



# Snapshots Data Note



GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Poverty rate	Unemployment
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	(2009)	rate (2014)
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)		
17.2	2.6	6,706.7	22.6	18.6

### **Macro Indicators**

Macro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	4.83	5.11	4.48	4.86	5.04	5.48
Current account balance	1.32	-7.83	-12.63	-13.63	-16.63	-13.76
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-1.53	-1.06	-3.79	-4.21	-5.24	-4.80
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.18	0.09	0.08	_	_	
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	91.04	88.03	83.99	84.23	84.61	84.75
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	6.17	5.61	5.34	3.50	4.50	5.50

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### **Investment indicators**

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	20.8	31.2	35.4	37.6	41.0	41.9
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	23.2	25.1	34.2	_	_	_
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	6.1	6.4	3.3		_	_
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	27.4	NA		_	_	_



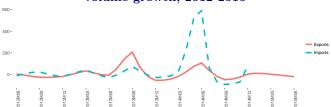
#### **Trade Indicators**

Trade Indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	101.1	116.4	119.6	127.4	133.2	138.9
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-3.8	-27.9	-40.2	-47.9	-53.7	-56.0
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	3.9	9.8	-6.2	5.0	5.0	10.0
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	9.4	16.2	15.7	15.0	12.0	10.0
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	2.8	2.3	_	_	_	_



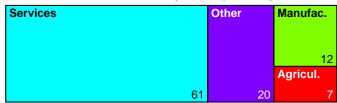
Sources: MFM note, [1] World Development Indicators (WDI), [2] UNCTADSTAT, [3] World Economic Outlook (WEO)

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

Diamonds (other than sorted industr		fire-floats,	frozen (excluding fillets	Uranium ores & concentrates
		dredger	and	Copper, refined and unrefined;
	24	9	7	copp 5

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Capital good	ls	Consumer goods	Intermediate goods	Raw materials
	39	37	13	10

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	57	66	-9
Ease of Doing Business Rank	101	101	0
Enforcing Contracts	103	103	0
Getting Credit	61	59	2
Getting Electricity	72	76	-4
Paying Taxes	88	93	-5
Protecting Minority Investors	64	66	-2
Registering Property	172	174	-2
Resolving Insolvency	95	97	-2
Starting a Business	154	164	-10
Trading Across Borders	118	118	0

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

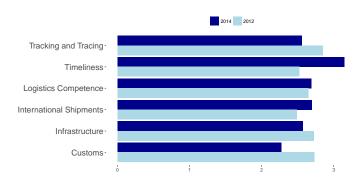
### WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-5, 5=best)

# Health and primary educat. Labor mrkt efficiency, Technol. Readiness 4 Macroec. environment 2: Institutions Business sophist. Goods mrkt efficiency Higher educat. and training Namibia Innovation Market size Sub-Saharan Africa Infrastructure

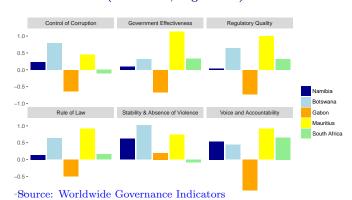
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

## 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)	6.7	6.8
Binding $(\%)$	96	96.9
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	15	13.1
Import duties collected [1]		_
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	8.9	9.1
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	7.6	7.5
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	7.7	7.7
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	3

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

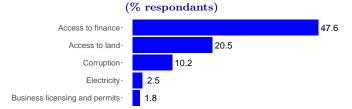
### Private Sector's Views

### **Enterprise Survey 2014**

	Sub-Saharan Africa	Namibia	All Countries	
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.30	0.60	6.30	_
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	23.10	21.70	34.30	
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	9.90	25.60	14.30	
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	76.70	67.60	71.80	
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	8.20	3.10	9.90	

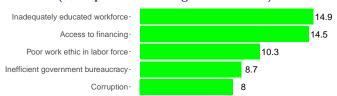
Source: Enterprise Survey 2014

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2014



Source: Enterprise Survey 2014

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

