



## 1.7% Increase in marriage and 10.8% in divorce for 2015

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### First: Marriage :

- Number of marriage contracts reached 969399 contracts in 2015 compared to 953137 contracts in 2014, an increase of 16262 contracts by 1.7%, distributed as follows :

#### 1-According to urban and rural areas :

A - Number of marriages in urban area reached 409906 contracts in 2015 representing 42.3% of the total contracts compared to 384799 contracts in 2014, an increase of 25107 contracts represent by 6.5% .

B - The number of marriages in the rural area reached 559493 contracts in 2015 representing 57.7% of the total contracts compared to 568338 contracts in 2014 , an increase of 8845 contracts by 1.6% .

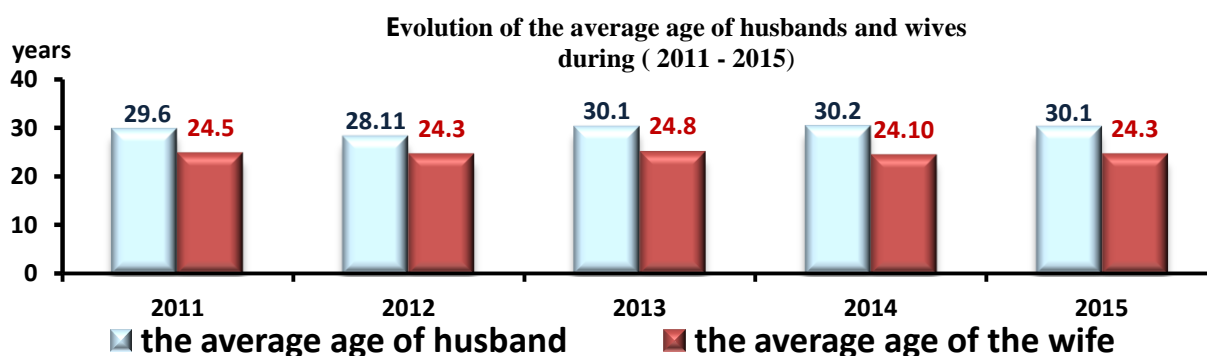
#### 2- According to Age Groups :

##### A – For Husbands :

The highest percentage of marriage was recorded in the age group of 25 to less than 30 years where the number of contracts reached 411445 which represents 42.4%, while the lowest percentage of marriage in the age group 60 years to less than 65 where the number of contracts reached 7779 which represents 0.8% of the total contracts .

##### B - For Wives :

The highest percentage of marriage was recorded in the age group of 20 to less than 25 years where the number of contracts reached 364823 representing 37.6%, while the lowest percentage of marriage was recorded in the age group of 65 years and over, where the number of contracts reached 1043 contracts representing 0.1% of the total contracts.



### **3 - According to Educational State**

#### **A- For Husbands :**

The highest percentage of marriage was recorded in Mid certificates where the number of contracts reached 347934 by 35.9%, while the lowest percentage was recorded in men with university degree as the number of contracts reached 3670 contracts by 0.4% of the total contracts .

#### **B - For Wives :**

The highest percentage of women marriage was recorded in mid certificates where the number of contracts reached 300599 by 31%, while the lowest rate of marriage was recorded in women with university degree as the number of contracts reached in 2823 by 0.3% of the total contracts .

### **4 - Marriage Rate :**

Is the number of marriages that took place during the year per thousand of the population in the middle of the same year

According to the statistics :

A - The crude marriage rate reached 10.9 per thousand in 2015 compared to 11 per thousand in 2014 .

B - The crude marriage rate reached 10.8 per thousand in urban versus 11 per thousand in rural .

C - The highest marriage rate reached 16.6 per thousand in Cairo, while the lowest marriage rate reached 4.3 per thousand in South Sinai .

#### **Second: Divorce :**

- The number of Divorce declaration reached 199867 in 2015 compare to 180344 declaration in 2014 ,an increase of 19523 by 10.8%, distributed as follows :

#### **1- According to rural and urban areas :**

A - The number of urban Divorce reached 114780 declaration Divorce declaration which represents 57.4% of the total in 2015 compared to 97953 declaration in 2014, an increase of 16827 witness by 17.2% .

B - The number of Divorce declaration in rural areas reached 85087 representing 42.6% of the total Divorce declaration in 2015 compared to 82391 in 2014, an increase of 2696 declaration by 3.3 % .

#### **2- According to Age Groups :**

##### **A - For Divorced Men:**

The highest divorce rate was recorded in the age group of 30 to less than 35 years where the number of declaration reached 39515 by 19.8%, while the lowest divorce rate recorded in the age group of 18 to less than 20 years where the number of declaration reached 734 which represents 0.4% of the total Divorce declarations.

##### **B - For Divorced Women :**

The highest divorce rate was recorded in the age group of 25 to less than 30 years where the number of declarations reached 42605 declarations by 21.3%, while the lowest divorce rate was recorded in the age group of 65 years and over where the number of declarations reached 1315 declarations by 0.7 % of the total Divorce declaration .

### 3 - According to The Educational State :

#### A - For Divorced Men:

The highest divorce rate was recorded in men with intermediate certificates where the number of Divorce declarations reached 62830 which represents 31.4%, while the lowest divorce rate was recorded in men with university degree as the number of Divorce declarations reached 836 declarations by 0.4% of the total Divorce declarations.

#### B- For Divorced Women :

The highest divorce rate was recorded in women with intermediate certificate that reached 59367 Divorce declarations which represents 29.7%, while the lowest divorce rate recorded in women with university degree as the number of Divorce declarations reached 589 declarations by 0.3% of the total Divorce declarations.

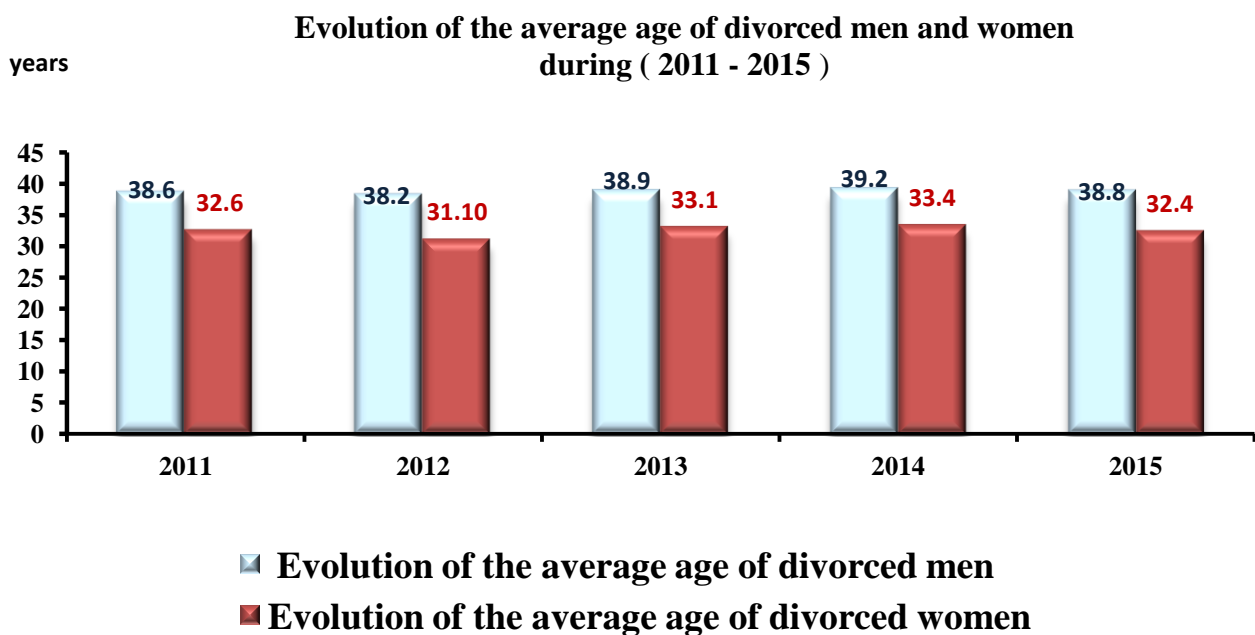
### 4 - Divorce rate :

Is the number of divorces declarations, which took place during the year per thousand of the population in the middle of the same year, the statistics refers to the following :

A - The divorces rate recorded an increase at the level of the Republic by 2.2 per thousand in 2015 compared to 2.1 per thousand in 2014 .

B-The divorce rate reached 3.0 per thousand at urban areas compared to 1.7 per thousand in rural areas .

C-The highest divorce rate reached 4.7 per thousand in Port Said Governorate, while the lowest divorce rate reached 0.7 per thousand in South Sinai Governorate .



## 6 - Final Divorce Judgment

- The number of the provisions of final divorce judgment reached 6125 in 2015 compared to 4949 judgment, in 2014 , an increase of 1176 by 23.8% .
- The highest percentage of divorce was recorded because of Chula where the number of judgments reached 4142 verdicts which represents 67.6% while the lowest divorce percentage was recorded because of the husband arrestment as the number of verdict reached 5 verdicts of the total number of verdicts which represents 0.08% .

### Evolution of the number of marriage contracts and Divorce Declarations during the period (2011 - 2015)

