

OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES IN  
USING DIFFERENT DATA SOURCES TO  
PRODUCE GENDER STATISTICS IN  
TANZANIA

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# CHALLENGES

## *Data is not Accessible Online*

- Only two out of 375 datasets in sub-Sahara are truly open

([Open Data Barometer](#), 2016)

- 2017 Tanzania withdrew from OGP ...
- Open Data Portal is no longer accessible since 2019
- Thus, openness became less attractive



# CHALLENGES

## *Gender Disaggregated Status*

- National Statistics 75%
- Health 68%
- Education 82%
- Crime 36%
- [Web Foundation](#)



# CHALLENGES

Women are not online!

- In Tanzania, 77% of women own mobile phone but only 17% of women in Tanzania have mobile internet access!

[UNESCO, 2021](#)



# CHALLENGES

No historical data

- poor storage systems and infrastructure.
- Data collection is donor dependent
- Data Silos



# CHALLENGES

- No common Standards across data sources.
- Limited availability of granular data
- Lack comparable information across domains
- Limited coverage/representation

# OPPORTUNITIES

Getting more  
women online

Collaborations  
between state  
and non state  
actors

2022 National  
Census

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