

2018 IIAG Ghana Scores, Ranks & Trends



OVERALL GOVERNANCE

2017 SCORE/100	2017 RANK/54	TREND 2008-2017
68.1	6 th	+0.9



SAFETY & RULE OF LAW

SCORE/100 RANK/54 TREND
2017 2017 2008-2017

SAFETY & RULE OF LAW	70.7	6	-2.3
RULE OF LAW	90.6	2	+4.7
Independence of the Judiciary (BS/WEF/V-Dem/GI)	85.8	5	+4.7
Independence & Transparency of the Judicial Process (EIU/GI)	83.3	5	0.0
Access to Justice (V-Dem)	94.7	3	-3.4
Property Rights (BS/WEF/AfDB/WB)	79.5	3	+1.8
Mechanisms for Orderly Transfers of Power (EIU)	100.0	1	+25.0
Absence of Multilateral Sanctions (CDD)	100.0	1	0.0
TRANSPARENCY & ACCOUNTABILITY	45.2	16	-4.9
Access to Public & Legislative Information (GI)	50.0	16	0.0
Access to Records of State-owned Companies (GI)	0.0	28	-25.0
Accountability of Government & Public Employees (V-Dem/AfDB/WB/EIU)	66.0	9	-4.6
Sanctions for Abuse of Office (BS)	57.1	6	-14.3
Absence of Corruption in Government Branches (V-Dem)	39.2	31	-2.2
Absence of Corruption in the Public Sector (V-Dem/EIU/WEF)	44.1	18	-0.5
Absence of Corruption in the Private Sector (WEF/WB)	35.2	26	-20.5
Absence of Favouritism (EIU/WEF)	42.4	23	+8.6
Anti-corruption Mechanisms (BS/GI/AFR)	72.9	2	+14.9
PERSONAL SAFETY	61.6	9	-3.2
Perception of Personal Safety (EIU/AFR)	67.3	7	-3.8
Reliability of Police Services (WEF/GI)	57.4	7	+12.1
Absence of Social Unrest (EIU/ACLED)	75.9	6	+0.9
Absence of Crime (EIU/AFR)	64.3	13	-3.4
Absence of Government Violence against Civilians (ACLED/PTS)	79.9	14	0.0
Absence of Human Trafficking (USDS)	25.0	19	-25.0
NATIONAL SECURITY	85.4	22	-5.8
Absence of Government Involvement in Armed Conflict (UCDP)	66.7	40	-33.3
Absence of Domestic Armed Conflict or Risk of Conflict (EIU)	75.0	9	0.0
Absence of Violence against Civilians by Non-state Actors (ACLED)	97.4	25	-1.4
Absence of Cross-border Tensions (EIU)	75.0	9	0.0
Absence of Internally Displaced Persons (IDMC)	100.0	1	0.0
Absence of Refugees (UNHCR)	98.5	28	-0.1



PARTICIPATION & HUMAN RIGHTS

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PARTICIPATION & HUMAN RIGHTS	73.0	5	-0.3
PARTICIPATION	82.6	4	+2.8
Political Participation (EIU/FH/V-Dem)	88.9	4	+9.3
Civil Society Participation (BS/V-Dem/GI)	94.3	2	+0.2
Democratic Elections (BS/CDD/V-Dem)	78.6	11	-0.1
Capacity of Election Monitoring Agencies (V-Dem/GI)	62.1	11	+4.5
Effective Power to Govern (BS)	88.9	3	0.0
RIGHTS	70.3	5	-2.4
Freedom of Expression (BS/RSF/V-Dem/GI)	87.2	3	-6.2
Freedom of Association & Assembly (BS/GI)	81.9	6	+6.2
Civil Rights & Liberties (BS/FH)	86.1	8	-8.1
Ratification & Reporting of International Human Rights Conventions (UNOLA/OHCHR)	66.7	22	+19.1
Un-likelihood of Human Rights Abuses by the Government (EIU)	50.0	8	-25.0
Protection against Ethnic & Religious Discrimination (GI)	50.0	5	0.0
GENDER	66.1	15	-1.3
Promotion of Gender Equality (AfDB/WB)	79.6	4	+2.1
Women's Political Representation (IPU/GI/WB)	30.6	40	-1.8
Gender Parity in Primary & Lower Secondary School (UNESCO)	79.7	7	+9.4
Women's Labour Force Participation (WB)	83.2	11	+1.8
Workplace Gender Equality (GI)	50.0	4	0.0
Representation of Women in the Judiciary (GI)	75.0	18	-25.0
Laws on Violence against Women (OECD)	41.7	22	-0.3
Women's Political Empowerment (V-Dem)	89.2	8	+3.3



SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

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SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY	58.6	13	+1.6
PUBLIC MANAGEMENT	52.3	13	+0.1
Governmental Statistical Capacity (WB/GI)	62.5	14	+6.8
Civil Registration (GI)	37.5	44	+12.5
Effectiveness of the Public Service (AfDB/WB)	76.0	8	-3.2
Online Public Services (UNDESA)	60.8	12	+21.0
Diversification of Exports (AfDB&OECD&UNDP)	7.6	31	-3.4
Budgetary & Financial Management (AfDB/WB)	73.2	6	-8.5
Budget Balance (AfDB&AUC&UNECA)	28.7	36	+5.8
Fiscal Policy (AfDB/WB)	56.3	21	-7.2
Tax & Revenue Mobilisation (ICTD&UNU-WIDER/AfDB/WB)	68.2	2	-23.0
BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT	61.4	5	-4.6
Business Regulatory Environment (BS/GI/AfDB/WB)	61.6	12	-9.0
Absence of Excessive Bureaucracy & Red Tape (EIU)	66.7	4	+33.4
Absence of Restrictions on Foreign Investment (WEF)	63.7	11	-23.3
Efficiency of Customs Procedures (WEF)	55.1	16	+14.4
Robustness of Banks (WEF)	49.3	18	-32.0
Satisfaction with Employment Creation (AFR)	64.4	2	-15.9
Government Development of Regional Integration (AfDB)	68.8	10	0.0
INFRASTRUCTURE	61.5	11	+6.7
Enabling Environment for Infrastructure Development (AfDB)	69.8	9	-2.3
Transport Infrastructure (WEF/AFR/EIU/GI)	44.8	19	-3.2
Reliability of Electricity Supply (WEF/AFR)	55.7	11	+11.8
Digital & IT Infrastructure (EIU/ITU)	55.0	10	+28.9
Access to Drinking Water (WHO&UNICEF)	73.1	16	+7.4
Satisfaction with Provision of Water & Sanitation Services (AFR)	70.6	2	-2.4
RURAL SECTOR	59.2	16	+4.1
Access to Rural Land & Water for Agriculture (IFAD)	66.0	12	+16.9
Rural Business Climate (IFAD)	60.6	10	-10.9
Government Investment in Rural Development (IFAD)	50.0	24	-3.3
Access to Agricultural Research & Extension Services (IFAD)	70.0	16	+20.2
Budgetary Balance of Agricultural Policy (WEF)	59.3	14	+2.8
Participation of Rural Organisations (IFAD)	56.9	26	+1.4
Promotion of Gender Parity in Rural Organisations (IFAD)	50.0	13	-12.5
Rural Accountability & Transparency (IFAD)	60.5	12	+18.1



HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

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HUMAN DEVELOPMENT	69.9	5	+4.5
WELFARE	67.1	5	-1.6
Welfare Policies & Services (AfDB/WB)	82.9	6	-3.1
Promotion of Socio-economic Integration of Youth (GI)	50.0	12	0.0
Social Safety Nets (GI/BS)	47.4	11	-7.7
Social Protection & Labour Policies (AfDB/WB)	84.5	3	0.0
Social Inclusion (BS)	50.0	5	-16.7
Absence of Lived Poverty (AFR)	79.3	3	+9.4
Poverty Reduction Efforts (AFR/AfDB/WB)	68.2	5	-4.3
Satisfaction with Narrowing Income Gaps (AFR)	68.4	2	+3.4
Environmental Policies (BS)	57.1	8	0.0
Promotion of Environmental Sustainability (AfDB/WB)	83.3	3	+2.7
EDUCATION	66.6	6	+10.1
Satisfaction with Education Provision (AFR)	86.2	1	-0.8
Education Quality (BS)	66.7	5	0.0
Alignment of Education with Market Needs (WEF)	69.5	5	+21.3
Human Resources in Primary Schools (UNESCO)	83.2	10	+5.7
Primary School Completion (WB)	68.9	6	+13.7
Secondary Education Enrolment (UNESCO)	54.8	13	+12.9
Tertiary Education Enrolment (UNESCO)	36.7	12	+17.8
HEALTH	76.1	14	+5.1
Satisfaction with Basic Health Services (AFR)	68.8	8	-26.4
Public Health Campaigns (GI)	100.0	1	0.0
Absence of Child Mortality (IGME)	72.4	25	+13.0
Absence of Maternal Mortality (MMEIG)	81.9	18	+1.0
Access to Sanitation (WHO&UNICEF)	43.2	40	+1.6
Absence of Undernourishment (WB)	92.6	10	-2.1
Absence of Communicable Diseases (WHO)	77.2	30	+17.8
Immunisation (WB/WHO)	91.3	20	+1.3
Antiretroviral Treatment (ART) Provision (UNAIDS)	58.0	30	+40.2

Increasing Improvement
 Slowing Improvement
 Warning Signs
 Bouncing Back
 Slowing Deterioration
 Increasing Deterioration
 No Change
 Not Classified