

SALFIT GOVERNORATE

Palestinians

Vs

Israeli Settlers

Population



1.6x Vs. 2.8x

Palestinian Population Growth

In 1997: **46,077** people to
Currently: **73,695** people

(1.6x growth)

Israeli Settler Population Growth

In 1997: **17,236** people to
Currently: **48,045** people

(2.8x growth)

Demographics



12% shift

In 1997: **73%** of inhabitants to
Currently: **61%** of inhabitants.

In 1997: **27%** of inhabitants to
Currently: **39%** of inhabitants

Outdated Master Plans

Restricting land use/development to:
22% (48,003 dunums classified as A or B)

Leaving lands unusable/ Inaccessible:
78% (169,045 dunums classified as C)

Land



Inaccessibility Vs. Growth

Growth in Built Up Area

In 1997: **17,053** dunums of built up area
Currently: **25,123** dunums of built up area

1.5x average growth and up to a **10.5x growth**
in certain settlements.

Zoning



50/50 zoning

Lands falling under Palestinian jurisdiction:
(**48,000 dunums** classified A or B)

Lands falling under Israeli settlement jurisdiction:
(**43,478 dunums** within settlement plans)

Demolition

107 demolitions and 148 orders

Displacing/threatening of **1,500 persons**
and thousands others compelled to build in Area C.

Development

2,538 new units
(planned and/ or published housing tenders)

10,000+ increase in settler population

Expansion



Demolition Vs. Development



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