



# T&C Snapshots Data Note



# Bhutan

Population (millions)	Land area (sq. km) (2014)	Poverty rate (2012) [1]	Unemployment rate (2014)	Ease of Doing Business Rank
(2017)				(2016)
0.79	38,117.00	2.20	2.80	71.00

Macro Indicators						
	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Current account balance	_		_	_	_	_
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.46	0.66	0.71	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	_					_
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	_					_
Investment indicators						

Investment indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	53.56	45.96	57.75			_
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	2.25	0.49	0.30			_
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	4.16	NA			_	_

Trade Indicators						
Trado Indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	_					_
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	_			_		
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	11	9	12	_	_	_

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)

Services	Other		Agricul.
			18
			Manufac.
3	9	34	9

Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, NA

Doing Business 2015
Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, NA

Data not available

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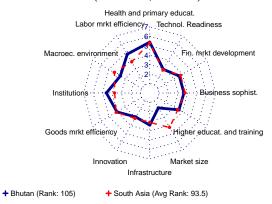
		DTF			Rank	
	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change
Ease of Doing Business	64.9	65.21	0.31	70	71	-1
Dealing with Construction Permits	69.97	70.07	0.1	74	79	-5
Enforcing Contracts	65.36	65.36	0	50	50	0
Getting Credit	50	50	0	71	79	-8
Getting Electricity	78.9	80.09	1.19	52	50	2
Paying Taxes	85.5	85.5	0	26	28	-2
Protecting Minority Investors	46.67	46.67	0	114	115	-1
Registering Property	71.61	73.4	1.79	56	51	5
Resolving Insolvency	0	0	0	189	189	0
Starting a Business	85.54	85.57	0.03	85	91	-6
Trading Across Borders	95.49	95.49	0	21	21	0

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

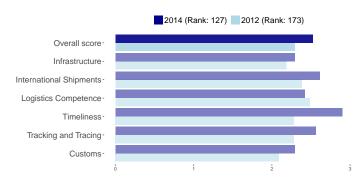
#### WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-7, 7=best)



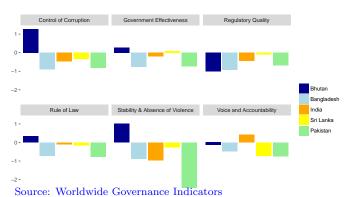
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

# Logistics Performance Index (Scale 1-5, 5=best)



Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



#### **Trade Policy**

	2007
Import duties collected (%, 2012-2014) [1]	0.5
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

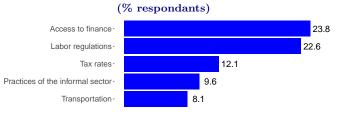
#### Private Sector View

#### **Enterprise Survey 2015**

	South Asia	Bhutan	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	25.40	0.40	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	27.00	46.50	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	14.40	18.90	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	73.90	75.10	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	7.20	28.80	9.90

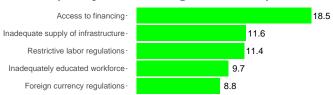
Source: Enterprise Survey 2015

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2015



Source: Enterprise Survey 2015

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015





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# Bhutan

## SCD/CPF

#### Most Recent

Product Document Date
Bhutan - Country partnership strategy for the period FY2015-19 2014-09-29

#### Planned

Product Concept Review Date Board Date
None

## WB Lending Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst. Type	Begin Appraisal	Commitment (US\$M)	Latest Sort Overall Risk Rating	FY Expenses (US\$K)	Cum Expenses (US\$K)	FY Prob
None										

### WB Portfolio

#### Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Closing	CommitmentUndisbursed Project			Project	Overall	Months
			Date	Inst.	Date	(US\$M)	Balance	Rating	Rating	Risk	in
				Type			(US\$M)	DO	IP		Prob-
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None

#### Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst. Type	Closing Date	Commitment (US\$M)	Project Rating DO	Project Rating IP	IEG Outcome Rating
P125310	BT: Corporate Governance TA	A.K.M. Abdullah	2011-02-	_	2014-05-	0	S	HS	_
			01		17				

## WB ASA

### Active

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Management Approval Date	Product Line	RAS (Y/N)	Current Expenditure BB (US\$K)	Current Expenditure Total (US\$K)	Lifetime Expenditure BB (US\$K)	Lifetime Expenditure Total (US\$K)
P153221	Improving Bhutan Investment Climate	Massimiliano Santini	2017-06-30	PA	N	103	103	324	324

## Closed

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Management Approval Date	Product Line	RAS (Y/N)	Current Expenditure BB (US\$K)	Current Expenditure Total (US\$K)	Lifetime Expenditure BB (US\$K)	Lifetime Expenditure Total (US\$K)
P147082	Bhutan Doing	Mihasonirina	2014-06-10	TA	N	_	0	88	88
P077143	Business Reform TA BT-Hydropower	Andrianaivo Naoko C. Kojo	2002-10-04	EW	N	_	0	78	78
	Exports & Exch. Rate Study								

## IFC ASA

#### Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval	Expected	Approval	Total	Current FY
			Date	End Date	Value (in	Expenditures	Expenditure
					US\$K)	(in US\$K)	(in US\$K)
None							

## Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval	Expected	Approval	Total	Current FY
			Date	End Date	Value (in	Expenditures	Expenditure
					US\$K)	(in US\$K)	(in US\$K)

None

#### Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	IP Approval Date	Expected End Date	Approval Value (in US\$K)	Total Expenditures (in US\$K)	Current FY Expenditure (in US\$K)
577347	Bhutan Licensing Reform	Azhar, Shihab Ansari	2010-11-03	2014-06-30	547	544	0
537785	FDI Rules and Regulations	Crittle, Frederick J.	2005-08-11	_	0	0	0
538807	Institutional Arrangements for FDI Activities	Crittle, Frederick J.	2005-08-10	_	0	0	0
537505	Improving Registration and Regulatory Processes in Bhutan	Qayyum, Sayef Tanzeem	2005-07-10	2010-06-30	682	431	0
537984	Export Business Intensification Program for Bhutan SME Sector	Haider, Narissa	2005-07-10	2008-02-28	387	311	0
538083	Bhutan Feasibility Studies on Industrial Estates, IT Park and Distance Learning Center	Faisal, Islam Mohammad	2005-07-10	_	0	0	0