

The Israeli Voice - November 2019

1. How do you feel about the state of democratic governance in Israel in the foreseeable future?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Very optimistic	5.7	4.6	5.5
Moderately optimistic	27.6	17.9	26.1
Moderately pessimistic	38.7	31.9	37.6
Very pessimistic	21.1	36.4	23.5
Don't know/Refuse to answer	6.9	9.2	7.3
Total	100	100	100

2. And how do you feel about Israel's security situation in the foreseeable future?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Very optimistic	6.9	8.0	7.1
Moderately optimistic	43.3	32.2	41.5
Moderately pessimistic	33.0	26.2	31.9
Very pessimistic	10.4	23.1	12.4
Don't know/Refuse to answer	6.5	10.5	7.1
Total	100	100	100

3. Who, in your opinion, is mainly responsible for the fact that over the past two months no government has been formed?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Benny Gantz	6.2	12.9	7.3
Benjamin Netanyahu	41.1	54.5	43.3
Avigdor Liberman	41.6	16.5	37.6
Don't know/Refuse to answer	11.0	16.2	11.8
Total	100	100	100

4. **What, in your opinion, are the chances that in the next two weeks one of the members of Knesset will present a coalition supported by 61 Knesset members?**

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Very high chances	1.5	5.4	2.2
Moderately high chances	6.9	14.3	8.1
Moderately low chances	39.6	35.7	39.0
Very low chances	44.3	38.0	43.3
Don't know/Refuse to answer	7.7	6.6	7.5
Total	100	100	100

5. **Now that the Blue and White party has failed to form a government, what, in your opinion, are the chances that it will remain one party and not split up?**

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Very high chances that it will remain one party	14.0	21.8	15.3
Moderately high chances	26.0	27.0	26.2
Moderately low chances	28.3	28.1	28.3
Very low chances that it will remain one party	13.5	13.3	13.5
Don't know/Refuse to answer	18.1	9.8	16.7
Total	100	100	100

6. **Now that the attorney-general has decided to indict Prime Minister Netanyahu, among the following possibilities which, in your opinion, is to be preferred?**

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Netanyahu resigns and stands trial like any citizen	30.3	58.3	34.8
Netanyahu signs a plea bargain whereby, in return for retiring completely from public life, he will not have to stand trial	7.8	7.9	7.8
Netanyahu leaves his post temporarily, and if he is exonerated he returns to it	17.8	8.7	16.3
Netanyahu continues to serve as prime	19.5	5.7	17.2

minister during the time of his trial			
Netanyahu is granted immunity from standing trial for as long as he serves	17.0	4.8	15.0
Other/ Don't know/Refuse to answer	7.6	15.6	8.9
Total	100	100	100

7. In your opinion, was Netanyahu right or not right when he said in his address, after the announcement of the attorney-general's decision, that the legal process against him was "tainted," that is, designed to depose him?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
I'm sure Netanyahu was right, the legal process against him was "tainted," that is, designed to depose him	23.8	4.8	20.8
I think Netanyahu was right	17.6	5.8	15.7
I think Netanyahu was not right	17.1	22.1	17.9
I'm sure Netanyahu was not right, the legal process against him was not "tainted," and not designed to depose him	29.5	56.9	33.9
Don't know/Refuse to answer	12.0	10.4	11.7
Total	100	100	100

8. On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is "poor" and 5 is "excellent," what grade do you give to the state of Israeli democracy today?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
1-poor	16.9	25.1	18.2
2	18.1	21.2	18.6
3	34.8	30.3	34.1
4	21.9	10.9	20.2
5-excellent	3.2	10.0	4.3
Don't know/Refuse to answer	5.1	2.5	4.6
Total	100	100	100

9. And to a different subject. Last month the first-ever carpool lanes were launched at the entrance to Tel Aviv (lanes for vehicles with at least two or three passengers). Do you support or oppose this system?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Strongly oppose	9.9	19.0	11.4
Moderately oppose	15.9	8.1	14.6
Moderately support	34.4	30.3	33.7
Strongly support	21.5	21.3	21.5
Don't know/Refuse to answer	18.3	21.4	18.8
Total	100	100	100

10. Some of the world's large cities use congestion pricing, whereby drivers who want to enter the city center have to pay a surcharge. Do you support or oppose the use of such a surcharge for the big city centers?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
Strongly oppose	30.0	43.6	32.2
Moderately oppose	21.6	19.3	21.2
Moderately support	18.5	17.2	18.3
Strongly support	16.2	9.1	15.0
Don't know/Refuse to answer	13.8	10.9	13.3
Total	100	100	100

11. How often do you use public transportation?

	Jews	Arabs	General Public
At least once a day	20.2	11.8	18.9
A few times a week	14.7	9.2	13.8
A few times a month	13.5	16.7	14.0
Very rarely	33.3	25.0	32.0
Never	15.7	30.6	18.1
Don't know/Refuse to answer	2.5	6.6	3.2
Total	100	100	100