

## North Gaza

<b>LAND USE ANALYSIS (2005)<sup>1</sup></b>		<b>Area in Dunums</b>		
Arable Land		11,705		
Heterogeneous agricultural areas		31		
Permanent crops		7,939		
Permanently irrigated land ( green houses )		1,004		
Artificial non-agricultural vegetated areas		8		
Industrial, commercial and transport unit		648		
Mine, dump and construction sites		205		
Urban fabric		13,918		
Open spaces with little or no vegetation		8,939		
Open spaces with little or no vegetation(Shaved Area)		14,773		
Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation associations		961		
Inland waters		259		
Built-up Area Inside Evacuated Settlement		8		
Demolished Houses Inside Evacuated Settlement		257		
Demolished Plastic House Inside Evacuated Settlement		75		
Palestinian Built-up Area		13,577		
<b>Total area</b>		<b>74,309</b>		
<b>DEMOGRAPHY (2007)<sup>2</sup></b>				
Total population		270,246		
Male		137,596		
Female		132,650		
<b>ECONOMIC SECTOR<sup>3</sup></b>				
Labor Force Participation Rate		39.4%		
Unemployment Rate		39.2%		
<b>ECONOMIC ACTIVITY (2008)<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>% Of Employment Distribution</b>	<b>% Of Employed Males</b>	<b>% Of Employed Females</b>	
Agriculture, Hunting & Fishing	14.7	9.4	41.8	
Mining, Quarrying & Manufacturing	3.6	4.1	1.1	
Construction	0.9	1.0	-	
Commerce, Hotels & Restaurants	19.2	21.8	6.3	
Transportation, Storage & Communication	4.6	5.5	-	
Services and Other Branches	57.0	58.2	50.8	

<b>AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION (2005)*</b>		
Average Household Size	6.0	
Average of Total Food Consumption	165.7 JD/ Month	
Average of Total Non-Food Consumption	310.2 JD/ Month	
<b>AGRICULTURAL SECTOR (2006/2007)<sup>4</sup></b>		
Plant production	Production (Ton)	Area (Dunums)
Fruit trees	5,743	5,247
Vegetables	33,247	9,991
Field crops	20,289	9,787
Livestock production		
Cattle	1,700 heads	
Sheep	11,000 heads	
Goats	2,000 heads	
Poultry(1000)	1,294 birds	
Beehives	4,010 hives	
<b>EDUCATION SECTOR <sup>5</sup></b>		
Number of Schools	111	
Private schools	5	
Governmental schools	69	
UNRWA	37	
Number of Students	83,847	
Female students	41,822	
Male students	42,025	

**1-** ARIJ, GIS Database, 2005.

**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.