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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted February 1-10, 2019 with a random sample of **-1,016-** adults, ages 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on this sample of national adults, the margin of sampling error is  $\pm 4$  percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample of national adults includes a minimum quota of 70% cell phone respondents and 30% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained sample for this study from Survey Sampling International. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2018 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2018 National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the 2010 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

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19. Next, I'd like your overall opinion of some foreign countries. What is your overall opinion of [RANDOM ORDER]? Is it very favorable, mostly favorable, mostly unfavorable, or very unfavorable?

**L. Israel**

	<u>Very favorable</u>	<u>Mostly favorable</u>	<u>Mostly unfavorable</u>	<u>Very unfavorable</u>	<u>No opinion</u>	<u>Total favorable</u>	<u>Total unfavorable</u>
2019 Feb 1-10	28	41	20	8	3	69	28
2018 Feb 1-10	31	43	17	6	3	74	23
2017 Feb 1-5	29	42	21	6	2	71	27
2016 Feb 3-7	30	41	16	8	5	71	24
2015 Feb 8-11	29	41	17	7	6	70	24
2014 Feb 6-9	26	46	16	7	5	72	23
2013 Feb 7-10	25	41	21	8	5	66	29
2012 Feb 2-5	29	42	17	7	4	71	24
2011 Feb 2-5	24	44	20	7	6	68	27
2010 Feb 1-3	22	45	19	6	8	67	25
2009 Feb 9-12	21	42	21	8	7	63	29
2008 Feb 11-14	23	48	18	7	5	71	25
2007 Feb 1-4	22	41	22	8	7	63	30
2006 Feb 6-9	21	47	18	5	9	68	23
2005 Feb 7-10	19	50	20	5	6	69	25
2004 Feb 9-12	14	45	25	10	6	59	35
2003 Feb 3-6	22	42	23	6	7	64	29
2002 Feb 4-6	16	42	25	10	7	58	35
2001 Feb 1-4 ^	18	45	20	12	5	63	32
2000 Mar 17-19	16	46	20	8	10	62	28
2000 Jan 25-26	11	43	21	7	18	54	28
1999 May 7-9	15	53	19	6	7	68	25
1999 Feb 8-9	18	48	16	7	11	66	23
1996 Mar 8-10	17	45	18	11	9	62	29
1992 Feb 6-9	12	36	27	16	9	48	43
1991 Nov 21-14	11	36	26	11	16	47	37
1991 Sep 26-29	11	45	25	9	10	56	34
1991 Aug 8-11	15	47	19	6	12	62	25
1991 Mar 14-17	20	49	16	7	8	69	23
1991 Jan 30-Feb 2	28	51	10	3	8	79	13
1989 Aug 10-13	11	34	29	16	10	45	45
1989 Feb 28-Mar 2	8	41	25	13	13	49	38

^ Asked of half sample

**P. The Palestinian Authority**

	<u>Very favorable</u>	<u>Mostly favorable</u>	<u>Mostly unfavorable</u>	<u>Very unfavorable</u>	<u>No opinion</u>	<u>Total favorable</u>	<u>Total unfavorable</u>
2019 Feb 1-10	3	18	46	24	9	21	70
2018 Feb 1-10	3	18	44	27	8	21	71
2017 Feb 1-5	3	21	41	27	7	24	68
2016 Feb 3-7	4	15	41	27	13	19	68
2015 Feb 8-11	3	14	43	29	11	17	72
2014 Feb 6-9	3	16	39	27	15	19	66
2013 Feb 7-10	3	12	47	30	8	15	77
2012 Feb 2-5	3	16	44	28	9	19	72
2011 Feb 2-5	3	16	45	25	11	19	70
2010 Feb 1-3	3	17	44	26	10	20	70
2009 Feb 9-12	1	14	43	30	12	15	73
2008 Feb 11-14	1	13	47	28	11	14	75
2007 Feb 1-4	2	14	46	29	9	16	75
2006 Feb 6-9	1	10	49	29	10	11	78
2005 Feb 7-10	3	24	43	19	11	27	62
2004 Feb 9-12	2	13	44	32	9	15	76
2003 Feb 3-6	1	12	44	29	14	13	73
2002 Feb 4-6	3	11	44	32	10	14	76
2001 Feb 1-4 ^	4	18	39	24	15	22	63
2000 Jan 25-26	3	18	36	16	27	21	52

^ Asked of half sample

On a different topic,

21. In the Middle East situation, are your sympathies more with the Israelis or more with the Palestinians?

**WORLD AFFAIRS SURVEY TREND:**

	<u>Israelis</u>	<u>Palestinians</u>	<u>Both (vol.)</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Feb 1-10	59	21	6	7	7
2018 Feb 1-10	64	19	2	7	7
2017 Feb 1-5	62	19	5	6	8
2016 Feb 3-7	62	15	3	9	11
2015 Feb 8-11	62	16	3	8	11
2014 Feb 6-9	62	18	3	9	9
2013 Feb 7-10	64	12	5	11	7
2012 Feb 2-5	61	19	2	7	10
2011 Feb 2-5	63	17	2	10	8
2010 Feb 1-3	63	15	3	12	8
2009 Feb 9-12	59	18	4	9	10
2008 Feb 11-14	59	17	4	10	10
2007 Feb 1-4	58	20	5	10	7
2006 Feb 6-9	59	15	5	13	8
2005 Feb 7-10	52	18	7	12	11
2004 Feb 9-12	55	18	7	12	8
2003 Feb 3-6	58	13	6	11	12
2002 Feb 4-6	55	14	6	14	11
2001 Feb 1-4	51	16	7	14	12

**TREND FROM OTHER GALLUP POLLS**

	<u>Israelis</u>	<u>Palestinians</u>	<u>Both (vol.)</u>	<u>Neither (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2003 May 19-21	46	16	12	14	12
2002 Sep 2-4	47	14	6	19	14
2002 Jun 21-23	49	14	8	19	10
2002 May 20-22	49	15	7	19	10
2002 Apr 22-24	47	13	9	18	13
2002 Apr 5-7	50	15	9	17	9
2002 Mar 8-9	43	14	6	20	17
2001 Dec 14-16	51	14	5	17	13
2001 Sep 14-15	55	7	4	20	14
2001 Aug 10-12	41	13	7	18	21
2000 Oct 13-14	41	11	9	18	21
2000 Jul 6-9	41	14	5	18	22
2000 Jan 25-26	43	13	5	21	18
1999 Jul 22-25	43	12	11	19	15
1998 Dec 4-6	46	13	5	22	14
1997 Aug 12-13	38	8	5	19	30
1996 Nov 21-24	38	15	6	14	27
1993 Sep 10-12	42	15	6	17	20
1991 Jan 23-26	64	7	19	--	10
1989 Aug 10-13	50	14	15	--	21
1988 May 13-15	37	15	22	--	27

May 1988-April 2002 and February 2003 WORDING: In the Middle East situation, are your sympathies more with the Israelis or more with the Palestinian Arabs?

22. Do you favor or oppose the establishment of an independent Palestinian state on the West Bank and the Gaza strip?

	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Feb 1-10	50	39	12
2018 Feb 1-10	47	39	13
2017 Feb 1-5	45	42	13
2016 Feb 3-7	44	37	19
2015 Feb 8-11	42	38	20
2014 Feb 6-9	46	36	18
2013 Feb 7-10	44	37	19
2012 Feb 2-5	51	37	12
2009 May 29-31 ^	51	29	20
2003 May 30-Jun 1	58	22	20
2002 May 20-22 ^	48	27	25
2000 Jul 6-9 ^	40	24	36
1999 May 7-9 ^	53	26	21
1998 †	36	26	38
1994 †	39	20	41

^ Asked of a half sample.

† Gallup/Chicago Council on Foreign Relations

23. Do you think Donald Trump is – or is not—doing enough to find a peaceful solution to the conflict between the Israelis and Palestinians?

	<u>Yes, is</u>	<u>No, is not</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Feb 1-10	42	53	5
<b>George W. Bush</b>			
2008 Feb 11-14	46	47	7
2007 Feb 1-4	44	51	5
2002 Jun 7-8	61	28	11

24. Next, I am going to read you a list of possible threats to the vital interests of the United States in the next 10 years. For each one, please tell me if you see this as a critical threat, an important but not critical threat, or not an important threat at all. [RANDOM ORDER]

**B. The conflict between the Israelis and the Palestinians**

	<u>Critical</u>	<u>Important</u>	<u>Not important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2019 Feb 1-10	34	49	14	2
2018 Feb 1-10	36	48	14	2
2016 Feb 3-7	45	41	9	4
2015 Feb 8-11	47	41	8	4
2014 Feb 6-9	46	42	9	3
2013 Feb 7-10	44	44	9	3
2010 Feb 1-3	47	41	10	2
2004 Feb 9-12	58	32	8	2

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**QN19L: Opinion of Israel BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	1016	561	455	762	237	182	269	550	469	310	227	338	360	293	420	322	242
	Weighted n	1016	499	517	676	327	265	337	398	332	292	386	319	370	304	410	334	236
Very favorable		282	170	112	210	69	46	85	145	91	84	104	138	99	39	167	82	31
		28%	34%	22%	31%	21%	17%	25%	36%	27%	29%	27%	43%	27%	13%	41%	25%	13%
Mostly favorable		417	186	230	282	128	114	131	166	151	114	150	118	144	147	157	150	98
		41%	37%	45%	42%	39%	43%	39%	42%	46%	39%	39%	37%	39%	49%	38%	45%	42%
Mostly unfavorable		208	88	121	131	77	69	89	47	65	71	72	37	84	82	54	67	75
		20%	18%	23%	19%	23%	26%	27%	12%	20%	24%	19%	12%	23%	27%	13%	20%	32%
Very unfavorable		76	46	30	38	38	24	24	28	17	15	45	16	31	28	24	23	25
		8%	9%	6%	6%	12%	9%	7%	7%	5%	5%	12%	5%	8%	9%	6%	7%	11%
(DK)/(Refused)		33	9	24	15	15	13	8	12	8	8	15	8	13	8	8	11	7
		3%	2%	5%	2%	5%	5%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%

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**QN19P: Opinion of The Palestinian Authority BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	1016	561	455	762	237	182	269	550	469	310	227	338	360	293	420	322	242
	Weighted n	1016	499	517	676	327	265	337	398	332	292	386	319	370	304	410	334	236
Very favorable		34	22	12	15	20	11	11	11	10	6	19	6	9	16	13	10	12
		3%	4%	2%	2%	6%	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%	5%	2%	3%	5%	3%	3%	5%
Mostly favorable		186	85	101	119	66	69	66	47	74	45	66	38	79	67	33	78	71
		18%	17%	20%	18%	20%	26%	19%	12%	22%	15%	17%	12%	21%	22%	8%	23%	30%
Mostly unfavorable		466	213	253	313	148	119	165	174	154	135	174	137	167	156	184	160	107
		46%	43%	49%	46%	45%	45%	49%	44%	46%	46%	45%	43%	45%	51%	45%	48%	45%
Very unfavorable		241	146	95	181	58	38	74	128	75	75	90	120	76	43	146	57	31
		24%	29%	18%	27%	18%	14%	22%	32%	23%	26%	23%	38%	20%	14%	36%	17%	13%
(DK)/(Refused)		89	33	56	47	35	29	22	38	19	32	36	19	40	22	34	29	16
		9%	7%	11%	7%	11%	11%	7%	9%	6%	11%	9%	6%	11%	7%	8%	9%	7%

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**QN21: Sympathies more with the Israelis or more with the Palestinians BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	1016	561	455	762	237	182	269	550	469	310	227	338	360	293	420	322	242
	Weighted n	1016	499	517	676	327	265	337	398	332	292	386	319	370	304	410	334	236
Israelis		602	323	279	437	160	124	191	277	194	170	235	241	223	132	311	192	92
		59%	65%	54%	65%	49%	47%	57%	70%	58%	58%	61%	76%	60%	43%	76%	57%	39%
Palestinians		211	100	110	124	83	78	72	60	91	45	74	37	78	90	44	69	86
		21%	20%	21%	18%	25%	29%	21%	15%	27%	15%	19%	12%	21%	30%	11%	21%	36%
(Both) [VOLUNTEERED]		61	22	40	31	28	13	26	18	15	19	28	8	25	26	15	20	22
		6%	4%	8%	5%	9%	5%	8%	5%	4%	7%	7%	3%	7%	8%	4%	6%	9%
(Neither) [VOLUNTEERED]		73	35	37	46	27	16	28	29	19	27	26	19	26	26	23	22	23
		7%	7%	7%	7%	8%	6%	8%	7%	6%	9%	7%	6%	7%	8%	5%	6%	10%
(DK)/(Refused)		70	19	50	38	29	35	21	14	13	31	23	13	19	31	18	31	14
		7%	4%	10%	6%	9%	13%	6%	3%	4%	11%	6%	4%	5%	10%	4%	9%	6%

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**QN22: Favor or oppose the establishment of an independent Palestinian state on the West Bank and the Gaza strip BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology		
			Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	1016	561	455	762	237	182	269	550	469	310	227	338	360	293	420	322	242
	Weighted n	1016	499	517	676	327	265	337	398	332	292	386	319	370	304	410	334	236
Favor		504	263	241	321	180	141	172	188	205	129	169	106	199	189	148	177	166
		50%	53%	47%	47%	55%	53%	51%	47%	62%	44%	44%	33%	54%	62%	36%	53%	70%
Oppose		394	193	201	274	117	91	122	170	98	115	180	169	138	83	215	116	53
		39%	39%	39%	41%	36%	35%	36%	43%	29%	39%	47%	53%	37%	27%	53%	35%	22%
(DK)/(Refused)		118	43	75	81	31	33	43	40	29	48	37	43	33	32	46	41	18
		12%	9%	15%	12%	9%	12%	13%	10%	9%	16%	10%	14%	9%	11%	11%	12%	7%

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**QN23: President doing enough to find a peaceful solution to the conflict between the Israelis and Palestinians BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology		
			Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	1016	561	455	762	237	182	269	550	469	310	227	338	360	293	420	322	242
	Weighted n	1016	499	517	676	327	265	337	398	332	292	386	319	370	304	410	334	236
Yes, is		423	210	214	329	89	93	131	187	126	139	155	246	121	48	259	114	44
		42%	42%	41%	49%	27%	35%	39%	47%	38%	48%	40%	77%	33%	16%	63%	34%	19%
No, is not		543	261	282	313	224	162	184	193	187	136	216	58	233	243	131	202	187
		53%	52%	55%	46%	68%	61%	55%	48%	56%	47%	56%	18%	63%	80%	32%	61%	79%
Don't know/Refused		50	29	22	34	15	10	22	18	18	17	14	14	17	13	20	18	5
		5%	6%	4%	5%	4%	4%	7%	5%	6%	6%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	2%

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**QN24B: Possible threats to the vital interest of the United States in the next 10 years - The conflict between Israel and the Palestinians BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	555	305	250	415	129	97	148	302	262	171	116	195	190	156	241	174	122
	Weighted n	551	269	281	375	168	139	183	223	189	162	195	184	193	161	239	174	117
Critical threat		189	82	107	118	68	41	59	86	57	59	72	65	61	58	85	59	35
		34%	30%	38%	31%	40%	30%	32%	38%	30%	36%	37%	35%	31%	36%	36%	34%	30%
Important but not critical threat		271	144	127	186	83	75	100	96	110	71	89	94	90	85	115	89	63
		49%	53%	45%	50%	50%	54%	55%	43%	58%	44%	46%	51%	47%	53%	48%	51%	54%
Not an important threat at all		78	40	37	63	14	21	20	34	22	26	30	22	39	13	38	20	18
		14%	15%	13%	17%	9%	15%	11%	15%	11%	16%	15%	12%	20%	8%	16%	12%	15%
Don't know/Refused		13	3	10	8	2	2	4	7	1	6	4	2	4	4	2	5	2
		2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	0%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%

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