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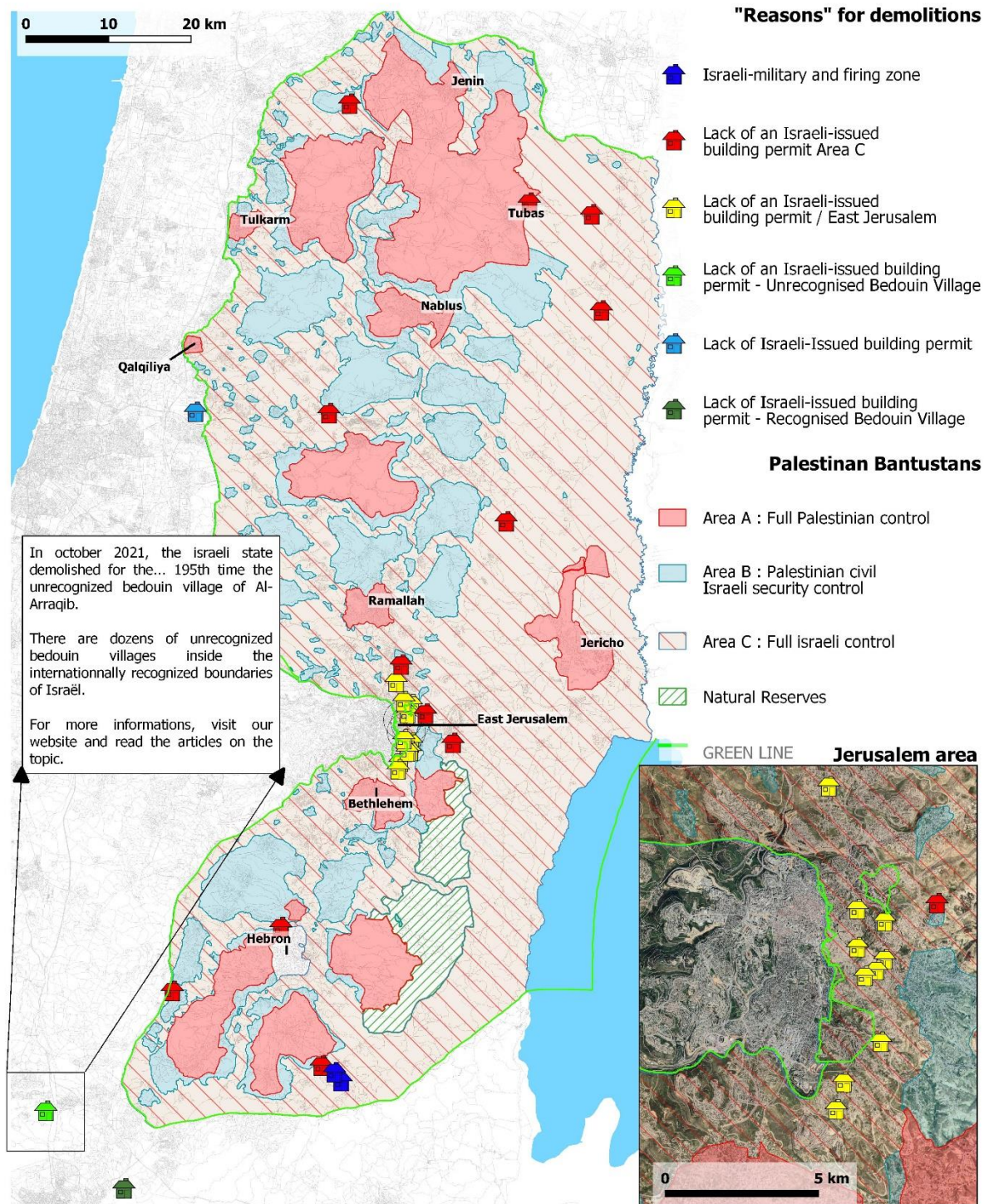
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Demolitions & Displacement in the occupied West Bank
(including occupied East Jerusalem)
and within the state of Israel



Demolition of the solidarity tent in Umm Fagarah, 'Eid Hazalin

October 2021 Report

**Sources**

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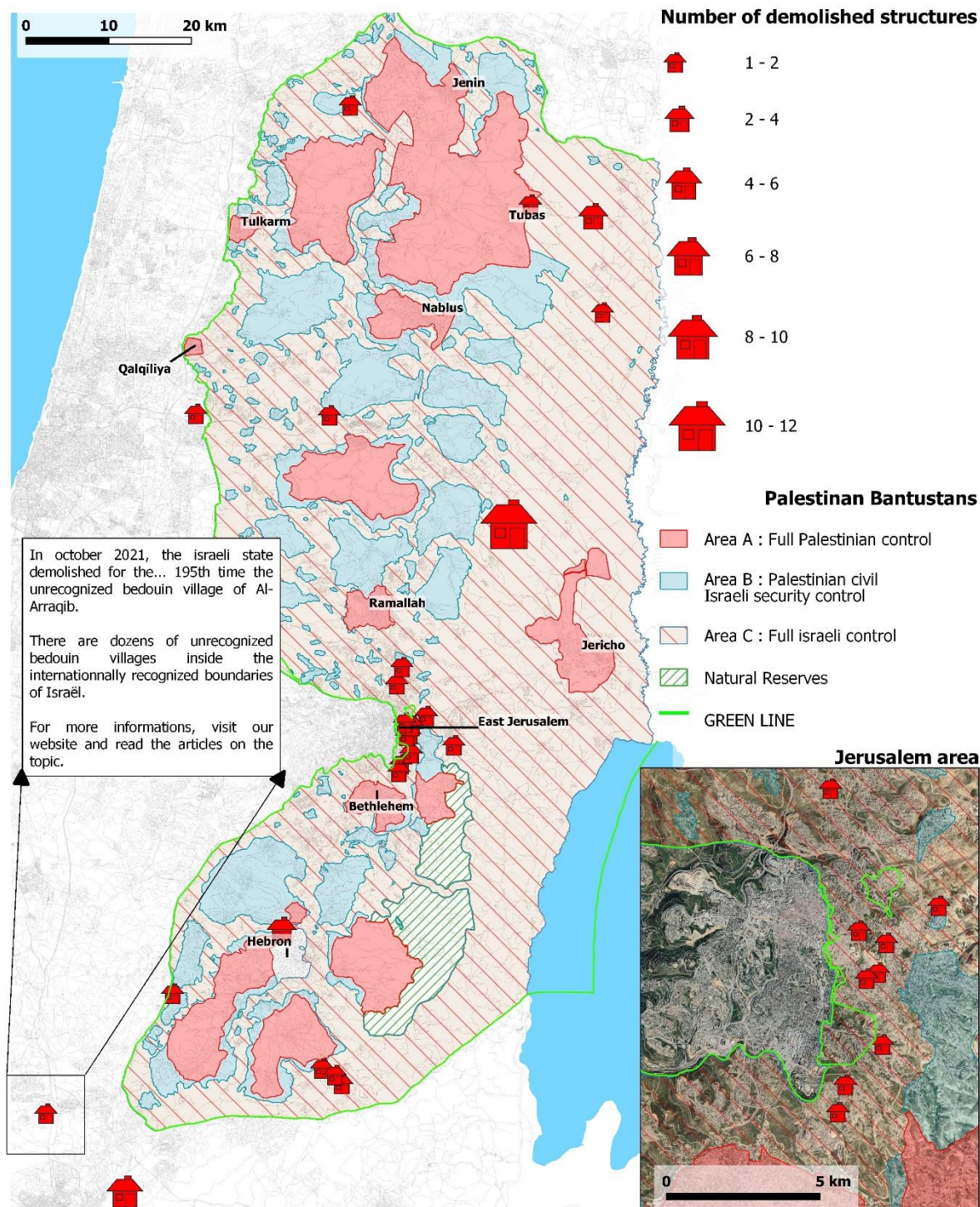
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Reasons given by Israel for October 2021 demolitions



Number of structures demolished by Israel by region in October 2021

40 Demolished Structures - OPT	07 Demolished Structures (and the entire village of al Araqib) - Israel	08 Displaced people	1,931 Other Affected People
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Location	Date	Structures Demolished/ Confiscated	Displaced people	Affected people	Reason for Demolition stated by Israel ¹
Ath Thuri, East Jerusalem	01 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	1 adult, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Sur Bahir, East Jerusalem	02 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	1 adult	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Jabal al Mukabbir, East Jerusalem	03 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	1 adult, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Beit Hanina, East Jerusalem	03 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	2 adults, 6 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Ras al 'Amud, East Jerusalem	04 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Ma'in, Hebron	06 Oct 2021	1 agricultural structure	0	2 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Az Za'ayyem Za'atreh Herders, Jerusalem	07 Oct 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults (2 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Kafr Qassem, Central Israel	11 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	**unknown	**unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Self-Demolition

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Abu Nuwar, Jerusalem	12 Oct 2021	1 structure used as a kitchen	0	2 adults, 6 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Haris, Salfit	12 Oct 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	14 people (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building / Area C
Ar Ram & Dahiyat al Bareed, Jerusalem	13 Oct 2021	2 livelihood structures	0	7 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C / Self-Demolition
Ras al Tin, Ramallah	14 Oct 2021	8 residential structures, 3 mobile latrines, 1 animal-related structure	0	24 adults, 26 children (7 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Sikka, Hebron	18 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure	0	3 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Area C
Farsh Alhawa, Hebron	18 Oct 2021	1 under-construction uninhabited residential structure, 1 water cistern, 1 retaining wall	0	2 adults	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Tayasir, Tubas	18 Oct 2021	1 road (agricultural use)	0	350 people (58 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Ya'bad, Jenin	19 Oct 2021	1 newly paved road	0	120 people (20 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Silwan, East Jerusalem	20 Oct 2021	1 livelihood structure, 1 retaining wall	0	9 adults, 3 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem
Umm Tuba, East Jerusalem	20 Oct 2021	1 livelihood structure	0	2 adults, 3 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem

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At Tur, East Jerusalem	20 Oct 2021	1 uninhabited under-construction residential structure	0	2 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Wadi al Joz, East Jerusalem	22 Oct 2021	1 extension to a residential structure	0	7 adults, 3 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Khallet Athaba', Hebron	25 Oct 2021	1 water network	0	575 adults, 569 children (214 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C / Israeli-declared Firing Zone
Umm Fagarah, Hebron	25 Oct 2021	1 tent (used as a night watch and solidarity tent)	0	62 adults, 42 children (22 households)	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C / Israeli-declared Firing Zone
Hammamat al Maleh, Tubas	25 Oct 2021	1 structure with 2 rooms: one a classroom and the other a clinic, 1 structure used to provide shade for a school's playground	0	7 adults, 50 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C
Wadi al Joz, East Jerusalem	26 Oct 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 2 children	0	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /East Jerusalem /Self-Demolition
Humsa al-Foqa, Jordan Valley	27 Oct 2021	1 barbed wire fence, support pillars (for residential use)	0	7 adults, 7 children	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit /Area C

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Umm Batin (recognised village) and Tel as-Saba'a (recognised township), Naqab desert, South Israel	27 Oct 2021	5 inhabited residential structures	5 households	**unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / recognised Bedouin village
al Araqib, Naqab desert, South Israel	28 Oct 2021	Entire village	**unknown	**unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit / Unrecognised Bedouin village / 194th time
Lod, Central Israel	31 Oct 2021	1 inhabited residential structure	**unknown	**unknown	Lack of an Israeli-issued building permit
TOTAL		47 structures: 16 inhabited residential structures, 9 under-construction uninhabited residential structure, 5 WASH-related structures, 5 livelihood structures, 4 agricultural structures, 1 animal-related structure, 7 other structures	08 people displaced (of which 6 adults and 2 children confirmed)	1,931 people affected (of which 718 adults and 729 children confirmed)	28 incidents on grounds of lacking an Israeli-issued building permit, of which, in 10 incidents the structure was Self-Demolished by the owner/s

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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