

## **Press Relase**

Decline of the Crude Birth Rate 2015

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2.7 Million Live Births

The number of live births reached 2685276 births in 2015 compared to 2720495 births in 2014, decline of 1.3 %, while the Crude Birth Rate reached 30.2 per thousand in 2015 compared to 31.3 per thousand in 2014.

Stability of the Sex Ratio at Birth

- The sex ratio at birth reached 105 Male /100 Female in 2015, the same as it was in 2014.
- The number of male births reached 1372448 births in 2015 compared to 1390495 births in 2014, decline of 1.3%.

• The number of female births reached 1312828 births in 2015 compared to 1330000 births in 2014, decline of 1.3%.

## Slightly higher of Urban Births Percentage

- The number of urban births reached 1224729, by 45.6 % of the total number of births in 2015 compared to 1228275 births, by 45.1 % of the total number of births in 2014.
- The number of rural births reached 1460547, by 54.4 % of the total number of births in 2015 compared to 1492220 births, by 54.9 % of the total number of births in 2014.

## Cairo Ranked First in Terms of the Number of Births

- Cairo was ranked first in terms of the number of births by 251637 births in 2015 compared to 257288 births in 2014, decline of 2.2 %.
- South Sinai was ranked the last in terms of the number of births by 3308 births in 2015 compared to 3481 births in 2014, decline of 5 %.
- Matrouh recorded the highest Crude Birth Rate as it reached 49.5 per thousand in 2015 compared to 50.8 per thousand in 2014.

• South Sinai recorded the lowest Crude Birth Rate as it reached 19.6 per thousand in 2015 compared to 21 per thousand in 2014.



• The number of deaths reached 573879 deaths in 2015 compared to 531864 deaths in 2014, increase of 7.9 %. Crude Death Rate reached 6.5 per thousand in 2015 compared to 6.1 per thousand in 2014.

54.6 % is the Male Deaths of the Total Deaths

• The number of male deaths reached 313392 in 2015 compared to 293315 in 2014, increase of 6.8 %.

- The number of female deaths reached 260487 in 2015 compared to 238549 in 2014 an increase of 5.1%.
- The percentage of male deaths reached 54.6% of total deaths.

8.5 Per Thousand Urban Crude Death Rate

- The Urban Crude Death Rate reached 8.5 per thousand in 2015 compared to 8.1 per thousand in 2014 •
- The Rural Crude Death Rate was 4.9 per thousand in 2015 while it was 4.7 in 2014.



Cairo Was Ranked First in Terms of the Number of Deaths

 Cairo was ranked first in Terms of the number of deaths which reached 89714 in 2015 compared to 82305 in 2014 by increase of 9%.

- South Sinai came in last ranked in terms of number of deaths which reached 665 deaths in 2014 compared to 724 deaths in 2014 by decline of 8.1%
- Cairo recorded the highest crude death rate 9.6 per thousand in 2015 compared to 9 per thousand in 2014.
- South Sinai recorded the lowest crude death rate as it reached 3.9 per thousand in 2015.
- The number of Infant deaths (less than one year) reached 42050 in 2015 Compared to 39679 in 2014, by increase of 6 %.
- Natural increase rate reached 23.7 per thousand in 2015 compared to 25.2 per thousand in 2014.



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