

Two-thirds of countries “highly corrupt”

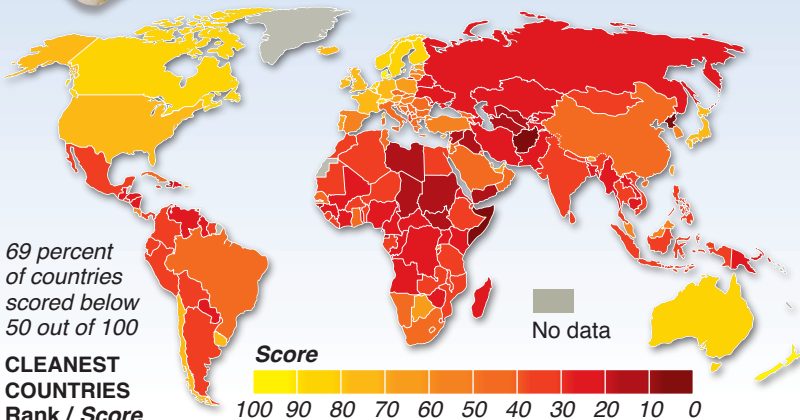
Worldwide, almost 70 percent of countries are perceived to have a “serious problem” with public sector corruption, according to Transparency International’s annual Corruption Perceptions Index

MOST CORRUPT COUNTRIES

Score*

Rank	168	Syria	17
(out of 177	168	Turkmenistan	17
countries)	168	Uzbekistan	17
	171	Iraq	16
	172	Libya	15
*Scale of 0	173	South Sudan	14
(highly corrupt)	174	Sudan	11
to 100	175	Afghanistan	8
(very clean)	175	North Korea	8
	175	Somalia	8

WORLD CORRUPTION LEVELS



1	Denmark	91	11	Luxembourg	80	21	Ireland	72
1	New Zealand	91	12	Germany	78	22	Bahamas	71
3	Finland	89	12	Iceland	78	22	Chile	71
3	Sweden	89	14	United Kingdom	76	22	France	71
5	Norway	86	15	Barbados	75	22	Saint Lucia	71
5	Singapore	86	15	Belgium	75	26	Austria	69
7	Switzerland	85	15	Hong Kong	75	26	UAE	69
8	Netherlands	83	18	Japan	74	28	Estonia	68
9	Australia	81	19	United States	73	28	Qatar	68
9	Canada	81	19	Uruguay	73	30	Botswana	64