

Table 2. Classification of shocks experienced by the countries in the region

Country	Economic shocks				Political shocks and conflict	
	Inflation from October 2019 to October 2022 (percentage)	Reserves 2021 (months of imports)	Debt 2022 (percentage of GDP)	Energy security index 2022	Number of protests 2020-2022	Number of violent events 2020-2022
Algeria		25.22	62.75	57	4,022	313
Bahrain	0.85	14.47	119.5	44	1,250	178
Comoros		6.80	34.5		37	33
Djibouti		5.41	50.1		51	17
Egypt	30.54		89.2	46	177	982
Iraq	12.40		36.7	100	4,320	13,995
Jordan	6.95		91.0	96	666	88
Kuwait	9.91		71	49.00	42	2
Lebanon	1,574.39		180.7	106	5,189	2,084
Libya	10.08				362	1,424
Mauritania	19.63	5.40	50.7	73	4,231	219
Morocco	11.36	4.07	70.3	75	789	49
Oman	4.23	11.59	45.4	69	13	10
State of Palestine	4.98	9.59	44.7		2,135	10,469
Qatar	-1.94	22.27	46.9	52	24	1
Saudi Arabia	1.51		24.8	49	5	182
Somalia		6.81	***		264	7,966
Sudan	2,912.96	1.01	189.5		3,086	1,929
Syrian Arab Republic		1.26			1,239	30,466
Tunisia	22.37		88.8	62	3,319	649
United Arab Emirates		4.38	30.7	57	6	9
Yemen	**	13.76			1,826	23,988

Political shocks and conflict		Environmental shocks			
Country	Change in the number of refugee and IDP populations from 2019 to 2022	Days of extreme heat 2020–2022 (percentage)	Change in heavy precipitation days (>20 mm; R20) in 2020–2022 compared to historical average (percentage)	Change in consecutive dry days in 2020–2022 compared to historical average (percentage)	People affected by natural disasters 2020–2022
Algeria	1,574	29.78	-51	15.74	67,191
Bahrain	140	25.40	-100	-1.59	
Comoros	19				
Djibouti	4,740	31.13	15	-1.21	302,168
Egypt	34,779	24.44	19	-0.59	26,635
Iraq	-223,173	30.08	-39	12.58	7,017,203
Jordan	92,533	27.73	-61	0.78	
Kuwait	27	29.48	-53	-2.90	
Lebanon	-75,128	27.19	-25	-17.64	
Libya	-201,235	21.02	-68	10.75	
Mauritania	8,953	29.86	-10	4.16	1,385
Morocco	32,226	34.09	-44	10.43	1,448,908
Oman	226	24.25	-6	-21.59	190
State of Palestine	105,662	25.18	-69	-4.70	33,500
Qatar	207	26.91	-100	-10.65	
Saudi Arabia	11,176	29.92	-48	-5.74	600
Somalia	317,122	27.48	-38	5.95	8,815,436
Sudan	1,220,822	28.19	18	9.12	1,543,180
Syrian Arab Republic	616,493	29.49	-49	11.11	6,144,782
Tunisia	6,251	28.92	-53	14.86	45,000
United Arab Emirates	49	28.94	-86	-8.13	
Yemen	481,169	26.98	7	-12.47	630,138

** Official figures from the Government of Yemen show an increase of 103 per cent in prices from 2014 to 2021. Price levels for 2019 and 2022 are currently lacking. The IMF estimates high levels of interannual inflation: 23.1 per cent in 2020, 45.7 per cent in 2021 and 43.8 per cent in 2022.

*** 101 per cent in 2018.