

### COUNTRY SECURITY RISK RATING MAP 2024

The country security risk rating map shows the overall country rating, providing an immediate assessment of the overarching conditions within the country. It is a substantive rating assessed through a thorough and rigorous analysis of all key country risk variables. The map is annotated with icons to indicate high and extreme threat levels associated with security, health and medical, kidnapping, infrastructure, environmental, and political conditions.

OVERALL RISK RATING BREAKDOWN	EXTREME	HIGH	MODERATE	LOW	MINIMAL
The overall rating provides an assessment of the overarching conditions within a country. It is a substantive rating assessed through a thorough and rigorous analysis of all key risk variables, including security, political, infrastructural, environmental and medical challenges.	The operating environment is characterized by pervasive direct threats to business, personal safety and/or travel, requiring strict risk management procedures.	The operating environment is hostile and there are significant threats to business, personal safety and/or travel, requiring comprehensive mitigations and planning.	The operating environment is challenging and there are serious threats to business and/or travel that requires some mitigations.	The operating environment is generally permissive, although there are a limited number of threats to business and/or travel that requires basic mitigations.	The operating environment is benign and there are only isolated threats to business and/or travel.

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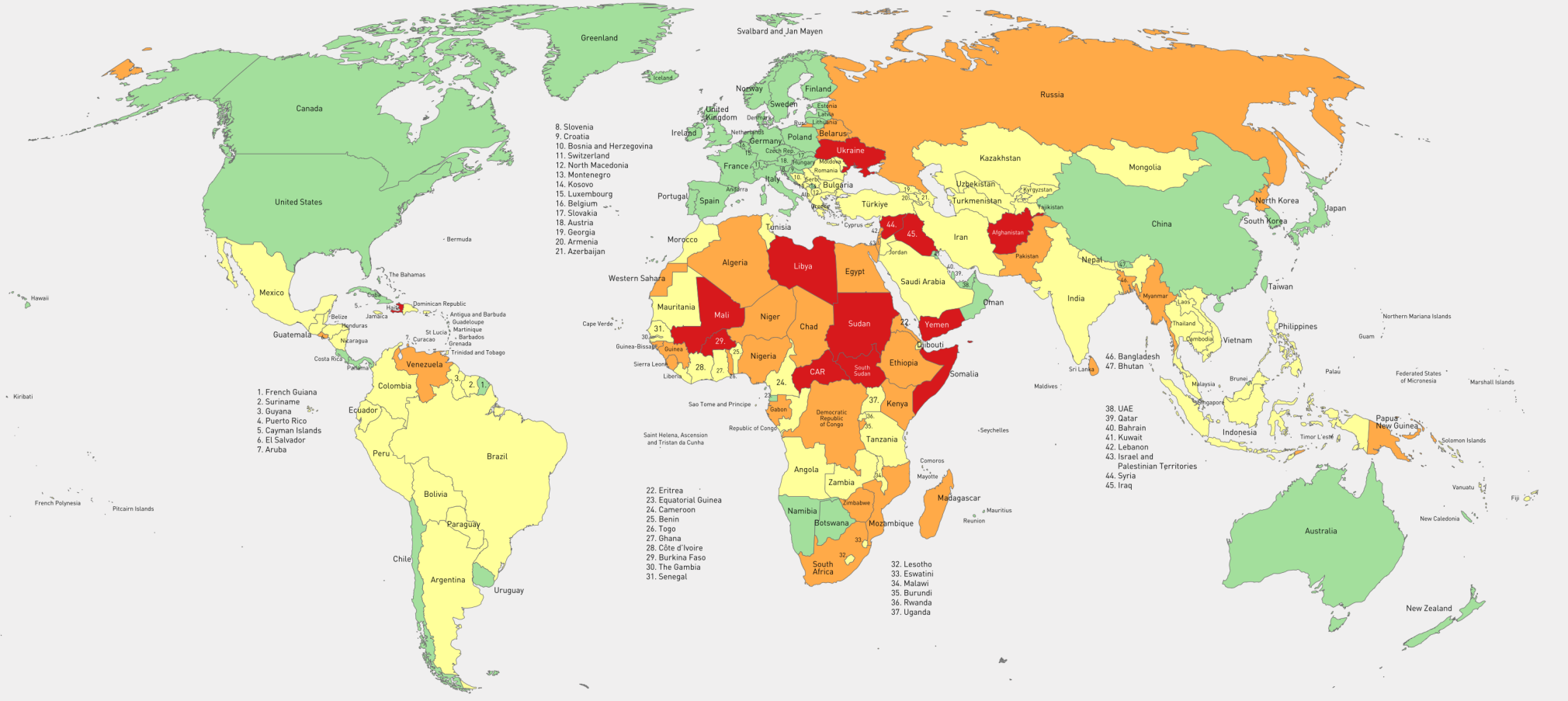
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<p><b>EXTREME THREAT OF KIDNAPPING</b></p> <p>The threat of abduction is pervasive and endemic in the majority of the country or territory. Kidnappers typically target both locals and foreigners.</p>	<p><b>EXTREME THREAT TO INFRASTRUCTURE</b></p> <p>Infrastructure is poor across most of the territory, and there are major safety concerns. Utilities provision is very unreliable or even unavailable throughout most of the territory.</p>	<p><b>EXTREME THREAT TO HEALTH AND MEDICAL</b></p> <p>Health threats are nearly universal. Most threats are endemic, but dynamic incidents also occur and threaten health. Healthcare services are significantly impaired or absent, and medical evacuation services are required for any advanced care.</p>	<p><b>EXTREME THREAT OF ENVIRONMENT IMPACT</b></p> <p>Environmental hazards pose major challenges to the operating environment.</p>	<p><b>EXTREME THREAT OF POLITICAL INSTABILITY</b></p> <p>The country is effectively a failed state. Institutions are unable to provide basic services, and there is total breakdown of law and order.</p>	<p><b>EXTREME THREAT OF INSECURITY</b></p> <p>The security environment in the country is generally hostile and business operations face severe challenges.</p>
<p><b>HIGH THREAT OF KIDNAPPING</b></p> <p>The threat of abduction is pervasive and endemic, but may be elevated in specific areas or at specific times. Kidnappers typically target both locals and foreigners.</p>	<p><b>HIGH THREAT TO INFRASTRUCTURE</b></p> <p>Infrastructure is underdeveloped in most of the territory, and safety standards are poor. Utilities provision is unreliable.</p>	<p><b>HIGH THREAT TO HEALTH AND MEDICAL</b></p> <p>Health threats are widespread, and dynamic outbreaks occur frequently. Healthcare services may be absent, disrupted, or have substandard and challenges levels.</p>	<p><b>HIGH THREAT OF ENVIRONMENT IMPACT</b></p> <p>Environmental hazards pose significant challenges to the operating environment.</p>	<p><b>HIGH THREAT OF POLITICAL INSTABILITY</b></p> <p>State institutions are unreliable and ineffective throughout most of the country, and can only provide basic services in its capital and/or major urban centers.</p>	<p><b>HIGH THREAT OF INSECURITY</b></p> <p>The security environment in the majority of the country poses significant challenges, and there may be some regions that are inherently unsafe.</p>

# OVERALL ASSESSMENT RATING MAP

The overall country rating is designed to give clients an immediate assessment of the overarching conditions in any given country. The ratings is a substantive rating assessed through a thorough and rigorous analysis of all key country risk variables, and informed through the individual component ratings. This rating is of most use to clients looking for the simplest understanding of levels of country risk, whose risk appetite or risk tolerance requires only a single, monolithic country risk rating.

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## OVERALL COUNTRY ASSESSMENT RATING BREAKDOWN

### EXTREME

The operating environment is characterized by pervasive direct threats to business, personal safety and/or travel, requiring strict risk management procedures.

### HIGH

The operating environment is hostile and there are significant threats to business, personal safety and/or travel, requiring comprehensive mitigations and planning.

### MODERATE

The operating environment is challenging and there are serious threats to business and/or travel that requires some mitigations.

### LOW

The operating environment is generally permissive, although there are a limited number of threats to business and/or travel that requires basic mitigations.

### MINIMAL

The operating environment is benign and there are only isolated threats to business and/or travel.

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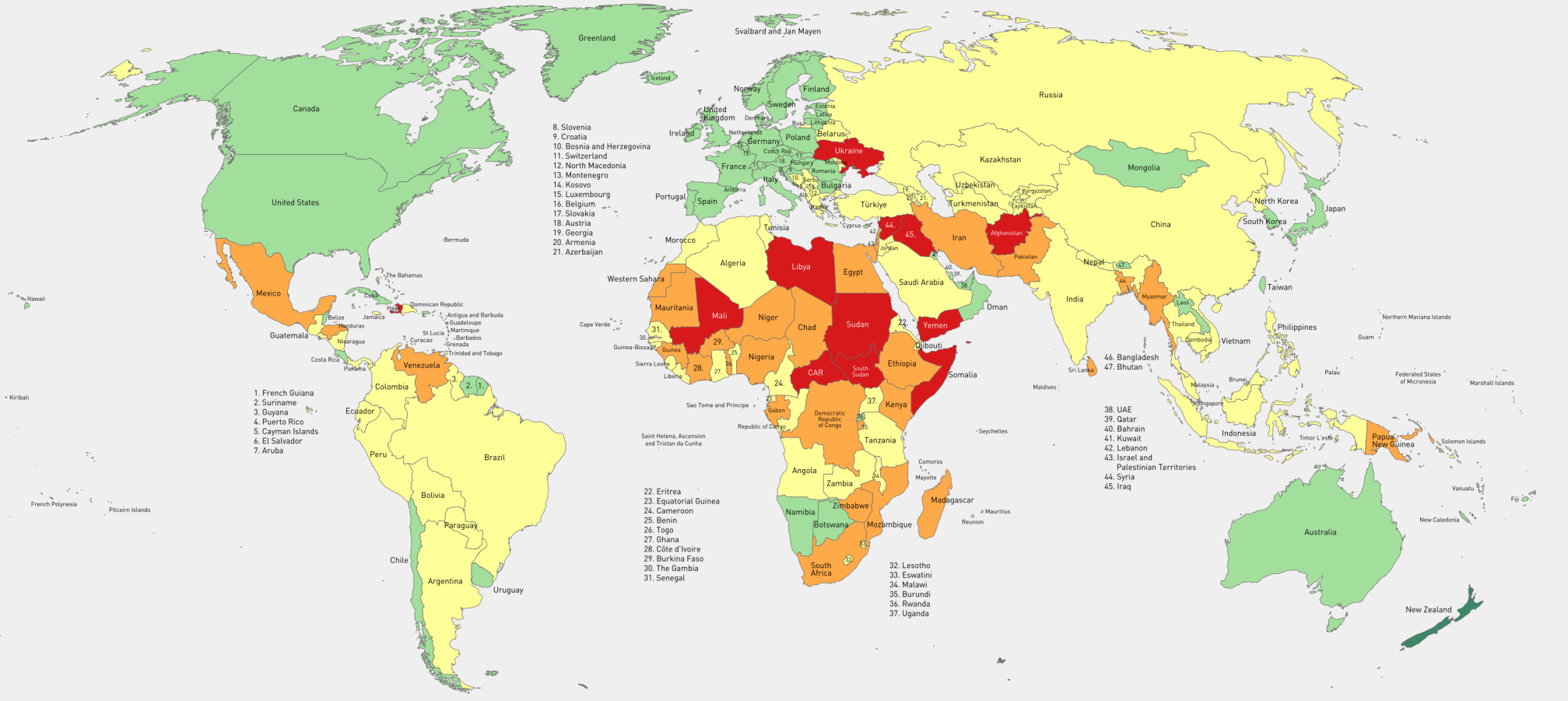
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# SECURITY ASSESSMENT RATING MAP

The security category provides an assessment of the security conditions within a territory. It incorporates levels and prevalence of crime, conflict, terrorism and unrest, and the impact upon business operations and foreign travelers.

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## SECURITY ASSESSMENT RATING BREAKDOWN

### EXTREME

The security environment in a country or territory is generally hostile and business operations face severe challenges.

### HIGH

The security environment in the majority of the country or territory poses significant challenges, and there may be some regions that are inherently unsafe.

### MODERATE

There are some security challenges in the country or territory that may adversely affect business operations.

### LOW

There are limited security challenges in the country or territory, but they do not impede business operations.

### MINIMAL

There are isolated security challenges in the country or territory.

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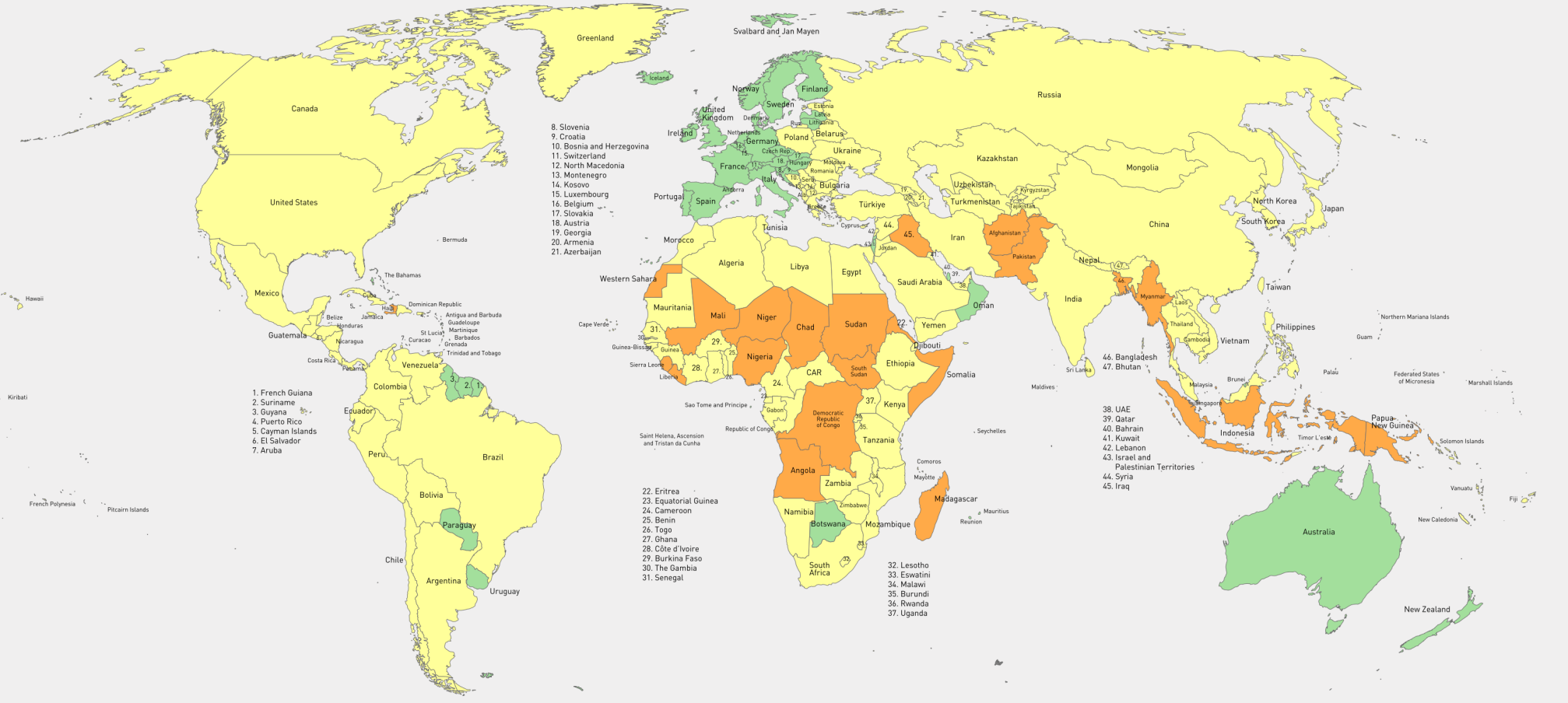
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# ENVIRONMENT ASSESSMENT RATING MAP

The environmental category map provides an assessment of the impact of environmental factors on business operations and travelers. It includes assessment of seismic events, extreme weather, and climate conditions. The category also includes the impact of manmade hazards, such as unexploded ordnance, industrial pollutants, and industrial accidents.

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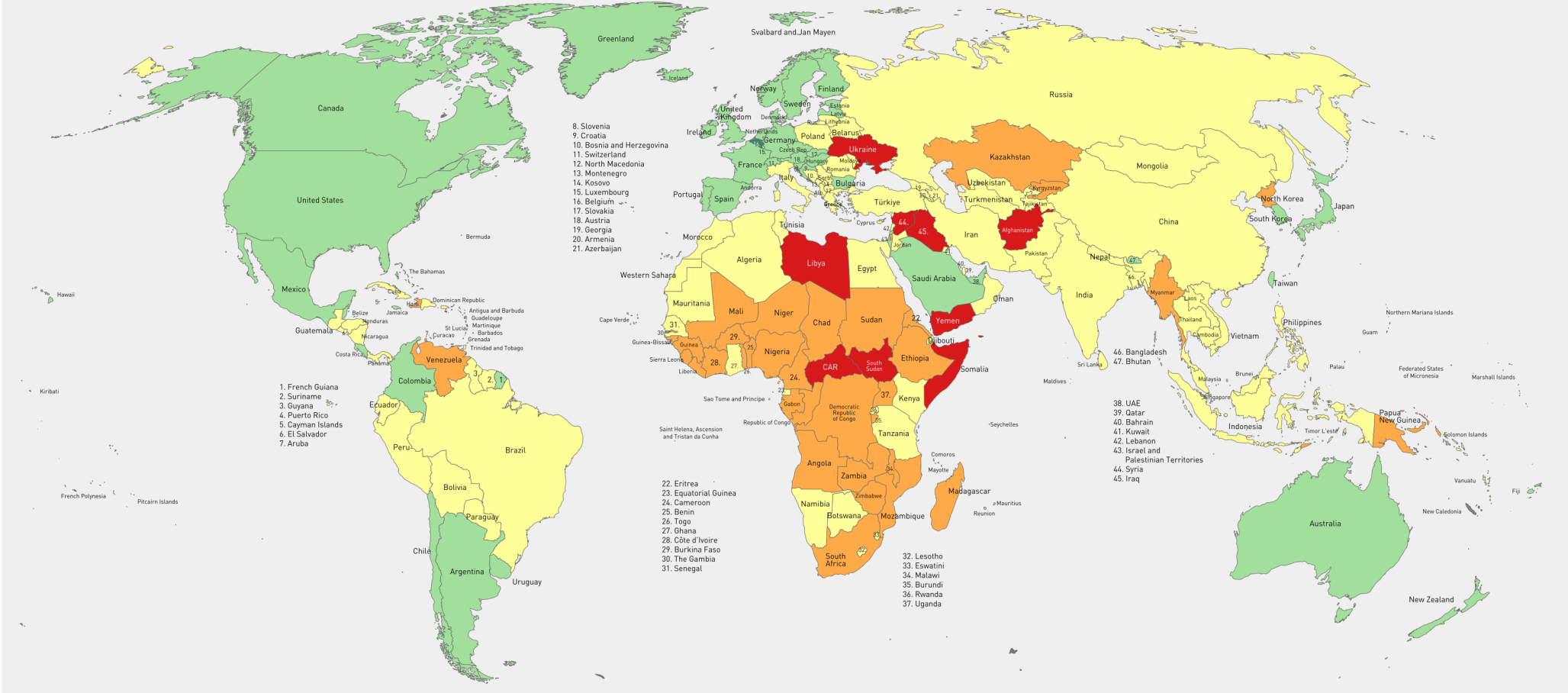
- EXTREME**  
Environmental hazards pose major challenges to the operating environment.
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- MODERATE**  
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- LOW**  
Environmental hazards pose only minor challenges to the operating environment.
- MINIMAL**  
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# INFRASTRUCTURE ASSESSMENT RATING MAP

The infrastructure category is an assessment of the conditions and reliability of infrastructure in a territory. The category includes an examination of safety, security, and regulatory standards as they relate to aviation and overland travel, and levels of access to utilities. Infrastructure also includes assessment of digital and cyber threats, the level of technology employed and the existence of dedicated cyber security mitigation measures at the country level.



## INFRASTRUCTURE ASSESSMENT RATING BREAKDOWN

<p><b>EXTREME</b></p> <p>Infrastructure is poor across most of the territory, and there are major safety concerns. Utilities provision is very unreliable or even unavailable throughout most of the territory.</p>	<p><b>HIGH</b></p> <p>Infrastructure is underdeveloped in most of the territory, and safety standards are poor. Utilities provision is unreliable.</p>	<p><b>MODERATE</b></p> <p>Infrastructure is adequate in urban centers but may be limited elsewhere. Utilities provision is reliable in the main urban centers, but limited in suburbs and rural areas.</p>
<p><b>LOW</b></p> <p>Infrastructure is well-developed across much of the territory. Utilities provision is reliable in most parts of the territory.</p>	<p><b>MINIMAL</b></p> <p>Infrastructure is of the highest standard. Utilities provision is uniformly reliable.</p>	<p><b>NOT ASSESSED</b></p> <p>The location depicted has insufficient data available for a rating.</p>

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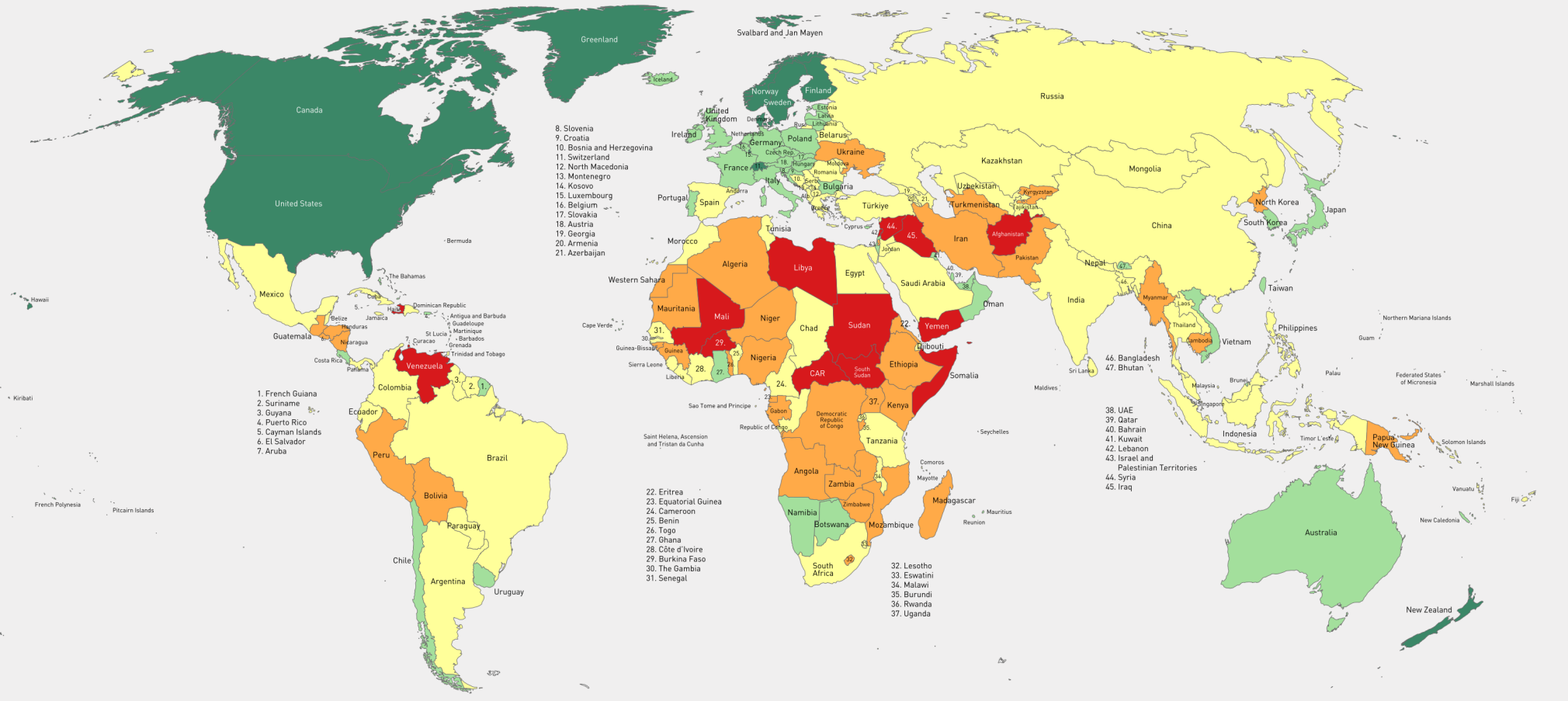
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# POLITICAL ASSESSMENT RATING MAP

The political category provides an assessment of the political conditions within a territory, and its impact on businesses and foreign travelers. The category incorporates analysis of challenges to government authority and its perceived legitimacy, and the prevalence of corruption and presence of sanctions. It also provides assessment of the level of judicial independence and measures the consistency of application of legal decisions.

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## POLITICAL ASSESSMENT RATING BREAKDOWN

### EXTREME

The country is effectively a failed state. Institutions are unable to provide basic services, and there is total breakdown of law and order.

### HIGH

State institutions are unreliable and ineffective throughout most of the country, and can only provide basic services in its capital and/or major urban centers.

### MODERATE

State institutions are fairly competent but face challenges that affect their ability to provide basic services in parts of the country.

### LOW

State institutions are mostly competent and effective, and provide reliable services across most of the country.

### MINIMAL

State institutions are well-established and functioning, and are respected internationally.

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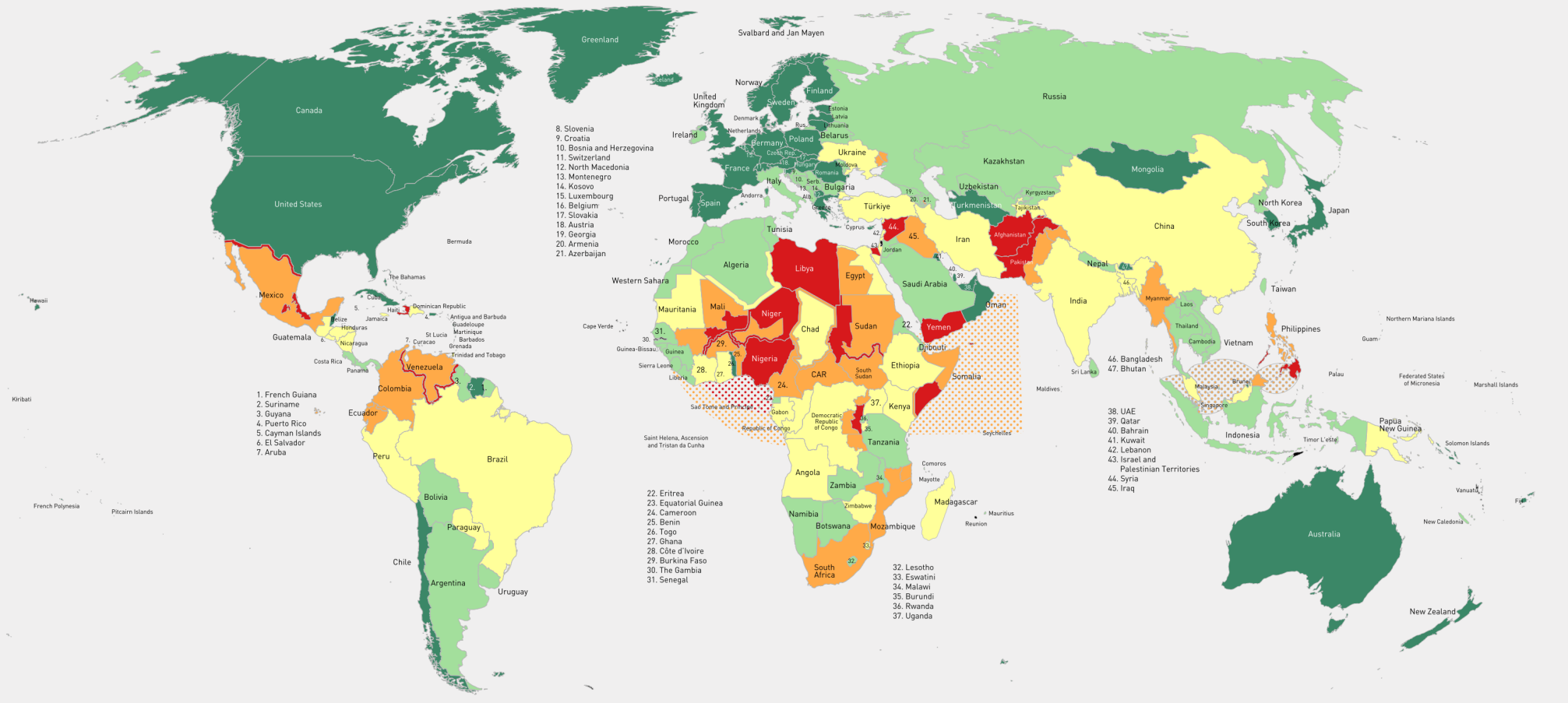
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# KIDNAPPING SECURITY ASSESSMENT RATING MAP

This map represents the overall kidnapping threat. The rating is influenced by several factors, including crime rates, common kidnapper motivations and modus operandi, the country's geopolitical environment, and the presence or absence of terrorism.

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## KIDNAPPING ASSESSMENT RATING BREAKDOWN

### EXTREME

The threat of abduction/piracy is pervasive and endemic in the majority of the country or territory. Kidnappers typically target both locals and foreigners.

### HIGH

The threat of abduction/piracy is pervasive and endemic, but may be elevated in specific areas or at specific times. Kidnappers typically target both locals and foreigners.

### MODERATE

The threat of kidnapping is episodic, and while abductors typically target locals, foreigners remain at risk.

### LOW

The threat of abduction, if present, generally exists in specific areas and within the local population, with limited impact on travelers or businesses.

### MINIMAL

The threat of abduction is negligible.

### NOT ASSESSED

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