

Tulkarm

LAND USE ANALYSIS (2006)¹		Area in Dunums	
Arable land		21,955	
Heterogeneous agricultural areas		25,219	
Pastures		0	
Permanent crops		97,497	
Plastic Houses		2,846	
Artificial non-agricultural vegetated areas		0	
Industrial, commercial and transport unit		425	
Mine, dump and construction sites		984	
Urban fabric		22,578	
Forests		1,507	
Open spaces with little or no vegetation		54,230	
Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation associations		17,068	
Wall zone		1,032	
Inland waters		0	
Israeli Military Base		0	
Israeli settlements		3,477	
Palestinian Built-up Area		19,101	
Total area		267,921	
DEMOGRAPHY (2007)²			
Total population		157,988	
Male		79,806	
Female		78,182	
ECONOMIC SECTOR³			
Labor Force Participation Rate		37.9%	
Unemployment Rate		22.3%	
ECONOMIC ACTIVITY (2008)³	% Of Employment Distribution	% Of Employed Males	% Of Employed Females
Agriculture, Hunting & Fishing	16.5	16.2	17.9
Mining, Quarrying & Manufacturing	13.0	13.2	12.0
Construction	14.8	17.2	-
Commerce, Hotels & Restaurants	19.6	21.0	11.2
Transportation, Storage & Communication	5.1	6.0	-
Services and Other Branches	31.0	26.4	58.9

AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION (2005)* (The average amount consumption is encompassed for Tulkarm and Qalqiliya Governorates.)		
Average Household Size	5.6	
Average of Total Food Consumption	164.5 JD/ Month	
Average of Total Non-Food Consumption	330.2 JD/ Month	
AGRICULTURAL SECTOR (2006/2007)⁴		
Plant production	Production (Tons)	Area (dunums)
Fruit trees	13,527	123,982
Vegetables	71,454	14,596
Field crops	3,242	146,275
Livestock production		
Cattle	2,835 heads	
Sheep	23,147 heads	
Goats	7,255 heads	
Poultry (1000)	1,114 birds	
Beehives	6,110 hives	
EDUCATION SECTOR⁵		
Number of Schools	132	
Private schools	7	
Governmental schools	119	
UNRWA	6	
Number of Students	46,201	
Female students	22,996	
Male students	23,205	

1- ARIJ, GIS Database, 2006.

2- Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics, 2008. *Population, Housing and Establishment Census 2007* Census Final Results in The West Bank – Summary (Population and Housing). Ramallah - Palestine.

3- Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics, 2009. *Labour Force Survey: Annual Report: 2008*. Ramallah – Palestine.

4- Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics, 2008. *Agricultural Statistics, 2006/2007*. Ramallah - Palestine.

5- Data Collected from the Ministry of Education and Higher Education. "Statistics about General Education in Palestine, 2007-2008".

* The Data is collected from the PCBS.