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Ease of doing business index
=most business-friendly regulation

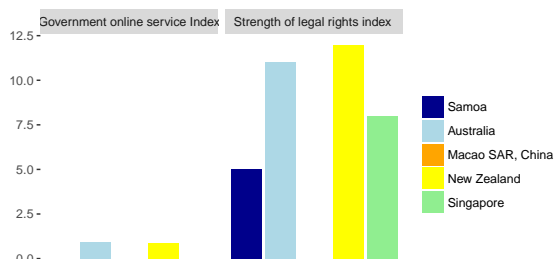
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(Rank:)

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Policy

Government indexes



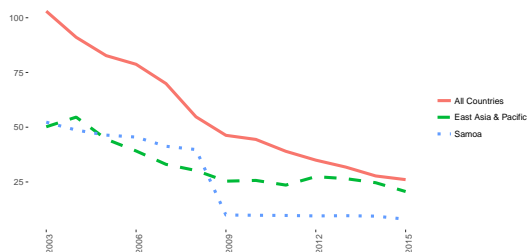
Investment climate

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Cost of Business Startup Procedures % of GNI per capita



Doing Business 2015

	DTF			Rank		
	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change
Ease of Doing Business	60.63	60.7	0.07	92	96	-4
Dealing with Construction Permits	68.11	68.3	0.19	92	93	-1
Enforcing Contracts	59.42	59.42	0	79	79	0
Getting Credit	25	25	0	150	152	-2
Getting Electricity	79.32	79.67	0.35	49	52	-3
Paying Taxes	72.1	72.1	0	98	100	-2
Protecting Minority Investors	58.33	58.33	0	54	57	-3
Registering Property	69.2	69.13	-0.07	61	65	-4
Resolving Insolvency	33.19	33.23	0.04	133	133	0
Starting a Business	92.28	92.46	0.18	33	39	-6
Trading Across Borders	49.35	49.35	0	152	151	1

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Source: Doing Business Report 2015

Human capital

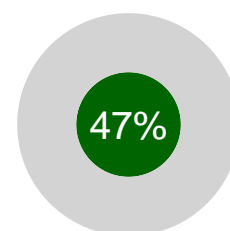
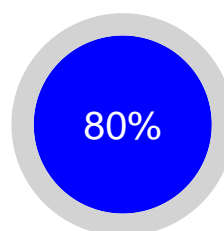
Availability of skilled labor and education (1-7, 7 = best)

Data not available

Population employed in services sector (% total employed population)

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East Asia & Pacific



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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Finance

FDI, Public Capital Market and Venture Capital

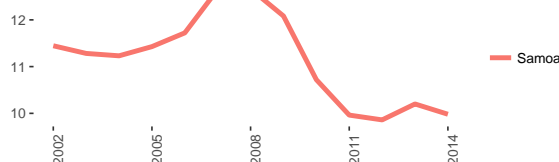
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Foreign direct investment, net	-8,383,929	-	-	-	NA
Market capitalization of listed companies	NA	3,886,693	24,080,842	18,509,996	NA
Investment in telecoms with private participation	0	0	0	0	NA

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Informal Investors rate (% employed population)

Data not available

Lending interest rate



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Markets

Financial inclusion (% age 15+)

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	Samoa	East Asia and Pacific	All Countries
Internet users	3.1	34.2	14.2

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Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Culture

	Avg 2002-2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
ICT service exports	11.54	12.07	6.82	6.76	9.50	—
Company spending on R&D	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fear of Failure Rate	—	—	—	—	—	—
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship	—	—	—	—	—	—
New business density	0.98	1.25	1.04	NA	NA	—
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepreneurial Activity: Rel. Prevalence	—	—	—	—	—	—
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Product early-stage Entrepreneurial Activity	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of tech startups	—	—	—	—	—	—
Perceived Capabilities	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total early-stage Entrepreneurial Activity (TEA)	—	—	—	—	—	—

Supports

	Avg 2002-2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Access to electricity	99.6	NA	100.0	NA	NA	—
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes	—	—	—	—	—	—
Quality of electricity supply	—	—	—	—	—	—
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint	—	—	—	—	—	—
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. auditors	—	—	—	—	—	—
ICT goods imports	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.7	3.8	—