

# National Survey as of January 1, 2006

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These first three questions concern your overall orientation to the Israeli/Palestinian conflict.






1. Where would you place Brit Tzedek on this scale?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Most dovish		166	12%
		611	45%
		363	27%
Centrist		183	13%
		29	2%
		9	1%
Most hawkish		4	0%



<b>Total</b>	1365	100%
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2. Where would you place yourself on this scale?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Most dovish		417	30%
		497	36%
		218	16%
Centrist		158	12%
		49	4%
		18	1%
Most hawkish		16	1%
<b>Total</b>		1373	100%

3. Looking at the conflict as a whole, who do you think is presently more responsible for the fact that the Israelis and the Palestinians have been unable to achieve peace?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
The Palestinians are almost completely responsible for the continuation of the conflict		69	5%
The Palestinians are mostly responsible for the continuation of the conflict, but the Israelis also bear significant responsibility		285	21%
Both sides are equally responsible for the continuation of the conflict		407	29%
The Israelis are mostly responsible for the continuation of the conflict, but the Palestinians also bear significant responsibility		443	32%
The Israelis are almost completely responsible for the continuation of the conflict		186	13%
<b>Total</b>		1390	100%

The following questions concern your thinking about specific elements of the Israeli/Palestinian conflict

4. The Jewish settlements in the West Bank constitute strategic assets that help make Israel safer		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		975	70%
Somewhat disagree		212	15%
Neither agree nor disagree		71	5%
Somewhat agree		69	5%
Strongly agree		65	5%
<b>Total</b>		1392	100%






5. Some portion of US aid to Israel should be withheld if Israel does not implement its settlement freeze.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		154	11%
Somewhat disagree		93	7%
Neither disagree nor agree		84	6%
Somewhat agree		306	22%
Strongly agree		753	54%
<b>Total</b>		1390	100%





6. Though I don't condone terrorism, I am sympathetic with the Palestinian's drive for national liberation.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		81	6%
Somewhat disagree		55	4%
Neither disagree nor agree		56	4%
Somewhat agree		400	29%
Strongly agree		793	57%
<b>Total</b>		1385	100%






7. It is very important that Israel avoid any violations of International law.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		26	2%
Somewhat disagree		67	5%
Neither disagree nor agree		77	6%
Somewhat agree		286	21%
Strongly agree		933	67%
<b>Total</b>		1389	100%

8. The security barrier that Israel is constructing is primarily for self-defense.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		415	30%
Somewhat disagree		378	27%
Neither disagree nor agree		100	7%
Somewhat agree		312	22%
Strongly agree		183	13%
<b>Total</b>		1388	100%

9. Israel should insist on a complete cessation of all violence before negotiations can begin.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		636	46%
Somewhat disagree		390	28%
Neither disagree nor agree		92	7%
Somewhat agree		169	12%
Strongly agree		99	7%
<b>Total</b>		1386	100%

10. Israel should insist that the Palestinian Authority take significant concrete steps to disarm militant groups before final status negotiations take place.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		279	20%
Somewhat disagree		269	19%
Neither disagree nor agree		137	10%
Somewhat agree		409	30%
Strongly agree		289	21%
<b>Total</b>		1383	100%

11. The Palestinian Authority is doing all that is politically possible at the moment to move toward peace.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		246	18%
Somewhat disagree		437	32%
Neither disagree nor agree		276	20%
Somewhat agree		317	23%
Strongly agree		110	8%
<b>Total</b>		1386	100%

12. The Bush Administration's support for allowing Hamas to run in the Palestinian election is in Israel's best interests.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Strongly disagree		111	8%
Somewhat disagree		145	11%
Neither disagree nor agree		376	27%
Somewhat agree		434	32%
Strongly agree		308	22%
<b>Total</b>		1374	100%

13. As part of a peace treaty, what is your opinion about: The final border		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
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follows the Green Line (1967 border), with adjustments agreed upon by both sides.			
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Israelis		64	5%
I think this asks too much of the Israelis, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		163	12%
I support this as part of a final peace agreement		937	69%
I think this asks too much of the Palestinians, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		175	13%
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Palestinians		27	2%
<b>Total</b>		1366	100%

14. As part of a peace treaty, what is your opinion about: The final border follows the green line (1967 border), except that Israel retains a portion of the West Bank which contains most of the settlers, and the Palestinians receive an equal amount of land from Israel's side of the green line.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Israelis		69	5%
I think this asks too much of the Israelis, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		90	7%
I support this as part of a final peace agreement		618	46%
I think this asks too much of the Palestinians, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		362	27%
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Palestinians		199	15%
<b>Total</b>		1338	100%

15. As part of a peace treaty, what is your opinion about: The establishment of Arab Jerusalem as the Palestinian capitol and Jewish Jerusalem as the Israeli capitol.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Israelis		91	7%
I think this asks too much of the Israelis, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		155	11%
I support this as part of a final peace agreement		1080	79%

I think this asks too much of the Palestinians, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		29	2%
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Palestinians		10	1%
<b>Total</b>		1365	100%

16. As part of a peace treaty, what is your opinion about: Palestinian refugees receive financial compensation and reparations from the international community, a small number of refugees are allowed to relocate in Israel.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Israelis		107	8%
I think this asks too much of the Israelis, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		155	11%
I support this as part of a final peace agreement		906	66%
I think this asks too much of the Palestinians, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		157	12%
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Palestinians		40	3%
<b>Total</b>		1365	100%

17. As part of a peace treaty, what is your opinion about: Israel publicly acknowledges a share of the responsibility for the Palestinian refugee problem.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Israelis		123	9%
I think this asks too much of the Israelis, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		210	15%
I support this as part of a final peace agreement		998	72%
I think this asks too much of the Palestinians, but I would accept it as part of a final settlement agreement		37	3%
This is unacceptable because it asks too much of the Palestinians		10	1%
<b>Total</b>		1378	100%

In this section we are interested in your perspectives on Brit Tzedek



18. Regarding Brit Tzedek activities, what is your opinion about: Brit Tzedek action alerts, press advisories and policy statements identify the right issues and are timely		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Yes		922	67%
No		58	4%
Not Sure		389	28%
<b>Total</b>		1369	100%

19. Regarding Brit Tzedek, what is your opinion about: Brit Tzedek is a reliable source of information about the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Yes		1031	75%
No		49	4%
Not Sure		295	21%
<b>Total</b>		1375	100%






20. Regarding Brit Tzedek, I plan to join/renew my membership		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Yes		754	55%
No		102	7%
Not Sure		512	37%
<b>Total</b>		1368	100%



The following questions will help us to better understand the demographics and activities of Brit Tzedek members and supporters













21. What is your gender?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Male		781	57%
Female		598	43%

22. What is your age?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Under 25		63	5%
25-34		111	8%
35-44		128	9%
45-54		339	25%
55-64		398	29%
65 or over		341	25%

23. What is your highest educational degree completed?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
High school graduate		29	2%
Some college		117	8%
Bachelor's degree		295	21%
Master's degree		406	29%
Professional degree		219	16%
Doctorate		365	26%





24. Are you Jewish?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Yes		1179	85%
No (If you answer No, skip to Question 25)		203	15%
<b>Total</b>		1382	100%

25. Do you consider yourself to be:		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Orthodox		16	1%
Conservative		179	14%
Reform		273	22%
Reconstructionist		144	11%
Renewal		94	7%
Secular		426	34%
Other		63	5%
<a href="#">VIEW</a> Other, Please Specify		159	13%

26. Do you belong to a Jewish congregation?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Yes		619	47%
No		699	53%
<b>Total</b>		1318	100%

27. Are you a member of any Jewish organizations other than a congregation?

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28. Do you regularly read any of the following for news about the Israeli/Palestinian conflict? (Please check all that apply)		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
Gush Shalom		200	16%
Israel Policy Forum		89	7%
Jerusalem Post		208	17%
Brit Tzedek Daily Newsdigest		227	19%

AIPAC news alerts		66	5%
Jewish Voice for Peace		218	18%
Haaretz		556	46%
Ynet (Yediot Achranot)		71	6%
Jerusalem Report		141	12%
The Forward		201	17%
New York Times		840	69%
<a href="#">VIEW</a> Other, Please Specify		449	37%

**29.** For our Chapter organizing and our work with Congressional Districts, can you please give us your five digit zip code?

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**30.** Please share any suggestions or comments you have for Brit Tzedek

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