

# GULF BORDER DISPUTES

## 1 SAUDI ARABIA & JORDAN

Border differences after the agreement in 1925.  
**Resolution 1965**

## 2 SAUDI ARABIA & EGYPT

Saudi Arabia took control of Tiran and Sanafir Islands in a bilateral treaty.  
**Resolution 2017**

## 3 IRAQ & TURKEY

League of Nation committee ruled to annex Mosul to the British Empire rather than Turkey.  
**Resolution 1926**

## 4 SAUDI ARABIA & IRAQ

Neutral zone was ended in 1981 when the two governments agreed to partition the zone.  
**Resolution 1975**

## 5 IRAQ & IRAN

Shatt al-Arab waterway started an 8-years war in Spetember, 1980  
**UN Security Council Resolution 598 in 1987**

## 6 IRAQ & KUWAIT

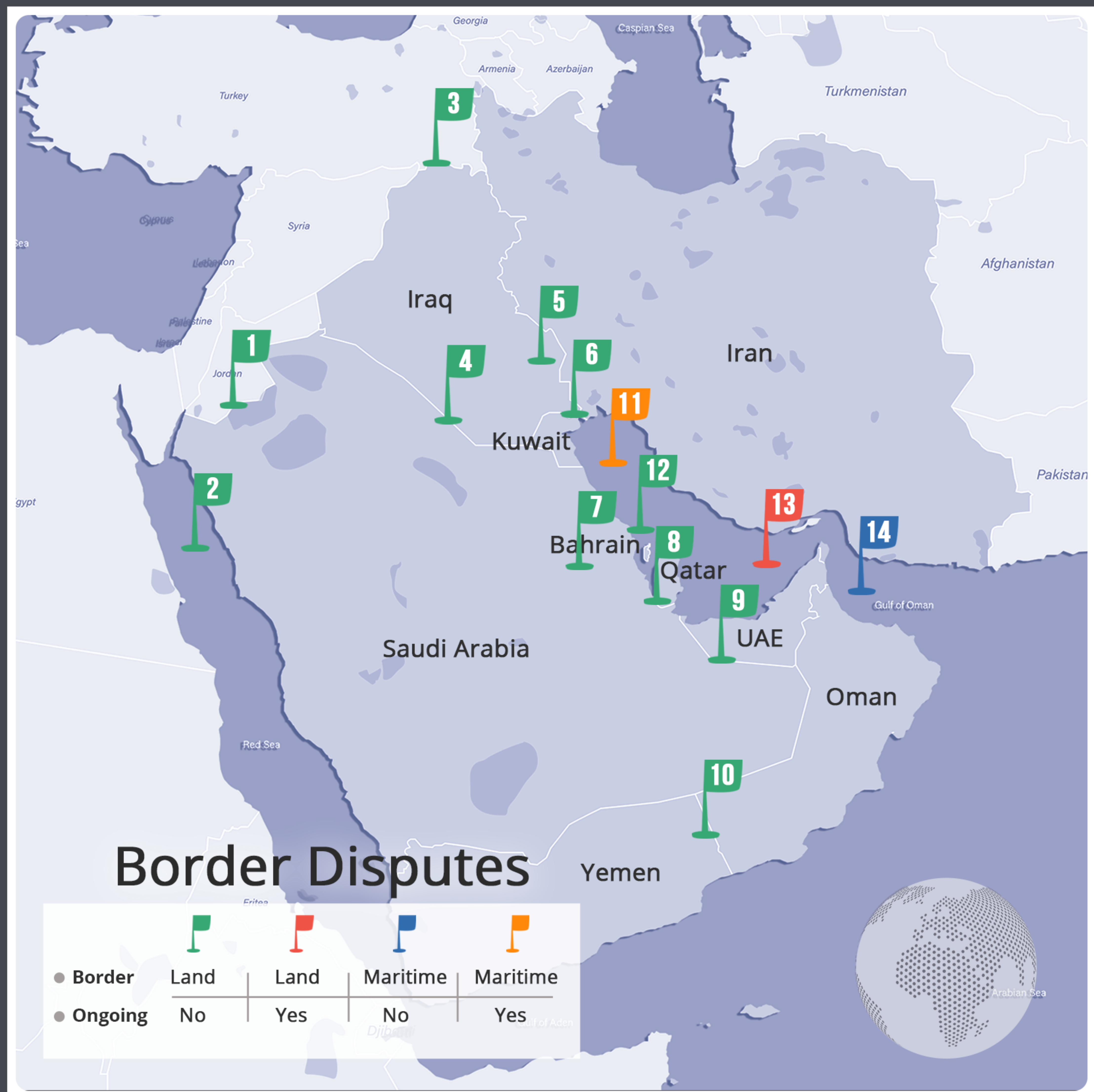
In 1973 Iraq reinstated old claims over Kuwait's Bubiyan and Warbah islands.  
**UN Security Council 833 in 1993**

## 7 SAUDI ARABIA & BAHRAIN

Previous dispute over Greater and Lesser Lubna Islands, as well as disagreements over oil production from Abu Sa'fa resolved with KSA controlling Greater Lubna and Bahrain controlling Lesser Lubna.  
**Resolution 1958**

## 8 SAUDI ARABIA & QATAR

Border dispute exacerbated after fire exchanges at the border in 1992.  
**2001 border demarcation agreement**



## 9 SAUDI ARABIA & UAE

The Buraimi Oasis on the UAE-Oman border  
**Bilateral agreement 1974**

## 10 YEMEN & OMAN

Al-Muhra Province borders.  
**Bilateral agreement 1992**

## 11 IRAN & SAUDI ARABIA & KUWAIT

Overlapping portions of the Dorra Gas Shelf - dispute dates back to the 1960s.  
**No Resolution**

## 12 IRAN & BAHRAIN

Iran for several decades claimed Bahrain as its 14th province  
**Resolution 1971 referendum**

## 13 IRAN & UAE

The UAE claims Iran is occupying the "historically Arab" Tunbs Islands  
**No Resolution**

## 14 IRAN & OMAN

Undefined Maritime boundaries  
**Resolution 2015**



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