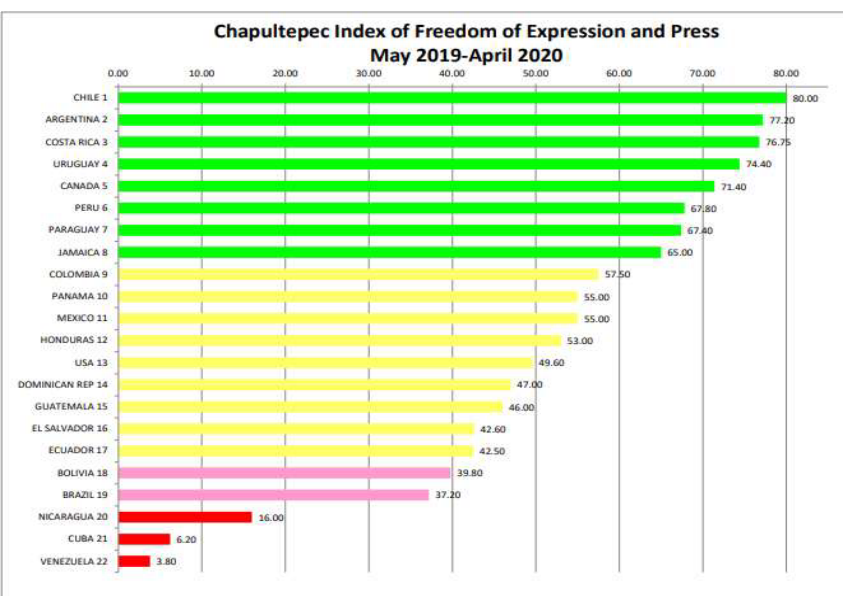


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### Influence of environments on unfavorable situations to freedom of expression

(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	4.47	4.89	5.88
REALM A: "Citizens informed and free to express themselves"	4.55	5.26	6.85
Flow of information	4.60	4.10	6.40
Free Expression	4.50	6.42	7.29
REALM B: Exercise of Journalism	5.83	5.97	7.33
REALM C: Violence and Impunity	4.78	5.39	5.82
Protection	3.83	4.17	4.96
Persecution	6.00	6.25	6.25
Impunity	4.50	5.75	6.25
REALM D: Control over the media	3.10	2.98	4.29
Direct control	4.88	4.63	6.25
Indirect control	1.33	1.33	2.33

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

