



Snapshots Data Note



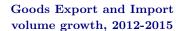
Central African Republic

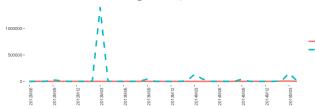
	Central African Republic	GDP (US\$ billions) (2017)	Population (millions) (2017)	Land are km) (2	014)	Income per capita (current US\$) (2017)	Poverty rate (2008) [1]	Unemploymen rate (2014)	Business Rank (2016)
	respusite	2.0	5.1	622,98	30.0	401.5	66.3	7.4	185.0
Macro Indi	actors								
Macro Indi	cators	Avg :	2003-2012	2013	20	14 2015	2016	2017	
GDP growth (a	nnual %)		3.0	-36.0	1	.0 5.4	5.7	5.9	
Current account	t balance		-9.4	-3.0	-6	.1 -9.6	-11.0	-8.7	
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)		2.3	-6.3	3	.8 -6.2	-3.7	-2.1	~ ~ ~
Remittances, re	ceived (% of GDP) [1]		_	_			_		
Real Effective B	Exchange Rate (2010=100)		98.3	100.1	106	.9 99.2	102.8	109.0	~~ ~
Consumer Price	e Index, annual percent change		3.4	6.6	11	.6 5.2	6.3	3.0	
Investment	indicators								
		Avg :	2003-2012	2013	20	14 2015	2016	2017	
Gross domestic	investment (% GDP)		9.40	7.07	8.	31 13.40	13.46	13.36	
Gross domestic	investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	11.12	8.67	10.	18 —	_	_	
Inward FDI (%	of GDP) [2]		2.22	0.12	0.	19 —	_	_	
Inward FDI, $\%$	of private investment [2]		20.75	NA			_	_	
Trade Indic	ators								

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	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	29.93	33.63	43.79	43.56	45.93	45.12
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-3.74	-9.19	-23.13	-22.72	-23.38	-19.36
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	-0.66	-28.85	-14.62	6.35	14.30	21.00
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	3.08	-24.06	57.88	4.40	10.50	-1.50
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	_	_	_	_	_	_

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





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

Wood of non-coniferous species, in	Wood of	Cotton
	non-coniferous	(other
	species spec	than
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Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Consumer goods		Capital goods		Intermediate goods
				11
				Raw
	52		30	materials 7

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

Doing Business 2015 Distance to Frontier (DTF) and Rank

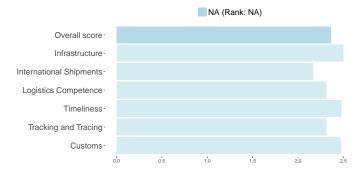
		DTF			Rank	
	2015	2016	Change	2015	2016	Change
Ease of Doing Business	36.15	36.26	0.11	185	185	0
Dealing with Construction Permits	56.37	57.04	0.67	156	155	1
Enforcing Contracts	33.24	33.24	0	177	177	0
Getting Credit	30	30	0	128	133	-5
Getting Electricity	24.2	24.64	0.44	187	186	1
Paying Taxes	23.47	23.47	0	185	185	0
Protecting Minority Investors	40	40	0	149	150	-1
Registering Property	41.84	41.88	0.04	164	167	-3
Resolving Insolvency	28.13	28.13	0	149	149	0
Starting a Business	31.36	31.36	0	188	189	-1
Trading Across Borders	52.88	52.88	0	144	144	0

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

WEF Competitiveness Indicators (Scale 1-7, 7=best)

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

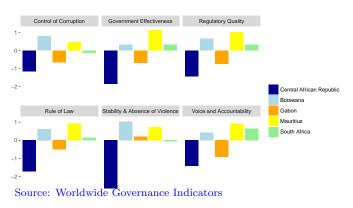
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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



Trade Policy

	2010	2013
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	17.4	17.4
Binding (%)	62	62.2
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	9.7	9.7
Import duties collected (%, 2010-2012) [1]		10.7
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	21.8	21.6
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	16.9	16.9
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	17.8	17.6
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	17.0

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector View

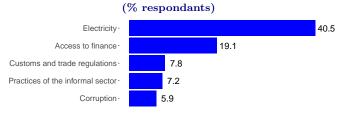
Enterprise Survey 2011

	Sub-Saharan Africa	Central African Republic	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.30	29.00	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	23.10	26.00	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	9.90	4.80	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	76.70	73.90	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation $(\%)$	8.20	9.20	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2011

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Top 5 constraints according to ES 2011



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

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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015





T&C Snapshots Operations Note



Central African Republic

SCD/CPF

Most Recent

Product Document Date
Central African Republic - Country Partnership Strategy Progress Report 2011-07-19

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	Lending	Closing	Commitmen	tUndisburse	d Project	Project	Overall	Months
			Date	Inst.	Date	(US\$M)	Balance	Rating	Rating	Risk	in
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None

Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval Date	Lending Inst.	Closing Date	Commitment (US\$M)	Project Rating	Project Rating	IEG Outcome
				Type		<u> </u>	DO	IP	Rating

None

WB ASA

Active

Task ID	Task Name	Team Leader	Concept Approval Date	Output Approval Date	Product Line	RAS (Y/N)	Current Expendi- ture BB (US\$K)	Current Expendi- ture Total (US\$K)	Lifetime Expendi- ture BB (US\$K)	Lifetime Expendi- ture Total (US\$K)
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IFC ASA

CAR Investment Climate Reform Program

Active

None

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)
601345	Central African Republic Investment Climate Project	Courchesne, Monique	_	_	0	0	0
Pipeline	e						
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554491	CAR Investment Climate	Miyake, Maiko	2007-08-22	2012-09-30	922	945	0