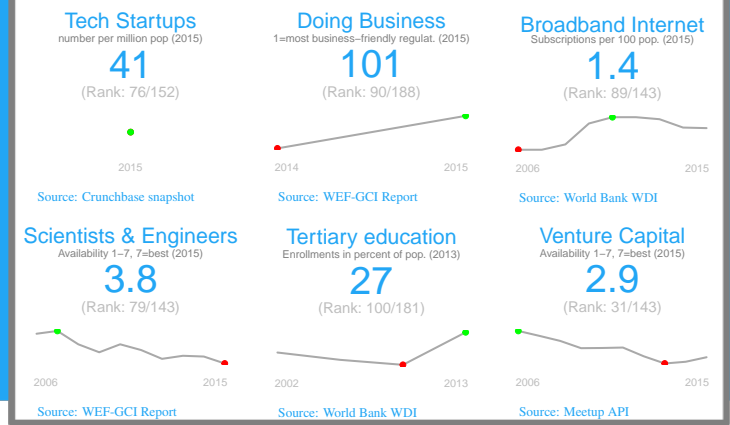
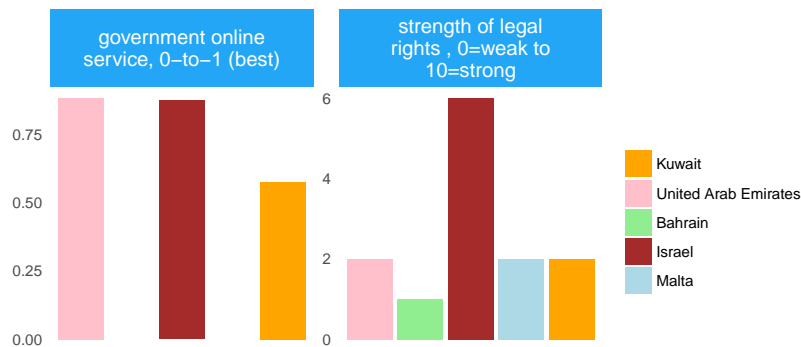


Kuwait



POLICY

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

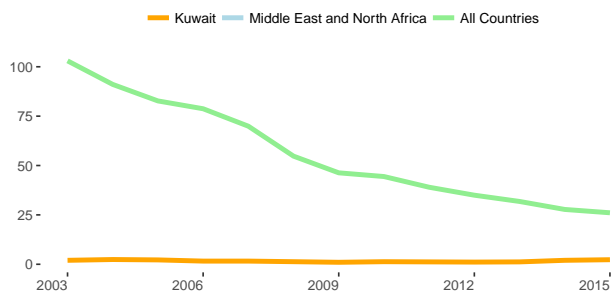
INVESTMENT CLIMATE

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SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES

% of GNI per capita



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

DOING BUSINESS 2015

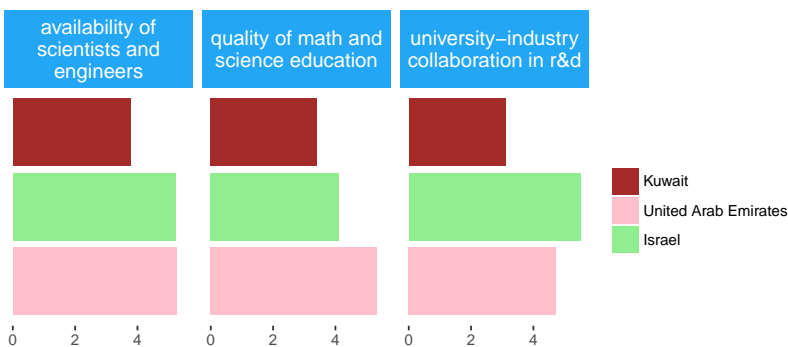
| | 2015 | DTF 2016 | Change | 2015 | Rank 2016 | Change |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| Ease of Doing Business | 59.77 | 60.17 | 0.4 | 100 | 101 | -1 |
| Dealing with Construction Permits | 62.27 | 62.23 | -0.04 | 131 | 133 | -2 |
| Enforcing Contracts | 62.36 | 62.36 | 0 | 58 | 58 | 0 |
| Getting Credit | 40 | 40 | 0 | 105 | 109 | -4 |
| Getting Electricity | 58.4 | 58.38 | -0.02 | 122 | 128 | -6 |
| Paying Taxes | 92.48 | 92.48 | 0 | 11 | 11 | 0 |
| Protecting Minority Investors | 56.67 | 56.67 | 0 | 64 | 66 | -2 |
| Registering Property | 68.42 | 68.42 | 0 | 68 | 68 | 0 |
| Resolving Insolvency | 36.02 | 35.95 | -0.07 | 122 | 122 | 0 |
| Starting a Business | 71.28 | 75.37 | 4.09 | 150 | 148 | 2 |
| Trading Across Borders | 49.85 | 49.85 | 0 | 150 | 149 | 1 |

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

HUMAN CAPITAL

AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION

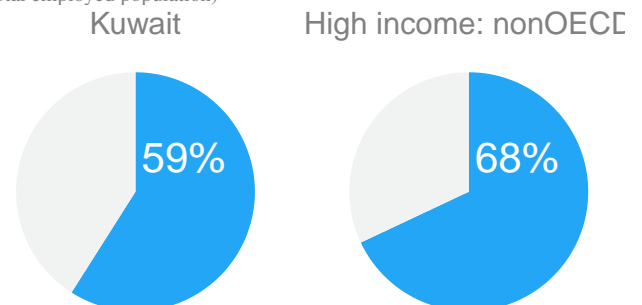
(1-7, 7 = best)



SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR

(% total employed population)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

FINANCE

FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

| | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|---|------|------|------|-------|-------|------|
| Foreign direct investment, net, USD billions | 4.59 | 7.51 | 3.87 | 15.21 | 12.62 | ... |
| Market capitalization of listed companies, % of GDP | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Investment in telecoms with private participation, USD billions | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

SOURCES: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

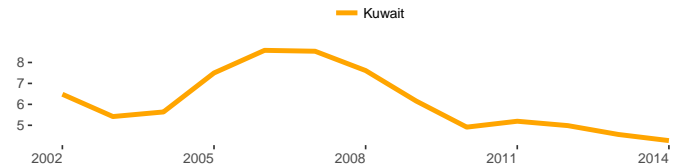


INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

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SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

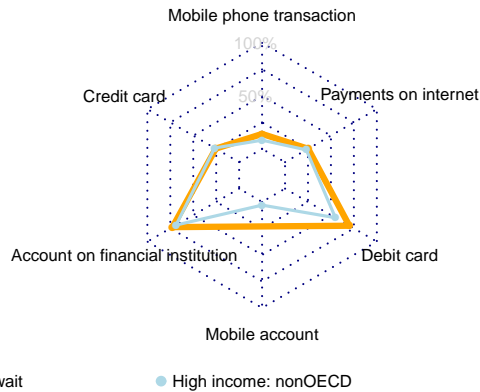
LENDING INTEREST RATES (% of interest rate)



WORLD BANK - WDI

MARKETS

FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

| | Middle East and North Africa | Kuwait | All Countries |
|---|------------------------------|--------|---------------|
| Broadband Internet subscriptions (per 100 pop.) | — | 1.4 | — |
| Internet bandwidth (kb/s/capita) | — | 6.0 | — |
| Internet users (per 100 pop.) | 31.3 | 34.8 | 14.2 |

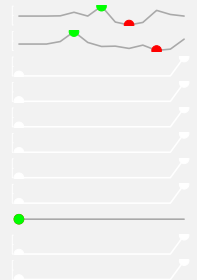
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CULTURE

| | Avg 2002-2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|---|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| ICT service exports, % of service exports, BoP | 49.8 | 35.7 | 39.0 | 54.6 | 49.3 | — |
| Company spending on R&D, 1-7, best | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.9 |
| Fear of Failure Rate, NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| New business density, new registrations per 1,000 people ages 15-64 | NaN | NA | NA | NA | NA | — |
| Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Number of tech startups, number per million pop | — | — | — | — | — | 41.0 |
| Perceived Capabilities, NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |

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



SUPPORTS

| | Avg 2002-2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|--|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Access to electricity, % population | 94.1 | NA | 97.7 | NA | NA | — |
| Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes, 1-7, best | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 4.1 |
| Quality of electricity supply, 1-7, best | 5.1 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 5.2 |
| % firms identifying transportation as major constraint, NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| % of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., NA | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| ICT goods imports, % total goods imports | 5.5 | NA | NA | 6.8 | 7.2 | — |

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