

South Korea

Overall Risk Score: **37**

Level: **low**

Snapshot

Size: 98,189 square km

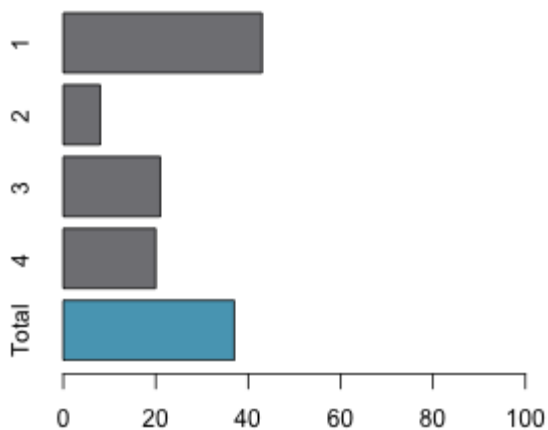
2015 GDP: USD 28,050 per capita

Population: 49,119,700

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

The bar chart below shows South Korea'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:** South Korea scores 43 in this domain, based on a low degree of government interaction, moderate expectation of bribes, and a moderate regulatory burden.
- 2. Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement:** South Korea scores 8 in this domain, based on a very high quality of anti-bribery laws and a high quality of anti-bribery enforcement.
- 3. Government and Civil Services Transparency:** South Korea scores 21 in this domain, based on good governmental transparency and very good civil-service transparency/health.
- 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight:** South Korea scores 20 in this domain, based on a high degree of media freedom/quality and a very high degree of social development.



Domain	Risk Score
Overall Bribery Risk to Business	37
1. Business Interactions with Government	43
2. Anti-Bribery Laws and Enforcement	8
3. Government and Civil Service Transparency	21
4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight	20