

Table 2: Growth Competitiveness Index rankings and 2004 comparisons

Country	GCI 2005 rank	GCI 2005 score	GCI 2004 rank	Country	GCI 2005 rank	GCI 2005 score	GCI 2004 rank
Finland	1	5.94	1	Tanzania	71	3.57	82
United States	2	5.81	2	Argentina	72	3.56	74
Sweden	3	5.65	3	Panama	73	3.55	58
Denmark	4	5.65	5	Indonesia	74	3.53	69
Taiwan	5	5.58	4	Russian Federation	75	3.53	70
Singapore	6	5.48	7	Morocco	76	3.49	66
Iceland	7	5.48	10	Philippines	77	3.47	76
Switzerland	8	5.46	8	Algeria	78	3.46	71
Norway	9	5.40	6	Armenia	79	3.44	—
Australia	10	5.21	14	Serbia and Montenegro	80	3.38	89
Netherlands	11	5.21	12	Vietnam	81	3.37	77
Japan	12	5.18	9	Moldova	82	3.37	—
United Kingdom	13	5.11	11	Pakistan	83	3.33	91
Canada	14	5.10	15	Ukraine	84	3.30	86
Germany	15	5.10	13	Macedonia, FYR	85	3.26	84
New Zealand	16	5.09	18	Georgia	86	3.25	94
Korea, Rep.	17	5.07	29	Uganda	87	3.24	79
United Arab Emirates	18	4.99	16	Nigeria	88	3.23	93
Qatar	19	4.97	—	Venezuela	89	3.22	85
Estonia	20	4.95	20	Mali	90	3.22	88
Austria	21	4.95	17	Mozambique	91	3.19	92
Portugal	22	4.91	24	Kenya	92	3.19	78
Chile	23	4.91	22	Honduras	93	3.18	97
Malaysia	24	4.90	31	Gambia	94	3.18	75
Luxembourg	25	4.90	26	Bosnia and Herzegovina	95	3.17	81
Ireland	26	4.86	30	Mongolia	96	3.16	—
Israel	27	4.84	19	Guatemala	97	3.12	80
Hong Kong SAR	28	4.83	21	Sri Lanka	98	3.10	73
Spain	29	4.80	23	Nicaragua	99	3.08	95
France	30	4.78	27	Albania	100	3.07	—
Belgium	31	4.63	25	Bolivia	101	3.06	98
Slovenia	32	4.59	33	Dominican Republic	102	3.05	72
Kuwait	33	4.58	—	Ecuador	103	3.01	90
Cyprus	34	4.54	38	Tajikistan	104	3.01	—
Malta	35	4.54	32	Malawi	105	3.00	87
Thailand	36	4.50	34	Ethiopia	106	3.00	101
Bahrain	37	4.48	28	Madagascar	107	2.95	96
Czech Republic	38	4.42	40	East Timor	108	2.93	—
Hungary	39	4.38	39	Zimbabwe	109	2.89	99
Tunisia	40	4.32	42	Bangladesh	110	2.86	102
Slovak Republic	41	4.31	43	Cameroon	111	2.84	—
South Africa	42	4.31	41	Cambodia	112	2.82	—
Lithuania	43	4.30	36	Paraguay	113	2.80	100
Latvia	44	4.29	44	Benin	114	2.74	—
Jordan	45	4.28	35	Guyana	115	2.73	—
Greece	46	4.26	37	Kyrgyz Republic	116	2.62	—
Italy	47	4.21	47	Chad	117	2.37	104
Botswana	48	4.21	45				
China	49	4.07	46				
India	50	4.04	55				
Poland	51	4.00	60				
Mauritius	52	4.00	49				
Egypt	53	3.96	62				
Uruguay	54	3.93	54				
Mexico	55	3.92	48				
El Salvador	56	3.86	53				
Colombia	57	3.84	64				
Bulgaria	58	3.83	59				
Ghana	59	3.82	68				
Trinidad and Tobago	60	3.81	51				
Kazakhstan	61	3.77	—				
Croatia	62	3.74	61				
Namibia	63	3.72	52				
Costa Rica	64	3.72	50				
Brazil	65	3.69	57				
Turkey	66	3.68	66				
Romania	67	3.67	63				
Peru	68	3.66	67				
Azerbaijan	69	3.64	—				
Jamaica	70	3.64	65				

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