

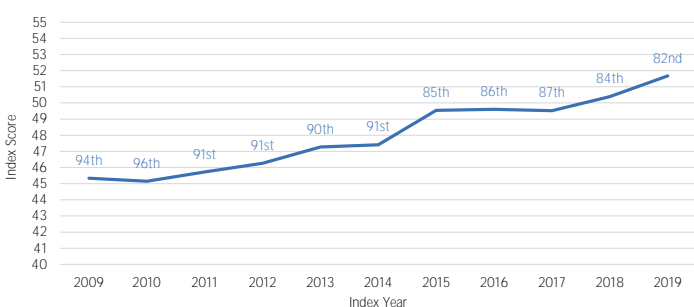
# Moldova: Index score 51.7 (82nd)



GDP (US\$) per Capita: \$2,290 (112th)

GDP (US\$): \$8bn (138th)

## Economic Openness over time



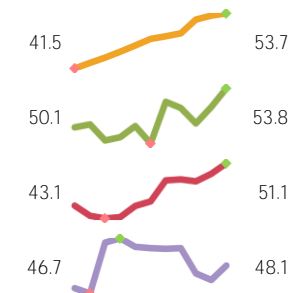
## Pillar Performance

Market Access & Infrastructure  
Investment Environment  
Enterprise Conditions  
Governance

Rank - Global (1 to 157)  
2019

Market Access & Infrastructure	67
Investment Environment	86
Enterprise Conditions	98
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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
<b>Economic Openness</b>	<b>45.3</b>		<b>51.7</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>▲ 12</b>
<b>Market Access &amp; Infrastructure</b>	<b>41.5</b>		<b>53.7</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>▲ 11</b>
Communication	10.0		19.3	46	▲ 18
Resources	9.5		10.1	86	-
Transport	7.4		7.2	111	▼ 9
Border Administration	2.6		2.7	60	▼ 4
Open Market Scale	0.7		2.3	60	▲ 47
Import Tariff Barriers	3.6		3.6	64	▼ 3
Market Distortions	7.7		8.7	64	▲ 26
<b>Investment Environment</b>	<b>50.1</b>		<b>53.8</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>▲ 3</b>
Property Rights	10.4		12.3	64	▲ 17
Investor Protection	11.0		10.8	69	▼ 8
Contract Enforcement	10.6		11.0	60	▼ 1
Financing Ecosystem	14.3		15.6	107	▲ 2
Restrictions on International Investment	3.9		4.0	116	▲ 11
<b>Enterprise Conditions</b>	<b>43.1</b>		<b>51.1</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>▲ 17</b>
Domestic Market Contestability	13.3		17.7	79	▲ 39
Environment for Business Creation	14.7		16.0	121	▼ 12
Burden of Regulation	10.4		12.6	87	▲ 19
Labour Market Flexibility	4.7		4.8	124	▼ 21
<b>Governance</b>	<b>46.7</b>		<b>48.1</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>▲ 11</b>
Executive Constraints	6.6		6.6	114	▼ 4
Political Accountability	10.6		10.4	75	▼ 4
Rule of Law	7.7		6.8	98	▼ 29
Government Integrity	8.0		8.7	88	▲ 14
Government Effectiveness	7.0		9.2	92	▲ 29
Regulatory quality	6.8		6.4	92	▼ 9


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Communication (46th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
International internet bandwidth	ITU	kilobits per person	1.0		100.4	54	22	
2G, 3G and 4G network coverage	GSMA	index score, 0-100	75.5		97.1	60	36	
Fixed broadband subscriptions	ITU	number per 100 people	1.3		14.4	79	60	
Internet Usage	ITU	percentage of population	20.5		71.0	70	54	
Resources (86th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Installed electric capacity	UNESD	kilowatts per capita	0.1		0.1	111	115	
Gross fixed water assets	IBNWS	USD per population served	121.9		121.9	84	84	
Reliability of electricity supply	WBDB	index score, 0-7	6.0		6.0	24	32	
Ease of establishing an electricity connection	WBDB	index score, 0-100	51.7		70.7	121	102	
Water production	IBNWS	litres per person per day	215.7		215.7	100	100	
Reliability of water supply	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.3		4.3	101	100	
Transport (111th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Logistics performance	WBLPI	index score, 1-5	2.3		2.7	120	96	
Airport Connectivity	WEF	index based on seats and size of airport	3.3		2.9	72	74	
Efficiency of seaport services	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.9		2.5	120	141	
Liner shipping connectivity	UNCTAD	index score, rebased to 100 in 2004	12.1		12.1	100	111	
Quality of roads	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.4		2.4	146	146	
Road density	FAO	km per 100 sq km of land area	37.7		37.9	59	61	
Rail density	WBDI	km per sq km of land area	0.0		0.0	26	26	
Border Administration (60th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Efficiency of customs clearance process	WBLPI	survey, 1-5	2.1		2.3	119	126	
Time to comply with border regulations and procedures	WBDB	hours	14.0		14.3	46	48	
Cost to comply with border regulations and procedures	WBDB	USD (current)	61.0		61.0	25	25	
Open Market Scale (60th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Domestic and international market access for goods	WTO	constant 2010 USD \$bn	297.9		22,238.0	145	68	
Domestic and international market access for services	WTO	constant 2010 USD \$bn	203.1		18,974.4	102	57	
Trade-weighted average tariff faced in destination markets	WEF	percentage	4.0		3.7	86	82	
Index of margin of preference in destination markets	WEF	index score, 1-100	57.3		52.7	15	39	
Import Tariff Barriers (64th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Share of imports free of tariff duties	WEF	percentage	65.4		55.8	69	91	
Average applied tariff rate	WEF	percentage	4.2		3.3	53	45	
Complexity of tariffs	WEF	index score, 1-7	4.9		5.5	111	93	
Market Distortions (64th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Extent of liberalisation of foreign trade	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	7.0		9.0	85	48	
Prevalence of non-tariff barriers	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.4		4.4	87	76	
Non-tariff measures	UNCTAD	number	412.3		412.3	62	62	
Distortive effect of taxes and subsidies	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.6		3.6	85	85	
Energy subsidies	IMF	percentage of GDP	4.5		5.6	85	102	


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Property Rights (64th)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Protection of property rights	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.3		3.6	141	129
Lawful process for expropriation	WJP	index score, 0-1	0.4		0.4	128	129
Intellectual property protection	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.6		3.6	135	111
Quality of land administration	WBDB	index score, 0-30	8.0		8.0	2	1
Procedures to register property	WBDB	index score, 0-100	83.7		91.0	26	18
Regulation of property possession and exchange	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	5.0		7.0	110	64

Investor Protection (69th)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Strength of insolvency framework	WBDB	index score, 0-16	12.0		12.0	21	26
Insolvency recovery rate	WBDB	percentage	28.6		30.9	88	91
Auditing and reporting standards	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.3		4.0	97	115
Extent of shareholder governance index	WBDB	index score, 0-10	7.3		7.3	8	18
Conflict of interest regulation	WBDB	index score, 0-10	6.3		6.3	37	48

Contract Enforcement (60th)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Quality of judicial administration	WBDB	index score, 0-18	9.0		9.5	49	53
Time to resolve commercial cases	WBDB	days	117.3		195.0	17	83
Legal costs	WBDB	percentage	9.5		9.5	90	87
Alternative dispute resolution mechanisms	WJP	index score, 0-1	0.6		0.7	117	51

Financing Ecosystem (107th)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Access to finance	WBES	percentage	20.0		7.2	67	13
Financing of SMEs	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.3		3.3	123	122
Venture capital availability	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	1.9		2.2	147	134
Quality of banking system and capital markets	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	6.0		6.0	96	104
Commercial bank branches	WBDI	branches per per 100,000 adults	35.9		26.9	20	29
Soundness of banks	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.5		2.9	129	150
Depth of credit information	WBDB	index score, 0-8	0.0		6.0	109	90

Restrictions on International Investment (116th)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Business impact of rules on FDI	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.2		4.3	124	98
Capital controls	FI	percentage	7.7		7.7	122	120
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		0.2	106	94
Prevalence of foreign ownership of companies	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.9		3.6	141	136
Freedom of foreigners to visit	FI	index score, 0-10	4.7		6.5	80	98





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Executive Constraints (114th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Executive powers are effectively limited by the judiciary and legislature	WJP	index, 0-3	1.3		1.3	123	116	
Government powers are subject to independent and non-governmental checks	WJP	index, 0-3	1.4		1.4	107	98	
Transition of power is subject to the law	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5		0.5	94	119	
Military involvement in rule of law and politics	FI	index, 0-10	6.7		6.7	73	68	
Government officials are sanctioned for misconduct	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.3		0.3	149	139	

Political Accountability (75th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Consensus on democracy and a market economy as a goal	BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	6.0		6.0	95	89	
Political participation and rights	FH	expert judgement, 1-7	3.0		3.0	68	63	
Democracy level	CSP	expert judgement, -10-10	9.0		9.0	38	37	
Complaint mechanisms	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.6		0.6	41	59	

Rule of Law (98th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Judicial independence	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.3		2.1	141	150	
Civil justice	WJP	index, 0-5	2.6		2.6	118	109	
Integrity of the legal system	FI	expert judgement, 1-10	8.3		6.7	19	49	
Efficiency of dispute settlement	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.0		2.5	120	143	

Government Integrity (88th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Use of public office for private gain	WJP	index, 0-4	0.8		1.0	146	132	
Diversion of public funds	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.8		2.4	116	136	
Right to information	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.6		0.6	63	63	
Publicised laws and government data	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5		0.6	71	44	
Transparency of government policy	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.3		3.7	56	97	
Budget transparency	IBP	index, 0-100	58.0		58.0	42	52	

Government Effectiveness (92nd)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Government quality and credibility	WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	-0.8		-0.6	119	112	
Prioritisation	BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	4.0		4.0	114	122	
Efficiency of government spending	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.0		2.7	106	116	
Efficient Use Of Assets	BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	4.0		6.0	104	49	
Implementation	BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	4.0		6.0	117	60	
Policy Learning	BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	4.0		6.0	122	62	
Policy Coordination	BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	5.0		6.0	121	67	

Regulatory quality (92nd)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		
				2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Regulatory quality	WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	-0.3		-0.1	89	77	
Enforcement of regulations	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5		0.5	63	67	
Efficiency of legal framework in challenging regulations	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.1		2.4	97	144	
Delay in administrative proceedings	WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5		0.5	58	70	

Source Code	Source Name
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