

EDGE's major achievements

A dynamic data portal

For comparable gender indicators:
<http://genderstats.un.org/>

Guidelines on Asset Ownership

For the production of statistics on asset ownership from a gender perspective

Technical report on Entrepreneurship

For the production of statistics on entrepreneurship from a gender perspective

Capacity Development

On gender statistics for national statisticians

Sustainability

Through training materials and an e-learning platform

Innovations and research advancements

Innovations on measuring asset statistics and advancements in the research on measuring entrepreneurship from a gender perspective

EDGE's background

Building on the work of the Inter-Agency and Expert Group on Gender Statistics (IAEG-GS)

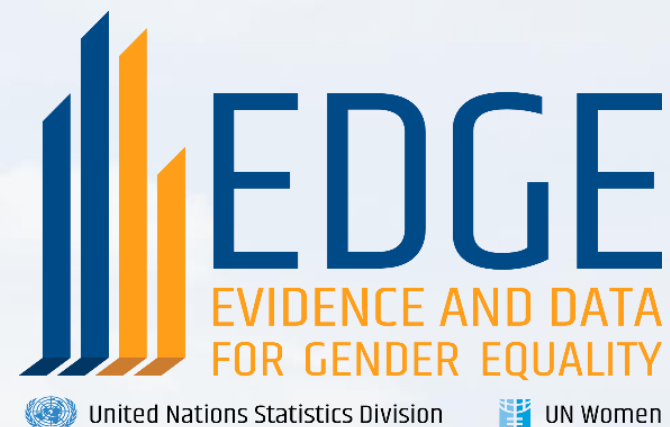
Guided by a steering committee

Funded by the Governments of Australia, Canada, Germany, Ireland, Republic of Korea and USA

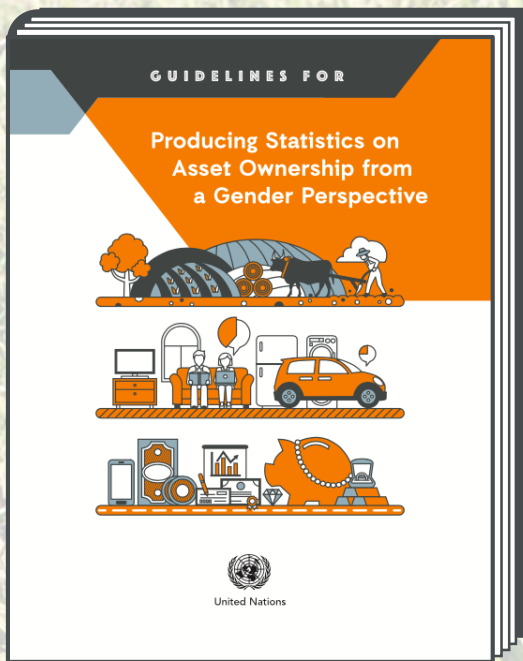
Implemented in partnership with the NSOs of Georgia, the Maldives, Mexico, Mongolia, the Philippines, South Africa and Uganda, ADB, FAO, ILO, OECD, and the World Bank

Received wide support from NSOs, international & regional agencies, and experts in: household surveys, sampling design, gender statistics, System of National Accounts, and gender & property rights

More about EDGE:
<https://unstats.un.org/edge/>



Seeking to accelerate existing efforts to improve Evidence and Data for Gender Equality



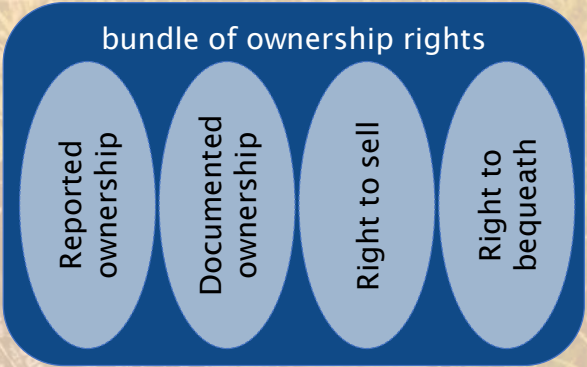
Purpose of the Guidelines

- Collecting
- Processing
- Analyzing
- Disseminating



Methodological innovations

Broader definition of ownership, as a:



From household level ownership ➔ To individual ownership

From proxy-reported ➔ To self-reported data

Gender lens integrated in every step of data collection

Indicators responding to a variety of gender-relevant policy questions

Options for data collection:

- Appending a minimum set of questions
- Appending a module
- Stand-alone survey

Why collecting asset ownership data from a gender perspective?

Women's asset ownership is key to their empowerment. Assets are associated with:



- Better development outcomes and overall wellbeing
- Reduction in vulnerability when household dissolves
- Increased bargaining power in the household

With the following 3 objectives:

- 1 Measuring the gender asset gap
- 2 Measuring the gender wealth gap
- 3 Measuring the gender distribution of asset ownership and wealth within the household