

Israel in the News



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Editorials, Op. Eds. and Analysis

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>New York Post</i>	Never trust a tyrant's tale	LAHAV HARKOV	Yuli Edelstein

The Americas

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>Bloomberg</i>	World Nuclear Powers Improve Bombs While Reducing Arsenals U.S. modernization program may cost as much as \$1 trillion. North Korea has enough material for 10 to 20 nuclear weapons	DAVID TWEED	Nuclear weapons states
<i>The Hill</i>	Britney Spears visits Western Wall	MALLORY SHELBOURNE	Britney Spears
<i>The Atlantic</i>	The Political Education of Mahmoud Abbas How the Palestinian leader tried to escape the ghost of Yasser Arafat	AMIR TIBON AND GRANT RUMLEY	Palestinian politics
<i>Variety</i>	Britney Spears Causes Chaos in Jerusalem	SHIRLEY HALPERIN	Britney Spears

Europe and Australia

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<i>Financial Times</i>	<p><u>Modi visit marks deepening relations between India and Israel</u></p> <p>First official visit to Jewish state by an Indian PM puts seal on warming relationship</p>	KIRAN STACEY AND JOHN REED	India-Israel relations
<i>The Guardian</i>	<p><u>Penny Wong says NSW Labor won't dictate party's position on Palestine</u></p> <p>Tanya Plibersek agrees and says she will stick with federal party position on 'recognition of a two-state solution'</p>	GABRIELLE CHAN	Israel in Australian politics
<i>The Daily Telegraph</i>	<p><u>Ehud Olmert released from prison</u></p>	JACOB BURNS	Ehud Olmert, crime
<i>Belfast Telegraph</i>	<p><u>DUP concern over visit by anti-Israeli campaigner</u></p>	STAFF REPORTER	Attitudes toward Israel in the UK (Northern Ireland), Omar Barghouti
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<p><u>Netanyahu vetoes bill to rule out dividing Jerusalem</u></p> <p>Set to be voted next Sunday, bill conditions approval of 80 Knesset members for concession of any part of Jerusalem</p>	N/A	Jerusalem, politics
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<p><u>Berlin to sell Israel 3 more nuke-capable subs: Report</u></p> <p>Federal government approves selling 3 more nuclear-capable submarines to Israel, says weekly Der Spiegel</p>	AYHAN SIMSEK	Germany-Israel relations
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<p><u>Israel allows Knesset members to enter Al-Aqsa compound</u></p> <p>In October 2015, Netanyahu banned lawmakers from entering the Al-Aqsa compound</p>	N/A	Jerusalem, MKs
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<p><u>Israel detains female Palestinian MP in West Bank raid</u></p> <p>Jarrar was detained in an Israeli raid on her home</p>	N/A	West Bank
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<p><u>Ex-Israeli PM Olmert released from prison</u></p> <p>Olmert was jailed in 2016 for corruption when he was a trade minister</p>	N/A	Ehud Olmert, crime

Wire Services

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<i>AFP</i>	<u>Modi set to become first Indian PM to visit Israel</u>	MIKE SMITH	India-Israel relations
<i>AFP</i>	<u>Israel rearrests Palestinian lawmaker</u>	N/A	West Bank
<i>AP</i>	<u>UNESCO World Heritage talks in Poland face divisive topics</u>	N/A	UNESCO, Hebron
<i>AP</i>	<u>Former Israeli PM Olmert leaves prison, heads to mall</u>	JOSEF FEDERMAN	Ehud Olmert, crime
<i>Reuters</i>	<u>ICL says level of damage caused by desert spill still unknown</u>	ARI RABINOVITCH	Environment, economy
<i>Xinhua</i>	<u>Hamas delegation heads to Cairo for talks on border security</u>	N/A	Egypt, Hamas

Asia and Africa

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<i>Swarajya</i> (India)	<u>What Does Modi Want From Netanyahu?</u>	PROF. P R KUMARSWAMY	India-Israel relations
<i>Hindustan Times</i>	<p><u>Modi's Israel visit: Defence and fighting terror are pillars of bilateral ties</u></p> <p>While maintaining its principles, India's interests lie in securing bilateral cooperation for its own gains. Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to Israel, the first by any Indian prime minister, is another firm step in that direction</p>	ARUN K. SINGH	India-Israel relations
<i>Financial Express</i> (India)	<p><u>Narendra Modi Israel visit: Here is what India can learn from the Jewish country</u></p> <p>Prime minister Narendra Modi will make history this week when he visits Israel, being the first Indian PM to do so since Independence.</p>	ASHOK GULATI	India-Israel relations

<i>The Indian Express</i>	<u>Why are India-Israel ties so special?</u> Despite Modi's admiration for Israel's achievements, the structural differences between Indian and Israeli national security situations, their worldviews and the absence of explicitly shared enemies limit stronger strategic rapprochement	NICOLAS BLAREL	India-Israel relations
<i>Business Standard</i> (India)	<u>India-Israel relationship is plateauing. Can PM Modi' visit change this?</u> For it to truly blossom, we need human capital investment and equitable growth.	ABHIJIT IYER-MITRA	India-Israel relations

General Articles

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<i>India TV</i>	<u>Meet Liora Itzhak, Israeli sensation chosen to sing national anthems of Israel & India to welcome PM Narendra Modi</u> Israeli lady Liora Itzhak will be singing the national anthems of Israel & India to welcome PM Narendra Modi.	INDIA TV ENTERTAINMENT DESK	India-Israel relations
<i>India TV</i>	<u>PM Modi set for 'grand' welcome in Israel; Netanyahu to keep company through visit</u> Prime Minister Narendra Modi is all set to get a red carpet welcome on his Israel visit from July 4 to 6 – the first ever trip by an Indian Prime Minister to the Jewish state	INDIA TV NEWS DESK	India-Israel relations
<i>Business Standard</i> (India)	<u>Cyber security to be discussed during PM Modi's Israel visit</u>	PRESS TRUST OF INDIA	India-Israel relations
<i>Financial Express</i> (India)	<u>Narendra Modi Israel visit: Indian origin singer Liora Itzhak to relive Bollywood dream, scheduled to sing at PM attended event in Tel Aviv</u> Indian-Israeli Singer Liora Itzhak will be reliving a Bollywood dream in Tel Aviv.	FINANCIAL EXPRESS ONLINE	India-Israel relations
<i>Financial Express</i> (India)	<u>PM Modi Israel visit: India to soon get Heron TP armed drones; check images, facts and importance</u>	SMRITI JAIN	India-Israel relations
<i>Financial Express</i> (India)	<u>Narendra Modi Israel visit date, schedule, agenda, defence deals, significance: All you want to know</u> Narendra Modi Israel Visit: Prime Minister Narendra Modi will be visiting Israel from July 4-6, 2017 at the invitation of his Israeli counterpart Benjamin Netanyahu.	FINANCIAL EXPRESS ONLINE	India-Israel relations

<i>Financial Express</i> (India)	<p>Narendra Modi Israel visit: India PM to hold massive rally in Tel Aviv, address Knesset</p> <p>Narendra Modi Israel Visit: During his historic visit to Israel, Prime Minister Narendra Modi will hold a massive rally for the Indians in Israel which is home to around 80,000-85,000 NRIs</p>	FINANCIAL EXPRESS ONLINE	India-Israel relations
<i>Financial Express</i> (India)	<p>Narendra Modi Israel visit: Agriculture, water to be main agendas of discussion</p> <p>The Indian Ambassador to Israel, Pavan Kapoor said that Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to Tel Aviv would establish a better relationship between the two countries.</p>	FINANCIAL EXPRESS ONLINE	India-Israel relations
<i>International Business Times</i> (India edition)	<p>PM Modi in Israel: India needs Iron Dome defence from Tel Aviv to change South Asia's power game</p> <p>India requires a boost in its defence more than offence to gain a lead over hostile neighbours like Pakistan and China. PM Modi's three-day visit to the Jewish state can pave way to it in days to come.</p>	SHUBHAM GHOSH	India-Israel relations
<i>International Business Times</i> (India edition)	<p>Modi in Israel: Cyber-security, defence deals and investment opportunities on agenda</p> <p>The three-day Israel visit of Prime Minister Narendra Modi from July 4 will see discussions on issues like cyber-security, defence deals and business investments. Read to know more.</p>	ARKADEV GHOSHAI	India-Israel relations
<i>The Hindu</i>	<p>On eve of PM's visit, Palestine hopes to keep India ties firm</p>	SUHASINI HAIDAR	India-Israel relations
<i>The Hindu</i>	<p>'India-Israel ties on a steady upward trend'</p>	SUHASINI HAIDAR	India-Israel relations
<i>The Hindu</i>	<p>Modi's Israel visit to pave way for Netanyahu's India trip later this year</p>	NAYANIMA BASU	India-Israel relations
<i>The Hindu</i>	<p>Ties with Israel poised for strategic take-off</p>	PANKAJ PATEL	India-Israel relations
<i>Swarajya</i> (India)	<p>Indian Jews Hopeful Of Receiving Minority Status After Modi's Israel Visit</p>	SWARAJYA STAFF	India-Israel relations
<i>The Indian Express</i>	<p>PM Narendra Modi's first Israel visit a 'formal coming out' of relationship: Envoy</p> <p>During the visit, the Prime Minister will also meet 10-year-old Moshe and his grandparents, and part-time nanny Sandra, who had saved the boy during the 26/11 attacks on Chabad House in Mumbai.</p>	SHUBHAJIT ROY	India-Israel relations
<i>Deccan Herald</i>	<p>PM's visit to Israel to strengthen ties</p>	DECCAN HERALD NEWS SERVICE	India-Israel relations

<i>The Economic Times</i> (India)	<u>Donald Trump & Pope-like welcome awaits PM Narendra Modi in Israel</u>	DIPANJAN ROY CHAUDHURY	India-Israel relations
<i>The Times of India</i>	<u>Little Israel in Delhi keeps culture alive</u>	AMBIKA PANDIT	India-Israel relations
<i>Hindustan Times</i>	<u>PM Modi's visit to Jerusalem: Defence still top priority in India-Israel ties</u> India and Israel forged a close military and security relationship during the 1999 Kargil war with Tel Aviv supplying top of the line Searcher Mark II UAVs to reconnaissance the Pakistani intrusion area in Drass, Kakser and Batalik sectors.	SHISHIR GUPTA	India-Israel relations
<i>Hindustan Times</i>	<u>Drones to martial arts: Things you must know about Israel ahead of Modi's historic visit</u> Did you know that the first military use of unmanned aerial vehicles was by the Israeli military, or that the Israelis have their own martial arts?	PRAMIT PAL CHAUDHURI	India-Israel relations
<i>Daily Maverick</i> (South Africa)	<u>11 things I learned in South Africa</u> As I approach the end of four wonderful years as Israel's Ambassador in South Africa, I have been reflecting on many lessons learned here which will be even more valuable to take back home to Israel than the souvenirs I have collected. Here are 11.	ARTHUR LENK	South Africa-Israel relations

Middle East

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<i>Al Jazeera</i>	<u>Film gives 'human face' to Palestinian Bedouins' plight</u> Bedouins in the occupied West Bank live without basic resources and under threat of forcible transfer by Israel	NOUR SAUDI	West Bank
<i>Asharq Alawsat</i>	<u>Egypt to Provide Hamas with Barb Wires, Surveillance Cameras</u>	KIFAH ZIBOUN	Egypt, Hamas
<i>Al Ahram</i>	<u>Hamas delegation in Cairo for talks with Egyptian officials</u>	AHRAM ONLINE	Egypt, Hamas
<i>Daily News</i> (Egypt)	<u>Hamas spokesperson praises 'positive shift' in relations with Egypt</u> Gaza says its working on securing borders with Egypt	N/A	Egypt, Hamas

<i>The Jordan Times</i>	Jail term upheld for 3 men convicted of plotting against Israelis	RANA HUSSEINI	Jordan, crime

The World Jewish Press

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<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	The Real Wall Problem: When Will Diaspora Jews Fight For Palestinians?	BRANT ROSEN	Diaspora-Israel relations, peace process

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<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	Jewish Philanthropist Ends Aid To Israel Over Kotel, Conversion Controversies	AIDEN PINK	Diaspora-Israel relations, religion-and-state, politics

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