

## Searching NUCat for Sources on Arab Countries

These are some suggested subject headings starting from broad to narrow that can be used in either the Search or Guided Search functions.

### ISLAMIC COUNTRIES

Note: This is a broad search that will retrieve works on countries where the majority of people are Muslim or where Islam is the established religion. This search will include many countries in addition to Arab nations.

### MIDDLE EAST

Note: This search will retrieve works on the region consisting of Asia west of Pakistan, northeastern Africa, and occasionally Greece and Pakistan.

Middle East can be used as a subdivision for some subject headings.

Ex: Economic indicators--Middle East.

Social indicators--Middle East.

Environmental indicators--Middle East.

### ARAB COUNTRIES

This search will retrieve works covering the Arabic-speaking countries of Asia and Africa, or of Asia only.

*Narrower Term:* Jewish-Arab relations

*Use ARAB COUNTRIES instead of:*

Arab world

Arabic countries

Arabic speaking state

Some of the possible subdivisions for **ARAB COUNTRIES**

Arab Countries--Commerce Statistics

Arab Countries--Economic Conditions

Arab Countries--Economic Relations

Arab Countries--Foreign Economic Relations

Arab Countries--Foreign Relations

Arab Countries--Politics and government

Arab Countries--Population Statistics

Arab Countries--Social Conditions

Arab Countries--Social Policy

Arab Countries--Statistics

Arab Countries--Statistics Periodicals

### COUNTRY NAMES MAY BE USED AS SUBJECT HEADINGS

Ex: Egypt

Palestine

Note: Here are entered works on the region on the eastern coast of the Mediterranean Sea that in ancient times was called the Land of Canaan, later the kingdoms of Israel and Judah, and in modern times comprises the entire state of Israel, as well as the various disputed territories. Works on a specific jurisdiction or territory within this region are entered under its respective name.

*Narrower Term:* Gaza Strip

*Narrower Term:* Golan Heights

*Narrower Term:* West Bank

*See Also:* Israel