



# The Bahamas

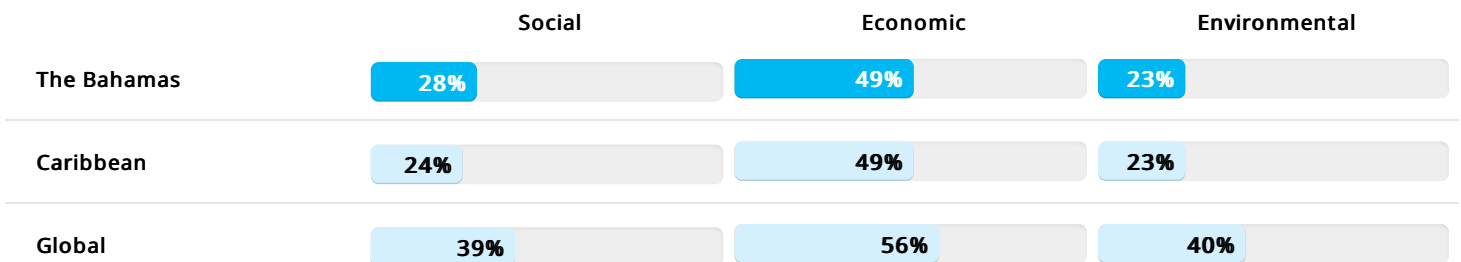
National Statistics Office of The Bahamas  
<http://www.bahamas.gov.bs/statistics>

**134** RANK  
out of 178

**34** COVERAGE  
subscore

**32** OPENNESS  
subscore

## SCORES BY MAJOR DATA CATEGORY



## SUMMARY

The Bahamas ranks 134 in the Open Data Inventory 2018 with an overall score of 33%. The overall score is a combination of a data coverage subscore of 34% and a data openness subscore of 32%.

The Bahamas scores higher than the regional median across all three major data categories. Within the country, the highest levels of coverage and openness are on economic statistics and the lowest levels are on environmental statistics.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

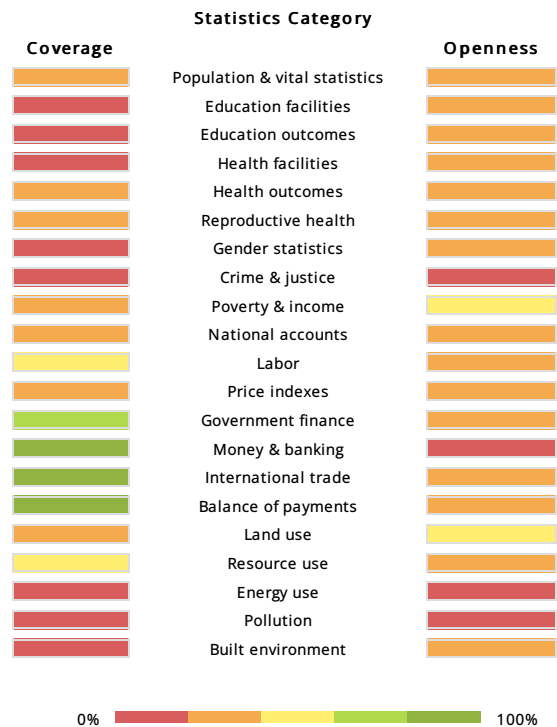
### Coverage

- Collect and publish more disaggregated data in social and environmental statistics.
- Collect and publish more recent data in social and environmental statistics.

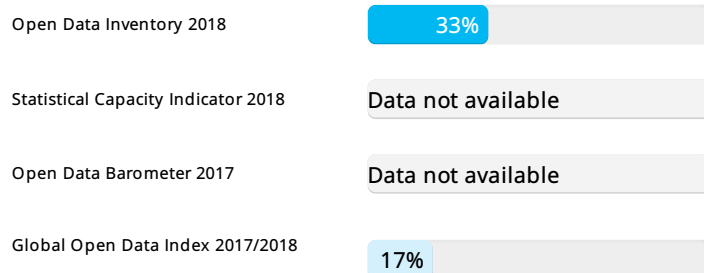
### Openness

- Create a clear and open terms of use policy, such as CC BY 4.0, for all websites publishing official statistics.
- Publish more environmental data in machine-readable and non-proprietary formats such as XLSX, CSV, or JSON.

## COVERAGE & OPENNESS



## INDEX COMPARISONS



## MORE INFORMATION

**National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (NSDS):** No strategy.

**General/Special Data Dissemination System (GDDS/SDDS):** e-GDDS Participant.

**Open Government Partnership:** Not a member.

**Right to Information Law:** Law exists; [https://www.rti-rating.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/Bahamas.RTI\\_2017.pdf](https://www.rti-rating.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/Bahamas.RTI_2017.pdf)