

Table 1 Summary of research published on water-borne parasites in the MENA Region, 1990–2021

Country	Disease and No. of articles reviewed ^a				
	Cryptosporidiosis	Amoebiasis	Giardiasis	Schistosomiasis	Toxocariasis
Algeria	–	3	1	1	1
Egypt	4	4	1	5	–
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	1	1	2	3	1
Iraq	4	–	3	1	–
Jordan	3	–	–	2	4
Kuwait	3	–	–	–	–
Lebanon	1	–	3	1	4
Libya	2	–	–	1	–
Morocco	–	–	–	2	1
Oman	3	–	–	2	–
Palestine	1	–	–	–	–
Qatar	5	–	–	–	–
Saudi Arabia	3	1	3	2	–
Sudan	–	5	3	2	–
Syria	–	–	–	1	–
Tunisia	–	3	1	2	1
United Arab Emirates	5	1	–	–	–
Yemen	1	–	1	3	–

^aThere were no published articles on the prevalence of any of these diseases in Bahrain or Djibouti.