

Table 3.2.3b: Revealed Comparative Advantage by Aggregate Sector (Value-Added Method)

ADB Regional Member	2010	2017
	(ratio)	
<b>Bangladesh</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.77	0.65
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	3.44	3.46
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.10	0.11
Personal Services Sector	2.61	3.50
Primary Sector	0.80	0.72
<b>Bhutan</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.63	0.71
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	3.71	3.22
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.30	0.26
Personal Services Sector	0.57	0.83
Primary Sector	1.08	1.21
<b>Brunei Darussalam</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.17	0.20
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.05	0.08
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.75	0.81
Personal Services Sector	0.18	0.34
Primary Sector	4.57	4.87
<b>Cambodia</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.98	0.91
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	3.07	2.92
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.03	0.05
Personal Services Sector	0.64	0.50
Primary Sector	1.13	1.36
<b>China, People's Republic of</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.78	0.84
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.38	1.32
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.29	1.21
Personal Services Sector	0.53	0.70
Primary Sector	0.88	0.89
<b>Fiji</b>		
Business Services Sector	1.65	1.60
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.22	1.10
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.09	0.10
Personal Services Sector	0.73	0.74
Primary Sector	0.78	0.83
<b>Hong Kong, China</b>		
Business Services Sector	2.27	2.17
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.28	0.20
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.02	0.01
Personal Services Sector	0.98	1.01
Primary Sector	0.00	0.00
<b>India</b>		
Business Services Sector	1.31	1.18
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.75	0.88
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.60	0.73
Personal Services Sector	1.50	1.35
Primary Sector	0.98	0.95
<b>Indonesia</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.46	0.47
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.51	1.77
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.70	0.70
Personal Services Sector	0.46	0.44
Primary Sector	2.65	2.59

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<b>Japan</b>		
Business Services Sector	1.02	0.97
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.78	0.72
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.65	1.74
Personal Services Sector	0.66	0.70
Primary Sector	0.06	0.07
<b>Kazakhstan</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.81	0.97
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.22	0.24
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.52	0.49
Personal Services Sector	0.09	0.16
Primary Sector	3.21	2.98
<b>Korea, Republic of</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.72	0.77
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.69	0.65
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	2.10	2.07
Personal Services Sector	0.85	0.75
Primary Sector	0.09	0.10
<b>Kyrgyz Republic</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.48	0.73
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.40	0.67
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.34	1.34
Personal Services Sector	0.78	3.13
Primary Sector	2.30	0.93
<b>Lao People's Democratic Republic</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.46	0.38
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.81	2.76
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.05	0.05
Personal Services Sector	0.18	0.59
Primary Sector	3.61	3.11
<b>Malaysia</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.84	0.77
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.88	0.99
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.88	0.93
Personal Services Sector	0.69	0.60
Primary Sector	1.80	1.96
<b>Maldives</b>		
Business Services Sector	2.05	1.70
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.50	1.18
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.01	0.02
Personal Services Sector	0.64	1.71
Primary Sector	0.47	0.30
<b>Mongolia</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.78	0.78
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.41	0.49
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.07	0.09
Personal Services Sector	0.41	0.48
Primary Sector	3.83	3.99
<b>Nepal</b>		
Business Services Sector	1.01	0.89
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.04	0.83
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.17	0.17
Personal Services Sector	7.23	9.01
Primary Sector	0.95	0.87

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<b>Pakistan</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.76	0.76
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.79	1.59
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.17	0.19
Personal Services Sector	1.16	1.34
Primary Sector	2.39	2.59
<b>Philippines</b>		
Business Services Sector	1.21	1.26
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.34	1.29
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.72	0.60
Personal Services Sector	0.54	0.71
Primary Sector	0.77	0.74
<b>Singapore</b>		
Business Services Sector	1.62	1.66
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.35	0.28
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.05	0.92
Personal Services Sector	0.26	0.29
Primary Sector	0.00	0.00
<b>Sri Lanka</b>		
Business Services Sector	1.03	1.11
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	3.10	2.68
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.25	0.13
Personal Services Sector	0.45	1.20
Primary Sector	0.66	0.66
<b>Taipei, China</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.77	0.75
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.59	0.55
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	2.13	2.21
Personal Services Sector	0.57	0.47
Primary Sector	0.07	0.07
<b>Thailand</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.99	1.17
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.47	1.20
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	1.02	0.77
Personal Services Sector	0.92	0.98
Primary Sector	0.63	0.72
<b>Viet Nam</b>		
Business Services Sector	0.67	0.68
Low-Technology Manufacturing Sector	2.50	2.50
Medium- and High-Technology Manufacturing Sector	0.51	0.61
Personal Services Sector	0.34	0.39
Primary Sector	1.65	1.46

Source: ADB Multi Region Input-Output Tables Database.