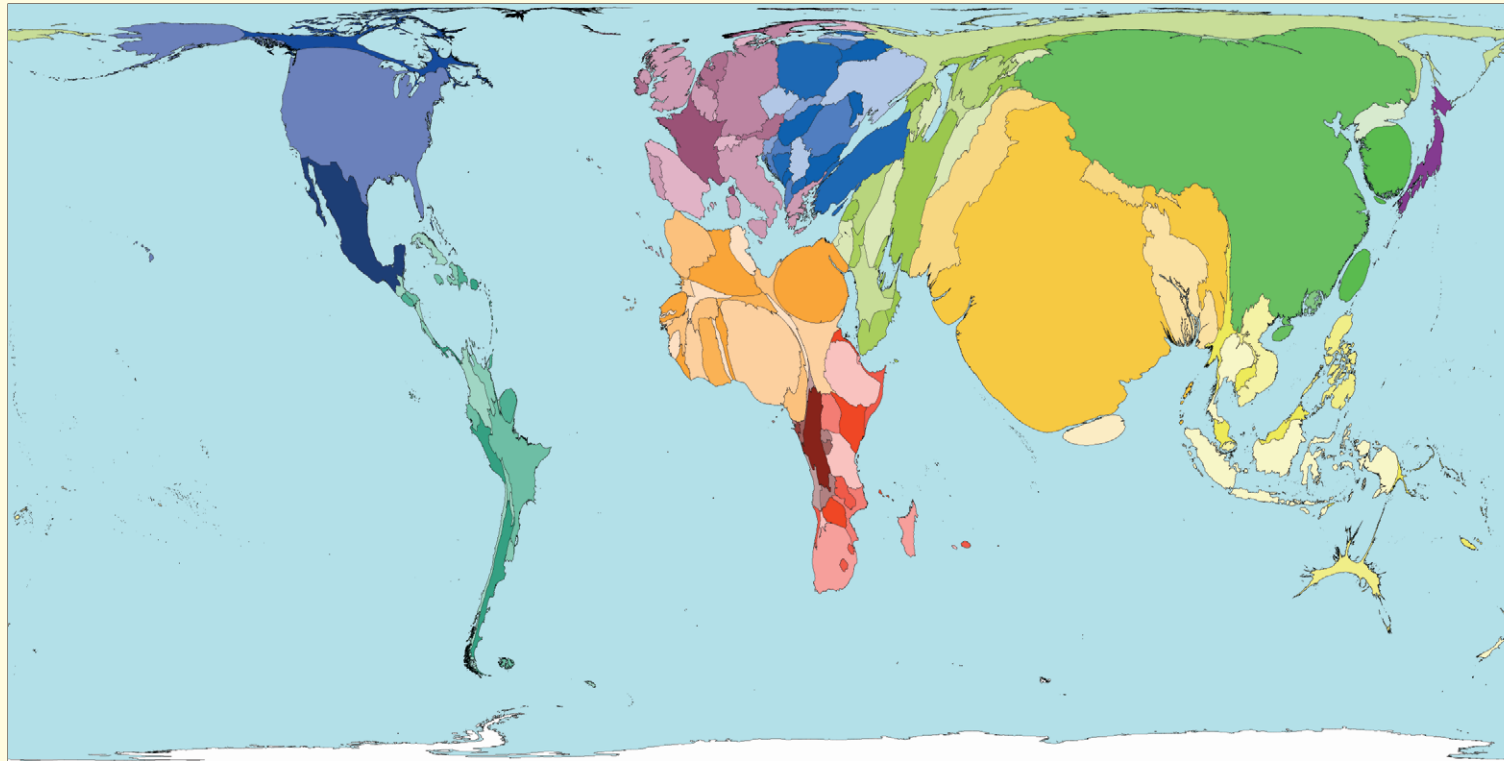


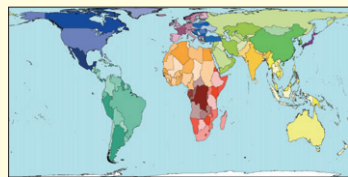
Home-hours Men



Men in Japan and South America spend the least time everyday working in domestic or unpaid labour. The average man in Japan spends 24 minutes a day doing domestic labour; his South American counterpart spends 54 minutes a day on such tasks.

Men are reported to do the most domestic labour in Middle East. Here the average man would spend 3 hours and 24 minutes doing domestic tasks. Note that the Russian Federation is included in the Middle East. The highest levels of male domestic labour when measured in regional averages, are still lower than the lowest levels of female domestic labour in the world.

Territory size shows the proportion of all hours of unpaid or domestic labour worked by men there.



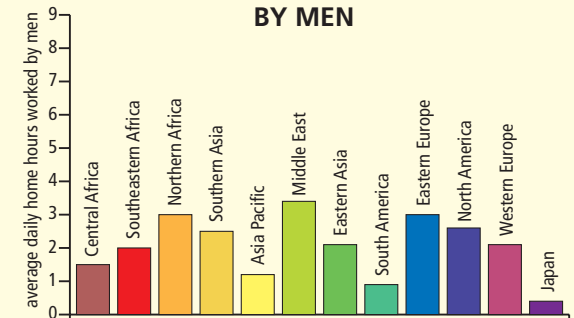
Land area

MOST AND LEAST HOME HOURS WORKED BY MEN

Rank	Territory	Value	Rank	Territory	Value
1	Russian Federation	1.47	191	Lao People's Dem Republic	0.23
2	Bulgaria	1.46	192	Rwanda	0.23
3	Georgia	1.44	193	Dominican Republic	0.23
4	Armenia	1.41	194	Solomon Islands	0.22
5	Slovenia	1.41	195	Paraguay	0.21
6	Romania	1.39	196	Nicaragua	0.21
7	Croatia	1.38	197	Belize	0.19
8	Hungary	1.38	198	Japan	0.18
9	Ukraine	1.33	199	Honduras	0.18
10	Israel	1.29	200	Guatemala	0.16

total daily home hours worked by men divided by total population*

AVERAGE HOME-HOURS WORKED BY MEN



Technical notes

- Data are from the United Nations Development Programme's Human Development Report, 2004.
- *Total population includes women and children.
- See website for further information.

“The majority of men have not changed. They keep on saying ‘Girl, prepare my dinner. Girl, push that sack of rice away from the door. Girl, stop looking out of the door’.”

Mostapha Taleema, 1987