

Indicator 16.7.1

Indicator Name, Target and Goal

Indicator 16.7.1 Proportions of positions in national and local institutions, including (a) the legislatures; (b) the public service; and (c) the judiciary, compared to national distributions, by sex, age, persons with disabilities and population groups

Target 16.7 Ensure responsive, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at all levels

Goal 16 Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels

(a) Members of local assemblies (by sex)

Definition and Rationale

○ Definition

Indicator 16.7.1(a): Percentage of female members in local assemblies

○ Concepts

Members of local assemblies are the total number of members in prefectural and municipal assemblies.

○ Rationale and Interpretation:

Indicator 16.7.1(a): Indicates the participation of women in local assemblies.

Data Sources and Collection Method

Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications "Investigation on the Number of Chairpersons and Members of Local Government Assemblies, by Party Affiliation"

Method of Computation and Other Methodological Considerations

○ Computation Method

Indicator 16.7.1(a): Number of female members in local assemblies ÷

Total number of members in local assemblies × 100

○ Comments and limitations

Figures are as of December 31 each year.

Data Disaggregation

Indicator 16.7.1(a): The percentage of female members in local assemblies is calculated separately for prefectures, cities, special wards and towns and villages.

References

Investigation on the Number of Chairpersons and Members of Local Government Assemblies, by Party Affiliation

https://www.soumu.go.jp/senkyo/senkyo_s/data/syozoku/ichiran.html

Custodian Ministries of Data

Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications

Custodian Ministries of Related Policies

Cabinet Secretariat

Cabinet Office

Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications

Ministry of Justice

Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare

National Personnel Authority

International Organizations

Inter-Parliamentary Union