

# 'Atara Town

(Fact Sheet)

<b>Administration and Area</b>	
Locality Type	Urban
Local Authority Type	Municipal Council
Total Area	9,674 (dunum)
• Area "A"	3,947 (dunum)
• Area "B"	4,240 (dunum)
• Area "C"	1,487 (dunum)
• Built up area	431 (dunum)
• Agricultural area	5,897 (dunum)
• Lands Confiscated by Israeli Occupation	163 (dunum)
<b>Demography</b>	
Total Population	2,134 (PCBS, 2007 Census)
• Males	1,063
• Females	1,071
<b>Main Economic Activity</b>	
	(%)
• Agriculture	15
• Industry	5
• Trade	10
• Israeli Labor Market	5
• Services	5
• Employees Sector	60
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Infrastructure &amp; Services</b>	
• Telecommunication Network	Yes
• Water Network	Yes
• Electricity Network	Yes
• Waste Water Network	No
• Solid Waste Management System	Yes ( 'Atara Municipal Council)
<b>Education</b>	
• Number of Schools	2 by type M: 1 F: 1 Co-e: 0
• Number of Kindergartens	1
<b>Health</b>	
• Number of Health Clinics	1
• Number of Pharmacies	1

<b>Water Resources</b>	
• Springs	5
• Wells	0
<b>Agriculture Sector</b>	
<b>Plants</b>	
• Fruit Trees	2861.5 (dunum)
• Vegetables	81.5 (dunum)
• Field Crops	372 (dunum)
<b>Livestock</b>	
• Cattle (head)	0
• Goats (head)	195
• Sheep (head)	295
• Bee hives (hive)	18
• Poultry (bird)	148,800
<b>Israeli Procedures</b>	
Number of Checkpoints (permanent)	1

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