



Snapshots Data Note



Niger

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Poverty rate	Unemployment
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	(2011)	rate (2014)
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)		
8.1	21.6	375.2	50.3	5.1

Macro Indicators

Macro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	4.97	4.43	6.51	4.77	5.34	9.26
Current account balance	-11.03	-8.57	-11.48	-9.35	-9.30	-0.64
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	0.98	-1.20	-2.95	-6.69	-1.28	2.31
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	1.96	1.90	_	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	89.36	104.10	102.58	97.71	97.05	96.31
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	2.44	2.30	-0.79	-1.14	2.20	2.12

Investment indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	24.0	33.9	34.5	35.1	35.0	27.9
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	28.0	36.3	40.3		_	_
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	6.7	9.7	9.8		_	_
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	19.7	NA	_	_	_	_

Trade Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	55.1	74.8	71.8	71.5	70.5	75.4	-
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-16.1	-18.7	-21.7	-21.5	-21.6	-10.6	
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	8.7	7.9	-5.0	4.8	2.8	45.0	
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	9.9	5.7	6.4	4.3	4.3	2.0	
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	3.6	_				_	



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

Uranium ores & concentrates		Petroleum oils & oils obtained from	Compas other navigation		
	46	26	3	2	

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods	Capital goods	Intermediate goods	
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38	32	28	3

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

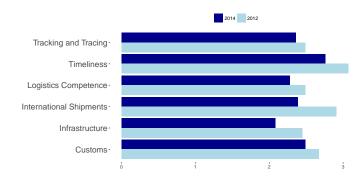
	DB 2015 Rank	DB 2016 Rank	Change in Rank
Dealing with Construction Permits	181	178	3
Ease of Doing Business Rank	164	160	4
Enforcing Contracts	154	154	0
Getting Credit	128	133	-5
Getting Electricity	169	169	0
Paying Taxes	155	156	-1
Protecting Minority Investors	165	166	-1
Registering Property	127	126	1
Resolving Insolvency	123	121	2
Starting a Business	177	134	43
Trading Across Borders	139	158	-19

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

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

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

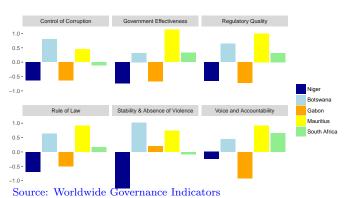




Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



Trade Policy

	2010	2014
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	12.8	13.2
Binding $(\%)$	96.7	96.7
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	6.9	6.9
Import duties collected [1]		_
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	14.5	14.5
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	11.4	11.4
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	11.9	11.9
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	7

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector's Views

Enterprise Survey 2013

	Sub-Saharan Africa	Niger	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.30	18.50	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	23.10	29.70	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	9.90	7.80	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	76.70	89.20	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	8.20	22.90	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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



Source: Enterprise Survey 2013