

**Table 3: The Business Competitiveness Index**

Country	BCI ranking	Company operations and strategy ranking	Quality of the national business environment ranking	Country	BCI ranking	Company operations and strategy ranking	Quality of the national business environment ranking
United States	1	1	2	Egypt	71	58	74
Finland	2	9	1	Sri Lanka	72	73	73
Germany	3	2	4	Namibia	73	75	72
Denmark	4	4	3	Russian Federation	74	77	70
Singapore	5	14	5	Ukraine	75	71	76
United Kingdom	6	6	6	Nigeria	76	65	79
Switzerland	7	5	7	Azerbaijan	77	74	80
Japan	8	3	10	Bulgaria	78	82	71
Netherlands	9	8	8	Morocco	79	80	75
Austria	10	11	9	Vietnam	80	81	77
France	11	10	11	Peru	81	66	82
Sweden	12	7	14	Tanzania	82	93	81
Canada	13	18	13	Macedonia, FYR	83	89	83
Taiwan	14	13	15	Zimbabwe	84	78	84
Australia	15	23	12	Uganda*	85	91	87
Belgium	16	12	17	Serbia and Montenegro	86	108	86
Iceland	17	15	18	Mali*	87	109	85
New Zealand	18	21	16	Armenia	88	87	90
Ireland	19	16	20	Cameroon*	89	84	92
Hong Kong SAR	20	20	19	Gambia	90	100	89
Norway	21	22	21	Malawi	91	86	93
Israel	22	19	22	Venezuela	92	85	97
Malaysia	23	24	23	Moldova	93	90	94
Korea, Rep.	24	17	24	Bosnia and Herzegovina	94	101	91
Spain	25	25	26	Algeria	95	111	88
Estonia	26	33	25	Georgia	96	94	95
Czech Republic	27	29	27	Madagascar	97	102	96
South Africa	28	26	30	Mozambique	98	97	99
Chile	29	31	29	Benin*	99	106	98
Portugal	30	39	28	Bangladesh	100	99	101
India	31	30	31	Dominican Republic	101	88	103
Slovenia	32	27	35	Tajikistan	102	107	100
United Arab Emirates	33	36	33	Guatemala	103	83	104
Hungary	34	40	32	Mongolia	104	98	102
Tunisia	35	46	34	Honduras	105	95	105
Cyprus	36	48	36	Nicaragua	106	110	106
Thailand	37	35	37	Ecuador	107	96	108
Italy	38	28	39	Kyrgyz Republic	108	92	111
Slovak Republic	39	47	38	Cambodia	109	103	107
Greece	40	42	40	Guyana	110	105	109
Lithuania	41	41	41	Ethiopia	111	113	110
Poland	42	43	46	Albania	112	104	113
Jordan	43	59	42	Bolivia	113	115	112
Qatar	44	64	43	Paraguay	114	112	114
Ghana	45	56	47	East Timor*	115	114	115
Malta	46	61	44	Chad*	116	116	116
Kuwait	47	63	45				
Latvia	48	51	48				
Brazil	49	32	52				
Costa Rica	50	34	53				
Turkey	51	38	51				
Mauritius	52	45	49				
Jamaica	53	54	54				
Bahrain	54	67	55				
Botswana	55	76	50				
Colombia	56	49	57				
China	57	53	58				
El Salvador	58	57	56				
Indonesia	59	50	59				
Mexico	60	55	62				
Panama	61	37	68				
Kazakhstan	62	72	60				
Croatia	63	70	61				
Argentina	64	52	64				
Trinidad and Tobago	65	62	63				
Pakistan	66	68	65				
Romania	67	69	67				
Kenya	68	60	69				
Philippines	69	44	78				
Uruguay	70	79	66				

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\* Survey data for these countries have high within-country variance; until the reliability of survey responses improves with future educational efforts and improved sampling in these countries, their rankings should be interpreted with caution.