



# Snapshots Data Note



# Jordan

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Poverty rate	Unemployment
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	(2010)	rate (2014)
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)		
43.36	6.80	6,373.36	0.13	11.10

### **Macro Indicators**

Wacro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	5.7	2.8	3.1	2.5	3.7	4.0
Current account balance	-5.7	-10.1	-6.8	-7.1	-6.8	-6.3
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-4.3	-11.4	-9.1	-4.1	-2.7	-2.0
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	16.6	10.8	10.4	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	105.1	131.2	133.8	149.2	142.0	138.2
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	4.4	4.8	2.9	-0.1	2.9	2.7

### **Investment indicators**

	Avg $2003-2012$	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	22.0	23.8	23.3	23.1	23.9	24.5	
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	27.4	28.1	28.0	_	_	_	
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	10.0	5.2	4.9	_	_	_	
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	38.8	NA	_	_	_	_	

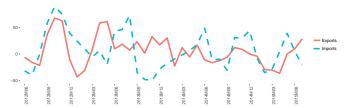
### **Trade Indicators**

Trade Indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	105.7	93.0	91.9	83.9	87.6	90.5
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-16.7	-13.1	-8.0	-8.0	-6.6	-5.0
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	5.5	2.9	8.2	-7.2	10.7	9.6
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	4.1	4.3	-3.1	-5.7	6.3	5.4
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	6.3	6.6	_	_	_	



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

Other garments, knitted or crochete	Medicaments, n.e.s.	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, po	Natural calcium phosphates, natural	Tomatoes, fresh/chilled
14	8	8	6	5

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods	Intermediate goods	Raw materials	Capital goods
42	24	20	14

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	103	103	0
Ease of Doing Business Rank	107	113	-6
Enforcing Contracts	122	126	-4
Getting Credit	185	185	0
Getting Electricity	55	56	-1
Paying Taxes	46	52	-6
Protecting Minority Investors	162	163	-1
Registering Property	96	98	-2
Resolving Insolvency	146	146	0
Starting a Business	83	88	-5
Trading Across Borders	49	50	-1

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

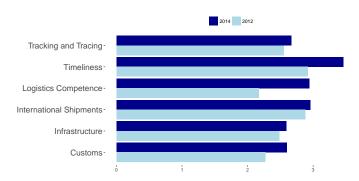
# WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(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 + Jordan Innovation Market size Infrastructure

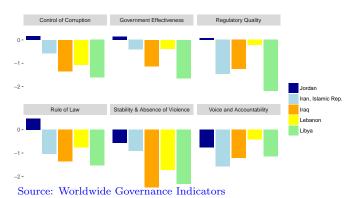
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

# 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)	11.3	5.9
Binding $(\%)$	100	100.0
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	15.2	15.5
Import duties collected (%, 2011-2013) [1]		1.8
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	17.1	17.3
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	8.3	8.8
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	9.5	10.0
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	110.0

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

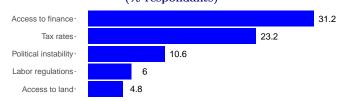
## Private Sector's Views

### **Enterprise Survey 2013**

	Middle East and North Africa	Jordan	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	17.60	0.20	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	25.60	16.70	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	13.60	25.00	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	72.70	64.60	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation $(\%)$	9.10	5.30	9.90

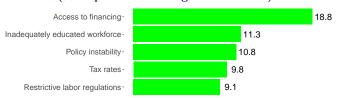
Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013 (% respondants)



Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

