

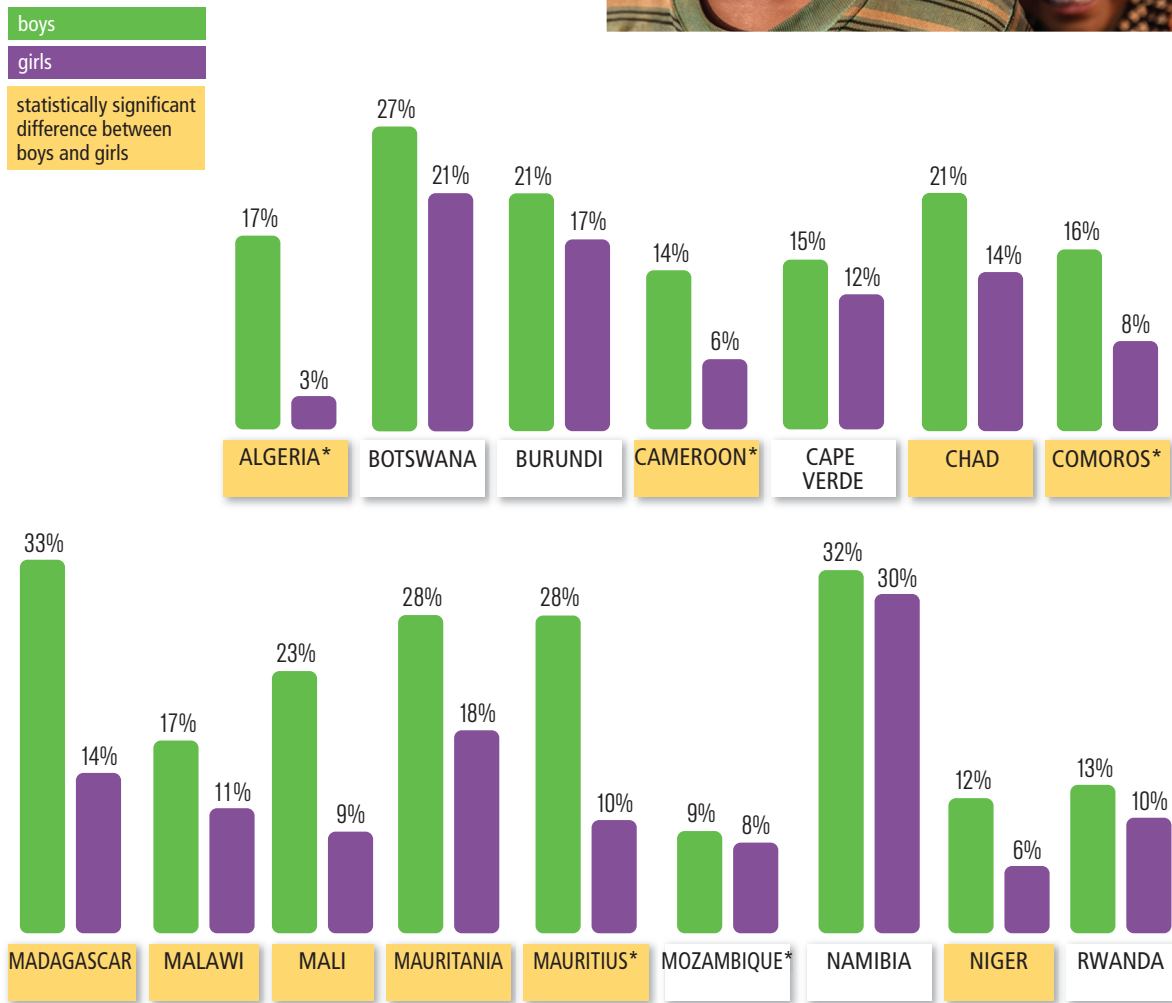
25 Tobacco Use: National Student Gender Highlights

Tobacco use was significantly higher among boys than girls in 23 of the 34 GYTS countries. The percentage of boys who currently used tobacco ranged from 8% in Eritrea to 33% in Madagascar. Percentages for girls ranged from 3% in Algeria to 30% in Namibia.



DIFFERENCE IN TOBACCO USE BY BOYS AND GIRLS

Percentage of students age 13–15
who currently used tobacco
2006–11
2013–16*



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