



Snapshots Data Note



West Bank and Gaza

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Ease of Doing
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	Business Rank
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)	(2016)
14.9	4.6	3,230.9	129.0

Macro Indicators

Wacro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	4.80	2.22	-0.37	2.90	3.90	3.70
Current account balance	-18.42	-19.10	-10.86	50.35	46.56	42.00
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-5.37	-1.66	-2.79	-2.79	-2.10	-1.60
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	_	_	_	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	88.12	104.54	109.12	124.81	128.54	131.98
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	3.85	1.72	1.70	1.60	2.60	2.50



Investment indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	24.15	24.43	21.49	24.06	23.91	23.61
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	_		_		_	_
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	1.34	1.40	0.94	_	_	_
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	7.30	NA	_	_	_	_



Trade Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	83.0	72.1	79.2	84.3	87.8	91.7
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-50.4	-36.5	-39.3	-41.5	-42.4	-43.4
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	4.7	3.3	11.5	10.3	10.3	10.3
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	3.6	-7.2	8.8	9.2	7.6	7.6
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	_	_	_		_	



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

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)

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Data not available

Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, NA

Doing Business 2015 Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

DTF

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Rank

Data not available

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, NA

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	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change	
Ease of Doing Business	53.71	54.83	1.12	127	129	-2	
Dealing with Construction Permits	51.52	53.89	2.37	168	162	6	
Enforcing Contracts	58.39	58.39	0	90	90	0	
Getting Credit	35	40	5	118	109	9	
Getting Electricity	69.49	72.88	3.39	81	75	6	
Paying Taxes	80.29	80.29	0	52	56	-4	
Protecting Minority Investors	41.67	41.67	0	143	144	-1	
Registering Property	62.14	62.14	0	93	95	-2	
Resolving Insolvency	0	0	0	189	189	0	
Starting a Business	66.53	66.99	0.46	159	170	-11	
Trading Across Borders	72.1	72.1	0	84	84	0	

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS) Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

WEF Competitiveness Indicators (Scale 1-7, 7=best)

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

Data not available

Data not available

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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

Trade Policy

Key Subsection CountryCode Period Scale Observation Source IndicatorShort

Data not available

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Source: Worldwide Governance Indicators

Private Sector View

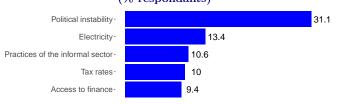
Enterprise Survey 2013

	West Bank and Gaza	Middle East and North Africa	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.70	17.60	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	6.00	25.60	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	6.00	13.60	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	68.90	72.70	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	4.40	9.10	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013 (% respondants)



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

Data not available

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015





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West Bank and Gaza

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Most Recent

Product Document Date
West Bank and Gaza - Country assistance strategy for the period FY2015-16 2014-10-22

Planned

Product	Concept Review Date	Board Date
MNC04 Assistance Strategy Update/RR	2016-02-08	2016-04-28

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	Lending	Closing	CommitmentUndisbursed Project			Project	Overall	Months
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Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Closing	Commitment	Project	Project	IEG
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None

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583467	West Bank & Gaza Business Registration Simplification Project	Eldozdar, Yehia Khedr	2012-02-26	2013-12-31	250	249	0	

Pipeline

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