



Snapshots Data Note

Eritrea	GDP (US\$ illions) (2017) 7.7	Population (millions) (2017) 5.5	Land are km) (20	015)	Income per capita (current US\$) (2017) 1,396.5	Unemployment rate (2016) NA	Ease of Do Business Ra (2016) 189.0	0
Macro Indicators	Avg 2	2003-2012	2013	20	14 2015	2016	2017	
GDP growth (annual %)		2.1	1.3]	7 3.0	4.0	4.3	
Current account balance		-15.2	2.5	-3	3.1 -4.4	-7.7	-6.9	
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)		-19.4	-12.5	-11	.6 -10.4	-9.9	-10.3	
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]		_	_			_	_	
General government gross debt [3]		137.1	128.4	126	5.5 127.1	125.6	_	
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)		78.4	173.1	210	0.2 248.2	286.5	330.5	
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change		_	_			_	_	
Investment indicators	Avg 2	2003-2012	2013	20	14 2015	2016	2017	
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)		17.5	9.2	10	0.6 11.7	11.8	11.9	
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	[1]	$15.0 \\ 2.3$	1.3	1		_	_	
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]		17.9	14.5		IA —	_	_	
Trade Indicators	Avg 2	2003-2012	2013	20	14 2015	2016	2017	
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)		58.58	78.44	84.	57 89.34	89.65	88.63	_
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)		-31.42	-2.02	-6.	41 -9.64	-8.82	-8.05	
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	23.82	7.42	4.	00 5.00	5.50	4.00	
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms Total reserves in months of imports [1])	1.81	-0.23	15.	00 12.00	3.50	2.43	

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

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

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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, NA

Doing Business 2015 Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

Imports Categories	$\mathbf{b}\mathbf{y}$	%	of Tota	al Valu	e, NA

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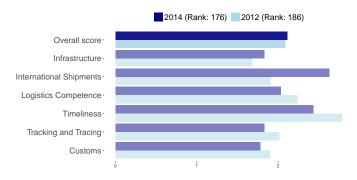
		DTF			Rank		
	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change	
Ease of Doing Business	27.4	27.61	0.21	189	189	0	
Dealing with Construction Permits	s 0	0	0	189	189	0	
Enforcing Contracts	52.75	52.75	0	118	121	-3	
Getting Credit	0	0	0	185	185	0	
Getting Electricity	52.71	53.43	0.72	144	142	2	
Paying Taxes	43.49	43.49	0	173	174	-1	
Protecting Minority Investors	45	45	0	121	122	-1	
Registering Property	35.25	35.26	0.01	176	177	-1	
Resolving Insolvency	0	0	0	189	189	0	
Starting a Business	44.81	46.16	1.35	183	184	-1	
Trading Across Borders	0	0	0	189	189	0	

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS) Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

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

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

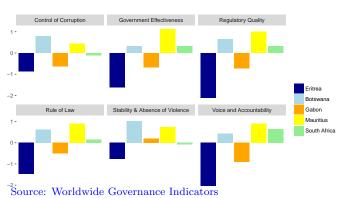
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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



Trade Policy

Import duties collected [1] —
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1] —

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

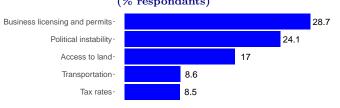
Private Sector View

Enterprise Survey 2009

	Sub-Saharan Africa	Eritrea	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.50	0.50	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	22.70	10.90	35.20
Proportion of investments financed by banks (%)	9.70	1.20	14.60
Proportion of investments financed internally (%)	75.80	94.00	71.20
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	7.60	0.50	10.00

Source: Enterprise Survey 2009

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2009 (% respondents)



Source: Enterprise Survey 2009

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

