

# Ibrahim Index of African Governance 2008/09\* country rankings and scores

\* The 2010 Ibrahim Index of African Governance is based on the latest available data for each indicator; this data is from either 2008 or 2009. Previous years' indices are calculated using the latest data that would have been available that year.

All figures have been rounded to the nearest whole number for clarity. This means that some countries may appear to have the same score (and therefore the same rank) when rounded but these countries actually have different scores from each other when displayed

in full. In these cases countries have been ranked based on their scores in full, not on the rounded figures displayed here.

Ibrahim Index rank 2010	Country	IBRAHIM INDEX SCORE 08/09	SAFETY AND RULE OF LAW	Accountability and corruption	NATIONAL SECURITY	PARTICIPATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS	Gender	SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY	HUMAN DEVELOPMENT										
			Personal safety	Rule of law	National security	Participation	Rights	Public management	Private sector	Infrastructure	Environmental and rural sector	Health and welfare	Education						
19th	Algeria	53	54	51	47	42	76	37	17	41	54	55	70	52	37	59	65	76	54
43rd	Angola	39	44	49	40	19	68	44	36	37	60	36	50	39	18	38	33	46	19
13th	Benin	57	69	69	63	47	96	62	77	66	42	51	63	56	24	62	45	46	44
3rd	Botswana	74	88	70	97	89	96	69	74	58	75	70	77	84	50	69	70	78	62
18th	Burkina Faso	53	64	63	52	46	93	57	53	64	53	53	68	61	12	70	40	41	39
32nd	Burundi	46	50	39	48	34	79	49	48	37	60	42	57	46	7	57	43	51	35
35th	Cameroon	44	49	31	36	41	89	32	20	31	44	46	67	45	16	55	49	57	40
4th	Cape Verde	74	84	77	78	80	100	80	85	86	68	67	68	63	48	88	65	77	53
47th	Central African Republic	34	35	41	37	22	41	42	49	38	38	28	48	34	5	25	33	37	28
52nd	Chad	31	38	28	34	26	64	23	8	27	33	32	47	33	12	37	30	19	40
30th	Comoros	48	54	70	26	36	86	57	79	47	45	29	51	21	5	40	52	60	44
42nd	Congo, Republic of	42	44	35	31	22	86	41	33	43	48	39	64	22	27	42	43	51	34
51st	Congo, Democratic Republic of	32	33	16	30	29	56	30	31	25	34	26	43	16	3	44	38	34	41
44th	Côte d'Ivoire	38	38	33	11	33	74	29	12	35	40	39	56	38	24	37	45	47	43
26th	Djibouti	50	60	66	42	45	89	33	30	25	44	45	54	51	27	49	61	63	59
10th	Egypt	59	67	61	63	53	93	35	25	40	41	66	66	74	45	78	68	77	58
46th	Equatorial Guinea	36	46	48	33	13	89	19	13	14	30	35	53	24	30	33	44	37	50
49th	Eritrea	33	40	49	6	40	64	20	3	6	49	25	36	7	13	45	47	48	45
34th	Ethiopia	44	49	46	44	42	62	35	26	30	48	49	66	51	17	63	44	39	50
28th	Gabon	50	57	48	54	29	96	42	28	47	50	43	62	39	28	44	57	55	59
22nd	Gambia	52	50	54	36	24	85	49	51	35	61	51	61	48	32	63	59	70	48
7th	Ghana	64	75	58	84	65	93	68	71	73	59	53	59	62	22	70	60	63	56
45th	Guinea	36	39	39	14	32	71	33	9	37	52	34	50	30	11	47	38	43	34
41st	Guinea-Bissau	42	46	40	32	23	89	46	66	45	27	33	52	34	13	35	43	43	43
27th	Kenya	50	50	35	48	33	83	55	53	48	65	45	63	45	13	61	48	54	42
9th	Lesotho	60	70	55	65	66	93	68	68	58	77	52	66	54	35	51	50	54	46
36th	Liberia	44	50	53	28	47	74	51	62	45	47	29	54	25	10	25	44	37	52
23rd	Libya	51	52	59	31	25	93	19	3	16	38	50	68	26	53	53	85	87	83
29th	Madagascar	48	51	44	21	47	92	51	48	48	57	50	59	57	21	63	42	46	38
21st	Malawi	52	65	56	64	45	96	51	44	57	53	45	64	48	15	53	48	62	33
17th	Mali	53	62	59	61	50	76	58	71	68	35	50	64	58	16	62	44	46	43
38th	Mauritania	44	42	21	25	48	73	44	24	43	64	47	58	45	35	53	41	44	38
1st	Mauritius	82	90	85	94	82	100	77	87	82	63	84	73	97	78	89	75	90	61
14th	Morocco	56	63	55	57	51	89	37	13	43	55	62	74	63	41	70	61	70	53
20th	Mozambique	52	63	56	59	45	93	56	53	57	58	49	66	55	16	59	41	44	38
6th	Namibia	67	80	66	81	78	96	66	58	70	69	63	70	63	58	62	57	63	50
37th	Niger	44	56	49	52	45	78	38	45	39	29	43	57	53	5	55	38	37	39
40th	Nigeria	43	48	30	55	36	72	38	27	49	38	43	67	40	14	52	41	40	41
31st	Rwanda	48	47	48	48	57	37	38	16	30	68	55	68	63	16	72	52	62	42
11th	São Tomé and Príncipe	57	68	75	61	44	93	65	74	65	56	44	57	50	18	50	52	63	40
12th	Senegal	57	63	58	65	44	85	60	58	64	60	53	65	61	20	67	51	55	46
2nd	Seychelles	75	81	81	74	68	100	69	72	53	81	66	55	67	78	63	83	100	65
33rd	Sierra Leone	45	52	49	39	38	81	52	55	53	47	42	61	43	11	53	33	35	31
53rd	Somalia	8	8	6	0	3	23	12	4	9	23	4	3	3	3	6	8	16	0
5th	South Africa	70	72	33	85	77	93	73	77	69	74	65	77	72	44	69	71	70	71
48th	Sudan	33	22	20	17	18	34	23	12	20	38	38	47	39	24	42	50	44	56
25th	Swaziland	50	64	45	63	59	89	27	10	27	45	52	64	55	35	53	59	64	53
15th	Tanzania	54	62	51	55	48	93	56	52	50	67	53	64	62	18	67	46	57	34
39th	Togo	43	57	58	48	31	90	40	32	51	38	34	58	26	21	29	41	40	41
8th	Tunisia	60	64	59	48	55	93	38	19	26	67	66	71	61	60	71	74	81	66
24th	Uganda	51	54	48	65	48	55	51	44	46	63	49	65	54	15	63	51	55	48
16th	Zambia	54	64	50	61	47	96	56	55	62	51	49	64	55	22	54	45	55	36
50th	Zimbabwe	32	35	21	26	15	78	31	22	21	51	19	29	6	24	16	42	44	41

The table shows all sub-category, category and overall index scores for each country.

### Top five highest overall scores for 2010 Ibrahim Index:

- 1 Mauritius
- 2 Seychelles
- 3 Botswana
- 4 Cape Verde
- 5 South Africa

### Top five 'Safety and Rule of Law' scores for 2010 Ibrahim Index:

- 1 Mauritius
- 2 Botswana
- 3 Cape Verde
- 4 Seychelles
- 5 Namibia

Countries with the highest scores in sub-categories:

- Personal Safety: Mauritius (85)
- Rule of Law: Botswana (97)
- Accountability and Corruption: Botswana (89)
- National Security: Mauritius (100)

### Top five 'Participation and Human Rights' scores for 2010 Ibrahim Index:

- 1 Cape Verde
- 2 Mauritius
- 3 South Africa
- 4 Botswana
- 5 Seychelles

Countries with the highest scores in sub-categories:

- Participation: Mauritius (87)
- Rights: Cape Verde (86)
- Gender: Seychelles (81)

### Top five 'Sustainable Economic Opportunity' scores for 2010 Ibrahim Index:

- 1 Mauritius
- 2 Botswana
- 3 Cape Verde
- 4 Seychelles
- 5 Tunisia

Countries with the highest scores in sub-categories:

- Public Management: South Africa (77)
- Private Sector: Mauritius (97)
- Infrastructure: Seychelles (78)
- Environmental and Rural Sector: Mauritius (89)

### Top five 'Human Development' scores for 2010 Ibrahim Index:

- 1 Libya
- 2 Seychelles
- 3 Mauritius
- 4 Tunisia
- 5 South Africa

Countries with the highest scores in sub-categories:

- Health and Welfare: Seychelles (100)
- Education: Libya (83)