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Violations against Palestinian Digital Rights

Incidents of digital violations against Palestinians have persisted, primarily stemming from actions emanating from social media companies. Throughout the month of October, 7amleh meticulously documented a total of 419 violations. These encompassed 66 instances of censorship, 353 cases involving the dissemination of violent and harmful content and behaviors within the digital realm

Source: 7or



Accounts suspension and restriction

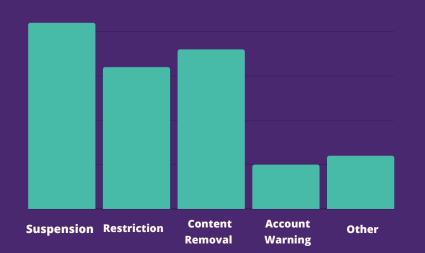
Hate speech, misleading information, and others

Among the various forms of censorship of Palestinian content, the most imposed measures are account suspensions and restrictions

A range of punitive actions enforced upon Palestinian accounts exhibited a varied distribution across different social media platforms. Notably, the foremost repercussion involved the suspension of accounts, totaling 21 violations. Subsequently, there were 16 instances of account restrictions observed over the past month. Content removal was identified as a penalty in 18 cases. Furthermore, 5 cases of warning were recorded. The remaining forms of penalties accounted for a collective total of 6 violations

Source: 7or - The Palestinian Observatory of Digital Rights Violations

If you encounter any violations, report to: 7or.7amleh.org



Among the forms of digitally harmful content and practices, most are in the form of Hate Speech and Incitement

7amleh recorded a total of 353 instances of inflammatory content, predominantly originating from Israeli users. Most prominent was inciting content, with 302 instances. This was followed by 30 instances of hate speech. Furthermore, there were 9 false accusations/instances of smearing. Additionally, a combined total of 3 violations involved account hacking and blackmail, in addition to 9 of fake news.



Meta accounted for more Censorship and Spread of Harmful Content than any other Social Media Company, and X leads on the spread of violent content

7amleh meticulously tracked and recorded violations and harmful content across diverse social media platforms. Among these, Meta, encompassing its three primary platforms, was responsible for a significant portion, with 104 violations. Within this category, Facebook constituted 56 violations, Instagram contributed 45, and WhatsApp displayed 3 violations. Alongside these findings, 7amleh documented 234 violations on X, 15 on TikTok, 51 on Telegram, and one on YouTube. The remaining platforms collectively accounted for 14 violations



The majority of violated pages and accounts belong to personal profiles

In the last month, personal accounts (profiles) faced 47 instances of takedown content suspension/restriction, while pages encountered 16 violations, and channels and other account types experienced 3 violations. In terms of harmful content such as hate speech, violence, and harmful digital behaviors, there were 335 instances by personal accounts posted (profiles), and 11 instances posted by pages, while one instance was posted by groups, in addition to 6 channels implicated in similar activities



AI language model

7amleh's AI language model has successfully detected over 1,033,668 instances of violent and hateful content in the Hebrew language across various social media platforms during the reporting period. This content specifically targets Palestinians and advocates for Palestinian rights.



Digital violations In Jerusalem

Of all the violations of Palestinian digital rights, 7amleh documented 4 violations in the city of Jerusalem

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