



Press Release

Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

On the occasion of International Day Of Family

10.3 million Live in urban areas compared with 13.1 million in rural area

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued 14 /5/2018 a press release on the occasion of International Day of Families, observed annually on May 15th. The Day was adopted by the UN General Assembly in 1993 to reflect the household importance and urge all states, formal and informal bodies, to improve household living standards in order to be an effective family unit in comprehensive development and achievement of development goals. 2018 Theme: "Families and inclusive societies" to explore the role of families and family policies in advancing Sustainable Development Goal 16 in terms of promoting peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development.

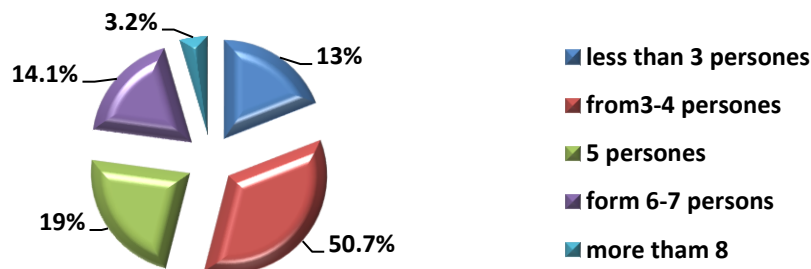
According to results of the General Population, Housing and Establishment Census 2017 refer to:

50.7% of Egyptian households were in between 3-4 persons

-Number of household members:

The percentage of households with less than three members was 13% of the total number of households, 50.7% of households had between (3 - 4 members), 19% of households had (5 persons), 14.1% of households between (6-7 persons), while the lowest percentage (3.2%) was for households with 8 persons or more.

Percentage distribution of households according to number of individuals 2017

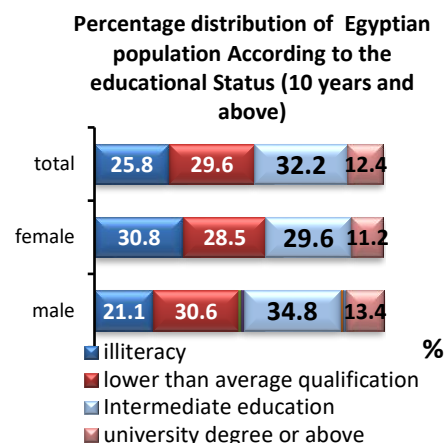


- Average size of the family

Average household size was 4 persons (3.9 urban, 4.2 rural)

One among four individuals (10 years and over) is illiterate in 2017

- The illiteracy rate was 25.8% among Egyptian population (10 years and over) and percentage among females raised to (30.8%) compared to (21.1%) males.
- 29.6% has less than intermediate certificates, and 32.2% have intermediate and above intermediate qualifications (6.9% secondary, 22.2% technical secondary, 3.1% above intermediate qualifications).
- 12.4% have a university degree or above (13.4% for males compared to 11.2% for females).

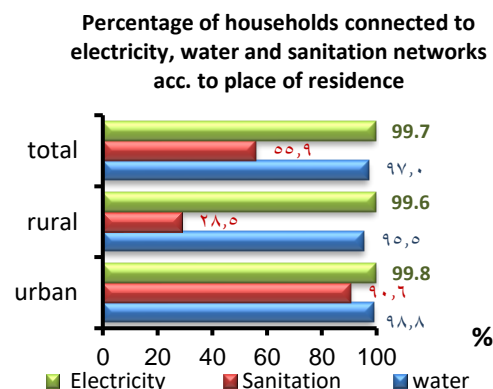


50.4% of Egyptian population are subscribers or beneficiaries of health insurance

- 54.6% Of Egyptian male are subscribers or beneficiaries of health insurance, compared to 46.8% of females.
- 93.3% of subscribers or beneficiaries of government health insurance compared to 5.8% of private health insurance.

Access of Egyptian families to public utilities

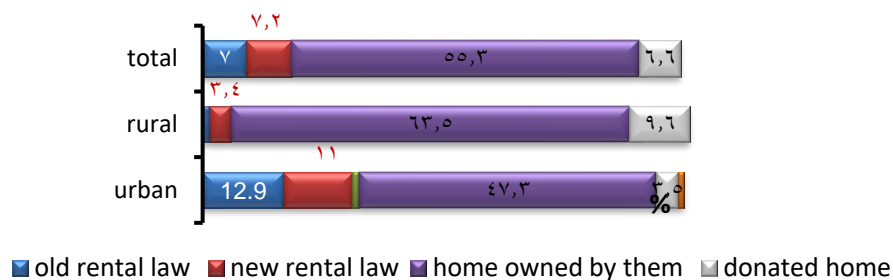
- 99.7% of households are connected to public Electricity network (99.8% in urban, 99.6% in rural).
- 97% of households are connected to public water Network (98.8% in urban, 95.5% in rural).
- 55.9% of households are connected to public Sanitation network (90.6% in urban, 28.5% in rural).



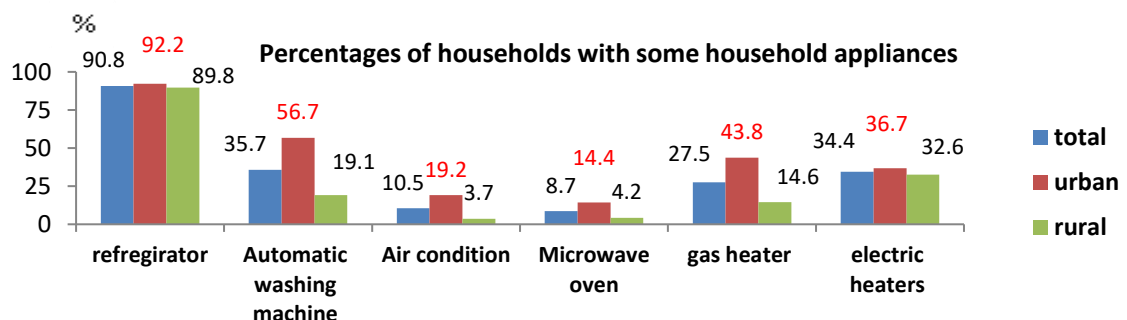
Egyptian family residence Possession

7% Of Egyptian households reside in an old rental housing law (12.9% for urban, 1.1% for rural). 7.2% of households resided in a new rental housing law (11% for urban, 3.4% for rural), 55.3% of households have owned home by them (47.3% for the urban, 63.5% for rural) and 6.6% of households have donated home (3.5% for urban, 9.6% for rural).

Percentage distribution of residential units Depending on the Possession type



- Rate of overcrowding was 1.18 persons per room for total republic (1.14 people per room in urban areas, 1.21 per room in rural).
- Percentage of households owning some household appliances such as electric refrigerators was 90.8% (92.2% in urban, 89.8% in rural), Automatic washing machine 35.7% (56.7% in urban, 19.1% in rural).
- Percentage of households owning electric heaters (34.4%) compared to the gas heater (27.5)



Data sources

General Population, Housing and Establishment Census 2017

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