

Kharas Town

(Fact Sheet)

Administration and Area¹	
Locality Type	Rural
Local Authority Type	Municipality
Total Area	6,800 (dunum)
• Built up area	800 (dunum)
• Agricultural area	5,500 (dunum)
• Confiscated area	2,000 (dunum)
Demography²	
Total Population	6,655 (PCBS ,2007 Census)
• Male	3,472
• Female	3,183
Main Economic Activity (percent)¹	
• Agriculture	15 %
• Industry	10 %
• Trade	15 %
• Services	10 %
• Israeli Labor Market	50 %
• The Employee Sector	- %
Total	100 %
Infrastructure & Services¹	
• Telecommunication Network	Yes
• Water Network	Yes
• Electricity Network	Yes
• Waste Water Network	Yes
• Solid Waste Management System	Yes , Joint Services Council
Education³	
• Number of Schools	5 by type M: 3 F: 2 Co-e: 0
• Number of Kindergartens	2
Health¹	
• Number of Health Clinics	1
• Number of Pharmacies	3
Water Resources¹	
Springs	0
Wells	0

Agriculture Sector⁴	
Plant	
• Fruit trees	3,588 (dunum)
• Vegetables	196 (dunum)
• Field Crops	588 (dunum)
Livestock	
• Cattle (head)	104
• Goats (head)	600
• Sheep (head)	800
• Bee hives (hive)	123
• Broilers & Layers (bird)	71,000
Israeli Procedures¹	
Number of Checkpoints (permanent)	0

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