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<i>Statement provided by:</i> Director-General for Policy Planning on Statistical Policy, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications (MIC), Government of Japan	
<i>Statement:</i> <p>We appreciate the “Statistical framework for measuring the gender-related killings of women and girls (also referred to as ‘femicide/feminicide’)”, as it is based on global discussions to date, such as General Recommendation No. 35 of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, General Assembly Resolution 70/176: “Taking action against gender-related killing of women and girls”, and discussions within the Commission on the Status of Women.</p> <p>On the other hand, since the modality of statistics relating to crime varies from state to state, flexibility should be ensured when implementing and producing statistics on femicide, depending on the situation in each country or region.</p>	
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