

Indicator 5.b.1

Indicator Name, Target and Goal

Indicator 5.b.1 Proportion of individuals who own a mobile telephone, by sex

Target 5.b Enhance the use of enabling technology, in particular information and communications technology, to promote the empowerment of women

Goal 5 Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls

Definition and Rationale

Definition

Ratio according to own a mobile telephone among subjects of survey people 6 years or older.

Concepts

A mobile telephone includes PHS and Smartphone

Rationale and Interpretation:

This indicator is selected by "Questionnaire on Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Access and Use by Households and Individuals" which is ITU survey as SDG indicator.

Data Sources and Collection Method

The Communications Usage Trend Survey

Method of Computation and Other Methodological Considerations

Computation Method

Ratio according to own a mobile telephone among subjects of survey people 6 years or older in the Communications Usage Trend Survey

Comments and limitations

The survey is sample survey and the person who is targeted for an answer 6 years old or older for this indicator.

Data Disaggregation

By sex

References

<http://www.soumu.go.jp/johotsusintokei/statistics/statistics05b1.htm>

Custodian Ministries of Data

Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications

Custodian Ministries of Related Policies

International Organizations

International Telecommunication Union (ITU)