SME Performance Review 2021

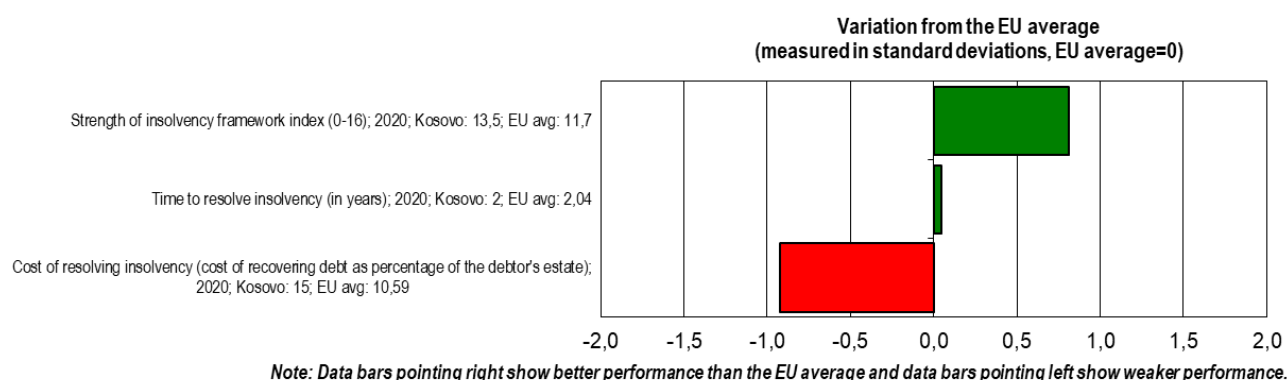# Graphs

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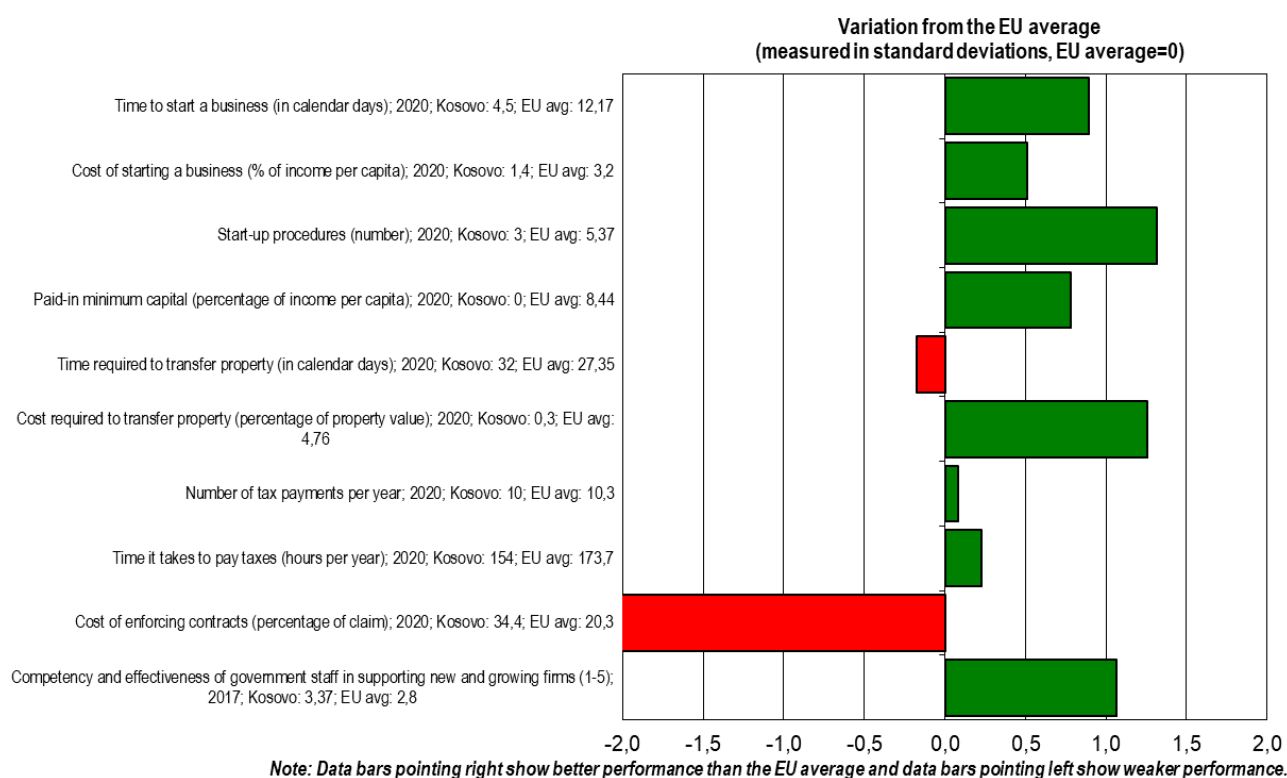
1. ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Regarding the indicators related to this principle, no sufficient data has been collected. It is therefore not possible to draw any general conclusions on the performance of Kosovo on Entrepreneurship compared to the EU.
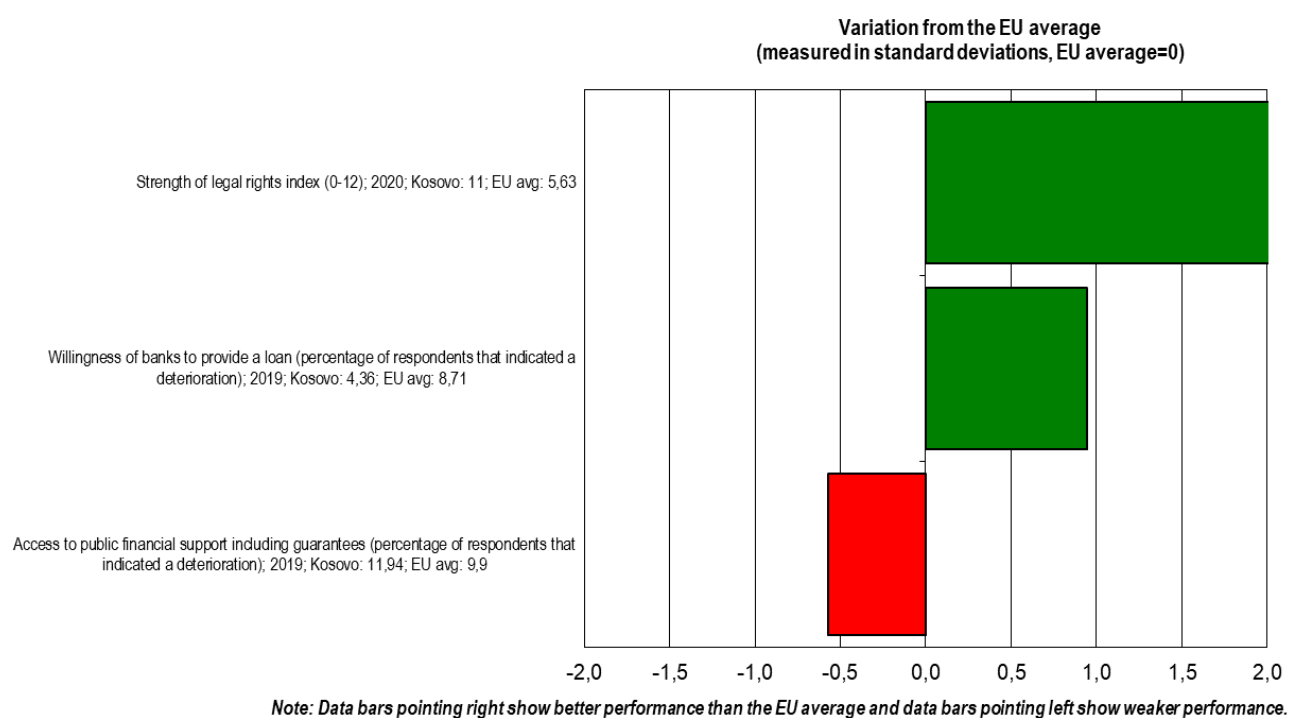
2. SECOND CHANCE

Variation from the EU average
(measured in standard deviations, EU average=0)

Strength of insolvency framework index (0-16); 2020; Kosovo: 13,5; EU avg: 11,7	
Time to resolve insolvency (in years); 2020; Kosovo: 2; EU avg: 2,04	
Cost of resolving insolvency (cost of recovering debt as percentage of the debtor's estate); 2020; Kosovo: 15; EU avg: 10,59	

Note: Data bars pointing right show better performance than the EU average and data bars pointing left show weaker performance.

3. RESPONSIVE ADMINISTRATION

Variation from the EU average
(measured in standard deviations, EU average=0)

Time to start a business (in calendar days); 2020; Kosovo: 4,5; EU avg: 12,17

Cost of starting a business (% of income per capita); 2020; Kosovo: 1,4; EU avg: 3,2

Start-up procedures (number); 2020; Kosovo: 3; EU avg: 5,37

Paid-in minimum capital (percentage of income per capita); 2020; Kosovo: 0; EU avg: 8,44

Time required to transfer property (in calendar days); 2020; Kosovo: 32; EU avg: 27,35

Cost required to transfer property (percentage of property value); 2020; Kosovo: 0,3; EU avg: 4,76

Number of tax payments per year; 2020; Kosovo: 10; EU avg: 10,3

Time it takes to pay taxes (hours per year); 2020; Kosovo: 154; EU avg: 173,7

Cost of enforcing contracts (percentage of claim); 2020; Kosovo: 34,4; EU avg: 20,3

Competency and effectiveness of government staff in supporting new and growing firms (1-5); 2017; Kosovo: 3,37; EU avg: 2,8

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4. STATE AID AND PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

Regarding the indicators related to this principle, no sufficient data has been collected. It is therefore not possible to draw any general conclusions on the performance of Kosovo on State Aid and Public Procurement compared to the EU.

5. ACCESS TO FINANCE

Variation from the EU average
(measured in standard deviations, EU average=0)

Strength of legal rights index (0-12); 2020; Kosovo: 11; EU avg: 5,63

Willingness of banks to provide a loan (percentage of respondents that indicated a deterioration); 2019; Kosovo: 4,36; EU avg: 8,71

Access to public financial support including guarantees (percentage of respondents that indicated a deterioration); 2019; Kosovo: 11,94; EU avg: 9,9

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6. SINGLE MARKET

Regarding the indicators related to this principle, no sufficient data has been collected. It is therefore not possible to draw any general conclusions on the performance of Kosovo on Single Market compared to the EU.

7. SKILLS AND INNOVATION

Regarding the indicators related to this principle, no sufficient data has been collected. It is therefore not possible to draw any general conclusions on the performance of Kosovo on Skills and Innovation compared to the EU.

8. ENVIRONMENT

Regarding the indicators related to this principle, no sufficient data has been collected. It is therefore not possible to draw any general conclusions on the performance of Kosovo on Environment compared to the EU.

9. INTERNATIONALISATION

Regarding the indicators related to this principle, no sufficient data has been collected. It is therefore not possible to draw any general conclusions on the performance of Kosovo on Internationalisation compared to the EU.

10. DIGITALISATION

Variation from the EU average
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Individuals who have used a programming language; 2019; Kosovo: 5; EU avg: 6

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