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Election Schedule, October 2014

Country	Election	Forthcoming Election Date	Most Recent Election
Algeria	Parliamentary	2017	10 May 2012
Algeria	Presidential	2019	17 April 2014
Bahrain	Parliamentary	22 November 2014	24 September 2011
Egypt	Parliamentary	2014 ¹	28/29 November 2011; 14/15 December 2011 & 3/4 January 2012
Egypt	Presidential	-	26-28 May 2014
Egypt	Shura Council	N/A ²	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	2018	24 July 2014
Iraq	Local	2018	20 April 2013
Israel	Parliament/Knesset	2017	22 January 2013
Israel	Presidential	2021	10 June 2014
Jordan	Parliamentary	2017	23 January 2013
Jordan	Local	2018	27 August 2013
Kuwait	Parliamentary	-	27 July 2013
Lebanon	Parliamentary	2014 ³	7 June 2009

¹ The Parliamentary elections have been tentatively scheduled to take place before the end of this year.

² The Shura Council has been abolished by the 2014 constitution of Egypt.

Lebanon	Presidential	9 October 2014	2 September 2014 ⁴
Libya	Parliamentary	-	25 June 2014
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	2021	3 June 2014
Tunisia	Parliamentary	26 October 2014 ⁶	23 October 2011
Tunisia	Presidential	23 November 2014	25 October 2009
Turkey	Parliamentary	13 June 2015	12 June 2011
Turkey	Presidential	2019	10 August 2014
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 which were scheduled for 23 September 2014 failed to gain the minimum quorum for elections. It has been rescheduled for 9 October 2014.

⁴ The Lebanese parliament failed to elect a new president due to the lack of constitutional quorum present in the parliament. According to the constitution, two-thirds of the 128-member parliament should be present for the house to convene and elect a Christian Maronite president. However, on 2 September only 57 members were present.

⁵ The elections have been indefinitely postponed.

⁶ This will be the first election of a new Parliament under the 2014 constitution that will replace the Constituent Assembly with a parliament.

⁷ The National Dialogue Conference ended on 21 January 2014. Fresh elections will be held after nine months. Dates are yet to be announced.

⁸ Term of President Hadi has been extended for a year.