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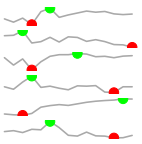
T&C Snapshots Data Note

Guyana

GDP (US$ billions) (2016)	Population (millions) (2016)	Income per capita (current US$) (2016)	Unemployment rate (2014)	Ease of Doing Business Rank (2016)
3.28	0.77	4,253.31	11.10	137.00

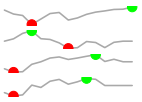
Macro Indicators

	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
GDP growth (annual %)	2.7	4.8	5.2	3.9	3.5	3.8
Current account balance	-10.3	-11.6	-13.3	-15.9	-16.2	-18.2
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-6.0	-4.6	-4.3	-5.3	-4.2	-3.9
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	16.4	16.5	11.0	10.6	—	—
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	68.3	114.7	118.6	121.2	127.9	126.9
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	5.7	2.4	2.2	1.0	1.1	2.7



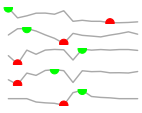
Investment indicators

	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	32.0	33.1	33.8	34.7	34.9	36.2
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	20.3	19.2	16.8	19.3	—	—
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	6.6	10.3	7.2	8.2	—	—
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	27.0	38.9	NA	—	—	—



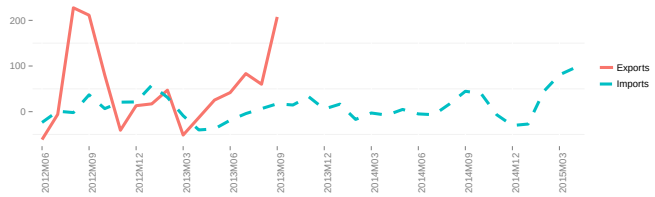
Trade Indicators

	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	96.13	89.27	87.98	88.04	88.29	88.80
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-16.18	-16.46	-16.02	-15.66	-15.21	-15.79
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	0.97	4.50	4.00	4.50	4.50	3.70
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	1.36	5.00	3.50	3.60	3.30	4.90
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	3.75	4.07	3.98	—	—	—



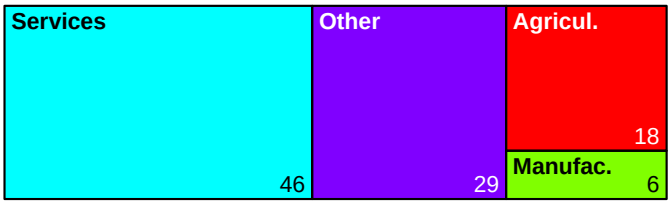
Sources: MFM note, [1] World Development Indicators (WDI), [2] UNCTADSTAT, [3] World Economic Outlook (WEO)

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015



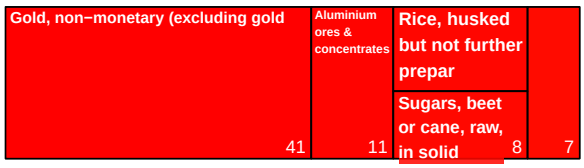
Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)

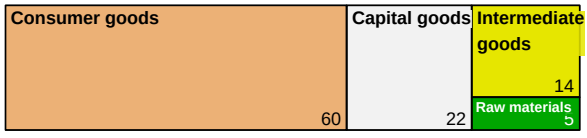


Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, 2014



Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014



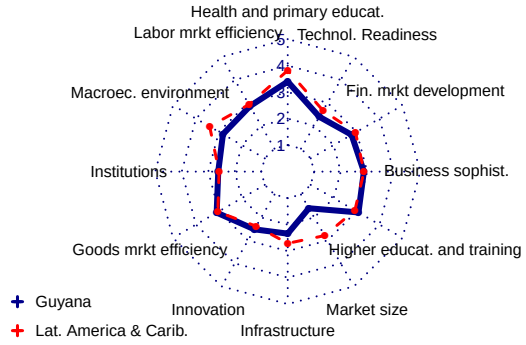
Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

	DB 2015 Rank	DB 2016 Rank	Change in Rank
Dealing with Construction Permits	136	138	-2
Ease of Doing Business Rank	132	137	-5
Enforcing Contracts	87	87	0
Getting Credit	165	167	-2
Getting Electricity	134	165	-31
Paying Taxes	116	117	-1
Protecting Minority Investors	98	99	-1
Registering Property	126	125	1
Resolving Insolvency	157	156	1
Starting a Business	87	92	-5
Trading Across Borders	138	139	-1

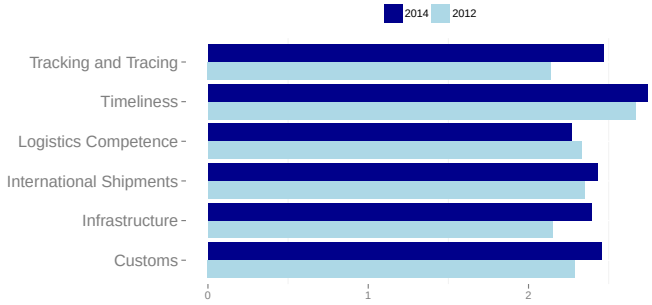
Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

WEF Competitiveness Indicators
(Scale 1-5, 5=best)



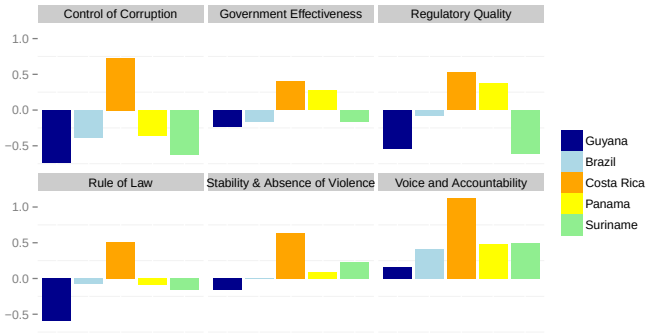
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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



Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



Source: Worldwide Governance Indicators

Trade Policy

	2010	2013
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	10.2	10.6
Binding (%)	100	100
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	13.5	13.1
Import duties collected [1]	—	—
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	21.7	21.4
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	8.7	9
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	10.9	11.2
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	—	19

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector's Views

Enterprise Survey 2013

	Latin America and Caribbean	Guyana	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	2.80	8.4	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	45.80	—	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	19.90	—	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	62.90	—	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	14.00	—	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013
(% respondants)

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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Note

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Most Recent

Product	Document Date
None	

Planned

Product	Concept Review Date	Board Date
Guyana Country Engagement Note	2015-02-11	2016-03-15

WB Lending Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst. Type	Begin Appraisal	Commitment (US$M)	Latest Sort Overall Risk Rating	FY Expenses (US$K)	Cum Expenses (US$K)	FY Prob
None										

WB Portfolio

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst. Type	Closing Date	Commitment (US$M)	Undisbursed Balance (US$M)	Project Rating DO	Project Rating IP	Overall Risk	Months in Problem Status
None											

Closed

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

Active

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Management Approval Date	Product Line	RAS (Y/N)	Current Expenditure BB (US$K)	Current Expenditure Total (US$K)	Lifetime Expenditure BB (US$K)	Lifetime Expenditure Total (US$K)
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IFC ASA

Active

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