FRANCE The **Île-de-France**. centred on Paris, is France's least-vulnerable region. It is least dependent on manufacturing jobs, and what manufacturing activity it does have is (a) highly productive and (b) the most robot-intensive in Low vulnerability the country, alongside the Lower-medium vulnerability Midi-Pyrenees. This means it has already undertaken Upper-medium vulnerability significant levels of High vulnerability automation We find that the most France's most southerly vulnerable region to regions, plus Rhône-Alpes, robotization is Franche-Comté. are collectively the 'runners-up' France's most behind Paris in terms of their low manufacturing-intensive region vulnerability on our Index. These is nevertheless relatively rural and regions are home to advanced sparsely populated. Its relatively high-tech manufacturing companies, low rate of robotization means notably in leading cities such as there could be high levels of Toulouse (home to Airbus, among automation coming. others) and Grenoble, and thus benefit from I a future-ready, highly skilled workforce. Region: **Index Score:** Region: **Index Score:** Most Least Franche-Comté 0.61 Île de France 0.03 vulnerable vulnerable Basse-Normandie 0.51 Provence-Alpes-Côte regions regions 0.26 Picardie 0.51 d'Azur Limousin 0.51 Languedoc-Roussillon 0.30 Aquitaine 0.35 0.49 Auvergne Midi-Pyrénées 0.36