





The World Statistics Day Celebration

Egypt is planning to celebrate this day through conducting the following activities:

- Holding a seminar on the importance of statistics and its role in socioeconomic development. Statisticians from Egypt, foreign countries such as Italy and Denmark, and from International Organizations in Cairo will make presentations in this seminar.
- Organizing along with the said seminar, an exhibition for the publications, past and present, of the national statistical office of Egypt, the Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics (CAPMAS) as well as for statistical products of leading IT companies.
- Issuing of commemorative postal stamp and coins on the occasion.
- Honoring the statistics experts in this celebration.
- Launching the newly-developed website of the CAPMAS.
- Dissemination Census data of population, housing and establishment on CAPMAS website by using Census info database.
- Introducing the price indices on the basis of a new methodology.
- Dedicating the first session on October 20, 2010 in all schools in Egypt, in collaboration with the Ministry of Education, for the subject of "importance statistics in community development".
- In collaboration with the Ministry of Information, mass media will shed light on the role of statistics in their work, showing the logo of the day on screens throughout Wednesday October 20, 2010.
- Publishing the articles for the senior statisticians in the major newspapers during the week of celebration.
- Inviting the United Nations offices in Cairo to participate in this celebration.
- Inviting young statisticians to visit the Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics, and to identify the method of work.

- CAPMAS regional offices (55 Office) will participate in the celebration of world Statistics Day.
- Shedding light on the achievements of the statistical system over the past years.
- The statistics partners will hold conferences during the week of celebration (Information and Decision Support center (the cabinet), the Institute of Statistics, Faculty of Economic and Political Sciences, Legislation and Statistics association).
- Implementing a workshop, in collaboration with the UN statistical division, on capacity building for the analysis and publication of population census.
- Egypt is hosting along with the celebration of the world Statistics Day the 6th Africa Symposia on Statistical Development (6th ASSD). With the presence of more than 250 participants, comprising all the heads of delegations of the African Statistical Offices and representatives of international and regional organizations.