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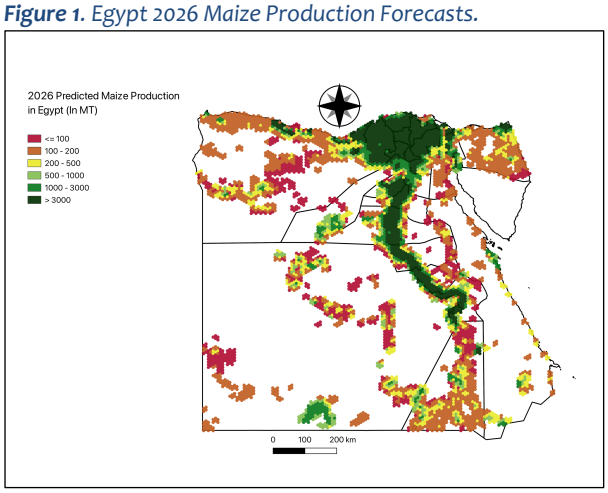
Egypt – Maize

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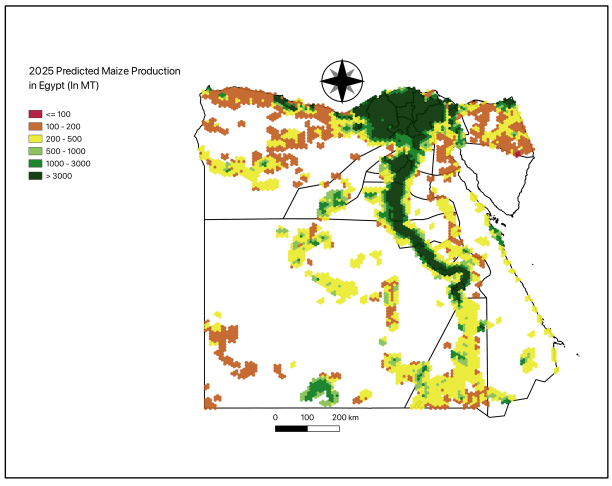
The crop production forecasts brief series by AKADEMIYA2063's Africa Agriculture Watch (AAgWa) aims to provide more accurate and timely data on harvests and yields for 11 major crops across nearly 50 African countries. The timeliness, wide availability, and ease of access to this type of data will enable stakeholders across the value chain to plan and execute policy and business actions more efficiently. The data published in the briefs are generated through the Africa Crop Production (AfCP) model, an Artificial Intelligence (AI)-based model applied to remotely sensed geo-biophysical data to produce estimates at pixel as well as administrative levels as early as the beginning of each growing season. In Brief 381, we provide forecasts on maize production in Egypt.

Figure 1. *Egypt 2026 Maize Production Forecasts.*



Data source: Africa Agriculture Watch (www.aagwa.org).

Figure 2. *Egypt 2025 Maize Production Forecasts.*



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In 2026, maize production in Egypt is projected to reach 7,741,298 metric tons (MT), indicating a 1% increase over 2025 production levels. The highest maize producers are expected to be Unorganized in Al Minya (Al Minya), Unorganized in Al Buhayrah (Al Buhayrah), Unorganized in Asyut (Asyut), Samalut (Al Minya), and Unorganized in Qina (Qina), with production levels estimated at 336,179 MT, 217,333 MT, 202,225 MT, 174,114 MT, and 173,806 MT, respectively. In contrast, lower production values are observed in Al-Ganoub 2 (Bur Sa`id), Zarqa (Dumyat), Nasr (Aswan), Aswan City (Aswan), and New Damietta City (Dumyat), with production levels estimated at 124 MT, 110 MT, 98 MT, 92 MT, and 84 MT, respectively.

Compared to 2025, the most significant maize production increases in 2026 are expected in districts such as Unorganized in Al Buhayrah (Al Buhayrah), Unorganized in Al Minya (Al Minya), Unorganized in Al Jizah (Al Jizah), Abu al-Matamir (Al Buhayrah), and Unorganized in Qina (Qina), with differences of 13,823 MT, 8,044 MT, 6,358 MT, 6,160 MT, and 3,735 MT, respectively. These correspond to changes of 7%, 2%, 4%, 5%, and 2%.

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Annex – 2026 Egypt Maize Production Forecast at District Level

Governorates	Districts	2026 Production (MT)	2025 Production (MT)	Difference (MT)	Change (%)
Ad Daqahliyah	Aja	23,026	22,218	808	4%
Ad Daqahliyah	Al-Jamaliyah	9,198	8,843	356	4%
Ad Daqahliyah	Al-Mansurah	23,307	22,600	707	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Al-Mansurah 2	6,412	6,165	247	4%
Ad Daqahliyah	Al-Manzilah	35,495	34,271	1,225	4%
Ad Daqahliyah	As-Sinbillawayn	23,344	22,519	825	4%
Ad Daqahliyah	Bani Ubayd	15,247	14,745	503	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Bilqas	58,793	56,906	1,886	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Dikirnis	7,856	7,625	231	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Mahalat Dimnah	7,348	7,111	238	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Minyat an-Nasr	22,700	21,969	731	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Mit Ghamr	30,364	29,149	1,215	4%
Ad Daqahliyah	Mit Salsil	14,541	14,045	496	4%
Ad Daqahliyah	Nabaruh	23,956	23,193	763	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Shirbin	30,608	29,657	951	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Talkha	15,988	15,546	441	3%
Ad Daqahliyah	Timay al-Imdid	23,273	22,544	729	3%
Al Bahr al Ahmar	Al-Ghurdaqah	9,941	9,948	-7	0%
Al Bahr al Ahmar	Al-Ghurdaqah 2	2,236	2,734	-498	-18%
Al Bahr al Ahmar	Al-Qusayr	562	865	-303	-35%
Al Bahr al Ahmar	Ash-Shalatin	22,437	23,717	-1,280	-5%
Al Bahr al Ahmar	Marsa 'Alam	2,006	2,905	-899	-31%
Al Bahr al Ahmar	Ras Gharib	1,956	2,517	-561	-22%
Al Bahr al Ahmar	Safaja	2,295	2,809	-515	-18%
Al Buhayrah	Abu al-Matamir	140,054	133,894	6,160	5%
Al Buhayrah	Abu Hummus	55,949	53,991	1,958	4%
Al Buhayrah	Ad-Dilinat	42,734	40,851	1,883	5%
Al Buhayrah	Al-Mahmudiyah	6,936	6,865	71	1%
Al Buhayrah	Ar-Rahmaniyah	14,211	13,732	479	3%
Al Buhayrah	Badr	54,563	51,709	2,854	6%
Al Buhayrah	Damanhur	35,580	34,382	1,198	3%
Al Buhayrah	Hawsh 'Isa	35,836	34,494	1,342	4%
Al Buhayrah	Idku	12,665	12,219	446	4%
Al Buhayrah	Ityay al-Barud	28,466	27,297	1,169	4%
Al Buhayrah	Kafr ad-Dawwar	54,028	51,769	2,258	4%
Al Buhayrah	Kawm Hamadah	28,700	27,355	1,345	5%
Al Buhayrah	Rosetta	13,425	13,156	269	2%
Al Buhayrah	Shubra Khit	21,339	20,484	855	4%
Al Buhayrah	Unorganized in Al Buhayrah	217,333	203,511	13,823	7%
Al Buhayrah	West Nubariyah	56,965	53,530	3,435	6%
Al Fayyum	Al-Fayyum	45,653	44,553	1,100	2%
Al Fayyum	Ibshaway	27,457	27,028	429	2%
Al Fayyum	Itsa	69,656	67,917	1,738	3%
Al Fayyum	Sinnuris	44,739	43,605	1,134	3%
Al Fayyum	Tamiyah	49,905	49,022	883	2%
Al Fayyum	Unorganized in Al Fayoum	66,035	63,637	2,397	4%
Al Fayyum	Yusuf as-Sidiq	23,012	22,499	513	2%

Al Gharbiyah	Al-Mahallah al-Kubra	39,294	38,056	1,239	3%
Al Gharbiyah	Al-Mahallah al-Kubra 2	7,369	7,075	294	4%
Al Gharbiyah	As-Santah	31,797	30,656	1,140	4%
Al Gharbiyah	Basyun	7,739	7,463	276	4%
Al Gharbiyah	Kafr az-Zayyat	15,511	14,916	595	4%
Al Gharbiyah	Qutur	24,629	23,864	766	3%
Al Gharbiyah	Samannud	15,513	14,989	524	3%
Al Gharbiyah	Tanta	38,838	37,369	1,470	4%
Al Gharbiyah	Tanta 2	6,875	6,530	345	5%
Al Gharbiyah	Zifta	22,836	21,950	886	4%
Al Iskandariyah	Ad-Dukhaylah	2,530	2,378	152	6%
Al Iskandariyah	Al-'Amriyah	81,665	78,160	3,504	4%
Al Iskandariyah	Al-Muntazah	3,464	3,177	287	9%
Al Iskandariyah	Ar-Raml 2	3,547	3,279	267	8%
Al Iskandariyah	Burj al-'Arab	24,873	23,619	1,254	5%
Al Iskandariyah	New Burj al-'Arab City	12,201	11,383	818	7%
Al Iskandariyah	Unorganized in Al Iskandariyah	29,323	28,312	1,011	4%
Al Isma`iliyah	Al-Qantarah	1,967	2,231	-264	-12%
Al Isma`iliyah	Al-Qantarah ash-Sharqiyah	106,903	104,039	2,864	3%
Al Isma`iliyah	At-Tall al-Kabir	20,187	19,988	198	1%
Al Isma`iliyah	Fa'id	715	979	-265	-27%
Al Isma`iliyah	Ismailia	6,037	6,413	-376	-6%
Al Isma`iliyah	Ismailia 1	227	282	-55	-19%
Al Jizah	Al-'Ayyat	6,923	6,401	521	8%
Al Jizah	Al-Ahram	1,034	998	36	4%
Al Jizah	Al-Badrashayn	3,175	2,986	189	6%
Al Jizah	Al-Wahat al-Bahariyah	962	1,060	-98	-9%
Al Jizah	Al-Warraq	3,052	2,759	293	11%
Al Jizah	As-Saff	2,458	2,262	196	9%
Al Jizah	Atfih	11,986	11,466	520	5%
Al Jizah	Giza	1,928	1,796	131	7%
Al Jizah	Imbabah	13,226	11,999	1,227	10%
Al Jizah	Kirdasah	2,265	2,058	208	10%
Al Jizah	Sheikh Zayed	917	894	24	3%
Al Jizah	Sixth of October 2 City	3,251	2,925	327	11%
Al Jizah	Unorganized in Al Jizah	159,094	152,737	6,358	4%
Al Minufiyah	Al-Bajur	19,351	18,271	1,081	6%
Al Minufiyah	Ash-Shuhada	26,926	25,555	1,371	5%
Al Minufiyah	Ashmun	19,458	18,354	1,104	6%
Al Minufiyah	Birkat as-Sab'	6,297	5,964	333	6%
Al Minufiyah	Minuf	12,789	12,093	695	6%
Al Minufiyah	Quwaysina	18,264	17,174	1,090	6%
Al Minufiyah	Sadat City	43,207	40,621	2,585	6%
Al Minufiyah	Shibin al-Kawm	12,898	12,201	697	6%
Al Minufiyah	Tala	14,734	14,102	632	4%
Al Minya	Abu Qurqas	86,183	87,328	-1,144	-1%
Al Minya	Al-'Idwah	57,689	58,463	-774	-1%
Al Minya	Al-Minya	133,830	134,601	-771	-1%
Al Minya	Bani Mazar	171,052	173,311	-2,259	-1%
Al Minya	Dayr Mawas	110,650	111,963	-1,313	-1%
Al Minya	Maghaghah	83,395	84,435	-1,040	-1%

Al Minya	Mallawi	91,721	92,305	-584	-1%
Al Minya	Matay	30,487	30,948	-461	-1%
Al Minya	Samalut	174,114	175,665	-1,551	-1%
Al Minya	Unorganized in Al Minya	336,179	328,135	8,044	2%
Al Qahirah	'Abdin	884	864	20	2%
Al Qahirah	'Ain Schams	12,065	11,885	180	2%
Al Qahirah	15 Mayu	5,977	5,510	467	8%
Al Qahirah	An-Nuzhah	5,441	4,994	447	9%
Al Qahirah	Ash-Shruq	10,971	10,131	841	8%
Al Qahirah	Badr	8,523	7,884	639	8%
Al Qahirah	Helwan	18,175	17,939	236	1%
Al Qahirah	Nasr City 2	4,214	3,802	412	11%
Al Qahirah	New Cairo 1	5,911	5,469	442	8%
Al Qahirah	New Cairo 2	8,133	7,412	721	10%
Al Qahirah	New Cairo 3	3,463	3,314	149	4%
Al Qahirah	Turah	12,813	12,202	611	5%
Al Qahirah	Unorganized in Al Qahirah	21,954	22,159	-205	-1%
Al Qalyubiyah	Al-Khankah	33,145	33,065	79	0%
Al Qalyubiyah	Banha	23,017	22,653	364	2%
Al Qalyubiyah	Kafr Shukr	5,877	5,517	360	7%
Al Qalyubiyah	Qalyub	34,583	34,543	40	0%
Al Qalyubiyah	Shibin al-Qanatir	37,009	37,130	-121	0%
Al Qalyubiyah	Shubra al-Khaymah 1	2,138	1,976	163	8%
Al Qalyubiyah	Tukh	73,036	73,202	-166	0%
Al Qalyubiyah	Unorganized in Al Qalyubiyah	7,566	6,847	719	11%
Al Uqsur	Luxor	11,682	11,444	237	2%
Al Uqsur	Tibah Police Dept.	14,011	13,823	188	1%
Al Uqsur	Unorganized in Al Uqsur	15,614	14,962	652	4%
Al Wadi al Jadid	Al-Wahat al-Kharijah	30,082	38,410	-8,329	-22%
Al Wadi al Jadid	Baris Shurtah	29,655	35,305	-5,649	-16%
Al Wadi al Jadid	Shurtah al-Dakhlah	103,191	119,515	-16,324	-14%
Al Wadi al Jadid	Shurtah al-Farafirah	22,823	26,863	-4,039	-15%
As Suways	'Ataqah	3,547	5,861	-2,314	-39%
As Suways	Al-Janayin	16,618	16,052	566	4%
As Suways	Faisal	1,737	2,363	-626	-26%
As Suways	Suez	1,423	1,317	106	8%
Ash Sharqiyah	10 Ramadan 1	481	507	-26	-5%
Ash Sharqiyah	Abu Hammad	33,564	33,172	392	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Abu Kabir	33,181	32,984	198	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Al-Husayniyah	171,667	169,994	1,674	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Al-Ibrahimiyah	11,379	11,288	91	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Al-Qanayat	10,601	10,447	154	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Al-Qurayn	10,717	10,607	110	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Awlad Saqr	45,675	45,477	197	0%
Ash Sharqiyah	Bilbays	54,188	53,156	1,033	2%
Ash Sharqiyah	Diyarb Najm	53,109	52,436	674	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Faqus	62,006	61,211	795	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Hihya	22,036	21,784	252	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	Kafr Saqr	19,171	18,845	326	2%

Ash Sharqiyah	Minya al-Qamh	44,031	43,430	601	1%
Ash Sharqiyah	New Salhiyah	52,032	50,625	1,407	3%
Ash Sharqiyah	Unorganized in Ash Sharqiyah	49,298	47,644	1,654	3%
Ash Sharqiyah	Zaqaziq	30,463	29,908	555	2%
Aswan	Abu Simbel	344	487	-144	-30%
Aswan	Aswan	451	716	-265	-37%
Aswan	Aswan City	92	196	-104	-53%
Aswan	Daraw	191	423	-232	-55%
Aswan	Idfu	293	638	-345	-54%
Aswan	Kawm Umbu	386	859	-473	-55%
Aswan	Nasr	98	216	-118	-55%
Aswan	New Tushka City	136	237	-101	-43%
Aswan	Unorganized in Aswan	112,029	137,207	-25,179	-18%
Asyut	Abnub	51,061	51,556	-495	-1%
Asyut	Abu Tij	35,217	35,177	39	0%
Asyut	Al-Badari	23,244	23,408	-164	-1%
Asyut	Al-Fath	23,371	23,536	-165	-1%
Asyut	Al-Qusiyah	63,669	63,862	-193	0%
Asyut	Asyut	43,405	43,599	-194	0%
Asyut	Asyut 2	21,607	21,681	-74	0%
Asyut	Dayrut	42,475	42,600	-125	0%
Asyut	Manfalut	72,536	73,134	-599	-1%
Asyut	Sidfa	43,491	43,702	-211	0%
Asyut	Unorganized in Asyut	202,225	200,540	1,686	1%
Bani Suwayf	Al-Fashn	43,072	41,925	1,147	3%
Bani Suwayf	Al-Wasta	8,960	8,621	338	4%
Bani Suwayf	Bani Suwayf	14,554	13,791	763	6%
Bani Suwayf	Bani Suwayf City	6,391	5,903	488	8%
Bani Suwayf	Biba	10,589	10,292	297	3%
Bani Suwayf	Ihnasiya	40,985	39,715	1,270	3%
Bani Suwayf	Nasir Bush	50,005	48,452	1,553	3%
Bani Suwayf	Sumusta al-Waqf	19,028	18,362	666	4%
Bani Suwayf	Unorganized in Bani Suwayf	75,611	74,197	1,415	2%
Bur Sa`id	Al-Ganoub	21,783	22,394	-612	-3%
Bur Sa`id	Al-Ganoub 2	124	179	-55	-31%
Bur Sa`id	Mubarak - Sharq at-Tafri'tah	90,380	92,428	-2,048	-2%
Bur Sa`id	Port Fuad 2	11,312	11,315	-4	0%
Dumyat	Damietta	1,826	1,732	94	5%
Dumyat	Faraskur	240	318	-78	-25%
Dumyat	Kafr Sa'd	340	498	-157	-32%
Dumyat	New Damietta City	84	205	-121	-59%
Dumyat	Zarqa	110	168	-57	-34%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Al-Burulus	9,586	9,272	314	3%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Al-Hamul	47,085	45,274	1,811	4%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Ar-Riyad	17,554	16,841	713	4%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Biyala	36,054	34,656	1,398	4%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Disuq	31,080	29,758	1,322	4%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Fuwah	5,700	5,484	216	4%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Kafr ash-Shaykh	24,504	23,376	1,128	5%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Mutubis	19,571	18,632	939	5%

Kafr ash Shaykh	Qallin	14,896	14,116	780	6%
Kafr ash Shaykh	Sidi Salim	44,517	42,605	1,912	4%
Matrouh	Ad-Dab'ah	25,061	28,246	-3,185	-11%
Matrouh	Al-Hammam	83,003	82,051	952	1%
Matrouh	As-Salum	9,716	11,173	-1,457	-13%
Matrouh	Marina al-'Alamayn as-Siyahiyah	4,246	4,737	-492	-10%
Matrouh	Marsa Matruh	142,509	155,339	-12,830	-8%
Matrouh	Sidi Barrani	11,358	14,308	-2,950	-21%
Matrouh	Siwa	12,698	16,712	-4,014	-24%
Qina	Abu Tisht	35,879	35,706	174	0%
Qina	Armant	29,568	29,231	337	1%
Qina	Dishna	35,684	35,577	108	0%
Qina	Farshut	15,646	15,474	172	1%
Qina	Isna	51,203	50,411	792	2%
Qina	Naj' Hammadi	33,544	33,283	261	1%
Qina	Naqadah	12,362	12,256	106	1%
Qina	Qift	22,207	21,611	597	3%
Qina	Qina	27,827	27,457	370	1%
Qina	Qus	30,164	29,894	269	1%
Qina	Unorganized in Qina	173,806	170,071	3,735	2%
Shamal Sina'	Al-'Arish 1	3,650	3,331	320	10%
Shamal Sina'	Al-'Arish 3	1,395	1,349	46	3%
Shamal Sina'	Al-'Arish 4	886	1,190	-305	-26%
Shamal Sina'	Al-Hasanah	6,219	8,277	-2,058	-25%
Shamal Sina'	Bir al-'Abd	5,701	6,932	-1,231	-18%
Shamal Sina'	Nakhl	5,286	8,102	-2,816	-35%
Shamal Sina'	Rafah	53,089	52,821	268	1%
Shamal Sina'	Sheikh Zawid	20,354	20,214	140	1%
Shamal Sina'	Shurtah al-Qasimah	9,462	11,007	-1,544	-14%
Shamal Sina'	Shurtah Rumanah	15,761	15,638	124	1%
Suhaj	Akhmim	49,697	49,322	375	1%
Suhaj	Al-'Usayrat	18,203	18,130	74	0%
Suhaj	Al-Baliyana	47,501	47,065	436	1%
Suhaj	Al-Manshah	14,383	14,185	198	1%
Suhaj	Al-Maraghah	33,704	33,476	228	1%
Suhaj	Dar as-Salam	18,311	18,248	63	0%
Suhaj	Jirja	34,154	33,940	214	1%
Suhaj	Juhaynah al-Gharbiyah	23,681	23,235	446	2%
Suhaj	New Sawhaj City	2,122	1,925	197	10%
Suhaj	Saqultah	14,974	14,795	179	1%
Suhaj	Sawhaj	44,486	43,931	555	1%
Suhaj	Tahta	32,384	32,161	223	1%
Suhaj	Tima	36,236	36,135	101	0%
Suhaj	Unorganized in Suhaj	100,374	99,851	523	1%
Total		**7,741,298**	**7,702,047**	**39,255**	**1%**

MT (Metric tons): *1 MT is equivalent to 1,000 kilograms.*
Change: *refers to the relative difference and is calculated as (2026 prod – 2025 prod) divided by 2025 prod.*

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