

ISSUES TO BE RESOLVED IN THE MIDDLE EAST SUMMIT

1. The status of Israel – will the Arab countries recognize Israel's right to exist?
2. The issue of the homeland for the Palestinians. Questions include where it would be located, what its rights would be, and its relationship with Israel.
3. The status of the PLO and how to address its ongoing terrorist activity against Israel.
4. The status of the Israeli-controlled West Bank, which was formerly part of Jordan.
5. The status of the Golan Heights, which were formerly part of Syria.
6. The status of the Gaza Strip, which was formerly part of Egypt.
7. The relationship between Egypt, reviled for its recognition of Israel, and its fellow Arab nations.
8. The issue of control over the Jordan River's water. Lebanon and Syria would benefit greatly from getting control over the river's water supply, but Israel would suffer greatly.
9. Resolving the ongoing Iran-Iraq War.
10. Resolving the ongoing Israeli invasion of Lebanon.
11. Continued US access to nine million barrels of oil per day.
12. Avoiding nuclear war at all costs.