

# Country-Level Data for Zimbabwe country Outcome

## XM-DAC-41146-ZWE\_D\_1.1

OUTCOME ZWE\_D\_1.1 [XM-DAC-41146-ZWE\\_D\\_1.1](#)

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### OUTCOME DETAILS

#### SDG alignment



#### Impact areas



Governance and participation in public life

#### Organizational outputs



Norms, laws, policies and institutions



Women's voice, leadership and agency

#### Policy Marker

GENDER EQUALITY

#### Humanitarian Scope

#### Outcome Description

The Outcome is linked to SP Outcome 1. A comprehensive and dynamic set of global norms and standards on gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls is strengthened and translated into gender-responsive laws, policies, and institutions.

#### UN Partners

OHCHR

UNAIDS



UNDP



UNFPA

UNICEF

WFP

No

WHO

**UN System Function**

Advocacy, communications and social mobilization

Capacity development and technical assistance

Comprehensive and disaggregated data (discontinued)

Integrated policy advice and thought leadership

Intergovernmental Normative Support

Support functions

## RESOURCES

**\$1.21 M**

Planned Budget

**\$0.00**

Actual Budget

PLANNED BUDGET



## OUTCOME INDICATOR AND RESULTS

PLAN PERIOD : **2022-2026**

### OUTCOME ZWE\_D\_1.1

B - Baseline

M - Milestones

T - Target

#### OUTCOME STATEMENT

#### INDICATOR STATEMENT

#### YEAR

#### BMTS

#### REPORTED RESULT

By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially the most vulnerable and marginalized, benefit from more accountable institutions and systems for rule of law, human rights and access to justice (CF outcome 4, SP outcome 1).

Proportion of positions in national and local institutions, including (a) the legislatures; (b) the public service; and (c) the judiciary, compared to national distributions, by sex, age, persons with disabilities and population groups (SDG 16.7.1) (UNSDCF indicator 4.2 Leadership and inclusivity)

2021 (Baseline)

TBA

N/A

2022 (Milestone)

-

40

2024 (Milestone)

-

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2025 (Milestone)

-

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2026 (Target)

(a) the legislatures- 40%; (b) the public service- 40%; and (c) the judiciary- 40%

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INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of legal and policy frameworks that promote gender balance in decision making institutions and processes (CO)	2021 (Baseline)	3	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	FALSE
	2023 (Milestone)	-	FALSE
	2024 (Milestone)	-	
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	3	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of reported acts of intimidation and reprisals experienced by gender equality advocates and civil society organizations working on gender equality and women's empowerment, including women's organizations, for cooperation with the UN (Desk Review)	2021 (Baseline)	2	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	-
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	6	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of countries that have endorsed a youth, peace and security framework (Desk Review)	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	1	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SDG 5.5.1: Proportion of seats held by women in (a) national parliaments, (b) local governments and (c) executive positions/ministers (cabinets) held by women (Desk Review)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	-
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target) Legislature Female: 40% Male: 60% Disability: 5%, Judiciary Female: 60% Male: 50% Disability: 5%, Public institutions (public service) Female: 35% Male: 65% Disability: 5%, Local government Female: 20% Male:80% Disability:5%	-	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SDG 3.3.1: Number of new HIV infections per 1,000 uninfected population, by sex, age and key populations (Desk Review)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	-
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	20	-



## OUTPUT INDICATOR AND RESULTS

### OUTPUT ZWE\_D\_1.1.1

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT	
Output 1.1.1: Changes attributed to UN Women in skills or abilities and capacities of individuals or institutions and/or the availability of new products and services contributing to Global normative frameworks and gender-responsive laws, policies and institutions	Indicator 1.1.1C: Number of measures taken by ZEC to promote gender inclusive electoral processes with UN Women support	2017 (Baseline)	3	Gender and elections survey, Training of gender focal persons, Voter Education Strategy	N/A
		2024 (Milestone)	-	-	
		2025 (Milestone)	-	-	
		2026 (Target)	-	-	
Planned Budget:					
<b>\$5.40 M</b>					

Actual Budget and Shortfall:

**\$360.85 K**

Shortfall: \$5.03 M

Expenses:

**\$355.41 K**

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of partners that have increased capacities to promote/influence gender responsive legislation (CO, HQ)	2021 (Baseline)	3	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	7
	2023 (Milestone)	-	3
	2024 (Milestone)	2	
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	10	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of partners that have increased capacities to advance gender equality and women's empowerment through national and/or local (multi) sectoral strategies, policies and/or action plans (CO, HQ)	2021 (Baseline)	5	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	2	22
	2023 (Milestone)	2	6
	2024 (Milestone)	3	
	2025 (Milestone)	3	-
	2026 (Target)	12	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of national AIDS coordinating bodies and/or national multi-sectoral HIV programmes that have strengthened capacity to integrate gender-responsive actions into national HIV strategies (CO)	2022 (Baseline)	Yes	N/A
	2023 (Milestone)	Yes	TRUE
	2024 (Milestone)	Yes	
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	-	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of women and girls, including women and girls living with and/or affected by HIV, with increased capacities to participate in public life and exercise leadership (CO, RO, HQ)	2022 (Baseline)	79	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	50	79
	2023 (Milestone)	90	87
	2024 (Milestone)	30	
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	-	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of initiatives developed and implemented to prevent, monitor and mitigate violence against women in politics (VAWP) and in public life (including gender equality advocates in civil society organizations working on gender equality and women's empowerment, especially women's organizations) (CO, RO, HQ)	2020 (Baseline)	2	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	3
	2023 (Milestone)	-	6
	2024 (Milestone)	3	
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	12	-

## OUTPUT ZWE\_D\_1.1.2

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Changes attributed to UN Women in skills or abilities and capacities of individuals or institutions and/or the availability of new products and services contributing to Women's voice, leadership & agency	Indicator 1.1.2A: Number of gender-responsive electoral initiatives (tools, guidelines, reports and monitoring & accountability mechanisms) developed to mitigate VAWP with UN Women support	2017 (Baseline)	0	N/A
		2022 (Milestone)	-	0
		2023 (Milestone)	-	1
		2024 (Milestone)	1	
		2025 (Milestone)	-	-
		2026 (Target)	1	-

Planned Budget:

**\$1.20 M**

Actual Budget and Shortfall:

**\$245.80 K**

Shortfall: \$956.28 K



Expenses:  
**\$268.02 K**



INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Proportion of initiatives by key stakeholders (Gender Observatory, community systems, security sectors actors, constitutional commissions) effectively implemented to mitigate VAWP.	2017 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	-	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of dialogues, mechanisms, platforms and/or coalitions created and sustained that enable meaningful and safe participation and engagement by gender equality advocates and civil society organizations working on gender equality and women's empowerment, especially women's organizations, in decision-making (CO, RO, HQ)	2020 (Baseline)	5	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	2	3
	2023 (Milestone)	4	2
	2024 (Milestone)	4	
	2025 (Milestone)	3	-
	2026 (Target)	15	-



INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Number of Peacebuilding processes inclusive of young women supported by UN Women / UNFPA (CO)	2020 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	1
	2023 (Milestone)	-	2
	2024 (Milestone)	2	
	2025 (Milestone)	-	-
	2026 (Target)	3	-

## STRATEGIC NOTE OUTCOME PROGRESS NOTE

SHOWING DATA OF : 2023

**By 2026, all people in Zimbabwe, especially the most vulnerable and marginalized, benefit from more accountable institutions and systems for rule of law, human rights and access to justice (CF outcome 4, SP outcome 1).**

The elections results indicated the need for continued engagement on WPP. Notably there was a regression in the number of female candidates that contested for National Assembly Seats from 18% in 2018 to 11% in 2023. Despite the highly sensitive and polarised environment presented by the 2023 elections the ZCO supported key initiatives that galvanised women’s organisations and facilitated safe feminist spaces to advocate for women’s increased participation in national decision-making and peaceful elections. Zimbabwe succeeded in hosting peaceful elections, with the UN and its partners playing a pivotal role in this achievement. The UNDP, UN Women, and UNESCO, through the ZIM-ECO II project, supported by financial contributions from the European Union, Japan, and France, not only supported the capacity of the Zimbabwe Electoral Commission but also ensured the conduct of peaceful elections. From these elections, several Observer Missions noted that the elections were generally conducted in a peaceful manner, however, they noted some challenges that need to be addressed and proffered recommendations for strengthening the credibility and transparency of elections in Zimbabwe. UN Women in partnership with other UN Agencies continued to provide extensive support to the Zimbabwe Electoral Commission for voter education, reaching an estimated 80% of listeners through weekly radio programmes alone. As per the SADC Election Commission Forum preliminary statement, “Stakeholders commended ZEC for the quality of the voter education curriculum and quality of packaging of voter information which showed significant improvement”. UN Women also invested in enhancing the capacity of media stakeholders, to ensure gender responsive reporting. Another major focus of UN Women support to the election was the contribution to the prevention of violence and to a conducive environment for the elections. Furthermore, the UN Women reinforced the capacity of the Zimbabwe Gender Commission by facilitating the

establishment of the Gender Observatory. This crucial coordination mechanism monitors the gender responsiveness of electoral processes, comprising over 15 institutions from diverse sectors. The collaboration also involved setting up a call centre and implementing an electronic case management system. Throughout the 2023 elections, the Gender Observatory played a pivotal role in identifying and documenting key gender issues, offering recommendations to address disparities and foster an inclusive electoral process, and highlighting the significance of strengthening the Gender Commission's capabilities in this context.