



# Press Release

## Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

### World Intellectual Property Day

#### 61.5 % of the patents granted for Egyptians in the field of humanitarian needs in 2018

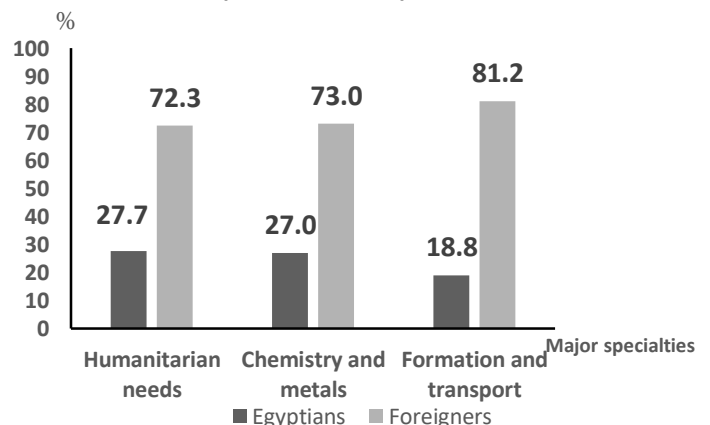
Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics(CAPMAS) issued today a press release 24/4/2019 in the occasion of the "World intellectual property day" , which is celebrated annually on 26 IT April it was adopted by the word intellectual property organization Member States (WIPO) in 2000 to promote public awareness of the role of intellectual property and to celebrate the innovators contribution for societies development .2019 celebration "For gold we seek : intellectual property and sports "

Most important indicators are as follows:

#### \*Patent

- 2255 applications submitted to Egyptian Patent office in 2018 for obtaining patent, of which (997 for Egyptians by 44.2 % ,1258 for foreigners, 55.8 % ) , compared to 2279 applications in 2017 (1025 for Egyptians by 45% 1254 for foreigners by 55 % ) a decrease of 1.1 %

Percentage distribution of patents granted to Egyptians and foreigners according to the most important fields of specialization in 2018



- 690 Total number of patents granted by

Egyptian patent office in 2018 (155 for Egyptian, by 22.5 % , 535 patents for foreign by 77.5%) of the total, compared to 581 patents in 2017 (96 patents for Egyptians by 16.5 % ,485 patents for foreigners by 83.5 % ) An increase of 18.8%.

-177 Number of granted patents, according to international classification in the field of humanitarian needs represents by 25.7 % of total in 2018 (27.7 % for Egyptians , 72.3 % for foreigners) followed by chemistry and metals which records 152 patents by 22 % (27% for Egyptians , 73 % for foreigners ) then the field of formation and transport which records 112 patents by 16.2 % (18.8 % for Egyptians 81.2 % for foreigners)

- Egypt occupied first rank, as the number of granted patents from Egyptian patent office reached 155 patents representing 22.5%, followed by U.S.A, which recorded 149 patents by 21.6 % then Japan with 68 patents, 9.9 % of total number of granted patents in 2018.

\*Trademarks

- Number of applications presented from Egypt by Egyptians to obtain trademarks reached 21135 applications in 2018, compared to 14417 applications of the total in 2017. an increase of 46.6%
- Total number of trademarks granted by Egyptians trademarks office reached for many countries 8729 trademarks in 2018, compared to 4085 trademarks in 2017, an increase by 113.7%
- Egypt occupied first rank in trademarks granted by Egyptian trademarks as it reached 6284 trademarks by 72% followed by U.S.A 810 trademarks by 9.3 % then United Arab Emirates 115 trademarks by 1.3 %of the total granted trademarks in 2018.

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- Egyptian Patent office
- Innovation & invention development agency
- Ministry of Supply and internal Trade

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