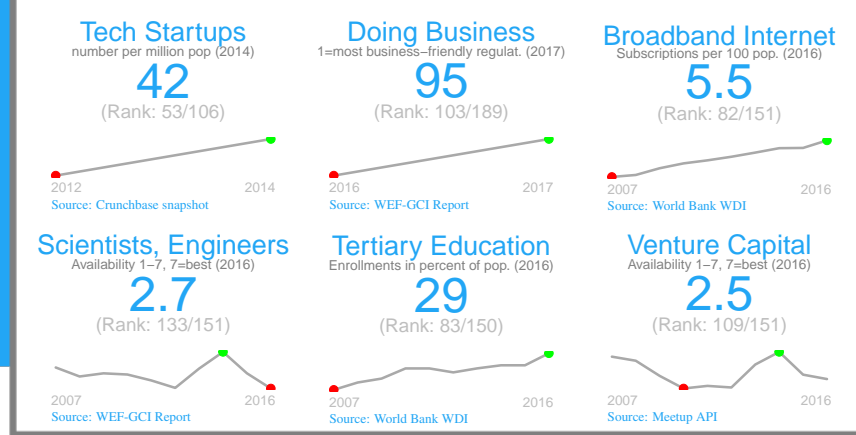


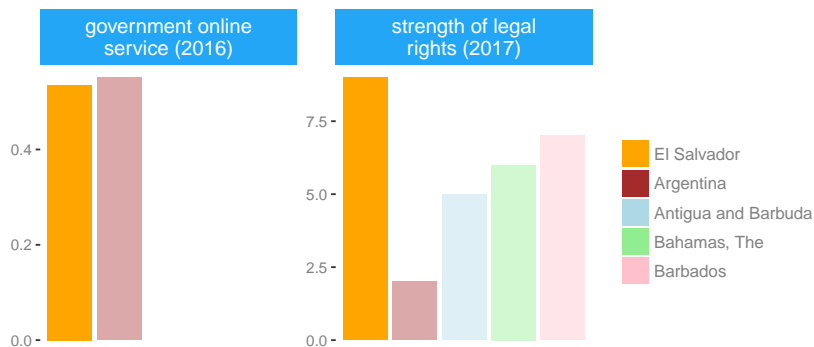
El Salvador

Country Snapshot



POLICY

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

INVESTMENT CLIMATE

Data not available

SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

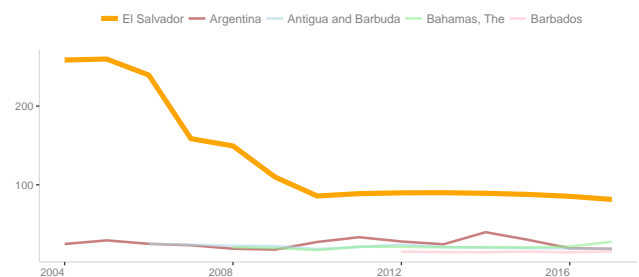
DOING BUSINESS 2017

	2016	DTF	Change	2016	Rank	Change
		2017			2017	
Ease of doing business index	62.2	61.02	-1.18	86	95	-9
Dealing with Construction Permits	56.03	56.29	0.26	154	156	-2
Enforcing Contracts	55.2	55.2	0	102	104	-2
Getting Credit	80	65	-15	14	44	-30
Getting Electricity	63.68	63.75	0.07	106	109	-3
Paying Taxes	47.04	49.51	2.47	168	166	2
Protecting Minority Investors	38.33	38.33	0	157	158	-1
Registering Property	67.13	67.09	-0.04	70	71	-1
Resolving Insolvency	33	32.9	-0.1	78	80	-2
Starting a Business	80.19	80.7	0.51	122	129	-7
Trading Across Borders	88.49	88.49	0	44	44	0

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES

% of GNI per capita

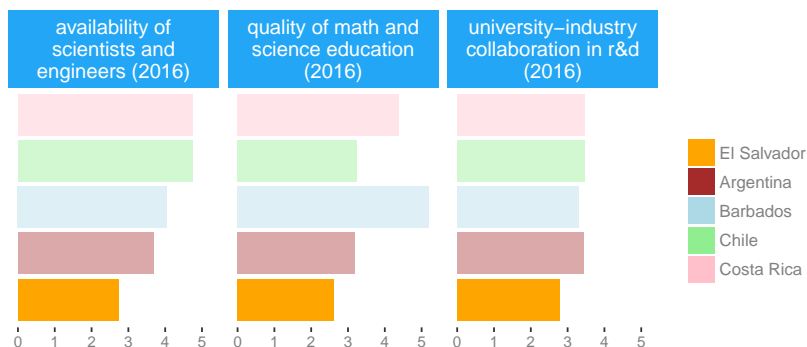


SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

HUMAN CAPITAL

AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION

(1-7, 7 = best)

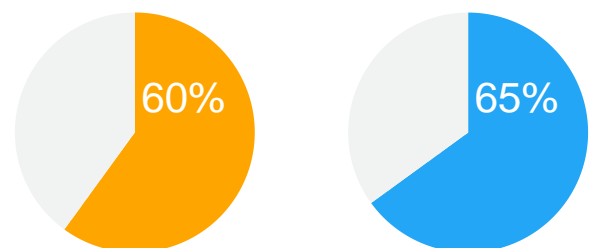


SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR

(% total employed population)

El Salvador (2013) LCN (simple average, 2013)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

FINANCE

FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

FDI, net inflows

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

2

(Rank: 143/195)



Investment in Telecoms w/ Private Part.

Millions, \$US (2014)

202

(Rank: 71/136)



Market Capitaliz. of Listed Companies

% of GDP (2012)

45

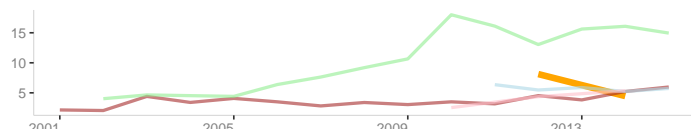
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SOURCES: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

El Salvador Argentina Barbados Chile Costa Rica



SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

LENDING INTEREST RATES (% of interest rate)

Data not available

WORLD BANK - WDI

MARKETS

FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)

Payments on internet (2014)

4

Mobile phone transaction (2014)

2.8

Mobile account (2014)

4.6

Debit card (2014)

21.8

Credit card (2014)

8

Account on financial institution (2014)

34.6

SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

Internet bandwidth

kb/s/capita (2016)

2.4

(Rank: 136/151)

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

% of firms (2010)

88.1

(Rank: 32/146)

Internet users

per 100 population (2015)

20.3

(Rank: 76/211)

Firms with their own Website

% of firms (2014)

51.9

(Rank: 42/143)

Broadband Internet subscriber

per 100 population (2016)

2.8

(Rank: 83/151)

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

CULTURE

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	
Company spending on R&D, 1-7, best	2.54	2.50	2.73	3.52	3.96	3.13	2.75	
ICT service exports, % of service exports, BoP	10.64	10.47	10.50	8.96	9.46	11.08	—	
New business density, new registrations per 1,000 people ages 15-64	0.49	0.45	0.48	NA	0.52	NA	—	
Perceived Capabilities, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	58.51	NA	70.81	NA	—	
Fear of Failure Rate, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	41.72	NA	34.90	NA	—	
Number of tech startups, number per million pop	NaN	NA	39.75	NA	41.54	NA	—	
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	71.90	NA	59.49	NA	—	
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	61.83	NA	59.55	NA	—	
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), % of 18-64 population	NaN	NA	15.26	NA	19.48	NA	—	
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, % of TEA	NaN	NA	39.22	NA	54.48	NA	—	
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, % of TEA	NaN	NA	56.14	NA	10.57	NA	—	

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

SUPPORTS

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint, % of firms	32.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—	
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., % of firms	96.6	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—	
Quality of electricity supply, 1-7, best	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.9	
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes, 1-7, best	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.5	3.0	2.6	
Access to electricity, % population	92.0	NA	93.7	NA	NA	NA	—	
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	4.7	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.2	NA	—	

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