



Rankings for Scientist

More Than a Ranking

Ecuador's Universities and Research Institutions:

Comprehensive Analysis of 82 Universities and
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AD Scientific Index 2025



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(Total 2.625.137 scientist, 221 country, 24.551 university)

1. What is the AD Scientific Index (Alper-Doger Scientific Index)?

Developed in 2021 by **Prof. Dr. Murat Alper** and **Assoc. Prof. Dr. Cihan Döger**, the AD Scientific Index is an **independent and international ranking system** that provides a multidimensional evaluation of the academic performance of scientists and institutions. Key highlights include:

- **Original academic rankings, detailed analyses, and comparative results**
- A resource guiding **policy development** to enhance scientific contributions and productivity
- Analysis of 2.625.137 **scientists** and 24.551 **institutions** across **13 major academic fields** and **211 disciplines**, covering 221 **countries**
- **Data sourced from Google Scholar** and subjected to rigorous multi-stage filtering processes
- Evaluation based on **total and last six years' H-index, i10-index, and citation counts**. Real-time updates ensure that rankings reflect current academic performance.

2. Why is the AD Scientific Index (Alper-Doger Scientific Index) Needed?

□ Most **international university rankings** consider parameters like:

- **Research productivity, impact, excellence**
- **Educational quality**
- **Faculty quality**
- **Research output**
- **Per capita performance**

□ Many of these rely heavily on **publication and citation counts** as key indicators of academic performance. However, these methods:

- Vary in **data sources** (e.g., SCIE, SSCI, InCites)

- Differ in what types of publications they count (articles, notes, conference papers, etc.)
- May emphasize **high-impact journals** (e.g., *Nature*, *Science*, *PNAS*)
- Often use **H-index**, top 5% journals by impact factor, total citations, and other indicators
- Frequently face **redundancy** (measuring the same aspect multiple times), leading to “indicator alignment”
- Rarely exceed coverage of **1,500-3,000 institutions** or **70-100 countries** due to these limitations

□ How AD Scientific Index Addresses These Gaps

- Focuses on **both total and six-year productivity** (H-index, i10-index, citation data)
 - Ranks **individual scientists** as well as **academic fields, institutions, and countries**
 - **Broad coverage** spanning countries, regions, institutions, disciplines, languages, and publication types
 - Ensures **equal opportunities** for comparison with a **fair and transparent** methodology
 - **No reliance on non-public or invisible parameters** in ranking formulas.
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3. What are the H-index and i10-index?

- **H-index:** Evaluates both productivity and citation impact. An H-index of h means the researcher has h papers each cited at least h times.
- **i10-index** (calculated by Google Scholar): Counts the number of publications with **at least 10 citations**.

These metrics:

- Offer insight into **consistent academic influence**
 - **Higher values** indicate more sustained impact
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4. The Importance of Last 6 Years Metrics

The AD Scientific Index places special emphasis on **Last 6 Years** metrics to reveal **recent academic performance**:

- **Total H-index, i10-index, citation count:** Show long-term academic impact
 - **Last 6 Years H-index, i10-index, citations:** Highlight **current contributions** and **relevance** in evolving fields
 - Focuses on **impact continuation** over the last six years, not just publication dates
 - Ensures **up-to-date perspective** in identifying leading contributors and institutions
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5. How Is the “AD Scientific Index” Different from Other

Rankings?

□ Multi-Dimensional Analysis

- **Comprehensive Metrics:** Integrates total and last-six-year H-index, i10-index, and citation counts to provide a **broad** and **balanced** picture of academic impact.
- **Layered Comparisons:** Enables evaluations at **global**, **continental**, **national**, and **city** levels, as well as **public** and **private** institutions, revealing both **long-term influence** and **current momentum**.

□ Focus on Individual Scientists

- **Foundation of Institutional Success:** Genuine **breakthroughs** and **reputation** stem from individual scientists.
- **Beyond Broad Factors:** While other rankings often focus on “international reputation” or “teaching quality,” the AD Scientific Index homes in on **concrete achievements**, emphasizing the **true** drivers of institutional excellence.

□ Accessible and Inclusive Data

- **Extensive Coverage:** Utilizes **publicly available** Google Scholar data, carefully screened, to assess researchers across every field, country, and type of institution.

□ Equal Opportunity

- **Fair Recognition:** Offers **equitable** acknowledgment to all scientists and institutions, **regardless of geographical or institutional background**.
- **Seamless Participation:** The system is **easy to join** on both individual and institutional levels, making academic performance **visible at every tier, in near real time**.

□ Democratic and Universal Approach

- **Global Level Playing Field:** Reflects how individual accomplishments shape the overall performance of institutions **worldwide**.
- **Commitment to Transparency:** Employs **impartial, reproducible** methods, ensuring **equal** conditions for prominent research universities and smaller colleges alike.

□ Identifying Misconduct

- **Guardian of Integrity:** Acts as an **early warning system** against plagiarism, unethical authorship (e.g., gift authorship), or excessive publication practices.
 - **Institutional and Individual Accountability:** Ensures that **authentic academic contributions** remain in the spotlight by uncovering ethical violations, safeguarding the **credibility** of researchers and institutions.
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6. Unique Features of the “AD Scientific Index”

□ Academic and Economic Independence

- Operates entirely free from external influences, ensuring that evaluations focus **exclusively** on academic merit.
- Maintains **objective** and **transparent** standards without commercial or political pressure.

□ Transparent and Rigorous Methodology

- Relies on **open-source**, verifiable data combined with **clearly defined** algorithms and weighting.
- Corrects errors within **one week** and strictly **upholds impartiality** to preserve credibility and accuracy.

□ Comprehensive Evaluation

- Provides **both total and last-six-year metrics** (H-index, i10-index, citations) for universities, institutions, hospitals, and companies.
- Allows stakeholders to assess **long-term trends** alongside **recent performance** at a glance.

□ Institutional Progress Analysis

- Monitors and analyzes **institutional development** over the last six years, highlighting growth trajectories and performance shifts.

□ Public vs. Private Comparison

- Offers **direct comparisons** among public universities, as well as with private universities, companies, hospitals, and research institutes.
- Illuminates **sector-wide benchmarks** for a broader context of academic achievement.

□ Scientific Ranking Distribution

- Examines **academic staff rankings** within each institution, showing percentile-based standings to pinpoint **individual and collective strengths**.

□ Individual Status Tracking

- Presents **detailed** profiles for researchers (H-index, i10-index, citations), delivering clear insights into each scholar's **impact and influence**.

□ Global and Regional Rankings

- Encompasses **2.625.137 individuals** from **24.551 institutions** across **221 countries** and **10 regions**, covering a wide array of disciplines.
- Enables **branch- and sub-discipline-specific** evaluations for targeted insights. **individuals** from **institutions**,

□ Top List Reports

- Generates **country-level, regional, and global** top lists, serving as valuable resources for benchmarking and recognition.

□ Constantly Updated Rankings

- Ensures **continuous** data refresh, with citation metrics updated **every 10-15 days** and rankings recalculated **every two days**.
- Offers users an **up-to-date** view of academic performance.

□ Valuing Feedback and Contributions

- Incorporates community input to **refine** the methodology and maintain **data accuracy**.
- Facilitates a **collaborative** approach that keeps rankings current and reliable.

□ Increased Visibility & Early Detection of Ethical Violations

- Sheds light on unethical practices (e.g., gift authorship, citation cartels, fake paper factories), promoting **academic integrity** through transparency.
- Helps **identify** and **address** potential misconduct **promptly**.

□ Art and Humanities Rankings & Social Sciences and Humanities Rankings

- Provides **dedicated rankings** that accurately represent these fields, leveraging Google Scholar's **broad coverage**.
 - Ensures these disciplines receive **fair, detailed** visibility alongside STEM areas.
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7. Comprehensive and Inclusive Data Source Strategy

Most ranking organizations use **Scopus, Web of Science, Google Scholar, or Nature Index**. Each has strengths and limitations.

□ Our Approach:

- **Global, practical, inclusive** methodology
 - **Robust auditing** to mitigate data source limitations
 - **Continuous data cleansing** (nearly 1 million profiles reviewed; many deleted)
 - Ongoing **quality improvements** ensure increasingly accurate, real-time rankings.
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8. How Frequently Are AD Scientific Index Rankings Updated?

- **New entries, deletions, corrections** typically visible within **1-3 days**
- H-index, i10-index, and citation numbers are **updated every 15 days, while the ranking is refreshed every 2 days**.

- Data primarily from **Google Scholar** with a focus on **standardizing names, institutions, and data**
 - **User contributions** to enhance data accuracy are always welcome
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9. How Can I Be Included in the List?

- Currently includes **2.625.137 scientists** from 24.551 **institutions** across 221 **countries**
 - **New additions** are limited to **individual** and **institutional registrations** via the “Register” link on the website
 - **No automatic inclusion** of every profile to maintain **accuracy** and **data integrity**
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10. Who Can Be Included in the List and Reasons for Exclusion

- **2.625.137 scientists** included, but some are **not** listed due to:
- **Technical and resource limitations:** Because a very broad sample group has formed, our priority is to maintain the highest level of data accuracy and cleanliness. Therefore, we do not aim for unlimited expansion of the database, meaning we do not add every publicly accessible profile to the system.
- **No public Google Scholar profile**
- **Personal preference or request to be removed**
- **Incomplete or inaccurate** profile information
- When a profile is no longer publicly visible, the individual's scores (e.g., h-index, i10 index, citation counts) are displayed as **zero** until the profile is made public again.
- **Ethical concerns:** Cases such as presenting others' publications as one's own, including misleading or fabricated academic outputs, having retracted papers in the profile, etc., and related complaints are evaluated. If such violations are detected, the respective profiles are **immediately removed** from the list.

Institutions and **countries** are encouraged to **verify profiles** for **accuracy** and **integrity**. Profiles violating ethical standards may be removed **without refund** (even for paid registrations).

11. Is Registration Required to View Your Ranking?

- **Not required** to see your ranking in the AD Scientific Index. You can estimate your approximate ranking by looking at the rankings of individuals with similar scores. **Required** if you wish to be included **with all detailed elements** in the ranking
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12. How AD Scientific Index Ranks Scientists and Institutions?

□ Key Indicators

- 1. Total H-index scores**
- 2. Last 6 years' H-index scores**
- 3. Total i10 index scores**
- 4. Last 6 years' i10 index scores**
- 5. Total number of citations**
- 6. Number of citations in the last 6 years**

Ranking Criteria - Overview

Scientist and institution rankings in the AD Scientific Index are calculated based on multiple bibliometric indicators, with **Total H-index** serving as the primary ranking metric in most categories. General, Country, Regional, University, Branch, and Sub-Branch Rankings.

□ Total H-index Rankings

Used in: Measures cumulative scientific impact and productivity.

Ranking order:

1. Total H-index
2. Last 6 Years' H-index
3. Total i10 Index
4. Total Citations

□ Last 6 Years' H-index Rankings

Measures short-to-mid-term academic performance and sustained impact.

Ranking order:

1. Last 6 Years' H-index
2. Last 6 Years' i10 Index
3. Total H-index
4. Citations in the Last 6 Years

□ Total i10 Index Rankings

Measures: Reflects the consistency of influential scholarly output.

Ranking order:

1. Total i10 Index
2. Last 6 Years' i10 Index
3. Total H-index
4. Total Citation Counts

□ Last 6 Years' i10 Index Rankings

Measures recent sustained academic productivity and recognition.

Ranking order:

1. Last 6 Years' i10 Index
2. Last 6 Years' H-index
3. Total i10 Index
4. Citations in the Last 6 Years

□ Total Citations Rankings

Captures total scientific reach and academic recognition.

Ranking order:

1. Total Citation Counts
2. Citations in the Last 6 Years
3. Total i10 Index
4. Last 6 Years' i10 Index

□ Citations in the Last 6 Years Rankings

Indicates present-day influence and citation activity.

Ranking order:

1. Citations in the Last 6 Years
2. Total Citation Counts
3. Last 6 Years' i10 Index
4. Total i10 Index

Institutions are also ranked by these criteria at **national, regional, and global** levels.

□ Studies Influencing Ranking Due to High Citation Numbers

- For unusually high citations (e.g., **CERN, ATLAS, ALICE, CMS**), authors are marked with an **asterisk “i”** to indicate this distinction.
 - An **alternative list** excludes these studies to ensure balanced rankings.
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13. Why Are Last 6 Years' Ratios Important?

- Reflect **recent productivity and influence**
 - Indicate **impact of individual performance** and **institutional policies**
 - Provide a **clear view** of modern academic contributions
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14. Subject Rankings: Which Subjects are Ranked in the AD Scientific Index?

The Index covers **211 sub-disciplines** across various major fields:

- **Agriculture & Forestry:** 15 subfields
- **Architecture & Design:** 4 subfields
- **Business & Management:** 8 subfields
- **Economics & Econometrics:** 6 subfields
- **Education:** 11 subfields
- **Engineering & Technology:** 26 subfields
- **History, Philosophy, Theology:** 3 subfields
- **Law / Legal Studies:** 12 subfields
- **Medical and Health Sciences:** 80 subfields
- **Natural Sciences:** 6 subfields
- **Social Sciences:** 22 subfields
- **Social Sciences and Humanities:** 50 subfields

- **Art and Humanities:** 6 subfields

This **meticulous categorization** aligns with **university departments**, enabling **precise analysis** of academic impact.

15. How Universities Are Ranked in the AD Scientific Index?

- Rankings are based on the **distribution** of scientists within **top percentile ranges** (top % 10, %20, %40, %60, % 80, 90% percentiles and total scientists).
- If two institutions have the **same number** of scientists in a range, the **next percentile range** is considered.
- If a tie persists, the institution with the **higher total number of individual scientists** ranks higher.
- Covers 24.551 **institutions** across:
 - **Total H-index**
 - **Last 6 Years H-index**
 - **Total i10 index**
 - **Last 6 Years i10 index**
 - **Total citations**
 - **Last 6 Years citations**

This approach helps institutions **assess strengths, identify areas for improvement**, and supports **cross-border transfer or graduation equivalency** evaluations.

16. Young University/Institution Rankings

- Focuses on institutions **established within the last 30 years**. The ranking is formed by applying the university ranking only among institutions established within the last 30 years. Demonstrates **global standing** of these “young” entities. Identifies **strengths and weaknesses** to shape future policies

17. Social Sciences and Humanities Rankings - The AD Scientific Index Advantage

- ✓ **Exclusive Ranking for Social Sciences & Humanities** - Covers fields such as **Business & Management, Economics & Econometrics, Education, History, Philosophy, Theology, Law, and Social Sciences**.
- ✓ **No Overshadowing by STEM Fields** - **Medicine, Engineering, and Natural Sciences are excluded**, ensuring that institutions and scholars in Social Sciences & Humanities receive a **fair and unbiased evaluation**.

- ✓ **A Balanced and Unique Ranking Approach** – Unlike traditional rankings dominated by STEM disciplines, this ranking **highlights the real academic impact of Social Sciences & Humanities**, ensuring that institutions and researchers in these fields get the visibility they deserve.
 - ✓ **Comprehensive Performance Metrics** – Rankings are conducted at **both institutional and individual levels**, based on **H-index, i10-index, and citation data**, providing a **data-driven and objective assessment of academic excellence**.
 - ✓ **The AD Scientific Index Advantage:** With **real-time data updates, a transparent methodology, and a strong focus on academic impact**, this ranking ensures that **achievements in Social Sciences & Humanities are properly recognized!**
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18. Art and Humanities Rankings

- Specialized ranking for **History, Philosophy, Theology, Linguistics and Literature, Archaeology, and Arts**
 - Ensures **achievements in arts and humanities** are recognized
 - Provides **balanced evaluation** free from STEM dominance
 - Explorable at **institutional** and **individual** levels (H-index, i10 index, citations)
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19. Pricing Policy

□ Free Services

- **No charge** for accessing individual and institutional rankings via the **main category pages**
- **Most comprehensive academic data** (for individuals and institutions) is **freely accessible** on AD Scientific Index

□ Premium Services

- **One-time fee** (covering three years) for:
 - More **comprehensive analyses**
 - Ability to **input and modify** data on Scientist and Institution pages
 - **Full control** over your academic profile
- **Differentiated pricing** based on **income levels** of countries
- **Strict deletion policy** for unethical or misleading profiles applies to **all** users (including paid)

We remain **academically and economically independent**, offering unbiased services to the academic community.

20. Privacy - Data Policy

- We respect **personal rights** and **data deletion requests**.
- [**Click here**](#) for more information on our privacy and data policies.

21. Contact

22. FAQ Frequently Asked Questions and Answer

Table I. Scientists in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	Country	Country Region Rank	Country World Rank	Total Institutions	Total Scientist
1	Ecuador	6	72	82	7688

Table II. All Types of Institutions in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	Institution	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Type of Institution	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
1	Universidad San Francisco de Quito	1	149	2491	Ecuador	Private	1988	2	12	27	43
2	Universidad de las Fuerzas Armadas ESPE	2	187	3185	Ecuador	Public	1922	1	8	15	31
3	Universidad Técnica de Manabí	3	227	3653	Ecuador	Public	1952	0	6	14	34
4	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador	4	240	3808	Ecuador	Private	1946	1	5	21	42
5	Universidad Tecnológica Equinoccial	5	255	4000	Ecuador	Private	1986	1	5	10	19
6	Universidad de las Américas Ecuador	6	271	4235	Ecuador	Private	1995	0	4	14	34
7	Yachay Tech	7	279	4292	Ecuador	Public	2014	0	4	12	27
8	Universidad de Cuenca	8	282	4342	Ecuador	Public	1867	1	4	10	25
9	Universidad Politécnica Salesiana Ecuador	9	307	4764	Ecuador	Private	1994	1	3	11	20
10	Universidad Estatal de Milagro	10	323	4899	Ecuador	Public	2001	0	3	8	21
11	Universidad Nacional de Loja	11	335	5113	Ecuador	Public	1859	1	3	5	8
12	Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar Ecuador	12	340	5199	Ecuador	Public	1985	1	3	4	9
13	Escuela Politécnica Nacional	13	353	5336	Ecuador	Public	1869	0	2	16	36
14	FLACSO Ecuador Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales	14	360	5365	Ecuador	Private	1974	0	2	14	30
15	Universidad Técnica de Machala	15	415	5947	Ecuador	Public	1969	1	2	4	7
16	Universidad de Guayaquil	16	418	5970	Ecuador	Public	1867	0	2	4	10

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17	Universidad Regional Autónoma de los Andes UNIANDES	17	422	6093	Ecuador	Private	1997	1	2	3	6
18	Universidad Técnica Particular de Loja	18	443	6469	Ecuador	Private	1971	0	1	14	45
19	Escuela Superior Politécnica del Litoral	19	446	6475	Ecuador	Public	1958	0	1	14	31
20	Universidad Nacional de Chimborazo	20	472	6704	Ecuador	Public	1995	0	1	6	16
21	Universidad Estatal Amazónica	21	498	6995	Ecuador	Public	1973	1	1	4	11
22	Universidad Nacional de Educación UNAE	22	515	7225	Ecuador	Public	2013	0	1	3	8
23	Universidad de Especialidades Espíritu Santo	23	519	7257	Ecuador	Private	1994	1	1	3	10
24	Universidad Católica de Cuenca	24	524	7354	Ecuador	Public	1970	1	1	3	6
25	Universidad Técnica del Norte	25	532	7563	Ecuador	Public	1986	0	1	2	6
26	Universidad Particular Internacional SEK	26	545	7702	Ecuador	Private	1993	0	1	2	5
27	Universidad Ecotec	27	571	8190	Ecuador	Private	1986	0	1	1	3
28	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador Sede Ambato	28	598	8624	Ecuador	Private	1946	0	1	1	2
29	Universidad del Pacífico Ecuador	29	600	8664	Ecuador	Private	1997	0	1	1	1
30	Universidad Estatal de Bolívar	30	613	8848	Ecuador	Public	1977	1	1	1	1
31	Universidad Central del Ecuador	31	642	9149	Ecuador	Public	1826	0	0	7	15
32	Universidad Regional Amazónica Ikiam	32	657	9275	Ecuador	Public	2013	0	0	5	13
33	Universidad Técnica Luis Vargas Torres de Esmeraldas	33	672	9405	Ecuador	Public	1970	0	0	4	6

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34	Universidad Técnica de Babahoyo	34	691	9589	Ecuador	Public	1971	0	0	3	3
35	Universidad Internacional del Ecuador	35	701	9764	Ecuador	Public	1996	0	0	3	5
36	Universidad del Azuay	36	716	9979	Ecuador	Private	1968	0	0	2	7
37	Universidad Técnica de Ambato	37	792	10858	Ecuador	Public	1969	0	0	1	9
38	Universidad Laica Eloy Alfaro de Manabí	38	793	10866	Ecuador	Private	1985	0	0	1	7
39	Universidad Tecnológica Indoamérica	39	795	10877	Ecuador	Private	1998	0	0	1	7
40	Universidad Estatal Península de Santa Elena	40	812	11076	Ecuador	Public	1998	0	0	1	2
41	Universidad Particular San Gregorio de Portoviejo USGP	41	862	11555	Ecuador	Private	2000	0	0	1	3
42	Universidad Estatal del Sur de Manabí UNESUM	42	875	11757	Ecuador	Public	2001	0	0	1	2
43	Universidad Bolivariana del Ecuador	43	954	12630	Ecuador	Public	2008	0	0	1	1
44	Instituto Nacional de Investigaciones Agropecuarias	44	992	13055	Ecuador	Institution	1959	0	0	1	1
45	Instituto Superior Tecnológico España	45	999	13224	Ecuador	Private	1984	0	0	1	1
46	Escuela Superior Politécnica de Chimborazo	46	1013	13410	Ecuador	Public	1969	0	0	0	2
47	Universidad Metropolitana del Ecuador	47	1020	13481	Ecuador	Private	2000	0	0	0	2
48	Instituto de Altos Estudios Nacionales	48	1023	13496	Ecuador	Public	1972	0	0	0	3
49	Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil	49	1029	13556	Ecuador	Private	1962	0	0	0	2

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50	Escuela Superior Politécnica Agropecuaria de Manabí	50	1030	13571	Ecuador	Public	1999	0	0	0	2
51	Universidad Técnica de Cotopaxi	51	1050	13798	Ecuador	Public	1995	0	0	0	0
52	Universidad Técnica Estatal de Quevedo	52	1053	13811	Ecuador	Public	1984	0	0	0	4
53	Universidad Agraria del Ecuador	53	1081	14110	Ecuador	Public	1992	0	0	0	1
54	Universidad Tecnológica Empresarial de Guayaquil	54	1128	14786	Ecuador	Private	1995	0	0	0	0
55	Universidad de los Hemisferios	55	1181	15477	Ecuador	Private	2004	0	0	0	2
56	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsa'chila	56	1264	16191	Ecuador	Private	2017	0	0	0	0
57	Pontificia Universidad Católica Sede Ibarra	57	1285	16343	Ecuador	Private	1976	0	0	0	0
58	Universidad Laica Vicente Rocafuerte de Guayaquil	58	1288	16397	Ecuador	Private	1966	0	0	0	1
59	Universidad Tecnológica Israel	59	1291	16418	Ecuador	Public	1999	0	0	0	1
60	Universidad Politécnica Estatal del Carchi	60	1300	16502	Ecuador	Public	2006	0	0	0	0
61	Universidad Iberoamericana del Ecuador	61	1375	17414	Ecuador	Private	2005	0	0	0	0
62	Instituto Oceanográfico y Antártico de la Armada	62	1428	17856	Ecuador	Institution	2012	0	0	0	0
63	Ministerio de Educación	63	1485	18289	Ecuador	Public	2018	0	0	0	0
64	Instituto Nacional de Investigación en Salud Pública	64	1520	18624	Ecuador	Institution	1987	0	0	0	1
65	Instituto Ecuatoriano de Enfermedades Digestivas	65	1553	19017	Ecuador	Institution	2012	0	0	0	0
66	Universidad de Otavalo	66	1575	19388	Ecuador	Public	2002	0	0	0	0

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67	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Sucre	67	1577	19442	Ecuador	Private	1974	0	0	0	0
68	Universidad de las Artes de Ecuador	68	1589	19558	Ecuador	Public	2013	0	0	0	0
69	Universidad Casa Grande	69	1595	19604	Ecuador	Public	1992	0	0	0	0
70	Instituto Nacional de Patrimonio Cultural	70	1653	20264	Ecuador	Institution	1978	0	0	0	0
71	Instituto de Investigación Geológico y Energético	71	1658	20318	Ecuador	Institution	2018	0	0	0	0
72	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsachila	72	1668	20476	Ecuador	Private	2002	0	0	0	0
73	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Vicente Rocafuerte	73	1683	20579	Ecuador	Private	1993	0	0	0	0
74	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Quito Metropolitano	74	1693	20672	Ecuador	Public	2009	0	0	0	0
75	Universidad de Especialidades Turísticas	75	1698	20701	Ecuador	Private	2010	0	0	0	0
76	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Los Andes	76	1701	20728	Ecuador	Private	1968	0	0	0	0
77	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Vicente León	77	1736	21020	Ecuador	Private	1981	0	0	0	0
78	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Bolivariano de Tecnología	78	1737	21025	Ecuador	Private	2019	0	0	0	0
79	Instituto Superior Tecnológico 17 de Julio	79	1767	21271	Ecuador	Public	1958	0	0	0	0
80	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Libertad	80	1924	22816	Ecuador	Public	2002	0	0	0	0
81	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Lenden	81	1986	23291	Ecuador	Private	1997	0	0	0	0
82	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Guayaquil	82	2173	24413	Ecuador	Private	2017	0	0	0	0

Table III. Universities in Ecuador: Comprehensive Ranking and Analysis

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Type of Institution	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
1	Universidad San Francisco de Quito	1	126	1788	Ecuador	Private	1988	2	12	27	43
2	Universidad de las Fuerzas Armadas ESPE	2	158	2191	Ecuador	Public	1922	1	8	15	31
3	Universidad Técnica de Manabí	3	185	2492	Ecuador	Public	1952	0	6	14	34
4	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador	4	196	2585	Ecuador	Private	1946	1	5	21	42
5	Universidad Tecnológica Equinoccial	5	209	2710	Ecuador	Private	1986	1	5	10	19
6	Universidad de las Américas Ecuador	6	223	2864	Ecuador	Private	1995	0	4	14	34
7	Yachay Tech	7	227	2902	Ecuador	Public	2014	0	4	12	27
8	Universidad de Cuenca	8	228	2928	Ecuador	Public	1867	1	4	10	25
9	Universidad Politécnica Salesiana Ecuador	9	252	3177	Ecuador	Private	1994	1	3	11	20
10	Universidad Estatal de Milagro	10	266	3270	Ecuador	Public	2001	0	3	8	21
11	Universidad Nacional de Loja	11	277	3416	Ecuador	Public	1859	1	3	5	8
12	Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar Ecuador	12	282	3472	Ecuador	Public	1985	1	3	4	9
13	Escuela Politécnica Nacional	13	290	3541	Ecuador	Public	1869	0	2	16	36
14	FLACSO Ecuador Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales	14	296	3567	Ecuador	Private	1974	0	2	14	30
15	Universidad Técnica de Machala	15	342	3983	Ecuador	Public	1969	1	2	4	7
16	Universidad de Guayaquil	16	344	4005	Ecuador	Public	1867	0	2	4	10

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Type of Institution	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
17	Universidad Regional Autónoma de los Andes UNIANDES	17	347	4080	Ecuador	Private	1997	1	2	3	6
18	Universidad Técnica Particular de Loja	18	365	4317	Ecuador	Private	1971	0	1	14	45
19	Escuela Superior Politécnica del Litoral	19	368	4323	Ecuador	Public	1958	0	1	14	31
20	Universidad Nacional de Chimborazo	20	391	4502	Ecuador	Public	1995	0	1	6	16
21	Universidad Estatal Amazónica	21	414	4737	Ecuador	Public	1973	1	1	4	11
22	Universidad Nacional de Educación UNAE	22	431	4907	Ecuador	Public	2013	0	1	3	8
23	Universidad de Especialidades Espíritu Santo	23	435	4935	Ecuador	Private	1994	1	1	3	10
24	Universidad Católica de Cuenca	24	440	5008	Ecuador	Public	1970	1	1	3	6
25	Universidad Técnica del Norte	25	446	5142	Ecuador	Public	1986	0	1	2	6
26	Universidad Particular Internacional SEK	26	457	5255	Ecuador	Private	1993	0	1	2	5
27	Universidad Ecotec	27	481	5561	Ecuador	Private	1986	0	1	1	3
28	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador Sede Ambato	28	505	5905	Ecuador	Private	1946	0	1	1	2
29	Universidad del Pacífico Ecuador	29	507	5938	Ecuador	Private	1997	0	1	1	1
30	Universidad Estatal de Bolívar	30	516	6063	Ecuador	Public	1977	1	1	1	1
31	Universidad Central del Ecuador	31	539	6235	Ecuador	Public	1826	0	0	7	15
32	Universidad Regional Amazónica Ikiam	32	551	6336	Ecuador	Public	2013	0	0	5	13
33	Universidad Técnica Luis Vargas Torres de Esmeraldas	33	563	6435	Ecuador	Public	1970	0	0	4	6

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Type of Institution	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
34	Universidad Técnica de Babahoyo	34	582	6580	Ecuador	Public	1971	0	0	3	3
35	Universidad Internacional del Ecuador	35	591	6718	Ecuador	Public	1996	0	0	3	5
36	Universidad del Azuay	36	603	6883	Ecuador	Private	1968	0	0	2	7
37	Universidad Técnica de Ambato	37	670	7535	Ecuador	Public	1969	0	0	1	9
38	Universidad Laica Eloy Alfaro de Manabí	38	671	7543	Ecuador	Private	1985	0	0	1	7
39	Universidad Tecnológica Indoamérica	39	673	7553	Ecuador	Private	1998	0	0	1	7
40	Universidad Estatal Península de Santa Elena	40	687	7731	Ecuador	Public	1998	0	0	1	2
41	Universidad Particular San Gregorio de Portoviejo USGP	41	732	8126	Ecuador	Private	2000	0	0	1	3
42	Universidad Estatal del Sur de Manabí UNESUM	42	742	8279	Ecuador	Public	2001	0	0	1	2
43	Universidad Bolivariana del Ecuador	43	809	8960	Ecuador	Public	2008	0	0	1	1
44	Instituto Superior Tecnológico España	44	847	9369	Ecuador	Private	1984	0	0	1	1
45	Escuela Superior Politécnica de Chimborazo	45	856	9515	Ecuador	Public	1969	0	0	0	2
46	Universidad Metropolitana del Ecuador	46	861	9577	Ecuador	Private	2000	0	0	0	2
47	Instituto de Altos Estudios Nacionales	47	864	9592	Ecuador	Public	1972	0	0	0	3
48	Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil	48	870	9645	Ecuador	Private	1962	0	0	0	2
49	Escuela Superior Politécnica Agropecuaria de Manabí	49	871	9658	Ecuador	Public	1999	0	0	0	2

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Type of Institution	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
50	Universidad Técnica de Cotopaxi	50	885	9844	Ecuador	Public	1995	0	0	0	0
51	Universidad Técnica Estatal de Quevedo	51	888	9856	Ecuador	Public	1984	0	0	0	4
52	Universidad Agraria del Ecuador	52	914	10125	Ecuador	Public	1992	0	0	0	1
53	Universidad Tecnológica Empresarial de Guayaquil	53	956	10700	Ecuador	Private	1995	0	0	0	0
54	Universidad de los Hemisferios	54	997	11275	Ecuador	Private	2004	0	0	0	2
55	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsa'chila	55	1070	11874	Ecuador	Private	2017	0	0	0	0
56	Pontificia Universidad Católica Sede Ibarra	56	1084	11966	Ecuador	Private	1976	0	0	0	0
57	Universidad Laica Vicente Rocafuerte de Guayaquil	57	1087	12019	Ecuador	Private	1966	0	0	0	1
58	Universidad Tecnológica Israel	58	1090	12034	Ecuador	Public	1999	0	0	0	1
59	Universidad Politécnica Estatal del Carchi	59	1098	12111	Ecuador	Public	2006	0	0	0	0
60	Universidad Iberoamericana del Ecuador	60	1171	12936	Ecuador	Private	2005	0	0	0	0
61	Ministerio de Educación	61	1271	13672	Ecuador	Public	2018	0	0	0	0
62	Universidad de Otavalo	62	1333	14374	Ecuador	Public	2002	0	0	0	0
63	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Sucre	63	1335	14422	Ecuador	Private	1974	0	0	0	0
64	Universidad de las Artes de Ecuador	64	1347	14525	Ecuador	Public	2013	0	0	0	0
65	Universidad Casa Grande	65	1353	14570	Ecuador	Public	1992	0	0	0	0
66	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsachila	66	1420	15342	Ecuador	Private	2002	0	0	0	0

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Type of Institution	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
67	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Vicente Rocafuerte	67	1435	15436	Ecuador	Private	1993	0	0	0	0
68	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Quito Metropolitano	68	1445	15521	Ecuador	Public	2009	0	0	0	0
69	Universidad de Especialidades Turísticas	69	1449	15546	Ecuador	Private	2010	0	0	0	0
70	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Los Andes	70	1452	15573	Ecuador	Private	1968	0	0	0	0
71	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Vicente León	71	1485	15832	Ecuador	Private	1981	0	0	0	0
72	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Bolivariano de Tecnología	72	1486	15837	Ecuador	Private	2019	0	0	0	0
73	Instituto Superior Tecnológico 17 de Julio	73	1514	16046	Ecuador	Public	1958	0	0	0	0
74	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Libertad	74	1660	17249	Ecuador	Public	2002	0	0	0	0
75	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Lendan	75	1711	17622	Ecuador	Private	1997	0	0	0	0
76	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Guayaquil	76	1880	18513	Ecuador	Private	2017	0	0	0	0

Table IV. Public Universities in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
1	Universidad de las Fuerzas Armadas ESPE	1	121	1817	Ecuador	1922	1	8	15	31
2	Universidad Técnica de Manabí	2	138	2040	Ecuador	1952	0	6	14	34
3	Yachay Tech	3	165	2326	Ecuador	2014	0	4	12	27
4	Universidad de Cuenca	4	166	2346	Ecuador	1867	1	4	10	25
5	Universidad Estatal de Milagro	5	188	2569	Ecuador	2001	0	3	8	21
6	Universidad Nacional de Loja	6	194	2655	Ecuador	1859	1	3	5	8
7	Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar Ecuador	7	196	2686	Ecuador	1985	1	3	4	9
8	Escuela Politécnica Nacional	8	200	2736	Ecuador	1869	0	2	16	36
9	Universidad Técnica de Machala	9	230	3023	Ecuador	1969	1	2	4	7
10	Universidad de Guayaquil	10	231	3037	Ecuador	1867	0	2	4	10
11	Escuela Superior Politécnica del Litoral	11	241	3200	Ecuador	1958	0	1	14	31
12	Universidad Nacional de Chimborazo	12	253	3316	Ecuador	1995	0	1	6	16
13	Universidad Estatal Amazónica	13	269	3470	Ecuador	1973	1	1	4	11
14	Universidad Nacional de Educación UNAE	14	283	3583	Ecuador	2013	0	1	3	8
15	Universidad Católica de Cuenca	15	288	3635	Ecuador	1970	1	1	3	6
16	Universidad Técnica del Norte	16	290	3709	Ecuador	1986	0	1	2	6
17	Universidad Estatal de Bolívar	17	318	4131	Ecuador	1977	1	1	1	1
18	Universidad Central del Ecuador	18	331	4223	Ecuador	1826	0	0	7	15
19	Universidad Regional Amazónica Ikiam	19	336	4295	Ecuador	2013	0	0	5	13
20	Universidad Técnica Luis Vargas Torres de Esmeraldas	20	344	4354	Ecuador	1970	0	0	4	6
21	Universidad Técnica de Babahoyo	21	353	4444	Ecuador	1971	0	0	3	3
22	Universidad Internacional del Ecuador	22	357	4513	Ecuador	1996	0	0	3	5

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
23	Universidad Técnica de Ambato	23	396	4955	Ecuador	1969	0	0	1	9
24	Universidad Estatal Península de Santa Elena	24	410	5073	Ecuador	1998	0	0	1	2
25	Universidad Estatal del Sur de Manabí UNESUM	25	442	5370	Ecuador	2001	0	0	1	2
26	Universidad Bolivariana del Ecuador	26	473	5663	Ecuador	2008	0	0	1	1
27	Escuela Superior Politécnica de Chimborazo	27	496	5953	Ecuador	1969	0	0	0	2
28	Instituto de Altos Estudios Nacionales	28	500	5996	Ecuador	1972	0	0	0	3
29	Escuela Superior Politécnica Agropecuaria de Manabí	29	504	6038	Ecuador	1999	0	0	0	2
30	Universidad Técnica de Cotopaxi	30	512	6130	Ecuador	1995	0	0	0	0
31	Universidad Técnica Estatal de Quevedo	31	515	6137	Ecuador	1984	0	0	0	4
32	Universidad Agraria del Ecuador	32	531	6277	Ecuador	1992	0	0	0	1
33	Universidad Tecnológica Israel	33	627	7193	Ecuador	1999	0	0	0	1
34	Universidad Politécnica Estatal del Carchi	34	632	7224	Ecuador	2006	0	0	0	0
35	Ministerio de Educación	35	709	7917	Ecuador	2018	0	0	0	0
36	Universidad de Otavalo	36	738	8228	Ecuador	2002	0	0	0	0
37	Universidad de las Artes de Ecuador	37	748	8299	Ecuador	2013	0	0	0	0
38	Universidad Casa Grande	38	752	8314	Ecuador	1992	0	0	0	0
39	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Quito Metropolitano	39	792	8725	Ecuador	2009	0	0	0	0
40	Instituto Superior Tecnológico 17 de Julio	40	833	8995	Ecuador	1958	0	0	0	0
41	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Libertad	41	923	9589	Ecuador	2002	0	0	0	0

Table V. Private Universities in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
1	Universidad San Francisco de Quito	1	26	274	Ecuador 1988	2	12	27	43
2	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador	2	49	482	Ecuador 1946	1	5	21	42
3	Universidad Tecnológica Equinoccial	3	57	519	Ecuador 1986	1	5	10	19
4	Universidad de las Américas Ecuador	4	62	569	Ecuador 1995	0	4	14	34
5	Universidad Politécnica Salesiana Ecuador	5	74	670	Ecuador 1994	1	3	11	20
6	FLACSO Ecuador Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales	6	94	812	Ecuador 1974	0	2	14	30
7	Universidad Regional Autónoma de los Andes UNIANDES	7	115	1002	Ecuador 1997	1	2	3	6
8	Universidad Técnica Particular de Loja	8	125	1121	Ecuador 1971	0	1	14	45
9	Universidad de Especialidades Espíritu Santo	9	150	1340	Ecuador 1994	1	1	3	10
10	Universidad Particular Internacional SEK	10	163	1495	Ecuador 1993	0	1	2	5
11	Universidad Ecotec	11	175	1638	Ecuador 1986	0	1	1	3
12	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador Sede Ambato	12	189	1835	Ecuador 1946	0	1	1	2
13	Universidad del Pacífico Ecuador	13	191	1855	Ecuador 1997	0	1	1	1
14	Universidad del Azuay	14	242	2266	Ecuador 1968	0	0	2	7
15	Universidad Laica Eloy Alfaro de Manabí	15	275	2582	Ecuador 1985	0	0	1	7
16	Universidad Tecnológica Indoamérica	16	276	2586	Ecuador 1998	0	0	1	7
17	Universidad Particular San Gregorio de Portoviejo USGP	17	298	2832	Ecuador 2000	0	0	1	3
18	Instituto Superior Tecnológico España	18	360	3506	Ecuador 1984	0	0	1	1
19	Universidad Metropolitana del Ecuador	19	364	3593	Ecuador 2000	0	0	0	2

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
20	Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil	20	367	3616	Ecuador	1962	0	0	0	2
21	Universidad Tecnológica Empresarial de Guayaquil	21	403	4153	Ecuador	1995	0	0	0	0
22	Universidad de los Hemisferios	22	422	4463	Ecuador	2004	0	0	0	2
23	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsa'chila	23	456	4765	Ecuador	2017	0	0	0	0
24	Pontificia Universidad Católica Sede Ibarra	24	462	4809	Ecuador	1976	0	0	0	0
25	Universidad Laica Vicente Rocafuerte de Guayaquil	25	463	4837	Ecuador	1966	0	0	0	1
26	Universidad Iberoamericana del Ecuador	26	508	5347	Ecuador	2005	0	0	0	0
27	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Sucre	27	597	6171	Ecuador	1974	0	0	0	0
28	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsachila	28	638	6688	Ecuador	2002	0	0	0	0
29	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Vicente Rocafuerte	29	647	6741	Ecuador	1993	0	0	0	0
30	Universidad de Especialidades Turísticas	30	656	6810	Ecuador	2010	0	0	0	0
31	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Los Andes	31	658	6822	Ecuador	1968	0	0	0	0
32	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Vicente León	32	667	6950	Ecuador	1981	0	0	0	0
33	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Bolivariano de Tecnología	33	668	6952	Ecuador	2019	0	0	0	0
34	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Lendan	34	768	7851	Ecuador	1997	0	0	0	0
35	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Guayaquil	35	866	8281	Ecuador	2017	0	0	0	0

Table VI. Young Universities in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
1	Universidad de las Américas Ecuador	6	223	2864	Ecuador	1995	0	4	14	34
2	Yachay Tech	7	227	2902	Ecuador	2014	0	4	12	27
3	Universidad Estatal de Milagro	10	266	3270	Ecuador	2001	0	3	8	21
4	Universidad Regional Autónoma de los Andes UNIANDES	17	347	4080	Ecuador	1997	1	2	3	6
5	Universidad Nacional de Chimborazo	20	391	4502	Ecuador	1995	0	1	6	16
6	Universidad Nacional de Educación UNAE	22	431	4907	Ecuador	2013	0	1	3	8
7	Universidad del Pacífico Ecuador	29	507	5938	Ecuador	1997	0	1	1	1
8	Universidad Regional Amazónica Ikiam	32	551	6336	Ecuador	2013	0	0	5	13
9	Universidad Internacional del Ecuador	35	591	6718	Ecuador	1996	0	0	3	5
10	Universidad Tecnológica Indoamérica	39	673	7553	Ecuador	1998	0	0	1	7
11	Universidad Estatal Península de Santa Elena	40	687	7731	Ecuador	1998	0	0	1	2
12	Universidad Particular San Gregorio de Portoviejo USGP	41	732	8126	Ecuador	2000	0	0	1	3
13	Universidad Estatal del Sur de Manabí UNESUM	42	742	8279	Ecuador	2001	0	0	1	2
14	Universidad Bolivariana del Ecuador	43	809	8960	Ecuador	2008	0	0	1	1
15	Universidad Metropolitana del Ecuador	46	861	9577	Ecuador	2000	0	0	0	2
16	Escuela Superior Politécnica Agropecuaria de Manabí	49	871	9658	Ecuador	1999	0	0	0	2
17	Universidad Técnica de Cotopaxi	50	885	9844	Ecuador	1995	0	0	0	0
18	Universidad Tecnológica Empresarial de Guayaquil	53	956	10700	Ecuador	1995	0	0	0	0
19	Universidad de los Hemisferios	54	997	11275	Ecuador	2004	0	0	0	2
20	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsa'chila	55	1070	11874	Ecuador	2017	0	0	0	0

#	University	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country	Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
21	Universidad Tecnológica Israel	58	1090	12034	Ecuador	1999	0	0	0	1
22	Universidad Politécnica Estatal del Carchi	59	1098	12111	Ecuador	2006	0	0	0	0
23	Universidad Iberoamericana del Ecuador	60	1171	12936	Ecuador	2005	0	0	0	0
24	Ministerio de Educación	61	1271	13672	Ecuador	2018	0	0	0	0
25	Universidad de Otavalo	62	1333	14374	Ecuador	2002	0	0	0	0
26	Universidad de las Artes de Ecuador	64	1347	14525	Ecuador	2013	0	0	0	0
27	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Tsachila	66	1420	15342	Ecuador	2002	0	0	0	0
28	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Quito Metropolitano	68	1445	15521	Ecuador	2009	0	0	0	0
29	Universidad de Especialidades Turísticas	69	1449	15546	Ecuador	2010	0	0	0	0
30	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Bolivariano de Tecnología	72	1486	15837	Ecuador	2019	0	0	0	0
31	Instituto Tecnológico Superior Libertad	74	1660	17249	Ecuador	2002	0	0	0	0
32	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Lendan	75	1711	17622	Ecuador	1997	0	0	0	0
33	Instituto Superior Tecnológico Guayaquil	76	1880	18513	Ecuador	2017	0	0	0	0

Table VII. Institutions in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	Institution	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
1	Instituto Nacional de Investigaciones Agropecuarias	1	114	2507	Ecuador	1959	0	0	1
2	Instituto Oceanográfico y Antártico de la Armada	2	163	2893	Ecuador	2012	0	0	0
3	Instituto Nacional de Investigación en Salud Pública	3	173	2959	Ecuador	1987	0	0	1
4	Instituto Ecuatoriano de Enfermedades Digestivas	4	184	3061	Ecuador	2012	0	0	0
5	Instituto Nacional de Patrimonio Cultural	5	191	3127	Ecuador	1978	0	0	0
6	Instituto de Investigación Geológico y Energético	6	193	3142	Ecuador	2018	0	0	0

Table VIII. Companies in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	Company	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
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Table IX. Hospitals in Ecuador: Ranking and Analysis

#	Hospital	Country Rank	Region Rank	World Rank	Country Founded	Scientists in World Top 3%	Scientists in World Top 10%	Scientists in World Top 20%	Scientists in World Top 30%
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