



## Israeli Public Supports Middle East Nuclear Free Zone

### A Study of Israeli Jewish Public Opinion

Dates of Survey: November 10-16, 2011  
Sample Size: 510

Margin of Error: +/- 4.3 percentage points

Q1. There is talk of a possible Israeli attack on Iran's nuclear facilities Do you:

Oppose such an attack.....	41%
Support such an attack .....	43
Don't know/Refused .....	16

*Q2-Q30 to be released separately.*

Q31. How likely do you think it is that Iran will eventually develop nuclear weapons?

Very.....	62%
Somewhat.....	28
Not very .....	4
Not at all.....	2
Don't know/Refused .....	4

Q32. Assuming that these are the only two options, which do you think would be a better situation for Israel?

Both Israel and Iran have nuclear weapons .....	19%
Neither Israel nor Iran have nuclear weapons .....	65
Don't know/Refused .....	16

Statement: Now I would like you to consider a possible international agreement for making the Middle East region a zone free of nuclear weapons. Here is how it would work.

Q33. First, all countries in the region, including Iran and Israel, would agree to have a system of full international inspections of all facilities where nuclear components could be built or maintained. Would you favor or oppose such international inspections? Is that strongly or somewhat?

Strongly favor .....	29%
Somewhat favor .....	31
Somewhat oppose .....	16
Strongly oppose .....	18
Don't know/Refused .....	5

Q34. Second, once the effectiveness of this inspection system was fully demonstrated to all countries involved, then all countries in the region, including Iran and Israel, would commit to not having nuclear weapons. Would you favor or oppose such a commitment? Is that strongly or somewhat?

Strongly favor .....	31%
Somewhat favor .....	32
Somewhat oppose .....	14
Strongly oppose .....	17
Don't know/Refused .....	6

Q35. So finally, I would like you to consider a possible international agreement for making the Middle East region a zone free of nuclear weapons. First, all countries in the region, including Iran and Israel, would agree to have a system of full international inspections of all facilities where nuclear components could be built or maintained. Once the effectiveness of this inspection system was fully demonstrated to all countries involved, then all countries in the region, including Iran and Israel, would commit to not having nuclear weapons. So now, do you favor or oppose the idea of having a nuclear weapons free zone in the Middle East that would include both Islamic countries and Israel? [Do you feel that way strongly or somewhat?]

Strongly favor .....	35%
Somewhat favor .....	29
Somewhat oppose .....	15
Strongly oppose .....	16
Don't know/Refused .....	6

## DEMOGRAPHICS

### Gender

Male .....	49
Female.....	51

### Age

18-34 .....	19
35-54 .....	35
55-64 .....	27
65+ .....	19
Don't know/Refused .....	*