



Slovak Republic

Ease of doing business index
=most business-friendly regulation

29 (Rank: 24)

Broadband Internet subscriptions
per 100 population (2015)

22 (Rank: 39)

Availability of scientists and engineers
1-7, best (2015)

3.8 (Rank: 47)

Tertiary education enrollment rate
population at tertiary education level

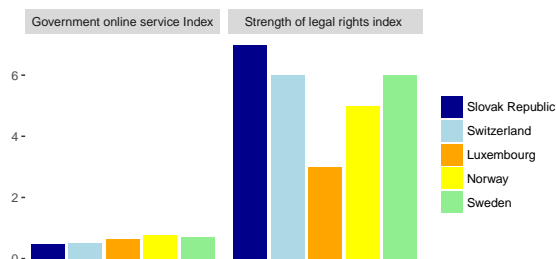
54 (Rank: 148)

Venture capital availability
1-7, best (2015)

2.9 (Rank: 83)

Policy

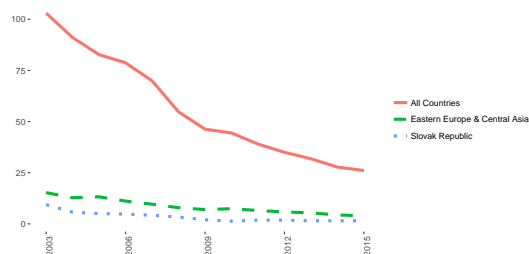
Government indexes



Investment climate

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Cost of Business Startup Procedures % of GNI per capita



Doing Business 2015

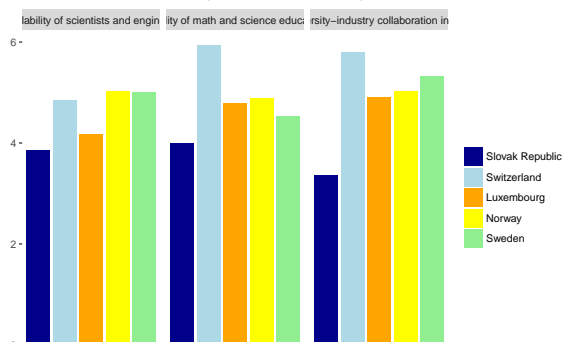
	2015	DTF 2016	Change	2015	Rank 2016	Change
Ease of Doing Business	74.74	75.62	0.88	29	29	0
Dealing with Construction Permits	69.48	69.48	0	78	84	-6
Enforcing Contracts	61.69	61.69	0	63	63	0
Getting Credit	65	65	0	36	42	-6
Getting Electricity	80.3	80.3	0	46	48	-2
Paying Taxes	69.62	76.79	7.17	109	73	36
Protecting Minority Investors	53.33	53.33	0	87	88	-1
Registering Property	90.99	90.99	0	5	5	0
Resolving Insolvency	69.93	70.04	0.11	30	33	-3
Starting a Business	87.02	88.54	1.52	71	68	3
Trading Across Borders	100	100	0	1	1	0

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Source: Doing Business Report 2015

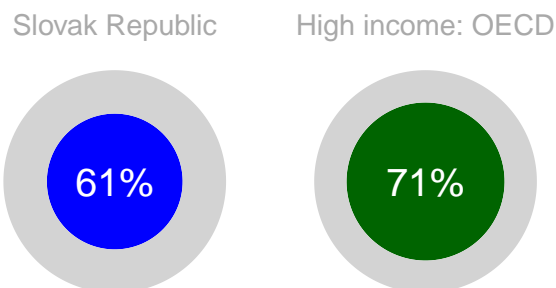
Human capital

Availability of skilled labor and education (1-7, 7 = best)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Population employed in services sector (% total employed population)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Finance

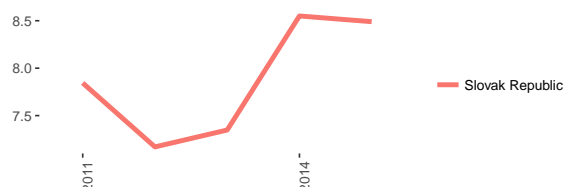
FDI, Public Capital Market and Venture Capital

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Foreign direct investment, net	-2,731,568,055.9	-	272,619,005.2	55,904,287.2	NA
Market capitalization of listed companies	5.5	5.0	4.9	NA	NA
Investment in telecoms with private participation	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

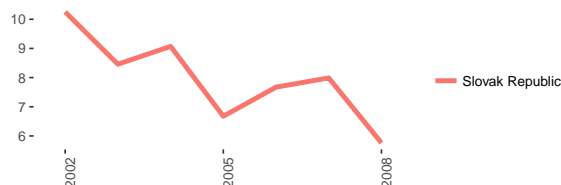


Informal Investors rate (% employed population)



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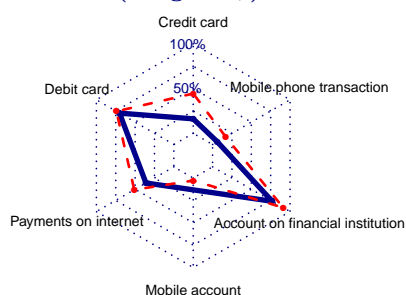
Lending interest rate



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Markets

Financial inclusion (% age 15+)



+ Slovak Republic + High income: OECD

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

	Slovak Republic	Europe and Central Asia	All Countries
Broadband Internet subscriptions	22	—	—
Internet bandwidth	12	—	—
Internet users	80	69	14

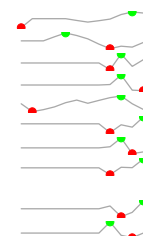
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Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

Culture

	Avg 2002-2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
ICT service exports	16.2	22.1	28.6	32.2	30.7	—
Company spending on R&D	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.3
Fear of Failure Rate	—	31.8	38.3	33.2	36.0	33.6
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship	—	64.4	74.4	58.5	58.0	64.2
New business density	3.8	4.9	5.1	NA	3.1	—
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepreneurial Activity: Rel. Prevalence	—	33.9	42.9	40.2	51.8	51.3
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship	—	55.1	59.4	51.7	52.6	54.0
New Product early-stage Entrepreneurial Activity	—	42.3	52.0	51.4	62.8	47.7
Number of tech startups	—	—	—	—	—	—
Perceived Capabilities	—	52.9	49.7	51.0	54.4	52.4
Total early-stage Entrepreneurial Activity (TEA)	—	14.2	10.2	9.5	10.9	9.6



Supports

	Avg 2002-2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Access to electricity	100.0	NA	100.0	NA	NA	—
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes	2.8	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.2
Quality of electricity supply	6.0	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint	—	—	—	—	—	—
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. auditors	—	—	—	—	—	—
ICT goods imports	10.6	11.5	12.8	14.2	14.5	—

