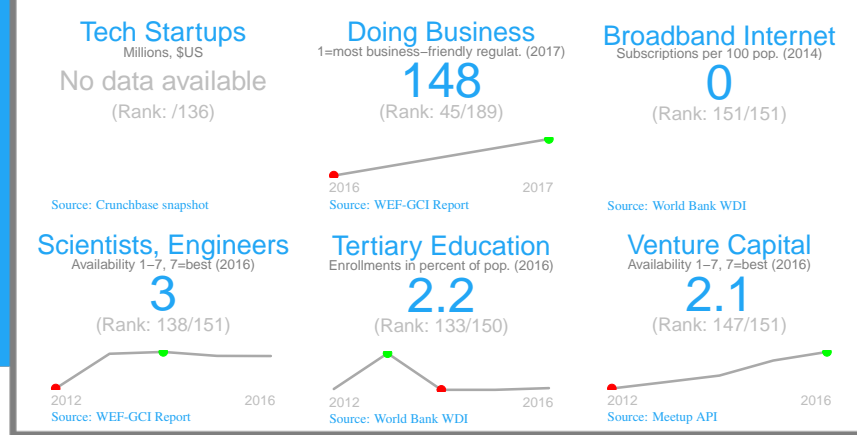


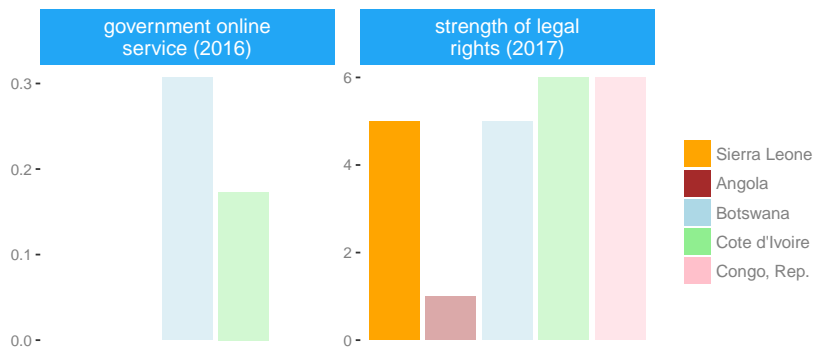
Sierra Leone

Country Snapshot



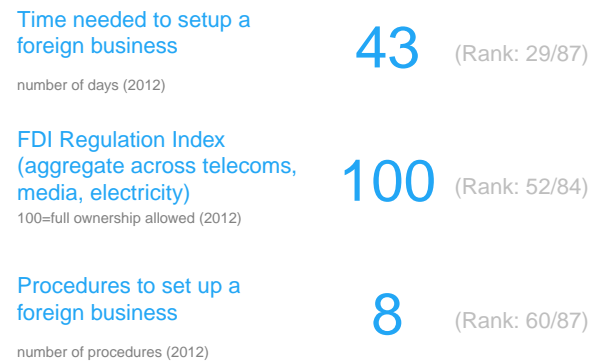
POLICY

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

INVESTMENT CLIMATE

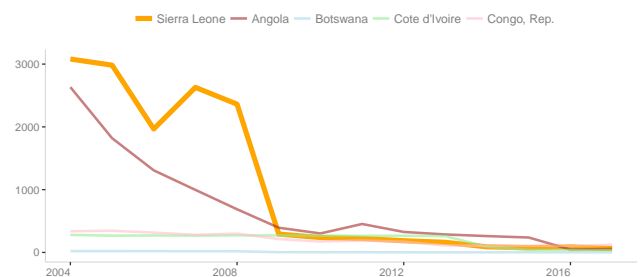


SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

DOING BUSINESS 2017

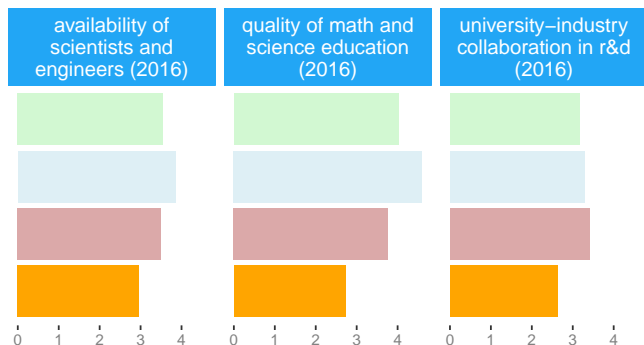
	2016	DTF	Change	2016	Rank	Change
		2017			2017	
Ease of doing business index	50.14	50.23	0.09	145	148	-3
Dealing with Construction Permits	61.73	62.06	0.33	134	132	2
Enforcing Contracts	55.92	55.92	0	99	100	-1
Getting Credit	25	25	0	152	157	-5
Getting Electricity	34.66	33.58	-1.08	176	176	0
Paying Taxes	72.86	72.63	-0.23	84	87	-3
Protecting Minority Investors	53.33	53.33	0	85	87	-2
Registering Property	43.38	43.47	0.09	163	163	0
Resolving Insolvency	10.8	10.9	0.1	149	148	1
Starting a Business	84.73	86.48	1.75	99	87	12
Trading Across Borders	42.07	42.07	0	169	169	0

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES
% of GNI per capita

SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

HUMAN CAPITAL

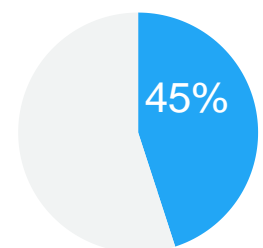
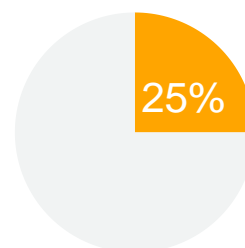
AVAILABILITY OF SKILLED LABOR AND EDUCATION
(1-7, 7 = best)

SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR
(% total employed population)

Sierra Leone (2004)

SSF (simple average, 2004)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

FINANCE

FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

FDI, net inflows

BoP, current US\$, as % GDP (2015)

12

(Rank: 195/195)



Investment in Telecoms w/ Private Part.

Millions, \$US (2014)

9.3

(Rank: 86/136)



Market Capitaliz. of Listed Companies

Millions, \$US

No data available

(Rank: /136)

SOURCES: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

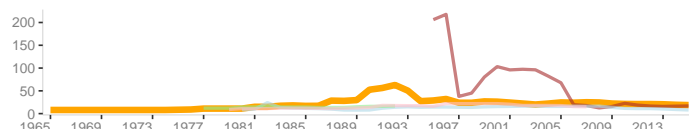
INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

Data not available

SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

LENDING INTEREST RATES (% of interest rate)

Sierra Leone Angola Botswana Cote d'Ivoire Congo, Rep.



WORLD BANK - WDI

MARKETS

FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)

Payments on internet (2014) · 1.8

Mobile phone transaction (2014) · 1.5

Mobile account (2014) · 1.5

Debit card (2014) · 1.2

Credit card (2014) · 0.6

Account on financial institution (2014) · 4.1

SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

Internet bandwidth

kb/s/capita (2016)

2

(Rank: 138/151)

Firms using email to interact with clients/suppliers (%)

% of firms (2010)

15.5

(Rank: 146/146)

Internet users

per 100 population (2015)

0.2

(Rank: 168/211)

Firms with their own Website

% of firms (2014)

8.2

(Rank: 139/143)

Broadband Internet subscriber

per 100 population (2016)

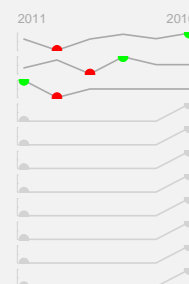
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SOURCES: ENTERPRISE SURVEYS; WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

CULTURE

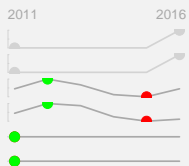
	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Company spending on R&D, 1-7, best	NaN	NA	1.94	2.30	2.46	2.32	2.49
ICT service exports, % of service exports, BoP	13.94	49.81	57.15	44.28	60.11	NA	—
New business density, new registrations per 1,000 people ages 15-64	0.25	0.39	0.32	NA	NA	NA	—
Perceived Capabilities, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fear of Failure Rate, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of tech startups, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—



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

SUPPORTS

	Avg 2003-2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint, % of firms	29.9	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., % of firms	20.4	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—
Quality of electricity supply, 1-7, best	NaN	NA	2.6	2.4	2.0	1.9	2.2
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes, 1-7, best	NaN	NA	3.8	3.7	3.4	3.2	3.3
Access to electricity, % population	12.1	NA	14.2	NA	NA	NA	—
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	NaN	NA	NA	NA	1.8	NA	—



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