



COUNTRY OVERVIEW

		Global Av.
Population (million) (2010)	21.00	N/A
Life expectancy (years) (2010)	73.5	69.6
Birth rate (per year per 1000 people) (2010)	10	22
Fertility rate (births per female) (2010)	1.4	2.8
Life satisfaction* (rated 0 > 10) (2011)	5.0	5.5
Female representation in the legislature (2011)	11.4%	19.5%
Internet access at home? (2011)	47.4%	34.2%
Satisfied with job/work?* (% yes) (2011)	69.0%	73.3%
People are treated with respect in your country* (% yes) (2011)	84%	85.1%
GDP per capita (ppp) (2010)	\$14,524.30	\$14,774.73

INDEX COMPARISONS

	Rank/ No. of countries
Legatum Prosperity Index™	60/142
Average Life Satisfaction Ranking* (2011)	82/142
Per Capita GDP Ranking (2010)	50/142
WEF Global Competitiveness Index (2011)	77/142
UN Human Development Index (2011)	50/187
Heritage/WSJ Economic Freedom Index (2011)	62/179
TI Corruption Perceptions Index (2011)	75/182
World Bank Doing Business Index (2012)	72/183

SUB-INDEX RANKINGS



PROSPERITY INDEX: DATA IN FOCUS

94	ECONOMY	Romania	Global Av.
	5 year growth rate (2010)	3.3%	2.7%
	Confidence in financial institutions?* (% yes) (2011)	33.4%	61.9%
	Satisfaction with living standards?* (% yes) (2011)	38.3%	59%
49	ENTREPRENEURSHIP & OPPORTUNITY		
	Business start-up costs (% of GNI) (2011)	3.0%	36.3%
	Mobile phones (per 100 ppl) (2011)	109.2	98.7
	Will working hard get you ahead?* (% yes) (2011)	45.0%	81.1%
71	GOVERNANCE		
	Confidence in the government?* (% yes) (2011)	12.3%	53.7%
	Confidence in the judiciary?* (% yes) (2011)	27.1%	52.5%
	Government effectiveness ¹ (2010)	-0.14	0.03
49	EDUCATION		
	Pupil to teacher ratio (2009)	16:1	25:1
	Satisfaction with education quality?* (% yes) (2011)	64.1%	66.6%
	Perception children are learning?* (% yes) (2011)	43.6%	70.4%

64	HEALTH	Romania	Global Av.
	Self-reported health problems?* (% yes) (2011)	29.9%	23.9%
	Hospital beds* (per 1000 people) (2009)	6.6	3.2
	Satisfaction with health?* (% yes) (2011)	61.7%	78.8%
47	SAFETY & SECURITY		
	Human flight ² (2011)	5.0	5.4
	Safe walking at night?* (% yes) (2011)	58.3%	61.9%
	Property stolen?* (% yes) (2011)	13.3%	16.8%
81	PERSONAL FREEDOM		
	Civil liberties ³ (2011)	6	4.8
	Tolerance for immigrants?* (% yes) (2011)	53.1%	65%
	Satisfaction with freedom of choice?* (% yes) (2011)	65.0%	73.4%
113	SOCIAL CAPITAL		
	Rely on others?* (% yes) (2011)	75.3%	80.6%
	Donations?* (% yes) (2011)	19.8%	28%
	Help strangers?* (% yes) (2011)	34.5%	45.7%

NOTES: ¹ Gov. effectiveness: values range from -1.73 to 2.25, higher values indicate higher effectiveness. ² Human flight: values range from 1 to 10, higher values indicate higher levels of human flight. ³ Civil liberties: values range from 1 to 7, lower values indicate lack of civil liberties. *Survey data are taken from Gallup World Poll.



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