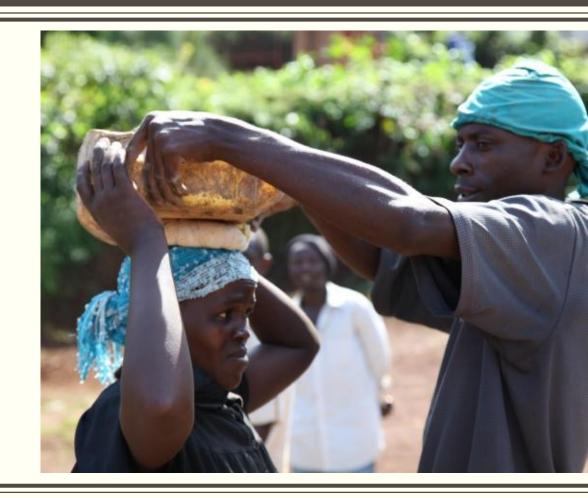
# GENDER AND CLIMATE CHANGE

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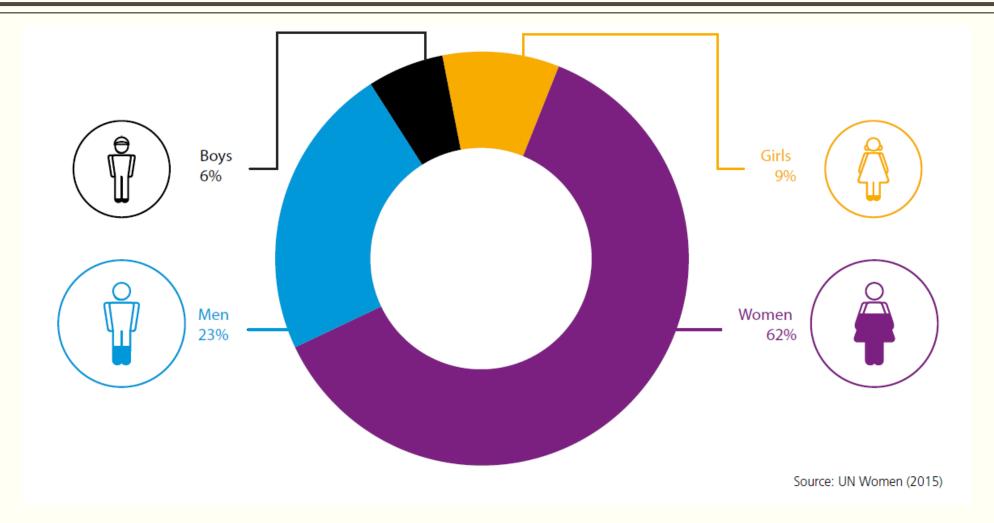


# Integration of gender considerations into adaptation, mitigation, capacity building

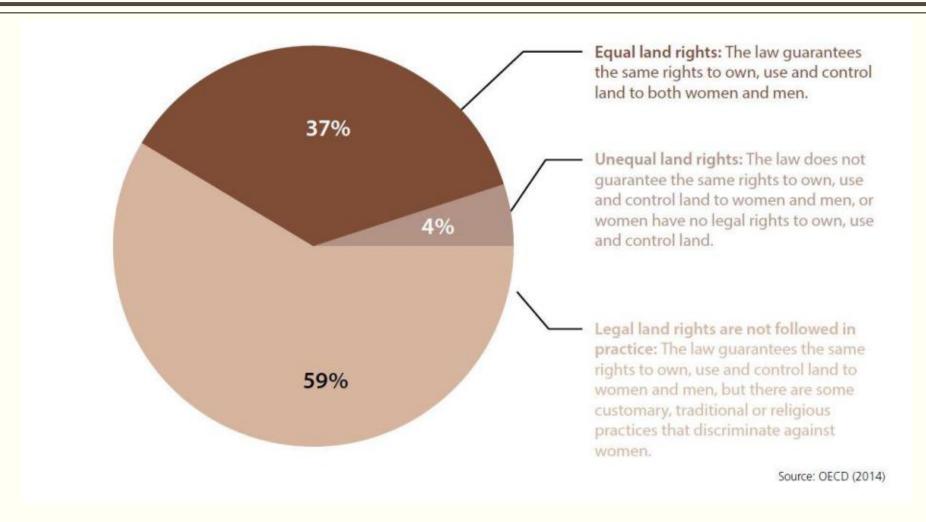
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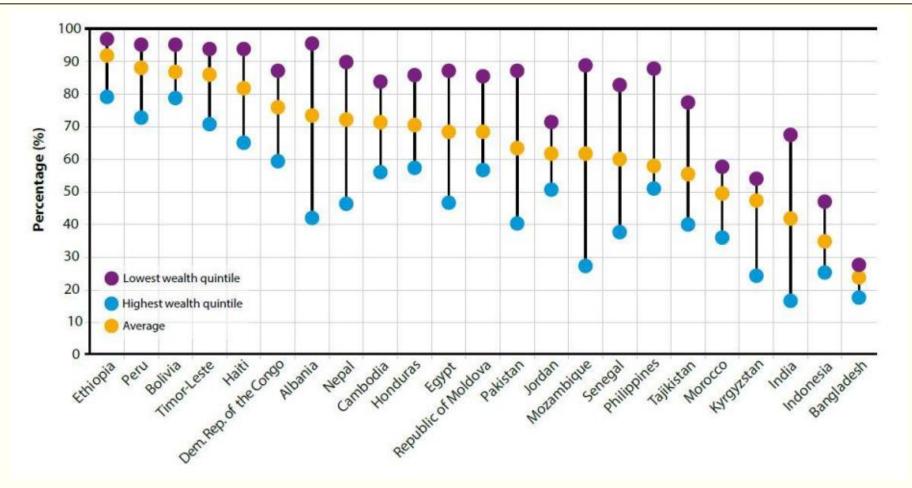
Young girl in Aceh, Indonesia (UN-Habitat)



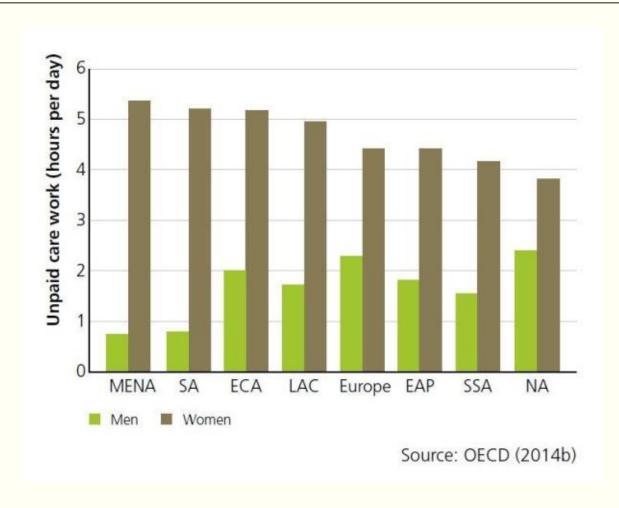
Percentage distribution of the water collection burden in Sub-Saharan African households without piped water on the premises, 2006-2009



Proportion of countries falling under the three tiers of women's secure access to land



Percentage of women who reported difficulties in accessing health care, by wealth quintile, 2010-2013 (UN Women 2015)



Time spent per day on unpaid care work, by gender and region



Women tend to have less access to mobility means

### Who are the stronger ones?

Region	Deaths (male)	Deaths (female)	DALY (male)	DALY (female)
Africa	186 130	181 476	14 408 971	13 764 653
Americas (low and middle income)	6 021	5 525	498 565	443 354
Eastern Mediterranean (low and middle income)	41 227	39 838	3 337 950	3 154 444
Europe (low and middle income)	1 890	1 675	191 048	175 136
Southeast Asia	150 179	213 725	8 101 272	10 786 489
Western Pacific region (low and middle income)	7 626	6 536	869 126	740 089
Total	393 073	448 775	27 406 932	29 064 165

Source: Data based on Prüss-Üstün et al. (2014)

Deaths and disability-adjusted life years (DALYs) from diarrhoea due to poor water and sanitation

### Differentiated impacts of climate change on women and men

- The impacts of climate change amplify existing gender inequalities
- Climate change and the uncertainties related to it put further pressure on already fragile, undervalued and precarious gendered roles and responsibilities at community level
- The gender-differentiated consequences of climate change can intensify the burden of additional work often falls on women regarding household production and livelihoods
- Climate- and disaster-related health risks and water and fuel scarcity further add to women's unpaid care work.



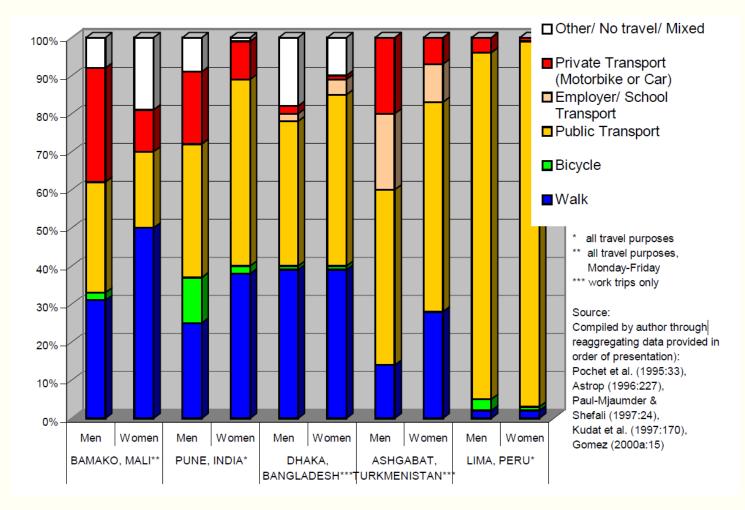
# Let's discuss the differentiated impacts of climate change on women and men

- Sea-level rise, heavy rain and flooding
- Intensified natural disaster (typhoon, cyclone etc.)
- Drought
- Increased/decreased temperature
- Landslide, small island will disappear
- Loss of biodiversity and shift of ecosystems
- Air-pollution\*



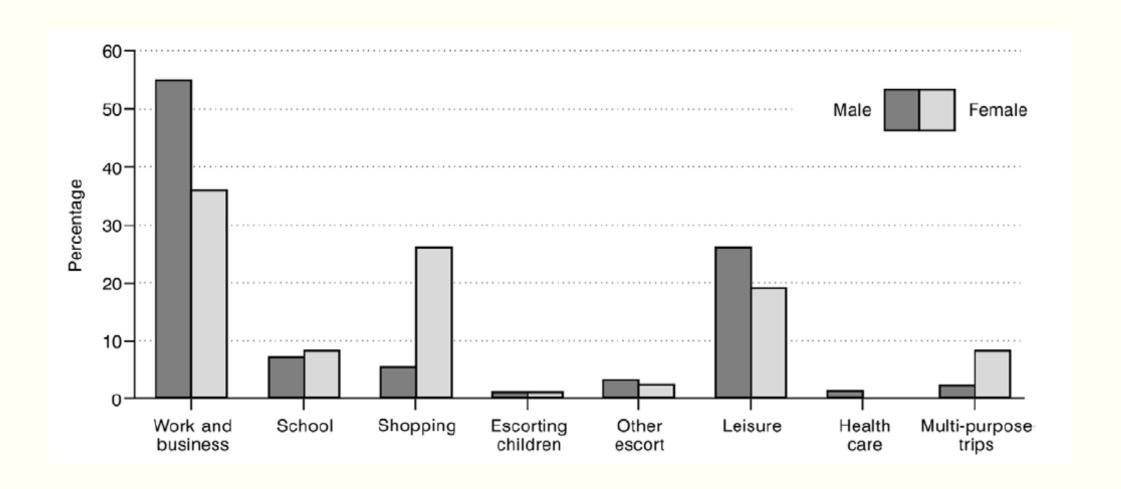


### Women and girls as agent of change in CC mitigation



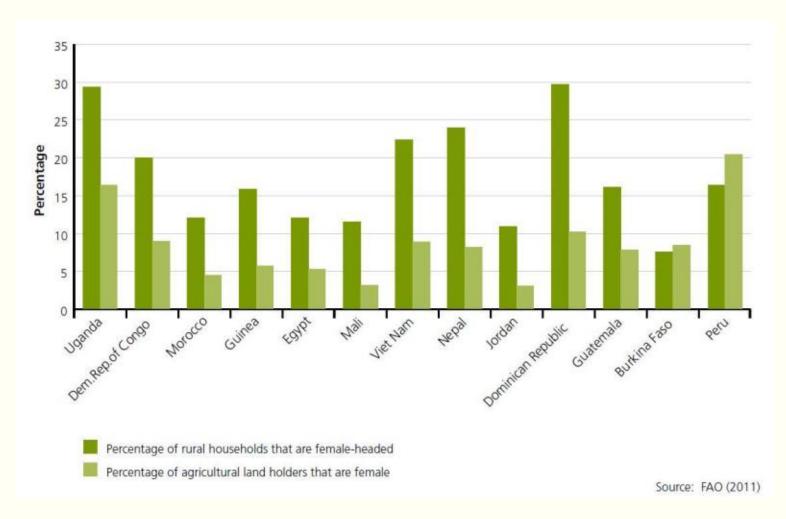
Women are more likely to walk or use public transport

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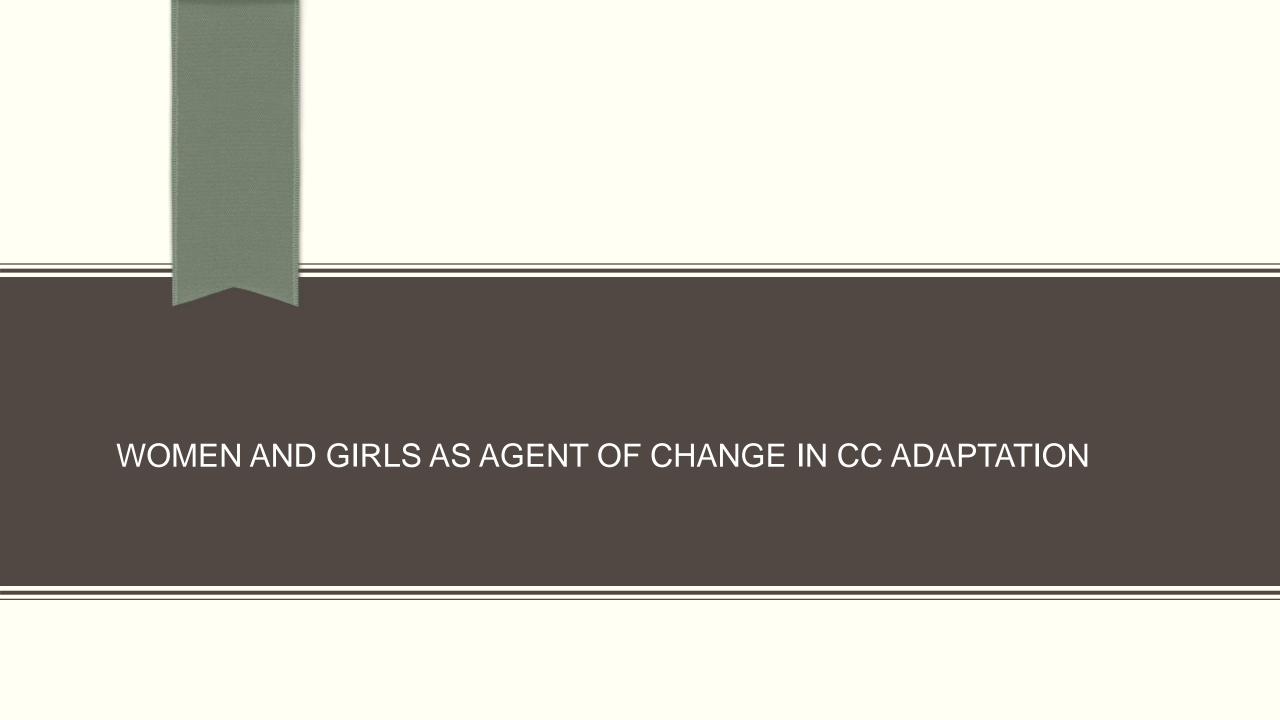


Women are more likely to multiple-purpose trips (Source: Levy 1992)

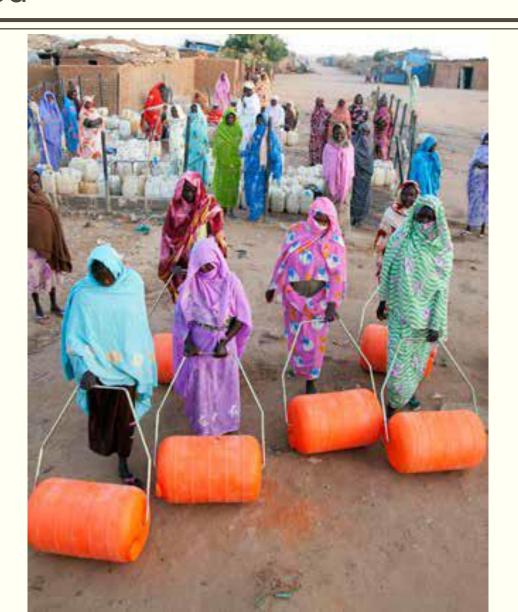
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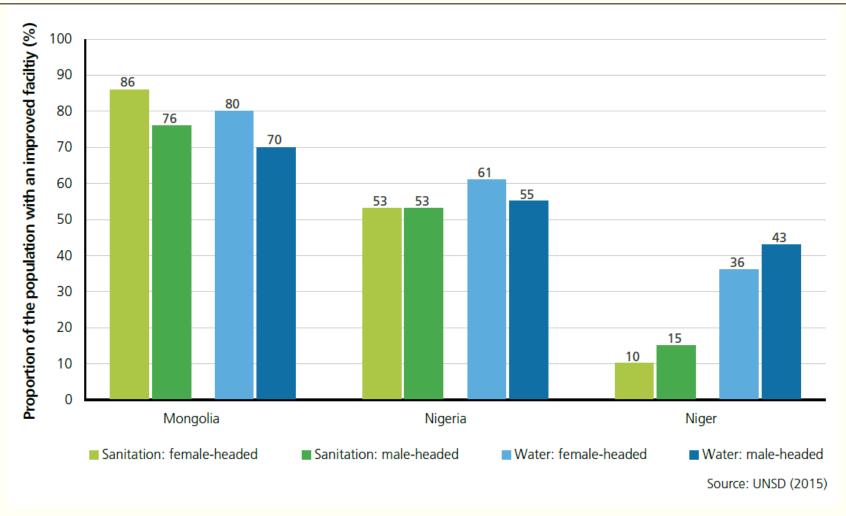
Women manage farm but lack access resource control (e.g. land ownership)



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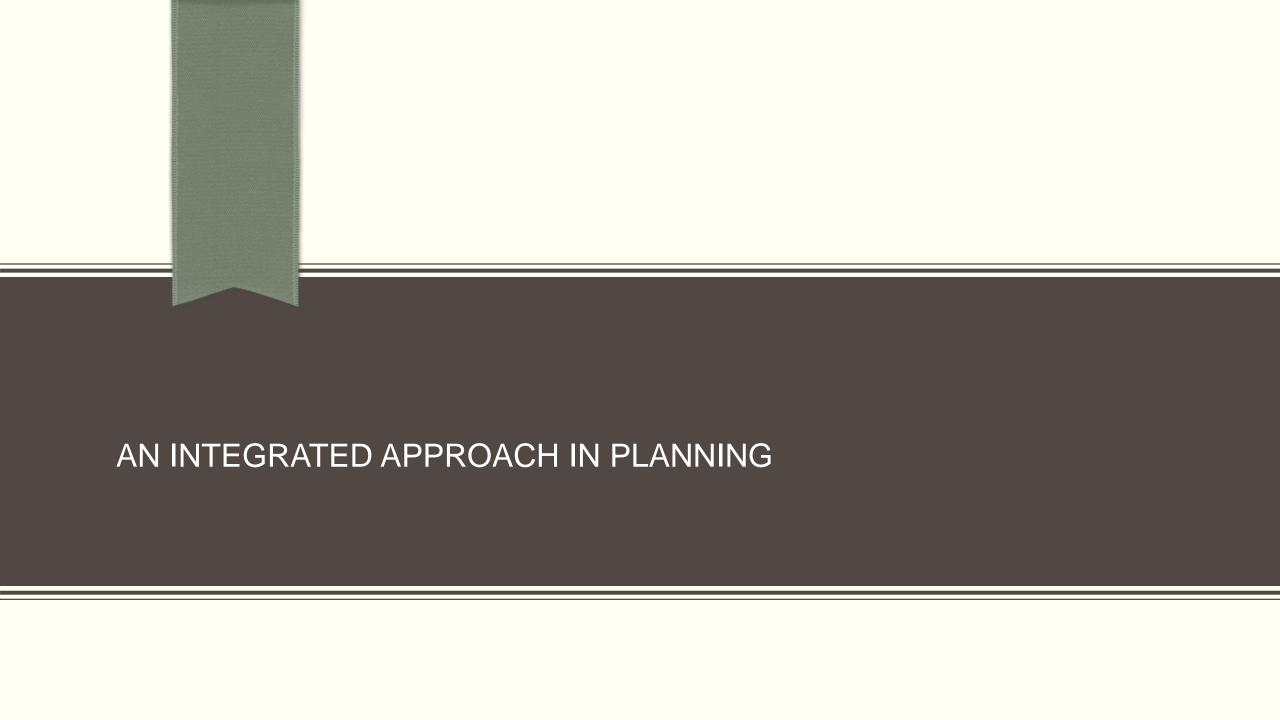


Access to water and sanitation facilities by women and men in Mongolia, Nigeria and Niger

### Solution-oriented



Shares of unprocessed forest products collected by women, men and both at global and regional levels



# Integration of gender considerations into adaptation, mitigation, capacity building (gender-responsive climate related programmes)

- 1) Sex-disaggregated data
- 2) Women **empowerment** vs. **inclusive** gender mainstreaming process
- 3) Gender **parity** in decision-making positions
- 4) Gender-marker and gender budgeting



# Integration of gender considerations into adaptation, mitigation, capacity building (gender-responsive climate related programmes)

- 1) Form group(s) of 2 or 3
- 2) Discuss 1 issue related to gender inequality or gender role when it comes to climate change impacts, climate change mitigation or adaptation (5mins)
- 3) Exchange 1 or 2 interventions that can be integrated into your action plan that can help addressing that issue or to capture the gender role for achievement the goal more effectively (5 mins)
- 4) Plenary sharing

