GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2018

Population: 98.424 Millions

Exchange rate: 17.767 EGP/US$

GDP: 249 718 Millions current US$

Land area: 995 450 km²

CPI growth: 20.86 %

GDP growth: 5.30 %

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Total merchandise trade
(millions of US$)

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<th>Merchandise exports</th>
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<td>2005</td>
<td>12 912</td>
<td>22 449</td>
<td>-9 537</td>
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<td>2018</td>
<td>27 624</td>
<td>72 000</td>
<td>-44 376</td>
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Export structure by product group in 2018
(as % of total exports)

- All food items: 46%
- Ores and metals: 8%
- Fuels: 15%
- Manufactured goods: 4%
- Other: 27%

INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES

Total trade in services
(millions of US$)

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<td>2005</td>
<td>14 643</td>
<td>10 508</td>
<td>4 135</td>
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<td>2018</td>
<td>23 567</td>
<td>18 697</td>
<td>(e) 4 870</td>
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Services exports by main category
(as % of total services)

- Transport: 32.4%
- Travel: 46.8%
- Other services: 20.8%

TRADE INDICES

GDP by expenditure in 2017
(as % of total GDP)

- Household Consumption: 86.8%
- General government final consumption expenditure: 10.1%
- Gross Capital Formation: 15.3%
- Exports: 16.3%
- Imports: 28.5%

ECONOMIC TRENDS

Gross domestic product growth rate in 2018: +5.3 %
**FDI AND EXTERNAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

### Financial flows

*(millions of US$ unless otherwise specified)*

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<td>FDI inflows</td>
<td>5,375.60</td>
<td>6,385.60</td>
<td>6,925.20</td>
<td>6,797.60</td>
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<td>FDI outflows</td>
<td>92.00</td>
<td>1,175.50</td>
<td>181.70</td>
<td>323.50</td>
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<td>Personal remittances, % of GDP</td>
<td>5.31</td>
<td>5.80</td>
<td>5.77</td>
<td>11.58</td>
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### Financial flows trends

*(millions of US$)*

### TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

#### Trade balance indicators

*(as % and index)*

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<td>Balance, % of GDP</td>
<td>-3.82</td>
<td>-5.14</td>
<td>-9.56</td>
<td>-9.90</td>
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<td>Balance, % of imports</td>
<td>-10.52</td>
<td>-18.43</td>
<td>-44.70</td>
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<td>Normalized balance</td>
<td>-0.056</td>
<td>-0.101</td>
<td>-0.288</td>
<td>-0.193</td>
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#### Trade openness

*(sum of imports and exports as % of GDP)*

### LABOUR FORCE

#### Labour force by gender in 2018

*(as % of total labour force, all sectors)*

- Male: 75%
- Female: 25%

### OTHER INDICATORS

#### Maritime transport indicators

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<td>Merchant fleet, national flag (thousands of DWT)</td>
<td>1,644</td>
<td>1,518</td>
<td>1,503</td>
<td>1,549</td>
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<td>Liner shipping connectivity index (maximum 2006 = 100 for China)</td>
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<td>46.07</td>
<td>59.03</td>
<td>62.38</td>
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<td>Container port throughput (TEU)</td>
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<td>6,833,009</td>
<td>7,186,489</td>
<td>6,151,900</td>
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#### Information economy indicators

*(as % of)*

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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total exports</td>
<td>0.13</td>
<td>0.14</td>
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<td>Share of ICT goods, % of total imports</td>
<td>4.41</td>
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<td>Share of workforce involved in the ICT sector</td>
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*Note: The table and graphs provide detailed financial flows, trade indicators, and labor force statistics for Egypt, including FDI inflows and outflows, personal remittances, GDP, and more.*
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3. Estimated.

Symbols for missing values:
- 0 Zero means that the amount is nil or negligible
- .. Not available or not separately reported
- ... Not applicable
- ... Not available, including no quotation
- # Non-relevant calculation
- - Not publishable
- *** Negative accumulation of flows; Value included in regional and global totals

Abbreviations & acronyms:
- DWT: Dead weight tons
- FDI: Foreign direct investment
- GDP: Gross domestic product
- ICT: Information and communication technology
- TEU: Twenty foot equivalent unit
- US$: United States dollar

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