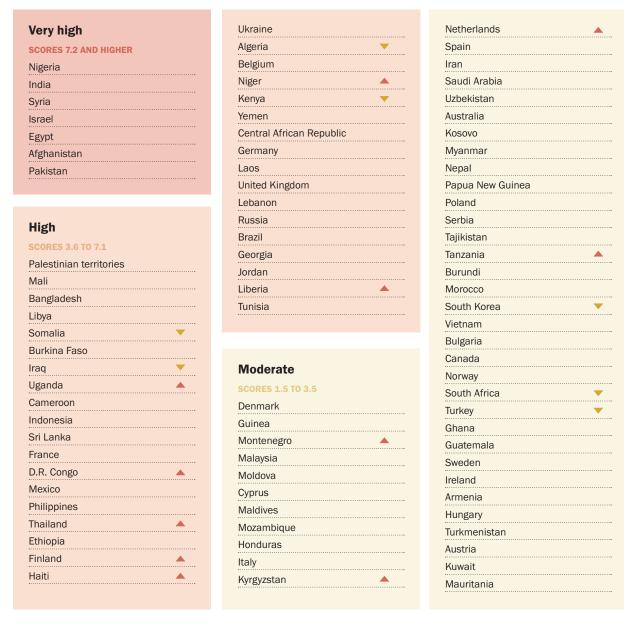
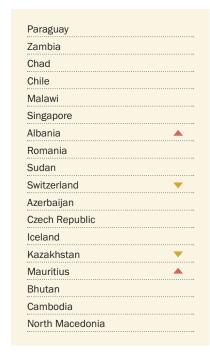
## **Appendix B: Social Hostilities Index**

The following table shows all 198 countries and territories in descending order of their scores on Pew Research Center's index of social hostilities involving religion as of the end of 2021. The Center has not attached numerical rankings to the countries because there are numerous tied scores and the differences between the scores of countries that are close to each other on this table are not necessarily meaningful.



- ▲ Denotes an increase of 1.0 or more from 2020 to 2021
- ▼ Denotes a decrease of 1.0 or more from 2020 to 2021.

## **Social Hostilities Index (cont.)**





South Su	dan
Croatia	
Cuba	
Fiji	
Madagas	car
Portugal	
Slovenia	
Venezuel	а
Bahrain	
Barbados	<b>3</b>
Belize	
Ecuador	
Gabon	
Jamaica	
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Togo	
	and Tobago
Zimbabw	e
Gambia	
Qatar	
Greece	
Sierra Le	one
Comoros	
Belarus	
Djibouti	
Estonia	
Lithuania	
Oman	
Timor-Les	ste
United Ar	ab Emirates
Western :	Sahara
Benin	
Bolivia	
Latvia	·
Mongolia	
Taiwan	
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Uruguay	

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	ntigua and Barbuda
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••••	ominica
••••	quatorial Guinea
	renada
••••	uyana
••••	esotho
•	acao
••••	lonaco
••••	amibia
• • • • •	auru
••••	alau
Pa	anama
R	epublic of the Congo
R	wanda
S	an Marino
S	ão Tomé and Príncipe
S	eychelles
St	t. Kitts and Nevis
S	uriname

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**NORTH KOREA:** The sources used for this study clearly indicate that the government of North Korea is among the most repressive in the world with respect to religion as well as other civil liberties. But because North Korean society is effectively closed to outsiders, the sources are unable to provide the kind of specific and timely information that Pew Research Center coded in this quantitative study. Therefore, the report does not include a score for North Korea on either index.

**YEMEN:** Starting with data covering 2016, researchers changed the way they coded social hostilities in Yemen. Read the Methodology for more details.

Note: Myanmar is also called Burma. Eswatini was formerly known as Swaziland.