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כחול לבן

BLUE AND WHITE

CENTRIST AND LIBERAL- ZIONIST MOVEMENT

Chairperson:
Benjamin "Benny" Gantz

Founder:
Benny Gantz, Yair Lapid and others

Priorities:
limiting the prime minister to eight years or three terms, A diplomatic initiative for peace with the Palestinians, the protection of the Jewish identity of the state, as well as the identities of all of its citizens.

Will likely join:
The Likud (without Netanyahu), and Yisrael Beitenu with the natural allie bring central-left parties,

Won't support:
The Likud if Netanyahu is still the had of the party, Arab parties and Yamina

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הליכוד THE LIKUD

RIGHT-WING NATIONAL LIBERAL MOVEMENT

Chairperson:
Benjamin Netanyahu

Founder:
Menachem Begin

Priorities:

Strong security, free-market economy, Jewish identity, Judicial reform and cautious diplomacy with no withdrawal

Will likely join:

Right-wing and religious parties (Coalition agreements - Shas and United Torah Judaism) and Kachol Lavan if they agree to keep Netanyahu.

Won't support:

Major territorial withdrawals. won't seat with Arab parties or left leaning parties..

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ישראל ביתנו

YISRAEL BEITENU

SECULAR RIGHT MOVEMENT

Chairperson & Founder:
Avigdor Lieberman

Priorities:
Strong security, civil marriage, drafting Haredim, support for immigrants

Will likely join:
Right or center or a broad national unity government that will include Likud and Blue and White

Won't support:
Refuses coalitions heavily influenced by Haredi parties, Arab parties or Meretz.

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העבודה-גשר

HA'AVODA-GESHER

LABOR ZIONIST AND SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC MOVEMENT

Chairperson:

Amir Peretz

Priorities:

Workers' rights, social welfare, peace negotiations, environmental issues

Will likely join:

Center and left

(Natural allies- Kachol Lavan and Meretz)

Won't support:

Ultra right-wing parties, parties opposing a political process for peace and anti-liberal parties. Will not seat with Netanyahu.

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SHAS

SEPHARDI HAREDI MOVEMENT

Chairperson:
Aryeh Deri

Founders:
Rabbi Ovadia Yosef and others

Priorities:

Funding for religious schools, welfare, protecting religious traditions and increased influence of Halakha.

Will likely join:

right-wing and religious parties
(Natural allies- The likud and United Torah Judaism)

Won't support:

Reducing religious funding or mandatory military service for most yeshiva students. Won't seast with Arab parties or Meretz.

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יהדות התורה

UNITED TORAH JUDAISM

ASHKENAZI HAREDI MOVEMENT

Chairperson:
Yaakov Litzman

Founders:
Moshe Gafni and others

Priorities:
Torah study funding, draft exemptions, religious status quo

Will likely join:
right-wing and religious parties
(Natural allies- The likud and Shas)

Won't support:
Draft exemptions and protection of religious institutions are non-negotiable. Won't seat with Arab parties, Kachol Lavan, Yisrael Beitenu or Meretz.

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القائمة المشتركة
הרשימה המשותפת

JOINT ARAB PARTY

POLITICAL ALLIANCE OF ARAB-MAJORITY PARTIES IN ISRAEL

Chairperson & Founder:

Ayman Odeh

Priorities:

Repealing the Nation-State Law, Combating crime and violence in Arab society, Achieving socioeconomic equality and Ending the occupation and establishing an independent Palestinian state alongside Israel based on 1967 borders

Will likely join:

Will agree to sit in a coalition with Kachol-Lavan
Natural allies- Ha'Avoda-Gesher and Democratic Union

Won't support:

Rules out partnership in a government that bears responsibility for security policy, the settlement enterprise, and conflict management. Will not seat with Benjamin Netanyahu & Likud, Right-wing & Religious Zionist parties

**Refuse to take direct minister positions in any government cabinet.

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HA'MACHANEH ADEMOKRATI

SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC LEFT-WING POLITICAL ALLIANCE

Chairperson:

Nitzan Horowitz

Priorities:

Reopening immediate peace negotiations with the Palestinian Authority based on a two-state solution, Protecting human rights, democratic institutions, and the independence of the judicial system and Promoting progressive social policies

Will likely join:

Left and center

(Natural allies- Ha'Avoda-Gesher and Joint Arab Party)

Won't support:

Opposes settlement expansion.

Will not seat with Benjamin Netanyahu & Likud and Right-Wing & Religious Zionist factions.

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ימינה YAMINA

POLITICAL ALLIANCE OF RIGHT-WING PARTIES

Chairperson:
Ayelet Shaked

Priorities:
Full support for settlement expansion and applying Israeli sovereignty over Area C of Judea and Samaria, Absolute opposition to a Palestinian state or any territorial concessions, Structural judicial reform and Free-market economics

Will likely join:
Right-wing and religious parties
(Natural allies- The Likud)

Won't support:
Center-Left government led by Blue and White, Arab parties or Meretz.