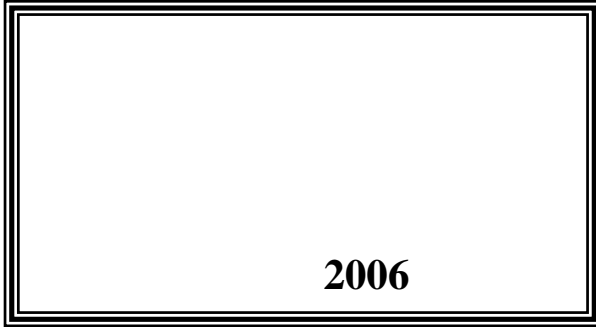


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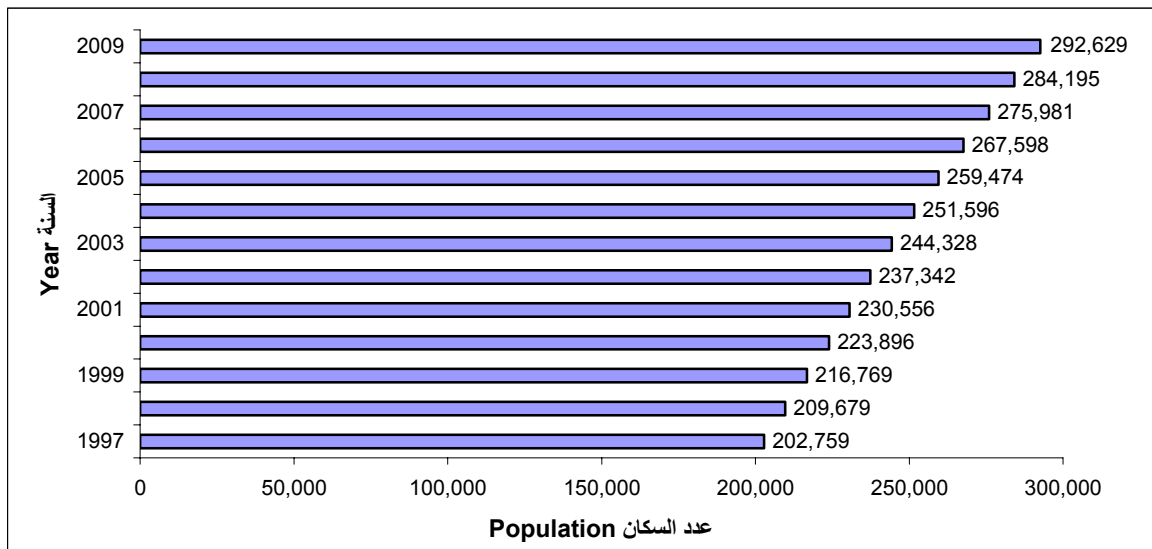
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Figure 1: Population in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate Mid-Year, 1997-2009



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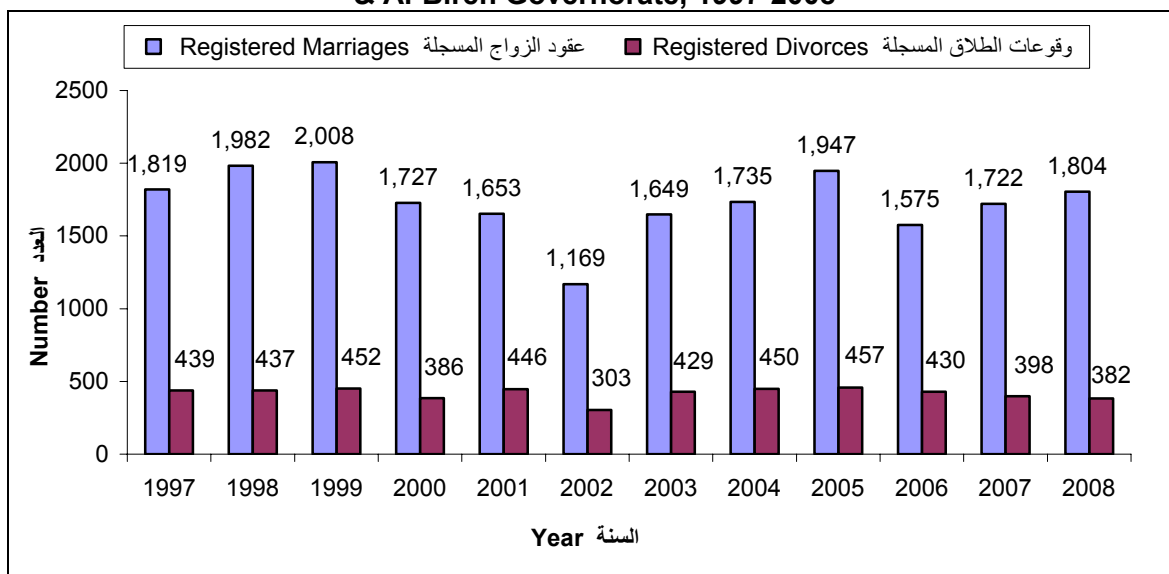
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Figure 2: Registered Marriages & Divorces in Shariah & Church Courts in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, 1997-2008



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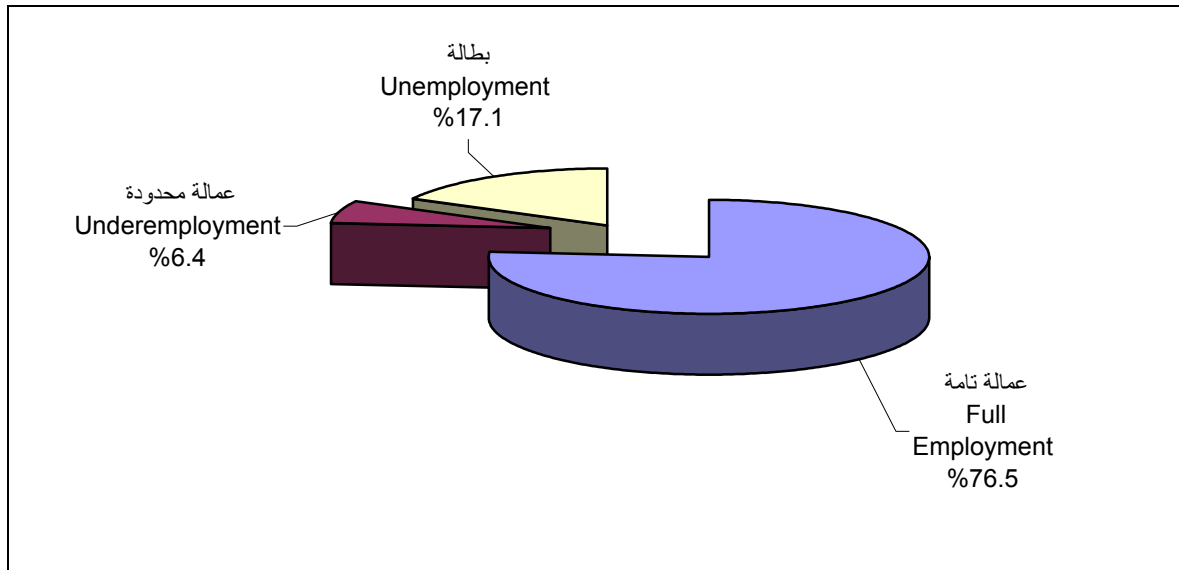
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Figure 3: Percentage Distribution of Population (15 years and over) in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Labor Force Components, 2008

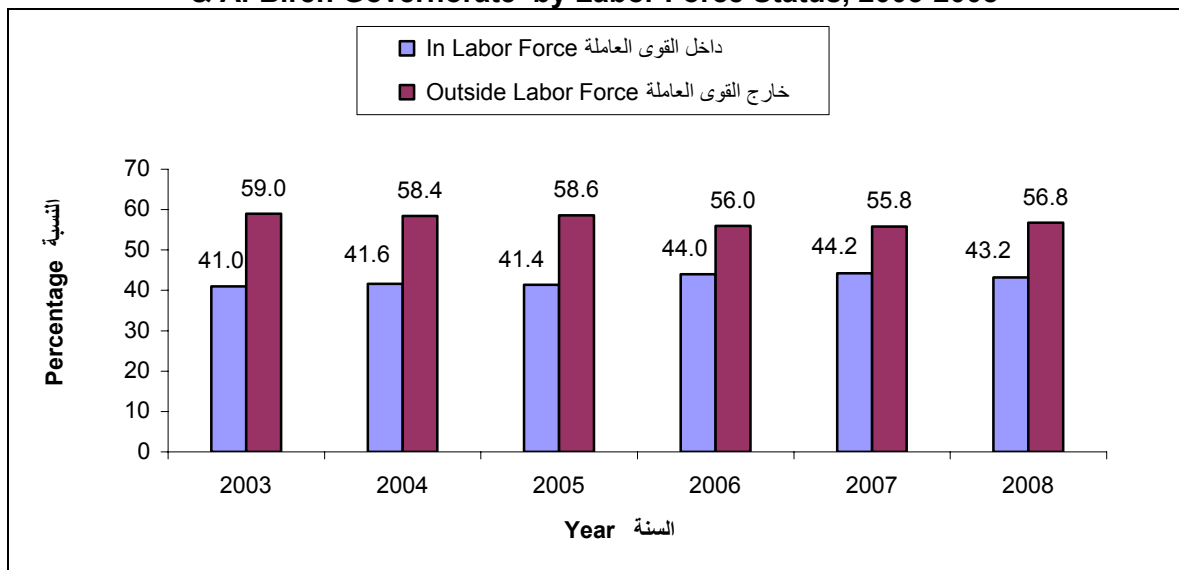


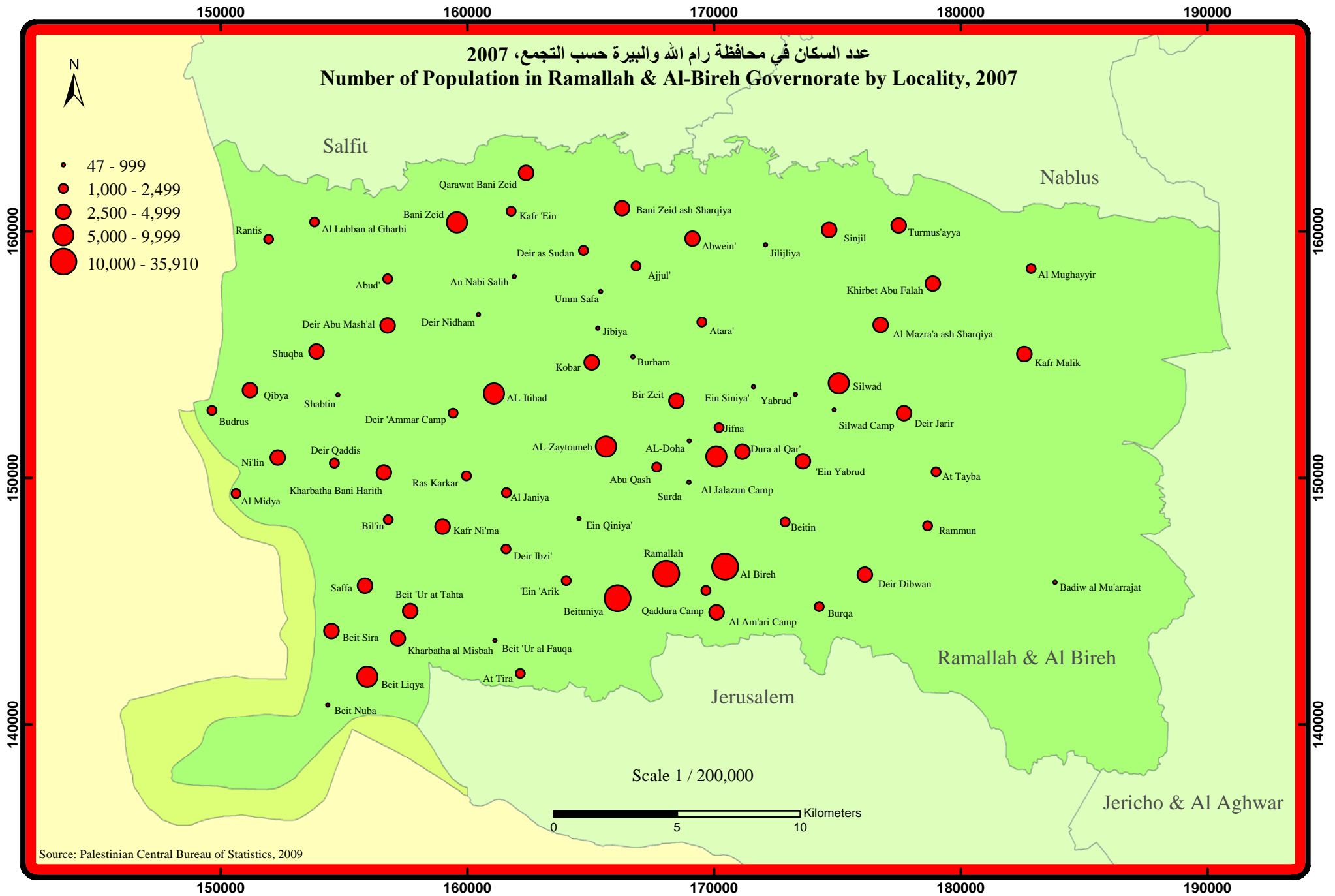
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Figure 4: Percentage Distribution of Population (15 years and over) in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Labor Force Status, 2003-2008





Source: Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics, 2009

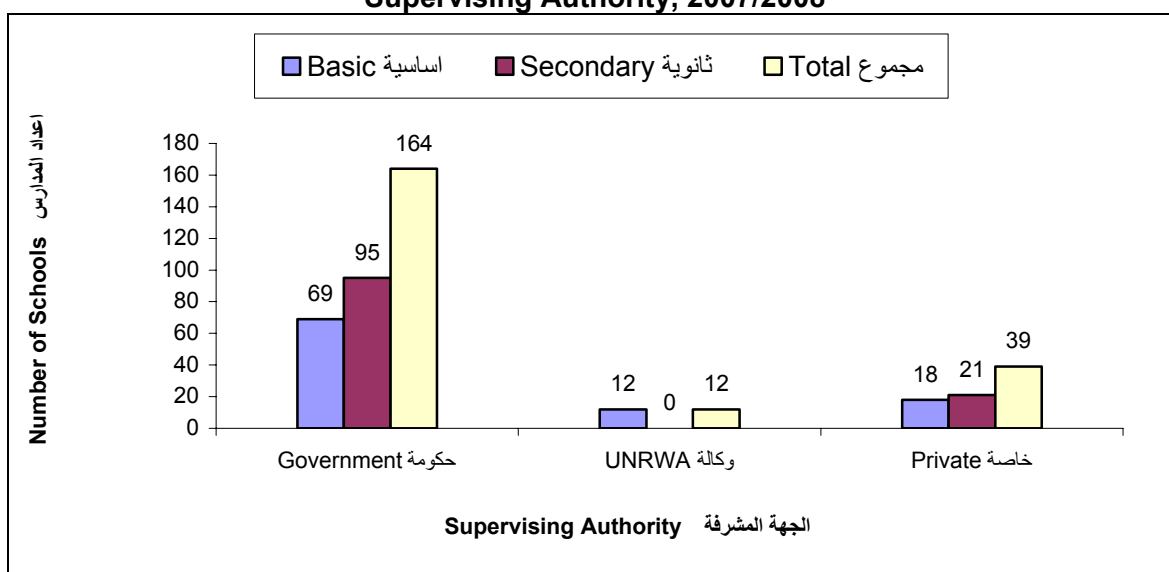
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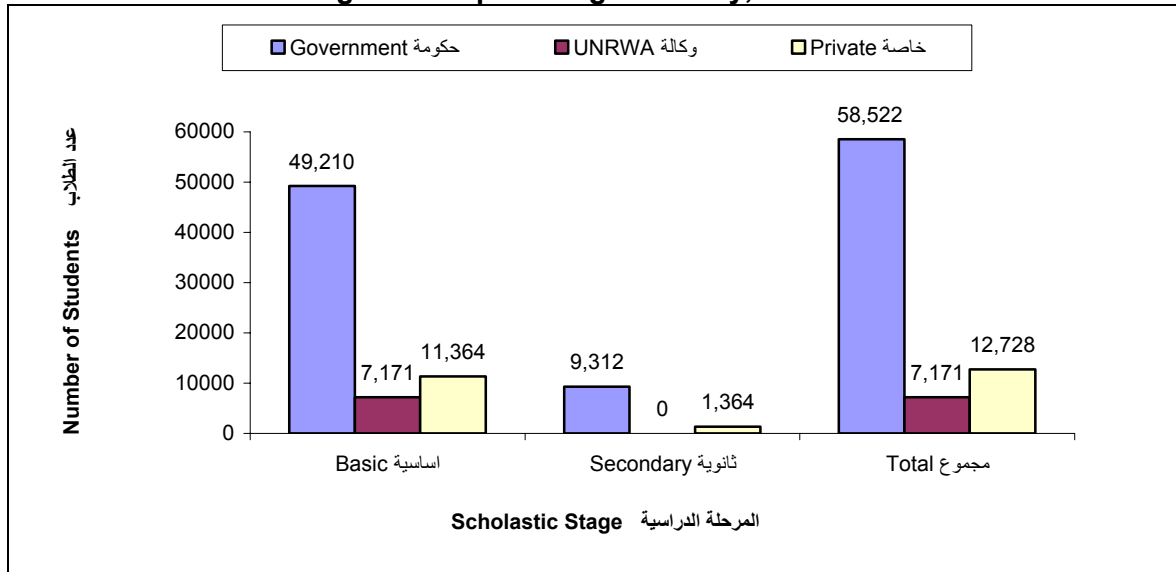
Figure 5: Number of Schools in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Stage and Supervising Authority, 2007/2008



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Figure 6: Numbers of Students in Schools in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Stage and Supervising Authority, 2007/2008



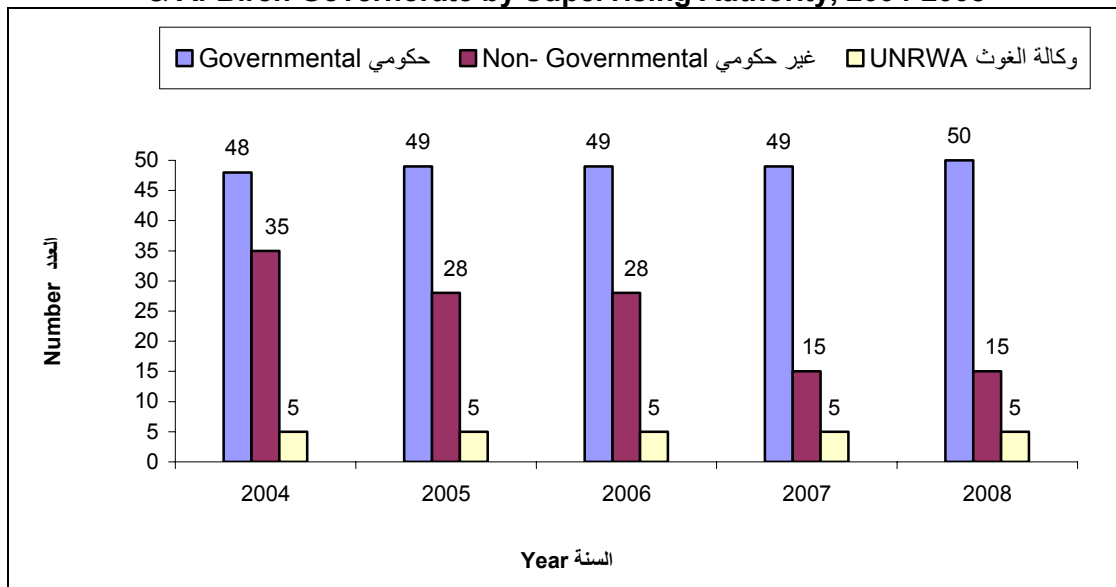
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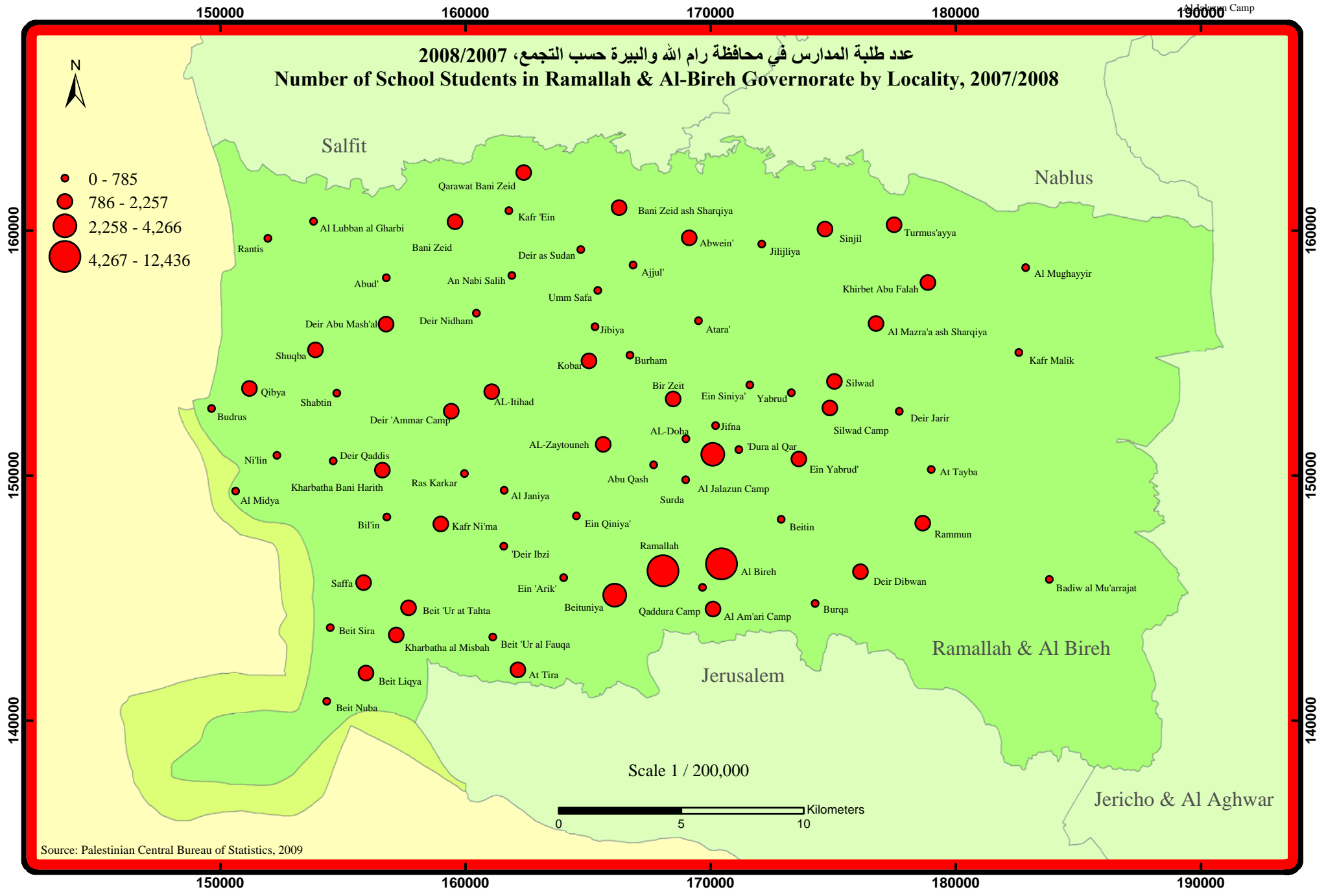
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Figure 7: Distribution of Primary Health Care Clinics and Centers in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Supervising Authority, 2004-2008





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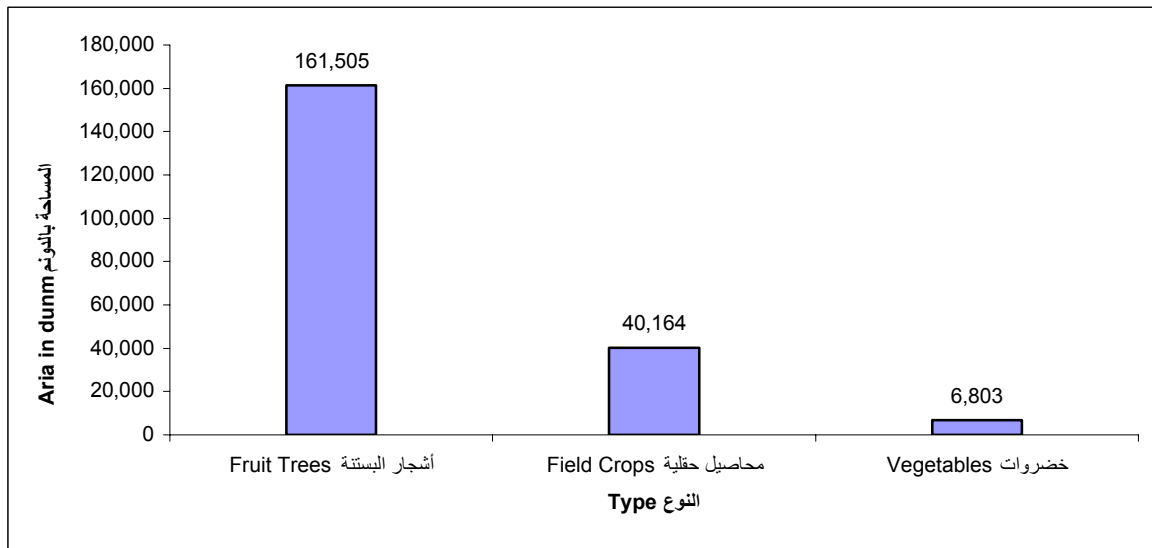
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Figure 8: Cultivated Areas of Field Crops, Fruit Trees and Vegetables in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, 2006/2007

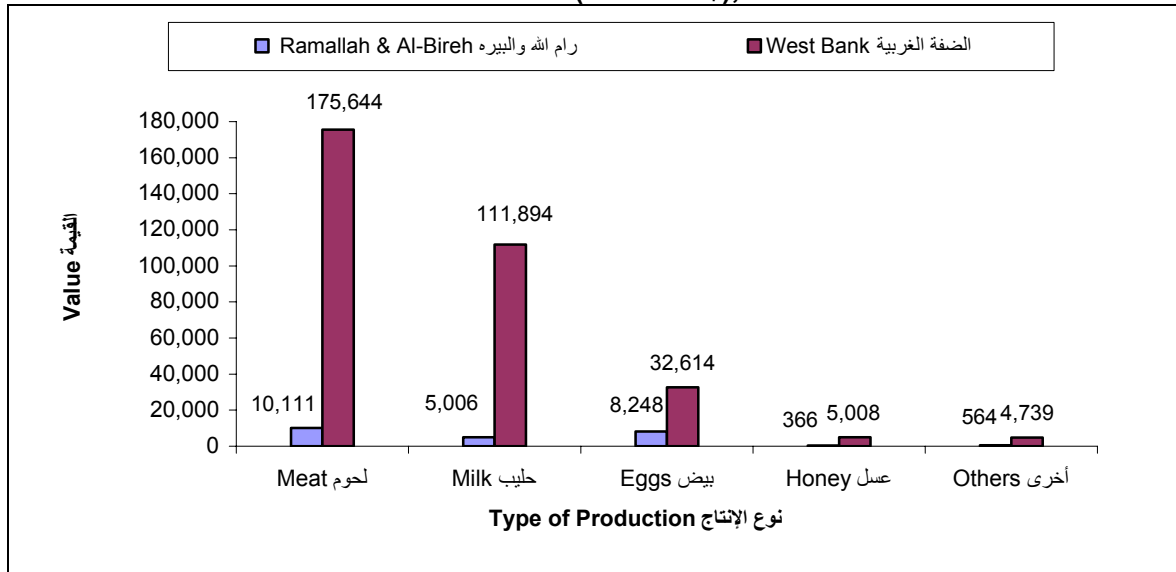


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Figure 9: Value of Livestock Production in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, and the West Bank (1000 US \$), 2006/2007



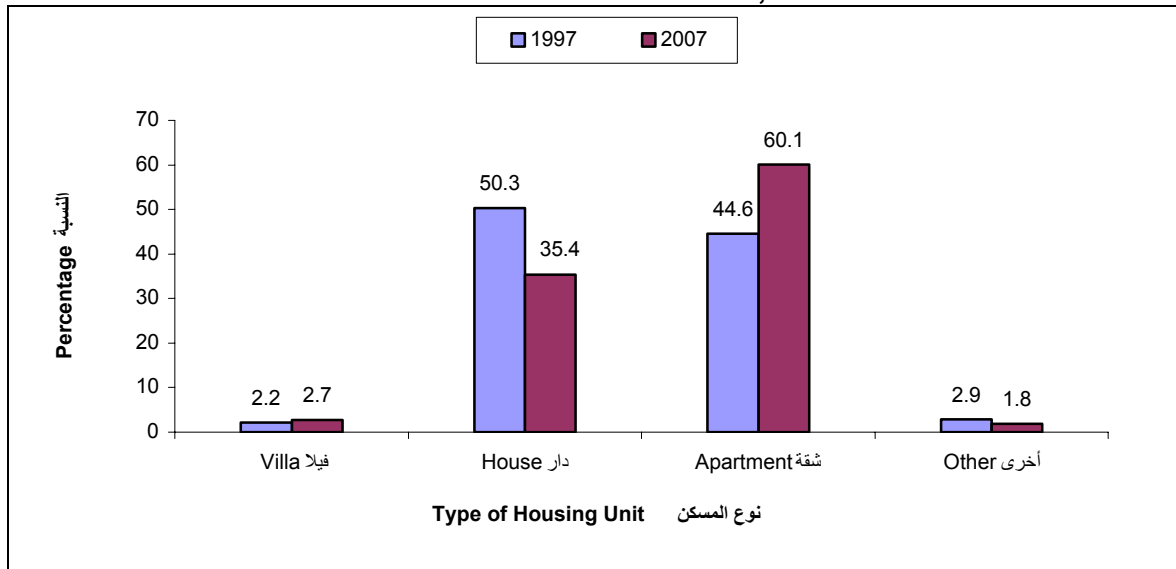
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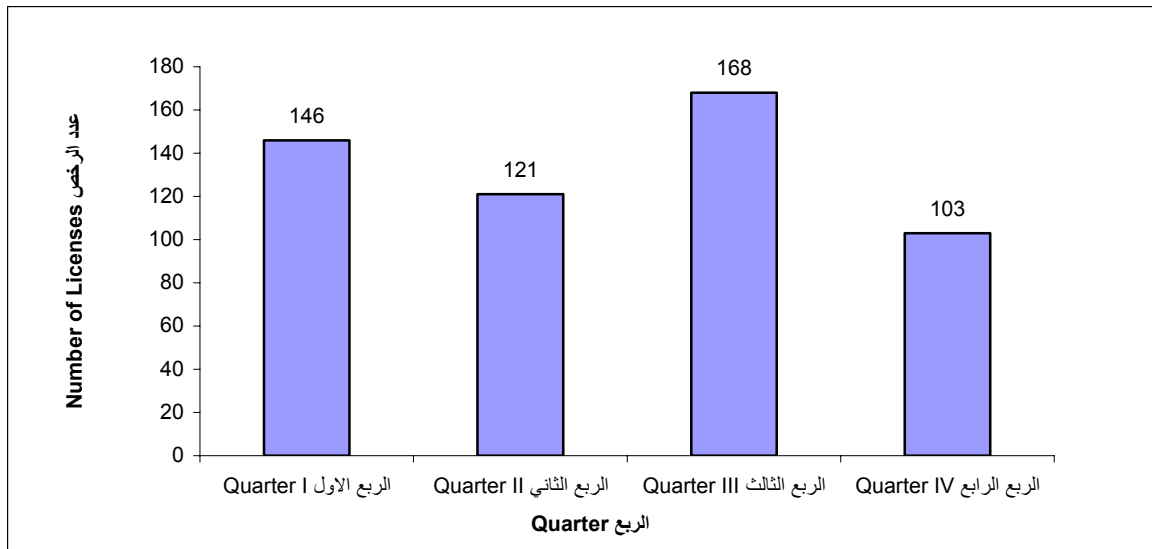
Figure 10: Percentage Distribution of Households by Type of Housing Unit in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate 1997,2007



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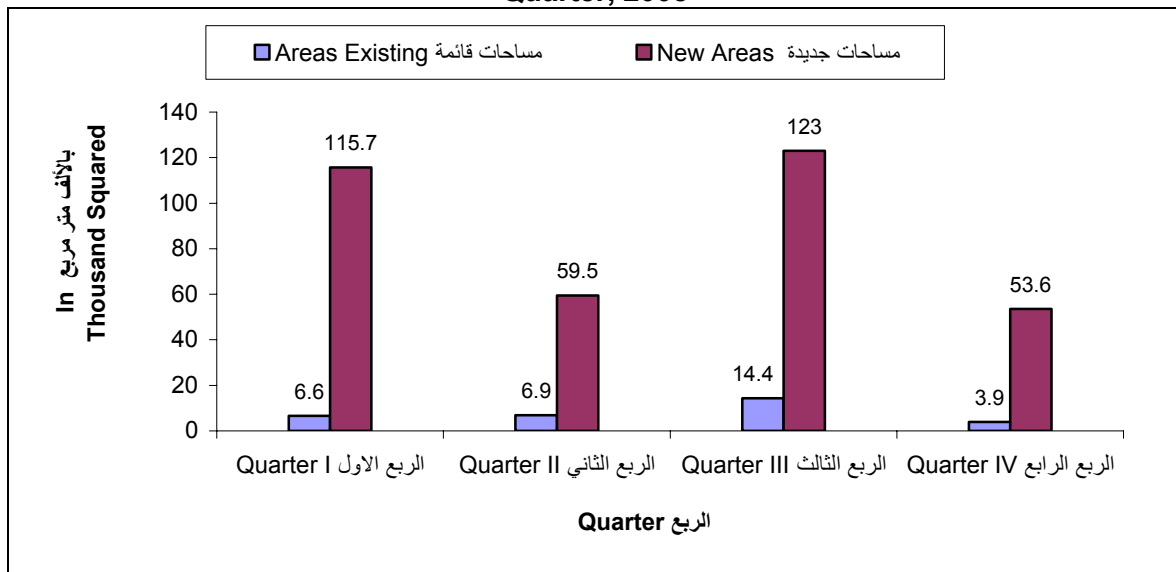
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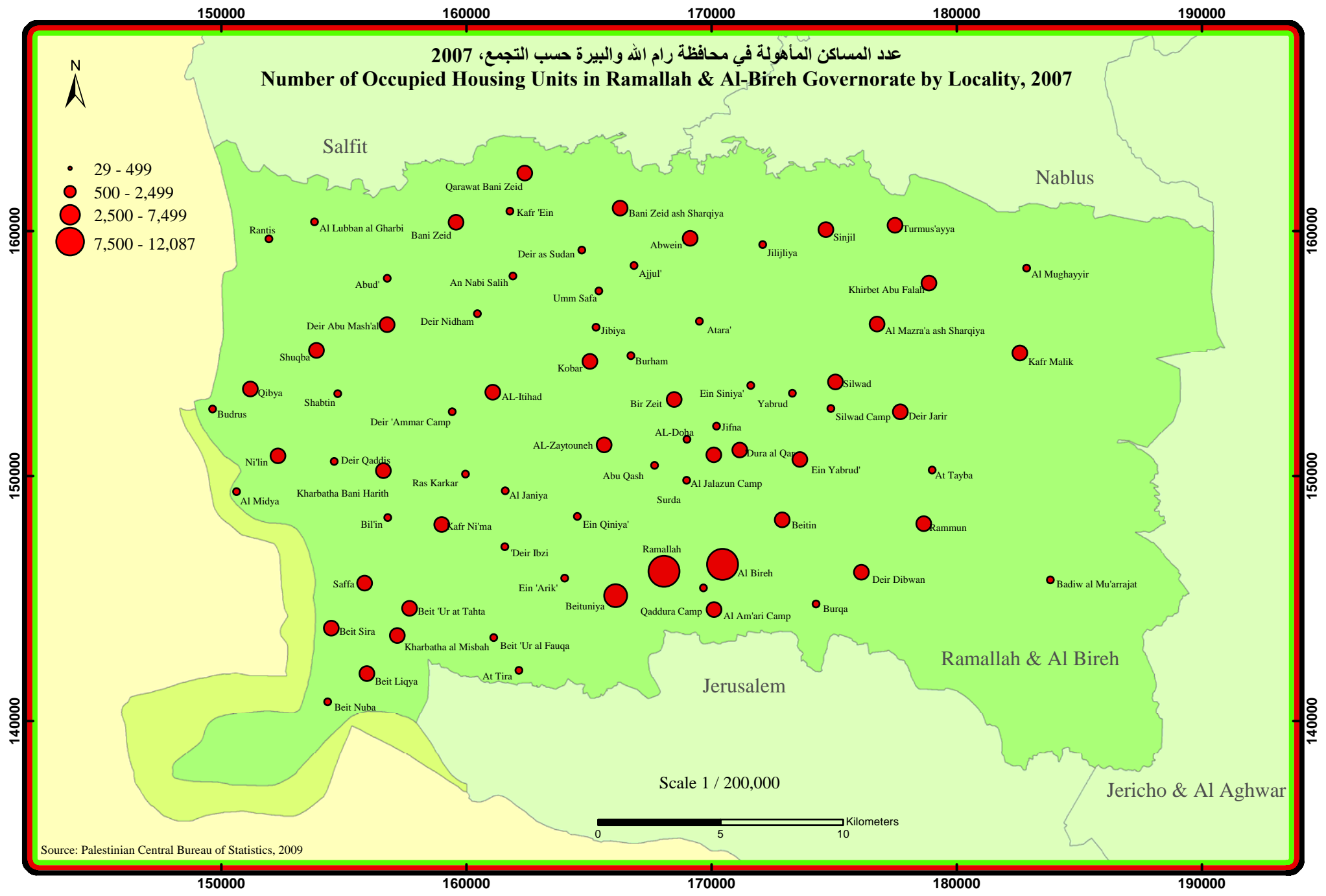
Figure 11: Issued Building Licenses in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Quarter, 2008



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Figure 12: Issued Building Licenses in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Area & Quarter, 2008

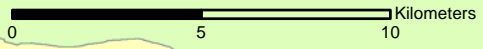




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Number of Occupied Housing Units in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Locality, 2007

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Localities shown on the map include: Salfit, Nablus, Qarawat Bani Zeid, Kafir 'Ein, Bani Zeid ash Sharqiya, Abwein, Sinjil, Turmus'ayya, Rantis, Al Lubban al Gharbi, Bani Zeid, Deir as Sudan, Jiljiya, Al Mughayyir, Abud', An Nabi Salih, Umm Safa, Ajjul', Khirbet Abu Falah, Deir Abu Mash'al, Deir Nidham, Jibiya, Atara', Al Mazra'a ash Sharqiya, Shuqba, Kobar, Burham, Bir Zeit, Ein Siniya', Yabrud, Silwad, Qibya, Shabtin, AL-Itihad, Deir 'Ammar Camp, AL-Zaytouneh, AL-Doha, Jifna, Silwad Camp, Deir Jarir, Budrus, Ni'lin, Deir Qaddis, Ras Karkar, Abu Qash, Dura al Qar, Ein Yabrud', At Tayba, Al Midya, Kharbatha Bani Harith, Al Janiya, Surda, Al Jalazun Camp, Beitin, Rammun, Saffa, Beit 'Ur at Tahta, Ein 'Arik', Beituniya, Qaddura Camp, Al Am'ari Camp, Beit Sira, Kharbatha al Misbah, Beit 'Ur al Fauqa, Burqa, Beit Liqya, At Tira, Beit Nuba, and Badiw al Mu'arrajat.



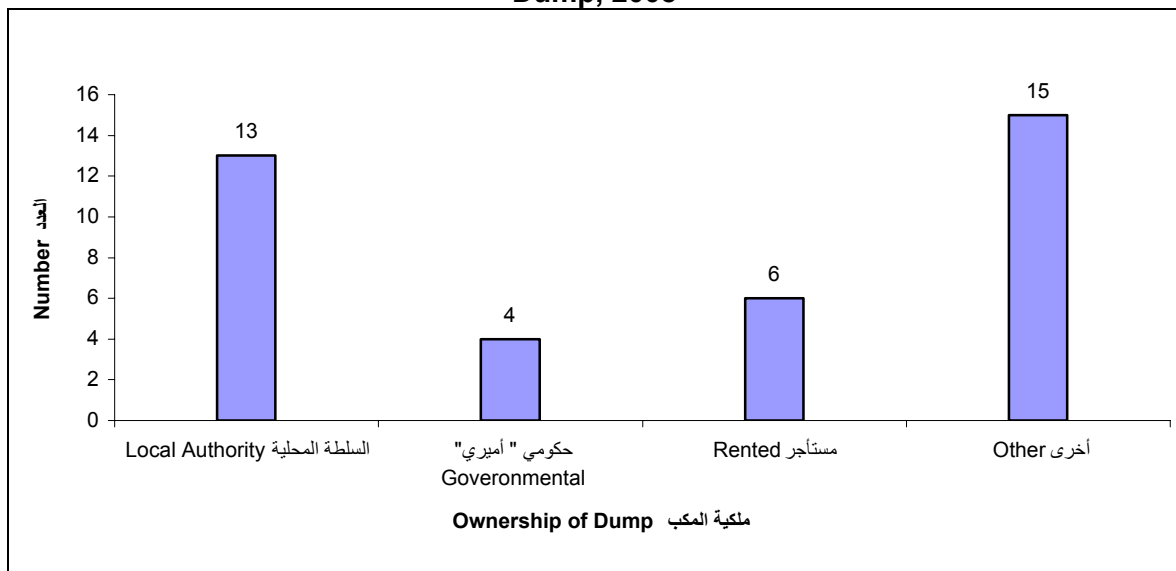
Source: Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics, 2009

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Figure 13: Distribution of Dumps in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Ownership of Dump, 2008



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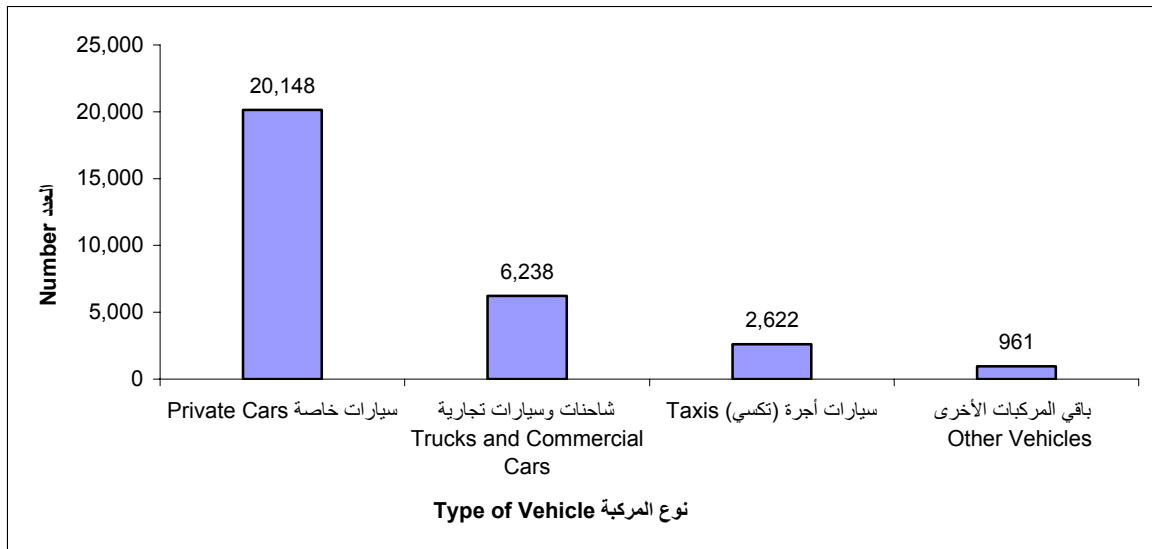
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Figure 14: Number of Licensed Road Vehicles in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Type of Vehicle, 2008



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Tables

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Table 1: Estimated Population in the Palestinian Territory Mid-Year by Governorate, 1997-2009

Governorate	Year													السنة
	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	
Palestinian Territory	3,935,249	3,825,512	3,719,189	3,611,998	3,508,126	3,407,417	3,314,509	3,225,214	3,138,471	3,053,335	2,962,226	2,871,568	2,783,084	
West Bank	2,448,433	2,385,180	2,323,469	2,262,735	2,203,738	2,146,400	2,093,381	2,042,306	1,992,577	1,943,658	1,891,171	1,838,807	1,787,562	
Jenin	267,027	260,216	253,558	246,696	240,023	233,530	227,520	221,726	216,078	210,518	204,547	198,584	192,743	
Tubas	52,950	51,192	49,489	47,770	46,111	44,510	43,039	41,631	40,269	38,938	37,521	36,117	34,755	
Tulkarm	162,668	159,594	156,566	153,363	150,227	147,155	144,293	141,516	138,793	136,094	133,174	130,238	127,341	
Nablus	332,389	324,816	317,391	309,666	302,133	294,782	287,961	281,366	274,922	268,560	261,708	254,845	248,102	
Qalqiliya	94,947	92,506	90,120	87,663	85,273	82,949	80,798	78,725	76,704	74,716	72,580	70,448	68,361	
Salfit	61,714	60,309	58,932	57,499	56,101	54,738	53,472	52,248	51,053	49,873	48,601	47,328	46,077	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	292,629	284,195	275,981	267,598	259,474	251,596	244,328	237,342	230,556	223,896	216,769	209,679	202,759	
Jericho & Al Aghwar	44,183	42,964	41,776	40,559	39,378	38,232	37,173	36,154	35,162	34,188	33,145	32,105	31,089	
Jerusalem	375,167	368,394	361,743	357,424	353,157	348,941	344,982	341,108	337,278	333,451	329,274	325,033	320,809	
Bethlehem	183,804	178,853	174,022	169,064	164,250	159,574	155,251	151,088	147,037	143,054	138,783	134,525	130,361	
Hebron	580,955	562,141	543,891	525,433	507,611	490,393	474,564	459,402	444,725	430,370	415,069	399,905	385,165	
Gaza Strip	1,486,816	1,440,332	1,395,720	1,349,263	1,304,388	1,261,017	1,221,128	1,182,908	1,145,894	1,109,677	1,071,055	1,032,761	995,522	
North Gaza	286,246	275,687	265,594	255,256	245,326	235,782	227,051	218,729	210,712	202,909	194,637	186,485	178,605	
Gaza	519,027	504,047	489,642	474,509	459,851	445,645	432,546	419,963	407,745	395,760	382,943	370,198	357,768	
Deir Al-Balah	215,808	209,014	202,493	195,705	189,148	182,811	176,982	171,397	165,988	160,696	155,052	149,456	144,015	
Khan Yunis	283,286	275,134	267,294	259,056	251,075	243,340	236,207	229,354	222,700	216,172	209,190	202,247	195,475	
Rafah	182,449	176,450	170,697	164,737	158,988	153,439	148,342	143,465	138,749	134,140	129,233	124,375	119,659	

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Table 2: Estimated Population in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank Mid Year by Sex, 2007-2009

Year	Ramallah & Al-Bireh			West Bank			
	Females	Males	Total	Females	Males	Total	
2007	137,163	138,818	275,981	1,143,989	1,179,480	2,323,469	2007
2008	141,245	142,950	284,195	1,174,299	1,210,881	2,385,180	2008
2009	145,437	147,192	292,629	1,205,369	1,243,064	2,448,433	2009

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Table 3: Palestinian Population in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank End Year by Refugee Status, 2007

Governorate /Region	Total	Refugee Status			/
		Not Stated	Not-Refugee	Refugee	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate	262,563	6,922	178,830	76,811	
West Bank	2,279,969	55,351	1,600,551	624,067	

Note: Includes population counted during the period of 1-16/12/2007 and does not include uncounted population estimates according to post enumeration survey.

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Table 4: Population in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate End Year by Sex, Locality, 2007

Locality	Sex		Total	
	Females	Males		
Qarawat Bani Zeid	1,412	1,503	2,915	
Bani Zeid ash				
Sharqiya	2,477	2,606	5,083	
Kafr 'Ein	868	875	1,743	
Bani Zeid	2,704	2,811	5,515	
Abwein	1,567	1,552	3,119	
Turmus'ayya	1,916	1,820	3,736	
Al Lubban al Gharbi	767	709	1,476	
Sinjil	2,668	2,568	5,236	
Deir as Sudan	983	1,008	1,991	
Rantis	1,167	1,367	2,534	
Jilijliya	390	351	741	
Ajjul	601	636	1,237	
Al Mughayyir	1,148	1,220	2,368	
Abud	1,019	1,065	2,084	
An Nabi Salih	248	286	534	
Khirbet Abu Falah	1,960	2,036	3,996	
Umm Safa	298	314	612	

Table 4 (Cont): Population in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate End Year by Sex, Locality, 2007

Locality	Sex		Total	
	Females	Males		
Al Mazra'a ash Sharqiya	2,267	2,228	4,495	
Deir Nidham	412	467	879	
Atara	1,139	1,131	2,270	
Deir Abu Mash'al	1,728	1,794	3,522	
Jibiya	77	71	148	
Burham	310	306	616	
Kafr Malik	1,421	1,366	2,787	
Shuqba	2,195	2,302	4,497	
Kobar	1,792	1,885	3,677	
Qibya	2,356	2,545	4,901	
Silwad	3,051	3,072	6,123	
Yabrud	307	337	644	
AL-Itihad	3,282	3,521	6,803	
Shabtin	395	449	844	
Bir Zeit	2,268	2,261	4,529	
AL-Doha	19	31	50	
Ein Siniya	362	349	711	
Silwad Camp	167	215	382	
Deir Jarir	2,009	1,977	3,986	
Deir 'Ammar Camp	903	931	1,834	
Budrus	709	690	1,399	
AL-Zaytouneh	2,985	3,205	6,190	
Jifna	856	860	1,716	
Dura al Qar'	1,469	1,428	2,897	
At Tayba	760	692	1,452	
Al Jalazun Camp	3,871	3,942	7,813	
Abu Qash	697	707	1,404	
Deir Qaddis	936	1,006	1,942	
Ni'lin	2,254	2,319	4,573	
Ein Yabrud	1,572	1,427	2,999	
Kharbatha Bani Harith	1,369	1,477	2,846	
Ras Karkar	813	850	1,663	
Surda	524	507	1,031	
Al Janiya	582	581	1,163	
Al Midya	635	666	1,301	
Rammun	1,338	1,288	2,626	
Kafr Ni'ma	1,862	1,888	3,750	
Bil'in	812	889	1,701	
Beitin	1,128	1,015	2,143	
Ein Qiniya	399	413	812	
Badiw al Mu'arrajat	346	407	753	

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Table 4 (Cont): Population in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate End Year by Sex, Locality, 2007

Locality	Sex		Total
	Females	Males	
Deir Ibzi'	1,014	1,055	2,069
Deir Dibwan	2,839	2,413	5,252
Al Bireh	19,068	19,134	38,202
Ein 'Arik	795	772	1,567
Saffa	1,898	1,904	3,802
Ramallah	13,846	13,614	27,460
Burqa	1,095	995	2,090
Beit 'Ur at Tahta	2,129	2,243	4,372
Beituniya	9,714	10,047	19,761
Al Am'ari Camp	2,431	2,583	5,014
Qaddura Camp	604	604	1,208
Beit Sira	1,315	1,434	2,749
Kharbatha al Misbah	2,548	2,663	5,211
Beit 'Ur al Fauqa	426	438	864
At Tira	697	661	1,358
Beit Liqya	3,799	3,911	7,710
Beit Nuba	115	134	249
Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate.	138,903	140,827	279,730

Note: Includes population counted during the period of 1-16/12/2007 and does not include uncounted population estimates according to post enumeration survey.

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Table 5: Number of Occupied Housing Units in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Locality, 2007

Locality	Number of Housing Units
Qarawat Bani Zeid	474
Bani Zeid ash Sharqiya	835
Kafr 'Ein	320
Bani Zeid	1,028
Abwein	538
Turmus'ayya	587
Al Lubban al Gharbi	233
Sinjil	906
Deir as Sudan	306
Rantis	396
Jilijliya	145

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Table 5 (Cont): Number of Occupied Housing Units in in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Locality, 2007

Locality	Number of Housing Units	
Ajjul	207	
Al Mughayyir	353	
Abud	394	
An Nabi Salih	86	
Khirbet Abu Falah	583	
Umm Safa	107	
Al Mazra'a ash Sharqiya	744	
Deir Nidham	131	
Atara	388	
Deir Abu Mash'al	632	
Jibiya	24	
Burham	113	
Kafr Malik	527	
Shuqba	745	
Kobar	628	
Qibya	755	
Silwad	1,163	
Yabrud	104	
AL-Itihad	992	
Shabtin	140	
Bir Zeit	945	
AL-Doha	9	
Ein Siniya	128	
Silwad Camp	64	
Deir Jarir	705	
Deir 'Ammar Camp	292	
Budrus	222	
AL-Zaytouneh	965	
Jifna	353	
Dura al Qar'	509	
At Tayba	311	
Al Jalazun Camp	1,317	
Abu Qash	257	
Deir Qaddis	324	
Ni'lin	817	
Ein Yabrud	542	
Kharbatha Bani Harith	458	
Ras Karkar	271	

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Table 5 (Cont): Number of Occupied Housing Units in in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Locality, 2007

Locality	Number of Housing Units	
Surda	201	
Al Janiya	169	
Al Midya	203	
Rammun	440	
Kafr Ni'ma	666	
Bill'in	289	
Beitin	414	
Ein Qiniya	122	
Badiw al Mu'arrajat	105	
Deir Ibzi'	333	
Deir Dibwan	931	
Al Bireh	7,429	
Ein 'Arik	268	
Saffa	612	
Ramallah	5,713	
Burqa	295	
Beit 'Ur at Tahta	756	
Beituniya	3,667	
Al Am'ari Camp	851	
Qaddura Camp	219	
Beit Sira	463	
Kharbatha al Misbah	766	
Beit 'Ur al Fauqa	167	
At Tira	231	
Beit Liqya	1,224	
Beit Nuba	30	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate	49,637	

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Table 6: Registered Marriages in Shariah & Church Courts in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 1997-2008

Years	Registered Marriages		
	West Bank	Ramallah & Al-Bireh	
1997	15,883	1,819	1997
1998	16,285	1,982	1998
1999	16,099	2,008	1999
2000	14,867	1,727	2000
2001	14,483	1,653	2001
2002	12,319	1,169	2002
2003	14,782	1,649	2003
2004	15,551	1,735	2004
2005	16,706	1,947	2005
2006	16,380	1,575	2006
2007	18,576	1,722	2007
2008	19,006	1,804	2008

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Table 7: Median Age at First Marriage in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank by Sex, 2008

Governorate /Region	Median Age		/
	Females	Males	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	20.1	25.3	
West Bank	19.8	25.4	

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Table 8: Registered Marriages in Shariah & Church Courts in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Age of Groom and Bride, 2008

Age of Groom	Age of Bride						Total	
	+40	39-35	34-30	29-25	24-20	أقل من 20		
Total	28	41	60	195	674	806	1,804	
Less than 20	0	0	0	0	7	51	58	أقل من 20
20-24	0	1	3	13	220	456	693	24-20
25-29	2	0	9	77	317	253	658	29-25
30-34	0	5	12	59	103	38	217	34-30
35-39	1	3	10	26	18	7	65	39-35
40+	25	32	26	20	9	1	113	+40

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Table 9: Registered Marriages in Shariah & Church Courts in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank by Previous Marital Status of Groom, Bride, 2008

Previous Marital Status of Groom and Governorate/Region	Previous Marital Status of Bride				/
	Widowed	Divorced	Never Married	Total	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate					
Total	14	154	1,636	1,804	
Never Married	4	67	1,469	1,540	
Married	7	45	43	95	
Divorced	2	34	101	137	
Widowed	1	8	21	30	
Separated	0	0	2	2	
West Bank					
Total	136	1,361	17,509	19,006	
Never Married	45	576	15,528	16,149	
Married	48	388	728	1,164	
Divorced	22	313	1,031	1,366	
Widowed	21	83	220	324	
Separated	0	1	2	3	

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Table 10: Registered Divorces in Shariah Courts in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 1997-2008

Years	Registered Divorces		
	West Bank	Ramallah & Al-Bireh	
1997	2,143	439	1997
1998	2,213	437	1998
1999	2,388	452	1999
2000	2,120	386	2000
2001	2,207	446	2001
2002	1,775	303	2002
2003	2,360	429	2003
2004	2,304	450	2004
2005	2,466	457	2005
2006	2,232	430	2006
2007	2,398	398	2007
2008	2,803	382	2008

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Table 11: Registered Divorces in Shariah Courts in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Age of Divorce and Age of Divorcee, 2008

Age of Divorce	Age of Divorcee						Total	
	+40	39-35	34-30	29-25	24-20	أقل من 20		
Total	42	30	40	79	114	77	382	
Less than 20	0	3	0	0	1	3	7	أقل من 20
20-24	0	0	0	7	31	41	79	24-20
25-29	0	1	4	21	53	24	103	29-25
30-34	0	3	14	32	21	7	77	34-30
35-39	2	8	10	13	4	1	38	39-35
40+	40	15	12	6	4	1	78	+40

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Table 12: Registered Divorces in Shariah Courts in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Duration of Marriage, 2008

Duration of Marriage	Number of Divorces	
Total	382	
Less than One Year	137	
1	56	1
2	34	2
3	28	3
4	16	4
5	11	5
6-7	15	7-6
8-9	14	9-8
10-14	21	14-10
15-19	28	19-15
20+	22	+20

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Table 13: Number of Births and Deaths in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank by sex, 2008

Governorate /Region	Deaths			Births			/
	Females	Males	Total	Females	Males	Total	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate	283	363	646	3,472	3,577	7,049	
West Bank	2,640	3,169	5,809	30,557	32,043	62,600	

جدول 14: التوزيع النسبي للأفراد (15 سنة فأكثر) في محافظة رام الله والبيرة حسب الجنس والعلاقة بقوة العمل، 2003-2008
 Table 14: Percentage Distribution of Population (15 Years and Over) in Ramallah & Al-Bireh by Sex and Labor Force Status, 2003-2008

Labor Force Status and Sex	Year					
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
Both Sexes						
In Labor Force	43.2	44.2	44.0	41.4	41.6	41.0
Outside Labor Force	56.8	55.8	56.0	58.6	58.4	59.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100
Full Employment	76.5	76.9	79.1	80.2	75.4	72.2
Underemployment	6.4	7.1	4.6	4.0	4.8	7.3
Unemployment	17.1	16.0	16.3	15.8	19.8	20.5
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100
Males						
In Labor Force	66.6	68.8	67.7	66.3	67.3	67.3
Outside Labor Force	33.4	31.2	32.3	33.7	32.7	32.7
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100
Full Employment	74.4	75.7	79.0	78.9	73.8	70.0
Underemployment	8.1	8.7	5.6	4.9	5.5	8.0
Unemployment	17.5	15.6	15.4	16.2	20.7	22.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100
Females						
In Labor Force	20.0	19.8	21.0	17.3	16.3	15.4
Outside Labor Force	80.0	80.2	79.0	82.7	83.7	84.6
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100
Full Employment	83.2	81.1	79.4	85.3	81.5	81.9
Underemployment	1.0	1.5	1.4	0.7	2.3	4.4
Unemployment	15.8	17.4	19.2	14.0	16.2	13.7
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100

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Table 15: Number of Schools and Kindergartens in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank by Stage and Supervising Authority, 2006/2007- 2007/2008

Region and Scholastic Year	Schools			Kindergartens	
	Total	Secondary	Basic		
Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate					
2006/2007					2007/2006
Total	207	112	95	75	
Government	160	92	68	.	
UNRWA	12	.	12	.	
Private	35	20	15	75	
2007/2008					2008/2007
Total	215	116	99	74	
Government	164	95	69	.	
UNRWA	12	.	12	.	
Private	39	21	18	74	
West Bank					
2006/2007					2007/2006
Total	1,755	653	1,102	688	
Government	1,418	585	833	2	
UNRWA	93	.	93	.	
Private	244	68	176	686	
2007/2008					2008/2007
Total	1,809	684	1,125	712	
Government	1,460	614	846	2	
UNRWA	95	.	95	.	
Private	254	70	184	710	

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Table 16: Number of Students in Schools and Kindergartens in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank by Supervising Authority, sex and Stage, 2006/2007-2007/2008

Region and Scholastic Year	Students									Kindergartens			
	Total			Secondary			Basic			Kindergartens			
	Females	Males	Total	Females	Males		Females	Males	Total	Females	Males	Total	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh													
2006/2007													2007/2006
Government	29,827	28,215	58,042	4,886	3,825	8,711	24,941	24,390	49,331	-	-	-	
UNRWA	3,630	3,689	7,319	-	-	-	3,630	3,689	7,319	-	-	-	
Private	4,987	6,299	11,286	533	652	1,185	4,454	5,647	10,101	2,844	3,105	5,949	
2007/2008													2008/2007
Government	30,189	28,333	58,522	5,297	4,015	9,312	24,892	24,318	49,210	-	-	-	
UNRWA	3,648	3,523	7,171	-	-	-	3,648	3,523	7,171	-	-	-	
Private	5,579	7,149	12,728	604	760	1,364	4,975	6,389	11,364	2,834	2,998	5,832	
West Bank													الضفة الغربية
2006/2007													2007/2006
Government	263,268	259,511	522,779	39,039	33,188	72,227	224,229	226,323	450,552	44	51	95	
UNRWA	33,526	25,699	59,225	-	-	-	33,526	25,699	59,225	-	-	-	
Private	25,668	35,672	61,340	1,834	2,471	4,305	23,834	33,201	57,035	24,980	26,485	51,465	
2007/2008													2008/2007
Government	267,103	261,916	529,019	42,582	35,542	78,124	224,521	226,374	450,895	38	51	89	
UNRWA	33,674	24,771	58,445	-	-	-	33,674	24,771	58,445	-	-	-	
Private	27,637	39,116	66,753	2,045	2,752	4,797	25,592	36,364	61,956	27,258	28,723	55,981	

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Table 17: Average Number of Students per Class in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Stage and Supervising Authority, 2002/2003- 2007/2008

Stage and Scholastic Year	Supervising Authority			/ Grand Average	
	Private	UNRWA	Governorate		
Kindergartens					
2002/2003	22.3	-	-	22.3	2003/2002
2003/2004	23.0	-	-	23.0	2004/2003
2004/2005	23.2	-	-	23.2	2005/2004
2005/2006	23.5	-	-	23.5	2006/2005
2006/2007	22.6	-	-	22.6	2007/2006
2007/2008	23.1	-	-	23.1	2008/2007
Basic					
2002/2003	21.6	37.4	31.5	30.6	2003/2002
2003/2004	22.2	36.4	31.5	30.6	2004/2003
2004/2005	23.4	35.3	31.1	30.3	2005/2004
2005/2006	23.4	34.4	30.8	29.8	2006/2005
2006/2007	24.5	36.1	30.0	29.5	2007/2006
2007/2008	24.2	29.4	30.0	29.4	2008/2007
Secondary					
2002/2003	14.5	-	27.0	25.0	2003/2002
2003/2004	13.8	-	26.6	24.5	2004/2003
2004/2005	15.0	-	26.8	24.8	2005/2004
2005/2006	16.6	-	27.3	25.5	2006/2005
2006/2007	18.0	-	26.8	25.3	2007/2006
2007/2008	18.2	-	26.5	25.1	2008/2007

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Table 18: Average Number of Students per Teacher in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Supervising Authority, 2002/2003- 2007/2008

Scholastic Year	Supervising Authority				
	Kindergartens	/ Private Schools	UNRWA	Governorate	
2002/2003	22.8	13.7	31.3	24.0	2003/2002
2003/2004	23.8	14.4	30.5	24.5	2004/2003
2004/2005	24.5	14.7	29.4	25.1	2005/2004
2005/2006	23.8	15.2	27.0	25.0	2006/2005
2006/2007	22.7	16.0	26.2	25.1	2007/2006
2007/2008	22.6	15.4	27.0	24.4	2008/2007

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Table 19: Percentage Distribution of Palestinian Population (15 years and over) in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank by Educational Attainment, Sex, 2008

Educational Attainment	Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate			West Bank			
	Females	Males	Both Sexes	Females	Males	Both Sexes	
Illiterate	11.0	2.8	6.9	9.4	2.9	6.1	
Can Read and Write	7.8	6.5	7.2	7.8	6.9	7.4	
Elementary	15.2	18.6	16.9	16.7	18.7	17.7	
Preparatory	32.9	36.8	34.8	35.4	38.8	37.2	
Secondary	16.1	18.7	17.4	18.3	18.6	18.4	
Associate Diploma	7.0	4.6	5.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	
Bachelor and Above	10.0	12.0	11.0	7.5	9.2	8.3	
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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Table 20: Literacy Rates of Palestinian Population (15 years and over) in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank by Age Groups, Sex, 2005-2008

Age Groups and Sex	محافظة رام الله والبيرة Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate				الضفة الغربية West Bank				الفئات العمرية والجنس
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2008	2007	2006	2005	
Both Sexes									كلا الجنسين
Total	93.1	92.4	93.3	92.2	93.9	93.7	93.3	92.8	المجموع
15-19	99.4	99.2	99.3	99.6	99.4	99.2	99.2	99.3	19-15
20-24	99.6	99.4	99.4	98.7	98.9	99.0	99.3	99.2	24-20
25-34	99.5	99.0	98.8	99.3	99.0	98.9	98.8	98.8	34-25
35-44	97.9	97.3	97.5	97.6	97.7	97.7	97.3	97.1	44-35
45+	75.8	75.0	77.5	72.2	76.9	76.4	74.7	72.2	+45
Males									نكور
Total	97.2	97.3	98.1	96.8	97.1	97.2	97.2	97.0	المجموع
15-19	99.4	99.8	100.0	99.7	99.3	99.2	99.1	99.4	19-15
20-24	100.0	99.7	99.7	99.6	99.2	99.1	99.3	99.5	24-20
25-34	99.2	99.0	99.1	99.5	99.2	99.0	99.1	99.2	34-25
35-44	99.6	99.6	99.0	98.4	99.2	99.1	99.0	98.9	44-35
45+	89.9	90.4	93.7	88.6	89.3	90.3	90.2	88.5	+45
Females									إناث
Total	89.0	87.6	88.8	87.8	90.6	90.1	89.3	88.4	المجموع
15-19	99.4	98.7	98.6	99.6	99.5	99.2	99.3	99.3	19-15
20-24	99.3	99.1	99.2	97.9	98.7	98.9	99.4	98.8	24-20
25-34	99.9	98.9	98.4	99.0	98.9	98.7	98.3	98.4	34-25
35-44	96.2	94.6	95.8	96.8	96.1	96.2	95.6	95.1	44-35
45+	63.7	62.1	63.8	58.0	65.3	63.4	60.4	57.2	+45

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Table 21: Number of Mosques in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 2006

Region	Number	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	174	
West Bank	1,547	

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Table 22: Number of Museums, Cultural Centers, Theatres and Cinemas In Operation and Newspaper In Operation, Magazines, Local Radio and T.V Stations in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 2008

Cultural Institutions	Ramallah & Al-Bireh	West Bank	
Museums	1	5	
Cultural Centers	22	196	
Theatres	2	4	
Cinemas	1	2	
Newspapers	4	5	
Operational Magazines	4	9	
Local Radio*	5	28	*
Local T.V*	5	29	*

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Table 23: Beds per 1000 inhabitant and Number of Hospitals in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, 2004-2008

Year	Hospitals	1000 Beds per 1000 inhabitant	
2004	9	1.22	2004
2005	9	1.18	2005
2006	9	1.10	2006
2007	9	1.19	2007
2008	9	1.10	2008

2008-2004

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Table 24: Governmental and Non-Governmental Hospital Activities in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Activity, 2004-2008

Item	Year					
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	
Governmental Hospitals	1	1	1	1	1	
Non-Governmental Hospitals	8	8	8	8	8	
Grand Total of Discharges	35,325	32,423	30,332	33,596	32,572	
Grand Total of Bed Occupancy Rate	67.8	75.0	61.6	73.6	71.8	
Mean of Duration (day)	2.2	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.7	()

2008-2004 ,

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Table 25: Distribution of Primary Health Care Clinics and Centers in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Supervising Authority, 2004-2008

Supervising Authority	Number of Clinic and Center				
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Governmental	50	49	49	49	48
Non- Governmental	15	15	28	28	35
UNRWA	5	5	5	5	5

2007

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Table 26: Area of Agricultural and Forest and Wooded Land in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 2007

Governorate /Region	(²) Forest and Wooded Land (km ²)	(²) Agricultural Land (km ²)	/
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	2.1	184.9	
West Bank	91.1	1,376.5	

2007/2006

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Table 27: Number of Cows, Sheeps, Goats, Beehives, Broilers and Layers in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 2006/2007

Governorate /Region	() Layers (1000)	() Broilers (1000)	Beehives	Goats	Sheep	Cows	/
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	503	1,114	3,751	25,662	35,676	283	
West Bank	1,989	16,155	50,484	331,037	687,146	28,948	

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2007/2006

Table 28: Value of Agricultural Outputs, Inputs and Value Added in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, and the West Bank, 2006/2007

Value in 1000\$ US

Governorate /Region	Value Added	Agricultural Inputs	Agricultural Outputs	/
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	12,685	27,798	40,483	
West Bank	260,591	505,602	766,193	

2007/2006

Table 29: Cultivated Areas of Field Crops, Fruit Trees and Vegetables in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, and the West Bank, 2006/2007

Production in Ton

Type	Ramallah & Al-Bireh		West Bank		
	Production	() Cultivated Areas(dunm)	Production	() Cultivated Areas(dunm)	
Field Crops	5,869	40,164	112,505	421,052	
Fruit Trees	10,048	161,505	148,298	1,098,754	
Vegetables	6,155	6,803	396,385	133,763	

2007/2006

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Table 30: Value of Livestock Production in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, and the West Bank, 2006/2007

Value in 1000 US \$

Governorate /Region	Others	Honey	Eggs	Meats	Milk	/
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	564	366	8,248	10,111	5,006	
West Bank	4,739	5,008	32,614	175,644	111,894	

2007 1997

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Table 31: Percentage Distribution of Households by Type of Housing Unit in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 1997, 2007

Type of Housing Units and Region/Governorate	Year		/
	2007	1997	
West Bank			
Villa	1.7	1.0	
House	43.2	52.2	
Apartment	53.3	44.5	
Other	1.8	2.3	
Total	100	100	
Ramallah & Al_Bireh			
Villa	2.7	2.2	
House	35.4	50.3	
Apartment	60.1	44.6	
Other	1.8	2.9	
Total	100	100	

2007

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Table 32: Percentage Distribution of Households by Tenure of Housing Unit in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 2007

Tenure of Housing Unit	Ramallah & Al-Bireh	West Bank	
Owned	75.0	81.1	
Rented	15.7	9.6	
Other*	5.9	6.8	*
Not stated	3.4	2.5	
Total	100	100	

* Other includes From Work and Without Payment and other

*

2008

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Table 33: Percentage Distribution of Households in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Number of Rooms in the Housing Unit, 2008

Number of Rooms in the Housing Unit	(%) Percentage (%)	
1	4.6	1
2	10.2	2
3	21.8	3
4	28.5	4
5+	34.9	+5
Total	100	
Average Number of Rooms	3.8	

2008

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Table 34: Percentage Distribution of Households in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Housing Density, 2008

Housing Density	(%) Percentage (%)	
Less Than 1	21.6	من 1
1.00-1.99	50.9	1.99-1.00
2.00-2.99	18.7	2.99-2.00
3.00+	8.8	+3.00
Total	100	
Average Housing Density	1.4	

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Table 35: Issued Building Licenses in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate, 2007, 2008

Period	(م ²) Licensed Area (1000 m ²)			Number of Issued Licenses						
	Areas Existing	New Areas	Total	Existing additions	Existing Buildings	Additions + Existing Parts	Additions to Licensed Buildings	New Buildings	Total	
2007										2007
Total	34.4	330.3	364.7	1	72	3	105	366	547	
Quarter I	11.7	58.3	70.0	1	27	1	27	54	110	
Quarter II	11.7	86.5	98.2	-	24	2	47	113	186	
Quarter III	6.5	80.8	87.3	-	9	-	19	98	126	
Quarter IV	4.5	104.7	109.2	-	12	-	12	101	125	
2008										2008
Total	31.8	351.8	383.6	-	75	-	91	372	538	
Quarter I	6.6	115.7	122.3	-	16	-	33	97	146	
Quarter II	6.9	59.5	66.4	-	21	-	9	91	121	
Quarter III	14.4	123.0	137.4	-	28	-	40	100	168	
Quarter IV	3.9	53.6	57.5	-	10	-	9	84	103	

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Table 36: Number of Localities in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Doer, Periodicity and Mean of Solid Waste Collection, 2003, 2008

Item	2008	2003
Doer of Solid Waste Collection		
Local Authority	59	62
Special Private Contractor	4	1
Other	5	6
No Solid Waste Collection Service	7	9
Periodicity of Solid Waste Collection		
Daily	13	12
Once a Week	8	4
More Than Once a Week	46	52
Once Every Two Weeks or More	1	1
Mean of Solid Waste Collection		
Special Waste Vehicle	52	64
Tractor	14	5
Other	2	0

Table 37: Number of Localities in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Solid Waste Disposal Method and Periodicity, 2003, 2008

Disposal Method	Periodicity of Solid Waste	2008	2003*		
Burned	Daily	17	24		
	Once a Week	11	10		
	More Than Once a Week	17	6		
	Once Every Two Weeks	1	4		
	Monthly	1	4		
Buried	Daily	2	2		
	Once a Week	0	0		
	More Than Once a Week	0	0		
	Once Every Two Weeks	0	0		
	Monthly	3	3		
Others	Daily	3	..		
	Once a Week	3	..		
	More Than Once a Week	3	..		
	Once Every Two Weeks	2	..		
	Monthly	5	..		

During 2008 there are 7 Localities do not have Solid Waste Collection Service

2008

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During 2003 there are 9 Localities do not have Solid Waste Collection Service

2003

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Number of Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate Localities During 2003 was 78 Localities

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There are localities use more than one method of disposing Solid Waste

Table 38: Distribution of Dumps in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Number of Dumping Sites, Ownership and Year of Establishment, 2008

Item	Number		
Number of Dumps	38		
Ownership of Dump:			:
Local Authority	13		
Governmental	4	"	"
Rented	6		
Other	15		
Year of Establishment of the Dump:			:
Before 1993	8		1993
After 1993	30		1993

2008 2003

Table 39: Number of Localities in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by Availability of Wastewater Network and Wastewater Disposal Method, 2003, 2008

Item	2008	2003	
Availability of Wastewater Network			
Yes	10	6	
No	65	72	
Wastewater Disposal Method*			*
Cesspit	71	72	
Open Sewage Network	0	0	
Open Channels Without Network	0	0	
Other	3	3	

* In some localities there are more than one wastewater disposal method

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Table 40: Distribution of Localities in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate by the Main Water Source of the Network and the Main Source of Electricity for Selected Years

The Source	Year			
	2008	2005	2003	
Main Water Source of the Network				
Jerusalem Water Undertaking	45	43	41	
West Bank Water Department	20	21	17	
Israeli Source (Mekorot)	8	9	10	()
Well or Spring	0	0	0	
Another Local Authority	1	1	3	
Other	0	0	2	
No Water Network	1	2	5	
Total	75	76	78	
Main Electricity Source				
Jerusalem Electricity Co.	74	75	77	
Israeli Electricity Company	0	0	0	
Private Generator	0	0	0	
Community Council	0	0	0	
Other	0	0	0	
No Electricity	1	1	1	
Total	75	76	78	

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Table 41: Number of Licensed Road Vehicles by Type of Vehicle and New Registered in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 2008

Type of Vehicle	New Registered		Licensed		
	Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate	West Bank	Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate	West Bank	
Total	4,269	10,114	29,969	96,736	
Private Cars	2,875	7,033	20,148	65,207	
Taxis	335	1,042	2,622	8,412	()
Motorcycles and Moped	18	91	80	266	
Buses (Public/ Private)	30	124	251	1,157	(/)
Trailers and Semi-Trailers	30	80	113	296	
Agricultural Tractors	24	86	118	728	
Road Tractors	4	4	3	27	
Trucks and Commercial Cars	860	1,514	6,238	19,839	
Other Vehicles	93	140	396	804	

2008

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Table 42: Main Indicators for Hotel Activities in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorate and the West Bank, 2008

Region	No. of Nights	No. of Guests	Average No. of Beds	Average No. of Rooms	No. of Hotels	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	79,359	30,075	1,369	604	15	
West Bank	495,573	230,210	5,658	2,561	49	

2008

Table 43: Number of Establishments in Operation and Employed Persons in the Private Sector, Non Governmental Organization Sector and Government Companies in Ramallah & Al Bireh Governorate by locality and Number of Employed Persons, 2008

Locality	No. of Employed Persons			No. of Est
	Females	Males	Total	
Qarawat Bani Zeid	33	84	117	73
Bani Zeid ash Sharqiya	66	205	271	140
Kafr 'Ein	19	32	51	36
Bani Zeid	34	213	247	133
'Abwein	15	118	133	81
Turmus'ayya	33	233	266	127
Al Lubban al Gharbi	14	67	81	42
Sinjil	49	180	229	126
Deir as Sudan	8	18	26	20
Rantis	29	70	99	60
Jilijliya	0	13	13	9
'Ajjul	5	17	22	16
Al Mughayyir	13	81	94	61
'Abud	43	94	137	55
An Nabi Salih	5	15	20	11
Khirbet Abu Falah	48	113	161	98
Umm Safa	9	24	33	19
Al Mazra'a ash Sharqiya	33	297	330	140
Deir Nidham	3	11	14	8
'Atara	17	51	68	39
Deir Abu Mash'al	20	146	166	97
Jibiya	2	5	7	4
Burham	5	48	53	5
Kafr Malik	45	191	236	126
Shuqba	69	227	296	164
Kobar	25	86	111	72
Qibya	47	165	212	126
Silwad	75	313	388	191
Yabrud	6	10	16	9
AL-Itihad	48	157	205	115
Shabtin	4	10	14	8
Bir Zeit	378	1,206	1,584	261
'Ein Siniya	5	33	38	19
Silwad Camp	3	22	25	14
Deir Jarir	18	149	167	95
Deir 'Ammar Camp	41	93	134	55
Budrus	3	35	38	23

2008

Table 43 (Cont): Number of Establishments in Operation and Employed Persons in the Private Sector, on Governmental Organization Sector and Government Companies in Ramallah & Al Bireh Governorate by locality and Number of Employed Persons, 2008

Locality	No. of Employed Persons			No. of Est
	Females	Males	Total	
AL-Zaytouneh	33	136	169	96
Jifna	23	125	148	47
Dura al Qar'	12	88	100	47
At Tayba	103	227	330	87
Al Jalazun Camp	74	256	330	196
Abu Qash	38	122	160	66
Deir Qaddis	14	89	103	50
Ni'lin	39	413	452	217
'Ein Yabrud	17	194	211	103
Kharbatha Bani Harith	28	126	154	88
Ras Karkar	11	43	54	30
Surda	6	36	42	16
Al Janiya	9	13	22	14
Al Midya	3	16	19	16
Rammun	16	102	118	67
Kafr Ni'ma	47	129	176	91
Bil'in	13	68	81	51
Beitin	20	211	231	70
'Ein Qiniya	8	5	13	6
Badiw al Mu'arrajat	4	10	14	5
Deir Ibzi'	26	84	110	41
Deir Dibwan	124	353	477	201
Al Bireh	3,290	9,936	13,226	2,236
'Ein 'Arik	21	76	97	48
Saffa	68	211	279	152
Ramallah	3,688	11,765	15,453	3,076
Burqa	24	49	73	40
Beit 'Ur at Tahta	49	158	207	121
Beituniya	392	1,389	1,781	478
Al Am'ari Camp	40	131	171	93
Qaddura Camp	20	194	214	70
Beit Sira	46	64	110	61
Kharbatha al Misbah	68	159	227	110
Beit 'Ur al Fauqa	6	34	40	26
At Tira	11	33	44	22
Beit Liqya	58	317	375	230
Total	9,721	32,201	41,922	11,050

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Table 44: Number of Establishments in Operation in the Private Sector, Non Governmental Organization Sector and Government Companies in Ramallah & Al Bireh Governorate by Main Economic Activity and Number of Employed Persons, 2007

ISIC	Economic Activity	No. of Employed Persons			No. of Est.
		Females	Males	Total	
A	Agriculture (raising of cattle & other animals)	220	857	1,077	483
C	Mining & quarrying	0	31	31	6
D	Manufacturing	865	6,475	7,340	1,547
E	Electricity and water supply	25	394	419	8
F	Construction	91	815	906	82
G	Wholesale, retail trade & repairs	1,493	10,593	12,086	5,327
H	Hotels & restaurants	155	1,648	1,803	622
I	Transport, storage & communications	547	1,958	2,505	181
J	Financial intermediation	905	2,252	3,157	138
K	Real estate, renting & business activities	745	2,330	3,075	734
M	Education	1,600	1,196	2,796	275
N	Health & social work	1,124	1,131	2,255	515
O	Other community, social & personal services	1,951	2,521	4,472	1,132
Total		9,721	32,201	41,922	11,050

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Table 45: Value of Imports and Exports by SITC-3 Sections in Ramallah & Al-Bireh Governorates, 2003-2007

Value in 1000 US\$

Section	The Value					SITC Code
	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	
Imports						
Total Imports	1,019,073	832,154	818,582	713,192	469,030	
Food And Live Animals	105,811	95,322	70,396	73,669	63,558	0
Beverages And Tobacco	57,219	41,089	39,223	38,476	28,964	1
Raw Materials, Inedible Except Fuels	3,969	5,654	5,511	3,568	3,389	2
Mineral Fuels, Lubricants And related Materials	285,478	190,335	190,897	195,578	60,904	3
Animal And Vegetable Oils, Fats And Waxes	1,258	1,691	1,201	1,571	2,055	4
Chemical And Related Products, n.e.s.	94,089	81,632	85,838	78,407	62,903	5
Manufactured Goods Classified mainly By Material	113,649	129,501	131,142	143,268	113,729	6
Machinery And Transport Equipment's	282,002	194,408	243,724	133,475	94,483	7
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	65,120	56,679	46,815	45,176	39,041	8
Commodities And Transactions n.e.s. In The SITC-Rev.3	10,478	35,843	3,835	4	4	9

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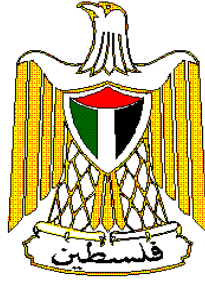
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Value in 1000 US\$

Section	The Value					SITC Code
	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	
Exports						
Total Exports	117,338	78,925	81,316	71,455	63,006	
Food And Live Animals	11,723	8,551	6,396	6,143	6,809	0
Beverages And Tobacco	1,729	1,316	3,396	2,847	6,055	1
Raw Materials, Inedible Except Fuels	6,556	2,481	2,465	2,542	5,774	2
Mineral Fuels, Lubricants And related Materials	618	1,421	10,102	8,147	6,448	3
Animal And Vegetable Oils, Fats And Waxes	3,125	1,685	1,097	429	5,970	4
Chemical And Related Products, n.e.s.	26,917	17,476	13,041	13,012	7,058	5
Manufactured Goods Classified mainly By Material	30,393	29,061	25,049	26,212	6,780	6
Machinery And Transport Equipment's	11,784	8,019	5,907	3,960	5,824	7
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	23,248	8,915	8,418	8,149	6,465	8
Commodities And Transactions n.e.s. In The SITC-Rev.3	1,245	0	5,445	14	5,823	9

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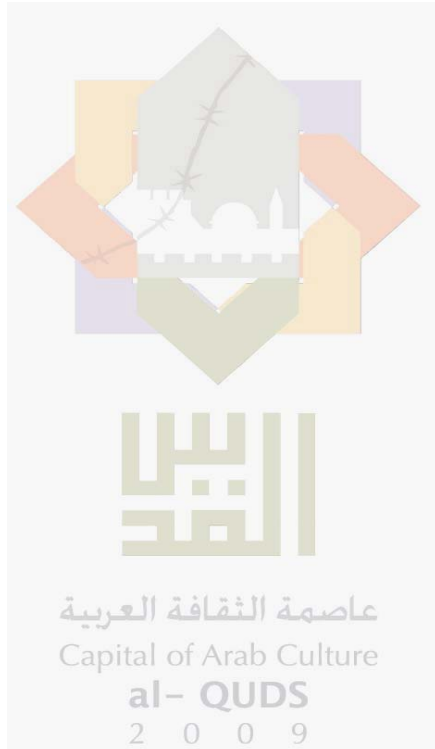
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PCBS has sought, since it was established, to build a system of Palestinian official statistics based on the needs of the society, and in line with the recommendations, including full membership in the international statistical community. PCBS has adopted the principle of progression within the Palestinian priorities of the current phase as basis for advancing towards completing the statistical system. PCBS has accomplished many statistical activities using primary sources including censuses, field surveys, as well as compiling statistics from secondary sources such as the administrative records, through cooperation with the public and private sectors' institutions.

We are pleased to present Ramallah and Al Bireh Governorate Statistical Yearbook (1) to provide continuous time series that allows reviewing the general directions in the different areas through a comprehensive statistical reference that covers most population, social, economic, and geographic areas.

This yearbook is one of the most important and comprehensive official statistical references about Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate. It provides official statistics about the different areas of life in the governorate.

We hope that we have managed to bridge another information gap and have contributed to provide one of the key references of the official Palestinian statistics to serve the development process and the decision makers to make decisions and plans that are based on professional and scientific basis at the national and governorate level.

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Executive Summary

PCBS presents this periodic statistical report about the reality of the Palestinian population in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate as part of displaying facts about the Palestinian populations in the Palestinian governorates. These are the most prominent findings:

- The population in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate totaled 292,629 by mid 2009 including 147,192 males and 145,437 females. The percentage of refugees living in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate totaled 29.3% of the total population of the governorate end year 2007.
- The number of registered marriage certificates at Share'a and church courts during 2008 in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate totaled 1,804. The number of registered divorce cases at Share'a and church courts totaled 382.
- The registered live births in 2008 in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate totaled 7,049. The number of registered deaths in the governorate for the same year totaled 646.
- The participation rate of labor force (aged 15+) in 2008 in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate was 43.2%. Findings show that the percentage of the unemployed people among those participating labor force was 17.1%.
- The number of schools and kindergartens in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate in 2007 – 2008 was 215 schools and 74 kindergartens.
- The number of hospitals in 2008 in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate was 9 hospitals. number of hospital beds totaled 313 at 1.10 per 1000 people.
- The area of lands in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate 2007 was 855 square kilometers.
- 40,164 dunums of field crops cultivated land at a production capacity of 5,869 tons. The area planted with trees totaled 161,505 dunums producing 10,048 tons and the area planted with vegetables totaled 6,803 dunums producing 6,155 tons in Agricultural year 2006/2007.
- The number of occupied houses in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate totaled 49,637 in 2007.
- The number of building licenses in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate in 2008 totaled 538 for an area of 383,600 square meters.
- The number of localities in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate in 2008 according to the main source of electricity and water networks is 74 localities, one locality without water network and electricity.
- The number of licensed vehicles in 2008 in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate was 29,969.
- The number of hotels in 2008 in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate totaled 15.
- The values of imports rose in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate in 2007 compared to 2003–2006 reaching 1,019 million US\$.
- Exports in Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate in 2007 rose, in comparison with 2003–2006, reaching 117.3 million US\$.
- There was a chronic deficit in the trade balance of Ramallah and Al Bireh governorate in 2007 totaling 901.7 million US\$.

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