

Appendix (Online)

Table A1. List of Political Parties

Country	Party	Country	Party
Algeria	National Liberation Front (FLN)	Jordan	Islamic Action Front
Algeria	National Democratic Rally (RND)	Jordan	National Current Party
Algeria	Green Algeria Alliance (AAV)	Jordan	Islamic Centrist (Wasat) Party
Algeria	Socialist Forces Front (FFS)	Jordan	The National Union Party
Algeria	Workers' Party (PT)	Jordan	The National Congress Party (Zamzam)
Bahrain	Al Wifaq	Kuwait	Islamic Constitutional Movement
Bahrain	Al-Asala	Kuwait	Salafists
Bahrain	al-Minbar al-Islami	Kuwait	Liberals
Bahrain	al-Rabita al-Islamiyya	Kuwait	National Islamic Alliance (Shi'a)
Egypt	Free Egyptians Party (Al Masreyeen Al-Ahrar)	Lebanon	Hezbollah
Egypt	Nation's Future Party (Mostakbal Watan)	Lebanon	Future Movement
Egypt	New Wafd party (Al Wafd El Gadeed)	Lebanon	Free Patriotic Movement
Egypt	Homat Al Watan (Guards of the Homeland)	Lebanon	Progressive Socialist Party (Druze)
Egypt	Republican People's party (El Shaab el Gomhory)	Lebanon	Lebanese Forces party
Iran	The Reformists	Morocco	Justice and Development Party (PJD)
Iran	The Pragmatists	Morocco	Authenticity and Modernity Party (PAM)
Iran	The Moderate Conservatives	Morocco	Istiqlal Party (PI)
Iran	The Ultra Conservatives	Morocco	National Rally of Independents (RNI)
Iraq	State of Law coalition	Morocco	Popular Movement (MP)
Iraq	Sadrist Movement	Tunisia	Nidaa Tounes
Iraq	Citizens coalition (Muwatin)	Tunisia	Ennahdha
Iraq	Muttahidoon block	Tunisia	Free Patriotic Union (UPL)
Iraq	Kurdistan Democratic Party (KDP)	Tunisia	Popular Front
Israel	Likud	Tunisia	Afek Tounes
Israel	Zionist Union	Turkey	Justice and Development Party (AKP)
Israel	Joint List	Turkey	Republican People's Party (CHP)
Israel	Yesh Atid (There Is a Future)	Turkey	Peoples' Democratic Party (HDP)
Israel	Kulanu	Turkey	Nationalist Action Party (MHP)

Survey Questionnaire

Please rank each of the following political parties in Algeria on the following issue dimensions. Each issue dimension ranges from 1 to 10. The explanations of these end points (1 and 10) are specified under the title of each dimension.

Social spending

Advocates extensive social spending to redistribute income to benefit the less-privileged in society (1)

Opposes extensive social spending to redistribute income to benefit the less-privileged in society (10)

Role of state in governing the economy

Favors a major role for the state in regulating private economic activity to achieve social goals, direct development, and/or maintain control over key services (1)

Advocates a minimal role for the state in regulating private economic activity to achieve social goals, direct development, and/or maintain control over key services (10)

Religion

Believes that religious texts should play no role in the design and implementation of the laws (1)

Believes that the laws should conform to rules and codes of conduct presented in the religious texts (10)

Traditional authority, institutions, and customs

Supports full individual freedoms from state interference into any issues related to marriage, sexuality, family life, and general social conduct (1)

Supports state-enforced compliance with traditional authorities and values on issues related to marriage, sexuality, family life, and general social conduct (10)

National identity

Advocates tolerance and social and political equality for minority ethnic, linguistic, religious, and racial groups and opposes state policies that require the assimilation of such groups to the majority national culture (1)

Believes that the protection and promotion of the majority national identity and culture at the expense of minority representation are important goals (10)

Extremism

Advocates harsh measures to fight terrorism and violence by non-state actors like ISIS or Al-Qaida (1)

Does not advocate strong measures to fight terrorism and violence by non-state actors like ISIS or Al-Qaida (10)

Transitional Justice

Strongly supports the strict implementation of the transitional justice laws, regardless of the economic or political consequences (1)

Attributes greater priority to other economic, social, or institutional reforms. Party believes that over emphasis on transitional justice may drain resources and attention away from addressing other urgent policy issues (10)

Political Reforms

Party believes democratic reforms should be implemented as soon as possible, regardless of the economic or political consequences (1)

Party believes democratic reforms should be implemented slowly, and only to the extent that they do not hinder the achievement of other important policy objectives such as economic growth and social stability (10)

Nuclear Deal

Favors complete adherence to the terms of the nuclear deal (1)

Opposes the full implementation of the nuclear deal (10)

Role of Supreme leader

The supreme leader should have minimal control over the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of the government (1)

The supreme leader should have full control over the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of the government (10)

Foreign policy

Supports maintaining a positive relationship with the U.S. on foreign policy (1)

Opposes maintaining a positive relationship with the U.S. on foreign policy (10)

European Union

Favors joining the European Union (1)

Opposes joining the European Union (10)

The Sahara conflict

Favors establishing an autonomous, self-governing territory under the control of the Moroccan monarchy (1)

Favors dividing the territory between the Moroccan state and the Western Sahara (10)

Palestinian issue

Favors normalizing relations with Israel, including economic and trade relations (1)

Opposes the normalization of all relations with Israel (10)

Palestinian issue

Favors the establishment of an independent, 100 percent sovereign Palestinian state in the West Bank and Gaza strip (1)

Opposes any form of an independent ,sovereign Palestinian state (10)

The general left-right dimension

Please locate each of the following parties on a general left-right dimension, taking all aspects of their policy into account.

Left (1)

Right (10)

Table A2: Estimation and Uncertainty for Party Positions on a General Left-Right Scale

Country	Party	Mean	N	St. Dev.	Upper Bound	Lower Bound
Algeria	National Liberation Front (FLN)	4.78	9	1.95	5.85	3.71
Algeria	National Democratic Rally (RND)	5.22	9	2.41	6.54	3.9
Algeria	Green Algeria Alliance (AAV)	6.13	8	2.4	7.52	4.73
Algeria	Socialist Forces Front (FFS)	3.22	9	1.37	3.97	2.47
Algeria	Workers' Party (PT)	1.56	9	0.84	2.02	1.09
Bahrain	Al Wifaq	5.2	10	2.53	6.52	3.88
Bahrain	Al-Asala	8	7	3.63	10.25	5.75
Bahrain	al-Minbar al-Islami	7.63	8	3.03	9.39	5.86
Bahrain	al-Rabita al-Islamiyya	8.33	3	4.35	12.46	4.2
Egypt	Free Egyptians Party (Al Masreyeen Al-Ahrar)	6.64	11	2.84	8.05	5.23
Egypt	Nation's Future Party (Mostakbal Watan)	7.89	9	3.11	9.59	6.19
Egypt	New Wafd party (Al Wafd El Gadeed)	6.27	11	2.99	7.76	4.79
Egypt	Homat Al Watan (Guards of the Homeland)	9.2	5	3.88	12.06	6.34
Egypt	Republican People's party (El Shaab el Gomhory)	8.5	4	4.15	11.91	5.09
Iran	The Reformists	3.33	12	1.32	3.96	2.71
Iran	The Pragmatists	5.83	12	2.26	6.9	4.76
Iran	The Moderate Conservatives	7.09	11	2.35	8.26	5.92
Iran	The Ultra Conservatives	9	12	2.69	10.28	7.72
Iraq	State of Law coalition	7.75	8	2.98	9.48	6.02
Iraq	Sadrist Movement	6.38	8	3.39	8.35	4.4
Iraq	Citizens coalition (Muwatin)	7.14	7	2.96	8.99	5.3
Iraq	Muttahidoon block	6.33	6	2.99	8.34	4.32
Iraq	Kurdistan Democratic Party (KDP)	7.25	8	3.13	9.07	5.43
Israel	Likud	8.43	14	2.42	9.49	7.37
Israel	Zionist Union	5.29	14	2.55	6.41	4.17
Israel	Joint List	2.54	13	1.86	3.39	1.69
Israel	Yesh Atid (There Is a Future)	5.92	13	2.38	7.01	4.84
Israel	Kulanu	6.85	13	2.27	7.88	5.81
Jordan	Islamic Action Front	7.4	5	3.19	9.75	5.05
Jordan	National Current Party	5.83	6	2.83	7.73	3.93
Jordan	Islamic Centrist (Wasat) Party	7	5	3.19	9.35	4.65
Jordan	The National Union Party	5.2	5	2.88	7.32	3.08
Jordan	The National Congress Party (Zamzam)	7	5	3.19	9.35	4.65
Kuwait	Islamic Constitutional Movement	6.56	9	2.51	7.93	5.18
Kuwait	Salafists	7.78	9	2.79	9.31	6.25
Kuwait	Liberals	4.5	10	2.26	5.67	3.33
Kuwait	National Islamic Alliance (Shi'a)	5.78	9	2.1	6.93	4.63
Lebanon	Hezbollah	4.8	15	2.53	5.87	3.73
Lebanon	Future Movement	7.33	15	2.28	8.3	6.37
Lebanon	Free Patriotic Movement	6.93	14	2.61	8.08	5.78
Lebanon	Progressive Socialist Party (Druze)	4.4	15	2.42	5.43	3.37
Lebanon	Lebanese Forces party	8	16	2.55	9.05	6.95
Morocco	Justice and Development Party (PJD)	7.07	14	2.56	8.2	5.95
Morocco	Authenticity and Modernity Party (PAM)	7	12	2.3	8.09	5.91
Morocco	Istiqlal Party (PI)	6.92	13	2.14	7.9	5.95
Morocco	National Rally of Independents (RNI)	7.67	12	2.53	8.87	6.46
Morocco	Popular Movement (MP)	6.42	12	2.56	7.63	5.2
Tunisia	Nidaa Tounes	6.67	15	2.46	7.71	5.62
Tunisia	Ennahdha	6.53	15	2.36	7.54	5.53
Tunisia	Free Patriotic Union (UPL)	6.31	13	2.38	7.39	5.22
Tunisia	Popular Front	2.73	15	2.1	3.62	1.84
Tunisia	Afek Tounes	4.92	13	2.38	6.01	3.84
Turkey	Justice and Development Party (AKP)	8.47	38	1.71	8.93	8.02
Turkey	Republican People's Party (CHP)	4.32	38	1.34	4.67	3.96
Turkey	Peoples' Democratic Party (HDP)	2.36	39	0.94	2.61	2.11
Turkey	Nationalist Action Party (MHP)	9.21	39	1.86	9.7	8.72

