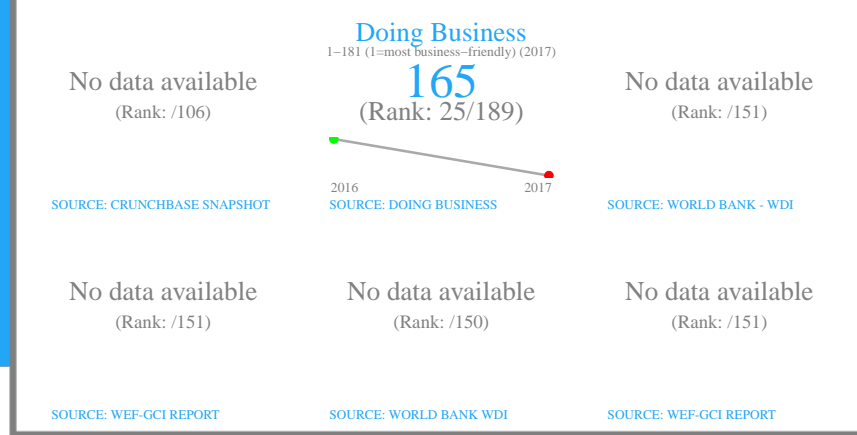


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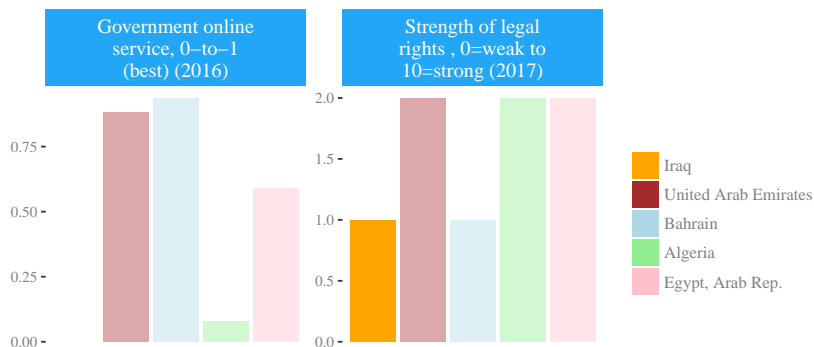
## Country Snapshot



## POLICY

Laws, regulations, and government initiatives

## GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCE: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECH. REPORT; WDI

## INVESTMENT FRIENDLINESS

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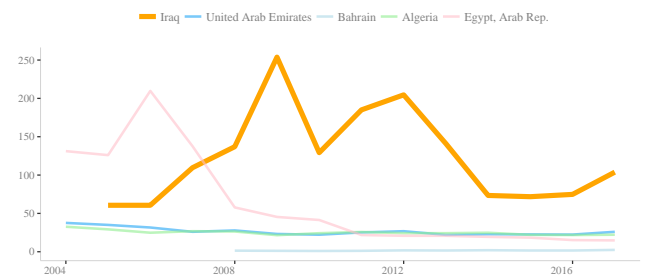
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## DOING BUSINESS 2017

	2016	DTF	2017	Change	2016	Rank	2017	Change
<b>Ease of doing business index</b>	<b>44.99</b>	<b>45.61</b>	<b>0.62</b>		<b>166</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>1</b>	
Dealing with Construction Permits	62.26	67.66	5.4		130	104	26	
Enforcing Contracts	48.94	48.94	0		138	138	0	
Getting Credit	5	5	0		181	181	0	
Getting Electricity	55.07	57.51	2.44		138	133	5	
Paying Taxes	80.86	80.86	0		50	52	-2	
Protecting Minority Investors	45	45	0		118	123	-5	
Registering Property	55.77	56.28	0.51		114	115	-1	
Resolving Insolvency	0	0	0		169	169	0	
Starting a Business	73.45	71.32	-2.13		153	164	-11	
Trading Across Borders	23.51	23.51	0		179	179	0	

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

## COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES, % of GNI per capita



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

## HUMAN CAPITAL

State of educational institutions and access to skilled labor

## AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION (1-7, 7 = best)

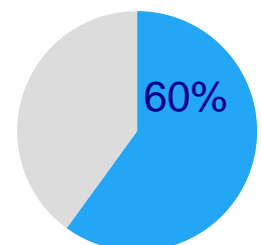
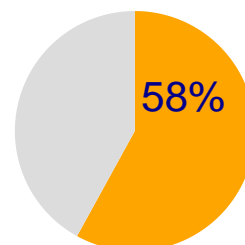
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SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

## POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR (% total employed population)

Iraq (2008)

MEA (average, 2008)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

## FINANCING

Sources of capital available for digital entrepreneurs, including debt, equity, grants, blended financing, etc

### FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

**FDI, net inflows**  
BoP, current US\$, as % GDP (2015)

**2.1**  
(Rank: 112/195)



**Investment in Telecoms w/ Private Part.**  
current US\$ Million (2015)

**459**  
(Rank: 19/136)



No data available

(Rank: /115)

SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

### INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

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### VENTURE CAPITAL AVAILABILITY (1-7, best)

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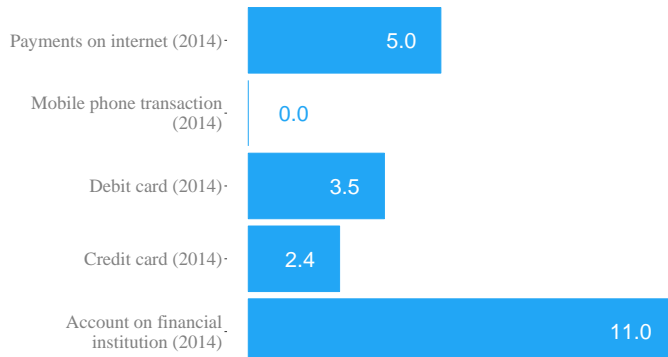
SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

## MARKETS

Existence of early customers and distribution channels

### FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

### DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS



SOURCE: ES; WEF-GCI REPORT; WDI; CONSUMER BAROMETER

## CULTURE

Societal attitudes toward entrepreneurship

	Avg 2010-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2011	2016
Company spending on R&D, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Listed domestic companies, total, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Perceived Capabilities, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Fear of Failure Rate, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Tech Startups, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		

SOURCE: ES; WEF-GCI REPORT; WDI; CONSUMER BAROMETER

## SUPPORTS

Infrastructure and support services available through incubators, accelerators and other NGOs

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2011	2016
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint, % of firms	40.2	40.2	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., % of firms	32.6	32.6	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Quality of electricity supply, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Broadband Internet, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Internet bandwidth, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Access to electricity, % population	98.0	NA	100.0	NA	NA	NA	—		
ICT goods imports, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Internet users, per 100 population	1.5	5.0	7.1	9.2	13.2	17.2	—		

SOURCE: ES; WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI