

## Barbados

**Overall Risk Score: 43**

**Level: moderate**

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

### Snapshot

- **Size:** 430 square km
- **CY12 GDP/Person:** \$14917
- **CY11 GDP/Person:** \$15503
- **Population:** 283k

The bar chart below shows Barbados'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:** Barbados scores 38 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:** Barbados's score of 64 is high.
- 3. Government and Civil Service Transparency:** Barbados's score of 47 indicates a moderate quality of administration and governmental transparency.
- 4. Capacity for Civil Society Oversight:** Barbados's score of 29 suggests a low risk.

