

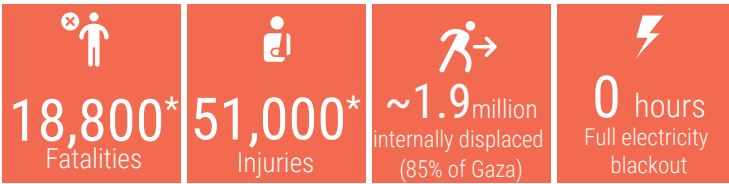
DAY 70

OVERVIEW

The snapshot provides a comprehensive overview of the ongoing humanitarian crisis in Gaza as of 15 December 2023, including casualties, particularly among women and children.

Significant damage has been inflicted upon critical infrastructure and essential services, affecting people's ability to maintain their dignity and basic living standards.

This snapshot highlights reported figures on the impact of hostilities on people in Gaza, where a major humanitarian crisis has unfolded.



*Sources: MoH Gaza

REPORTED CASUALTIES (Cumulative) as of 15 December 2023

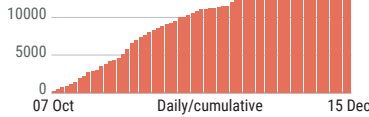
Palestinians*

Over 18,800 Reported fatalities in addition to ~1,000 fatalities in Israel, including people involved in the 7 October attack

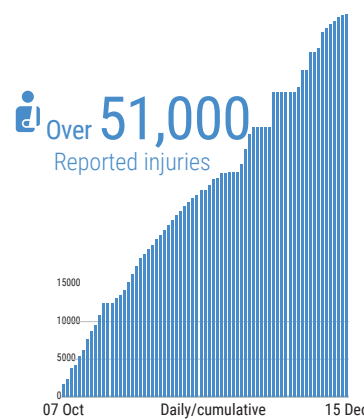
~5,153 Women
~7,729 Children
70% of Reported fatalities as of 11 December 2023

Families with multiple fatalities

1,680



*Sources: Ministry of Health, Government Media Office



Israelis**

Israel

Over 1,200*** Reported fatalities

1,162 identified fatalities, including at least 33 children

~5,400 Reported injuries

Gaza

119 Reported fatalities

648 Reported injuries

133 hostages remain in Gaza (including soldiers and foreign nationals)

** According to Israeli media citing official sources
*** The reported estimate includes foreign nationals

DAMAGE*



BASIC SERVICES AND LIVELIHOODS

FOOD SECURITY*

- 44% of households report very severe hunger
- 11% of households report severe hunger
- 31% of households report moderate hunger
- Situation in the north believed to be catastrophic

*Source: WFP survey among IDPs in the southern governorates, 3-12 December

WATER AND SANITATION

- Two pipelines coming from Israel supply about 1,100 cubic metres per hour for the south and Middle area.
- No Access to clean water in the northern governorates. Fuel shortage impacts: 60 water wells, 2 desalination plants, sewage stations and pumps, wastewater treatment.

HEALTH

- Hospitals are being under heavy strikes.
- The number of functioning hospitals has dropped from 36 to 11

At high risk

At least 1,000 kidney failure, >2,000 cancer patients, 130 neonates in incubators

Critical shortages

of drugs, blood products and supplies (Fuel at the hospitals is being severely rationed)

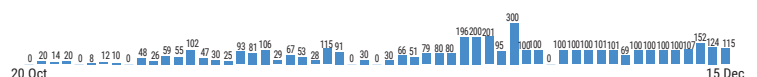
EDUCATION

625K (100%) Students with no access to education

Over 69% of all school buildings have sustained damage.

INCOMING TRUCKLOADS

500 trucks including fuel pre-crisis average per working day in 2023



HUMANITARIAN OPERATION

- 136 UN staff killed: UNRWA: 135; WHO: 1
- At least 300 health workers killed
- 32 Civil Defence killed while on duty
- 89 Journalists killed

MOVEMENT AND ACCESS

- All Israeli crossings are closed since 7 October; on 15 December, the Israeli authorities said they would open Kerem Shalom
- Rafah crossing with Egypt is used to bring in approved humanitarian goods, and for the movement of some wounded and sick people, and aid workers.
- Access to the sea and to areas near Israel's perimeter fence are restricted.