



Press Release

Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

On the occasion of International Children's Rights day (33.98%) of children In age group (0-4 years) in 2018

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics (CAPMAS) issued on 19 /11/2018 a press release on the occasion of the International Children Rights day, which is celebrated on November 20 every year which is approved by United Nations General Assembly on Declaration on Child rights in 1959.

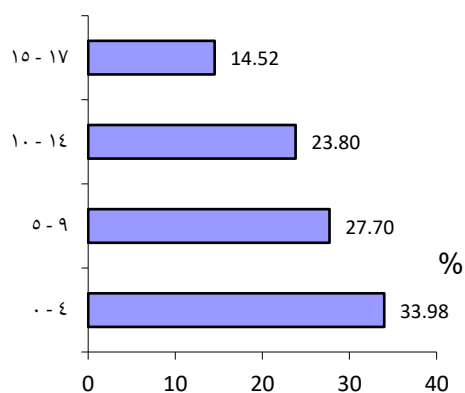
- **The most important statistical indicators:**
- **Estimated number of children by 2018:**

Number of Egyptian children under the age of 18 is 38.9 million, representing 40.1% of total population in 2018.

Number of male children reached 20.1 million by 51.7% and number of females was 18.8 million, by 48.3% of all children.

The highest percentage of children in age group (0-4 years) was 33.98%, while the lowest percentage of children in age group (15-17 years) was 14.52% of total children.

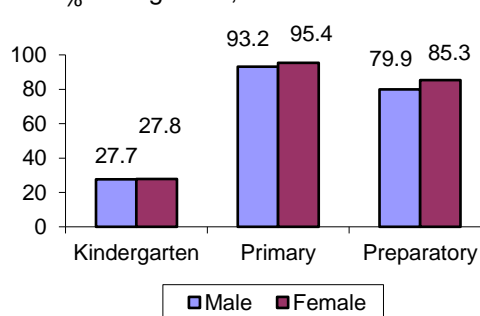
Percentage Distribution of Children by age, 2018



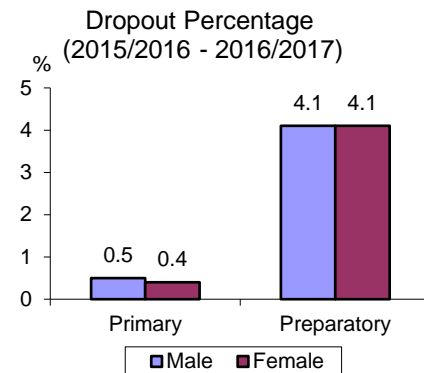
- **Educational status of children (according to Ministry of Education data in 2016/2017)**

Percentage of net enrollment in kindergartens was 27.7% for males, 27.8% for females in age group (4-5 years). It recorded 93.2% for males and 95.4% for females in primary education within age group (6-11 years). In preparatory stage, the rates reached 79% for males compared to 85.3% for females in age group (12-14 years) of total population for the academic year 2016/2017.

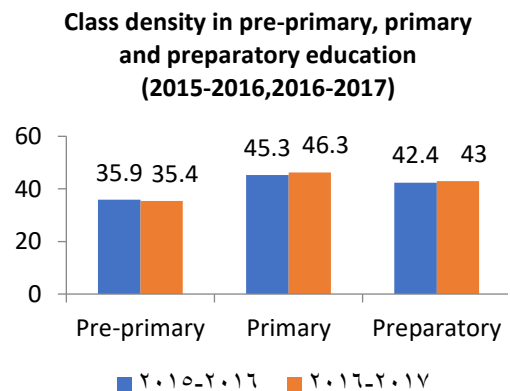
Net Enrollment Percent by gender, 2016/2017



Dropout rate was 0.5% of total enrollment in primary stage (0.5% for males and 0.4% for females), while in preparatory stage 4.1% for the total, males and females of total enrollment for this stage for the period of (2015-2016,2016-2017).

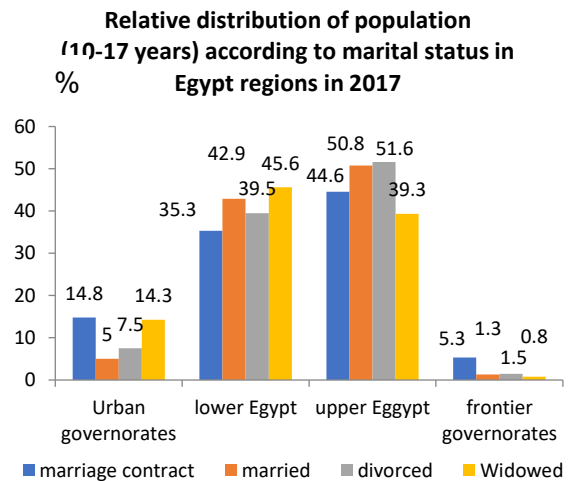


- **Class rooms Density in pre-primary, primary and preparatory schools (2015-2016 / 2016-2017).**
 - Class density dropped to 35.4% in pre-primary stage for 2016/2017 from 35.9% in 2015/2016.
 - While in the academic year 2016/2017, the density increased to 46.3% for primary stage and 43% for preparatory stage compared to the previous year, where it recorded 45.3% and 42.4% for primary and preparatory stages respectively.



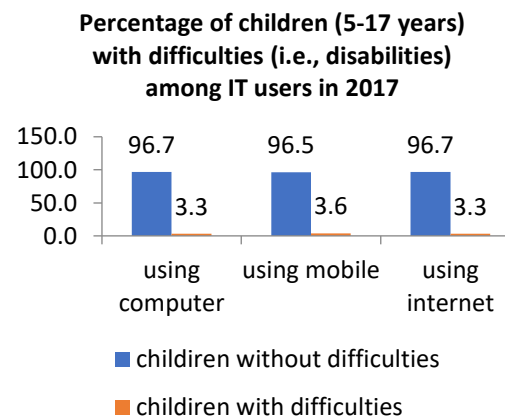
- **Marital status of Individuals (10-17 years) according to 2017 census data:**

- Number of individuals in age group (10-17 years) 117.220 who have marital status .
- Upper Egypt record the heights divorced rate by 51.6% and married 50.8% of the region marital status .
- Lowest proportion of individuals (10-17 years old) was 1.3% who were married in frontier governorates Egypt regions level.



- **Percentage of children(5-17years) with difficulties (i.e., disabilities) among IT users in 2017:**

- 3.55% is the highest percentage of children with difficulties of using mobile phones, followed by 3.32% for computer use and the lowest percentage was 3.26% for using Internet and this is proportionate to the total ICT children users .



- **Social welfare of children (according to Ministry of Social Solidarity data in 2017):**

- Number of lodging nurseries for children deprived of family care was 87, with 1464 children.

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