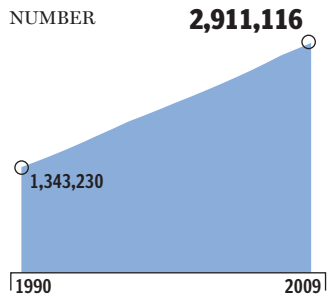


THE 'STATE' OF PALESTINE

Should the Palestinian Authority succeed in achieving statehood for Gaza and the West Bank, the country will be one that relies heavily on aid, where poverty is rife, unemployment high and living standards low.

LIFE IN THE WEST BANK AND GAZA

URBAN POPULATION

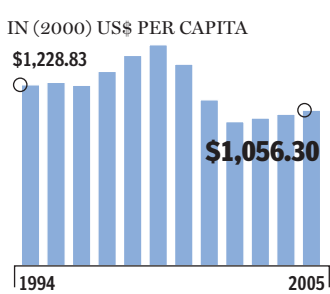


PALESTINE COMPARED TO OTHER SMALL NATIONS

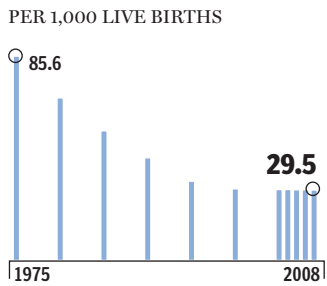
IN US\$

Country	BAHRAIN	SINGAPORE	BRUNEI	LUXEMBOURG	PALESTINE	LEBANON	TIMOR LESTE	KUWAIT	Country
Area	750 km ²	700 km ²	5,800 km ²	2,586 km ²	5,900 km ²	10,500 km ²	14,874 km ²	17,800 km ²	Area
Population	1,234,596	5,076,700	401,890	511,840	3,935,249	4,224,000	1,066,582	3,566,437	Population
GDP per capita	\$26,852	\$62,100	\$48,891	\$81,383	\$2,900	\$15,557	\$2,521	\$37,848	GDP (PPP)
Government	Monarchy	Democracy	Sultanate	Democracy	Democracy	Democracy	Democracy	Emirate	Government

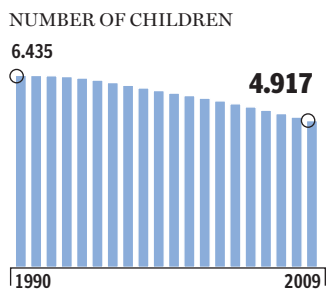
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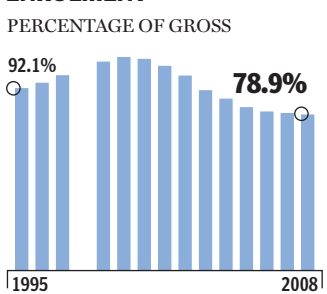
UNDER FIVE-YEAR-OLDS MORTALITY RATE



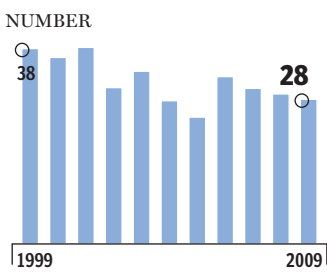
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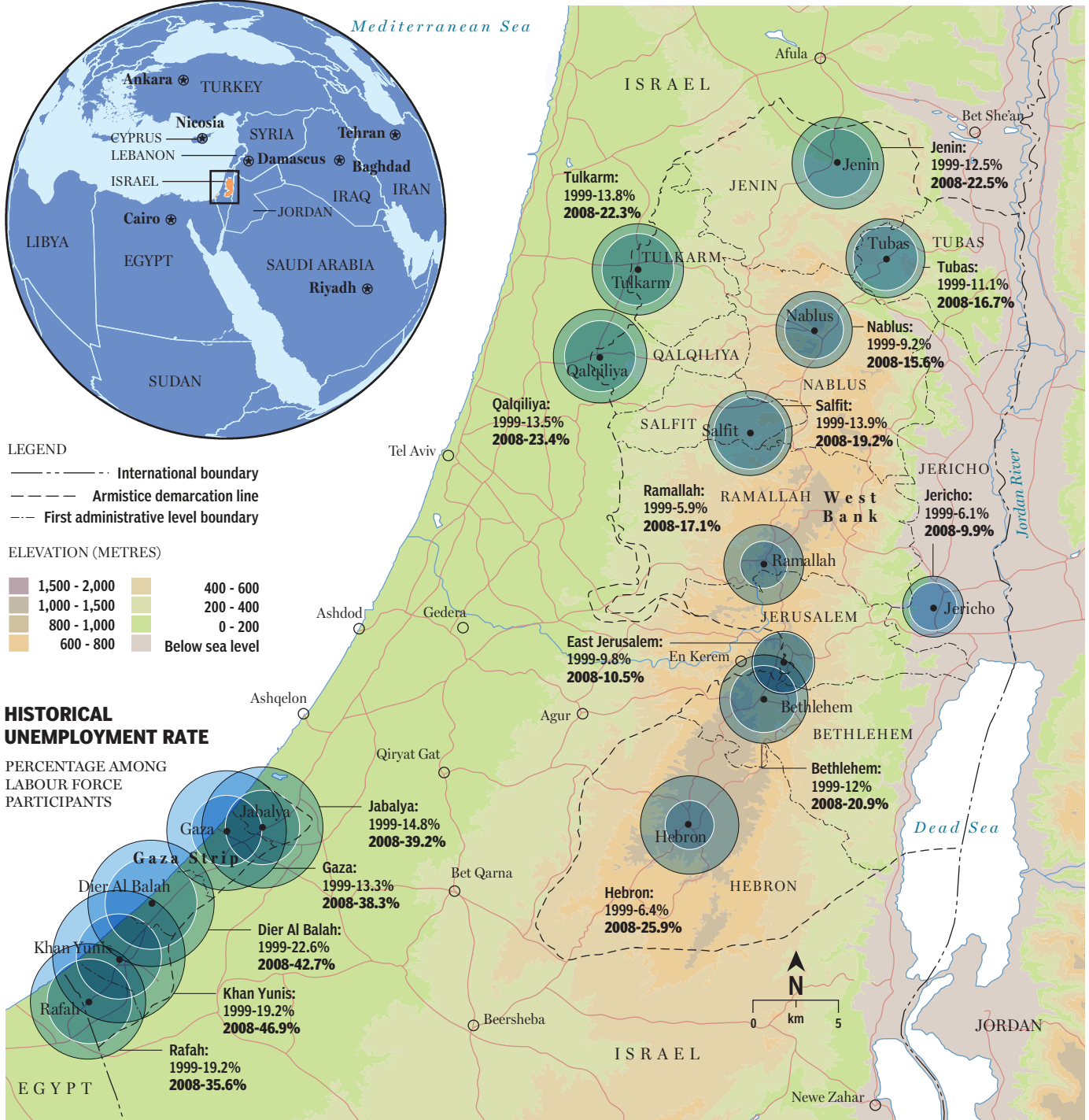
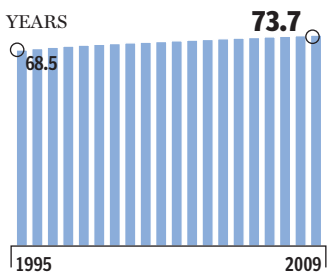
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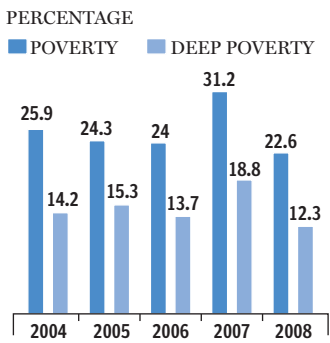
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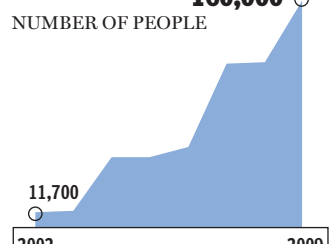
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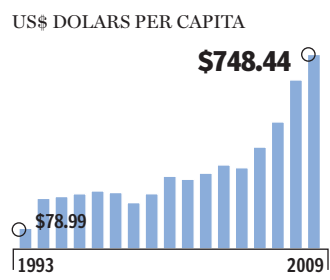
LIVING IN POVERTY



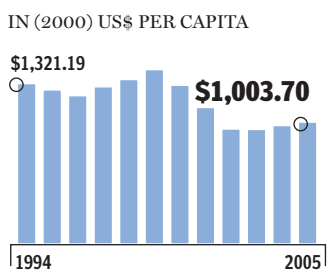
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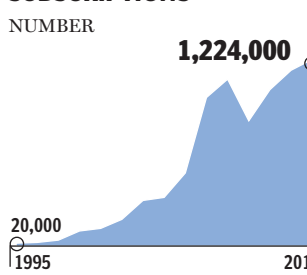
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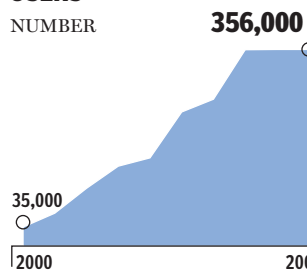
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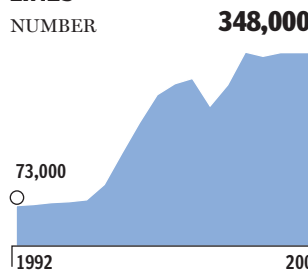
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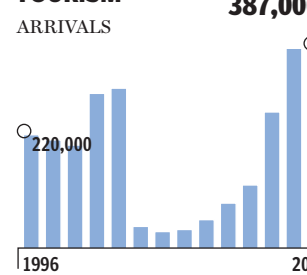
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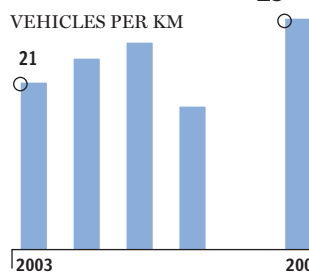
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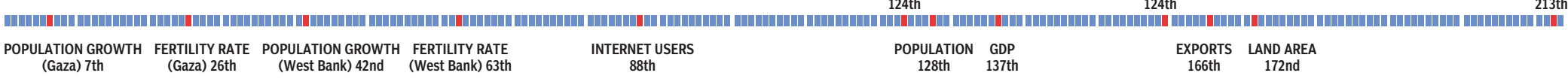
INTERNATIONAL TOURISM



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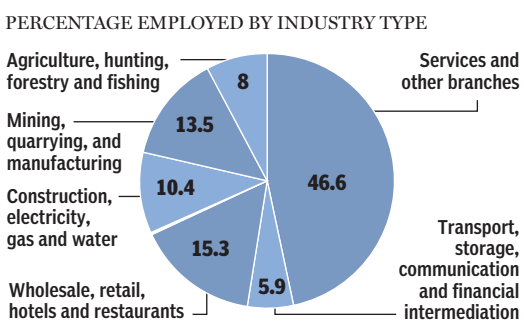


COMPARED TO 214 COUNTRIES AND DEPENDENCIES WHERE DOES PALESTINE RANK?

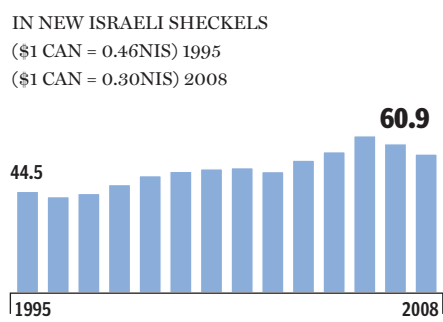


LIFE IN THE GAZA STRIP

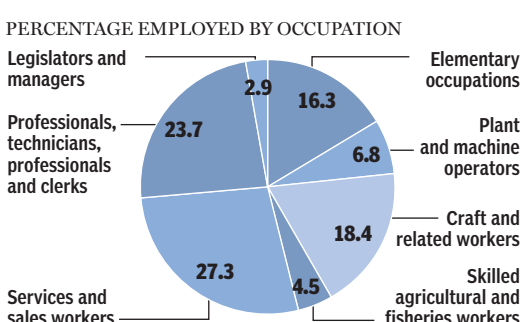
GAZA: EMPLOYMENT



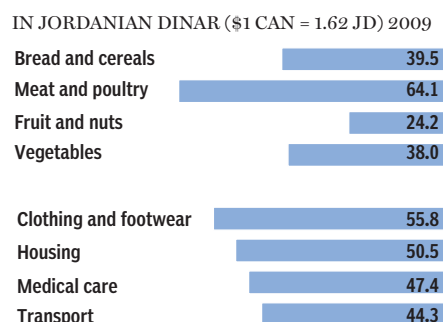
GAZA: AVERAGE DAILY WAGE



GAZA: EMPLOYMENT

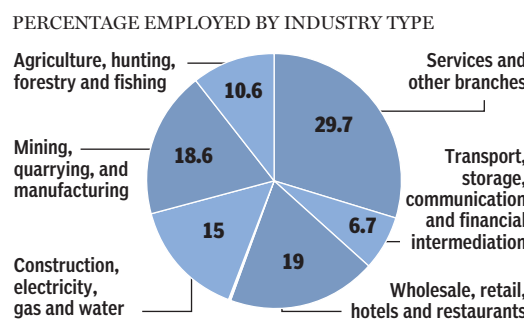


GAZA: MONTHLY COST OF LIVING

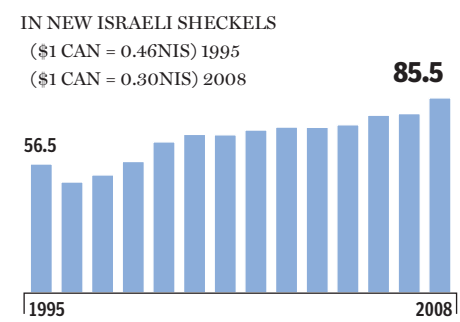


LIFE IN THE WEST BANK

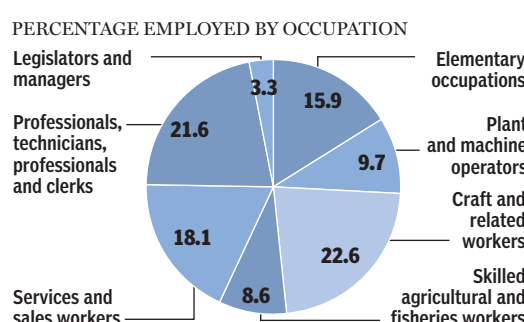
WEST BANK: EMPLOYMENT



WEST BANK: AVERAGE DAILY WAGE



WEST BANK: EMPLOYMENT



WEST BANK: MONTHLY COST OF LIVING

