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# Almost half of Australians (49%) say the Australian Government should 'not take sides' in the current crisis in Israel & Gaza

Now 49% of Australians say the Australian Government should 'not take sides' in the current crisis in Israel and Gaza according to a special Roy Morgan online survey conducted in conjunction with the Islamic Society of South Australia with a cross-section of 1,006 Australians aged 18+ from Thursday November 16 – Monday November 20, 2023.

This compares to 19% who say the Australian Government 'should do more to support Palestine' and 17% who say the 'Australian Government should do more to support Israel' and 15% of respondents don't know.

#### Key findings of the survey are:

- Nearly two-fifths (39%) of Australians say the Australian Government is 'favouring the Israelis' compared to only 10% who say the Australian Government is 'favouring the Palestinians';
- A large majority of 80% of Australians say Hamas should return the Israeli hostages unconditionally;
- A clear majority (57%) of Australians say the Australian Government should increase pressure on Israel to allow for immediate humanitarian assistance to enter Gaza;
- Two-fifths (40%) of Australians say the Israeli army should withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately while 33% say they should not and 27% don't know;
- If the 27% of Australians saying 'don't know' to this question are excluded, a majority of 55% of
  the remainder say the Israeli army should withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately
  up 4% from a special Roy Morgan SMS Poll conducted in early November, compared to 45%
  (down 4%) that say the Israeli army should not.

Australians surveyed were asked to agree or disagree with a series of statements relating to the current crisis in Israel and Gaza:

- 'All human lives Israeli & Palestinian are of equal value' 92% agree cf. 3% disagree;
- 'I am concerned about the number of civilian casualties in Gaza' 85% agree cf. 8% disagree;
- 'The Australian Government should call for an immediate ceasefire' 56% agree cf. 25% disagree;
- 'The Australian Government should call for a pause to allow humanitarian aid to safely reach civilians'
   75% agree cf. 14% disagree.

Australians surveyed were asked to approve or disapprove of a series of activities relating to the current crisis in Israel and Gaza:

- 'People marching in solidarity with the Israeli people' 39% approve cf. 32% disapprove;
- 'People marching in solidarity with the Palestinian people' 37% approve cf. 36% disapprove;
- 'State & Local Governments illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Israeli Flag' 62% disapprove cf. 16% approve;
- 'State & Local Governments illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Palestinian Flag'
   65% disapprove cf. 13% approve.

### Key demographic findings from the survey:

Australians were almost four times more likely to think that the Australian government is favouring Israel (39%) than Palestine (10%).

- Nearly half of Australian men (46%) say the government is favouring the Israelis compared to under a third of women (32%).
- Analysis by age shows Australians aged 25-34 (45%) were the most likely to say the government is favouring Israel (45%) ahead of people aged 50-64 (41%) and those aged 35-49 (39%).
- Only 3% of 18-24 year olds, 4% of 25-34 year olds and 8% of 35-49 year olds say the government is favouring the Palestinians.
- Young Australians aged 18-24 were the most likely to say they don't know (41%) whether the government has taken a side.
- A majority of Greens voters (54%) say the government is favouring Israel compared to 40% of ALP voters and just over a third of Liberal-National Coalition voters (36%).
- Over a fifth of Coalition voters (22%) say the government is favouring the Palestinians compared to 4% of Greens voters and only 1% of ALP voters.

Almost half (49%) of Australians think the Australian government should not take sides in the conflict, while the proportions thinking the government should do more to support Israel (17%) or Palestine (19%) are near equal.

- 19% of Australians believe the government should do more to support Palestine, while 17% believe the government should do more to support Israel and 15% didn't know.
- Men (23%) were more likely to say the government should do more to support Israel compared to women (13%). In contrast, more women (19%) than men (17%) say the government should do more to support the Palestine.
- Those aged 18-24 (34%) and 25-34 (33%) were much more likely to believe the government should do more to support Palestine than support Israel: 18-24 (9%) and 25-34 (10%).
- Older Australians took a different view with those aged 65+ (28%) much more likely to say the government should do more to support Israel than Palestine (9%).
- Greens voters were much more likely to say the government should do more to support Palestine (51%) than Israel (3%). In contrast, Liberal voters were much more likely to say the government should do more to support Israel (34%) than Palestine (7%).
- ALP voters were most likely to say the government shouldn't take sides in this conflict (62%) but were still more likely to say more support should be given to Palestine (17%) than Israel (9%).

A plurality (40%) of Australians say the Israeli army should withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately compared to 33% who say they should not while 27% don't know

- If those saying 'don't know' are excluded 55% of the remainder say the Israeli army should withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately up 4% from a special Roy Morgan SMS Poll conducted in early November, compared to 45% (down 4%) that say the Israeli army should not.
- Significantly more women (45%) than men (35%) say the Israeli army should withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately.
- Australians aged 25-34 (51%) are the most likely to say the Israeli army should withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately ahead of 44% of 18-24 year olds and 41% of 35-49 year olds.
- Nearly three-quarters of Greens voters (73%) and almost half of ALP voters (48%) say the Israeli
  army should withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately compared to only 23% of
  Coalition voters and 22% of One Nation voters.



# A substantial majority (80%) of Australians believe Hamas should release the Israeli hostages unconditionally compared to only 5% who say they should not

- Significantly more men (85%), than women (74%), say that Hamas should return the Israeli hostages unconditionally.
- Although a majority of all age groups say Hamas should return the Israeli hostages unconditionally this question was heavily correlated to age. Older Australians were the most likely to call for the unconditional release of the hostages led by people aged 65+ (92%) and 50-64 year olds (88%).
- Support for the unconditional release of hostages was also lower among Greens voters (71%), and higher amongst Coalition (90%), One Nation (88%) and Independent (86%) voters.

#### A majority (56%) of Australians agree the Australian government should call for an immediate ceasefire.

- ALP (68%) and Greens (83%) voters were much more likely to support the government calling for an immediate ceasefire compared to Coalition voters (40%).
- Support for a ceasefire was particularly high in Victoria (60%), especially Melbourne (63%), while it was lowest in Western Australia (47%).
- Support for a ceasefire was higher for those aged 25-34 (63%), those who live in capital cities (58%) and those who have a university degree (65%).
- Support for the Australian government to call for 'a pause to allow humanitarian aid to safely reach civilians' (75%) was higher than support for the government to call for an immediate ceasefire (56%).

# A majority of Australians (57%) believe the Australian government should increase pressure on Israel to allow for immediate humanitarian assistance to enter Gaza.

- Similar proportions of women (57%) and men (56%) say the government should increase pressure on Israel to allow for immediate humanitarian assistance to enter Gaza.
- Support for the proposition was similar across different age groups including 60% of 25-34 year olds, 59% of people aged 65+, 58% of those aged 50-64 and 57% of people aged 35-49.
- Support was higher among Labor (73%) and Greens (80%) voters than Coalition voters (45%).

# A substantial majority of Australians agree that all human lives (Israeli and Palestinian) are of equal value (92%) and are concerned about the number of civilian casualties in Gaza (85%).

- Over nine-in-ten women (92%), men (92%), 35-49 year olds (92%), 50-64 year olds (96%) and people aged 65+ (95%) agree that all human lives are of equal value.
- There is near unanimous agreement that all human lives are of equal value among ALP voters (95%), Coalition voters (94%) and Greens voters (94%).
- Over eight-in-ten women (86%), men (82%) and people aged 25-34 (83%), 35-49 (85%), 50-64 (84%) and people aged 65+ (89%) are concerned about the number of civilian casualties in Gaza.
- ALP voters (92%) and Greens voters (91%) are the most concerned about the number of civilian casualties in Gaza compared to 85% of Independent voters and 79% of Coalition voters.

# Approval of state and local governments illuminating public buildings in the colours of flags was low for both the Israeli flag (16%) and Palestinian flag (13%).

• Support for illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Israeli flag was particularly low in Melbourne (9%) while support for illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Palestinian flag was particularly low in Queensland (9%).

Just 39% of Australians approve of Australians marching in solidarity with the Israeli people, and 37% approve of marching in solidarity with the Palestinian people. In both cases, however, those approving outnumber those who disapprove. Many Australians said they didn't know how they felt about this issue (29% for marching in solidarity with the Israelis; 27% for marching solidarity with the Palestinians).



Australians surveyed were each asked the following questions:

• Question 1: "Thinking about the Australian government's response to the current crisis in Israel and Gaza.

Which of the following statements is closest to your view?"

The Australian Government is favouring the Israelis.

The Australian Government is favouring the Palestinians.

The Australians Government has not taken a side.

Don't know.

• Question 2: "Thinking about how the Australian government should respond to the crisis. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?"

The Australian Government should do more to support Israel.

The Australian Government should do more to support Palestine.

The Australian Government should not take sides in this conflict.

Don't know.

• Question 3: "In your opinion should the Israeli army withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately or not?

Yes.

No, not.

Don't know.

• Question 4: "In your opinion should Hamas return the Israeli hostages unconditionally?"

Yes.

No.

Don't know.

• Question 5: "Following are some statements about the current crisis in Israel and Gaza. Thinking about each statement, and what you know about the current conflict. Please say if you agree or disagree with each of these statements?" (Agree, Disagree, Don't know).

All human lives - Israeli & Palestinian - are of equal value.

I am concerned about the number of civilian casualties in Gaza.

The Australian Government should call for an immediate ceasefire.

The Australian Government should call for a pause to allow humanitarian aid to safely reach civilians.

• Question 6: "Do you approve or disapprove of the following activities?" (Approve, Disapprove, Don't know)
People marching in solidarity with the Israeli people.

People marching in solidarity with the Palestinian people.

State & Local Governments illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Israeli Flag.

State & Local Governments illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Palestinian Flag.

• Question 7: "Should the Australian Government increase pressure on Israel to allow for immediate humanitarian assistance to enter Gaza?"

Yes.

No, not.

Don't know.

**November 16-20, 2023:** This special Roy Morgan online survey was conducted with an Australia-wide cross-section of 1,006 Australians aged 18+ from Thursday November 16 – Monday November 20, 2023.

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Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 1: "Thinking about the Australian government's response to the current crisis in Israel and Gaza. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?"

The Australian Government is favouring the Israelis.

The Australian Government is favouring the Palestinians.

The Australian Government has not taken a side.

Don't know.

### By Gender & Age

	Australians	Ge	Gender		Age				
	<u>18</u> +	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Favouring Israel	39	46	32	37	45	39	41	32	
Favouring Palestine	10	11	9	3	4	8	14	17	
Not taking sides	26	27	26	19	21	25	26	37	
Don't know	25	16	33	41	30	28	19	14	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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### By States & City/Country

	Australians	Areas			States					
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Favouring Israel	39	42	34	44	43	33	25	24	66	
Favouring Palestine	10	9	12	9	11	10	13	7	5	
Not taking sides	26	26	26	25	23	29	34	31	13	
Don't know	25	23	28	22	23	28	28	38	16	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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### By Party Vote

	Augtraliana				Party Vote					
	Australians <u>18</u> +	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Favouring Israel	39	40	36	54	31	55	50	18		
Favouring Palestine	10	1	22	4	17	4	8	3		
Not taking sides	26	38	28	21	8	23	12	17		
Don't know	25	21	14	21	44	18	30	62		
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100		



Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 2: "Thinking about how the Australian government should respond to the crisis. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?"

The Australian Government should do more to support Israel.

The Australian Government should do more to support Palestine.

The Australian Government should not take sides in this conflict.

Don't know.

### By Gender & Age

	Australians Gender			Age				
	<u>18</u> +	<u>Men</u>	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
More support for Israel	17	23	13	9	10	14	21	28
More support for Palestine	19	17	19	34	33	20	7	9
Not taking sides	49	50	49	30	35	50	62	58
Don't know	15	10	19	27	22	16	10	5
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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### By States & City/Country

	Australians	Areas Australians			States					
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country Regions	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
More support for Israel	17	17	18	18	14	24	15	17	5	
More support for Palestine	19	20	16	21	26	9	11	14	27	
Not taking sides	49	48	51	47	46	49	60	55	57	
Don't know	15	15	15	14	14	18	14	14	11	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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### By Party Vote

	Augtraliana				Party Vo	te		
	Australians <u>18</u> +	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
More support for Israel	17	9	34	3	26	9	16	5
More support for Palestine	19	17	7	51	1	26	26	18
Not taking sides	49	62	49	33	60	56	40	37
Don't know	15	12	10	13	13	9	18	40
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100



Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 3: "In your opinion should the Israeli army withdraw their armed forces from Gaza immediately or not?

Yes.

No, not.

Don't know.

### By Gender & Age

	Australians	G	ender	Age					
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Yes	40	35	45	44	51	41	33	36	
No, not	33	44	22	20	22	27	43	45	
Don't know	27	21	33	36	27	32	24	19	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Ar	eas		States						
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	<u>VIC</u>	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Yes	40	42	37	42	47	32	34	27	63		
No, not	33	33	32	32	30	37	32	37	21		
Don't know	27	25	31	26	23	31	34	36	16		
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100		

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### **By Party Vote**

	Augtraliana		Party Vote							
	Australians <u>18</u> +	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't say		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Yes	40	48	23	73	22	48	52	33		
No, not	33	26	57	7	43	24	22	10		
Don't know	27	26	20	20	35	28	26	57		
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100		



Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 4: "In your opinion should Hamas return the Israeli hostages unconditionally?" Yes.

No.

Don't know.

# By Gender & Age

	Australians	Ge	ender					
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	80	85	74	52	70	81	88	92
No, not	5	6	4	8	11	4	1	2
Don't know	15	9	22	40	19	15	11	6
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Ar	eas		States					
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Yes	80	79	80	78	78	80	79	84	92	
No	5	5	5	5	8	2	4	3	-	
Don't know	15	16	15	17	14	18	17	13	8	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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# **By Party Vote**

	Augtraliana		Party Vote							
	Australians <u>18</u> +	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	<u>Greens</u>	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Yes	80	80	89	71	88	86	80	53		
No, not	5	6	4	9	-	4	9	1		
Don't know	15	14	7	20	12	10	11	46		
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100		



Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 5: "Following are some statements about the current crisis in Israel and Gaza. Thinking about each statement, and what you know about the current conflict. Please say if you agree or disagree with each of these statements?" (Agree, Disagree, Don't know).

"All human lives - Israeli & Palestinian - are of equal value."

### By Gender & Age

	Australians	G	ender			Age		
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Agree	92	92	92	83	90	92	96	95
Disagree	3	5	2	4	5	3	2	3
Don't know	5	3	6	13	5	5	2	2
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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### By States & City/Country

	Australians - Areas					Sta	States			
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country Regions	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Agree	92	92	92	92	94	91	90	88	95	
Disagree	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	4	-	
Don't know	5	5	5	5	3	5	7	8	5	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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### By Party Vote

	Augtraliana	Party Vote Australians									
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Agree	92	95	94	94	87	96	94	76			
Disagree	3	1	3	3	9	3	6	4			
Don't know	5	4	3	3	4	1	-	20			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			



Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 5: "Following are some statements about the current crisis in Israel and Gaza. Thinking about each statement, and what you know about the current conflict. Please say if you agree or disagree with each of these statements?" (Agree, Disagree, Don't know).

### By Gender & Age

	Australians	0011.00				Age					
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Agree	85	82	86	79	83	86	84	89			
Disagree	8	12	5	3	9	7	12	7			
Don't know	7	6	9	18	8	7	4	4			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			

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### By States & City/Country

	Australians	Areas				States				
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Agree	85	86	82	87	86	82	79	83	95	
Disagree	8	7	10	7	7	11	12	7	-	
Don't know	7	7	8	6	7	7	9	10	5	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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### By Party Vote

	Augtraliana	Australians									
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Agree	85	92	79	91	76	85	91	75			
Disagree	8	3	15	2	17	14	9	1			
Don't know	7	5	6	7	7	1	-	24			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			



<sup>&</sup>quot;I am concerned about the number of civilian casualties in Gaza."

Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 5: "Following are some statements about the current crisis in Israel and Gaza. Thinking about each statement, and what you know about the current conflict. Please say if you agree or disagree with each of these statements?" (Agree, Disagree, Don't know).

### By Gender & Age

	Australians	Gender		Age					
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Agree	56	52	59	52	63	60	51	52	
Disagree	25	35	15	14	21	20	31	33	
Don't know	19	13	26	34	16	20	18	15	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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# By States & City/Country

	Areas Australians				States					
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Agree	56	58	51	59	60	51	47	53	69	
Disagree	25	25	25	22	25	26	29	23	19	
Don't know	19	17	24	19	15	23	24	24	12	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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### **By Party Vote**

	Australiana	Australians Party Vote								
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>		
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Agree	56	68	40	83	39	63	57	50		
Disagree	25	14	45	5	41	22	17	9		
Don't know	19	18	15	12	20	15	26	41		
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100		



<sup>&</sup>quot;The Australian Government should call for an immediate ceasefire."

Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 5: "Following are some statements about the current crisis in Israel and Gaza. Thinking about each statement, and what you know about the current conflict. Please say if you agree or disagree with each of these statements?" (Agree, Disagree, Don't know).

# By Gender & Age

	Australians	Gender		Age					
	<u>18</u> +	<u>Men</u>	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Agree	75	72	77	69	71	76	76	80	
Disagree	14	21	9	6	18	13	16	16	
Don't know	11	7	14	25	11	11	8	4	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Ar	eas			Sta	ates		
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Agree	75	76	74	78	78	70	72	67	91
Disagree	14	14	14	12	12	18	15	23	4
Don't know	11	10	12	10	10	12	13	10	5
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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### **By Party Vote**

	Australiana	estralians remains rem									
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Agree	75	88	67	86	54	78	68	70			
Disagree	14	5	26	5	32	13	18	2			
Don't know	11	7	7	9	14	9	14	28			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			



<sup>&</sup>quot;The Australian Government should call for a pause to allow humanitarian aid to safely reach civilians."

Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 6: "Do you approve or disapprove of the following activities?" (Approve, Disapprove, Don't know)

# By Gender & Age

	Australians	G	ender					
	<u>18</u> +	<u>Men</u>	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Approve	39	42	36	28	30	40	44	46
Disapprove	32	32	31	27	32	28	32	38
Don't know	29	26	33	45	38	32	24	16
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Ar	States						
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Approve	39	40	38	39	41	38	38	34	46
Disapprove	32	31	32	34	31	32	28	28	29
Don't know	29	29	30	27	28	30	34	38	25
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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# **By Party Vote**

	Augtraliana	Australians									
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't say			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Approve	39	38	47	32	28	35	56	21			
Disapprove	32	32	34	30	49	39	20	21			
Don't know	29	30	19	38	23	26	24	58			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			



<sup>&</sup>quot;People marching in solidarity with the Israeli people."

Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 6: "Do you approve or disapprove of the following activities?" (Approve, Disapprove, Don't know)

#### By Gender & Age

	Australians	G	ender	Age				
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Approve	37	40	35	50	50	38	27	29
Disapprove	36	38	34	12	22	30	48	54
Don't know	27	22	31	38	28	32	25	17
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Areas			States					
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	<u>VIC</u>	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Approve	37	41	30	38	46	26	34	30	55	
Disapprove	36	34	41	38	31	44	35	34	16	
Don't know	27	25	29	24	23	30	31	36	29	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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# **By Party Vote**

	Australiana	ustralians										
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>				
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%				
Approve	37	46	23	66	9	48	52	26				
Disapprove	36	26	56	9	72	28	29	19				
Don't know	27	28	21	25	19	24	19	55				
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100				



<sup>&</sup>quot;People marching in solidarity with the Palestinian people."

Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 6: "Do you approve or disapprove of the following activities?" (Approve, Disapprove, Don't know)

"State & Local Governments illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Israeli Flag."

#### By Gender & Age

	Australians	Ge	ender	Age					
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Approve	16	18	14	13	13	14	19	19	
Disapprove	62	65	59	54	57	60	65	70	
Don't know	22	17	27	33	30	26	16	11	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Ar	States						
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Approve	16	16	17	18	12	17	19	14	12
Disapprove	62	62	61	61	69	57	58	59	59
Don't know	22	22	22	21	19	26	23	27	29
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

#Sample sizes with fewer than 100 respondents should be treated with caution.

# **By Party Vote**

	Augtraliana	ustralians ————————————————————————————————————									
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Approve	16	14	23	11	13	11	16	8			
Disapprove	62	67	60	61	75	73	64	44			
Don't know	22	19	17	28	12	16	20	48			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			



Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 6: "Do you approve or disapprove of the following activities?" (Approve, Disapprove, Don't know)

"State & Local Governments illuminating public buildings in the colours of the Palestinian Flag."

### By Gender & Age

	Australians	Gender		Age					
	<u>18</u> +	Men	Women	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Approve	13	13	14	27	26	11	7	5	
Disapprove	65	72	58	39	45	61	78	86	
Don't know	22	15	28	34	29	28	15	9	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Ar	States						
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Approve	13	15	11	14	16	9	10	14	22
Disapprove	65	63	68	67	65	64	68	59	57
Don't know	22	22	21	19	19	27	22	27	21
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

#Sample sizes with fewer than 100 respondents should be treated with caution.

# **By Party Vote**

	Australiana	ustralians ————————————————————————————————————									
	18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	Greens	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Approve	13	17	5	38	1	19	8	8			
Disapprove	65	63	80	31	87	67	75	45			
Don't know	22	20	15	31	12	14	17	47			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			



Australians surveyed were each asked the following question:

• Question 7: "Should the Australian Government increase pressure on Israel to allow for immediate humanitarian assistance to enter Gaza?"

Yes.

No, not.

Don't know.

### By Gender & Age

	Australians <u>18</u> +	Gender		Age				
		<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>	<u>18-24</u> #	<u>25-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65</u> +
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	57	56	57	47	60	57	58	59
No, not	22	29	16	10	20	22	24	27
Don't know	21	15	27	43	20	21	18	14
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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# By States & City/Country

	Australians	Ar	States						
	18+	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country <u>Regions</u>	<u>NSW</u>	VIC	QLD	<u>WA</u>	<u>SA</u> #	TAS#
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	57	59	53	60	59	51	48	52	88
No, not	22	21	24	22	20	24	27	25	-
Don't know	21	20	23	18	21	25	25	23	12
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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# **By Party Vote**

	Australiana	Party Vote									
	Australians <u>18</u> +	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	<u>Greens</u>	One <u>Nation</u> #	<u>Ind</u> .#	Other <u>Parties</u> #	Can't <u>say</u>			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Yes	57	73	45	80	31	66	62	35			
No, not	22	13	38	6	41	15	23	6			
Don't know	21	14	17	14	28	19	15	59			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			

<sup>#</sup>Sample sizes with fewer than 100 respondents should be treated with caution.



### **About Roy Morgan**

Roy Morgan is Australia's largest independent Australian research company, with offices in each state, as well as in the U.S. and U.K. A full-service research organisation, Roy Morgan has over 80 years' experience collecting objective, independent information on consumers.

### **Margin of Error**

The margin of error to be allowed for in any estimate depends mainly on the number of interviews on which it is based. Margin of error gives indications of the likely range within which estimates would be 95% likely to fall, expressed as the number of percentage points above or below the actual estimate. Allowance for design effects (such as stratification and weighting) should be made as appropriate.

Sample Size	Percentage Estimate								
	40%-60%	25% or 75%	10% or 90%	5% or 95%					
1,000	±3.0	±2.7	±1.9	±1.3					
1,500	±2.5	±2.2	±1.5	±1.1					



Roy Morgan SMS Survey on Israel & Palestine (November 2023): Australians surveyed were each asked the following questions:

- Question 1: "Turning to the current conflict in the Middle East between Israel and Hamas in Gaza. In your opinion should the Israeli army withdraw their armed forces from Gaza Immediately or not?" Yes' 51% cf. 'No' 49%.
- Question 2: "And why do you say that?"

"Turning to the current conflict in the Middle East between Israel and Hamas in Gaza. In your opinion should the Israeli army withdraw their armed forces from Gaza Immediately or not?" By Gender & Age

	Australians Gender			Age				
	<u>18+</u>	Men	Women	<u>18-34</u>	<u>35-49</u>	<u>50-64</u>	<u>65+</u>	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Yes	51	41	63	65	61	47	39	
No	49	59	37	35	39	53	61	
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

"Turning to the current conflict in the Middle East between Israel and Hamas in Gaza. In your opinion should the Israeli army withdraw their armed forces from Gaza Immediately or not?" By States & City/Country

		Ar	States						
	Australians <u>18</u> +	Capital <u>Cities</u>	Country Regions	NSW	VIC	QLD	WA	SA	TAS
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Yes	51	52	51	54	51	50	43	42	71
No	49	48	49	46	49	50	57	58	29
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

"Turning to the current conflict in the Middle East between Israel and Hamas in Gaza. In your opinion should the Israeli army withdraw their armed forces from Gaza Immediately or not?" By Party Vote

		Party Vote								
	Australians 18+	<u>ALP</u>	<u>L-NP</u>	<u>Greens</u>	One Nation	<u>Independents</u>	Other <u>Parties</u>			
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Yes	51	64	25	93	22	75	43			
No	49	36	75	7	78	25	57			
TOTAL	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			

**November 2023:** This special Roy Morgan Snap SMS Poll was conducted with an Australia-wide cross-section of 1,650 Australians aged 18+ from Thursday November 9 – Monday November 13, 2023.

