



# Snapshots Data Note



# **Mauritius**

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Poverty rate	Unemployment
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	(2012)	rate (2014)
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)		
13.38	1.27	10,503.74	0.53	7.70

### **Macro Indicators**

Macro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	3.75	3.20	3.60	3.60	3.80	4.00
Current account balance	-4.49	-9.90	-10.30	-7.50	-6.51	-6.03
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-4.08	-3.30	-4.22	-4.41	-3.66	-2.62
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.73	0.00	0.01	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	96.71	107.07	109.81	103.09	104.54	106.10
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	5.72	3.53	3.22	2.18	3.00	3.00



### **Investment indicators**

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	22.3	20.6	18.7	19.0	19.1	19.0
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	24.7	25.2	23.0	_	_	
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	2.6	2.2	3.3		_	_
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	10.8	NA	_	_	_	_



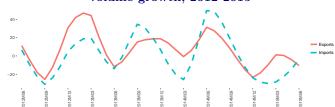
#### **Trade Indicators**

Trado Indiodoris	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	125.0	115.6	122.6	127.8	124.9	122.5
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-7.3	-1.2	-0.1	1.7	1.1	1.1
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	3.7	-1.0	11.0	9.5	1.0	2.0
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	2.2	-0.5	8.8	6.4	2.0	2.0
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	3.7	4.5	4.9	_	_	



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

preserved, n.e.s.	T-shirts, singlets & other vests, k	Other beet or cane sugar and chemic	Shirts	Diamonds (other than sorted industr
16	12	10	9	6

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods	Capital goods	Intermediate Raw	
		goods	materials
47	20	19	14

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	74	35	39
Ease of Doing Business Rank	31	32	-1
Enforcing Contracts	28	27	1
Getting Credit	36	42	-6
Getting Electricity	39	41	-2
Paying Taxes	13	13	0
Protecting Minority Investors	27	29	-2
Registering Property	98	99	-1
Resolving Insolvency	36	39	-3
Starting a Business	29	37	-8
Trading Across Borders	66	66	0

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

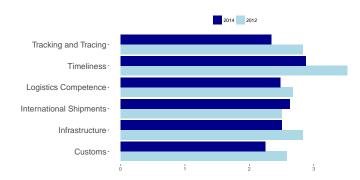
# WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-5, 5=best)

# Health and primary educat. Labor mrkt efficiency. Technol. Readiness Macroec. environment 2. Fin. mrkt development 2. Business sophist. Goods mrkt efficiency Higher educat. and training + Mauritius Innovation Market size Sub-Saharan Africa Infrastructure

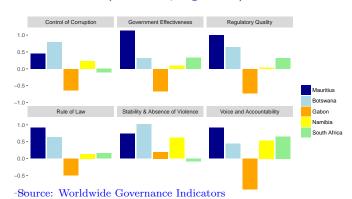
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

# 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)	2.3	1.8
Binding $(\%)$	17.2	16.8
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	5.54	5.2
Import duties collected (%, 2011-2013) [1]		0.7
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	0.97	0.9
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	1.39	1.1
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	1.3	1.1
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	27.0

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

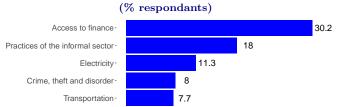
# Private Sector's Views

## **Enterprise Survey 2009**

	Sub-Saharan Africa	Mauritius	All Countries	
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.30	1.20	6.30	_
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	23.10	47.40	34.30	
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	9.90	30.80	14.30	
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	76.70	51.90	71.80	
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	8.20	9.40	9.90	

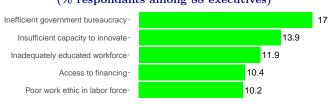
Source: Enterprise Survey 2009

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2009



Source: Enterprise Survey 2009

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

