

The World Telecommunication And Information Society Day

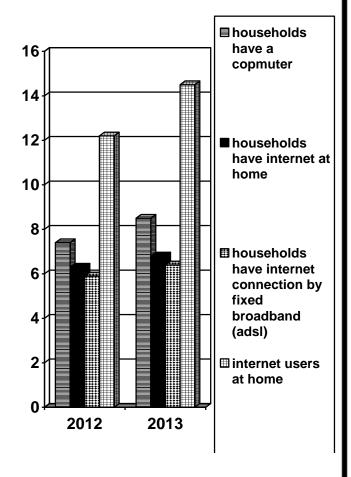
14.8 % increase in the number of households owning a computer in 2013

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued on 17 / 5 /2014 a press release in the occasion of the world information society day called by the World Summit on the Information Society in November 2005 and approved by the general assembly of the United Nations on17 May, that markes the establishment of the International Telecommunications Union and the signing of the first International telegraph Convention in 1865 in order to focus on the importance of information and communication technology and increasing awareness of the facilitates provided by the use of information and communication technology (ICT) to decrease the digital gap between different communities, this year celebration theme of the world information society day will be "Broadband for sustainable development" and (ITU) request from the countries to facilitate broadband Internet access and cost reduction for the users.

The most important indicators in this filed:

- The number of households with computers reached 8,5 million households in 2013 compared to 7,4 million households in 2012, an increase 14,8 %.
- The number of households that have internet at home reached 6,8 million households in 2013 compared to 6,3 million households in 2012, an increase of 7,9%.
- The number of households that connect to the internet by fixed broadband (adsl) reached 6,4 million households in 2013 compared to 5,9 million households in 2012, an increase of 8,4%.
- The number of family members of internet users at the home reached 14,5 million person in 2013 compared to 12,2 million person in 2012, an increase of 18,8%.

Figures by million



- The number of internet users that get information about goods and services reached 2,8 million person in 2013 compared to 1.8 million person in 2012, an increase of 55,5%.
- The number of internet users that play online or download video and computer games reached 2,6 million person in 2013 compared to 2,03 million person in 2012, an increase of 28%.
- The number of households with a mobile phone reached 18,7 million households in 2013 compared to 18,2 million households in 2012, an increase of 2,7%.
- The number of households with a television reached 19,2 million households in 2013 compared to 18,9 million households in 2012, an increase of 1,5%.

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