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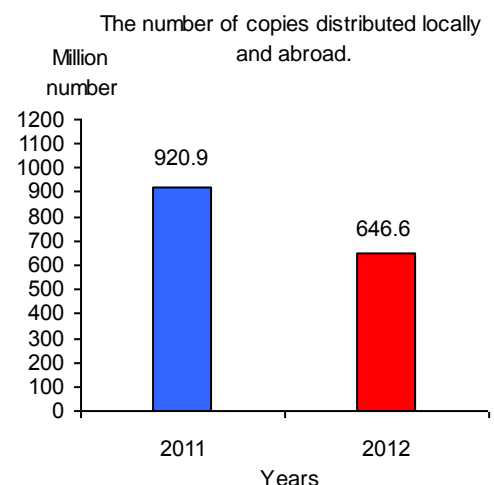
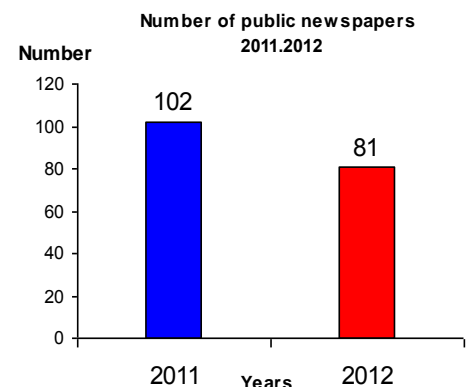
On the occasion of the World press Freedom day

20.6 % decrease in the number of newspapers in 2012

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics, Issued in 3 / 5 / 2014 a press on the occasion of the 21st world press freedom day which is annually celebrated in May 3, a day dedicated to the defense of freedom of expression and the safety of journalists in the printed, broadcast and electronic media. It was adopted by UNESCO in 1993 for the announcement (that press freedom can not be achieved, unless ensuring a free and independent media environment based on pluralism, honoring journalists who lost their lives in the line of duty and pay tribute to them).

the most important statistical indicators are as follows:-

- The number of public daily published newspapers reached 81 newspapers, including 5-partisan in 2012 versus 102, including 12 partisan newspaper in 2011, a decline of 20.6% This is due to the conditions experienced by the country and stop practicing such activity.
- The number of copies distributed locally and abroad reached 646.6 million in 2012 versus to 920.9 million copies in 2011, a decline of 29.8%.
- The number of periodicals sectors (government - public / public business - private) reached 203 journal in 2012 versus 249 journal in 2011, a decline of 18.5%.



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