

SDG Goal 5 Gender equality

SDG Target 5.3 Eliminate all harmful practices, such as child, early and forced marriage and female genital mutilation

SDG Indicator 5.3.1 Proportion of women aged 20-24 years who were married or in a union before age 15 and before age 18

1. Name of data series	
Married Girls under 15 years	
Compliant with SDG metadata: no	SDG Metadata

2. Definition of indicator	
The indicator “married girls under 15 years” shows the proportion of girls that were married in the specific year at the age of 14 or younger.	
3. Comparison with SDG metadata (as of 19/03/2019)	
This indicator calculates the proportion of girls 14 and younger that were actually married in the specific year, and not the proportion of women aged 20-24 that were married before age 18 as requested in the SDG metadata.	

4. Data description	
The data on girls that are younger than 15 and married is taken from the continuous update of the population estimation based on the population Census in 2011. Since Juli 2018, marriages before the age of 18 are not recognized. An exception are marriages contracted by foreign citizens in another country than Germany.	
5. Calculation method	
$\text{Married girls under 15 years} = \frac{\text{Married girls, 14 years and younger (number)}}{\text{Girls in population, 14 years and younger (number)}} \cdot 100$	
6. Unit of measure	%

7. Timeliness	8. Frequency
t + 9 months	Annual
9. Last regular revision	10. Revised period
Not applicable	Not applicable

11. Accessibility of source data

Update of the population estimation based on the Census 2011 (only available in German):

https://www.destatis.de/DE/Themen/Gesellschaft-Umwelt/Einkommen-Konsum-Lebensbedingungen/Lebensbedingungen-Armutsgefaehrdung/_inhalt.html#sprg233586

or

Current population; GENESIS - 12411-0006 (only available in German):

<https://www-genesis.destatis.de/genesis//online/data?operation=table&code=12411-0006&levelindex=0&levelid=1576658370724>

and

Population: Germany, reference date, age years, nationality, gender, marital status; GENESIS - 12411-0008 (only available in German):

<https://www-genesis.destatis.de/genesis//online/data?operation=table&code=12411-0008&levelindex=0&levelid=1578303768462>

12. Metadata on source data

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https://www.destatis.de/DE/Methoden/Qualitaet/Qualitaetsberichte/Bevoelkerung/bevoelkerungsfortschreibung-2017.pdf?__blob=publicationFile

13. Related SDG data series (duplicate indicators or sub-indicators to same indicator)

5.3.1 Married Girls under 18 years

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The indicator “married girls under 18 years” shows the proportion of girls at the age of 17 or younger that were married in the specific year.
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This indicator calculates the proportion of girls 17 and younger that were married in the specific year, and not the proportion of women aged 20-24 that were married before age 18 as requested in the SDG metadata.

4. Data description	
The data on girls that are younger than 18 and married is taken from the continuous update of the population estimation based on the population Census in 2011. Since Juli 2018, marriages before the age of 18 are not recognized any more. An exception are marriages contracted by foreign citizens in another country than Germany.	
5. Calculation method	
$\text{Married girls under 18 years} = \frac{\text{Married girls, 17 years and younger (number)}}{\text{Girls in Population, 17 years and younger (number)}} \cdot 100$	
6. Unit of measure	%

7. Timeliness	8. Frequency
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