COUNTRY PROFILE





National Statistics Office of Cameroon http://www.statistics-cameroon.org

82 RANK out of 173

37 COVERAGE subscore

47 OPENNESS

SCORES BY MAJOR DATA CATEGORY

	Social	Economic	Environmental
Cameroon	46%	43%	30%
Middle Africa	38%	28%	16%
Global	38%	48%	33%

SUMMARY

Cameroon ranks 82 in the Open Data Inventory 2016 with an overall score of 40%. The overall score is a combination of a data coverage subscore of 37% and a data openness subscore of 42%.

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

RECOMMENDATIONS

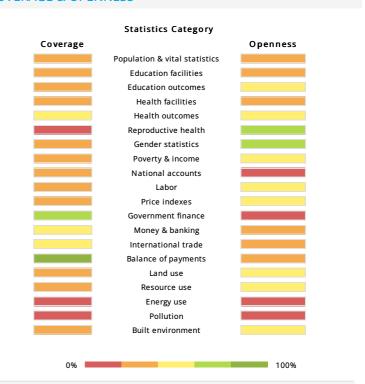
Coverage

- Collect and publish more disaggregated data in environmental statistics
- Collect and publish more recent data across all data categories.

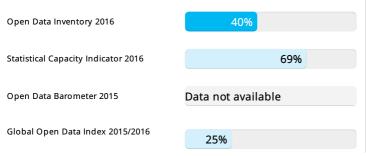
Openness

- 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 nonproprietary formats such as XLSX, CSV, or JSON.

COVERAGE & OPENNESS



INDEX COMPARISONS



MORE INFORMATION

National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (NSDS): Current strategy covers the period 2014-2020 (awaiting adoption).

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

Open Government Partnership: Not a member.

Right to Information Law: Not available.

