## Table B.8 | Scoring methodology for ICT indicator

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| ICT       | These data measure countries’ ICT licensing framework, validity and transparency of associated costs. The data also cover spectrum management and infrastructure sharing. | 1. Operators offering core mobile services do not require a license to operate or a simple notification to the regulatory agency is allowed | A score of 1 if a simple notification is required or an operating license is not required  
A score of 0 if an individual license is necessary to operate |
|           |             | 2. The licensing framework for mobile operators offering core mobile services is technology and service neutral | A score of 1 if yes  
A score of 0.5 if technology or service neutral  
A score of 0 if neither technology nor service neutral |
|           |             | 3. The validity (in years) of the operating license for mobile operators offering core mobile services is equal to or greater than 15 years | A score of 1 if yes  
A score of 0 if no |
|           |             | 4. The operating license costs, including first-time fee and/or annual fees, if applicable, are publicly available | A score of 1 if available online or if license not required  
A score of 0.5 if available in hard copy  
A score of 0.25 if available upon individual written request  
A score of 0 if not publicly available |
|           |             | 5. The renewal conditions for operating and spectrum licenses for mobile operators offering core mobile services are stated in laws and/or regulations | A score of 1 if yes, for both operating and spectrum licenses  
A score of 0.5 if yes, for operating or spectrum licenses  
A score of 0 if neither operating nor spectrum licenses |
|           |             | 6. Digital dividend has been licensed in practice to mobile operators | A score of 1 if yes  
A score of 0 if no |
|           |             | 7. Low frequency spectrum (below 1 GHz [gigahertz]) has been licensed in practice to mobile operators | A score of 1 if yes  
A score of 0 if no |
|           |             | 8. Voluntary spectrum trading among operators is allowed by law | A score of 1 if yes  
A score of 0 if no |
|           |             | 9. Infrastructure sharing between mobile operators is legally allowed | A score of 1 if both passive and active infrastructure sharing  
A score of 0.75 if active infrastructure sharing  
A score of 0.5 if passive infrastructure sharing  
A score of 0 if neither passive nor active infrastructure sharing |