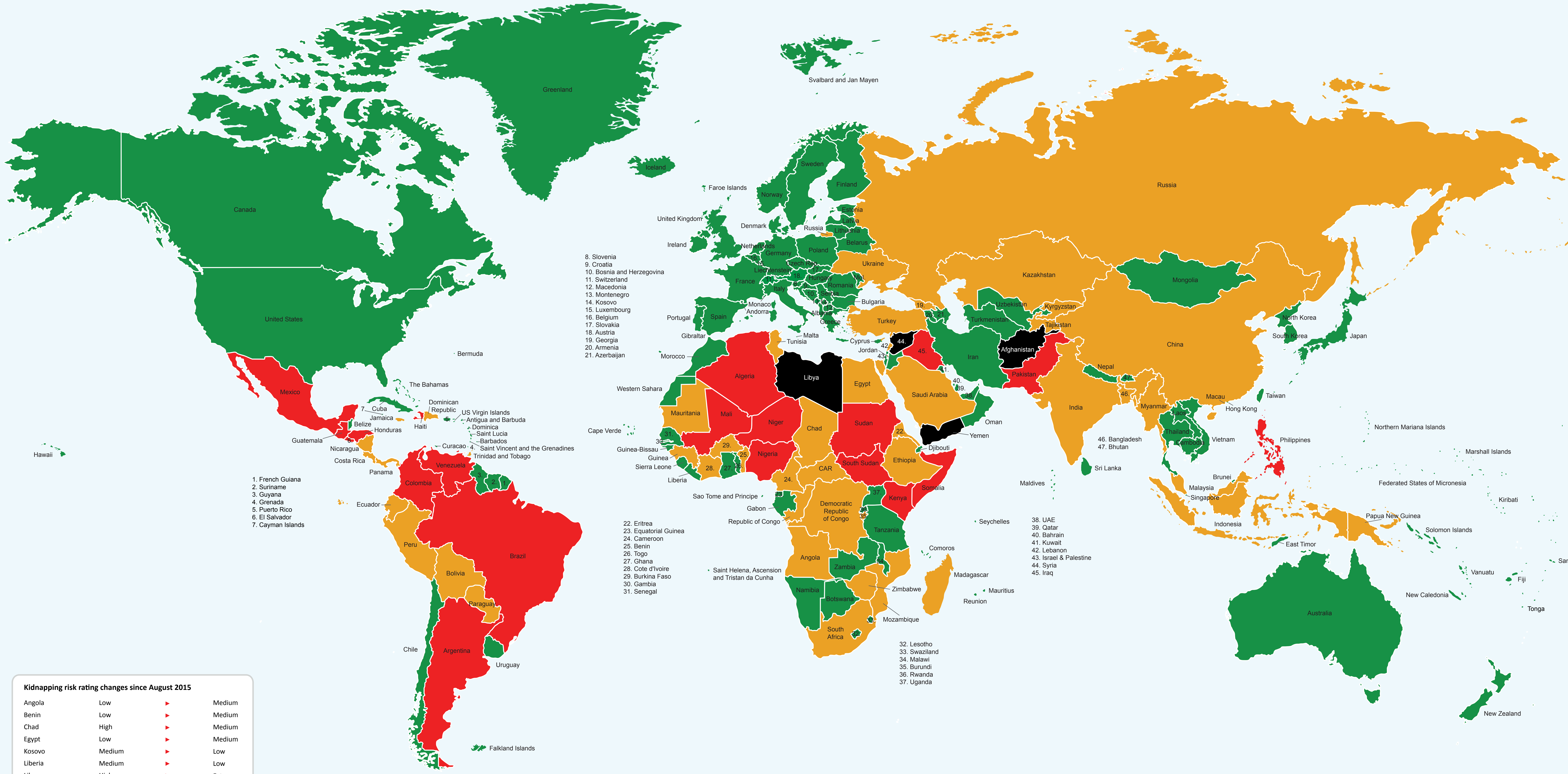




red24 Global Kidnapping Threat Map 2017

KKidnap for ransom and extortion (KRE) remains a credible security threat in numerous areas of the world in 2017. This map delineates the overall kidnapping threat level by country; and in line with red24's client focus, an elevated threat to foreign recreational and business travellers, business interests, and NGO and media personnel has been used as the primary criterion in its compilation. In light of KRE data sourcing challenges; open-source, privileged and anecdotal information, together with available information pertaining to kidnapping rates, threat types and incident dynamics, have been used in this assessment. Furthermore, additional security concerns which hold the potential to contribute to KRE threat levels, such as crime, terrorism, economic conditions, and corruption and/or weak law enforcement, have also been taken into account.



1. French Guiana
2. Suriname
3. Guyana
4. Grenada
5. Puerto Rico
6. El Salvador
7. Cayman Islands

8. Slovenia
9. Croatia
10. Bosnia and Herzegovina
11. Switzerland
12. Macedonia
13. Montenegro
14. Kosovo
15. Luxembourg
16. Belgium
17. Slovakia
18. Austria
19. Georgia
20. Armenia
21. Azerbaijan

22. Eritrea
23. Equatorial Guinea
24. Cameroon
25. Benin
26. Togo
27. Ghana
28. Cote d'Ivoire
29. Burkina Faso
30. Gambia
31. Senegal

32. Lesotho
33. Swaziland
34. Malawi
35. Burundi
36. Rwanda
37. Uganda

38. UAE
39. Qatar
40. Bahrain
41. Kuwait
42. Lebanon
43. Israel & Palestine
44. Syria
45. Iraq

Kidnapping risk rating changes since August 2015

Angola	Low	▶	Medium
Benin	Low	▶	Medium
Chad	High	▶	Medium
Egypt	Low	▶	Medium
Kosovo	Medium	▶	Low
Liberia	Medium	▶	Low
Libya	High	▶	Extreme
Somalia	Extreme	▶	High
Tunisia	Low	▶	Medium
Western Sahara	Medium	▶	Low
Yemen	High	▶	Extreme

Kidnapping risk rating key

Low risk	Medium risk	High risk	Extreme risk
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