

Religious Restriction Index Scores by Region

Scores in the table below express the levels of religious restrictions according to the Pew Research Center's Government Restrictions Index (GRI) and Social Hostilities Index (SHI).

Americas <i>35 countries</i>	baseline year, ending JUN 2007		previous year, ending JUN 2010		latest year, ending DEC 2011	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Antigua and Barbuda	1.1	0.3	1.2	0.4	2.3	0.4
Argentina	1.7	0.6	1.6	0.5	1.9	1.4
Bahamas	1.4	0.5	3.0	0.0	2.8	0.0
Barbados	0.8	0.3	0.8	0.4	1.4	0.1
Belize	1.3	0.0	0.8	0.0	1.2	0.0
Bolivia	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.3	1.1	0.8
Brazil	0.4	0.8	1.0	3.3	0.4	3.5
Canada	1.0	1.2	1.6	1.1	1.9	1.1
Chile	1.2	0.4	1.3	1.8	1.6	1.8
Colombia	1.8	3.3	2.8	3.1	2.5	3.5
Costa Rica	1.0	0.0	2.6	0.8	3.3	0.5
Cuba	4.5	0.0	4.8	0.9	5.3	1.5
Dominica	0.8	0.3	0.9	0.4	1.3	0.1
Dominican Republic	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.0	1.1	0.0
Ecuador	1.1	0.6	0.8	0.0	0.8	0.1
El Salvador	0.6	0.4	1.4	0.0	1.7	0.0
Grenada	0.5	0.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.0
Guatemala	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.3	1.3	0.3
Guyana	0.7	0.0	2.1	0.0	1.4	0.0
Haiti	1.8	0.6	0.8	2.2	1.6	1.7
Honduras	1.3	0.3	1.6	0.8	2.4	0.6
Jamaica	1.0	0.0	1.4	0.4	2.1	0.4
Mexico	4.7	5.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.2
Nicaragua	2.0	0.5	3.1	0.6	2.5	0.9
Panama	0.7	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.8	0.0
Paraguay	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.8	1.1	0.6
Peru	1.8	0.0	2.6	0.0	2.1	0.8
St. Kitts and Nevis	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.4	1.3	0.4
St. Lucia	0.6	0.3	1.3	0.4	1.5	0.8
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.4	1.1	0.4
Suriname	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.4	1.3	0.6

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Americas 35 countries (cont.)	<i>baseline year, ending JUN 2007</i>		<i>previous year, ending JUN 2010</i>		<i>current year, ending DEC 2011</i>	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Trinidad and Tobago	0.3	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.2	0.8
United States	1.6	1.9	2.7	3.4	3.0	2.4
Uruguay	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.0
Venezuela	3.6	0.8	3.5	0.8	3.3	1.5

Asia-Pacific 50 countries	<i>baseline year, ending JUN 2007</i>		<i>previous year, ending JUN 2010</i>		<i>latest year, ending DEC 2011</i>	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Afghanistan	5.3	8.5	8.0	7.7	8.0	7.4
Armenia	3.4	2.7	4.7	4.3	5.9	4.6
Australia	1.3	1.8	1.7	2.1	2.2	2.2
Azerbaijan	5.0	2.9	6.9	2.2	6.5	4.0
Bangladesh	4.0	8.3	5.6	8.2	6.1	6.3
Bhutan	4.4	1.9	3.6	0.0	4.3	0.9
Brunei	7.2	4.2	6.5	3.1	6.8	3.1
Burma (Myanmar)	7.9	4.9	7.3	5.8	7.3	5.5
Cambodia	2.9	0.8	2.7	2.2	2.4	1.5
China	7.8	0.9	7.5	2.0	8.4	2.2
Cyprus	1.2	0.9	2.8	3.8	2.6	5.2
Federated States of Micronesia	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0
Fiji	0.9	2.6	3.0	0.9	2.0	0.8
Hong Kong	1.0	0.8	1.2	0.0	2.1	0.5
India	4.8	8.8	5.3	9.0	5.1	9.6
Indonesia	6.2	8.3	8.6	7.2	8.2	8.7
Iran	7.9	6.0	7.9	5.0	8.5	5.9
Japan	0.2	0.4	2.0	3.1	1.9	3.0
Kazakhstan	5.6	3.1	5.7	1.2	5.7	1.7
Kiribati	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.8	0.5	1.5
Kyrgyzstan	3.9	5.5	6.5	5.1	6.2	4.9
Laos	6.3	1.0	5.7	3.1	5.5	2.8
Macau	1.3	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.8	0.0
Malaysia	6.4	1.0	6.4	2.2	7.1	3.9

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	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Maldives	6.5	2.6	8.6	2.7	8.1	5.1
Marshall Islands	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.0
Mongolia	1.9	0.6	3.4	1.2	4.5	0.8
Nauru	2.0	0.3	1.1	0.0	0.5	0.3
Nepal	3.4	4.2	3.3	5.6	4.0	6.3
New Zealand	0.3	0.4	0.6	2.7	0.6	1.2
Pakistan	5.8	8.9	6.3	9.0	7.3	10.0
Palau	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.6	0.0
Papua New Guinea	0.8	0.0	1.1	3.5	0.9	3.8
Philippines	1.6	3.7	1.2	3.9	0.9	3.4
Samoa	0.8	0.4	1.4	0.0	0.8	2.0
Singapore	4.6	0.2	5.0	0.2	6.0	0.4
Solomon Islands	0.6	0.4	0.9	0.0	0.7	0.8
South Korea	1.6	0.0	1.9	0.0	1.8	0.3
Sri Lanka	4.0	7.8	6.0	8.3	5.4	7.1
Taiwan	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.6	0.0
Tajikistan	4.5	2.2	6.5	2.3	5.6	2.2
Thailand	2.6	2.6	3.5	5.5	3.4	6.1
Timor-Leste	0.9	4.2	0.5	2.9	1.0	3.5
Tonga	2.0	0.0	1.8	0.0	1.7	0.0
Turkey	6.6	4.7	5.8	4.9	5.3	4.2
Turkmenistan	5.6	1.5	5.6	1.2	6.2	0.8
Tuvalu	1.8	2.1	2.9	1.7	1.6	1.8
Uzbekistan	7.7	3.3	7.9	2.2	7.0	2.0
Vanuatu	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.4	1.2	0.0
Vietnam	6.6	1.2	7.0	4.0	6.6	4.6

Religious Restriction Index Scores by Region (cont.)

Europe 45 countries	<i>baseline year, ending JUN 2007</i>		<i>previous year, ending JUN 2010</i>		<i>latest year, ending DEC 2011</i>	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Albania	0.8	0.2	1.3	0.2	1.4	0.0
Andorra	0.9	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.0
Austria	2.6	1.1	3.2	1.9	2.5	2.9
Belarus	5.9	1.4	6.8	1.4	6.3	1.8
Belgium	4.0	0.9	3.7	2.2	3.9	2.4
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1.5	2.4	2.0	2.6	2.0	3.4
Bulgaria	4.0	2.2	3.3	2.2	3.9	4.7
Croatia	0.7	2.0	2.7	2.3	2.3	1.8
Czech Republic	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.5	2.2
Denmark	2.5	1.2	3.4	2.1	3.7	1.7
Estonia	1.1	0.8	1.4	0.8	1.2	0.4
Finland	0.6	0.8	1.1	0.0	1.6	1.2
France	3.3	3.4	4.1	5.1	3.9	5.4
Georgia	2.2	4.7	2.9	4.1	2.0	4.5
Germany	3.1	2.1	4.0	5.3	3.5	5.0
Greece	5.2	4.4	5.5	4.1	5.4	5.0
Hungary	0.3	1.0	0.8	2.8	1.0	2.0
Iceland	2.6	0.4	2.8	1.2	2.1	0.4
Ireland	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.0	1.1	0.6
Italy	2.0	1.9	2.6	3.3	2.8	4.0
Kosovo	1.9	2.4	1.7	3.7	1.8	5.2
Latvia	2.3	1.4	2.0	0.8	2.9	0.5
Liechtenstein	1.3	0.1	1.4	1.2	1.7	1.2
Lithuania	1.6	0.8	1.6	1.5	2.3	1.5
Luxembourg	0.8	0.0	1.2	0.0	1.3	0.0
Malta	1.2	0.4	1.7	0.0	1.0	0.1
Moldova	4.2	3.8	4.8	2.9	4.4	4.5
Monaco	2.5	0.0	1.8	0.0	2.0	0.0
Montenegro	0.9	2.4	0.4	2.4	0.9	3.7
Netherlands	0.4	1.0	1.3	1.6	2.0	1.3
Norway	1.5	1.0	2.4	1.7	2.5	3.7
Poland	1.0	0.9	1.7	1.7	1.6	2.4
Portugal	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.3	0.8	0.0
Republic of Macedonia	2.2	1.5	2.8	3.0	2.6	2.3

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Europe 45 countries (cont.)	<i>baseline year, ending JUN 2007</i>		<i>previous year, ending JUN 2010</i>		<i>latest year, ending DEC 2011</i>	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Romania	4.8	5.5	4.4	4.0	4.5	4.9
Russia	5.8	3.7	7.2	7.3	7.0	9.0
San Marino	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
Serbia	3.1	1.5	3.5	4.7	4.0	4.8
Slovakia	2.8	1.9	2.6	1.0	3.2	1.9
Slovenia	0.6	1.0	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.3
Spain	2.0	1.6	2.7	2.1	2.9	2.8
Sweden	1.2	0.7	1.5	2.4	2.1	3.9
Switzerland	1.2	1.7	2.3	2.9	2.2	3.3
Ukraine	2.6	1.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.5
United Kingdom	1.6	1.6	4.3	6.2	3.0	6.3

Middle East-North Africa 20 countries	<i>baseline year, ending JUN 2007</i>		<i>previous year, ending JUN 2010</i>		<i>latest year, ending DEC 2011</i>	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Algeria	5.6	3.6	6.9	5.4	7.5	5.3
Bahrain	4.3	3.0	4.2	3.7	6.2	3.9
Egypt	7.2	6.1	8.7	7.6	8.9	7.6
Iraq	5.1	10.0	4.6	8.3	5.0	8.5
Israel	3.9	7.8	6.1	7.9	6.0	8.9
Jordan	4.6	3.5	6.5	5.1	6.0	5.4
Kuwait	4.8	1.9	4.7	1.7	5.5	3.7
Lebanon	1.4	5.1	3.7	4.9	3.6	5.6
Libya	5.1	1.4	5.8	0.2	6.2	1.9
Morocco	4.9	3.7	6.2	1.2	5.9	1.7
Oman	3.9	0.3	5.3	0.6	5.5	0.1
Palestinian territories	3.3	6.4	3.5	7.7	3.7	7.8
Qatar	3.3	0.3	5.6	0.4	5.7	0.4
Saudi Arabia	8.0	7.2	8.6	7.2	8.6	6.5
Sudan	5.7	6.5	5.4	5.0	6.6	7.8
Syria	4.5	5.3	7.3	3.3	7.5	5.8

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Middle East-North Africa <i>20 countries (cont.)</i>	<i>baseline</i> <i>year, ending</i> JUN 2007		<i>previous</i> <i>year, ending</i> JUN 2010		<i>latest</i> <i>year, ending</i> DEC 2011	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Tunisia	4.8	3.8	7.7	1.0	5.8	3.5
United Arab Emirates	3.9	0.1	4.3	0.8	5.5	0.8
Western Sahara	4.8	3.3	5.9	0.0	5.3	0.2
Yemen	4.3	6.2	7.0	7.8	6.9	7.6

Sub-Saharan Africa <i>48 countries</i>	<i>baseline</i> <i>year, ending</i> JUN 2007		<i>previous</i> <i>year, ending</i> JUN 2010		<i>latest</i> <i>year, ending</i> DEC 2011	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Angola	3.3	3.7	3.7	2.3	4.9	2.1
Benin	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.5	1.2
Botswana	0.9	0.1	1.2	0.0	0.6	0.0
Burkina Faso	0.3	1.5	1.3	1.5	0.8	2.0
Burundi	0.4	0.9	0.7	2.2	0.2	1.8
Cameroon	1.1	1.4	0.6	0.4	2.2	1.3
Cape Verde	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0
Central African Republic	3.7	3.3	4.4	4.5	4.8	4.1
Chad	4.2	3.3	6.0	2.6	5.5	2.3
Comoros	5.4	6.2	3.6	1.0	3.9	1.4
Democratic Republic of the Congo	1.3	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.1	3.7
Djibouti	2.4	1.8	2.1	0.5	2.6	0.4
Equatorial Guinea	2.6	0.0	2.4	0.0	2.5	0.0
Eritrea	7.0	0.4	7.7	0.6	7.3	0.6
Ethiopia	2.6	5.3	4.3	4.9	4.9	6.7
Gabon	1.7	0.1	1.9	0.8	1.6	0.5
Gambia	0.5	0.8	1.8	0.5	1.7	0.0
Ghana	1.2	4.9	1.0	2.6	0.4	2.2
Guinea	1.5	1.7	2.9	1.9	2.7	2.1
Guinea Bissau	1.5	0.0	0.3	1.2	0.3	1.5
Ivory Coast	1.9	3.1	2.0	3.7	3.7	4.9
Kenya	2.9	2.4	4.7	6.7	5.5	7.2
Lesotho	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.0
Liberia	1.7	3.8	1.7	1.8	1.2	1.8

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Sub-Saharan Africa <i>48 countries (cont.)</i>	<i>baseline</i> <i>year, ending</i> JUN 2007		<i>previous</i> <i>year, ending</i> JUN 2010		<i>latest</i> <i>year, ending</i> DEC 2011	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Madagascar	1.8	0.0	3.3	0.4	2.5	0.3
Malawi	0.4	0.3	1.0	0.4	2.0	0.1
Mali	0.9	0.3	0.9	1.3	1.7	2.4
Mauritania	6.5	0.9	6.2	1.5	5.8	1.0
Mauritius	1.4	0.3	1.2	2.8	1.4	2.4
Mozambique	1.1	0.3	1.1	0.3	1.2	0.0
Namibia	0.3	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.5	0.0
Niger	1.7	1.5	3.0	1.0	2.3	1.0
Nigeria	3.7	4.4	5.8	7.8	5.6	8.3
Republic of the Congo	0.7	0.4	1.0	0.0	0.5	0.4
Rwanda	2.0	0.0	3.8	0.8	3.1	0.0
Sao Tome and Principe	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0
Senegal	0.5	0.0	1.6	0.2	1.5	3.3
Seychelles	1.3	0.0	1.3	0.0	1.8	0.0
Sierra Leone	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.3	1.4
Somalia	4.4	7.4	5.2	8.1	7.4	7.8
South Africa	0.6	2.2	0.7	4.4	0.7	3.7
South Sudan	*	*	*	*	1.2	1.2
Swaziland	1.5	0.0	2.4	0.5	2.4	3.1
Tanzania	2.1	3.5	3.9	5.1	3.7	5.4
Togo	2.8	0.0	1.4	0.3	1.7	0.3
Uganda	2.4	0.4	3.4	5.8	2.9	6.5
Zambia	2.0	0.0	2.5	2.3	1.8	1.7
Zimbabwe	2.8	1.2	4.4	2.2	3.6	1.7

* South Sudan was coded for the first time in 2011.