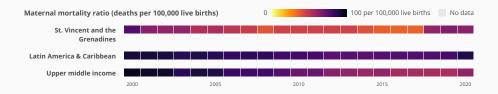
St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Gender Landscape Brief

Income Group: Upper middle income Region: Latin America & Caribbean

62 women die per 100,000 live births due to pregnancy-related causes in St. Vincent and the Grenadines

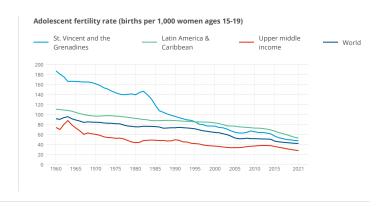
The maternal mortality ratio in St. Vincent and the Grenadines has improved from 76 in 2000 to 62 in 2020. Maternal mortality in St. Vincent and the Grenadines is lower than its regional average. Maternal mortality ratio is the number of women who die from pregnancy-related causes while pregnant or within 42 days of pregnancy termination per 100,000 live births.



Source: WHO, UNICEF, UNFPA, World Bank Group, and UNDESA/Population Division. Trends in Maternal Mortality 2000 to 2020. Geneva, World Health Organization, 2023

48 of every 1,000 girls ages 15-19 gave birth in St. Vincent and the Grenadines in 2021

In St. Vincent and the Grenadines, the rate of adolescent fertility has decreased since 2010. The rate in 2021 was higher than the average rate in its income group.



Source: United Nations Population Division, World Population Prospects.

111.7% of girls and 105.3% of boys complete lower secondary school in St. Vincent and the Grenadines as of 2018 data

Girls and boys in St. Vincent and the Grenadines have a very high completion rate of lower secondary school. Lower secondary education completion rate measures how many children have completed the last grade of lower secondary education regardless of age completed.

Lower secondary completion rate, by sex (% of relevant age group)

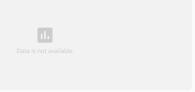
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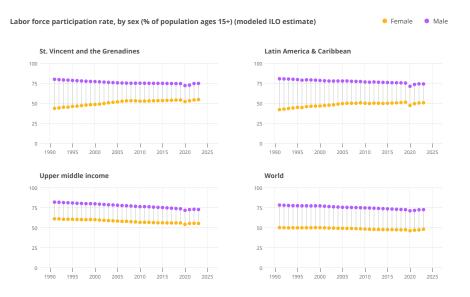
Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Adult literacy rate, by sex (% of people ages 15 and above)



 $Source: UNESCO\ Institute\ for\ Statistics\ (UIS).\ UIS. Stat\ Bulk\ Data\ Download\ Service.\ Accessed\ September\ 19,\ 2023.\ https://apiportal.uis.unesco.org/bdds.$

In St. Vincent and the Grenadines, the labor force participation rate among females is 55.1% and among males is 75.3% for 2023

The labor force participation rate is the proportion of the population ages 15 and older that is economically active. Since 1990, female labor force participation has increased. Compared with labor force participation in the upper-middle income group, the gap between men and women is higher in St. Vincent and the Grenadines.

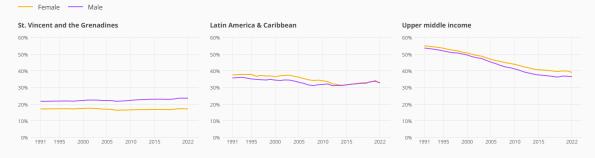


Source: International Labour Organization. "ILO Modelled Estimates and Projections database (ILOEST)" ILOSTAT. Accessed February 06, 2024. https://ilostat.ilo.org/data/.

Vulnerable employment among women has remained nearly the same since 1991

Workers in vulnerable employment are the least likely to have formal work arrangements, social protection, and safety nets to guard against economic shocks; thus they are more likely to fall into poverty. Vulnerable employment among women is 17.2% and among men is 23.7% in St. Vincent and the Grenadines for 2022. The rate of vulnerable employment is lower for men and women in St. Vincent and the Grenadines compared to the average rate in Latin America & Caribbean.

Vulnerable employment, by sex (% of total employment) (modeled ILO estimate)



Source: World Bank, World Development Indicators database. Estimates are based on data obtained from International Labour Organization, ILOSTAT at https://ilostat.ilo.org/data/.

Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Proportion of time spent on unpaid domestic and care work, by sex (% of 24 hour day)



Source: National statistical offices or national database and publications compiled by United Nations Statistics Division. The data were downloaded on December 3 from the Global SDG Indicators Database:

Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Share of business owners, by sex (% of total business owners)



 $Source: World Bank's \ Entrepreneurship \ Survey \ and \ database (https://www.worldbank.org/en/programs/entrepreneurship). \ Downloaded \ on \ November \ 29, \ 2023.$

Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Account ownership at a financial institution or with a mobile-money-service provider, by sex (% of population ages 15+)



Source: Demirguc-Kunt et al., 2018, Global Financial Inclusion Database, World Bank.

Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for House ownership status, by sex (% of population age 15-49)

House ownership status, by sex (% of population age 15-49)

Male





Source: Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS)

Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Percentage of women ages 15-49 participating in decisions about:



Source: Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS)

Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Percentage of women ages 15-49 who have ever experienced:

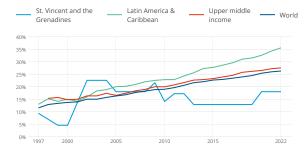


Source: Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS) Statcompiler (https://www.statcompiler.com/)

18.2% of seats in national parliament were held by women in 2022 in St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Women in parliaments are the percentage of parliamentary seats in a single or lower chamber held by women. The proportion of seats held by women in St. Vincent and the Grenadines has increased since 2010. The current rate is lower than the average rate in upper-middle income countries.

Seats held by women in national parliaments, female (%)



Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Employment in senior and middle management, female (%)



Source: Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) (www.ipu.org). For the year of 1998, the data is as of August 10, 1998.

Data is not available for St. Vincent and the Grenadines for Used a mobile phone or the internet to pay bills in the past year, by sex (% age 15+)



Source: Global Findex database

Data retrieved from World Bank Gender Data Portal https://genderdata.worldbank.org/countries/st-vincent-and-the-grenadines/