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Trade & Competitiveness

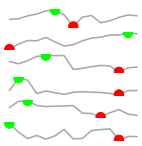
T&C Snapshots Data Note

# Netherlands

| GDP (US$ billions) (2016) | Population (millions) (2016) | Income per capita (current US$) (2016) | Unemployment rate (2014) | Ease of Doing Business Rank (2016) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 789.0 | 16.9 | 46,597.5 | 6.9 | 28.0 |

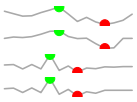
## Macro Indicators

| | Avg 2002-2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| GDP growth (annual %) | 1.41 | -1.60 | -0.68 | 0.87 | 2.00 | 1.60 |
| Current account balance | 5.49 | 8.96 | 10.05 | 10.13 | 11.29 | 10.83 |
| Fiscal balance (% of GDP) | -1.96 | -4.03 | -4.22 | -6.58 | -4.96 | -4.67 |
| Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1] | 0.23 | 0.20 | 0.19 | 0.18 | — | — |
| Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100) | 103.53 | 97.45 | 100.23 | 102.23 | 99.43 | 98.53 |
| Consumer Price Index, annual percent change | 2.05 | 2.46 | 2.56 | 1.07 | 1.54 | 1.51 |



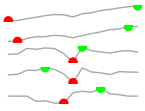
## Investment indicators

| | Avg 2002-2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gross domestic investment (% GDP) | 21.4 | 19.5 | 19.0 | 19.3 | 19.9 | 21.0 |
| Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1] | 21.2 | 19.2 | 18.0 | 18.1 | — | — |
| Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2] | 4.2 | 2.1 | 3.8 | 3.5 | — | — |
| Inward FDI, % of private investment [2] | 22.7 | 7.4 | NA | — | — | — |



## Trade Indicators

| | Avg 2002-2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms) | 125.11 | 145.31 | 148.59 | 153.20 | 156.63 | 159.16 |
| Trade balance (% GDP, real terms) | 7.48 | 9.95 | 10.87 | 11.12 | 12.19 | 12.12 |
| Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms) | 3.41 | 3.22 | 2.00 | 3.96 | 4.79 | 3.08 |
| Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms) | 3.24 | 2.78 | 1.06 | 4.07 | 3.70 | 3.42 |
| Total reserves in months of imports [1] | 0.51 | 0.75 | 0.61 | 0.59 | — | — |



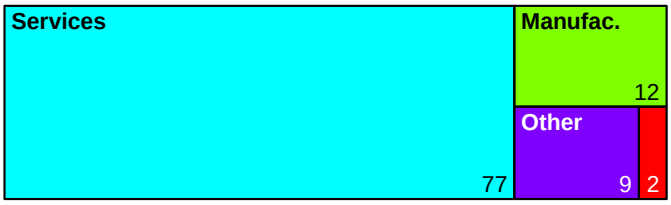
Sources: MFM note, [1] World Development Indicators (WDI), [2] UNCTADSTAT, [3] World Economic Outlook (WEO)

### Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

Data not available

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

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

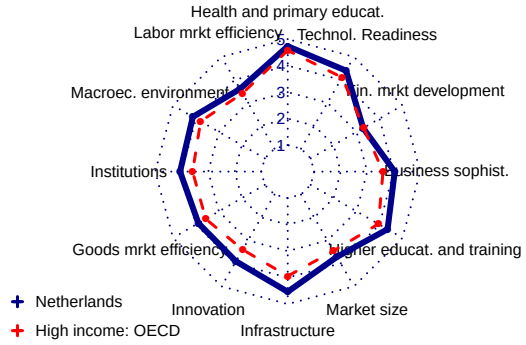
Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

### Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

| | DB 2015 Rank | DB 2016 Rank | Change in Rank |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dealing with Construction Permits | 79 | 85 | -6 |
| Ease of Doing Business Rank | 25 | 28 | -3 |
| Enforcing Contracts | 91 | 91 | 0 |
| Getting Credit | 71 | 79 | -8 |
| Getting Electricity | 41 | 43 | -2 |
| Paying Taxes | 23 | 26 | -3 |
| Protecting Minority Investors | 64 | 66 | -2 |
| Registering Property | 29 | 30 | -1 |
| Resolving Insolvency | 11 | 11 | 0 |
| Starting a Business | 20 | 28 | -8 |
| Trading Across Borders | 1 | 1 | 0 |

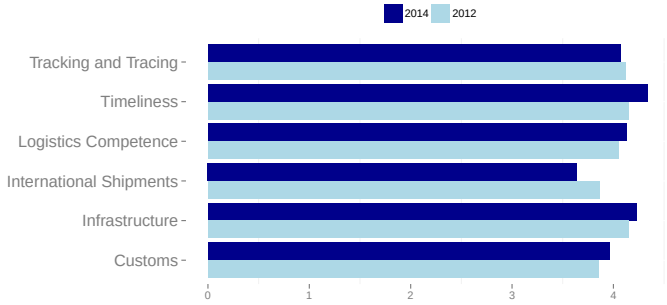
Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

### WEF Competitiveness Indicators
**(Scale 1-5, 5=best)**



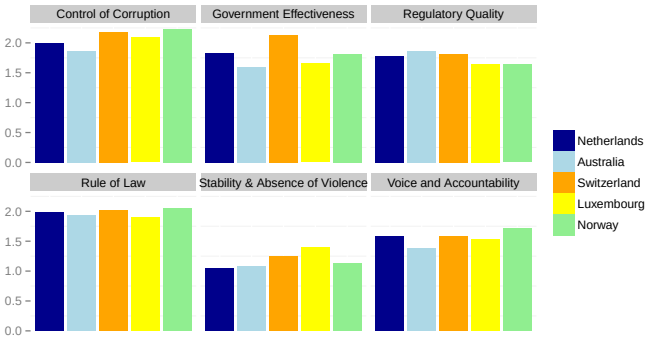

Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

### 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

| | 2014 |
|---|---|
| Import duties collected [1] | — |
| Services sectors with GATS commitments [1] | 115 |

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

## Private Sector's Views

### Enterprise Survey 2013

Key Subsection CountryCode Period Scale Observation Source IndicatorShort

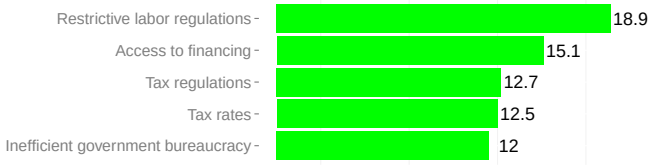
Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

### Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013
**(% respondants)**

Data not available

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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




Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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## SCD/CPF

### Most Recent

| Product | Document Date |
|---|---|
| None | |

### 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 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

| 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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| None | | | | | | | | | |

# WB ASA

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# IFC ASA

## Active

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| None | | | | | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 572468 | KM: Ad-hoc Support to Regulatory Governance in the Netherlands | Ladegaard, Peter Farup | 2009-12-01 | 2012-06-30 | 0 | 77 | 0 |
| 549386 | KM Project: Review of the Dutch Government's 2003-2006 Administrative Simplification Programme | Ladegaard, Peter Farup | 2006-10-16 | — | 0 | 0 | 0 |