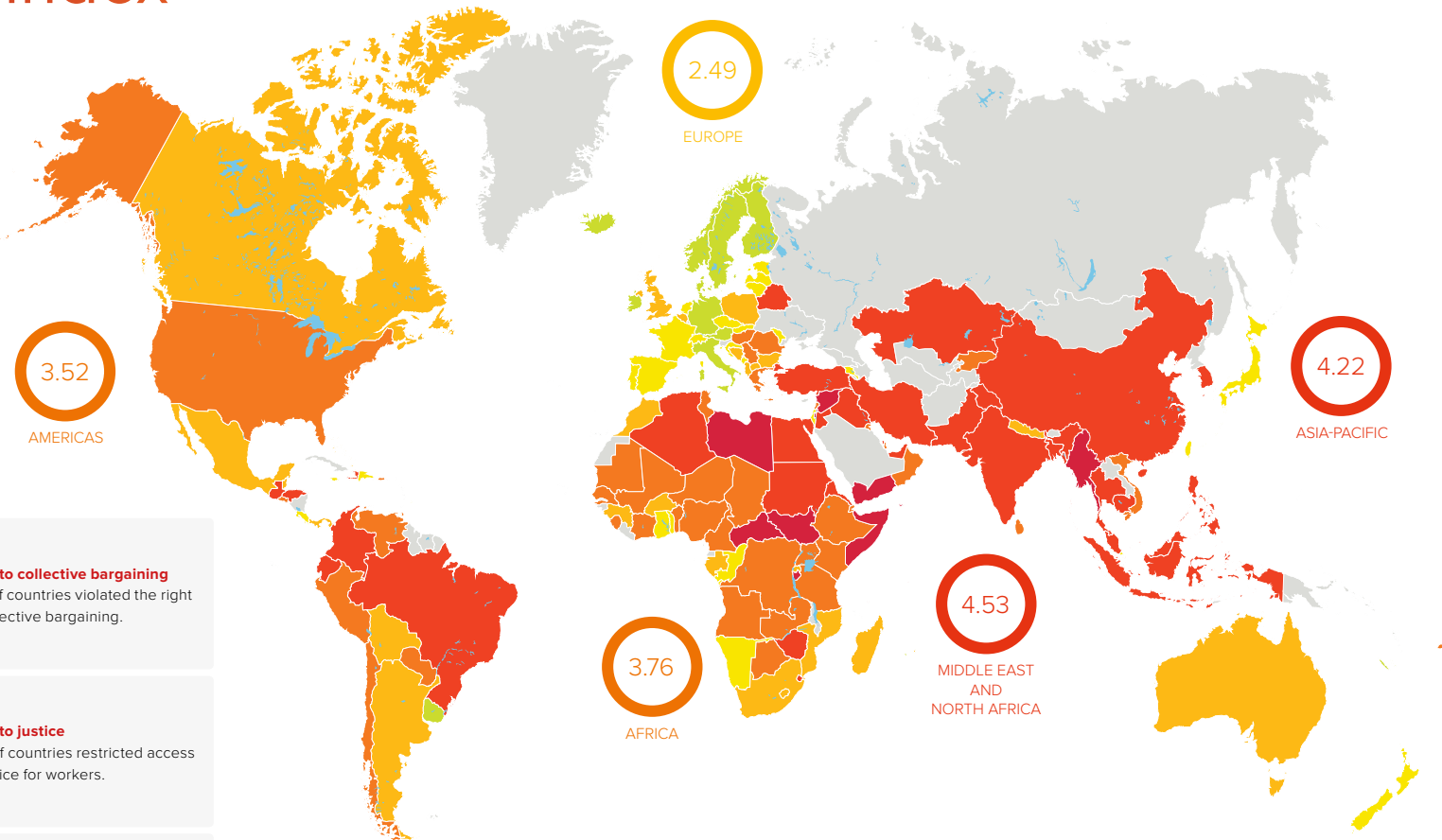


2022 Global Rights Index

Violations of Workers' Rights

The 2022 ITUC Global Rights Index depicts the world's worst countries for workers by rating 148 countries on a scale from 1-5+ based on the degree of respect for workers' rights, with 1 being the best rating and 5+ the worst rating.

Violations are recorded each year from April to March. Each country is analysed against a list of 97 indicators derived from ILO conventions and jurisprudence. The Index represents violations of workers' rights in law and practice.



Right to strike
87% of countries violated the right to strike.



Right to collective bargaining
79% of countries violated the right to collective bargaining.



Right to establish and join a trade union
77% of countries excluded workers from the right to establish or join a trade union.



Right to justice
66% of countries restricted access to justice for workers.



Right to trade union activities
74% of countries impeded the registration of unions.



Right to civil liberties
69 countries arrested or detained workers.



Right to free speech and assembly
41% of countries restricted free speech and assembly.



Violent attacks on workers
Workers experienced violence in 50 countries.



Murders
Trade unionists were murdered in 13 countries: **Bangladesh, Colombia, Ecuador, Eswatini, Guatemala, Haiti, India, Iraq, Italy, Lesotho, Myanmar, the Philippines and South Africa.**

- 5+** No guarantee of rights due to the breakdown of the rule of law
- 5** No guarantee of rights
- 4** Systematic violations of rights
- 3** Regular violations of rights
- 2** Repeated violations of rights
- 1** Sporadic violations of rights
- No data



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