

GENDER-RELATED DEVELOPMENT INDEX: SELECTED COUNTRIES

Gender-Related Development Index		Life Expectancy (years)		Adult Literacy Rate (%)		Gross Enrollment Ratios		Earned Income per Capita (PPPS)	
Country	Rank	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M
Iceland	1	83.1	79.9	99.0	99.0	101*	90	28,637	40,000
Canada	4	82.6	77.9	99.0	99.0	101	98	25,448	40,000
United States	16	80.4	75.2	99.0	99.0	98	89	25,005	40,000
Mauritius	63	75.8	69.1	80.5	88.2	75	76	7,407	18,098
Tunisia	83	75.6	71.5	65.3	83.4	79	74	3,748	12,924
Cape Verde	93	73.8	67.5	75.5	87.8	66	67	3,087	8,756
Algeria	95	73.0	70.4	60.1	79.6	74	73	3,546	10,515
South Africa	107	52.0	49.5	80.9	84.1	77	77	6,927	15,446
Botswana	109	48.4	47.6	81.8	80.4	70	69	5,913	19,094
Madagascar	122	60.1	56.7	65.3	76.5	58	61	758	1,090
Swaziland	123	41.4	40.4	78.3	80.9	58	62	2,187	7,659
Cameroon	126	50.2	49.4	59.8	77.0	57	68	1,519	3,086
Senegal	135	64.4	60.4	29.2	51.1	37	42	1,256	2,346
Nigeria	139	47.1	46.0	60.1	78.2	51	61	652	1,592
Côte d'Ivoire	146	48.3	46.5	38.6	60.8	32	47	795	2,472
Congo, DR	148	47.1	44.4	54.1	80.9	28	39	488	944
Mozambique	150	43.6	42.0	25.0	54.8	48	58	1,115	1,378
Niger	155	54.9	56.7	15.1	42.9	19	26	561	991
Burkina Faso	154	52.9	49.8	16.6	31.4	25	33	966	1,458
Sierra Leone	157	43.4	40.2	24.2	46.7	38	52	507	1,114

Source: United Nations Development Programme, *The Human Development Report*, 2007/2008. *The Human Development Report* also includes the Gender Empowerment Index, which may be of interest. To find the complete Gender Empowerment data for all countries, go to the Human Development Report at <http://hdr.undp.org/reports>.

*Gross Enrollment Ratios may exceed 100 percent. It is the number of students enrolled in a given level of education regardless of age expressed as a percentage of the population in the age group for that level of education.