Comparative Analysis:

**Corruption Perceptions Index - Rank (1= "Very Clean")**

![Graph showing Corruption Perceptions Index rankings from 2005 to 2011. The rankings range from 130 to 180, with 152 in 2005 and 2011, and 168 in 2007, 2008, and 2009.](image)

Source: Open Data for Africa; Author: Ivan Kolesnikov

**Human Development Index - Trends (1= Highest; E.G. = 0.537; U.S. = 0.910)**

![Graph showing Human Development Index trends from 1980 to 2010. The graph indicates a general increase in HDI for the region and country.](image)

- Sub-Saharan Africa
- Medium human development
- World
- Equatorial Guinea

The HDI represents a push for a broader definition of well-being and provides a composite measure of three basic dimensions of human development: health, education and income. Equatorial Guinea’s HDI is 0.537, which gives the country a rank of 136 out of 187 countries with comparable data. The HDI of Sub-Saharan Africa as a region increased from 0.365 in 1980 to 0.463 today, placing Equatorial Guinea above the regional average. The HDI trends tell an important story both at the national and regional level and highlight the very large gaps in well-being and life chances that continue to divide our interconnected world.