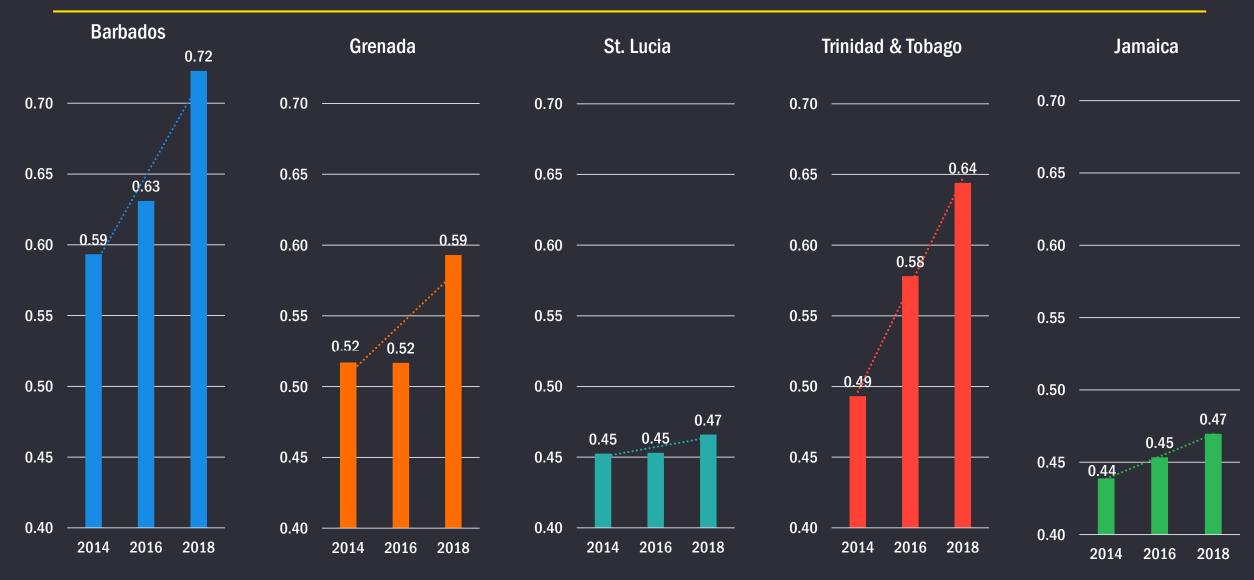


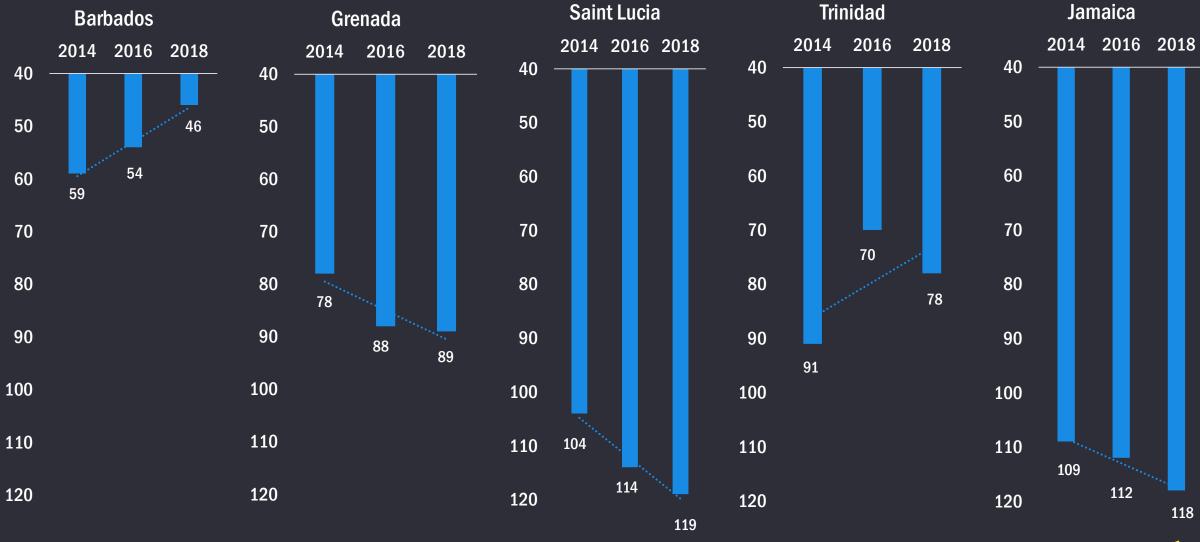


## **E-Government development index (scores)**



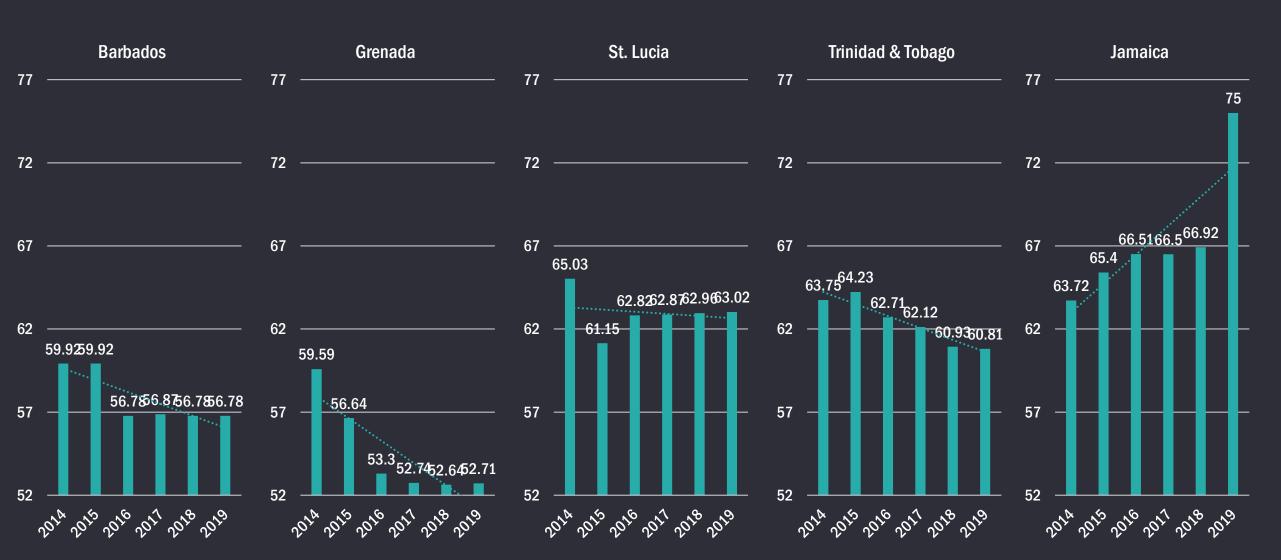


## **E-Government rankings**



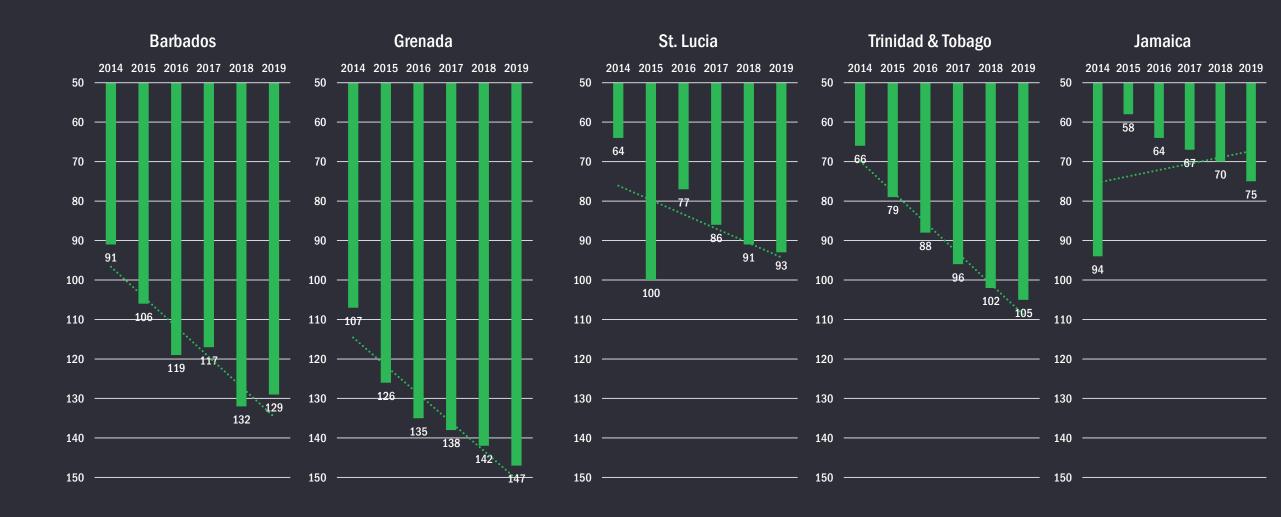


# Ease of doing business in the Caribbean 2014 - 2019 (score)





## **Ease of doing business ranking**







## Doing business in the Caribbean is difficult – an illustration

#### **Registering a property**

	Sample Caribbean country	Portugal	Norway
# of process steps	9	1	1
Time to complete (in days)	17	1	3
# of process steps requiring a customer to physically visit a Government agency	9 1. Registry of Companies and Intellectual Property; 2. NIC; 3. Land Registry; 4. Urban Planning; 5. Inland Revenue; 6. Survey & Mapping Department; 7. Registry of High Court; 8. Land Registry; 9. Inland Revenue	1 Land Registry	0-1 Land Registry One-Stop Shop <i>or</i> Civil Servant comes to the bank / real estate agent
# of government agencies requiring >1 visit	2 1. Inland Revenue; 2. Land Registry	0	0
E-enabled and joined up government databases?	No	Yes	Yes

#### Comparing the sample Caribbean country with digitally enabled countries:

- Silos must be broken and reconfigured
- Manual processes require re-engineering
- Paper records need digitization
- Cross-ministries processes must be integrated and optimized => "joined up government"



### Process improvement cannot be optimized in isolation

# Design principles drive the joined-up government experience

Adopt a 'citizen centric view' when re-engineering business processes

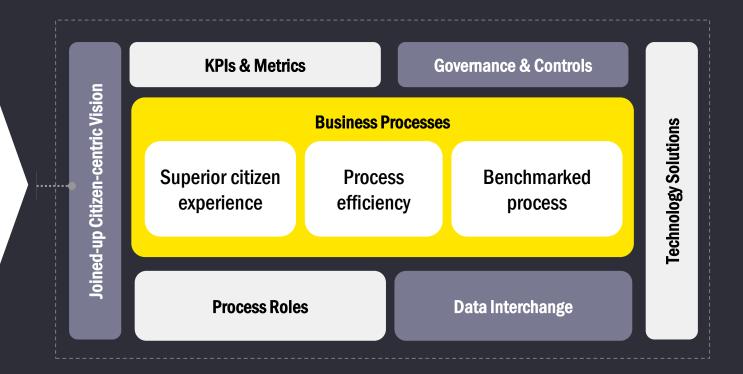
Exploit leading practices and benchmarks to drive design

Identify inter-linkages & roles and optimize across government agencies

Make optimum use of digital technologies like RPA, Al and Blockchain

Develop KPIs and metrics to measure process improvements

Embed methods and reporting for governance and compliance







## Critical steps in moving forward

- Implement an effective governance model
  - Led at the highest levels of government to break silos and avoid duplication
- Take an all-of-government approach to re-engineering processes
  - Collect data once and share
  - Address cross-ministries/agencies processes
  - Utilize unique digital identification (on blockchain) for citizens and businesses
- Select processes with greatest impact on service quality and ease of doing business
- Construct a manageable re-engineering program with a good business case
- Ensure that IT solutions enable joined-up government
- Execute wisely with digital by default
- Turn off things that are no longer required to produce cost savings
- Measure progress against target KPIs and adjust as progress is made

