Country Policy and Institutional Assessment 2019

Indicator | Burundi | SSA IDA Average | IDA's Highest Score
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Economic Management | 2.7 | 3.1 | 4.3
Monetary and Exchange Rate Policy | 2.5 | 3.3 | 4.5
Fiscal Policy | 3.0 | 3.0 | 4.5
Debt Policy | 2.5 | 3.1 | 5.0
Structural Policies | 3.2 | 3.1 | 4.2
Trade | 4.0 | 3.6 | 4.5
Financial Sector | 2.5 | 2.7 | 4.0
Business Regulatory Environment | 3.0 | 3.0 | 4.5
Policies for Social Inclusion and Equity | 3.5 | 3.2 | 4.2
Gender Equality | 4.0 | 3.2 | 4.5
Equity of Public Resource Use | 3.5 | 3.3 | 4.5
Building Human Resources | 4.0 | 3.5 | 4.5
Social Protection and Labor | 3.0 | 2.9 | 4.0
Policies and Institutions for Environmental Sustainability | 3.0 | 3.2 | 4.5
Public Sector Management and Institutions | 2.3 | 2.9 | 4.2
Property Rights and Rule-Based Governance | 2.0 | 2.8 | 4.5
Quality of Budgetary and Financial Management | 2.5 | 3.0 | 4.0
Efficiency of Revenue Mobilization | 3.0 | 3.3 | 4.5
Quality of Public Administration | 2.5 | 2.8 | 4.0
Transparency, Accountability, and Corruption in the Public Sector | 1.5 | 2.7 | 4.5
Overall CPIA Score | 2.9 | 3.1 | 4.0

Definitions:
- CPIA: Country Policy and Institutional Assessment
- IDA: International Development Association, an arm of the World Bank Group that provides credits to the poorest countries
- SSA: Sub-Saharan Africa
- Poverty is based on PovcalNet poverty data as of June 2020
- The cutoff date for the World Development Indicators database is July 2020.
- The Human Capital Index is from the Human Capital Project, World Bank, 2018.

Average scores for comparisons refer to country groupings as follows:
- IDA Borrowing Countries: 75 countries eligible for IDA credits and with CPIA scores in 2019
- SSA IDA Countries: 39 SSA IDA countries that had CPIA scores in 2019
- Fragile Countries in SSA: 19 countries with CPIA scores included in the World Bank's Harmonized Fragile List for fiscal year 2020
- Non-Fragile Countries in SSA: 20 IDA-eligible countries (excluding fragile countries)
- Fragile Countries outside SSA: 12 countries with CPIA scores included in the World Bank's Harmonized Fragile List for fiscal year 2020
- Non-Fragile Countries outside SSA: 24 IDA-eligible countries (excluding fragile countries)

Quick Facts

Population (millions) | 11.5
GDP (current US$, billions) | 3.0
GDP per capita (current US$) | 261.2
Poverty below US$1.90 a day (% of population, 2018, est.) | 78
Human Capital Index (2018) | 0.38 (2019)

Comparison

Comparing Overall CPIA Scores

Progress

Change in CPIA Scores from 2013 to 2019

Economic Management
-0.6
Structural Policies
-0.4
Policies for Social Inclusion/Equity
-0.1
Public Sector Management & Institutions
-0.3
Overall CPIA Score