



Trade and Competitiveness Monitoring Note

	Tajikistan
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GDP (US\$ billions) (2016)	Population (millions) (2016)	Income per capita (current US\$) (2016)	Poverty rate (2009)	Unemployment rate (2014)
9.1	8.7	1,047.6	4.7	10.9

Macro Indicators Avg 2002-2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 GDP growth (annual %) 7.50 7.40 4.20 8.13 6.70 Current account balance -3.37 -2.61-2.81-7.93-6.30-5.96Fiscal balance (% of GDP) -3.16 0.60 -1.01 -0.48 -1.36 -1.91 Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1] 32.82 41.7047.50 49.59 157.94 Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100) 80.87142.56148.13164.98160.79Consumer Price Index, annual percent change 13.505.69 5.03 6.188.50 7.50

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investment indicators	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	6.4	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.9	6.3
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	17.4	19.6	19.1			
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	5.1	3.0	1.2	2.8		
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	38.0	11.9	NA	_	_	_



### **Trade Indicators**

	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	186.04	194.42	191.37	189.61	186.40	186.31
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-6.74	-11.08	-11.21	-11.42	-9.41	-9.83
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	8.11	5.86	5.54	5.54	3.50	4.50
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	9.02	6.25	5.88	5.88	1.50	4.97
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	0.98	1.41	1.44	1.11	_	_



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)



Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

## Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, NA

# f Total Value, NA Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

Data not available

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, NA

Data not available

	DB 2015 Rank	DB 2016 Rank	Change in Rank
Dealing with Construction Permits	150	152	-2
Ease of Doing Business Rank	138	132	6
Enforcing Contracts	54	54	0
Getting Credit	118	109	9
Getting Electricity	176	177	-1
Paying Taxes	178	172	6
Protecting Minority Investors	27	29	-2
Registering Property	101	102	-1
Resolving Insolvency	147	147	0
Starting a Business	81	57	24
Trading Across Borders	159	132	27

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

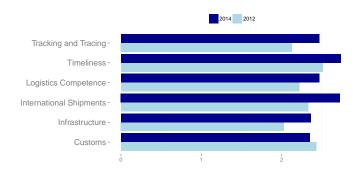
## WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-5, 5=best)

# Health and primary educat. Labor mrkt efficiency. Technol. Readiness Macroec. environment 3: Fin. mrkt development 2: Institutions Business sophist. Goods mrkt efficiency Higher educat. and training + Tajikistan Innovation Market size Infrastructure

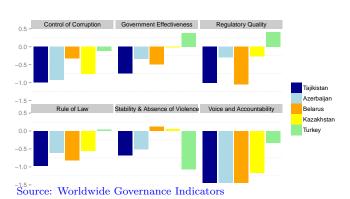
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

# 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)	4.6	5
Binding (%)	100	100
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	7	4.4
Import duties collected [1]	_	_
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	10.4	9.5
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	7.3	7.1
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	7.8	7.5
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	111

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

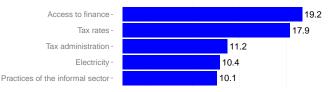
## Private Sector's Views

## **Enterprise Survey 2013**

	Tajikistan	Europe and Central Asia	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	6.10	2	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	14.60	_	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	5.10	_	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	73.90	_	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation $(\%)$	21.90	_	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013 (% respondants)



Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

