

## Appendix C: Religious restrictions index scores by region

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

<b>Americas</b> 35 countries	baseline year, ending JUN 2007		previous year, ending DEC 2019		latest year, ending DEC 2020	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Antigua and Barbuda	1.1	0.3	0.8	0.0	0.8	0.0
Argentina	1.7	0.6	2.1	1.7	2.2	1.8
Bahamas	1.4	0.5	3.4	0.0	3.4	0.8
Barbados	0.8	0.3	2.3	0.1	2.0	0.8
Belize	1.3	0.0	1.1	1.0	1.5	0.8
Bolivia	1.0	0.0	1.0	2.9	0.9	2.9
Brazil	0.4	0.8	2.4	4.7	2.5	4.6
Canada	1.0	1.2	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.5
Chile	1.2	0.4	1.5	0.7	1.7	1.4
Colombia	1.8	3.3	1.4	2.6	1.4	2.2
Costa Rica	1.0	0.0	2.7	0.2	2.7	0.1
Cuba	4.5	0.0	5.3	0.2	5.6	0.2
Dominica	0.8	0.3	2.4	0.0	2.2	0.4
Dominican Republic	0.6	0.0	1.5	0.0	1.4	0.0
Ecuador	1.1	0.6	2.5	0.3	2.0	0.1
El Salvador	0.6	0.4	2.3	2.7	2.3	2.2
Grenada	0.5	0.0	2.0	0.0	2.0	0.0
Guatemala	1.2	1.0	1.9	1.0	1.9	2.2
Guyana	0.7	0.0	2.5	0.0	2.5	0.0
Haiti	1.8	0.6	2.2	3.1	2.4	3.1
Honduras	1.3	0.3	2.0	2.5	2.0	2.4
Jamaica	1.0	0.0	2.1	0.1	2.0	0.1
Mexico	4.7	5.5	4.1	4.5	3.3	5.0
Nicaragua	2.1	0.5	2.8	1.7	2.7	1.4
Panama	0.7	0.0	1.5	0.0	1.5	0.1
Paraguay	0.6	0.7	1.7	2.2	1.6	1.9
Peru	1.8	0.0	1.6	0.2	1.6	0.1
St. Kitts and Nevis	0.6	0.3	1.6	0.1	1.0	0.1
St. Lucia	0.6	0.3	1.9	0.1	2.4	0.4
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	0.6	0.3	1.4	0.1	0.9	0.1
Suriname	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.9	0.0
Trinidad and Tobago	0.3	0.6	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.8

## Religious restrictions index scores by region (cont.)

<b>Americas</b> 35 countries (cont.)	baseline year, ending JUN 2007		previous year, ending DEC 2019		latest year, ending DEC 2020	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
United States	1.6	1.9	3.2	1.6	2.7	1.9
Uruguay	0.3	0.6	1.6	0.8	1.1	0.6
Venezuela	3.6	0.8	3.8	1.6	2.9	1.5

<b>Asia-Pacific</b> 50 countries	baseline year, ending JUN 2007		previous year, ending DEC 2019		latest year, ending DEC 2020	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Afghanistan	5.3	8.5	6.3	5.6	6.8	8.0
Armenia	3.4	2.7	3.5	1.9	3.7	2.1
Australia	1.3	1.8	1.1	2.4	1.9	2.3
Azerbaijan	5.0	2.9	7.0	1.6	7.0	1.7
Bangladesh	4.0	8.3	4.8	6.7	4.8	7.0
Bhutan	4.4	1.9	4.6	0.4	4.8	1.5
Brunei	7.2	4.2	6.6	1.3	7.2	1.3
Cambodia	2.9	0.8	3.5	0.7	3.5	0.9
China	7.8	0.9	9.3	0.6	9.3	0.1
Cyprus	1.2	0.9	3.2	3.3	2.9	2.6
Federated States of Micronesia	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.4	1.1
Fiji	0.9	2.6	1.5	1.0	2.8	1.0
Hong Kong	1.0	0.8	1.8	0.4	1.9	0.2
India	4.8	8.8	5.6	9.1	5.8	9.4
Indonesia	6.2	8.3	7.9	4.8	7.9	5.5
Iran	7.9	6.0	8.1	1.5	8.2	1.9
Japan	0.2	0.4	0.8	0.1	0.5	0.1
Kazakhstan	5.6	3.1	7.0	2.0	7.0	2.6
Kiribati	0.3	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.2
Kyrgyzstan	3.9	5.5	6.6	2.2	5.7	1.6

**Religious restrictions index scores by region (cont.)**

<b>Asia-Pacific</b> 50 countries (cont.)	<i>baseline year, ending JUN 2007</i>		<i>previous year, ending DEC 2019</i>		<i>latest year, ending DEC 2020</i>	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Laos	6.3	1.0	6.1	2.2	6.0	4.0
Macao	1.3	0.3	1.1	0.0	0.8	0.0
Malaysia	6.4	1.0	8.5	3.9	8.5	3.5
Maldives	6.5	2.6	7.7	2.9	6.7	2.8
Marshall Islands	0.2	0.0	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.7
Mongolia	1.9	0.6	3.1	1.2	3.0	1.1
Myanmar	7.9	4.9	7.6	2.7	7.8	3.1
Nauru	2.0	0.3	1.8	0.0	1.6	0.0
Nepal	3.4	4.2	5.2	3.0	4.7	3.6
New Zealand	0.3	0.4	0.5	3.4	0.2	1.0
Pakistan	5.8	8.9	6.3	8.1	6.4	7.5
Palau	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.0
Papua New Guinea	0.8	0.0	1.6	2.7	1.5	2.0
Philippines	1.6	3.7	1.4	4.9	2.3	4.8
Samoa	0.8	0.4	1.4	1.8	1.1	0.1
Singapore	4.6	0.2	6.9	1.2	6.9	1.9
Solomon Islands	0.6	0.4	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.1
South Korea	1.6	0.0	2.6	5.0	2.4	3.6
Sri Lanka	4.0	7.8	6.0	8.0	5.4	6.5
Taiwan	0.5	0.0	1.7	0.3	1.5	0.3
Tajikistan	4.5	2.2	6.9	3.9	7.5	3.1
Thailand	2.6	2.6	5.3	4.2	5.1	3.3
Timor-Leste	0.9	4.2	1.0	0.9	1.1	0.4
Tonga	2.0	0.0	1.6	0.3	1.6	0.3
Turkey	6.6	4.7	7.0	4.2	6.2	4.6
Turkmenistan	5.6	1.5	7.6	1.2	6.1	1.2
Tuvalu	1.8	2.1	2.0	1.2	2.0	1.2
Uzbekistan	7.7	3.3	7.2	2.9	7.2	2.8
Vanuatu	1.0	1.0	1.3	0.0	1.3	0.1
Vietnam	6.6	1.2	6.4	3.0	6.2	2.8

## Religious restrictions index scores by region (cont.)

Europe <i>45 countries</i>	<i>baseline year, ending JUN 2007</i>		<i>previous year, ending DEC 2019</i>		<i>latest year, ending DEC 2020</i>	
	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI	GRI	SHI
Albania	0.8	0.2	1.9	0.0	1.9	0.0
Andorra	0.9	0.0	2.4	0.0	2.4	0.0
Austria	2.6	1.1	4.4	2.1	4.5	2.2
Belarus	5.9	1.4	5.7	1.4	5.8	1.1
Belgium	4.0	0.9	3.9	3.9	3.3	4.5
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1.5	2.4	2.8	2.5	2.8	2.0
Bulgaria	4.0	2.2	5.6	4.0	4.5	2.2
Croatia	0.7	2.0	2.2	0.5	2.9	1.0
Czech Republic	1.0	1.2	2.4	1.1	2.3	1.8
Denmark	2.5	1.2	4.1	3.7	4.4	4.4
Estonia	1.1	0.8	1.4	0.4	1.4	0.4
Finland	0.6	0.8	2.5	3.0	3.3	3.7
France	3.3	3.4	4.6	3.5	5.4	4.7
Georgia	2.2	4.7	3.6	3.3	3.9	2.9
Germany	3.1	2.1	3.2	5.9	3.3	4.0
Greece	5.2	4.4	4.4	3.2	3.9	2.2
Hungary	0.3	1.0	2.8	3.0	3.1	2.0
Iceland	2.6	0.4	3.7	1.0	3.6	1.7
Ireland	0.6	0.4	1.5	3.0	1.0	2.4
Italy	2.0	1.9	2.9	1.7	2.9	2.9
Kosovo	1.9	2.4	2.9	3.1	2.8	2.6
Latvia	2.3	1.4	2.6	0.2	2.4	0.3
Liechtenstein	1.3	0.1	2.0	0.8	2.5	0.8
Lithuania	1.7	0.8	2.8	0.6	2.3	0.4
Luxembourg	0.8	0.0	2.9	1.0	2.9	1.0
Malta	1.2	0.4	2.2	0.8	2.2	0.8
Moldova	4.2	3.8	4.6	4.3	4.6	4.1
Monaco	2.5	0.0	2.6	0.0	2.5	0.0
Montenegro	0.9	2.4	2.9	0.5	3.6	1.3

**Religious restrictions index scores by region (cont.)**

<b>Europe</b> 45 countries (cont.)	<i>baseline year, ending</i> <b>JUN 2007</b>		<i>previous year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2019</b>		<i>latest year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2020</b>	
	<b>COUNTRY</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>
Netherlands	0.4	1.0	3.8	2.6	2.8	2.1
North Macedonia	2.2	1.5	2.8	3.0	2.2	2.2
Norway	1.5	1.0	3.2	1.5	3.1	2.7
Poland	1.0	0.9	3.5	2.6	3.3	1.8
Portugal	0.3	0.0	1.0	0.1	0.6	0.8
Romania	4.8	5.5	4.8	1.7	5.3	1.3
Russia	5.8	3.7	8.2	4.5	8.2	3.2
San Marino	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.0
Serbia	3.1	1.5	3.4	2.1	3.1	1.8
Slovakia	2.8	1.9	3.0	2.9	2.8	1.8
Slovenia	0.6	1.0	1.8	0.9	1.8	1.0
Spain	2.0	1.6	4.3	4.2	3.8	3.0
Sweden	1.2	0.7	2.6	1.5	3.1	2.9
Switzerland	1.2	1.7	2.6	3.5	2.4	3.4
Ukraine	2.6	1.9	4.7	4.8	4.2	4.9
United Kingdom	1.6	1.6	3.2	5.2	2.8	4.4

<b>Middle East-North Africa</b> 20 countries	<i>baseline year, ending</i> <b>JUN 2007</b>		<i>previous year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2019</b>		<i>latest year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2020</b>	
	<b>COUNTRY</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>
Algeria	5.6	3.6	8.0	4.9	8.4	5.6
Bahrain	4.3	3.0	6.4	1.6	6.3	1.6
Egypt	7.2	6.1	8.4	6.5	7.3	7.4
Iraq	5.1	10.0	7.1	7.7	6.0	7.3
Israel	3.9	7.8	6.0	7.4	6.5	8.0
Jordan	4.6	3.5	4.9	3.7	4.8	3.6
Kuwait	4.8	1.9	6.2	0.8	5.9	1.9
Lebanon	1.4	5.1	4.6	3.9	4.1	4.7
Libya	5.1	1.4	5.8	7.7	5.8	7.4

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<b>Middle East-North Africa</b> <i>20 countries (cont.)</i>	<i>baseline</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>JUN 2007</b>		<i>previous</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2019</b>		<i>latest</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2020</b>	
	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>
Morocco	4.9	3.7	6.2	2.3	6.2	2.3
Oman	3.9	0.3	5.4	0.4	5.3	0.4
Palestinian territories	3.3	6.4	4.3	5.1	4.7	6.2
Qatar	3.3	0.3	5.4	0.9	6.0	1.2
Saudi Arabia	8.0	7.2	7.2	2.5	6.6	2.4
Sudan	5.7	6.5	6.8	2.0	5.8	2.4
Syria	4.5	5.3	8.3	7.8	7.5	7.4
Tunisia	4.8	3.8	5.6	4.6	6.2	3.5
United Arab Emirates	3.9	0.1	5.8	1.2	5.7	0.8
Western Sahara	4.8	3.3	5.5	0.4	5.8	0.4
Yemen	4.3	6.2	6.0	5.1	5.8	3.5

<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b> <i>48 countries</i>	<i>baseline</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>JUN 2007</b>		<i>previous</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2019</b>		<i>latest</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2020</b>	
	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>
Angola	3.3	3.7	4.3	0.6	2.8	1.1
Benin	0.3	0.0	0.7	2.6	1.3	0.0
Botswana	0.9	0.1	1.3	0.0	2.0	0.0
Burkina Faso	0.3	1.5	2.7	5.5	2.7	6.9
Burundi	0.4	0.9	3.8	1.6	2.8	1.7
Cameroon	1.1	1.4	3.2	4.8	2.7	5.5
Cape Verde	0.3	0.1	1.5	0.0	0.9	0.0
Central African Republic	3.7	3.3	2.9	6.2	2.7	4.1
Chad	4.2	3.3	3.7	2.1	3.9	2.0
Comoros	5.4	6.2	5.4	0.5	4.6	0.5
Democratic Republic of the Congo	1.3	2.6	1.4	3.0	2.3	3.8
Djibouti	2.4	1.8	3.6	0.4	4.2	0.4
Equatorial Guinea	2.6	0.0	3.3	0.0	4.1	0.0
Eritrea	7.0	0.4	6.7	0.1	6.7	0.0
Eswatini	1.5	0.0	2.6	0.4	2.6	0.1
Ethiopia	2.6	5.3	3.4	5.9	4.1	4.5

**Religious restrictions index scores by region (cont.)**

<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b> 48 countries (cont.)	<i>baseline</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>JUN 2007</b>		<i>previous</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2019</b>		<i>latest</i> <i>year, ending</i> <b>DEC 2020</b>	
	<b>COUNTRY</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>	<b>SHI</b>	<b>GRI</b>
Gabon	1.7	0.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.8
Gambia	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.8	1.5	0.3
Ghana	1.2	4.9	1.6	1.8	1.6	2.6
Guinea	1.5	1.7	2.6	2.7	3.3	3.5
Guinea-Bissau	1.6	0.0	0.7	1.1	0.4	1.1
Ivory Coast	1.9	3.1	1.4	0.9	1.3	1.4
Kenya	2.9	2.4	3.1	6.4	3.2	6.0
Lesotho	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.0	1.3	0.0
Liberia	1.7	3.8	1.4	1.8	1.5	2.0
Madagascar	1.8	0.0	2.8	0.9	2.8	1.0
Malawi	0.4	0.3	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.0
Mali	0.9	0.3	1.7	6.9	2.5	7.9
Mauritania	6.5	0.9	6.1	2.0	6.2	1.8
Mauritius	1.4	0.3	1.5	0.4	1.5	0.3
Mozambique	1.0	0.3	3.6	2.2	2.6	2.8
Namibia	0.3	0.0	1.3	0.0	1.3	0.0
Niger	1.7	1.5	4.5	3.7	4.0	2.6
Nigeria	3.7	4.4	4.4	8.4	4.3	8.5
Republic of the Congo	0.7	0.4	2.0	0.3	1.5	0.3
Rwanda	2.0	0.0	3.8	1.8	3.7	0.3
Sao Tome and Principe	0.2	0.0	0.9	1.3	0.9	0.0
Senegal	0.5	0.0	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.2
Seychelles	1.3	0.0	2.6	0.0	2.6	0.0
Sierra Leone	0.0	0.0	3.1	2.8	2.3	0.8
Somalia	4.4	7.4	3.3	7.0	4.7	7.6
South Africa	0.6	2.2	1.6	2.9	2.1	4.3
South Sudan*	*	*	2.4	1.2	3.2	1.9
Tanzania	2.1	3.5	5.5	2.8	5.1	1.3
Togo	2.8	0.0	2.6	0.8	2.5	0.8
Uganda	2.4	0.4	3.0	3.2	2.5	2.1
Zambia	2.0	0.0	3.1	0.8	3.2	1.1
Zimbabwe	2.9	1.2	3.6	1.2	2.5	1.1

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

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