Executive Summary

This public opinion survey, commissioned by the Geneva Initiative, was carried out among a representative sample of the Israeli public by the professional polling company Midgam in January 2024. The survey sample size was 500, with a margin of error of ±4.4%.

Which of the following options is in your opinion the most viable solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict?

Two states for two peoples – 31.7%
Mass expulsion of Palestinians from the West Bank & Gaza – 26.2%
Annexation of the West Bank & Gaza to Israel without granting citizenship to Palestinians – 19.2%
Annexation of the West Bank & Gaza to Israel with equal rights for Palestinians – 2.9%
Don’t know – 20.1%

If an agreement was signed with US support that included: return of the hostages, agreement to establish in the future a non-militarized Palestinian state in the West Bank & Gaza, and total normalization between Israel and Saudi Arabia, would you support or oppose this agreement?

I would support it – 51.3%
I would oppose it – 28.9%
Don’t know – 19.8%

What situation would you prefer to see in the Gaza Strip three years from now?

IDF soldiers still in the Gaza Strip – 32.0%
IDF soldiers not in the Gaza Strip – 50.5%
Don’t know – 17.5%
Did your view of the United States change after October 7th, and if so, how?

Became more positive – 26.3%

Didn’t change – it was always positive – 38.2%

Didn’t change – it was always negative – 7.2%

Became more negative – 17.1%

Don’t know – 11.1%

If one of the existing political parties that will run in the next elections promises to work towards a political solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, would this...

Increase the likelihood that I would vote for it – 30.4%

Decrease the likelihood that I would vote for it – 15.7%

Wouldn’t make a difference – 53.9%