



T&C Snapshots Data Note



Tonga

Population	Land area (sq.	Poverty rate	Unemployment	Ease of Doing
(millions)	km) (2015)	(2009) [1]	rate (2016)	Business Rank
(2017)				(2016)
0.11	720.00	1.09	NA	78.00

Macro Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Current account balance	-	_	_	_	_	
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	26	28	26	_	_	_
General government gross debt [3]	NaN	NA	NA	NA		
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	-	_	_	_	_	
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	_	_	_	_	_	_

Investment indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	_		_	_		_
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	25.5	_	_	_	_	_
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	7.5	11.7	12.9	_	_	_
Inward FDI, $\%$ of private investment [2]	32.4	51.7	_	_	_	_

Trade Indicators

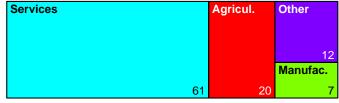
	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	_			_		_
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	4.5	6.4	_	_	_	_

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: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG) $\,$

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, 2014

Vegetable products, roots and tuber		Fish, fresh (live or dead) or chill	
			Edible nuts
			(excluding
26	20	19	nuts chiefly

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods	Capital goods		Raw materials
56	20	13	12

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	64.17	64.13	-0.04	74	78	-4
Dealing with Construction Permits	79.05	79	-0.05	22	22	0
Enforcing Contracts	57.32	57.32	0	97	97	0
Getting Credit	65	65	0	36	42	-6
Getting Electricity	76.27	76.26	-0.01	60	61	-1
Paying Taxes	75.93	75.37	-0.56	74	82	-8
Protecting Minority Investors	46.67	46.67	0	114	115	-1
Registering Property	45.89	45.89	0	152	154	-2
Resolving Insolvency	33.34	33.6	0.26	132	131	1
Starting a Business	90.74	90.72	-0.02	49	53	-4
Trading Across Borders	71.52	71.52	0	87	87	0

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

WEF Competitiveness Indicators (Scale 1-7, 7=best)

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

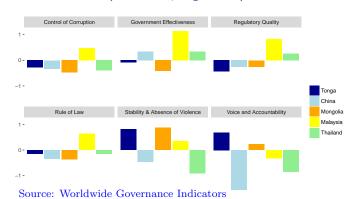
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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

World Governance indicators (Std. score, High=best)



Trade Policy

	2010	2015
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	11.1	11.3
Binding $(\%)$	100.0	100.0
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	7.2	6.5
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	11.7	11.0
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	11.5	11.8
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	11.7	11.8

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector View

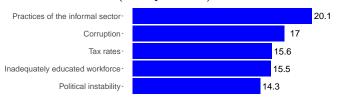
Enterprise Survey 2009

	Tonga	East Asia and Pacific	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	2.00	3.20	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	54.30	31.20	35.20
Proportion of investments financed by banks (%)	26.50	9.50	14.60
Proportion of investments financed internally (%)	34.20	79.50	71.20
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	6.60	4.60	10.00

Source: Enterprise Survey 2009

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Top 5 constraints according to ES 2009 (% respondents)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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







T&C Snapshots Operations Note



SCD/CPF

Most Recent

Product Document Date
Tonga - Country assistance strategy for the period FY2011-2014 2010-10-22

Planned

Product Concept Review Date Board Date

None

WB Lending Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Begin	Commitment	Latest	FY	Cum	FY Prob
			Date	Inst.	Appraisal	(US\$M)	Sort	Expenses	Expenses	
				Type			Overall	(US\$K)	(US\$K)	
							Risk			
							Rating			

None

WB Portfolio

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Closing	Commitmen	tUndisburse	d Project	Project	Overall	Months
			Date	Inst.	Date	(US\$M)	Balance	Rating	Rating	Risk	in
				Type			(US\$M)	DO	IP		Prob-
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None

Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst.	Closing Date	Commitment (US\$M)			IEG Outcome
				Type		, ,	DO	IP	Rating

None

WB ASA

Active

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Concept Approval	Output Approval	Product Line	RAS (Y/N)	Current Expendi-	Current Expendi-	Lifetime Expendi-	Lifetime Expendi-
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None										

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							(US\$K)	(US\$K)	(US\$K)	(US\$K)

None

IFC ASA

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval Date	Expected End Date	Approval Value (in US\$K)	Total Expenditures (in US\$K)	Current FY Expenditure (in US\$K)
561891	Tonga Regulatory Simplification and Investment Policy and Promotion Program	Beasley, Amy	2008-04-15	2011-04-30	1,435	1,277	0

Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval	Expected	Approval	Total	Current FY	
			Date	End Date	Value (in	Expenditures	Expenditure	
					US\$K)	(in US\$K)	(in US\$K)	
None								

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549045	Tonga Regulatory Reform:	Moody, Alan Andrew	2006-08-04	2008-06-01	337	238	0
	Phase II						
538789	Administrative Barriers (Tonga)	Duggan, Sean Malcolm	2005-09-01	_	0	0	0
538755	Regulatory Reform	Moody, Alan Andrew	2005-08-16	_	0	0	0
	Implementation						