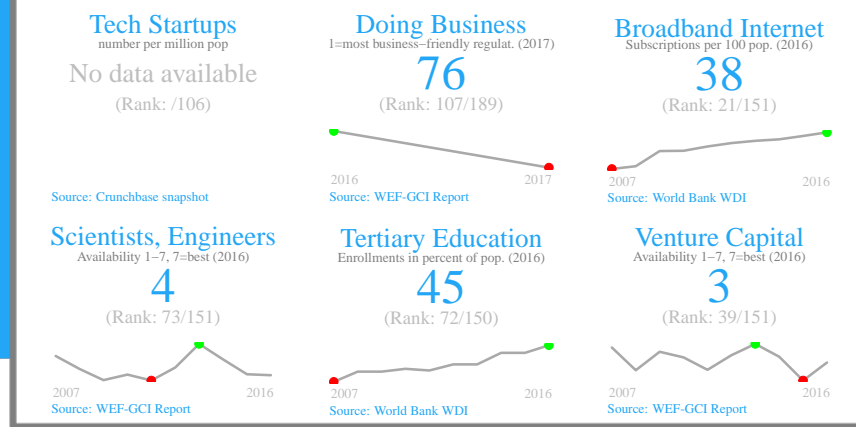


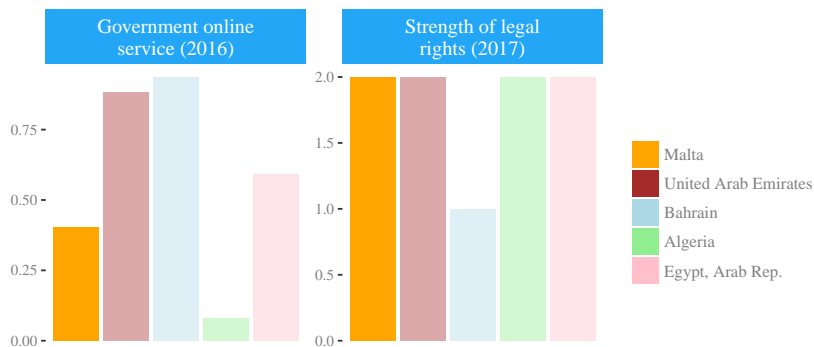
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Country Snapshot



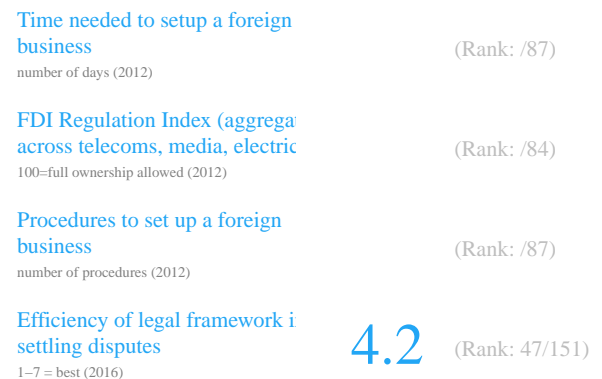
POLICY Laws, regulations, and government initiatives

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

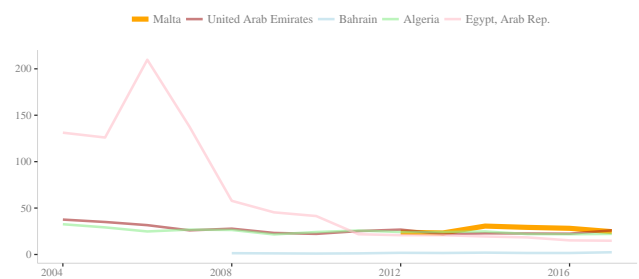
INVESTMENT FRIENDLINESS



DOING BUSINESS 2017

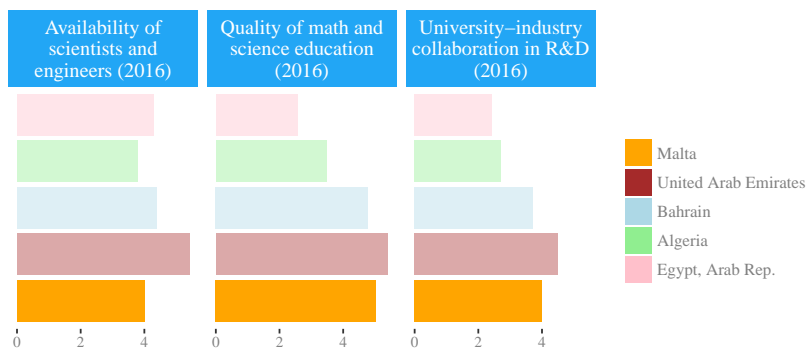
	2016	DTF	Change	2016	Rank	Change
Ease of doing business index	62.52	65.01	2.49	83	76	7
Dealing with Construction Permits	69.75	69.99	0.24	80	82	-2
Enforcing Contracts	62.17	62.17	0	59	58	1
Getting Credit	10	30	20	174	139	35
Getting Electricity	69.78	73	3.22	88	77	11
Paying Taxes	85.88	84.59	-1.29	26	33	-7
Protecting Minority Investors	65	65	0	30	32	-2
Registering Property	48.79	48.81	0.02	148	147	1
Resolving Insolvency	39.6	40.7	1.1	81	84	-3
Starting a Business	78.01	80.21	2.2	131	132	-1
Trading Across Borders	91.01	91.01	0	40	40	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

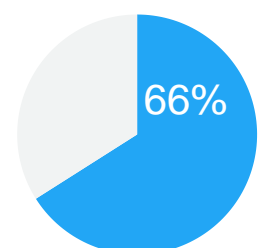
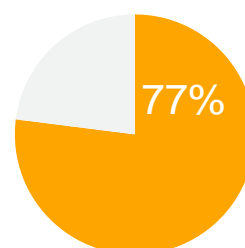
AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION
(1-7, 7 = best)

SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR

(% total employed population)
Malta (2014)

MEA (simple average, 2014)



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 (2013)

5.7

(Rank: 95/195)



Investment in Telecoms w/ Private Part.

Millions, US\$

No data available

(Rank: /136)

Market Capitaliz. of Listed Companies

% of GDP (2013)

44

(Rank: 19/115)



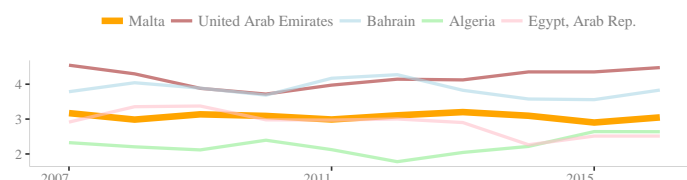
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INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

Data not available

SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

VENTURE CAPITAL AVAILABILITY (1-7, best)

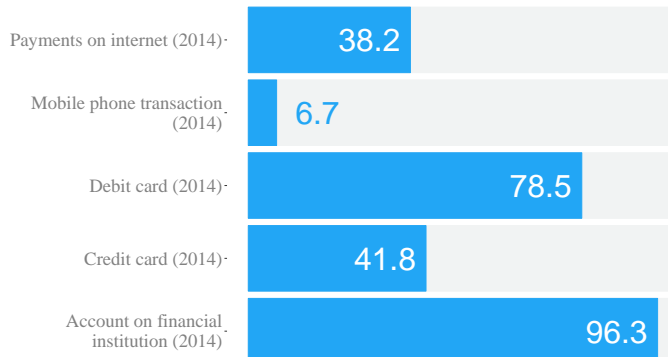


SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

MARKETS

Existence of early customers and distribution channels

FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

New business density

new registrations per 1,000 people ages 15-64 (2009)

9.4

(Rank: 12/137)

Ratio of online/in store purchases

Percentage (2016)

(Rank: /54)

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

% of firms (2010)

(Rank: /146)

Firms with their own Website

% of firms (2014)

(Rank: /143)

ICT service exports

% of service exports, BoP (2014)

8.2

(Rank: 145/178)

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

CULTURE

Societal attitudes toward entrepreneurship

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	
Company spending on R&D, 1-7 = best	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.7	
Listed domestic companies, total, Number	17.0	21.0	22.0	23.0	24.0	23.0	—	
Perceived Capabilities, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Fear of Failure Rate, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Number of tech startups, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total early-stage Entrepreneurship Activity (TEA), NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Improvement-Driven Opportunity Entrepreneurship Activity: Relative Prevalence, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
New Product early-stage Entrepreneurship Activity, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

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

SUPPORTS

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

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Quality of electricity supply, 1-7 = best	4.5	3.9	4.8	5.1	4.8	4.5	4.8	
Broadband Internet subscriptions, per 100 population	20.1	27.5	30.0	31.7	32.8	35.2	37.9	
Internet bandwidth, kb/s/capita	26.8	26.8	47.9	638.5	1,204.6	1,178.8	1,220.6	
Access to electricity, % population	100.0	NA	100.0	NA	NA	NA	—	
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	21.9	13.0	10.9	11.5	6.9	NA	—	
Internet users, per 100 population	48.3	68.0	68.2	68.9	73.2	76.2	—	

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