

# Nicaragua

Latin America and the Caribbean

**If historic trends continue, the world won't achieve gender equality until 2108. How is Nicaragua 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 all women in Nicaragua say they feel safe walking alone at night

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## Best and worst performing indicators since 2015

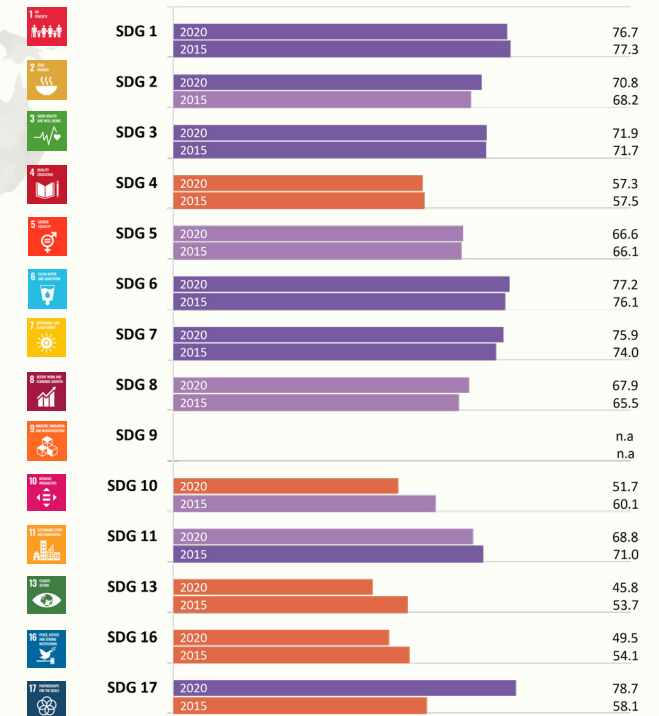
**Best**

- Extent to which a national budget is broken down by factors such as gender, age, income, or region
- Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments
- Proportion of women who hold a bank account at a financial institution

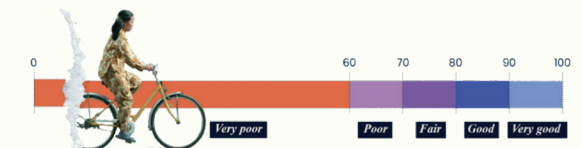
**Worst**

- Extent to which women can openly discuss political issues in private and in public spaces
- Extent to which the delegation representing the country at the COP meeting is gender balanced
- Proportion of ministerial/senior government positions held by women

## 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

