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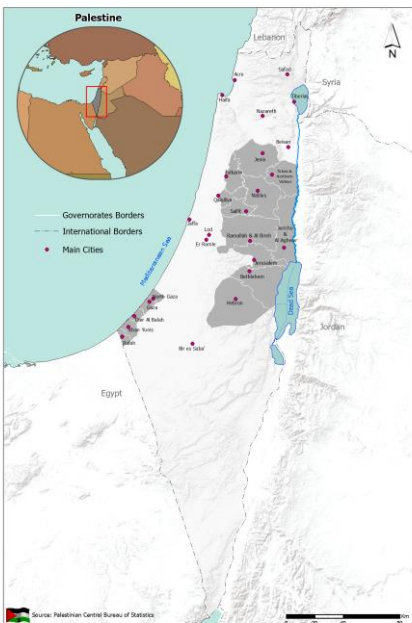
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## Selected Indicators by Region

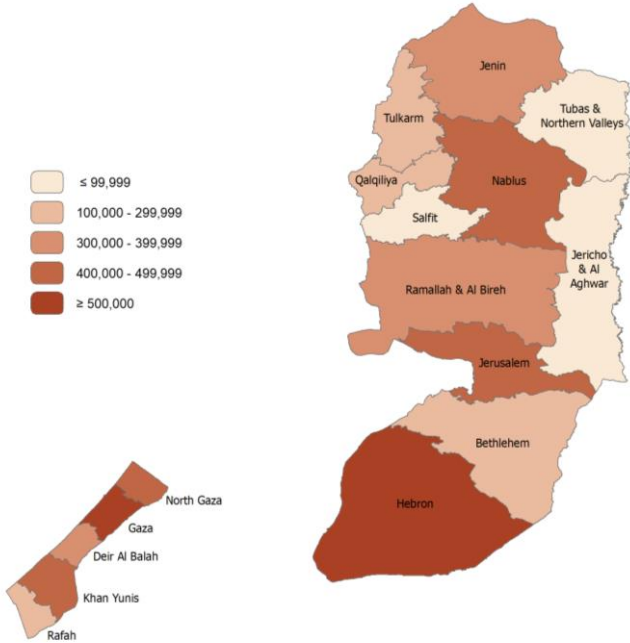
Indicator	Year	Palestine	West Bank	Gaza Strip
Number of Population, End Year	<b>2022</b>	<b>5,419,053</b>	3,222,646	2,196,407
Males	<b>2022</b>	<b>2,753,535</b>	1,640,796	1,112,739
Females	<b>2022</b>	<b>2,665,518</b>	1,581,850	1,083,668
Population Density (Capita/km <sup>2</sup> ), End Year	<b>2022</b>	<b>899</b>	569	6,019
Percentage of Population Below 15 Years, End Year	<b>2022</b>	<b>37.6</b>	35.3	40.5
Average Household Size	<b>2021</b>	<b>5.0</b>	4.7	5.6
Unemployment Rate for Population Participated in the labour force Aged 15 Years and Over	<b>2022</b>	<b>24.4</b>	13.1	45.3
Students per Class at Basic Stage	<b>2022/2021</b>	<b>31.3</b>	27.1	39.0
Students per Class at Secondary Stage	<b>2022/2021</b>	<b>28.6</b>	23.6	39.3
Percentage of Households That Have Internet Service at Home	<b>2022</b>	<b>92.3</b>	92.6	91.8
Hospital Beds per 1000 of Population, 2020	<b>2021</b>	<b>1.4</b>	1.4	1.4
Gross Domestic Product (Million USD) (Constant Prices)	<b>2020</b>	<b>14,037.4</b>	11,564.1	2,473.3
Gross Domestic Product Per Capita (USD) (Constant Prices)	<b>2020</b>	<b>2,922.5</b>	4,197.1	1,207.6
Total Registered Value of Exports (Million USD)	<b>2021</b>	<b>1,357.6</b>	1,344.5	13.1
Total Registered Value of Imports (Million USD)	<b>2021</b>	<b>7,829.7</b>	6,863.80	965.9
Number of Fixed Telephone Lines	<b>2020</b>	<b>466,283</b>	348,939	117,344
Average Housing Density (Person per Room)	<b>2020</b>	<b>1.5</b>	1.4	1.7

\*: Data excluded those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.



# Population

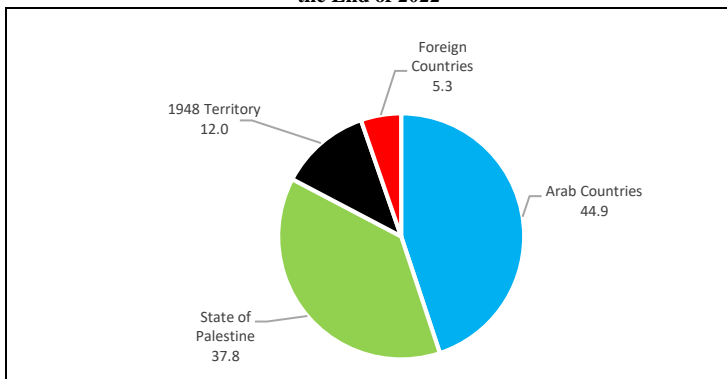
**Estimated Palestinian Population in Palestine by Governorate, End Year 2022**



## Estimated Palestinian Population in the World by Country of Residence, End Year 2022

Country	Number
State of Palestine	5,419,053
1948 Territory	1,709,811
Arab Countries	6,430,820
Foreign Countries	760,685
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,320,369</b>

## Percentage Distribution of Palestinian Population by Country of Residence, At the End of 2022



## Estimated Population in Palestine by Region and Sex, End Year 2022

Region	Both Sexes	Sex	
		Males	Females
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>5,419,053</b>	<b>2,753,535</b>	<b>2,665,518</b>
West Bank	3,222,646	1,640,796	1,581,850
Gaza Strip	2,196,407	1,112,739	1,083,668

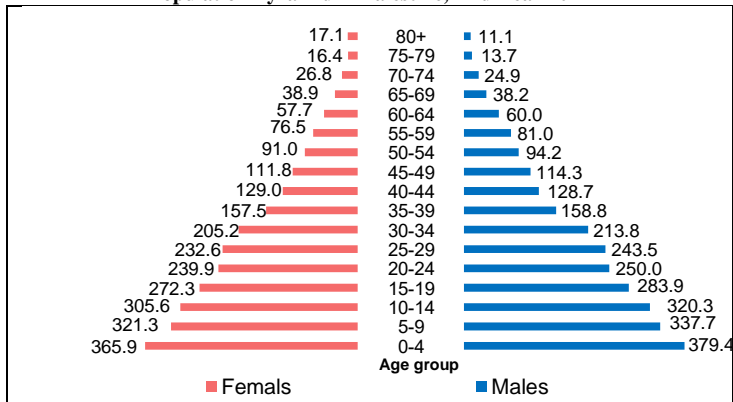
## Registered Live Births and Deaths in Palestine\* by Region/Governorate and Sex, 2020, 2021

Region/ Governorate	Births						Deaths					
	2020			2021			2020			2021		
	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males	Females	Both Sexes
<b>Palestine*</b>	<b>70,885</b>	<b>67,366</b>	<b>138,252</b>	<b>72,835</b>	<b>68,257</b>	<b>141,092</b>	<b>8,110</b>	<b>6,529</b>	<b>14,639</b>	<b>9,355</b>	<b>7,400</b>	<b>16,755</b>
<b>West Bank*</b>	<b>42,496</b>	<b>40,456</b>	<b>82,953</b>	<b>42,820</b>	<b>40,002</b>	<b>82,822</b>	<b>5,039</b>	<b>4,048</b>	<b>9,087</b>	<b>5,530</b>	<b>4,418</b>	<b>9,948</b>
Jenin	4,993	4,703	<b>9,696</b>	5,015	4,648	<b>9,663</b>	644	558	<b>1,202</b>	680	583	<b>1,263</b>
Tubas & Northern Valleys	837	782	<b>1,619</b>	856	813	<b>1,669</b>	84	80	<b>164</b>	130	90	<b>220</b>
Tulkarm	2,698	2,643	<b>5,341</b>	2,784	2,471	<b>5,255</b>	470	378	<b>848</b>	499	446	<b>945</b>
Nablus	5,801	5,468	<b>11,269</b>	5,675	5,347	<b>11,022</b>	814	698	<b>1,512</b>	933	764	<b>1,697</b>
Qalqiliya	1,940	1,801	<b>3,741</b>	1,835	1,708	<b>3,543</b>	214	163	<b>377</b>	294	225	<b>519</b>
Salfit	1,215	1,219	<b>2,434</b>	1,176	1,167	<b>2,343</b>	151	128	<b>279</b>	170	144	<b>314</b>
Ramallah & Al Bireh	4,497	4,257	<b>8,754</b>	4,270	4,003	<b>8,273</b>	633	469	<b>1,102</b>	703	563	<b>1,266</b>
Jericho & Al Aghwar	1,118	1,081	<b>2,199</b>	1,158	1,011	<b>2,169</b>	163	89	<b>252</b>	152	99	<b>251</b>
Jerusalem*	1,875	1,742	<b>3,617</b>	1,863	1,848	<b>3,711</b>	231	201	<b>432</b>	281	175	<b>456</b>
Bethlehem	3,701	3,385	<b>7,086</b>	3,689	3,361	<b>7,050</b>	445	351	<b>796</b>	475	402	<b>877</b>
Hebron	13,821	13,376	<b>27,197</b>	14,499	13,625	<b>28,124</b>	1,190	933	<b>2,123</b>	1,213	927	<b>2,140</b>
<b>Gaza Strip</b>	<b>28,389</b>	<b>26,910</b>	<b>55,299</b>	<b>30,015</b>	<b>28,255</b>	<b>58,270</b>	<b>3,071</b>	<b>2,481</b>	<b>5,552</b>	<b>3,825</b>	<b>2,982</b>	<b>6,807</b>
North Gaza	4,990	4,668	<b>9,658</b>	5,336	4,993	<b>10,329</b>	473	403	<b>876</b>	615	477	<b>1,092</b>
Gaza	10,431	9,937	<b>20,368</b>	11,033	10,405	<b>21,438</b>	1,225	940	<b>2,165</b>	1,464	1,074	<b>2,538</b>
Dier Al-Balah	3,746	3,614	<b>7,360</b>	4,049	3,898	<b>7,947</b>	436	363	<b>799</b>	570	487	<b>1,057</b>
Khan Yunis	5,601	5,368	<b>10,969</b>	5,859	5,505	<b>11,364</b>	559	466	<b>1,025</b>	734	565	<b>1,299</b>
Rafah	3,621	3,323	<b>6,944</b>	3,738	3,454	<b>7,192</b>	378	309	<b>687</b>	442	379	<b>821</b>

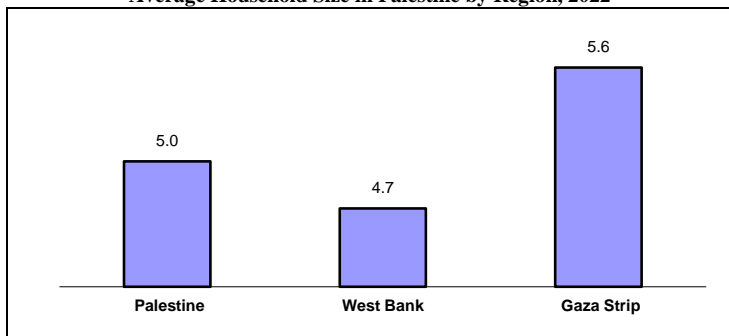
\*: Data doesn't include Jerusalem ID holders.



### Population Pyramid in Palestine, End Year 2022



### Average Household Size in Palestine by Region, 2022



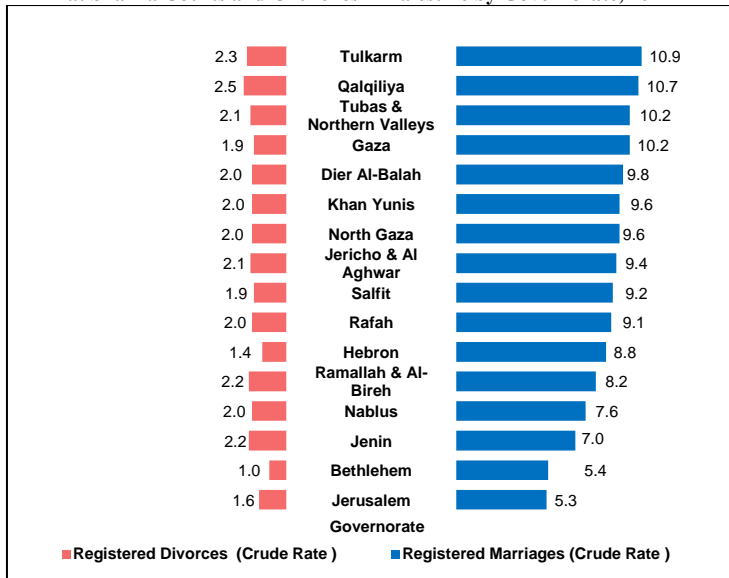
**Percentage Distribution of Palestinian Population (15 Years and over) in  
Palestine by Region, Sex and Marital Status, 2022**

Region and Sex	Marital Status						Total
	Never Married	Legally Married	Married	Divorced	Widowed	Separated	
<b>Both Sexes</b>							
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>36.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>57.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>West Bank</b>	<b>36.2</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>57.1</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Gaza Strip</b>	<b>37.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>56.8</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Males</b>							
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>41.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>55.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>
West Bank	40.7	1.8	56.0	0.7	0.7	0.1	100
Gaza Strip	42.1	0.9	55.8	0.6	0.7	-	100
<b>Females</b>							
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>58.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>100</b>
West Bank	31.4	2.0	58.3	2.0	6.2	0.2	100
Gaza Strip	33.3	1.5	57.8	2.0	5.4	-	100

## Indicators of Registered Marriage and Divorce Cases at Shari'a Courts and Churches in Palestine by Governorate, 2021

Governorate	Registered Marriages		Registered Divorces	
	Number	Crude Rate (Per 1000 population)	Number	Crude Rate (Per 1000 population)
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>45,018</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>9,794</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<b>West Bank</b>	<b>24,443</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>5,605</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Jenin	2,384	7.0	760	2.2
Tubas & Northern Valleys	670	10.2	141	2.1
Tulkarm	2,172	10.9	467	2.3
Nablus	3,150	7.6	839	2.0
Qalqiliya	1,296	10.7	308	2.5
Salfit	753	9.2	155	1.9
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	2,898	8.2	776	2.2
Jericho & Al Aghwar	499	9.4	111	2.1
Jerusalem	2,497	5.3	759	1.6
Bethlehem	1,277	5.4	232	1.0
Hebron	6,847	8.8	1,057	1.4
<b>Gaza Strip</b>	<b>20,575</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>4,189</b>	<b>2.0</b>
North Gaza	3,983	9.6	839	2.0
Gaza	7,282	10.2	1,380	1.9
Dier Al-Balah	2,971	9.8	618	2.0
Khan Yunis	3,962	9.6	819	2.0
Rafah	2,377	9.1	533	2.0

## Crude Rate (Per 1000 population) for Registered Marriage and Divorce Cases at Shari'a Courts and Churches in Palestine by Governorate, 2021

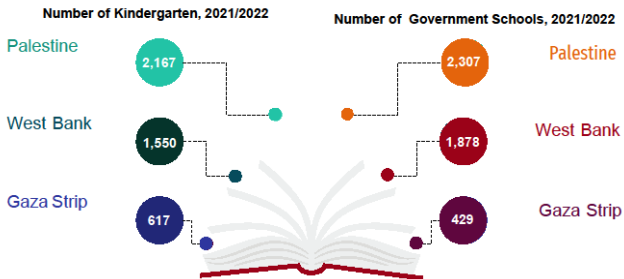


**Child**

## Selected Indicators for the child

Indicator	Palestine	West Bank	Gaza Strip
Number of Population Under 18 Years, Mid-Year 2022	<b>2,352,850</b>	1,329,079	1,023,771
Percentage of working children aged (10-17) years, 2021	<b>2.5</b>	3.8	0.9
Number of children were martyred, 2022	<b>50</b>	33	17
Number of Arrests of Children Under 18, 2022	<b>882</b>	..	..
Number of children from poor families who benefited from the cash assistance program, 2021	<b>216,687</b>	40,696	175,991
Percentage of children (1 - 11 years) in palestine who were exposed to onetype of violence by one of the parents during the past 12 months preceding the interview day for the violence survey, 2019	<b>77.7</b>	74.3	82.5
percentage of children (1 - 11 years) in palestine who were exposed to one type of violence by others (brothers/sisters or any other relative, acquaintance or stranger) during the past 12 months preceding the interview day for the violence survey, 2019	<b>42.9</b>	38.8	48.6
Percentage of households with children aged (5-17) years, who have a computer, in the first half of 2022	<b>37.9</b>	45.8	25.5
Percentage of families with children aged (5-17) years, who have internet service at home, in the first half of 2022	<b>95.9</b>	97.0	94.1

### Number of Kindergarten and government Schools, 2021/2022



# Gender

## The Main Indicators for Women and Men in Palestine in Decision-Making Positions, 2021 (Percentage Distribution)

<b>Indicator</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>Total</b>
Members of the National Council	18.9	81.1	<b>100</b>
Members of the Central Council	22.5	77.5	<b>100</b>
Executive Committee of the Palestine Liberation Organization	0.0	100	<b>100</b>
Governors	6.7	93.3	<b>100</b>
Members of the Cabinet Members in the Eighteenth Government	11.5	88.5	<b>100</b>
Heads of Local Councils	1.1	98.9	<b>100</b>
Members in Local Councils	20.0	80.0	<b>100</b>
Ambassadors*	10.8	89.2	<b>100</b>
Diplomats and Administrators Working in Missions Abroad*	30.6	69.4	<b>100</b>
Judges*	19.2	80.8	<b>100</b>
Public Prosecution Staff	17.6	82.4	<b>100</b>
Heads of Student Councils in Universities	8.3	91.7	<b>100</b>
Members of Student Councils in Universities	32.3	67.7	<b>100</b>
Lawyers Practicing the Profession	29.5	70.5	<b>100</b>
Engineers Registered in the Palestinian Engineering Association	28.2	71.8	<b>100</b>
Board of Directors of the Chambers of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture	1.0	99.0	<b>100</b>
Members of the Chambers of Commerce Industry and Agriculture	4.5	95.5	<b>100</b>
Editors in Chief Registered in the Palestinian Journalists Syndicate	17.6	82.4	<b>100</b>
Journalists Registered in the Palestinian Journalists Syndicate	20.5	79.5	<b>100</b>
Employees** in the Palestinian Banking Sector.	37.0	63.0	<b>100</b>
Directors or Heads of Companies Listed on the Palestinian Capital Market Authority	2.1	97.9	<b>100</b>
Members of Boards of Companies Registered in the Palestinian Capital Market Authority	7.9	92.1	<b>100</b>
Individuals Who Have Accounts in the Palestinian Capital Market Authority	43.2	56.8	<b>100</b>
Employed in the Civil Public Sector**** of the director generals (grade A4 and above)	13.7	86.3	<b>100</b>

\*( The data represents the year 2020).

\*\* (It does not include employees of the user category).

\*\*\* (Data include only civil employees according to General Personnel Council until 22/02/2022).



# **Labour**

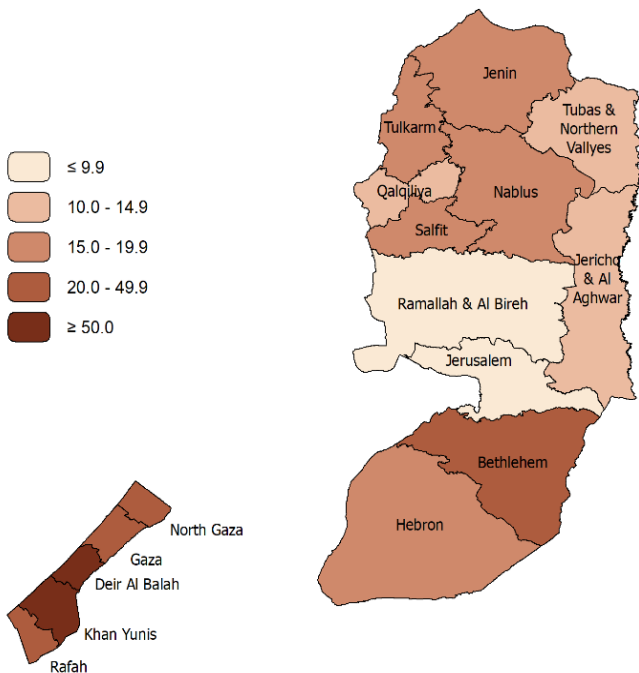
**Percentage Distribution of Population (15 Years and over) in Palestine by Labour Force Status and Region, 2022**

<b>Labour Force Status</b>	<b>Palestine</b>	<b>West Bank</b>	<b>Gaza Strip</b>
Full Employment (Working Full Time: 35 Hours and above Per Week)	33.3	40.7	21.6
Time Related Underemployment	0.7	0.5	0.8
Didn't Work and Seeking Job	11.0	6.2	18.6
Didn't Work / Old or Illness	8.5	7.3	10.3
Didn't Work / Home Duties	25.6	26.8	23.8
Didn't Work / Students and Trainees	16.4	15.4	18.0
Didn't Work / Other Reasons	4.5	3.1	6.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

**Percentage of Persons (15 Years and over) in Palestine by Labour Force Characteristics and Region, 2019-2022**

<b>Labour Force Characteristics and Region</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
<b>Palestine</b>				
<b>Labour Force Participation Rate</b>	44.3	40.9	43.4	45.0
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	25.3	25.9	26.4	24.4
<b>West Bank</b>				
Labour Force Participation Rate	46.4	44.4	45.8	47.5
Unemployment Rate	14.6	15.7	15.5	13.1
<b>Gaza Strip</b>				
Labour Force Participation Rate	40.9	35.3	39.4	41.0
Unemployment Rate	45.1	46.6	46.9	45.3

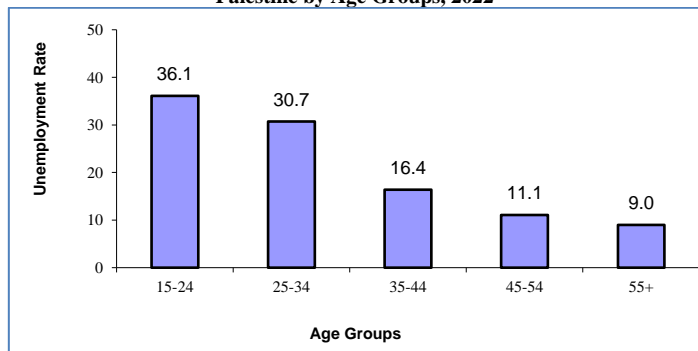
## Revised Unemployment Rate of Individuals (15 Years and Above) in Palestine by Governorate, 2021



## Unemployment Rate Among labour Force Participants of Individuals Aged 15 Years and Above in Palestine by Sex and Educational Qualification 2019-2022

Educational Qualification and Sex	2019			2020			2021			2022		
	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males	Females	Both Sexes	Males	Females	Both Sexes
literate/ Illiterate	24.6	8.4	22.4	25.1	4.8	22.8	24.8	2.7	22.1	23.3	4.7	21.0
Elementary	22.8	14.5	22.3	25.5	10.1	24.6	24.6	11.5	24.0	23.3	13.7	22.7
Prapartory	22.7	20.7	22.6	24.6	17.7	24.2	23.0	18.7	22.8	21.3	20.4	21.2
Secondary	19.6	27.7	20.3	19.7	24.8	20.1	22.0	22.8	22.0	18.5	27.0	19.3
Associated Dipoloma	27.3	50.6	35.1	28.9	47.2	34.5	27.3	52.2	35.3	24.6	53.0	33.6
Bachelor degree and above	15.9	46.9	30.4	15.9	45.8	29.4	17.7	48.5	31.9	16.1	45.1	29.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>41.2</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>40.1</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>42.9</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>40.4</b>	<b>24.4</b>

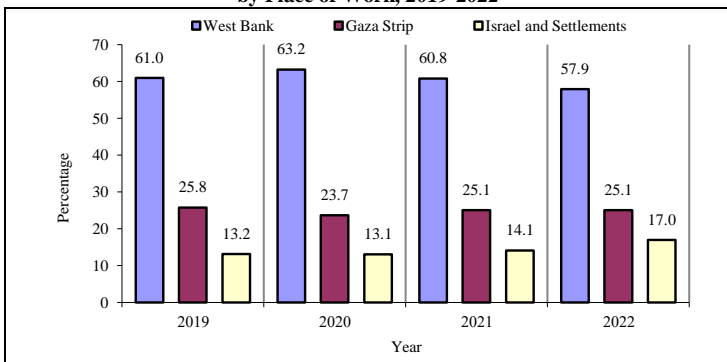
## Unemployment Rate of Participants in Labour Force (15 Years and over) in Palestine by Age Groups, 2022



## Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons (15 Years and over) in Palestine by Economic Activity, 2019-2022

Economic Activity	2019	2020	2021	2022
Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry and Fishing	6.1	6.4	6.7	6.2
Mining, Quarrying and Manufacturing	12.3	13.1	12.4	13.0
Construction	17.4	16.8	18.8	18.8
Commerce, Hotels and Restaurants	22.6	21.2	21.8	22.3
Transportation, Storage and Communications	5.9	6.2	5.8	5.6
Services and Other Branches	35.7	36.3	34.5	34.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

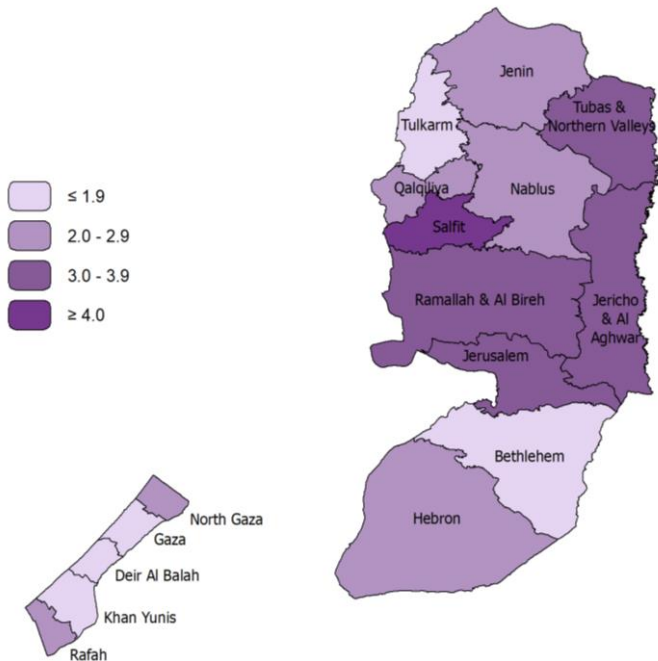
## Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons (15 Years and over) in Palestine by Place of Work, 2019-2022





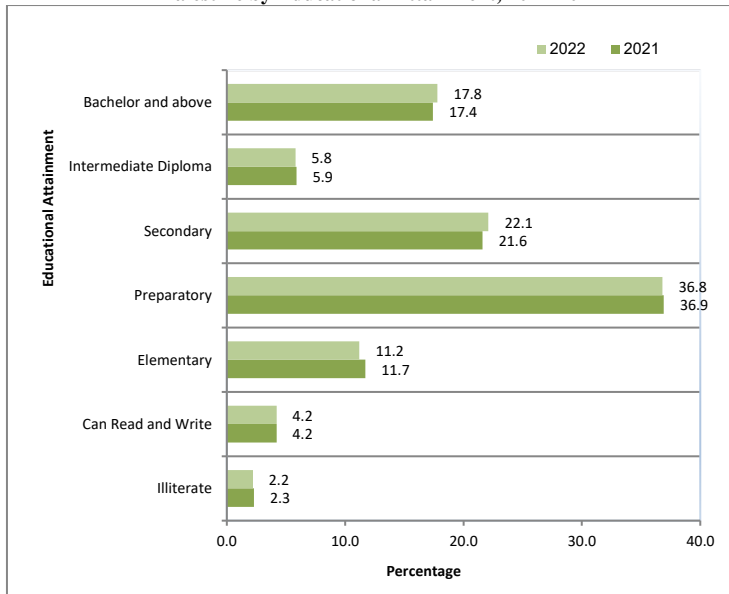
# **Education**

## Illiteracy Rate of Individuals (15 Years and Above) in Palestine by Governorate, 2021





### Percentage Distribution of Persons (15 Years and over) in Palestine by Educational Attainment, 2021-2022



## Basic and Secondary Education Indicators in Palestine, 2018/2019-2021/2022

Indicator	Scholastic Years			
	2018/2019	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022
<b>Schools</b>				
Government	2,234	2,259	2,285	2,307
UNRWA	370	372	374	374
Private	433	443	448	461
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,037</b>	<b>3,074</b>	<b>3,107</b>	<b>3,142</b>
<b>Students</b>				
Males	635,662	649,320	665,294	672,567
Females	646,392	659,845	673,059	685,843
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>1,282,054</b>	<b>1,309,165</b>	<b>1,338,353</b>	<b>1,358,410</b>
<b>Teachers</b>				
Males	21,367	21,692	21,369	21,650
Females	36,091	36,778	37,729	38,902
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>57,458</b>	<b>58,470</b>	<b>59,098</b>	<b>60,552</b>
<b>Classes</b>				
Males	15,986	16,323	16,796	16,955
Females	16,530	16,872	17,452	17,390
Co-Educational	9,122	9,336	9,736	9,831
<b>Total</b>	<b>41,638</b>	<b>42,531</b>	<b>43,984</b>	<b>44,179</b>

Note: Data exclude Municipality and Culture Committee Schools in Jerusalem.

## Higher Education Indicators in Palestine, 2018/2019-2021/2022

Indicator	Scholastic Year			
	2018/2019	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022
<b>University Students*</b>				
Males	79,363	78,752	76,921	81,254
Females	127,944	128,630	126,700	132,827
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>207,307</b>	<b>207,382</b>	<b>203,621</b>	<b>214,081</b>
<b>University Graduates*</b>				
Males	14,449	14,131	15,689	..
Females	25,198	24,194	27,596	..
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>39,647</b>	<b>38,325</b>	<b>43,285</b>	..
<b>Teaching Staff at Universities**</b>				
Males	4,955	5,093	5,531	5,133
Females	1,499	1,595	1,650	1,737
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>6,454</b>	<b>6,688</b>	<b>7,181</b>	<b>6,870</b>
<b>Community College Students</b>				
Males	5,150	5,128	5,258	5,738
Females	5,669	5,135	5,886	6,156
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>10,819</b>	<b>10,263</b>	<b>11,144</b>	<b>11,894</b>
<b>Community College Graduates</b>				
Males	1,187	1,097	1,242	..
Females	1,560	1,715	1,698	..
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>2,747</b>	<b>2,812</b>	<b>2,940</b>	..
<b>Teaching Staff at Community Colleges**</b>				
Males	316	321	394	338
Females	148	186	182	159
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>497</b>

\*: University data include students and graduates of intermediate diplomas, bachelor and graduate studies in universities and university colleges, number of university students of any scholastic year only includes regular students in the study in the first semester of the same year and doesn't include the withdrawal and postpone students.

\*\* : Full time and part time.

## Average Number of Students per Class in Palestine by Stage and Supervising Authority 2018/2019-2021/2022

Stage and Supervising Authority	Scholastic Year			
	2018/2019	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022
<b>Both Stages</b>				
Government	29.7	29.8	30.0	29.9
UNRWA	40.2	40.0	38.4	40.0
Private	22.2	22.4	21.2	22.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>30.8</b>	<b>30.8</b>	<b>30.4</b>	<b>30.7</b>
<b>Basic Stage</b>				
Government	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.1
UNRWA	40.2	40.0	38.5	40.0
Private	22.6	22.8	21.5	22.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>31.5</b>	<b>31.5</b>	<b>30.9</b>	<b>31.3</b>
<b>Secondary Stage</b>				
Government	28.7	28.8	29.4	29.5
UNRWA	33.8	31.3	23.4	29.3
Private	19.6	19.8	19.1	19.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>28.1</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>28.6</b>

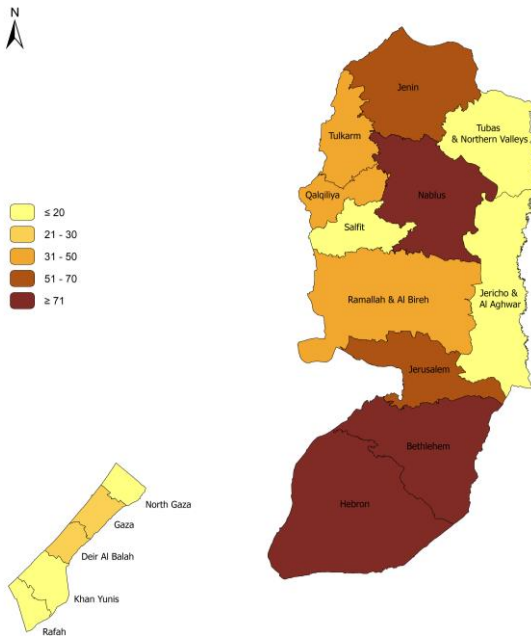
Note: The basic stage includes grades (1-9) and secondary stage includes grades (10-12).

# **Culture**

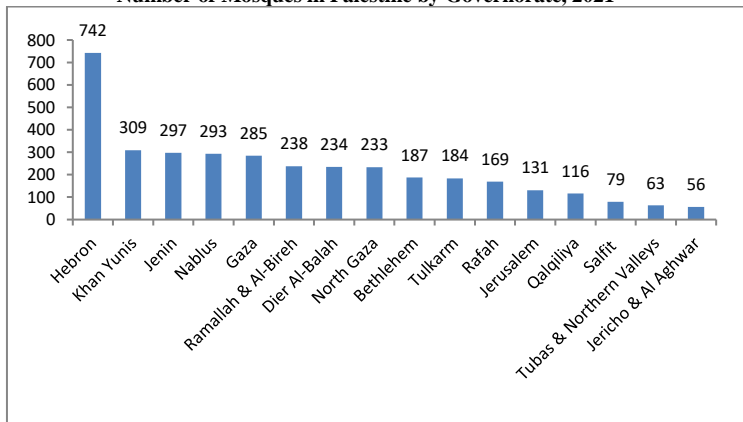
## Cultural Institutions Operating in Palestine by Region, Governorate and Type, 2021

Region /Governorate	Type of Institution				Total
	Cultural Centers	Museums	Theaters	Cinema	
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>628</b>
<b>West Bank</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>548</b>
Jenin	63	1	3	-	67
Tubas & Northern Valleys	13	-	-	-	13
Tulkarm	43	2	-	-	45
Nablus	73	2	4	1	80
Qalqiliya	37	1	-	-	38
Salfit	12	-	-	-	12
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	34	4	3	2	43
Jericho & Al Aghwar	14	2	-	-	16
Jerusalem	51	4	2	-	57
Bethlehem	85	7	-	-	92
Hebron	80	3	2	-	85
<b>Gaza Strip</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>80</b>
North Gaza	9	1	-	-	10
Gaza	23	1	2	-	26
Dier Al-Balah	19	2	1	-	22
Khan Yunis	14	1	-	-	15
Rafah	7	-	-	-	7

### Number of Cultural Institutions in Operation in Palestine by Governorate, 2021



**Number of Mosques in Palestine by Governorate, 2021**





# **Information Society**

**Percentage of Households That Have Internet Service at Home in Palestine by Region, 2022**

Region	Percentage
<b>Palestine</b>	92.3
<b>West Bank</b>	92.6
North of West Bank	92.9
Middle of West Bank	91.2
South of West Bank	93.4
<b>Gaza Strip</b>	91.8

**Percentage of Individuals (10 Years and Above) Who Use the Internet in Palestine by Background Characteristics, 2022**

Background Characteristics	Percentage
<b>Palestine</b>	88.6
<b>West Bank</b>	92.2
North of West Bank	92.9
Middle of West Bank	91.0
South of West Bank	92.5
<b>Gaza Strip</b>	83.1
<b>Sex</b>	
Males	89.1
Females	88.2
<b>Age Group</b>	
10-17	88.9
18-29	95.3
30-39	93.6
40-49	89.5
50-59	82.1
60+	56.2

**Percentage of Individuals (10 Years and Above) Who Own Mobile Phone in Palestine by Background Characteristics, 2022**

<b>Background Characteristics</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
<b>Palestine</b>	79.2
<b>West Bank</b>	86.1
North of West Bank	86.9
Middle of West Bank	90.2
South of West Bank	81.9
<b>Gaza Strip</b>	68.7
<b>Sex</b>	
Males	82.7
Females	75.7
<b>Age Group</b>	
10-17	39.3
18-29	93.1
30-39	94.9
40-49	93.8
50-59	91.8
60+	79.2

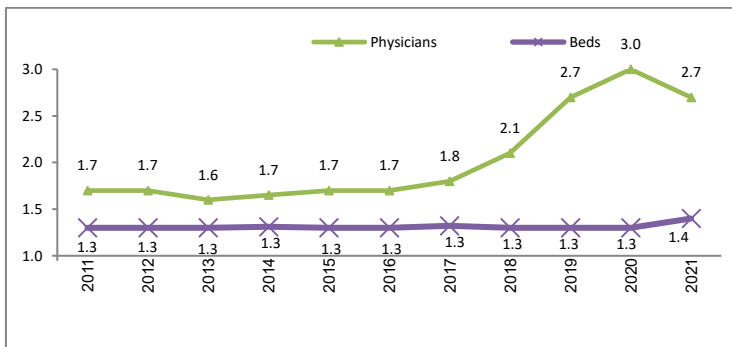


# **Health**

## Governmental and Non-Governmental Hospital Activities in Palestine, 2019-2021

Indicator	2019	2020	2021
Number of Governmental Hospitals	28	28	29
Number of Non- Governmental Hospitals	57	59	60
Total Number of Beds	6,435	6,552	7,296

## Physicians, and Beds per 1000 Population in Palestine, 2011-2021



## Malnutrition among Children Under Five Years by Region and Sex, 2021-2022

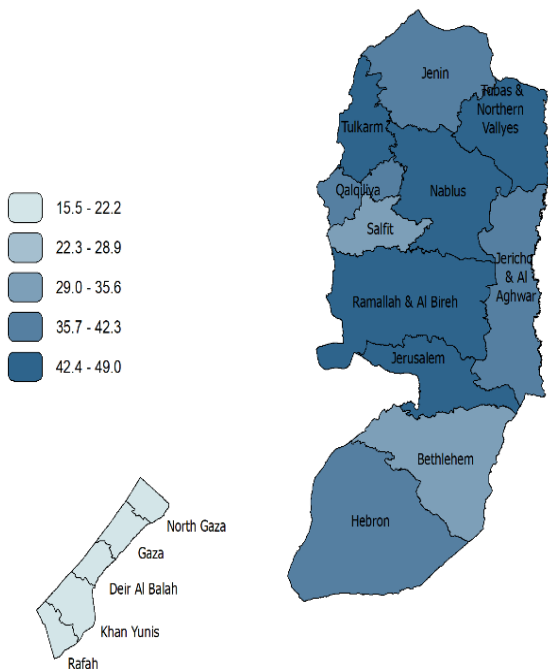
Malnutrition Indicators	Stunting	Underweight	Wasting	Overweight
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>8.6</b>
West Bank	8.5	2.1	1.7	10.9
Gaza Strip	9.0	2.1	0.8	5.8
<b>Sex</b>				
Male	8.6	2.6	1.3	10.2
Female	8.8	1.6	1.3	6.9

## Percentage of children with disabilities in functional capabilities in the age group (2-17 years), by functional domains and age group, 2019/2020

Functioning Domains	Age Group	
	2-4 years	5-17 years
Seeing	0.2	0.7
Hearing	0.1	0.4
Walking	0.6	1.0
Self-care	-	0.4
Fine Motor	0.4	-
Communication	0.9	0.6
Learning	0.8	1.5
Remembering	-	0.9
Concentrating	-	0.6
Playing	0.4	-
Accepting Change	-	1.2
Controlling behavior	0.7	2.2
Making friends	-	1.0
Anxiety	-	10.2
Depression	-	2.4

∴ Means questions are not directed to this age group.

## Percentage of Individuals (18 Years and above) in Palestine Who are Current Smokers of Any Smoked Tobacco Product by Governorate, 2021





## Percentage of Individuals (18 Years and above) in Palestine Who are Current Smokers of Various Smoked Tobacco Products, by Region, 2021

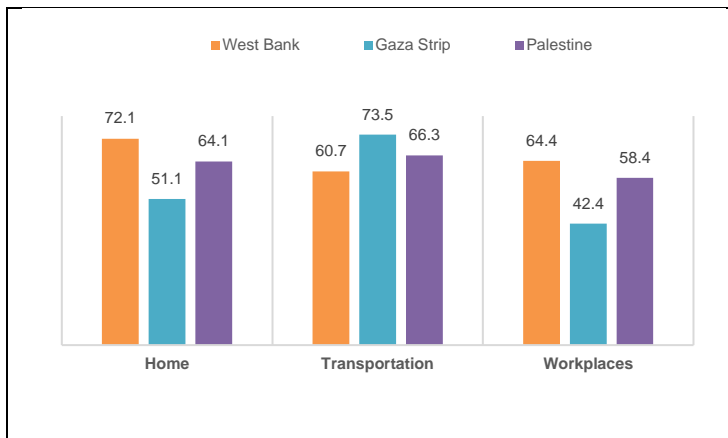
Region	Any smoked tobacco product <sup>1</sup>	Any cigarette <sup>2</sup>	Water-pipe	Other smoked tobacco <sup>3</sup>
<b>Palestine</b>	<b>31.3</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>
West Bank	40.1	30.7	11.4	0.2
Gaza Strip	17.0	15.1	2.6	0.0

<sup>1</sup> Includes manufactured cigarettes, hand-rolled cigarettes, cigars, water-pipes and any other reported smoking tobacco products.

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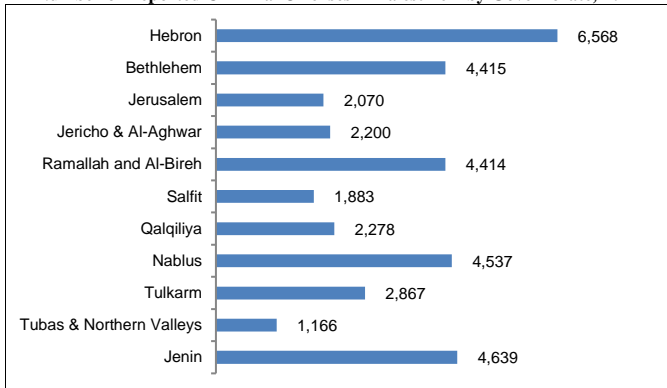
## Percentage of Individuals (18 years and above) Who were Exposed to Secondhand Smoke by Place of Exposure and Region, 2021





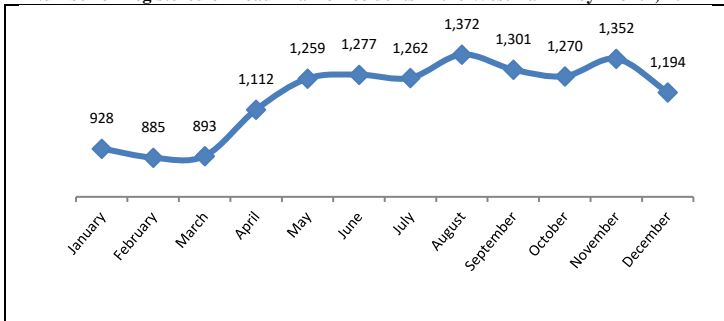
# **Security and Justice**

### Number of Reported Criminal Offenses in Palestine \* by Governorate, 2021



\* Data exclude Gaza Strip and those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israel Occupation in 1967.

### Number of Registered of Road Traffic Accidents in the West Bank \* by Month, 2021



\* Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israel Occupation in 1967.

### Number of Registered Road Traffic Accidents and Casualties in the West Bank \* by Type of Injury, 2017-2021

Indicators	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>Total of Road Accidents</b>	<b>11,541</b>	<b>12,829</b>	<b>13,165</b>	<b>10,977</b>	<b>14,105</b>
<b>Total Number of Injured Persons:</b>	<b>9,316</b>	<b>9,561</b>	<b>10,968</b>	<b>8,629</b>	<b>11,176</b>
Slightly Injured	8,268	8,549	9,937	7,742	10,112
Moderate Injured	722	735	757	644	734
Seriously Injured	168	152	152	133	197
Fatally Injured	108	125	122	110	133

\* Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israel Occupation in 1967.

### Civil Court Matters in Palestine\* by Region and Stage of Proceeding, 2019-2021

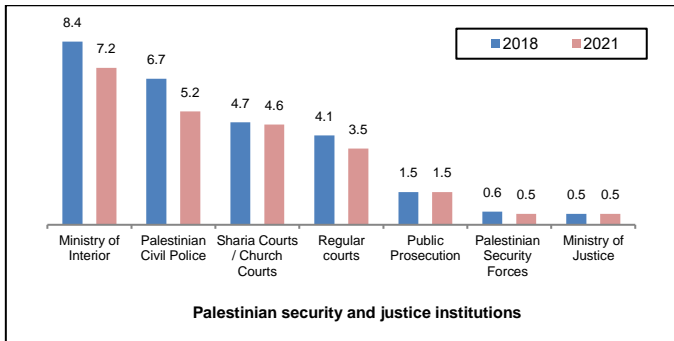
Region and Stage of Proceeding	2019	2020	2021
<b>Palestine</b>			
Carried From Last Year	550,981	429,205	419,658
Submitted	696,193	380,933	395,461
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,247,174</b>	<b>810,138</b>	<b>616,317</b>
Decided	623,632	345,016	372,048
Pending	623,542	465,122	244,269
<b>West Bank</b>			
Carried From Last Year	350,602	386,806	93,962
Submitted	465,046	311,908	93,326
<b>Total</b>	<b>815,648</b>	<b>698,714</b>	<b>188,486</b>
Decided	424,633	277,497	83,841
Pending	391,015	421,217	104,645
<b>Gaza Strip</b>			
Carried From Last Year	200,379	42,399	125,696
Submitted	231,147	69,025	302,135
<b>Total</b>	<b>431,526</b>	<b>111,424</b>	<b>427,831</b>
Decided	198,999	67,519	288,207
Pending	232,527	43,905	139,624

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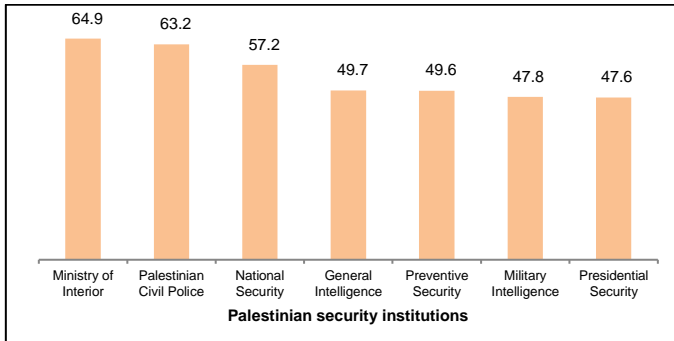


# **Governance and Rule of Law**

**Percentage Distribution of Individuals (18 years and over) in Palestine who Reached out to Palestinian Security and Justice Sector Institutions, for years 2018 and 2021**



**Percentage of Individuals' (18 years and over) Satisfaction with the Performance of the Palestinian Security Institutions by Institution, 2021**





**Percentage of Individuals' (18 years and over) Confidence of the Palestinian Security and Justice Institutions by Institution, for 2015, 2018, 2021**

<b>Palestinian Security and Justice Institutions</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2021</b>
Palestinian civil police	67.5	64.1	70.3
Public prosecution	54.8	55.3	63.4
Courts	62.9	59.9	66.0
judiciary as a whole	58.2	57.7	65.0
Ministry of Interior	72.0	60.2	71.5
Ministry of Justice	46.4	47.2	59.1
Palestinian Bar Association	53.7	48.4	59.3

**Selected Indicators for Perception Survey on Status of Justice in Palestine 2015, 2018, 2021**

<b>Percentage of Individuals (18 years and over)</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2021</b>
Who resorted/ called or Interacted With the Palestinian Justice and Security Institutions Sector for the last 12 months	..	19.5	16.7
Who resorted/ called or interacted with Palestinian Civil Police for the last 12 months	7.9	6.7	5.2
Who resorted/ called or interacted with Regular Courts for the last 12 months	5.8	4.1	3.5
Who resort to official Judiciary in case of Future Disputes	57.0	59.6	59.7
Who believe that Resorting to courts is very expensive and I cannot afford it financially (including lawyers' fees)	59.4	78.6	72.4
Who believe that social traditions and norms prevent me from filing a complaint with the courts	48.2	49.4	41.2
Who confidence that the judiciary system is independent from any external influences	36.8	30.6	41.4
Who confidence that will be dealt with at equal footage before the judiciary	44.2	43.2	51.5
Who are satisfied with the effectiveness of the police in enforcing court rulings	61.8	64.3	68.9
Who are satisfied with the ability of the police to arrest anyone anywhere	55.0	55.8	60.0
Who are satisfied with the performance of the family protection unit's handling of cases of violence against women	54.9	50.8	63.0



# **International Investment Position**

## Gross External Debt Position in Palestine, End of 2020

Value in Million USD

Economic Sector	Value
<b>General Government</b>	<b>1,325</b>
Short-term	120
Long-term	1,205
<b>Monetary Authorities</b>	<b>0</b>
Short-term	0
Long-term	0
<b>Banks</b>	<b>684</b>
Short-term	327
Long-term	357
<b>Other Sectors</b>	<b>43</b>
Short-term	0
Long-term	43
<b>Direct Investment: Lending Between Affiliated Companies</b>	<b>17</b>
Debt Liabilities to Affiliated Enterprises	0
Debt Liabilities to Direct Investors	17
<b>Gross External Debt Position</b>	<b>2,069</b>

## International Investment Position (IIP) Stock by Economic Sectors in Palestine, End of 2020

Value in Million USD

Investments Stocks by Type of Investment	Total	Economic Sector				
		Monetary Authori- ties (PMA)	Govern- ment Sector	Banks Sector	Other Sectors	
					Non-Banks Financial, Non- Financial companies and NGO's Sector	Households Sector
<b>International Investment Position (net)*</b>	<b>2,799</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>-1,235</b>	<b>4,044</b>	<b>-143</b>	<b>-988</b>
<b>Total External Assets</b>	<b>8,223</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>5,984</b>	<b>983</b>	<b>45</b>
Foreign Direct Investment Abroad	313	0	0	0	304	9
Portfolio Investments Abroad	1,463	29	0	870	564	0
Other Investments Abroad	5,750	395	90	5,114	115	36
Of which: currency and deposits**	5,499	395	00	5,066	2	36
Reserve Assets	697	697	00	0	0	0
<b>Total Foreign Liabilities</b>	<b>5,424</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,325</b>	<b>1,940</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>1,033</b>
Foreign Direct Investment in Palestine	2,704	0	0	975	696	1,033
Foreign Portfolio Investments in Palestine	668	0	0	281	387	0
Foreign Other Investments in Palestine	2,052	0	1,325	684	43	0
Of which: Loans from abroad	1,368	0	1,325	0	43	0
Of which: currency and deposits***	684	0	0	684	0	0

-The Data in the Table Above are Closed to the Nearest Integer.

- The data does not include the value of land owned by non-residents

\* International Investment Position (net): Equals Total External Assets Minus total Foreign Liabilities.

\*\* Currency and deposits: Including Residents Deposits in Banks Abroad, In addition to Foreign Currency Cash in Palestinian Economy.

\*\*\* Currency And deposits: Include the Deposits of Non-residents Deposited in Local Banks.

## Main Indicators of Foreign Investment Survey of Resident Enterprises in Palestine (Stocks), End 2020

Value in million USD

Indicator	Stock 2020	Percentage %
<b>Total Assets*</b>	<b>8,088</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Stocks of Foreign Direct Investment</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>3.8</b>
<b>Stocks of Portfolio Investments</b>	<b>1,463</b>	<b>18.1</b>
of which: Equity securities	408	
of which: Debt securities	1,055	
<b>Stocks of Other Investments:</b>	<b>5,624</b>	<b>69.5</b>
of which: Trade credits	6	
of which: Loans	155	
of which: Currency and deposits	5,463	
of which: Other Assets	0	
<b>Stocks of Reserves Assets</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>8.6</b>
<b>Total Liabilities**</b>	<b>3,066</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Stocks of Foreign Direct Investment</b>	<b>1,671</b>	<b>54.5</b>
<b>Stocks of Portfolio Investments</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>21.8</b>
of which: Equity securities	668	
of which: Debt securities	0	
<b>Stocks of Other Investments:</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>23.7</b>
of which: Trade credits	0	
of which: Loans	43	
of which: Currency and deposits	684	
of which: Other Liabilities	0	

\* Assets are the investments abroad of Resident enterprises in Palestine

\*\* Liabilities are the foreign investments in Resident enterprises in Palestine

## Balance of Payments in Palestine\*, 2019, 2020

Values In USD Million

Indicator	2019	2020
<b>Current account (net)</b>	<b>-1,779.9</b>	<b>-1,903.2</b>
<b>Goods (net)</b>	<b>-5,509.6</b>	<b>-4,775.1</b>
Exports (fob)	1,747.9	1,723.9
Imports (fob)	7,257.5	6,499.0
<b>Services (net)</b>	<b>-992.8</b>	<b>-905.4</b>
Exports	911.4	661.3
Transportation services	8.4	6.9
Travel services	726.0	464.7
Communications services	15.9	13.7
Insurance services	0.3	0.3
Other business services	14.2	14.0
Government services	21.5	23.5
Others**	125.1	138.2
Imports	1,904.2	1,566.7
Transportation services	251.9	227.0
Travel services	1,434.5	1,140.5
Communication services	12.9	11.0
Insurance services	36.9	35.7
Other business services	126.7	112.9
Government services	31.8	31.7
Others***	9.5	7.9
<b>Income (net)</b>	<b>3,030.9</b>	<b>2,492.3</b>
Receipts	3,211.9	2,651.6
Compensation of employees	2,970.3	2,434.5
Of which from Israel	2,945.8	2,407.7
Investment income	241.6	217.1
Payments	181.0	159.3

**(Cont.) Balance of Payments in Palestine\*, 2019, 2020**

Values In USD Million

<b>Indicator</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
<b>Current transfers (net)</b>	<b>1,691.6</b>	<b>1,285.0</b>
Inflows	2,265.5	1,700.2
To the government sector	628.2	422.4
of which from Donors transfers	398.6	266.3
To the other sectors	1,637.3	1,277.8
of which from Donors transfers	170.8	114.1
Outflows	573.9	415.2
<b>Capital and financial account (net)</b>	<b>1,690.9</b>	<b>1,334.2</b>
<b>Capital account (net)</b>	<b>284.4</b>	<b>431.4</b>
Capital transfers (net)	284.4	431.4
Inflows	284.4	431.4
To the government sector	14.9	208.4
of which from Donors transfers	14.9	208.4
To the other sectors	269.5	223.0
Outflows	0.0	0.0
Acquisition / disposal of non-Produced, non-financial assets non-financial assets (net)	0.0	0.0
<b>Financial account (net)****</b>	<b>1,406.5</b>	<b>902.8</b>
<b>Foreign Direct investment (net)</b>	<b>188.4</b>	<b>138.8</b>
Change in investment abroad (net)	56.5	59.1
Change in investment in Palestine (net)	131.9	79.7
<b>Foreign Portfolio investment (net)</b>	<b>-35.5</b>	<b>69.1</b>
Change in Assets (net)	-12.5	98.1
Change in Liabilities (net)	-23.0	-29.0



## (Cont.) Balance of Payments in Palestine\*, 2019, 2020

Values In USD Million

Indicator	2019	2020
<b>Foreign Other investment (net)</b>	<b>1,374.1</b>	<b>732.1</b>
Change in Assets (net)	892.4	635.5
Of which Loans to nonresidents	20.6	50.9
Of which Currency and deposits*****	846.2	602.5
Change in Liabilities (net)	481.7	96.6
Of which Loans nonresidents	187.0	134.3
Of which Currency and deposits*****	288.6	-21.9
<b>Net errors and omissions</b>	<b>89.0</b>	<b>569.0</b>
Overall balance	120.5	37.2
Financing	-120.5	-37.2
Exceptional financing	0.0	0.0
<b>Change in Reserve assets (- = Increase/+ = decrease)</b>	<b>-120.5</b>	<b>-37.2</b>

\* : Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

\*\* : Include insurance, financial, information and computer, royalties and licenses and personal, cultural and recreational services.

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\*\*\*\* : Include reserve assets

\*\*\*\*\* : Currency and deposits: Including the cash of foreign currency in the banks and the deposits of the Palestinian institutions deposited abroad.

\*\*\*\*\* : Currency and deposits : Includes the deposits of non-residents deposited in Local banks.



# **National Accounts**

## GDP by Economic Activity in Palestine\* at Constant Prices, 2019, 2020

Values In USD Million

Economic Sector	Year	
	2019	2020
Agriculture and Fishing	1,100.7	1,001.0
Mining, Manufacturing, Electricity and Water Supply	2,074.7	1,744.4
Construction	889.1	644.4
Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	3,371.4	2,644.6
Transportation and Storage	270.6	221.9
Financial and Insurance Activities	632.2	639.7
Information and Communications	489.7	484.2
Services	3,098.1	2,847.0
Public Administration and Defense	1,559.7	1,646.2
Households with Employed Persons	7.8	6.2
Other**	2,335.0	2,157.8
<b>Gross Domestic Product</b>	<b>15,829.0</b>	<b>14,037.4</b>

\*: Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

\*\*Other includes custom duties and net VAT on imports minus financial intermediation services indirectly measured.

Note: 2015 is the base year.

## Major National Account Indicators in Palestine\* at Constant Prices, 2020

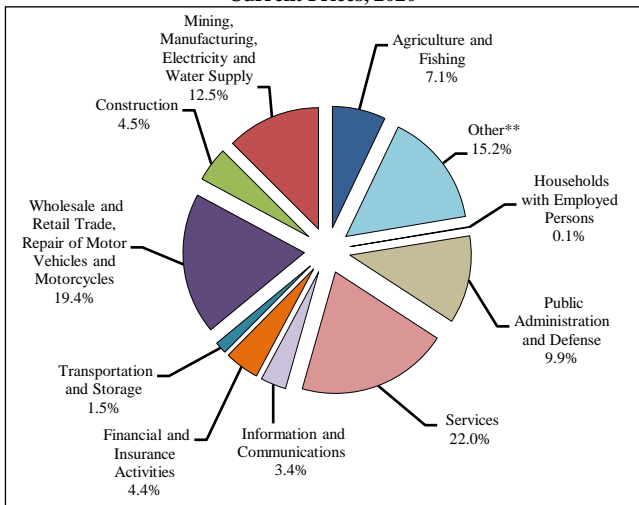
Indicator	Palestine	West Bank	Gaza Strip
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)** (USD Million)	<b>14,037.4</b>	11,564.1	2,473.3
GDP Per Capita (USD)	<b>2,922.5</b>	4,197.1	1,207.6
Gross National Income (GNI) (USD Million)	<b>16,032.7</b>	13,535.6	2,497.1
GNI Per Capita (USD)	<b>3,337.9</b>	4,912.6	1,219.2
Gross Disposable Income (GDI) (USD Million)	<b>17,173.2</b>	14,179.7	2,993.5
GDI Per Capita (USD)	<b>3,575.3</b>	5,146.4	1,461.6
Final Consumption Expenditures (USD Million)	<b>15,494.9</b>	12,332.0	3,162.9
Gross Capital Formation (USD Million)	<b>3,328.6</b>	3,075.2	253.4
Net Export of Goods and Services (USD Million)	<b>-4,853.2</b>	-3,942.0	-911.2
Saving (Million USD)	<b>1,678.3</b>	1,847.7	-169.4

\* Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

\*\* The difference between GDP and sum of final consumption expenditures, gross capital formation and net export of goods and services refers to net errors and omissions.

Note: 2015 is the base year.

## Percentage Contribution to GDP by Economic Activity in Palestine\* at Current Prices, 2020



\* Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

\*\* includes custom duties and net VAT on imports minus financial intermediation services indirectly measured.

Note: 2015 is the base year.

# **Consumer Price Index**

## Annual Consumer Price Index and Percent Change in Palestine by Major Groups of Expenditure, 2020-2022

(Base Year 2018=100)

Group number	Major Groups of Expenditure	Ave. 2020	Ave. 2021	Ave. 2022	% Change 2021/2020	% Change 2022/2021
01	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	100.78	101.64	108.49	0.86	6.74
02	Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco and Narcotics	101.96	102.15	105.69	0.19	3.47
03	Clothing and Footwear	94.13	93.56	96.77	-0.60	3.43
04	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	100.50	104.16	107.02	3.65	2.74
05	Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance	97.90	100.03	103.33	2.18	3.30
06	Health	99.26	98.84	100.12	-0.42	1.29
07	Transport	97.51	101.79	104.89	4.39	3.05
08	Information and Communication	94.45	94.03	95.82	-0.45	1.91
09	Recreation, Sport, Culture, Gardens and Pets	116.28	117.76	123.74	1.28	5.08
10	Education Services	101.12	100.72	103.90	-0.39	3.15
11	Restaurants and Accommodation Services	103.36	103.74	110.65	0.36	6.66
	<b>Miscellaneous Goods and Services (12+13)*</b>	<b>106.41</b>	<b>106.41</b>	<b>107.31</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.85</b>
12	Insurance and Financial Services	99.36	99.06	100.44	-0.30	1.39
13	Personal Care, Social Protection and Miscellaneous Goods and Services	108.75	108.85	109.59	0.09	0.68
	<b>Consumer Price Index</b>	<b>100.83</b>	<b>102.08</b>	<b>105.90</b>	<b>1.24</b>	<b>3.74</b>

\* Reliance on the new version of the Classification of Individual Consumption according to Purpose COICOP – 2018 issued by the United Nation division (UN), to classify major groups, commodities' and services consumed at the beginning of 2019 which consists of 13 major groups, and for comparison purposes with the previous CPI time series groups 12, 13 has been merged to compared with the previous group Miscellaneous Goods and Services (12) within the previous classification COICOP - 1999.



## **Registered Foreign Trade**

## Palestinian\* Registered Exports Indicators, 2020-2021

Value in Million USD

Indicator	2020	2021
<b>Total Palestinian Exports</b>	<b>1,054.6</b>	<b>1,357.6</b>
<b>Total Exports by Region</b>		
West Bank	1,040.5	1,344.5
Gaza Strip	14.1	13.1
<b>Total Exports by Country</b>		
To Israel	886.1	1,168.7
To Arab Countries	109.1	121.5
To Other Countries	59.4	67.4
<b>Total Exports by type</b>		
National Exports	767.6	970.5
Re- Exports	287.0	387.2

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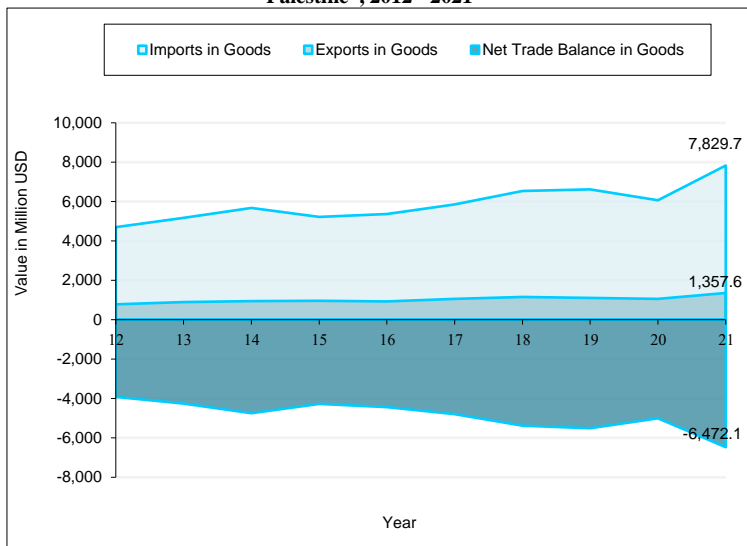
## Palestinian\* Registered Imports Indicators, 2020-2021

Value in Million USD

Indicator	2020	2021
<b>Total Palestinian Imports</b>	<b>6,063.4</b>	<b>7,829.7</b>
<b>Total Imports by Region</b>		
West Bank	5,192.2	6,863.8
Gaza Strip	871.2	965.9
<b>Total Imports by Country</b>		
From Israel	3,342.7	4,157.0
From EU Countries	668.9	895.9
From Arab Countries	393.7	623.1
From American Countries	144.3	176.2
From Other Countries	1,513.8	1,977.5

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## Value of Registered Imports, Exports in Goods and Net Trade Balance in Palestine\*, 2012 - 2021



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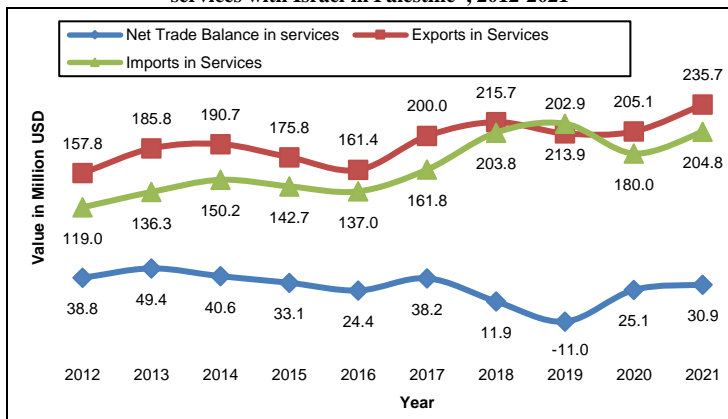
## Palestinian\* Registered Foreign Trade Indicators in Services with Israel, 2020-2021

Value in Million USD

Indicator	2020	2021
Total exports of services	205.1	235.7
Total imports of services	180.0	204.8
<b>Net Trade Balance in Services</b>	<b>25.1</b>	<b>30.9</b>

\*: Data excluded those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

### Value of Registered Imports, Exports in Services and Net Trade Balance in services with Israel in Palestine\*, 2012-2021



\*: Data excluded those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

# **Building Licenses**

## Main Indicators of Building Licenses Issued in Palestine\*, 2022

Indicator	Total	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter
Number of Licenses Issued**	<b>11,350</b>	3,271	2,610	2,665	2,804
Total Area of Buildings Licensed (1000 m <sup>2</sup> )	<b>5,506.1</b>	1,587.8	1,235.4	1,283.6	1,399.3
Number of New Dwellings	<b>18,062</b>	4,998	4,001	4,348	4,715
Total Area of New Dwellings (1000 m <sup>2</sup> )	<b>3,053.8</b>	839.4	689.0	724.3	801.1
Number of Existing Dwellings	<b>5,182</b>	1,464	1,289	1,162	1,267
Total Area of Existing Dwellings (1000 m <sup>2</sup> )	<b>832.1</b>	234.6	213.2	181.8	202.5

\*Data excluded those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

\*\* Excluding boundary walls licenses

# **Transportation and Communications**

## Main Indicators of Transportation and Communications in Palestine\*, 2020-2021

Indicator	2020	2021
Number of Licensed Road Vehicles in the West Bank*	277,972	300,226
Number of Items Received by Mail in the West Bank*	638,713	400,247
Number of Items Dispatched by Mail in the West Bank*	94,052	22,805
Number of Cellular Phone Subscribers	4,312,400	4,362,778
Number of Landline Telephones	466,283	485,830
Average Number of Calls Per Month (in Million)**	32.4	26.5

\*: Data excluded those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

\*\* : Average monthly number of calls excluded international calls.



# **Finance and Insurance**

## Main Economic Indicators for Finance and Insurance Activities in Palestine\*, 2020-2021

Indicator	2020	2021
Number of Employees	13,948	14,856
Compensation of Employees (In Million USD)	331.8	342.4
Output (In Million USD)	1,000.4	1,059.6
Intermediate Consumption (In Million USD)	284.4	308.0
Value Added (In Million USD)	715.9	751.6

\*: Data excluded those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

## **Other Economic Sectors**

## Number of Employed Persons in establishment and Main Economic Indicators in Palestine\* by Economic Activity, 2021

Value in USD 1000

Indicator	Industrial Activities	Construction Activities	Internal Trade Activities	Transport & Storage Activities	Information & Communications Activities	Services Activities
Number of Employed Persons	116,038	8,370	206,685	7,577	9,472	161,265
Number of Wage Employees	93,838	8,384	96,949	5,968	8,551	115,543
Compensation of Employees	798,241.9	56,894.8	666,508.2	42,353.7	143,405.5	693,506.4
Output	4,989,380.2	181,894.9	4,546,940.6	119,529.1	498,903.0	2,988,777.7
Intermediate Consumption	2,581,545.5	86,894.8	806,288.6	36,587.9	115,449.8	695,098.4
Gross Value Added	2,407,834.7	95,000.1	3,740,652.0	82,941.3	383,453.2	2,293,679.2

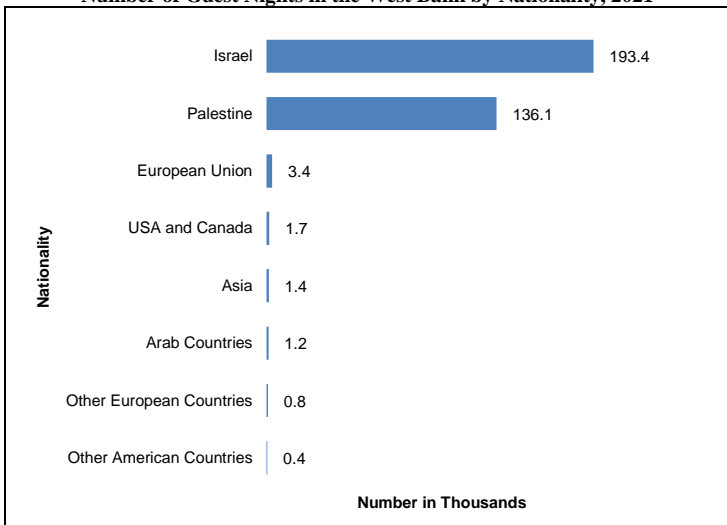
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# **Tourism**

## Hotel Activities in the West Bank, 2021

Indicator	2021
Number of Operating Hotels	89
Number of Rooms	3,927
Number of Beds	8,328
Number of Guests	180,632
Number of Guest Nights	338,596
Room Occupancy (%)	13.8

### Number of Guest Nights in the West Bank by Nationality, 2021



# **Agriculture**

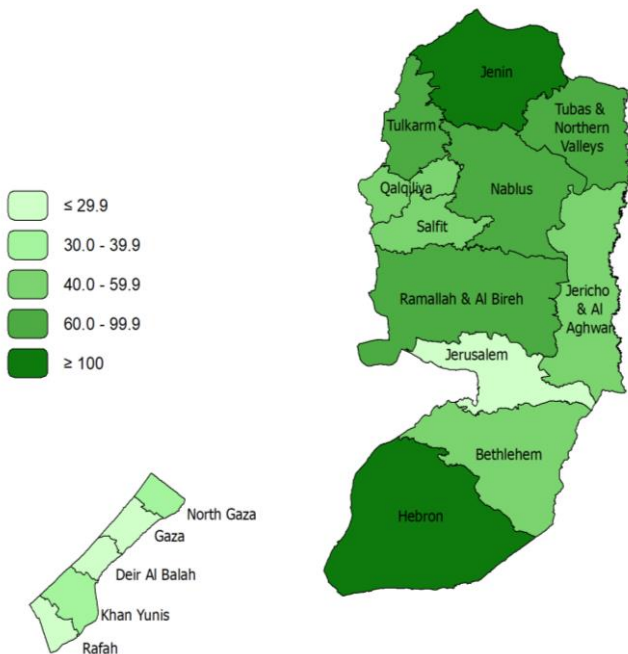
## Selected Agricultural Indicators in Palestine, 2021

Area: in Dunum

Indicator	Value
Number of Agricultural Holders	138,339
Number of Agricultural Holdings	140,568
Cultivated Area	1,096,321
Cultivated Area of Field Crops	217,206
Cultivated Area of Vegetables	202,285
Cultivated Area of Horticulture Trees	676,830
Number of Cows	67,760
Number of Sheep	771,168
Number of Goats	239,966
Number of Broilers	71,019,022
Number of Layers	3,646,485
Number of Beehives	64,360



### Cultivated Area with Field Crops, Vegetables and Tree Horticulture (in Thousand Dunums) in Palestine by Governorate, 2020/2021





# **Environment**

**Percentage distribution of population in Palestine by to the main source of drinking water and percentage of the population using improved drinking water sources, 2019/2020**

Indicators				Region		
				Palestine	West Bank	Gaza Strip
Main source of drinking water	Improved sources	Piped water	Into dwelling	53.0	86.5	4.1
			Into yard/plot	1.0	1.7	0.1
			To neigh-bour	0.1	0.0	0.1
			Public tap/ stand-pipe	4.4	0.1	10.8
		Tube-well/ bore-hole	0.3	0.4	0.3	
		Protected well	0.4	0.5	0.4	
		Protected spring	0.2	0.3	0.0	
		Rain-water collection	1.1	1.8	0.2	
		Tanker truck	30.6	4.0	69.7	
		Cart with small tank	3.0	0.0	7.4	
		Water kiosk	2.6	0.0	6.5	
		Bottled water	2.1	3.5	0.1	
		20 liters water bottels	0.7	1.1	0.0	
	Unimproved sources	Unprotected well	0.0	0.0	0.1	
		Unprotected spring	0.0	0.1	0.0	
		Other	0.2	0.0	0.3	
	Total		100	100	100	
Percentage of the population using improved sources of drinking water				99.8	99.9	99.6

**Percentage distribution of population in Palestine according to type of sanitation facility used by the household, 2019/2020**

Indicators				Region		
				Palestine	West Bank	Gaza Strip
Type of sanitation facility	Improved sanitation facility	Flush/ Pour flush to:	Piped sewer system	58.5	39.9	85.8
			Septic tank	11.8	17.6	3.4
			Pit latrine	28.0	40.0	10.3
			DK where	0.4	0.7	0.0
	Unimproved sanitation facility		Open drain	1.0	1.4	0.4
			Other	0.1	0.0	0.1
			DK/Missing	0.1	0.2	0.0
	Open defecation (no facility, bush, field)			0.0	0.1	0.0
	Total			100	100	100
	Percentage of the population using improved sanitation				98.8	98.3

## National Greenhouse Gas Inventory in Palestine\*, 2020

Categories	Emission from Carbon dioxide CO2 (Gg)	Emission from Methane CH4 (Gg)	Emission from Nitrous oxide N2O (Gg)	Total National Emissions (1000 ton of CO2 eq.)
<b>Total National Emissions and Removals</b>	<b>3,348.76</b>	<b>48.86</b>	<b>1.47</b>	<b>4,829.45</b>
<b>1 - Energy</b>	<b>3,380.35</b>	<b>1.65</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>3,457.41</b>
<b>1.A - Fuel Combustion Activities</b>	<b>3,380.35</b>	<b>1.65</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>3,457.41</b>
1.A.1 - Energy Industries	436.76	0.04	0.01	439.69
1.A.2 - Manufacturing Industries and Construction	62.81	0.01	0.00	63.31
1.A.3 - Transport	2,249.78	0.39	0.11	2,293.06
1.A.4 - Other Sectors	631.00	1.21	0.02	661.35
<b>2 - Industrial Processes and Product Use</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>NE</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>3 - Agriculture, Forestry, and Other Land Use</b>	<b>-31.59</b>	<b>7.50</b>	<b>0.72</b>	<b>349.61</b>
<b>3.A - Livestock</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>7.50</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>157.40</b>
3.A.1 - Enteric Fermentation	NO	6.10	NO	128.10
3.A.2 - Manure Management	NO	1.40	0.0	29.30
<b>3.B - Land</b>	<b>-31.59</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>-31.59</b>
3.B.1 - Forest land	-31.59	NO	NO	-31.59
<b>3.C - Aggregate sources and non-CO2 emissions sources on land</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.72</b>	<b>223.80</b>
3.C.4 - Direct N2O Emissions from managed soils	0.00	0.00	0.72	223.80
<b>4 - Waste</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>39.71</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>1,022.43</b>
<b>4.A - Solid Waste Disposal</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>20.33</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>426.95</b>
<b>4.D - Wastewater Treatment and Discharge</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>19.38</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>595.48</b>

Gg: Giga gram which equals 1000 ton

NO: Not Occurring

NE: Not Estimated

\*: For more details about the methodology, data quality and calculations, please refer to "Emissions to Air 2014" report on the following link:

<http://www.pcbs.gov.ps/Downloads/book2205.pdf>

\* Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967

**Greenhouse Gas Inventory by Sector and Emittent in Palestine\***  
**(Thousand ton of CO<sub>2</sub> eq.), 2020**

Sector/ Emittent	GHG inventory (Thousand ton of CO <sub>2</sub> eq)	Share of sectors in GHG inventory, %
<b>Sector</b>		
Energy	3,457.41	71.6
Agriculture	349.61	7.2
Waste	1,022.43	21.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,829.45</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Emittent</b>		
CO <sub>2</sub>	3,348.76	69.3
CH <sub>4</sub> **	1,026.02	21.3
N <sub>2</sub> O***	454.67	9.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,829.45</b>	<b>100</b>

\* Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

\*\* : 1 ton of CH<sub>4</sub> equivalent to 21 ton of CO<sub>2</sub>

\*\*\*: 1 ton of N<sub>2</sub>O equivalent to 310 ton of CO<sub>2</sub>

**Overall GHG Emissions in Palestine\* by Year (1000 ton CO<sub>2</sub> eq.), 2006-2020**

Year	Overall GHG emissions (1000 ton)			Overall GHG emissions (1000 Ton CO <sub>2</sub> eq.)
	Emission from Carbon Dioxide CO <sub>2</sub>	Emission from Methane CH <sub>4</sub>	Emission from Nitrous oxide N <sub>2</sub> O	
2006	1,510.6	33.4	1.7	2,739.9
2007	1,479.6	33.6	1.7	2,710.7
2008	1,374.4	33.9	1.7	2,620.3
2009	1,779.2	34.0	1.7	3,026.6
2010	2,049.7	35.7	1.5	3,276.5
2011	1,900.2	38.2	1.7	3,226.3
2012	2,059.3	38.5	1.7	3,380.6
2013	2,294.7	38.5	1.6	3,612.0
2014	3,180.3	40.5	1.9	4,614.9
2015	3,013.4	42.8	1.9	4,496.1
2016	3,254.5	44.2	1.5	4,645.5
2017	3,284.3	44.2	1.8	4,777.2
2018	2,968.0	47.9	1.8	4,527.7
2019	3,288.3	49.3	1.8	4,879.6
2020	3,348.8	48.9	1.5	4,829.5

\* Data exclude those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

## CO2 Emissions in Palestine\* per Unit of Value Added (Kg/US\$), 2006-2020

Year	GDP by in Palestine* for the years 2006-2020 at constant prices (USD Million)	Emissions (1000 Ton)	CO <sub>2</sub> emission per unit of value added (Kg/US\$)
2006	8,653.0	2,739.90	0.317
2007	8,980.8	2,710.70	0.302
2008	9,648.0	2,620.30	0.272
2009	10,477.1	3,026.60	0.289
2010	11,082.4	3,276.50	0.296
2011	12,146.4	3,226.30	0.266
2012	12,886.9	3,380.60	0.262
2013	13,492.4	3,612.00	0.268
2014	13,471.1	4,614.90	0.343
2015	13,972.4	4,496.12	0.322
2016	15,211.0	4,645.46	0.305
2017	15,426.9	4,777.22	0.310
2018	15,616.2	4,527.66	0.290
2019	15,829.0	4,879.62	0.308
2020	14,037.4	4,829.45	0.344

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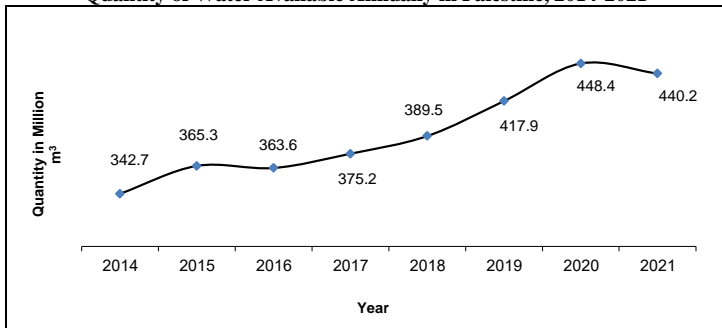
## Selected Indicators for Water Statistics in Palestine, 2019-2022

Quantity in Million m<sup>3</sup>/Year

Indicator	2019	2020	2021
Quantity of Water Available Annually	417.9	448.4	440.2
Quantity Pumped Annually from Groundwater Wells	289.0	299.1	299.6
Quantity of Spring Water Discharged Annually	40.6	53.3	37.0
Quantity of Water Purchased Annually from Israeli Water Company (Mekorot) for Domestic Use	84.2	90.3	96.1
Quantity of Annual Water Supply for Domestic Sector	227.3	232.6	250.7

\*Data excluded those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israeli Occupation in 1967.

## Quantity of Water Available Annually in Palestine, 2014-2021



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### Selected Indicators for Energy Statistics in Palestine, 2019-2021

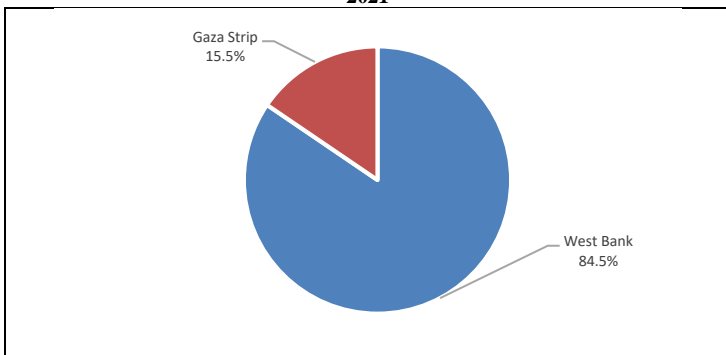
Indicator	2019	2020	2021
Renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption (%)	11.7	10.9	10.6
The Energy Consumption of the Transport Sector to the total energy Consumption (%)	43.2	42.9	45.6
The Energy Consumption of the Household Sector to the total energy Consumption (%)	38.8	43.2	40.3
The Energy Consumption of the Service Sector to the total energy Consumption (%)	11.3	8.8	8.7
The Energy Consumption of the Industry Sector to the total energy Consumption (%)	5.6	4.3	4.5
Annual Electricity Consumption Per Capita (KWh/Capita)	1,248	1,270	1,279

### Imported Electricity in Palestine by Region and Source (Mwh), 2021

Region	Source		Total
	Israeli Electricity Company	Jordan	
Palestine	6,511,362	166,809	6,678,171
West Bank	5,476,269	166,809	5,643,078
Gaza Strip	1,035,093	-	1,035,093

Mwh: Megawatt in Hour

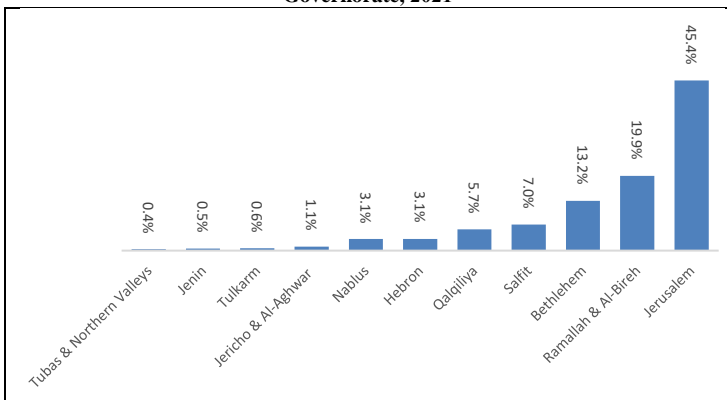
### Percentage Distribution of the Imported Electricity in Palestine by Region, 2021



## Number of Settlements and Settlers in the West Bank by Governorate, 2021

Governorate	Number of Settlements	Number of Settlers
<b>West Bank</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>719,452</b>
Jenin	5	3,722
Tubas & Northern Valleys	7	2,629
Tulkarm	3	4,632
Nablus	13	22,082
Qalqiliya	8	40,897
Salfit	13	50,067
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	26	143,311
Jericho & Al-Aghwar	17	7,845
Jerusalem	26	326,523
Area J1	16	239,951
Area J2	10	86,572
Bethlehem	13	95,279
Hebron	20	22,465

## Percentage Distribution of the Number of Settlements in the West Bank by Governorate, 2021





# **Housing Conditions**

## Percentage Distribution of Households in Palestine by Housing Density (Person per Room), 2020, 2021

Housing Density (Person per Room)	2020	2021
Less than 1	17.2	19.2
1.00- 1.99	51.4	52.1
2.00- 2.99	23.7	22.1
3.00+	7.7	6.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Average Housing Density</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>

## Percentage Distribution of Households in Palestine by Region and Type of Housing Unit, 2020



\*Other include (Independent Room, Tent, Marginal and Other).