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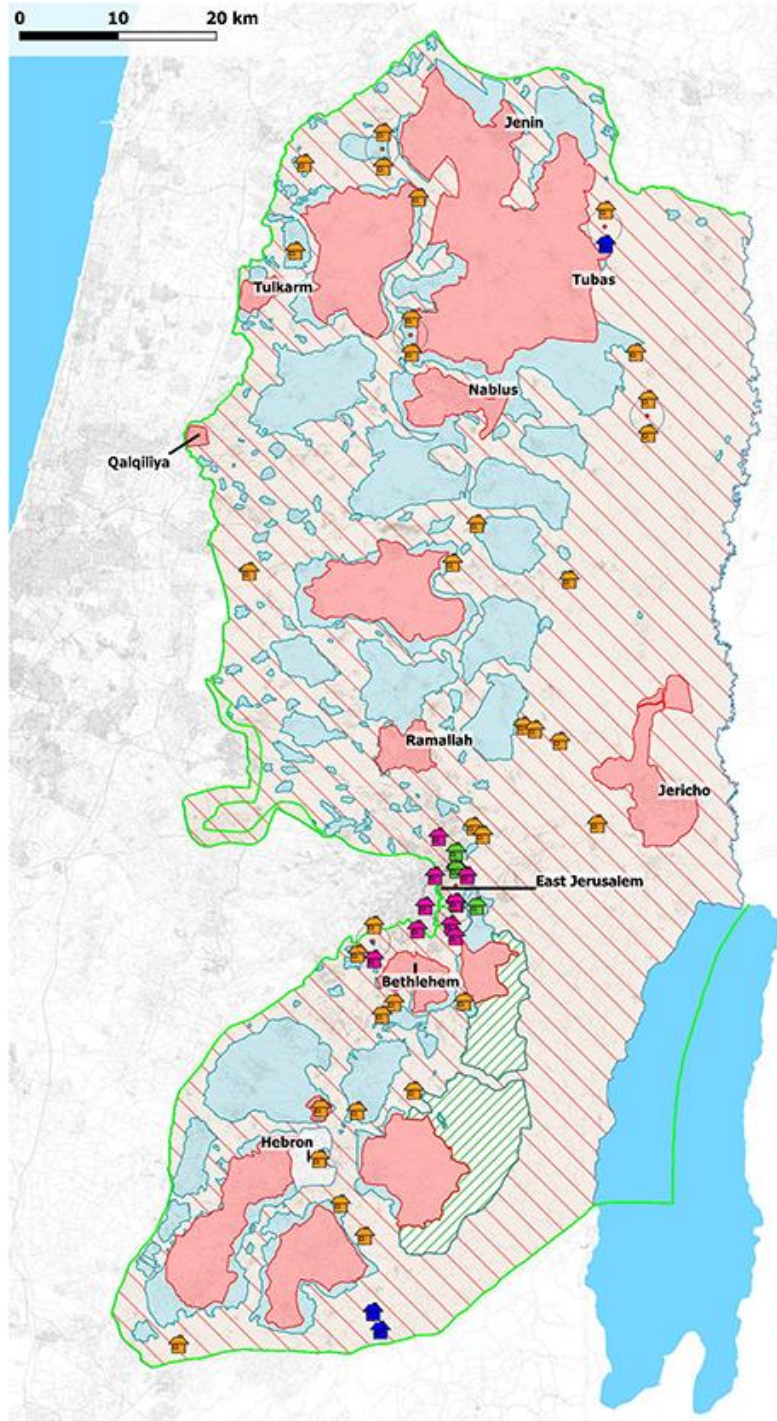
**Resisting Apartheid, Building a Shared Democracy**

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



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**August 2021 Report**



**"Reasons" for demolitions**

-  Lack of Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
-  Israeli-declared Military Firing Zone
-  Lack of Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem
-  Lack of Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem Self-Demolition

**Palestinian Bantustans**

-  Area A : Full Palestinian control
-  Area B : Palestinian civil Israeli security control
-  Area C : Full Israeli control
-  Natural Reserves
-  GREEN LINE

**Jerusalem area**



**Sources**

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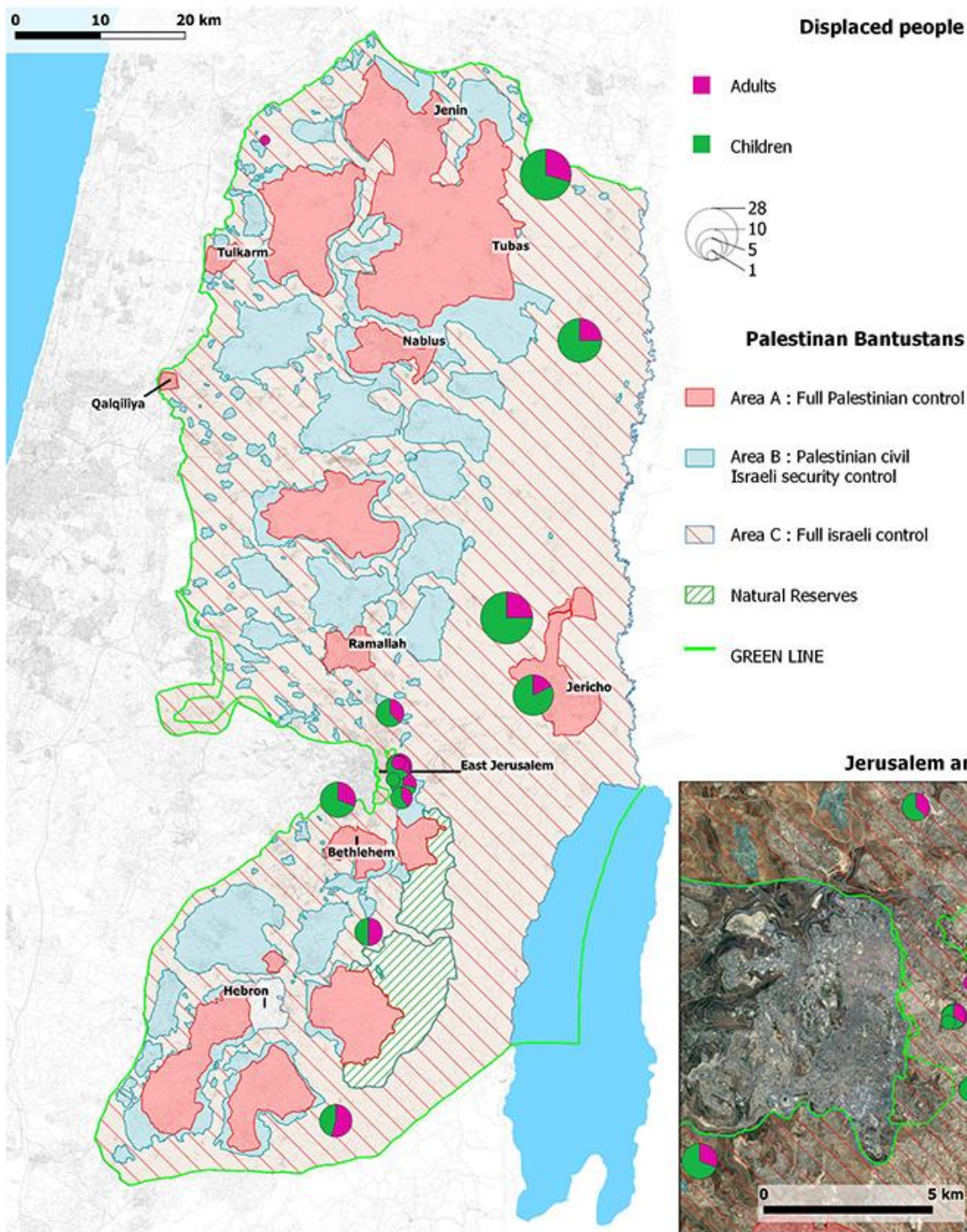
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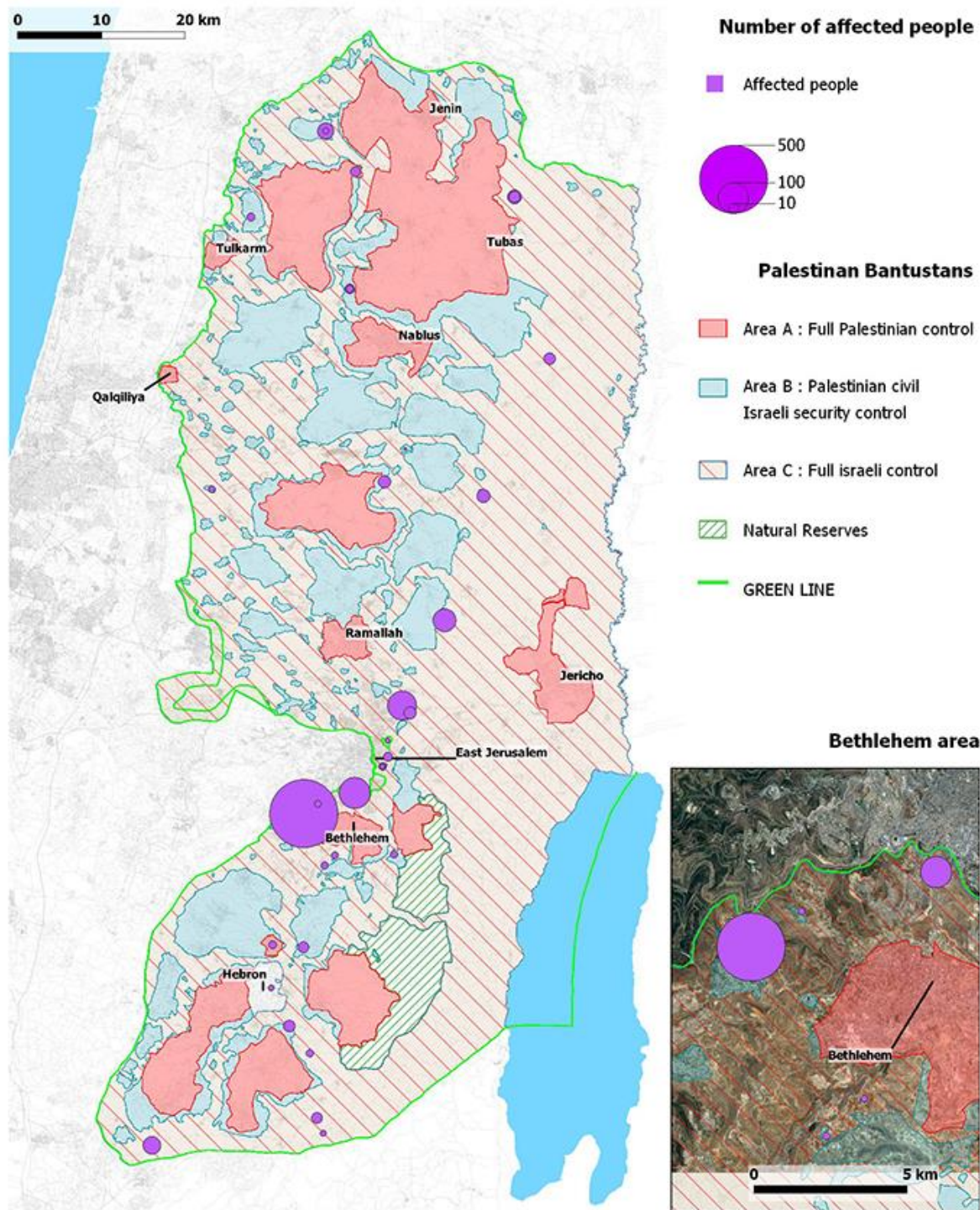
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125 Demolished Structures - OPT	0 - Israel	177 Displaced People	1,075 Other Affected People
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Location	Date	Structures Demolished/ Confiscated	Displaced people	Affected people	Reason for Demolition stated by Israel <sup>1</sup>
Humsa- Al Farsheh, Nablus	04 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	5 adults, 15 children (3 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Ibziq, Tubas	04 Aug 2021	6 inhabited residential structures, 11 animal-related structures	8 adults, 19 children (3 households)	21 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Military Firing Zone
Al 'Isawiya, East Jerusalem	04 Aug 2021	1 uninhabited under-construction residential structure	0	3 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Wadi Rahhal, Bethlehem	04 Aug 2021	1 agricultural structure, 1 water cistern	0	6 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Hizma, Jerusalem	04 Aug 2021	13 livelihood structures	0	50 adults, 41 children (15 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Sabastiya, Nablus	04 Aug 2021	1 concrete floor (50-m-2) and pergola (20m2)	0	2 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khirbet an Nahla, Bethlehem	04 Aug 2021	1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Zra'Awad, Jordan Valley	04 Aug 2021	1 concrete structure	0	9 adults, 6 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Ganoub, Hebron	05 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults, 4 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Sa'ir, Hebron	05 Aug 2021	2 uninhabited under-construction residential structures, 2 water cisterns	0	7 adults, 6 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C

Al Mu'arrajat Centre, Ramallah	05 Aug 2021	3 inhabited residential structures, 2 animal-related structures, 1 solar power	7 adults, 21 children (3 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al-Ka'abaneh, Jericho	05 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	3 adults, 14 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Dar Faza'a, Ramallah	05 Aug 2021	4 water cisterns	0	57 people (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Ramon al Mu'arrajat	05 Aug 2021	4 water wells	0	12 families	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
At Tur, East Jerusalem	09 Aug 2021	1 under-construction residential structure, 1 under-construction livelihood structure	0	5 adults, 4 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Ya'bad, Jenin	09 Aug 2021	3 livelihood structures	0	16 adults, 12 children (7 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Arraba, Jenin	09 Aug 2021	1 water reservoir	0	7 adults, 4 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Silwan, East Jerusalem	10 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	5 adults, 2 children (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Battir, Bethlehem	10 Aug 2021	1 road (for agricultural use)	0	500 people (100 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Shu'fat, East Jerusalem	11 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure (divided into 4 housing units)	15 people (4 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Al Walaja, Bethlehem	11 Aug 2021	1 animal-related structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem

Khallet Athaba', Hebron	11 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 water cistern, 1 agricultural structure, 1 latrine	6 adults, 5 children	5 adults, 8 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Firing Zone
Khirbet al Fakheit, Hebron	11 Aug 2021	3 animal-related structures	0	3 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C / Israeli-declared Firing Zone
Al Buweib, Hebron	11 Aug 2021	2 livelihood structures, 1 toilet, 2 water cisterns	0	4 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Al Lubban ash Sharqiya, Nablus	11 Aug 2021	2 livelihood structures	0	12 adults, 5 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Silwan, East Jerusalem	15 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 4 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
At Tur, East Jerusalem	15 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Deir Ballut, Salfit	16 Aug 2021	1 agricultural structure	0	5 people	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Khirbet 'Atuf, Jordan Valley	16 Aug 2021	1 agricultural structure, 1 dirt road (for agricultural use)	0	*unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Yatma, Nablus	17 Aug 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	17 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 3 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem

Beit Safafa, East Jerusalem	17 Aug 2021	1 structure used as a kindergarten	0	12 adults, 93 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Ya'bad, Jenin	18 Aug 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	3 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Za'tara, Bethlehem	18 Aug 2021	1 agricultural structure	0	5 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Halhul, Hebron	18 Aug 2021	1 agricultural structure, 1 mobile latrine	0	7 people	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Qaffin, Tulkarm	18 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	1 adult	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Sabastiya, Nablus	23 Aug 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	3 adults, 7 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Tublas, Jerusalem	23 Aug 2021	2 agricultural structures	0	5 adults, 11 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Deir al Ghusun, Tulkarm	24 Aug 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	6 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Khirbet ar Rahwa, Hebron	24 Aug 2021	5 animal-related structures	0	13 adults, 21 children (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Al Walaja, Bethlehem	25 Aug 2021	2 inhabited residential structures	4 adults, 9 children (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Hebron, Hebron	25 Aug 2021	2 livelihood structures	0	2 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Aza'tot, Hebron	25 Aug 2021	1 under- construction mosque, 1 water cistern, 1 latrine unit	0	4 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Ras al 'Amud, East Jerusalem	25 Aug 2021	1 under- construction residential structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / East Jerusalem



Khalet al-Furn, Hebron	25 Aug 2021	120-m agricultural terraces	0	8 adults, 7 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Beit Hanina, East Jerusalem	26 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	3 adults, 5 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Silwan, East Jerusalem	27 Aug 2021	1 extension to a residential structure	2 children	3 adults	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	30 Aug 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 5 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self-Demolition
Silwan, East Jerusalem	31 Aug 2021	3-m stone wall (for agricultural use)	0	2 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / East Jerusalem
Duma, Nablus	31 Aug 2021	2 agricultural structures, 1 water reservoir, 2 stone walls	0	9 adults, 10 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Ibziq, Tubas	31 Aug 2021	3 animal-related structures	0	8 adults, 6 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
TOTAL		125 structures: 24 inhabited residential structures, 6 uninhabited residential structure, 19 WASH-related structures, 26 livelihood structures, 17 agricultural structures, 25 animal-related structures, 8 other structures	177 people displaced (of which 54 adults and 108 children confirmed)	1,075 people affected (of which 209 adults and 267 children confirmed)	51 incidents on grounds of lacking an Israeli-issued building permit, of which, in 7 incidents the structure was Self-Demolished by the owner/s
		125	177	1,075	51

## 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

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