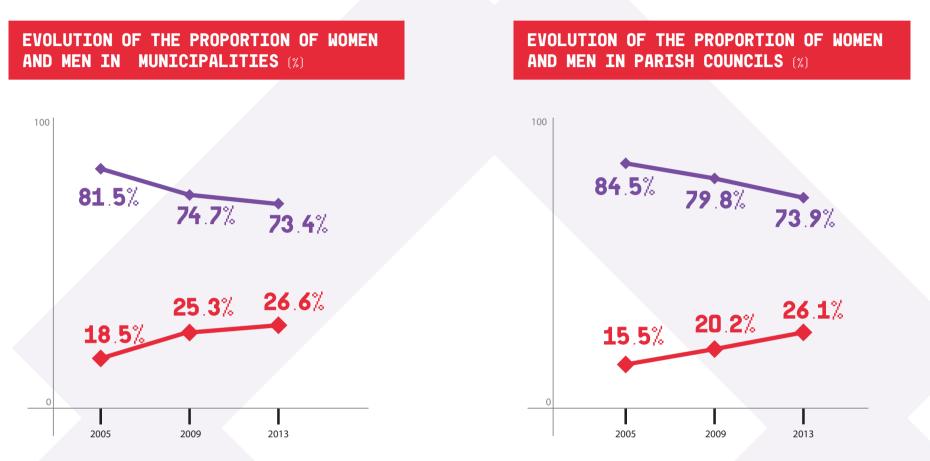
## **GENDER EQUALITY IN PORTUGAL - 2017**

## **POWER AND POLITICAL DECISION MAKING** WOMEN AND MEN IN EXECUTIVE ORGANS OF LOCAL POWER

The proportion of women elected for Municipalities and parish councils executive organs has been gradually increasing.



The participation of women in local power is still lower than that of men, particularly in executive organs.

## EVOLUTION OF THE PROPORTION OF WOMEN AND MEN MAYORS OF MUNICIPALITIES (%)

100 92.2% 92.3% 92.5%

EVOLUTION OF THE PROPORTION OF WOMEN AND MEN PRESIDENTS OF PARISH COUNCILS (%)





The participation of women in local power is significantly low in the municipalities and in parish councils.



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