# 3. EGYPT

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# **Major Changes**

• ′	The	Egyptian	air force	received its	first	AN-74T	cargo	aircraft	from	Ukraine
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- The Egyptian land forces are absorbing the newly acquired M109A2/A3 self propelled howitzers.

## **General Data**

Official Name of the State: The Arab Republic of Egypt Head of State: President Muhammad Husni Mubarak Prime Minister: Ahmad Nadhif Minister of Defense and Military Production: Field Marshal Muhammad Hussayn Tantawi Chief of General Staff: Lieutenant General Hamdi Wahaba Commander of the Air Force: Maj. Gen. Magdi Galal Sha'rawi Commander of the Navy: Vice Admiral Ahmad Saber Salim

**Area:** 1,000,258 sq. km. (dispute with Sudan over "Halaib triangle" area) **Population:** 73,300,000

#### Demography

Ethnic groups		
Arabs	72,127,200	98.4%
<ul> <li>Greeks, Italians, Armenians</li> </ul>	733,000	1.0%
Nubians	73,300	0.1%
• Others	366,500	0.5%
Religious groups		
Sunni Muslims	68,902,000	94.0%
Copts, other Christians	4,398,000	6.0%

#### Economic Data

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
GDP (current prices)	\$ bn	97.9	90.4	84.1	71.1	71.9
GDP per capita (current price)	\$	1,443	1,308	1,202	958	980.9
Real GDP growth	%	5.1	3.5	3.0	1.8	2.7
Consumer price index	%	2.7	2.3	2.7	4.3	10.5
External debt	\$ bn	29.2	29.3	30.8	32.0	33.8
Balance of payments						
• Exports fob	\$ bn	7.06	7.25	7.25	8.98	11.82
• Imports fob	\$ bn	-17.57	-15.8	-14.71	-15.0	-19.79
Current account balance	\$ bn	-0.82	0.25	0.85	3.87	1.89
(including services and						
income)						
Government expenditure						
Total expenditure	\$ bn	24.813	32.04	24.84	21.4	NA
• Defense expenditure *	\$ bn	2.46	2.61	2.75	NA	NA
• Real change in defense	%	0	-8.3	25.6	NA	NA
expenditure						
• Defense expenditure/GDP	%	2.48	2.59	3.35	NA	NA
Population	m	67.8	69.1	70.5	71.7	73.3
Official exchange rate	E£: \$1	3.47	3.97	4.5	5.84	6.20

Sources: EIU Quarterly Report, EIU Country Profile, IMF International Financial Statistical Yearbook, SIPRI Yearbook \* Published defense expenditure data apparently does not include \$1.3 bn annual

foreign military assistance from the USA.

Foreign	Military	Cooperation
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Туре	Details
<ul> <li>Foreign forces</li> </ul>	US forces as of September 2003 includes some 350
	soldiers; MFO's soldiers as follows: Australia (25),
	Canada (29), Colombia (358), Fiji (338), France (15),
	Hungary (41), Italy (75), New-Zeland (26), Norwey (4),
	Uruguay (60), US (687)
<ul> <li>Forces deployed</li> </ul>	Peninsula shield Force (2003), Georgia (UNOMIG),
Abroad	Liberia (UNMIL), Western Sahara (MINURSO), Sierra
	Leone (UNAMSIL), Democratic Republic of the Congo
	(MONUC), Sudan (Darfour region)
<ul> <li>Joint maneuvers</li> </ul>	France, GCC countries (2001), Germany(2001), Greece
	(2001), Italy(2004), Jordan (2001), Netherlands, Saudi
	Arabia (2004), Spain (2001), UK(2001), US (2005)

## **Arms Trade**

Arms Procurement and Security A	Assistance Received
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Country	Туре	Details
Austria	• Arms transfers	M-60 MBTs (2002)
Belarus	• Upgrading	Upgrading BTR-50 APC's (2002)
Germany	<ul> <li>Arms transfers</li> </ul>	Tiger class missile boats (2002)
Netherlands	<ul> <li>Arms transfers</li> </ul>	ACV's (2004)
Russia	<ul> <li>Arms transfers</li> </ul>	Upgrading of SA-6 SAMs (2002)
Ukraine	<ul> <li>Arms transfers</li> </ul>	An-74 aircraft (2004)
US	<ul> <li>Arms transfers</li> </ul>	AIM-9 Sidewinder AAMs (2004), airborne
		ESM systems (2003), UAVs (2002),
		Avenger SAMs (2005), F-16 simulators
		(2002), King Cobra fast attack crafts (2004),
		Harpoon anti-ship missiles (2003),
		M109A2/A3/A5 (2005), upgrading CH-47C
		helicopters (2002), engines for helicopters
		(2005), Hellfire anti-tank missiles (2002),
		AN/MPQ-64 radars (2002), UH-60L
		Blackhawk helicopters (2002), Gulfstream
		aircraft (2002), SeaSparrow SAMs (2003),
		Phalanx CIWS (2003), TARS
		reconnaissance systems (2003), HETs
		(2003), Seasprite helicopter (2002),
		Paveway II LGB's (2004), C-130H aircraft
		(2004), AGM-88 HARMs (2004)
	<ul> <li>Assistance</li> </ul>	\$1.3 billion grant (2005), some items from
		US drawdown, worth several hundred
		million dollars
	Cooperation in	Assembly of M1A1 tanks and M88A2
	arms production,	recovery vehicle (2003)
	assembly, R&D	

### Arms Sales and Security Assistance Extended

Country	Туре	Details
Iraq	• Training	Security personnel (2005)
North Korea	• Cooperation in arms production, assembly, R&D	Transfer of missile technology (2002)
PA	Training	Security personnel (2005)
US	• Facilities	Use of airfields at Cairo West, Qena, Inshas, Hurghada

#### **Defense Production**

	М	Р	Α
Weapons of mass destruction			
• Upgraded Scud B SSMs (with North Korean cooperation)	$\checkmark$		
Chemical agents (unconfirmed)	$\checkmark$		
• No-Dong (possible)		$\checkmark$	
Ground forces equipment			
• M1A1 tanks, with cooperation from US (some parts are			$\checkmark$
being produced in Egypt)			
<ul> <li>M88 Armored Recovery Vehicles</li> </ul>			$\checkmark$
• Fahd APCs (with FRG components and assistance)		$\checkmark$	
• 155mm GH 52 APU towed field gun (with Finnish assistance)		$\checkmark$	
Conversion of 122mm D-30 howitzers to 122mm AR SP howitzers	$\checkmark$		
• 130mm artillery pieces		$\checkmark$	
<ul> <li>122mm Saqr 18/30/36/45 MRLs</li> </ul>	$\checkmark$		
<ul> <li>Mortars</li> </ul>		$\checkmark$	
<ul><li>Nortars</li><li>Short-range SAMs (Saqr eye)</li></ul>			✓
<ul> <li>Conversion of 23mm AAGs to Sinai 23 SP AA systems</li> </ul>	✓		
(with French assistance)			
<ul> <li>Soviet design AAGs and small arms</li> </ul>		$\checkmark$	
<ul> <li>Upgrading of Russian tanks (with British assistance)</li> </ul>		$\checkmark$	
<ul> <li>Add-on armor to M-113 APCs</li> </ul>	$\checkmark$		
Tank tracks		$\checkmark$	
<ul><li>Fath minefield crossing systems (similar to Viper)</li></ul>		✓	
<ul> <li>Trucks and jeeps (with US)</li> </ul>		1	
<ul> <li>British tank guns</li> </ul>		√ -	
<ul><li>Mines, including scatterable</li></ul>	$\checkmark$	· •	
<ul><li>Magnetic mineclearing system</li></ul>	· ·	•	
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• Ammunition for artillery, tanks, and small arms Air force equipment	•		
		$\checkmark$	
• K-8/E Karakorum basic trainer and light attack aircraft		• •	
• Parts for F-16		<b>↓</b>	
Parts for Mirage 2000		• ✓	
• Parts for Mystère-Falcon 50 executive aircraft		• ✓	
• Aircraft fuel pods		<b>↓</b>	
• CBUs (US design)		•	
• Aerial bombs		v	
Navy equipment	/		
Timsah patrol boats	<b>v</b>		
• Type 83 patrol boats	✓		
Electronics		/	
<ul> <li>SAM electronics (in collaboration with UK)</li> </ul>		✓	

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	М	Р	Α
• Fire control system		$\checkmark$	
• Bassal artillery fire control system	$\checkmark$		
Simulators for rifle firing	$\checkmark$		
Optronics			
• Night vision devices		$\checkmark$	
Camera for imaging satellite		$\checkmark$	
Note: M – manufacture (indigenously developed) P – production under license			

A – assembly

# **Strategic Assets**

#### **NBC Capabilities**

#### Nuclear capability

22 MW research reactor from Argentina, completed 1997; 2 MW research reactor from the USSR, in operation since 1961. Party to the NPT. Safeguards agreement with the IAEA in force. Signed, but not ratified the African Nuclear Weapon Free Zone treaty (Treaty of Pelindaba).

#### Chemical weapons and protective equipment

Alleged continued research and possible production of chemical warfare agents. Alleged stockpile of chemical agents (mustard and nerve agents).

Personal protective equipment, Soviet type decontamination units, Fuchs (Fox) ABC detection vehicle (12), SPW-40 P2Ch ABC detection vehicle (small numbers). Refused to sign the CWC.

#### **Biological weapons**

Suspected biological warfare program, no details available. Not a party to the BWC.

#### **Ballistic Missiles**

Model	Launchers	Missiles	Since	Notes
• SS-1 (Scud B/	24	100	1973	Possibly some
Scud C)				upgraded
Future				
procurement				
<ul> <li>Scud C/ Project-T</li> </ul>		90		Locally produced
Vector				Unconfirmed
<ul> <li>No-Dong</li> </ul>		24		Alleged

Note: see also under Rockets.

#### Space Assets

Model	Туре	Notes
Satellites		
• NILESAT-1/2	Communication	Civilian
Ground stations		
• Aswan	Remote sensing	receiving and processing satellite
		images for desert research
Future procurement		
• DesertSat	Environmental	Monitoring coastal erosion,
		desertification and water resources
• EgyptSat 1	Remote sensing	100kg; a sun-synchronous, 668km
		orbit

## **Armed Forces**

Year	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
General data					
• Personnel (regular)	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000
<ul> <li>SSM launchers</li> </ul>	24	24	24	24	24
Ground Forces					
<ul> <li>Divisions</li> </ul>	12	12	12	12	12
<ul> <li>Total number of brigades</li> </ul>	49	49	49	49	49
Tanks	~3,000	~3,000	~3,000	~3,000	~3,100
	(3,585)	(3,585)	(3,605)	(3,605)	(3,705)
APCs/AFVs	~3,400	~3,400	~3,400	~3,680	~3,660
	(~5,300)	(~5,300)	(~5,300)	(~4,950)	(~4,950)
Artillery	~3,530	~3,530	~3,530	~3,530	~3,590
(including MRLs)	(~3,570)	(~3,570)	(~3,570)	(~3,570)	(~3,750)
Air Force					
<ul> <li>Combat aircraft</li> </ul>	481 (494)	505 (518)	505 (518)	505 (518)	505 (518)
<ul> <li>Transport aircraft</li> </ul>	44	48	48	44	48
Helicopters	~225	~225	~225	~230	~230
ir Defense					
orces					
<ul> <li>Heavy SAM batteries</li> </ul>	109	109	109	109	109
<ul> <li>Medium SAM batteries</li> </ul>	44	44	44	44	44
<ul> <li>Light SAM launchers</li> </ul>	105	105	105	105	105
Navy					
<ul> <li>Submarines</li> </ul>	4	4	4	4	4
Combat vessels	64	62	57	59	59
<ul> <li>Patrol crafts</li> </ul>	104	104	103	103	103

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#### Personnel

	Regular	Reserves	Total
Ground Forces	320,000	150,000	470,000
Air Force	30,000	20,000	50,000
Air Defense	80,000	70,000	150,000
Navy	20,000	14,000	34,000
Total	450,000	254,000	704,000
Paramilitary			
Coast Guard	2,000		2,000
<ul> <li>Frontier Corps</li> </ul>	6,000		6,000
Central	325,000		325,000
Security Forces			
<ul> <li>National Guard</li> </ul>	60,000		60,000
Border Guard	12,000		12,000

# **Ground Forces**

## Formations

	Corps/ armies	Divisions	Independent brigades/groups	Brigades in divisions
All Arms	2			
Armored		4	4	2 armd, 1 mech, 1 aty. Each
Mechanized		7	4	2 mech, 1 armd, 1 aty. Each
Infantry		1	2	
Airborne			1	
Paratroopers			1	
Special Forces			+	
Artillery			15	
SSM			2	
Total	2	12	~30	

Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
MBTs				
High quality				
• M1A1	755	~600	1992	
Medium and low				
quality				
• M60 A3	850	835	1981	
• M60 A1	700	600	1990	
• T-62	600	~550	1972	
• T-55	800	~500		Most in storage
Subtotal	2,950	~2,500		
Total	3,705	~3,100		
Future procurement				
• M1A1	125			Last 125 kits to be assembled between 2005 – 2008
• M-60	170			To be used as spear parts
• T-62				Under negotiations

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Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
APCs				
• M113 A2	1,456	1,280	1980	52 M-901 ITV
• BMR-600	250	250	1983	
• Fahd	165	160	1986	
• OT-62/BTR-50	1,100	+		Possibly phased out
Subtotal	~2,970	~1,690		
IFVs				
• YPR-765	600	600	1996	200 with TOW under armor
• BMP-1	220	220		
• V-150/V-300 commando	~180	~180		
Subtotal	~1,000	~1,000		
Reconnaissance				
• BRDM-2	300	300	1968	
• BTR-40/152	~675	~675		
Subtotal	~975	~975		
Total	~4,950	~3,660		
Future procurement				
• BTR-50-PKM	100			
• YPR-765	432			

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Artillery
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Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
Self-propelled guns				
and howitzers				
• 155mm M109	365	200	1984	
A2/A3				
• 122mm SP122	124	124	1987	
Subtotal	489	324		
Towed guns and				
howitzers				
• 130mm	+	+		
M-46/Type-59				
• 122mm D-30	+	+		
Subtotal	~970	~970		
Mortars, over				
160mm				
• 240mm	+	+		
• 160mm	60	60		
Subtotal	~60	~60		
Mortars, under				
160mm				
• 120mm M-43	1,800	1,800		
• 107mm M-30 SP	100	100		On M106 chassis
Subtotal	1,900	1,900		
MRLs		,		
• 122mm BM-11	100	100		
• 122mm BM-21	+	+		
• 122mm Saqr	200	200		
18/30/36/45				
• MLRS-ER	26	26		
Subtotal	~326	~326		
Rockets				
• FROG-7	12	12		
• 210mm Saqr 80	*	*		
Subtotal	~12	~12		
Total	~3,750	~3,590		
Future procurement		,		
• 155mm GH 52 APU	+			To be produced in Egypt
• 155mm M109 A5	200			Delivery to be completed by 2003

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Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
Artillery/mortar	3			
locating radars				
• AN/TPQ-36	6	6	1999	
• AN/TPQ-37	2	2	1989	
Future procurement				
• AN/TPQ-37				

#### Logistic and Engineering Equipment

Bar mine-laying system, EWK pontoon bridges, GSP self-propelled ferries, M-123 Viper minefield crossing system or al-Fatah Egyptian Viper-like system, MT-55 bridging tanks, MTU-55 bridging tanks, Egyptian bridging tanks (on T-34 chassis), mine-clearing rollers, PMP folding pontoon bridges, PRP motorized bridges, M88 ARV (66), M1070 HETs (135) **Future procurement** 

M88 ARV (21)

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#### Anti-Tank Missiles

Model	Launchers	Missiles	Since	Notes
• BGM-71C/D/E	~870	+		
TOW II				
• M-901 ITV	52	+		Also listed under
				APCs
• YPR-765 (TOW	200	+	1996	Also listed under
under armor)				APCs
• MILAN	250	+	1978	
<ul> <li>AT-3 (Sagger)</li> </ul>		1,400	1972	
<ul> <li>Swingfire</li> </ul>	200	+	1976	
• TOW IIA/B	540			
Total	~2,110	+		

# Air Force

Order-of-Battle			
Category	Quantity	In service	Notes
Combat	518	505	
Transport	48	48	
<ul> <li>Helicopters</li> </ul>	~226	~226	

Combat Aircraft				
Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
Advanced multi-role				
• F-16C/D	177	177	1986	
• F-16A/B	40	34	1982	Will be upgraded to F-16C/D standard
• Mirage 2000	18	18	1986	
Subtotal	235	229		
Multi-role				
• F-4E Phantom	32	25	1980	
Ground attack				
<ul> <li>Alpha Jet and Alpha Jet MS-2</li> </ul>	42	42	1983	Defined in Egypt as CAS aircraft
Obsolete				
• F-7 Shenyang/ MiG-21 MF	150	150	1972	14 listed also under
• Mirage 5	59	59	1974	reconnaissance 6 listed also under reconnaissance
Subtotal	209	209		
Total	518	505		

## Transport Aircraft

Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
• An-74T-200A	1	1	2005	
Beechcraft 1900C	6	6	1988	4 in various surveillance roles
<ul> <li>Boeing 707</li> </ul>	1	1	1974	
• C-130H/C-130H-30 Hercules	24	24	1978/1990	2 in various surveillance roles
<ul> <li>DHC-5D Buffalo</li> </ul>	9	9	1982	
Gulfstream III/ V	4	4	1985/1996	
<ul> <li>Mystère-Falcon 20</li> </ul>	3	3		
Total	48	48		
Future procurement				
<ul> <li>Gulfstream G-4 SP</li> </ul>	2			
• An-74T-200A	3			Being delivered

# Training and Liaison Aircraft

Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
Jet trainers				
• Alpha Jet and Alpha Jet MS-2			1983	Also listed under combat aircraft
• L-59	48	48	1993	
• L-29 (Delfin)	30	30	1972	
<ul> <li>L-39 (Albatross)</li> </ul>	10	10	1990	
Subtotal	88	88		
Piston/Turbo-prop				
• G 115E	~40	~40	2000	
• Embraer EMB-312 (Tucano)	54	54	1984	
<ul> <li>K-8 Karakorum</li> </ul>	+	+		
<ul> <li>al-Gumhuriya</li> </ul>	36	36	1973	
Subtotal	130	130		
Total	218	218		
Future procurement				
• G 115E	74			Total order – being delivered
<ul> <li>K-8 Karakorum</li> </ul>	80			-

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Helicopters Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
Attack				
• AH-64A Apache	35	35	1995	
• SA-342 L/M	65	65	1983	
Gazelle				
Subtotal	100	100		
Heavy transport				
• CH-47C/D Chinook	19	19	1981	16 of which are CH-47D
Medium transport				
• Mi-8 (Hip)	~40	~40	1972	Some may be armed
• S-70A Black Hawk	2	2		VIP service
• Westland	25	25	1974	
Commando Mk 2				
Subtotal	~65	~65		
Light transport				
• UH-12E Hiller	17	17	1982	
Naval combat				
• SH-2G Seasprite	11	11	1997	
• SA-342L Gazelle	9	9	1983	
<ul> <li>Westland Sea King</li> </ul>	5	5	1976	
Mk 47				
Subtotal	25	25		
Total	~230	~230		
Future procurement				
• AH-64D Apache	35			Upgrading of existing AH-64 beginning 2003
• CH-47D Chinook	3			Upgrading of existing CH- 47C
• UH-60L Blackhawk	2			VIP

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# Miscellaneous Aircraft

Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
Reconnaissance				
• MiG-21R	14	14		Also listed under Combat Aircraft
• Mirage 5DR	6	6	1974	Also listed under Combat Aircraft
AEW/AWACS				
• E-2C Hawkeye	4	3	1986	Being upgraded
• E-2C Hawkeye 2000	2	2	2003	
ELINT/maritime				
surveillance/ASW				
• Beechcraft 1900C	4	4	1992	Also listed under Transport Aircraft
UAVs and mini-				1
UAVs				
Kader	+	+		
• R4E-50 Skyeye	48	48		
Camcopter UAV	2	2		
324 Scarab	50	50		
Target drones				
• CT-20	+	+		
<ul> <li>Beech AQM-37A</li> </ul>	+	+		
<ul> <li>Beech MQM-107B</li> </ul>	+	+		
• TTL BTT-3	Several	Several		
Banshee	dozens	dozens		
Future procurement				
• E-2C Hawkeye	6			
• C-130H	2	2	1978	Also listed under Transport Aircraft

#### **Advanced Armament**

Air-to-air-missiles AIM-7F/ M Sparrow (550), AIM-9L/P Sidewinder (1,100), R-550 Magic, R-530D Super Air-to-ground missiles AGM-65 Maverick (1,100), AS-30L, AGM-114 Hellfire (1,000), HOT, GBU-15 (50), GBU-12 (390) Avionics LANTIRN (30) Future Procurement LANTIRN (15), AGM-114K3 Hellfire (459), tactical reconnaissance systems (6), RIM-7M Sparrow (511), AIM-9M-1/2 Sidewinder (414), AGM-84 Harpoon (10), AGM-88 HARM Note: Numbers in parentheses refer to number of units purchased, not to current

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#### Air Force Infrastructure

Aircraft sheltersIn all operational airfields, for combat aircraftMilitary airfields :28Abu Hammad, Abu Suweir, Alexandria, Aswan, Beni Suef, Bilbeis, CairoInternational, Cairo West, Fayid, Hurghada, Inshas, Janaklis, Jebel al-Basour, Kabrit,<br/>Kom Awshim, Luxor, al-Maza, al-Minya, Mansura, Marsah Matruh, Qena,<br/>al-Qutamiya, Saqqara, Sidi Barani, Ras Banas, Salahiya, Tanta, al-Zaqaziq

# **Air Defense Forces**

# Surface-to-Air Missiles

Model	Batteries	Launchers	Since	Notes
Heavy missiles				
MIM-23B Improved	16		1981	
HAWK				
• SA-2 (Guideline)	40		1965	
• SA-3 SP	50		2001	S-125 Pechora 2
• SA-3 (Goa)	3		1965	Being upgraded
Total	109			
Medium missiles				
Crotale	12		1977	
• SA-6 (Kub)	14		1972	Being upgrade
• Sparrow	18			Included in Skyguard AA system
Total	44			•
Light missiles				
• MIM-72A		80		
Chaparral				
<ul> <li>Avenger</li> </ul>		25		
Total		105		
Shoulder-launched				
missiles				
<ul> <li>Ain al-Saqr (Saqr</li> </ul>		+		
Eye)				
• SA-7 (Grail)		~ 2,000	1972	
Future procurement				
• Avenger		25		

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Other	Air	Defense	Systems

Model	Quantity	In service	Since	Notes
Air defense systems				
(missiles, radars and				
guns)				
Skyguard AD system	18	18		Egyptian designation: Amoun
• Sinai 23mm AD system	~45	~45		
Total	~65	~65		
Short-range guns				
• 57mm ZSU 57x2 SP	40	40		
• 35mm	36	36		Integral part of
Oerlikon-Buhrle 35x2 GDF-002				Skyguard AD systems
• 23mm ZSU 23x4 SP (Gun Dish)	360	360		
• 23mm ZU 23x2	117	117		
Total	553	553		
Radars				
• AN/TPS-59(V)2	5	5		Being upgraded to V(3) version
• AN/TPS-59/M34	8	8	1991	Being Upgraded
• AN/TPS-63	42	42		10
<ul> <li>P-15 Flat Face</li> </ul>	+	+	1973	
<ul> <li>P-12 Spoon Rest</li> </ul>	+	+	1973	
• TRS-2100 (Tiger S)	15	15		
Future procurement				
• SPS 48E	6	6		
• AN/MPQ-64	12			

# Navy

# Submarines

Туре	Quantity	Length (m.)/ displacement (t.)	Notes/armament
• R class (Romeo ex- Chinese)	4	76.6/1,830	Sub-Harpoon SSM 8x533mm torpedoes 28 mines Operational status doubtful
Future procurement			
<ul> <li>Moray class</li> </ul>	2		Project probably canceled
• Type 206A	+		Under negotiations

#### Combat Vessels

Туре	Quantity	Length (m.) / displacement (t.)	Notes/armament
Missile frigates			
• El-Suez class (Descubierta)	2	88.8/1,233	8xHarpoon SSMs 24xAspide SAMs 6x324mm torpedoes 1x375mm ASW launcher 1x76mm gun 2x40mm guns
<ul> <li>Jianghu class</li> </ul>	2	103.2/1,425	4xHai Ying-II SSMs 4x57mm guns 12x37mm guns 2 RBU 1200 ASW mortars
Damiat Class (Knox)	2	134/3,011	1x Seasprite helicopter 8xHarpoon SSMs 1x127mm gun 1x20mm Phalanx 4x324mm torpedoes
• Mubarak class (Oliver Hazard Perry)	4	135.6/2,750	2xSeasprite helicopters 4xHarpoon SSMs 36xStandard SAM 1x76mm gun 1x20mm Phalanx 6x324mm torpedoes
Subtotal MFPBs	10		
• Tiger (Type 148)	5	47/234	4xMM38 Exocet SSMs 1x76mm gun 1x40mm gun mines

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Туре	Quantity	Length (m.) / displacement (t.)	Notes/armament
• Hegu class	4	27.0/88	2xSY-1 SSMs or 2xSS-N-2 Styx 2x23mm guns Additional 2 non- operational
• October class (Komar)	4	25.5/82.0	2xOtomat SSMs 4x30mm guns Additional 2 non- operational
• Ossa I	3	38.6/171	4x SS-N-2A Styx SA-N-5 Grail 4x30mm guns Additional 3 non- operational
• Ramadan (Vosper Thornycroft)	6	52.0/307	4xOtomat SSMs 1x76mm gun 2x40mm guns SA-N-5 portable SAMs Command and control systems to be upgraded
Subtotal	22		10
Mine warfare vessels			
• T-43 class minesweeper	3	58.0/580	4x37mm guns 20 mines 2 non-operational
• Swiftships coastal minesweeper	3	33.8/203	°F
Yurka class     minesweeper	4	52.4/540	4x30mm guns 10 mines
• Swiftships route survey	2	27.4/165	
Subtotal Gunboats	12		
Hainan class	5	58.8/375	4x57mm guns 4x23mm guns additional 3 non- operational
• Shanghai II	4	38.8/113	4x37mm guns 4x23mm guns
Shershen class	6	34.7/145	SA-N-5 portable SAM 4x30mm guns 2x122mm MRL
Subtotal <b>Total</b>	15 <b>59</b>		

Туре	Quantity	Length (m.) / displacement (t.)	Notes/armament
Future procurement <ul> <li>King Cobra MFPBs</li> </ul>	3		76mm/62 MK 75 gun MK 31 guided missile weapons system

# Patrol Craft

Туре	Quantity	Length (m.) / displacement (t.)	Notes/armament
<ul> <li>Sea Spectre Mk 3</li> </ul>	12	19.8/37	
Peterson	9	13.9/18	
Peterson	3	15.5/20	
• Crestitalia	6	21.0/36	2x30mm guns 1x20mm gun
• DC 35 type	29	10.7/4	-
• Nisr class (de Castro)	5	31.0/110	2-4x25mm guns 1x122mm MRL
• Swiftships	9	28.4/102	2x23mm guns 1x20mm gun
• Timsah class	21	30.5/106	2x30mm guns or 2x20mm guns
• Type 83	9	25.5/85	2x23mm guns 1x20mm gun
Total	103		-
Future procurement			
• Swift Protector Class patrol boats	6	25	

### Landing Craft

Туре	Quantity	Length (m.) / displacement (t.)	Notes/armament
Polnochny class LSM	3	73.0/800	2x30mm guns 2x140mm MRL 6 tanks or 350 tons
• Vydra class LCU	9	54.8/425	4x37mm guns 200 troops or 250 tons
Seafox	4	11/11.3	Swimmers delivery craft
• Hovercraft SAH-220	3		
Total	19		
Future procurement			
• US-made landing ship			

Туре	Quantity	Length (m.) / displacement (t.)	Notes/armament
Black Swan class	1	91.2/1,925	6x102mm guns
frigate (training)			4x37mm guns
			no longer serviceable
• El Fateh (Zenith,	1	110.6/1,730	2xSA-N-5 SAMs
Wessex)			4x115mm guns
			6x37mm guns
			2x40mm guns
			8x533mm torpedoes
			used for harbor training
<ul> <li>Niryat diving support</li> </ul>	2		
<ul> <li>Okhtensky (tug)</li> </ul>	5	47.6/930	
Poluchat II torpedo recovery	1	29.6/100	
• Toplivo 2 class tanker	6	53.7/1,029	500 ton diesel
<ul> <li>Training ships</li> </ul>	6		1 Sekstan; 1 Kousser;
			Intishat – 500 ton; 2 YST,
			1 Aida – 3,300 ton
• Shaladien (Lunbourg) support ship	1	114.3/3,709	4X40mm guns
• Hala'ib (Westerwald) ammunition transport	1	105/3,460	2X40mm guns
Future procurement			
Al-Hurreye		1,600t	Launched January 2004

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#### **Special Maritime Forces**

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Туре	Quantity	Length (m.) / displacement (t.)	Notes/armament	
• FX-100 SPV	+			
<ul> <li>Rigid Raiders RIBs</li> </ul>	+	5.2/0.87	8 troops	
Total				

### Coastal Defense

Туре	Quantity	Notes
<ul> <li>OTOMAT</li> </ul>	3 batteries	
• HY-2	+	
Total	~30 launchers	unconfirmed

#### **Naval Infrastructure**

Naval bases : 8

Abu Qir (naval academy), Alexandria, Hurghada, Marsa Matruh, Port Said, Safaga, Suez, Berenice (Ras Banas)

Ship maintenance and repair facilities

Alexandria (including construction up to 20,000 dwt), Port Said, Ismailiya