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The Palestinian Strategic Report 2008 2010-08-14

for four consecutive years al zaytouna centre for studies and consultations has been keen on producing the annual palestinian strategic report this report that is prepared by a select of distinguished experts is considered among the finest references in the field of palestinian studies because of its highly academic content that includes the most recent statistical data and is supported with charts and figures this report is the product of a massive team work exerted by a group of affiliated researchers and specialists editors and consultants it is published both in arabic and english the first report covered the year 2005 as later reports were released annually the report was well received and highly acclaimed especially within academics today it can be surely asserted that this report is a must reference for every researcher or academic interests in the contemporary developments of the palestinian issue and the arab israeli conflict moreover its english version is among the few highly academic and objective writings in this field by an arab research centre

Document Analysis Systems VI 2004-12-10

this volume contains papers selected for presentation at the 6th iapr workshop on document analysis systems das 2004 held during september 8 10 2004 at the university of florence italy several papers represent the state of the art in a broad range of traditional topics such as layout analysis applications to graphics recognition and handwritten documents other contributions address the description of complete working systems which is one of the strengths of this workshop some papers extend the application domains to other media like the processing of internet documents the peculiarity of this 6th workshop was the large number of papers related to digital libraries and to the processing of historical documents a taste which frequently requires the analysis of color documents a total of 17 papers are associated with these topics whereas two years ago in das 2002 only a couple of papers dealt with these problems in our view there are three main reasons for this new wave in the das community from the scientific point of view several research fields reached a thorough knowledge of techniques and problems that can be effectively solved and this expertise can now be applied to new domains another incentive has been provided by several research projects funded by the ec and the nsf on topics related to digital libraries

The Palestinian Strategic Report 2009/10 2011-05-24

the palestinian strategic report 2009 2010 is the fifth in a series of comprehensive annual studies of the palestinian issue published by the al zaytouna center for studies and consultations and now distributed by pluto press the book covers the internal politics of palestine israeli politics and policy and israeli palestinian relations also covered are the arab muslim and international stances toward the palestinian issue along with economic and demographic indicators the report has a special focus on jerusalem and the holy sites the 14 distinguished contributors not only survey the situation but also analyze events in the region identifying trends and predicting likely future developments the palestinian strategic report 2009 2010 is an essential reference book for scholars ngos and activists working on or in the middle east

Journalism Education in Countries with Limited Media Freedom 2010

journalism education surrounded by media tsunamis continues to expand as a crucial area of professional and academic life it gets to the roots of media society relations this volume gives important

food for thought to the problematic classification of countries to free partly free and not free kaarle nordenstreng university of tampere book jacket

Countdown to Statehood 2012-02-01

countdown to statehood based on arabic english and hebrew language sources analyzes the form that the palestinian state is likely to take the book looks at past institution building patterns in the west bank and gaza the relationship between the plo and the local palestinians and the nature of the conflict with israel from 1967 through the first year of the palestinian authority under arafat s leadership a major reference point in this analysis is the zionist experience of state building in israel s own pre independence era not only did the zionist experience serve as a model of a successful protagonist that palestinians wished to emulate but both also began as diaspora based these similarities and even more so the dissimilarities between these two struggles for national determination allow the reader to assess the potential likenesses and disparities of the future palestinian state compared to its israeli counterpart the concluding chapter analyzes the findings in the broader context of third world state building by arguing contrary to the common wisdom that war makes the state that more peaceful routes to statehood lead to better states in the post independence era

The Palestinian Strategic Report 2006 2010-05-18

the palestinian strategic report is a highly academic annual report that assesses the palestinian situation it rigorously studies the developments of various aspects of the palestinian issue i e internal political affairs economic development demographic indicators the arab islamic and international stands and the israeli attitudes and policies all within an academic well documented context that is supported with the most recent statistical data this report is the product of a massive team work exerted by a group of affiliated researchers and specialists editors and consultants it is published both in arabic and english the first report covered the year 2005 as later reports were released annually the report was well received and highly acclaimed especially within academics today it can be surely asserted that this report is a must reference for every researcher or academic interests in the contemporary developments of the palestinian issue and the arab israeli conflict moreover its english version is among the few highly academic and objective writings in this field by an arab research centre

The Palestinian Strategic Report 2012-2013 2015-06-30

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situation the land and the holy sites and the demographic economic and educational indicators

The Palestine Strategic Report 2020-2021 2022-08-01

al zaytouna centre is pleased to present to its readers the palestine strategic report psr 2020 2021 the 12th psr to be published with an academic methodology and comprehensive objective approach the report details the developments concerning the palestine issue and provides the latest information and data available at the end of 2021 along with analyses and forecasts this report is the result of collaborative work of 15 experts and researchers in eight chapters it addresses the internal palestinian scene palestinian demographic and economic indicators the situation in jerusalem and the holy sites the specifics of israeli aggression palestinian resistance and the peace process the internal situation in israel politically economically and militarily and palestine s arab islamic and international relations the psr now occupies a prominent position as an indispensable reference integral to palestine studies and research al zaytouna centre hopes the psr will continue to make valuable contributions in this field

Media, Power, and Politics in the Digital Age 2010-11-16

focusing on the iranian presidential elections of 2009 and ensuing demonstrations in major cities across iran and world media power and politics in the digital age provides a balanced discussion of the role and impact of modern communication technologies particularly the novel utilization of small digital media vis vis the elections and global media coverage written in a non technical easy to read and accessible manner the volume will appeal to scholars students policy makers and print professionals alike to provide a global overview of media coverage and diverse perspectives on the controversial 2009 presidential election this book consists of 24 original essays covering issues from global media coverage to new media social networking from the ideological political dimensions to the cultural facets of the elections organized in a cohesive manner the writing styles and presentation remain varied and richly informative

The Palestinian Strategic Report 2011/12 2013-06-25

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umbrella the palestine liberation organization plo the lack of a unified strategic vision the failure to agree on the priorities for national action in the current stage and the continuing conflict between the strategies of resistance and negotiated peace this is in addition to the fact that palestinian decision making centers remain in disarray coming under pressure from the israeli occupation in the wb and israeli blockade in gs as regards reconciliation psr 2011 12 argues that steps towards achieving it will continue to stumble expressing little optimism regarding the legislative and presidential elections and the elections for the palestinian national council pnc furthermore there remain significant hurdles before the reformation of the plo and the security forces where the insistence of the palestinian authority pa in ramallah on maintaining a high level of security coordination with the israel remains the biggest obstacle to achieving real palestinian reconciliation as concerns israel the psr states that 2011 12 did not witness any significant changes in relation to its internal political landscape except the fact that the israeli society has continued to lurch to the extreme right in general in tandem with increased racist manifestations targeting the palestinians of 1948 the psr discounted the possibility of the negotiations making any serious breakthroughs in the remainder of 2012 especially as the causes and factors leading to the failure of the efforts to resume negotiations remain extant chiefly as a result of israeli ongoing settlement activities reduced american interest in the palestinian issue in light of the preoccupation with the presidential elections and continuing changes unfolding in many arab countries most notably egypt at the arab level psr 2011 12 indicates that the palestinian cause was not absent from the agendas of the arab uprisings of 2011 12 albeit it was not prominently present in them either the emergence of democratic systems that reflect the will of the populaces and with the rise of political factions that are faithful to the palestinian cause and are not subservient to foreign agendas hope remains that the palestinian question will receive more attention from these new regimes with respect to international affairs the report concludes that international diplomatic efforts concerning the palestinian question declined further in 2011 12 as a result of several factors and developments these include the uprisings and transformations in several arab countries the resurging tension surrounding the iranian nuclear program and the prospects of a military confrontation and the repercussions of the global financial crisis which has particularly hit countries in the european union psr 2011 12 points out that 2012 marks the year of the us presidential elections during which american diplomatic efforts in the middle east traditionally wane while the stances of both the democratic and republican parties converge towards the israeli position with a view to win over the jewish vote the report also collates many statistics concerning israeli violations at various levels including the fact that 118 palestinians had been killed by the israeli forces and settlers in gs and the wb including jerusalem in 2011 12 while 554 palestinians and international solidarity activists were wounded on the other hand israel security agency isa recorded 21 israeli deaths in the same year as a result of attacks carried out by palestinians while 122 israelis were wounded on the subject of settlement building the pa information center concerning colonization and annexation wall affairs in the ministry of state recorded the existence of 474 settlement sites in the wb until the end of 2011 including 184 settlements 171 unauthorized outposts 26 other settlement sites and 93 buildings which were partially or fully appropriated by the settlers in east jerusalem in addition psr 2011 12 draws attention to the fact that the pace of attacks in jerusalem has been surging year after year to stress that the battle for the judaization of the holy city remains israel s first priority in conjunction with a trend of growing obsession with the jewishness of the state dominating public thinking in the state of israel the report also adds that 2011 saw a marked upsurge in attacks against islamic and christian holy sites in palestine by jewish extremists and israel mostly as part of the price tag wave of attacks by settlers in the wb as for demographic indicators the number of palestinians in the world stood at the end of 2011 at about 11 22 million people with half of whom i e 5 63 million 50 1 living in the diaspora the other half i e 5 6 million people 49 9 live in historic palestine including around 1 37 million in the territories occupied in 1948 and 4 23 million people in the wb and gs according to psr 2011 12 if current population growth levels of both palestinians and jews remain the same the populations of

palestinians and jews in historic palestine will equalize in 2016 when the number of both jews and palestinians will be approximately 6 4 million in 2020 the jewish population will be 6 9 million and will represent about 48 9 percent of the total population compared to 7 2 million palestinians concerning economic indicators in the wb and gs the report states that 2011 did not see any new developments concerning the direct dependency of the palestinian economy in the wb and gs on the israeli economy or the fact that this economy is isolated from the arab world and the rest of the world owing to israel s control of all international ports and palestinian border crossings this is in addition to the fact that palestinian foreign trade is mostly done with israel psr 2011 12 also highlights the enormous disparity between the economic conditions of the palestinians in the wb and gs on one hand and those of the israelis on the other indeed the per capita income in 2011 was 1614 in the wb and gs around 1981 in the wb and 1073 in gs compared to 31 291 in israel the gdp in the wb and gs reached around 6 34 billion in 2011 while the israeli gdp totaled 242 92 billion

Palestinian Identity 2010

reprint of work originally published in 1997 new introduction by the author

The Palestine Strategic Report 2016-2017 2018-11-19

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Islamic Family Law 1990

artikler om praktisering af islamisk familieret i mellemøsten europa syd og sydøstasien samt kina

Trans-Colonial Urban Space in Palestine 2013-06-26

taking a multidisciplinary approach to examine the dynamics of ethno national contestation and colonialism in israel palestine this book investigates the approaches for dealing with the colonial and post colonial urban space resituating them within the various theoretical frameworks in colonial urban studies the book uses henry lefebvre s three constituents of space perceived conceived and lived to analyse past and present colonial cases interactively with time it mixes the non temporal conceptual framework of analysis of colonialism using literature of previous colonial cases with the inter temporal abstract lefebvrian concepts of space to produce an inter temporal re reading of them israeli colonialism in the occupied areas of 1967 its contractions from sinai and gaza and the implications on the west bank are analysed in detail by illustrating the transformations in colonial urban space at different temporal stages a new phase is proposed the trans colonial this provides a conceptual means to avoid the pitfalls of neo colonial and post colonial influences experienced in previous cases and the book goes on to highlight the implications of such a phase on the palestinians it is an important contribution to studies on middle east politics and urban geography

From Heart of Stone to Heart of Flesh: Evolutionary Journey from Extremism to Moderation 2017-08-24

this book examines the forces of human transformation from extremism to moderation it analyzes the ethical indicators which determine making the choice of the path to take when one is faced with crucial decisions to make the author focuses on three central values namely a moderation reflecting balance in dealing with individual and group issues b reconciliation reflecting willingness to heal wounds and repair broken relationships by showing respect for the personal and collective narrative of the other and feeling empathy and compassion for the pain and suffering of other and viewing the perspective of the other by putting oneself in the shoes of the other c peace coexisting with the other reflecting tolerance for the beliefs and views of other these three concepts are linked together in consequential sequence with each leading to the other and eventually resulting prosperity and security

Instant Nationalism 2006

instant nationalism mcarabism al jazeera and transnational media in the arab world discusses the role of arab transnational media in particular the qatar based al jazeera in the emergence of a new pan arabism the book argues that through context and technology a new pan arab identity known as mcarabism is being formed mcarabism the author suggests represents the convergence of local tribal identities with globalization and the forming or reforming of a new regional arab identity this book also explores the impact of this new identity on arab society the arab israeli conflict and new representations of the west and the islamic and arab world

Gaza 2014-12-12

the book talks about the ancient and current history and politics of gaza it focuses on the conflict with israel until the last israeli military attack on gaza on july 2014 gaza is part of palestine and the home of about two million people it has the highest growth rate in the world and is overcrowded the israeli army has occupied gaza on 1967 the israeli army pulled out unilaterally its troops from inside gaza on 2005 however israel has continued to be the occupying power of gaza because it controls the air space

territorial waters and the movement of people or goods in or out of gaza by air or sea

Public Administration in Palestine 2003

this work offers a critical analysis of the development of public administration in palestine during the past 150 years

Censorship 2001-12-01

first published in 2002 routledge is an imprint of taylor francis an informa company

One Hundred Years of Football in Palestine 2013-01-01

football is a mirror that reflects political and social processes it was not and still is not separated from the political conditions that palestine went through and still going through tens of decades later football was not isolated from the british imposed mandate on palestine zionist settlements immigration and dreams in building the national home nakba the catastrophe of 1948 and diaspora that still occur to this day in addition it has been subjected to israeli restrictions throughout the longest occupation in modern history football helped in shaping the palestinian national identity palestinians expressed themselves in sports in fact football was not and still is not a tool of achieving big results rather it represented a way for pride and national expression through the last one hundred years current palestinian sport was based on national ideological cultural organizational and health principles it has a historical characteristic through this period because it was attached to the political conditions in which the palestinians went through in some cases palestinian people could achieve better results for change through football than by political means many believe that football could be a significant tool for building an independent state

Arafat 1999-09-27

a biography of the palestinian leader

Assessment of media development in Palestine 2014-11-24

in the aftermath of the september 11th attacks al qaeda has become the most infamous terrorist organization in history while their actions are deplorable it remains a populist and idealist movement and one that continues to spread despite heavy media coverage most people are unaware of the group s ultimate goals sampling from actual al qaeda texts this is al qaeda in its own words rather than another interpretation which often emphasizes the inflammatory religious rhetoric offered by the bush administration and other factions of the western world introductions and commentary provide the historical context necessary to understand fully the interconnection between the religious social and political issues that led to the emergence of osama bin laden and his jihad against the west these primary sources enable readers to discern the fundamental convictions underlying the group s demands and help answer the question what does al qaeda want

What Does Al Qaeda Want? 2004-11-23

this volume covers the middle time period of the syrian uprising roughly from 2012 when syria s peaceful

protest began to mutate into a violent insurgency and civil war until roughly 2018 when the conflict took on features of a frozen conflict the middle period was important as one of key junctures or turning points when the struggle could have reached rather different outcomes non violent protest failed to drive democratization and turned into violent insurrection but revolution from below also failed as did regime counter insurgency leaving protracted civil war the default outcome second the consequences of civil war became evident with six themes failing statehood coexisted with regime resilience rebel governance emerged as a viable challenge to the regime social forces were sharply polarized external actors exacerbated internal divisions a predatory war economy emerged and intense violence led to massive displacement of the population taking an innovative and interdisciplinary approach that seeks to capture the full complexity of the phenomenon this book contributes significantly to our understanding of the syrian conflict therefore it will be of interest to academics students journalists and policy makers interested in the syrian civil war

Actors and Dynamics in the Syrian Conflict's Middle Phase **2022-03-18**

prior to the twentieth century arab society in palestine was predominantly illiterate with most social and political activities conducted through oral communication there were no printing presses no book or periodical production and no written signs in public places but a groundswell of change rapidly raised the region s literacy rates a fascinating transformation explored for the first time in reading palestine addressing an exciting aspect of middle eastern history as well as the power of the printed word itself reading palestine describes how this hurried process intensified the role of literacy in every sphere of community life ami ayalon examines palestine s development of a modern educational system in conjunction with the emergence of a print industry libraries and reading clubs and the impact of print media on urban and rural populations drawn from extensive archival sources official reports autobiographies and a rich trove of early palestinian journalism reading palestine provides crucial insight into the dynamic rise of literacy that revolutionized the way palestinians navigated turbulent political waters

Reading Palestine 2010-01-01

legal issues of personal status including those implicating women s rights continue to be a focal area of shari a judicial practice in the muslim world changing ideas of marriage relations between the spouses divorce and the rights of divorcees and widows challenge the courts around the arab world in this context the areas that came under the palestinian authority in 1994 command particular attention the particular political and socio economic circumstances that surround palestine s progress toward full statehood have created a remarkable crucible for the synthesis of a new family law in the arab world this rigorous study of the interpretation and application of personal status law in the palestinian west bank and to a lesser extent in the gaza strip is the most extensive yet attempted it presents a systematic analysis of the application of islamic family law in nearly 10 000 marriage contracts 1000 deeds of talaq unilateral divorce or khul divorce with renunciation and 2000 judicial rulings over a time span that includes jordanian rule and israeli military occupation updating this with material from the beginning of the jurisdiction of the palestinian authority taken into account are the sources of law used in the shari a courts of the west bank the successive codes of family law the jordanian law of personal status 1976 and its predecessor the jordanian law of family rights 1951 and traditional hanafi rules and texts along with commentaries by prominent contemporary shari a scholars and appeal court decisions as well as the amendments and modifications being sought by civil society actors notably women s groups in the west

bank and gaza strip as well as in jordan

Beyond the Code 2021-10-25

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The Palestinian Strategic Report 2007 2010-06-21

imagining the future of gaza beyond the cruelties of occupation and apartheid light in gaza is a powerful contribution to understanding palestinian experience gaza home to two million people continues to face suffocating conditions imposed by israel this distinctive anthology imagines what the future of gaza could be while reaffirming the critical role of gaza in palestinian identity history and struggle for liberation light in gaza is a seminal moving and wide ranging anthology of palestinian writers and artists it constitutes a collective effort to organize and center palestinian voices in the ongoing struggle as political discourse shifts toward futurism as a means of reimagining a better way of living beyond the violence and limitations of colonialism light in gaza is an urgent and powerful intervention into an important political moment

Light in Gaza 2022-08-30

the volume serves as an important mile stone in the process called second track dialogue and cooperation between israeli and palestinian academics on crucial shared problems the resolution of which is vital to the peace process the book contains forty one original papers dealing with almost all aspects of the middle eastern water problems and should serve as a useful reference to students scholars and policy makers all over the world interested in understanding the complexities of the middle eastern water conflicts

Water and Peace in the Middle East 1994-04-05

a moving collection of rarely heard stories from israelis who have resisted conflict from the conflict with lebanon up to the present situation with palestine

Daily Report, Foreign Radio Broadcasts 1969

this book is a comprehensive overview and analysis of the palestinians travail as they move from revolutionary movement to state barry rubin outlines the difficulties in the transition now under way arising from palestinian history society and diplomatic agreements he writes about the search for a

national identity the choice of an economic system and the structure of government rubin finds the political system interestingly distinctive it appears to be a pluralist dictatorship there are free elections multiple parties and some latitude in civil liberties yet there is a relatively unrestrained chief executive and arbitrariness in applying the law because of restraints on freedom the new ruling elite is a complex mixture of veteran revolutionaries heirs to large and wealthy families professional soldiers technocrats and islamic clerics beyond explaining how the executive and legislative branches work rubin factors in the role of public opinion in the peace process the place of nongovernmental institutions opposition movements and the palestinian authority's foreign relations including palestinian views and interactions with the arab world israel and the united states this book is drawn from documents in arabic hebrew and english as well as interviews and direct observations rubin finds that overall the positive aspects of the palestinian authority outweigh the negative and he foresees the establishment of a palestinian state his charting of the triumphs and difficulties of this state in the making helps predict and explain future dramatic developments in the middle east

Refusenik! 2004-02

the palestinian national movement reached a dead end and came close to disintegration at the beginning of the present century the struggle for power after the death of yasser arafat in 2004 signaled the end of a path toward statehood prepared by the oslo accords a decade before the reasons for the failure of the movement are deeply rooted in modern palestinian history as ad ghanem analyzes the internal and external events that unfolded as the palestinian national movement became a failed national movement marked by internecine struggle and collapse the failure to secure establishment of a separate state and achieve a stable peace with israel and the movement's declining stature within the arab world and the international community

The Transformation of Palestinian Politics 2009-06-01

comprehensive and compelling a landmark study of the arab zionist conflict told from both sides by the author of israel's secret wars sunday times uk setting the scene at the end of the nineteenth century when the first zionist settlers arrived in the ottoman ruled holy land black draws on a wide range of sources from declassified documents to oral testimonies to his own vivid on the ground reporting to illuminate the most polarizing conflict of modern times beginning with the 1917 balfour declaration in which the british government promised to favor the establishment of a national home for the jewish people in palestine black proceeds through the arab rebellion of the late 1930s the nazi holocaust israel's independence and the palestinian nakba catastrophe the watershed of 1967 followed by the palestinian reawakening israel's settlement project two intifadas the oslo accords and continued negotiations and violence up to today combining engaging narrative with political analysis and social and cultural insights enemies and neighbors is both an accessible overview and a fascinating investigation into the deeper truths of a furiously contested history

Palestinian Politics after Arafat 2010-01-26

your guide to scottish parliament how its powers allow it to make laws and hold the scottish government to account

Enemies and Neighbors 2017-11-07

this annual referential report has become an essential classic in the academic realm of palestinian studies it includes the latest and most recent statistical and analytic data on the various developments related to the palestinian issue al zaytouna centre for studies and consultations issued its palestinian strategic report 2010 11 psr 2010 11 which addresses the developments of the palestinian issue in 2010 11 the psr is considered one of the most important scientific studies published annually by al zaytouna centre the report is rich with information analyses tables and charts besides strategic visions and future outlooks it is published for the sixth year in a row and it has become one of the major sources for experts and those interested in the palestinian issue it provides a comprehensive coverage of the developments of the palestinian issue that happened over a year while abiding by strict scientific and professional standards the report is 444 medium sized pages it is co authored by 15 researchers specialized in the palestinian issue reviewed by four consultants and edited by dr mohsen m saleh the psr 2010 11 stresses that the uprisings witnessed in the arab world since early 2011 especially in egypt will have a direct impact on the palestinian issue the impact will most likely be positive if the uprisings achieved their goals and yielded political regimes which express the real will of the arab peoples however the report notes that the internal affairs would most probably be the primary concern during the coming period regarding the inter palestinian reconciliation psr 2010 11 asserts that the reconciliation agreement signed in cairo last may still needs more serious steps to end the division and achieve real reconciliation on the ground it needs to resolve many obstacles through cooperation between the different parties away from external interventions and pressures on the israeli level the report mentions that 2010 has continuously witnessed the inclination of the israeli society towards the extreme right it further notes the absence of any breakthroughs in 2011 especially in the light of israel s rejection for the negotiations with president mahmud abbas the agreement signed with hamas and the pa s attempts to obtain international recognition of the palestinian state in september 2011 hindered such negotiations on the international level the psr says that the international diplomatic efforts towards the palestinian issue have failed again in 2010 they could not achieve any significant progress regarding the peace settlement track or the siege imposed on the gaza strip moreover psr 2010 11 includes a large number of figures and statistics on israeli violations on different levels during 2010 98 palestinians were killed in the west bank and gaza strip including jerusalem by israeli forces and settlers while 967 palestinians and international solidarity activists were wounded on the other hand israel s internal security service mentioned that during 2010 9 israelis were killed and 28 were wounded in operations carried out by the palestinians concerning settlement building the report shows that despite the 10 month israeli moratorium on settlement building israel established 1819 buildings apartments in 133 settlements all over the west bank including jerusalem in addition to 1433 mobile homes caravans psr 2010 11 also discusses the increased israeli attacks on the islamic and christian holy sites in jerusalem and historic palestine during 2010 it further shows that the developments during that year revealed that the judaization of jerusalem has become the primary battle for israel due to the obsession with the jewishness of the state dominating the israeli mind concerning demographic indicators psr 2010 11 mentions that at the end of 2010 the number of palestinians around the world was around 11 14 million people more than half of them i e 5 75 million 51 6 live in diaspora while the rest i e 5 39 million 48 4 live in historic palestine the latter are distributed by 1 28 million people in the territories occupied in 1948 and 4 11 million in the 67 territories the report mentions that if the current growth rates of the palestinians and the jews persist the number of palestinians and jews will become on par by 2017 where each will reach around 6 53 million thus in 2020 around 49 2 of the population will be jews as their number will reach 6 87 million compared to 7 09 million palestinians regarding the economic indicators in the west bank and the gaza strip the report shows that events during 2010 has not affected the direct dependence of the palestinian economy on the

israeli economy in addition the isolation of the palestinian economy from the outside world continued due to the israeli control of all international exits and palestinian border crossings besides the palestinian foreign trade psr 2010 11 also refers to the enormous difference between the palestinian economy in the west bank and the gaza strip on one hand and the israeli economy on the other thus it shows for example that in 2010 the palestinian gdp per capita was 1500 around 1925 in the west bank and 877 in the strip compared to 28 500 in israel in addition the gdp amounted to 5 73 billion for the palestinians compared to 217 13 billion for the israelis

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