



2017

Snapshots Data Note



Eritrea

Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]

Total reserves in months of imports [1]

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Unemployment	Ease of Doing
billions) (2017)	(millions)	capita (current	rate (2014)	Business Rank
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)		(2016)
7.7	5.5	1,396.5	7.2	189.0

Macro Indicators Avg 2003-2012 2013 2016 2014 2015 GDP growth (annual %) 2.1 1.3 1.7 3.0 4.0 Current account balance -15.22.5 -7.7 -3.1-4.4 Fiscal balance (% of GDP) -19.4 -12.5 -11.6 -10.4 -9.9

4.3 -6.9 -10.3 Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1] Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100) 78.4173.1210.2248.2286.5330.5Consumer Price Index, annual percent change

Investment indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	17.5	9.2	10.6	11.7	11.8	11.9
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	15.0	_	_	_	_	_
Inward FDI (% of CDP) [9]	9.3	1.3	1.9	_	_	

17.9

Trade Indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	58.58	78.44	84.57	89.34	89.65	88.63
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	-31.42	-2.02	-6.41	-9.64	-8.82	-8.05
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	23.82	7.42	4.00	5.00	5.50	4.00
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	1.81	-0.23	15.00	12.00	3.50	2.43

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: Development Prospects Group (DECPG) Source: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, NA

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Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, NA

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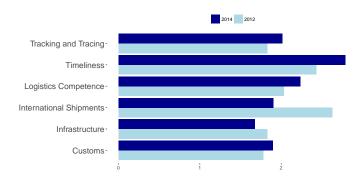
	DB 2015 Rank	DB 2016 Rank	Change in Rank
Dealing with Construction Permits	189	189	0
Ease of Doing Business Rank	189	189	0
Enforcing Contracts	118	121	-3
Getting Credit	185	185	0
Getting Electricity	144	142	2
Paying Taxes	173	174	-1
Protecting Minority Investors	121	122	-1
Registering Property	176	177	-1
Resolving Insolvency	189	189	0
Starting a Business	183	184	-1
Trading Across Borders	189	189	0

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS) Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

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

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

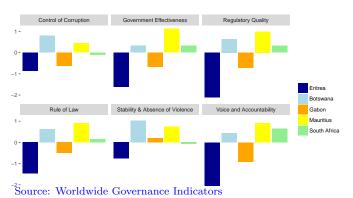




Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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] —

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

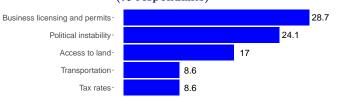
Private Sector's Views

Enterprise Survey 2009

	Sub-Saharan Africa	Eritrea	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month	8.30	0.50	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit	23.10	10.90	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	9.90	1.30	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	76.70	94.00	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	8.20	0.50	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2009

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2009 (% respondants)



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

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Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015



Source: Enterprise Survey 2009