



## “From Where I Stand”

A Survey of Your Local Community Influencers and Decision Makers.

**Fill in your survey by putting a cross in the relevant box.**

	Female	Male
<b>POLITICAL LEADERSHIP</b>		
Your Taoiseach		
Your President		
<b>LOCAL LEADERSHIP</b>		
The local head of your town or county e.g. mayor		
<b>LOCAL COMMUNITY INFLUENCERS AND DECISION MAKERS</b>		
Your principal of your school		
Your doctor		
The boss of one of your parents		
The head of your local police		
Your local bank manager		
Newsreader on the TV news channel you watch		
The lead singer of your favourite song		
The coach of your sports team (optional)		
Your religious/spiritual or pastoral leader (optional)		
<b>TOTAL:</b>		

Note: Some people may not identify as either of these particular genders, you can add an inclusive third column if you wish

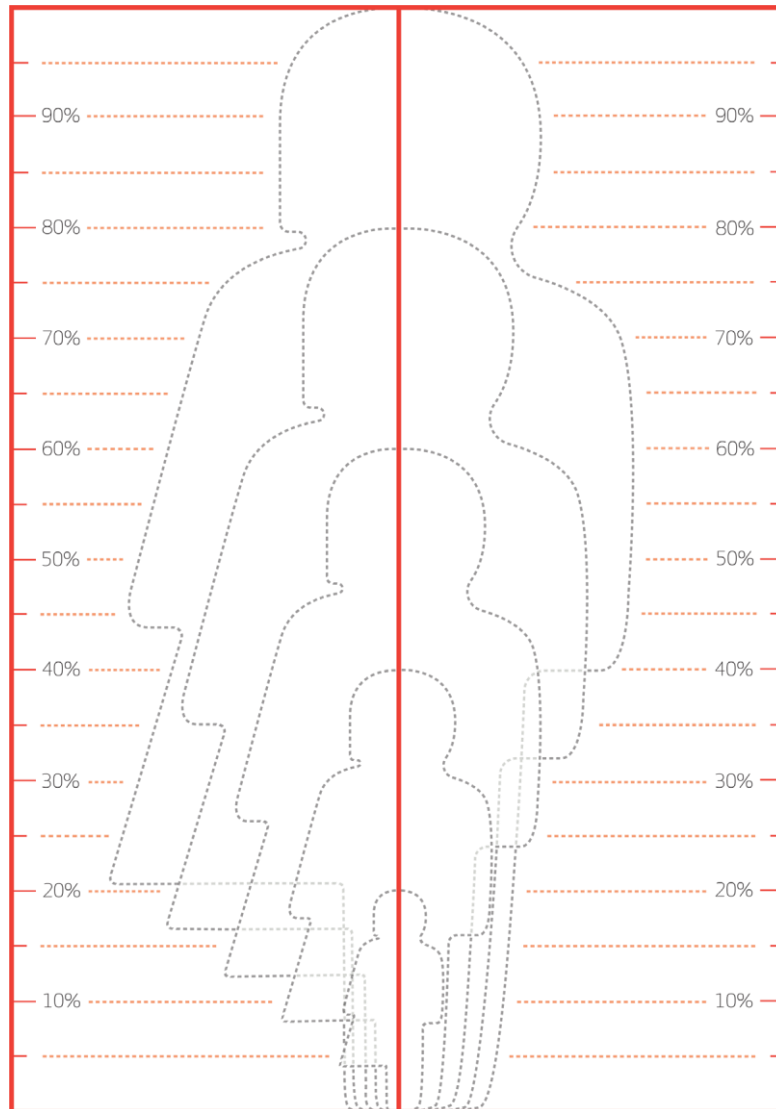


Name

Town

County

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These are my results of a survey looking at the ratio of community influencers and decision makers who are female & male

Female \_\_\_\_\_ % Male \_\_\_\_\_ %



Explainer:

How to fill out this activity sheet.

First you need to answer the questions on the first page.

You then need to do a little bit of maths by calculating the percentage of female leaders and male leaders/ influencers you have found in your life.

**Calculate your gender ratio.**

Total the number of crosses in each column and put that number in the bottom row.  
Add the column totals together. For example if you have answered **every** question then the sum of all the columns will be 12.

How to calculate your ratio:

Female column total x 100 : Male column total x 100  
sum total sum total

So for example, if you answered all the questions and recorded 2 females and 10 males in your survey, your calculation would be:

$$\frac{2}{12} \times 100 : \frac{10}{12} \times 100$$

$$= 16.66 : 83.33$$

$$= 17 : 83$$

Now express your ratio like this %females : %males e.g. 50 : 50 or 17 : 83  
The sum of the two sides of your ratio should equal 100 and remember to put the female figure on the left, the male figure on the right.

Now you are ready to complete the poster on the second page.

**Complete your poster**

Fill in the boxes at the top of the poster  
We want to know where you are but if you don't want to include your name, that's fine.

Take your ratio for the female side e.g. 17  
Colour in the shape on the female side that represents 17% on the scale, this would be an approximate shape slightly smaller than the figure outline at the 20% mark.

Using a different colour do the same for the male side on the right.

Write your ratio clearly in the box below your image so that we can see it.