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Demolitions & Displacement in the occupied West Bank (including occupied East Jerusalem) and within the state of Israel



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101 Demolished structures - OPT	The entire village of al-Aragib (demolished twice) - Israel	65 Displaced people	2,328 Other Affected People
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Location	Date	Structures Demolished/ Confiscated	Displaced people	Affected people	Reason for Demolition stated by Israel ¹
Tatrit, Hebron	01 Dec 2022	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	2 adults	3 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Qalandiya, Jerusalem	01 Dec 2022	3 livelihood structures	0	4 adults, 6 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	04 Dec 2022	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Idhna, Hebron	05 Dec 2022	3 agricultural structures, 1 livelihood structure	0	12 adults, 10 children (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Tarqumiya, Hebron	05 Dec 2022	1 animal-related structure	0	5 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
al-Aragib, Naqab desert, South Israel	25 Dec 2022	Entire village	**unknown	**unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / unrecognised Bedouin village / 210 th time
Birin, Hebron	06 Dec 2022	1 stone wall (on agricultural land)	0	4 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Isfey al Fauka, Hebron	06 Dec 2022	2 tents (used as classrooms), 1 latrine	0	7 adults, 21 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C

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As Sawiya, Nablus	06 Nov 2022	1 livelihood structure	0	4 adults, 9 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Nahhalin, Bethlehem	06 Nov 2022	1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 8 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Walaja, Bethlehem	07 Dec 2022	1 stone wall, 1 concrete wall (on agricultural lands)	0	2 adults, 6 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Beit Hanina, East Jerusalem	07 Dec 2022	4 livelihood structures	0	12 adults, 8 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Wadi as Seeq, Ramallah	08 Dec 2022	5 inhabited residential structures, 4 livelihood structures, 1 uninhabited residential structure	8 adults, 17 children (4 households)	2 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jenin refugee camp, Jenin	08 Dec 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	1 adult, 3 children	0	Israeli Military operation / Area A
Sinjil, Ramallah	11 Dec 2022	150-m asphalted road (agricultural use)	0	1,050 adults, 700 children (250 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khirbet ad Deir, Bethlehem	12 Dec 2022	1 livelihood structure	0	3 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al 'isawiya, East Jerusalem	12 Dec 2022	1 uninhabited under-construction residential structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition

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Al Jiftlik- al Musaffah, Jericho	13 Dec 2022	1 inhabited residential structure, 4 livelihood structures, 1 uninhabited under-construction residential structure, 1 structure used as a resting room	9 adults, 3 children (2 households)	14 adults, 8 children (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli Military Firing Zone
Furush Beit Dajan, Nablus	13 Dec 2022	2 uninhabited under-construction residential structures	0	3 adults (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Jib, Jerusalem	13 Dec 2022	3 agricultural structures, 3 livelihood structures	0	13 adults, 11 children (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Umm ar Rihan, Jenin	14 Dec 2022	2 livelihood structures	0	4 adults, 6 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Husan, Bethlehem	14 Dec 2022	1 agricultural structure	0	3 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khallet al Foron, Hebron	15 Dec 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	1 adult	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
At Taybe, Hebron	15 Dec 2022	2 inhabited residential structures, 1 solar panel system	4 adults, 2 children (2 households)	3 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Az Za'ayem, Jerusalem	15 Dec 2022	3 animal-related structures	0	8 adults, 2 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C

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Hebron, Hebron	15 Dec 2022	1 uninhabited under-construction residential structure	0	2 adults, 6 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Az Za'ayem, Jerusalem	15 Dec 2022	3 animal-related structures	0	8 adults, 2 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	17 Dec 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 4 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Jericho, Jericho	19 Dec 2022	2 residential structures, 1 uninhabited under-construction residential structure, 1 swimming pool	0	11 adults, 9 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
At Tuwani, Hebron	20 Dec 2022	1 animal-related structure	0	4 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Silwan, East Jerusalem	20 Dec 2022	1 livelihood structure	0	3 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Susiya, Hebron	20 Dec 2022	6 agricultural structures	0	13 adults, 19 children (6 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Ma'in, Hebron	20 Dec 2022	1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 4 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khallet Athaba', Massafer Yatta, Hebron	20 Dec 2022	1 communal structure	0	46 adults, 38 children (15 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Firing Zone 918
Jinsafut, Qalqiliya	21 Dec 2022	1 livelihood structure	0	2 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C

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Wadi Fukin, Bethlehem	21 Dec 2022	1 agricultural pool, 870-m stone walls, 800-m irrigation water network, 400-m fence	0	15 adults, 13 children (5 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Battir, Bethlehem	21 Dec 2022	1 animal-related structure	0	6 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Deir Sharaf, Nablus	22 Dec 2022	2 livelihood structures, 100-m road	0	79 people (14 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
al-Aragib, Naqab desert, South Israel	25 Dec 2022	Entire village	**unknown	**unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / unrecognised Bedouin village / 211 th time
Abu Shusheh Bedouins, Jerusalem	26 Dec 2022	1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Hebron, Hebron	26 Dec 2022	1 livelihood structure, 1 water cistern, 1 concrete wall	0	2 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Muntar, Jerusalem	27 Dec 2022	3 agricultural structures	0	9 adults, 15 children (5 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Immatin, Qalqiliya	27 Dec 2022	1 livelihood structure	0	4 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Dura, Hebron	27 Dec 2022	1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Silwan, East Jerusalem	31 Dec 2022	1 livelihood structure	0	2 adults	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition

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Wadi al Joz, East Jerusalem	31 Dec 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults, 5 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
TOTAL		101 structures: 15 inhabited residential structures, 09 under-construction uninhabited residential structures, 02 WASH-related structures, 30 livelihood structures, 28 agricultural structures, 09 animal-related structures, 08 other structures	65 people displaced (of which 31 adults and 34 children confirmed)	2,328 affected (of which 1,292 adults and 954 children confirmed)	45 incidents on grounds of lacking an Israeli-issued building permit (of which in 05 incidents the structure was Self-Demolished by the owner) and 01 incident in which the structure was demolished during an Israeli military operation
		101	65	2,328	46

Notes:

¹. There are four categories of demolitions:

1. Punitive demolitions: Houses demolished as punishment for the actions of people associated with the houses.
2. Administrative demolitions: Houses demolished for lack of a building permit. This happens in Area C and in East Jerusalem, under exclusive Israeli authority, though prior to the existence of Areas A, B & C it occurred in other areas as well. It is important to point out that in almost all cases, Palestinians have no choice but to build "illegally" as permits are rarely granted
3. Land-clearing operations/Military demolitions: Houses demolished by the IDF in the course of military operations for the purposes of clearing off a piece of land (for whatever reason), achieve a military goal or to kill wanted persons as part of Israel's policy of extrajudicial executions..
4. Undefined demolitions: These include mainly demolitions resulting from land-clearing operations and removal of Palestinian populations.

* WASH stands for structures relating to water, sanitation and hygiene.

† In many cases, notably in East Jerusalem, Israeli authorities condition Palestinians to either demolish their properties themselves or have the authorities do so. In an attempt to avoid having to pay the high fee of the Israeli authorities' demolition operation and additional high fines, many Palestinians are forced to self-demolish.

** No additional information was available

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