

UN Women

The Status of Women in the United Nations System and UNJSPF

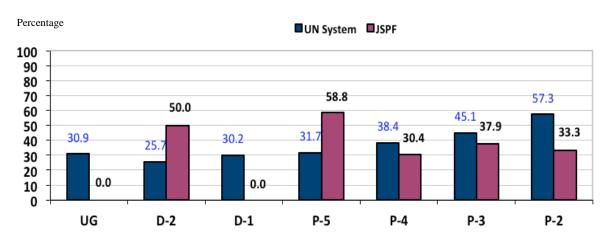
(from 1 January 2001 to 31 December 2010)

THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM

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Gender distribution of staff in the Professional and higher categories

Percentage comparison of women in the professional and higher categories with appointments of one year or more in the United Nations system and JSPF December 2010



*Source: CEB Table 11 -31 December 2010

As of 31 December 2010, women in the UN system constituted:

- **40.3%** (12,005 out of 29,763) of all staff in the professional and higher categories with appointments of one year or more(UG-P2)
- **29.3%** (784 out of 2,674) of all staff at the **D-1 level and above**(UG-D1)
- **41.1%** (11,221 out of 27,089) of all staff at the **P level**(P5-P2)

Gender balance has only been achieved at the P-2 level(57.3%).

*Source: CEB Table 11 –31 December 2010

As of 31 December 2010, women in UNJSPF constituted:

- 37.5% (30 out of 80) of all staff in the professional and higher categories with appointments of one year or more(UG-P2)
- 12.5% (1 out of 8) of all staff at the **D-1 level and above**(UG-D1)
- **40.3%** (29 out of 72) of all staff at the **P level**(P5-P2)

Gender balance has only been achieved or exceeded at D2level(50.0%), P5level(58.8%).

*Source: CEB Table 11 -31 December 2010

^{*30} of 31 entities submitted data

^{**}UG stands for "Ungraded" and combines the ranks of Secretary-General, Under-Secretary-General, Assistant Secretary-General, Director-General, Deputy Director-General and Assistant Director-General

Trends in the representation of women in the Professional and higher categories – 2001 to 2010

<u>Largest increase:</u> UG (15.2 percentage points from 15.6% in Dec 2001 to 30.9% in Dec 2010) <u>Smallest increase:</u> P-2 (4.0 percentage points from 53.3% in Dec 2001 to 57.3% in Dec 2010) <u>Largest increase:</u> **D2** (**50.0** percentage points from **0%** in Dec. 2001 to **50.0%** in Dec. 2010) <u>Largest decrease:</u> **P5** (**-41.2** percentage points from **100.0%** in Dec 2001 to **58.8%** in Dec 2010)

| Level | % of women as of 31 Dec 2001 | % of women as of 31 Dec 2010 | Total change 2001-2010 (percentage points) | Average annual change 2001-2010 (percentage points) | Level | % of women as of 31 Dec 2001 | % of women as of 31 Dec 2010 | Total change 2001-2010 (percentage points) | Average annual change 2001-2010 (percentage points) |
|-------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---|-------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---|
| UG | 15.6 | 30.9 | 15.2 | 1.5 | UG | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| D-2 | 20.8 | 25.7 | 4.8 | 0.5 | D-2 | 0.0 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 5.0 |
| D-1 | 21.3 | 30.2 | 8.9 | 0.9 | D-1 | 25.0 | 0.0 | -25.0 | -2.5 |
| P-5 | 24.1 | 31.7 | 7.6 | 0.8 | P-5 | 100.0 | 58.8 | -41.2 | -4.1 |
| P-4 | 31.3 | 38.4 | 7.1 | 0.7 | P-4 | 70.0 | 30.4 | -39.6 | -4.0 |
| P-3 | 40.3 | 45.1 | 4.8 | 0.5 | P-3 | 71.4 | 37.9 | -33.3 | -3.3 |
| P-2 | 53.3 | 57.3 | 4.0 | 0.0 | P-2 | 0.0 | 33.3 | -33.3 | 3.3 |
| P-1 | - | - | - | - | P-1 | - | - | - | - |

*Source: CEB Table 11 – 31 December 2001 and 31 December 2010