## Appendix B: Social Hostilities Index

The following table shows all 198 countries and territories in descending order of their scores on the Pew Research Center’s index of social hostilities involving religion as of the end of 2014. The Center has not attached numerical rankings to the countries because there are numerous tie scores and the differences between the scores of countries that are close to each other on this table are not necessarily meaningful.

### Very High
**SCORES 7.2 AND HIGHER**
- Bahrain
- Bosnia-Herzegovina
- Denmark
- Netherlands
- Bulgaria
- Nepal
- Romania
- Cyprus
- Vietnam
- Zambia
- Niger
- Tuvalu
- Bhutan
- Burkina Faso
- Papua New Guinea
- Germany
- Montenegro
- Norway
- South Africa
- Zimbabwe
- Comoros
- Ireland
- Brunei
- Timor-Leste
- South Sudan
- Australia
- Colombia
- Croatia
- Hungary
- Samoa
- Czech Republic

### High
**SCORES 3.6 TO 7.1**
- Libya
- Indonesia
- Kenya
- Somalia
- Central African Republic
- Egypt
- Algeria
- Russia
- Sudan
- Burma (Myanmar)
- Malaysia
- Thailand
- Bangladesh
- Tunisia

### Moderate
**SCORES 1.5 TO 3.5**
- Kuwait
- Brazil
- Tanzania
- China
- Guinea
- Ethiopia
- Laos

▲ Denotes an increase of one point or more from 2013 to 2014.
▼ Denotes a decrease of one point or more from 2013 to 2014.

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### Social Hostilities Index (cont.)

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|   | Senegal | Spain | Venezuela | Malta | South Korea | Peru | Belize | Liberia | Rwanda | Haiti | Solomon Islands | Albania | Chad | Gambia | Qatar | Cuba | Belarus | Barbados | Cambodia | Cape Verde | Ivory Coast | Hong Kong | Estonia | Sao Tome and Principe | Seychelles | Sierra Leone | Slovenia | Suriname | Taiwan | Tonga | Trinidad and Tobago | Vanuatu |
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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 coded in this quantitative study. Therefore, the report does not include a score for North Korea on either index.