

**Table 1:** What measures were collected/collated and by who (evidence-based)[4]

<b>Name of measure</b>	<b>Who is gathering the data?</b>	<b>How was this measure/the results reported?</b>	<b>Key links</b>
Gay Friendliness Index	J. Corrales	Corrales, 2009	<a href="https://www.amherst.edu/media/view/95641/original/Corrales%20Gay%20Friendliness%20Index.pdf">https://www.amherst.edu/media/view/95641/original/Corrales%20Gay%20Friendliness%20Index.pdf</a>
Australian Workplace Equality Index (AWEI)	Pride In Diversity	Pride In Diversity reports and awards; press releases and articles in media	<a href="http://www.prideindiversity.com.au/storage/AWEI%202015%20Submission%20Document%20-All%20Employers%20-%20v1.1.docx">http://www.prideindiversity.com.au/storage/AWEI%202015%20Submission%20Document%20-All%20Employers%20-%20v1.1.docx</a>
Barometer of Gay Rights (BGR)	S. Dicklitch, B. Yost & B.M. Dougan	Academic journals	<a href="http://muse.jhu.edu/journals/human_rights_quarterly/v034/34.2.dicklitch.html">http://muse.jhu.edu/journals/human_rights_quarterly/v034/34.2.dicklitch.html</a>
Best place in America for gay rights	JR Thorpe for Bustle.com	Website	<a href="http://www.bustle.com/articles/26983-whats-the-best-state-in-america-for-gay-rights-the-12-best-places-for-lgbt-rights">http://www.bustle.com/articles/26983-whats-the-best-state-in-america-for-gay-rights-the-12-best-places-for-lgbt-rights</a>
Campus Pride Index	Campus Pride	Searchable website and 'honor roll' award system	<a href="http://www.campusprideindex.org/details/overall.aspx">http://www.campusprideindex.org/details/overall.aspx</a>

Corporate Equality Index	Human Rights Campaign (HRC)	Annual report, press releases and awards	<a href="http://hrc-assets.s3-website-us-east-1.amazonaws.com/files/assets/resources/Corporate_Equality_Index_2013_Survey.pdf">http://hrc-assets.s3-website-us-east-1.amazonaws.com/files/assets/resources/Corporate_Equality_Index_2013_Survey.pdf</a>
Gay By Degree	Stonewall	Annual report, press releases and online guide via website	<a href="http://www.gaybydegree.org.uk/checklist/">http://www.gaybydegree.org.uk/checklist/</a>
Gay Travel Index	Spartacus World	Spartacus World website, Spartacus International Gay Guide book	<a href="http://www.spartacusworld.com/gaytravelindex.pdf">http://www.spartacusworld.com/gaytravelindex.pdf</a>
Global Views on Morality	Pew Research	Detailed report and tables, press releases	<a href="http://www.pewglobal.org/2014/04/15/global-morality/table/homosexuality/">http://www.pewglobal.org/2014/04/15/global-morality/table/homosexuality/</a>
Healthcare Equality Index	Human Rights Campaign (HRC)	Annual report and press releases	<a href="http://hrc-assets.s3-website-us-east-1.amazonaws.com/files/assets/resources/HEI_2014.pdf">http://hrc-assets.s3-website-us-east-1.amazonaws.com/files/assets/resources/HEI_2014.pdf</a>
International Business Equality Index	International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association (ILGA) - Europe chapter, with the International Gay and Lesbian Chamber of Commerce (IGLCC)	Never completed - this measure was advertised and appeared to be collecting data. However, no report or index could be found	<a href="http://www.ilga-europe.org/home/issue/employment/international_business_equality_index">http://www.ilga-europe.org/home/issue/employment/international_business_equality_index</a>

Is the city or area where you live a good place or not a good place to live for gay or lesbian people?	Gallup	Online article, tables and press release	<a href="http://www.gallup.com/poll/175520/nearly-worldwide-areas-good-gays.aspx#1">http://www.gallup.com/poll/175520/nearly-worldwide-areas-good-gays.aspx#1</a>
LGBT Military Index	J. Polchar, T. Sweijs, P. Marten & J. Hendrik Galdiga at The Hague Centre for Strategic Studies	Detailed and interactive map	<a href="http://projects.hcss.nl/monitor/88/">http://projects.hcss.nl/monitor/88/</a>
LGBT rights by country or territory	Wikipedia	On wikipedia page on 'LGBT rights by country or territory'	<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_by_country_or_territory">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_by_country_or_territory</a>
Blood donation policies for men who have sex with men	Wikipedia	As a map on wikipedia pages including: Men who have sex with men; LGBT rights by country or territory; Homosexuality	<a href="http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:MSM_Blood_Donation_Map.svg">http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:MSM_Blood_Donation_Map.svg</a>
LGBT rights at the UN	Wikipedia	As a map on Wikipedia pages including: LGBT rights by country or territory; LGBT rights at the United Nations	<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_at_the_United_Nations">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_at_the_United_Nations</a>

World laws pertaining to homosexual relationships and expression	Wikipedia	As a map on wikipedia pages including: Civil union; Homosexuality; LGBT history; LGBT rights by country or territory; Same-sex marriage; Status of same-sex marriage; Violence against LGBT people	<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_by_country_or_territory#/mediaviewer/File:World_laws_pertaining_to_homosexual_relationships_and_expression.svg">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_by_country_or_territory#/mediaviewer/File:World_laws_pertaining_to_homosexual_relationships_and_expression.svg</a>
Decriminalisation of homosexuality by country or territory	Wikipedia	As a map on Wikipedia pages including: LGBT rights by country or territory; Homosexuality	<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_by_country_or_territory#/mediaviewer/File:Decriminalization_of_Homosexuality_by_country_or_territory.svg">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/LGBT_rights_by_country_or_territory#/mediaviewer/File:Decriminalization_of_Homosexuality_by_country_or_territory.svg</a>
LGBT World Cup	J. Riveras	Article on fusion.net	<a href="https://www.scribd.com/doc/229370477/LGBT-World-Cup">https://www.scribd.com/doc/229370477/LGBT-World-Cup</a>
Municipal Equality Index	Human Rights Campaign (HRC)	Annual report and press releases	<a href="http://hrc-assets.s3.amazonaws.com/files/assets/resources/MEI_2013_report.pdf">http://hrc-assets.s3.amazonaws.com/files/assets/resources/MEI_2013_report.pdf</a>
Rainbow Europe's Index / Rainbow Europe's Map	International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association (ILGA) - Europe chapter	Annuals reports, coded map, country score sheets and press releases	<a href="http://www.ilga-europe.org/media_library/ilga_europe/publications/reports_and_other_publications/rainbow_package_2014/side_a_rainbow_europe">http://www.ilga-europe.org/media_library/ilga_europe/publications/reports_and_other_publications/rainbow_package_2014/side_a_rainbow_europe</a>

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Social Inclusion Index (incorporating specific LGBT rights index)	Americas Society & Council of the Americas	Americas Quarterly online	<a href="http://www.americasquarterly.org/charticles/socialinclusionindex2014/index.html">http://www.americasquarterly.org/charticles/socialinclusionindex2014/index.html</a>
The Global Divide on Homosexuality	Pew Research	Detailed report, map and tables as well as press releases. Question cross-tabulated against religious belief, gender, age	<a href="http://www.pewglobal.org/files/2014/05/Pew-Global-Attitudes-Homosexuality-Report-REVISED-MAY-27-2014.pdf">http://www.pewglobal.org/files/2014/05/Pew-Global-Attitudes-Homosexuality-Report-REVISED-MAY-27-2014.pdf</a>
Trans Rights Europe Index	Transgender Europe (TGEU)	TGEU website with detailed table and map	<a href="http://www.tgeu.org/sites/default/files/Trans_Rights_Europe_Index_2013.pdf">http://www.tgeu.org/sites/default/files/Trans_Rights_Europe_Index_2013.pdf</a>
What is the best country in the world? An index of morality, conscience and good life	V. Crabtree	Web report on author's personal website; social media	<a href="http://www.vexen.co.uk/countries/best.html#LGBT">http://www.vexen.co.uk/countries/best.html#LGBT</a>
Workplace Equality Index	Stonewall	Annual report, press releases and awards	<a href="http://www.stonewall.org.uk/documents/wei_2015_submission_for_m.doc">http://www.stonewall.org.uk/documents/wei_2015_submission_for_m.doc</a>
Lesbian and Gay Rights in the World	International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex Association (ILGA)	Colour-coded map	<a href="http://old.ilga.org/Stat_ehomophobia/ILGA_Map_2014_ENG.pdf">http://old.ilga.org/Stat_ehomophobia/ILGA_Map_2014_ENG.pdf</a>
The World's Worst Places to	N. Pasulka	Article for takepart.com	<a href="http://www.takepart.com/article/2014/11/06/">http://www.takepart.com/article/2014/11/06/</a>

be Gay			<a href="#">worlds-worst-places-be-gay?cmpid=tp-ptnr-upworthy</a>
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