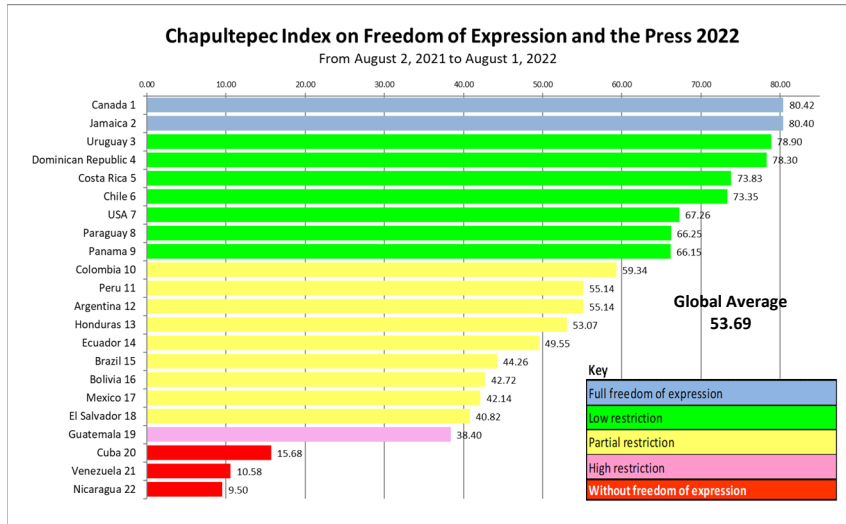


CHAPULTEPEC INDEX

on Freedom of Expression and the Press

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REALM C: "Violence and impunity"	42,0	12,0
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Direct control	16,0	10,7
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Influence of environments on unfavorable situations to freedom of expression

(Scale 1 to 10, where 10 is very influential)

(Value "0" for cases where there is no unfavorable influence)

ECUADOR	LEGISLATIVE ENVIRONMENT	JUDICIAL ENVIRONMENT	EXECUTIVE ENVIRONMENT
Degree of Unfavorable Influence	2,69	2,17	2,66
REALM A: "Citizens informed and free to express themselves"	3,33	3,08	3,08
REALM B: Exercise of Journalism	3,33	3,00	4,00
REALM C: Violence and Impunity	3,78	2,28	2,22
REALM D: Control over the media	0,33	0,33	1,33

Type of Influence	Points
SLIGHT INFLUENCE	0,1 - 2,50
MODERATE INFLUENCE	2,51 - 5,00
STRONG INFLUENCE	5,01 - 7,50
VERY STRONG INFLUENCE	7,51 - 10,00

