

Statistics for the SDGs - indicators for national priorities

Name of the indicator	9.1.a Global Innovation Index
Sustainable Development Goal	Goal 9. Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure
Priority	Increase in innovation, improvement of the legal and institutional environment that stimulates undertaking innovative activities
Definition	The Global Innovation Index (GII) is a synthetic measure providing detailed metrics about the innovation performance of economies all over the world.
Unit	position in the ranking
Available dimensions	total
Methodological explanations	The Global Innovation Index (GII) is the result of a collaboration between Cornell University, INSEAD and the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO). Its 80 indicators explore a broad vision of innovation, including political environment, education, infrastructure and business sophistication.
Data source	Global Innovation Index
Data availability	Annual data; since 2010
Notes	
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