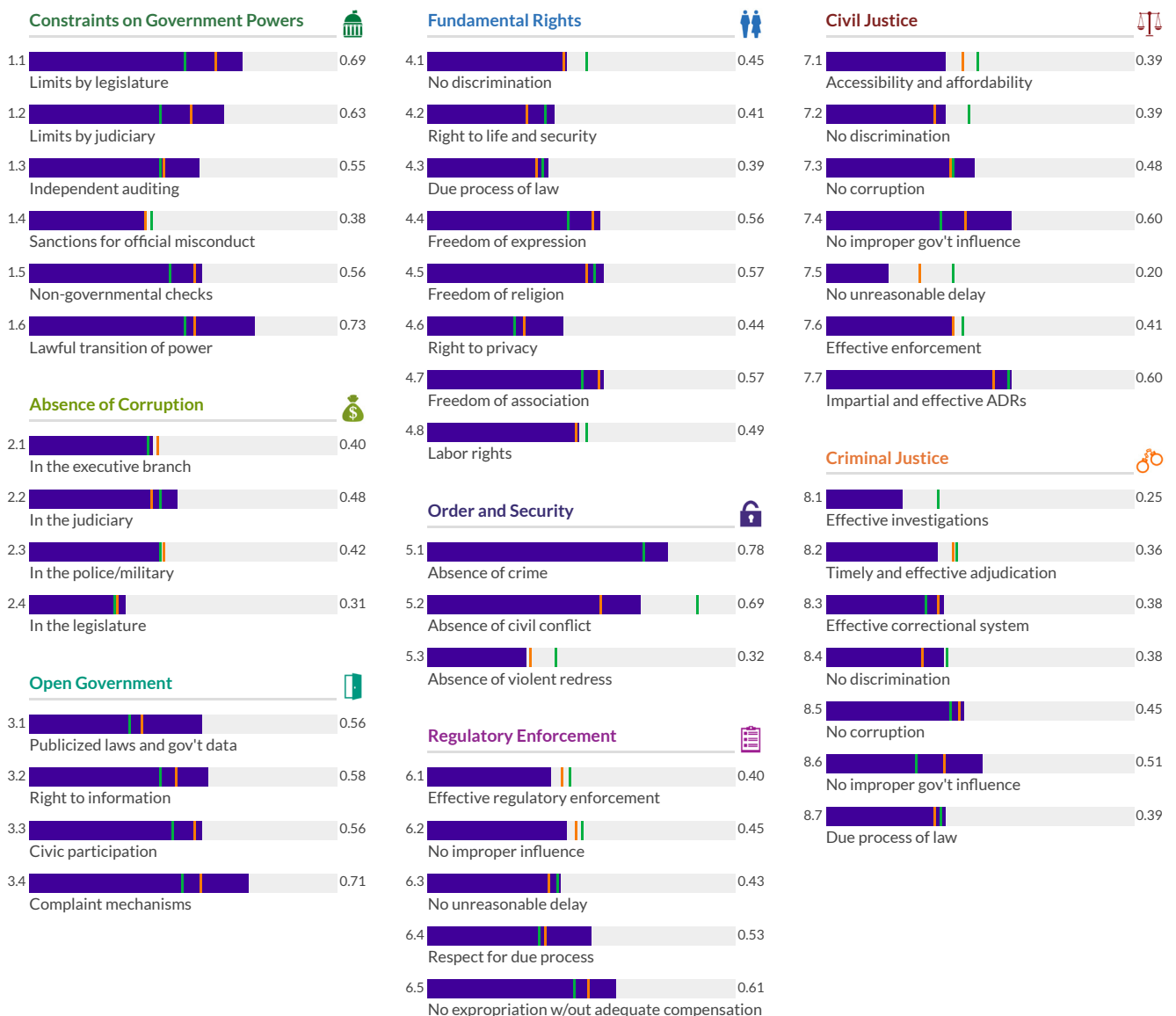
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.59	-0.02	1/6	3/35	52/139
Absence of Corruption	0.40	-0.02	3/6	14/35	95/139
Open Government	0.60	-0.01	1/6	1/35	40/139
Fundamental Rights	0.49	-0.02	3/6	11/35	93/139
Order and Security	0.60	0.01	3/6	28/35	121/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	0.00	3/6	10/35	78/139
Civil Justice	0.44	-0.01	3/6	23/35	110/139
Criminal Justice	0.39	-0.01	3/6	14/35	86/139

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Low Medium High



India South Asia Lower-Middle



# Indonesia

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

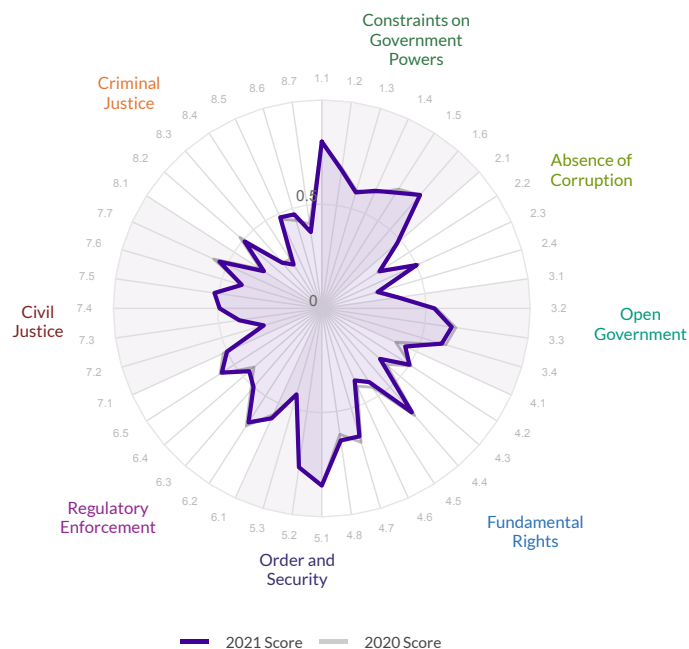
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.52	9/15	18/40	68/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▼	-2 ▼		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.67	-0.01	5/15	2/40	31/139
Absence of Corruption	0.40	0.01	14/15	31/40	98/139
Open Government	0.54	-0.01	7/15	14/40	58/139
Fundamental Rights	0.51	-0.01	9/15	28/40	88/139
Order and Security	0.68	0.00	12/15	26/40	88/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.55	0.00	8/15	10/40	54/139
Civil Justice	0.45	-0.01	13/15	32/40	105/139
Criminal Justice	0.38	-0.01	12/15	26/40	90/139

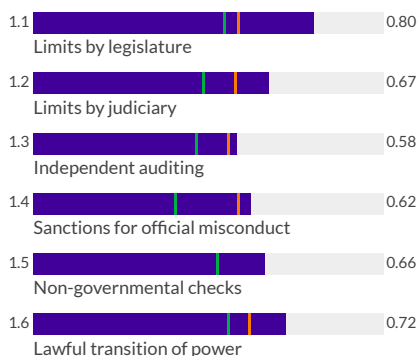
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Low Medium High

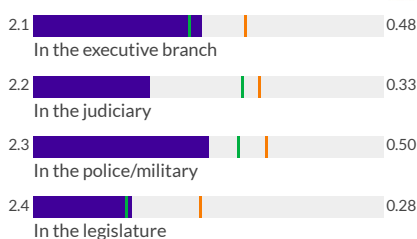


Indonesia East Asia and Pacific Upper-Middle

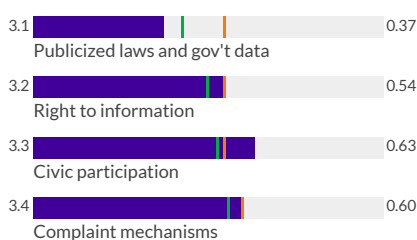
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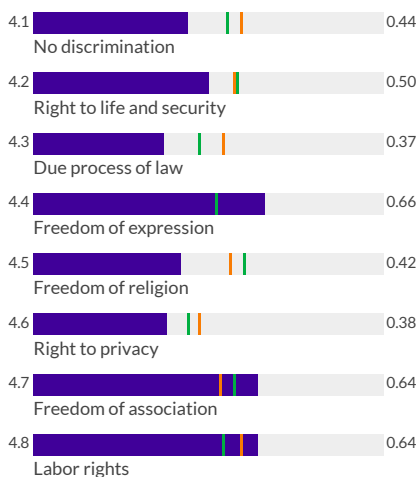
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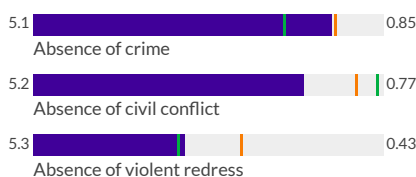
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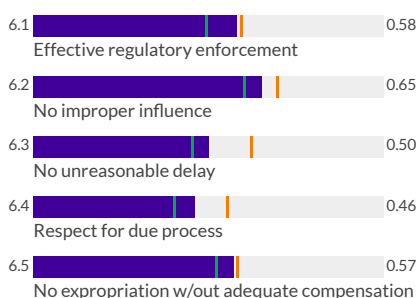
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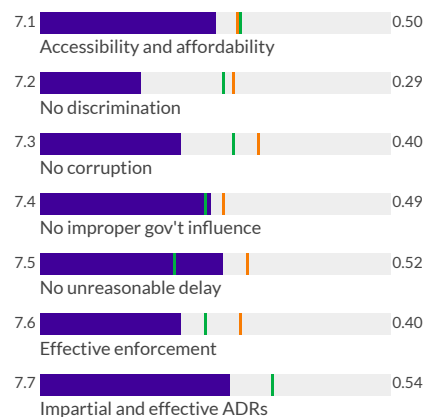
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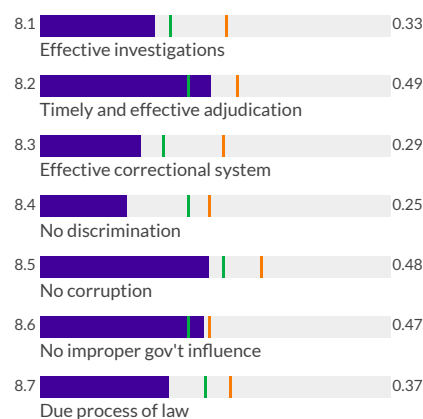
## Regulatory Enforcement



## Civil Justice



## Criminal Justice



# Iran, Islamic Rep.

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

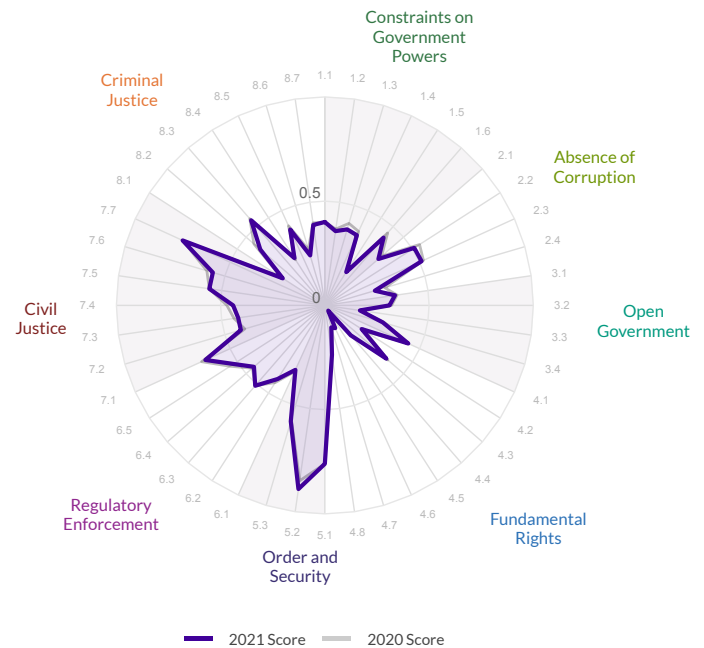
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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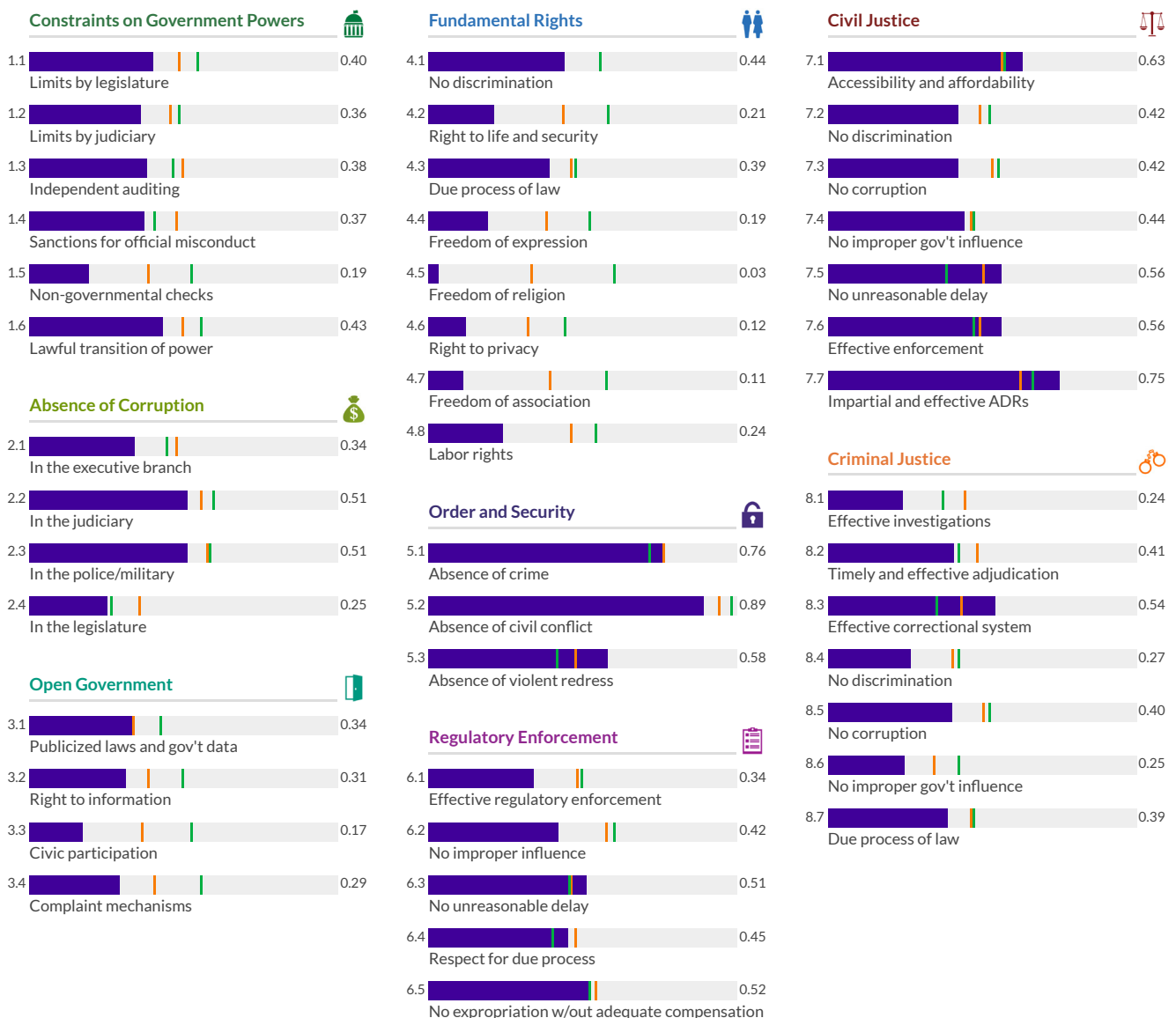
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.35	-0.02	7/8	35/40	128/139
Absence of Corruption	0.40	-0.03	6/8	30/40	96/139
Open Government	0.28	-0.01	7/8	40/40	137/139
Fundamental Rights	0.22	-0.01	8/8	40/40	139/139
Order and Security	0.74	0.02	4/8	17/40	66/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.45	-0.01	6/8	32/40	98/139
Civil Justice	0.54	-0.01	4/8	14/40	65/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	-0.01	5/8	29/40	98/139

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Low Medium High



Iran, Islamic Rep. Middle East and North Africa Upper-Middle









# Ireland

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

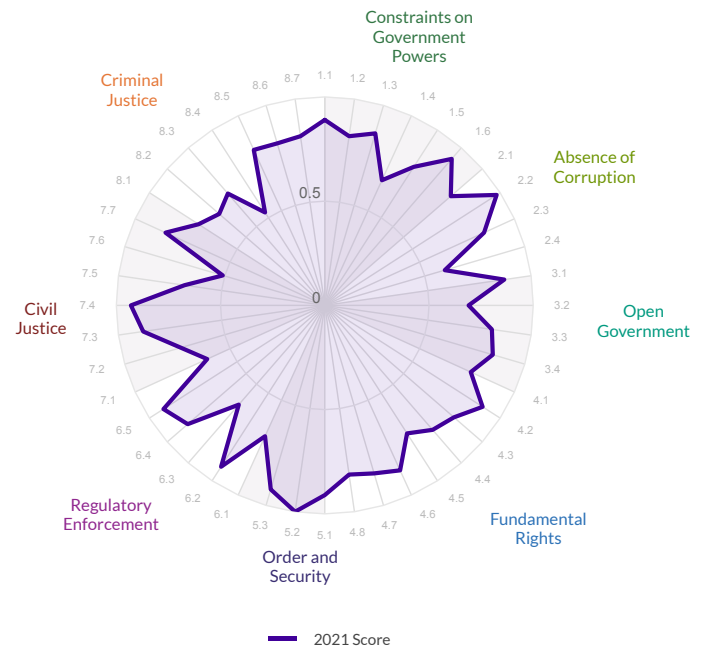
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.82	-	10/31	11/46	11/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.80	-	12/31	17/46	17/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.80	-	6/31	7/46	7/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.82	-	10/31	10/46	10/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.94	-	1/31	1/46	1/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.81	-	10/31	14/46	14/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.74	-	12/31	18/46	18/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.72	-	10/31	13/46	13/139

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Low Medium High



Ireland EU, EFTA, and North America High

## Constraints on Government Powers

1.1	Limits by legislature	0.89
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.82
1.3	Independent auditing	0.86
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.66
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.79
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.93

## Absence of Corruption

2.1	In the executive branch	0.80
2.2	In the judiciary	0.98
2.3	In the police/military	0.84
2.4	In the legislature	0.60

## Open Government

3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.87
3.2	Right to information	0.69
3.3	Civic participation	0.81
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.84

## Fundamental Rights

4.1	No discrimination	0.77
4.2	Right to life and security	0.90
4.3	Due process of law	0.82
4.4	Freedom of expression	0.79
4.5	Freedom of religion	0.73
4.6	Right to privacy	0.87
4.7	Freedom of association	0.84
4.8	Labor rights	0.82

## Order and Security

5.1	Absence of crime	0.91
5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.92

## Regulatory Enforcement

6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.69
6.2	No improper influence	0.92
6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.63
6.4	Respect for due process	0.87
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.92

## Civil Justice

7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.62
7.2	No discrimination	0.72
7.3	No corruption	0.88
7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.93
7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.68
7.6	Effective enforcement	0.51
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.84

## Criminal Justice









8.1	Effective investigations	0.72
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.67
8.3	Effective correctional system	0.71
8.4	No discrimination	0.53
8.5	No corruption	0.82
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8.7	Due process of law	0.82

# Italy

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

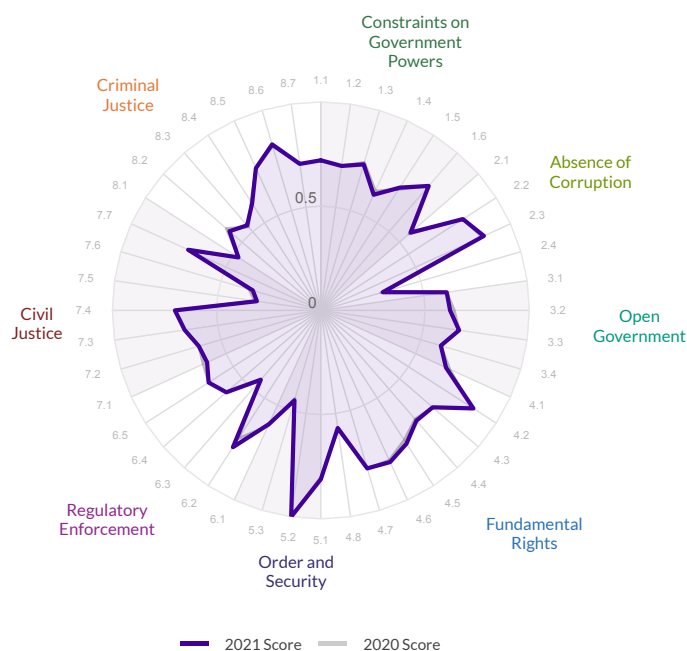
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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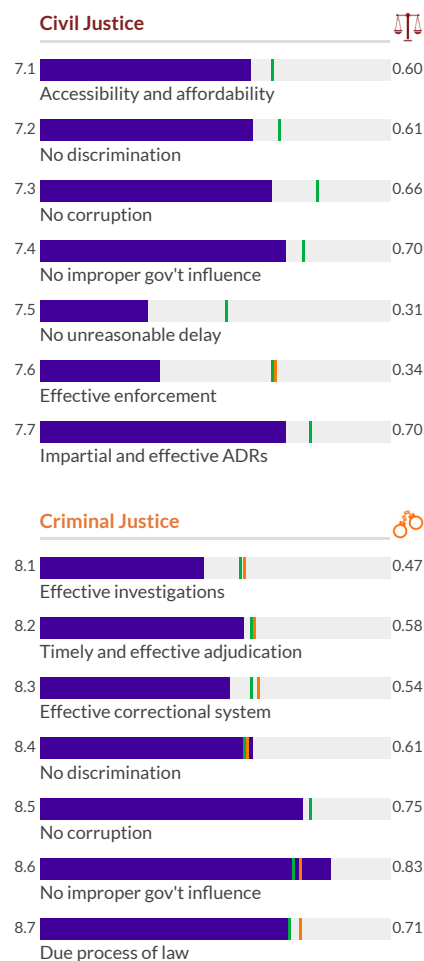
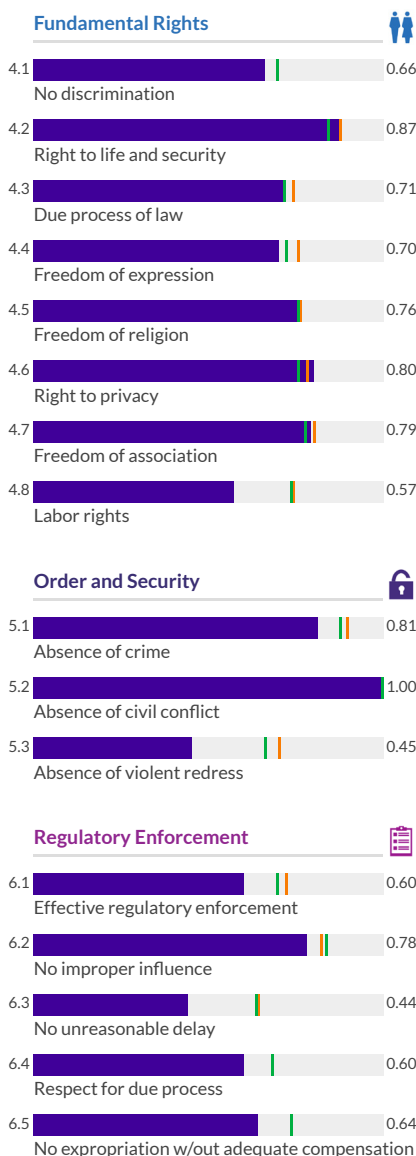
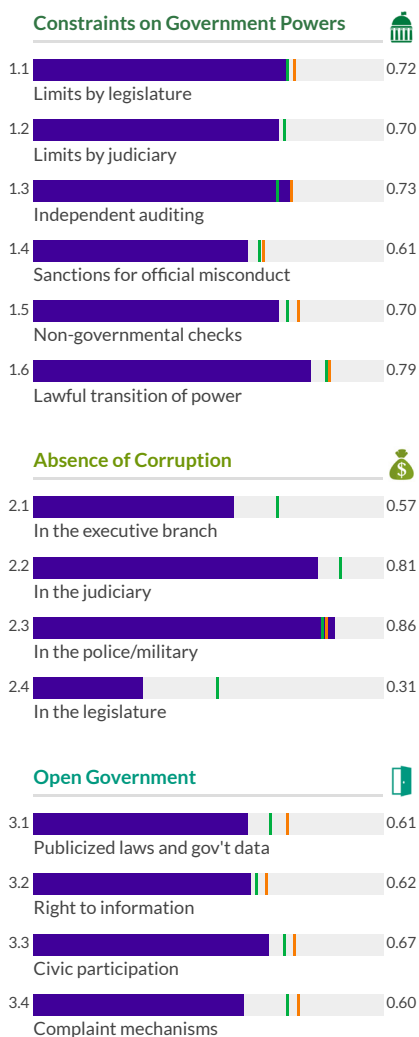
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 Constraints on Government Powers	0.71	0.00	19/31	25/46	26/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.64	0.01	25/31	37/46	42/139
 Open Government	0.63	0.00	24/31	31/46	33/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.73	0.00	22/31	27/46	28/139
 Order and Security	0.75	0.01	30/31	40/46	61/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.61	0.01	23/31	35/46	36/139
 Civil Justice	0.56	0.00	29/31	44/46	59/139
 Criminal Justice	0.64	0.00	19/31	26/46	26/139

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Low Medium High



Italy EU, EFTA, and North America High



# Jamaica

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

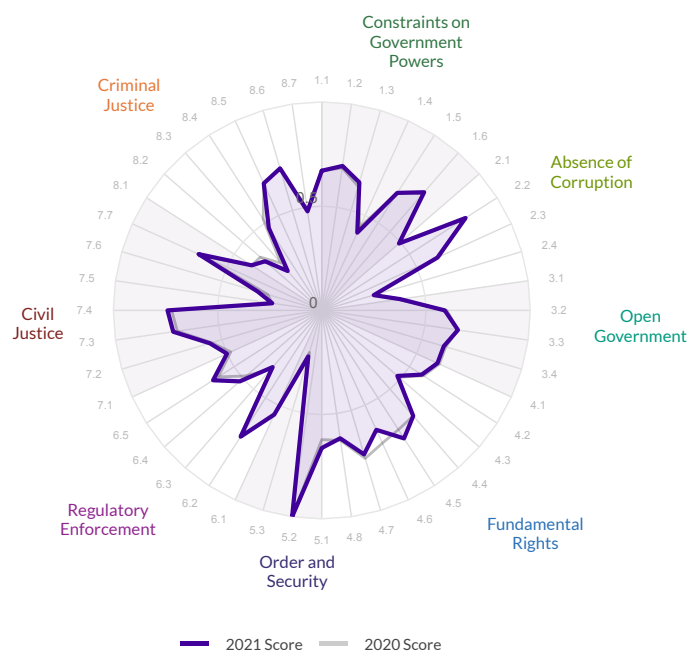
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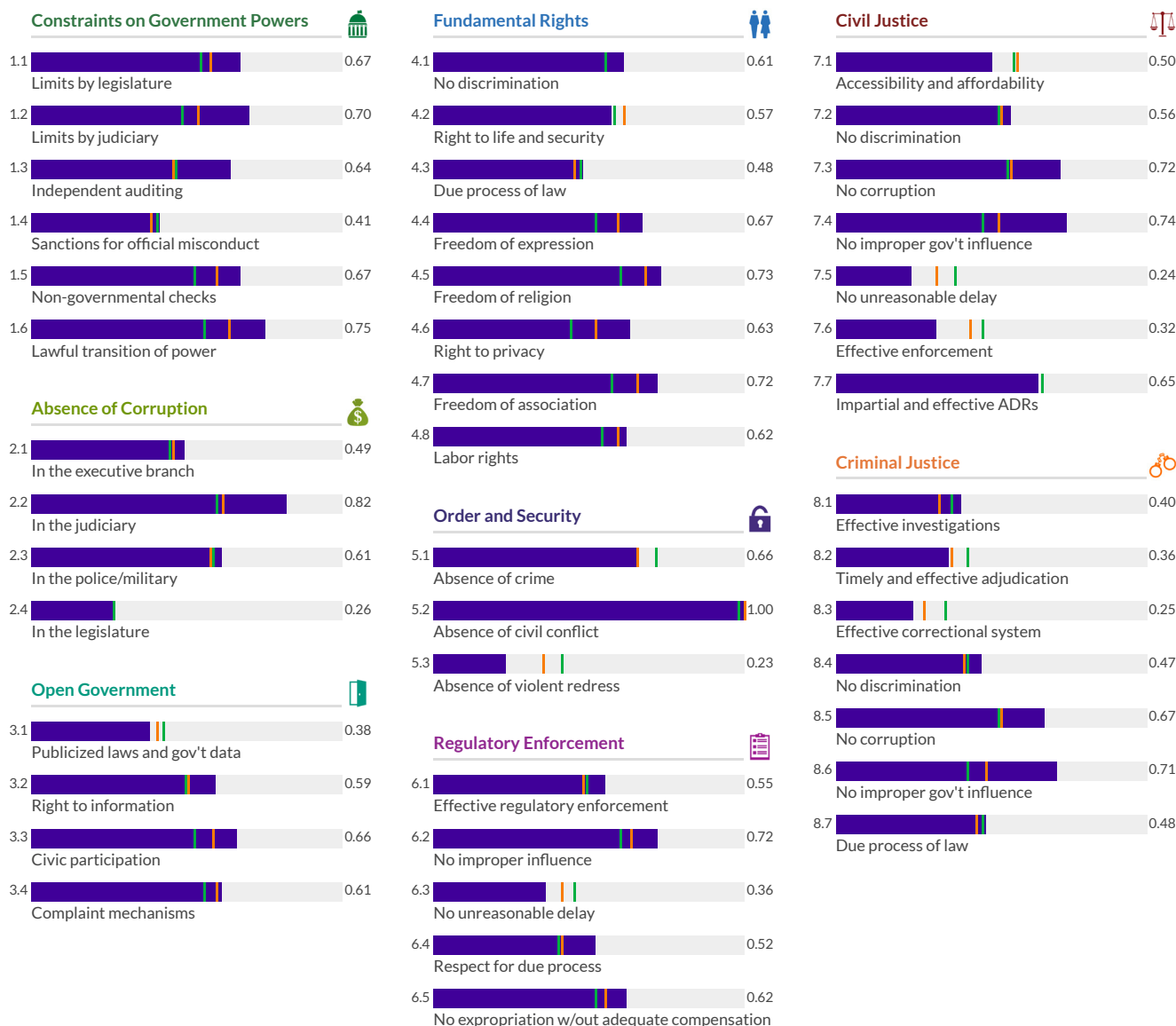
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Absence of Corruption	0.55	0.00	12/32	10/40	53/139
Open Government	0.56	0.00	10/32	10/40	52/139
Fundamental Rights	0.63	-0.01	12/32	7/40	48/139
Order and Security	0.63	0.02	22/32	31/40	108/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.55	0.01	10/32	9/40	53/139
Civil Justice	0.53	0.02	14/32	17/40	68/139
Criminal Justice	0.48	-0.02	13/32	13/40	59/139

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Low Medium High



Jamaica Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Japan

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: High

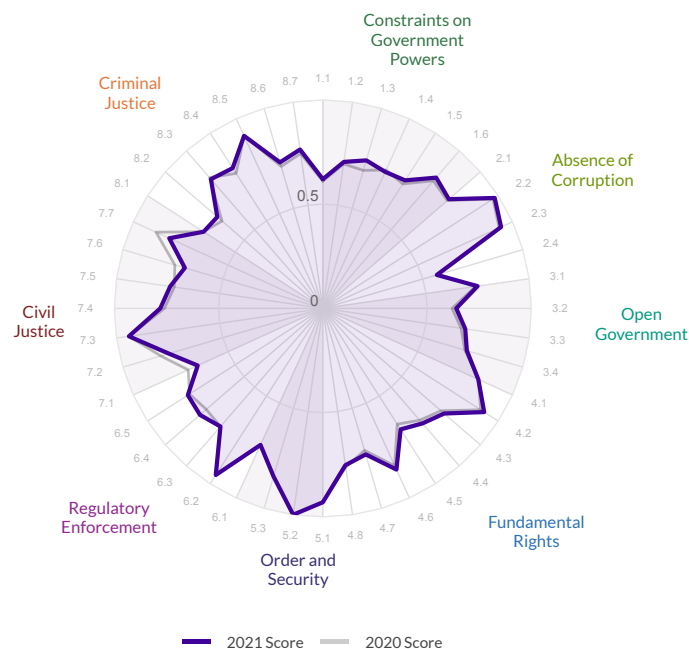
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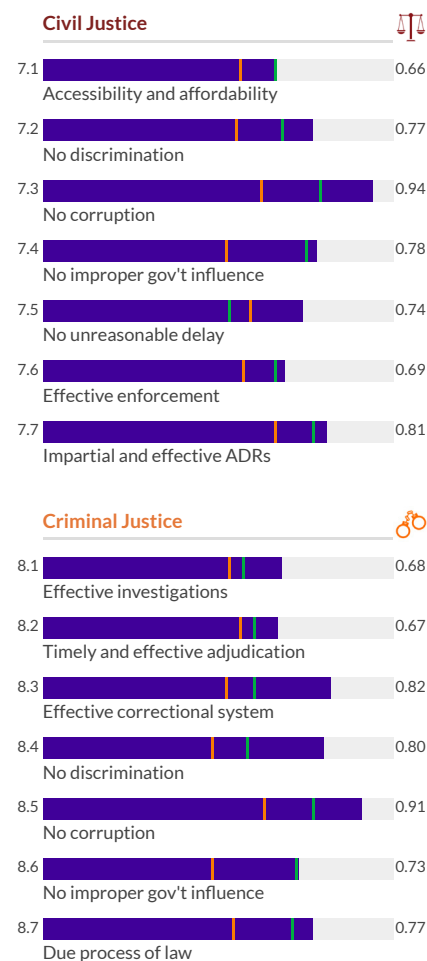
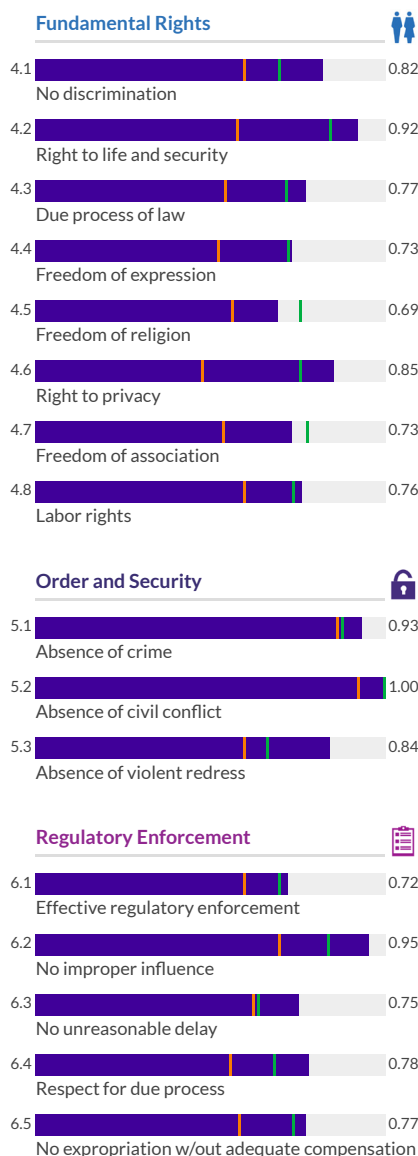
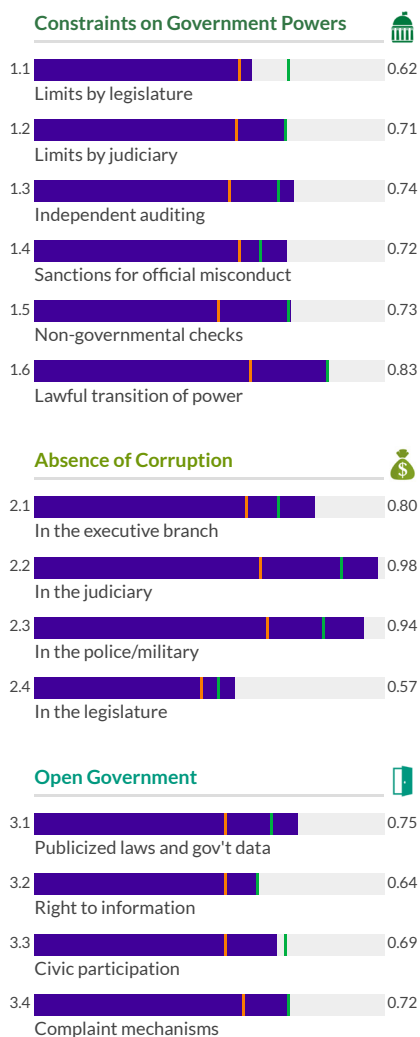
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Open Government	0.70	0.02	5/15	24/46	24/139
Fundamental Rights	0.78	0.01	2/15	18/46	18/139
Order and Security	0.92	0.00	3/15	9/46	9/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.79	0.01	5/15	18/46	18/139
Civil Justice	0.77	-0.02	3/15	12/46	12/139
Criminal Justice	0.77	0.01	2/15	8/46	8/139

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Low Medium High



Japan East Asia and Pacific High











# Jordan

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

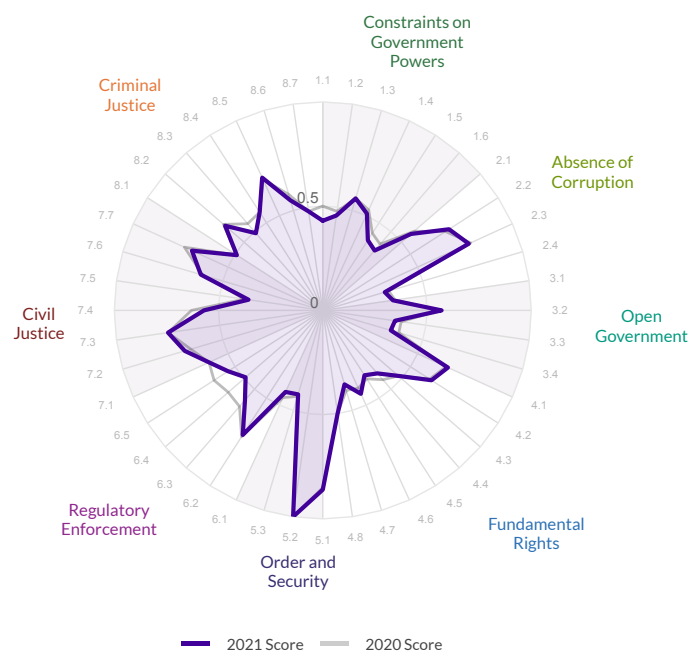
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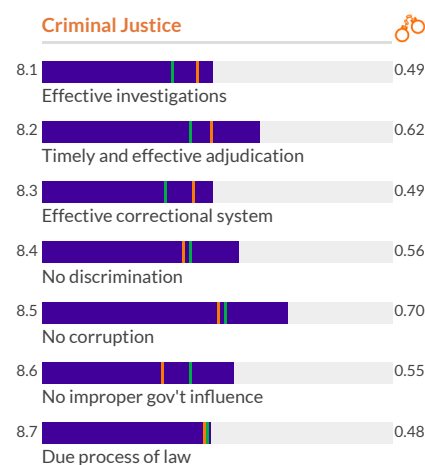
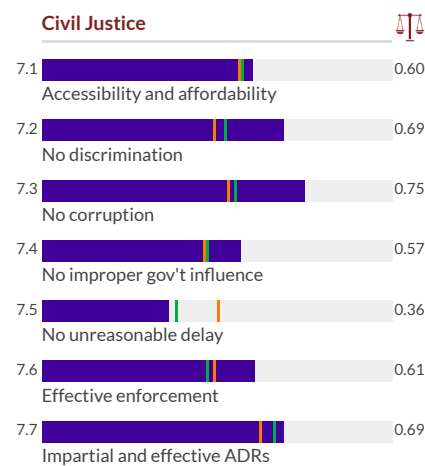
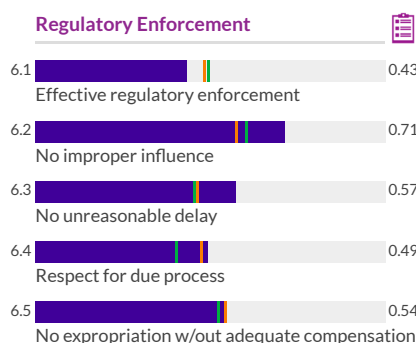
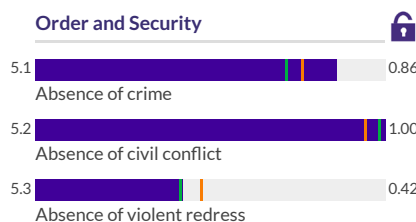
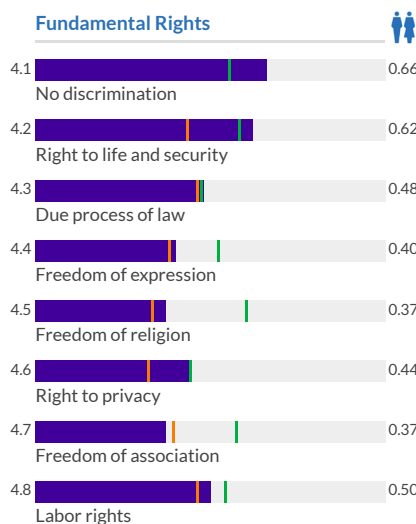
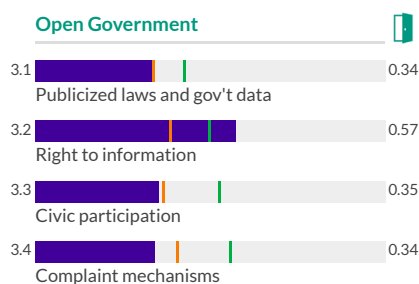
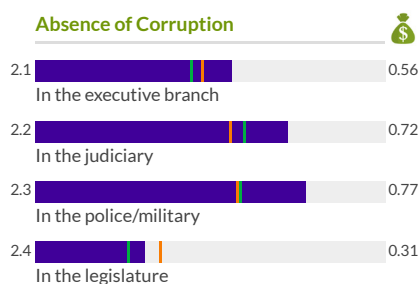
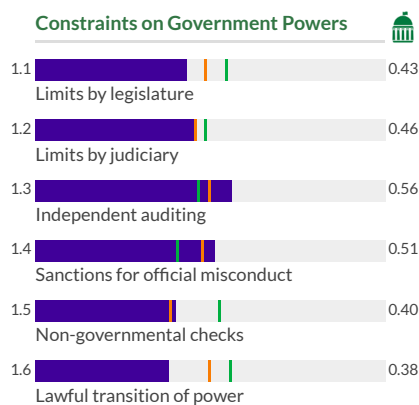
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 Open Government	0.40	-0.02	4/8	34/40	106/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.48	0.00	2/8	30/40	94/139
 Order and Security	0.76	0.00	2/8	13/40	56/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.55	-0.05	2/8	12/40	56/139
 Civil Justice	0.61	-0.01	2/8	7/40	46/139
 Criminal Justice	0.56	-0.01	2/8	5/40	41/139

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Low Medium High



Jordan Middle East and North Africa Upper-Middle



# Kazakhstan

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

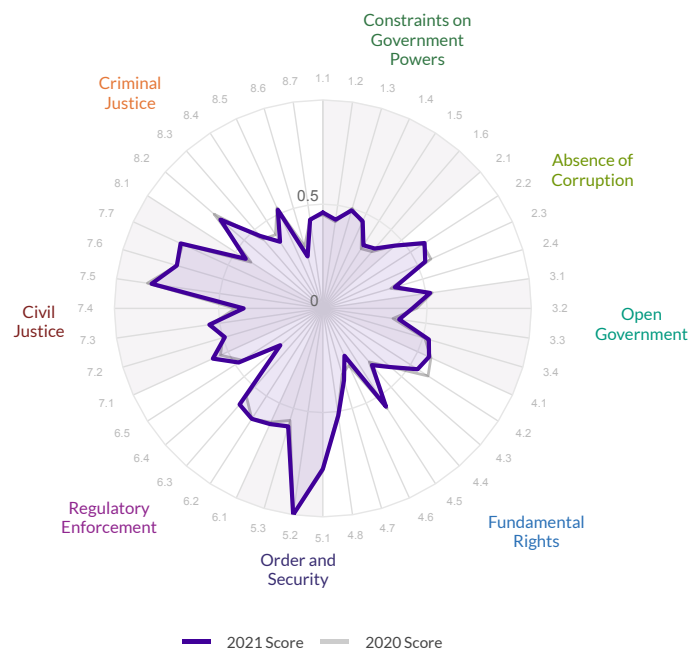
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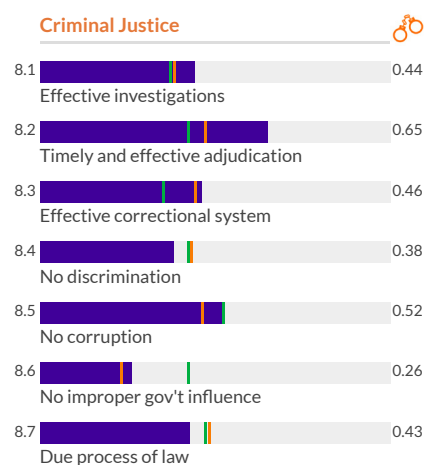
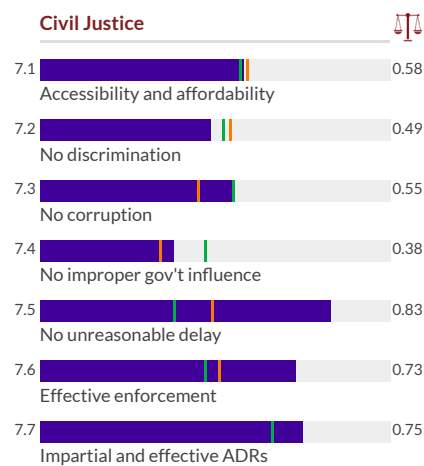
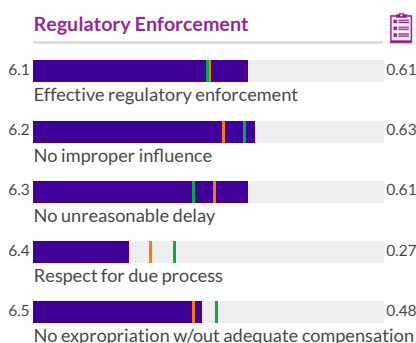
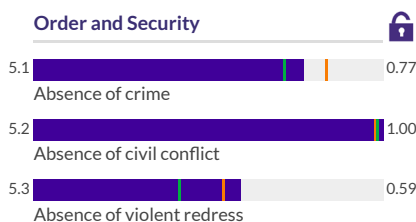
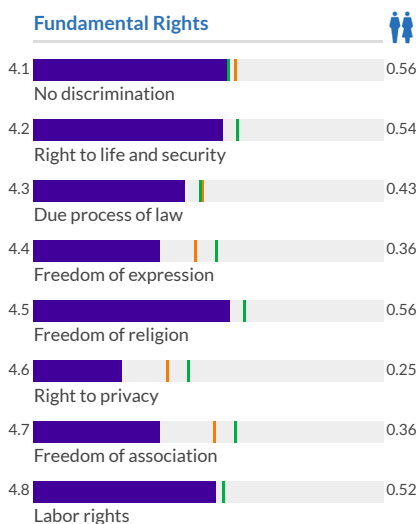
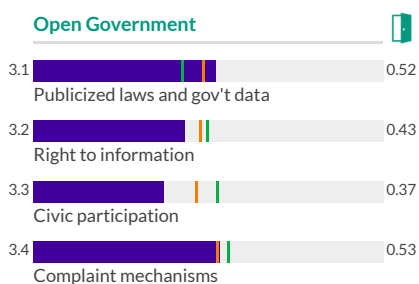
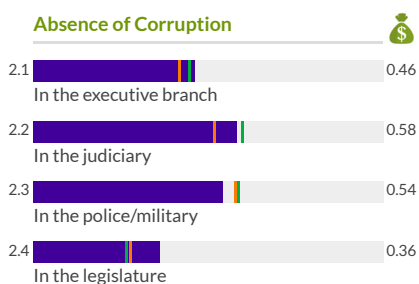
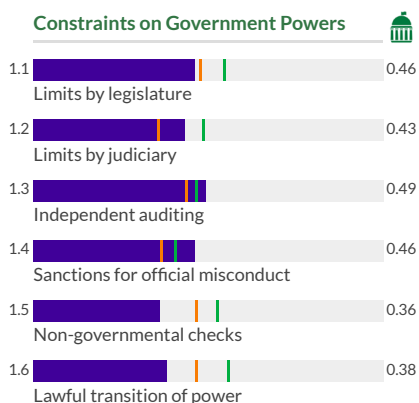
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.43	0.01	8/14	32/40	108/139
Absence of Corruption	0.49	0.00	3/14	14/40	62/139
Open Government	0.46	0.00	10/14	27/40	84/139
Fundamental Rights	0.45	-0.01	10/14	34/40	107/139
Order and Security	0.79	0.01	6/14	5/40	42/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.52	0.01	2/14	14/40	60/139
Civil Justice	0.62	0.00	1/14	5/40	42/139
Criminal Justice	0.45	-0.01	6/14	17/40	68/139

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Low Medium High



Kazakhstan Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle



# Kenya

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

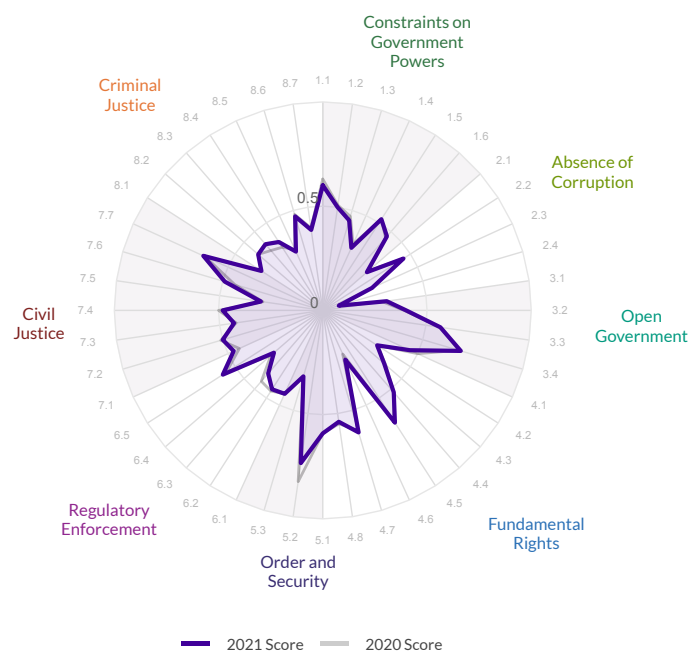
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0.44	15/33	20/35	106/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.00	4▲		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.48	-0.01	16/33	13/35	86/139
Absence of Corruption	0.27	0.00	28/33	33/35	132/139
Open Government	0.49	0.01	6/33	12/35	76/139
Fundamental Rights	0.47	0.00	17/33	14/35	101/139
Order and Security	0.55	-0.03*	28/33	32/35	129/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.43	-0.01	17/33	21/35	108/139
Civil Justice	0.47	0.01	14/33	15/35	94/139
Criminal Justice	0.39	0.01	13/33	13/35	85/139

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Low Medium High



Kenya Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1 Limits by legislature	0.60
1.2 Limits by judiciary	0.50
1.3 Independent auditing	0.45
1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct	0.33
1.5 Non-governmental checks	0.52
1.6 Lawful transition of power	0.47
Absence of Corruption	
2.1 In the executive branch	0.28
2.2 In the judiciary	0.46
2.3 In the police/military	0.26
2.4 In the legislature	0.08
Open Government	
3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data	0.31
3.2 Right to information	0.40
3.3 Civic participation	0.57
3.4 Complaint mechanisms	0.69

Fundamental Rights	
4.1 No discrimination	0.46
4.2 Right to life and security	0.31
4.3 Due process of law	0.39
4.4 Freedom of expression	0.52
4.5 Freedom of religion	0.64
4.6 Right to privacy	0.26
4.7 Freedom of association	0.61
4.8 Labor rights	0.54
Order and Security	
5.1 Absence of crime	0.59
5.2 Absence of civil conflict	0.74
5.3 Absence of violent redress	0.33
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement	0.44
6.2 No improper influence	0.45
6.3 No unreasonable delay	0.40
6.4 Respect for due process	0.31
6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.57

Civil Justice	
7.1 Accessibility and affordability	0.47
7.2 No discrimination	0.50
7.3 No corruption	0.43
7.4 No improper gov't influence	0.48
7.5 No unreasonable delay	0.30
7.6 Effective enforcement	0.49
7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs	0.63
Criminal Justice	
8.1 Effective investigations	0.35
8.2 Timely and effective adjudication	0.41
8.3 Effective correctional system	0.42
8.4 No discrimination	0.39
8.5 No corruption	0.31
8.6 No improper gov't influence	0.47
8.7 Due process of law	0.39

# Korea, Rep.

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: High

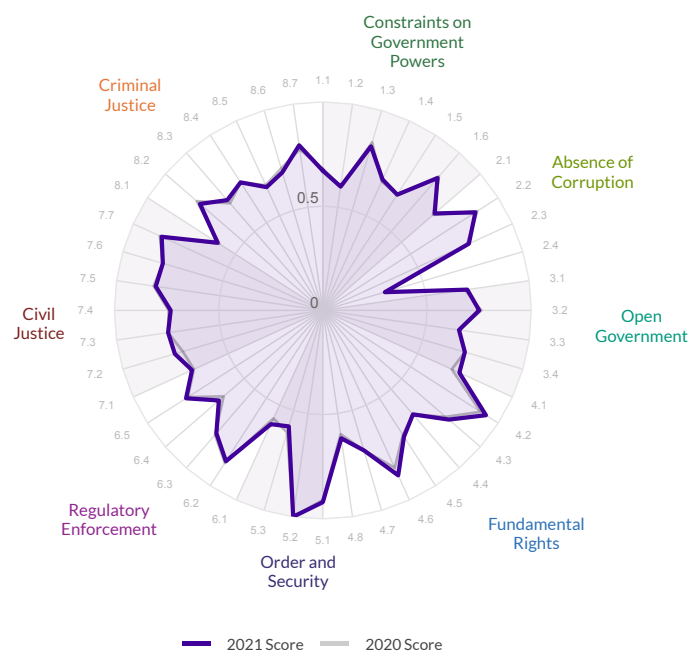
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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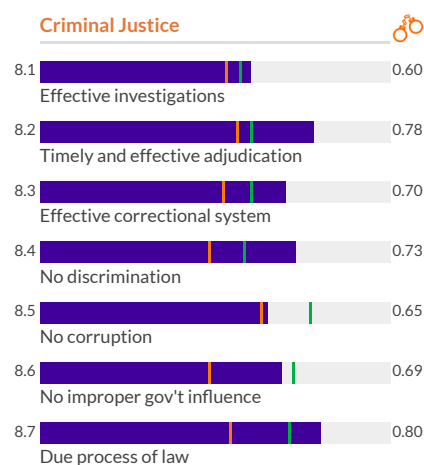
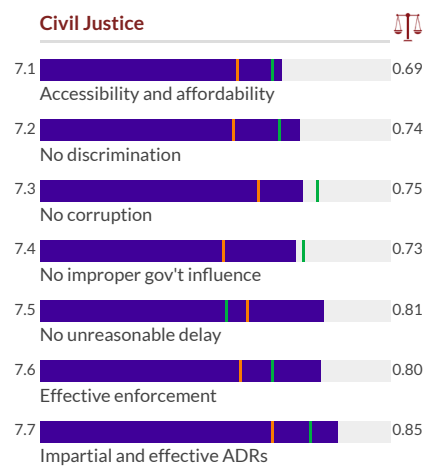
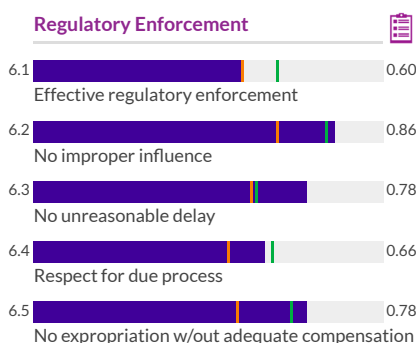
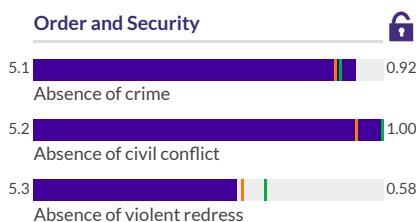
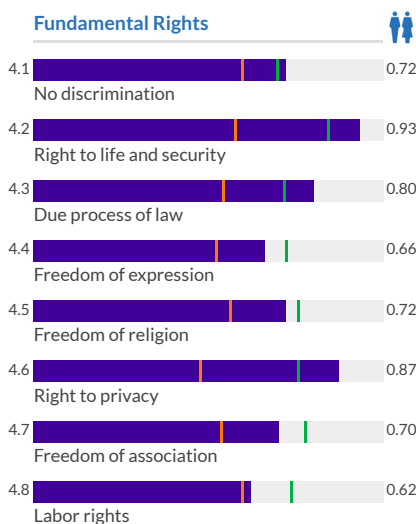
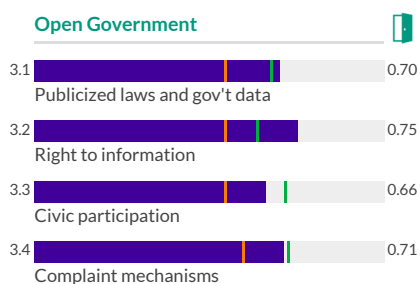
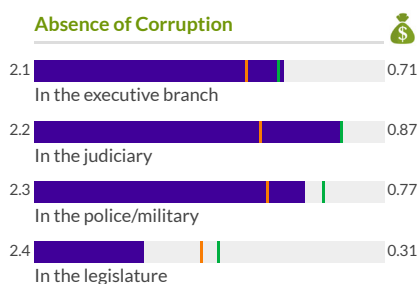
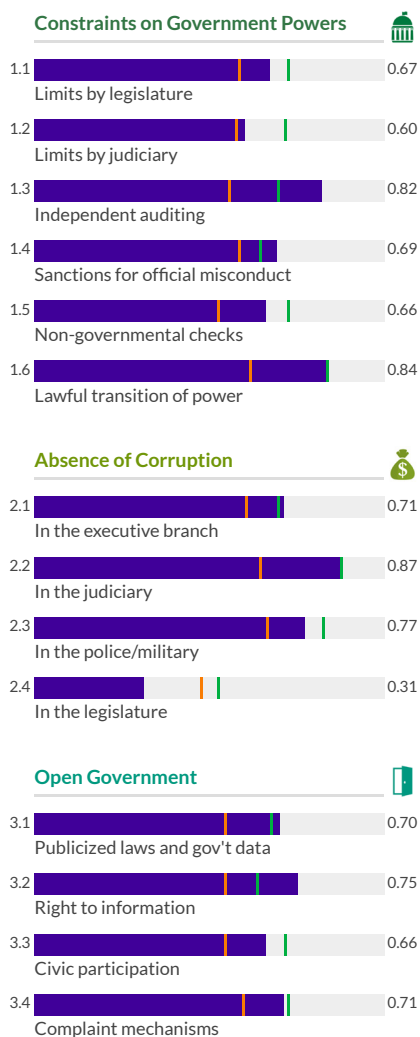
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Absence of Corruption	0.67	0.00	6/15	31/46	33/139
Open Government	0.71	0.00	4/15	21/46	21/139
Fundamental Rights	0.75	0.02	4/15	22/46	23/139
Order and Security	0.83	-0.01	6/15	26/46	27/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.74	0.01	6/15	21/46	21/139
Civil Justice	0.77	0.00	4/15	13/46	13/139
Criminal Justice	0.71	0.00	6/15	19/46	19/139

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Low Medium High



Korea, Rep. East Asia and Pacific High











# Kosovo

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

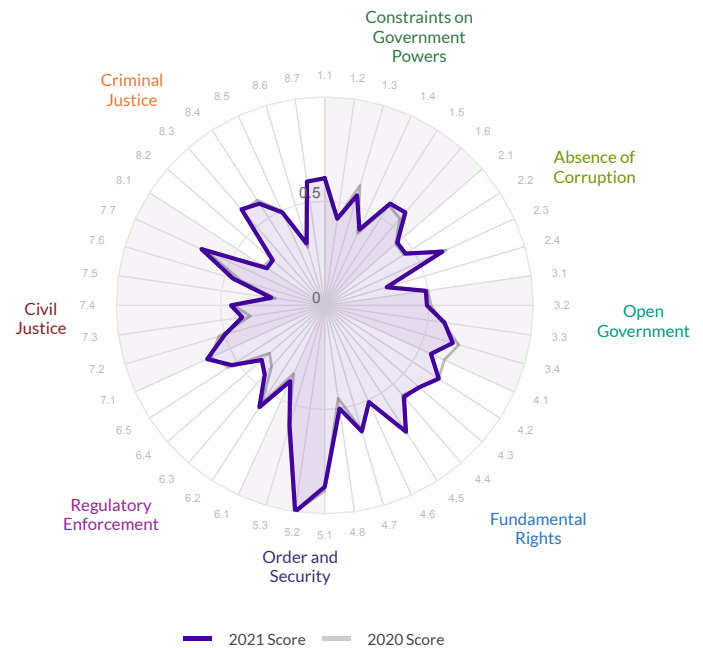
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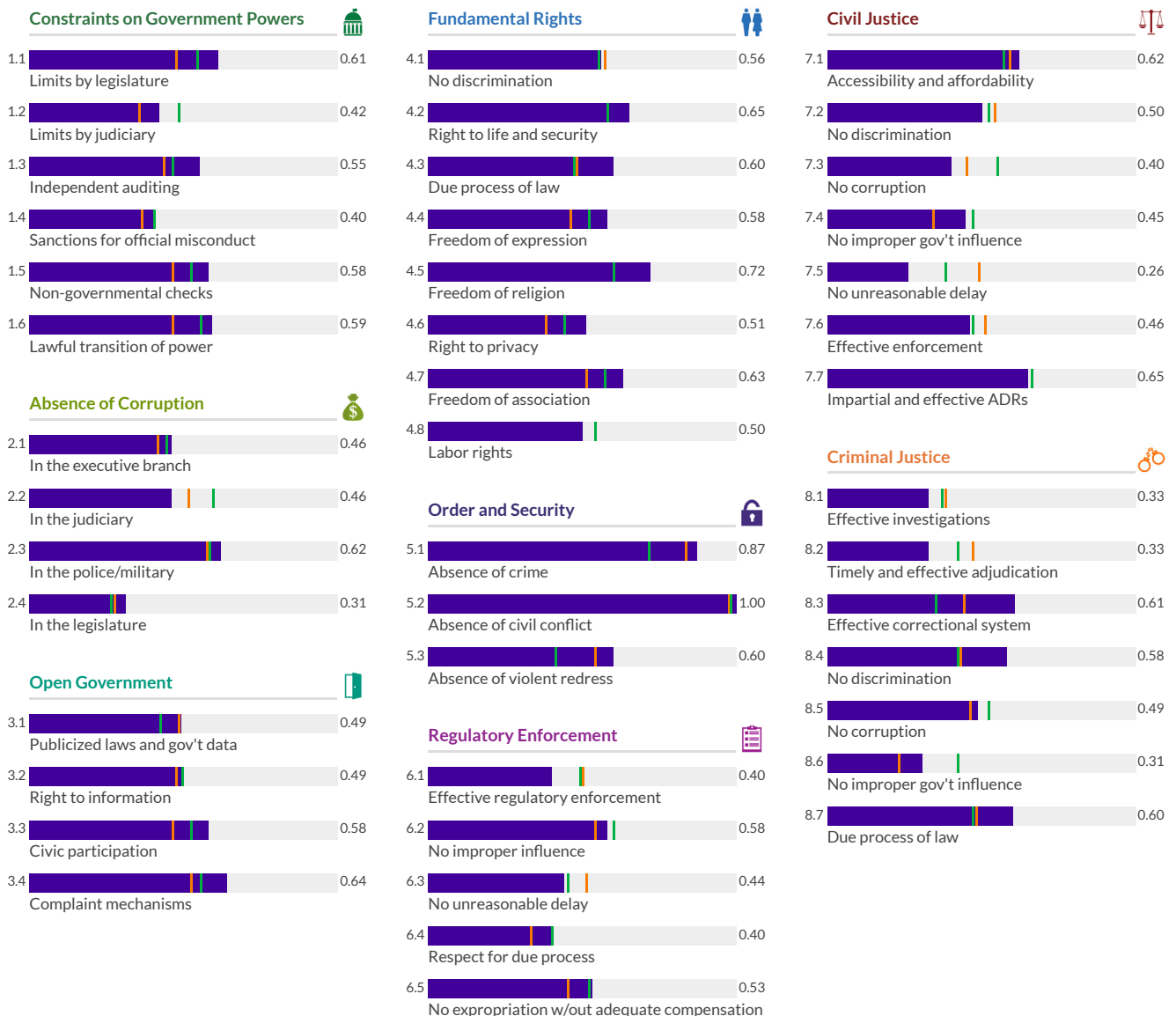
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 Absence of Corruption	0.46	0.00	4/14	18/40	68/139
 Open Government	0.55	-0.01	4/14	12/40	55/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.59	0.00	3/14	13/40	58/139
 Order and Security	0.82	-0.01	2/14	1/40	31/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.47	0.03	5/14	25/40	89/139
 Civil Justice	0.48	0.02	10/14	28/40	89/139
 Criminal Justice	0.47	0.00	2/14	14/40	61/139

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Low Medium High



Kosovo Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle



# Kyrgyz Republic

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

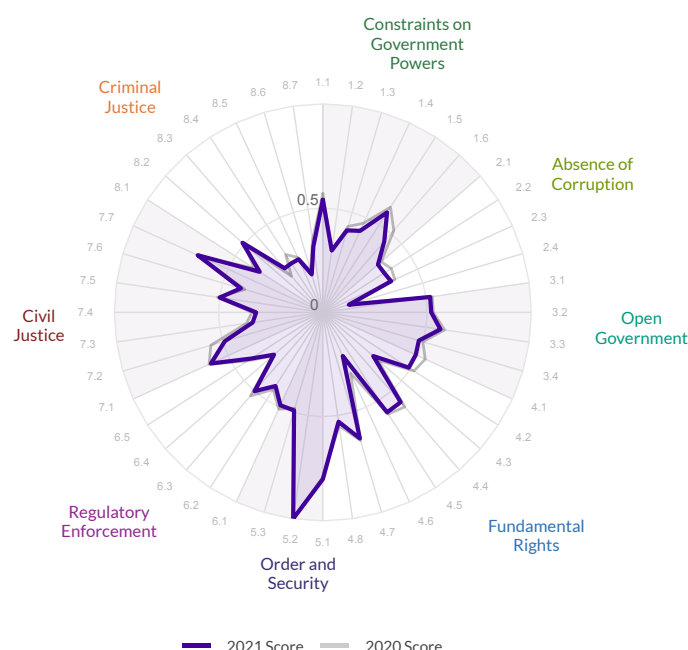
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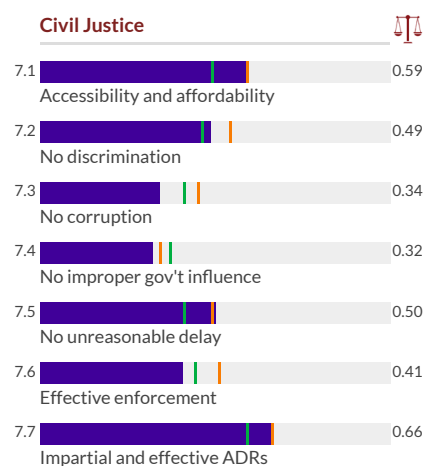
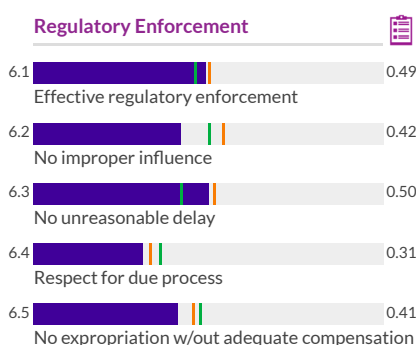
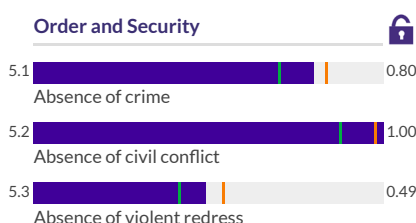
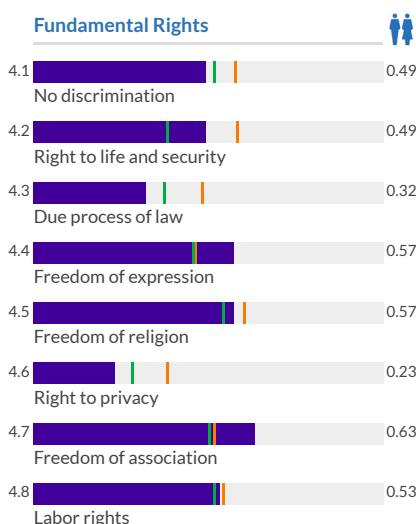
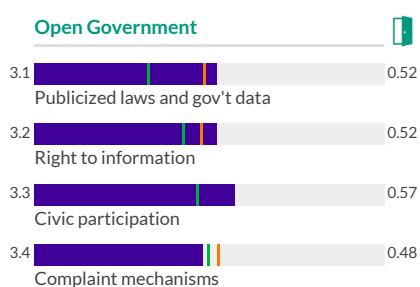
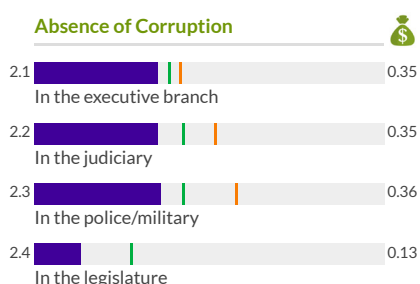
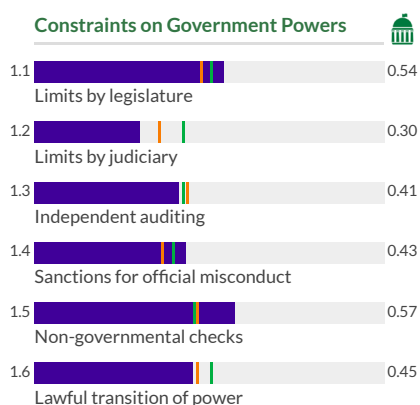
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.45	-0.03*	7/14	20/35	100/139
Absence of Corruption	0.30	-0.02*	14/14	30/35	126/139
Open Government	0.52	-0.01	5/14	4/35	61/139
Fundamental Rights	0.48	-0.03	9/14	12/35	96/139
Order and Security	0.76	0.01	11/14	5/35	55/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.43	-0.02	13/14	22/35	109/139
Civil Justice	0.47	-0.01	11/14	14/35	90/139
Criminal Justice	0.32	-0.01	13/14	26/35	118/139

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Low Medium High



Kyrgyz Republic Eastern Europe and Central Asia Lower-Middle



# Latvia





Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
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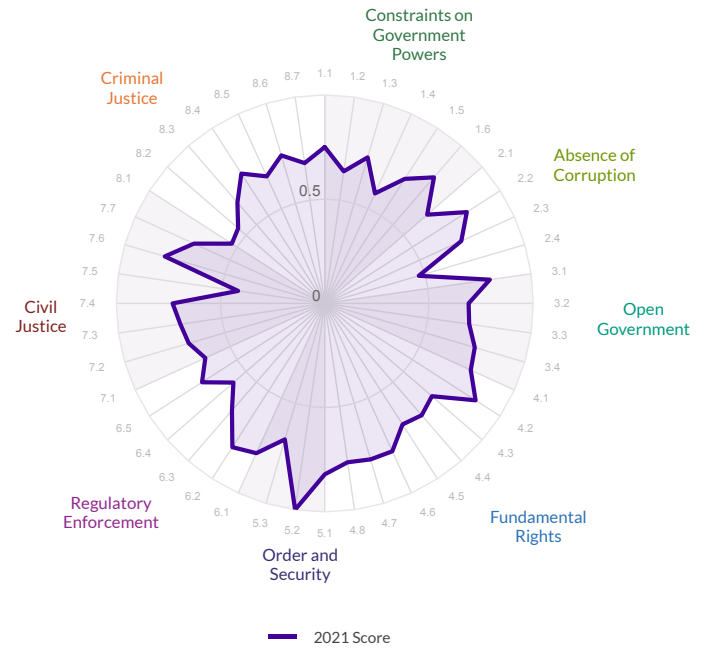
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.70	—	20/31	26/46	27/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.66	—	22/31	32/46	34/139
 Open Government	0.74	—	15/31	17/46	17/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.75	—	18/31	23/46	24/139
 Order and Security	0.83	—	20/31	27/46	28/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.71	—	17/31	23/46	23/139
 Civil Justice	0.66	—	19/31	28/46	29/139
 Criminal Justice	0.65	—	18/31	25/46	25/139

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Low Medium High



Latvia EU, EFTA, and North America High









<p><b>Constraints on Government Powers</b> </p> <p>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.75</p> <p>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.64</p> <p>1.3 Independent auditing 0.73</p> <p>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.58</p> <p>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.71</p> <p>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.80</p>	<p><b>Fundamental Rights</b> </p> <p>4.1 No discrimination 0.77</p> <p>4.2 Right to life and security 0.86</p> <p>4.3 Due process of law 0.68</p> <p>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.71</p> <p>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.69</p> <p>4.6 Right to privacy 0.78</p> <p>4.7 Freedom of association 0.78</p> <p>4.8 Labor rights 0.77</p>	<p><b>Civil Justice</b> </p> <p>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.63</p> <p>7.2 No discrimination 0.68</p> <p>7.3 No corruption 0.70</p> <p>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.73</p> <p>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.42</p> <p>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.80</p> <p>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.69</p>
<p><b>Absence of Corruption</b> </p> <p>2.1 In the executive branch 0.65</p> <p>2.2 In the judiciary 0.81</p> <p>2.3 In the police/military 0.72</p> <p>2.4 In the legislature 0.47</p>	<p><b>Order and Security</b> </p> <p>5.1 Absence of crime 0.82</p> <p>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 1.00</p> <p>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.68</p>	<p><b>Criminal Justice</b> </p> <p>8.1 Effective investigations 0.53</p> <p>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.55</p> <p>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.64</p> <p>8.4 No discrimination 0.74</p> <p>8.5 No corruption 0.67</p> <p>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.74</p> <p>8.7 Due process of law 0.68</p>
<p><b>Open Government</b> </p> <p>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.80</p> <p>3.2 Right to information 0.69</p> <p>3.3 Civic participation 0.70</p> <p>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.75</p>	<p><b>Regulatory Enforcement</b> </p> <p>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.79</p> <p>6.2 No improper influence 0.82</p> <p>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.68</p> <p>6.4 Respect for due process 0.58</p> <p>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.70</p>	

# Lebanon

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

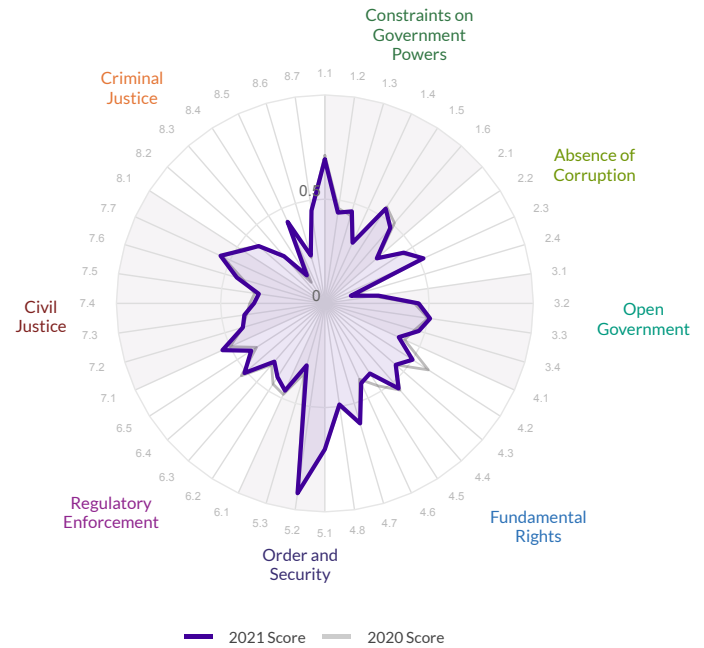
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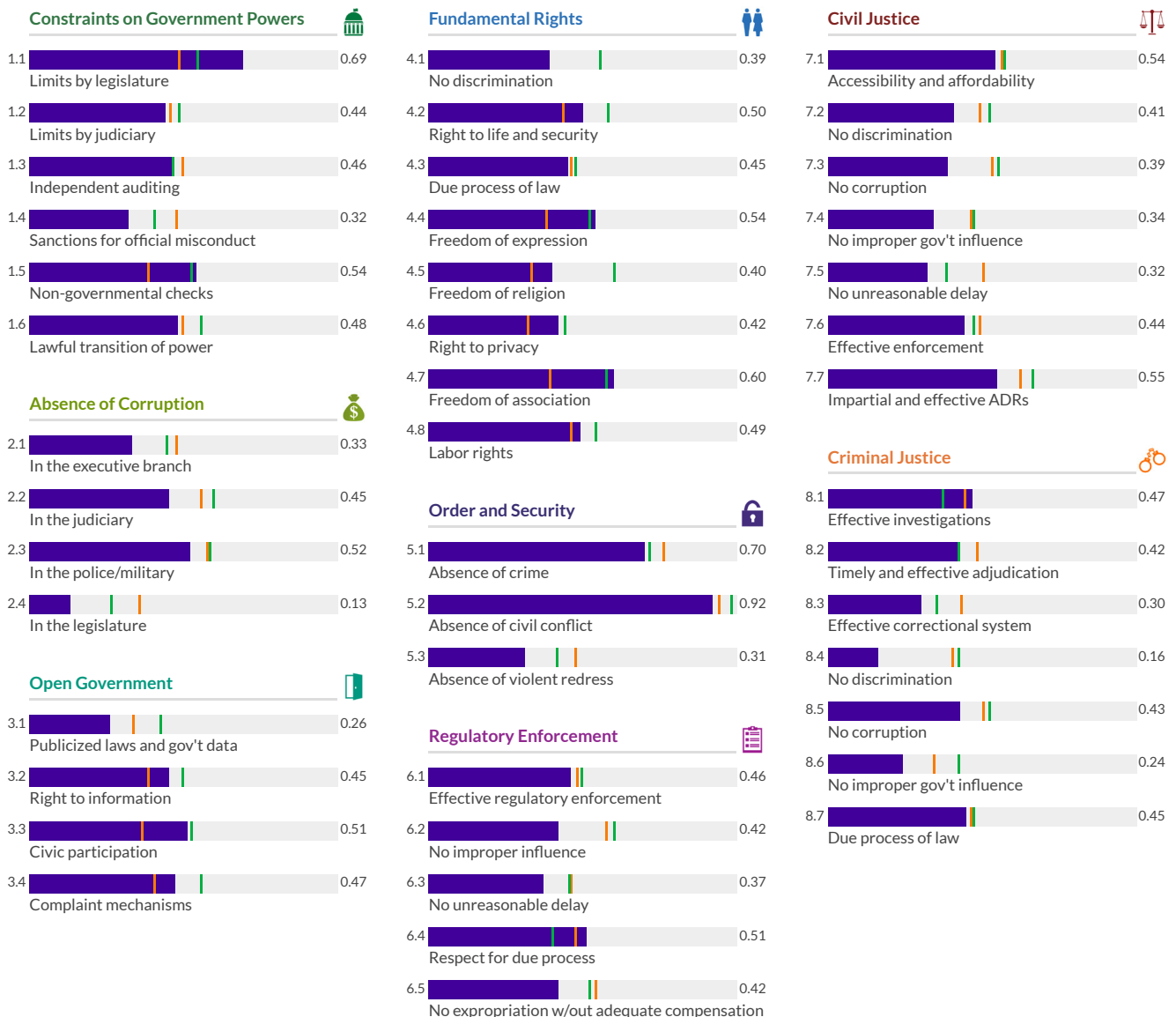
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 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.36	-0.01	8/8	35/40	109/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.42	0.02	3/8	32/40	100/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.47	-0.02	3/8	32/40	98/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.64	-0.01	7/8	29/40	103/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.44	-0.01	7/8	34/40	106/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.42	0.00	7/8	37/40	117/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.35	0.01	7/8	32/40	104/139

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Low Medium High



Lebanon Middle East and North Africa Upper-Middle



# Liberia

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

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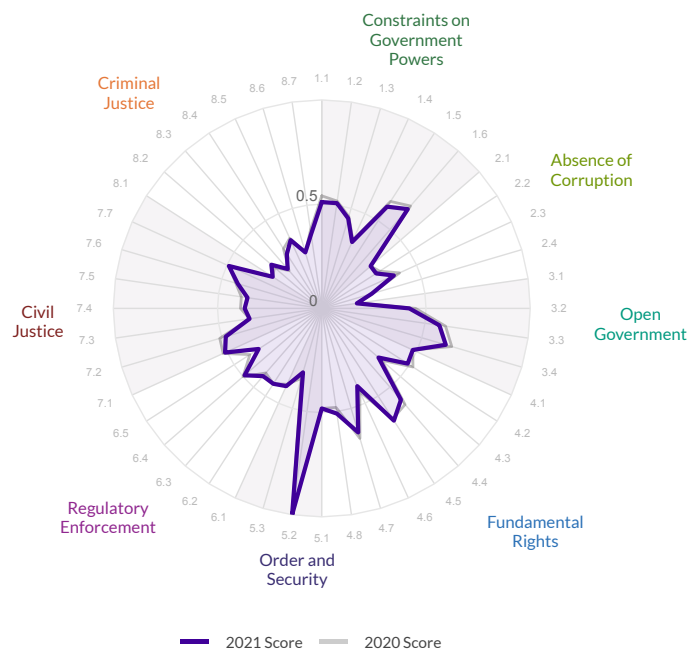
Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.44	18/33	7/18	110/139

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-0.01 ▾	-4 ▾

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.50	-0.02	13/33	5/18	79/139
Absence of Corruption	0.31	-0.01	25/33	12/18	121/139
Open Government	0.44	-0.02	12/33	6/18	91/139
Fundamental Rights	0.51	-0.01	12/33	5/18	82/139
Order and Security	0.60	-0.01	24/33	11/18	120/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.42	-0.01	21/33	7/18	113/139
Civil Justice	0.43	-0.01	24/33	10/18	116/139
Criminal Justice	0.31	-0.01	28/33	13/18	122/139

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Low Medium High



— Liberia — Sub-Saharan Africa — Low






<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.51</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.51</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.45</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.35</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.58</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.63</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.48</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.49</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.36</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.58</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.64</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.41</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.62</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.51</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.51</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.48</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.35</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.37</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.36</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.42</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.49</li> </ul>
<b>Absence of Corruption</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2.1 In the executive branch 0.31</li> <li>2.2 In the judiciary 0.31</li> <li>2.3 In the police/military 0.38</li> <li>2.4 In the legislature 0.25</li> </ul>	<b>Order and Security</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Absence of crime 0.48</li> <li>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 1.00</li> <li>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.32</li> </ul>	<b>Criminal Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Effective investigations 0.28</li> <li>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.32</li> <li>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.25</li> <li>8.4 No discrimination 0.31</li> <li>8.5 No corruption 0.36</li> <li>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.28</li> <li>8.7 Due process of law 0.36</li> </ul>
<b>Open Government</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.17</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.42</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.57</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.62</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.41</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.43</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.43</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.49</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.36</li> </ul>	

# Lithuania

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

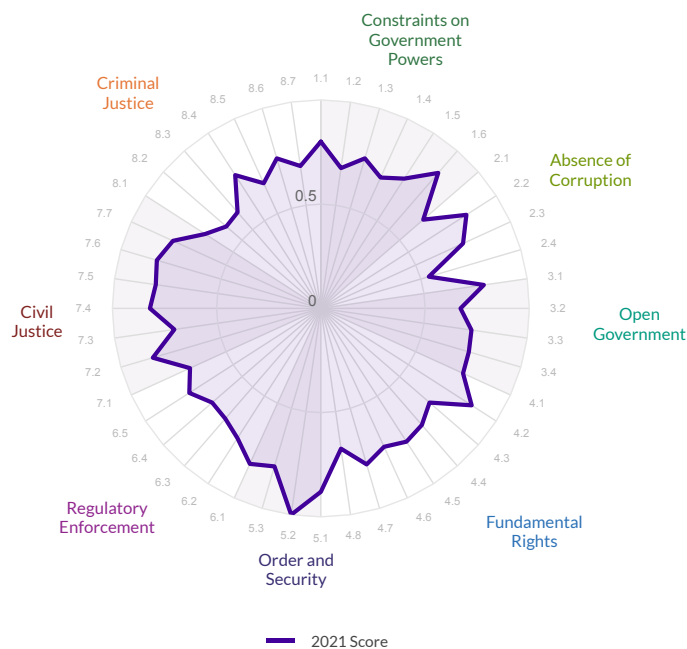
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0.75	14/31	18/46	18/139
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.75	-	15/31	18/46	19/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.69	-	19/31	26/46	26/139
 Open Government	0.73	-	16/31	18/46	18/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.75	-	19/31	24/46	25/139
 Order and Security	0.89	-	16/31	21/46	22/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.74	-	15/31	20/46	20/139
 Civil Justice	0.78	-	9/31	11/46	11/139
 Criminal Justice	0.68	-	16/31	22/46	22/139

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Low Medium High



Lithuania EU, EFTA, and North America High

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature 0.80
1.2	Limits by judiciary 0.68
1.3	Independent auditing 0.75
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct 0.69
1.5	Non-governmental checks 0.74
1.6	Lawful transition of power 0.86
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch 0.65
2.2	In the judiciary 0.83
2.3	In the police/military 0.75
2.4	In the legislature 0.54
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data 0.79
3.2	Right to information 0.67
3.3	Civic participation 0.73
3.4	Complaint mechanisms 0.74

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination 0.75
4.2	Right to life and security 0.86
4.3	Due process of law 0.69
4.4	Freedom of expression 0.74
4.5	Freedom of religion 0.76
4.6	Right to privacy 0.73
4.7	Freedom of association 0.78
4.8	Labor rights 0.68
Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime 0.88
5.2	Absence of civil conflict 1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress 0.79
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement 0.82
6.2	No improper influence 0.74
6.3	No unreasonable delay 0.70
6.4	Respect for due process 0.69
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.75

Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability 0.69
7.2	No discrimination 0.84
7.3	No corruption 0.71
7.4	No improper gov't influence 0.82
7.5	No unreasonable delay 0.80
7.6	Effective enforcement 0.82
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs 0.78
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations 0.66
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication 0.60
8.3	Effective correctional system 0.61
8.4	No discrimination 0.76
8.5	No corruption 0.66
8.6	No improper gov't influence 0.75
8.7	Due process of law 0.69

# Luxembourg









Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.83	7/31	8/46	8/139

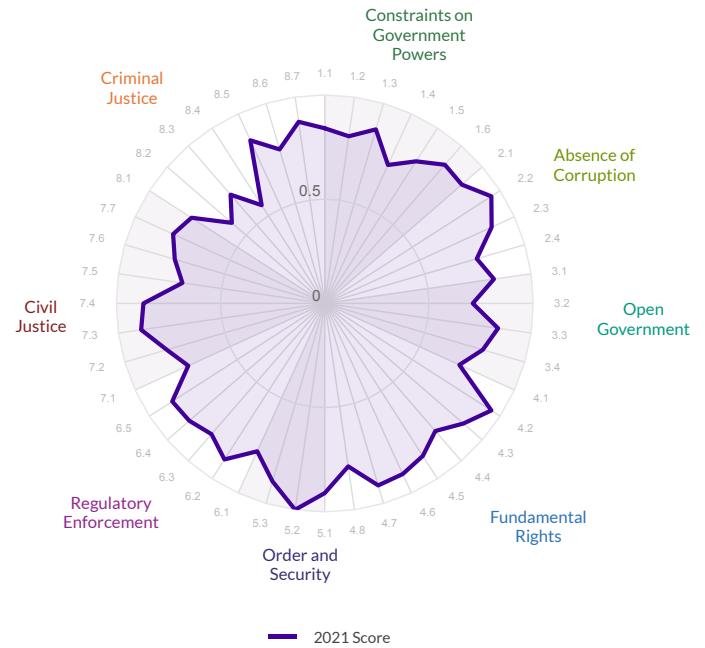
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.82	—	11/31	12/46	12/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.87	—	6/31	8/46	8/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.79	—	11/31	13/46	13/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.85	—	7/31	7/46	7/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.93	—	2/31	2/46	2/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.85	—	5/31	7/46	7/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.79	—	8/31	9/46	9/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.73	—	9/31	12/46	12/139

\* Indicates statistically significant change at the 10 percent level

Low Medium High



— Luxembourg — EU, EFTA, and North America — High

## Constraints on Government Powers

1.1	Limits by legislature	0.84
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.81
1.3	Independent auditing	0.87
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.73
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.81
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.88

## Absence of Corruption

2.1	In the executive branch	0.87
2.2	In the judiciary	0.95
2.3	In the police/military	0.88
2.4	In the legislature	0.76

## Open Government

3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.82
3.2	Right to information	0.71
3.3	Civic participation	0.84
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.79

## Fundamental Rights

4.1	No discrimination	0.71
4.2	Right to life and security	0.95
4.3	Due process of law	0.88
4.4	Freedom of expression	0.81
4.5	Freedom of religion	0.87
4.6	Right to privacy	0.90
4.7	Freedom of association	0.91
4.8	Labor rights	0.79

## Order and Security

5.1	Absence of crime	0.91
5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.89

## Regulatory Enforcement

6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.78
6.2	No improper influence	0.89
6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.83
6.4	Respect for due process	0.86
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.87

## Civil Justice

7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.72
7.2	No discrimination	0.79
7.3	No corruption	0.89
7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.87
7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.69
7.6	Effective enforcement	0.75
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.80

## Criminal Justice

8.1	Effective investigations	0.76
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.59
8.3	Effective correctional system	0.69
8.4	No discrimination	0.56
8.5	No corruption	0.86
8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.77
8.7	Due process of law	0.88

# Madagascar

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

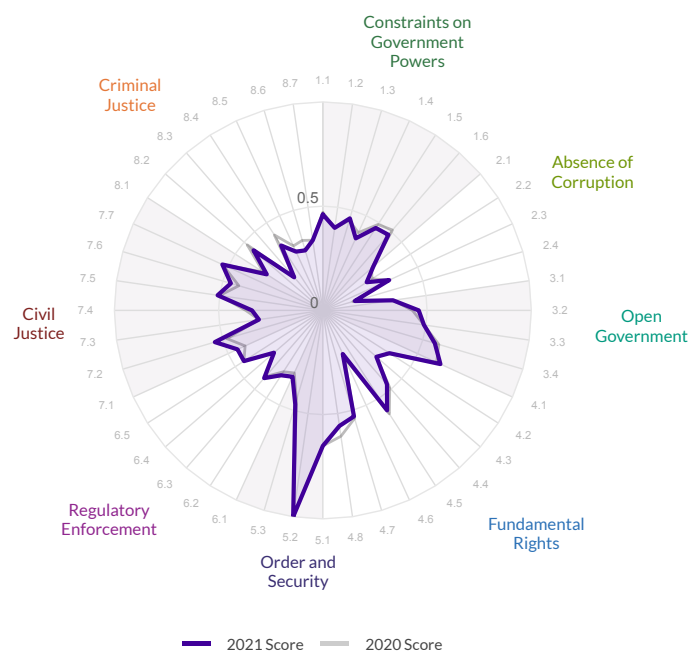
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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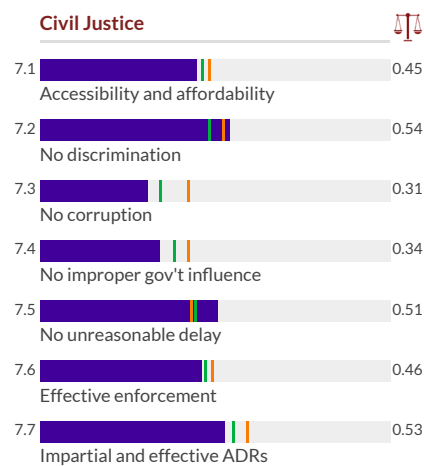
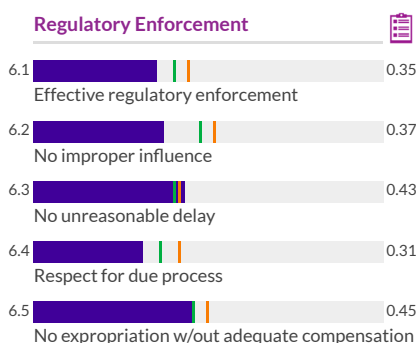
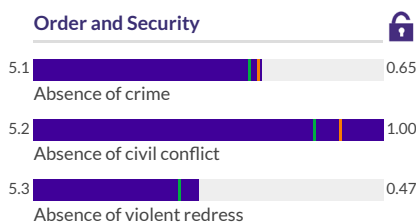
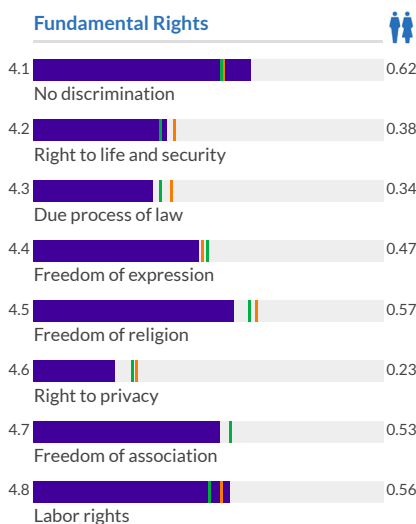
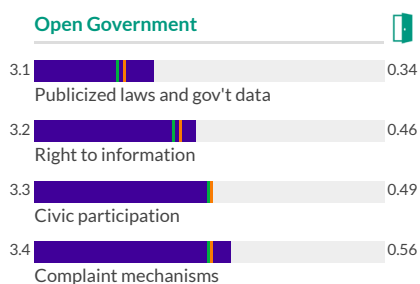
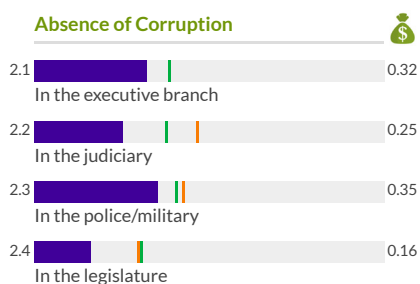
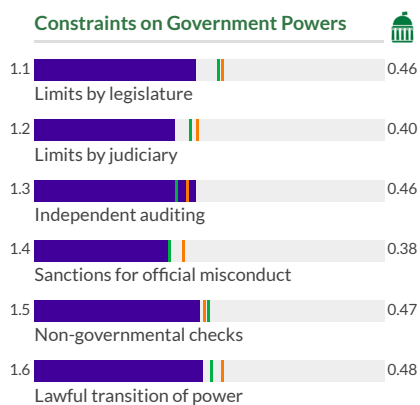
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.44	-0.01	19/33	9/18	104/139
Absence of Corruption	0.27	0.00	29/33	15/18	133/139
Open Government	0.46	0.00	9/33	3/18	85/139
Fundamental Rights	0.46	-0.01	18/33	10/18	102/139
Order and Security	0.71	0.00	10/33	4/18	79/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.38	0.01	25/33	10/18	125/139
Civil Justice	0.45	0.02	19/33	7/18	106/139
Criminal Justice	0.33	-0.03	25/33	10/18	111/139

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Low Medium High



Madagascar Sub-Saharan Africa Low











# Malawi

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

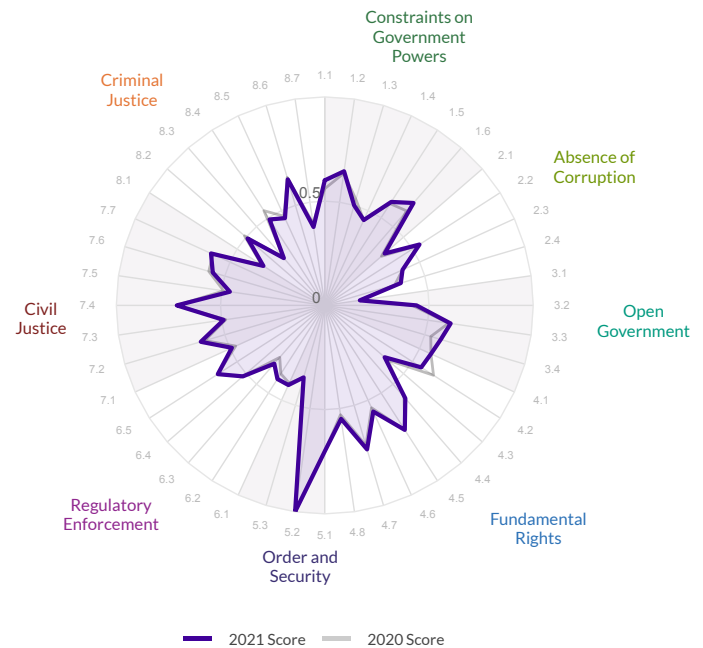
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0.52	8/33	2/18	67/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.58	0.01	8/33	3/18	56/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.43	0.01	12/33	6/18	86/139
 Open Government	0.45	0.02	11/33	5/18	89/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.58	0.00	6/33	1/18	64/139
 Order and Security	0.69	0.00	12/33	6/18	85/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.47	0.02	15/33	6/18	91/139
 Civil Justice	0.56	0.00	7/33	2/18	60/139
 Criminal Justice	0.44	-0.02	9/33	3/18	70/139

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Low Medium High



Malawi Sub-Saharan Africa Low

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature 0.60
1.2	Limits by judiciary 0.65
1.3	Independent auditing 0.50
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct 0.45
1.5	Non-governmental checks 0.59
1.6	Lawful transition of power 0.65
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch 0.38
2.2	In the judiciary 0.54
2.3	In the police/military 0.41
2.4	In the legislature 0.38
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data 0.17
3.2	Right to information 0.44
3.3	Civic participation 0.61
3.4	Complaint mechanisms 0.58

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination 0.56
4.2	Right to life and security 0.55
4.3	Due process of law 0.38
4.4	Freedom of expression 0.59
4.5	Freedom of religion 0.71
4.6	Right to privacy 0.56
4.7	Freedom of association 0.72
4.8	Labor rights 0.55
Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime 0.70
5.2	Absence of civil conflict 1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress 0.36
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement 0.42
6.2	No improper influence 0.42
6.3	No unreasonable delay 0.37
6.4	Respect for due process 0.52
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.61

Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability 0.49
7.2	No discrimination 0.62
7.3	No corruption 0.49
7.4	No improper gov't influence 0.71
7.5	No unreasonable delay 0.46
7.6	Effective enforcement 0.56
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs 0.60
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations 0.35
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication 0.49
8.3	Effective correctional system 0.30
8.4	No discrimination 0.49
8.5	No corruption 0.46
8.6	No improper gov't influence 0.63
8.7	Due process of law 0.38

# Malaysia

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

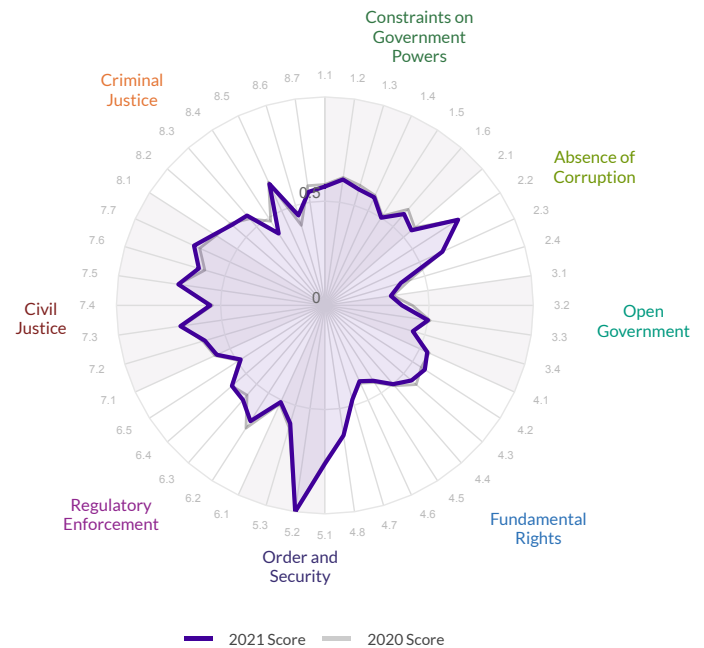
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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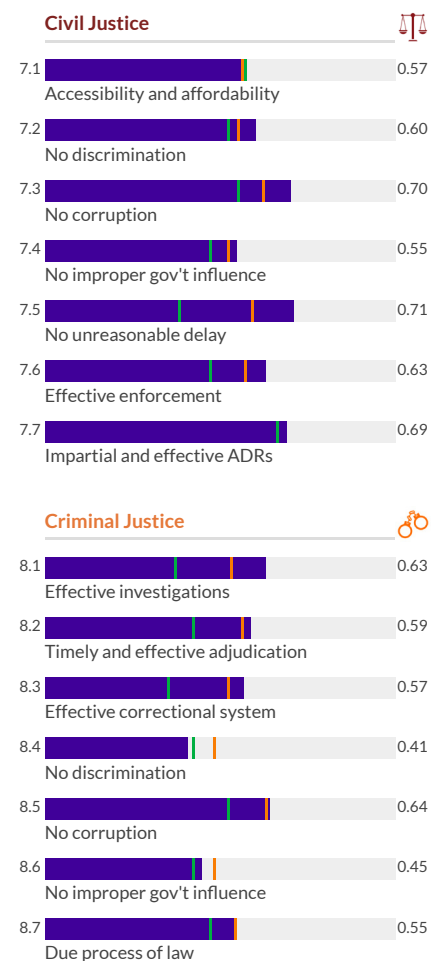
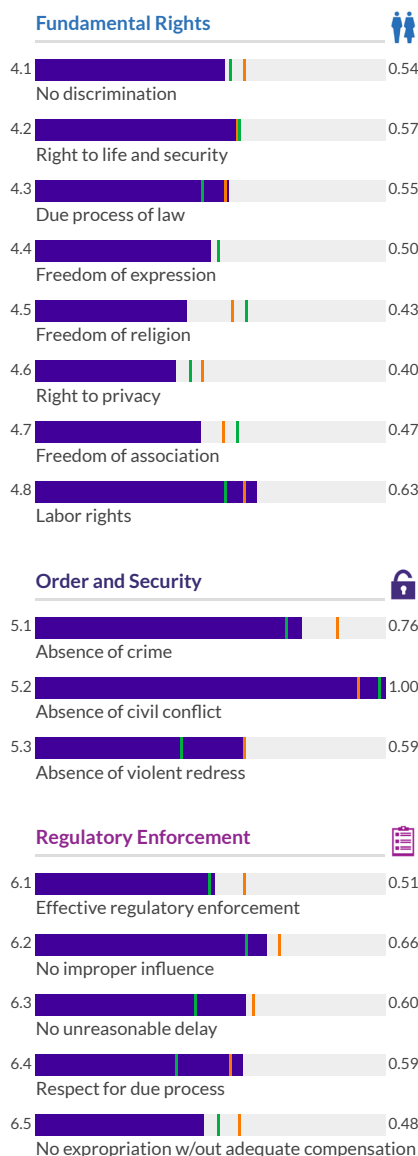
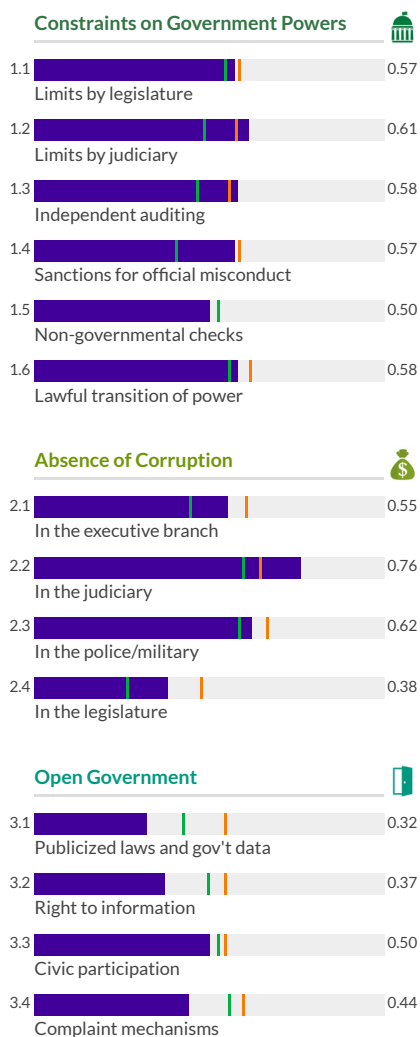
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.57	-0.01	8/15	12/40	59/139
Absence of Corruption	0.58	-0.02	7/15	9/40	49/139
Open Government	0.41	-0.02	12/15	33/40	104/139
Fundamental Rights	0.51	-0.01	8/15	26/40	84/139
Order and Security	0.78	0.00	8/15	7/40	44/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.57	-0.01	7/15	5/40	46/139
Civil Justice	0.64	0.01	7/15	3/40	34/139
Criminal Justice	0.55	-0.01	7/15	7/40	45/139

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Low Medium High



Malaysia East Asia and Pacific Upper-Middle



# Mali

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

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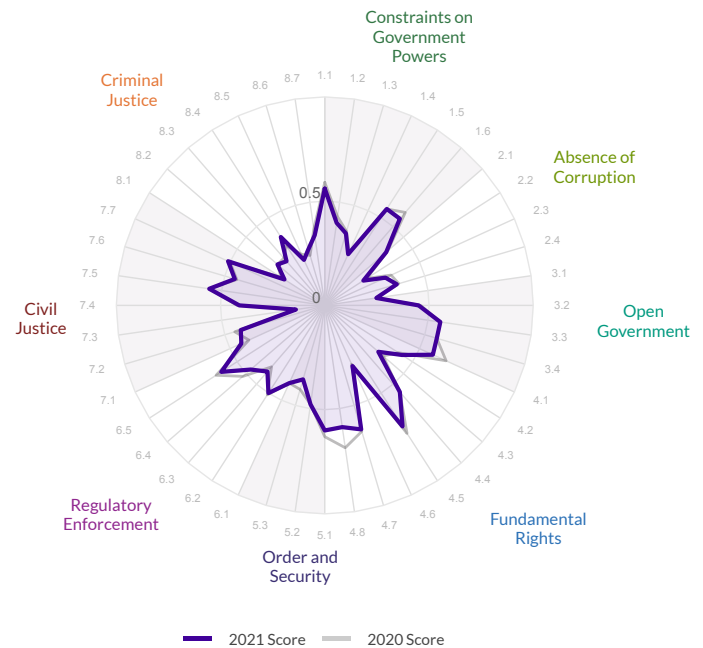
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0.43	22/33	10/18	115/139

Score Change	Rank Change
-0.01 ▼	-1 ▼

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.45	-0.02*	17/33	7/18	101/139
Absence of Corruption	0.32	-0.02	22/33	11/18	117/139
Open Government	0.45	0.00	10/33	4/18	88/139
Fundamental Rights	0.51	-0.03	11/33	4/18	81/139
Order and Security	0.48	-0.03*	31/33	17/18	135/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	-0.01	11/33	4/18	83/139
Civil Justice	0.42	0.00	26/33	12/18	119/139
Criminal Justice	0.29	0.00	30/33	16/18	126/139

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Low Medium High



Mali Sub-Saharan Africa Low






<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.56</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.40</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.36</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.27</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.55</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.55</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.57</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.44</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.34</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.55</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.69</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.32</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.62</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.59</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.44</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.42</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.14</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.41</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.56</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.45</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.51</li> </ul>
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<b>Open Government</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.25</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.45</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.56</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.56</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.41</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.50</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.42</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.47</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.59</li> </ul>	

# Malta

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

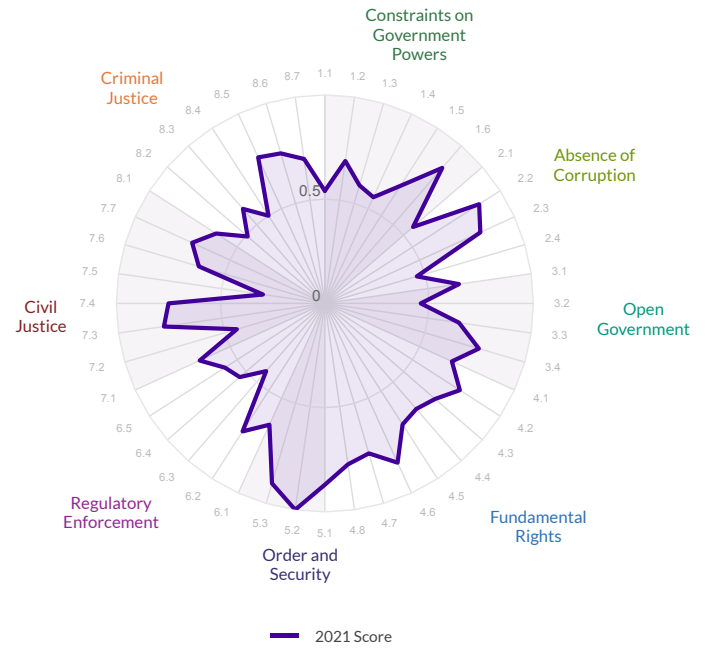
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.65	-	26/31	33/46	37/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.68	-	20/31	29/46	30/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.63	-	23/31	30/46	31/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.73	-	20/31	25/46	26/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.92	-	5/31	7/46	7/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.58	-	26/31	39/46	44/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.61	-	25/31	38/46	45/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.63	-	20/31	27/46	27/139

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Low Medium High



Malta EU, EFTA, and North America High

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature 0.54
1.2	Limits by judiciary 0.69
1.3	Independent auditing 0.59
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct 0.56
1.5	Non-governmental checks 0.67
1.6	Lawful transition of power 0.86
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch 0.56
2.2	In the judiciary 0.88
2.3	In the police/military 0.82
2.4	In the legislature 0.46
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data 0.65
3.2	Right to information 0.46
3.3	Civic participation 0.65
3.4	Complaint mechanisms 0.77

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination 0.67
4.2	Right to life and security 0.77
4.3	Due process of law 0.70
4.4	Freedom of expression 0.67
4.5	Freedom of religion 0.69
4.6	Right to privacy 0.84
4.7	Freedom of association 0.75
4.8	Labor rights 0.78
Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime 0.87
5.2	Absence of civil conflict 1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress 0.90
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement 0.64
6.2	No improper influence 0.73
6.3	No unreasonable delay 0.43
6.4	Respect for due process 0.54
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.57

Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability 0.66
7.2	No discrimination 0.44
7.3	No corruption 0.78
7.4	No improper gov't influence 0.75
7.5	No unreasonable delay 0.30
7.6	Effective enforcement 0.63
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs 0.70
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations 0.62
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication 0.49
8.3	Effective correctional system 0.60
8.4	No discrimination 0.50
8.5	No corruption 0.77
8.6	No improper gov't influence 0.75
8.7	Due process of law 0.70

# Mauritania

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

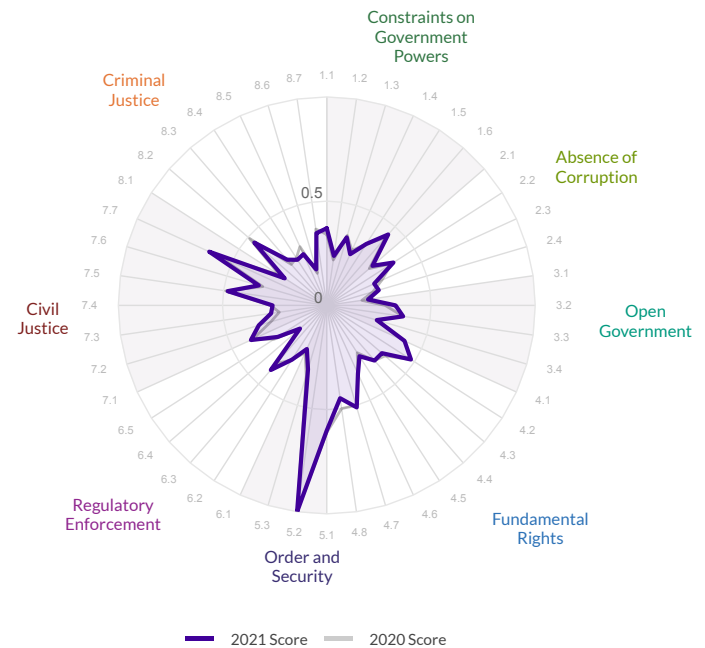
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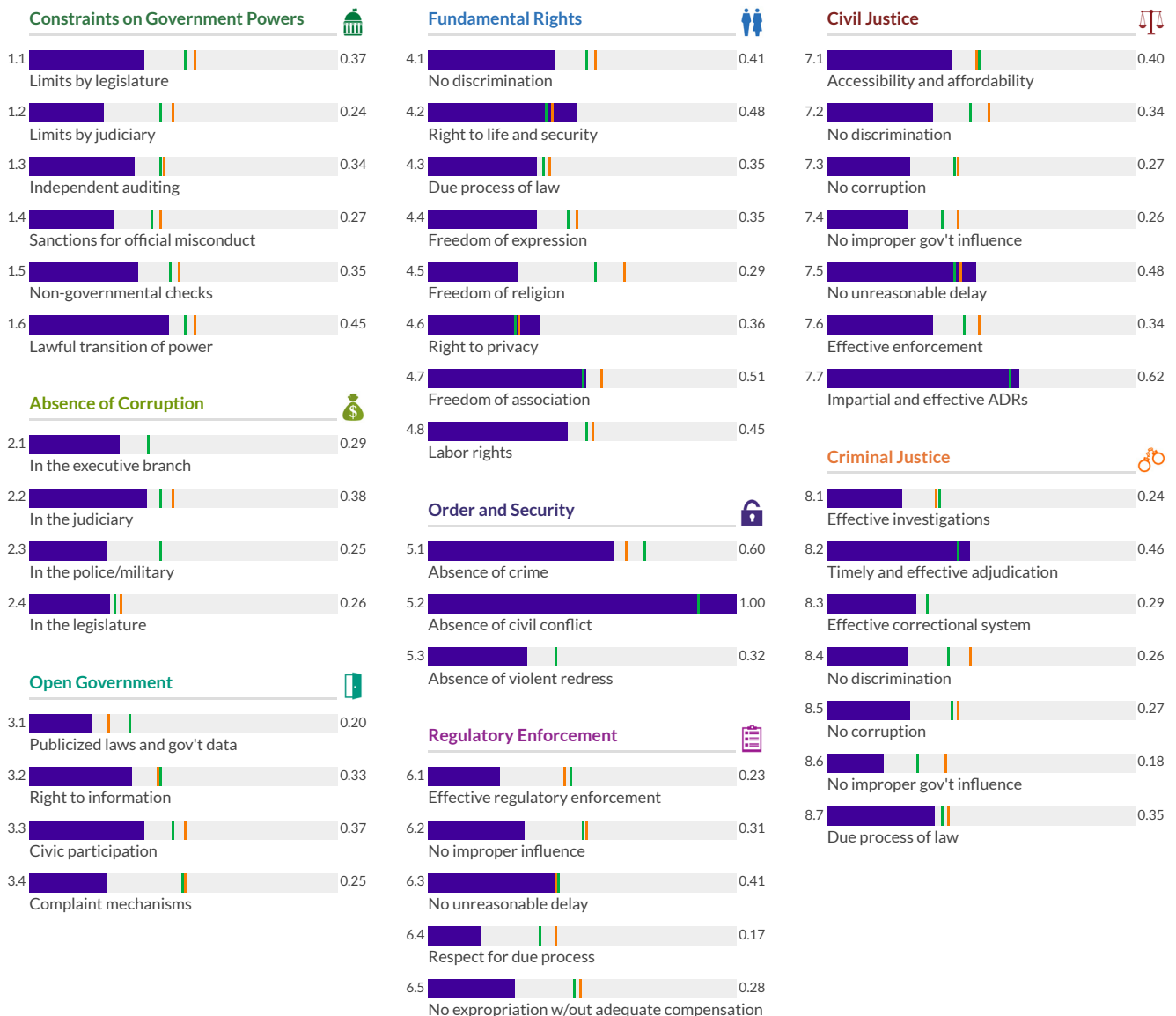
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.34	0.01	32/33	30/35	130/139
Absence of Corruption	0.30	0.01	27/33	31/35	128/139
Open Government	0.29	0.02	33/33	33/35	135/139
Fundamental Rights	0.40	0.00	26/33	24/35	121/139
Order and Security	0.64	-0.01	19/33	22/35	105/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.28	0.00	33/33	34/35	137/139
Civil Justice	0.39	0.02	32/33	29/35	128/139
Criminal Justice	0.29	-0.01	31/33	29/35	128/139

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Low Medium High



Mauritania Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle



# Mauritius

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: High

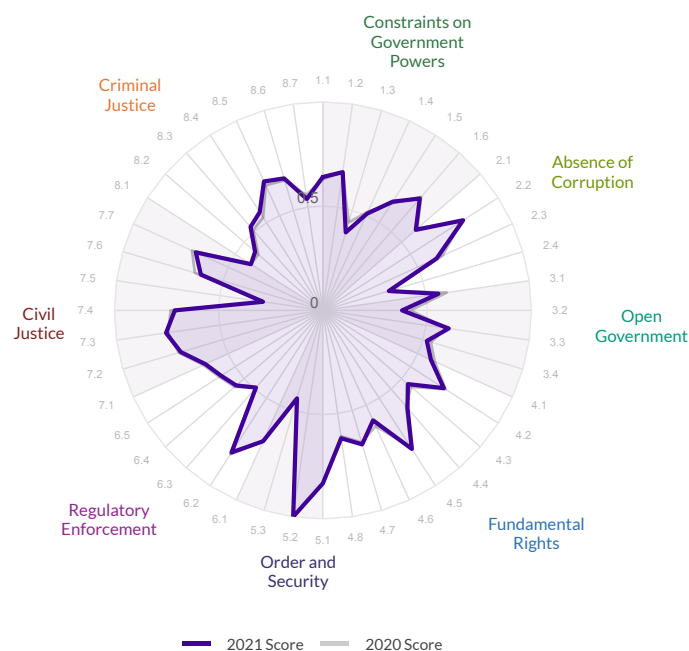
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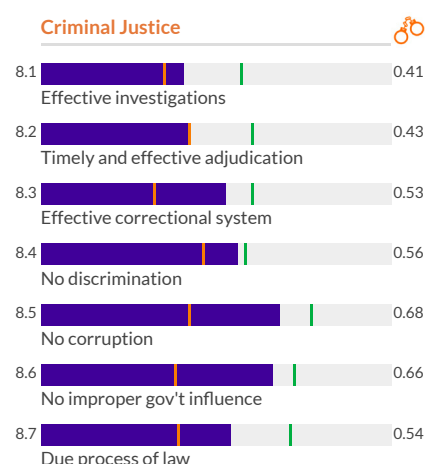
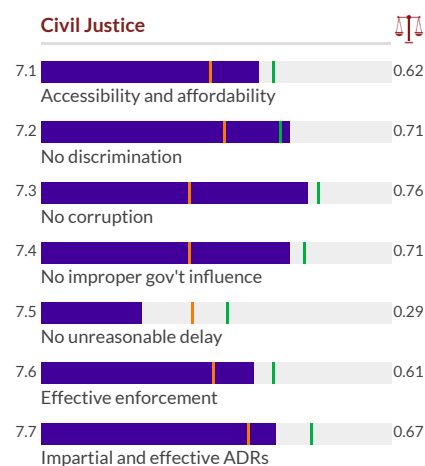
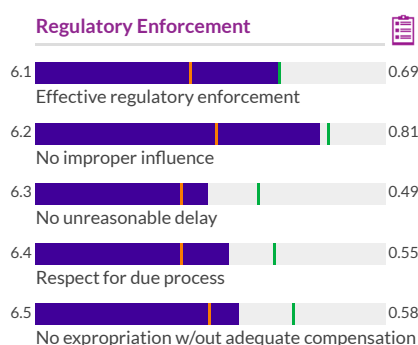
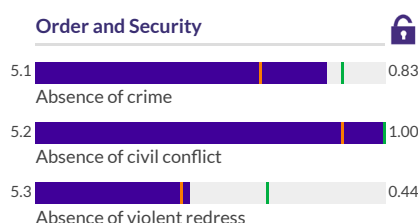
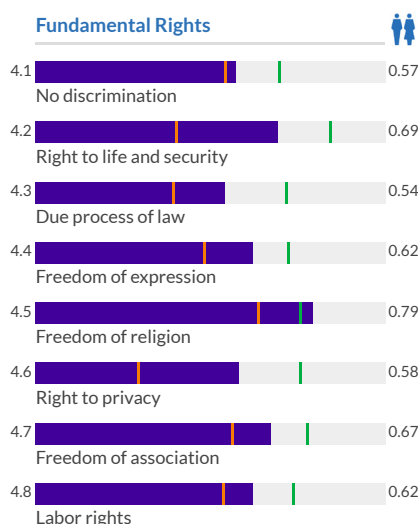
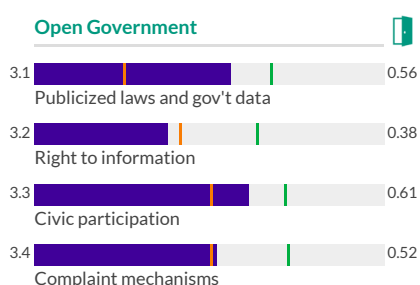
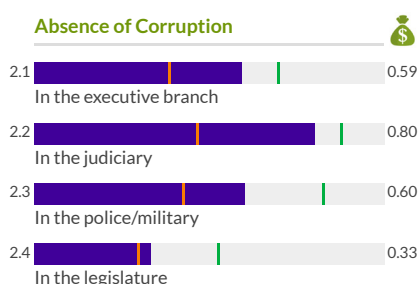
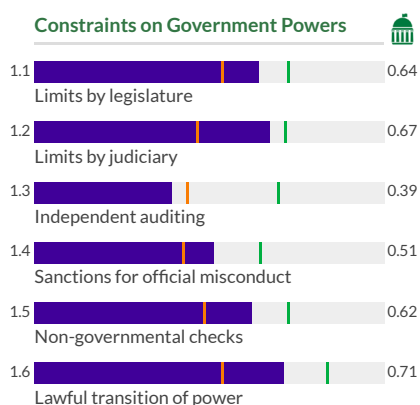
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.59	-0.01	6/33	40/46	51/139
Absence of Corruption	0.58	-0.01	3/33	39/46	48/139
Open Government	0.52	-0.02	4/33	43/46	65/139
Fundamental Rights	0.63	0.00	3/33	40/46	46/139
Order and Security	0.76	0.00	3/33	39/46	60/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.62	0.00	1/33	33/46	34/139
Civil Justice	0.63	-0.01	3/33	35/46	40/139
Criminal Justice	0.54	0.01	3/33	39/46	46/139

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Low Medium High



Mauritius Sub-Saharan Africa High



# Mexico

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

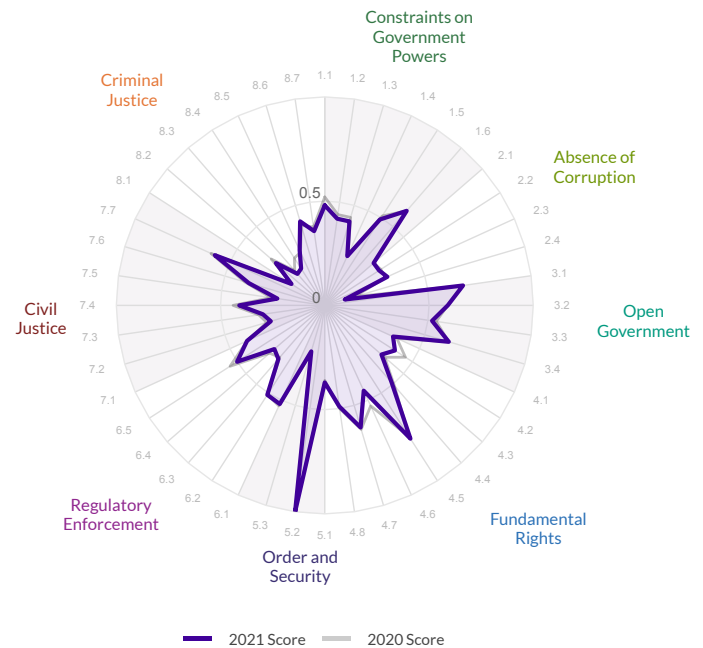
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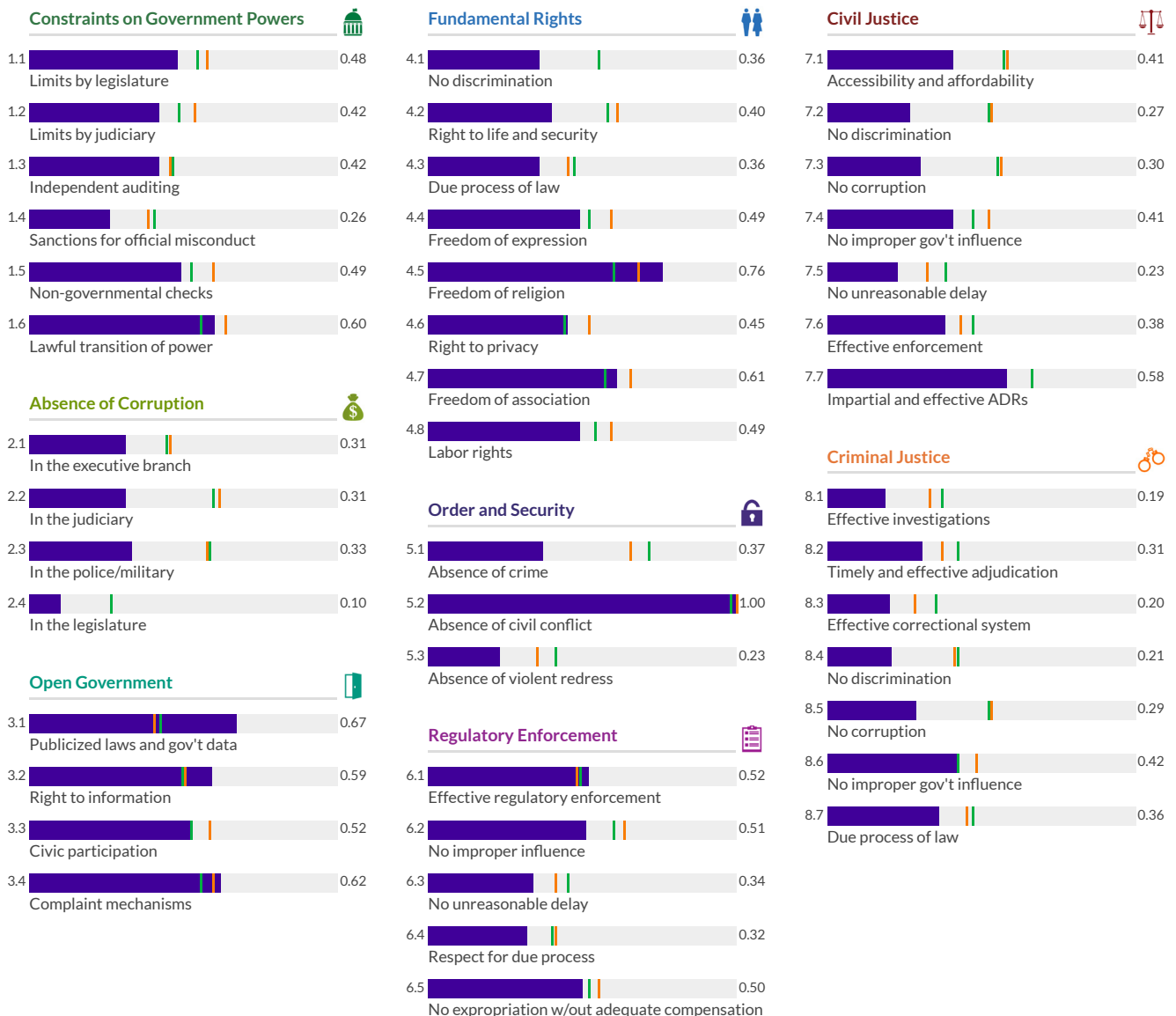
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.45	-0.02	26/32	30/40	102/139
Absence of Corruption	0.26	-0.01	32/32	40/40	135/139
Open Government	0.60	0.00	7/32	6/40	43/139
Fundamental Rights	0.49	-0.02	26/32	29/40	91/139
Order and Security	0.53	0.00	30/32	39/40	130/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.44	-0.01	24/32	33/40	105/139
Civil Justice	0.37	-0.02	28/32	38/40	131/139
Criminal Justice	0.29	-0.01	26/32	38/40	129/139

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Low Medium High



Mexico Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Moldova

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

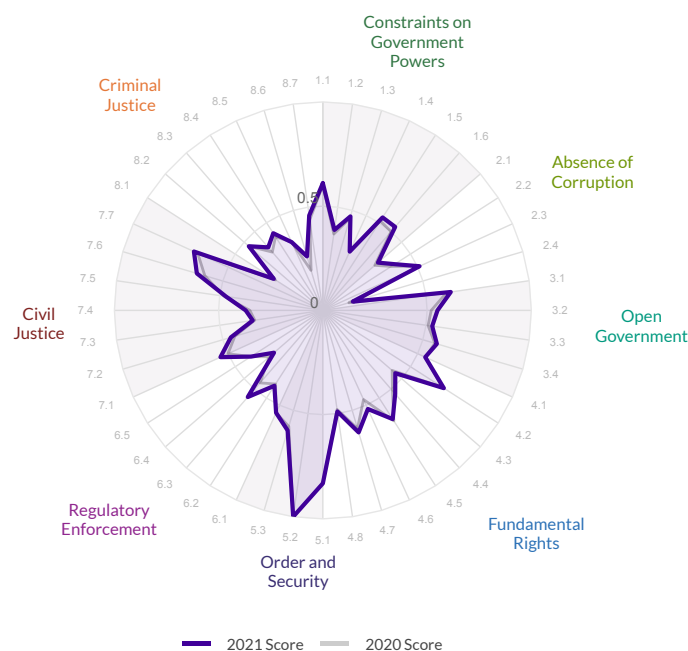
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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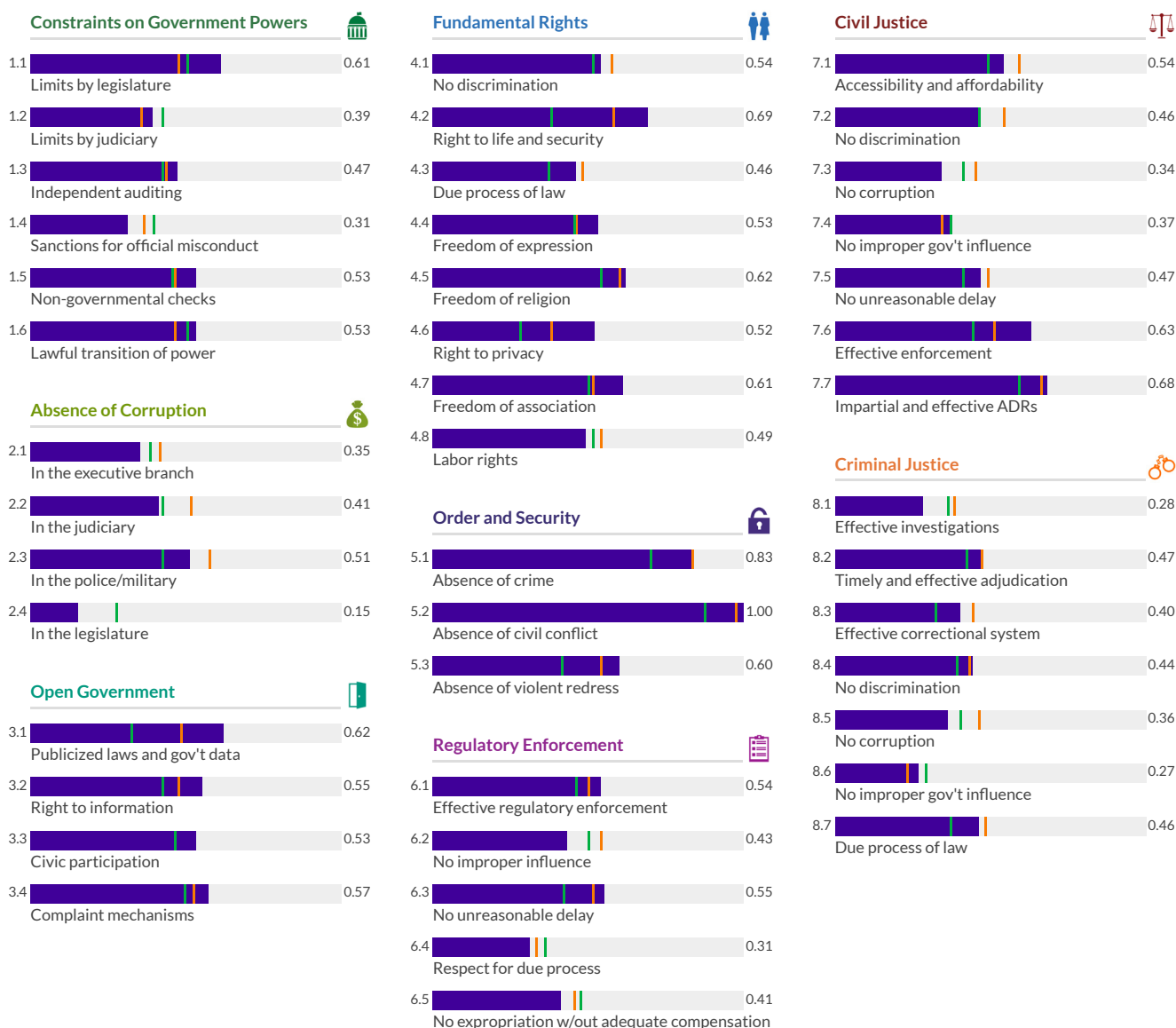
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.47	0.02	3/14	16/35	90/139
Absence of Corruption	0.36	0.02	12/14	20/35	111/139
Open Government	0.57	0.02*	2/14	2/35	50/139
Fundamental Rights	0.56	0.01	7/14	5/35	71/139
Order and Security	0.81	0.01	3/14	2/35	37/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.45	0.01	9/14	15/35	99/139
Civil Justice	0.50	0.02	8/14	11/35	81/139
Criminal Justice	0.39	0.02*	10/14	15/35	88/139

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Low Medium High



— Moldova — Eastern Europe and Central Asia — Lower-Middle



# Mongolia

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

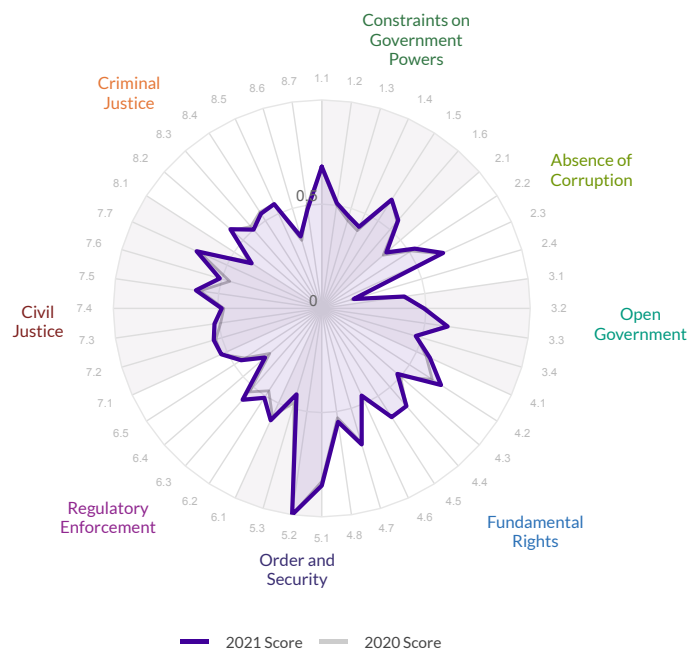
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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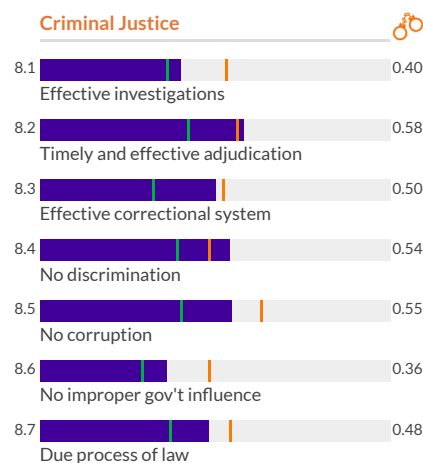
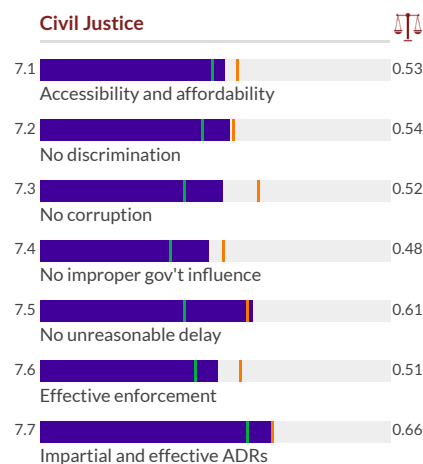
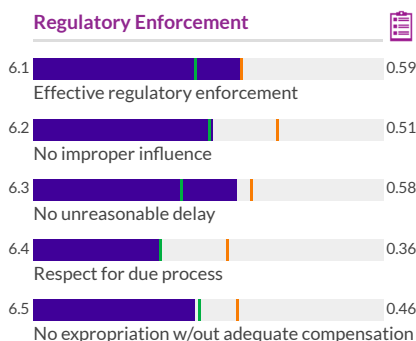
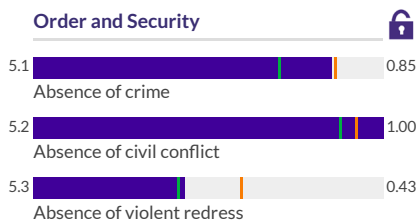
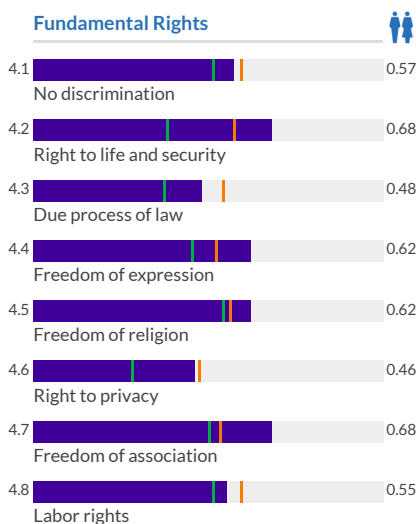
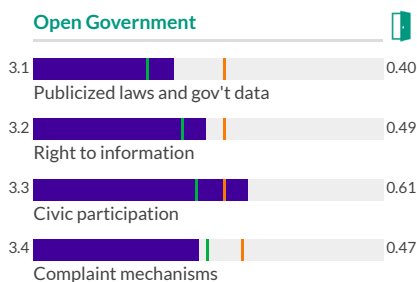
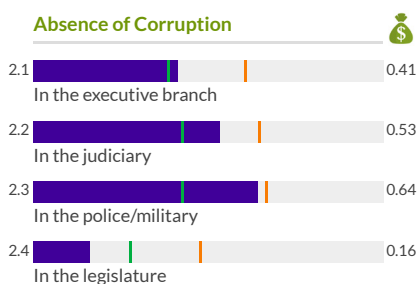
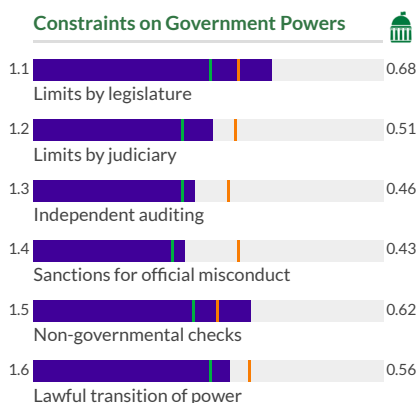
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.54	0.01	9/15	6/35	66/139
Absence of Corruption	0.43	0.01	12/15	9/35	81/139
Open Government	0.50	0.01	9/15	9/35	72/139
Fundamental Rights	0.58	0.01	7/15	4/35	63/139
Order and Security	0.76	-0.01	10/15	6/35	58/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.50	0.03*	9/15	8/35	70/139
Civil Justice	0.55	0.02	8/15	4/35	63/139
Criminal Justice	0.49	0.00	8/15	1/35	57/139

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Low Medium High



— Mongolia — East Asia and Pacific — Lower-Middle



# Morocco

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

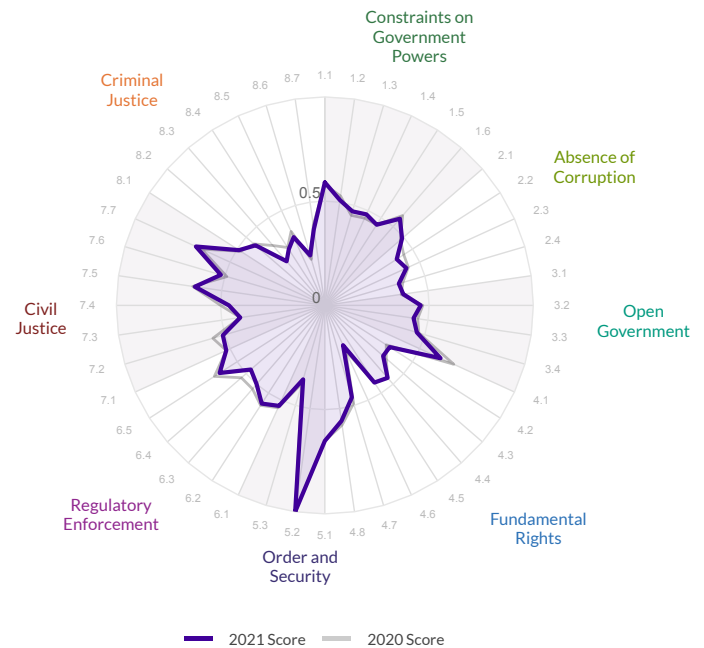
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.49	5/8	13/35	90/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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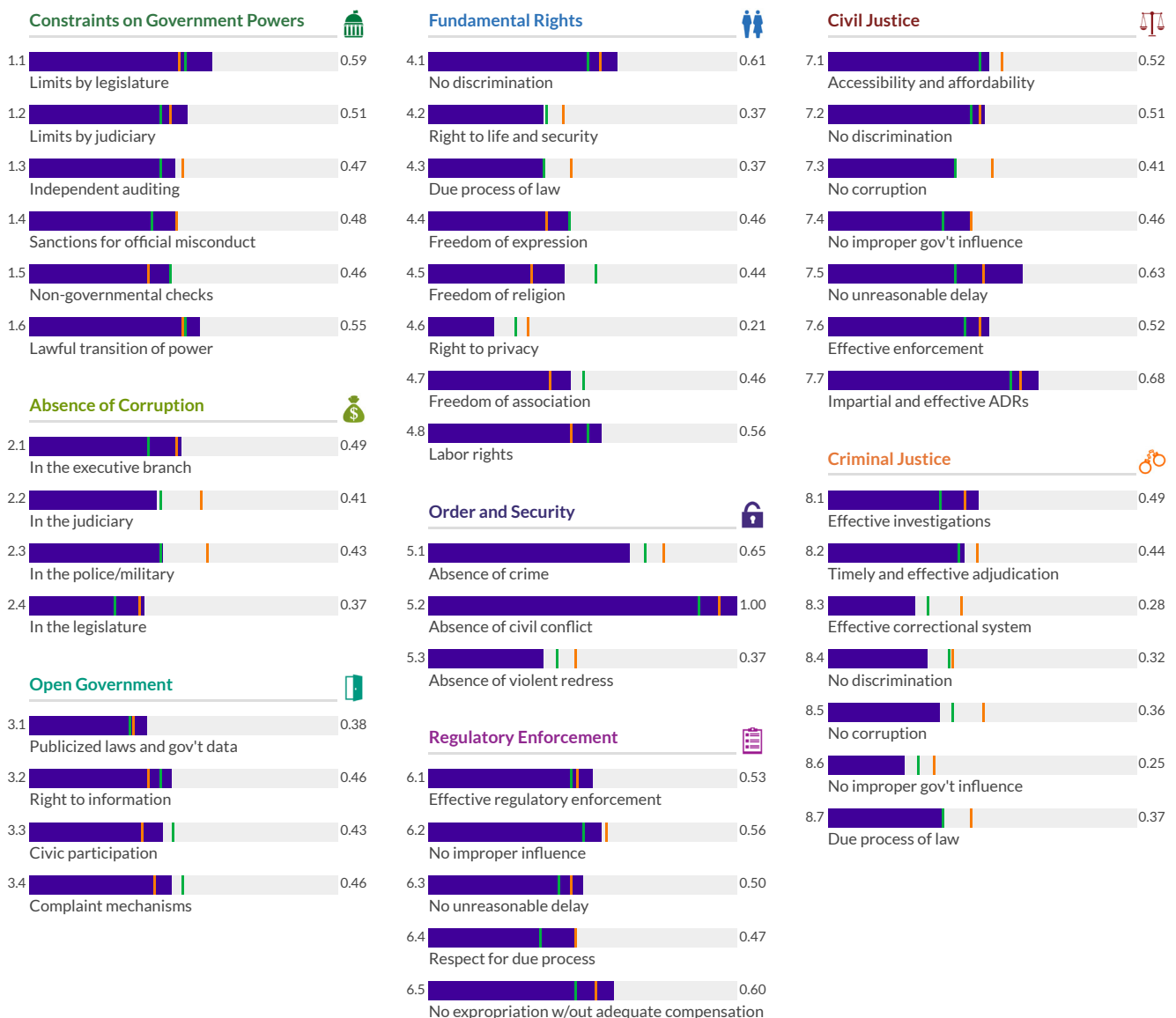
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Open Government	0.43	-0.01	2/8	15/35	97/139
Fundamental Rights	0.43	-0.02	6/8	19/35	110/139
Order and Security	0.68	0.00	5/8	16/35	91/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.53	-0.03	3/8	3/35	58/139
Civil Justice	0.53	0.00	5/8	6/35	69/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	-0.02	6/8	19/35	99/139

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Low Medium High



Morocco Middle East and North Africa Lower-Middle



# Mozambique

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

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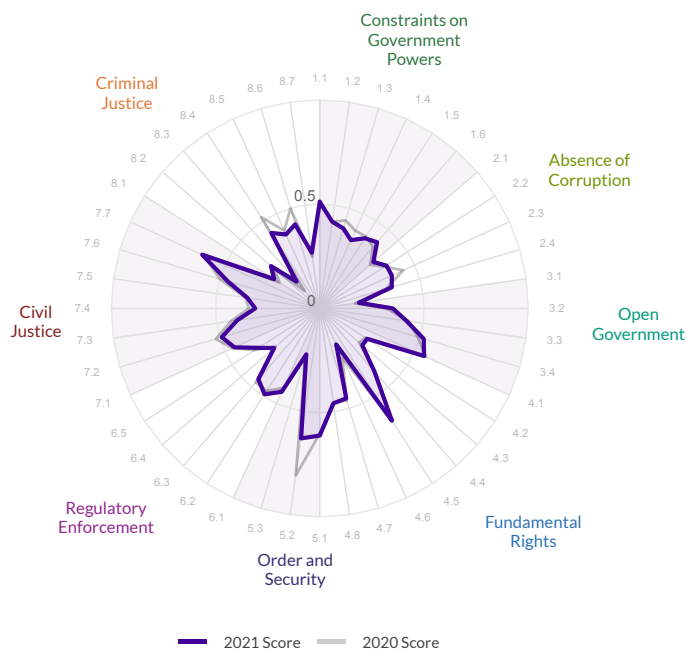
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Score Change	Rank Change
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.42	-0.01	22/33	11/18	111/139
Absence of Corruption	0.36	0.00	19/33	9/18	107/139
Open Government	0.37	0.02	21/33	12/18	118/139
Fundamental Rights	0.41	-0.01	25/33	14/18	119/139
Order and Security	0.49	-0.07*	29/33	15/18	133/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.40	0.00	23/33	9/18	120/139
Civil Justice	0.44	-0.02	20/33	8/18	108/139
Criminal Justice	0.32	-0.01	27/33	12/18	114/139

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Low Medium High



Mozambique Sub-Saharan Africa Low

<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.51</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.42</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.40</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.36</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.40</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.42</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.55</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.27</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.27</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.40</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.64</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.19</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.45</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.46</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.45</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.49</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.40</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.31</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.35</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.46</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.62</li> </ul>
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<b>Open Government</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.19</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.35</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.42</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.52</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.44</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.49</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.45</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.29</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.35</li> </ul>	









# Myanmar

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

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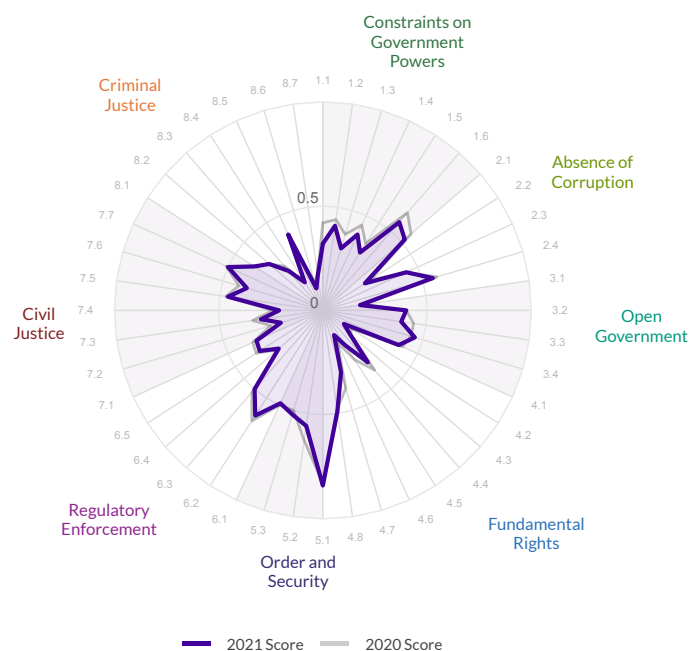
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Score Change	Rank Change
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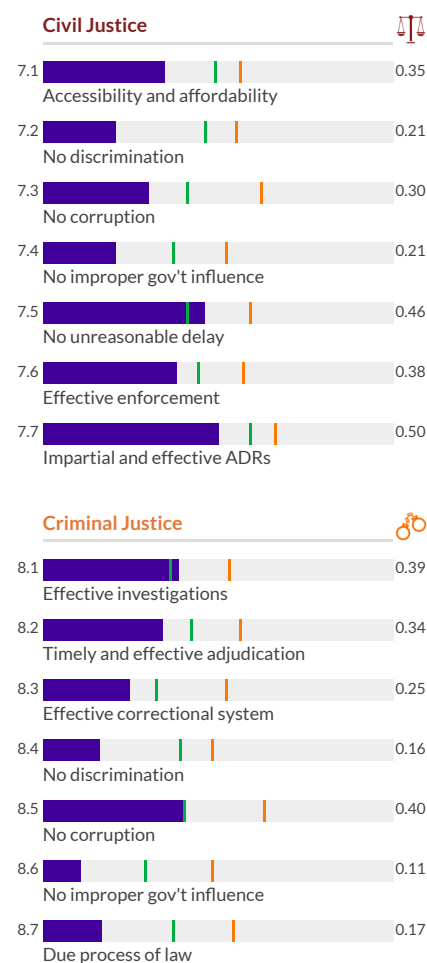
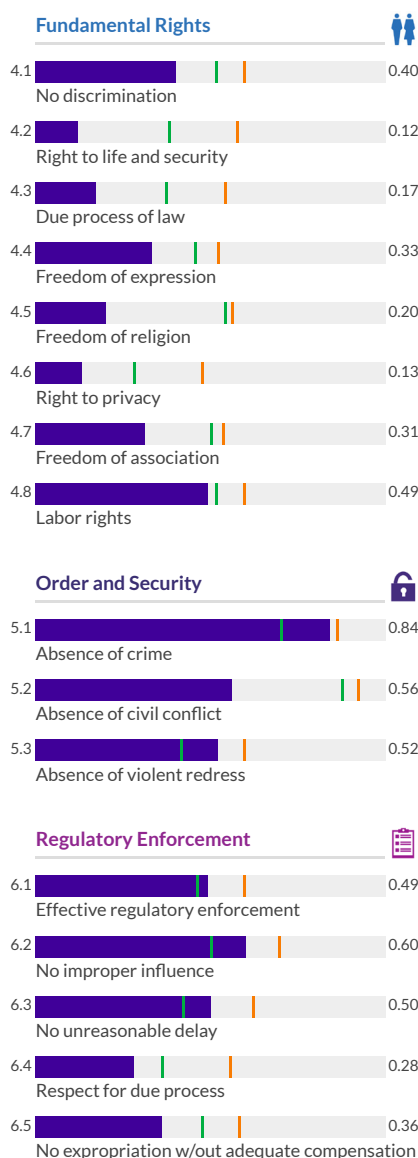
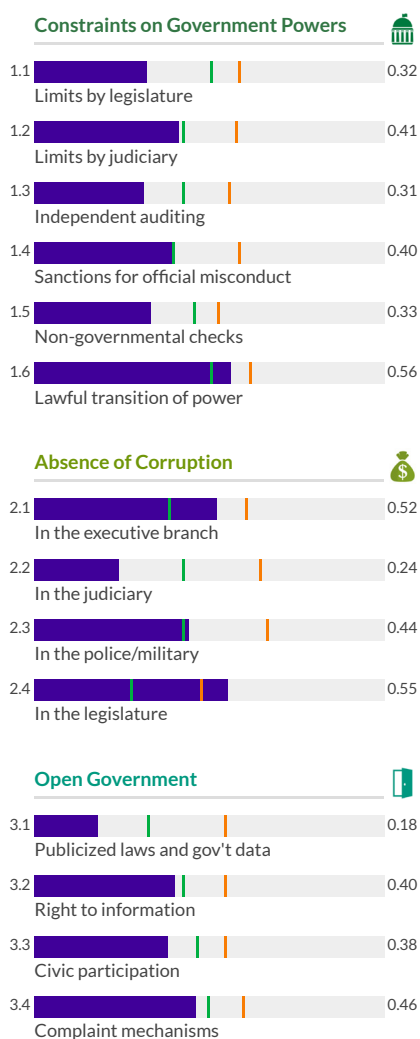
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 Constraints on Government Powers	0.39	-0.06*	13/15	23/35	115/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.44	-0.02	11/15	7/35	78/139
 Open Government	0.36	-0.01	14/15	29/35	126/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.27	-0.04*	15/15	34/35	137/139
 Order and Security	0.64	-0.02	14/15	23/35	106/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.45	-0.02	13/15	16/35	100/139
 Civil Justice	0.35	-0.03	14/15	33/35	136/139
 Criminal Justice	0.26	-0.01	14/15	31/35	134/139

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Low Medium High



Myanmar East Asia and Pacific Lower-Middle











# Namibia

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

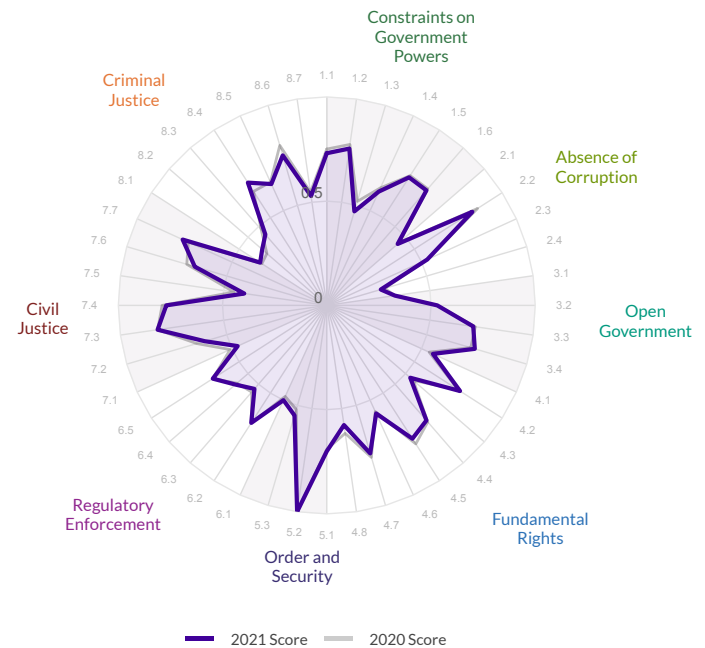
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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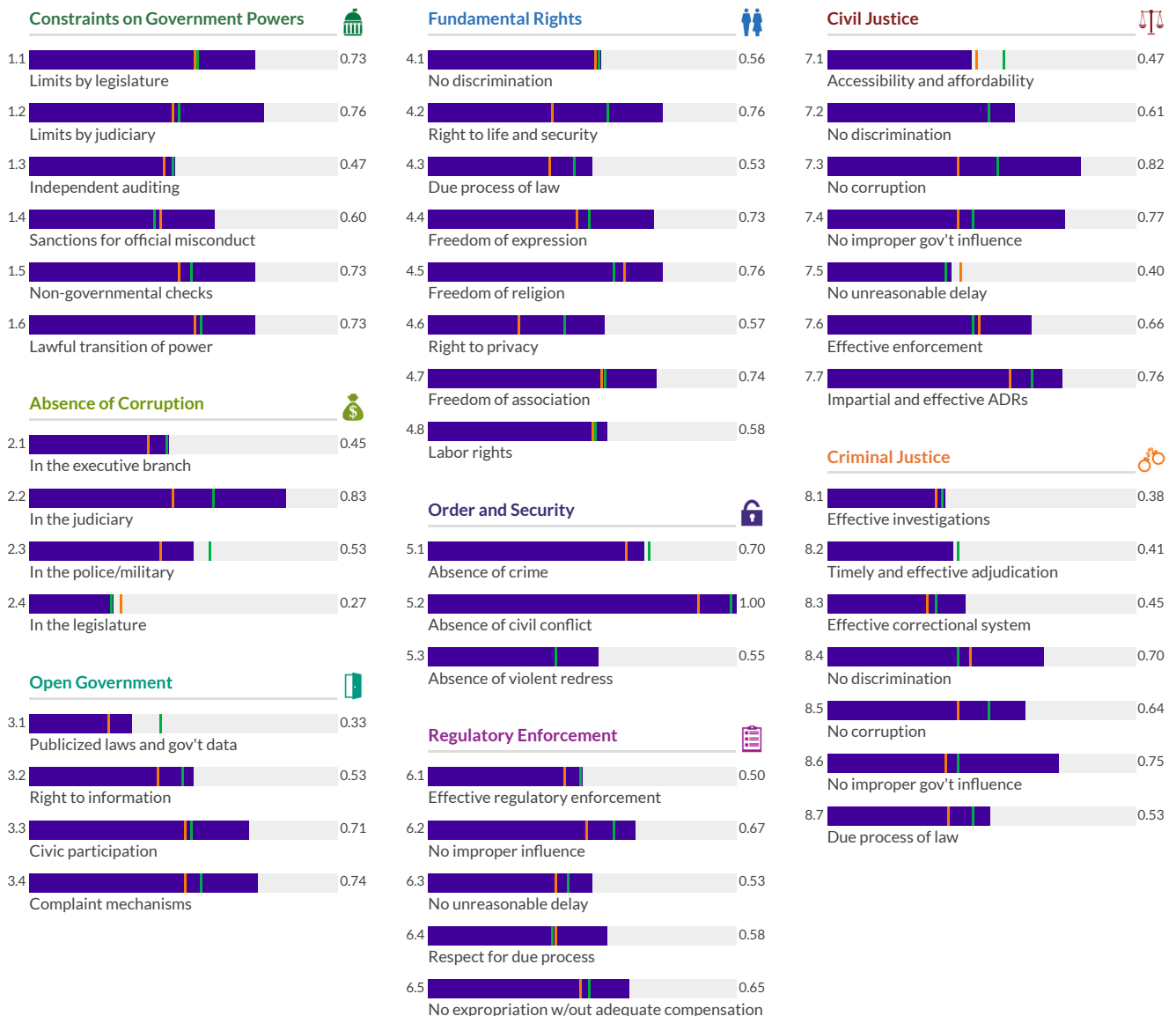
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 Absence of Corruption	0.52	-0.01	5/33	12/40	56/139
 Open Government	0.58	0.00	3/33	9/40	49/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.65	-0.01	1/33	5/40	43/139
 Order and Security	0.75	0.01	4/33	15/40	64/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.59	0.00	4/33	4/40	43/139
 Civil Justice	0.64	-0.02	2/33	2/40	33/139
 Criminal Justice	0.55	0.00	2/33	6/40	43/139

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Low Medium High



Namibia Sub-Saharan Africa Upper-Middle



# Nepal

Region: South Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

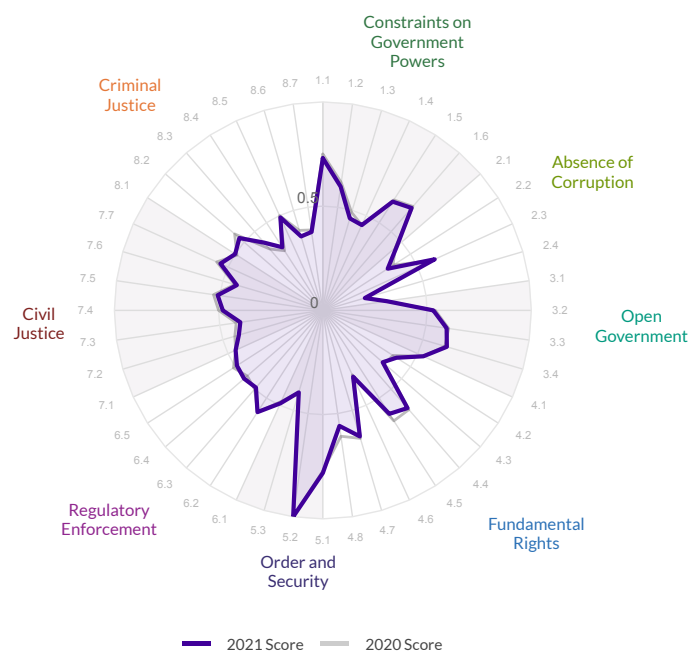
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0.52	1/6	5/35	70/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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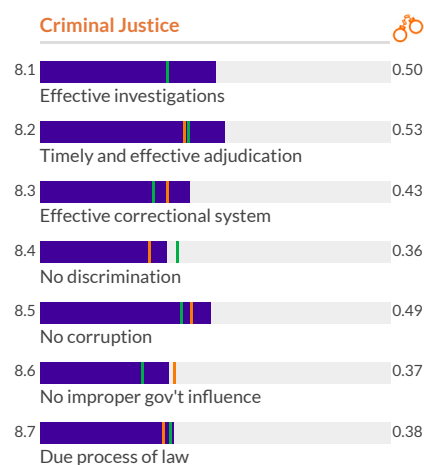
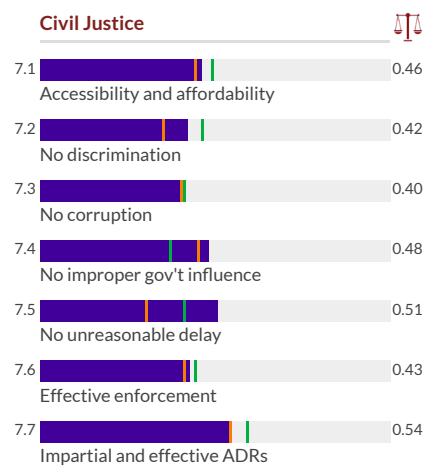
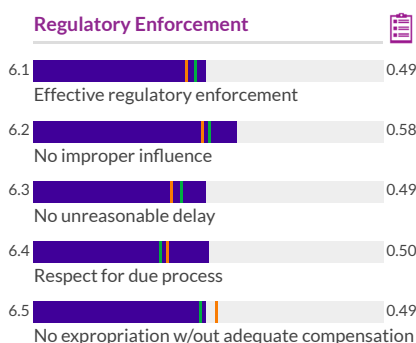
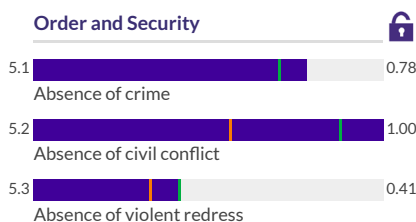
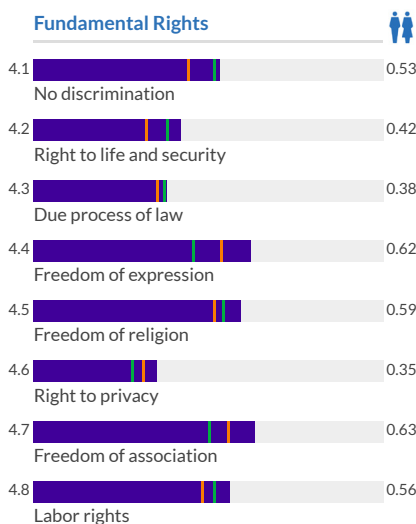
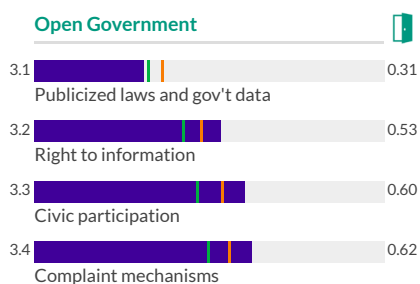
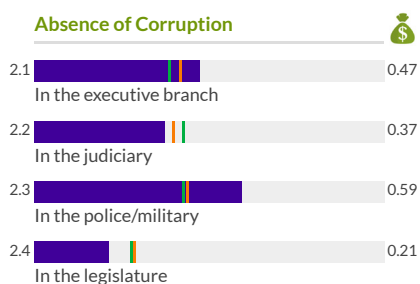
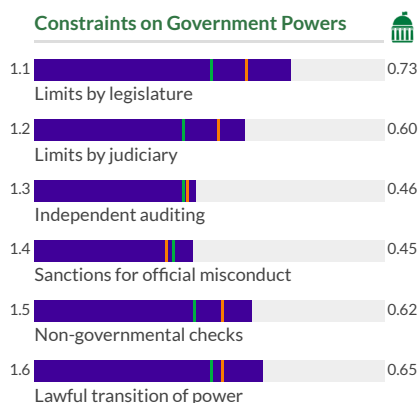
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.59	-0.01	2/6	4/35	55/139
Absence of Corruption	0.41	0.00	2/6	13/35	93/139
Open Government	0.52	0.00	3/6	6/35	66/139
Fundamental Rights	0.51	-0.01	2/6	9/35	85/139
Order and Security	0.73	0.00	1/6	9/35	70/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.51	0.00	1/6	5/35	65/139
Civil Justice	0.46	-0.02	1/6	16/35	96/139
Criminal Justice	0.44	0.00	1/6	6/35	72/139

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Low Medium High



Nepal South Asia Lower-Middle











# Netherlands

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

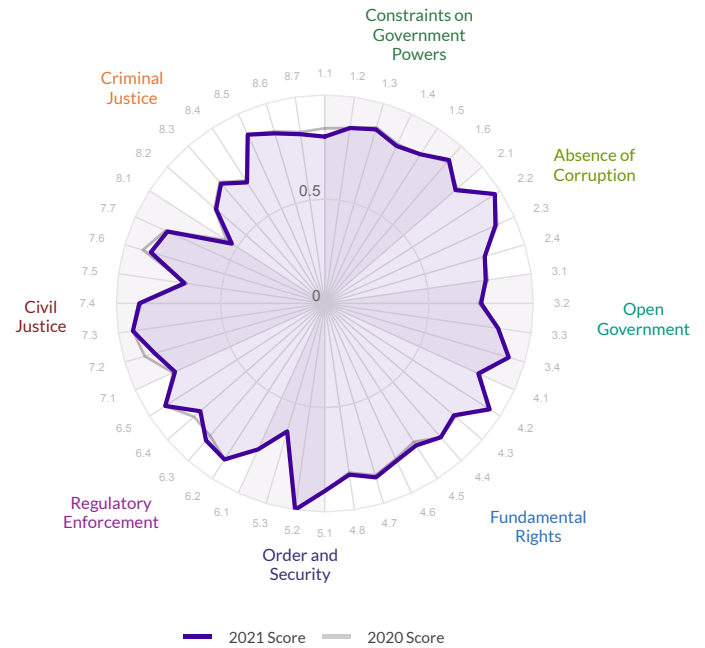
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.83	6/31	6/46	6/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.00	-1 ▼		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.85	-0.01	6/31	7/46	7/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.87	0.00	5/31	7/46	7/139
 Open Government	0.82	0.00	5/31	5/46	5/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.84	0.00	8/31	8/46	8/139
 Order and Security	0.85	0.00	18/31	24/46	25/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.85	0.00	6/31	8/46	8/139
 Civil Justice	0.83	-0.01	4/31	4/46	4/139
 Criminal Justice	0.75	-0.01	7/31	9/46	9/139

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Low Medium High



Netherlands EU, EFTA, and North America High

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	0.80		4.1	0.81		7.1	0.79	
Limits by legislature			No discrimination			Accessibility and affordability		
1.2	0.85		4.2	0.94		7.2	0.85	
Limits by judiciary			Right to life and security			No discrimination		
1.3	0.87		4.3	0.82		7.3	0.93	
Independent auditing			Due process of law			No corruption		
1.4	0.83		4.4	0.85		7.4	0.89	
Sanctions for official misconduct			Freedom of expression			No improper gov't influence		
1.5	0.85		4.5	0.81		7.5	0.68	
Non-governmental checks			Freedom of religion			No unreasonable delay		
1.6	0.91		4.6	0.83		7.6	0.87	
Lawful transition of power			Right to privacy			Effective enforcement		
Absence of Corruption			4.7	0.87		7.7	0.83	
2.1	0.83		Freedom of association			Impartial and effective ADRs		
In the executive branch			4.8	0.83				
2.2	0.97		Labor rights					
In the judiciary								
2.3	0.90		Order and Security			Criminal Justice		
In the police/military			5.1	0.90		8.1	0.53	
2.4	0.80		Absence of crime			Effective investigations		
In the legislature			5.2	1.00		8.2	0.69	
			Absence of civil conflict			Timely and effective adjudication		
			5.3	0.64		8.3	0.76	
			Absence of violent redress			Effective correctional system		
						8.4	0.69	
			Regulatory Enforcement			No discrimination		
			6.1	0.77		8.5	0.89	
			Effective regulatory enforcement			No corruption		
			6.2	0.89		8.6	0.85	
			No improper influence			No improper gov't influence		
			6.3	0.87		8.7	0.82	
			No unreasonable delay			Due process of law		
			6.4	0.79				
			Respect for due process					
			6.5	0.91				
			No expropriation w/out adequate compensation					

# New Zealand

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: High

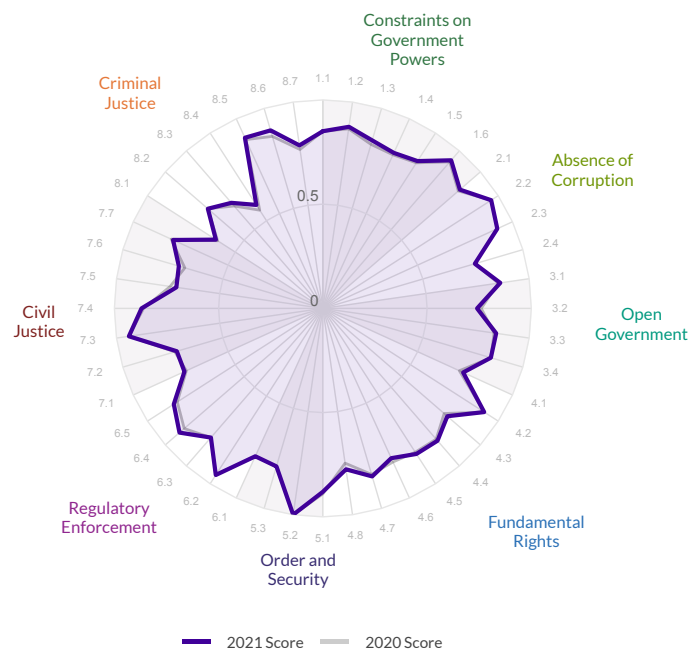
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.83	1/15	7/46	7/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.01▲	0		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.86	0.01	1/15	6/46	6/139
Absence of Corruption	0.88	0.00	2/15	6/46	6/139
Open Government	0.82	0.00	1/15	6/46	6/139
Fundamental Rights	0.82	0.01	1/15	11/46	11/139
Order and Security	0.89	0.00	4/15	20/46	21/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.86	0.01	2/15	5/46	5/139
Civil Justice	0.78	0.00	2/15	10/46	10/139
Criminal Justice	0.74	0.02	3/15	10/46	10/139

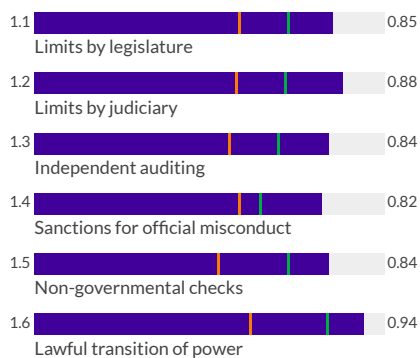
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Low Medium High

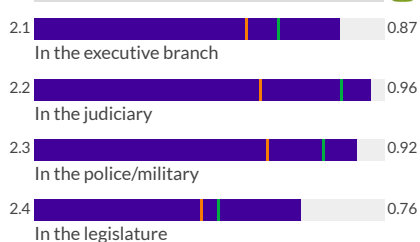


New Zealand East Asia and Pacific High

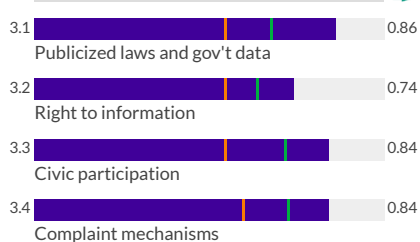
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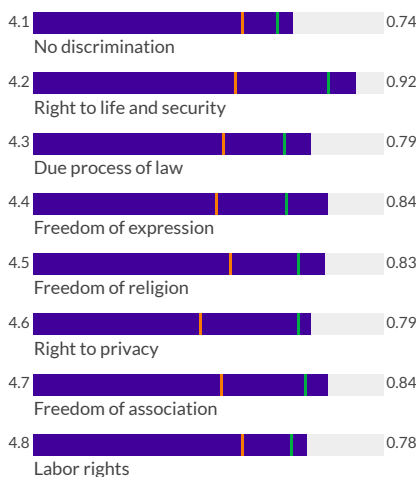
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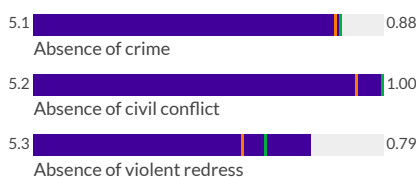
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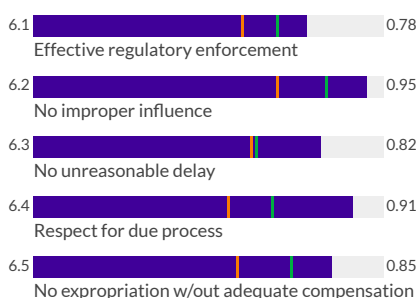
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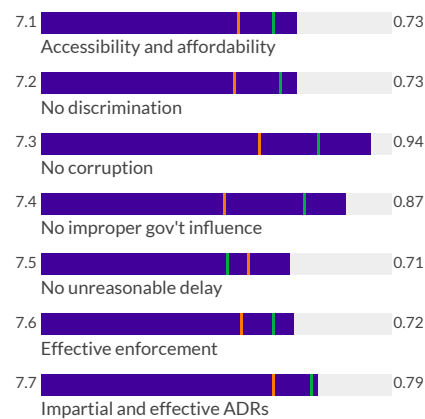
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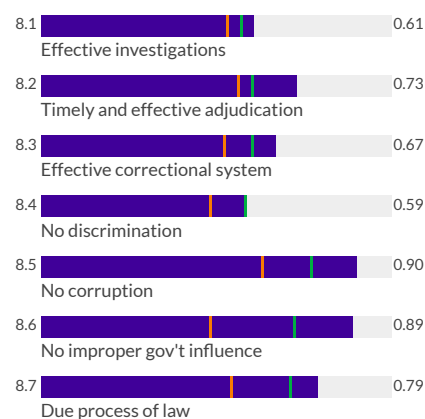
## Regulatory Enforcement



## Civil Justice



## Criminal Justice











# Nicaragua

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

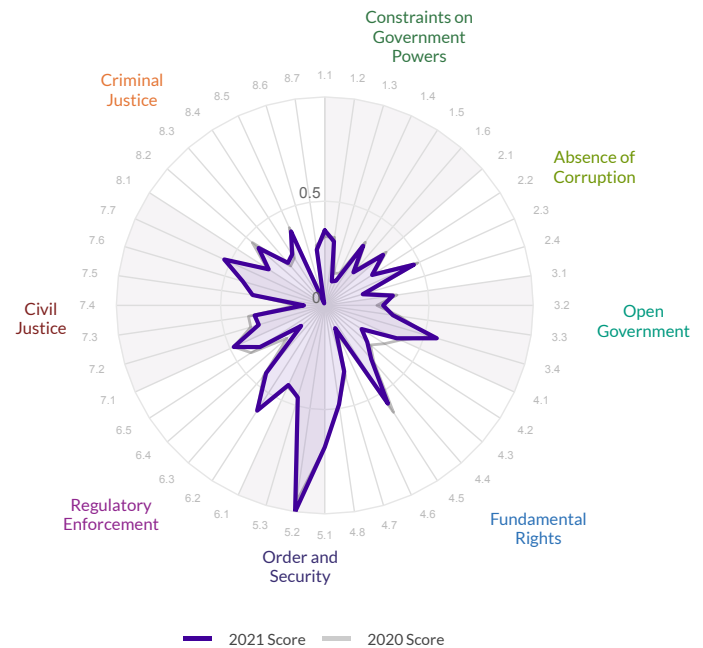
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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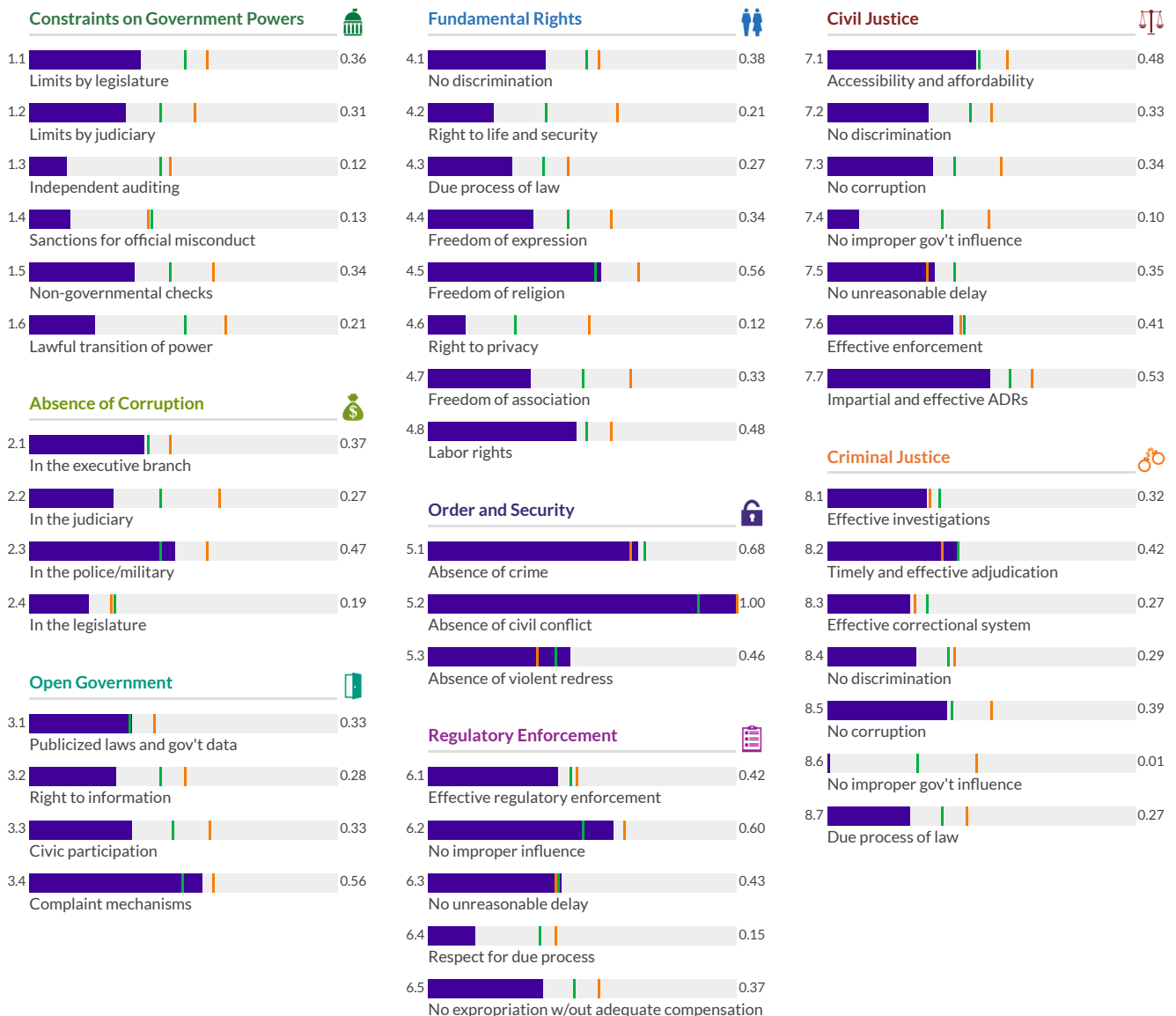
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.25	-0.02	31/32	34/35	137/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.32	-0.02	25/32	24/35	116/139
 Open Government	0.38	0.00	31/32	24/35	117/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.34	-0.04	31/32	31/35	130/139
 Order and Security	0.71	0.02	9/32	11/35	73/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.39	-0.04*	29/32	30/35	124/139
 Civil Justice	0.36	-0.01	29/32	32/35	132/139
 Criminal Justice	0.28	-0.01	28/32	30/35	131/139

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Low Medium High



Nicaragua Latin America and Caribbean Lower-Middle



# Niger

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

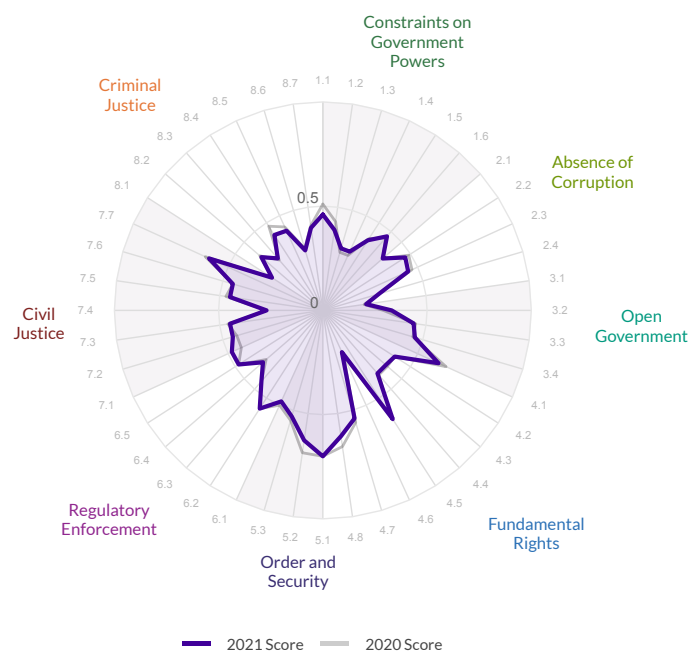
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.44	19/33	8/18	111/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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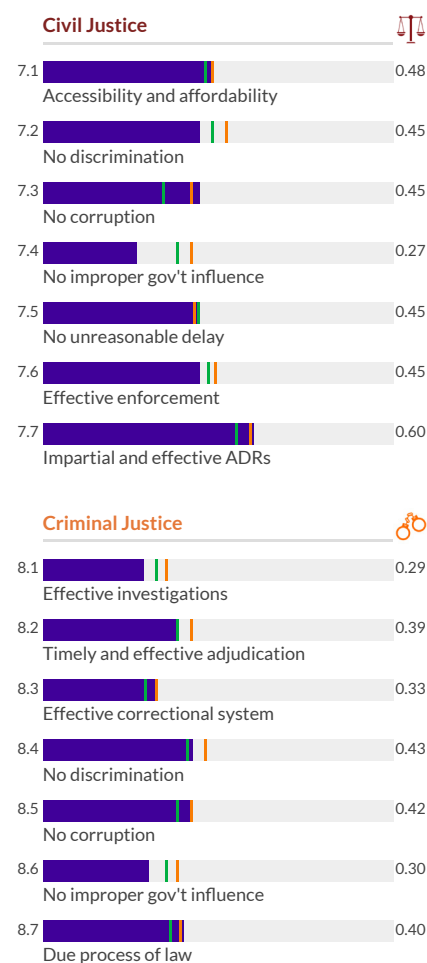
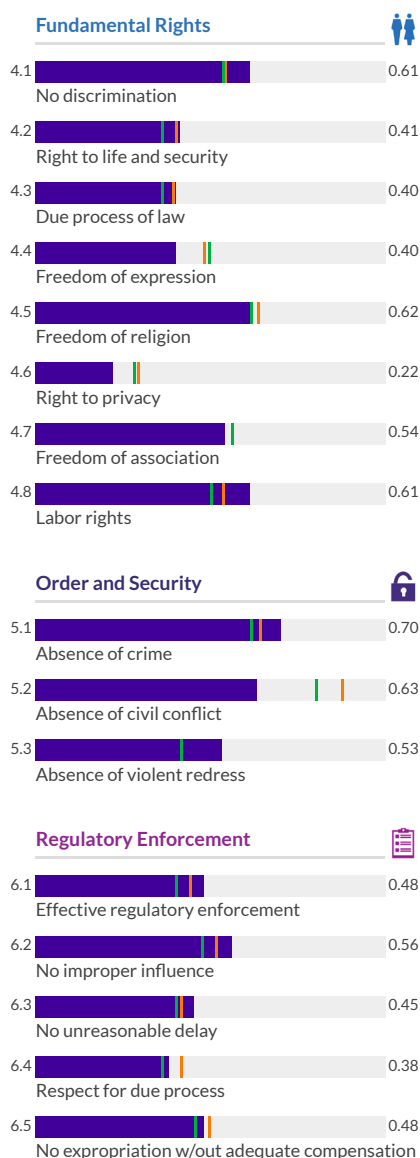
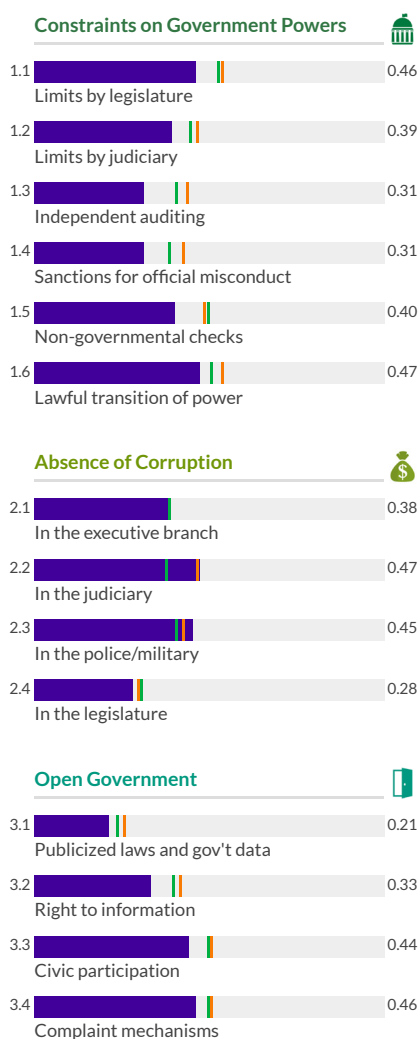
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.39	-0.01	25/33	14/18	114/139
Absence of Corruption	0.40	0.00	15/33	8/18	99/139
Open Government	0.36	0.01	26/33	15/18	124/139
Fundamental Rights	0.48	-0.02	16/33	9/18	97/139
Order and Security	0.62	-0.03*	21/33	9/18	116/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.47	0.00	14/33	5/18	88/139
Civil Justice	0.45	0.00	18/33	6/18	104/139
Criminal Justice	0.37	-0.01	18/33	6/18	95/139

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Low Medium High



Niger Sub-Saharan Africa Low











# Nigeria

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

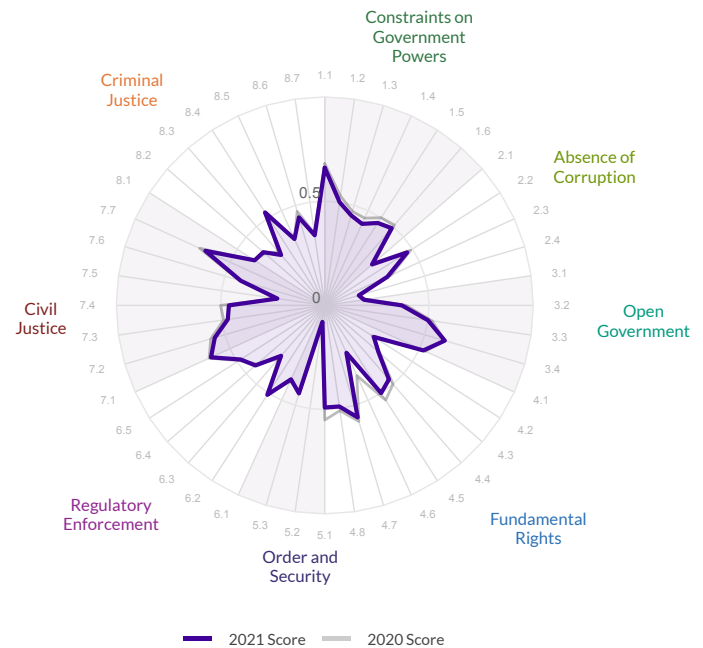
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Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.02 ▼	-3 ▼		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.50	-0.02*	14/33	11/35	80/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.32	-0.01*	23/33	25/35	119/139
 Open Government	0.42	-0.01	14/33	20/35	103/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.43	-0.03*	22/33	21/35	113/139
 Order and Security	0.34	-0.02*	33/33	35/35	138/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.43	-0.01	19/33	24/35	111/139
 Civil Justice	0.48	-0.02	12/33	12/35	86/139
 Criminal Justice	0.40	-0.01	12/33	12/35	83/139

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Low Medium High



— Nigeria — Sub-Saharan Africa — Lower-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	Limits by legislature	0.66	4.1	No discrimination	0.52	7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.60
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.50	4.2	Right to life and security	0.28	7.2	No discrimination	0.55
1.3	Independent auditing	0.45	4.3	Due process of law	0.34	7.3	No corruption	0.47
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.43	4.4	Freedom of expression	0.47	7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.46
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.47	4.5	Freedom of religion	0.50	7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.23
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.49	4.6	Right to privacy	0.25	7.6	Effective enforcement	0.42
			4.7	Freedom of association	0.56	7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.63
Absence of Corruption			Order and Security			Criminal Justice		
2.1	In the executive branch	0.30	5.1	Absence of crime	0.49	8.1	Effective investigations	0.40
2.2	In the judiciary	0.47	5.2	Absence of civil conflict	0.08	8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.39
2.3	In the police/military	0.33	5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.44	8.3	Effective correctional system	0.32
2.4	In the legislature	0.17				8.4	No discrimination	0.53
Open Government			Regulatory Enforcement					
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.19	6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.39	8.5	No corruption	0.35
3.2	Right to information	0.37	6.2	No improper influence	0.51	8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.44
3.3	Civic participation	0.50	6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.32	8.7	Due process of law	0.34
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.60	6.4	Respect for due process	0.44			
			6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.48			

# North Macedonia

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

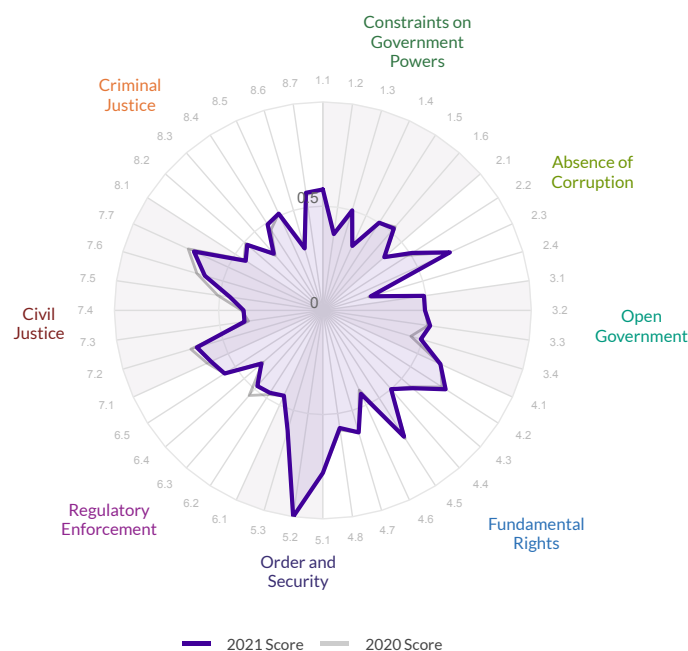
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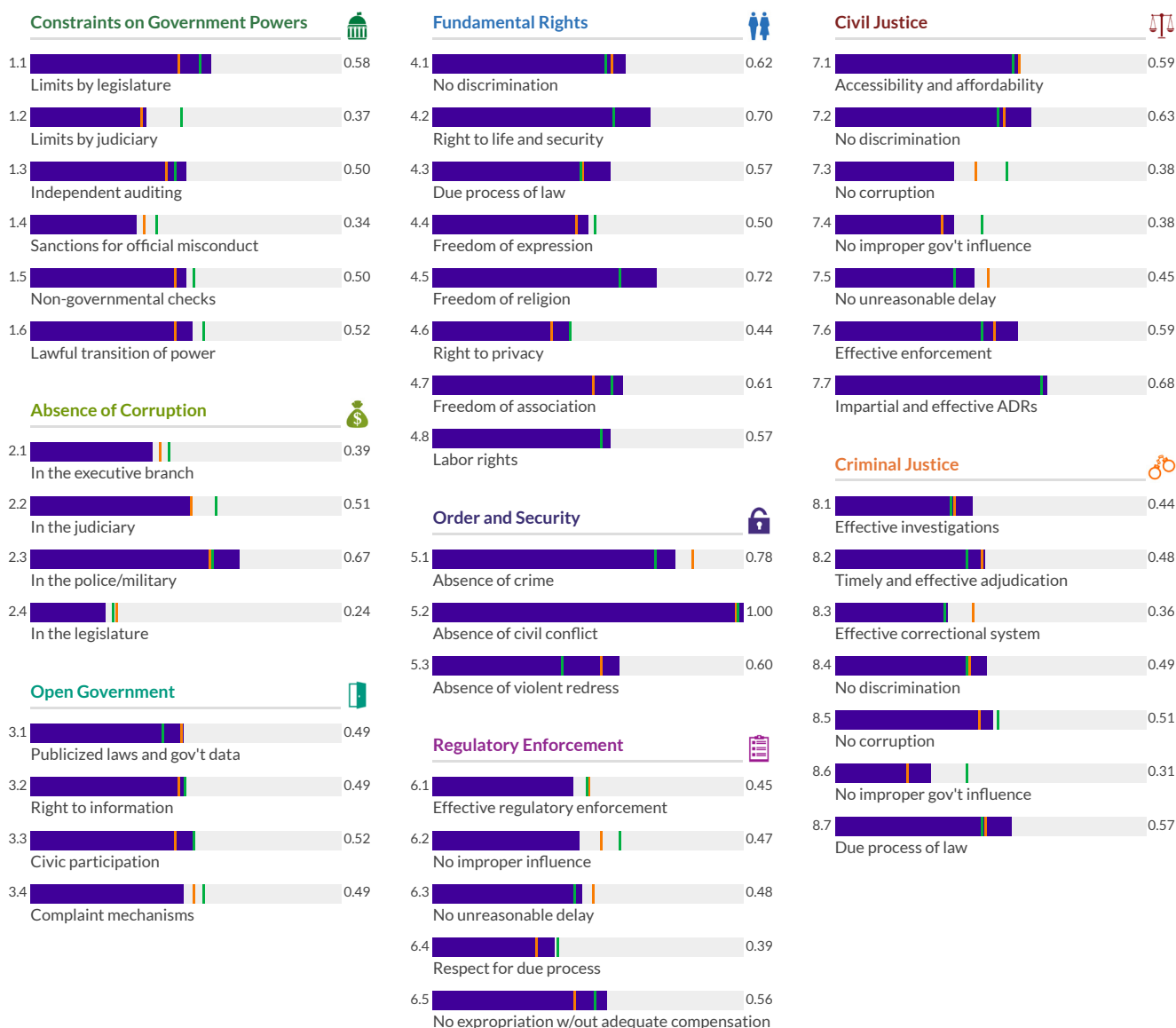
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Absence of Corruption	0.45	0.01	7/14	20/40	72/139
Open Government	0.50	0.01	6/14	20/40	74/139
Fundamental Rights	0.59	0.00	4/14	14/40	59/139
Order and Security	0.79	0.00	5/14	4/40	40/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.47	-0.01	6/14	26/40	90/139
Civil Justice	0.53	-0.03*	6/14	19/40	71/139
Criminal Justice	0.45	0.00	4/14	16/40	66/139

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Low Medium High



North Macedonia Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle









# Norway

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

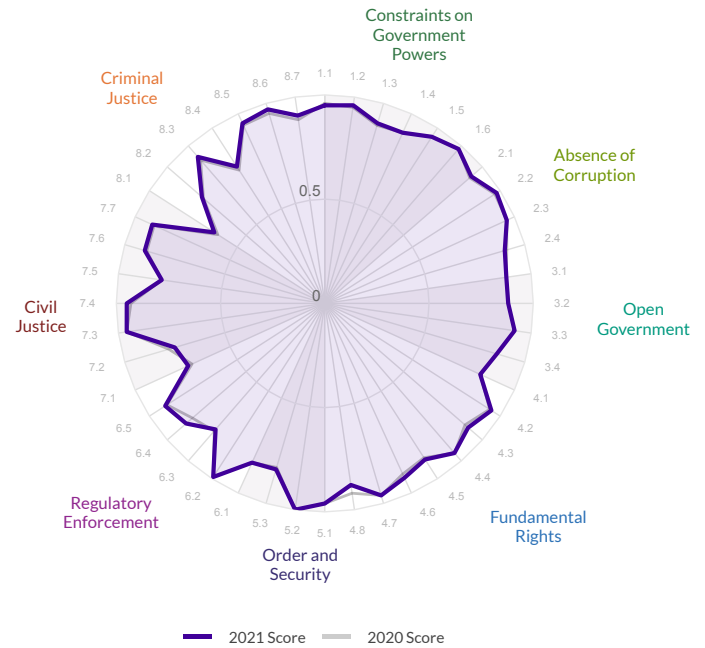
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 Absence of Corruption	0.94	0.00	2/31	2/46	2/139
 Open Government	0.89	0.00	1/31	1/46	1/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.91	0.00	2/31	2/46	2/139
 Order and Security	0.93	0.00	3/31	4/46	4/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.88	0.01	2/31	2/46	2/139
 Civil Justice	0.85	0.00	2/31	2/46	2/139
 Criminal Justice	0.85	0.01	1/31	1/46	1/139

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Low Medium High



— Norway — EU, EFTA, and North America — High

## Constraints on Government Powers

1.1	Limits by legislature	0.95
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.96
1.3	Independent auditing	0.90
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.90
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.95
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.98

## Absence of Corruption

2.1	In the executive branch	0.93
2.2	In the judiciary	0.98
2.3	In the police/military	0.96
2.4	In the legislature	0.90

## Open Government

3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.88
3.2	Right to information	0.88
3.3	Civic participation	0.92
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.86

## Fundamental Rights

4.1	No discrimination	0.82
4.2	Right to life and security	0.95
4.3	Due process of law	0.91
4.4	Freedom of expression	0.95
4.5	Freedom of religion	0.89
4.6	Right to privacy	0.92
4.7	Freedom of association	0.96
4.8	Labor rights	0.88

## Order and Security

5.1	Absence of crime	0.96
5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.83

## Regulatory Enforcement

6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.84
6.2	No improper influence	0.99
6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.80
6.4	Respect for due process	0.88
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.91

## Civil Justice

7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.72
7.2	No discrimination	0.75
7.3	No corruption	0.96
7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.95
7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.79
7.6	Effective enforcement	0.90
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.91

## Criminal Justice

8.1	Effective investigations	0.63
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.78
8.3	Effective correctional system	0.93
8.4	No discrimination	0.78
8.5	No corruption	0.95
8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.97
8.7	Due process of law	0.91

# Pakistan

Region: South Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

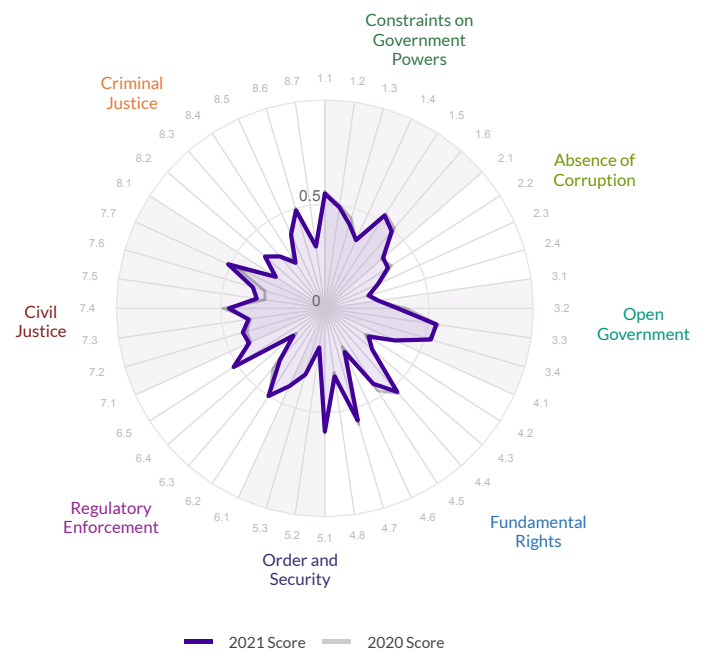
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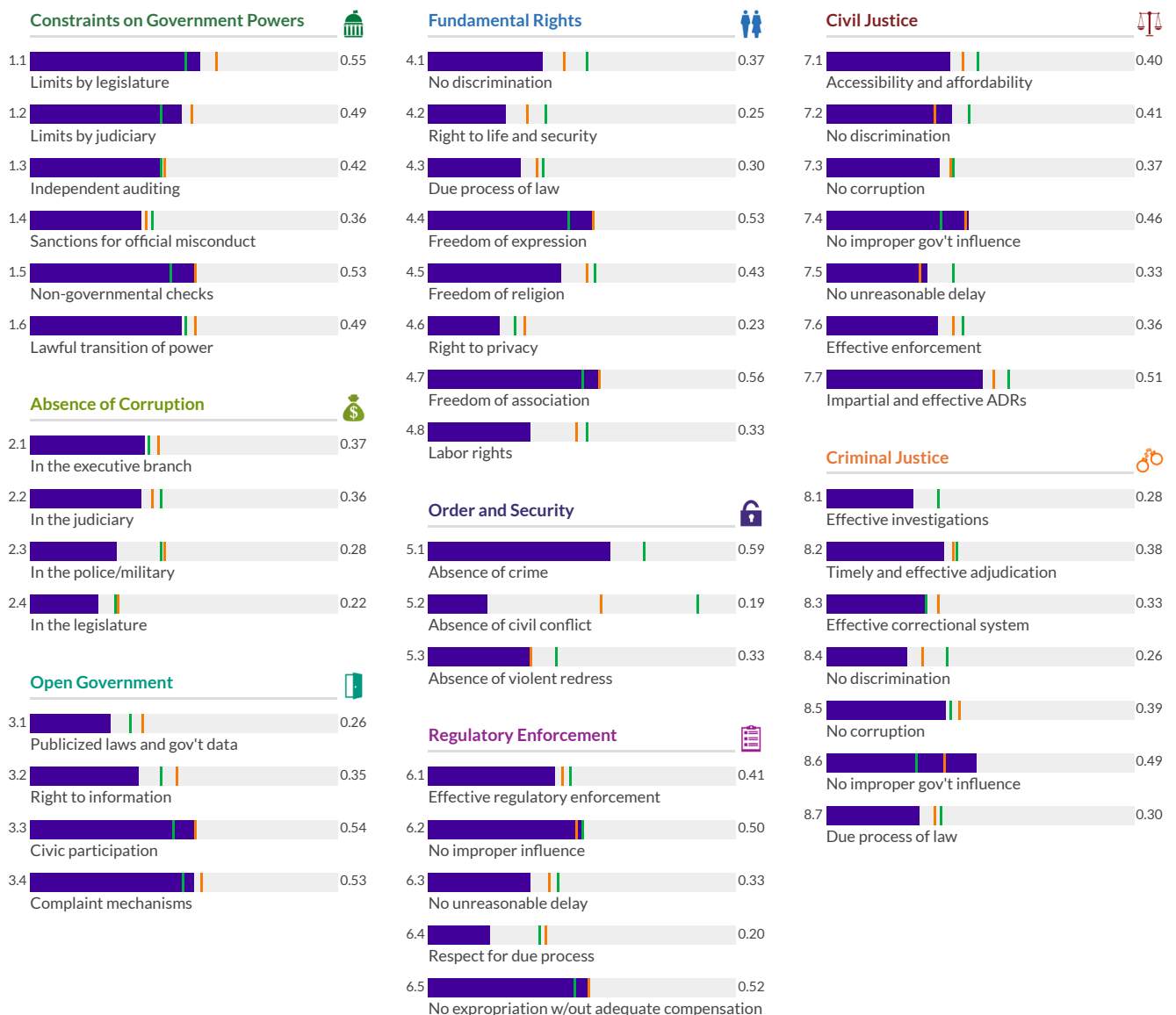
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Absence of Corruption	0.31	0.00	5/6	28/35	123/139
Open Government	0.42	-0.01	4/6	18/35	101/139
Fundamental Rights	0.38	0.00	5/6	28/35	126/139
Order and Security	0.37	0.00	5/6	34/35	137/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.39	0.00	5/6	29/35	123/139
Civil Justice	0.40	0.02	4/6	26/35	124/139
Criminal Justice	0.35	-0.01	4/6	23/35	108/139

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Low Medium High



Pakistan South Asia Lower-Middle











# Panama

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: High

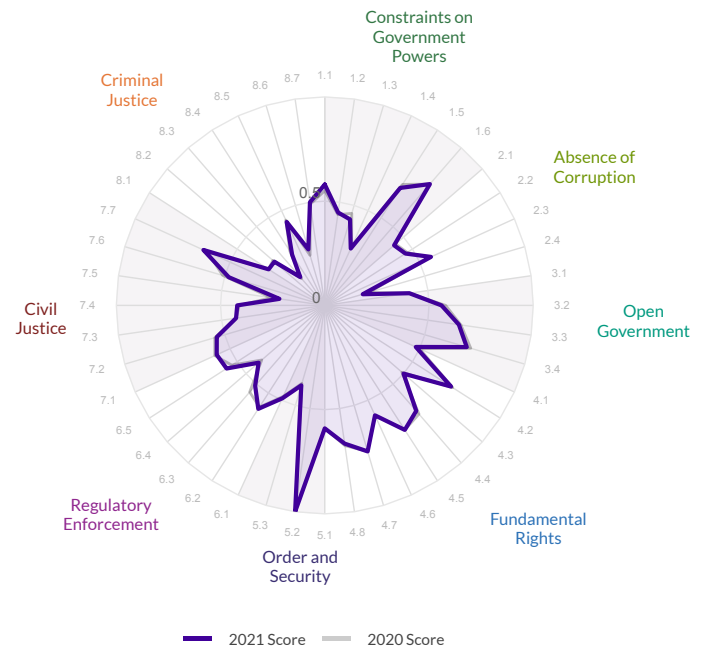
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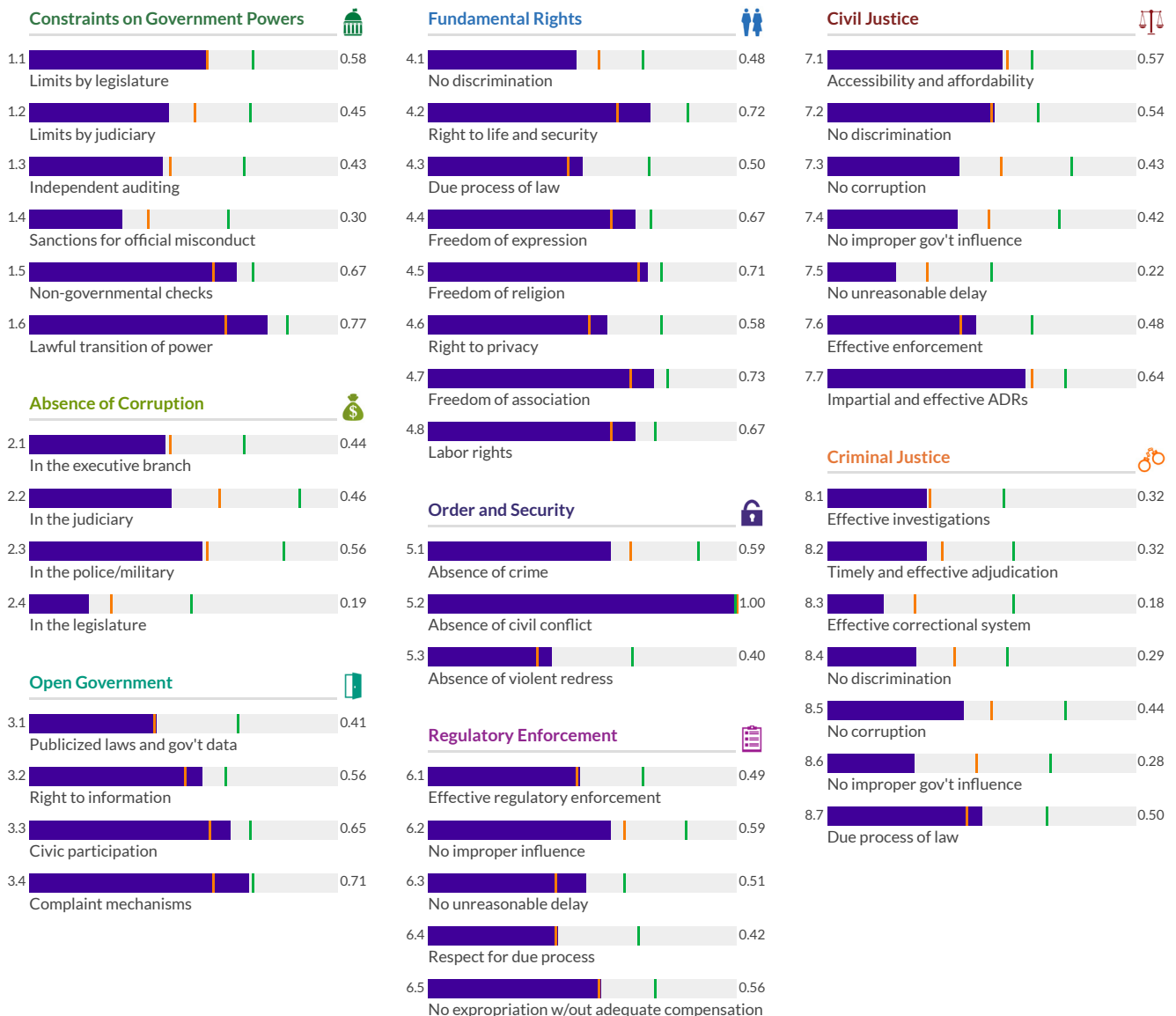
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 Absence of Corruption	0.41	-0.01	19/32	46/46	91/139
 Open Government	0.58	-0.01	8/32	38/46	47/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.63	-0.01	11/32	41/46	47/139
 Order and Security	0.67	0.00	16/32	45/46	98/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.51	0.00	13/32	43/46	64/139
 Civil Justice	0.47	-0.01	22/32	45/46	93/139
 Criminal Justice	0.33	0.00	19/32	45/46	110/139

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Low Medium High



Panama Latin America and Caribbean High



# Paraguay

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

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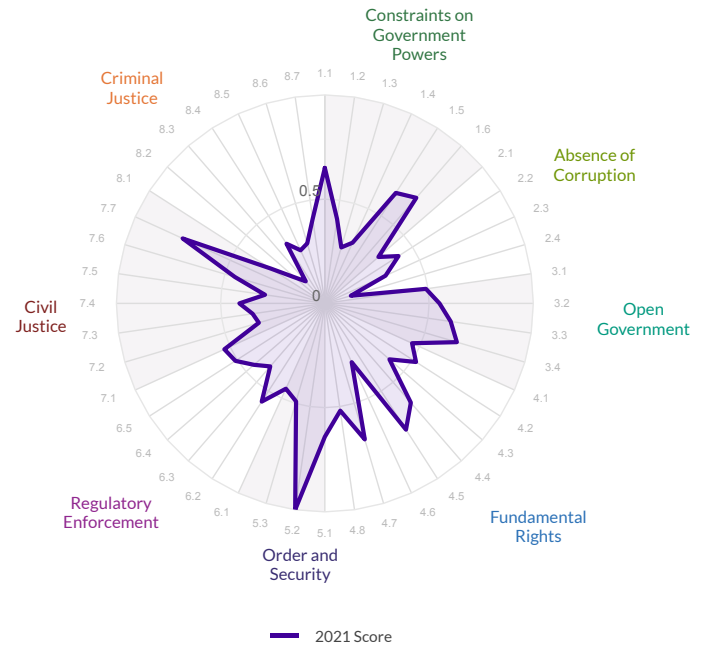
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Score Change Rank Change

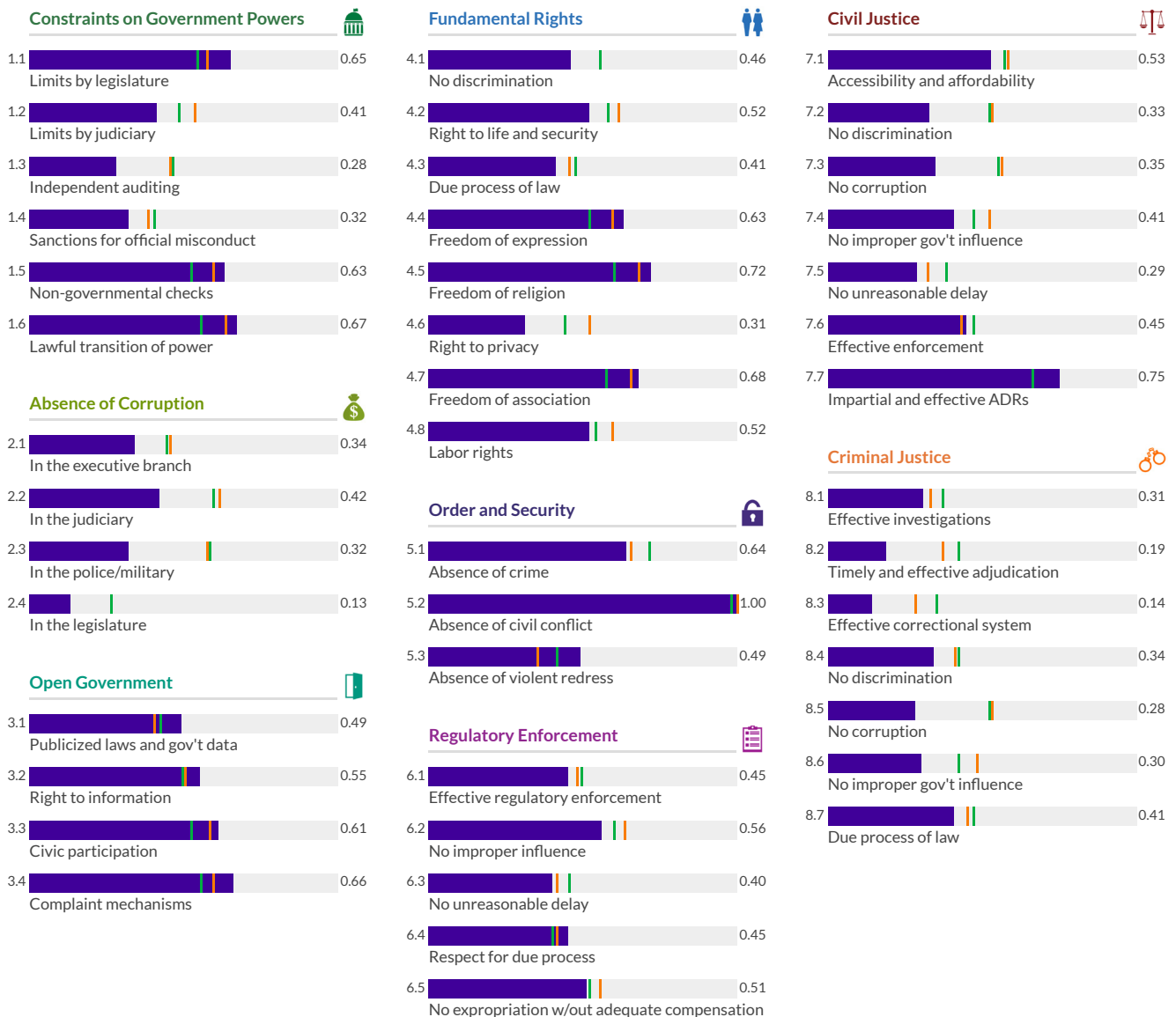
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 Absence of Corruption	0.30	-	28/32	38/40	125/139
 Open Government	0.58	-	9/32	8/40	48/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.53	-	20/32	22/40	75/139
 Order and Security	0.71	-	10/32	21/40	77/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.47	-	21/32	24/40	87/139
 Civil Justice	0.44	-	23/32	33/40	107/139
 Criminal Justice	0.28	-	29/32	39/40	132/139

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Low Medium High



Paraguay Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle











# Peru

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

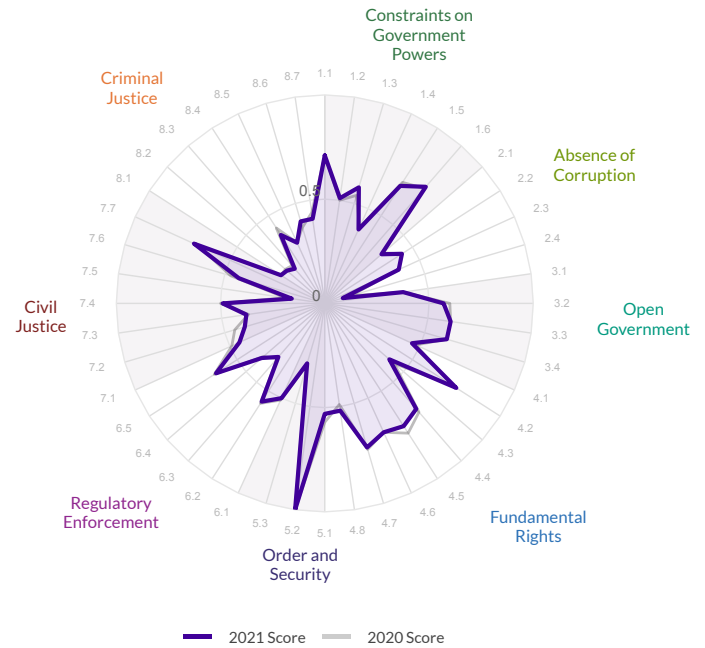
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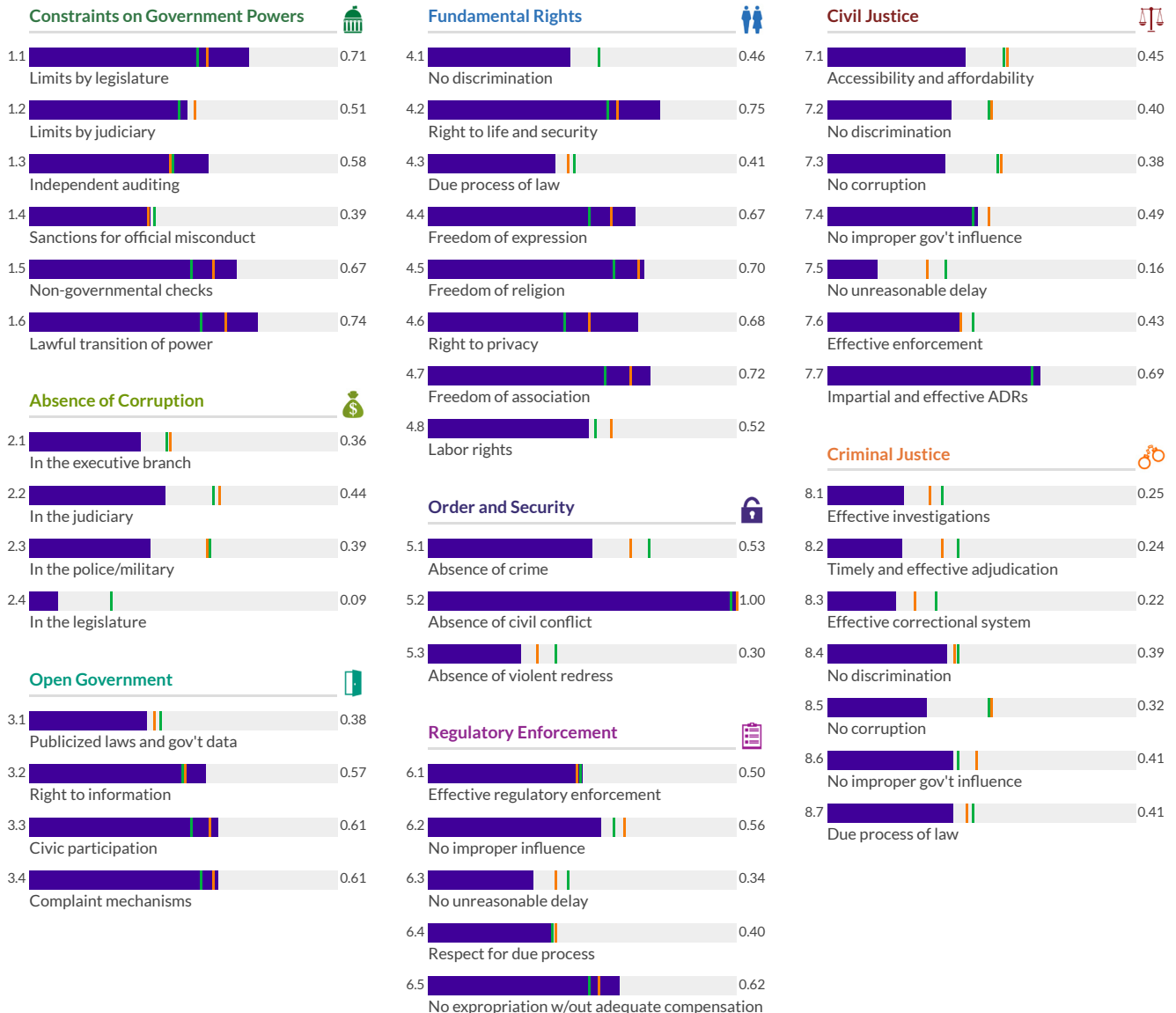
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 Absence of Corruption	0.32	-0.01	26/32	37/40	118/139
 Open Government	0.54	-0.01	12/32	13/40	56/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.61	-0.01	15/32	11/40	52/139
 Order and Security	0.61	-0.02	26/32	36/40	119/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	-0.01	19/32	20/40	77/139
 Civil Justice	0.43	-0.02	25/32	36/40	114/139
 Criminal Justice	0.32	-0.01	21/32	34/40	115/139

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Low Medium High



Peru Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Philippines

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

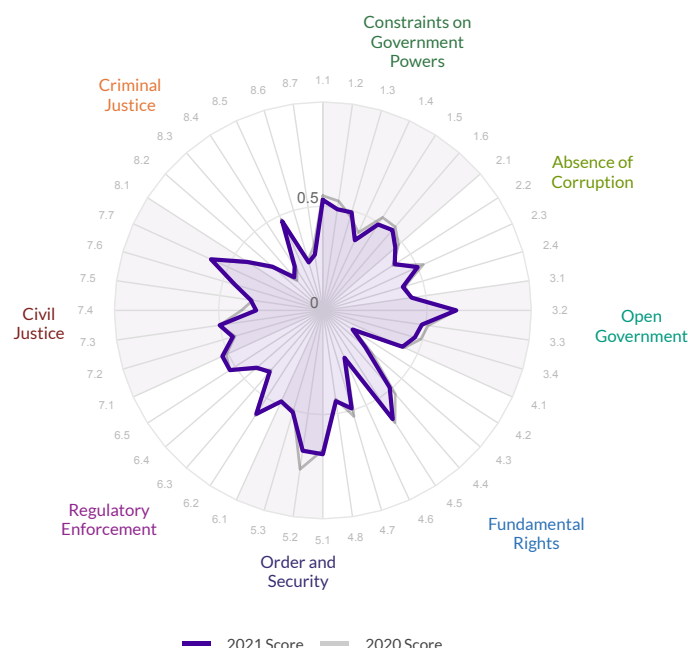
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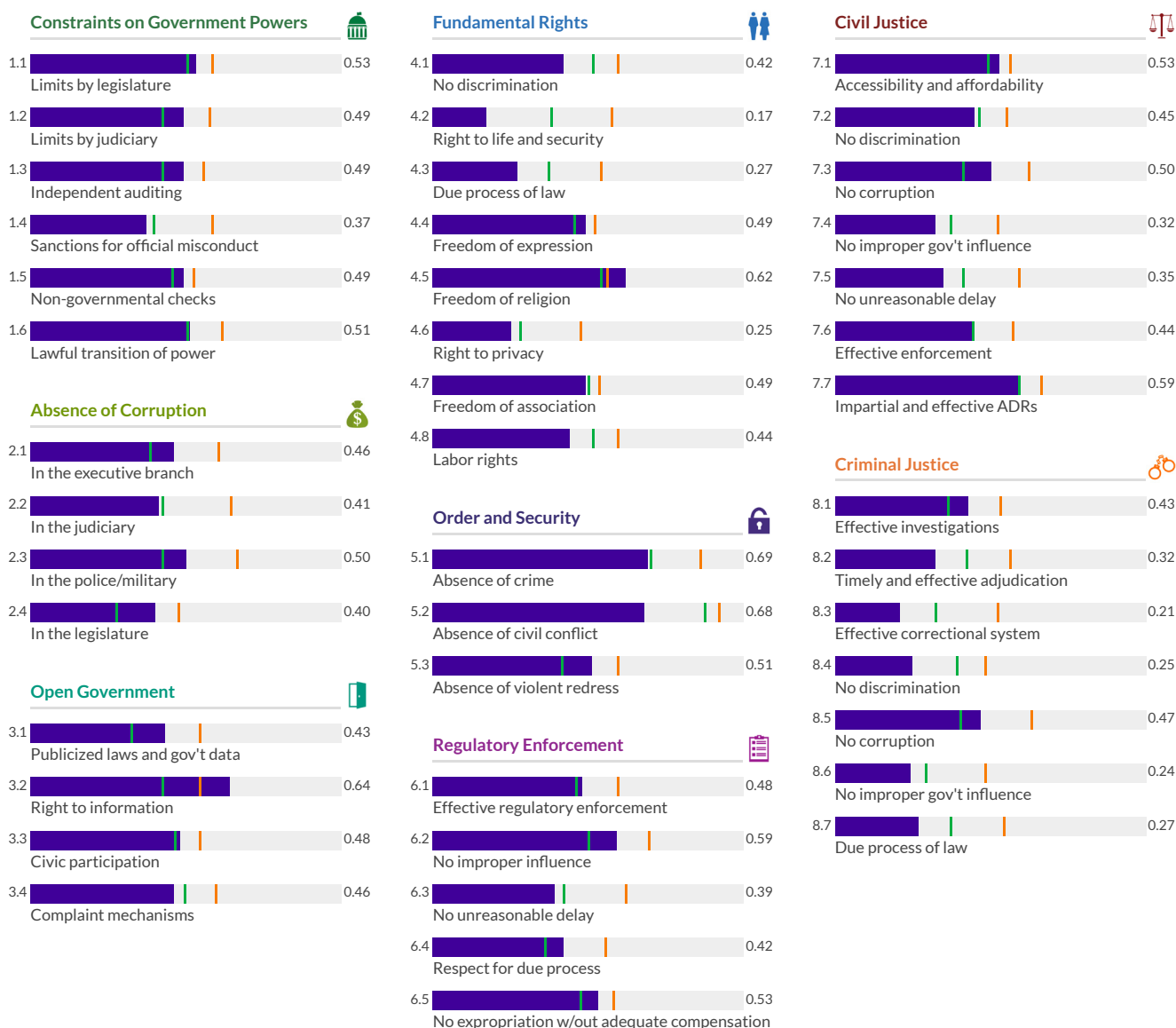
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Absence of Corruption	0.44	-0.02	10/15	6/35	77/139
Open Government	0.50	-0.02	8/15	8/35	71/139
Fundamental Rights	0.39	-0.02	12/15	26/35	123/139
Order and Security	0.63	-0.02*	15/15	25/35	110/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	0.00	11/15	12/35	82/139
Civil Justice	0.45	-0.01	12/15	20/35	101/139
Criminal Justice	0.31	0.00	13/15	27/35	120/139

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Low Medium High



Philippines East Asia and Pacific Lower-Middle











# Poland

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

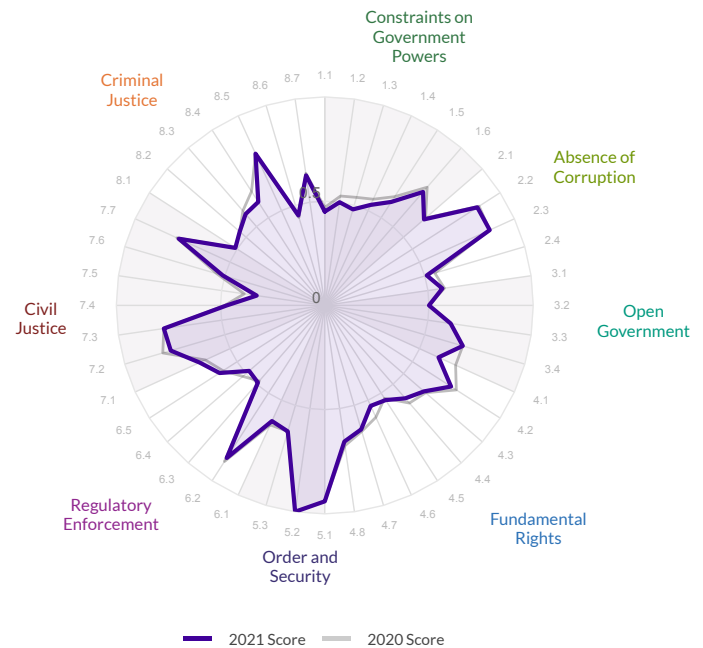
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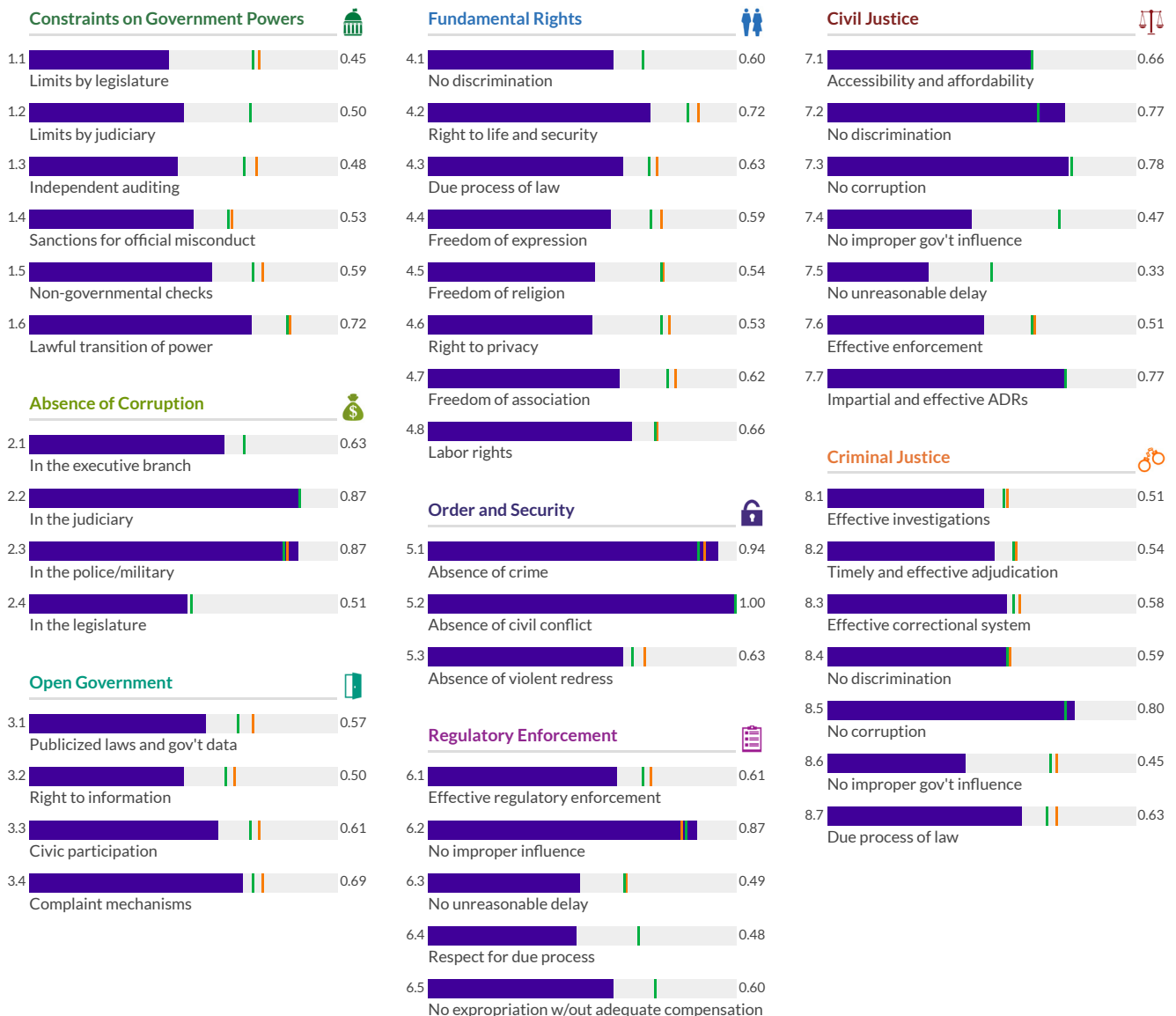
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 Absence of Corruption	0.72	-0.01	18/31	25/46	25/139
 Open Government	0.59	0.00	29/31	37/46	44/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.61	-0.03*	29/31	42/46	53/139
 Order and Security	0.86	0.00	17/31	23/46	24/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.61	-0.01	24/31	37/46	38/139
 Civil Justice	0.61	-0.02	24/31	37/46	44/139
 Criminal Justice	0.58	-0.01	24/31	33/46	34/139

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Low Medium High



Poland EU, EFTA, and North America High











# Portugal

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

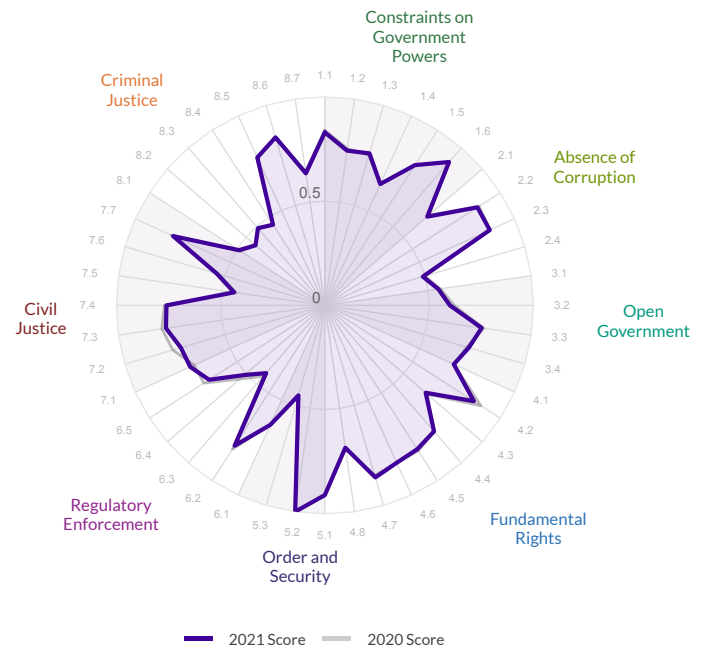
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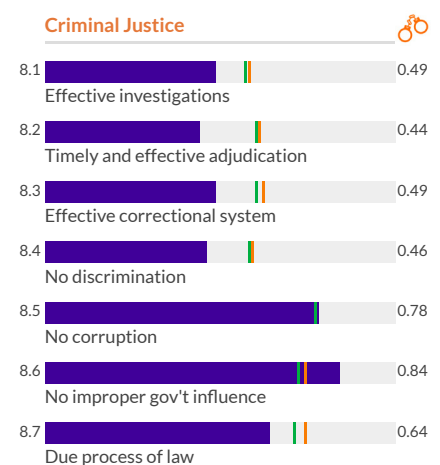
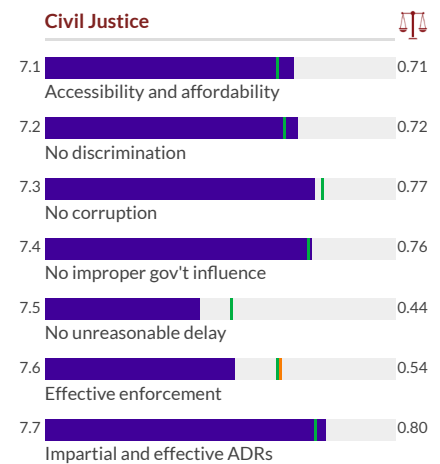
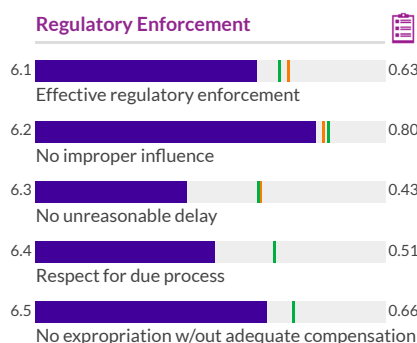
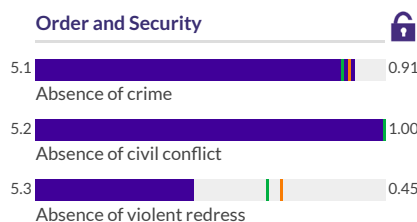
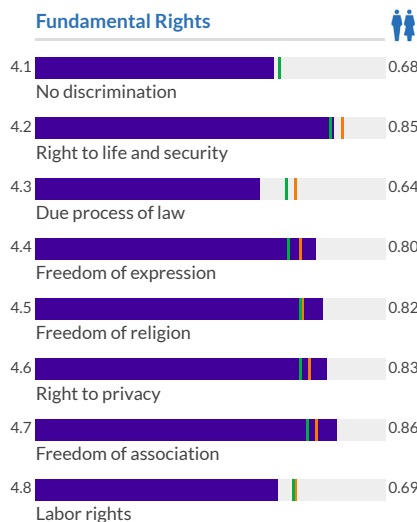
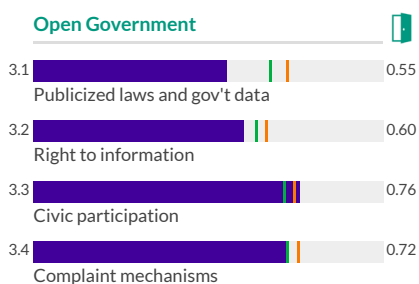
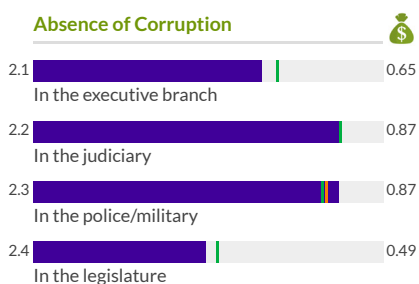
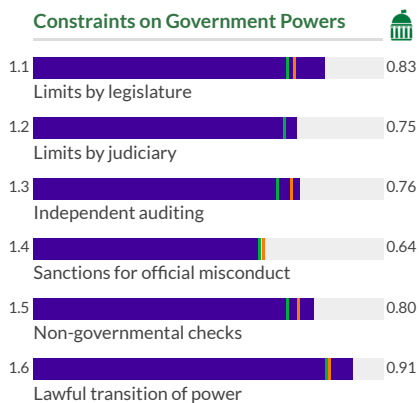
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 Absence of Corruption	0.72	0.00	17/31	24/46	24/139
 Open Government	0.66	-0.01	21/31	28/46	29/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.77	-0.01	16/31	20/46	21/139
 Order and Security	0.79	0.00	27/31	34/46	41/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.61	-0.02	25/31	38/46	39/139
 Civil Justice	0.68	0.00	16/31	24/46	25/139
 Criminal Justice	0.59	0.00	23/31	32/46	33/139

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Low Medium High



Portugal EU, EFTA, and North America High











# Romania

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

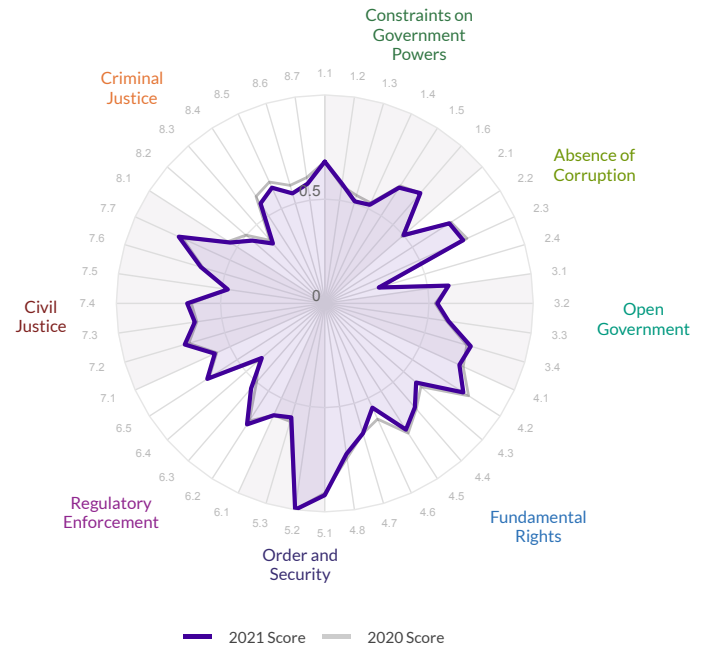
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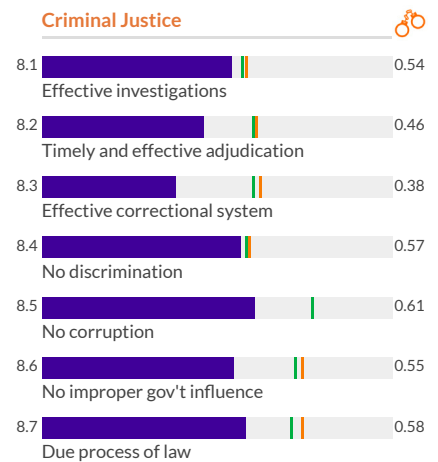
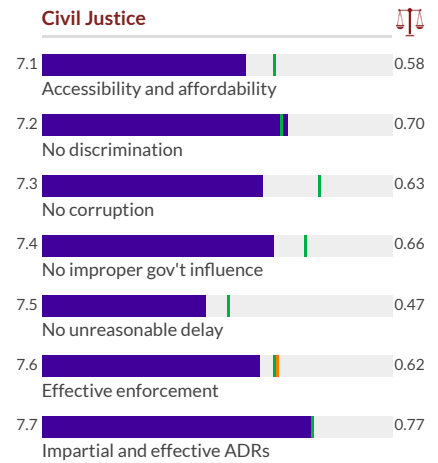
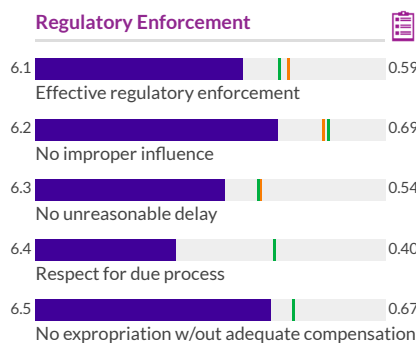
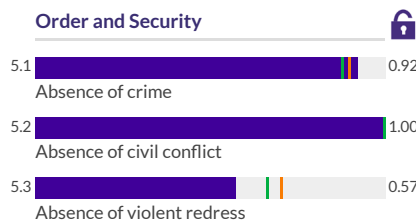
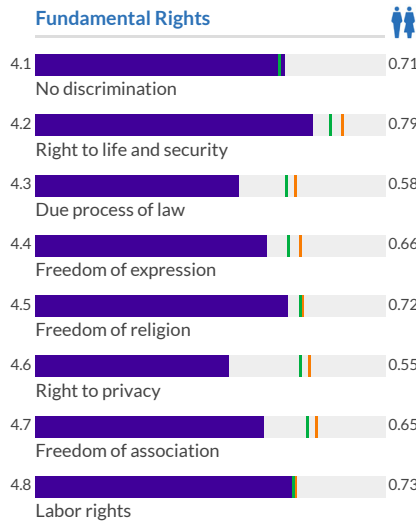
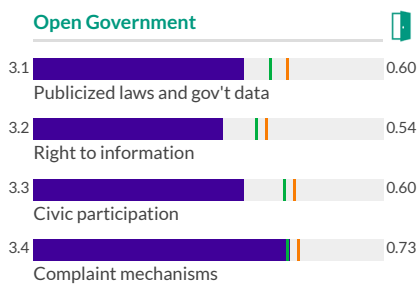
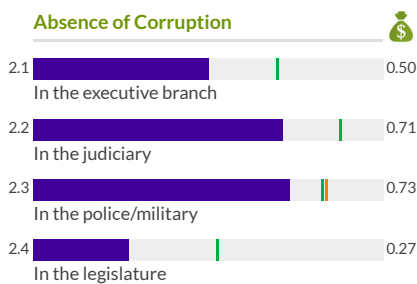
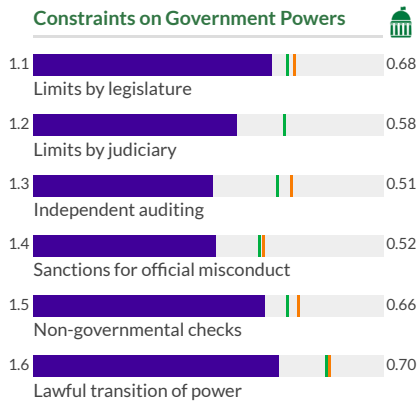
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 Open Government	0.62	0.01	25/31	33/46	37/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.67	-0.03*	25/31	36/46	40/139
 Order and Security	0.83	0.00	22/31	29/46	30/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.58	0.01	27/31	40/46	45/139
 Civil Justice	0.63	0.01	22/31	33/46	37/139
 Criminal Justice	0.53	-0.03	27/31	41/46	50/139

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Low Medium High



Romania EU, EFTA, and North America High



# Russian Federation

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

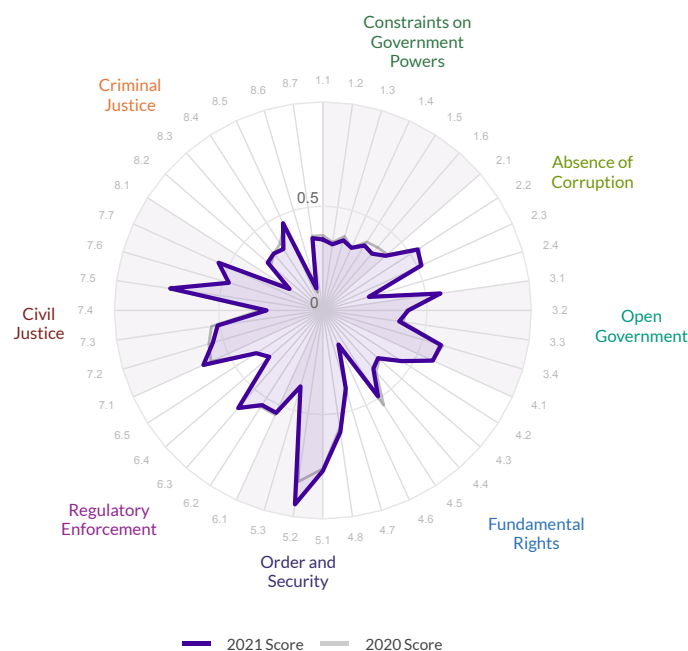
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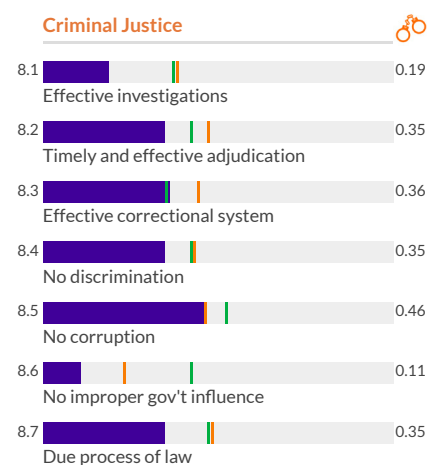
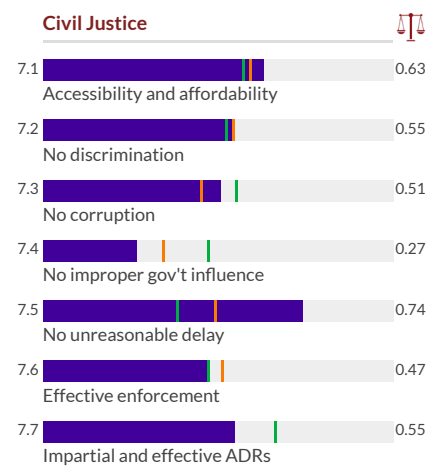
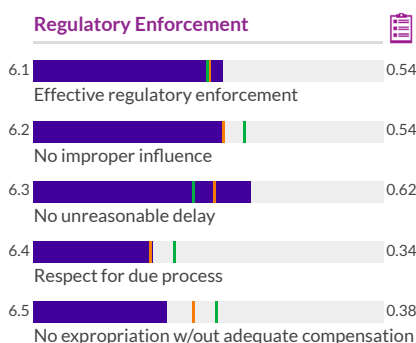
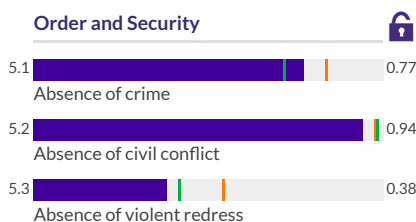
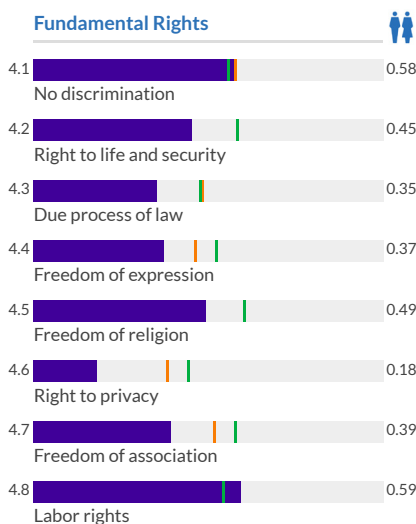
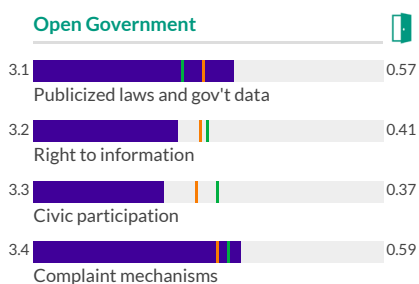
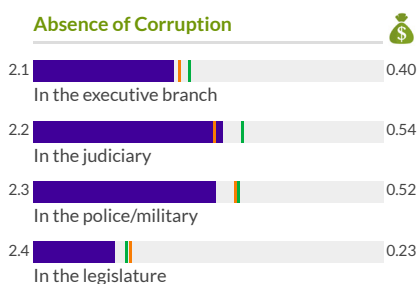
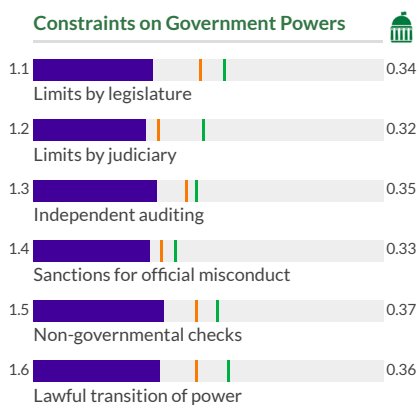
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Open Government	0.49	0.00	7/14	22/40	78/139
Fundamental Rights	0.42	-0.02	12/14	35/40	114/139
Order and Security	0.70	0.04	14/14	24/40	84/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.48	-0.01	4/14	22/40	81/139
Civil Justice	0.53	-0.01	5/14	18/40	70/139
Criminal Justice	0.31	0.00	14/14	36/40	121/139

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Low Medium High



Russian Federation Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle











# Rwanda

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

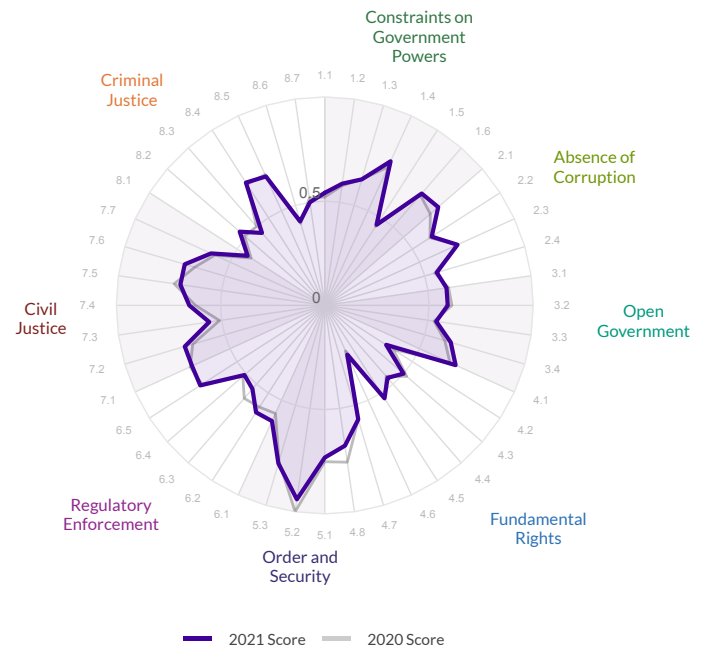
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.62	0.01	4/33	1/18	42/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.65	0.02	1/33	1/18	40/139
 Open Government	0.59	0.00	2/33	1/18	46/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.50	-0.01	14/33	7/18	90/139
 Order and Security	0.82	-0.02	1/33	1/18	33/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.59	0.00	3/33	1/18	41/139
 Civil Justice	0.66	0.02	1/33	1/18	31/139
 Criminal Justice	0.53	0.00	4/33	1/18	48/139

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Low Medium High



Rwanda Sub-Saharan Africa Low

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature 0.54
1.2	Limits by judiciary 0.59
1.3	Independent auditing 0.63
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct 0.76
1.5	Non-governmental checks 0.46
1.6	Lawful transition of power 0.71
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch 0.72
2.2	In the judiciary 0.61
2.3	In the police/military 0.70
2.4	In the legislature 0.56
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data 0.59
3.2	Right to information 0.59
3.3	Civic participation 0.54
3.4	Complaint mechanisms 0.63

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination 0.69
4.2	Right to life and security 0.35
4.3	Due process of law 0.50
4.4	Freedom of expression 0.46
4.5	Freedom of religion 0.53
4.6	Right to privacy 0.26
4.7	Freedom of association 0.57
4.8	Labor rights 0.68
Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime 0.73
5.2	Absence of civil conflict 0.94
5.3	Absence of violent redress 0.79
Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement 0.61
6.2	No improper influence 0.61
6.3	No unreasonable delay 0.53
6.4	Respect for due process 0.51
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.71









Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability 0.70
7.2	No discrimination 0.70
7.3	No corruption 0.56
7.4	No improper gov't influence 0.65
7.5	No unreasonable delay 0.70
7.6	Effective enforcement 0.70
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs 0.60
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations 0.44
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication 0.54
8.3	Effective correctional system 0.46
8.4	No discrimination 0.70
8.5	No corruption 0.68
8.6	No improper gov't influence 0.42
8.7	Due process of law 0.50

# Senegal

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

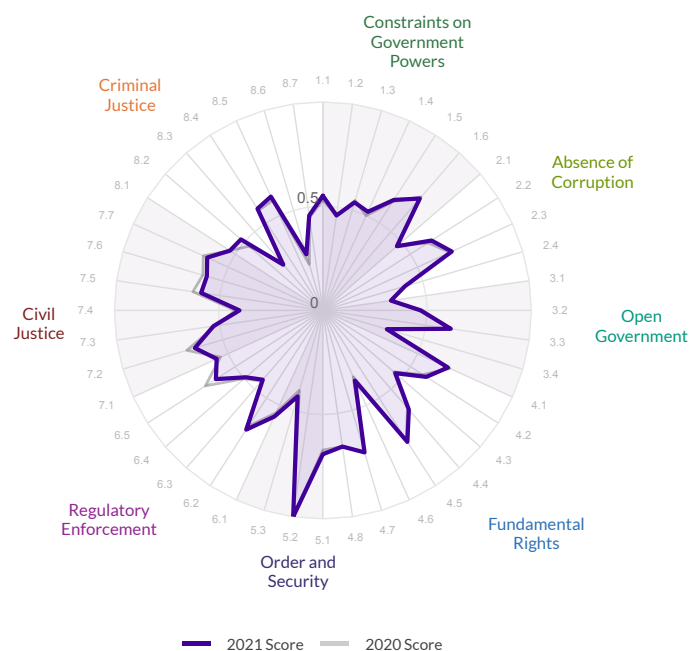
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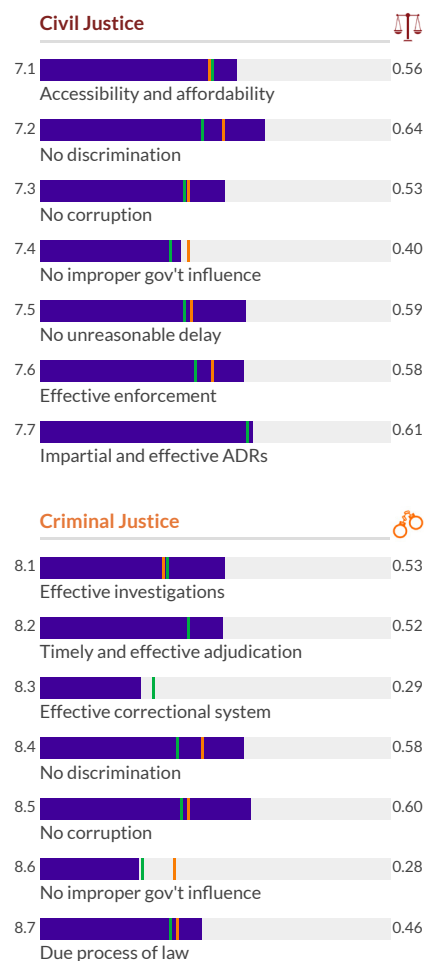
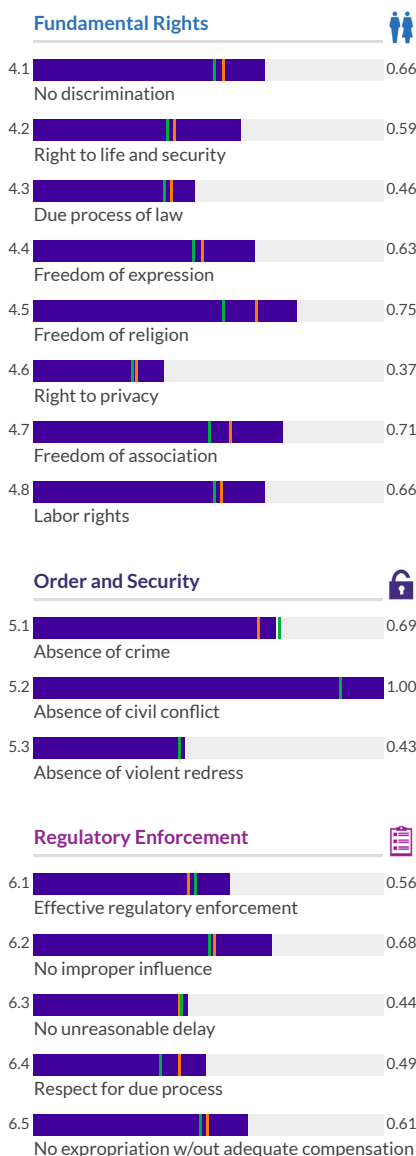
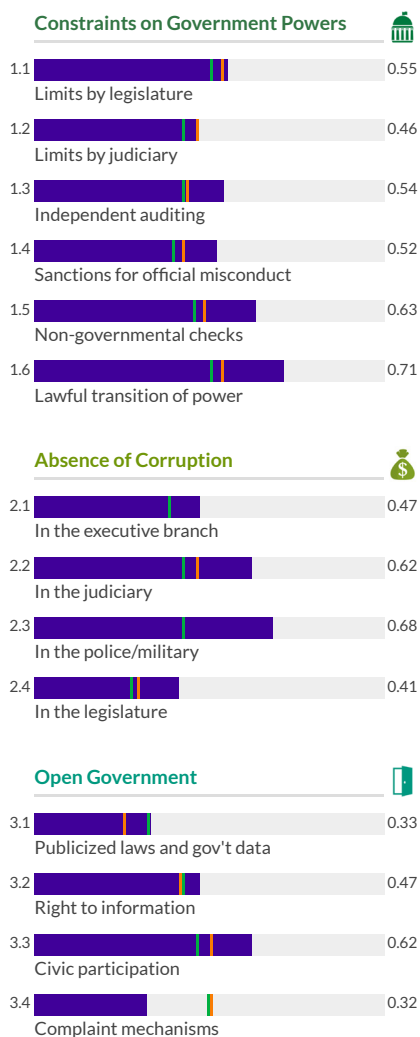
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 Absence of Corruption	0.54	0.01	4/33	1/35	54/139
 Open Government	0.43	0.00	13/33	14/35	96/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.60	0.01	4/33	2/35	56/139
 Order and Security	0.71	0.02	9/33	12/35	78/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.55	-0.01	5/33	1/35	51/139
 Civil Justice	0.56	-0.01	8/33	2/35	61/139
 Criminal Justice	0.47	0.02	7/33	2/35	60/139

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Low Medium High



Senegal Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle











# Serbia

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

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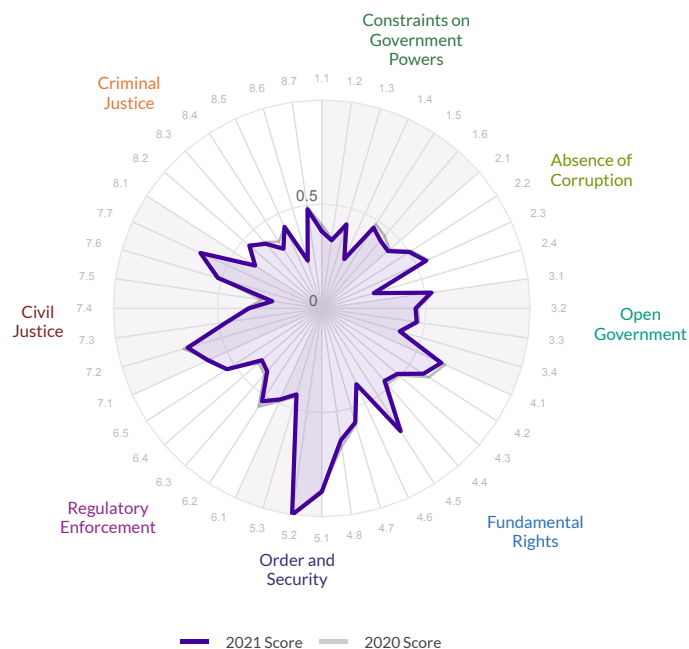
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0.49	8/14	23/40	81/139

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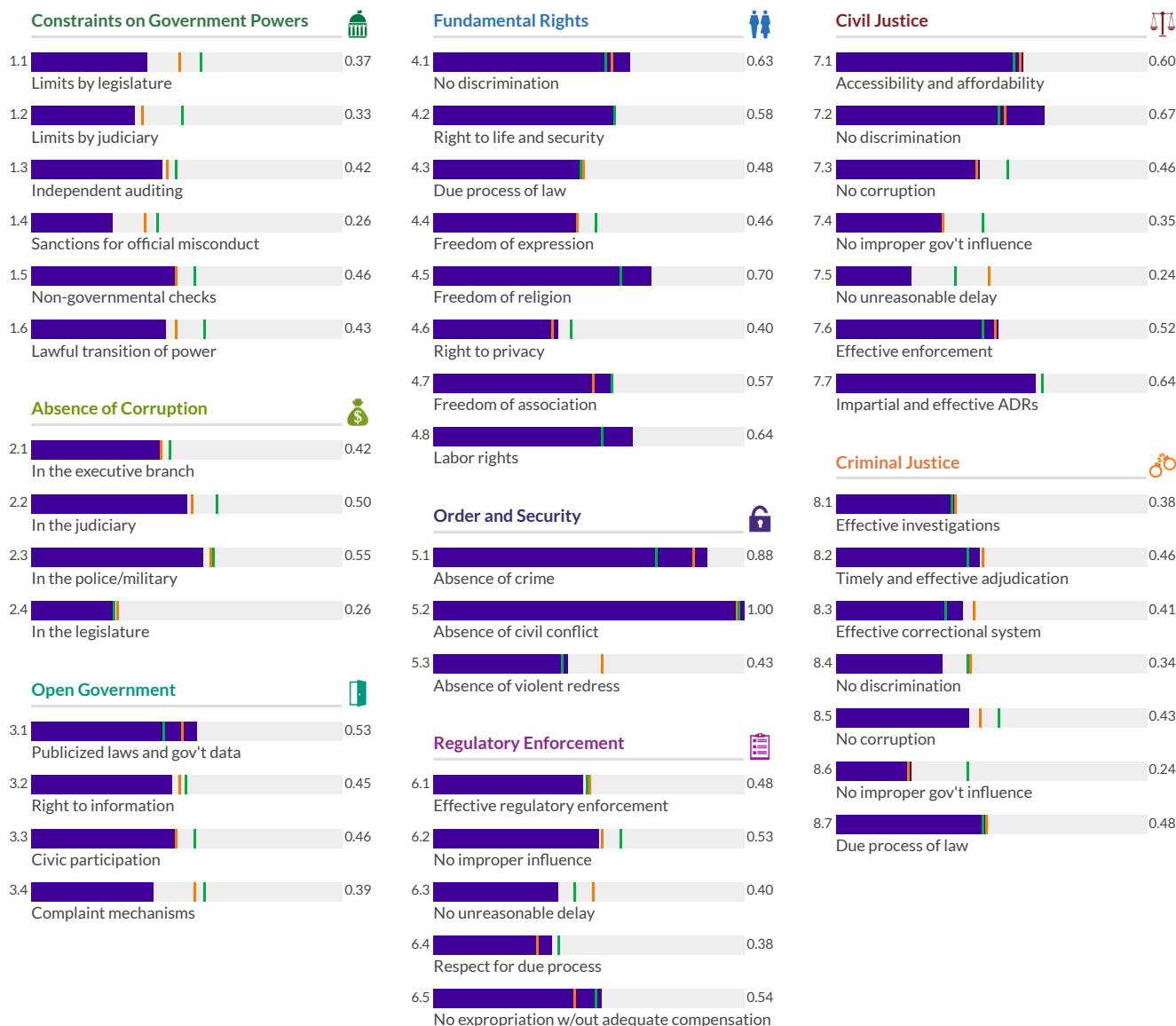
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 Absence of Corruption	0.43	-0.01	8/14	25/40	84/139
 Open Government	0.46	-0.01	11/14	28/40	87/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.56	-0.01	8/14	20/40	72/139
 Order and Security	0.77	0.00	10/14	11/40	53/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.47	-0.02	7/14	27/40	92/139
 Civil Justice	0.50	-0.01	9/14	24/40	82/139
 Criminal Justice	0.39	-0.01	9/14	25/40	84/139

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Low Medium High



— Serbia — Eastern Europe and Central Asia — Upper-Middle



# Sierra Leone

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

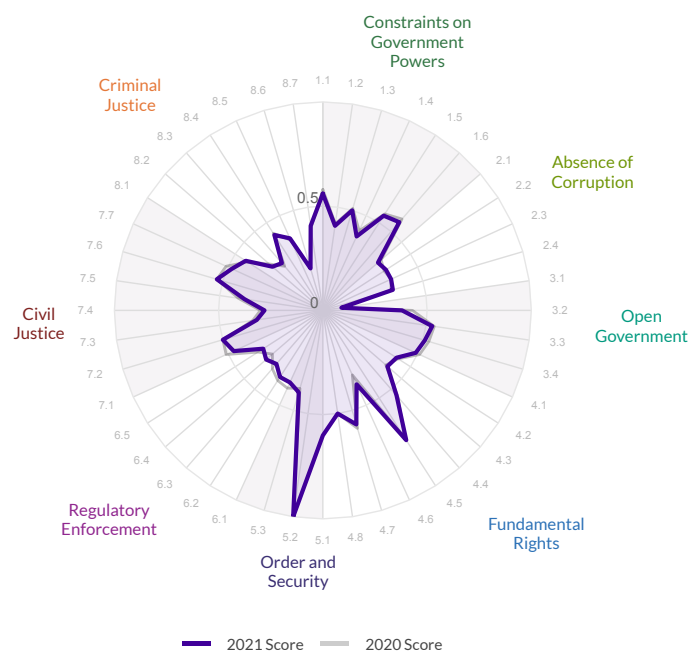
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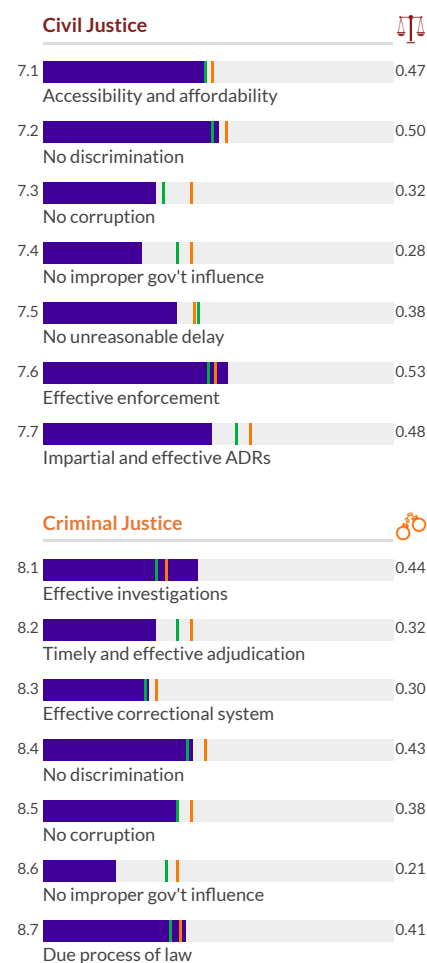
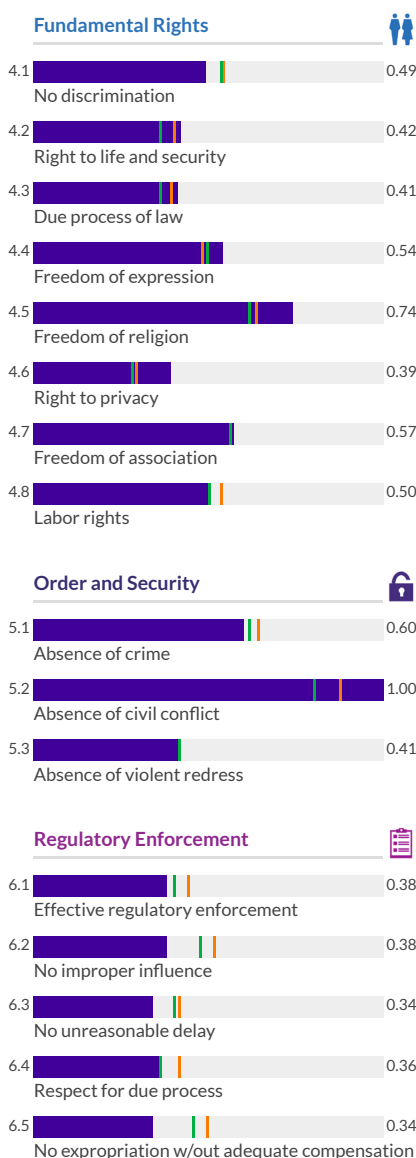
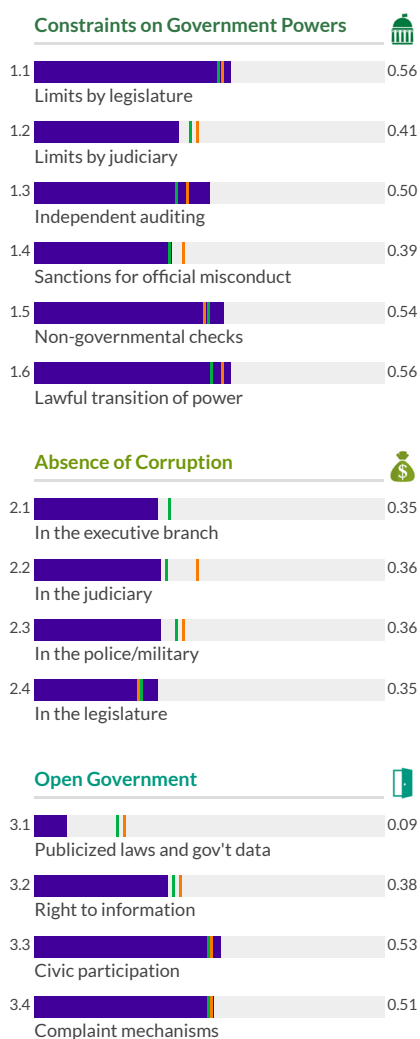
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Absence of Corruption	0.36	0.00	20/33	10/18	110/139
Open Government	0.38	-0.02	20/33	11/18	115/139
Fundamental Rights	0.51	0.00	13/33	6/18	86/139
Order and Security	0.67	0.00	16/33	7/18	93/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.36	-0.01	29/33	15/18	132/139
Civil Justice	0.42	-0.02	25/33	11/18	118/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	0.00	20/33	8/18	100/139

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Low Medium High



Sierra Leone Sub-Saharan Africa Low











# Singapore

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: High

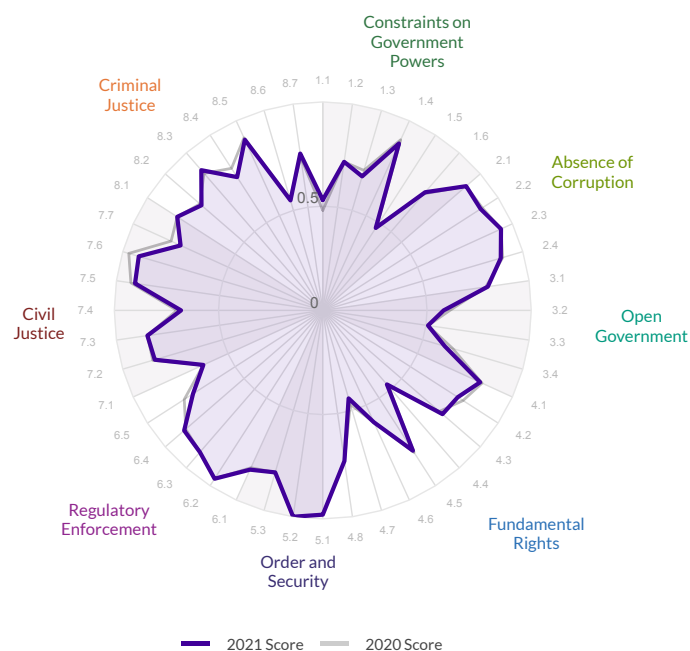
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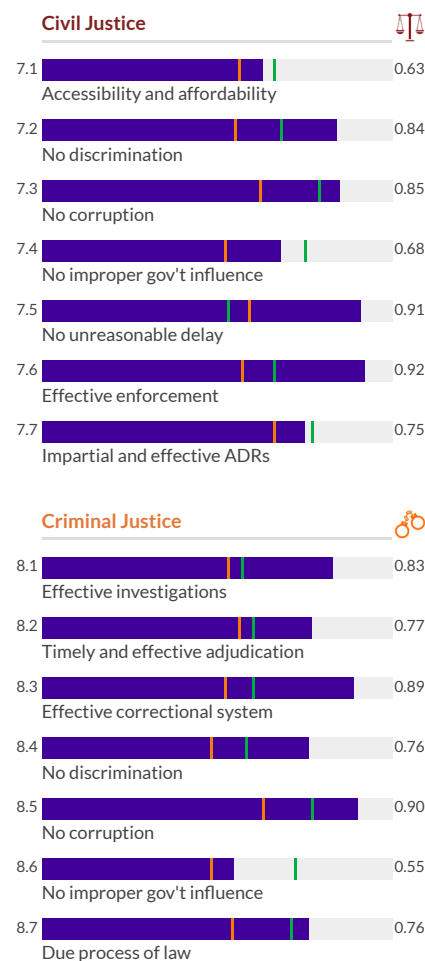
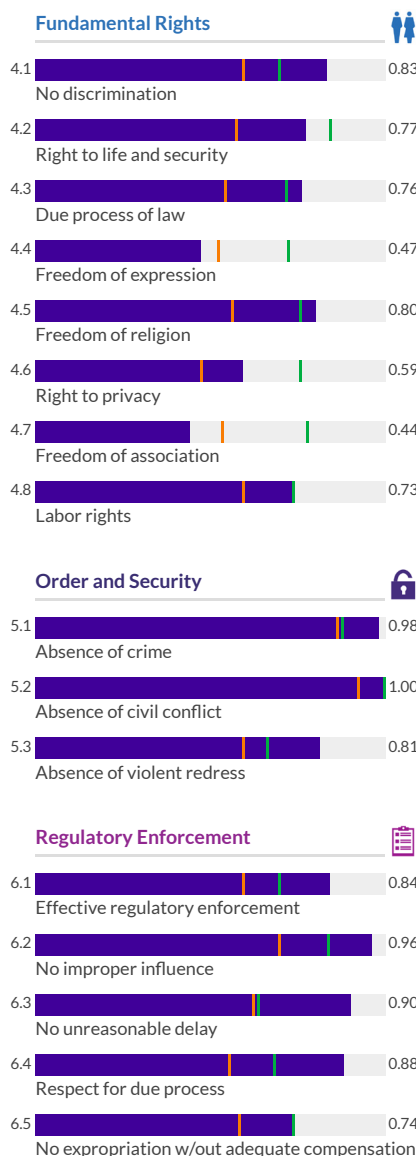
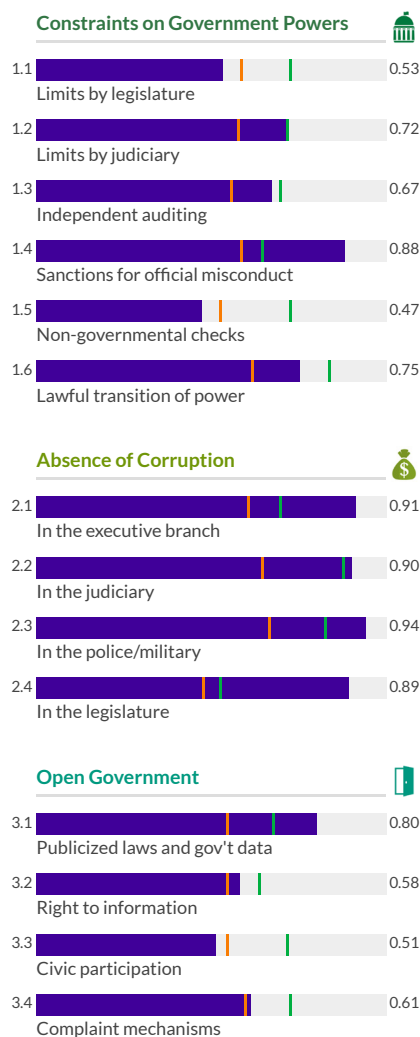
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 Constraints on Government Powers	0.67	0.00	6/15	30/46	32/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.91	0.00	1/15	3/46	3/139
 Open Government	0.63	-0.02	6/15	32/46	34/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.67	-0.01	5/15	35/46	38/139
 Order and Security	0.93	0.00	1/15	3/46	3/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.86	-0.01	1/15	4/46	4/139
 Civil Justice	0.80	-0.02	1/15	8/46	8/139
 Criminal Justice	0.78	-0.01	1/15	7/46	7/139

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Low Medium High



Singapore East Asia and Pacific High











# Slovak Republic

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

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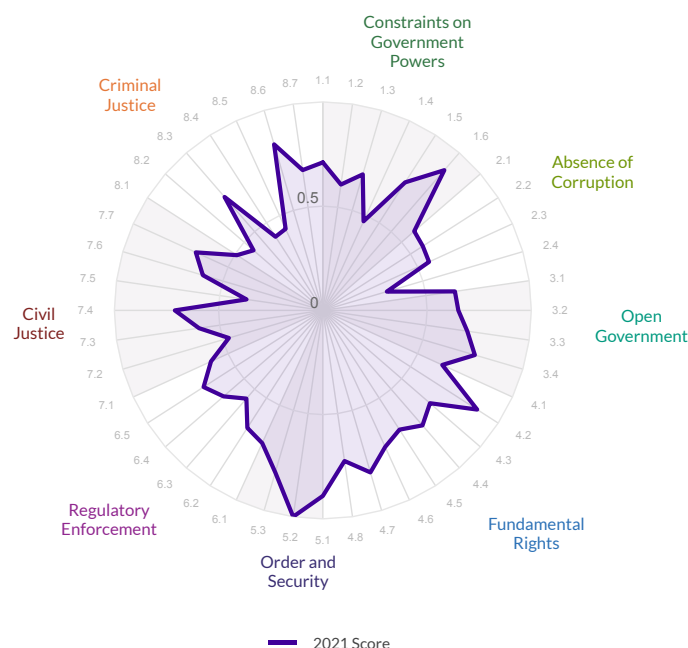
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0.66	24/31	32/46	33/139

Score Change Rank Change

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.68	-	22/31	28/46	29/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.51	-	29/31	43/46	58/139
 Open Government	0.69	-	19/31	26/46	27/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.73	-	21/31	26/46	27/139
 Order and Security	0.90	-	11/31	15/46	15/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.65	-	21/31	29/46	30/139
 Civil Justice	0.57	-	27/31	41/46	54/139
 Criminal Justice	0.57	-	25/31	35/46	37/139

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Low Medium High



Slovak Republic EU, EFTA, and North America High

## Constraints on Government Powers

1.1	Limits by legislature	0.71
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.61
1.3	Independent auditing	0.68
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.47
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.73
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.89

## Absence of Corruption

2.1	In the executive branch	0.58
2.2	In the judiciary	0.57
2.3	In the police/military	0.56
2.4	In the legislature	0.32

## Open Government

3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.64
3.2	Right to information	0.65
3.3	Civic participation	0.70
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.76

## Fundamental Rights

4.1	No discrimination	0.63
4.2	Right to life and security	0.88
4.3	Due process of law	0.68
4.4	Freedom of expression	0.73
4.5	Freedom of religion	0.68
4.6	Right to privacy	0.72
4.7	Freedom of association	0.81
4.8	Labor rights	0.73

## Order and Security

5.1	Absence of crime	0.89
5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00
5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.81

## Regulatory Enforcement

6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.70
6.2	No improper influence	0.67
6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.56
6.4	Respect for due process	0.63
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.68

## Civil Justice

7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.59
7.2	No discrimination	0.47
7.3	No corruption	0.60
7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.71
7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.37
7.6	Effective enforcement	0.60
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.67

## Criminal Justice









8.1	Effective investigations	0.49
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.44
8.3	Effective correctional system	0.72
8.4	No discrimination	0.42
8.5	No corruption	0.43
8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.83
8.7	Due process of law	0.68

# Slovenia

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

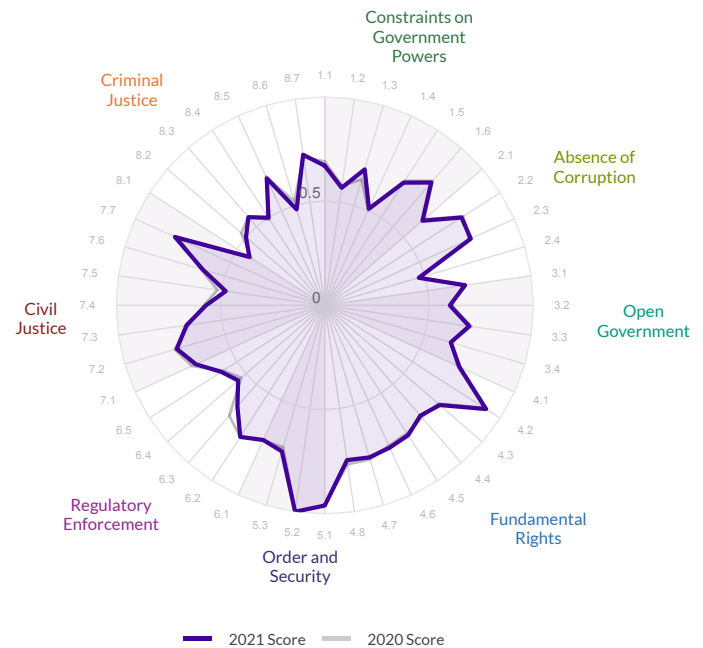
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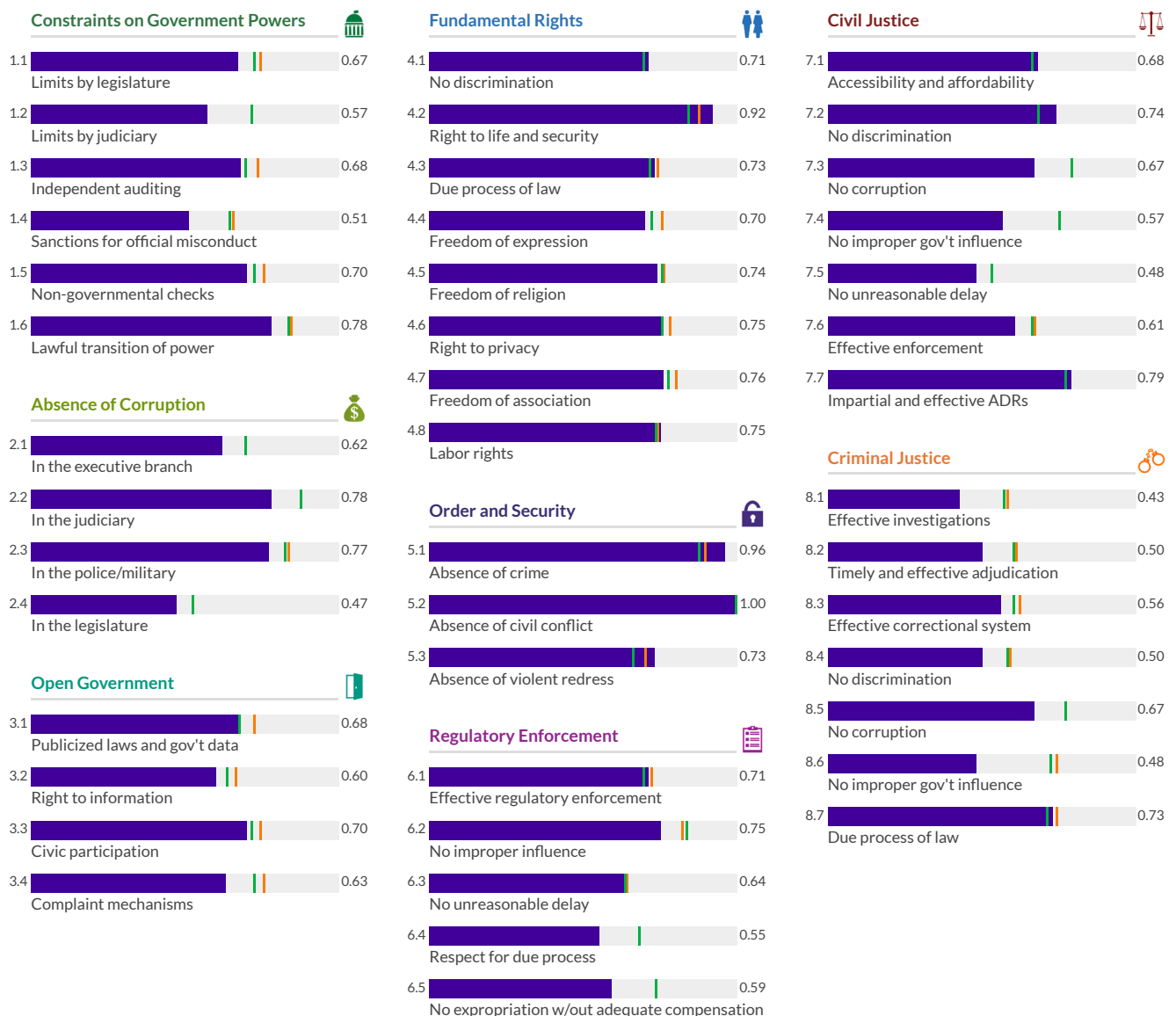
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 Constraints on Government Powers	0.65	0.00	25/31	32/46	36/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.66	0.00	23/31	33/46	36/139
 Open Government	0.65	0.00	22/31	29/46	30/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.76	0.00	17/31	21/46	22/139
 Order and Security	0.90	0.01	12/31	16/46	17/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.65	0.00	22/31	30/46	31/139
 Civil Justice	0.65	-0.01	20/31	30/46	32/139
 Criminal Justice	0.55	-0.01	26/31	37/46	42/139

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Low Medium High



Slovenia EU, EFTA, and North America High



# South Africa

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

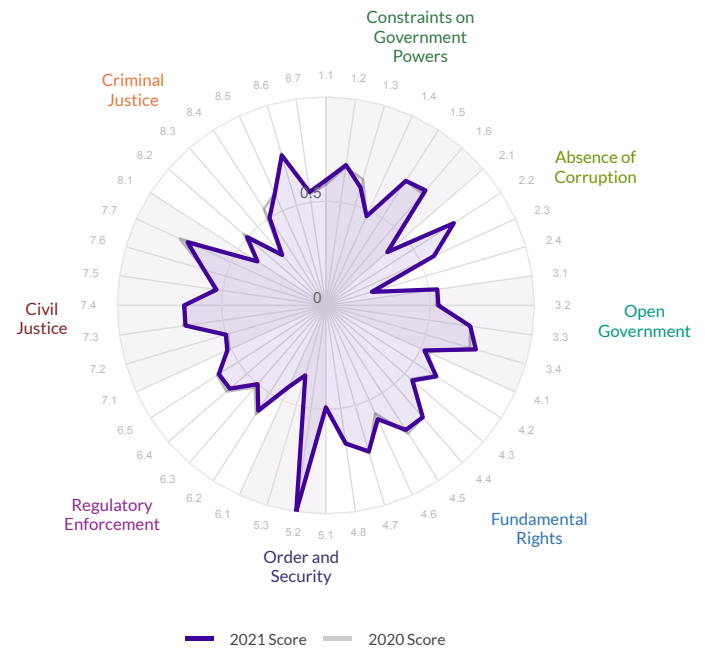
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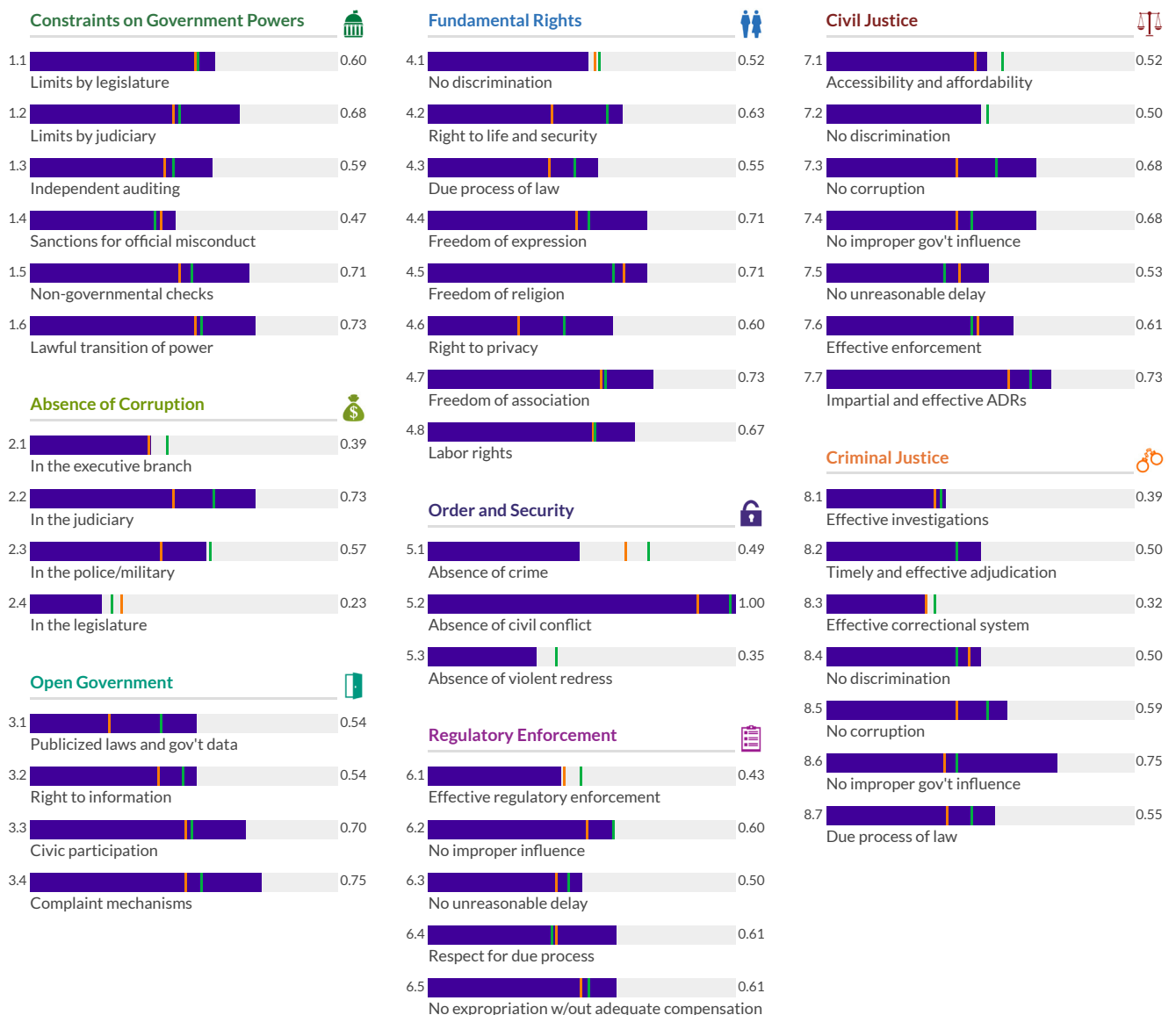
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.63	0.00	3/33	5/40	40/139
Absence of Corruption	0.48	0.00	6/33	16/40	65/139
Open Government	0.63	0.01	1/33	2/40	32/139
Fundamental Rights	0.64	0.00	2/33	6/40	45/139
Order and Security	0.61	0.00	23/33	35/40	118/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.55	-0.01	6/33	11/40	55/139
Civil Justice	0.61	-0.01	4/33	8/40	47/139
Criminal Justice	0.52	-0.01	5/33	11/40	53/139

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Low Medium High



South Africa Sub-Saharan Africa Upper-Middle











# Spain

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

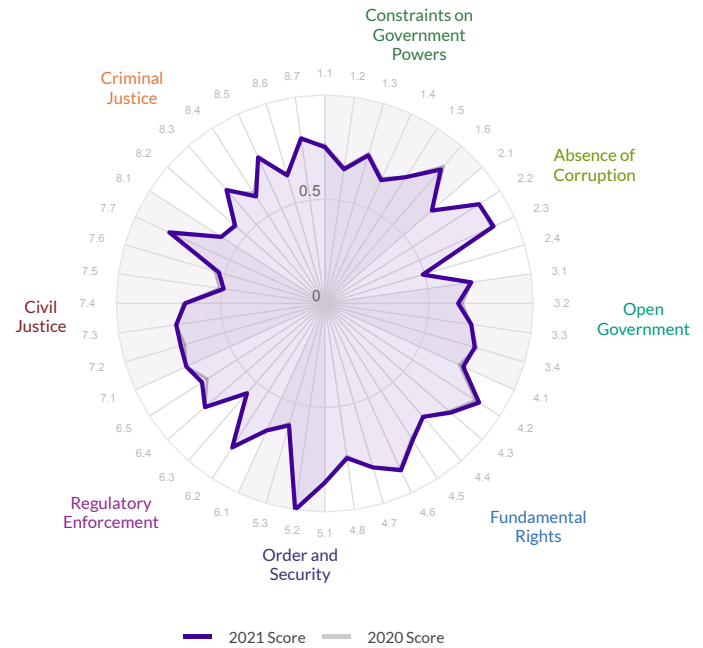
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.73	-0.01	16/31	19/46	20/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.74	0.00	15/31	21/46	21/139
 Open Government	0.70	-0.01	18/31	25/46	25/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.80	0.01	14/31	15/46	15/139
 Order and Security	0.82	0.00	23/31	30/46	32/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.71	0.00	19/31	27/46	27/139
 Civil Justice	0.67	0.00	18/31	26/46	27/139
 Criminal Justice	0.67	0.00	17/31	24/46	24/139

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Low Medium High



Spain EU, EFTA, and North America High

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	Limits by legislature	0.75	4.1	No discrimination	0.73	7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.73
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.65	4.2	Right to life and security	0.88	7.2	No discrimination	0.72
1.3	Independent auditing	0.74	4.3	Due process of law	0.80	7.3	No corruption	0.72
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.65	4.4	Freedom of expression	0.72	7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.67
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.72	4.5	Freedom of religion	0.78	7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.49
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.85	4.6	Right to privacy	0.88	7.6	Effective enforcement	0.53
Absence of Corruption			4.7	Freedom of association	0.82	7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.82
2.1	In the executive branch	0.68	4.8	Labor rights	0.75	Criminal Justice		
2.2	In the judiciary	0.88	Order and Security			8.1	Effective investigations	0.59
2.3	In the police/military	0.89	5.1	Absence of crime	0.86	8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.57
2.4	In the legislature	0.49	5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00	8.3	Effective correctional system	0.72
Open Government			5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.61	8.4	No discrimination	0.61
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.71	Regulatory Enforcement			8.5	No corruption	0.77
3.2	Right to information	0.64	6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.67	8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.64
3.3	Civic participation	0.71	6.2	No improper influence	0.82	8.7	Due process of law	0.80
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.75	6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.57			
			6.4	Respect for due process	0.76			
			6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.70			

# Sri Lanka

Region: South Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

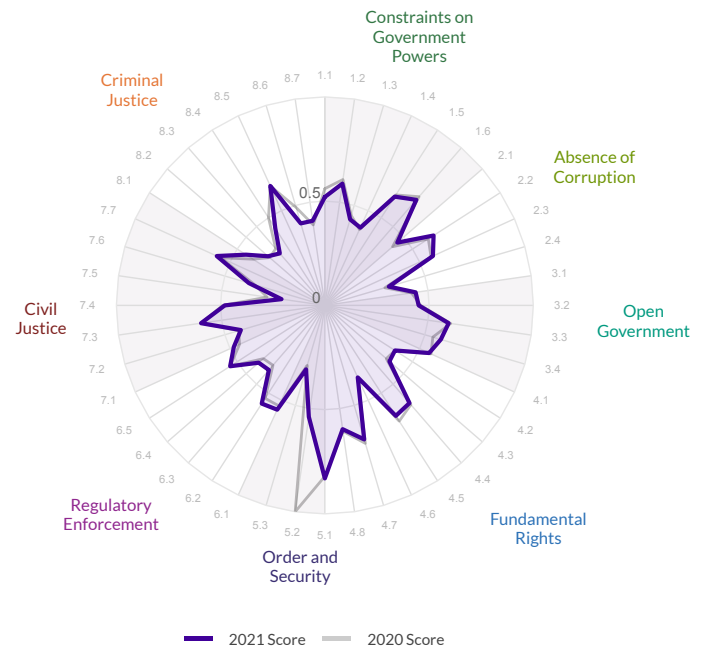
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.54	-0.02	3/6	7/35	69/139
Absence of Corruption	0.49	0.02	1/6	2/35	61/139
Open Government	0.52	0.01	2/6	5/35	64/139
Fundamental Rights	0.53	-0.01	1/6	7/35	76/139
Order and Security	0.56	-0.15*	4/6	31/35	127/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.50	0.02	2/6	9/35	72/139
Civil Justice	0.45	0.00	2/6	21/35	103/139
Criminal Justice	0.43	-0.01	2/6	7/35	73/139

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Low Medium High



Sri Lanka South Asia Lower-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	0.52	Limits by legislature	4.1	0.55	No discrimination	7.1	0.48	Accessibility and affordability
1.2	0.59	Limits by judiciary	4.2	0.40	Right to life and security	7.2	0.42	No discrimination
1.3	0.43	Independent auditing	4.3	0.41	Due process of law	7.3	0.60	No corruption
1.4	0.41	Sanctions for official misconduct	4.4	0.62	Freedom of expression	7.4	0.48	No improper gov't influence
1.5	0.62	Non-governmental checks	4.5	0.63	Freedom of religion	7.5	0.21	No unreasonable delay
1.6	0.67	Lawful transition of power	4.6	0.38	Right to privacy	7.6	0.38	Effective enforcement
Absence of Corruption			4.7	0.67	Freedom of association	7.7	0.57	Impartial and effective ADRs
2.1	0.46	In the executive branch	4.8	0.60	Labor rights	Criminal Justice		
2.2	0.62	In the judiciary	Order and Security			8.1	0.45	Effective investigations
2.3	0.57	In the police/military	5.1	0.83	Absence of crime	8.2	0.36	Timely and effective adjudication
2.4	0.32	In the legislature	5.2	0.54	Absence of civil conflict	8.3	0.33	Effective correctional system
Open Government			5.3	0.32	Absence of violent redress	8.4	0.44	No discrimination
3.1	0.44	Publicized laws and gov't data	Regulatory Enforcement			8.5	0.63	No corruption
3.2	0.45	Right to information	6.1	0.55	Effective regulatory enforcement	8.6	0.41	No improper gov't influence
3.3	0.60	Civic participation	6.2	0.56	No improper influence	8.7	0.41	Due process of law
3.4	0.58	Complaint mechanisms	6.3	0.41	No unreasonable delay			
			6.4	0.42	Respect for due process			
			6.5	0.54	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation			

# St. Kitts and Nevis

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: High

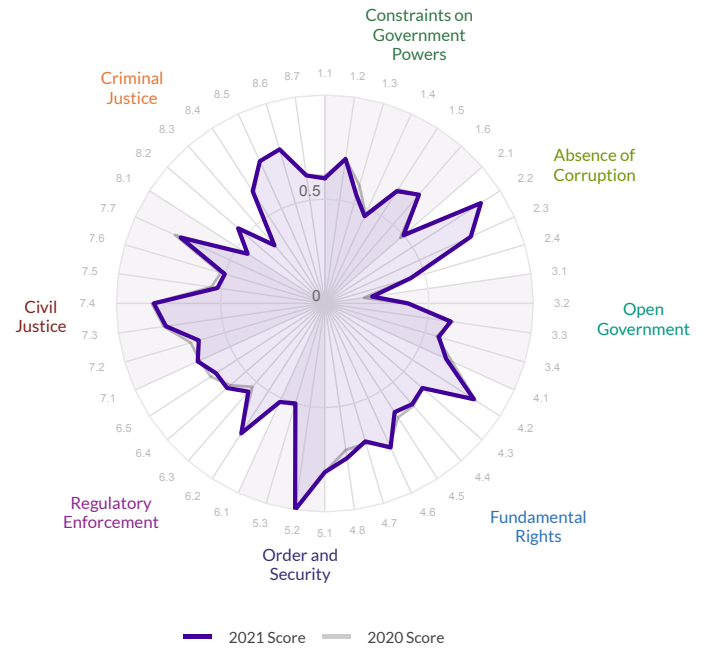
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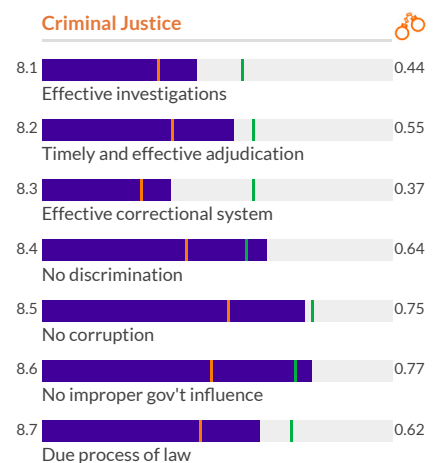
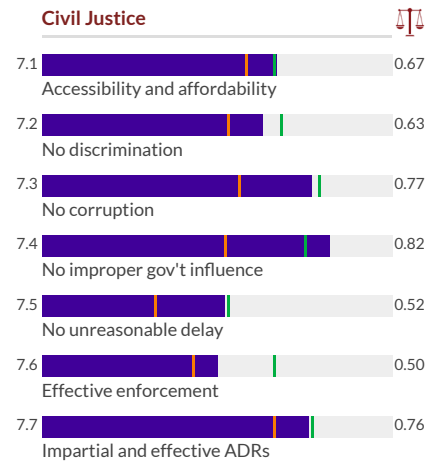
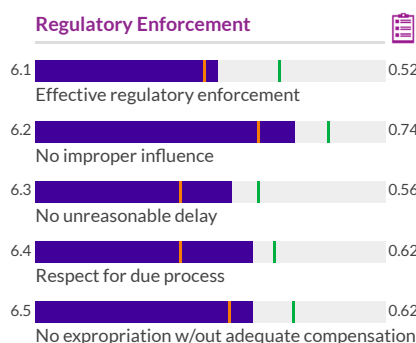
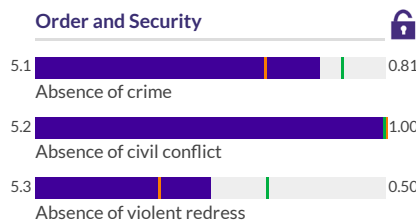
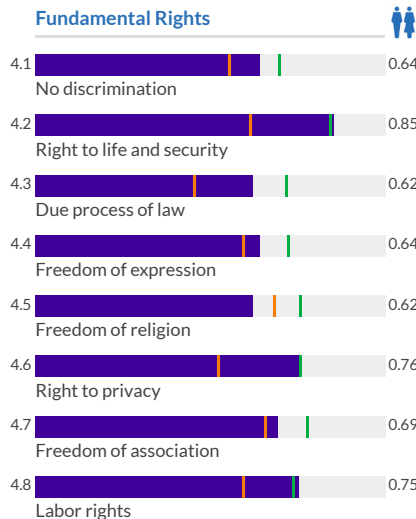
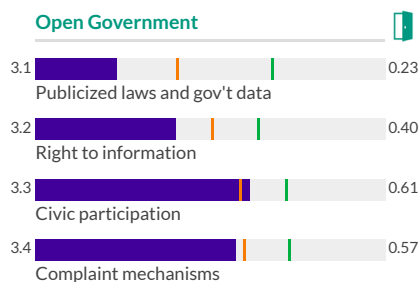
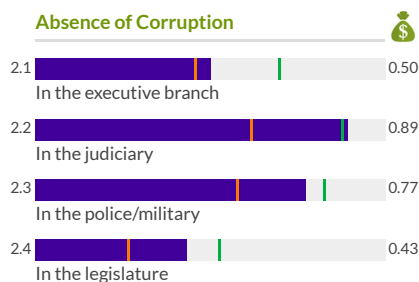
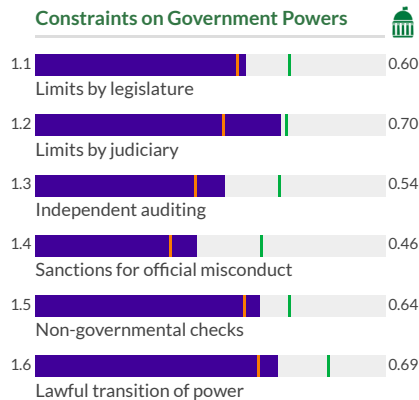
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.61	-0.01	8/32	39/46	46/139
Absence of Corruption	0.65	0.01	7/32	34/46	38/139
Open Government	0.45	0.01	23/32	44/46	90/139
Fundamental Rights	0.70	0.00	7/32	33/46	35/139
Order and Security	0.77	-0.01	3/32	37/46	51/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.61	0.00	6/32	36/46	37/139
Civil Justice	0.67	-0.02	4/32	27/46	28/139
Criminal Justice	0.59	0.01	3/32	31/46	32/139

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Low Medium High



St. Kitts and Nevis Latin America and Caribbean High



# St. Lucia

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

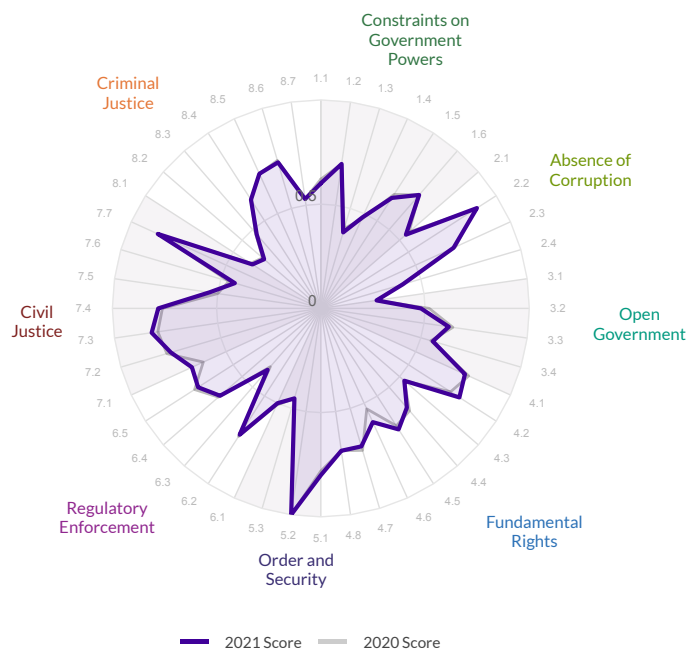
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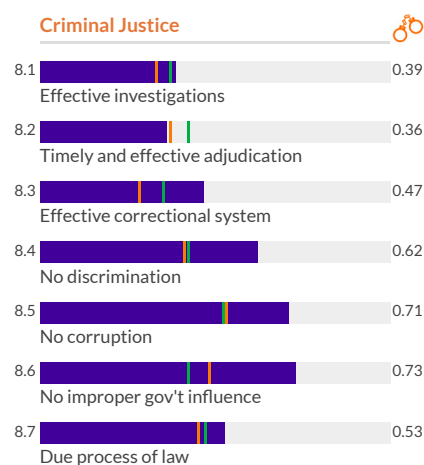
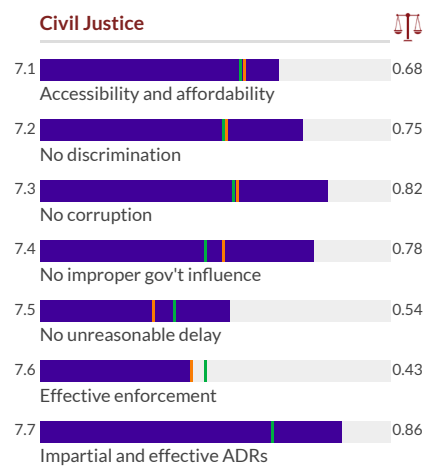
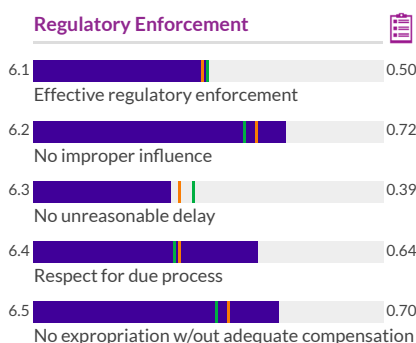
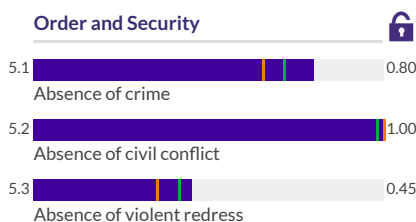
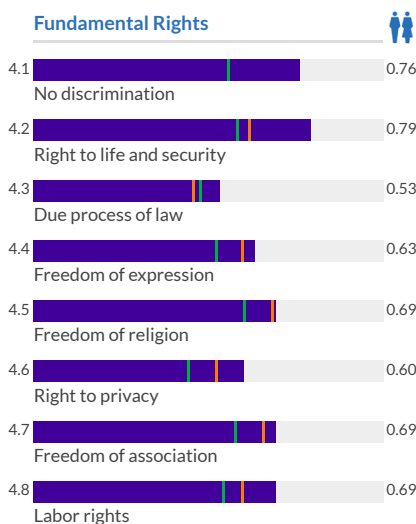
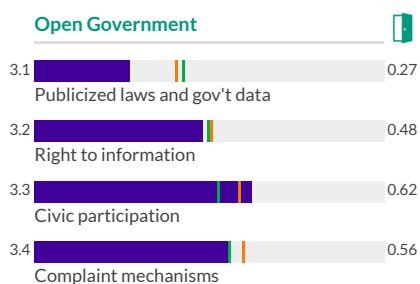
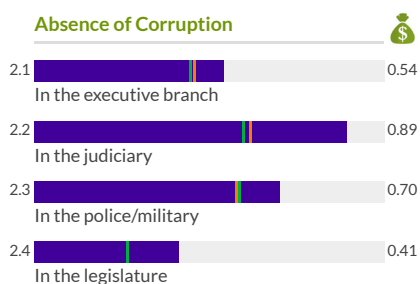
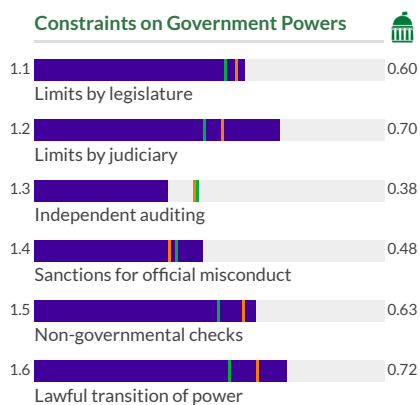
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.59	0.00	11/32	9/40	53/139
Absence of Corruption	0.63	0.00	9/32	5/40	43/139
Open Government	0.48	-0.01	22/32	23/40	79/139
Fundamental Rights	0.67	0.01	10/32	4/40	39/139
Order and Security	0.75	0.00	6/32	16/40	65/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.59	-0.01	7/32	3/40	42/139
Civil Justice	0.69	0.01	2/32	1/40	23/139
Criminal Justice	0.54	0.00	9/32	8/40	47/139

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Low Medium High



St. Lucia Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

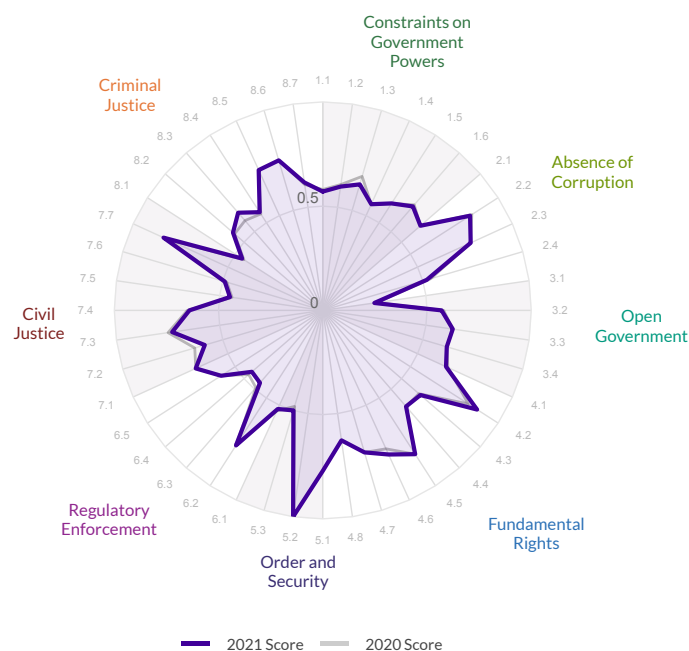
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.64	5/32	2/40	38/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
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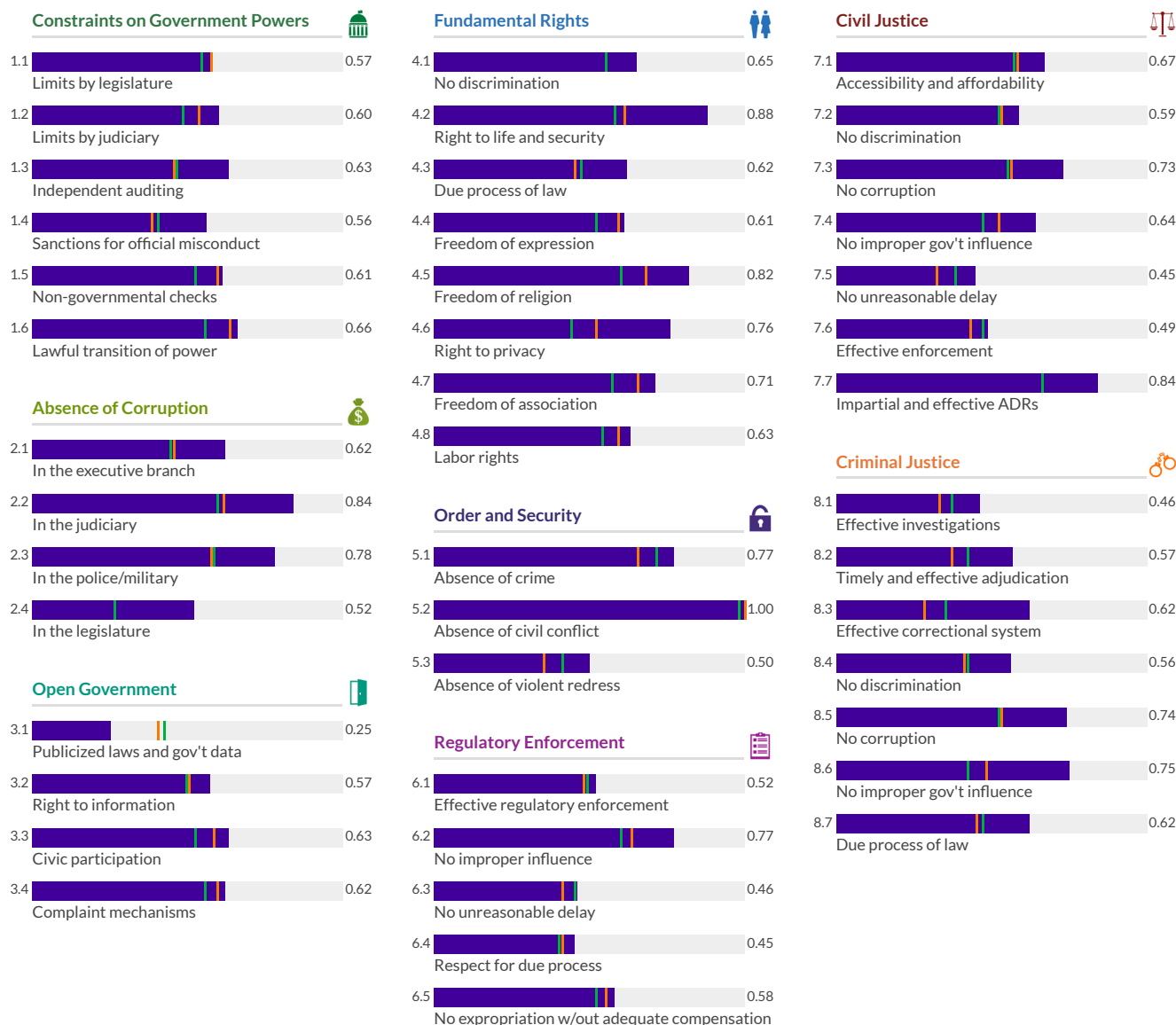
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.60	-0.01	9/32	6/40	47/139
Absence of Corruption	0.69	-0.01	3/32	1/40	28/139
Open Government	0.52	0.00	16/32	16/40	62/139
Fundamental Rights	0.71	0.01	5/32	2/40	33/139
Order and Security	0.76	0.01	5/32	14/40	59/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.55	-0.01	9/32	8/40	52/139
Civil Justice	0.63	0.00	6/32	4/40	38/139
Criminal Justice	0.62	0.01	1/32	1/40	28/139

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Low Medium High



St. Vincent and the Grenadines Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Sudan

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

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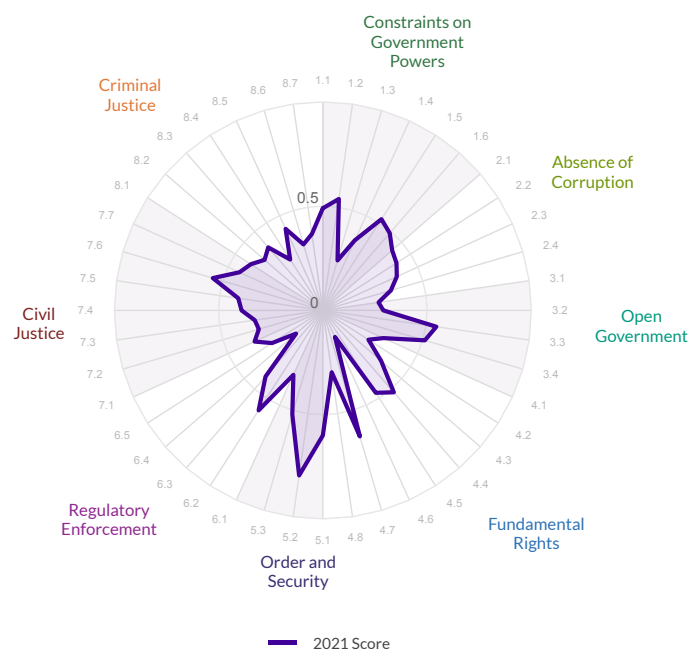
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0.42	23/33	11/18	116/139

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Constraints on Government Powers	0.45	—	18/33	8/18	103/139
Absence of Corruption	0.40	—	14/33	7/18	97/139
Open Government	0.40	—	15/33	7/18	105/139
Fundamental Rights	0.38	—	29/33	16/18	125/139
Order and Security	0.64	—	18/33	8/18	104/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.36	—	30/33	16/18	133/139
Civil Justice	0.40	—	30/33	16/18	125/139
Criminal Justice	0.37	—	16/33	5/18	92/139

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Low Medium High



— Sudan — Sub-Saharan Africa — Low

Constraints on Government Powers	
1.1	Limits by legislature 0.49
1.2	Limits by judiciary 0.54
1.3	Independent auditing 0.25
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct 0.37
1.5	Non-governmental checks 0.52
1.6	Lawful transition of power 0.49
Absence of Corruption	
2.1	In the executive branch 0.44
2.2	In the judiciary 0.42
2.3	In the police/military 0.39
2.4	In the legislature 0.34
Open Government	
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data 0.27
3.2	Right to information 0.29
3.3	Civic participation 0.55
3.4	Complaint mechanisms 0.51

Fundamental Rights	
4.1	No discrimination 0.32
4.2	Right to life and security 0.26
4.3	Due process of law 0.37
4.4	Freedom of expression 0.52
4.5	Freedom of religion 0.47
4.6	Right to privacy 0.14
4.7	Freedom of association 0.63
4.8	Labor rights 0.30

Order and Security	
5.1	Absence of crime 0.60
5.2	Absence of civil conflict 0.80
5.3	Absence of violent redress 0.52

Regulatory Enforcement	
6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement 0.34
6.2	No improper influence 0.57
6.3	No unreasonable delay 0.42
6.4	Respect for due process 0.17
6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.29







Civil Justice	
7.1	Accessibility and affordability 0.36
7.2	No discrimination 0.32
7.3	No corruption 0.33
7.4	No improper gov't influence 0.39
7.5	No unreasonable delay 0.41
7.6	Effective enforcement 0.55
7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs 0.44
Criminal Justice	
8.1	Effective investigations 0.41
8.2	Timely and effective adjudication 0.37
8.3	Effective correctional system 0.40
8.4	No discrimination 0.29
8.5	No corruption 0.43
8.6	No improper gov't influence 0.33
8.7	Due process of law 0.37

# Suriname

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

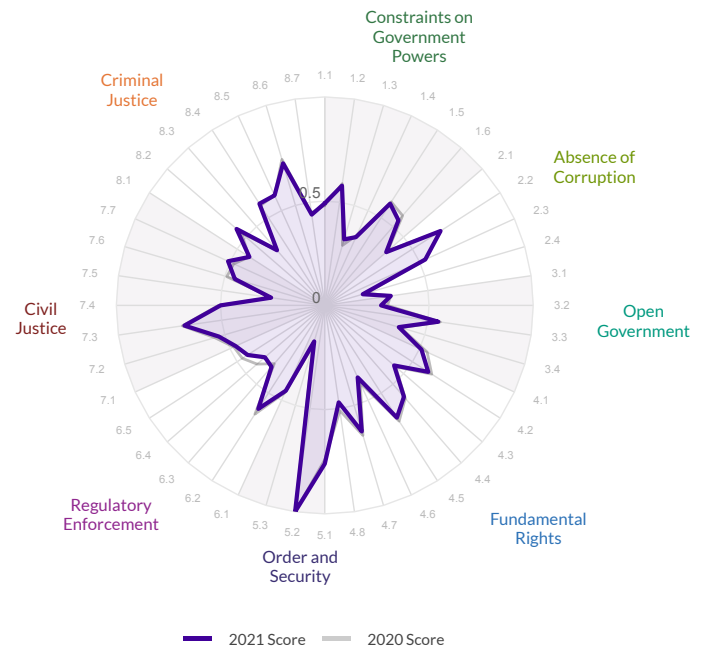
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.48	0.00	23/32	23/40	87/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.44	-0.01	16/32	22/40	75/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.38	-0.01	30/32	37/40	116/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.53	-0.02	21/32	23/40	77/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.64	0.00	20/32	28/40	102/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.45	-0.02	23/32	31/40	97/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.48	-0.01	20/32	26/40	85/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.52	0.00	11/32	10/40	52/139

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Low Medium High



Suriname Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle







<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.49</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.58</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.33</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.36</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.58</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.54</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.51</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.59</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.44</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.58</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.64</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.38</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.63</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.47</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.47</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.53</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.68</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.50</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.26</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.45</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.51</li> </ul>
<b>Absence of Corruption</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2.1 In the executive branch 0.39</li> <li>2.2 In the judiciary 0.66</li> <li>2.3 In the police/military 0.53</li> <li>2.4 In the legislature 0.19</li> </ul>	<b>Order and Security</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Absence of crime 0.76</li> <li>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 1.00</li> <li>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.18</li> </ul>	<b>Criminal Justice</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Effective investigations 0.43</li> <li>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.56</li> <li>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.35</li> <li>8.4 No discrimination 0.58</li> <li>8.5 No corruption 0.58</li> <li>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.71</li> <li>8.7 Due process of law 0.44</li> </ul>
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# Sweden

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

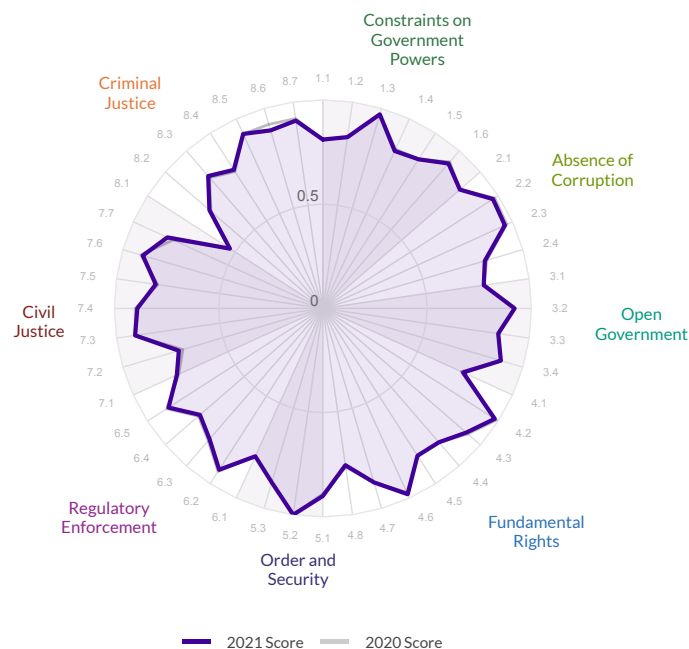
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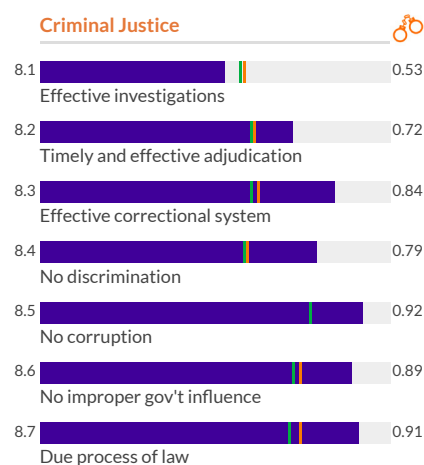
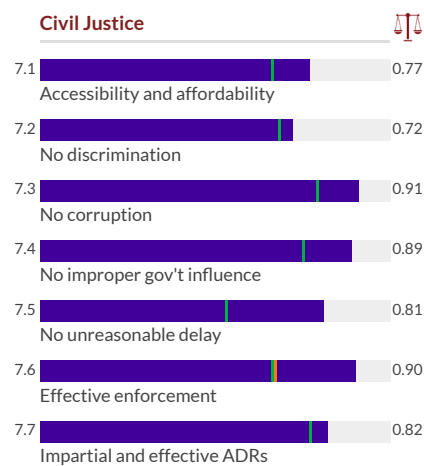
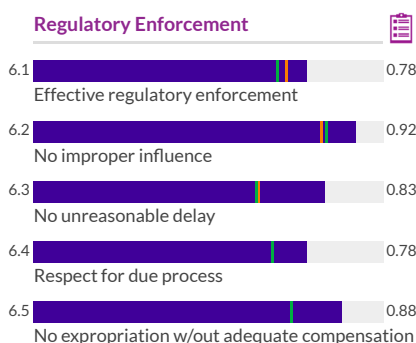
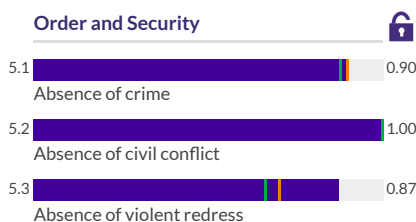
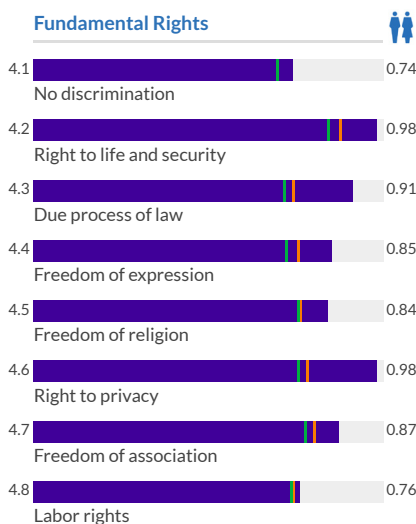
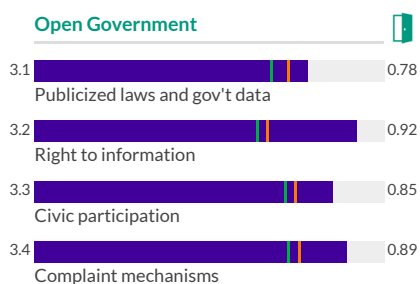
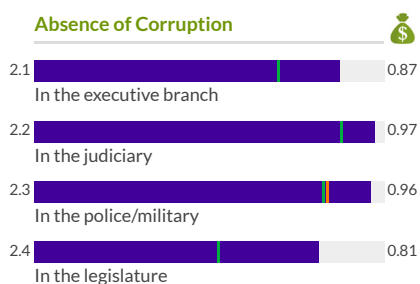
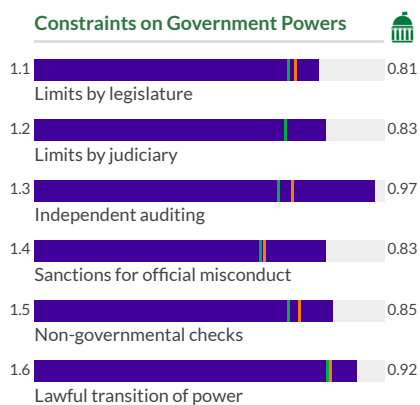
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 <b>Constraints on Government Powers</b>	0.87	0.00	4/31	4/46	4/139
 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.90	0.00	3/31	4/46	4/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.86	0.00	4/31	4/46	4/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.87	0.00	4/31	4/46	4/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.92	0.00	4/31	6/46	6/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.84	0.00	7/31	9/46	9/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.83	0.01	5/31	5/46	5/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.80	0.00	5/31	5/46	5/139

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Low Medium High



Sweden EU, EFTA, and North America High



# Tanzania

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

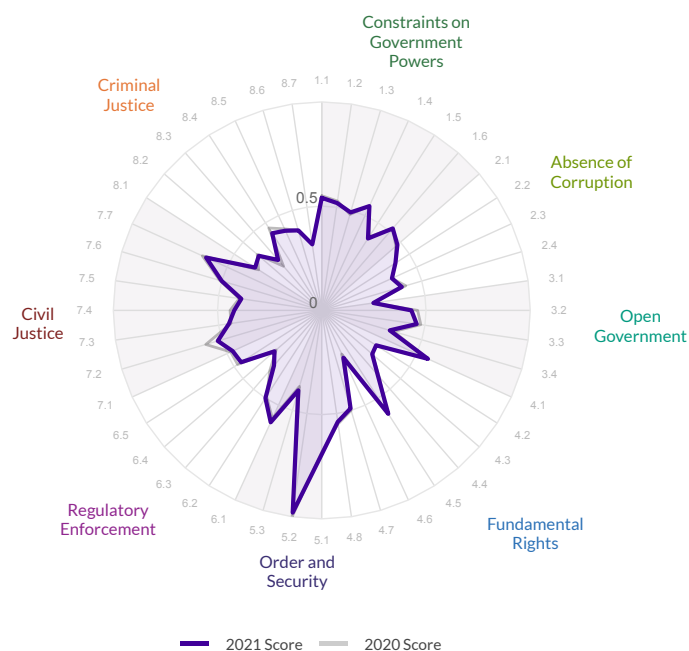
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.51	0.00	11/33	9/35	77/139
Absence of Corruption	0.42	0.00	13/33	11/35	90/139
Open Government	0.37	-0.01	23/33	26/35	120/139
Fundamental Rights	0.43	0.00	21/33	20/35	112/139
Order and Security	0.69	0.00	13/33	13/35	87/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.44	0.00	16/33	17/35	101/139
Civil Justice	0.48	-0.02	13/33	13/35	87/139
Criminal Justice	0.38	0.00	15/33	16/35	89/139

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Low Medium High



Tanzania Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle

<b>Constraints on Government Powers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Limits by legislature 0.54</li> <li>1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.52</li> <li>1.3 Independent auditing 0.49</li> <li>1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.55</li> <li>1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.41</li> <li>1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.52</li> </ul>	<b>Fundamental Rights</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4.1 No discrimination 0.56</li> <li>4.2 Right to life and security 0.31</li> <li>4.3 Due process of law 0.32</li> <li>4.4 Freedom of expression 0.41</li> <li>4.5 Freedom of religion 0.59</li> <li>4.6 Right to privacy 0.25</li> <li>4.7 Freedom of association 0.49</li> <li>4.8 Labor rights 0.54</li> </ul>	<b>Civil Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.47</li> <li>7.2 No discrimination 0.52</li> <li>7.3 No corruption 0.45</li> <li>7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.42</li> <li>7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.39</li> <li>7.6 Effective enforcement 0.50</li> <li>7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.61</li> </ul>
<b>Absence of Corruption</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2.1 In the executive branch 0.48</li> <li>2.2 In the judiciary 0.42</li> <li>2.3 In the police/military 0.37</li> <li>2.4 In the legislature 0.40</li> </ul>	<b>Order and Security</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5.1 Absence of crime 0.69</li> <li>5.2 Absence of civil conflict 0.98</li> <li>5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.40</li> </ul>	<b>Criminal Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8.1 Effective investigations 0.38</li> <li>8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.40</li> <li>8.3 Effective correctional system 0.32</li> <li>8.4 No discrimination 0.44</li> <li>8.5 No corruption 0.42</li> <li>8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.40</li> <li>8.7 Due process of law 0.32</li> </ul>
<b>Open Government</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.25</li> <li>3.2 Right to information 0.43</li> <li>3.3 Civic participation 0.46</li> <li>3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.34</li> </ul>	<b>Regulatory Enforcement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.59</li> <li>6.2 No improper influence 0.50</li> <li>6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.35</li> <li>6.4 Respect for due process 0.30</li> <li>6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.46</li> </ul>	

# Thailand

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

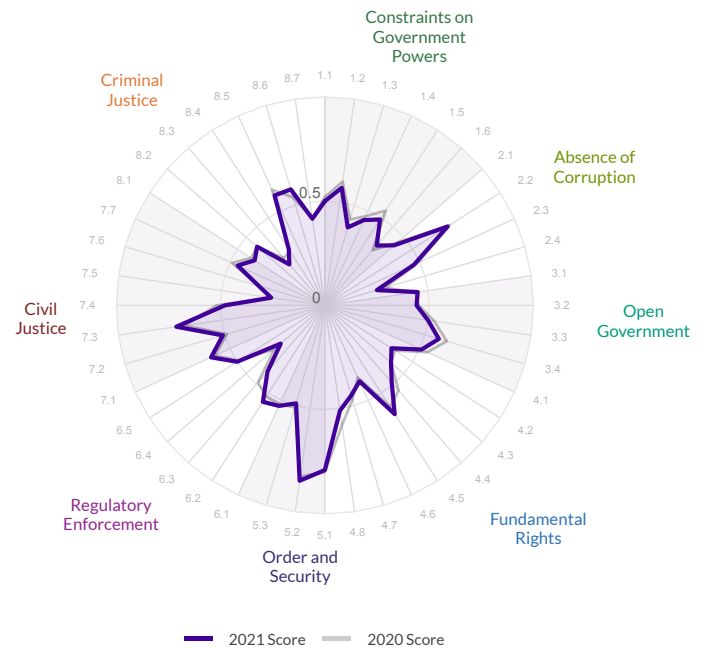
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0.50	10/15	22/40	80/139
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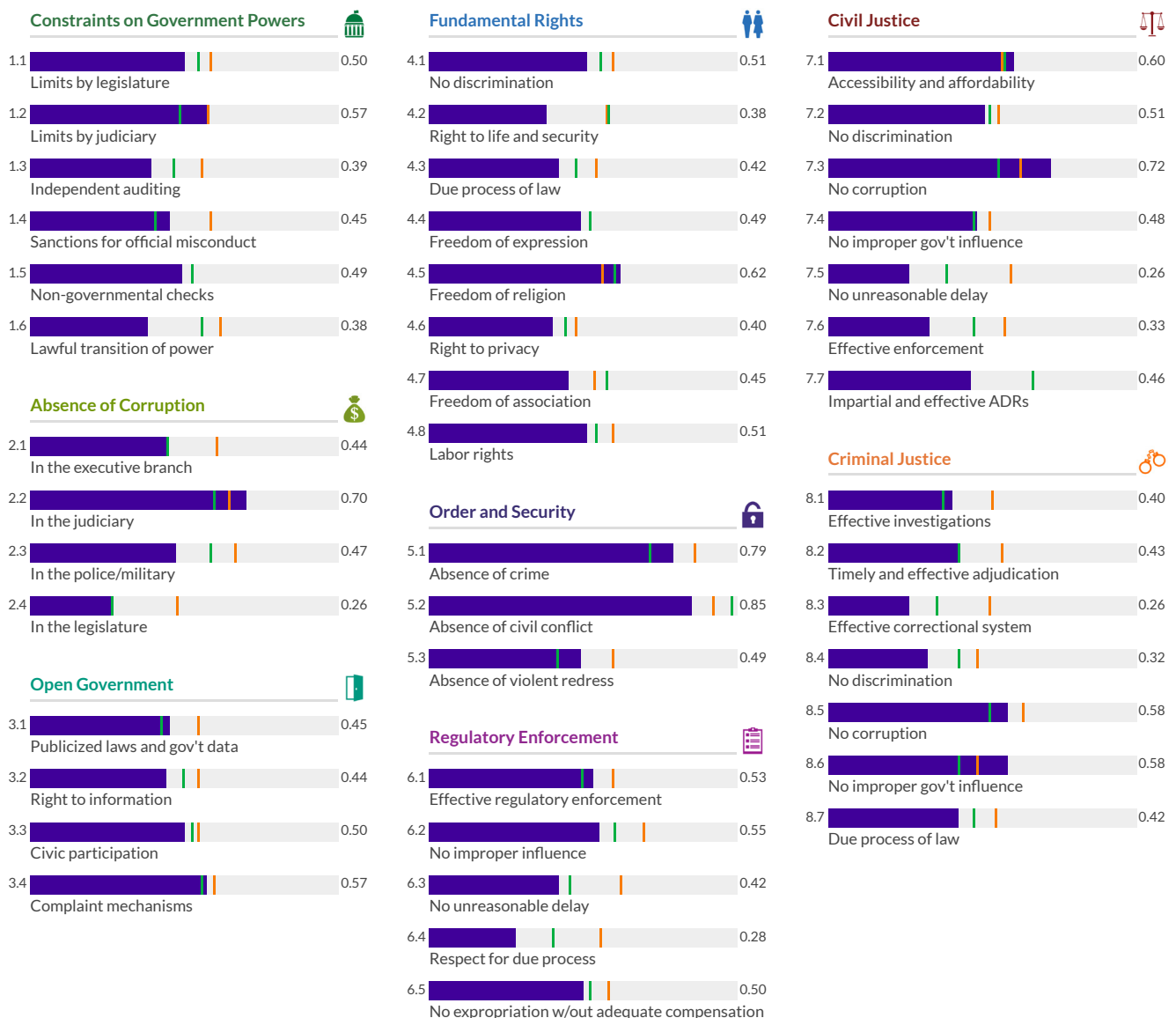
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Open Government	0.49	-0.02	10/15	21/40	77/139
Fundamental Rights	0.47	-0.02	10/15	33/40	99/139
Order and Security	0.71	0.00	11/15	20/40	76/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.46	-0.01	12/15	29/40	95/139
Civil Justice	0.48	0.00	10/15	27/40	88/139
Criminal Justice	0.43	-0.01	11/15	21/40	75/139

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Low Medium High



Thailand East Asia and Pacific Upper-Middle



# Togo

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

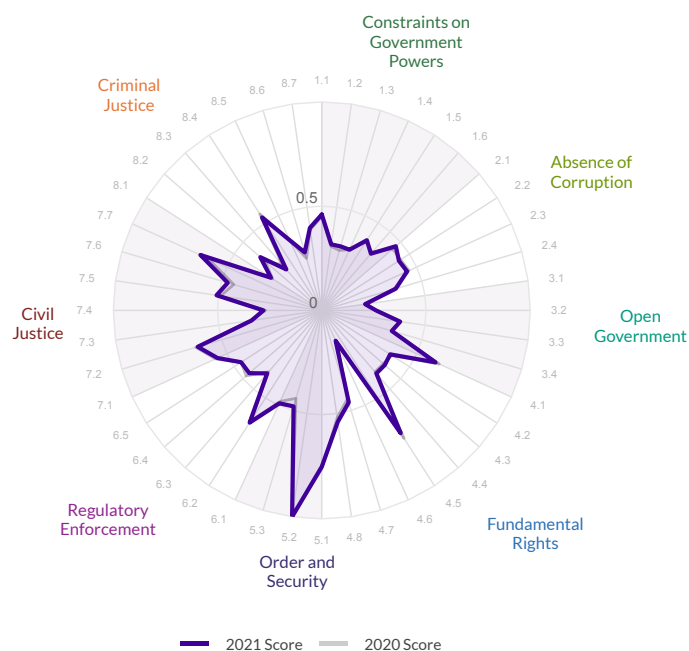
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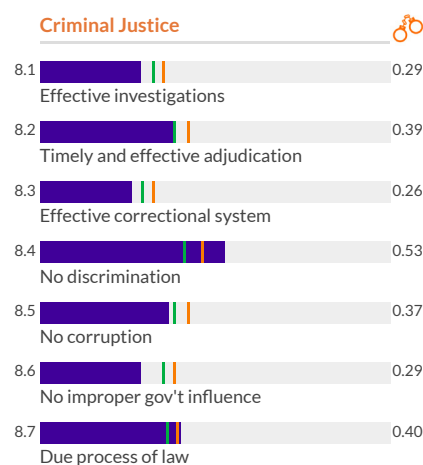
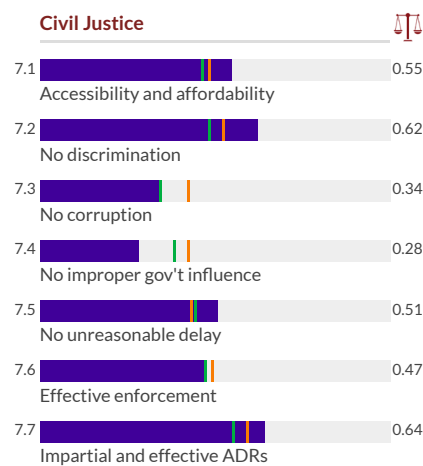
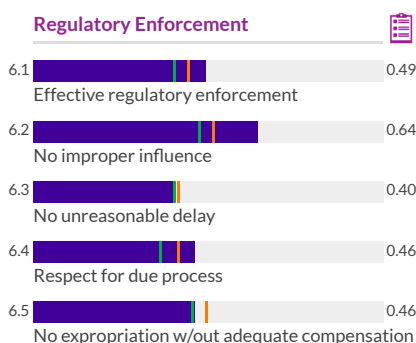
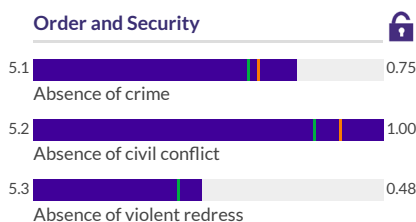
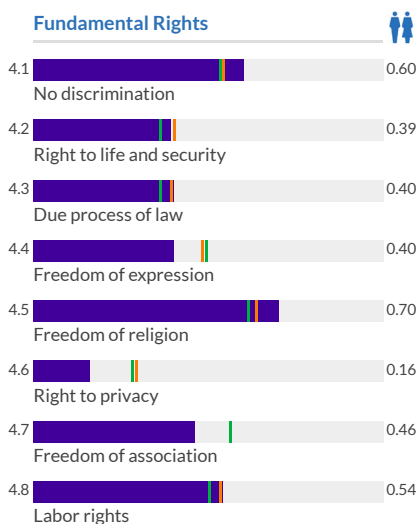
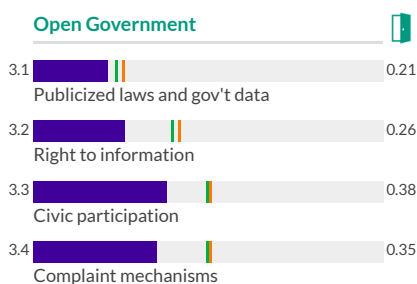
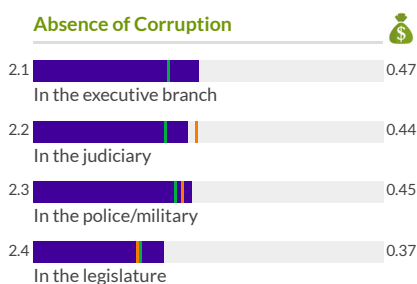
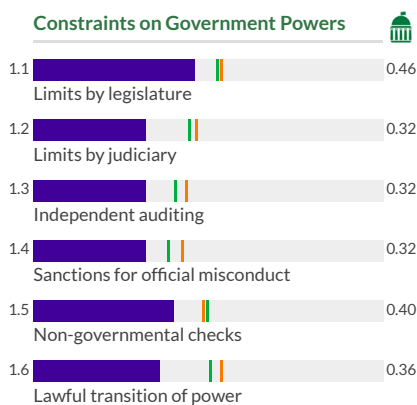
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Open Government	0.30	0.00	32/33	18/18	134/139
Fundamental Rights	0.46	0.00	19/33	11/18	103/139
Order and Security	0.74	0.01	5/33	2/18	67/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.49	0.00	9/33	2/18	73/139
Civil Justice	0.49	0.01	11/33	4/18	84/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	0.00	19/33	7/18	97/139

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Low Medium High



Togo Sub-Saharan Africa Low











# Trinidad and Tobago

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: High

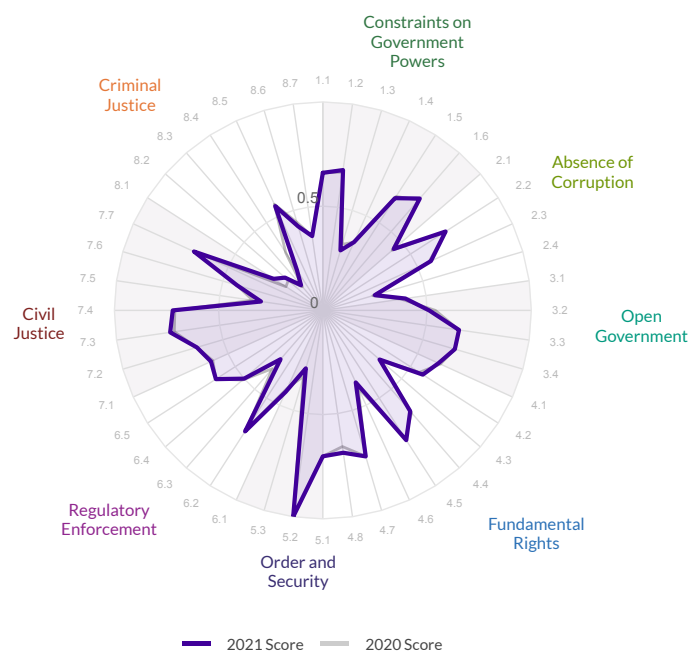
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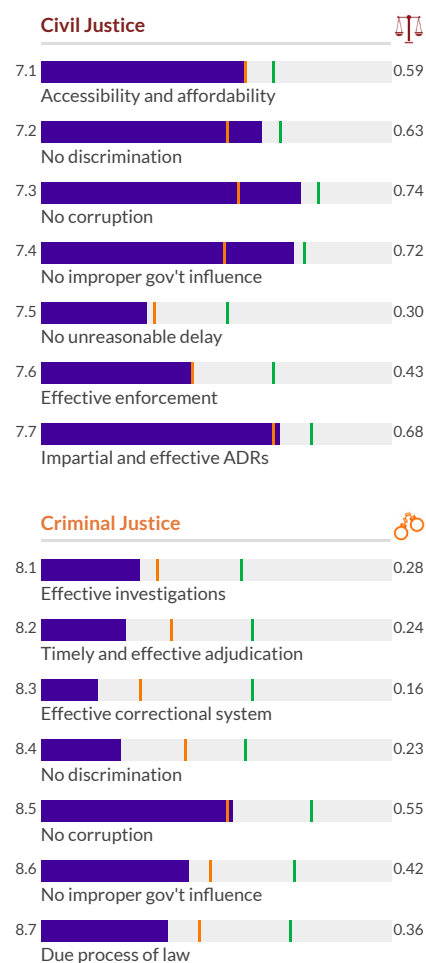
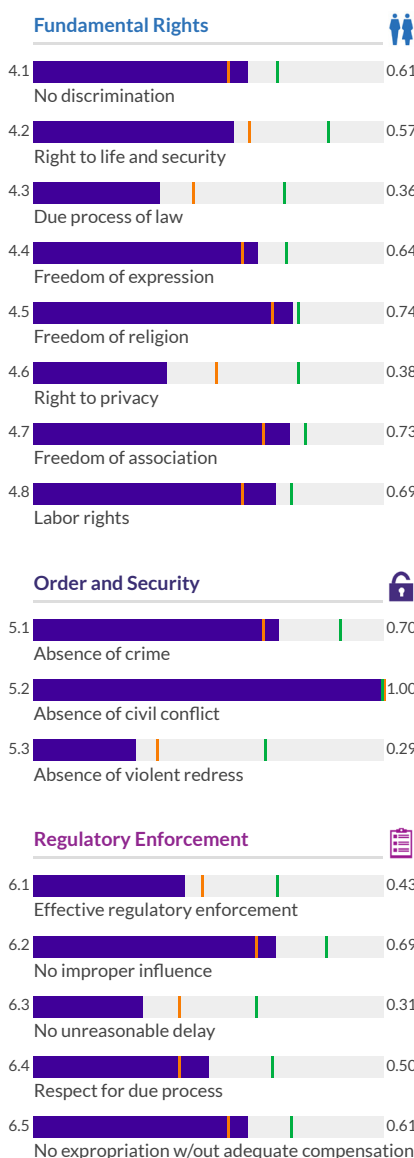
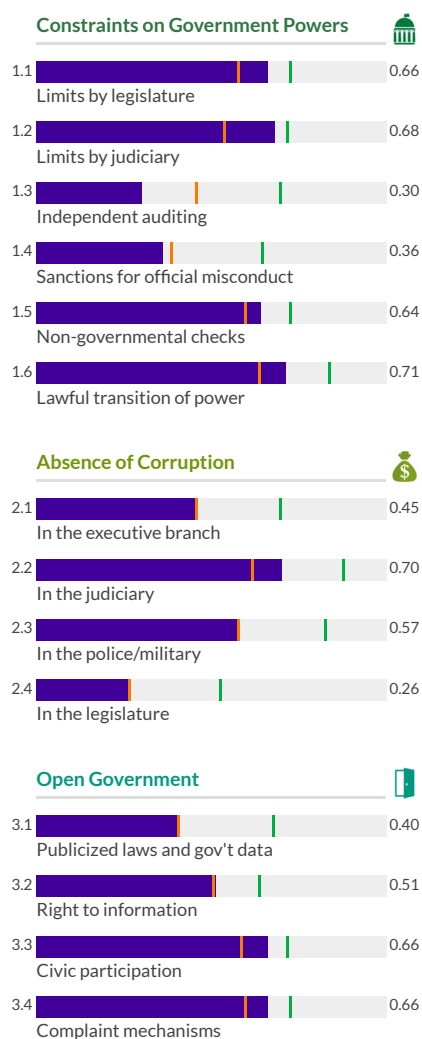
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 <b>Absence of Corruption</b>	0.49	0.01	13/32	45/46	60/139
 <b>Open Government</b>	0.56	0.00	11/32	39/46	53/139
 <b>Fundamental Rights</b>	0.59	0.00	16/32	44/46	60/139
 <b>Order and Security</b>	0.66	-0.01	17/32	46/46	99/139
 <b>Regulatory Enforcement</b>	0.51	0.00	14/32	44/46	66/139
 <b>Civil Justice</b>	0.58	0.00	10/32	40/46	51/139
 <b>Criminal Justice</b>	0.32	0.00	22/32	46/46	116/139

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Low Medium High



Trinidad and Tobago Latin America and Caribbean High











# Tunisia

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

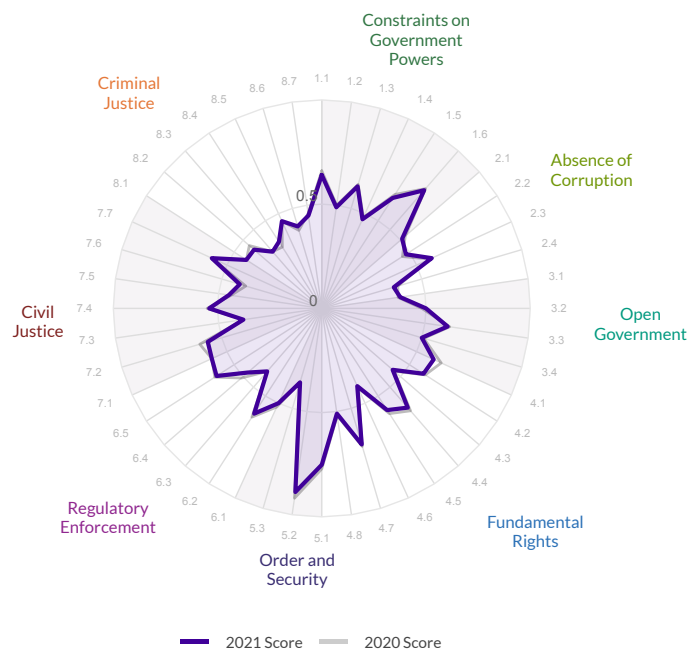
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.53	3/8	4/35	65/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▾	-2 ▾		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.60	-0.01	1/8	2/35	50/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.48	-0.01	3/8	3/35	64/139
 Open Government	0.50	0.00	1/8	10/35	73/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.55	-0.02	1/8	6/35	73/139
 Order and Security	0.67	-0.02	6/8	18/35	94/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.52	-0.02	4/8	4/35	63/139
 Civil Justice	0.50	0.00	6/8	9/35	79/139
 Criminal Justice	0.42	0.00	4/8	10/35	79/139

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Low Medium High



Tunisia Middle East and North Africa Lower-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers	Fundamental Rights	Civil Justice
1.1 Limits by legislature 0.64	4.1 No discrimination 0.59	7.1 Accessibility and affordability 0.58
1.2 Limits by judiciary 0.49	4.2 Right to life and security 0.58	7.2 No discrimination 0.57
1.3 Independent auditing 0.61	4.3 Due process of law 0.45	7.3 No corruption 0.38
1.4 Sanctions for official misconduct 0.47	4.4 Freedom of expression 0.63	7.4 No improper gov't influence 0.54
1.5 Non-governmental checks 0.63	4.5 Freedom of religion 0.58	7.5 No unreasonable delay 0.45
1.6 Lawful transition of power 0.75	4.6 Right to privacy 0.41	7.6 Effective enforcement 0.41
	4.7 Freedom of association 0.68	7.7 Impartial and effective ADRs 0.58
	4.8 Labor rights 0.51	
Absence of Corruption	Order and Security	Criminal Justice
2.1 In the executive branch 0.51	5.1 Absence of crime 0.75	8.1 Effective investigations 0.43
2.2 In the judiciary 0.48	5.2 Absence of civil conflict 0.89	8.2 Timely and effective adjudication 0.43
2.3 In the police/military 0.58	5.3 Absence of violent redress 0.37	8.3 Effective correctional system 0.36
2.4 In the legislature 0.36		8.4 No discrimination 0.38
	Regulatory Enforcement	8.5 No corruption 0.46
Open Government	6.1 Effective regulatory enforcement 0.50	8.6 No improper gov't influence 0.41
3.1 Publicized laws and gov't data 0.38	6.2 No improper influence 0.60	8.7 Due process of law 0.45
3.2 Right to information 0.50	6.3 No unreasonable delay 0.40	
3.3 Civic participation 0.61	6.4 Respect for due process 0.47	
3.4 Complaint mechanisms 0.50	6.5 No expropriation w/out adequate compensation 0.60	

# Turkey

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

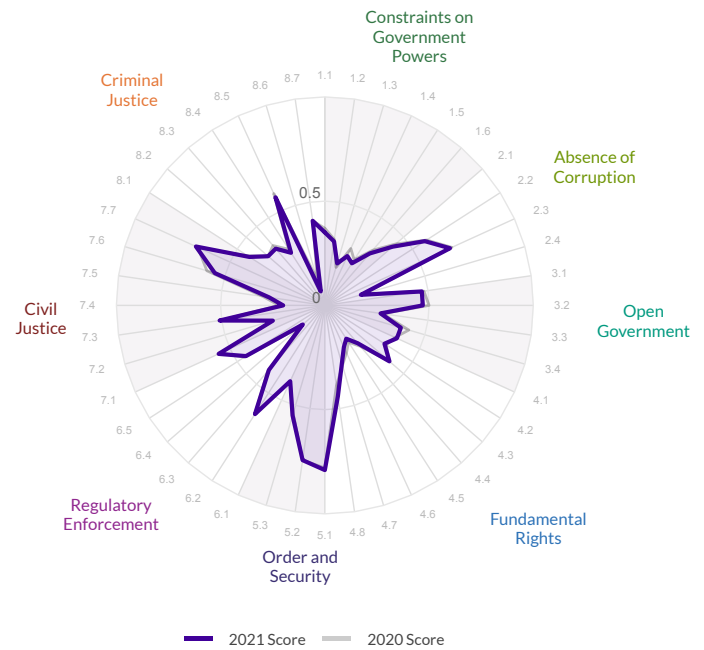
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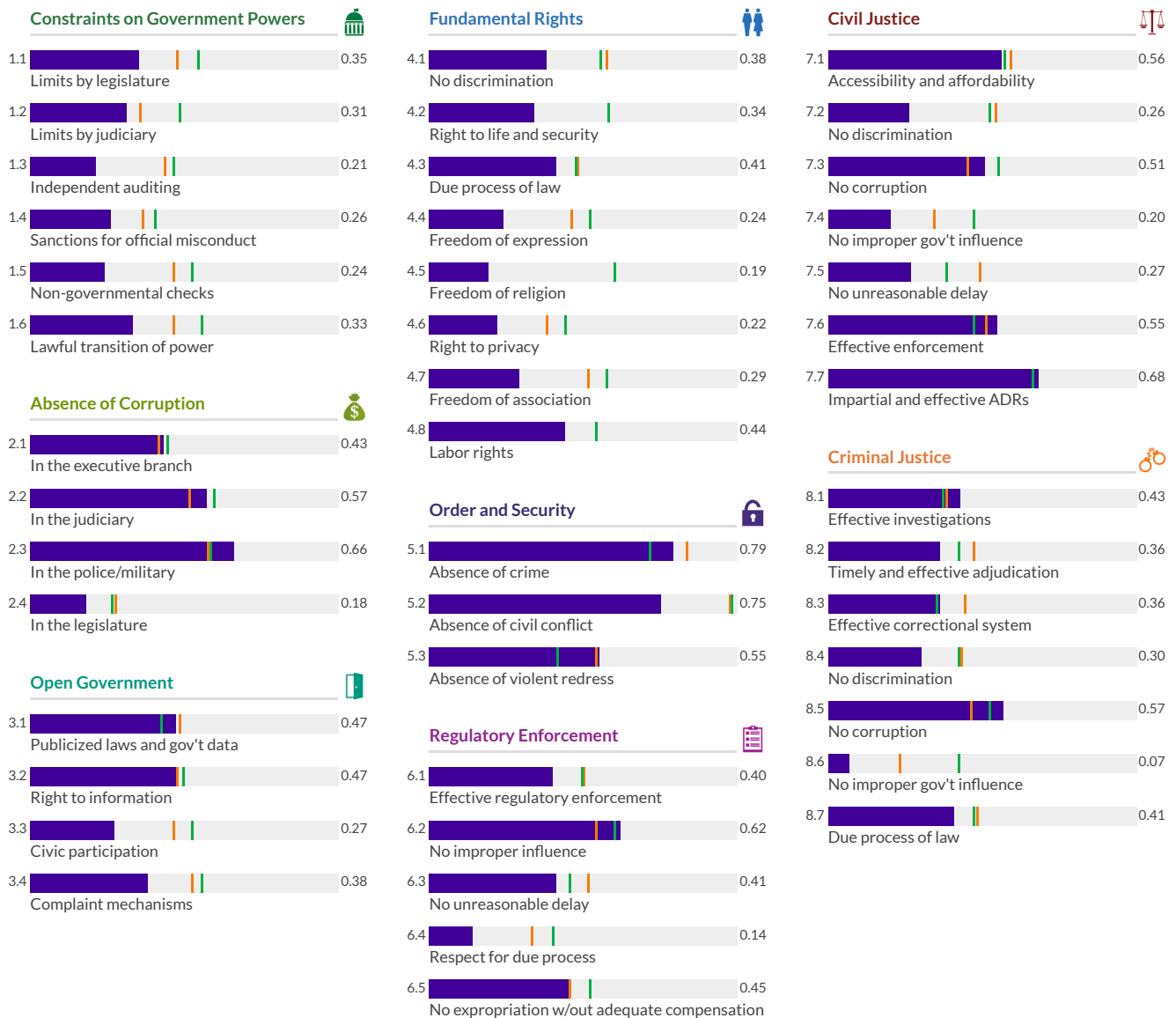
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.28	-0.02	13/14	38/40	134/139
Absence of Corruption	0.46	-0.01	5/14	19/40	69/139
Open Government	0.40	-0.02	12/14	35/40	107/139
Fundamental Rights	0.31	0.00	14/14	37/40	133/139
Order and Security	0.70	0.01	13/14	23/40	83/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.41	-0.01	14/14	39/40	119/139
Civil Justice	0.43	-0.01	14/14	35/40	113/139
Criminal Justice	0.36	-0.02	12/14	31/40	103/139

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Low Medium High



Turkey Eastern Europe and Central Asia Upper-Middle











# Uganda

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Low

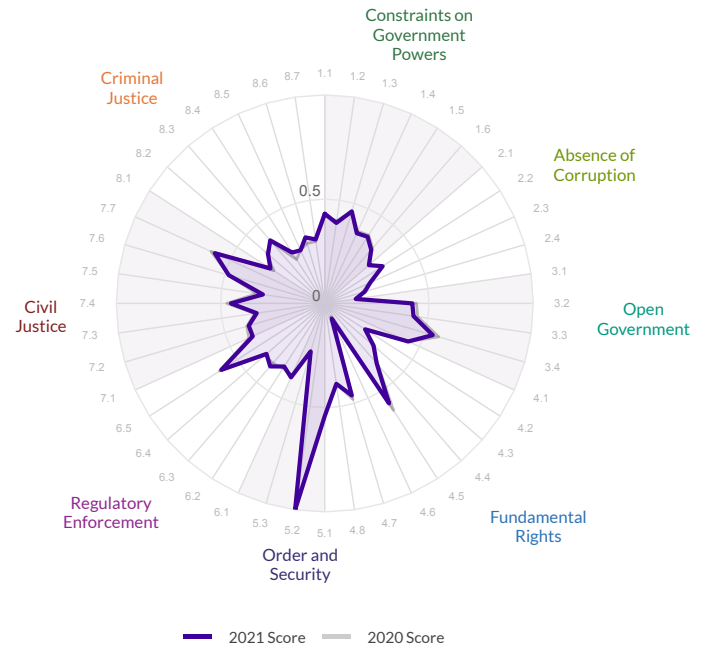
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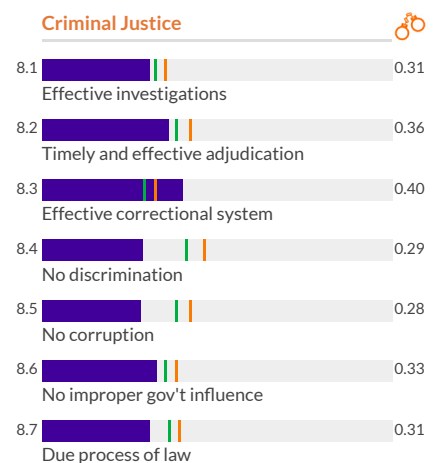
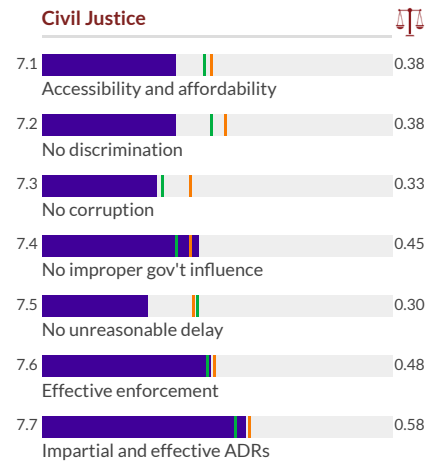
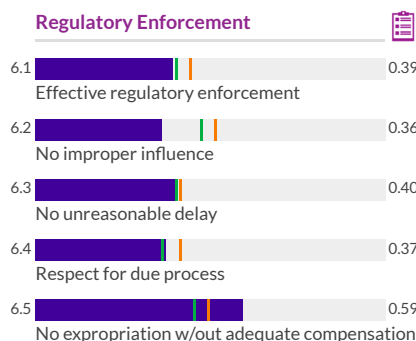
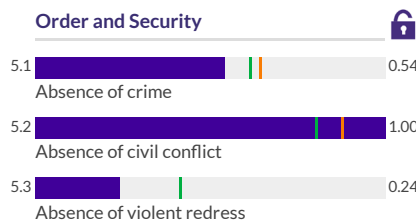
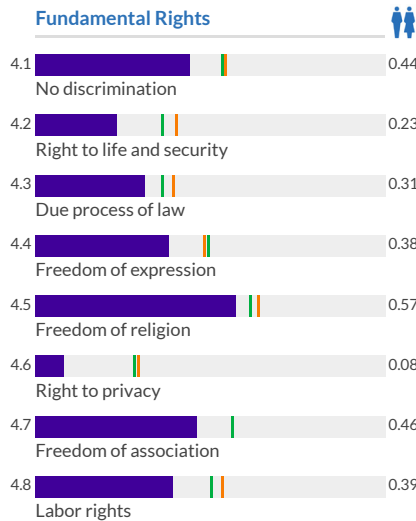
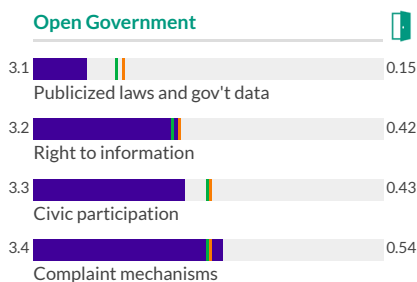
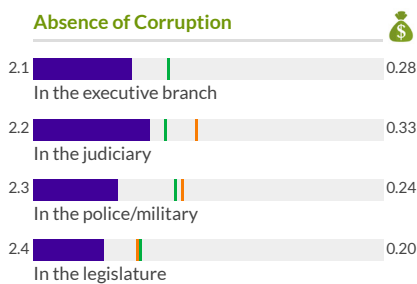
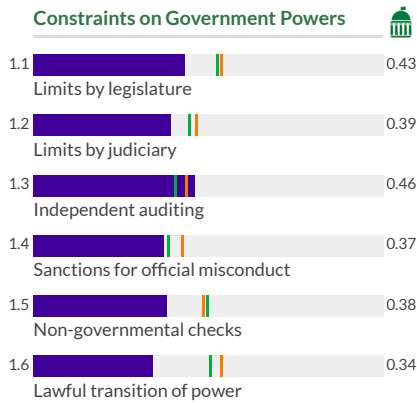
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 Absence of Corruption	0.26	0.00	31/33	17/18	136/139
 Open Government	0.38	-0.02	18/33	9/18	112/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.36	-0.01	31/33	17/18	128/139
 Order and Security	0.59	0.00	25/33	12/18	122/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.42	0.00	22/33	8/18	114/139
 Civil Justice	0.41	-0.02	28/33	13/18	121/139
 Criminal Justice	0.32	0.01	26/33	11/18	113/139

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Low Medium High



Uganda Sub-Saharan Africa Low



# Ukraine

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

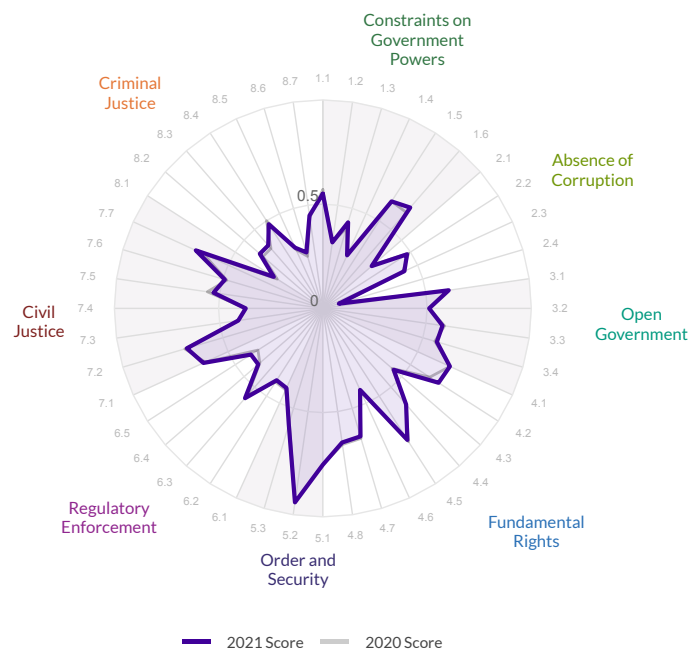
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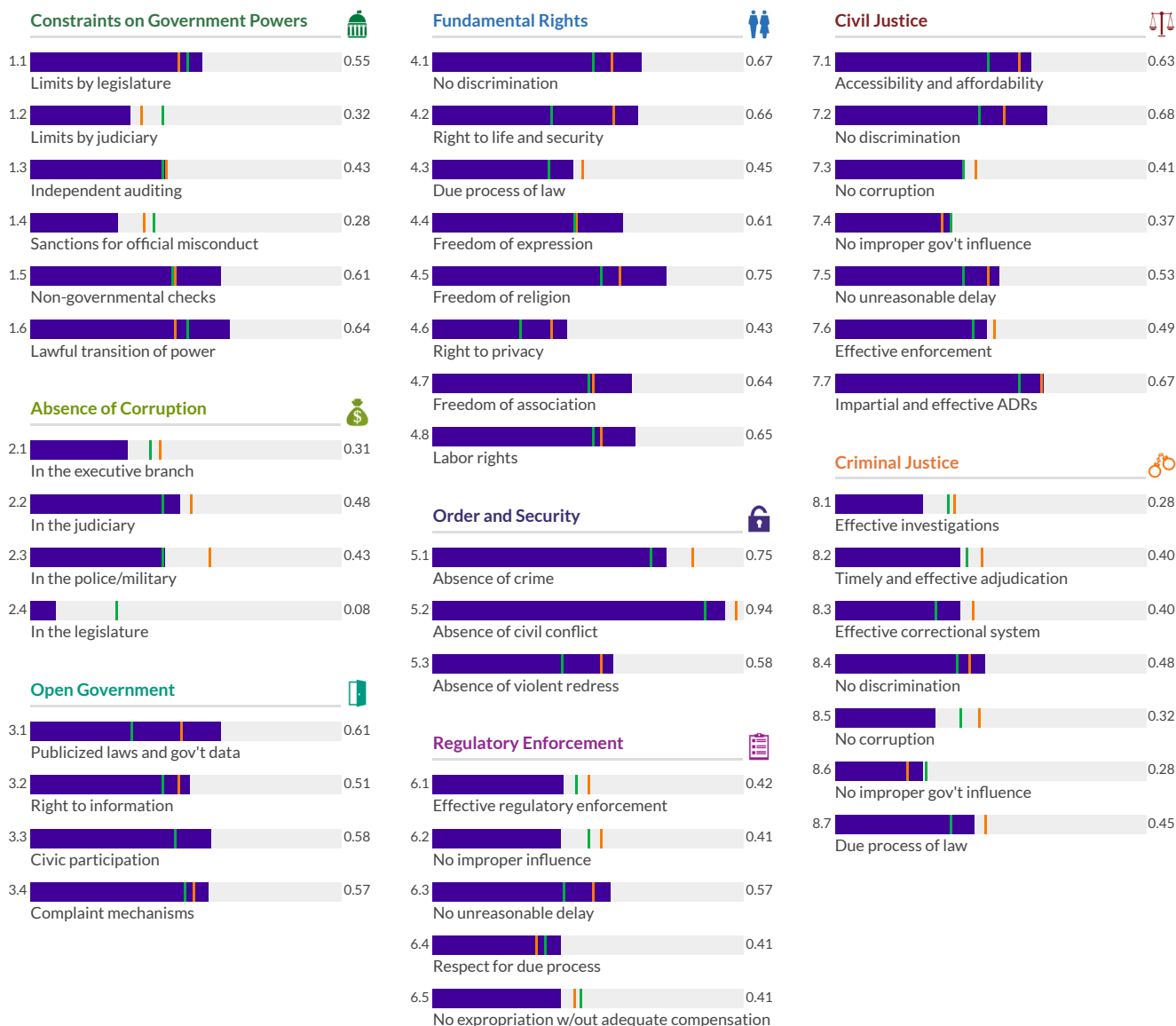
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Absence of Corruption	0.33	0.00	13/14	23/35	115/139
Open Government	0.57	0.00	3/14	3/35	51/139
Fundamental Rights	0.61	0.00	2/14	1/35	55/139
Order and Security	0.75	0.00	12/14	8/35	63/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.44	0.01	10/14	18/35	102/139
Civil Justice	0.54	0.00	3/14	5/35	64/139
Criminal Justice	0.37	0.01	11/14	17/35	91/139

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Low Medium High



Ukraine Eastern Europe and Central Asia Lower-Middle



# United Arab Emirates

Region: Middle East and North Africa  
Income Group: High

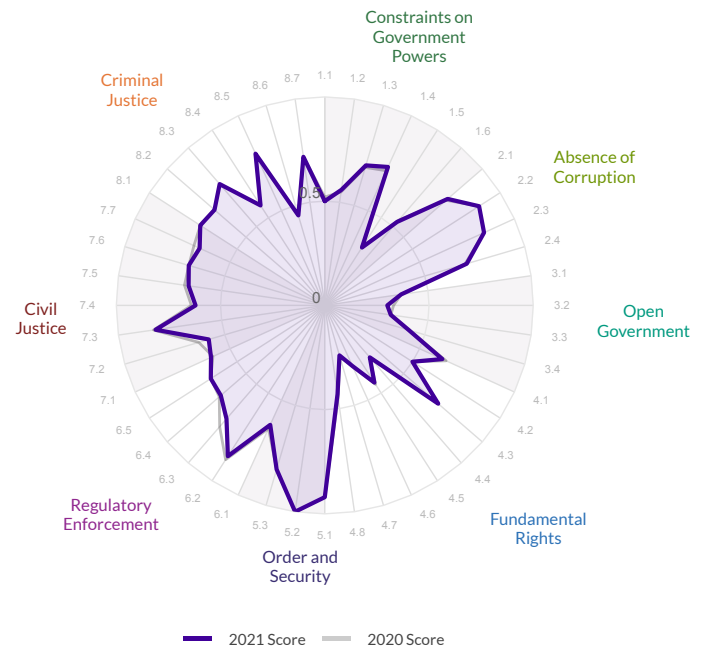
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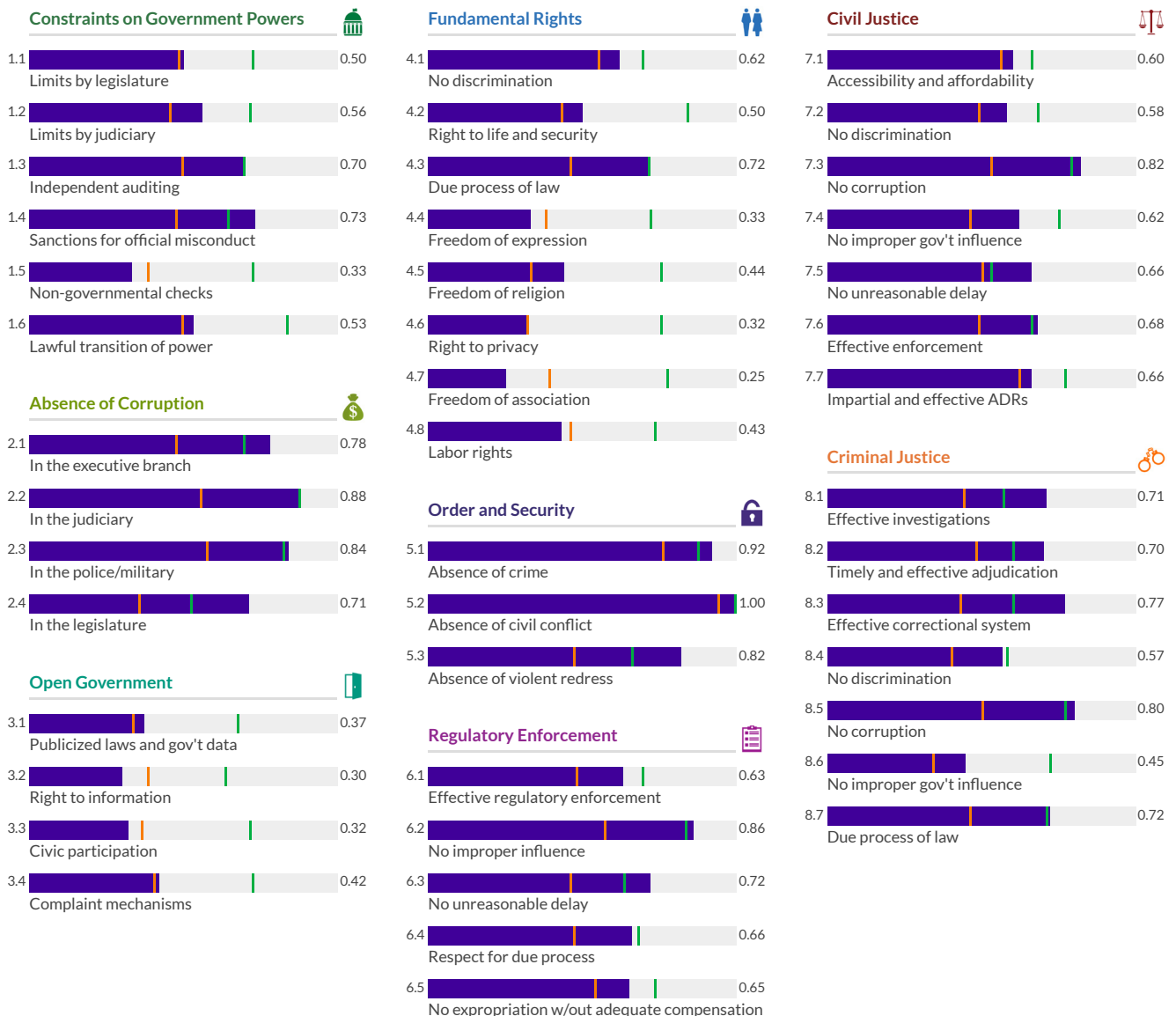
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Constraints on Government Powers	0.56	0.00	2/8	42/46	63/139
Absence of Corruption	0.80	0.00	1/8	18/46	18/139
Open Government	0.35	-0.01	6/8	46/46	128/139
Fundamental Rights	0.45	-0.01	4/8	46/46	105/139
Order and Security	0.91	0.00	1/8	11/46	11/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.71	-0.02	1/8	26/46	26/139
Civil Justice	0.66	-0.02	1/8	29/46	30/139
Criminal Justice	0.67	0.00	1/8	23/46	23/139

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Low Medium High



United Arab Emirates Middle East and North Africa High



# United Kingdom

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

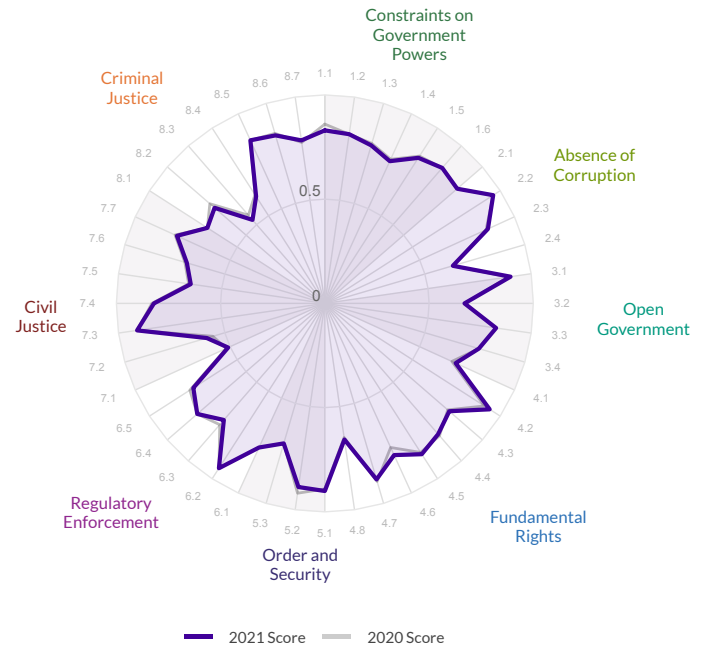
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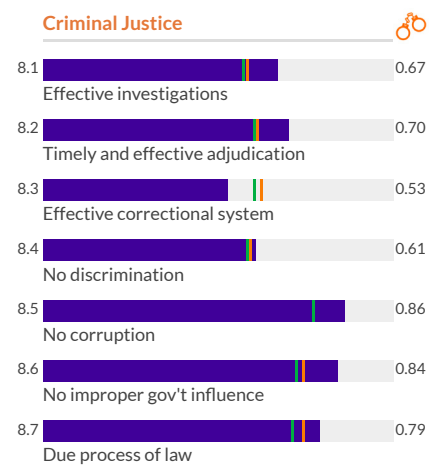
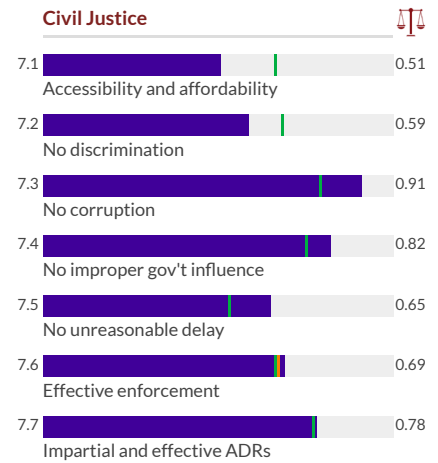
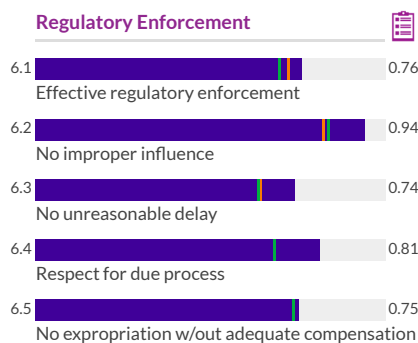
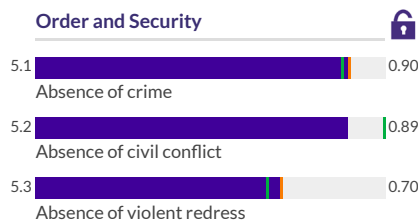
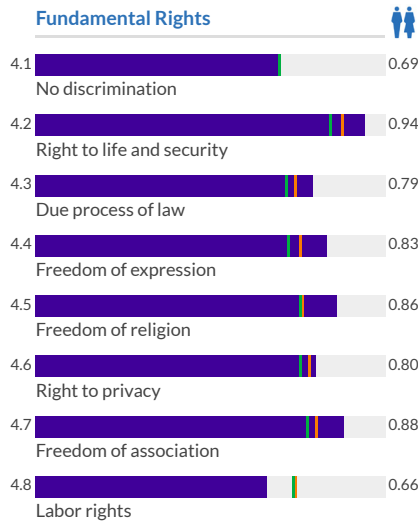
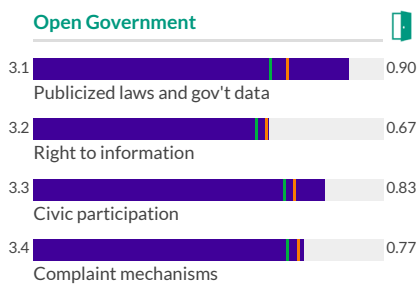
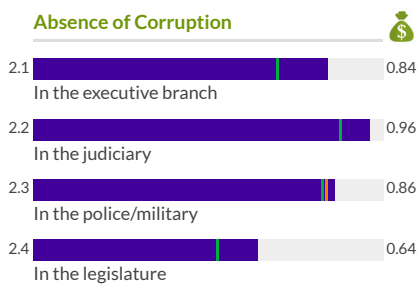
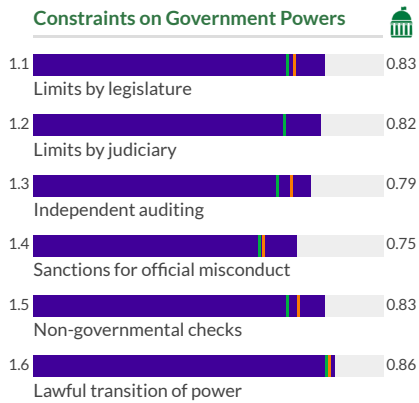
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Absence of Corruption	0.82	0.00	9/31	12/46	12/139
Open Government	0.79	0.00	10/31	12/46	12/139
Fundamental Rights	0.80	0.01	13/31	14/46	14/139
Order and Security	0.83	-0.01	21/31	28/46	29/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.80	-0.01	12/31	16/46	16/139
Civil Justice	0.71	0.00	13/31	20/46	20/139
Criminal Justice	0.71	-0.01	12/31	16/46	16/139

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Low Medium High



United Kingdom EU, EFTA, and North America High











# United States

Region: EU, EFTA, and North America  
Income Group: High

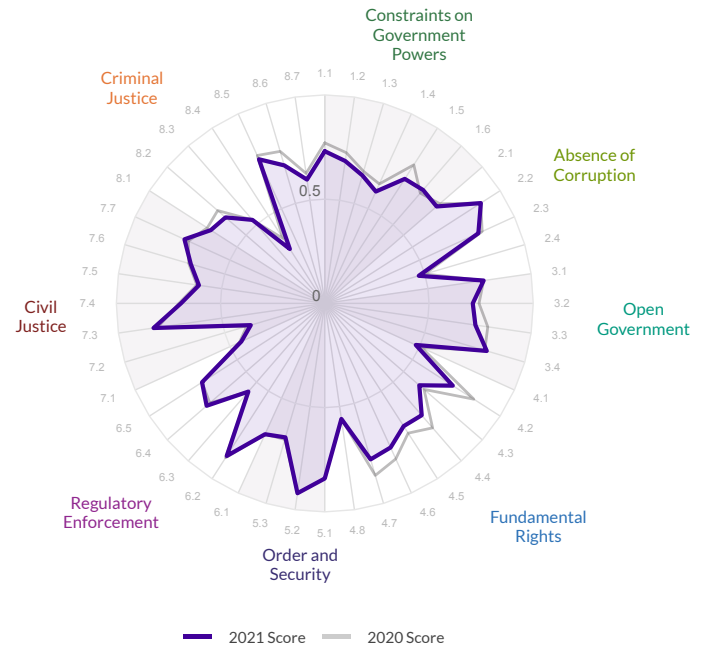
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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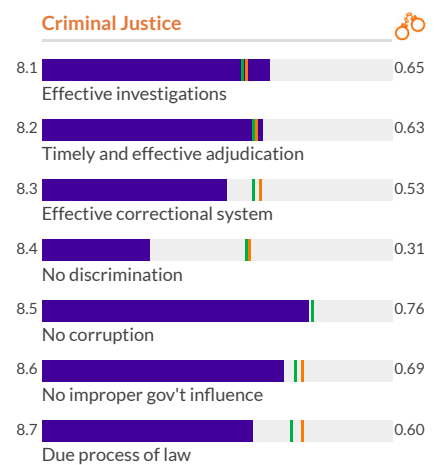
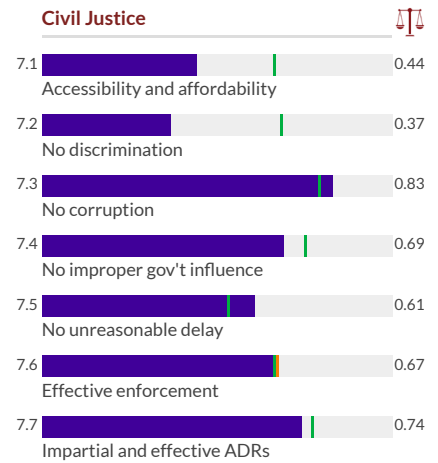
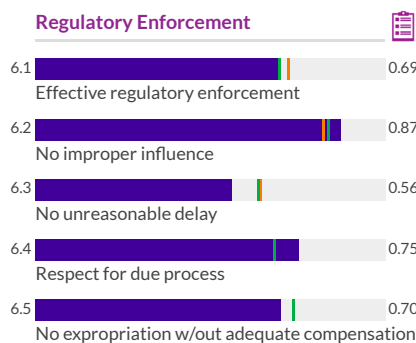
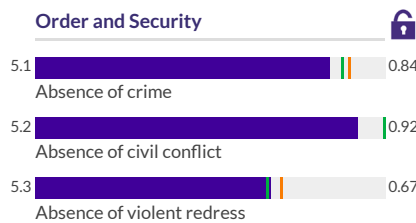
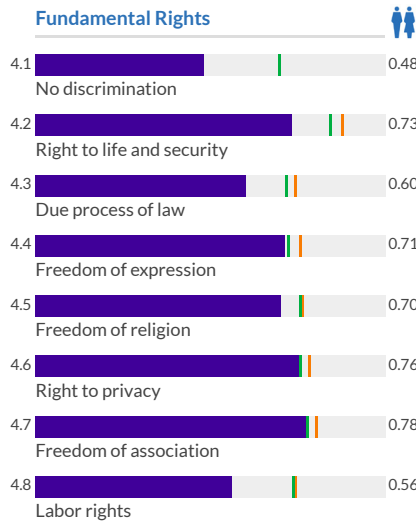
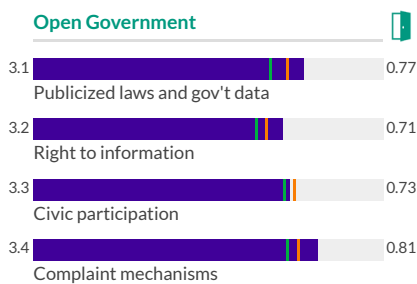
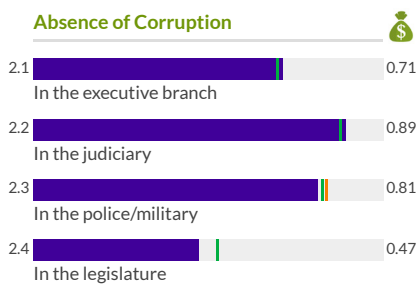
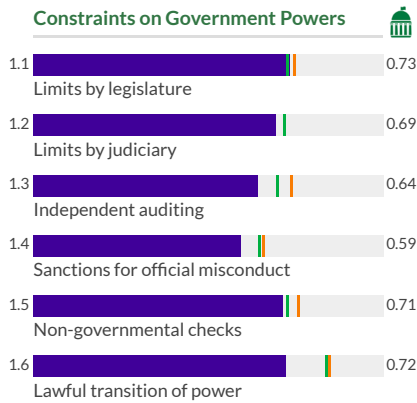
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 Absence of Corruption	0.72	-0.02*	16/31	23/46	23/139
 Open Government	0.75	-0.02*	14/31	16/46	16/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.66	-0.06*	27/31	38/46	42/139
 Order and Security	0.81	0.00	26/31	33/46	38/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.71	0.00	16/31	22/46	22/139
 Civil Justice	0.62	0.00	23/31	36/46	41/139
 Criminal Justice	0.60	-0.03	22/31	29/46	30/139

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Low Medium High



United States EU, EFTA, and North America High











# Uruguay

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: High

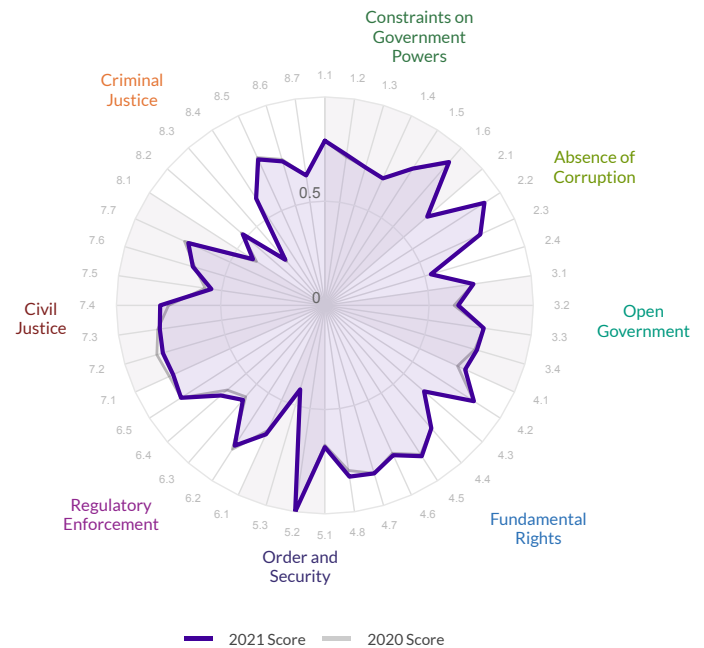
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Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
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Score Change	Rank Change		
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	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
 Constraints on Government Powers	0.76	0.00	2/32	17/46	18/139
 Absence of Corruption	0.73	0.00	1/32	22/46	22/139
 Open Government	0.72	0.01	1/32	20/46	20/139
 Fundamental Rights	0.79	0.01	1/32	16/46	16/139
 Order and Security	0.70	0.00	12/32	43/46	82/139
 Regulatory Enforcement	0.71	0.01	1/32	24/46	24/139
 Civil Justice	0.73	-0.01	1/32	19/46	19/139
 Criminal Justice	0.56	0.00	6/32	36/46	39/139

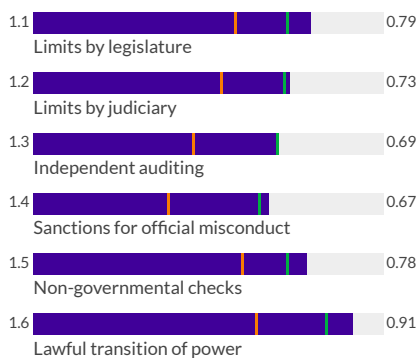
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Low Medium High

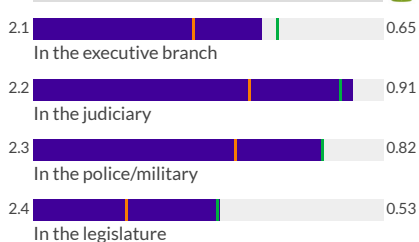


Uruguay Latin America and Caribbean High

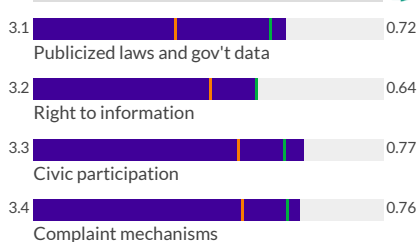
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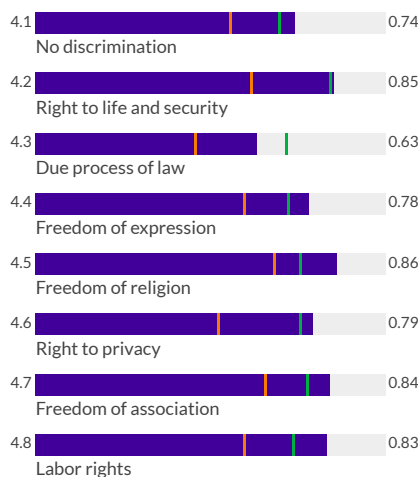
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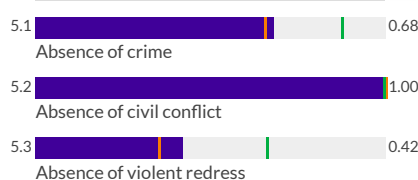
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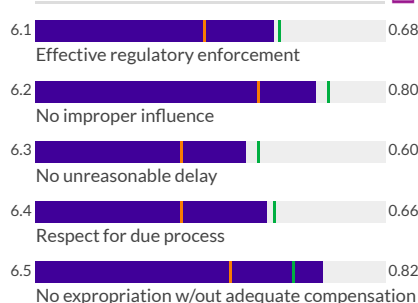
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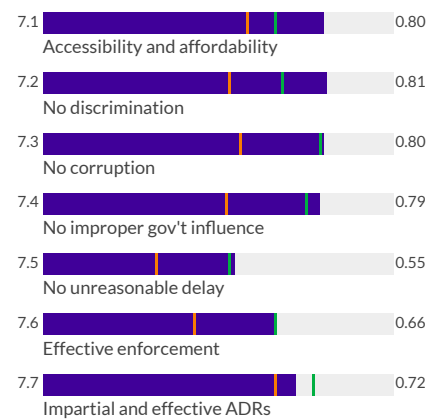
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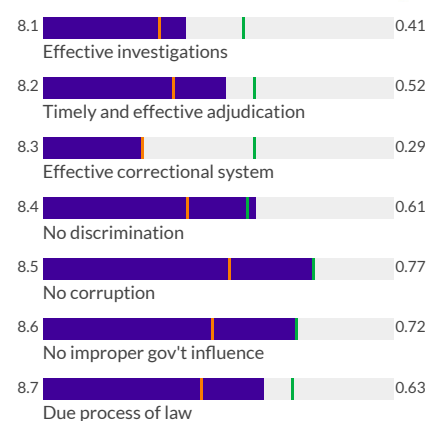
## Regulatory Enforcement



## Civil Justice



## Criminal Justice



# Uzbekistan

Region: Eastern Europe and Central Asia  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

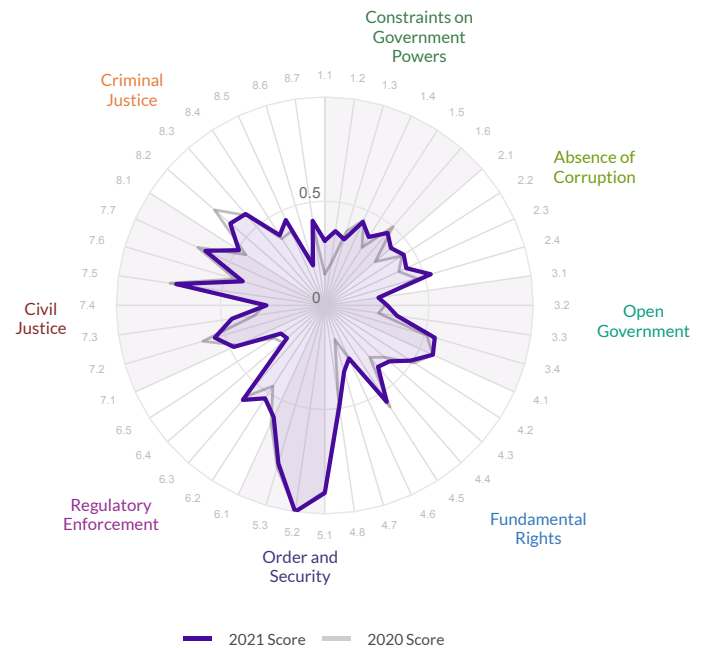
The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.49	10/14	11/35	85/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.02 ▲	14 ▲		

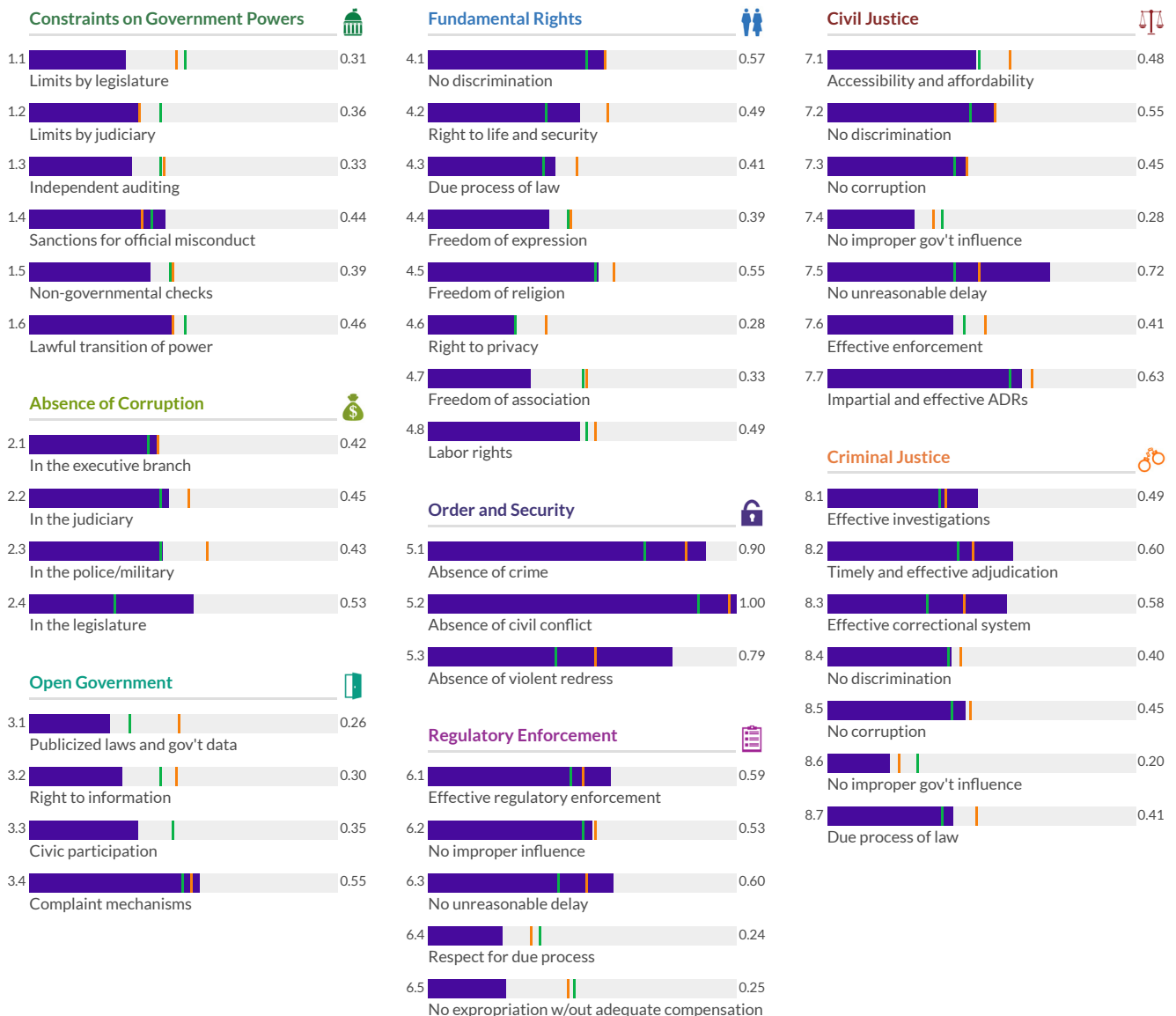
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.38	0.05*	10/14	25/35	121/139
Absence of Corruption	0.46	0.05*	6/14	4/35	70/139
Open Government	0.37	0.03*	13/14	27/35	122/139
Fundamental Rights	0.44	0.03	11/14	18/35	109/139
Order and Security	0.90	0.00	1/14	1/35	16/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.44	0.00	11/14	20/35	104/139
Civil Justice	0.50	-0.01	7/14	8/35	78/139
Criminal Justice	0.45	0.01	5/14	5/35	67/139

\* Indicates statistically significant change at the 10 percent level

Low Medium High



Uzbekistan Eastern Europe and Central Asia Lower-Middle



# Venezuela, RB

Region: Latin America and Caribbean  
Income Group: Upper-Middle

The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

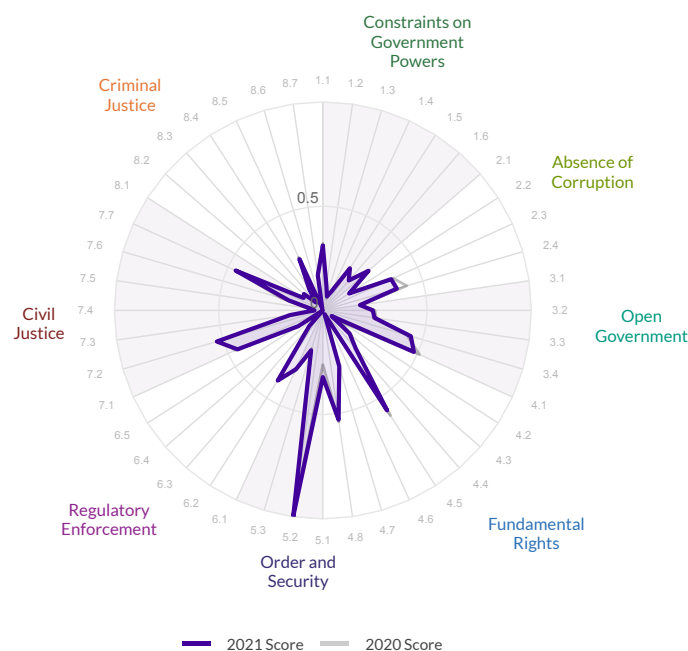
Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.27	32/32	40/40	139/139

Score Change	Rank Change
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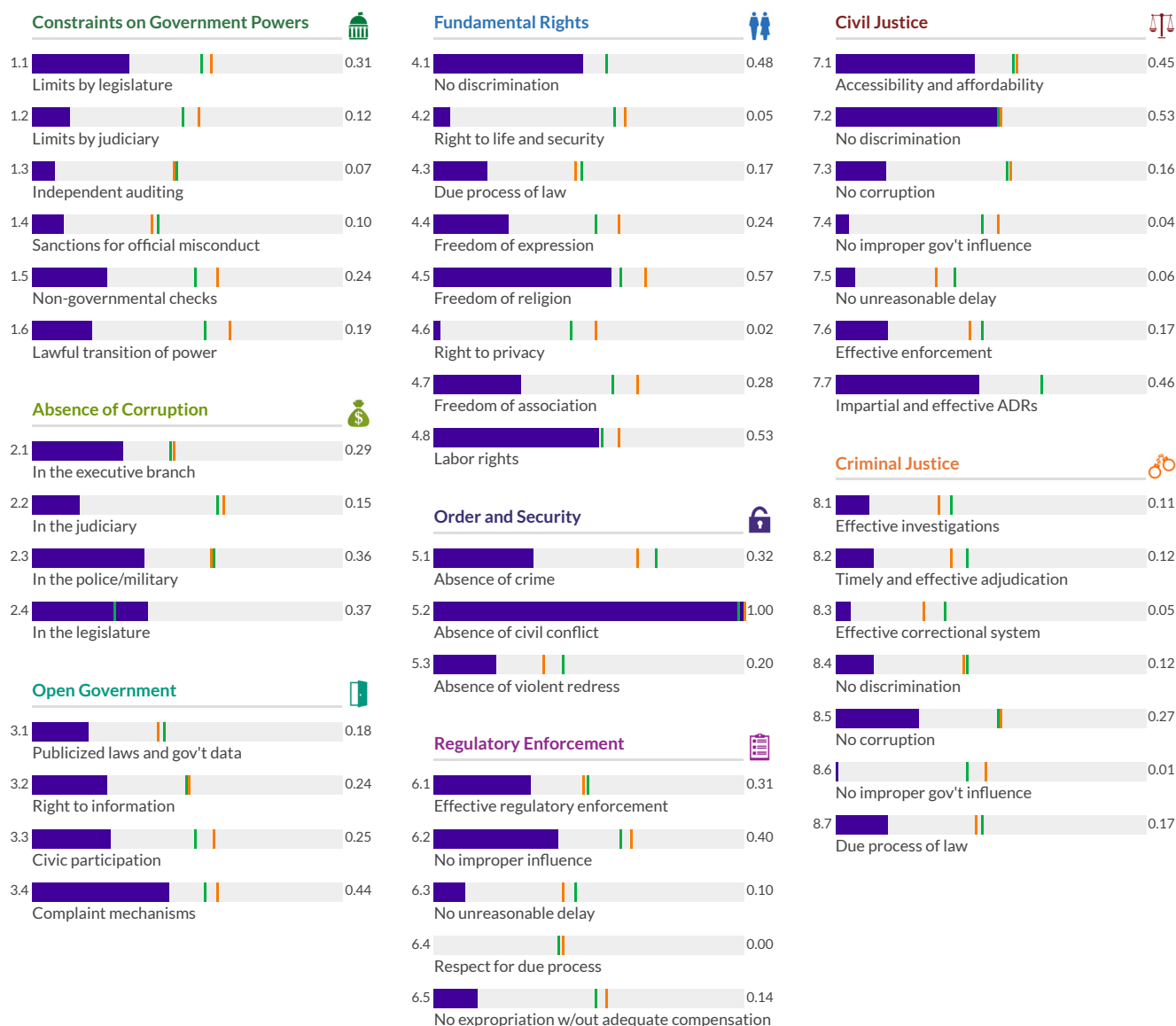
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.17	0.00	32/32	40/40	139/139
Absence of Corruption	0.29	-0.02*	29/32	39/40	129/139
Open Government	0.28	0.00	32/32	39/40	136/139
Fundamental Rights	0.29	-0.02*	32/32	38/40	135/139
Order and Security	0.50	0.02	32/32	40/40	132/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.19	-0.01	32/32	40/40	139/139
Civil Justice	0.27	-0.01	32/32	40/40	138/139
Criminal Justice	0.12	-0.01	32/32	40/40	139/139

\* Indicates statistically significant change at the 10 percent level

Low Medium High



Venezuela, RB Latin America and Caribbean Upper-Middle



# Vietnam

Region: East Asia and Pacific  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

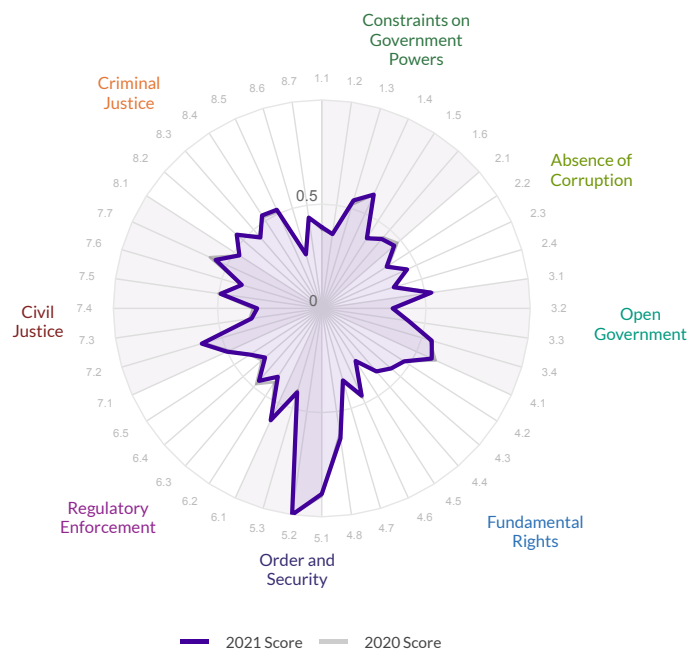
The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.49	11/15	12/35	88/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.00	4▲		

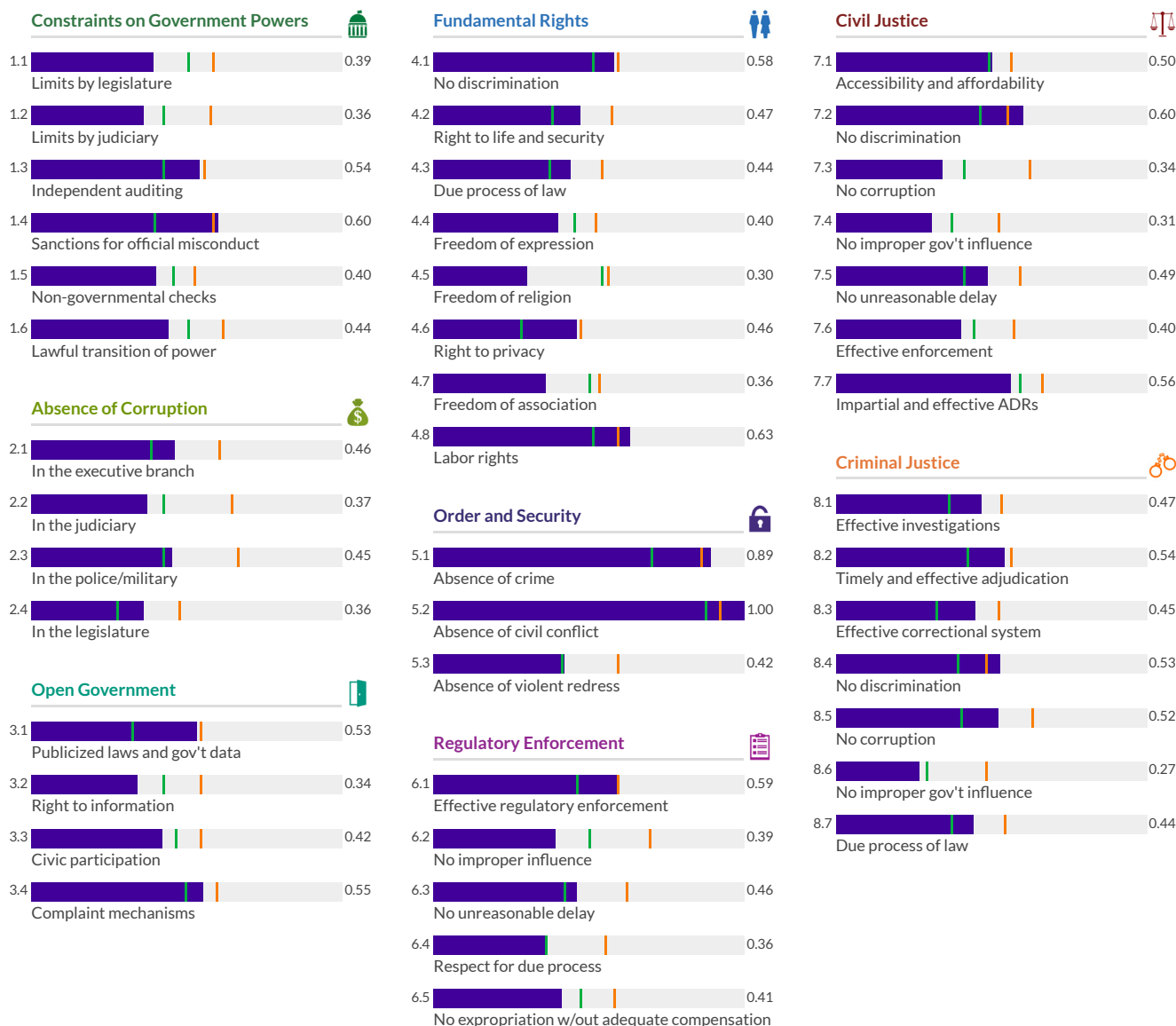
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.45	0.00	12/15	19/35	99/139
Absence of Corruption	0.41	-0.01	13/15	12/35	92/139
Open Government	0.46	0.00	11/15	13/35	86/139
Fundamental Rights	0.45	0.00	11/15	15/35	104/139
Order and Security	0.77	0.00	9/15	3/35	50/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.44	-0.01	14/15	19/35	103/139
Civil Justice	0.46	0.00	11/15	18/35	98/139
Criminal Justice	0.46	0.00	9/15	4/35	65/139

\* Indicates statistically significant change at the 10 percent level

Low Medium High



— Vietnam — East Asia and Pacific — Lower-Middle



# Zambia

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

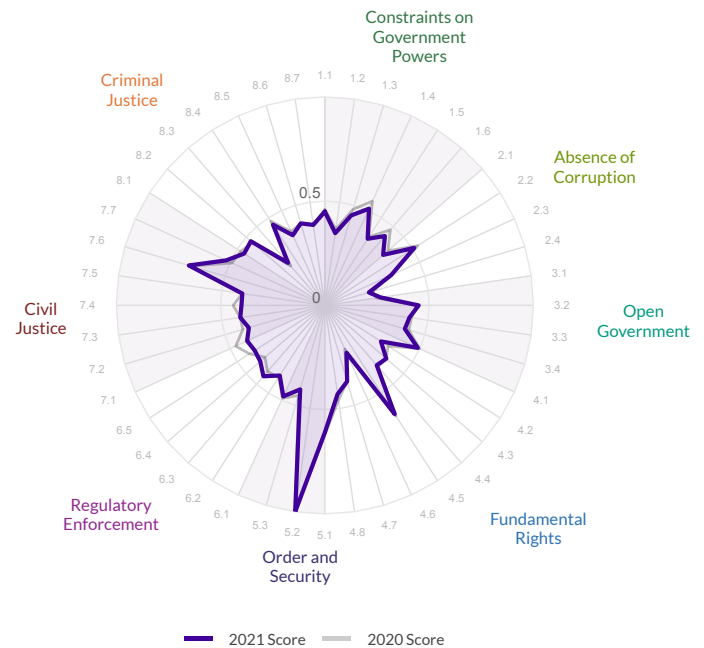
The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

Overall Score	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
0.44	16/33	21/35	107/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
-0.01 ▼	-2 ▼		

	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.43	-0.03	20/33	21/35	106/139
Absence of Corruption	0.36	-0.02	18/33	18/35	106/139
Open Government	0.38	0.00	19/33	23/35	113/139
Fundamental Rights	0.41	-0.01	24/33	23/35	118/139
Order and Security	0.68	-0.01	15/33	15/35	90/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.43	0.00	18/33	23/35	110/139
Civil Justice	0.46	-0.01	16/33	19/35	99/139
Criminal Justice	0.40	0.00	11/33	11/35	81/139

\* Indicates statistically significant change at the 10 percent level

Low Medium High



Zambia Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle

Constraints on Government Powers			Fundamental Rights			Civil Justice		
1.1	Limits by legislature	0.45	4.1	No discrimination	0.49	7.1	Accessibility and affordability	0.41
1.2	Limits by judiciary	0.35	4.2	Right to life and security	0.32	7.2	No discrimination	0.38
1.3	Independent auditing	0.45	4.3	Due process of law	0.39	7.3	No corruption	0.41
1.4	Sanctions for official misconduct	0.51	4.4	Freedom of expression	0.38	7.4	No improper gov't influence	0.40
1.5	Non-governmental checks	0.38	4.5	Freedom of religion	0.62	7.5	No unreasonable delay	0.40
1.6	Lawful transition of power	0.44	4.6	Right to privacy	0.25	7.6	Effective enforcement	0.68
Absence of Corruption			4.7	Freedom of association	0.38	7.7	Impartial and effective ADRs	0.52
2.1	In the executive branch	0.37	4.8	Labor rights	0.43	Criminal Justice		
2.2	In the judiciary	0.51	Order and Security			8.1	Effective investigations	0.46
2.3	In the police/military	0.35	5.1	Absence of crime	0.61	8.2	Timely and effective adjudication	0.47
2.4	In the legislature	0.22	5.2	Absence of civil conflict	1.00	8.3	Effective correctional system	0.27
Open Government			5.3	Absence of violent redress	0.42	8.4	No discrimination	0.46
3.1	Publicized laws and gov't data	0.27	Regulatory Enforcement			8.5	No corruption	0.37
3.2	Right to information	0.45	6.1	Effective regulatory enforcement	0.48	8.6	No improper gov't influence	0.41
3.3	Civic participation	0.41	6.2	No improper influence	0.40	8.7	Due process of law	0.39
3.4	Complaint mechanisms	0.40	6.3	No unreasonable delay	0.45			
			6.4	Respect for due process	0.41			
			6.5	No expropriation w/out adequate compensation	0.40			

# Zimbabwe

Region: Sub-Saharan Africa  
Income Group: Lower-Middle

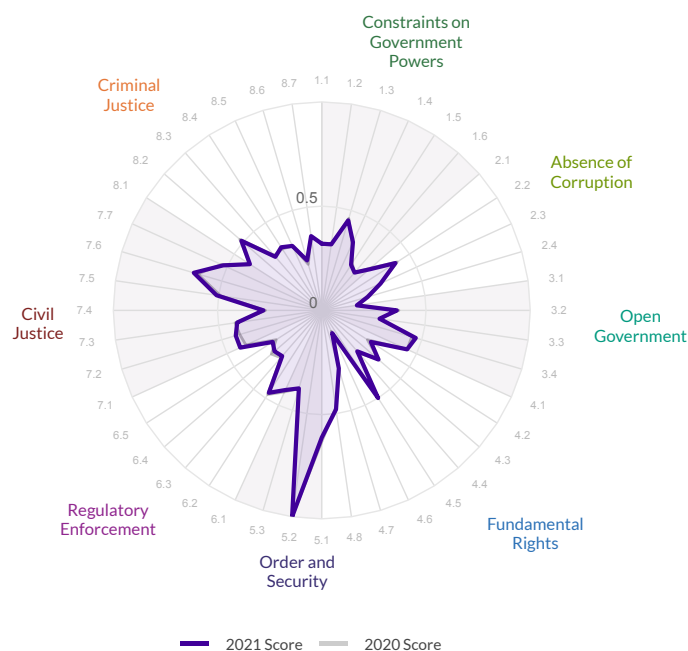
The scores range from 0 to 1, where 1 signifies the highest possible score and 0 signifies the lowest possible score.

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0.39	30/33	27/35	127/139
Score Change	Rank Change		
0.00	2▲		

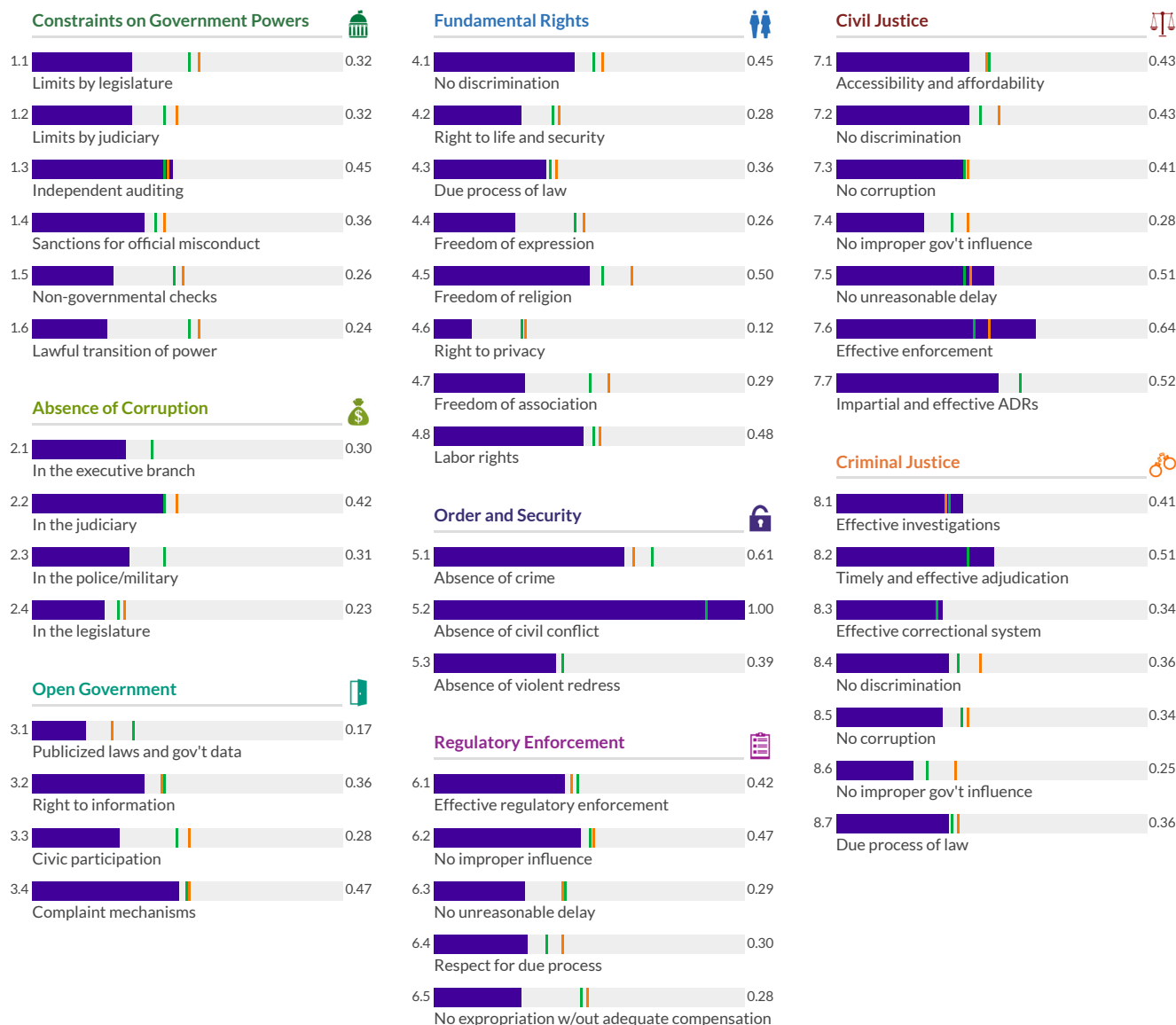
	Factor Score	Score Change	Regional Rank	Income Rank	Global Rank
Constraints on Government Powers	0.33	0.00	33/33	32/35	132/139
Absence of Corruption	0.31	0.00	24/33	26/35	120/139
Open Government	0.32	0.00	31/33	32/35	133/139
Fundamental Rights	0.34	0.00	32/33	30/35	129/139
Order and Security	0.67	-0.01	17/33	20/35	97/139
Regulatory Enforcement	0.35	-0.01	31/33	33/35	134/139
Civil Justice	0.46	0.01	15/33	17/35	97/139
Criminal Justice	0.37	0.00	17/33	18/35	94/139

\* Indicates statistically significant change at the 10 percent level

Low Medium High



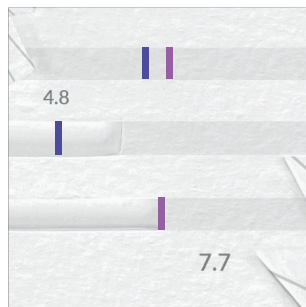
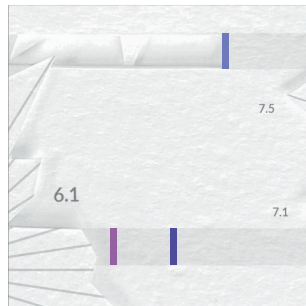
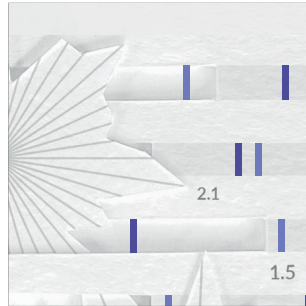
Zimbabwe Sub-Saharan Africa Lower-Middle



*"Where-ever law ends, tyranny begins."*

**John Locke**  
*Two Treatises of Government (1689)*

# Behind the Numbers



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# Methodology Snapshot:

## Steps to Produce the WJP Rule of Law Index

The production of the *WJP Rule of Law Index* can be summarized in 11 steps:

- 1 The WJP developed the conceptual framework summarized in the Index's nine factors and 47 sub-factors, in consultation with academics, practitioners, and community leaders from around the world.
- 2 The Index team developed a set of five questionnaires based on the Index's conceptual framework to be administered to experts and the general public. Questionnaires were translated into several languages and adapted to reflect commonly used terms and expressions.
- 3 The Index team identified, on average, more than 300 potential local experts per country to respond to the expert surveys, or Qualified Respondents' Questionnaires (QRQs). The team engaged the services of leading local polling companies to implement the household surveys, or General Population Poll (GPP).
- 4 Polling companies conducted pilot tests of the GPP in consultation with the Index team, and launched the final survey for full fieldwork.
- 5 The Index team sent the QRQ questionnaires to local experts and engaged in continual interaction with them.
- 6 The Index team collected and mapped the data onto the eight factors and 44 sub-factors with global comparability that make up the scores and rankings of the *WJP Rule of Law Index*.
- 7 The Index team constructed the final scores using a five-step process:
  - a. Codified the questionnaire items as numeric values
  - b. Produced raw country scores by aggregating the responses from several individuals (experts and/or general public)
  - c. Normalized the raw scores
  - d. Aggregated the normalized scores into sub-factors and factors using simple averages
  - e. Produced the normalized scores, which are rounded to two decimal points, and the final rankings
- 8 The data was subject to a series of tests to identify possible biases and errors. For example, the Index team cross-checked all sub-factors against more than 70 third-party sources, including quantitative data and qualitative assessments drawn from local and international organizations.
- 9 A sensitivity analysis was conducted by the Econometrics and Applied Statistics Unit of the European Commission's Joint Research Centre, in collaboration with the Index team, to assess the statistical reliability of the results.
- 10 To illustrate whether the rule of law in a country significantly changed over the course of the past year, a measure of change over time was produced based on the annual difference in the country-level factor scores, the standard errors of these scores (estimated from a set of 100 bootstrap samples), and the results of the corresponding t-tests.
- 11 The data was organized into country reports, tables, and figures to facilitate its presentation and interpretation. For tables organized by income group, the WJP follows the World Bank income classifications.

# Methodology

**The *WJP Rule of Law Index* is the first attempt to systematically and comprehensively quantify the rule of law around the world and remains unique in its operationalization of rule of law dimensions into concrete questions.**

The *WJP Rule of Law Index 2021* report presents information on eight composite factors that are further disaggregated into 44 specific sub-factors (see page 16). Factor 9: Informal Justice is included in the conceptual framework but has been excluded from the aggregated scores and rankings in order to provide meaningful cross-country comparisons.

The country scores and rankings presented in this report are built from more than 500 variables drawn from the assessments of more than 138,000 households and 4,200 legal practitioners and experts in 139 countries and jurisdictions, making it the most accurate portrayal of the factors that contribute to shaping the rule of law in a country or jurisdiction.

## Data Sources

To present an image that accurately portrays the rule of law as experienced by ordinary people, each score of the Index is calculated using a large number of questions drawn from two original data sources collected by the World Justice Project in each country: a General Population Poll (GPP) and a series of Qualified Respondents' Questionnaires (QRQs). These two data sources collect up-to-date firsthand information that is not available at the global level, and constitute the world's most comprehensive dataset of its kind. They capture the experiences and perceptions of ordinary citizens and in-country professionals concerning the performance of the state and its agents and the actual operation of the legal framework in their country or jurisdiction.

The GPP surveys provide firsthand information on the experiences and the perceptions of ordinary people regarding a range of pertinent rule of law information, including their dealings with the government, the ease of interacting with state bureaucracy, the extent of bribery and corruption, the availability of dispute resolution systems, and the prevalence of common crimes to which they are exposed.

The GPP questionnaire includes 127 perception-based questions and 213 experience-based questions, along with socio-demographic information on all respondents. The questionnaire is translated into local languages, adapted to common expressions, and administered by leading local polling companies using a probability sample of 1,000 respondents.<sup>3</sup> In previous editions of the Index, the poll has been conducted in the three largest cities of each country. However, the World Justice Project's goal was to update its methodology to include nationally representative polls. Towards this end, nationally representative polls have been conducted in 77 countries and jurisdictions covered in the 2021 *WJP Rule of Law Index*. Nationally representative polls will be conducted in

the remaining countries in future editions of the Index. Depending on the particular situation of each country or jurisdiction, one of three different polling methodologies is used: face-to-face, telephone, or online. The GPP has been carried out in each country every few years. The polling data used in this year's report was collected during fall 2020 through summer 2021 (for 13 countries), fall 2019 (for 10 countries), fall 2018 (for 69 countries), fall 2017 (for 45 countries), fall 2016 (for four countries), fall 2014 (for three countries), fall 2012 (for one country), and fall 2011 (for two countries). Detailed information regarding the country coverage (cities covered or nationally representative), the polling companies contracted to administer the questionnaire, and the polling methodology employed in each of the 139 countries and jurisdictions is presented on page 184.

The QRQs complement the household data with assessments from in-country practitioners and academics with expertise in civil and commercial law, criminal and constitutional law, labor law, and public health. These questionnaires gather timely input on a range of topics from practitioners who frequently interact with state institutions. Such topics include information on the efficacy of courts, the strength of regulatory enforcement, and the reliability of accountability mechanisms.

The questionnaires contain closed-ended perception questions and several hypothetical scenarios with highly detailed factual assumptions aimed at ensuring comparability across countries. The QRQ surveys are conducted annually, and the questionnaires are completed by respondents selected from directories of law firms, universities and colleges, research organizations, and non-governmental organizations (NGOs), as well as through referrals from the WJP global network of practitioners, and all are vetted by WJP staff based on their expertise. The expert surveys are administered in six languages: Arabic, English, French, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish. The QRQ data for this report includes more than 4,200 surveys, which represents an average of 30 respondents per country. This data was collected from October 2020 through May 2021.

## Data Cleaning and Score Computation

Once collected, the data is carefully processed to arrive at country-level scores. As a first step, the respondent level data is edited to exclude partially completed surveys, suspicious data, and outliers (which are detected using the Z-score method). Individual answers are then mapped onto the 44 sub-factors of the Index (or onto the intermediate categories that make up each sub-factor), codified so that all values fall between zero (weakest

<sup>3</sup> Due to small populations or obstacles to data collection in certain countries and jurisdictions, the sampling plan was adjusted in some cases. One adjustment was to decrease the sample size. For more information on specific countries and jurisdictions and sample sizes, see pages 184-187.

adherence to the rule of law) and 1 (strongest adherence to the rule of law), and aggregated at the country level using the simple (or unweighted) average of all respondents.

This year, to allow for an easier comparison across years, the resulting 2021 scores have been normalized using the Min-Max method with a base year of 2015. These normalized scores were then successively aggregated from the variable level all the way up to the factor level to produce the final country scores, rounded to two decimal points, and rankings. In most cases, the GPP and QRQ questions are equally weighted in the calculation of the scores of the intermediate categories (sub-factors and sub-sub-factors).

A full picture of how questions are mapped onto indicators and how they are weighted is available on the *WJP Rule of Law Index* web page at <https://worldjusticeproject.org/our-work/research-and-data/wjp-rule-law-index-2020>.

### Data Validation

As a final step, data is validated and cross-checked against qualitative and quantitative third-party sources to provide an additional layer of analysis and to identify possible mistakes or inconsistencies within the data. Most of the third-party data sources used to cross-check the Index scores are described in Botero and Ponce (2011).

### Methodological Changes to this Year's Report

Every year, the WJP reviews the methods of data collection to ensure that the information produced is valid, useful, and continues to capture the status of the rule of law in the world. To maintain consistency with previous editions and to facilitate tracking changes over time, this year's questionnaires and data maps are closely aligned with those administered in the past.

In order to improve the accuracy of the QRQ results and reduce respondent burden, proactive dependent interviewing techniques were used to remind respondents who participated in last year's survey of their responses in the previous year.

This year, no new questions or indicators were added to the Index. Overall, 100 percent of questions remained the same between the 2020 and 2021 editions of the Index. A description of the variables is available at [worldjusticeproject.org](https://worldjusticeproject.org).

### Tracking Changes Over Time

This year's report includes two measures to illustrate whether the rule of law in a country, as measured through the factors of the *WJP Rule of Law Index*, changed since the previous year. One measure is the change in factor score, which is included in

the country profiles for each factor in each country. The second measure is a measure of statistically significant changes, both positive and negative. This measure is presented in the form of a green or red asterisk and text, and represents a summary of rigorous statistical testing based on the use of bootstrapping procedures (see below). For each factor, this measure has no asterisk and is written in black text if there was no statistically significant change in the score since last year. If there was a change leading to a statistically significant improvement in the score, the change in factor score is written in green text and has a green asterisk. If there was a change leading to a statistically significant decline in the score, the change in factor score is written in red text and has a red asterisk. This measure complements the numerical scores and rankings presented in this report, which benchmark each country's current performance on the factors and sub-factors of the Index against that of other countries. The measure of change over time is constructed in three steps:

1. First, last year's scores are subtracted from this year's to obtain, for each country and each factor, the annual difference in scores.
2. To test whether the annual changes are statistically significant, a bootstrapping procedure is used to estimate standard errors. To calculate these errors, 100 samples of respondent-level observations (of equal size to the original sample) are randomly selected with replacement for each country from the pooled set of respondents for last year and this year. These samples are used to produce a set of 100 country-level scores for each factor and each country, which are utilized to calculate the final standard errors. These errors—which measure the uncertainty associated with picking a particular sample of respondents—are then employed to conduct pair-wise t-tests for each country and each factor.
3. Finally, to illustrate the annual change, a measure of change over time is produced based on the value of the annual difference and its statistical significance (at the 10 percent level).

### Strengths and Limitations

The Index methodology has both strengths and limitations. Among its strengths is the inclusion of both expert and household surveys to ensure that the findings reflect the conditions experienced by the population. Another strength is that it approaches the measurement of rule of law from various angles by triangulating information across data sources and types of questions. This approach not only enables accounting for different perspectives on the rule of law, but it also helps to reduce possible bias that might be introduced by any other particular data collection method. Finally, it relies on statistical testing to determine the significance of the changes in the factor scores over the last year.

4 Botero, J. and Ponce, A. (2011) "Measuring the Rule of Law": WJP Working Paper No. 1, available at [worldjusticeproject.org/publications](https://worldjusticeproject.org/publications).

With the aforementioned methodological strengths come a number of limitations. First, the data sheds light on rule of law dimensions that appear comparatively strong or weak, but is not specific enough to establish causation. Thus, it will be necessary to use the Index in combination with other analytical tools to provide a full picture of causes and possible solutions. Second, in previous editions of the Index, the methodology has only been applied in three major urban areas in each of the indexed countries for the General Population Poll. However, the World Justice Project's goal was to update its methodology to include nationally representative polls. Towards this end, nationally representative polls have been conducted in 77 countries and jurisdictions covered in the 2021 *WJP Rule of Law Index*. Nationally representative polls will be conducted in the remaining countries in future editions of the Index. Third, given the rapid changes to the rule of law occurring in some countries, scores for some countries may be sensitive to the specific points in time when the data was collected. To address this, the WJP is piloting test methods of moving averages to account for short-term fluctuations. Fourth, the QRQ data may be subject to problems in measurement error due to the limited number of experts in some countries, resulting in less precise estimates. To address this, the WJP works constantly to expand its network of in-country academic and practitioner experts who contribute their time and expertise to this endeavor. Finally, due to the limited number of experts in some countries (which implies higher standard errors) and the fact that the GPP is carried out in each country every few years (which implies that for some countries, some variables do not change from one year to another), it is possible that the test described above fails to detect small changes in a country's situation over time.

### Other Methodological Considerations

A detailed presentation of the methodology, including a table and description of the more than 500 variables used to construct the Index scores, is available at: [worldjusticeproject.org](https://worldjusticeproject.org) and in Botero, J. and Ponce, A. (2011) "Measuring the Rule of Law": WJP Working Paper No.1, available at: [worldjusticeproject.org/publications](https://worldjusticeproject.org/publications).

### Using the WJP Rule of Law Index

The *WJP Rule of Law Index* has been designed to offer a reliable and independent data source for policy makers, businesses, non-governmental organizations (NGOs), and other constituencies to assess a country's adherence to the rule of law as perceived and experienced by the average person, identify a country's strengths and weaknesses in comparison to similarly situated countries, and track changes over time. The Index has been designed to include several features that set it apart from other indices and make it valuable for a large number of countries, thus providing a powerful resource that can inform policy debates both within and across countries. However, the Index's findings must be interpreted in light of certain inherent limitations.

1. The *WJP Rule of Law Index* does not identify priorities for reform and is not intended to establish causation or to ascertain the complex relationship among different rule of law dimensions in various countries.
2. The Index's rankings and scores are the product of a rigorous data collection and aggregation methodology. Nonetheless, as with all measurements, they are subject to measurement error.
3. Given the uncertainty associated with picking a particular sample of respondents, standard errors have been calculated using bootstrapping methods to test whether the annual changes in the factor scores are statistically significant.
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Country/Jurisdiction	Coverage	Polling Company	Methodology	Sample	Year
Afghanistan	Nationally representative	D3: Designs, Data, Decisions & ACSOR Surveys	Face-to-face	3019	2019
Albania	Nationally representative	IDRA Research & Consulting	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Algeria	Nationally representative	WJP in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Angola	Nationally representative	Marketing Support Consultancy	Face-to-face	1010	2018
Antigua and Barbuda	Nationally representative	DMR Insights Ltd.	Face-to-face	513	2018
Argentina	Nationally representative	StatMark Group	Face-to-face	1010	2018
Australia	Nationally representative	Big Picture Marketing Strategy & Research	Online	1067	2018
Austria	Vienna, Graz, Linz	YouGov	Online	1008	2017
The Bahamas	Nationally representative	DMR Insights Ltd.	Face-to-face	500	2018
Bangladesh	Dhaka, Chittagong, Khulna	Org-Quest Research Ltd.	Face-to-face	1000	2016
Barbados	Nationally representative	DMR Insights Ltd.	Face-to-face	513	2018
Belarus	Minsk, Gomel, Mogilev	Market Research & Polls - EURASIA (MRP-EURASIA)/WJP in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1000/401	2014/2017
Belgium	Nationally representative	YouGov	Online	1007	2018
Belize	Nationally representative	CID Latinoamerica	Face-to-face	1000	2019
Benin	Nationally representative	Liaison Marketing	Face-to-face	1010	2018
Bolivia	Nationally representative	Captura Consulting	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Sarajevo, Banja Luka, Tuzla	Kantar TNS MIB	Face-to-face	1000	2017
Botswana	Nationally representative	BJKA Consulting	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Brazil	São Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, Salvador	Datum Internacional/About Brazil Market Research	Face-to-face	1049	2017
Bulgaria	Sofia, Plovdiv, Varna	Alpha Research Ltd.	Face-to-face	1001	2018
Burkina Faso	Ouagadougou, Bobo Dioulasso, Koudougou	Kantar TNS	Face-to-face	1029	2017
Cambodia	Phnom Penh, Battambang, Kampong Cham	Indochina Research	Face-to-face	1000	2014
Cameroon	Nationally representative	Liaison Marketing	Face-to-face	1006	2018
Canada	Toronto, Montreal, Calgary	YouGov	Online	1000	2017
Chile	Santiago, Valparaíso/Viña del Mar, Antofagasta	Datum Internacional S.A./Cadem S.A.	Face-to-face	1003	2017
China	Shanghai, Beijing, Guangzhou	WJP in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	508	2018
Colombia	Nationally representative	Tempo Group	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Congo, Dem. Rep.	Kinshasa, Lubumbashi, Mbuji-Mayi	Kantar Public at TNS RMS Senegal	Face-to-face	1083	2018
Congo, Rep.	Nationally representative	Liaison Marketing	Face-to-face	517	2021
Costa Rica	Nationally representative	StatMark Group	Face-to-face	1030	2019
Côte d'Ivoire	Abidjan, Bouaké, Daloa	Liaison Marketing	Face-to-face	1011	2017
Croatia	Nationally representative	Ipsos	Face-to-face	1010	2018
Cyprus	Nationally representative	Pulse Market Research	Online	504	2021
Czech Republic	Prague, Brno, Ostrava	YouGov	Online	1013	2017
Denmark	Copenhagen, Aarhus, Aalborg	YouGov	Online	1016	2017
Dominica	Nationally representative	StatMark Group	Face-to-face	500	2018
Dominican Republic	Nationally representative	CID Latinoamerica	Face-to-face	1014	2018
Ecuador	Guayaquil, Quito, Cuenca	Dichter and Neira	Face-to-face	703	2017
Egypt, Arab Rep.	Cairo, Alexandria, Giza	WJP in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1000	2017
El Salvador	Nationally representative	CID Latinoamerica	Face-to-face	1000	2018
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<b>Grenada</b>	Nationally representative	DMR Insights Ltd.	Face-to-face	500	2018
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<b>Hungary</b>	Budapest, Debrecen, Szeged	Ipsos Hungary	Face-to-face	1000	2017
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<b>Iran, Islamic Rep.</b>	Tehran, Mashhad, Isfahan	BJKA Consulting with local partner MHA Research	Face-to-face	1010	2018
<b>Ireland</b>	Nationally representative	Dynata	Online	1027	2021
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<b>Jamaica</b>	Nationally representative	StatMark Group	Face-to-face	1002	2019
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<b>Latvia</b>	Nationally representative	YouGov	Online	1049	2021
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<b>Luxembourg</b>	Nationally representative	TNS Ilres	Online	651	2021
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<b>Mali</b>	Nationally representative	Marketing Support Consultancy	Face-to-face	1012	2018
<b>Malta</b>	Nationally representative	MISCO International Limited	Face-to-face	500	2021
<b>Mauritania</b>	Nationally representative	Liaison Marketing	Face-to-face	1000	2018
<b>Mauritius</b>	Nationally representative	DCDM Research	Face-to-face	1000	2018
<b>Mexico</b>	Mexico City, Guadalajara, Monterrey	Data Opinión Pública y Mercados	Face-to-face	1000	2017
<b>Moldova</b>	Chisinau, Balti, Cahul	Georgian Opinion Research Business International (GORBI) in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1043	2017
<b>Mongolia</b>	Ulaanbaatar, Erdenet, Darkhan	Mongolian Marketing Consulting Group LLC	Face-to-face	1000	2017
<b>Morocco</b>	Casablanca, Fes, Tangier	WJP in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1000	2017
<b>Mozambique</b>	Nationally representative	Quest Research Services	Face-to-face	1009	2018

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Myanmar	Yangon, Mandalay, Nay Pyi Taw	Myanmar Survey Research Co., Ltd (MSR)	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Namibia	Nationally representative	Quest Research Services	Face-to-face	1001	2018
Nepal	Kathmandu, Pokhara, Lalitpur	Solutions Consultant	Face-to-face	1000	2017
Netherlands	Nationally representative	YouGov	Online	1113	2018
New Zealand	Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch	Big Picture Marketing Strategy & Research	Online	1000	2017
Nicaragua	Nationally representative	CID Latinoamerica	Face-to-face	1000	2019
Niger	Niamey, Zinder, Maradi	Liaison Marketing	Face-to-face	1011	2018
Nigeria	Nationally representative	Infinite Insight Ltd.	Face-to-face	1083	2018
North Macedonia	Skopje, Kumanovo, Bitola	Ipsos dooel Skopje	Face-to-face	1017	2017
Norway	Oslo, Bergen, Trondheim	YouGov	Online	1007	2017
Pakistan	Nationally representative	Gallup Pakistan	Face-to-face	1000	2019
Panama	Nationally representative	CID-Gallup	Face-to-face	1000	2019
Paraguay	Nationally representative	Datum Internacional/BM Business Partners	Face-to-face	1000	2021
Peru	Nationally representative	Datum Internacional S.A.	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Philippines	Manila, Cebu, Davao	APMI Partners	Face-to-face	1008	2016
Poland	Warsaw, Krakow, Lodz	IQS Sp. z o.o.	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Portugal	Lisbon, Porto, Amadora	YouGov	Online	1016	2017
Romania	Nationally representative	Alpha Research Ltd. in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Russian Federation	Moscow, St. Petersburg, Novosibirsk/ Nationally representative	WJP in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1000/1000	2016/2018
Rwanda	Kigali	Infinite Insight Ltd.	Face-to-face	316	2018
Senegal	Pikine, Dakar, Thiès	Kantar TNS	Face-to-face	1012	2017
Serbia	Belgrade, Novi Sad, Niš	Ipsos Strategic Marketing d.o.o.	Face-to-face	1002	2017
Sierra Leone	Nationally representative	Infinite Insight Ltd.	Face-to-face	1165	2018
Singapore	Singapore	Survey Sampling International	Online	1000	2017
Slovak Republic	Nationally representative	WJP in collaboration with local partner	Online	1022	2021
Slovenia	Ljubljana, Maribor, Celje	Ipsos d.o.o.	Face-to-face	1006	2017
South Africa	Nationally representative	Quest Research Services	Face-to-face	1014	2018
Spain	Nationally representative	YouGov	Online	1051	2018
Sri Lanka	Colombo, Kaduwela, Maharagama	Kantar LMRB	Face-to-face	1010	2017
St. Kitts and Nevis	Nationally representative	DMR Insights Ltd.	Face-to-face	500	2018
St. Lucia	Nationally representative	DMR Insights Ltd.	Face-to-face	500	2018
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	Nationally representative	DMR Insights Ltd.	Face-to-face	500	2018
Sudan	Nationally representative	Sudan Polling and Statistics Center	Face-to-face	500	2021
Suriname	Nationally representative	CID Latinoamerica	Face-to-face	510	2018
Sweden	Nationally representative	YouGov	Online	1049	2018
Tanzania	Dar es Salaam, Mwanza, Arusha	Infinite Insight Ltd.	Face-to-face	1037	2018
Thailand	Bangkok, Nakhon Ratchasima, Udon Thani	Infosearch Limited	Face-to-face	1000	2018
Togo	Nationally representative	Marketing Support Consultancy	Face-to-face	1005	2018
Trinidad and Tobago	Nationally representative	CID Latinoamerica	Face-to-face	1006	2018
Tunisia	Big Tunis, Sfax, Sousse	BJKA Consulting	Face-to-face	1001	2017
Turkey	İstanbul, Ankara, İzmir	Kantar Insights	Face-to-face	1039	2018
Uganda	Kampala, Nansana, Kira	Kantar Public East Africa	Face-to-face	1062	2018
Ukraine	Kyiv, Kharkiv, Odessa	GfK Ukraine	Face-to-face	1079	2017
United Arab Emirates	Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Sharjah	WJP in collaboration with local partner	Face-to-face	1011/200	2011/2017
United Kingdom	Nationally representative	YouGov	Online	1056	2018
United States	Nationally representative	YouGov	Online	1258	2021

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<b>Uruguay</b>	Nationally representative	BM Business Partners	Face-to-face	1000	2018
<b>Uzbekistan</b>	Tashkent, Namangan, Samarkand/Nationally representative	Market Research & Polls - EURASIA/ Ipsos/Info Sapiens International LLC	Face-to-face	1000/300/ 507	2014/ 2018/ 2021
<b>Venezuela, RB</b>	Caracas, Maracaibo, Valencia	WJP in collaboration with local partner/Statmark Group	Face-to-face	1000/1015	2016/2018
<b>Vietnam</b>	Ho Chi Minh City, Hanoi, Hai Phong	Indochina Research (Vietnam) Ltd.	Face-to-face	1000/1000	2011/2017
<b>Zambia</b>	Lusaka, Kitwe, Chipata	SIS International Research/Intraspace Market Consultancy Ltd.	Face-to-face	1004/1014	2012/2017
<b>Zimbabwe</b>	Nationally representative	Quest Research Services	Face-to-face	1001	2018

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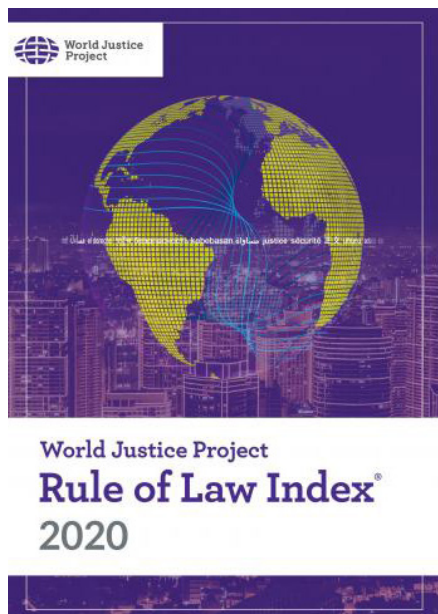
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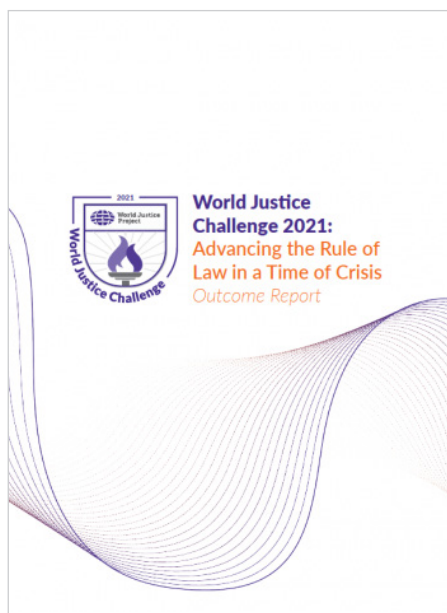
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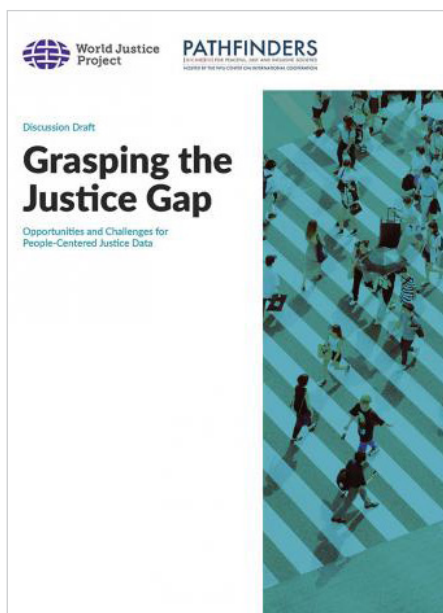
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