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Election Schedule, June 2014

Country	Election	Forthcoming Election	Most Recent Election
		Date	
Algeria	Parliamentary	2017	10 May 2012
Algeria	Presidential	2019	17 April 2014
Bahrain	Parliamentary	2014 ¹	24 September 2011
Egypt	Parliamentary	2014 ²	28/29 November 2011;
			14/15 December 2011
			&
			3/4 January 2012
Egypt	Presidential	-	26-28 May 2014
Egypt	Shura Council	N/A	29/30 January 2012 &
			14/15 February 2012
Iran	Parliamentary	2016	4 May 2012
Iran	Presidential	2018	14 June 2013
Iraq	Parliamentary	2018	30 April 2014
Iraq	Presidential	2016	7 March 2010
Iraq	Local	2018	20 April 2013
Israel	Parliament/Knesset	2017	22 January 2013
Israel	Presidential	10 June 2014	13 June 2007
Jordan	Parliamentary	2017	23 January 2013
Jordan	Local	2018	27 August 2013
Kuwait	Parliamentary	-	27 July 2013

¹ The impasse between the government and opposition groups over reforms resulted in the postponement of the elections.

² The Parliamentary elections have been tentatively scheduled for the end of the year.

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Lebanon	Parliamentary	2014 ³	7 June 2009
Lebanon	Presidential	2014 ⁴	23 April 2014
Libya	Parliamentary	25 June 2014	7 July 2012
Morocco	Parliamentary	2016	25 November 2011
Oman	Parliamentary	2015	15 October 2011
Palestine	Parliamentary	N/A	25 January 2006
Palestine	Presidential	N/A	9 January 2005
Palestine	Local Elections	2017	22 December 2012
Qatar	Parliamentary	2013 ⁵	15 October 2011
Saudi Arabia	Municipal Elections	2015	29 September 2011
Syria	Parliamentary	2017	7 May 2012
Syria	Presidential	3 June 2014	22 May 2007
Tunisia	Constituent	2014 ⁶	23 October 2011
	Assembly		
Tunisia	Parliamentary	November 2014	25 October 2009
Turkey	Parliamentary	2015	12 June 2011
Turkey	Presidential	10 August 2014	August 2007
UAE	Parliamentary	N/A	24 September 2011
Yemen	Parliamentary	2014 ⁷	27 April 2003
Yemen	Presidential	2015 ⁸	21 February 2012

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³ Parliamentary elections will be held only after the election of a new President.

⁴ No candidate received the necessary two-thirds majority in the last presidential election held on 23 April 2014. There is a presidential vacuum at present as President Michael Suleiman stepped down from his post on 24 May 2014 after completing his six-year term. Fresh election dates will be announced shortly. ⁵ The elections have been indefinitely postponed.

⁶ Islamist Ennahda party ceded power to a caretaker government on 28 January 2014. Fresh elections will take place later in the year.

⁷ The National Dialogue Conference ended on 21 January 2014. Fresh elections will be held after nine months.

⁸ The term of President Abd Rabbuh Mansur Hadi has been extended for a year.