

SECURITY COUNCIL SCORECARD 2015

This Scorecard assesses and evaluates the work of the 2015 Security Council based on its engagement with issues related to peace and security. In order to do so, the Council is analyzed based on its actions in 2015. Furthermore, the Council's work in-country is assessed based on a series of indicators that evaluate whether the Council Members are dedicated to the concepts of peace and security at home

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Methodology and Explanation for grading: Forthcoming

People's Republic of China:

Council Action	
Voting Record: How did MS vote on WPS resolution? ⁱ	UNSCR1325: YES UNSCR1820: YES UNSCR1888: YES UNSCR1889: YES UNSCR1960: YES UNSCR2106: YES UNSCR2122: YES UNSCR2242: YES
Inclusion of WPS language in country member's statement: in statements made during Open Debates in 2015, MS referenced gender how many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ⁱⁱ	2
Inclusion of WPS language in Presidential Statement: if PRST adopted during presidency, did PRST reference gender? How many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ⁱⁱⁱ	0/1
Use of Veto ^{iv}	1. 22 May 2014 S/2014/348 S/PV.7180 Middle East - Syria 2. 19 Jul 2012 S/2012/538 S/PV.6810 Middle East - Syria 3. 4 Feb 2012 S/2012/77 S/PV.6711 Middle East - Syria 4. 4 Oct 2011 S/2011/612 S/PV.6627 Middle East - Syria 5. 11 Jul 2008 S/2008/447 S/PV.5933 Peace and Security - Africa (Zimbabwe) 6. 12 Jan 2007 S/2007/14 S/PV.5619 Myanmar 7. 25 Feb 1999 S/1999/201 S/PV.3982 The situation in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia 8. 10 Jan 1997 S/1997/18 S/PV.3730 Central America: efforts towards peace 9. 25 Aug 1972 S/10771 S/PV.1660 Admission of new Members Bangladesh
Commitments intended to strengthen implementation of the Women, Peace and	General political commitment to strengthen the training of local women and to help developing countries address the challenges that women and girls face in the areas of health and education. Under the

Security Agenda ^v	relevant fund, also committed to set up a joint project with the United Nations to support capacity-building for women in developing countries.
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Prevention; Protection; Relief/Recovery	
Country contribution to peacekeeping operations/forces ^{vi}	Police: 161 Military Experts: 36 Troops: 2882 Total: 3079
Country contribution to funding peacekeeping operations (How much? Core funding specifically; annual or over a series of years?) ^{vii}	For the period 2013-2015, the People's Republic of China ranks n. 6 among the top 10 providers of assessed contributions to United Nations Peacekeeping operations, contributing by 6.64%
Was the country accused of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA)?	No information regarding accusations against PK soldiers from China

Funding/Financing	
Gross Contributions by Member States to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2015 ^{viii}	USD 153,218,271
Funding to UNWOMEN ^{ix}	In 2014, the People's Republic of China's contribution to UNWOMEN was of USD 890,000.
Funding to UNODA and disarmament initiatives (Voluntary contributions from 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2013) ^x	USD 100,000 (UNRCPD)

Arms and Military Presence/Dedication to Disarmament	
Ratification of Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) ^{xi}	The People's Republic of China abstained from the vote on the adoption of the Arms Trade Treaty, and has not yet signed nor ratified it.
Estimated annual amount spent on military expenditures ^{xii}	2.06% of GDP in 2014, compared to 2.02% in 2013, and 2.02% in 2012 People Republic of China's military budget is the <u>second largest</u> in the World, with a military expenditure of \$171.4 billions

Records on quantity of arms exported and to whom? ^{xiii}	For the period 2010-2014, the People's Republic of China was the 3rd largest exported of weapons in the World, with a share of international arms exports of 5%. The main clients were: Pakistan (41%), Bangladesh (16%) and Myanmar (12%)
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Women's Participation	
Percentage of women participation in Parliament ^{xiv}	23.6% (699 women for 2959 total seats)
Percentage of women participation in Ministerial Positions ^{xv}	11.5% (3 women for 26 total positions)
Percentage of women participation in the Military?	In 2015: 7.5%

Country Action	
Gender Gap Index ^{xvi}	2010:61 2011:61 2012: 69 2013:69 2014: 87
Signature/Ratification CEDAW ^{xvii}	The People's Republic of China signed the Convention on 17 Jul 1980 and ratified 4 Nov 1980
National Action Plan (NAP)	Currently, China does not have a National Action Plan for the Implementation of United Nations Security Council Resolution 1325

France:

Council Action	
Voting Record: How did MS vote on WPS resolution? ^{xviii}	<p>UNSCR1325: YES UNSCR1820: YES UNSCR1888: YES UNSCR1889: YES UNSCR1960: YES UNSCR2106: YES UNSCR2122: YES UNSCR2242: YES</p>
Inclusion of WPS language in country member's statement: in statements made during Open Debates in 2015, MS referenced gender how many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{xix}	3: Referenced gender in statement RE: SEA/Protection; Participation
Inclusion of WPS language in Presidential Statement: if PRST adopted during presidency, did PRST reference gender? How many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{xx}	3 PRSTs in 2015; none included any language relative to the gendered impact of conflict/peace and security. 1 reference to broader human security: The Security Council further underscores the significant importance of fighting impunity and ensuring accountability for serious violations and abuses of human rights and violations of international humanitarian law in South Sudan including those that may amount to war crimes and crimes against humanity. (S/PRST/2015/9)
Use of Veto ^{xxi}	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 23 Dec 1989 S/21048 S/PV.2902 The situation in Panama 2. 11 Jan 1989 S/20378 S/PV.2841 Letters dated 4 January 1989 from Libya and Bahrain to the President of the Security Council 3. 21 Apr 1986 S/18016/Rev.1 S/PV.2682 Letters dated 15 April 1986 from Libya, Burkina Faso, Syria and Oman to the President of the Security Council 4. 30 Apr 1981 S/14462 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia 5. 30 Apr 1981 S/14461 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia 6. 30 Apr 1981 S/14460/Rev.1 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia 7. 30 Apr 1981 S/14459 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia 8. 31 Oct 1977 S/12312/Rev.1 S/PV.2045 The question of

	<p>South Africa</p> <p>9. 31 Oct 1977 S/12311/Rev.1 S/PV.2045 The question of South Africa</p> <p>10. 31 Oct 1977 S/12310/Rev.1 S/PV.2045 The question of South Africa</p> <p>11. 19 Oct 1976 S/12211 S/PV.1963 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>12. 06 Febr 1976 S/11967 S/PV.1888 The situation in the Comoros</p> <p>13. 06 Jun 1975 S/11713 S/PV.1829 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>14. 30 Oct 1974 S/11543 S/PV.1808 Relationship between the UN and South Africa</p> <p>15. 30 Oct 1956 S/3713/Rev.1 (as amended) S/PV.750 Letter dated 29 October 1956 from the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the Palestine question</p> <p>16. 30 Oct 1956 S/3710 (as amended) S/PV.749 Letter dated 29 October 1956 from the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the Palestine question</p>
Commitments intended to strengthen implementation of the Women, Peace and Security Agenda ^{xxii}	<p>General Political Committed: to achieve the target of 40 per cent women appointed to high-level diplomatic positions by 2018. General political commitment to: strengthen the promotion of the WPS agenda nationally, internationally and regionally, to increase the visibility of plan of action, to ensure that the provisions of the WPS resolutions are well represented in the mandates of peacekeeping operations, and to advocate for the inclusion of women in the Common Security and Defence Policy and to support the protection of women in conflict situations and in crisis resolution. At the operational level, the country is committed to the utmost vigilance and resolve to ensure compliance with the rules laid down by the United Nations in the fight against sexual abuse and respect for human rights. In the case of recent allegations of sexual abuse, political leaders committed to the adoption of the most stringent sanctions, in addition to the judicial response, where cases proven legitimate. Financial Commitment: Contribute €50,000 to the United Nations Trust Fund in Support of Actions to Eliminate Violence against Women. This contribution complements the financial support to the tune of €100,000 that France said will offer UN-Women to strengthen women's access to justice.</p>

Prevention; Protection; Relief and Recovery	
Country contribution to peacekeeping operations/forces ^{xxiii}	<p>Police: 38</p> <p>Military Experts: 8</p> <p>Troops: 866</p> <p>Total: 912</p>
Country contribution to funding peacekeeping	For the period 2013-2015, France ranks n. 2

operations (How much? Core funding specifically; annual or over a series of years?) ^{xxiv}	among the top 3 providers of assessed contributions to United Nations Peacekeeping operations, contributing by 7.22%
Was the country accused of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA)?	According to the New York Times, French peacekeepers were accused of sexually abusing children and civilians in the Central African Republic. The abuse lasted for a period of at least six months, starting in December 2014. After initially uncovering the allegations, the United Nations began internal investigations by recording testimonies of several civilians, including young boys. France has said it is investigating but has yet to announce any charges.

Funding/Financing	
Gross Contributions by Member States to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2015 ^{xxv}	USD 166,462,664
Funding to UNWOMEN ^{xxvi}	In 2014, France's contribution to UNWOMEN was of USD 2,682,751..
Funding to UNODA and disarmament initiatives (Voluntary contributions from 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2013) ^{xxvii}	USD 37,709 (Trust Fund for Global and Regional Activities)

Arms and Military Presence/Dedication to Disarmament	
Ratification of Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) ^{xxviii}	France voted for the adoption of the treaty, signed on 3rd June 2013, and ratified on 2nd April 2014.
Estimated annual amount spent on military expenditures ^{xxix}	2.2% of GDP in 2014, compared to 2.3% in 2013, and 2.3% in 2012 France's military budget is the <u>fifth largest</u> in the World, with a military expenditure of \$62.3 billions
Records on quantity of arms exported and to whom? ^{xxx}	For the period 2010-2014, France was the 5th largest exported of weapons in the World, with a share of international arms exports of 5%. The main clients were: Morocco (18%), China (14%) and the United Arab Emirates (8%)

Women's Participation	
Percentage of women participation in Parliament ^{xxx}	26.2% (151 women for 577 total seats in the Lower House); 25% (87 women for 348 total seats in Upper House/Senate)
Percentage of women participation in Ministerial Positions ^{xxx}	50% (8 women for 16 total positions)
Percentage of women participation in the Military?	In 2015: 15% of all service personnel in the combined branches of the French military. This is the highest proportion of female personnel in Europe. ^{xxx}

Country Action	
Gender Gap Index ^{xxx}	2010:46 2011:48 2012: 57 2013:45 2014: 16
Signature/Ratification CEDAW ^{xxx}	France signed the Convention on 17 Jul 1980 and ratified on 14 Dec 1983
National Action Plan (NAP)	France developed a National Action Plan in 2010 for the period 2010-2013

Russian Federation:

Council Action	
Voting Record: How did MS vote on WPS resolution? ^{xxxvi}	UNSCR1325: YES UNSCR1820: YES UNSCR1888: YES UNSCR1889: YES UNSCR1960: YES UNSCR2106: YES UNSCR2122: YES UNSCR2242: YES
Inclusion of WPS language in country member's statement: in statements made during Open Debates in 2015, MS referenced gender how many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{xxxvii}	1: WPS October statement had nothing to do with WPS
Inclusion of WPS language in Presidential Statement: if PRST adopted during presidency, did PRST reference gender? How many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{xxxviii}	N/A
Use of Veto ^{xxxix}	1. 29 Jul 2015 S/2015/562 S/PV.7498 Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136) 2. 8 Jul 2015 S/2015/508 S/PV.7481 The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina 3. 22 May 2014 S/2014/348 S/PV.7180 Middle East – Syria 4. 15 March 2014 S/2014/189 S/PV.7138 Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136) 5. 19 Jul 2012 S/2012/538 S/PV.6810 Middle East – Syria 6. 4 Feb 2012 S/2012/77 S/PV.6711 Middle East – Syria 7. 4 Oct 2011 S/2011/612 S/PV.6627 Middle East – Syria 8. 15 Jun 2009 S/2009/310 S/PV.6143 Georgia 9. 11 Jul 2008 S/2008/447 S/PV.5933 Peace and

Security - Africa (Zimbabwe)

10. 12 Jan 2007 S/2007/14 S/PV.5619 Myanmar
11. 21 Apr 2004 S/2004/313 S/PV.4947 Cyprus
12. 02 Dec 1994 S/1994/1358 S/PV.3475 The situation in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina
13. 11 May 1993 S/25693 S/PV.3211 The situation in Cyprus

As The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics:

14. 29 Febr 1984 S/16351/Rev.2 S/PV.2519 The situation in the Middle East
15. 12 Sept 1983 S/15966/Rev.1 S/PV.2476 Letters dated 1 September 1983 from the USA, the Republic of Korea, Canada and Japan to the President of the Security Council and Letter dated 2 September 1983 from Australia to the President of the Security Council
16. 11-13 Jan 1980 S/13735 S/PV.2191 Letters dated 22 December 1979 from the USA to the President of the Security Council US and Iran hostage question
17. 7-9 Jan 1980 S/13729 S/PV.2190 Letter dated 3 January 1980 from 52 countries to the President of the Security Council
18. 16 Mar 1979 S/13162 S/PV.2129 The situation in South-East Asia and its implications for international peace and security China and Viet Nam border dispute
19. 15 Jan 1979 S/13027 S/PV.2112 Telegram dated 3 January 1979 from Democratic Kampuchea to the President of the Security Council
20. 31 Jul 1974 S/11400 (as amended) S/PV.1788 The situation in Cyprus
21. 13 Dec 1971 S/10446/Rev.1 S/PV.1613 Letter dated 12 December 1971 from the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the India-Pakistan question
22. 05 Dec 1971 S/10423 S/PV.1607 Letter dated 4 December 1971 from Argentina, Belgium, Burundi, Italy, Japan, Nicaragua, Somalia, the UK and the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the IndiaPakistan question
23. 04 Dec 1971 S/10416 S/PV.1606 Letter dated 4 December 1971 from Argentina, Belgium, Burundi, Italy, Japan, Nicaragua, Somalia, the UK and the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the India-Pakistan question
24. 22 Aug 1968 S/8761 S/PV.1443 Letter dated 21 August 1968 from Canada, Denmark, France, Paraguay, the UK and the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the situation in Czechoslovakia
25. 04 Nov 1966 S/7575/Rev.1 S/PV.1319 The Palestine question
26. 21 Dec 1964 S/6113 (as amended) S/PV.1182 The Palestine question

	27. 17 Sep 1964 S/5973 S/PV.1152 Letter dated 3 September 1964 from Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
	28. 03 Sep 1963 S/5407 S/PV.1063 The Palestine question
	29. 22 Jun 1962 S/5134 S/PV.1016 The India-Pakistan question
	30. 18 Dec 1961 S/5033 S/PV.988 Letter dated 18 December 1961 from Portugal to the President of the Security Council concerning Goa
	31. 30 Nov 1961 S/5006 S/PV.985 Applications for Membership Kuwait
	32. 07 Jul 1961 S/4855 S/PV.960 Complaints by Kuwait in respect of the situation arising from the threat by Iraq to the territorial integrity of Kuwait
	33. 13 Dec 1960 S/4578/Rev.1 S/PV.920 Letter dated 13 July 1960 from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council the situation in the Congo
	34. 3-4 Dec 1960 S/4567/Rev.1 S/PV.911 Applications for membership Mauritania
	35. 17 Sep 1960 S/4523 S/PV.906 Letter dated 13 July 1960 from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council concerning the situation in the Congo
	36. 26 Jul 1960 S/4409/Rev.1 S/PV.883 Telegrams dated 13 July 1960 from the USSR to the Secretary-General
	37. 26 Jul 1960 S/4411 S/PV.843 Telegrams dated 13 July 1960 from the USSR to the Secretary-General
	38. 09 Dec 1958 S/4130/Rev.1 S/PV.843 Admission of new Members Viet-Nam
	39. 09 Dec 1958 S/4129/Rev.1 S/PV.843 Admission of new Members Republic of Korea
	40. 22 Jul 1958 S/4055/Rev.1 S/PV.837 Letter dated 22 May 1958 from Lebanon and Letter dated 17 July 1958 from Jordan to the President of the Security Council Complaints by Lebanon and Jordan concerning the interference in their internal affairs by the United Arab Republic
	41. 18 Jul 1958 S/4050/Rev.1 S/PV.834 Letter dated 22 May 1958 from Lebanon and Letter dated 17 July 1958 from Jordan to the President of the Security Council Complaints by Lebanon and Jordan concerning the interference in their internal affairs by the United Arab Republic
	42. 02 May 1958 S/3995 (incorporating the amendment)S/3998 S/PV.817 Complaint by USSR in a letter to the President of the Security Council dated 18 April 1958 entitled Urgent measures to put an end to flights by US military aircraft armed with atomic and hydrogen bombs in the direction of the frontiers of the Soviet Union
	43. 09 Sep 1957 S/3885 S/PV.790 Admission of new Members Viet-Nam
	44. 09 Sep 1957 S/3884 S/PV.790 Admission of new

	Members Republic of Korea	
45.	20 Feb 1957 S/3787 S/PV.773	The India-Pakistan question
46.	04 Nov 1956 S/3730/Rev.1 S/PV.754	Letter dated 27 October 1956 from France, the UK and the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the situation in Hungary
47.	15 Dec 1955 S/3510 S/PV.706	Admission of new Members Japan
48.	20 Jun 1954 S/3236/Rev.1 S/PV.675	Cablegram dated 19 June 1954 from Guatemala to the President of the Security Council
49.	18 Jun 1954 S/3229 S/PV.674	Letter dated 29 May 1954 from Thailand to the President of the Security Council
50.	29 Mar 1954 S/3188/Corr.1 S/PV.664	The Palestine question
51.	22 Jan 1954 S/3151/Rev.2 S/PV.656	The Palestine question
52.	19 Sep 1952 S/2760 S/PV.603	Admission of new Members Cambodia
53.	19 Sep 1952 S/2759 S/PV.603	Admission of new Members Laos
54.	19 Sep 1952 S/2758 S/PV.603	Admission of new Members Vietnam
55.	18 Sep 1952 S/2754 S/PV.602	Admission of new Members Japan
56.	16 Sep 1952 S/2483 S/PV.600	Admission of new Members Libya
57.	09 Jul 1952 S/2688 S/PV.590	Question of a request for investigation of alleged bacterial warfare
58.	03 Jul 1952 S/2671 S/PV.587	Question of a request for investigation of alleged bacterial warfare
59.	06 Feb 1952 S/2443 S/PV.573	Admission of new Members Italy
60.	30 Nov 1950 S/1894 S/PV.530	Complaint of armed invasion of Taiwan (Formosa); Complaint of aggression upon the Republic of Korea
61.	12 Sep 1950 S/1752 S/PV.501	Complaint of bombing by air forces of the territory of China
62.	06 Sep 1950 S/1653 S/PV.496	Complaint of aggression upon the Republic of Korea
63.	18 Oct 1949 S/1408/Rev.1 S/PV.452	Regulation and reduction of armaments and armed forces
64.	18 Oct 1949 S/1399/Rev.1 S/PV.452	Regulation and reduction of armaments and armed forces
65.	11 Oct 1949 S/1398 S/PV.450	Regulation and reduction of armaments and armed forces
66.	13 Sep 1949 S/1337 S/PV.443	Application for Membership Ceylon
67.	13 Sep 1949 S/1336 S/PV.443	Application for

	Membership Austria	
68.	13 Sep 1949 S/1335 S/PV.443	Application for Membership Ireland
69.	13 Sep 1949 S/1334 S/PV.443	Application for Membership Finland
70.	13 Sep 1949 S/1333 S/PV.443	Application for Membership Italy
71.	13 Sep 1949 S/1332 S/PV.443	Application for Membership Transjordan
72.	13 Sep 1949 S/1331 S/PV.443	Application for Membership Portugal
73.	07 Sep 1949 S/1385 S/PV.439	Application for Membership Nepal
74.	08 Apr 1949 S/1305 S/PV.423	Application for Membership Republic of Korea
75.	15 Dec 1948 S/PV.384 S/PV.384	Application for Membership Ceylon
76.	25 Oct 1948 S/1048 S/PV.372	Identical notifications dated 29 September 1948 from France, the UK and the USA to the Secretary-General Berlin blockade
77.	18 Aug 1948 S/PV.351 S/PV.351	Application for Membership Ceylon
78.	22 Jun 1948 S/836 S/PV.325	Letter dated 26 May 1948 from the Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission to the President of the Security Council transmitting the Third Report of the Commission
79.	24 May 1948 S/PV.3038 S/PV.303	Letter dated 12 Mar 1948 from Chile to the Secretary-General events in Czechoslovakia
80.	24 May 1948 S/PV.303 S/PV.303	Letter dated 12 Mar 1948 from Chile to the Secretary-General events in Czechoslovakia preliminary question
81.	10 Apr 1948 S/PV.279 S/PV.279	Application for Membership Italy
82.	01 Oct 1947 S/PV.206 S/PV.206	Application for Membership Italy
83.	01 Oct 1947 S/PV.206 S/PV.206	Application for Membership Finland
84.	15 Sep 1947 S/552 S/PV.202	The Greek question concerning the situation in northern, Greece preliminary question
85.	15 Sep 1947 S/552, S/PV.202 S/PV.202	The Greek question concerning the situation in northern Greece
86.	21 Aug 1947 S/PV.190 S/PV.190	Application for Membership Austria
87.	21 Aug 1947 S/PV.190 S/PV.190	Application for Membership Italy
88.	19 Aug 1947 S/486 S/PV.188	The Greek question Greek frontier incidents
89.	19 Aug 1947 S/471 and S/471/Add.1	S/PV.188

	<p>The Greek question Greek frontier incidents</p> <p>90. 18 Aug 1947 S/PV.186 S/PV.186 Application for Membership Portugal USSR</p> <p>91. 18 Aug 1947 S/PV.186 S/PV.186 Application for Membership Ireland USSR</p> <p>92. 18 Aug 1947 S/PV.186 S/PV.186 Application for Membership Transjordan</p> <p>93. 29 Jul 1947 S/PV.170 S/PV.170 The Greek question Greek frontier incidents USSR</p> <p>94. 25 Mar 1947 S/PV.122 S/PV.122 Incidents in the Corfu Channel USSR</p> <p>95. 20 Sep 1946 S/PV.70 S/PV.70 Telegram dated 24 August 1946 from the Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic to the Secretary-General USSR</p> <p>96. 29 Aug 1946 S/PV.57 S/PV.57 Application for Membership Portugal USSR</p> <p>97. 29 Aug 1946 S/PV.57 S/PV.57 Application for Membership Ireland USSR</p> <p>98. 29 Aug 1946 S/PV.57 S/PV.57 Application for Membership Transjordan</p> <p>99. 26 Jun 1946 S/PV.49 S/PV.49 The Spanish question</p> <p>100. 26 Jun 1946 S/PV.49 S/PV.49 The Spanish question preliminary question</p> <p>101. 26 Jun 1946 S/PV.49 S/PV.49 The Spanish question</p> <p>102. 18 Jun 1946 S/PV.45 S/PV.47 The Spanish question</p> <p>103. 16 Febr 1946 S/PV.23 S/PV.23 Letter from the Heads of the Lebanese and Syrian delegations to the Secretary-General dated 4 February 1946</p>
Commitments intended to strengthen implementation of the Women, Peace and Security Agenda ^{xl}	Made a statement affirming support for the WPS Agenda, but no specific commitment made.

Prevention; Protection; Relief and Recovery	
Country contribution to peacekeeping operations/forces ^{xli}	<p>Police: 18</p> <p>Military Experts: 58</p> <p>Troops: 5</p> <p>Total: 81</p>
Country contribution to funding peacekeeping operations (How much? Core funding specifically; annual or over a series of years?) ^{xlii}	For the period 2013-2015, the Russian Federation ranks n. 8 among the top 10 providers of assessed contributions to United Nations Peacekeeping operations, contributing by 3.15%

Was the country accused of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA)?	No information regarding accusations against PK soldiers from the Russian Federation
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Funding/Financing	
Gross Contributions by Member States to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2015 ^{xliii}	USD 72,561,411
Funding to UNWOMEN ^{xliv}	The Russian Federation did not figure in the '2014 UNWOMEN REVENUE CONTRIBUTIONS BY DONORS'.
Funding to UNODA and disarmament initiatives (Voluntary contributions from 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2013) ^{xlvi}	NO

Arms and Military Presence/Dedication to Disarmament	
Ratification of Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) ^{xlvi}	The Russian Federation abstained from the vote on the adoption of the Arms Trade Treaty, and has not yet signed nor ratified it.
Estimated annual amount spent on military expenditures ^{xlvi}	4.5% of GDP in 2014, compared to 4.2% in 2013, and 4.0% in 2012 Russia's military budget is the third largest in the World, with a military expenditure of \$84.9 billions
Records on quantity of arms exported and to whom? ^{xlvi}	For the period 2010-2014, the Russian Federation was the 2nd largest exported of weapons in the World, with a share of international arms exports of 27%. The main clients were: India (39%), China (11%) and Algeria (8%)

Women's Participation	
Percentage of women participation in Parliament ^{xlix}	13.6% (61 women for 450 seats in Lower House); 17.1% (29 women for 170 seats in Upper House/Senate)
Percentage of women participation in Ministerial Positions ^l	6.5% (2 women for 31 total positions)
Percentage of women participation in the Military?	Unknown

Country Action	
Gender Gap Index ^{li}	2010:45 2011:43 2012: 59 2013:61 2014: 75
Signature/Ratification CEDAW ^{lii}	The Russian Federation signed the Convention on 17 Jul 1980 and ratified on 23 Jan 1981
National Action Plan (NAP)	Currently, the Russian Federation does not have a National Action Plan for the Implementation of United Nations Security Council Resolution 1325.

The United Kingdom:

Council Action	
Voting Record: How did MS vote on WPS resolution? ^{liii}	UNSCR1325: YES UNSCR1820: YES UNSCR1888: YES UNSCR1889: YES UNSCR1960: YES UNSCR2106: YES UNSCR2122: YES UNSCR2242: YES
Inclusion of WPS language in country member's statement: in statements made during Open Debates in 2015, MS referenced gender how many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{liv}	4: March: Chibok Girls; April CRSV: protection/Rule of Law
Inclusion of WPS language in Presidential Statement: if PRST adopted during presidency, did PRST reference gender? How many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{lv}	3 PRSTs in 2014: 1 has small reference to humanitarian assistance and development/sustainable peace however no mention of gender (S/PRST/2014/18); S/PRST/2014/16 references gender, specifically SGBV
Use of Veto ^{lvi}	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 23 Dec 1989 S/21048 S/PV.2902 The situation in Panama 2. 11 Jan 1989 S/20378 S/PV.2841 Letters dated 4 January 1989 from Libya and Bahrain to the President of the Security Council 3. 08 Mar 1988 S/19585 S/PV.2797 The question of South Africa 4. 09 Apr 1987 S/18785 S/PV.2747 The situation in Namibia 5. 20 Febr 1987 S/18705 S/PV.2738 The question of South Africa 6. 18 Jun 1986 S/18163 S/PV.2693 Complaint by Angola against South Africa 7. 23 May 1986 S/18087/Rev.1 S/PV.2686 The situation in Southern Africa 8. 21 Apr 1986 S/18016/Rev.1 S/PV.2682 Letters dated 15 April 1986 from Libya, Burkina Faso, Syria and Oman to the President of the Security Council 9. 15 Nov 1985 S/17633 S/PV.2629 The situation in Namibia

	<p>10. 04 Jun 1982 S/15156/Rev.2 S/PV.2373 Question concerning the situation in the region of the Falkland Islands (Islas Malvinas)</p> <p>11. 30 Apr 1981 S/14462 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>12. 30 Apr 1981 S/14461 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>13. 30 Apr 1981 S/14460/Rev.1 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>14. 30 Apr 1981 S/14459 S/PV.2277 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>15. 31 Oct 1977 S/12312/Rev.1 S/PV.2045 The question of South Africa</p> <p>16. 31 Oct 1977 S/12311/Rev.1 S/PV.2045 The question of South Africa</p> <p>17. 31 Oct 1977 S/12310/Rev.1 S/PV.2045 The question of South Africa</p> <p>18. 19 Oct 1976 S/12211 S/PV.1963 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>19. 06 Jun 1975 S/11713 S/PV.1829 The situation in Namibia</p> <p>20. 30 Oct 1974 S/11543 S/PV.1808 Relationship between the UN and South Africa</p> <p>21. 22 May 1973 S/10928 S/PV.1716 Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia</p> <p>22. 29 Sep 1972 S/10805/Rev.1 (as amended) S/PV.1666 Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia</p> <p>23. 04 Feb 1972 S/10606 S/PV.1639 Consideration of questions relating to Africa of which the Security Council is currently seized and implementation of the Council's relevant resolutions the situation in Southern Rhodesia</p> <p>24. 30 Dec 1971 S/10489 S/PV.1623 Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia</p> <p>25. 10 Nov 1970 S/9976 S/PV.1556 Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia</p> <p>26. 17 Mar 1970 S/9696 and Corr.1 & 2 S/PV.1534 Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia</p> <p>27. 13 Sep 1963 S/5425/Rev.1 S/PV.1069 The situation in Southern Rhodesia</p> <p>28. 30 Oct 1956 S/3713/Rev.1 (as amended) S/PV.750 Letter dated 29 October 1956 from the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the Palestine question</p> <p>29. 30 Oct 1956 S/3710 (as amended) S/PV.749 Letter dated 29 October 1956 from the USA to the President of the Security Council concerning the Palestine question</p>
Commitments intended to strengthen implementation	General political commitments: promote the active participation of women in peacebuilding discussions through political and/or

of the Women, Peace and Security Agenda ^{lvii}	<p>financial support; provide support, including lobbying, at the local and highest levels, ensuring that women's voices are represented in wider peace processes, including negotiations and state-building.</p> <p>Security Sector: ensure that all future relevant military doctrine is gender-sensitive. Training on WPS and on preventing sexual violence for all UK troops deployed on overseas missions by November 2016. Ensure that all early warning, joint conflict analysis, and assessment tools are fully gender-sensitive by September 2016. Sexual Violence: ensure the prevention of sexual violence in conflict initiative, by tackling impunity for sexual violence crimes, while ensuring widespread implementation of the international protocol on the documentation and investigation of sexual violence in conflict. Encourage greater support for survivors, including children and men, and joint work with other Governments to deliver more effective multilateral responses. Champion the road map to action to protect women and girls in emergencies and help secure positive outcomes for women and girls at the World Humanitarian Summit in 2016. Continue to provide technical and other support to help other Governments develop, implement and measure the impact of their own action plans on resolution 1325 (2000) and also help Iraq and Afghanistan implement their action plans.</p> <p>Ensure that overseas work to counter violent extremism includes upstream activity targeted specifically at women. Put women at the centre of the delivery of programming of overseas extremism work, both nationally and locally. Financial Commitments: -Contribute \$1 million of start-up funding to the Global Acceleration Instrument for Women, Peace and Security and Humanitarian Action to help address the global deficit in funding for the implementation of the resolution. -Provide additional funding of over \$800,000, each year for two years, to support new research at the Centre for Women, Peace and Security at the London School of Economics, bringing total Government funding from the United Kingdom for the Centre to over \$3 million.</p>
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Prevention; Protection; Relief and Recovery	
Country contribution to peacekeeping operations/forces ^{lviii}	<p>Police: 5</p> <p>Military Experts: 0</p> <p>Troops: 286</p> <p>Total: 291</p>
Country contribution to funding peacekeeping operations (How much? Core funding specifically; annual or over a series of years?) ^{lix}	For the period 2013-2015, the United Kingdom ranks n. 5 among the top 5 providers of assessed contributions to United Nations Peacekeeping operations, contributing by 6.68%
Was the country accused of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA)?	No information regarding accusations against PK soldiers from the United Kingdom

Funding/Financing	
Gross Contributions by Member States to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2015 ^{lx}	USD 154,140,914
Funding to UNWOMEN ^{lxi}	In 2014, the United Kingdom's contribution to UNWOMEN was of USD 24,658,588..
Funding to UNODA and disarmament initiatives (Voluntary contributions from 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2013) ^{lxii}	USD 52,500 (UNLIREC) USD 15,000 (Trust Fund for Global and Regional Activities) USD 161,970 (UNSCAR)

Arms and Military Presence/Dedication to Disarmament	
Ratification of Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) ^{lxiii}	United Kingdom voted for the adoption of the treaty, signed on 3rd June 2013, and ratified on 2nd April 2014.
Estimated annual amount spent on military expenditures ^{lxiv}	2.2% of GDP in 2014, compared to 2.2% in 2013, and 2.4% in 2012 The United Kingdom's military budget is the <u>seventh largest</u> in the World, with a military expenditure of \$ 56.2 billions
Records on quantity of arms exported and to whom? ^{lxv}	For the period 2010-2014, the UK was the 6th largest exported of weapons in the World, with a share of international arms exports of 4%. The main clients were: Saudi Arabia (41%), the USA (12%) and India (11%)

Women's Participation	
Percentage of women participation in Parliament ^{lxvi}	22.8% (148 women for 650 total seats in Lower House) 24.1% (191 women for 791 total seats in Upper House)
Percentage of women participation in Ministerial Positions ^{lxvii}	22.7% (5 women for 22 total positions)
Percentage of women participation in the Military?	In 2014: 9.4%

Country Action	
Gender Gap Index ^{lxviii}	2010:15 2011:16 2012: 18 2013:18 2014: 26
Signature/Ratification CEDAW ^{lxix}	The United Kingdom signed the Convention on 22 July 1981 and ratified on 07 April 1986
National Action Plan (NAP)	The UK released a draft of a second revised NAP in 2014 following the Global Summit to End Sexual Violence in Conflict held in London in June. By the end of 2014, the UK expects a final edition of its NAP (that includes actions and indicators) to be launched for the period 2014 - 2017. The Department for International Development (DFID), Foreign & Commonwealth Office (FCO), Ministry of Defense (MOD) and the UK Stabilization Unit (SU) are the key actors in developing and implementing the 2014 NAP.

The United States of America:

Council Action	
Voting Record: How did MS vote on WPS resolution? ^{lxx}	UNSCR1325: YES UNSCR1820: YES UNSCR1888: YES UNSCR1889: YES UNSCR1960: YES UNSCR2106: YES UNSCR2122: YES UNSCR2242: YES
Inclusion of WPS language in country member's statement: in statements made during Open Debates in 2015, MS referenced gender how many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{lxxi}	3: March CAAC Debate: first on council to mention DDR; specifically referenced a Congolese girl soldier; CRSV Debate: PKO via gender-training; participation
Inclusion of WPS language in Presidential Statement: if PRST adopted during presidency, did PRST reference gender? How many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{lxxii}	2 PRSTs in 2014; 1 (S/PRST/2014/20) references Sexual violence as a tactic of war by Da'esh
Use of Veto ^{lxxiii}	1. 18 Feb 2011 S/2011/24 S/PV.6484 Middle East situation, including the Palestinian question 2. 11 Nov 2006 S/2006/878 S/PV.5565 Middle East situation, including the Palestinian question 3. 13 Jul 2006 S/2006/508 S/PV.5418 Middle East situation, including the Palestinian question 4. 05 Oct 2004 S/2004/783 S/PV.5051 Middle East situation, including the Palestinian question 5. 25 Mar 2004 S/2004/240 S/PV.4934 Middle East situation, including the Palestinian question 6. 14 Oct 2003 S/2003/980 S/PV.4842 The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question 7. 16 Sep 2003 S/2003/891 S/PV.4828 The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question 8. 20 Dec 2002 S/2002/1385 S/PV.4681 The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question 9. 30 Jun 2002 S/2002/712 S/PV.4563 The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina 10. 14-15 Dec 2001 S/2001/1199 S/PV.4438 The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian

	question			
11.	27-28 Mar 2001	S/2001/270	S/PV.4305	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
12.	21 Mar 1997	S/1997/241	S/PV.3756	The situation in the occupied Arab territories USA
13.	07 Mar 1997	S/1997/199	S/PV.3747	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
14.	17 May 1995	S/1995/394	S/PV.3538	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
15.	31 May 1990	S/21326	S/PV.2926	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
16.	17 Jan 1990	S/21084	S/PV.2905	Letter dated 3 January 1990 from Nicaragua to the President of the Security Council
17.	23 Dec 1989	S/21048	S/PV.2902	The situation in Panama
18.	07 Nov 1989	S/20945/Rev.1	S/PV.2889	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
19.	09 Jun 1989	S/20677	S/PV.2867	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
20.	17 Feb 1989	S/20463	S/PV.2850	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
21.	11 Jan 1989	S/20378	S/PV.2841	Letters dated 4 January 1989 from Libya and Bahrain to the President of the Security Council
22.	14 Dec 1988	S/20322	S/PV.2832	The situation in the Middle East
23.	10 May 1988	S/19868	S/PV.2814	The situation in the Middle East
24.	15 Apr 1988	S/19780	S/PV.2806	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
25.	08 Mar 1988	S/19585	S/PV.2797	The question of South Africa
26.	01 Feb 1988	S/19466	S/PV.2790	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
27.	18 Jan 1988	S/19434	S/PV.2784	The situation in the Middle East
28.	09 Apr 1987	S/18785	S/PV.2747	The situation in Namibia
29.	20 Feb 1987	S/18705	S/PV.2738	The question of South Africa
30.	28 Oct 1986	S/18428	S/PV.2718	Letter dated 17 October 1986 from Nicaragua to the President of the Security Council
31.	31 Jul 1986	S/18250	S/PV.2704	Letter dated 22 July 1986 from Nicaragua to the President of the Security Council
32.	18 Jun 1986	S/18163	S/PV.2693	Complaint by Angola against South Africa

	33.	23 May 1986	S/18087/Rev.1	S/PV.2686	The situation in Southern Africa
	34.	21 Apr 1986	S/18016/Rev.1	S/PV.2682	Letters dated 15 April 1986 from Libya, Burkina Faso, Syria and Oman to the President of the Security Council
	35.	06 Feb 1986	S/17796/Rev.1	S/PV.2655	Letter dated 4 February 1986 from Syria to the President of the Security Council
	36.	30 Jan 86	S/17769/Rev.1	S/PV.2650	The situation in the occupied Arab territories USA
	37.	17 Jan 1986	S/17730/Rev.2	S/PV.2642	The situation in the Middle East
	38.	15 Nov 1985	S/17633	S/PV.2629	The situation in Namibia
	39.	13 Sep 1985	S/17459	S/PV.2605	The situation in the occupied Arab territories USA
	40.	12 Mar 1985	S/17000	S/PV.2573	The situation in the Middle East
	41.	06 Sep 1984	S/16732	S/PV.2556	The situation in the Middle East
	42.	04 Apr 1984	S/16463	S/PV.2529	Letter dated 29 March 1984 from Nicaragua to the President of the Security Council
	43.	27-28 Oct 1983	S/16077/Rev.1	S/PV.2491	The situation in Grenada
	44.	02 Aug 1983	S/15895	S/PV.2461	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
	45.	06 Aug 1982	S/15347/Rev.1	S/PV.2391	The situation in the Middle East
	46.	26 Jun 1982	S/15255/Rev.2(as corrected)	S/PV.2381	The situation in the Middle East
	47.	08 Jun 1982	S/15185	S/PV.2377	The situation in the Middle East
	48.	04 Jun 1982	S/15156/Rev.2	S/PV.2373	Question concerning the situation in the region of the Falkland Islands (Islas Malvinas)
	49.	20 Apr 1982	S/14985	S/PV.2357	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
	50.	02 Apr 1982	S/14943	S/PV.2348	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
	51.	02 Apr 1982	S/14941	S/PV.2347	Letter dated 19 March 1982 from Nicaragua to the Secretary-General
	52.	20 Jan 1982	S/14832/Rev.1	S/PV.2329	The situation in the occupied Arab territories
	53.	31 Aug 1981	S/14664/Rev.2	S/PV.2300	Complaint by Angola against South Africa
	54.	30 Apr 1981	S/14462	S/PV.2277	The situation in Namibia
	55.	30 Apr 1981	S/14461	S/PV.2277	The situation in Namibia

	56.	30 Apr 1981	S/14460/Rev.1	S/PV.2277	The situation in Namibia
	57.	30 Apr 1981	S/14459	S/PV.2277	The situation in Namibia
	58.	30 Apr 1980	S/13911	S/PV.2220	The question of the exercise by the Palestinian people of its inalienable rights
	59.	31 Oct 1977	S/12312/Rev.1	S/PV.2045	The question of South Africa
	60.	31 Oct 1977	S/12311/Rev.1	S/PV.2045	The question of South Africa
	61.	31 Oct 1977	S/12310/Rev.1	S/PV.2045	The question of South Africa
	62.	15 Nov 1976	S/12226	S/PV.1972	Admission of new Members Viet Nam
	63.	19 Oct 1976	S/12211	S/PV.1963	The situation in Namibia
	64.	29 Jun 1976	S/12119	S/PV.1938	The question of the exercise by the Palestinian people of its inalienable rights
	65.	23 Jun 1976	S/12110	S/PV.1932	Admission of new Members Angola
	66.	25 Mar 1976	S/12022	S/PV.1899	Request by Libya and Pakistan for consideration of the serious situation arising from recent developments in the occupied Arab territories
	67.	06 Feb 1976	S/11967	S/PV.1888	The situation in the Comoros
	68.	26 Jan 1976	S/11940	S/PV.1879	The Middle East problem including the Palestinian question
	69.	08 Dec 1975	S/11898	S/PV.1862	The situation in the Middle East
	70.	30 Sep 1975	S/11833	S/PV.1846	Admission of new Members Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam
	71.	30 Sep 1975	S/11832	S/PV.1846	Admission of new Members Republic of South Viet-Nam
	72.	11 Aug 1975	S/11796	S/PV.1836	Admission of new Members Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam
	73.	11 Aug 1975	S/11795	S/PV.1836	Admission of new Members Republic of South Viet-Nam
	74.	06 Jun 1975	S/11713	S/PV.1829	The situation in Namibia
	75.	30 Oct 1974	S/11543	S/PV.1808	Relationship between the UN and South Africa
	76.	26 Jul 1973	S/10974	S/PV.1735	The situation in the Middle East
	77.	22 May 1973	S/10928	S/PV.1716	Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia
	78.	21 Mar 1973	S/10931/Rev.1	S/PV.1704	Consideration of measures for the maintenance and strengthening of peace and security in Latin America
	79.	10 Sep 1972	S/10784	S/PV.1662	The situation in the Middle East

	80. 17 Mar 1970 S/9696 and Corr.1 & 2 S/PV.1534 Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia
Commitments intended to strengthen implementation of the Women, Peace and Security Agenda ^{lxxiv}	General Political Commitments: assist other nations in their own efforts in implementing WPS agendas. Financial Commitments: \$31 million to assist other nations. Further \$40 million for initiatives to protect women from violence and promote their participation in peace processes and decision-making, as well as more than \$8 million to implement Secretary of State Kerry's accountability initiative to fight impunity for sexual violence in the Central African Republic, the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Liberia. Another \$1 million will be allocated to a justice initiative based in South Kivu province in the Democratic Republic of the Congo that seeks to educate 50,000 women on their human rights and how to use basic judicial procedures.

Prevention; Protection; Relief and Recovery	
Country contribution to peacekeeping operations/forces ^{lxxv}	Police: 39 Military Experts: 6 Troops: 34 Total: 79
Country contribution to funding peacekeeping operations (How much? Core funding specifically; annual or over a series of years?) ^{lxxvi}	For the period 2013-2015, the United States is the greatest provider of assessed contributions to United Nations Peacekeeping operations, contributing by 28.38%
Was the country accused of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA)?	No information regarding accusations against PK soldiers from the United States

Funding/Financing	
Gross Contributions by Member States to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2015 ^{lxxvii}	USD 654,778,938
Funding to UNWOMEN ^{lxxviii}	In 2014, the United States' contribution to UNWOMEN was of USD 9,685,628.
Funding to UNODA and disarmament initiatives (Voluntary contributions from 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2013) ^{lxxix}	USD 2,781,660 (UNLIREC) USD 1,544,000 (Trust Fund for Global and Regional Activities)

Arms and Military Presence/Dedication to Disarmament	
Ratification of Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) ^{lxxx}	United States of America voted for the adoption of the treaty, signed on 25th September 2013, but has not yet ratified. Objections to the ratification of the ATT are mostly due to internal domestic politics (and NRA lobby)
Estimated annual amount spent on military expenditures ^{lxxxi}	3.5% of GDP in 2014, compared to 3.8% in 2013, and 4.2% in 2012 The United States' military budget is the <u>largest</u> in the World, with a military expenditure of \$ \$618.7 billions
Records on quantity of arms exported and to whom? ^{lxxxii}	For the period 2010-2014, the United States was the 1st largest exported of weapons in the World, with a share of international arms exports of 31%. The main clients were: South Korea (9%), United Arab Emirates (8%) and Australia (8%)

Women's Participation	
Percentage of women participation in Parliament ^{lxxxiii}	19.3% (84 women for 435 total seats in the Lower House); 20% (20 women for 100 total seats in the Upper house/Senate)
Percentage of women participation in Ministerial Positions ^{lxxxiv}	26.1% (6 women for 23 total positions)
Percentage of women participation in the Military?	In 2013: 14.9%

Country Action	
Gender Gap Index ^{lxxxv}	2010:19 2011:17 2012:22 2013:23 2014: 20
Signature/Ratification CEDAW ^{lxxxvi}	The United States signed the Convention on 17 July 1980, but has not ratified it.
National Action Plan (NAP)	The United States adopted its first National Action Plan (NAP) in 2011 for the period 2011-2015. The NAP was developed by an interagency group that included representatives from many government

	agencies and departments as well as civil society networks
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The Kingdom of Spain:

Council Action	
Voting Record: How did MS vote on WPS resolution? ^{lxxxvii}	UNSCR2242: YES
Inclusion of WPS language in country member's statement: in statements made during Open Debates in 2015, MS referenced gender how many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{lxxxviii}	1: August 2015
Inclusion of WPS language in Presidential Statement: if PRST adopted during presidency, did PRST reference gender? How many times? (Please look at 2014-2015) ^{lxxxix}	PRST/2015/17 on CAR after the WPS Debate - includes NO reference to gendered impact; etc. - reference to DDR but nothing on women's participation.
Use of Veto ^{xc}	N/A
Commitments intended to strengthen implementation of the Women, Peace and Security Agenda ^{xcii}	<p>General Political Commitments: update and approve periodic follow-up reports; establish national focal points and create international network of focal points; involve civil society in designing and providing follow-up to actions; enhance training on gender equality for members of the armed forces and the state security forces, particularly those who are deployed on international missions; continue to promote the participation of female soldiers in peacekeeping operations and ensure that women are present in mediation teams; continue to strictly implement the zero-tolerance policy with regard to incidents of sexual violence involving members of Spanish civilian and military missions abroad.</p> <p>Financial Commitments: -Increase the percentage of official development assistance earmarked for women and peace and security. -Contribute to funding the Gender Unit within the Department of Political Affairs of the Secretariat in 2016. -In 2016, make a contribution of €1 million to the new Global Acceleration Instrument for Women, Peace and Security and Humanitarian Action and the multi-agency Fund for Action against Sexual Violence in Conflict.</p>

Prevention; Protection; Relief and Recovery	
Country contribution to peacekeeping operations/forces ^{xcii}	Police: 6 Military Experts: 0 Troops: 614 Total: 620
Country contribution to funding peacekeeping operations (How much? Core funding specifically; annual or over a series of years?) ^{xciii}	For the period 2013-2015, Spain contributed by 2.97%
Was the country accused of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA)?	No information regarding accusations against PK soldiers from Spain

Funding/Financing	
Gross Contributions by Member States to the United Nations regular budget for the year 2015 ^{xciv}	USD 88,484,445
Funding to UNWOMEN ^{xcv}	In 2014, Spain's contribution to UNWOMEN was of USD 3,549,010.
Funding to UNODA and disarmament initiatives (Voluntary contributions from 1 January 2012 to 31 December 2013) ^{xcvi}	USD 39368 (UNLIREC) USD 13,573 (Trust Fund for Global and Regional Activities)

Arms and Military Presence/Dedication to Disarmament	
Ratification of Arms Trade Treaty (ATT) ^{xcvii}	Spain voted for the adoption of the treaty, signed on 3rd June 2013, and ratified on 2nd April 2014.
Estimated annual amount spent on military expenditures ^{xcviii}	0.9% of GDP in 2014, compared to 0.9% in 2013, and 1.1% in 2012
Records on quantity of arms exported and to whom? ^{xcix}	For the period 2010-2014, Spain was the 7th largest exported of weapons in the World, with a share of international arms exports of 3%. The main clients were: Australia (24%), Norway (10%) and Saudi Arabia (10%)

Women's Participation	
Percentage of women participation in Parliament ^c	41.1% (144 women for 350 total seats in lower house) 33.8% (90 women for 266 total seats in upper house/Senate)
Percentage of women participation in Ministerial Positions ^{ci}	30.8% (4 women for 13 total positions)
Percentage of women participation in the Military?	In 2014: 12.4%

Country Action	
Gender Gap Index ^{cii}	2010:11 2011:12 2012: 26 2013:30 2014: 29
Signature/Ratification CEDAW ^{ciii}	Spain signed the Convention on 17 Jul 1980 and ratified on 5 Jan 1984
National Action Plan (NAP)	Spain's NAP was developed in 2007 to cover an unspecified period of time. The government and civil society played a role in drafting Spain's NAP, with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs leading the process.

Resources and webography:

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 - ii <http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/un-documents/women-peace-and-security/>
 - iii <http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/un-documents/women-peace-and-security/>
 - iv <http://research.un.org/en/docs/sc/quick>
 - v <http://peacewomen.org/member-states/call-to-action-2015>
 - vi <http://www.un.org/en/peacekeeping/resources/statistics/contributors.shtml>
 - vii <http://www.un.org/en/peacekeeping/operations/financing.shtml>
 - viii http://www.un.org/ga/search/view_doc.asp?symbol=ST/ADM/SER.B/910
 - ix <http://www.unwomen.org/en/partnerships/donor-countries/top-donors>
 - x <http://www.un.org/disarmament/publications/xb-report/2013-2014/xb-report-2014.pdf>
 - xi <http://armstreaty.org/issue/tracking-the-universalisation-of-the-att/>
 - xii http://www.sipri.org/research/armaments/milex/milex_database
 - xiii <http://www.sipri.org/databases/armstransfers>
 - xiv http://www.ipu.org/pdf/publications/wmnmap15_en.pdf
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 - xviii <http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/un-documents/women-peace-and-security/>
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 - xxvi <http://www.unwomen.org/en/partnerships/donor-countries/top-donors>
 - xxvii <http://www.un.org/disarmament/publications/xb-report/2013-2014/xb-report-2014.pdf>
 - xxviii <http://armstreaty.org/issue/tracking-the-universalisation-of-the-att/>
 - xxix http://www.sipri.org/research/armaments/milex/milex_database
 - xxx <http://www.sipri.org/databases/armstransfers>
 - xxxi http://www.ipu.org/pdf/publications/wmnmap15_en.pdf
 - xxxii http://www.ipu.org/pdf/publications/wmnmap15_en.pdf
 - xxxiii <http://www.defense.gouv.fr/web-documentaire/les-femmes-dans-la-defense/>
 - xxxiv <http://reports.weforum.org/global-gender-gap-report-2014/rankings/>
 - xxxv https://treaties.un.org/Pages/ViewDetails.aspx?src=TREATY&mtdsg_no=IV-8&chapter=4&lang=en
 - xxxvi <http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/un-documents/women-peace-and-security/>
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