

Iraq

Country Snapshot

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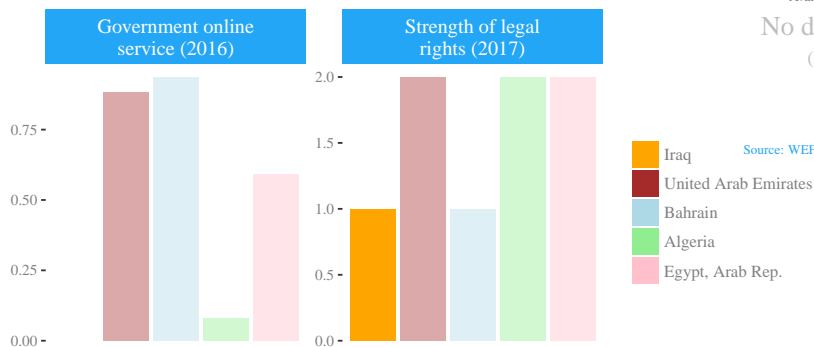
Tech Startups



POLICY

Laws, regulations, and government initiatives

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

Source: Crunchbase snapshot

Scientists, Engineers, and Technicians

No data available
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Source: WEF-GCI Report

Tertiary Education

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Source: World Bank WDI

Venture Capital

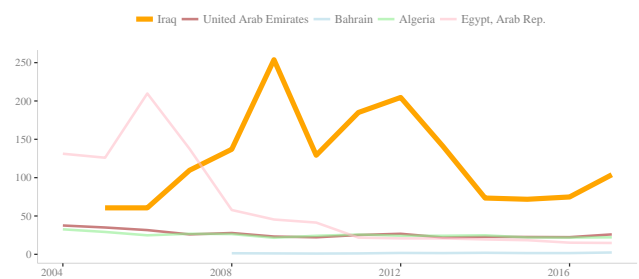
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Source: WEF-GCI Report

DOING BUSINESS 2017

	2016	DTF	Change	2016	Rank	Change
		2017			2017	
Ease of doing business index	44.99	45.61	0.62	166	165	1
Dealing with Construction Permits	62.26	67.66	5.4	130	104	26
Enforcing Contracts	48.94	48.94	0	138	138	0
Getting Credit	5	5	0	181	181	0
Getting Electricity	55.07	57.51	2.44	138	133	5
Paying Taxes	80.86	80.86	0	50	52	-2
Protecting Minority Investors	45	45	0	118	123	-5
Registering Property	55.77	56.28	0.51	114	115	-1
Resolving Insolvency	0	0	0	169	169	0
Starting a Business	73.45	71.32	-2.13	153	164	-11
Trading Across Borders	23.51	23.51	0	179	179	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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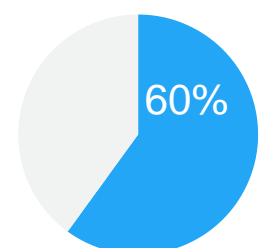
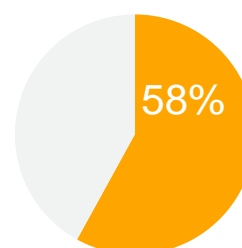
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POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR

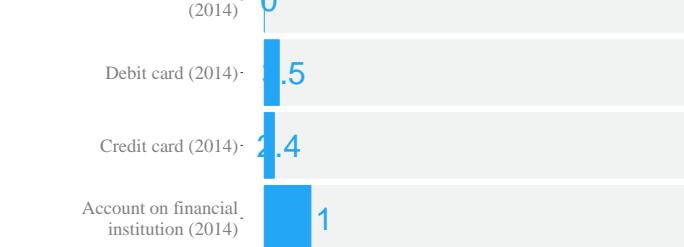
(% total employed population)

Iraq (2008)

MEA (simple average, 2008)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI



Percentage (2016)

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

21.3 (Rank: 144/146)

Firms with their own Website
% of firms (2014)

15.2 (Rank: 127/143)

ICT service exports
% of service exports, BoP (2014)

4.4 (Rank: 164/178)

SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

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

CULTURE Societal attitudes toward entrepreneurship

	2016	2014	2015	2016.1	2017	2018		2016	2016
Company spending on R&D, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
Listed domestic companies, total, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
Perceived Capabilities, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
Fear of Failure Rate, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
Number of tech startups, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
High Status Successful Entrepreneurship, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
Media Attention for Entrepreneurship, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
Total early-stage Entrepr. Activity (TEA), NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
Improvement-Driven Opp. Entrepr. Activity: Rel. Prevalence, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			
New Product early-stage Entrepr. Activity, NA	0	—	—	—	—	—			

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	40.2	40.2	NA	NA	NA	NA	—			
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., % of firms	32.6	32.6	NA	NA	NA	NA	—			
Quality of electricity supply, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Broadband Internet subscriptions, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Internet bandwidth, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Access to electricity, % population	98.0	NA	100.0	NA	NA	NA	—			
ICT goods imports, NA	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Internet users, per 100 population	1.5	5.0	7.1	9.2	13.2	17.2	—			

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