As explained by the head of the Arab-Brazilian Chamber of Commerce, Osmar Chohfi, the volume of trade exchange between Brazil and the Arab countries is witnessing continuous growth as a result of the strong economic relations linking the two sides, and the common interest in strengthening historical ties. In addition to the Chamber's focus on building and strengthening relationships with governments and trade and business associations, supporting talks for more free trade agreements, export diversification and foreign trade-related operations based on rapid digitization.

He pointed out that "there is a keenness to enhance communication between Brazilian and Arab startups, in order to serve efforts to double expansion opportunities in the target markets. The Arab-Brazilian Chamber of Commerce announced that Brazilian exports to Arab countries recorded a growth of 26.1%, ending these countries combined last year as the fifth largest destination for Brazilian exports, and the fifth largest exporter to Brazil. The trade balance of Brazil with the Arab countries witnessed a remarkable growth during the past year, as the two sides succeeded in restoring the momentum of trade exchange and strengthening mutual economic relations."

Source (Emirati Gulf Newspaper, Edited)
كشفت وزيرة التجارة والصناعة المصرية نيفين جامع، عن ارتفاع قيمة الصادرات المصرية غير البترولية 2021 مiliar دولار عام إلى 26.3 مئة. الزيادة سجلت معدل نمو بنسبة 32 مئة، وأكدت جامع، خلال اجتماع مجلس الوزراء المصري، أن هذا الرقم يتحقق للمرة الأولى تاريخياً، متخطياً بذلك متوسط قيمة الصادرات المصرية السنوية خلال الفترة 2016-2020. وأوضحت أن معدلات التصدير شهدت تأبلة ملموسة في 12 قطاعاً، استحوذت على 90 من إجمالي هيكل الصادرات غير البترولية، ببعد 5 في المئة و62 في المئة.

**Egyptian Exports Record a Historic Figure**

The Egyptian Minister of Trade and Industry, Nevin Gamea, revealed that the value of Egyptian non-oil exports increased to 32 billion dollars in 2021. She explained that this increase recorded a growth rate of 26.3 percent. Gamea confirmed, during the Egyptian Cabinet meeting, that this figure is achieved for the first time in history, exceeding the average value of annual Egyptian exports during the period 2016-2020. She explained that the export rates witnessed a remarkable growth in 12 sectors, which accounted for 90 percent of the total structure of non-oil exports, with growth rates ranging between 5 percent and 62 percent. During the meeting, the Minister presented the development of the performance of the export sectors during the past year, and the relative weight of the 12 largest sectors in Egypt, which are: Chemical products, fertilizers, building materials, food products, engineering and electronic goods, agricultural crops, ready-made garments, printing, paper and packaging, spinning and textile products, furnishings, medical industries, leather and shoes, furniture and handicrafts.

*Source (Emirati Gulf Newspaper, Edited)*

**Qatar is the First in the Arab World in the Global Food Security Index**

Qatar ranked first among the Arab countries, and 24th globally in the Global Food Security Index for 2021, according to the report issued by the “Economist Intelligence” research unit of the British Economist magazine.

Qatar jumped 13 places at the global level, and ranked 24 globally in the list of 113 countries, after it was ranked 37 in the 2020 edition. The food security situation of the State of Qatar has greatly improved, according to the 2021 edition of the Global Food Security Index. Despite the significant increase in food prices worldwide due to the Corona pandemic, prices in Qatar remained relatively stable, due to the presence of advance plans for emergency and the existence of support programs for citizens. Qatar has made clear steps towards achieving food security and self-sufficiency, as the local production of vegetables jumped to nearly 103,000 tons, equivalent to 41 percent of self-sufficiency, to reach 70 percent of local vegetables by 2023. The volume of production of milk and dairy products maintained the same levels as 2020, as it exceeded 106 percent, with a production volume of more than 230 thousand tons. As well as fresh poultry, whose production reached 28,000 tons last year, with a sufficiency rate of 124 percent.

*Source (Al-Araby Al-Jadeed Newspaper, Edited)*
هل لديك فكرة "ستارت اب" في مجال التكنولوجيا أو الصناعة الرقمية؟ إجمع فريقك وقدم إلى أكبر مسابقة لريادة الأعمال في العالم العربي، "مسابقة رالي العرب 2022".

ال מנافعون للتصفيات النهائية في المسابقة التي ينظمها اتحاد الغرف العربية بالتعاون مع الأكاديمية العربية للعلوم والتكنولوجيا والنقل البحري، سيحصلون على فرصة السفر إلى الإمارات العربية المتحدة لحضور النهائي في المنتدى العالمي لرواد الأعمال والاستثمار الذي تنظمه منظمة الأمم المتحدة للتنمية الصناعية (يونيدو) في إكسبو 2020 دبي، مما يتيح لهم الفرصة لمقابلة مستثمرين من كافة أنحاء العالم.

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