

Regional Scores

African countries Press Freedom Ratings 2001

Name	Ratings
Algeria	62 Not Free
Angola	79 Not Free
Benin	30 Free
Botswana	30 Free
Burkina Faso	39 Partly Free
Burundi	77 Not Free
Cape Verde	30 Free
Cameroon	68 Not Free
Central African Republic	69 Not Free
Chad	74 Not Free
Comoros	41 Partly Free
Congo (Brazzaville)	53 Partly Free
Congo (Kinshasa)	86 Not Free
Cote d'Ivoire	66 Not Free
Djibouti	67 Not Free
Egypt	77 Not Free
Equatorial Guinea	80 Not Free
Eritrea	79 Not Free
Ethiopia	61 Not Free
Gabon	52 Partly Free
The Gambia	65 Not Free
Ghana	27 Free
Guinea-Bissau	56 Partly Free
Guinea	74 Not Free
Kenya	67 Not free
Lesotho	46 Partly Free
Liberia	77 Not Free
Libya	88 Not Free
Madagascar	31 Partly Free
Malawi	54 Partly Free
Mali	23 Free
Mauritania	61 Not Free
Mauritius	17 Free
Morocco	58 Partly Free
Mozambique	48 Partly Free
Namibia	34 Partly Free
Niger	49 Partly Free

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Nigeria	57 Partly Free
Rwanda	87 Not Free
Sao Tome & Principe	19 Free
Senegal	39 Partly Free
Sierra Leone	62 Not Free
Seychelles	51 Partly Free
Somalia	88 Not Free
South Africa	23 Free
Sudan	87 Not Free
Swaziland	77 Not Free
Tanzania	49 Partly Free
Togo	68 Not Free
Tunisia	73 Not Free
Uganda	42 Partly Free
Zambia	65 Not Free
Zimbabwe	83 Not Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	8	15.1 percent
Partly Free	17	32.1 percent
Not Free	28	52.8 percent
<i>TOTAL</i>	53	100 percent

Asia Press Freedom Ratings 2001

Name	Ratings
Afghanistan	Not rated
Bangladesh	63 Not Free
Bhutan	72 Not Free
Brunei	78 Not Free
Burma	96 Not Free
Cambodia	68 Not Free
China	80 Not Free
India	42 Partly Free
Indonesia	53 Partly Free
Japan	17 Free
Korea S.	30 Free
Korea N.	96 Not Free
Laos	82 Not Free
Malaysia	71 Not Free
Maldives	61 Not Free
Mongolia	31 Partly Free
Nepal	60 Partly Free
Pakistan	57 Partly Free
Philippines	30 Free
Taiwan	21 Free
Thailand	30 Free
Singapore	68 Not Free
Sri Lanka	63 Not Free
Vietnam	82 Not Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	5	20.8 percent
Partly Free	5	20.8 percent
Not Free	13	54.2 percent
TOTAL	24	95.8 percent *

* Afghanistan not rated

Eastern Europe & NIS Press Freedom Ratings 2001

Name	Ratings
Albania	48 Partly Free
Armenia	60 Partly Free
Azerbaijan	77 Not Free
Belarus	82 Not Free
Bosnia-Herzegovina	53 Partly Free
Bulgaria	29 Free
Croatia	33 Partly Free
Czech Republic	25 Free
Estonia	18 Free
Georgia	53 Partly Free
Hungary	23 Free
Kazakhstan	69 Not Free
Kyrgyz Republic	68 Not Free
Latvia	19 Free
Lithuania	19 Free
Macedonia	46 Partly Free
Moldova	59 Partly Free
Poland	18 Free
Russia	60 Partly Free
Romania	35 Partly Free
Slovakia	22 Free
Slovenia	20 Free
Tajikistan	80 Not Free
Turkmenistan	91 Not Free
Ukraine	60 Partly Free
Uzbekistan	84 Not Free
Yugoslavia	45 Partly Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	9	33.3.
Partly Free	11	40.8
Not Free	7	25.9
<i>TOTAL</i>	27	100 percent

European Countries Press Freedom Ratings 2001

Name	Ratings
Austria	24 Free
Belgium	9 Free
Cyprus	18 Free
Denmark	9 Free
Greece	30 Free
France	17 Free
Finland	10 Free
Germany	15 Free
Iceland	8 Free
Italy	27 Free
Ireland	16 Free
Luxembourg	14 Free
Malta	13 Free
Netherlands	15 Free
Norway	9 Free
Portugal	15 Free
Spain	17 Free
Sweden	8 Free
Switzerland	8 Free
Turkey	58 Partly Free
United Kingdom	18 Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	20	95.3 percent
Partly Free	1	4.7 percent
Not Free	0	0 percent
<i>TOTAL</i>	21	100 percent

Caribbean & Latin American countries Press Freedom Ratings 2001

Name	Ratings
Antigua & Barbuda	44 Partly Free
Argentina	37 Partly Free
Bahamas	8 Free
Barbados	16 Free
Belize	24 Free
Bolivia	25 Free
Brazil	32 Partly Free
Chile	22 Free
Costa Rica	17 Free
Colombia	60 Partly Free
Cuba	96 Not Free
Dominica	16 Free
Dominican Republic	30 Free
Ecuador	40 Partly Free
El Salvador	35 Partly Free
Grenada	16 Free
Guyana	23 Free
Guatemala	49 Partly Free
Haiti	72 Not Free
Honduras	43 Partly Free
Jamaica	17 Free
Mexico	40 Partly Free
Nicaragua	32 Partly Free
Panama	30 Free
Paraguay	51 Partly Free
Peru	30 Free
St. Kitts & Nevis	18 Free
St. Lucia	11 Free
St. Vincent & Grenadines	16 Free
Suriname	25 Free
Trinidad & Tobago	30 Free
Uruguay	25 Free
Venezuela	44 Partly Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	19	54.6 percent
Partly Free	12	39.4 percent
Not Free	2	6 percent

<i>TOTAL</i>	33	100 percent
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**Middle East countries
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Name	Ratings
Bahrain	75 Not Free
Iran	75 Not Free
Iraq	96 Not Free
Israel	30 Free
Israel Administered-Palestinian Authority	84 Not Free
Jordan	60 Partly Free
Kuwait	49 Partly Free
Lebanon	74 Not Free
Oman	68 Not Free
Qatar	62 Not Free
Saudi Arabia	80 Not Free
Syria	78 Not Free
United Arab Emirates	74 Not Free
Yemen	65 Not Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	1	7.1 percent
Partly Free	2	14.3 percent
Not Free	11	78.6 percent
<i>TOTAL</i>	14	100 percent

**North American countries
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Name	Ratings
Canada	16 Free
United States	16 Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	2	100 percent
Partly Free	0	
Not Free	0	
<i>TOTAL</i>	2	100 percent

Pacific countries Press Freedom Ratings 2001

Name	Ratings
Australia	10 Free
East Timor	21 Free
Fiji	33 Partly Free
Kiribati	21 Free
Marshall Islands	10 Free
Micronesia	20 Free
Nauru	27 Free
New Zealand	8 Free
Papua New Guinea	26 Free
Samoa	23 Free
Solomon Islands	24 Free
Tonga	36 Partly Free
Vanuatu	24 Free

Status	Number of countries	Percent of total
Free	11	84.6 percent
Partly Free	2	15.4 percent
Not Free	0	0 percent
<i>TOTAL</i>	13	100 percent