



Press Release

Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

Announcement of Fifth Economic Census Results

The Central Agency of Public Mobilization and Statistics announced the results of the fifth Economic Census on Tuesday ٣١/٣/٢٠٢٠ at the Cabinet Premises.

The Economic Census is the main tool for collecting data on all different types of economic establishments at all levels in order to provide a comprehensive database about all economic activities in various sectors. The Economic Census also illustrates all economic activities in each of the governorates of the Republic according to the number of establishments, the size of employment and production volume, value added, and the comparative advantage of the economic activities within each governorate.

The fifth Economic Census was implemented through a well articulated developed electronic system, in which ١٢٠٠ cadres were trained to collect and transmit data through Tablets from November ٢٠١٧- June ٢٠١٨.

The reference period for the data has been determined to be ٢٠١٧ for the private sector and the fiscal year ٢٠١٧/٢٠١٨ for the public and public business sectors.

The key indicators are as follows:

- ١- The Establishments:
- The total number of establishments is ٣,٧٤٣ million, distributed as follows:
 - ١٥٣٦ establishments for public and public business sectors representing ٠,٠٤% of all establishments and ٣,٧٤١ million for private sector (٩٩,٩٦%).
 - The wholesale and retail trade represents the highest contribution by ٥٨,٢% of total establishments followed by the manufacturing activity with contribution of ١٤% of the total number of establishments.
 - Cairo governorate represents the highest contribution by ١٢,٩% of total number of establishments, followed by Giza governorate with contribution of ٩,٣%.

٢- Employees:

- ١٣. ٦٤٥ million, the total number of employees within establishments, where number of males is ١١,٣٣٣ m employees representing ٨٤% of all employees and females represent ٢,١٣٢ m (% ١٦).
- ٨٨١,٩ thousand employees in the public / public business sector, representing ٦,٥% of total employees, out of which ١٤,٩% are females.
- ١٢,٥٨٣ employees in the private sector, representing ٩٣,٥% of total employees, out of which ١٥,٩% are females.
- Most labor-absorbing economic activities in Egypt is whole sale and retail trade activity by ٣٧,٤% followed by manufacturing activity with ٢٤,٢%.
- Most labor-absorbing economic activities in public/ public business sectors is manufacturing activity by ٢٥,٢%.
- Most labor-absorbing economic activities in private sector is whole sale and retail trade activity with ٣٩,٦%.

٣- Wages and Salaries

- EGP ٣٥٨,٧ billion is total wages and salaries, out of which:
 - EGP ٩٢,٦ billion is total wages and salaries for public/ public business sectors, representing ٢٥,٨% of total wages, and,
 - EGP ٢٦٦,١ billion is total wages for private sector representing ٧٤,٢% of total wages
- Average monthly wages and salaries of total employees is ٣٤٩٦ EGP.
- Average monthly wages and salaries of public sector employees is EGP ٨٧٥٣, and,
- Average monthly wages and salaries of private sector is EGP ٢٨٩١.
- Mining and quarrying activity recorded highest average monthly wages and salaries, ٢٠,٧٠١ EGP, followed by insurance agents and brokers activities (EGP ١٦,٢٢٤), then electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply activities (١٠,٧٣٧).

٤ –Production

- EGP ٣,٨٧٧ Trillion is the total value of production in Egypt, out of which:
 - EGP ٦٠٢,١ billion is the share of public/ public business sectors, representing ١٥,٥% of total finished production;, and,
 - EGP ٣,٢٧٥ Trillion is the share of the private sector, representing ٨٤,٥%.

- Manufacturing activity recorded highest contribution in the value of production by ٤٣,٦%, followed by whole sale and retail trade activity with ١٣,٢%, then mining and quarrying activity by ١٠,٨% of total production in Egypt.
- Cairo governorate represents the highest contribution in the total value of production by ٢٢,٨%, followed by Giza governorate with of ١٣,٠%, then Alexandria with ١٠,٨%.

٥- Gross value added

- EGP ٢,١٥٨ Trillion is the gross value added , where the share of public/ public business sectors is EGP ٢٩٤,٥ billion (١٣,٦%), and private sector is EGP ١,٨٦٣ Trillion (٨٦,٤%).
- Manufacturing activity recorded highest contribution in value added by ٣١,٣%, followed by whole sale and retail trade activity with ٢٠,٩%, then mining and quarrying activity by ١٥,٣%.
- Cairo governorate represents the highest contribution in the value added by ٢٣,٧%, followed by Giza governorate with of ١١,٦%, then Alexandria with ١٠,٥%.

٦- Gross Fixed Capital Formation (Investments):

- EGP ٤٧٢,٢ billion is the gross fixed capital formation reached, out of which:
 - EGP ١١٦,٤ billion is the share of the public / public business sectors representing ٢٤,٦% of gross capital formation, and,
 - EGP ٣٥٥,٨ billion is the private sector share representing ٧٥,٤%.
- The mining and quarrying activity recorded the highest contribution in the gross fixed capital formation by ٣٥,٨%, followed by manufacturing activity (٢٠,٢%) then gas and electricity supply by ١٥,٤%.
- Port Said Governorate recorded the highest contribution in the gross fixed capital formation among all governorates by ٣٣,٦%, followed by Cairo (١٨,٣%) and Giza by ٧,٩%.

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