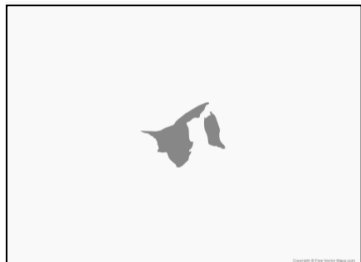


# Country Profile

## BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

### Region: Asia-Pacific



2020 EPI Country Rank (out of 180)

**46**

2020 EPI Score [0=worst, 100=best]

**54.8**

GDP [PPP 2011\$ billions]

**30.8**

GDP *per capita* [\$]

**71,802**

Population [millions]

**0.4**

Urbanization [%]

**78.25**

## Country Scorecard

### Issue Categories

### Rank [/180]

#### Environmental Health

29

Air Quality

29

Sanitation & Drinking Water

27

Heavy Metals

46

Waste Management

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#### Ecosystem Vitality

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Biodiversity & Habitat

98

Ecosystem Services

89

Fisheries

101

Climate Change

90

Pollution Emissions

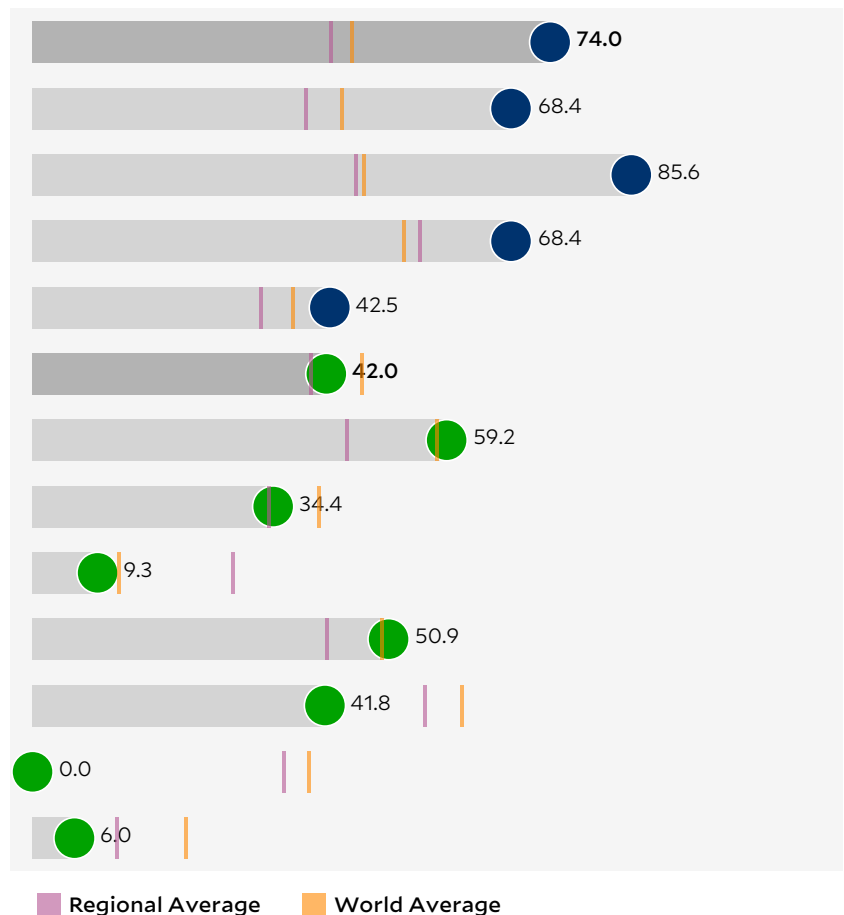
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Agriculture

180

Water Resources

76



Region: Asia-Pacific

	Rank	EPI Score	10-Year Change	Regional Rank	Regional Average
<b>Environmental Performance Index</b>	46	54.8	+2.0	5	40.8
<b>Environmental Health</b>	29	74	+0.1	4	42.4
<b>Air Quality</b>	29	68.4	-1.9	4	39.0
Household solid fuels	44	75.8	+6.1	4	33.1
PM <sub>2.5</sub> exposure	27	63.4	-7.7	2	42.0
Ozone exposure	27	65	-2.0	7	53.2
<b>Sanitation &amp; Drinking Water</b>	27	85.6	+1.7	4	46.2
Unsafe sanitation	22	94.3	+3.3	4	51.1
Unsafe drinking water	28	79.7	+0.6	4	42.9
<b>Heavy Metals / Lead exposure</b>	46	68.4	+7.9	9	55.4
<b>Waste Management / Controlled solid waste</b>	77	42.5	-	9	32.7
<b>Ecosystem Vitality</b>	112	42	+3.2	9	39.7
<b>Biodiversity &amp; Habitat</b>	98	59.2	+0.5	9	44.9
Terrestrial biomes (nat'l)	1	100	-	1	58.3
Terrestrial biomes (global)	1	100	-	1	56.9
Marine protected areas	88	1.2	-	14	12.5
Protected Areas Representativeness Index	139	12.7	+8.2	17	15.7
Species Habitat Index	0	0	-	25	62.6
Species Protection Index	0	0	-	25	62.5
Biodiversity Habitat Index	58	58.8	-3.8	9	58.2
<b>Ecosystem Services</b>	89	34.4	-3.5	8	33.8
Tree cover loss	72	34.4	-3.5	8	32.6
Grassland loss	0	0	-	25	51.2
Wetland loss	0	0	-	25	45.1
<b>Fisheries</b>	101	9.3	-0.6	22	28.6
Fish Stock Status	0	0	-	25	13.0
Marine Trophic Index	75	12.6	-	13	32.4
Fish caught by trawling	44	5.5	-1.4	18	37.8
<b>Climate Change</b>	90	50.9	+11.5	8	42.1
CO <sub>2</sub> growth rate	79	44	+9.5	6	30.6
CH <sub>4</sub> growth rate	70	75.7	+22.1	6	59.7
F-gas growth rate	78	89.4	+20.4	8	90.5
N <sub>2</sub> O growth rate	102	55.8	+23.1	13	58.7
Black Carbon growth rate	134	35.1	-14.4	22	56.2
CO <sub>2</sub> from land cover	76	54.8	-	5	38.5
Greenhouse gas intensity growth rate	169	11.1	+11.1	21	43.1
Greenhouse gas emissions <i>per capita</i>	172	0	-	25	52.6
<b>Pollution Emissions</b>	132	41.8	-25.0	20	56.1
SO <sub>2</sub> growth rate	171	9.5	-58.7	24	69.2
NO <sub>x</sub> growth rate	60	74	+8.6	4	43.1
<b>Agriculture / Sustainable Nitrogen Management Index</b>	180	0	-	25	35.9
<b>Water Resources / Wastewater treatment</b>	76	6	-	7	11.9

Note: three largest increases in green and three largest decreases in red. "-" indicates no change.

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## BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

Peer Comparisons: EPI Scores for this country and peers based on similar characteristics

EPI Performance	
United Arab Emirates	55.6
North Macedonia	55.4
Chile	55.3
Serbia	55.2
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Kuwait	53.6
Jordan	53.4
Belarus	53.0
Colombia	52.9
Mexico	52.6

GDP per capita	
Switzerland	81.5
Norway	77.7
Netherlands	75.3
Ireland	72.8
United States of America	69.3
Singapore	58.1
Taiwan	57.2
United Arab Emirates	55.6
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Kuwait	53.6

Issue Performance	
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Colombia	52.9
Costa Rica	52.5
Ecuador	51.0
Antigua and Barbuda	48.5
Cuba	48.4
Trinidad and Tobago	47.5
Panama	47.3
Bahamas	43.5
Saint Lucia	43.1

Regulatory Quality	
Slovenia	72.0
Italy	71.0
Slovakia	68.3
Hungary	63.7
Bulgaria	57.0
North Macedonia	55.4
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Malaysia	47.9
Barbados	45.6
Peru	44.0

Voice & Accountability	
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Gabon	45.8
Turkey	42.6
Pakistan	33.1
Angola	29.7
Togo	29.5
Mauritania	27.7
Haiti	27.0
Guinea	26.4
Myanmar	25.1

Political Stability	
Switzerland	81.5
Norway	77.7
Japan	75.1
Malta	70.7
Portugal	67.0
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Dominica	44.6
Bhutan	39.3
Samoa	37.3
Micronesia	33.0

Asia-Pacific	
South Korea	66.5
Singapore	58.1
Taiwan	57.2
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Malaysia	47.9
Thailand	45.4
Tonga	45.1
Philippines	38.4
Indonesia	37.8
Kiribati	37.7

Commonwealth of Nations	
Seychelles	58.2
Singapore	58.1
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Antigua and Barbuda	48.5
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	48.4
Jamaica	48.2
Malaysia	47.9
Trinidad and Tobago	47.5
Barbados	45.6
Mauritius	45.1

Ease of Doing Business Index	
Luxembourg	82.3
Brunei Darussalam	54.8
Colombia	52.9
Costa Rica	52.5
Bahrain	51.0
Ukraine	49.5
Jamaica	48.2
Peru	44.0
Oman	38.5
Viet Nam	33.4

**Note:** 'Issue Performance' based on *k*-nearest neighbors analysis of EPI issue categories.

**Sources:** GDP *per capita*, Worldwide Governance Indicators, and Ease of Doing Business Index from World Bank DataBank. Urbanization rate from UN, Dept. of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division.