



See also the publication *Electoral System Design: the New International IDEA Handbook*, which is based on the data in this database.

Table of Electoral Systems Worldwide

Country	Electoral System	Electoral system family	Tiers	Legislature Size (directly elected, voting members)	Electoral System for President
Afghanistan	<u>SNTV</u>	Other	1	249, 249	TRS
Albania	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	140, 140	Not applicable
Algeria	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	462, 462	TRS
Andorra	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	28, 28	Not applicable
Angola	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	220, 220	Other
Anguilla	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	7, 11	Not applicable
Antigua and Barbuda	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	17, 17-18	Not applicable
Argentina	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	257, 257	TRS
Aruba	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	21, 21	Not applicable
Australia	<u>AV</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	150, 150	Not applicable
Austria	<u>List PR</u>	PR	3	183, 183	TRS
Azerbaijan	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	125, 125	TRS
Bahamas	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	38, 38	Not applicable
Bahrain	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	40, 40	Not applicable
Bangladesh	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	300, 300	Not applicable
Barbados	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	30, 30	Not applicable
Belarus	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	110, 110	TRS
Belgium	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	150, 150	Not applicable
Belize	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	31, 31	Not applicable
Benin	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	83, 83	TRS
Bermuda	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	36, 36	Not applicable
Bhutan	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	47, 47	Not applicable
Bolivia	<u>MMP</u>	Mixed	2	130, 130	TRS
Bosnia and Herzegovina	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	42, 42	FPTP
Botswana	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	57, 63	Not applicable
Brazil	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	513, 513	TRS
Bulgaria	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	240, 240	TRS
Burkina Faso	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	111, 111	TRS
Burundi	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	100, 121	TRS
Cambodia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	123, 123	Not applicable
Cameroon	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	H	180, 180	FPTP
Canada	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	338, 338	Not applicable

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Cape Verde	List PR	PR	1	72, 72	TRS
Cayman Islands	BV	Plurality/Majority	1	18, 18	Not applicable
Central African Republic	TRS	Plurality/Majority	1	105, 105	TRS
Chad	FPTP	Plurality/Majority	H	304, 304	TRS
Chile	List PR	PR	1	120, 120	TRS
China	No direct elections	Not applicable		,	Not applicable
Colombia	List PR	PR	1	166, 166	TRS
Comoros	TRS	Plurality/Majority	1	24, 33	TRS
Congo, Democratic Republic of	Parallel	Mixed	H	500, 500	FPTP
Cook Islands	FPTP	Plurality/Majority	1	24, 24	Not applicable
Costa Rica	List PR	PR	1	57, 57	TRS
Côte d'Ivoire	FPTP	Plurality/Majority	H	255, 255	TRS
Croatia	List PR	PR	1	151, 151	TRS
Cuba	TRS	Plurality/Majority	1	614, 614	Not applicable
Cyprus	List PR	PR	1	56, 56	TRS
Cyprus (North)	List PR	PR	1	50, 50	TRS
Czech Republic	List PR	PR	1	200, 200	TRS
Denmark	List PR	PR	2	179, 179	Not applicable
Djibouti	MMP	Mixed	1	65, 65	TRS
Dominica	FPTP	Plurality/Majority	1	21, 30-32	Not applicable
Dominican Republic	List PR	PR	2	190, 190	TRS
Ecuador	List PR	PR	2	137, 137	TRS
Egypt	TRS	Plurality/Majority	2	568, 596	TRS
El Salvador	List PR	PR	1	84, 84	TRS
Equatorial Guinea	List PR	PR	1	100, 100	FPTP
Eritrea	No direct elections	Not applicable	Not Applicable	NA, NA	Not applicable
Estonia	List PR	PR	2	101, 101	Not applicable
Ethiopia	FPTP	Plurality/Majority	1	546, 546	Not applicable
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	BV	Plurality/Majority	1	8, 8	Not applicable
Fiji	List PR	PR	1	50, 50	In transition
Finland	List PR	PR	1	200, 200	TRS
France	TRS	Plurality/Majority	1	577, 577	TRS
Gabon	TRS	Plurality/Majority	1	120, 120	FPTP
Gambia	FPTP	Plurality/Majority	1	48, 53	TRS
Georgia	Parallel	Mixed	2	150, 150	TRS
Germany	MMP	Mixed	2	598, 598	Not applicable

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Ghana	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	275, 275	TRS
Gibraltar	<u>LV</u>	Other	1	17, 17	Not applicable
Greece	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	300, 300	Not applicable
Grenada	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	15, 15-16	Not applicable
Guatemala	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	158, 158	TRS
Guernsey	<u>BV</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	45, 47	Not applicable
Guinea	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	114, 114	TRS
Guinea-Bissau	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	102, 102	TRS
Guyana	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	65, 69	Not applicable
Haiti	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	92, 92	TRS
Holy See (Vatican City State)	<u>No direct elections</u>	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable, Not applicable	Not applicable
Honduras	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	128, 128	FPTP
Hungary	<u>MMP</u>	Mixed	2	199, 199	Not applicable
Iceland	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	63, 63	FPTP
India	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	543, 545	Not applicable
Indonesia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	560, 560	TRS
Iran, Islamic Republic of	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	290, 290	TRS
Iraq	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	275, 275	Not applicable
Ireland	<u>STV</u>	PR	1	158, 158	STV
Israel	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	120, 120	Not applicable
Italy	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	630, 630	Not applicable
Jamaica	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	63, 63	Not applicable
Japan	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	480, 480	Not applicable
Jersey	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	2	51, 51	Not applicable
Jordan	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	130, 130	Not applicable
Kazakhstan	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	98, 107	TRS
Kenya	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	337, 350	TRS
Kiribati	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	44, 46	FPTP
Korea, Dem. People's Republic of	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	687, 687	Not applicable
Korea, Republic of	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	300, 300	FPTP
Kosovo	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	120, 120	Not applicable
Kuwait	<u>SNTV</u>	Other	1	50, Maximum 65	Not applicable
Kyrgyzstan	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	120, 120	TRS
Lao People's Dem. Republic	<u>BV</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	149, 149	Not applicable
Latvia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	100, 100	Not applicable
Lebanon	<u>BV</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	128, 128	Not applicable
Lesotho	<u>MMP</u>	Mixed	2	120, 120	Not applicable

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Liberia	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	73, 73	TRS
Libya	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	200, 200	Transition
Liechtenstein	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	25, 25	Not applicable
Lithuania	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	141, 141	TRS
Luxembourg	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	60, 60	Not applicable
Macedonia, former Yugoslav Republic (1993-)	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	123, 123	TRS
Madagascar	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	H	127, 127	TRS
Malawi	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	193, 193	FPTP
Malaysia	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	222, 222	Not applicable
Maldives	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	77, 77	TRS
Mali	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	147, 147	TRS
Malta	<u>STV</u>	PR	1	65, 65	Not applicable
Marshall Islands	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	H	33, 33	Not applicable
Mauritania	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	95, 95	TRS
Mauritius	<u>BV</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	62, 70	Not applicable
Mexico	<u>MMP</u>	Mixed	2	500, 500	FPTP
Micronesia, Federated States of	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	2	14, 14	Not applicable
Moldova, Republic of	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	101, 101	TRS
Monaco	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	24, 24	Not applicable
Mongolia	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	76, 76	TRS
Montenegro	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	81, 81	TRS
Montserrat	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	9, 11	Not applicable
Morocco	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	395, 395	Not applicable
Mozambique	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	250, 250	TRS
Myanmar	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	330, 440	Not applicable
Namibia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	72, 72	TRS
Nauru	<u>Modified BC</u>	Other	1	19, 19	Not applicable
Nepal	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	575, 601	Not applicable
Netherlands	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	150, 150	Not applicable
Netherlands Antilles	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	22, 22	Not applicable
New Zealand	<u>MMP</u>	Mixed	3	121, 121	Not applicable
Nicaragua	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	90, 92	TRS
Niger	<u>List PR</u>	PR	H	171, 171	TRS
Nigeria	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	360, 360	TRS
Niue	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	2	20, 20	Not applicable
Norway	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	169, 169	Not applicable

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Oman	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	84, 84	Not applicable
Pakistan	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	342, 342	Not applicable
Palau	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	16, 16	TRS
Palestinian Territory, Occupied	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	132, 132	TRS
Panama	<u>FPTP</u>	PR	H	71, 71	FPTP
Papua New Guinea	<u>AV</u>	Plurality/Majority	2	111, 111	Not applicable
Paraguay	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	80, 80	FPTP
Peru	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	130, 130	TRS
Philippines	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	289, 289	Not applicable
Pitcairn Islands	<u>SNTV</u>	Other	1	6, 8	Not applicable
Poland	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	460, 460	TRS
Portugal	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	230, 230	TRS
Republic of The Congo (Brazzaville)	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	137, 137	TRS
Romania	<u>MMP</u>	Mixed	2	332, 332	TRS
Russian Federation	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	450, 450	TRS
Rwanda	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	53, 80	FPTP
Saint Helena	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	H	12, 14	Not applicable
Saint Kitts and Nevis	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	11, 15	Not applicable
Saint Lucia	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	17, 17 - 19	Not applicable
Saint Vincent and The Grenadines	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	15, 23	Not applicable
Samoa	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	H	49, 50	Not applicable
San Marino	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	60, 60	Not applicable
Sao Tome and Principe	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	55, 55	TRS
Saudi Arabia	<u>No direct elections</u>	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable, 150	Not applicable
Senegal	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	150, 150	TRS
Serbia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	250, 250	TRS
Seychelles	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	34, 32	TRS
Sierra Leone	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	112, 124	TRS
Singapore	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	H	89, 100	FPTP
Slovakia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	150, 150	TRS
Slovenia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	90, 90	TRS
Solomon Islands	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	50, 50	Not applicable
Somalia	<u>In transition</u>	In transition		,	Not applicable
South Africa	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	400, 400	Not applicable
Spain	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	350, 350	Not applicable

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Sri Lanka	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	225, 225	SV
Sudan	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	3	450, 450	TRS
Suriname	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	51, 51	Not applicable
Swaziland	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	55, 55	Not applicable
Sweden	<u>List PR</u>	PR	2	349, 349	Not applicable
Switzerland	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	200, 200	Not applicable
Syrian Arab Republic	<u>BV</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	250, 250	TRS
Taiwan	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	3	113, 113	FPTP
Tajikistan	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	63, 63	TRS
Tanzania, United Republic of	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	239, 357	TRS
Thailand	<u>In transition</u>	In transition	In transition	In transition, In transition	Not applicable
Timor-Leste	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	65, 65	TRS
Togo	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	91, 91	FPTP
Tokelau	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	20, 20	Not applicable
Tonga	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	17, 17	Not applicable
Trinidad and Tobago	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	41, 41	Not applicable
Tunisia	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	217, 217	TRS
Turkey	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	550, 550	TRS
Turkmenistan	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	125, 125	TRS
Turks and Caicos Islands	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	2	15, 19-20	Not applicable
Tuvalu	<u>BV</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	15, 15	Not applicable
Uganda	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	290, 427	TRS
Ukraine	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	450, 450	TRS
United Kingdom	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	650, 650	Not applicable
United States	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	435, 435	FPTP
Uruguay	<u>List PR</u>	PR	1	99, 99	TRS
Uzbekistan	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	150, 150	TRS
Vanuatu	<u>SNTV</u>	Other	H	52, 52	Not applicable
Venezuela	<u>Parallel</u>	Mixed	2	167, 167	FPTP
Viet Nam	<u>TRS</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	496, 496	Not applicable
Virgin Islands, British	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	2	13, 13	Not applicable
Yemen	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	301, 301	TRS
Zambia	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	156, 165	TRS
Zimbabwe	<u>FPTP</u>	Plurality/Majority	1	210, 210	TRS

See also: **Electoral Systems at the ACE Project**