

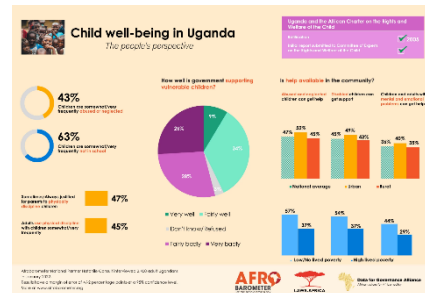
# AB update

November 2023 highlights



## In the field and around the network

- ✓ AB is piloting new survey modules, assessing potential first-time countries to add, and readying to conduct Round 10 fieldwork in at least two countries before the end of the year.
- ✓ With Laws.Africa and the Data for Governance Alliance, AB launched its country scorecards on child well-being at the African Commission of Experts on the Rights and Welfare of the Child (ACERWC) in Addis Ababa.
- ✓ Through a policy users survey in 10 countries, the network is examining visibility and use of AB data and analysis.
- ✓ AB pursued dissemination of Round 9 findings, including 39-country Pan-Africa Profiles on child well-being, youth priorities, and gender based violence.
- ✓ AB wrapped up its summer school in Pretoria, South Africa, and trained francophone national partners' communications managers (at right) in Casablanca, Morocco.
- ✓ The AB-led Data for Governance Alliance held a stakeholder convening on democracy, governance, and human rights in Nairobi and conducted data analysis training for 20 civil society representatives from Southern Africa.



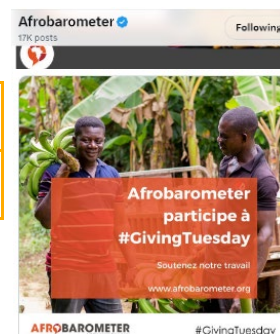
## In the news

A total of **3,140 media hits** were recorded in November across various media outlets, including the [Hindustan Times](#), [ScienceDirect](#), [Dailyhunt](#), [Nordot](#), [RFI](#), [Phys.org](#), [Investing.com](#), [Economist](#), [News24](#), [Correio da Manhã](#), [Hespress](#), [Noticias Ao Minuto](#), [Scroll.in](#), [GhanaWeb](#), [Rádio e Televisão de Portugal](#), [BusinessTech](#), [Daily Maverick](#), [Guardian](#), [Ground News](#). ...



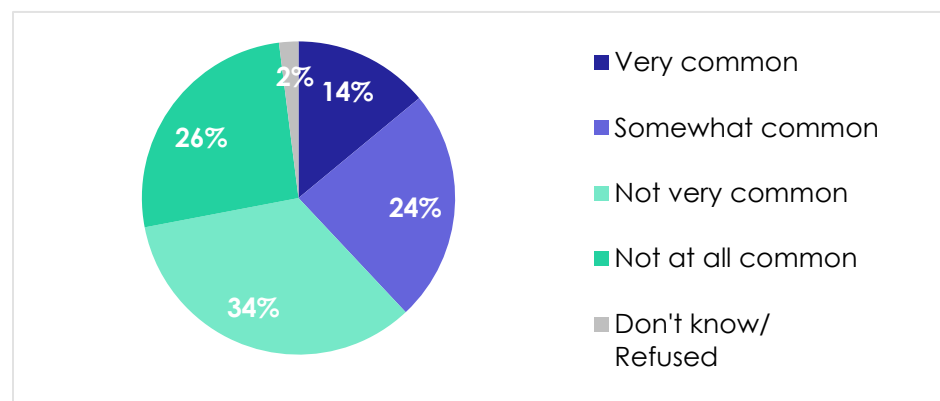
## On digital/social media

Website	24,010 users; 8,243 downloads	Twitter	32,570 followers
Online data analysis	4,680 user sessions	Facebook	17,826 fans



## Chart of the month

Frequency of gender-based violence | 39 countries | 2021/2023



**Respondents were asked:** In this area, how common do you think it is for men to use violence against women and girls in the home or the community?

## Visibility

- ✓ The new Good Authority site published AB's "[Africa's message to COP28: Take action now on climate change.](#)"
- ✓ AB CEO Joseph Asunka discussed social cohesion as a panelist at the "Perils and promises" conference hosted by the German Institute of Development and Sustainability.



## Presentations

- ✓ On Africans' views of the U.S. and China, at the launch of the report "Is Africa turning against the West?" hosted by the Italian Institute for International Political Studies
- ✓ On "Societal Value Dimensions in Africa," at the fourth European-African Parliamentary Conference of the Konrad Adenauer Foundation
- ✓ On "Migration in Africa: Economic Drivers, Cross-Border Challenges, and Citizens' Perspectives," hosted by the Pan-African Parliament Permanent Committee
- ✓ On electricity access, hosted by the British All-Party Parliamentary Group for Africa
- ✓ On youth unemployment, corruption, and climate change, at the Southern Africa Parliamentarians Forum in Windhoek, Namibia

## Publications

- ✓ Dispatch 741: [Young Ethiopians prioritise management of the economy for government action](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 740: [South Africans want to see greater government initiative to promote gender equality](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 739: [Moroccans condemn domestic violence, but many see it as a private matter to handle within the family](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 738: [South Africans see gender-based violence as most important women's-rights issue to address](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 737: [Les Marocains veulent plus d'efforts de l'Etat pour la sauvegarde environnementale](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 736: [Combating gender-based violence tops Africa's agenda for women's rights](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 735: [Environmental protection: Nigerians want regulation and greater effort](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 734: [Africa's youth: More educated, less employed, still unheard in policy and development](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 733: [Cameroonians see police falling short of professionalism and respect for rights](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 732: [Mozambicans see government support for vulnerable children as inadequate](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 731: [Africans see room to improve well-being of vulnerable children](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 730: [Os Cabo-verdianos defendem a igualdade de direitos entre homens e mulheres mas admitem que o governo precisa fazer mais](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 729: [Gambians see limited support for vulnerable children, call for stronger government action](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 728: [Sierra Leoneans urge government to tighten mining regulations to protect the environment](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 727: [Mozambicans call for tighter governmental regulations to protect the environment](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 726: [Climate change worsens life in Cabo Verde; citizens want collective action to combat it](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 725: [Sierra Leoneans demand urgent climate action from government and other stakeholders](#)
- ✓ Dispatch 724: [Mozambicans who have heard of climate change want collective action to fight it](#)

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