

Al Khader Town

(Fact Sheet)

Administration and Area¹	
Locality Type	Urban
Local Authority Type	Municipality
Total Area	8,280 (dunum)
• Built up area	462 (dunum)
• Agricultural area	7,376 (dunum)
• Land isolated behind the wall	5,620 (dunum)
Demography²	
Total Population	9,774 (PCBS, 2007 Census)
• Males	5,056
• Females	4,718
Main Economic Activity¹	
	(%)
• Agriculture	35
• Industry	10
• Trade	10
• Services	5
• Israeli Labor Market	30
• Employees Sector	10
Total	100
Infrastructure & Services¹	
• Telecommunication Network	Yes
• Water Network	Yes
• Electricity Network	Yes
• Waste Water Network	Yes, 54% of housing units connected
• Solid Waste Management System	Yes (Al Khader Municipality)
Education³	
• Number of Schools	8 by type M: 4 F: 3 Co-e: 1
• Number of Kindergartens	3
Health¹	
• Number of Hospital	1
• Number of Health Clinics	1
• Number of Pharmacies	3
Water Resources¹	
Springs	1

Wells	0
Agriculture Sector⁴	
Plants	
• Fruit Trees	4,654 (dunum)
• Vegetables	107 (dunum)
• Field Crops	160 (dunum)
Livestock	
• Cattle (head)	0
• Goats (head)	424
• Sheep (head)	1,202
• Bee hives (hive)	200
• Poultry (bird)	20,000
Israeli Procedures¹	
Number of Checkpoints (permanent)	0

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