PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Oceania

OVERALL PERFORMANCE

COUNTRY RANKING

Papua New Guinea

151 /165

COUNTRY SCORE

REGIONAL AVERAGE: 50.1

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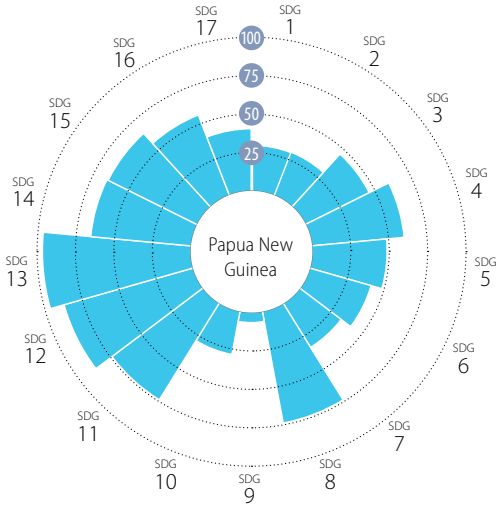
0 (WORST) TO 100 (BEST)

AVERAGE PERFORMANCE BY SDG



SDG DASHBOARDS AND TRENDS

Notes: The full title of Goal 2 "Zero Hunger" is "End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture".
The full title of each SDG is available here: https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/topics/sustainabledevelopmentgoals

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Performance by Indicator

SDG1 – No Poverty	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Poverty headcount ratio at $1.90/day (%)	30.5	2021	●	↓
Poverty headcount ratio at $3.20/day (%)	54.3	2021	●	↓
SDG2 – Zero Hunger				
Prevalence of undernourishment (%)	NA	NA	●	●
Prevalence of stunting in children under 5 years of age (%)	49.5	2010	●	→
Prevalence of wasting in children under 5 years of age (%)	14.1	2010	●	→
Prevalence of obesity, BMI ≥ 30 (% of adult population)	21.3	2016	●	↓
Human Trophic Level (best 2–3 worst)	NA	NA	●	●
Cereal yield (tonnes per hectare of harvested land)	4.7	2018	●	↑
Sustainable Nitrogen Management Index (best 0–1.41 worst)	0.9	2015	●	→
Exports of hazardous pesticides (tonnes per million population)	NA	NA	●	●
SDG3 – Good Health and Well-Being				
Maternal mortality rate (per 100,000 live births)	145	2017	●	↗
Neonatal mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	21.9	2019	●	↗
Mortality rate, under-5 (per 1,000 live births)	44.8	2019	●	↗
Incidence of tuberculosis (per 100,000 population)	432.0	2019	●	→
New HIV infections (per 1,000 uninfected population)	0.4	2019	●	→
Age-standardized death rate due to cardiovascular disease, cancer, diabetes, or chronic respiratory disease in adults aged 30–70 years (%)	30.0	2016	●	↓
Age-standardized death rate attributable to household air pollution and ambient air pollution (per 100,000 population)	152	2016	●	●
Traffic deaths (per 100,000 population)	12.6	2019	●	↗
Life expectancy at birth (years)	65.3	2019	●	→
Adolescent fertility rate (births per 1,000 females aged 15 to 19)	52.0	2018	●	→
Births attended by skilled health personnel (%)	56.4	2018	●	●
Surviving infants who received 2 WHO-recommended vaccines (%)	35	2019	●	↓
Universal health coverage (UHC) index of service coverage (worst 0–100 best)	40	2017	●	→
Subjective well-being (average ladder score, worst 0–10 best)	NA	NA	●	●
SDG4 – Quality Education				
Net primary enrollment rate (%)	92.7	2016	●	●
Lower secondary completion rate (%)	62.1	2016	●	●
Literacy rate (% of population aged 15 to 24)	67.9	2010	●	●
SDG5 – Gender Equality				
Demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (% of females aged 15 to 49)	49.2	2018	●	→
Ratio of female-to-male mean years of education received (%)	75.5	2019	●	↗
Ratio of female-to-male labor force participation rate (%)	97.5	2019	●	↑
Seats held by women in national parliament (%)	0.0	2020	●	↓
SDG6 – Clean Water and Sanitation				
Population using at least basic drinking water services (%)	41.3	2017	●	→
Population using at least basic sanitation services (%)	12.9	2017	●	↓
Freshwater withdrawal (% of available freshwater resources)	0.1	2015	●	●
Anthropogenic wastewater that receives treatment (%)	0.0	2018	●	●
Scarce water consumption embodied in imports (m^3/capita)	0.9	2013	●	↑
SDG7 – Affordable and Clean Energy				
Population with access to electricity (%)	59.0	2018	●	↑
Population with access to clean fuels and technology for cooking (%)	13.4	2016	●	→
CO_2 emissions from fuel combustion for electricity and heating per total electricity output ($MtCO_2$/TWh)	NA	NA	●	●
SDG8 – Decent Work and Economic Growth				
Adjusted GDP growth (%)	-4.9	2019	●	●
Victims of modern slavery (per 1,000 population)	10.3	2018	●	●
Adults with an account at a bank or other financial institution or with a mobile-money-service provider (% of population aged 15 or over)	NA	NA	●	●
Unemployment rate (% of total labor force)	2.7	2020	●	↑
Fundamental labor rights are effectively guaranteed (worst 0–1 best)	NA	NA	●	●
Fatal work-related accidents embodied in imports (per 100,000 population)	0.1	2015	●	↑

SDG9 – Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Population using the internet (%)	11.2	2019	●	→
Mobile broadband subscriptions (per 100 population)	10.9	2017	●	●
Logistics Performance Index: Quality of trade and transport-related infrastructure (worst 1–5 best)	2.0	2018	●	↓
The Times Higher Education Universities Ranking: Average score of top 3 universities (worst 0–100 best)	* 0.0	2020	●	●
Scientific and technical journal articles (per 1,000 population)	0.0	2018	●	→
Expenditure on research and development (% of GDP)	0.0	2016	●	●
SDG10 – Reduced Inequalities				
Gini coefficient adjusted for top income	53.0	2009	●	●
Palma ratio	2.1	2018	●	●
SDG11 – Sustainable Cities and Communities				
Proportion of urban population living in slums (%)	NA	NA	●	●
Annual mean concentration of particulate matter of less than 2.5 microns in diameter (PM2.5) ($\mu g/m^3$)	11.0	2019	●	↑
Access to improved water source, piped (% of urban population)	55.4	2017	●	↓
Satisfaction with public transport (%)	NA	NA	●	●
SDG12 – Responsible Consumption and Production				
Municipal solid waste (kg/capita/day)	2.5	2014	●	●
Electronic waste (kg/capita)	1.1	2019	●	●
Production-based SO_2 emissions (kg/capita)	20.9	2012	●	●
SO_2 emissions embodied in imports (kg/capita)	2.0	2012	●	●
Production-based nitrogen emissions (kg/capita)	2.1	2010	●	●
Nitrogen emissions embodied in imports (kg/capita)	0.5	2010	●	●
SDG13 – Climate Action				
CO_2 emissions from fossil fuel combustion and cement production (tCO_2/capita)	0.8	2019	●	↑
CO_2 emissions embodied in imports (tCO_2/capita)	0.2	2015	●	↑
CO_2 emissions embodied in fossil fuel exports (kg/capita)	NA	NA	●	●
SDG14 – Life Below Water				
Mean area that is protected in marine sites important to biodiversity (%)	1.6	2019	●	→
Ocean Health Index: Clean Waters score (worst 0–100 best)	65.2	2020	●	→
Fish caught from overexploited or collapsed stocks (% of total catch)	56.9	2014	●	↓
Fish caught by trawling or dredging (%)	0.5	2016	●	↑
Fish caught that are then discarded (%)	0.2	2016	●	●
Marine biodiversity threats embodied in imports (per million population)	0.0	2018	●	●
SDG15 – Life on Land				
Mean area that is protected in terrestrial sites important to biodiversity (%)	6.9	2019	●	→
Mean area that is protected in freshwater sites important to biodiversity (%)	NA	NA	●	●
Red List Index of species survival (worst 0–1 best)	0.8	2020	●	↓
Permanent deforestation (% of forest area, 5-year average)	0.1	2018	●	●
Terrestrial and freshwater biodiversity threats embodied in imports (per million population)	0.0	2018	●	●
SDG16 – Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions				
Homicides (per 100,000 population)	9.8	2010	●	●
Unsentenced detainees (% of prison population)	38.3	2018	●	→
Population who feel safe walking alone at night in the city or area where they live (%)	NA	NA	●	●
Property Rights (worst 1–7 best)	NA	NA	●	●
Birth registrations with civil authority (% of children under age 5)	13.4	2019	●	●
Corruption Perception Index (worst 0–100 best)	27	2020	●	→
Children involved in child labor (% of population aged 5 to 14)	NA	NA	●	●
Exports of major conventional weapons (TIV constant million USD per 100,000 population)	* 0.0	2019	●	●
Press Freedom Index (best 0–100 worst)	23.9	2020	●	↑
Access to and affordability of justice (worst 0–1 best)	NA	NA	●	●
SDG17 – Partnerships for the Goals				
Government spending on health and education (% of GDP)	3.6	2018	●	●
For high-income and all OECD DAC countries: International concessional public finance, including official development assistance (% of GNI)	NA	NA	●	●
Other countries: Government revenue excluding grants (% of GDP)	14.2	2019	●	↓
Corporate Tax Haven Score (best 0–100 worst)	* 0.0	2019	●	●
Statistical Performance Index (worst 0–100 best)	40.8	2019	●	↑

* Imputed data point