

Israeli Elections

Poll

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Survation.

Methodology

Fieldwork Dates

4th – 9th March 2015

Data Collection Method

The survey was conducted via telephone. A combination of both landline and mobile data were called.

Population Sampled

All residents aged 18+ in Great Britain who identify as Jewish

Sample Size

1,000

Sampling Method

Data called were pre-selected on the basis of a high probability of likely Jewish identity, estimated from a range of demographic indicators selected by Survation in consultation with Jewish community leaders and academics. Respondents were asked to confirm before the start of the survey whether they were Jewish (including secular or non-practicing) and only those who did were continued into the survey.

Data Weighting

Data were weighted to the profile of all Jewish adults aged 18+ in Great Britain. Data were weighted by age, sex and region. Targets for the weighted data were derived from Office of National Statistics 2011 Census data.

Margin of Error

Because only a sample of the full population was interviewed, all results are subject to margin of error, meaning that not all differences are statistically significant. For example, in a question where 50% (the worst case scenario as far as margin of error is concerned) gave a particular answer, with a sample of 1,000 it is 95% certain that the 'true' value will fall within the range of 3.1% from the sample result. Subsamples from the cross-breaks will be subject to higher margin of error, conclusions drawn from crossbreaks with very small sub-samples should be treated with caution.

Question presentation

All data tables shown in full below, in order and wording put to respondents, including but not limited to all tables relating to published data and all relevant tables preceding them. Tables for demographic questions might not be included but these should be clear from the cross-breaks on published tables. In all questions where the responses are a list of parties, names or statements, these will typically have been read to respondents in a randomising order. The only questions which would not have had randomising responses would be those in which there was a natural order to maintain – e.g. a scale from “strongly agree” to “strongly disagree”, a list of numbers from 0 to 10 or questions which had factual rather than opinion-related answers such as demographic information. “Other”, “Don't know” and “Refused” responses are not prompted.

Not all questions will have necessarily been asked to all respondents – this is because they may be follow-on questions from previous questions or only appropriate to certain demographic groups. Lower response counts should make clear where this has occurred.

Data were analysed and weighted by Survation.

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Table 1
Q1. Normal weightings
Q1. To what extent, if at all, do you follow Israeli politics?
Base: All Respondents

| | Total | Gender | | Age | | | Region | | | To what extent, if at all, do you follow Israeli politics? | | | |
|------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--|-------------|---------------|------------|
| | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-54 | 55+ | London | Manchester | Other | Very much | Quite a bit | Not very much | Not at all |
| Unweighted Total | 1000 | 548 | 452 | 178 | 348 | 474 | 608 | 116 | 276 | 183 | 321 | 358 | 138 |
| Weighted Total | 1000 | 483 | 517 | 193 | 227 | 580 | 538 | 138 | 324 | 181 | 319 | 364 | 135 |
| Very much | 181 | 110 | 72 | 29 | 36 | 117 | 98 | 19 | 65 | 181 | - | - | - |
| | 18.1% | 22.7% | 13.8% | 15.0% | 15.7% | 20.1% | 18.3% | 13.4% | 20.0% | 100.0% | - | - | - |
| Quite a bit | 319 | 170 | 150 | 59 | 69 | 191 | 173 | 56 | 91 | - | 319 | - | - |
| | 31.9% | 35.1% | 28.9% | 30.9% | 30.2% | 33.0% | 32.1% | 40.5% | 28.0% | - | 100.0% | - | - |
| Not very much | 364 | 146 | 219 | 72 | 86 | 206 | 194 | 51 | 120 | - | - | 364 | - |
| | 36.4% | 30.2% | 42.3% | 37.7% | 37.8% | 35.5% | 36.1% | 36.8% | 36.9% | - | - | 100.0% | - |
| Not at all | 135 | 58 | 77 | 32 | 37 | 66 | 73 | 13 | 49 | - | - | - | 135 |
| | 13.5% | 11.9% | 14.9% | 16.4% | 16.3% | 11.4% | 13.6% | 9.2% | 15.1% | - | - | - | 100.0% |
| SIGMA | 1000 | 483 | 517 | 193 | 227 | 580 | 538 | 138 | 324 | 181 | 319 | 364 | 135 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |

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Table 2

Q2. Normal weightings

Q2. If you had a vote in next week's Israeli elections, which of the following parties and party leaders would you vote for?

Base: All Respondents

| | Total | Gender | | Age | | | Region | | | To what extent, if at all, do you follow Israeli politics? | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--|-------------|---------------|------------|
| | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-54 | 55+ | London | Manchester | Other | Very much | Quite a bit | Not very much | Not at all |
| Unweighted Total | 1000 | 548 | 452 | 178 | 348 | 474 | 608 | 116 | 276 | 183 | 321 | 358 | 138 |
| Weighted Total | 1000 | 483 | 517 | 193 | 227 | 580 | 538 | 138 | 324 | 181 | 319 | 364 | 135 |
| Zionist Union (led by Labour leader Isaac Herzog) | 104 | 62 | 42 | 14 | 23 | 67 | 65 | 11 | 27 | 34 | 42 | 25 | 3 |
| | 10.4% | 12.9% | 8.1% | 7.3% | 9.9% | 11.6% | 12.2% | 8.3% | 8.4% | 18.7% | 13.1% | 6.9% | 2.5% |
| Likud (led by Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu) | 311 | 178 | 133 | 58 | 65 | 188 | 169 | 41 | 101 | 90 | 127 | 78 | 16 |
| | 31.1% | 36.8% | 25.7% | 30.2% | 28.4% | 32.4% | 31.5% | 29.6% | 31.0% | 49.6% | 39.7% | 21.4% | 12.1% |
| Jewish Home (led by Naftali Bennett) | 14 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 4 | - | 7 | 6 | 1 | - |
| | 1.4% | 1.6% | 1.2% | 2.8% | 2.4% | 0.5% | 1.8% | 3.1% | - | 3.6% | 2.0% | * | - |
| Yesh Atid (led by Yair Lapid) | 13 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 8 | - | 5 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 1 |
| | 1.3% | 2.4% | * | 1.0% | 1.1% | 1.5% | 1.5% | - | 1.5% | 2.5% | 1.8% | 0.5% | 0.5% |
| Kulanu (led by Moshe Kahlon) | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | 2 | 3 | - | - | 1 | - | 2 | - |
| | * | * | * | 0.6% | - | * | 0.6% | - | - | 0.7% | - | 0.6% | - |
| Yisrael Beytenu (led by Avigdor Liberman) | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - |
| | * | 0.8% | * | 0.9% | * | * | * | 0.9% | * | 1.0% | 0.6% | * | - |
| Another Party | 15 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 5 | - | - |
| | 1.5% | 1.9% | 1.2% | 2.5% | 1.1% | 1.3% | 1.5% | 1.3% | 1.6% | 5.6% | 1.5% | - | - |
| Dont know | 461 | 167 | 293 | 85 | 114 | 261 | 232 | 72 | 156 | 27 | 121 | 226 | 86 |
| | 46.1% | 34.6% | 56.7% | 44.3% | 50.2% | 45.0% | 43.2% | 52.2% | 48.2% | 14.8% | 37.9% | 62.1% | 63.8% |
| Would not vote | 74 | 42 | 32 | 20 | 15 | 39 | 39 | 6 | 29 | 6 | 11 | 29 | 29 |
| | 7.4% | 8.7% | 6.2% | 10.4% | 6.6% | 6.8% | 7.2% | 4.7% | 9.0% | 3.4% | 3.4% | 7.9% | 21.2% |
| SIGMA | 1000 | 483 | 517 | 193 | 227 | 580 | 538 | 138 | 324 | 181 | 319 | 364 | 135 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |

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Table 3

Q2. Normal weightings, excluding don't knows and would not vote

Q2. If you had a vote in next week's Israeli elections, which of the following parties and party leaders would you vote for?

Base: All Respondents

| | Total | | Gender | | | Age | | | Region | | | To what extent, if at all, do you follow Israeli politics? | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|-------|------|--------|------------|-------|-----------|-------------|---------------|--|------|--|--|
| | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-54 | 55+ | London | Manchester | Other | Very much | Quite a bit | Not very much | Not at all | | | |
| Unweighted Total | 476 | 307 | 169 | 84 | 156 | 236 | 305 | 52 | 119 | 154 | 194 | 110 | 18 | | |
| Weighted Total | 465 | 274 | 191 | 87 | 98 | 280 | 267 | 60 | 139 | 148 | 187 | 109 | 20 | | |
| Zionist Union (led by Labour leader Isaac Herzog) | 104 | 62 | 42 | 14 | 23 | 67 | 65 | 11 | 27 | 34 | 42 | 25 | 3 | | |
| Likud (led by Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu) | 311 | 178 | 133 | 58 | 65 | 188 | 169 | 41 | 101 | 90 | 127 | 78 | 16 | | |
| Jewish Home (led by Naftali Bennett) | 14 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 4 | - | 7 | 6 | 1 | - | | |
| Yesh Atid (led by Yair Lapid) | 13 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 8 | - | 5 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 1 | | |
| Kulanu (led by Moshe Kahlon) | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | 2 | 3 | - | - | 1 | - | 2 | - | | |
| Yisrael Beytenu (led by Avigdor Liberman) | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - | | |
| Another Party | 15 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 5 | - | - | | |
| SIGMA | 465 | 274 | 191 | 87 | 98 | 280 | 267 | 60 | 139 | 148 | 187 | 109 | 20 | | |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | | |

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Table 4
Q3. Normal weightings
Q3. Would you prefer Benjamin Netanyahu or Isaac Herzog to be the next Israeli Prime Minister?
Base: All Respondents

| | Total | Gender | | Age | | | Region | | | To what extent, if at all, do you follow Israeli politics? | | | |
|--------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--|-------------|---------------|------------|
| | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-54 | 55+ | London | Manchester | Other | Very much | Quite a bit | Not very much | Not at all |
| Unweighted Total | 1000 | 548 | 452 | 178 | 348 | 474 | 608 | 116 | 276 | 183 | 321 | 358 | 138 |
| Weighted Total | 1000 | 483 | 517 | 193 | 227 | 580 | 538 | 138 | 324 | 181 | 319 | 364 | 135 |
| Benjamin Netanyahu | 412 | 231 | 182 | 84 | 90 | 238 | 222 | 60 | 130 | 105 | 160 | 118 | 30 |
| | 41.2% | 47.7% | 35.2% | 43.8% | 39.7% | 41.0% | 41.2% | 43.7% | 40.2% | 57.7% | 50.0% | 32.4% | 22.3% |
| Isaac Herzog | 180 | 105 | 75 | 25 | 33 | 122 | 95 | 16 | 68 | 45 | 77 | 49 | 8 |
| | 18.0% | 21.7% | 14.5% | 13.0% | 14.3% | 21.0% | 17.7% | 11.7% | 21.0% | 25.0% | 24.1% | 13.6% | 5.9% |
| Dont know | 408 | 148 | 260 | 83 | 104 | 220 | 221 | 62 | 126 | 31 | 83 | 197 | 97 |
| | 40.8% | 30.6% | 50.3% | 43.2% | 45.9% | 38.0% | 41.0% | 44.5% | 38.8% | 17.3% | 25.9% | 54.0% | 71.9% |
| SIGMA | 1000 | 483 | 517 | 193 | 227 | 580 | 538 | 138 | 324 | 181 | 319 | 364 | 135 |
| | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |