2026 IIAG Scorecard - Burundi

OVERALL GOVERNANCE

2025 SCORE/100	2025 RANK/54	CHANGE 2016-2025
41.0	43rd	+2.1

TREND

- Increasing Improvement
- Slowing Improvement
- Warning Signs
- Bouncing Back
- Slowing Deterioration
- Increasing Deterioration
- No Change
- Not Classified

SECURITY & RULE OF LAW

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
SECURITY & RULE OF LAW	33.8	45	+1.6
SECURITY & SAFETY	68.0	36	+3.0
Absence of Armed Conflict	96.1	35	+6.8
Absence of Violence against Civilians	57.4	44	+15.0
Absence of Forced Migration	77.6	44	+5.0
Absence of Human Trafficking & Forced Labour	35.9	45	-11.0
Absence of Crime	73.2	7	-0.4
Public Perception of Security & Safety	.	.	.
RULE OF LAW & JUSTICE	30.4	44	+7.7
Executive Compliance with the Rule of Law	46.7	27	+12.1
Impartiality of the Judicial System	12.6	50	+4.6
Judicial Processes	11.1	53	+3.7
Equality before the Law	33.3	35	0.0
Law Enforcement	25.7	41	+11.3
Property Rights	52.9	33	+14.4
Public Perception of the Rule of Law	.	.	.
ACCOUNTABILITY & TRANSPARENCY	13.4	49	-7.7
Institutional Checks & Balances	13.1	51	-10.5
Absence of Undue Influence	7.4	37	-8.3
Civic Checks & Balances	22.1	49	-16.6
Disclosure of Public Records	11.3	51	+0.4
Accessibility of Public Records	13.0	43	-3.8
Public Perception of Accountability	.	.	.
ANTI-CORRUPTION	23.5	45	+3.4
Anti-Corruption Mechanisms	6.3	49	-9.8
Absence of Corruption in State Institutions	24.9	43	+10.9
Absence of Corruption in the Public Sector	29.4	36	+22.2
Public Procurement Procedures	25.0	30	-12.5
Absence of Corruption in the Private Sector	32.0	38	+6.2
Public Perception of Anti-Corruption	.	.	.

FOUNDATIONS FOR ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
FOUNDATIONS FOR ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY	45.6	40	+6.5
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	49.8	33	+2.4
Civil Registration	75.0	10	0.0
Capacity of the Statistical System	37.2	42	+0.5
Effective Administration	27.1	47	+2.3
Tax & Revenue Mobilisation	55.5	20	+4.8
Budgetary & Financial Management	54.2	39	+4.2
Public Perception of Easiness to Obtain an Identity Document	.	.	.
BUSINESS & LABOUR ENVIRONMENT	34.4	44	+0.7
Regional Integration	63.8	8	+0.9
Economic Diversification	62.2	31	+3.9
Business & Competition Regulations	41.5	43	-6.3
Access to Banking Services	2.1	50	+0.3
Labour Relations	23.5	46	+3.0
Secure Employment Opportunities	13.3	49	+2.3
Public Perception of Economic Opportunities	.	.	.
INFRASTRUCTURE	28.1	45	+11.7
Transport Network	30.9	17	+11.9
Access to Energy	3.9	53	+1.6
Mobile Communications	48.4	52	+16.4
Internet	3.5	52	-1.2
Shipping & Postal Network	53.8	10	+29.7
Public Perception of Infrastructure	.	.	.
RURAL ECONOMY	70.3	16	+11.6
Rural Land & Water Access	73.8	17	+16.1
Rural Market Access	54.1	18	-21.7
Rural Economy Support	76.5	15	+15.0
Rural Representation & Participation	76.9	16	+37.1

PARTICIPATION, RIGHTS & INCLUSION

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
PARTICIPATION, RIGHTS & INCLUSION	38.4	40	-1.6
PARTICIPATION	12.7	50	+0.9
Freedom of Association & Assembly	0.0	42	0.0
Political Pluralism	12.6	50	-2.8
Civil Society Space	6.5	52	-2.1
Democratic Elections	24.2	36	+0.7
Deliberative & Participatory Governance	20.1	50	+8.6
Public Perception of Political Participation	.	.	.
RIGHTS	31.1	43	+4.9
Personal Liberties	33.8	36	+19.2
Freedom of Expression & Belief	41.0	37	-5.8
Media Freedom	35.0	47	-8.3
Digital Freedom	34.4	42	+8.2
Protection against Discrimination	11.1	33	+11.1
Public Perception of Freedom of Speech	.	.	.
INCLUSION & EQUALITY	31.1	43	-14.6
Equal Political Power	30.9	37	-9.1
Equal Political Representation	46.0	21	-20.9
Equal Civil Liberties	28.6	52	-10.9
Equal Socioeconomic Opportunities	11.6	52	-29.3
Equal Access to Public Services	38.1	28	-2.9
Public Perception of Inclusion & Equality	.	.	.
WOMEN'S EQUALITY	79.0	4	+2.7
Political Power & Representation of Women	66.3	9	+10.2
Rights & Civil Liberties for Women	70.9	34	-1.1
Socioeconomic Opportunity for Women	64.7	9	+5.5
Access to Public Services for Women	93.2	1	-1.1
Laws on Violence against Women	100.0	1	0.0
Public Perception of Female Leadership	.	.	.

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT	46.2	41	+1.7
HEALTH	51.8	40	-1.8
Access to Healthcare	38.1	34	-9.0
Access to Water & Sanitation	40.3	39	+2.3
Control of Communicable Diseases	82.5	21	+0.2
Control of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs)	76.1	15	-2.6
Child & Maternal Health	50.0	50	+3.8
Health Quality	23.8	46	-5.4
Public Perception of Health Provision	.	.	.
EDUCATION	44.7	36	+0.8
Equality in Education	41.9	31	+4.9
Education Enrolment	17.6	41	-5.8
Education Completion	.	.	.
Human Resources in Education	81.9	26	-5.3
Education Quality	37.5	32	+9.6
Public Perception of Education Provision	.	.	.
SOCIAL PROTECTION & WELFARE	42.7	43	+4.5
Social Safety	22.6	39	+4.1
Poverty Reduction Policies	38.1	38	-8.6
Socioeconomic Inequality Mitigation	60.1	26	-1.2
Decent Housing	50.0	45	+23.6
Food Security	.	.	.
Public Perception of Social Protection & Lived Poverty	.	.	.
SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT	45.5	41	+3.3
Promotion of Environmental Sustainability	56.0	25	+6.4
Enforcement of Environmental Policies	.	.	.
Air Quality	31.2	43	+2.5
Sustainable Use of Land & Forests	42.6	47	+6.2
Land & Water Biodiversity Protection	52.4	17	-1.6