OBJECTIVES	By the end of this session, the participants have examined in detail two experiences on gender budgets.
CONTENT	Presentation of the content and process of gender budget initiatives by partner organizations
HANDOUTS	Country case studies: Latin America, Morocco, Philippines, India, Mozambique Sample list of steps developed in Cape Town
REFERENCE TO RESOURCE PACK	Throughout the document
FORMAT	PowerPoint presentation of country case studies followed by exercise
SESSION OUTLINE	Introduction of exercise: 3 minutes Group work: 30 minutes Report back: 10 minutes Conclusion: 2 minutes **Total: 45 minutes**

SESSION 2: CASE STUDIES

GENERAL GUIDELINES

PRIOR TO SESSION

Review relevant sections of the resource pack and prepare PowerPoint presentation or handouts.

Prepare flipchart with objectives of the session and hang on a wall for reference.

INTRODUCTION

Read or have participants read out loud the objectives of the session.

Indicate at which stage of the road map the session stands.

Describe the process of the session.

Invite presentations from partner organizations.

KEY MESSAGE

Diversity of country experiences in carrying out GRB initiatives and lessons to be learned from each of them

CONCLUSION

Open the floor for questions and discussions.

Ask presenters to offer necessary clarifications.

Refer back to the objectives of the session and check in with participants to ensure the stated objectives were met.

EXERCISE: EXAMINING A GENDER BUDGET INITIATIVE

INSTRUCTIONS TO FACILITATOR

Examining a Gender Budget Initiative

MATERIALS NEEDED

Handouts of country case studies on GRB

Flipchart and markers

INSTRUCTIONS

Divide participants into three or four groups. Give each group handouts from two different countries. Ensure that each country is covered by at least two groups.

Ask participants to read through the country case studies and analyze them in terms of:

- actors and their roles
- key strategies
- strengths
- weaknesses

Ask participants to put their findings on a flipchart. Remind them that not all participants have read all case studies. Therefore they must make their points very clear so everyone can understand them.

In plenary, ask each group to provide a brief report. Organize the report with separate sections for each country, so that participants can identify any differences in the various groups' analyses of a particular country.

At the end of the discussion, encourage participants to read in their spare time the case studies for countries that were not given to their group.