Description: The VUMC International Privacy Office (IPO) assigns a privacy risk score to each country. The IPO uses these baseline scores when assessing if a particular project needs further approval to proceed. When planning a project, additional approval delays may occur for any research in a country with a score over 20.

When applying for an NIH-funded grant please consult these scores as an aid to assessing whether foreign laws may impact on your data sharing plans. For more information on how the IPO and contracts office use these scores consult the **Policy**: International Data Privacy: Assessment and Remediation of Privacy Risks Arising from the Processing of Non-U.S. Personal Information, and the **SOP**: International Data Privacy: Risk Assessment and Remediation.

Date RA Updated	COUNTRY	RISK STATUS	RISK SCORE
22-Aug-2022	Afghanistan	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Albania	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Algeria	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Andorra	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Angola	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Antigua and Barbuda	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Argentina	MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021	Armenia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Australia	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Austria	LOW	0
22-Aug-2022	Azerbaijan	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Bahamas	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Bahrain	HIGH	20
	Bangladesh	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Barbados	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Belarus	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Belgium	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Belize	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Benin	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	BERMUDA	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Bhutan	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022	Bolivia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Bosnia and Herzegovina	HIGH	20
	Botswana	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Brazil	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Brunei	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022	Bulgaria	MEDIUM	10
15-May-2023	Burkina Faso	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Burundi	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Cape Verde	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Cambodia	Low	0

05-Jul-2021	Cameroon	Low	0
05-Jul-2021	Canada	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	CAYMAN ISLANDS	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Central African Republic (CAR)	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Chad	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022	Chile	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	China	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Colombia	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Comoros	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Congo, Democratic Republic of the	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Congo, Republic of the	High	20
25-Oct-2021	Costa Rica	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Cote d'Ivoire	High	20
05-Jul-2021	Croatia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Cuba	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Cyprus	MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021	Czech Republic	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021		LOW	0
22-Aug-2022	Djibouti	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Dominican Republic	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021		To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Ecuador	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Egypt	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	El Salvador	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Equatorial Guinea	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Eritrea	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Estonia	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Ethiopa	MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021	Fiji	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Finland	MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021	France	MEDIUM	10
15-May-2023	Gabon	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Gambia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
15-May-2023	Georgia	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Germany	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Ghana	HIGH	20
15-May-2023	Gibraltar	HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021	Greece	MEDIUM	10
22-Aug-2022	Grenada	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Guatemala	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	GUERNSEY	MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021	Guinea	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Guinea-Bissau	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Guyana	LOW	0
22-Aug-2022	Haiti	LOW	0
05-Jul-2021	Honduras	Low	0
05-Jul-2021	Hong Kong	MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021	Hungary	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
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05-Jul-2021	Iceland	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021		HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021		HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021		To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021		To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021		MEDIUM	10
22-Aug-2022		MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021		LOW	0
05-Jul-2021		To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021	Japan	MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021		MEDIUM	10
05-Jul-2021		LOW	0
22-Aug-2022	Kazakhstan	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
05-Jul-2021		MEDIUM	10
22-Aug-2022	Kiribati	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
-	KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE (S. Korea)	High	20
15-May-2023		HIGH	20
15-May-2023		HIGH	20
05-Jul-2021		To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022		To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
-	Latvia	LOW	0
	Lebanon	LOW	0
	Lesotho	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Liberia	LOW	0
	Libya	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Liechtenstein	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Lithuania	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Luxembourg	LOW	0
	MACAU	HIGH	20
	Madagascar	HIGH	20
	Malawi	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Malaysia	HIGH	20
	Maldives	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Mali	High	20
	Malta	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022	Marshall Islands	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022	Mauritania	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Mauritius	HIGH	20
	Mexico	HIGH	20
22-Aug-2022	Micronesia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022	Moldova	LOW	0
	Monaco	MEDIUM	10
15-May-2023	Mongolia	HIGH	20
	Montenegro	HIGH	20
22-Aug-2022	Morocco	HIGH	20
22-Aug-2022	Mozambique	High	20
22-Aug-2022	Myanmar (formerly Burma)	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Namibia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed

	Nauru	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
15-May-2023	Nepal	HIGH	20
•	Netherlands	LOW	0
	New Zealand	LOW	0
	Nicaragua	LOW	0
	Niger	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Nigeria	LOW	0
	North Korea	HIGH	20
	North Macedonia (formerly Macedonia)	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Norway	LOW	0
	Oman	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Pakistan	LOW	0
	Palau	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Palestine	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Panama	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Papua New Guinea	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Paraguay	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Peru	MEDIUM	10
	Philippines	HIGH	20
	Poland	LOW	0
	Portugal	LOW	0
	PUERTO RICO	LOW	0
	Qatar	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Romania	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Russia	HIGH	20
	Rwanda	High	20
	Saint Kitts and Nevis	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Saint Lucia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Samoa	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
15-May-2023	San Marino	Medium	10
	Sao Tome and Principe	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Saudi Arabia	High	20
	Senegal	Low	0
	Serbia	HIGH	20
	Seychelles	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Sierra Leone	LOW	0
	Singapore	HIGH	20
	Slovakia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Slovenia	LOW	0
	Solomon Islands	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Somalia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	South Africa	MEDIUM	10
	South Sudan	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Spain	LOW	0
15-May-2023	Sri Lanka	Low	0
	Sudan	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Suriname	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed

15-May-2023	Swaziland	MEDIUM	10
	Sweden	LOW	0
	Switzerland	MEDIUM	10
	Syria	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Taiwan	MEDIUM	10
	Tajikistan	HIGH	20
	Tanzania	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
22-Aug-2022	TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF	LOW	0
	Thailand	HIGH	20
	Timor-Leste	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Тодо	Low	0
	Tonga	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Trinidad and Tobago	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Tunisia	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Turkey	HIGH	20
15-May-2023	Turkmenistan	HIGH	20
	Tuvalu	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Uganda	high	20
	Ukraine	HIGH	20
22-Aug-2022	United Arab Emirates	HIGH	20
	United Kingdom	LOW	0
	United States	Low	0
	Uruguay	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Uzbekistan	HIGH	20
	Vanuatu	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Vatican City (Holy See)	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Venezuela	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Vietnam	HIGH	20
	Yemen	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed
	Zambia	HIGH	20
	Zimbabwe	To Be Assessed	To Be Assessed