

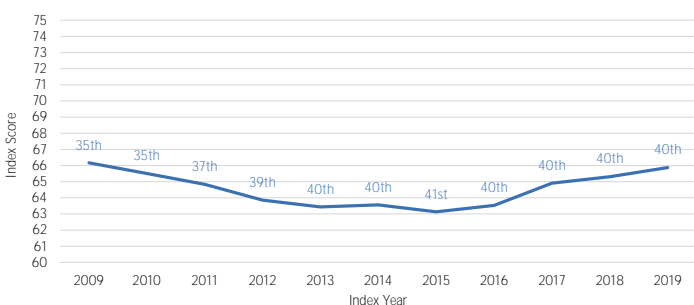
Slovakia: Index score 65.9 (40th)



GDP (US\$) per Capita: \$17,605 (39th)

GDP (US\$): \$96bn (65th)

Economic Openness over time



Pillar Performance

Pillar	Rank - Global (1 to 157) 2019	Score 2009	Score 10-year trend	Score 2019
Market Access & Infrastructure	44	59.8	59.8	64.5
Investment Environment	30	69.4	69.4	71.7
Enterprise Conditions	47	68.9	68.9	63.5
Governance	40	66.6	66.6	63.8

Breakdown of performance

Pillar	Score 2009	Score 10-year trend	Score 2019	Rank - Global (1 to 157) 2019	10-year rank change
Economic Openness	66.2	66.2	65.9	40	▼ 5
Market Access & Infrastructure	59.8	59.8	64.5	44	▼ 3
Communication	15.1	15.1	20.0	35	▲ 2
Resources	14.2	14.2	14.7	32	-
Transport	10.8	10.8	10.2	67	▼ 11
Border Administration	3.6	3.6	3.8	26	▼ 1
Open Market Scale	2.1	2.1	3.2	34	▼ 14
Import Tariff Barriers	4.4	4.4	4.5	8	▲ 8
Market Distortions	9.5	9.5	8.1	85	▼ 37
Investment Environment	69.4	69.4	71.7	30	▼ 1
Property Rights	13.9	13.9	14.1	42	▼ 2
Investor Protection	12.2	12.2	13.2	35	▲ 2
Contract Enforcement	12.3	12.3	13.1	29	▲ 12
Financing Ecosystem	23.0	23.0	23.3	22	▲ 4
Restrictions on International Investment	8.0	8.0	8.0	32	▲ 4
Enterprise Conditions	68.9	68.9	63.5	47	▼ 16
Domestic Market Contestability	30.7	30.7	26.0	36	▼ 10
Environment for Business Creation	20.3	20.3	19.5	70	▼ 34
Burden of Regulation	11.6	11.6	12.5	90	▼ 12
Labour Market Flexibility	6.2	6.2	5.5	90	▼ 56
Governance	66.6	66.6	63.8	40	▼ 1
Executive Constraints	9.5	9.5	9.5	48	-
Political Accountability	13.0	13.0	12.5	43	▼ 6
Rule of Law	8.6	8.6	8.2	57	▼ 4
Government Integrity	12.1	12.1	11.5	42	▼ 6
Government Effectiveness	15.3	15.3	14.4	32	▼ 5
Regulatory quality	8.0	8.0	7.7	50	▼ 6



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Communication (35th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
International internet bandwidth	ITU	kilobits per person	5.6		63.5	27	43
2G, 3G and 4G network coverage	GSMA	Index score, 0-100	79.8		95.2	53	50
Fixed broadband subscriptions	ITU	number per 100 people	10.1		25.8	36	40
Internet Usage	ITU	percentage of population	61.8		81.6	24	29

Resources (32nd)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Installed electric capacity	UNESD	kilowatts per capita	1.4		1.4	40	43
<i>Gross fixed water assets</i>	<i>IBNWS</i>	<i>USD per population served</i>	480.2		480.2	35	35
Reliability of electricity supply	WBDB	Index score, 0-7	6.0		7.0	24	5
Ease of establishing an electricity connection	WBDB	Index score, 0-100	77.2		77.6	50	79
<i>Water production</i>	<i>IBNWS</i>	<i>litres per person per day</i>	344.4		344.4	44	44
Reliability of water supply	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	6.4		6.4	22	22

Transport (67th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Logistics performance	WBLPI	Index score, 1-5	3.0		3.3	50	44
Airport Connectivity	WEF	Index based on seats and size of airport	1.1		1.2	100	94
Efficiency of seaport services	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.3		3.3	56	106
<i>Liner shipping connectivity</i>	<i>UNCTAD</i>	<i>Index score, rebased to 100 in 2004</i>	45.1		45.1	26	45
Quality of roads	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.0		4.0	69	69
Road density	FAO	km per 100 sq km of land area	89.4		88.4	35	37
Rail density	WBDI	km per sq km of land area	0.1		0.1	9	8

Border Administration (26th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Efficiency of customs clearance process	WBLPI	survey, 1-5	2.6		2.8	59	52
Time to comply with border regulations and procedures	WBDB	hours	0.5		0.5	4	3
Cost to comply with border regulations and procedures	WBDB	USD (current)	0.0		0.0	4	3

Open Market Scale (34th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Domestic and international market access for goods	WTO	constant 2010 USD \$bn	20,954.2		35,085.2	30	41
Domestic and international market access for services	WTO	constant 2010 USD \$bn	18,068.4		31,056.4	25	36
Trade-weighted average tariff faced in destination markets	WEF	percentage	3.9		3.5	69	55
Index of margin of preference in destination markets	WEF	Index score, 1-100	49.8		51.0	35	45

Import Tariff Barriers (8th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Share of imports free of tariff duties	WEF	percentage	90.1		94.6	21	11
Average applied tariff rate	WEF	percentage	0.8		1.0	4	5
Complexity of tariffs	WEF	Index score, 1-7	3.1		3.0	130	129

Market Distortions (85th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Extent of liberalisation of foreign trade	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	10.0		10.0	1	1
Prevalence of non-tariff barriers	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	6.0		4.7	1	38
<i>Non-tariff measures</i>	<i>UNCTAD</i>	<i>number</i>	654.0		654.0	97	90
Distortive effect of taxes and subsidies	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.5		2.5	153	153
Energy subsidies	IMF	percentage of GDP	2.9		3.1	58	75



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Property Rights (42nd)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Protection of property rights	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.9		4.4	54	71
<i>Lawful process for expropriation</i>	WJP	<i>index score, 0-1</i>	0.6		0.6	48	49
Intellectual property protection	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.7		4.5	65	52
Quality of land administration	WBDB	index score, 0-30	6.0		6.0	46	52
Procedures to register property	WBDB	index score, 0-100	94.1		94.2	5	11
Regulation of property possession and exchange	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	10.0		9.0	2	37

Investor Protection (35th)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Strength of insolvency framework	WBDB	index score, 0-16	13.0		13.0	15	17
Insolvency recovery rate	WBDB	percentage	45.9		48.8	36	43
Auditing and reporting standards	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.9		5.5	61	29
Extent of shareholder governance index	WBDB	index score, 0-10	6.0		6.0	45	65
Conflict of interest regulation	WBDB	index score, 0-10	4.7		4.7	103	112

Contract Enforcement (29th)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Quality of judicial administration	WBDB	index score, 0-18	11.5		13.5	29	19
Time to resolve commercial cases	WBDB	days	188.3		258.3	81	120
Legal costs	WBDB	percentage	10.2		6.8	97	34
<i>Alternative dispute resolution mechanisms</i>	WJP	<i>index score, 0-1</i>	0.7		0.7	41	42

Financing Ecosystem (22nd)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Access to finance	WBES	percentage	5.7		10.6	8	39
Financing of SMEs	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.2		4.2	39	39
Venture capital availability	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.7		3.3	39	43
Quality of banking system and capital markets	BTI	expert survey, 1-10	8.0		10.0	63	1
Commercial bank branches	WBDI	branches per per 100,000 adults	26.0		26.9	38	30
Soundness of banks	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	6.4		6.1	23	10
Depth of credit information	WBDB	index score, 0-8	6.0		7.0	60	41

Restrictions on International Investment (32nd)	Source	Unit	Value			Global Rank	
			2009	10-yr trend	2019	2009	2019
Business impact of rules on FDI	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	6.3		5.5	4	15
Capital controls	FI	percentage	50.0		53.8	58	42
Freedom to own foreign currency bank accounts	FI	expert judgement, 0-10	10.0		10.0	4	3
Restrictions on financial transactions	CII	index score, 0-1	0.6		0.8	77	57
Prevalence of foreign ownership of companies	WEF	expert survey, 1-7	6.4		5.9	3	2
Freedom of foreigners to visit	FI	index score, 0-10	6.4		7.7	63	55



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Executive Constraints (48th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		Political Accountability (43rd)		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	1.4		1.4	101	104	Consensus on democracy and a market economy as a goal		BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	9.0		8.0	36	53
<i>Government powers are subject to independent and non-governmental checks</i>		WJP	index, 0-3	2.1		2.1	30	37	Political participation and rights		FH	expert judgement, 1-7	1.0		1.0	1	1
<i>Transition of power is subject to the law</i>		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.8		0.8	39	35	Democracy level		CSP	expert judgement, -10-10	10.0		10.0	1	1
Military involvement in rule of law and politics		FI	index, 0-10	10.0		10.0	3	1	Complaint mechanisms		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.6		0.6	35	42
<i>Government officials are sanctioned for misconduct</i>		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.5		0.5	63	57									
Rule of Law (57th)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		Government Integrity (42nd)		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	3.6		2.8	78	131	<i>Use of public office for private gain</i>		WJP	index, 0-4	1.9		1.9	45	48
<i>Civil justice</i>		WJP	index, 0-5	3.6		3.6	42	40	Diversion of public funds		WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.7		2.5	63	132
Integrity of the legal system		FI	expert judgement, 1-10	6.7		6.7	51	49	<i>Right to information</i>		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.6		0.6	37	41
Efficiency of dispute settlement		WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.0		2.2	118	151	<i>Publicised laws and government data</i>		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.6		0.6	25	39
									Transparency of government policy		WEF	expert survey, 1-7	4.5		3.8	45	90
									Budget transparency		IBP	index, 0-100	57.0		59.0	48	50
Government Effectiveness (32nd)		Source	Unit	Value		Global Rank		Regulatory quality (50th)		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	0.9		0.9	33	37	Regulatory quality		WGI	index, -2.5 - +2.5	1.1		0.9	27	37
Prioritisation		BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	9.0		8.0	27	32	<i>Enforcement of regulations</i>		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.6		0.6	45	45
Efficiency of government spending		WEF	expert survey, 1-7	3.0		2.7	104	111	Efficiency of legal framework in challenging regulations		WEF	expert survey, 1-7	2.5		2.2	143	147
Efficient Use Of Assets		BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	9.0		8.0	26	31	<i>Delay in administrative proceedings</i>		WJP	expert survey, 0-1	0.6		0.6	39	40
Implementation		BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	9.0		8.0	25	27									
Policy Learning		BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	8.0		8.0	26	29									
Policy Coordination		BTI	expert judgement, 1-10	8.0		8.0	31	30									

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