

# Romania

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>			4.8 (79)	4.8 (84)	3.8 (118)	4.9 (112)	5.1 (113)	5.4 (103)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>		5.2	5.9	4.0	3.4	4.0	4.6	4.5
A. Government Consumption		9.4 (8.0)	9.9 (6.5)	6.8 (16.8)	6.8 (16.8)	7.5 (14.5)	6.7 (17.3)	6.2 (18.9)
B. Transfers & Subsidies		6.3 (14.1)	8.0 (7.9)	5.1 (18.6)	6.2 (14.6)	6.1 (14.8)	6.4 (13.7)	6.4 (13.7)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0 (60.7)	0.0 (56.7)	2.0 (48.6)	2.0 (48.6)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate					0.5	2.5	3.5	3.5
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate					1.0 (60)	5.0 (40)	5.0 (40)	5.0 (40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate					0.0 (72)	0.0 (68)	2.0 (55)	2.0 (54)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>			4.0	6.3	5.6	5.6	4.6	4.5
A. Judicial Independence							2.9	2.3
B. Impartial Courts					5.4	5.5	2.6	2.3
C. Protection of Intellectual Property						4.1	2.7	3.0
D. Military Interference					6.4	8.3	8.3	8.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					7.0	6.7	6.7	6.7
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	4.9	6.6	6.9	7.1	0.7	2.7	4.2	6.2
A. Growth of Money Supply		7.8 (11.2)	9.8 (1.2)	8.3 (8.7)	0.0 (58.1)	10.0 (-0.1)	8.6 (-6.8)	9.3 (-3.5)
B. Inflation Variability	9.8 (0.4)	8.8 (3.1)	8.1 (4.7)	7.9 (5.3)	0.0 (68.3)	0.0 (44.5)	0.0 (45.7)	5.1 (12.3)
C. Recent Annual Inflation		9.9 (0.6)	9.9 (0.4)	7.3 (13.7)	2.9 (35.3)	0.9 (45.7)	3.1 (34.5)	5.5 (22.5)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>				4.2	6.0	6.4	6.5	6.7
A. Taxes on International Trade				9.7	7.2	6.6	6.4	6.4
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports				9.7 (0.4)	8.2 (2.7)	8.4 (2.4)	9.3 (1.1)	9.3 (1.1)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate					6.2 (18.8)	7.0 (15.2)	6.4 (18.1)	6.4 (18.1)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates						4.4 (14.1)	3.6 (15.9)	3.6 (15.9)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers						5.5	5.4	5.5
(i) Hidden Import Barriers						5.5	3.8	3.8
(ii) Costs of Importing							7.0	7.1
C. Size of Trade Sector		7.3	3.4	3.2	4.9	5.4	5.6	5.6
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.4	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.5	4.9	5.9
(i) Access to Foreign Capital						7.5	7.5	7.2
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	2.3	4.6
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.5	3.4	5.5	5.3	5.2
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	4.6	6.7	7.2
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	2.0	5.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks						8.1	8.1	7.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	6.5	7.0
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates				0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	8.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates						8.8	8.8	8.8
B. Regulation of Labor Markets						6.3	5.0	5.0
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage						4.7	4.7	4.7
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing						8.8	5.1	4.5
(iii) Collective Bargaining						8.7	7.4	8.0
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								4.8
(v) Military Conscription	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
C. Regulation of Business						5.8	4.3	3.4
(i) Price Controls				0.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	2.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						6.6	1.1	1.7
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy						7.5	8.0	7.0
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business						3.6	2.6	3.0
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials						5.2	3.8	3.5

## Russia

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶									4.0 (116)		4.9 (112)		4.9 (116)		5.0 (114)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	1.1		1.2		1.2		1.2		4.8		5.3		5.5		5.3	
A. Government Consumption	2.5	(31.5)	3.0	(29.7)	2.6	(31.0)	3.0	(29.8)	3.7	(27.3)	5.0	(23.0)	5.3	(21.9)	4.5	(24.8)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	2.0	(30.0)	2.0	(30.0)	2.0	(30.0)	2.0	(30.0)	7.9	(8.2)	6.6	(13.1)	6.3	(14.2)	6.3	(14.2)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	(90.0)	2.0	(45.0)	4.0		4.0	(35.0)	4.0	(35.0)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		5.5		5.5		6.5		6.5	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	0.0	(100)	0.0	(100)	0.0	(100)	0.0	(80)	8.0	(30)	8.0	(30)	10.0	(13)	10.0	(13)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate									3.0	(51)	3.0	(50)	3.0	(49)	3.0	(49)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>									3.4		4.4		3.8		4.4	
A. Judicial Independence									3.5		3.5		2.6		2.5	
B. Impartial Courts									4.2		5.2		2.6		2.5	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									1.6		1.9		2.4		2.2	
D. Military Interference									4.5		6.7		6.7		8.3	
E. Integrity of Legal System											5.0		5.0		6.7	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	6.0		5.7		6.5		6.0		1.3		3.6		3.8		3.8	
A. Growth of Money Supply	8.3	(8.3)	7.9	(10.6)	8.1	(9.6)	8.1	(9.7)	0.0	(401.4)	2.2	(39.1)	3.3	(33.5)	3.3	(33.5)
B. Inflation Variability	9.6	(1.1)	9.3	(1.8)	9.4	(1.4)	8.9	(2.7)	0.0	(522.9)	1.6	(21.1)	1.3	(21.8)	0.0	(29.0)
C. Recent Annual Inflation					8.5	(7.3)	6.8	(15.9)	0.0	(170.7)	5.8	(20.8)	5.7	(21.5)	6.8	(15.8)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>									6.5		6.9		6.8		6.9	
A. Taxes on International Trade									6.6		7.0		7.2		7.2	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports									7.1	(4.4)	6.9	(4.6)	6.0	(6.1)	6.0	(6.1)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate									7.7	(11.5)	7.5	(12.6)	7.8	(11.1)	7.8	(11.1)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates									5.0	(12.4)	6.6	(8.5)	7.8	(5.4)	7.8	(5.4)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers									4.3		5.1		5.1		5.7	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers									4.3		3.8		4.0		4.3	
(ii) Costs of Importing											6.3		6.2		7.0	
C. Size of Trade Sector							6.0		8.0		9.7		8.5		8.0	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		3.5		2.9		3.2		3.9	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital									5.1		5.7		5.7		5.4	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		2.0		0.0		0.8		2.3	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	2.5		2.5		2.5		3.0		4.1		4.4		4.3		4.5	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.2		4.7		3.7		5.1		6.0	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		5.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks									3.9		4.3		4.3		6.0	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector							0.5		5.0		5.9		6.8		7.0	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		8.0		2.0		8.0		8.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates									4.4		4.2		4.2		4.2	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets							1.8		4.0		4.5		4.5		4.3	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage									6.0		2.6		2.6		2.6	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing							1.0		1.0		6.1		6.2		6.2	
(iii) Collective Bargaining							4.5		7.2		8.3		8.1		8.0	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits									5.7		5.5		5.5		4.9	
(v) Military Conscription	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
C. Regulation of Business									3.7		5.1		3.4		3.1	
(i) Price Controls							0.0		5.0		5.0		2.0		2.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											6.2		2.6		1.5	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy									4.8		5.0		3.8		4.0	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business									3.5		4.0		3.6		3.3	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials									1.4		5.4		5.0		4.5	

# Rwanda

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	4.1 (64)	5.4 (51)		5.3 (62)	4.3 (113)	5.1 (106)	5.2 (109)	5.3 (107)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	7.5	7.3	6.1	7.3	7.7	5.5	5.5	5.5
A. Government Consumption	6.6 (17.6)	7.9 (13.0)	8.2 (12.3)	8.6 (10.8)	9.4 (8.0)	9.0 (9.5)	9.0 (9.5)	9.0 (9.5)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	10.0 (0.6)	9.9 (0.8)		9.2 (3.5)	9.5 (2.2)			
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	6.0 (16.9)	4.0 (39.4)	4.0 (42.4)	4.0	4.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate								
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate								
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate								
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>					2.4	2.0	2.0	2.0
A. Judicial Independence								
B. Impartial Courts					3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5
C. Protection of Intellectual Property								
D. Military Interference						0.0	0.0	0.0
E. Integrity of Legal System					0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	1.8	6.1	6.6	6.1	3.5	7.6	7.4	7.9
A. Growth of Money Supply	7.3 (13.4)	7.1 (14.5)	9.5 (-2.4)	9.9 (0.8)	5.6 (21.9)	9.1 (-4.7)	8.2 (-8.9)	8.2 (-8.9)
B. Inflation Variability	0.0 (33.5)	8.0 (5.0)	8.0 (5.1)	7.3 (6.7)	3.3 (16.8)	7.0 (7.6)	7.1 (7.2)	8.7 (3.2)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	0.0 (88.0)	9.4 (3.1)	9.1 (4.6)	7.3 (13.5)	0.0 (54.2)	9.2 (3.9)	9.3 (3.3)	9.5 (2.5)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	1.9	2.5		2.6	3.8		5.4	4.9
A. Taxes on International Trade	0.0	1.1		0.5	1.1		7.5	7.5
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	0.0 (16.5)	1.1 (13.3)		0.5 (14.2)	0.3 (14.6)			
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate					3.0 (34.8)		8.0 (10.0)	8.0 (10.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates					0.0 (33.1)		7.0 (7.6)	7.0 (7.6)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers								
(i) Hidden Import Barriers								
(ii) Costs of Importing								
C. Size of Trade Sector	0.0	3.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	1.0	0.0	0.2	4.4	9.4	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.5	2.3
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.5	2.3
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.0	5.6	5.7	5.1	4.3	5.2	5.9	6.0
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	2.5	5.0	5.3	5.5	2.8	5.6	6.7	7.1
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	5.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	5.0	9.0	7.8	6.5	8.5	8.9	9.0	8.2
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		6.0	8.0	10.0	0.0	8.0	9.0	8.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets								
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing								
(iii) Collective Bargaining								
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business								
(i) Price Controls				0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses								
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy								
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business								
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials								

# Senegal

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶			5.2 (60)		5.0 (72)		5.2 (68)		4.6 (103)		5.8 (85)		5.8 (87)		5.8 (86)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	6.9		6.4		4.0		5.7		4.6		6.7		6.5		6.5	
A. Government Consumption	7.2	(15.5)	6.1	(19.3)	7.0	(16.3)	7.0	(16.1)	7.7	(13.9)	7.9	(13.0)	7.1	(15.9)	7.1	(15.9)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	9.4	(2.6)	9.0	(4.2)							9.8	(1.3)	10.0	(0.4)	10.0	(0.4)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	4.0	(33.9)	4.0	(36.7)	4.0	(36.2)	6.0	(30.1)	6.0		6.0		6.0		6.0	
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate					1.0		4.0		0.0		3.0		3.0		3.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate					1.0	(65)	4.0	(48)	0.0	(64)	3.0	(50)	3.0	(50)	3.0	(50)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate					4.0	(48)	4.0	(48)	0.0	(64)	3.0	(50)	3.0	(50)	3.0	(50)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>			3.4		4.0		4.0		3.4		4.4		4.4		4.1	
A. Judicial Independence															3.5	
B. Impartial Courts									5.4		5.3		5.3		4.0	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property															4.5	
D. Military Interference									4.0		3.3		3.3		3.3	
E. Integrity of Legal System									0.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.7		6.1		6.6		7.1		5.8		7.3		7.0		7.0	
A. Growth of Money Supply	7.1	(14.8)	7.8	(11.2)	9.0	(5.0)	9.6	(-2.0)	8.7	(6.3)	9.5	(2.7)	8.9	(5.4)	8.9	(5.4)
B. Inflation Variability	8.0	(5.1)	8.9	(2.6)	9.4	(1.6)	9.0	(2.5)	5.7	(10.9)	9.8	(0.6)	9.7	(0.9)	9.6	(1.0)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	7.7	(11.6)	7.7	(11.5)	8.1	(9.3)	9.8	(1.2)	8.8	(5.9)	9.9	(0.7)	9.4	(3.1)	9.6	(2.2)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	5.8		5.3		5.5		4.9		5.2		6.3		5.8		6.1	
A. Taxes on International Trade	4.2		2.4		3.3		2.6		2.2		5.6		6.0		6.0	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	4.2	(8.7)	2.4	(11.4)	4.5	(8.3)	2.1	(11.8)	1.3	(13.0)	3.6	(9.6)	3.6	(9.6)	3.6	(9.6)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate					2.2	(39.0)	3.0	(35.0)	3.2	(34.2)	7.6	(12.0)	7.2	(14.0)	7.2	(14.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates													7.3	(6.8)	7.3	(6.8)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers															5.6	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers															4.3	
(ii) Costs of Importing															6.9	
C. Size of Trade Sector	7.1		6.4		6.1		4.5		5.8		5.2		4.9		4.9	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.6		9.6		9.8		9.2		9.8		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		2.3		0.0		4.2	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital															8.4	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		2.3		0.0		0.0	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>			4.9		4.7		4.4		4.1		4.6		5.1		5.0	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	2.0		6.5		5.9		6.5		4.8		5.6		7.4		8.4	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		5.0		8.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks																
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector			9.4		9.6		9.6		8.5		8.7		8.7		9.2	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates			8.0		6.0		8.0		4.0		6.0		8.7		8.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates																
B. Regulation of Labor Markets															2.4	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage																
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing															2.8	
(iii) Collective Bargaining															4.3	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits																
(v) Military Conscription	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
C. Regulation of Business															4.3	
(i) Price Controls							0.0		2.0		4.0		4.0		4.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses															2.0	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy															5.8	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business															5.3	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials															4.4	

# Sierra Leone

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	5.4 (38)	5.0 (68)	3.7 (102)	3.9 (103)	4.3 (113)	5.1 (106)	5.1 (113)	5.2 (111)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	7.3	5.6	6.4	6.0	5.6	5.9	5.7	5.7
A. Government Consumption	8.3 (11.8)	9.3 (8.4)	9.1 (8.9)	8.3 (11.8)	7.7 (13.8)	7.8 (13.5)	7.3 (15.3)	7.3 (15.3)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	9.7 (1.6)		10.0 (0.6)	9.7 (1.6)	9.0 (4.3)	9.8 (1.2)	9.8 (1.2)	9.8 (1.2)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	4.0 (33.3)	2.0 (61.6)	0.0 (81.4)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate								
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate								
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate								
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>			5.3	5.3	2.6	3.5	3.5	4.7
A. Judicial Independence								
B. Impartial Courts					4.0	4.9	4.9	4.9
C. Protection of Intellectual Property								
D. Military Interference					2.3	0.0	0.0	5.0
E. Integrity of Legal System					0.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.6	5.8	0.4	0.0	3.8	6.5	6.5	5.5
A. Growth of Money Supply	7.5 (12.6)	6.4 (18.1)	1.6 (41.8)	0.0 (73.0)	6.9 (15.4)	4.4 (28.2)	5.4 (23.1)	5.4 (23.1)
B. Inflation Variability	7.2 (6.9)	8.9 (2.8)	0.0 (26.1)	0.0 (29.2)	0.0 (26.1)	6.7 (8.3)	6.0 (10.0)	2.2 (19.5)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	7.8 (11.0)	8.0 (9.9)	0.0 (85.1)	0.0 (89.2)	3.3 (33.5)	9.8 (-0.8)	9.6 (2.1)	9.3 (-3.3)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	3.2	3.2	2.3	3.6	4.7	4.8	4.6	4.9
A. Taxes on International Trade	3.1	3.0	3.5	7.4	4.5	3.9	3.3	3.3
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	3.1 (10.4)	1.1 (13.3)	2.1 (11.9)	7.4 (4.0)	4.1 (8.8)	3.9 (9.2)	3.3 (10.0)	3.3 (10.0)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate		4.8 (25.8)	4.8 (25.8)		4.8 (25.8)			
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates								
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers								
(i) Hidden Import Barriers								
(ii) Costs of Importing								
C. Size of Trade Sector	4.7	4.8	0.0	2.3	1.0	2.0	2.5	2.5
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.6	5.0	5.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	3.8	3.8
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	3.8	3.8
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.6	5.5	4.3	4.6	5.1	4.8	5.2	5.3
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	4.3	4.7	1.5	2.9	3.3	2.5	4.4	4.8
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	6.7	6.0	2.4	6.8	5.8	3.4	3.1	3.4
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		6.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	8.0	9.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets								
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing								
(iii) Collective Bargaining								
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business								
(i) Price Controls				2.0	6.0	6.0	4.0	4.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses								
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy								
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business								
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials								

# Singapore

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	7.0 (7)		7.4 (5)		7.7 (4)		8.1 (2)		8.8 (2)		8.5 (3)		8.5 (2)		8.6 (2)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	7.0		7.0		7.1		8.2		8.4		8.0		7.8		8.0	
A. Government Consumption	7.4	(14.9)	7.1	(15.9)	4.7	(24.0)	6.5	(18.1)	6.9	(16.5)	5.6	(20.8)	5.3	(22.0)	5.3	(22.0)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	9.8	(1.4)	9.8	(1.1)	9.6	(1.8)	9.4	(2.6)	9.6	(1.8)	9.2	(3.3)	8.8	(4.9)	8.8	(4.9)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	7.0	(25.0)	7.0	(24.2)	6.0	(34.7)	8.0	(18.6)	8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0	
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	4.0		4.0		8.0		9.0		9.0		9.0		9.0		10.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	4.0	(55)	4.0	(55)	8.0	(40)	9.0	(33)	9.0	(30)	9.0	(28)	9.0	(26)	10.0	(22)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate							9.0 (33)		9.0 (30)		9.0 (28)		9.0 (26)		10.0 (22)	
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	6.6		8.1		7.2		7.2		8.3		8.5		8.5		8.6	
A. Judicial Independence									7.2		7.3		6.8		7.0	
B. Impartial Courts									7.1		7.7		7.9		8.0	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									7.3		7.6		7.8		8.2	
D. Military Interference									10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Integrity of Legal System									10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	6.6		6.4		8.4		9.3		9.7		9.5		9.6		9.6	
A. Growth of Money Supply	9.0	(5.2)	9.4	(3.3)	9.9	(0.3)	9.1	(4.4)	9.9	(0.5)	9.4	(-2.9)	9.9	(-0.6)	9.9	(0.5)
B. Inflation Variability	7.9	(5.2)	8.6	(3.6)	8.9	(2.8)	8.9	(2.7)	9.4	(1.5)	8.7	(3.2)	8.7	(3.2)	8.8	(3.1)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	9.6	(2.2)	7.7	(11.5)	9.8	(-1.1)	9.0	(4.9)	9.5	(2.7)	9.7	(1.4)	9.8	(1.0)	9.9	(-0.4)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		5.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	9.1		9.2		9.6		9.6		9.6		9.3		9.4		9.5	
A. Taxes on International Trade	9.6		9.8		9.9		9.7		9.6		9.9		10.0		10.0	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	9.6	(0.6)	9.7	(0.4)	9.8	(0.3)	9.9	(0.1)	9.9	(0.1)	9.9	(0.1)	9.9	(0.1)	9.9	(0.1)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			9.9 (0.3)		9.9 (0.3)		9.9 (0.4)		9.9 (0.4)		9.9 (0.4)		10.0 (0.0)		10.0 (0.0)	
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							9.3 (1.8)		8.9 (2.7)		10.0 (0.0)		10.0 (0.0)		10.0 (0.0)	
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers									8.9		9.4		9.2		9.3	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers									8.9		8.8		8.7		8.7	
(ii) Costs of Importing											10.0		9.8		9.9	
C. Size of Trade Sector	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	8.0		8.0		10.0		10.0		9.3		7.2		7.6		8.1	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital									8.7		9.1		9.1		10.0	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	8.0		8.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		5.4		6.2		6.2	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.8		6.2		6.2		6.3		7.9		7.3		7.0		7.0	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	9.3		9.6		9.7		9.6		8.3		7.9		7.9		7.9	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks									6.1		4.6		4.6		4.6	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	8.7		8.9		9.0		8.8		8.8		8.3		8.2		8.0	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates			10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates									6.7		6.8		6.8		6.8	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets							5.5		6.2		5.5		5.6		5.7	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage									7.1		4.6		4.6		4.6	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing							8.5		8.5		7.2		7.6		7.7	
(iii) Collective Bargaining	7.9		7.9		7.9		7.9		7.9		8.4		8.1		8.0	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits									7.3		7.5		7.5		8.5	
(v) Military Conscription	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
C. Regulation of Business									9.4		8.4		7.7		7.5	
(i) Price Controls							8.0		9.0		9.0		8.0		7.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											7.7		6.6		6.8	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy									9.7		8.1		6.5		6.5	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business									9.1		8.0		8.1		7.7	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials									9.7		9.1		9.1		9.3	

# Slovak Republic

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ►</b>					5.4 (80)	6.3 (66)	6.3 (67)	6.6 (51)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>					2.4	3.5	4.0	4.5
A. Government Consumption				3.3 (28.9)	3.2 (29.2)	4.0 (26.3)	4.1 (26.1)	4.1 (26.2)
B. Transfers & Subsidies					3.9 (23.0)	4.3 (21.5)	4.3 (21.5)	4.3 (21.5)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment					0.0 (75.1)	2.0	4.0	6.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate					4.0	4.0	3.5	3.5
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate					4.0 (42)	4.0 (42)	5.0 (38)	5.0 (38)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate					4.0 (42)	4.0 (44)	2.0 (55)	2.0 (54)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>					6.5	6.3	5.6	5.7
A. Judicial Independence					5.1	5.0	3.7	3.7
B. Impartial Courts					5.4	5.2	3.4	3.5
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					4.0	4.7	4.4	4.5
D. Military Interference					8.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Integrity of Legal System					10.0	6.7	6.7	6.7
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>				8.8	6.7	8.0	8.2	8.2
A. Growth of Money Supply					7.3 (13.4)	9.8 (-0.9)	9.4 (3.0)	9.4 (3.0)
B. Inflation Variability				9.0 (2.5)	6.4 (9.0)	9.6 (1.0)	9.7 (0.7)	9.2 (1.9)
C. Recent Annual Inflation				8.6 (6.9)	8.1 (9.7)	7.6 (12.0)	8.5 (7.3)	9.3 (3.3)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency					5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>					6.8	7.9	8.3	8.7
A. Taxes on International Trade					8.8	9.1	9.3	9.3
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports						9.3 (1.0)	9.8 (0.3)	9.8 (0.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate					8.8 (6.1)	8.8 (6.0)	8.8 (6.0)	8.8 (6.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates								
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					4.8	7.2	7.6	8.1
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					4.8	6.7	6.3	7.2
(ii) Costs of Importing						7.7	8.9	9.1
C. Size of Trade Sector					6.6	8.0	8.5	8.1
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate					10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets					3.6	5.5	6.2	7.8
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					5.3	7.8	7.8	9.4
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions					2.0	3.1	4.6	6.2
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>					4.8	5.8	5.5	5.8
A. Regulation of Credit Markets					5.7	7.4	7.4	7.9
(i) Private Ownership of Banks					5.0	5.0	8.0	10.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					6.1	5.3	5.3	5.3
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector					5.3	8.1	5.6	6.0
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates					6.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					6.1	8.3	8.3	8.3
B. Regulation of Labor Markets					4.4	4.9	4.7	4.4
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					6.1	4.2	4.2	4.2
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				4.9	4.9	3.0	4.3	4.2
(iii) Collective Bargaining					5.2	7.7	7.1	7.7
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits					4.7	4.8	4.8	3.2
(v) Military Conscription					1.0	5.0	3.0	3.0
C. Regulation of Business					4.2	5.2	4.5	5.2
(i) Price Controls					4.0	4.0	4.0	6.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						8.0	1.9	2.0
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					4.7	4.5	7.0	7.0
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					4.3	3.0	4.7	5.2
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					3.7	6.5	5.1	5.6

## Slovenia

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶					4.9 (93)	5.9 (80)	6.1 (77)	6.2 (74)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>					1.8	2.9	2.5	3.1
A. Government Consumption				4.1 (25.9)	4.2 (25.8)	3.7 (27.5)	3.4 (28.5)	3.7 (27.3)
B. Transfers & Subsidies					1.1 (33.2)	4.0 (22.4)	4.7 (20.0)	4.7 (20.0)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment					0.0 (75.1)	2.0	0.0	2.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate						2.0	2.0	2.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate						4.0 (50)	4.0 (50)	4.0 (50)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate						0.0 (70)	0.0 (66)	0.0 (66)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>					7.4	6.4	7.0	6.7
A. Judicial Independence							6.7	5.5
B. Impartial Courts					7.0	7.1	5.4	5.3
C. Protection of Intellectual Property						5.4	6.3	6.0
D. Military Interference					9.2	8.3	8.3	8.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					10.0	8.3	8.3	8.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>					3.1	7.4	8.8	8.7
A. Growth of Money Supply					0.0 (57.5)	7.6 (11.9)	7.7 (11.4)	7.0 (15.1)
B. Inflation Variability					0.0 (79.6)	9.2 (2.1)	9.3 (1.6)	9.4 (1.6)
C. Recent Annual Inflation					7.5 (12.6)	7.8 (10.8)	8.1 (9.4)	8.5 (7.5)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency				5.0	5.0	5.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>					7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2
A. Taxes on International Trade					7.5	8.1	8.2	8.2
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports					7.5 (3.7)	9.5 (0.8)	9.6 (0.5)	9.6 (0.5)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate						7.6 (11.8)	7.7 (11.4)	7.7 (11.4)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates						7.0 (7.4)	7.2 (7.0)	7.2 (7.0)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers						7.4	8.3	8.1
(i) Hidden Import Barriers						7.4	7.3	7.2
(ii) Costs of Importing							9.3	9.0
C. Size of Trade Sector					4.7	4.7	4.4	4.2
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate				0.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.3	5.3	5.3
(i) Access to Foreign Capital						6.8	6.8	6.0
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	3.8	3.8	4.6
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>					5.3	5.7	5.1	5.4
A. Regulation of Credit Markets					6.5	6.5	6.7	8.0
(i) Private Ownership of Banks					5.0	5.0	5.0	8.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks						4.8	4.8	8.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector					6.5	7.7	7.8	7.8
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates					8.0	9.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates						6.1	6.1	6.1
B. Regulation of Labor Markets						3.6	3.8	3.6
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage						4.0	4.0	4.0
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing						2.3	2.7	2.7
(iii) Collective Bargaining						5.1	5.3	5.2
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								3.1
(v) Military Conscription					3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
C. Regulation of Business						7.0	4.9	4.7
(i) Price Controls					6.0	8.0	2.0	2.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						7.0	3.0	3.0
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy						7.8	6.3	5.8
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business						5.7	6.0	5.3
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials						6.6	7.4	7.4



## South Africa

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	5.9 (21)	5.8 (35)	5.4 (55)	5.3 (62)	6.3 (49)	6.8 (43)	6.7 (45)	6.8 (44)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	4.6	4.7	4.9	5.6	5.8	5.4	5.5	5.6
A. Government Consumption	6.0 (19.6)	5.6 (20.9)	4.6 (24.4)	4.5 (24.8)	4.5 (24.7)	5.2 (22.4)	5.2 (22.4)	4.8 (23.7)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	9.2 (3.4)	9.3 (3.2)	8.8 (4.8)	8.8 (4.8)	8.7 (5.3)	8.6 (5.5)	8.9 (4.5)	8.9 (4.5)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0 (48.2)	2.0 (50.9)	2.0 (42.2)	4.0 (34.2)	6.0 (26.2)	4.0 (32.7)	4.0 (31.0)	4.0 (31.0)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	1.0	2.0	4.0	5.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.5
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	1.0 (66)	2.0 (60)	4.0 (50)	5.0 (45)	4.0 (43)	4.0 (45)	4.0 (42)	5.0 (40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				5.0 (45)	4.0 (43)	4.0 (45)	4.0 (42)	4.0 (41)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	5.6	6.2	4.5	2.9	6.1	6.5	6.6	6.5
A. Judicial Independence					7.2	7.2	7.6	7.7
B. Impartial Courts					7.9	8.0	7.3	7.0
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					6.5	5.8	6.7	6.2
D. Military Interference					4.9	8.3	8.3	8.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	3.3	3.3	3.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	6.1	5.3	5.3	5.8	6.4	7.9	7.9	7.8
A. Growth of Money Supply	8.2 (8.9)	7.8 (11.0)	6.3 (18.6)	6.5 (17.3)	8.2 (8.9)	7.9 (10.7)	8.0 (10.2)	8.4 (7.9)
B. Inflation Variability	8.5 (3.8)	8.1 (4.7)	8.5 (3.7)	9.5 (1.3)	9.3 (1.8)	9.7 (0.8)	9.7 (0.7)	9.7 (0.8)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	7.8 (10.9)	5.2 (24.1)	6.4 (18.1)	7.0 (15.1)	8.2 (8.8)	9.0 (5.2)	9.0 (4.8)	8.2 (9.2)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	7.3	7.4	6.4	6.5	6.3	7.2	7.1	7.5
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.7	8.7	8.9	7.3	5.5	7.7	7.4	7.4
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	8.7 (2.0)	9.2 (1.2)	9.1 (1.4)	8.5 (2.2)	9.3 (1.0)	9.0 (1.5)	9.1 (1.4)	9.1 (1.4)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate		8.1 (9.4)	8.8 (6.0)	7.8 (11.0)	6.1 (19.7)	8.3 (8.5)	7.8 (11.0)	7.8 (11.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				5.5 (11.3)	1.2 (21.9)	5.9 (10.2)	5.3 (11.7)	5.3 (11.7)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					6.4	7.6	7.7	7.7
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					6.4	6.6	6.9	6.8
(ii) Costs of Importing						8.5	8.6	8.5
C. Size of Trade Sector	8.9	9.5	7.7	5.9	5.8	6.5	6.3	7.6
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	8.8	8.8	5.0	9.4	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.9
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					6.0	7.5	7.5	9.0
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.8	0.8	0.8
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	6.1	5.3	5.9	5.7	6.8	6.9	6.5	6.5
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	9.2	7.5	9.1	9.1	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.8
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					7.9	6.8	6.8	8.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	8.5	8.4	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.2
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		4.0	8.0	8.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					5.3	6.5	6.5	6.5
B. Regulation of Labor Markets				3.9	6.1	5.5	5.4	5.5
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					2.9	4.6	4.6	4.6
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				5.6	5.6	2.1	2.2	2.2
(iii) Collective Bargaining				6.2	6.2	4.5	4.2	4.7
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits					5.9	6.2	6.2	5.9
(v) Military Conscription	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business					5.9	6.6	5.4	5.2
(i) Price Controls					6.0	7.0	6.0	5.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						6.9	3.3	3.2
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					6.4	6.5	5.3	5.8
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					6.4	5.9	5.8	5.7
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					4.6	6.8	6.9	6.3

## South Korea

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	5.4 (38)		5.8 (35)		5.8 (40)		6.2 (34)		6.4 (45)		6.7 (45)		7.1 (30)		7.1 (31)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	6.6		6.0		6.5		6.2		6.8		7.1		7.3		7.4	
A. Government Consumption	7.8	(13.5)	7.3	(15.2)	7.4	(14.7)	7.1	(15.9)	7.0	(16.2)	7.3	(15.1)	7.4	(14.9)	7.4	(14.9)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	9.6	(2.0)	9.6	(2.0)	9.5	(2.2)	9.3	(2.9)	9.3	(2.9)	9.1	(3.7)	9.1	(3.7)	9.1	(3.7)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	7.0	(21.1)	7.0	(22.6)	7.0	(25.4)	7.0	(19.2)	6.0	(25.5)	7.0	(20.5)	7.0	(21.3)	7.0	(21.3)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	2.0		0.0		2.0		1.5		5.0		5.0		5.5		6.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	2.0	(63)	0.0	(89)	2.0	(65)	2.0	(64)	5.0	(48)	5.0	(44)	6.0	(40)	6.0	(40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate							1.0 (66)		5.0 (48)		5.0 (44)		5.0 (43)		6.0 (40)	
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	4.9		6.5		4.2		5.4		5.6		6.0		6.4		6.2	
A. Judicial Independence									4.9		4.7		5.5		5.2	
B. Impartial Courts									5.3		5.2		5.5		5.2	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									4.3		5.0		5.8		5.8	
D. Military Interference									6.7		8.3		8.3		8.3	
E. Integrity of Legal System									7.0		6.7		6.7		6.7	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	4.4		5.0		6.4		6.5		8.0		8.2		9.3		9.2	
A. Growth of Money Supply	5.7	(21.6)	6.2	(18.8)	8.6	(7.1)	8.6	(7.0)	9.0	(5.0)	9.7	(-1.7)	9.2	(3.9)	8.6	(7.1)
B. Inflation Variability	7.3	(6.8)	8.8	(3.0)	8.0	(4.9)	9.2	(1.9)	9.3	(1.9)	8.7	(3.2)	8.8	(2.9)	8.9	(2.8)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	4.8	(26.0)	5.0	(24.9)	9.1	(4.6)	8.0	(9.9)	8.9	(5.6)	9.6	(2.2)	9.2	(4.1)	9.4	(2.8)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		5.0		5.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	6.6		6.2		6.3		7.2		6.8		7.1		7.3		7.2	
A. Taxes on International Trade	7.9		6.6		6.5		7.5		7.9		8.2		8.2		8.2	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	7.9	(3.1)	7.3	(4.1)	7.6	(3.6)	7.7	(3.4)	8.7	(2.0)	8.8	(1.8)	8.8	(1.8)	8.8	(1.8)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			5.9 (20.4)		5.4 (23.0)		7.3 (13.3)		7.7 (11.5)		8.3 (8.7)		8.3 (8.7)		8.3 (8.7)	
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							7.3 (6.7)		7.4 (6.6)		7.6 (5.9)		7.6 (5.9)		7.6 (5.9)	
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers									6.0		6.8		7.5		7.4	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers									6.0		5.2		6.3		6.2	
(ii) Costs of Importing											8.5		8.8		8.6	
C. Size of Trade Sector	7.4		8.4		6.8		5.7		5.3		6.8		6.5		6.0	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.6		7.8		7.8		9.8		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0		0.0		2.0		5.0		4.8		3.6		4.3		4.6	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital									4.7		7.2		7.2		7.6	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0		0.0		2.0		5.0		5.0		0.0		1.5		1.5	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	4.6		5.1		5.7		5.4		4.8		5.3		5.2		5.3	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	5.6		6.1		8.1		8.2		6.8		6.4		6.4		7.4	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks									4.9		3.2		3.2		8.0	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	9.7		9.4		9.3		9.5		9.7		9.5		9.6		9.6	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	2.0		4.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates									4.6		4.5		4.5		4.5	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets							3.6		4.4		4.2		4.3		3.9	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage									5.8		4.1		4.1		4.1	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing									3.5		4.7		4.4		4.0	
(iii) Collective Bargaining			7.2		7.2		7.2		7.2		6.2		6.8		6.3	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits									5.5		6.0		6.0		4.9	
(v) Military Conscription	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
C. Regulation of Business									3.1		5.2		5.0		4.6	
(i) Price Controls							0.0		0.0		1.0		3.0		1.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											6.5		3.4		3.7	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy									5.4		7.7		6.3		6.3	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business									3.7		5.4		5.8		5.3	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials									3.3		5.4		6.4		6.8	

# Spain

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	5.7 (29)	5.8 (35)	5.9 (35)	6.2 (34)	7.0 (28)	7.4 (20)	7.0 (35)	7.1 (31)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	6.3	4.7	4.2	4.7	4.2	4.6	5.0	4.9
A. Government Consumption	7.7 (13.9)	6.9 (16.5)	6.3 (18.7)	5.9 (20.0)	5.5 (21.2)	5.2 (22.2)	5.1 (22.7)	4.9 (23.3)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	7.5 (9.5)	6.8 (12.3)	5.5 (16.9)	5.8 (16.0)	5.1 (18.5)	5.2 (18.0)	5.8 (16.1)	5.8 (16.1)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	6.0 (17.3)	4.0 (27.1)	4.0 (30.2)	4.0 (33.5)	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	4.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	2.0	4.0	5.0	5.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	4.0 (55)	1.0 (66)	1.0 (66)	3.0 (56)	2.0 (56)	4.0 (48)	5.0 (38-48)	5.0 (35-45)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				3.0 (56)	2.0 (56)	4.0 (48)	5.0 (38-48)	5.0 (35-45)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	5.1	6.3	6.4	7.2	7.5	7.5	6.3	6.5
A. Judicial Independence					6.8	7.5	5.1	4.7
B. Impartial Courts					6.6	8.0	5.3	5.0
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					6.1	7.2	5.9	6.2
D. Military Interference					7.9	8.3	8.3	8.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					10.0	6.7	6.7	8.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.5	5.9	6.5	6.1	9.6	9.4	9.5	9.6
A. Growth of Money Supply	6.9 (15.7)	7.6 (12.2)	8.3 (8.3)	6.8 (16.0)	9.9 (-0.4)	8.7 (6.7)	9.0 (5.0)	9.3 (3.5)
B. Inflation Variability	8.5 (3.7)	8.6 (3.5)	9.2 (2.1)	9.2 (2.0)	9.5 (1.3)	9.8 (0.6)	9.7 (0.7)	9.7 (0.8)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	6.6 (16.8)	7.3 (13.4)	8.5 (7.7)	8.5 (7.3)	9.0 (4.8)	9.3 (3.4)	9.3 (3.6)	9.4 (3.1)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	6.0	6.9	7.1	7.4	7.8	8.3	8.0	8.0
A. Taxes on International Trade	7.0	8.2	8.3	8.2	8.7	9.1	9.0	9.0
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	5.9 (6.1)	8.2 (2.7)	8.0 (3.0)	9.0 (1.5)	9.9 (0.2)	9.7 (0.5)	9.8 (0.3)	9.8 (0.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate	8.1 (9.4)	8.2 (8.8)	8.5 (7.5)	8.5 (7.4)	8.7 (6.7)	9.5 (2.4)	9.2 (3.9)	9.2 (3.9)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				7.1 (7.2)	7.6 (5.9)	8.2 (4.4)	8.0 (4.9)	8.0 (4.9)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					7.6	8.7	8.7	8.4
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					7.6	7.6	7.9	7.3
(ii) Costs of Importing						9.8	9.6	9.4
C. Size of Trade Sector	3.2	3.2	4.5	3.2	4.3	5.6	5.4	5.1
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.6	10.0	9.6	9.6	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0	5.0	5.0	8.0	8.3	8.0	6.9	7.6
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					8.6	9.1	9.1	9.0
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0	5.0	5.0	8.0	8.0	6.9	4.6	6.2
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.9	6.9	6.5	6.4
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	8.3	7.4	8.3	8.3	7.9	8.5	8.5	8.3
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					7.7	6.1	6.1	6.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	8.5	8.1	6.8	6.8	6.7	8.3	8.3	8.3
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		6.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					7.3	8.1	8.1	8.1
B. Regulation of Labor Markets	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.7	4.1	5.3	5.0	5.1
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					5.8	3.1	3.1	3.1
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				2.6	2.6	3.7	2.5	2.2
(iii) Collective Bargaining	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	4.9	4.6	5.7
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits	5.1	4.5	4.1	4.0	3.8	5.0	5.0	4.6
(v) Military Conscription	1.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	3.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business					5.7	6.9	5.8	5.8
(i) Price Controls				7.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						7.4	3.8	2.8
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					6.4	7.9	7.0	7.3
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					5.3	5.7	4.6	5.2
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					5.1	7.6	7.7	7.8

# Sri Lanka

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	5.0 (68)		5.1 (66)		5.0 (75)		6.1 (60)		6.1 (75)		6.2 (71)		6.0 (78)			
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	6.2		4.7		4.8		7.0		6.8		7.0		7.0		7.4	
A. Government Consumption	8.8	(10.2)	8.9	(9.6)	8.4	(11.4)	8.4	(11.4)	7.8	(13.5)	8.0	(12.7)	8.2	(12.1)	8.6	(10.8)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	7.9	(8.1)	7.8	(8.4)	8.7	(5.1)	8.5	(6.0)	8.5	(5.9)	9.0	(4.1)	8.9	(4.6)	8.9	(4.6)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0	(40.5)	2.0	(53.5)	2.0	(54.3)	4.0	(39.2)	4.0		4.0		4.0		4.0	
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate			0.0		0.0		7.0		7.0		7.0		7.0		8.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate			0.0	(61)	0.0	(61)			7.0	(35)	7.0	(35)	7.0	(35)	8.0	(30)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate									7.0	(35)	7.0	(35)	7.0	(35)	8.0	(30)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>			4.0		3.4		2.3		4.5		4.2		5.2		3.8	
A. Judicial Independence													6.6		3.7	
B. Impartial Courts									4.9		5.0		6.1		3.7	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property											3.5		5.0		3.5	
D. Military Interference									2.0		3.3		3.3		3.3	
E. Integrity of Legal System									7.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	6.2		5.1		6.2		5.4		6.7		6.7		6.3		6.5	
A. Growth of Money Supply	9.0	(4.8)	5.9	(20.6)	8.0	(9.8)	7.6	(12.1)	8.8	(6.1)	9.2	(3.9)	9.4	(3.2)	9.2	(3.9)
B. Inflation Variability	6.9	(7.8)	8.6	(3.6)	7.0	(7.5)	8.0	(5.0)	9.8	(0.5)	9.0	(2.5)	8.7	(3.3)	8.7	(3.3)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	8.9	(5.4)	6.0	(20.0)	9.9	(0.6)	5.9	(20.3)	8.1	(9.3)	8.8	(6.2)	7.2	(14.2)	8.1	(9.6)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	3.4		5.5		4.8		4.5		6.3		6.5		6.4		6.7	
A. Taxes on International Trade	2.6		2.0		3.6		2.9		4.8		7.6		7.6		7.6	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	2.6	(11.1)	2.2	(11.7)	2.9	(10.6)	4.1	(8.8)	7.0	(4.5)	8.6	(2.2)	8.4	(2.3)	8.4	(2.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			1.7	(41.3)	4.2	(29.0)	4.6	(26.9)	4.8	(26.1)	8.0	(9.9)	8.0	(9.8)	8.0	(9.8)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							0.0	(25.5)	2.8	(18.1)	6.3	(9.3)	6.3	(9.3)	6.3	(9.3)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers											4.8		5.3		5.9	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers											4.8		5.0		5.0	
(ii) Costs of Importing													5.6		6.9	
C. Size of Trade Sector	6.2		9.0		6.2		5.9		6.7		6.9		6.1		5.8	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0		8.2		6.0		5.2		9.6		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		2.0		3.0		3.0		4.1	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital											6.0		6.0		8.2	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		2.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>			5.7		6.4		5.9		6.2		6.0		5.9		5.7	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	5.0		5.1		7.0		6.6		7.8		6.1		6.4		6.7	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks											6.1		6.1		6.1	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector			6.4		7.9		6.7		8.4		8.3		6.8		7.3	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates			4.0		8.0		8.0		10.0		6.0		9.0		10.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates											5.3		5.3		5.3	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets											5.9		6.2		5.9	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage											4.1		4.1		4.1	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing											2.9		4.6		3.2	
(iii) Collective Bargaining											6.5		6.1		6.3	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits																
(v) Military Conscription	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
C. Regulation of Business											6.0		5.2		4.4	
(i) Price Controls							4.0		4.0		4.0		4.0		4.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											7.3		6.1		3.2	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy											7.2		4.0		4.8	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business											6.5		6.1		5.5	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials											5.3		5.7		4.4	

# Sweden

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	5.3 (43)	5.7 (41)	6.2 (25)	6.5 (29)	7.2 (23)	7.4 (20)	7.2 (24)	7.3 (22)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	2.7	2.1	2.6	2.4	2.6	3.0	3.0	3.1
A. Government Consumption	2.4 (31.8)	1.1 (36.3)	1.4 (35.3)	1.5 (34.9)	2.1 (33.0)	1.7 (34.3)	1.5 (34.8)	1.0 (36.5)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	3.3 (25.0)	3.4 (24.7)	3.1 (26.0)	2.0 (29.9)	0.8 (34.1)	3.4 (24.9)	4.0 (22.6)	4.0 (22.6)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	4.0 (38.1)	4.0 (41.2)	6.0 (28.0)	6.0 (22.8)	6.0 (28.3)	6.0	6.0	6.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.0	0.5	1.5
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	1.0 (70)	0.0 (87)	0.0 (80)	0.0 (61-68)	3.0 (46-53)	2.0 (51-58)	1.0 (52-59)	3.0 (52-59)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				0.0 (79-86)	0.0 (66-73)	0.0 (68-75)	0.0 (64-69)	0.0 (64-69)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	4.4	6.6	7.4	8.3	8.9	9.0	8.6	8.9
A. Judicial Independence					8.8	8.7	7.6	8.3
B. Impartial Courts					8.9	8.4	7.9	7.8
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					6.6	8.1	8.3	8.3
D. Military Interference					10.0	10.0	9.2	10.0
E. Integrity of Legal System					10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	7.4	7.6	8.0	7.8	9.5	9.8	9.7	9.6
A. Growth of Money Supply	8.6 (7.0)	8.3 (8.7)	8.9 (5.5)	8.7 (6.6)	9.8 (1.0)	9.7 (1.5)	9.6 (2.2)	9.2 (3.9)
B. Inflation Variability	8.8 (2.9)	9.4 (1.5)	9.5 (1.3)	9.4 (1.4)	9.1 (2.2)	9.8 (0.4)	9.8 (0.6)	9.8 (0.5)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	7.1 (14.5)	7.7 (11.7)	8.7 (6.6)	8.2 (8.8)	9.3 (3.7)	9.8 (1.0)	9.5 (2.4)	9.6 (2.2)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	6.8	6.7	7.6	8.3	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.2
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.9	9.0	9.5	9.0	8.7	9.2	9.0	9.0
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	9.3 (1.0)	9.5 (0.7)	9.8 (0.3)	9.7 (0.4)	9.7 (0.4)	10.0 (0.0)	9.8 (0.3)	9.8 (0.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate	8.4 (8.0)	8.5 (7.5)	9.2 (4.1)	9.1 (4.7)	8.7 (6.7)	9.5 (2.4)	9.2 (3.9)	9.2 (3.9)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				8.1 (4.8)	7.6 (5.9)	8.2 (4.4)	8.0 (4.9)	8.0 (4.9)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					9.1	9.2	8.9	9.2
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					9.1	8.8	8.3	8.8
(ii) Costs of Importing						9.5	9.5	9.6
C. Size of Trade Sector	5.0	5.2	5.5	4.4	5.4	6.0	5.8	5.3
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.8	9.0	9.8	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0	2.0	5.0	10.0	9.3	7.2	7.2	7.7
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					8.6	9.0	9.0	10.0
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0	2.0	5.0	10.0	10.0	5.4	5.4	5.4
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.6	6.4	6.8	6.3	6.5
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	6.4	7.6	8.1	8.4	8.6	8.8	8.8	9.1
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					8.3	6.5	6.5	8.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	7.1	6.8	6.2	7.2	8.6	9.1	9.1	9.1
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	4.0	8.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					8.3	8.6	8.6	8.6
B. Regulation of Labor Markets	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.0	3.4	3.4	3.3
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					1.8	4.4	4.4	4.4
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				3.9	3.9	2.2	1.9	2.5
(iii) Collective Bargaining	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	3.8	4.2	4.3
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits	5.2	4.8	4.5	4.4	1.9	3.5	3.5	2.4
(v) Military Conscription	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
C. Regulation of Business					7.7	8.3	6.5	7.1
(i) Price Controls				6.0	8.0	9.0	9.0	8.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						7.3	3.1	4.7
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					8.3	8.3	5.8	6.8
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					5.1	7.9	5.8	6.8
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					9.3	9.1	9.0	9.0

## Switzerland

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	7.4 (3)	7.7 (3)	7.8 (3)	7.8 (4)	8.0 (7)	8.3 (5)	8.1 (6)	8.2 (3)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	7.3	7.1	7.0	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.0	6.9
A. Government Consumption	6.8 (17.0)	6.9 (16.7)	6.5 (17.8)	6.0 (19.6)	6.1 (19.2)	6.1 (19.2)	6.1 (19.2)	5.9 (20.1)
B. Transfers & Subsidies		6.5 (13.4)	6.5 (13.2)	5.8 (16.0)	5.0 (18.9)	5.7 (16.2)	5.8 (15.7)	5.8 (15.7)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.5	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	7.0 (38-42)	7.0 (31-44)	7.0 (33-46)	8.0 (33-43)	8.0 (35-39)	9.0 (31-40)	9.0 (31-40)	9.0 (31-40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				7.0 (36-46)	8.0 (38-42)	7.0 (39-48)	7.0 (39-48)	7.0 (39-48)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	8.3	8.1	8.3	8.3	9.1	9.3	8.6	8.6
A. Judicial Independence					9.4	8.7	7.9	8.2
B. Impartial Courts					7.9	8.5	8.4	8.3
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					8.4	9.2	8.4	8.2
D. Military Interference					10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Integrity of Legal System					10.0	10.0	8.3	8.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	9.4	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7
A. Growth of Money Supply	9.3 (3.4)	9.0 (5.1)	9.8 (1.0)	9.9 (0.6)	9.4 (2.8)	9.3 (3.6)	9.3 (3.3)	9.2 (3.9)
B. Inflation Variability	9.6 (1.1)	9.5 (1.1)	9.3 (1.8)	9.8 (0.6)	9.3 (1.7)	9.8 (0.5)	9.7 (0.8)	9.7 (0.7)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	8.6 (7.1)	9.5 (2.7)	9.5 (2.4)	9.1 (4.3)	9.8 (1.1)	9.7 (1.6)	9.8 (1.0)	9.9 (0.6)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	6.3	8.4	8.4	8.3	7.4	8.5	8.4	8.3
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.3	8.7	8.9	9.3	7.7	9.9	9.9	9.9
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	7.7 (3.5)	8.4 (2.4)	8.7 (2.0)	8.7 (1.9)	8.5 (2.3)	9.8 (0.3)	9.8 (0.3)	9.8 (0.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate	8.8 (5.8)	9.1 (4.6)	9.1 (4.4)	9.1 (4.4)	9.3 (3.6)	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				10.0 (0.0)	5.4 (11.6)	10.0 (0.1)	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					6.4	8.9	8.3	8.7
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					6.4	8.2	7.2	7.8
(ii) Costs of Importing						9.7	9.3	9.5
C. Size of Trade Sector	3.2	4.9	4.8	4.3	3.5	4.8	4.6	4.2
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.6	9.1	9.1	8.6
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					9.2	9.7	9.7	8.8
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	8.5	8.5	8.5
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.5	5.4	5.7	5.9	7.1	7.3	6.8	7.3
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	6.6	6.7	8.1	8.2	8.1	8.7	8.7	8.9
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					7.8	7.0	7.0	8.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.5	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.2
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	6.0	6.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					8.7	9.1	9.1	9.1
B. Regulation of Labor Markets	5.3	5.0	4.8	5.5	5.8	5.3	5.3	5.9
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					7.1	4.6	4.6	4.6
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				7.7	7.7	5.6	5.8	7.5
(iii) Collective Bargaining	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	7.8	7.7	7.8
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits	6.7	5.8	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	6.5
(v) Military Conscription	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
C. Regulation of Business					7.4	7.8	6.5	7.2
(i) Price Controls				7.0	6.0	7.0	6.0	7.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						7.3	4.3	5.3
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					8.3	9.1	7.3	7.3
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					6.6	7.7	6.2	7.5
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					8.6	8.2	8.5	8.9

# Syria

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	5.0 (49)	4.1 (91)	3.4 (106)	3.6 (106)	4.4 (109)	4.9 (112)	5.4 (105)	5.4 (103)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	4.4	3.8	1.9	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.6	5.1
A. Government Consumption	4.7 (24.1)	4.2 (25.8)	3.9 (26.8)	6.8 (17.0)	7.1 (15.7)	7.5 (14.5)	7.3 (15.2)	7.3 (15.2)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	8.6 (5.5)	7.4 (10.2)						
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	0.0 (74.4)	0.0 (70.2)	0.0 (66.3)	0.0 (55.6)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate								8.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate								8.0 (28)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate								
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>		1.8	3.1	3.0	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.1
A. Judicial Independence								
B. Impartial Courts					5.0	4.6	4.6	4.6
C. Protection of Intellectual Property								
D. Military Interference					6.5	3.3	3.3	3.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	8.3	8.3	8.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	7.5	8.0	6.0	5.5	6.6	6.6	8.0	8.3
A. Growth of Money Supply	6.8 (16.1)	6.8 (15.8)	6.9 (15.5)	7.1 (14.5)	8.8 (5.8)	9.2 (4.2)	8.7 (6.7)	8.7 (6.7)
B. Inflation Variability	5.1 (12.3)	8.6 (3.6)	7.9 (5.2)	8.7 (3.1)	8.6 (3.5)	7.5 (6.3)	8.5 (3.8)	9.5 (1.1)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	8.2 (8.8)	6.5 (17.5)	9.2 (4.1)	6.1 (19.3)	8.9 (5.4)	9.9 (-0.5)	9.9 (0.4)	9.8 (1.0)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	10.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	5.5	4.0	3.2	3.5	4.1	6.1	6.1	4.5
A. Taxes on International Trade	4.3	3.9	5.4	4.7	7.1	7.5	7.6	7.6
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	4.3 (8.5)	5.3 (7.1)	6.3 (5.6)	8.1 (2.9)	7.1 (4.3)	7.5 (3.7)	7.6 (3.7)	7.6 (3.7)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate		2.5 (37.3)	4.6 (27.0)	5.9 (20.4)	7.0 (14.8)			
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				0.0 (27.7)				
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers								
(i) Hidden Import Barriers								
(ii) Costs of Importing								
C. Size of Trade Sector	4.9	4.8	2.1	4.4	5.3	5.0	5.0	5.0
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.8	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	5.3
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	3.9	3.9
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.8	4.0	4.1
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	1.5	1.6	2.6	2.3	2.8	2.4	2.1	2.3
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets								
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing								
(iii) Collective Bargaining								
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
C. Regulation of Business								
(i) Price Controls				0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses								
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy								
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business								
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials								

## Taiwan

Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
	5.7 (29)		6.5 (16)		6.7 (17)		6.9 (16)		7.3 (22)		7.2 (28)		7.1 (30)		7.3 (22)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	5.1		5.0		4.9		5.4		6.1		6.2		6.2		6.2	
A. Government Consumption	5.4	(21.7)	4.8	(23.6)	4.7	(24.0)	4.7	(23.9)	6.0	(19.5)	6.7	(17.3)	6.8	(17.0)	6.9	(16.7)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	10.0	(0.4)	10.0	(0.4)	10.0	(0.7)	9.9	(1.0)	9.4	(2.8)	9.2	(3.4)	9.0	(4.1)	9.1	(3.9)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0	(46.1)	2.0	(44.3)	2.0	(43.0)	2.0	(44.3)	2.0	(47.2)	2.0		2.0		2.0	
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	3.0		3.0		3.0		5.0		7.0		7.0		7.0		7.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	3.0	(60)	3.0	(60)	3.0	(60)	5.0	(50)	7.0	(40)	7.0	(40)	7.0	(40)	7.0	(40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate	3.0		3.0		3.0		5.0		7.0		7.0		7.0		7.0	
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	5.3		7.8		7.2		7.2		6.7		6.1		5.9		6.4	
A. Judicial Independence									5.5		5.3		5.0		6.2	
B. Impartial Courts									6.5		5.7		5.1		6.0	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									5.9		6.1		6.0		6.7	
D. Military Interference									8.8		6.7		6.7		6.7	
E. Integrity of Legal System									7.0		6.7		6.7		6.7	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	7.1		7.9		9.4		9.0		9.7		9.5		9.7		9.7	
A. Growth of Money Supply	6.2	(19.0)	7.5	(12.5)	10.0	(-0.2)	7.4	(12.8)	9.6	(-2.0)	9.2	(-4.0)	9.6	(-2.1)	9.6	(-2.1)
B. Inflation Variability	3.1	(17.2)	7.8	(5.6)	7.5	(6.2)	9.3	(1.7)	9.8	(0.5)	9.1	(2.3)	9.2	(1.9)	9.3	(1.8)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	9.0	(5.2)	6.2	(19.0)	10.0	(-0.2)	9.2	(4.1)	9.4	(3.0)	9.7	(1.3)	10.0	(0.0)	10.0	(-0.2)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	6.7		7.5		7.2		7.7		7.6		8.1		8.0		8.2	
A. Taxes on International Trade	6.8		7.6		8.1		8.3		8.6		8.0		8.1		8.1	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	6.8	(4.8)	7.6	(3.6)	8.1	(2.8)	8.6	(2.1)	8.9	(1.7)	9.1	(1.3)	9.1	(1.3)	9.1	(1.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate							8.1		(9.7)		8.4		(8.8)		8.5	
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates											6.7		(8.2)		6.8	
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers									7.3		8.2		8.0		8.5	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers									7.3		7.1		6.8		7.5	
(ii) Costs of Importing											9.3		9.2		9.5	
C. Size of Trade Sector	7.7		10.0		8.2		7.0		6.6		6.8		6.1		6.3	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.0		9.8		9.4		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0		2.0		2.0		5.0		5.7		7.6		7.6		8.2	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital									6.4		7.6		7.6		8.2	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0		2.0		2.0		5.0		5.0							
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	4.5		4.5		5.0		5.4		6.1		6.1		5.8		5.8	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	5.3		5.3		6.7		6.9		7.0		6.3		6.3		6.3	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	0.0		0.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks									7.3		5.6		5.6		5.6	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	8.0		7.8		8.2		8.6		8.5		8.1		8.0		8.0	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	8.0		8.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates									6.9		5.8		5.8		5.8	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets							4.7		5.2		4.5		4.9		4.8	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage									6.5		3.8		3.8		3.8	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing							6.3		6.3		4.6		6.1		6.8	
(iii) Collective Bargaining							7.9		7.9		8.0		8.5		8.2	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits									5.4		6.2		6.2		5.1	
(v) Military Conscription	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
C. Regulation of Business									6.2		7.3		6.1		6.3	
(i) Price Controls							6.0		6.0		6.0		6.0		5.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											7.6		4.1		5.2	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy									6.9		7.4		5.8		6.0	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business									7.5		7.6		7.1		7.3	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials									4.5		8.1		7.6		8.0	



# Tanzania

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	4.3 (59)	4.8 (72)	4.0 (95)	4.0 (101)	4.9 (93)	5.8 (85)	6.3 (67)	6.3 (68)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	4.1	5.8	3.8	2.9	4.3	4.9	4.9	4.9
A. Government Consumption	6.2 (18.9)	7.5 (14.5)	6.4 (18.1)	6.7 (17.1)	7.0 (16.1)	9.6 (7.2)	9.7 (6.9)	9.7 (6.9)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	10.0 (0.1)	10.0 (0.0)	8.7 (5.2)					
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	0.0 (49.0)	0.0 (53.8)	0.0 (53.5)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	0.0		0.0	2.0	6.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	0.0 (80)		0.0 (95)	3.0 (50)	8.0 (30)	7.0 (31)	7.0 (31)	7.0 (31)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				1.0 (57)	4.0 (45)	3.0 (46)	3.0 (46)	3.0 (46)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>		6.1	5.8	5.2	5.4	6.1	6.1	5.9
A. Judicial Independence								6.0
B. Impartial Courts					5.8	5.8	5.8	5.0
C. Protection of Intellectual Property								3.3
D. Military Interference					7.8	6.7	6.7	6.7
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	8.3	8.3	8.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	4.9	4.1	4.9	4.6	5.0	8.8	8.9	9.1
A. Growth of Money Supply	7.0 (15.1)	5.9 (20.3)	7.9 (10.4)	4.0 (30.0)	4.5 (27.6)	8.7 (6.4)	8.8 (5.9)	8.8 (5.9)
B. Inflation Variability	7.8 (5.6)	6.5 (8.7)	8.4 (3.9)	8.7 (3.3)	6.4 (9.1)	7.8 (5.4)	7.7 (5.7)	8.7 (3.3)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	4.8 (26.1)	4.0 (30.2)	3.3 (33.3)	5.6 (21.8)	4.2 (28.9)	8.8 (5.9)	9.0 (5.1)	9.1 (4.6)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	4.0	3.7	2.9	3.7	6.0	5.5	5.6	5.7
A. Taxes on International Trade	5.1	4.9	4.7	4.5	5.3	5.0	5.0	5.0
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	5.1 (7.3)	4.9 (7.7)	5.8 (6.3)	5.0 (7.5)	4.6 (8.1)	2.1 (11.9)	2.1 (11.9)	2.1 (11.9)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			3.6 (32.0)	4.1 (29.7)	6.1 (19.5)	6.4 (18.2)	6.4 (18.2)	6.4 (18.2)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates					5.1 (12.3)	6.6 (8.4)	6.6 (8.4)	6.6 (8.4)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers								5.3
(i) Hidden Import Barriers								4.3
(ii) Costs of Importing								6.3
C. Size of Trade Sector	6.5	5.2	1.5	5.9	6.7	3.7	4.0	4.0
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	4.2
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								8.4
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	0.0
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	4.4	4.4	2.6	3.6	3.8	3.7	5.8	5.7
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	0.7	1.6	0.3	3.7	2.9	2.8	5.6	5.7
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	1.3	0.9	0.9	7.2	4.7	4.5	5.8	6.1
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		4.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	9.0	9.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets								6.8
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing								4.0
(iii) Collective Bargaining								6.3
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription	10.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business								4.5
(i) Price Controls				0.0	4.0	4.0	6.0	6.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses								3.3
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy								4.3
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business								4.0
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials								5.0

# Thailand

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	5.8 (24)		6.1 (24)		6.1 (28)		6.7 (20)		7.1 (26)		6.7 (45)		6.7 (45)		6.7 (50)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	6.7		6.0		5.6		7.1		7.8		6.8		6.8		6.6	
A. Government Consumption	8.0	(12.9)	7.1	(15.8)	6.5	(17.9)	7.6	(14.3)	7.2	(15.6)	6.8	(17.0)	6.8	(17.0)	6.9	(16.6)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	10.0	(0.6)	9.9	(0.7)	9.8	(1.2)	9.9	(1.0)	9.8	(1.1)	9.6	(2.0)	9.3	(2.9)	9.3	(2.9)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	6.0	(19.3)	4.0	(30.9)	4.0	(31.4)	7.0	(15.1)	7.0	(20.3)	4.0	(33.8)	4.0	(30.6)	4.0	(30.6)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	3.0		3.0		2.0		4.0		7.0		7.0		7.0		6.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	3.0	(60)	3.0	(60)	2.0	(65)	4.0	(55)	7.0	(37)	7.0	(37)	7.0	(37)	6.0	(37)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate							4.0 (55)		7.0 (37)		7.0 (37)		7.0 (37)		6.0 (37)	
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	4.6		6.5		5.8		6.4		5.4		6.0		6.2		6.5	
A. Judicial Independence									5.8		5.8		6.0		6.3	
B. Impartial Courts									3.8		4.7		4.9		5.8	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									3.6		4.4		4.9		5.3	
D. Military Interference									7.0		6.7		6.7		6.7	
E. Integrity of Legal System									7.0		8.3		8.3		8.3	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	6.2		6.1		7.0		7.8		9.5		6.6		6.7		6.7	
A. Growth of Money Supply	9.0	(5.0)	8.3	(8.7)	9.4	(-3.0)	8.0	(10.0)	9.4	(2.9)	8.7	(6.5)	8.9	(5.3)	8.9	(5.3)
B. Inflation Variability	6.7	(8.4)	8.9	(2.9)	9.0	(2.5)	9.3	(1.7)	9.6	(1.0)	8.1	(4.9)	8.1	(4.8)	8.1	(4.8)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	9.3	(3.5)	7.5	(12.7)	9.6	(2.2)	8.8	(5.8)	8.8	(6.0)	9.7	(1.5)	9.7	(1.7)	9.9	(0.6)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		5.0		10.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	6.0		6.3		6.2		6.6		6.9		7.6		7.6		7.6	
A. Taxes on International Trade	4.0		4.5		4.7		3.2		4.6		6.6		6.6		6.6	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	5.3	(7.0)	5.4	(6.9)	5.7	(6.5)	6.4	(5.4)	7.7	(3.5)	9.1	(1.4)	9.0	(1.4)	9.0	(1.4)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate	2.6	(37.0)	3.5	(32.3)	3.8	(31.2)	1.8	(40.8)	2.8	(36.0)	6.6	(17.0)	6.6	(17.0)	6.6	(17.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							1.4 (21.5)		3.2 (16.9)		4.3 (14.3)		4.3 (14.3)		4.3 (14.3)	
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers									5.1		7.2		7.3		7.0	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers									5.1		5.7		5.8		5.7	
(ii) Costs of Importing											8.7		8.8		8.3	
C. Size of Trade Sector	6.0		7.9		6.7		9.5		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.6		9.0		9.4		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		4.6		4.3		4.3		4.4	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital									7.3		7.0		7.0		7.2	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		1.5		1.5		1.5	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.4		5.3		5.9		5.8		6.0		6.2		6.1		5.9	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	7.8		6.7		8.7		8.3		7.3		7.0		7.0		7.0	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks									5.6		3.8		3.8		3.8	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	7.5		8.0		8.0		8.8		9.2		9.2		9.1		9.0	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates			4.0		10.0		8.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates									3.6		7.3		7.3		7.3	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets							5.0		5.4		6.3		6.6		6.2	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage									5.8		3.9		3.9		3.9	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing									7.0		4.6		5.4		5.5	
(iii) Collective Bargaining	7.9		7.9		7.9		7.9		7.9		6.5		6.9		5.8	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits									6.3		6.5		6.5		5.7	
(v) Military Conscription	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
C. Regulation of Business									5.4		5.3		4.7		4.6	
(i) Price Controls							4.0		5.0		3.0		4.0		2.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											6.9		3.4		3.7	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy									6.8		4.0		3.0		4.8	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business									6.5		7.3		6.8		6.3	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials									3.1		5.3		6.1		6.4	

# Togo

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>		4.2 (88)	5.6 (46)	4.9 (80)	4.6 (103)	5.1 (106)	5.2 (109)	5.1 (112)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	2.0	1.6	6.4	3.4	3.9	4.4	4.4	4.4
A. Government Consumption	4.0 (26.3)	3.2 (29.1)	7.6 (14.2)	6.9 (16.6)	7.7 (13.8)	8.9 (9.8)	8.8 (10.0)	8.8 (10.1)
B. Transfers & Subsidies			9.5 (2.4)					
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	0.0 (50.2)	0.0 (52.5)	2.0 (40.0)	0.0 (54.8)	0.0 (51.7)	0.0	0.0	0.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate								
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate								
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate								
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>		3.3	4.2	4.5	4.7	3.7	3.7	3.7
A. Judicial Independence								
B. Impartial Courts					4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1
C. Protection of Intellectual Property								
D. Military Interference					3.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
E. Integrity of Legal System					7.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.1	5.0	6.5	7.0	5.0	6.5	6.6	6.8
A. Growth of Money Supply	7.8 (11.1)	6.7 (16.5)	8.8 (6.2)	9.4 (-2.9)	8.1 (9.7)	8.7 (6.7)	9.3 (3.7)	9.7 (-1.5)
B. Inflation Variability	3.3 (16.7)	5.6 (11.1)	8.0 (4.9)	9.4 (1.6)	4.5 (13.7)	7.8 (5.4)	7.9 (5.3)	8.2 (4.5)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	9.1 (-4.3)	7.9 (10.5)	9.3 (3.4)	9.4 (3.0)	7.6 (12.2)	9.6 (1.9)	9.2 (3.9)	9.4 (3.1)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	6.0	5.5	5.9	5.3		6.1	6.0	5.5
A. Taxes on International Trade	5.2	1.7	4.3	3.9		7.6	7.2	7.2
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	5.2 (7.2)	1.7 (12.4)	4.3 (8.6)	3.9 (9.2)				
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate						7.6 (12.0)	7.1 (14.5)	7.1 (14.5)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							7.3 (6.7)	7.3 (6.7)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers								
(i) Hidden Import Barriers								
(ii) Costs of Importing								
C. Size of Trade Sector	6.9	7.9	7.4	5.2	4.3	4.9	4.8	4.8
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.2	9.8	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>		5.7	5.0	4.5	4.6	4.4	5.0	4.9
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	2.0	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.4	5.8	7.0	6.8
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	5.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector		9.3	9.8	9.8	9.1	9.3	9.5	9.5
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	6.0	9.5	6.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets								
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing								
(iii) Collective Bargaining								
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription			0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
C. Regulation of Business								
(i) Price Controls				0.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	4.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses								
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy								
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business								
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials								

## Trinidad &amp; Tobago

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	4.6 (57)		5.1 (64)		5.0 (72)		5.7 (50)		6.7 (39)		7.0 (37)		7.1 (30)		7.1 (31)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	3.6		5.4		3.8		6.3		6.0		5.9		6.6		6.9	
A. Government Consumption	5.2	(22.4)	5.6	(20.8)	3.1	(29.5)	6.8	(16.8)	6.7	(17.1)	5.6	(20.8)	6.7	(17.2)	6.7	(17.2)
B. Transfers & Subsidies			8.5	(6.0)	6.1	(14.9)	7.4	(10.0)	8.4	(6.2)	6.8					
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0	(45.8)	2.0	(47.6)	2.0	(40.6)	4.0	(34.6)	4.0		4.0		6.0	(25.1)	6.0	(25.1)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate					4.0		7.0		5.0		7.0		7.0		8.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate					4.0		(50)		7.0		(35)		7.0		(30)	
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate					7.0		(35)		5.0		(38)		7.0		(35)	
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>			5.4		4.8		6.2		5.4		5.9		6.5		5.8	
A. Judicial Independence													7.1		7.0	
B. Impartial Courts									6.5		6.3		5.9		5.0	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property											5.3		4.6		3.8	
D. Military Interference									7.1		8.3		8.3		8.3	
E. Integrity of Legal System									4.1		6.7		6.7		5.0	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	3.9		4.0		5.9		6.0		8.6		9.1		9.1		9.4	
A. Growth of Money Supply	6.7	(16.4)	5.7	(21.4)	8.8	(5.8)	9.5	(2.7)	8.8	(6.2)	8.8	(5.9)	9.0	(4.9)	9.0	(4.9)
B. Inflation Variability	3.1	(17.3)	5.9	(10.3)	6.7	(8.3)	7.8	(5.5)	6.4	(9.0)	8.4	(4.0)	8.4	(4.0)	9.6	(1.0)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	6.0	(20.1)	4.5	(27.5)	8.0	(10.1)	6.9	(15.5)	9.3	(3.8)	9.3	(3.6)	8.9	(5.5)	9.2	(4.2)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	4.4		4.2		3.7		3.8		7.3		6.7		6.8		6.7	
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.3		7.9		6.4		6.1		7.0		5.4		5.6		5.6	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	8.3	(2.6)	7.9	(3.2)	6.2	(5.7)	8.2	(2.7)	8.9	(1.7)	3.2	(10.2)	3.2	(10.2)	3.2	(10.2)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate					6.6		(17.0)		6.3		(18.4)		7.8		(11.2)	
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates									3.9		(15.3)		4.9		(12.7)	
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers											6.2		7.4		7.1	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers											6.2		6.6		6.0	
(ii) Costs of Importing													8.2		8.1	
C. Size of Trade Sector	4.3		4.7		1.8		2.8		3.9		4.3		3.7		3.7	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	1.4		0.2		2.2		2.0		9.4		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		8.0		7.5		7.5		7.4	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital											8.1		8.1		7.8	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		8.0		6.9		6.9		6.9	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	6.4		6.5		6.8		6.1		6.3		7.2		6.3		6.4	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	6.7		6.9		8.0		7.2		7.3		7.5		7.2		7.4	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	5.0		5.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks											4.0		4.0		4.0	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	8.4		8.8		8.1		7.7		7.8		8.6		8.1		8.0	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates					8.0		6.0		6.0		10.0		9.0		10.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates											6.8		6.8		6.8	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets											7.2		6.7		6.7	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage											5.3		5.3		5.3	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing											5.8		4.7		4.7	
(iii) Collective Bargaining											7.5		6.9		6.7	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits																
(v) Military Conscription	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
C. Regulation of Business											6.9		5.1		5.2	
(i) Price Controls							4.0		6.0		6.0		6.0		6.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											7.5		2.9		3.2	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy											7.7		4.8		5.8	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business											6.6		5.9		5.7	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials											6.6		6.1		5.5	

# Tunisia

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	4.8 (52)	5.0 (68)	4.8 (79)	5.4 (58)	6.0 (65)	6.1 (75)	6.4 (61)	6.3 (68)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	5.2	4.2	4.4	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3
A. Government Consumption	5.9 (19.8)	6.2 (19.0)	5.2 (22.5)	5.7 (20.5)	5.6 (21.1)	5.7 (20.5)	5.7 (20.6)	5.7 (20.8)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	9.6 (1.9)	8.6 (5.6)	8.3 (6.8)	7.7 (9.0)	8.1 (7.3)	8.1 (7.5)	8.1 (7.5)	8.1 (7.5)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	0.0 (52.1)	0.0 (53.1)	2.0 (48.6)	2.0 (49.5)	2.0 (49.3)	2.0 (48.8)	2.0 (47.8)	2.0 (47.8)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate		2.0	2.0					5.5
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate		2.0 (62)	2.0 (62)					7.0 (35)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate								4.0 (51)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	3.3	4.9	3.5	3.5	5.7	6.4	6.9	6.9
A. Judicial Independence							6.6	6.3
B. Impartial Courts					6.7	7.0	6.7	6.8
C. Protection of Intellectual Property							6.4	6.2
D. Military Interference					8.1	6.7	6.7	6.7
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	8.3	8.3	8.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.8	6.1	6.3	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.2
A. Growth of Money Supply	7.3 (13.3)	8.5 (7.5)	7.7 (11.5)	9.6 (1.8)	9.5 (2.6)	9.0 (4.8)	9.1 (4.5)	9.5 (2.7)
B. Inflation Variability	6.9 (7.8)	8.6 (3.4)	8.3 (4.4)	9.2 (2.0)	9.6 (0.9)	9.7 (0.8)	9.7 (0.7)	9.8 (0.6)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	9.0 (5.0)	7.4 (12.8)	9.3 (3.6)	9.1 (4.5)	9.0 (5.2)	9.4 (2.9)	9.6 (1.9)	9.5 (2.7)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	4.8	5.1	4.8	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.4	6.2
A. Taxes on International Trade	2.9	4.4	3.2	4.7	4.6	5.5	5.5	5.5
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	2.9 (10.7)	4.0 (9.0)	1.1 (13.3)	3.7 (9.5)	4.0 (9.0)	7.6 (3.6)	7.6 (3.6)	7.6 (3.6)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate		4.7 (26.4)	5.2 (24.0)	4.5 (27.5)	4.5 (27.5)	3.9 (30.6)	3.9 (30.6)	3.9 (30.6)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				6.0 (10.1)	5.3 (11.7)	5.0 (12.6)	5.0 (12.6)	5.0 (12.6)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers							7.5	7.1
(i) Hidden Import Barriers							6.5	6.0
(ii) Costs of Importing							8.5	8.1
C. Size of Trade Sector	5.0	6.6	5.1	6.6	6.3	5.8	6.2	5.8
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	7.8	6.4	7.6	8.4	9.8	10.0	10.0	7.8
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	0.8	0.8	4.7
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								8.6
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0	0.8	0.8	0.8
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	4.9	4.7	5.0	5.4	5.7	5.6	6.1	6.0
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	5.7	4.9	5.6	7.3	7.6	7.4	8.1	8.1
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	2.0	2.0	2.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	9.3	8.7	8.7	8.9	9.7	9.1	9.2	9.2
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		4.0	6.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets							3.8	3.9
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing							5.2	5.0
(iii) Collective Bargaining							3.2	3.7
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
C. Regulation of Business							6.4	6.1
(i) Price Controls				4.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses							5.3	4.7
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy							6.8	5.8
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business							7.1	7.3
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials							7.0	6.8

# Turkey

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	4.0 (65)		3.7 (98)		4.8 (79)		4.8 (84)		5.7 (72)		5.8 (85)		5.3 (106)		5.5 (100)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	4.7		4.4		4.9		5.8		6.9		7.1		6.7		7.0	
A. Government Consumption	7.1	(15.7)	7.1	(15.9)	8.4	(11.4)	7.7	(13.8)	7.9	(13.3)	6.9	(16.4)	6.9	(16.5)	6.6	(17.5)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	8.5	(6.0)	8.5	(6.0)	7.3	(10.4)	9.1	(3.9)	7.9	(8.4)	9.4	(2.8)	9.4	(2.8)	9.4	(2.8)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0	(47.1)	2.0	(40.0)	2.0	(45.5)	4.0	(31.8)	8.0	(17.5)	7.0	(23.7)	6.0	(28.7)	6.0	(28.7)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	1.0		0.0		2.0		2.5		4.0		5.0		4.5		6.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	1.0	(68)	0.0	(75)	2.0	(63)	4.0	(50)	4.0	(55)	6.0	(45)	5.0	(45)	6.0	(40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate							1.0 (57)		4.0 (55)		4.0 (46)		4.0 (47)		6.0 (40)	
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	2.8		5.6		5.8		4.5		4.8		5.4		4.1		4.5	
A. Judicial Independence									5.5		5.3		3.3		4.5	
B. Impartial Courts									6.6		6.5		2.8		3.5	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									4.3		3.4		2.8		3.0	
D. Military Interference									3.8		5.0		5.0		5.0	
E. Integrity of Legal System									4.1		6.7		6.7		6.7	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	4.8		0.5		2.3		3.3		3.2		3.6		3.6		4.0	
A. Growth of Money Supply	5.7	(21.6)	1.9	(40.6)	3.7	(31.7)	0.2	(49.0)	0.0	(50.4)	0.0	(81.9)	0.0	(78.5)	0.0	(73.4)
B. Inflation Variability	7.6	(6.0)	0.0	(27.8)	5.7	(10.7)	3.1	(17.2)	2.8	(17.9)	4.3	(14.3)	4.5	(13.8)	5.2	(12.1)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	5.9	(20.5)	0.0	(85.0)	0.0	(52.2)	0.0	(58.2)	0.0	(87.0)	0.0	(54.9)	0.0	(54.4)	1.0	(45.0)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	3.3		3.7		5.6		5.0		7.2		7.2		7.1		6.9	
A. Taxes on International Trade	0.5		3.5		6.3		4.5		8.3		7.3		7.4		7.4	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	0.5	(14.3)	5.8	(6.3)	8.0	(3.0)	8.1	(2.8)	9.0	(1.5)	9.5	(0.7)	9.7	(0.4)	9.7	(0.4)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			1.2 (44.0)		4.7 (26.6)		5.5 (22.7)		8.2 (9.0)		8.3 (8.4)		8.3 (8.4)		8.3 (8.4)	
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							0.0 (35.7)		7.7 (5.7)		4.1 (14.7)		4.1 (14.7)		4.1 (14.7)	
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers									7.6		7.0		5.9		6.4	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers									7.6		5.6		4.8		5.3	
(ii) Costs of Importing											8.3		7.1		7.4	
C. Size of Trade Sector	0.0		0.0		4.0		2.8		4.8		5.7		6.5		5.9	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	7.8		6.8		9.4		9.6		9.6		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		5.5		5.8		5.8		5.0	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital									9.0		9.3		9.3		7.6	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		2.0		2.3		2.3		2.3	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	4.5		4.4		5.2		5.1		6.1		5.7		4.9		5.0	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	5.3		4.0		6.7		5.4		7.6		6.7		6.0		6.1	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		5.0		5.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks									7.8		5.1		5.1		6.0	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	5.9		4.0		4.0		6.2		7.3		4.3		3.6		3.4	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	2.0		0.0		8.0		2.0		8.0		8.0		8.0		8.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates									6.8		8.2		8.2		8.2	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets							5.2		5.4		4.5		4.4		4.4	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage									6.4		3.4		3.4		3.4	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing									7.2		5.3		4.8		4.8	
(iii) Collective Bargaining			7.2		7.2		7.2		7.2		6.6		6.5		7.0	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits									4.9		6.2		6.2		5.9	
(v) Military Conscription	0.0		0.0		0.0		1.0		1.0		1.0		1.0		1.0	
C. Regulation of Business									5.5		5.9		4.3		4.6	
(i) Price Controls							8.0		5.0		6.0		5.0		6.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											7.4		1.7		2.5	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy									6.2		5.2		6.5		5.3	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business									7.6		5.2		4.8		4.3	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials									3.2		5.5		3.7		4.7	

# Uganda

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>		3.2 (104)	2.9 (109)	2.9 (113)	5.0 (92)	6.7 (45)	6.7 (45)	6.6 (51)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>			3.1	4.5	5.6	6.5	6.4	6.2
A. Government Consumption			7.2 (15.5)	9.6 (7.5)	8.7 (10.5)	7.5 (14.5)	7.2 (15.4)	6.9 (16.7)
B. Transfers & Subsidies						10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0 (42.8)	2.0	2.0 (26.4)	2.0 (47.6)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate			0.0	2.0	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate			0.0 (70)	3.0 (50)	8.0 (30)	8.0 (30)	8.0 (30)	8.0 (30)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				1.0 (59)	4.0 (41)	5.0 (40)	5.0 (40)	4.0 (41)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>		2.8	2.9	2.4	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.3
A. Judicial Independence								4.5
B. Impartial Courts					5.5	4.4	4.4	4.3
C. Protection of Intellectual Property								2.8
D. Military Interference					3.7	3.3	3.3	3.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	6.7	6.7	6.7
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	3.1	1.0	0.0	0.3	4.6	9.3	9.3	9.4
A. Growth of Money Supply	5.5 (22.5)	3.1 (34.4)	0.0 (76.2)	0.0 (410.0)	6.0 (20.2)	8.7 (6.3)	8.8 (6.0)	8.8 (6.0)
B. Inflation Variability	3.8 (15.5)	0.0 (33.8)	0.0 (40.8)	0.0 (52.4)	4.4 (14.1)	9.0 (2.5)	8.8 (2.9)	8.9 (2.7)
C. Recent Annual Inflation			0.0 (120.4)	1.1 (44.4)	8.2 (9.2)	9.4 (2.8)	9.6 (2.0)	9.9 (-0.3)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	1.7	4.3	3.8	3.0	5.1	7.4	7.5	7.0
A. Taxes on International Trade	0.0	7.9	3.1	3.4	5.4	7.6	8.0	8.0
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	0.0 (20.4)	7.9 (3.1)	2.3 (11.6)	2.8 (10.8)	3.2 (10.2)	6.9 (4.7)	7.9 (3.1)	7.9 (3.1)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			4.0 (30.0)	4.0 (30.1)	6.6 (17.1)	8.3 (8.3)	8.4 (8.2)	8.4 (8.2)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates					6.4 (9.1)		7.7 (5.7)	7.7 (5.7)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers								5.3
(i) Hidden Import Barriers								4.3
(ii) Costs of Importing								6.3
C. Size of Trade Sector	0.0	5.5	2.4	1.3	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.9
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0	0.0	5.0	2.0	9.4	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.5	8.5	8.7
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								9.0
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.5	8.5	8.5
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.4	4.7	4.7	4.5	5.2	5.6	5.6	5.8
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	3.8	2.6	2.6	3.2	4.3	5.0	5.0	4.9
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	5.7	5.8	5.7	7.7	6.9	5.1	4.1	3.6
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	8.0	9.0	9.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets								8.3
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing								6.7
(iii) Collective Bargaining								8.2
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business								4.3
(i) Price Controls				0.0	4.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses								3.2
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy								3.3
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business								5.7
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials								3.6

# Ukraine

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶					3.4 (123)	4.7 (116)	5.0 (115)	5.3 (107)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>					1.8	3.4	3.1	3.3
A. Government Consumption		4.6 (24.2)	4.4 (25.0)	5.2 (22.4)	3.6 (27.8)	3.6 (27.8)	3.3 (28.9)	3.3 (28.9)
B. Transfers & Subsidies						5.6 (16.6)	6.3 (14.2)	6.3 (14.2)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment					0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate						4.5	3.0	3.5
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate						5.0 (40)	5.0 (40)	5.0 (40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate						4.0 (44)	1.0 (58)	2.0 (55)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>					4.3	4.8	4.2	4.4
A. Judicial Independence					6.1	3.2	2.0	2.3
B. Impartial Courts					4.3	3.5	2.1	2.5
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					1.2	2.4	1.9	2.3
D. Military Interference					5.7	8.3	8.3	8.3
E. Integrity of Legal System						6.7	6.7	6.7
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>				5.9	1.7	3.5	5.8	6.0
A. Growth of Money Supply						3.2 (34.1)	3.5 (32.3)	3.5 (32.3)
B. Inflation Variability					0.0 (1158.3)	1.5 (21.4)	6.9 (7.7)	5.7 (10.8)
C. Recent Annual Inflation				6.7 (16.3)	0.0 (415.5)	4.4 (28.2)	7.6 (12.0)	9.8 (0.8)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency				5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>					6.3	7.0	6.8	7.3
A. Taxes on International Trade						7.6	7.6	7.6
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports						9.4 (1.0)	9.4 (1.0)	9.4 (1.0)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate						7.9 (10.5)	7.9 (10.5)	7.9 (10.5)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates						5.6 (11.0)	5.6 (11.0)	5.6 (11.0)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					2.5	5.5	4.8	5.7
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					2.5	4.0	3.2	3.8
(ii) Costs of Importing						7.0	6.3	7.5
C. Size of Trade Sector				5.9	9.7	10.0	10.0	10.0
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.4	7.8	7.8	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.4	4.3	4.0	3.4
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					4.9	7.1	7.1	6.0
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.5	0.8	0.8
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>				3.5	3.2	4.6	4.9	5.5
A. Regulation of Credit Markets				0.0	1.8	4.6	5.5	6.9
(i) Private Ownership of Banks				0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	5.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					3.2	3.9	3.9	8.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector					1.7	8.4	8.6	8.6
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates					0.0	6.0	8.0	8.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					4.0	4.9	4.9	4.9
B. Regulation of Labor Markets					5.1	4.3	5.9	5.9
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					6.6	1.9	1.9	1.9
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				5.8	5.8	6.3	5.6	6.0
(iii) Collective Bargaining					7.9	8.1	6.6	6.5
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits					5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3
(v) Military Conscription					0.0	0.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business					2.6	4.7	3.2	3.5
(i) Price Controls				0.0	4.0	6.0	4.0	4.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						6.3	1.6	2.3
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					2.2	4.8	3.3	4.8
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					3.7	2.9	3.0	2.3
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					0.6	3.8	4.3	4.1



# United Arab Emirates

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ►</b>		5.9 (26)	6.8 (16)	7.4 (7)	7.4 (17)	7.6 (15)	7.5 (17)	7.5 (16)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	5.8	5.2	5.0	7.6	7.9	7.6	7.6	7.6
A. Government Consumption	1.6 (34.4)	0.4 (38.7)	0.0 (41.8)	2.9 (30.1)	3.9 (26.8)	4.7 (24.0)	4.7 (24.0)	4.7 (24.0)
B. Transfers & Subsidies				9.8 (1.2)	9.9 (1.0)	9.7 (1.6)	9.7 (1.6)	9.7 (1.6)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment						6.0	6.0	6.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	10.0 (0)	10.0 (0)	10.0 (0)	10.0	10.0 (0)	10.0 (0)	10.0 (0)	10.0 (0)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate						10.0 (0)	10.0 (0)	10.0 (0)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>		2.1	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.6	6.6	6.6
A. Judicial Independence								
B. Impartial Courts					6.9	7.5	7.5	7.5
C. Protection of Intellectual Property								
D. Military Interference					8.5	8.3	8.3	8.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	6.7	6.7	6.7
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	8.1	7.9	9.3	9.6	9.4	9.1	9.1	9.1
A. Growth of Money Supply		5.5 (22.7)	9.8 (-0.9)	9.7 (1.5)	8.9 (5.5)	9.1 (4.4)	9.1 (4.4)	9.1 (4.4)
B. Inflation Variability		8.1 (4.8)	8.1 (4.8)	9.3 (1.7)		7.4 (6.4)	7.4 (6.4)	7.4 (6.4)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	6.2 (19.0)	8.2 (9.1)	9.1 (4.5)	9.2 (4.1)		10.0 (-0.1)	10.0 (-0.1)	10.0 (-0.1)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	8.8	9.1	7.7	7.9		8.2	8.2	8.2
A. Taxes on International Trade	10.0	10.0	9.6	10.0		9.6	9.6	9.6
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)		10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)	10.0 (0.0)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			9.2 (4.0)			9.2 (4.0)	9.2 (4.0)	9.2 (4.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates								
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers								
(i) Hidden Import Barriers								
(ii) Costs of Importing								
C. Size of Trade Sector	5.8	7.5	5.8	6.5	7.4	6.9	6.9	6.9
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	10.0	10.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	6.2	6.2	6.2
(i) Access to Foreign Capital								
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	10.0	10.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	6.2	6.2	6.2
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>		5.3	6.2	6.4	6.3	6.5	6.2	6.2
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	7.0	6.9	6.2	6.5	6.4	6.9	7.0	6.8
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks								
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	9.1	8.7	7.3	8.0	7.7	8.7	8.9	8.7
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates								
(v) Controls on Interest Rates								
B. Regulation of Labor Markets								
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage								
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing								
(iii) Collective Bargaining								
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits								
(v) Military Conscription		3.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business								
(i) Price Controls				8.0	8.0	8.0	6.0	6.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses								
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy								
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business								
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials								

## United Kingdom

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	5.9 (21)		6.2 (21)		7.0 (11)		7.4 (7)		8.1 (6)		8.3 (5)		8.3 (3)		8.2 (3)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	3.0		3.4		4.4		5.9		5.7		6.2		6.6		6.8	
A. Government Consumption	3.9	(26.6)	3.9	(26.6)	4.2	(25.9)	4.5	(24.6)	4.4	(25.2)	5.2	(22.2)	5.1	(22.5)	4.9	(23.3)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	6.0	(15.0)	5.8	(15.8)	5.3	(17.9)	6.1	(14.9)	5.3	(17.7)	5.6	(16.5)	6.3	(14.1)	6.3	(14.1)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0	(41.8)	4.0	(29.1)	6.0	(23.5)	8.0	(15.3)	8.0	(16.4)	8.0		10.0	(6.4)	10.0	(6.4)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	0.0		0.0		2.0		5.0		5.0		6.0		5.0		6.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	0.0	(83)	0.0	(83)	2.0	(60)	5.0	(40)	5.0	(40)	6.0	(40)	5.0	(40)	6.0	(40)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate							5.0 (40)		5.0 (40)		6.0 (40)		5.0 (40)		6.0 (40)	
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	8.3		7.0		6.7		7.7		8.8		9.3		9.2		9.0	
A. Judicial Independence									9.5		9.0		8.7		8.3	
B. Impartial Courts									8.9		9.0		8.5		8.3	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									7.1		8.4		9.0		8.5	
D. Military Interference									8.8		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Integrity of Legal System									10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.0		5.8		8.9		8.1		9.6		9.3		9.5		9.5	
A. Growth of Money Supply	8.0	(9.8)	8.0	(9.9)	7.8	(10.9)	4.3	(28.7)	9.6	(2.1)	8.1	(9.3)	8.7	(6.4)	8.6	(7.2)
B. Inflation Variability	7.2	(7.0)	9.0	(2.4)	9.0	(2.5)	9.4	(1.4)	9.3	(1.7)	9.8	(0.6)	9.8	(0.5)	9.8	(0.5)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	4.7	(26.3)	6.2	(18.8)	8.8	(5.9)	8.7	(6.4)	9.5	(2.4)	9.4	(2.9)	9.6	(1.8)	9.7	(1.6)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	7.0		8.5		8.5		8.2		8.2		8.4		8.3		8.3	
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.8		8.9		9.1		8.4		8.6		9.1		9.0		9.0	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	9.5	(0.7)	9.5	(0.7)	9.6	(0.6)	9.6	(0.6)	9.6	(0.6)	9.7	(0.5)	9.8	(0.3)	9.8	(0.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate	8.1	(9.4)	8.2	(8.8)	8.5	(7.5)	8.5	(7.4)	8.7	(6.7)	9.5	(2.4)	9.2	(3.9)	9.2	(3.9)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							7.1 (7.2)		7.6 (5.9)		8.2 (4.4)		8.0 (4.9)		8.0 (4.9)	
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers									8.0		9.3		8.9		8.9	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers									8.0		9.0		8.2		8.3	
(ii) Costs of Importing											9.7		9.6		9.5	
C. Size of Trade Sector	5.8		5.3		5.5		4.5		4.9		4.6		4.4		4.2	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		9.4		9.1		9.1		9.2	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital									8.9		9.8		9.8		10.0	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		8.5		8.5		8.5	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	6.0		6.0		6.6		6.8		8.3		8.1		7.7		7.4	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	7.1		7.3		9.7		9.9		9.3		9.2		9.2		9.2	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks									9.3		7.4		7.4		7.4	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	7.3		8.0		9.1		9.8		9.7		9.9		9.9		9.8	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	4.0		4.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates									7.5		8.5		8.5		8.5	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets	6.8		6.7		6.8		7.2		7.2		6.9		7.1		6.7	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage									6.7		4.6		4.6		4.6	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing							7.4		7.4		4.9		6.1		5.5	
(iii) Collective Bargaining	5.2		5.2		5.2		6.2		6.2		8.6		8.2		7.8	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits	5.1		4.8		5.2		5.4		5.9		6.5		6.5		5.4	
(v) Military Conscription	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
C. Regulation of Business									8.4		8.1		6.8		6.2	
(i) Price Controls							9.0		9.0		8.0		6.0		6.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											7.9		4.4		3.3	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy									7.8		8.0		7.0		6.0	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business									8.1		7.7		7.5		7.2	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials									8.7		9.0		9.0		8.7	

# United States

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	7.3 (4)	7.5 (4)	7.7 (4)	7.9 (3)	8.3 (4)	8.6 (2)	8.3 (3)	8.2 (3)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	4.8	5.2	6.0	6.7	6.9	7.6	7.3	7.4
A. Government Consumption	5.2 (22.2)	5.5 (21.2)	5.5 (21.5)	5.7 (20.8)	6.2 (19.0)	6.6 (17.6)	5.6 (21.0)	5.5 (21.3)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	7.1 (11.1)	7.2 (10.9)	6.7 (12.5)	6.7 (12.7)	6.3 (14.0)	6.7 (12.6)	6.8 (12.3)	6.7 (12.5)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	7.0 (21.7)	8.0 (17.2)	8.0 (17.3)	8.0 (20.0)	8.0 (14.6)	10.0	10.0 (14.2)	10.0 (14.2)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	0.0	0.0	4.0	6.5	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.5
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	0.0 (70-75)	0.0 (70-75)	4.0 (50-59)	7.0 (33-42)	7.0 (40-46)	7.0 (40-46)	7.0 (39-46)	8.0 (36-43)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				6.0 (36-45)	7.0 (42-49)	7.0 (42-49)	7.0 (41-48)	7.0 (38-45)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	7.9	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.8	9.2	8.7	8.2
A. Judicial Independence					8.3	8.0	7.9	7.8
B. Impartial Courts					8.5	9.0	8.0	7.7
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					7.8	9.1	9.1	8.7
D. Military Interference					9.2	10.0	8.3	8.3
E. Integrity of Legal System					10.0	10.0	10.0	8.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.8
A. Growth of Money Supply	9.4 (3.1)	9.0 (5.1)	8.9 (5.5)	9.4 (2.9)	9.7 (1.5)	9.9 (-0.3)	9.7 (1.5)	9.7 (1.4)
B. Inflation Variability	9.3 (1.7)	9.5 (1.2)	9.0 (2.4)	9.7 (0.7)	9.7 (0.6)	9.8 (0.4)	9.8 (0.5)	9.8 (0.6)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	8.2 (9.2)	8.1 (9.5)	9.3 (3.5)	9.1 (4.3)	9.6 (2.0)	9.3 (3.4)	9.4 (2.8)	9.7 (1.6)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	7.8	8.1	7.8	7.8	7.9	8.1	7.9	7.8
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.5	8.9	8.8	8.2	8.4	8.1	8.1	8.1
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	9.0 (1.5)	9.3 (1.1)	8.9 (1.7)	9.0 (1.5)	9.2 (1.2)	9.4 (0.8)	9.4 (0.9)	9.4 (0.9)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate	7.9 (10.3)	8.5 (7.3)	8.7 (6.6)	8.8 (6.2)	8.8 (5.9)	9.2 (4.0)	9.2 (4.0)	9.2 (4.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				6.9 (7.7)	7.2 (7.0)	5.7 (10.7)	5.6 (11.1)	5.6 (11.1)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					7.8	8.8	8.5	8.2
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					7.8	8.1	7.7	6.8
(ii) Costs of Importing						9.5	9.4	9.6
C. Size of Trade Sector	4.2	5.4	4.0	4.6	4.9	5.1	4.6	4.4
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.4	8.2	8.2	8.4
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					8.8	9.5	9.5	9.8
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	6.9	6.9	6.9
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	8.2	8.2	7.8	7.7
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	8.8	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.0	9.1	9.2	9.2
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					8.3	7.6	7.6	8.0
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.9	8.8	9.4	9.5	9.4
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	8.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					8.1	8.7	8.7	8.7
B. Regulation of Labor Markets	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.5	7.2	7.3	7.3
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					5.9	3.8	3.8	3.8
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				7.1	7.1	6.7	7.0	7.3
(iii) Collective Bargaining	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	8.4	8.7	8.3
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits	5.9	5.6	5.6	6.0	6.7	7.0	7.0	6.9
(v) Military Conscription	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business					8.2	8.3	6.9	6.7
(i) Price Controls				9.0	9.0	8.0	8.0	7.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						7.9	4.0	4.0
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					7.5	8.2	6.5	6.8
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					8.4	8.4	8.1	8.0
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					7.9	8.8	8.1	8.0

# Uruguay

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	5.9 (26)		6.0 (33)		6.2 (34)		6.1 (60)		6.6 (53)		6.8 (42)		6.8 (44)			
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	6.2		7.3		7.0		7.4		7.2		6.0		6.7		7.4	
A. Government Consumption	6.9	(16.6)	7.6	(14.1)	6.6	(17.4)	6.8	(16.8)	7.5	(14.5)	7.4	(14.8)	7.3	(15.3)	7.4	(15.0)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	6.9	(11.8)	7.7	(9.1)	7.4	(10.0)	6.9	(12.0)	5.4	(17.3)	5.2	(18.1)	5.2	(18.1)	5.2	(18.1)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	4.0	(34.9)	4.0	(31.7)	4.0	(36.2)	6.0	(28.5)	6.0	(28.8)	4.0	(39.5)	7.0	(23.0)	7.0	(23.0)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	7.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		7.5		7.5		10.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	7.0	(41)	10.0	(0)	10.0	(0)	10.0	(0)	10.0	(0)	10.0	(0)	10.0	(0)	10.0	(0)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate											5.0	(36)	5.0	(36)	10.0	(0)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>			5.6		5.4		6.3		6.0		5.7		5.8		5.8	
A. Judicial Independence													7.1		6.3	
B. Impartial Courts									6.0		6.7		5.2		4.8	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property											5.5		4.1		4.5	
D. Military Interference									7.2		8.3		8.3		8.3	
E. Integrity of Legal System									7.0		5.0		4.2		5.0	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	2.5		3.8		3.6		3.8		3.9		8.4		8.9		8.7	
A. Growth of Money Supply	0.0	(60.5)	0.0	(58.2)	2.6	(36.9)	0.0	(74.7)	3.0	(35.0)	8.5	(7.6)	9.1	(4.4)	9.9	(-0.3)
B. Inflation Variability	0.0	(32.6)	5.3	(11.8)	1.9	(20.4)	5.0	(12.4)	1.1	(22.3)	6.0	(9.9)	7.4	(6.4)	7.5	(6.2)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	0.0	(66.0)	0.0	(54.8)	0.0	(74.0)	0.0	(100.4)	1.6	(42.0)	9.0	(4.8)	9.1	(4.4)	7.2	(14.0)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	7.2		6.9		7.4		7.3		7.4		6.8		6.7		6.6	
A. Taxes on International Trade	7.7		4.1		5.0		5.9		7.8		7.7		7.8		7.8	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	7.7	(3.4)	4.1	(8.9)	6.1	(5.8)	6.3	(5.6)	8.2	(2.7)	8.7	(2.0)	8.7	(1.9)	8.7	(1.9)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate					3.8	(31.0)	3.9	(30.5)	8.1	(9.3)	7.8	(11.1)	7.8	(11.0)	7.8	(11.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates							7.6	(5.9)	7.2	(7.1)	6.7	(8.3)	6.8	(8.0)	6.8	(8.0)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers											6.3		6.8		6.9	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers											6.3		5.9		6.5	
(ii) Costs of Importing													7.7		7.4	
C. Size of Trade Sector	2.2		2.3		3.9		2.5		1.1		1.1		0.4		0.4	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	8.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		8.7		8.7		7.9	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital											9.0		9.0		7.4	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	8.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		8.5		8.5		8.5	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>			6.0		6.4		6.0		6.1		6.2		5.6		5.7	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	5.0		5.5		7.0		7.0		6.6		6.5		6.3		6.3	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks											6.3		6.3		7.0	
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector					7.9		7.9		8.7		9.2		9.0		8.2	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates			6.0		8.0		8.0		6.0		6.0		5.0		5.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates											6.2		6.2		6.2	
B. Regulation of Labor Markets											5.9		5.5		5.8	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage											2.6		2.6		2.6	
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing											4.1		2.7		2.7	
(iii) Collective Bargaining											6.9		6.9		7.8	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits																
(v) Military Conscription	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
C. Regulation of Business											6.1		5.0		5.0	
(i) Price Controls							4.0		6.0		6.0		6.0		6.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses											6.8		1.8		2.3	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy											6.5		5.8		5.5	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business											5.0		3.5		3.5	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials											6.1		7.6		7.5	

# Venezuela

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>	6.1 (17)	6.6 (14)	6.2 (25)	5.5 (52)	4.2 (115)	5.8 (85)	5.7 (91)	4.6 (118)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	7.4	6.3	6.9	6.0	6.1	7.1	7.0	6.8
A. Government Consumption	6.2 (19.0)	6.6 (17.7)	7.5 (14.4)	8.3 (11.9)	9.0 (9.3)	8.8 (10.0)	8.4 (11.4)	8.4 (11.4)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	9.5 (2.3)	9.6 (2.0)	8.9 (4.5)	8.6 (5.8)	8.5 (6.0)	9.6 (1.8)	9.6 (1.8)	9.6 (1.8)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	4.0 (33.6)	2.0 (45.6)	4.0 (35.8)	0.0 (65.2)	0.0 (58.3)	2.0 (46.2)	2.0 (42.4)	2.0 (42.4)
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	10.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	8.0	8.0	7.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	10.0 (20)	7.0 (45)	7.0 (45)	7.0 (45)	7.0 (34)	8.0 (35)	8.0 (34)	7.0 (34)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				7.0 (45)	7.0 (34)	8.0 (35)	8.0 (35)	7.0 (35)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>	2.8	6.2	5.3	5.7	3.8	3.7	1.9	1.6
A. Judicial Independence					2.9	1.7	0.5	0.3
B. Impartial Courts					2.9	3.7	0.9	0.5
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					3.7	3.4	2.2	2.2
D. Military Interference					5.6	3.3	2.5	1.7
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	6.7	3.3	3.3
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	6.9	7.3	8.3	4.4	1.9	5.6	7.6	6.1
A. Growth of Money Supply	4.8 (26.0)	7.3 (13.6)	7.3 (13.3)	6.1 (19.7)	3.9 (30.3)	5.5 (22.6)	7.4 (12.8)	7.4 (12.8)
B. Inflation Variability	4.0 (15.1)	7.0 (7.4)	7.9 (5.2)	0.0 (30.2)	3.8 (15.6)	0.0 (39.4)	5.4 (11.6)	6.4 (8.9)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	9.0 (5.1)	4.8 (26.0)	7.9 (10.4)	1.7 (41.7)	0.0 (51.9)	6.8 (16.2)	7.5 (12.5)	5.5 (22.4)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	0.0	10.0	10.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	8.0	8.1	5.3	6.8	5.2	7.2	7.0	4.3
A. Taxes on International Trade	7.5	8.0	3.7	4.2	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	7.5 (3.7)	8.0 (3.0)	3.9 (9.1)	8.5 (2.2)	7.9 (3.1)	7.9 (3.1)	7.9 (3.1)	7.9 (3.1)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate			3.4 (32.9)	3.9 (30.6)	7.3 (13.4)	7.5 (12.6)	7.5 (12.6)	7.5 (12.6)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				0.2 (24.4)	8.1 (4.8)	7.6 (5.9)	7.6 (5.9)	7.6 (5.9)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					4.6	5.7	6.0	5.0
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					4.6	4.9	4.6	3.0
(ii) Costs of Importing						6.5	7.4	7.0
C. Size of Trade Sector	6.2	6.3	4.8	6.7	5.2	4.4	3.7	3.7
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	10.0	10.0	5.0	10.0	1.6	10.0	10.0	0.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	8.0	8.0	5.0	5.0	6.9	8.1	7.8	5.1
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					8.7	9.4	9.4	7.2
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	8.0	8.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	6.9	6.2	3.1
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.2	5.0	5.4	4.6	4.0	5.2	5.1	4.4
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	7.4	6.1	6.9	4.6	4.7	6.0	7.6	7.5
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	5.0	5.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					7.6	6.2	6.2	6.2
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	9.8	9.3	8.8	5.7	2.7	7.7	7.8	7.1
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		4.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	10.0	10.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					5.4	6.0	6.0	6.0
B. Regulation of Labor Markets				3.9	4.3	4.0	3.8	2.8
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					4.9	4.1	4.1	4.1
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				4.4	4.4	4.6	3.2	1.0
(iii) Collective Bargaining	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	5.8	6.0	4.8
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits					5.0	5.7	5.7	4.3
(v) Military Conscription	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
C. Regulation of Business					3.0	5.5	4.0	2.9
(i) Price Controls					0.0	5.0	6.0	0.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						6.4	1.2	1.0
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					5.3	6.2	5.3	6.5
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					4.6	4.7	3.0	2.8
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					2.1	5.0	4.5	4.3

# Zambia

	1975		1980		1985		1990		1995		2000		2001		2002	
Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶	4.7 (53)		5.1 (64)		4.0 (95)		3.3 (109)		4.8 (98)		6.6 (53)		6.7 (45)		6.6 (51)	
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	2.5		2.6		3.1		3.5		5.9		6.6		6.4		6.4	
A. Government Consumption	1.8	(34.0)	2.5	(31.6)	3.6	(27.8)	5.0	(23.1)	7.3	(15.2)	8.4	(11.5)	7.5	(14.4)	7.5	(14.4)
B. Transfers & Subsidies	8.2	(7.0)	7.8	(8.7)	9.0	(4.2)	8.9	(4.5)	9.4	(2.6)	10.0	(0.0)	10.0	(0.0)	10.0	(0.0)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	0.0	(94.0)	0.0	(77.1)	0.0	(90.7)	0.0	(44.0)	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0	
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		7.0		8.0		8.0		8.0	
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate	0.0	(70)	0.0	(70)	0.0	(80)	0.0	(75)	7.0	(35)	8.0	(30)	8.0	(30)	8.0	(30)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate																
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>			6.1		4.0		3.7		5.9		5.9		5.9		5.4	
A. Judicial Independence									6.7		6.2		6.2		4.7	
B. Impartial Courts									4.8		4.9		4.9		4.3	
C. Protection of Intellectual Property									4.8		3.2		3.2		3.0	
D. Military Interference									6.3		8.3		8.3		8.3	
E. Integrity of Legal System									7.0		6.7		6.7		6.7	
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.1		6.1		3.3		0.1		0.7		7.2		7.4		7.5	
A. Growth of Money Supply	7.9	(10.3)	8.4	(8.1)	6.3	(18.4)	0.0	(58.6)	0.0	(58.5)	5.5	(22.7)	5.5	(22.7)	5.5	(22.7)
B. Inflation Variability	5.1	(12.3)	8.2	(4.6)	5.0	(12.6)	0.4	(23.9)	0.0	(49.2)	8.4	(4.1)	8.4	(4.1)	9.1	(2.3)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	7.2	(-14.2)	7.6	(11.8)	1.8	(41.1)	0.0	(106.4)	2.6	(36.9)	4.8	(26.0)	5.7	(21.4)	5.6	(22.2)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>	5.7		5.7		5.1		4.8		6.7		7.9		8.0		7.6	
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.3		8.4		4.4		5.8		6.0		6.9		6.2		6.2	
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	8.3	(2.6)	8.4	(2.4)	5.7	(6.4)	6.8	(4.8)	7.5	(3.8)	7.1	(4.3)	5.1	(7.3)	5.1	(7.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate					3.0	(34.8)	4.9	(25.6)	4.9	(25.6)	7.1	(14.7)	7.1	(14.7)	7.1	(14.7)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates									5.8	(10.6)	6.5	(8.8)	6.5	(8.8)	6.5	(8.8)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers															6.1	
(i) Hidden Import Barriers															5.5	
(ii) Costs of Importing															6.8	
C. Size of Trade Sector	10.0		10.0		8.7		8.1		8.1		5.2		6.3		6.3	
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0		0.0		2.4		0.0		9.4		10.0		10.0		10.0	
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets	2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		9.2		9.2		9.1	
(i) Access to Foreign Capital															9.0	
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions	2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		9.2		9.2		9.2	
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>	5.4		5.3		4.4		4.2		4.7		5.6		5.7		5.9	
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	4.4		4.0		1.7		2.4		3.3		6.2		5.9		6.0	
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0		5.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks																
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector	7.1		6.1		3.1		5.2		5.0		5.6		4.7		5.0	
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates	4.0		4.0		0.0		0.0		0.0		8.0		8.0		8.0	
(v) Controls on Interest Rates																
B. Regulation of Labor Markets															7.4	
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage																
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing																
(iii) Collective Bargaining															5.2	
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits															7.2	
(v) Military Conscription	10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0		10.0	
C. Regulation of Business															4.3	
(i) Price Controls							0.0		2.0		2.0		4.0		4.0	
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses															3.2	
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy															3.8	
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business															5.8	
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials															4.7	

# Zimbabwe

	1975	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2001	2002
<b>Summary Ratings (Rank) ▶</b>		4.7 (74)	4.6 (85)	4.8 (84)	5.4 (80)	4.3 (120)	3.4 (122)	3.4 (122)
<b>1. Size of Government</b>	4.6	4.9	3.5	4.1	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.7
A. Government Consumption	7.1 (15.8)	5.6 (21.1)	4.5 (24.6)	4.8 (23.6)	5.4 (21.6)	6.3 (18.5)	5.6 (21.1)	5.6 (21.1)
B. Transfers & Subsidies		7.0 (11.4)	7.4 (10.0)	8.4 (6.2)	8.6 (5.7)	8.3 (6.6)	8.3 (6.6)	8.3 (6.6)
C. Government Enterprises & Investment	2.0 (39.3)	2.0 (32.5)	2.0 (53.6)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
D. Top Marginal Tax Rate		5.0	0.0	1.0	4.0	2.0	3.0	3.0
(i) Top Marginal Income Tax Rate		5.0 (45)	0.0 (63)	1.0 (60)	4.0 (45)	2.0 (53)	3.0 (46)	3.0 (46)
(ii) Top Marginal Income & Payroll Tax Rate				1.0 (60)	4.0 (45)	2.0 (53)	3.0 (46)	3.0 (46)
<b>2. Legal Structure &amp; Security of Property Rights</b>		3.0	3.1	4.0	5.5	5.0	2.6	2.8
A. Judicial Independence					6.7	6.2	1.4	1.2
B. Impartial Courts					7.3	7.3	2.4	2.5
C. Protection of Intellectual Property					4.8	3.2	3.4	3.5
D. Military Interference					4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0
E. Integrity of Legal System					4.1	3.3	0.8	1.7
<b>3. Access to Sound Money</b>	5.7	6.3	6.2	5.6	4.9	2.8	1.8	1.6
A. Growth of Money Supply		7.8 (11.2)	8.6 (7.2)	7.0 (14.9)	4.5 (27.3)	3.9 (30.4)	1.4 (42.9)	1.4 (42.9)
B. Inflation Variability	8.9 (2.7)	8.7 (3.1)	7.7 (5.8)	8.4 (4.1)	7.3 (6.8)	2.2 (19.4)	1.0 (22.6)	0.0 (41.0)
C. Recent Annual Inflation	8.1 (9.5)	8.7 (6.6)	8.7 (6.5)	7.1 (14.8)	7.9 (10.7)	0.0 (55.9)	0.0 (76.7)	0.0 (140.1)
D. Freedom to Own Foreign Currency	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<b>4. Freedom to Trade Internationally</b>		5.0	4.7	5.6	6.4	3.7	3.3	3.2
A. Taxes on International Trade	8.6	8.4	6.5	5.7	6.8	4.6	4.6	4.6
(i) Taxes as Percentage of Exports & Imports	8.6 (2.1)	8.9 (1.7)	4.7 (8.0)	3.9 (9.2)	5.4 (6.9)	5.1 (7.3)	5.1 (7.3)	5.1 (7.3)
(ii) Mean Tariff Rate		8.0 (10.0)	8.3 (8.7)	8.0 (10.1)	8.2 (9.2)	5.7 (21.4)	6.2 (19.0)	6.2 (19.0)
(iii) Variability of Tariff Rates				5.3 (11.8)		2.8 (17.9)	2.6 (18.6)	2.6 (18.6)
B. Regulatory Trade Barriers					3.7	5.9	5.3	5.0
(i) Hidden Import Barriers					3.7	5.2	5.0	3.7
(ii) Costs of Importing						6.5	5.6	6.3
C. Size of Trade Sector	6.4	6.1	5.2	5.1	8.3	5.5	3.9	3.9
D. Official versus Black Market Exchange Rate	0.0	0.0	1.6	7.0	9.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
E. Restrictions on Capital Markets		2.0	2.0	2.0	3.5	2.5	2.5	2.4
(i) Access to Foreign Capital					5.1	5.0	5.0	4.8
(ii) Restrictions on Foreign Capital Transactions		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>5. Regulation of Credit, Labor &amp; Business</b>		4.3	5.5	4.8	5.3	5.4	4.5	4.6
A. Regulation of Credit Markets	2.0	4.5	4.7	5.6	5.8	6.0	5.2	5.5
(i) Private Ownership of Banks	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	5.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
(ii) Competition from Foreign Banks					4.8	6.8	6.8	6.8
(iii) Extension of Credit to Private Sector		5.4	4.0	6.7	6.9	6.3	6.0	6.7
(iv) Avoidance of Negative Real Interest Rates		6.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	6.0	2.0	3.0
(v) Controls on Interest Rates					4.5	3.0	3.0	3.0
B. Regulation of Labor Markets				3.6	6.0	4.9	4.8	4.9
(i) Impact of Minimum Wage					5.9	3.5	3.5	3.5
(ii) Flexibility in Hiring & Firing				3.4	3.4	1.6	1.3	1.3
(iii) Collective Bargaining				4.5	4.5	2.5	2.2	3.0
(iv) Incentives from Unemployment Benefits					6.4	6.8	6.8	6.8
(v) Military Conscription	3.0	1.0	10.0	3.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
C. Regulation of Business					4.0	5.2	3.7	3.5
(i) Price Controls				2.0	4.0	4.0	2.0	2.0
(ii) Administrative Obstacles for New Businesses						5.1	1.7	1.8
(iii) Time Spent with Government Bureaucracy					4.3	7.1	5.8	4.8
(iv) Ease of Starting a New Business					3.7	5.7	4.4	4.7
(v) Irregular Payments to Government Officials					3.9	4.1	4.7	4.3