

Region: Greater Middle East

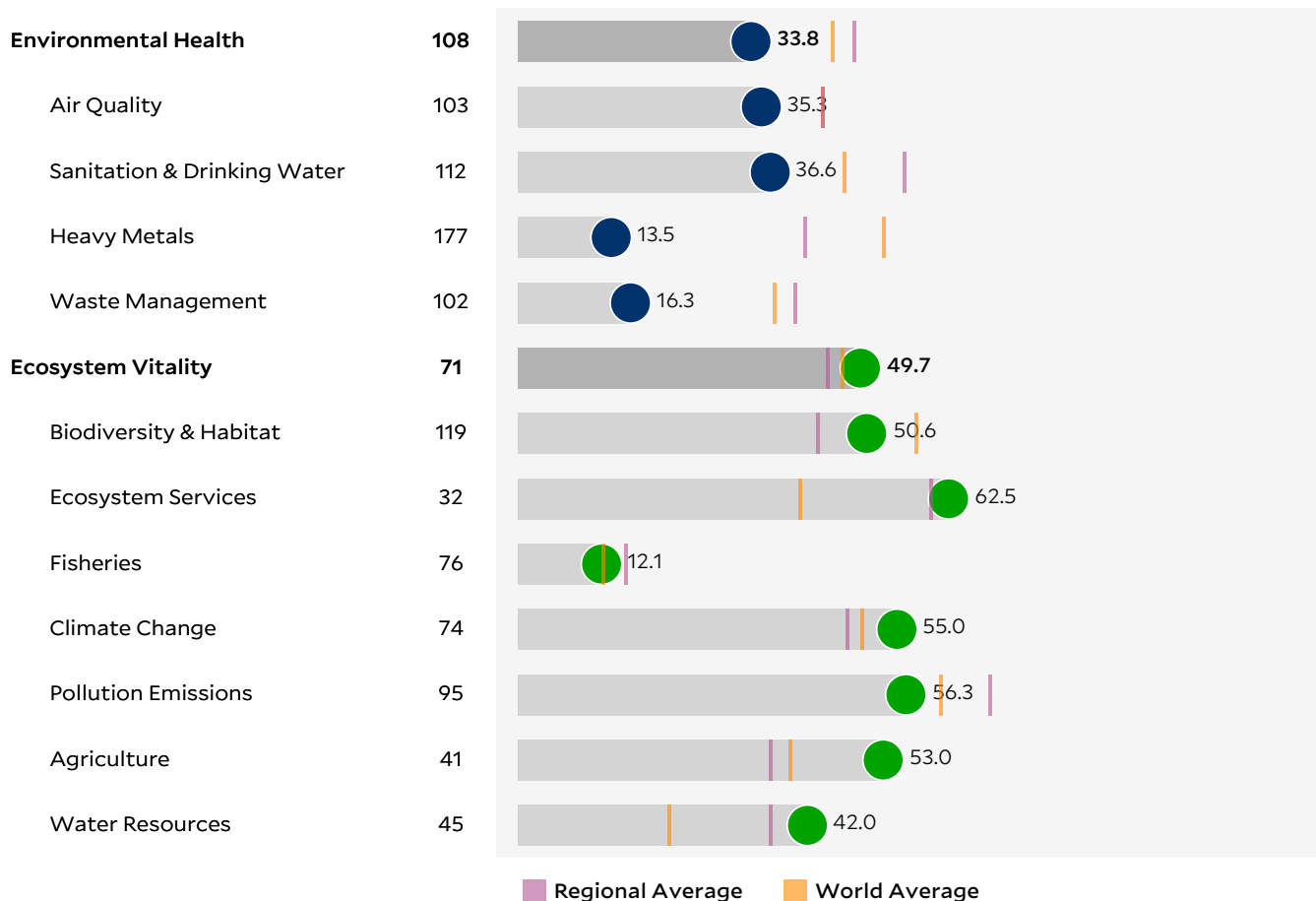


2020 EPI Country Rank (out of 180)	GDP [PPP 2011\$ billions]	1,084.0
94	GDP <i>per capita</i> [\$]	11,014
2020 EPI Score [0=worst, 100=best]	Population [millions]	98.4
43.3	Urbanization [%]	42.78

Country Scorecard

Issue Categories

Rank [/180]



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	Rank	EPI Score	10-Year Change	Regional Rank	Regional Average
Environmental Performance Index	94	43.3	+7.7	11	46.5
Environmental Health	108	33.8	+6.8	14	48.7
Air Quality	103	35.3	+6.5	14	44.3
Household solid fuels	33	85	+15.8	6	79.5
PM _{2.5} exposure	180	0	-	16	19.8
Ozone exposure	161	24.9	+2.1	14	32.6
Sanitation & Drinking Water	112	36.6	+8.5	15	56.2
Unsafe sanitation	118	36.7	+11.2	15	65.9
Unsafe drinking water	108	36.6	+6.8	14	49.7
Heavy Metals / Lead exposure	177	13.5	+3.4	15	41.6
Waste Management / Controlled solid waste	102	16.3	-	13	40.3
Ecosystem Vitality	71	49.7	+8.3	6	45.0
Biodiversity & Habitat	119	50.6	+0.7	4	43.5
Terrestrial biomes (nat'l)	98	75.4	+0.1	5	45.4
Terrestrial biomes (global)	137	42.4	-	8	44.3
Marine protected areas	58	10.3	+1.3	4	18.2
Protected Areas Representativeness Index	147	10.6	+6.5	5	9.8
Species Habitat Index	12	97	-2.3	4	89.2
Species Protection Index	111	65.1	-	5	55.5
Biodiversity Habitat Index	8	77.1	-	2	66.2
Ecosystem Services	32	62.5	+0.5	8	59.9
Tree cover loss	27	61.1	+1.6	6	57.4
Grassland loss	1	100	-	1	67.5
Wetland loss	86	50.6	-17.7	10	71.5
Fisheries	76	12.1	+1.4	10	15.5
Fish Stock Status	57	9.5	+2.8	7	14.1
Marine Trophic Index	66	14.7	-	8	17.2
Fish caught by trawling	0	0	-	16	5.8
Climate Change	74	55	+19.9	6	47.8
CO ₂ growth rate	53	52.9	+23.0	6	43.0
CH ₄ growth rate	116	54.9	+38.3	7	50.3
F-gas growth rate	31	93.1	+1.5	4	93.2
N ₂ O growth rate	102	55.8	+21.0	7	43.4
Black Carbon growth rate	154	18	-13.8	12	46.8
CO ₂ from land cover	147	21	-	9	34.0
Greenhouse gas intensity growth rate	68	53.4	+21.1	7	51.4
Greenhouse gas emissions <i>per capita</i>	77	60.4	+1.6	6	32.8
Pollution Emissions	95	56.3	-3.6	14	68.4
SO ₂ growth rate	115	54.3	-21.6	13	76.4
NO _x growth rate	80	58.4	+14.5	11	60.3
Agriculture / Sustainable Nitrogen Management Index	41	53	+2.6	2	36.5
Water Resources / Wastewater treatment	45	42	-	7	36.7

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

Country Profile

EGYPT

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

EPI Performance	
Peru	44.0
Saudi Arabia	44.0
Turkmenistan	43.9
Bahamas	43.5
Egypt	43.3
El Salvador	43.1
Grenada	43.1
Saint Lucia	43.1
South Africa	43.1
Turkey	42.6

GDP per capita	
Ecuador	51.0
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	48.4
Tunisia	46.7
Paraguay	46.4
Lebanon	45.4
Egypt	43.3
South Africa	43.1
Georgia	41.3
Sri Lanka	39.0
Indonesia	37.8

Issue Performance	
Iran	48.0
Suriname	45.2
Kazakhstan	44.7
Uzbekistan	44.3
Egypt	43.3
Morocco	42.3
Philippines	38.4
Guyana	35.9
Sudan	34.8
Pakistan	33.1

Regulatory Quality	
Ecuador	51.0
Gabon	45.8
Bolivia	44.3
Egypt	43.3
São Tomé and Príncipe	37.6
Nigeria	31.0
Bangladesh	29.0
Mauritania	27.7
Solomon Islands	26.7
Sierra Leone	25.7

Voice & Accountability	
Belarus	53.0
Iran	48.0
Kazakhstan	44.7
Egypt	43.3
Qatar	37.1
Central African Republic	36.9
Eswatini	33.8
Cambodia	33.6
Republic of Congo	30.8
Djibouti	

Political Stability	
Iran	48.0
Egypt	43.3
Turkey	42.6
Philippines	38.4
Burkina Faso	38.3
Kenya	34.7
Ethiopia	34.4
Niger	30.8
Bangladesh	29.0
Myanmar	25.1

Greater Middle East	
Iran	48.0
Tunisia	46.7
Lebanon	45.4
Algeria	44.8
Saudi Arabia	44.0
Egypt	43.3
Morocco	42.3
Iraq	39.5
Oman	38.5
Qatar	37.1

Emerging Markets	
Malaysia	47.9
Thailand	45.4
Peru	44.0
Saudi Arabia	44.0
Egypt	43.3
South Africa	43.1
Turkey	42.6
Philippines	38.4
Indonesia	37.8
China	37.3

Ease of Doing Business Index	
Argentina	52.2
Brazil	51.2
Iran	48.0
Paraguay	46.4
Egypt	43.3
Uganda	35.6
Eswatini	33.8
Djibouti	28.1
Lesotho	28.0
Côte d'Ivoire	25.8

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.