HOSTILITIES IN THE GAZA STRIP AND ISRAEL - REPORTED IMPACT

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DAY 42

OVERVIEW

The snapshot provides a comprehensive overview of the ongoing humanitarian crisis in Gaza as of 17 November 2023, including casualties, particularly among women and children.

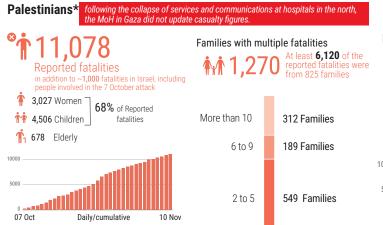
Significant damage has been inflicted upon critical infrastructure and essential services, affecting people's ability to maintain their dignity and basic living standards.

This snapshot highlights reported figures on the impact of hostilities on people in Gaza, where a major humanitarian crisis has unfolded.



*Reported by MoH Gaza

REPORTED CASUALTIES (Cumulative) as of 10 November 2023



Other 3,750 people including 1,800 children reported missing and may be trapped under the rubble

DAMAGE* **O,UUU** Destroyed buildings 42 000+ Destroyed housing units 223.000+ Partially damaged housing units

- At least 45% of Gaza's housing units reportedly destroyed or damaged
- 300 education facilities reportedly damaged
- 135 health facilities attacked
- 11 bakeries reportedly destroyed
- 25 hospitals and 52 health care centres out of service
- 55 ambulances damaged
- 20 WASH facilities damaged At least 3 churches and 76 mosques damaged

*Ministry of Public Works and Housing as of 18 Nov.

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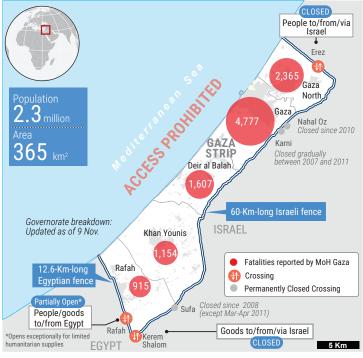
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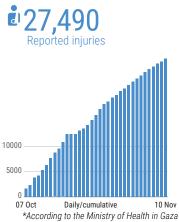
- · Lack of food in the north is of increasing concern
- · The situation is catastrophic and WFP stocks inside Gaza are running out
- · The last functioning mill in Gaza was destroyed on 15 November

4-6 hours average waiting time to receive half of normal bread portion

WATER AND SANITATION

- Two pipelines coming from Israel supply about 1,100 cubic metres per hour for the south and Middle area.
- · No Access to clean water in the northern governorates. Fuel shortage impacts: 60 water wells, 2 desalination plants, sewage stations and pumps, wastewater treatment.
- · UNRWA waste removal shutting down; 400 tons daily rubbish accumulation risk.





Israelis**



239 hostages in Gaza (including soldiers and foreign nationals)

** According to Israeli media citing official sources ***The reported estimate, which includes foreign nationals, has been changed by the Israeli sources

HUMANITARIAN OPERATION

- 102 UNRWA staff killed
- At least 200 health workers killed
- 22 civil defence killed while on duty
- 51 Journalists killed

MOVEMENT AND ACCESS

The two crossings with Israel remain closed since 7 October

Rafah crossing with Egypt is partially open. Prohibition of sea access and restrictions near Israel's perimeter fence.

INCOMING TRUCKLOADS			
500 trucks	pre-crisis average		
500	per working day in 2023		

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20 Oct	25 Oct	17 Nov
1,139	trucks with humanitarian	aid entered

Gaza since 21 October.

Disclaimer: The UN has so far not been able to produce independent, comprehensive, and verified casualty figures; the current numbers have been provided by the Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza and the Israeli authorities and await further verification. Other yet-to-be verified figures are also sourced.

- · Hospitals in the North being under heavy strikes.
- · Almost all hospitals in Gaza city and North Gaza governorates are reportedly not operational, except one.

At high risk

At least 1,000 kidney failure, >2,000 cancer patients, 130 neonates in incubators

Critical shortages

of drugs, blood products and supplies (Fuel at the hospitals is being severely rationed) **Evacuation orders**

All hospitals in Gaza city and Northern Gaza have received evacuation orders

EDUCATION

625K (100%)

Students with no access to education

Over 51% of Gaza's education facilities have been hit