

0.a. Goal

Goal 5: Achieve gender equality, empower and create opportunities for women and girls

0.b. Target

Target 5.5: Ensure full, effective participation and equal opportunity for women's leadership participation at all levels of policy-making in political, economic and social life (goal) 5.5 global)

0.c. Indicator

Indicator 5.5.6. Percentage of female farm owners

0.e. Metadata update

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2.a. Definition and concepts

The ratio of female farm owners is the percentage of female farm owners compared to the total number of farm owners.

2.c. Classifications

The list of administrative units in Vietnam issued together with the Prime Minister's Decision No. 124/2004/QĐ-TTg dated July 8, 2004 and the changes updated by the General Statistics Office to date December 31, 2019)

List of ethnic groups in Vietnam promulgated together with Decision No. 121-TCTK/PPCD dated March 2, 1979 by the Director General of the General Statistics Office).

3.a. Data sources

- Rural and agricultural census;
- Mid-term rural and agricultural census;
- Other statistical investigation.

3.b. Data collection method

Indicators were collected through the Rural and Agricultural Census (10-year cycle, July 1, conducted in years ending in 5) and the mid-term rural and agricultural census (cycle) 10-year period on July 1, conducted in years ending in 0).

- Census type: The 2016 Rural, Agricultural and Fisheries Census was carried out according to the whole survey method combined with a sampling survey.

+ Full investigation: Complete investigation for all investigation units.

+ Sampling survey: Sampling survey conducted for households in rural areas to collect information for in-depth research:

- Sampling survey was carried out with a sample of over 75,000 households in

rural (0.5% of total rural households nationwide). Number of representative sample households to the province level.

- Using the rural area sample EAs list from the Census results and

mid-term housing in 2014 to conduct sample site selection.

- Information collection method

+ Conduct direct interviews to collect information at the following survey units:

- At the household: The enumerator came to the household, met directly with the head of the household to interview and record questionnaires. In case the head of household is not present at the household, other members of the household can be interviewed if that member can fully and accurately answer the information in the survey form;
- At the farm: The surveyor went to the farm to meet directly with the farm owner to interview and record questionnaires. In case the farm owner is not present at the farm, the person assigned to manage the farm can be interviewed;
- At the Commune People's Committee: The enumerator directly interviewed representatives of the commune People's Committee leaders and related civil servants (Office - Statistics, Cadastral - Construction, Finance - Accounting, Justice - Civil status, Literature - Socialization, Agricultural Extension, ...).

+ Collecting indirect information for the following investigation units:

- Management board of housing for workers in rural areas;
- Coordination Office of the National Target Program on New Rural Development in the provinces and centrally-run cities;
- Department of Agriculture and Rural Development;
- VietGAP certification organization and equivalent designated by agencies of the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development;
- Units with agricultural, forestry and fishery production activities managed by the Ministry of National Defense.

For detailed information on the 2016 Rural, Agricultural and Fishery Census, please visit the following link: <https://www.gso.gov.vn/thong-tin-dieu-tra/>

3.d. Data release calendar

5 years

3.e. Data providers

General Statistics Office

3.f. Data compilers

General Statistics Office

4.a. Rationale

The indicator reflects the role and position of women in economic leadership; reflects gender equality.

4.c. Method of computation

Method of computation

$$\text{Tỷ lệ nữ chủ trang trại (\%)} = \frac{\text{Số nữ chủ trang trại}}{\text{Tổng số chủ trang trại}} \times 100$$

5. Data availability and disaggregation

Data available on a 5-year cycle and available for the urban/rural subdivision: 2011 and 2016

Data for ethnic groups, regions only in 2016

(Published source: 2020 national report on 5-year progress towards implementation of sustainable development goals. Data from General Statistics Office)

6. Comparability/deviation from international standards

The indicator “Proportion of female farm owners” is one of the indicators reflecting the global level indicator “5.5.2: Proportion of women in managerial positions”. At the global level, it is recommended to collect this indicator through workforce surveys or modular integrated surveys of employment. However, in Vietnam this indicator is collected through the Census of Rural, Agriculture and Fisheries and the content, scope of Vietnam is narrower than the global one, so it does not guarantee international comparability.

7. References and Documentation

- National statistical survey program issued under Decision No.43/2016/QĐ-TTg dated October 17, 2016 of the Prime Minister
- Circular No. 03/2019/TT-BKHT dated January 22, 2019 stipulating the set of statistical indicators for sustainable development of Vietnam;
- <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/>