



**GENERAL INFORMATION - 2017**

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|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <b>Population</b><br>0.6 Millions     | <b>GDP</b><br>3 807 Millions current US\$ | <b>Merchandise trade</b><br>3 213 Millions current US\$ |
| <b>Internet users</b><br>0.3 Millions | <b>GDP growth</b><br>-0.7 %               | <b>Land area</b><br>156 000 km <sup>2</sup>             |

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

**E-COMMERCE ASSESSMENT - 2016-18**

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| <b>Rank in UNCTAD B2C E-commerce Index</b> | <b>Rank in ITU ICT Development Index</b> | <b>Rank in WEF Networked Readiness Index</b> |
| -/151                                      | 88/176                                   | -/139  |

Source: UNCTAD, ITU and WEF (complete URL address in the General Notes) Note: 1 = Best

**ICT INFRASTRUCTURE AND SERVICES - 2017**

| Metric                                | Value |
|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Internet users                        | 48.9  |
| Fixed broadband subscriptions         | 12.6  |
| Active mobile broadband subscriptions | 46.9  |

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

| Statistic      | Value |
|----------------|-------|
| Highest tariff | 277.8 |
| Median         | 34.2  |
| Lowest tariff  | 6.8   |
| SURINAME       | 69.8  |

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

**PAYMENTS - 2014-17**

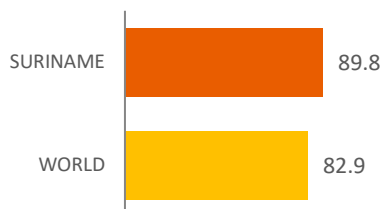
| Method   | SURINAME | LATIN AMERICA & THE CARIBBEAN | WORLD |
|--|----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| Debit card used in the past year   | #N/A     | 23.2                          | 30.6  |
| Credit card used in the past year  | #N/A     | 17.9                          | 27.7  |
| Mobile phone or the internet used to access a financial institution account in the past year | #N/A     | 10.2                          | 21.6  |

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

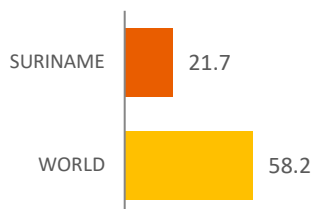
## COUNTRY PROFILE: SURINAME

### TRADE LOGISTICS - 2013-18

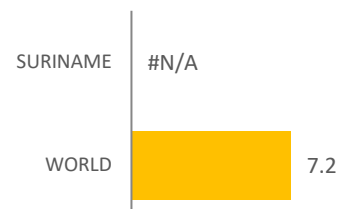
#### Percent of population having mail delivered at home



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

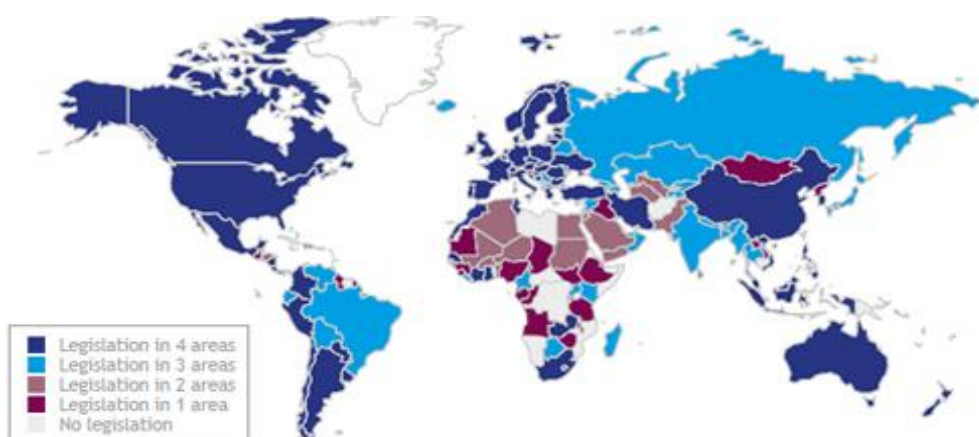


#### Days to clear direct exports through customs



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

### LEGAL AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS - 2019



#### SURINAME

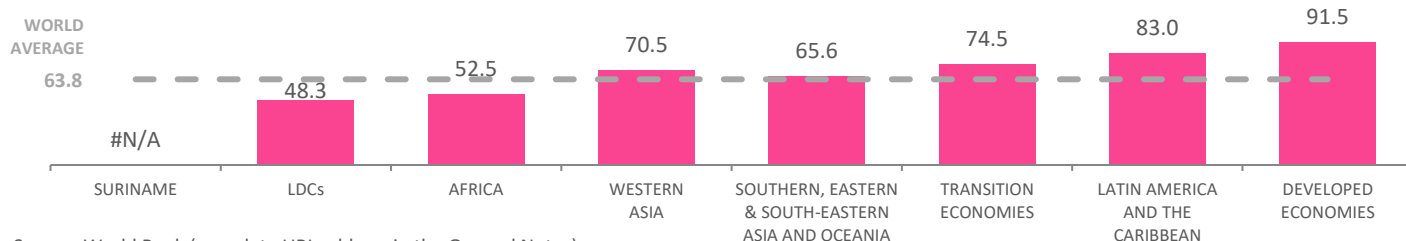
|                              |                   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|
| Electronic Transactions:     | Draft legislation |
| Consumer Protection:         | Draft legislation |
| Privacy and data protection: | No legislation    |
| Cybercrime:                  | No 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

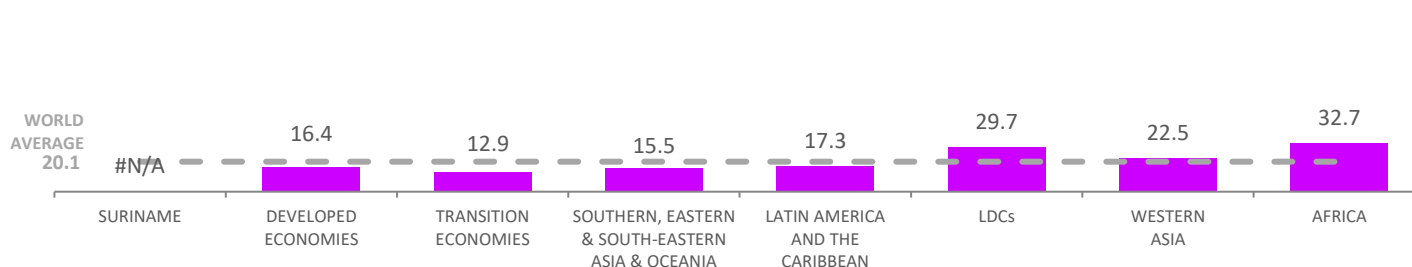
#### Percentage of firms using e-mail to interact with clients/suppliers



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

### FINANCING FOR eCOMMERCE - 2013-17

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



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

## 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. Regional average values relate to developing economies in those regions.

### 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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