



Snapshots Data Note



Congo, Rep.

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Poverty rate	Unemployment
billions) (2017)	(millions) (2017)	capita (current US\$) (2017)	(2011)	rate (2014)
10.7	4.9	2,209.0	28.7	6.5

Macro Indicators

Wacro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	4.53	3.44	6.40	1.30	3.55	5.56
Current account balance	1.86	-5.17	-6.10	-16.19	-14.09	-10.71
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	10.18	5.78	-6.12	-12.32	-8.93	-7.23
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.24	_	_	_	_	
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	95.91	99.39	101.20	84.89	84.53	84.13
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	3.45	5.97	0.90	0.90	1.70	2.50



Investment indicators

investment indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	34	61	64	60	59	57
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	22	31	41			
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	11	21	40	_	_	
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	61	NA				



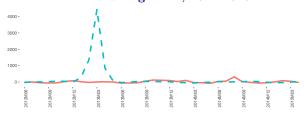
Trade Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	102.96	111.05	110.54	103.03	104.32	103.79
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-6.92	-48.06	-48.91	-44.94	-44.29	-41.23
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	-0.32	-5.72	4.11	-4.51	7.00	10.00
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	9.35	5.18	6.63	-6.00	4.00	3.00
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	2.93	_	_		_	_



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

Crude petroleum	Light	Ships, boats
	vessels,	and other
	fire-floats,	vessels (oth
	dredger	
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Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Capital goods	Consumer goods	Intermediate goods	Raw materials
35	32	24	8

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

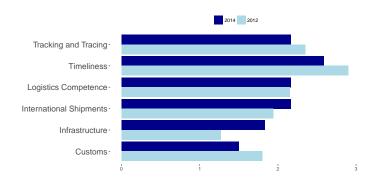
DB 2015 Rank	DB 2016 Rank	Change in Rank
119	120	-1
174	176	-2
158	158	0
105	109	-4
174	176	-2
182	182	0
149	150	-1
174	166	8
114	115	-1
169	177	-8
177	177	0
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Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

WEF Competitiveness Indicators (Scale 1-5, 5=best)

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

Data not available



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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

Control of Corruption Congo, Rep. Congo, Rep. Congo, Rep. Congo, Rep. Botswana Rule of Law Stability & Absence of Violence Voice and Accountability Absence of Violence South Africa

Trade Policy

	2010	2014
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	18.6	18.5
Binding $(\%)$	16.1	15.8
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	9.7	9.6
Import duties collected (%, 2008-2010) [1]		1.9
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	21.8	22.2
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	16.9	17.0
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	17.8	17.8
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	4.0

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector View

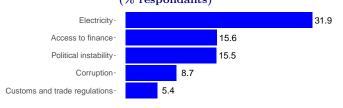
Source: Worldwide Governance Indicators

Enterprise Survey 2009

	Sub-Saharan Africa	Congo, Rep.	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.30	21.50	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	23.10	12.80	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	9.90	4.00	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	76.70	84.60	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation $(\%)$	8.20	6.00	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2009

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2009 (% respondants)



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

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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015



Source: Enterprise Survey 2009