Egypt
Middle East and North Africa

If historic trends continue, the world won’t achieve gender equality until 2108.
How is Egypt performing on gender equality in the SDGs?

The SDG Gender Index covers 144 countries, 98% of the world’s girls and women, and 14 of 17 Sustainable Development Goals. It includes 56 indicators capturing gender-related measures across the 2030 Agenda.

2015 Index score 2020 Index score Global Rank Regional Rank

57 → 62 → 96 → 12

Very poor Poor Fast progress out of 144 countries out of 16 countries

If current trends continue, a girl born this year will not in her lifetime see that all women in Egypt have access to family planning. Find out how old you will be!

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Best and worst performing indicators since 2015

Best

- Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments
- Extent to which the delegation representing the country at the COP meeting is gender balanced
- Proportion of women with access to internet services

Worst

- Extent to which laws criminalise, protect or recognise sexual orientation and same-sex conducts
- Proportion of women (15+ years) who report they did not have enough money to provide adequate shelter or housing in the past 12 months
- Proportion of women (15+ years) who report they are satisfied with the quality of roads in city or area where they live

Score by goal for 2015 and 2020

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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

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