

2.01 Availability of latest technologies*

In your country, to what extent are the latest technologies available? [1 = not available at all; 7 = widely available] | 2012–2013 weighted average

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	4.9	7	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	4.9	7
1	Finland	6.5				75	Thailand	4.9			
2	Sweden	6.5				76	Bosnia and Herzegovina	4.9			
3	Norway	6.5				77	Tunisia	4.8			
4	Switzerland	6.4				78	Cape Verde	4.8			
5	United Kingdom	6.4				79	Pakistan	4.8			
6	United States	6.4				80	Macedonia, FYR	4.7			
7	Iceland	6.4				81	Ghana	4.7			
8	United Arab Emirates	6.4				82	Cambodia	4.7			
9	Netherlands	6.4				83	Montenegro	4.7			
10	Luxembourg	6.3				84	Mali	4.6			
11	Hong Kong SAR	6.3				85	Peru	4.6			
12	Belgium	6.3				86	Lebanon	4.6			
13	Germany	6.3				87	Nigeria	4.6			
14	Japan	6.3				88	Kazakhstan	4.6			
15	Portugal	6.2				89	Ecuador	4.6			
16	Singapore	6.2				90	Mongolia	4.6			
17	Israel	6.2				91	Botswana	4.6			
18	France	6.1				92	Uruguay	4.5			
19	Canada	6.1				93	Honduras	4.5			
20	Qatar	6.1				94	Côte d'Ivoire	4.5			
21	New Zealand	6.1				95	Zambia	4.5			
22	Malta	6.1				96	Colombia	4.5			
23	Australia	6.1				97	Armenia	4.5			
24	Austria	6.1				98	Mauritania	4.5			
25	Puerto Rico	6.0				99	Bulgaria	4.4			
26	Bahrain	6.0				100	Georgia	4.4			
27	Korea, Rep.	5.9				101	Bangladesh	4.4			
28	Barbados	5.9				102	Poland	4.4			
29	Denmark	5.9				103	Zimbabwe	4.4			
30	Ireland	5.9				104	Mozambique	4.4			
31	Panama	5.9				105	China	4.4			
32	Saudi Arabia	5.8				106	Ukraine	4.3			
33	Spain	5.8				107	Romania	4.3			
34	Chile	5.8				108	Uganda	4.3			
35	Estonia	5.8				109	Madagascar	4.3			
36	Jordan	5.7				110	Suriname	4.3			
37	Malaysia	5.7				111	Cameroon	4.2			
38	Lithuania	5.7				112	Lao PDR	4.2			
39	Slovenia	5.6				113	El Salvador	4.1			
40	South Africa	5.6				114	Paraguay	4.1			
41	Cyprus	5.5				115	Venezuela	4.1			
42	Jamaica	5.5				116	Moldova	4.1			
43	Taiwan, China	5.5				117	Egypt	4.1			
44	Turkey	5.4				118	Serbia	4.1			
45	Latvia	5.3				119	Albania	4.1			
46	Mauritius	5.3				120	Nepal	4.0			
47	Philippines	5.3				121	Iran, Islamic Rep.	4.0			
48	Guatemala	5.3				122	Swaziland	4.0			
49	Costa Rica	5.3				123	Argentina	4.0			
50	Brunei Darussalam	5.2				124	Russian Federation	4.0			
51	Dominican Republic	5.2				125	Tanzania	3.9			
52	Namibia	5.2				126	Ethiopia	3.9			
53	Czech Republic	5.2				127	Malawi	3.9			
54	Senegal	5.2				128	Haiti	3.9			
55	Trinidad and Tobago	5.2				129	Gabon	3.9			
56	Oman	5.2				130	Bolivia	3.8			
57	Hungary	5.2				131	Benin	3.8			
58	India	5.2				132	Lesotho	3.7			
59	Croatia	5.1				133	Nicaragua	3.7			
60	Indonesia	5.1				134	Vietnam	3.7			
61	Mexico	5.1				135	Bhutan	3.7			
62	Rwanda	5.1				136	Liberia	3.6			
63	Brazil	5.1				137	Sierra Leone	3.6			
64	Kuwait	5.0				138	Kyrgyz Republic	3.6			
65	Azerbaijan	5.0				139	Angola	3.5			
66	Morocco	5.0				140	Guinea	3.5			
67	Greece	5.0				141	Libya	3.4			
68	Seychelles	5.0				142	Yemen	3.4			
69	Italy	5.0				143	Burundi	3.2			
70	Slovak Republic	5.0				144	Algeria	3.2			
71	Kenya	5.0				145	Burkina Faso	3.2			
72	Sri Lanka	4.9				146	Timor-Leste	3.1			
73	Guyana	4.9				147	Chad	2.9			
74	Gambia, The	4.9				148	Myanmar	2.5			

SOURCE: World Economic Forum, Executive Opinion Survey, 2012 and 2013 editions

2.02 Venture capital availability*

In your country, how easy is it for entrepreneurs with innovative but risky projects to find venture capital? [1 = extremely difficult; 7 = extremely easy] | 2012–2013 weighted average

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	2.7	7	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	2.7	7
1	Hong Kong SAR	4.6				75	Colombia	2.6			
2	Qatar	4.5				76	Mexico	2.6			
3	United States	4.3				77	Pakistan	2.6			
4	Norway	4.3				78	Vietnam	2.6			
5	Sweden	4.3				79	Zambia	2.5			
6	Singapore	4.2				80	Uruguay	2.5			
7	Malaysia	4.2				81	Lesotho	2.5			
8	Israel	4.2				82	Honduras	2.5			
9	Taiwan, China	4.1				83	Turkey	2.5			
10	United Arab Emirates	4.1				84	Lithuania	2.5			
11	Finland	4.0				85	Gambia, The	2.5			
12	Panama	4.0				86	Dominican Republic	2.5			
13	Luxembourg	4.0				87	Timor-Leste	2.5			
14	Oman	3.9				88	Namibia	2.5			
15	Bahrain	3.8				89	Madagascar	2.5			
16	China	3.8				90	Macedonia, FYR	2.5			
17	Indonesia	3.7				91	Sri Lanka	2.5			
18	New Zealand	3.6				92	Romania	2.4			
19	Australia	3.6				93	Armenia	2.4			
20	United Kingdom	3.5				94	Uganda	2.4			
21	Netherlands	3.5				95	Denmark	2.4			
22	Switzerland	3.4				96	Malawi	2.4			
23	Canada	3.4				97	Paraguay	2.4			
24	Brunei Darussalam	3.4				98	Barbados	2.4			
25	Saudi Arabia	3.4				99	Mali	2.3			
26	Belgium	3.3				100	Cape Verde	2.3			
27	India	3.3				101	Nigeria	2.3			
28	South Africa	3.3				102	Nepal	2.3			
29	Nicaragua	3.3				103	Costa Rica	2.3			
30	Estonia	3.3				104	Poland	2.3			
31	Chile	3.3				105	Spain	2.3			
32	Bolivia	3.2				106	Georgia	2.3			
33	Germany	3.2				107	Bhutan	2.2			
34	Ecuador	3.2				108	Senegal	2.2			
35	Rwanda	3.2				109	Portugal	2.2			
36	Montenegro	3.2				110	Croatia	2.2			
37	Malta	3.2				111	Trinidad and Tobago	2.2			
38	Guyana	3.2				112	Cameroon	2.2			
39	Japan	3.1				113	Benin	2.2			
40	Philippines	3.1				114	Ethiopia	2.1			
41	Thailand	3.1				115	Korea, Rep.	2.1			
42	Seychelles	3.1				116	Côte d'Ivoire	2.1			
43	Cambodia	3.0				117	Venezuela	2.1			
44	Tunisia	3.0				118	Moldova	2.1			
45	Jordan	3.0				119	Angola	2.1			
46	Mauritius	3.0				120	Ukraine	2.1			
47	Kenya	3.0				121	Mozambique	2.1			
48	Puerto Rico	2.9				122	Hungary	2.1			
49	France	2.9				123	Algeria	2.0			
50	Peru	2.9				124	Gabon	2.0			
51	Egypt	2.9				125	Bangladesh	2.0			
52	Azerbaijan	2.9				126	Suriname	2.0			
53	Swaziland	2.8				127	Slovenia	2.0			
54	Cyprus	2.8				128	Libya	2.0			
55	Austria	2.8				129	Serbia	1.9			
56	Morocco	2.8				130	Jamaica	1.9			
57	Botswana	2.8				131	Bosnia and Herzegovina	1.9			
58	Latvia	2.8				132	Mauritania	1.9			
59	El Salvador	2.8				133	Kyrgyz Republic	1.9			
60	Guatemala	2.8				134	Yemen	1.9			
61	Brazil	2.7				135	Haiti	1.9			
62	Lebanon	2.7				136	Albania	1.9			
63	Liberia	2.7				137	Burundi	1.9			
64	Slovak Republic	2.7				138	Italy	1.8			
65	Bulgaria	2.7				139	Iran, Islamic Rep.	1.8			
66	Lao PDR	2.7				140	Zimbabwe	1.8			
67	Ghana	2.7				141	Guinea	1.8			
68	Iceland	2.7				142	Argentina	1.7			
69	Ireland	2.7				143	Chad	1.7			
70	Russian Federation	2.6				144	Mongolia	1.7			
71	Kuwait	2.6				145	Sierra Leone	1.7			
72	Kazakhstan	2.6				146	Greece	1.7			
73	Tanzania	2.6				147	Burkina Faso	1.7			
74	Czech Republic	2.6				148	Myanmar	1.5			

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2.03 Total tax rate

Sum of profit tax, labor tax and social contributions, property taxes, turnover taxes, and other taxes, as a share (%) of commercial profits | 2013

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE
1	Macedonia, FYR	8.2	75	Mozambique	37.5
2	Timor-Leste	11.0	76	El Salvador	38.1
3	Qatar	11.3	77	Armenia	38.8
4	Kuwait	12.4	78	Honduras	39.2
5	Bahrain	13.5	79	Netherlands	39.3
6	Saudi Arabia	14.5	80	Finland	39.8
7	United Arab Emirates	14.9	81	Azerbaijan	40.0
8	Zambia	15.1	82	Turkey	40.2
9	Lesotho	16.0	83	Haiti	40.4
10	Brunei Darussalam	16.1	83	Moldova	40.4
11	Georgia	16.4	85	Panama	40.5
12	Croatia	19.8	86	Norway	40.7
13	Luxembourg	20.7	87	Barbados	40.8
14	Montenegro	20.9	87	Bhutan	40.8
15	Cambodia	21.4	89	Guatemala	40.9
16	Namibia	21.8	90	Malta	41.0
17	Oman	22.0	91	Poland	41.6
18	Cyprus	22.5	92	Uruguay	41.9
19	Ghana	22.9	93	Portugal	42.3
19	Hong Kong SAR	22.9	94	Egypt	42.6
21	Canada	24.3	95	Romania	42.9
22	Mongolia	24.6	96	Lithuania	43.1
23	Botswana	25.4	97	Dominican Republic	43.5
24	Bosnia and Herzegovina	25.5	97	Gabon	43.5
25	Ireland	25.7	99	Burkina Faso	43.9
25	Seychelles	25.7	100	Greece	44.0
27	Liberia	26.6	101	Iran, Islamic Rep.	44.1
28	Lao PDR	26.8	102	Kenya	44.2
29	Denmark	27.0	103	Jamaica	44.3
30	Singapore	27.1	104	Philippines	44.5
31	Bulgaria	27.7	105	Tanzania	44.9
31	Chile	27.7	106	United States	46.3
33	Korea, Rep.	27.9	107	Côte d'Ivoire	46.4
33	Suriname	27.9	108	Australia	47.0
35	Mauritius	28.2	109	Slovak Republic	47.2
36	Kazakhstan	28.6	110	Czech Republic	48.1
37	Jordan	28.9	111	Senegal	48.5
38	Switzerland	29.1	112	Cameroon	48.8
38	Trinidad and Tobago	29.1	113	Myanmar	48.9
40	Thailand	29.8	114	Estonia	49.4
41	Iceland	29.9	114	Germany	49.4
41	Israel	29.9	116	Mali	49.5
41	Rwanda	29.9	117	Morocco	49.6
44	South Africa	30.1	118	Hungary	49.7
45	Lebanon	30.2	118	Japan	49.7
46	Nepal	31.5	120	Puerto Rico	50.7
47	Libya	31.6	120	Russian Federation	50.7
48	Albania	31.7	122	Burundi	51.6
49	Indonesia	32.2	123	Sweden	52.0
50	Sierra Leone	32.4	124	Angola	52.1
51	Guyana	32.5	125	Austria	52.4
51	Slovenia	32.5	126	Mexico	53.7
53	Yemen	32.7	127	Ukraine	54.9
54	Ethiopia	33.4	128	Sri Lanka	55.1
54	Kyrgyz Republic	33.4	129	Costa Rica	55.3
56	Nigeria	33.8	130	Belgium	57.5
57	Ecuador	33.9	131	Spain	58.6
58	United Kingdom	34.0	132	Venezuela	61.7
59	New Zealand	34.6	133	Tunisia	62.4
60	Pakistan	34.7	134	India	62.8
61	Malawi	34.9	135	China	63.7
62	Bangladesh	35.0	136	France	64.7
62	Paraguay	35.0	137	Nicaragua	64.9
62	Taiwan, China	35.0	138	Italy	65.8
65	Vietnam	35.2	139	Benin	65.9
66	Zimbabwe	35.3	140	Mauritania	68.2
67	Madagascar	35.8	141	Brazil	68.3
68	Latvia	35.9	142	Algeria	71.9
69	Malaysia	36.3	143	Chad	73.8
70	Peru	36.4	144	Colombia	76.0
71	Swaziland	36.5	145	Bolivia	83.4
72	Uganda	36.6	146	Guinea	91.2
73	Serbia	36.8	147	Argentina	107.8
74	Cape Verde	37.2	148	Gambia, The	283.2

SOURCE: World Bank/International Finance Corporation, *Doing Business 2014: Understanding Regulations for Small and Medium-Size Enterprises*

2.04 Time required to start a business

Number of days required to start a business | 2013

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE
1	New Zealand	1	75	Germany	15
2	Georgia	2	76	Benin	15
2	Macedonia, FYR	2	76	Cameroon	15
2	Rwanda	2	76	Colombia	15
5	Australia	3	76	Ethiopia	15
5	Hong Kong SAR	3	76	Russian Federation	15
5	Portugal	3	81	Guinea	16
5	Singapore	3	81	Iran, Islamic Rep.	16
9	Armenia	4	81	Sweden	16
9	Belgium	4	84	El Salvador	17
9	Netherlands	4	85	Nepal	17
12	Albania	5	86	Barbados	18
12	Iceland	5	86	Bulgaria	18
12	Liberia	5	86	Switzerland	18
15	Burundi	5	89	Dominican Republic	19
15	Canada	5	89	Luxembourg	19
15	Hungary	5	89	Slovak Republic	19
15	United States	5	92	Mauritania	19
19	Chile	6	92	South Africa	19
19	Denmark	6	94	Czech Republic	20
19	Korea, Rep.	6	94	Guatemala	20
22	Italy	6	96	Guyana	20
22	Jamaica	6	97	Saudi Arabia	21
22	Malaysia	6	98	Pakistan	21
22	Mauritius	6	98	Ukraine	21
22	Mexico	6	100	Japan	22
22	Panama	6	101	Spain	23
22	Puerto Rico	6	102	Costa Rica	24
22	Senegal	6	103	Algeria	25
22	Slovenia	6	103	Argentina	25
22	Turkey	6	103	Austria	25
32	Estonia	7	103	Peru	25
32	France	7	107	Tanzania	26
32	Lithuania	7	108	Gambia, The	27
32	Uruguay	7	108	India	27
32	Zambia	7	110	Thailand	28
37	Azerbaijan	7	111	Nigeria	28
37	Moldova	7	112	Lesotho	29
37	Norway	7	113	Poland	30
40	Côte d'Ivoire	8	114	Bhutan	32
40	Croatia	8	114	Kenya	32
40	Cyprus	8	114	Kuwait	32
40	Egypt	8	114	Uganda	32
40	Kyrgyz Republic	8	118	China	33
40	Madagascar	8	119	Vietnam	34
40	Oman	8	120	Libya	35
40	Sri Lanka	8	120	Paraguay	35
40	United Arab Emirates	8	120	Philippines	35
49	Qatar	9	123	Nicaragua	36
49	Romania	9	124	Bosnia and Herzegovina	37
51	Bahrain	9	125	Trinidad and Tobago	38
51	Lebanon	9	126	Swaziland	38
53	Cape Verde	10	127	Seychelles	39
53	Ireland	10	128	Malta	40
53	Montenegro	10	129	Malawi	40
53	Taiwan, China	10	129	Yemen	40
57	Bangladesh	11	131	Indonesia	48
58	Mali	11	132	Bolivia	49
58	Mongolia	11	133	Gabon	50
58	Morocco	11	134	Ecuador	56
58	Tunisia	11	135	Botswana	60
62	Serbia	12	136	Chad	62
63	Jordan	12	137	Angola	66
63	Kazakhstan	12	137	Namibia	66
63	Sierra Leone	12	139	Myanmar	72
63	United Kingdom	12	140	Zimbabwe	90
67	Latvia	13	141	Lao PDR	92
68	Burkina Faso	13	142	Timor-Leste	94
68	Mozambique	13	143	Haiti	97
70	Finland	14	144	Brunei Darussalam	101
70	Ghana	14	145	Cambodia	104
70	Greece	14	146	Brazil	108
70	Honduras	14	147	Venezuela	144
70	Israel	14	148	Suriname	208

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2.05 Number of procedures required to start a business

Number of procedures required to start a business | 2013

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE
1	Canada	1	58	United Arab Emirates	6
1	New Zealand	1	58	United Kingdom	6
3	Armenia	2	58	United States	6
3	Georgia	2	58	Yemen	6
3	Kyrgyz Republic	2	79	Bahrain	7
3	Macedonia, FYR	2	79	Bangladesh	7
3	Madagascar	2	79	Cape Verde	7
3	Rwanda	2	79	Chile	7
3	Slovenia	2	79	Dominican Republic	7
10	Australia	3	79	Egypt	7
10	Azerbaijan	3	79	Gabon	7
10	Belgium	3	79	Jordan	7
10	Burkina Faso	3	79	Lesotho	7
10	Burundi	3	79	Nepal	7
10	Finland	3	79	Nicaragua	7
10	Hong Kong SAR	3	79	Paraguay	7
10	Malaysia	3	79	Russian Federation	7
10	Portugal	3	79	Slovak Republic	7
10	Singapore	3	79	Trinidad and Tobago	7
10	Sweden	3	94	Angola	8
10	Taiwan, China	3	94	Austria	8
22	Benin	4	94	Barbados	8
22	Bulgaria	4	94	Bhutan	8
22	Denmark	4	94	El Salvador	8
22	Hungary	4	94	Gambia, The	8
22	Ireland	4	94	Ghana	8
22	Latvia	4	94	Guyana	8
22	Liberia	4	94	Iran, Islamic Rep.	8
22	Lithuania	4	94	Japan	8
22	Netherlands	4	94	Nigeria	8
22	Poland	4	94	Qatar	8
22	Senegal	4	94	Timor-Leste	8
22	Thailand	4	107	Botswana	9
34	Albania	5	107	Chad	9
34	Cameroon	5	107	Colombia	9
34	Côte d'Ivoire	5	107	Costa Rica	9
34	Estonia	5	107	Czech Republic	9
34	France	5	107	Ethiopia	9
34	Greece	5	107	Germany	9
34	Guinea	5	107	Mauritania	9
34	Iceland	5	107	Mozambique	9
34	Israel	5	107	Saudi Arabia	9
34	Jamaica	5	107	Tanzania	9
34	Korea, Rep.	5	107	Zimbabwe	9
34	Lebanon	5	119	Indonesia	10
34	Mali	5	119	Kenya	10
34	Mauritius	5	119	Libya	10
34	Mongolia	5	119	Malawi	10
34	Morocco	5	119	Namibia	10
34	Norway	5	119	Pakistan	10
34	Oman	5	119	Seychelles	10
34	Panama	5	119	Spain	10
34	Peru	5	119	Tunisia	10
34	Romania	5	119	Vietnam	10
34	South Africa	5	129	Bosnia and Herzegovina	11
34	Uruguay	5	129	Cambodia	11
34	Zambia	5	129	Malta	11
58	Croatia	6	129	Myanmar	11
58	Cyprus	6	133	Haiti	12
58	Guatemala	6	133	India	12
58	Italy	6	133	Kuwait	12
58	Kazakhstan	6	133	Swaziland	12
58	Lao PDR	6	137	Brazil	13
58	Luxembourg	6	137	China	13
58	Mexico	6	137	Ecuador	13
58	Moldova	6	137	Honduras	13
58	Montenegro	6	137	Suriname	13
58	Puerto Rico	6	142	Algeria	14
58	Serbia	6	142	Argentina	14
58	Sierra Leone	6	144	Bolivia	15
58	Sri Lanka	6	144	Brunei Darussalam	15
58	Switzerland	6	144	Philippines	15
58	Turkey	6	144	Uganda	15
58	Ukraine	6	148	Venezuela	17

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2.06 Intensity of local competition*

In your country, how intense is competition in the local markets? [1 = not intense at all; 7 = extremely intense] | 2012–2013 weighted average

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	4.9	7	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	4.9	7
1	Japan	6.2				75	Dominican Republic	4.9			
2	Taiwan, China	6.1				76	Nigeria	4.9			
3	United Kingdom	6.0				77	Portugal	4.9			
4	Malta	6.0				78	Cambodia	4.9			
5	Netherlands	6.0				79	Pakistan	4.9			
6	Belgium	6.0				80	Tunisia	4.9			
7	Hong Kong SAR	5.9				81	Zimbabwe	4.9			
8	Korea, Rep.	5.9				82	Madagascar	4.8			
9	Puerto Rico	5.9				83	Iceland	4.8			
10	Germany	5.9				84	Gambia, The	4.8			
11	Austria	5.8				85	Macedonia, FYR	4.8			
12	Czech Republic	5.8				86	Finland	4.8			
13	Australia	5.8				87	Greece	4.8			
14	United States	5.8				88	Trinidad and Tobago	4.7			
15	Turkey	5.8				89	Benin	4.7			
16	Qatar	5.8				90	Rwanda	4.7			
17	United Arab Emirates	5.7				91	Suriname	4.7			
18	Saudi Arabia	5.7				92	Cameroon	4.7			
19	Singapore	5.6				93	Botswana	4.7			
20	Sri Lanka	5.6				94	Lesotho	4.7			
21	Switzerland	5.6				95	Israel	4.7			
22	Estonia	5.6				96	Bhutan	4.7			
23	Sweden	5.6				97	Myanmar	4.6			
24	India	5.6				98	Mongolia	4.6			
25	Lebanon	5.5				99	Namibia	4.6			
26	France	5.5				100	Seychelles	4.6			
27	Denmark	5.5				101	Bulgaria	4.6			
28	Spain	5.5				102	Armenia	4.6			
29	Slovak Republic	5.5				103	Liberia	4.6			
30	Mauritius	5.5				104	Honduras	4.6			
31	New Zealand	5.4				105	El Salvador	4.6			
32	Malaysia	5.4				106	Ukraine	4.5			
33	Canada	5.4				107	Croatia	4.5			
34	Latvia	5.4				108	Mauritania	4.5			
35	Kenya	5.4				109	Nepal	4.5			
36	Lithuania	5.4				110	Kuwait	4.5			
37	Chile	5.4				111	Mali	4.5			
38	Poland	5.3				112	Ecuador	4.5			
39	Norway	5.3				113	Russian Federation	4.5			
40	Bahrain	5.3				114	Uruguay	4.5			
41	Thailand	5.3				115	Romania	4.4			
42	Ireland	5.3				116	Burkina Faso	4.4			
43	Hungary	5.3				117	Swaziland	4.4			
44	Jordan	5.3				118	Yemen	4.4			
45	South Africa	5.3				119	Moldova	4.4			
46	China	5.3				120	Kazakhstan	4.3			
47	Cyprus	5.2				121	Iran, Islamic Rep.	4.3			
48	Zambia	5.2				122	Cape Verde	4.3			
49	Slovenia	5.2				123	Georgia	4.3			
50	Barbados	5.2				124	Kyrgyz Republic	4.3			
51	Vietnam	5.2				125	Malawi	4.3			
52	Costa Rica	5.2				126	Mozambique	4.2			
53	Guatemala	5.2				127	Tanzania	4.2			
54	Oman	5.2				128	Azerbaijan	4.2			
55	Jamaica	5.2				129	Gabon	4.2			
56	Lao PDR	5.2				130	Sierra Leone	4.1			
57	Paraguay	5.2				131	Egypt	4.1			
58	Senegal	5.1				132	Guinea	4.1			
59	Luxembourg	5.1				133	Ethiopia	4.0			
60	Morocco	5.1				134	Argentina	4.0			
61	Peru	5.1				135	Montenegro	3.9			
62	Brunei Darussalam	5.1				136	Nicaragua	3.8			
63	Philippines	5.1				137	Bolivia	3.8			
64	Colombia	5.1				138	Serbia	3.8			
65	Mexico	5.0				139	Libya	3.7			
66	Indonesia	5.0				140	Haiti	3.7			
67	Uganda	5.0				141	Algeria	3.6			
68	Ghana	5.0				142	Timor-Leste	3.5			
69	Guyana	5.0				143	Bosnia and Herzegovina	3.4			
70	Brazil	5.0				144	Albania	3.4			
71	Panama	5.0				145	Chad	3.3			
72	Côte d'Ivoire	5.0				146	Burundi	3.3			
73	Italy	5.0				147	Venezuela	3.0			
74	Bangladesh	4.9				148	Angola	2.8			

SOURCE: World Economic Forum, Executive Opinion Survey, 2012 and 2013 editions

2.07 Tertiary education enrollment rate

Gross tertiary education enrollment rate (%) | 2011

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE
1	Korea, Rep.	100.8	75	Paraguay ¹¹	34.5
2	Finland	95.5	76	Dominican Republic ⁵	34.0
3	United States	95.3	77	Bahrain ¹²	33.5
4	Greece ⁹	91.4	78	Algeria ¹²	31.5
5	Puerto Rico	86.5	79	Egypt	28.8
6	Slovenia	85.1	80	Philippines ¹⁰	28.2
7	Taiwan, China	83.4	81	Oman	28.1
8	Australia	83.2	82	Georgia ¹²	27.9
9	Spain	82.6	83	Mexico	27.7
10	Iceland	80.9	84	Indonesia	27.2
11	New Zealand	80.8	85	Jamaica ¹¹	26.0
12	Ukraine ¹²	79.7	86	Brazil ⁶	25.6
13	Venezuela ¹⁰	77.9	87	United Arab Emirates ⁹	25.2
14	Lithuania	76.6	88	Vietnam ¹²	24.6
15	Netherlands	76.4	89	El Salvador	24.5
16	Russian Federation ¹⁰	75.5	90	Brunei Darussalam ¹²	24.3
17	Argentina ¹¹	74.8	91	China	24.3
18	Sweden	73.9	92	India	23.3
19	Denmark ¹¹	73.6	93	Kuwait ⁵	22.3
20	Poland	73.5	94	Cape Verde ¹²	20.6
21	Ireland	73.5	95	Honduras ¹¹	20.6
22	Norway	73.1	96	Azerbaijan	19.6
23	Singapore	72.0	97	Liberia ²	19.4
24	Estonia ¹¹	71.7	98	Luxembourg ¹¹	18.2
25	Austria	71.0	99	Guatemala ⁹	17.9
26	Chile	70.5	100	Nicaragua ⁴	17.9
27	Belgium	69.3	101	Timor-Leste ¹¹	17.7
28	Latvia	67.3	102	Lao PDR	17.1
29	Portugal ¹¹	65.9	103	Morocco	16.2
30	Czech Republic	64.6	104	Cambodia	15.8
31	Italy	63.9	105	South Africa ⁷	15.4
32	Uruguay ¹¹	63.2	106	Nepal	14.5
33	Israel ¹⁰	62.4	107	Sri Lanka	14.4
34	United Kingdom	61.2	108	Myanmar	13.8
35	Mongolia ¹²	61.1	109	Bangladesh	13.2
36	Libya ⁴	60.9	110	Guyana ¹²	12.9
37	Barbados	60.8	111	Benin	12.4
38	Turkey	60.7	112	Ghana ¹²	12.2
39	Hong Kong SAR ¹²	60.1	113	Qatar ¹²	12.1
40	Japan	59.9	114	Suriname ⁹	12.1
41	Bulgaria	59.6	115	Cameroon	11.9
42	Hungary	59.5	116	Trinidad and Tobago ⁶	11.5
43	Canada ²	58.9	117	Lesotho ¹²	10.8
44	Croatia	58.8	118	Nigeria ⁹	10.4
45	France	57.1	119	Yemen	10.3
46	Germany	56.5	120	Pakistan ¹²	9.5
47	Montenegro ¹¹	55.5	121	Namibia ⁹	9.3
48	Iran, Islamic Rep. ¹²	55.2	122	Uganda	9.1
49	Slovak Republic	55.1	123	Guinea ¹²	8.8
50	Albania ¹²	54.9	124	Bhutan	8.7
51	Switzerland	54.3	125	Côte d'Ivoire ¹¹	8.4
52	Serbia ¹²	52.4	126	Ethiopia ¹²	8.2
53	Romania	51.6	127	Senegal ¹¹	7.6
54	Thailand ¹²	51.4	128	Angola	7.5
55	Saudi Arabia ¹²	50.9	129	Mali ¹²	7.5
56	Costa Rica ¹²	46.7	130	Botswana ⁷	7.4
57	Cyprus	46.5	131	Gabon ¹	7.2
58	Lebanon ¹²	46.3	132	Rwanda ¹²	6.9
59	Armenia ¹²	46.0	133	Swaziland	6.0
60	Colombia ¹²	45.0	134	Zimbabwe ¹²	5.9
61	Kazakhstan ¹²	44.5	135	Mauritania ¹²	5.1
62	Peru ¹¹	42.6	136	Sierra Leone	5.0
63	Panama	41.8	137	Mozambique	4.9
64	Kyrgyz Republic	41.3	138	Burkina Faso ¹²	4.6
65	Macedonia, FYR	40.8	139	Gambia, The ⁹	4.5
66	Jordan	39.9	140	Madagascar ¹²	4.1
67	Mauritius ¹²	39.9	141	Kenya ¹⁰	4.0
68	Malta	39.4	142	Tanzania ¹²	3.9
69	Ecuador ⁹	38.9	143	Burundi ¹¹	3.2
70	Moldova ¹²	38.2	144	Zambia ²	2.4
71	Bosnia and Herzegovina ¹²	37.7	145	Chad	2.3
72	Bolivia ⁸	37.7	146	Seychelles ¹²	1.4
73	Malaysia ¹¹	37.1	147	Malawi	0.8
74	Tunisia ¹²	35.2	n/a	Haiti	n/a

SOURCES: United Nations Education, Science and Culture Organization (UNESCO), UNESCO Institute for Statistics Data Centre (accessed November 5, 2013); World Bank, *World Development Indicators 2013* (December edition); national sources

¹ 1999 ² 2000 ³ 2002 ⁴ 2003 ⁵ 2004 ⁶ 2005 ⁷ 2006 ⁸ 2007 ⁹ 2008 ¹⁰ 2009 ¹¹ 2010 ¹² 2012

2.08 Quality of management schools*

In your country, how would you assess the quality of business schools? [1 = extremely poor—among the worst in the world; 7 = excellent—among the best in the world] | 2012–2013 weighted average

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	4.2	7	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	4.2	7
1	Switzerland	6.1				75	Seychelles	4.2			
2	Belgium	6.0				76	Venezuela	4.2			
3	United Kingdom	5.9				77	Ecuador	4.2			
4	Spain	5.8				78	Croatia	4.2			
5	France	5.8				79	Uruguay	4.2			
6	Singapore	5.7				80	Suriname	4.1			
7	Canada	5.7				81	Zimbabwe	4.1			
8	Qatar	5.7				82	Lao PDR	4.1			
9	Netherlands	5.7				83	China	4.1			
10	Finland	5.6				84	Albania	4.1			
11	Portugal	5.5				85	Bahrain	4.1			
12	United States	5.5				86	Japan	4.0			
13	Lebanon	5.4				87	Madagascar	4.0			
14	Hong Kong SAR	5.4				88	Oman	4.0			
15	Sweden	5.4				89	Poland	4.0			
16	Chile	5.3				90	Czech Republic	4.0			
17	Costa Rica	5.3				91	Rwanda	3.9			
18	Cyprus	5.3				92	Kuwait	3.9			
19	Ireland	5.3				93	El Salvador	3.8			
20	Norway	5.2				94	Greece	3.8			
21	Malta	5.2				95	Iran, Islamic Rep.	3.8			
22	Iceland	5.2				96	Kazakhstan	3.8			
23	South Africa	5.2				97	Botswana	3.8			
24	New Zealand	5.2				98	Uganda	3.8			
25	Denmark	5.2				99	Macedonia, FYR	3.8			
26	Barbados	5.1				100	Nepal	3.8			
27	Germany	5.1				101	Turkey	3.8			
28	United Arab Emirates	5.1				102	Nigeria	3.7			
29	Australia	5.1				103	Nicaragua	3.7			
30	India	5.0				104	Romania	3.7			
31	Italy	5.0				105	Bangladesh	3.7			
32	Taiwan, China	4.9				106	Dominican Republic	3.7			
33	Argentina	4.9				107	Georgia	3.7			
34	Trinidad and Tobago	4.9				108	Cambodia	3.7			
35	Malaysia	4.9				109	Slovak Republic	3.7			
36	Montenegro	4.8				110	Burkina Faso	3.6			
37	Sri Lanka	4.8				111	Bhutan	3.6			
38	Guatemala	4.8				112	Bulgaria	3.6			
39	Philippines	4.7				113	Russian Federation	3.6			
40	Austria	4.7				114	Serbia	3.6			
41	Bosnia and Herzegovina	4.7				115	Ukraine	3.6			
42	Israel	4.7				116	Cape Verde	3.5			
43	Senegal	4.6				117	Liberia	3.5			
44	Puerto Rico	4.6				118	Ethiopia	3.5			
45	Morocco	4.6				119	Mali	3.4			
46	Gambia, The	4.6				120	Armenia	3.4			
47	Jordan	4.6				121	Namibia	3.4			
48	Cameroon	4.6				122	Lesotho	3.4			
49	Brazil	4.5				123	Honduras	3.4			
50	Guyana	4.5				124	Malawi	3.3			
51	Ghana	4.5				125	Vietnam	3.3			
52	Brunei Darussalam	4.5				126	Bolivia	3.3			
53	Thailand	4.5				127	Gabon	3.3			
54	Estonia	4.5				128	Swaziland	3.3			
55	Luxembourg	4.5				129	Tanzania	3.3			
56	Korea, Rep.	4.5				130	Haiti	3.2			
57	Kenya	4.4				131	Sierra Leone	3.2			
58	Indonesia	4.4				132	Paraguay	3.2			
59	Latvia	4.4				133	Moldova	3.2			
60	Lithuania	4.4				134	Azerbaijan	3.1			
61	Mauritius	4.4				135	Algeria	3.0			
62	Côte d'Ivoire	4.3				136	Mongolia	2.9			
63	Panama	4.3				137	Mozambique	2.8			
64	Saudi Arabia	4.3				138	Yemen	2.8			
65	Mexico	4.3				139	Kyrgyz Republic	2.7			
66	Tunisia	4.3				140	Chad	2.7			
67	Peru	4.3				141	Myanmar	2.7			
68	Hungary	4.3				142	Burundi	2.6			
69	Jamaica	4.3				143	Mauritania	2.5			
70	Colombia	4.3				144	Guinea	2.5			
71	Zambia	4.3				145	Egypt	2.3			
72	Pakistan	4.3				146	Libya	2.2			
73	Benin	4.3				147	Timor-Leste	2.2			
74	Slovenia	4.2				148	Angola	2.2			

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2.09 Government procurement of advanced technology products*

In your country, to what extent do government purchasing decisions foster innovation? [1 = not at all; 7 = to a great extent] | 2012–2013 weighted average

RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	3.5	7	RANK	COUNTRY/ECONOMY	VALUE	1	3.5	7
1	Qatar	5.6				75	Mauritius	3.5			
2	Singapore	5.1				76	Tanzania	3.5			
3	United Arab Emirates	5.1				77	Nigeria	3.4			
4	Malaysia	4.8				78	Nicaragua	3.4			
5	Rwanda	4.7				79	Kenya	3.4			
6	Saudi Arabia	4.6				80	Dominican Republic	3.4			
7	Panama	4.5				81	Macedonia, FYR	3.4			
8	Taiwan, China	4.5				82	Puerto Rico	3.4			
9	Israel	4.5				83	Malawi	3.4			
10	Brunei Darussalam	4.5				84	Sierra Leone	3.4			
11	Luxembourg	4.4				85	Philippines	3.4			
12	Oman	4.4				86	Madagascar	3.4			
13	China	4.4				87	Denmark	3.4			
14	Azerbaijan	4.4				88	Timor-Leste	3.4			
15	United States	4.3				89	Bosnia and Herzegovina	3.4			
16	Sri Lanka	4.3				90	Bulgaria	3.3			
17	Germany	4.3				91	Gabon	3.3			
18	Gambia, The	4.2				92	India	3.3			
19	Hong Kong SAR	4.2				93	Uruguay	3.2			
20	Norway	4.2				94	Burkina Faso	3.2			
21	Finland	4.2				95	Mozambique	3.2			
22	Sweden	4.2				96	Morocco	3.2			
23	Turkey	4.1				97	Namibia	3.2			
24	Bahrain	4.1				98	Peru	3.2			
25	Indonesia	4.1				99	Romania	3.2			
26	Netherlands	4.1				100	Benin	3.2			
27	Chile	4.0				101	Latvia	3.2			
28	Zambia	4.0				102	Spain	3.2			
29	Ecuador	4.0				103	Poland	3.1			
30	Vietnam	4.0				104	Mauritania	3.1			
31	Korea, Rep.	4.0				105	Thailand	3.1			
32	Montenegro	3.9				106	Mongolia	3.1			
33	Seychelles	3.9				107	Swaziland	3.1			
34	Estonia	3.9				108	Russian Federation	3.1			
35	Malta	3.9				109	Lithuania	3.0			
36	Switzerland	3.9				110	Pakistan	3.0			
37	Japan	3.9				111	Armenia	3.0			
38	Cameroon	3.9				112	Guinea	3.0			
39	Guyana	3.8				113	Guatemala	3.0			
40	Liberia	3.8				114	Hungary	3.0			
41	Cape Verde	3.8				115	Tunisia	3.0			
42	Senegal	3.8				116	Egypt	3.0			
43	Côte d'Ivoire	3.8				117	Suriname	3.0			
44	Lao PDR	3.7				118	Ukraine	3.0			
45	Belgium	3.7				119	South Africa	2.9			
46	Cambodia	3.7				120	Kuwait	2.9			
47	Austria	3.7				121	Slovenia	2.9			
48	Bhutan	3.7				122	Paraguay	2.9			
49	Colombia	3.7				123	Serbia	2.8			
50	Portugal	3.7				124	Czech Republic	2.8			
51	Jordan	3.7				125	Honduras	2.8			
52	Albania	3.7				126	Chad	2.8			
53	Iceland	3.7				127	Algeria	2.7			
54	Barbados	3.6				128	Jamaica	2.7			
55	Canada	3.6				129	Italy	2.7			
56	United Kingdom	3.6				130	Trinidad and Tobago	2.7			
57	Australia	3.6				131	Lesotho	2.7			
58	Kazakhstan	3.6				132	Nepal	2.7			
59	Mali	3.6				133	Angola	2.6			
60	France	3.6				134	Slovak Republic	2.6			
61	Ethiopia	3.6				135	Haiti	2.6			
62	Georgia	3.6				136	Croatia	2.6			
63	Mexico	3.6				137	Zimbabwe	2.6			
64	Ghana	3.6				138	Burundi	2.6			
65	New Zealand	3.6				139	Moldova	2.5			
66	Costa Rica	3.5				140	Argentina	2.5			
67	Botswana	3.5				141	Greece	2.4			
68	Uganda	3.5				142	Bangladesh	2.4			
69	Brazil	3.5				143	Libya	2.3			
70	Ireland	3.5				144	Kyrgyz Republic	2.3			
71	El Salvador	3.5				145	Myanmar	2.2			
72	Cyprus	3.5				146	Lebanon	2.2			
73	Iran, Islamic Rep.	3.5				147	Yemen	2.1			
74	Bolivia	3.5				148	Venezuela	1.9			

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