ILGA-Europe Rainbow Index, May 2012

The **ILGA-Europe Rainbow Index** provides an overall reflection of the legal situation in all European countries in a simple format. More detailed information about the country situation is available in *ILGA-Europe Annual Review of the Human Rights Situation of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans and Intersex People in Europe 2011* and on our website:
http://ilga-europe.org/home/guide/country_by_country

Symbols:
- ● one point, national/federal application
- ◑ ½ point, regional application only
- ● -1 point, national/federal application
- ◑ -½ point, regional application only
- ⊘ no Constitution

*in the case of partnership recognition of same-sex couples, we award the country points according to the highest form of recognition (3 points – marriage equality; 2 points – registered partnership; 1 point – cohabitation)
**under UNSCR 1244

Country	Age of consent	Asylum		Bias motivated speech/violence			Equality and non-discrimination															Family									Freedom of assembly, association and expression (during the last 5 years)				Legal gender recongition									Total score	Country
																						same-sex partnership recognition*				same-sex parenting entitlements					LGBTI public events														
	unequal for same-sex sexual acts	sexual orientation	gender identity	sexual orientation	gender identity	law refers to intersex people	Constitution (sexual orientation)	employment (sexual orientation)	goods & services (sexual orientation)	other spheres of life (sexual orientation)	equality body mandate (sexual orientation)	equality action plan (sexual orientation)	no protection (sexual orientation)	Constitution (gender identity)	employment (gender identity)	goods & services (gender identity)	other spheres of life (gender identity)	equality body mandate (gender identity)	equality action plan (gender identity)	no protection (gender identity)	law refers to intersex people	marriage equality	registered partnership	cohabitation	none	joint adoption	second parent adoption	medically assisted insemination	trans people can legally marry a person of the other gender	no state obstruction	obstructed/banned by the state	LGBTI organisations obstructed by the state	laws violate LGBTI people's freedom of expression	existance of legal/administrative procedures	change of name to match gender identity	change of gender on official documents to match gender identity	no compulsory medical/surgical interventions	no procedure	GID diagnosis or medical/psychological opinion needed	compulsory medical/surgical intervention	compulsory divorce (or single status)	compulsory sterilisation (or proof of infertility)		
Albania								●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●							●													●					6	Albania
Andorra				●				●	●											●			●														●					3	Andorra
Armenia													●							●					●												●					-4	Armenia
Austria		●		●				●	◑	◑	●							●		●			●	●					●	●				●	●	●	●		●				12	Austria
Azerbaijan													●							●					●				●			●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	-4	Azerbaijan
Belarus													●							●					●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●		●		●		-1	Belarus
Belgium				●				●	●	●	●	◑			●	◑	◑	●	◑			●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●			●	●		●	17	Belgium
Bosnia&Herz.								●	●	●					●	●	●								●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	5	Bosnia&Herz.
Bulgaria		●						●	●	●	●		●												●				●	●				●	●		●		●		●		6	Bulgaria
Croatia		●		●	●			●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●						●					●	●				●					●	●	●	●	10	Croatia
Cyprus		●						●			●		●							●					●				●					●	●	●			●	●	●	●	1	Cyprus
Czech Rep.								●	●	●					●	●	●						●	●					●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	9	Czech Rep.
Denmark				●				●			●									●			●	●		●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●			●	●		●	9	Denmark
Estonia				●				●					●							●					●				●	●	●			●	●	●			●	●			2	Estonia
Finland		●		●			●	●	●				●					●		●			●				●	●	●	●				●	●	●			●	●		●	11	Finland
France				●				●			●		●					●		●			●	●					●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	6	France
Georgia				●	●			●					●							●					●				●					●	●	●			●	●	●	●	1	Georgia
Germany		●					◑	●	●	●	●	◑		◑	●	●	●	●	◑		●		●	●			●		●	●				●	●	●	●		●				20	Germany
Greece	●	●		●				●			●		●							●					●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	2	Greece
Hungary		●						●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●					●	●					●	●	●			●	●	●	●		●		●		14	Hungary
Iceland		●	●	●				●	●	●			●							●		●		●		●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	12	Iceland
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Italy		●						●				◑							◑	●				◑	●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	2,5	Italy
Kosovo**							●	●	●	●	●		●							●					●													●					2	Kosovo**
Latvia		●						●			●		●							●					●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	1	Latvia
Liechtenstein													●							●			●														●					-1	Liechtenstein
Lithuania		●		●				●	●	●	●									●					●					●							●					3	Lithuania
Luxembourg		●						●	●		●							●		●			●						●	●				●	●	●			●	●		●	8	Luxembourg
FYR Macedonia													●							●					●					●								●					-4	FYR Macedonia
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Moldova		●											●							●					●						●		◑					●					-4,5	Moldova
Monaco				●									●							●					●													●					-3	Monaco
Montenegro								●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●							●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	8	Montenegro
Netherlands		●		●				●	●	●	●	●						●	●	●		●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●			●	●		●	16	Netherlands
Norway				●				●	●	●	●	●						●	●	●		●		●		●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●			●	●		●	15	Norway
Poland		●						●												●					●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●		2	Poland
Portugal		●	●	●			●	●			●	●							●	●		●		●					●	●				●	●	●	●		●				15	Portugal
Romania		●		●				●	●	●	●									●					●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●		●	6	Romania
Russia													●							●					●				●	●	●	●	◑	●	●	●			●	●	●	●	-4,5	Russia
San Marino				●			⊘						●	⊘						●					●													●					-3	San Marino
Serbia								●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●							●					●							●					6	Serbia
Slovakia		●						●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●							●				●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	9	Slovakia
Slovenia		●		●			●	●	●	●	●		●										●				●			●							●					9	Slovenia
Spain		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	◑		●	◑		◑		◑			●	◑	◑		●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●		●	●			20	Spain
Sweden		●		●			●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●				●		●		●	●	●	●	●				●	●	●			●	●	●	●	18	Sweden
Switzerland							●	●							●								●	●					●	●				●	●	●			●	●	◑	●	6,5	Switzerland
Turkey													●							●					●				●	●		●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	-3	Turkey
Ukraine													●							●					●				●	●	●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	-4	Ukraine
UK		●		●	◑	◑	⊘	●	●	●	●	●		⊘	●	●	●	●	●				●	●		◑	◑	●	●	●				●	●	●	●		●		●		21	UK