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## Israel Shuts Down Its Human Lab in Gaza



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Cairo, Egypt: Palestinians Are Lab Rats for the military, intelligence services, and industries Israeli weaponry and technology. Drones, surveillance technology – including *spyware*, facial recognition programs, and the infrastructure of biometrics – along with smart fences, experimental bombs, and machine guns controlled by artificial intelligence, are tested against the Gaza's captive population, often with lethal results. Next, These weapons and technologies are certified as "combat-proven" and They are sold all over the world.

Israel is the 10th largest arms dealer on the planet and It sells its technology and weaponry to some 130 nations, including dictatorships from Asia and Latin America. Israeli arms sales amounted to \$12.5 billion last year. Its close relationship with these military, homeland security, surveillance, data collection agencies intelligence and law enforcement, explains the lightning support that the Israel's allies lend themselves to its genocidal campaign in Gaza. When the president Colombia's Gustavo Petro refused to condemn the Oct. 7 attack by the Palestinian resistance groups as a "terrorist attack" and said whereas 'terrorism is killing innocent children in Palestine', Israel immediately halted all sales of defense and security equipment to Colombia. This global cabal, dedicated to permanent war and to keeping people alive, is a threat to the their populations monitored and controlled, with a turnover of hundreds of billions dollars per year. These technologies are consolidating a totalitarianism supranational corporate society, a world in which populations are enslaved in ways that the totalitarian regimes of the past could only imagine.

The genocidal attack on Gaza is yet another chapter in the clean-up that has been carried out for a century by the colonial project of settlers Israeli. It is accompanied, as with all colonial projects, by the plundering of natural resources, water, land and natural gas from the United States. Gaza sea camps, twenty nautical miles from the coast, which They contain more than 300 trillion cubic meters of natural gas. In a world of scarce resources, especially water in the Middle East, and In the wake of displacement caused by the climate crisis, *Gaza is the prelude to a terrifying new world order*. Bespoke that democracy weakens and dies, economic inequality widens, and poverty and desperation increase, the world ruling class will do with all when we get restless and try to rebel – what is happening to them making the Palestinians.

There is not much distance between Gaza and the camps and detention centers. Detention Facilities Created for Migrants Fleeing to Europe from Africa and the Middle East Next. The bombardment of Gaza is not far removed from the endless wars in the Gaza Strip. Middle East and the Global South. Anti-terrorism laws are not very different used to criminalize Israel's dissent from the laws of the introduced in Europe and the United States.

On 7 October, Palestinians in Gaza escaped from their cage laboratory. They engaged in a bloody fight against their sadistic masters. Nearly 12,000 Palestinians have been killed and 30,000 wounded (including 4,700 children)\* since October 7 in the hurricane of shells, bullets, bombs and missiles that are turning Gaza into a lunar landscape. About 30,000 Palestinians are missing or buried under the rubble. Soon the Palestinians will be convulsed by infectious diseases and the hunger. Those who survive, if Israel succeeds in its ethnic cleansing, will be they will become refugees, once again, on the other side of the border, in Egypt. There are plenty of Palestinians left to experiment on in the West Bank. They're over business in Gaza.

Israel, which is not a signatory to the Trade Treaty has long been supplying arms to some of the regimes the most egregious countries on the planet, such as the apartheid government of South Africa and Myanmar. India is Israel's largest buyer of military drones. Israel provided drones, missiles and mortars on Azerbaijan for its invasion and occupation of Nagorno-Karabakh, which displaced 100,000 people, more than 80% of the ethnic group Armenia of the enclave. Israel sold napalm and weapons to the Salvadoran army, as well as as well as the murderous regime of General José Efraín Ríos Montt in Guatemala, when I covered the wars of the 1980s in Central America. The Uzi Submachine Gun were the weapons of choice for the squadrons of the death of Central Americans. Israel also sold arms to the Bosnian Serbs, despite international sanctions, when I covered the Bosnian war in the In the 1990s, a conflict that claimed the lives of 100,000 people.

"Israel is a key player in the EU's strategy to militarize its borders and deter new arrivals, a policy that is accelerated enormously after the massive influx of migrants in 2015, mainly because of the wars in Syria, Iraq and Afghanistan," he writes Anthony Loewenstein in "The Palestine Laboratory: How Israel Exports the technology of occupation all over the world." "The EU has associated with major Israeli defense companies to use their drones and, of course, years of experience in Palestine are a key argument for sale."

"The similarities between the border that separates the United States United States of Mexico and Israel's Wall Across the Occupied Territories they grow year after year," he writes. "One inspires the other, with companies technology companies are always looking for new ways to target and capture the assumptions of Enemies. In the U.S., the use of

high-tech surveillance tools to control the border was backed by both Republicans and Democrats. During the Trump years, the company Brinc, supported by the billionaire Peter Theil, tested the possibility of deploying armed drones that they would shoot migrants with a stun gun along the U.S.-Mexico border."

Israeli-made Heron TP "Eitan" drones Aerospace Industries – Israel's largest aerospace and defense company and the country's largest arms exporter – are used by Frontex, the European agency of the Border and Coast Guards, to monitor and deter migrant and refugee boats in the Mediterranean. Drones, which they fly up to 40 hours at a time, can be modified to carry four Spike rockets with fragmentation pods of thousands of 3mm tungsten cubes that pierce the metal and "cause the tearing of the tissues of the flesh," in essence, they tear the victim to pieces. They are commonly used against the Palestinians.

"It's almost impossible to cross the Mediterranean [as migrant]," Felix Weiss of the German NGO Sea-Watch told Loewenstein. "Frontex has become a militarised actor, its equipment it comes from war zones," he added.

Elbit Systems, the world's largest privately held armaments company, Israel supplies U.S. Customs and Border Protection United States (acronym: CBP) high-tech watchtowers that use the along the border with Mexico. He also supplied CBP with his non-aircraft manned Hermes in 2004 to test the feasibility of its use at the border.

Pegasus, a phone spying tool produced by the Israeli cyber intelligence agency NSO Group, was used by the Mexican drug cartels to attack journalist Griselda Triana, after her husband, Javier Valdez Cárdenas, also a reporter for investigation, was murdered in 2017. The Mexican government is directly implicated in the persecution of journalists and members of civil society with the Pegasus spyware, according to Citizen Lab's research and analysis of Canada. After reporter Jamal Khashoggi was murdered and dismembered at the Saudi consulate in Istanbul in October 2018, discovered that an NSO customer was targeting his fiancée, Hanan Elatr. Pegasus transforms a mobile phone into a device mobile surveillance, with microphones and cameras activated without the knowledge of the user.

Skunk water\*\*, a putrid-smelling liquid, was tested and perfected on Palestinians, often with Israeli film crews that they recorded the attacks to show potential customers the effectiveness of the chemical.

"Israeli forces routinely irrigate neighborhoods entire Palestinians with skunk water, deliberately dousing it in homes individuals, businesses, schools and funerals, practicing what the group Israeli Human Rights Watchdog B'Tselem Calls It 'A Collective Punitive Measure' against Palestinian peoples participating in protests against violence Israel's colonial era," *The Electronic Intifada* in 2015. That same year, the U.S. Police Department Metropolitan St. Louis purchased 14 canisters of skunk water to use against demonstrators after protests erupted when police killed unarmed African-American teenager Michael Brown in Ferguson, Missouri.

Israel has created a sophisticated system of recognition Red Wolf, to sign all Palestinians from the United States. occupied territories. The technology is "widely used" to "Consolidate existing policing practices discrimination, segregation and restriction of freedom of movement, violating the basic rights of Palestinians," Amnesty said International in its [recent report entitled "Automated Apartheid"](#). The Medium of French investigation Disclose revealed that French police have been in operation for eight years illegally using facial recognition software provided by the Israeli tech company BriefCam. BriefCam's technology allows users "detect, track, extract, classify [and] catalog" to the people "who appear in the video surveillance recordings in real time real."

The AI machine guns, manufactured by the Israeli company Smartshooters, they can fire stun grenades and rubber bullets, as well as tear gas. Herself They honed in rehearsals against Palestinians in the West Bank. Smartshooter It recently won a contract to supply the British Army with its "automatic aiming and firing system" Smash, which can be attached to the small arms such as automatic rifles.

Israel, according to Jeff Halper in his book "War Against the People" (The War Against the People), is at the forefront of cyborg soldiers' projects and has Developed a radar system that sees through walls. As *The Electronic Intifada* explains, the complex Israel's military-industrial has built "a tank called Cruelty, a 20-gram drone in the shape of a butterfly, a stealth craft called Shark of Death, a series of weapons named after insects or

phenomena (bionic hornets, smart dust, dragonfly drones, and microrobots Smart Dew), cybernetic insects, a 'war' training center 600 buildings nicknamed Chicago and a one-megaton bomb with electromagnetic impulse capacity."

Harper points out that during the occupation of Iraq, the military The U.S. reproduced the tactics used by Israel against the United States. Palestinians. Built a security barrier around the Green Zone of Baghdad, imposed lockdowns on cities and towns, carried out assassinations He copied Israeli torture techniques and used control and roadblocks to isolate cities and towns.

Israel trains and equips police forces by teaching them aggressive tactics, backed by weaponry and heavy military vehicles, which were used in Ferguson and Atlanta during the police clashes with activists protesting against Cop City\*\*\*.

Halper calls this the "Palestinization" of the global conflicts.

"Because there are so many Israeli companies involved in the maintenance of the infrastructure surrounding the occupation, these companies found innovative ways to sell their services to the state, test the the latest technology in Palestinians and then promote them around the world," Loewenstein explains. And while "the defense industries are increasingly in private hands," after decades of neoliberal privatization, "continue to acting as an extension of Israel's foreign policy agenda, supporting their goals and their pro-occupation ideology."

The world ruling class will counter the forces of destabilizing measures against inequality, the curtailment of civil liberties, the collapse of infrastructure, the failure of health systems and the growing shortages caused by an accelerating climate crisis, crossing out of "human animals" to all who resist. This new order began in Gaza. It will end up arriving at home.

Editor's note:

\*Figures are from November 17, when the article was published in the first article. originally published. As of 23 November, the Palestinian death toll There are 14,100

(5,840 children) and 32,850 wounded, not counting 225 Palestinians killed in the West Bank by the Israeli army.

\*\* : Palestinians who have been sprayed with this compound They describe it as "a mixture of excrement, pestilential gases, and an ass in decomposition." It was created by the Israeli company Odortec and used by first by the Israeli army in the occupied West Bank in 2008.

Cop City, the City of Police, is a facility in construction process in Atlanta (USA) to train police forces and the military against urban guerrillas.

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