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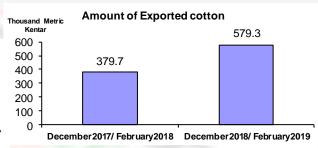
## 52.6% increase in Egyptian cotton exports in

the second quarter of the agricultural season 2018/2019

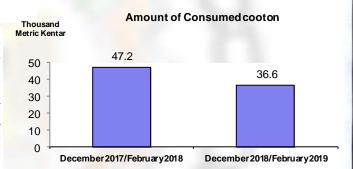
Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics (CAPMAS) issued in 26/5/2019 the quarterly bulletin of cotton for first quarter (December/February)for the agricultural season 2018/2019.

The most important indicators are as follows:

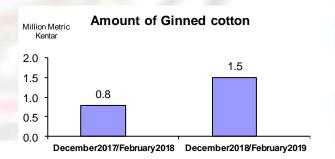
- The total amount of Egyptian cotton exports reached 579.3 thousand metric Kentar during (December 2018/ February 2019) compared to 379.7 thousand metric Kentar during the same period of the previous season, an increase of 52.6% due to an increase in cotton production.



- The total amount of domestic consumed cotton reached 36.6 thousand metric Kentar during (December 2018/ February 2019) compared to 47.2 thousand metric Kentar at the same period of the previous season, a decline of 22.5% due that some of spinning factories stopped working.



- The amount of ginned cotton reached 1.5 million metric kentar during (December 2018/February 2019) compared to 0.8 million metric Kentar at the same period of the previous season, an increase of 80.1 % This increase is due to the decrease in sold ginned quantities during the same period of the previous season. □



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