



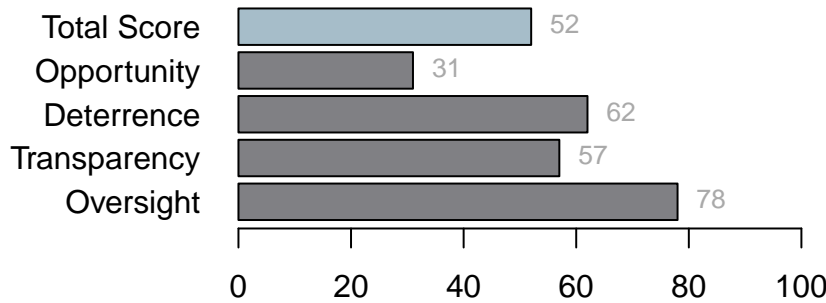
# Saudi Arabia

**Overall Risk Score: 52**

**Risk Level: medium**

This score is a composite of the four domain scores discussed below, which are weighted and combined to produce 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. Assessments of whether a given domain score is “good” or “poor” are made relative to all other jurisdictions within that domain.

- 1. Business Interactions with Government:** Saudi Arabia receives a good score of 31 in this domain, based on a low degree of government interaction, a medium expectation of bribes, and a low regulatory burden.
- 2. Anti-bribery Deterrence and Enforcement:** Saudi Arabia receives a poor score of 62 in this domain, based on a low quality of anti-bribery dissuasion and a medium quality of anti-bribery enforcement.
- 3. Government and Civil Service Transparency:** Saudi Arabia receives a medium score of 57 in this domain, based on poor governmental transparency and good transparency of financial interests.
- 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight:** Saudi Arabia receives a very poor score of 78 in this domain, based on a very low degree of media freedom/quality and a very low degree of civil society engagement.



## TRACE Bribery Risk Typology:

### Authoritarian with robust enforcement and oil

This group is characterized by stable, oil-rich, less democratic states with strong anti-bribery enforcement.

Comparable Jurisdictions	Matrix Scores
Brunei Darussalam	50
Oman	51
Qatar	52

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