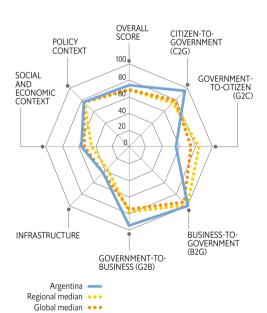
## **ARGENTINA**



NOMINAL GDP (US\$ bn)	637.4
POPULATION (m)	44.3
GDP PER CAPITA (US\$)	14,397.6



Notes: Rank is out of 73 countries. "=" before the rank indicates that there is a tie in rank with another country. Score is normalised on a scale of 0-100, where 100 = best. Global median is of all 73 countries. See Methodology section of this report for regional groupings.

GDP and Population figures are EIU estimates for 2017.

An "\*" represents a quantitative indicator.

	RANK	SCORE	REGIONAL MEDIAN	GLOBAL MEDIAN
OVERALL SCORE	26	74.8	69.2	68.6
CITIZEN TO COMPANIATIVE (CCC)	2	05.0	75.0	70.2
CITIZEN-TO-GOVERNMENT (C2G) PAYMENTS PLATFORM FUNCTIONALITY FOR TRANSACTION SERVICES	=3	95.8 100.0	75.0 25.0	79.2 50.0
INCOME TAX PAYMENTS	=1 =1	100.0	100.0	100.0
PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS	=1	100.0	100.0	100.0
OBTAINING / PAYING FOR AN ID CARD	=1	100.0	25.0	75.0
PRIVATE TRANSIT COSTS	=1	100.0	100.0	75.0
PUBLIC TRANSIT PAYMENTS	=24	75.0	75.0	75.0
GOVERNMENT-TO-CITIZEN (G2C)	=54	56.3	84.4	75.0
INCOME TAX REFUNDS	=1	100.0	100.0	100.0
PENSION BENEFITS	=63	25.0	75.0	100.0
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS	=49	25.0	50.0	50.0
GOVERNMENT SOCIAL SAFETY NET	=38	75.0	87.5	100.0
BUSINESS-TO-GOVERNMENT (B2G)	=1	100.0	100.0	93.8
BUSINESS INCOME TAX PAYMENTS	=1	100.0	100.0	100.0
VAT / SALES TAX PAYMENTS	=1	100.0	100.0	100.0
BUSINESS PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS	=1	100.0	100.0	100.0
COMPANY REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT OF FEES	=1	100.0	100.0	100.0
GOVERNMENT-TO-BUSINESS (G2B)	=6	93.8	78.1	75.0
BUSINESS INCOME TAX REFUNDS	=1	100.0	100.0	75.0
VAT/SALES TAX REFUNDS	=1	100.0	87.5	75.0
PAYMENTS FOR GOODS AND SERVICES	=1	100.0	100.0	75.0
DISBURSEMENT OF LOANS	=15	75.0	50.0	50.0
INFRASTRUCTURE	=39	43.9	37.7	44.2
FIXED-LINE BROADBAND SUBSCRIBERS*	=33	39.5	27.3	36.9
ACTIVE MOBILE BROADBAND SUBSCRIBERS*	30	44.1	30.3	36.5
MOBILE SUBSCRIBERS*	11	53.4	34.7	38.6
NETWORK COVERAGE (MINIMUM 4G)* GOVERNMENT INITIATIVES TO MAKE WI-FI AVAILABLE	40	85.0	73.4	88.0
EXISTENCE OF NATIONAL DIGITAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM	=1	100.0	100.0 33.3	100.0
AUTOMATIC TELLER MACHINES (ATMS) PER 10,000 PEOPLE*	=30	21.3	18.6	19.1
POINT-OF-SALE (POS) TERMINALS PER 10,000 PEOPLE*	=35	22.5	21.8	22.2
DEVELOPMENT OF CONTACTLESS PAYMENTS	=31	25.0	25.0	25.0
SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CONTEXT	29	57.6	45.1	53.4
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT*	=37	47.7	39.0	47.7
INTERNET ACCESS*	=43	60.8	41.5	73.0
POPULATION USING BANKS / OTHER FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS*	=28	75.0	50.0	75.0
PERCENTAGE OF FIRMS WITH A BANK LOAN / LINE OF CREDIT*	=1	75.0	75.0	50.0
PROPORTION OF BUSINESSES PLACING ORDERS VIA THE INTERNET*	=1	100.0	50.0	50.0
INTERNET SHOPPERS AS A PERCENTAGE OF INTERNET USERS*	=36	29.4	10.6	29.4
PERCENTAGE OF POPULATION WITH DEBIT CARD(S)*	=45	25.0	25.0	50.0
USED A MOBILE PHONE OR THE INTERNET TO ACCESS AN ACCOUNT*	=52	19.7	17.1	36.8
POLICY CONTEXT	=36	76.4	76.4	76.4
FAIR COMPETITION IN THE PAYMENTS INDUSTRY	=24	50.0	50.0	50.0
POLICY ON ACCEPTANCE AND USAGE OF E-PAYMENTS	=1	100.0	50.0	50.0
PROTECTION OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS	=29	50.0	50.0	50.0
ACCESS TO JURISDICTIONS  COVERNMENT SUPPORT FOR FINITE CHANNOVATION	=30	33.3	33.3	33.3
GOVERNMENT COMMITMENT TO E-DAYMENTS SECURITY	=1	100.0	50.0	100.0
GOVERNMENT COMMITMENT TO E-PAYMENTS SECURITY  GOVERNMENT COMMITMENT TO THE FINANCIAL ACTION TASK FORCE (FATF)	=1 =54	100.0 75.0	100.0	100.0
GOVERNMENT COMMITMENT TO INTEGRATING THE INFORMAL ECONOMY	=18	75.0	62.5	75.0
EXISTENCE OF GOVERNMENT E-INCLUSION STRATEGY	=1	100.0	100.0	100.0
GOVERNMENT COMMITMENT TO FINANCIAL INCLUSION	=45	50.0	100.0	100.0