

recognize the NAKBA



Israel must acknowledge its historical responsibility for the catastrophe, Nakba, it committed against the land and people of Palestine.

Israel and the international community must fulfil their obligations towards the full implementation of Palestinian refugee rights, including return and reparations.

NAKBA FACTS

**in
1948**
**Palestinian
Population**
**was 1.2
Million**

**at least
750,000
Palestinians**



became refugees

**at least
418
Palestinian Villages**



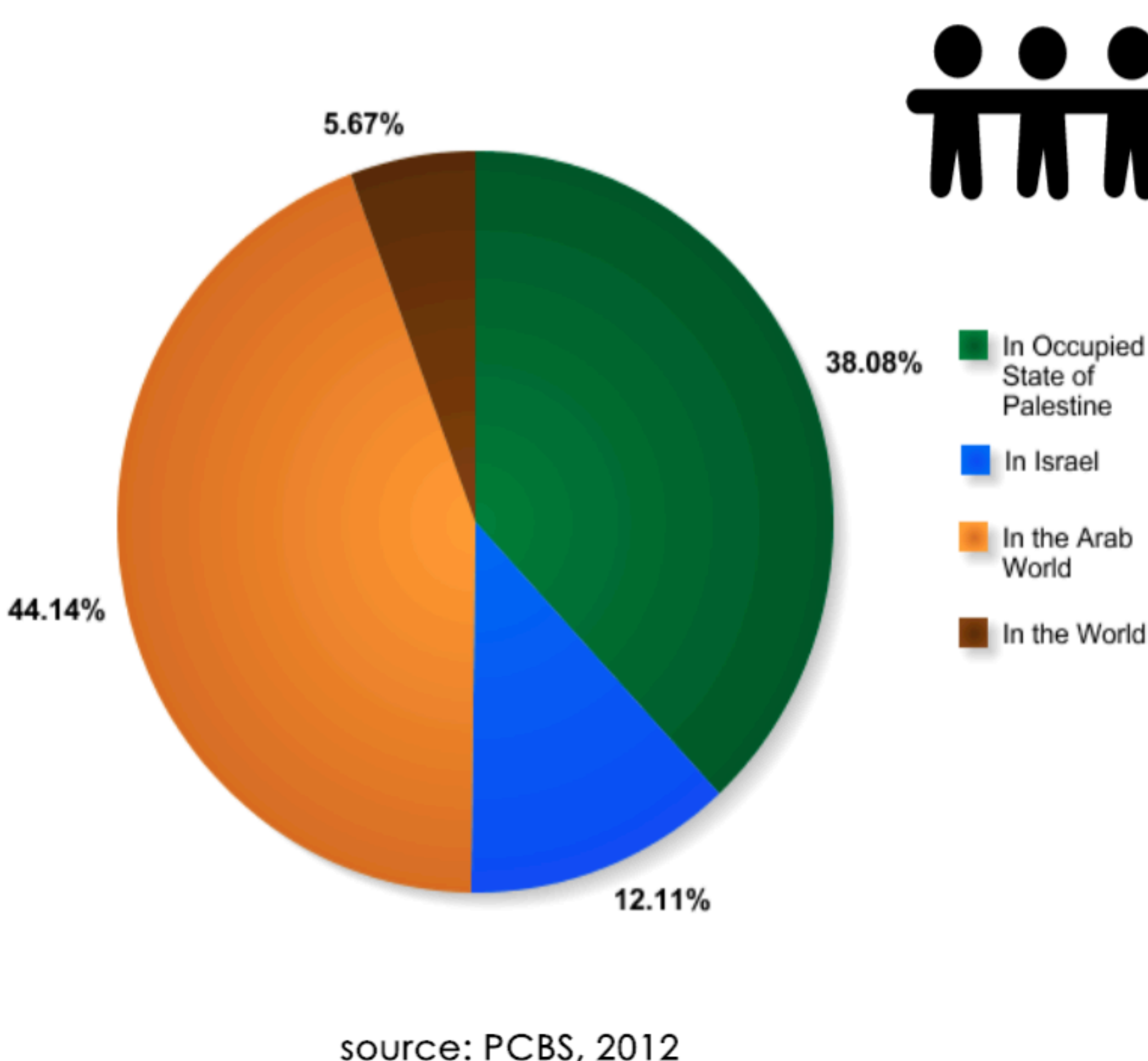
were destroyed

**at least
15,000
Palestinians**



were killed

The projected number of Palestinians in the world is 11.55 Million



UNRWA Statistics

Number of Registered Palestinian Refugees in Occupied State of Palestine, Jordan, Lebanon, Syria

4, 919, 917 M

Number of Palestinian Refugees in Occupied State of Palestine, the Arab World and the rest of the World

7, 699, 544 M

66%

of the global Palestinian Population Are Refugees

44%

of the Palestinian Population in Occupied State of Palestine are Refugees

Under international law, Palestinian refugees are entitled to return to their lands:



U.N Resolution 194 – (passed on 11 December 1948 and reaffirmed numerous times since 1948):

"...the (Palestinian) refugees wishing to return to their homes and live at peace with their neighbors should be permitted to do so at the earliest practicable date, and that compensation should be paid for the property of those choosing not to return and for loss of or damage to property which, under principles of international law or in equity, should be made good by the Governments or authorities responsible".



Universal Declaration of Human Rights, 10 December 1948:

"Everyone has the right to leave any country, including his own, and to return to his country" (Article 13 (2)).



The 65th anniversary of al-Nakba

The Nakba is not yet over. Israel continues to deny the rights of Palestinian refugees, and to employ illegal policies and inhuman practices that forcibly displace more Palestinians inside the occupied State of Palestine and in Israel.