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



March 2021 Report

58 Demolished Structures - OPT	4 Demolished structures (and the entire village of al Aragib demolished twice) - Israel	93 Displaced People	220 Other Affected People
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Location	Date	Structures Demolished/ Confiscated	Displaced people	Affected people	Reason for Demolition stated by Israel ¹
Fasayil al Wusta, Jericho	1 Mar 2021	2 animal-related structures, 1 mobile latrine unit	0	10 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Ras al 'Amud, East Jerusalem	1 Mar 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 3 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Al 'Isawiya, Jerusalem	1 Mar 2021	1 under-construction residential structure	0	4 adults, 3 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Zif, Hebron	2 Mar 2021	1 animal-related structure	0	9 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Self-Demolition
Beit Jala, Bethlehem	2 Mar 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults, 1 child	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Closed Military Zone
Khallet Athaba', Hebron	2 Mar 2021	1 under-construction residential structure, 1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 4 children	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Military Firing Zone

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At Tuwani, Hebron	2 Mar 2021	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 latrine unit	2 adults, 7 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Military Firing Zone
Battir, Bethlehem	2 Mar 2021	1 under-construction residential structure	0	8 adults, 2 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Ar'ara An-Nagab, Naqab desert, South Israel	3 Mar 2021	1 structure	Unknown**	Unknown**	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Bedouin township
Shu'fat refugee camp, East Jerusalem	3 Mar 2021	1 under-construction residential structure, 1 livelihood structure	0	6 adults, 4 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Qalqiliya, Qalqiliya	3 Mar 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	13 adults, 7 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Khadr, Bethlehem	4 Mar 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	3 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al 'Isawiya, East Jerusalem	4 Mar 2021	2 inhabited residential structures	4 adults, 8 children (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit/ East Jerusalem
Al 'Isawiya, East Jerusalem	6 Mar 2021	1 residential structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Bani Na'im, Hebron	8 Mar 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure, 1 water cistern	0	2 adults, 10 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C

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Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	8 Mar 2021	1 toilet, 1 animal-related structure	0	4 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Isteih, Jericho	8 Mar 2021	3 residential structures	0	6 adults, 10 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared archaeological area
Ein Shibli, Nablus	10 Mar 2021	2 livelihood structures (consisting of 8 stores; the 3 families moved in to try and prevent the demolition)	9 adults, 8 children (3 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Um Gibou, Naqab desert, South Israel	11 Mar 2021	1 structure	Unknown**	Unknown**	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Unrecognised Bedouin village / Self-Demolition
al-Aragib, Naqab desert, South Israel	11 Mar 2021	Entire village demolished	Unknown**	Unknown**	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Unrecognised Bedouin village 185 th demolition
Az-Zarnug, Naqab desert, South Israel	11 Mar 2021	1 structure	Unknown**	Unknown**	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Unrecognised Bedouin village / Self-Demolition
She'b al-Batem, Hebron	11 Mar 2021	1 Water supply line	0	40 households (from the She'b al-Batem and Qawawis communities)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit/ Area C

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Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	14 Mar 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	4 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Halhul, Hebron	15 Mar 2021	1 animal-related structure	0	6 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit/ Area C
Silwan, East Jerusalem	15 Mar 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults, 1 child	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit/ East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Khirbet Tana, Nablus	17 Mar 2021	5 inhabited residential structures, 3 livelihood structures	6 adults, 12 children (4 households)	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Military Zone
Az Za'ayyem Za'atreh herders, Jerusalem	17 Mar 2021	2 inhabited residential structures	4 people (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khallet Athaba', Hebron	17 Mar 2021	1 agricultural structure	0	3 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Firing Zone
An Nuwei'ma Al-Fauqa Bedouins, Jericho	17 Mar 2021	11 uninhabited residential structures	0	38 adults, 28 children (11 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Firing Zone
Al Lagia, Naqab desert, South Israel	18 Mar 2021	1 structure	Unknown**	unknown**	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Bedouin township
Al 'Isawiya, East Jerusalem	21 Mar 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition

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Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	24 Mar 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults, 3 children (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
al-Aragib, Naqab desert, South Israel	25 Mar 2021	Entire village demolished	Unknown**	Unknown**	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Unrecognised Bedouin village / 186 th demolition
Wadi al Joz, East Jerusalem	28 Mar 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 3 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Ras al 'Amud, East Jerusalem	29 Mar 2021	1 under-construction residential structure	0	3 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
TOTAL		62 structures: 17 inhabited residential structures, 21 uninhabited residential structure, 5 WASH-related structures, 9 livelihood structures, 1 agricultural structure, 5 animal-related structures, 4 structures (type unknown), and the entire village of al aragib (unknown number of structures)	93 people displaced (of which 39 adults and 50 children confirmed)	220 people affected (of which 110 adults and 94 children confirmed), and 40 families (unknown number of people)	35 incidents on grounds of lacking an Israeli-issued building permit, of which, in 10 incidents the structures were Self-Demolished by the owner/s
		62	93	220	35

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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