

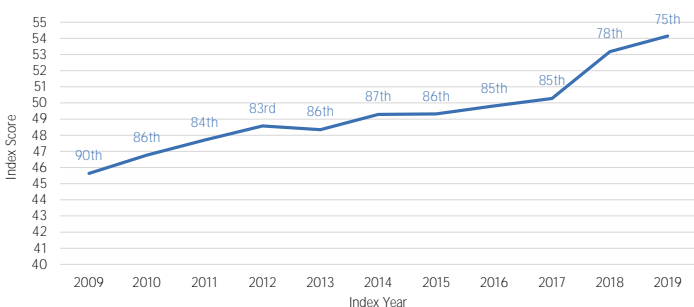
Azerbaijan: Index score 54.1 (75th)



GDP (US\$) per Capita: \$4,132 (89th)

GDP (US\$): \$41bn (87th)

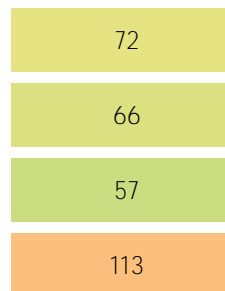
Economic Openness over time



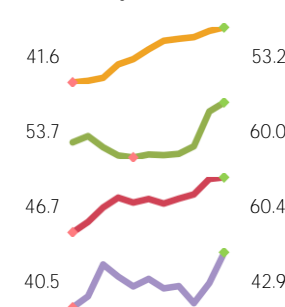
Pillar Performance

Market Access & Infrastructure
Investment Environment
Enterprise Conditions
Governance

Rank - Global (1 to 157)
2019



Score
2009 10-year trend 2019



Breakdown of performance

| | 2009 | Score 10-year trend | 2019 | Rank - Global (1 to 157) 2019 | 10-year rank change |
|---|------|------------------------|------|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Economic Openness | 45.6 | | 54.1 | 75 | ▲ 15 |
| Market Access & Infrastructure | 41.6 | | 53.2 | 72 | ▲ 5 |
| Communication | 7.4 | | 17.7 | 63 | ▲ 29 |
| Resources | 10.5 | | 11.4 | 68 | ▲ 5 |
| Transport | 10.2 | | 10.8 | 58 | ▲ 2 |
| Border Administration | 2.1 | | 2.4 | 73 | ▲ 4 |
| Open Market Scale | 0.6 | | 0.4 | 147 | ▼ 30 |
| Import Tariff Barriers | 2.7 | | 2.6 | 111 | ▼ 7 |
| Market Distortions | 8.2 | | 7.8 | 94 | ▼ 11 |
| Investment Environment | 53.7 | | 60.0 | 66 | ▲ 11 |
| Property Rights | 11.2 | | 12.7 | 57 | ▲ 15 |
| Investor Protection | 10.0 | | 12.9 | 41 | ▲ 31 |
| Contract Enforcement | 10.2 | | 10.4 | 70 | ▼ 5 |
| Financing Ecosystem | 18.0 | | 18.9 | 68 | ▲ 9 |
| Restrictions on International Investment | 4.4 | | 5.1 | 91 | ▲ 16 |
| Enterprise Conditions | 46.7 | | 60.4 | 57 | ▲ 41 |
| Domestic Market Contestability | 12.8 | | 13.8 | 116 | ▲ 7 |
| Environment for Business Creation | 18.1 | | 21.5 | 41 | ▲ 20 |
| Burden of Regulation | 9.2 | | 18.1 | 6 | ▲ 125 |
| Labour Market Flexibility | 6.6 | | 7.0 | 31 | ▼ 6 |
| Governance | 40.5 | | 42.9 | 113 | ▲ 11 |
| Executive Constraints | 6.3 | | 6.1 | 127 | ▼ 5 |
| Political Accountability | 4.8 | | 4.0 | 143 | ▼ 1 |
| Rule of Law | 7.4 | | 8.1 | 60 | ▲ 24 |
| Government Integrity | 7.6 | | 8.5 | 94 | ▲ 17 |
| Government Effectiveness | 7.0 | | 8.4 | 104 | ▲ 20 |
| Regulatory quality | 7.4 | | 7.8 | 46 | ▲ 17 |



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| Communication (63rd) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
|--|---------------|--|---------|-------|-------------|-------------|------|------|
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| International internet bandwidth | ITU | kilobits per person | 0.3 | | 36.5 | 73 | 67 | |
| 2G, 3G and 4G network coverage | GSMA | index score, 0-100 | 63.0 | | 80.8 | 78 | 80 | |
| Fixed broadband subscriptions | ITU | number per 100 people | 0.2 | | 18.4 | 104 | 54 | |
| Internet Usage | ITU | percentage of population | 14.5 | | 79.0 | 82 | 37 | |
| Resources (68th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Installed electric capacity | UNESD | kilowatts per capita | 0.7 | | 0.8 | 72 | 71 | |
| <i>Gross fixed water assets</i> | <i>IBNWS</i> | <i>USD per population served</i> | 155.6 | | 155.6 | 76 | 76 | |
| Reliability of electricity supply | WBDB | index score, 0-7 | 4.0 | | 4.0 | 75 | 83 | |
| Ease of establishing an electricity connection | WBDB | index score, 0-100 | 52.1 | | 73.9 | 120 | 91 | |
| Water production | IBNWS | litres per person per day | 525.0 | | 525.0 | 19 | 19 | |
| Reliability of water supply | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 4.9 | | 4.9 | 68 | 68 | |
| Transport (58th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Logistics performance | WBLPI | index score, 1-5 | 2.3 | | 2.4 | 124 | 125 | |
| Airport Connectivity | WEF | index based on seats and size of airport | 3.0 | | 2.4 | 75 | 81 | |
| Efficiency of seaport services | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 4.2 | | 4.9 | 58 | 30 | |
| <i>Liner shipping connectivity</i> | <i>UNCTAD</i> | <i>index score, rebased to 100 in 2004</i> | 41.0 | | 41.0 | 30 | 52 | |
| Quality of roads | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 4.8 | | 4.8 | 34 | 34 | |
| Road density | FAO | km per 100 sq km of land area | 21.8 | | 21.9 | 81 | 82 | |
| Rail density | WBDI | km per sq km of land area | 0.0 | | 0.0 | 35 | 35 | |
| Border Administration (73rd) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Efficiency of customs clearance process | WBLPI | survey, 1-5 | 2.2 | | 2.6 | 100 | 83 | |
| Time to comply with border regulations and procedures | WBDB | hours | 35.5 | | 32.5 | 62 | 61 | |
| Cost to comply with border regulations and procedures | WBDB | USD (current) | 271.8 | | 241.0 | 91 | 83 | |
| Open Market Scale (147th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Domestic and international market access for goods | WTO | constant 2010 USD \$bn | 1,746.8 | | 2,053.3 | 97 | 116 | |
| Domestic and international market access for services | WTO | constant 2010 USD \$bn | 230.6 | | 265.4 | 100 | 103 | |
| Trade-weighted average tariff faced in destination markets | WEF | percentage | 4.1 | | 4.9 | 104 | 150 | |
| Index of margin of preference in destination markets | WEF | index score, 1-100 | 39.1 | | 32.1 | 76 | 107 | |
| Import Tariff Barriers (111th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Share of imports free of tariff duties | WEF | percentage | 31.0 | | 31.5 | 111 | 120 | |
| Average applied tariff rate | WEF | percentage | 7.5 | | 7.7 | 86 | 92 | |
| Complexity of tariffs | WEF | index score, 1-7 | 6.2 | | 6.1 | 72 | 74 | |
| Market Distortions (94th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Extent of liberalisation of foreign trade | BTI | expert survey, 1-10 | 6.0 | | 4.0 | 111 | 142 | |
| Prevalence of non-tariff barriers | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 4.1 | | 4.6 | 110 | 48 | |
| <i>Non-tariff measures</i> | <i>UNCTAD</i> | <i>number</i> | 561.4 | | 561.4 | 77 | 76 | |
| Distortive effect of taxes and subsidies | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 4.6 | | 4.6 | 20 | 20 | |
| Energy subsidies | IMF | percentage of GDP | 9.2 | | 6.3 | 126 | 109 | |


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| Property Rights (57th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
|--|------|---------------------------------|------|-------|-------------|-------------|------|------|
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Protection of property rights | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 4.2 | | 4.8 | 86 | 48 |
| <i>Lawful process for expropriation</i> | WJP | <i>index score, 0-1</i> | | 0.4 | | 0.4 | 135 | 133 |
| Intellectual property protection | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 3.5 | | 4.8 | 77 | 38 |
| Quality of land administration | WBDB | index score, 0-30 | | 6.0 | | 7.0 | 46 | 26 |
| Procedures to register property | WBDB | index score, 0-100 | | 92.2 | | 93.8 | 8 | 13 |
| Regulation of property possession and exchange | BTI | expert survey, 1-10 | | 5.0 | | 4.0 | 110 | 128 |
| Contract Enforcement (70th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Quality of judicial administration | WBDB | index score, 0-18 | | 5.5 | | 6.5 | 121 | 111 |
| Time to resolve commercial cases | WBDB | days | | 79.0 | | 92.3 | 6 | 6 |
| Legal costs | WBDB | percentage | | 6.2 | | 6.2 | 32 | 26 |
| <i>Alternative dispute resolution mechanisms</i> | WJP | <i>index score, 0-1</i> | | 0.6 | | 0.6 | 108 | 108 |
| Investor Protection (41st) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Strength of insolvency framework | WBDB | index score, 0-16 | | 6.5 | | 13.5 | 103 | 14 |
| Insolvency recovery rate | WBDB | percentage | | 38.5 | | 40.1 | 58 | 61 |
| Auditing and reporting standards | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 4.4 | | 4.3 | 88 | 92 |
| Extent of shareholder governance index | WBDB | index score, 0-10 | | 5.7 | | 8.7 | 56 | 2 |
| Conflict of interest regulation | WBDB | index score, 0-10 | | 6.7 | | 7.7 | 25 | 18 |
| Financing Ecosystem (68th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Access to finance | WBES | percentage | | 7.6 | | 22.1 | 14 | 85 |
| Financing of SMEs | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 4.1 | | 4.1 | 41 | 41 |
| Venture capital availability | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 3.1 | | 3.9 | 61 | 23 |
| Quality of banking system and capital markets | BTI | expert survey, 1-10 | | 5.0 | | 6.0 | 112 | 104 |
| Commercial bank branches | WBDI | branches per per 100,000 adults | | 8.2 | | 10.7 | 90 | 86 |
| Soundness of banks | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 4.7 | | 4.5 | 121 | 96 |
| Depth of credit information | WBDB | index score, 0-8 | | 6.0 | | 8.0 | 60 | 1 |
| Restrictions on International Investment (91st) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 |
| Business impact of rules on FDI | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 4.8 | | 4.6 | 90 | 64 |
| Capital controls | FI | percentage | | 23.1 | | 46.2 | 92 | 50 |
| Freedom to own foreign currency bank accounts | FI | expert judgement, 0-10 | | 5.0 | | 5.0 | 85 | 93 |
| Restrictions on financial transactions | CII | index score, 0-1 | | 0.2 | | 0.5 | 106 | 76 |
| Prevalence of foreign ownership of companies | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | | 5.3 | | 4.8 | 3 | 52 |
| Freedom of foreigners to visit | FI | index score, 0-10 | | 0.0 | | 1.4 | 135 | 130 |



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| Executive Constraints (127th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | Political Accountability (143rd) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | | |
|--|--|--------|------------------------|-------|-------------|-------------|------|----------------------------------|--|--------|------|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|------|------|-----|
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 | |
| <i>Executive powers are effectively limited by the judiciary and legislature</i> | | WJP | index, 0-3 | 1.2 | | 1.2 | 125 | 123 | Consensus on democracy and a market economy as a goal | | BTI | expert judgement, 1-10 | 5.0 | | 4.0 | 123 | 130 |
| <i>Government powers are subject to independent and non-governmental checks</i> | | WJP | index, 0-3 | 1.1 | | 1.1 | 132 | 131 | Political participation and rights | | FH | expert judgement, 1-7 | 6.0 | | 7.0 | 123 | 135 |
| <i>Transition of power is subject to the law</i> | | WJP | expert survey, 0-1 | 0.3 | | 0.3 | 141 | 141 | Democracy level | | CSP | expert judgement, -10-10 | -7.0 | | -7.0 | 140 | 142 |
| Military involvement in rule of law and politics | | FI | index, 0-10 | 6.7 | | 5.0 | 73 | 97 | Complaint mechanisms | | WJP | expert survey, 0-1 | 0.5 | | 0.5 | 116 | 116 |
| <i>Government officials are sanctioned for misconduct</i> | | WJP | expert survey, 0-1 | 0.5 | | 0.5 | 78 | 73 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rule of Law (60th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | Government Integrity (94th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 | |
| Judicial independence | | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 2.7 | | 4.4 | 125 | 49 | <i>Use of public office for private gain</i> | | WJP | index, 0-4 | 1.3 | | 1.3 | 94 | 101 |
| <i>Civil justice</i> | | WJP | index, 0-5 | 2.9 | | 2.9 | 79 | 82 | Diversion of public funds | | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 3.1 | | 4.3 | 100 | 35 |
| Integrity of the legal system | | FI | expert judgement, 1-10 | 6.0 | | 5.8 | 80 | 69 | <i>Right to information</i> | | WJP | expert survey, 0-1 | 0.4 | | 0.4 | 128 | 126 |
| Efficiency of dispute settlement | | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 3.8 | | 4.6 | 65 | 25 | <i>Publicised laws and government data</i> | | WJP | expert survey, 0-1 | 0.3 | | 0.3 | 128 | 104 |
| | | | | | | | | | Transparency of government policy | | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 3.6 | | 4.7 | 113 | 31 |
| | | | | | | | | | Budget transparency | | IBP | index, 0-100 | 30.0 | | 34.0 | 102 | 105 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Government Effectiveness (104th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | Regulatory quality (46th) | | Source | Unit | Value | | Global Rank | | | |
| | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 | | | | 2009 | 10-yr trend | 2019 | 2009 | 2019 | |
| Government quality and credibility | | WGI | index, -2.5 - +2.5 | -0.7 | | -0.2 | 109 | 80 | Regulatory quality | | WGI | index, -2.5 - +2.5 | -0.5 | | -0.3 | 111 | 89 |
| Prioritisation | | BTI | expert judgement, 1-10 | 3.0 | | 5.0 | 136 | 87 | <i>Enforcement of regulations</i> | | WJP | expert survey, 0-1 | 0.6 | | 0.6 | 56 | 54 |
| Efficiency of government spending | | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 3.4 | | 4.7 | 65 | 16 | Efficiency of legal framework in challenging regulations | | WEF | expert survey, 1-7 | 4.1 | | 4.4 | 43 | 22 |
| Efficient Use Of Assets | | BTI | expert judgement, 1-10 | 4.0 | | 4.0 | 104 | 100 | <i>Delay in administrative proceedings</i> | | WJP | expert survey, 0-1 | 0.5 | | 0.5 | 52 | 56 |
| Implementation | | BTI | expert judgement, 1-10 | 4.0 | | 5.0 | 117 | 85 | | | | | | | | | |
| Policy Learning | | BTI | expert judgement, 1-10 | 4.0 | | 4.0 | 122 | 115 | | | | | | | | | |
| Policy Coordination | | BTI | expert judgement, 1-10 | 5.0 | | 4.0 | 92 | 113 | | | | | | | | | |
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| Source Code | Source Name |
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| BTI | Bertelsmann Stiftung Transformation Index |
| CII | Chinn-Ito Index |
| CSP | Center for Systemic Peace |
| FAO | Food and Agriculture Organisation |
| FH | Freedom House |
| FI | Fraser Institute |
| GSMA | Groupe Spéciale Mobile Association |
| IBNWS | International Benchmarking Network for Water and Sanitation Utilities |
| IBP | International Budget Partnership |
| IMF | International Monetary Fund |
| ITU | International Telecommunications Union |
| UNCTAD | United Nations Trade Data |
| UNESD | United Nations Energy Statistics Database |
| WBDB | World Bank Doing Business Index |
| WBDI | World Bank Development Indicators |
| WBES | World Bank Enterprise Surveys |
| WBLPI | World Bank Logistics Performance Index |
| WEF | World Economic Forum |
| WGI | Worldwide Governance Indicators |
| WJP | World Justice Project |
| WTO | World Trade Organisation |