



Snapshots Data Note



Norway

GDP (US\$	Population	Land area (sq.	Income per	Unemployment	Ease of Doing
billions) (2017)	(millions)	km) (2015)	capita (current	rate (2016)	Business Rank
	(2017)		US\$) (2017)		(2016)
554.6	5.3	365,245.0	104,782.6	4.6	9.0

Macro Indicators

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	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	1.62	0.82	2.18	1.40	1.80	2.30
Current account balance	13.66	10.01	10.70	10.53	10.45	10.47
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	13.23	10.87	9.77	9.95	10.36	10.02
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.16	0.15	0.15	_	_	
General government gross debt [3]	41.24	30.30	27.94	27.94	27.94	
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	95.74	100.68	94.78	104.07	105.09	105.86
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	1.85	2.13	2.03	1.25	1.25	1.25



Investment indicators

investment indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	19.8	23.6	23.4	21.4	19.6	18.3
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	24.4	28.3	28.4			_
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	2.4	2.8	1.7	_	_	_
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	10.9	11.7	NA		_	



Trade Indicators

Trade Indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	68.74	67.73	67.42	68.20	68.81	69.11
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	20.31	10.48	10.40	10.84	11.17	11.41
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	0.29	-3.02	1.66	3.00	3.00	3.00
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	4.06	4.15	1.75	2.00	2.30	2.40
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	4.63	3.81	4.31	_	_	_

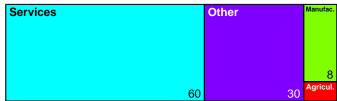


Sources: MFM note, [1] World Development Indicators (WDI), [2] UNCTADSTAT, [3] World Economic Outlook (WEO)

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

Data not available

Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)



Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG) Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, 2015

Natural gas, in the gaseous state	Crude petroleum	Fish, fresh (live or dead) o		
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Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2015

Consumer goods	Capital goods	Intermediate goods	
40	35	20	5

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

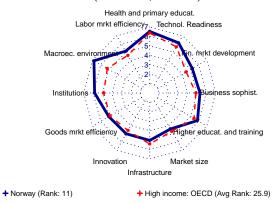
Doing Business 2015 Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

		DTF			Rank	
	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change
Ease of Doing Business	81.53	81.61	0.08	8	9	-1
Dealing with Construction Permits	77.99	78.01	0.02	28	26	2
Enforcing Contracts	77.14	77.14	0	8	8	0
Getting Credit	55	55	0	61	70	-9
Getting Electricity	87.45	87.46	0.01	20	18	2
Paying Taxes	90.93	91.36	0.43	15	14	1
Protecting Minority Investors	71.67	71.67	0	12	14	-2
Registering Property	87.67	87.67	0	13	13	0
Resolving Insolvency	85.62	85.71	0.09	6	6	0
Starting a Business	94.03	94.29	0.26	21	24	-3
Trading Across Borders	87.82	87.82	0	45	45	0

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

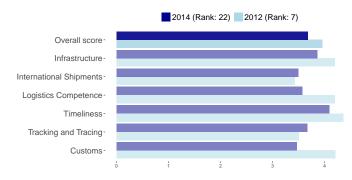
WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-7, 7=best)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Logistics Performance Index (Scale 1-5, 5=best)



Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

World Governance indicators

(Std. score, High=best)



Trade Policy

	2010	2015	
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	4.0	0.7	_
Binding $(\%)$	100.0	100.0	
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	71.7	22.4	
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	76.9	13.2	
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	0.5	0.5	
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	10.6	1.6	

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector View

Enterprise Survey NA

Source: Enterprise Survey NA

Top 5 constraints according to ES NA (% respondants)

Data not available

Top 5 constraints according to WEF 2015 survey (% respondants among 88 executives)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015



Source: Enterprise Survey NA