

Data Sources Used in 2022 Update of Worldwide Governance Indicators

Code	Source	Type*	Public	Country Coverage	Representative	1996	1998	2000	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
ADB	African Development Bank Country Policy and Institutional Assessments	Expert (GOV)	Yes	37							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
AFR	Afrobarometer	Survey	Yes	26				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
ASD	Asian Development Bank Country Policy and Institutional Assessments	Expert (GOV)	Yes	25								x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
BPS	Business Enterprise Environment Survey	Survey	Yes	30				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x						
BTI	Bertelsmann Transformation Index	Expert (NGO)	Yes	137					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
CCR	Freedom House Countries at the Crossroads	Expert (NGO)	Yes	69							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x								
EBR	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development Transition Report	Expert (GOV)	Yes	33		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x					
EIU	Economist Intelligence Unit Riskwire & Democracy Index	Expert (CBIP)	Yes	180	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
EQI	European Quality of Governance Index (Underlying Survey Data)	Survey	Yes	27																							x	x
FRH	Freedom House	Expert (NGO)	Yes	197	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
GCB	Transparency International Global Corruption Barometer Survey	Survey	Yes	76					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
GCS	World Economic Forum Global Competitiveness Report	Survey	Yes	123	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
GII	Global Integrity Index	Expert (NGO)	Yes	54						x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
GWP	Gallup World Poll	Survey	Yes	128	Y							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
HER	Heritage Foundation Index of Economic Freedom	Expert (NGO)	Yes	177	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
HRM	Human Rights Measurement Initiative	Expert (NGO)	Yes	38																							x	x
HUM	Cingranelli Richards Human Rights Database and Political Terror Scale	Expert (GOV)	Yes	197	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
IFD	IFAD Rural Sector Performance Assessments	Expert (GOV)	Yes	66							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
IJT	iJET Country Security Risk Ratings	Expert (CBIP)	Yes	201	Y						x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
IPD	Institutional Profiles Database	Expert (GOV)	Yes	143	Y								x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			
IRP	African Electoral Index	Expert (NGO)	Yes	54				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
LBO	Latinobarometro	Survey	Yes	18		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
MSI	International Research and Exchanges Board Vibrant Information Barometer	Expert (NGO)	Yes	13					x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
OBI	International Budget Project Open Budget Index	Expert (NGO)	Yes	120								x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
PIA	World Bank Country Policy and Institutional Assessments	Expert (GOV)	Yes	72								x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
PRC	Political Economic Risk Consultancy Corruption in Asia Survey	Survey	Yes	16			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
PRS	Political Risk Services International Country Risk Guide	Expert (CBIP)	Yes	141	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
RSF	Reporters Without Borders Press Freedom Index	Expert (NGO)	Yes	178	Y				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
TPR	US State Department Trafficking in People report	Expert (GOV)	Yes	183	Y			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
VAB	Vanderbilt University Americas Barometer	Survey	Yes	22							x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
VDM	Varieties of Democracy Project	Expert (NGO)	Yes	176	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
WCY	Institute for Management and Development World Competitiveness Yearbook Survey	Survey	Yes	63		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
WJP	World Justice Project Rule of Law Index	Expert (NGO)/Survey	Yes	139														x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
WMO	Global Insight Business Conditions and Risk Indicators	Expert (CBIP)	Yes	204	Y	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

*Types of Expert Assessments: CBIP -- Commercial Business Information Provider, GOV -- Public Sector Data Provider, NGO -- Nongovernmental Organization Data Provider