

West Bank and Gaza

Official Title: West Bank and Gaza



General Information:

Capital	To be determined	Population (million)	n/a
Total Area	6,220 km ²		
Currency	1 CAN\$=2.69 New Shekel (ILS) (2019 - Annual average)		
National Holiday	n/a		
Language(s)	Arabic		

Political Information:

Type of State Mixed parliamentary and presidential system

Type of Government

Palestinian Legislative Council (132 seats). Both the President and Parliament are selected and directly elected.

Head of State
President
Mahmoud Abbas

Head of Government
Prime Minister
Mohammad Shtayyeh

Ministers: Foreign Affairs : Riad Malki
Finance: Shukri Bishara

Main Political Parties

Fatah, Reform and Change Party (Hamas – a listed terrorist organization in Canada), Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP – a listed terrorist organization in Canada), Palestinian People's Party, Third Way, Palestinian National Initiative.

Elections: Last: January 2006 (Legislative)

Economic Information: (2019) IMF (estimates)

	West Bank and Gaza	Canada
GDP: (billion)	n/a	\$2,277.52
GDP per capita:	n/a	\$60,806.37
GDP Growth rate: (%)	n/a	1.64
Inflation: (%)	n/a	1.95
Unemployment: (%)	n/a	5.67

Product Trade and Investment: (2019) Statistics Canada

Canadian Exports:	n/a
Canadian Imports :	n/a
Foreign Direct Investment in Canada	n/a (million)
Canadian Direct Investment in country	n/a (million)

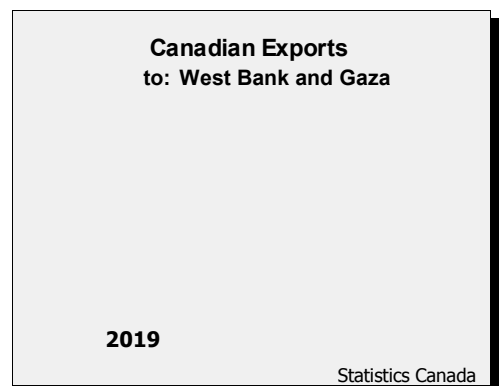
Representation:

Foreign Representation in Canada

Head of Delegation Nabil Maarouf

Canadian Representation Abroad

Canadian Representative Robin Wettlaufer



Sources:
Statistics/Industry Canada
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