



Gender Equity Index 2009 EMPOWERMENT GAP

COUNTRY	EMPOWERMENT	
Sweden	82.9	
Rwanda	77.8	
Finland	75.7	
Spain	74.1	
South Africa	73.8	
Germany	73.0	
Norway	69.8	
Netherlands	65.4	
Philippines	64.8	
Hong Kong	62.4	
Cuba	61.7	
Denmark	61.1	
New Zealand	59.2	
Bahamas	58.9	
Trinidad and Tobago	58.6	
Barbados	57.0	
Latvia	57.0	
Austria	56.6	
Colombia	56.5	
Argentina	56.2	
Belgium	56.2	
Croatia	56.0	
St Lucia	55.4	
Iceland	55.2	
Australia	55.0	
Ecuador	54.3	
Honduras	54.2	
Lithuania	53.8	
Canada	53.7	
Portugal	52.8	
Mongolia	52.6	
Bulgaria	52.6	
United States of America	52.3	
El Salvador	52.3	
Moldova	51.9	
Tanzania	51.3	
United Kingdom	51.1	
Estonia	50.8	
Namibia	50.8	
Kazakhstan	50.4	
Panama	50.4	

COUNTRY	EMPOWERMENT	
Macedonia	50.1	
Botswana	49.5	
Costa Rica	47.9	
France	47.8	
Paraguay	47.2	
Dominican Republic	47.1	
Peru	47.0	
Ireland	46.9	
Kyrgyzstan	45.5	
Poland	45.2	
Uruguay	45.1	
Russia	45.1	
Hungary	44.9	
Israel	44.1	
Belize	44.1	
Ukraine	44.0	
Viet Nam	44.0	
Venezuela	43.9	
Brazil	43.6	
Czech Republic	43.4	
Slovenia	42.8	
Chile	42.8	
Georgia	42.5	
Slovakia	42.2	
Italy	42.1	
Romania	42.0	
Thailand	40.6	
Greece	38.6	
China	38.6	
Mexico	38.5	
Bolivia	37.6	
Uganda	37.4	
Singapore	36.5	
Lesotho	35.9	
Guyana	35.7	
Guinea-Bissau	35.6	
Timor-Leste	34.9	
Mauritius	34.5	
Mozambique	34.2	
Angola	32.8	
Sri Lanka	32.4	
Japan	30.2	
Malaysia	29.7	
Syria	29.2	
Cyprus	29.0	
Belarus	28.9	
Malta	28.5	
Burundi	27.9	
Senegal	27.1	
Maldives	26.2	

COUNTRY	EMPOWERMENT	
Zambia	25.6	
Ethiopia	25.5	
Eritrea	24.8	
Suriname	23.8	
St Vincent and Grenadines	23.6	
Korea, Rep.	23.6	
Luxembourg	23.5	
Guatemala	23.5	
Switzerland	23.4	
Cambodia	23.2	
Cape Verde	22.6	
Nepal	22.5	
Algeria	22.4	
Niger	22.1	
Morocco	21.4	
Iran	20.5	
Nicaragua	19.7	
United Arab Emirates	19.2	
Mauritania	19.2	
Bangladesh	18.9	
Togo	18.7	
Tunisia	18.6	
Jamaica	18.3	
Pakistan	18.0	
Benin	17.8	
Burkina Faso	17.7	
Gambia	17.7	
Zimbabwe	17.6	
Oman	17.6	
Turkey	17.3	
Mali	17.0	
Laos	16.8	
Gabon	16.7	
Indonesia	16.0	
Swaziland	15.7	
Azerbaijan	15.3	
Egypt	15.2	
Côte d'Ivoire	15.2	
Sierra Leone	15.1	
Cameroon	14.3	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	13.0	
Saudi Arabia	12.8	
Congo, Rep.	12.6	
Uzbekistan	12.5	
Sudan	12.4	
Sao Tomé and Príncipe	12.3	
Tajikistan	12.2	
Qatar	12.2	
Central African Republic	11.4	
Kenya	11.2	

COUNTRY	EMPOWERMENT	
Ghana	11.0	
Djibouti	10.8	
Jordan	9.4	
Nigeria	9.3	
Chad	9.2	
Samoa	8.6	
Equatorial Guinea	7.9	
India	7.9	
Albania	6.6	
Vanuatu	6.5	
Yemen	6.3	
Lebanon	6.2	
Bahrain	6.0	
Armenia	4.6	
Kuwait	4.2	
Solomon Islands	0.0	