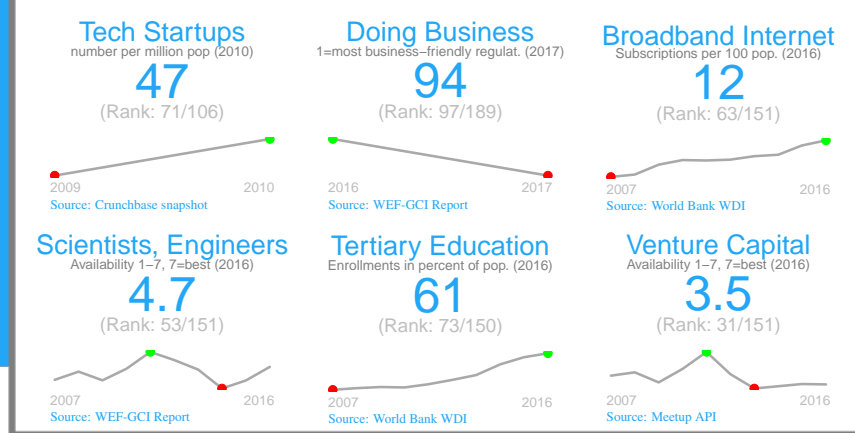


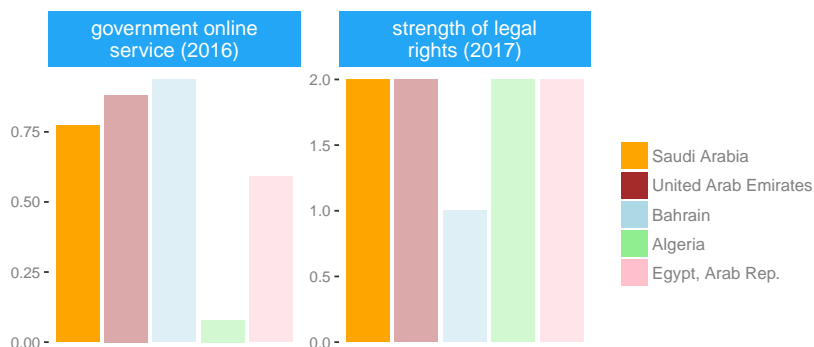
# Saudi Arabia

## Country Snapshot



## POLICY

### GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

### INVESTMENT CLIMATE



SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

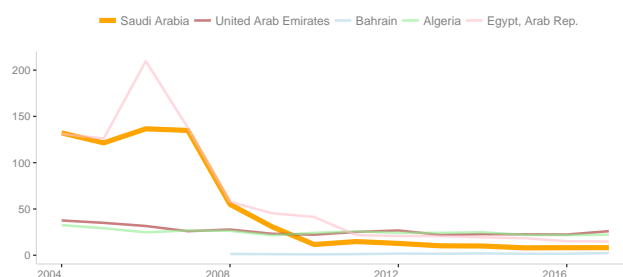
### DOING BUSINESS 2017

	DTF			Rank		
	2016	2017	Change	2016	2017	Change
<b>Ease of doing business index</b>	<b>60.33</b>	<b>61.11</b>	<b>0.78</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>2</b>
Dealing with Construction Permits	80.75	80.66	-0.09	14	15	-1
Enforcing Contracts	55.07	55.07	0	103	105	-2
Getting Credit	50	50	0	78	82	-4
Getting Electricity	84.83	84.81	-0.02	23	28	-5
Paying Taxes	77.15	77.04	-0.11	65	69	-4
Protecting Minority Investors	51.67	58.33	6.66	97	63	34
Registering Property	78.15	78.51	0.36	32	32	0
Resolving Insolvency	0	0	0	169	169	0
Starting a Business	76.07	77.09	1.02	146	147	-1
Trading Across Borders	49.62	49.62	0	158	158	0

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

### COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES

% of GNI per capita

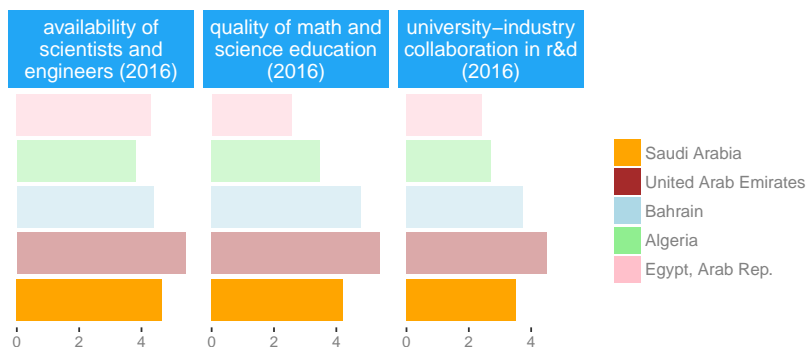


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## HUMAN CAPITAL

### AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION

(1-7, 7 = best)

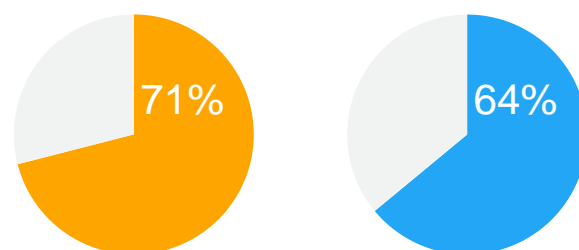


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### POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR

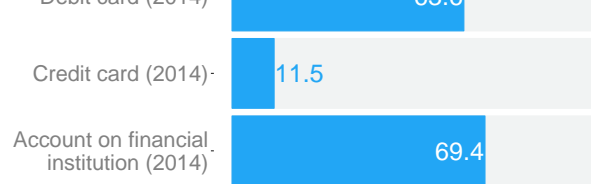
(% total employed population)

Saudi Arabia (2013) MEA (simple average, 2013)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI





SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

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	3.8	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.6	3.7	3.5		
ICT service exports, % of service exports, BoP	21.5	2.9	3.6	3.3	3.6	1.9	—		
New business density, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Perceived Capabilities, % of 18-64 population	70.9	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Fear of Failure Rate, % of 18-64 population	44.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Number of tech startups, number per million pop	41.7	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	90.8	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	78.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), % of 18-64 population	7.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, % of TEA	68.8	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, % of TEA	58.2	NA	NA	NA	NA	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, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Quality of electricity supply, 1-7, best	5.9	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.2	6.2		
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes, 1-7, best	4.3	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.7	4.8		
Access to electricity, % population	94.1	NA	97.7	NA	NA	NA	—		
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	6.0	8.0	7.3	7.4	NA	NA	—		

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