

## Abstract for

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Abstract text up to 15 lines in English:

The rate of homicides among Arabs in Israel is 45 % (about 100 victims a year) despite that Arabs constitute only 20% of the whole Israeli population.

A psychological- social analysis of the causes of violence would indicate that one of the causes is the disintegration of the values system of Arab society which is reflected in the decline of collective values that characterize traditional cultures, such as: group belonging, authority of the elder, extended family ahead the small family. These values had been replaced by sense of inferiority and individuality, making the social bond weak, which is a fertile ground for the scourge of violence to grow.

The disintegration of this system results from universal causes: globalization; and local ones: acculturation. This disintegration coincides with a state of low collective self-esteem at the public level: the low appreciation of the group by the external groups, and the individual level: the individual's low appreciation of his group.

Add to that, the crisis of identity represented by the state of alienation felt by the Arab society, due to a clash between the interests of the State of Israel, which defines itself as a Jewish national ethnic state and the interests of Arab society as an aboriginal minority with its own characteristics and national dimension. This clash prevents any crystallization of the collective rights of the Arab society, which leads to an identity crisis. The absence of a clear collective value system and social identity, means absence of a protective shield and a moral compass in case of social crises.