



Human Development Report

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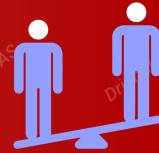


Human Development Index

- It measures average achievement in human development taking into account:
 - Life expectancy at birth,
 - Expected and Mean years of schooling,
 - Gross National Income (GNI).
- India's rank in HDI slipped from 130 in 2020 to **132 (out of 191 countries)** in 2022 with a score of **0.633**.
 - Switzerland is ranked 1 with a score of 0.962.

Inequality-Adjusted HDI (IHDI)

- It is the level of human development where inequality is taken into account.
- India's HDI for 2021-22 **fell by 25%** (i.e. scored 0.475) after inequality was considered.
 - The share of income held by the richest 1% of the population is more than the income held by the poorest 40%.



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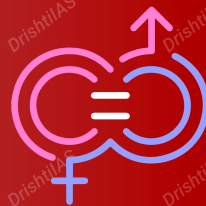


Gender Development Index (GDI)

- It estimates HDI values for women and men. The **closer this ratio is to 1, the smaller the gender gap** between women and men in HDI terms.
- India with a score of 0.849 is significantly behind the world average in this parameter.

Gender Inequality Index (GII)

- It assesses gender inequality using three dimensions:
 - Reproductive health
 - Empowerment
 - Labour market
- A low GII value indicates low inequality between women and men, and a high GII value indicates high inequality between women and men.
- India with a score of **0.490 ranked 122nd** is unequal for its female citizens.



Multidimensional Poverty Index (MPI)

- It captures the multiple deprivations that people in developing countries face in their **health, education and standard of living**.
- As of 2019, India had more than 381 million who were suffering from multi-dimensional poverty.

Planetary pressures-adjusted Human Development Index (PHDI)

- It adjusts the standard HDI by a country's level of **carbon dioxide emissions and material footprint**, each on a per capita basis.
- It was **proposed in HDR 2020**.
- India scored **0.609** in the PHDI for 2021-22.



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