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and the First Global Conference  
on Gender Equality and the  
Measurement of Unpaid Care and  
Domestic Work**

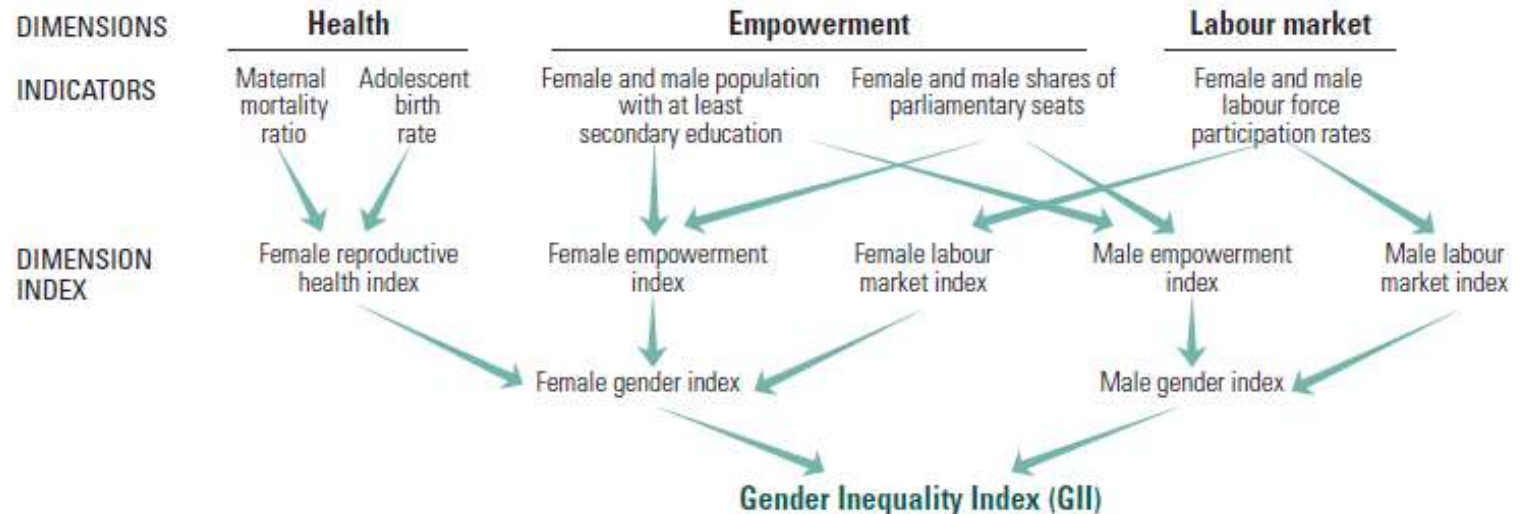


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# The Gender Inequality Index

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Enables tracking of empowerment aspects of women and girls in terms of:

- Bodily integrity and control over self
- Social empowerment for voice and self determination
- Access to opportunities and resources



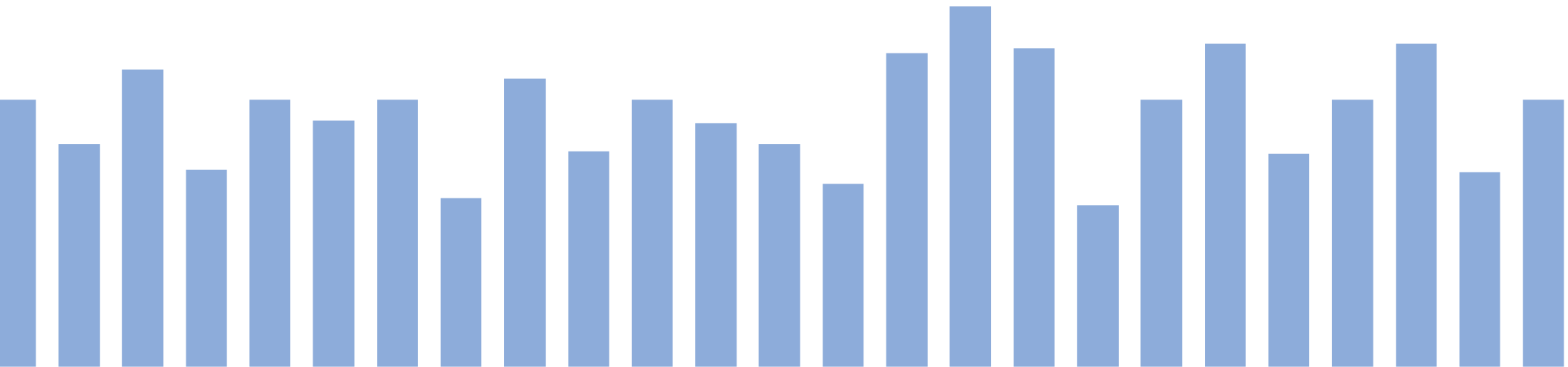
# Gender Inequality: the dynamic of sameness and difference



Capturing the aspects of inequality that emerge from divergent performance on the same issue - e.g. unequal engagement in labour markets



Capturing aspects of inequality that afflict primarily a particular sex because of difference – e.g. fertility issues



## Improvements in data

Concerns regarding:

- Methodological robustness
- Impartiality of data collection and sourcing
- Regular and reliable availability
- Representativeness
- Adequate coverage
- Disaggregation

Improvements anticipated at the national, regional and global levels, particularly tracking the SDGs





Thank you!

