



COUNTRY PROFILE: JAPAN

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**GENERAL INFORMATION - 2016**

<b>Population</b> 127.7 Millions	<b>GDP</b> 4 936 212 Millions current US\$	<b>Merchandise trade</b> 1 252 502 Millions current US\$
<b>Internet users</b> 119.0 Millions	<b>GDP growth</b> 1.0 %	<b>Land area</b> 364 560 km <sup>2</sup>

Source: UNCTAD and ITU (complete URL addresses in the General Notes)

**E-COMMERCE ASSESSMENT - 2017**

<b>Rank in UNCTAD B2C E-commerce Index</b> 8/144	<b>Rank in ITU ICT Development Index</b> 10/176	<b>Rank in WEF Networked Readiness Index</b> 10/139
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Source: UNCTAD, ITU and WEF (complete URL address in the General Notes) Note: 1 = Best

**ICT INFRASTRUCTURE AND SERVICES - 2016**

Metric	Value
Internet users	93.2
Fixed broadband subscriptions	31.2
Active mobile broadband subscriptions	131.1

**Fixed broadband Internet tariffs, PPP \$/month**

Statistic	Value
Highest tariff	874.4
50th Percentile (Median)	34.1
JAPAN	19.9
25th Percentile	~10
10th Percentile	5.1
Lowest tariff	5

Source: ITU (complete URL address in the General Notes)

**PAYMENTS - 2014**

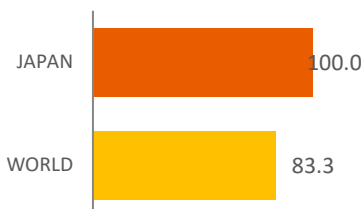
Method	JAPAN	DEVELOPED ECONOMIES	WORLD
Debit card used in the past year	39.3	65.2	21.9
Credit card used in the past year	52.1	45.9	13.5
Used an account to make a transaction through a mobile phone	5.6	19.9	8.5

Source: World Bank (complete URL address in the General Notes)

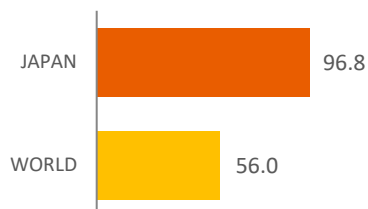
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### TRADE LOGISTICS - 2016

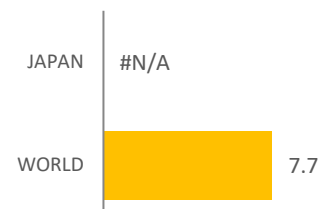
#### Percent of population having mail delivered at home



#### Postal reliability index (0 to 100, 100 = Best)



#### Days to clear direct exports through customs



Source: UPU and World Bank (complete URL addresses in the General Notes)

### LEGAL AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS - 2017



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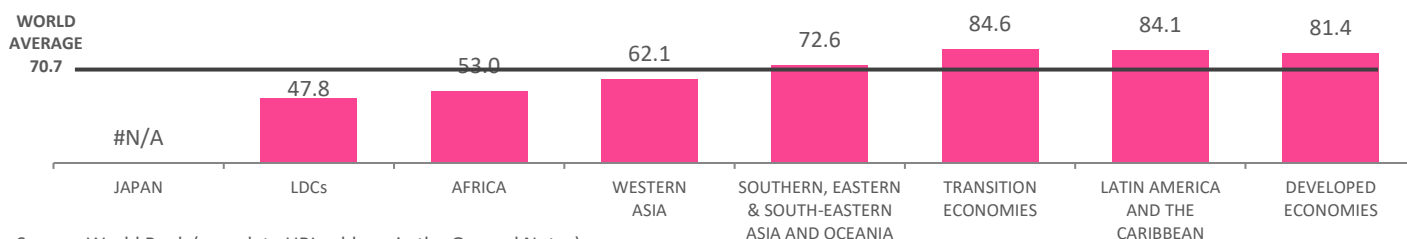
Electronic Transactions:	Legislation
Consumer Protection:	#N/A
Privacy and data protection:	Legislation
Cybercrime:	Legislation

Source: UNCTAD

For more information see: [http://unctad.org/en/Pages/DTL/STI\\_and\\_ICTs/ICT4D-Legislation/eCom-Global-Legislation.aspx](http://unctad.org/en/Pages/DTL/STI_and_ICTs/ICT4D-Legislation/eCom-Global-Legislation.aspx)

### SKILLS DEVELOPMENT - 2013-17

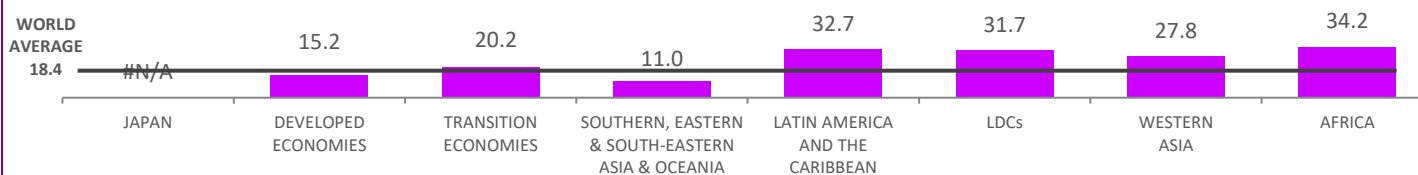
#### Percentage of firms using e-mail to interact with clients/suppliers



Source: World Bank (complete URL address in the General Notes)

### FINANCING FOR eCOMMERCE - 2014-15

#### Percentage of firms identifying access to finance as a major constraint



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## COUNTRY PROFILE: GENERAL NOTES

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### NOTES:

- For merchandise trade - sum of exports and imports.
- Country groups are weighted using population for most indicators with the exception of those on skills development, financing for e-commerce and days to clear direct exports through customs.

### SYMBOLS FOR MISSING VALUES:

0: Zero means nil or negligible

#N/A: Not available or not publishable

### FOR MORE INFORMATION ON DATA SOURCES SEE:

- ITU, World Telecommunication/ICT Indicators database: <http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-D/Statistics/Pages/publications/wtid.aspx>
- UNCTAD, UNCTADStat: <http://unctadstat.unctad.org>
- UPU, Postal Statistics: <http://www.upu.int/en/resources/postal-statistics/about-postal-statistics.html>
- World Bank, E-trade Indicators: <http://wits.worldbank.org/analyticaldata/etrade-indicators.aspx>
- WEF, Networked Readiness Index: <http://reports.weforum.org/global-information-technology-report-2016/networked-readiness-index>

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