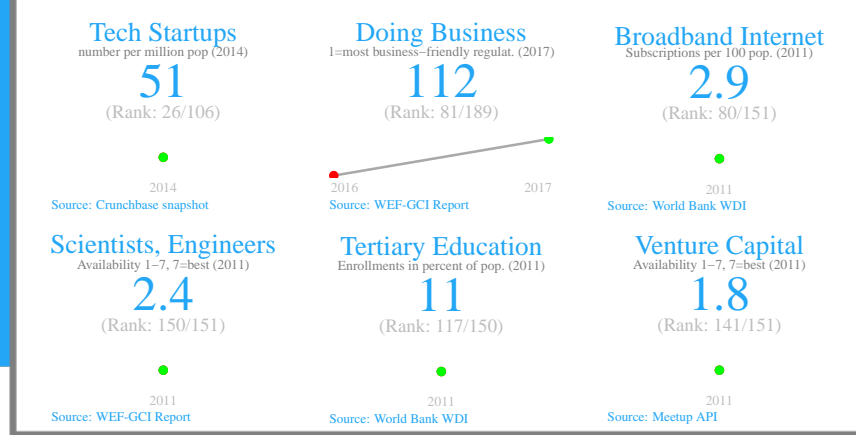


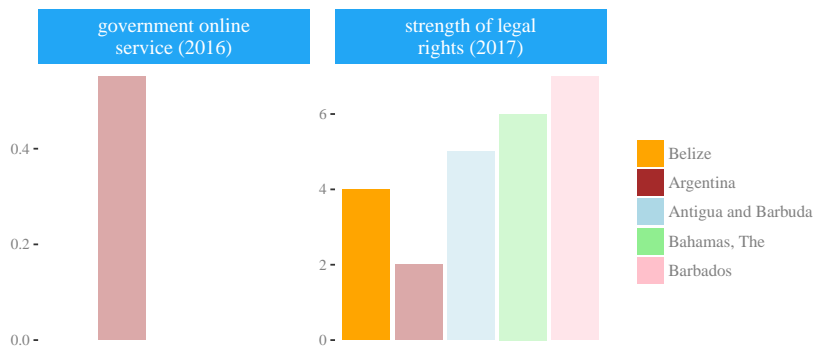
# Belize

## Country Snapshot



## POLICY

### GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

### INVESTMENT CLIMATE

Data not available

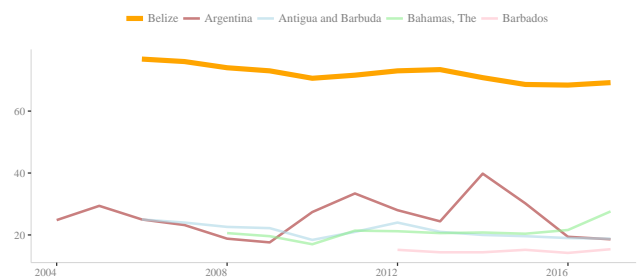
SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

### DOING BUSINESS 2017

	2016	DTF	Change	2016	Rank	Change
		2017			2017	
<b>Ease of doing business index</b>	<b>58.06</b>	<b>58.06</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>-2</b>
Dealing with Construction Permits	68.3	68.17	-0.13	97	100	-3
Enforcing Contracts	50.11	50.11	0	132	134	-2
Getting Credit	20	20	0	163	167	-4
Getting Electricity	73.01	72.96	-0.05	70	79	-9
Paying Taxes	83.03	83.03	0	42	44	-2
Protecting Minority Investors	46.67	46.67	0	112	118	-6
Registering Property	52.82	52.84	0.02	128	126	2
Resolving Insolvency	55	55.5	0.5	80	81	-1
Starting a Business	73.28	73.22	-0.06	156	158	-2
Trading Across Borders	68.13	68.13	0	99	101	-2

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

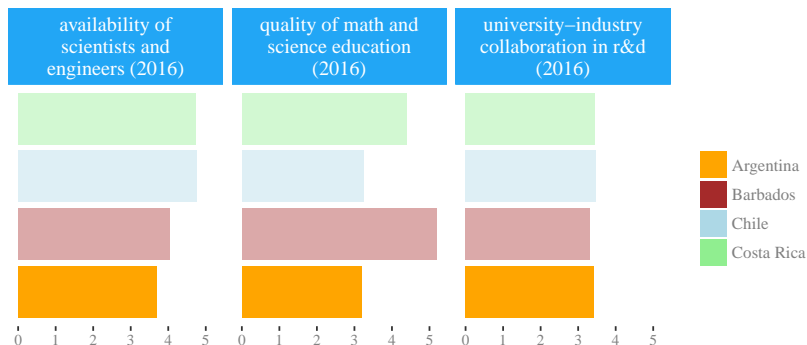
### COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES % of GNI per capita



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

## HUMAN CAPITAL

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

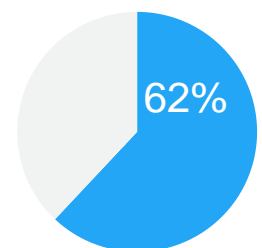
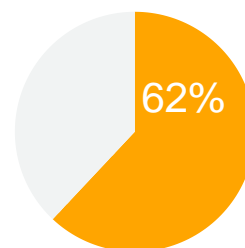


SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

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

Belize (2005)

LCN (simple average, 2005)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

# FINANCE

## FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

### FDI, net inflows

BoP, current US\$, as % GDP (2015)

3.4

(Rank: 85/195)



### Investment in Telecoms w/ Private Part.

Millions, \$US (2003)

45

(Rank: 70/136)



### Market Capitaliz. of Listed Companies

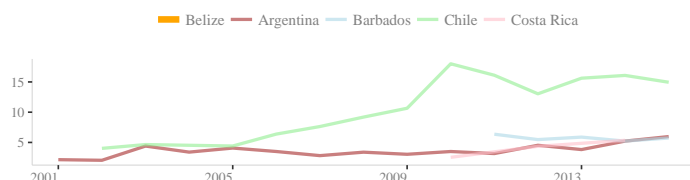
Millions, \$US

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(Rank: /136)

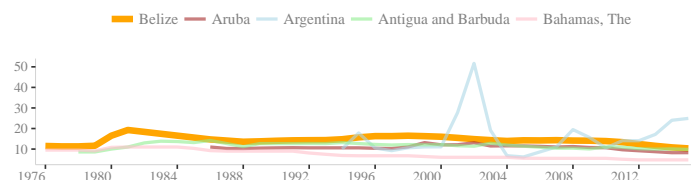
SOURCES: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

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



SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

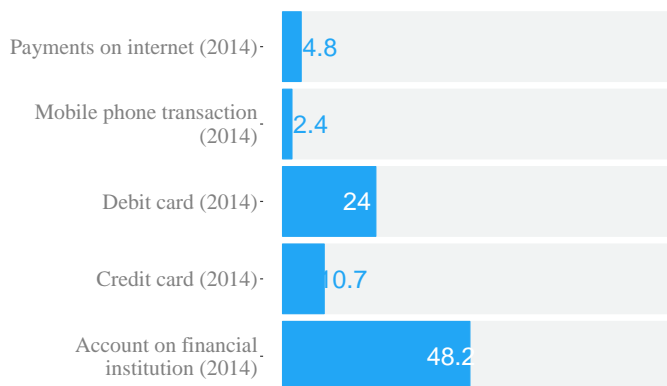
## LENDING INTEREST RATES (% of interest rate)



WORLD BANK - WDI

# MARKETS

## FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

## DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

### Internet bandwidth

kb/s/capita (2016)

2.9

(Rank: 131/151)

### Firms using email to interact with clients/suppliers (%)

% of firms (2010)

85

(Rank: 45/146)

### Internet users

per 100 population (2015)

0

(Rank: 182/211)

### Firms with their own Website

% of firms (2014)

27.7

(Rank: 98/143)

### Broadband Internet subscriptions

per 100 population (2016)

2.9

(Rank: 81/151)

SOURCES: ENTERPRISE SURVEYS; WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

# CULTURE

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2011	2016
Company spending on R&D, 1-7, best	1.9	1.9	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
ICT service exports, % of service exports, BoP	11.4	9.8	11.5	9.8	11.7	13.6	—		
New business density, new registrations per 1,000 people ages 15-64	4.4	5.3	4.3	NA	3.1	NA	—		
Perceived Capabilities, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	NA	NA	69.0	NA	—		
Fear of Failure Rate, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	NA	NA	32.6	NA	—		
Number of tech startups, number per million pop	NaN	NA	NA	NA	50.8	NA	—		
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	NA	NA	55.5	NA	—		
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	NA	NA	43.2	NA	—		
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	NA	NA	7.1	NA	—		
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, % of TEA	NaN	NA	NA	NA	47.6	NA	—		
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, % of TEA	NaN	NA	NA	NA	30.7	NA	—		

SOURCES: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION; WORLD BANK - WDI

# SUPPORTS

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2011	2016
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint, % of firms	56.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., % of firms	64.5	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Quality of electricity supply, 1-7, best	4.1	4.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes, 1-7, best	3.1	3.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Access to electricity, % population	99.3	NA	100.0	NA	NA	NA	—		
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	3.5	2.4	3.6	2.8	2.9	NA	—		

SOURCES: ENTERPRISE SURVEYS; WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI