



Snapshots Data Note



Armenia

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Poverty rate	Unemployment
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	(2013)	rate (2014)
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)		
11.5	3.0	3,786.6	2.4	17.1

Macro Indicators

Wacro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	7.9	3.3	3.5	2.1	2.7	3.0
Current account balance	-9.1	-7.6	-7.3	-7.3	-6.5	-5.7
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-3.4	-1.6	-1.9	-4.0	-3.3	-2.7
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	16.0	19.7	17.9	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	90.6	104.5	110.9	114.8	112.9	113.5
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	4.5	5.8	3.0	5.6	3.1	4.0

Investment indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	26.9	20.8	18.5	18.4	18.3	18.8	
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	31.4	22.3	21.1	_	_		
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	6.3	3.5	3.5		_	_	
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	21.1	NA	_	_	_	_	



Trade Indicators

Trade Indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	75.21	70.23	77.44	75.36	74.51	73.87
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-20.97	-9.62	-5.64	-0.82	0.06	-0.32
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	10.11	16.30	22.60	5.99	2.74	1.58
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	6.40	0.70	7.70	-6.41	0.37	2.64
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	4.09	4.44	2.92	_	_	_



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

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015



Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)



Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, 2014

concentrates		Cigarettes containing tobacco	Other ferro-alloys (excluding radio	Aluminium and aluminium alloys, wor
17	12	8	8	6

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Cons	umer goods		Intermediate goods	Capitai	Raw materials
		49	25	16	11

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

	$\mathrm{DB}\ 2015\ \mathrm{Rank}$	$\mathrm{DB}\ 2016\ \mathrm{Rank}$	Change in Rank
Dealing with Construction Permits	72	62	10
Ease of Doing Business Rank	38	35	3
Enforcing Contracts	36	28	8
Getting Credit	36	42	-6
Getting Electricity	96	99	-3
Paying Taxes	41	41	0
Protecting Minority Investors	46	49	-3
Registering Property	14	14	0
Resolving Insolvency	69	71	-2
Starting a Business	3	5	-2
Trading Across Borders	58	29	29

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

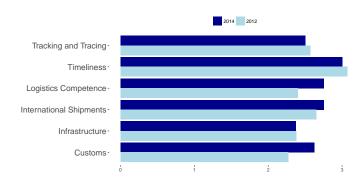
WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-5, 5=best)

Health and primary educat. Labor mrkt efficiency. Technol. Readiness Macroec. environment 3: Fin. mrkt development 2: Institutions Business sophist. Goods mrkt efficiency Higher educat. and training + Armenia Innovation Market size Europe & Cen. Asia Infrastructure

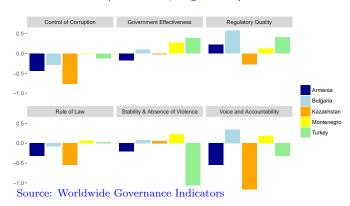
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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



Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



Trade Policy

	2010	2014
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	4.2	4.6
Binding $(\%)$	100	100.0
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	4.8	4.9
Import duties collected (%, 2010-2012) [1]		2.1
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	6.9	7.1
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	2.1	2.9
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	2.9	3.5
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	106.0

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector's Views

Enterprise Survey 2013

I	Europe and Central Asia	Armenia	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	2	0.30	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	_	46.20	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	_	9.50	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	_	72.70	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	_	12.20	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013 (% respondents)



Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to WEF 2015 survey (% respondants among 88 executives)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015





T&C Snapshots Operations Note



Armenia

SCD/CPF

Most Recent

Product Document Date
Armenia - Country partnership strategy for the period FY14 - FY17 2013-10-16

Planned

Product	Concept Review Date	Board Date
PLR for Armenia CPS FY14-17	2015-08-26	2016-03-17

WB Lending Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Begin	Commitment	Latest	FY	Cum	FY Prob
			Date	Inst.	Appraisal	(US\$M)	Sort	Expenses	Expenses	
				Type			Overall	(US\$K)	(US\$K)	
							Risk			
							Rating			
None										

WB Portfolio

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst. Type	Closing Date	Commitment (US\$M)	Undisbursed Balance (US\$M)	Project Rating DO	Project Rating IP	Overall Risk	Months in Prob- lem Status
P146994	Trade Promotion and Quality Infrastr	Feyi Boroffice	2014-07- 02	IPF	2020-06- 30	50	48	S	MS	_	0

Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Closing	Commitment	Project	Project	IEG
			Date	Inst.	Date	(US\$M)	Rating	Rating IP	Outcome
				Type			DO		Rating
P128769	IDF-REGULATORY	Feyi Boroffice	2012-02-	_	2015-10-	0	S	S	_
	GUILLOTINE		16		02				

WB ASA

Active

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Management Approval Date	Product Line	RAS (Y/N)	Current Expendi- ture BB (US\$K)	Current Expendi- ture Total (US\$K)	Lifetime Expendi- ture BB (US\$K)	Lifetime Expendi- ture Total (US\$K)
P157037	Armenia Trade Comp. and EEU Integration	Feyi Boroffice	2016-11-30	TA	N	3	3	3	3

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)
P145530	Export Development	Gohar Gyulumyan	2015-06-22	TA	N	_	0	0	64
P146995	Strategy Implement Corp Insolvency and Restructuring TA	Feyi Boroffice	2014-06-26	TA	N	_	0	51	51

IFC ASA

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval Date	Expected End Date	Approval Value (in	Total Expenditures	Current FY Expenditure	
					US\$K)	(in US\$K)	(in US\$K)	
600244	Armenia Investment Climate II	Nazaryan, Arsen	2014-08-12	2017-10-01	1,483	477	239	_

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)
601359	ECA Gender Project	Mkrtchyan, Gayane	_	2017-12-31	0	0	0

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)
588147	Armenia Investment Climate	Nazaryan, Arsen	2011-11-07	2014-12-31	1,607	1,601	0
564407	Reform Project Armenia Regulatory Simplification - Doing Business	Nazaryan, Arsen	2009-01-25	2011-09-30	1,539	1,309	0
538506	Reform Armenia Administrative Barriers Update	Akinci, Gokhan	2005-08-22	_	0	0	0