

## **STATISTALK**

## Opportunities. Where do Indian women stand?



Indian women have fared surprisingly well in politics, hut have a long way to go in entrepreneurship, education and employment

**1** India compares poorly in the gender gap index to other members of BRICS **Overall Gender Gap** Rank out of 142 India China Brazil Russia

South Africa participation

Areas considered for the gender gap index Rank out of 142

Economic

Educational

Brazil

China

Russia

attainment

survival

15 Political

empowerment

2 They are less visible





But they seem to be a ricina force in politica

Proportion of women in Parliament		
	House	House
India	11%	12%
Brazil	9%	16%
China	23%	NA
Russia	14%	8%
South Africa	41%	35%
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**5** Quite a few occupy ministerial positions India 9.3%

25.6% 8.3% 6.7% South Africa 37.1%