



# Snapshots Data Note



# Papua New Guinea

GDP (US\$ billions) (2017)	Population (millions)	Income per capita (current	Poverty rate (2009)	Unemployment rate (2014)
	(2017)	US\$) (2017)		
16.5	7.9	2,076.9	39.3	2.5

### **Macro Indicators**

Macro indicators	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP growth (annual %)	4.96	5.54	9.97	20.02	3.96	3.96
Current account balance	0.75	2.95	19.30	23.97	24.55	25.56
Fiscal balance (% of GDP)	0.34	-7.98	-6.77	-4.29	-3.55	-3.05
Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1]	0.12	0.09	0.06	_	_	_
Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100)	112.25	113.82	108.86	116.78	103.82	92.30
Consumer Price Index, annual percent change	_	_	_	_	_	_



# **Investment indicators**

	Avg 2003-2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
Gross domestic investment (% GDP)	26.50	41.13	44.37	39.69	40.36	41.03	
Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1]	19.96	_		_	_	_	
Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2]	0.81	0.12	-0.19	_	_	_	
Inward FDI, % of private investment [2]	4.79	NA	_	_	_	_	



### Trade Indicators

Trade Indicators	Avg $2003-2012$	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms)	143.13	131.89	128.98	122.52	124.24	125.99
Trade balance (% GDP, real terms)	30.72	66.00	65.36	71.79	72.02	72.24
Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	11.58	-21.84	8.00	20.00	5.00	5.00
Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms)	1.53	-0.16	6.20	-4.30	7.00	7.00
Total reserves in months of imports [1]	4.83		_	_		_



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

# Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

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Imports Categories by % of Total Value, NA

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	DB 2015 Rank	DB 2016 Rank	Change in Rank
Dealing with Construction Permits	130	127	3
Ease of Doing Business Rank	141	145	-4
Enforcing Contracts	169	169	0
Getting Credit	165	167	-2
Getting Electricity	94	98	-4
Paying Taxes	110	110	0
Protecting Minority Investors	98	99	-1
Registering Property	117	119	-2
Resolving Insolvency	140	138	2
Starting a Business	128	138	-10
Trading Across Borders	162	163	-1

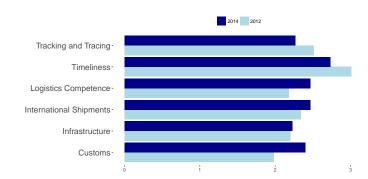
Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

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)

# Control of Corruption Government Effectiveness Regulatory Quality Papua New Guinea China Mongolia Malaysia Thailand Corruption Government Effectiveness Regulatory Quality Papua New Guinea China Malaysia Thailand

## **Trade Policy**

	2010	2014
Applied Tariff (Incl. Prefers. and Trade-Weighted)	5.1	
Binding (%)	100	_
Dispersion (Standard Deviation)	24.2	_
Import duties collected [1]		
MFN Tariff (Agriculture)	16.1	_
MFN Tariff (Non-Agriculture)	3	
MFN Tariff (Simple Average)	5.2	
Services sectors with GATS commitments [1]	_	27

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

# Private Sector's Views

# Enterprise Survey NA

Source: Enterprise Survey NA

Top 5 constraints according to ES NA (% respondants)

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

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Source: Enterprise Survey NA Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

