



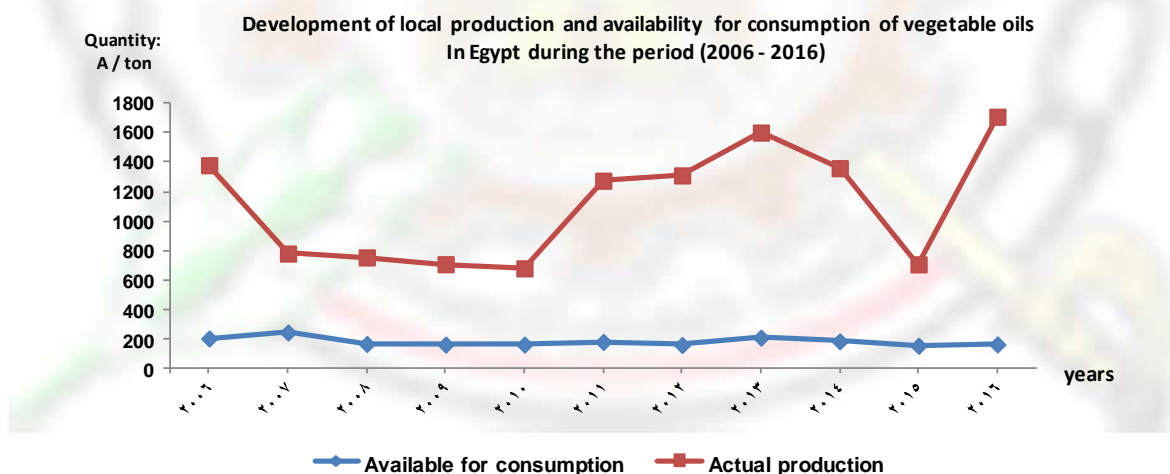
Press Release

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23.8 % Increase in available vegetable oils consumption during the period (2006-2016)

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics (CAPMAS) Published today 27/6/2018 a study on " Economics of Vegetable Oil Industry in Egypt during the period 2006-2016". The most important results are as follows:

- Vegetable oils consumption increased from 1380 thousand tons in 2006 to 1708 thousand tons in 2016 by 23.8%.
- Decrease of vegetable oils domestic production from 207 thousand tons in 2006 to 167 thousand tons in 2016 by 19.3%.
- Contribution of palm oil in available for consumption amount of vegetable oils ranked first, reaching 72% in 2006 and 34.9% in 2007, followed by soybean oil in second place in terms of available for consumption quantity that reached 42.5% in 2015 and less 5.3% in 2012.



- The gap (production deficit) Increased from 1173 thousand tons in 2006 to 1541 thousand tons in 2016 by 31.4%.
- Palm oil contributes in total amount of oil deficit by 48% to 84%. Followed by sunflower oil in second place in terms of disability, ranging from 8% to 39% during the period (2006 2016).

- The trade balance deficit Increased from 1168 thousand tons in 2006 to 1537 thousand tons in 2016 by 31.6%.
- Average per capita of vegetable oil consumption decreased from 19.2 kg / year in 2006 to 18.8 kg / year in 2016 by 2.1%.
- Average per capita of palm oil decreased from 13.8 kg / year in 2006 to 9.3 kg / year in 2016 by 32.6%.
- Low productivity of worker in vegetable oil industry production in public / public business sectors than in private sector where sectors ranged productivity worker in public / public business from 65.3 thousand pounds to 299.1 thousand pounds, while the productivity in the private sector ranged from 341.3 thousand pounds to 1528.5 thousand During the period (2006-2015).
- The total sales of vegetable oils are directed to local market where percentage of domestic sales is 99.5% for public / public business, sectors and 67.4% for private sector in 2015.
- Domestic production of vegetable oils is mainly based on imported primary raw materials, which reached 72.4% for public / public business sectors, and 56.4% for private sector in 2015.

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