HIGH COMMISSION FOR PLANNING — MOROCCO

International Workshop on Gender Statistics
Wuhan, China — 28-30 July 2026

Dissemination, communication and use of gender data in Morocco

One ecosystem, many channels — bringing gender data to every audience

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Strategic Vision: Beyond Data Production

Citizen ownership

Turning raw data into tools for social understanding and gender awareness at every level of society.

International norms

Full alignment with UN and OECD standards for transparency, reliability and global comparability.

Policy impact

Data storytelling that informs public policies and guides national decision-making for gender equality.

PROOF OF CREDIBILITY

Global Recognition: A Leader in Open Data

1st

in Africa for Open Data

ODIN 2024 ranking — Open Data Watch

24th worldwide

out of 198 countries evaluated — a jump of 11 places since 2022.

Openness score: 87 / 100

clear recognition of Morocco's data accessibility and transparency.

The driver

a complete overhaul of the digital ecosystem and the integration of SDG tracking platforms.

JUST APPROVED · 2 JULY 2026

A Strategic Turning Point for the HCP

On 2 July 2026, the Council of Government approved two bills that reshape Morocco's statistical governance — with direct consequences for how data will be disseminated, used and trusted.

Bill 47.26 — a new status

The HCP becomes a **good-governance institution** (Art. 159 of the Constitution), with legal personality and administrative & financial autonomy.

Independence guaranteed

Independence, neutrality, integrity and objectivity guaranteed by law — the foundation of public trust in official statistics.

Bill 46.26 — the statistical system

A renewed legal framework, a **National Council of Statistical Information**, and a permanent consultation body with all public data producers.

Beyond data production

A new mandate for the HCP: strategic coordination, monitoring & evaluation of development policies, with a stronger regional and territorial dimension.

What it changes for dissemination: more trust (independence) · more coherence (coordinated producers) · more accountability (annual report debated in Parliament) · more territorial data for local users

Five Families of Channels

Print & analysis — Flagship reports and thematic notes for policy-makers.

Web platforms — The SDG monitoring platform and national & regional statistical databases.

Interactive tools — A citizen simulator that turns statistics into personal stories.

Open microdata — Anonymized files and a secure Data Room for researchers.

Direct dialogue — Workshops, partnerships and training for data users.

…and one gateway that brings everything together: the StatGenre Maroc platform.

One Flagship Report, Many Thematic Notes

"The Moroccan Woman in Figures"

A 20 years of continuous tracking of the status of women, published every year on the tenth of October, Morocco's National Women's Day.

www.hcp.ma/downloads/Femme-marocaine-en-chiffres_t22448.html

Thematic notes on key dates:

8 MARCH 2026

Information Note — International Women's Day 2026

www.hcp.ma/Note-d-information-a-l-occasion-de-la-Journee-Internationale-des-Femmes-2026_a4262.html

12 JUNE 2026

Note — World Day Against Child Labour 2026

www.hcp.ma/Note-a-l-occasion-de-la-journee-mondiale-contre-le-travail-des-enfants-2026_a4320.html

MARCH 2025

Violence against Children in Morocco — Report & Summary (with UN Women & EU)

www.hcp.ma/downloads/Violence-a-l-egard-des-femmes_t22384.html

Every key date becomes a data moment.

Platforms for Dynamic, Disaggregated Data

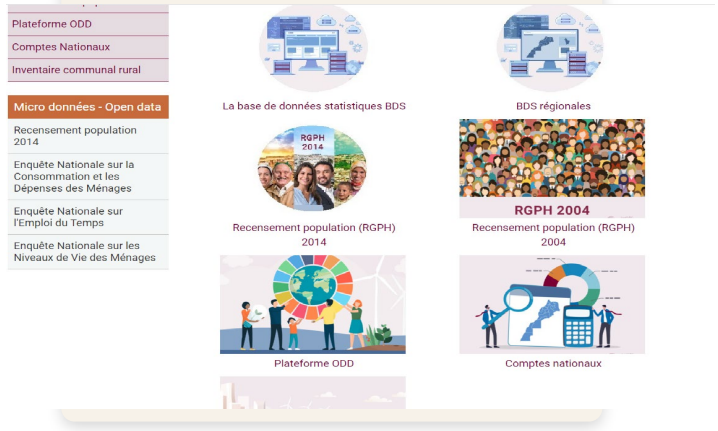
The SDG platform: interactive tracking of SDGs including Goal 5 indicators and metadata, aligned with UN standards.

The statistical databases (BDS): about 1,000 disaggregated indicators, national and regional versions.

Open by design: interactive queries, Excel downloads, and automatic data exchange with our partners using the international SDMX standard.

SDG platform

Statistical database (BDS)



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“Simulate Your Time Use”

A citizen web app designed primarily for young people :
:enter your profile — age, sex, place of residence — and compare your typical day with the real national averages from the Time Use Survey.

Open to all: bilingual (Arabic/French), mobile-friendly, no registration required.

Simple by design: bar charts, timelines and icons instead of statistical jargon.

The goal: humanize statistics, and start a conversation in society about the division of labour at home.

www.hcp.ma/Simuler-votre-emploi-du-temps_a2889.html

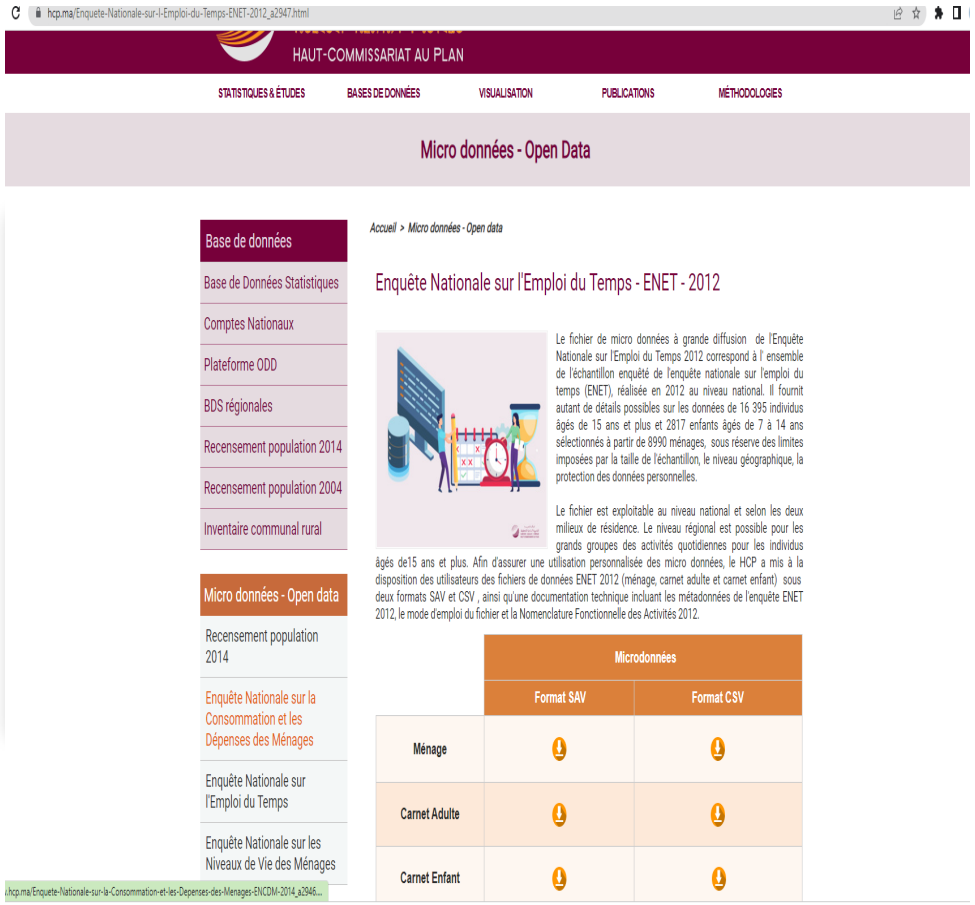
Advanced Access for Research and experts

Open formats: anonymized raw data files (CSV, SAV) published online, freely, for experts and researchers

The Data Room: a secure space — physical and virtual — for advanced modeling under strict statistical confidentiality.

SDMX standard: automated, interoperable data exchange with national and international partners.

The payoff: econometric modeling and intersectional gender studies for evidence-based policy.



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CHANNEL 5 · DIRECT DIALOGUE

The Human Channel: Dialogue & Partnerships

Workshops & conferences

Debating newly produced results with decision-makers and sector experts.

Strategic partnerships

Active synergy with UN Women, UNECA ….and government departments.

Statistical mediation

Regional workshops turning indicators into territorial equality plans.

Capacity building

Training programs and toolkits for data users — NGOs , journalists and administrative staff.

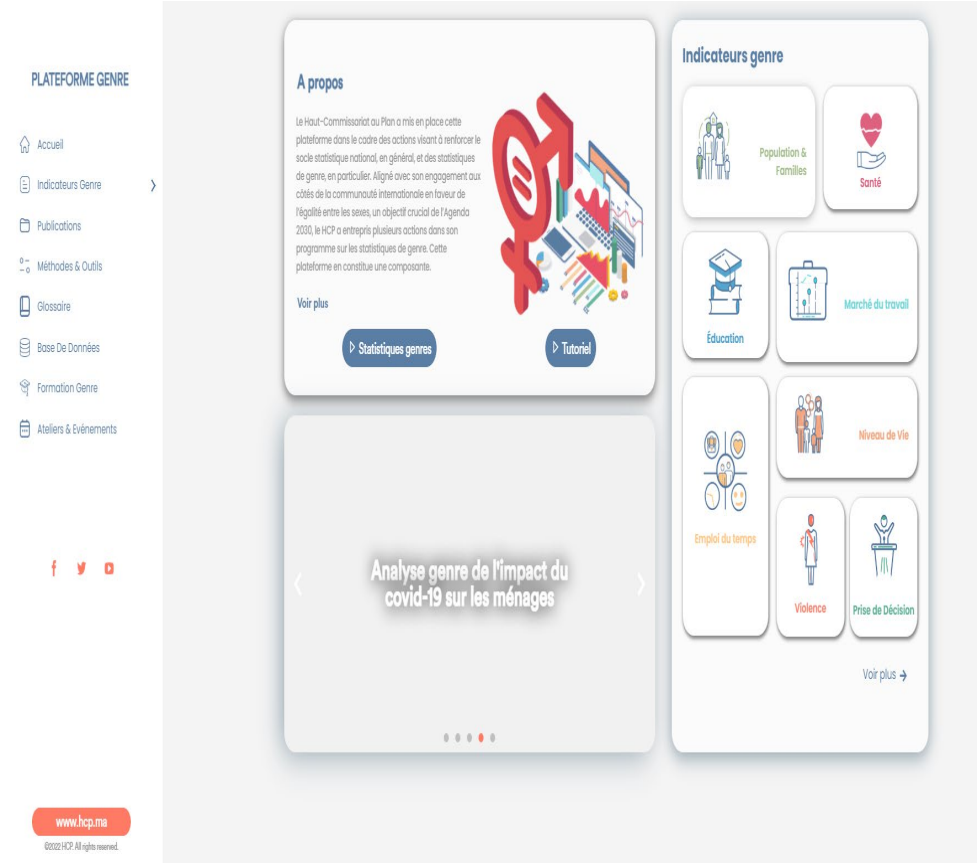
StatGenre Maroc: One Address for Everything Gender

Everything in one place: indicators, publications, videos, news, methods, glossary and useful links.

Every domain covered: population & family, health, education, labour, time use, living standards, violence, decision-making.

For every audience: the platform gathers all the channels of this presentation behind a single, user-friendly door.

genre.hcp.ma



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WHAT IT CHANGES

Results and Impacts of Digital Dissemination

- Strong media visibility and presence on social networks.
- Increased public engagement, particularly among youth and researchers.
- Improved understanding of gender equality and time-use dynamics.
- Strengthened public trust in official statistics.
- A significant contribution to a national statistical culture.

LOOKING AHEAD

Weaknesses to Overcome

Reading our dissemination ecosystem through the lens of the UN framework for official statistics — the Fundamental Principles, UNSD guidance on gender statistics, and the Cape Town Global Action Plan: *— data must be visible, understood and used.*

Freshness — time lags between collection and release reduce the relevance of data (timeliness & punctuality — UN National Quality Assurance Framework)

Reach — platforms remain underused; data is produced but not always visible to citizens (Fundamental Principle 1: citizens' entitlement to public information and equal access)

Language —publications are not yet available in English, limiting international visibility (global comparability & SDG reporting requirements)

Understanding — non-experts still struggle to interpret statistics without mediation (UNSD Handbook on Integrating a Gender Perspective into Statistics: user-oriented dissemination and statistical literacy)

Use — data informs reports more than decisions — the gap UNSD calls to close: "turning data into decisions" (Cape Town Global Action Plan, pillar on data dissemination and use)

International/Continental visibility — national gender data are still insufficiently reflected in global

Our roadmap in one sentence: with its new status — independent, autonomous, coordinating all data producers and reporting annually to Parliament (Bills 46.26 & 47.26) — the HCP now holds the institutional levers to overcome each of these weaknesses, in full alignment with the UN Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics and UNSD guidance on gender statistics.

Thank You for Your Attention

“Towards open, interactive and inclusive dissemination”