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ICT Challenges	ICT Opportunities
<p>Inadequate enforcement IP protection Limited financing and investment Weak human resources & organizational management Growing levels of international competition</p>	<p>Growing interest of MNCs Stronger cooperation & investment links with India and China Extend ICT access to rural population</p>

ICT Challenges

ICT Opportunities

Lack of skills & workforce
Lack of resources, coordination and capacity for SMEs
Higher cost of certain ICT services
Perceived weak IP law and enforcement
Shortage of electricity

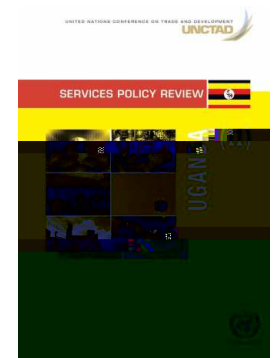
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ICT Challenges

Reliability and affordability of infrastructures
Limited government initiatives
Limited sources of investment
Weak intellectual property right laws
Skill shortages for higher value-added IT services

ICT Opportunities

Large world outsourcing market
New IT services facilities launched
Relatively low costs
Excellent English language skills



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Fiscal incentives/Funding support Easier and affordable payment IT education, secondary & college IT parks bilateral cooperation in the region	Policy incentive measures A national venture capital fund for IT firms Legalizing electronic transactions and digital signatures

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