

U N	G o a l	5. Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls
	T a r g e t	5.5 Ensure women's full and effective participation and equal opportunities for leadership at all levels of decision-making in political, economic and public life
	I n d i c a t o r	5.5.1 Proportion of seats held by women in (a) national parliaments and (b) National governments

I. National indicator

<Type 1>

Indicator	Proportion of seats held by women in (a) national parliaments and (b) National governments
Definition	(a) The proportion of seats held by women in the National Assembly, and (b) the proportion of seats held by women in local governments
Calculation method	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ (a) = (Seats held by women / total seats in the National Assembly) x 100 ■ (b) = (Seats held by women / total seats in local governments) x 100
Unit	Percent (%)

II. National indicator's source

	(a) Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments	(b) Proportion of seats held by women in national governments
Data sources	<i>Electee Statistics</i> (national and local constituency)	<i>Electee Statistics</i> (City and Provincial Councils and District/City/County Councils)
Calendar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Frequency: 4 years ■ Data release: Immediately after elections 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Frequency: 4 years ■ Data release: Immediately after elections
Organizations	National Election Commission	National Election Commission
Related International Agency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ It is assumed that IPU annually downloads data on (a) the <i>proportion of seats held by women in the national parliament</i> from the website of the National Assembly ■ Data on (b) <i>the proportion of seats held by women in local governments</i> is provided by Statistics Korea to UN Women 	

III. Comparison with UN SDG indicator

	① Indicator		② Definition		③ Data value	
	Same	Different	Same	Different	Same	Different
Global indicator link	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Metadata: https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-05-05-01.pdf ■ Data: https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/indicators/database/ 					