Jeremy Corbyn's Jewish Problem

Leftist anti-Semitism is inseparable from leftist economic doctrine.

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Britain's next prime minister might well be an anti-Semite. No one can say for certain whether Labour Party leader Jeremy Corbyn's anti-Semitism is a sincerely held prejudice or merely a matter of electoral calculation: there are now more than ten times as many Muslims in Britain as Jews, and it therefore makes electoral sense to appeal more to Muslims than to Jews. But either way, his failure to condemn anti-Semitism in his own party, his penchant for consorting in friendly fashion with extremist anti-Zionists of genocidal instincts, and his *City Journal*.