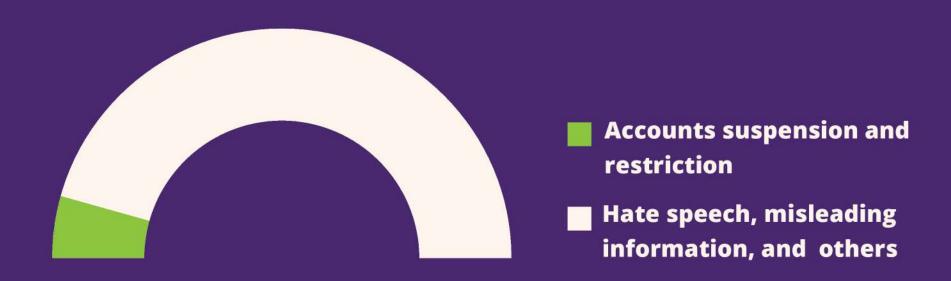




#### **Ongoing Censorship of Palestinian Content**

Incidents of digital violations against Palestinians have persisted, primarily stemming from actions emanating from social media companies. Throughout the month of April, 7amleh documented a total of 321 violations. These encompassed 28 instances of censorship, 293 cases involving the dissemination of violent and harmful content and behaviors on social media platforms.





# 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 3 violations. Content removal was identified as a penalty in 16 cases. Subsequently, there were 2 instances of account restrictions observed. Furthermore, The remaining forms of penalties accounted for a collective total of 7 violations.





## Among the forms of digitally harmful content and practices, most are in the form of hate speech and incitement

7amleh recorded a total of 293 instances of inflammatory content, predominantly originating from Israeli users. Most prominent was inciting content, with 114 instances. This was followed by 159 instances of hate speech. Furthermore, there were 4 false accusations/instances of smearing. Additionally, a combined total of 16 violations involved account hacking and blackmail.





## Meta accounted for more Censorship and Spread of Harmful Content than any other Social Media Company

In April, 7amleh meticulously tracked and recorded violations and harmful content across diverse social media platforms. Among these, Meta, was responsible for a significant portion, with 97 violations, Within this category, Facebook constituted 24 violations, Instagram contributed 73. X contributed 192 violations. Alongside these findings, 7amleh documented 7 violations on TikTok, and 2 violations on Youtube, and 21 violations on Telegram, and 2 other violations on other social media.



## The majority of pages and accounts that were subjected to violations belong to personal accounts

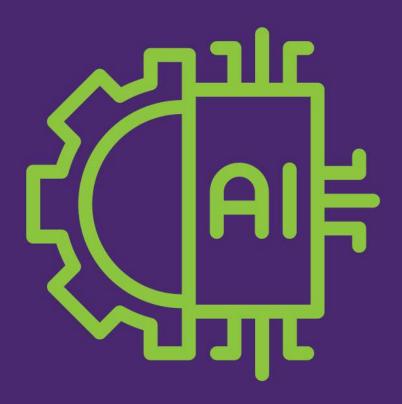
In the last month, personal accounts (profiles) faced 16 instances of content takedown or suspension/restriction, while pages encountered 11 violations, in addition to one channel. In terms of harmful content such as hate speech, violence, and harmful digital behaviors, there were 255 instances posted by personal accounts (profiles), and 13 instances posted by pages, and 23 channels, and 2 other violations on other social media.





#### AI language model

7amleh's AI language model has successfully detected over 130 thousand 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 Rights Violations in Jerusalem

Of all the violations of Palestinian digital rights, 7amleh documented 13 violations in Jerusalem.



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