

Malawi Wealth Index Report (2026)

Official valuation ranking of high-net-worth individuals in Malawi

Rank	Full Name	Country	Role / Title	Industry	Net Worth (USD)
#1	Leston Muli	Malawi	economist	Business & Economics	\$200.0M
#2	Atupele Muluzi	Malawi	UDF Leader & Son of Bakili	Politics & Government	\$50.0M
#3	Bakili Muluzi	Malawi	Ex-President (1994-2004)	Politics & Government	\$50.0M
#4	Joyce Banda	Malawi	Ex-President (2012-2014)	Politics & Government	\$50.0M
#5	Bingu wa Mutharika†	Malawi	Ex-President (2004-2012)	Politics & Government	\$10.0M
#6	Thomson Mpinganjira	Malawi	CEO TNM	Business & Economics	\$10.0M
#7	Diana Baluwa	Malawi	businessperson	Business & Economics	\$10.0M
#8	Dr. Dalitso Kabambe	Malawi	Governor Reserve Bank	Business & Economics	\$5.0M
#9	John Tembo†	Malawi	MCP Leader & Banda's Successor	Politics & Government	\$5.0M
#10	Matthews Mtumbuka	Malawi	business executive	Business & Economics	\$5.0M
#11	Peter Mutharika	Malawi	Ex-President (2014-2020)	Politics & Government	\$5.0M
#12	Dr. John Chipangwi	Malawi	HIV Program Director	Entertainment	\$5.0M
#13	Deborah Wanangwa Mbale	Malawi	social entrepreneur	Business & Economics	\$5.0M
#14	Mary Chilima	Malawi	philanthropist	Business & Economics	\$5.0M
#15	Emma Kaliya	Malawi	Coalition of Women in Politics Chair	Entertainment	\$5.0M
#16	Edith Jiya	Malawi	chief executive officer	Politics & Government	\$5.0M
#17	Archbishop Thomas Luke Msusa	Malawi	Archbishop of Blantyre	Entertainment	\$5.0M
#18	Patricia Kaliati	Malawi	UTM Secretary General	Politics & Government	\$5.0M
#19	Lekani Katandula	Malawi	CEO Standard Bank Malawi	Business & Economics	\$3.0M
#20	Francis Pelekamoyo	Malawi	economist	Business & Economics	\$2.0M

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#21	Lazarus Chakwera	Malawi	President of Malawi	Politics & Government	\$2.0M
#22	Ellina Mumba	Malawi	social entrepreneur	Business & Economics	\$2.0M
#23	Lucius Banda	Malawi	Soldier & Musician	Entertainment	\$2.0M
#24	Maxwell Mkwezalamba	Malawi	economist	Business & Economics	\$1.2M
#25	Gerald Phiri Jr	Malawi	Flames Midfielder	Sports	\$1.0M
#26	John Banda	Malawi	Ex-Flames Goalkeeper	Sports	\$1.0M
#27	Saulos Chilima	Malawi	Vice President of Malawi	Politics & Government	\$1.0M
#28	Sosten Gwengwe	Malawi	Minister of Finance	Politics & Government	\$1.0M
#29	Stanley Onjezani Kenani	Malawi	Short Story Writer	Arts & Culture	\$1.0M
#30	Steve Chimombo†	Malawi	Poet & Playwright	Arts & Culture	\$1.0M
#31	Binwell Sinyangwe	Malawi	Novelist	Arts & Culture	\$1.0M
#32	Perks Ligoya	Malawi	banker	Business & Economics	\$1.0M
#33	Yamikani Chester	Malawi	Flames Defender	Sports	\$1.0M
#34	Mike Mkwate	Malawi	Marathon Runner	Sports	\$1.0M
#35	Legson Kayira†	Malawi	Novelist "I Will Try"	Arts & Culture	\$1.0M
#36	Catherine Chikangawa	Malawi	Sprinter	Sports	\$1.0M
#37	Gabadinho Mhango	Malawi	Flames Striker	Sports	\$1.0M
#38	Prof. Nancy Gladstone Mtimuni	Malawi	Professor UNIMA	Academia & Research	\$500,000
#39	Chikoti Chirwa	Malawi	Ex-Flames Forward	Sports	\$500,000
#40	Prof. Samson Sajidu	Malawi	VC University of Malawi	Academia & Research	\$500,000
#41	Reverend Dr. Felix Chingota	Malawi	CCAP Moderator	Entertainment	\$500,000
#42	Robin Ntambirweki-Karema	Malawi	Flames Captain	Sports	\$500,000
#43	Dr. Charles Mwansambo	Malawi	Health Director	Entertainment	\$500,000
#44	Skeffreck Mbewe	Malawi	Gospel Singer	Entertainment	\$500,000
#45	Joyce Mvula	Malawi	Ex-Queens Captain	Sports	\$500,000
#46	Taonga Kamwendo	Malawi	Netball Captain	Sports	\$500,000
#47	Justice Andrew Nyirenda	Malawi	Chief Justice of Malawi	Entertainment	\$500,000
#48	The Black Missionaries	Malawi	Reggae Band	Entertainment	\$500,000
#49	Justice Ivy Kamanga	Malawi	Supreme Court Judge	Entertainment	\$500,000

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#50	Undule Mwakasungula	Malawi	Centre for Human Rights Director	Entertainment	\$500,000