

Quick Facts

CPIA Score

3.4

Above IDA Avg.

Change from previous year

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No change

Highest performing cluster

3.7

(Economic Management)

Lowest performing clusters

3.2

(Structural Policies and Public Sector Management and Institutions)

Population (millions)	27.2
GDP (current US\$, billions)	16.8
GDP per capita (current US\$)	618.3
International poverty rate (US\$2.15) (% of population)	52

Country Policy and Institutional Assessment 2023

Indicator	Niger	West and Central Africa	SSA IDA Average	IDA Borrowers Average
Economic Management	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.2
Monetary and Exchange Rate Policy	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.4
Fiscal Policy	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.0
Debt Policy and Management	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.1
Structural Policies	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2
Trade	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.7
Financial Sector	2.0	2.8	2.7	2.8
Business Regulatory Environment	3.5	3.2	3.0	3.0
Policies for Social Inclusion and Equity	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3
Gender Equality	3.0	3.3	3.3	3.3
Equity of Public Resource Use	4.5	3.6	3.4	3.4
Building Human Resources	3.0	3.6	3.6	3.6
Social Protection and Labor	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.0
Policies and Institutions for Environmental Sustainability	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.2
Public Sector Management and Institutions	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.9
Property Rights and Rule-Based Governance	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.8
Quality of Budgetary and Financial Management	3.5	3.2	2.9	3.0
Efficiency of Revenue Mobilization	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.3
Quality of Public Administration	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.8
Transparency, Accountability, and Corruption in the Public Sector	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.8
Overall CPIA Score	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.1

Definitions:

- CPIA: Country Policy and Institutional Assessment
- IDA: International Development Association, the arm of the World Bank Group that provides credits to the poorest countries
- SSA: Sub-Saharan Africa

- Poverty data are based on the MFM Database, Macro-Poverty Outlook, World Bank, spring 2024. Poverty data are expressed in 2017 purchasing power parity.
- The cutoff date for the World Development Indicators database is July 2024.

Average scores for comparisons refer to country groupings as follows:

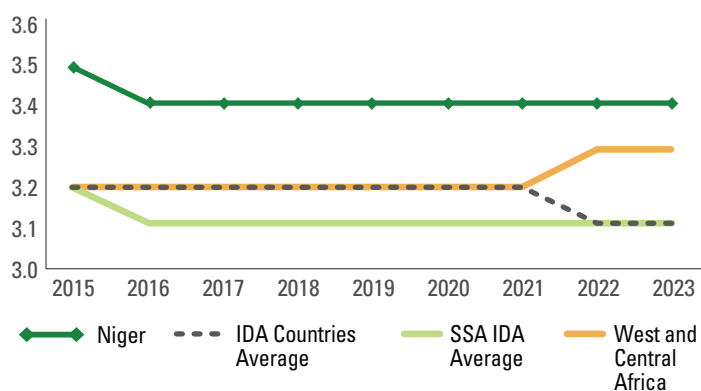
- IDA Borrowing Countries: 74 countries eligible for IDA credits and with CPIA scores in 2023
- SSA IDA Countries: 39 SSA IDA countries that had CPIA scores in 2023
- West and Central Africa: 20 SSA IDA countries with CPIA scores in 2023
- East and Southern Africa: 19 SSA IDA countries with CPIA scores in 2023

Highlights

- ▶ Following the July 26 coup, the country defaulted on external and domestic debt due to the loss of access to its Treasury Account and financing sources because of WAEMU financial sanctions, with significant impacts on growth.
- ▶ The imposition of financial sanctions led to a decrease in trust and international trade.
- ▶ The rise in informal financial flows increases the risk of money laundering and financial terrorism, undermining the integrity of the country's financial system.
- ▶ Persistent weaknesses in property rights enforcement, judicial system independence, and integrity in the management of public resources require targeted and immediate policy actions.

Trend

OVERALL CPIA SCORES



Progress

CHANGE IN CPIA SCORES FROM 2015 TO 2023

