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HAITI Gender Data Landscape

2026 edition

The gender data landscape highlights opportunities for enhancing gender equality outcomes in Haiti to support productivity and wealth gains, reduce poverty and increase shared prosperity.

Color Key
- Improvement
- Deterioration
- No Change

Click the indicators below to explore the World Bank Gender Data Portal.

		Latest*		Comparison		
		Year	Value	LAC	LMC	World
Progress in ending all forms of gender-based violence						
Proportion of women subjected to physical and/or sexual violence in the last 12 months (% of ever partnered women ages 15-49)	Female	2023	**12.5**	7.20	18.3	13.7
Women who were first married by 18 (% of women 20-24)	Female	2017	**14.9**	NA	NA	NA
Adolescent fertility rate (births per 1,000 women 15-19)		2023	**49.8**	51.2	42.0	39.1
Stronger and more resilient human capital						
Learning poverty: Share of children at the end-of-primary age below minimum reading proficiency (%)	Female	NA	**NA**	26.0	60.2	48.1
	Male	NA	**NA**	27.4	62.7	51.1
Lower secondary completion rate (% of relevant group)	Female	1997	**26.3**	84.0	74.3	78.0
	Male	1997	**28.6**	79.2	73.1	77.8
Female share of graduates from STEM programs, tertiary (%)		NA	**NA**	NA	NA	NA
Maternal mortality ratio (modeled estimate per 100,000 live births)		2023	**328**	77.0	235	197
Contraceptive prevalence, any modern method (% of married women 15-49)		2017	**31.8**	NA	47.6	54.1
Fraction of children under 5 not stunted	Female	2020	**0.80**	NA	NA	NA
	Male	2020	**0.76**	NA	NA	NA
Mortality from cardiovascular disease, cancer, diabetes, or chronic respiratory disease between ages 30 and 70 (%)	Female	2021	**33.6**	12.7	21.4	15.6
	Male	2021	**29.2**	16.9	24.4	21.0
More and better jobs, including jobs of the future						
Labor force participation rate (% 15+)	Female	2025	**58.3**	51.4	40.6	48.9
	Male	2025	**69.7**	74.6	76.7	73.1
Wage and salaried workers (% of employment)	Female	2025	**15.0**	66.0	26.5	54.6
	Male	2025	**29.8**	63.2	34.7	52.9
Employment in agriculture (% of employment)	Female	2025	**32.3**	7.12	47.1	26.2
	Male	2025	**58.2**	16.7	33.9	25.5
Vulnerable employment (% of employment)	Female	2025	**83.6**	31.3	71.2	43.1
	Male	2025	**69.9**	31.6	59.5	41.9
Share of youth not in education, employment or training (% of youth population)	Female	2012	**27.9**	24.7	32.2	NA
	Male	2012	**14.2**	12.6	10.9	NA
Youth unemployment (% of labor force 15-24)	Female	2025	**47.9**	14.5	14.5	14.9
	Male	2025	**30.0**	10.6	12.4	13.1
Percentage of women's economic rights (%)		2025	**51.7**	72.4	58.4	67.0
Greater ownership and use of economic assets						
Account at a financial institution (% age 15+)	Female	2017	**30.0**	NA	67.6	76.6
	Male	2017	**35.4**	NA	73.2	80.9
Saved at a financial institution or using a mobile money account (% 15+)	Female	2017	**13.1**	NA	22.2	NA
	Male	2017	**11.1**	NA	30.0	NA
Wider access to and use of enabling services						
Proportion of time spent on unpaid domestic and care work (% of 24 hour day)	Female	NA	**NA**	NA	NA	NA
	Male	NA	**NA**	NA	NA	NA
Individuals using the Internet (% of population)	Female	NA	**NA**	81.3	56.9	68.2
	Male	NA	**NA**	82.0	68.7	76.6
Used a mobile phone or the internet to pay bills (% age 15+)	Female	NA	**NA**	NA	12.5	NA
	Male	NA	**NA**	NA	20.0	NA
Advances in women's participation in decision-making						
Female share of employment in senior and middle management (%)		NA	**NA**	NA	NA	NA
Firms with female participation in ownership (% of firms)		NA	**NA**	46.3	29.8	34.0
Firms with female top manager (% of firms)		NA	**NA**	22.5	18.5	19.0
Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments (%)		2019	**2.54**	36.5	23.5	27.0
Proportion of women in ministerial level positions (%)		2024	**22.2**	30.4	18.1	22.9

* Latest value shows the latest available country value for the indicator. Color coding of the latest country value represents a more than 10 percent change upward or downward from the country's baseline value from 10 years (+/- 2 years) prior to latest value. No coloring applied whenever there is no data for baseline or when latest available value is prior to 2020.

Notes: (1) Haiti is part of the Latin America and Caribbean (LAC) region and a lower middle income country (LMC) as classified by The World Bank Group. Peer Comparison shows how Haiti performs relative to its peers in the region, income group, and the world. (2) Data and definitions can be found on the Gender Data Portal. Data is as of April 02, 2026.

WORLD BANK GROUP Gender Data Portal ACCELERATE EQUALITY

HAITI Women, Business and the Law 2026

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The World Bank's Women, Business and the Law (WBL) index measures how laws, their implementation, and enforcement affect women throughout their working lives. Covering 190 economies, it assesses women's economic opportunities across 10 topics, assigning each economy a score from 0 to 100 across three pillars.

Pillar I - Legal Frameworks Index: Domestic laws and regulations that shape women's work and entrepreneurship.

Pillar II - Supportive Frameworks Index: Policies and institutions that support implementation of the law.

Pillar III - Enforcement Perceptions Index: Experts' views on how effectively public authorities enforce laws and uphold rights assessed in the legal frameworks pillar.

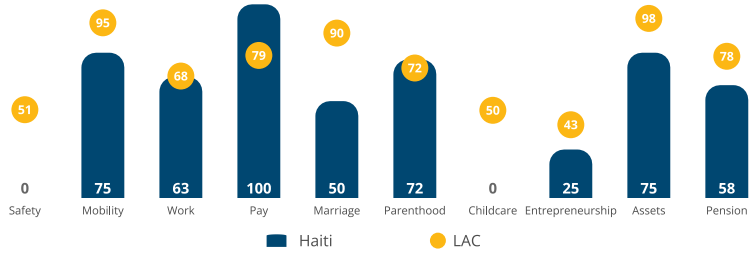
Greater equality under the law fuels women's employment and entrepreneurship

Legal Frameworks

Laws in **Haiti** provide women with only **52%** of the legal rights afforded to men.



Haiti performs above the regional average in 1 out of 10 topics



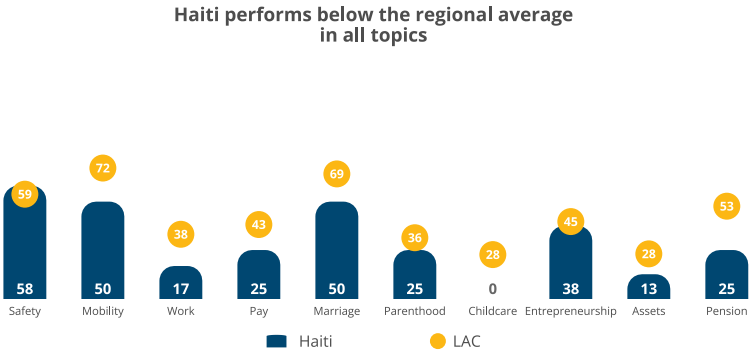
Yet, a persistent gap separates laws on the books from the actual practice

Supportive Frameworks

Only **30%** of mechanisms to support the implementation of equal opportunity laws are in place.



Haiti performs below the regional average in all topics



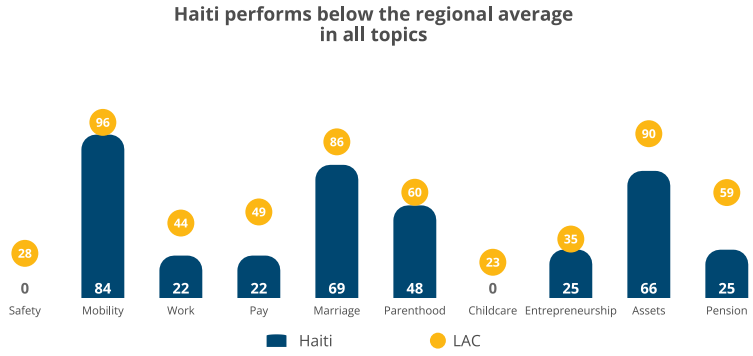
Enforcing existing laws strengthens women's access to jobs and economic opportunity

Enforcement Perceptions

Women's legal rights are enforced at only **36%** of their full potential, according to experts in **Haiti**.



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Reforms

Between October 2, 2023 and October 1, 2025, Haiti did not enact any reforms affecting the topics measured by WBL.

From Data to Action

Explore the Women, Business and the Law data
Track Legal Reforms
Women, Business and the Law Partners
Accelerating Gender Equality Through Reforming Legal Frameworks

Resources

Women, Business and the Law 2026 Report
Women, Business, and the Law website
WBL Economy Profiles
WBG Gender Strategy 2024–2030
Gender Data Portal

Source: Women, Business and the Law 2026. Regional averages on WBL index scores may vary across sources depending on the regional classification chosen.

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