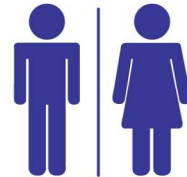




Ready-made garment industry in Bangladesh

► GENDER EQUALITY



WORK DISTRIBUTION

Women mostly work in the sewing and finishing sections requiring **'manual labour'**

Men perform cutting, ironing, knitting and dyeing involving **technical skills**.



WORKERS

61% of all workers are women; **85%** of them perform low-paid tasks requiring low skills (grade 4-7).



MANAGEMENT

5.8% factory owners,
4% factory managers
and **9%** supervisors are women



WAGES

Women workers earn **11%** less than men.
Wage gap is **5%** for women supervisors.

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