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Editorials, Op. Eds. and Analysis

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>The Washington Post</i>	<u>Trump's overseas trip must be canceled. The risks are too great.</u>	SARAH POSNER	US-Israel relations
<i>The Washington Post</i>	<u>The upcoming international trip is an opportunity for Trump and his staff</u>	ED ROGERS	US-Israel relations
<i>The National Interest</i>	<u>Trump and the Art of Dealing with Israel</u> Trump initially led Israel to believe that he wasn't interested in a two-state solution. Now, the president has changed his mind.	DOV S. ZAKHEIM	US-Israel relations
<i>The Peak</i> (Simon Fraser University, Vancouver Canada)	<u>VOTE 'NO': TSSU motion is discriminatory and a threat to academic freedom</u> The Israeli-Palestinian conflict is complicated; the TSSU referendum about BDS principles is not	RACHEL ALTMAN	Attitudes toward Israel on Canadian college campuses

The Americas

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<i>The New York Times</i>	<u>A New Goal for President Trump's First Foreign Trip: Damage Control</u>	MARK LANDLER	US-Israel relations
<i>The New York Times</i>	<u>Israel Said to Be Source of Secret Intelligence Trump Gave to Russians</u>	ADAM GOLDMAN, ERIC SCHMITT AND PETER BAKER	US-Israel relations

<i>New York Daily News</i>	<u>Israel was source of leaked terrorism intel Trump told Russians: report</u>	CHRISTOPHER BRENNAN	US-Israel relations
<i>New York Post</i>	<u>Trump's intel disclosure to Russia put spy in danger: report</u>	JOE TACOPINO	US-Israel relations
<i>New York Post</i>	<u>Israel was source of classified intel Trump gave to Russians</u>	BOB FREDERICKS	US-Israel relations
<i>New York Magazine</i>	<u>Israel Gave Trump the Classified Intelligence He Shared With Russia: Report</u>	ERIC LEVITZ	US-Israel relations
<i>The Washington Post</i>	<u>PLO rep: Trump has no Middle East peace plan — and that's a good thing</u>	JOSH ROGIN	US-Israel relations, peace process
<i>The Washington Post</i>	<u>White House offers shifting explanations of Trump's disclosures to Russians</u>	GREG MILLER AND ASHLEY PARKER	US-Israel relations
<i>The Washington Post</i>	<u>When the Western Wall, Trump and Aerosmith share a headline</u>	RUTH EGLASH	Western Wall
<i>The Washington Times</i>	<u>Friction with Israel grows on Western Wall remarks, intel-sharing report ahead of Trump visit</u> White House officials reportedly said holy site is “not your territory”	S.A. MILLER	US-Israel relations, Western Wall
<i>The Wall Street Journal</i>	<u>Israel Provided Intelligence Trump Shared With Russia, Officials Say</u> Disclosure comes days before president makes first overseas trip to Israel and Saudi Arabia	SHANE HARRIS AND CAROL E. LEE	US-Israel relations
<i>Bloomberg</i>	<u>Trump's Disclosures Could Put Foreign Intelligence Ties at Risk</u>	NAFEESA SYEED AND JONATHAN FERZIGER	US-Israel relations
<i>Vox</i>	<u>The controversy over Trump's intelligence disclosure to Russia, explained</u> “The breach was deadly serious and reckless in the extreme.”	ZACK BEAUCHAMP	US-Israel relations
<i>BuzzFeed</i>	<u>Israeli Official: Trump Sharing Intelligence With Russia Is "Worst Fears Confirmed"</u> Two Israeli officials tell BuzzFeed News that the intelligence shared by Trump "syncs up" with intelligence that Israel shared with its US counterparts.	SHEERA FRENKEL	US-Israel relations

<i>USA Today</i>	<u>Trump's sharing with Russia chills Israeli intelligence</u>	NOGA TARNOPOLSKY AND OREN DORELL	US-Israel relations
<i>Politico</i>	<u>Trump's intelligence gaffe creates tension with Israel</u> Behind the scenes, U.S. officials may have some groveling to do.	ANNIE KARNI	US-Israel relations
<i>Politico</i>	<u>McMaster won't clarify Trump's position on Western Wall</u>	MADELINE CONWAY	US-Israel relations, Western Wall
<i>The Hill</i>	<u>Trump disclosure of classified intel may have endangered spy: report</u>	MARK HENSCH	US-Israel relations
<i>The Hill</i>	<u>Israeli intelligence 'boiling mad' over Trump disclosure: report</u>	MARK HENSCH	US-Israel relations
<i>The Hill</i>	<u>Israel provided intelligence Trump shared with Russia: report</u>	JONATHAN EASLEY	US-Israel relations
<i>CBN</i>	<u>Is Western Wall in Israel? White House Declines to Say</u>	JENNIFER WISHON	US-Israel relations, Western Wall
<i>CBN</i>	<u>Ambassador Nikki Haley Says Western Wall Is Part of Israel</u>	DAVID BRODY	US-Israel relations, Western Wall
<i>CBN</i>	<u>Ambassador Nikki Haley Says U.S. Embassy Should Be Moved to Jerusalem</u>	DAVID BRODY	US-Israel relations, Jerusalem
<i>CBN</i>	<u>US-Israel Alliance Tops Global Impact of '67 War</u>	JOHN WAAGE	US-Israel relations
<i>CNN</i>	<u>McMaster declines to say whether Western Wall is in Israel</u>	KEVIN LIPTAK	US-Israel relations, Western Wall
<i>CNN</i>	<u>Israel was source for some of the information shared with Russian officials</u>	EVAN PEREZ, SARA MURRAY AND ELISE LABOTT	US-Israel relations
<i>ABC News</i>	<u>Trump's disclosure endangered spy placed inside ISIS by Israel, officials say</u>	BRIAN ROSS, JAMES GORDON MEEK AND RANDY KREIDER	US-Israel relations
<i>ABC News</i>	<u>Information Trump shared with Russians came from Israel, official says</u>	MEGHAN KENEALLY AND JOSH MARGOLIN	US-Israel relations

<i>CBS News</i>	<u>Former Mossad chief: Israel will "think twice" before sharing sensitive info</u>	EMILY TILLET	US-Israel relations
<i>CBS News</i>	<u>Intelligence Trump shared with Russians came from Israel</u>	CBS NEWS	US-Israel relations
<i>NBC News</i>	<u>Israel Highlights U.S. Ties After Trump Shares Intel With Russia</u>	F. BRINLEY BRUTON	US-Israel relations
<i>NBC News</i>	<u>Israel Was Source of Intelligence Trump Shared With Russia: Sources</u>	DAFNA LINZER AND KEN DILANIAN	US-Israel relations
<i>The Atlantic</i>	<u>Did Trump Pass Israeli Intelligence to the Russians?</u> Reports suggest that the source for classified information the president divulged to two top Russian officials was Israel.	DAVID A. GRAHAM	US-Israel relations
<i>Newsweek</i>	<u>U.S.-Israel Intel Sharing Could End Over Trump Leak</u> Although the Israeli government tells Newsweek that Trump's visit to Israel next week is going ahead as planned, officials say the relationship between the two intelligence services is "in crisis."	JACK MOORE	US-Israel relations
<i>Newsweek</i>	<u>Why Trump's Russia-ISIS Slip Is Unprecedented</u> Israeli intelligence officials are reportedly "boiling mad" over Trump's disclosure to Moscow, whose allies Syria and Iran may benefit from the leak.	JEFF STEIN	US-Israel relations
<i>The Peak</i> (Simon Fraser University, Vancouver Canada)	<u>SFU union holds referendum on Israel boycott</u> The TSSU has proposed a policy to support the Boycott, Divestment, and Sanctions (BDS) movement against Israel.	KEVIN REY	Attitudes toward Israel on Canadian college campuses

Europe and Australia

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<i>International Business Times</i> (UK edition)	<u>Israel provided classified intel that Trump shared with Russian diplomats</u> The US and Israel reaffirmed their intelligence-sharing relationship in separate statements.	NICOLE ROJAS	US-Israel relations

<i>Daily Mail</i>	<p>Former Mossad chief says Trump sharing intel with Russia could be 'grave violation,' as its revealed Israel was the source of the information Trump passed to the Russians</p> <p>The New York Times reported that the information that President Trump provided to Russia's foreign minister and ambassador to the U.S. in the Oval Office came from Israel. The White House was set reeling after reports Monday that Trump gave 'code level' secret information to top Russian officials. Former Mossad director Danny Yatom said this could be a 'grave violation' and could lead to 'harm to the source'. Trump defended his 'absolute right' to give away information, which he said pertained to terrorism and flight safety. Security advisor H.R. McMaster defended the information provided as 'wholly appropriate'. Israel expressed 'full confidence in our intelligence-sharing relationship with the United States'. An Israeli intelligence officer said a 'special understanding' was violated and it represented 'our worst fears confirmed'</p>	GEOFF EARLE	US-Israel relations
<i>Daily Express</i>	<p>'Profound national security problem' Trump's Russian leak on ISIS set to anger Israel</p> <p>DONALD Trump may have some grovelling to do in Israel after the Middle East country was revealed to be behind the intel leaked by the president to Russian officials.</p>	VICKIE OLIPHANT	US-Israel relations
<i>Daily Record</i> (Scotland)	<p>Celtic's fairytale season defined by surviving rocky night in Israel says assistant Chris Davies</p> <p>Davies recalls the energy sapping night against Hapoel Beer-Sheva as the Hoops edged through into the Champions League.</p>	CRAIG SWAN	Sports
<i>The Independent</i>	<p>US 'refuses' to let Benjamin Netanyahu accompany Donald Trump to Western Wall</p> <p>Donald Trump's first foreign trip overshadowed by reports Israel was the source of classified intel president allegedly shared with Russian diplomats</p>	BETHAN MCKERNAN	US-Israel relations Western Wall
<i>The Independent</i>	<p>Israel was source of classified information Trump shared with Russia, say officials</p> <p>National Security Adviser HR McMaster said earlier that President Trump 'wasn't even aware where this information came from'</p>	ALEXANDRA WILTS	US-Israel relations
<i>The Independent</i>	<p>Israeli minister and former IDF general says 'the time has come to assassinate Assad'</p> <p>Ex Southern Command leader who oversaw 2008 war with Gaza says US claims Syrian government carried out mass executions and burned bodies amount to nothing less than a 'genocide'</p>	BETHAN MCKERNAN	Yoav Galant
<i>The Independent</i>	<p>Landmark Jordanian science centre hopes to bring scientists from Iran, Israel and Palestinians together</p> <p>Several Middle Eastern countries set aside politics for opening ceremony of research centre designed to foster scientific excellence in the region</p>	BETHAN MCKERNAN	Science, Eliezer Rabinovici

BBC	<u>Israel says ties with US unaffected after Trump-Lavrov accusations</u>	N/A	US-Israel relations
Famagusta Gazette	<u>Cyprus Defence Minister concludes successful visit to Israel</u>	N/A	Cyprus-Israel relations
Anadolu Agency	<u>UN urges end to mistreatment of Palestinian prisoners</u> UN expert pushes for better health care, end to solitary confinement, and ending Palestinian prisoners being held in Israel	BAYRAM ALTUG AND CANSU DIKME	Palestinian prisoners
Anadolu Agency	<u>African parliament raises voice for Palestinian inmates</u> African Union's Pan African Parliament issues declaration in support of Palestinian prisoners on hunger strike	HASSAN ISILOW	Palestinian prisoners
Anadolu Agency	<u>Gazan farmer returns to his fields despite loss of legs</u> Palestinian farmer who lost both legs during Israel's 2008/09 onslaught on Gaza still manages to harvest his crops	KAAMIL AHMED	Gaza
Anadolu Agency	<u>New US envoy to Israel officially takes up role</u> Controversial new US envoy to Israel takes up role ahead of Trump's visit	KAAMIL AHMED	US-Israel relations
The Sydney Morning Herald	<u>Tony Abbott and Julia Gillard to receive honorary doctorates in Israel</u>	FERGUS HUNTER	Australia-Israel relations

Wire Services

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AFP	<u>Israel seeks to contain fallout from Trump intel sharing</u>	MIKE SMITH	US-Israel relations
AFP	<u>Open SESAME: science centre inaugurated in Jordan</u>	N/A	Science
AFP	<u>Hamas releases suspects' 'confession' in commander killing</u>	N/A	Hamas
AFP	<u>Row over Trump's Israel policy ahead of visit</u>	MIKE SMITH	US-Israel relations

<i>AP</i>	Israel lauds US security ties following Trump disclosures	ARON HELLER	US-Israel relations
<i>AP</i>	Closer medical watch of tens of hunger-striking Palestinians	MOHAMMED DARAGHMEH	Palestinian prisoners
<i>AP</i>	Top Trump aide won't say if Western Wall is part of Israel	MATTHEW LEE	US-Israel relations, Western Wall
<i>AP</i>	Ex-Hamas member named in killing of senior Hamas commander	FARES AKRAM	Hamas
<i>Reuters</i>	Israeli intel experts alarmed by Trump leak but play down any damage	LUKE BAKER	US-Israel relations
<i>Reuters</i>	Corrected - Trump to visit Jewish, Christian holy sites in Jerusalem	DOINA CHIACU	US-Israel relations
<i>Reuters</i>	Arab Bank settlement over attacks may hit snag in U.S. appeals court	BRENDAN PIERSON	Palestinian terrorism
<i>Xinhua</i>	New U.S. ambassador to Israel presents credentials	N/A	US-Israel relations
<i>Xinhua</i>	Israel in dispute with U.S. days before Trump's first visit	N/A	US-Israel relations
<i>Xinhua</i>	Jordan launches Mideast scientific research center	N/A	Science

Asia and Africa

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<i>Fortune India</i>	The bazaar that got bigger	HINDOL SENGUPTA	India-Israel relations

General Articles

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<i>SABC</i> (South Africa)	<u>Pan African Parliament grants Palestine observer status</u>	MONTLENYANE DIPHOKO	Africa-Palestinian relations
<i>Financial Express</i> (India)	<u>Ahead of Narendra Modi's Israel visit, Palestine President presents 'invaluable gift' to PM</u> Ahead of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's much-anticipated visit to Israel, Palestine President Mahmoud Abbas has played the gift diplomacy	PRESS TRUST OF INDIA	India-Israel relations
<i>Times of India</i>	<u>Want to see Palestine & Israel co-exist peacefully: India</u>	TNN	India-Israel relations
<i>Deccan Chronicle</i> (India)	<u>Narendra Modi says India hopes for united Palestine</u>	SRIDHAR KUMARASWAMI	India-Israel relations
<i>The Economic Times</i> (India)	<u>On Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas's visit, PM Modi says India supports Palestine cause</u>	DIPANJAN ROY CHAUDHURY	India-Israel relations
<i>Business Standard</i> (India)	<u>Israel can aid Uttar Pradesh in cleaning Ganga: Envoy</u>	PRESS TRUST OF INDIA	India-Israel relations

Middle East

General Articles

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<i>Al Ahram</i>	<u>Egypt army discovers 10m-deep smuggling tunnel along North Sinai border</u>	AHRAM ONLINE	Egypt, Sinai
<i>The Jordan Times</i>	<u>King inaugurates Mideast's first major int'l research centre</u> First of its kind in region, SESAME to facilitate multidiscipline scientific research	JORDAN TIMES	Science

The World Jewish Press

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<i>JTA</i>	<u>Dear President Macron: It's time to reinforce France's ties with Israel</u>	SIMONE RODAN-BENZAQUEN AND JULIE DECROIX	France-Israel relations
<i>JTA</i>	<u>When a government won't let you look away</u>	ANDREW SILOW-CARROLL	US-Israel relations
<i>JNS</i>	<u>'Disenfranchised' Palestinians go to the polls</u>	STEPHEN M. FLATOW	Palestinian politics
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<u>Memo To Jewish Trump Voters: Had Enough After Israel Intelligence Betrayal?</u>	JANE EISNER	US-Israel relations, attitudes toward Israel among US Jews
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<u>Why Trump's Loose Lips May Be 'Extraordinarily Dangerous' — To Israel And Us</u>	DANIEL C. KURTZER	US-Israel relations
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<u>Like Nixon, Trump Carries Baggage To The Middle East</u>	SAMUEL G. FREEDMAN	US-Israel relations
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<u>Who Is To Blame For The Occupation?</u>	MATTHEW GINDIN	Six Day War, peace process, West Bank
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<u>What Do Russia's 'Safe Zones' In Svria Mean For U.S. And Israel?</u>	YOSSI ALPHER	Syria

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<i>JTA</i>	<u>Ronald Lauder vs. Sheldon Adelson: Which Jewish billionaire has Trump's ear on Israel?</u>	RON KAMPEAS	US-Israel relations
<i>JTA</i>	<u>What Trump told the Russians, and why allies like Israel are worried</u>	RON KAMPEAS	US-Israel relations
<i>JTA</i>	<u>Israeli startups are driving the car technology revolution. Here's how.</u>	ANDREW TOBIN	Economy

<i>JNS</i>	Israel braces for its latest battlefield: the sea	YAAKOV LAPPIN	IDF
<i>Tablet</i>	Making Sense of the U.S.-Russia-Israel News Intelligence leaks in Washington; Israel as a source of top-level U.S. intel; and Trump's visit to the Western Wall, which the president's aide reportedly said is 'part of the West Bank'	JONATHAN ZALMAN	US-Israel relations
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	Jewish Students Mustered A Rare Unity To Protest This Palestinian Activist	AIMEE LEVITT	Attitudes toward Israel on US college campuses
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	Trump's Russia Intel Disclosure Risks Life Of Israeli Spy Within ISIS	AIDEN PINK	US-Israel relations
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	Adelson-Supported Groups Increase Pressure On Trump Over Embassy Issue	NATHAN GUTTMAN	US-Israel relations, Jerusalem
<i>The Canadian Jewish News</i>	Couillard becomes first Quebec premier to visit Israel officially	JANICE ARNOLD	Canada-Israel relations

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