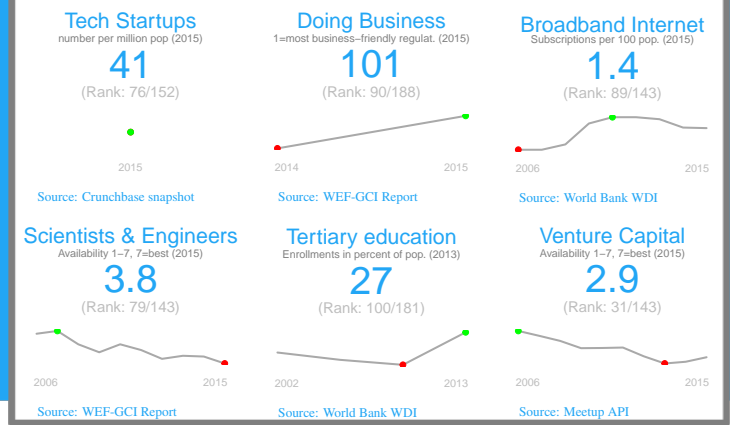
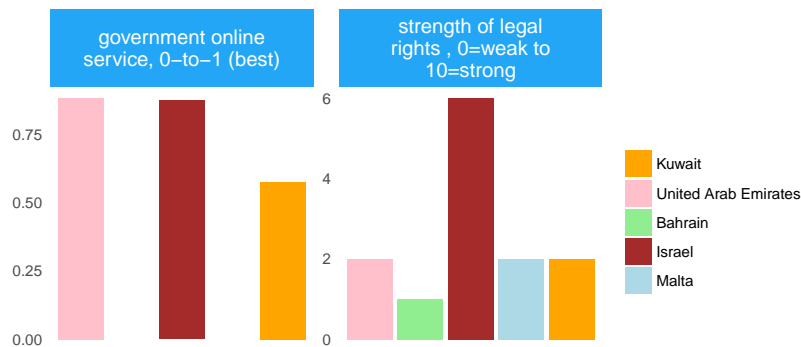


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POLICY

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

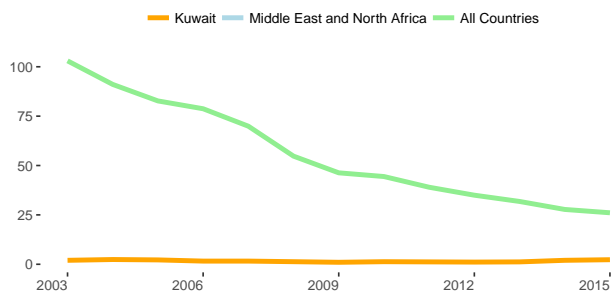
INVESTMENT CLIMATE

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SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES

% of GNI per capita



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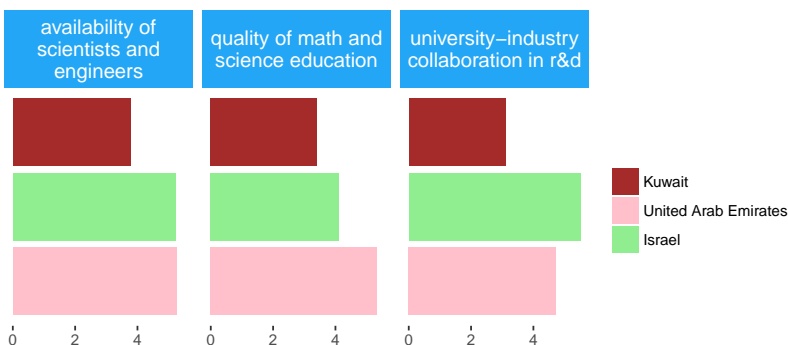
DOING BUSINESS 2015

	2015	DTF 2016	Change	2015 Rank	2016 Rank	Change
Ease of Doing Business	59.77	60.17	0.4	100	101	-1
Dealing with Construction Permits	62.27	62.23	-0.04	131	133	-2
Enforcing Contracts	62.36	62.36	0	58	58	0
Getting Credit	40	40	0	105	109	-4
Getting Electricity	58.4	58.38	-0.02	122	128	-6
Paying Taxes	92.48	92.48	0	11	11	0
Protecting Minority Investors	56.67	56.67	0	64	66	-2
Registering Property	68.42	68.42	0	68	68	0
Resolving Insolvency	36.02	35.95	-0.07	122	122	0
Starting a Business	71.28	75.37	4.09	150	148	2
Trading Across Borders	49.85	49.85	0	150	149	1

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

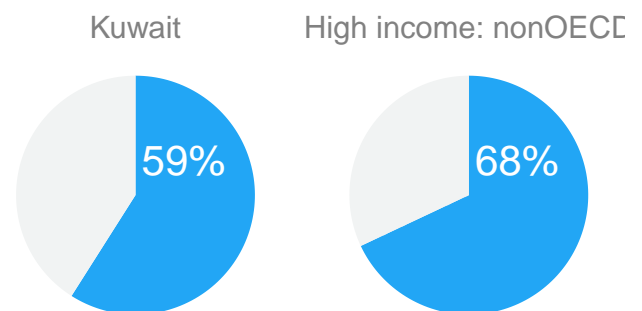
HUMAN CAPITAL

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



SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR (% total employed population)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

FINANCE

FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Foreign direct investment, net, USD billions	4.59	7.51	3.87	15.21	12.62	...
Market capitalization of listed companies, % of GDP	...	...	...	...	...	...
Investment in telecoms with private participation, USD billions	...	...	...	...	...	...

SOURCES: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

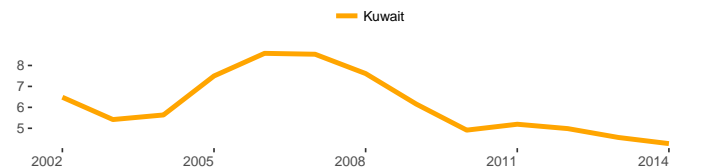


INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

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SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

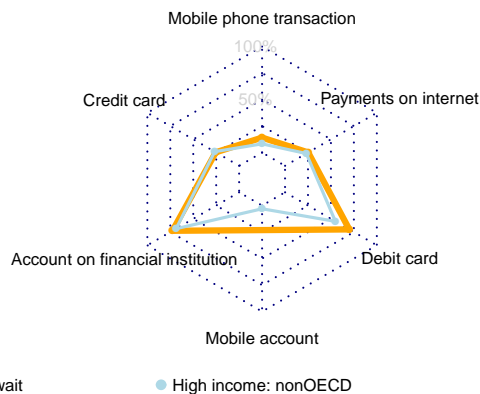
LENDING INTEREST RATES (% of interest rate)



WORLD BANK - WDI

MARKETS

FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

	Middle East and North Africa	Kuwait	All Countries
Broadband Internet subscriptions (per 100 pop.)	—	1.4	—
Internet bandwidth (kb/s/capita)	—	6.0	—
Internet users (per 100 pop.)	31.3	34.8	14.2

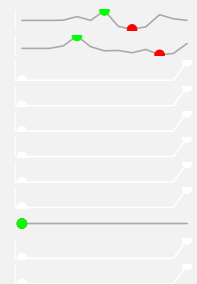
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SOURCES: ENTERPRISE SURVEYS; WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

CULTURE

	Avg 2002-2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
ICT service exports, % of service exports, BoP	49.8	35.7	39.0	54.6	49.3	—
Company spending on R&D, 1-7, best	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.9
Fear of Failure Rate, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
New business density, new registrations per 1,000 people ages 15-64	NaN	NA	NA	NA	NA	—
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Number of tech startups, number per million pop	—	—	—	—	—	41.0
Perceived Capabilities, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), NA	—	—	—	—	—	—

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



SUPPORTS

	Avg 2002-2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Access to electricity, % population	94.1	NA	97.7	NA	NA	—
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes, 1-7, best	4.4	4.2	4.0	3.8	3.7	4.1
Quality of electricity supply, 1-7, best	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.0	5.2
% firms identifying transportation as major constraint, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., NA	—	—	—	—	—	—
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	5.5	NA	NA	6.8	7.2	—

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