



# Saudi Arabia

Overall Risk Score: 50

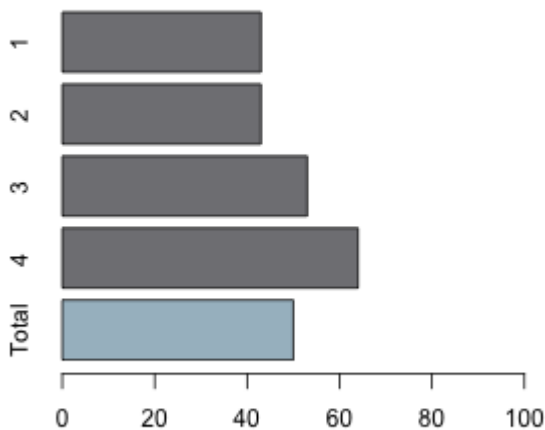
Level: **medium**

Snapshot	
<b>Size:</b>	1,960,582 square km
<b>2018 GDP:</b>	US\$20,380
<b>Population:</b>	33,554,343

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

The bar chart below shows Saudi Arabia’s total risk scores in 4 domains: (1) Business Interactions with Government, (2) Anti-Bribery Deterrence 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:** Saudi Arabia receives a low score of 43 in this domain, based on a high degree of government interaction, low expectation of bribes, and a low regulatory burden.
- 2. Anti-bribery Deterrence and Enforcement:** Saudi Arabia receives a medium score of 43 in this domain, based on a medium quality of anti-bribery laws and a medium quality of anti-bribery enforcement.
- 3. Government and Civil Services Transparency:** Saudi Arabia receives a medium score of 53 in this domain, based on medium governmental transparency and medium transparency of financial interests.
- 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight:** Saudi Arabia receives a high score of 64 in this domain, based on a very low degree of media freedom/quality and a medium degree of civic engagement.



Domain	Risk Score
<b>Overall Bribery Risk to Business</b>	<b>50</b>
1. Business Interactions with Government	43
2. Anti-bribery Deterrence and Enforcement	43
3. Government and Civil Service Transparency	53
4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight	64