



Country: Belgium

General information

Type of government: federal parliamentary democracy with a constitutional monarchy

Current leader: Alexander De Croo

Number of inhabitants: 11.5 millions

Secular or religious state? secular

Main political beliefs and values: democracy, diversity, international cooperation

Economic situation: good

International position

Influence on a world scale: average

Major strengths: strategic location, economic stability, European union membership, multilingual and multicultural society, quality of life, innovation and research, political stability

Major weaknesses: political complexity, high public debt, tax burden, competitive labour costs, traffic and infrastructure issues, education system challenges, security concerns

Main allies: EU, NATO, United States, United Nations, African, Caribbean, and Pacific Group of States (ACP)

Main enemies: no official enemy

Major conflicts and tensions it is/has been involved in: World War I, World War II, Congo Crisis, Rwandan Genocide

Internal situation

	GOOD	FLAWED	BAD
Press rights	x		
Access to education	x		
Access to healthcare	x		
Women's rights	x		
Minorities' rights	x	x	
Civil/ Justice rights	x		
Ecology	x	x	



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Technological situation	x		
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Sources & useful links

[Home | Belgium.be](#) ; [Belgium | Data \(worldbank.org\)](#) ; [Belgium | OHCHR](#) ; [Belgium | OHCHR](#) ; [The ranking | RSE](#) ; [Belgium | Data \(worldbank.org\)](#) ; [Belgium \(who.int\)](#) ; [Gender Mainstreaming Approach - Belgium \(europa.eu\)](#) ; [Human rights in Belgium Amnesty International](#) ; [Belgium - Wikipedia](#) ; [Foreign relations of Belgium - Wikipedia](#)

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