



**Food Security Information System (FSIS)**  
**Governorate Fact Sheet**  
**“Nablus”**

1- Demography Data:

#	Main Indicators	Sub Indicators	Unit	Year
				2007
1	Palestinian Population	Total Population	Person	320830
2	Population Locality Type	Rural Population	Person	112904
		Urban Population	Person	177093
		Refugee Population in Camp	Person	30833
3	Household Size		Persons Per Room	5.4
4	Palestinian Population Density	Area A	Person Per km <sup>2</sup>	1375
		Area B	Person Per km <sup>2</sup>	673
		Area C	Person Per km <sup>2</sup>	76
		Built-up Area	Person Per km <sup>2</sup>	6336
		Total Area	Person Per km <sup>2</sup>	524

2- Socio- Economic Data:

#	Main Indicators	Sub Indicators	Unit	Year			
				2007	2008	2009	2010
1	Expenditure	Food	Percentage			48.34	
		Water	Percentage	8			
2	Daily Wages		Average ( NIS)	65.2	68.7	72.7	88.4
3	Labor Force	In the Labor Force	Percentage	43.2	41.9	41.9	
		Outside Labor Force	Percentage	56.8	58.1	58.1	
		Unemployment Rate	Percentage	15.6	15.6	12.9	11.8
4	Employed Persons by employment Statutes	Unpaid Family Member	Percentage	11.4	8.1	6	6
5	Dependency Ratio		Ratio	77.5			
6	Food Prices	Total Average	NIS	18.54	23.99	1.28	
7	Stable Food Prices	Short Grain Profiled Rice	NIS	106.25	136.95	159.50	
		Haifa White Flower	NIS	190.50	203.24	170.00	
		Lentils	NIS	5.38	6.76	8.42	
		Fine White Sugar	NIS	3.96	3.41	3.12	
		White Table Salt	NIS	1.50	1.50	1.52	
8	Fruit Vegetables Food Prices	Medium Size Banana	NIS	3.13	4.24	3.22	
		Green House Tomato	NIS	3.54	3.29	2.04	
		Local Dry Onion	NIS	2.13	2.30	2.77	
		Green House Cucumber	NIS	2.28	2.65	2.28	
		Medium Size Potato	NIS	2.54	2.86	2.43	
9	Animal Protein Food Price	Fresh Goat Meat with Bones	NIS	51.58	54.56	60.31	
		Fresh Beef Meat	NIS	41.00	42.80	46.63	
		Fresh Chicken without Feathers	NIS	13.38	14.55	14.56	
		Chicken Eggs	NIS	13.46	14.62	17.01	



### 3- Agriculture Data:

#	Main Indicators	Sub Indicators	Unit	Year		
				2007	2008	2009
1	Cultivated Area	Total	Dunum	242090	246087.0	
		Irrigated land	Dunum	9,827	234607.0	
		Rain-fed land	Dunum	232,263	11480.0	
		Olive Trees	Dunum	185464	183903	
2	Amount of Plant Production	Total	Tons	42052	65063	
		Irrigated land	Tons	24,232		
		Rain-fed land	Tons	17,819		
		Olive Trees	Tons	7384	21925.0	
3	Amount of Livestock Production	Total	Tons			
4	Value of Plant Production	Total	US\$ 1000	28812	55190.0	
		Olives Tree	US\$ 1000	7180	24228.0	
5	Value of Livestock Production	Total	US \$ 1000	38,616	48330.0	
6	Value Added - Plant	Total	US\$ 1000	21,686	46372.0	
7	Value Added - Livestock	Total	US\$ 1000	-9,176	20256.0	
8	Number of Livestock	Sheep	Heads	86280	71401	
		Goats	Heads	27401	22709	
		Poultry	Birds (1000)	2094	2334	
		Cattle	Heads	4695	3729.0	
9	Agricultural Ownership	Families Own Agricultural Lands	Percentage			27.1
		Families Own Livestock	Percentage			2.7
10	Agricultural Employment	Agricultural Employee (Total)	Percentage	14.4	11.7	9.9
		Agricultural Employee (Female)	Percentage	39.8	32.1	23.6
		Agricultural Employee (Male)	Percentage	8.2	7.0	6.7

### 4- Nutrition Data:

#	Main Indicators	Sub Indicators	Unit	Years			
				2006	2007	2008	2009
1	Dietary Per Capita Intake	Adequate Iodized Salt	Percentage	79.9			
		Adequate Iodized Salt	Households	865			
2	Malnutrition	Stunted Children Under Five Years( Less than 2 - SD)	Percentage	6			
		Wasted Children Under Five Years (Less than 2 -SD)	Percentage	1.8			
		Under Weight Children Under Five Years (Less than 2 -SD)	Percentage	2.3			
3	Anemia	Anemia in Children	Percentage		53.2		46.2



	<b>Anemia in Children</b>	<b>Number</b>		<b>572</b>		<b>842</b>
	<b>Anemia in Pregnant Women</b>	<b>Percentage</b>		<b>24</b>		<b>25.7</b>
	<b>Anemia in Pregnant Women</b>	<b>Number</b>		<b>151</b>		<b>389</b>

### 5- Health Data:

#	Main Indicators	Sub Indicators	Unit	Year			
				2006	2007	2008	2009
1	Number of Hospitals	MOH - West Bank	Number		2		2
		UNRWA - West Bank	Number		0		0
		NGOS - West Bank	Number		2		2
		Private - West Bank	Number		2		1
		Hospitals Per 100000 Population - West Bank	Number		1.9		1.8
2	Number of Beds	MOH - West Bank	Number		264		244
		UNRWA - West Bank	Number		0		0
		NGOS - West Bank	Number		109		109
		Private - West Bank	Number		102		142
		Beds Per 10000 Population - West Bank	Number		14.8		14.9
3	Disabilities / Difficulties of Palestinian Population		Percentage		5.5		
4	Type of Disability / Difficulty	Visual	Number		9627		
		Hearing	Number		4631		
		Moving	Number		7260		
		Comprehension	Number		2217		
		Communication	Number		2211		
5	Low Birth	Weight in Grams at Birth - Below 2500	Percentage	7.1			7.6

### 6- Food Security Data:

#	Main Indicators	Sub Indicators	Unit	Year
				2009
1	Food Security Levels	Food Insecure	Percentage	18.2
		Vulnerable to Food Insecure	Percentage	12.3
		Marginally Secure	Percentage	28
		Food Secure	Percentage	41.5
2	Food Consumption Score	Poor Consumption	Percentage	4.6
		Borderline Consumption	Percentage	11.8
		Good Consumption	Percentage	83.6
3	Wealth Index	Poorest	Percentage	20
		Second	Percentage	14.2
		Middle	Percentage	18
		Fourth	Percentage	19.5
		Richest	Percentage	28.2
4	Families Assistance	Received Assistance	Percentage	41.3



		<b>Need Assistance</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>58.7</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Coping Strategy</b>	<b>Reduce Food</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>36.7</b>
		<b>Reduce Clothing</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>52.1</b>
		<b>Reduce Education</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>17.1</b>
		<b>Reduce Health</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>25.3</b>
		<b>Reduce Recreation/Travel</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>35.1</b>
		<b>Reduce Transportation</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>37.3</b>
		<b>Reduce Bills</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>52.4</b>
		<b>Friends Family Assistance</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>11.2</b>
		<b>Credit on Food</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>51.4</b>
		<b>Sold Jewelry</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>8</b>
		<b>Used Savings</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>22.1</b>
		<b>Changed Residence</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>Coping Strategy - Food Expenditure</b>	<b>Reduce Quantity of Food Consumed</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>32.2</b>
		<b>Reduce Quality of Food Consumed</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>35.8</b>
		<b>Reduce Quantity of Meat Purchased/Consumed</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>43.6</b>
		<b>Reduce Quantity of Milk Purchased/Consumed</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>34.9</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>Type of Assistance Received</b>	<b>Cash</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>24.8</b>
		<b>Food</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>69.4</b>
		<b>Medicine / Treatment / Insurance</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>2.1</b>
		<b>Employment</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>2.3</b>
		<b>Others</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	<b>1.3</b>