GLOBAL GENDER GAP INDEX (GGGI)

WC	Nation	GGGI	Global
		Score	
1	Norway	0.879	2
2	New Zealand	0.856	4
3	Sweden	0.815	5
4	Germany	0.815	6
5	Ireland	0.795	11
6	Costa Rica	0.793	14
7	England (UK)	0.792	15
8	Philippines	0.791	16
9	Spain	0.791	18
10	South Africa	0.787	20
11	Switzerland	0.783	21
12	Denmark	0.780	23
13	Jamaica	0.779	24
14	Australia	0.778	26
15	Netherlands	0.777	28
16	Canada	0.770	30
17	Portugal	0.765	32
18	Argentina	0.762	36
19	France	0.756	40
20	Columbia	0.751	42
21	United States	0.748	43
22	Brazil	0.726	57
23	Panama	0.724	58
24	Viet Nam	0.711	72
25	Italy	0.705	79
26	Zambia	0.699	85
27	South Korea	0.680	105
28	China	0.678	107
29	Japan	0.647	125
30	Nigeria	0.637	130
31	Morocco	0.621	136
NR	Haiti	n/a	NR

The Global Gender Gap Index is a metric developed by the World Economic Forum to assess gender parity within each country. The score is based on 4 dimensions: Economic Participation and Opportunity; Educational Attainment; Health and Survival; and Political Empowerment. The GGGI has been tracking the progress of countries ability to close the gender gap since 2006. Scores presented are from the June 2023 report, with World Cup (WC) and Global rankings included.

Globally, Iceland scored highest in 2023 (0.912), with Afghanistan ranking last (146th, 0.405). Amongst World Cup participants, Columbia saw the greatest year-to-year improvement (+4.1%). Haiti was not included in the rankings – only countries providing a minimum of 12 of 14 indicators were assessed.

Note: England score uses United Kingdom data (includes independent FIFA members Northern Ireland, Scotland, and Wales) in the calculation.