Sub-national composite risk - darker = higher. Source: GeoBit.

Palau dataset (CSV) - events, per-region risk, cyber & sources

1 Day - $5

1 Week - $15

1 Month - $39 - best value

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## Threat Trajectory

## Threat Breakdown

Each category 0-100, scored from live conflict, insurgency, crime, protest & Cloudflare Radar cyber feeds. See the full threat matrix

## Cyber & Internet Disruption

Layer-7 DDoS attack intensity (0-100, normalized) & internet outages over the last 90 days, daily, all on one scale - Source: Cloudflare Radar.

## Situation Summary

Palau remains a low-threat environment (global rank #170, composite score 7) with no major security incidents in the current reporting window. The nation's security posture continues to be underpinned by stable governance, limited organized crime, and active U.S. partnership on defense and law-enforcement cooperation. Recent developments reflect routine criminal investigation, training advancement, and U.S. fiscal commitments rather than emerging instability or acute risk escalation.

## Key Developments

- Koror, 10-16 November: A Chinese national remained hospitalized with serious head trauma following an assault at Palau Central Police Station's detention facility on 5 November; the suspected attacker remained in custody while authorities conducted investigation and medical monitoring. This case represents the most serious active law-enforcement matter in the reporting period.

- Airai, 12 November: Three individuals were charged in connection with two separate theft cases involving forged checks, fraudulent signatures, and residential property theft. Charges underscore ongoing property-crime and financial-fraud investigation activity within the state.

- Palau-wide, 17 November: The Bureau of Public Safety announced completion of a six-month Pacific Police Support Group training program in Brisbane by two Palauan patrol officers, focused on regional policing capability development and multilateral law-enforcement cooperation.

- Palau-wide, 16 November: The U.S. announced a Compact-related assistance package exceeding US$450

million for Palau, the Federated States of Micronesia, and the Marshall Islands. Palau's allocation (more than US$41 million) targets health, education, infrastructure, and fiscal stability programs, reinforcing institutional capacity and economic resilience.

- Palau-wide, 17 November: U.S.-Palau security and immigration cooperation was reaffirmed, with a U.S. contribution of US$7.5 million designated for public-service and infrastructure support, underscoring sustained bilateral defense and law-enforcement alignment.

## Highest-Risk Areas

Peleliu and Angaur significantly exceed the national risk baseline (scores 92 and 88 respectively, versus a national composite of 7), driven by historical conflict legacy, isolation, infrastructure constraints, and limited law-enforcement presence. Koror (risk 45), the economic and administrative center, remains moderately elevated due to population density, transient populations, and concentration of property crime and detention facilities. The remaining ten states exhibit substantially lower risk (scores 21-35), reflecting dispersed populations, limited criminal enterprise, and institutional fragmentation that constrains large-scale organized activity. Risk concentration in Peleliu and Angaur reflects geographic and historical factors rather than current active conflict or imminent instability.

## How GeoBit Would Assist

Security teams with personnel or assets in Palau would employ AOI Monitoring & Early Warning to track developments in high-risk states (Peleliu, Angaur, Koror) and receive alert notifications on significant incidents, law-enforcement actions, or infrastructure events. Intel Sweep (global feeds, X/Twitter OSINT, multi-language search) and Network & Actor Analysis would provide ongoing visibility into criminal networks, detention facility incidents, and transnational maritime activity. Risk & Threat Assessment would contextualize emerging developments within Palau's broader security landscape and corporate duty-of-care obligations.

## 7-Day Outlook

No acute destabilizers are evident in the near term. The completed U.S. training program and confirmed fiscal commitments indicate sustained institutional strengthening and reduced pressure on state capacity. Routine criminal investigation and property crime are expected to persist, with particular attention warranted to detention facility security and financial-crime trends in Koror and Airai.

## Highest-Risk Areas - Ranked

#State / RegionRisk1Peleliu922Angaur883Koror454Melekeok355Airai326Ngatpang287Ngeremlengui268Ngaraard259Ngardmau2410A

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## REPORTED EVENTS (MOST-CITED)

No high-confidence events in the current window.