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Asia zone

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► MIDDLE EAST & NORTH AFRICA

242-1 **Both Israelis and Palestinians Apprehend Regional War if Israel Strikes Iran** (Click for Details)

(Israel-Palestine) Around 80% of Palestinians and of Israelis think that if Israel were to carry out a military strike against Iran's nuclear facilities, a major regional war will erupt. However a majority of Israelis do not believe that Israel will strike and the climate of opinion is against it. **(PSR)**

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242-2 **Opinion Briefing: Egyptians Skeptical of U.S. Intentions** (Click for Details)

(Egypt) Though Egyptian approval of U.S. leadership has been fairly steady since 2010, with fewer than one in five expressing positive views, Egyptians' views of American intentions worsened over the past year. They increasingly oppose U.S. economic aid and see the U.S. as interfering in their internal affairs. Egyptians are far more likely, however, to oppose U.S. aid (82%) than they are to reject the peace treaty with Israel (42%) that started the flow of U.S. assistance to Egypt. And several other powers do not fare much better. Egyptians' opinions of Iranian and Chinese leaders mirror their views of the U.S., and most Egyptians side with Syrian rebels fighting to overthrow Bashar Al Assad -- Iran's closest regional ally. **(Gallup USA)**

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[2.6 Foreign Affairs & Security » US image](#)

► SOUTHEAST ASIA



242-3 **Personal best for VP Binay, Sen. Pres. Enrile, and Speaker Belmonte Hit Record High** (Click for Details)

(Philippines) The Third Quarter 2012 Social Weather Survey, conducted from August 24-27, 2012, found 82% satisfied and 6% dissatisfied with the performance of Vice-President Jejomar Binay, 73% satisfied and 8% dissatisfied with Senate President Juan Ponce Enrile, 40% satisfied and 20% dissatisfied with Speaker Sonny Belmonte, and 29% satisfied and 25% dissatisfied with then Acting Chief Justice Antonio Carpio. **(SWS)**

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Africa zone

- ▶ WEST AFRICA; EAST AFRICA; CENTRAL AFRICA; SOUTHERN AFRICA

▶ SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA



242-4 **Are We Proudly South African?** ([Click for Details](#))

([South Africa](#)) As South Africans look forward to celebrating their cultural heritage with “braai” and sunshine over the long weekend, Ipsos reflects on some attitudes pertaining to being ‘Proudly South African’. In 2012, the majority (80%) of South African citizens state that they are proud to be South African. ([Ipsos South Africa](#))

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Euro Americas zone

- ▶ EAST EUROPE, WEST EUROPE; NORTH AMERICA; LATIN AMERICA & AUSTRALASIA

EUROPE

▶ EAST EUROPE

242-5 **Russia: Joined The WTO, But What Is That?** ([Click for Details](#))

([Russia](#)) The proportion of Russians who know what the WTO is makes up 40%. Most of them know what the abbreviation stands for: 24% say the WTO stands for “the world trade organization”, 10% say it deals with the trade with foreign countries; other 9% report the organization regulates trade relations between countries. Only 1% believes that the abbreviation stands for “the all-Russian trade organization”. ([Russian Public Opinion Research Center](#))

August 27, 2012

[3.9 Economy](#) » [Financial systems & Institutions](#)

242-6 **Pussy Riot Trial: Public Response** ([Click for Details](#))

([Russia](#)) The awareness of Russians about the Pussy Riot action has increased from 71% in April to 84% in August, mostly at the expense of the increase in the share of those who are informed in general (35% in April against 47% in August 2012). The action drew a wide public response among Muscovites and St. Petersburgians (96%) and Russians with high level of education (90%). At the same time, the number of respondents who heard about that for the first time has decreased from 29% to 15%. They are mainly rural area residents (20%). ([Russian Public Opinion Research Center](#))



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► WEST EUROPE

242-7 **Public Split on Future of the Coalition** ([Click for Details](#))

(UK) Four in ten people (42%) say they would like the Conservatives and Liberal Democrats to stay in Coalition until a general election in 2015, while the same proportion (43%) want to see the Coalition break up and for an immediate general election to take place. Just one in eleven people (9%) want the Conservatives to form a minority government. Even among Conservative voters there is little appetite to end the Coalition and form a minority government (14%). ([Ipsos Mori](#))

September 24, 2012

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242-8 **Britain's Economic Confidence Stuck** ([Click for Details](#))

(UK) The September data for YouGov's HEAT (Household Economic Activity Tracker) has been published. The Index score is at 93 (out of 200), unchanged from August. This is exactly half way between the 12-month high of 98 recorded in December 2011, and the low seen in March this year at the peak of the spring rally in confidence – it confirms a largely unmoving confidence level. ([Yougov](#))

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242-9 **Kate Photos: The Public Weighs in** ([Click for Details](#))

(UK) An overwhelming 82% of Britons think it was wrong of a French magazine to publish photos of Catherine Duchess of Cambridge sunbathing topless, and 72% think the Royal Family is right to sue, our poll shows. Women were somewhat more opposed to the publication of the photos, which were taken secretly while the Duchess and Prince William were sunbathing at a private family home in France. ([Yougov](#))

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[4.7 Society » Morality, Values & Customs / Lifestyle](#)

242-10 **Support for Legal Same-Sex Marriage Increases in Britain** ([Click for Details](#))

(UK) If a referendum took place, younger respondents would be the most likely to vote in favour of legal same-sex marriage. The proportion of people in Britain who are in favour of allowing same-sex marriage in their country has increased since earlier this year, a new Angus Reid Public Opinion poll has found. ([Angus Reid](#))

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242-11 **Portugal ruling party's popularity hammered by taxes** ([Click for Details](#))

(Portugal) The popularity of Portugal's ruling Social Democrats slumped to a record low on Thursday, prompting business leaders to call for a rethink on unpopular tax rises needed to meet the targets of an

EU/IMF bailout. The Social Democrats received 24 percent support, down from 36 percent in June and seven points behind the opposition Socialists, in the Diario de Noticias daily's opinion poll. ([Diario de Noticias](#))
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AMERICAS

► NORTH AMERICA

242-12 **Obama Ahead with Stronger Support, Better Image and Lead on Most Issues** ([Click for Details](#))

(US) At this stage in the campaign, Barack Obama is in a strong position compared with past victorious presidential candidates. With an eight-point lead over Mitt Romney among likely voters, Obama holds a bigger September lead than the last three candidates who went on to win in November, including Obama four years ago. In elections since 1988, only Bill Clinton, in 1992 and 1996, entered the fall with a larger advantage. ([Pew Research Center](#))

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242-13 **Half of Americans in Poverty Are Politically Independent** ([Click for Details](#))

(US) Americans who are in poverty are more likely than those who are not in poverty to identify themselves as political independents -- 50% vs. 40%. Those in poverty are much less likely than those who aren't to identify as Republican and are slightly more likely to be Democratic, according to 2011 Gallup Daily tracking data. ([Gallup USA](#))

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242-14 **U.S. Distrust in Media Hits New High** ([Click for Details](#))

(US) Americans' distrust in the media hit a new high this year, with 60% saying they have little or no trust in the mass media to report the news fully, accurately, and fairly. Distrust is up from the past few years, when Americans were already more negative about the media than they had been in years prior to 2004. ([Gallup USA](#))

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242-15 **Public Deeply Concerned about China's Economic Power** ([Click for Details](#))

(US) With China a key foreign policy issue in the 2012 presidential contest, and both Barack Obama and Mitt Romney promising to "get tough" with the Asian power, the American public expresses both positive and negative views about China and U.S. policy towards it. ([Pew Research Center](#))

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242-16 **Obama Retakes Lead, Romney Loses Support in U.S. Race** ([Click for Details](#))

(US) The Republican nominee remains ahead among male voters but his lead has dwindled; the Democrat increased his popularity among women. Barack Obama has regained the lead in the United States presidential race, a new Angus Reid Public Opinion poll has found. ([Angus Reid](#))

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242-17 **Canadians Support Government's Decision to Cut Ties with Iran** ([Click for Details](#))

([Canada](#)) Supporters of all major federal political parties agree with Ottawa's course of action. Most Canadians believe the federal government took the right course of action in severing ties with Iran, a new Angus Reid Public Opinion poll has found. ([Angus Reid](#))

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242-18 **U.S. Parents Optimistic About Graduation, Unsure About Jobs** ([Click for Details](#))

([US](#)) Most U.S. parents of school-aged children are confident their child will graduate from high school, but they are less sure their graduate will find a good job. More than nine in 10 parents strongly agree that their student will graduate. But far fewer, 38%, strongly agree that their child will find a good job after he or she graduates. ([Gallup USA](#))

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242-19 **Democratic Enthusiasm Swells in the Swing States, Nationally** ([Click for Details](#))

([US](#)) Voters in the 12 states *USA Today* and Gallup consider the key swing states that could decide the 2012 presidential election are now significantly more enthusiastic about voting this fall than they were in June. Six in 10 (59%) are either "extremely" or "very" enthusiastic, up from 46%. ([Gallup USA](#))

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► AUSTRALASIA



242-20 **Australians Want Previous Leaders Of Both Parties** ([Click for Details](#))

([Australia](#)) Former Prime Minister Kevin Rudd is still the preferred ALP Leader over Prime Minister Julia Gillard - 34% (up 1% since January 17/18, 2012) would choose Kevin Rudd as ALP leader while only 22% (up 3%) would choose Julia Gillard. Other candidates are well behind with 9% (down 1%) choosing Defence Minister Stephen Smith ahead of Treasurer and Deputy Prime Minister Wayne Swan (7%, down 1%), Bill Shorten (4%, down 4%) and Greg Combet (4%, unchanged) the only other candidates with at least 4% support. ([Roy Morgan](#))

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► MULTI-COUNTRY SURVEYS

242-21 **Globally, Men, White-Collar Workers Upbeat on Job Market** ([Click for Details](#))

While most of the world was pessimistic about local job market conditions in 2011, white-collar workers, men, and those with at least a secondary education were somewhat more hopeful than their blue-collar,



female, and less educated counterparts. The gap in optimism was most evident between white-collar (38%) -- defined as professional workers in fields such as business or education -- and blue-collar workers (33%) -- defined as workers in fields such as manufacturing or the service industry. Employment could encompass full- or part-time work or self-employment. ([Gallup USA](#))

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242-22 **Rising Tide of Restrictions on Religion** ([Click for Details](#))

A rising tide of restrictions on religion spread across the world between mid-2009 and mid-2010, according to a new study by the Pew Research Center's Forum on Religion & Public Life. Restrictions on religion rose in each of the five major regions of the world – including in the Americas and sub-Saharan Africa, the two regions where overall restrictions previously had been declining. ([Pew Research Center](#))

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Topic of the week:

Both Israelis and Palestinians Apprehend Regional War if Israel Strikes Iran

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Joint Israeli Palestinian Poll, September 2012

Around 80% of Palestinians and of Israelis think that if Israel were to carry out a military strike against Iran's nuclear facilities, a major regional war will erupt. However a majority of Israelis do not believe that Israel will strike and the climate of opinion is against it

These are the results of the most recent Joint Israeli-Palestinian Poll conducted jointly by the Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and the Palestinian Center for Policy and Survey Research in Ramallah. The poll was supported by the Ford Foundation Cairo office and the Konrad Adenauer Stiftung in Ramallah and Jerusalem.

82% of Palestinians and 77% of Israelis think that if Israel were to carry out a military strike against Iran's nuclear facilities, a major regional war will erupt.

A majority of Israelis (70%) do not believe now that Israel will bomb Iran's nuclear facilities without the US, and the climate of opinion in Israel regarding such a strike changed significantly since June: 65% of Israelis think now that the majority of the Israeli public opposes an Israeli strike against Iran without the US, compared to 52% in June. The actual level of support of Israelis for a strike against Iran has not changed: 52% support the cooperation between the US and Israel in bombing Iran's nuclear facilities, 18% support a strike by Israel alone



without the cooperation of the US, and 24% oppose any strike.

Given the ongoing stalemate in the negotiations between Israel and the Palestinians, the most popular options among Palestinians are to go to the Security Council to obtain recognition of a Palestinian state (73%), followed by popular non-violent and unarmed resistance (61%) and a unilateral declaration of a Palestinian state (56%). Israelis however think that the two most likely actions of the Palestinians are to approach the UN Security Council to obtain recognition of a Palestinian state (27%) and to return to the armed intifada (23%).

The Palestinian sample size was 1270 adults interviewed face-to-face in the West Bank, East Jerusalem and Gaza Strip in 127 randomly selected locations between September 13 and 15, 2012. The margin of error is 3%. The Israeli sample includes 600 adult Israelis interviewed by phone in Hebrew, Arabic or Russian between September 9 and 14, 2012. The margin of error is 4.5%. The poll was planned and supervised by Prof. Yaacov Shamir, the Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace and the Department of Communication and Journalism at the Hebrew University, and Prof. Khalil Shikaki, Director of the Palestinian Center for Policy and Survey Research (PSR).

For further details on the Palestinian survey contact PSR director, Prof. Khalil Shikaki or Walid Ladadweh, at tel. 02-2964933 or email pcpsr@pcpsr.org. On the Israeli survey, contact Prof Yaacov Shamir at tel. 03-6419429 or email jshamir@mscc.huji.ac.il.

MAIN FINDINGS

(A) Israeli military strike against Iran's nuclear facilities



□ 77% of Israelis think that if Israel were to carry out a military strike against Iran, a major regional war will erupt; 20% of Israelis do not think so. Among Palestinians, 82% think that such a strike would lead to a major war and 16% do not think so.

□ 52% of Israelis support the cooperation between the US and Israel in bombing Iran's nuclear facilities, 18% support a strike by Israel alone without the cooperation of the US, and 24% oppose any strike. The corresponding figures in our previous poll in June were very similar: 51%, 19% and 26% correspondingly.

However the climate of opinion changed significantly since June: 65% of Israelis think now that the majority of the Israeli public opposes an Israeli strike against Iran's nuclear facilities without the US compared to 52% in June.

- Correspondingly, Israelis (70%) do not believe that Israel will bomb Iran's nuclear facilities without the US in the coming months; 23% believe it will.
- 56% of Israelis think that all the Iranians hate Jews (26% oppose this statement). But only 20% believe that the purpose of the Iranians is to destroy Israel (60% oppose this statement), and 22% believe that the Iranians understand only the language of force (58% oppose). 28% blame only the Iranians for the current crisis, while 51% oppose it.

(B) Attitudes and expectations regarding the peace process

- Majorities among Israelis (73%) and Palestinians (71%) view the chances for the establishment of an independent Palestinian state next to Israel in the next five years as low or non-existent.
- A majority of 61% Israelis and 52% of Palestinians supports a two-state solution, while 36% of Israelis and 46% of Palestinians oppose it. However 50% of Israelis and 57% of Palestinians think that the two-state solution is bound to fail because of the settlements; 47% of Israelis and 37% of Palestinians think the two-state solution is still relevant. At the same time, majorities among Israelis (65%) and among Palestinians (68%) oppose the one state solution in which Arabs and Jews enjoy equality; 31% of Israelis and 30% of Palestinians support this solution.
- As we do periodically in our joint polls, we asked Israelis and Palestinians about their readiness for a mutual recognition of identity as part of a permanent status agreement and after all issues in the conflict are resolved and a Palestinian State is established. Our current poll shows that 62% of the Israeli public supports such a mutual recognition and 30% oppose it. Among Palestinians, 44% support and 54% oppose this step. In June 2012, 53% of the Israelis supported and 43% opposed this mutual recognition of identity; among Palestinians, 43% supported and 55% opposed this step.

(C) Conflict management and threat perceptions

- Given the ongoing stalemate in the peace process, 42% of the Israelis think that armed attacks will not stop and the two sides will not return to negotiations. 46% of the Israelis believe that negotiations will continue but some armed attacks will continue as well. Only 7% of Israelis believe negotiations will continue and armed confrontations will stop. Among the Palestinians, 19% think that some armed attacks will take place and the two sides will not return to negotiations, 31% think the two sides will soon return to negotiations, and 26% think the two sides will return to negotiations but some armed attacks will take place. Finally, 18% think the two sides will not return to negotiations and there will be no armed attacks.
- Given the stalemate in the negotiations between Israel and the Palestinians, the most popular options among Palestinians are to go to the Security Council to obtain recognition of a Palestinian state, followed by popular non-violent and unarmed resistance. 73% support the first option, 61% support the second. 56% support a unilateral declaration of a Palestinian state; 44% support the dissolution of the Palestinian Authority; 39% support return to an armed Intifada; and 28% support the abandonment of the two-state solution and the demand for the establishment of one state for Palestinians and Israelis
- When Israelis are asked what they think the Palestinians will do if there will be no negotiations in the near future, 27% of the Israelis say they will go to the Security Council to obtain a recognition of a Palestinian state; 23% think they will return to the armed intifada; 15% think they will unilaterally declare the establishment of a Palestinian state; 11% think they will abandon the two-state solution and demand the establishment of one state for Palestinians and Israelis; 6% think they will resort to popular non violent and unarmed resistance; and 6% say they will dissolve the Palestinian Authority.
- Among Israelis, 51% are worried and 48% are not worried



that they or their family may be harmed by Arabs in their daily life, as they were in June 2012. Among Palestinians, 72% are worried that they or a member of their family could be hurt by Israel in their daily life or that their land would be confiscated or home demolished; 28% are not worried. Similar results were obtained in our June poll.

- The level of threat on both sides regarding the aspirations of the other side in the long run is very high. 58% of Palestinians think that Israel's goals are to extend its borders to cover all the area between the Jordan River and the Mediterranean Sea and expel its Arab citizens, and 23% think the goals are to annex the West Bank while denying political rights to the Palestinians. The modal category among Israelis is that the Palestinian aspirations in the long run are to conquer the State of Israel and destroy much of the Jewish population in Israel (36%); 18% think the goals of the Palestinians are to conquer the State of Israel. Only 10% of the Palestinians think Israel's aspirations in the long run are to withdraw from part of the territories occupied in 1967 after guaranteeing its security, and 6% think Israel aspires to withdraw from all of the territories occupied in 1967 after guaranteeing its security. 26% of Israelis think the aspirations of the Palestinians are to regain all of the territories conquered in 1967, and 16% think the Palestinians aspire to regain some of the territories conquered in 1967.

- These mutual perceptions are very much off the mark.

15% of the Israelis say the aspirations of Israel are to withdraw to the 1967 border after guaranteeing Israel's security; 43% say it is to withdraw from parts of the territories after guaranteeing Israel's security; 15% say it is to annex the West Bank without granting political rights to the Palestinians living there; and 15% say it is to annex the West Bank and expel the Palestinians living there.

- Among the Palestinians 37% say that the aspirations of the Palestinian Authority and the PLO are to regain some of the territories conquered in the 1967 war; 29% say it is to regain all the territories conquered in the 1967 war; 15% say it is to conquer the State of Israel and regain control over the pre 1948 Palestine; and 9% say it is to conquer the State of Israel and destroy much of the Jewish population in Israel
- Given the election of President Morsi in Egypt and the big changes he recently enacted in the senior military leadership, we asked Israelis and Palestinians what they expect will happen with the peace treaty and the relationship between Egypt and Israel. 9% of the Israelis and 12% of the Palestinians think that the peace treaty will be cancelled and armed conflict will resume; 28% of the Israelis and 19% of the Palestinians think that Egypt will work to erode the peace treaty but armed conflict will not resume; 47% of the Israelis and 42% of the Palestinians think that there will be no change in the relationship between Egypt and Israel or with regard to the peace treaty; and 12% of the Israelis and 21% of the Palestinians think that the Egyptian government will respect the peace treaty and relations between Israel and Egypt will improve.

(D) Domestic affairs and other issues

- A majority of the Palestinians think that if Obama wins the US Presidential elections, his victory will have no impact on Palestinian conditions (51%); 32% think it will have a negative impact, and 9% believe it will have a positive impact. Israelis prefer Mitt Romney to Barack Obama: 34% think Romney will be a better President for Israel, while only 26% say Obama; about a fifth of the respondents do not know.

- When Palestinians are asked to choose among four vital national goals for the Palestinian people, 44% selected the end of Israeli occupation in the areas occupied in 1967 and the establishment of a Palestinian state in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip with East Jerusalem as its capital; 30% selected the right of return of refugees, 15% selected building an Islamic society, and 11% selected the establishment of a democratic political system.
- As in other opinion polls carried out recently, the Likud leads in terms of vote intention of Israelis if the elections for the Knesset were to be held now with 16%` the Labor party is in second place with 12%. When we add to the list of political parties a party of the social protest movement, 10% indicate they would vote for such a party, which puts her in third place after the Likud which declines to 12% and Labor with 11%. Since such a party has not been actually proclaimed, this prognosis is premature and speculative; however these results are noteworthy as they hold for a long time after the social protest of the summer of 2011; in March 2012 14% indicated they would vote for such a party in a similar question, and in June – 8%.
- On the Palestinian side, if presidential and parliamentary elections were to take place today, Abbas receives 51% of the vote and Ismail Haniyeh 40% of those participating in the presidential elections, while Fateh wins 37% and Hamas 28% of the popular vote of those participating in the parliamentary elections; all other parties combined receive 13% of the vote and 23% say they have not decided to whom they will vote.



Source: <http://www.pcpsr.org/survey/polls/2012/p45ejoint.html>

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A Quantitative Analysis

A quantitative analysis of global polls monitored during the 4 year period January 2007 – May 2012

KEY STATISTICS

- 1- Number of Surveys (*a selection on key political and social issues*): \simeq 6,535 polls during the period 2007-2012
- 2- Subjects of Interest (*we have made a list of 125 subjects, further grouped into 9 broad categories, namely: **Governance, Globalization** (inclusive of global economic issues) **Global Conflicts** (conflict zones), **Global leaders** (USA and Emerging powers), **Global Environment, Family, Religion,** and other miscellaneous*)
- 3- Number of **countries** covered by one or more surveys: \simeq 178 during the period 2007-2012
- 4- Number **polling organizations** whose polls have been cited: \simeq 347 during the period 2007-2012

