

## How is Gender Equality measured?

While no single measure fully captures gender equality, gaps in equality between men and women are examined with measures in four basic areas<sup>(7)</sup>:



Economic Participation  
and Opportunity

Educational Attainment

Health and Survival

Political Empowerment

Since 2005, the World Economic Forum has used measures in the above areas to rank countries on gender equality. Canada's rankings out of 136 countries in 2013 are below<sup>(8)</sup>:

