From June 1 to August 31, 2017, Program on Extremism researchers tracked, analyzed, and coded 397 pro-Islamic State (IS) channels containing English-language content on the messaging application Telegram.\(^1\)

1. For more information on the method researchers used, see the About page.
2. Telegram is not responsible for, and does not endorse IS-related content on its application.

The average number of channel members was 142. The most popular channel had 1,605 members.

### Channels Tracked

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### Channels by Type

- **80.4%** of channels were private (invite-only). **19.6%** were public channels.

### Popular Topics

- **59%** discussed IS military activities in Syria and Iraq.
- **39%** discussed IS affiliates’ activities in other areas of the world.
- **19%** discussed IS non-military activities (infrastructure, governance, etc.).
- **14%** discussed news and events in Europe or North America.
- **12%** discussed cybersecurity or information security.
- **10%** discussed IS attacks in Europe or North America.

#### English-language content only.

### IS Supporters Shared:

- **31,667 Photos**
- **13,320 Files & Documents**
- **11,944 URL Links**
- **4,417 Videos**
- **1,432 Audio Recordings**
- **472 Voice Messages**

### The Five Most-Used External File-Sharing Sites:

1. Youtube.com
2. Archive.org
3. Justpaste.it
4. Top4top.net
5. Drive.google.com

### About the Tracker

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