

2026 IIAG Scorecard - DR Congo

OVERALL GOVERNANCE

2025 SCORE/100	2025 RANK/54	CHANGE 2016-2025
34.0	48 th	-0.3

TREND

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

SECURITY & RULE OF LAW

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
SECURITY & RULE OF LAW	27.7	50	-4.3
SECURITY & SAFETY	45.7	50	-12.8
Absence of Armed Conflict	43.9	52	-27.8
Absence of Violence against Civilians	31.2	51	-24.0
Absence of Forced Migration	74.9	46	-5.0
Absence of Human Trafficking & Forced Labour	32.7	46	-6.2
Absence of Crime	45.5	51	-1.4
Public Perception of Security & Safety	.	.	.
RULE OF LAW & JUSTICE	23.3	50	-5.5
Executive Compliance with the Rule of Law	35.8	44	+1.4
Impartiality of the Judicial System	15.7	47	-29.6
Judicial Processes	31.9	40	+2.8
Equality before the Law	16.7	44	-4.5
Law Enforcement	20.9	51	-4.4
Property Rights	18.7	51	+1.2
Public Perception of the Rule of Law	.	.	.
ACCOUNTABILITY & TRANSPARENCY	25.9	39	+1.1
Institutional Checks & Balances	28.7	32	+6.1
Absence of Undue Influence	7.4	37	-4.6
Civic Checks & Balances	37.9	41	-0.4
Disclosure of Public Records	31.1	33	+8.8
Accessibility of Public Records	24.3	35	-4.8
Public Perception of Accountability	.	.	.
ANTI-CORRUPTION	15.9	51	+0.1
Anti-Corruption Mechanisms	9.8	44	0.0
Absence of Corruption in State Institutions	13.6	53	+7.4
Absence of Corruption in the Public Sector	17.1	51	+4.0
Public Procurement Procedures	15.7	45	-14.9
Absence of Corruption in the Private Sector	23.3	44	+4.0
Public Perception of Anti-Corruption	.	.	.

FOUNDATIONS FOR ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
FOUNDATIONS FOR ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY	31.5	50	-2.8
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	43.1	43	-3.0
Civil Registration	62.5	28	-12.5
Capacity of the Statistical System	38.4	40	+11.0
Effective Administration	32.1	44	-1.6
Tax & Revenue Mobilisation	29.6	48	-5.1
Budgetary & Financial Management	52.8	41	-6.9
Public Perception of Easiness to Obtain an Identity Document	.	.	.
BUSINESS & LABOUR ENVIRONMENT	30.4	48	-1.4
Regional Integration	29.2	41	-2.1
Economic Diversification	36.6	47	-13.5
Business & Competition Regulations	42.5	41	+8.1
Access to Banking Services	16.6	41	+6.8
Labour Relations	48.0	33	-5.5
Secure Employment Opportunities	9.8	51	-1.5
Public Perception of Economic Opportunities	.	.	.
INFRASTRUCTURE	21.7	52	+1.8
Transport Network	14.5	43	+4.8
Access to Energy	11.8	48	+3.0
Mobile Communications	51.2	50	+16.5
Internet	16.0	46	-15.6
Shipping & Postal Network	14.9	48	+0.1
Public Perception of Infrastructure	.	.	.
RURAL ECONOMY	30.8	42	-8.6
Rural Land & Water Access	19.4	42	-14.4
Rural Market Access	18.9	36	-40.4
Rural Economy Support	30.1	43	-13.2
Rural Representation & Participation	54.6	38	+33.5

PARTICIPATION, RIGHTS & INCLUSION

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
PARTICIPATION, RIGHTS & INCLUSION	37.0	41	+4.0
PARTICIPATION	27.6	41	+5.7
Freedom of Association & Assembly	12.5	30	0.0
Political Pluralism	22.3	41	+4.9
Civil Society Space	26.1	39	-4.7
Democratic Elections	29.7	31	+8.4
Deliberative & Participatory Governance	47.4	36	+19.7
Public Perception of Political Participation	.	.	.
RIGHTS	39.7	33	-0.5
Personal Liberties	30.8	39	+5.3
Freedom of Expression & Belief	55.2	28	-3.7
Media Freedom	41.5	39	-7.5
Digital Freedom	48.7	29	+14.2
Protection against Discrimination	22.2	24	-11.1
Public Perception of Freedom of Speech	.	.	.
INCLUSION & EQUALITY	29.1	44	+4.0
Equal Political Power	31.9	36	+0.6
Equal Political Representation	33.4	36	+4.2
Equal Civil Liberties	36.3	40	-1.9
Equal Socioeconomic Opportunities	13.0	51	-0.5
Equal Access to Public Services	31.1	34	+17.7
Public Perception of Inclusion & Equality	.	.	.
WOMEN'S EQUALITY	51.8	38	+6.9
Political Power & Representation of Women	45.1	36	+22.8
Rights & Civil Liberties for Women	68.0	36	-0.3
Socioeconomic Opportunity for Women	22.5	51	-13.9
Access to Public Services for Women	43.3	27	+6.0
Laws on Violence against Women	80.0	29	+20.0
Public Perception of Female Leadership	.	.	.

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT	39.8	49	+1.9
HEALTH	43.5	51	+2.9
Access to Healthcare	40.2	31	+2.9
Access to Water & Sanitation	22.0	49	-0.2
Control of Communicable Diseases	56.1	50	+13.1
Control of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs)	63.3	40	-6.2
Child & Maternal Health	51.7	47	+3.6
Health Quality	27.5	42	+3.7
Public Perception of Health Provision	.	.	.
EDUCATION	47.8	32	-1.1
Equality in Education	35.7	39	+2.4
Education Enrolment	34.9	24	+2.4
Education Completion	59.8	11	+4.8
Human Resources in Education	81.3	28	-11.6
Education Quality	27.2	40	-3.4
Public Perception of Education Provision	.	.	.
SOCIAL PROTECTION & WELFARE	34.5	50	+2.3
Social Safety	8.3	52	0.0
Poverty Reduction Policies	35.0	42	+3.7
Socioeconomic Inequality Mitigation	51.3	39	-2.5
Decent Housing	41.8	50	+20.2
Food Security	36.3	49	-9.8
Public Perception of Social Protection & Lived Poverty	.	.	.
SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT	33.5	49	+3.8
Promotion of Environmental Sustainability	38.9	46	+3.6
Enforcement of Environmental Policies	45.4	32	+2.0
Air Quality	28.4	45	+5.7
Sustainable Use of Land & Forests	37.4	49	+8.5
Land & Water Biodiversity Protection	17.4	52	-1.0