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60

**Global Rank**

102

**Regional Rank**

4

**Best and worst performing indicators since 2015**

**Best**

- Extent to which laws criminalise, protect or recognise sexual orientation and same-sex conduct
- Proportion of women with access to internet services
- Extent to which the delegation representing the country at the COP meeting is gender balanced

**Worst**

- Proportion of women (15+ years) who report they are satisfied with the quality of air where they live
- Tax revenue as a percentage of GDP
- Military expenditure as a percentage of GDP

**Scoring system**

- Fast progress: Increase by >3 points
- Some progress: Increased by <3 points and >1 point
- No progress: Less than +1 or -1 change in points
- Decline or Wrong direction: Decline by more than -1 point

If current trends continue, a girl born this year will be in her thirties before all women in Botswana have access to family planning.

Find out how old you will be!