

## 1. Institutions

Property rights
Intellectual property
Diversion of public funds
Public trust in irregular payments and
<b>Judicial independence</b>
Favoritism in decisions of government
Wastefulness of government
Burden of government regulation
Efficiency of legal framework in settling disputes
Efficiency of legal framework in challenging regs.
Transparency of government
Business costs of terrorism
Business costs of crime and violence
Organized crime
Reliability of police services
Ethical behavior of firms
Strength of auditing and reporting standards
Efficacy of corporate boards
Protection of minority shareholders' interests
Strength of investor protection

## 6. Goods market efficiency

<b>Intensity of local competition</b>
Extent of market dominance
Effectiveness of anti-monopoly policy
Effect of taxation on incentives to invest
<b>Total tax rate, % profits</b>
<b>No. procedures to start a business</b>
<b>No. days to start a business</b>
Agricultural policy costs
Prevalence of trade barriers
Trade tariffs, % duty
Prevalence of foreign ownership
Business impact of rules on FDI
Burden of customs procedures
Imports as a percentage of GDP
Degree of customer orientation
Buyer sophistication

## 5. Higher education and training

Secondary education enrollment, gross %
Tertiary education enrollment
Quality of the education system
Quality of math and science education
<b>Quality of management schools</b>
<b>Internet access in schools</b>
Availability of research and training services
<b>Extent of staff training</b>

## 9. Technological readiness

<b>Availability of latest technologies</b>
<b>Firm-level technology absorption</b>
FDI and technology transfer
<b>Individuals using Internet</b>
<b>Fixed broadband Internet subscriptions/100 pop.*</b>
<b>Int'l Internet bandwidth, kb/s per user</b>
<b>Mobile broadband subscriptions/100 pop</b>

## 8. Financial market development

Availability of financial services
Affordability of financial services
Financing through local equity market
Ease of access to loans
<b>Venture capital availability</b>
Soundness of banks
Regulation of securities exchanges
Legal rights index, 0-10 (best)

## 12. Innovation

Capacity for
Quality of scientific research institutions
Company spending on R&D
University-industry collaboration in R&D
<b>Gov't procurement of advanced tech products</b>
Availability of scientists and engineers
<b>PCT patents, applications/million pop</b>

## 1. Political and regulatory environment

<b>Judicial independence</b>
Efficiency of legal system in challenging regs
Software piracy rate, %
No. days to enforce a contract
Laws relating to ICTs
Efficiency of legal system in settling disputes

## 2. Business and innovation environment

No. procedures to enforce a contract
<b>Availability of latest technologies</b>
<b>Venture capital availability</b>
<b>Total tax rate, %</b>
<b>No. days to start a business</b>
<b>No. procedures to start a business</b>
<b>Intensity of local competition</b>
Tertiary education gross enrollment rate
<b>Quality of management schools</b>

## 3. Infrastructure

<b>Gov't procurement of advanced tech</b>
Electricity production, kWh/capita
Mobile network coverage, % pop.
<b>Int'l Internet bandwidth, kb/s per user</b>
Secure Internet servers/million pop

## 6. Individual usage

Mobile phone subscriptions/100 pop
<b>Individuals using Internet,</b>
Households w/ personal computer,
Households w/ Internet access,
<b>Fixed broadband Internet subs/100 pop</b>
<b>Mobile broadband subs/100 pop</b>
Use of virtual social networks

## 7. Business usage

<b>Firm-level technology absorption</b>
Capacity for innovation
<b>PCT patents, applications/million pop</b>
Business-to-business Internet use
Business-to-consumer Internet use
<b>Extent of staff training</b>

## 10. Social impacts

E-Participation Index, 0-1 (best)
Impact of ICTs on access to basic services
<b>Internet access in schools</b>
ICT use & gov't efficiency