

## Belgium

Overall Risk Score: 36

Level: low

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

## **Snapshot**

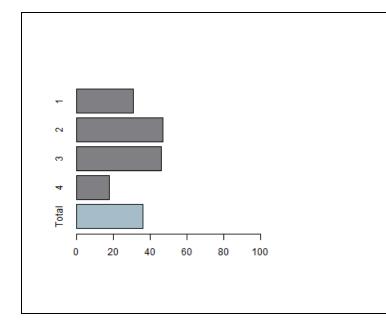
• Size: 30280 square km

• **CY12 GDP/Person:** \$43399

CY11 GDP/Person: \$46464
Population: 11128k

The bar chart below shows Belgium'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**: Belgium scores 31 on this measure, indicating low risk of intensive interaction with the government, low regulatory burden, and a low expectation of bribes.
- 2. Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement: Belgium's score of 47 is moderate.
- **3. Government and Civil Service Transparency**: Belgium's score of 46 indicates a moderate quality of administration and governmental transparency.
- **4.** Capacity for Civil Society Oversight: Belgium's score of 18 suggests a very low risk.



Domain	Risk Score
Overall Bribery Risk to Businesses	36
Business Interactions with Government	31
Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement	47
Government and Civil Service Transparency	46
Capacity for Civil Society Oversight	18

