



## Press Release

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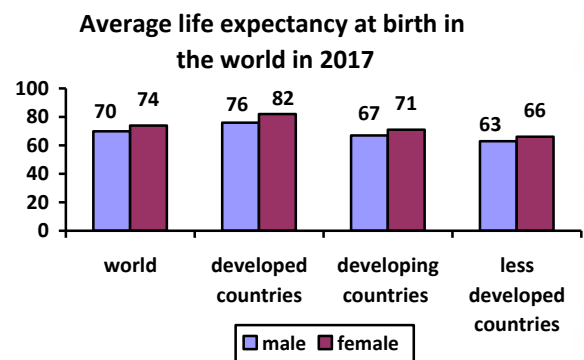
### On the occasion of World Population Day

### 96.3 million is total Egypt population at the beginning of 2018

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued on 11/ 7 / 2018 a press release on the occasion of World Population Day which held on July 11 annually, the celebration started since 1987 when the world total population reached five billion in order to draw attention to population issues particularly population growth, health, education and poverty reduction.

#### World population Status:

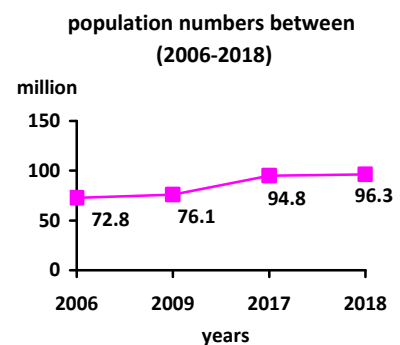
- World population reached 7.5 billion on 15 July 2017 (according to Population reference bureau of Washington), 1.3 billion live in more developed countries, 6.3 billion live in less developed countries, also 54% of world's population live in urban areas.
- World population is expected to reach 9.9 billion by 2050.
- World natural increase rate was 1.2% in 2017 and it declines in more developed countries as it doesn't exceed 0.1% in some of these countries, while it rises in world's poorest countries to reach 2.5 %, so the gap among the most developed countries and poor countries in the field of health and population Characteristics increases.
- World infant mortality rate was 32 children per thousand live births in 2017, only 5 children in developed countries, while it rose to 39 children in developing countries, 52 children in less developed countries.
- World life expectancy at birth in 2017 was 70 years for males and 74 years for females, in developed countries, 76 years for males and 82 years for females, in developing countries 67 years for males and 71 years for females, while it was 63 years for males and 66 years for females in less developed countries.



- World average total fertility rate in 2017 was 2.5 for each reproductive woman in childbearing age, in developed countries 1.6 children and in developing countries 3 children while it was 5 children in sub-Saharan Africa desert in the same year.
- 62% was the world proportion of married women who use family planning methods in age group (15-49 years) in 2017, 70% in developed countries, 54% in developing countries and 37% in less developed countries, while it reached 30% in sub-Saharan Africa.

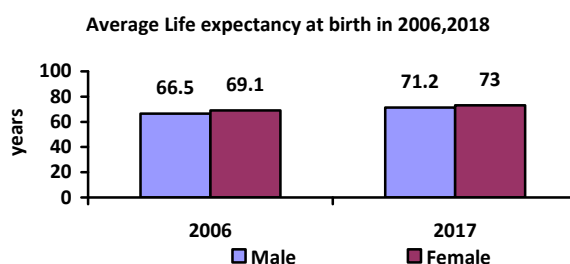
#### **According to CAPMAS estimates in 2018**

- Population number increased from 72.8 million in 2006 (last census) to 76.1 million at the beginning of 2009 to reach about 94.8 million at the beginning of 2017 from last census and increase to 96.3 million at the beginning of 2018 with an increase of 1.5 million from last census, (percentage of males 51.6% and females 48.4%, with sex ratio 106.4 males per 100 females).



- Cairo is considered the largest governorate in terms of population number, where its population was about 9.7 million, Followed Giza governorate about 8.8 million in 1/1/2018.
- Egyptian society is considered a young one as age less than 15 years constitutes one-third of population by 34.2%, while the elderly proportion (65 +) was 3.9 % at the beginning of 2018.
- Percentage of urban population was 42.6% and of rural population was 57.4%.
- Age dependency ratio reached 61.5% on January 2018 (i.e. each 100 persons support 61.5 from total population).
- Population density increased from 71.5 persons / km<sup>2</sup> in 2006 to 95.3 persons / km<sup>2</sup> in 2018.

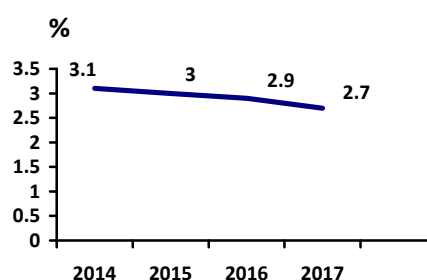
- Average life expectancy at birth increased for males from 66.5 years in 2006 to 71.2 years in 2018 and for females from 69.1 years in 2006 to 73 years in 2018.



### According to vital statistics data (Births, death) between (2014-2017)

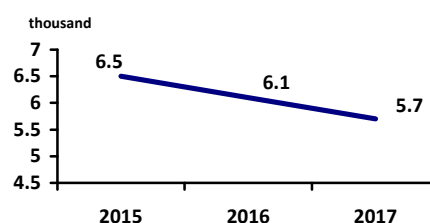
- Crude birth rate decreased from 2.9% in 2016 to 2.7% in 2017.
- Number of deaths in Egypt decreased slightly from 556 thousand in 2016 to 547 thousand in 2017, a decrease of only 9 thousand person.

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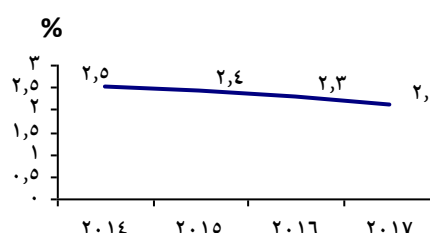
- Decrease in the number of deaths during the period (2015-2017), which led to a decrease in rate during that period from 6.5 thousand in 2015 to 5.7 thousand in 2017.

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- Natural increase rate declined from 2.5% to 2.1% during 2017.

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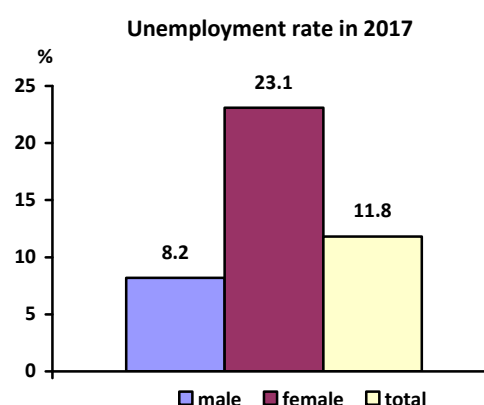


### **According to Population, Housing and Establishments Census 2017.**

- Percentage of illiteracy (10 years and over) for total Egypt was 25.8% (30.8% for females compared to 21.1% for males) according to census data 2017.
- Percentage of using mobile phone 65.4% for total population (75.9% for Urban versus 58.9 for rural)
- Percentage of using computer was 29.3 for total Egypt (42.7% for Urban versus 20.9% for rural )
- Percentage of using internet 28.9% for total Egypt (42.6 % for urban versus 20.3 % for rural).

### **According to labor force survey data 2017**

- Total labor force (15 years and over) reached 29.5 million people of total population (22.5 million male, 7.0 million female) with contribution rate 45%, and women contribution rate in labor force reached 22.9%, total unemployment rate was 11.8%, and it increased among females to reach 23.1%, compared to 8.2% for males.



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