



Press Release

Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

The World Information Society Day

9.4 % increase in the number of households that have a computer in 2014

Central agency for public mobilization and statistics issued on 18 /5/2015 a press release in the occasion of the world information society day that approved by the general assembly of the united nations on 17 May annually that marks the establishment of the international Telecommunications union and the signature of the first international telegraph convention in 1865 in order to focus on the importance of information and communication technology and increasing awareness of the facilitates provided by the use of (ICT) to decrease the digital gap between different communities ,This year celebration theme of the world information society day will be " information and communication technology driving force for innovation" The International Telecommunication Union is looking for promotion of individuals awareness to the power of information and communication to build societies to access the use and sharing of information and knowledge.

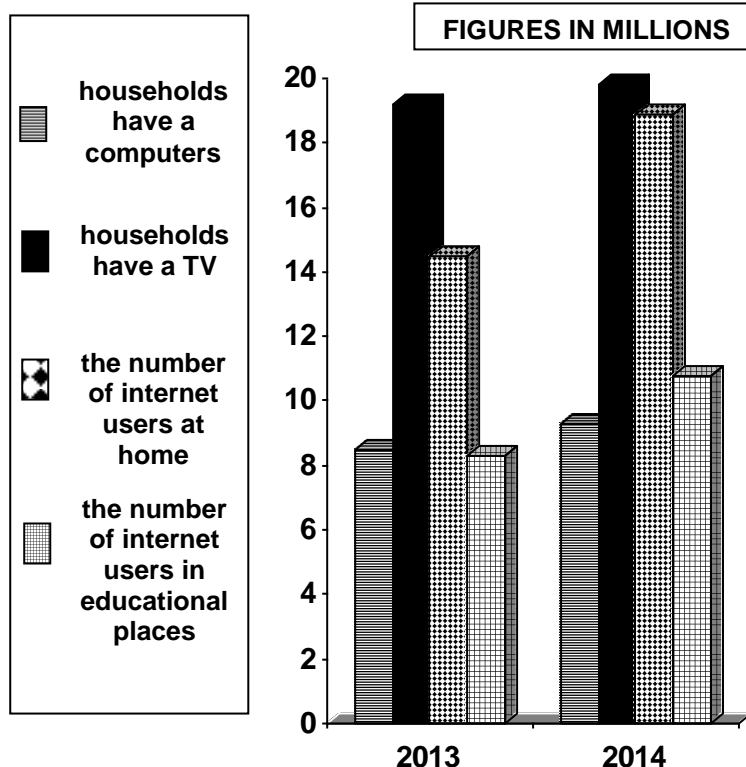
The most important indicators in this framework

- The number of households with computers reached 9.3 million households in 2014 compared to 8.5 million households in 2013 an increase of 9.4%.

- The number of households with a television reached 19.8 million households in 2014, compared to 19.2 million households in 2013, an increase of 3.1%.

- The number of family members of internet users at home reached 18.9 million people in 2014, compared to 14.5 million people in 2013 an increase of 30.3% as a result of reduce of internet price service.

- The number of Internet users in educational places reached 10.8 million people in 2014 compared to 8.3 million people in 2013, an increase of 30.1%.



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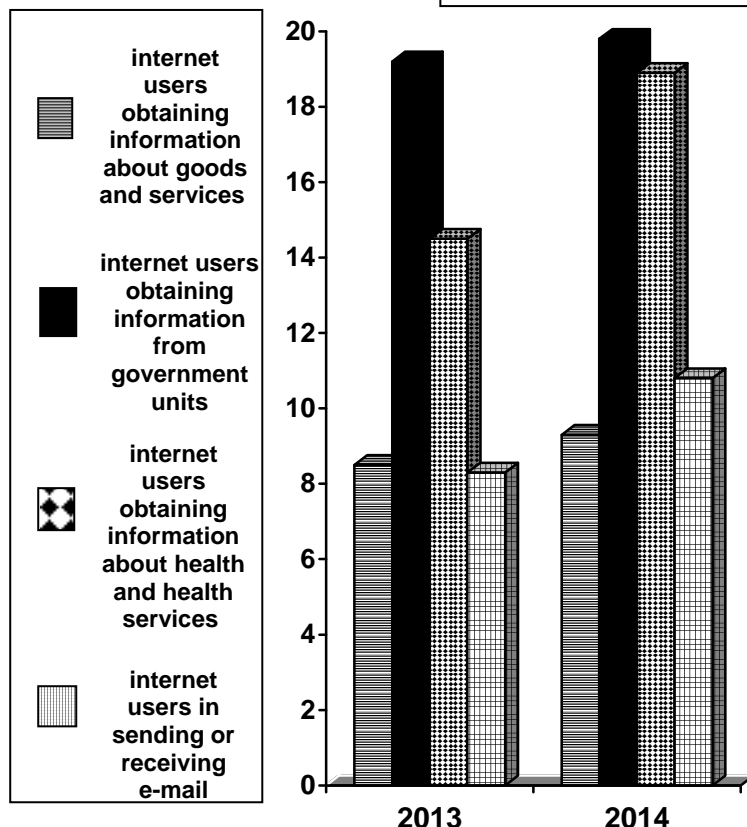
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- The number of Internet users for obtaining information about goods and services reached 3.7 million people in 2014 compared to 2.8 million people in 2013, an increase of 32.1%.

- The number of Internet users for obtaining information from government units reached 3 million people in 2014 compared to 2.3 million people in 2013, an increase of 30.4%.

- The number of Internet users for obtaining information about health and health services reached 7.13 million people in 2014 compared to 5.4 million people in 2013, an increase of 32%.

- The number of Internet users for sending or receiving e- mail reached 15.4 million people in 2014 compared to 10.7 million people in 2013, an increase of 43.9% as a result of increase in the number of social networks users.



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