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## 20.3 Conflicts in the Middle East

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CHECKPOINTS: Answer each question as you read the text.

1. What obstacles have prevented peace between Israel and the Palestinians?

2. How did an influx of Palestinians contribute to ethnic conflict in Lebanon?

3. Why has conflict persisted in Iraq since the defeat of Saddam Hussein?