



## **eLibrary World Development Indicators Update History**

**October 17, 2019:** World Bank eLibrary was updated on the 17th with the release of World Development Indicators.

**July 12, 2019:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the July 10, 2019 release of World Development Indicators.

**April 26, 2019:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the April 24, 2019 release of World Development Indicators.

**March 25, 2019:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the March 21, 2019 release of World Development Indicators.

**February 4, 2019:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the January 24, 2019 release of World Development Indicators.

**January 8, 2019:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the November 14, 2018 release of World Development Indicators.

- The improved water/sanitation indicators (SH.H2O.SAFE.ZS and SH.STA.ACSN) are replaced with new indicators. Please use the following indicators instead:  
SH.H2O.BASW.ZS People using at least basic drinking water services (% of population)  
SH.H2O.SMDW.ZS People using safely managed drinking water services (% of population)  
SH.STA.BASS.ZS People using at least basic sanitation services (% of population)  
SH.STA.SMSS.ZS People using safely managed sanitation services (% of population)
- Central government cash surplus/deficit (% of GDP) has been discontinued. Kindly refer to Net lending (+) / net borrowing (-) (% of GDP) (GC.NLD.TOTL.GD.ZS)
- Starting in June 2018 the methodology for presenting Value added in services (% of GDP) sector has been revised, and financial intermediary services indirectly measured (FISIM) are presented separately. Historically, FISIM was used in the calculation of the “Services, etc” indicator. Starting with July 2018 update of the WDI, FISIM is presented as a separate series, where available.

**November 15, 2018:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the November 14, 2018 release of World Development Indicators.

**October 4, 2018:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the September 19, 2018 release of World Development Indicators.

**September 14, 2018:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the August 28, 2018 release of World Development Indicators.

**July 23, 2018:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the June 29, 2018 release of World Development Indicators.

**May 17, 2018:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the May 2, 2018 release of World Development Indicators.

**February 22, 2018:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the February 15, 2018 release of World Development Indicators.

**December 22, 2017:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the December 18, 2017 release of World Development Indicators.

**December 8, 2017:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the November 21, 2017 release of World Development Indicators.

**September 19, 2017:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the September 15, 2017 release of World Development Indicators.

**July 25, 2017:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the July 1, 2017 release of World Development Indicators.

- Three indicators have been deprecated: Adolescent fertility rate (births per 1,000 women 15–19), Child malnutrition underweight (% of under age 5), and Gross secondary enrollment, total (% of relevant age group).
- Three indicators have been added: Prevalence of stunting (% of children under 5), Maternal mortality ratio (per 100,000 live births), and Labor force participation rate (% of population ages 15+)
- Indicator title change from "Ratio of girls to boys in primary & secondary school" to "School enrollment, primary and secondary (gross), gender parity index (GPI)".

**June 22, 2017:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the May 31, 2017 release of World Development Indicators.

**March 8, 2017:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the February 1, 2017 release of World Development Indicators.

**January 18, 2017:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the January 3, 2017 release of World Development Indicators.

**October 27, 2016:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the October 14 2016 release of World Development Indicators.

**October 11, 2016:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the October 4 2016 release of World Development Indicators.

**August 15, 2016:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the August 2016 release of World Development Indicators.

**July 13, 2016:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the July 2016 release of World Development Indicators.

**May 5, 2016:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the May 2016 release of World Development Indicators.

**March 11, 2016:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the February 2016 release of World Development Indicators.

- Since that update, notes on data points are no longer displayed. This known issue is being investigated.

**November 2, 2015:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the October 2015 release of World Development Indicators.

- Since that update, the Net Migration indicator no longer displays any data. This known issue is slated to be fixed as soon as possible.
- The indicator Poverty headcount ratio \$1.90 a day (2011 PPP) (%) was previously titled Population living below \$1.25 a day (%). Between November 2, 2015 and November 5, 2015, the old indicator title was displayed at <http://elibrary.worldbank.org/action/showDataView?indicator=SI.POV.DDAY>. The data and source note were correct. However, the page title and automated citation erroneously reflect the old label noting \$1.25, rather than the new indicator. This issue was resolved with an update on November 5, 2015.

**September 2015:** World Bank eLibrary was updated with the September 2015 release of World Development Indicators.