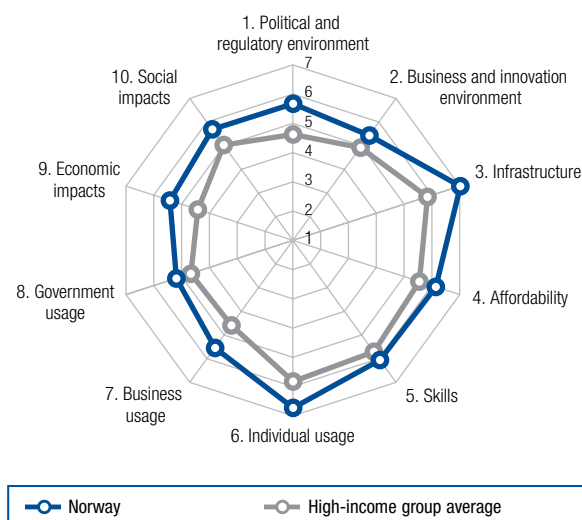


Norway

	Rank (out of 139)	Value (1–7)
Networked Readiness Index	4	5.8
Networked Readiness Index 2015 (out of 143).....	5	5.8
Networked Readiness Index 2014 (out of 148).....	5	5.7
Networked Readiness Index 2013 (out of 144).....	5	5.7
A. Environment subindex	6	5.5
1st pillar: Political and regulatory environment.....	6	5.7
2nd pillar: Business and innovation environment.....	7	5.4
B. Readiness subindex	4	6.4
3rd pillar: Infrastructure.....	1	7.0
4th pillar: Affordability.....	28	6.1
5th pillar: Skills.....	12	6.0
C. Usage subindex	9	5.8
6th pillar: Individual usage.....	3	6.7
7th pillar: Business usage.....	11	5.5
8th pillar: Government usage.....	18	5.2
D. Impact subindex	9	5.6
9th pillar: Economic impacts.....	8	5.4
10th pillar: Social impacts.....	8	5.7



The Networked Readiness Index in detail

INDICATOR	RANK/139	VALUE
1st pillar: Political and regulatory environment		
1.01 Effectiveness of law-making bodies*	7	5.5
1.02 Laws relating to ICTs*	7	5.5
1.03 Judicial independence*	3	6.5
1.04 Efficiency of legal system in settling disputes*	7	5.6
1.05 Efficiency of legal system in challenging regs*	7	5.4
1.06 Intellectual property protection*	17	5.8
1.07 Software piracy rate, % software installed	14	25
1.08 No. procedures to enforce a contract	42	34
1.09 No. days to enforce a contract	7	280
2nd pillar: Business and innovation environment		
2.01 Availability of latest technologies*	3	6.5
2.02 Venture capital availability*	10	4.2
2.03 Total tax rate, % profits	76	39.5
2.04 No. days to start a business	15	4
2.05 No. procedures to start a business	22	4
2.06 Intensity of local competition*	50	5.3
2.07 Tertiary education gross enrollment rate, %	21	76.1
2.08 Quality of management schools*	15	5.4
2.09 Gov't procurement of advanced tech*	16	4.1
3rd pillar: Infrastructure		
3.01 Electricity production, kWh/capita	2	26319.9
3.02 Mobile network coverage, % pop.	1	100.0
3.03 Int'l Internet bandwidth, kb/s per user	15	203.9
3.04 Secure Internet servers/million pop.	7	1942.0
4th pillar: Affordability		
4.01 Prepaid mobile cellular tariffs, PPP \$/min	23	0.10
4.02 Fixed broadband Internet tariffs, PPP \$/month	71	34.80
4.03 Internet & telephony competition, 0–2 (best)	1	2.00
5th pillar: Skills		
5.01 Quality of education system*	11	5.3
5.02 Quality of math & science education*	24	4.9
5.03 Secondary education gross enrollment rate, %	14	113.0
5.04 Adult literacy rate, %	n/a	n/a ¹

INDICATOR	RANK/139	VALUE
6th pillar: Individual usage		
6.01 Mobile phone subscriptions/100 pop.	63	116.1
6.02 Individuals using Internet, %	2	96.3
6.03 Households w/ personal computer, %	5	95.4
6.04 Households w/ Internet access, %	9	93.1
6.05 Fixed broadband Internet subs/100 pop.	5	38.8
6.06 Mobile broadband subs/100 pop.	18	88.8
6.07 Use of virtual social networks*	2	6.6
7th pillar: Business usage		
7.01 Firm-level technology absorption*	4	6.1
7.02 Capacity for innovation*	18	5.2
7.03 PCT patents, applications/million pop.	12	139.4
7.04 ICT use for business-to-business transactions*	7	5.9
7.05 Business-to-consumer Internet use*	8	5.8
7.06 Extent of staff training*	7	5.3
8th pillar: Government usage		
8.01 Importance of ICTs to gov't vision*	15	4.9
8.02 Government Online Service Index, 0–1 (best)	21	0.76
8.03 Gov't success in ICT promotion*	13	5.1
9th pillar: Economic impacts		
9.01 Impact of ICTs on business models*	13	5.6
9.02 ICT PCT patents, applications/million pop.	14	36.8
9.03 Impact of ICTs on organizational models*	6	5.6
9.04 Knowledge-intensive jobs, % workforce	4	50.7
10th pillar: Social impacts		
10.01 Impact of ICTs on access to basic services*	6	6.0
10.02 Internet access in schools*	3	6.3
10.03 ICT use & gov't efficiency*	9	5.4
10.04 E-Participation Index, 0–1 (best)	30	0.69

Note: Indicators followed by an asterisk (*) are measured on a 1-to-7 (best) scale. For further details and explanation, please refer to the section "How to Read the Country/Economy Profiles" on page 53.

¹ See the "Technical Notes and Sources" section.