The Minimum Set of Gender Indicators
the new data platform

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Background

• Internationally-agreed indicators to monitor gender equality and women’s empowerment
  — Quantitative indicators (52)
  — Qualitative indicators related to national norms (11)

• Five domains
  — Economic structures, participation in productive activities and access to resources
  — Education
  — Health and related services
  — Human rights of women and the girl child
  — Public life and decision-making
Organization of indicators in Tiers

Tier I (37)
- Indicators conceptually clear, with an agreed international definition and regularly produced by countries

→ International data compilation

Tier II (8)
- Indicators conceptually clear, with an agreed international definition, but not yet regularly produced by countries

→ Promoting capacity building activities

Tier III (7)
- Indicators for which international standards need still to be developed and not regularly produced by countries

→ Methodological developments – e.g., EDGE project
Development of the Minimum Set of Gender Indicators

1st IAEG-GS meeting: developing a common dissemination platform specifically geared to increase accessibility and promote the use of gender statistics and indicators at the global and national levels.

- Developing indicators through the Advisory Group on Global Gender Statistics and Indicators Database
- Indicators agreed by the IAEG-GS
- Indicators approved by the Statistical Commission
- Online data platform available
- New data platform available

Timeline:
- 2006
- 2007-2011
- 2012
- 2013
- 2014
- 2016
The NEW Gender Data Platform

- Contribution from 14 partner agencies
- Data for all Tier I indicators (35) and all Tier-II indicators (8)
- Improved access to data and methods
- Visualisation by indicator, country and data availability
- Interactive
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