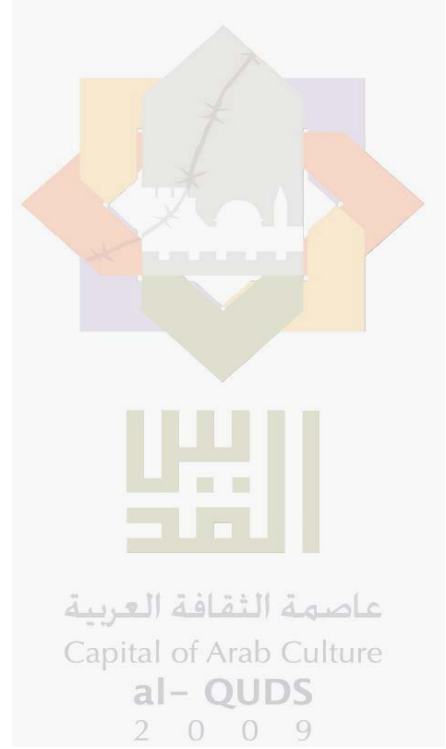




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Table 1: Percentage Distribution of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Labour Force Status and Region (Relaxed Definition), January-March, 2009

Region	Labour Force Status					
	Total		Outside Labour Force		In Labour Force	
	(%)	Number	(%)	العدد Number	(%)	Number
Palestinian Territory	100	2,255,100	55.5	1,250,600	44.5	1,004,500
West Bank	100	1,448,700	54.0	782,100	46.0	666,600
Gaza Strip	100	806,400	58.1	468,500	41.9	337,900

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Table 2: Percentage Distribution of Labour Force Participants Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Labour Force Components and Region (Relaxed Definition), January-March, 2009

Region	Labour Force Components					
	Total		Unemployment		Employment	
	(%)	Number	(%)	العدد Number	(%)	Number
Palestinian Territory	100	1,004,500	30.6	307,400	69.4	697,100
West Bank	100	666,600	25.1	167,000	74.9	499,600
Gaza Strip	100	337,900	41.5	140,400	58.5	197,500

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Table 3: Percentage Distribution of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Labour Force Status, Region and Sex(ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Region	Labour Force Status					
	Total		Outside Labour Force		In Labour Force	
	(%)	Number	(%)	العدد Number	(%)	Number
Palestinian Territory						
Males	100	1,139,700	33.1	377,800	66.9	761,900
Females	100	1,115,400	84.6	943,300	15.4	172,100
Total	100	2,255,100	58.6	1,321,100	41.4	934,000
West Bank						
Males	100	732,600	31.5	230,400	68.5	502,200
Females	100	716,200	83.5	598,000	16.5	118,200
Total	100	1,448,700	57.2	828,300	42.8	620,400
Gaza Strip						
Males	100	407,100	36.2	147,400	63.8	259,700
Females	100	399,200	86.5	345,300	13.5	53,900
Total	100	806,400	61.1	492,800	38.9	313,600

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Table 4: Percentage Distribution of Labour Force Participants Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Labour Force Components, Region and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Region and Sex	Labour Force Components							
	Total		Unemployment		Underemployment		Full Employment	
	(%)	Number	(%)	العدد Number	(%)	Number	(%)	Number
Palestinian Territory								
Males	100	761,900	25.7	196,000	6.7	50,700	67.6	515,200
Females	100	172,100	23.8	40,900	2.7	4,600	73.5	126,600
Total	100	934,000	25.4	236,900	5.9	55,300	68.7	641,800
West Bank								
Males	100	502,200	20.1	100,900	7.2	36,200	72.7	365,100
Females	100	118,200	16.8	19,900	1.5	1,700	81.7	96,600
Total	100	620,400	19.5	120,800	6.1	37,900	74.4	461,700
Gaza Strip								
Males	100	259,700	36.6	95,100	5.6	14,500	57.8	150,100
Females	100	53,900	39.0	21,000	5.3	2,900	55.7	30,000
Total	100	313,600	37.0	116,100	5.5	17,400	57.5	180,100

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Table 5: Percentage Distribution of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Labour Force Status, Region and sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Region and Sex	Total	Outside Labour Force	In Labour Force	In Labour Force		
				Total	Unemployment	(Employment (Full Employment, Underemployment))
Both Sexes						
West Bank without Jerusalem governorate	100	56.4	43.6	100	20.7	79.3
Jerusalem governorate	100	62.0	38.0	100	11.0	89.0
Jerusalem (J1)	100	62.4	37.6	100	1.6	98.4
Gaza Strip	100	61.1	38.9	100	37.0	63.0
Males						
West Bank without Jerusalem governorate	100	30.9	69.1	100	21.3	78.7
Jerusalem governorate	100	35.1	64.9	100	11.8	88.2
Jerusalem (J1)	100	35.4	64.6	100	1.8	98.2
Gaza Strip	100	36.2	63.8	100	36.6	63.4
Females						
West Bank without Jerusalem governorate	100	82.6	17.4	100	17.9	82.1
Jerusalem governorate	100	89.3	10.7	100	5.9	94.1
Jerusalem (J1)	100	90.6	9.4	100	-	100.0
Gaza Strip	100	86.5	13.5	100	39.0	61.0

Jerusalem (J1): Those parts of Jerusalem which were annexed by Israel in 1967.

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Table 6: Labour Force Participation Rate of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Age Group and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Age Group	Total	Sex	
		Females	Males
15-19	13.9	1.4	25.9
20-24	42.0	18.5	64.5
25-29	56.8	26.8	85.6
30-34	56.6	20.6	91.4
35-39	57.0	20.5	92.5
40-44	57.6	21.1	91.7
45-49	55.3	20.4	87.4
50+	30.6	10.1	53.3
Total	41.4	15.4	66.9

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Table 7: Labour Force Participation Rate of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Age and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Age Group	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
15-19	10.3	16.1	13.9	19-15
20-24	39.9	43.2	42.0	24-20
25-29	59.6	55.2	56.8	29-25
30-34	55.6	57.1	56.6	34-30
35-39	53.5	58.8	57.0	39-35
40-44	53.4	59.6	57.6	44-40
45-49	52.4	56.7	55.3	49-45
50+	27.7	32.0	30.6	+50
Total	38.9	42.8	41.4	

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Table 8: Labour Force Participation Rate of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Years of Schooling and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Years of Schooling	Total	Sex		
		Females	Males	
0	13.0	9.1	25.4	0
1-6	41.9	11.3	70.1	6-1
7-9	38.6	5.8	68.8	9-7
10-12	37.9	7.3	66.9	12-10
13+	56.8	44.3	67.8	+13
Total	41.4	15.4	66.9	

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Table 9: Labour Force Participation Rate of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Years of Schooling and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Years of Schooling	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
0	10.2	14.4	13.0	0
1-6	42.2	41.7	41.9	6-1
7-9	33.5	41.3	38.6	9-7
10-12	32.5	41.1	37.9	12-10
13+	58.1	56.0	56.8	+13
Total	38.9	42.8	41.4	

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Table 10: Labour Force Participation Rate and Unemployment Rate of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Region, Sex and Refugee Status (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Refugee Status and Region	Unemployment Rate			Labour Force Participation		
	Total	Females	Males	Total	Females	Males
Palestinian Territory						
Refugee	30.6	29.5	30.9	39.5	15.3	63.9
Non-Refugee	22.0	19.8	22.5	42.8	15.5	68.8
Total	25.4	23.8	25.7	41.4	15.4	66.9
West Bank						
Refugee	23.4	21.4	23.9	41.7	16.4	66.5
Non-Refugee	17.9	15.0	18.6	43.3	16.5	69.4
Total	19.5	16.8	20.1	42.8	16.5	68.5
Gaza Strip						
Refugee	37.2	36.8	37.2	37.7	14.4	61.7
Non-Refugee	36.8	43.7	35.8	41.0	11.9	67.1
Total	37.0	39.0	36.6	38.9	13.5	63.8

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Table 11: Labour Force Participation Rate and Unemployment Rate of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Region, Sex and Marital Status (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Marital Status and Region	Unemployment Rate			Labour Force Participation		
	Total	Females	Males	Total	Females	Males
Palestinian Territory						
Never Married	34.8	29.6	36.3	33.4	17.0	46.3
Currently Married	21.0	20.7	21.1	49.2	15.3	83.7
Other	18.6	13.5	28.0	12.4	9.2	33.4
Total	25.4	23.8	25.7	41.4	15.4	66.9
West Bank						
Never Married	27.1	20.9	28.7	35.8	17.3	50.0
Currently Married	15.9	15.3	16.0	50.0	17.0	83.9
Other	10.1	5.4	19.8	12.6	9.7	31.2
Total	19.5	16.8	20.1	42.8	16.5	68.5
Gaza Strip						
Never Married	51.4	45.2	53.6	29.2	16.5	39.6
Currently Married	30.8	34.3	30.3	47.8	12.3	83.3
Other	35.9	32.2	41.1	12.1	8.2	37.8
Total	37.0	39.0	36.6	38.9	13.5	63.8

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Table 12: Labour Force Participation Rate and Unemployment Rate for Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Region, Type of locality and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Type of locality and Region	Unemployment Rate			Labour Force Participation		
	Total	Females	Males	Total	Females	Males
Palestinian Territory						
Urban	26.2	24.7	26.6	41.6	15.4	67.2
Rural	21.2	14.0	23.0	42.4	17.1	67.6
Camps	26.8	38.6	24.5	38.6	12.8	63.4
Total	25.4	23.8	25.7	41.4	15.4	66.9
West Bank						
Urban	19.4	17.7	19.8	43.6	17.2	69.4
Rural	19.7	11.8	21.7	42.4	17.0	67.7
Camps	19.6	35.9	17.6	38.1	8.9	64.8
Total	19.5	16.8	20.1	42.8	16.5	68.5
Gaza Strip						
Urban	37.3	38.1	37.2	38.7	12.8	64.1
Rural	48.7	51.8	47.9	42.8	18.5	66.1
Camps	33.3	39.9	31.5	39.0	16.4	62.1
Total	37.0	39.0	36.6	38.9	13.5	63.8

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Table 13: Percentage Distribution of Youth Aged (15-29) Years in the Palestinian Territory by Labour Force Status, Region and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Labour Force Status	Gaza Strip			West Bank			Palestinian Territory		
	T	F	M	T	F	M	T	F	M
In Labour Force	32.6	13.7	50.8	35.2	13.5	55.9	34.2	13.6	54.0
Outside Labour Force	67.4	86.3	49.2	64.8	86.5	44.1	65.8	86.4	46.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Full Employment	46.6	37.9	48.8	65.0	67.0	64.6	58.4	55.9	59.0
Underemployment	6.5	7.0	6.4	7.2	2.4	8.3	6.9	4.1	7.6
Unemployment	46.9	55.1	44.8	27.8	30.6	27.1	34.7	40.0	33.4
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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Table 14: Unemployment Rate Participants in the Labour Force Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Age Group and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Age Group	Total	Sex		
		Females	Males	
15-19	39.4	13.3	40.8	19-15
20-24	39.0	47.7	36.7	24-20
25-29	28.8	35.6	26.8	29-25
30-34	20.6	19.9	20.8	34-30
35-39	19.5	12.1	21.1	39-35
40-44	19.5	8.8	21.8	44-40
45-49	16.4	5.3	18.8	49-45
50+	16.7	5.6	19.1	+50
Total	25.4	23.8	25.7	

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Table 15: Unemployment Rate Participants in the Labour Force Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Age and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Age Group	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
15-19	58.6	31.7	39.4	19-15
20-24	52.9	31.2	39.0	24-20
25-29	38.5	22.6	28.8	29-25
30-34	30.0	15.8	20.6	34-30
35-39	29.3	15.1	19.5	39-35
40-44	30.0	14.7	19.5	44-40
45-49	27.7	11.2	16.4	49-45
50+	27.8	12.0	16.7	+50
Total	37.0	19.5	25.4	

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Table 16: Unemployment Rate Participants in the Labour Force Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Years of Schooling and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Years of Schooling	Total	Sex		
		Females	Males	
0	14.5	4.5	25.8	0
1-6	29.2	4.9	32.8	6-1
7-9	27.2	11.8	28.3	9-7
10-12	26.3	19.1	27.1	12-10
13+	22.1	31.0	17.0	+13
Total	25.4	23.8	25.7	

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Table 17: Unemployment Rate Participants in the Labour Force Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Years of Schooling and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Years of Schooling	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
0	20.8	12.3	14.5	0
1-6	48.5	20.6	29.2	6-1
7-9	43.6	20.3	27.2	9-7
10-12	37.9	21.0	26.3	12-10
13+	29.9	16.9	22.1	+13
Total	37.0	19.5	25.4	المجموع

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Table 18: Labour Force Participation, Employment and Unemployment and Average Daily Wage in NIS for Wage Employees in the Palestinian Territory by Governorate (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Governorate and Region	Average Daily Wage in NIS for Wage Employees	Unemployment		العمالة Employment		Labour Force Participation		
		عدد #	نسبة %	عدد #	نسبة %	عدد #	نسبة %	
Jenin	79.1	13,800	19.0	59,100	81.0	72,900	43.2	
Tubas	76.7	1,700	13.2	10,900	86.8	12,600	40.6	
Tulkarem	86.1	11,500	26.3	32,400	73.7	43,900	41.2	
Nablus	82.8	10,500	13.2	68,500	86.8	79,000	41.3	
Qalqilia	88.2	4,700	21.9	16,800	78.1	21,500	40.2	
Salfeet	92.2	2,500	15.4	13,600	84.6	16,100	41.7	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	99.5	12,900	18.3	57,200	81.7	70,100	41.1	
Jericho & AL- Aghwar	71.4	800	6.2	12,800	93.8	13,600	46.5	
Jerusalem	136.0	8,500	11.0	68,400	89.0	76,900	38.0	
Bethlahem	96.5	12,700	24.0	40,100	76.0	52,800	47.8	
Hebron	83.8	41,200	25.6	119,800	74.4	161,000	46.5	
West Bank	96.0	120,800	19.5	499,600	80.5	620,400	42.8	
GS-North	62.8	23,800	39.0	37,300	61.0	61,100	39.4	
Gaza City	65.8	29,600	29.8	69,800	70.2	99,400	37.3	
Deir ALBalah	63.2	16,800	35.4	30,700	64.6	47,500	39.3	
Khan Younis	54.9	30,700	46.7	35,000	53.3	65,700	39.4	
Rafah	61.1	15,200	38.2	24,700	61.8	39,900	41.2	
Gaza Strip	62.2	116,100	37.0	197,500	63.0	313,600	38.9	
Palestinian Territory	89.5	236,900	25.4	697,100	74.6	934,000	41.4	

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Table 19: The Average of Unemployment Duration (Months) in the Palestinian Territory by Region and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Region	Total	Sex	
		Females	Males
Palestinian Territory	15.5	17.5	15.1
West Bank	6.8	11.2	5.9
Gaza Strip	24.5	23.6	24.7

Note: Unemployed period means the period of being Unemployed since the individual was a available for work or leaving last work

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Table 20: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Governorate and Place of work (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Governorate and Region	Percentage of Employment	Place of work			
		Total	Israel and Settlements	Other Governorate	Same Governorate
Jenin	81.0	100	10.9	11.0	78.1
Tubas	86.8	100	11.9	17.4	70.7
Tulkarem	73.7	100	11.6	12.0	76.4
Nablus	86.8	100	8.7	9.6	81.7
Qalqilia	78.1	100	18.4	7.2	74.5
Salfeet	84.6	100	18.6	14.0	67.4
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	81.7	100	6.4	1.2	92.4
Jericho & AL- Aghwar	93.8	100	21.2	2.1	76.7
Jerusalem	89.0	100	35.2	7.0	57.8
Bethlehem	76.0	100	11.2	4.6	84.2
Hebron	74.4	100	9.9	4.6	85.5
West Bank	80.5	100	14.0	7.0	79.0
GS-North	61.0	100	0.0	35.2	64.8
Gaza City	70.2	100	0.0	2.6	97.4
Deir ALBalah	64.6	100	0.0	25.1	74.9
Khan Younis	53.3	100	0.0	19.4	80.6
Rafah	61.8	100	0.0	18.1	81.9
Gaza Strip	63.0	100	0.0	17.2	82.8
Palestinian Territory	74.6	100	10.0	9.9	80.1

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Table 21: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Economic Activity and Place of work (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Economic Activity	Total	Place of work			
		Israel and Settlements	Gaza Strip	West Bank	
Agriculture, fishing and forestry	11.7	12.2	8.4	13.2	
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	12.6	15.7	5.6	15.3	
Construction	11.1	46.2	1.0	10.0	
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	18.5	14.8	17.0	19.8	
Transportation, storage and communication	5.6	3.8	5.0	6.0	
Services and other branches	40.5	7.3	63.0	35.7	
Total	100	100	100	100	

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Table 22: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Place of work and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Place of work	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
West Bank	0.0	86.0	61.6	
Gaza Strip	100.0	0.0	28.4	
Israel and Settlements	0.0	14.0	10.0	
Total	100	100	100	

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Table 23: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Economic Activity, Sex and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Economic Activity and Sex	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
Both Sexes				
Agriculture, fishing and forestry	8.4	13.1	11.7	
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	5.6	15.4	12.6	
Construction	1.0	15.1	11.1	
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	16.9	19.1	18.5	
Transportation, storage and communication	5.1	5.7	5.6	
Services and other branches	63.0	31.6	40.5	
Total	100	100	100	
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Agriculture, fishing and forestry	7.5	11.0	10.0	
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	6.2	16.3	13.4	
Construction	1.2	18.7	13.6	
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	19.6	21.5	21.0	
Transportation, storage and communication	5.9	6.9	6.6	
Services and other branches	59.6	25.6	35.4	
Total	100	100	100	
Females				
Agriculture, fishing and forestry	12.8	21.5	19.3	
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	2.3	11.5	9.2	
Construction	-	0.2	0.1	
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	3.9	9.2	7.9	
Transportation, storage and communication	0.9	1.1	1.1	
Services and other branches	80.1	56.5	62.4	
Total	100	100	100	

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Table 24: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Governorate and Economic Activity (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Governorate	Economic Activity									
	Total	Services and other branches	Health	Education	Transportation, storage and communication	Commerce, restaurants and hotels	Construction	Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	Agriculture, fishing and forestry	
Jenin	100	19.8	1.9	8.1	4.1	21.1	8.1	13.0	23.9	
Tubas	100	19.8	3.5	10.9	6.0	15.5	4.8	3.4	36.1	
Tulkarem	100	23.6	3.5	14.4	6.0	20.7	9.4	12.7	9.7	
Nablus	100	21.4	2.3	14.2	7.4	20.8	8.1	16.3	9.5	
Qalqilia	100	18.3	7.6	13.7	6.6	20.4	9.6	11.0	12.8	
Salfeet	100	21.1	2.7	16.1	5.6	20.2	11.4	16.8	6.1	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	100	31.6	4.9	10.2	6.8	16.7	13.1	15.0	1.7	
Jericho & AL- Aghwar	100	26.1	1.8	4.6	4.9	14.1	5.2	4.8	38.5	
Jerusalem	100	19.9	7.7	15.2	7.7	25.7	13.2	9.6	1.0	
Bethlehem	100	17.2	5.1	14.9	4.7	13.9	11.9	19.7	12.6	
Hebron	100	12.3	3.4	10.4	5.6	20.2	9.4	20.1	18.6	
West Bank	100	19.9	3.9	11.9	6.0	19.8	10.0	15.3	13.2	
GS-North	100	40.4	9.0	13.2	4.9	19.5	0.9	4.8	7.3	
Gaza City	100	42.2	4.9	13.1	4.0	20.0	1.1	10.1	4.6	
Deir ALBalah	100	42.1	4.9	15.0	5.0	13.2	1.0	2.9	15.9	
Khan Younis	100	42.3	4.9	17.6	7.3	14.8	1.1	2.2	9.8	
Rafah	100	44.3	10.3	15.9	5.5	12.1	0.6	2.0	9.3	
Gaza Strip	100	42.0	6.4	14.6	5.0	17.0	1.0	5.6	8.4	
Palestinian Territory	100	26.9	4.7	12.8	5.7	18.9	7.1	12.2	11.7	

Note: Workers in Israel and Settlements are excluded

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Table 25: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Economic Activity, Employment Status and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Economic Activity and Region	Employment Status				
	Total	Unpaid Family Member	Wage Employee	Self Employed	Employer
Palestinian Territory					
Agriculture, fishing and forestry	11.7	59.5	3.9	20.5	7.6
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	12.6	9.6	11.5	13.3	26.7
Construction	11.1	3.6	12.7	6.9	16.4
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	18.5	22.7	11.4	38.5	29.0
Transportation, storage and communication	5.6	1.5	4.1	13.0	3.7
Services and other branches	40.5	3.1	56.4	7.8	16.6
Total	100	100	100	100	100
West Bank					
Agriculture, fishing and forestry	13.1	62.5	4.2	22.1	6.3
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	15.4	11.4	15.1	14.7	26.8
Construction	15.1	4.2	18.3	8.3	19.5
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	19.1	19.0	13.6	33.3	29.1
Transportation, storage and communication	5.7	0.7	4.2	13.1	3.3
Services and other branches	31.6	2.2	44.6	8.5	15.0
Total	100	100	100	100	100
Gaza Strip					
Agriculture, fishing and forestry	8.4	48.9	3.5	14.6	11.2
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	5.6	3.2	3.7	8.5	26.3
Construction	1.0	1.2	0.3	1.9	7.3
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	16.9	35.6	6.5	56.7	28.5
Transportation, storage and communication	5.1	4.1	3.7	12.7	4.8
Services and other branches	63.0	7.0	82.3	5.6	21.9
Total	100	100	100	100	100

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Table 26: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons From the Palestinian Territory by Economic Activity and Weekly Work Hours (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Economic Activity	Total	Weekly Work Hours		
		+35	34-15	14-1
Agriculture, Hunting & Fishing	13.1	7.7	24.7	54.2
Mining, Quarrying & Manufacturing	13.3	13.9	10.6	13.0
Construction	12.5	11.5	19.1	7.9
Commerce, Hotels & Restaurants	19.9	22.3	9.6	15.4
Transportation, Storage & Communication	5.9	6.7	3.0	2.3
Services & Other Branches	35.3	37.9	33.0	7.2
Total	100	100	100	100

Note: Employed persons excluding absent persons :

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Table 27: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Occupation and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Occupation	Region		
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory
Legislators, Senior Officials & Managers	2.9	5.6	4.8
Professionals, Technicians, Associates and Clerks	34.0	22.7	25.9
Service, Shop & Market Workers	32.3	15.5	20.2
Skilled Agricultural & Fishery Workers	6.5	10.2	9.1
Craft and Related Trade Workers	7.6	19.0	15.7
Plant & Machine Operators & Assemblers	5.9	9.5	8.5
Elementary Occupations	10.8	17.5	15.8
Total	100	100	100

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Table 28: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Occupation, Educational Qualification and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Occupation and Region	Educational Qualification				
	Total	Bachelor and above	Associate diploma	Secondary certificate	Preparatory & less
Palestinian Territory					
Legislators, Senior Officials & Managers	100	39.8	11.4	15.5	33.3
Professionals, Technicians, Associates and Clerks	100	59.5	19.6	11.4	9.5
Service, Shop & Market Workers	100	6.6	6.6	27.6	59.2
Skilled Agricultural & Fishery Workers	100	2.5	1.9	10.2	85.4
Craft and Related Trade Workers	100	1.9	4.5	16.0	77.6
Plant & Machine Operators & Assemblers	100	1.7	3.8	16.9	77.6
Elementary Occupations	100	1.6	1.9	15.5	81.0
Total	100	19.6	8.5	16.6	55.3
West Bank					
Legislators, Senior Officials & Managers	100	36.5	11.4	17.3	34.8
Professionals, Technicians, Associates and Clerks	100	57.6	21.3	9.5	11.6
Service, Shop & Market Workers	100	6.9	7.0	19.6	66.5
Skilled Agricultural & Fishery Workers	100	2.0	1.9	9.8	86.3
Craft and Related Trade Workers	100	1.8	4.6	15.1	78.5
Plant & Machine Operators & Assemblers	100	1.3	3.8	14.2	80.7
Elementary Occupations	100	1.3	2.0	15.2	81.5
Total	100	17.1	8.3	14.0	60.6
Gaza Strip					
Legislators, Senior Officials & Managers	100	55.7	11.4	6.6	26.3
Professionals, Technicians, Associates and Clerks	100	62.8	16.8	14.6	5.8
Service, Shop & Market Workers	100	6.3	6.1	37.3	50.3
Skilled Agricultural & Fishery Workers	100	4.1	2.0	12.0	81.9
Craft and Related Trade Workers	100	2.3	4.2	21.7	71.8
Plant & Machine Operators & Assemblers	100	3.7	3.7	28.1	64.5
Elementary Occupations	100	2.0	1.8	17.2	79.0
Total	100	25.9	8.9	23.1	42.1

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Table 29: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Employment Status, Sex and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Employment Status and Sex	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
Both Sexes				
Employer	5.3	6.0	5.8	
Self Employed	14.9	20.8	19.1	
Wage Employee	73.7	64.6	67.2	
Unpaid Family Member	6.1	8.6	7.9	
Total	100	100	100	
Males				نكور
Employer	5.8	7.1	6.7	
Self Employed	16.7	22.9	21.1	
Wage Employee	72.7	64.4	66.8	
Unpaid Family Member	4.8	5.6	5.4	
Total	100	100	100	
Females				
Employer	2.4	1.5	1.7	
Self Employed	5.8	12.1	10.5	
Wage Employee	78.6	65.3	68.6	
Unpaid Family Member	13.2	21.1	19.2	
Total	100	100	100	

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Table 30: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Place of Work and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Region	Region						
	Gaza Strip		West Bank		Palestinian Territory		
	(%)	Number	(%)	Number	(%)	Number	
Palestinian Territory	100.0	197,500	86.0	429,600	90.0	627,100	
Israel and Settlements (Persons who have Palestinian Identity)	0	0	9.2	46,000	6.6	46,000) (
Israel and Settlements (Persons who have Israeli Identity or foreign passport)	0	0	4.8	24,000	3.4	24,000) / (
Total	100	197,500	100	499,600	100	697,100	

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Table 31: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Governorate and Employment Status (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Governorate	Total	Employment Status				
		Unpaid Family Member	Wage Employee	Self Employed	Employer	
Jenin	100	10.3	54.2	29.7	5.8	
Tubas	100	10.2	61.5	22.0	6.3	
Tulkarem	100	4.9	62.4	25.5	7.2	
Nablus	100	5.0	65.6	22.8	6.6	
Qalqilia	100	4.7	64.6	27.6	3.1	
Salfeet	100	5.1	66.1	25.8	3.0	
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	100	2.5	77.1	13.8	6.6	
Jericho & AL- Aghwar	100	14.1	63.4	16.9	5.6	
Jerusalem	100	3.4	84.9	6.3	5.4	
Bethlehem	100	8.7	63.6	21.4	6.3	
Hebron	100	17.3	52.4	24.3	6.0	
West Bank	100	8.6	64.6	20.8	6.0	
GS-North	100	4.7	73.4	18.5	3.4	
Gaza City	100	6.9	69.4	14.7	9.0	
Deir ALBalah	100	8.9	71.3	18.6	1.2	
Khan Younis	100	4.1	80.2	11.8	3.9	
Rafah	100	5.7	80.1	9.6	4.6	
Gaza Strip	100	6.1	73.7	14.9	5.3	
Palestinian Territory	100	7.9	67.2	19.1	5.8	

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Table 32: Percentage Distribution of Employed Persons Aged 15 Years and Over in the Palestinian Territory by Governorate and Sector (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Governorate And Region	المجموع Total	Sector				المحافظة والمنطقة
		اسرائيل والمستوطنات Israel and Settlements	قطاعات أخرى Other Sectors	قطاع خاص Private Sector	قطاع عام Public Sector	
Jenin	100	10.9	3.0	68.1	18.0	جنين
Tubas	100	11.9	2.5	63.9	21.7	طوباس
Tulkarem	100	11.6	2.7	61.0	24.7	طولكرم
Nablus	100	8.7	2.5	65.8	23.0	نابلس
Qalqilia	100	18.4	2.4	61.2	18.0	قلقيلية
Salfeet	100	18.6	0.7	55.9	24.8	سلفيت
Ramallah & Al-Bireh	100	6.4	4.1	68.9	20.6	رام الله والبيرة
Jericho & AL- Aghwar	100	21.2	4.0	57.3	17.5	أريحا والأغوار
Jerusalem	100	9.6	4.9	69.0	16.5	القدس
Bethlahem	100	45.6	9.7	42.6	2.1	بيت لحم
Hebron	100	11.2	2.1	72.0	14.7	الخليل
West Bank	100	14.0	3.1	65.8	17.1	الضفة الغربية
GS-North	100	0.0	9.4	44.4	46.2	شمال غزة
Gaza City	100	0.0	4.7	49.0	46.3	غزة
Deir ALBalah	100	0.0	10.8	42.7	46.5	دير البلح
Khan Younis	100	0.0	6.6	43.1	50.3	خان يونس
Rafah	100	0.0	7.3	36.2	56.5	رفح
Gaza Strip	100	0.0	7.2	44.5	48.3	قطاع غزة
Palestinian Territory	100	10.0	4.3	59.8	25.9	الأراضي الفلسطينية

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Table 33: Average Weekly Work Hours, Monthly Work Days and Daily Wage in NIS for Wage by Place of Work (ILO Standards), Employees Aged 15 Years and Over January-March, 2009

Indicator	Total	Place of work			
		Israel and Settlements	Gaza Strip	West Bank	
Average weekly work hours	41.5	42.8	38.8	42.0	
Average monthly work days*	21.7	20.6	21.3	22.1	*
Median daily net wage in NIS	76.9	150.0	57.7	76.9	
Average daily net wage in NIS	89.5	142.1	62.2	83.8	

*: Including paid days that have been not worked

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Table 34: Average Daily Wage in NIS for Wage Employees in the Palestinian Territory by Region and Sector (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Region	Total	Sector				
		Israel and Settlements	Other Sector	Private Sector	Public Sector	
Palestinian Territory	89.5	142.1	109.8	73.8	79.5	
West Bank	96.0	142.1	124.9	79.2	84.8	
Gaza Strip	62.2	-	88.5	42.3	68.1	

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Table 35: Average Daily Wage in NIS for Wage Employees in the Palestinian Territory by Region and Sex (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Region	Total	Sex		
		Females	Males	
Palestinian Territory	78.8	72.8	80.7	
West Bank	83.8	76.6	86.1	
Gaza Strip	62.2	59.8	62.9	

Note: Workers in Israel and Settlements are excluded

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Table 36: Average Daily Wage in NIS for Wage Employees in the Palestinian Territory by Economic Activity and Place of work (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Economic Activity	Total	Place of work		
		Israel and Settlements	Gaza Strip	West Bank
Agriculture, fishing and forestry	61.9	86.4	27.6	58.9
Mining, quarrying and manufacturing	82.1	137.0	-	70.1
Construction	119.5	152.7	-	80.8
Commerce, restaurants and hotels	76.9	140.1	33.1	65.8
Transportation, Storage & Communication	94.5	-	48.8	90.9
Services and other branches	88.1	160.1	69.3	93.2
Total	89.5	142.1	62.2	83.8

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Table 37: Average Monthly Wage in NIS for Wage Employees in the Palestinian Territory by Occupation, and Educational Qualification (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Occupation	Educational Qualification				
	Total	Bachelor and above	Associate diploma	Secondary certificate	Preparatory & less
Legislators, Senior Officials & Managers	3916	4258	-	-	-
Professionals, Technicians, Associates and Clerks	2371	2566	2259	1923	1812
Service, Shop & Market Workers	1756	-	1828	1641	1750
Skilled Agricultural & Fishery Workers	-	-	-	-	-
Craft and Related Trade Workers	2573	-	3331	2748	2488
Plant & Machine Operators & Assemblers	2328	-	-	2954	2204
Elementary Occupations	2249	-	-	2298	2224
Total	2328	2711	2316	2216	2175

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Table 38: Average Monthly Wage in NIS for Wage Employees in the Palestinian Territory by Length of Services in Years, Educational Qualification and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Length of Services in years and Region	Educational Qualification				
	Total	Bachelor and above	Associate diploma	Secondary certificate	Preparatory & less
Palestinian Territory					
0-1	1753	1748	1753	1748	1757
2-3	2167	2697	2222	2132	1983
4-6	2300	2739	1924	2149	2209
7-9	2582	2789	2636	2358	2533
10+	2816	3354	2664	2775	2549
Total	2328	2711	2316	2216	2175
West Bank					
0-1	1967	2061	2063	2018	1912
2-3	2376	2920	2375	2518	2151
4-6	2400	2905	2036	2348	2296
7-9	2753	2947	2662	2625	2724
10+	2901	3393	2739	3021	2658
Total	2497	2928	2446	2499	2328
Gaza Strip					
0-1	1150	1288	-	1045	1057
2-3	1435	1953	-	1302	1245
4-6	1689	2308	-	-	-
7-9	1879	-	-	-	-
10+	2305	3192	2304	1922	1347
Total	1617	2127	1770	1406	1190

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Table 39: Percentage Distribution of Persons Aged 15 Years and Over Outside the Labour Force in the Palestinian Territory by Reason, Sex and Region (ILO Standards), January-March, 2009

Reason and Sex	Region			
	Gaza Strip	West Bank	Palestinian Territory	
Both Sexes				
Old/illness	10.3	11.1	10.8	/
Housekeeping	44.6	48.4	47.0	
Studying or training	40.2	35.0	36.9	/
Others	4.9	5.5	5.3	
Total	100	100	100	
Males				
Old/illness	23.9	26.6	25.5	/
Housekeeping	0.1	1.1	0.7	
Studying or training	63.3	55.2	58.4	/
Others	12.7	17.1	15.4	
Total	100	100	100	
Females				
Old/illness	4.6	5.0	4.9	/
Housekeeping	63.5	66.6	65.5	
Studying or training	30.3	27.2	28.3	/
Others	1.6	1.2	1.3	
Total	100	100	100	

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Basic Changes in the Labour Force Indicators in Palestinian Territory During 1995 - 2009 (ILO Standards)

Indicator	52	51	50	49	48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41	40	39	38	37	36	35	34	33	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	19	18	
	Q1-2009	Q4-2008	Q3-2008	Q2-2008	Q1-2008	Q4-2007	Q3-2007	Q2-2007	Q1-2007	Q4-2006	Q3-2006	Q2-2006	Q1-2006	Q4-2005	Q3-2005	Q2-2005	Q1-2005	Q4-2004	Q3-2004	Q2-2004	Q1-2004	Q4-2003	Q3-2003	Q2-2003	Q1-2003	Q4-2002	Q3-2002	Q2-2002	Q4-2000	Q3-2000	
Labour Force Participation Rate	41.4	41.4	41.6	41.6	40.6	41.4	42.7	42.4	41.2	43.0	41.3	40.9	40.0	40.3	41.7	41.2	39.7	41.0	40.3	40.3	40.0	40.5	41.2	40.7	38.8	39.2	37.6	36.9	39.2	43.5	
Full Employment Rate	68.7	65.7	66.7	66.0	71.3	72.1	68.2	70.1	71.5	69.8	67.9	68.7	67.5	69.1	70.2	72.7	67.9	69.0	67.2	63.9	67.3	69.4	69.1	68.7	65.4	67.1	59.8	62.9	66.9	83.6	
Underemployment Rate	5.9	6.4	5.8	8.2	6.1	5.7	8.6	10.7	6.9	8.2	7.9	8.4	7.2	7.1	7.1	6.1	5.8	5.4	6.1	7.5	6.5	6.3	7.3	7.0	4.3	5.6	4.6	3.5	4.8	6.4	
Unemployment Rate	25.4	27.9	27.5	25.8	22.6	22.2	23.2	19.2	21.6	22.0	24.2	22.9	25.3	23.8	22.7	21.2	26.3	25.6	26.7	28.6	26.2	24.3	23.6	24.3	30.3	27.3	35.6	33.6	28.3	10.0	
Employed in Agriculture	11.7	13.0	12.7	14.9	12.9	15.3	15.1	17.3	14.7	21.5	13.7	15.2	13.2	14.4	14.9	15.6	13.3	19.3	14.4	15.2	14.6	15.4	14.8	17.7	14.7	17.6	11.3	16.7	16.9	12.7	
Employed in Construction	11.1	10.8	12.7	10.8	9.4	10.4	11.6	11.1	10.7	9.5	11.4	11.5	12.2	12.3	13.0	13.0	13.4	11.6	12.3	10.5	12.2	14.1	14.4	12.1	11.6	12.7	11.0	8.5	10.8	21.7	
Employed in Manufacturing	12.6	11.1	12.4	12.1	13.0	12.3	12.8	12.6	12.5	12.2	13.5	12.3	11.6	13.2	13.0	13.2	12.5	11.5	12.7	13.1	13.5	12.6	12.6	12.2	12.8	12.5	12.7	12.1	12.8	15.0	
Employed in Services	40.5	39.4	37.2	38.2	38.5	36.4	35.3	34.8	36.7	34.4	35.1	36.1	36.4	34.9	33.7	33.4	35.8	34.2	34.8	35.9	34.8	32.0	32.3	32.5	34.9	33.1	37.3	37.9	35.2	28.6	
Elementary Occupation Workers	15.8	17.9	15.6	15.7	14.9	14.3	14.8	13.1	13.8	13.2	15.1	16.0	16.0	16.6	14.6	15.2	15.6	14.0	15.3	13.8	13.9	14.2	14.9	14.1	13.5	15.2	13.0	13.2	13.7	19.8	
Craft and Related Trade Workers	15.7	13.6	16.9	15.5	16.3	14.7	17.8	17.2	16.5	15.1	17.2	15.8	16.5	16.8	18.6	17.4	17.3	8.9	17.5	17.1	18.2	18.6	19.5	18.0	18.5	17.8	18.6	15.6	16.2	24.5	
Employed in Israel & Settlements	10.0	12.1	12.1	10.8	11.2	10.0	9.3	8.5	9.8	9.5	10.5	8.7	9.8	9.6	9.9	10.2	10.2	8.1	9.3	8.1	9.2	9.4	10.8	8.9	9.6	10.4	11.8	7.3	9.1	22.1	
Employers	5.8	4.6	4.5	4.0	3.8	4.3	4.2	4.0	3.6	5.2	4.7	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.6	4.6	4.0	3.9	4.2	4.4	4.0	4.1	3.8	3.0	3.2	3.7	4.2	3.3	4.6	4.4	
Self - Employed	19.1	15.3	21.0	22.4	24.3	23.3	23.5	25.0	24.9	22.2	25.0	26.6	26.6	26.0	25.4	26.3	26.8	26.2	25.9	26.9	27.0	27.1	26.7	28.7	28.8	27.0	25.0	27.3	23.1	18.1	
Wage Employees	67.2	70.7	65.1	63.0	62.5	60.5	59.6	58.1	61.0	57.2	59.6	59.6	61.1	60.6	58.3	58.1	61.0	57.3	58.9	57.7	59.2	57.4	58.1	55.5	58.0	57.9	61.9	58.0	59.3	67.6	
Unpaid Family Members	7.9	9.4	9.4	10.6	9.4	11.9	12.7	12.9	10.5	15.4	10.7	9.5	8.1	9.3	11.7	11.0	8.2	12.6	11.0	11.0	9.8	11.4	11.4	12.8	10.0	11.4	8.9	11.4	13.0	9.9	
Average Monthly Work Days *	21.9	23.3	23.2	22.7	22.7	22.6	22.1	22.7	22.7	22.6	23.9	24.0	23.3	23.6	23.9	23.9	23.6	23.8	23.7	24.3	23.2	23.8	23.2	23.5	22.4	23.4	23.1	23.3	23.3	22.8	*
Average Weekly Work Hours *	41.2	42.2	43.0	42.1	41.0	39.5	41.8	41.7	41.4	40.0	42.4	41.8	41.1	40.5	43.3	42.8	41.6	41.7	43.0	42.9	42.4	41.1	43.5	41.7	40.3	40.2	40.5	40.8	40.7	45.0	*
Median Daily Net Wage (NIS) *	70.0	73.1	69.2	70.0	70.0	69.2	67.3	65.4	69.2	65.4	69.2	69.2	69.2	65.4	60.0	60.0	57.7	59.8	57.7	60.0	57.7	57.7	57.7	53.8	55.6	57.7	57.7	53.8	61.5	70.0	*

Note:

*: Workers in Israel and Settlements are excluded

Q: Quarter, Example: Q1-99 means: First Quarter of 1999

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Q1-99 :

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(ILO) 2009-1995

Basic Changes in the Labour Force Indicators in West Bank During 1995 - 2009 (ILO Standards)

Indicator	52	51	50	49	48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41	40	39	38	37	36	35	34	33	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	19	18	
	Q1-2009	Q4-2008	Q3-2008	Q2-2008	Q1-2008	Q4-2007	Q3-2007	Q2-2007	Q1-2007	Q4-2006	Q3-2006	Q2-2006	Q1-2006	Q4-2005	Q3-2005	Q2-2005	Q1-2005	Q4-2004	Q3-2004	Q2-2004	Q1-2004	Q4-2003	Q3-2003	Q2-2003	Q1-2003	Q4-2002	Q3-2002	Q2-2002	Q4-2000	Q3-2000	
Labour Force Participation Rate	42.8	42.8	43.4	43.5	42.3	44.0	44.8	44.8	42.7	45.7	44.6	43.7	42.5	42.4	44.1	43.7	41.4	43.4	42.6	42.4	41.6	42.2	42.9	42.5	39.6	42.1	40.0	37.3	42.9	45.3	
Full Employment Rate	74.4	74.1	73.1	75.8	74.1	73.4	70.5	72.0	75.2	75.3	71.1	71.6	69.6	68.9	70.9	74.9	69.7	72.0	69.8	66.3	67.1	71.4	69.5	69.6	63.9	65.6	62.5	66.6	68.1	84.8	
Underemployment Rate	6.1	6.1	6.2	7.9	6.9	7.4	10.9	12.2	7.5	8.5	9.8	10.4	9.0	9.3	9.2	7.9	7.7	6.7	8.0	10.1	8.3	7.9	8.9	8.0	4.9	7.4	6.5	3.7	5.6	7.7	
Unemployment Rate	19.5	19.8	20.7	16.3	19.0	19.2	18.6	15.8	17.3	16.2	19.1	18.0	21.4	21.8	19.9	17.2	22.6	21.3	22.2	23.6	24.6	20.7	21.6	22.4	31.2	27.0	31.0	29.7	26.3	7.5	
Employed in Agriculture	13.1	15.0	13.5	15.7	13.0	15.9	16.1	19.2	15.3	24.0	15.1	16.8	14.3	15.7	16.6	17.0	13.4	21.2	15.1	16.3	14.6	15.2	13.7	17.9	12.4	18.6	11.8	14.6	17.1	11.3	
Employed in Construction	15.1	14.2	16.8	14.1	12.7	13.9	14.8	13.1	12.8	11.1	13.7	13.4	13.6	13.3	14.7	14.4	15.0	13.0	14.3	11.9	12.8	15.7	15.8	13.0	12.4	13.5	12.9	10.7	13.3	24.2	
Employed in Manufacturing	15.4	13.9	15.0	14.5	16.2	15.0	15.4	14.5	14.8	14.2	16.1	14.7	13.2	15.0	15.0	14.7	14.6	13.1	14.1	14.7	14.4	14.1	14.3	13.5	14.2	13.7	13.4	14.6	14.6	16.1	
Employed in Services	31.6	29.8	29.1	30.9	32.8	30.2	28.6	29.1	30.9	27.7	28.2	29.6	30.9	28.9	27.2	27.8	30.1	28.4	29.0	30.0	30.6	27.7	28.6	28.7	32.7	28.7	31.9	32.7	29.0	24.6	
Elementary Occupation Workers	17.5	19.7	16.6	17.0	16.9	16.3	10.4	14.1	15.5	14.1	16.5	16.1	16.2	16.4	15.3	15.8	16.3	14.2	16.0	14.6	14.2	13.6	14.1	12.9	13.1	13.7	13.9	13.1	15.2	20.5	
Craft and Related Trade Workers	19.0	16.3	20.4	18.3	18.5	17.2	17.8	18.2	18.1	16.9	19.6	17.7	18.3	18.2	19.8	18.4	19.3	16.8	18.3	18.2	18.6	19.9	21.0	19.1	19.4	18.8	19.6	18.5	18.2	25.7	
Employed in Israel & Settlements	14.0	16.1	16.3	14.2	15.9	14.0	12.9	11.9	13.7	12.8	14.0	11.8	13.2	13.6	13.6	14.2	10.9	12.5	11.0	11.8	12.3	13.5	11.7	12.6	12.8	15.0	9.6	11.3	24.8		
Employers	6.0	5.0	4.5	4.3	4.2	5.0	4.7	4.2	3.4	4.4	5.0	4.7	4.8	4.8	5.3	5.2	4.7	4.7	5.1	5.4	4.8	4.9	4.5	3.2	3.8	4.4	4.6	3.6	4.8	4.6	
Self - Employed	20.8	16.4	22.8	24.1	22.9	23.5	24.7	26.3	26.9	24.5	26.7	28.6	28.5	27.9	26.7	27.6	28.3	27.6	27.4	28.3	29.3	21.8	28.2	30.8	30.2	27.8	25.6	29.1	24.6	19.9	
Wage Employees	64.6	67.9	62.2	60.4	64.2	59.7	57.6	55.6	59.0	53.7	55.9	56.0	57.4	56.9	55.0	55.3	58.6	53.8	55.8	55.1	55.9	55.2	56.0	52.7	57.6	54.8	60.0	56.4	57.0	66.2	
Unpaid Family Members	8.6	10.7	10.5	11.2	8.7	11.8	13.0	13.9	10.7	17.4	12.4	10.7	9.3	10.4	13.0	11.9	8.4	13.9	11.7	11.2	10.0	11.8	11.3	13.3	8.4	13.0	9.8	10.9	13.6	9.3	
Average Monthly Work Days *	22.1	22.7	22.7	22.3	22.1	22.2	22.0	22.3	22.2	22.1	23.5	23.8	23.2	23.4	23.7	23.8	23.5	23.6	23.4	24.7	24.5	24.4	23.5	23.9	22.8	23.2	22.2	22.5	23.2	24.3	*
Average Weekly Work Hours *	42.0	43.1	42.8	42.7	41.2	39.9	42.5	42.4	41.9	41.5	42.9	42.7	41.6	40.8	43.7	43.3	42.2	42.5	42.6	43.6	43.4	42.0	44.4	42.4	40.5	41.1	39.5	41.7	40.6	46.2	*
Median Daily Net Wage (NIS) *	76.9	76.9	71.2	76.9	76.9	70.0	70.0	69.2	70.0	67.3	69.2	69.2	70.0	69.2	65.4	65.4	60.0	62.2	61.1	64.6	62.8	61.6	61.5	57.7	60.0	60.0	67.3	57.7	61.5	63.2	*

Note:

*: Workers in Israel and Settlements are excluded

Q: Quarter, Example: Q1-99 means: First Quarter of 1999

1999

Q1-99 :

(ILO) 2009-1995

Basic Changes in the Labour Force Indicators in Gaza Strip During 1995 - 2009 (ILO Standards)

Indicator	52	51	50	49	48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41	40	39	38	37	36	35	34	33	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	19	18	
	Q1-2009	Q4-2008	Q3-2008	Q2-2008	Q1-2008	Q4-2007	Q3-2007	Q2-2007	Q1-2007	Q4-2006	Q3-2006	Q2-2006	Q1-2006	Q4-2005	Q3-2005	Q2-2005	Q1-2005	Q4-2004	Q3-2004	Q2-2004	Q1-2004	Q4-2003	Q3-2003	Q2-2003	Q1-2003	Q4-2002	Q3-2002	Q2-2002	Q4-2000	Q3-2000	
Labour Force Participation Rate	38.9	38.8	38.2	38.0	37.5	36.6	38.9	38.0	38.3	38.0	35.3	35.7	35.3	36.4	37.1	36.5	36.6	36.6	36.0	36.1	37.0	37.4	38.1	37.2	37.1	33.5	32.8	36.1	32.0	40.1	
Full Employment Rate	57.5	48.2	53.0	45.7	65.8	69.3	63.4	66.2	63.8	57.6	60.3	62.0	62.8	69.3	68.4	67.6	64.0	62.2	61.4	58.8	67.6	65.0	68.3	66.6	68.7	70.8	53.4	55.4	63.7	81.0	
Underemployment Rate	5.5	7.0	5.1	8.8	4.4	1.7	3.7	7.4	5.8	7.6	3.4	4.0	3.1	2.5	2.6	2.2	2.0	2.6	1.8	1.5	2.6	2.9	3.8	5.0	2.8	1.1	0.1	3.2	2.8	3.5	
Unemployment Rate	37.0	44.8	41.9	45.5	29.8	29.0	32.9	26.4	30.4	34.8	36.3	34.0	34.1	28.2	29.0	30.2	34.0	35.2	36.8	39.7	29.8	32.1	27.9	28.4	28.5	28.1	46.5	41.4	33.5	15.5	
Employed in Agriculture	8.4	7.1	10.6	12.3	12.5	13.9	12.7	12.7	13.3	14.1	9.2	10.7	10.1	11.4	10.5	12.0	13.1	14.3	12.3	12.3	14.6	15.9	17.4	17.2	19.4	15.3	9.7	21.9	16.1	16.2	
Employed in Construction	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.4	1.6	1.5	3.7	6.2	5.6	4.9	4.6	6.1	8.3	9.8	8.7	9.3	9.2	8.0	7.0	6.4	11.0	10.2	11.3	10.1	10.1	10.9	5.2	3.4	3.5	15.9	
Employed in Manufacturing	5.6	2.7	4.8	4.6	5.5	5.5	5.8	8.0	7.1	6.3	5.7	5.7	7.3	8.7	8.0	9.2	7.3	7.2	8.8	8.7	11.5	9.0	8.7	9.1	10.1	9.6	10.3	6.2	7.5	12.3	
Employed in Services	63.0	67.9	60.7	61.4	52.0	52.2	52.2	48.9	50.5	53.4	56.3	54.1	51.7	49.2	50.0	48.1	50.3	49.5	50.7	52.5	44.1	42.2	40.7	41.4	38.7	43.2	53.8	49.8	53.7	38.0	
Elementary Occupation Workers	10.8	12.1	12.4	11.1	10.0	9.1	14.8	10.5	9.8	10.5	11.2	15.5	15.5	17.1	12.9	13.6	14.1	13.4	13.4	11.3	13.9	15.2	16.8	16.7	14.1	18.9	10.3	13.0	9.9	18.0	
Craft and Related Trade Workers	7.6	5.7	6.9	6.5	11.1	8.4	15.8	14.8	12.7	10.1	9.9	10.4	11.7	13.4	15.5	14.8	12.3	12.5	15.2	14.0	17.0	15.4	16.1	15.4	16.7	15.2	15.6	8.7	10.5	21.7	
Employed in Israel & Settlements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	0.5	1.0	-	0.4	0.4	0.1	3.3	2.2	4.4	2.1	3.7	4.6	2.1	1.7	2.7	15.4	
Employers	5.3	3.5	4.6	3.3	2.9	2.4	3.0	3.4	4.1	7.2	3.7	3.0	2.5	2.4	2.9	2.9	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.5	2.0	2.0	3.2	2.6	4.0	4.0	
Self - Employed	14.9	12.0	15.7	16.9	27.3	22.7	20.5	21.5	19.9	15.6	19.9	21.0	21.5	21.7	22.0	23.1	23.1	22.5	21.7	22.9	21.6	24.8	23.1	23.8	26.1	25.2	23.4	23.1	18.7	13.6	
Wage Employees	73.7	79.0	73.3	71.3	58.5	62.5	64.8	64.3	65.8	67.3	70.6	69.8	71.0	69.4	66.6	65.3	67.2	66.7	67.5	65.2	66.6	62.9	63.1	62.1	58.7	65.5	67.4	61.8	65.9	71.0	
Unpaid Family Members	6.1	5.5	6.4	8.5	11.3	12.4	11.7	10.8	10.2	9.9	5.8	6.2	5.0	6.5	8.5	8.7	7.7	9.0	8.9	10.1	9.7	10.1	11.7	11.6	13.2	7.3	6.0	12.5	11.4	11.4	
Average Monthly Work Days *	21.3	25.0	24.8	24.2	20.4	23.8	22.4	23.5	23.5	23.5	24.5	24.3	23.5	23.9	24.3	24.2	23.7	24.1	24.3	23.5	21.2	22.9	22.8	22.8	21.9	23.8	24.8	24.4	24.8	23.7	*
Average Weekly Work Hours *	38.8	39.9	43.4	40.0	40.2	38.2	39.7	40.4	40.6	37.7	41.5	40.4	40.4	40.0	42.5	42.0	40.5	40.5	43.6	41.7	40.9	39.8	42.2	40.6	40.0	38.9	42.3	39.6	40.6	42.8	*
Median Daily Net Wage (NIS) *	57.7	57.7	50.0	57.7	57.7	60.7	57.7	57.7	61.5	61.5	65.4	67.3	65.4	61.5	53.8	55.8	55.8	53.8	50.0	53.8	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	53.8	50.0	53.8	46.2	*

Note:

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(-) means there are no enough observations in this section.

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1999 : Q1-99 :

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(ILO) 2008-1995

Basic Changes in the Labour Force Indicators in Palestinian Territory During 1995 - 2008 (ILO Standards)

Indicator	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	
Labour Force Participation Rate	41.3	41.9	41.3	40.7	40.4	40.3	38.1	38.7	41.5	41.6	41.4	40.5	40.0	39.0	
Full Employment Rate	67.4	70.5	68.5	69.9	66.8	68.1	64.4	70.9	80.9	82.8	79.1	70.4	64.3	60.7	
Underemployment Rate	6.6	8.0	7.9	6.6	6.4	6.3	4.3	3.9	5.0	5.4	6.5	9.3	11.9	21.1	
Unemployment Rate	26.0	21.5	23.6	23.5	26.8	25.6	31.3	25.2	14.1	11.8	14.4	20.3	23.8	18.2	
Employed in Agriculture	13.4	15.6	16.1	14.6	15.9	15.7	14.9	11.7	13.7	12.6	12.1	13.1	14.2	12.7	
Employed in Construction	10.9	11.0	11.1	12.9	11.7	13.1	10.9	14.5	19.7	22.1	22.0	18.4	16.8	19.2	
Employed in Manufacturing	12.1	12.5	12.4	13.0	12.7	12.5	12.9	13.9	14.3	15.5	15.9	16.4	16.8	18.0	
Employed in Services	38.4	35.8	35.5	34.4	34.9	32.8	35.7	34.6	29.9	28.1	27.1	28.2	29.2	25.6	
Elementary Occupation Workers	15.9	14.0	14.9	15.5	14.3	14.1	14.1	15.9	21.1	29.7	31.0	28.9	28.7	18.3	
Craft and Related Trade Workers	15.6	16.1	16.1	17.5	17.1	18.7	17.5	19.0	22.0	22.7	24.7	24.6	24.0	27.5	
Employed in Israel & Settlements	11.6	9.4	9.6	9.9	8.7	9.7	10.3	13.8	19.6	23.0	21.7	17.1	14.1	16.2	
Employers	4.2	4.0	4.6	4.3	4.1	3.5	3.7	4.7	4.6	5.5	5.8	5.3	5.5	6.9	
Self - Employed	20.7	24.2	25.0	26.1	26.5	27.8	26.8	24.0	19.6	18.7	21.0	22.9	22.3	21.2	
Wage Employees	65.3	59.8	59.3	59.5	58.3	57.2	59.2	62.1	66.1	67.8	65.3	62.0	61.4	61.7	
Unpaid Family Members	9.7	12.0	11.1	10.1	11.1	11.5	10.3	9.2	9.7	8.0	7.9	9.8	10.8	10.2	
Average Monthly Work Days *	23.0	22.6	23.4	23.8	23.7	23.2	23.3	23.9	23.2	22.6	23.0	22.0	22.0	21.0	*
Average Weekly Work Hours *	42.1	41.1	41.3	42.0	42.5	41.7	40.6	42.1	43.1	44.2	45.0	44.0	43.5	42.1	*
Median Daily Net Wage (NIS) *	70.0	69.2	69.2	60.0	57.7	55.8	57.7	57.7	69.2	69.2	57.7	50.0	46.2	46.3	*

Note:

*: Workers in Israel and Settlements are excluded

(ILO) 2008-1995

Basic Changes in the Labour Force Indicators in West Bank During 1995 - 2008 (ILO Standards)

Indicator	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	
Labour Force Participation Rate	43.0	44.1	44.1	42.9	42.5	41.8	40.0	41.5	43.6	43.4	44.2	43.2	42.0	40.6	
Full Employment Rate	74.2	72.8	72.0	71.2	68.8	68.7	66.4	73.8	81.7	83.5	80.1	71.1	67.6	65.3	
Underemployment Rate	6.8	9.5	9.4	8.5	8.3	7.5	5.4	4.7	6.2	7.0	8.4	11.6	12.8	20.7	
Unemployment Rate	19.0	17.7	18.6	20.3	22.9	23.8	28.2	21.5	12.1	9.5	11.5	17.3	19.6	13.9	
Employed in Agriculture	14.3	16.6	17.8	15.7	16.9	14.9	14.1	11.8	12.5	11.5	13.8	15.1	16.2	13.3	
Employed in Construction	14.5	13.6	12.9	14.4	13.0	14.3	12.7	18.0	22.2	23.9	22.7	19.1	18.3	20.3	
Employed in Manufacturing	14.9	14.9	14.6	14.8	14.0	14.0	14.5	15.4	15.4	16.5	16.8	17.2	17.6	18.8	
Employed in Services	30.6	29.8	29.0	28.5	29.5	29.4	31.1	28.0	25.5	24.7	23.0	23.8	24.2	22.6	
Elementary Occupation Workers	17.4	15.8	15.6	16.0	14.8	13.3	14.1	17.6	21.9	31.1	30.5	28.7	28.7	18.2	
Craft and Related Trade Workers	18.4	17.8	18.1	18.9	18.0	19.9	19.1	20.7	23.3	22.9	25.0	25.0	25.1	28.7	
Employed in Israel & Settlements	15.6	13.1	13.0	13.8	11.6	12.5	13.3	18.0	22.4	25.9	24.0	19.5	16.6	20.2	
Employers	4.5	4.4	4.4	5.0	5.0	4.1	4.1	4.6	5.1	6.6	6.5	5.9	6.0	7.1	
Self - Employed	21.6	25.4	27.0	27.6	28.1	29.3	27.8	25.6	20.6	18.6	21.5	23.6	23.5	21.3	
Wage Employees	63.7	57.9	55.7	56.4	55.1	55.3	57.5	60.1	64.7	66.5	63.0	59.3	59.0	61.3	
Unpaid Family Members	10.2	12.3	12.6	11.0	11.8	11.3	10.6	9.7	9.6	8.3	9.0	11.2	11.5	9.9	
Average Monthly Work Days *	22.4	22.2	23.1	23.6	24.0	23.7	22.8	23.6	24.4	23.5	23.0	23.0	22.6	22.0	*
Average Weekly Work Hours *	42.5	41.7	42.2	42.5	43.0	42.3	40.9	43.2	43.6	44.6	45.0	43.0	43.5	43.0	*
Median Daily Net Wage (NIS) *	76.9	70.0	69.2	65.4	61.5	60.0	60.0	60.0	61.5	60.0	50.0	46.3	44.7	42.3	*

Note:

*: Workers in Israel and Settlements are excluded

(ILO) 2008-1995

Basic Changes in the Labour Force Indicators in Gaza Strip During 1995 - 2008 (ILO Standards)

Indicator	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	
Full Employment Rate	38.1	38.0	36.1	36.7	36.4	37.5	34.4	33.3	37.5	38.0	36.4	35.7	36.4	35.4	
Underemployment Rate	53.0	65.6	60.6	67.4	62.5	67.2	60.1	63.9	79.0	81.2	76.8	68.8	57.5	48.6	
Unemployment Rate	6.4	4.7	4.6	2.3	2.1	3.6	1.8	1.9	2.3	1.9	2.3	4.4	10.0	22.0	
Employed in Agriculture	40.6	29.7	34.8	30.3	35.4	29.2	38.1	34.2	18.7	16.9	20.9	26.8	32.5	29.4	
Employed in Construction	10.7	13.1	11.1	11.7	13.4	17.5	16.7	11.4	16.5	15.2	8.0	8.0	9.1	10.8	
Employed in Manufacturing	0.9	4.3	6.0	9.3	8.2	10.4	6.3	4.4	13.5	17.8	20.5	16.5	13.1	15.4	
Employed in Services	4.4	6.6	6.3	8.3	9.1	9.2	8.9	9.7	11.5	13.1	13.6	14.5	14.9	15.2	
Elementary Occupation Workers	60.2	50.9	53.7	49.4	49.1	40.8	47.5	53.3	41.0	36.5	37.0	38.9	41.4	35.2	
Craft and Related Trade Workers	11.3	10	13.2	14.4	13.0	15.8	14.3	11.0	18.7	26.4	30.9	29.5	29.3	18.4	
Employed in Israel & Settlements	7.7	11.7	10.5	14.0	14.7	15.9	13.4	14.2	18.9	22.2	23.8	23.6	21.2	23.5	
Employers	-	-	-	0.4	1.1	3.1	2.5	1.9	12.9	15.7	16.2	11.0	8.1	3.3	
Self - Employed	3.5	3.2	4.2	2.6	1.9	2.2	2.6	5.0	3.3	2.8	4.0	3.7	4.4	6.1	
Wage Employees	18.4	21.2	19.4	22.4	22.2	24.5	24.3	19.5	17.2	19.1	19.7	21.0	19.4	20.4	
Unpaid Family Members	70.0	64.4	69.6	67.1	66.5	61.7	63.6	67.7	69.5	71.1	71.0	68.4	67.3	62.6	
Average Monthly Work Days *	8.1	11.2	6.8	7.9	9.4	11.6	9.5	7.8	10.0	7.0	5.3	6.9	8.9	10.8	*
Average Weekly Work Hours *	24.7	23.3	24.0	24.0	23.2	22.6	24.1	24.6	24.5	24.0	24.0	24.0	23.3	21.7	*
Median Daily Net Wage (NIS) *	40.8	39.9	39.9	41.2	41.6	40.6	40.0	40.1	41.7	43.2	43.0	43.0	44.0	43.2	*
	57.7	57.7	65.4	57.7	52.5	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	46.2	40.0	38.5	34.6	34.6	*

Note:

*: Workers in Israel and Settlements are excluded

(-) means there are no enough observations in this section.

The date of field work for every round

Round Number	The Round			
Round (18)	July - September, 2000	2000	-	(18)
Round (19)	October - December, 2000	2000	-	(19)
Round (25)	April - June, 2002	2002	-	(25)
Round (26)	July - September, 2002	2002	-	(26)
Round (27)	October -December, 2002	2002	-	(27)
Round (28)	January - March, 2003	2003	-	(28)
Round (29)	April - June, 2003	2003	-	(29)
Round (30)	July - September, 2003	2003	-	(30)
Round (31)	October -December, 2003	2003	-	(31)
Round (32)	January - March, 2004	2004	-	(32)
Round (33)	April - June, 2004	2004	-	(33)
Round (34)	July - September, 2004	2004	-	(34)
Round (35)	October -December, 2004	2004	-	(35)
Round (36)	January - March, 2005	2005	-	(36)
Round (37)	April - June, 2005	2005	-	(37)
Round (38)	July - September, 2005	2005	-	(38)
Round (39)	October -December, 2005	2005	-	(39)
Round (40)	January - March, 2006	2006	-	(40)
Round (41)	April - June, 2006	2006	-	(41)
Round (42)	July - September, 2006	2006	-	(42)
Round (43)	October -December, 2006	2006	-	(43)
Round (44)	January - March, 2007	2007	-	(44)
Round (45)	April - June, 2007	2007	-	(45)
Round (46)	July - September, 2007	2007	-	(46)
Round (47)	October -December, 2007	2007	-	(47)
Round (48)	January - March, 2008	2008	-	(48)
Round (49)	April - June, 2008	2008	-	(49)
Round (50)	July - September, 2008	2008	-	(50)
Round (51)	October -December, 2008	2008	-	(51)
Round (52)	January - March, 2009	2009	-	(52)