



# T&C Snapshots Data Note



# Antigua and Barbuda

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Ease of Doing
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	Business Ranl
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)	(2016)
1.380	0.094	14,676.427	104.000

#### **Macro Indicators**

Macro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	0.66	1.82	2.37	1.93	2.30	2.70
Current account balance	-15.48	-14.03	-13.61	-9.77	-11.31	-12.22
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-10.53	-4.20	-2.74	-9.99	0.91	0.54
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	1.85	1.76	_	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	232.00	88.78	99.18	114.18	114.49	119.59
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	2.34	1.06	1.09	1.19	1.32	1.93



### **Investment indicators**

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	40.8	24.3	25.5	29.4	28.1	27.6
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	29.8	23.4	25.6	_	_	
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	15.4	8.1	13.1		_	
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	47.8	NA			_	



#### Trade Indicators

Trade indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	129.59	121.56	120.12	120.58	120.67	120.39
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-11.64	-7.99	-9.24	-9.28	-9.65	-10.12
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	0.13	-0.01	-0.05	2.31	2.04	2.01
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	1.96	-9.06	2.22	2.32	2.67	2.84
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	2.09	3.14	_	_	_	_



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

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

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Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)



Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, 2014

Special transactions & commodities	Undenatured ethyl alcohol of an alc		Flat-rolled products of iron or non 7
39	17	17	Paints and varnishes (including ena

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods		Intermediate
	goods	goods
		10
		Raw
71	12	materials <sub>8</sub>

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	90	95	-5
Ease of Doing Business Rank	99	104	-5
Enforcing Contracts	19	19	0
Getting Credit	150	152	-2
Getting Electricity	32	33	-1
Paying Taxes	159	161	-2
Protecting Minority Investors	64	66	-2
Registering Property	112	118	-6
Resolving Insolvency	124	125	-1
Starting a Business	102	107	-5
Trading Across Borders	115	114	1

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

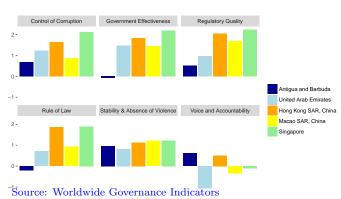
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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



**Trade Policy** 

	2010	2014	
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	14.5	12.3	_
Binding (%)	97.8	97.5	
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	10.4	10.6	
Import duties collected (%, 2011-2013) [1]		4.4	
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	17.6	16.3	
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	8.7	8.5	
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	10.3	9.9	
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	32.0	

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

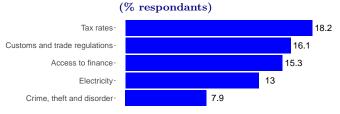
# Private Sector's Views

## **Enterprise Survey 2013**

	Latin America and Caribbean	Antigua and Barbuda	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	2.80	2.80	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	45.80	49.20	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	19.90	32.30	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	62.90	64.20	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	14.00	4.50	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013



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 2013