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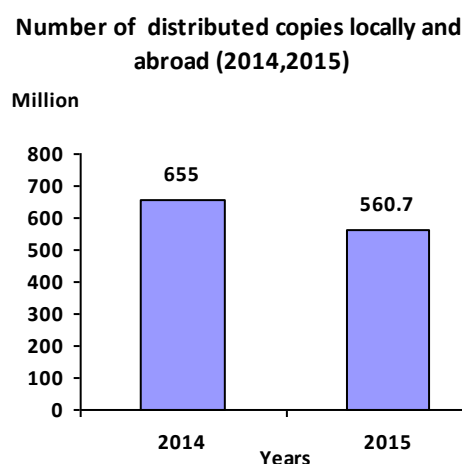
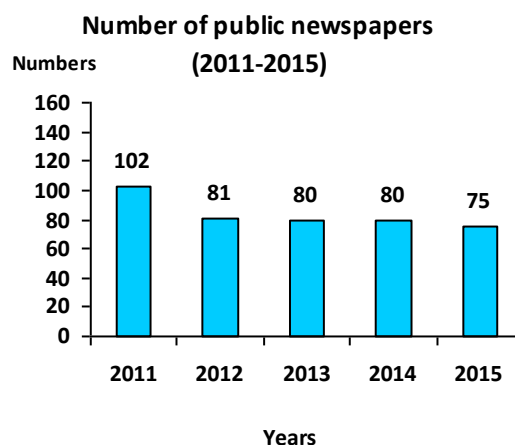
Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

On the occasion of World Press Freedom Day 560.7 million copies distributed locally and abroad Public Newspapers□

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued on 2 / 5/ 2017 a press statement on the occasion of the World Press Freedom Day May 3 of each year and adopted by UNESCO in 1993 This day celebrates the fundamental principles of press freedom, the evaluation of press freedom worldwide and the protection of media from all kinds of abuse, and to pay tribute to journalists who have lost their lives in practicing their profession and to encourage and develop initiatives in favor of press freedom(Under the slogan (for free pen)

Most important statistical indicators :

- Number of public newspapers reached 75 public newspapers, including 3 party newspapers in 2015 compared to 80 public newspapers, including 8 party newspapers in 2014, decreased 6.3%.□
- Number of (public newspapers) copies distributed locally and abroad 560.7 million copies in 2015 compared to 655 million copies in 2014, a decline of 14.5%.□
- Number of periodicals for each sector (government / public / business public and private, which are issued locally)reached 167 in 2015 compared to 162 in 2014, a decrease of 3.1%.



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