

# INDEX OF STATE WEAKNESS IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD

The 141 weakest states and their index basket scores are presented below. A basket score of 0.00 represents the worst score in the 141-country sample, a score of 10.00 signifies the best.

Color Coding Key	
Color coding and quintiles are based on full sample of 141 countries	BOTTOM QUINTILE
	2 <sup>ND</sup> QUINTILE
	3 <sup>RD</sup> QUINTILE
	4 <sup>TH</sup> QUINTILE
	TOP QUINTILE

Rank	Country	Overall Score	Economic	Political	Security	Social Welfare	GNI Per Capita
1	Somalia	0.52	0.00	0.00	1.37	0.70	226
2	Afghanistan	1.65	4.51	2.08	0.00	0.00	271
3	Congo, Dem. Rep.	1.67	4.06	1.80	0.28	0.52	130
4	Iraq	3.11	2.87	1.67	1.63	6.27	1134
5	Burundi	3.21	5.01	3.46	2.95	1.43	100
6	Sudan	3.29	5.05	2.06	1.46	4.59	810
7	Central African Rep.	3.33	4.11	2.90	5.06	1.25	360
8	Zimbabwe	3.44	1.56	1.56	6.81	3.84	350
9	Liberia	3.64	3.39	3.91	6.01	1.25	140
10	Cote D'Ivoire	3.66	5.23	2.12	3.71	3.56	870
11	Angola	3.72	5.42	2.67	5.32	1.45	1980
12	Haiti	3.76	3.90	2.62	5.21	3.31	480
13	Sierra Leone	3.77	5.04	3.87	5.43	0.76	240
14	Eritrea	3.84	3.09	2.78	7.01	2.48	200
15	North Korea	3.87	0.52	0.95	7.28	6.73	n/a
16	Chad	3.90	5.80	2.42	6.18	1.21	480
17	Burma	4.16	4.72	0.89	3.96	7.07	n/a
18	Guinea-Bissau	4.16	5.22	3.83	5.96	1.69	190
19	Ethiopia	4.46	6.14	4.03	5.91	1.75	180
20	Congo, Rep.	4.56	5.08	2.77	6.45	3.95	1100
21	Niger	4.60	5.45	4.69	7.33	0.94	260
22	Nepal	4.61	5.17	3.84	2.94	6.50	290
23	Guinea	4.67	5.00	2.64	7.43	3.61	410
24	Rwanda	4.68	5.33	4.26	6.62	2.51	250
25	Equatorial Guinea	4.77	7.51	1.73	7.95	1.91	8250
26	Togo	4.80	4.78	2.68	7.38	4.38	350
27	Uganda	4.86	5.78	4.55	4.89	4.23	300
28	Nigeria	4.88	5.39	3.51	5.37	5.24	640
29	Cameroon	5.12	5.78	3.09	7.54	4.07	1080
30	Yemen	5.18	5.80	3.64	6.43	4.85	760
31	Comoros	5.20	4.24	4.20	8.18	4.20	660
32	Zambia	5.23	5.08	4.59	8.15	3.11	630
33	Pakistan	5.23	6.58	3.52	4.69	6.13	770
34	Cambodia	5.27	6.33	3.00	7.18	4.57	480
35	Turkmenistan	5.27	5.05	1.40	7.88	6.75	1700
36	Uzbekistan	5.30	5.20	1.78	6.66	7.54	610
37	Mauritania	5.30	6.23	4.34	6.38	4.24	740
38	Djibouti	5.31	5.05	3.69	8.21	4.29	1060
39	Mozambique	5.32	5.60	5.33	8.35	1.98	340
40	Papua New Guinea	5.32	5.13	4.62	7.45	4.08	770
41	Swaziland	5.33	5.57	3.65	8.28	3.80	2430
42	Tajikistan	5.35	6.18	3.03	6.39	5.82	390
43	East Timor	5.51	3.93	4.41	7.74	5.98	840
44	Burkina Faso	5.51	6.30	4.87	8.30	2.59	460
45	Laos	5.53	5.88	2.56	7.98	5.71	500
46	Malawi	5.60	5.68	4.83	8.11	3.77	170
47	Colombia	5.63	5.84	5.79	1.78	9.11	2740
48	Bangladesh	5.64	6.08	3.97	6.55	5.98	480
49	Madagascar	5.65	5.24	5.95	7.65	3.76	280
50	Kenya	5.65	5.77	4.72	6.95	5.15	580
51	Gambia	5.79	5.26	4.54	8.29	5.06	310
52	Mali	5.85	6.33	6.16	8.49	2.43	440
53	Lesotho	5.88	4.59	6.40	8.35	4.18	1030
54	Solomon Islands	5.92	4.59	5.05	7.66	6.39	680
55	Tanzania	5.94	6.38	5.41	8.08	3.89	350
56	Sri Lanka	5.94	6.32	5.47	3.38	8.59	1300
57	Algeria	6.07	6.83	4.27	4.04	9.13	3030
58	Philippines	6.08	6.18	5.59	4.16	8.40	1420
59	Syria	6.14	4.62	2.76	7.49	9.67	1570
60	Guatemala	6.15	5.63	4.66	6.65	7.65	2640
61	Sao Tome & Principe	6.17	4.86	5.77	7.95	6.12	780
62	Cuba	6.17	3.60	2.94	8.28	9.88	n/a
63	Gabon	6.18	6.51	3.93	8.36	5.94	5000
64	Bolivia	6.19	4.64	5.01	7.77	7.34	1100
65	Russia	6.20	7.14	3.81	4.83	9.04	5780
66	Iran	6.25	5.51	3.32	6.91	9.28	3000
67	India	6.28	6.72	6.72	4.87	6.79	820
68	Senegal	6.28	6.38	5.97	7.96	4.82	750
69	Honduras	6.33	5.30	4.86	7.68	7.47	1200
70	Venezuela	6.33	6.01	3.76	7.12	8.44	6070
71	Benin	6.36	6.25	5.82	8.51	4.86	540
72	Nicaragua	6.37	5.61	4.79	8.14	6.94	1000
73	Kyrgyzstan	6.39	6.27	3.62	7.53	8.14	490
74	China	6.41	6.89	3.69	6.85	8.21	2010
75	Paraguay	6.44	4.78	4.50	8.00	8.50	1400
76	Fiji	6.47	5.99	5.19	6.32	8.37	3300
77	Indonesia	6.49	6.46	5.25	5.92	8.34	1420
78	Egypt	6.50	6.34	4.09	6.55	9.03	1350
79	Thailand	6.50	7.14	5.30	5.07	8.51	2990
80	Azerbaijan	6.54	7.85	3.36	7.06	7.89	1850
81	Belarus	6.63	6.57	2.31	8.24	9.41	3380
82	Namibia	6.66	5.21	7.26	8.93	5.23	3230
83	Vietnam	6.66	6.33	3.67	8.35	8.31	690
84	Ghana	6.72	5.92	7.02	8.44	5.48	520
85	Ecuador	6.78	5.55	4.53	7.47	9.56	2840
86	Libya	6.80	6.84	2.45	8.12	9.77	7380
87	Guyana	6.83	5.56	5.71	7.89	8.15	1130
88	Moldova	6.89	6.41	4.69	7.93	8.54	1100
89	Kazakhstan	6.92	7.43	3.59	8.33	8.31	3790
90	Georgia	6.99	6.58	5.66	7.15	8.58	1560
91	Dominican Republic	7.01	5.83	5.89	8.18	8.14	2850
92	Peru	7.01	6.58	5.69	7.25	8.54	2920
93	Lebanon	7.02	7.05	4.86	6.77	9.40	5490
94	Bhutan	7.08	6.04	6.16	9.78	6.33	1410
95	El Salvador	7.10	6.03	6.00	8.13	8.23	2540
96	Morocco	7.11	6.77	5.50	8.01	8.15	1900
97	Mongolia	6.16	6.68	6.01	8.78	7.17	880
98	Turkey	7.18	7.32	6.53	5.83	9.06	5400
99	Brazil	7.22	6.12	6.42	7.32	9.01	4730
100	Maldives	7.25	7.00	4.77	8.96	8.29	2680
101	Jamaica	7.26	6.28	6.39	7.78	8.60	3480
102	Botswana	7.27	6.59	8.41	9.29	4.78	5900
103	Micronesia	7.28	4.65	7.77	9.81	6.90	2380
104	Tonga	7.32	4.90	5.25	9.52	9.63	2170
105	Armenia	7.34	7.97	4.73	8.23	8.44	1930
106	Marshall Islands	7.37	4.20	6.66	9.82	8.82	3000
107	Ukraine	7.38	6.92	5.34	7.90	9.34	1950
108	Serbia	7.43	7.14	5.89	7.39	9.29	3910
109	Suriname	7.49	5.86	6.63	8.72	8.74	3200
110	South Africa	7.50	6.89	8.07	7.72	7.33	5390
111	Albania	7.59	7.42	5.33	7.95	9.65	2960
112	Tunisia	7.61	7.12	5.57	8.22	9.53	2970
113	Bosnia-Herzegovina	7.63	7.52	5.63	7.87	9.51	2980
114	Macedonia	7.66	7.04	5.84	8.09	9.66	3060
115	Argentina	7.67	6.18	6.17	8.54	9.77	5150
116	Vanuatu	7.70	6.06	7.21	10.00	7.52	1710
117	Belize	7.71	6.49	6.92	8.54	8.88	3650
118	Jordan	7.74	7.26	6.16	8.03	9.50	2660
119	Kiribati	7.75	5.65	7.61	10.00	7.75	1230
120	Mexico	7.83	7.82	6.38	7.63	9.51	7870
121	Romania	7.91	7.91	6.77	8.42	8.54	4850
122	Panama	7.94	7.06	7.02	9.05	8.64	4890
123	Cape Verde	7.96	6.60	8.46	9.49	7.30	2130
124	Malaysia	8.20	7.64	7.06	8.49	9.61	5490
125	Samoa	8.21	5.87	7.77	9.86	9.33	2270
126	Seychelles	8.23	7.33	6.54	9.52	9.55	8650
127	Bulgaria	8.38	8.05	7.21	8.61	9.64	3990
128	Oman	8.46	8.67	6.26	9.42	9.48	9070
129	Grenada	8.48	7.03	7.87	9.49	9.52	4420
130	Costa Rica	8.65	6.89	8.31	9.62	9.79	4930
131	Croatia	8.67	9.26	7.27	8.46	9.70	9330
132	Uruguay	8.76	7.14	8.67	9.43	9.79	5310
133	Mauritius	8.79	7.34	8.49	9.67	9.68	5450
134	Dominica	8.90	7.47	8.92	9.57	9.66	3960
135	Poland	9.01	8.95	8.17	8.98	9.95	8190
136	Latvia	9.08	9.18	8.54	9.45	9.16	8100
137	Saint Lucia	9.11	8.01	9.60	9.25	9.59	5110
138	Lithuania	9.27	9.33	8.44	9.63	9.69	7870
139	Chile	9.35	7.99	10.00	9.43	10.00	6980
140	Hungary	9.41	10.00	8.92	9.01	9.69	10950
141	Slovak Republic	9.41	9.95	8.68	9.32	9.68	9870