

Jamaica

Latin America and the Caribbean

EQUAL MEASURES 2030

If historic trends continue, the world won't achieve gender equality until 2108. How is Jamaica 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.



If current trends continue, a girl born this year will

not in her lifetime



see that there are reasonable laws in Jamaica to protect gender equality at work

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Best and worst performing indicators since 2015

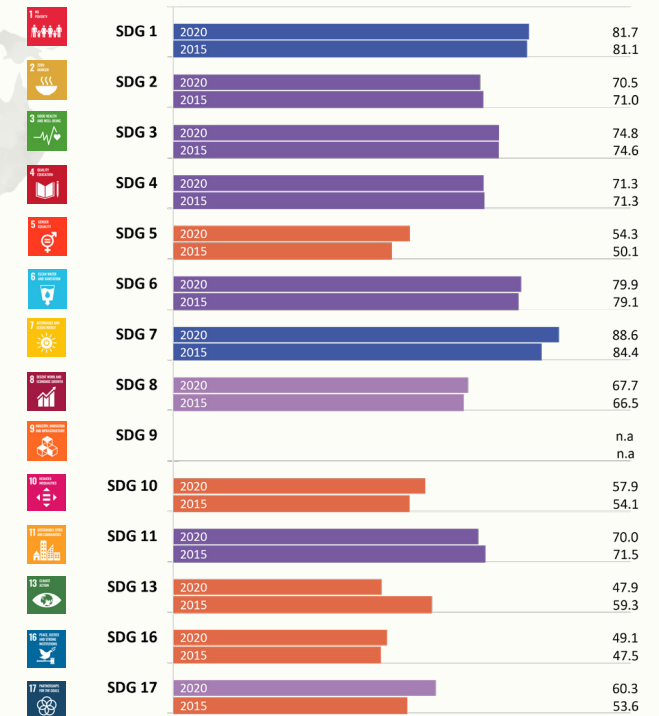
Best

- Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments
- Proportion of women with access to internet services
- Openness of statistics - Indicator coverage and disaggregation

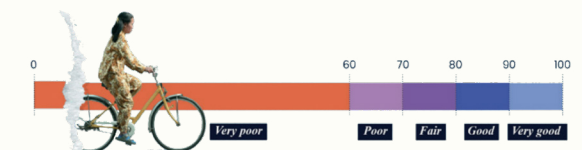
Worst

- Extent to which the delegation representing the country at the COP meeting is gender balanced
- Military expenditure as a percentage of GDP
- Proportion of women (15+ years) who report they did not have enough money to provide adequate shelter or housing in the past 12 months

Score by goal for 2015 and 2020



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

