Impact of Israel's Annexation Plans on Palestinian Science

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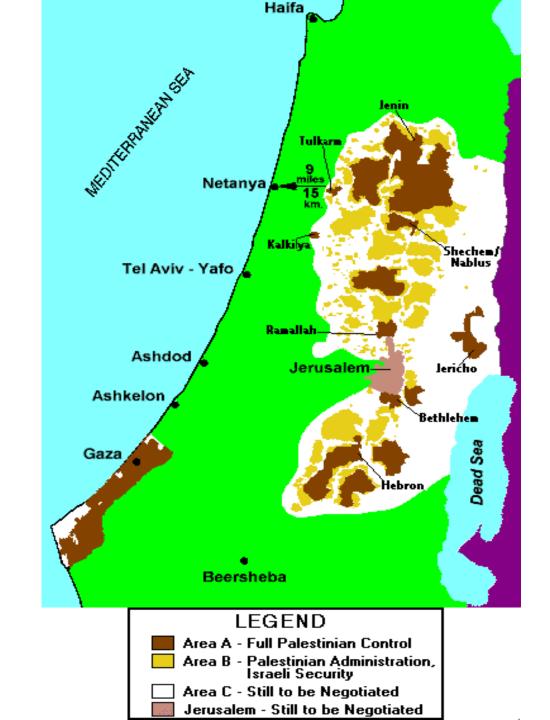
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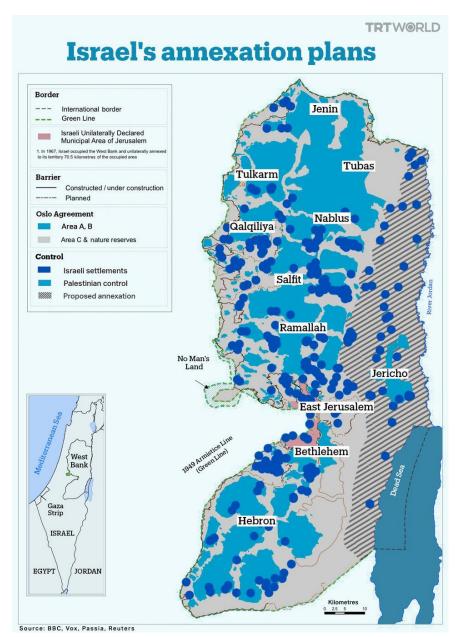
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Map of Palestinian Autonomy



The Jordan Valley



A stretch of land that extends over 2,400 km²

From the Dead Sea in the south to Bisan in the north, along the border between the West Bank and Jordan and entirely lying below sea level.

It accounts for 28.5% of the total West Bank territory.

Some 87% of the Jordan Valley lies in Area C, comprising approximately 42% of all Area C (under the Israeli control)

Most fertile and resource-rich area of the West Bank, with key land reserves for natural expansion.

http://www.passia.org/maps/view/74

Annexing the Jordan Valley Part of the Coalition Agreement

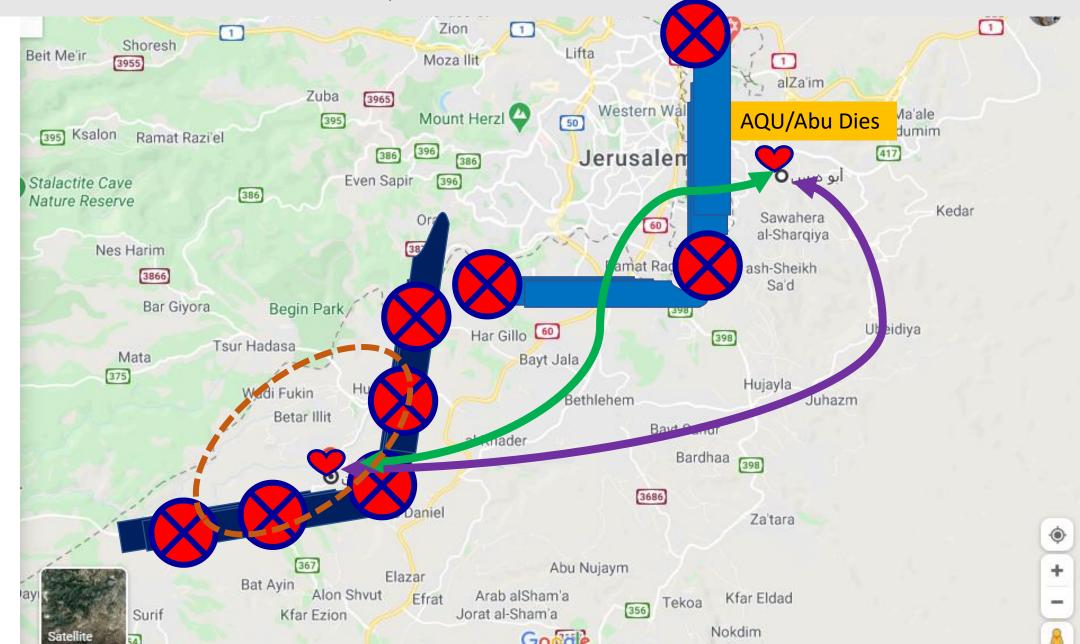


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Serious implications on people and land

Residency and citizenship status of Palestinians: not yet clear!

Limit people's right for proper education

Mass expropriation of privately-owned Palestinian land and expropriation of other private property: most likely!

Expropriation of agricultural lands owned by Palestinians in the OPT: most probably!

Deepens violations of the right to adequate housing: highly probable

Limit Palestinians' freedom of movement: in most cases!

Block Palestinians from their farmlands, prevent them from getting to their jobs in Israeli settlements and choke off their villages behind walls, fences and checkpoints.

https://www.amnesty.org/en/latest/news/2020/07/israelopt-10-things-you-need-to-know-about-annexation/

Thanks for your attention! Questions are welcome!

