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Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

3.2 % decrease in the amount of water used for irrigation 2012

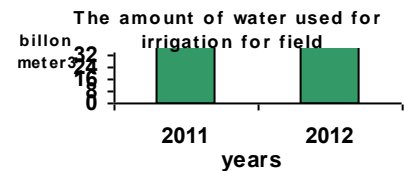
Central agency for Public mobilization and statistics Capmas issued on

15 / 12 / 2013 the annual bulletin of irrigation and water resource it presents the reduced amounts of irrigation water at Aswan, the field and slat due to lack of water per fadan shress a result of reduce consumption of irrigation water The most important statistical indicators of the annual bulletin as follow:

1. The amount of water used for field irrigation

Reached 32.11 billion Cubic meters in 2012

versus 30.87 billion cubic meters in 2011 an increase of 4%.

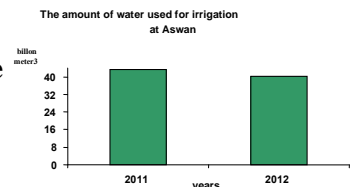


2. The amount of water used in irrigation at Canal slats 36.93 billion cubic meters in 2012,

versus 36.96 billion cubic meters in 2011, a decline of .1%.

3. The amount of water used for irrigation at Aswan

reached 40.14 billion Cubic meters in 2012 versus 43.22 billion cubic meters in 2011, a decline of 7.1%.



4. Winter season used 9.28 billion cubic meters of water which is Equivalent to 28.9% of the amount of water used in irrigation.

5. Summer season used 19.21 billion cubic meters of water, equivalent to 59.8% of the amount of water used in irrigation .

6. Nile season used about 1.34 billion cubic meters of water, equivalent to 4.2% of the amount of water used in irrigation.

7. The amount of water used to grow fruit reached 2.28 billion cubic meters, equivalent to 7.1% of the amount of water used in irrigation.

8. The amount of water used for irrigation wells three seasons crops and fruit reached 22.76 thousand cubic meters in 2012 versus 12.43 thousand cubic meters in 2011, an increase of 83.1%.

This is due to an increase in cultivated area for most crops and fruits in the three seasons.

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