



0 100 200 mi  
0 100 200 300 km

**RUSSIAN EMPIRE**

**TURKEY**

**ARMENIA**

**CASPIAN SEA**

**CYPRUS**

**SYRIA**

**PERSIA**

**MEDITERRANEAN SEA**

**IRAQ**

**PALESTINE**

**EGYPT**

**ARABIA**

**KUWAIT**

**PERSIAN GULF**

**QATAR**

**SYKES-PICOT AGREEMENT  
MAY 1916**

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|---|--------------|---|---|
|  | British rule |  | Under British, French, and Russian protection |
|  | French rule  |  | Arab state under British protection           |
|  | Russian rule |  | Arab state under French protection            |