37 women die per 100,000 live births due to pregnancy-related causes in Egypt

The maternal mortality ratio in Egypt has improved from 64 in 2000 to 37 in 2017. Maternal mortality in Egypt is lower than its regional average. Maternal mortality ratio is the number of women who die from pregnancy-related causes while pregnant or within 42 days of pregnancy termination per 100,000 live births.

52 of every 1,000 girls ages 15-19 gave birth in Egypt in 2019

In Egypt, the rate of adolescent fertility has remained roughly the same since 2010. The rate in 2019 was higher than the average rate in its income group.

91.2% of girls and 85.8% of boys complete lower secondary school in Egypt as of 2019 data

The female rate in Egypt is higher than both Middle East & North Africa and the lower-middle income group. Lower secondary education completion rate measures how many children have completed the last grade of lower secondary education regardless of age completed.

Adult literacy in Egypt is lower among women than among men (2017)

The adult female literacy rate in Egypt is lower than in Middle East & North Africa. Adult literacy rate is the percentage of people ages 15 and above who can both read and write with understanding a short simple statement about their everyday life.

Adult literacy rate, by sex (% of people ages 15 and above)
In Egypt, the labor force participation rate among females is 18.5% and among males is 71.2% for 2019.

The labor force participation rate is the proportion of the population ages 15 and older that is economically active. Since 1990, female labor force participation has decreased. Compared with labor force participation in the lower-middle income group, the gap between men and women is higher in Egypt.

Vulnerable employment for females has improved in Egypt since 1991.

Workers in vulnerable employment are the least likely to have formal work arrangements, social protection, and safety nets to guard against economic shocks; thus they are more likely to fall into poverty. Vulnerable employment among women is 27.7% and among men is 15.4% in Egypt for 2019. The rate of vulnerable employment is lower for men but higher for women in Egypt compared to the average rate in Middle East & North Africa.
In Egypt, women spend 9.2 times as much time on unpaid domestic and care work than men.

The data, expressed as a proportion of time in a day, measure the average time an individual spends on household provision of services for own consumption. In 2015, women in Egypt spent 22.4% of their day and men spent 2.4% of their day on unpaid work. Data compiled from the most recent data point between 2010 and 2019.

Data is not available for Egypt for Share of business owners, by sex (% of total business owners)

In 2017, 27% of women and 38.7% of men in Egypt had an account.

The gap in account ownership between men and women in Egypt, 11.7, is smaller than the gap of the Middle East & North Africa aggregate, 18.8. Account ownership denotes the percentage of respondents who report having an account (by themselves or together with someone else) at a bank or another type of financial institution or report personally using a mobile money service in the past 12 months.

4.8% of women owned a dwelling either alone or jointly in 2014.

For women in particular, asset ownership is a source of economic empowerment and provides protection in the case of marital dissolution or abandonment. There is increasing evidence that ownership of property by women has positive consequences for women's empowerment, nutritional and health outcomes, and children's schooling.
58.8% of women participated in making major decisions in the household in 2014

Women participating in making major decisions is the percentage of currently married women ages 15-49 who say that they alone or jointly have the final say in (i) making major household purchases, (ii) decisions about own healthcare, and (iii) visits to family, relatives, friends.

In Egypt, the share of women who have experienced intimate partner violence is nearly the same as the world average, 27%

Intimate partner violence is by far the most prevalent form of violence against women globally and is defined as the percentage of ever-married women (ages 15-49) who have ever experienced physical or sexual violence committed by their husband or partner, whereas those who have ever experienced any form of sexual violence is the percentage of women (ages 15-49) who ever experienced sexual violence irrespective of marital status and perpetrator.

27.4% of seats in national parliament were held by women in 2020 in Egypt

Women in parliaments are the percentage of parliamentary seats in a single or lower chamber held by women. The proportion of seats held by women in Egypt has increased since 2010. The current rate is higher than the average rate in lower-middle income countries.

Data is not available for Egypt for Employment in senior and middle management, female (%)
In 2017 women and men used the internet to pay bills or to buy something online at approximately the same rate.

The female rate in Egypt is lower than both Middle East & North Africa and the lower-middle income group. Internet usage denotes the percentage of respondents who report using the internet to pay bills or buy something online in the past 12 months.

- Proportion of time spent on unpaid domestic and care work, by sex (% of 24 hour day). Source: National statistical offices or national database and publications compiled by United Nations Statistics Division. The data were downloaded on December 3 from the Global SDG Indicators Database.
- Account ownership at a financial institution or with a mobile-money-service provider, by sex (% of population ages 15+). Source: Demirgüç-Kunt et al., 2018, Global Financial Inclusion Database, World Bank.
- House ownership status, by sex (% of population age 15-49). Source: Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS).
- Percentage of women ages 15-49 participating in decisions about: Source: Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS).
- Percentage of women ages 15-49 who have ever experienced: Source: Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS) Statcompiler (https://www.statcompiler.com/).
- Seats held by women in national parliaments, female (%). Source: Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) (www.ipu.org). For the year of 1998, the data is as of August 10, 1998.
- Used the internet to pay bills or to buy something online in the past year, by sex (% age 15+). Source: Global Findex database.

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