



T&C Snapshots Data Note

Bhutan	Population (millions) (2016)	Poverty rate (2012)		nemployment rate (2014)	Busine	f Doing ss Rank 016)		
	0.78	2.20		2.80	71	.00		
Macro Indicators	Avg 2002-	2011 2	012	2013	2014	2015	2016	
GDP growth (annual %)		_	_	_	_	_	_	
Current account balance		_	_	_	_	_	_	
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)			_	_	_	_	_	
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]		0.38	0.99	0.66	0.71	_	_	
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)			_	_	_	_	_	
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change			_	_	_	_	_	
Investment indicators	Avg 2002-	2011 2	012	2013	2014	2015	2016	_
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)		_	_	_	_	_	_	
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP)	[1]		7.91	45.96	57.75	_	_	
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]			2.78	0.49	0.30	_		
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]		4.39	1.83	NA	_	_	_	
Trade Indicators				2019	2014	2015	2016	
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	Avg 2002-	2011 2	012	2013	2014	2015	2010	
	Avg 2002-	2011 2 —	012 —	2013	2014	2015	2016	
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms) Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real term		2011 2	012 — —	2013 — —	— — —	2015		

11.7

8.5

9.0

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

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)

Total reserves in months of imports [1]

Data not available

Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)

11.9

Services	Other	Agricul.
		18
		Manufac.
39	34	9

Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, NA

Data not available

Data not available

Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

DB 2015 Rank DB 2016 Rank

85

21

Change in Rank

91

21

Dealing with Construction Permits Ease of Doing Business Rank 70 71 50 0 -8 2 -2 -1 5 0 Enforcing Contracts 50 71Getting Credit 79Getting Electricity 52 50Paying Taxes 28 Imports Categories by % of Total Value, NA 26 Protecting Minority Investors 114 115 Registering Property 56 51 Resolving Insolvency 189 189

Starting a Business

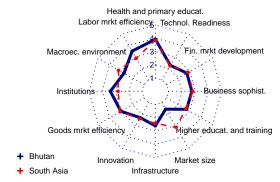
Trading Across Borders

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

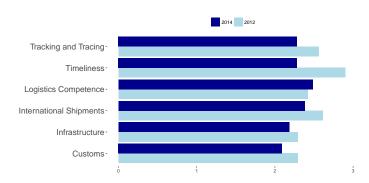
WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-5, 5=best)



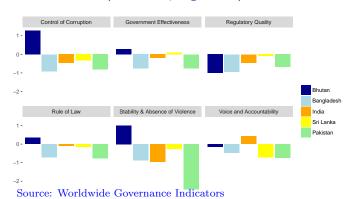
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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



Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



Trade Policy

Import duties collected (%, 2012-2014) [1] 0.5
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1] —

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

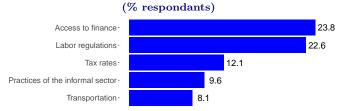
Private Sector's Views

Enterprise Survey 2013

	South Asia	Bhutan	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	25.40	0.40	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	27.00	46.50	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	14.40	18.90	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	73.90	75.10	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	7.20	28.80	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013



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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Bhutan

SCD/CPF

Most Recent

ProductDocument DateBhutan - Joint IDA/IFC Country Partnership Strategy FY2015-192014-09-26

Planned

Product Concept Review Date Board Date
None

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	
							Rating				

None

WB Portfolio

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Closing	Commitmen	tUndisburse	d Project	Project	Overall	Months
			Date	Inst.	Date	(US\$M)	Balance	Rating	Rating	Risk	in
				Type			(US\$M)	DO	IP		Prob-
											lem
											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
P125310	BT: Corporate Governance TA	A.K.M. Abdullah	2011-02-	_	2014-05-	0	S	HS	_
			01		17				

WB ASA

Active

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Management Approval	Product Line	RAS (Y/N)	Current Expenditure	Current Expenditure	Lifetime Expenditure	Lifetime Expenditure
			Date			BB (US\$K)	Total	BB (US\$K)	Total
							(US\$K)		(US\$K)
P153221	Improving Bhutan	Massimiliano	2016-06-17	PA	N	100	100	320	320
	Investment Climate	Santini							

Closed

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)
P147082	Bhutan Doing	Mihasonirina	2014-06-10	TA	N	_	0	88	88
P077143	Business Reform TA BT-Hydropower	Andrianaivo Naoko C. Kojo	2002-10-04	EW	N	_	0	78	78
	Exports & Exch. Rate Study								

IFC ASA

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval	Expected	Approval	Total	Current FY
			Date	End Date	Value (in	Expenditures	Expenditure
					US\$K)	(in US\$K)	(in US\$K)
None							

Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval	Expected	Approval	Total	Current FY
			Date	End Date	Value (in	Expenditures	Expenditure
					US\$K)	(in US\$K)	(in US\$K)

None

Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval Date	Expected End Date	Approval Value (in US\$K)	Total Expenditures (in US\$K)	Current FY Expenditure (in US\$K)
577347	Bhutan Licensing Reform	Azhar, Shihab Ansari	2010-11-03	2014-06-30	547	544	0
537785	FDI Rules and Regulations	Crittle, Frederick J.	2005-08-11	_	0	0	0
538807	Institutional Arrangements for FDI Activities	Crittle, Frederick J.	2005-08-10	_	0	0	0
537505	Improving Registration and Regulatory Processes in Bhutan	Qayyum, Sayef Tanzeem	2005-07-10	2010-06-30	682	431	0
537984	Export Business Intensification Program for Bhutan SME Sector	Haider, Narissa	2005-07-10	2008-02-28	387	311	0
538083	Bhutan Feasibility Studies on Industrial Estates, IT Park and Distance Learning Center	Faisal, Islam Mohammad	2005-07-10	_	0	0	0