



Korea, Dem. Rep.

Population (millions) (2017)	Land area (sq. km) (2014)	Unemployment rate (2014)
25.4	120,410.0	4.1

Macro Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Current account balance	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	NA	—	—	—	—	—

Investment indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	—	—	—	—	—	—
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	0.44	1.47	0.87	—	—	—
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	NaN	NA	—	—	—	—



Trade Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	NA	—	—	—	—	—
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	NA	—	—	—	—	—

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

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

Data not available

Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)

Data not available

Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, NA

Data not available

Doing Business 2015 Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, NA

Data not available

DTF	Rank
Data not available	

Source: Doing Business Report 2015

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

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)



Source: Worldwide Governance Indicators

Trade Policy

Key Subsection CountryCode Period Scale Observation Source IndicatorShort

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector View

Enterprise Survey NA

Source: Enterprise Survey NA

Top 5 constraints according to ES NA
(% respondents)

Data not available

Source: Enterprise Survey NA

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

Data not available

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015



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