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Violence against women

**IS ROOTED IN
GENDER INEQUALITIES**



Gender based-violence

1 in 3

women has experienced
physical and/or
sexual violence

1 in 2

women has experienced
sexual harassment

1 in 20

women has been **raped**



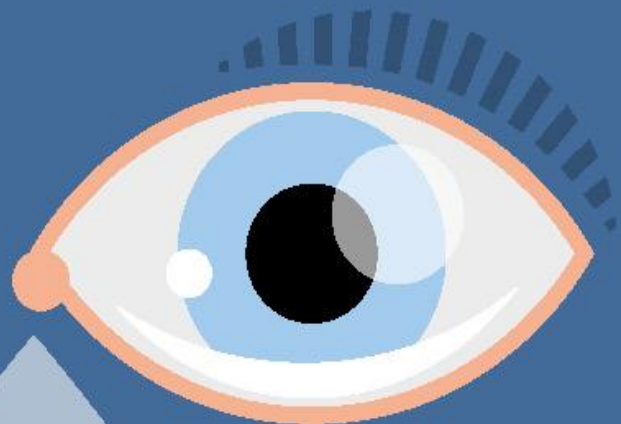
1 in 5

women has experienced
stalking

95%




of victims **trafficked**
for **sexual exploitation** in the EU are women

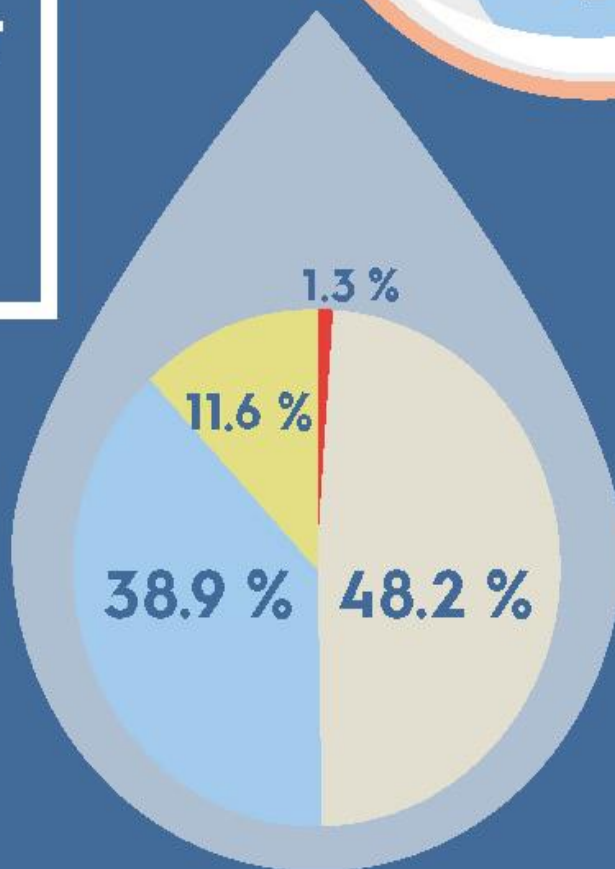




Intimate partner violence against women costs us all

What is intimate partner violence?




-  Any act of physical/sexual/psychological/economic violence
-  The perpetrator is a former or current partner/spouse
-  It can happen in a separate or shared household



It is estimated to cost

109 billion
euro per year

How are the costs split?

-  **Physical and emotional impact**
-  **Provision of services**
(health, social welfare, justice)
-  **Lost economic output**
(lost earnings and absence from work)
-  **Specialised services**
(shelters, helplines, support centres, counselling)

Work on gender-based violence



Gender-based Analysis of EU Directives

**HOW CAN
THE EU
DIRECTIVES**



**PROTECT
VICTIMS
OF
GENDER-BASED
VIOLENCE** 

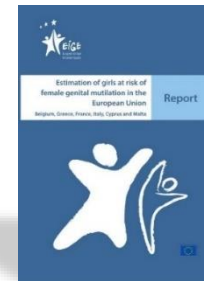
Female genital mutilation



Good practices



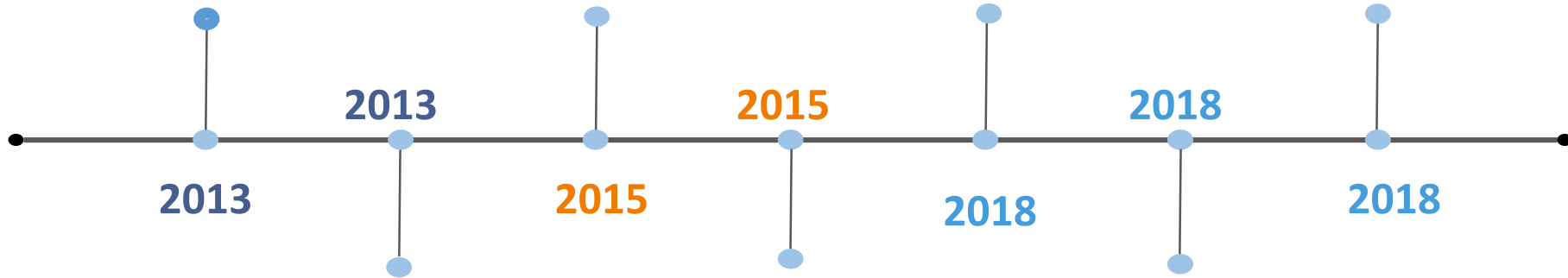
Methodology



Risk estimations



Country factsheets



2013

2013

2015

2015

2018

2018

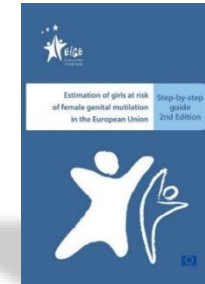
2018



Country factsheets



Risk estimations

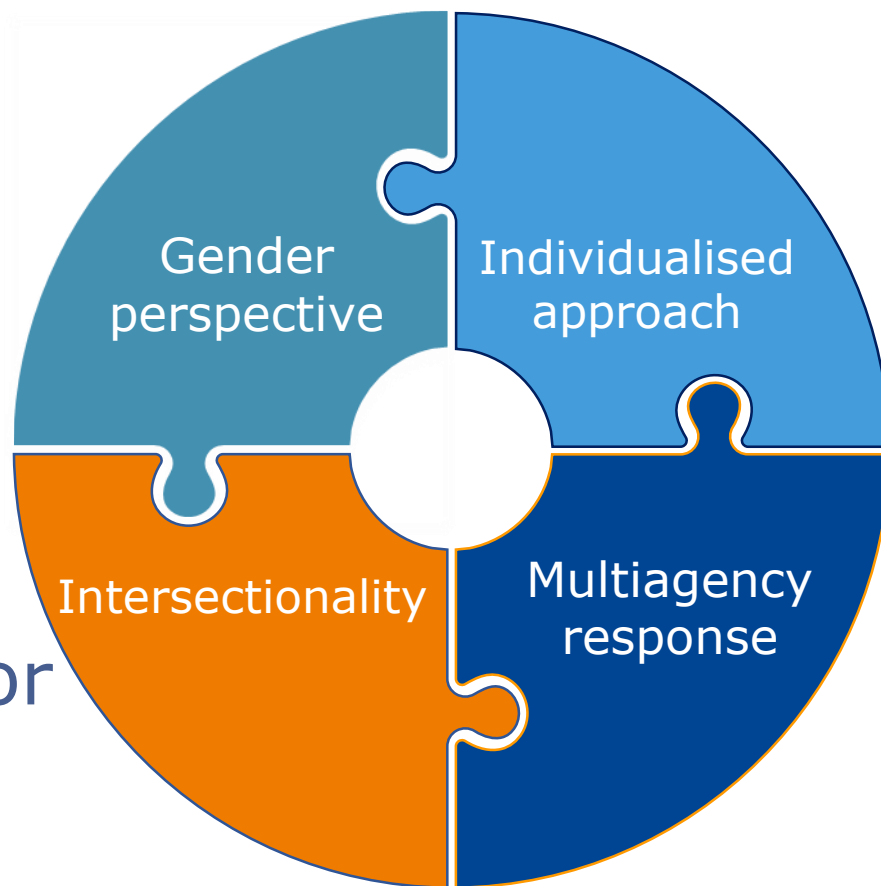


Refined Methodology

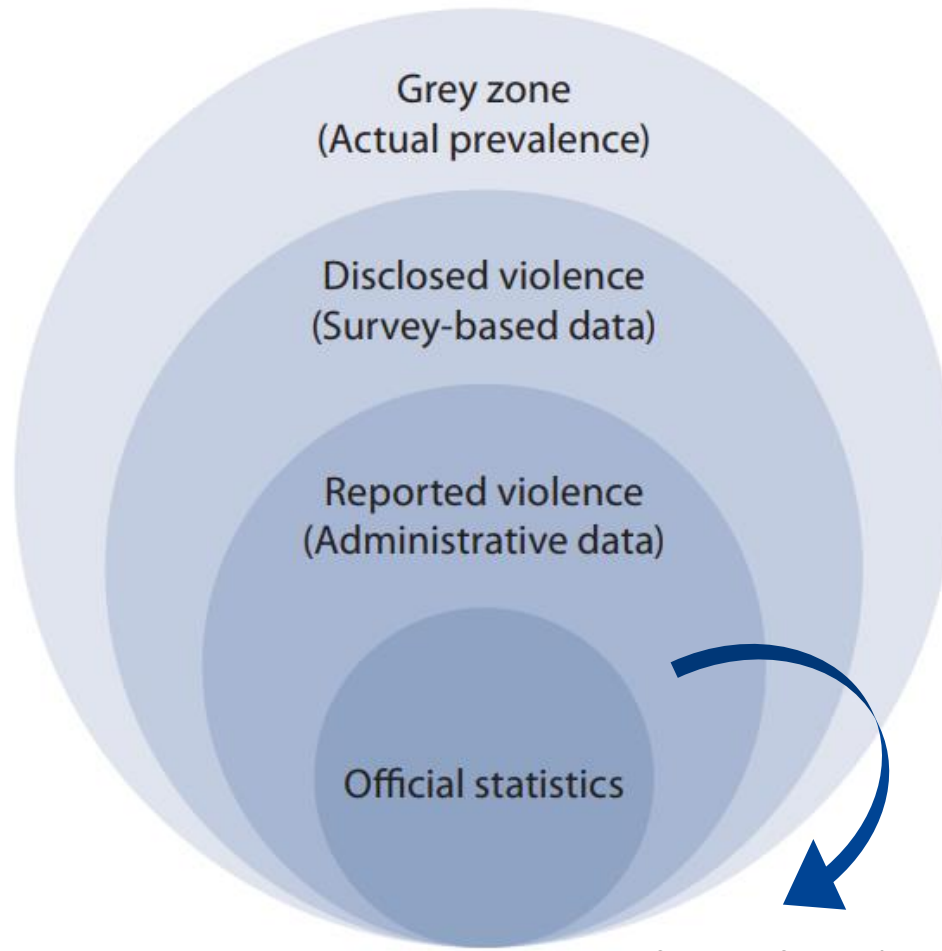


Guide on risk assessment and risk management

- Guidelines for risk assessment
- Recommendations for risk management



Violence against women between reality and official statistics



The focus of EIGE's research

Comparable data is crucial



ADMIN DATA



POLICE



JUSTICE



INDICATORS



DEFINITIONS

Administrative data

Step 1

**Develop
definitions
for statistical
purposes**

Step 2

Propose
indicators on
**administrative
data**

Step 3

**Present
metadata
and test
feasibility of
indicators**

Step 4

**Assist
Member
States with
meeting
reporting
requirements**

Indicators on Intimate partner violence



Previously

Country **factsheets** for each Member State

Analysis of the **challenges and barriers** to meeting reporting requirements

23 **country meetings** to agree on indicators and recommendations

Country-specific **recommendations**

Recommendations for Eurostat to support the improvement of the **ICCS**

Report on the role of data in Understanding **Intimate Partner Violence**
And Technical Report on **Police and Justice sector data**



Currently

Analysis of the **challenges and barriers** to meeting reporting requirements

5 country meetings to discuss the progress and ways to overcome remaining challenges

Analysis of **definitions of femicide**

Operational framework for data collectors and **measurement criteria**



Next steps

Factsheets on intimate partner violence, rape and femicide

Analysis of the **challenges and barriers** to meeting reporting requirements

Country-specific **recommendations for data collection**

Classification system of types of femicide

Report on factors to identify gender dimensions of femicide



Publications

<https://eige.europa.eu/gender-based-violence>

WE CANNOT CLOSE OUR EYES TO IT

95% of registered victims of trafficking for sexual exploitation in the European Union are **women or girls**

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Sources: European Commission (2016). Report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on the progress made in the fight against trafficking in human beings in the EU. Europe (2016). Sinacorn reports trafficking in human beings in the EU. Image: kuzmaphotov/Shutterstock.com

Gender-based violence

A guide to risk assessment and risk management of intimate partner violence against women for police

Gender-specific measures in anti-trafficking actions Report

Estimation of girls at risk of female genital mutilation in the European Union Report

Belgium, Greece, France, Italy, Cyprus and Malta



Looking forward



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