

2026 IIAG Scorecard - Niger

OVERALL GOVERNANCE

2025 SCORE/100	2025 RANK/54	CHANGE 2016-2025
45.6	33 rd	-2.1

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	42.8	35	-8.6
SECURITY & SAFETY	68.3	35	-8.4
Absence of Armed Conflict	81.9	45	-9.6
Absence of Violence against Civilians	66.6	40	-15.4
Absence of Forced Migration	89.4	31	-6.9
Absence of Human Trafficking & Forced Labour	44.7	37	-4.1
Absence of Crime	55.1	43	-0.6
Public Perception of Security & Safety	72.0	3	-13.7
RULE OF LAW & JUSTICE	42.3	27	-0.8
Executive Compliance with the Rule of Law	46.6	28	-20.9
Impartiality of the Judicial System	33.8	38	-13.1
Judicial Processes	49.6	22	+6.0
Equality before the Law	50.0	23	+2.9
Law Enforcement	28.1	38	+7.0
Property Rights	53.8	31	+12.8
Public Perception of the Rule of Law	34.3	26	-0.5
ACCOUNTABILITY & TRANSPARENCY	23.7	41	-15.9
Institutional Checks & Balances	22.2	42	-48.7
Absence of Undue Influence	0.0	46	-47.2
Civic Checks & Balances	42.9	32	-14.5
Disclosure of Public Records	14.8	46	-0.1
Accessibility of Public Records	22.4	37	+11.8
Public Perception of Accountability	39.9	23	+3.4
ANTI-CORRUPTION	37.0	29	-9.3
Anti-Corruption Mechanisms	7.1	48	-22.4
Absence of Corruption in State Institutions	51.7	20	+2.0
Absence of Corruption in the Public Sector	44.4	19	-5.6
Public Procurement Procedures	15.0	46	-34.1
Absence of Corruption in the Private Sector	40.0	28	0.0
Public Perception of Anti-Corruption	63.6	7	+4.2

FOUNDATIONS FOR ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
FOUNDATIONS FOR ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY	48.9	31	+4.4
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	59.4	21	+2.9
Civil Registration	62.5	28	0.0
Capacity of the Statistical System	60.0	17	+21.4
Effective Administration	53.6	22	+0.7
Tax & Revenue Mobilisation	36.6	39	-6.9
Budgetary & Financial Management	61.1	26	-11.1
Public Perception of Ease to Obtain an Identity Document	82.8	3	+13.7
BUSINESS & LABOUR ENVIRONMENT	45.1	29	+4.6
Regional Integration	41.9	29	-0.5
Economic Diversification	65.2	24	-4.5
Business & Competition Regulations	68.4	10	+2.8
Access to Banking Services	5.1	49	0.0
Labour Relations	50.0	25	0.0
Secure Employment Opportunities	25.8	46	+8.3
Public Perception of Economic Opportunities	59.3	5	+26.2
INFRASTRUCTURE	27.8	48	+8.6
Transport Network	3.6	51	-0.3
Access to Energy	10.8	49	+3.0
Mobile Communications	51.8	49	+19.7
Internet	25.6	43	+3.6
Shipping & Postal Network	16.6	46	+2.3
Public Perception of Infrastructure	58.2	11	+23.2
RURAL ECONOMY	63.1	26	+1.3
Rural Land & Water Access	59.2	32	+0.1
Rural Market Access	54.1	18	-18.8
Rural Economy Support	66.1	28	+18.2
Rural Representation & Participation	73.1	23	+6.0

PARTICIPATION, RIGHTS & INCLUSION

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
PARTICIPATION, RIGHTS & INCLUSION	43.6	32	-9.8
PARTICIPATION	41.8	24	-14.0
Freedom of Association & Assembly	25.0	21	-12.5
Political Pluralism	43.7	20	-8.7
Civil Society Space	36.5	31	-26.1
Democratic Elections	9.2	49	-31.5
Deliberative & Participatory Governance	71.0	13	-10.9
Public Perception of Political Participation	65.7	16	+6.3
RIGHTS	55.0	20	-0.6
Personal Liberties	39.4	28	-7.6
Freedom of Expression & Belief	60.3	22	-14.9
Media Freedom	50.8	27	-18.6
Digital Freedom	56.7	26	+11.1
Protection against Discrimination	44.4	12	+11.1
Public Perception of Freedom of Speech	78.3	12	+15.1
INCLUSION & EQUALITY	41.3	32	-15.6
Equal Political Power	47.4	23	-4.0
Equal Political Representation	21.6	48	-15.4
Equal Civil Liberties	65.6	20	-9.1
Equal Socioeconomic Opportunities	49.8	28	-24.5
Equal Access to Public Services	22.3	45	-30.9
Public Perception of Inclusion & Equality	41.0	29	-9.6
WOMEN'S EQUALITY	36.3	49	-8.8
Political Power & Representation of Women	34.0	47	-2.2
Rights & Civil Liberties for Women	44.6	47	-11.2
Socioeconomic Opportunity for Women	34.0	42	-34.5
Access to Public Services for Women	11.8	49	-18.1
Laws on Violence against Women	60.0	42	0.0
Public Perception of Female Leadership	33.4	31	+12.9

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

	SCORE/100 2025	RANK/54 2025	CHANGE 2016-2025
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT	47.3	39	+5.7
HEALTH	51.3	42	+6.6
Access to Healthcare	27.3	41	+1.0
Access to Water & Sanitation	19.2	52	+6.4
Control of Communicable Diseases	64.5	47	+11.0
Control of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs)	73.5	20	-1.7
Child & Maternal Health	47.0	53	+0.4
Health Quality	51.3	14	+7.1
Public Perception of Health Provision	76.2	3	+21.8
EDUCATION	36.6	42	+5.1
Equality in Education	38.0	36	+13.0
Education Enrolment	4.5	46	-2.6
Education Completion	15.4	28	+5.6
Human Resources in Education	89.0	14	+5.1
Education Quality	1.2	49	-0.7
Public Perception of Education Provision	71.7	7	+10.6
SOCIAL PROTECTION & WELFARE	49.8	31	+0.9
Social Safety	22.6	39	-8.4
Poverty Reduction Policies	38.2	37	-1.9
Socioeconomic Inequality Mitigation	68.6	13	+6.9
Decent Housing	58.2	35	+1.1
Food Security	68.2	20	-2.9
Public Perception of Social Protection & Lived Poverty	43.3	15	+11.2
SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT	51.3	28	+9.9
Promotion of Environmental Sustainability	58.7	21	+9.9
Enforcement of Environmental Policies	51.2	25	+19.4
Air Quality	11.9	51	+6.3
Sustainable Use of Land & Forests	66.7	17	+5.6
Land & Water Biodiversity Protection	67.9	4	+8.0