



Arab Republic of Egypt  
Ministry of Communications  
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# ICT Indicators in Brief

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# Mobile Phones



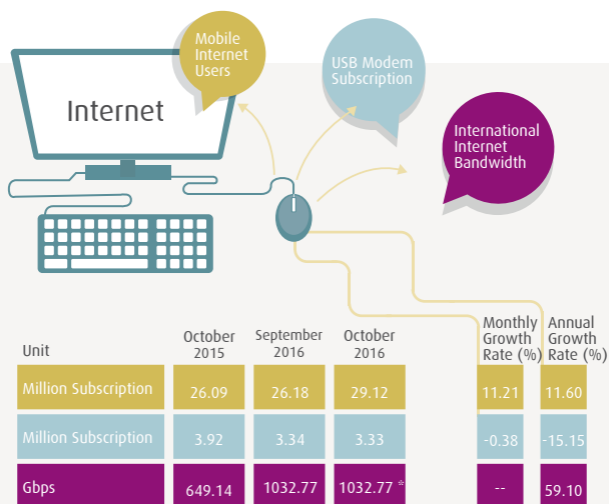
Mobile Subscription



Mobile Penetration

Million Subscription		%	
93.13	October 2015	106.72	
96.26	September 2016	108.49	
97.23	October 2016	109.42	
1.01	Monthly Growth Rate (%)	0.93	
4.40	Annual Growth Rate (%)	2.70	

Source: Ministry of Communications and Information Technology  
National Telecom Regulatory Authority

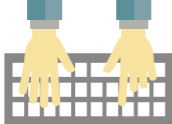


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	Unit	2015/2016
Internet Users *	Million Users	29.84
Internet Penetration *	%	37.8

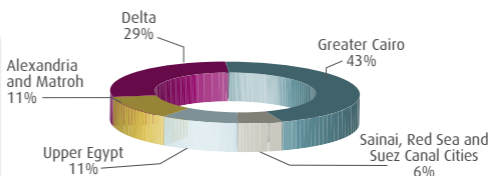
\* According to results of "ICT Access and Use by Households and Individuals Survey for 2015"



## ADSL and Mobile Internet Users

	October 2015	September 2016	October 2016	Unit	Monthly Growth Rate (%)	Annual Growth Rate (%)
ADSL Subscription	3.70	4.41	4.51	Million Subscription	2.31	22.08
Proportion of Mobile Internet Users of Total Mobile Subscription	28.01	27.20	29.95	%	2.75	1.93

### ADSL Subscriptions Regional Distribution

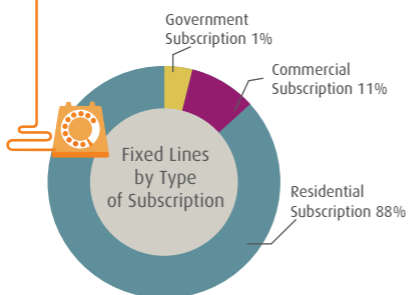


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National Telecom Regulatory Authority  
Telecom Egypt



## Fixed Telephones

	Unit	October 2015	Sep 2016	October 2016
Local Exchange Capacity	Million Lines	17.82	14.82	18.50
Fixed Lines Subscription	Million Subscription	6.34	5.90	6.18
Fixed Lines Penetration	%	7.38	7.16	7.17
Number of Local Exchanges	Exchange	1580	1473	1473
Number of Local Exchanges in Rural Areas	Exchange	1093	1088	1088



	Monthly Growth Rate (%)	Annual Growth Rate (%)
Local Exchange Capacity	24.81	3.83
Fixed Lines Subscription	4.72	-2.55
Fixed Lines Penetration	0.14	-2.85
Number of Local Exchanges	0.00	-6.77
Number of Local Exchanges in Rural Areas	0.00	-0.46

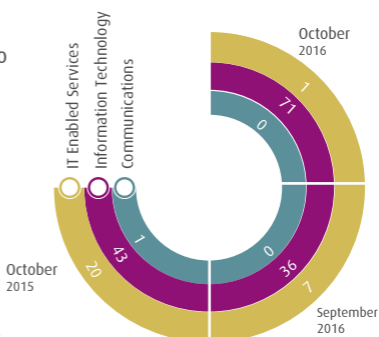
**Source:** Ministry of Communications and Information Technology  
Telecom Egypt

# ICT Investment \*

Unit		October 2015	Sep 2016	October 2016
Issued Capital of Newly Established ICT Companies	Million EGP			
	Communications	0.10	0.00	0.00
	Information Technology	8.44	9.13	12.77
	IT Enabled Services	11.98	0.86	27.02
Total		20.51	9.98	39.78
Number of Newly Established ICT Companies	Companies			
	Communications	1	0	0
	Information Technology	43	36	71
	IT Enabled Services	20	7	17
Total		64	43	88

## Distribution of ICT Companies According to Activities

- Communications
- Information Technology
- IT Enabled Services



**Source:** Ministry of Investment  
General Authority for Free Zones and Investment

\* Most of newly established ICT Companies were small and micro enterprises.

## Egypt's Stock Exchange Telecommunications Index

October 2015	297
September 2016	447
October 2016	477
Unit	Point
Monthly Growth (%)	30
Annual Growth (%)	180

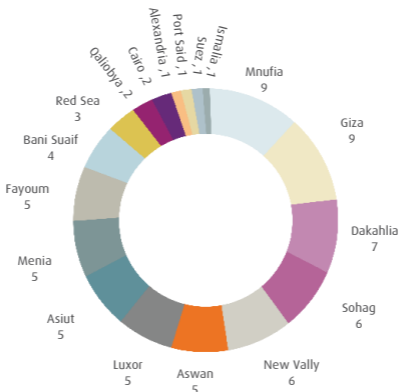
This index includes three companies operating in the ICT Sector and listed in Egypt Stock Exchange.  
These companies are: Telecom Egypt, Orang and Orascom Telecom



## Telecenters

In line with the Ministry of Communications and Information Technology (MCIT) strategy in promoting the role of IT in an effective and sustainable manner for community development, MCIT has Activated the Telecenters in Community Development. The Total Number of Telecenters in Egypt reached 77 Telecenters in September 2016.

### Regional Distribution of Telecenters



**Source:** Ministry of Communications and Information Technology  
Egypt ICT Trust Fund  
Telecenters Department



## Post Services

	Unit	September 2015	August 2016	September 2016
Average Number of People Served by each Post Office	Thousand Inhabitants	22.27	22.57	22.60
Number of Pensions Distributed through Post Offices	Million	5.38	5.57	5.99
Number of Instant Postal Financial Transfers	Thousand Transfers	993	1290	970

### Number of Post Offices

	Number of Post Offices	Monthly Change Rate (%)	Annual Change Rate (%)
Sep 2015	3913	0.00	0.33
August 2015	3926	0.15	1.49
Sep 2016	3926	7.54	11.34
Unit	Office	-24.81	-2.32

**Source:** Ministry of Communications and Information Technology  
Egypt Post

