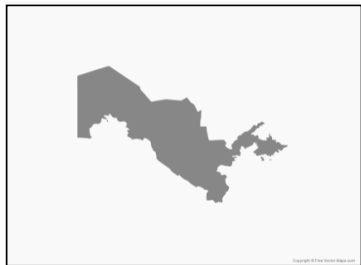


Region: Former Soviet States



2020 EPI Country Rank (out of 180)

88

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

44.3

GDP [PPP 2011\$ billions]

250.2

GDP *per capita* [\$]

7,592

Population [millions]

33.0

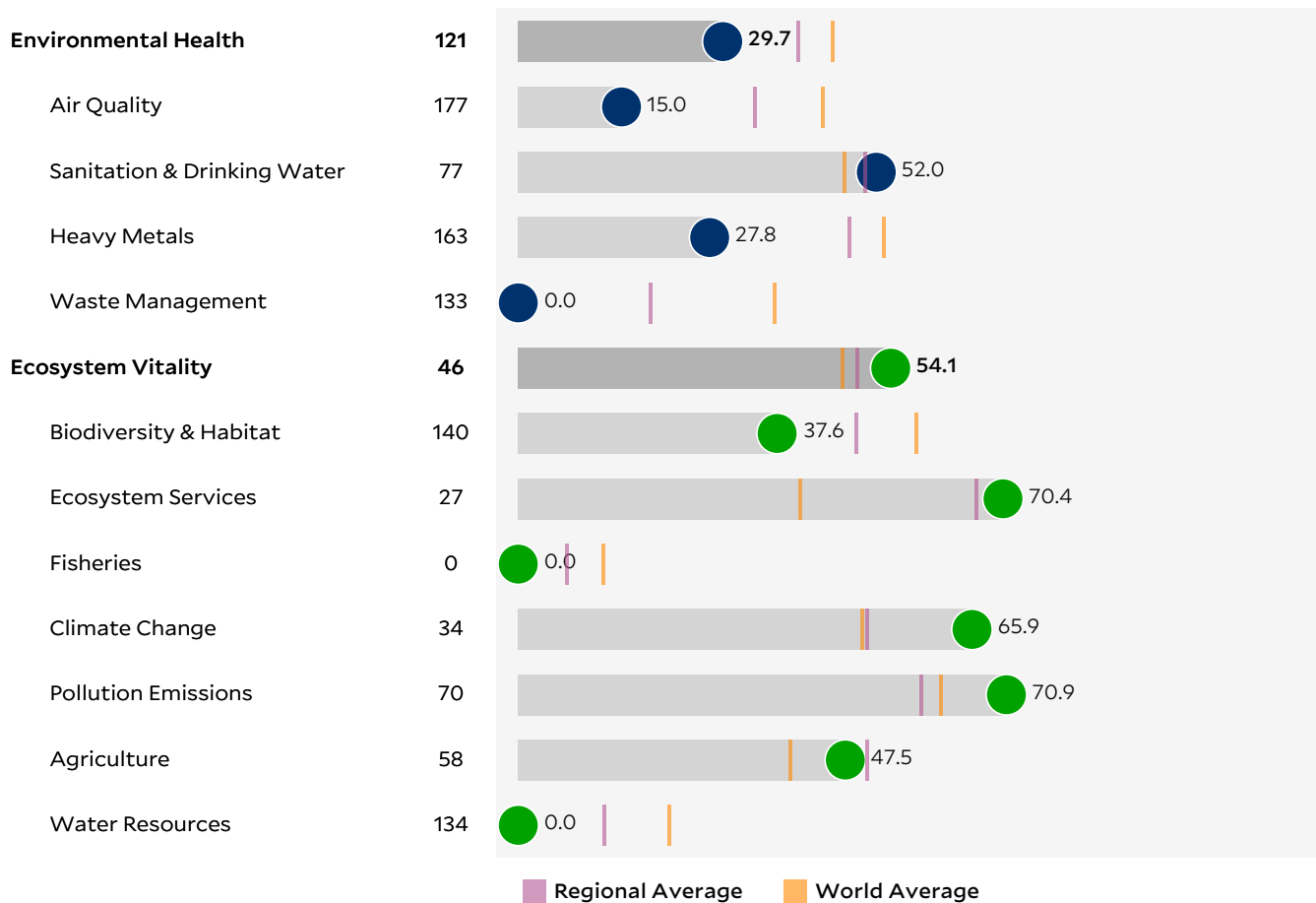
Urbanization [%]

50.42

Country Scorecard

Issue Categories

Rank [/180]



Region: Former Soviet States

	Rank	EPI Score	10-Year Change	Regional Rank	Regional Average
Environmental Performance Index	88	44.3	+3.1	8	45.7
Environmental Health	121	29.7	+3.0	11	40.7
Air Quality	177	15	+3.7	12	34.3
Household solid fuels	104	32.8	+9.0	9	46.9
PM _{2.5} exposure	179	0.3	+0.3	12	24.8
Ozone exposure	123	34.5	-0.1	7	38.2
Sanitation & Drinking Water	77	52	+1.9	6	50.5
Unsafe sanitation	94	49.2	+1.8	7	49.0
Unsafe drinking water	60	53.8	+1.9	6	51.5
Heavy Metals / Lead exposure	163	27.8	+6.3	11	48.0
Waste Management / Controlled solid waste	133	0	-	7	19.1
Ecosystem Vitality	46	54.1	+3.2	3	49.0
Biodiversity & Habitat	140	37.6	-1.5	11	48.9
Terrestrial biomes (nat'l)	156	19.2	-	10	41.5
Terrestrial biomes (global)	142	35	-	7	46.2
Marine protected areas	0	0	-	12	14.7
Protected Areas Representativeness Index	178	1.7	+0.9	12	16.5
Species Habitat Index	118	75.2	-13.9	12	90.4
Species Protection Index	129	49.2	-	11	68.9
Biodiversity Habitat Index	39	65.9	+0.7	3	56.0
Ecosystem Services	27	70.4	+7.5	7	66.4
Tree cover loss	22	72.2	+9.8	7	66.1
Grassland loss	99	52.2	+17.4	7	59.0
Wetland loss	71	56	-44.0	8	77.3
Fisheries	0	0	-	12	7.0
Fish Stock Status	0	0	-	12	7.8
Marine Trophic Index	0	0	-	12	10.7
Fish caught by trawling	0	0	-	12	3.2
Climate Change	34	65.9	+6.4	2	50.5
CO ₂ growth rate	16	67.9	+11.6	1	44.6
CH ₄ growth rate	137	44	+0.9	8	49.9
F-gas growth rate	112	78.7	+7.7	12	88.5
N ₂ O growth rate	164	21.2	-42.4	9	33.9
Black Carbon growth rate	25	97.2	+27.5	2	46.9
CO ₂ from land cover	15	91.6	-	8	83.3
Greenhouse gas intensity growth rate	7	97.1	-2.9	1	49.2
Greenhouse gas emissions <i>per capita</i>	102	43.2	+5.2	6	41.5
Pollution Emissions	70	70.9	-1.1	7	58.4
SO ₂ growth rate	87	68.5	-24.4	5	60.8
NO _x growth rate	61	73.2	+22.1	5	55.9
Agriculture / Sustainable Nitrogen Management Index	58	47.5	+0.9	7	50.5
Water Resources / Wastewater treatment	134	0	-	12	12.4

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	
Algeria	44.8
Kazakhstan	44.7
Dominica	44.6
Moldova	44.4
Bolivia	44.3
Uzbekistan	44.3
Peru	44.0
Saudi Arabia	44.0
Turkmenistan	43.9
Bahamas	43.5

GDP per capita	
Ukraine	49.5
Jamaica	48.2
Bolivia	44.3
Uzbekistan	44.3
El Salvador	43.1
Morocco	42.3
Belize	41.9
Philippines	38.4
Guyana	35.9
Guatemala	31.8

Issue Performance	
Iran	48.0
Azerbaijan	46.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	45.4
Suriname	45.2
Kazakhstan	44.7
Moldova	44.4
Uzbekistan	44.3
Egypt	43.3
Morocco	42.3
Pakistan	33.1

Regulatory Quality	
Uzbekistan	44.3
Iraq	39.5
Tajikistan	38.2
Comoros	32.1
Marshall Islands	30.8
Angola	29.7
Guinea-Bissau	29.1
Burundi	27.0
Chad	26.7
Afghanistan	25.5

Voice & Accountability	
Azerbaijan	46.5
Uzbekistan	44.3
Saudi Arabia	44.0
Tajikistan	38.2
China	37.3
Dem. Rep. Congo	36.4
Laos	34.8
Viet Nam	33.4
Burundi	27.0
Chad	26.7

Political Stability	
Gabon	45.8
Bolivia	44.3
Uzbekistan	44.3
Peru	44.0
South Africa	43.1
Morocco	42.3
Malawi	38.3
China	37.3
Eswatini	33.8
Angola	29.7

Former Soviet States	
Russia	50.5
Ukraine	49.5
Azerbaijan	46.5
Kazakhstan	44.7
Moldova	44.4
Uzbekistan	44.3
Turkmenistan	43.9
Georgia	41.3
Kyrgyzstan	39.8
Tajikistan	38.2

Landlocked Developing Countries	
Azerbaijan	46.5
Paraguay	46.4
Kazakhstan	44.7
Moldova	44.4
Bolivia	44.3
Uzbekistan	44.3
Turkmenistan	43.9
Botswana	40.4
Kyrgyzstan	39.8
Bhutan	39.3

Ease of Doing Business Index	
Greece	69.1
Albania	49.0
Jamaica	48.2
Tunisia	46.7
Uzbekistan	44.3
Peru	44.0
Indonesia	37.8
Viet Nam	33.4
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.