



Snapshots Data Note



Korea, Rep.

GDP (US\$	Population	Income per	Unemployment	Ease of Doing
billions) (2016)	(millions)	capita (current	rate (2014)	Business Rank
	(2016)	US\$) (2016)		(2016)
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Macro Indicators

Wacro Hulcators	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
GDP growth (annual %)	4.370	2.292	2.896	3.310	2.500	3.200
Current account balance	1.637	4.019	6.140	6.592	7.064	7.470
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	1.723	1.538	0.632	0.461	0.738	1.574
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.637	0.537	0.494	0.460	_	
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	118.144	98.540	101.739	107.342	112.729	111.234
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	3.261	2.165	1.268	1.239	0.248	0.058



Investment indicators

	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	32.43	29.11	29.11	28.83	28.16	27.00
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	32.00	31.00	29.10	29.16	_	
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	1.07	0.78	0.98	0.70	_	_
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	3.96	3.15	NA			



Trade Indicators

Trado marcasors	Avg 2002-2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	80.903.3	106.849.6	106.748.1	105.909.6	107.295.3	108.600.9
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	0.003.6	5.186.5	6.580.7	7.087.3	7.533.6	8.139.0
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	10.227.3	4.753.8	4.083.3	3.007.7	4.161.8	4.917.4
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	8.540.9	2.073.8	1.382.4	1.922.9	3.474.3	3.924.4
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	6.566.4	5.775.8	6.222.5	6.514.7	_	_



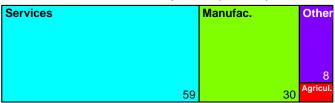
Change in Rank

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: World Development Indicators (WDI)

Top 5 Exports by % of Total Value, 2014

Source: Development Prospects Group (DECPG)

Electronic integrated circuits	Petroleum oils & oils obtained from	Motor vehicles for the	Telephone sets, including
		transport of	telephone
			Liquid crystal devices, n.e.s.; las
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Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

Raw materials	Capital goods	Consumer goods	Intermediate
	3		goods
29	27	25	19

Dealing with Construction Permits 30 28 Ease of Doing Business Rank 4 4 ${\bf Enforcing\ Contracts}$ 2 2 Getting Credit 3642 Getting Electricity 1 Paying Taxes 27 29 Protecting Minority Investors 8 Registering Property 3840 Resolving Insolvency 4 Starting a Business 16 23 Trading Across Borders 31

Doing Business 2015 Ranks

(among all countries)

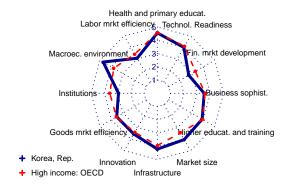
DB 2015 Rank

DB 2016 Rank

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

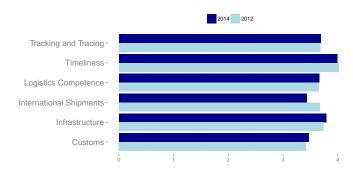
WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(Scale 1-5, 5=best)



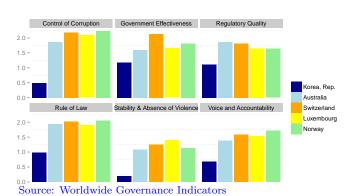
Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

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



Source: Logistics Performance Index (World Bank)

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



Trade Policy

	2010	2014
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	10.1	5.4
Binding $(\%)$	94.7	95.2
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	51.5	51.1
Import duties collected (%, 2011-2013) [1]		1.4
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	48.6	46.3
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	6.3	6.3
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	12.1	11.5
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	98.0

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

Private Sector's Views

Enterprise Survey 2013

	Korea, Rep.	East Asia and Pacific	All Countries
Number of electrical outages in a typical month		3.50	6.30
Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit		35.00	34.30
Proportion of investment financed by banks (%)	20	12.80	14.30
Proportion of investment financed internally (%)	65	74.70	71.80
Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%)	0.1	6.70	9.90

Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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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





T&C Snapshots Operations Note



Korea, Rep.

SCD/CPF

Most Recent

Product Document Date

None

Planned

Product Concept Review Date Board Date

None

WB Lending Pipeline

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Begin	Commitment	Latest	FY	Cum	FY Prob
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				Type			Overall	(US\$K)	(US\$K)	
							Risk	, ,	, ,	
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None

WB Portfolio

Active

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None

Closed

Project ID	Project Name	Team Leader	Approval	Lending	Closing	Commitment	Project	Project	IEG
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None

WB ASA

Active

None

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