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FOREWORD

Indicators that are sensitive to gender issues are essential in order to analyze the multiple factors that simultaneously increase the discrimination and exclusion of certain groups of men and women. The indicators presented in this eighth edition (2019) of the statistical brochure *Gender, Health, and Development in the Americas: Basic Indicators* reveal persistent inequalities between men and women in several dimensions of health and in several social and economic determinants that affect people's health and well-being.

It is known that different groups of men and women have varying experiences and different ways of facing risks and emergencies, climate change, demographic changes, and the causes and effects of disease and mortality, and that they also have different access to health services, care, and protection. By having available indicators that show these differences in a timely fashion, it will be possible to conduct gender analyses and promote the use of the results with a view to formulating and implementing effective policies that can change conditions of discrimination and exclusion, while continuing to strengthen the quality of care, especially during emergencies and disasters.

Despite the progress made in all the countries of the Region of the Americas with regard to the availability of gender-disaggregated data, this compendium of indicators underscores the need to continue working for the availability of gender-sensitive indicators in all countries, for greater disaggregation of those indicators, and for firmer national commitments to monitor and ensure advances toward gender equality in health.

I am convinced of the need to step up the work being done to design gender-sensitive indicators in accordance with the global and regional instruments approved by all the countries of the Region of the Americas, such as the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the PAHO Gender Equality Policy. I hope that this statistical brochure invites reflection and increases the commitment of academia, civil society, and government departments—including health ministries—to take the necessary action to build health information systems that consider the gender perspective and diversity, facilitating data analysis, and achieving gender equality in health.

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Demography							
	Population		Population 75+ years old		Urban population (%)	Women aged 15-49 years (thousands)	Annual population growth rate (%)
	Total (thousands)	Femininity index (women per 100 men)	% of total	Femininity index (women per 100 men)			
	2019	2019	2019	2019			
Anguilla	18	111	3.6	112	100	5	1.9
Antigua and Barbuda	97	106	3.3	200	25	27	0.8
Argentina	44,781	105	4.7	183	92	11,266	0.9
Aruba	106	112	4.8	140	44	26	0.4
Bahamas	389	106	2.6	161	83	106	1.0
Barbados	287	106	7.2	132	31	67	0.1
Belize	390	101	1.9	95	46	109	1.9
Bermuda	71	107	8.2	164	100	14	0.4
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	11,513	99	3.1	134	70	2,948	1.4
Brazil	211,050	103	3.5	159	87	57,006	0.7
British Virgin Islands	37	110	3.2	121	48	10	2.2
Canada	37,411	102	7.5	140	82	6,931	0.9
Cayman Islands	61	105	4.9	129	100	14	1.9
Chile	18,952	103	4.9	163	88	4,798	1.0
Colombia	50,339	104	3.3	142	81	13,594	1.2
Costa Rica	5,048	100	3.9	131	80	1,314	0.9
Cuba	11,333	101	6.7	132	77	2,571	-0.1
Curaçao	163	117	7.0	170	89	36	0.4
Dominica	74	98	5.0	157	71	18	0.1
Dominican Republic	10,739	100	2.8	125	82	2,793	1.0
Ecuador	17,374	100	2.9	131	64	4,542	1.6
El Salvador	6,454	113	3.5	143	73	1,815	0.5
French Guiana	291	102	1.5	175	86	76	2.7
Grenada	112	100	4.0	100	36	28	0.5
Guadeloupe	400	116	8.4	167	98	88	0.0
Guatemala	17,581	103	2.0	130	51	4,745	1.9
Guyana	783	99	2.4	140	27	200	0.5
Haiti	11,263	103	1.8	141	56	3,015	1.2
Honduras	9,746	100	1.9	137	58	2,664	1.6
Jamaica	2,948	101	3.6	112	56	782	0.4
Martinique	376	117	9.8	159	89	79	-0.1
Mexico	127,576	104	2.9	136	80	34,582	1.1
Montserrat	5	100	2.6	55	9	2	0.6
Nicaragua	6,546	103	2.1	149	59	1,785	1.2
Panama	4,246	100	3.5	130	68	1,082	1.6
Paraguay	7,045	97	2.4	127	62	1,840	1.3
Peru	32,510	101	3.3	128	78	8,583	1.5
Puerto Rico	2,933	111	9.1	158	94	643	-3.0
Saint Kitts and Nevis	53	100	3.6	141	31	13	0.7
Saint Lucia	183	103	4.2	100	19	51	0.5
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	111	96	4.1	100	53	28	0.3
Sint Maarten	43	108	3.1	149	100	9	1.4
Suriname	581	99	2.6	143	66	148	0.9
Trinidad and Tobago	1,395	102	3.9	151	53	353	0.3
Turks and Caicos Islands	55	99	2.0	141	93	16	2.0
United States of America	329,065	102	6.8	144	82	61,239	0.6
Uruguay	3,462	107	7.2	204	95	830	0.4
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	28,516	103	2.7	151	88	7,350	-0.8
Virgin Islands (US)	105	110	7.6	154	96	21	-0.1
SOURCE	A	B, C	B, C	B, C	A	B, C	A

	Demography				Wealth and income inequalities				
	Life expectancy at birth (years)		Life expectancy at age 60 (years)		Gross national income (US\$) per capita, PPP value	Income ratio: highest 20%/lowest 20%	Population (%) living below		
	2019		2019				US\$1.90 a day	National poverty line	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	2014-2018 ^a	2014-2017 ^a	2006-2016 ^a	2014-2017 ^a	
Anguilla	84.4	79.1	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Antigua and Barbuda	78.1	75.9	21.5	20.6	25,160	--	--	--	
Argentina	80.0	73.2	23.8	18.9	19,820	8.8	--	18.7	
Aruba	78.6	73.8	22.2	18.4	36,960	--	--	--	
Bahamas	76.1	71.7	20.8	18.3	30,920	--	--	--	
Barbados	80.5	77.8	24.9	23.5	17,640	--	--	--	
Belize	77.8	71.7	23.2	20.7	8,200	--	--	--	
Bermuda	84.8	78.4	--	--	66,810	--	--	--	
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	74.5	68.7	23.6	21.0	7,670	11.8	7.1	35.1	
Brazil	79.6	72.2	24.0	20.2	15,820	18.1	3.4	20.3	
British Virgin Islands	80.6	77.6	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Canada	84.4	80.4	26.6	23.5	47,280	6.2	--	--	
Cayman Islands	84.3	78.8	--	--	50,510	--	--	--	
Chile	82.4	77.8	25.3	22.1	24,250	10.2	--	10.7	
Colombia	80.0	74.5	24.1	21.8	14,490	13.4	4.5	29.8	
Costa Rica	82.9	77.7	25.8	22.7	16,670	12.3	--	15.4	
Cuba	80.8	76.8	23.9	21.1	--	--	--	--	
Curaçao	81.6	75.8	24.7	21.5	27,820	--	--	--	
Dominica	80.7	74.6	--	--	10,680	--	--	--	
Dominican Republic	77.4	71.0	23.7	20.7	16,960	10.5	1.6	25.0	
Ecuador	79.8	74.3	24.6	22.0	11,410	10.7	3.6	23.6	
El Salvador	77.8	68.5	22.9	20.1	7,850	7.0	2.2	37.8	
French Guiana	83.1	77.0	25.4	20.2	--	--	--	--	
Grenada	75.0	70.1	20.3	16.9	14,270	--	--	--	
Guadeloupe	85.5	78.5	27.6	23.0	--	--	--	--	
Guatemala	77.2	71.4	23.2	21.4	8,310	11.9	8.7	50.5	
Guyana	73.1	66.9	22.3	19.6	8,570	--	--	--	
Haiti	66.2	61.8	19.7	17.7	1,870	8.6	23.5	--	
Honduras	77.6	73.0	24.0	21.1	4,780	17.1	16.0	53.2	
Jamaica	76.1	72.9	20.7	20.0	8,930	--	--	--	
Martinique	85.6	79.2	27.7	23.2	--	--	--	--	
Mexico	77.9	72.2	22.5	20.0	19,440	8.8	2.5	43.7	
Montserrat	73.8	76.2	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Nicaragua	78.0	70.9	23.2	19.8	5,390	10.2	3.2	46.3	
Panama	81.8	75.4	26.3	23.1	23,510	15.9	--	16.7	
Paraguay	76.4	72.3	22.6	20.0	13,180	11.7	1.7	21.6	
Peru	79.5	74.1	24.0	20.8	13,810	10.3	3.5	18.9	
Puerto Rico	83.5	76.5	26.3	22.4	26,560	--	--	--	
Saint Kitts and Nevis	78.9	73.9	--	--	30,120	--	--	--	
Saint Lucia	77.6	74.9	22.1	22.4	12,970	17.9	--	--	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	75.1	70.3	20.7	18.1	13,210	--	--	--	
Sint Maarten	81.1	76.3	--	--	33,320	--	--	--	
Suriname	75.1	68.5	20.5	16.9	13,420	--	--	--	
Trinidad and Tobago	76.2	70.9	21.8	19.1	32,060	--	--	--	
Turks and Caicos Islands	83.1	77.4	--	--	24,540	--	--	--	
United States of America	81.4	76.3	25.1	22.0	63,390	9.4	--	--	
Uruguay	81.5	74.1	25.2	19.5	21,900	7.8	--	2.7	
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	76.0	68.3	21.5	18.3	17,900	--	--	28.3	
Virgin Islands (US)	83.1	78.0	25.4	20.8	--	--	--	--	
SOURCE	A	A	D	D	A	E	F	G	

Notes

^a Latest available year (since 2014).
--Data not available or not applicable.

* Urban zone. Households are ordered according to per capita income.

Italics are used when the data year is prior to the period shown.

Wealth and income inequalities

	Feminity index of poverty (women per 100 men)			Feminity index of indigence (women per 100 men)			Urban population 15 years and older without own income (%)		
	2014-2017 ^a			2014-2017 ^a			2014-2017 ^a		
	National	Urban	Rural	National	Urban	Rural	Female	Male	F/M
	Anguilla	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Argentina	--	122 *	--	--	123 *	--	18.5 *	8.8 *	2.1
Aruba	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Barbados	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Belize	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bermuda	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	114	118	113	112	126	112	32.3	7.6	4.3
Brazil	112	116	106	111	118	107	29.1	19.7	1.5
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	131	131	122	136	140	113	19.6	8.8	2.2
Colombia	118	122	119	127	143	127	27.0	10.4	2.6
Costa Rica	128	135	120	121	135	115	32.9	9.5	3.5
Cuba	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	132	133	135	136	139	134	20.5	11.5	1.8
Ecuador	116	121	112	119	141	112	34.0	10.7	3.2
El Salvador	106	111	105	103	113	104	41.6	16.1	2.6
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	104	108	103	104	122	101	51.0	14.0	3.6
Guyana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Haiti	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Honduras	106	111	104	109	132	105	39.3	14.0	2.8
Jamaica	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Martinique	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	108	110	104	109	115	104	25.5	5.8	4.4
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	103	107	104	101	105	108	--	--	--
Panama	129	138	127	138	146	141	27.1	6.8	4.0
Paraguay	114	125	110	114	150	110	30.6	11.1	2.8
Peru	109	113	107	105	118	106	24.0	9.9	2.4
Puerto Rico	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Trinidad and Tobago	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Uruguay	147	147	117	100	100	0	13.0	5.9	2.2
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	123	--	--	134	--	--	32.1	10.3	3.1
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	H	H	H	H	H	H	I	I	

Notes

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--Data not available or not applicable.

* 31 urban agglomerates.
F/M: female/male ratio.

	Environmental health				Health expenditure		
	Population (%) using				National health expenditure (% of GDP)	Out-of-pocket expenditure as % of total health expenditure	
	Improved water supply, safely managed		Improved sanitation facilities, safely managed				
	2017		2017		2016		
	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural	Public	Private	2016
Anguilla	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	--	--	--	--	2.6	1.7	32.2
Argentina	--	--	--	--	5.6	1.9	15.8
Aruba	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	--	--	--	--	3.2	3.2	27.7
Barbados	--	--	--	--	3.2	3.7	45.2
Belize	--	--	--	--	4.1	1.8	22.9
Bermuda	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	--	--	24.7	--	4.5	2.1	28.0
Brazil	92.3	--	51.6	--	3.9	5.2	27.4
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	--	--	82.2	81.4	7.7	2.8	14.6
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	98.6	--	81.4	--	5.0	3.5	34.8
Colombia	81.3	40.1	15.8	--	3.7	2.1	20.2
Costa Rica	96.4	84.4	--	--	5.6	1.9	22.1
Cuba	--	--	41.9	--	10.9	1.3	10.3
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	--	--	--	--	3.4	1.6	29.1
Dominican Republic	--	--	--	--	2.8	3.3	44.6
Ecuador	84.9	57.9	33.4	57.2	4.3	4.1	40.5
El Salvador	77.3	--	--	--	4.5	2.3	27.2
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	--	--	--	--	2.2	3.0	57.8
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	65.6	46.1	--	--	2.2	3.6	53.3
Guyana	--	--	--	--	2.5	1.5	35.1
Haiti	--	--	--	--	0.8	2.5	41.7
Honduras	--	18.5	34.5	--	3.9	4.3	45.0
Jamaica	--	--	--	--	3.7	2.3	22.4
Martinique	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	--	--	52.3	--	2.9	2.6	40.4
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	67.4	29.5	--	--	5.4	3.0	32.2
Panama	--	--	--	--	4.8	2.4	27.4
Paraguay	72.2	50.7	53.6	66.2	4.1	3.9	37.9
Peru	58.8	20.8	51.2	--	3.3	1.8	28.3
Puerto Rico	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	--	--	2.4	3.2	51.5
Saint Lucia	--	--	--	--	2.2	2.9	48.7
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	--	--	--	--	2.7	0.8	20.5
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	--	--	--	--	4.2	1.8	21.8
Trinidad and Tobago	--	--	--	--	3.4	3.1	40.1
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	>99	--	95.5	--	14.0	3.1	11.1
Uruguay	94.6	--	--	--	6.5	2.6	17.4
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	--	--	--	--	0.8	2.4	40.0
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	A	A	A	A	A	A	A

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--Data not available or not applicable.

	Political participation			Human development
	Women (%) in			Gender inequality index
	Parliament	Supreme Court	Ministerial posts	Rank
	2014-2018	2014-2018	2014-2018*	2017
Anguilla	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	31.4	--	14.3	--
Argentina	39.4	20.0	13.3	81
Aruba	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	21.8	58.8	5.6	75
Barbados	27.5	71.4	20.0	60
Belize	11.1	16.7	14.3	89
Bermuda	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	51.8	33.3	27.8	102
Brazil	15.0	18.2	4.9	94
British Virgin Islands	--	--	0.0	--
Canada	31.7	--	--	20
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--
Chile	22.7	30.0	35.7	72
Colombia	19.6	13.0	50.0	87
Costa Rica	45.6	33.3	55.2	64
Cuba	53.2	62.2	30.8	65
Curaçao	--	--	--	--
Dominica	25.0	--	14.3	--
Dominican Republic	24.3	23.5	14.3	103
Ecuador	38.0	47.6	24.7	88
El Salvador	31.0	33.3	26.3	91
French Guiana	--	--	--	--
Grenada	39.3	--	31.3	--
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	19.0	41.7	15.6	120
Guyana	31.9	60.0	30.0	122
Haiti	2.7	--	33.3	144
Honduras	21.1	33.3	26.3	109
Jamaica	19.0	68.2	19.2	95
Martinique	--	--	--	--
Mexico	48.4	18.2	36.4	76
Montserrat	--	--	20.0	--
Nicaragua	44.6	31.3	56.3	106
Panama	18.3	11.1	20.7	109
Paraguay	16.8	22.2	23.5	113
Peru	30.0	21.1	22.6	83
Puerto Rico	--	33.3	29.4	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	13.3	--	11.1	--
Saint Lucia	20.7	--	20.0	74
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	13.0	--	9.1	--
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--
Suriname	29.4	73.7	33.3	99
Trinidad and Tobago	32.9	56.5	29.4	73
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--
United States of America	23.8	--	--	41
Uruguay	23.1	40.0	33.3	57
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	22.2	50.0	23.1	105
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	J	K	K	F

Notes

--Data not available or not applicable.

* Presidential period data concluded between 2014 and 2018.

Education									
	Literate population 15 years and older* (%)			Population (%) enrolled in					
				Secondary school**			Higher education**		
	2014-2017 ^a			2014-2018 ^a			2014-2018 ^a		
	Female	Male	F/M	Female	Male	F/M	Female	Male	F/M
Anguilla	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	99.0	98.0	1.0	90.6	94.4	1.0	29.2	14.1	2.1
Argentina	99.0	99.0	1.0	110.4	105.7	1.0	111.6	67.2	1.7
Aruba	97.0	97.0	1.0	112.1	110.2	1.0	20.7	10.7	1.9
Bahamas	--	--	--	93.1	87.9	1.1	--	--	--
Barbados	100.0	100.0	1.0	108.8	104.5	1.0	90.6	40.3	2.3
Belize	--	--	--	86.2	82.2	1.1	30.5	18.9	1.6
Bermuda	--	--	--	75.5	67.7	1.1	34.1	14.7	2.3
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	89.0	97.0	0.9	90.4	93.2	1.0	--	--	--
Brazil	92.0	92.0	1.0	103.9	99.2	1.1	58.8	42.5	1.4
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	--	--	--	113.9	112.2	1.0	77.1	57.5	1.3
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	97.0	97.0	1.0	100.2	99.2	1.0	98.5	84.8	1.2
Colombia	95.0	94.0	1.0	101.3	96.0	1.1	65.0	56.0	1.2
Costa Rica	98.0	97.0	1.0	129.5	122.8	1.1	62.2	49.3	1.3
Cuba	100.0	100.0	1.0	105.7	103.0	1.0	51.2	30.1	1.7
Curaçao	--	--	--	91.1	84.1	1.1	29.6	13.0	2.3
Dominica	--	--	--	99.8	101.2	1.0	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	94.0	94.0	1.0	83.0	76.5	1.1	77.0	43.0	1.8
Ecuador	93.0	95.0	1.0	108.6	105.6	1.0	49.0	42.2	1.2
El Salvador	87.0	91.0	1.0	71.6	72.1	1.0	30.3	27.1	1.1
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	99.0	99.0	1.0	102.0	96.7	1.1	104.7	84.6	1.2
Guadeloupe	96.0	96.0	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	76.0	87.0	0.9	51.5	54.1	1.0	23.6	20.0	1.2
Guyana	85.0	86.0	1.0	100.9	96.6	1.0	15.6	7.6	2.1
Haiti	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Honduras	89.0	89.0	1.0	57.8	50.6	1.1	24.0	17.6	1.4
Jamaica	93.0	83.0	1.1	84.8	80.1	1.1	34.2	19.8	1.7
Martinique	96.0	98.0	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	94.0	96.0	1.0	104.2	95.8	1.1	38.8	37.6	1.0
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	--	--	--	78.8	69.8	1.1	--	--	--
Panama	93.0	95.0	1.0	83.1	80.9	1.0	58.0	36.8	1.6
Paraguay	94.0	95.0	1.0	79.1	74.2	1.1	41.2	29.1	1.4
Peru	91.0	97.0	0.9	98.3	98.5	1.0	73.6	65.8	1.1
Puerto Rico	92.0	92.0	1.0	77.4	72.0	1.1	97.2	68.9	1.4
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	--	--	--	88.4	87.9	1.0	26.8	13.4	2.0
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	--	--	--	106.9	111.7	1.0	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	91.0	95.0	1.0	89.7	68.1	1.3	--	--	--
Trinidad and Tobago	98.0	99.0	1.0	--	--	--	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	--	--	--	98.5	99.1	1.0	102.3	76.1	1.3
Uruguay	99.0	98.0	1.0	109.3	93.0	1.2	--	--	--
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	97.0	97.0	1.0	87.2	80.9	1.1	97.7	57.8	1.7
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	L	L		M	M		M	M	

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• UNESCO Institute for Statistics estimations.

* National estimate.

** Gross ratio.

Italics are used when the data year is prior to the period shown.

F/M: female/male ratio.

Employment

	Urban population in the labor force (%)			Hours worked by employed persons (weekly average), national level		
	2014-2017 ^a			2014-2017 ^a		
	Female	Male	F/M	Female	Male	F/M
	Anguilla	--	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	--	--	--	--	--	--
Argentina	48.4	71.4	0.7	32.3	42.8	* 0.8
Aruba	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	--	--	--	--	--	--
Barbados	--	--	--	--	--	--
Belize	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bermuda	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	52.2	75.4	0.7	--	--	--
Brazil	55.8	74.8	0.7	35.3	40.2	0.9
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	50.8	72.2	0.7	37.6	46.9	0.8
Colombia	60.8	79.4	0.8	42.1	53.4	0.8
Costa Rica	48.0	73.2	0.7	44.1	53.9	** 0.8
Cuba	--	--	--	--	--	--
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	52.2	75.0	0.7	38	44	0.9
Ecuador	53.4	78.4	0.7	49	56	0.9
El Salvador	51.4	75.6	0.7	48	55	0.9
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	49.2	82.6	0.6	43	47	0.9
Guyana	--	--	--	--	--	--
Haiti	--	--	--	--	--	--
Honduras	50.0	76.2	0.7	35	43	0.8
Jamaica	--	--	--	--	--	--
Martinique	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	51.6	80.2	0.6	44	55	0.8
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	56.4	78.4	0.7	--	--	--
Panama	53.2	75.8	0.7	44	52	* 0.9
Paraguay	60.2	82.6	0.7	40	49	0.8
Peru	62.2	79.2	0.8	37	52	0.7
Puerto Rico	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	--	--	--	--	--	--
Trinidad and Tobago	--	--	--	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	--	--	--	--	--	--
Uruguay	56.4	72.6	0.8	40	47	0.9
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	--	--	--	--	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	N	N		O	O	

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* Urban area.

** Great metropolitan agglomeration.

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F/M: female/male ratio.

Employment						
	Urban workers employed in low-productivity sectors of the labor market (%)			Unpaid family workers (%), urban area		
	2014-2017 ^a			2014-2017 ^a		
	Female	Male	F/M	Female	Male	F/M
Anguilla	--	--	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	--	--	--	--	--	--
Argentina	39.8	39.3	1.0	0.6	0.3	2.0
Aruba	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	--	--	--	--	--	--
Barbados	--	--	--	--	--	--
Belize	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bermuda	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	67.7	60.4	1.1	9.7	3.8	2.6
Brazil	42.8	39.7	1.1	1.9	0.8	2.4
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	32.2	24.8	1.3	0.6	0.2	3.0
Colombia	57.3	53.9	1.1	3.8	1.4	2.7
Costa Rica	43.8	34.5	1.3	1.1	0.5	2.2
Cuba	--	--	--	--	--	--
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	51.9	56.7	0.9	2.4	1.4	1.7
Ecuador	64.0	54.9	1.2	10.5	3.8	2.8
El Salvador	64.5	48.2	1.3	7.8	4.3	1.8
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	65.0	51.6	1.3	10.3	4.3	2.4
Guyana	--	--	--	--	--	--
Haiti	--	--	--	--	--	--
Honduras	57.3	51.1	1.1	8.6	4.5	1.9
Jamaica	--	--	--	--	--	--
Martinique	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	52.2	41.2	1.3	4.3	2.1	2.1
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	--	--	--	5.5	4.5	1.2
Panama	32.5	33.2	1.0	1.3	0.5	2.6
Paraguay	59.4	48.8	1.2	4.9	1.9	2.6
Peru	65.4	53.6	1.2	8.0	3.2	2.5
Puerto Rico	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	--	--	--	--	--	--
Trinidad and Tobago	--	--	--	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	--	--	--	--	--	--
Uruguay	36.4	34.3	1.1	0.7	0.4	1.8
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	44.8	53.6	0.8	--	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	P	P		Q	Q	

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F/M: female/male ratio.

Employment					
	Urban unemployment rate (%)			Proportion of informal employment in non-agriculture employment, women	Urban women's employment income as % of men's
	2014-2017 ^a				
	Female	Male	F/M	2014-2018 ^a	2014-2018 ^a
Anguilla	--	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	--	--	--	--	--
Argentina	8.6	6.1	1.4	47.4	75.2
Aruba	--	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	--	--	--	--	--
Barbados	--	--	--	--	--
Belize	--	--	--	--	--
Bermuda	--	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	5.4	3.9	1.4	79.7	76.7
Brazil	14.7	11.4	1.3	36.9	75.9
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	--	--	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	8.8	7.4	1.2	41.7	75.3
Colombia	12.7	8.6	1.5	58.1	83.5
Costa Rica	8.9	6.5	1.4	40.0	85.0
Cuba	--	--	--	--	--
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	--	--	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	10.2	4.7	2.2	52.9	85.3
Ecuador	6.7	4.0	1.7	67.1	79.8
El Salvador	5.1	8.2	0.6	71.9	83.2
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	--	--	--	--	--
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	3.3	3.1	1.1	79.1	73.9
Guyana	--	--	--	--	--
Haiti	--	--	--	--	--
Honduras	6.5	5.9	1.1	77.1	80.2
Jamaica	--	--	--	--	--
Martinique	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	2.5	4.2	0.6	--	71.7
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	6.9	7.3	1.0	78.7	71.3
Panama	7.9	5.4	1.5	40.5	86.0
Paraguay	6.1	5.6	1.1	68.1	76.6
Peru	4.9	4.6	1.1	66.1	67.7
Puerto Rico	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	--	--	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	--	--	--	--	--
Trinidad and Tobago	--	--	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	--	--	--	--	--
Uruguay	9.7	6.9	1.4	22.6	77.6
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	7.7	6.1	1.3	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	R	R		S	T

Notes

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F/M: female/male ratio.

Sexual and reproductive health

	Total fertility rate (children/woman)	Adolescent fertility rate (live births/1,000 girls age 15-19)	Teens (%) who are mothers or are pregnant with their first child	Births of order ≥4 (%)	Births (%) <24 months since last delivery
	2019	2019	2014-2018 ^a	2014-2018 ^a	2014-2018 ^a
Anguilla	1.7	17.5	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	2.0	41.8	--	--	--
Argentina	2.2	62.6	--	--	--
Aruba	1.9	21.2	--	--	--
Bahamas	1.7	29.2	--	--	--
Barbados	1.6	31.1	--	--	--
Belize	2.3	68.0	--	--	--
Bermuda	1.9	36.0	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	2.7	63.9	18	32	23
Brazil	1.7	57.9	--	--	--
British Virgin Islands	1.3	18.1	--	--	--
Canada	1.5	8.0	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	1.8	39.4	--	--	--
Chile	1.6	40.1	--	--	--
Colombia	1.8	65.5	17	9	16
Costa Rica	1.7	52.5	--	--	--
Cuba	1.6	51.5	--	--	--
Curaçao	1.7	27.6	--	--	--
Dominica	2.0	27.6	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	2.3	93.0	20	14	19
Ecuador	2.4	78.8	--	--	--
El Salvador	2.0	68.6	23	--	15
French Guiana	3.3	56.5	--	--	--
Grenada	2.0	28.2	--	--	--
Guadeloupe	2.1	15.0	--	--	--
Guatemala	2.8	69.8	21	26	19
Guyana	2.4	72.9	18	26	25
Haiti	2.9	51.0	10	31	18
Honduras	2.4	71.8	24	20	15
Jamaica	2.0	51.3	14	--	12
Martinique	1.9	10.0	--	--	--
Mexico	2.1	59.5	--	--	--
Montserrat	1.4	8.3	--	--	--
Nicaragua	2.4	83.3	--	--	--
Panama	2.4	81.0	--	--	--
Paraguay	2.4	70.2	12	--	22
Peru	2.2	56.0	13	8	4
Puerto Rico	1.2	28.3	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	1.8	39.5	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	1.4	39.9	--	--	--
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	1.9	48.2	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	2.0	44.1	--	--	--
Suriname	2.4	60.6	--	--	--
Trinidad and Tobago	1.7	29.3	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	1.7	10.0	--	--	--
United States of America	1.8	18.6	--	--	--
Uruguay	2.0	58.2	--	--	--
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	2.3	85.0	--	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	2.0	27.6	--	--	--
SOURCE	A	A	U	V	U

Notes

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Sexual and reproductive health

	Prevalence of anemia (%), women of fertile age		Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births) and number of deaths		Age-adjusted death rates (per 100,000 women) due to cancer of	
	Pregnant	Not pregnant	2014-2018 ^a		Cervix	Breast
	2016	2016	Ratio **	Deaths	2014-2018 ^a	2016
Anguilla	--	--	689.7	1	10.5	8.0
Antigua and Barbuda	25	22	-	-	18.7	32.0
Argentina	28	18	28.7	202	5.2	22.7
Aruba	--	--	-	-	9.0	39.7
Bahamas	27	23	114.6	5	8.5	31.5
Barbados	26	21	114.9	3	13.8	32.2
Belize	21	22	115.6	9	17.4	14.8
Bermuda	--	--	-	-	2	15.7
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	37	30	160.0	538	--	7.5
Brazil	37	27	64.5	1,886	5.3	15.8
British Virgin Islands	--	--	-	-	6.6	--
Canada	17	9	6.6	25	1.5	15.9
Cayman Islands	--	--	-	-	-	--
Chile	27	15	17.3	38	5.8	13.4
Colombia	27	21	51.0	335	9.3	17.3
Costa Rica	25	15	14.6	10	5.6	15.8
Cuba	29	25	43.8	51	5.7	16.0
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	29	24	-	-	1.4	17.1
Dominican Republic	33	30	107.1	208	9.4	14.5
Ecuador	26	18	42.8	143	7.3	10.7
El Salvador	29	22	28.6	32	8.8	9.2
French Guiana	--	--	14.7	1	2.8	14.1
Grenada	28	23	131.5	2	8.7	35.6
Guadeloupe	--	--	17.3	1	1.4	11.7
Guatemala	25	16	108.0	438	8.0	6.5
Guyana	29	32	77.8	12	14.1	24.3
Haiti	50	46	529.0	--	--	12.9
Honduras	21	18	78.1	144	--	7.9
Jamaica	27	22	110.6	40	10.2	21.7
Martinique	--	--	--	--	2.9	15.9
Mexico	20	14	34.0	758	6.7	11.2
Montserrat	--	--	-	-	-	-
Nicaragua	26	16	34.5	47	14.6	10.2
Panama	27	23	35.4	27	8.0	14.0
Paraguay	33	22	67.3	78	15.4	18.0
Peru	26	18	70.0	377	12.4	8.4
Puerto Rico	--	--	28.7	7	2.0	15.0
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	337.8	2	10.3	31.3
Saint Lucia	26	22	53.6	1	10.3	24.8
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	28	24	57.3	1	12.4	28.9
Sint Maarten	--	--	237.0	1	--	--
Suriname	30	24	81.9	8	16.2	15.6
Trinidad and Tobago	27	24	29.9	5	11.7	25.6
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	-	-	-	11.4
United States of America	16	13	--	--	2.0	17.5
Uruguay	31	20	14.9	6	3.8	26.2
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	29	24	82.1	490	11.5	17.9
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	0.8	14.5
SOURCE	W	W	A	A	X	A

Notes

^a Latest available year.
- Zero magnitude.

--Data not available or not applicable.
** See technical notes on maternal mortality.

Italics are used when the data year is prior to the period shown.

Sexual and reproductive health

	Incidence rate of registered cases of HIV (per 100,000 population)		Women with HIV (%) among all persons ≥15 years who are infected with HIV	Prevalence of HIV (%) in the population 15-24 years old		
	Rate	Ratio		2018		
	per 100,000	M/F	2018	Female	Male	F/M
Anguilla	11.7	1.1	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	62.9	1.1	--	--	--	--
Argentina	5.9	2.7	32.1	<0.1	0.1	--
Aruba	16.1	8.3	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	39.6	1.6	44.8	0.5	0.6	0.8
Barbados	35.0	1.8	33.3	0.2	0.3	0.7
Belize	66.3	2.0	46.8	1.0	0.8	1.3
Bermuda	7.0	4.3	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	28.1	2.7	31.4	<0.1	<0.1	--
Brazil	18.2	2.4	--	--	--	--
British Virgin Islands	8.6	2.2	--	--	--	--
Canada	6.5	3.1	--	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	12.0	6.3	--	--	--	--
Chile	37.1	4.9	16.9	<0.1	0.2	--
Colombia	19.2	4.0	20.7	<0.1	0.1	--
Costa Rica	9.3	9.1	19.3	<0.1	0.1	--
Cuba	22.1	3.8	18.1	<0.1	0.1	--
Curaçao	53.8	2.0	--	--	--	--
Dominica	27.0	1.5	--	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	43.2	0.9	50.0	0.3	0.3	1.0
Ecuador	23.9	2.4	30.2	<0.1	<0.1	--
El Salvador	19.0	3.4	36.4	0.1	0.2	0.5
French Guiana	77.3	1.0	--	--	--	--
Grenada	24.2	2.0	--	--	--	--
Guadeloupe	18.5	2.7	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	3.6	1.2	42.2	0.1	0.1	1.0
Guyana	99.1	1.0	48.1	0.4	0.3	1.3
Haiti	--	--	58.0	1.1	0.5	2.2
Honduras	11.3	2.1	40.5	0.1	0.2	0.5
Jamaica	42.8	1.1	37.5	0.3	0.5	0.6
Martinique	13.0	3.2	--	--	--	--
Mexico	5.9	5.0	16.1	<0.1	<0.1	--
Montserrat	37.8	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	17.2	2.9	32.6	<0.1	<0.1	--
Panama	31.6	3.1	30.8	0.1	0.2	0.5
Paraguay	21.0	2.4	30.5	0.2	0.2	1.0
Peru	18.5	3.7	23.4	<0.1	<0.1	--
Puerto Rico	14.7	4.8	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	22.6	2.0	--	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	37.9	2.1	--	--	--	--
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	32.9	1.7	--	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	2.3	1.0	--	--	--	--
Suriname	112.3	1.1	43.6	0.3	0.3	1.0
Trinidad and Tobago	38.1	1.5	--	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	13.0	1.3	--	--	--	--
United States of America	11.7	4.3	--	--	--	--
Uruguay	28.6	2.3	28.6	<0.1	0.2	--
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	26.4	3.0	35.5	--	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	A	A	Y	Y	Y	

Notes

^a Latest available year.

- Zero magnitude.

--Data not available or not applicable.

M/F: male/female ratio.

F/M: female/male ratio.

Access to services

Women aged 15-49 years, in union, using contraceptive methods (%)

2014-2018^a

	Any method	Modern methods	Pill	IUD	Sterilization		Injection	Condom, male
					Female	Male		
Anguilla	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Argentina	81	78	--	8	6	0	--	24
Aruba	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Barbados	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Belize	51	49	11	2	17	0	10	5
Bermuda	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	67	45	4	7	10	0	12	7
Brazil	80	78	34	2	21	4	5	10
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	76	70	25	17	12	0	7	8
Colombia	81	76	7	5	35	4	14	6
Costa Rica	78	75	23	3	26	5	9	9
Cuba	74	72	7	24	25	0	1	16
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominican Republic	70	68	18	3	41	0	4	1
Ecuador	80	72	11	5	32	0	11	5
El Salvador	72	68	4	2	37	0	20	4
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	61	49	3	2	21	1	17	4
Guyana	34	33	8	6	3	0	5	9
Haiti	34	32	2	0	1	0	21	4
Honduras	73	64	12	7	22	0	18	4
Jamaica	73	68	17	1	10	0	14	25
Martinique	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	67	65	3	13	33	1	4	6
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	80	77	11	4	30	0	26	5
Panama	63	60	11	2	25	1	16	4
Paraguay	68	67	19	6	9	0	21	10
Peru	75	55	8	2	9	1	19	15
Puerto Rico	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Lucia	56	53	22	3	7	0	5	14
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	48	47	25	2	11	0	4	5
Trinidad and Tobago	40	38	11	2	8	0	3	13
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	76	68	11	11	19	8	1	13
Uruguay	80	78	31	11	9	1	1	24
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	75	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z	Z

Notes

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IUD: intrauterine device.

Access to services

	Unmet need for family planning (%)	Health care by trained personnel* (%)		Births by caesarean section (%)	People living with HIV receiving ART (%), adults (15+)		
		2014-2018 ^a		(%)	2018		
	2019	Prenatal (≥ 4 visits)	Hospital births	2014-2018 ^a	Female	Male	F/M
Anguilla	--	100	100	--	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	13	83	100	--	56	37	2
Argentina	11	69	100	--	69	57	1
Aruba	--	100	100	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	11	83	99	--	58	49	1
Barbados	15	98	99	--	62	44	1
Belize	18	--	91	--	29	27	1
Bermuda	--	100	99	--	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	17	85	72	19	44	44	1
Brazil	7	92	98	--	--	--	--
British Virgin Islands	--	100	100	--	--	--	--
Canada	5	--	98	--	--	--	--
Cayman Islands	--	97	100	--	--	--	--
Chile	8	--	100	--	53	65	1
Colombia	7	88	99	43	77	73	1
Costa Rica	8	77	94	--	60	46	1
Cuba	8	98	100	--	80	70	1
Curaçao	--	--	99	--	--	--	--
Dominica	--	84	98	--	47	26	2
Dominican Republic	11	98	100	56	60	51	1
Ecuador	6	79	96	--	62	55	1
El Salvador	10	82	99	25	52	44	1
French Guiana	--	85	99	--	--	--	--
Grenada	13	73	100	--	91	63	1
Guadeloupe	15	--	100	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	13	43	57	26	38	47	1
Guyana	26	96	94	13	78	61	1
Haiti	39	67	50	5	63	52	1
Honduras	9	89	59	19	61	44	1
Jamaica	11	--	98	--	47	22	2
Martinique	14	99	99	--	--	--	--
Mexico	11	90	93	--	--	--	--
Montserrat	--	100	100	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	4	78	89	--	54	53	1
Panama	15	88	--	--	45	57	1
Paraguay	10	75	98	--	43	39	1
Peru	7	90	93	35	78	73	1
Puerto Rico	5	98	99	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	--	68	100	--	23	65	0
Saint Lucia	15	99	99	--	41	46	1
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	12	--	99	--	48	25	2
Sint Maarten	--	100	100	--	--	--	--
Suriname	17	67	80	--	62	44	1
Trinidad and Tobago	20	100	100	--	--	--	--
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	100	100	--	--	--	--
United States of America	7	92	98	--	--	--	--
Uruguay	7	97	100	--	73	51	1
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	9	84	95	--	--	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	8	51	99	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	A	A	A	AA	Y	Y	

Notes

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ART: antiretroviral treatment.

F/M: female/male ratio.

Risk factors						
	Prevalence of tobacco use among teens (13-15 years old) (%) *			Prevalence of obesity (adults) (%)		
	2014-2018 ^a			2016		
	Female	Male	F/M	Female	Male	F/M
Anguilla	9.3	17.4	0.5	--	--	--
Antigua and Barbuda	7.0	7.9	0.9	25.9	11.6	2.2
Argentina	21.4	18.7	1.1	29.0	27.3	1.1
Aruba	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bahamas	8.4	16.1	0.5	38.1	24.4	1.6
Barbados	11.4	17.4	0.7	31.3	14.7	2.1
Belize	8.2	16.6	0.5	31.5	16.5	1.9
Bermuda	3.1	3.1	1.0	--	--	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	8.1	13.6	0.6	25.6	14.5	1.8
Brazil	7.0	6.7	1.0	25.4	18.5	1.4
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	7.8	12.1	0.6	29.3	29.5	1.0
Cayman Islands	8.1	10.1	0.8	--	--	--
Chile	27.8	19.8	1.4	31.0	24.9	1.2
Colombia	19.6	20.6	1.0	26.6	17.6	1.5
Costa Rica	8.1	9.7	0.8	30.4	21.1	1.4
Cuba	9.7	13.0	0.8	30.3	18.9	1.6
Curaçao	10.2	14.1	0.7	--	--	--
Dominica	19.8	30.4	0.7	35.6	19.9	1.8
Dominican Republic	6.0	8.3	0.7	34.1	21.0	1.6
Ecuador	10.7	15.3	0.7	24.7	14.9	1.7
El Salvador	10.7	15.3	0.7	28.9	18.9	1.5
French Guiana	--	--	--	--	--	--
Grenada	7.1	12.5	0.6	29.0	13.3	2.2
Guadeloupe	--	--	--	--	--	--
Guatemala	14.4	19.5	0.7	26.4	15.1	1.7
Guyana	10.4	19.0	0.6	27.1	12.7	2.1
Haiti	--	--	--	26.9	17.9	1.5
Honduras	6.4	9.6	0.7	26.9	15.6	1.7
Jamaica	15.0	15.9	0.9	33.4	15.3	2.2
Martinique	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mexico	17.7	21.6	0.8	32.8	24.3	1.3
Montserrat	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nicaragua	14.5	20.6	0.7	29.0	17.9	1.6
Panama	7.4	7.9	0.9	27.6	17.8	1.6
Paraguay	6.6	7.4	0.9	23.4	17.1	1.4
Peru	8.4	10.9	0.8	24.2	15.2	1.6
Puerto Rico	--	--	--	--	--	--
Saint Kitts and Nevis	7.8	10.4	0.8	30.1	15.3	2.0
Saint Lucia	8.1	12.4	0.7	27.0	12.0	2.3
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	14.6	23.6	0.6	31.0	16.6	1.9
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	7.3	17.1	0.4	33.7	18.9	1.8
Trinidad and Tobago	10.8	17.3	0.6	26.0	10.8	2.4
Turks and Caicos Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
United States of America	6.3	8.0	0.8	37.0	35.5	1.0
Uruguay	12.5	12.7	1.0	30.6	24.9	1.2
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	7.2	11.0	0.7	--	--	--
Virgin Islands (US)	--	--	--	--	--	--
SOURCE	A	A		BB	BB	

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F/M: female/male ratio.

Mortality

Age-adjusted death rates (per 100,000 population, by sex)

	Cerebrovascular diseases			Ischemic heart disease			Diabetes mellitus		
	2015-2016 ^a			2015-2016 ^a			2015-2016 ^a		
	Female	Male	M/F	Female	Male	M/F	Female	Male	M/F
	Anguilla	26.1	0.0	0.0	29.1	45.2	1.6	38.8	57.0
Antigua and Barbuda	53.2	58.3	1.1	73.2	124.8	1.7	52.1	60.8	1.2
Argentina	26.6	43.4	1.6	52.5	103.0	2.0	12.6	20.9	1.7
Aruba	28.1	42.3	1.5	19.3	57.9	3.0	28.8	28.4	1.0
Bahamas	37.4	47.3	1.3	53.7	92.7	1.7	27.2	28.7	1.1
Barbados	53.4	73.0	1.4	54.4	84.9	1.6	51.2	55.2	1.1
Belize	66.6	83.0	1.2	116.4	175.7	1.5	95.3	75.6	0.8
Bermuda	9.0	28.5	3.2	21.3	71.8	3.4	12.7	14.5	1.1
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	48.4	55.9	1.2	85.2	123.9	1.5	34.8	30.8	0.9
Brazil	43.4	61.9	1.4	60.4	102.6	1.7	28.6	32.2	1.1
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	13.7	15.3	1.1	31.5	62.0	2.0	7.0	11.5	1.6
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	31.0	45.7	1.5	33.5	66.7	2.0	17.8	24.3	1.4
Colombia	38.5	46.1	1.2	83.8	143.0	1.7	20.4	22.4	1.1
Costa Rica	26.6	31.1	1.2	52.5	91.3	1.7	16.3	16.4	1.0
Cuba	36.9	48.1	1.3	75.5	109.3	1.4	13.3	10.6	0.8
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	39.0	54.7	1.4	27.5	53.4	1.9	44.2	38.3	0.9
Dominican Republic	54.8	73.8	1.3	116.3	163.9	1.4	26.6	25.6	1.0
Ecuador	32.9	40.0	1.2	47.2	75.3	1.6	44.8	44.8	1.0
El Salvador	19.8	25.9	1.3	88.8	129.4	1.5	39.3	33.6	0.9
French Guiana	33.8	54.2	1.6	12.1	27.1	2.2	23.6	24.4	1.0
Grenada	59.2	69.6	1.2	98.4	140.9	1.4	71.9	85.2	1.2
Guadeloupe	16.3	27.7	1.7	8.2	16.5	2.0	15.1	15.6	1.0
Guatemala	34.9	40.0	1.1	69.0	88.8	1.3	74.0	61.1	0.8
Guyana	136.5	135.8	1.0	199.3	244.4	1.2	110.0	90.2	0.8
Haiti	139.2	127.7	0.9	173.9	218.9	1.3	70.8	45.6	0.6
Honduras	21.0	42.6	2.0	82.1	165.8	2.0	18.6	10.6	0.6
Jamaica	64.5	65.8	1.0	48.6	62.6	1.3	73.3	54.3	0.7
Martinique	22.6	29.5	1.3	8.6	19.4	2.3	14.7	16.4	1.1
Mexico	28.1	33.5	1.2	68.3	107.8	1.6	86.6	96.6	1.1
Montserrat	211.6	52.8	0.2	33	185	5.6	274.6	197.2	0.7
Nicaragua	30.9	36.6	1.2	86.3	109.5	1.3	40.5	32.3	0.8
Panama	32.3	49.0	1.5	48.4	81.7	1.7	36.3	35.0	1.0
Paraguay	60.9	64.1	1.1	88.9	123.6	1.4	53.7	38.1	0.7
Peru	27.3	34.3	1.3	58.5	92.0	1.6	19.9	23.6	1.2
Puerto Rico	13.2	20.4	1.5	33.6	70.3	2.1	40.2	61.9	1.5
Saint Kitts and Nevis	51.7	58.6	1.1	38.2	45.6	1.2	67.5	100.4	1.5
Saint Lucia	63.3	70.8	1.1	55.0	72.7	1.3	51.4	50.0	1.0
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	67.1	103.5	1.5	125.9	158.7	1.3	85.1	93.0	1.1
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	83.5	119.0	1.4	88.6	169.0	1.9	47.3	56.9	1.2
Trinidad and Tobago	62.7	78.2	1.2	107.4	165.8	1.5	105.1	129.4	1.2
Turks and Caicos Islands	2.7	9.6	3.6	39	69	1.8	17.7	33.1	1.9
United States of America	21.2	23.6	1.1	56.0	106.3	1.9	12.0	19.0	1.6
Uruguay	34.0	45.2	1.3	40.7	87.8	2.2	12.2	19.0	1.6
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	44.5	64.0	1.4	87.5	174.5	2.0	49.8	66.2	1.3
Virgin Islands (US)	13.2	24.5	1.9	29.7	72.4	2.4	17.4	12.0	0.7
SOURCE	A	A		A	A		A	A	

Notes

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--Data not available or not applicable.

M/F: male/female ratio.

Mortality

Age-adjusted death rates (per 100,000 population, by sex)

	Cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases			Cancer of lung			Cancer of prostate
	2014-2016 ^a			2016			2016
	Female	Male	M/F	Female	Male	M/F	Male
	Anguilla	3.9	14.6	3.7	-	9.6	--
Antigua and Barbuda	0.9	4.1	4.6	3.8	5.4	1.4	87.6
Argentina	3.6	17.5	4.9	10.9	29.7	2.7	18.9
Aruba	3.3	13.7	4.2	9.7	25.6	2.6	19.2
Bahamas	3.3	17.0	5.2	5.2	16.2	3.1	54.0
Barbados	1.0	9.0	9.0	6.7	11.6	1.7	76.5
Belize	18.1	48.5	2.7	7.2	30.3	4.2	51.4
Bermuda	0.0	6.5	--	9.2	29.3	3.2	21.8
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	--	--	--	4.4	4.7	1.1	14.1
Brazil	4.4	19.7	4.5	10.1	19.0	1.9	20.5
British Virgin Islands	3.4	17.5	5.1	--	--	--	--
Canada	3.9	8.2	2.1	25.8	34.3	1.3	12.3
Cayman Islands	0.0	0.0	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	10.5	32.8	3.1	10.5	19.9	1.9	24.2
Colombia	5.4	10.7	2.0	10.5	18.9	1.8	20.5
Costa Rica	9.2	19.8	2.2	4.2	9.8	2.3	22.1
Cuba	3.9	15.0	3.8	20.4	39.5	1.9	30.3
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	2.4	6.6	2.8	6.9	13.6	2.0	91.4
Dominican Republic	7.8	13.1	1.7	9.9	16.1	1.6	46.1
Ecuador	14.9	25.6	1.7	5.6	8.1	1.4	19.0
El Salvador	12.1	30.5	2.5	4.8	7.2	1.5	16.4
French Guiana	4.9	19.2	3.9	8.9	31.5	3.5	24.7
Grenada	5.3	17.1	3.2	8.8	18.9	2.1	70.2
Guadeloupe	0.9	12.8	14.2	6.0	13.9	2.3	21.6
Guatemala	23.0	56.4	2.5	3.1	4.8	1.5	16.3
Guyana	14.8	46.1	3.1	3.4	6.9	2.0	43.2
Haiti	--	--	--	7.3	8.0	1.1	41.8
Honduras	--	--	--	4.7	7.9	1.7	17.3
Jamaica	1.3	2.7	2.1	5.7	25.7	4.5	53.5
Martinique	1.7	6.1	3.6	5.7	14.5	2.5	25.0
Mexico	13.1	44.1	3.4	4.5	8.9	2.0	14.0
Montserrat	0.0	0.0	--	-	25.4	--	99.8
Nicaragua	16.0	55.5	3.5	4.8	9.8	2.0	19.5
Panama	7.9	12.7	1.6	6.2	11.8	1.9	21.4
Paraguay	3.2	17.5	5.5	5.5	23.9	4.3	26.6
Peru	16.4	35.5	2.2	8.7	10.8	1.2	19.4
Puerto Rico	5.4	19.7	3.6	5.8	12.8	2.2	16.0
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.0	16.6	--	2.6	24.1	9.3	89.9
Saint Lucia	5.3	21.8	4.1	3.7	14.1	3.8	49.8
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	3.8	9.3	2.4	5.9	9.0	1.5	84.6
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	5.6	19.9	3.6	7.8	22.5	2.9	29.9
Trinidad and Tobago	4.6	13.7	3.0	5.1	16.2	3.2	57.9
Turks and Caicos Islands	0.0	0.0	--	-	18.1	--	4.9
United States of America	7.8	13.9	1.8	23.2	33.4	1.4	12.8
Uruguay	2.3	10.5	4.6	12.6	48.7	3.9	27.0
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	4.5	22.4	5.0	11.9	21.0	1.8	30.9
Virgin Islands (US)	1.9	14.1	7.4	5.1	10.9	2.1	18.0
SOURCE	X	X		A	A		A

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M/F: male/female ratio.

Mortality

Age-adjusted death rates (per 100,000 population, by sex)

	HIV disease			Land transport accidents		
	2014-2016 ^a			2016		
	Female	Male	M/F	Female	Male	M/F
	Anguilla	0.0	0.0	--	-	49.4
Antigua and Barbuda	6.8	5.4	0.8	2.3	7.4	3.2
Argentina	2.3	5.2	2.3	5.7	21.5	3.8
Aruba	0.0	3.9	--	3.2	16.2	5.1
Bahamas	26.3	32.9	1.3	4.1	14.5	3.5
Barbados	0.7	1.0	1.4	3.5	12.4	3.5
Belize	34.7	47.7	1.4	9.4	38.1	4.1
Bermuda	0.0	1.6	--	5.1	28.6	5.6
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	--	--	--	12.6	37.5	3.0
Brazil	4.0	8.6	2.2	7.3	33.7	4.6
British Virgin Islands	7.4	4.9	0.7	--	--	--
Canada	0.3	0.6	2.0	3.3	7.0	2.1
Cayman Islands	5.1	0.0	0.0	--	--	--
Chile	0.9	5.5	6.1	4.3	16.5	3.8
Colombia	3.6	12.9	3.6	7.9	36.1	4.6
Costa Rica	1.7	5.9	3.5	5.3	24.0	4.5
Cuba	1.4	6.4	4.6	3.0	9.8	3.3
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	2.8	2.5	0.9	5.2	22.1	4.3
Dominican Republic	11.2	13.5	1.2	9.8	46.5	4.7
Ecuador	3.3	10.5	3.2	10.3	39.6	3.8
El Salvador	3.5	11.6	3.3	7.0	32.4	4.6
French Guiana	8.2	4.2	0.5	5.0	17.3	3.5
Grenada	1.9	5.6	2.9	2.0	12.8	6.4
Guadeloupe	2.0	1.5	0.8	3.0	17.9	6.0
Guatemala	1.6	4.7	2.9	6.9	31.7	4.6
Guyana	28.9	35.3	1.2	5.8	28.9	5.0
Haiti	--	--	--	8.4	22.8	2.7
Honduras	--	--	--	11.8	23.5	2.0
Jamaica	18.1	36.4	2.0	4.3	12.1	2.8
Martinique	0.8	2.2	2.8	1.6	18.6	11.6
Mexico	1.3	6.1	4.7	5.0	19.8	4.0
Montserrat	0.0	0.0	--	-	-	--
Nicaragua	3.7	8.4	2.3	4.9	26.8	5.5
Panama	8.2	28.7	3.5	4.4	20.7	4.7
Paraguay	4.8	7.6	1.6	12.2	41.6	3.4
Peru	2.6	8.9	3.4	6.7	21.1	3.1
Puerto Rico	2.3	8.5	3.7	3.3	13.4	4.1
Saint Kitts and Nevis	7.0	15.3	2.2	-	11.1	--
Saint Lucia	1.1	1.0	0.9	5.2	23.1	4.4
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	8.9	30.3	3.4	4.6	16.5	3.6
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	16.8	30.3	1.8	8.7	31.7	3.6
Trinidad and Tobago	13.7	25.1	1.8	5.9	27.2	4.6
Turks and Caicos Islands	2.7	4.9	1.8	-	-	--
United States of America	0.9	2.5	2.8	6.3	15.6	2.5
Uruguay	3.1	7.7	2.5	5.2	21.1	4.1
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	4.0	12.2	3.1	12.8	69.4	5.4
Virgin Islands (US)	1.3	6.8	5.2	6.1	15.5	2.5
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^a Latest available year.

- Zero magnitude.

--Data not available or not applicable.

Italics are used when the data year is prior to the period shown.

M/F: male/female ratio.

Mortality

Age-adjusted death rates (per 100,000 population, by sex)

	Suicide and self-inflicted injuries			Homicide and injuries purposely inflicted by another person		
	2016			2015-2016		
	Female	Male	M/F	Female	Male	M/F
	Anguilla	-	-	--	-	-
Antigua and Barbuda	0.9	-	--	0.9	2.8	3.1
Argentina	3.5	15.0	4.3	1.9	10.8	5.7
Aruba	3.7	8.5	2.3	1.1	10.3	9.4
Bahamas	0.5	2.8	5.6	7.3	49.1	6.7
Barbados	0.3	0.8	2.7	4.7	14.0	3.0
Belize	2.0	9.9	5.0	8.9	56.0	6.3
Bermuda	-	1.8	--	-	9.4	--
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	8.9	16.9	1.9	4.7	23.7	5.0
Brazil	2.8	9.7	3.5	5.4	54.8	10.1
British Virgin Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
Canada	5.8	15.1	2.6	0.8	2.2	2.8
Cayman Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chile	3.8	16.0	4.2	1.1	7.5	6.8
Colombia	2.8	11.5	4.1	7.4	76.4	10.3
Costa Rica	2.3	12.8	5.6	2.1	17.4	8.3
Cuba	4.1	16.4	4.0	2.5	7.9	3.2
Curaçao	--	--	--	--	--	--
Dominica	3.1	11.0	3.5	5.8	23.9	4.1
Dominican Republic	3.2	17.9	5.6	4.7	29.9	6.4
Ecuador	3.8	10.7	2.8	2.9	16.2	5.6
El Salvador	4.3	24.7	5.7	10.6	88.2	8.3
French Guiana	6.0	11.3	1.9	-	7.1	--
Grenada	1.0	2.1	2.1	2.7	9.9	3.7
Guadeloupe	2.7	11.6	4.3	0.2	5.2	26.0
Guatemala	1.7	4.4	2.6	8.2	49.8	6.1
Guyana	14.2	46.6	3.3	8.4	30.1	3.6
Haiti	6.4	18.3	2.9	10.6	43.3	4.1
Honduras	1.7	5.3	3.1	32.7	84.6	2.6
Jamaica	0.9	3.2	3.6	15.5	61.0	3.9
Martinique	0.6	10.7	17.8	0.6	4.7	7.8
Mexico	2.3	8.2	3.6	4.0	30.0	7.5
Montserrat	-	-	--	-	-	--
Nicaragua	5.0	19.2	3.8	3.4	24.3	7.1
Panama	1.2	7.6	6.3	4.0	37.4	9.4
Paraguay	6.2	12.3	2.0	3.0	14.0	4.7
Peru	2.7	7.6	2.8	4.3	19.3	4.5
Puerto Rico	0.9	8.6	9.6	3.3	35.8	10.8
Saint Kitts and Nevis	-	-	--	7.5	110.6	14.7
Saint Lucia	2.1	12.7	6.0	5.1	24.3	4.8
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.9	3.9	4.3	5.7	21.1	3.7
Sint Maarten	--	--	--	--	--	--
Suriname	10.9	36.1	3.3	4.7	15.6	3.3
Trinidad and Tobago	4.3	21.9	5.1	10.5	73.8	7.0
Turks and Caicos Islands	2.7	2.4	0.9	2.7	21.5	8.0
United States of America	6.4	21.1	3.3	2.7	11.1	4.1
Uruguay	7.1	26.8	3.8	2.4	12.6	5.3
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	1.2	6.6	5.5	6.7	90.3	13.5
Virgin Islands (US)	-	4.1	--	11.3	95.8	8.5
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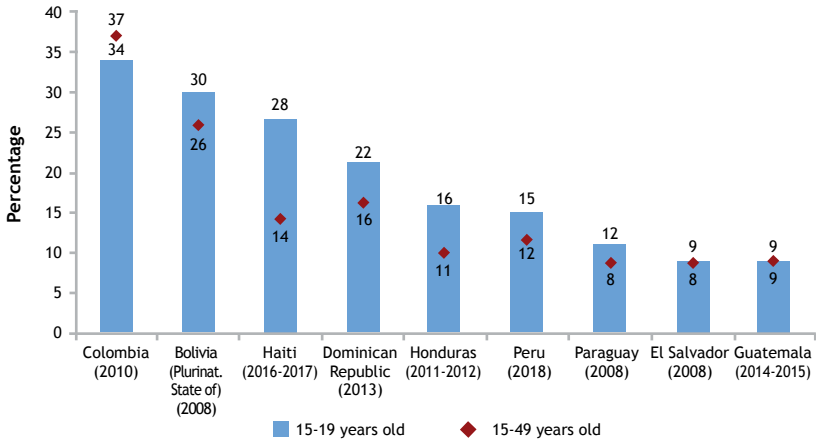
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Violence against women

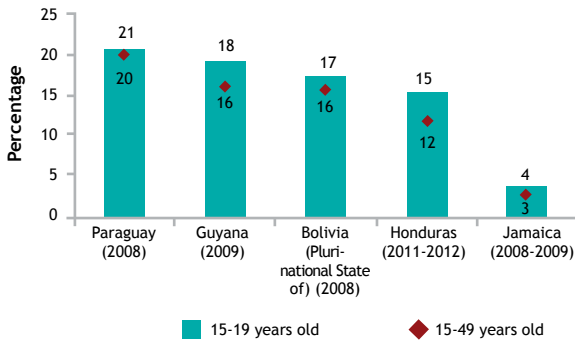
Percentage of adolescents 15-19 years old who reported physical or sexual violence by a spouse or partner, in the 12 months prior to the survey. Latin America and Caribbean countries with available data, 2008-2017.



Note: For more information, see technical notes.

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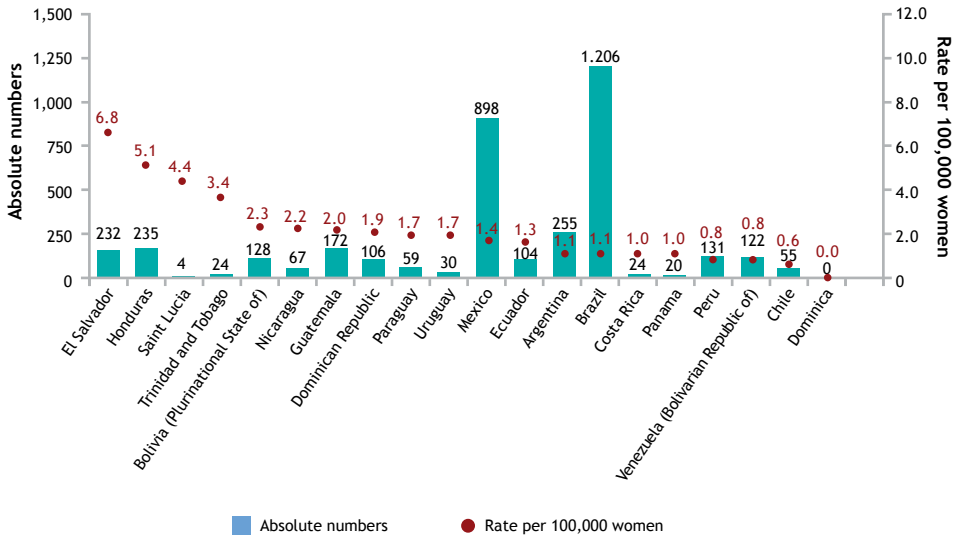
Adolescents 15-19 years old and women 15-49 years old who agreed that wife-beating is acceptable for at least one reason*, Latin America and Caribbean countries with available data 2008-2012.



* 1) going out without telling him, 2) neglecting the children, 3) arguing with him, 4) refusing sex with him, or 5) burning meals.

Source: The DHS Program STATcompiler and national reports. <http://www.statcompiler.com>. Accessed on July 29, 2019; PAHO, CDC. Violence against women in Latin America and the Caribbean. A comparative analysis of population-based data from 12 countries.

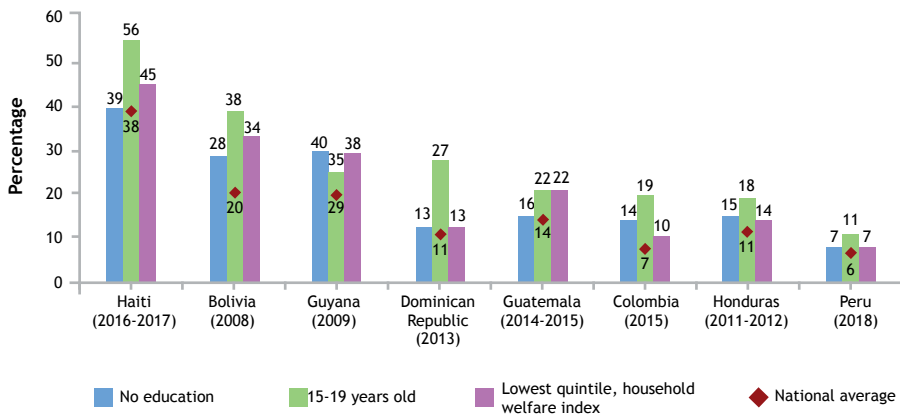
Femicide, absolute numbers and rates per 100,000 women aged 15 years and over. Latin American and Caribbean countries with available data, 2018.



Source: ECLAC Gender Equality Observatory for Latin America and the Caribbean. Available at <https://oig.cepal.org/en>. Accessed on February 18, 2020.

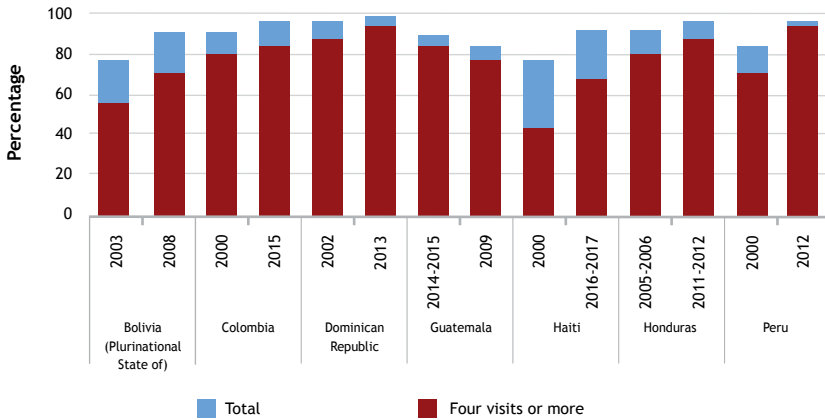
Family planning and access to services

Percentage of women in union who reported an unmet need for family planning services, by selected categories. Latin American and Caribbean countries with available data, 2008-2017.



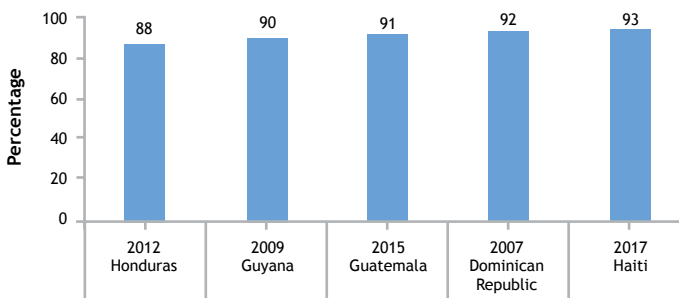
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Percentage of women who visited prenatal services, at least once or at least four times, during their most recent pregnancy in the five years prior to the survey. Latin American and Caribbean countries with available data, 2009-2017.



Source: DHS STATcompiler Program. Available at <http://www.statcompiler.com>. Accessed on September 10, 2019.

Percentage of women 15-49 years old who make their own informed decisions about sexual relations, contraceptive use, and reproductive health care. Latin American and Caribbean countries with available data, 2009-2017.

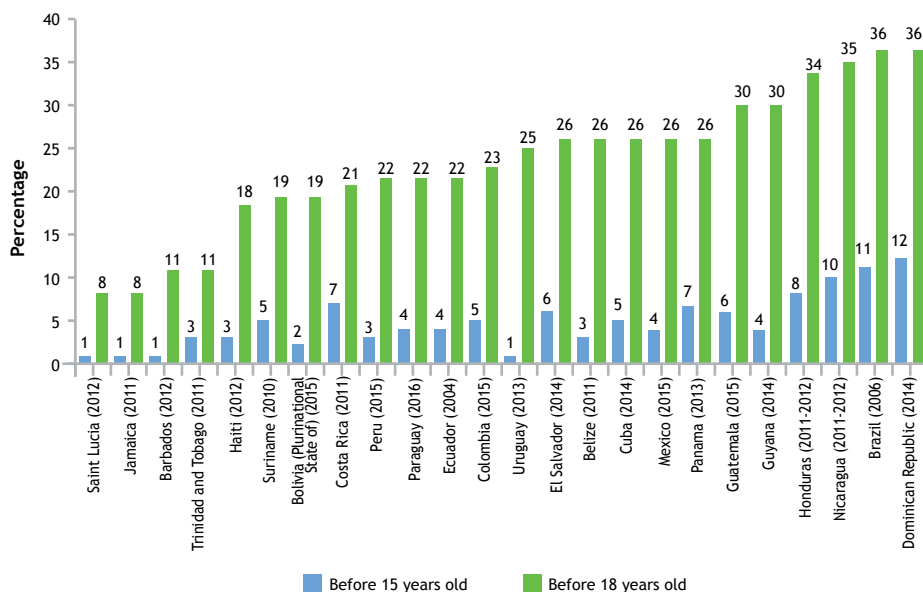


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Early marriage

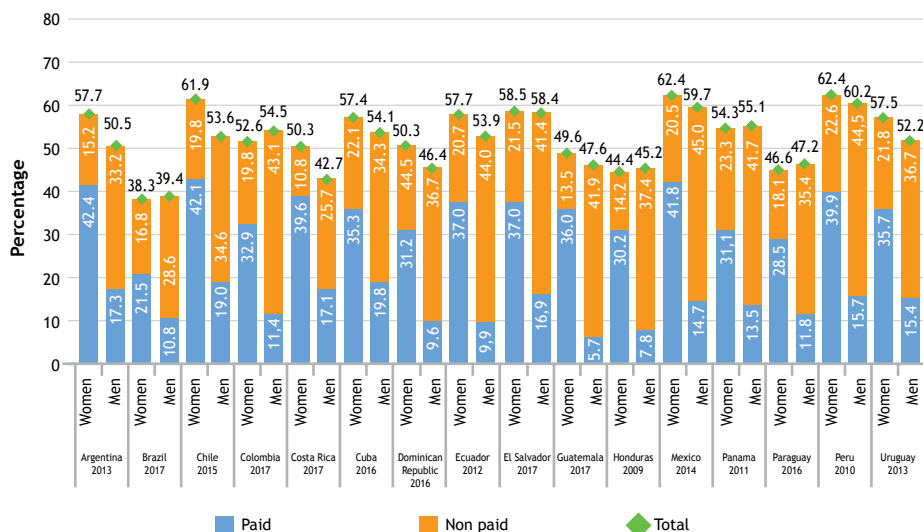
Women 15-19 years old who were first married or in union before age 15, and women 20-24 years old who were first married or in union before age 18. Latin American and Caribbean countries with available data, 2006-2016.



Source: UNICEF, Global database, 2016. DHS Program STATcompiler. Accessed on September 1, 2019. Available at: <http://www.statcompiler.com>.

Time use

Average time (hours per week) spent on paid and unpaid work by the population aged 15 years and over, by sex. Countries with available information, 2015-2017.



Source: ECLAC. Gender Equality Observatory for Latin America and the Caribbean. Available at <https://oig.cepal.org/en>. Accessed 1 September 2019.

Technical notes (in order of appearance)

Total population: Annually interpolated de facto population as of 1 July of the year indicated. Figures are presented in thousands.

Femininity index, total population and 75+ years old: Number of females per 100 males in the total population and in the 75+ age group. Population as of 1 July of the indicated year.

Population 75+ years old: Percentage of the total population that is 75+ years old in a country, as of 1 July of the indicated year.

Urban population: Urban population as a percentage of the total population.

Women aged 15-49: Number of women aged 15-49 as of 1 July of the indicated year. The figure is presented in thousands.

Annual population growth rate (%): Exponential rate of population growth from midyear of year $t-1$ to t , expressed as a percentage.

Life expectancy at birth: The average number of years of life expected by a hypothetical cohort of individuals who would be subject during all their lives to the mortality rates of a given period.

Life expectancy at age 60 years: The additional number of years that, on average, an individual who has reached 60 years of age can be expected to live. Estimates are based on age- and sex-specific death rates.

Gross national income per capita, ppp value: Total value added (domestic and foreign) claimed by residents, plus all taxes on products (minus subsidies), plus net receipts of primary income from nonresident sources, divided by the midyear population. The result is converted to international dollars using purchasing power parity (PPP) rates.

Income quintile ratio: highest 20% / lowest 20%: Ratio of the average income of the richest 20% of the population to the average income of the poorest 20% of the population.

Population living below PPP \$1.90 a day: Percentage of the population living below the international poverty line of \$1.90 a day (in purchasing power parity [PPP] terms).

Population living below national poverty line: Percentage of the population living below the national poverty line, which is the poverty line deemed appropriate for a country by its authorities. National estimates are based on subgroup population-weighted estimates from household surveys.

Index of feminization of extreme poverty and poverty: Index that shows how many times greater the incidence of poverty and extreme poverty is among women than among men. A figure greater than 100 means that poverty or extreme poverty is higher among women; a figure less than 100 indicates the opposite.

Urban population 15 years old and older (%) without own income: Ratio of the total female or male population aged 15 and older with no income of their own and who are not studying (according to activity status), in relation to the total female or male population aged 15 and older that does not study. Data from household surveys.

Population using safely managed, improved water supplies (%): Proportion of population using an improved basic drinking water source that is located on the premises, available when needed and free of fecal and priority chemical contamination. "Improved" drinking water sources include piped water into a dwelling, yard or plot; public taps or standpipes; boreholes or tube wells; protected dug wells; protected springs; packaged water; delivered water and rainwater. WHO and UNICEF estimates.

Population using improved sanitation facilities, safely managed (%): Proportion of population using safely managed sanitation services, including a hand-washing facility with soap and water. This is measured by the proportion of the population using a basic sanitation facility not shared with other households and where excreta is safely disposed in situ or treated off-site. "Improved" sanitation facilities include flush or pour-flush toilets

connected to sewer systems, septic tanks or pit latrines, ventilated improved pit latrines, pit latrines with a slab, and composting toilets. WHO and UNICEF estimates.

Health expenditure as % of GDP: * Public expenditure: Health expenditure financed by compulsory sources of funds such as taxes, social security contributions, and compulsory employers and employee contributions to health insurance schemes, including fiscal transfers to these. Expressed as a percentage of the gross domestic product (GDP).

* Private expenditure: Health expenditure financed by voluntary sources of funds such as payment of private insurance premiums (prepayment) and out-of-pocket expenditure in health services and goods at the time of care (direct payment). Expressed as a percentage of the gross domestic product (GDP). WHO estimates.

Out-of-pocket expenditure as % of total health expenditure: Direct payment for health services and goods at the time the individual or households benefits from care and at the point of service. Includes both informal and formal payments (such as consultation fees, payment of medicines at pharmacies, and any type of co-payment) and is offset by any subsequent reimbursement. Expressed as a percentage of total expenditure on health. WHO estimates.

Women in parliament (%): For countries with a single-chamber parliament, the percent shown is for that chamber; where there are two chambers, the percentage is obtained by dividing the total number of women in both chambers by the combined number of seats available. Data were provided by countries to the Inter-Parliamentary Union (to 1 February 2019) for elections held between 2012 and 2018.

Percentage of women judges in the highest court or supreme court: Percentage of women judges or magistrates in the highest court or supreme court. The percentage of women is calculated based on the overall number of active judges or magistrates. Updated to 31 December 2018.

Women (%) in ministerial posts: Proportion of women holding ministerial posts during one presidential term, relative to the total number of women and men who held ministerial-level posts during that presidential term. The data are validated by the national machineries for the advancement of women, based on official government data. If no such data are available, the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) compiles data directly from government websites. Updated to 31 December 2018.

Gender inequality index (GII): The GII reflects women's disadvantages in three dimensions: reproductive health, empowerment, and the labor market. It ranges from 0, which indicates that women and men fare equally, to 1, which indicates that women fare as poorly as possible in all measured dimensions. Calculation of the GII takes into account the following: maternal mortality ratio, adolescent fertility rate, share of parliamentary seats held by each sex, attainment at secondary and higher education levels, and labor market participation rate. This brochure shows the GII ranking for countries in the Region of the Americas as prepared by the United Nations Development Program (UNDP) and published in Human Development Indices and Indicators: 2018 Statistical Update.

Adult literacy rate: Percentage of population aged 15 years and over who can read, write, and understand a short simple statement about their everyday life.

Population enrolled in secondary school: Ratio of the total number of students enrolled in secondary school, regardless of age, to the population in the applicable age group for this educational level in the country (gross enrollment ratio, secondary), multiplied by 100.

Population enrolled in higher education: Ratio of the total number of students enrolled in any kind of postsecondary education, regardless of age, to the population in the applicable age group for this educational level in the country (gross enrollment ratio, tertiary), multiplied by 100. For the tertiary level it is customary to use the five-year age group immediately following the upper limit of secondary-school ages.

Economically active urban population (%): Proportion of population, aged 15 years and over, residents of urban areas, who contribute work to the production of economic goods and services during a specified time-reference period, out of the economically active population aged 15 years and over.

Total working time: Paid work done for the production of goods or services for the market, calculated as the sum of time devoted to employment, job search and commuting. It is expressed in weekly hours and tenths. Employed persons aged 15 years and over are considered for this indicator. Different surveys are used (time use, living conditions, etc.), which involve differences in the indicator's operationalization.

Urban workers employed in low-productivity sectors of the labor market (%): Percent of urban women and men employed in low-productivity sectors of the labor market, relative to total employed women and men in the urban area. Jobs are characterized by insecurity with respect to salaries, duration, social security, and so on. A person is defined as employed in the low productivity sector (informal) if they are an employer or salaried employee (professional, technical or neither) who works for an establishment employing up to five persons (micro enterprise), who works in a domestic employment, or who is an independent non-qualified worker (own-account and unpaid family workers with neither professional nor technical qualification).

Urban population 15+ who are unpaid family workers: Workers who have “independent employment” in a market-oriented business run by a family member who lives in the same household, who cannot be considered business partners and who are not remunerated.

Urban open unemployment rate: Proportion of urban population, aged 15 years and over, who has not worked but has looked for an employment during the reference period and people looking for work for the first time, out of the urban economically active population aged 15 years and over.

Proportion of informal employment in non-agriculture employment, women: Corresponds to the share of non-agricultural employment classified as informal employment. Informal employment offers a necessary survival strategy in countries that lack social safety nets, such as unemployment insurance, or where wages and pensions are low, especially in the public sector. The informal employment in non-agricultural employment per 100, is divided by total employment in non-agricultural activities.

Urban women's employment income: Refers to differences in income among the total employed urban population. The indicator is obtained by dividing the average income of wage earners and self-employed women (numerator) with the average income of wage earners and self-employed men (denominator). The result is multiplied by 100. The average income corresponds to the sum of salaries, wages and earnings.

Total fertility rate: The number of children a cohort of women would have, on average, at the end of their reproductive period (usually considered to be 15-49 years of age) if they were subject during their entire reproductive period to the age-specific fertility rates of a given time period and they were not subject to mortality. It is expressed as number of children per woman.

Age-specific fertility rate: Number of births to women of 15-19 years, divided by the number of women in that age group.

Teens (%) who are mothers or are pregnant with their first child: Percent of women 15-19 years old who are mothers or were pregnant with their first child at the time of the survey.

Births (%) of order 4 or more: Percent of live births, in the two years preceding the survey, to women who have already given birth to at least three other children. The numerator includes all births of order >3, regardless of whether they are also in any other reproductive risk category.

Births (%) within an interval <24 months since last delivery: Percent of all births, excluding first births, occurring less than 24 months since the previous delivery which resulted in a live birth. First-order births are excluded from the denominator. Data are from national surveys and include births occurring in the five years preceding the survey.

Prevalence of anemia (%) among women of childbearing age: Among non-pregnant women, anemia is defined as a blood hemoglobin level of less than 12 grams per deciliter (g/dl); and among pregnant women, as a level under 11 g/dl. Data are adjusted for altitude and smoking.

Reported maternal mortality ratio per 100,000 live births: Ratio of the registered, or estimated, number of deaths from maternal causes per 100,000 live births. Maternal death is defined as the death of a woman while pregnant or within 42 days following termination of pregnancy, regardless of the length and site of the pregnancy, due to conditions related to, or aggravated by, the pregnancy and its care, but not due to accidental or incidental causes. The data are:

* Study: Mexico and Bolivia.

* Preliminary: Nicaragua, Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic, and Aruba.

* Survey: Haiti.

* Data with one or more of the following limitations: coverage of maternal deaths and live births, differences in the maternal death definition, different denominators used, analysis of only confirmed maternal deaths, and coverage of infant and neonatal deaths: El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama, Ecuador, Peru, Venezuela, Paraguay, Guyana, Suriname, and Trinidad and Tobago.

New HIV diagnoses: Rate per 100,000 inhabitants.

Women with HIV (%) among all persons 15 years and older living with HIV: Share of women (%) with HIV among the total population 15 years and older living with HIV.

Prevalence of HIV (%) in the population 15-24 years old: Percent of persons living with HIV in the total population 15-24 years of age, by sex.

Women (%) 15-49 years old, in union, using contraceptive methods: Percent of women 15-49 years of age, married or in union, who are currently using, or whose sexual partner is currently using at least one method of contraception. The data are from national surveys, and other age groups are often used: 14-49 years; 15-44 years, etc.

Women (%) with unmet family planning needs: Women who are fecund and sexually active but are not using any modern method of contraception, and report not wanting any more children or wanting to delay the next child. Expressed as percentage of fecund women who are married or in union. UN estimates.

Prenatal care by trained personnel: Percent of pregnant women who had at least four health care visits during the pregnancy, provided by a trained health worker. A health care visit during pregnancy is defined as a health visit for control and monitoring of the pregnancy and/or ambulatory care for associated morbidity; direct vaccination activities and health care services rendered just prior to delivery are not included. Trained personnel include medical doctors, certified nurses and licensed midwives; traditional birth attendants are not included.

Hospital births attended by trained personnel (%): Number of deliveries in hospitals, expressed as a percentage of total number of births in the same year in a given country, territory, or geographical area. A hospital is any health facility with organized professional medical staff and beds available for continuous hospitalization of patients formally admitted for medical observation, care, diagnosis, or treatment (surgical and non-surgical).

Deliveries (%) by caesarean section: Percent of live births delivered by caesarean section in the five years preceding the survey.

People living with HIV receiving ART (%), adults (15+): Percentage of adults (15+) on antiretroviral therapy among all adults and children living with HIV at the end of the reporting period.

Prevalence of tobacco use among adolescents: The population 13-15 years of age in a given country or geographic area, by sex, that used any tobacco product (smoked or smokeless) during the 30 days prior to the survey, expressed as a percentage of that population. Country data.

Prevalence of obesity (%): Obesity is defined as excessive body fat relative to lean body mass, or a body mass index (BMI) ≥ 30 . BMI is defined as weight (in kilograms) divided by the square of the height (in meters).

Mortality indicators:

- All rates are age-adjusted death rates using the WHO World Standard Population data (<http://www.who.int.healthinfo/paper31.pdf>).
- For data from Anguilla, Aruba, Bermuda, Dominica, French Guiana, Guadeloupe, Martinique, Montserrat, Puerto Rico, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Turks and Caicos Islands, and Virgin Islands (USA): WHO Global Mortality Estimates (2018). Methods are available from: http://terrance.who.int/mediacentre/data/ghe/GlobalCOD_method_2000_2016.pdf?ua=1.
- For data from the remaining countries: PAHO Regional Mortality Estimates (2018). Mortality rates were computed after applying an algorithm to correct for unknown age and sex and to account for a redistribution for deaths from ill-defined causes and events of undetermined intent as presented in Health Statistics from the Americas, 2006 edition (<http://www.paho.org/HSA2006>).
- According to the International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision (ICD-10), it is used as a reference the World Health Organization (WHO) Global Burden of Disease list.

Percentage of ever married women (15-19 or 15-49 years old) who have experienced physical or sexual violence committed by their husband/partner in the 12 months preceding the survey: Numbers of women who report experiencing, in the 12 months preceding the survey, one or more of the specified acts of spousal physical violence or physical violence by any previous husband/partner, and one or more of the specified acts of spousal sexual violence or sexual violence by any previous husband/partner, divided by number of ever-married women age 15-49 selected and interviewed for the domestic violence module.

Proportion of women aged 15-49 years who make their own informed decisions regarding sexual relations, contraceptive use, and reproductive health care: Proportion of women aged 15-49 years (married or in union) who make their own decisions in all three selected areas, i.e., who can say no to unwanted sexual intercourse with their husband or partner, decide on use of contraception, and decide on their own health care. Only women who provide a “yes” answer to all three components are considered as women who “make their own decisions regarding sexual and reproductive health.”

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The first step towards achieving gender equality is understanding the differences in the living and working conditions among men and women, as well as the risk factors and vulnerabilities that influence health outcomes. Additionally, in order to meet the targets set by the Sustainable Development Goals, countries should collect data to show the inequalities between diverse groups of men and women, identifying the most disadvantaged population groups and ensuring that no one is left behind. While countries of the Americas have taken significant strides in disaggregating health data by sex and age, additional efforts are still needed to include ethnic variables into health registries.

This compendium of indicators illustrates the differences in health between men and women and, in the social, economic, and environmental determinants. It highlights once again the importance of continuing to collect disaggregated data to conduct gender-based analysis in order to determine, address, reduce, and eliminate the causes of gender-related inequalities.

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