

Quantitative research, Indices and Surveys

Quantitative research // Qualitative Research // Philosophical Research

Following the classical dogma of empirism ("Only those facts exist, who are allowed by the method of me and my fellows") economic researchers in general only collect and interpret statistical facts. Econometrics became more and more important and today are the base for most of the economic research.

Cultures of Corruption, provided by Edward Miguel, California 2006 - sorry, very slow website

Energy in the Mediterran area, provided by The Club of Rome, Hamburg 2006

This is an economic research too: a forecast on the potential of Solar - Download PDF (340KB)

What to know about Shadow Economies, provided by Friedrich Schneider, University of Linz, 2006 - Download PDF (303KB)

What you should know about Mainstream Benchmark Indices

The most popular Indices in Global Economy are rankings and will be mentioned here. The Global Freeware Index is on the way to contribute a Global Index Benchmark - the best way to compare the intention and the results of competing Indices.

The following Indices will be featured here and prepared for you to download:

- 1) The Global Competitiveness Report, provided by the World Economic Forum, Davos, Switzerland - Download XLS (56,5KB)
- 2) The Environmental Sustainability Index, provided by Yale and Columbia University - Download PDF (2.702KB)
- 3) The Shadow Economies Index, provided by the University of Linz, Austria - Download PDF (331KB)
- 4) The World Bank Development Index, provided by the World Bank, Washington D.C. - Download XLS (32KB)
- 5) The Bertelsmann Transformation Atlas, provided by the Bertelsmann Foundation, Gütersloh, Germany - Download Flash File (4,15MB)

Further Indices and Surveys

- 6) Country Policy & Institutional Assessment
- 7) Afrobarometer Survey
- 8) Country Policy & Institutional Assessment
- 9) Business Enterprise Environment Survey
- 10) Business Risk Service
- 11) Bertelsmann Transformation Index
- 12) Countries at the Crossroads
- 13) State Capacity Project
- 14) Global Risk Service
- 15) Transition Report
- 16) Global E-Governance
- 17) Country Risk Service
- 18) Nations in Transition

- 19) Freedom in the World
- 20) Voice of the People Survey
- 21) Global Competitiveness Report
- 22) Economic Freedom Index
- 23) Human Rights Dataset
- 24) Country Security Risk Assessment
- 25) Latinobarometro Surveys
- 26) Grey Area Dynamics
- 27) Media Sustainability Index
- 28) Country Policy & Institutional Assessments
- 29) Corruption Survey
- 30) International Country Risk Guide
- 31) Qualitative Risk Measure
- 32) Reporters Without Borders
- 33) Trafficking in People Report
- 34) World Business Environment Survey
- 35) World Competitiveness Yearbook
- 36) Business Conditions and Risk