

## Statistics for the SDGs - indicators for national priorities



<b>Name of the indicator</b>	<b>16.2.a Regulatory quality</b>
<b>Sustainable Development Goal</b>	Goal 16. Peace, justice and strong institutions
<b>Priority</b>	Improvement in legislation quality and application of law
<b>Definition</b>	Perceptions of the ability of the government to formulate and implement sound policies and regulations that permit and promote private sector development.
<b>Unit</b>	points
<b>Available dimensions</b>	total
<b>Methodological explanations</b>	Regulatory quality is one of the six good governance indicators, so called Worldwide Governance Indicators (WGI). The other good governance indicators include: voice and accountability, political stability and absence of violence/ terrorism, government effectiveness, rule of law and control of corruption. The six aggregate indicators range from -2.5 to 2.5, with higher values corresponding to better governance.
<b>Data source</b>	World Bank
<b>Data availability</b>	Annual data; since 2010
<b>Notes</b>	
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