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The Day After Series

Report #3: Post-War Governance and Administration

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About the series

- In light of the major transformations unfolding in Palestine following the ceasefire, there is a growing need for a deeper understanding of public opinion and its role in shaping future developments. AWRAD has conducted a public opinion poll among Gaza residents and will present the findings through a series of concise reports, offering objective and data-driven insights into Gaza's political, social, and economic landscape.
- This third report focuses on administration and governance in Gaza, addressing key issues such as:
 - Identifying the type of government preferred by Palestinians to govern the Gaza Strip in the long term.
 - Examining the opinions and aspirations of people who live in Gaza regarding their preferred entity or state to administer the Gaza Strip in the short and medium term.
 - Assessing the Awareness and understanding of Gazans regarding the proposed Community Support Committee, which has been suggested by Palestinian and Arab entities to oversee social, economic, and humanitarian services in the Strip.
- The Upcoming Report in the Series Will Cover:
 - Elections as a Preferred Path Out of the Crisis The fourth report in the series examines the extent of Palestinian support for holding comprehensive elections, the prospects for national reconciliation, and the political challenges that may hinder the electoral process.



Methodology

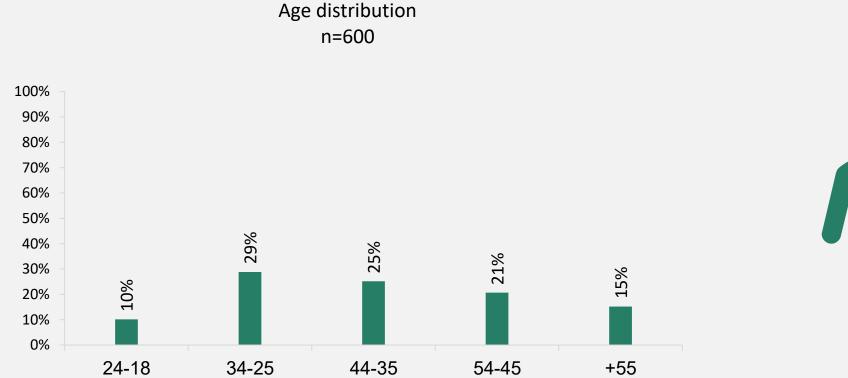
- Data was collected between January 24 and January 26, through CAPI-administered face-to-face interviews at respondents' shelters.
- The sample consisted of n=600 adults in the <u>Gaza Strip</u>, aged 18 or older. Data collection was conducted by 30 enumerators across four governorates in Gaza. Residents from North Gaza were interviewed in shelters and collective centers.
- The sample was selected through a stratified cluster sampling design. The sampling frame relied on multiple data sources, including OCHA, UNOSAT satellite imagery, Site Management Working Group, and Oxford University's "Gaza NowPop" project. Enumerators followed a random route method. Once at the household, a Kish grid was utilized.
- The final sample was weighted by age, gender, and education based on <u>Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics</u> <u>data (December 2023).</u>
- The response rate was 94%, and the margin of error for the midrange of the full sample is ±4 points at a 95% confidence level.
- Please note that charts and graphs may not total 100% due to rounding.



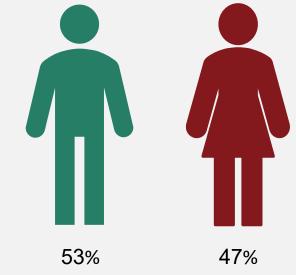
Section One: Sample Distribution



Distribution by Age and Gender of Respondent

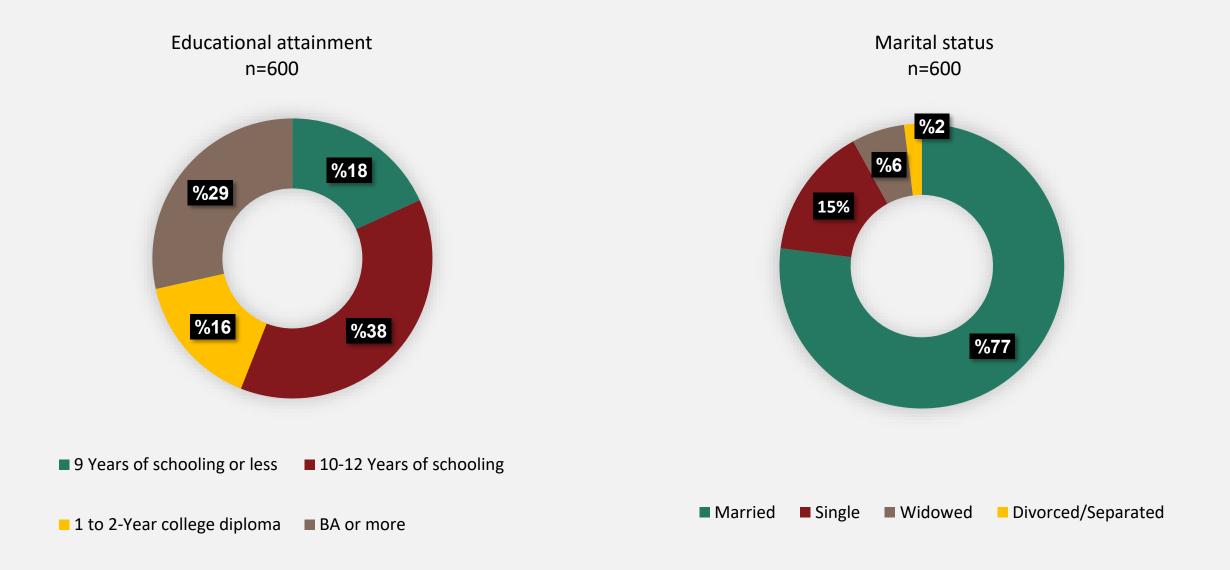


Gender distribution n=600





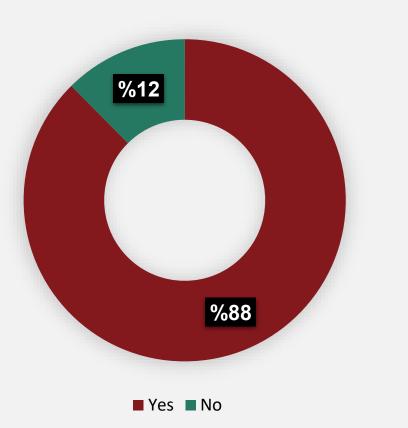
Distribution by Marital Status and Educational Attainment



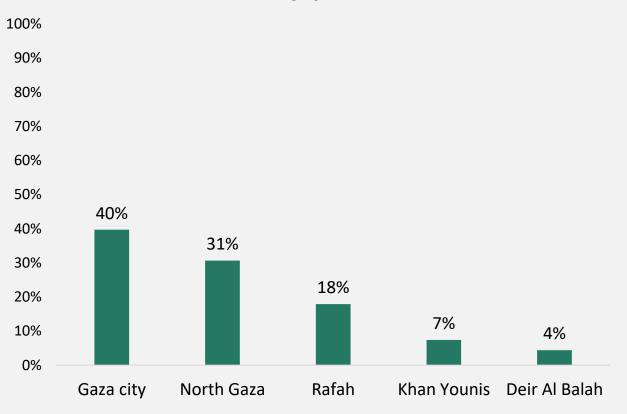


Displacement due to the War

Were you displaced by the war in Gaza? n= 600

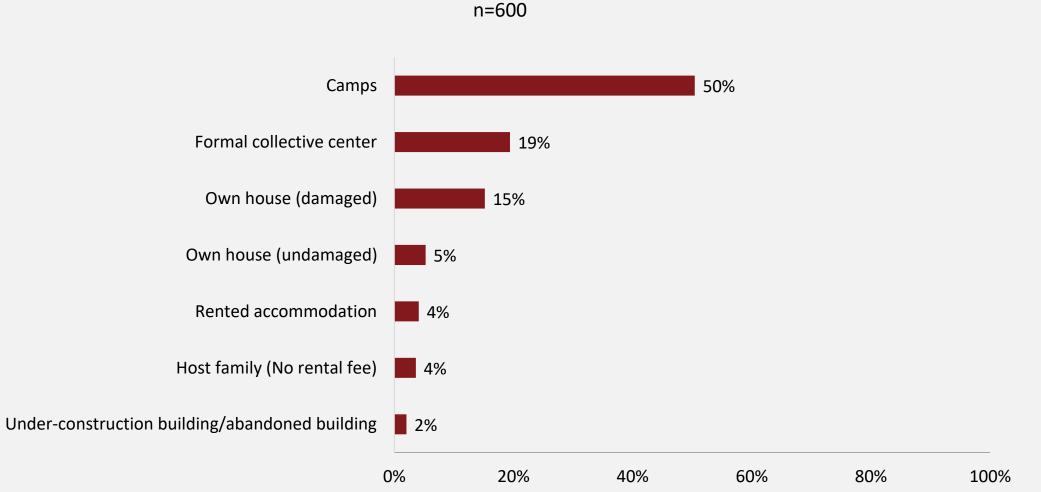


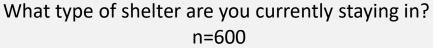
Which governorate did you originally come from? (Displaced only) n=516





Distribution by Type of Residence







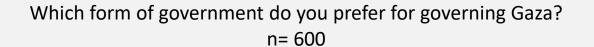
Section Two: Administration and Governance in Gaza

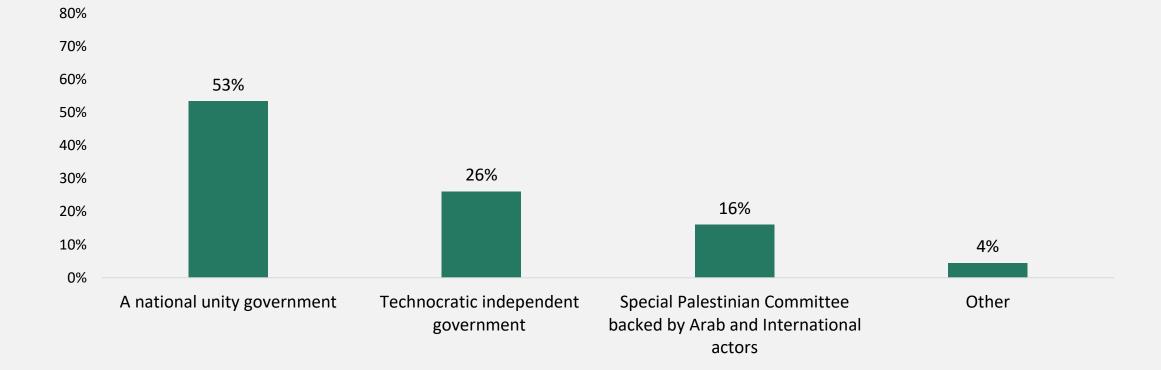


Governance of the Gaza Strip in the Long Term

100%

90%







Administration of the Gaza Strip in the Short and Medium Term

Level of support and feasibility (realism) of the following entities and states administering the Gaza Strip in the short and medium term n=600

20% 79% Support 75% 24% Support Feasibility Feasibility 73% 25% 31% 69% Hamas PA Special Support 12% 88% 60% 40% Support Palestinian M Committee Feasibility Feasibility 15% 85% backed by 58% 42% Egypt Arab and International actors Support 15% 85% Support 29% 70% Feasibility 15% 84% Feasibility 34% 66% UN Other Arab countries

Support/Feasible

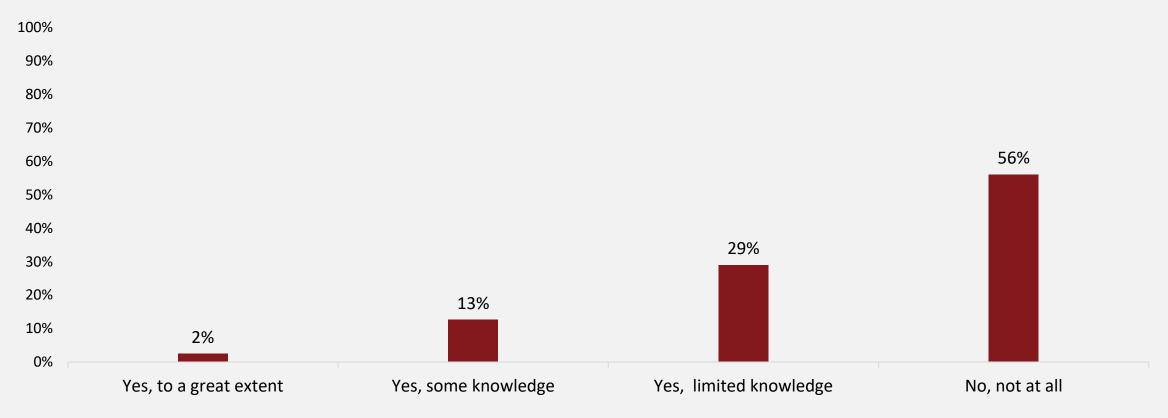
Do not Support/Not feasible



The Community Support Committee

There is an ongoing debate about establishing what is referred to as the Community Support Committee to administer reconstruction, social, economic, and humanitarian services in Gaza. Do you know about this proposed Committee?

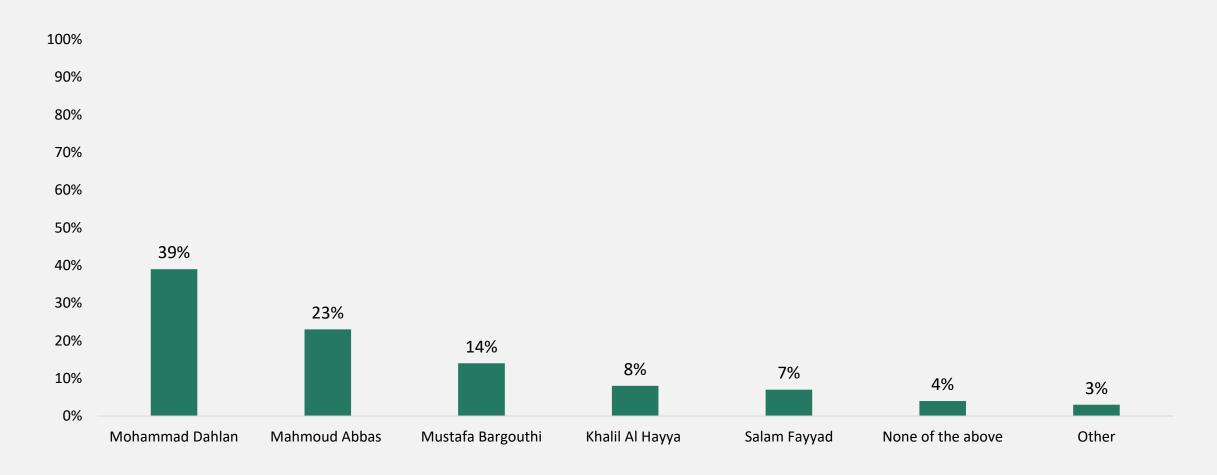
n=600





Trust in Leadership Figures

Which of the following leaders do you trust to lead a Palestinian Government in Gaza? n= 600







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