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Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

6.3 % increase in fish production in 2018

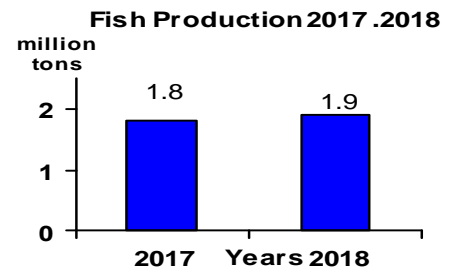
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The most important indicators are as follows:

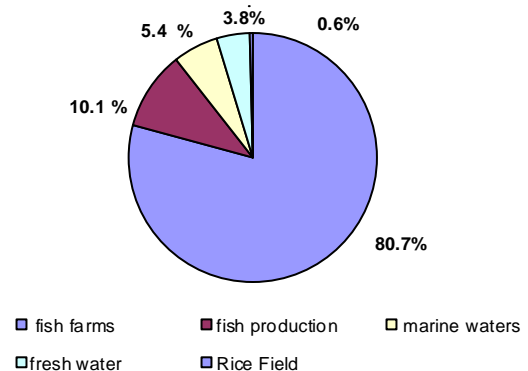
- Total Fish production reached 1.9 million tons in 2018, compared to 1.8 million tons in 2017, an increase of 6.3 % Aquaculture production came at first rank. As it reached 80.1%, followed by lack fish production by 10.1%, then marine water production by 5.4%, Fresh water 3.8% and finally rice fields 0.6% of total fish production.

- Fish production in fish farms reached 1.5 million tons in 2018, compared to 1.4 million tons in 2017, an increase of 7.5% over the previous year, due to increase in number of fish farms.

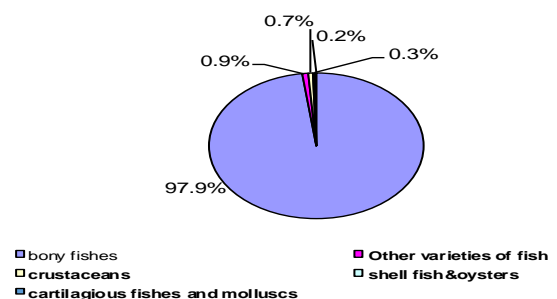
- Fish production ranks first in bony fish group (Tilapia, Buri, Dennis, Karous, Musa, Morgan ...) , followed by other , with a percentage of 97.9% varieties with a percentage of 0.9%, then crustaceans (shrimp, crab, ...) with a percentage of 0.70% It is followed by pneumonia (shellfish and oysters) with a percentage of 0.3%, then cartilaginous fish and mollusks (squid) with a percentage of 0.2% of the total fish production



Rational distribution of fish production according to fishing region 2016



Rational distribution of fish production according to fish groups



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