



Syria

Overall Risk Score: **73**

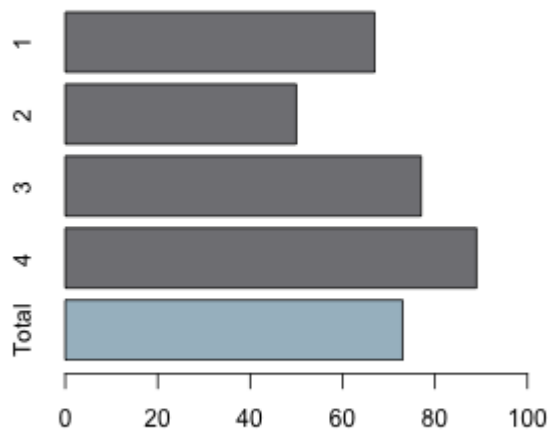
Level: **very high**

Snapshot
Size: 183,631 square km
2016 GDP: USD 1,792 per capita
Population: 22,551,404

This score is a composite of the four domain scores discussed below.

The bar chart below shows Syria’s total risk scores in 4 domains: (1) Business Interactions with Government, (2) Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement, (3) Government and Civil Service Transparency and (4) Capacity for Civil Society Oversight. The four domain scores are weighted and combined and a risk penalty is added for individual domain scores that exceed the overall country risk score. Each country is given a score from 1 to 100 for each domain, and for the total bribery risk. A higher score indicates a higher risk of business bribery.

- 1. Business Interactions with Government:** Syria receives a high score of 67 in this domain, based on a medium degree of government interaction, high expectation of bribes, and a medium regulatory burden.
- 2. Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement:** Syria receives a medium score of 50 in this domain, based on a high quality of anti-bribery laws and a low quality of anti-bribery enforcement.
- 3. Government and Civil Services Transparency:** Syria receives a high score of 77 in this domain, based on poor governmental transparency.
- 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight:** Syria receives a very high score of 89 in this domain, based on a very low degree of media freedom/quality and a very low degree of civic participation.



Domain	Risk Score
Overall Bribery Risk to Business	73
1. Business Interactions with Government	67
2. Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement	50
3. Government and Civil Service Transparency	77
4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight	89