



# Trade and Competitiveness Monitoring Note

2016

2015



## Greece

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Unemployment	Ease of Doing
billions) (2016)	(millions)	capita (current	rate (2014)	Business Rank
	(2016)	US\$) (2016)		(2016)
194	11	17,777	26	60

2013

2014

2012

#### **Macro Indicators**

	1118 2002 2011	2012	2010	2011	2010	2010
GDP growth (annual %)	0.86	-6.62	-3.98	0.80	-1.40	-1.20
Current account balance	-9.02	-1.24	1.98	3.27	6.66	10.30
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	-8.17	-7.28	-3.85	-0.99	0.23	1.23
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.60	0.28	0.34	0.31	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	103.90	98.52	99.47	97.29	91.33	88.70
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	3.32	1.50	-1.16	-1.48	-0.81	-2.22

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#### **Investment indicators**

	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	20.81	12.03	11.40	11.75	7.72	0.99
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	22.56	12.80	11.48	12.23	_	_
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	0.69	0.70	1.16	0.91	_	_
Inward FDI, $\%$ of private investment [2]	3.27	5.32	NA	_	_	_



#### Trade Indicators

Trade Indicators	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	53.20	56.42	58.34	62.58	62.60	62.60
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-10.22	-3.65	-2.54	-2.37	1.04	4.83
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	1.70	0.97	1.54	8.77	4.20	4.70
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	0.51	-9.36	-2.68	7.54	-6.55	-7.28
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	0.51	1.13	0.91	0.95	_	_

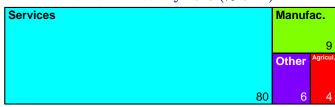


Sources: MFM note, [1] World Development Indicators (WDI), [2] UNCTADSTAT, [3] World Economic Outlook (WEO)

Goods Export and Import volume growth, 2012-2015

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Gross Value Added by Economic Activity 2013 (% GDP)



Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)  $\,$ 

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, 2014

Petroleum oils & oils obtained from		Aluminium	
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		aluminium	
		alloys,	
		wor	3
		Special	Vegetables,
		transactions	prepared or
		&	preserved,
	37	commodities	2

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods	Raw materials	Intermediate goods	Capital goods
36	31	17	15

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

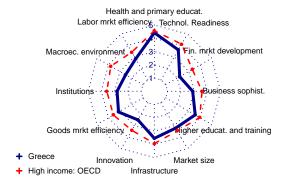
Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

	DB 2015 Rank	DB 2016 Rank	Change in Rank
Dealing with Construction Permits	60	60	0
Ease of Doing Business Rank	58	60	-2
Enforcing Contracts	131	132	-1
Getting Credit	71	79	-8
Getting Electricity	44	47	-3
Paying Taxes	63	66	-3
Protecting Minority Investors	44	47	-3
Registering Property	144	144	0
Resolving Insolvency	52	54	-2
Starting a Business	50	54	-4
Trading Across Borders	27	27	0

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

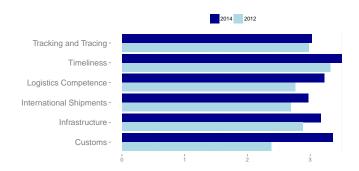
### WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-5, 5=best)



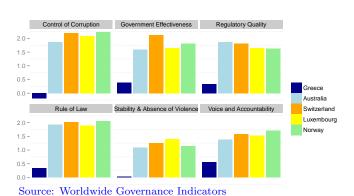
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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



Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



### **Trade Policy**

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

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

### Private Sector's Views

### Enterprise Survey 2013

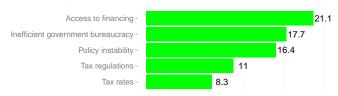
	Greece	Europe and Central Asia	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	_	2	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	_	_	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	13.3	_	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	71.3	_	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	1.8	_	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013 (% respondants)

Data not available

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015



Source: Enterprise Survey 2013