



Trade and Competitiveness Monitoring Note



Czech Republic

| GDP (US\$ | Population | Income per | Poverty rate | Unemployment |
|------------------|------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| billions) (2016) | (millions) | capita (current | (2012) | rate (2014) |
| | (2016) | US\$) (2016) | | |
| 1.9e+02 | 1.1e+01 | 1.8e + 04 | 6.0 e-02 | 6.2e+00 |

Macro Indicators

| | Avg 2002-2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | |
|---|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--|
| GDP growth (annual %) | 3.11 | -0.90 | -0.53 | 1.98 | 4.00 | 2.55 | |
| Current account balance | -3.58 | -1.60 | -0.55 | 0.55 | 1.29 | 0.85 | |
| Fiscal balance (% of GDP) | -3.79 | -3.94 | -1.19 | -2.02 | -1.89 | -1.24 | |
| Remittances, received (% of GDP) [1] | 0.74 | 0.68 | 0.83 | 0.92 | _ | _ | |
| Real Effective Exchange Rate (2010=100) | 88.79 | 98.61 | 95.05 | 91.05 | 88.64 | 87.90 | |
| Consumer Price Index, annual percent change | 2.50 | 3.29 | 1.42 | 0.35 | 0.40 | 1.40 | |

Investment indicators

| investment indicators | Avg 2002-2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
|---|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Gross domestic investment (% GDP) | 27.5 | 26.1 | 25.5 | 25.5 | 26.4 | 26.5 |
| Gross domestic investment, of w: Private investment (% GDP) [1] | 29.1 | 26.3 | 24.8 | 25.3 | _ | _ |
| Inward FDI (% of GDP) [2] | 4.2 | 3.9 | 1.7 | 2.9 | _ | |
| Inward FDL % of private investment [2] | 16.8 | 17.5 | NA | _ | _ | |



Trade Indicators

| | Avg 2002-2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | |
|---|---------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--|
| Total Trade in Goods and Services (% of GDP, real terms) | 104.600 | 143.048 | 143.875 | 154.240 | 160.524 | 167.867 | |
| Trade balance (% GDP, real terms) | 0.861 | 6.285 | 6.298 | 6.055 | 5.783 | 5.657 | |
| Exports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms) | 10.093 | 4.280 | 0.031 | 8.852 | 7.900 | 7.000 | |
| Imports, Goods and Services, annual percent change (real terms) | 9.240 | 2.660 | 0.065 | 9.841 | 8.600 | 7.500 | |
| Total reserves in months of imports [1] | 3.390 | 3.207 | 4.005 | 3.687 | | _ | |

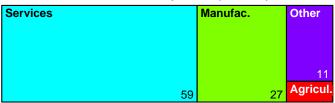


Sources: MFM note, [1] World Development Indicators (WDI), [2] UNCTADSTAT, [3] World Economic Outlook (WEO)

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)

| Motor vehicles for the transport of | | Other parts and accessories of the | Other automatic data processing mac | |
|-------------------------------------|----|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| | | | Telephone sets, including | |
| | 10 | 8 | telephone | 2 |

Imports Categories by % of Total Value, 2014

| Capital goods | _ | Intermediate goods | Raw materials |
|---------------|----|--------------------|------------------|
| 40 | 31 | 21 | 8 |

Source: World Integrated Trade Solution (WITS)

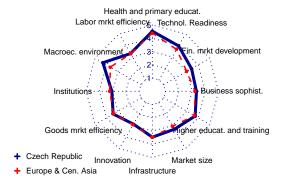
Doing Business 2015 Ranks (among all countries)

| | DB 2015 Rank | DB 2016 Rank | Change in Rank |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Dealing with Construction Permits | 126 | 127 | -1 |
| Ease of Doing Business Rank | 33 | 36 | -3 |
| Enforcing Contracts | 72 | 72 | 0 |
| Getting Credit | 24 | 28 | -4 |
| Getting Electricity | 40 | 42 | -2 |
| Paying Taxes | 123 | 122 | 1 |
| Protecting Minority Investors | 54 | 57 | -3 |
| Registering Property | 35 | 37 | -2 |
| Resolving Insolvency | 20 | 22 | -2 |
| Starting a Business | 90 | 93 | -3 |
| Trading Across Borders | 1 | 1 | 0 |

Source: Doing Busines Report 2015

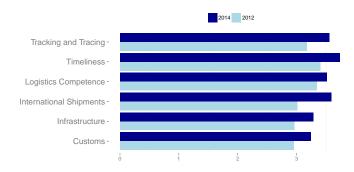
WEF Competitiveness Indicators

(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)



Source: Worldwide Governance Indicators

Trade Policy

| | 2014 |
|--|------|
| Import duties collected [1] | _ |
| Services sectors with GATS commitments [1] | 93 |

Sources: WITS, [1] WTO Trade Profiles

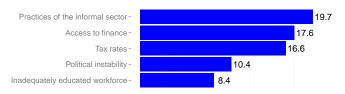
Private Sector's Views

Enterprise Survey 2013

| | Europe and Central Asia | Czech Republic | All Countries |
|---|-------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Number of electrical outages in a typical month | 2 | 0.40 | 6.30 |
| Percent of firms with a bank loan/line of credit | _ | 55.10 | 34.30 |
| Proportion of investment financed by banks (%) | _ | 18.50 | 14.30 |
| Proportion of investment financed internally (%) | _ | 65.50 | 71.80 |
| Senior management time spent dealing with the requirements of government regulation (%) | _ | 13.90 | 9.90 |

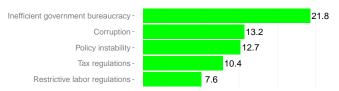
Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

Top 5 constraints according to ES 2013 (% respondents)



Source: Enterprise Survey 2013

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



Source: WEF Global Competitiveness Report 2015

