Gaza Strip

2,000,000 Population of the Strip
71% Percentage of the population under the age of 30

49% Unemployment rate
65% Unemployment among young people

96% Percentage of water in the taps that is undrinkable

4 Number of hours of electricity currently available per day

Few are eligible to apply to exit the Strip under Israel's limited criteria

51% Drop in exits of Palestinians via Erez Crossing in 2017

70% Percentage of people receiving humanitarian aid

Israel controls Gaza’s commercial crossing, restricting entry of goods essential for normal life and economic growth

5,203 people per km²: density rate

329 Number of days Rafah Crossing, on the Egyptian border, was closed in 2017

31% Percentage of residents of Gaza with family in East Jerusalem, Israel or the West Bank

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