

# T&C

## Snapshots

### Data Note



## El Salvador

GDP (US\$ billions) (2017)	Population (millions) (2017)	Land area (sq. km) (2014)	Income per capita (current US\$) (2017)	Poverty rate (2013) [1]	Unemployment rate (2014)	Ease of Doing Business Rank (2016)
29.0	6.2	20,720.0	4,709.4	3.2	6.2	86.0

### Macro Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	1.93	1.85	1.95	2.23	2.48	2.57
Current account balance	-4.21	-6.47	-4.56	-4.46	-4.86	-5.27
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-3.49	-4.04	-3.55	-4.11	-4.24	-4.29
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	16.76	16.31	16.83	—	—	—
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	100.55	98.69	98.87	101.56	101.61	101.10
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	3.44	0.76	1.14	-1.11	-1.11	-1.11

### Investment indicators

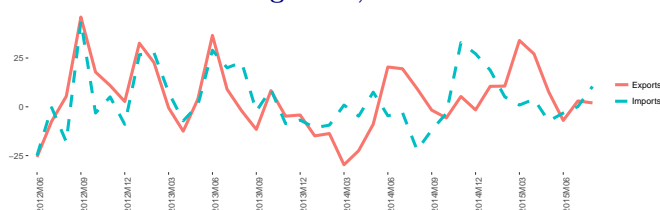
	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	18.29	18.23	16.74	16.97	17.66	18.39
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	15.29	14.96	13.58	—	—	—
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	2.40	0.74	1.08	—	—	—
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	15.33	NA	—	—	—	—

### Trade Indicators

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	101.62	102.53	98.85	100.70	102.45	104.10
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-21.67	-19.73	-18.41	-18.94	-19.89	-20.78
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	2.70	4.83	-0.95	3.90	3.50	3.50
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	2.52	4.48	-2.22	4.30	4.80	4.70
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	3.31	2.72	2.68	—	—	—

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

T-shirts, singlets & other vests, knitted or crocheted	Jerseys, pullovers, cardigans, sweaters, or wools	Panty hose, tights, stockings, socks	Articles for the conveyance or pack
14	5	5	3
			Sugars, beet or cane, raw, in solid
			7

### Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods	Intermediate goods	Capital goods
48	30	14
		Raw materials
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Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

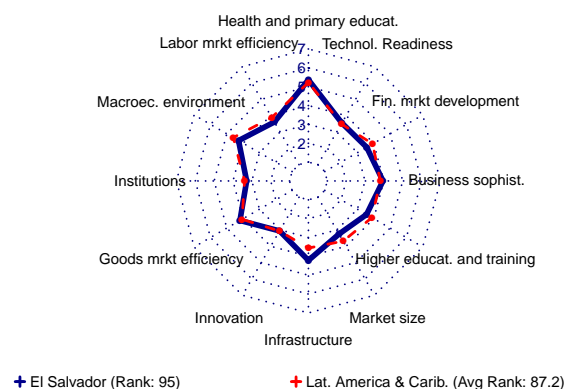
### Doing Business 2015 Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

	2015	DTF 2016	Change	2015 Rank	2016 Rank	Change
<b>Ease of Doing Business</b>	<b>59.94</b>	<b>62.76</b>	<b>2.82</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>11</b>
Dealing with Construction Permits	56.68	56.85	0.17	155	156	-1
Enforcing Contracts	55.2	55.2	0	109	109	0
Getting Credit	50	80	30	71	15	56
Getting Electricity	62.97	63.46	0.49	106	107	-1
Paying Taxes	52.31	52.73	0.42	161	162	-1
Protecting Minority Investors	38.33	38.33	0	154	155	-1
Registering Property	67.15	67.13	-0.02	71	71	0
Resolving Insolvency	46.02	45.9	-0.12	76	79	-3
Starting a Business	80.02	80.19	0.17	120	125	-5
Trading Across Borders	90.75	87.78	-2.97	38	46	-8

Source: Doing Business Report 2015

## WEF Competitiveness Indicators

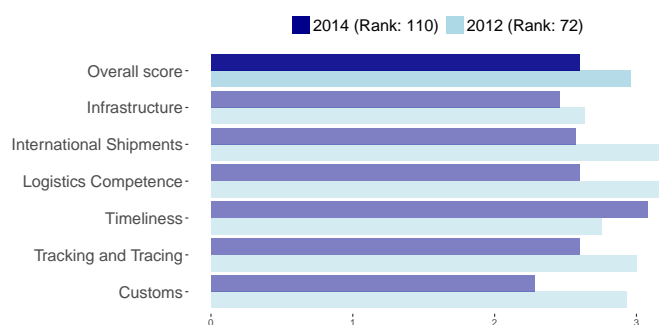
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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

## Logistics Performance Index

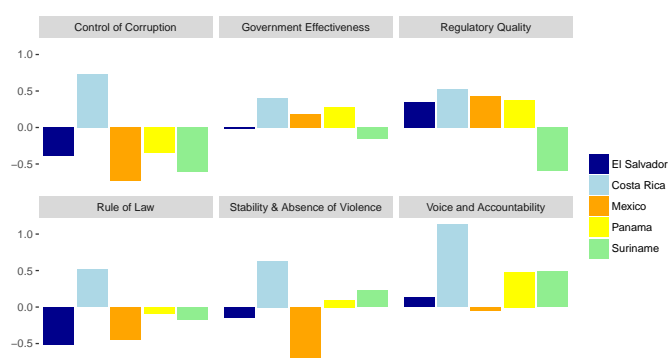
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Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

## World Governance indicators

(Std. score, High=best)



Source: Worldwide Governance Indicators

## Trade Policy

	2010	2014
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	5	4.0
Binding (%)	100	100.0
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	8.9	9.2
Import duties collected (%; 2011-2013) [1]	—	0.2
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	12.3	12.2
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	4.8	4.7
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	5.9	5.7
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	—	29.0

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

## Private Sector View

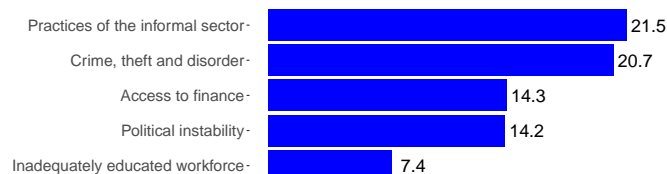
### Enterprise Survey 2010

	Latin America and Caribbean	El Salvador	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	2.80	1.20	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	45.80	53.10	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	19.90	20.70	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	62.90	50.80	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	14.00	19.60	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2010

### Top 5 constraints according to ES 2010

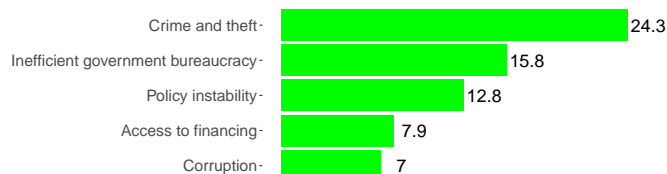
(% respondents)



Source: Enterprise Survey 2010

### Top 5 constraints according to WEF 2015 survey

(% respondents among 88 executives)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015



## Most Recent

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## WB Lending Pipeline

WB Portfolio

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