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Increase divorce declaration and Decrease in marriage for 2017

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Number of marriage contract reached 912606 contract in 2017, compared to 938526 contract in 2016, a decrease of 2.8%, while The number of Divorce declarations reached 198269 in 2017, compared to 192079 declarations in 2016, an increase of 3.2%, The most important indicators are as follows :

First: Marriage :

1. According to urban and rural areas :

- A. Number of marriages in urban area reached 356634 contracts in 2017 representing 39.1% of total contracts compared to 370411 contracts in 2016, a decrease of 3.7% .
- B. Number of marriages in rural area reached 555972 contracts in 2017 representing 60.9% of total contracts compared to 568115 contracts in 2016 , a decrease of 2.1% .

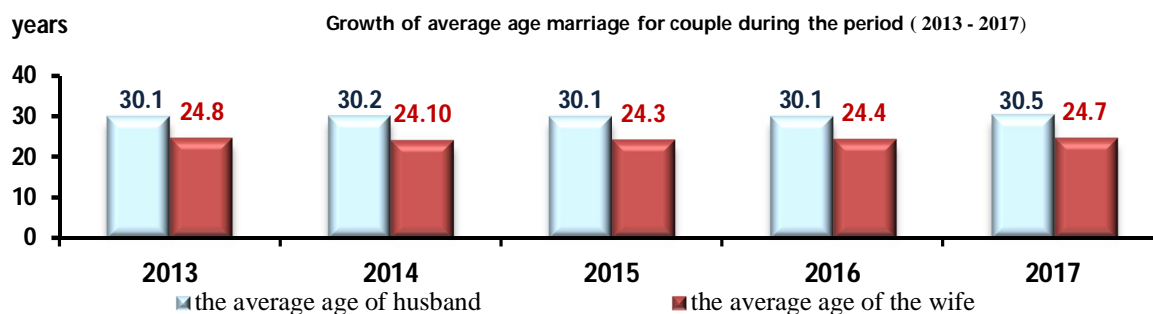
2. According to Age Groups :

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 380721 which represents 41.7%, while the lowest percentage of marriage in the age group of 65 years and over, , where number of contracts reached 8999 which represents 1 % of total contracts .

B. For Wives :

The highest percentage of marriage was recorded in the age group of 20 to less than 25 years, where number of contracts reached 343095 representing 37.6%, while the lowest percentage of marriage was recorded in the age group of 65 years and over, where number of contracts reached 1354 contracts representing 0.1% of total contracts.



3. According to Educational State

A. For Husbands :

The highest percentage of marriage was recorded in medium certificates where the number of contracts reached 341037 by 37.4%, while the lowest percentage was recorded in men with university degree as the number of contracts reached 681 contracts by 0.1% of the total contracts .

B. For Wives :

The highest percentage of marriage was recorded in medium certificates where the number of contracts reached 273289 by 29.9%, while the lowest rate of marriage was recorded in women with university degree as the number of contracts reached in 444 by 0.05% of the total contracts .

4. Marriage Rate :

Is Number of marriage contracts that took place during the year per thousand of population in the middle of the same year

According to statistics :

A. Marriage rate reached 9.6 per thousand in 2017, compared to 10.3 per thousand in 2016 .

B. Marriage rate reached 8.8 per thousand in urban, versus 10.2 per thousand in rural .

C. The highest marriage rate reached 17 per thousand in Matrouh, while the lowest marriage rate reached 5.8 per thousand in Red Sea .

Second: Divorce :

1. According to rural and urban areas :

A. Number of divorce in urban areas reached 108224 divorce declarations which represents 54.6% of the total in 2017, compared to 105200 declarations in 2016, a decrease by 2.9% .

B. Number of divorce declarations in rural areas reached 90045 representing 45.4% of the total divorce declarations in 2017 ,compared to 86879 in 2016, an increase by 3.6 % .

2. According to AgeGroups :

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 declarations reached 40053 by 20.2%, while the lowest divorce rate recorded in the age group of 18 to less than 20 years where the number of declarations reached 690 which represents 0.3% 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 38842 declarations by 19.6%, 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 declarations.

3. According to Educational State

A. For Divorced Men:

The highest divorce rate was recorded in men with intermediate certificates where the number of divorce declarations reached 68370 which represents 34.5%, while the lowest divorce rate was recorded in men with university degree as the number of divorce declarations reached 214 declarations by 0.1% of the total divorce declarations.

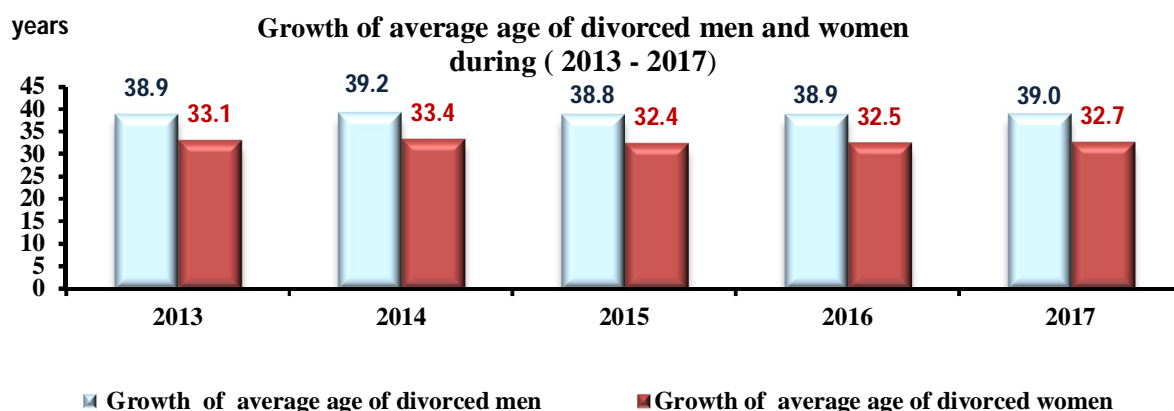
B. For Divorced Women :

The highest divorce rate was recorded in women with intermediate certificate that reached 62554 divorce declarations which represents 31.6%, while the lowest divorce rate recorded in women with university degree as the number of Divorce declarations reached 151 declarations by 0.1% of the total divorce declarations.

4. Divorce rate :

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

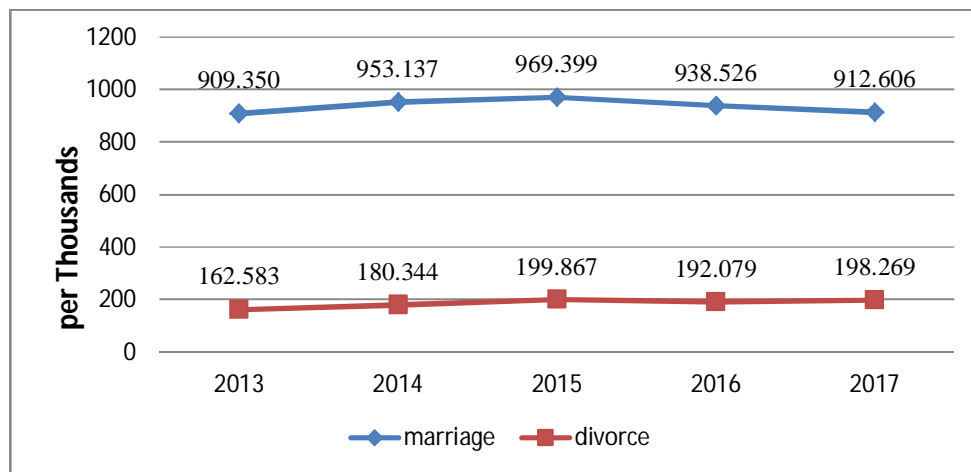
- A. Stability divorces rate to 2.1 per thousand in 2016 ,2017 .
- B. Divorce rate reached 2.7 per thousand at urban areas, compared to 1.6 per thousand in rural areas .
- C. The highest divorce rate reached 4 per thousand in Cairo Governorate, while the lowest divorce rate reached 1 per thousand in Menia and Asyout Governorate .



5 . Final Divorce provisions

- Number of final divorce provisions reached 9364 in 2017 compared to 6305provisions, in 2016 , an increase 48.5% .
- The highest percentage of divorce was recorded because of khula where the number of provisions reached 7199 provisions which represents 76.9% while the lowest divorce percentage was recorded because of Martial infidelity the number of provisions reached 3 provisions of the total number of provisions which represents 0.03% .

Growth of number of marriage contracts and Divorce certificate during the period (2013 - 2017)



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