



El Salvador

Overall Risk Score: **52**

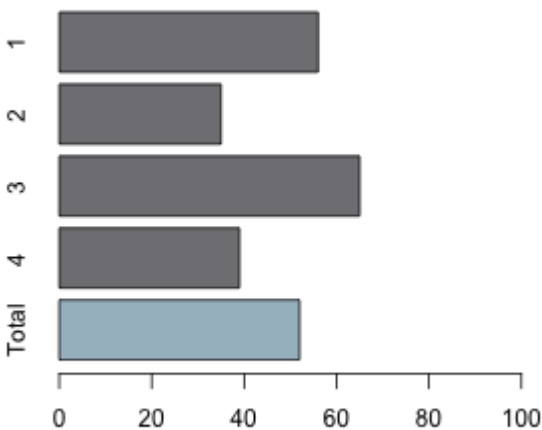
Level: **medium**

| Snapshot |
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| Size: 20,720 square km |
| 2016 GDP: USD 4,169 per capita |
| Population: 6,427,743 |

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

The bar chart below shows El Salvador’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:** El Salvador receives a medium score of 56 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:** El Salvador receives a low score of 35 in this domain, based on a very high quality of anti-bribery laws and a medium quality of anti-bribery enforcement.
- 3. Government and Civil Services Transparency:** El Salvador receives a high score of 65 in this domain, based on poor governmental transparency and poor transparency of financial interests.
- 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight:** El Salvador receives a low score of 39 in this domain, based on a high degree of media freedom/quality and a medium degree of civic participation.



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| Overall Bribery Risk to Business | 52 |
| 1. Business Interactions with Government | 56 |
| 2. Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement | 35 |
| 3. Government and Civil Service Transparency | 65 |
| 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight | 39 |