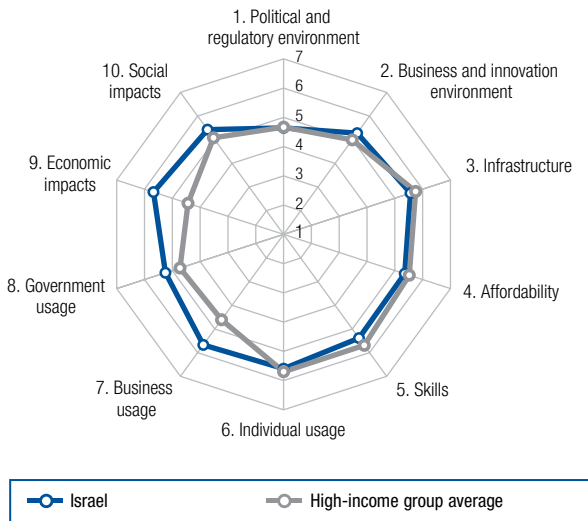


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	Rank (out of 143)	Value (1-7)
<b>Networked Readiness Index 2015 .....</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5.4</b>
Networked Readiness Index 2014 (out of 148).....	15	5.4
Networked Readiness Index 2013 (out of 144).....	15	5.4
<b>A. Environment subindex .....</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5.0</b>
1st pillar: Political and regulatory environment.....	28	4.6
2nd pillar: Business and innovation environment.....	15	5.3
<b>B. Readiness subindex .....</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>5.4</b>
3rd pillar: Infrastructure .....	31	5.6
4th pillar: Affordability .....	68	5.3
5th pillar: Skills .....	48	5.4
<b>C. Usage subindex .....</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5.5</b>
6th pillar: Individual usage.....	28	5.6
7th pillar: Business usage .....	9	5.7
8th pillar: Government usage .....	15	5.2
<b>D. Impact subindex .....</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5.5</b>
9th pillar: Economic impacts.....	6	5.7
10th pillar: Social impacts.....	19	5.4



## The Networked Readiness Index in detail

INDICATOR	RANK/143	VALUE
<b>1st pillar: Political and regulatory environment</b>		
1.01 Effectiveness of law-making bodies*	50	3.9
1.02 Laws relating to ICTs*	32	4.8
1.03 Judicial independence*	16	5.8
1.04 Efficiency of legal system in settling disputes*	46	4.1
1.05 Efficiency of legal system in challenging regs*	35	4.0
1.06 Intellectual property protection*	33	4.6
1.07 Software piracy rate, % software installed.....	17	30
1.08 No. procedures to enforce a contract .....	48	35
1.09 No. days to enforce a contract .....	122	890
<b>2nd pillar: Business and innovation environment</b>		
2.01 Availability of latest technologies* .....	10	6.3
2.02 Venture capital availability* .....	9	4.2
2.03 Total tax rate, % profits .....	40	30.1
2.04 No. days to start a business .....	73	13
2.05 No. procedures to start a business .....	38	5
2.06 Intensity of local competition* .....	125	4.2
2.07 Tertiary education gross enrollment rate, %.....	30	65.8
2.08 Quality of management schools*.....	32	4.9
2.09 Gov't procurement of advanced tech* .....	9	4.3
<b>3rd pillar: Infrastructure</b>		
3.01 Electricity production, kWh/capita .....	24	7,675.1
3.02 Mobile network coverage, % pop. ....	1	100.0
3.03 Int'l Internet bandwidth, kb/s per user.....	29	100.5
3.04 Secure Internet servers/million pop. ....	32	270.4
<b>4th pillar: Affordability</b>		
4.01 Prepaid mobile cellular tariffs, PPP \$/min.....	83	0.30
4.02 Fixed broadband Internet tariffs, PPP \$/month ..	70	32.58
4.03 Internet & telephony competition, 0-2 (best).....	85	1.76
<b>5th pillar: Skills</b>		
5.01 Quality of educational system* .....	69	3.7
5.02 Quality of math & science education*.....	79	4.0
5.03 Secondary education gross enrollment rate, % ..	26	101.7
5.04 Adult literacy rate, % .....	30	97.8

INDICATOR	RANK/143	VALUE
<b>6th pillar: Individual usage</b>		
6.01 Mobile phone subscriptions/100 pop.....	54	122.8
6.02 Individuals using Internet, %.....	37	70.8
6.03 Households w/ personal computer, % .....	16	85.0
6.04 Households w/ Internet access, % .....	37	71.1
6.05 Fixed broadband Internet subs/100 pop.....	24	25.9
6.06 Mobile broadband subs/100 pop.....	40	53.0
6.07 Use of virtual social networks* .....	28	6.2
<b>7th pillar: Business usage</b>		
7.01 Firm-level technology absorption* .....	5	6.0
7.02 Capacity for innovation* .....	3	5.8
7.03 PCT patents, applications/million pop. ....	5	236.2
7.04 Business-to-business Internet use* .....	31	5.5
7.05 Business-to-consumer Internet use* .....	21	5.5
7.06 Extent of staff training* .....	76	4.0
<b>8th pillar: Government usage</b>		
8.01 Importance of ICTs to gov't vision*.....	32	4.5
8.02 Government Online Service Index, 0-1 (best)....	13	0.87
8.03 Gov't success in ICT promotion*.....	22	5.0
<b>9th pillar: Economic impacts</b>		
9.01 Impact of ICTs on new services & products*.....	22	5.1
9.02 ICT PCT patents, applications/million pop. ....	4	109.9
9.03 Impact of ICTs on new organizational models* ..	29	4.7
9.04 Knowledge-intensive jobs, % workforce.....	8	46.5
<b>10th pillar: Social impacts</b>		
10.01 Impact of ICTs on access to basic services* .....	28	5.2
10.02 Internet access in schools* .....	32	5.5
10.03 ICT use & gov't efficiency* .....	34	4.8
10.04 E-Participation Index, 0-1 (best).....	12	0.86

**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 115.