

Country tables



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AFGHANISTAN		South Asia Low income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	622 29.8
Ease of doing business (rank)	164			
✓ Starting a business (rank)	24	Registering property (rank)	175	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	5	Time (days)	250	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.4	Cost (% of property value)	5.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	167	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0	
Time (days)	330	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,247.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
Getting electricity (rank)	104	Protecting investors (rank)	189	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1	
Time (days)	109	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,731.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	1	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	1.0	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Paying taxes (rank)	98	
		Payments (number per year)	20	
		Time (hours per year)	275	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	36.3	
ALBANIA		Europe & Central Asia Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	4,090 3.2
Ease of doing business (rank)	90			
Starting a business (rank)	76	Registering property (rank)	119	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	4.5	Time (days)	33	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	21.1	Cost (% of property value)	11.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	189	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5	
Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	13.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	NO PRACTICE	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
Getting electricity (rank)	158	Protecting investors (rank)	14	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7	
Time (days)	177	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	543.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.3	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	146	
		Payments (number per year)	42	
		Time (hours per year)	357	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	31.7	

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ALGERIA		Middle East & North Africa Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	4,110 38.5	
Ease of doing business (rank)	153				
Starting a business (rank)	164	Registering property (rank)	176	Trading across borders (rank)	133
Procedures (number)	14	Procedures (number)	10	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	25	Time (days)	63	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.4	Cost (% of property value)	7.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,270
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	28.6			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	27
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	147	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,330
Procedures (number)	19	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	241	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	2.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	129
Cost (% of income per capita)	60.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	45
				Time (days)	630
Getting electricity (rank)	148	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	21.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	180	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	60
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,562.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	2.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	41.7
		Paying taxes (rank)	174		
		Payments (number per year)	29		
		Time (hours per year)	451		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	71.9		
ANGOLA		Sub-Saharan Africa Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	4,580 20.8	
Ease of doing business (rank)	179				
Starting a business (rank)	178	Registering property (rank)	132	✗ Trading across borders (rank)	169
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	66	Time (days)	191	Time to export (days)	40
Cost (% of income per capita)	130.1	Cost (% of property value)	3.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,860
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	21.8			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	43
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	65	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,700
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	204	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	2.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	187
Cost (% of income per capita)	28.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	46
				Time (days)	1,296
Getting electricity (rank)	170	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	44.4
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	145	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	689.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	155		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	282		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	52.1		
ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA		Latin America & Caribbean High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	12,640 0.1	
Ease of doing business (rank)	71				
Starting a business (rank)	92	Registering property (rank)	128	Trading across borders (rank)	93
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	21	Time (days)	26	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.5	Cost (% of property value)	10.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,090
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	23
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	21	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,520
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	134	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	65
Cost (% of income per capita)	22.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	351
Getting electricity (rank)	20	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	22.7
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	42	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	80
Cost (% of income per capita)	126.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	35.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	151		
		Payments (number per year)	57		
		Time (hours per year)	207		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	41.0		

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ARGENTINA		Latin America & Caribbean Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	9,740 41.1	
Ease of doing business (rank)	126				
✗ Starting a business (rank)	164	Registering property (rank)	138	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	129
Procedures (number)	14	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	25	Time (days)	53.5	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	19.9	Cost (% of property value)	6.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,650
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	5.7			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	30
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	181	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,260
Procedures (number)	24	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	365	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	41.9	Enforcing contracts (rank)	57
Cost (% of income per capita)	234.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	590
Getting electricity (rank)	80	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	20.5
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	91	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)	97
Cost (% of income per capita)	40.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	12
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	30.8
		Paying taxes (rank)	153		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	405		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	107.8		
ARMENIA		Europe & Central Asia Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	3,720 3.0	
Ease of doing business (rank)	37				
✓ Starting a business (rank)	6	Registering property (rank)	5	Trading across borders (rank)	117
Procedures (number)	2	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	4	Time (days)	7	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.1	Cost (% of property value)	0.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,885
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	18
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	79	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,175
Procedures (number)	21	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	84	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	21.9	Enforcing contracts (rank)	112
Cost (% of income per capita)	68.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	63.8	Procedures (number)	49
				Time (days)	570
Getting electricity (rank)	109	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	19.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	242	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	76
Cost (% of income per capita)	98.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	1.9
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	11
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	36.4
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	103		
		Payments (number per year)	10		
		Time (hours per year)	380		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	38.8		
AUSTRALIA		OECD high income High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	59,570 22.7	
Ease of doing business (rank)	11				
Starting a business (rank)	4	Registering property (rank)	40	Trading across borders (rank)	46
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	2.5	Time (days)	4.5	Time to export (days)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.7	Cost (% of property value)	5.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,150
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	8
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	10	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,170
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	112	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	14
Cost (% of income per capita)	13.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	28
				Time (days)	395
Getting electricity (rank)	34	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	21.8
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	75	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)	18
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	8
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	81.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	44		
		Payments (number per year)	11		
		Time (hours per year)	105		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	47.0		

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AUSTRIA		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	48,160	
Ease of doing business (rank)	30	High income	Population (m)	8.5	
Starting a business (rank)	138	Registering property (rank)	36	Trading across borders (rank)	19
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	25	Time (days)	20.5	Time to export (days)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.8	Cost (% of property value)	4.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,090
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	47.8			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	8
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	94	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,155
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	194	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)	6
Cost (% of income per capita)	55.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	51.8	Procedures (number)	25
				Time (days)	397
Getting electricity (rank)	28	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	18.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	23	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	14
Cost (% of income per capita)	101.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	1.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	82.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	79		
		Payments (number per year)	12		
		Time (hours per year)	166		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	52.4		
AZERBAIJAN		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	6,050	
Ease of doing business (rank)	70	Upper middle income	Population (m)	9.3	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	10	Registering property (rank)	13	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	168
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	7	Time (days)	11	Time to export (days)	28
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.0	Cost (% of property value)	0.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,540
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	11
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	25
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	180	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	3,560
Procedures (number)	28	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	212	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	23.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	28
Cost (% of income per capita)	282.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	237
Getting electricity (rank)	181	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	18.5
Procedures (number)	9	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	241	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	86
Cost (% of income per capita)	570.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	8
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	34.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	77		
		Payments (number per year)	18		
		Time (hours per year)	214		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.0		
BAHAMAS, THE		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	22,833	
Ease of doing business (rank)	84	High income	Population (m)	0.4	
Starting a business (rank)	83	✓ Registering property (rank)	182	Trading across borders (rank)	72
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	23.5	Time (days)	122	Time to export (days)	19
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.4	Cost (% of property value)	12.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,005
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	75	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,770
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	178	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	125
Cost (% of income per capita)	28.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	49
				Time (days)	427
Getting electricity (rank)	45	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	28.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	67	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	32
Cost (% of income per capita)	102.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	12
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	63.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	45		
		Payments (number per year)	18		
		Time (hours per year)	58		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	46.6		

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BAHRAIN		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	23,477	
Ease of doing business (rank)	46	High income	Population (m)	1.3	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	99	Registering property (rank)	32	Trading across borders (rank)	81
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	2	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	9	Time (days)	31	Time to export (days)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.9	Cost (% of property value)	2.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	955
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	226.6	✓ Getting credit (rank)	130	Documents to import (number)	8
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	4	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Time to import (days)	15
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	995
Time (days)	60	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	122
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	26.0	Procedures (number)	48
Getting electricity (rank)	52	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Time (days)	635
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8	Cost (% of claim)	14.7
Time (days)	90	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	27
Cost (% of income per capita)	55.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	2.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	10
		Paying taxes (rank)	7	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	67.4
		Payments (number per year)	13		
		Time (hours per year)	36		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	13.5		
BANGLADESH		South Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	840	
Ease of doing business (rank)	130	Low income	Population (m)	154.7	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	74	Registering property (rank)	177	Trading across borders (rank)	130
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	10.5	Time (days)	245	Time to export (days)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	19.9	Cost (% of property value)	6.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,075
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0	Getting credit (rank)	86	Documents to import (number)	8
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	93	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Time to import (days)	35
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,470
Time (days)	201	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.8	Enforcing contracts (rank)	185
Cost (% of income per capita)	110.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	41
Getting electricity (rank)	189	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Time (days)	1,442
Procedures (number)	9	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6	Cost (% of claim)	66.8
Time (days)	404	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	119
Cost (% of income per capita)	4,483.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	8
		Paying taxes (rank)	100	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	25.8
		Payments (number per year)	20		
		Time (hours per year)	302		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	35.0		
BARBADOS		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	16,152	
Ease of doing business (rank)	91	High income	Population (m)	0.3	
Starting a business (rank)	77	Registering property (rank)	142	Trading across borders (rank)	30
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	18	Time (days)	153	Time to export (days)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.2	Cost (% of property value)	5.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	810
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0	Getting credit (rank)	86	Documents to import (number)	5
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	56	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Time to import (days)	8
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,615
Time (days)	442	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	110
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	38
Getting electricity (rank)	83	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Time (days)	1,340
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2	Cost (% of claim)	19.7
Time (days)	65	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	28
Cost (% of income per capita)	60.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
		Paying taxes (rank)	112	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	65.1
		Payments (number per year)	28		
		Time (hours per year)	237		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.8		

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BELARUS		Europe & Central Asia Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	6,530 9.5
Ease of doing business (rank)	63			
✓ Starting a business (rank)	15	✓ Registering property (rank)	3	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	2	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	9	Time (days)	4	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.8	Cost (% of property value)	0.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	30	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5	
Time (days)	128	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	60.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	21.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	168	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7	
Time (days)	161	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	0	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	431.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Paying taxes (rank)	133	
		Payments (number per year)	10	
		Time (hours per year)	319	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	54.0	
BELGIUM		OECD high income High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	44,990 11.1
Ease of doing business (rank)	36			
Starting a business (rank)	49	Registering property (rank)	180	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	4	Time (days)	64	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.2	Cost (% of property value)	12.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	18.2			Documents to import (number)
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	100	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4	
Time (days)	214	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	96.2	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	54.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
Getting electricity (rank)	90	Protecting investors (rank)	16	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8	
Time (days)	88	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	92.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.0	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Paying taxes (rank)	76	
		Payments (number per year)	11	
		Time (hours per year)	160	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	57.5	
BELIZE		Latin America & Caribbean Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	4,180 0.3
Ease of doing business (rank)	106			
Starting a business (rank)	167	Registering property (rank)	143	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	44	Time (days)	60	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	46.3	Cost (% of property value)	4.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	16	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0	
Time (days)	91	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	87.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
Getting electricity (rank)	57	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3	
Time (days)	66	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	357.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Paying taxes (rank)	48	
		Payments (number per year)	29	
		Time (hours per year)	147	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	33.2	

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BENIN		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	750	
Ease of doing business (rank)	174	Low income	Population (m)	10.1	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	139	Registering property (rank)	137	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	119
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	120	Time to export (days)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	122.7	Cost (% of property value)	11.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,030
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	261.2			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	27
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	95	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,520
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	188	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	10.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	181
Cost (% of income per capita)	165.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	42
				Time (days)	795
Getting electricity (rank)	160	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	64.7
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	158	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	140
Cost (% of income per capita)	16,321.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	18.1
		Paying taxes (rank)	179		
		Payments (number per year)	55		
		Time (hours per year)	270		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	65.9		
BHUTAN		South Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,420	
Ease of doing business (rank)	141	Lower middle income	Population (m)	0.7	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	86	Registering property (rank)	86	Trading across borders (rank)	172
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	32	Time (days)	92	Time to export (days)	38
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.0	Cost (% of property value)	5.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,230
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	12
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	38
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	132	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,330
Procedures (number)	22	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	150	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	15.6	Enforcing contracts (rank)	37
Cost (% of income per capita)	77.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	47
				Time (days)	225
Getting electricity (rank)	91	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	0.1
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	82	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	3	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	693.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	104		
		Payments (number per year)	19		
		Time (hours per year)	274		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.8		
BOLIVIA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,220	
Ease of doing business (rank)	162	Lower middle income	Population (m)	10.5	
Starting a business (rank)	180	Registering property (rank)	144	Trading across borders (rank)	126
Procedures (number)	15	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	49	Time (days)	91	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	71.6	Cost (% of property value)	4.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,440
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	1.8			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	24
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	136	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	1	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,745
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	275.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	14.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	131
Cost (% of income per capita)	61.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	36.5	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	591
Getting electricity (rank)	128	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	33.2
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1		
Time (days)	42	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	67
Cost (% of income per capita)	952.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	38.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	185		
		Payments (number per year)	42		
		Time (hours per year)	1,025		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	83.4		

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BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	4,650	
Ease of doing business (rank)	131	Upper middle income	Population (m)	3.8	
Starting a business (rank)	174	Registering property (rank)	96	Trading across borders (rank)	107
Procedures (number)	11	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	37	Time (days)	25	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.9	Cost (% of property value)	5.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,260
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	29.1			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	175	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,200
Procedures (number)	17	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	179	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	39.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	115
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,100.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	4.9	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	595
Getting electricity (rank)	164	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	34.0
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	125	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	77
Cost (% of income per capita)	492.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	3.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	36.0
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	135		
		Payments (number per year)	40		
		Time (hours per year)	407		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	25.5		
BOTSWANA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	7,720	
Ease of doing business (rank)	56	Upper middle income	Population (m)	2.0	
Starting a business (rank)	96	Registering property (rank)	41	Trading across borders (rank)	145
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	60	Time (days)	15	Time to export (days)	27
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.2	Cost (% of property value)	5.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,045
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	35
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	69	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	3,610
Procedures (number)	21	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	111	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	86
Cost (% of income per capita)	17.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	60.7	Procedures (number)	28
				Time (days)	625
Getting electricity (rank)	107	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	39.8
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	121	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	34
Cost (% of income per capita)	389.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	1.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	61.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	47		
		Payments (number per year)	34		
		Time (hours per year)	152		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	25.4		
BRAZIL		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	11,630	
Ease of doing business (rank)	116	Upper middle income	Population (m)	198.7	
Starting a business (rank)	123	Registering property (rank)	107	Trading across borders (rank)	124
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	14	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	107.5	Time (days)	30	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.6	Cost (% of property value)	2.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,215
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	130	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,275
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	400	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	50.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	121
Cost (% of income per capita)	34.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	63.4	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	731
Getting electricity (rank)	14	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	16.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	58	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	135
Cost (% of income per capita)	34.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	12
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	19.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	159		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	2,600		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	68.3		

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BRUNEI DARUSSALAM		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	41,703
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	
Starting a business (rank)	59	Registering property (rank)	116	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	137	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	298	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	101	Cost (% of property value)	0.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	9.9	✓ Getting credit (rank)	55	Documents to import (number)
	0.0	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	46	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	22	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	55.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Time (days)	95	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
Cost (% of income per capita)	3.5	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Time (days)
		Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4	Cost (% of claim)
Getting electricity (rank)	29	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Procedures (number)	5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)
Time (days)	56	Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)
Cost (% of income per capita)	35.9	Paying taxes (rank)	20	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Payments (number per year)	27	
		Time (hours per year)	96	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	16.1	
BULGARIA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	6,870
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	
Starting a business (rank)	58	Registering property (rank)	62	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	65	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	4	Time (days)	14	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	18	Cost (% of property value)	2.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	1.0	Getting credit (rank)	28	Documents to import (number)
	0.0	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	118	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	18	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	61.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Time (days)	104	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
Cost (% of income per capita)	222.9	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Time (days)
		Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10	Cost (% of claim)
Getting electricity (rank)	135	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Procedures (number)	6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)
Time (days)	130	Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)
Cost (% of income per capita)	320.0	Paying taxes (rank)	81	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Payments (number per year)	13	
		Time (hours per year)	454	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	27.7	
BURKINA FASO		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	670
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	
Starting a business (rank)	154	Registering property (rank)	123	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	125	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	3	Time (days)	67	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	13	Cost (% of property value)	12.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	44.5	Getting credit (rank)	130	Documents to import (number)
	306.2	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	60	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	12	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	2.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Time (days)	98	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
Cost (% of income per capita)	329.4	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Time (days)
		Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6	Cost (% of claim)
Getting electricity (rank)	141	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Procedures (number)	4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)
Time (days)	158	Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)
Cost (% of income per capita)	10,956.6	✓ Paying taxes (rank)	160	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Payments (number per year)	45	
		Time (hours per year)	270	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	43.9	

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BURUNDI		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	240	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	9.8	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	27	✓ Registering property (rank)	52	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	175
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	5	Time (days)	26	Time to export (days)	32
Cost (% of income per capita)	17.5	Cost (% of property value)	3.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,905
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	46
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	126	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	4,420
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	99	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	177
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,262.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	832
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	161	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	38.6
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	158	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	164
Cost (% of income per capita)	20,509.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	5.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	30
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	7.7
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	143		
		Payments (number per year)	25		
		Time (hours per year)	274		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	51.6		
CAMBODIA		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	880	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	14.9	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	184	Registering property (rank)	118	Trading across borders (rank)	114
Procedures (number)	11	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	104	Time (days)	56	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	150.6	Cost (% of property value)	4.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	795
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	27.5			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	24
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	161	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	930
Procedures (number)	21	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	652	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	162
Cost (% of income per capita)	35.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	21.1	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	483
Getting electricity (rank)	134	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	103.4
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	168	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	10	Resolving insolvency (rank)	163
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,636.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	1	Time (years)	6.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	28
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	8.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	65		
		Payments (number per year)	40		
		Time (hours per year)	173		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	21.4		
CAMEROON		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,170	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	21.7	
Starting a business (rank)	132	Registering property (rank)	159	Trading across borders (rank)	159
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	11
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	86	Time to export (days)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	36.2	Cost (% of property value)	19.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,379
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	171.8			Documents to import (number)	11
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	25
✗ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	127	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,167
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	139	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	8.9	Enforcing contracts (rank)	175
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,020.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	42
				Time (days)	800
Getting electricity (rank)	62	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)	46.6
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	64	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	151
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,831.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	34
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	15.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	180		
		Payments (number per year)	44		
		Time (hours per year)	630		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	48.8		

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CANADA		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	50,970	
Ease of doing business (rank)	19	High income	Population (m)	34.9	
Starting a business (rank)	2	Registering property (rank)	55	Trading across borders (rank)	45
Procedures (number)	1	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	5	Time (days)	16.5	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.4	Cost (% of property value)	3.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,680
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	3
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	10
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	116	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,680
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	249	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	58
Cost (% of income per capita)	61.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	570
Getting electricity (rank)	145	Protecting investors (rank)	4	Cost (% of claim)	22.3
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	142	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	131.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	0.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.7	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	87.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	8		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	131		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	24.3		
CAPE VERDE		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,810	
Ease of doing business (rank)	121	Lower middle income	Population (m)	0.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	66	✓ Registering property (rank)	64	Trading across borders (rank)	95
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	10	Time (days)	22	Time to export (days)	19
Cost (% of income per capita)	13.5	Cost (% of property value)	3.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,125
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	18
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	135	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	925
Procedures (number)	17	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	117	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	17.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	35
Cost (% of income per capita)	416.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	425
Getting electricity (rank)	151	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	19.8
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1		
Time (days)	88	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	888.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	80		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	186		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	37.2		
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	490	
Ease of doing business (rank)	188	Low income	Population (m)	4.5	
Starting a business (rank)	177	Registering property (rank)	141	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	185
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	22	Time (days)	75	Time to export (days)	46
Cost (% of income per capita)	162.0	Cost (% of property value)	11.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	5,490
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	411.4			Documents to import (number)	17
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	55
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	156	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	5,555
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	203	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	3.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	180
Cost (% of income per capita)	179.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	660
Getting electricity (rank)	177	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	82.0
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	102	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	11,674.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	4.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	76
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	188		
		Payments (number per year)	56		
		Time (hours per year)	483		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	87.6		

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CHAD		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	740	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	12.4	
Starting a business (rank)	183	✓ Registering property (rank)	146	✗ Trading across borders (rank)	183
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	62	Time (days)	44	Time to export (days)	73
Cost (% of income per capita)	186.3	Cost (% of property value)	15.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	6,615
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	251.6			Documents to import (number)	11
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	98
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	139	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	9,025
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	154	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.8	Enforcing contracts (rank)	171
Cost (% of income per capita)	4,438.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	41
				Time (days)	743
Getting electricity (rank)	149	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	45.7
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	67	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	9,580.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	60
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	189		
		Payments (number per year)	54		
		Time (hours per year)	732		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	73.8		
CHILE		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	14,280	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	17.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	22	Registering property (rank)	55	Trading across borders (rank)	40
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	5.5	Time (days)	28.5	Time to export (days)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.7	Cost (% of property value)	1.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	980
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	12
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	101	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	930
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	155	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	40.5	Enforcing contracts (rank)	64
Cost (% of income per capita)	69.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	5.9	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	480
Getting electricity (rank)	43	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	28.6
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	30	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	102
Cost (% of income per capita)	63.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	3.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	29.1
		Paying taxes (rank)	38		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	291		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	27.7		
CHINA		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,740	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	1,350.7	
Starting a business (rank)	158	Registering property (rank)	48	Trading across borders (rank)	74
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	33	Time (days)	29	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.0	Cost (% of property value)	3.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	620
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	78.2			Documents to import (number)	5
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	24
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	185	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	615
Procedures (number)	25	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	270	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	30.2	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	19
Cost (% of income per capita)	344.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	406
Getting electricity (rank)	119	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	11.1
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	145	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	78
Cost (% of income per capita)	499.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	1.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	36.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	120		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	318		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	63.7		

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COLOMBIA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	6,990	
Ease of doing business (rank)	43	Upper middle income	Population (m)	47.7	
Starting a business (rank)	79	Registering property (rank)	53	Trading across borders (rank)	94
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	13	Time to export (days)	14
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.5	Cost (% of property value)	2.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,355
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	24	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,470
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	54	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	155
Cost (% of income per capita)	295.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	83.8	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	1,288
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	101	Protecting investors (rank)	6	Cost (% of claim)	47.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	105	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	541.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	1.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.3	Cost (% of estate)	6
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	70.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	104		
		Payments (number per year)	10		
		Time (hours per year)	203		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	76.0		
COMOROS		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	840	
Ease of doing business (rank)	158	Low income	Population (m)	0.7	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	163	Registering property (rank)	79	Trading across borders (rank)	146
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	30	Time to export (days)	31
Cost (% of income per capita)	119.2	Cost (% of property value)	10.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,295
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	237.0			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	159	Time to import (days)	26
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	44	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,295
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	109	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	159
Cost (% of income per capita)	67.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	506
Getting electricity (rank)	109	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	89.4
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	120	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,224.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	123		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	100		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	217.9		
CONGO, DEM. REP.		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	220	
Ease of doing business (rank)	183	Low income	Population (m)	65.7	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	185	Registering property (rank)	133	Trading across borders (rank)	171
Procedures (number)	11	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	31	Time (days)	49	Time to export (days)	44
Cost (% of income per capita)	200.1	Cost (% of property value)	6.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,155
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	909.1			Documents to import (number)	9
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	159	Time to import (days)	63
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	90	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	3,890
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	117	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	177
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,366.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	610
Getting electricity (rank)	142	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	147.6
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	58	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	167
Cost (% of income per capita)	23,025.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	5.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	29
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	4.5
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	176		
		Payments (number per year)	32		
		Time (hours per year)	348		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	118.1		

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CONGO, REP.		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,550	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	4.3	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	182	Registering property (rank)	164	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	180
Procedures (number)	11	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	11
Time (days)	101	Time (days)	55	Time to export (days)	50
Cost (% of income per capita)	52.1	Cost (% of property value)	21.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,795
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	78.5			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	54
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	142	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	7,590
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	161	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	9.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	164
Cost (% of income per capita)	878.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	560
Getting electricity (rank)	175	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	53.2
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	135	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	142
Cost (% of income per capita)	4,657.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	3.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	25
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	17.9
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	183		
		Payments (number per year)	49		
		Time (hours per year)	602		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	63.8		
COSTA RICA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	8,740	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	4.8	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	102	Registering property (rank)	46	Trading across borders (rank)	44
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	24	Time (days)	19	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.5	Cost (% of property value)	3.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,015
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	14
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	82	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,070
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	123	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	25.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	130
Cost (% of income per capita)	137.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	852
Getting electricity (rank)	47	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Cost (% of claim)	24.3
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	62	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	124
Cost (% of income per capita)	226.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	24.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	136		
		Payments (number per year)	22		
		Time (hours per year)	226		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	55.3		
CÔTE D'IVOIRE		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,220	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	19.8	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	115	✓ Registering property (rank)	127	Trading across borders (rank)	165
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	42	Time to export (days)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	44.4	Cost (% of property value)	10.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,990
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	164.4			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	34
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	162	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,710
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	364	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	3.2	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	88
Cost (% of income per capita)	134.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	585
Getting electricity (rank)	153	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	41.7
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	55	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	95
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,366.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	2.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	31.8
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	173		
		Payments (number per year)	62		
		Time (hours per year)	270		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	46.4		

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CROATIA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	13,290	
Ease of doing business (rank)	89	High income	Population (m)	4.3	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	80	Registering property (rank)	106	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	99
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	102.5	Time to export (days)	18
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.3	Cost (% of property value)	5.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,335
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	15
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	152	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,185
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	317	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	49
Cost (% of income per capita)	646.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	572
Getting electricity (rank)	60	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	13.8
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1		
Time (days)	70	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	98
Cost (% of income per capita)	319.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	3.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	30.3
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	34		
		Payments (number per year)	19		
		Time (hours per year)	196		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	19.8		
CYPRUS		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	26,000	
Ease of doing business (rank)	39	High income	Population (m)	1.1	
Starting a business (rank)	44	Registering property (rank)	103	Trading across borders (rank)	27
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	28	Time to export (days)	7
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.3	Cost (% of property value)	10.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	865
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	5
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	86	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,010
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	677	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	110
Cost (% of income per capita)	57.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	6.7	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	735
Getting electricity (rank)	108	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	16.4
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	247	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	24
Cost (% of income per capita)	96.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	70.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	33		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	147		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	22.5		
CZECH REPUBLIC		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	18,130	
Ease of doing business (rank)	75	High income	Population (m)	10.5	
Starting a business (rank)	146	✗ Registering property (rank)	37	Trading across borders (rank)	68
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	19.5	Time (days)	24	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.2	Cost (% of property value)	4.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,215
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	29.5			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	86	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,190
Procedures (number)	33	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	120	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	6.4	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	75
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	76.0	Procedures (number)	27
				Time (days)	611
Getting electricity (rank)	146	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	33.0
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	279	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	29
Cost (% of income per capita)	179.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	17
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	65.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	122		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	413		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	48.1		

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DENMARK		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	59,770	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	5.6	
Starting a business (rank)	40	Registering property (rank)	7	Trading across borders (rank)	8
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	5.5	Time (days)	4	Time to export (days)	6
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.2	Cost (% of property value)	0.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	795
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	23.9			Documents to import (number)	3
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	5
✗ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	8	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	745
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	67	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	32
Cost (% of income per capita)	87.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	7.5	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	410
Getting electricity (rank)	18	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	23.3
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	38	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	118.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	87.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	12		
		Payments (number per year)	10		
		Time (hours per year)	130		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	27.0		
DJIBOUTI		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,523	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	0.9	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	127	Registering property (rank)	133	Trading across borders (rank)	60
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	17	Time (days)	39	Time to export (days)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	184.7	Cost (% of property value)	12.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	885
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	180	Time to import (days)	18
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	157	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	910
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	167	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	163
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,949.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	1,225
Getting electricity (rank)	144	Protecting investors (rank)	182	Cost (% of claim)	34.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	180	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	147
Cost (% of income per capita)	7,487.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	0	Time (years)	5.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.3	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	16.8
		Paying taxes (rank)	66		
		Payments (number per year)	35		
		Time (hours per year)	82		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	37.8		
DOMINICA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	6,460	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	51	Registering property (rank)	119	Trading across borders (rank)	88
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	12	Time (days)	42	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	16.6	Cost (% of property value)	13.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	990
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	14
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	22	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,600
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	171	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	172
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	46
				Time (days)	681
Getting electricity (rank)	64	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	36.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	61	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	105
Cost (% of income per capita)	649.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	28.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	75		
		Payments (number per year)	37		
		Time (hours per year)	117		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	37.1		

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DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,470	
Ease of doing business (rank)	117	Upper middle income	Population (m)	10.3	
Starting a business (rank)	144	Registering property (rank)	115	Trading across borders (rank)	33
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	18.5	Time (days)	60	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	17.3	Cost (% of property value)	3.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,040
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	46.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	10
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	121	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,145
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	216	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	59.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)	81
Cost (% of income per capita)	67.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	59.8	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	460
Getting electricity (rank)	127	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	40.9
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	82	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	159
Cost (% of income per capita)	300.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	3.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	38
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	8.8
		Paying taxes (rank)	106		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	324		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	43.5		
ECUADOR		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,190	
Ease of doing business (rank)	135	Upper middle income	Population (m)	15.5	
Starting a business (rank)	176	Registering property (rank)	91	Trading across borders (rank)	122
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	55.5	Time (days)	39	Time to export (days)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	25.3	Cost (% of property value)	2.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,535
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	3.7			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	25
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	64	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,520
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	115	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	99
Cost (% of income per capita)	55.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	70.9	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	588
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	138	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	27.2
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1		
Time (days)	74	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	143
Cost (% of income per capita)	677.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	5.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	17.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	91		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	654		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	33.9		
EGYPT, ARAB REP.		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,000	
Ease of doing business (rank)	128	Lower middle income	Population (m)	80.7	
Starting a business (rank)	50	Registering property (rank)	105	Trading across borders (rank)	83
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	63	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.7	Cost (% of property value)	0.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	625
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	15
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	149	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	790
Procedures (number)	21	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	179	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	5.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	156
Cost (% of income per capita)	108.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	19.6	Procedures (number)	42
				Time (days)	1,010
Getting electricity (rank)	105	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	26.2
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	54	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	3	Resolving insolvency (rank)	146
Cost (% of income per capita)	337.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	4.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	16.9
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	148		
		Payments (number per year)	29		
		Time (hours per year)	392		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	42.6		

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EL SALVADOR		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,580	
Ease of doing business (rank)	118	Lower middle income	Population (m)	6.3	
Starting a business (rank)	148	Registering property (rank)	59	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	64
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	16.5	Time (days)	31	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	45.5	Cost (% of property value)	3.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	980
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	2.8			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	10
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	144	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	970
Procedures (number)	24	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	144	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	27.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	68
Cost (% of income per capita)	157.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	83.3	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	786
Getting electricity (rank)	154	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Cost (% of claim)	19.2
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	88	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	0	Resolving insolvency (rank)	90
Cost (% of income per capita)	563.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	3.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	12
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	32.8
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	165		
		Payments (number per year)	53		
		Time (hours per year)	320		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	38.1		
EQUATORIAL GUINEA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	13,560	
Ease of doing business (rank)	166	High income	Population (m)	0.7	
Starting a business (rank)	185	Registering property (rank)	109	Trading across borders (rank)	137
Procedures (number)	18	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	135	Time (days)	23	Time to export (days)	29
Cost (% of income per capita)	98.6	Cost (% of property value)	12.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,390
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	13.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	44
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	125	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,600
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	166	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	4.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)	50
Cost (% of income per capita)	134.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	475
Getting electricity (rank)	99	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	18.5
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	106	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	509.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	177		
		Payments (number per year)	46		
		Time (hours per year)	492		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	44.1		
ERITREA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	450	
Ease of doing business (rank)	184	Low income	Population (m)	6.1	
Starting a business (rank)	188	Registering property (rank)	184	Trading across borders (rank)	170
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	11	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	84	Time (days)	78	Time to export (days)	50
Cost (% of income per capita)	50.5	Cost (% of property value)	9.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,460
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	196.1			Documents to import (number)	12
		Getting credit (rank)	186	Time to import (days)	59
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	189	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,600
Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	67
Cost (% of income per capita)	NO PRACTICE	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	490
Getting electricity (rank)	95	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	22.6
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	59	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,352.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	150		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	216		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	84.5		

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ESTONIA		OECD high income		GNI per capita (US\$)	15,830
Ease of doing business (rank)	22	High income		Population (m)	1.3
Starting a business (rank)	61	Registering property (rank)	15	Trading across borders (rank)	7
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	6.5	Time (days)	17.5	Time to export (days)	6
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.5	Cost (% of property value)	0.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	765
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	20.6			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	5
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	38	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	795
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	148	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	33.7	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	425
Getting electricity (rank)	56	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	21.9
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	111	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	3	Resolving insolvency (rank)	66
Cost (% of income per capita)	188.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	38.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	32		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	81		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	49.4		
ETHIOPIA		Sub-Saharan Africa		GNI per capita (US\$)	410
Ease of doing business (rank)	125	Low income		Population (m)	91.7
Starting a business (rank)	166	Registering property (rank)	113	Trading across borders (rank)	166
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	10	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	41	Time to export (days)	44
Cost (% of income per capita)	100.1	Cost (% of property value)	2.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,180
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	184.2			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	44
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	55	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,760
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	128	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	44
Cost (% of income per capita)	203.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	530
Getting electricity (rank)	91	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	15.2
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	95	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	75
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,879.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	36.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	109		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	306		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	33.4		
FIJI		East Asia & Pacific		GNI per capita (US\$)	4,200
Ease of doing business (rank)	62	Upper middle income		Population (m)	0.9
Starting a business (rank)	141	Registering property (rank)	63	Trading across borders (rank)	111
Procedures (number)	11	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	59	Time (days)	69	Time to export (days)	18
Cost (% of income per capita)	23.1	Cost (% of property value)	2.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	790
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	22
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	74	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	760
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	142	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	63
Cost (% of income per capita)	44.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	72.9	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	397
Getting electricity (rank)	81	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	38.9
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	81	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	50
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,835.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	45.6
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	88		
		Payments (number per year)	38		
		Time (hours per year)	185		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	31.2		

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GAMBIA, THE		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	510	
Ease of doing business (rank)	150	Low income	Population (m)	1.8	
Starting a business (rank)	130	Registering property (rank)	117	Trading across borders (rank)	99
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	27	Time (days)	66	Time to export (days)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	174.3	Cost (% of property value)	7.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,190
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	165	Time to import (days)	21
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	104	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	895
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	143	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	60
Cost (% of income per capita)	142.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	33
				Time (days)	407
Getting electricity (rank)	120	Protecting investors (rank)	178	Cost (% of claim)	37.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	78	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	108
Cost (% of income per capita)	4,526.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.7	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	27.8
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	184		
		Payments (number per year)	50		
		Time (hours per year)	376		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	283.2		
GEORGIA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,280	
Ease of doing business (rank)	8	Lower middle income	Population (m)	4.5	
Starting a business (rank)	8	Registering property (rank)	1	Trading across borders (rank)	43
Procedures (number)	2	Procedures (number)	1	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	2	Time (days)	2	Time to export (days)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	3.5	Cost (% of property value)	0.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,355
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	4
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	10
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	2	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,595
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	73.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	33
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	46.1	Procedures (number)	33
				Time (days)	285
Getting electricity (rank)	54	Protecting investors (rank)	16	Cost (% of claim)	29.9
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	71	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	88
Cost (% of income per capita)	515.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.0	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	33.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	29		
		Payments (number per year)	5		
		Time (hours per year)	280		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	16.4		
GERMANY		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	44,010	
Ease of doing business (rank)	21	High income	Population (m)	81.9	
Starting a business (rank)	111	Registering property (rank)	81	Trading across borders (rank)	14
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	14.5	Time (days)	40	Time to export (days)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.7	Cost (% of property value)	5.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	905
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	7
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	12	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	940
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	97	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	5
Cost (% of income per capita)	46.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	30
				Time (days)	394
Getting electricity (rank)	3	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	14.4
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	17	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	46.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	1.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	8
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	82.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	89		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	218		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	49.4		

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GHANA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,550	
Ease of doing business (rank)	67	Lower middle income	Population (m)	25.4	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	128	Registering property (rank)	49	Trading across borders (rank)	109
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	14	Time (days)	34	Time to export (days)	19
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.7	Cost (% of property value)	1.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	875
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	3.7			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	42
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	159	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,360
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	246.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	43
Cost (% of income per capita)	259.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	10.4	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	495
Getting electricity (rank)	85	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	23.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	79	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	116
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,295.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.9
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	26.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	68		
		Payments (number per year)	32		
		Time (hours per year)	224		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	22.9		
GREECE		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	23,260	
Ease of doing business (rank)	72	High income	Population (m)	11.3	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	36	Registering property (rank)	161	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	52
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	11	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	14	Time (days)	20	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.6	Cost (% of property value)	11.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,040
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	15
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	66	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,135
Procedures (number)	19	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	105	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	98
Cost (% of income per capita)	27.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	84.4	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	1,300
Getting electricity (rank)	61	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	14.4
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	62	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	87
Cost (% of income per capita)	66.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	3.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	34.0
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	53		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	193		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	44.0		
GRENADA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	7,110	
Ease of doing business (rank)	107	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	72	Registering property (rank)	157	Trading across borders (rank)	61
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	47	Time to export (days)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	19.7	Cost (% of property value)	7.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,300
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	9
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	9	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,235
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	123	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	166
Cost (% of income per capita)	18.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	46
				Time (days)	688
Getting electricity (rank)	71	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	32.6
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	49	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	280.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	90		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	140		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	45.3		

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GUATEMALA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,120
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	145	Registering property (rank)	23	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	19.5	Time (days)	23	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	46.4	Cost (% of property value)	0.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	19.6			Documents to import (number)
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	61	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6	
Time (days)	107	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	19.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	414.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	8.6	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
Getting electricity (rank)	34	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3	
Time (days)	39	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	548.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	85	
		Payments (number per year)	7	
		Time (hours per year)	326	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.9	
GUINEA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	460
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	146	✓ Registering property (rank)	140	✓ Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	16	Time (days)	59	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	81.0	Cost (% of property value)	9.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	313.8			Documents to import (number)
		Getting credit (rank)	159	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	155	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	29	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0	
Time (days)	170	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	91.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
Getting electricity (rank)	91	Protecting investors (rank)	178	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6	
Time (days)	69	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	8,082.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	1	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.7	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Paying taxes (rank)	186	
		Payments (number per year)	57	
		Time (hours per year)	440	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	91.2	
GUINEA-BISSAU		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	550
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	
Starting a business (rank)	159	✓ Registering property (rank)	170	Trading across borders (rank)
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)
Time (days)	9	Time (days)	51	Time to export (days)
Cost (% of income per capita)	45.5	Cost (% of property value)	10.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	364.1			Documents to import (number)
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	119	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1	
Time (days)	152	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	845.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)
				Time (days)
Getting electricity (rank)	188	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6	
Time (days)	455	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,871.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)
		Paying taxes (rank)	153	
		Payments (number per year)	46	
		Time (hours per year)	208	
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	45.9	

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GUYANA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,410	
Ease of doing business (rank)	115	Lower middle income	Population (m)	0.8	
Starting a business (rank)	94	Registering property (rank)	111	Trading across borders (rank)	71
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	20	Time (days)	75	Time to export (days)	19
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.4	Cost (% of property value)	4.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	730
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	22
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	33	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	720
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	195	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	73
Cost (% of income per capita)	16.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	581
Getting electricity (rank)	155	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	25.2
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	109	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	141
Cost (% of income per capita)	479.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	29
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	18.0
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	110		
		Payments (number per year)	35		
		Time (hours per year)	256		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	32.5		
HAITI		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	760	
Ease of doing business (rank)	177	Low income	Population (m)	10.2	
Starting a business (rank)	187	Registering property (rank)	138	Trading across borders (rank)	151
Procedures (number)	12	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	97	Time (days)	312	Time to export (days)	33
Cost (% of income per capita)	264.8	Cost (% of property value)	7.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,200
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	19.1			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	165	Time to import (days)	31
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	141	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,555
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	1,129	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	96
Cost (% of income per capita)	627.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	530
Getting electricity (rank)	67	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Cost (% of claim)	42.6
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	60	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	3	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,800.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	132		
		Payments (number per year)	47		
		Time (hours per year)	184		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.4		
HONDURAS		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,070	
Ease of doing business (rank)	127	Lower middle income	Population (m)	7.9	
Starting a business (rank)	162	Registering property (rank)	94	Trading across borders (rank)	84
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	14	Time (days)	23	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	45.3	Cost (% of property value)	5.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,345
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	15.2			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	16
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	83	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,500
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	109	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	21.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	182
Cost (% of income per capita)	350.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	31.9	Procedures (number)	47
				Time (days)	920
Getting electricity (rank)	125	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Cost (% of claim)	35.2
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	0		
Time (days)	33	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	136
Cost (% of income per capita)	968.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	3.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	19.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	144		
		Payments (number per year)	47		
		Time (hours per year)	224		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	39.2		

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HONG KONG SAR, CHINA		East Asia & Pacific High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	36,560 7.2	
Ease of doing business (rank)	2				
✓ Starting a business (rank)	5	✗ Registering property (rank)	89	Trading across borders (rank)	2
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	2.5	Time (days)	35.5	Time to export (days)	6
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.8	Cost (% of property value)	7.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	590
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	3
		Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	5
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	1	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	565
Procedures (number)	6	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	71	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	93.6	Procedures (number)	27
				Time (days)	360
Getting electricity (rank)	5	Protecting investors (rank)	3	Cost (% of claim)	21.2
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	38	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	19
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	10	Time (years)	1.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	9.0	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	81.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	4		
		Payments (number per year)	3		
		Time (hours per year)	78		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	22.9		
HUNGARY		Europe & Central Asia Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	12,390 9.9	
Ease of doing business (rank)	54				
Starting a business (rank)	59	Registering property (rank)	45	Trading across borders (rank)	70
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	5	Time (days)	16.5	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.6	Cost (% of property value)	5.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	885
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	9.4			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	19
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	47	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	845
Procedures (number)	24	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	79	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	73.2	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	395
Getting electricity (rank)	112	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)	15.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	252	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	70
Cost (% of income per capita)	116.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	38.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	124		
		Payments (number per year)	12		
		Time (hours per year)	277		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	49.7		
ICELAND		OECD high income High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	38,710 0.3	
Ease of doing business (rank)	13				
Starting a business (rank)	52	Registering property (rank)	12	Trading across borders (rank)	50
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	4.5	Time (days)	3.5	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.7	Cost (% of property value)	2.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,530
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	10.5			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	9
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	41	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,620
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	77	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	3
Cost (% of income per capita)	25.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	27
				Time (days)	417
Getting electricity (rank)	1	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	9.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	22	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	1.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	84.5
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	37		
		Payments (number per year)	26		
		Time (hours per year)	140		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	29.9		

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INDIA		South Asia Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	1,530 1,236.7	
Ease of doing business (rank)	134				
Starting a business (rank)	179	Registering property (rank)	92	Trading across borders (rank)	132
Procedures (number)	12	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	27	Time (days)	44	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	47.3	Cost (% of property value)	7.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,170
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	124.4			Documents to import (number)	11
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	20
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	182	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,250
Procedures (number)	35	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	168	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	186
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,640.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	19.8	Procedures (number)	46
				Time (days)	1,420
Getting electricity (rank)	111	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	39.6
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	67	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	121
Cost (% of income per capita)	230.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	4.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	25.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	158		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	243		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	62.8		
INDONESIA		East Asia & Pacific Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	3,420 246.9	
Ease of doing business (rank)	120				
Starting a business (rank)	175	Registering property (rank)	101	Trading across borders (rank)	54
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	48	Time (days)	22	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	20.5	Cost (% of property value)	10.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	615
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	38.5			Documents to import (number)	8
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	23
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	88	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	660
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	158	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	41.2	Enforcing contracts (rank)	147
Cost (% of income per capita)	87.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	498
Getting electricity (rank)	121	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	139.4
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	101	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	144
Cost (% of income per capita)	370.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	4.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	17.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	137		
		Payments (number per year)	52		
		Time (hours per year)	259		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	32.2		
IRAN, ISLAMIC REP.		Middle East & North Africa Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	7,211 76.4	
Ease of doing business (rank)	152				
Starting a business (rank)	107	Registering property (rank)	168	Trading across borders (rank)	153
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	16	Time (days)	36	Time to export (days)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	3.1	Cost (% of property value)	10.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,470
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.4			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	37
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	169	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,100
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	319.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	41.6	Enforcing contracts (rank)	51
Cost (% of income per capita)	224.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	33.3	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	505
Getting electricity (rank)	169	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	17.0
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	140	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	129
Cost (% of income per capita)	694.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	0	Time (years)	4.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	22.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	139		
		Payments (number per year)	20		
		Time (hours per year)	344		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	44.1		

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IRAQ		Middle East & North Africa Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	5,870 32.6	
Ease of doing business (rank)	151				
Starting a business (rank)	169	Registering property (rank)	108	Trading across borders (rank)	179
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	29	Time (days)	51	Time to export (days)	80
Cost (% of income per capita)	39.3	Cost (% of property value)	8.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,550
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	13.1			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	180	Time to import (days)	82
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	20	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	3,650
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	139	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	142
Cost (% of income per capita)	17.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	51
				Time (days)	520
Getting electricity (rank)	39	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)	28.1
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	47	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	238.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	63		
		Payments (number per year)	13		
		Time (hours per year)	312		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	27.8		
IRELAND		OECD high income High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	38,970 4.6	
Ease of doing business (rank)	15				
Starting a business (rank)	12	Registering property (rank)	57	Trading across borders (rank)	20
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	2
Time (days)	10	Time (days)	37	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.3	Cost (% of property value)	2.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,160
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	2
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	10
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	115	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,121
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	156	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	62
Cost (% of income per capita)	446.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	21
				Time (days)	650
Getting electricity (rank)	100	Protecting investors (rank)	6	Cost (% of claim)	26.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	205	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	89.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	0.4
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	87.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	6		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	80		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	25.7		
ISRAEL		OECD high income High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	28,930 7.9	
Ease of doing business (rank)	35				
✓ Starting a business (rank)	35	Registering property (rank)	151	Trading across borders (rank)	10
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	14	Time (days)	81	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.1	Cost (% of property value)	7.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	620
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	10
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	140	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	565
Procedures (number)	17	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	210	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	93
Cost (% of income per capita)	86.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	890
Getting electricity (rank)	103	Protecting investors (rank)	6	Cost (% of claim)	25.3
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	132	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	35
Cost (% of income per capita)	13.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.3	Cost (% of estate)	23
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	60.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	93		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	235		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	29.9		

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ITALY		OECD high income		GNI per capita (US\$)	33,840
Ease of doing business (rank)		65	High income	Population (m)	60.9
Starting a business (rank)	90	✓ Registering property (rank)	34	Trading across borders (rank)	56
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	16	Time to export (days)	19
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.2	Cost (% of property value)	4.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,195
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	9.8			Documents to import (number)	3
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	18
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	112	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,145
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	233.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	25.6	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	103
Cost (% of income per capita)	186.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	1,185
Getting electricity (rank)	89	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	23.1
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	124	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	33
Cost (% of income per capita)	215.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	62.7
		Paying taxes (rank)	138		
		Payments (number per year)	15		
		Time (hours per year)	269		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	65.8		
JAMAICA		Latin America & Caribbean		GNI per capita (US\$)	5,140
Ease of doing business (rank)		94	Upper middle income	Population (m)	2.7
✓ Starting a business (rank)	23	✗ Registering property (rank)	114	Trading across borders (rank)	118
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	36	Time to export (days)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	6.4	Cost (% of property value)	9.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,530
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	52	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,130
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	135	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	131
Cost (% of income per capita)	207.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	655
Getting electricity (rank)	132	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	45.6
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	96	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	31
Cost (% of income per capita)	540.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	1.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	64.2
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	168		
		Payments (number per year)	36		
		Time (hours per year)	368		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	44.3		
JAPAN		OECD high income		GNI per capita (US\$)	47,870
Ease of doing business (rank)		27	High income	Population (m)	127.6
Starting a business (rank)	120	Registering property (rank)	66	Trading across borders (rank)	23
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	22	Time (days)	13	Time to export (days)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.5	Cost (% of property value)	5.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	890
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	11
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	91	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	970
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	193	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	36
Cost (% of income per capita)	28.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	31
				Time (days)	360
Getting electricity (rank)	26	Protecting investors (rank)	16	Cost (% of claim)	32.2
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	105	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	1
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	0.6
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.0	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	92.8
		Paying taxes (rank)	140		
		Payments (number per year)	14		
		Time (hours per year)	330		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	49.7		

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JORDAN		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	4,720	
Ease of doing business (rank)	119	Upper middle income	Population (m)	6.3	
Starting a business (rank)	117	Registering property (rank)	104	Trading across borders (rank)	57
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	12	Time (days)	21	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	22.3	Cost (% of property value)	7.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	825
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	15
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	111	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,235
Procedures (number)	17	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	70	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	2.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	133
Cost (% of income per capita)	499.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	689
Getting electricity (rank)	41	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Cost (% of claim)	31.2
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	47	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	113
Cost (% of income per capita)	276.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	1	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	20
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	27.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	35		
		Payments (number per year)	25		
		Time (hours per year)	151		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	28.9		
KAZAKHSTAN		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	9,730	
Ease of doing business (rank)	50	Upper middle income	Population (m)	16.8	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	30	✓ Registering property (rank)	18	Trading across borders (rank)	186
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	12	Time (days)	23	Time to export (days)	81
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.6	Cost (% of property value)	0.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	4,885
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	12
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	69
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	145	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	4,865
Procedures (number)	29	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	157	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	27
Cost (% of income per capita)	87.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	45.6	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	370
Getting electricity (rank)	87	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	22.0
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	88	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	54
Cost (% of income per capita)	65.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	43.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	18		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	188		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	28.6		
KENYA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	840	
Ease of doing business (rank)	129	Low income	Population (m)	43.2	
Starting a business (rank)	134	Registering property (rank)	163	Trading across borders (rank)	156
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	32	Time (days)	73	Time to export (days)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	38.2	Cost (% of property value)	4.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,255
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	26
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	47	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,350
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	125	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	151
Cost (% of income per capita)	191.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	4.7	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	465
Getting electricity (rank)	166	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	47.2
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	158	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)	123
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,090.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	10	Time (years)	4.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	24.7
		Paying taxes (rank)	166		
		Payments (number per year)	41		
		Time (hours per year)	308		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	44.2		

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KIRIBATI		East Asia & Pacific Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	2,260 0.1	
Ease of doing business (rank)	122				
Starting a business (rank)	156	Registering property (rank)	73	Trading across borders (rank)	77
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	31	Time (days)	513	Time to export (days)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	22.7	Cost (% of property value)	0.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	870
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	21.7			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	165	Time to import (days)	21
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	133	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	870
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	170	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	74
Cost (% of income per capita)	167.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	660
Getting electricity (rank)	159	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	25.8
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	97	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	5,296.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	10		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	120		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	31.8		
KOREA, REP.		OECD high income High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	22,670 50.0	
Ease of doing business (rank)	7				
Starting a business (rank)	34	Registering property (rank)	75	Trading across borders (rank)	3
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	5.5	Time (days)	9	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.6	Cost (% of property value)	5.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	670
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	3
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	7
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	18	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	695
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	29	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	2
Cost (% of income per capita)	123.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	33
				Time (days)	230
Getting electricity (rank)	2	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	10.3
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	18	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	17.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	82.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	25		
		Payments (number per year)	10		
		Time (hours per year)	187		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	27.9		
KOSOVO		Europe & Central Asia Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	3,640 1.8	
Ease of doing business (rank)	86				
✓ Starting a business (rank)	100	✓ Registering property (rank)	58	Trading across borders (rank)	121
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	30	Time (days)	28	Time to export (days)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	22.1	Cost (% of property value)	0.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,775
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	15
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	136	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,810
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	151	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	22.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	138
Cost (% of income per capita)	514.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	53
				Time (days)	420
Getting electricity (rank)	121	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	33.0
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	48	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	83
Cost (% of income per capita)	881.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	35.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	43		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	162		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	15.4		

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KUWAIT		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	45,824	
Ease of doing business (rank)	104	High income	Population (m)	3.3	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	152	Registering property (rank)	90	Trading across borders (rank)	112
Procedures (number)	12	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	32	Time (days)	47	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.1	Cost (% of property value)	0.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,085
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	77.9			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	19
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	133	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,250
Procedures (number)	24	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	130	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	119
Cost (% of income per capita)	99.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	29.0	Procedures (number)	50
				Time (days)	566
Getting electricity (rank)	59	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	18.8
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	42	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	94
Cost (% of income per capita)	44.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	4.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	32.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	11		
		Payments (number per year)	12		
		Time (hours per year)	98		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	12.4		
KYRGYZ REPUBLIC		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	990	
Ease of doing business (rank)	68	Low income	Population (m)	5.6	
Starting a business (rank)	12	Registering property (rank)	9	Trading across borders (rank)	182
Procedures (number)	2	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	6	Time to export (days)	63
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.7	Cost (% of property value)	0.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	4,360
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	11
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	75
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	66	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	5,150
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	142	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	70
Cost (% of income per capita)	128.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	32.1	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	260
Getting electricity (rank)	180	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	37.0
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	159	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	132
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,256.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	21.7
		Paying taxes (rank)	127		
		Payments (number per year)	51		
		Time (hours per year)	210		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	33.4		
LAO PDR		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,260	
Ease of doing business (rank)	159	Lower middle income	Population (m)	6.6	
Starting a business (rank)	85	Registering property (rank)	76	Trading across borders (rank)	161
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	92	Time (days)	98	Time to export (days)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	6.7	Cost (% of property value)	1.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,950
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	159	Time to import (days)	26
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	96	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,910
Procedures (number)	23	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	108	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	2.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	104
Cost (% of income per capita)	45.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	42
				Time (days)	443
Getting electricity (rank)	140	Protecting investors (rank)	187	Cost (% of claim)	31.6
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	134	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,913.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	1.7	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	119		
		Payments (number per year)	34		
		Time (hours per year)	362		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	26.8		

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LATVIA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	14,180	
Ease of doing business (rank)	24	High income	Population (m)	2.0	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	57	✓ Registering property (rank)	33	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	17
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	12.5	Time (days)	18	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.9	Cost (% of property value)	2.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	600
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	11
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	79	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	801
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	152	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	73.6	Enforcing contracts (rank)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	27
				Time (days)	469
Getting electricity (rank)	83	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	23.1
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	108	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	43
Cost (% of income per capita)	326.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	48.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	49		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	264		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	35.9		
LEBANON		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	9,190	
Ease of doing business (rank)	111	Upper middle income	Population (m)	4.4	
Starting a business (rank)	120	✓ Registering property (rank)	112	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	97
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	9	Time (days)	25	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	76.5	Cost (% of property value)	5.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,080
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	34.7			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	30
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	179	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,365
Procedures (number)	20	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	246	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	19.2	Enforcing contracts (rank)	126
Cost (% of income per capita)	352.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	721
Getting electricity (rank)	51	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	30.8
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	75	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	93
Cost (% of income per capita)	98.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	32.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	39		
		Payments (number per year)	19		
		Time (hours per year)	180		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	30.2		
LESOTHO		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,380	
Ease of doing business (rank)	136	Lower middle income	Population (m)	2.1	
Starting a business (rank)	89	✓ Registering property (rank)	88	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	144
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	29	Time (days)	43	Time to export (days)	31
Cost (% of income per capita)	11.4	Cost (% of property value)	8.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,695
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	159	Time to import (days)	33
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	145	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,945
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	330	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	144
Cost (% of income per capita)	832.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	41
				Time (days)	615
Getting electricity (rank)	136	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	31.3
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	125	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	104
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,991.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.6
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	20
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	28.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	101		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	324		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	16.0		

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LIBERIA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	370	
Ease of doing business (rank)	144	Low income	Population (m)	4.2	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	31	✓ Registering property (rank)	181	Trading across borders (rank)	142
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	10	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	4.5	Time (days)	44	Time to export (days)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	19.1	Cost (% of property value)	12.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,220
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	12
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	28
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	129	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,320
Procedures (number)	23	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	75	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	165
Cost (% of income per capita)	363.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	1,280
Getting electricity (rank)	142	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	35.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	465	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	161
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,288.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	43
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	8.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	42		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	151		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	26.6		
LIBYA		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	12,778	
Ease of doing business (rank)	187	Upper middle income	Population (m)	6.2	
Starting a business (rank)	171	✓ Registering property (rank)	189	Trading across borders (rank)	143
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	35	Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Time to export (days)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	19.1	Cost (% of property value)	NO PRACTICE	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,140
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	31.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	186	Time to import (days)	37
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	189	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	1	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,255
Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.5	Enforcing contracts (rank)	150
Cost (% of income per capita)	NO PRACTICE	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	690
Getting electricity (rank)	68	Protecting investors (rank)	187	Cost (% of claim)	27.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1		
Time (days)	118	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	378.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	1.7	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	116		
		Payments (number per year)	19		
		Time (hours per year)	889		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	31.6		
LITHUANIA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	13,850	
Ease of doing business (rank)	17	High income	Population (m)	3.0	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	11	✓ Registering property (rank)	6	Trading across borders (rank)	15
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	6.5	Time (days)	2.5	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.9	Cost (% of property value)	0.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	750
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	9
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	39	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	800
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	105	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	28.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	18.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	89.4	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	300
Getting electricity (rank)	75	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	23.6
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	148	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	44
Cost (% of income per capita)	48.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	1.9
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	48.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	56		
		Payments (number per year)	11		
		Time (hours per year)	175		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	43.1		

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LUXEMBOURG		OECD high income		GNI per capita (US\$)	76,960
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income		Population (m)	0.5
Starting a business (rank)	103	Registering property (rank)	124	Trading across borders (rank)	41
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	18.5	Time (days)	26.5	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.9	Cost (% of property value)	10.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,425
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	20.8			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	7
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	37	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,420
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	157	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	1
Cost (% of income per capita)	19.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	26
				Time (days)	321
Getting electricity (rank)	66	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)	9.7
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	120	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	53
Cost (% of income per capita)	57.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	43.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	15		
		Payments (number per year)	23		
		Time (hours per year)	55		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	20.7		
MACEDONIA, FYR		Europe & Central Asia		GNI per capita (US\$)	4,690
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income		Population (m)	2.1
Starting a business (rank)	7	✓ Registering property (rank)	84	Trading across borders (rank)	89
Procedures (number)	2	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	2	Time (days)	31	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.9	Cost (% of property value)	3.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,376
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	11
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	63	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,380
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	90	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	34.8	Enforcing contracts (rank)	95
Cost (% of income per capita)	512.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	77.1	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	604
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	76	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	16	Cost (% of claim)	28.8
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	107	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	52
Cost (% of income per capita)	258.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.0	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	43.8
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	26		
		Payments (number per year)	29		
		Time (hours per year)	119		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	8.2		
MADAGASCAR		Sub-Saharan Africa		GNI per capita (US\$)	430
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income		Population (m)	22.3
✗ Starting a business (rank)	29	Registering property (rank)	155	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	115
Procedures (number)	2	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	74	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.9	Cost (% of property value)	10.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,195
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	180	Time to import (days)	21
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	157	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,555
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	160	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.2	Enforcing contracts (rank)	160
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,105.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	871
Getting electricity (rank)	187	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	42.4
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	450	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	157
Cost (% of income per capita)	9,050.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	30
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	11.7
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	61		
		Payments (number per year)	23		
		Time (hours per year)	183		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	35.8		

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MALAWI		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	320	
Ease of doing business (rank)	171	Low income	Population (m)	15.9	
Starting a business (rank)	149	✓ Registering property (rank)	85	Trading across borders (rank)	176
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	40	Time (days)	69	Time to export (days)	34
Cost (% of income per capita)	120.1	Cost (% of property value)	2.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,175
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	11
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	43
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	173	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,870
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	183	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	145
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,755.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	42
				Time (days)	432
Getting electricity (rank)	183	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	94.1
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	222	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	150
Cost (% of income per capita)	7,468.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	2.6
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	25
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	15.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	81		
		Payments (number per year)	35		
		Time (hours per year)	175		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	34.9		
MALAYSIA		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	9,800	
Ease of doing business (rank)	6	Upper middle income	Population (m)	29.2	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	16	Registering property (rank)	35	Trading across borders (rank)	5
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	14	Time to export (days)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.6	Cost (% of property value)	3.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	450
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	1	Time to import (days)	8
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	43	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	485
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	130	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	52.9	Enforcing contracts (rank)	30
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	77.2	Procedures (number)	29
				Time (days)	425
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	21	Protecting investors (rank)	4	Cost (% of claim)	27.5
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	32	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	42
Cost (% of income per capita)	49.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.7	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	48.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	36		
		Payments (number per year)	13		
		Time (hours per year)	133		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	36.3		
MALDIVES		South Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,750	
Ease of doing business (rank)	95	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.3	
Starting a business (rank)	71	Registering property (rank)	161	Trading across borders (rank)	138
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	9	Time (days)	57	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	6.2	Cost (% of property value)	16.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,625
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	2.3			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	22
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	18	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,610
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	174	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	17.5	Enforcing contracts (rank)	90
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	41
				Time (days)	665
Getting electricity (rank)	131	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	16.5
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	0		
Time (days)	108	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	40
Cost (% of income per capita)	398.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	50.4
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	115		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	413		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	28.9		

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MALI		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	660	
Ease of doing business (rank)	155	Low income	Population (m)	14.9	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	136	Registering property (rank)	99	Trading across borders (rank)	160
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	11	Time (days)	29	Time to export (days)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	76.7	Cost (% of property value)	12.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,440
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	295.2			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	32
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	113	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	4,405
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	179	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	3.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)	140
Cost (% of income per capita)	372.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	620
Getting electricity (rank)	118	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	52.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	120	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	131
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,771.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	3.6
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	22.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	157		
		Payments (number per year)	35		
		Time (hours per year)	270		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	49.5		
MALTA		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	19,760	
Ease of doing business (rank)	103	High income	Population (m)	0.4	
Starting a business (rank)	161	Registering property (rank)	77	Trading across borders (rank)	34
Procedures (number)	11	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	39.5	Time (days)	15	Time to export (days)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.8	Cost (% of property value)	5.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	855
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	1.5			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	180	Time to import (days)	9
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	163	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	970
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	224	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	122
Cost (% of income per capita)	150.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	505
Getting electricity (rank)	115	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	35.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	136	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	64
Cost (% of income per capita)	463.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	39.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	27		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	139		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	41.0		
MARSHALL ISLANDS		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	4,140	
Ease of doing business (rank)	114	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	56	Registering property (rank)	189	Trading across borders (rank)	62
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	17	Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Time to export (days)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.8	Cost (% of property value)	NO PRACTICE	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	695
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	25
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	32	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	720
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	76	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	61
Cost (% of income per capita)	124.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	476
Getting electricity (rank)	77	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	27.4
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	67	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	0	Resolving insolvency (rank)	138
Cost (% of income per capita)	729.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	38
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	18.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	96		
		Payments (number per year)	21		
		Time (hours per year)	128		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	64.8		

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MAURITANIA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,110	
Ease of doing business (rank)	173	Lower middle income	Population (m)	3.8	
Starting a business (rank)	173	Registering property (rank)	67	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	152
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	19	Time (days)	49	Time to export (days)	31
Cost (% of income per capita)	46.1	Cost (% of property value)	4.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,640
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	314.4	Getting credit (rank)	170	Documents to import (number)	8
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	123	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Time to import (days)	38
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,523
Time (days)	82	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	75
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,681.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	46
Getting electricity (rank)	124	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Time (days)	370
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6	Cost (% of claim)	23.2
Time (days)	75	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	7,404.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	181	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Payments (number per year)	37		
		Time (hours per year)	696		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	68.2		
MAURITIUS		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	8,570	
Ease of doing business (rank)	20	Upper middle income	Population (m)	1.3	
Starting a business (rank)	19	Registering property (rank)	65	Trading across borders (rank)	12
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	15	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	3.6	Cost (% of property value)	10.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	675
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0	✓ Getting credit (rank)	42	Documents to import (number)	5
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	123	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Time to import (days)	10
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	710
Time (days)	248	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	69.2	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	54
Cost (% of income per capita)	27.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	35
Getting electricity (rank)	48	Protecting investors (rank)	12	Time (days)	529
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6	Cost (% of claim)	25.0
Time (days)	84	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	61
Cost (% of income per capita)	281.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	1.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.7	Cost (% of estate)	15
		Paying taxes (rank)	13	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	41.0
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	152		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	28.2		
MEXICO		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	9,740	
Ease of doing business (rank)	53	Upper middle income	Population (m)	120.8	
Starting a business (rank)	48	Registering property (rank)	150	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	59
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	74	Time to export (days)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	19.7	Cost (% of property value)	5.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,450
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0	Getting credit (rank)	42	Documents to import (number)	4
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	40	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Time to import (days)	11
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,740
Time (days)	82	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	71
Cost (% of income per capita)	353.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	38
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	133	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Time (days)	400
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8	Cost (% of claim)	31.0
Time (days)	85	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	369.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	18
		Paying taxes (rank)	118	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	67.6
		Payments (number per year)	6		
		Time (hours per year)	334		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	53.7		

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MICRONESIA, FED. STS.		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,310	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	106	Registering property (rank)	189	Trading across borders (rank)	103
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	16	Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Time to export (days)	30
Cost (% of income per capita)	144.4	Cost (% of property value)	NO PRACTICE	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,045
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	31
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	54	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,045
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	114	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	152
Cost (% of income per capita)	28.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	885
Getting electricity (rank)	106	Protecting investors (rank)	178	Cost (% of claim)	66.0
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	0		
Time (days)	470	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	0	Resolving insolvency (rank)	168
Cost (% of income per capita)	374.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	5.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.7	Cost (% of estate)	38
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	3.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	94		
		Payments (number per year)	21		
		Time (hours per year)	128		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	59.9		
MOLDOVA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,070	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	3.6	
Starting a business (rank)	81	Registering property (rank)	19	Trading across borders (rank)	150
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	7	Time (days)	6	Time to export (days)	32
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.4	Cost (% of property value)	0.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,545
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	8.1			Documents to import (number)	8
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	35
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	174	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,870
Procedures (number)	26	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	291	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	65.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	4.5	Procedures (number)	31
				Time (days)	337
Getting electricity (rank)	165	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	28.6
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	140	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	3	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	91
Cost (% of income per capita)	542.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	32.8
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	95		
		Payments (number per year)	31		
		Time (hours per year)	181		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.4		
MONGOLIA		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,160	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	2.8	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	25	Registering property (rank)	27	Trading across borders (rank)	181
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	11
Time (days)	11	Time (days)	10.5	Time to export (days)	49
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.5	Cost (% of property value)	2.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,745
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	13
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	50
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	107	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,950
Procedures (number)	20	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	186	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	58.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	30
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	314
Getting electricity (rank)	162	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	30.6
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	104	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	133
Cost (% of income per capita)	742.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	8
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	21.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	74		
		Payments (number per year)	41		
		Time (hours per year)	192		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	24.6		

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MONTENEGRO		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	6,940	
Ease of doing business (rank)	44	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.6	
Starting a business (rank)	69	✓ Registering property (rank)	98	Trading across borders (rank)	53
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	10	Time (days)	70	Time to export (days)	14
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.5	Cost (% of property value)	3.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	985
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	14
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	106	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	985
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	158	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	25.2	Enforcing contracts (rank)	136
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,159.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	49
		Protecting investors (rank)	34	Time (days)	545
Getting electricity (rank)	69	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5	Cost (% of claim)	25.7
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	71	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	45
Cost (% of income per capita)	487.6	Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Time (years)	1.4
				Cost (% of estate)	8
		Paying taxes (rank)	86	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	48.4
		Payments (number per year)	29		
		Time (hours per year)	320		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	20.9		
MOROCCO		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,940	
Ease of doing business (rank)	87	Lower middle income	Population (m)	32.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	39	✓ Registering property (rank)	156	Trading across borders (rank)	37
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	11	Time (days)	60	Time to export (days)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.5	Cost (% of property value)	5.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	595
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	16
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	83	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	970
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	97	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	83
Cost (% of income per capita)	218.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	19.6	Procedures (number)	40
		Protecting investors (rank)	115	Time (days)	510
Getting electricity (rank)	97	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6	Cost (% of claim)	25.2
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	62	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	69
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,476.3	Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Time (years)	1.8
				Cost (% of estate)	18
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	78	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	38.3
		Payments (number per year)	6		
		Time (hours per year)	232		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	49.6		
MOZAMBIQUE		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	510	
Ease of doing business (rank)	139	Low income	Population (m)	25.2	
Starting a business (rank)	95	Registering property (rank)	152	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	131
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	13	Time (days)	39	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	18.7	Cost (% of property value)	7.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,100
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	25
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	77	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,600
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	130	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	4.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	145
Cost (% of income per capita)	257.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	30
		Protecting investors (rank)	52	Time (days)	950
Getting electricity (rank)	171	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5	Cost (% of claim)	119.0
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	107	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	148
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,857.7	Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Time (years)	5.0
				Cost (% of estate)	9
		Paying taxes (rank)	129	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	16.6
		Payments (number per year)	37		
		Time (hours per year)	230		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	37.5		

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MYANMAR		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	835	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	52.8	
Starting a business (rank)	189	Registering property (rank)	154	Trading across borders (rank)	113
Procedures (number)	11	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	72	Time (days)	113	Time to export (days)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	176.7	Cost (% of property value)	7.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	670
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	7,016.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	27
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	150	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	660
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	159	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	188
Cost (% of income per capita)	566.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	45
				Time (days)	1,160
Getting electricity (rank)	126	Protecting investors (rank)	182	Cost (% of claim)	51.5
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	91	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	0	Resolving insolvency (rank)	155
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,175.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	5.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.3	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	14.7
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	107		
		Payments (number per year)	31		
		Time (hours per year)	155		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	48.9		
NAMIBIA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,670	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	2.3	
Starting a business (rank)	132	✗ Registering property (rank)	178	Trading across borders (rank)	141
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	66	Time (days)	54	Time to export (days)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.7	Cost (% of property value)	13.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,750
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	20
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	31	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,905
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	123	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	69
Cost (% of income per capita)	30.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	66.2	Procedures (number)	33
				Time (days)	460
Getting electricity (rank)	72	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	35.8
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	37	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	85
Cost (% of income per capita)	395.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	34.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	114		
		Payments (number per year)	37		
		Time (hours per year)	314		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	21.8		
NEPAL		South Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	700	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	27.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	97	Registering property (rank)	24	Trading across borders (rank)	177
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	11
Time (days)	17	Time (days)	5	Time to export (days)	42
Cost (% of income per capita)	34.6	Cost (% of property value)	4.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,295
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	11
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	39
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	105	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,400
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	3		
Time (days)	115	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	139
Cost (% of income per capita)	512.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.7	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	910
Getting electricity (rank)	98	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	26.8
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	70	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	125
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,380.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	5.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	24.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	126		
		Payments (number per year)	34		
		Time (hours per year)	326		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	31.5		

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NETHERLANDS		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	48,250	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	16.8	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	14	✓ Registering property (rank)	47	Trading across borders (rank)	13
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	4	Time (days)	2.5	Time to export (days)	7
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.2	Cost (% of property value)	6.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	925
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	4
		✗ Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	6
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	97	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	975
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	157	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	29
Cost (% of income per capita)	79.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	79.9	Procedures (number)	26
				Time (days)	514
Getting electricity (rank)	70	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	23.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	143	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	5
Cost (% of income per capita)	35.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	1.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	89.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	28		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	123		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	39.3		
NEW ZEALAND		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	38,222	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	4.4	
Starting a business (rank)	1	Registering property (rank)	2	Trading across borders (rank)	21
Procedures (number)	1	Procedures (number)	2	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	0.5	Time (days)	1	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.3	Cost (% of property value)	0.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	870
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	9
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	12	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	825
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	94	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	18
Cost (% of income per capita)	28.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	30
				Time (days)	216
Getting electricity (rank)	45	Protecting investors (rank)	1	Cost (% of claim)	27.2
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	69	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	97.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	10	Time (years)	1.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	9.7	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	83.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	23		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	152		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	34.6		
NICARAGUA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,650	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	6.0	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	123	Registering property (rank)	135	Trading across borders (rank)	82
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	36	Time (days)	49	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	77.0	Cost (% of property value)	5.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,140
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	20
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	152	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,245
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	208	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	16.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	47
Cost (% of income per capita)	249.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	32.3	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	409
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	114	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	26.8
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1		
Time (days)	55	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	84
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,082.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	34.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	163		
		Payments (number per year)	42		
		Time (hours per year)	207		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	64.9		

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NIGER		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	370	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	17.2	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	159	✓ Registering property (rank)	80	Trading across borders (rank)	178
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	17	Time (days)	35	Time to export (days)	57
Cost (% of income per capita)	80.1	Cost (% of property value)	9.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	4,475
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	527.8			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	62
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	164	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	4,500
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	326	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	143
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,486.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	545
Getting electricity (rank)	123	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	59.6
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	115	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	154
Cost (% of income per capita)	6,936.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	5.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	14.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	162		
		Payments (number per year)	41		
		Time (hours per year)	270		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	48.0		
NIGERIA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,430	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	168.8	
Starting a business (rank)	122	Registering property (rank)	185	Trading across borders (rank)	158
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	13	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	28	Time (days)	77	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	58.3	Cost (% of property value)	20.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,380
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	13
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	33
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	151	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,695
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	116	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	136
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,504.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	4.9	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	447
Getting electricity (rank)	185	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	92.0
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	260	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	107
Cost (% of income per capita)	960.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	27.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	170		
		Payments (number per year)	47		
		Time (hours per year)	956		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	33.8		
NORWAY		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	98,860	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	5.0	
Starting a business (rank)	53	Registering property (rank)	10	Trading across borders (rank)	26
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	1	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	7	Time (days)	3	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.6	Cost (% of property value)	2.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,225
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	5.1			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	7
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	28	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,100
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	136	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	4
Cost (% of income per capita)	28.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	280
Getting electricity (rank)	17	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	9.9
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	66	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	2
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	0.9
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	1
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	91.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	17		
		Payments (number per year)	4		
		Time (hours per year)	83		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.7		

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OMAN		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	24,765	
Ease of doing business (rank)	47	High income	Population (m)	3.3	
Starting a business (rank)	77	Registering property (rank)	21	Trading across borders (rank)	47
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	2	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	16	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.4	Cost (% of property value)	3.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	745
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	209.8			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	9
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	69	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	680
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	174	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	21.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	107
Cost (% of income per capita)	35.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	51
				Time (days)	598
Getting electricity (rank)	58	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	13.5
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	62	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	72
Cost (% of income per capita)	49.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	37.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	9		
		Payments (number per year)	14		
		Time (hours per year)	68		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	22.0		
PAKISTAN		South Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,260	
Ease of doing business (rank)	110	Lower middle income	Population (m)	179.2	
Starting a business (rank)	105	Registering property (rank)	125	Trading across borders (rank)	91
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	21	Time (days)	50	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.4	Cost (% of property value)	7.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	660
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	18
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	109	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	725
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	222	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	8.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	158
Cost (% of income per capita)	190.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	2.1	Procedures (number)	46
				Time (days)	976
Getting electricity (rank)	175	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	23.8
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	206	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	71
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,600.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	37.7
		Paying taxes (rank)	166		
		Payments (number per year)	47		
		Time (hours per year)	577		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	34.7		
PALAU		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	9,860	
Ease of doing business (rank)	100	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.0	
Starting a business (rank)	129	Registering property (rank)	20	Trading across borders (rank)	96
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	28	Time (days)	14	Time to export (days)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	3.8	Cost (% of property value)	0.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	720
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	10.1			Documents to import (number)	9
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	31
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	45	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	680
Procedures (number)	22	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	93	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	141
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	810
Getting electricity (rank)	78	Protecting investors (rank)	178	Cost (% of claim)	35.3
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	0		
Time (days)	125	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	0	Resolving insolvency (rank)	96
Cost (% of income per capita)	99.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.7	Cost (% of estate)	23
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	31.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	84		
		Payments (number per year)	11		
		Time (hours per year)	142		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	75.2		

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PANAMA		Latin America & Caribbean Upper middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	9,910 3.8	
Ease of doing business (rank)	55				
✓ Starting a business (rank)	25	✓ Registering property (rank)	74	Trading across borders (rank)	11
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	29.5	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.2	Cost (% of property value)	2.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	625
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	3
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	9
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	62	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	965
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	99.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	127
Cost (% of income per capita)	66.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	60.8	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	686
Getting electricity (rank)	16	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	50.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	35	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	112
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	25
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	27.5
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	175		
		Payments (number per year)	52		
		Time (hours per year)	417		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.5		
PAPUA NEW GUINEA		East Asia & Pacific Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	1,790 7.2	
Ease of doing business (rank)	113				
Starting a business (rank)	101	Registering property (rank)	87	Trading across borders (rank)	134
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	53	Time (days)	72	Time to export (days)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	13.0	Cost (% of property value)	5.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,149
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	32
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	165	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,250
Procedures (number)	21	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	219	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	168
Cost (% of income per capita)	110.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	2.8	Procedures (number)	42
				Time (days)	591
Getting electricity (rank)	24	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	110.3
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	66	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	128
Cost (% of income per capita)	57.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	23
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	23.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	116		
		Payments (number per year)	32		
		Time (hours per year)	207		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	42.1		
PARAGUAY		Latin America & Caribbean Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	3,290 6.7	
Ease of doing business (rank)	109				
Starting a business (rank)	113	Registering property (rank)	71	Trading across borders (rank)	154
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	35	Time (days)	46	Time to export (days)	29
Cost (% of income per capita)	44.2	Cost (% of property value)	1.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,850
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	30
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	71	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,275
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	137	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	20.9	Enforcing contracts (rank)	102
Cost (% of income per capita)	195.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	46.5	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	591
Getting electricity (rank)	50	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	30.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	67	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	152
Cost (% of income per capita)	202.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	3.9
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	15.2
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	125		
		Payments (number per year)	28		
		Time (hours per year)	384		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	35.0		

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PERU		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,880	
Ease of doing business (rank)	42	Upper middle income	Population (m)	30.0	
Starting a business (rank)	63	Registering property (rank)	22	Trading across borders (rank)	55
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	25	Time (days)	6.5	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.1	Cost (% of property value)	3.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	890
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	117	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,010
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	173	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	31.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)	105
Cost (% of income per capita)	109.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	41.5	Procedures (number)	41
				Time (days)	426
Getting electricity (rank)	79	Protecting investors (rank)	16	Cost (% of claim)	35.7
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	100	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	110
Cost (% of income per capita)	353.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	3.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.0	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	27.7
		Paying taxes (rank)	73		
		Payments (number per year)	9		
		Time (hours per year)	293		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	36.4		
PHILIPPINES		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,470	
Ease of doing business (rank)	108	Lower middle income	Population (m)	96.7	
Starting a business (rank)	170	Registering property (rank)	121	Trading across borders (rank)	42
Procedures (number)	15	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	35	Time (days)	39	Time to export (days)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	18.7	Cost (% of property value)	4.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	585
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	4.6			Documents to import (number)	7
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	99	✓ Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	14
Procedures (number)	25	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	660
Time (days)	77	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Cost (% of income per capita)	79.4	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	114
		Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	9.3	Procedures (number)	37
Getting electricity (rank)	33	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Time (days)	842
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2	Cost (% of claim)	26.0
Time (days)	42	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	3		
Cost (% of income per capita)	118.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	100
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Time (years)	2.7
				Cost (% of estate)	22
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	131	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	29.9
		Payments (number per year)	36		
		Time (hours per year)	193		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	44.5		
POLAND		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	12,670	
Ease of doing business (rank)	45	High income	Population (m)	38.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	116	Registering property (rank)	54	Trading across borders (rank)	49
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	30	Time (days)	35	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	14.3	Cost (% of property value)	0.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,050
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	12.6			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	14
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	88	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,025
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	161	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	55
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	82.8	Procedures (number)	33
				Time (days)	685
Getting electricity (rank)	137	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	19.0
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	161	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)	37
Cost (% of income per capita)	205.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	54.8
		Paying taxes (rank)	113		
		Payments (number per year)	18		
		Time (hours per year)	286		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	41.6		

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PORTUGAL		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	20,580	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	10.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	32	Registering property (rank)	30	Trading across borders (rank)	25
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	1	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	2.5	Time (days)	1	Time to export (days)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.4	Cost (% of property value)	7.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	780
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	76	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	925
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	99	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	24
Cost (% of income per capita)	374.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	23.2	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	547
Getting electricity (rank)	36	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	13.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	64	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	53.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	71.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	81		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	275		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	42.3		
PUERTO RICO (U.S.)		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	18,000	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	3.7	
Starting a business (rank)	18	Registering property (rank)	131	Trading across borders (rank)	87
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	193.5	Time to export (days)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.9	Cost (% of property value)	0.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,300
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	15
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	172	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,350
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	189	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	101
Cost (% of income per capita)	354.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	620
Getting electricity (rank)	38	Protecting investors (rank)	16	Cost (% of claim)	25.6
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	32	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	376.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.0	Cost (% of estate)	8
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	73.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	110		
		Payments (number per year)	16		
		Time (hours per year)	218		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	50.7		
QATAR		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	78,720	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	2.1	
Starting a business (rank)	112	Registering property (rank)	43	Trading across borders (rank)	67
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	8.5	Time (days)	13	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.1	Cost (% of property value)	0.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	885
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	62.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	23	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,033
Procedures (number)	17	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	62.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	22.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)	93
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	570
Getting electricity (rank)	27	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)	21.6
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	90	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	36
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	2.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	55.6
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	2		
		Payments (number per year)	4		
		Time (hours per year)	41		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	11.3		

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ROMANIA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	8,420	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	21.3	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	60	Registering property (rank)	70	Trading across borders (rank)	76
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	8.5	Time (days)	20	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.4	Cost (% of property value)	1.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,485
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.7			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	136	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,495
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	287	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	11.8	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	53
Cost (% of income per capita)	71.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	46.9	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	512
Getting electricity (rank)	174	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	28.9
Procedures (number)	7	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	223	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	99
Cost (% of income per capita)	534.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	3.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	11
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	30.0
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	134		
		Payments (number per year)	39		
		Time (hours per year)	200		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	42.9		
RUSSIAN FEDERATION		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	12,700	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	143.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	88	✓ Registering property (rank)	17	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	157
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	9
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	22	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.3	Cost (% of property value)	0.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,615
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	1.2			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	21
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	178	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,810
Procedures (number)	36	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	297	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	89.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	59.2	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	270
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	117	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	13.4
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	162	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)	55
Cost (% of income per capita)	293.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	42.8
		Paying taxes (rank)	56		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	177		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	50.7		
RWANDA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	560	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	11.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	9	✓ Registering property (rank)	8	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	162
Procedures (number)	2	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	2	Time (days)	12	Time to export (days)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.4	Cost (% of property value)	0.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,245
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	30
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	85	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	4,990
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	104	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	2.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	40
Cost (% of income per capita)	375.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	13.0	Procedures (number)	23
				Time (days)	230
Getting electricity (rank)	53	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	78.7
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	30	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	137
Cost (% of income per capita)	4,018.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	2.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	29
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	19.0
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	22		
		Payments (number per year)	17		
		Time (hours per year)	113		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	29.9		

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SAMOA		East Asia & Pacific Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) 3,220	Population (m) 0.2	
Ease of doing business (rank)	61				
Starting a business (rank)	33	✗ Registering property (rank)	39	Trading across borders (rank)	58
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	9	Time (days)	15	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.6	Cost (% of property value)	3.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	490
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	28
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	73	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	575
Procedures (number)	21	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	87	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	77
Cost (% of income per capita)	58.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	455
Getting electricity (rank)	37	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	19.7
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	34	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	139
Cost (% of income per capita)	783.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	38
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	18.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	86		
		Payments (number per year)	37		
		Time (hours per year)	224		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	18.9		
SAN MARINO		Europe & Central Asia High income	GNI per capita (US\$) 59,366	Population (m) 0.0	
Ease of doing business (rank)	81				
Starting a business (rank)	155	Registering property (rank)	158	Trading across borders (rank)	75
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	40	Time (days)	42.5	Time to export (days)	15
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.7	Cost (% of property value)	6.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,900
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	28.5			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	186	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	120	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,890
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	145.5	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	34
Cost (% of income per capita)	255.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	34
				Time (days)	575
Getting electricity (rank)	10	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	13.9
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	45	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	49
Cost (% of income per capita)	57.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	5
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	46.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	40		
		Payments (number per year)	19		
		Time (hours per year)	52		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	42.2		
SÃO TOMÉ AND PRÍNCIPE		Sub-Saharan Africa Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) 1,320	Population (m) 0.2	
Ease of doing business (rank)	169				
Starting a business (rank)	98	Registering property (rank)	165	Trading across borders (rank)	102
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	5	Time (days)	62	Time to export (days)	26
Cost (% of income per capita)	18.7	Cost (% of property value)	9.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	690
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	281.2			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	186	Time to import (days)	28
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	103	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	577
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	118	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	183
Cost (% of income per capita)	381.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	1,065
Getting electricity (rank)	73	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	50.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	89	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	166
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,049.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	6.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	5.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	156		
		Payments (number per year)	42		
		Time (hours per year)	424		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	32.5		

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SAUDI ARABIA		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	18,030	
Ease of doing business (rank)	26	High income	Population (m)	28.3	
Starting a business (rank)	84	Registering property (rank)	14	Trading across borders (rank)	69
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	20.5	Time (days)	8	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.0	Cost (% of property value)	0.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,055
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	17	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,229
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	102	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	127
Cost (% of income per capita)	24.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	44.3	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	635
Getting electricity (rank)	15	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	27.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	61	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	106
Cost (% of income per capita)	31.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	2.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	28.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	3		
		Payments (number per year)	3		
		Time (hours per year)	72		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	14.5		
SENEGAL		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,040	
Ease of doing business (rank)	178	Lower middle income	Population (m)	13.7	
Starting a business (rank)	110	✓ Registering property (rank)	174	Trading across borders (rank)	80
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	122	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	64.3	Cost (% of property value)	15.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,225
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	192.1			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	14
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	165	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,740
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	245	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	167
Cost (% of income per capita)	531.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	43
				Time (days)	770
Getting electricity (rank)	182	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Cost (% of claim)	36.4
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	113	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	122
Cost (% of income per capita)	5,918.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	20
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	25.3
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	182		
		Payments (number per year)	59		
		Time (hours per year)	644		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	48.5		
SERBIA		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,280	
Ease of doing business (rank)	93	Upper middle income	Population (m)	7.2	
Starting a business (rank)	45	Registering property (rank)	44	Trading across borders (rank)	98
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	11.5	Time (days)	11	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.2	Cost (% of property value)	2.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,455
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	15
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	182	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,760
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	269	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	116
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,433.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	635
Getting electricity (rank)	85	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	34.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	131	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	103
Cost (% of income per capita)	505.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	3	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	20
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	29.0
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	161		
		Payments (number per year)	66		
		Time (hours per year)	279		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	36.8		

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SEYCHELLES		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	11,640	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	118	Registering property (rank)	69	Trading across borders (rank)	29
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	39	Time (days)	33	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	11.1	Cost (% of property value)	7.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	705
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	68	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	675
Procedures (number)	17	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	125	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	82
Cost (% of income per capita)	22.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	915
Getting electricity (rank)	147	Protecting investors (rank)	68	Cost (% of claim)	15.4
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	137	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	65
Cost (% of income per capita)	489.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.7	Cost (% of estate)	11
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	38.9
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	19		
		Payments (number per year)	27		
		Time (hours per year)	76		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	25.7		
SIERRA LEONE		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	580	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	6.0	
Starting a business (rank)	75	Registering property (rank)	170	Trading across borders (rank)	140
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	12	Time (days)	67	Time to export (days)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	44.1	Cost (% of property value)	10.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,185
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	30
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	176	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,575
Procedures (number)	19	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	258	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.9	Enforcing contracts (rank)	149
Cost (% of income per capita)	182.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	515
Getting electricity (rank)	179	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	149.5
Procedures (number)	8	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	113	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	158
Cost (% of income per capita)	4,958.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	42
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	10.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	128		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	353		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	32.4		
SINGAPORE		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	47,210	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	5.3	
Starting a business (rank)	3	✓ Registering property (rank)	28	Trading across borders (rank)	1
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	2.5	Time (days)	5.5	Time to export (days)	6
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.6	Cost (% of property value)	2.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	460
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	3
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	4
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	3	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	440
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	26	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	60.3	Procedures (number)	21
				Time (days)	150
Getting electricity (rank)	6	Protecting investors (rank)	2	Cost (% of claim)	25.8
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	36	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	4
Cost (% of income per capita)	27.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	0.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	9.3	Cost (% of estate)	3
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	89.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	5		
		Payments (number per year)	5		
		Time (hours per year)	82		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	27.1		

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SLOVAK REPUBLIC		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	17,170	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	5.4	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	108	Registering property (rank)	11	Trading across borders (rank)	108
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	18.5	Time (days)	16.5	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.5	Cost (% of property value)	0.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,500
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	19.3			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	16
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	53	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,480
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	286	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	2.7	Enforcing contracts (rank)	65
Cost (% of income per capita)	6.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	61.6	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	545
Getting electricity (rank)	65	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	30.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	158	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	38
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	54.1
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	102		
		Payments (number per year)	20		
		Time (hours per year)	207		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	47.2		
SLOVENIA		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	22,710	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	2.1	
Starting a business (rank)	38	Registering property (rank)	83	Trading across borders (rank)	48
Procedures (number)	2	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	109.5	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.0	Cost (% of property value)	2.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	745
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	44.1			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	14
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	59	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	830
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	182	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	3.3	Enforcing contracts (rank)	52
Cost (% of income per capita)	66.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	1,270
Getting electricity (rank)	32	Protecting investors (rank)	14	Cost (% of claim)	12.7
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	38	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	41
Cost (% of income per capita)	120.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.3	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	50.1
		Paying taxes (rank)	54		
		Payments (number per year)	11		
		Time (hours per year)	260		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	32.5		
SOLOMON ISLANDS		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,130	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	0.5	
Starting a business (rank)	82	Registering property (rank)	172	Trading across borders (rank)	78
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	10	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	9	Time (days)	86.5	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	47.5	Cost (% of property value)	4.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	840
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	20
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	81	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	785
Procedures (number)	15	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	92	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	109
Cost (% of income per capita)	246.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	455
Getting electricity (rank)	130	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	78.9
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	160	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	127
Cost (% of income per capita)	2,113.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	1.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	38
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	24.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	30		
		Payments (number per year)	34		
		Time (hours per year)	80		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	24.9		

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SOUTH AFRICA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	7,610	
Ease of doing business (rank)	41	Upper middle income	Population (m)	51.2	
Starting a business (rank)	64	Registering property (rank)	99	Trading across borders (rank)	106
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	19	Time (days)	23	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.3	Cost (% of property value)	6.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,705
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	21
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	26	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,980
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	78	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	80
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	55.6	Procedures (number)	29
				Time (days)	600
Getting electricity (rank)	150	Protecting investors (rank)	10	Cost (% of claim)	33.2
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	226	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	82
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,432.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.0	Cost (% of estate)	18
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	35.5
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	24		
		Payments (number per year)	7		
		Time (hours per year)	200		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	30.1		
SOUTH SUDAN		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	650	
Ease of doing business (rank)	186	Low income	Population (m)	10.8	
Starting a business (rank)	140	Registering property (rank)	183	Trading across borders (rank)	187
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)	10
Time (days)	17	Time (days)	50	Time to export (days)	55
Cost (% of income per capita)	372.1	Cost (% of property value)	16.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	5,335
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0			Documents to import (number)	12
		Getting credit (rank)	180	Time to import (days)	130
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	171	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	9,285
Procedures (number)	24	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	124	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	87
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,427.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	48
				Time (days)	228
Getting electricity (rank)	184	Protecting investors (rank)	182	Cost (% of claim)	30.0
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	468	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	4,976.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.3	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	92		
		Payments (number per year)	36		
		Time (hours per year)	218		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	28.7		
SPAIN		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	30,110	
Ease of doing business (rank)	52	High income	Population (m)	46.2	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	142	Registering property (rank)	60	Trading across borders (rank)	32
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	23	Time (days)	12.5	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.7	Cost (% of property value)	7.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,310
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	13.4			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	9
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	98	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,350
Procedures (number)	9	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	230	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	51.9	Enforcing contracts (rank)	59
Cost (% of income per capita)	172.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	15.6	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	510
Getting electricity (rank)	62	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	18.5
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	85	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	234.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	11
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	72.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	67		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	167		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	58.6		

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SRI LANKA		South Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,920	
Ease of doing business (rank)	85	Lower middle income	Population (m)	20.3	
Starting a business (rank)	54	Registering property (rank)	145	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	51
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	52	Time to export (days)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	20.5	Cost (% of property value)	5.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	595
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	17
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	108	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	775
Procedures (number)	17	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	186	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	135
Cost (% of income per capita)	18.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	39.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	1,318
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	91	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	22.8
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	110	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	59
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,076.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	41.9
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	171		
		Payments (number per year)	58		
		Time (hours per year)	210		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	55.1		
ST. KITTS AND NEVIS		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	13,330	
Ease of doing business (rank)	101	High income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	73	Registering property (rank)	169	Trading across borders (rank)	66
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	18.5	Time (days)	82	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.7	Cost (% of property value)	13.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	805
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	12
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	15	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,615
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	139	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	112
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	46
				Time (days)	578
Getting electricity (rank)	19	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	20.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	18	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	290.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	145		
		Payments (number per year)	36		
		Time (hours per year)	203		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	51.9		
ST. LUCIA		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	6,530	
Ease of doing business (rank)	64	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.2	
Starting a business (rank)	57	Registering property (rank)	129	✗ Trading across borders (rank)	104
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	15	Time (days)	17	Time to export (days)	14
Cost (% of income per capita)	18.6	Cost (% of property value)	7.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	935
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	11	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,260
Procedures (number)	7	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	110	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	170
Cost (% of income per capita)	37.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	46
				Time (days)	635
Getting electricity (rank)	31	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	37.3
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	26	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	56
Cost (% of income per capita)	211.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	42.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	45		
		Payments (number per year)	32		
		Time (hours per year)	97		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	34.6		

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ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	6,380	
Ease of doing business (rank)	82	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	68	Registering property (rank)	153	Trading across borders (rank)	38
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	7	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	10	Time (days)	38	Time to export (days)	12
Cost (% of income per capita)	17.2	Cost (% of property value)	11.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	585
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	6	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,425
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	112	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	90
Cost (% of income per capita)	9.4	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	394
Getting electricity (rank)	25	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	30.3
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	52	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	8	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	241.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	72		
		Payments (number per year)	36		
		Time (hours per year)	108		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	38.7		
SUDAN		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,450	
Ease of doing business (rank)	149	Lower middle income	Population (m)	37.2	
Starting a business (rank)	131	Registering property (rank)	41	Trading across borders (rank)	155
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	36	Time (days)	9	Time to export (days)	32
Cost (% of income per capita)	20.7	Cost (% of property value)	2.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,050
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	46
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	167	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,900
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	270	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	154
Cost (% of income per capita)	248.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	53
				Time (days)	810
Getting electricity (rank)	113	Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	19.8
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	0		
Time (days)	70	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	89
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,435.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	20
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	33.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	108		
		Payments (number per year)	42		
		Time (hours per year)	180		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	36.1		
SURINAME		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	8,480	
Ease of doing business (rank)	161	Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.5	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	181	✓ Registering property (rank)	173	Trading across borders (rank)	105
Procedures (number)	13	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	208	Time (days)	107	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	107.7	Cost (% of property value)	13.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,000
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.4			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	19
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	49	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,165
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	239	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	184
Cost (% of income per capita)	10.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	1,715
Getting electricity (rank)	40	Protecting investors (rank)	186	Cost (% of claim)	37.1
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	1		
Time (days)	58	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	0	Resolving insolvency (rank)	160
Cost (% of income per capita)	530.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	5.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.0	Cost (% of estate)	30
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	8.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	50		
		Payments (number per year)	29		
		Time (hours per year)	199		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	27.9		

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SWAZILAND		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,860	
Ease of doing business (rank)	123	Lower middle income	Population (m)	1.2	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	172	Registering property (rank)	130	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	127
Procedures (number)	12	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	38	Time (days)	21	Time to export (days)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	27.7	Cost (% of property value)	7.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,880
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.4			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	23
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	51	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,145
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	95	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	176
Cost (% of income per capita)	109.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	41.6	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	956
Getting electricity (rank)	163	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)	56.1
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	2		
Time (days)	137	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	68
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,232.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	38.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	59		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	110		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	36.5		
SWEDEN		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	56,210	
Ease of doing business (rank)	14	High income	Population (m)	9.5	
Starting a business (rank)	61	Registering property (rank)	38	Trading across borders (rank)	6
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	1	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	16	Time (days)	28	Time to export (days)	9
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.5	Cost (% of property value)	4.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	725
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	13.1			Documents to import (number)	3
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	6
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	24	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	735
Procedures (number)	7	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	116	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	25
Cost (% of income per capita)	76.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	30
				Time (days)	314
Getting electricity (rank)	9	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	31.2
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	52	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	36.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	75.5
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	41		
		Payments (number per year)	4		
		Time (hours per year)	122		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	52.0		
SWITZERLAND		OECD high income	GNI per capita (US\$)	82,730	
Ease of doing business (rank)	29	High income	Population (m)	8.0	
Starting a business (rank)	104	Registering property (rank)	16	Trading across borders (rank)	35
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	18	Time (days)	16	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.0	Cost (% of property value)	0.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,635
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	25.6			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	8
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	58	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,440
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	154	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	38.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	26.5	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	390
Getting electricity (rank)	8	Protecting investors (rank)	170	Cost (% of claim)	24.0
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	0		
Time (days)	39	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	47
Cost (% of income per capita)	59.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.0	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	47.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	16		
		Payments (number per year)	19		
		Time (hours per year)	63		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	29.1		

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SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	2,803	
Ease of doing business (rank)	165	Lower middle income	Population (m)	22.4	
Starting a business (rank)	135	Registering property (rank)	82	Trading across borders (rank)	147
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	13	Time (days)	19	Time to export (days)	20
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.5	Cost (% of property value)	27.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,740
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	221.6			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	180	Time to import (days)	26
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	189	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	1	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,075
Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	7.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	179
Cost (% of income per capita)	NO PRACTICE	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	55
				Time (days)	872
Getting electricity (rank)	82	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	29.3
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	71	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	120
Cost (% of income per capita)	652.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	4.1
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	25.7
		Paying taxes (rank)	120		
		Payments (number per year)	19		
		Time (hours per year)	336		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	39.7		
TAIWAN, CHINA		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	20,910	
Ease of doing business (rank)	16	High income	Population (m)	23.3	
Starting a business (rank)	17	Registering property (rank)	31	Trading across borders (rank)	18
Procedures (number)	3	Procedures (number)	3	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	10	Time (days)	4	Time to export (days)	10
Cost (% of income per capita)	2.3	Cost (% of property value)	6.2	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	655
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	10
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	7	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	720
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	94	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	84
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	94.1	Procedures (number)	45
				Time (days)	510
Getting electricity (rank)	7	Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	17.7
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	24	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	49.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	1.9
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	4
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	81.8
		Paying taxes (rank)	58		
		Payments (number per year)	12		
		Time (hours per year)	221		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	35.0		
TAJIKISTAN		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	860	
Ease of doing business (rank)	143	Low income	Population (m)	8.0	
Starting a business (rank)	87	Registering property (rank)	78	Trading across borders (rank)	188
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	12
Time (days)	33	Time (days)	37	Time to export (days)	71
Cost (% of income per capita)	25.6	Cost (% of property value)	4.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	8,650
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	12
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	159	Time to import (days)	72
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	184	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	10,250
Procedures (number)	24	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	228	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	39
Cost (% of income per capita)	604.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	2.1	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	430
Getting electricity (rank)	186	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	25.5
Procedures (number)	9	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8		
Time (days)	185	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	81
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,077.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	1.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	35.8
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	178		
		Payments (number per year)	69		
		Time (hours per year)	224		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	86.0		

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TANZANIA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	570	
Ease of doing business (rank)	145	Low income	Population (m)	47.8	
Starting a business (rank)	119	Registering property (rank)	146	Trading across borders (rank)	139
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	26	Time (days)	68	Time to export (days)	18
Cost (% of income per capita)	27.7	Cost (% of property value)	4.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,090
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	11
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	31
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	177	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,615
Procedures (number)	19	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	0		
Time (days)	206	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	42
Cost (% of income per capita)	490.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	515
Getting electricity (rank)	102	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	14.3
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	109	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	134
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,690.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	21.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	141		
		Payments (number per year)	48		
		Time (hours per year)	176		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	44.9		
THAILAND		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	5,210	
Ease of doing business (rank)	18	Upper middle income	Population (m)	66.8	
Starting a business (rank)	91	Registering property (rank)	29	Trading across borders (rank)	24
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	2	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	27.5	Time (days)	2	Time to export (days)	14
Cost (% of income per capita)	6.7	Cost (% of property value)	6.3	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	595
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	13
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	14	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	5	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	760
Procedures (number)	8	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	157	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	8.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	49.2	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	440
Getting electricity (rank)	12	Protecting investors (rank)	12	Cost (% of claim)	15.0
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	35	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	58
Cost (% of income per capita)	67.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	7.7	Cost (% of estate)	36
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	42.2
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	70		
		Payments (number per year)	22		
		Time (hours per year)	264		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	29.8		
TIMOR-LESTE		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,670	
Ease of doing business (rank)	172	Lower middle income	Population (m)	1.2	
Starting a business (rank)	154	Registering property (rank)	189	Trading across borders (rank)	92
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	NO PRACTICE	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	94	Time (days)	NO PRACTICE	Time to export (days)	28
Cost (% of income per capita)	3.1	Cost (% of property value)	NO PRACTICE	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	750
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	136.2			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	165	Time to import (days)	26
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	128	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	755
Procedures (number)	19	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	3		
Time (days)	238	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	5.4	Enforcing contracts (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	51
				Time (days)	1,285
Getting electricity (rank)	44	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	163.2
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	63	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	638.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	55		
		Payments (number per year)	18		
		Time (hours per year)	276		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	11.0		

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TOGO		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	500	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Low income	Population (m)	6.6	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	168	Registering property (rank)	159	✗ Trading across borders (rank)	110
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	19	Time (days)	295	Time to export (days)	24
Cost (% of income per capita)	121.4	Cost (% of property value)	11.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,015
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	388.5			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	29
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	114	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	6	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,190
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1		
Time (days)	155	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	3.1	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	153
Cost (% of income per capita)	458.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	40
				Time (days)	588
Getting electricity (rank)	96	Protecting investors (rank)	147	Cost (% of claim)	47.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	74	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	111
Cost (% of income per capita)	5,800.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.7	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	27.6
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	172		
		Payments (number per year)	50		
		Time (hours per year)	270		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	49.4		
TONGA		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	4,240	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Upper middle income	Population (m)	0.1	
Starting a business (rank)	42	Registering property (rank)	146	Trading across borders (rank)	63
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	16	Time (days)	112	Time to export (days)	22
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.7	Cost (% of property value)	15.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	505
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	25
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	35	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	490
Procedures (number)	13	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	69	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	48
Cost (% of income per capita)	96.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	6.5	Procedures (number)	37
				Time (days)	350
Getting electricity (rank)	30	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	30.5
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	42	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	3	Resolving insolvency (rank)	118
Cost (% of income per capita)	94.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	2.7
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	22
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	26.1
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	51		
		Payments (number per year)	30		
		Time (hours per year)	182		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	29.6		
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	14,400	
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income	Population (m)	1.3	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	67	Registering property (rank)	178	Trading across borders (rank)	73
Procedures (number)	7	Procedures (number)	9	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	37.5	Time (days)	77.5	Time to export (days)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.8	Cost (% of property value)	7.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	843
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	28	Time to import (days)	14
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	77	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,260
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	265	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	174
Cost (% of income per capita)	5.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	63.2	Procedures (number)	42
				Time (days)	1,340
Getting electricity (rank)	10	Protecting investors (rank)	22	Cost (% of claim)	33.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	61	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	114
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.7	Cost (% of estate)	25
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	26.9
		Paying taxes (rank)	97		
		Payments (number per year)	39		
		Time (hours per year)	210		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	29.1		

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TUNISIA		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	4,150	
Ease of doing business (rank)	51	Upper middle income	Population (m)	10.8	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	70	Registering property (rank)	72	Trading across borders (rank)	31
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	11	Time (days)	39	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	4.7	Cost (% of property value)	6.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	775
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	109	Time to import (days)	17
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	122	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	3	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	860
Procedures (number)	19	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	94	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	28.8	Enforcing contracts (rank)	78
Cost (% of income per capita)	255.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	39
				Time (days)	565
Getting electricity (rank)	55	Protecting investors (rank)	52	Cost (% of claim)	21.8
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	65	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	39
Cost (% of income per capita)	811.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	1.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.0	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	52.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	60		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	144		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	62.4		
TURKEY		Europe & Central Asia	GNI per capita (US\$)	10,830	
Ease of doing business (rank)	69	Upper middle income	Population (m)	74.0	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	93	✗ Registering property (rank)	50	Trading across borders (rank)	86
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	6	Time (days)	6	Time to export (days)	13
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.7	Cost (% of property value)	4.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	990
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	13.2			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	14
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	148	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,235
Procedures (number)	20	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	164	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	27.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	38
Cost (% of income per capita)	142.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	71.7	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	420
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	49	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	34	Cost (% of claim)	24.9
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	9		
Time (days)	70	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	130
Cost (% of income per capita)	475.3	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	3.3
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	6.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	22.3
		Paying taxes (rank)	71		
		Payments (number per year)	11		
		Time (hours per year)	226		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	40.2		
UGANDA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	440	
Ease of doing business (rank)	132	Low income	Population (m)	36.3	
Starting a business (rank)	151	✓ Registering property (rank)	126	Trading across borders (rank)	164
Procedures (number)	15	Procedures (number)	11	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	32	Time (days)	47	Time to export (days)	30
Cost (% of income per capita)	78.3	Cost (% of property value)	2.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,800
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	10
		Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	33
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	143	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	3,375
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	146	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	117
Cost (% of income per capita)	742.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	4.1	Procedures (number)	38
				Time (days)	490
Getting electricity (rank)	178	Protecting investors (rank)	115	Cost (% of claim)	44.9
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	132	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	79
Cost (% of income per capita)	13,456.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.7	Cost (% of estate)	30
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	36.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	98		
		Payments (number per year)	31		
		Time (hours per year)	209		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	36.6		

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UKRAINE		Europe & Central Asia Lower middle income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	3,500 45.6	
Ease of doing business (rank)	112				
✓ Starting a business (rank)	47	✓ Registering property (rank)	97	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	148
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	21	Time (days)	45	Time to export (days)	29
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.3	Cost (% of property value)	1.9	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,930
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	28
✓ Dealing with construction permits (rank)	41	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	2,505
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	73	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	45
Cost (% of income per capita)	607.1	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	28.3	Procedures (number)	30
				Time (days)	378
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	172	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Cost (% of claim)	43.8
Procedures (number)	10	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	277	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	✓ Resolving insolvency (rank)	162
Cost (% of income per capita)	178.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	6	Time (years)	2.9
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	42
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	8.2
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	164		
		Payments (number per year)	28		
		Time (hours per year)	390		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	54.9		
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES					
		Middle East & North Africa High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	36,040 9.2	
Ease of doing business (rank)	23				
Starting a business (rank)	37	✓ Registering property (rank)	4	Trading across borders (rank)	4
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	2	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	8	Time (days)	6	Time to export (days)	7
Cost (% of income per capita)	6.4	Cost (% of property value)	0.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	655
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	86	Time to import (days)	7
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	5	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	615
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	44	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	5.8	Enforcing contracts (rank)	100
Cost (% of income per capita)	12.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	27.0	Procedures (number)	49
				Time (days)	524
✓ Getting electricity (rank)	4	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	19.5
Procedures (number)	3	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	35	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	101
Cost (% of income per capita)	21.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	3.2
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	20
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	29.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	1		
		Payments (number per year)	4		
		Time (hours per year)	12		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	14.9		
UNITED KINGDOM					
		OECD high income High income	GNI per capita (US\$) Population (m)	38,250 63.2	
Ease of doing business (rank)	10				
✓ Starting a business (rank)	28	✓ Registering property (rank)	68	Trading across borders (rank)	16
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	4
Time (days)	12	Time (days)	21.5	Time to export (days)	8
Cost (% of income per capita)	0.3	Cost (% of property value)	4.7	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,005
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	4
		Getting credit (rank)	1	Time to import (days)	6
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	27	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	10	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,050
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	88	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	56
Cost (% of income per capita)	66.0	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	28
				Time (days)	437
Getting electricity (rank)	74	Protecting investors (rank)	10	Cost (% of claim)	39.9
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	10		
Time (days)	126	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	7	Resolving insolvency (rank)	7
Cost (% of income per capita)	91.9	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	1.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.0	Cost (% of estate)	6
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	88.6
		Paying taxes (rank)	14		
		Payments (number per year)	8		
		Time (hours per year)	110		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	34.0		

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UNITED STATES		OECD high income		GNI per capita (US\$)	50,120
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income		Population (m)	313.9
Starting a business (rank)	20	Registering property (rank)	25	Trading across borders (rank)	22
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	3
Time (days)	5	Time (days)	12	Time to export (days)	6
Cost (% of income per capita)	1.5	Cost (% of property value)	3.4	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,090
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	5
		Getting credit (rank)	3	Time to import (days)	5
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	34	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,315
Procedures (number)	16	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	91	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	11
Cost (% of income per capita)	16.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	32
				Time (days)	370
Getting electricity (rank)	13	Protecting investors (rank)	6	Cost (% of claim)	18.4
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	60	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	9	Resolving insolvency (rank)	17
Cost (% of income per capita)	15.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	9	Time (years)	1.5
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	8.3	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	81.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	64		
		Payments (number per year)	11		
		Time (hours per year)	175		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	46.3		
URUGUAY		Latin America & Caribbean		GNI per capita (US\$)	13,510
Ease of doing business (rank)		High income		Population (m)	3.4
Starting a business (rank)	43	Registering property (rank)	167	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	90
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	6.5	Time (days)	66	Time to export (days)	16
Cost (% of income per capita)	22.7	Cost (% of property value)	7.1	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,125
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		Getting credit (rank)	73	Time to import (days)	16
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	154	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	4	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,440
Procedures (number)	22	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	6		
Time (days)	256	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	80.2	Enforcing contracts (rank)	105
Cost (% of income per capita)	46.7	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	100.0	Procedures (number)	41
				Time (days)	725
Getting electricity (rank)	23	Protecting investors (rank)	98	Cost (% of claim)	19.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	48	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	51
Cost (% of income per capita)	16.5	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	8	Time (years)	1.8
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.0	Cost (% of estate)	7
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	45.1
		Paying taxes (rank)	146		
		Payments (number per year)	33		
		Time (hours per year)	310		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	41.9		
UZBEKISTAN		Europe & Central Asia		GNI per capita (US\$)	1,720
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income		Population (m)	29.8
✓ Starting a business (rank)	21	✓ Registering property (rank)	136	✓ Trading across borders (rank)	189
Procedures (number)	4	Procedures (number)	14	Documents to export (number)	12
Time (days)	8.5	Time (days)	77	Time to export (days)	79
Cost (% of income per capita)	3.5	Cost (% of property value)	0.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	4,785
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	14
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	95
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	159	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	5,235
Procedures (number)	25	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	243	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	✓ Enforcing contracts (rank)	40
Cost (% of income per capita)	49.6	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	16.5	Procedures (number)	41
				Time (days)	195
Getting electricity (rank)	173	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	22.2
Procedures (number)	9	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	4		
Time (days)	108	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	63
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,159.6	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	10
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	39.9
		✓ Paying taxes (rank)	168		
		Payments (number per year)	41		
		Time (hours per year)	205		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	99.3		

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VANUATU		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	3,080	
Ease of doing business (rank)	74	Lower middle income	Population (m)	0.2	
Starting a business (rank)	126	Registering property (rank)	110	Trading across borders (rank)	119
Procedures (number)	8	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	35	Time (days)	118	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	46.2	Cost (% of property value)	7.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,490
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	7
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	55	Time to import (days)	24
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	50	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,440
Procedures (number)	12	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	54	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	72
Cost (% of income per capita)	422.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	5.5	Procedures (number)	30
				Time (days)	430
Getting electricity (rank)	129	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	56.0
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	5		
Time (days)	122	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	57
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,230.1	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	2.6
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	38
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	42.2
		Paying taxes (rank)	30		
		Payments (number per year)	31		
		Time (hours per year)	120		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	8.4		
VENEZUELA, RB		Latin America & Caribbean	GNI per capita (US\$)	12,470	
Ease of doing business (rank)	181	Upper middle income	Population (m)	30.0	
✗ Starting a business (rank)	157	Registering property (rank)	95	Trading across borders (rank)	173
Procedures (number)	17	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	8
Time (days)	144	Time (days)	38	Time to export (days)	56
Cost (% of income per capita)	35.6	Cost (% of property value)	2.5	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,490
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	130	Time to import (days)	82
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	110	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	3,695
Procedures (number)	10	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	381	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	92
Cost (% of income per capita)	96.8	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	16.7	Procedures (number)	30
				Time (days)	610
Getting electricity (rank)	167	Protecting investors (rank)	182	Cost (% of claim)	43.7
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	158	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	2	Resolving insolvency (rank)	165
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,133.7	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	4.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	2.3	Cost (% of estate)	38
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	6.5
		Paying taxes (rank)	187		
		Payments (number per year)	71		
		Time (hours per year)	792		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	61.7		
VIETNAM		East Asia & Pacific	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,400	
Ease of doing business (rank)	99	Lower middle income	Population (m)	88.8	
Starting a business (rank)	109	Registering property (rank)	51	Trading across borders (rank)	65
Procedures (number)	10	Procedures (number)	4	Documents to export (number)	5
Time (days)	34	Time (days)	57	Time to export (days)	21
Cost (% of income per capita)	7.7	Cost (% of property value)	0.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	610
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		✓ Getting credit (rank)	42	Time to import (days)	21
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	29	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	8	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	600
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	114	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	39.1	Enforcing contracts (rank)	46
Cost (% of income per capita)	56.3	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	400
Getting electricity (rank)	156	✓ Protecting investors (rank)	157	Cost (% of claim)	29.0
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	7		
Time (days)	115	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	149
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,726.4	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	5.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	3.3	Cost (% of estate)	15
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	16.2
		✗ Paying taxes (rank)	149		
		Payments (number per year)	32		
		Time (hours per year)	872		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	35.2		

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WEST BANK AND GAZA		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,679	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	4.0	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	143	Registering property (rank)	122	Trading across borders (rank)	123
Procedures (number)	9	Procedures (number)	8	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	45	Time (days)	56	Time to export (days)	23
Cost (% of income per capita)	85.5	Cost (% of property value)	3.0	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	1,360
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	6
		Getting credit (rank)	165	Time to import (days)	38
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	131	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	1	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,390
Procedures (number)	18	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	4		
Time (days)	87	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	8.8	Enforcing contracts (rank)	88
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,033.9	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	44
				Time (days)	540
Getting electricity (rank)	87	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	21.2
Procedures (number)	5	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	63	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	5	Resolving insolvency (rank)	189
Cost (% of income per capita)	1,472.2	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	5	Time (years)	NO PRACTICE
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	NO PRACTICE
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	0.0
		Paying taxes (rank)	62		
		Payments (number per year)	39		
		Time (hours per year)	170		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	16.5		
YEMEN, REP.		Middle East & North Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,377	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	23.9	
Starting a business (rank)	114	Registering property (rank)	61	Trading across borders (rank)	128
Procedures (number)	6	Procedures (number)	6	Documents to export (number)	6
Time (days)	40	Time (days)	19	Time to export (days)	29
Cost (% of income per capita)	66.1	Cost (% of property value)	3.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	995
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	9
		Getting credit (rank)	170	Time to import (days)	25
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	101	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	2	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	1,490
Procedures (number)	14	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	2		
Time (days)	186	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	1.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	85
Cost (% of income per capita)	48.2	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Procedures (number)	36
				Time (days)	645
Getting electricity (rank)	116	Protecting investors (rank)	138	Cost (% of claim)	26.5
Procedures (number)	4	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	6		
Time (days)	110	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	4	Resolving insolvency (rank)	126
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,604.0	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	2	Time (years)	3.0
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.0	Cost (% of estate)	8
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	24.4
		Paying taxes (rank)	129		
		Payments (number per year)	44		
		Time (hours per year)	248		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	32.7		
ZAMBIA		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	1,350	
Ease of doing business (rank)		Lower middle income	Population (m)	14.1	
✓ Starting a business (rank)	45	Registering property (rank)	102	Trading across borders (rank)	163
Procedures (number)	5	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	7
Time (days)	6.5	Time (days)	45	Time to export (days)	44
Cost (% of income per capita)	26.8	Cost (% of property value)	8.6	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	2,765
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0			Documents to import (number)	8
		Getting credit (rank)	13	Time to import (days)	49
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	57	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	9	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	3,560
Procedures (number)	11	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	5		
Time (days)	124	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	120
Cost (% of income per capita)	198.5	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	12.0	Procedures (number)	35
				Time (days)	611
Getting electricity (rank)	152	Protecting investors (rank)	80	Cost (% of claim)	38.7
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	3		
Time (days)	117	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	6	Resolving insolvency (rank)	73
Cost (% of income per capita)	955.8	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	7	Time (years)	2.4
		Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	5.3	Cost (% of estate)	9
				Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	37.1
		Paying taxes (rank)	68		
		Payments (number per year)	38		
		Time (hours per year)	183		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	15.1		

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ZIMBABWE		Sub-Saharan Africa	GNI per capita (US\$)	680	
		Low income	Population (m)	13.7	
Ease of doing business (rank)	170	Registering property (rank)	93	Trading across borders (rank)	167
Starting a business (rank)	150	Procedures (number)	5	Documents to export (number)	7
Procedures (number)	9	Time (days)	36	Time to export (days)	53
Time (days)	90	Cost (% of property value)	7.8	Cost to export (US\$ per container)	3,765
Cost (% of income per capita)	141.2	Getting credit (rank)	109	Documents to import (number)	8
Minimum capital (% of income per capita)	0.0	Strength of legal rights index (0–10)	7	Time to import (days)	71
Dealing with construction permits (rank)	170	Depth of credit information index (0–6)	1	Cost to import (US\$ per container)	5,660
Procedures (number)	12	Public registry coverage (% of adults)	0.0	Enforcing contracts (rank)	118
Time (days)	496	Private bureau coverage (% of adults)	3.7	Procedures (number)	38
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,055.6	Protecting investors (rank)	128	Time (days)	410
Getting electricity (rank)	157	Extent of disclosure index (0–10)	8	Cost (% of claim)	113.1
Procedures (number)	6	Extent of director liability index (0–10)	1	Resolving insolvency (rank)	156
Time (days)	106	Ease of shareholder suits index (0–10)	4	Time (years)	3.3
Cost (% of income per capita)	3,686.8	Strength of investor protection index (0–10)	4.3	Cost (% of estate)	22
		Paying taxes (rank)	142	Recovery rate (cents on the dollar)	13.1
		Payments (number per year)	49		
		Time (hours per year)	242		
		Total tax rate (% of profit)	35.3		