

# Israel in the News



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## Editorials, Op. Eds. and Analysis

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>Pioneer Press</i> (Minneapolis-St. Paul, MI USA)	<a href="#">Stand up against BDS discrimination against Israel</a>	JACOB MILNER	Attitudes toward Israel in the US, BDS

## The Americas

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>The New York Times</i>	<a href="#">West Bank Settlers Clash With Israeli Police Sent to Evict Them</a>	THE NEW YORK TIMES	Settlements
<i>The New York Times</i>	<a href="#">Jewish Settlers Resist Outpost Evacuation</a> (video)  Israeli security forces were met with resistance as they began removing people from Amona, a big unauthorized outpost in the West Bank.	CAMILLA SCHICK	Settlements
<i>The New York Times</i>	<a href="#">Israel Defiantly Cranks West Bank Settlement Plans Into High Gear</a>	IAN FISHER AND ISABEL KERSHNER	Settlements
<i>The Washington Post</i>	<a href="#">Israeli police begin forced removal of Amona settlers in the West Bank</a>  Thousands of Israeli police moved to demolish a settlement and evict 40 families.	WILLIAM BOOTH AND RUTH EGLASH	Settlements
<i>The Wall Street Journal</i>	<a href="#">Drafting Up Innovation</a>  The country's unique reserves system led to the success of	DAN SENOR	High-tech

	its defense industry: Engineers draw on real battlefield experience to prepare for the future		
<i>The Wall Street Journal</i>	<p><a href="#">Israel Begins Clearing Illegal West Bank Outpost</a></p> <p>Amona has been a flashpoint for critics and supporters of Jewish settlement of the occupied Palestinian territory</p>	RORY JONES	Settlements
<i>Los Angeles Times</i>	<p><a href="#">Israeli forces face protesters while evacuating West Bank outpost of Jewish settlers</a></p>	JOSHUA MITNICK	Settlements
<i>Bloomberg</i>	<p><a href="#">Israel to Build New West Bank Settlement to House Evacuees</a></p> <p>PM Netanyahu announces move as police clear illegal outpost. Knesset to vote on bill legalizing unauthorized outposts</p>	DAVID WAINER AND JONATHAN FERZIGER	Settlements
<i>Bloomberg</i>	<p><a href="#">How Do Israel's Tech Firms Do Business in Saudi Arabia? Very Quietly</a></p> <p>Good deals (and plausible deniability) make good neighbors.</p>	JONATHAN FERZIGER AND PETER WALDMAN	Saudi-Israel relations, economy
<i>NPR</i>	<p><a href="#">Israel Starts Evacuating Illegal Outpost; Approves 3,000 New West Bank Units</a></p> <p>There's been a clear uptick in the rate of settlement approval since Donald Trump was sworn into office on Jan. 20 — and the U.S. president is expected to be supportive of settlement expansion.</p>	MERRITT KENNEDY	Settlements
<i>NPR</i>	<p><a href="#">Jewish Settlers Ordered To Evacuate Illegal West Bank Outpost</a></p> <p>Jewish settlers in a two-decades-old West Bank outpost — considered illegal even under Israeli law — were told to evacuate. Some swear to fight the order while Palestinians hope to get access to land they once owned.</p>	JOANNA KAKISSIS	Settlements
<i>VOA</i>	<p><a href="#">Israeli Forces Evacuate West Bank Settlement Outpost</a></p>	ROBERT BERGER	Settlements
<i>USA Today</i>	<p><a href="#">Israeli forces evict settlers of West Bank outpost</a></p>	JESSICA DURANDO	Settlements
<i>ABC News</i>	<p><a href="#">As Illegal Outpost Cleared, Israeli PM Netanyahu Announces New West Bank Settlement</a></p>	MOLLY HUNTER	
<i>The Vindicator</i> (Youngstown, OH USA)	<p><a href="#">Youngstown leaders visit 5 universities, 6 businesses in Israel</a></p> <p>On expedition to Israel, Youngstown leaders visit universities, businesses</p>	AMANDA TONOLI	
<i>CBN</i>	<p><a href="#">Israel Evacuates Fellow Israelis from Small Settlement</a></p>	TZIPPE BARROW AND JULIE STAHL	Settlements

<i>CNN</i>	<a href="#">Israel to build entirely new settlement in West Bank</a>	OREN LIEBERMANN AND EUAN MCKIRDY	Settlements
<i>CNN</i>	<a href="#">What you need to know about the Israeli settlements</a>	OREN LIEBERMANN	Settlements
<i>The Christian Science Monitor</i>	<a href="#">In illegal Israeli outpost, litmus test for adjudicating settler, Palestinian interests</a>  Israeli security forces started evacuation today of Amona, in the West Bank, after a years-long legal battle.	CHRISTA CASE BRYANT	Settlements

## Europe and Australia

<b>Publication</b>	<b>Headline</b>	<b>Journalist</b>	<b>Topic</b>
<i>Financial Times</i>	<a href="#">Israel begins evacuation of Amona settler outpost</a>  Approval given to build 3,000 housing units in occupied East Jerusalem and West Bank	JOHN REED	Settlements
<i>International Business Times</i> (UK edition)	<a href="#">Israel evacuates Amona settlement after approving 3,000 new illegal homes in the West Bank</a>  In 2014 Israeli Supreme Court ordered the removal of illegal settlements built on private Palestinian land.	SOFIA LOTTO PERSIO	Settlements
<i>International Business Times</i> (UK edition)	<a href="#">Israeli forces remove illegal settlers from West Bank outpost of Amona</a> (photos)  The outpost was the scene of violent clashes between settlers and police on 1 February 2006, 11 years ago to the day.	DAVID SIM	Settlements
<i>Daily Mail</i>	<a href="#">Israeli Prime Minister Netanyahu to meet Theresa May for the first time in Downing Street on Monday</a>  Israel's Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is coming to London on Monday. He is expected to meet Theresa May - for the first time - in Downing Street. Earlier today Foreign Office condemned Israel's plans for 3,000 settler homes	MAIL ONLINE REPORTER	UK-Israel relations
<i>The Guardian</i>	<a href="#">Israel evicts Amona settlers as 3,000 new homes approved elsewhere</a>  Security forces start evicting several hundred settlers from illegal West Bank outpost hours after announcement of	PETER BEAUMONT	Settlements

	further construction		
<i>The Independent</i>	<p><a href="#">Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu to visit Theresa May for Downing Street talks</a></p> <p>PMs expected to meet in London, before Mr Netanyahu carries on to the United States for meeting with Donald Trump</p>	CHARLOTTE ENGLAND	UK-Israel relations
<i>The Independent</i>	<p><a href="#">Donald Trump's 'Muslim ban' is no more deserving of protest than 16 countries' ban on Israeli citizens, says Tory MP</a></p> <p>Former cabinet minister suggests 'protestors' should be turning their focus to 16 Muslim states too</p>	BEN KENTISH	Travel, attitudes toward Israel in the Islamic world
<i>The Independent</i>	<p><a href="#">Police evictions of illegal West Bank settlers met with violent protests from Israelis</a></p> <p>The Supreme Court ruling that Amona is built on private Palestinian land and must be demolished has outraged pro-settlement politicians and members of the public</p>	BETHAN MCKERNAN	Settlements
<i>BBC</i>	<p><a href="#">Israel police evict settlers from unauthorised Amona outpost</a></p>	N/A	Settlements
<i>Sky News</i>	<p><a href="#">Police move in to evict hundreds of illegal Israeli settlers</a></p> <p>Israel announces 3,000 more settlement homes in the West Bank despite a court order to evict Israeli settlers in Amona.</p>	N/A	Settlements
<i>The Irish Times</i>	<p><a href="#">Israeli police clash with protesters in West Bank eviction</a></p> <p>Israel moves on illegal site after announcing plans for 3,000 new settlement homes</p>	MARK WEISS	Settlements
<i>The Irish Times</i>	<p><a href="#">Ryanair eyes Middle East market with 15 new routes in Israel</a></p> <p>Airline adds flights from Tel Aviv and Eilat, making it Israel's most active foreign carrier</p>	MARK WEISS	Economy, tourism
<i>Irish Independent</i>	<p><a href="#">Ryanair announces major expansion of Israel operations with addition of 15 new routes</a></p>	LOUISE KELLY	Economy, tourism
<i>Sputnik</i>	<p><a href="#">Israel Plans New Settlement in West Bank Amid Dismantling of Amona Outpost</a></p> <p>Israel will be building a new settlement in the West Bank amid the dismantling of the Amona settlement, the office of Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu has announced.</p>	N/A	Settlements
<i>Sputnik</i>	<p><a href="#">Israeli Police Start Dismantling Jewish Outpost in West Bank</a></p>	N/A	Settlements

	Hundreds of Israeli policemen on Wednesday began an operation to dismantle the Amona outpost located in the occupied West Bank, a police source told Sputnik.		
<i>Hurriyet</i>	<a href="#">Turkey condemns new Israeli settlements after first political talks</a>	N/A	Turkey-Israel relations, settlements
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<a href="#">Israeli settler outpost removed; 3,000 new units on way</a>  Police drag Jewish settlers from small West Bank outpost after govt approves 3,000 new settlement units	KAAMIL AHMED	
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<a href="#">EU 'deeply regrets' Israel's new settlement plan</a>  Foreign policy chief says Israel's announcement to build 3,000 new settlements in West Bank challenges 2-state solution	ATA UFUK SEKER AND BURCU ARIK	EU, settlements
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<a href="#">Turkish, Israeli officials resume ties after six years</a>  Diplomats meet in Ankara to discuss mutual interests, regional issues	ERKAN AVCI	
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<a href="#">US embassy move to Jerusalem will hurt peace: Jordan</a>  Jordan's King Abdullah II makes assertion during talks with Trump administration officials	LAITH JUNAIIDI	US-Israel relations, Jerusalem, Jordan
<i>Anadolu Agency</i>	<a href="#">Israeli settlers battle eviction from West Bank outpost</a>  Following court order, illegal settler outpost is dismantled in Israeli-occupied West Bank	KAAMIL AHMED	Settlements

## Wire Services

<b>Publication</b>	<b>Headline</b>	<b>Journalist</b>	<b>Topic</b>
<i>AP</i>	<a href="#">Israeli forces nearly finished evacuating West Bank outpost</a>	N/A	Settlements
<i>AP</i>	<a href="#">Record number of anti-Semitic incidents recorded in UK last year</a>	N/A	
<i>AP</i>	<a href="#">Palestinians demand UN action over Israeli settlement homes</a>	N/A	Settlements, UN
<i>AP</i>	<a href="#">Pulitzer-winning photographer returns to West Bank outpost</a>	N/A	Oded Balilty
<i>AP</i>	<a href="#">Israel evacuates West Bank outpost amid new settlement</a>	NEBI QENA AND	Settlements

	<a href="#">binge</a>	TIA GOLDENBERG	
<i>Reuters</i>	<a href="#">For hardline West Bank settlers, Jared Kushner's their man</a>	MAAYAN LUBELL	Settlements, US-
<i>Reuters</i>	<a href="#">Israel to build first new West Bank settlement since 1990s</a>	ELI BERLZON	Settlements
<i>Reuters</i>	<a href="#">Violence erupts during eviction of Israeli settlers from illegal outpost</a>	ELI BERLZON	Settlements
<i>Reuters</i>	<a href="#">When towering rivals Rabin and Nasser met for lunch - in Rabin's own words</a>	HOWARD GOLLER	Egypt-Israel relations
<i>Xinhua</i>	<a href="#">Abbas to visit France next week on outcomes of Paris conference: official</a>	N/A	France, peace process
<i>Xinhua</i>	<a href="#">Abbas instructs diplomatic campaign against Israeli settlement: official</a>	N/A	Settlements
<i>Xinhua</i>	<a href="#">UNRWA commissioner warns of mounting humanitarian crisis in Gaza</a>	N/A	UN, Gaza
<i>Xinhua</i>	<a href="#">Interview: Hamas will boycott elections until decade-long split ends: official</a>	N/A	Palestinian politics
<i>Xinhua</i>	<a href="#">Violence erupts during evacuation of Jewish outpost in West Bank</a>	N/A	Settlements

## Asia and Africa

### General Articles

<b>Publication</b>	<b>Headline</b>	<b>Journalist</b>	<b>Topic</b>
<i>The Asahi Shimbun</i>	<a href="#">Japan bolsters ties with Israel as it seeks to stop cyber threats</a>	TAKASHI WATANABE	Japan-Israel relations, cyber

# Middle East

## Editorials, Op. Eds. and Analysis

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<i>Al Jazeera</i>	<p><a href="#"><u>The Israel lobby: All bark but little bite</u></a></p> <p>Al Jazeera's investigation The Lobby shows how weak Israeli propaganda actually is in the face of the BDS movement.</p>	HAMID DABASHI	BDS, hasbara
<i>Gulf News</i>	<p><a href="#"><u>Colonisation is nothing more than greed</u></a></p> <p>Only Netanyahu and Trump stand together while the rest of the world supports the Palestinian cause</p>	EDITORIAL	Settlements

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<i>Al Ahrām</i>	<p><a href="#"><u>Egypt allows passage of goods through border crossing with Gaza</u></a></p>	AHRAM ONLINE	Egypt, Gaza
<i>Gulf News</i>	<p><a href="#"><u>Gaza sees alarming increase in divorce rate</u></a></p> <p>Poverty, unemployment and blockade contributed to divorce rate</p>	NASOUH NAZZAL	Gaza

# The World Jewish Press

## General Articles

Publication	Headline	Journalist	Topic
<i>JTA</i>	<p><a href="#"><u>For Tu b'Shvat, 5 of Israel's must-see trees</u></a></p>	MICHAEL BROWN	Tu B'Shvat
<i>Tablet</i>	<p><a href="#"><u>War and Palestine</u></a></p> <p>The great screenwriter remembers a wartime visit to the</p>	WALTER BERNSTEIN	WWII

	<b>Holy Land</b>		
<i>Tablet</i>	<a href="#">Rivlin Calls Mexico's Peña Nieto, Apologizes for Bibi's Border Wall Tweet</a>  It's Twitter diplomacy at its finest, between Israel and Mexico	ARMIN ROSEN	US-Mexico-Israel relations
<i>The Jewish Week</i> (NYC)	<a href="#">Revived 'Outpost Law' Fuels Furious Debate</a>  Is there a Trump effect at play in game-changing settlement bill.	JOSHUA MITNICK	Hasdara law
<i>Forward</i> (NYC)	<a href="#">Israeli Company Bidding Hard to Build Trump's Wall</a>	NAOMI ZEVELOFF	Economy, US-Israel relations
<i>The Jewish Exponent</i> (Philadelphia)	<a href="#">Shishi Israeli Bringing Israeli and American Jews Together</a>	JON MARKS	Attitudes toward Israel among US Jews
<i>The Canadian Jewish News</i>	<a href="#">B.C. school rescinds ban against Israeli students</a>	LAUREN KRAMER	Attitudes toward Israel in Canada
<i>Jewish News</i> (UK)	<a href="#">Anti-Semitism at highest level on record</a>  Latest figures show anti-Semitism rose 36 percent in 2016, with more than twice as many incidents as four years ago	STEPHEN ORYSZCZUK	Attitudes toward Israel in the UK
<i>Jewish News</i> (UK)	<a href="#">May challenges Corbyn to 'stand up and condemn' Israel travel bans</a>  Prime Minister calls on the Labour leader to criticise discrimination against Israelis by Arab states, in wake of Trump travel ban	JEWISH NEWS REPORTER	Israel in UK politics
<i>Jewish News</i> (UK)	<a href="#">Netanyahu set to meet May on Monday in London</a>  Israeli Prime Minister will visit to Britain, where he will meet the UK leader	JUSTIN COHEN	UK-Israel relations
<i>The Jewish Chronicle</i> (UK)	<a href="#">Worst year on record as antisemitism soars in Britain</a>  The CST's annual statistics show there were 1,309 incidents of Jew-hatred last year	LEE HARPIN	Attitudes toward Israel in the UK
<i>The Jewish Chronicle</i> (UK)	<a href="#">Netanyahu to meet May in London on Monday</a>	ANSHEL PFEFFER	UK-Israel relations
<i>The Australian Jewish News</i>	<a href="#">Melbourne: Bibi not coming</a>	AJN STAFF	Australia-Israel relations



<p><i>South African Jewish Report</i></p>	<p><a href="#"><u>Lenk: Jerusalem will always be Israeli capital</u></a></p> <p>Ambassador Lenk appeared on the popular SABC News morning show, Newsroom, yesterday (Tuesday 31 January) and discussed Israel's relationship with the USA, the controversy about Donald Trump wanting to move the US embassy to Jerusalem, Israel's capital city, and the need for the holy land's Palestinian neighbours to reject terror and return to direct peace talks. Watch the full 12-minute interview and hear Ambassador Lenk's frank and honest responses – and his open and relaxed demeanour.</p>	<p>ANT KATZ</p>	<p>Attitudes vtoward Israel in South Africa</p>

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