

MIDDLE EAST POLITICAL BOUNDARIES

Reference Chart: Sovereign States & Territories Updated: 2024

COUNTRY / TERRITORY	CAPITAL CITY	GOVERNMENT TYPE	SUB- REGION
Bahrain	Manama	Constitutional Monarchy	Persian Gulf
Egypt	Cairo	Republic	North Africa / Sinai
Iran	Tehran	Islamic Republic	West Asia
Iraq	Baghdad	Federal Republic	Mesopotamia
Israel	Jerusalem	Parliamentary Democracy	Levant
Jordan	Amman	Constitutional Monarchy	Levant
Kuwait	Kuwait City	Constitutional Monarchy	Persian Gulf
Lebanon	Beirut	Parliamentary Republic	Levant
Oman	Muscat	Absolute Monarchy	Arabian Peninsula

COUNTRY / TERRITORY	CAPITAL CITY	GOVERNMENT TYPE	SUB- REGION
Palestine	Ramallah / East Jerusalem	Semi-presidential	Levant
Qatar	Doha	Absolute Monarchy	Persian Gulf
Saudi Arabia	Riyadh	Absolute Monarchy	Arabian Peninsula
Syria	Damascus	Presidential Republic	Levant
Turkey	Ankara	Presidential Republic	Anatolia
United Arab Emirates	Abu Dhabi	Federal Monarchy	Persian Gulf
Yemen	Sana'a	Provisional Government	Arabian Peninsula