

Press Freedom in Turkey

Monthly Factsheet: August 2025



17 journalists
are currently in
jail in Turkey

Behind Bars



A critical TV
channel was
taken off air.

Trial Monitoring

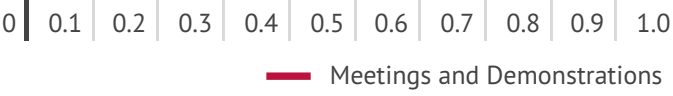
In August, at least **4 journalists stood trial in one case, which was adjourned.** Journalists stood trial for "violating the law on meetings and demonstrations."



Number of cases

1

- Adjourned
- Acquittal
- Verdict



Press Freedom Newsroom

A critical TV channel
was **silenced.**



A five-day broadcast blackout was imposed on TELE1, escalating the use of censorship sanctions by RTÜK .
[Read our joint statement for details.](#)

IPI's work in Turkey



Freedom of Information: A Powerful Tool for Transparency

IPI's Freedom of Information (Fol) training sessions continued with an online session on August 2.
Read our [report](#) for more information.

In September, IPI will continue with an in-person training in Istanbul.
Register [here](#).