



**Figure A-21 GINI Inequality Index**

*Source:* World Bank, *World Development Report 2005: A Better Investment Climate for Everyone* (Washington, D.C., and New York: World Bank and Oxford University Press, 2005).

*Note:* The GINI inequality index is a measure of the extent to which income distribution departs from perfect equality. The higher the number, the more unequal is the distribution. Country data range from 1997 to 2000.