

# What does EIGE's Gender Equality Index tell us about Cyprus?

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#### What does the Index say?

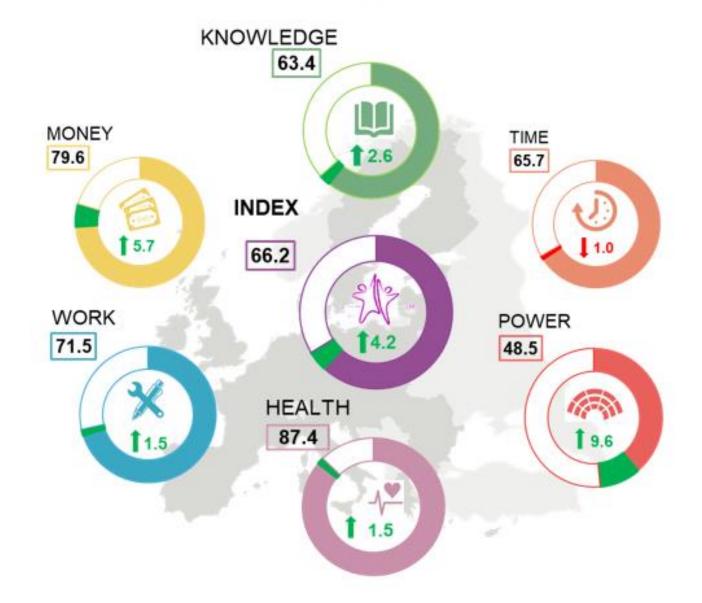
- Differences between women and men
- Compares all EU MS
- Timeline for 10 years
- NEW: intersecting inequalities
- NEW: a framework for measuring violence







#### Persistent inequalities in all areas of life: EU-28

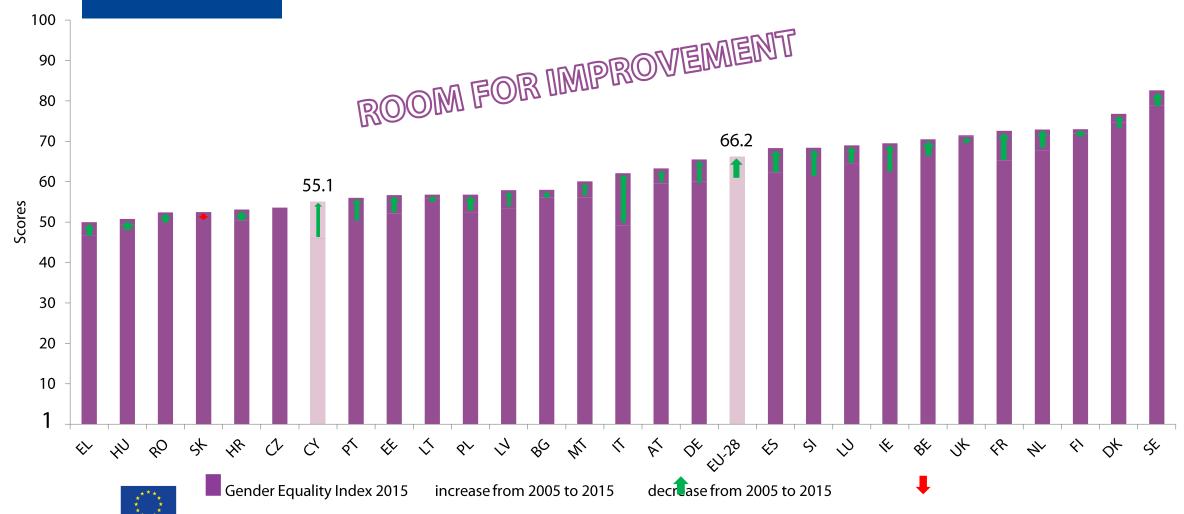






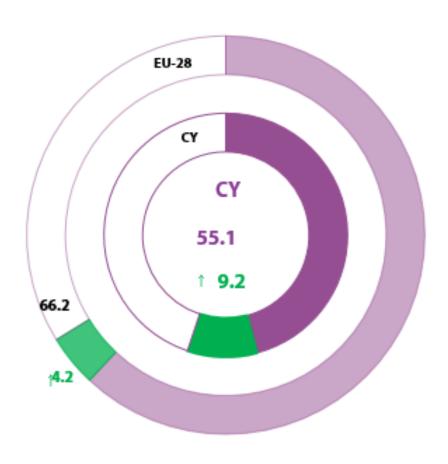


### **Gender Equality Index 2017**





### Pronounced progress in gender equality in Cyprus

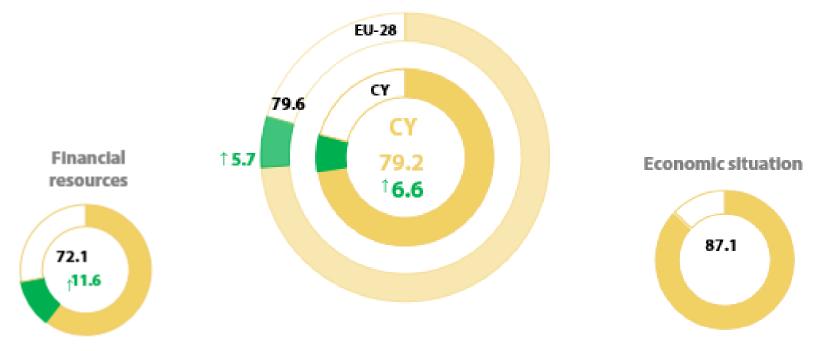






### **MONEY:** progress made





- Monthly earnings increased
- Gender gap remains despite increased income

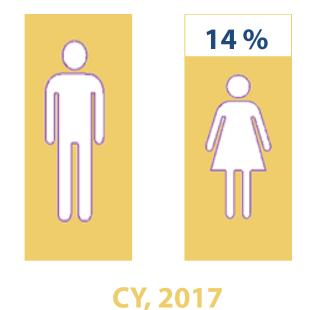
- At risk of poverty: 17/15%
- Born outside the EU at higher risk of poverty: 43/36%





### The gender pay gap remains a major challenge





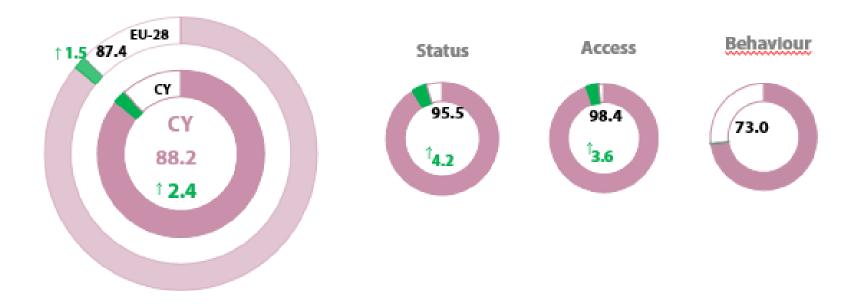
Pay gap (2017) **–14** % Pension gap (2017) **– 39**%





### HEALTH: gender differences in health behaviours





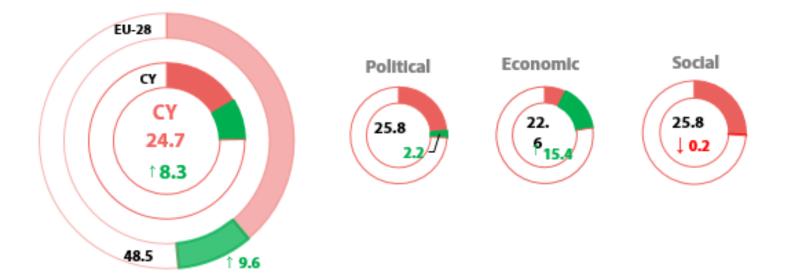
- Cyprus' highest score
- Good perception of personal health status
- Fewer single women are satisfied with their health than single men (55/71%)





### POWER: lowest score despite significant progress





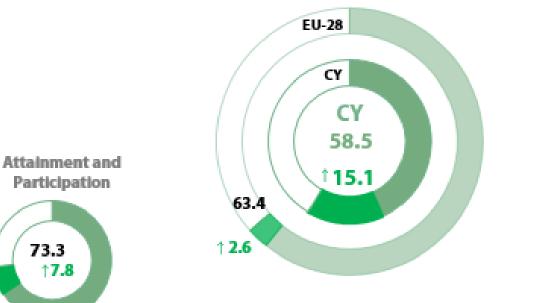
- Significant progress in the sub-domain of economic power
- Only slight improvement in political power: women are still largely under-represented in decision-making
- Slight decrease in social power

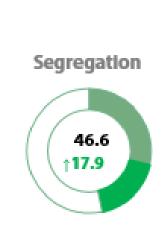




## **KNOWLEDGE: Significant decrease** in segregation







- All scores improved
- National EU2020 target achieved
- Women have surpassed men in tertiary education 35/30 %
- Gender segregation in study fields remains a challenge

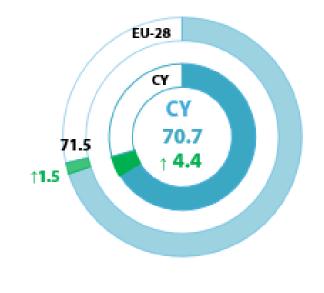


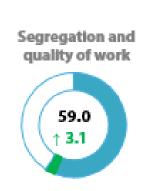


#### **WORK: little progress made**









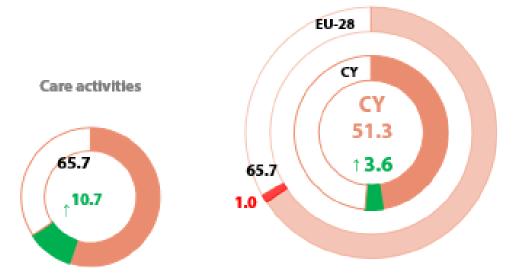
- Employment rate 69/79%
- FTE employment rate 47/53%
- Education, health and social work: 20/7%
- Science, technology, engineering and mathematics: 4/27%

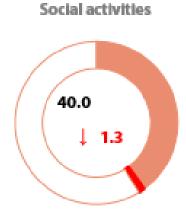




### TIME: greatest challenge in social activities







- Caring activities: 50/34%
- Couples with children: 92/70%
- Cooking and housework: 81/27%





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