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Measuring Wastage and Efficiency of the Basic Education in Egypt during 1993-2005

The Study focuses on the investigation of the phenomenon of wastage and overall efficiency of the basic education stage in Egypt (primary, Preparatory).

The Study aims to portray the current status of the basic education stage in Egypt through indicating the present levels and growth of basic elements of the infrastructure of the stage, to evaluate the performance of the education system in Egypt and to investigate the effect of school dropout has on the loss of school life. Also to determine the factors affecting attainment and wastage ratios among the children of the basic education stage in Egypt and to assess the relative contribution of those factors to the amount of wastage.

The study used the logistic regression model.