CRITICAL ISSUES POLL

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Poll on Israeli Elections

Survey Methodology

This poll was conducted by Ipsos from October 23-25, 2026, using the probability-based KnowledgePanel®. This poll is based on a nationally representative probability sample of 1,017 adults age 18 or older.

The study was conducted in English. The data for the total sample were weighted to adjust for gender by age, race/ethnicity, education, Census region, metropolitan status, and household income. The demographic benchmarks came from the 2026 March Supplement of the Current Population Survey (CPS). The 2024 presidential vote choice benchmarks came from the federal elections 2024 election results for the U.S. President.

The margin of sampling error is plus or minus 3.2 percentage points at the 95% confidence level, based on the entire sample of adults. The margin of sampling error takes into account the design effect, which was 1.09.

Note: Percentages may not always add to one hundred due to rounding.

Q1A. To what extent is the US relationship with the following countries an asset or liability for American interests? – Israel

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
Big asset	30%	2%	13%
Somewhat of an asset	16%	13%	13%
Neither an asset nor a liability	10%	13%	10%
Somewhat of a liability	15%	18%	17%
Big liability	10%	33%	22%
Don't know	18%	19%	23%

Q1B. To what extent is the US relationship with the following countries an asset or liability for American interests? – Saudi Arabia

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
Big asset	16%	5%	9%
Somewhat of an asset	31%	18%	22%
Neither an asset nor a liability	15%	15%	14%
Somewhat of a liability	10%	19%	14%
Big liability	7%	13%	10%
Don't know	19%	28%	28%

Q1C. To what extent is the US relationship with the following countries an asset or liability for American interests? – Canada

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
Big asset	26%	53%	37%
Somewhat of an asset	28%	13%	19%
Neither an asset nor a liability	16%	7%	11%
Somewhat of a liability	9%	3%	6%
Big liability	6%	4%	4%
Don't know	14%	18%	21%

Q1D. To what extent is the US relationship with the following countries an asset or liability for American interests? – Britain

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
Big asset	23%	40%	30%
Somewhat of an asset	34%	19%	23%
Neither an asset nor a liability	13%	12%	13%
Somewhat of a liability	8%	2%	5%
Big liability	5%	3%	3%
Don't know	17%	21%	24%

Q2A. To the best of your knowledge, how much did each of the following countries influence President Donald Trump's decision to initiate war with Iran? - Israel

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	38%	55%	46%
Moderately	11%	7%	9%
A little	15%	5%	7%
Not at all	6%	3%	4%
Don't know	29%	28%	32%

Q2B. To the best of your knowledge, how much did each of the following countries influence President Donald Trump's decision to initiate war with Iran? – Saudi Arabia

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	7%	17%	11%
Moderately	12%	15%	14%
A little	23%	15%	16%
Not at all	15%	11%	12%
Don't know	43%	40%	45%

Q2C. To the best of your knowledge, how much did each of the following countries influence President Donald Trump's decision to initiate war with Iran? – Canada

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents

A lot	2%	3%	2%
Moderately	4%	2%	4%
A little	6%	5%	6%
Not at all	45%	52%	44%
Don't know	42%	36%	42%

Q2D. To the best of your knowledge, how much did each of the following countries influence President Donald Trump's decision to initiate war with Iran? – Britain

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	3%	2%	3%
Moderately	8%	6%	6%
A little	14%	6%	9%
Not at all	31%	47%	36%
Don't know	43%	37%	45%

Q3A. In the upcoming midterm elections, how much, if at all, will the US relationship with the following countries influence your vote? – Israel

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	12%	32%	21%
Moderately	10%	12%	10%
A little	12%	10%	10%
Not at all	49%	22%	32%
Don't plan to vote	15%	21%	24%

Q3B. In the upcoming midterm elections, how much, if at all, will the US relationship with the following countries influence your vote? – Saudi Arabia

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	3%	10%	8%
Moderately	6%	15%	10%

A little	13%	13%	13%
Not at all	57%	34%	40%
Don’t plan to vote	20%	24%	27%

Q3B. In the upcoming midterm elections, how much, if at all, will the US relationship with the following countries influence your vote? – Saudi Arabia

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	3%	10%	8%
Moderately	6%	15%	10%
A little	13%	13%	13%
Not at all	57%	34%	40%
Don’t plan to vote	20%	24%	27%

Q3C. In the upcoming midterm elections, how much, if at all, will the US relationship with the following countries influence your vote? – Canada

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	4%	25%	14%
Moderately	5%	9%	7%
A little	11%	14%	11%
Not at all	62%	28%	40%
Don’t plan to vote	18%	21%	25%

Q3D. In the upcoming midterm elections, how much, if at all, will the US relationship with the following countries influence your vote? – Britain

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	4%	13%	8%
Moderately	6%	12%	9%
A little	9%	9%	9%

Not at all	61%	40%	45%
Don't plan to vote	18%	23%	27%

Q4. In the upcoming midterm elections, how much, if at all, will the war with Iran influence your vote?

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
A lot	14%	53%	31%
Moderately	12%	13%	13%
A little	19%	10%	12%
Not at all	45%	10%	25%
Don't plan to vote	9%	10%	17%

Q5A. As you may know, Israel is about to hold parliamentary elections that will determine the shape of its next government. How much would a new governing coalition led by someone other than Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu affect your views of the following: The State of Israel

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
Greatly	9%	21%	14%
Somewhat	25%	30%	26%
Not much	30%	19%	23%
Not at all	33%	24%	32%

Q5B. As you may know, Israel is about to hold parliamentary elections that will determine the shape of its next government. How much would a new governing coalition led by someone other than Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu affect your views of the following: Israeli policies

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
Greatly	8%	21%	14%
Somewhat	27%	27%	27%
Not much	30%	22%	22%
Not at all	32%	26%	32%

Q5C. As you may know, Israel is about to hold parliamentary elections that will determine the shape of its next government. How much would a new governing coalition led by someone other than Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu affect your views of the following: The US-Israeli relationship

	Republicans	Democrats	All respondents
Greatly	8%	19%	13%
Somewhat	32%	34%	30%
Not much	26%	19%	22%
Not at all	31%	22%	30%