

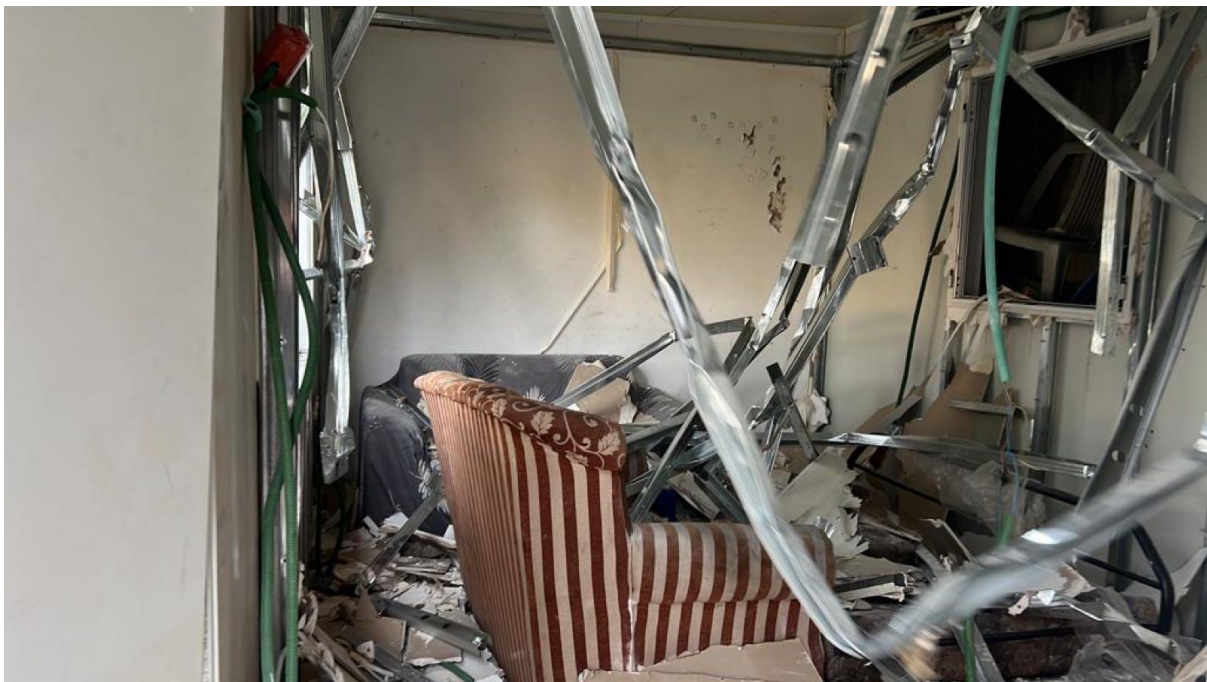


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## **Demolitions & Displacement in the occupied West Bank (including occupied East Jerusalem) and within the state of Israel**

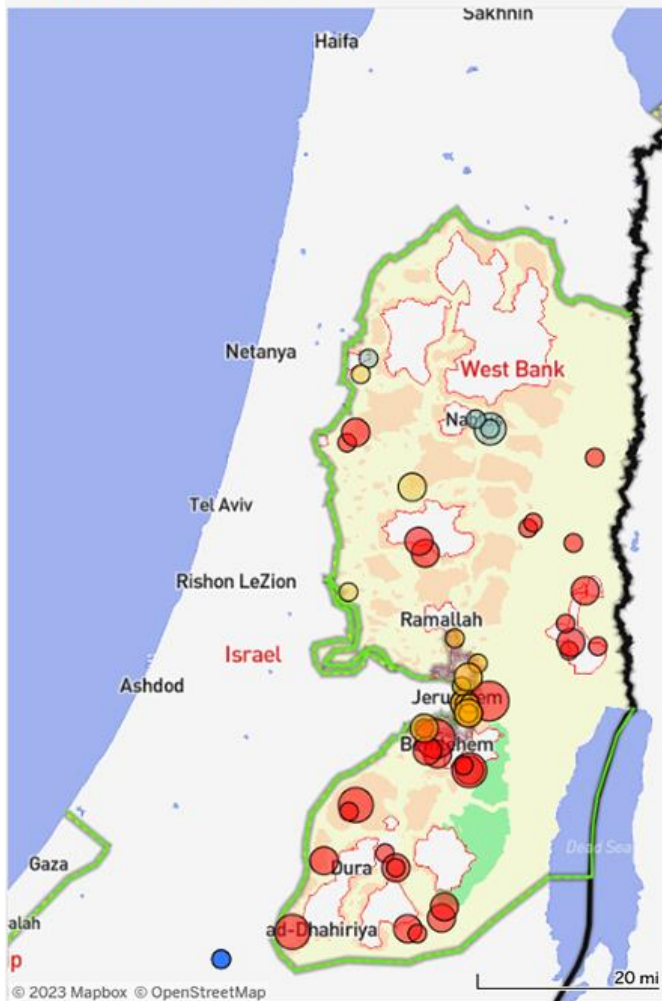


*Demolished house, Silwan, East Jerusalem 24 May 2023, OCHA oPT*

### **May 2023 Report**

## House demolition report from May 2023

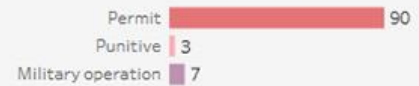
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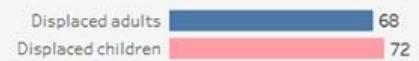
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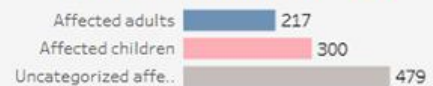
### "REASONS"



### DISPLACED PERSONS - 144



### AFFECTED PERSONS - 996



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100 Demolished structures - OPT	The entire village of al-Araqib - Israel	151 Displaced people	534 Other Affected People
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Location	Date	Structures Demolished/ Confiscated	Displaced people	Affected people	Reason for Demolition stated by Israel <sup>1</sup>
al-Araqib, Naqab desert, South Israel	01 May 2023	Entire village	*unknown	*unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Unrecognised Bedouin village (216 <sup>th</sup> demolition)
Shu'fat refugee camp, East Jerusalem	03 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 retaining wall	7 adults, 4 children (2 households)	9 adults, 12 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Hajja, Qalqiliya	03 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 structure used for storage	3 adults, 4 children	0	Punitive Demolition / Area C
Haris, Salfit	03 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 retaining wall	3 adults, 4 children	9 people	Punitive Demolition / Area B
Al Walaja, Bethlehem	04 May 2023	1 agricultural structure, 1 livelihood structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Sheikh Jarrah, East Jerusalem	04 May 2023	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	4 adults, 9 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Nablus, Nablus	04 May 2023	1 residential structure	0	10 adults, 8 children (3 households)	Israeli Military Operation / Area A
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	06 May 2023	2 inhabited residential structures	3 adults, 4 children (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition

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Ras al 'Amud, East Jerusalem	07 May 2023	1 under-construction uninhabited structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Jubbet adh Dhib, Bethlehem	07 May 2023	1 school, 1 structure used as a kitchen, 1 bathroom, 1 water transmission pipeline	0	8 adults, 40 children and 468 people (84 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al 'Auja, Jericho	07 May 2023	2 under-construction uninhabited residential structures	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
An Nuwei'ma Al-Fauka Bedouins, Jericho	07 May 2023	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	2 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Jiftlik-al Mussafah, Jericho	07 May 2023	1 residential structure	0	5 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Fasayil, Jericho	07 May 2023	1 agricultural structure	0	3 adults	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	07 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Al Fureidis, Bethlehem	07 May 2023	1 livelihood structure	0	7 adults, 15 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Hizma, East Jerusalem	08 May 2023	1 livelihood structure	0	6 adults, 6 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem

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Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	09 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	0	4 adults, 2 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Ein ad Duyuk at Tahta, Jericho	10 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 uninhabited under-construction residential structure	4 people	2 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Umm ad Daraj, Hebron	10 May 2023	1 livelihood structure, 1 retaining wall	0	3 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jubbet adh Dhib, Bethlehem	10 May 2023	2 structures used as classrooms for a school	0	8 adults, 40 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Isteih, Jericho	10 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	10 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 agricultural structure	4 adults, 5 children (2 households)	4 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit
Silwan, East Jerusalem	10 May 2023	1 livelihood structure	0	2 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Kafr 'Aqab, East Jerusalem	10 May 2023	1 livelihood structure	0	4 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Balata refugee camp, Nablus	13 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	0	7 people	Israeli Military Operation/ Area A
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	14 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition

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Khallet al Eyadeh, Hebron	15 May 2023	100-mt stone wall (agricultural use)	0	8 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Wadi al Jimel, Jerusalem	15 May 2023	2 inhabited residential structures, 1 animal-related structure, 1 agricultural structure, 1 livelihood structure, 1 mobile latrine	3 adults, 1 child (2 households)	4 adults, 10 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jayyus, Qalqiliya	15 May 2023	2 agricultural structures	0	9 adults, 7 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Umm Fagarah, Hebron	15 May 2023	1 water cistern (agricultural use)	0	4 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli Military Firing Zone 918
Beit Ula, Hebron	16 May 2023	1 agricultural structure	0	3 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli Military Firing Zone 935 (inactive)
Al Khader, Bethlehem	16 May 2023	1 animal-related structure, 1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Nuba, Hebron	16 May 2023	3 agricultural structures, 1 latrine	0	7 adults, 10 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli Military Firing Zone 935 (inactive)
Silwan, East Jerusalem	17 May 2023	2 inhabited residential structures	17 adults, 22 children (7 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem

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An Nabi Elyas, Qalqiliya	17 May 2023	1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khirbet al Marajim, Nablus	18 May 2023	1 agricultural structure	0	4 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Duma, Hebron	18 May 2023	100-mt stone wall (agricultural use)	0	4 adults, 11 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khirbet at Tayyah, Tulkarm	19 May 2023	1 livelihood structure	0	16 people	Israeli Military Operation / Area B
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	20 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 4 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Deir as Sudan, Ramallah	22 May 2023	2 agricultural structures	0	20 adults, 9 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Umm Safa, Ramallah	22 May 2023	2 agricultural structures	0	9 adults, 10 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	22 May 2023	1 residential inhabited structure	0	2 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Umm al Kheir, Hebron	22 May 2023	2 water cisterns (agricultural use)	0	8 adults, 10 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli Military Firing Zone 918



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Ma'in, Hebron	22 May 2023	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure, 1 agricultural structure	0	5 adults, 6 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Balata refugee camp, Nablus	22 May 2023	3 inhabited residential structures	14 adults, 20 children (6 households)	10 adults, 5 children (2 households)	Israeli Military Operation / Area A
Silwan, East Jerusalem	23 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 3 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Ni'lin, Ramallah	23 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure	5 adults, 1 child	7 adults, 4 children (2 households)	Punitive Demolition / Area B
Iqtait, Hebron	24 May 2023	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 swimming pool, 1 water cistern, 1 retaining wall	2 adults, 4 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	24 May 2023	1 agricultural structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Beit Jala, Bethlehem	24 May 2023	1 animal-related structure, 4 livelihood structures, 1 structure used for storage	0	9 adults, 14 children (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Walaja, Bethlehem	24 May 2023	1 livelihood structure	0	5 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khallet al Eyadeh, Hebron	24 May 2023	2 livelihood structures	0	15 adults, 23 children (5 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C



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Silwan, East Jerusalem	27 May 2023	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure, 1 residential structure	0	7 adults, 1 child (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Hebron, Hebron	29 May 2023	1 residential structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Deir Samit, Hebron	29 May 2023	1 water cistern, 1 structure used for storage	0	3 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Self-Demolition
Artas, Bethlehem	29 May 2023	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure, 1 water cistern	0	6 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Sama Ariha, Jericho	29 May 2023	1 residential structure	*unknown	*unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
al- Araqib, Naqab desert, South Israel	30 May 2023	Entire village	*unknown	*unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Unrecognised Bedouin village (217 <sup>th</sup> demolition)
Nur Shams refugee camp, Tulkarm	30 May 2023	1 livelihood structure	0	3 adults, 4 children	Israeli military Operation / Area A

TOTAL		100 structures: 29 residential structures, 09 under-construction uninhabited residential structures, 07 WASH structures, 16 livelihood structures, 24 agricultural structures, 03 animal-related structures, 12 other structures	151 people displaced (of which 76 adults and 71 children confirmed)	527 affected (of which 217 adults and 264 children confirmed)	52 incidents on grounds of lacking an Israeli-issued building permit (of which in 11 incidents the structure was Self-Demolished by the owner), 05 incidents occurred during an Israeli military operation, and 03 incidents were a punitive act
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Notes:

<sup>1</sup>. 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

*Above data is from the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs, Negev Coexistence Forum for Civil Equality, B'Tselem*