



# Press Release

## Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

### **4.6% a decline in the number of newspapers copies,distributed locally and abroad during 2016**

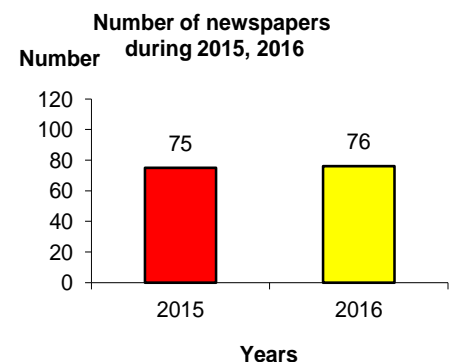
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- The most important statistical indicators are as follows :

#### ● Newspapers, periodicals , radio and television

- The number of published newspapers reached 76 during 2016 compared to 75 in 2015, an increase rate of 1.3%.

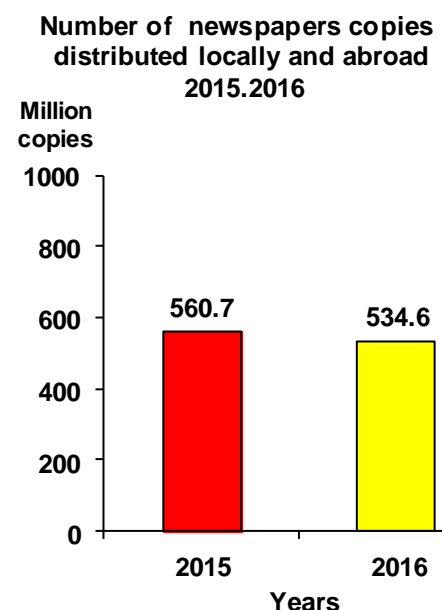
- The number of party newspapers reached 4 newspapers 2016 compared to only 3 newspapers in 2015.



- The number of newspapers copies distributed locally and abroad reached 534.6 million copies during 2016, versus 560.7million copies during 2015, a decline rate of 4.6%.

- The number of broadcast networks transmission hours reached 185420 hours during 2016, compared to 185301 hours during 2015, an increase rate of 0.1%

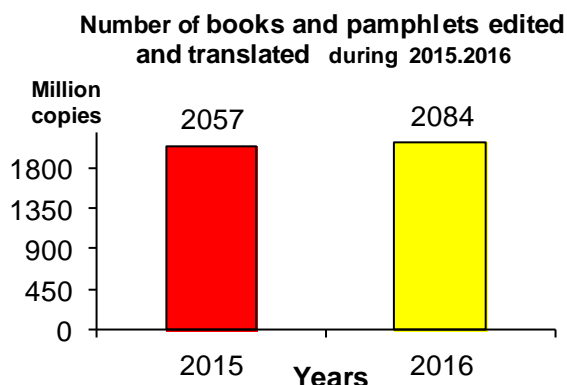
- The number of visual channels transmission hours reached 173167 hours during 2016, compared to 166438 hours during 2015, an increase rate of 4%



- Books and libraries:

- The number of books and pamphlets edited and translated, reached 2084 thousand books during 2016, versus 2057 thousand books during 2015 , an increase rate of 1.3% .

-The number of bookstores , public specialists, universities and institutes libraries reached1222 library during 2016, versus 1154 libraries during 2015 , an increase rate of 5.9%



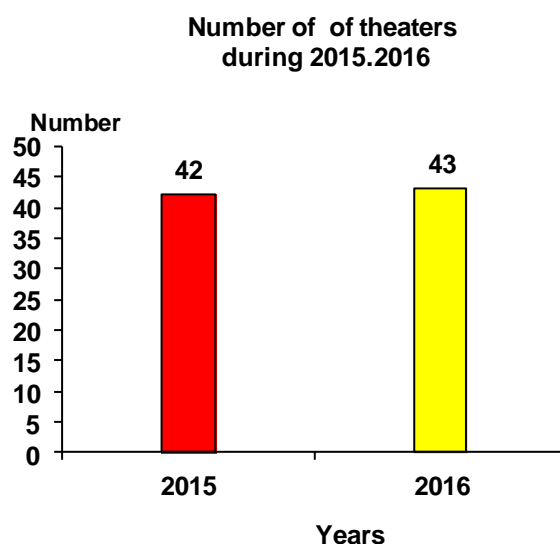
- Cinemas and theaters:

- The number of cinema halls reached 233 during 2016 versus 221 in 2015, an increase rate of 5.4%

-The number of theaters reached 43 during 2016 versus 42 theaters during 2015, an increase rate of 2.4%.

-The number of National theater groups reached 77 groups during 2016, versus 76 groups during 2015, an increase rate of 1.3%

- The number of local theatric plays reached 2647 plays watched by 780 thousand persons during 2016, versus 2202 watched by 560 thousand persons during 2015 , an increase rate of 20.2% in plays number

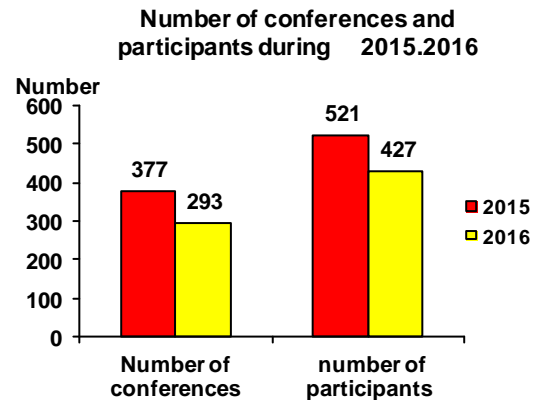


- Culture Palaces , house associations and conferences :

-The number of cultural palaces and houses reached 594during 2016, versus 588 palaces and houses during 2015 , an increase rate of 1 % .

- The number of cultural associations reached `165 associations during 2016 versus 144 associations during 2015 , an increase rate of 14.6 % .

- The number of conferences held by or participated by Egypt ( internal / external ) reached 293 conferences during 2016 versus 377 conferences during 2015 , a decline of 22.3%
- The number of participants in these conferences reached 427 participants during 2016 , versus 521 participants during, 2015, decline of 18.% .



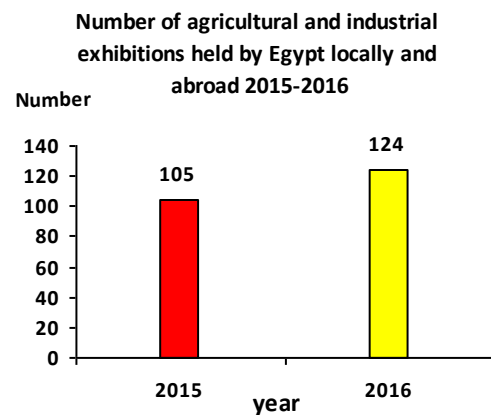
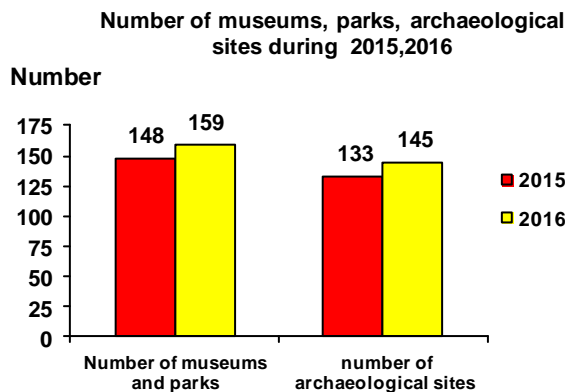
### ● Museums , parks , archaeological sites , nature reserves and exhibitions

-The number of museums and parks, reached 159 during 2016, versus 148 during 2015 , an increase of 7.4%

- The number of archeological sites reached 145 during 2016, versus 133 during 2015 , an increase of 9%

- The number of natural reserves reached 31 during 2016 of which 13 was active .

- The number of agricultural and industrial exhibitions held by Egypt locally and abroad reached 124 exhibitions during 2016, versus 105 exhibitions during 2015 , an increase of 18.1



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