

AUSTRIA

3 country risk(s) have been identified

- **FAIR BUSINESS PRACTICES (1)**

- CORRUPTION (1 RISK)**

There is a moderate risk of corruption in Austria's public procurement sector.

Sources: [Business Anti Corruption Portal, Austria Corruption Report, 2018](#)

- **LABOUR RIGHTS (1)**

- DISCRIMINATION & GENDER (1 RISK)**

Austria ranks 25th in PwC's Women in Work Index 2017, with a total of 33 countries rated according to criteria such as the gender pay gap.

Sources: [PricewaterhouseCoopers, Women in Work Index, 2019](#)

- **ENVIRONMENT (1)**

- BIODIVERSITY & DEFORESTATION (1 RISK)**

According to the Red List of Threatened Biotope Types, around three-quarters of the evaluated 488 biotope types in Austria have been assigned to a threat category.

Some of the main pressures driving biodiversity loss in Austria are: fragmentation caused by roads and railways which impact on both landscape and ecosystems; the increase of industrial extensive agriculture; application of diffuse chemical inputs; land clearance; reforestation; intensification of land use and interventions on wetlands such as river regulation.

Sources: [Convention on Biological Diversity, Austria country profile, 2018](#)
