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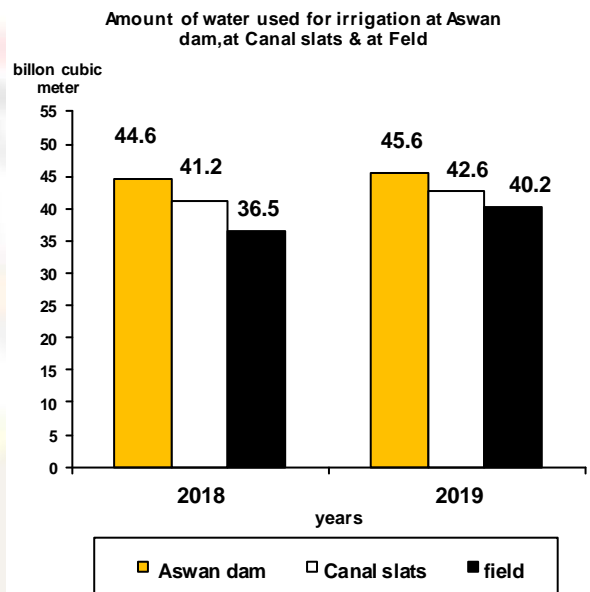
## Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

### 40.2 billion cubic meters the amount of water used to irrigate Agricultural crops 2019

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued on 4 / 1 / 2021 " Annual bulletin of Irrigation and Water Resource statistics 2019 " It Displays an increase in irrigation water amount for Agriculture, due to an increase of crops area in summer season.

The most important statistical indicators are as follow:

- Amount of water used for irrigation at Aswan dam reached 45.6 billion cubic meters in 2019, versus 44.6 billion cubic meters in 2018, an increase by 2.1%.
- Amount of water used in irrigation at Canal slats reached 42.6 billion cubic meters 2019, versus 41.2 billion cubic meters in 2018, an increase by 3.2%.
- Amount of water used in irrigation at field reached 40.2 billion cubic meters 2019, versus 36.5 billion cubic meters in 2018, an increase by 10.2% due to an increase in crops area of winter and Summer season.



- Winter Lug used 12.5 billion cubic meters of water which is equivalent to 31.0 %, Summer lug used 23.5 billion cubic meters equivalent to 58.6%, fruit used 3.6 billion cubic meters, equivalent to 8.9% of amount of water used in irrigation.
- Amount of irrigation water used in three lugs for crops and fruit, reached 19.7 thousand cubic meters/day in 2019, compared to 17.3 thousand cubic meters/day in 2018, an increase by 13.6%.

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