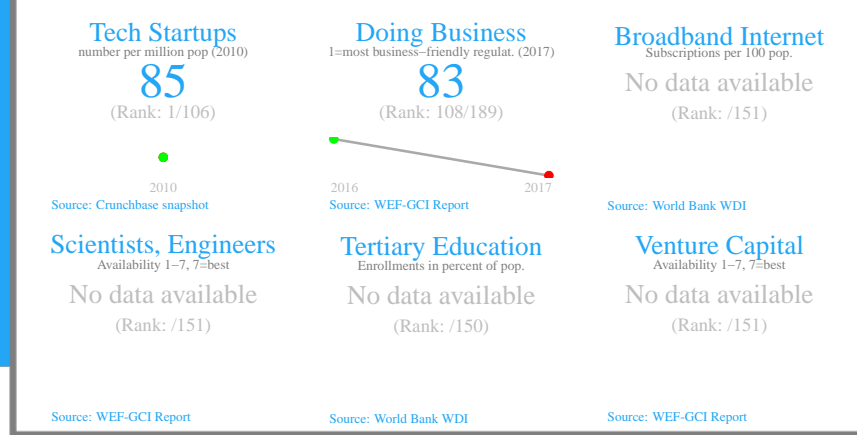


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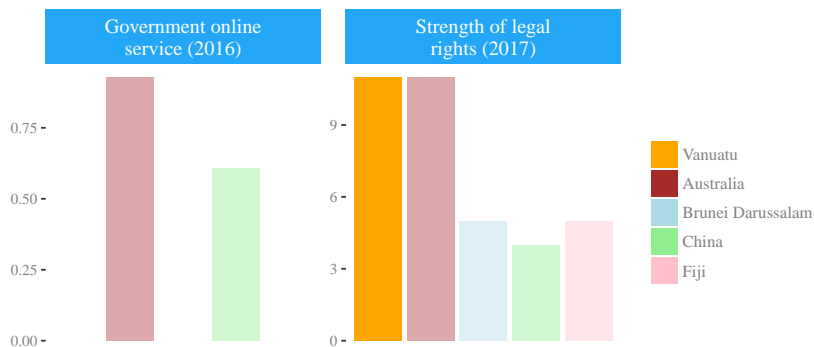
## Country Snapshot



## POLICY

Laws, regulations, and government initiatives

## GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

## INVESTMENT FRIENDLINESS

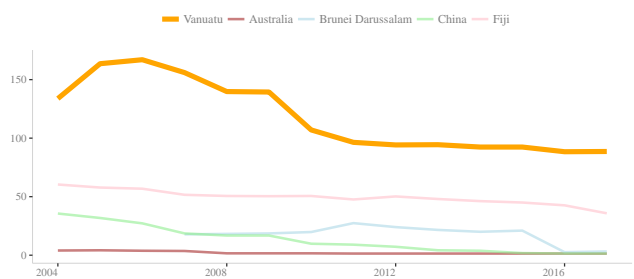
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SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

## DOING BUSINESS 2017

	DTF			Rank		
	2016	2017	Change	2016	2017	Change
<b>Ease of doing business index</b>	<b>61.45</b>	<b>63.66</b>	<b>2.21</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>5</b>
Dealing with Construction Permits	61.57	61.91	0.34	135	134	1
Enforcing Contracts	51.13	51.13	0	128	130	-2
Getting Credit	70	75	5	29	20	9
Getting Electricity	71.8	72	0.2	75	81	-6
Paying Taxes	80.6	80.6	0	51	54	-3
Protecting Minority Investors	43.33	50	6.67	129	106	23
Registering Property	65.63	65.63	0	80	81	-1
Resolving Insolvency	42.7	44.8	2.1	111	93	18
Starting a Business	75.51	81.24	5.73	147	126	21
Trading Across Borders	56.27	56.27	0	145	145	0

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES  
% of GNI per capita

SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

## HUMAN CAPITAL

State of educational institutions and access to skilled labor

AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION  
(1-7, 7 = best)

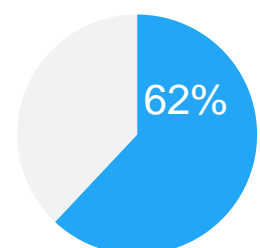
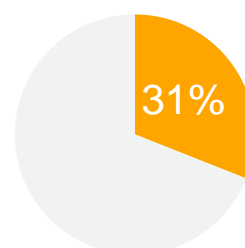
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POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR  
(% total employed population)

Vanuatu (2009)

EAS (simple average, 2009)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

## FINANCING

Sources of capital available for digital entrepreneurs, including debt, equity, grants, blended financing, etc

### FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

**FDI, net inflows**  
BoP, current US\$, as % GDP (2014)

**1.6**

(Rank: 19/195)



**Investment in Telecoms w/ Private Part.**

Millions, \$US (2008)

**35**

(Rank: 134/136)



**Market Capitaliz. of Listed Companies**

% of GDP

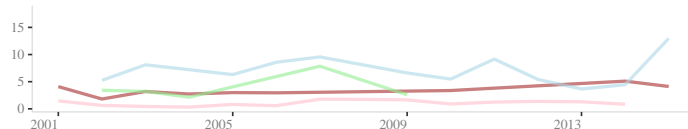
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SOURCES: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

### INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

Vanuatu Australia China Hong Kong SAR, China Japan



SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

### VENTURE CAPITAL AVAILABILITY (1-7, best)

Data not available

SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

## MARKETS

Existence of early customers and distribution channels

### FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)

Data not available

### DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

**New business density**

new registrations per 1,000 people ages 15-64 (2009)

**4.5**

(Rank: 34/137)

**Ratio of online/in store purchases**

Percentage (2016)

(Rank: /54)

**Firms using email to interact with clients/suppliers (%)**  
% of firms (2010)

**83.5**

(Rank: 50/146)

**Firms with their own Website**

% of firms (2014)

**23.5**

(Rank: 111/143)

**ICT service exports**

% of service exports, BoP (2014)

**1.9**

(Rank: 173/178)

SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

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

## CULTURE

Societal attitudes toward entrepreneurship

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2011	2016
Company spending on R&D, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Listed domestic companies, total, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Perceived Capabilities, % of 18-64 population	80	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Fear of Failure Rate, % of 18-64 population	47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Number of tech startups, number per million pop	85	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	78	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, % of 18-64 population	34	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), % of 18-64 population	52	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, % of TEA	24	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, % of TEA	44	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		

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

## SUPPORTS

Infrastructure and support services available through incubators, accelerators and other NGOs

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2011	2016
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint, % of firms	20.8	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., % of firms	43.6	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Quality of electricity supply, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Broadband Internet subscriptions, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Internet bandwidth, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Access to electricity, % population	23.5	NA	27.1	NA	NA	NA	—		
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	4.6	3.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	—		
Internet users, per 100 population	6.5	9.2	10.6	11.3	18.8	22.4	—		

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