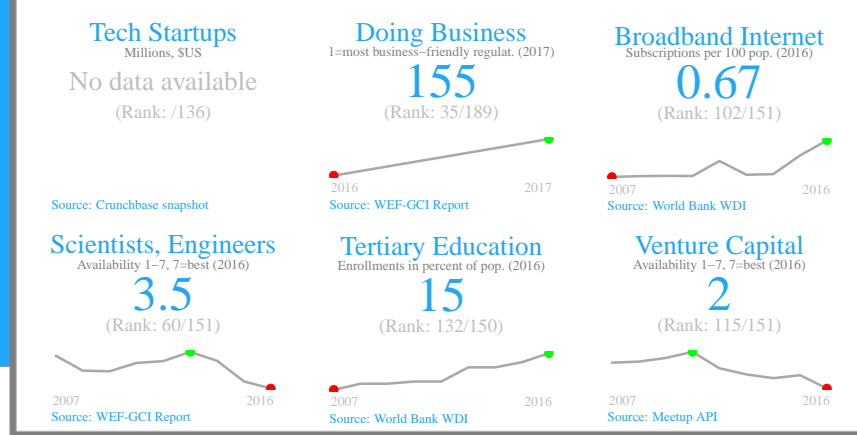


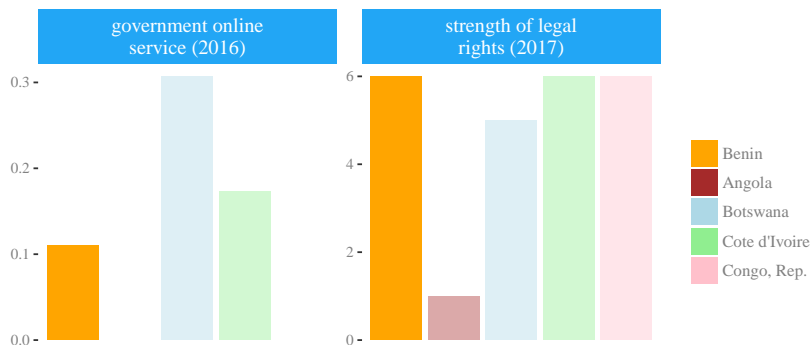
Benin

Country Snapshot



POLICY

GOVERNMENT INDEXES



SOURCES: GLOBAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

INVESTMENT CLIMATE

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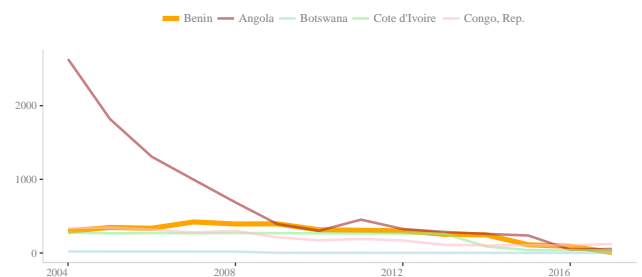
SOURCE: INVESTING ACROSS BORDERS

DOING BUSINESS 2017

	DTF			Rank		
	2016	2017	Change	2016	2017	Change
Ease of doing business index	47.5	48.52	1.02	153	155	-2
Dealing with Construction Permits	70.79	71.29	0.5	74	74	0
Enforcing Contracts	36.34	36.34	0	168	169	-1
Getting Credit	30	30	0	134	139	-5
Getting Electricity	33.84	33.84	0	177	174	3
Paying Taxes	44.61	44.61	0	171	173	-2
Protecting Minority Investors	40	40	0	145	145	0
Registering Property	39.59	39.96	0.37	172	173	-1
Resolving Insolvency	18.5	19.7	1.2	113	115	-2
Starting a Business	81.37	90.56	9.19	117	57	60
Trading Across Borders	60.33	59.89	-0.44	130	133	-3

SOURCE: DOING BUSINESS

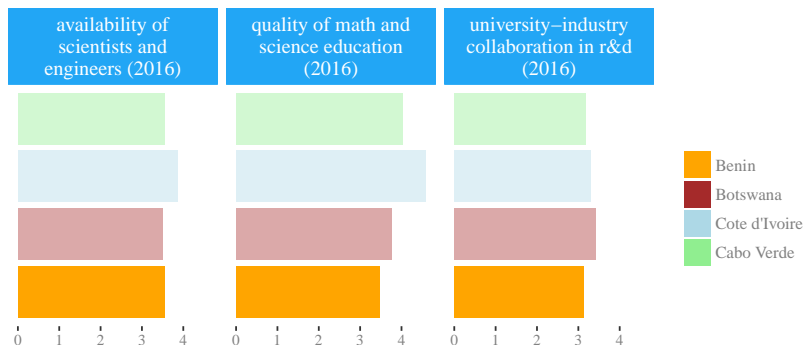
COST OF BUSINESS STARTUP PROCEDURES % of GNI per capita



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

HUMAN CAPITAL

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

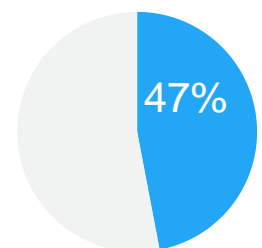
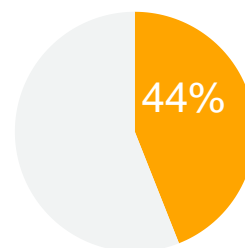


SOURCE: WEF-GCI REPORT

POPULATION EMPLOYED IN SERVICES SECTOR (% total employed population)

Benin (2010)

SSF (simple average, 2010)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK WDI

FINANCE

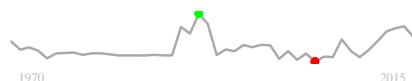
FDI, PUBLIC CAPITAL MARKET AND VENTURE CAPITAL

FDI, net inflows

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

2.7

(Rank: 163/195)



Investment in Telecoms w/ Private Part.

Millions, \$US (2014)

51

(Rank: 28/136)



Market Capitaliz. of Listed Companies

Millions, \$US

No data available

(Rank: /136)

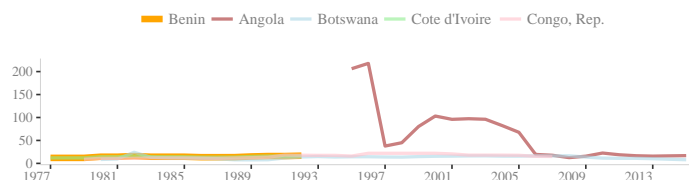
SOURCES: WEF-GCI REPORT; WORLD BANK - WDI

INFORMAL INVESTORS RATE (% of 18-64 population)

Data not available

SOURCE: GLOBAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONITOR - ADULT POPULATION

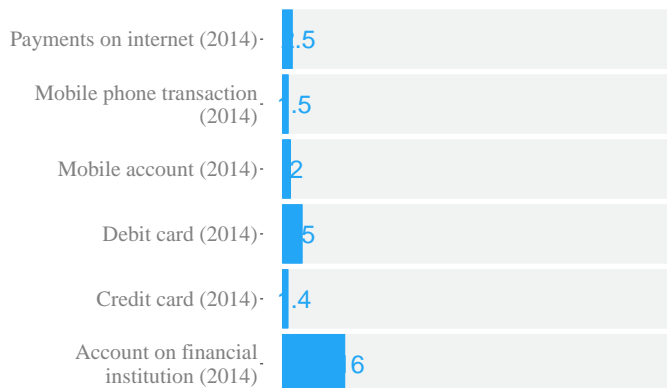
LENDING INTEREST RATES (% of interest rate)



WORLD BANK - WDI

MARKETS

FINANCIAL INCLUSION (% age 15+)



SOURCE: WORLD BANK - FINDEX

DIGITAL COMMERCE & INTERNET ACCESS

Internet bandwidth

kb/s/capita (2016)

3.5

(Rank: 129/151)

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

% of firms (2010)

56.9

(Rank: 104/146)

Internet users

per 100 population (2015)

1.8

(Rank: 134/211)

Firms with their own Website

% of firms (2014)

14.6

(Rank: 129/143)

Broadband Internet subscriptions

per 100 population (2016)

0.7

(Rank: 100/151)

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	3.0	3.3	3.0	2.7	NA	3.3	3.0	
ICT service exports, % of service exports, BoP	21.3	21.1	17.2	25.8	18.8	NA	—	
New business density, 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	49.4	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—	
% of firms with an annual fin. Statem. reviewed by ext. audit., % of firms	60.6	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	—	
Quality of electricity supply, 1-7, best	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.2	NA	1.7	1.7	
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes, 1-7, best	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.3	NA	3.2	3.5	
Access to electricity, % population	27.9	NA	38.4	NA	NA	NA	—	
ICT goods imports, % total goods imports	2.8	2.1	1.5	2.1	1.1	NA	—	

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