

Region: Southern Asia

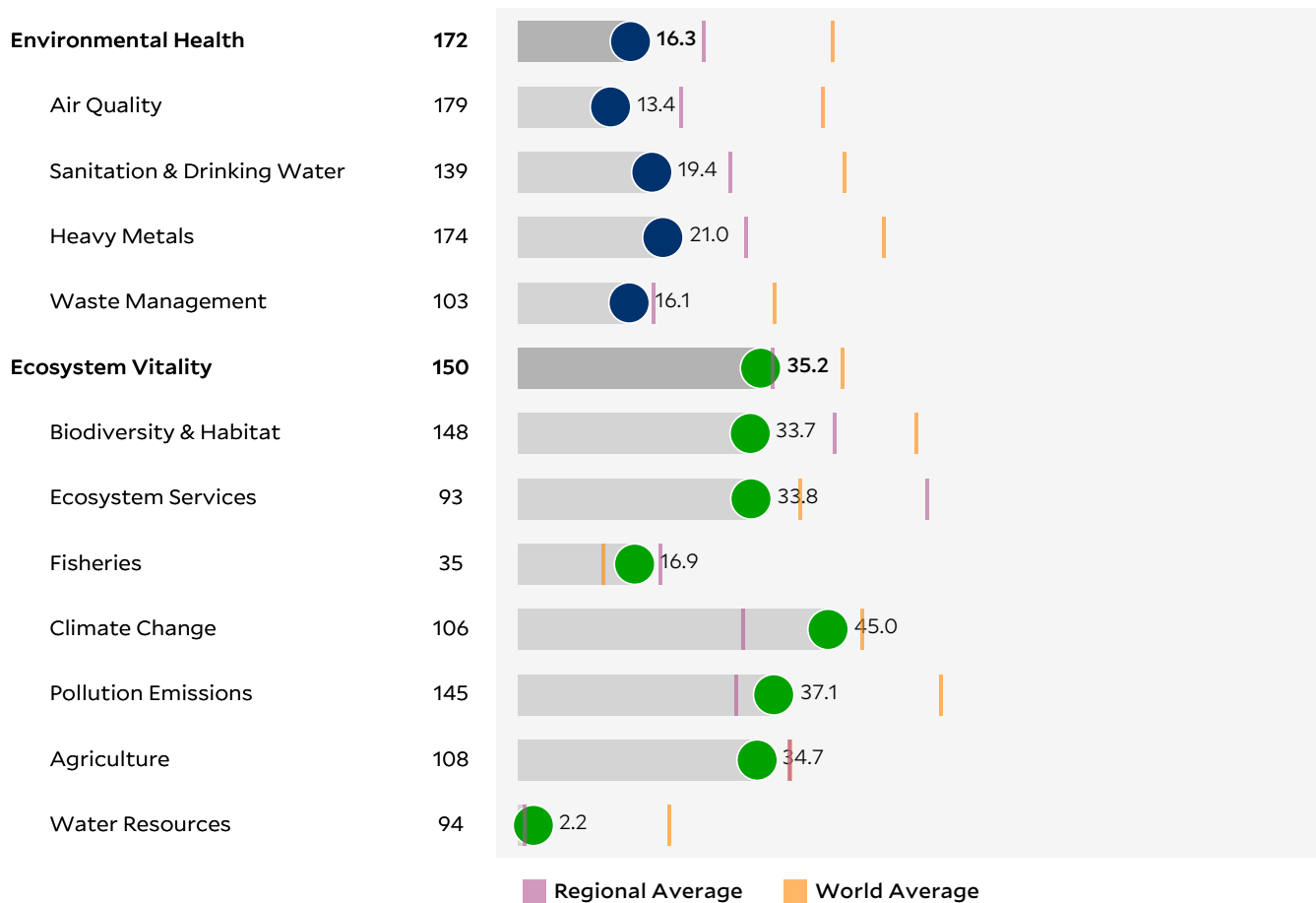


2020 EPI Country Rank (out of 180)	GDP [PPP 2011\$ billions]	9,317.1
168	GDP <i>per capita</i> [\$]	6,888
2020 EPI Score [0=worst, 100=best]	Population [millions]	1,352.6
27.6	Urbanization [%]	34.93

Country Scorecard

Issue Categories

Rank [/180]



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	Rank	EPI Score	10-Year Change	Regional Rank	Regional Average
Environmental Performance Index	168	27.6	-	7	32.7
Environmental Health	172	16.3	+3.9	7	26.8
Air Quality	179	13.4	+0.4	7	23.7
Household solid fuels	128	18.6	+6.6	3	19.4
PM _{2.5} exposure	174	10.9	-4.0	7	27.8
Ozone exposure	179	0	-0.4	7	12.2
Sanitation & Drinking Water	139	19.4	+8.9	7	30.8
Unsafe sanitation	138	21.4	+10.5	7	32.9
Unsafe drinking water	141	18.1	+7.9	7	29.4
Heavy Metals / Lead exposure	174	21	+3.9	7	33.2
Waste Management / Controlled solid waste	103	16.1	-	4	19.6
Ecosystem Vitality	150	35.2	-2.5	5	36.7
Biodiversity & Habitat	148	33.7	-0.5	6	45.7
Terrestrial biomes (nat'l)	145	28.2	+0.1	5	47.3
Terrestrial biomes (global)	139	37	-	6	53.6
Marine protected areas	88	1.2	-	3	7.8
Protected Areas Representativeness Index	155	8.7	+6.8	6	19.8
Species Habitat Index	80	85.9	-12.2	5	88.8
Species Protection Index	113	63	-	4	64.1
Biodiversity Habitat Index	134	46.3	+0.3	5	47.8
Ecosystem Services	93	33.8	-8.1	7	59.4
Tree cover loss	88	31.8	-9.2	7	58.0
Grassland loss	115	47.8	+10.4	6	64.3
Wetland loss	77	55	-8.4	5	79.1
Fisheries	35	16.9	-1.4	3	20.4
Fish Stock Status	23	17	-5.3	2	15.7
Marine Trophic Index	40	19.9	-	2	19.0
Fish caught by trawling	19	13.1	+1.5	2	32.6
Climate Change	106	45	-2.9	2	32.6
CO ₂ growth rate	128	28.1	-5.9	2	14.4
CH ₄ growth rate	84	68.3	+5.6	3	67.8
F-gas growth rate	45	91	+1.3	2	93.5
N ₂ O growth rate	97	56.8	+11.2	3	49.8
Black Carbon growth rate	141	32.2	-25.8	6	40.2
CO ₂ from land cover	114	40	-	4	56.9
Greenhouse gas intensity growth rate	44	62.2	+7.2	1	45.9
Greenhouse gas emissions <i>per capita</i>	64	66.5	-8.6	6	77.7
Pollution Emissions	145	37.1	-8.4	4	31.7
SO ₂ growth rate	140	42.4	-1.3	4	36.7
NO _x growth rate	139	31.8	-15.5	4	26.7
Agriculture / Sustainable Nitrogen Management Index	108	34.7	+2.4	6	39.3
Water Resources / Wastewater treatment	94	2.2	-	2	0.8

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

Country Profile

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

EPI Performance	
Djibouti	28.1
Lesotho	28.0
Gambia	27.9
Mauritania	27.7
Ghana	27.6
India	27.6
Burundi	27.0
Haiti	27.0
Chad	26.7
Solomon Islands	26.7

GDP per capita	
Moldova	44.4
Bolivia	44.3
Uzbekistan	44.3
El Salvador	43.1
Timor-Leste	35.3
Laos	34.8
Viet Nam	33.4
Cabo Verde	32.8
Guatemala	31.8
India	27.6

Issue Performance	
Eswatini	33.8
Cameroon	33.6
Comoros	32.1
Guatemala	31.8
Angola	29.7
Bangladesh	29.0
Lesotho	28.0
Gambia	27.9
India	27.6
Haiti	27.0

Regulatory Quality	
Seychelles	58.2
Ukraine	49.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	45.4
Sri Lanka	39.0
China	37.3
Kenya	34.7
Fiji	34.4
Guatemala	31.8
India	27.6
Côte d'Ivoire	25.8

Voice & Accountability	
Romania	64.7
Hungary	63.7
Bulgaria	57.0
Brazil	51.2
Suriname	45.2
Belize	41.9
Botswana	40.4
Namibia	40.2
Timor-Leste	35.3
India	27.6

Political Stability	
Israel	65.8
Colombia	52.9
Bahrain	51.0
Tunisia	46.7
Burkina Faso	38.3
Togo	29.5
Bangladesh	29.0
India	27.6
Guinea	26.4
Côte d'Ivoire	25.8

Southern Asia	
Bhutan	39.3
Sri Lanka	39.0
Maldives	35.6
Pakistan	33.1
Nepal	32.7
Bangladesh	29.0
India	27.6
Afghanistan	25.5

G-20	
Mexico	52.6
Argentina	52.2
Brazil	51.2
Russia	50.5
Saudi Arabia	44.0
South Africa	43.1
Turkey	42.6
Indonesia	37.8
China	37.3
India	27.6

Ease of Doing Business Index	
Greece	69.1
Albania	49.0
Panama	47.3
Tunisia	46.7
Uzbekistan	44.3
South Africa	43.1
Indonesia	37.8
Qatar	37.1
Mongolia	32.2
India	27.6

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.