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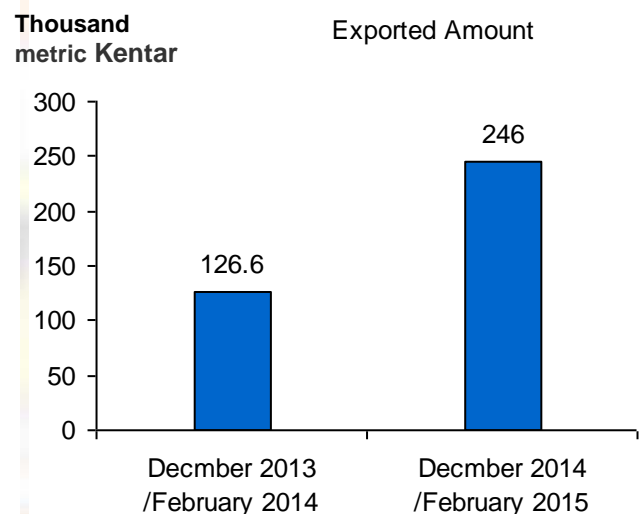
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94.3% increasing of the Egyptian cotton exports in the Second quarter of the agricultural season 2014/2015

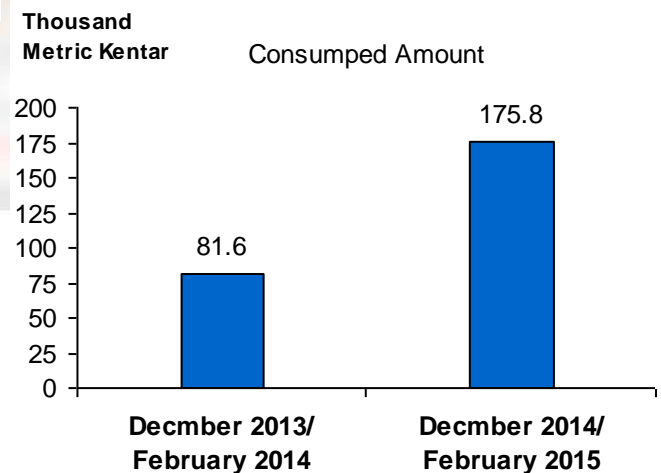


Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued in 25 /5 / 2015 the quarterly bulletin of the cotton for the Second quarter (December / February) for the agricultural season 2014/2015. The most important indicators are as follows:

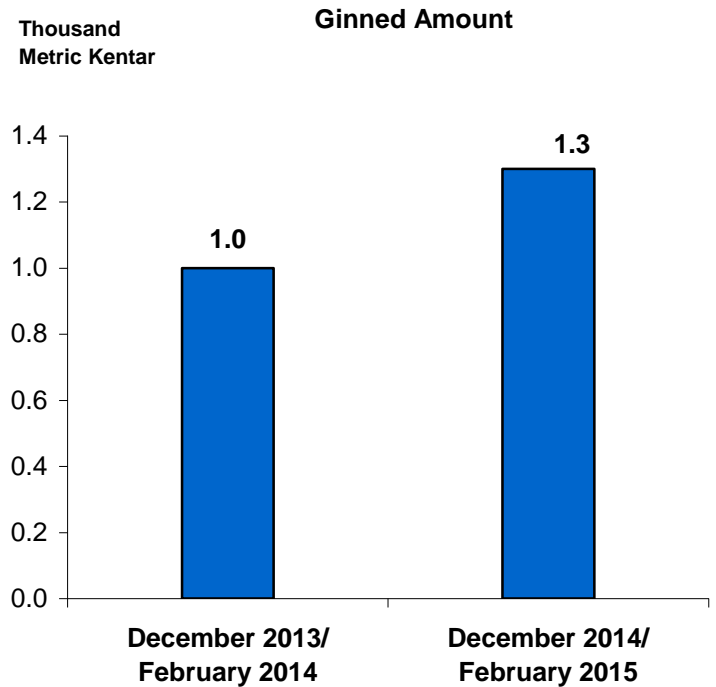
- The total amount of Egyptian cotton exports reached 246 thousand metric Kentar during (December 2014 / February 2015) compared to 126,6 thousand metric Kentar during the same period of the previous season, an increase of 94.3 %. This increase is due to the lower prices of Egyptian cotton as a result of inventory excess of cotton during the same period of the previous season.



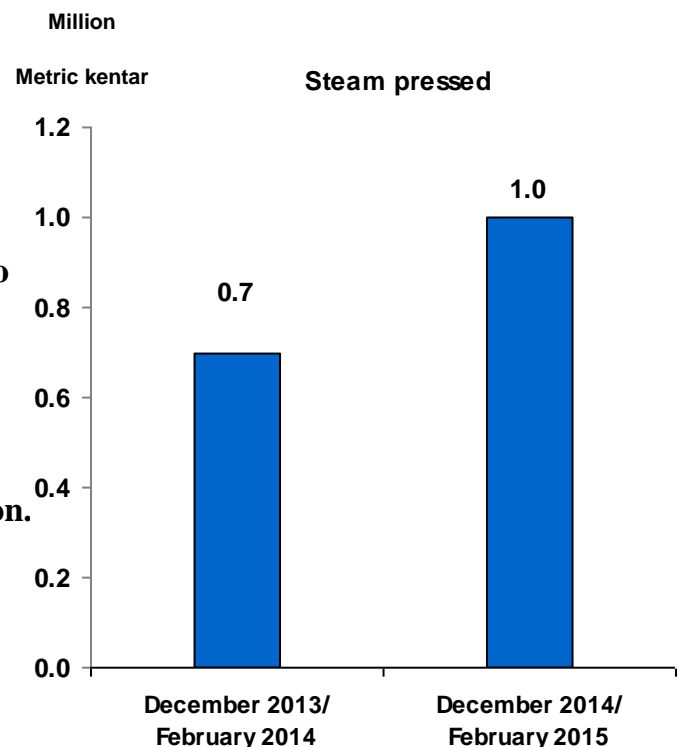
- The total amount of local consumed cotton reached 175, 8 thousand metric Kentar during (December 2014 / February 2015) compared to 81.6 thousand metric Kentar at the same period of the previous season, an increasing of 115.5%. This increase is due to the spinning companies trend to local cotton due to lower amounts of imported cotton.



-The amount of ginned cotton reached 1.3 Million metric kantar during (December 2014 / February 2015) compared to Million metric Kantar at the same period of the previous season,an increasing of 26.2%. This increase is due to meet the needs of cotton spinning enterprises due to lower quantities of imported cotton.



- The amount of Steam pressed cotton reached Million Metric Kantar during (December 2014 / February 2015) compared to 734.1 thousand Metric Kantar for the same period of the previous season , an increase of 37.0 % This increase is due to increase in the amount of exported cotton.



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