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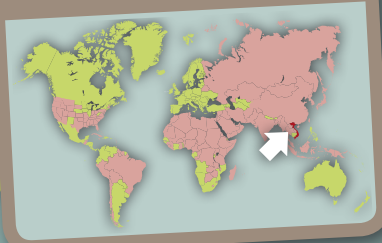
Retentionist country that has carried out at least 3 executions in 2014. Prisoners are executed by firing squad or by lethal injection. The death penalty may be handed down for murder, terrorism, pedophilia, theft, drug trafficking, economic crimes, treason, espionage, counterfeiting and military crimes.

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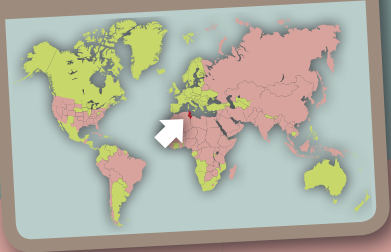
TUNISIA

ITALY



De facto abolitionist country since 1991. Thanks to the current political transition, the abolitionist process is going through an acceleration. The president regularly uses his prerogatives to commute death sentences to life imprisonment. Tunisia voted for the first time in favour of the UN resolution for a moratorium on executions in 2012.

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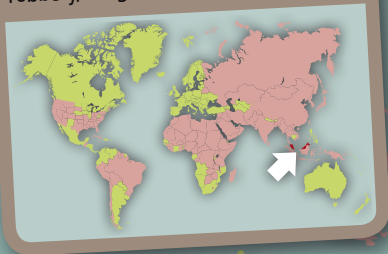
PHILIPPINES

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EAST TIMOR



Retentionist country where prisoners are executed by hanging. Executions are carried out in great secrecy (the prisoners, families and lawyers are not informed), so it is difficult to obtain reliable statistics regarding their number. The death penalty is mandatory for premeditated murder, terrorism, kidnapping, burglary and armed robbery, drug trafficking and treason.



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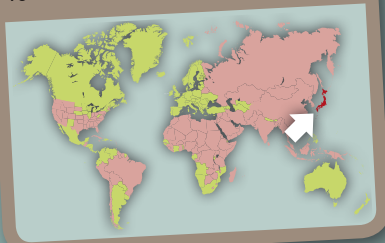


JAPAN



Retentionist country that executed 8 prisoners in 2013. The current method of execution is hanging and executions are always carried out in the greatest secrecy, without the families being notified in advance. Japan has one of the oldest death row prisoners in the world, Masaru Okunishi, who is 88 years old, and has spent over 40 years on death row.

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EGYPT

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TURKEY

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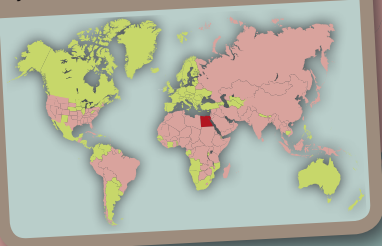


Retentionist country that sentences to death and executes many prisoners (In 2013, between 500 and 1,000 were sentenced to death). The main charges are: murder, terrorism, rape, abduction, trafficking and possession of drugs, treason and espionage. The death row prisoners are executed by hanging.



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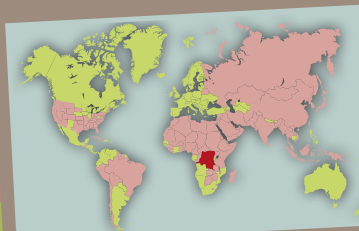
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DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO



De facto abolitionist country since 2003. In 2013, at least 26 death sentences were handed down, mostly by military courts in cases of murder, possession of weapons and conspiracy while civil courts sentenced two prisoners to death for murder. The methods of execution are: hanging or firing squad; it is the president's choice which method will be used.



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UGANDA



Retentionist country that executes by hanging and by firing squad for military crimes. The last known execution took place in 2005. Civil society denounces the discriminatory nature of the death penalty (against the poorest, people from rural areas and political opponents) and imprisonment conditions on death row that violate international law.

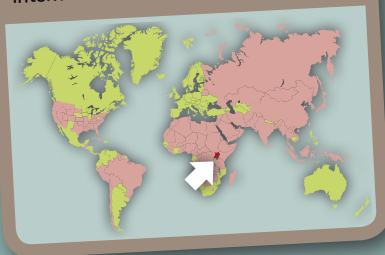
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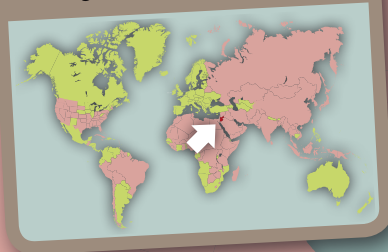
TURKEY

CYPRUS

AMMAN



Retentionist country which has observed a de facto moratorium for 8 years. But in 2014, the Jordanian government carried out the execution of 13 prisoners who were hanged. These executions were directly related to the terrorist events that shook the region and the war against the Islamic state in Iraq and Syria ISIS. The threat led the Jordanian government to impose its authority by resorting to the death penalty.



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LEBANON



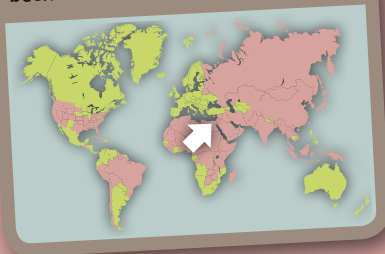
De facto abolitionist country since 2004 although judges continue to hand down death sentences. It is estimated that about fifty people are currently on death row in Lebanon. Since its independence in 1943, no less than 52 executions have been recorded in Lebanon.



TURKEY

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CUBA

HAVANA

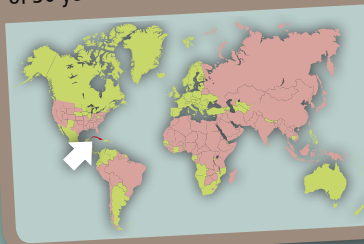
MEXICO

HAÏTI

HONDURAS



De facto abolitionist country since 2003 where prisoners were executed by firing squad. Crimes punishable by death are murder, terrorism, rape, robbery, drug trafficking, treason and espionage. Between 2008 and 2010, President Raoul Castro commuted all death sentences to life imprisonment of 30 years.



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