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Snapshots

Data Note



Jordan

GDP (US\$ billions) (2017)	Population (millions) (2017)	Land area (sq. km) (2014)	Income per capita (current US\$) (2017)	Poverty rate (2010) [1]	Unemployment rate (2014)	Ease of Doing Business Rank (2016)
43.36	6.80	88,780.00	6,373.36	0.13	11.10	113.00

Macro 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

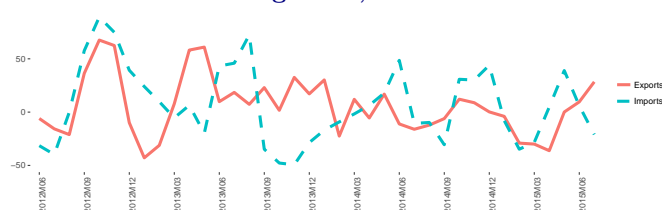
	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	22.0	23.8	23.3	23.1	23.9	24.5
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	27.4	28.1	28.0	—	—	—
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	10.0	5.2	4.9	—	—	—
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	38.8	NA	—	—	—	—

Trade Indicators

	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	—	—	—	—

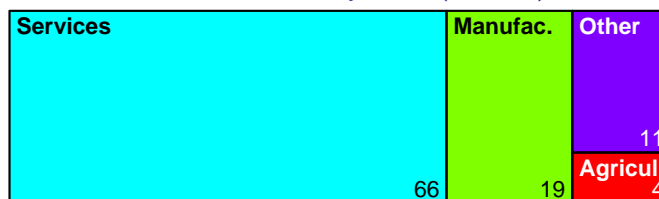
Sources: MFM note, [1] World Development Indicators (WDI), [2] UNCTADSTAT, [3] World Economic Outlook (WEO)

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)

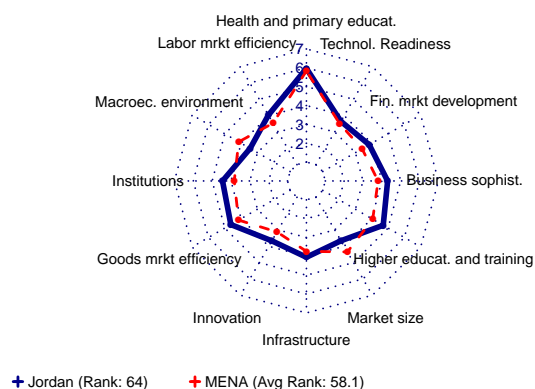
Doing Business 2015 Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

	DTF			Rank		
	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change
Ease of Doing Business	57.81	57.84	0.03	107	113	-6
Dealing with Construction Permits	67.01	67.49	0.48	103	103	0
Enforcing Contracts	51.5	51.5	0	122	126	-4
Getting Credit	0	0	0	185	185	0
Getting Electricity	77.84	77.88	0.04	55	56	-1
Paying Taxes	81.19	80.96	-0.23	46	52	-6
Protecting Minority Investors	36.67	36.67	0	162	163	-1
Registering Property	61.34	61.34	0	96	98	-2
Resolving Insolvency	30.17	30.17	0	146	146	0
Starting a Business	85.61	85.7	0.09	83	88	-5
Trading Across Borders	86.73	86.73	0	49	50	-1

Source: Doing Business Report 2015

WEF Competitiveness Indicators

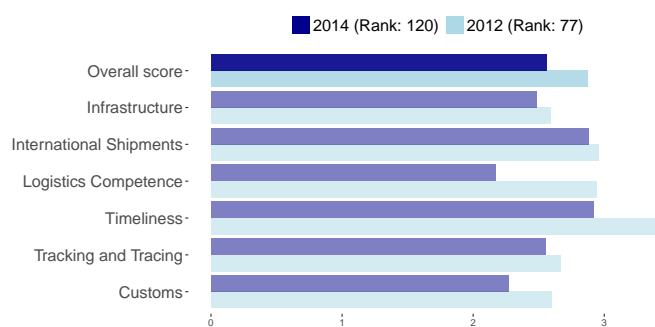
(Scale 1-7, 7=best)



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)



Source: Worldwide Governance Indicators

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 View

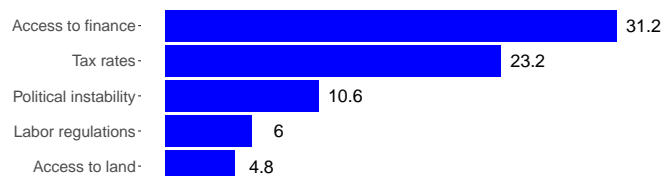
Enterprise Survey 2013

	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

(% respondents)



Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to WEF 2015 survey

(% respondents among 88 executives)



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015



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Jordan

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Most Recent

Product	Document	Date
Jordan - Promoting poverty reduction and shared prosperity		2016-03-03
Jordan - Country partnership strategy progress report for the period FY2012-15		2014-08-01

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
P159522	Economic Opportunities for Jordanians an	John F. Speakman	2016-07-14	PforR	2016-05-16	240	—	12	12	B
P159511	Jordan Compact: Syrian Refugees Economic	John F. Speakman	—	PforR	—	—	—	0	0	B

WB Portfolio

Active

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst. Type	Closing Date	Commitment (US\$M)	Undisbursed Balance (US\$M)	Project Rating DO	Project Rating IP	Overall Risk	Months in Problem Status
None											

Closed

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WB ASA
Active

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Concept Approval Date	Output 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)
P157739	Jordan Business Legislation Reform	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	2015-11-03	2018-10-31	TA	N	13	47	13	47
P150415	Jordan Competitiveness and Investment Reform	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	2014-07-30	2017-12-29	PA	N	0	335	0	613
P159113	support implementation	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-09-01	TA	N	—	0	—	0
P159100	Simplification of the investor entry	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-08-01	TA	N	—	0	—	0
P159101	Strengthened services to investors	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-08-01	TA	N	—	0	—	0
P159102	Analysis of the investment framework	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-08-01	EW	N	—	0	—	0
P159103	Investor Protection Analysis	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-08-01	EW	N	—	0	—	0
P159104	A Cost-Benefit Analysis of the Incentive	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-08-01	TA	N	—	0	—	0
P159105	Assessment of RE/EE framework	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-08-01	EW	N	—	0	—	0
P159106	Strengthening the RE/EE framework	Mohamed Hamoud Baider	—	2017-08-01	TA	N	—	0	—	0
P159375	Syrian refugees: reconstruction and jobs	Alan Andrew Moody	—	2016-07-29	EW	N	31	31	31	31
P158749	Syrian Refugees	John F. Speakman	—	2016-06-30	TA	N	298	298	298	298

Closed

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P122895	JO - Enterprise Survey/Financial Review	Jana Malinska	2012-11-27	2014-06-22	TA	N	—	0	372	372
P127992	JO - Jordan Competitiveness Partnership	Jana Malinska	2012-05-11	2014-06-22	TA	N	—	0	320	320

IFC ASA
Active

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)
599089	e4e ICT Jordan	Abdel-Razek, Amy Refaat	2012-08-02	2015-12-31	1,325	1,257	137
574387	JOR Inspection Reform Project Phase II	Shalan, Abeer Kamal	2012-01-09	2017-12-31	4,910	2,631	488

Pipeline

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)
601377	Jordan Investment Reform Project	Baider, Mohamed Hamoud	—	2018-06-30	400	0	0

Closed

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549548	Labor QIZs	Svensson, Kristina	2006-09-20	2007-06-30	140	84	0
539205	Jordan Inspection Reform Project	Aranki, Wafa Michael Elias	2006-06-15	2009-12-31	882	798	0
546384	D Bus Better Jdn	Alshorafa, Samar Maher	2006-04-06	—	0	0	0