

$DUC_i$  = Digital User Citizenship score for country  $i$

$DMSP_i$  = Digital Multi-sided Platform score for country  $i$ , and

$DTE_i$  = Digital Technology Entrepreneurship score for country  $i$

Finally, the Digital Platform Economy index (DPE) score is calculated as the simple arithmetic average of the four sub-indices.

$$DPE_i = \frac{1}{4} (DIG_i + DUC_i + DMSP_i + DTE_i) \quad (A6)$$

Where  $DPE_i$  is the Digital Platform Economy index score for country  $i$ .

## APPENDIX II

	Country	y1: Digital infrastructure governance	y2: Digital user citizenship	y3: Digital multisided platforms	y4: Digital technology entrepreneurship	<b>Appendix 2:</b> Digital platform economy (DPE) index 2019: Country data—Output set used in the BOD model (equation (1))
1	Argentina	31.81	33.15	28.44	27.99	
2	Brazil	29.51	27.94	36.35	31.17	
3	Canada	75.37	81.34	78.83	77.13	
4	Chile	36.70	38.66	41.30	36.85	
5	Colombia	31.50	27.47	26.00	27.05	
6	Costa Rica	35.28	36.02	30.67	35.03	
7	Dominican Republic	30.94	14.61	16.11	15.99	
8	Ecuador	22.23	24.30	18.66	20.02	
9	El Salvador	15.46	16.09	17.41	16.76	
10	Guatemala	10.66	16.44	15.02	16.68	
11	Honduras	10.84	15.01	13.92	15.16	
12	Jamaica	18.24	20.71	22.40	17.51	
13	Mexico	31.51	31.53	26.32	28.06	
14	Panama	29.55	28.28	23.68	30.19	
15	Paraguay	15.02	17.66	13.33	16.44	
16	Peru	24.28	24.46	20.37	25.30	
17	United States	80.73	79.00	87.41	92.22	
18	Uruguay	29.84	51.94	32.36	30.70	