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**Topic:** How has the Israel-Palestine conflict been covered in the media?

How does news coverage of the Israel Palestine conflict differ by source?

**Data:** We will use Factiva and/or LexisNexis (available through [Hertie’s Library](https://www.hertie-school.org/en/library/databases)) to source articles which meet the following criteria:

* Key Words: Israel, Palestin\*, Gaza
* Sources: Al Jazeera (Qatar), BBC (UK), Fox News (US), NYTimes (US)
* Time Period: Jan 2023 – Present; pre-Oct 07th and post-Oct 07th classification?

We may adapt these criteria as the project evolves.

**Methods:** We will use topic modelling to explore the extent to which topic prevalence differs between different news outlets and how topic prevalence evolves over time. We will also use sentiment analysis to examine differences in sentiment used to describe the conflict by different news outlets.