

Table 2 Country-level projections for current male tobacco smoking, 2000–2025, WHO Trend Report 2019

Country	Estimated current male tobacco smoking 2000 (%)	Projected current male tobacco smoking 2025 (%)	Absolute percentage point increase*
Bahrain	36.6	34.5	-2.1
Egypt	40.3	42.6	2.3
Islamic Republic of Iran	25.9	18.3	-7.6
Iraq	38.1	33.5	-4.6
Kuwait	41	36.7	-4.3
Lebanon	40.2	41.4	1.2
Morocco	39	23.4	-15.6
Oman	13.6	17.3	3.7
Pakistan	37.2	27.6	-9.6
Qatar	26.2	23.9	-2.3
Saudi Arabia	23.3	25.4	2.1
Tunisia	64.2	36.8	-27.4
United Arab Emirates	35.7	28.5	-7.2
Yemen	35.5	24	-11.5

*a negative value amounts to a projected decrease in projected prevalence between 2000 and 2025.