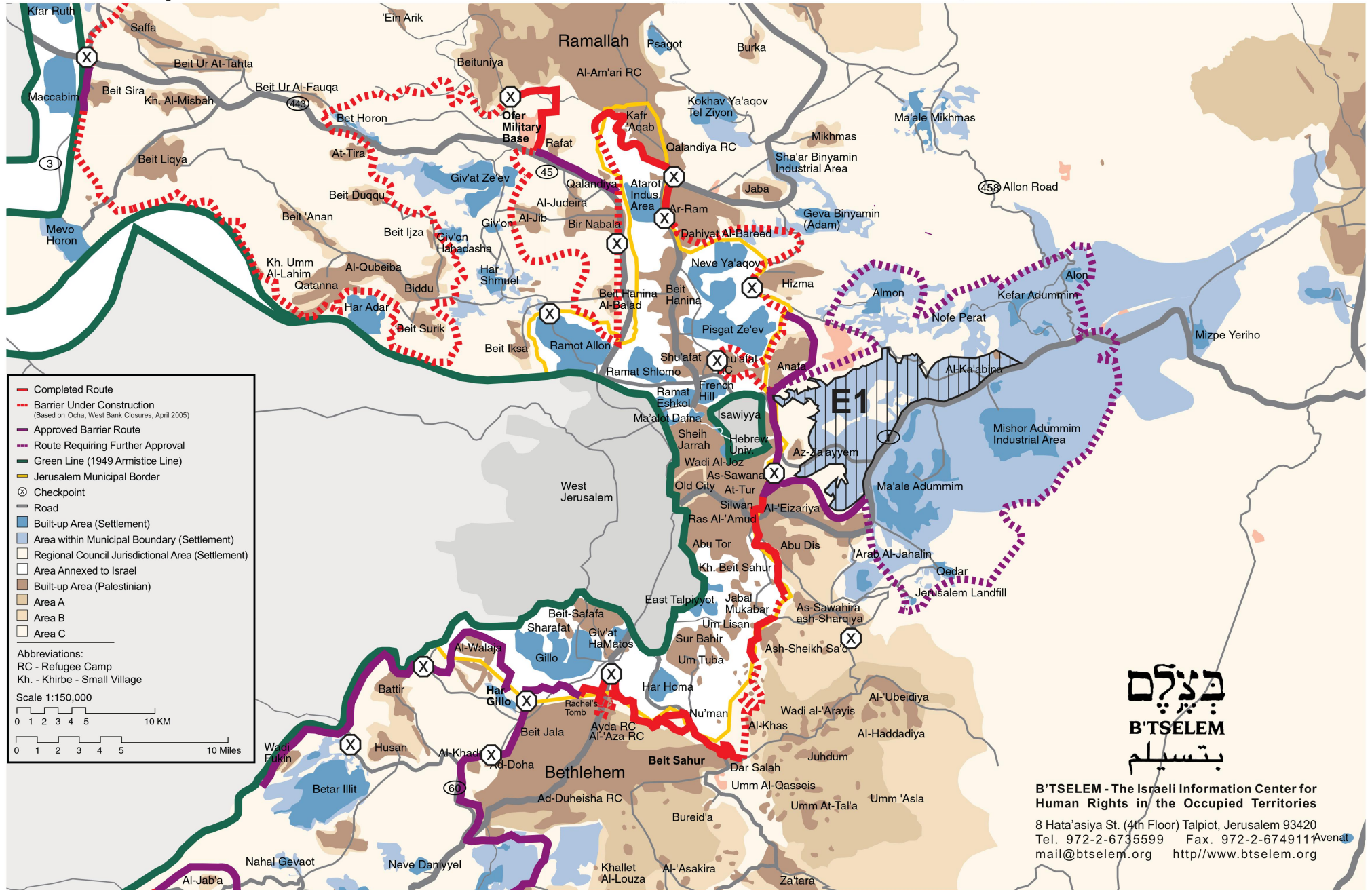


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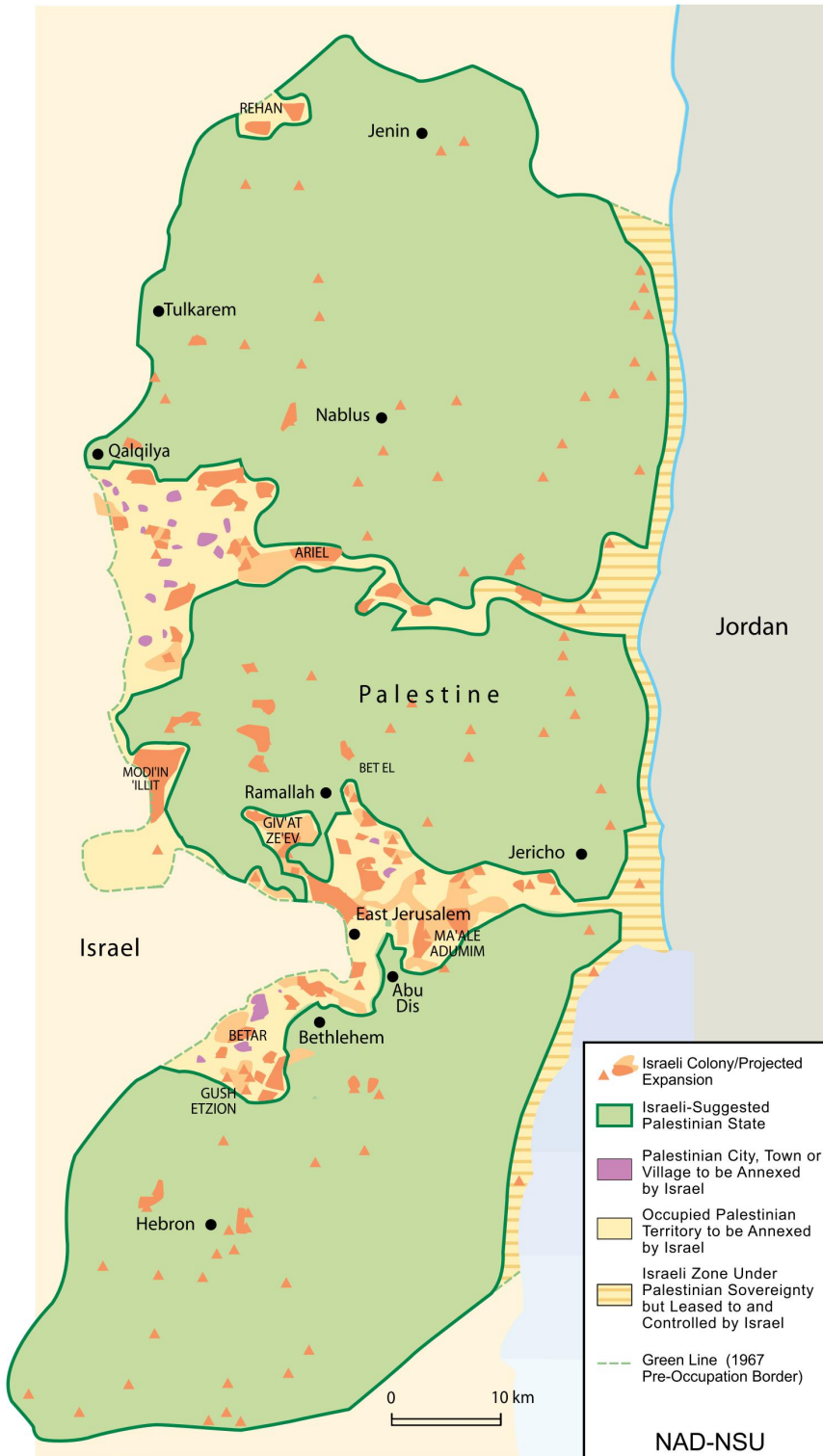


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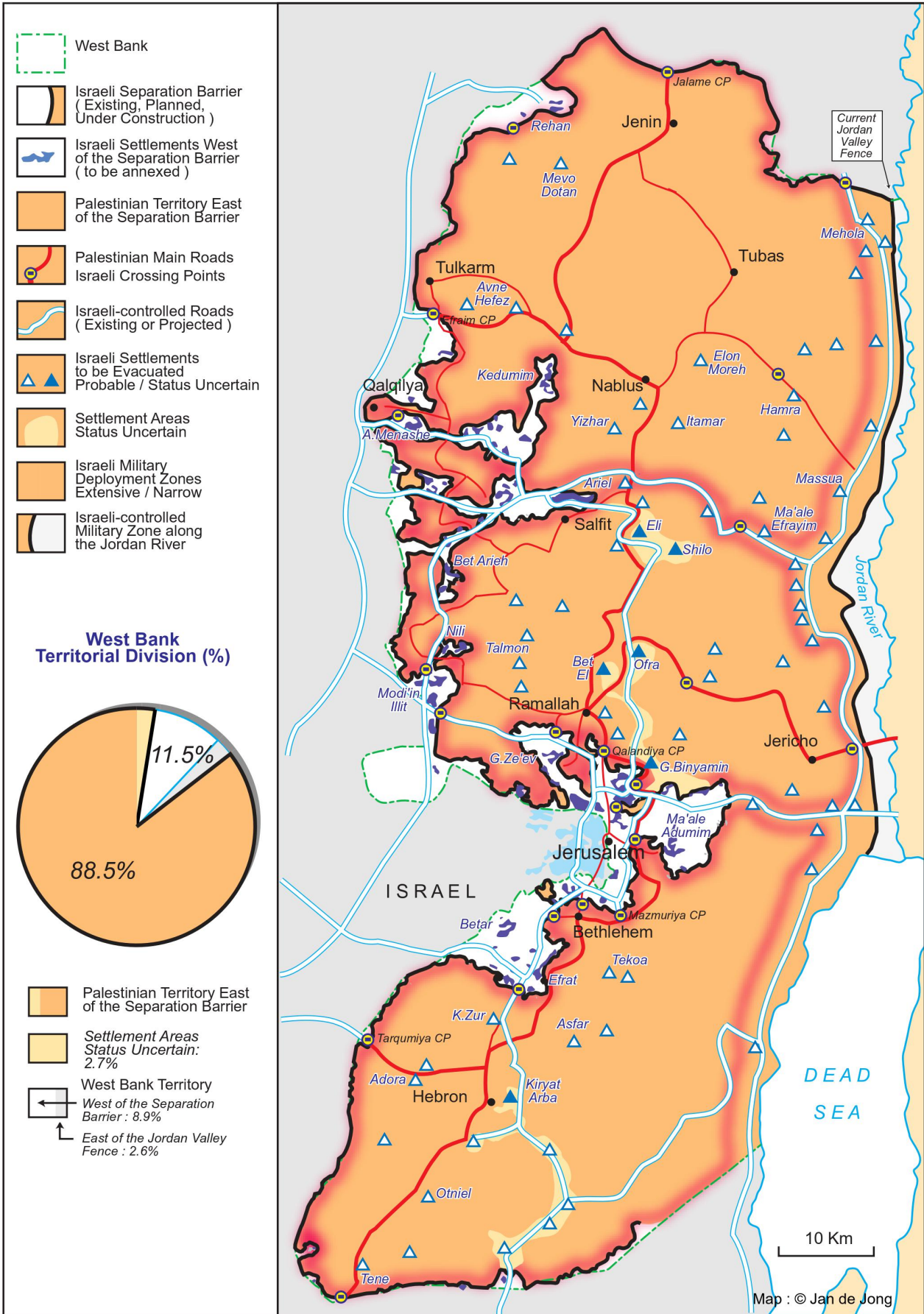
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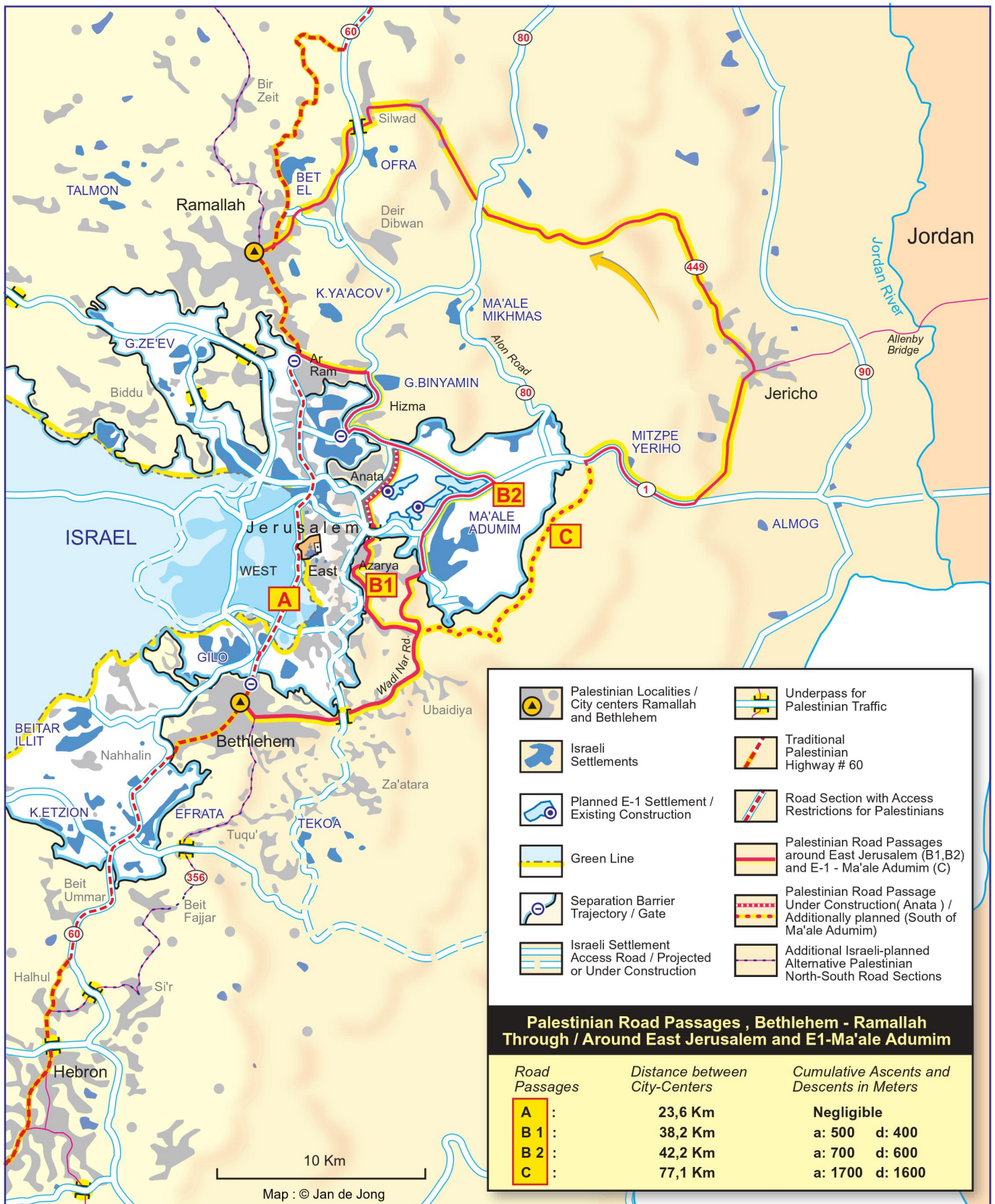
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# Israeli-planned Palestinian Road Passages Around Jerusalem

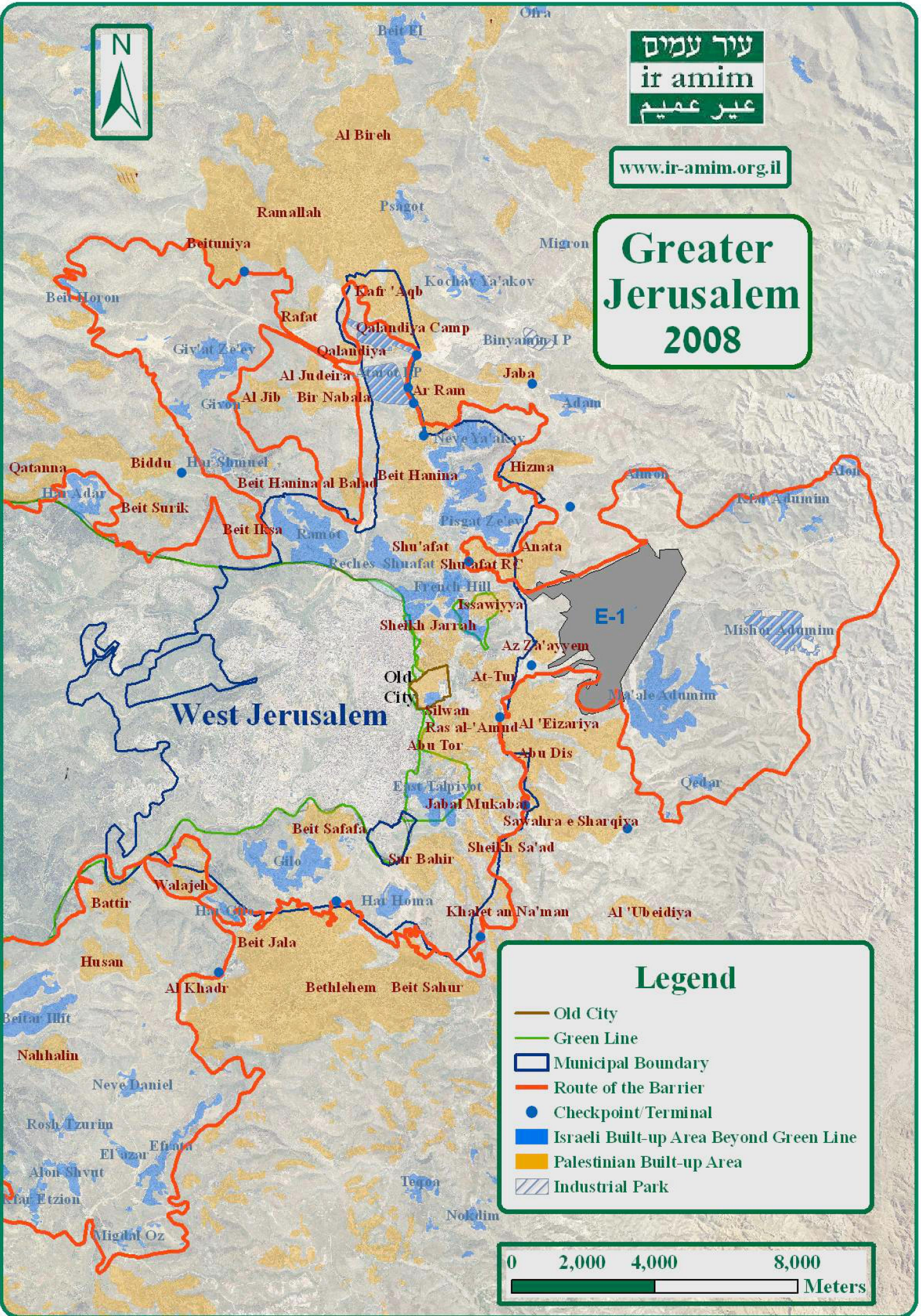




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## Legend

- Old City
- Green Line
- Municipal Boundary
- Route of the Barrier
- Checkpoint/Terminal
- Israeli Built-up Area Beyond Green Line
- Palestinian Built-up Area
- Industrial Park



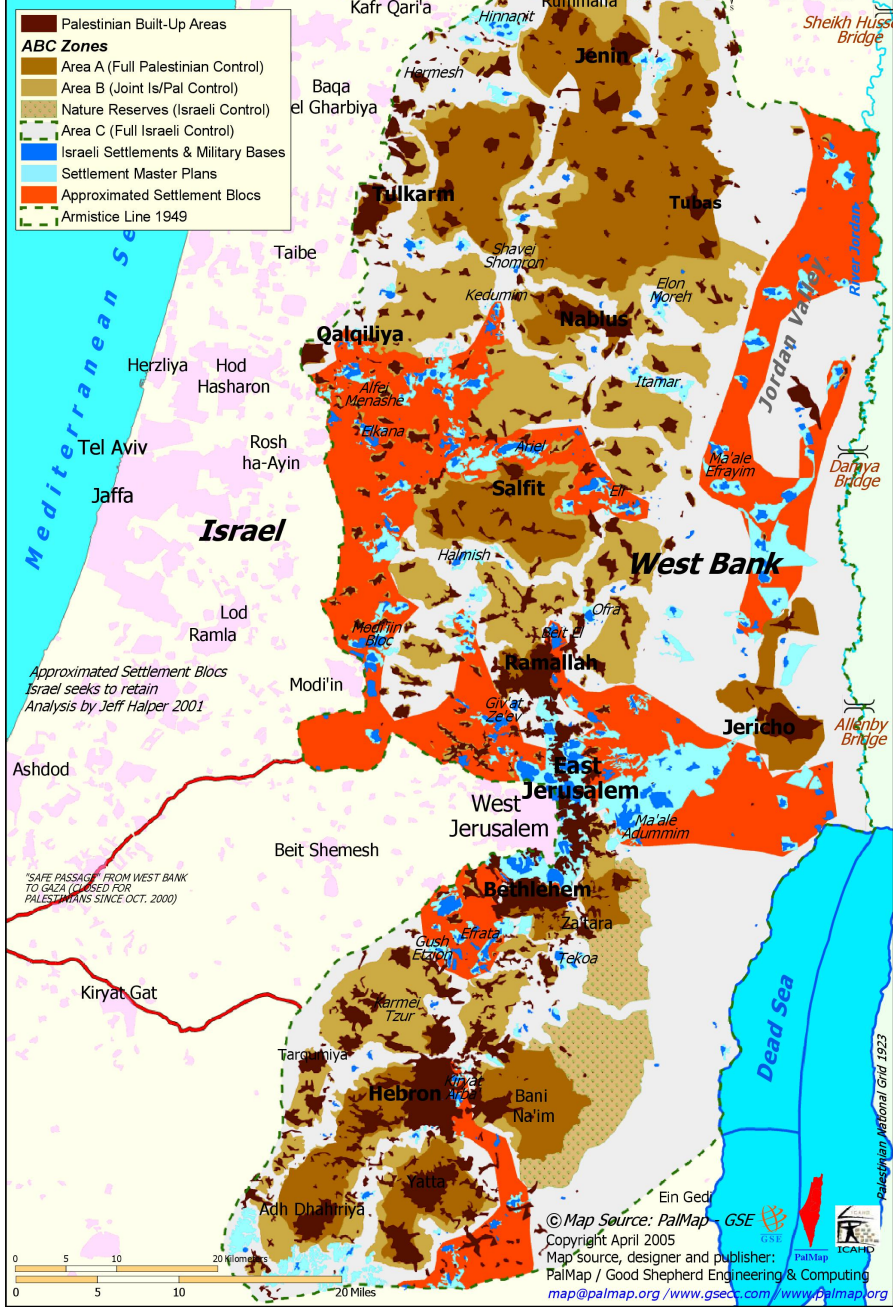






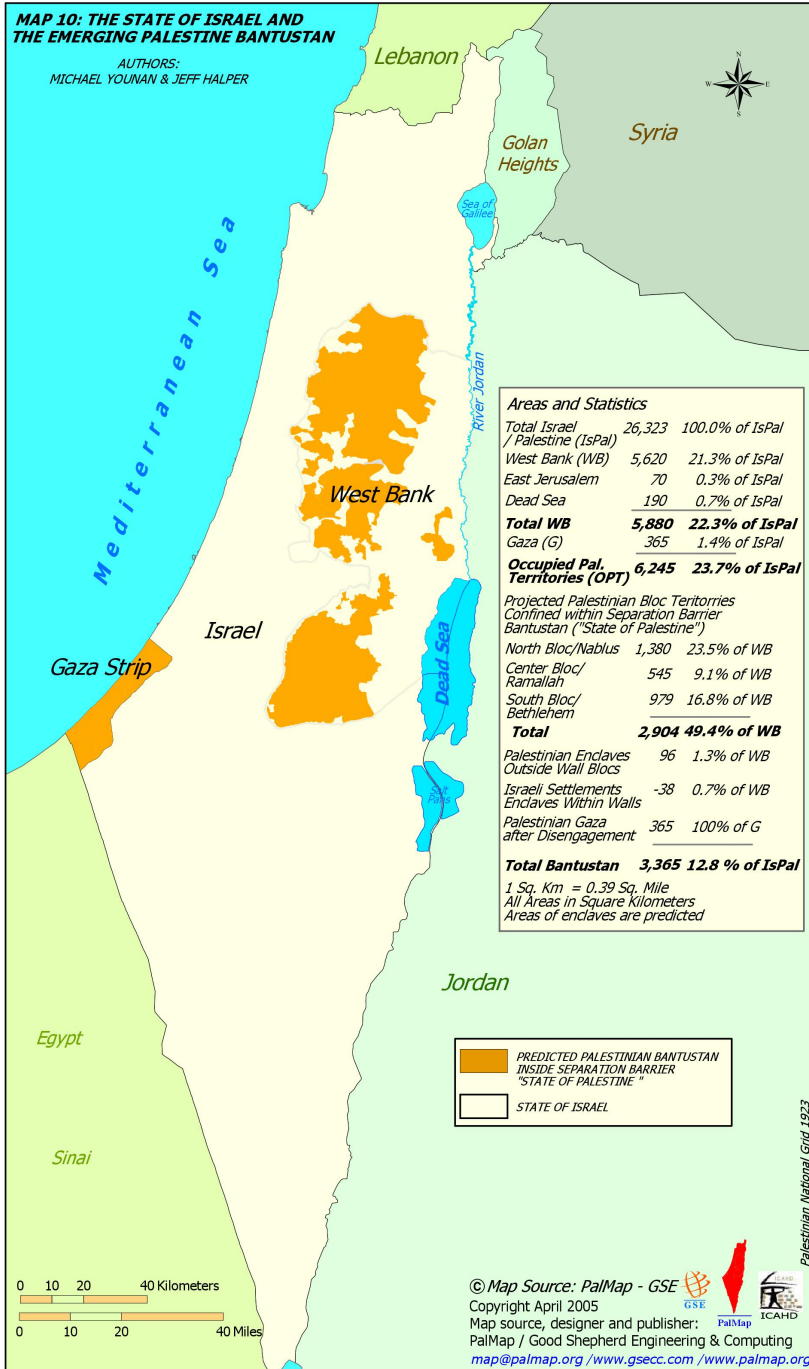


**MAP 5 : DEFINING THE PALESTINIAN BANTUSTAN  
MATRIX ELEMENT 3 - ISRAEL'S SETTLEMENT BLOCS**  
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**MAP 10: THE STATE OF ISRAEL AND THE EMERGING PALESTINE BANTUSTAN**

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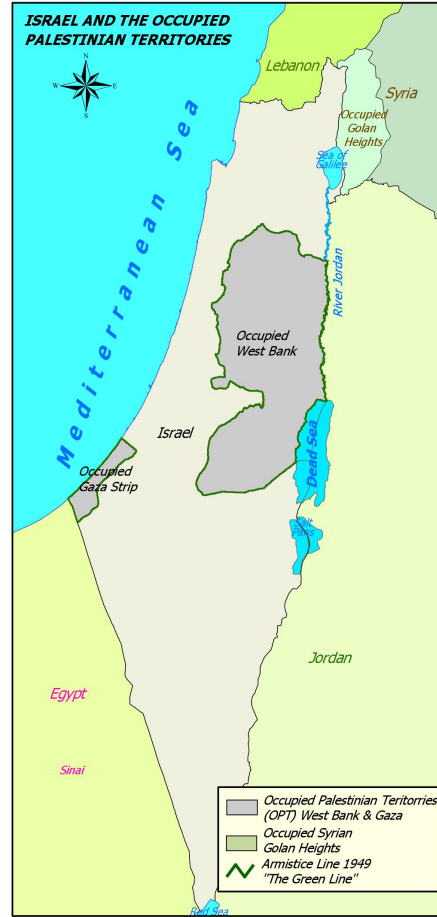


MAP 11: THREE ALTERNATIVES OF THE PALESTINE BANTUSTAN

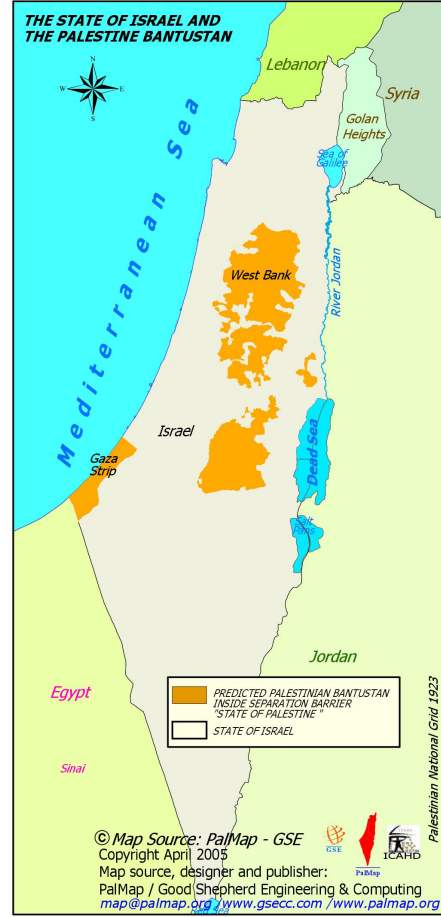
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**MAP 12: THE FLUID BORDERS**



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# West Bank: Access and Closure

April 2008

- ### Physical Closures
- Jerusalem Checkpoint<sup>1</sup>
  - Checkpoint
  - Green Line Checkpoint<sup>2</sup>
  - Partial Checkpoint
  - Road Gate
  - Observation Tower<sup>3</sup>
  - Earthmound
  - Roadblock
  - Tunnel<sup>4</sup>
  - Planned Tunnel
  - Earth Wall
  - Road Barrier
  - Trench

- ### West Bank Barrier
- Constructed
  - Under Construction
  - Planned Route
  - Agricultural Gate<sup>2</sup>
  - Military Gate<sup>2</sup>
- <sup>1</sup> West Bank ID and Gaza ID holders may only use these checkpoints to access East Jerusalem. <sup>2</sup> Not included in the total closure figures.

- ### Access
- #### Closed and Restricted Areas
- Israeli military base (Access is prohibited)
  - Israeli closed military area (Access is prohibited)
  - Existing and projected 'closed areas' behind the Barrier (Access is limited to permit holders)

- #### Israeli Settlements
- Outpost
  - Land cultivated by settlers
  - Settlement municipal area
  - Settlement built-up and outer limit
- #### Palestinian Areas
- Built-up
  - < 500 Residents
  - 500 - 20,000
  - > 20,000

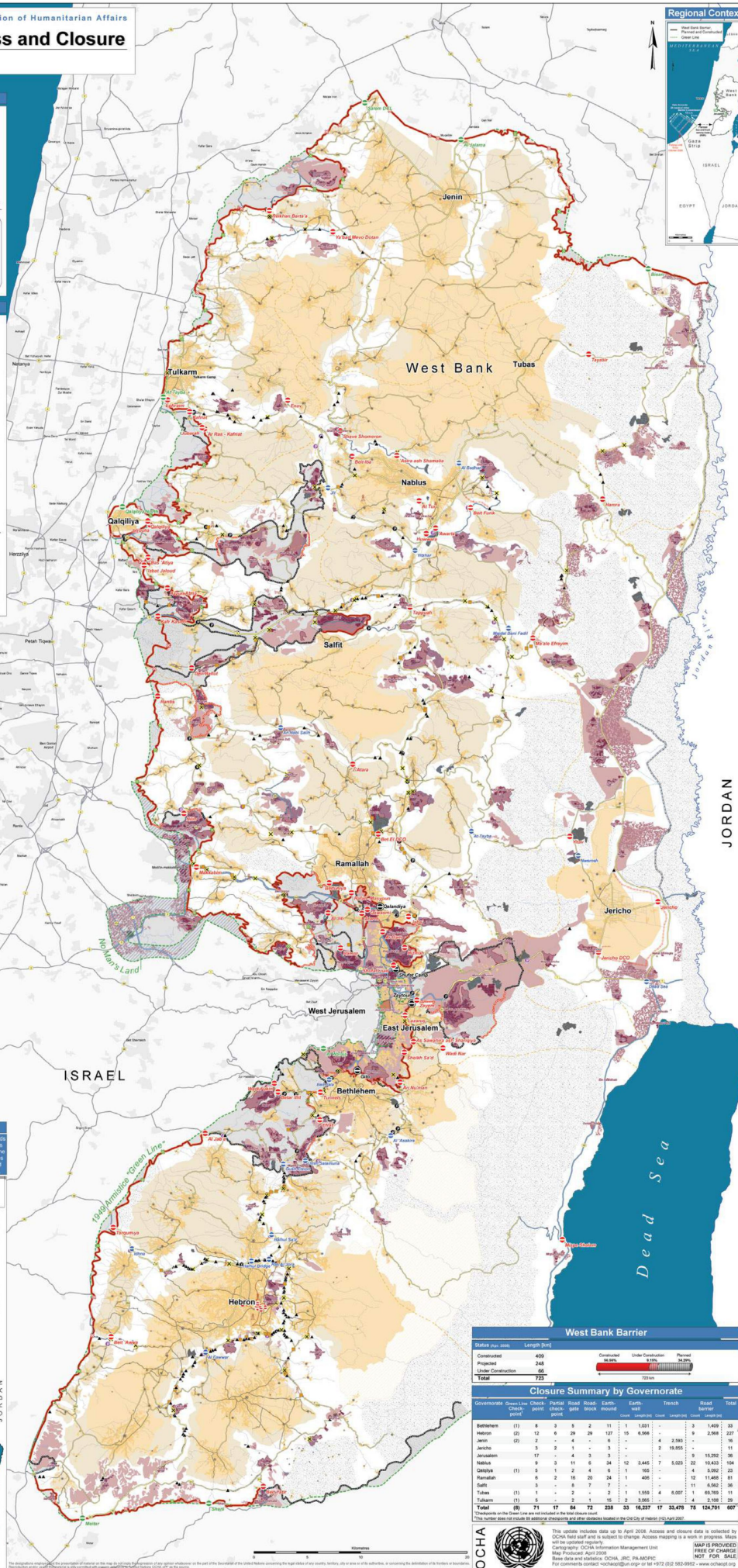
- #### Roads
- Prohibited or Restricted Palestinian vehicle use
  - Main road
  - Other road

- #### Oslo Interim Agreement (1994-1999)
- Area A<sup>1</sup>
  - Area B<sup>2</sup>
  - Special Case (H2)<sup>3</sup>
  - Intended Nature Reserve
  - Area C<sup>4</sup>
- Full Palestinian civil and security control
  - Full Palestinian civil control and joint Israeli-Palestinian security control
  - Hebron Agreement
  - Full Israeli control over security, planning and construction

### Fragmentation of the West Bank

The majority of physical obstacles prevent Palestinian access to primary roads in the West Bank. Effectively, these roads create corridors for Israeli settlements, connecting to and from Israel together with Israeli settlements. The roads of the West Bank Barrier, closed military areas and other measures, these obstacles and access restricted roads fragment the West Bank, isolate Palestinian movement, checkpoints, underpasses and permits require Palestinian movement.

- Barrier constructed by April 2008
- Barrier under construction in April 2008
- Barrier planned route
- Planned route
- Barrier adjusted to permit restrictions
- Areas inaccessible to settlers or subject to restrictions



### The West Bank Barrier

A complex series of concrete walls, electronic fences, observation towers, trenches, patrol roads and razor wire, used to control Palestinian pedestrian and vehicular movement.



**BARRIER GATE** - Allows restricted movement through the West Bank Barrier to Palestinian lands and to Israel. Permits are required for Palestinians to pass through a gate.

### Closure

A policy of physical barriers, permit requirements and other administrative restrictions used to control Palestinian pedestrian and vehicular movement.



**CHECKPOINT** - A barrier staffed by IDF and/or Border Police with observation towers and/or other physical structures used to control pedestrian and vehicular access.

**PARTIAL CHECKPOINT** - An established checkpoint operating periodically.



**OBSERVATION TOWER** - An elevated military tower to monitor/control Palestinian pedestrian and vehicular access.



**EARTH MOUND** - A mound of rubble, dirt and/or rocks used to obstruct vehicle access.



**TUNNEL** - An underpass beneath roads that are primarily for settler use.



**ROADBLOCK** - A series of 1 metre concrete blocks used to obstruct vehicle access.



**TRENCH** - A ditch used to prevent vehicle access.

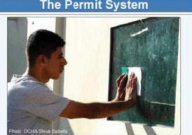


**ROAD GATE** - A metal gate, often manned by IDF, used to control movement along roads.



**ROAD BARRIER** - Continuous fencing which prevents Palestinian vehicular, agricultural and pedestrian access to roads used by Israeli settlers.

### The Permit System



Palestinians are required by the IDF to obtain various permits to facilitate movement through checkpoints to reach East Jerusalem and other West Bank areas including those located between the Barrier and the Green Line. Permits vary depending on location, person and purpose.

### West Bank Barrier

Status (km)	Length (km)	Under Construction	Planned
Constructed	409		
Planned	248		
Under Construction	66		
<b>Total</b>	<b>723</b>		

### Closure Summary by Governorate

Governorate	Green Line Checkpoint	Partial Checkpoint	Checkpoint	Road Block	Road Barrier	Earth wall	Trench	Road barrier	Total
Bethlehem	11	6	3	2	11	1,021	-	2	1,498
Hebron	12	6	29	29	127	6,596	-	9	8,968
Jericho	2	-	4	-	-	4	2,836	9	2,851
Jerusalem	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	2	19,855
Jerusalem	17	-	4	3	3	12	2,445	-	10,292
Nablus	9	3	11	6	26	7	5,023	22	10,423
Qalqilya	1	5	1	2	4	6	1	165	4
Ramallah	6	2	6	20	29	1	462	-	12
Salfit	3	-	6	7	7	-	-	-	11
Tubas	1	-	2	-	2	1,559	4	6,007	60,763
Tulkarm	11	6	2	-	1	2	3,092	-	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>16,237</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>23,478</b>	<b>124,791</b>

This number does not include 81 additional checkpoints and other obstacles located in the City of Hebron (17) and Gaza (2007).

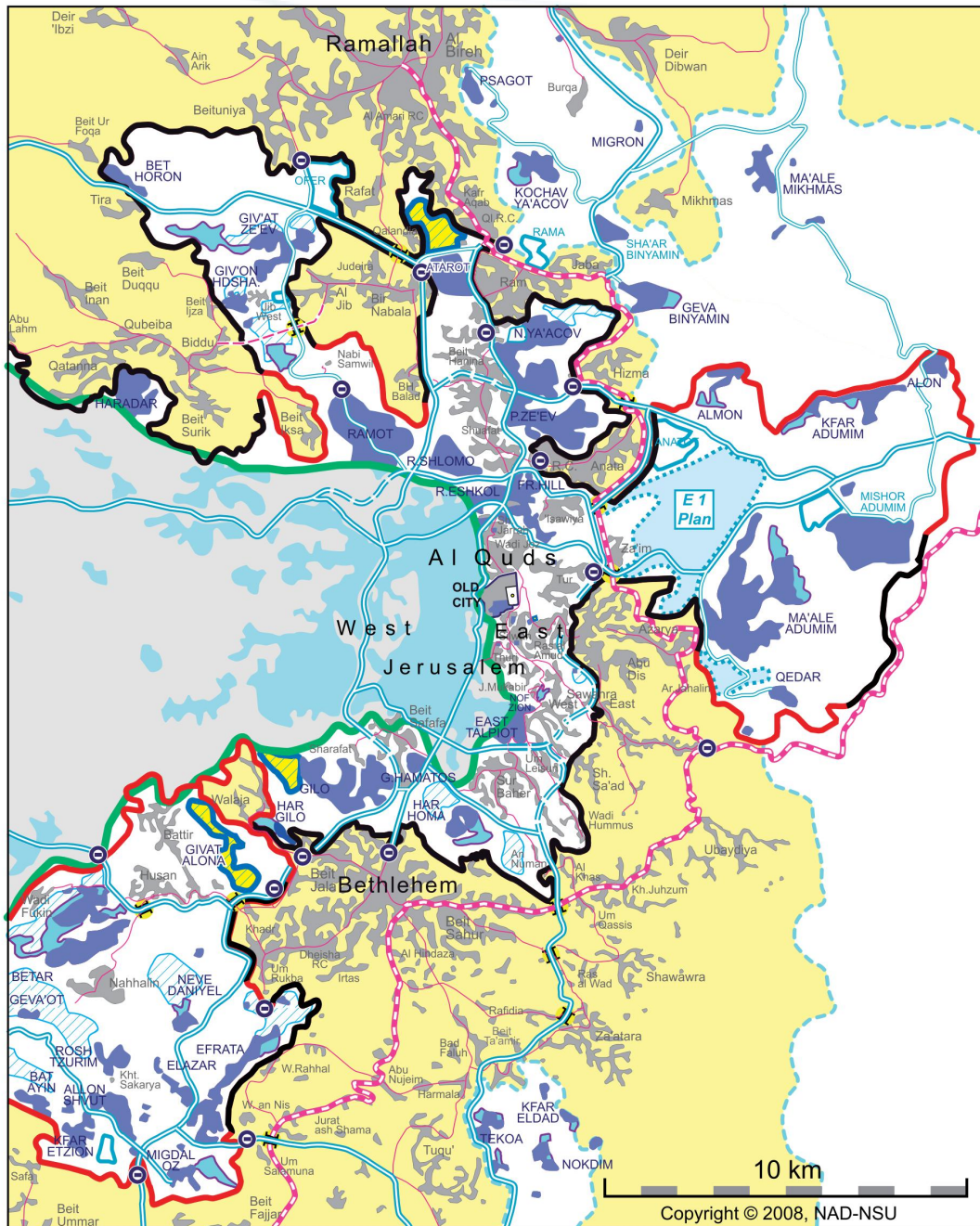
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# Israeli Wall & Settlements Around Occupied East Jerusalem - August 2008



1967 Boundary ("Green Line")	Israeli settlement built-up area	Proposed new settlement area	Israeli-controlled tunnel or underpass for Palestinians
Palestinian city, town, village or neighborhood	Israeli settlement area under construction	Israeli military base	Local Palestinian road
Projected area of future Palestinian control	Planned settlement expansion area	The Wall - constructed or under construction	Israeli-proposed "alternative" Palestinian road link
Area of Israeli control	Israeli settler / bypass road - existing	- approved or planned	Israeli checkpoint
	- planned or under construction		



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