# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



# PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 1st November 2011 – 08:00, 2nd November 2011

## **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Detention	3	_	3	1 in Jenin, and 2 in Nablus
Temporary Detentions	13		13	At checkpoints and in residential area,
Raids	14	2	16	1 in Ramallah,2 in Jenin, 2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqilya, 1 in Nablus, ,2in Bethlehem, 2 in Jericho, 2 in Salfit 1 in Hebron, 1 in Central Gaza and 1 in Khan Younis.
Closure of Checkpoints	10		10	1 checkpoint closed, access allowed at 3 checkpoints & impeded at 6others
Flying Checkpoints	37	_	37	Incl. 2 in Jerusalem, 6 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 2 Tulkarem,, 5in Qalqilya, 8in Nablus, 3 in Salfit,2 in Jericho, 6in Bethlehem & 2 in Hebron
Attack	2	8	10	4 during raids, 4 from military posts and 2 from naval vessels
Aerial surveillance		3	3	1 by helicopters and 1 by drones in Central Gaza and Khan Younis
Attack on Property	1		1	Israeli forces confiscated a truck carrying coal in Jenin
Destruction of Property	5	_	5	Israeli settlers stormed several tents and set fire to agricultural crops, stoned and damaged vehicles in Hebron and Nablus
Land Levelling		2	2	Israeli bulldozers levelled agricultural land in Central Gaza and Khan Younis
Wall Construction	15	_	15	4 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem,3 in Qalqilya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Incl. 1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Bethlahem and 5 in Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	50	_	50	Incl.3 in Tulkarem, 9 in Nablus and 21in Hebron
Closure of Crossings	_	4	4	Beit Hanoun crossing open, Erez crossing partially open for humanitarian cases cooking. and Rafah crossing open for the entry and exit of civilians.

Settler Violence	4		4	Israeli settlers stormed tents, set fire to
				agricultural land, stoned and destroyed civilian vehicles in Hebron.
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Demonstrations		1	1	Demonstration against Security
				closures in north Gaza
Palestinian Attacks	_	1	1	projectiles fired towards Green Line
TOTAL	162	21	183	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
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#### WEST BANK

#### **Closure:** (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city entrance and the entrance to the Old City. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the 'demarcation area' along the Wall in the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits. (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Iksa villages. **Closure of Main Roads:** The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the (i) entrance to Jaba' village. The Israeli army continues to close the gate along the Wall section separating (ii) the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town. The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to (iii) Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. **JERUSALEM Checkpoints:** (i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city. (ii) At 23:00, the Israeli Army intensified its restrictions on Jab checkpoint on the main road connecting Jerusalem, Ramallah and Jericho and impeded the free flow of traffic. **Wall Gates:** (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on (ii) Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Sawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the areas north and south of Qalandia village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma'ale Adumim.

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	• <u>Closure of Main Roads</u> : The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.
	• Flying Checkpoints:
	(i) At 12:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Al-Taibeh junction (on the Ramallah–Jericho road), searching civilians and vehicles.
	(ii) At 17:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Beit Rima junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
RAMALLAH	(iii) At 17:15, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Ras Karkar.
& AL BIREH	(iv) At 18:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Beit Liqya and Khirbat Al-Misbah.
	(v) At 20:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Sinjel, searching civilians and vehicles.
	• Raid: At 11:45, Israeli forces raided Bir Zeit and set up a flying checkpoint until 12:05.
	• <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 13:10, a group of Israeli settlers stoned civilian vehicles passing along road 60 in Northern El-Berih.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages.
	Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the
	road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.
	• <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> On the evening of November 1 <sup>st</sup> 2011, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Silat Al-Thaher and confiscated a truck carrying coal.
JENIN	• Raid: At 02:45 Israeli forces raided Jenin and Jenin refugee camp, fired flash grenades as they searched several homes, and detained a resident of Jenin refugee camp then withdrew at 03:10.
	• <u>Detentions</u> : Israeli forces detained Adnan Al-Saadi during their raid into Jenin refugee camp.
	• Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.
TUBAS	• <u>Checkpoints</u> : The Israeli army continues to restrict Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.
	(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.
	• <u>Checkpoints</u> : Since 15:00 on October 23 <sup>rd</sup> 2011 the Israeli army has closed Palestinian access at 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus, allegedly for road maintenance; the checkpoint is said to be closed until 19:30 on November 1 <sup>st</sup>
TULKAREM	2011.
	<ul> <li>Flying Checkpoints:</li> <li>(i) At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Fuqin village junction,</li> </ul>
	searching civilians and vehicles until 13:50.

	(ii) At 20:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Bazaria village junction east of Anata, searching civilians and vehicles.		
	• Raids:		
	(i) At 10:25, Israeli forces raided Attil until 11:15.		
	(ii) At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Shweika neighbourhood in Tulkarem, searched several homes and withdrew at 03:20.		
	Wall Gates: Passage through the wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.		
	Wall Construction: Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision, the new Wall route will be constructed west of the village.		
	• Closure of Roads:		
	(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of 'Azzun.		
	(ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second <i>Intifada</i> , the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village.		
	Flying checkpoints:		
	(i) At 17:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Izbat Salman and Beit Amin, searching civilians and vehicles.		
	(ii) At 17:45 and again at 07:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Azzoun, searching civilians and vehicles.		
QALQILYA	(iii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Qalqilya searching civilians and vehicles.		
	• Wall Gates:		
	(i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.		
	(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows		
	residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the gate at the entrance to the village of Ras 'Atiya; the Israeli army only allows students		
	to cross to their schools outside the village through the Habla gate.		
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in Kafr Laqef village north of		
	Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement;		
	and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement .		
	• Closure of Main Roads:		
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Till-Burin and Beit Furik-		
	Salem; the settler bypass road connecting the village of Deir al Hatab to the		
	settlement of Alon Moreh; the road connecting the town of 'Aqraba to the		
	village of Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osrin.		
NABLUS	(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and		
	Qaryut.		
	• Checkpoints:		
	(i) Al-Tur neighbourhood checkpoint (set up on Jerzim Mount) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On all other days, it		
	is open between 07:00 and, 02:00  At 'Awarta commercial checkpoint civilians are only allowed to cross		
	(ii) At 'Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are only allowed to cross		

	between 05:00 and 20:00, and between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All
	vehicles can access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and
	ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint.
	(iii) At 11:55, the Israeli army increased restrictions at Huwara checkpoint and
	impeded the free flow of traffic.
	(iv) At 17:15, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions on "Shavi Shamron"
	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	• Flying checkpoints:
	(i) At 14:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Dier Sharaf village
	junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(ii) At 14:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Qusin village junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(iii) At 15:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Yitzahar settlement junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(iv) At 16:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al-Maslakh area (the main entrance leading to east Nablus), searching civilians and vehicles.
	<ul> <li>(v) At 17:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Beita junction, searching civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul>
	(vi) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Salem village junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(vii) At 20:40, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Burin village junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(viii) At 21:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Tel and Sarrah villages, searching civilians and vehicles.
	<ul> <li>Raids: At 04:30, Israeli forces raided Nablus and Ein Beit Al-Maa refugee camp,</li> </ul>
	fired stun grenades as they searched several homes, and detained 2 residents.
	• Detention: Israeli forces detained Nidal Abu Ras and Ahmad Khabas during
	their raid into Ein Beit Al-Maa refugee camp in Nablus.
	• <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 23:05, a group of Israeli settlers attacked several
	Palestinian shepherds, stormed Ahmad Al Jabbar's tent, and set fire to fields
	owned by Ashraf Bani Jama.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.
	(ii) Since 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to
	Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years,
	and at 11:00, Israeli forces closed the entrance and impeded the free flow of
	traffic.
SALFIT	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 17:25 and again at 07:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Salfit and Bruqin, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Al-
	Dik.
	• Raid: At 13:00, Israeli forces raided Marda village, temporaraly detained and
	interrogated several residents, then withdrew at 14:15.
	• Wall Construction: resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the
	illegal settlement Emmanuel.
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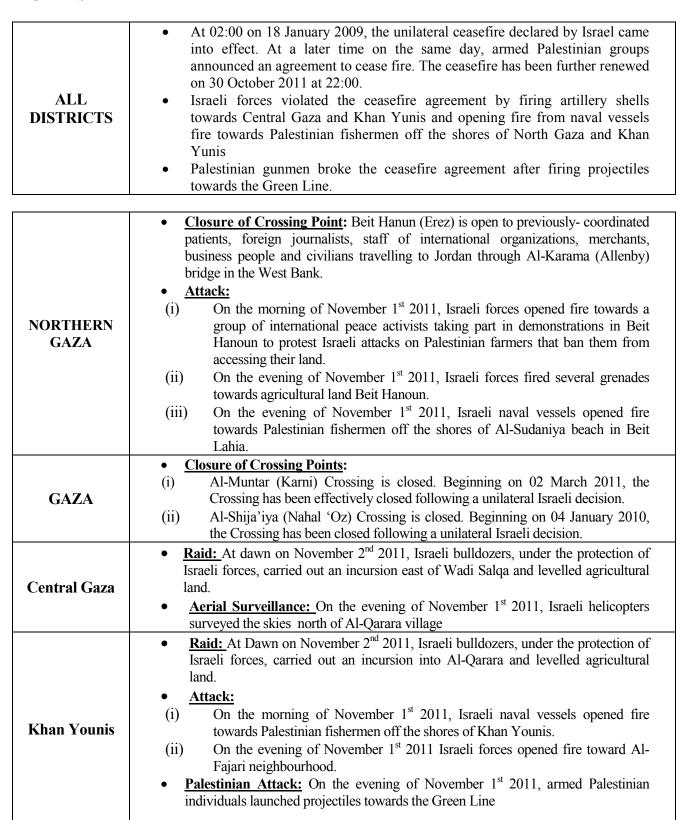
	• Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between			
JERICHO	Jericho city and Al-Ouja village with cement blocks.			
	• Checkpoints:			
	(i) Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up			
	along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access to			
	residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley area.			
	(ii) At 11:25, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the junction to Al-Ouja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho			
	District and others with access permits.			
	• Flying Checkpoints: At 09:20 and again at 07:30, Israeli forces set up a flying			
	checkpoint at southern entrance of Jericho, searching civilians and vehicles.			
	• Raids: At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Jericho and Aqbat Al-Jabir refugee camp.			
	• Closure:			
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the			
	exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of			
	the village.			
	(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israeli army has prevented civilians from			
	accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya			
	area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.			
	• Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi			
	Ahmed road; a road east of Beit Fajjar town; the road connecting Tuqu' town to			
	Khirbet al Baq'a village; and the detour road connecting Wadi Fukin and Al			
	Jab'a villages.			
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 14:10, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at container			
BETHLEHEM	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.			
	• Flying Checkpoints:			
	(i) At 08:55 and again at 18:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al- Nashash junction, searching civilians and vehicles.			
	(ii) At 13:20 and at 14:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance			
	of Husan village, searching civilians and vehicles.			
	(iii) At 14:05 and again at 22:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Jinata			
	village junction, searching civilians and vehicles.			
	(iv) At 15:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint beneath Al-Khader bridge,			
	searching civilians and vehicles.			
	• Raids:			
	(i) At 21:20, Israeli forces raided Zaatara, searched 2 homes and withdrew at			
	22:35.			
	<ul> <li>(ii) At 22:35, Israeli forces raided Jinata.</li> <li>Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in northwest of Beit Jala town.</li> </ul>			
	• Closure:  (i) The Igraeli array continues to close Al Shuhada' Street, Al Sahlah and Whuza			
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada' Street, Al-Sahleh and Khuzq Al-Far areas, as well as the old gold market in Hebron's Old City. In addition			
	to closing the entrance to Al-Qeisi neighbourhood, the Israeli army continues			
	to close the entrances to the area of Al-Hisba (the fruits and vegetables			
	market) with an electronic gate; Al-Laban Market also remains closed.			
	(ii) Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the			
	Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall			
	construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them			
	access to the area.			

#### • Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Dhahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town.
- (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to the entrance to Al-Simiya village.
- (v) Since October 15<sup>th</sup> 2011, the Israeli army closed two secondary roads leading to Beit Ummar with cement blocks.
- **Flying Checkpoints:** At 07:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Fawwar camp, searching civilians and vehicles.
- Raids: At 14:30 and again at 02:35, Israeli forces raided Hebron and set up a flying checkpoint.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 00:20, a group of Israeli settlers, under the protection of Israeli forces, stormed several homes and properties in eastern Hebron, fired stun grenades and stoned homes and vehicles, damaging 3 vehicles belonging to Qassem Jaber, Khalil Jaber and Farid Jaber. Israeli forces temporarily detained Abdel Fatah Jaber after he attempted to stope the settler attack then withdrew at 01:30.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

### Hebron

#### **GAZA STRIP**



	• <u>Closure of Crossing Points</u> : Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.		
	• Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is closed		
	Sufa Crossing is closed.		
RAFAH	<ul> <li>Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the transportation of food supplies, goods, humanitarian aid and cooking gas and construction material designated to internationally funded projects.</li> <li>Al Awda crossing – Rafah is open for patients, students and civilians with</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>permits.</li> <li><u>Attack:</u> On the evening of November 1<sup>st</sup> 2011, Israeli forces opened fire towards the Rafah Crossing.</li> </ul>		