



Data needs and transmission for a regional platform

Based on experience with the UNECE Dashboard of SDG indicators

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<https://w3.unece.org/sdghub/>



Knowledge Hub on SDGs

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DATA

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GUIDELINES & TOOLS

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REGIONAL INITIATIVES

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COUNTRY RESOURCES

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TEAMS OF EXPERTS

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MEETINGS





Browse data on global SDG indicators for UNECE countries. Click on one of the goals to begin.

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All indicators

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Indicator 5.4.1

Time spent on unpaid domestic and care work, all ages (all areas), hours

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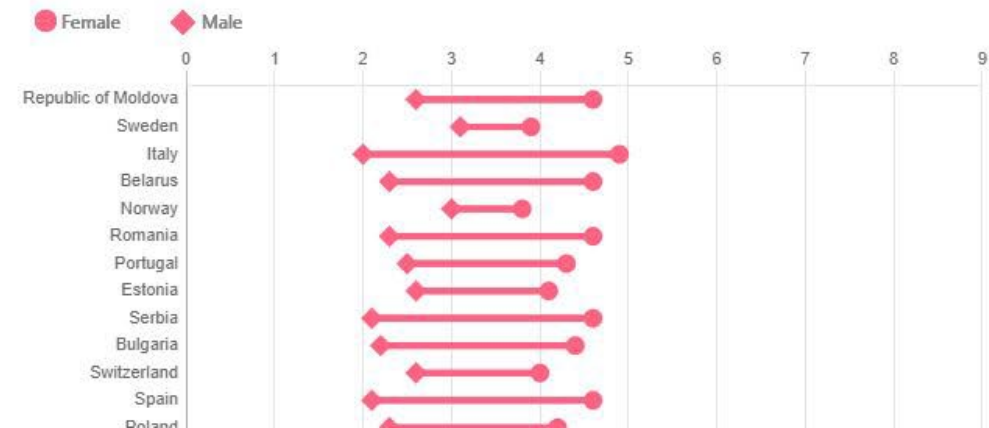
Unpaid domestic and care work refers to activities related to the provision of services for own final use by household members, or by family members living in other households. These activities are listed in ICATUS 2016 under the major divisions "3. Unpaid domestic services for household and family members" and "4. Unpaid caregiving services for household and family members".

Value by sex Total

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Latest available year



Links to the dashboard

- <https://w3.unece.org/SDG/en>
- <https://w3.unece.org/SDG/ru>



Based on this is produced the UNECE regional report on achieving SDGs

- **2021** <https://unece.org/statistics/publications/unece-region-track-2030>
- **2020** <https://unece.org/statistics/publications/towards-achieving-sustainable-development-goals-unece-region>

Technical considerations for the dashboard

- UNECE EXCOM requested that the dashboard should be:
 - based on existing data sets and statistics
 - produced by existing UNECE resources
 - include a general overview of all 17 goals
- Currently the dashboard and database:
 - include data available in the global SDG database maintained by UNSD
 - present a selection of indicators relevant to the region where data are available (about 80 indicators)



Technical considerations – cont.

- Dashboard planned to be developed in stages:
 - 1st stage based on global SDG database data
 - 2nd stage add national official values from NRPs or websites
- Necessary for retrieving national data for a regional database:
 - Automatic transfer/harvesting of data from NRPs or websites (using SDMX, API, etc.)
 - Data according to the global SDG indicators (no proxies or national indicators)
- Situation in end of 2019
 - 35 (out of 56) UNECE countries had (some) SDG data on the web
 - automatic download possible for 3-4 countries (with customisation needed)
- Situation in March 2021
 - 42 UNECE countries have an NRP (or a similar platform)
 - Possible to download all data with 1 click from about 11 countries (Excel table)
 - Limited number of countries piloting SDMX and SDG Data Lab



Conclusions

- There is (slow) progress
- Standardised/harmonised solutions needed (SDMX, API, etc.)
- To include national data for global SDG indicators in a regional database – not yet feasible
- Many NRPs have the same structure – makes finding data much easier



Thank you for your attention!