

## Good Governance Index 2021

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Recently, Union Minister of Home Affairs released the Good Governance Index 2021.



[Ref: Hindustan Times]

### About Good Governance Index (GGI):

- GGI is a framework to assess the **State of Governance** across the States and UTs which enables ranking of States/Districts.
- **Prepared by:** Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG).
- **Aim:** To create a tool that can be used uniformly across the States to assess the impact of various interventions taken up by the Central and State Governments including UTs.
- The Index provides a comparative picture among the states while developing a competitive spirit for improvement.

### Indicators:

- The GGI 2019 encompassed **10 Governance Sectors** and 50 Governance Indicators.
- For GGI 2020-21, the same Governance Sectors are retained while indicators have been revised to 58.

#	Sectors	No. of Indicators	
		2019	2020-21
1	Agriculture and Allied Sector	6	8
2	Commerce and Industry	3	5
3	Human Resource Development	6	7
4	Public Health	6	6
5	Public Infrastructure and Utilities	9	6
6	Economic Governance	4	4
7	Social Welfare and Development	8	10
8	Judiciary and Public Safety	5	5
9	Environment	2	4
10	Citizen Centric Governance	1	3
	Total	50	58

[Ref: DARPG]

### Key Highlights:

### Other States-Group A

- **Gujarat**, Maharashtra and Goa top the composite rank score covering 10 sectors.
- It registered 12.3 percent increase and Goa registered 24.7 percent increase over GGI 2019 indicators.
- Gujarat has performed strongly in 5 of the 10 sectors including **economic governance**, human resource development, public infrastructure and utilities etc.

**Other States – Group A**

Rank	States
1	Gujarat
2	Maharashtra
3	Goa
4	Haryana
5	Kerala
6	Karnataka
7	Tamil Nadu
8	Punjab
9	Telangana
10	Andhra Pradesh

[Ref: DARPG]

**Other States – Group B**

- **Top 3 states:** Madhya Pradesh followed by Rajasthan and Chhattisgarh

**Other States – Group B**

Rank	States
1	Madhya Pradesh
2	Rajasthan
3	Chhattisgarh
4	Jharkhand
5	Uttar Pradesh
6	Bihar
7	Odisha
8	West Bengal

[Ref: DARPG]

### North-East and Hill States

- **Top 3 states:** Himachal Pradesh, Mizoram and Uttarakhand
- **Mizoram and Jammu and Kashmir** have registered an overall increase of 10.4% and 3.7% respectively over GGI 2019.

North-East and Hill States	
Rank	States
1	Himachal Pradesh
2	Mizoram
3	Uttarakhand
4	Tripura
5	Sikkim
6	J & K
7	Assam
8	Nagaland
9	Manipur
10	Meghalaya
11	Arunachal Pradesh

[Ref: DARPG]

### Union Territories

- **Delhi** tops the composite rank registering a 14 percent increase over the GGI 2019 indicators.
  - It has performed strongly in Agriculture & Allied Sectors, Commerce & Industry, Public Infrastructure and Utilities and **Social Welfare & Development**.

## UTs

Rank	States
1	Delhi
2	Puducherry
3	Daman & Diu
4	Chandigarh
5	A&N Islands
6	D&N Haveli
7	Lakshadweep

[Ref: DARPG]