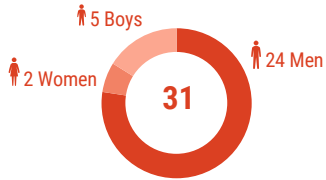


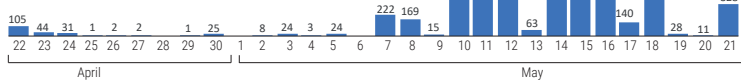
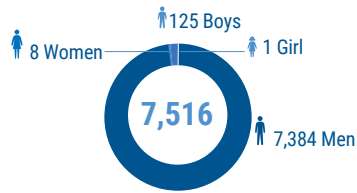
The escalation of hostilities between Israeli forces and Palestinian armed groups in the Gaza Strip, from 10 and 21 May, was accompanied by significant unrest in West Bank, including East Jerusalem. Tensions had been rising in East Jerusalem since the beginning of Ramadan on 13 April, with clashes and violent incidents involving Palestinians, Israeli settlers, and Israeli forces erupting on a daily basis. These were mainly in and around the Old City, including the Al Aqsa Mosque, and in the neighbourhood of Sheikh Jarrah, due to the imminent threat of forced eviction of Palestinian families from their homes, initiated by Israeli settler organizations. Unrest extended to the wider West Bank, culminating in a "Day of Rage" on 14 May, with ten Palestinians killed by Israeli forces, the highest number of Palestinian fatalities recorded in a single day in the West Bank, including East Jerusalem, since OCHA began recording fatalities in 2005.

PALESTINIAN CASUALTIES

Fatalities 31



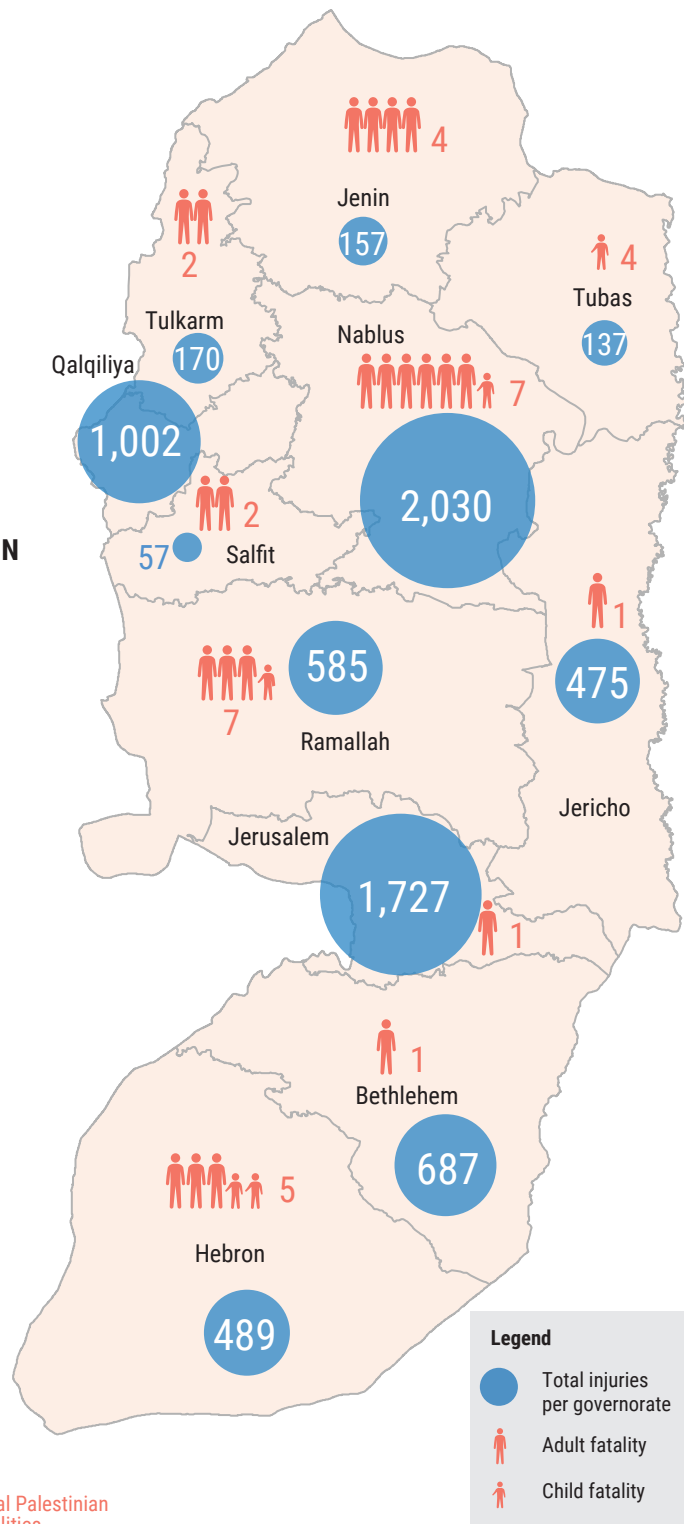
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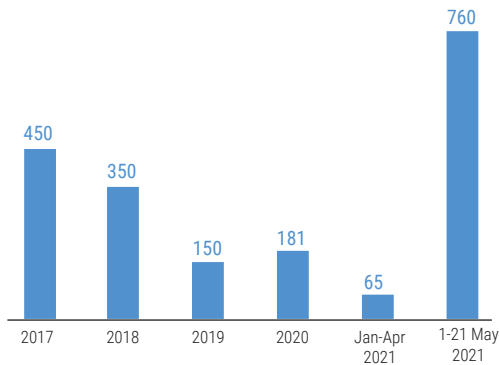
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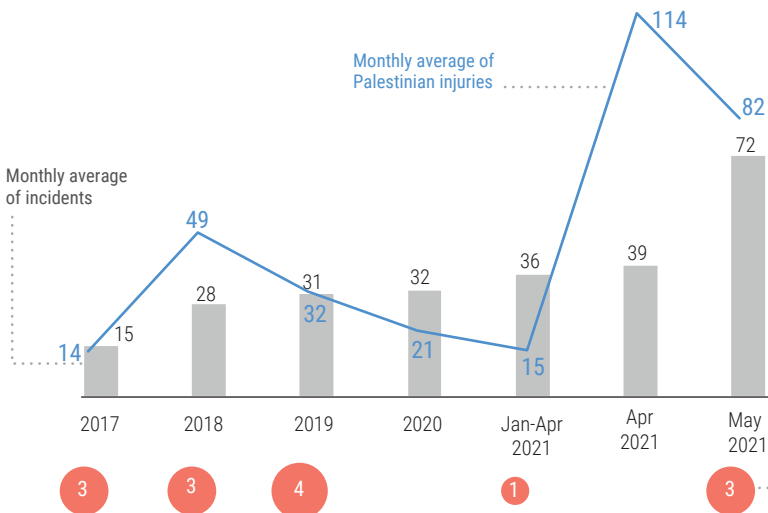


PALESTINIANS INJURED BY ISRAELI FORCES WITH LIVE AMMUNITION



798
Palestinians
Arrested

ATTACKS BY ISRAELI SETTLERS*



* Incidents where people known or believed to be Israeli settlers attacked Palestinians or damaged their properties or where forces intervened in incidents involving Israeli settlers, leading to Palestinian injuries or deaths.