GUYANA

Latin America and the Caribbean
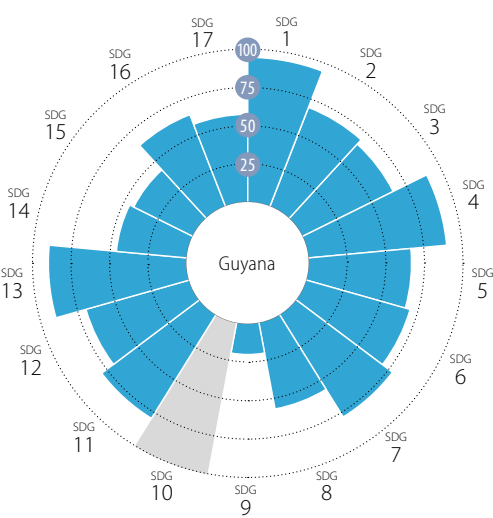
▼ AVERAGE PERFORMANCE BY SDG

▼ OVERALL PERFORMANCE

COUNTRY RANKING

GUYANA

106 /163

COUNTRY SCORE

63.9

REGIONAL AVERAGE: 69.5

▼ SDG DASHBOARDS AND TRENDS

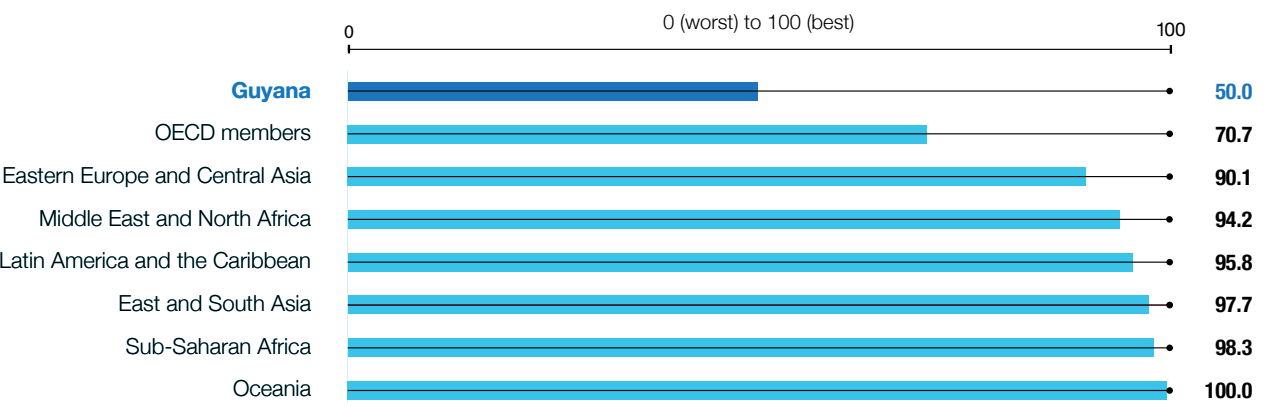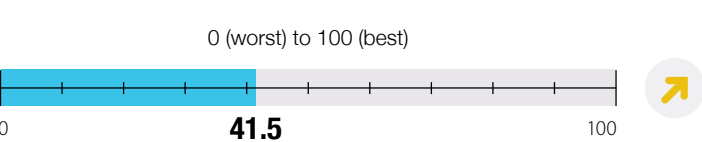|		
1 NO POVERTY ⬆	2 ZERO HUNGER ↗	3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING ↗
4 QUALITY EDUCATION ●	5 GENDER EQUALITY ↗	6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION →
7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY ↗	8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH ↗	9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE →
10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES ●	11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES →	12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION →
13 CLIMATE ACTION →	14 LIFE BELOW WATER →	15 LIFE ON LAND →
16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS ↗	17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS ↗	

■ Major challenges ■ Significant challenges ■ Challenges remain ■ SDG achieved ■ Information unavailable

↓ Decreasing → Stagnating ↗ Moderately improving ⬆ On track or maintaining SDG achievement ● Information unavailable

Note: The full title of each SDG is available here: https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/topics/sustainabledevelopmentgoals

▼ INTERNATIONAL SPILLOVER INDEX

0 (worst) to 100 (best)

0   100

Guyana	**50.0**
OECD members	**70.7**
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	**90.1**
Middle East and North Africa	**94.2**
Latin America and the Caribbean	**95.8**
East and South Asia	**97.7**
Sub-Saharan Africa	**98.3**
Oceania	**100.0**

▼ STATISTICAL PERFORMANCE INDEX

0 (worst) to 100 (best)

0   **41.5**   100 ↗

▼ MISSING DATA IN SDG INDEX

14%

SDG1 – No Poverty

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Poverty headcount ratio at $1.90/day (%)	2.4	2022	yellow	↑
Poverty headcount ratio at $3.20/day (%)	4.6	2022	yellow	↑

SDG2 – Zero Hunger

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Prevalence of undernourishment (%)	5.2	2019	green	↑
Prevalence of stunting in children under 5 years of age (%)	11.3	2014	orange	↗
Prevalence of wasting in children under 5 years of age (%)	6.4	2014	yellow	→
Prevalence of obesity, BMI ≥ 30 (% of adult population)	20.2	2016	orange	↓
Human Trophic Level (best 2–3 worst)	2.2	2017	yellow	↑
Cereal yield (tonnes per hectare of harvested land)	5.7	2018	green	↑
Sustainable Nitrogen Management Index (best 0–1.41 worst)	0.7	2015	red	↓
Exports of hazardous pesticides (tonnes per million population)	0.0	2019	green	•

SDG3 – Good Health and Well-Being

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Maternal mortality rate (per 100,000 live births)	169	2017	red	→
Neonatal mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	17.3	2020	orange	↑
Mortality rate, under-5 (per 1,000 live births)	28.4	2020	yellow	↑
Incidence of tuberculosis (per 100,000 population)	79.0	2020	red	↗
New HIV infections (per 1,000 uninfected population)	0.4	2020	yellow	↗
Age-standardized death rate due to cardiovascular disease, cancer, diabetes, or chronic respiratory disease in adults aged 30–70 years (%)	29.2	2019	red	→
Age-standardized death rate attributable to household air pollution and ambient air pollution (per 100,000 population)	108	2016	orange	•
Traffic deaths (per 100,000 population)	22.3	2019	red	→
Life expectancy at birth (years)	65.7	2019	red	→
Adolescent fertility rate (births per 1,000 females aged 15 to 19)	73.7	2013	red	•
Births attended by skilled health personnel (%)	95.8	2015	yellow	•
Surviving infants who received 2 WHO-recommended vaccines (%)	98	2020	green	↑
Universal health coverage (UHC) index of service coverage (worst 0–100 best)	74	2019	yellow	↗
Subjective well-being (average ladder score, worst 0–10 best)	6.0	2007	green	•

SDG4 – Quality Education

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Participation rate in pre-primary organized learning (% of children aged 4 to 6)	95.2	2012	green	•
Net primary enrollment rate (%)	98.2	2012	green	•
Lower secondary completion rate (%)	79.1	2010	orange	•
Literacy rate (% of population aged 15 to 24)	96.7	2014	green	•

SDG5 – Gender Equality

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (% of females aged 15 to 49)	51.5	2014	red	↗
Ratio of female-to-male mean years of education received (%)	111.3	2019	green	↑
Ratio of female-to-male labor force participation rate (%)	62.3	2020	yellow	↗
Seats held by women in national parliament (%)	35.7	2020	yellow	↑

SDG6 – Clean Water and Sanitation

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Population using at least basic drinking water services (%)	95.6	2020	yellow	→
Population using at least basic sanitation services (%)	85.8	2020	yellow	→
Freshwater withdrawal (% of available freshwater resources)	3.3	2018	green	•
Anthropogenic wastewater that receives treatment (%)	0.0	2018	red	•
Scarce water consumption embodied in imports (m³ H2O eq/capita)	NA	NA	grey	•

SDG7 – Affordable and Clean Energy

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Population with access to electricity (%)	92.0	2019	yellow	↑
Population with access to clean fuels and technology for cooking (%)	76.8	2019	yellow	↑
CO2 emissions from fuel combustion per total electricity output (MtCO2/TWh)	2.1	2019	red	→
Share of renewable energy in total primary energy supply (%)	NA	NA	grey	•

SDG8 – Decent Work and Economic Growth

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Adjusted GDP growth (%)	13.6	2020	green	•
Victims of modern slavery (per 1,000 population)	2.6	2018	green	•
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	grey	•
Unemployment rate (% of total labor force)	14.9	2022	red	↓
Fundamental labor rights are effectively guaranteed (worst 0–1 best)	0.6	2020	orange	↗
Fatal work-related accidents embodied in imports (per 100,000 population)	11.0	2015	red	↑

SDG9 – Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Population using the internet (%)	37.3	2017	red	•
Mobile broadband subscriptions (per 100 population)	31.7	2019	red	↑
Logistics Performance Index: Quality of trade and transport-related infrastructure (worst 1–5 best)	2.1	2018	orange	↓
The Times Higher Education Universities Ranking: Average score of top 3 universities (worst 0–100 best)	* 0.0	2022	orange	•
Articles published in academic journals (per 1,000 population)	0.1	2020	orange	→
Expenditure on research and development (% of GDP)	NA	NA	grey	•

SDG10 – Reduced Inequalities

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Gini coefficient	NA	NA	grey	•
Palma ratio	NA	NA	grey	•

SDG11 – Sustainable Cities and Communities

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Proportion of urban population living in slums (%)	32.5	2018	red	→
Annual mean concentration of particulate matter of less than 2.5 microns in diameter (PM2.5) (µg/m³)	21.5	2019	orange	↗
Access to improved water source, piped (% of urban population)	86.8	2020	yellow	→
Satisfaction with public transport (%)	72.0	2007	green	•

SDG12 – Responsible Consumption and Production

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Municipal solid waste (kg/capita/day)	0.7	2010	green	•
Electronic waste (kg/capita)	6.3	2019	yellow	•
Production-based SO2 emissions (kg/capita)	NA	NA	grey	•
SO2 emissions embodied in imports (kg/capita)	NA	NA	grey	•
Production-based nitrogen emissions (kg/capita)	15.5	2015	green	↑
Nitrogen emissions embodied in imports (kg/capita)	77.1	2015	red	↓
Exports of plastic waste (kg/capita)	0.0	2020	green	•

SDG13 – Climate Action

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
CO2 emissions from fossil fuel combustion and cement production (tCO2/capita)	2.8	2020	yellow	→
CO2 emissions embodied in imports (tCO2/capita)	NA	NA	grey	•
CO2 emissions embodied in fossil fuel exports (kg/capita)	3436.6	2021	yellow	•

SDG14 – Life Below Water

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Mean area that is protected in marine sites important to biodiversity (%)	NA	NA	grey	•
Ocean Health Index: Clean Waters score (worst 0–100 best)	75.0	2020	yellow	↓
Fish caught from overexploited or collapsed stocks (% of total catch)	34.5	2018	yellow	→
Fish caught by trawling or dredging (%)	0.0	2018	green	↑
Fish caught that are then discarded (%)	22.2	2018	red	→
Marine biodiversity threats embodied in imports (per million population)	5.4	2018	red	•

SDG15 – Life on Land

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Mean area that is protected in terrestrial sites important to biodiversity (%)	3.9	2020	red	→
Mean area that is protected in freshwater sites important to biodiversity (%)	NA	NA	grey	→
Red List Index of species survival (worst 0–1 best)	0.9	2021	yellow	→
Permanent deforestation (% of forest area, 5-year average)	0.0	2020	green	↑
Terrestrial and freshwater biodiversity threats embodied in imports (per million population)	47.2	2018	red	•

SDG16 – Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Homicides (per 100,000 population)	20.0	2020	red	↓
Unsentenced detainees (% of prison population)	35.9	2019	yellow	↗
Population who feel safe walking alone at night in the city or area where they live (%)	47	2007	red	•
Property Rights (worst 1–7 best)	NA	NA	grey	•
Birth registrations with civil authority (% of children under age 5)	88.7	2020	yellow	•
Corruption Perception Index (worst 0–100 best)	39	2021	red	•
Children involved in child labor (% of population aged 5 to 14)	10.8	2019	yellow	•
Exports of major conventional weapons (TIV constant million USD per 100,000 population)	* 0.0	2020	green	•
Press Freedom Index (best 0–100 worst)	25.6	2021	yellow	↑
Access to and affordability of justice (worst 0–1 best)	0.6	2020	orange	↑

SDG17 – Partnerships for the Goals

Indicator	Value	Year	Rating	Trend
Government spending on health and education (% of GDP)	7.4	2019	orange	↑
For high-income and all OECD DAC countries: International concessional public finance, including official development assistance (% of GNI)	NA	NA	grey	•
Other countries: Government revenue excluding grants (% of GDP)	NA	NA	grey	•
Corporate Tax Haven Score (best 0–100 worst)	* 0.0	2019	green	•
Statistical Performance Index (worst 0–100 best)	41.5	2019	red	↗

* Imputed data point