IUU Fishing Risk Index

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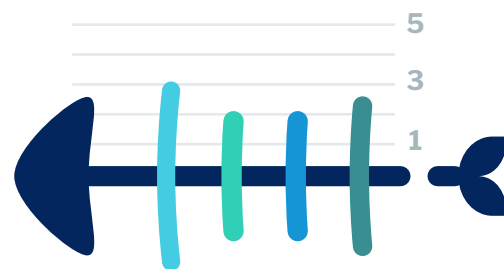
2023 Country profile

Guinea

World ranking
132 of 152 countries ▼ 31

Africa
38 of 38 countries ▼ 8
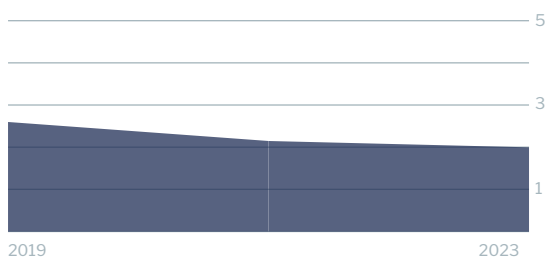
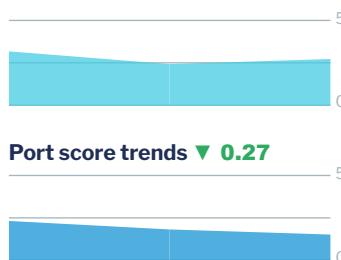**East Atlantic ranking**
33 of 41 countries ▼ 11

2023
IUU Score

1.98

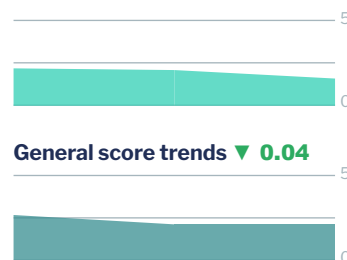| Coastal	Flag	Port	General
2.75	1.58	1.56	2.13

IUU score trends
2021 - 2023 change ▼ 0.15

2019   2023

Coastal score trends ▲ 0.31

Flag score trends ▼ 0.52

Port score trends ▼ 0.27

General score trends ▼ 0.04

Note: Higher scores, and ranks closer to 1, indicate worse/poor performance. Green or red arrows show change in 2023 compared to 2021.

Coastal score   **2.75**   ▲ 0.31

Coastal score by vulnerability   **3.33**   ▼ 0.17

Related Indicators	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Size of EEZ	2.0	2.0	— 0	2.0
Agreement over all maritime boundaries	5.0	5.0	— 0	5.0
Dependency on fish for protein	1.0	2.0	▼ 1.0	2.0
Authorise foreign vessels to operate in EEZ	5.0	5.0	— 0	5.0

Coastal score by prevalence   **3.80**   ▲ 1.20

	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Has MSC-certified fisheries	5.0	5.0	— 0	5.0
Views of MCS practitioners on coastal compliance incidents	3.0	1.0	▲ 2.0	1.0

Coastal score by response   **1.00**   — 0

	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Coastal State is contracting party or cooperating non-contracting party to all relevant RFMOs	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Operate a national VMS/FMC centre	1.0	1.0	— 0	5.0

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Flag score **1.58** ▼ 0.52

Flag score by vulnerability **1.00** — 0

Related Indicators	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Distant water vessels on RFMO RAVs	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Distant water vessels under several RFMOs	1.0	not applicable		not applicable

Flag score by prevalence **1.00** ▼ 0.67

	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Vessels on IUU lists	1.0	3.0	▼ 2.0	3.0
View of fisheries observers on flag state compliance incidents	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Views of MCS practitioners on flag state compliance incidents	1.0	1.0	— 0	2.0

Flag score by response **2.56** ▼ 0.44

	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Accepted FAO Compliance Agreement	5.0	not applicable		not applicable
Registered vessels with foreign or unknown ownership 🚩	5.0	5.0	— 0	not available
Provision of vessel data for inclusion in Global Record	1.0	1.0	— 0	5.0
Compliance with RFMO flag state obligations	3.0	5.0	▼ 2.0	3.0
Flag State is contracting party or cooperating non-contracting party to all relevant RFMOs	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0

🚩 Indicator "Authorised vessel data provided to FAO HSVAR" used in 2019 has changed to "Registered vessels with foreign or unknown ownership" since 2021.

Port score **1.56** ▼ 0.27

Port score by vulnerability **3.50** ▼ 0.50

Related Indicators	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Number of fishing ports	2.0	3.0	▼ 1.0	3.0
Port visits by foreign fishing or carrier vessels	5.0	5.0	— 0	5.0

Port score by prevalence **1.50** ▼ 0.50

	2023	2021	2021-2023 change	2019
Views of MCS practitioners on port compliance incidents	1.0	2.0	▼ 1.0	1.0
View of fisheries observers on port compliance incidents	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0

Port score by response   1.00 — 0

Related Indicators	2023	2021	2019-2021 change	2019
Party to the PSMA	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Designated ports specified for entry by foreign vessels	1.0	1.0	— 0	5.0
Compliance with RFMO port state obligations	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0

General score   2.13 ▼ 0.04

General score by vulnerability   3.00 ▼ 0.22

Related Indicators	2023	2021	2019-2021 change	2019
Trade balance for fisheries products	2.0	4.0	▼ 2.0	3.0
Share of global imports	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Perception of levels of corruption	4.0	4.0	— 0	4.0
Gross national income per capita	5.0	5.0	— 0	5.0
Volume of catches	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0

General score by prevalence   1.00 ▼ 0.43

	2023	2021	2019-2021 change	2019
Carded' under the EU IUU Regulation	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Identified' by NOAA for IUU fishing	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Mentions of IUU fishing in media reports	1.0	2.0	▼ 1.0	2.0

General score by response   2.14 ▲ 0.28

	2023	2021	2019-2021 change	2019
Mandatory vessel tracking for commercial seagoing fleet	1.0	1.0	— 0	not available
Demand for MSC products	5.0	5.0	— 0	5.0
Ratification/accession of UNCLOS Convention	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Ratification/accession of UNFSA	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0
Mentions in media reports to combatting IUU fishing	5.0	3.0	▲ 2.0	3.0
Have a NPOA-IUU	1.0	1.0	— 0	5.0
Market State is contracting party or cooperating non-contracting party to relevant RFMOs	1.0	1.0	— 0	1.0