

Resisting Apartheid, Building a Shared Democracy

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



Demolition, residential house, Deir Samit, 6 October 2022

October 2022 Report

44 Demolished	0 -	76 Displaced	170 Other Affected
structures -	Israel	people	People
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Location	Date	Structures Demolished/ Confiscated	Displaced people	Affected people	Reason for Demolition stated by Israel ¹
Wadi as Seeq, Ramallah	03 Oct 2022	4 inhabited residential structures, 4 agricultural structures, 1 mobile latrine, 1 solar panel system	12 adults, 19 children (6 households)	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Khallet Al Eyadeh, Hebron	03 Oct 2022	1 inhabited residential structure, 1 water cistern	3 adults, 8 children	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Kafr ad Dik, Salfit	03 Oct 2022	1 livelihood structure	0	2 adults	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Beit 'Einun, Hebron	03 Oct 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 4 children	2 adults, 1 child	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Ar Rifa'iyya, Hebron	03 Oct 2022	1 under- construction uninhabited residential structure	0	2 adults, 2 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Sur Bahir, East Jerusalem	04 Oct 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	4 adults, 4 children	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self- Demolition
Khallet Taha, Hebron	06 Oct 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	5 adults, 6 children	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Wadi al Joz, East Jerusalem	08 Oct 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self- Demolition

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Susiya, Hebron	10 Oct 2022	1 agricultural structure	0	3 adults, 4 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Sur Bahir, East Jerusalem	13 Oct 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 1 child	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Self- Demolition / East Jerusalem
Deir Samit, Hebron	20 Oct 2022	1 under- construction uninhabited residential structure	0	6 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
An Nabi Musa, Jericho	24 Oct 2022	2 animal-related structures	0	5 adults, 13 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C / Israeli Military Firing Zone
Al Jwaya, Hebron	25 Oct 2022	2 residential structures	0	8 adults, 7 children (2 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Bani Na'im, Hebron	25 Oct 2022	1 under- construction uninhabited residential structure	0	4 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Wadi Juheisha, Hebron	25 Oct 2022	5 agricultural structures	0	10 adults, 14 children (5 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Old City, East Jerusalem	26 Oct 2022	1 inhabited residential structure	2 adults, 2 children	0	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self- Demolition
Ein ad Duyuk at Tahta, Jericho	26 Oct 2022	1 residential structure, 2 under-construction uninhabited residential structures	0	8 adults, 12 children (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C

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Al Mashru' Bedouins, Jericho	26 Oct 2022	3 under- construction uninhabited residential structures, 1 residential structure, 1 pool	0	8 people (4 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Qusin, Nablus	26 Oct 2022	1 agricultural structure	0	8 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
As Suwwana, Jerusalem	27 Oct 2022	1 under- construction uninhabited residential structure	0	2 adults, 5 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / East Jerusalem / Self- Demolition
Al Baqa'a, Hebron	31 Oct 2022	1 residential structure	0	7 adults, 11 children (3 households)	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
Umm Lasafa, Hebron	31 Oct 2022	1 under- construction uninhabited residential structure	0	5 adults, 6 children	Lack of an Israeli- issued building permit / Area C
TOTAL		44 structures: 16 inhabited residential structures, 10 under- construction uninhabited residential structures, 02 WASH structures, 01 livelihood structure, 11 agricultural structures, 02 animal-related structures, 02 other structures	76 people displaced (of which 32 adults and 44 children confirmed)	170 people affected (of which 72 adults and 90 children confirmed)	22 incidents on grounds of lacking an Israeli- issued building permit (of which in 05 incidents the structure was Self-Demolished by the owner)

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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