

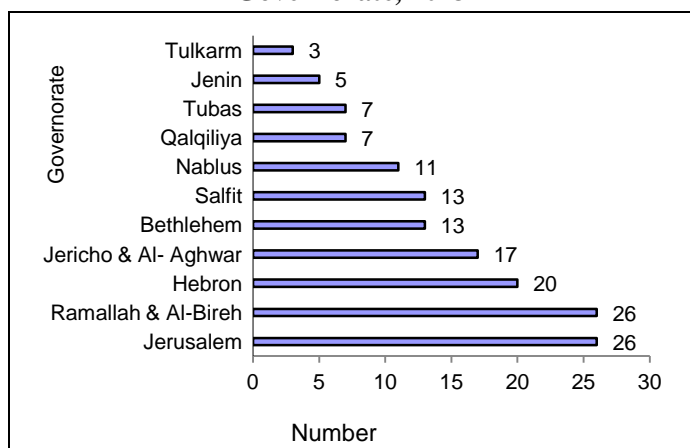


Press Release on Israeli Settlements in Palestine, 2013

About 600 thousands Settlers in the West Bank, half of them in Jerusalem Governorate

There were 148 settlements in the West Bank at the end of 2013. 26 settlements of them were in Jerusalem governorate distributed by 16 settlements in Jerusalem (J1)¹, and 10 settlements in Jerusalem (J2).

Number of Israeli Settlements in the West Bank by Governorate, 2013



Data indicate that the number of settlers in the West Bank at the end of 2013 was 580,801.

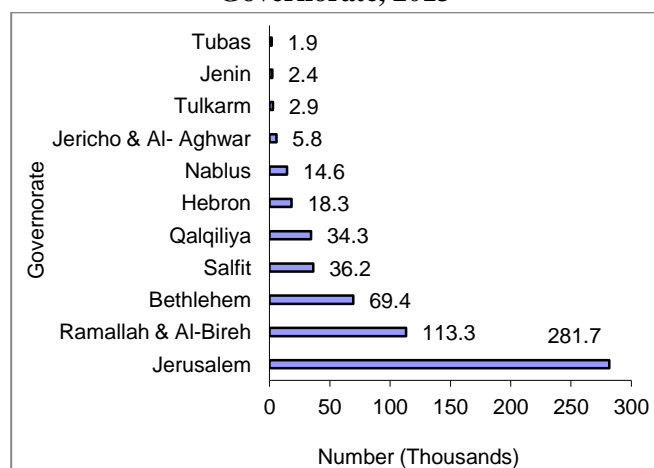
Number of Settlers in the West Bank Settlements by Year and Region

Year	Region		
	West Bank *	Jerusalem (J1)	West Bank
2008	297,933(R)	197,071	495,004(R)
2009	313,019(R)	192,768	505,787(R)
2010	327,642(R)	196,178	523,820(R)
2011	342,177(R)	199,647	541,824(R)
2012	358,364(R)	203,176	561,540(R)
2013	374,096	206,705	580,801

R: revised data

Most settlers (281,684) are concentrated in the Jerusalem governorate, constituting 48.5% of all settlers in the West Bank. Of these, 206,705 settlers are in the Jerusalem (J1) area (those parts of Jerusalem annexed by Israel in 1967). Other settlers are in Ramallah & Al-Bireh governorate (113,253 settlers), Bethlehem governorate (69,394 settlers), then Salfit governorate (36,195 settlers). The governorate with the lowest number of settlers was Tubas with 1,909 settlers.

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¹ Those parts of Jerusalem, which were annexed by Israel in 1967.