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# Settler violence in the West Bank

**457**

**Attacks by Israeli settlers OCHA recorded in the West Bank in October 2026**

OCHA, November 2026, as entered in PRISM's protection register

**1,145**

**Palestinians killed in West Bank, 7 Oct 2023 to 23 Oct 2026, at least 250 children**

OCHA via UNRWA, Situation Report #238, 11 November 2026

**78**

**Palestinian-owned structures demolished in the West Bank, 3 to 9 November 2026**

OCHA, Humanitarian Situation Report, 13 November 2026

Source: PRISM, from the sources each figure names
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# The Situation, November 2026

**Attacks by Israeli settlers in the West Bank have exceeded 1,000 a year since 2023 and reached 1,836 in 2025 (Protection Cluster, West Bank Operational Update, 9 October 2026). OCHA documented 2,159 settler attacks across more than 300 communities between 1 January and 19 October 2026, an average of 7.4 a day against 5 a day in 2025 (OCHA, 22 October 2026). In October, settler attacks during the olive harvest and an operation by Israeli forces in Hebron city displaced Palestinian families, and herding communities lost access to their land (OCHA, 29 October 2026).**

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# Settler Attacks and Casualties

R02 ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS

- **West Bank.** OCHA documented 397 attacks by Israeli settlers that caused casualties or property damage between 1 and 26 October 2026, the highest monthly number since its records began in 2006 (OCHA, 29 October 2026).
- **West Bank.** Between 13 and 19 October 2026, Israeli forces injured 92 Palestinians and settlers injured 56. The 148 injured included 6 children, and 69 were hurt in settler attacks linked to the olive harvest (OCHA, 22 October 2026).
- **Jericho.** Israeli settlers opened fire in al-Duyuk al-Tahta, Jericho governorate, on 16 November 2026 while Israeli forces were present, killing a 60-year-old Palestinian woman and injuring 10 people (WAFA via SANA, 17 November 2026).
- **West Bank schools.** West Bank schools recorded 31 incidents of settler violence from July to September 2026, against 6 in the same months of 2025 (Education Cluster, 8 November 2026).

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# Displacement of Communities

R15 FORCED DISPLACEMENT AND RESTRICTED MOVEMENT · R12 DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY AND EVICTION

- **Khirbet Ras al Ahmar.** 24 herding families of 94 people, 40 of them children, had been displaced from Khirbet Ras al Ahmar, Tubas governorate, by 29 October 2026 amid access restrictions and settler attacks (OCHA, 29 October 2026).
- **Isteih.** Israeli settlers took over homes in Isteih, near Jericho city, on 4 November 2026, displacing dozens of Palestinians. Israeli forces declared a closed military zone that kept aid partners out (OCHA, Today's Top News, 5 November 2026).
- **Khirbet Suruj.** 7 families of 33 people were displaced from Khirbet Suruj, Jenin governorate, on 29 October 2026 after Israeli authorities reportedly ordered them to leave, claiming state land (OCHA, Situation Report, 5 November 2026).
- **Hebron.** About 3,000 Palestinians were reportedly displaced during an operation by Israeli forces in Hebron city in late October 2026, a figure OCHA said was still under verification (OCHA, 29 October 2026).

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# Olive Harvest, Land and Property

R12 DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY AND EVICTION · R15 FORCED DISPLACEMENT AND RESTRICTED MOVEMENT

- **West Bank.** 410 settler attacks linked to the olive harvest had been recorded in the West Bank since 1 September 2026 by 13 November, against 272 by 22 October (OCHA, 13 November 2026; OCHA, 22 October 2026).
- **Ma'in.** Israeli settlers reportedly stole 139 sheep in Ma'in, Hebron governorate, on 17 October 2026. In the same incident, which involved both settlers and Israeli forces, 9 Palestinians were injured, a woman among them (OCHA, 22 October 2026).
- **Qalqiliya.** By 4 November 2026, Israeli authorities had approved 1,750 of the 4,000 permit applications farmers in Qalqiliya filed to reach their olive trees (OCHA, 13 November 2026).
- **West Bank.** Between 3 and 9 November 2026, Israeli authorities demolished 78 Palestinian-owned structures or forced the owners to demolish them, displacing 150 people, 61 of them children (OCHA, 13 November 2026).

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# Israeli Forces and Accountability

R02 ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS · R15 FORCED DISPLACEMENT AND RESTRICTED MOVEMENT · R12 DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY AND EVICTION

- **Deir Abu Mash'al.** Israeli settlers backed by Israeli soldiers attacked olive harvesters in Deir Abu Mash'al, Ramallah governorate, on 10 November 2026, and the soldiers fired tear gas at residents (WAFA, 10 November 2026).
- **Deir Jarir.** Israeli settlers shot and wounded a Palestinian near Deir Jarir, Ramallah governorate, on 14 November 2026 while Israeli forces were deployed in the area. The forces then closed the village gates (WAFA, 14 November 2026).
- **Al-Majd.** On 29 October 2026, Israeli forces and settlers began clearing Palestinian-owned land east of al-Majd, Hebron governorate, for a new settlement and a road over 3 kilometres long to Negohot settlement (WAFA, 29 October 2026).
- **Jenin.** Acting Humanitarian Coordinator Ramiz Alakbarov met olive farmers in Arraba, Jenin governorate, on 22 October 2026 and called for their protection and for accountability for attacks on them (OCHA, 22 October 2026).

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# Protection and International Law

R02 ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS · R15 FORCED DISPLACEMENT AND RESTRICTED MOVEMENT · R12 DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY AND EVICTION

- **Commission of Inquiry.** The Commission found that Israel, through military operations reinforced by settler violence, has waged a widespread and systematic attack against West Bank civilians since 7 October 2023 (UN HRC, 26 October 2026).
- **Hebron.** The Protection Cluster said on 27 October 2026 that the Israeli operation in Hebron raised serious concerns of collective punishment and of unlawful forcible transfer (Protection Cluster, Call to Action, 27 October 2026).
- **Olive harvest.** Ajith Sunghay, Head of UN Human Rights in the occupied Palestinian territory, said on 21 October 2026 that attacks on the West Bank olive harvest were another tool of displacement and dispossession (OHCHR, 21 October 2026).
- **Protection register.** Of 272 entries filed on the occupied Palestinian territory, Gaza included, from 4 October to 17 November 2026, 125 record attacks on civilians and 50 property and eviction (PRISM protection register, 17 November 2026).

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