



WHAT NOT TO BUY THIS CHRISTMAS

Support the boycott



Israeli Fruit and Vegetables

Fruit and vegetables are one of Israel's most important exports and all Israeli agricultural exporters are complicit in Israel's violations of international law as they operate on stolen Palestinian land. Dates are often bought as a Christmas treat — as part of the international boycott of Israeli goods, we are asking Hastings shoppers not to buy Israeli dates this Christmas.



Israel has demolished more than 48,000 Palestinian buildings in the occupied territories since 1967

Boycott Caterpillar products

Caterpillar bulldozers are regularly used in the demolition of Palestinian homes and farms and in Israel's attacks on Gaza. We don't expect many local people will be buying Caterpillar bulldozers this Christmas! But Caterpillar produces a range of clothes, footwear, bags, toys and tools — products that can be boycotted.



Hewlett-Packard — the technology behind Israeli apartheid

Hewlett-Packard is complicit in the military occupation. It runs IT systems for the Israeli government and military, including the ID system used at Israeli military checkpoints and for the Israeli navy that enforces the siege on Gaza.

Puma

Puma sponsors the Israel Football Association (IFA) which includes clubs from illegal Israeli settlements. The Israeli military occupation expels Palestinian families, including children, from their homes to make way for these settlements. Israeli settlements are regarded as war crimes under international law.



Ahava

Ahava is a cosmetics company — its products come from stolen Palestinian natural resources in the occupied territory of the Palestinian West Bank, and are produced in the illegal settlement of Mitzpe Shalem.

SodaStream

SodaStream is based in the Naqab (Negev desert) where Palestinian Bedouin are being forced off their land. SodaStream exploits the very insecure lives Palestinians are forced to live, employing them under terrible conditions. Palestinians have no choice but to earn a living with companies tied to the occupation like SodaStream.



SUPPORT BDS (BOYCOTT, DIVESTMENT AND SANCTIONS)

With BDS we are showing companies that profiting from occupation and discrimination is not acceptable. And we are holding Israel to account where our government has failed to act. The Palestinian-led BDS movement is a powerful tool for: making Israel end the occupation of Palestinian land and dismantle the Apartheid Wall, recognise the fundamental rights of the Arab-Palestinian citizens, and the right of Palestinian refugees to return.

Hastings Palestine Solidarity Campaign

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