



Pre-Election Fact Sheet: 2024 Presidential Election

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Mauritania



THE 2024 ELECTION

Election Date: 29 June 2024

Incumbent Head of State:

President Mohamed Ould Ghazouani

Incumbent Head of Government:

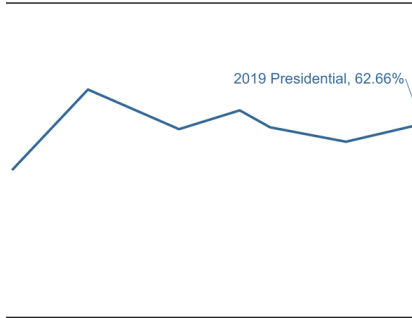
Prime Minister Mohamed Ould Bilal

Incumbent Head of Government Party:

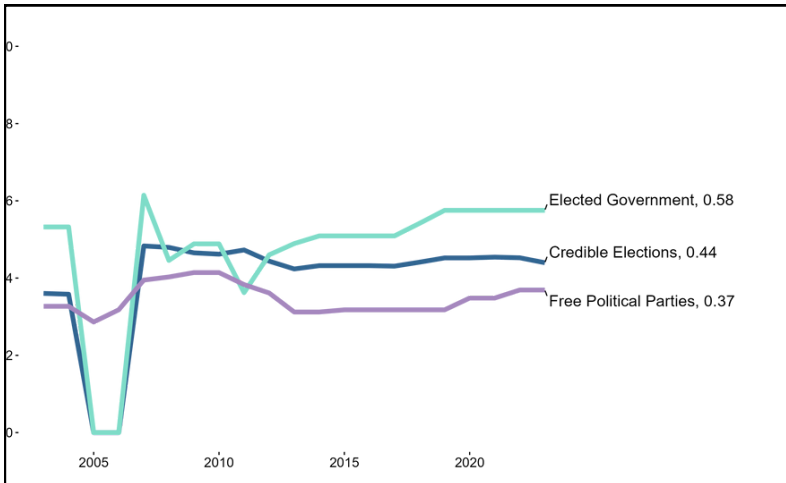
Equity Party

Compulsory voting? No

PAST VOTER TURNOUT



Global State of Democracy Indices data 2003 - 2023



ELECTORAL PROCESS

Selection Process for Head of State:

Direct election (two-round majority)

Voter registration:

Created by the EMB using its own data collection and/or other sources of data

Out-of-country Voting:

Yes (Personal)

Special Voting Arrangements:

Early voting (in-country)



WOMEN'S REPRESENTATION

Legislated gender quotas?

Single/Lower house: Yes

Upper house: Not applicable

Proportion of women in legislature (2023): 41 of 176 (23.3%)

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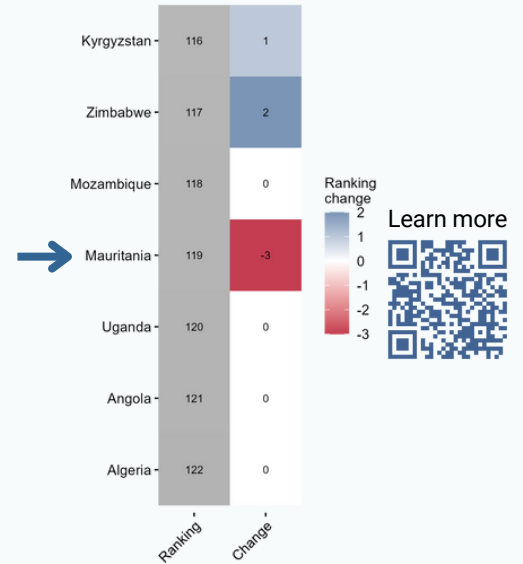
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Legislative elections return large majority for ruling party.



Global Ranking in Representation

The Representation category comprises six factors to measure contested and inclusive elections, including Credible Elections, Free Political Parties and Elected Government.



Note: Based on 2023 data, showing ranking change over 1 year. [See the full country rankings.](#)

Additional Resources

[National Independent Election Commission](#)

[The ACE Electoral Knowledge Network](#)

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