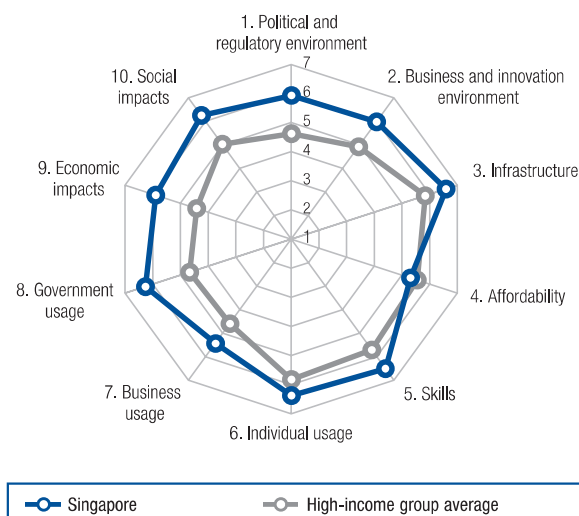


Singapore

	Rank (out of 139)	Value (1–7)
Networked Readiness Index	1	6.0
Networked Readiness Index 2015 (out of 143).....	1	6.0
Networked Readiness Index 2014 (out of 148).....	2	6.0
Networked Readiness Index 2013 (out of 144).....	2	6.0
A. Environment subindex	1	6.0
1st pillar: Political and regulatory environment.....	2	5.9
2nd pillar: Business and innovation environment.....	1	6.0
B. Readiness subindex	16	6.1
3rd pillar: Infrastructure.....	15	6.6
4th pillar: Affordability.....	72	5.3
5th pillar: Skills.....	1	6.5
C. Usage subindex	1	6.0
6th pillar: Individual usage.....	12	6.4
7th pillar: Business usage.....	14	5.4
8th pillar: Government usage.....	1	6.3
D. Impact subindex	1	6.1
9th pillar: Economic impacts.....	5	5.9
10th pillar: Social impacts.....	1	6.2



The Networked Readiness Index in detail

INDICATOR	RANK/139	VALUE
1st pillar: Political and regulatory environment		
1.01 Effectiveness of law-making bodies*	1	6.3
1.02 Laws relating to ICTs*	5	5.7
1.03 Judicial independence*	23	5.5
1.04 Efficiency of legal system in settling disputes*	1	6.2
1.05 Efficiency of legal system in challenging regs*	10	5.2
1.06 Intellectual property protection*	4	6.2
1.07 Software piracy rate, % software installed.....	18	32
1.08 No. procedures to enforce a contract.....	1	21
1.09 No. days to enforce a contract.....	1	150
2nd pillar: Business and innovation environment		
2.01 Availability of latest technologies*	13	6.2
2.02 Venture capital availability*	3	4.6
2.03 Total tax rate, % profits.....	9	18.4
2.04 No. days to start a business.....	6	3
2.05 No. procedures to start a business.....	11	3
2.06 Intensity of local competition*	21	5.6
2.07 Tertiary education gross enrollment rate, %.....	10	82.7
2.08 Quality of management schools*	4	5.9
2.09 Gov't procurement of advanced tech*	4	5.0
3rd pillar: Infrastructure		
3.01 Electricity production, kWh/capita.....	19	8883.5
3.02 Mobile network coverage, % pop.....	1	100.0
3.03 Int'l Internet bandwidth, kb/s per user.....	4	616.5
3.04 Secure Internet servers/million pop.....	22	822.3
4th pillar: Affordability		
4.01 Prepaid mobile cellular tariffs, PPP \$/min.....	51	0.19
4.02 Fixed broadband Internet tariffs, PPP \$/month ..	99	46.31
4.03 Internet & telephony competition, 0–2 (best).....	1	2.00
5th pillar: Skills		
5.01 Quality of education system*	3	5.8
5.02 Quality of math & science education*	1	6.4
5.03 Secondary education gross enrollment rate, % ..	27	107.6
5.04 Adult literacy rate, %.....	37	96.8

INDICATOR	RANK/139	VALUE
6th pillar: Individual usage		
6.01 Mobile phone subscriptions/100 pop.....	28	146.9
6.02 Individuals using Internet, %.....	24	82.0
6.03 Households w/ personal computer, %.....	12	88.0
6.04 Households w/ Internet access, %.....	16	88.0
6.05 Fixed broadband Internet subs/100 pop.....	30	26.7
6.06 Mobile broadband subs/100 pop.....	1	141.7
6.07 Use of virtual social networks*.....	8	6.4
7th pillar: Business usage		
7.01 Firm-level technology absorption*.....	16	5.7
7.02 Capacity for innovation*.....	19	5.1
7.03 PCT patents, applications/million pop.....	13	138.4
7.04 ICT use for business-to-business transactions* ..	13	5.8
7.05 Business-to-consumer Internet use*.....	24	5.5
7.06 Extent of staff training*.....	4	5.4
8th pillar: Government usage		
8.01 Importance of ICTs to gov't vision*.....	2	5.9
8.02 Government Online Service Index, 0–1 (best).....	2	0.99
8.03 Gov't success in ICT promotion*.....	3	5.9
9th pillar: Economic impacts		
9.01 Impact of ICTs on business models*.....	6	5.8
9.02 ICT PCT patents, applications/million pop.....	9	55.8
9.03 Impact of ICTs on organizational models*.....	11	5.5
9.04 Knowledge-intensive jobs, % workforce.....	2	52.7
10th pillar: Social impacts		
10.01 Impact of ICTs on access to basic services*.....	1	6.2
10.02 Internet access in schools*.....	2	6.3
10.03 ICT use & gov't efficiency*.....	2	6.1
10.04 E-Participation Index, 0–1 (best).....	10	0.90

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